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# Review of flavour anomalies

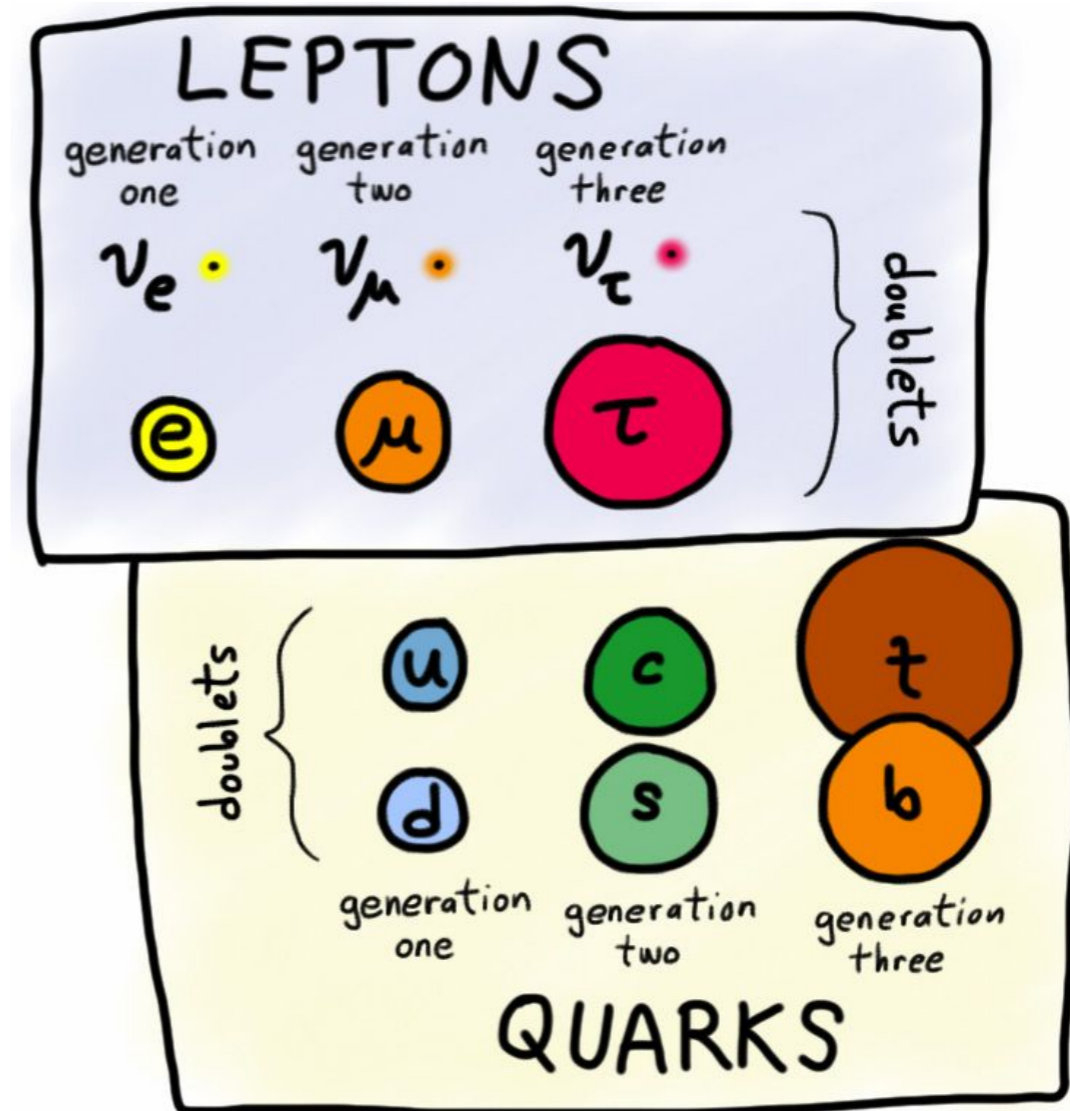
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# What is flavour?

- ◆ **Flavour** is the property that distinguishes the various **fermions** of the Standard Model
- ◆ In the SM, leptons and quarks naturally fit into **three generations** of doublets based on the way they interact with the **weak force**
- ◆ Flavour physics studies the **properties** and **interactions** of these particles

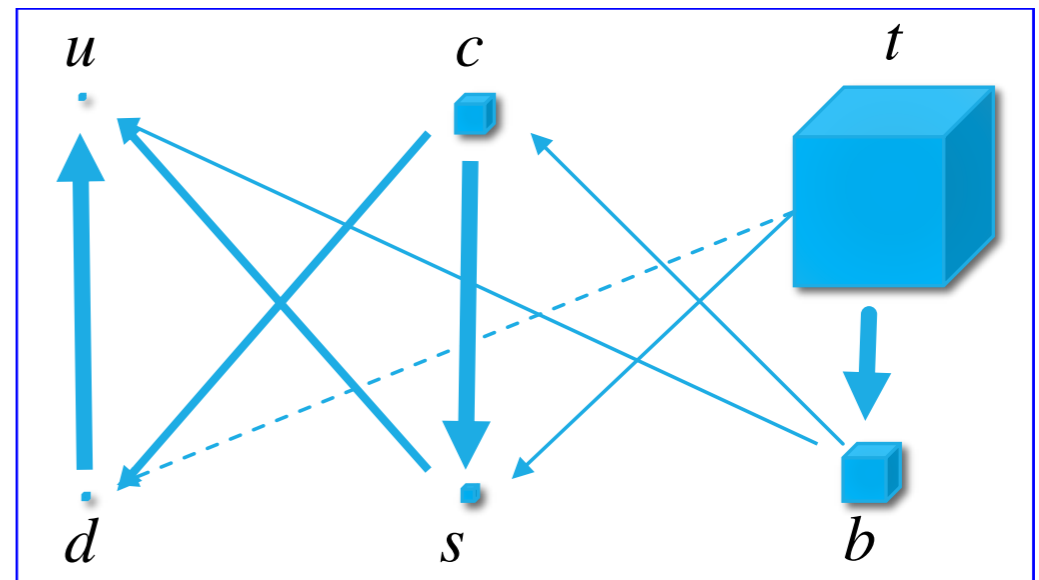


# Why study flavour?

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## ◆ *Flavour puzzle*

- 20 free parameters in the flavour sector
  - ❖ only 5 to characterize gauge interaction and boson masses
- why 3 generations?
- what is the origin of their mass hierarchy?
- what is the origin of hierarchies in the quark mixing?
  - ❖  $V_{CKM}$  hierarchical and nearly diagonal



# Search for New Physics (NP)

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## DIRECT

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## INDIRECT

- ◆ Look for direct production on new particles in high energy collisions (ATLAS, CMS, ...)
- ✓ Unambiguous observation (of New Physics effects)
- ✗ Mass reach limited by the energy of the collision

- ◆ Look for NP effects in well predicted flavour observables (LHCb, Belle, ...)
- ✓ Possibility to reach much larger energy scales
- ✗ Require very clean theoretical predictions

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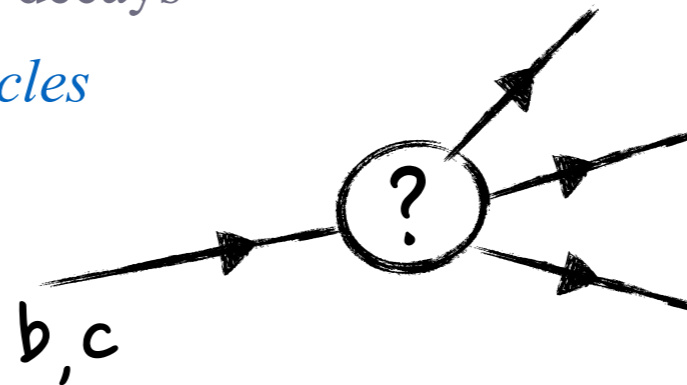
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## Indirect searches in Flavour Physics

- ◆ precise measurements of  $b, c$  decays
- ◆ sensitive to *new virtual particles*

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# Flavour anomalies

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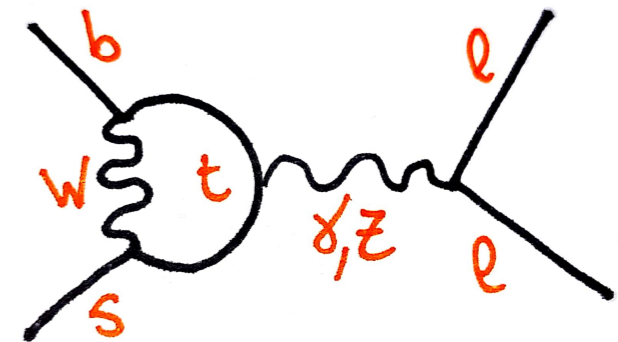
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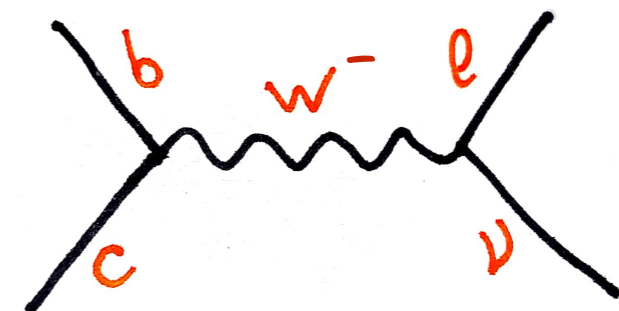
## 2. $b \rightarrow c\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$ decays

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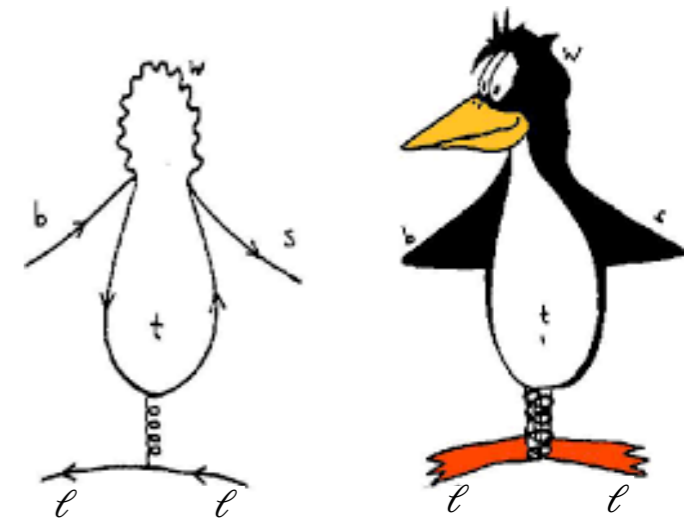


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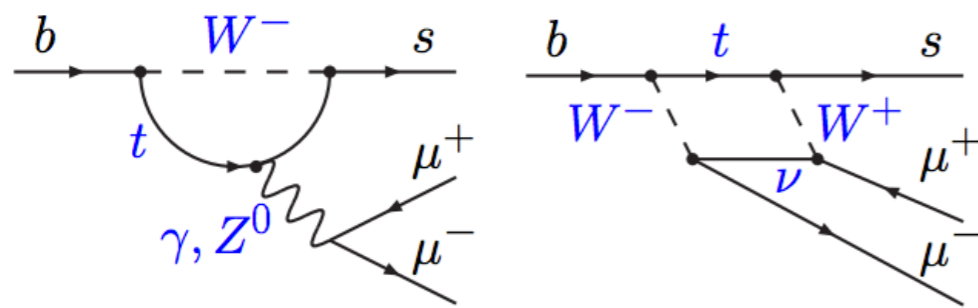


# Why rare $b$ decays?

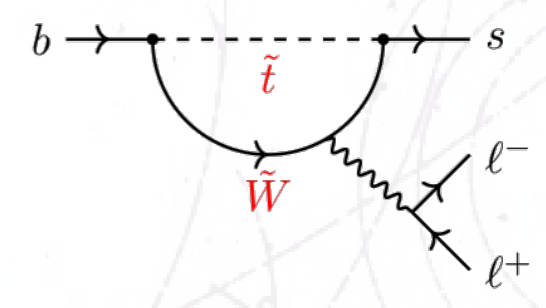
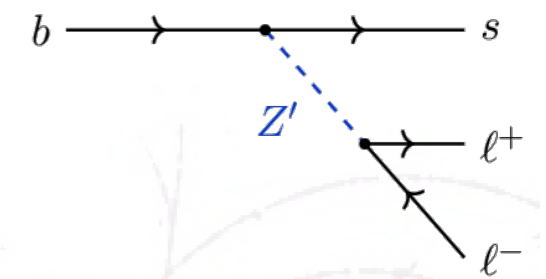
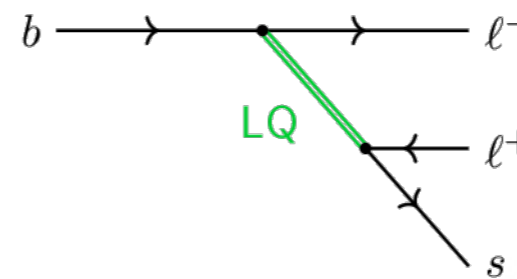
- \*  $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$  transitions are powerful probes of New Physics
  - \* FCNC proceeding via loop diagrams only ("penguin" or box)
  - \* suppressed in the SM, more sensitive to New Physics



SM



NP



**New particles could enhance/suppress decay rates, modify angular distributions, introduce new sources of CP violation**



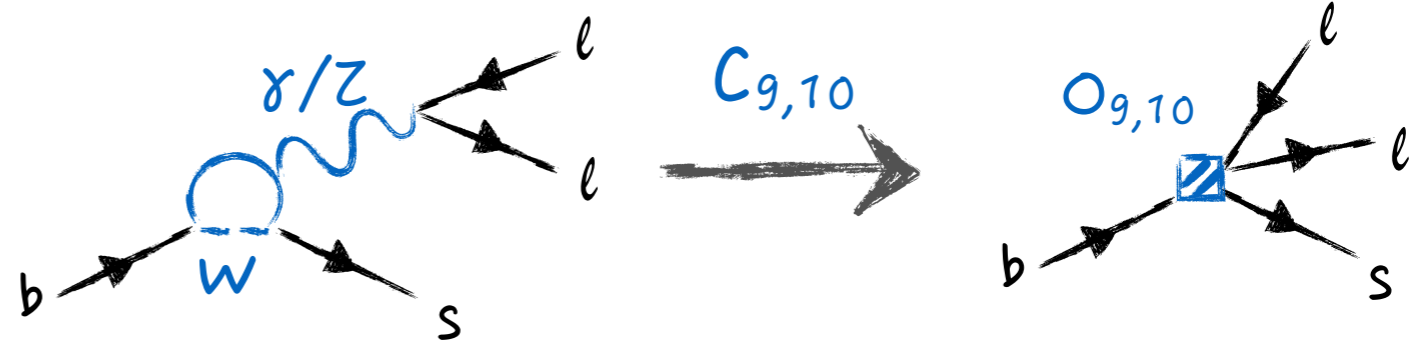
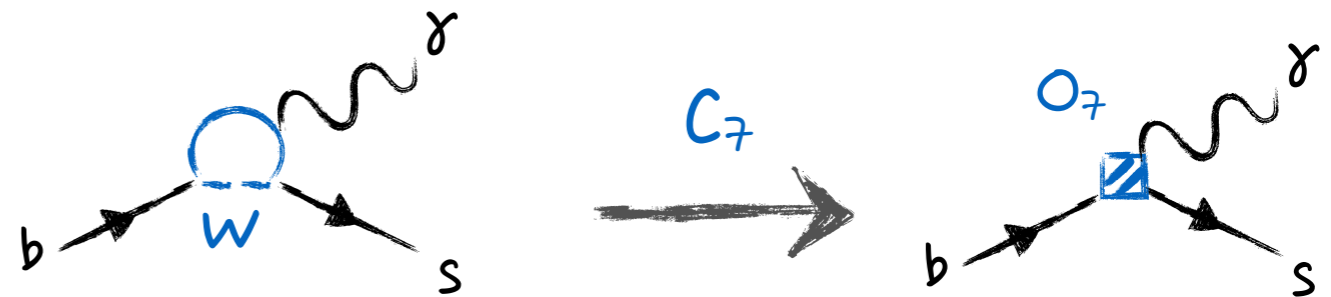
# Theory formalism

- ◆ Low-energy processes ( $B$  decays) can be described by an **effective theory**:

$$\mathcal{H}_{eff} = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \sum_i C_i O_i$$

Wilson coefficients  
(*effective couplings*)
Local operators

- ◆ New Physics can contribute to different Wilson coefficients (or introduce new operators) depending on its Lorentz structure



$$C_i = C_i^{SM} + C_i^{NP}$$

# $B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ decays

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C. Bobeth et al. PRL 112, 101801 (2014)

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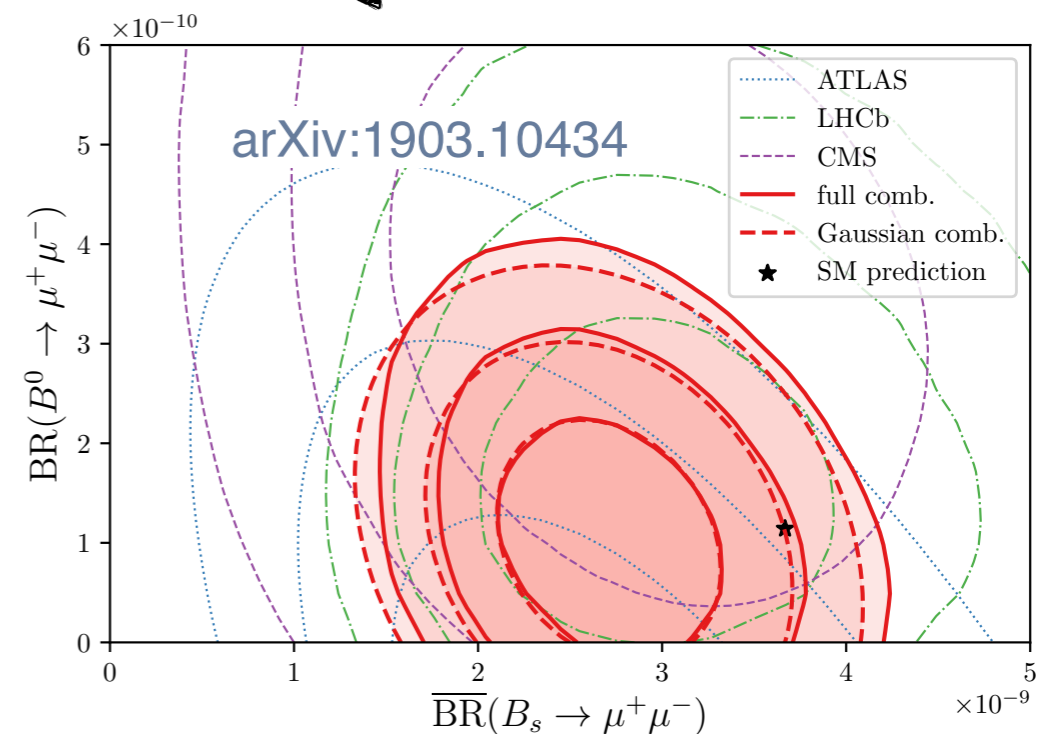
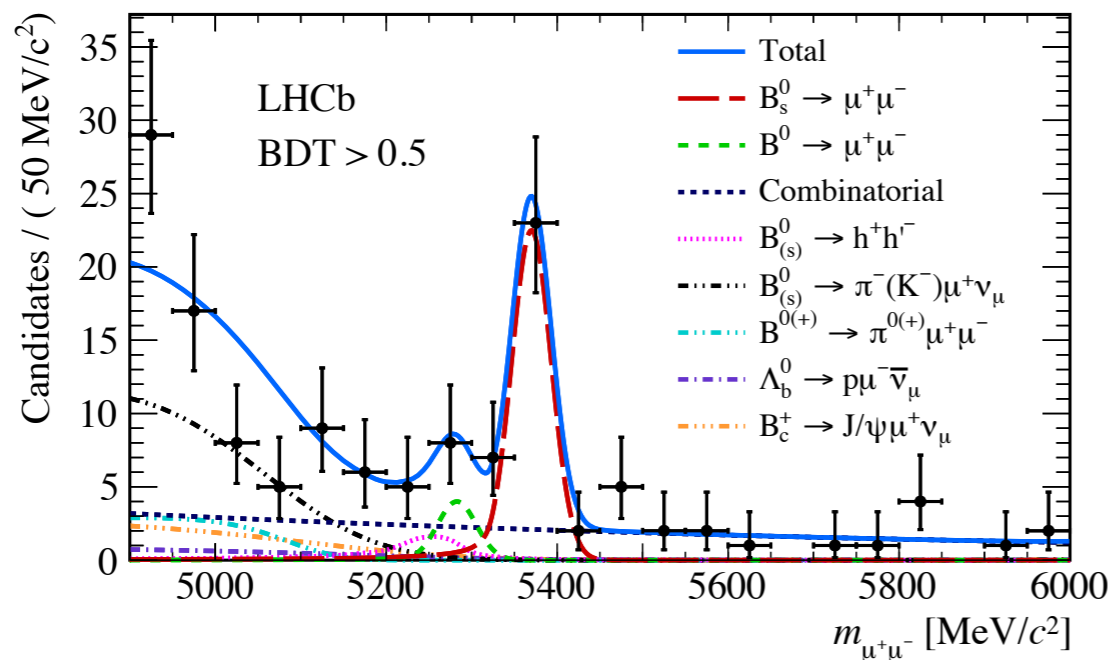
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- ◆ First measurement of the effective lifetime

