

Belle II status and plans

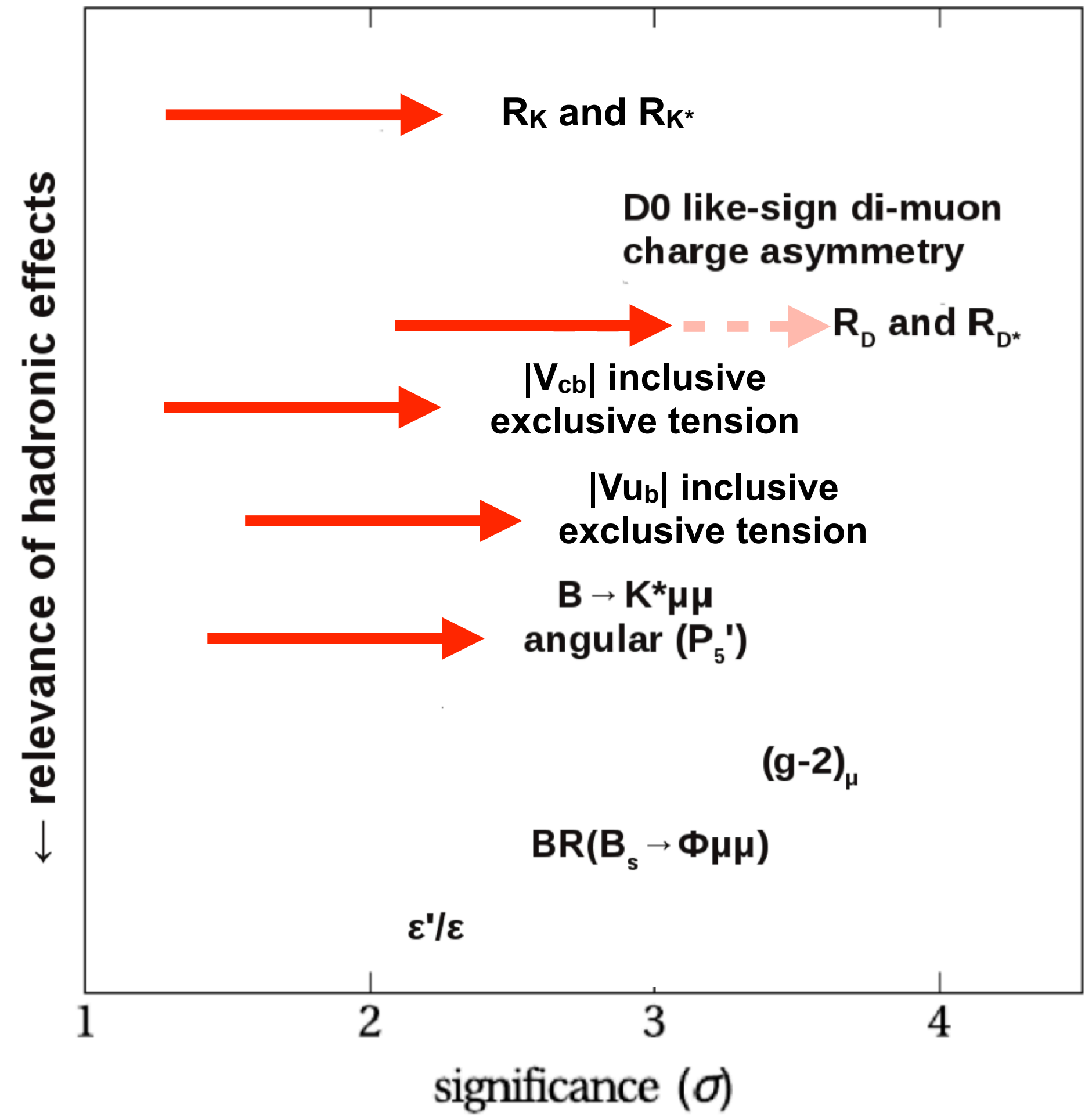
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Belle II Flavour Program

- Belle II plans to collect 50 ab⁻¹ of collisions near Y(4S)
 - a (Super) B-factory (~1.1 x 10⁹ BB pairs per ab⁻¹)
 - a (Super) charm factory (~1.3 x 10⁹ cc pairs per ab⁻¹)
 - a (Super) τ factory (~0.9 x 10⁹ ττ pairs per ab⁻¹)
- *Flavour program at Belle II*
 - CKM precision metrology.
 - Flavour BSM analyses with good “detection universality” (e.g. leptons).
 - Dark, missing energy: hidden portals, axiflavons etc.
- **Important, unexplained hierarchy among 10 of 19 params of SM**
 $m_\nu=0$
 - Mass (6 params, small ratios of scales)
 - CP violation (4 params, strong hierarchy between generations)
- **With phenomenological consequences for quark flavour dynamics**

“Zoltan plot”



CKM and CPV SM Metrology: Belle II core program

$$V_{\text{CKM}} \propto \begin{pmatrix} |V_{ud}| & |V_{us}| & |V_{ub}| e^{-i\gamma} \\ -|V_{cd}| & |V_{cs}| & |V_{cb}| \\ |V_{td}| e^{-i\beta} & -|V_{ts}| e^{-i\beta_s} & |V_{tb}| \end{pmatrix}$$

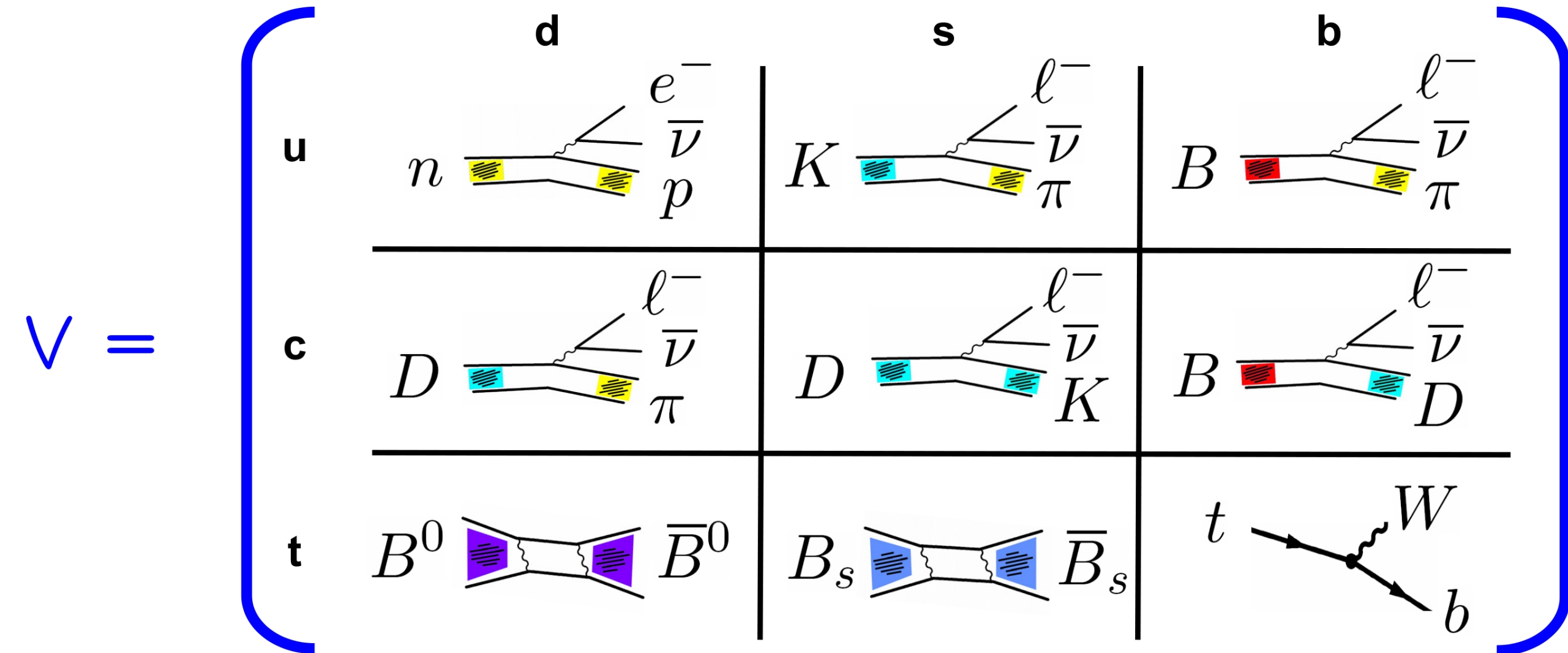
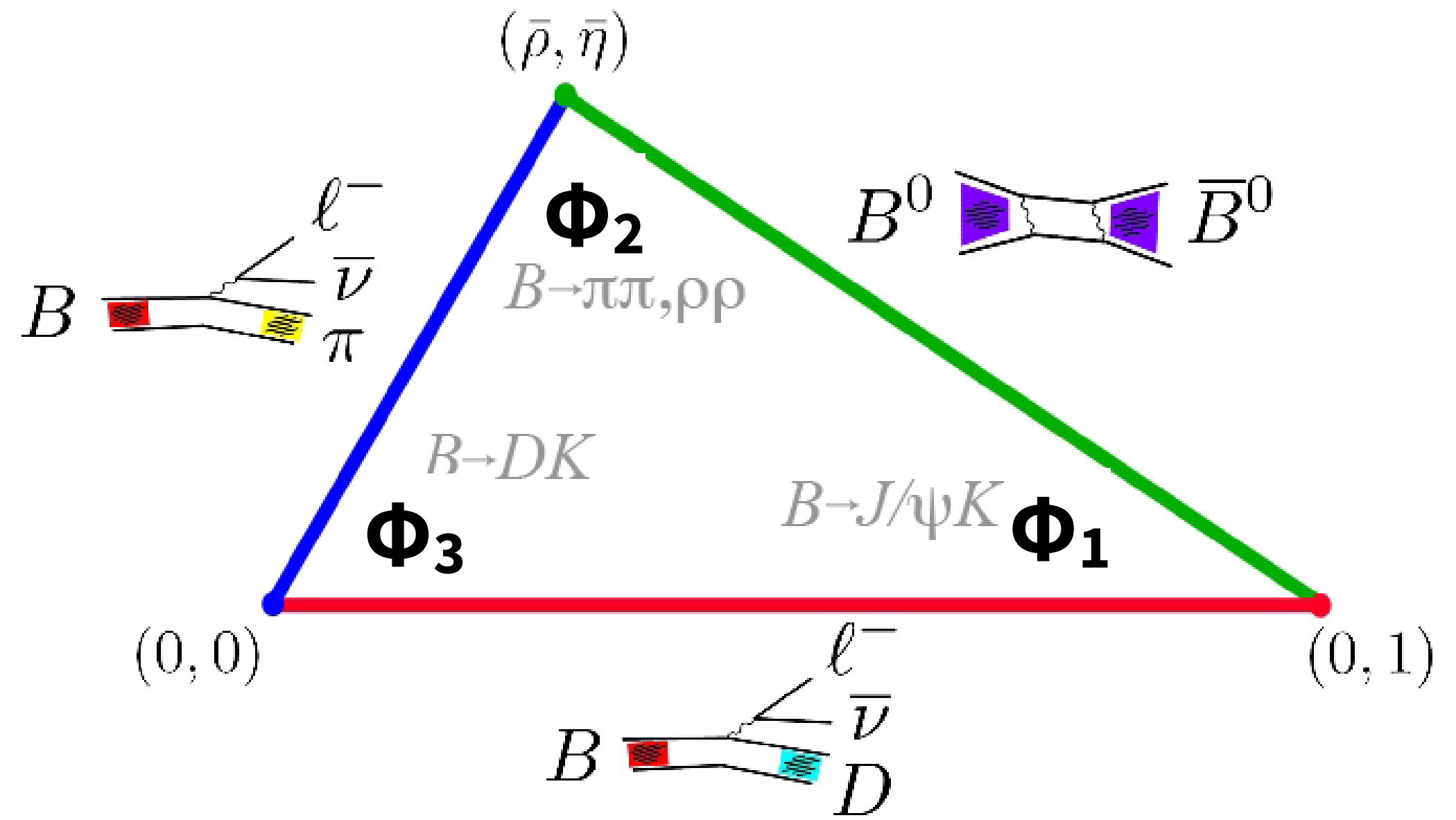
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| $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} K^{(*)}$ | γ / Φ_3 | $B \rightarrow \pi l\nu / b \rightarrow u l\nu$ | $ V_{ub} $ via Form factor / OPE |
| $B \rightarrow J/\psi K_s$ | β / Φ_1 | $M \rightarrow l\nu (\gamma)$ | $ V_{UD} $ via Decay constant f_M |
| $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \Phi$ | β_s | $\Delta m_d, \Delta m_s$ | $ V_{tb} V_{t\{d,s\}} $ via Bag factor B_B |

WA HFLAV & CKMfitter 2018

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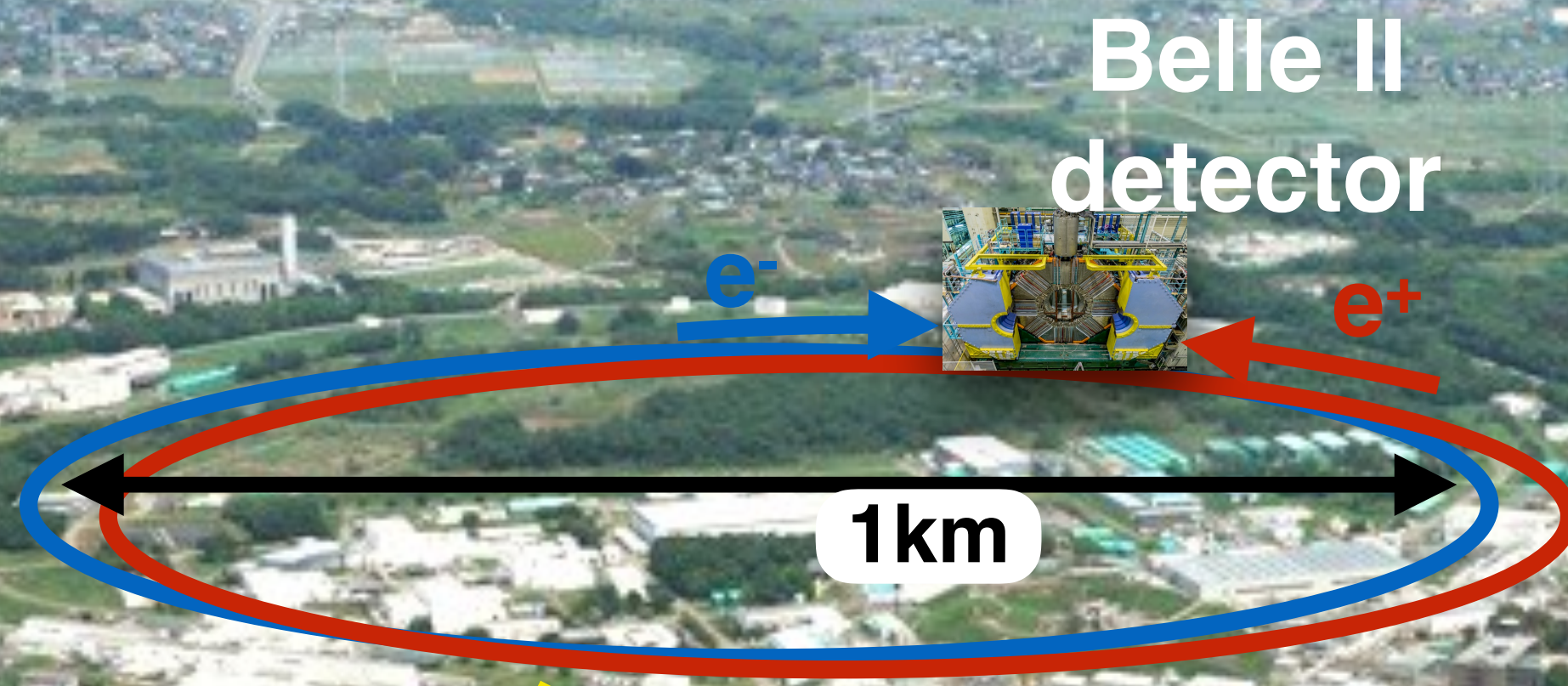
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Belle II @ Super-KEKB

Intensity frontier flavour-factory experiment, Successor to Belle @KEKB (1999-2010)



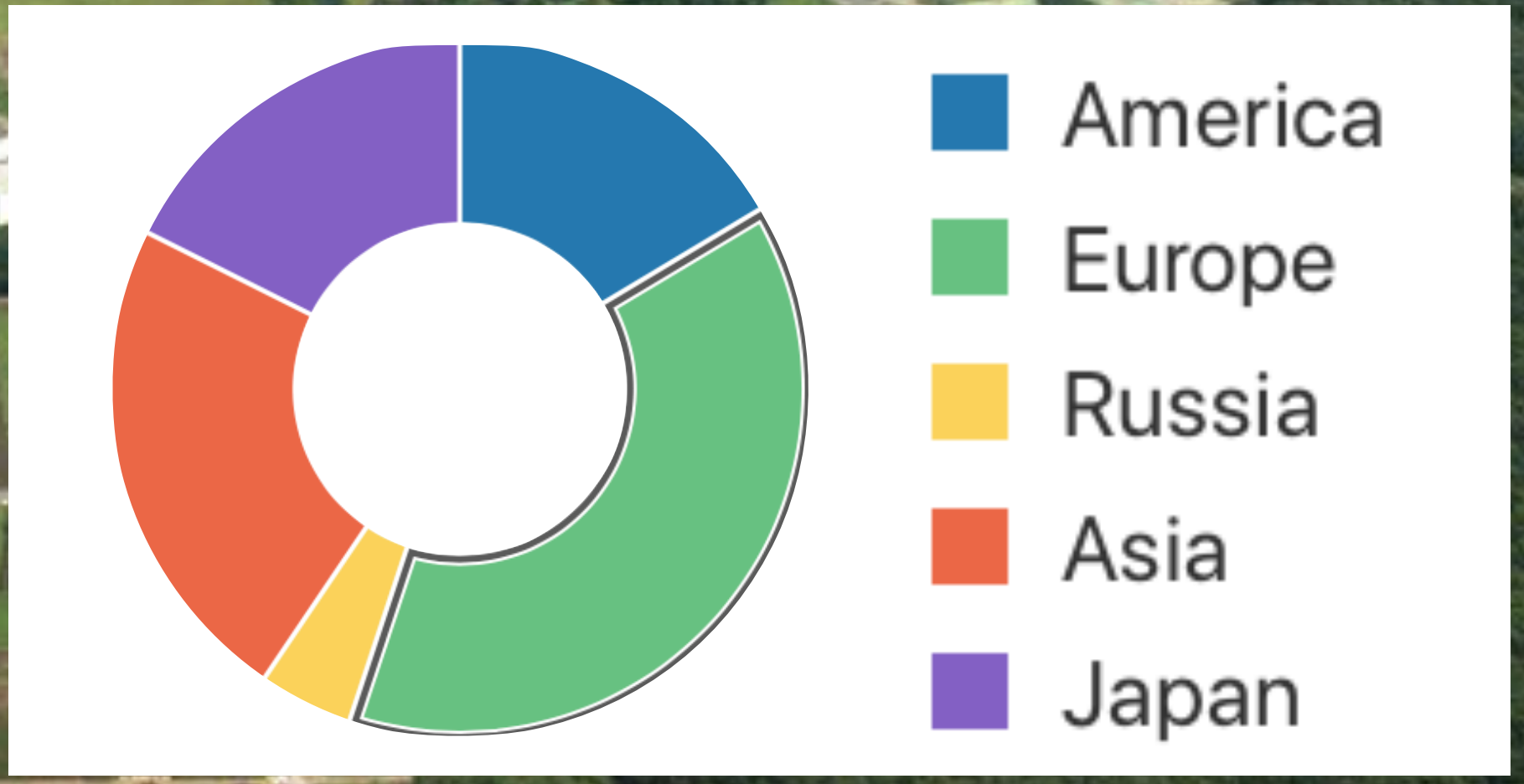
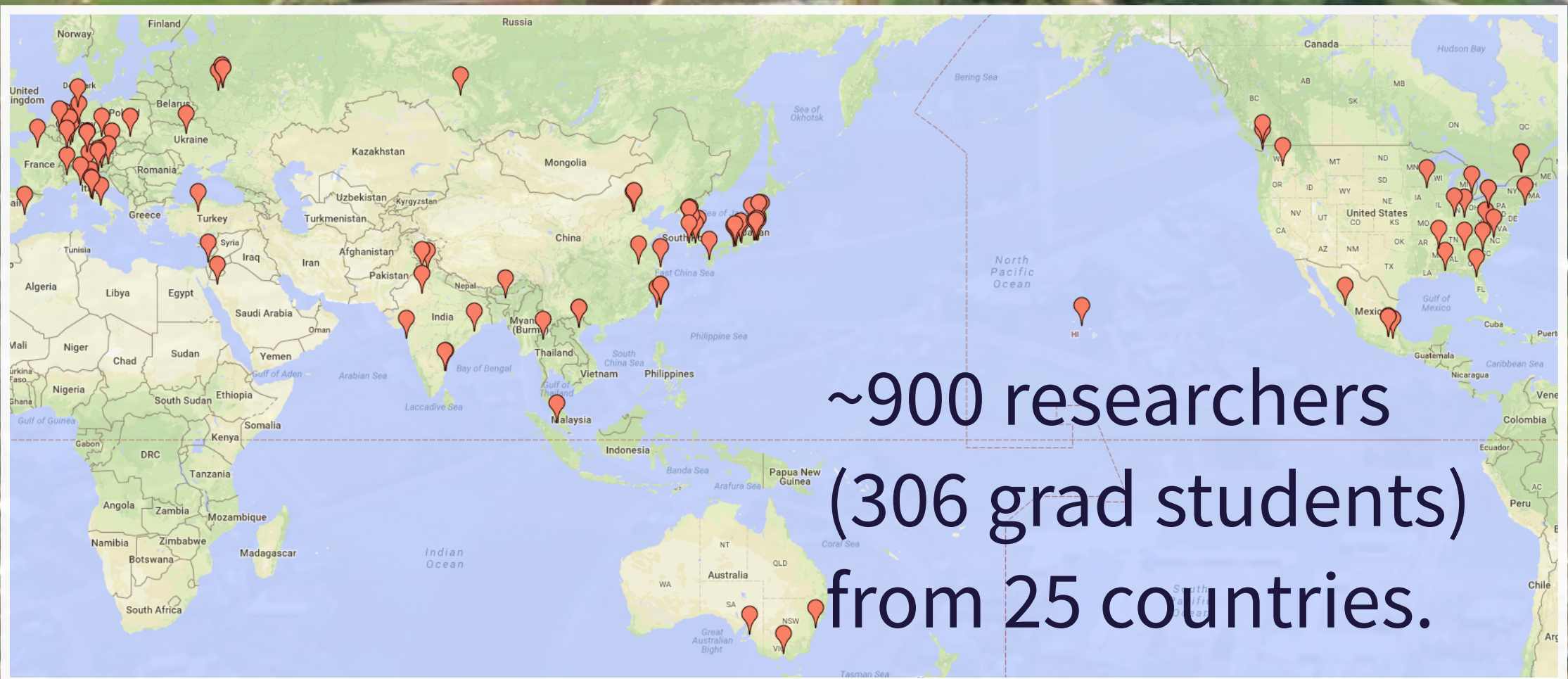
Belle II detector

7 GeV e⁻, 4 GeV e⁺

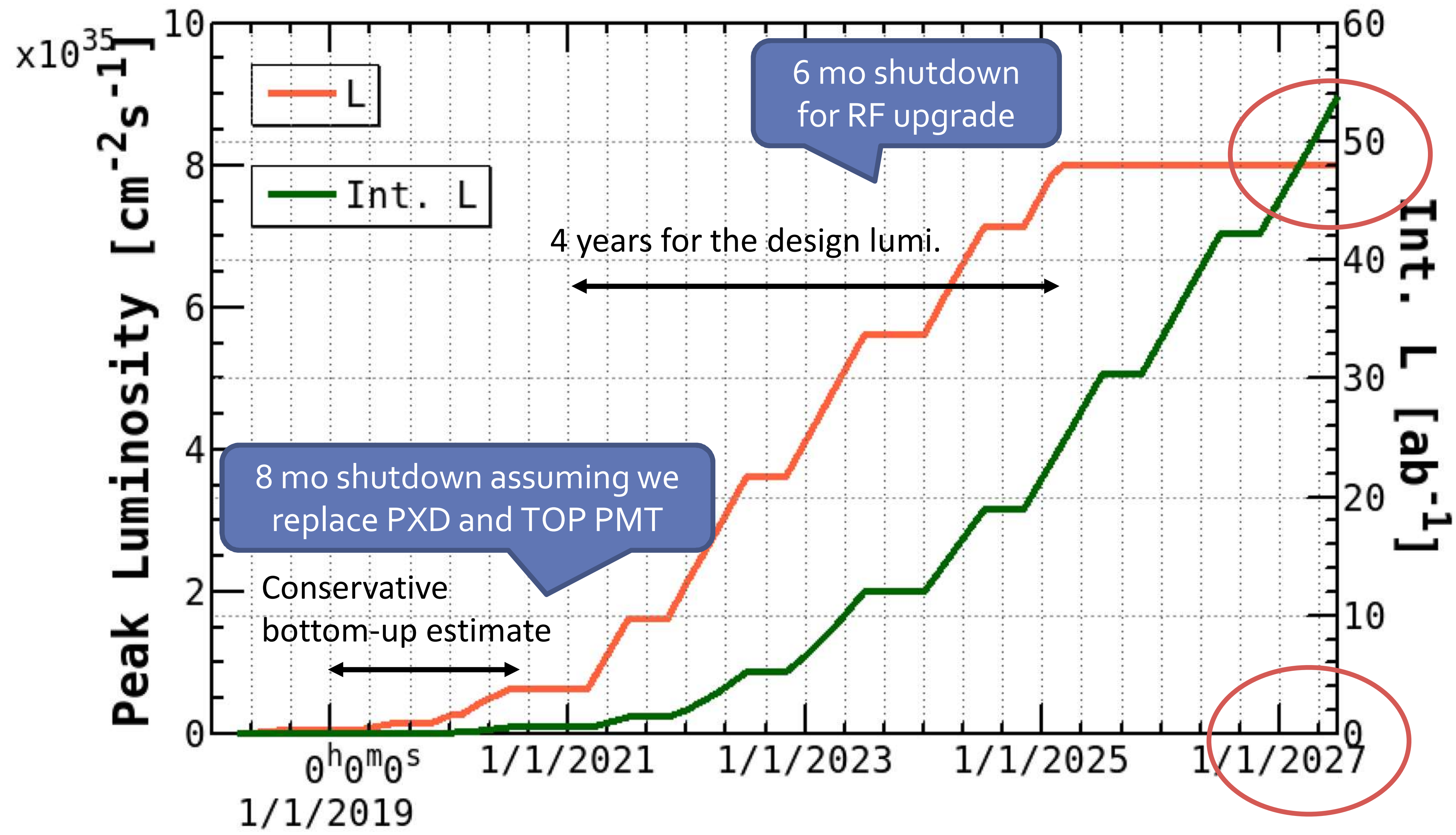
$E_{CM} Y(4S) = 10.58 \text{ GeV} + \text{scans}$

$Y(4S) \rightarrow B \text{ anti-B}$

B + Charm + τ factory

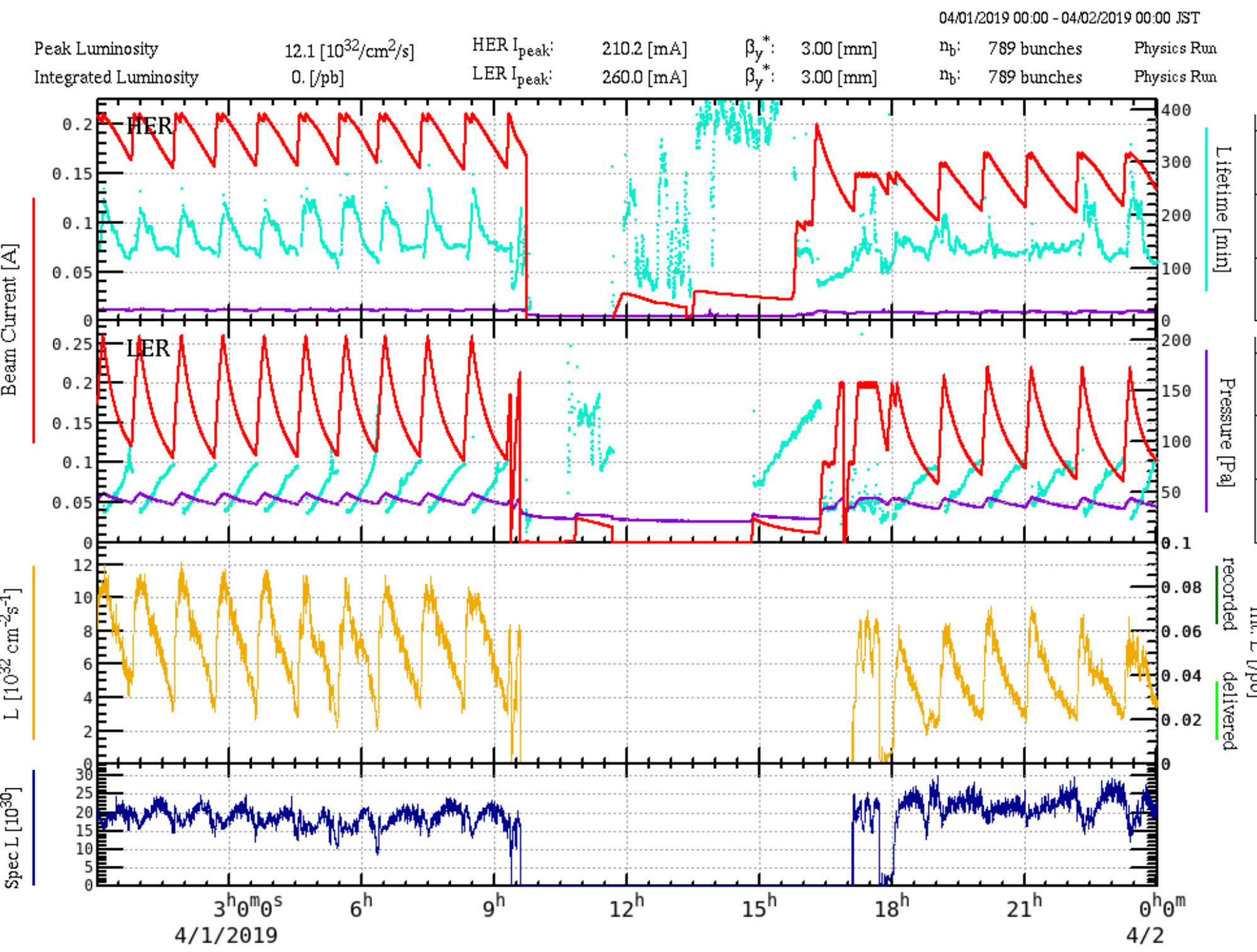
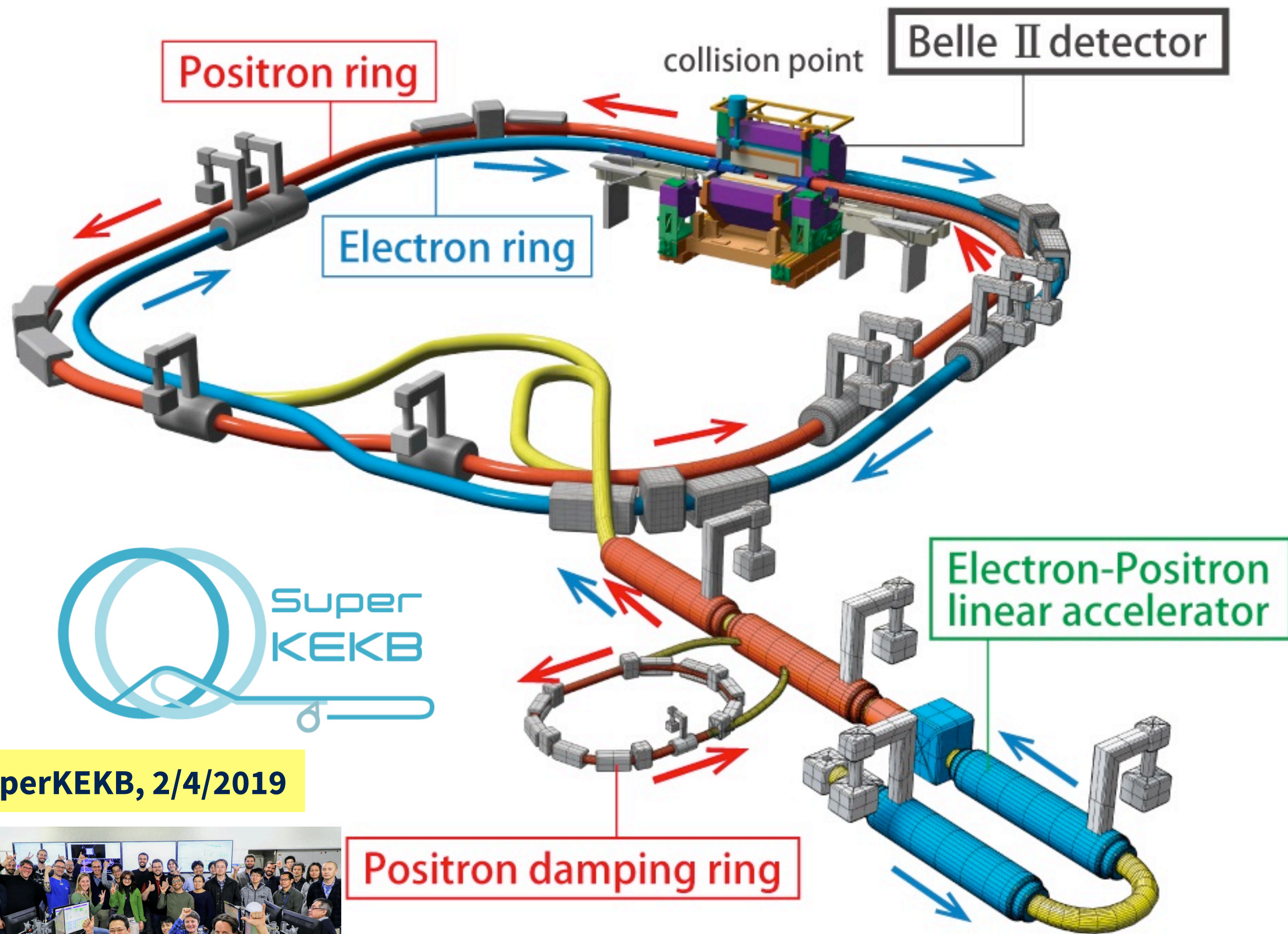


Expected (Integrated) Luminosity



SuperKEKB - March 25 2019 “Phase 3” Begins

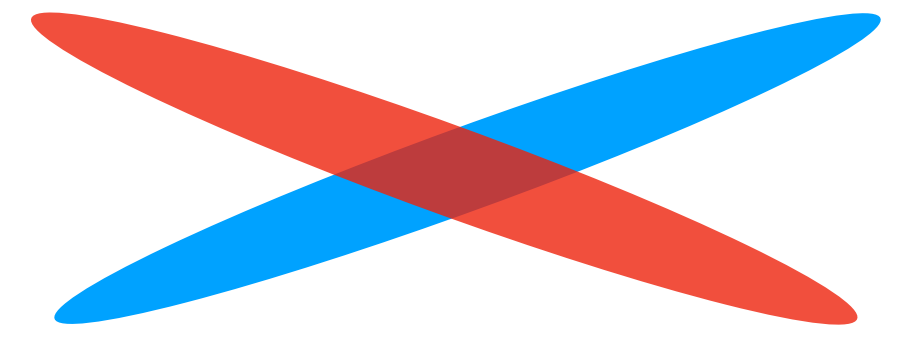
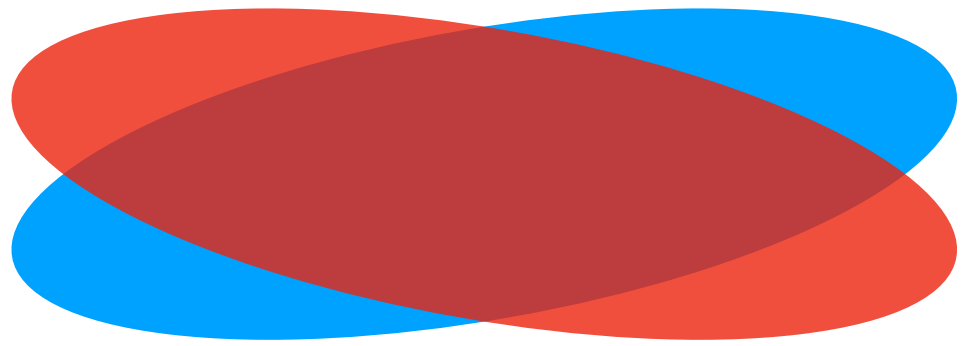
- 1) New e⁺ damping ring (commissioned 2018).
- 2) New 3 km e⁺ ring vacuum chamber (commissioned in 2016). Optics and vacuum scrubbing in 2018.
- 3) New superconducting final focus (commissioned 2018).



Large crossing angle nano-beams

KEKB

SuperKEKB



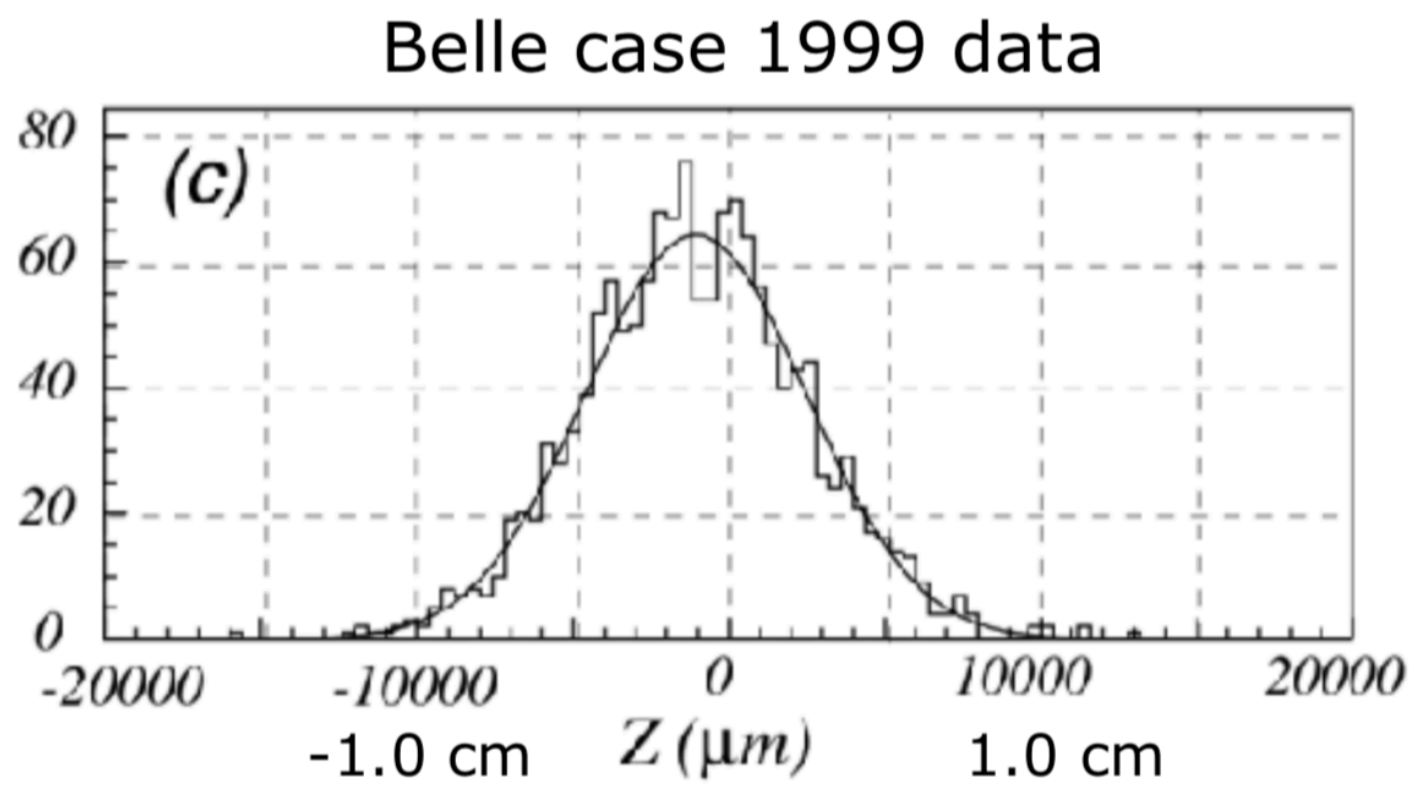
The vertex distribution is constrained in the nano-beam scheme.

