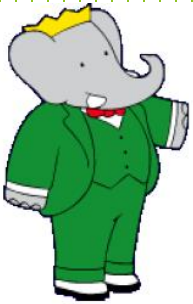


BABAR 25th Anniversary Celebration

CKM BABAR achievements

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My story with BABAR

- ▶ Initial « Coup de foudre » for CP violation in B decays in 1987
 - ▶ May 1988 : My first BABAR talk : a presentation of the potential of future B factories during LAL Orsay bi-annual retreat
- ▶ 1988-1992 : Flirting around
 - ▶ PSI: a project of a symmetric machine was already well advanced(Ralf Eichler et al.) , tough discussions to asymmetrize it
 - ▶ CERN in the ISR tunnel
 - ▶ DESY in the PETRA ring (« not enough ambitious for DESY »)
- ▶ 1993-1999 « The period of true passion
- ▶ October 1999 : Separation but we stay in good terms
 - ▶ Contribution to π/π ratio measurement in 2000, BABAR computing financial crisis
- ▶ 2004-2005 : Happy return to home !
- ▶ 2007-2012 Leaving the « old lady » for a younger one ! (oh)
 - ▶ « The SuperB adventure »
- ▶ 2013-2018 : Now installed by yet another one (LHCb) but having an intermittent affair with BABAR (finish the update of my 2005 analysis)
- ▶ As often in real life, passion changes into tenderness after some 30 years!! But all such souvenirs stay for ever!



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Many ways to define « achievements »

- ▶ New discoveries
 - ▶ Improvement in physics knowledge
 - ▶ Performances compared to initial predictions
 - ▶ Performances compared to other experiments
 - ▶ Publications and citations
 - ▶ Prizes and awards
 - ▶ Number of PhDs trained
 - ▶ Tools and methods developed towards the goal
- ▶ I will cover only a few of these in rather arbitrary manner. Apologies for the topics not covered or if the talk contents is not what was expected!



2008 Nobel prize !!

« CP violation in the B system is well described by the CKM mechanism »

Mister « K »



Mister « M »



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2010 Dirac Prize, 2011 Franklin prize Mister « C » Nicola Cabibbo



Panofsky Prizes

2005

Pier Oddone



2016

Jonathan Dorfan and David Hitlin



Grandiose initial goal

- ▶ CP violation in B decays will pave the way to new physics because
 - ▶ SM can not explain the baryon asymmetry in the universe
 - ▶ Many many ways for NP to change the predicted SM CP asymmetries in B decays
 - ▶ CP violation in B is a totally virgin field
- ▶ The hopes were very high but unfortunately, the « duck is still alive »



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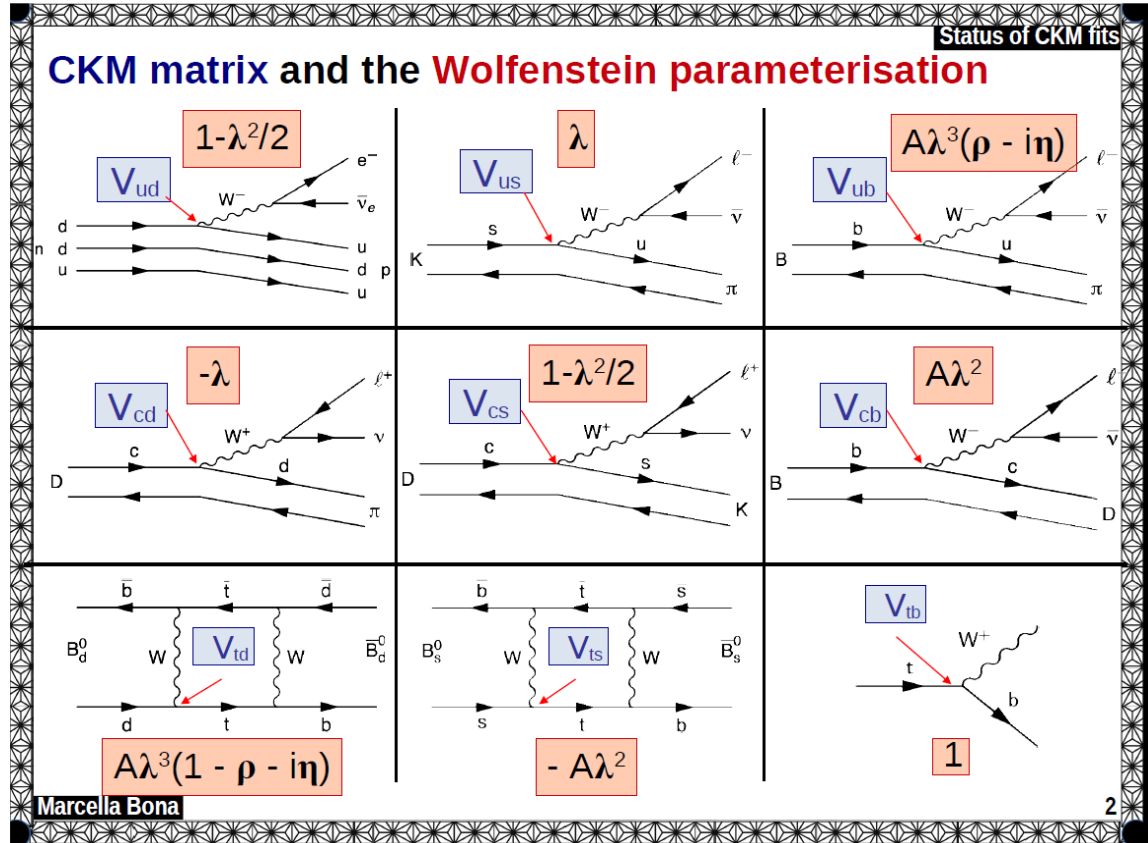


CKM physics constituted the core of the B factories program

- ▶ **BABAR physics book** (1998) :
 - ▶ 482 pages about CKM out of 815 physics related pages: **59%**
- ▶ **Slightly less in the Physics of the B factories** (2015):
 - ▶ 236 pages out of 614 physics related pages ie **38 %**
- ▶ **Conclusions :**
 - ▶ The physics program of the B factories proved to be much richer than originally anticipated
 - ▶ The common knowledge of CKM physics increased a lot in the HEP community over time



The Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa matrix is a 3x3 unitary matrix relating the quarks' flavor and mass eigen-states.



In the SM, the only source of CP violation is due to the imaginary part η

The unitary nature of the matrix allows to draw relationship between its parameters in a form of triangles



Each coefficient gives the amplitude for a quark to decay into another, through charge W emission or box diagrams

CKM matrix and Unitarity Triangle

$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$

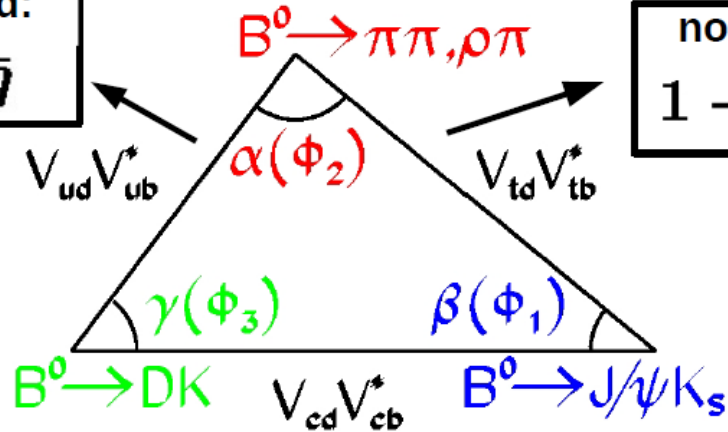
many observables
functions of ρ and η :
overconstraining

$$\alpha = \pi - \beta - \gamma$$

normalized:
 $\bar{\rho} + i\bar{\eta}$

normalized:
 $1 - \bar{\rho} - i\bar{\eta}$

$$\gamma = \text{atan} \left(\frac{\bar{\eta}}{\bar{\rho}} \right)$$



$$\beta = \text{atan} \left(\frac{\bar{\eta}}{(1 - \bar{\rho})} \right)$$



Marcella Bona

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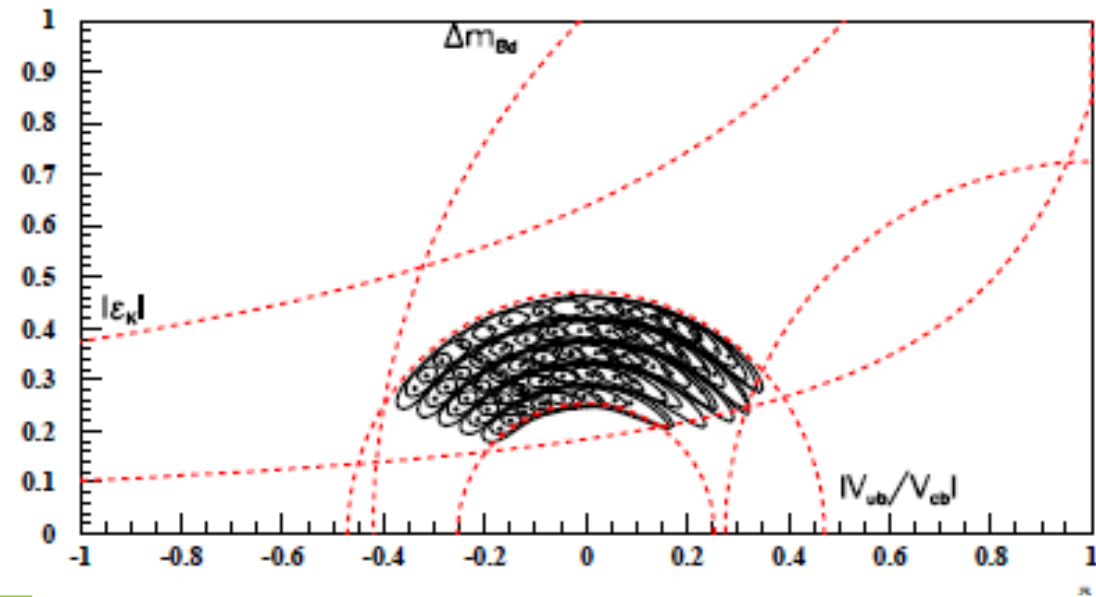
New Physics and CKM triangle

- ▶ In presence of new physics, the 3x3 CKM matrix can deviate from unitarity!!!
 - ▶ A simple case can be that the true matrix is 4x4
- ▶ The goal is then to OVERCONSTRAIN this triangle by measuring **all sides and all angles**, to find any deviation from SM prediction and any inconsistencies
- ▶ Angles are measured by CP violating quantities
- ▶ Sides are measured by characteristic B decay processes, or ratio of such processes.