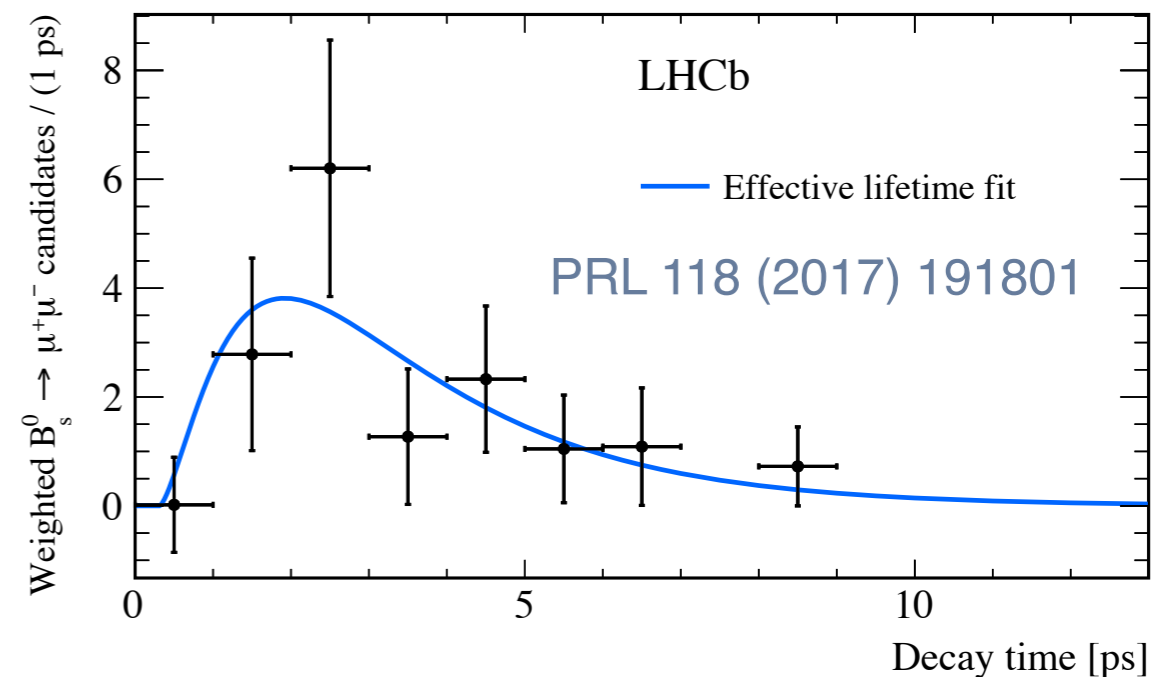
- ▶ provides complementary constraints on NP models
- ▶  $\tau_{eff}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (2.04 \pm 0.44 \pm 0.05) \text{ ps}$

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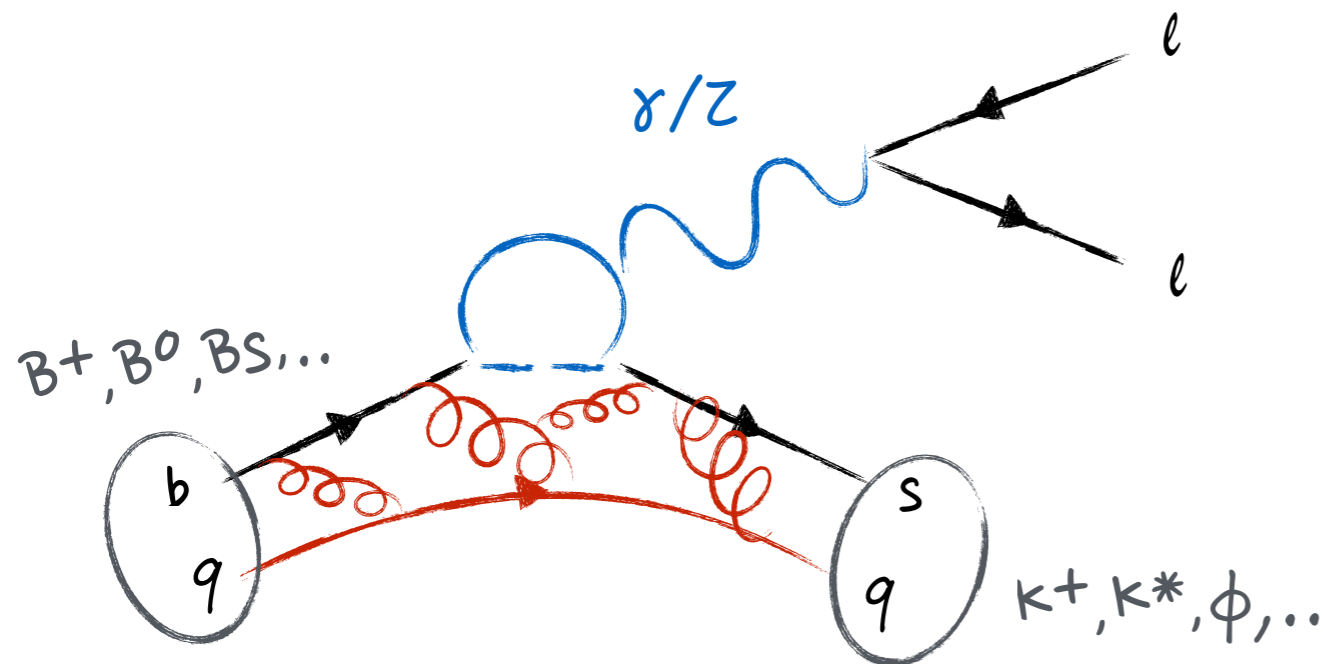
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# $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ decays

- ◆ In experiments, we observe **hadronic decays**, not the quark-level transition



- ◆ Needs to compute hadronic matrix elements
  - ▶ Non-perturbative QCD, difficult to compute

## Great variety of observables

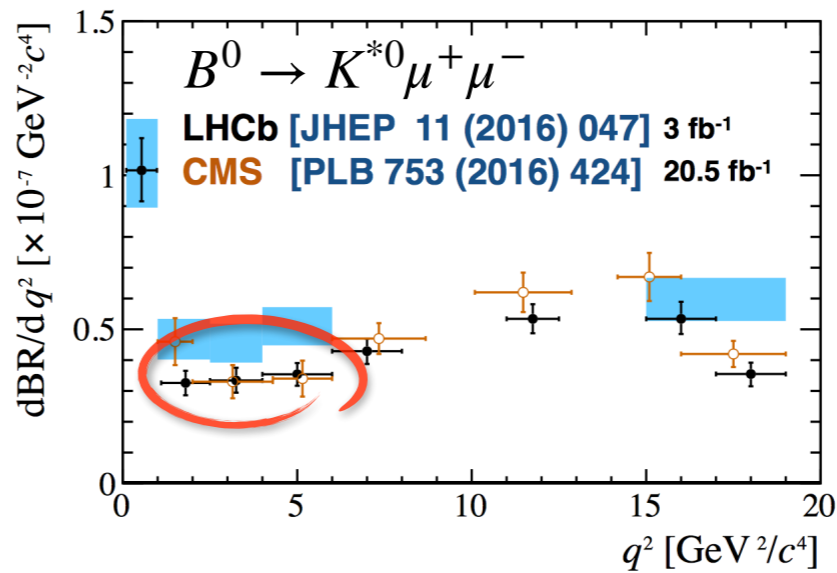
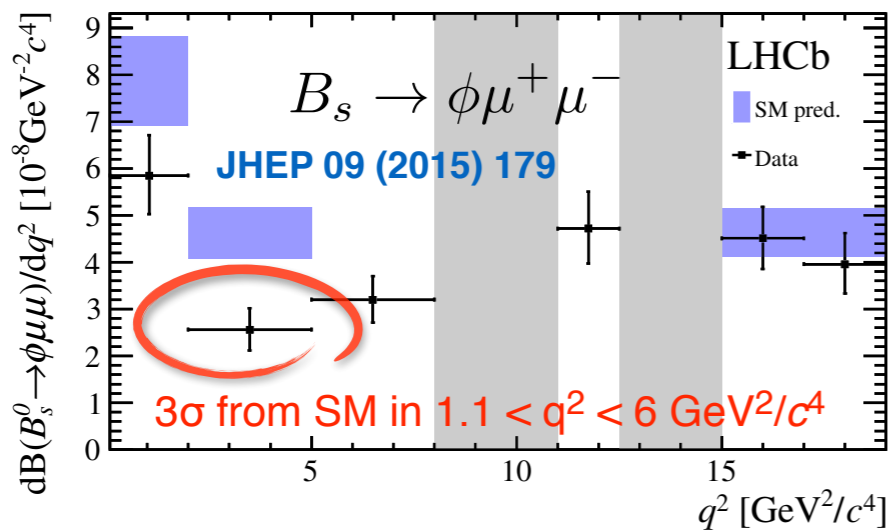
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- ▶ **Branching ratios:** large theory uncertainties
- ▶ **Angular observables:** reduced theory uncertainties
- ▶ **Lepton Flavour Universality tests (ratio of BR, etc.):** clean, uncertainties cancels

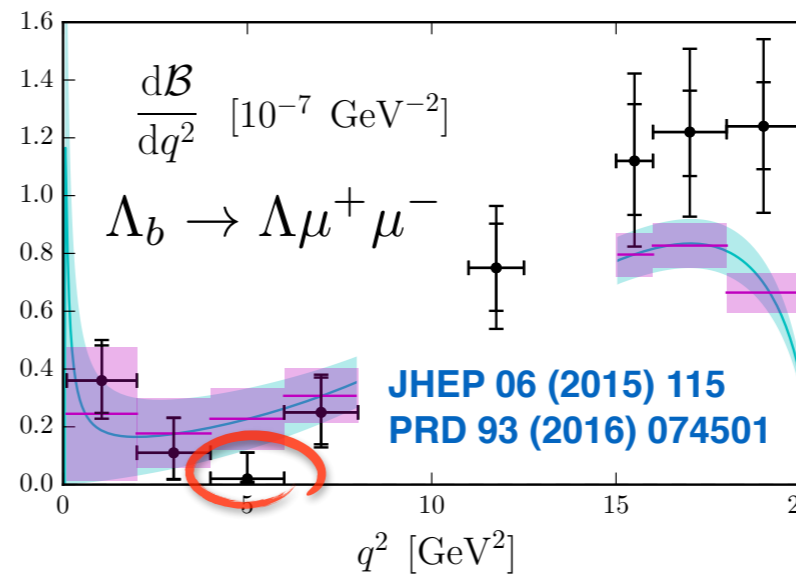
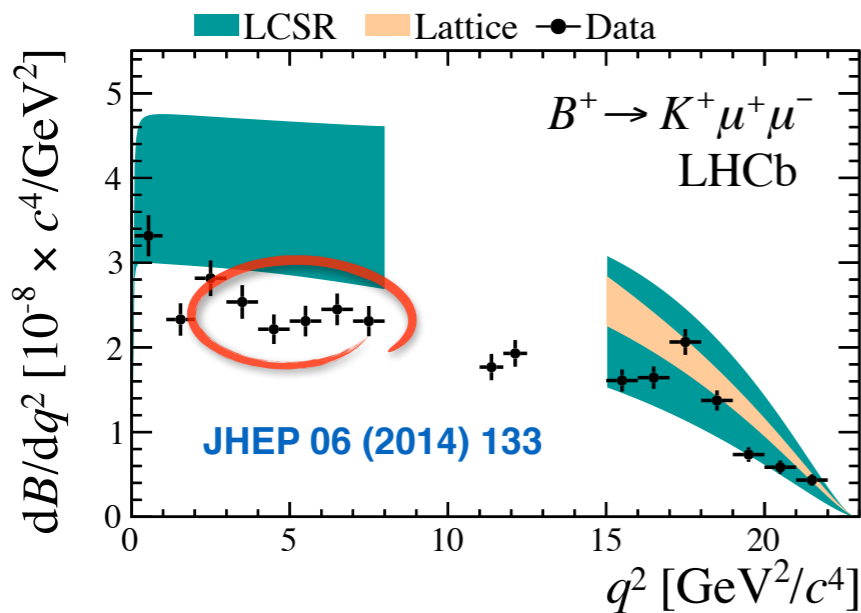
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# Branching fractions too low in $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$ ?

Measured BR are consistently lower than predicted in SM



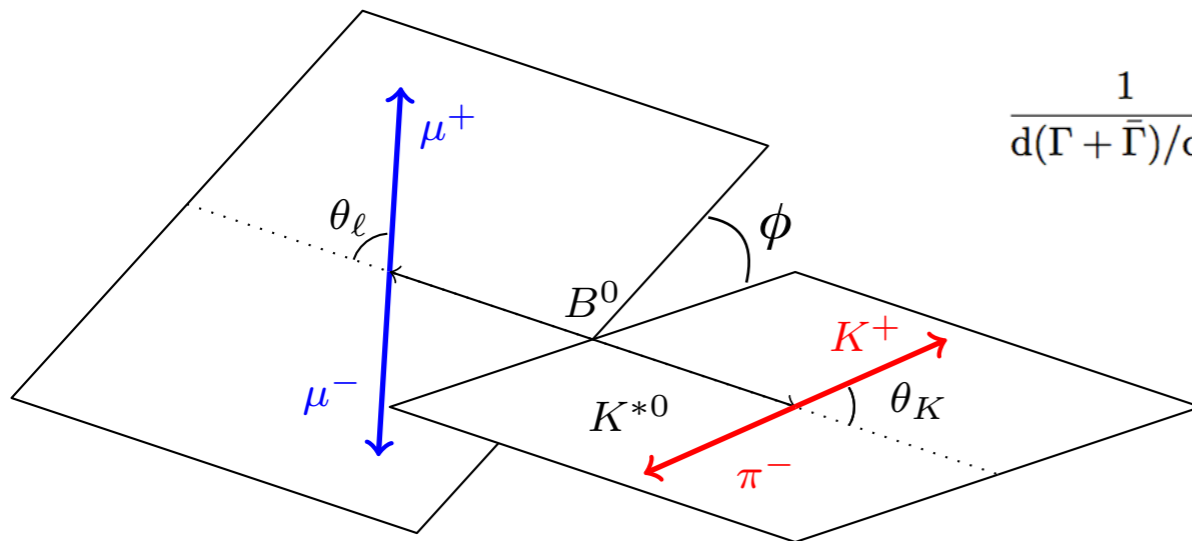
$q^2$ : squared di-lepton invariant mass



though SM suffers from large uncertainties...