Effective bunch length *reduced x 1/10*
 Measured in 2-track events in Belle II data with one wedge of the silicon detector.

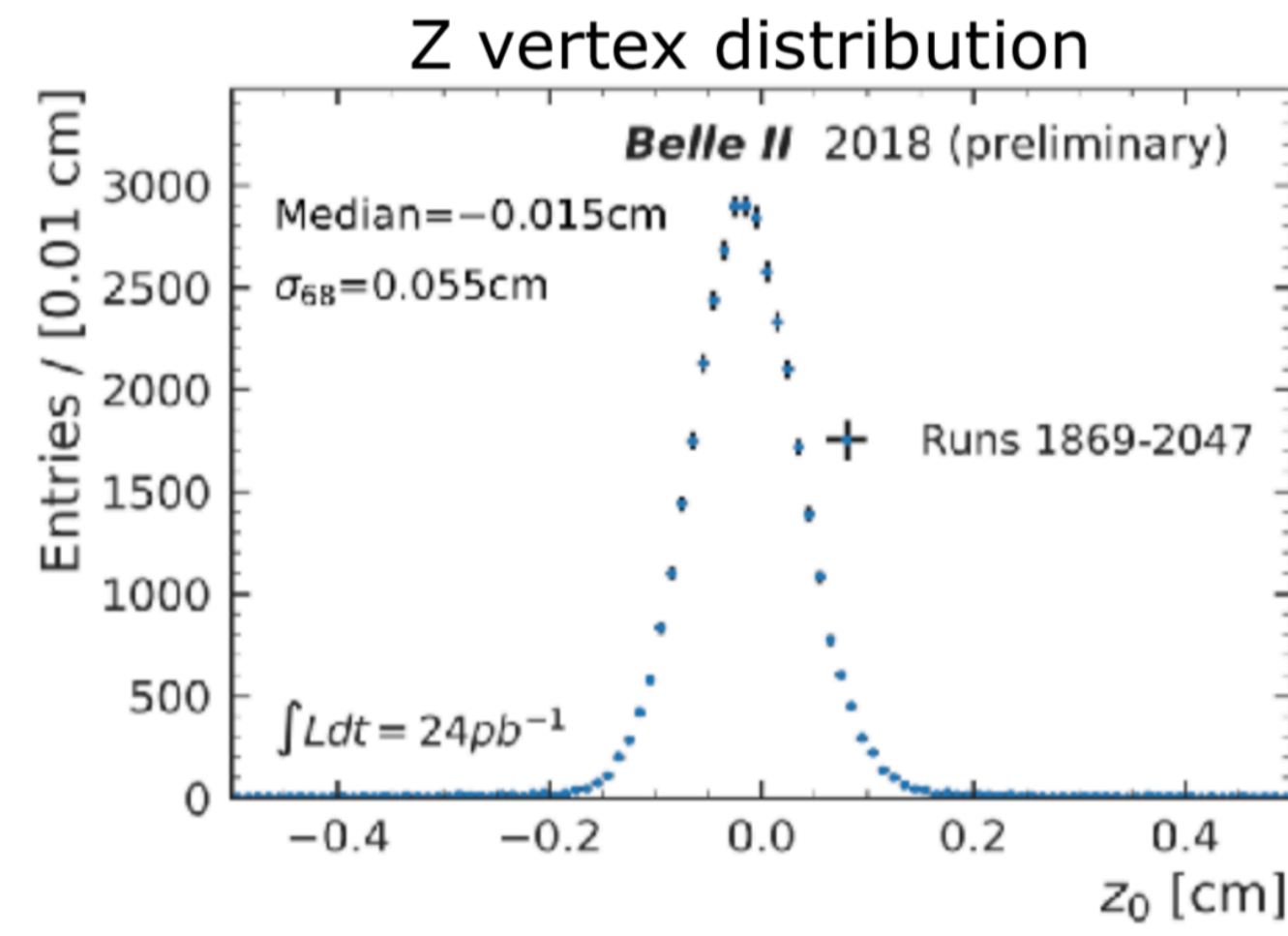
Tiny beam size is a useful constraint for TDCPV analyses.

Ordinary collision (KEKB)

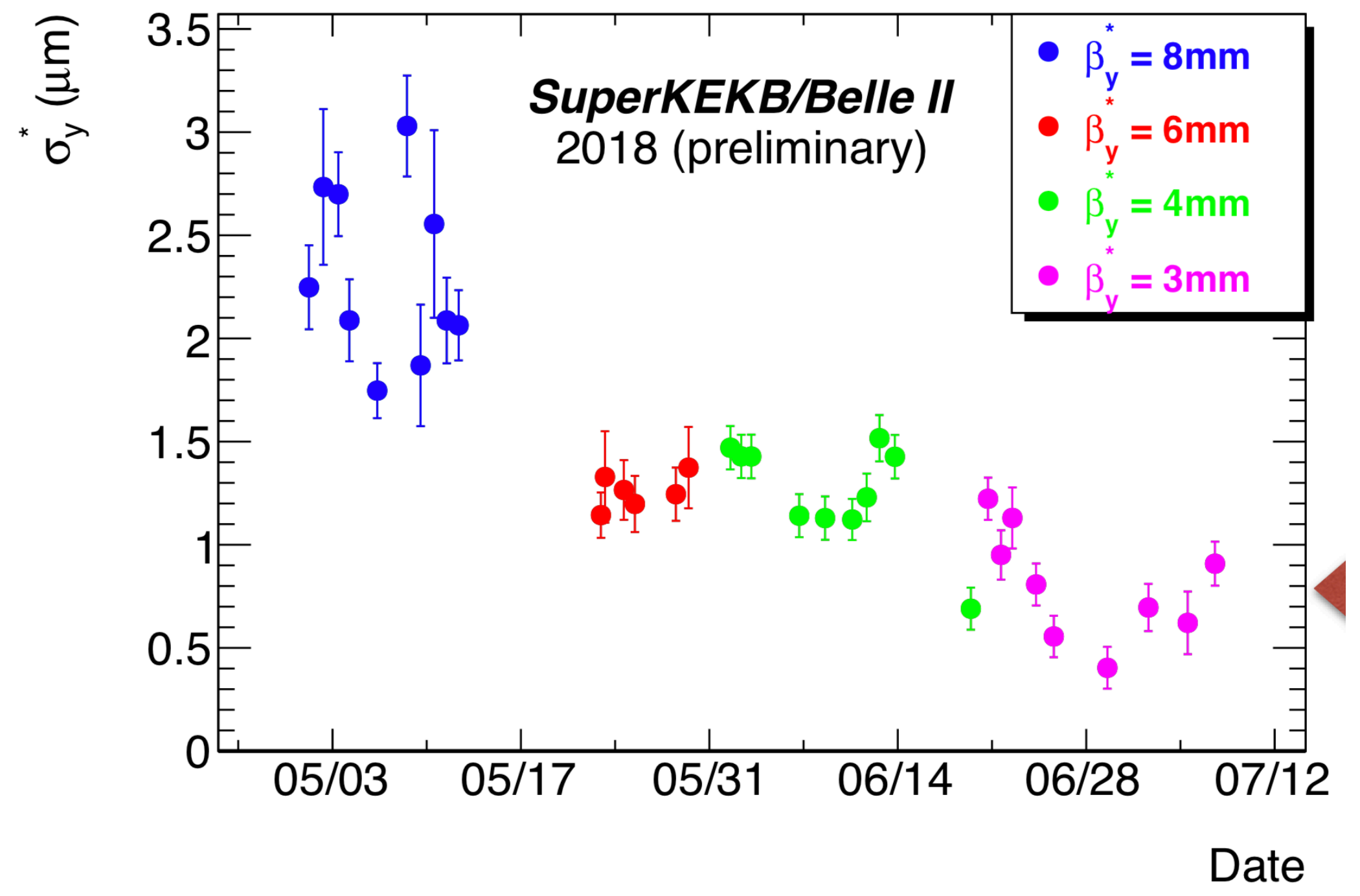
Nano-Beam (SuperKEKB Phase2)



$\sigma = 4.5 \text{ mm}$



$\sigma = 550 \text{ }\mu\text{m}$



Belle II Detector, 2019 commissioning of new VXD

EM Calorimeter:
CsI(Tl), waveform sampling (barrel+ endcap)

K-Long and muon detector:
Resistive Plate Chambers (barrel outer layers)
Scintillator + WLSF + SiPM's (end-caps , inner 2 barrel layers)

Particle Identification
iTOP detector system (barrel)
Prox. focusing Aerogel RICH (fwd)

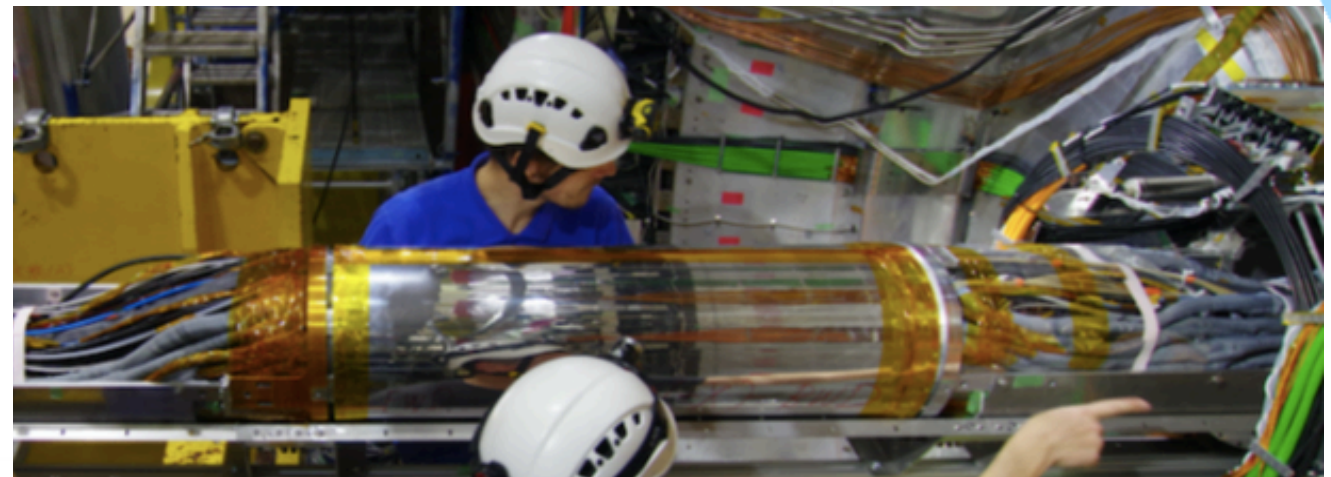
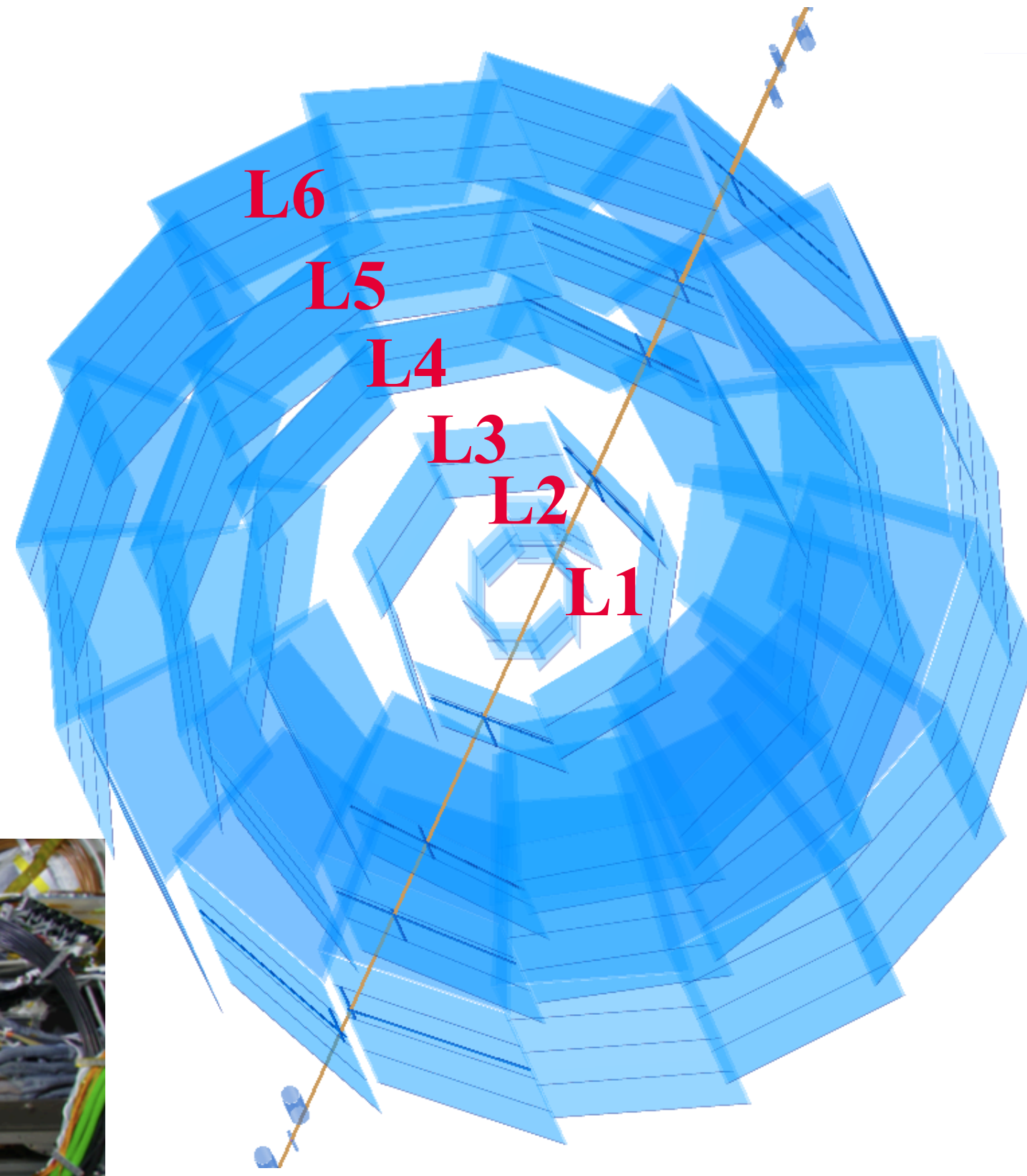
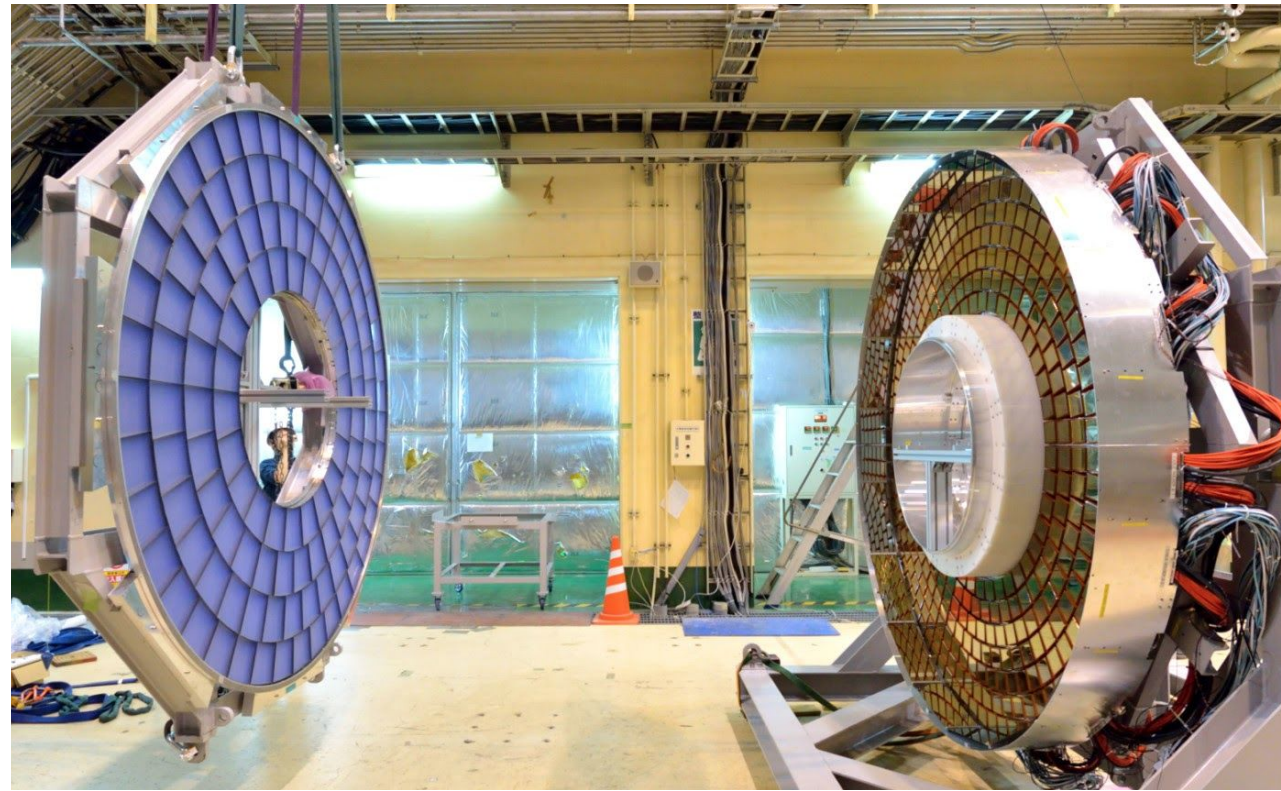
electrons (7 GeV)

Beryllium beam pipe
2cm diameter

Vertex Detector
1→2 layers DEPFET + 4 layers DSSD

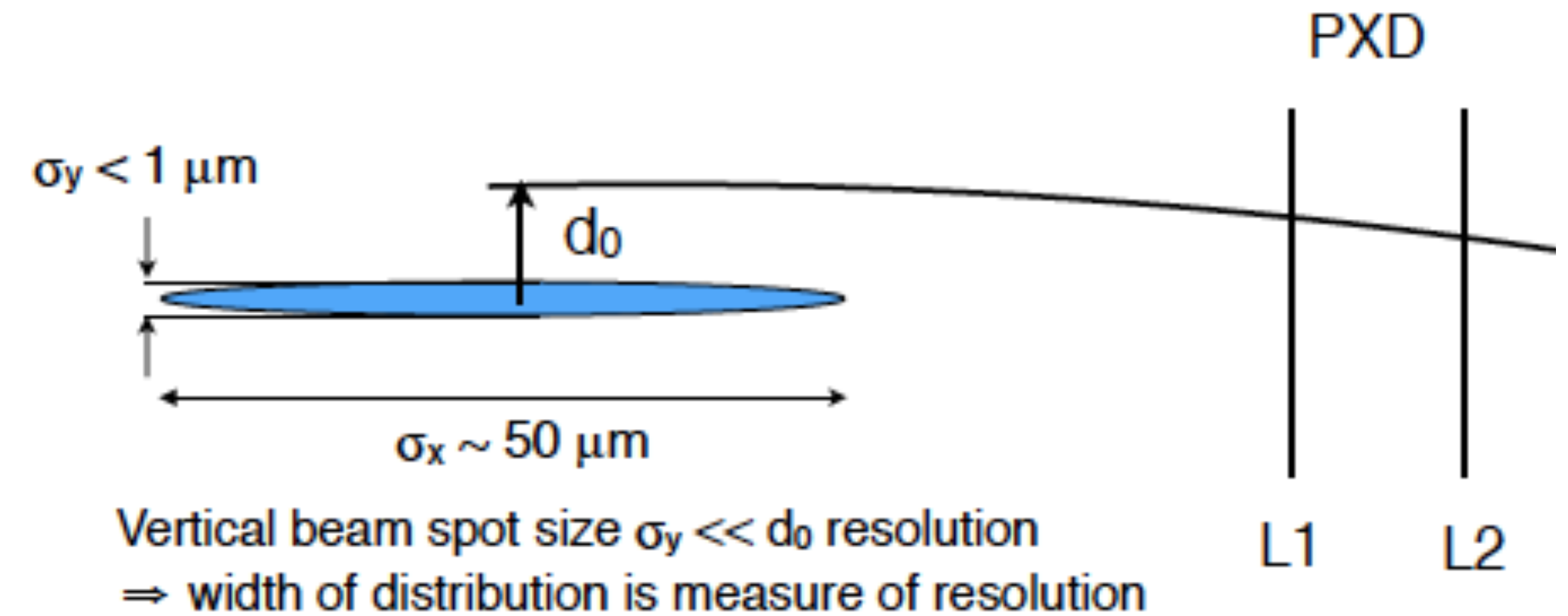
Central Drift Chamber
He(50%):C₂H₆(50%), small cells, long lever arm, fast electronics (Core element)

positrons (4 GeV)



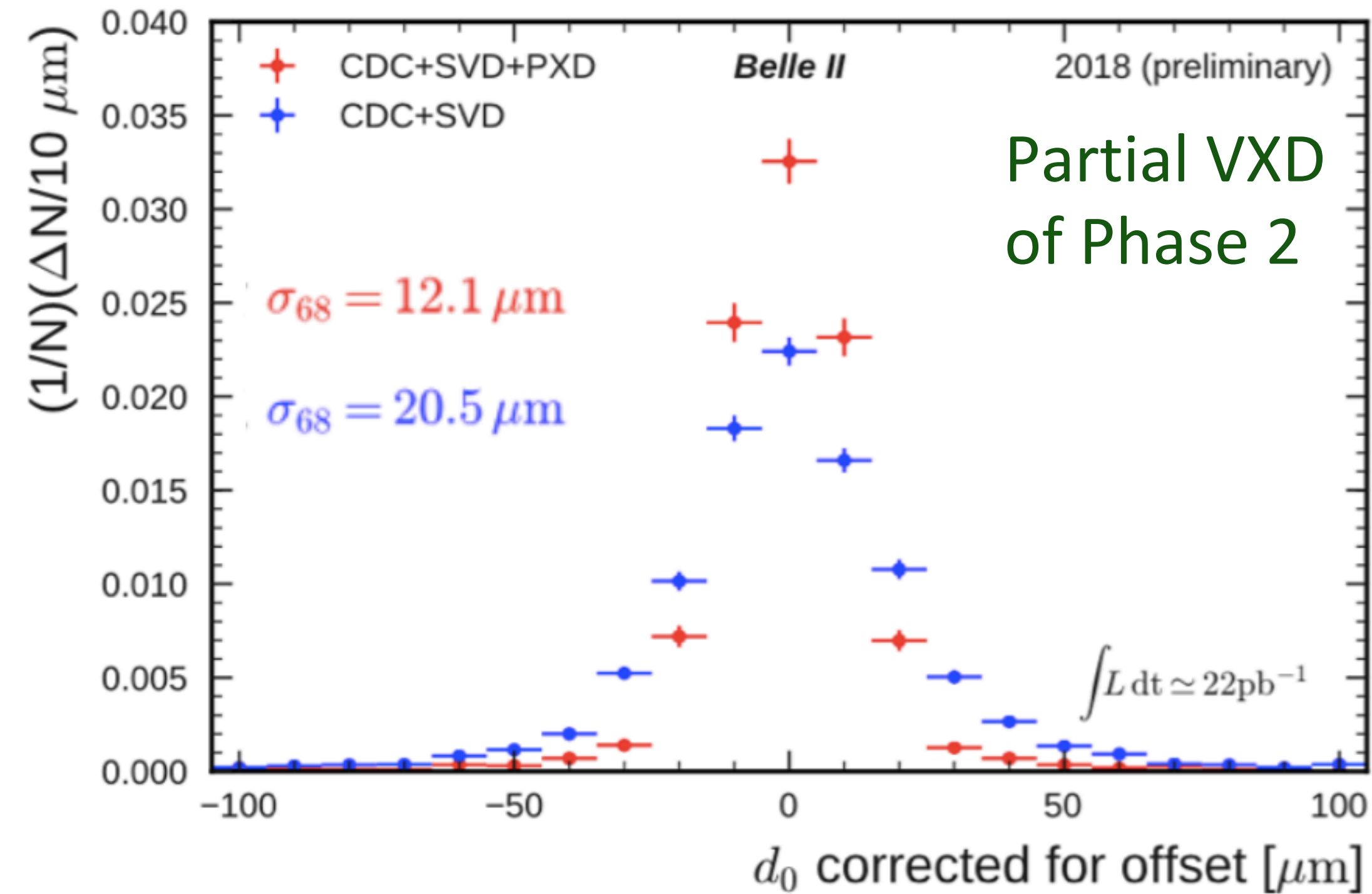
VXD measured and expected performance

- PXD: L1+1/6 of L2 (rest will be added in 2020)
- VXD (tracking) already working in phase 3.

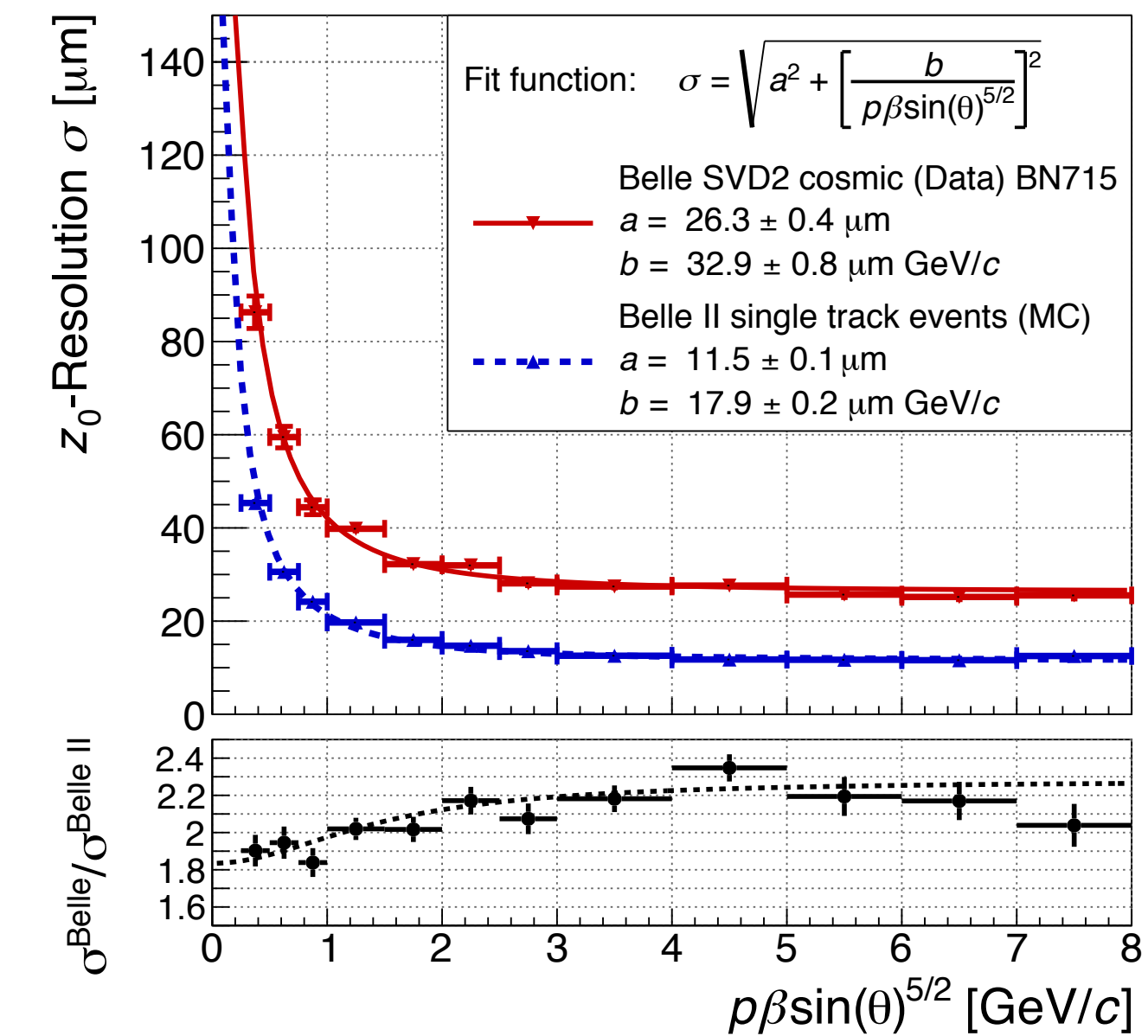
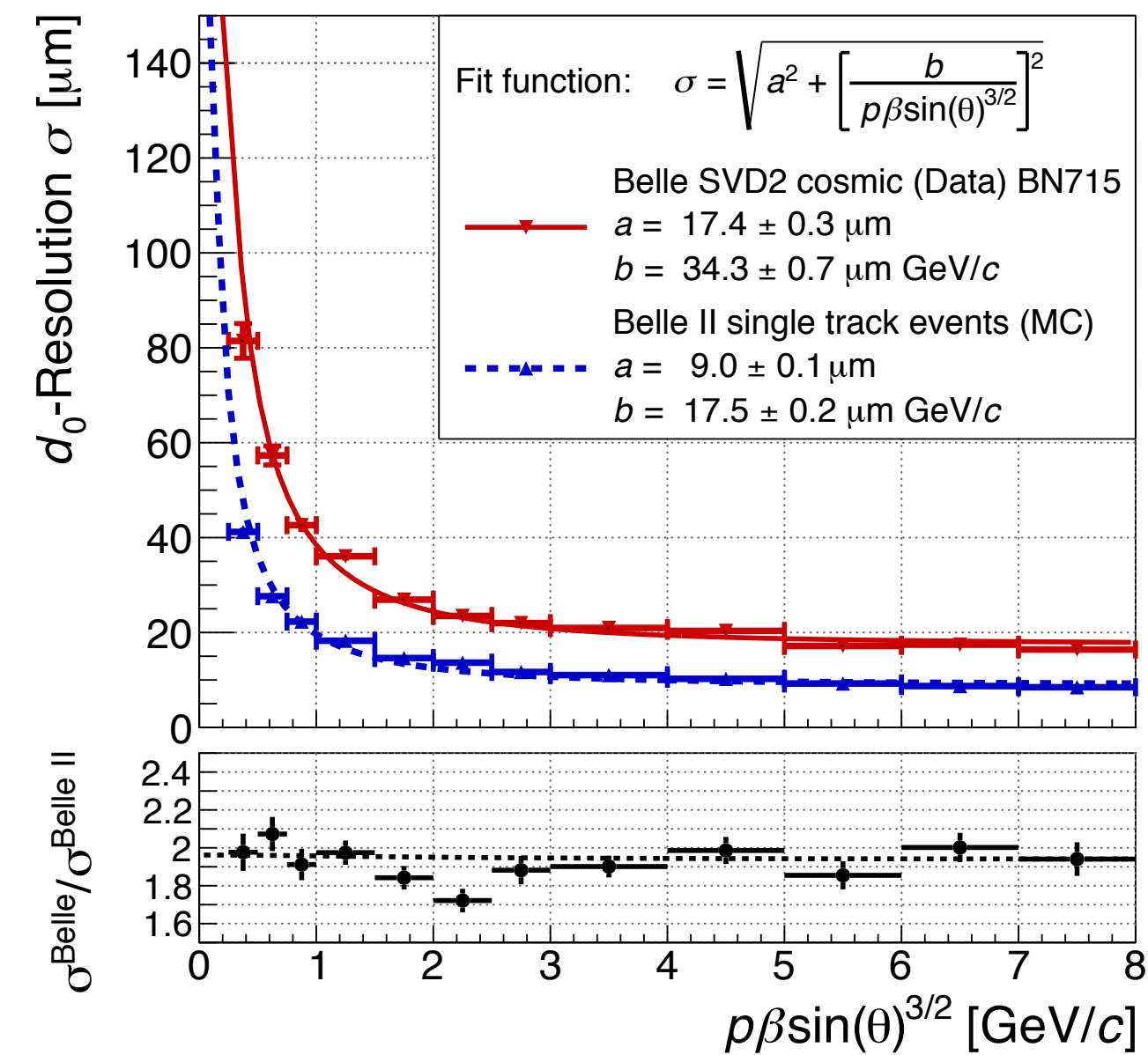


Transverse impact parameter resolution of $12 \mu\text{m}$ (vs $10 \mu\text{m}$ expected) thanks to PXD, about 2x better than Belle.

Phase 2



Belle II MC Vs Belle



2018 Standard Candles, $ee \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $ee(\gamma)$, $\tau\tau(\gamma)$

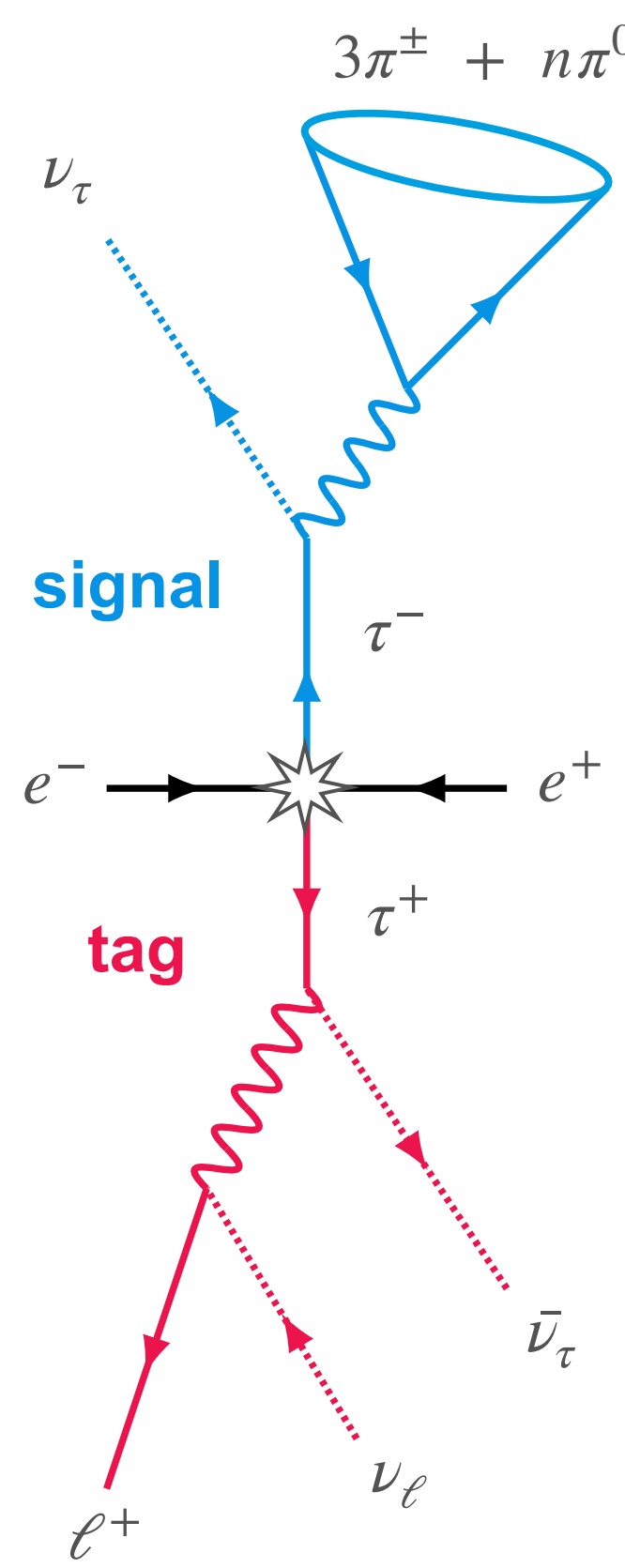
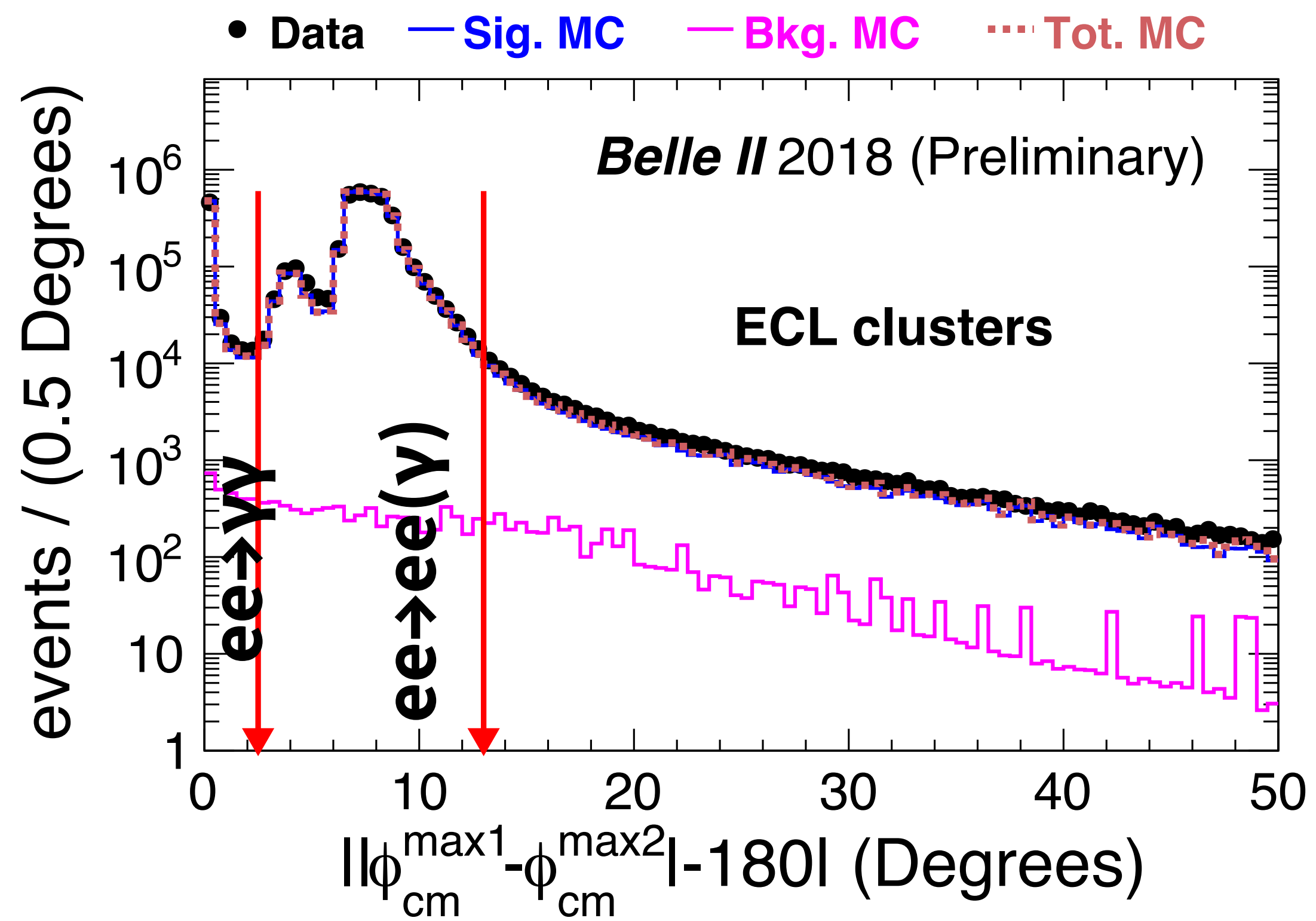
Phase 2 run, April-July 2018