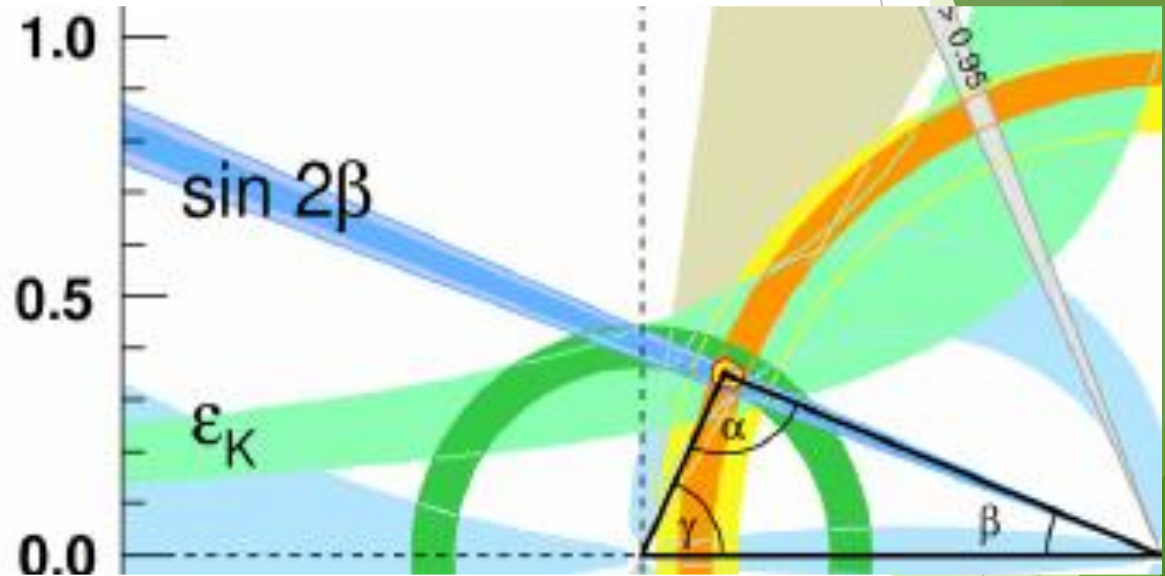


BABAR CKM achievements in a nutshell

BABAR Physics book , CKM knowledge in 1998

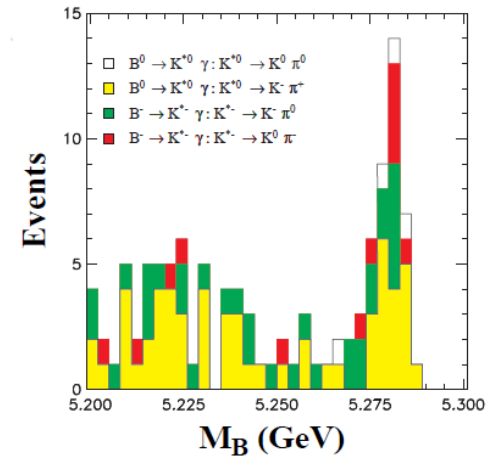
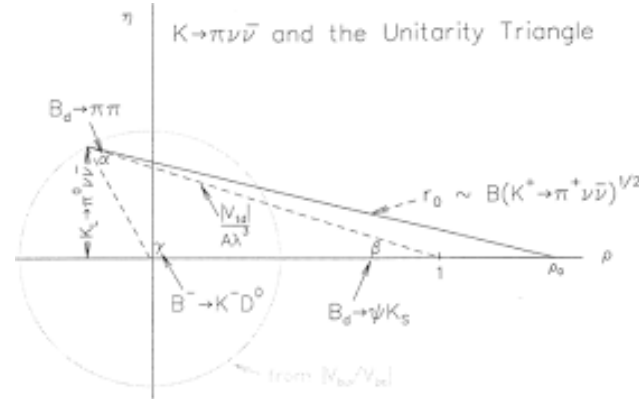


Physics of the B factories, CKM knowledge in 2015

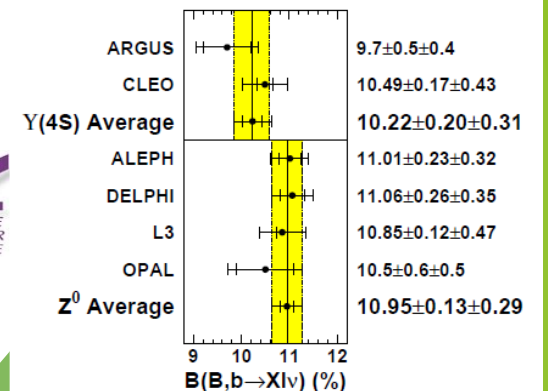
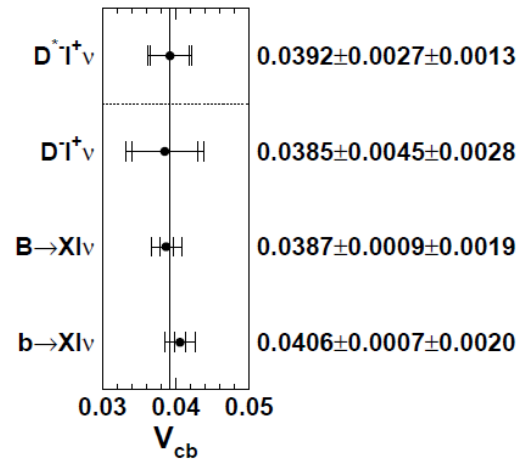
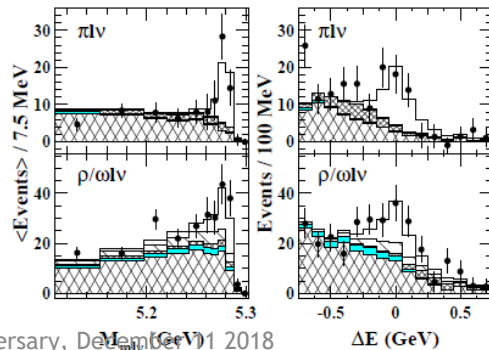


ICHEP 1996 (L. Gibbons)

- ▶ Vcb OK
- ▶ Vub just starting LEP+ CLEO+Argus
- ▶ Vtd from K* gamma
- ▶ Unitarity triangle not drawn very often, elongated
- ▶ Problem with Fb and Bb constants

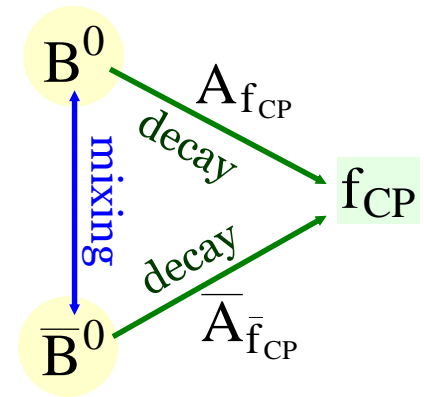


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CP from Interference of Mixing and Decay

CP violation results from interference between decays with and without mixing



$$\lambda_{f_{CP}} = \frac{q}{p} \cdot \frac{\overline{A}_{f_{CP}}}{A_{f_{CP}}} = |\lambda_{f_{CP}}| e^{-2i\phi_{CP}}$$

Time-dependent CP asymmetry:

$$a_{f_{CP}}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\overline{B}_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP}) - \Gamma(B_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP})}{\Gamma(\overline{B}_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP}) + \Gamma(B_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP})} = C_{f_{CP}} \cos(\Delta m_d t) + S_{f_{CP}} \sin(\Delta m_d t)$$

$$C_{f_{CP}} = \frac{1 - |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

$$S_{f_{CP}} = \frac{-2 \text{Im} \lambda_{f_{CP}}}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

$B \rightarrow J/\psi K_{S,L}$: dominated by single decay amplitude

$$\lambda_{J/\psi K_S} \equiv \frac{q}{p} \frac{\overline{A}_{J/\psi K_S}}{A_{J/\psi K_S}} = - \frac{V_{tb}^* V_{td}}{V_{tb} V_{td}^*} \frac{V_{cb} V_{cs}^*}{V_{cb}^* V_{cs}} \frac{V_{cs} V_{cd}^*}{V_{cs}^* V_{cd}}$$

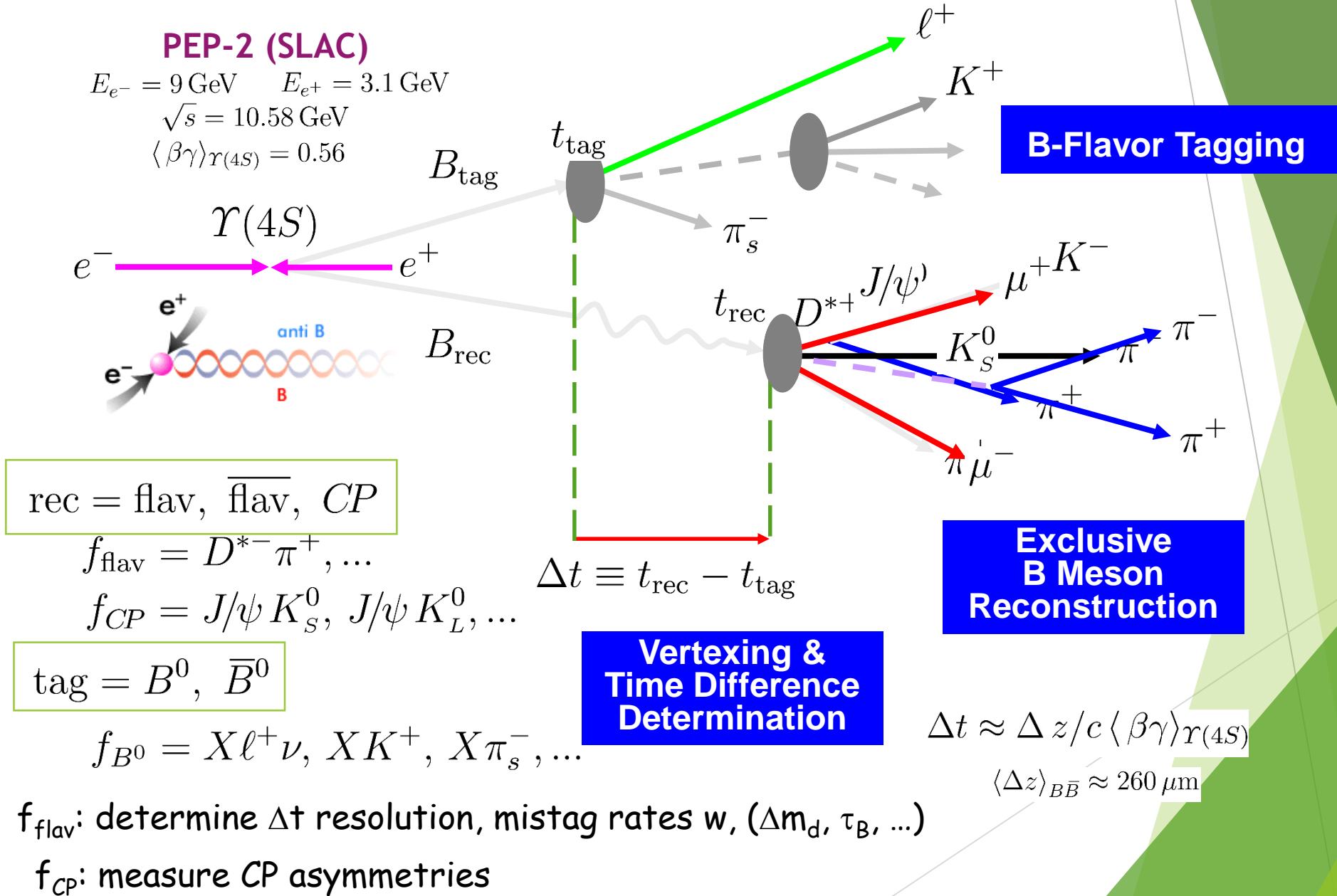
$B^0 - \overline{B}^0$ mixing decay $K^0 - \overline{K}^0$ mixing

$$S_{J/\psi K_{S,L}^0} = -\eta_{J/\psi K_{S,L}^0} \sin 2\beta$$

$$C_{J/\psi K_{S,L}^0} = 0$$

\Rightarrow Theoretically clean way (~1%) to measure $\sin 2\beta$

Ingredients of the Measurements



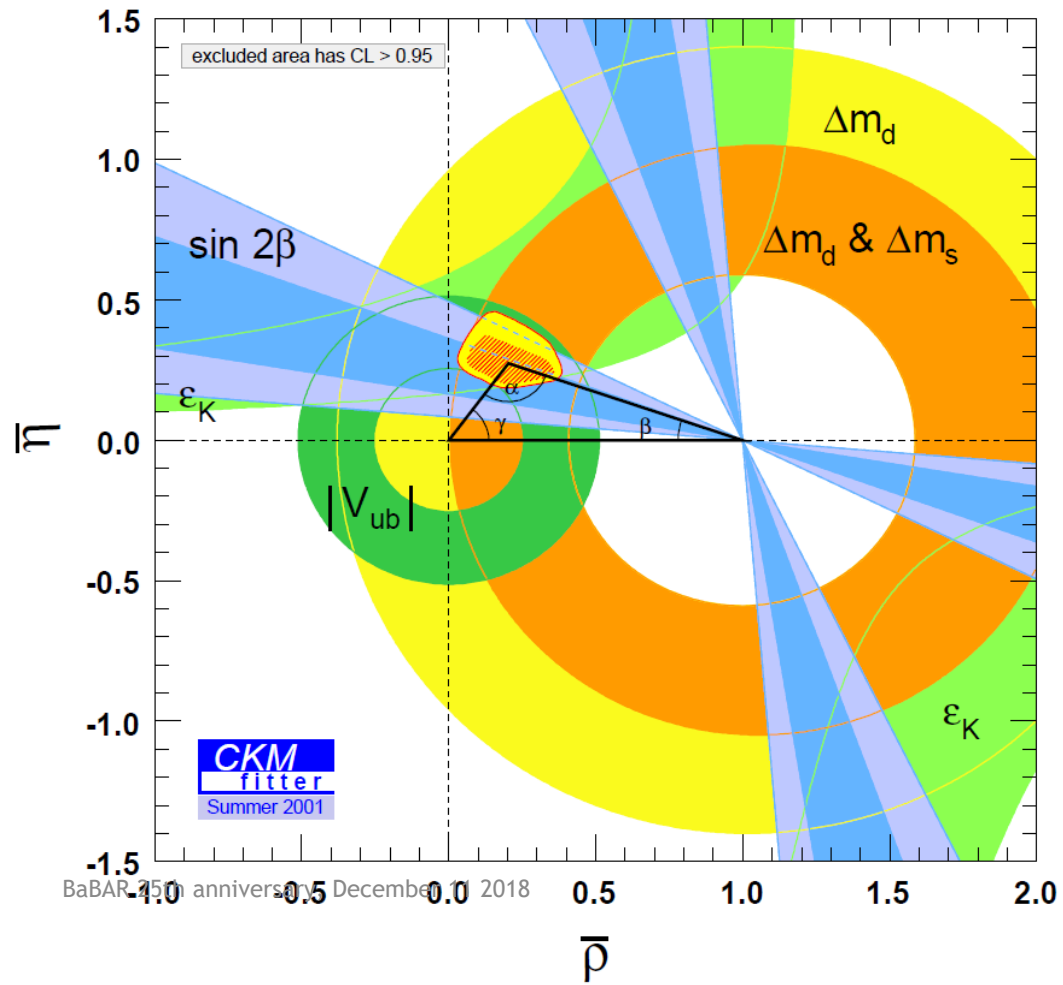
History of the $\sin 2\beta$ measurement