# $B \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu$ angular analysis

- \* Study the angular distribution of the 4 final state particles ( $\cos \theta_\ell, \cos \theta_K, \phi$ ) in  $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu \mu$



$$\frac{1}{d(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})/dq^2} \frac{d^4(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})}{dq^2 d\vec{\Omega}} = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[ \frac{3}{4} (1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K + F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \right.$$

$$+ \frac{1}{4} (1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l$$

$$- F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l + S_3 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_l \cos 2\phi$$

$$+ S_4 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \cos \phi + S_5 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_l \cos \phi$$

$$+ \frac{4}{3} A_{\text{FB}} \sin^2 \theta_K \cos \theta_l + S_7 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_l \sin \phi$$

$$+ S_8 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \sin \phi + S_9 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_l \sin 2\phi \left. \right]$$

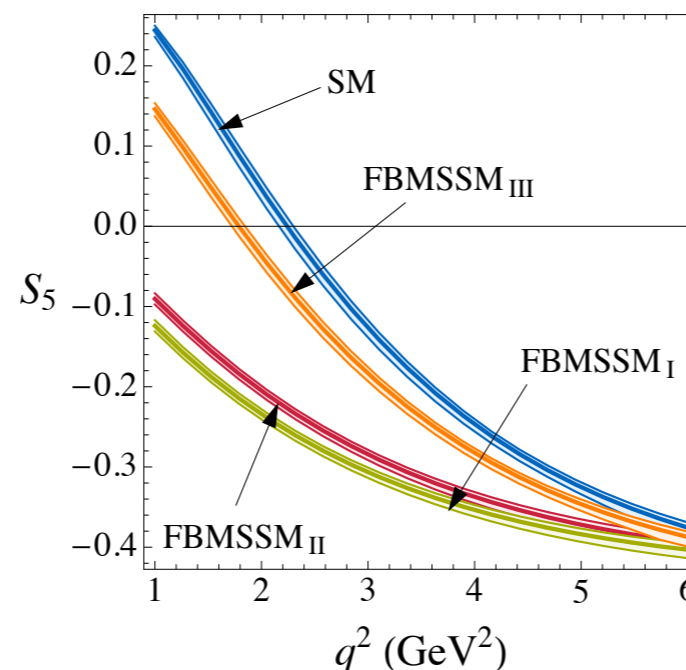
$F_L$ : fraction of longitudinal polarization of the  $K^*$



$A_{\text{FB}}$ : forward-backward asymmetry of the dilepton system

- \* A lot of information contained in the angular distributions

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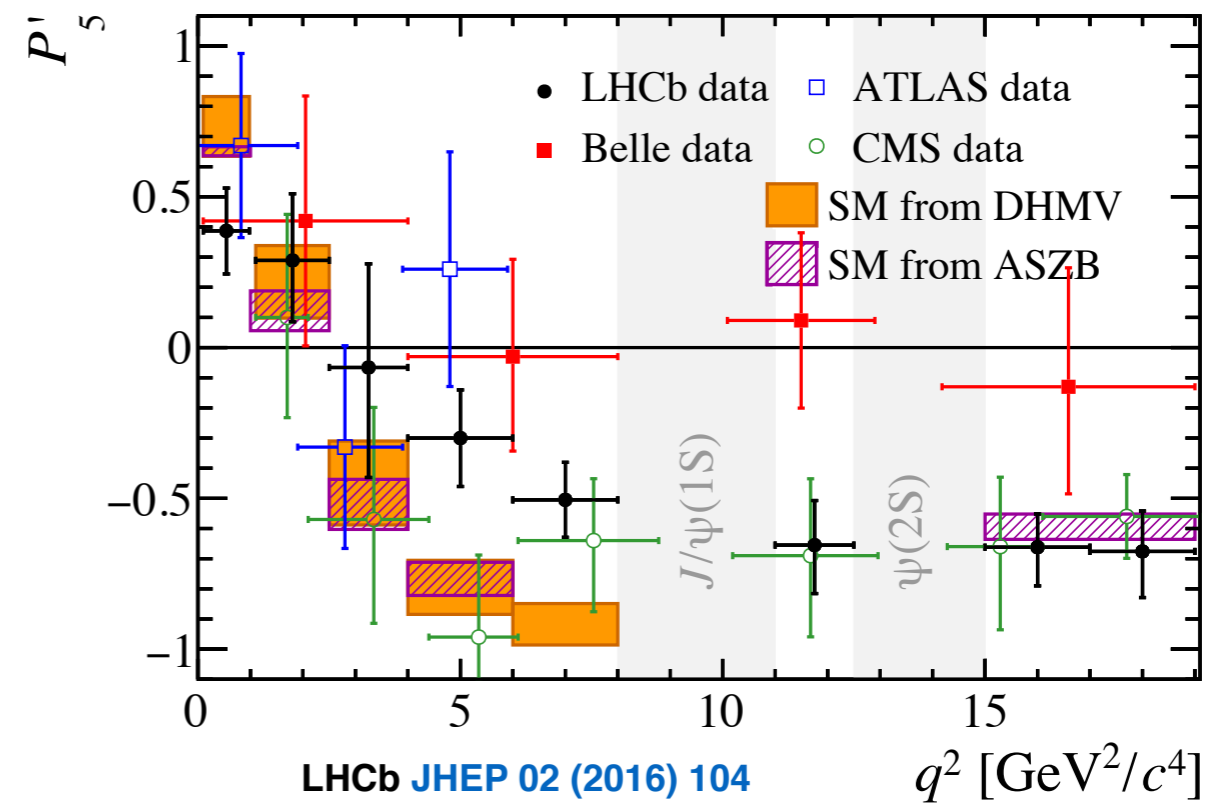
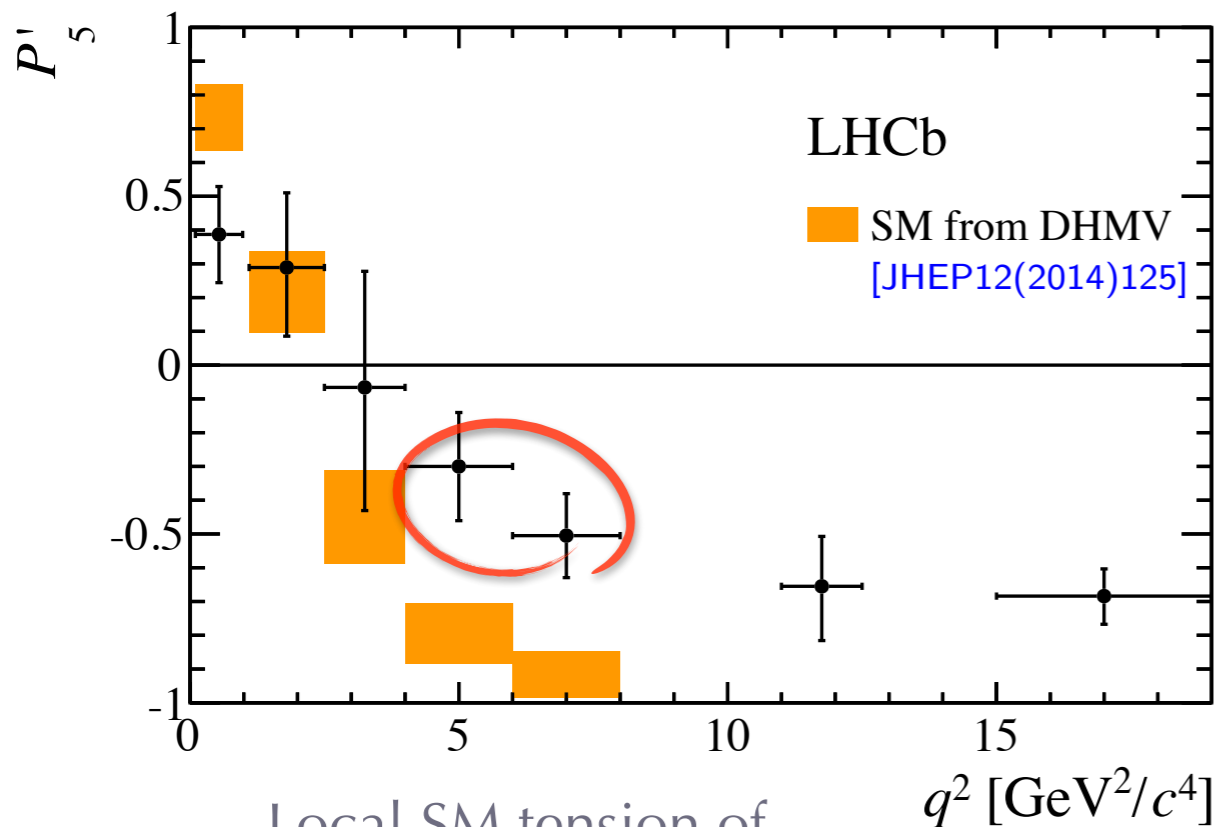
# Form factor “free” observables

Optimized basis

$$P'_5 = \frac{S_5}{\sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}}$$

Descotes-Genon et al.  
[JHEP 04 (2012) 104]

reduced theoretical  
uncertainty

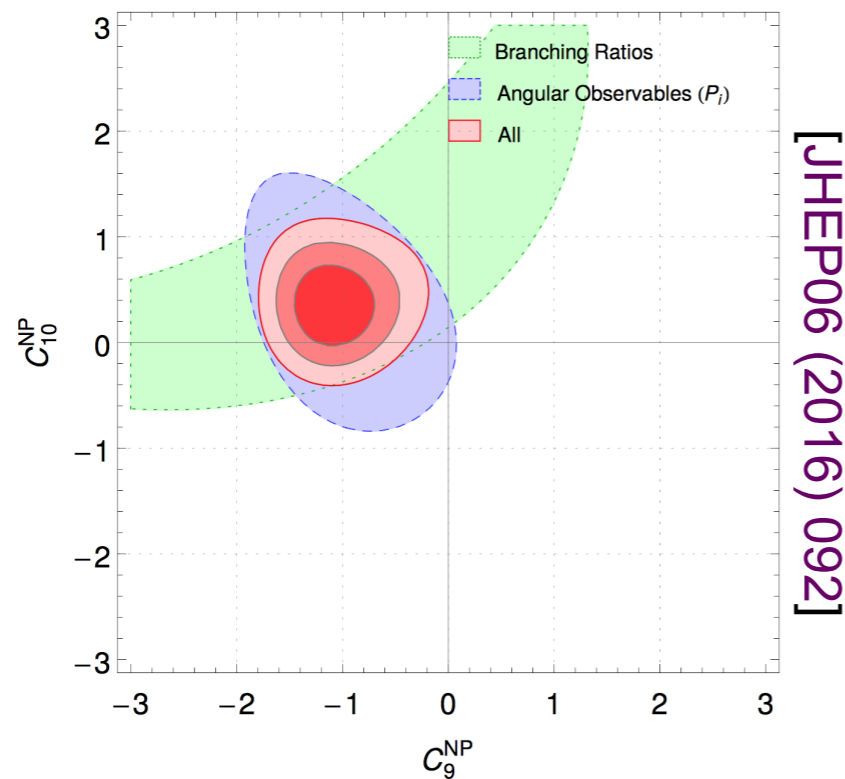




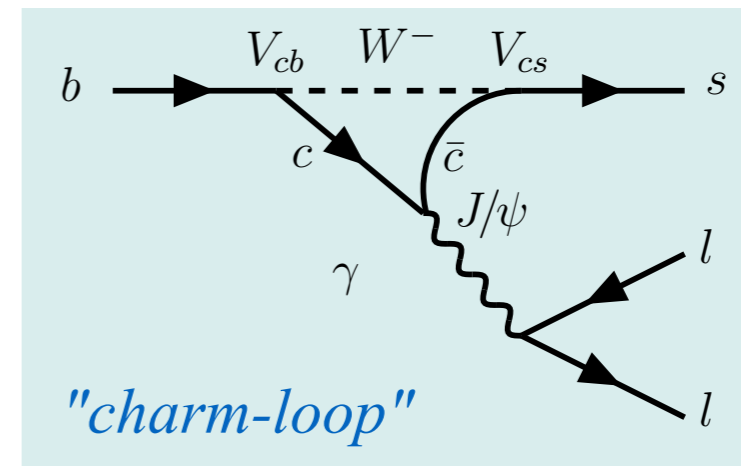
# Theory uncertainty

- Both branching ratios and  $P_5'$  discrepancies can be explained with a shift in  $C_9$  (or  $C_9$  and  $C_{10}$ )

JHEP 05, 043 (2013)  
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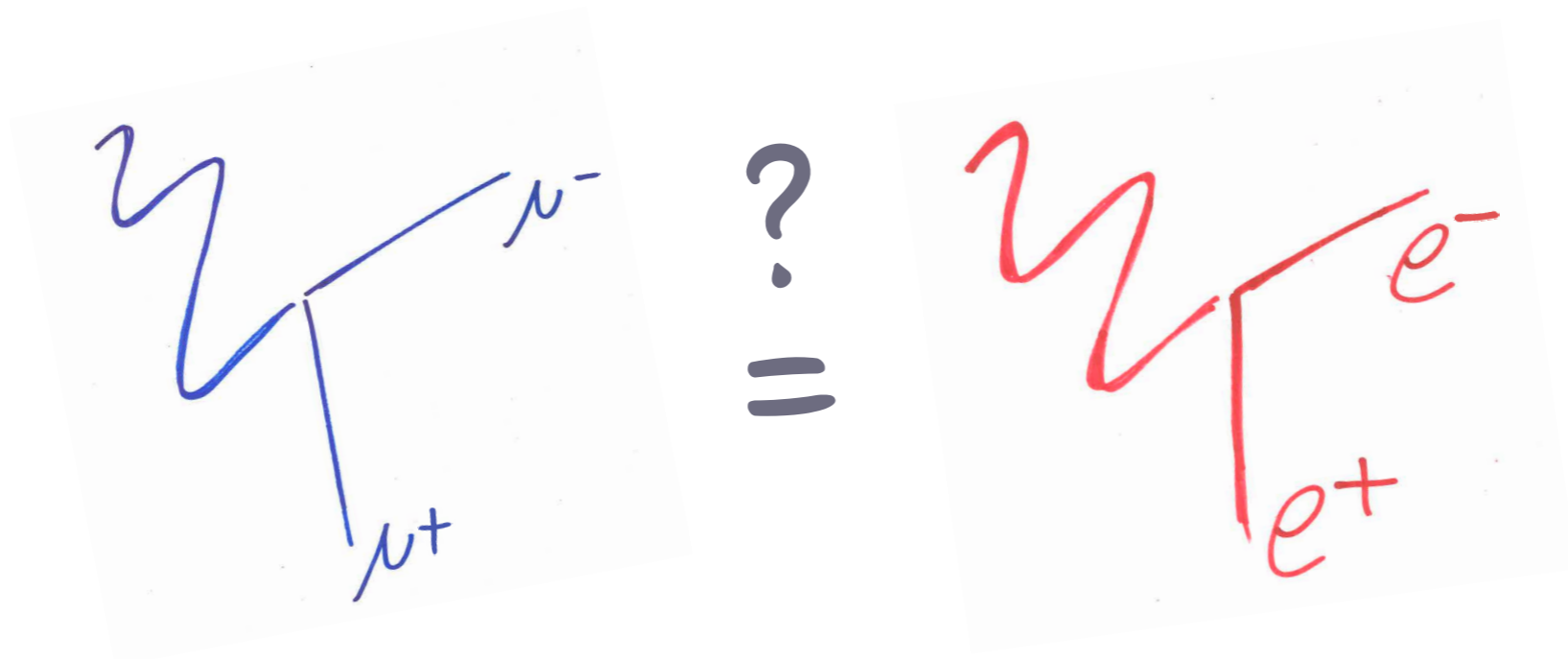
Be aware of long-distance effects



- ✓ removed by mass cuts
- ✗ interferes elsewhere
- ✗ difficult to access reliably

- Long debate in the community if these effect can be interpreted as NP or must be attributed to charm loop

# Lepton Flavour Universality (LFU) test in rare decays



# LFU in rare decays

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- \* SM implies *Lepton Flavour Universality*
  - ❖ Different lepton generations **couple identically** to SM processes
  - ❖ Only difference mass  $\rightarrow$  phase space
- \* Ratios of the form

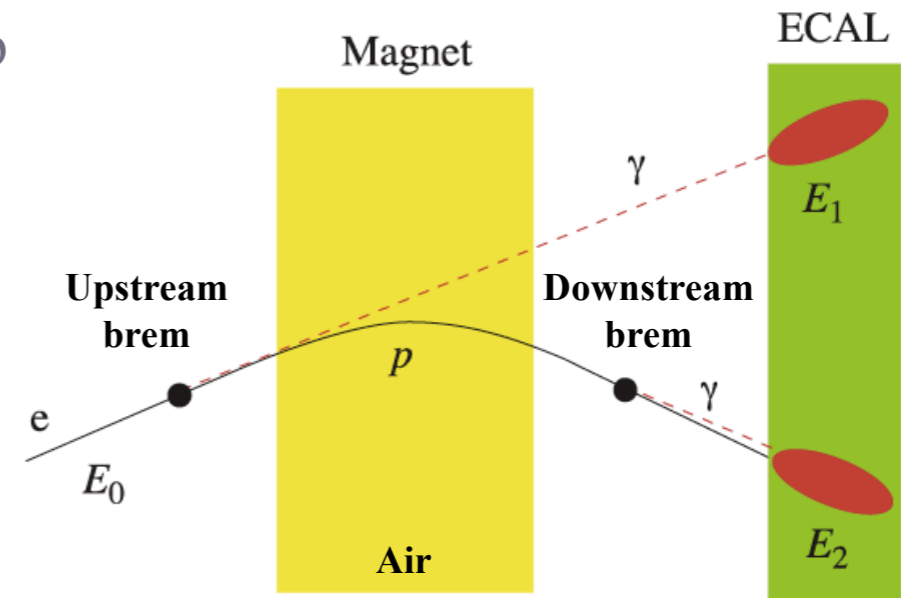
$$R_{K^{(*)}} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} e^+ e^-)} \stackrel{\text{SM}}{=} 1 \pm \mathcal{O}(10^{-2}) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{Free from QCD uncertainties}$$

EPJ C76 (2016) 8 440

**Lepton non-universality would  
be a clear sign of NP**

# Experimental double ratio

- \* Electrons and muons behave very differently in LHCb due to large **bremsstrahlung** radiation for electrons:
  - ◆ worse B mass and  $q^2$  resolution
  - ◆ low reconstruction efficiency
  - ◆ selected in 3 different trigger categories (electron, hadron, TIS)



- \* LFU experimentally measured as double ratio:

$$R_{K^{(*)}} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} J/\psi(\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-))} \bigg/ \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} e^+ e^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} J/\psi(\rightarrow e^+ e^-))}$$

most of the systematics cancel out

- \* Status LHCb Run1:

- ◆  $R_K = 0.745_{-0.074}^{+0.090} (\text{stat}) \pm 0.036 (\text{syst})$

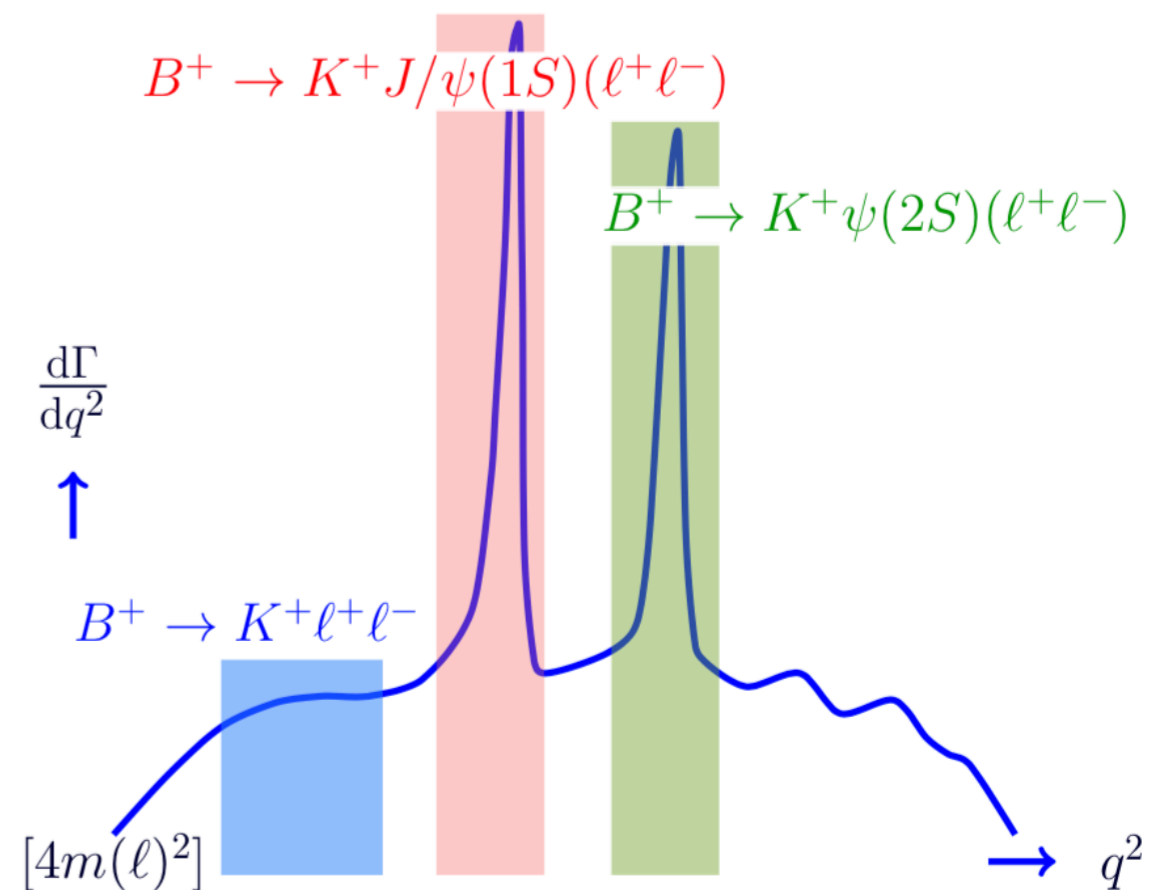
This year updated with 2015 & 2016 datasets (roughly double the statistics)