$L_{\text{peak}} = 5.5 \times 10^{33} / \text{cm}^2 / \text{s}$

PEP-II design luminosity 3×10^{33}

Integrated luminosity $\sim 500 / \text{pb}$

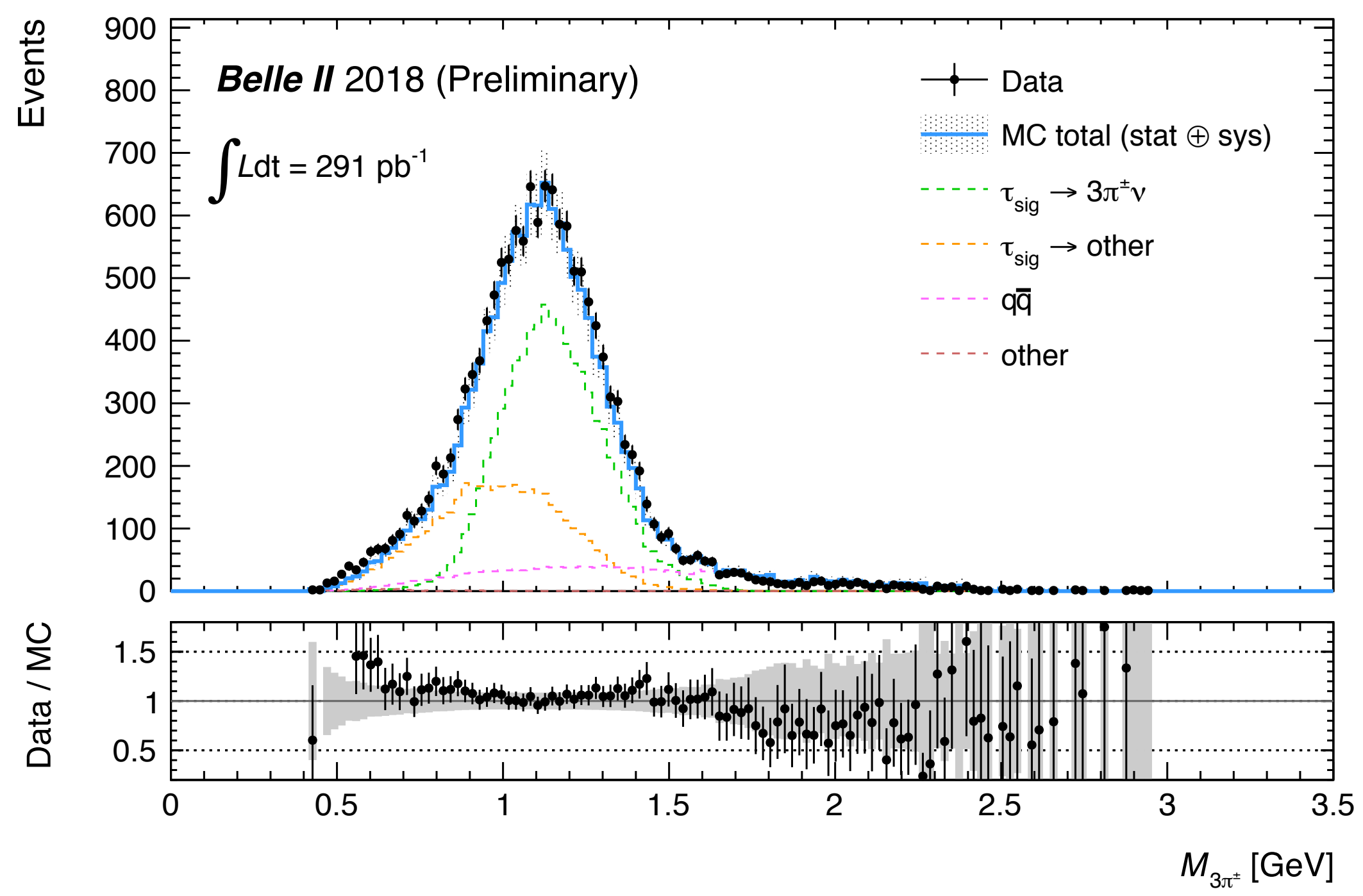
Measured with $ee \rightarrow ee(\gamma), \gamma\gamma$



$ee \rightarrow \tau\tau(\gamma)$

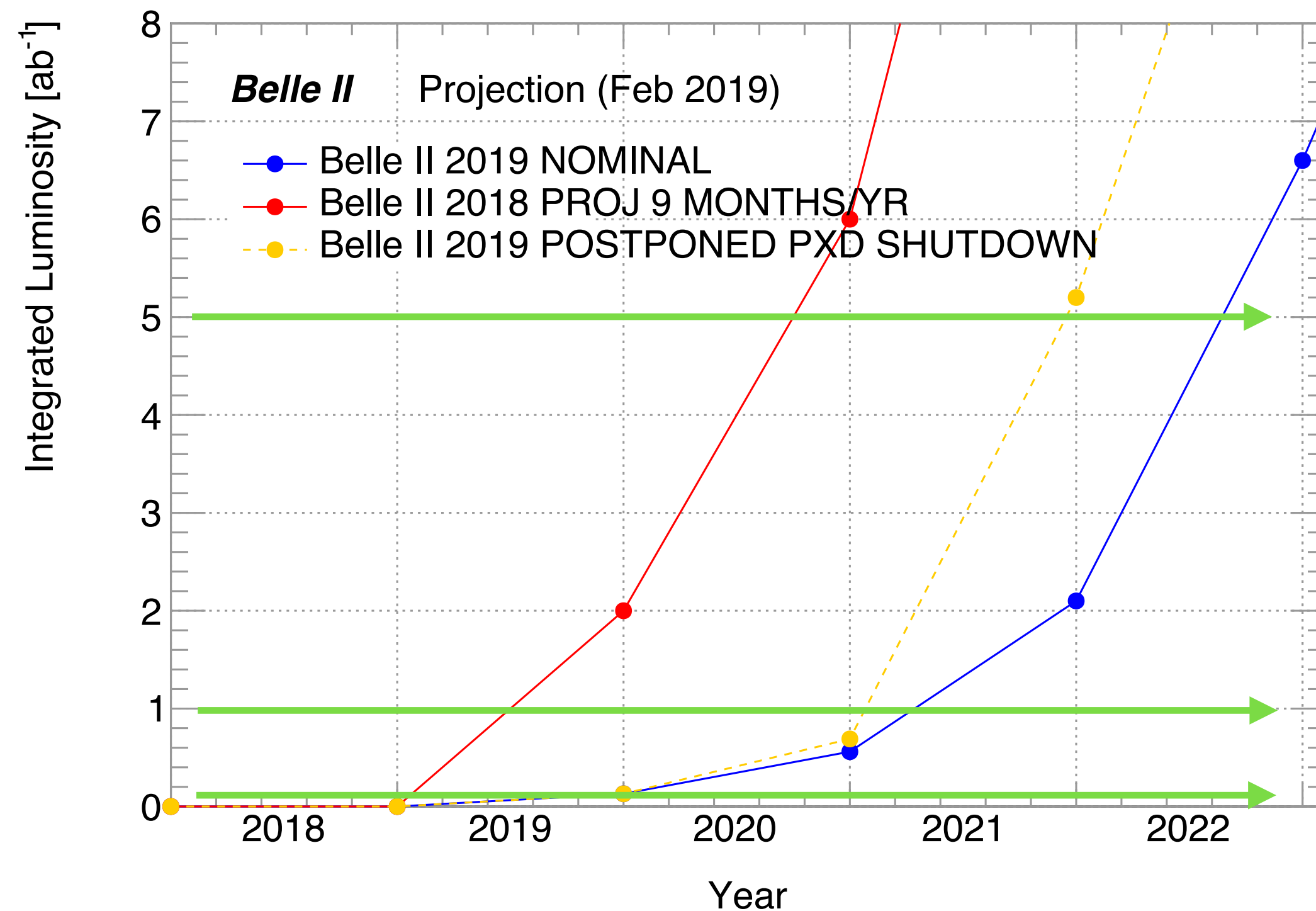
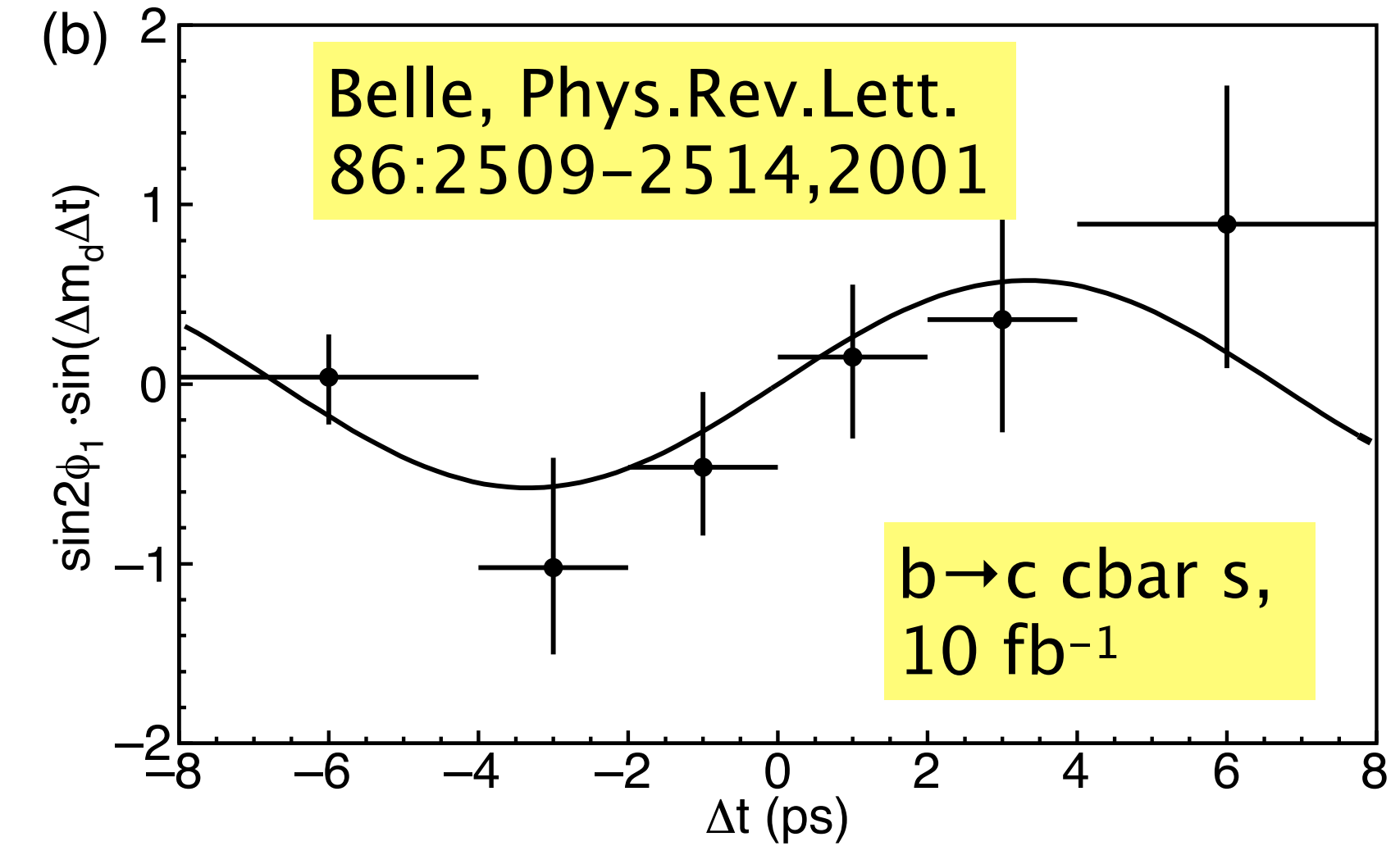
Used for early trigger & track efficiency measurements

exclusive decay: $\tau_{\text{signal}} \rightarrow 3\pi^\pm \nu_\tau$



2019 & Early Phase 3

- First 2019 target is (up to) order(10) fb⁻¹ measurements, → 100 fb⁻¹ by Dec
- Publication prospects for dark sector searches.
 - Performance studies (**particularly VXD**) with heavy flavour channels; Rediscovery of TDCPV, lifetime measurement precision.
- Most new heavy flavour publications likely to start with 2020 data set



2021-2022 B2TiP Milestone
arXiv: 1808.10567 / PTEP (99 citations)

2021: > 1 ab⁻¹ (Belle)

2020: > 500 fb⁻¹ (Babar)

2019: 10-50 fb⁻¹ (July) 100 fb⁻¹ (Dec)

Example Milestones (B-physics oriented)

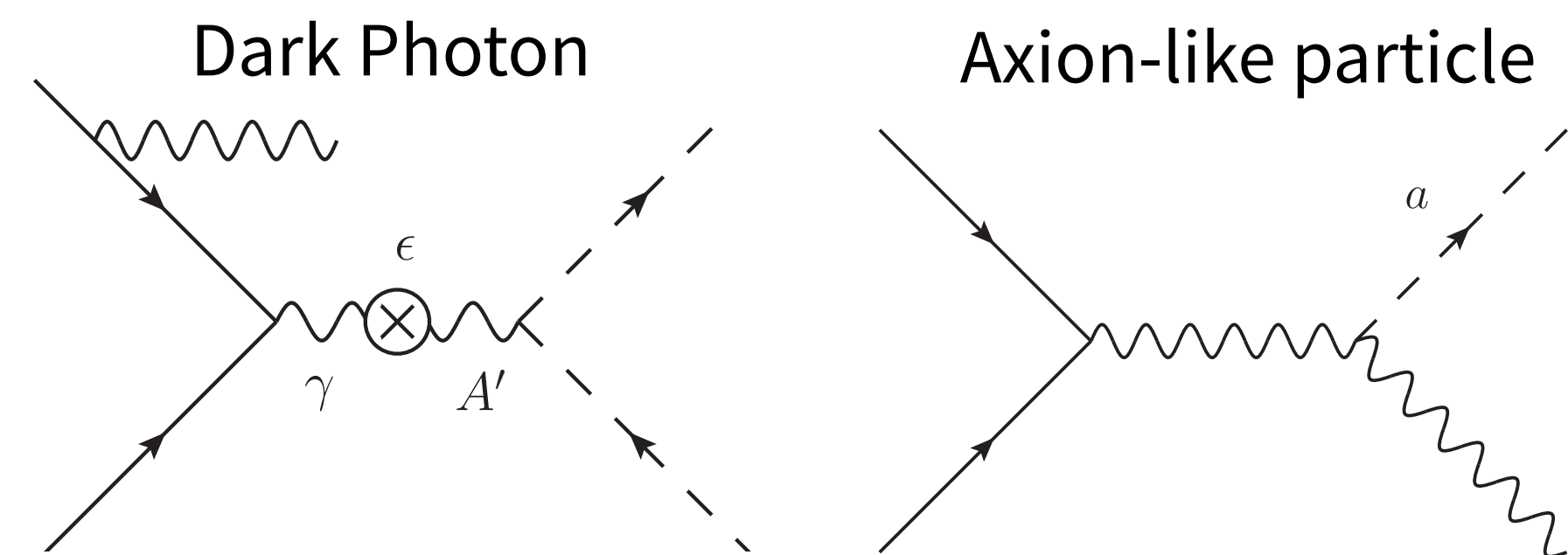
- Modes highlighted as golden in the B2TiP (Belle II Physics) book (non exhaustive).
- Expect ongoing publication output from >500 fb-1 on heavy flavour - precision milestone points are shown.

| [ab ⁻¹] | Group | Channel | Current precision (Belle) | Precision |
|---------------------|-------|---|---------------------------|---------------|
| 0.05 | LOWM | ee → A' γ, A' → invisible | - | Unique |
| | LOWM | ee → a' γ, a' → γ γ | - | Unique |
| | LOWM | ee → Z' μμ, Z' → invisible | - | Unique |
| | LOWM | ee → MM | - | Unique |
| 2 | SL | R(B → D* τ ν) | 0.02 | 0.012 |
| | SL | R(B → D τ ν) | 0.07 (0.04) | 0.035 (0.024) |
| | SL | V _{ub} (B → π l ν) +LQCD improvements | 5% | 2.5% |
| | TDCPV | S _{CP} (B → J/ψ K _S) | 0.023 | 0.012 |

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|-----|-------|---|------------------------|----------------------|
| 6 | SL | Br(B → τ ν) | 21% | 9% |
| | SL | Br(B → μ ν) | 2 σ | > 5 σ |
| | SL | Br(B → Xu l ν) inclusive dΓ/dM _x for V _{ub} | 9% | 4% |
| | EWP | R(K) e.g. 1 < q ² < 6 GeV/c ² | 28% | 11% |
| | EWP | R(K*) e.g. 1 < q ² < 6 GeV/c ² | 26% | 10% |
| | EWP | P(5') in B → K* l+l- e.g. 4 < q ² < 6 GeV/c ² | 0.34 | 0.12 |
| | TDCPV | S _{CP} (B → η' K _S) | 0.08 | 0.03 |
| | TDCPV | S _{CP} (B → K* γ) | 0.32 | 0.12 |
| 15 | HAD | Φ ₃ (B → DK) | 15 deg | 5 deg |
| | EWP | Br(B → X _s l+l-), e.g. 3.5 < q ² < 6 GeV/c ² | 24% | 8% |
| | TDCPV | S _{CP} (B → ρ γ) | 60 | 10 |
| | TDCPV | S _{CP} (B → J/ψ π ⁰) | 0.22 | 0.10 |
| 20+ | HAD | A _{CP} (B → K _S π ⁰) | 0.15 | 0.05 |
| | EWP | Br(B → K ν ν) | ~100% | 11% |
| | EWP | Br(B → K* ν ν) | ~100% | 10% |
| | EWP | Br(B _s → γ γ) | < 8.7 10 ⁻⁶ | 0.3 10 ⁻⁶ |
| | TDCPV | S _{CP} (B → π ⁰ π ⁰) | - | 0.06 |

Dark Sector, rates & trigger

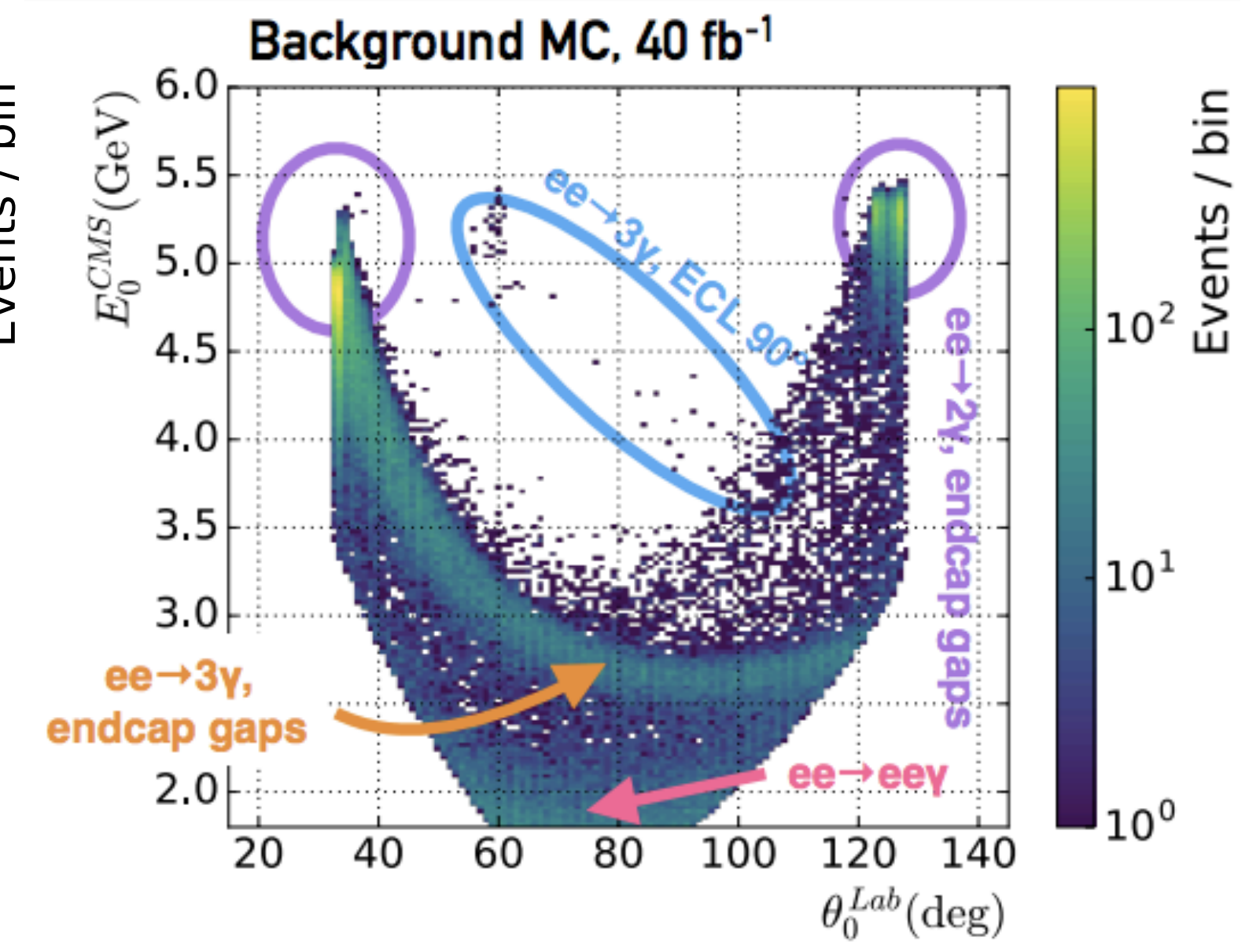
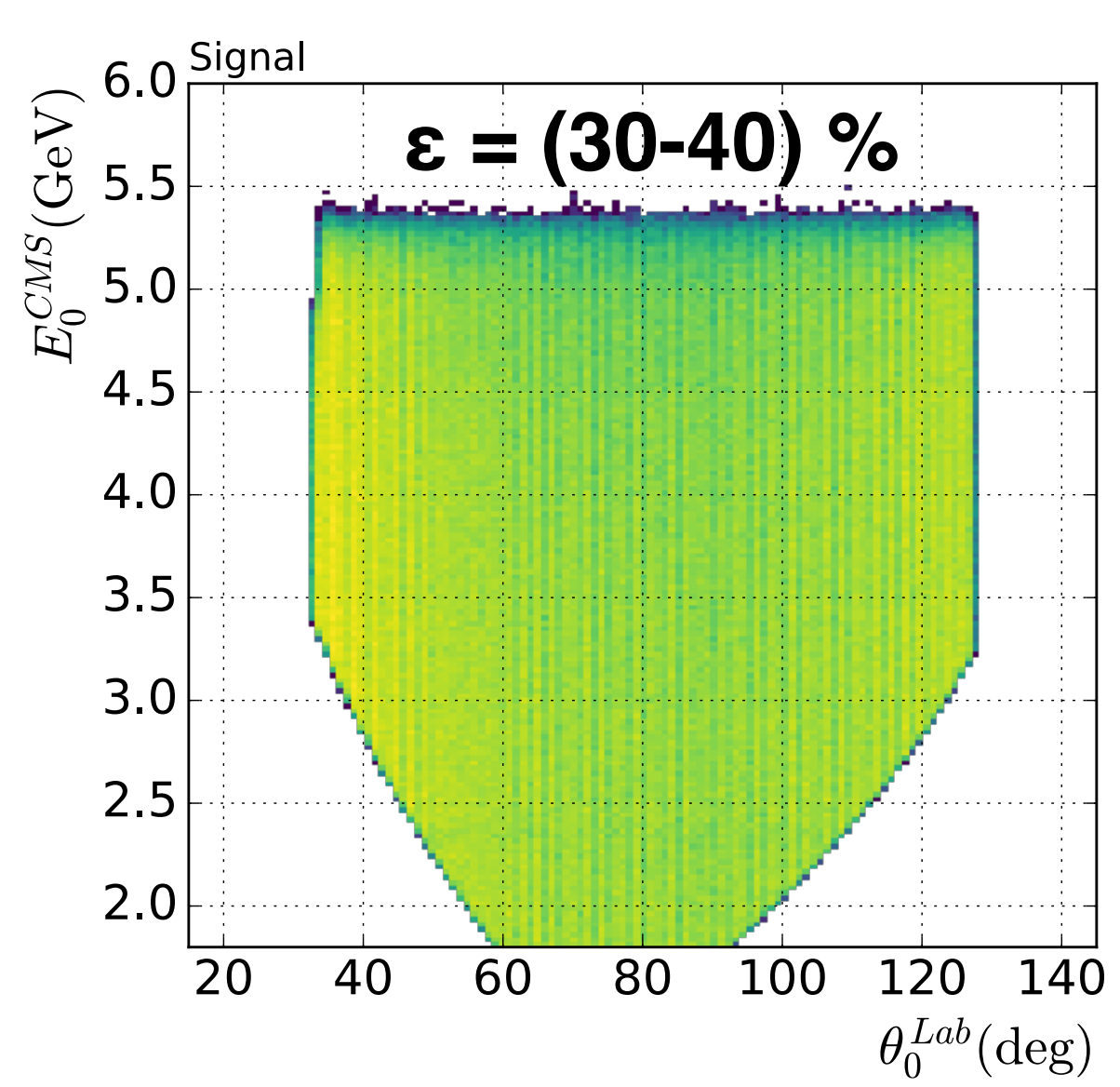
- **Vector portal** $\epsilon F_Y^{\mu\nu} F'_{\mu\nu}$ (dark photon A'), $\sum_l \theta g' \bar{l} \gamma^\mu Z'_\mu l$ (dark Z')
- **Axion portal** $\frac{G_{agg}}{4} a G_{\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{G_{a\gamma\gamma}}{4} a F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$ (axion, alps)
- **Scalar portal** $\lambda H^2 S^2 + \mu H^2 S$ (dark Higgs)



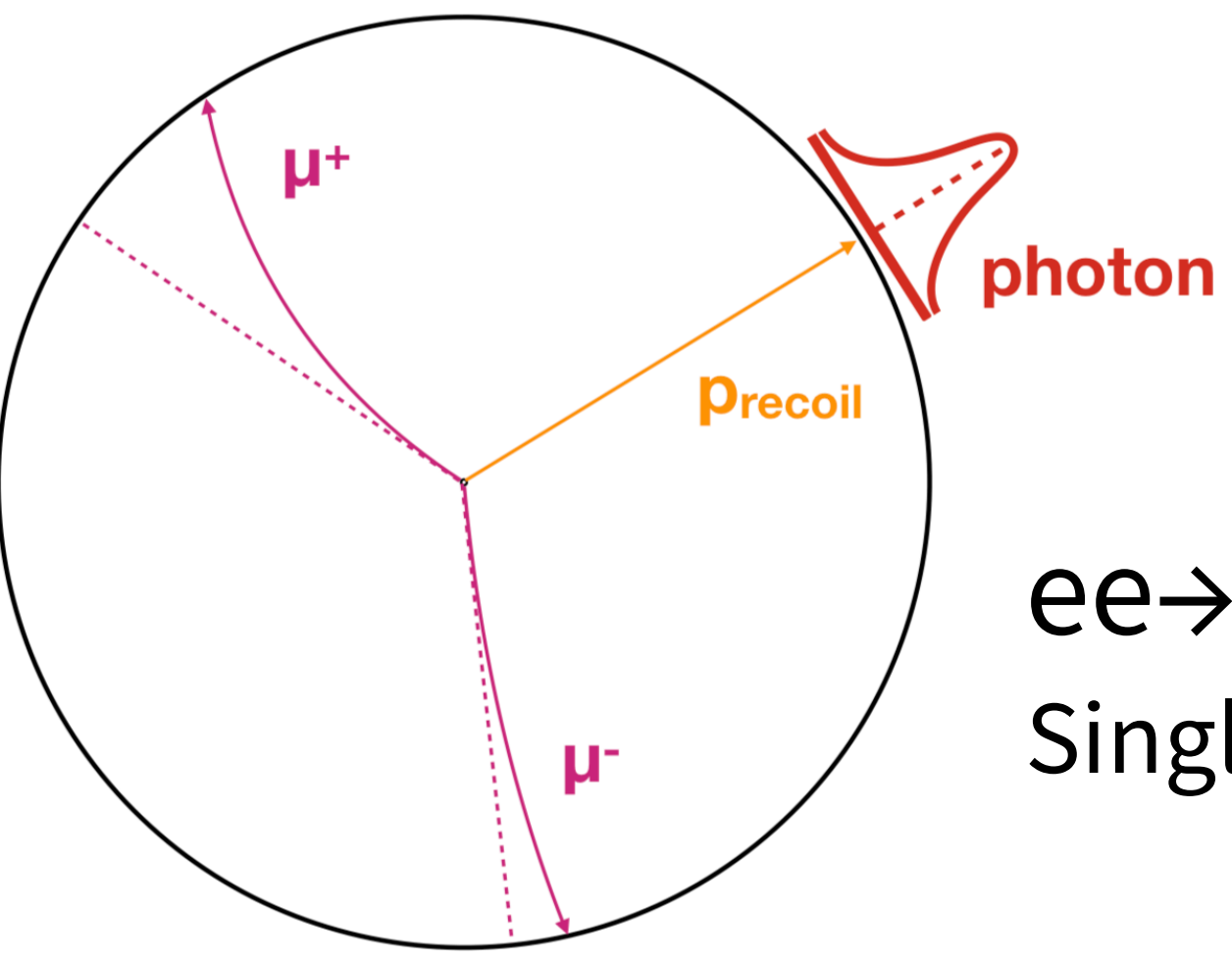
- **Trigger: O(10 nb) acceptance** / suppress QED events, B & D > 99% efficiency

| Physics process | Cross section [nb] | Cuts |
|----------------------------|---|---|
| $\Upsilon(4S)$ | 1.05 ± 0.10 | - |
| $u\bar{u}(\gamma)$ | 1.61 | - |
| $d\bar{d}(\gamma)$ | 0.40 | - |
| $s\bar{s}(\gamma)$ | 0.38 | - |
| $c\bar{c}(\gamma)$ | 1.30 | - |
| $e^+e^-(\gamma)$ | 300 ± 3 (MC stat.) | $10^\circ < \theta_{e's}^* < 170^\circ$, $E_{e's}^* > 0.15$ GeV |
| $e^+e^-(\gamma)$ | 74.4 | e 's ($p > 0.5$ GeV) in ECL |
| $\gamma\gamma(\gamma)$ | 4.99 ± 0.05 (MC stat.) | $10^\circ < \theta_{\gamma's}^* < 170^\circ$, $E_{\gamma's}^* > 0.15$ GeV |
| $\gamma\gamma(\gamma)$ | 3.30 | γ 's ($p > 0.5$ GeV) in ECL |
| $\mu^+\mu^-(\gamma)$ | 1.148 | - |
| $\mu^+\mu^-(\gamma)$ | 0.831 | μ 's ($p > 0.5$ GeV) in CDC |
| $\mu^+\mu^-\gamma(\gamma)$ | 0.242 | μ 's ($p > 0.5$ GeV) in CDC, $\geq 1 \gamma$ ($E_\gamma > 0.5$ GeV) in ECL |
| $\tau^+\tau^-(\gamma)$ | 0.919 | - |
| $\nu\bar{\nu}(\gamma)$ | 0.25×10^{-3} | - |
| $e^+e^-e^+e^-$ | 39.7 ± 0.1 (MC stat.) | $W_{\ell\ell} > 0.5$ GeV |
| $e^+e^-\mu^+\mu^-$ | 18.9 ± 0.1 (MC stat.) | $W_{\ell\ell} > 0.5$ GeV |

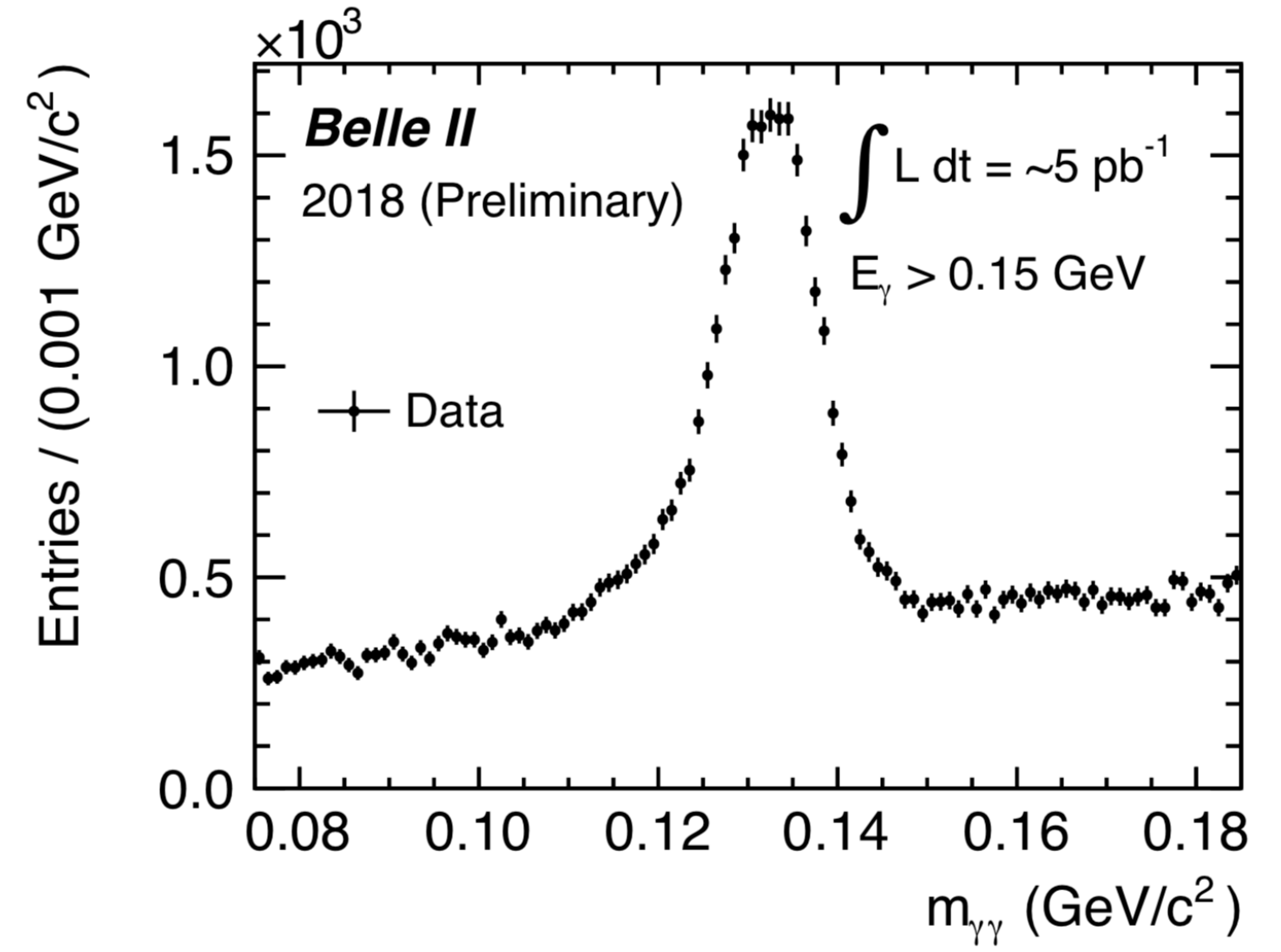
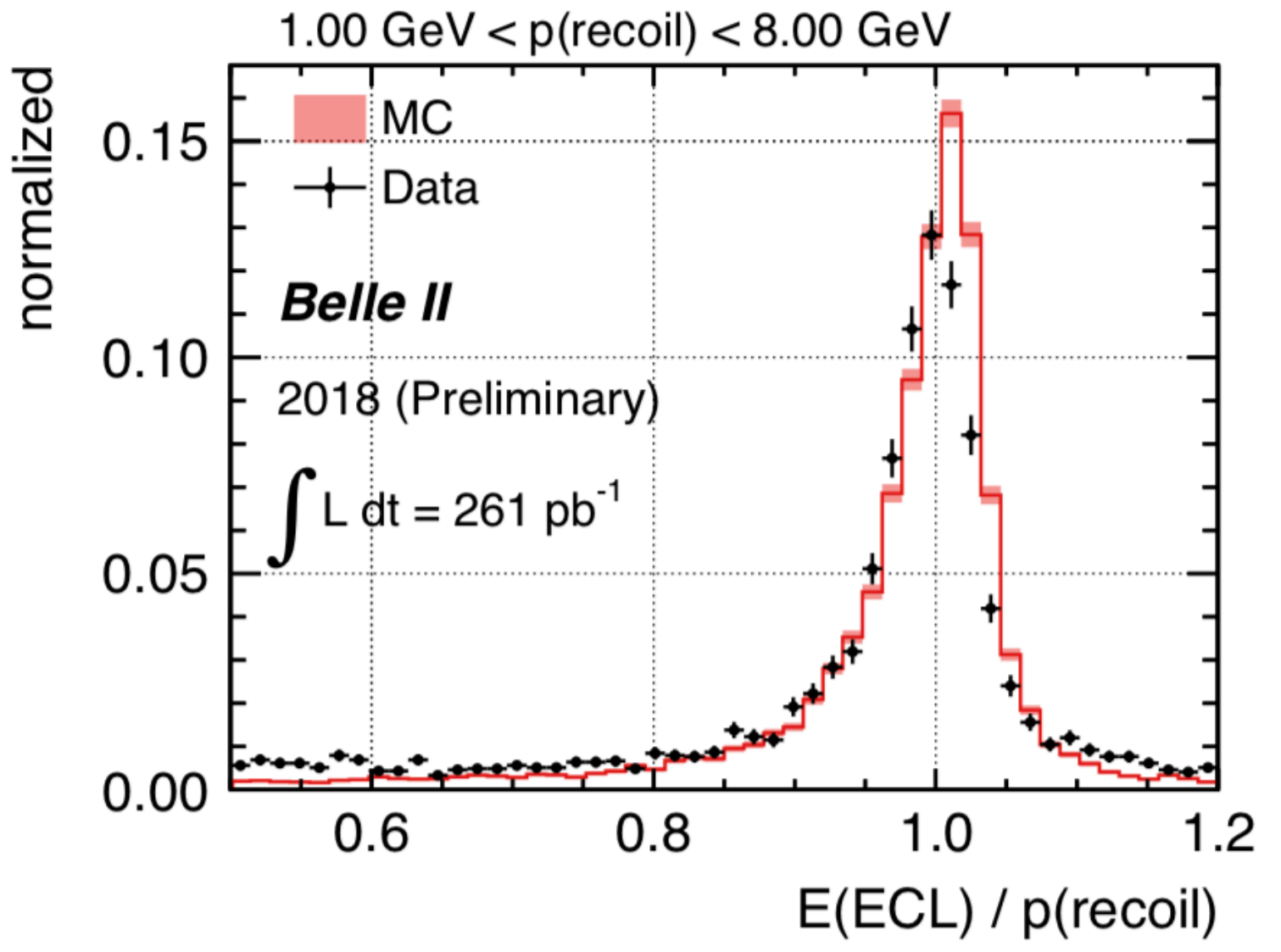
Single photon signature from dark photon.