- ▶ May 26 , 1999 First Collisions in BABAR
- ▶ July 31, 2000 Osaka, first measurement of $\sin 2\beta$ presented in Osaka at ICHEP2000 !
 $\sin 2\beta = 0.12 \pm 0.37 \pm 0.09$
- ▶ In February 21, the first publication (in the same journal as BELLE) $\sin 2\beta = 0.12 \pm 0.37 \pm 0.09$
- ▶ July 6 2001: $\sin 2\beta = 0.59 \pm 0.14(\text{stat}) \pm 0.05(\text{syst})$ (32 fb^{-1}) Phys.Rev.Lett.87:091801,2001
 - ▶ This result establishes CP violation in the B system at 4.1σ level (1159 citations)
- ▶ Belle follows (July 23) with 29 fb^{-1} ; Phys.Rev.Lett.87(9):091802 (1160 citations)
- ▶ $\sin 2\phi_1 = 0.99 \pm 0.14(\text{stat}) \pm 0.06(\text{syst})$.

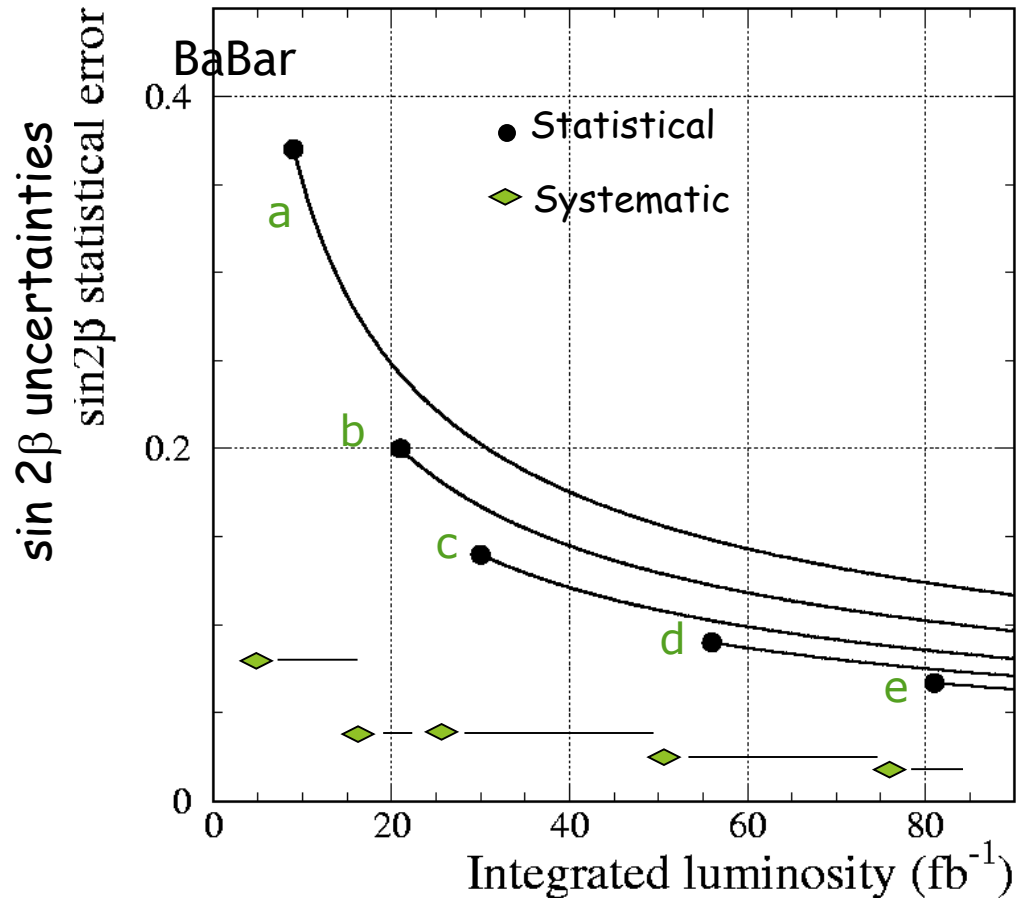
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Unitarity triangle in 2001



Extrapolation: Some History...



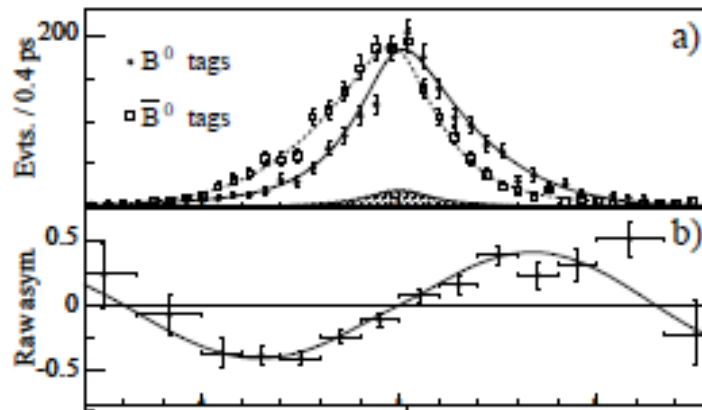
- "Osaka 2000" measurement. (hep-ex/0008048).
 - Only $J/\psi K_S$ and $\psi(2s) K_S$.
- 1st Paper (PRL **86** (2001) 2515).
 - Added $J/\psi K_L$.
 - Simultaneous $\sin 2\beta$ and mixing fit.
- 2nd Paper (PRL **87** (2001) 091801).
 - Added $J/\psi K^{*0}$ and $\chi_c K_S$.
 - Better vertexing.
 - Better SVT alignment and higher K_S efficiency for new data.
- Winter 2002 (hep-ex/0203007).
 - Improved event selection.
 - Reprocessed 1st 20 fb⁻¹.
- 3rd Paper (PRL **89** (2002) 201802).
 - Improved flavor tagging.
 - One more CP mode: $\eta_c K_S$.



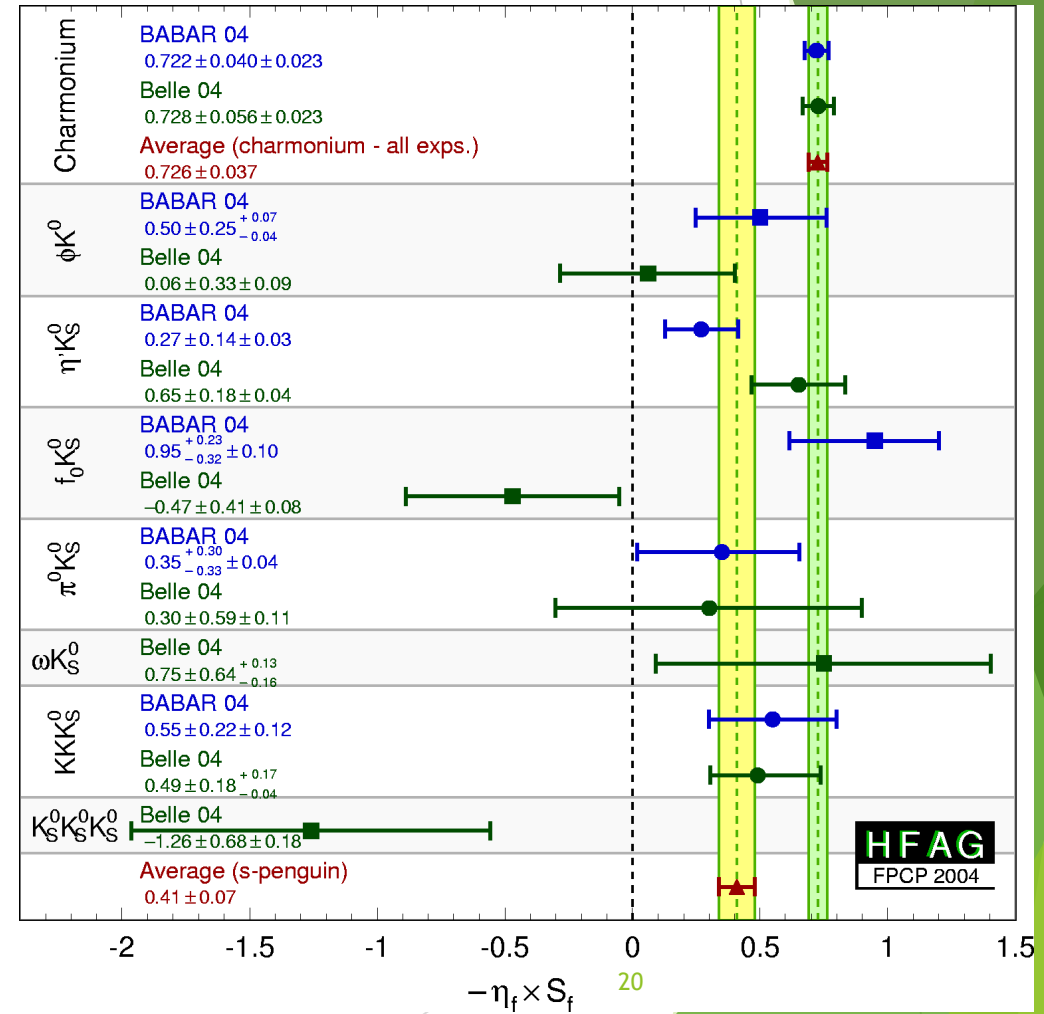
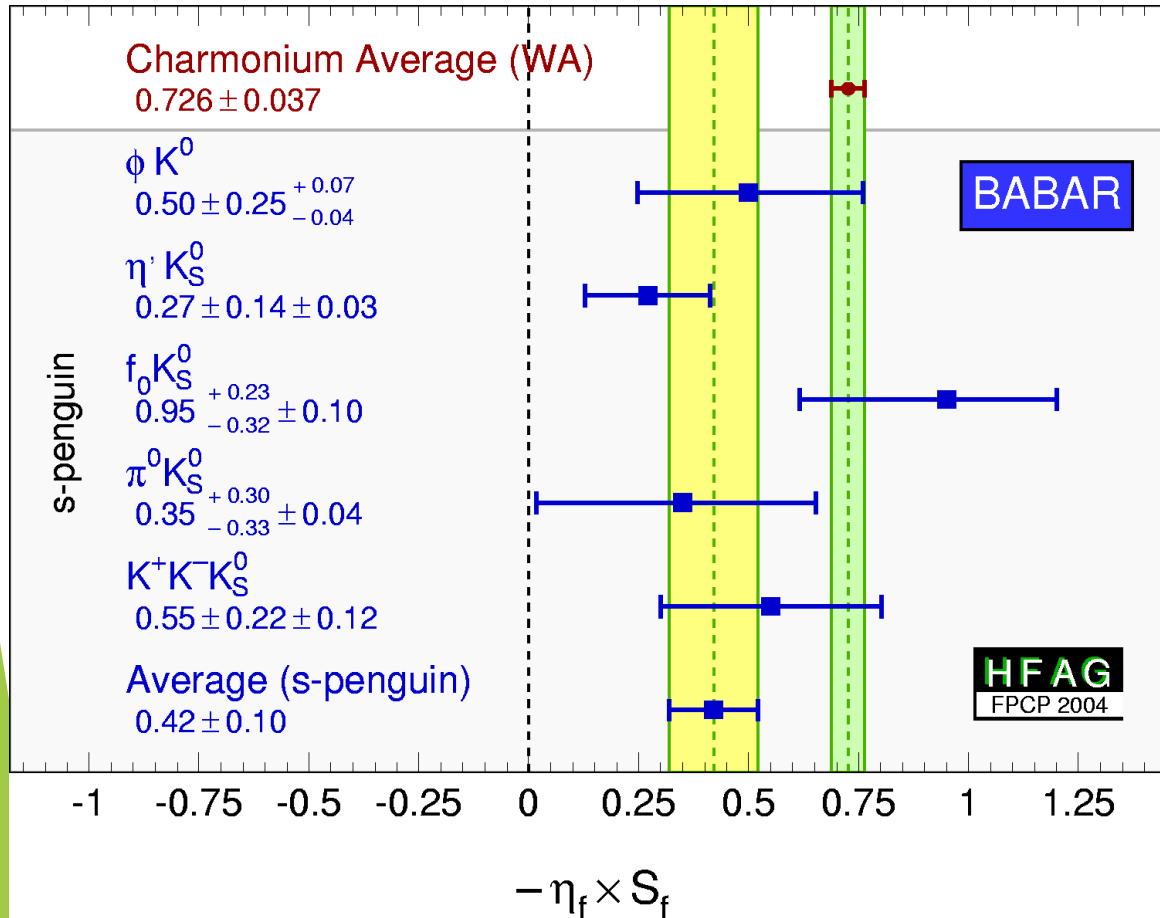
So far seem to do better than extrapolations predict

2004 a important year for CP physics

- Publication of the first REALLY high statistics $\sin 2\beta$ paper based on 223 fb^{-1} (the summer 2001 publication was 32 fb^{-1} !)