- ◆  $R_{K^{*0}} = \begin{cases} 0.66_{-0.07}^{+0.11} \pm 0.03 & \text{for } 0.045 < q^2 < 1.1 \text{ GeV}^2 \\ 0.69_{-0.07}^{+0.11} \pm 0.05 & \text{for } 1.1 < q^2 < 6.0 \text{ GeV}^2 \end{cases}$

# Efficiency calibration

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- \* Key ingredients:
  - ◆ Yields determined from a fit to the invariant mass
  - ◆ Efficiency computed with MC simulation calibrated on control channels in data
- \* Efficiency calibration makes extensive use of  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ J/\psi(\ell^+\ell^-)$  and  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \psi(2S)(\ell^+\ell^-)$  decays
  - ❖ resonant and non-resonant modes are separated in  $q^2$
  - ❖ however, good overlap in the variables relevant for detector response



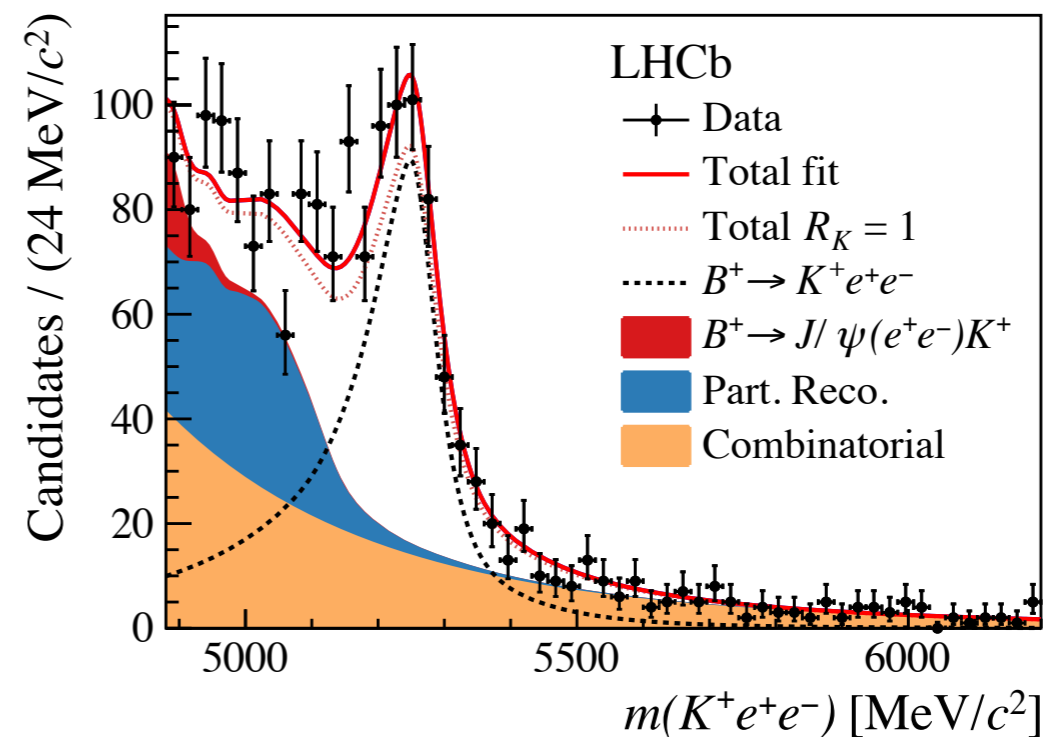
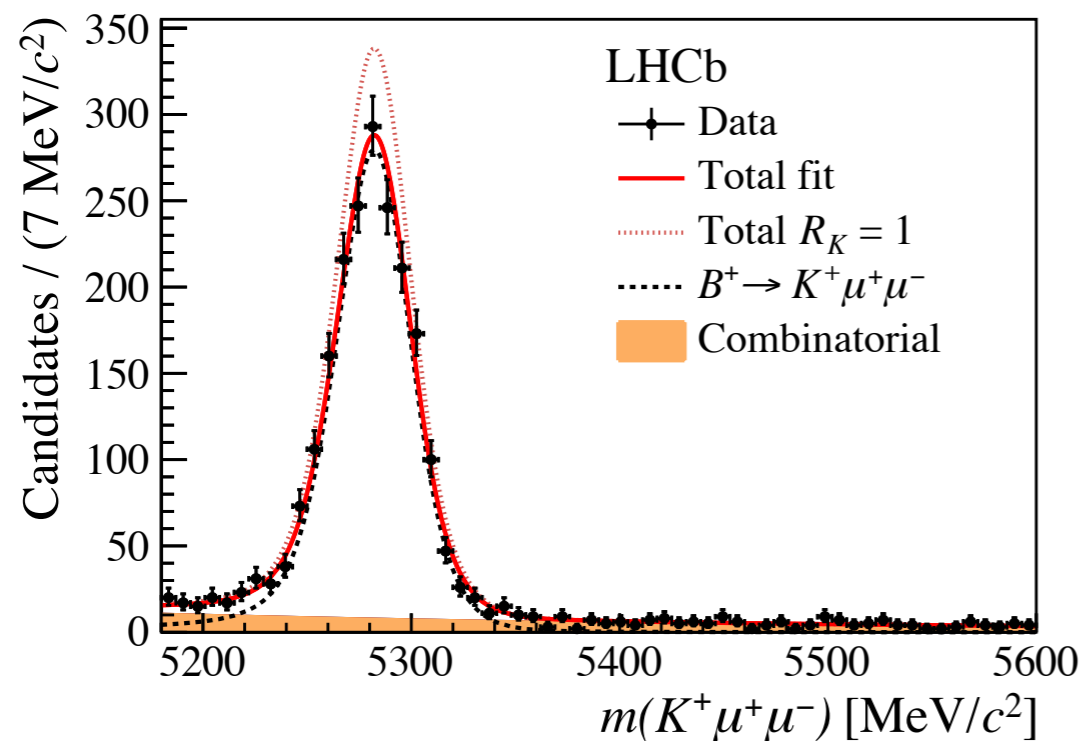
# $R_K$ measurement

- ◆ Simultaneous fit to  $m(K\mu\mu)$  and  $m(Kee)$  to extract  $R_K$

Phys. Rev. Lett. 122, 191801 (2019)

$$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^- \quad (N_{sig} \sim 1940)$$

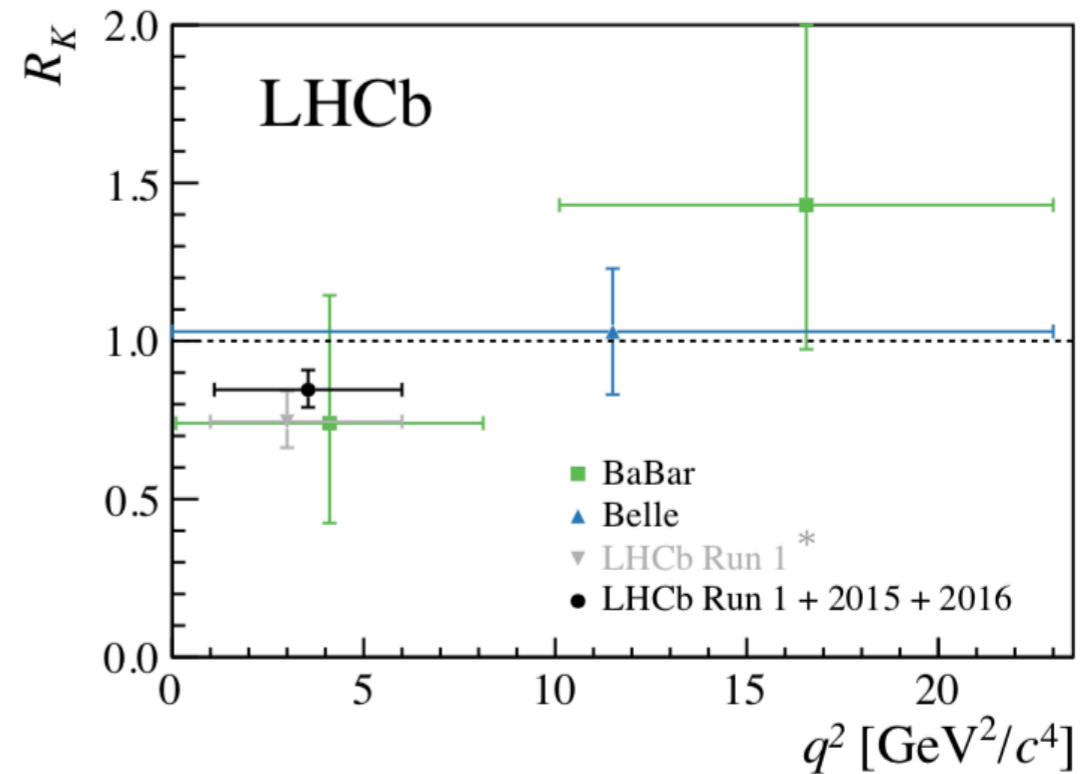
$$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^- \quad (N_{sig} \sim 760)$$



$$R_K = 0.846^{+0.060}_{-0.054} \text{ (stat)} \quad ^{+0.014}_{-0.016} \text{ (syst)}$$

# $R_K$ measurement: overview

- ◆ LHCb updated  $R_K$  measurement
  - ▶ re-analysing 2011-2012 data
  - ▶ adding 2015-2016 data



$$R_{K \text{ Run1}}^{\text{new}} = 0.717^{+0.083}_{-0.071} (\text{stat})^{+0.017}_{-0.016} (\text{syst})$$

$$R_{K \text{ Run2}} = 0.928^{+0.089}_{-0.076} (\text{stat})^{+0.020}_{-0.017} (\text{syst})$$

$$\longrightarrow R_K = 0.846^{+0.060}_{-0.054} (\text{stat})^{+0.014}_{-0.016} (\text{syst})$$

1.9 sigma compatibility between Run1 and Run2

Combined 2.5 sigma  
from SM prediction

- ▶  $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-)$  compatible with SM for all years

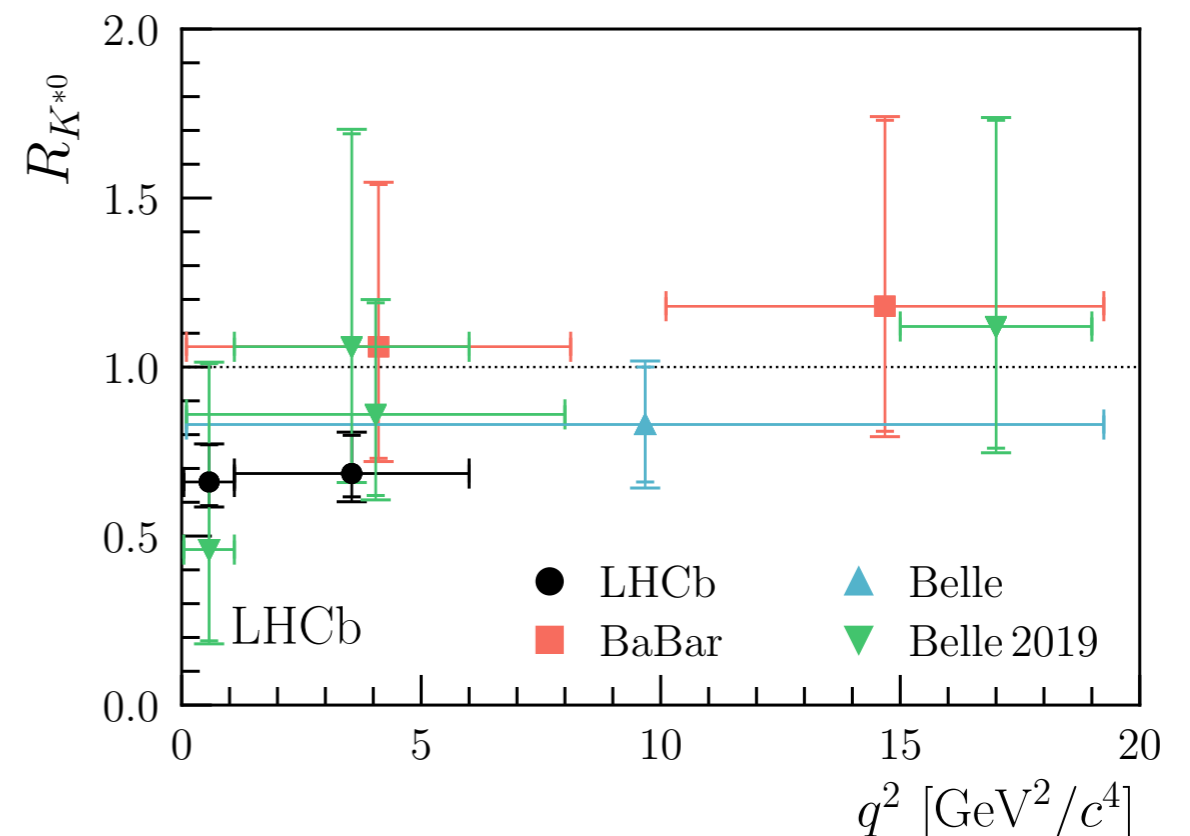
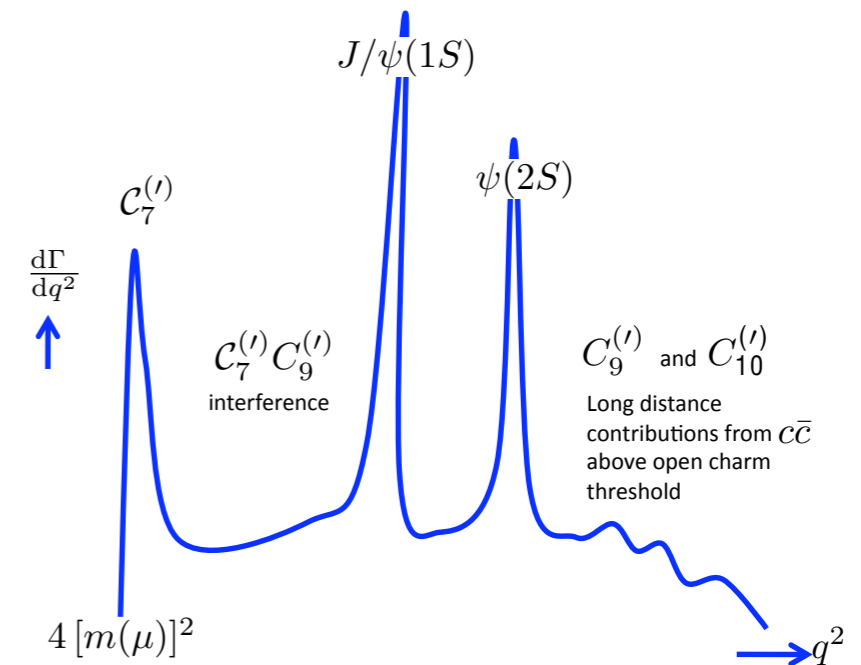
# LFU test in $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^-$ decays

◆ LHCb Run 1: [JHEP 08 (2017) 055]

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► 2.1 (2.4)  $\sigma$  tension with the SM

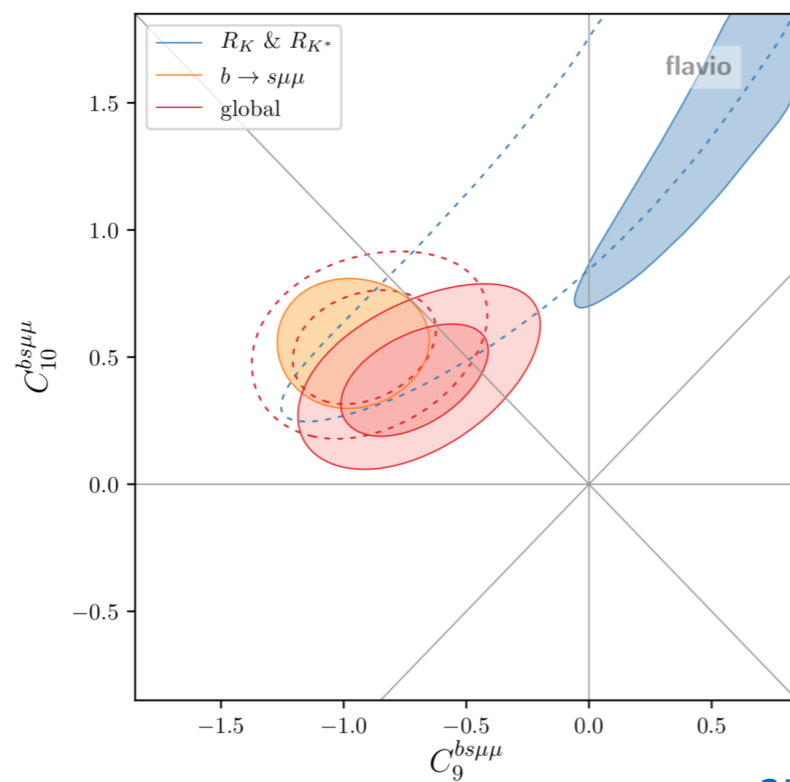
◆ Belle recently updated measurement of  $R_{K^*}$   
[arXiv:1904.02440]



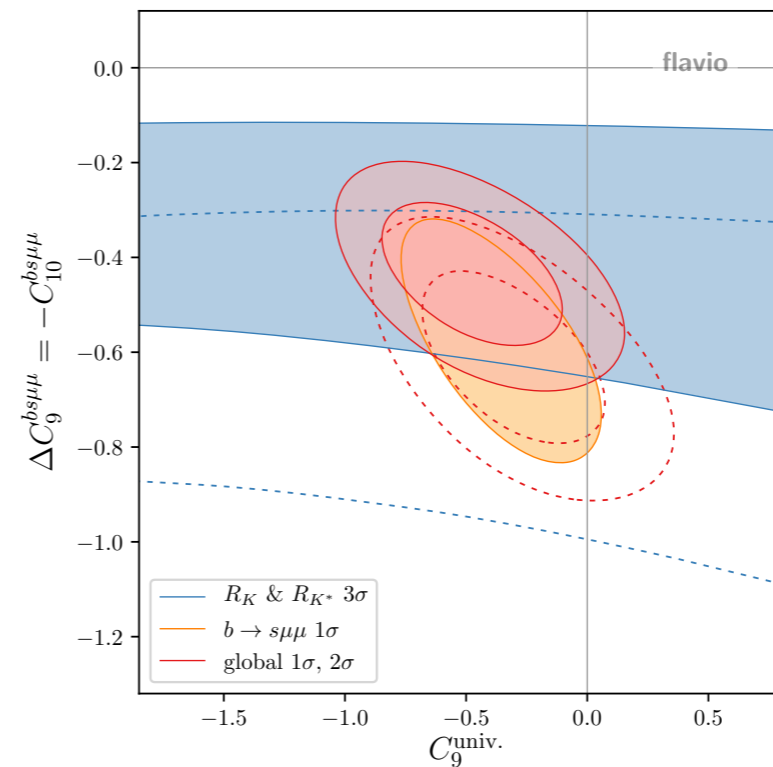


# Impact on global fits

- ◆ After  $R_K$  update LFU measurements slightly moved away from common solution with  $b \rightarrow sll$  anomalies
  - ▶ NP universal contribution to  $C_9 \dots ?$