Dark Sector, expected sensitivity



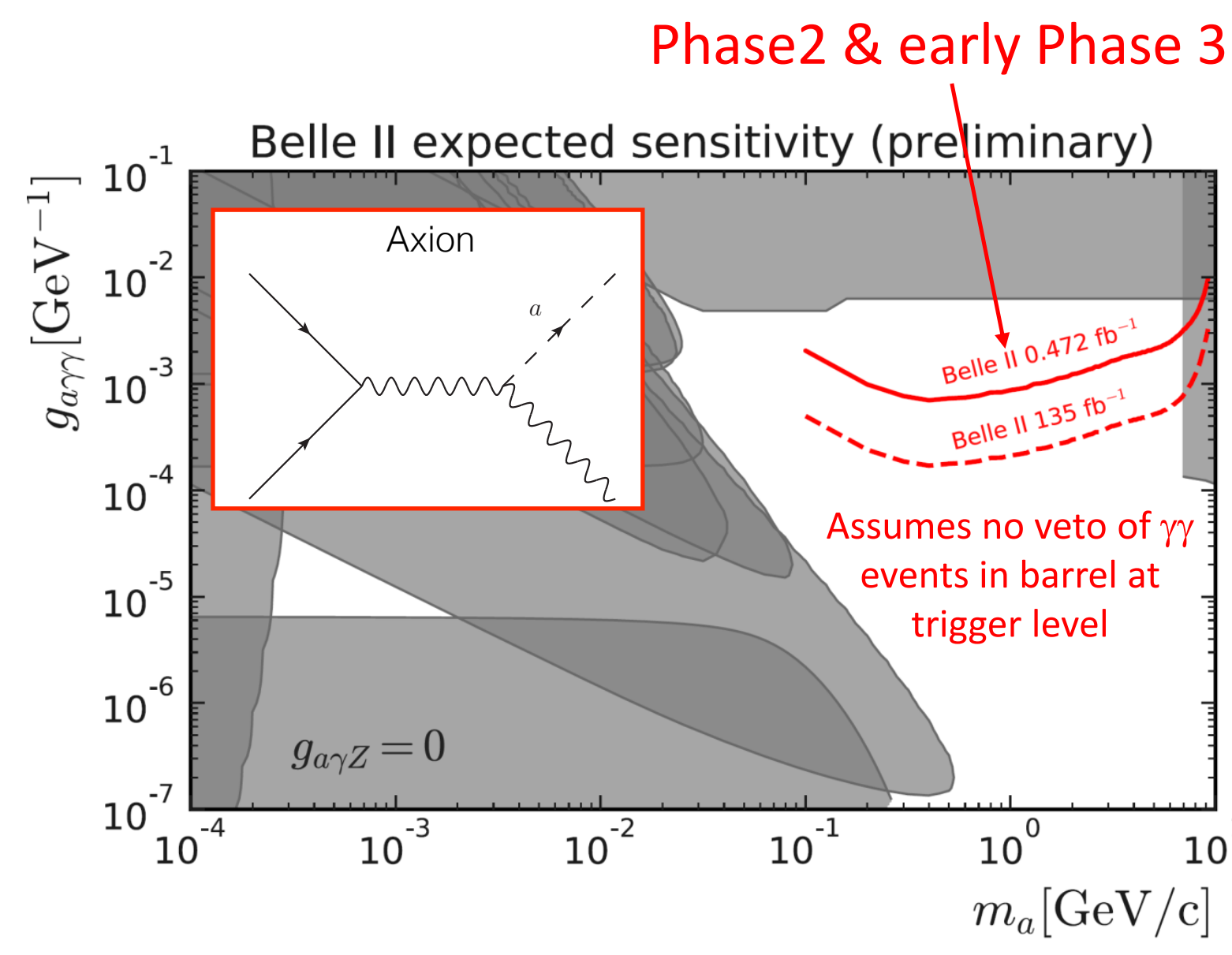
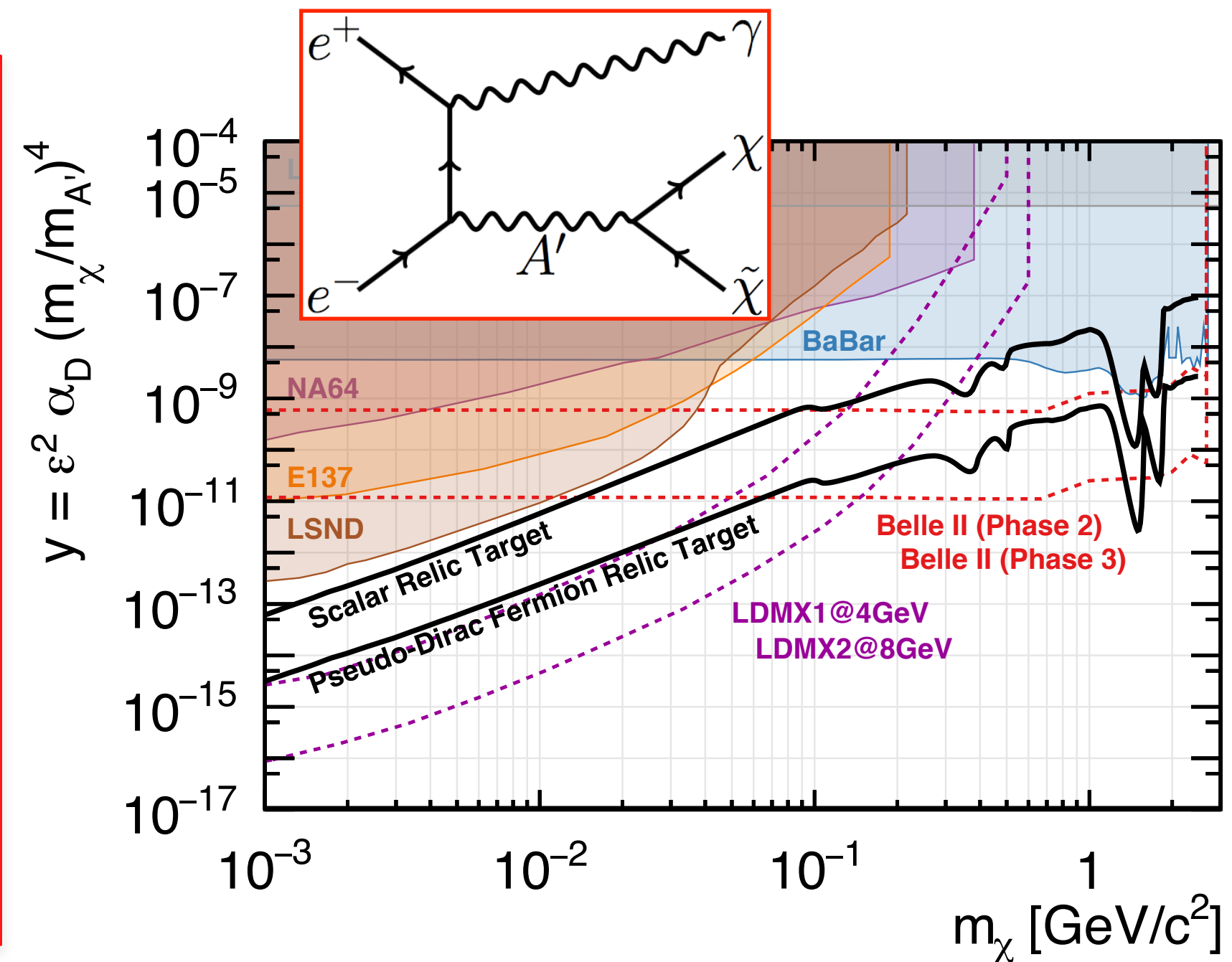
$ee \rightarrow \mu\mu\gamma$
Single Photon Lines



Ready for the dark sector early 2019

- $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma X$
- $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma \text{ALP} (\rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$
- $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma A'$ (dark photon)
- Dark Z' , Magn. Monopoles

Can also access through flavour transitions.



Time dependent CP Violation / Overview

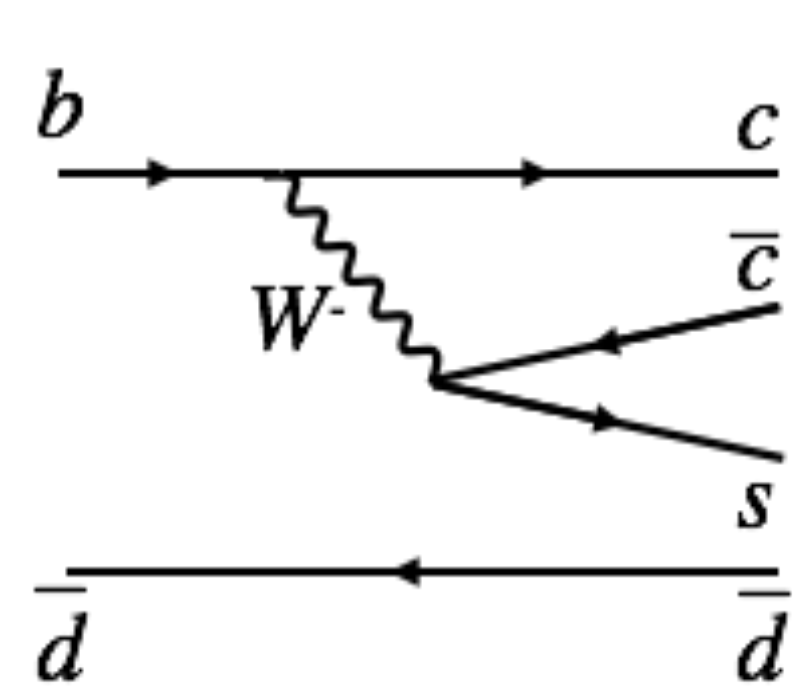
Improving on $\sin 2\Phi_1$ will be a challenge:

for **experiments**: soon the measurement will be systematics limited: need to control them;

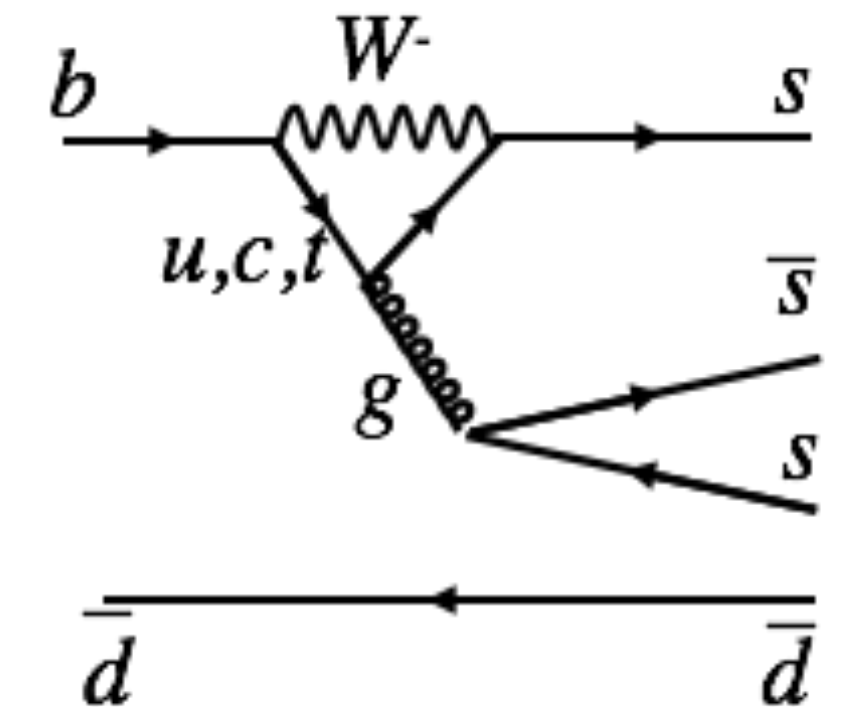
for **theory**: so far neglected the contributions from suppressed amplitudes carrying a different phase.

TD CP violation measurements of $b \rightarrow qqs$ transitions ($q = u, d, s$) are a major target

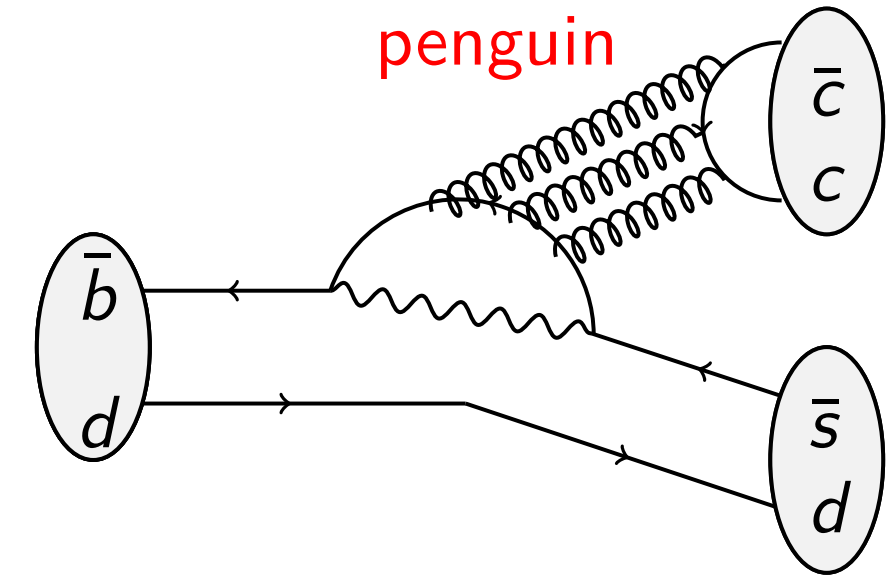
[arXiv: 1808.10567](https://arxiv.org/abs/1808.10567)



• Tree

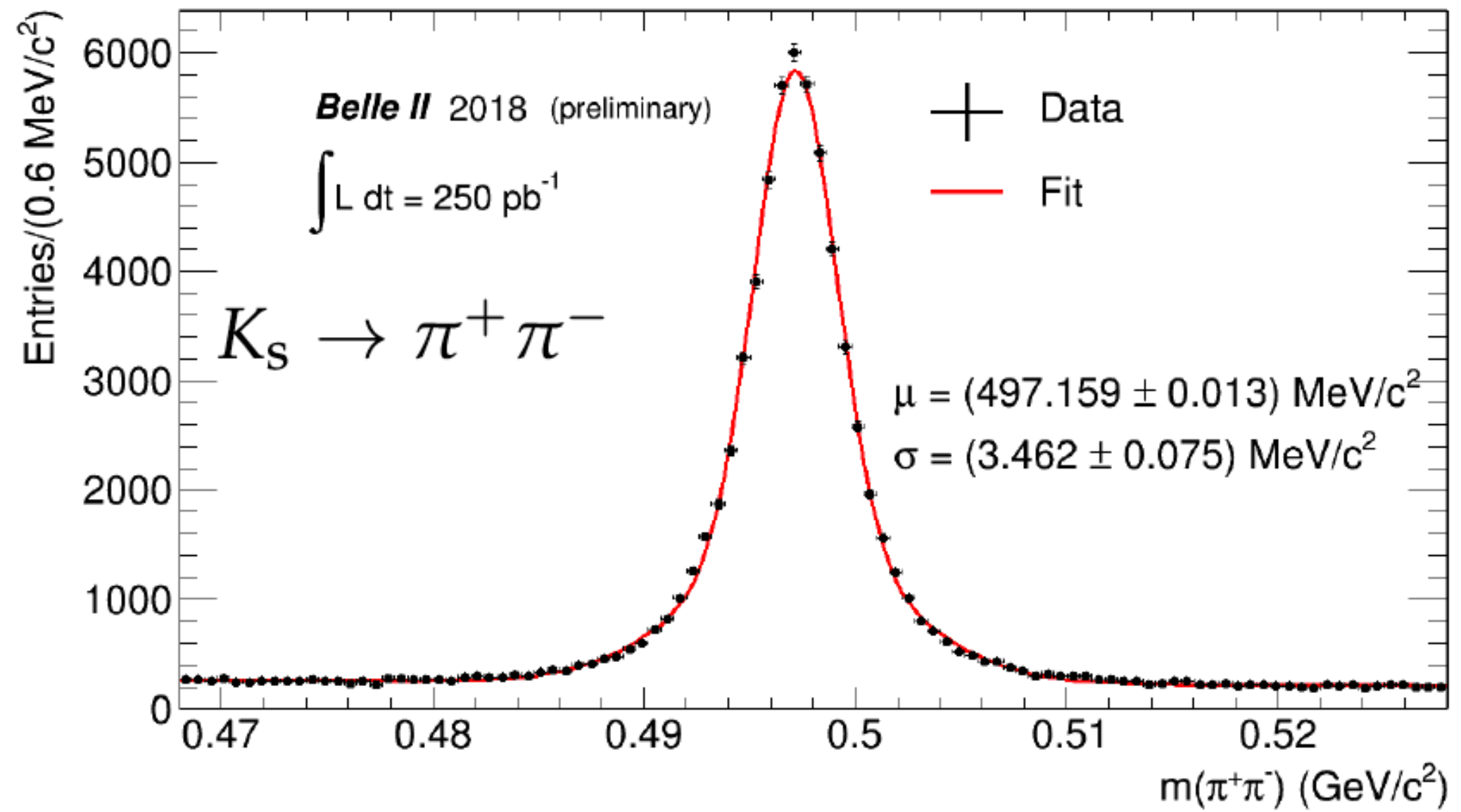


• Gluonic Penguin (NP sensitive)



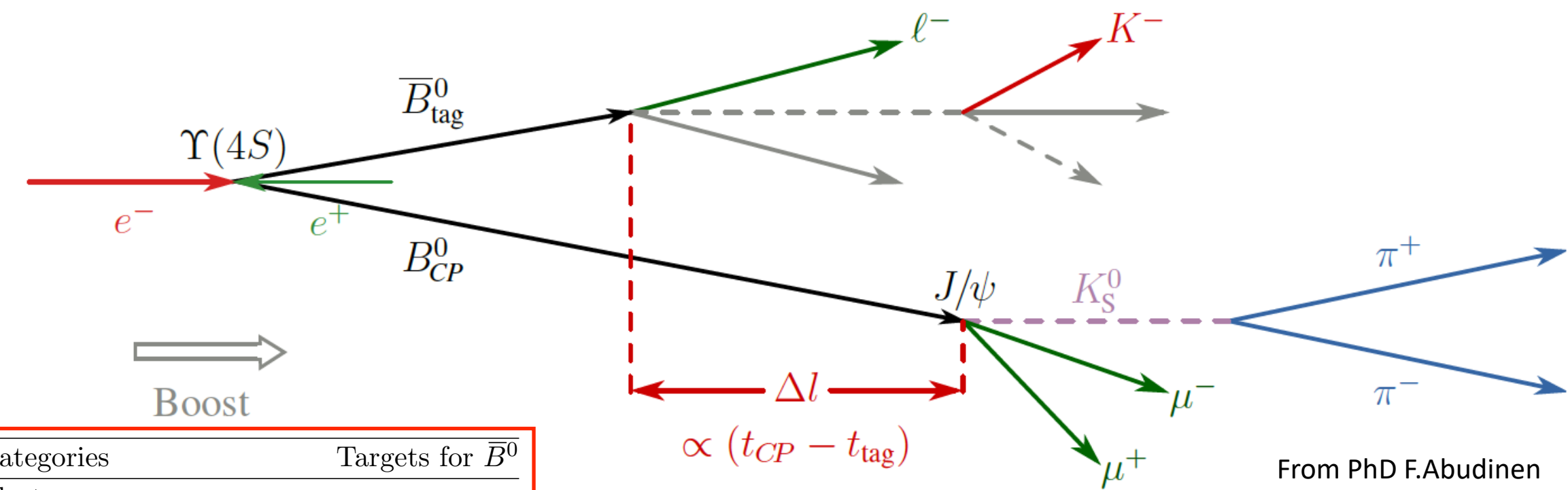
• Constrains penguin pollution

| Channel | WA (2017) | | 5 ab^{-1} | | 50 ab^{-1} | |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|
| | $\sigma(S)$ | $\sigma(A)$ | $\sigma(S)$ | $\sigma(A)$ | $\sigma(S)$ | $\sigma(A)$ |
| $J/\psi K^0$ | 0.022 | 0.021 | 0.012 | 0.011 | 0.0052 | 0.0090 |
| ϕK^0 | 0.12 | 0.14 | 0.048 | 0.035 | 0.020 | 0.011 |
| $\eta' K^0$ | 0.06 | 0.04 | 0.032 | 0.020 | 0.015 | 0.008 |
| ωK_S^0 | 0.21 | 0.14 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.024 | 0.020 |
| $K_S^0 \pi^0 \gamma$ | 0.20 | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.07 | 0.031 | 0.021 |
| $K_S^0 \pi^0$ | 0.17 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.06 | 0.028 | 0.018 |

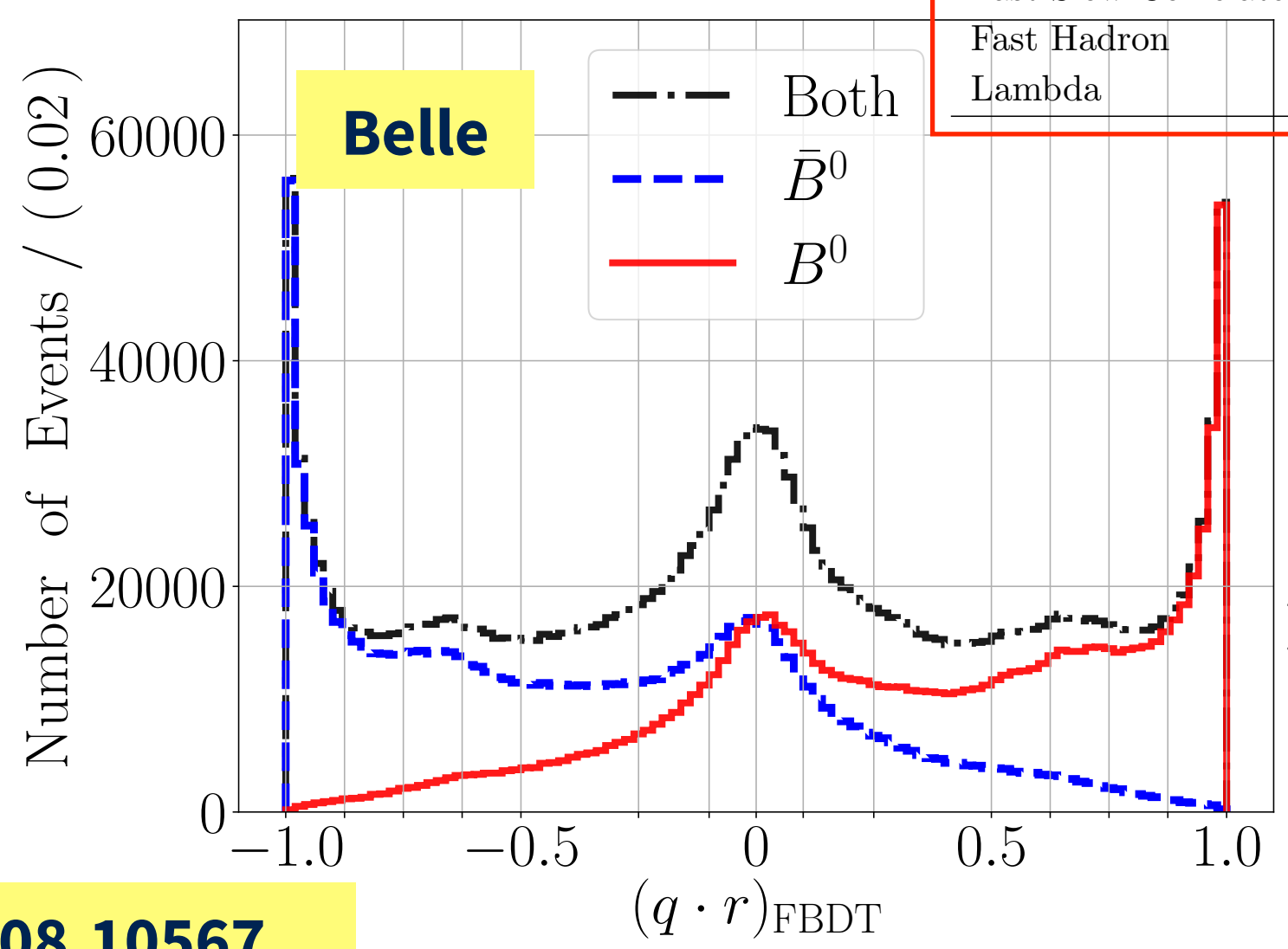
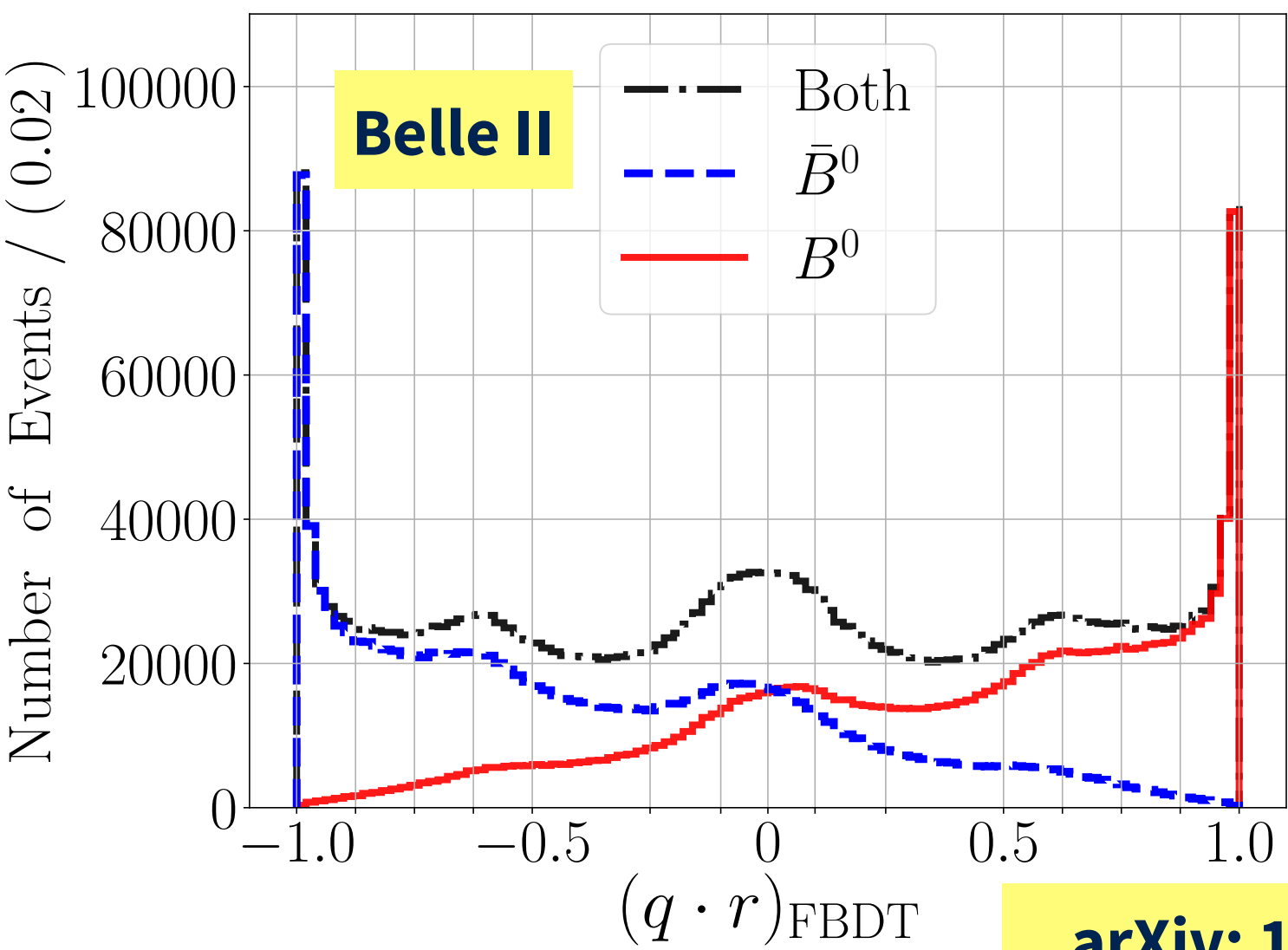


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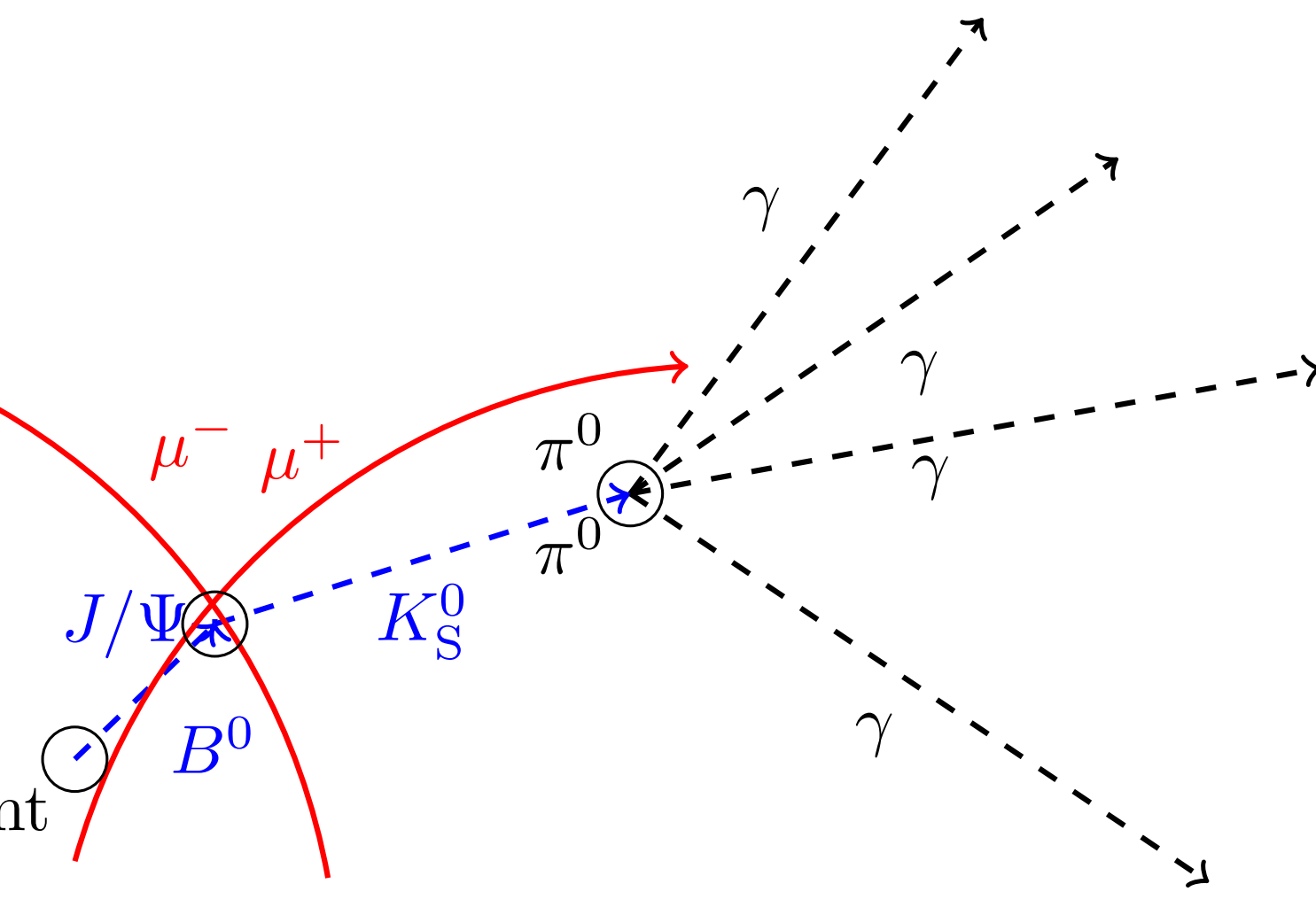
- Δt resolution ~ 0.77 ps
(30% to a factor 2 better compared to Belle);
- **PXD + nano-beam spot in Belle II.**
- **Optimised fitters for neutrals,**
+30% K_S accept.
- Effective flavour tagging efficiency $\sim 36\%$
(F-BDT, MC estimate, was **30%** at Belle)



| Categories | Targets for \bar{B}^0 |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Electron | e^- |
| Intermediate Electron | e^+ |
| Muon | μ^- |
| Intermediate Muon | μ^+ |
| Kinetic Lepton | l^- |
| Intermediate Kinetic Lepton | l^+ |
| Kaon | K^- |
| Kaon-Pion | K^-, π^+ |
| Slow Pion | π^+ |
| Maximum P* | l^-, π^- |
| Fast-Slow-Correlated (FSC) | l^-, π^+ |
| Fast Hadron | π^-, K^- |
| Lambda | Λ |



arXiv: 1808.10567,
accepted to PTEP

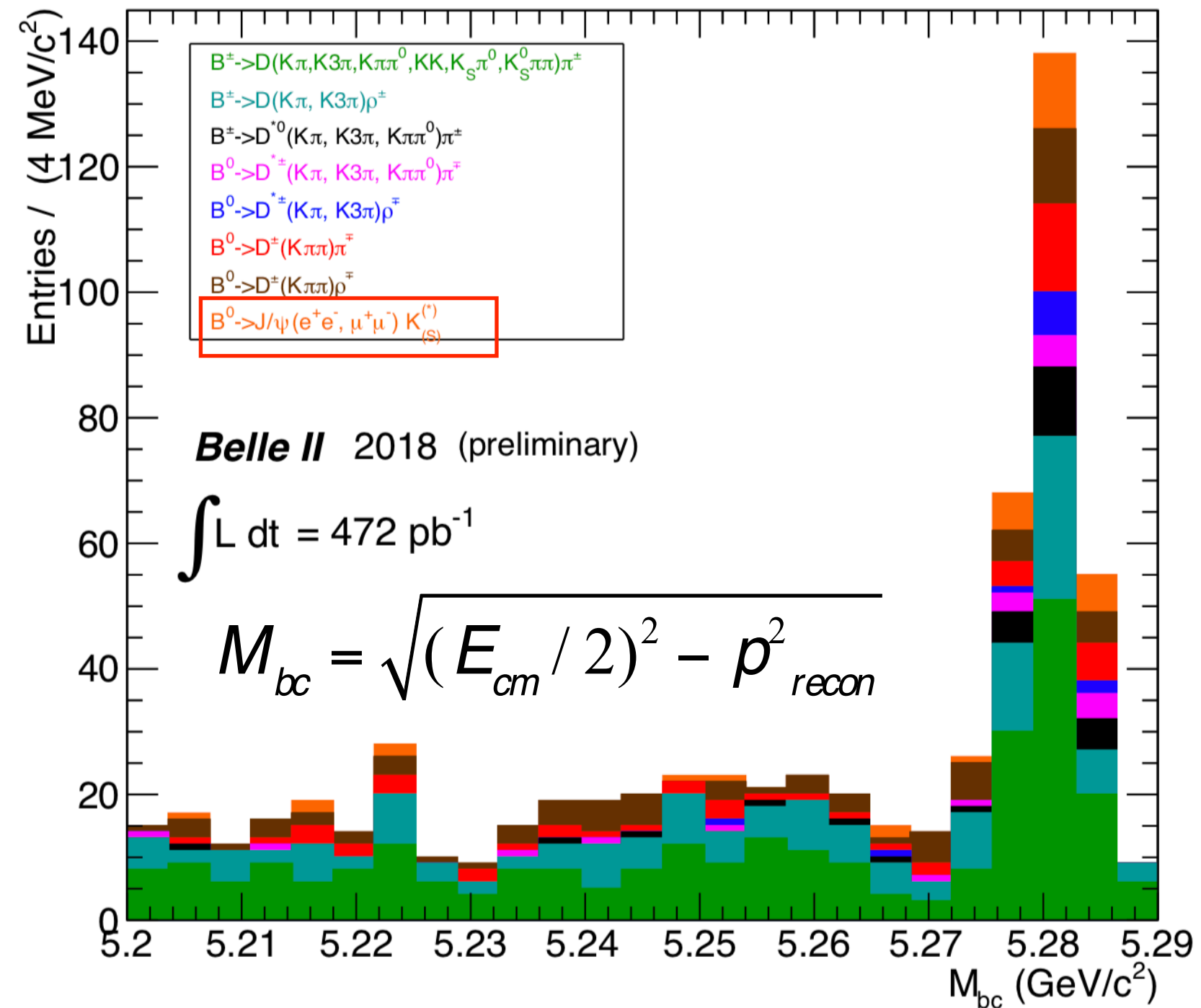
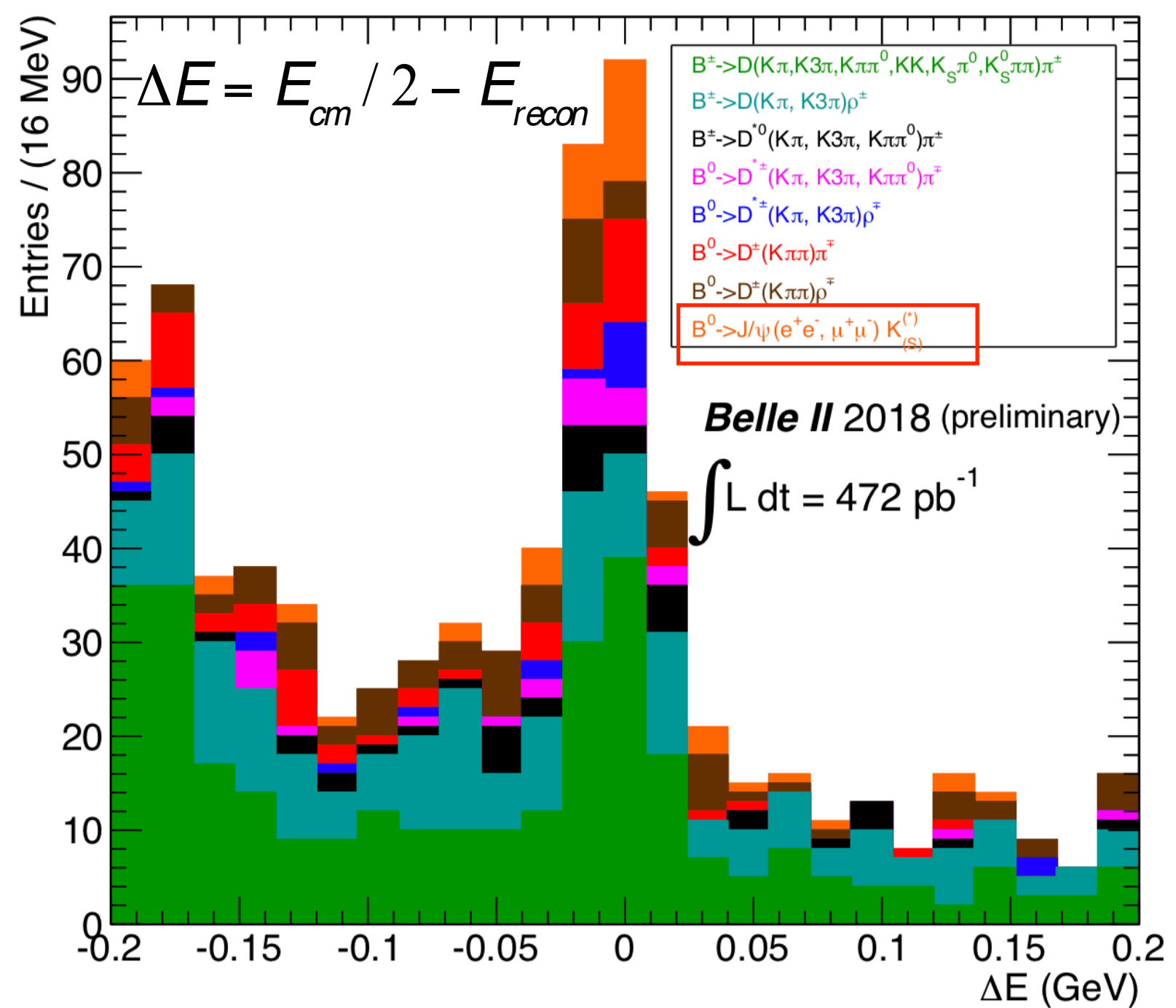
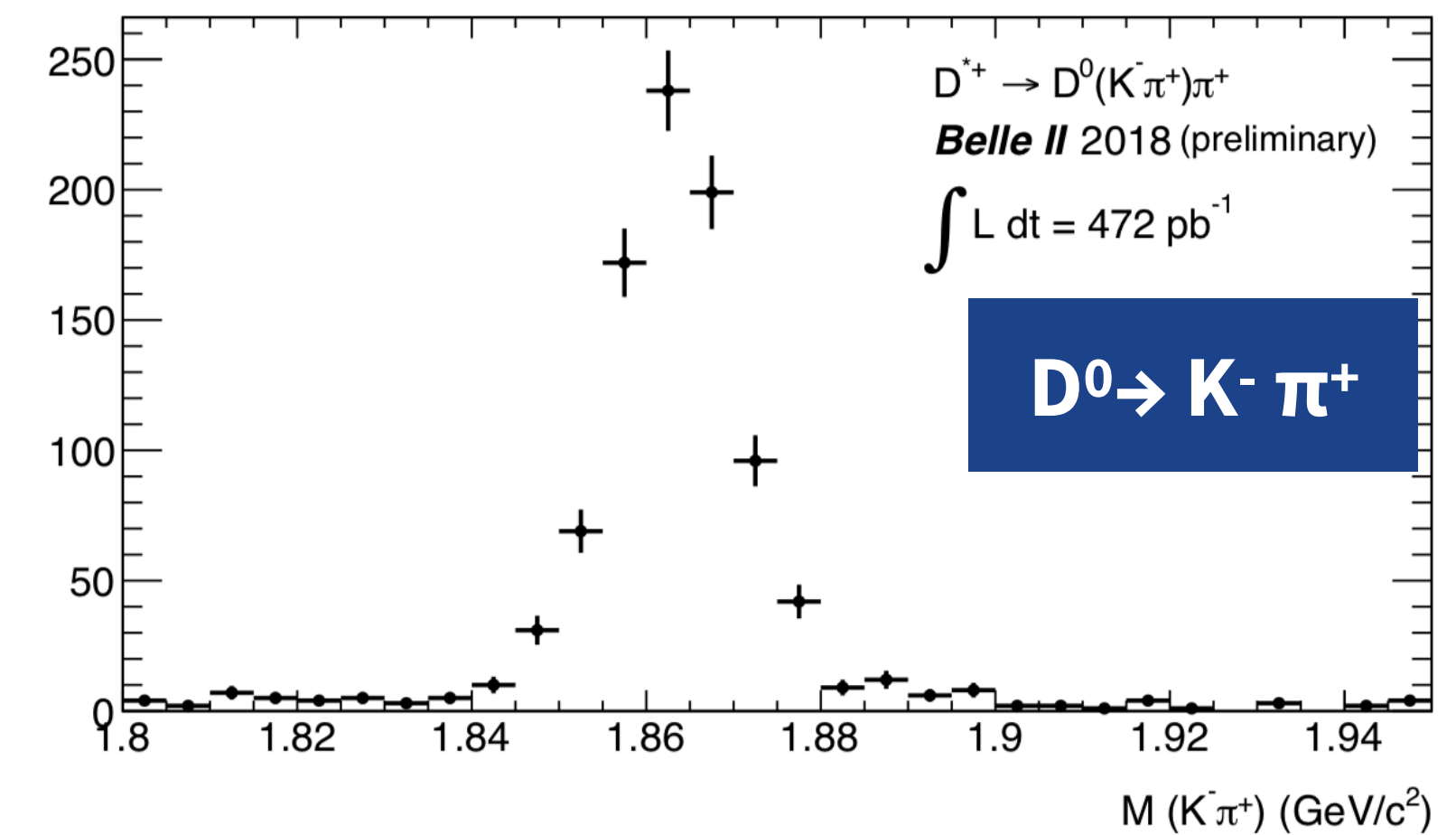
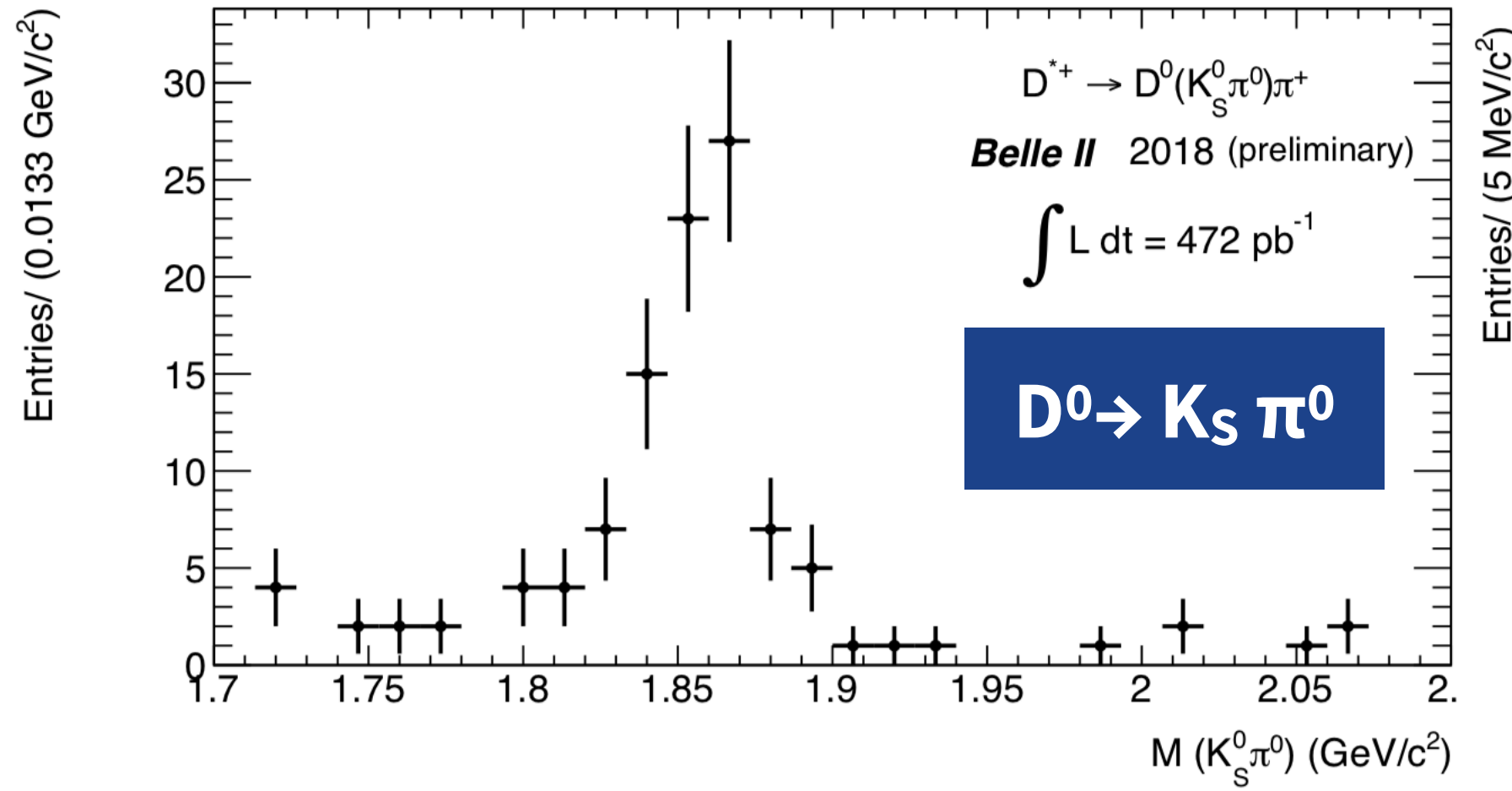