The $\sin 2\beta$ saga in $b \rightarrow s$ transitions



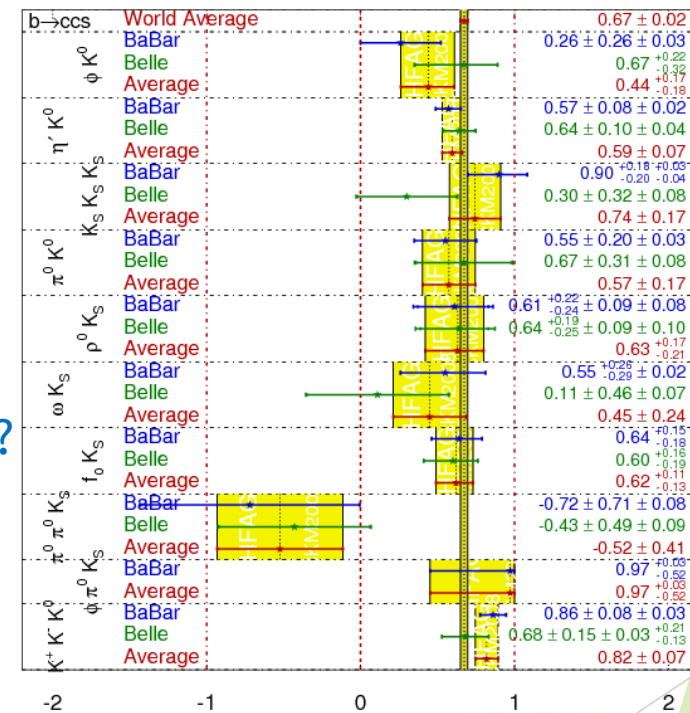
4 years of hope and fears.....

- ▶ Summer 2004: 3.8 σ between $\sin 2\beta$ ($b \rightarrow c$) and $\sin 2\beta$ ($b \rightarrow s$)
- ▶ Summer 2005: 2.8 σ
- ▶ Summer 2006: 2.6 σ
- ▶ Summer 2007: 2.2 σ
- ▶ Summer 2008: 0.7 σ

- SM is tough to beat....
- The 5 σ criterium is there for a reason!
- Will history repeat itself with Lepton Non Universality ?
Similar pattern of several « semi-strong » indications apparently all going in the same direction



$$\sin(2\beta^{\text{eff}}) \equiv \sin(2\phi_1^{\text{eff}})$$



BABAR performances versus predicted and versus other experiments

- ▶ General assumption (called Schneider's theorem in LHCb):
 - ▶ Initial predictions always rather optimistic (simplified simulations, no backgrounds, several guesstimates, etc)
 - ▶ Experimentalists's creativity always allows to overperform
 - ▶ As a result the initial predictions are very good!

Also quite true here !!

	Predicted(30 fb ⁻¹) (Untagged)	BABAR Achieved (424 fb ⁻¹)	Ratio per fb ⁻¹	BELLE Achieved(770 fb ⁻¹)	Ratio per fb ⁻¹
#J/ψK ⁰ (π ⁺ π ⁻)	660	6750	0,96	13040	0,94
Tagging	0,3	0,331	1,1	0,301	1,10
Δ(sin2β)	0,12	0,036	0,89	0,029	1,09
#J/ψK _L	650	5813	0,84	15937	0,66
Δ(sin2β)	0,09	0,028	0,85	0,023	1,11

A very elegant and important measurement performed by BABAR: T violation

SYMMETRIES IN THE LAWS OF PHYSICS

➤ In Quantum Mechanics, there is an operator U_{CP} implementing the CP-symmetry acting on the states of the physical system, such that

$$U_C Q U_C^\dagger = -Q, U_P \vec{r} U_P^\dagger = -\vec{r}, U_P \vec{p} U_P^\dagger = -\vec{p}, U_P \vec{s} U_P^\dagger = \vec{s}$$

The operator U_{CP} is an observable with Conservation Laws: $K_L \rightarrow \pi \pi$

➤ The operator U_T implementing T-symmetry is such that

$$U_T \vec{r} U_T^\dagger = \vec{r}, U_T \vec{p} U_T^\dagger = -\vec{p}, U_T \vec{s} U_T^\dagger = -\vec{s}$$

By considering the commutator $[r_j, p_k] = i\hbar \delta_{jk} I$ the operator U_T must be

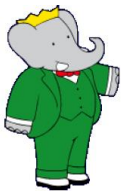
ANTI-UNITARY: UNITARY- for conserving probabilities, ANTI- for complex conjugation

ANTIUNITARITY introduces many intriguing subtleties:

$$S_{i \rightarrow f} \xrightarrow{T} S_{U_T f \rightarrow U_T i}$$

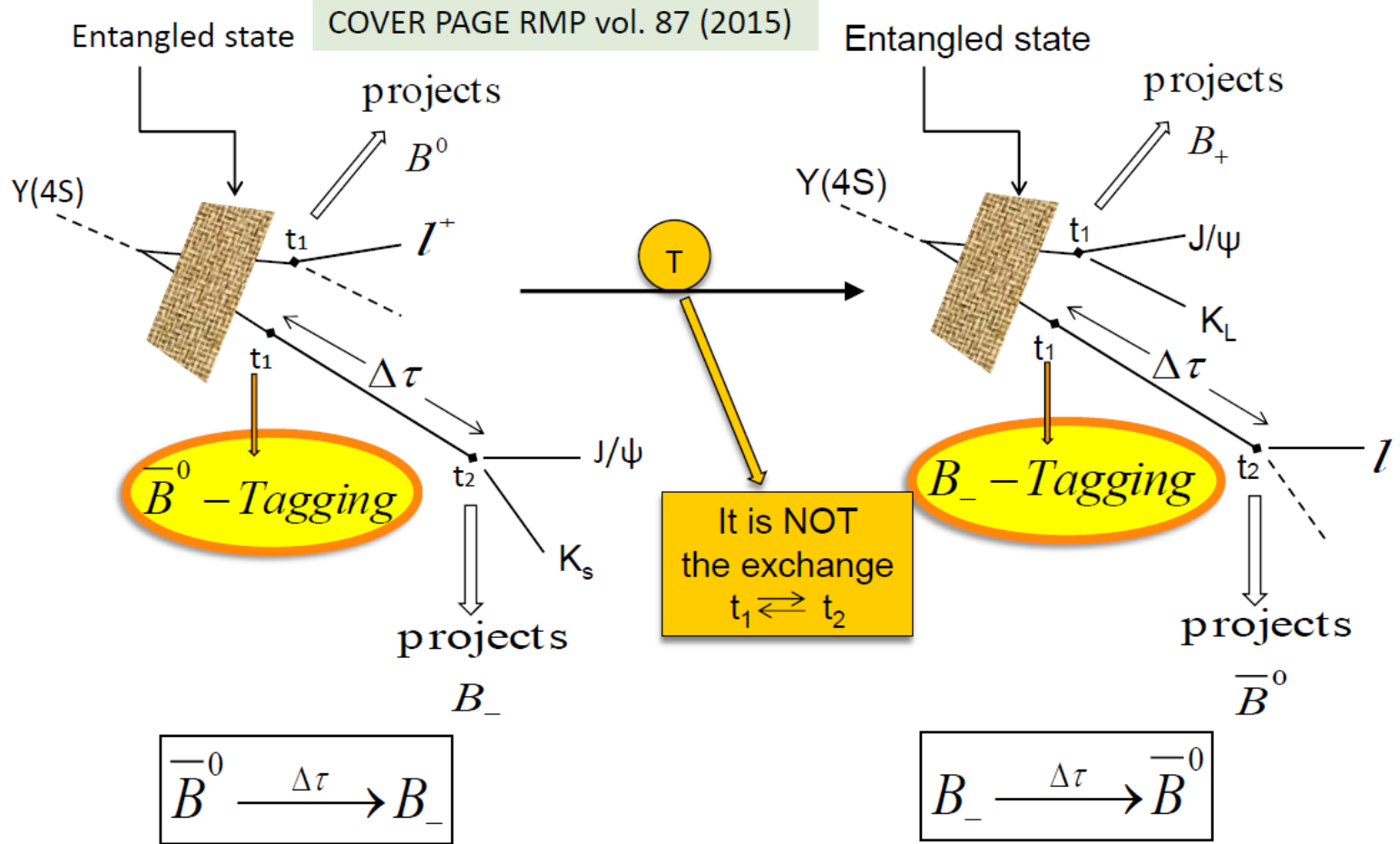
T - Violation means Asymmetry under Interchange in \leftrightarrow out states

➤ Similarly for ANTIUNITARY CPT which needs not only in \leftrightarrow out, but also $i, f \rightarrow \bar{f}, \bar{i}$, in transitions.



WHAT IS T-TRANSFORMATION EXPERIMENTALLY ?

The problem is in the preparation and filtering of the appropriate initial and final meson states for a T-test



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GENUINE T, CP, CPT ASYMMETRIES

J.B., F. Botella, M. Nebot, JHEP 1606 (2016) 100

- 3 different Observables ΔC_h , ΔC_c , ΔS_c for each symmetry

9 Asymmetry parameters with different information content

Using BABAR data PRL 2012, we obtain

$$\Delta S_c^T = -0.687 \pm 0.020 ; \Delta S_c^{CP} = -0.680 \pm 0.021$$

Impressive separate evidence of TRV, CPV

- “Intriguing” 2σ - effect for CPTV

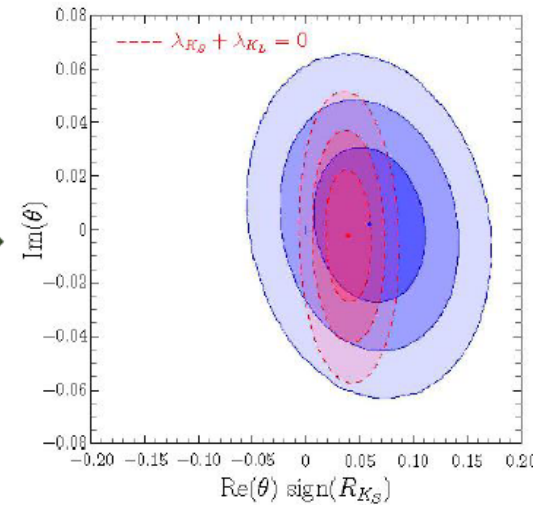
$$\Delta C_c^{CPT} = -\Delta C_h^{CPT} = (2.7 \pm 1.5) \cdot 10^{-2}$$

interpreted in the evolution Hamiltonian
it should be seen in $\Delta C_c^{CP} = (5.0 \pm 1.5) \cdot 10^{-2}$
at LHCb: **Unorthodox CPV term!**

- Analysis assuming perfect ENTANGLEMENT

The two Time-Ordered Decays **f, g** satisfy

$$C_h(f,g) = C_h(g,f) ; C_c(f,g) = C_c(g,f) ; S_c(f,g) = -S_c(g,f)$$

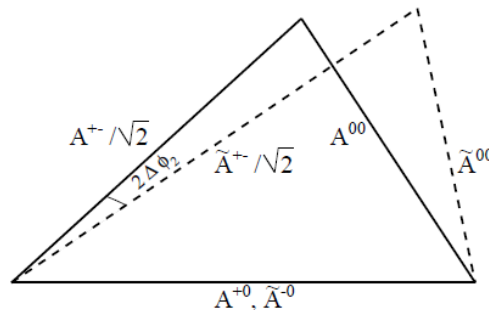


$\sin 2\alpha$ measurements

- ▶ This angle is measured by the same method with $b \rightarrow u$ transitions
- ▶ The initial favorite mode $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$, supplemented by more complex decays $\pi\pi\pi^0$, and $\pi\pi\pi\pi$ decays.
- ▶ It was known since the beginning that PENGUIN POLLUTION could make the measured angle differ from true α .
- ▶ Several delicate constructions were proposed to control this pollution based on measurements of the related channels (eg $B \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$)
- ▶ The amount of this pollution depends of the modes and of the ratios of branching fractions.
- ▶ Babar measured the channel $B \rightarrow \rho\rho$ in 2004, showing that two-body channels was not the best.