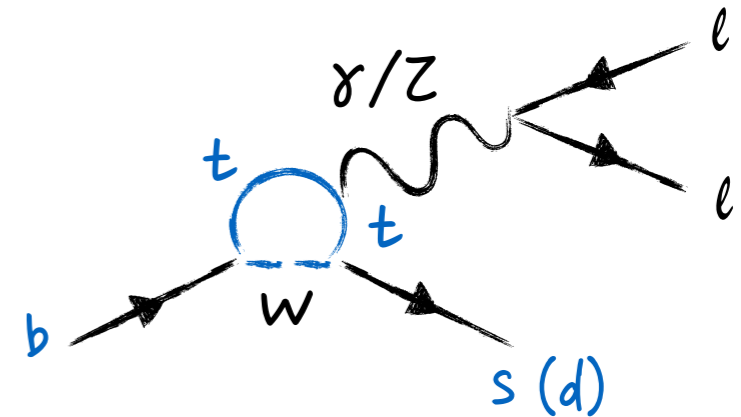


arXiv:1903.10434



# What about $b \rightarrow dll$ transitions?

- \*  $b \rightarrow dll$  is Cabibbo suppressed respect to  $b \rightarrow sll$  ( $\sim 25$  times smaller)
- \* Similar but **complementary** information
  - ❖ allow  $V_{td} / V_{ts}$  measurement
  - ❖ test Minimal Flavour Violation hypothesis
- \* **Very rare processes**, on the brink of observation

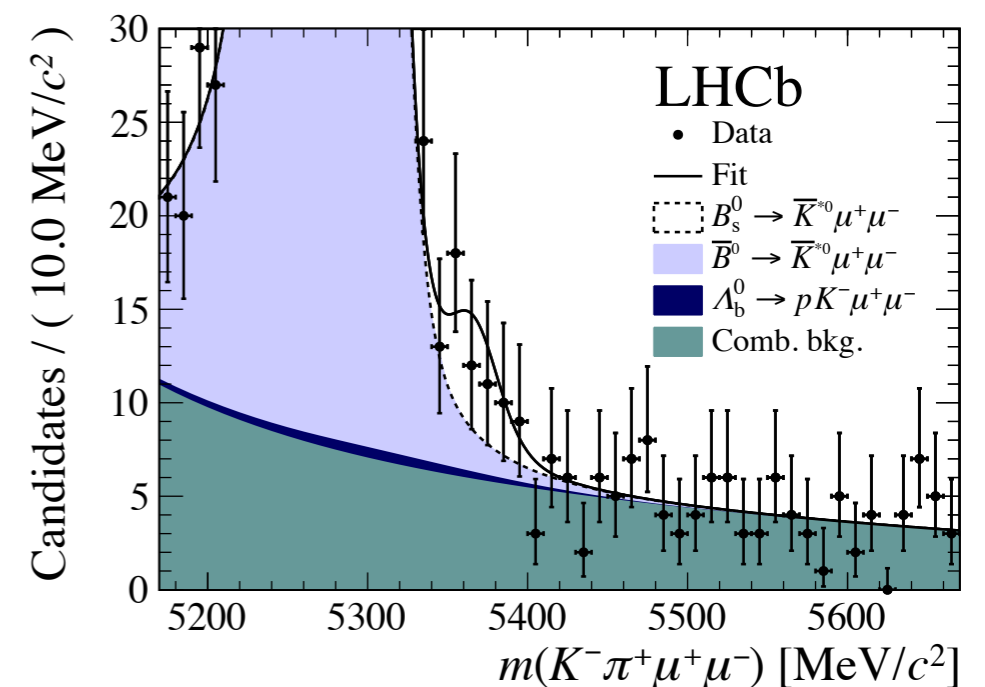


Evidence for the decay  $B_s^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$

- ◆ equivalent to  $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$
- ◆ **First evidence:  $3.4\sigma$  with  $4.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$** 
  - ❖  $38 \pm 12$  candidates ( $4200 B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ )
- ◆  $\mathcal{B} = (2.9 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-8}$

Too little data to say anything about  $q^2$  or angular distributions

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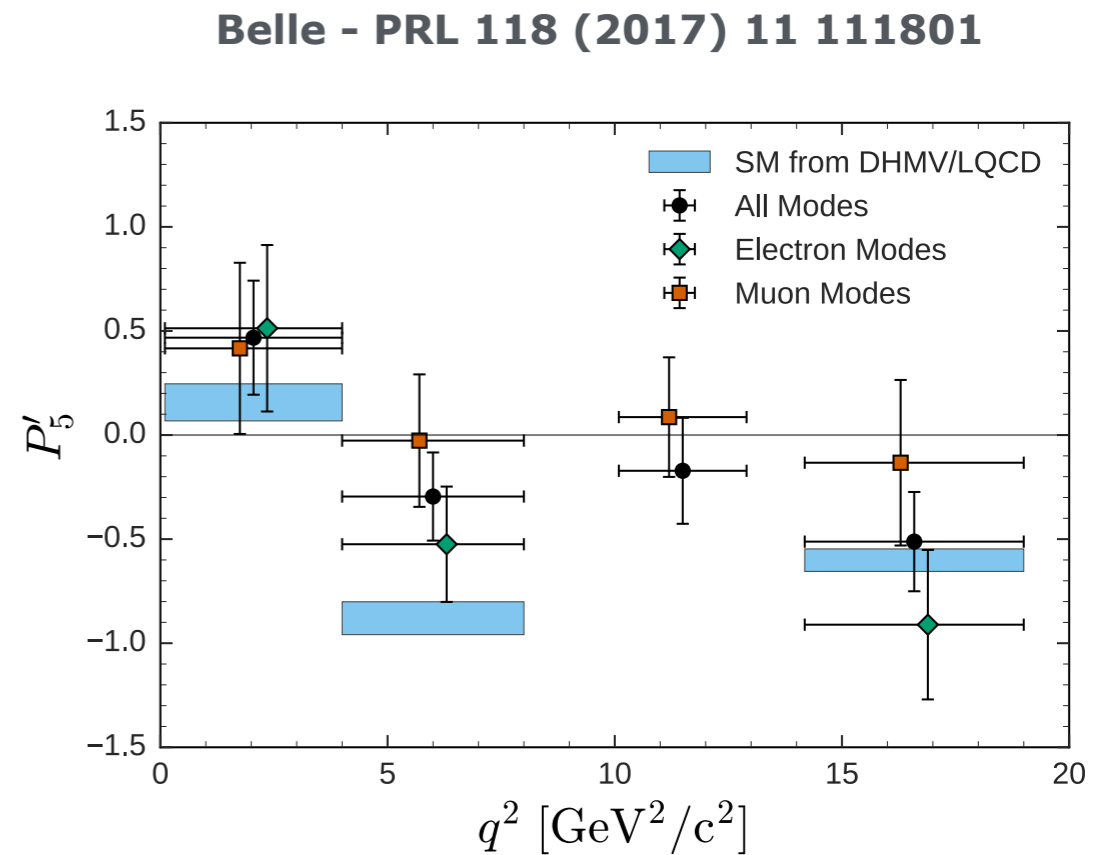
# Near future for rare decays

## Updates of:

- ▶  $R_{K^*}$  (+ Run2)
- ▶  $R_K$  (+ 2017 & 2018)
- ▶  $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$  angular analysis

## New measurements:

- ▶ New ratios:  $R_{(K\pi\pi)}$ ,  $R_\phi$ , etc.
- ▶  $B^0 \rightarrow K^* e^+ e^-$  angular analysis
  - ▶ non-LFU angular asymmetries  $\Delta P'_i$
- ▶ Direct measurements of Wilson coefficients ( $C_9$  &  $C_{10}$ ) from data
  - ▶ via amplitude analysis of  $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$

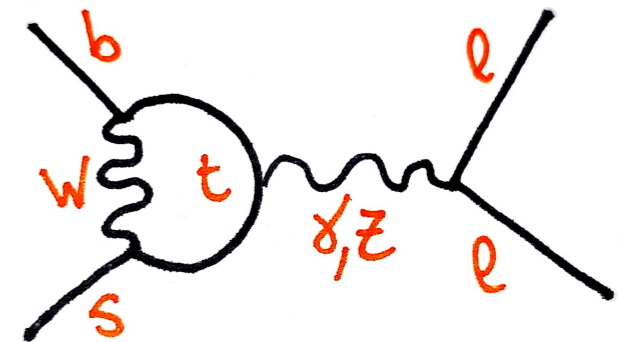


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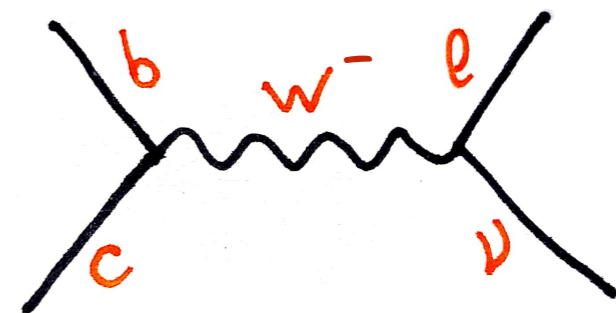
## NEUTRAL CURRENT



## 2. $b \rightarrow c\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$ decays

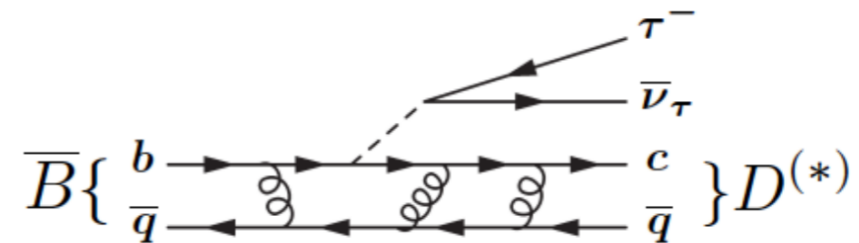
- ◆ Relative rates of  $b \rightarrow c\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$  versus decays with  $\mu$  ( $R_{D(*)}$ )

## CHARGED CURRENT



# Lepton universality in $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$ decays

- ◆  $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$  are **tree level** decays
  - abundant at LHC and B factories
    - ▶ B-factories have **cleaner** events
    - ▶ LHCb more **statistics**
- ◆ Complicated experimentally by **missing energy** in the final-state from multiple missing neutrinos



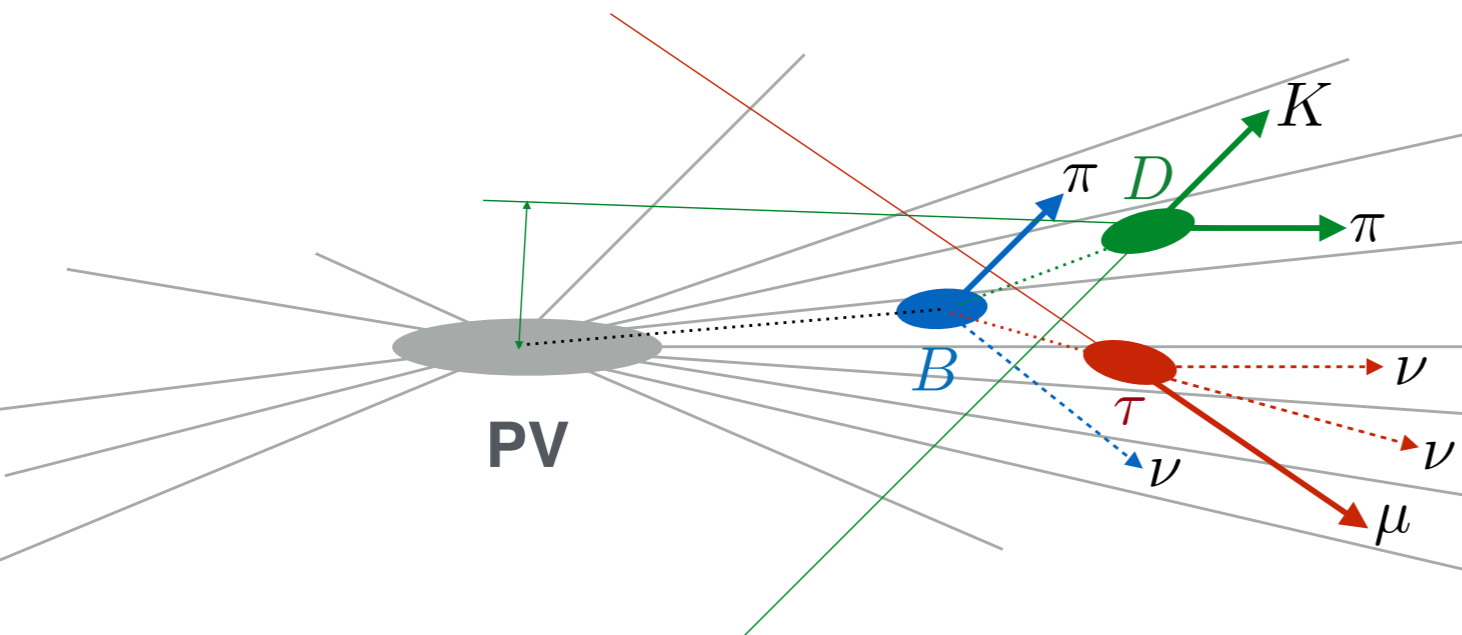
LFU ratio

$$R_{D^{(*)}} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\tau\nu)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\mu\nu)}$$

Theoretically clean (hadronic uncertainties and  $|V_{cb}|$  cancel)

- ▶  $R_D^{\text{SM}} = 0.299 \pm 0.03$
- ▶  $R_{D^*}^{\text{SM}} = 0.258 \pm 0.05$

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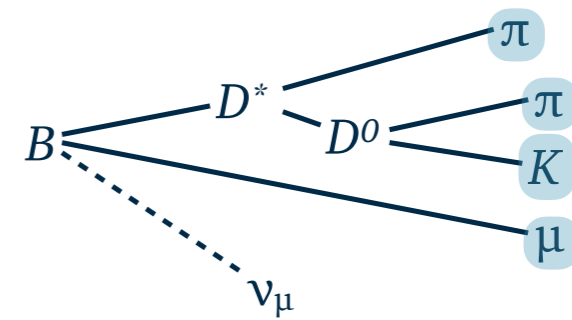
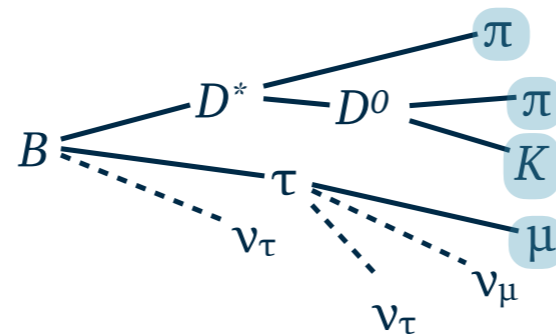
# $\tau$ reconstruction

## ◆ Leptonic: $\text{Br} \sim 17\%$

- ▶  $\tau \rightarrow \mu \nu_\mu \nu_\tau$
- ▶  $\tau \rightarrow e \nu_e \nu_\tau \longrightarrow$  only at  $B$  factories

Signal and normalization have the same visible final state

↳ Part of the systematic cancels in the ratio!



## ◆ Hadronic

Decay	$\mathcal{B}$ (%)	
$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	$25.49 \pm 0.09$	} 1-prong decays, only at $B$ factories
$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \nu_\tau$	$10.82 \pm 0.05$	
$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \nu_\tau$	$9.02 \pm 0.05$	} 3-prong decays, only at LHCb
$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	$4.49 \pm 0.05$	

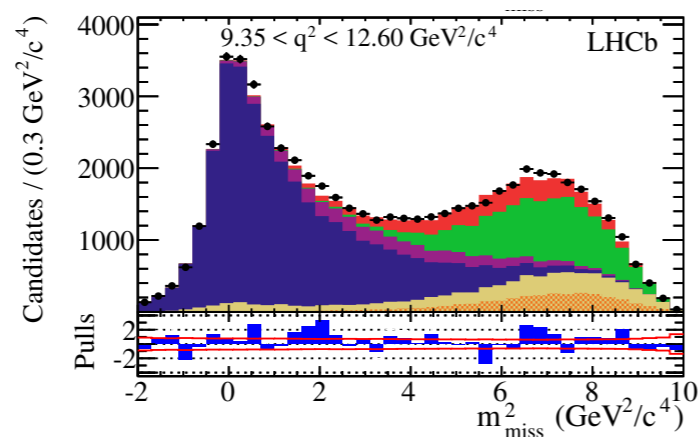
- ▶ requires an other decay channel with similar final state, e.g.  $B \rightarrow D^* \pi \pi \pi$

# “Muonic” VS “hadronic” $R_{D^*}$

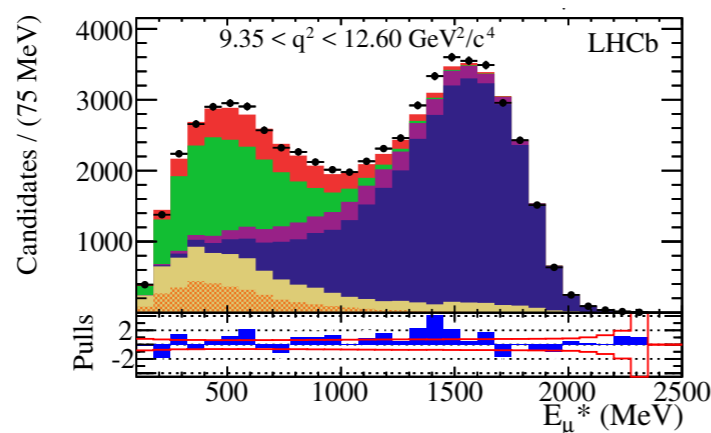
## muonic

### Set of variables

- ▶  $E_\mu$
- ▶  $q^2$
- ▶  $m^2_{\text{miss}}$



Projection in one of the four  $q^2$  bins



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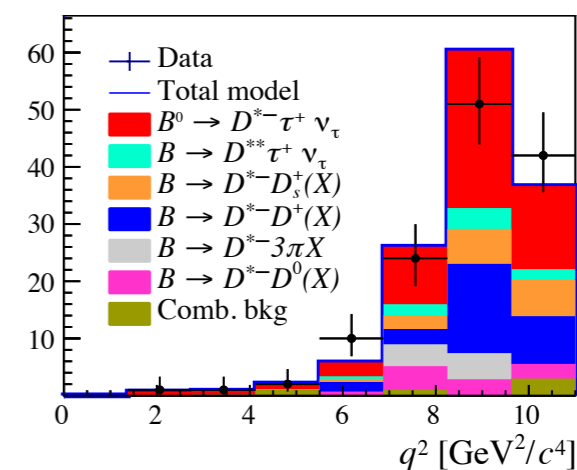
$$R(D^*) = 0.336 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.030$$