J-F Krohn, PU (Belle II), submitted to NIMA, arXiv:1901.11198

Hadronic D and B reconstruction in phase 2

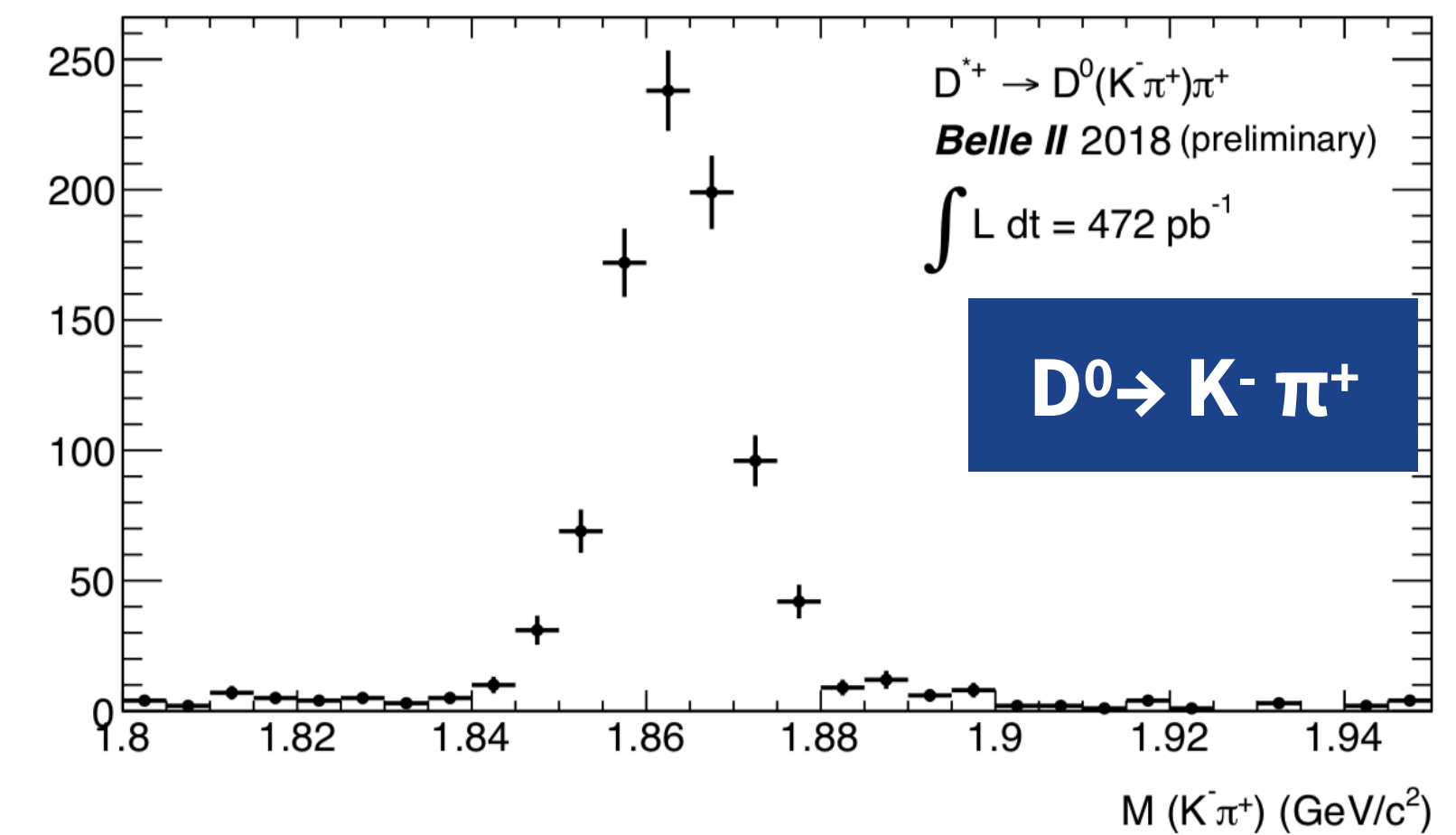
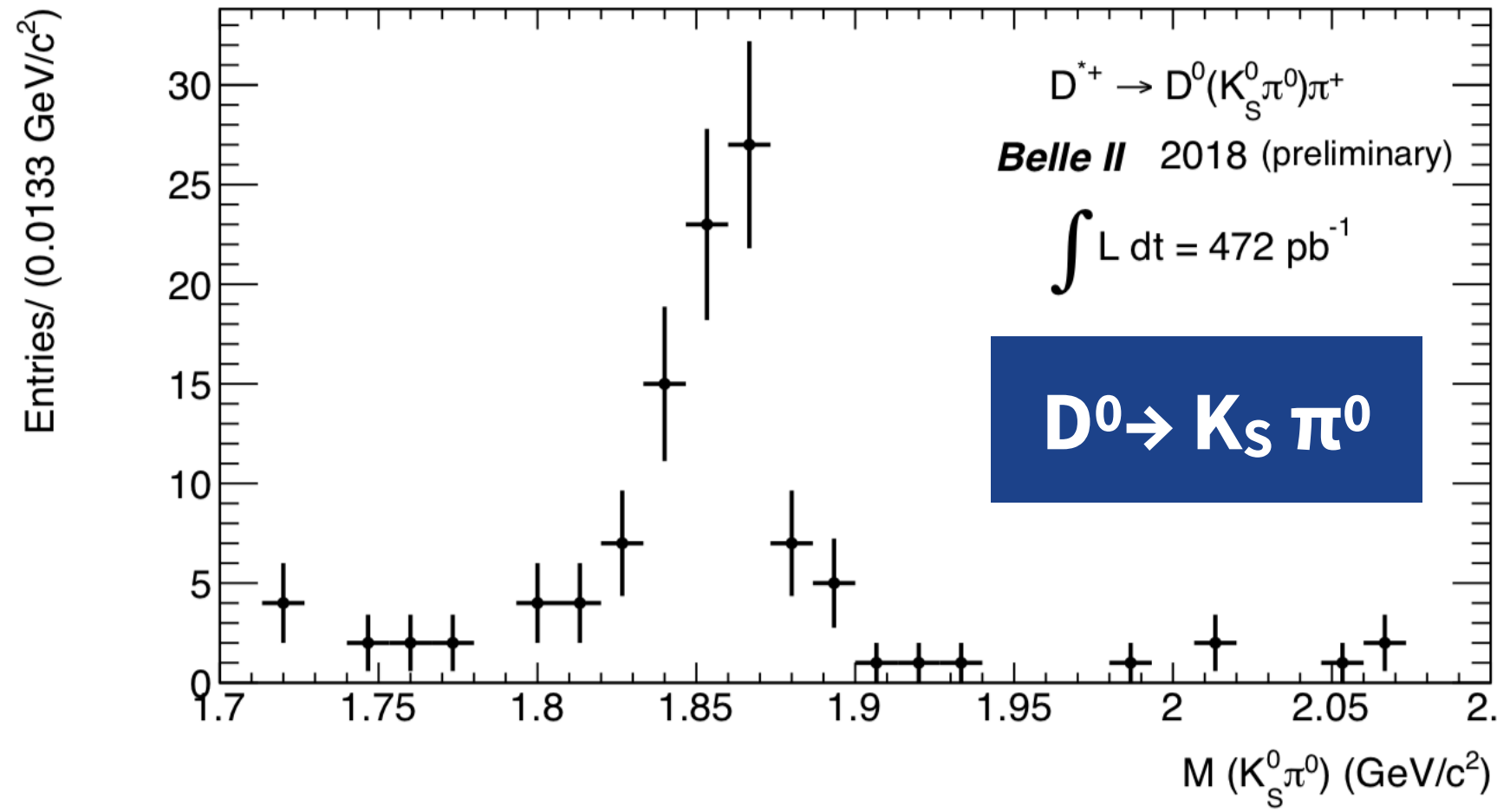
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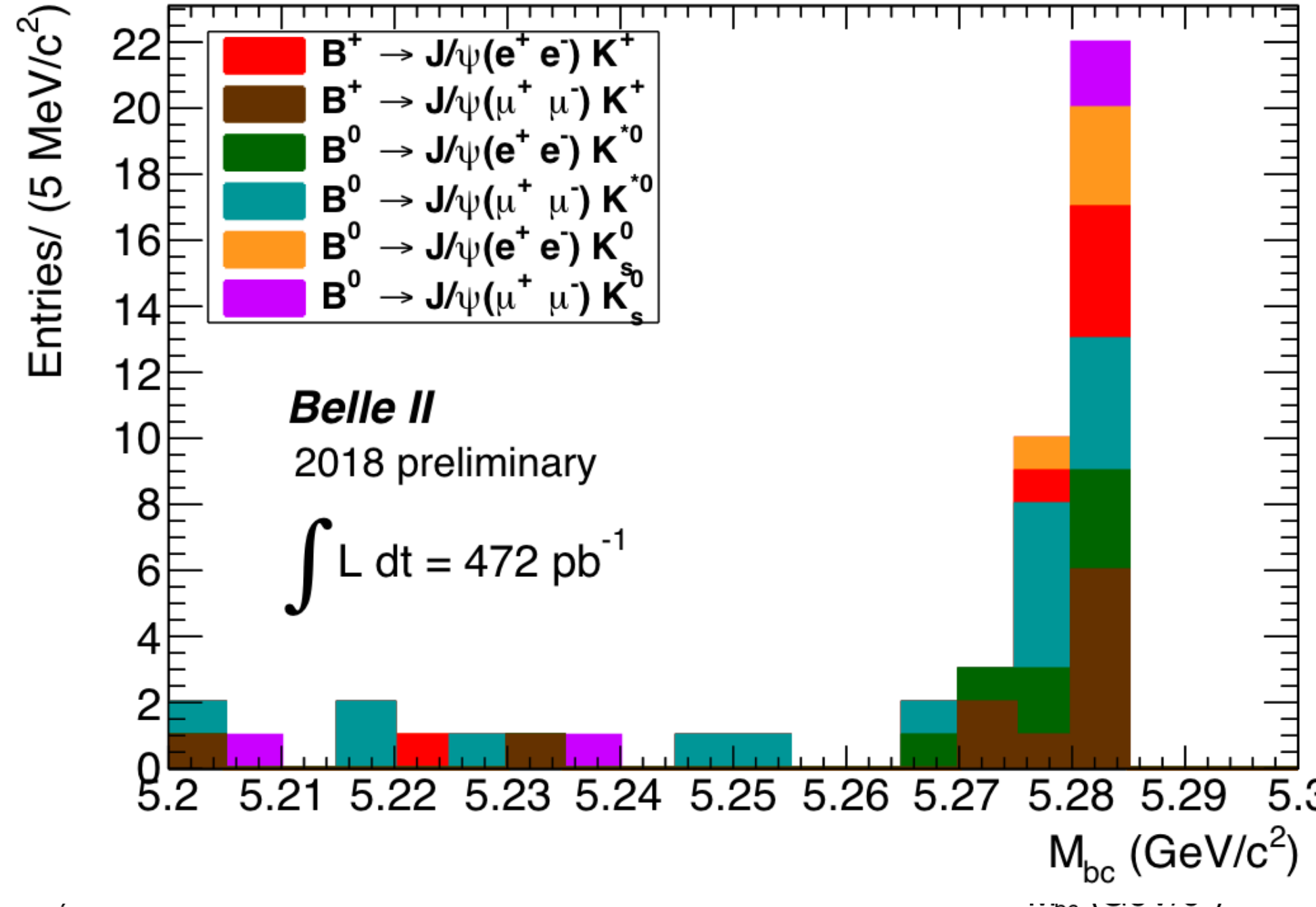
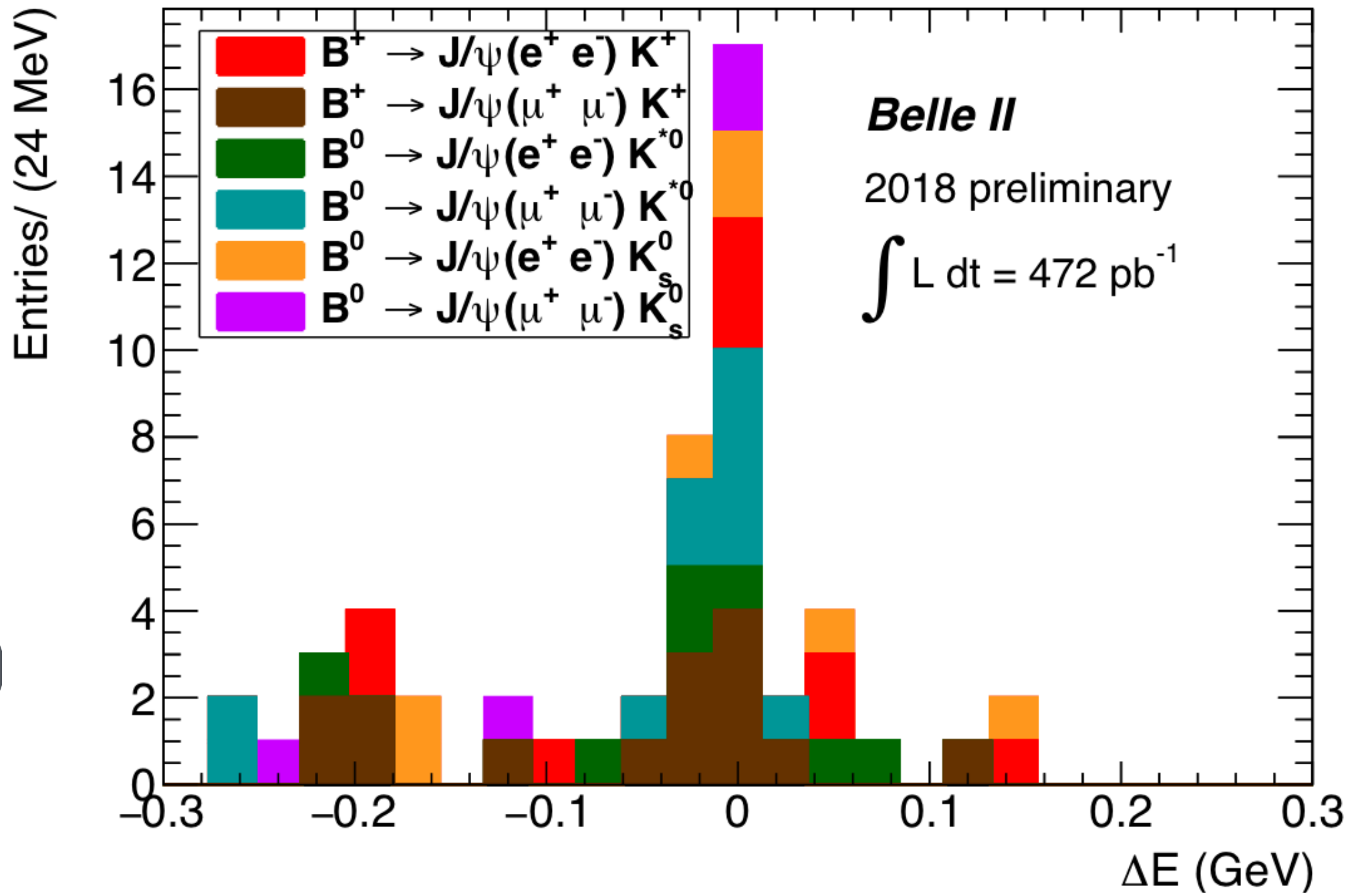


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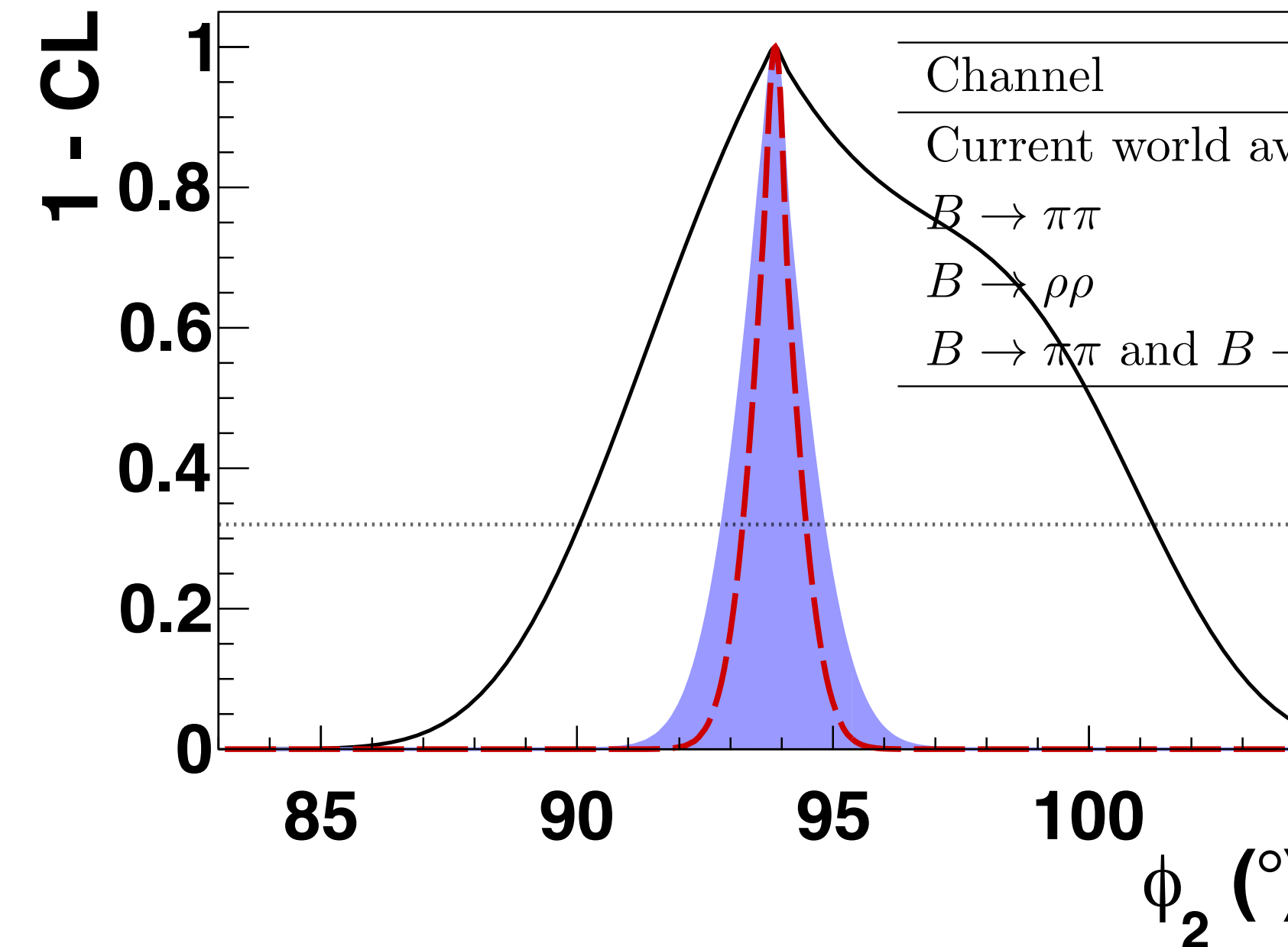
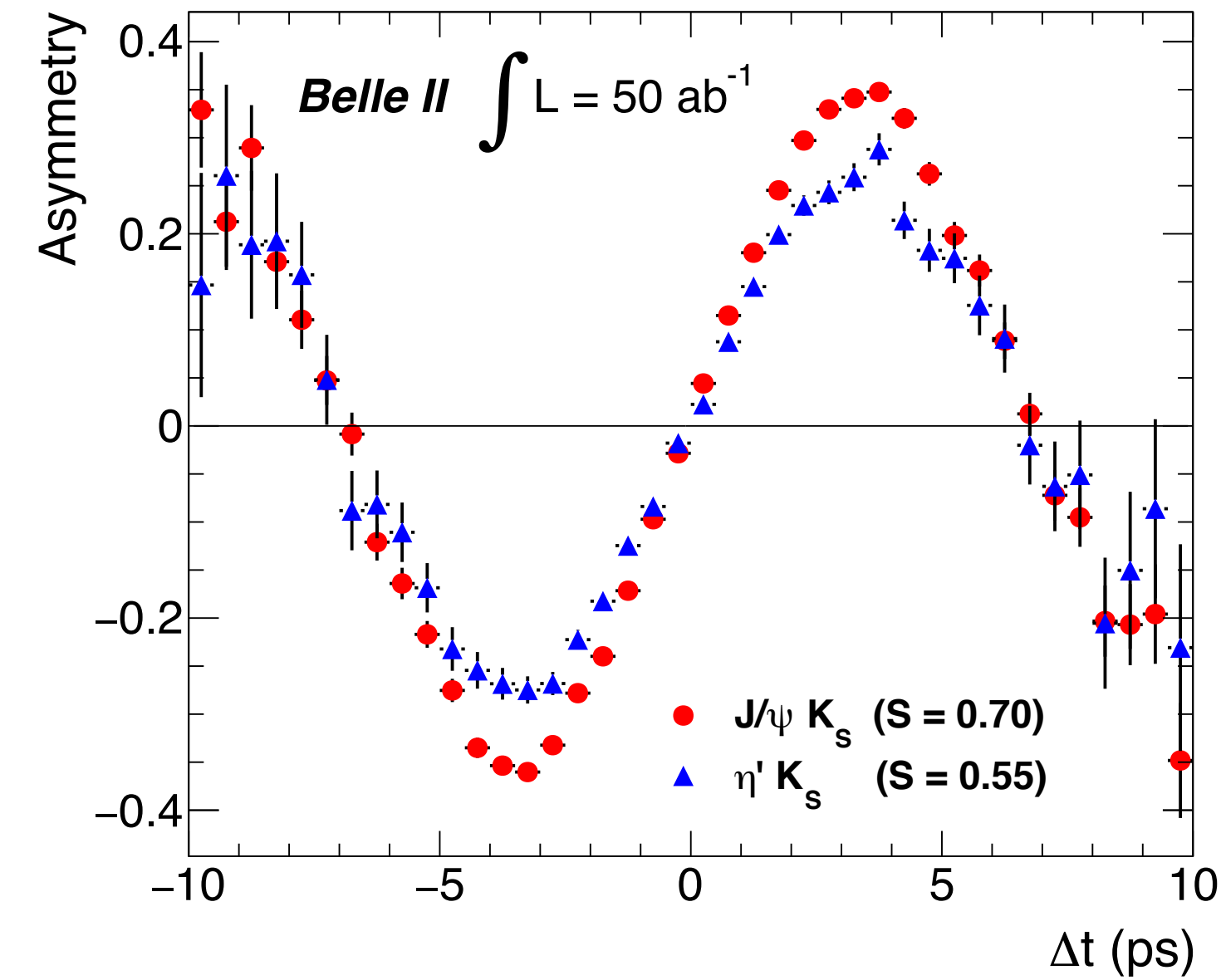


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Time dependent CP Violation / UT targets

- $\sin 2\Phi_1$ from $B \rightarrow cc K^0$ with the full dataset will be dominated by systematic uncertainties.
- Balance stat-power with good vertex fitted events.
- All others are stat limited through to 50 ab^{-1}
- Φ_3 covered by K. Trabelsi



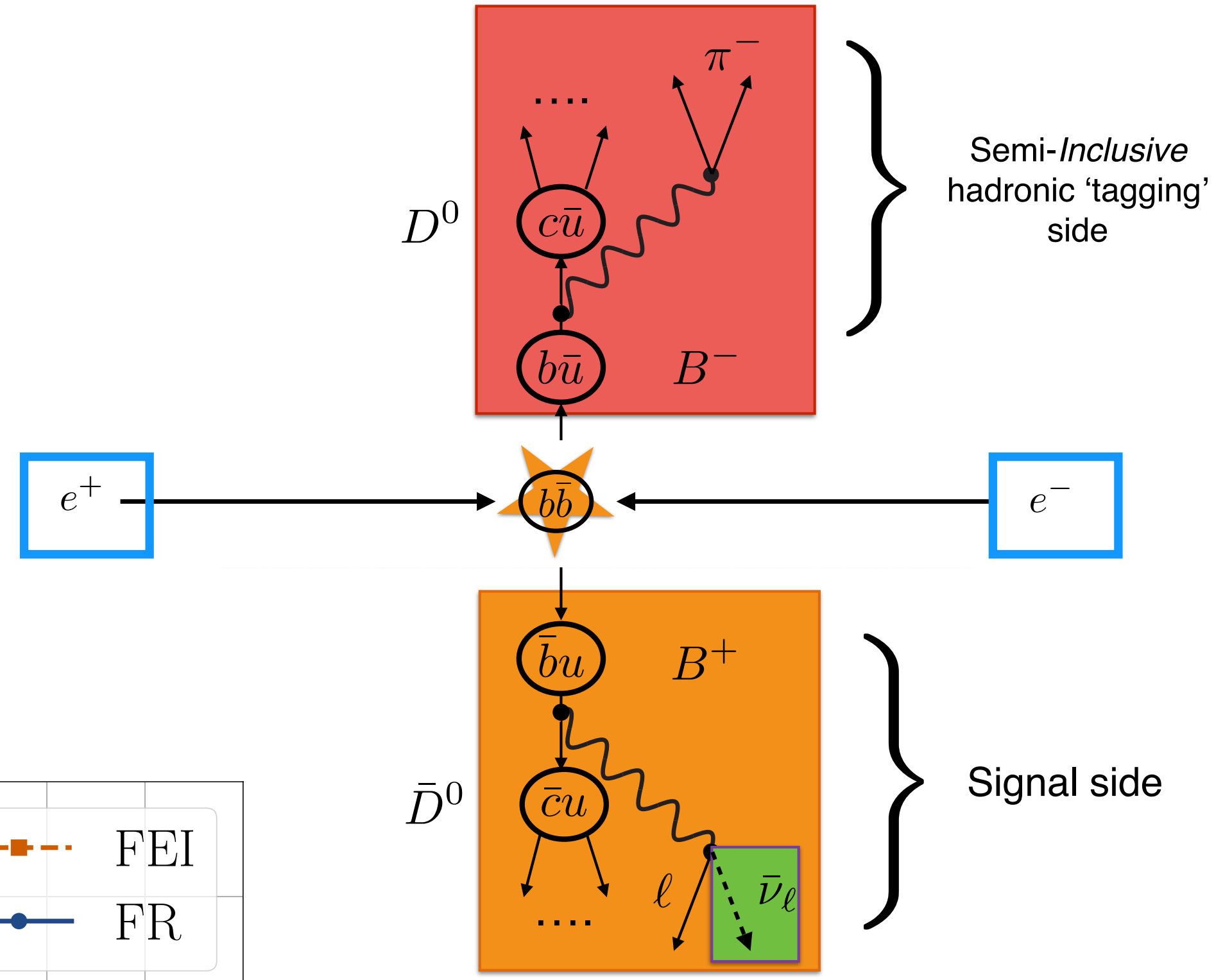
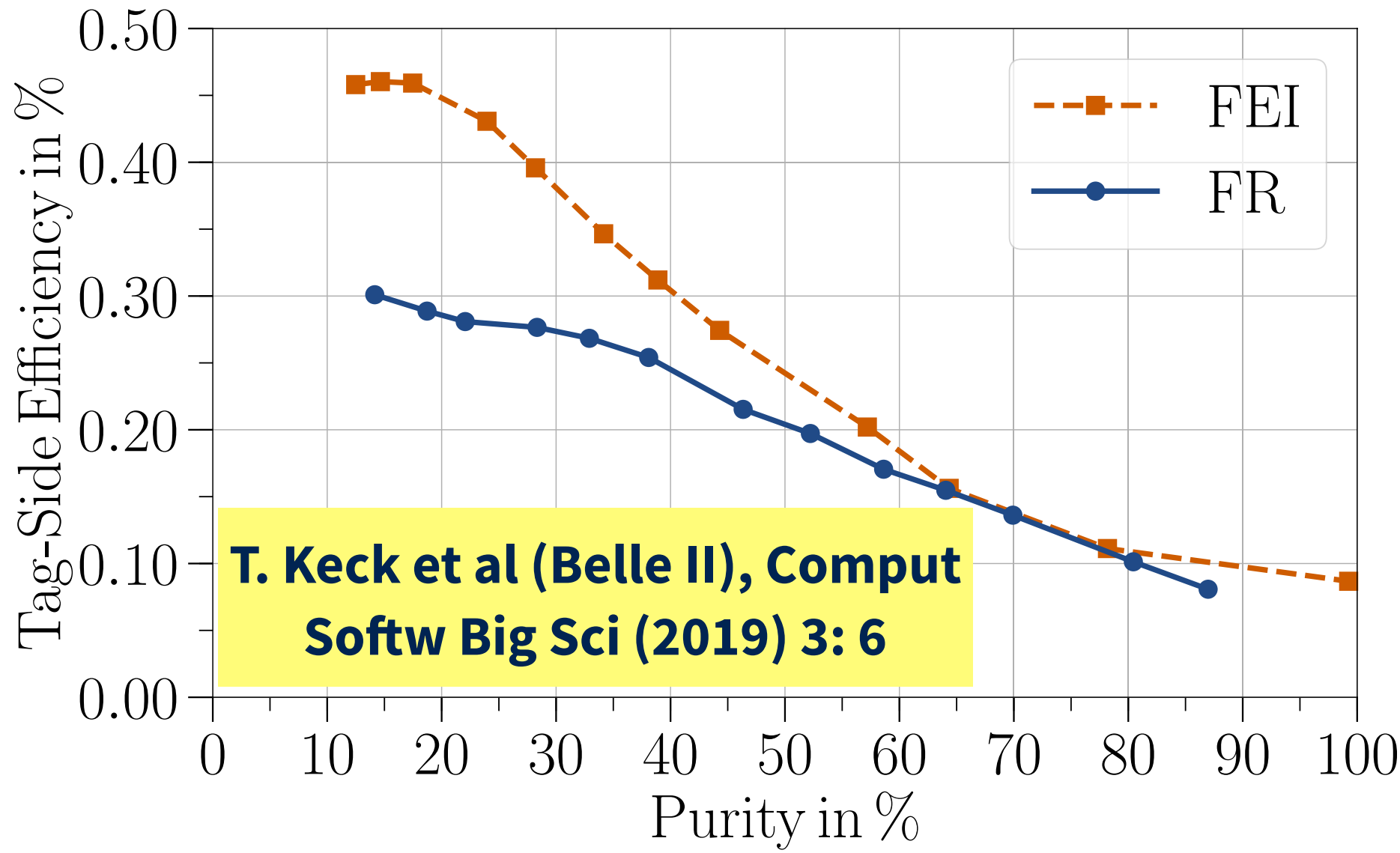
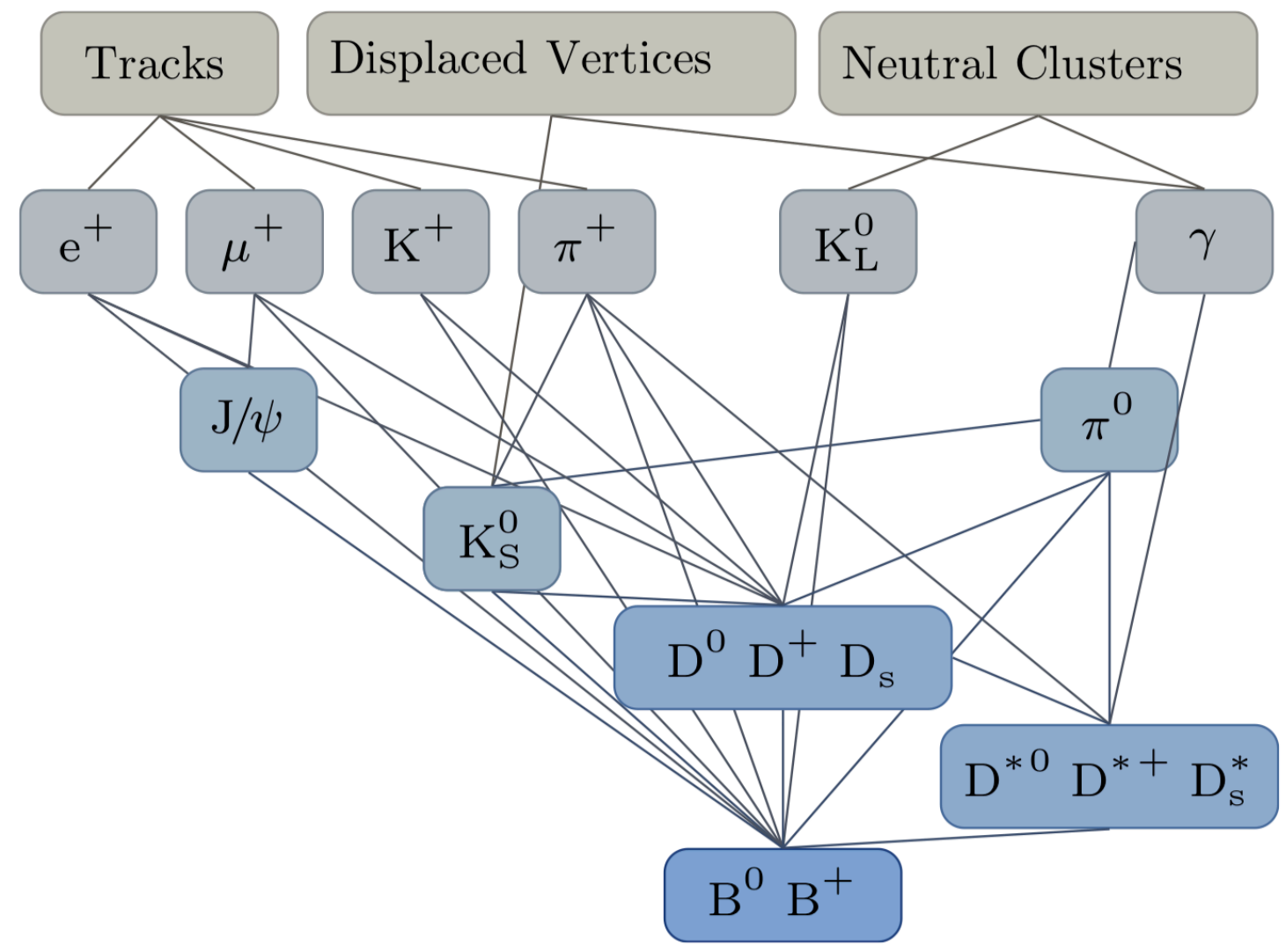
| | Current | 50 ab^{-1} projection |
|---------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| arXiv: 1808.10567 | | |
| ϕ_1 : | | |
| Experimental: | 0.7° | 0.2° |
| Theoretical - QCDF & pQCD | 0.1° | 0.1° |
| Theoretical - SU(3) | 1.7° | 0.8° |
| ϕ_2 : | | |
| Experimental: | 4.2° | 0.6° |
| Theoretical: | 1.2° | $< 1.0^\circ$ |

Semileptonic and leptonic B decays / Techniques

- Belle (II) analyses use **semileptonic** and **hadronic** “tagging” for flavour, charge, kinematics.

$$\left(p_{e^+e^-} - p_{tag}^B - p^{D^*} - p_\ell \right)^2 = \left(p_\nu \right)^2 = m_{miss}^2 \sim 0$$

- Signal fits based on M_{miss}^2 , $\cos\theta_{D^*-l}$, calorimeter extra energy $E_{ECL/extra}$



Ongoing iterations on algorithms to improve efficiency - driven by more computationally efficient ways to add more hadronic modes.