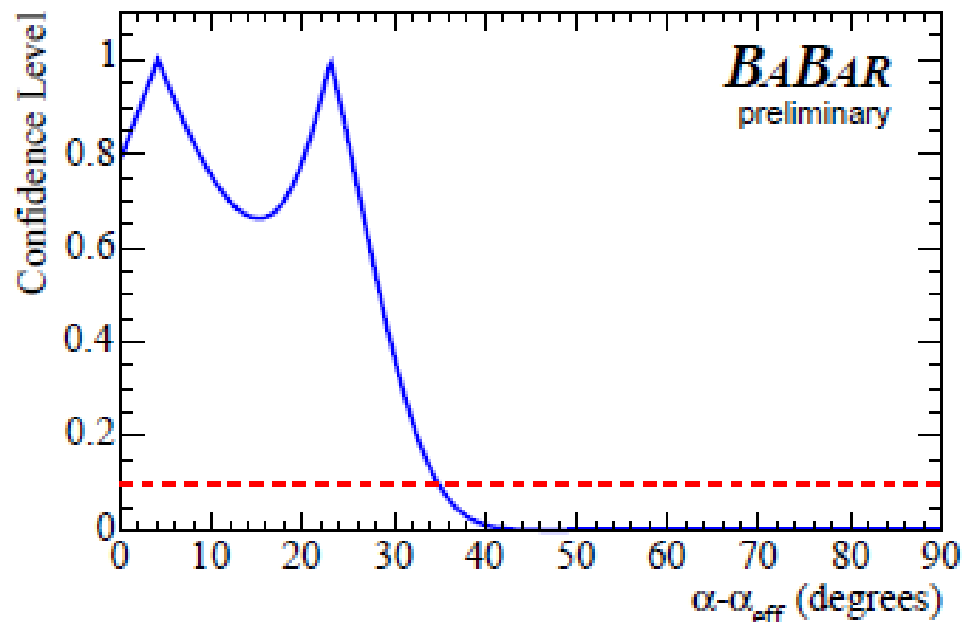
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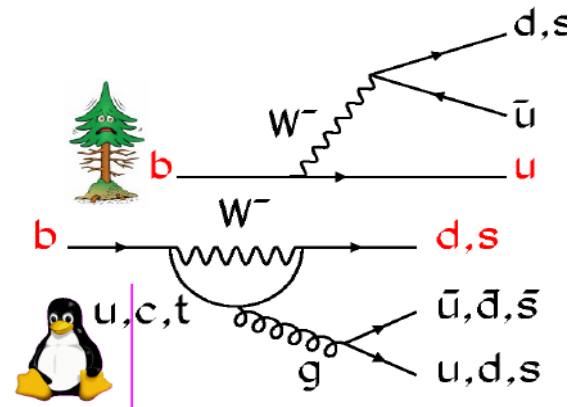
Influence of the value $BR(B \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0)$ on $\alpha - \alpha_{\text{eff}}$

$$B(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) = (1.17 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-6}, \quad C_{\pi^0 \pi^0} = -0.12 \pm 0.56 \pm 0.06,$$

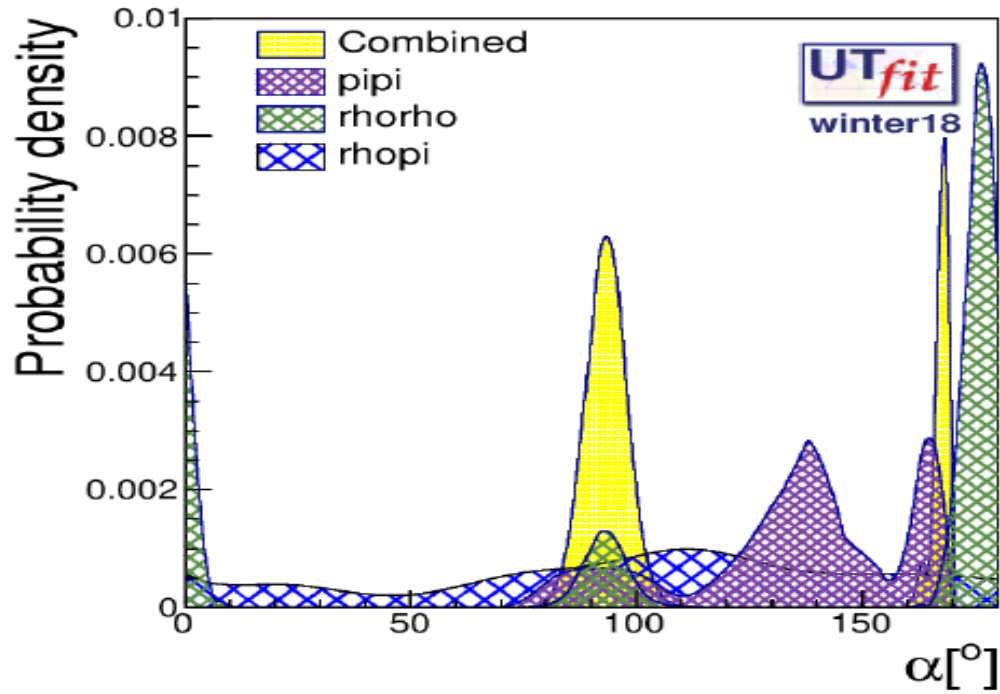
[arXiv:hep-ex/0408081](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/0408081)



A precise determination
of α with the $\pi\pi$ mode
is doomed



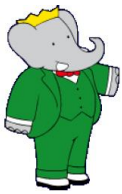
The $\rho\rho$ channel is the best



p-value

combined SM: $(93.3 \pm 5.6)^\circ$

UTfit prediction: $(90.1 \pm 2.2)^\circ$



BABAR $\sin 2\alpha_{\text{eff}}$ performances versus predicted and versus other experiments

	Predicted (30 fb ¹)(Untagged)	BABAR Achieved (424 fb ⁻¹)	Ratio per fb ⁻¹	BELLE Achieved(770 fb ⁻¹)	Ratio per fb ⁻¹
# $\pi^+\pi^-$	380	1394	0,35	2964	0,86
#Kp	470	5410	1,09	9205	1,07
$\Delta(\sin 2\alpha)$	0,29	0,1	0,77	0,08	1,08



Observation of direct CPV violation. The $K\pi$ puzzle

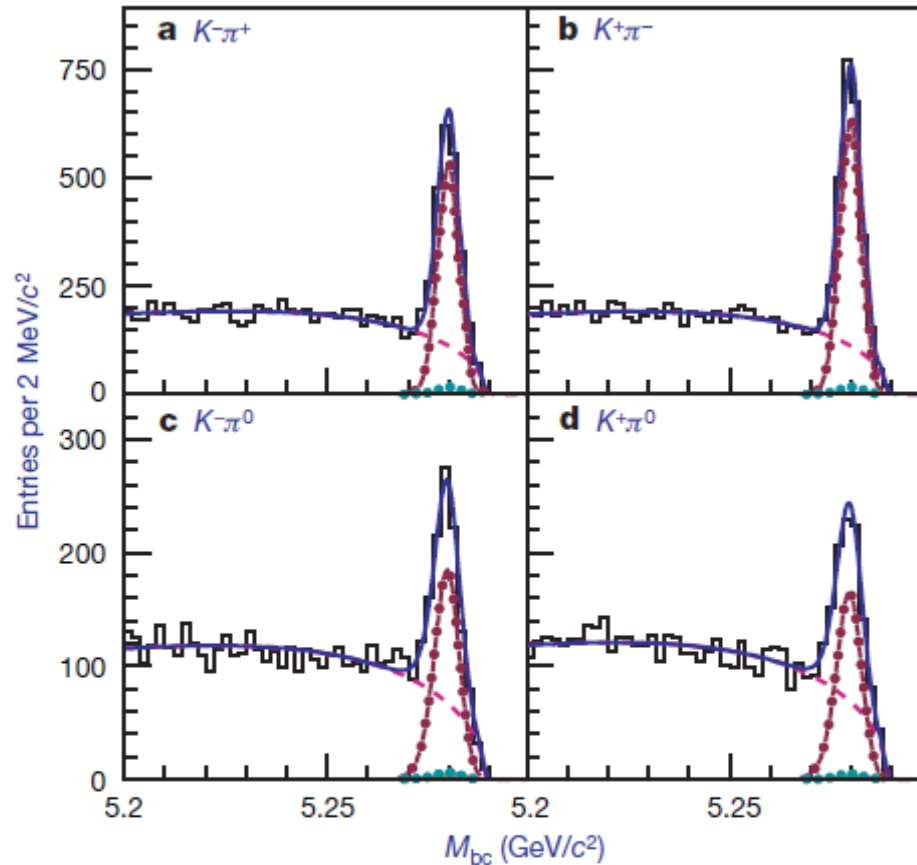
- ▶ In 2004, direct CPV violation was observed by BABAR. The branching fraction $BR(B^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)$ is different from $BR(B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)$, and $BR(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0)$ is different from $BR(B^- \rightarrow K^- \pi^0)$
 - ▶ By far, the simplest way to distinguish matter from antimatter. **Very handy before shaking hands with an alien!!!**
- ▶ But the two asymmetries do not agree with other as they should under usual isopin symmetry

	$B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0$	$B^+ \rightarrow K^0 \pi^+$	$B^0 \rightarrow K^0 \pi^0$
Belle	$-0.094 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.008$	$+0.07 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.01$	$+0.03 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.01$	$+0.14 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.06$
BABAR	$-0.107 \pm 0.016^{+0.006}_{-0.004}$	$+0.030 \pm 0.039 \pm 0.010$	$-0.029 \pm 0.039 \pm 0.010$	$-0.13 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.03$
CDF	$-0.086 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.009$	–	–	–
CLEO	$-0.04 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.02$	$-0.29 \pm 0.23 \pm 0.02$	$+0.18 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.02$	–
Average	-0.098 ± 0.012	$+0.050 \pm 0.025$	$+0.009 \pm 0.025$	-0.01 ± 0.10

Table 3: Summary of \mathcal{A}_{CP} measurements by Belle, BABAR, CLEO and CDF.



Observation of direction CP violation in $K\pi$ decays



The future lies in the check of well designed sum rules relating all these parameters:
Another nice challenge for LHCb and BELLE-II!



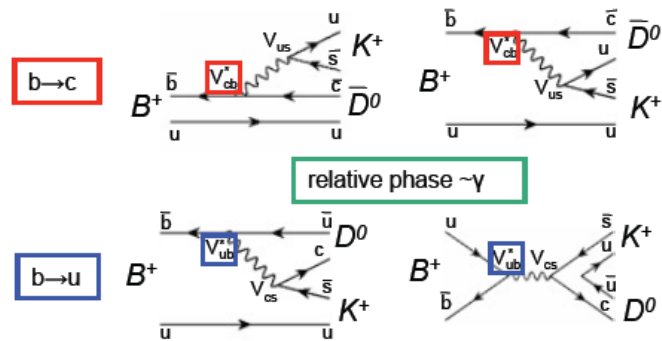
Figure 17.4.5. The direct CP violation in $B \rightarrow K^\mp \pi^\pm$ (top) and $B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^0$ (bottom) can be seen in the difference between the heights of signal distributions (red/points) in the left and right plots (Lin, 2008).