2.1 $\sigma$  greater than SM

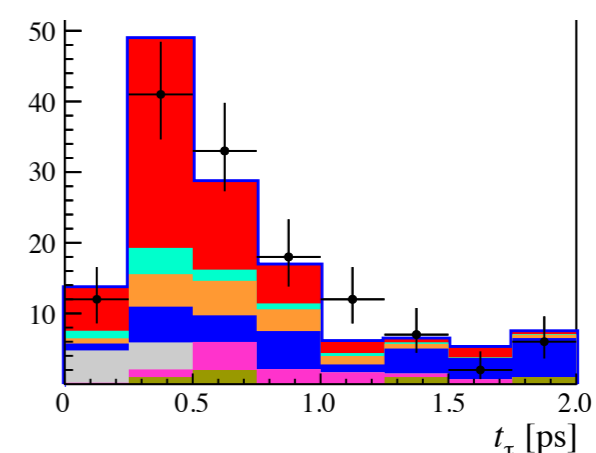
## hadronic

### Set of variables

- ▶  $t_\tau$
- ▶  $q^2$
- ▶ BDT output



Projection in one bin of BDT response



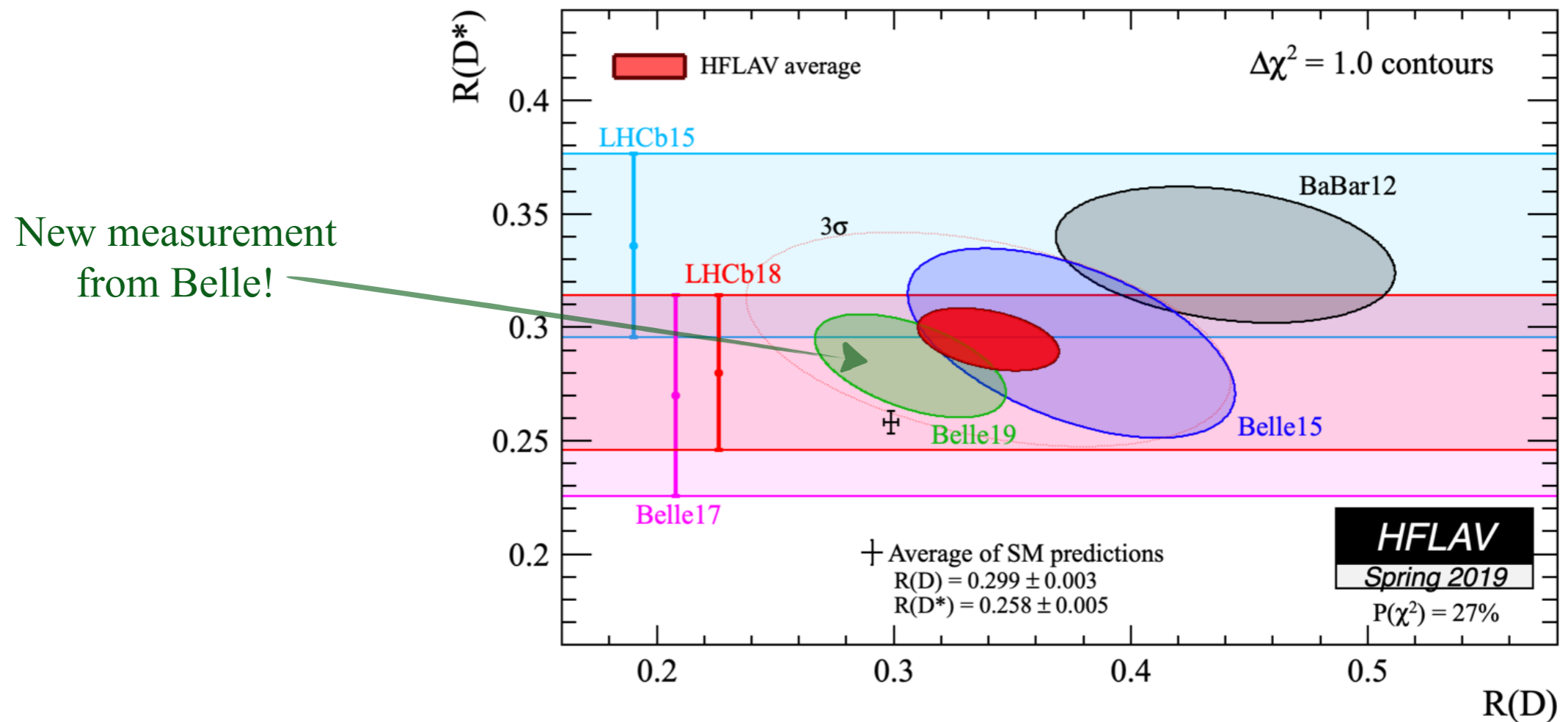
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$$\mathcal{R}(D^*) = 0.291 \pm 0.019 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.013$$

~1 $\sigma$  above the SM

# $R_{D^{(*)}}$ combination

- ◆ After Moriond 2019 tension with SM is reduced from 3.8 to 3.1  $\sigma$





# More measurements ...

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◆ What about  $B_c$  decays?

- ▶ test of LFU in  $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$  decays with different spectator quark

$$R_{J/\psi} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B_c \rightarrow J/\psi\tau\nu)}{\mathcal{B}(B_c \rightarrow J/\psi\mu\nu)}^{\text{SM}} = [0.25, 0.28]$$

Large interval due to form factor uncertainties

$$R_{J/\psi}^{\text{LHCb}} = 0.71 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.18$$

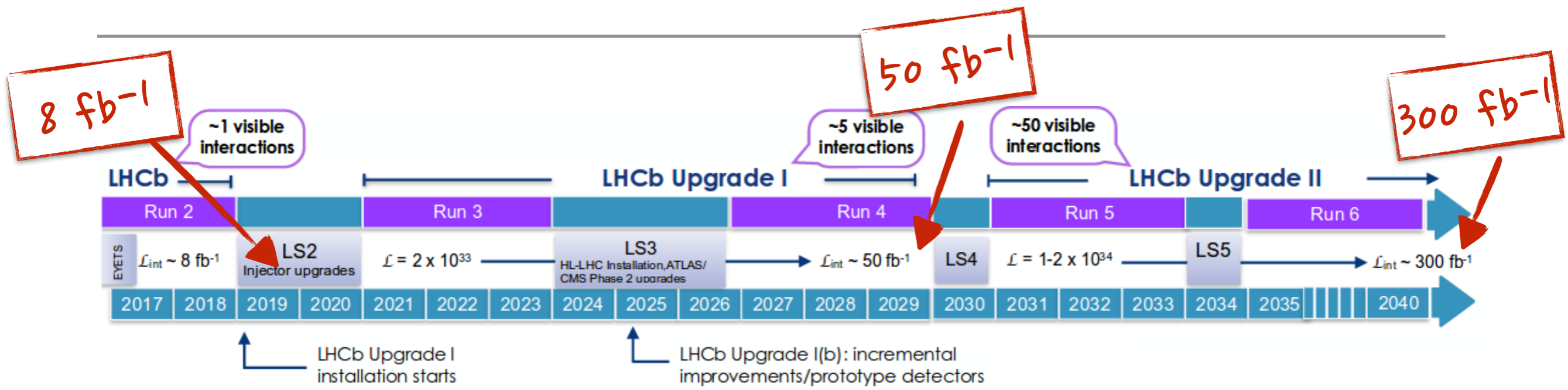
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**2 $\sigma$  above the SM**

Near future  $\longrightarrow$  several measurement in the pipeline:

- ▶ Simultaneous measurements of  $R(D^*)$  &  $R(D^0)$  and  $R(D^*)$  &  $R(D^+)$
- ▶ New measurement of  $R(\Lambda_c)$ ,  $R(D_s)$ , etc.
- ▶ Updates with Run2

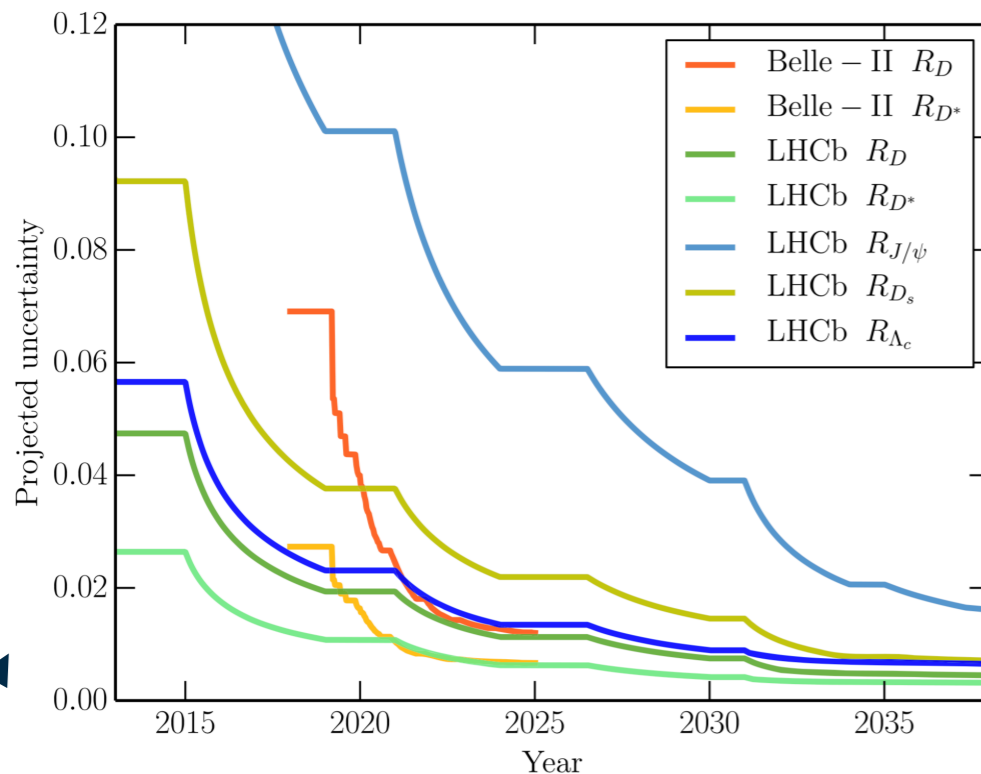
# LHCb Upgrades = new era of precision measurements



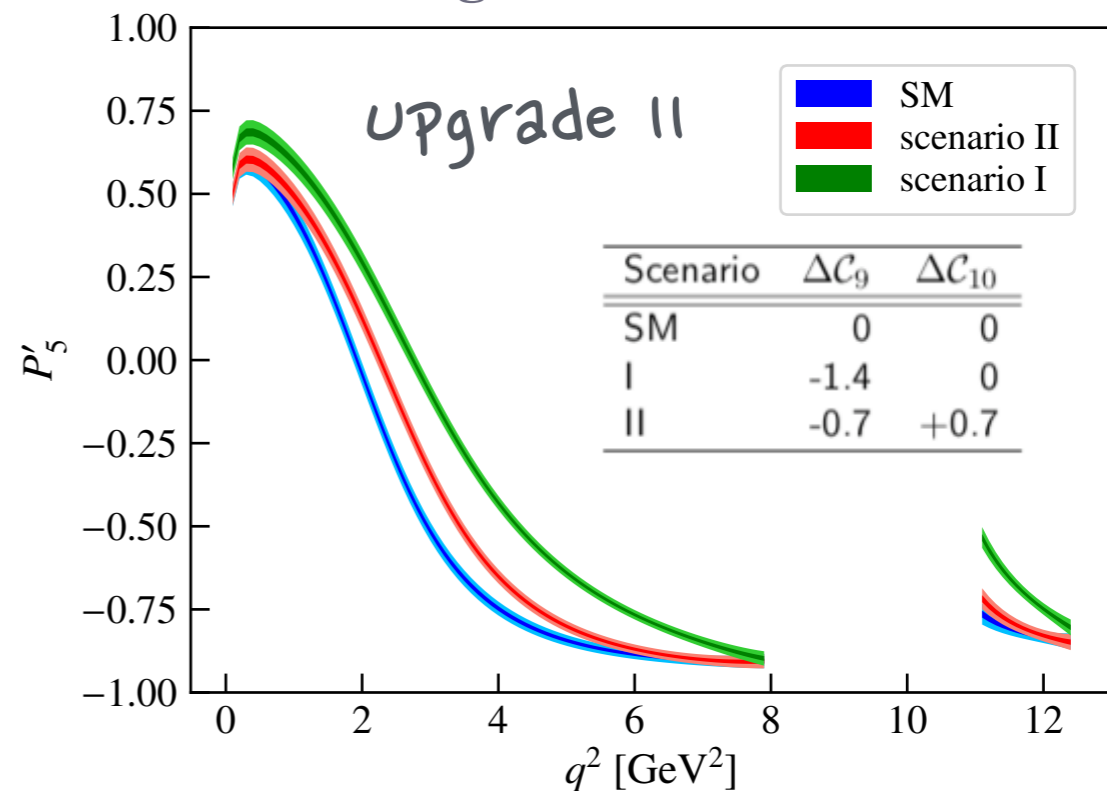
Physics of the HL-LHC, WG4 Flavour [arXiv:1812.07638]

◆ Projected sensitivity for LHCb future upgrades

## LFU ratios



## Angular observables



# Conclusion

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Intriguing pattern of anomalies in neutral and charged currents transitions

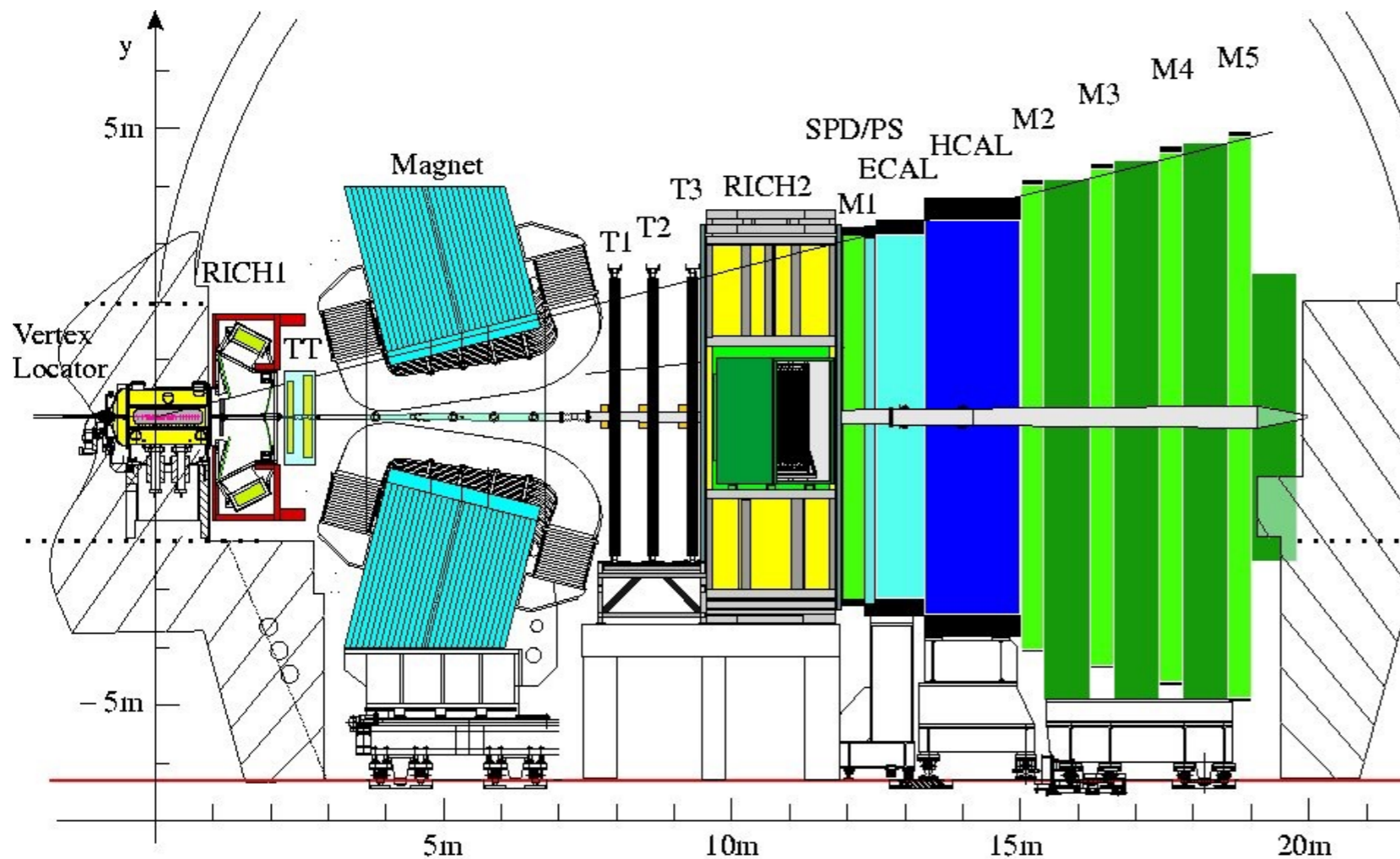
- ◆ measurements by LHCb, Babar and Belle
- ◆ still need larger statistics to understand if these anomalies are genuine sign of physics beyond the SM
- ◆ more results will come from LHCb Run2 analyses

Thank you!

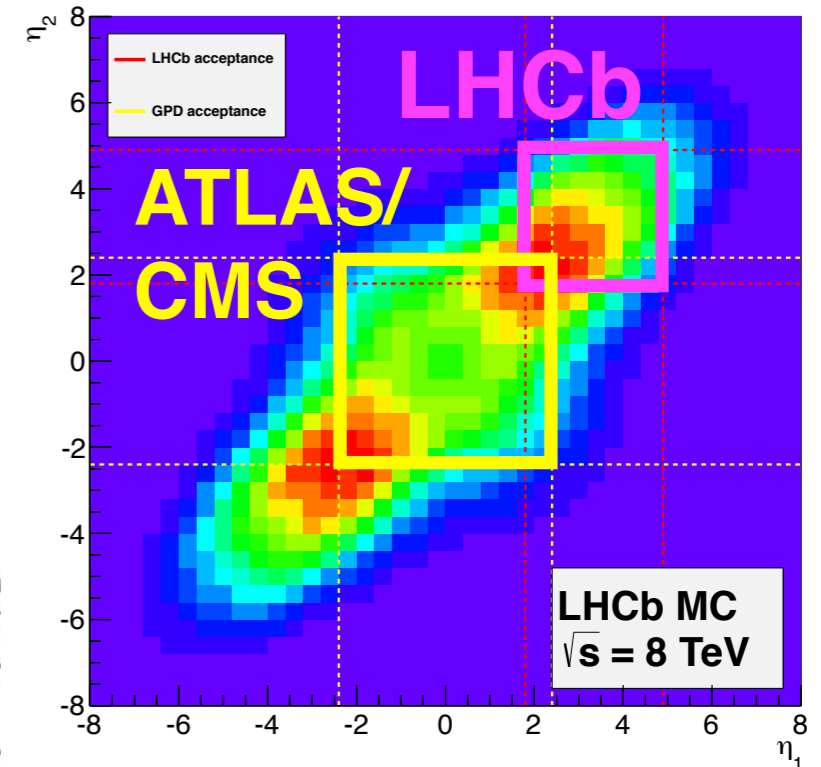
# The LHCb detector

LHCb is a forward spectrometer placed at LHC

- \* Pseudorapidity range:  $2 < \eta < 5$
- \* focused on the study of  $b$  and  $c$  decays
  - ◆  $O(10^5)$   $b\bar{b}$  pairs produced every second
  - ◆  $\sigma(pp \rightarrow H_b X) = 144 \pm 1 \pm 21 \mu b$  in acceptance