Belle $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau^- \nu$ analysis / Converted Belle \rightarrow Belle II Data

- Semileptonic tag / FEI BDT, $B \rightarrow D \tau \nu$ and $B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$ Simultaneously
- 2D fit to 3-var. XG-boost BDT classifier and extra energy in EM calo.

Belle PRD 94, 072007 (2016)
 Belle PRL 118, 211801 (2017)
 Belle arXiv:1709.00129

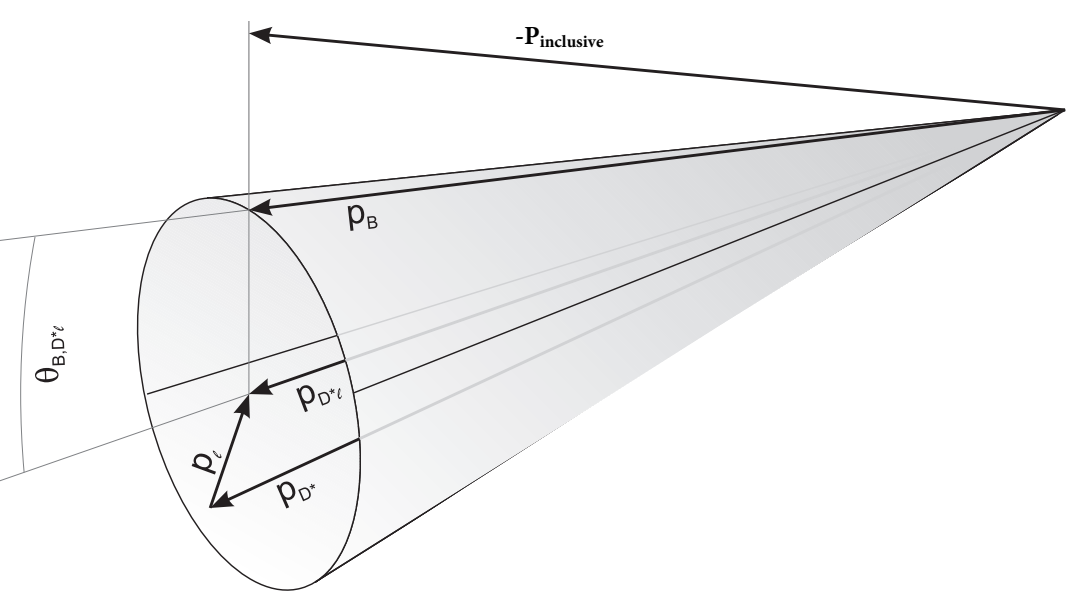
M^2_{miss}
 E_{vis}
 $\cos\theta_{B-D^*l}$

**Belle Preliminary
 2019**

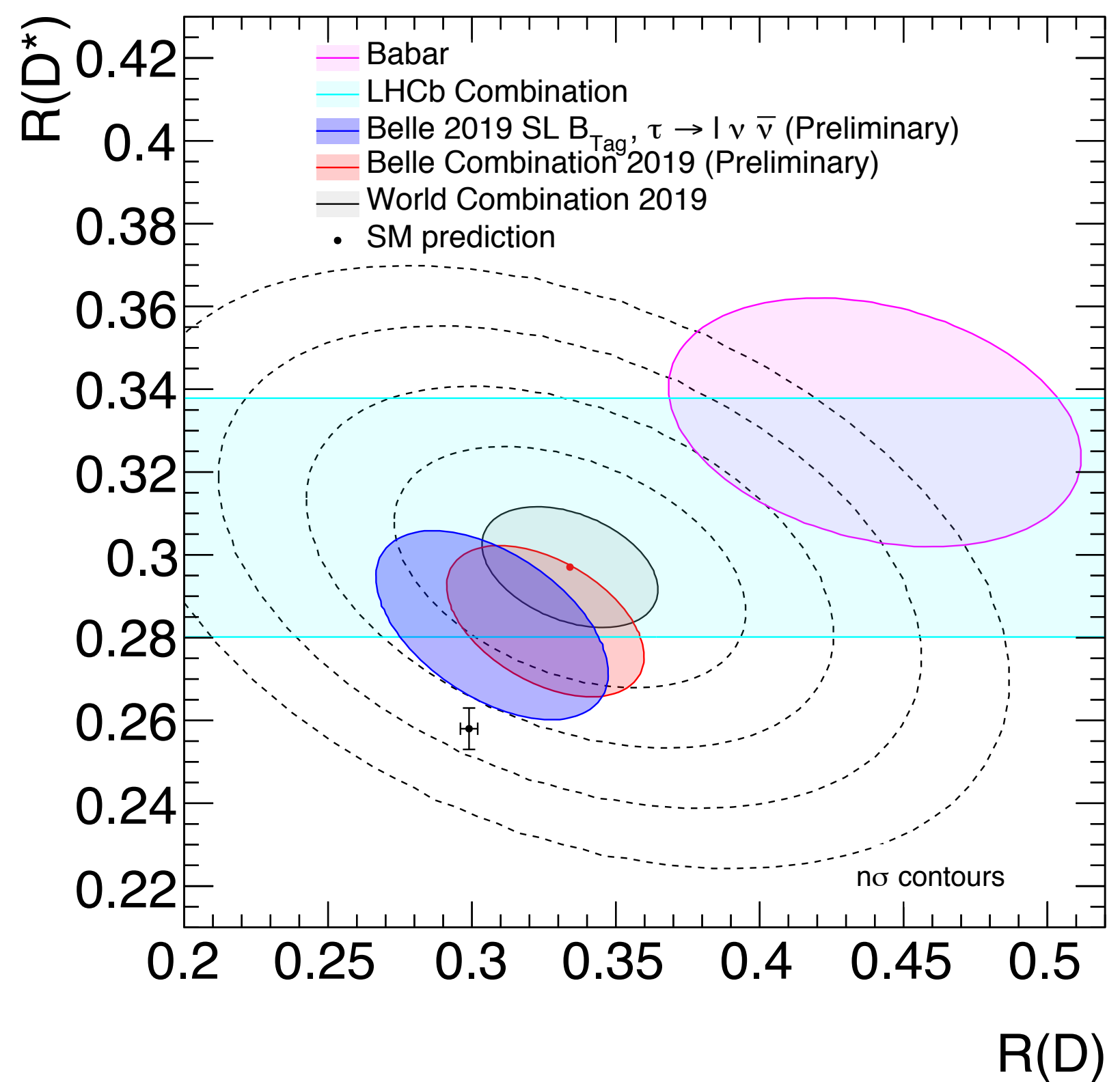
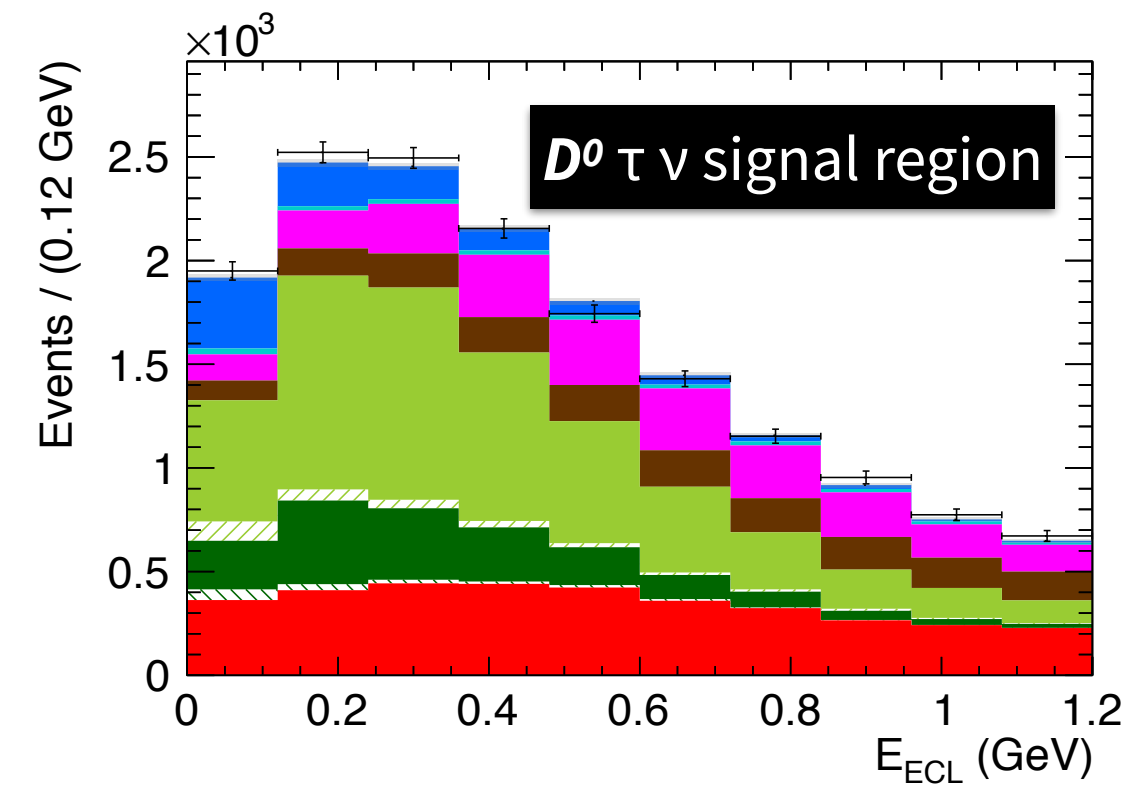
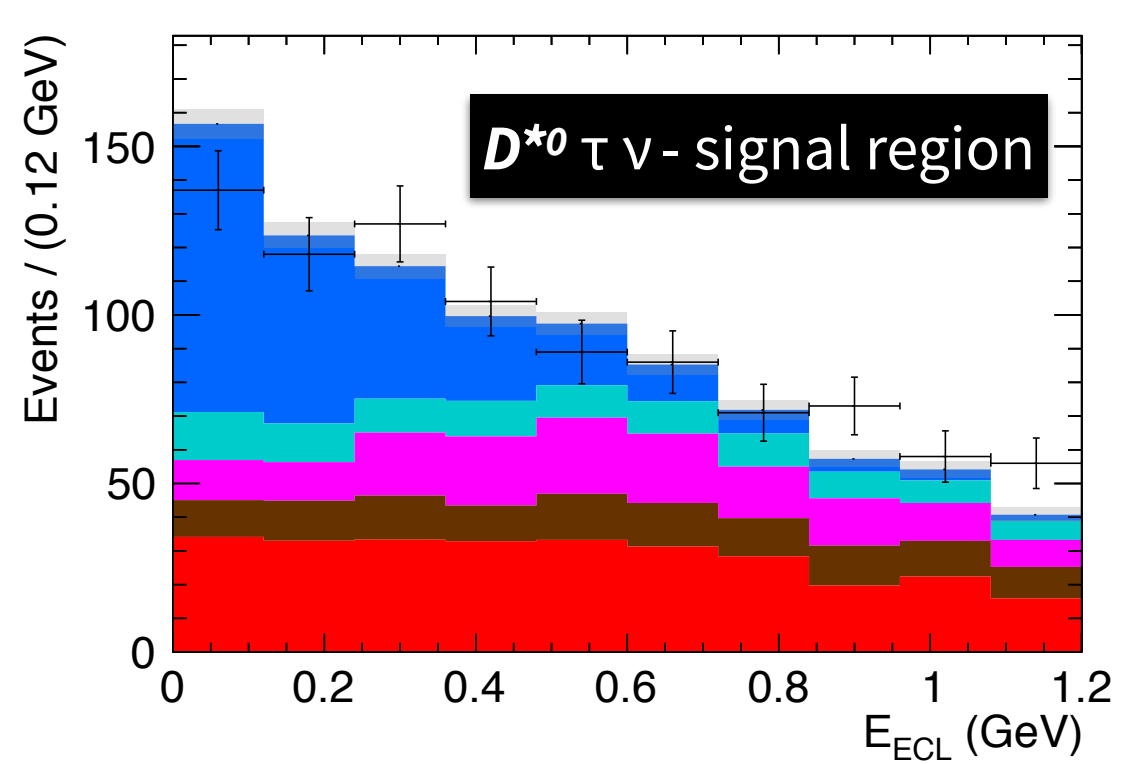
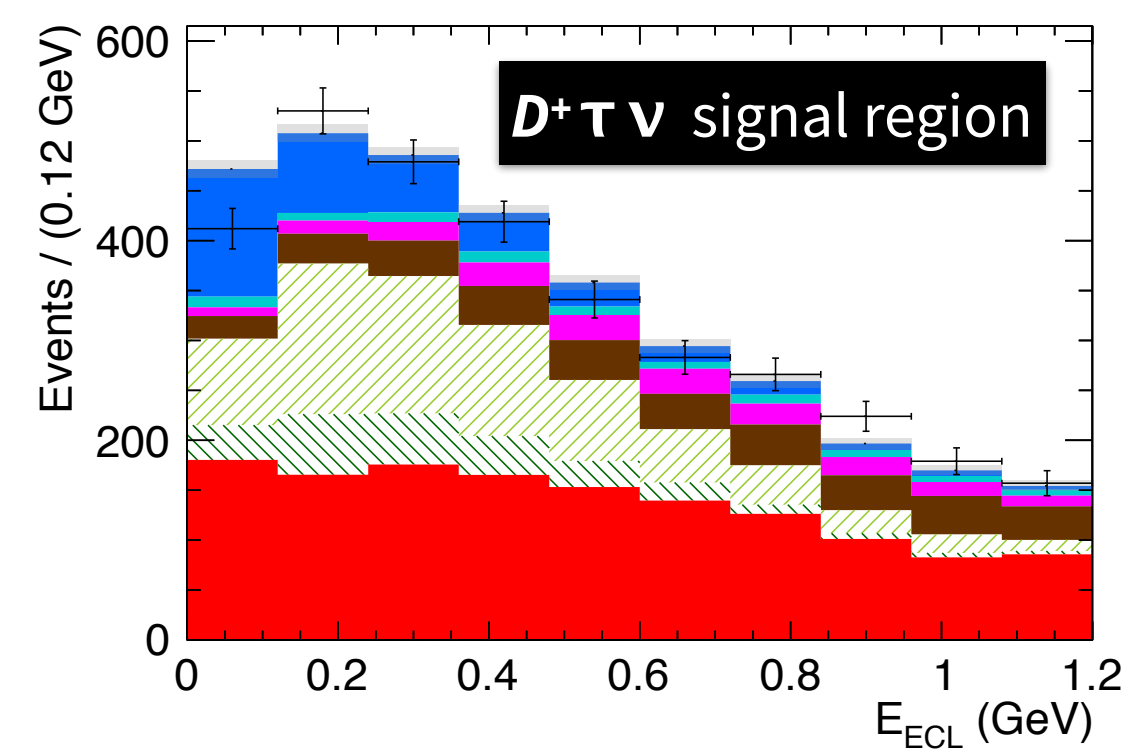
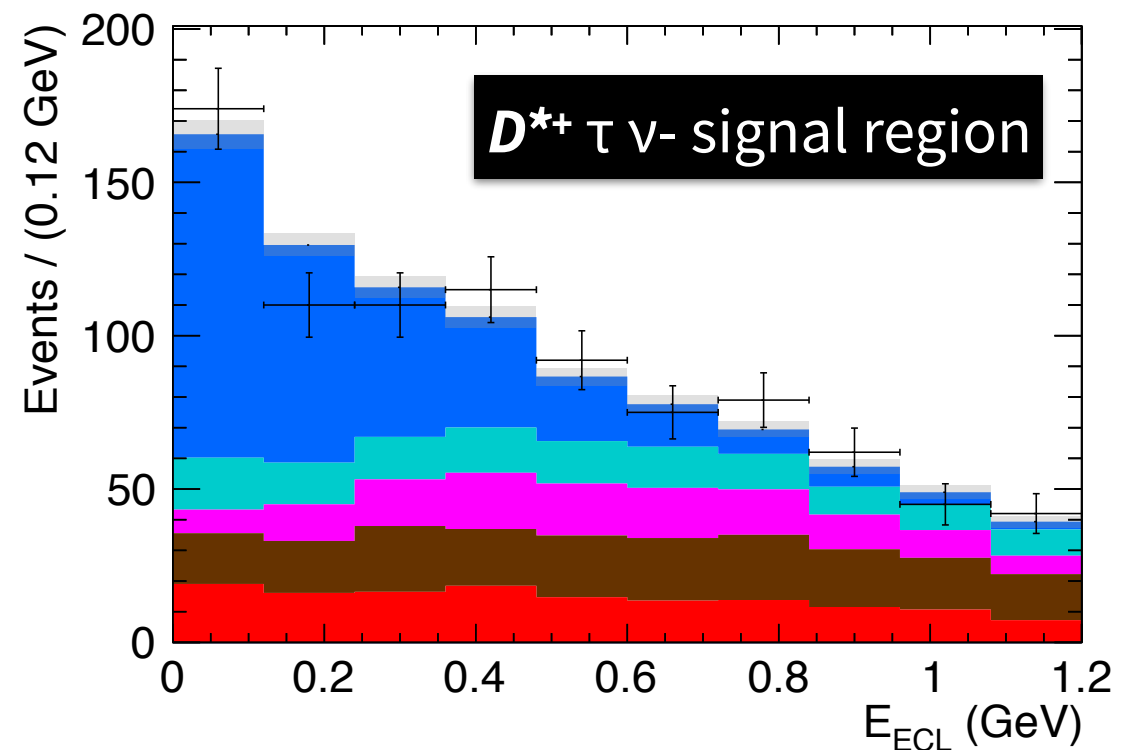
$$\mathcal{R}(D) = 0.307 \pm 0.037 \pm 0.016$$

$$\mathcal{R}(D^*) = 0.283 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.014,$$

**Measurement of the
 D^* -polarization in the decay
 $B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$, arXiv: 1903.03102**

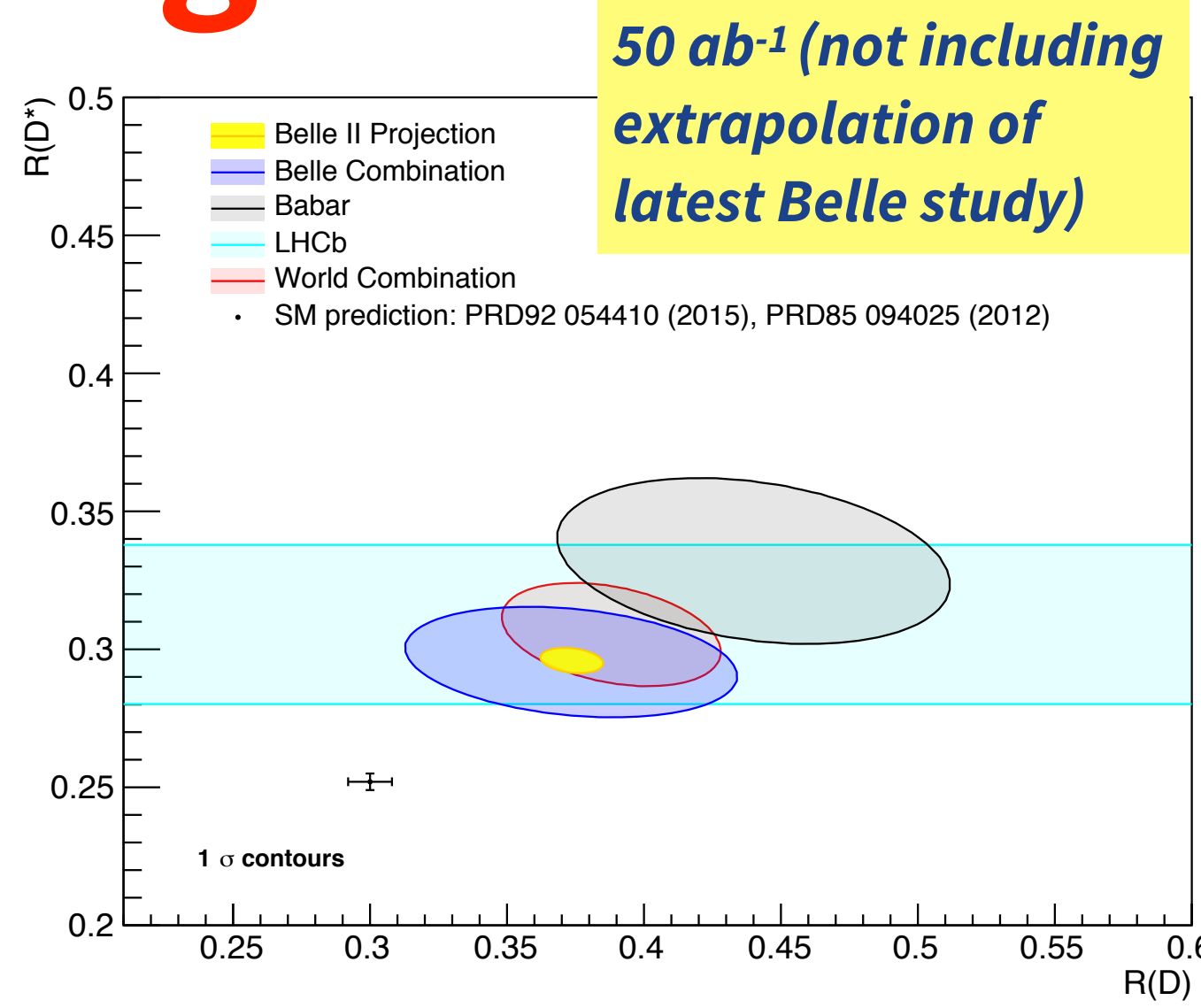
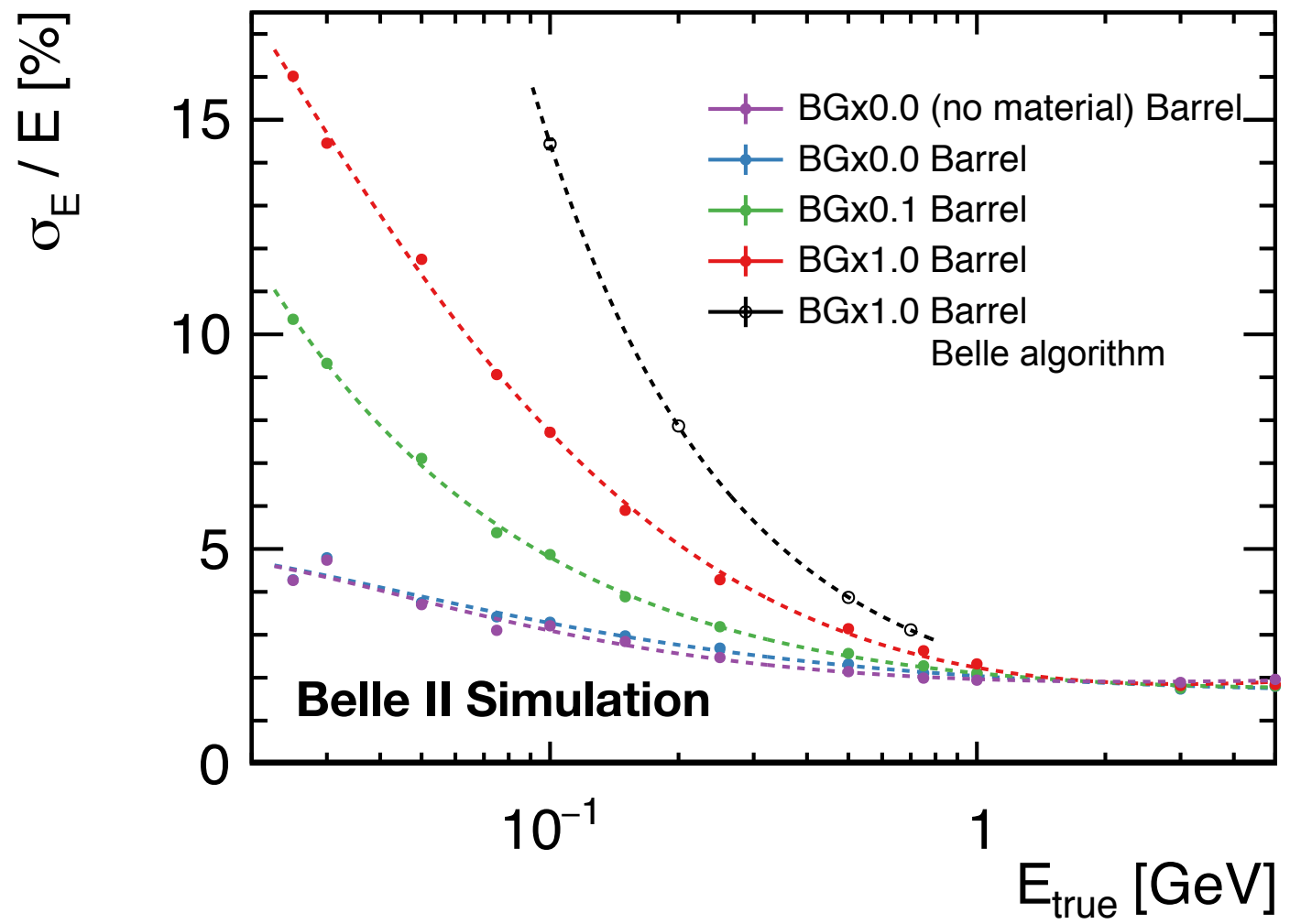


- $B \rightarrow D \tau \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D l \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^{**} l \nu$
- Other
- $B^+ \rightarrow D^* l \nu$
- ▨ $B^0 \rightarrow D^* l \nu$
- $B^+ \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$
- ▨ $B^0 \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$
- Fake D

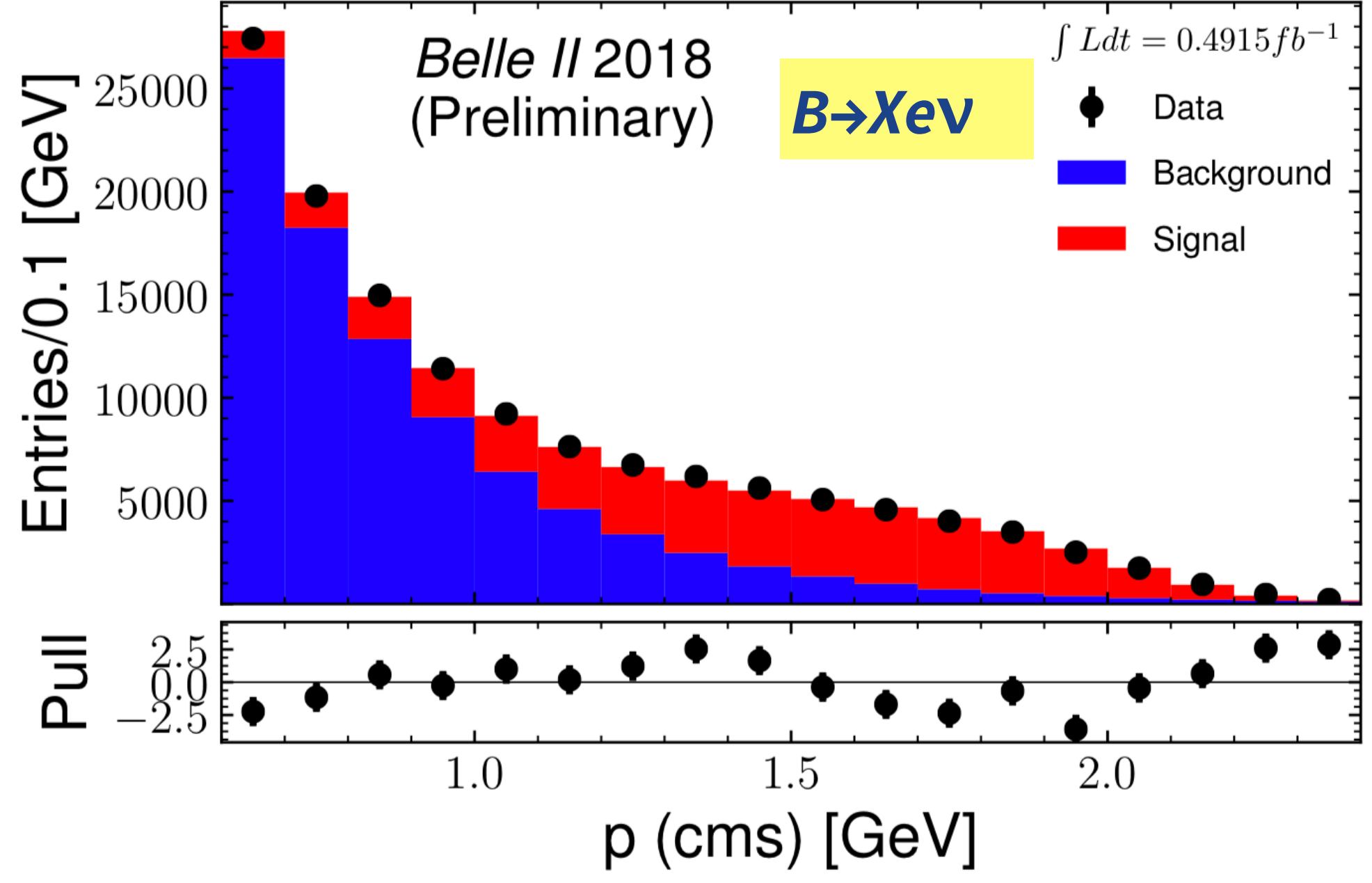


Semileptonic and leptonic B decays / **Targets**

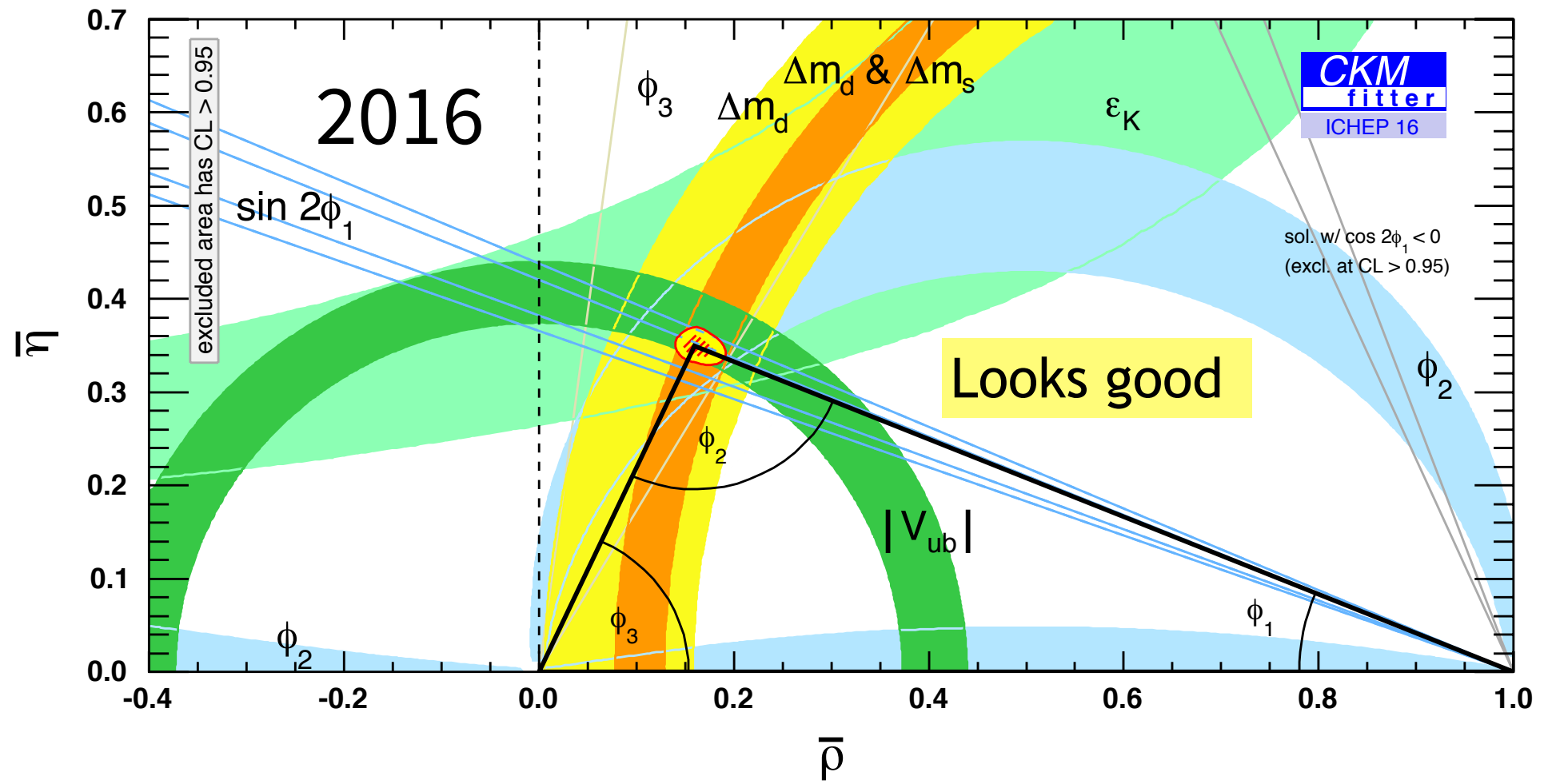
- History of anomalies - key to identify bias.
- K_L reconstruction, beam background mitigation for ΣE_{ECL} , $B \rightarrow D^{**} l \nu$ background, tag calibration.
- $|V_{xb}|$ covered by W. Sutcliffe



| Observables | Belle (2017) | 5 ab^{-1} | Belle II (50 ab^{-1}) |
|---|--|-------------|--------------------------|
| $ V_{cb} $ incl. | $42.2 \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot (1 \pm 1.8\%)$ | 1.2% | — |
| $ V_{cb} $ excl. | $39.0 \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot (1 \pm 3.0\%_{ex.} \pm 1.4\%_{th.})$ | 1.8% | 1.4% |
| $ V_{ub} $ incl. | $4.47 \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot (1 \pm 6.0\%_{ex.} \pm 2.5\%_{th.})$ | 3.4% | 3.0% |
| $ V_{ub} $ excl. (WA) | $3.65 \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot (1 \pm 2.5\%_{ex.} \pm 3.0\%_{th.})$ | 2.4% | 1.2% |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \tau \nu)$ [10^{-6}] | $91 \cdot (1 \pm 24\%)$ | 9% | 4% |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \mu \nu)$ [10^{-6}] | < 1.7 | 20% | 7% |
| $R(B \rightarrow D \tau \nu)$ (Had. tag) | $0.374 \cdot (1 \pm 16.5\%)$ | 6% | 3% |
| $R(B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu)$ (Had. tag) | $0.296 \cdot (1 \pm 7.4\%)$ | 3% | 2% |