γ measurements

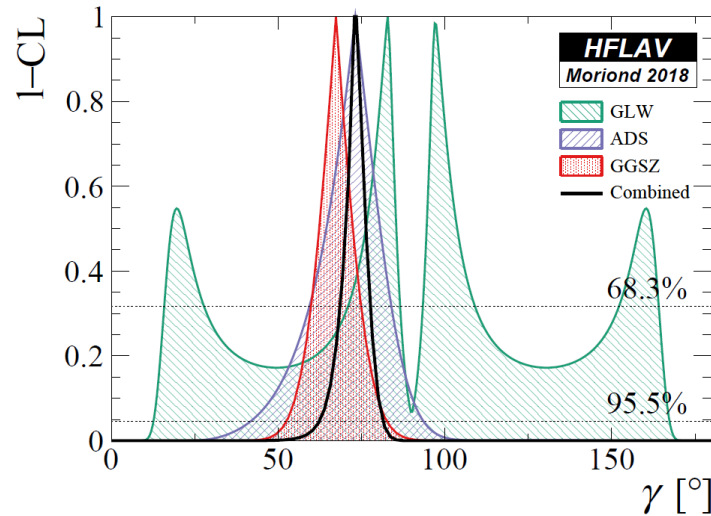
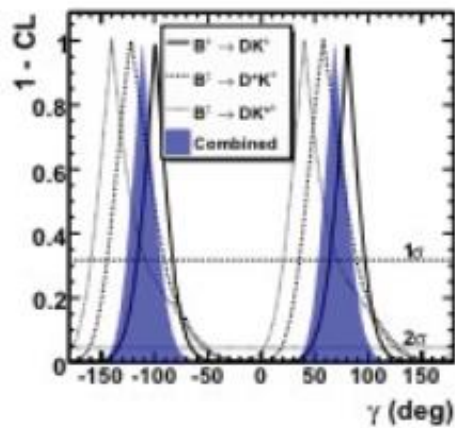
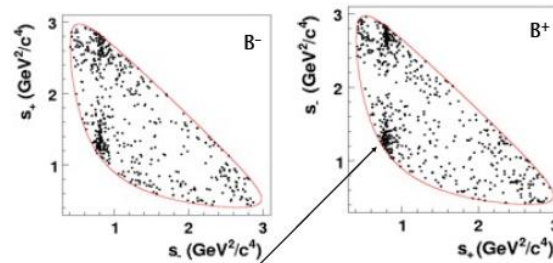
- ▶ There are several methods used to measure γ and all of them have been successfully pioneered at BABAR such as $B \rightarrow DK$, Dalitz analysis of $B \rightarrow D(K^0\pi^+\pi^-) K$
- ▶ However it is fair to say that the precisions that was reached by BABAR and BELLE were not sufficient to constraint the unitarity triangle.
- ▶ LHCb and BELLE-II will reach the necessary precision to put this constraint into action
- ▶ This will be quite interesting since γ is in principle very largely immune to new physics, so comparing between γ and $180^\circ - \alpha - \beta$ will be quite meaningful



An illustration of BABAR measurements (CKM 2012) and present average (HFAG2018)



$D \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-, K_S^0 K^+ K^-$



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A recent measurement using BABAR+BELLE regarding CP violation

Overview of Combined *BABAR*+*Belle* Measurements

1. $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)} h^0$ with **two-body D meson** decays to *CP* eigenstates:

- Time-dependent *CP* violation measurement of $\sin(2\beta)$
- Theoretically clean mode, could provide new $\sin(2\beta)$ SM reference

Result: - First observation of *CP* violation in this mode
- Published in PRL [PRL 115, 121604 (2015)]

2. $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)} h^0$ with the **three-body D meson** $D \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ decay:

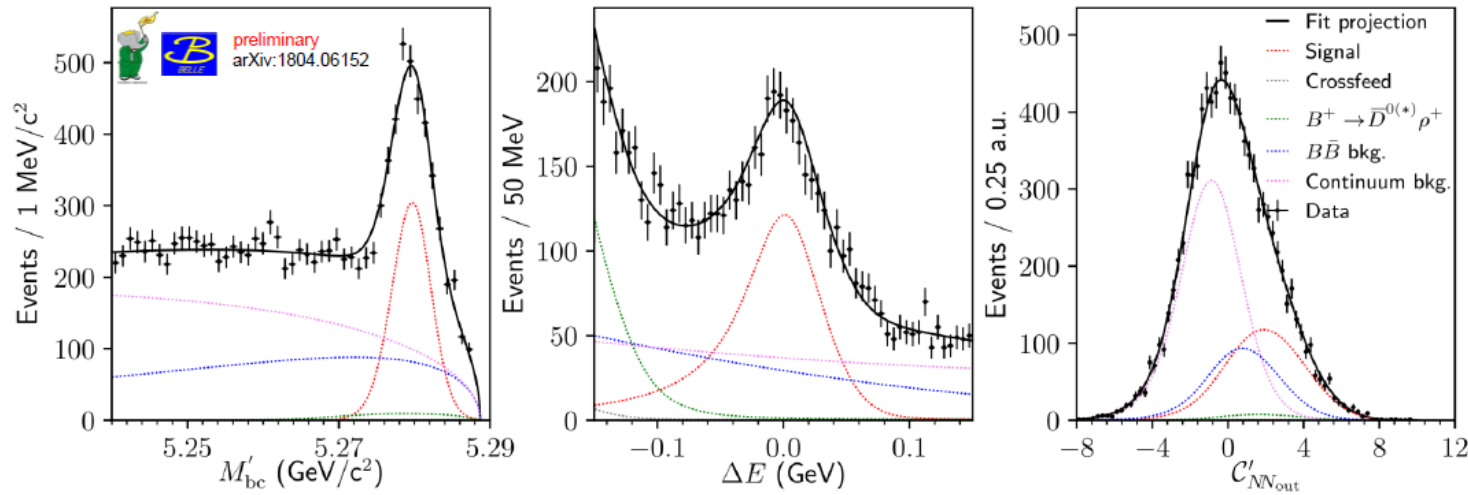
- Time-dependent Dalitz plot analysis to measure $\cos(2\beta)$
- Make full use of the joint approach by applying common assumptions and the same model simultaneously to the *BABAR* and *Belle* data sets

Result: - Most precise measurement of $\cos(2\beta)$
- First evidence for $\cos(2\beta) > 0$
- Exclusion of multifold solutions of the Unitarity Triangle
- Joint PRL and PRD publications have been submitted
[arXiv:1804.06152, arXiv:1804.06153]



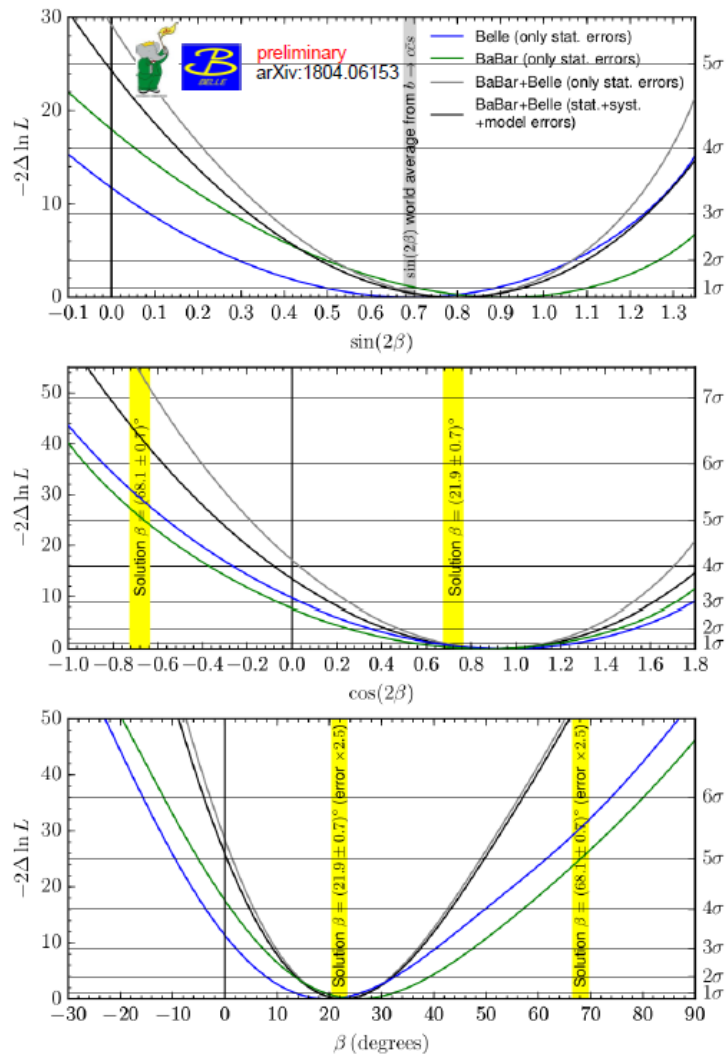
2. Combined *BABAR*+*Belle* Analysis: $\cos(2\beta)$ from $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)}h^0$

- Reconstruct $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)}h^0$ with h^0 in $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ and $\omega \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$
 $D \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^+\pi^-$ and $D^{*0} \rightarrow D\pi^0$.
- In total, 5 B^0 decay modes are reconstructed.
- $e^+e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ ($q \in \{u, d, s, c\}$) continuum background is identified by neural networks.
- Extract signal by 3D fit of beam-constr. mass M'_{bc} , energy-difference ΔE and NN'_{out} .



BABAR: 1129 ± 48 signal events
Belle: 1567 ± 56 signal events

2. Combined *BaBar*+*Belle* Analysis: $\cos(2\beta)$ from $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)}h^0$



- Single most precise measurement of $\cos(2\beta)$
- First evidence for $\cos(2\beta) > 0$ (3.7σ)
- Direct exclusion of the 2nd solution
 - $\pi/2 - \beta = (68.1 \pm 0.7)^\circ$
 - of the CKM Unitarity Triangle (7.3σ)
 - Reduction of the trigonometric ambiguity of the CKM Unitarity Triangle
- Exclusion of $\beta = 0^\circ$ (5.1σ)
 - Observation of CP violation in $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)}h^0$ decays
- Joint PRL (arXiv:1804.06152) and PRD (arXiv:1804.06153) papers have been submitted.



V_{ub} and V_{cb}

- ▶ These CKM parameters are measured with $b \rightarrow c$ and $b \rightarrow u$ semileptonic decays: $Dl\nu$ or $\pi l\nu$
- ▶ These have large branching fractions and are easy to identify at first sight. However progress has been slow in this area for several reasons:
 - ▶ For V_{cb} , hadronic uncertainties and extrapolation uncertainties to the full phase space
 - ▶ For V_{ub} , same plus visibility in a even more limited region of phase space because of V_{cb} related events.
- ▶ Both measurements systematically dominated since 2001
- ▶ Difficult to separate BABAR/BELLE/theory progress over the years



Semileptonic decays with extra pions

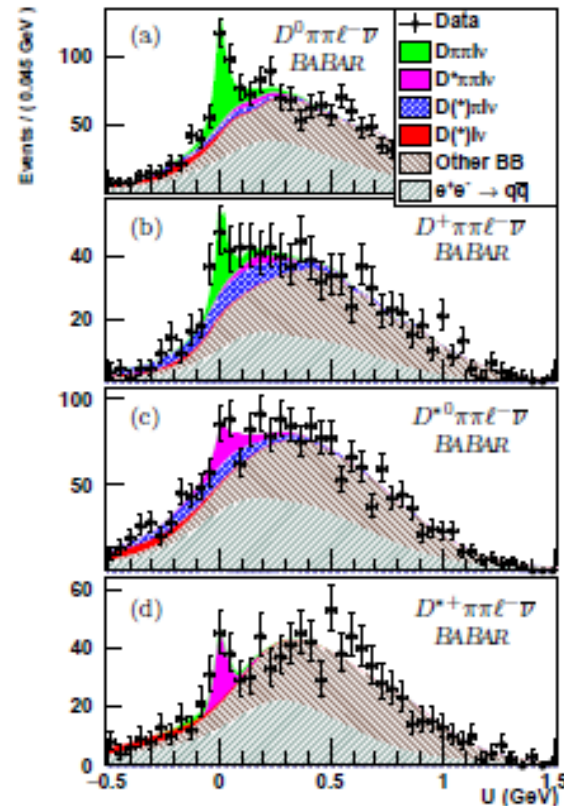
- ▶ One BABAR significant contribution was the observation of modes with one or two extra pions [Phys.Rev.Lett. 116 041801 \(2016\)](#)