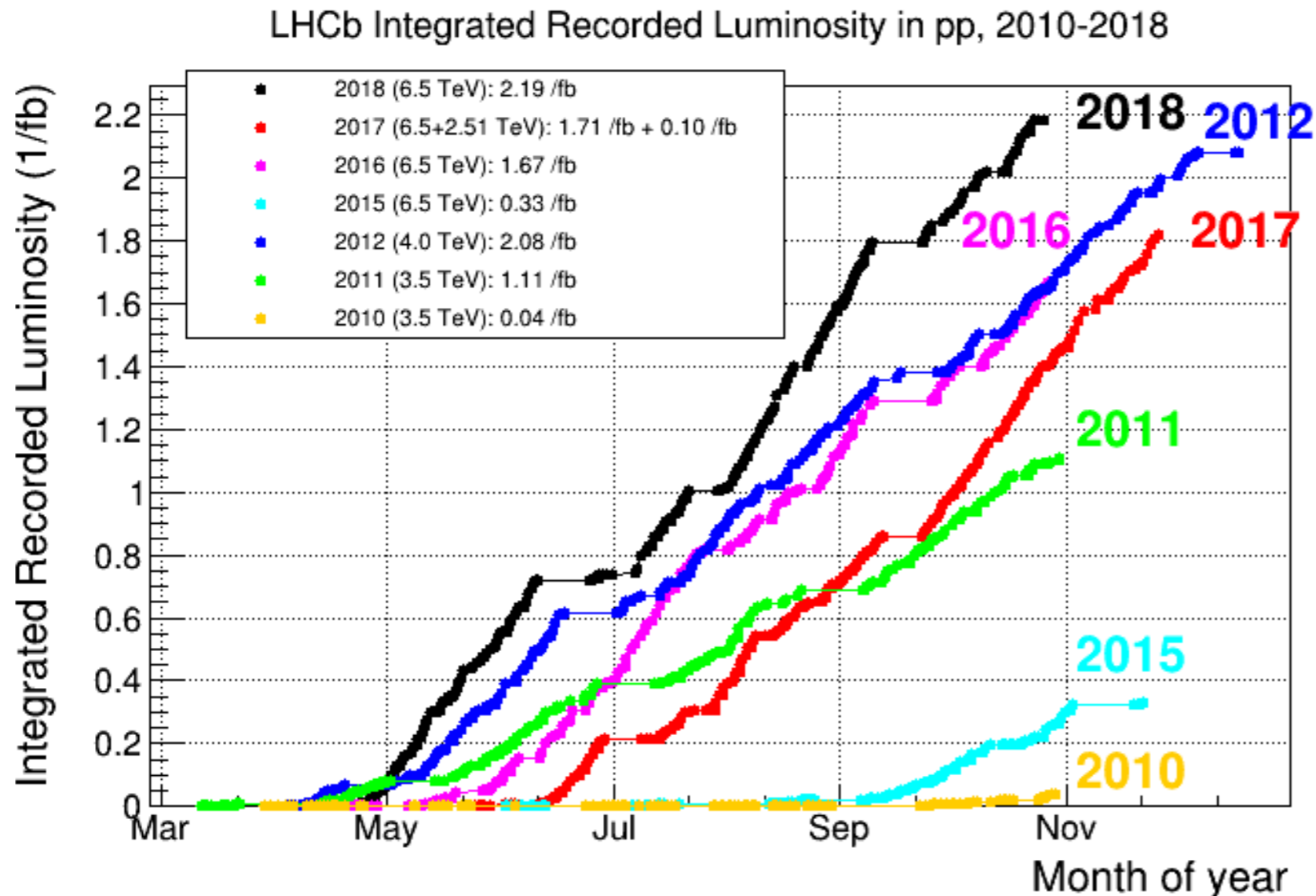
$pp \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  cross section



Ideal place for studying  $b$  and  $c$  decays:

- excellent vertex resolution
- excellent momentum resolution
- excellent particle identification

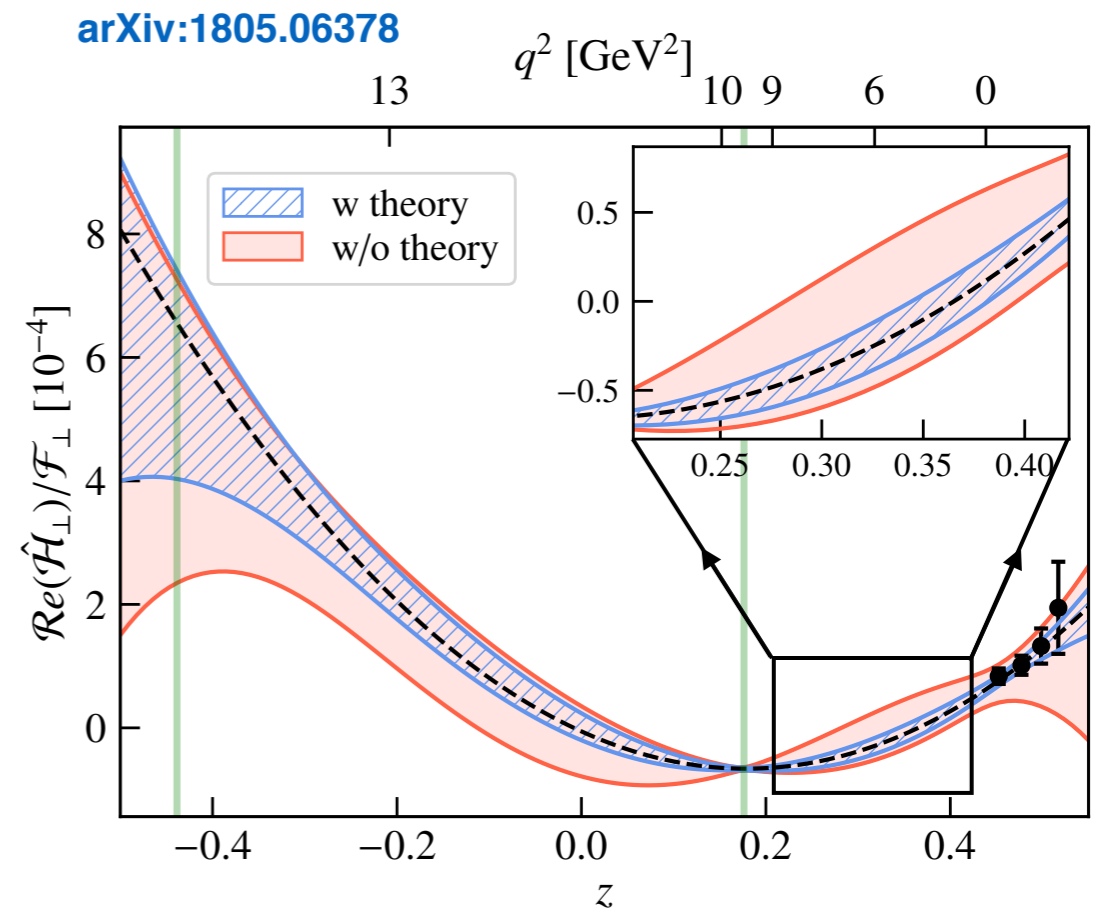
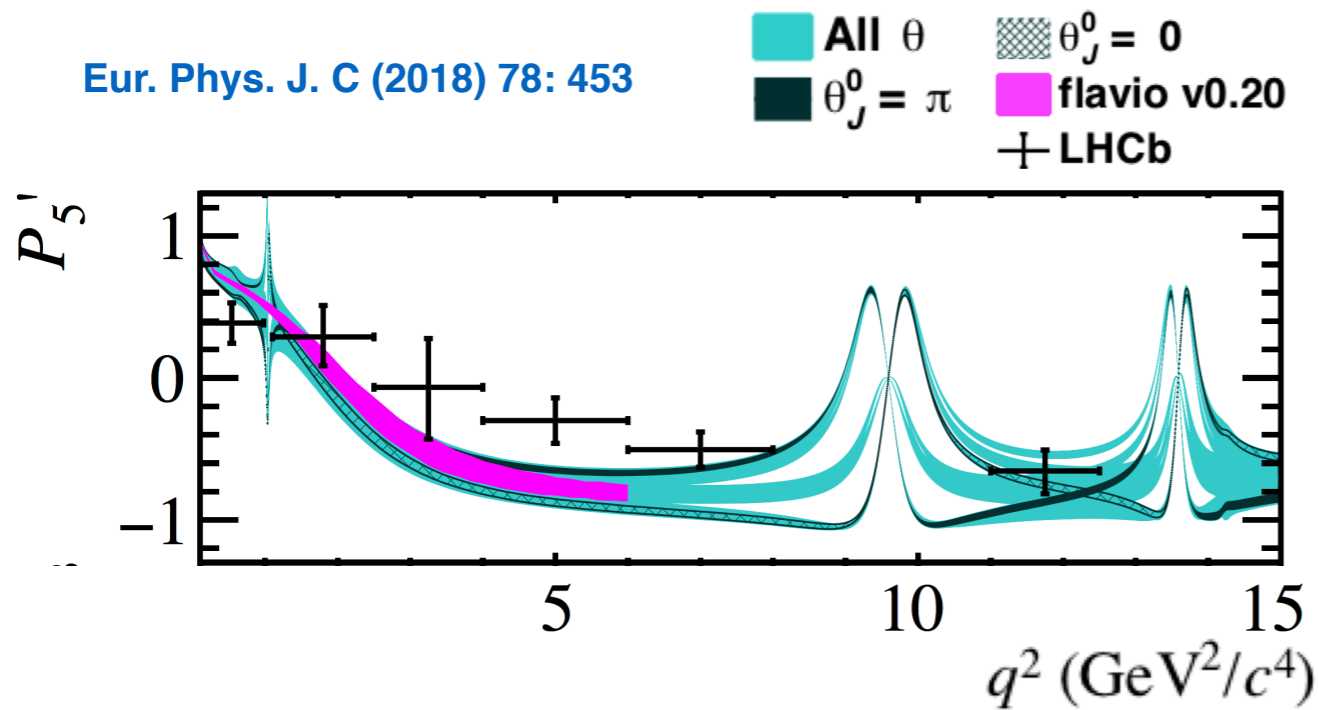
# Collected datasets



- ◆ Run1 LHCb collected 1+2 fb<sup>-1</sup> of data in 2011+2012
- ◆ Run2 LHCb collected 6 fb<sup>-1</sup> of data between 2015 and 2018 (roughly twice b-meson per fb<sup>-1</sup> due to increased  $\sqrt{s}$ )

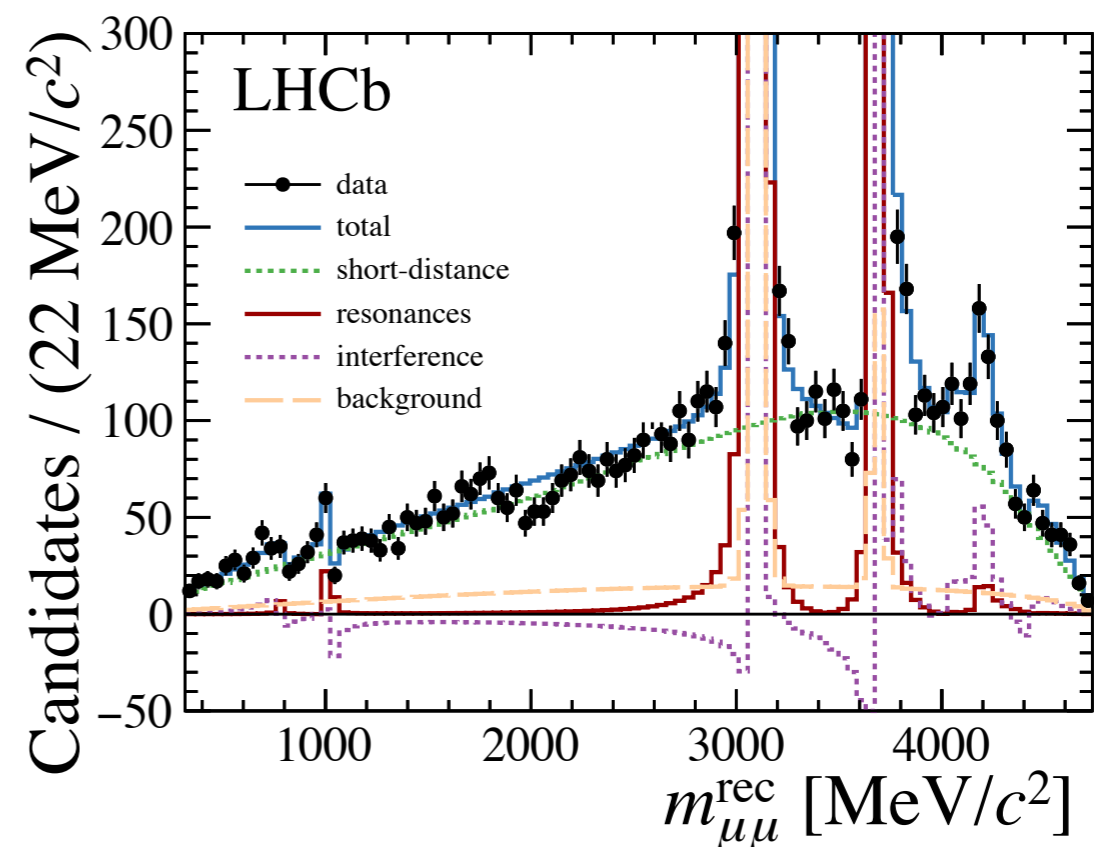
# Fighting the charm loop at experimental level

- ◆ Several attempts to disentangle short-distance (WCs) from long-distance (charm loop) contributions
  - ▶ Parametrizing charmonia resonances as sum of Breit-Wigner
    - including tails away from resonances, each with magnitude and phases
  - ▶ Parametrizing charmonia resonances as polynomials



# Phases in $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu \mu$

- ◆  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu \mu$  decays present simpler phenomenology compared to  $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu \mu$  ( $K^+$  is a scalar)
- ◆ Fit to  $m(\mu\mu)$  to determine the interference between “rare mode” and resonances
- ◆ 4 solutions equally compatible with data
  - ◆  $J/\psi$ -“rare mode” phase difference compatible with  $\pm\pi/2$
  - ◆ interference far from the pole mass is small

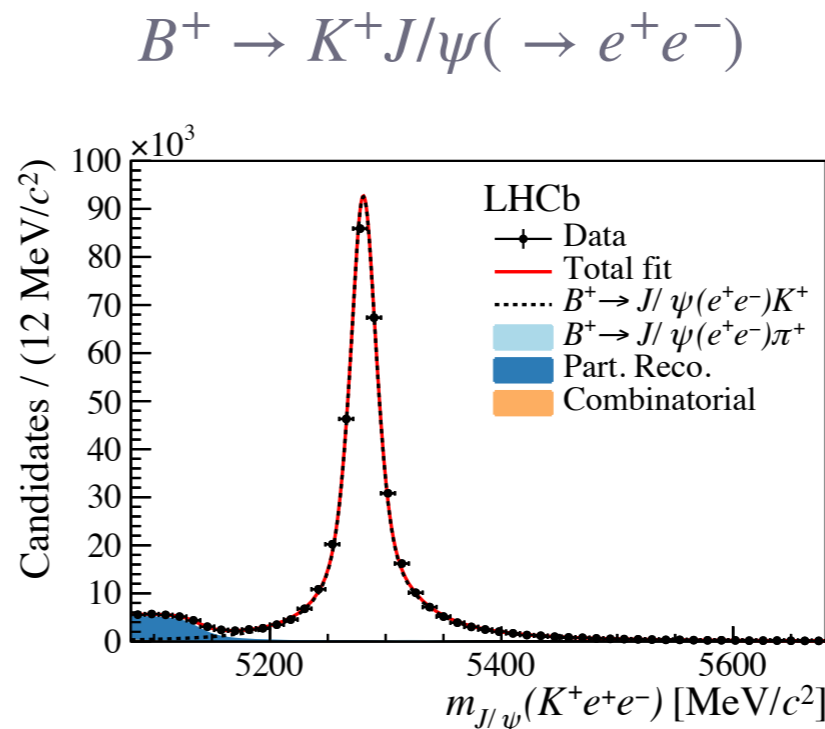
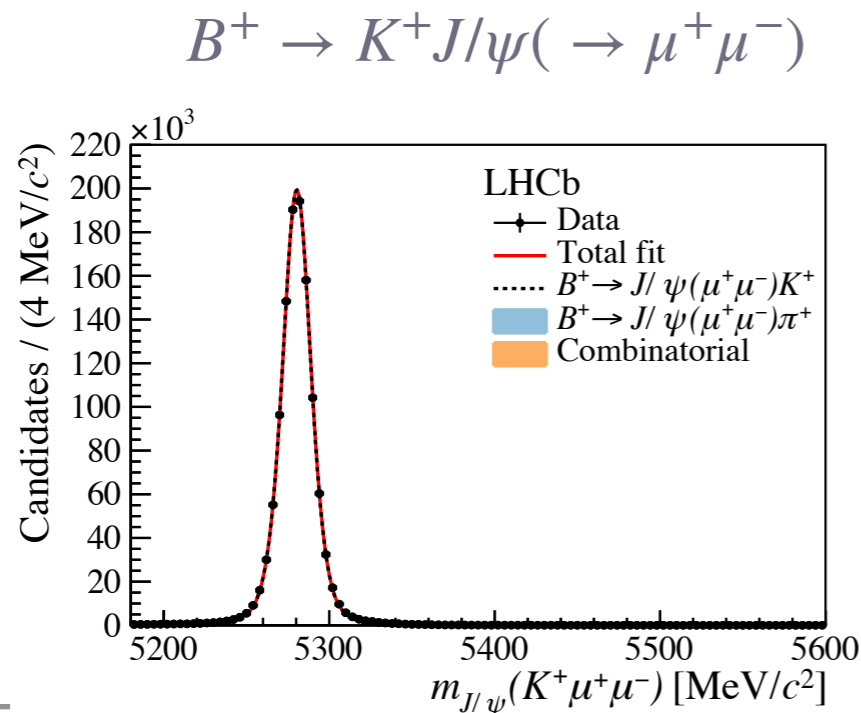


# Cross-check #1: $r_{J/\psi}$

- ◆ To ensure efficiencies are under control, check  $r_{J/\psi} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ J/\psi(\mu^+ \mu^-))}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ J/\psi(e^+ e^-))} = 1$ 
  - ▶ Very stringent check:
    - ▶ Single ratio  $\longrightarrow$  direct control of efficiencies

$$r_{J/\psi} = 1.014 \pm 0.035 \text{ (stat+syst)}$$

Checked compatibility of  $r_{J/\psi}=1$  for both Run1 and Run2, and in all trigger category