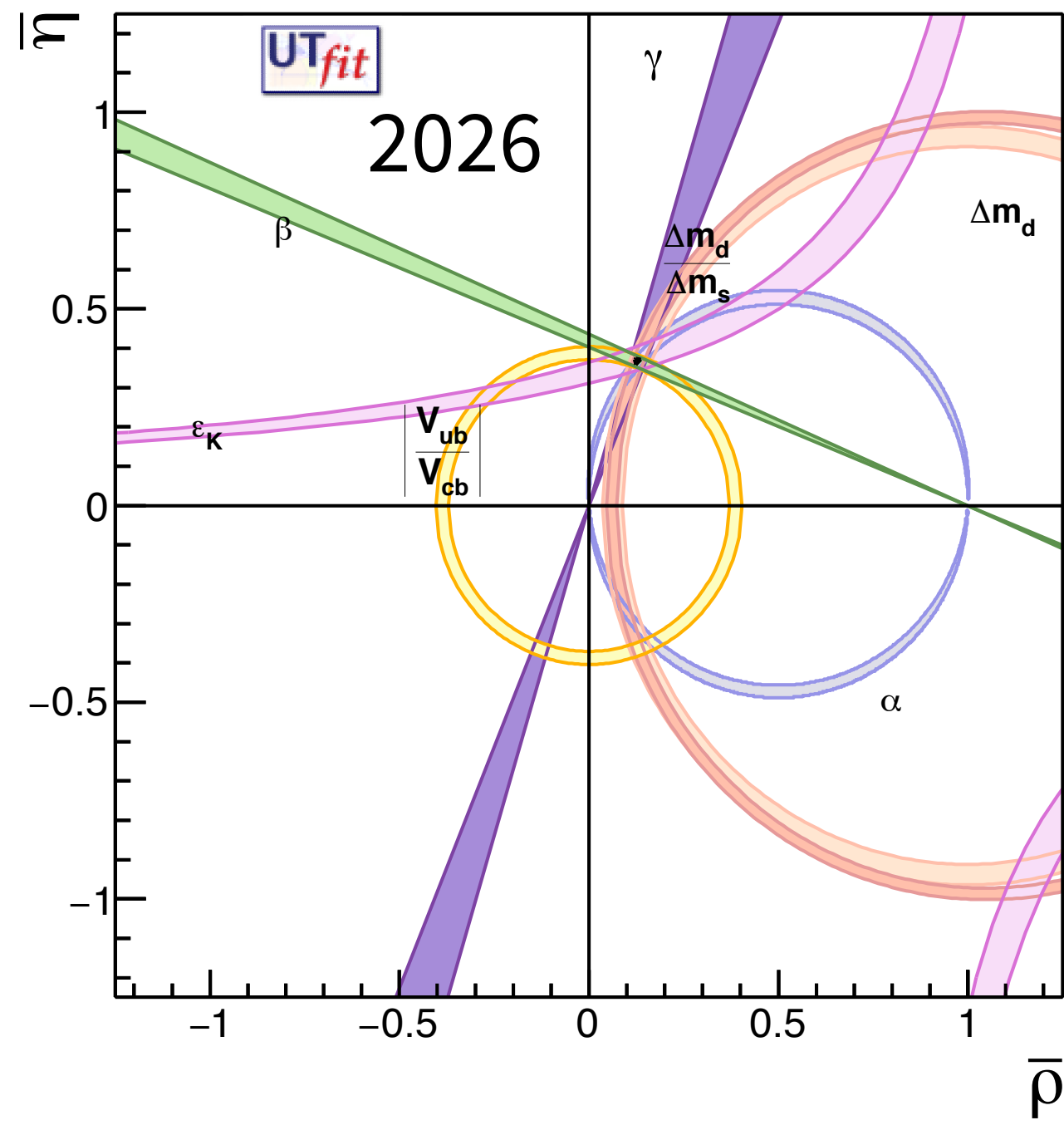
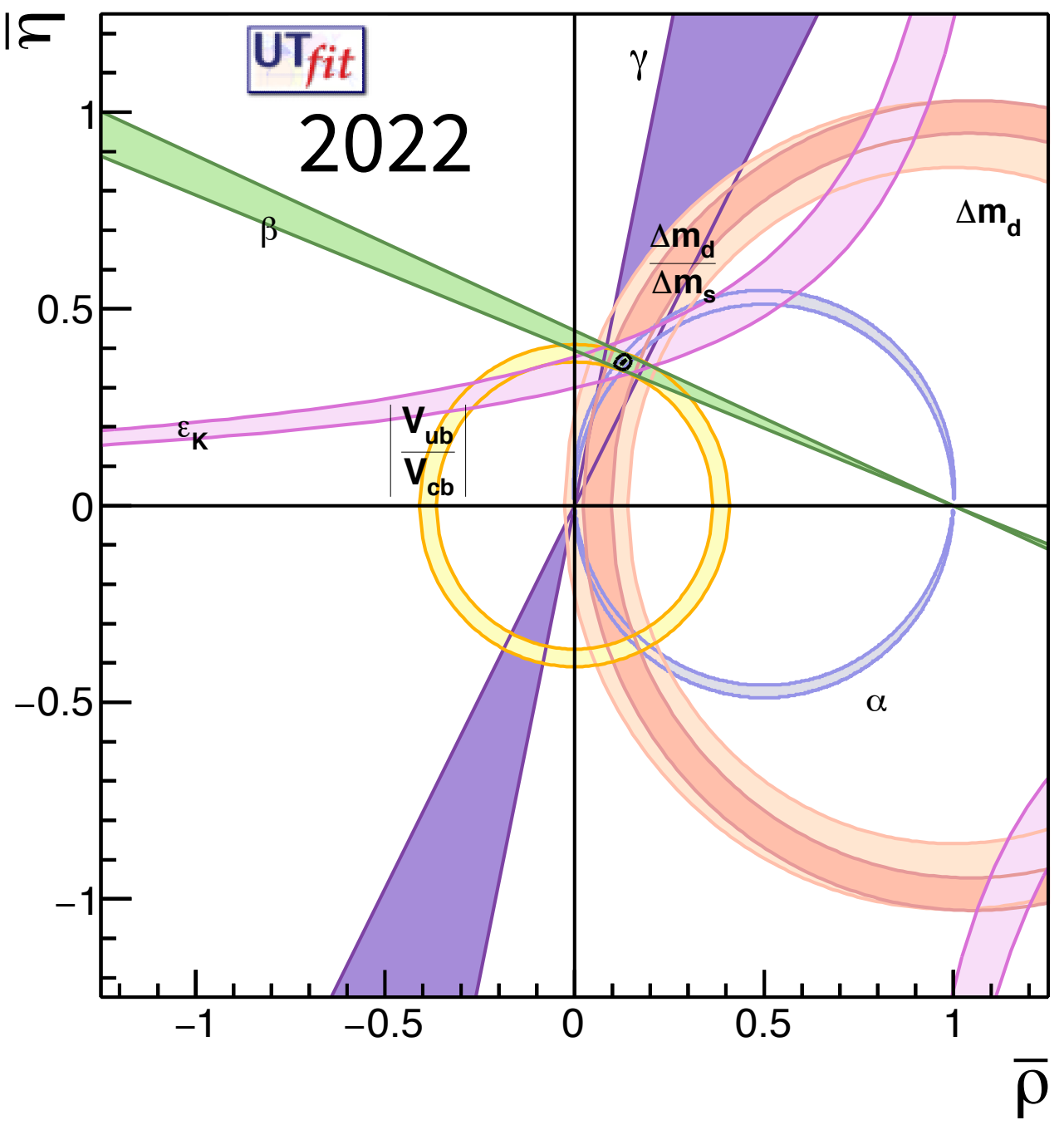
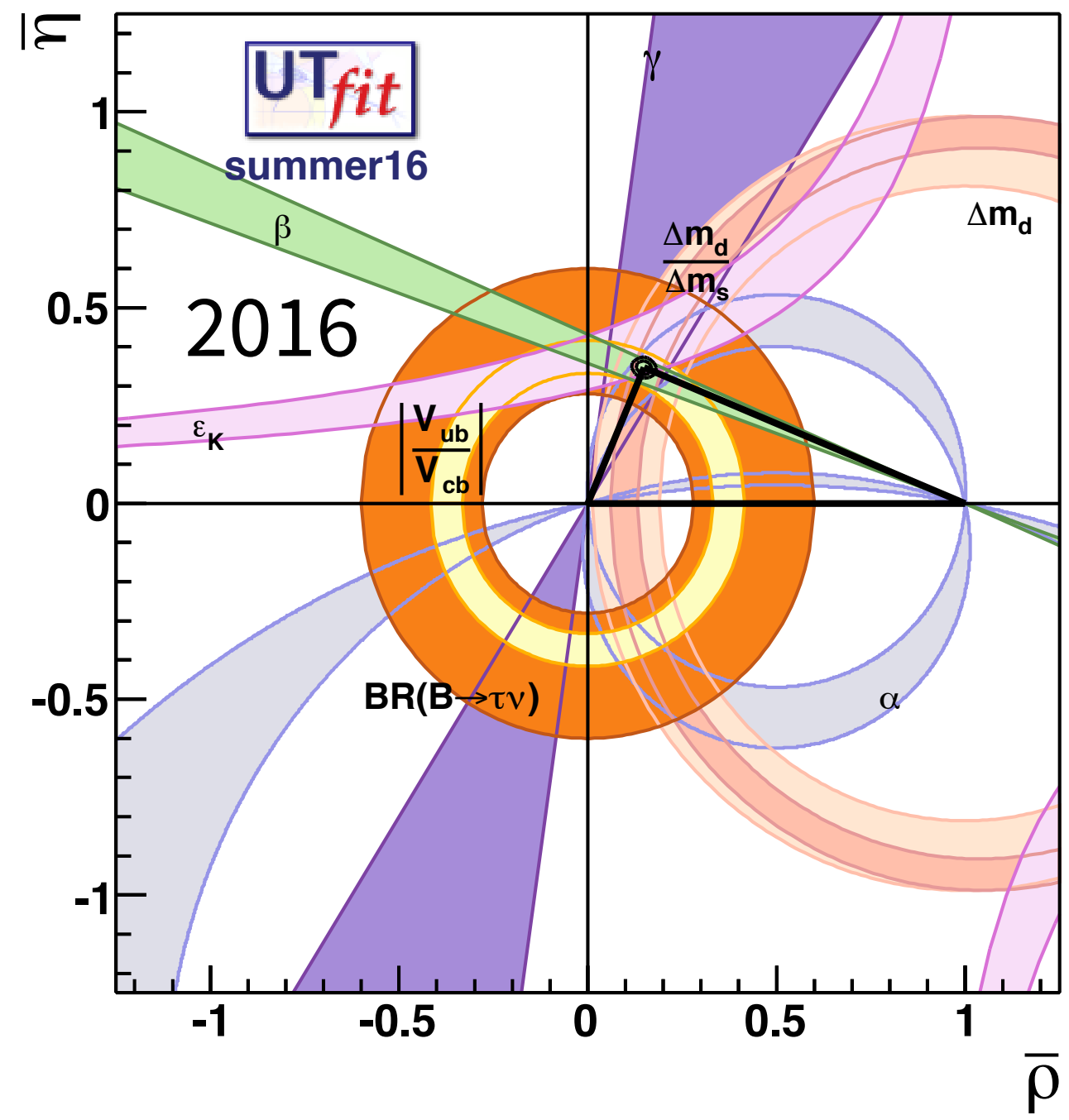
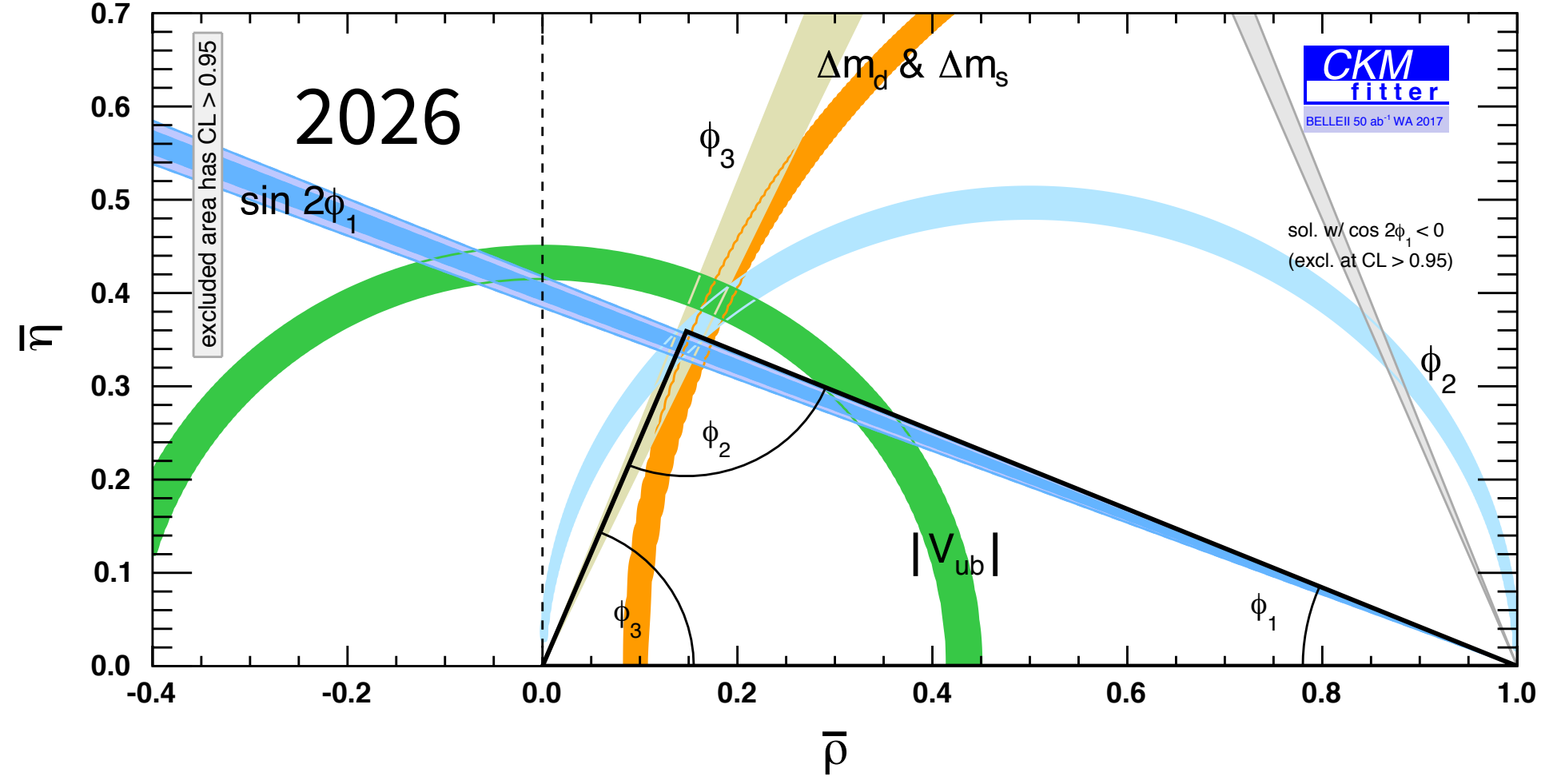


CKM Global Fit Projection: Belle II



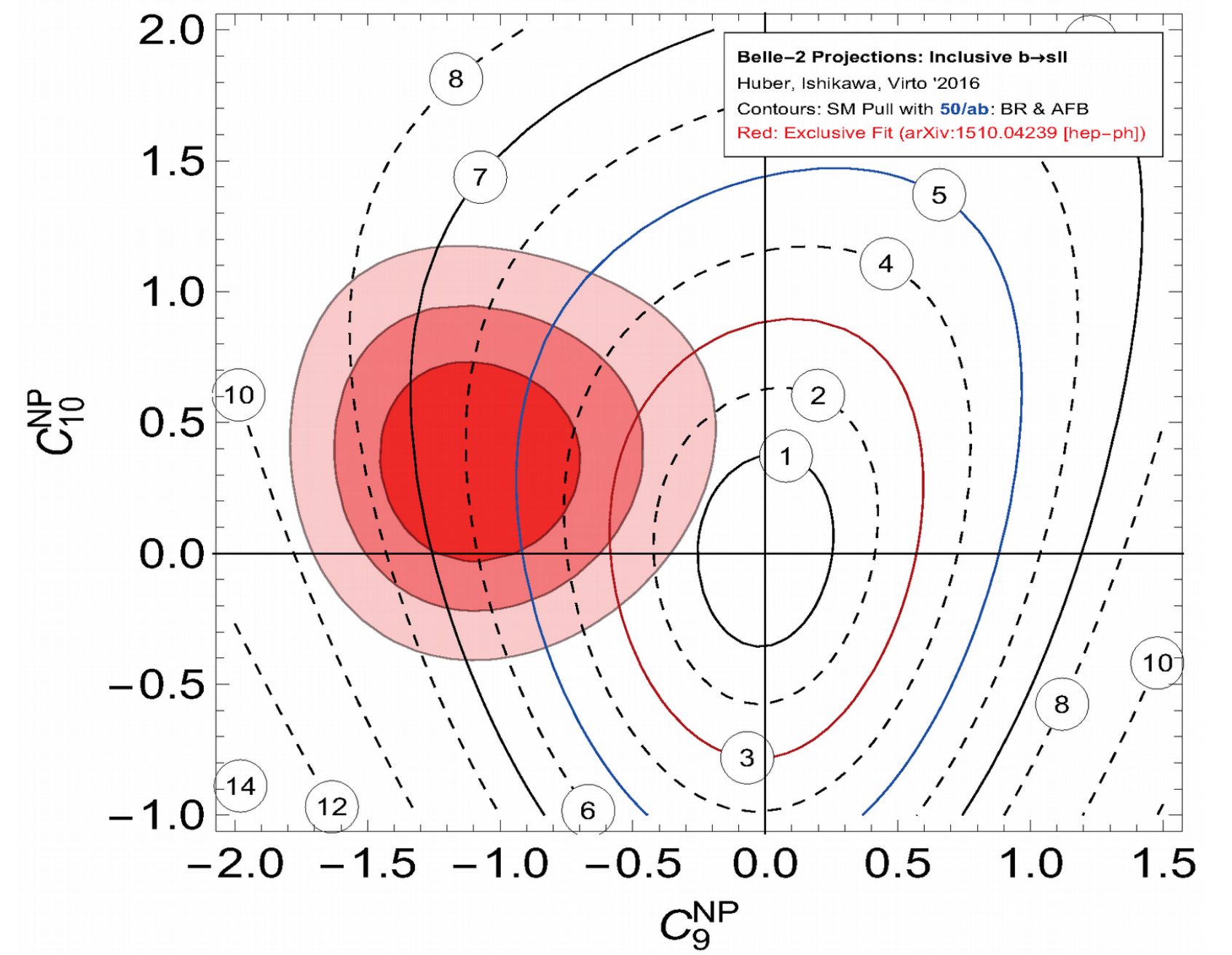
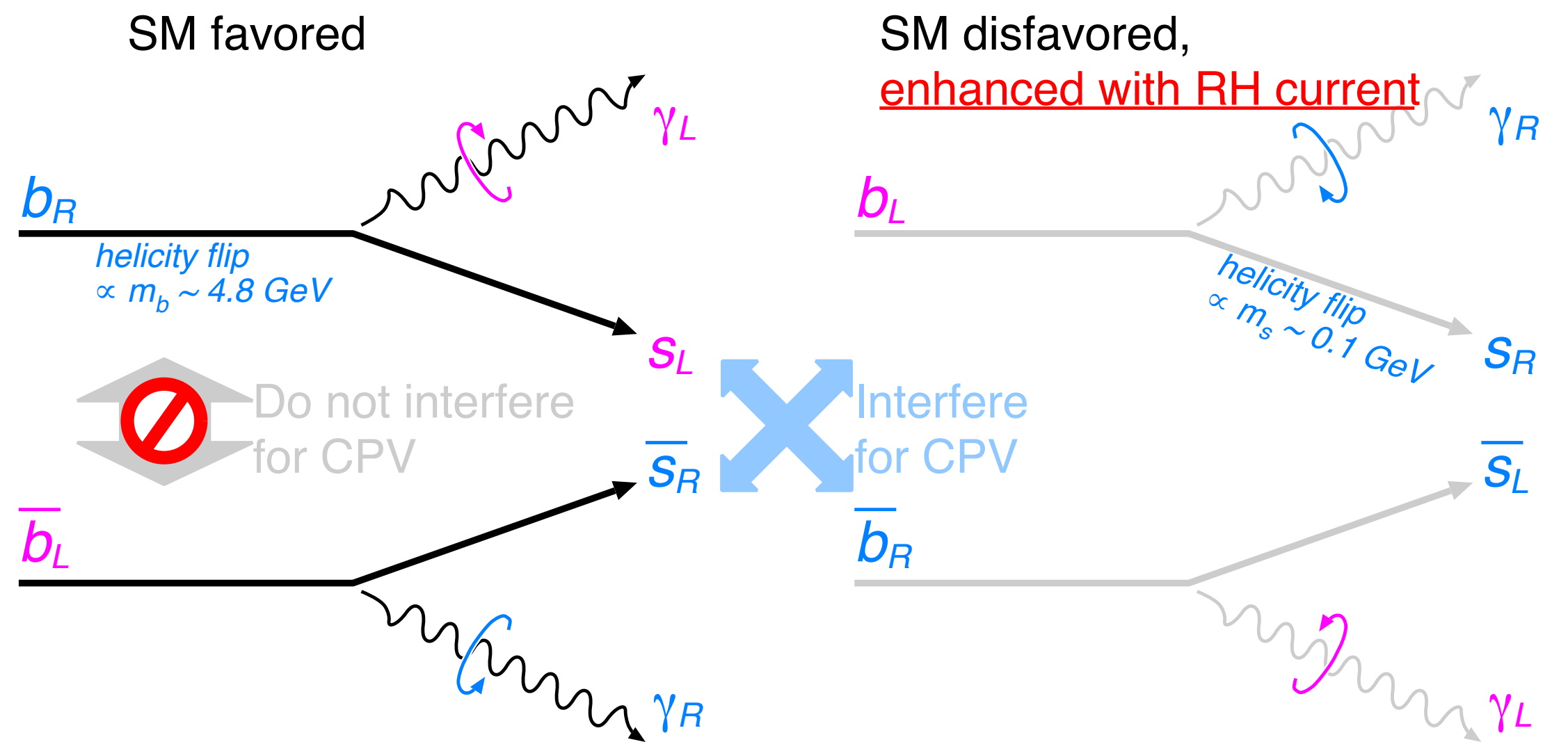
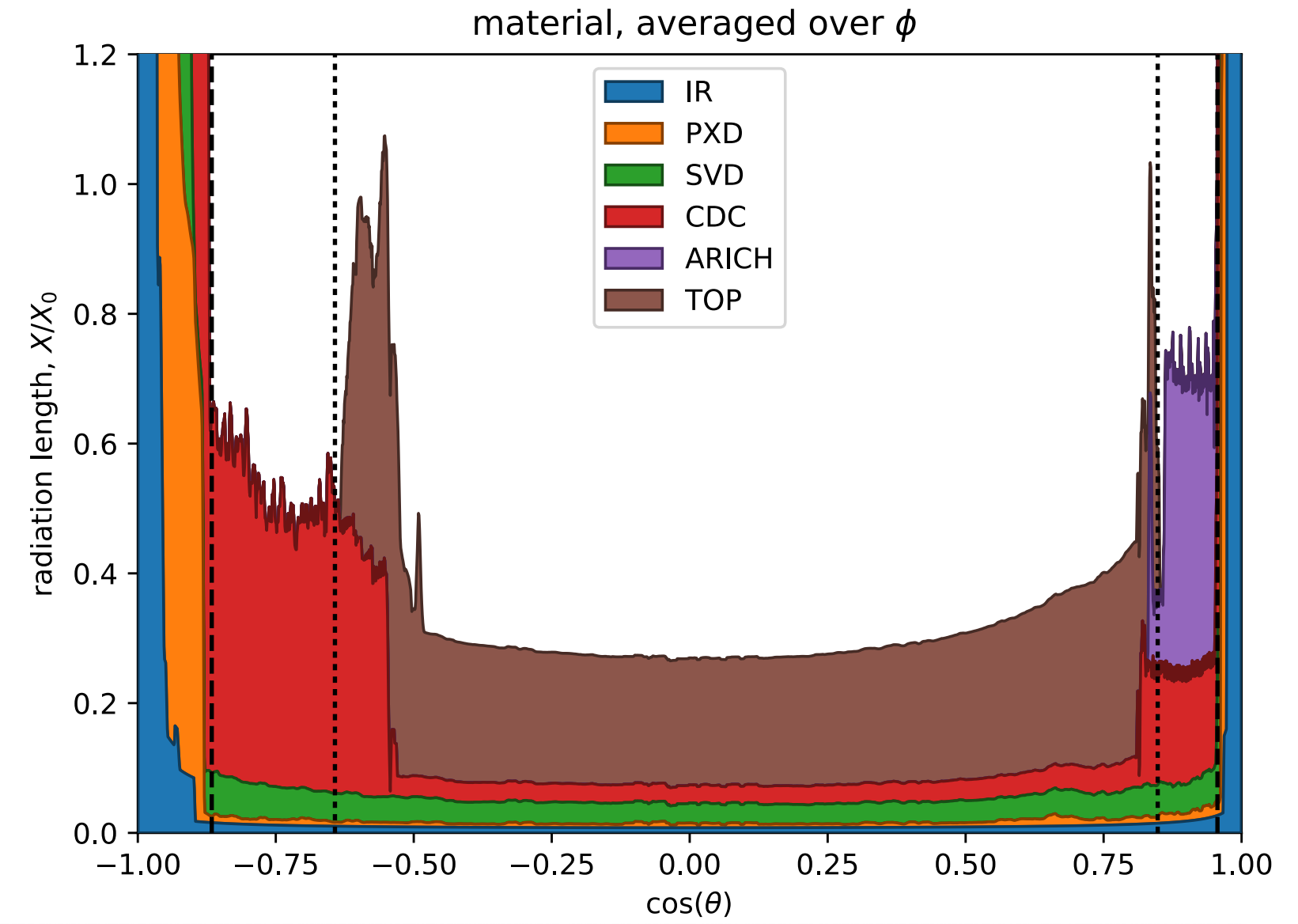
$\Phi_3 \sim 1-1.5^\circ$ at LHCb & Belle II

$|V_{ub}| \sim 1.2\%$ Belle II



Radiative and EW penguin B decays / Overview

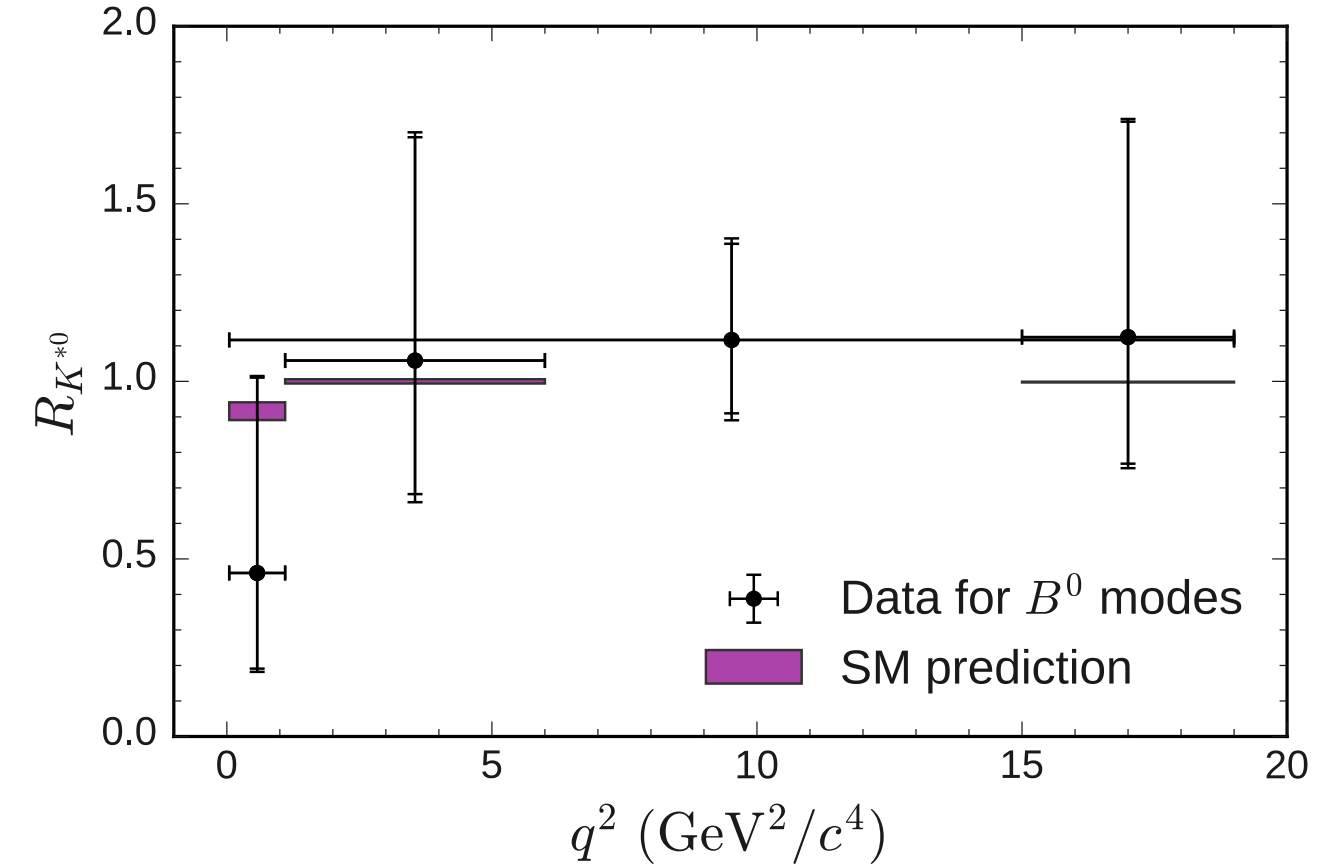
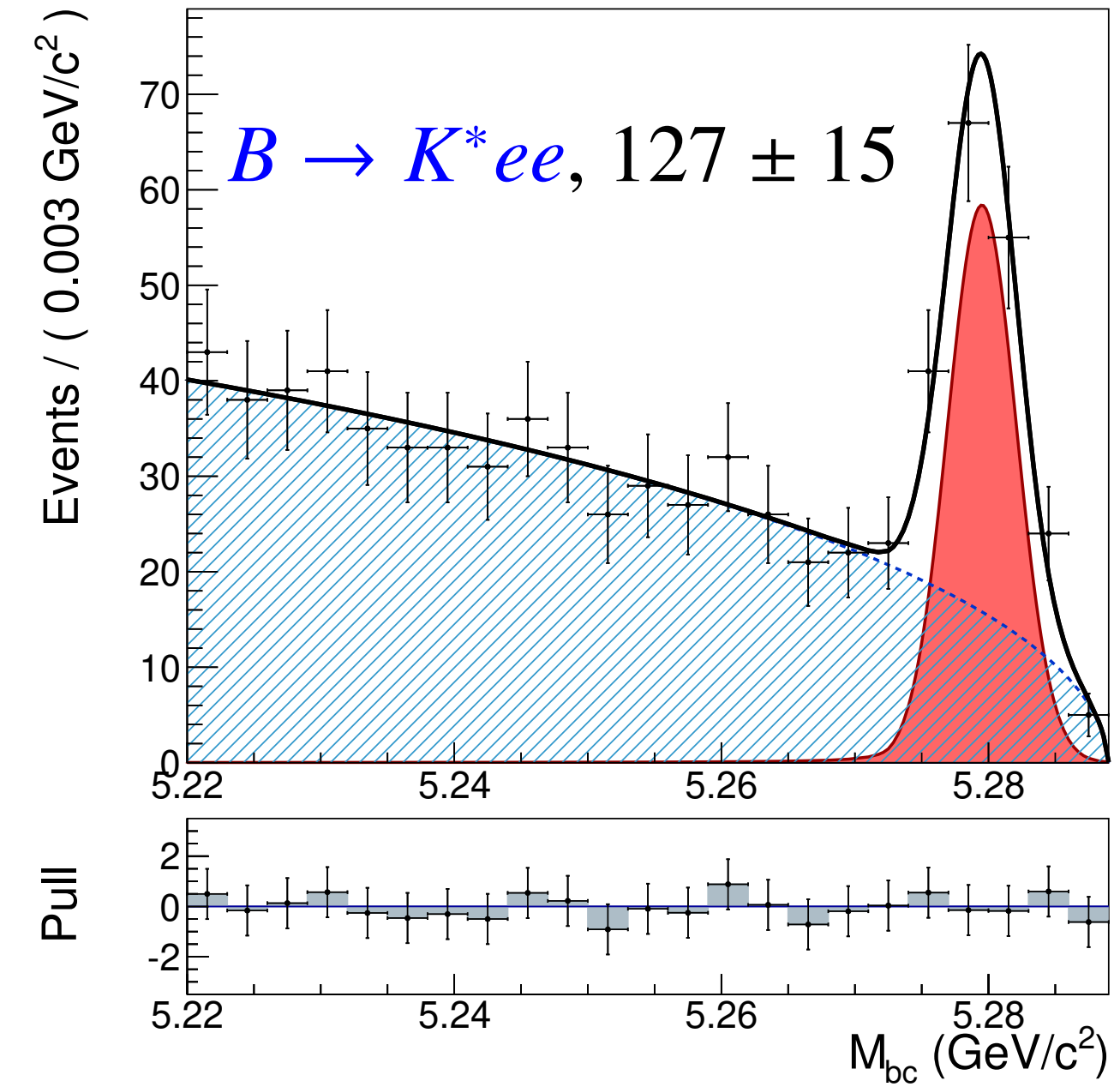
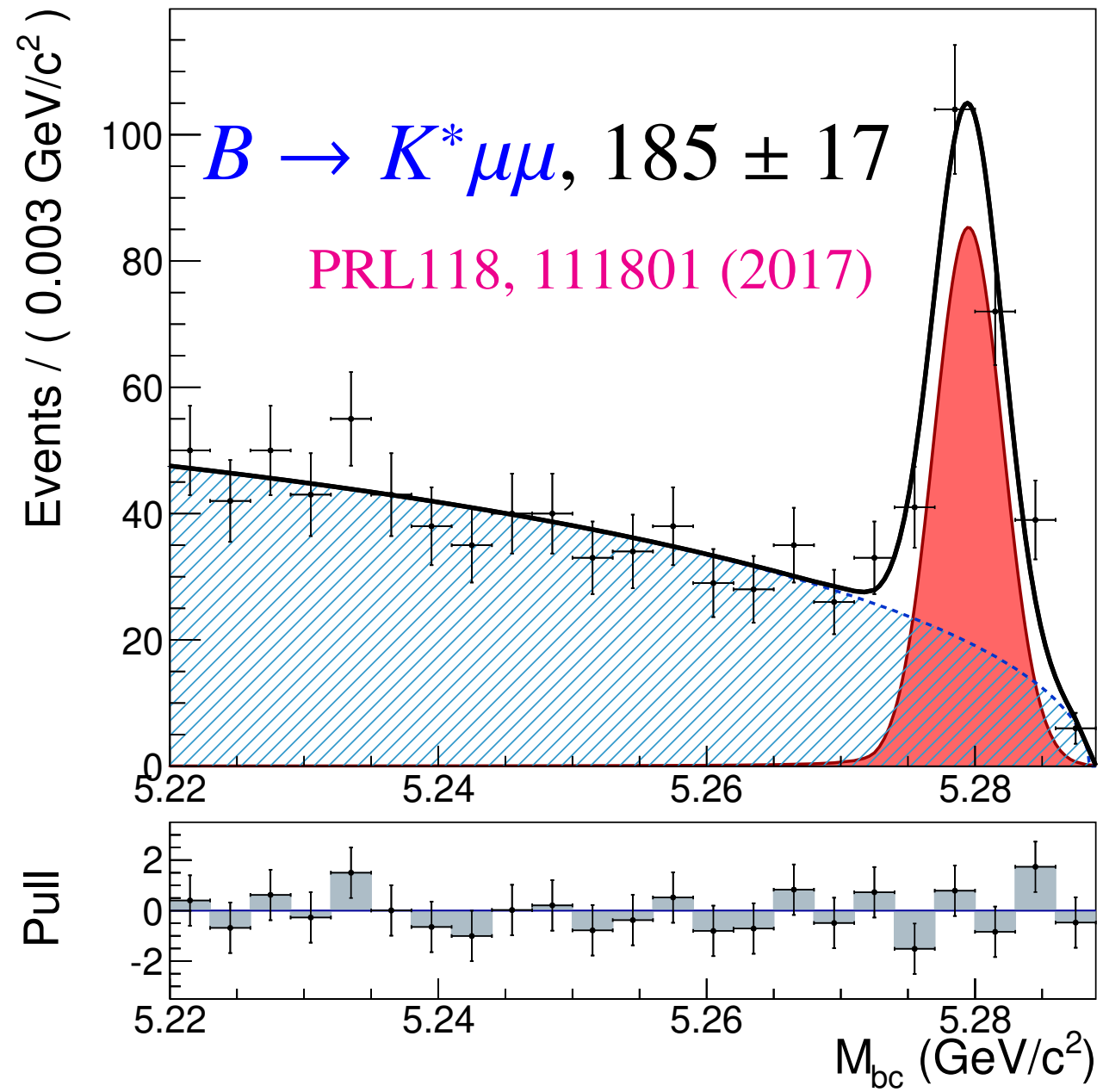
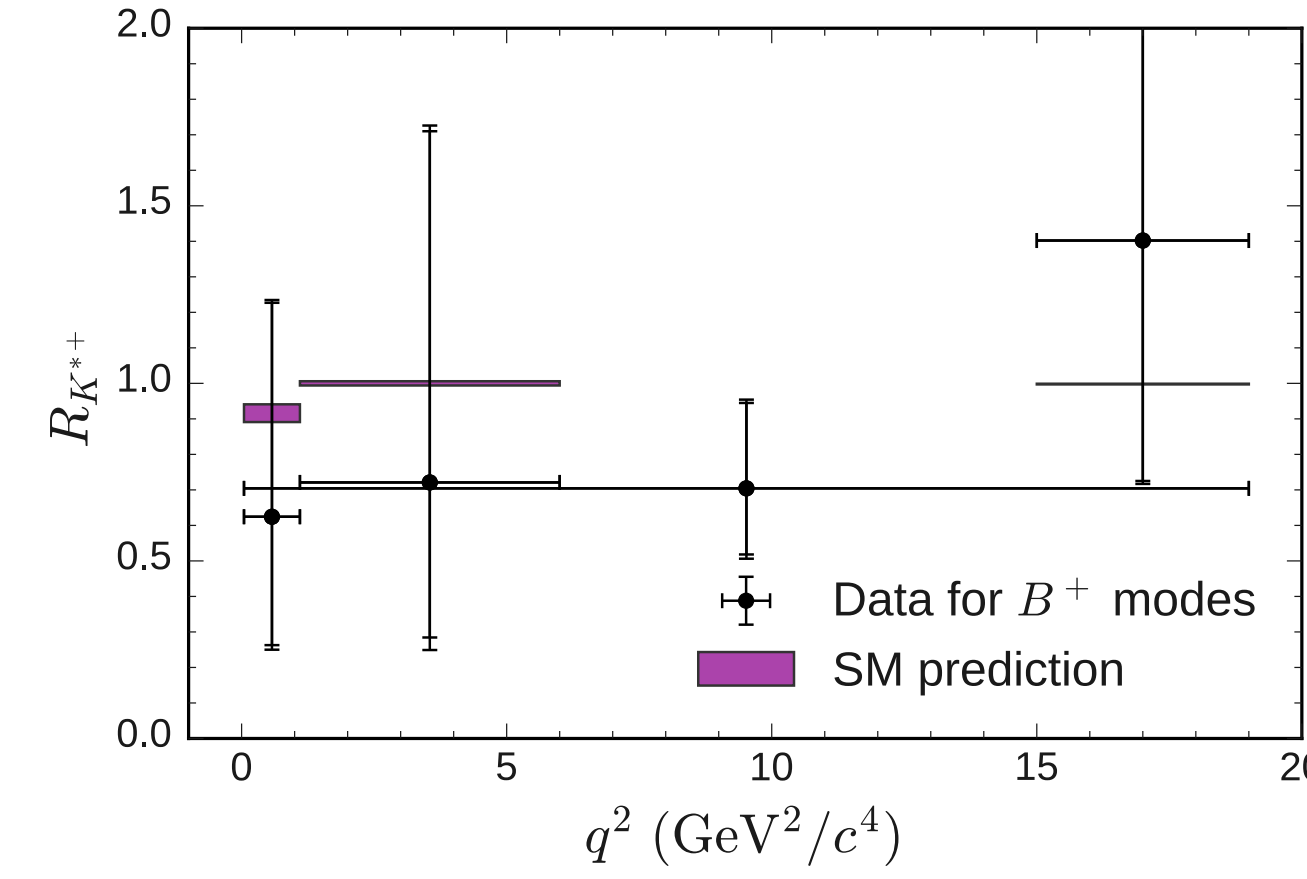
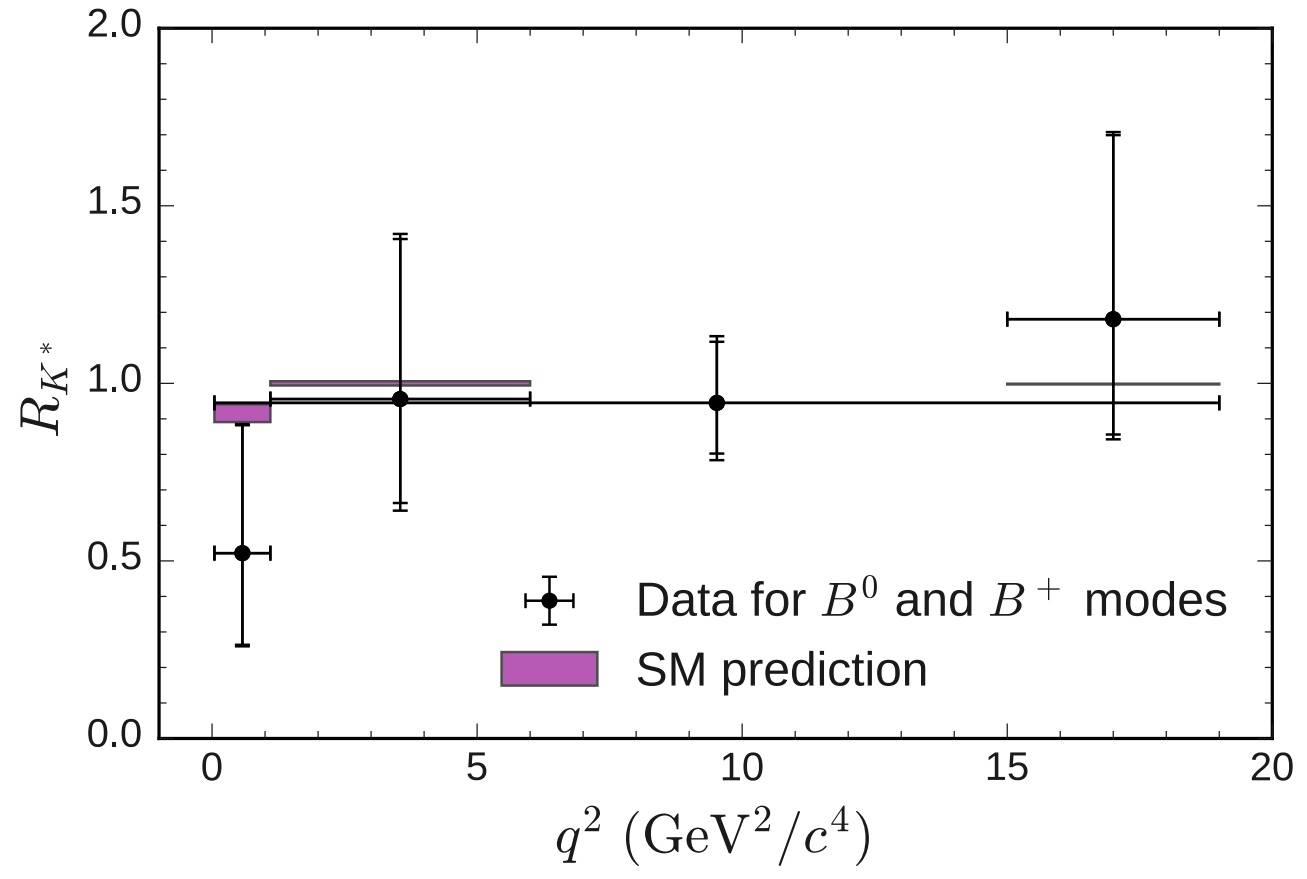
- Several tensions at the 2-3 σ level: Statistics limited at Belle II.
- Belle II dominant measurements
 - TD CPV in radiative $B_d \rightarrow \rho \gamma, K^* \gamma$
 - Inclusive spectra in $B \rightarrow X l^+ l^-$ (initially sum over exclusives with $M_{X_S} < 1.8 \text{ GeV}$, eventually: explore fully inclusive recoil).
 - Electron (low X/X_0) & τ channels
 - SM level (5 σ) in $B \rightarrow X \nu \nu$