These high multiplicity modes are important to

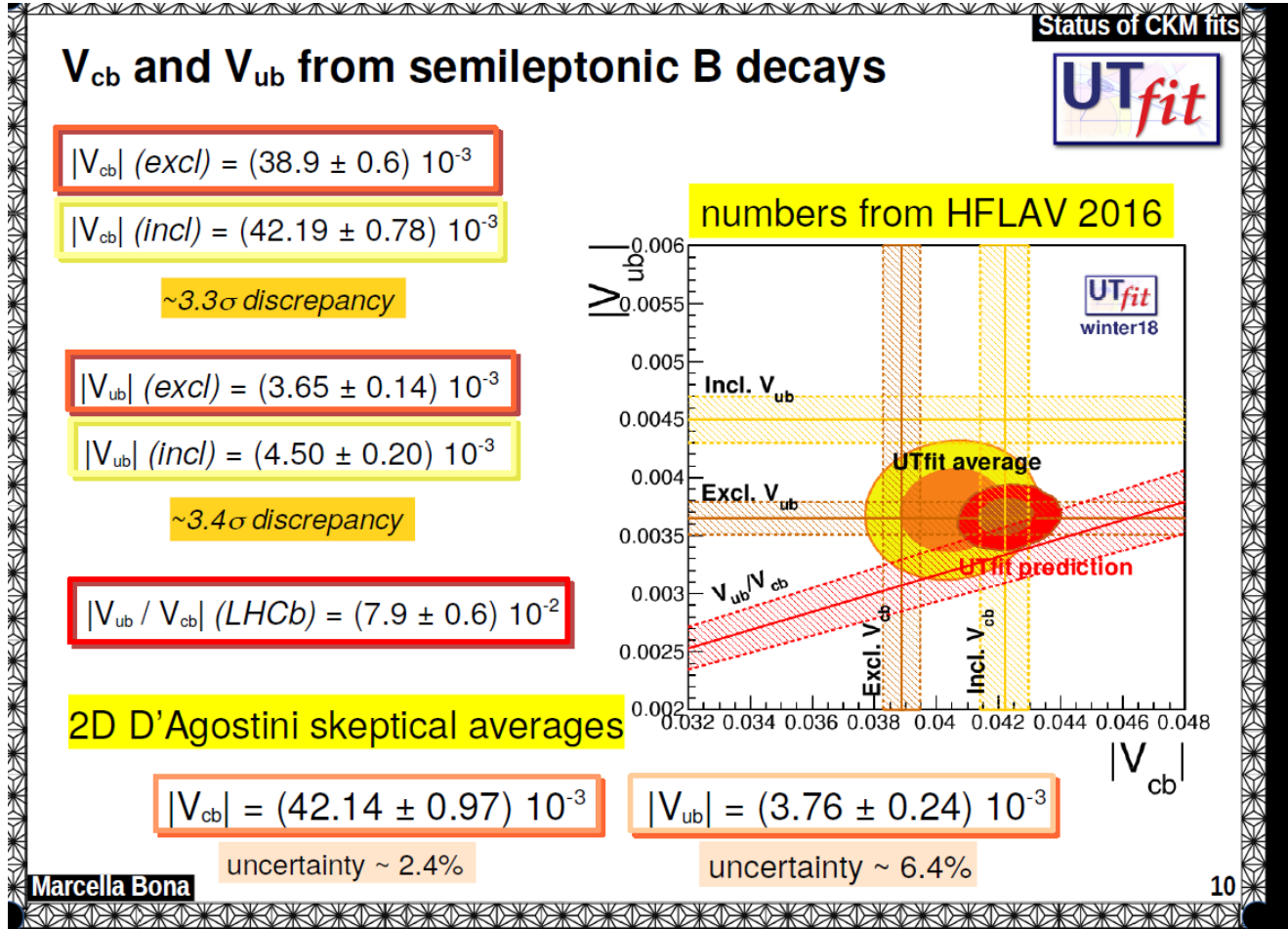
- Close the gap between inclusive and exclusive BRs
- Quantify the D^{**} feed-down for $D^*\tau\nu$ measurements



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V_{ub}/V_{cb} present status



V_{cb} and V_{ub}

Status of CKM fits

CKM
fitter

new average

Belle $B \rightarrow D^* l\nu$ combined (tagged and untagged), BGL
 Belle and Babar $B \rightarrow D l\nu$ combined, BGL:

$$|V_{cb}| (excl) = (41.2 \pm 0.6(exp) \pm 0.9(LQCD) \pm 0.2(EM)) 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{cb}| (incl) = (42.2 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.6) 10^{-3}$$

no discrepancy!

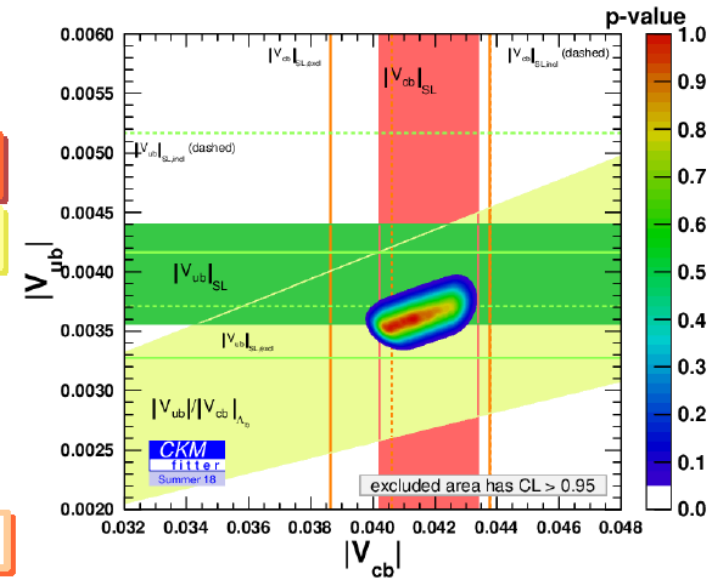
$$|V_{ub}| (excl) = (3.72 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.22) 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{ub}| (incl) = (4.44 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.31) 10^{-3}$$

update for Summer 2018

$$|V_{cb}| = (41.8 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.6) 10^{-3}$$

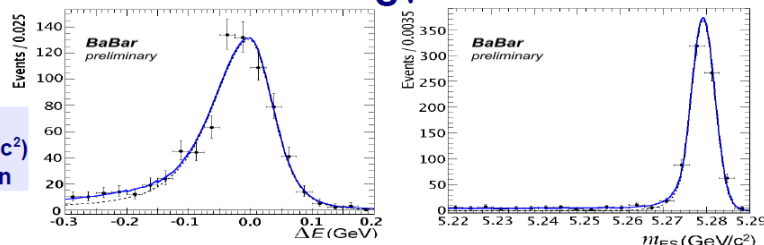
$$|V_{ub}| = (3.98 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.22) 10^{-3}$$



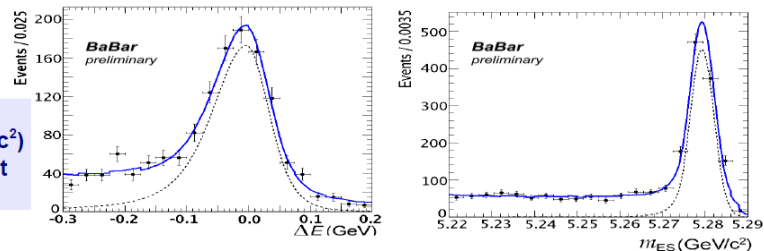
V_{td}/V_{ts} measurement by BABAR

Fit to data for $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$

Low mass
(0.5 - 1.0 GeV/c^2)
 $B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$ region



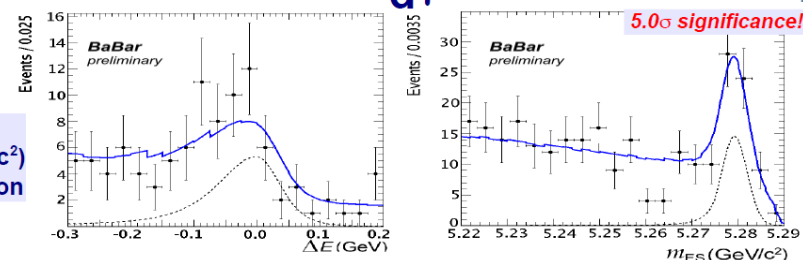
High mass
(1.0 - 2.0 GeV/c^2)
non-resonant
region



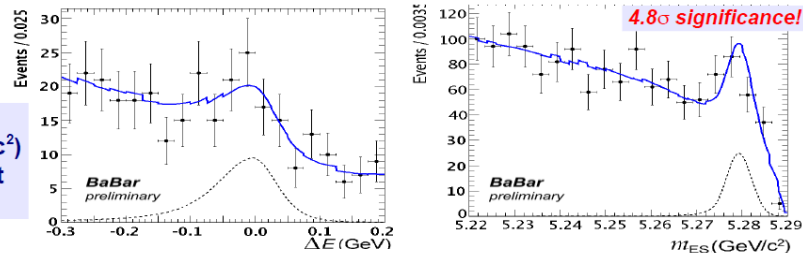
- Large signal yields allows us to study the fragmentation of the non-resonant $b \rightarrow s \gamma$ decays, and adjust our simulation accordingly.

Fit to data for $B \rightarrow X_d \gamma$

Low mass
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 $B \rightarrow (\rho, \omega) \gamma$ region



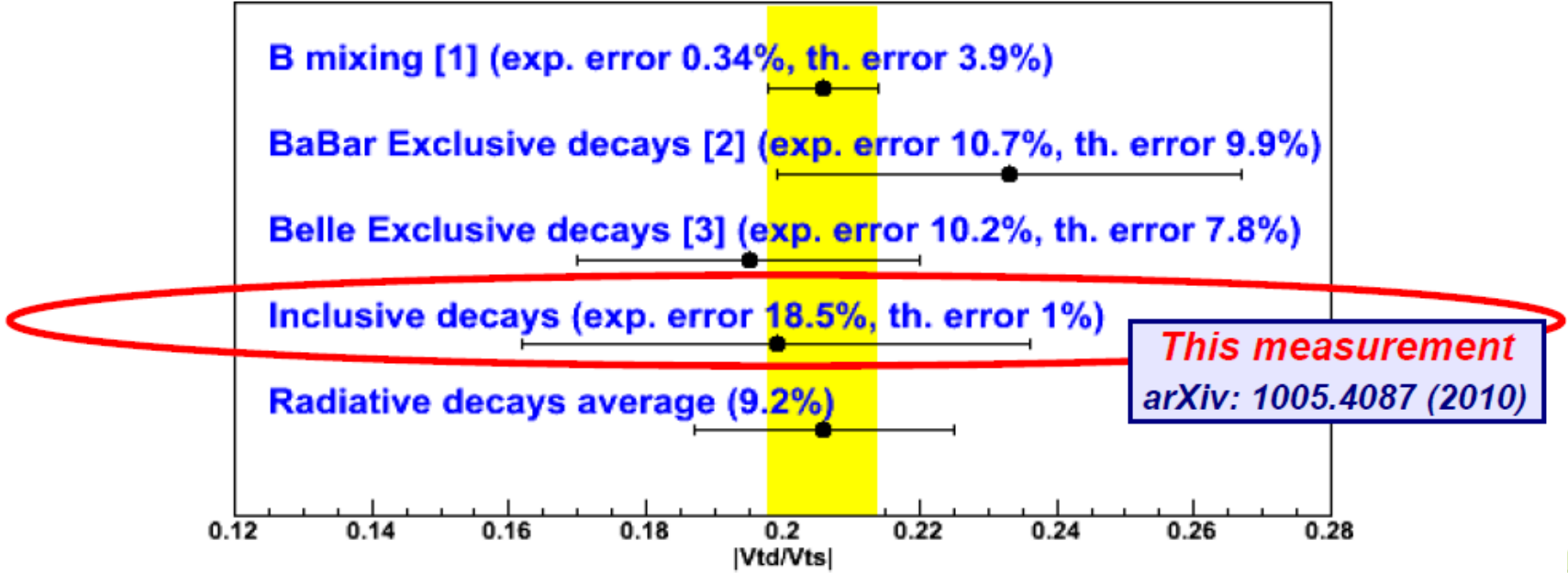
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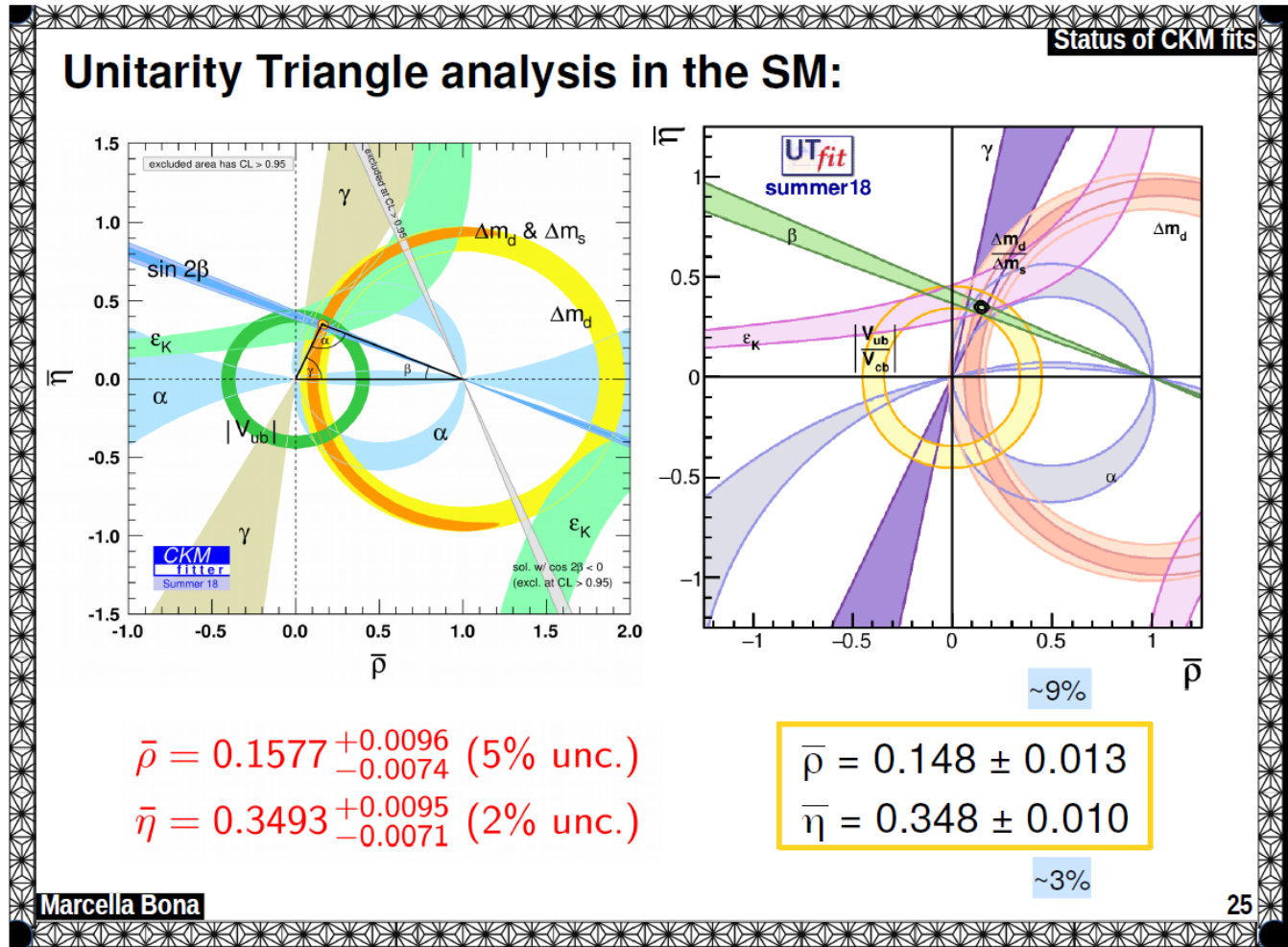
- (Jagged lines artefact of combination of several binned histogram PDFs.)
- **First significant observation of $b \rightarrow d \gamma$ in non-resonant modes!**