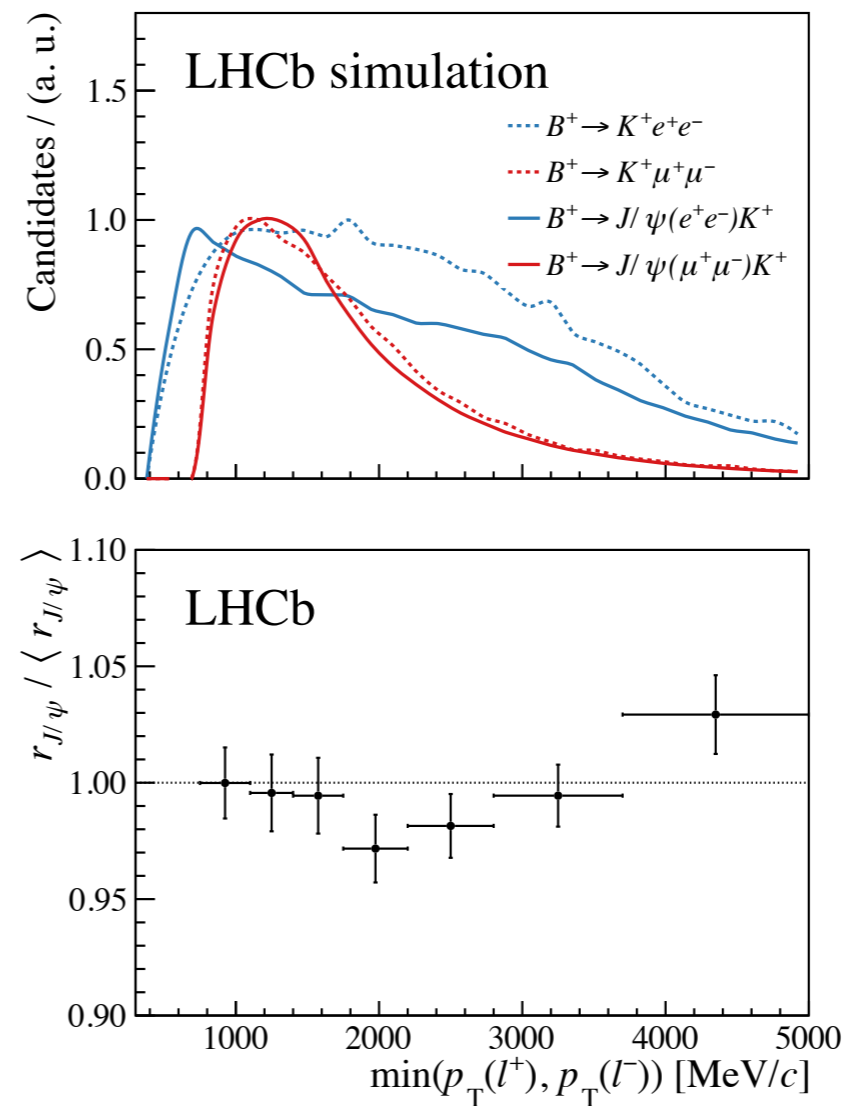
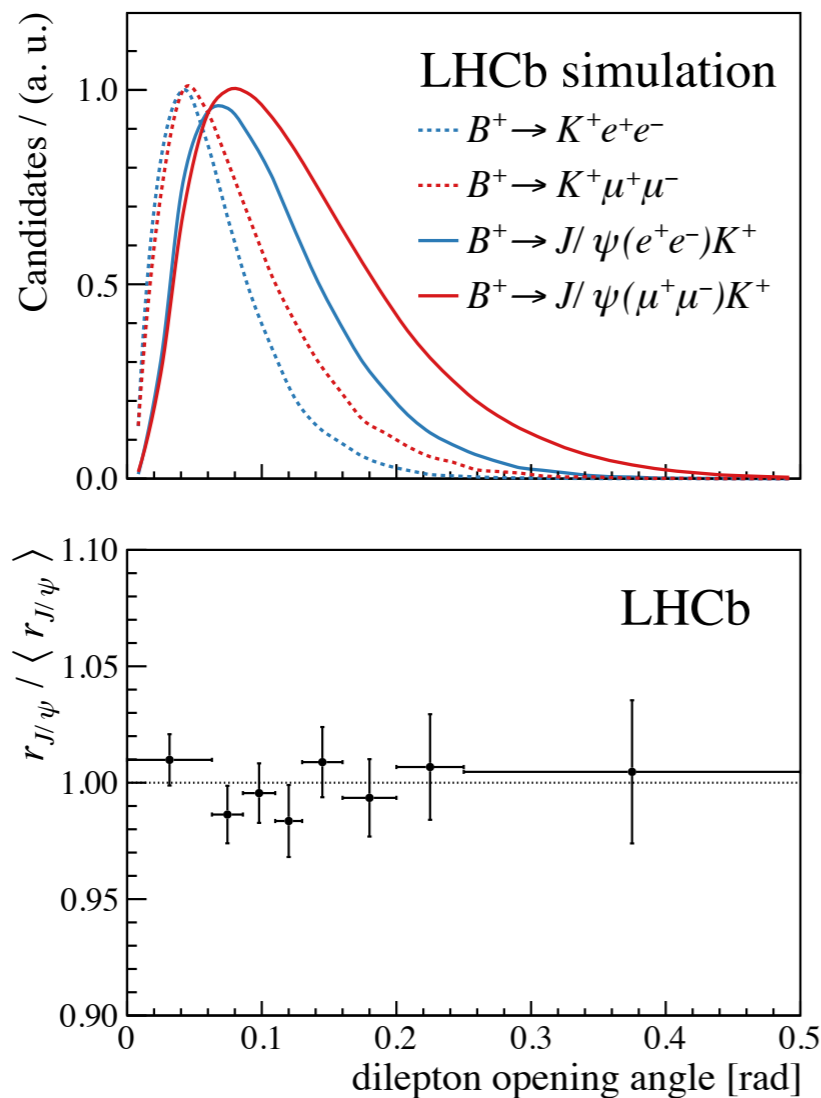


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# Cross-check #2: differential $r_{J/\psi}$

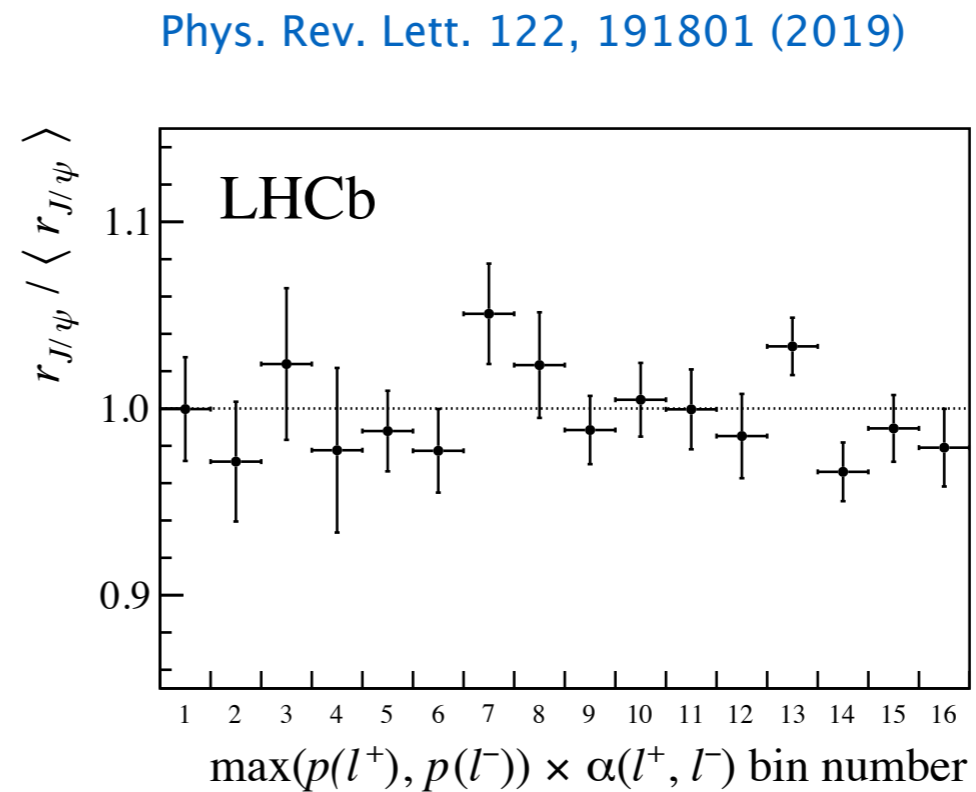
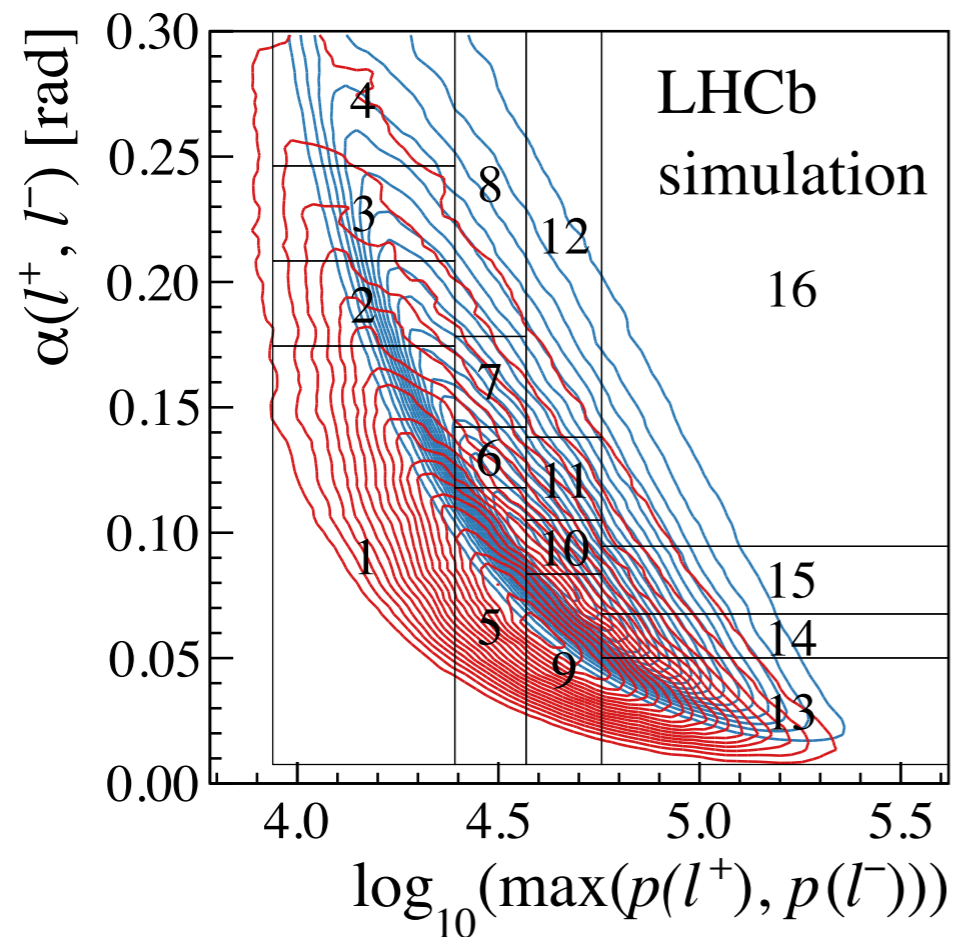
- ◆ Cross-check efficiency is well understood in all kinematic region
  - ▶ Ensure  $r_{J/\psi}$  is flat for all variables examined



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# Cross-check #2(b): 2D-differential $r_{J/\psi}$

- ◆ Cross-check for possible correlated effects in kinematic variables



Flatness gives confidence that efficiencies are understood in the entire phase space!

# Cross-check #3: $R_{\psi(2S)}$

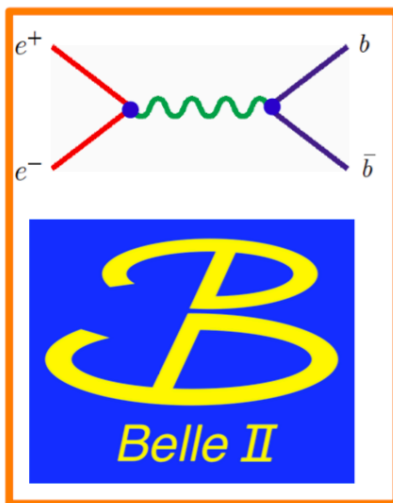
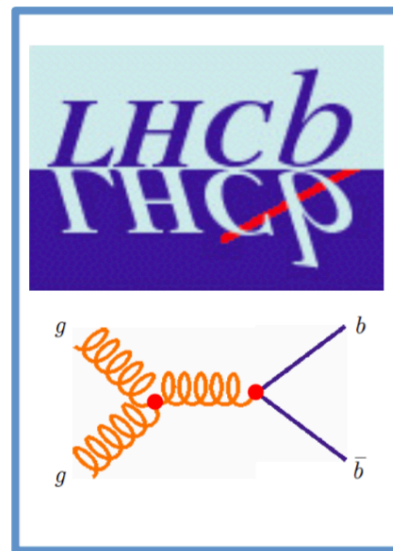
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- ◆ Test double ratio cancellation on  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \psi(2S)(\ell^+ \ell^-)$  decays

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$$R_{\psi(2S)} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \psi(2S)(\mu^+ \mu^-))}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ J/\psi(\mu^+ \mu^-))} \bigg/ \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \psi(2S)(e^+ e^-))}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ J/\psi(e^+ e^-))} = 0.986 \pm 0.013 \text{ (stat + syst)}$$

# Belle II and LHCb Upgrades



- Time dependent  $B_s$  physics
  - CPV in  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ ,  $B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$
- $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

- CKM angle  $\gamma$
- CPV in  $B_d$
- $B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+\ell^-$  (exclusive)  $\rightarrow$  **LFU**
- $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$  (exclusive)
- Charm physics
- Semileptonic B decays
- $B \rightarrow D \tau^- \nu$ ,  $B \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \nu$
- Dark matter
- $\tau$  – physics: LFV
- $B \rightarrow \tau^- \nu$ ,  $B \rightarrow \mu^- \nu$
- $B \rightarrow K^* \nu\nu$ ,  $B \rightarrow \nu\nu$
- $B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+\ell^-$  (inclusive)
- $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$  (inclusive)

“ $B_s$  & charged tracks”

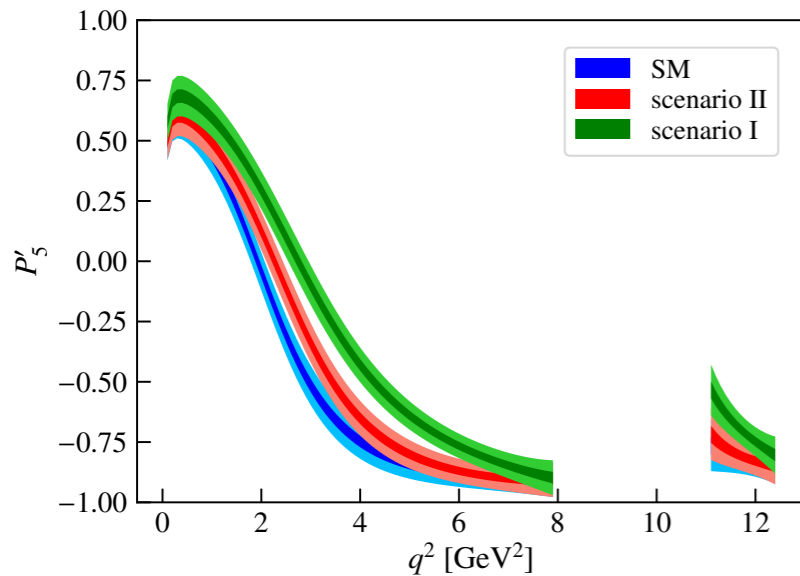
Important overlap: sporty competition!

“inclusive & neutrals”

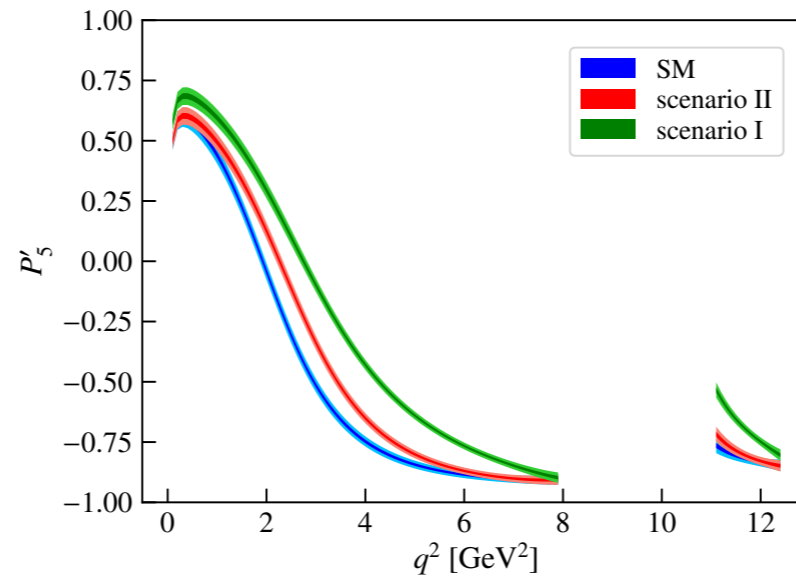
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# New era of precision measurements

Run 3

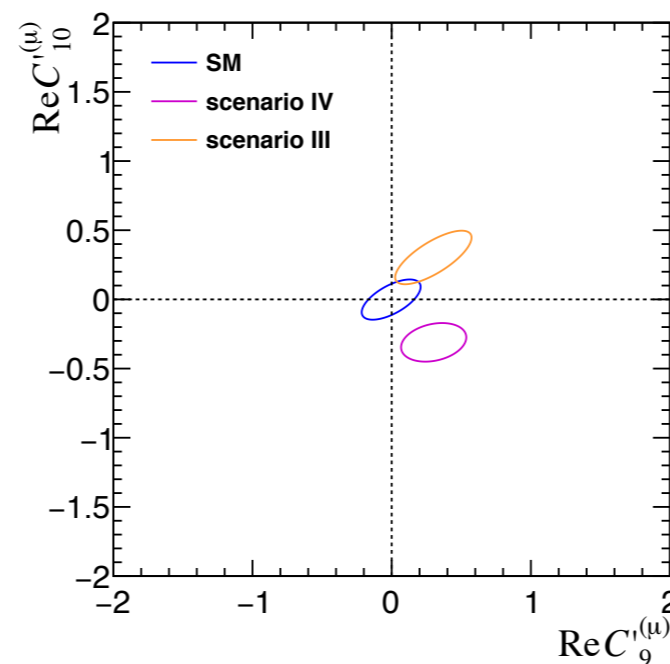
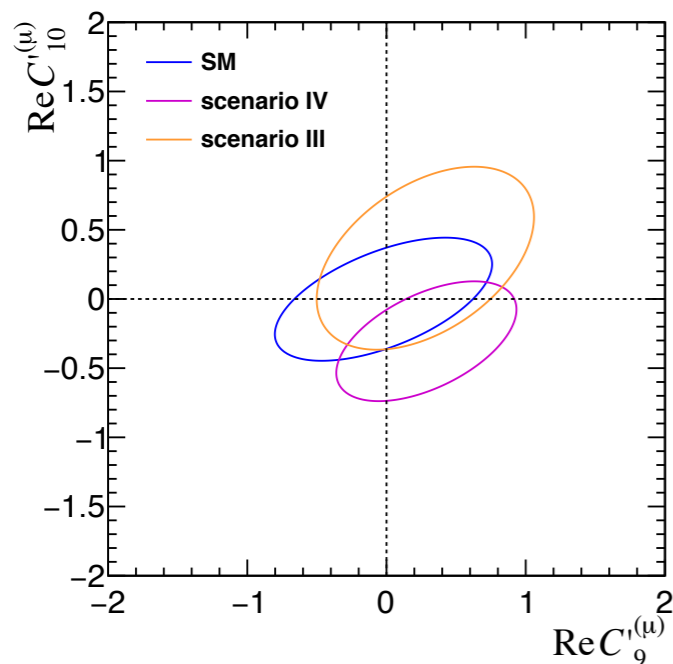


Upgrade II



Precise (unbinned)  
determination of angular  
observables

Scenario	$\Delta C_9$	$\Delta C_{10}$
SM	0	0
I	-1.4	0
II	-0.7	+0.7



Right-handed  
Wilson coefficients

Scenario	$C'_9$	$C'_{10}$
SM	0	0
III	+0.3	+0.3
IV	+0.3	-0.3

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