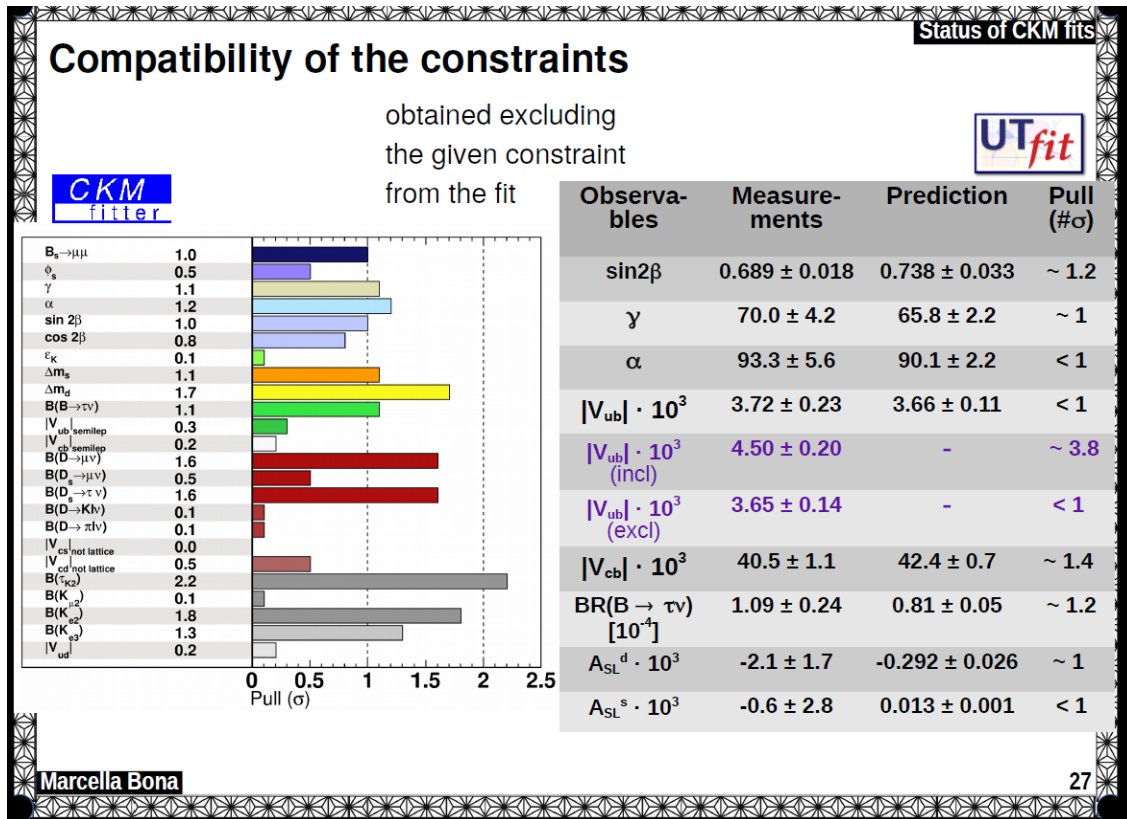
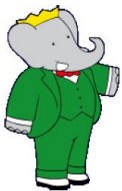


Good agreement with Bs mixing errors still larger , a good challenge for BELLE-II

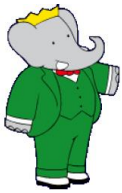
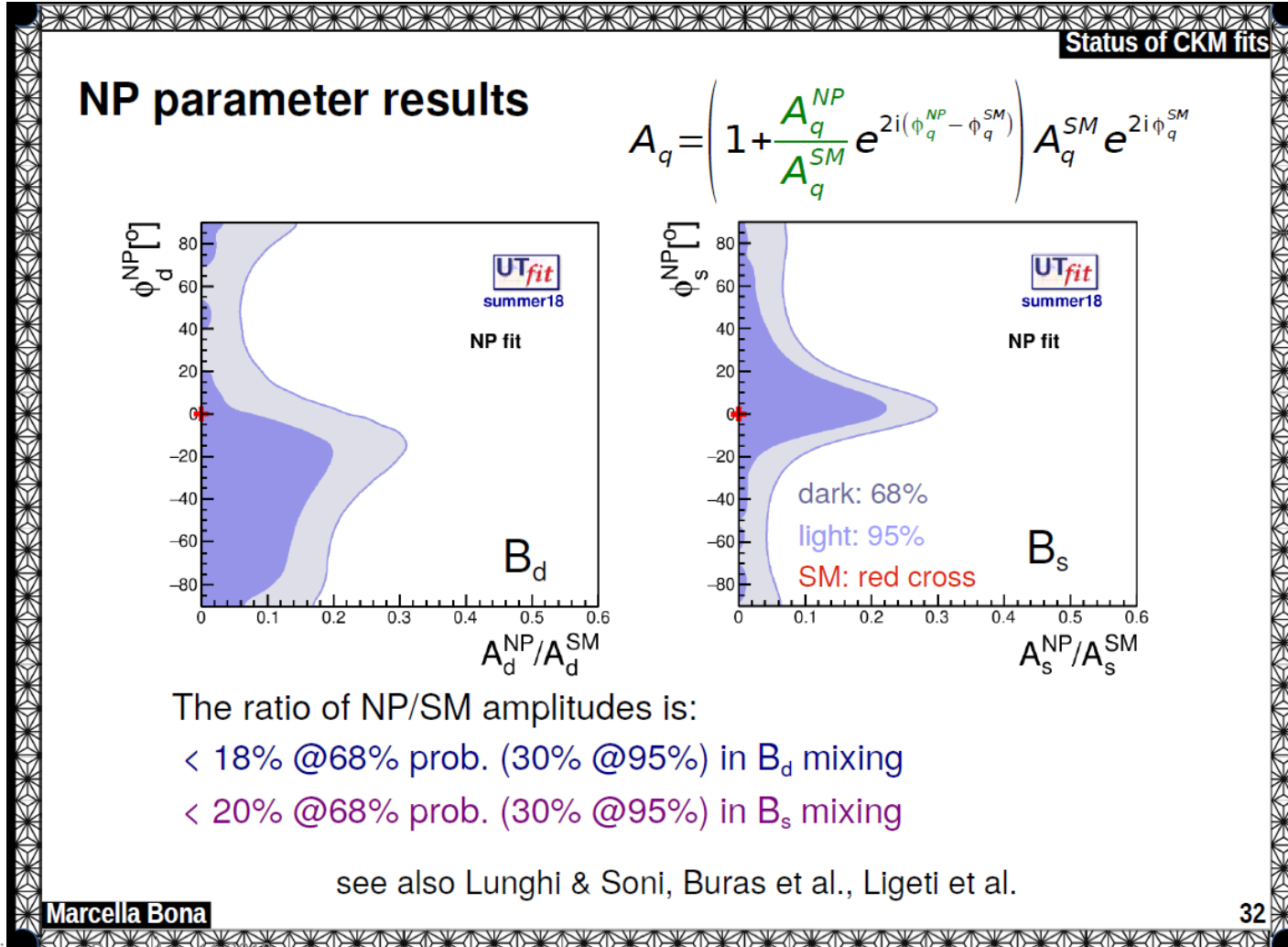


CKM triangle in 2018 and beyond





Still room for new physics !!!



World famous BABAR tools

- ▶ Cornelius (tagging package)
- ▶ sPlot (optimum background subtraction)
- ▶ RooFit (very advanced fitting package)
- ▶ EvtGEN (all knowledge about B decays in an event Generator)
- ▶ CKMfitter/ UTfit Frequentist and bayesian overall CKM fitters
- ▶ First world-wide Grid ever deployed) (albeit not yet automated)
- ▶ Blind analysis



Conclusions

- ▶ BABAR achievements in CKM physics were just fantastic !
- ▶ They were due to
 - ▶ the complete dedication of the PEP-II and BABAR collaborations
 - ▶ the great level of creativity of these teams
 - ▶ the strong competition with our BELLE colleagues
 - ▶ The intimate relationship with many theorists
 - ▶ The good coordination and strong support of funding agencies and of our labs
 - ▶ The extraordinary world-wide efforts of our computing centers
- ▶ And the extremely friendly atmosphere of the BABAR collaboration!



Talk outline

- ▶ Disclaimer

- ▶ CKM panorama before BABAR, ie ICHEP 1998

<https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/9903063>

- ▶ CKM tools invented by BABAR: the tagging group, sweights

- ▶ Physics of teh B factories <https://arxiv.org/ftp/arxiv/papers/1406/1406.6311.pdf>

- ▶ S plots 440 citations <https://arxiv.org/abs/physics/0402083>

- ▶ BABAR results regarding CKM

- ▶ Sin2 beta

<https://arxiv.org/abs/0705.2998> 2007

- ▶ Sin 2 alpha

<https://arxiv.org/abs/0906.2082> 2009

- ▶ Angle gamma

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1301.3283> 2013

- ▶ Vcb

<http://www.slac.stanford.edu/cgi-wrap/getdoc/slac-pub-11606.pdf> 2006

<http://www.slac.stanford.edu/cgi-wrap/getdoc/slac-pub-11606.pdf> 2010

- ▶ Vub

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1611.05624>

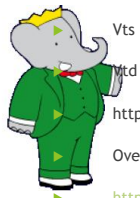
- ▶ Vts

- ▶ Vtd

<https://pos.sissa.it/120/226/pdf>

- ▶ Overall

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0375947409003704>



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- ▶ Direct CP violaton in Kp modes

- ▶ BABAR/BELLE comparison

- ▶ HEAC, HEI, AV