Radiative and EW penguin B decays / Belle R_{K^*}

Belle Preliminary 2019

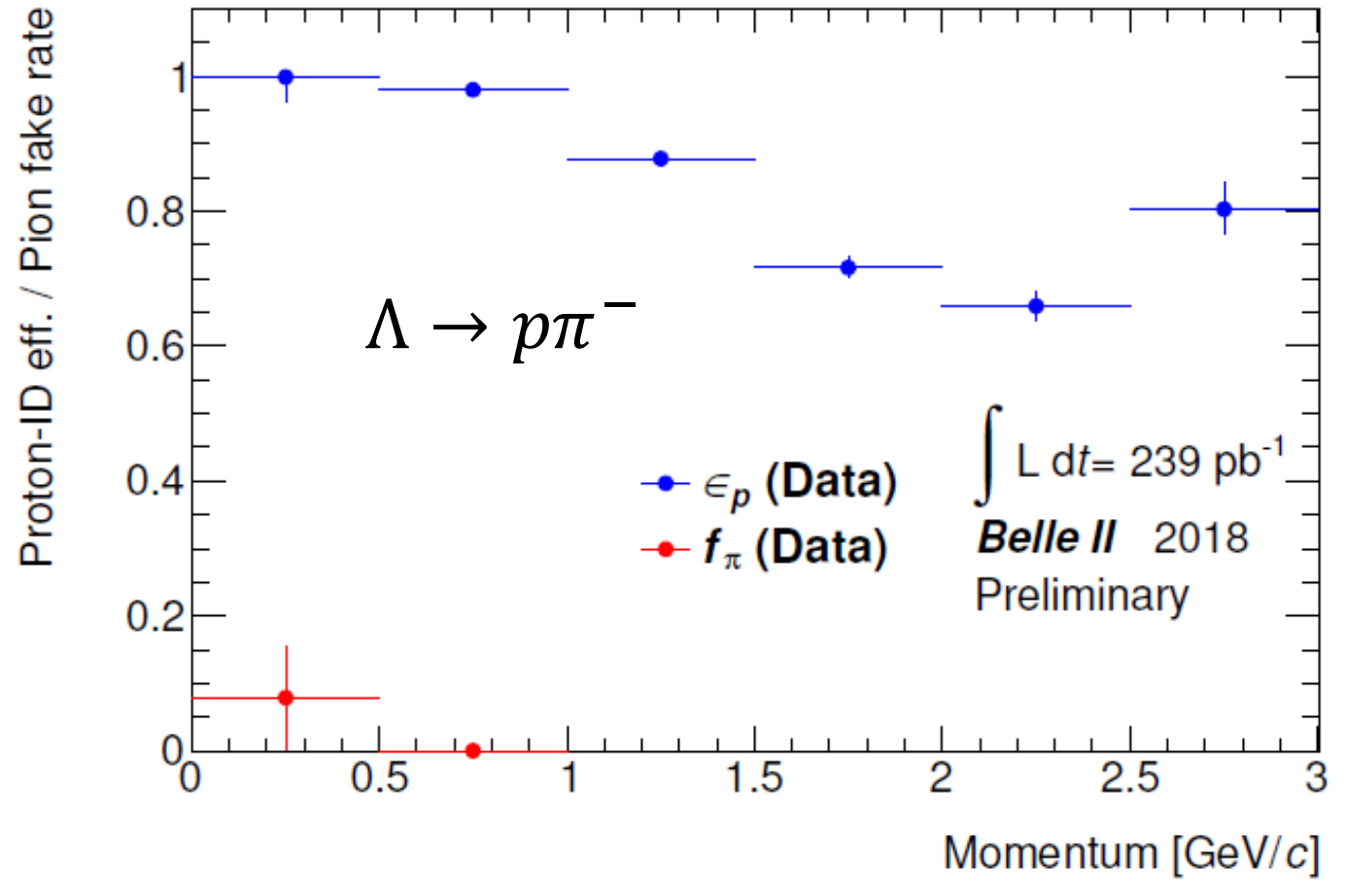
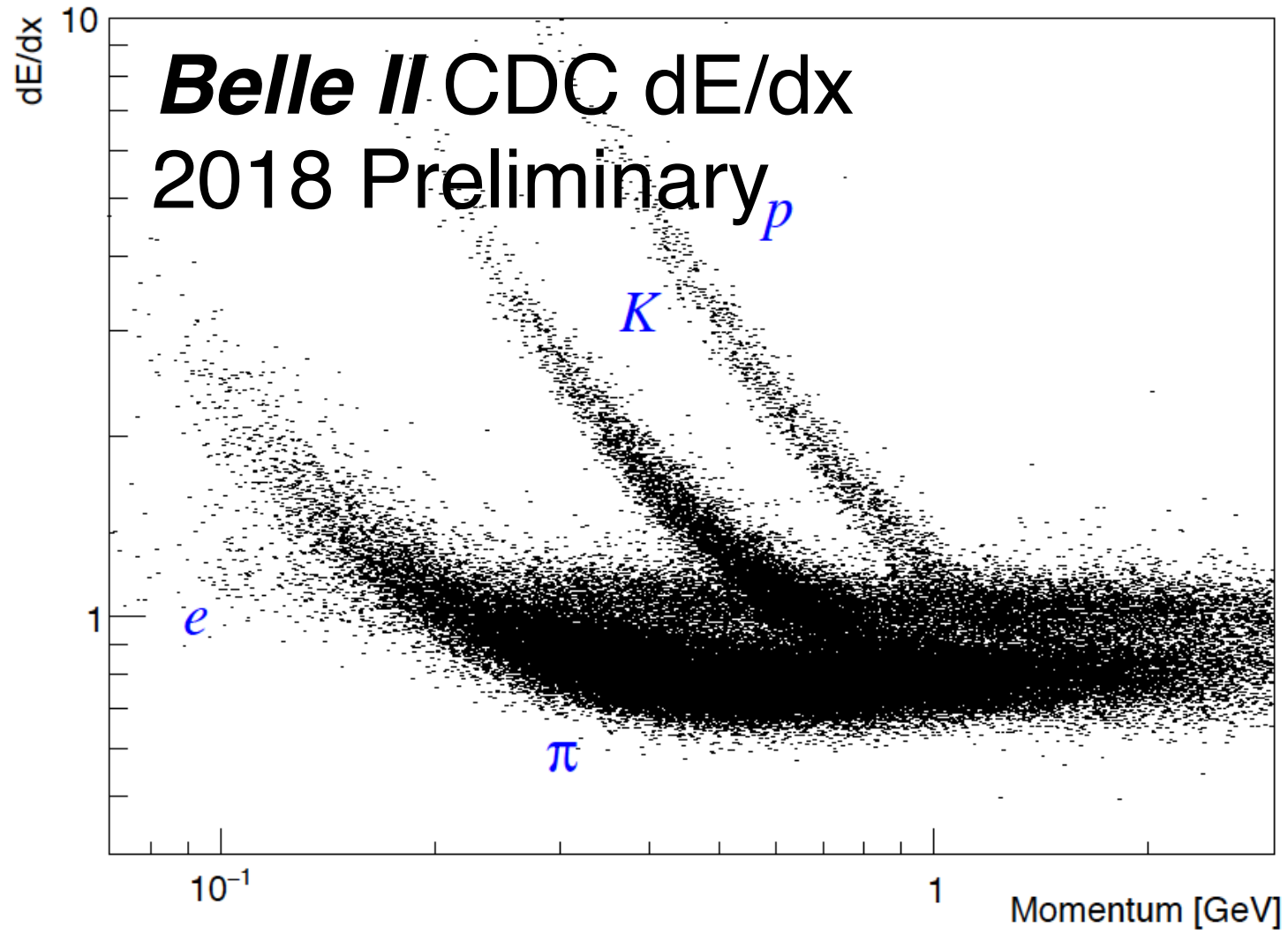
| q^2 in GeV^2/c^4 | All modes | B^0 modes | B^+ modes |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| [0.045, 1.1] | $0.52^{+0.36}_{-0.26} \pm 0.05$ | $0.46^{+0.55}_{-0.27} \pm 0.07$ | $0.62^{+0.60}_{-0.36} \pm 0.10$ |
| [1.1, 6] | $0.96^{+0.45}_{-0.29} \pm 0.11$ | $1.06^{+0.63}_{-0.38} \pm 0.13$ | $0.72^{+0.99}_{-0.44} \pm 0.18$ |
| [0.1, 8] | $0.90^{+0.27}_{-0.21} \pm 0.10$ | $0.86^{+0.33}_{-0.24} \pm 0.08$ | $0.96^{+0.56}_{-0.35} \pm 0.14$ |
| [15, 19] | $1.18^{+0.52}_{-0.32} \pm 0.10$ | $1.12^{+0.61}_{-0.36} \pm 0.10$ | $1.40^{+1.99}_{-0.68} \pm 0.11$ |
| [0.045,] | $0.94^{+0.17}_{-0.14} \pm 0.08$ | $1.12^{+0.27}_{-0.21} \pm 0.09$ | $0.70^{+0.24}_{-0.19} \pm 0.07$ |



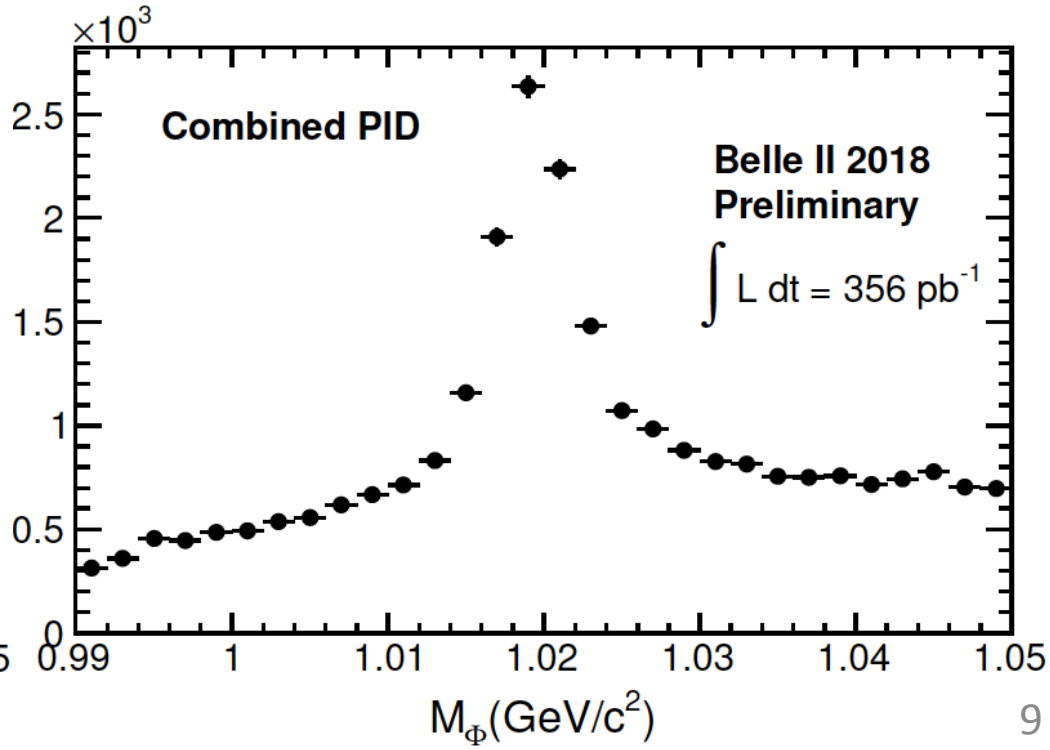
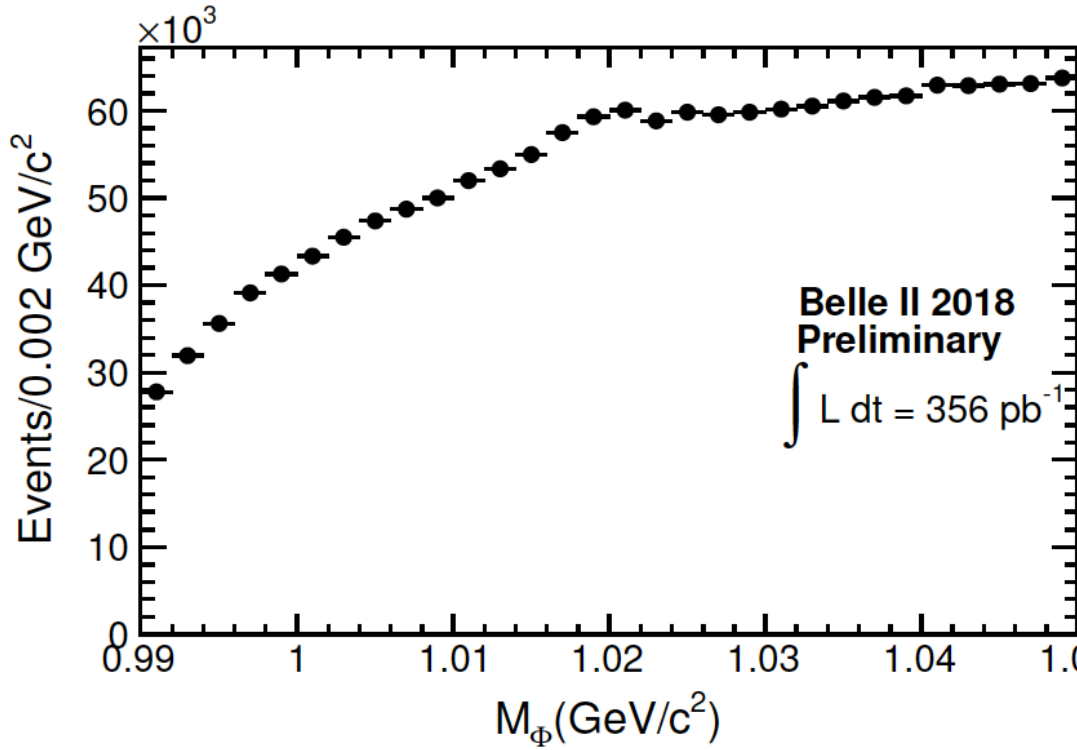
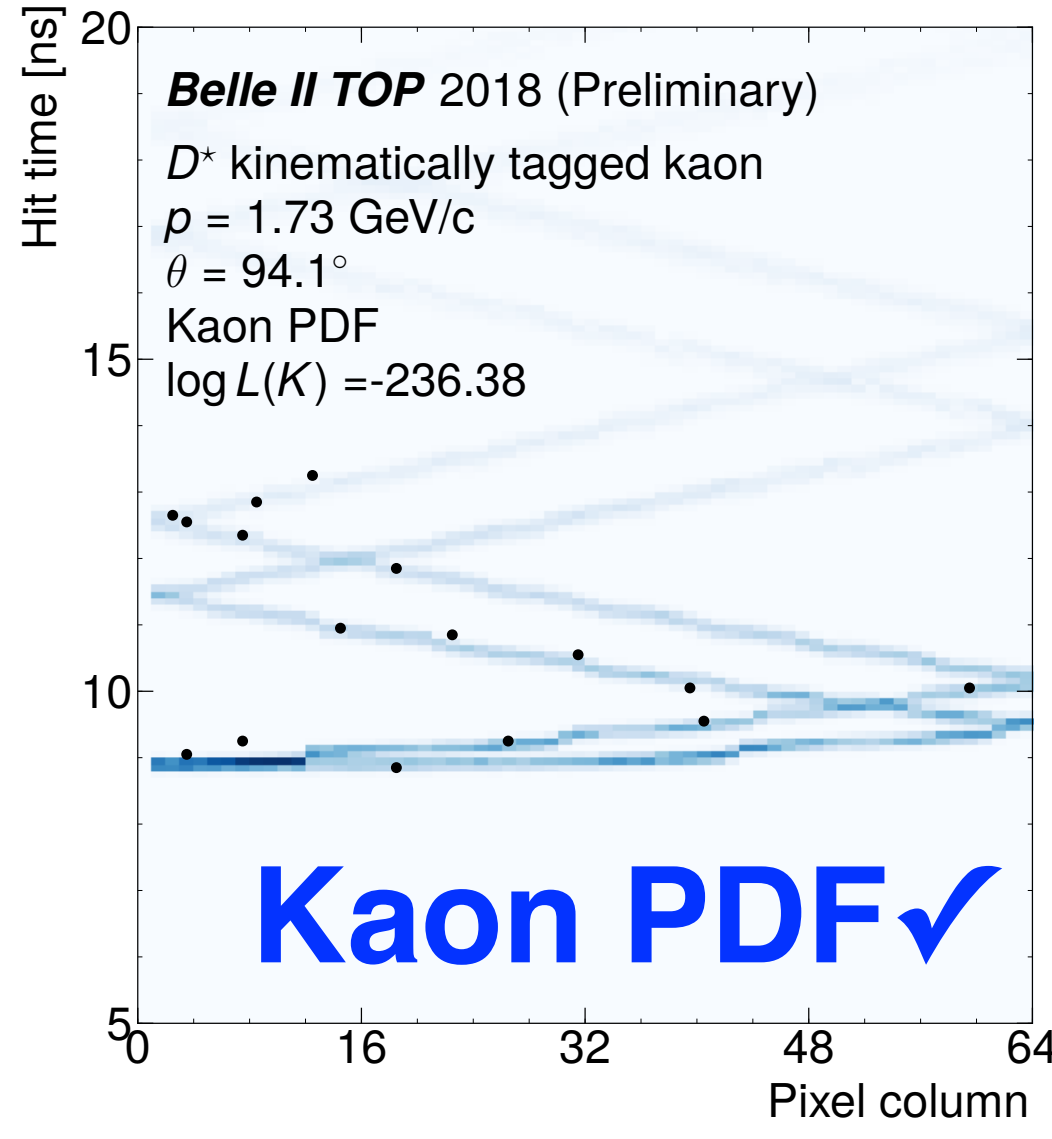
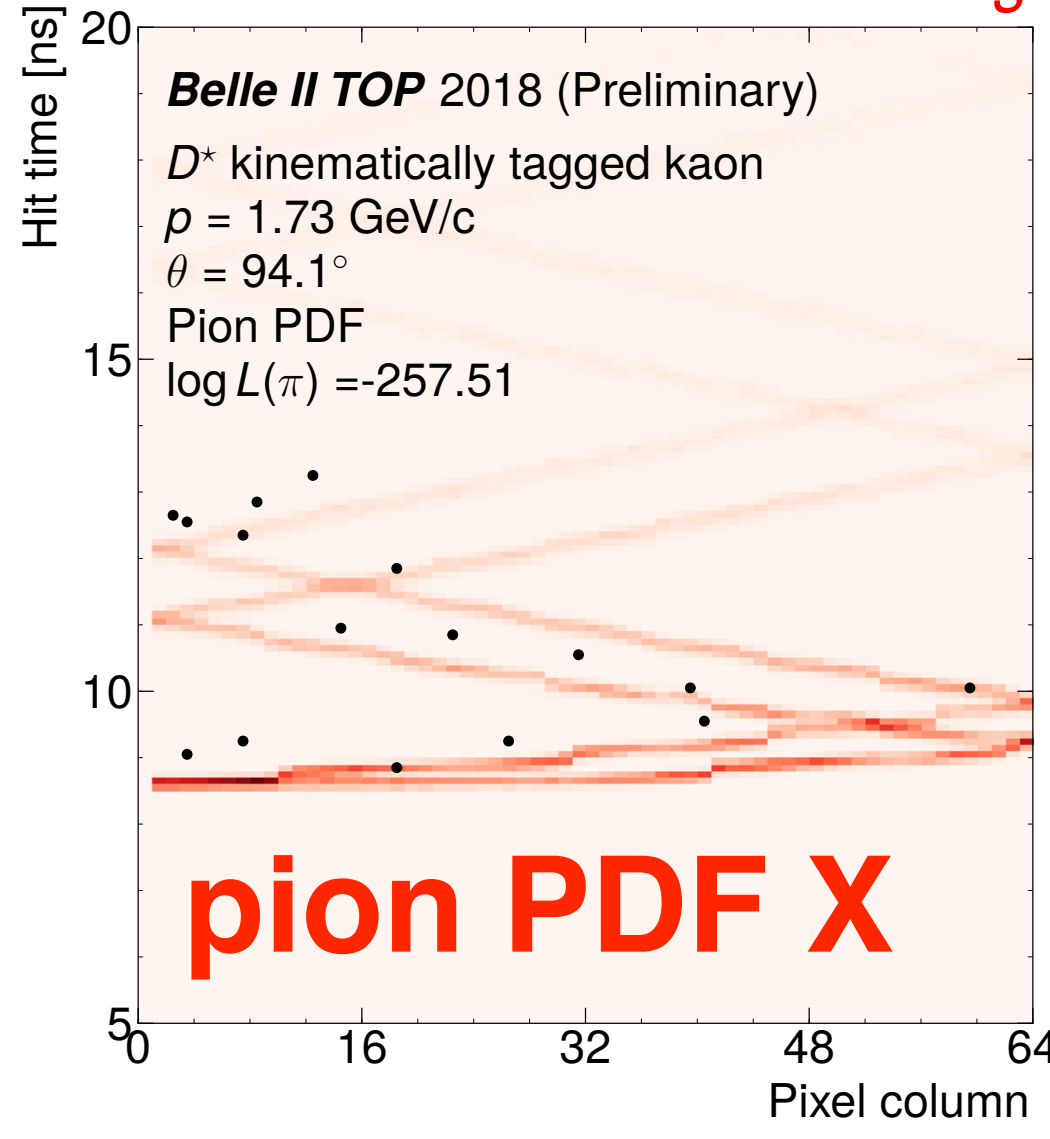
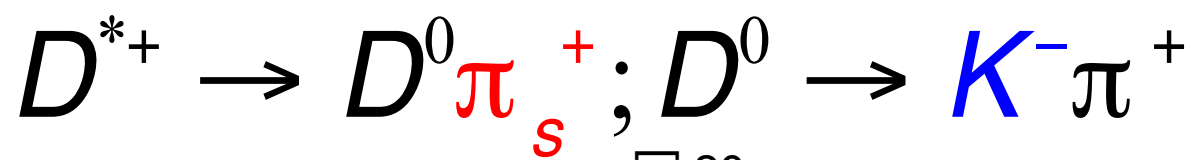
Radiative and EW penguin B decays / Performance

- **b→d γ transitions** are a key opportunity, requiring better K/π Particle ID performance than Belle.

Central Drift Chamber dE/dx & Time of propagation Cherenkov patterns - 2018 data



Kinematically identified kaon from D*+ in TOP; x vs t pattern (mapping of Cherenkov ring)

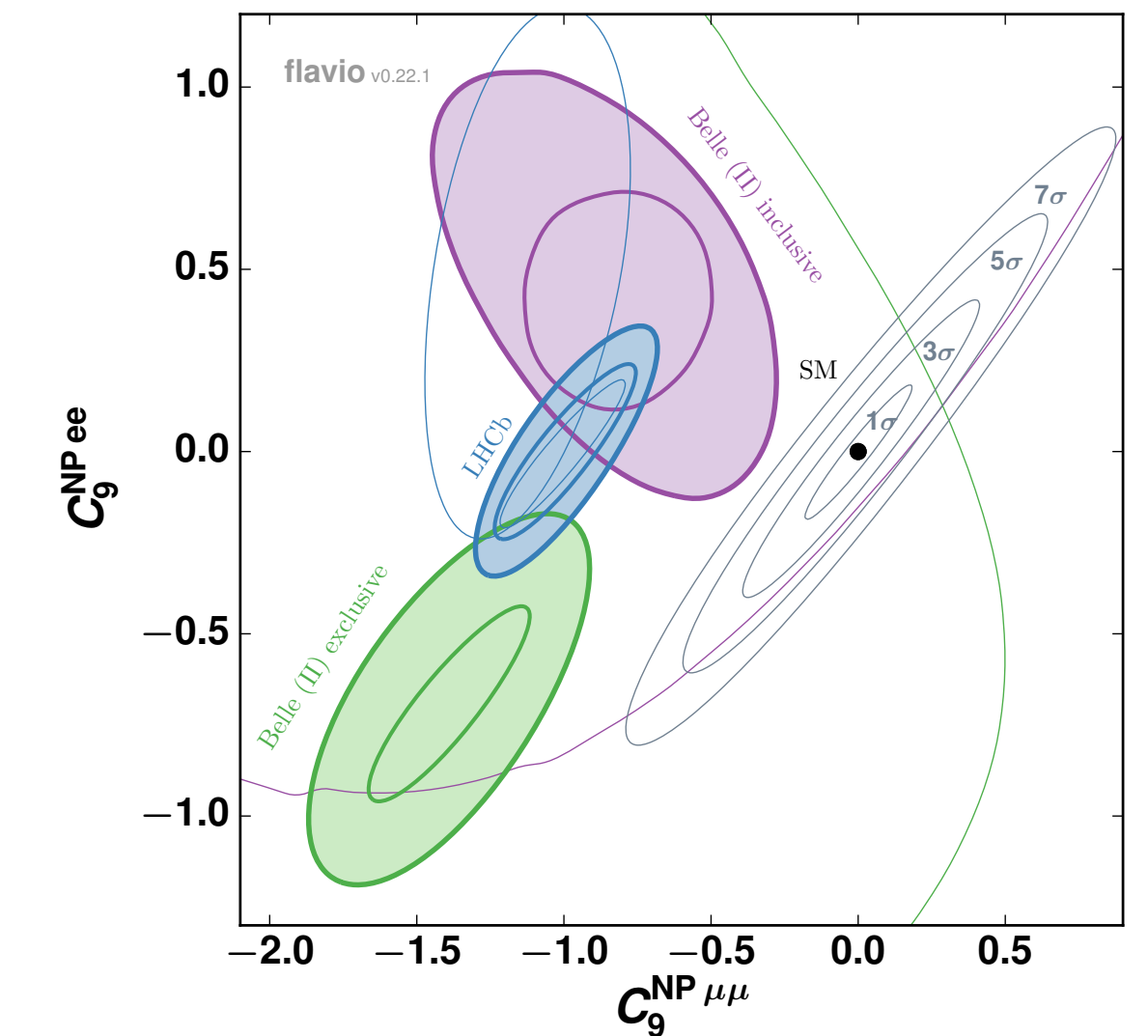
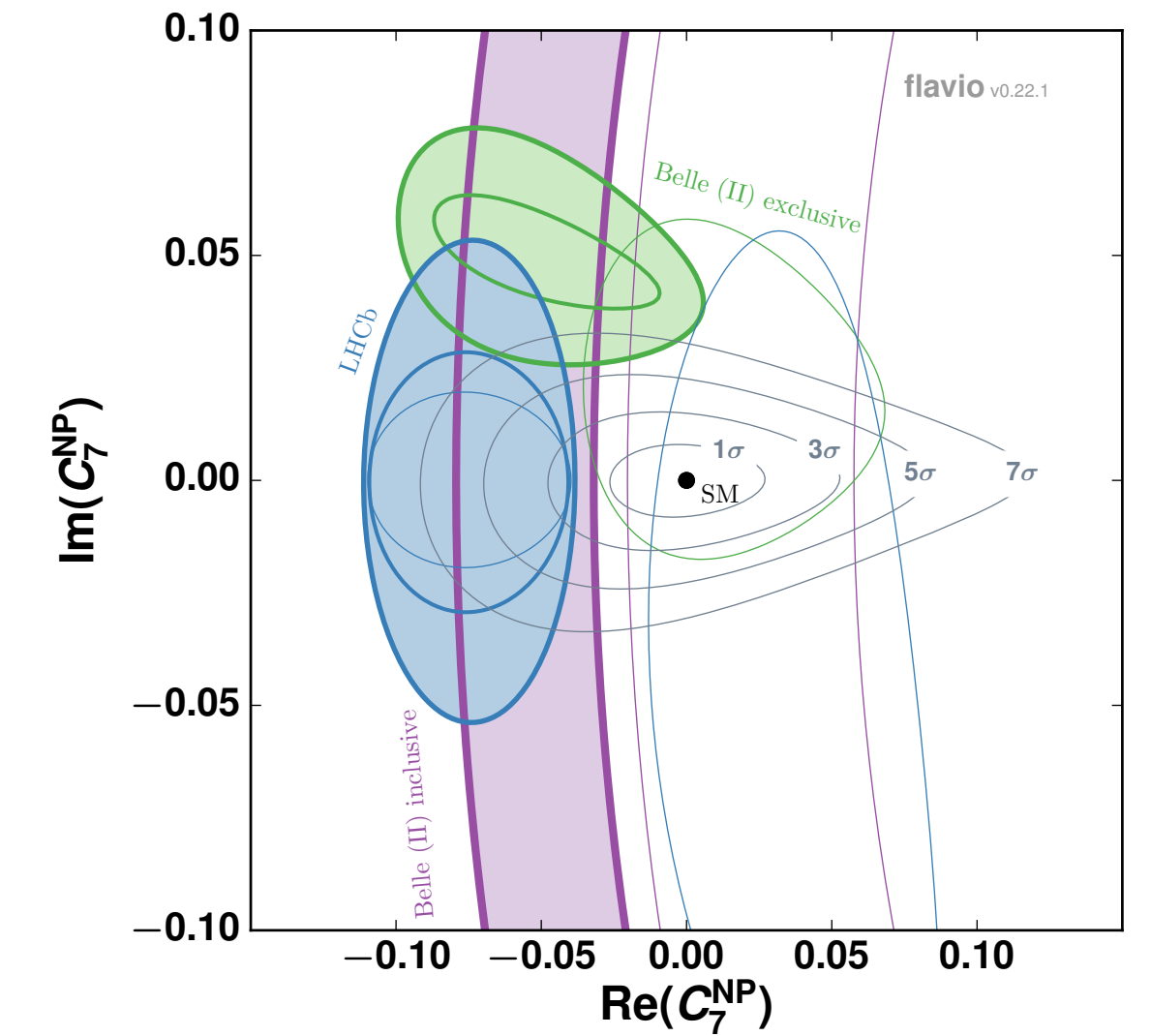


Radiative and EW penguin B decays / **Targets**

- Except for $B \rightarrow X_{s+d} \gamma$, all channels are highly statistics limited.
- Expect systematics to be subdominant beyond 50 ab^{-1}
- Key to understand beam **background induced efficiency loss and E_{ECL} degradation** in $B \rightarrow K \nu \nu$ and to be unprejudiced to NP, i.e. ALPs/axiflavons

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \sum_i (C_i O_i + C'_i O'_i) + \text{h.c.}$$

| Observables | Belle | Belle II | |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| | (2017) | 5 ab^{-1} | 50 ab^{-1} |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{*+} \nu \bar{\nu})$ | $< 40 \times 10^{-6}$ | 25% | 9% |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^+ \nu \bar{\nu})$ | $< 19 \times 10^{-6}$ | 30% | 11% |
| $A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_{s+d} \gamma) [10^{-2}]$ | $2.2 \pm 4.0 \pm 0.8$ | 1.5 | 0.5 |
| $S(B \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \gamma)$ | $-0.10 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.07$ | 0.11 | 0.035 |
| $S(B \rightarrow \rho \gamma)$ | $-0.83 \pm 0.65 \pm 0.18$ | 0.23 | 0.07 |
| $A_{FB}(B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+ \ell^-) (1 < q^2 < 3.5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$ | 26% | 10% | 3% |
| $Br(B \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) / Br(B \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-)$ ($1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$) | 28% | 11% | 4% |
| $Br(B \rightarrow K^{*+}(892) \mu^+ \mu^-) / Br(B \rightarrow K^{*+}(892) e^+ e^-)$ ($1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$) | 24% | 9% | 3% |
| $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \gamma \gamma)$ | $< 8.7 \times 10^{-6}$ | 23% | — |
| $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \tau \tau) [10^{-3}]$ | — | < 0.8 | — |



Belle II Physics Ultimate Precision, 50 ab⁻¹

- The full physics data taking program has just commenced!
- Beam background remediation the current (April 2019) focus.

**E. Kou, PU et al. Belle II
Physics book, arXiv:
1808.10567 (Accepted to PTEP)**

| Observables | Expected the. accuracy | Expected exp. uncertainty | Facility (2025) |
|--|------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| UT angles & sides | | | |
| ϕ_1 [°] | *** | 0.4 | Belle II |
| ϕ_2 [°] | ** | 1.0 | Belle II |
| ϕ_3 [°] | *** | 1.0 | LHCb/Belle II |
| $ V_{cb} $ incl. | *** | 1% | Belle II |
| $ V_{cb} $ excl. | *** | 1.5% | Belle II |
| $ V_{ub} $ incl. | ** | 3% | Belle II |
| $ V_{ub} $ excl. | ** | 2% | Belle II/LHCb |
| CPV | | | |
| $S(B \rightarrow \phi K^0)$ | *** | 0.02 | Belle II |
| $S(B \rightarrow \eta' K^0)$ | *** | 0.01 | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{A}(B \rightarrow K^0 \pi^0) [10^{-2}]$ | *** | 4 | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{A}(B \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-) [10^{-2}]$ | *** | 0.20 | LHCb/Belle II |
| (Semi-)leptonic | | | |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \tau \nu) [10^{-6}]$ | ** | 3% | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \mu \nu) [10^{-6}]$ | ** | 7% | Belle II |
| $R(B \rightarrow D \tau \nu)$ | *** | 3% | Belle II |
| $R(B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu)$ | *** | 2% | Belle II/LHCb |

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| Observables | Expected the. accuracy | Expected exp. uncertainty | Facility (2025) |
|--|------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Radiative & EW Penguins | | | |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)$ | ** | 4% | Belle II |
| $A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_{s,d} \gamma) [10^{-2}]$ | *** | 0.005 | Belle II |
| $S(B \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \gamma)$ | *** | 0.03 | Belle II |
| $S(B \rightarrow \rho \gamma)$ | ** | 0.07 | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \gamma \gamma) [10^{-6}]$ | ** | 0.3 | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^* \nu \bar{\nu}) [10^{-6}]$ | *** | 15% | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K \nu \bar{\nu}) [10^{-6}]$ | *** | 20% | Belle II |
| $R(B \rightarrow K^* \ell \ell)$ | *** | 0.03 | Belle II/LHCb |
| Charm | | | |
| $\mathcal{B}(D_s \rightarrow \mu \nu)$ | *** | 0.9% | Belle II |
| $\mathcal{B}(D_s \rightarrow \tau \nu)$ | *** | 2% | Belle II |
| $A_{CP}(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0) [10^{-2}]$ | ** | 0.03 | Belle II |
| $ q/p (D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-)$ | *** | 0.03 | Belle II |
| $\phi(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-) [°]$ | *** | 4 | Belle II |
| Tau | | | |
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma [10^{-10}]$ | *** | < 50 | Belle II |
| $\tau \rightarrow e \gamma [10^{-10}]$ | *** | < 100 | Belle II |
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu \mu \mu [10^{-10}]$ | *** | < 3 | Belle II/LHCb |

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- Charm covered by M Staric



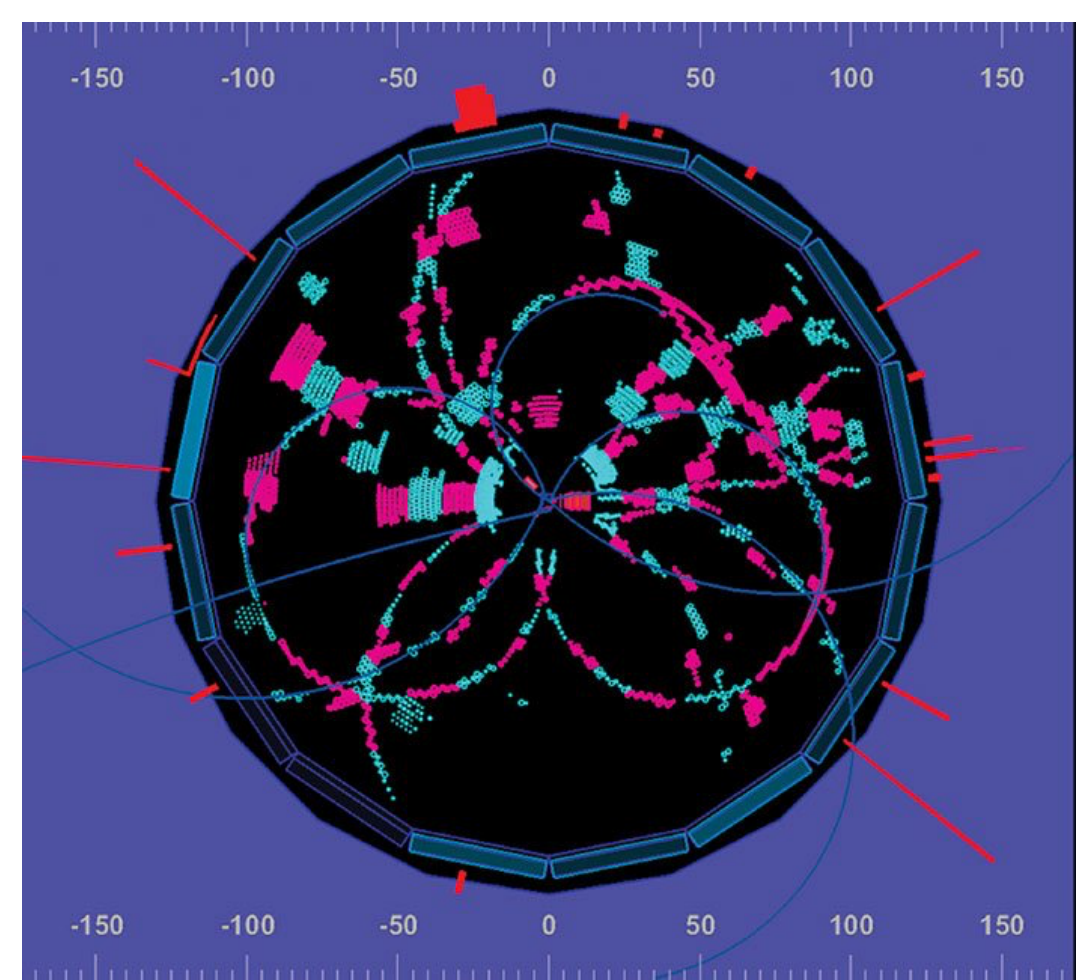
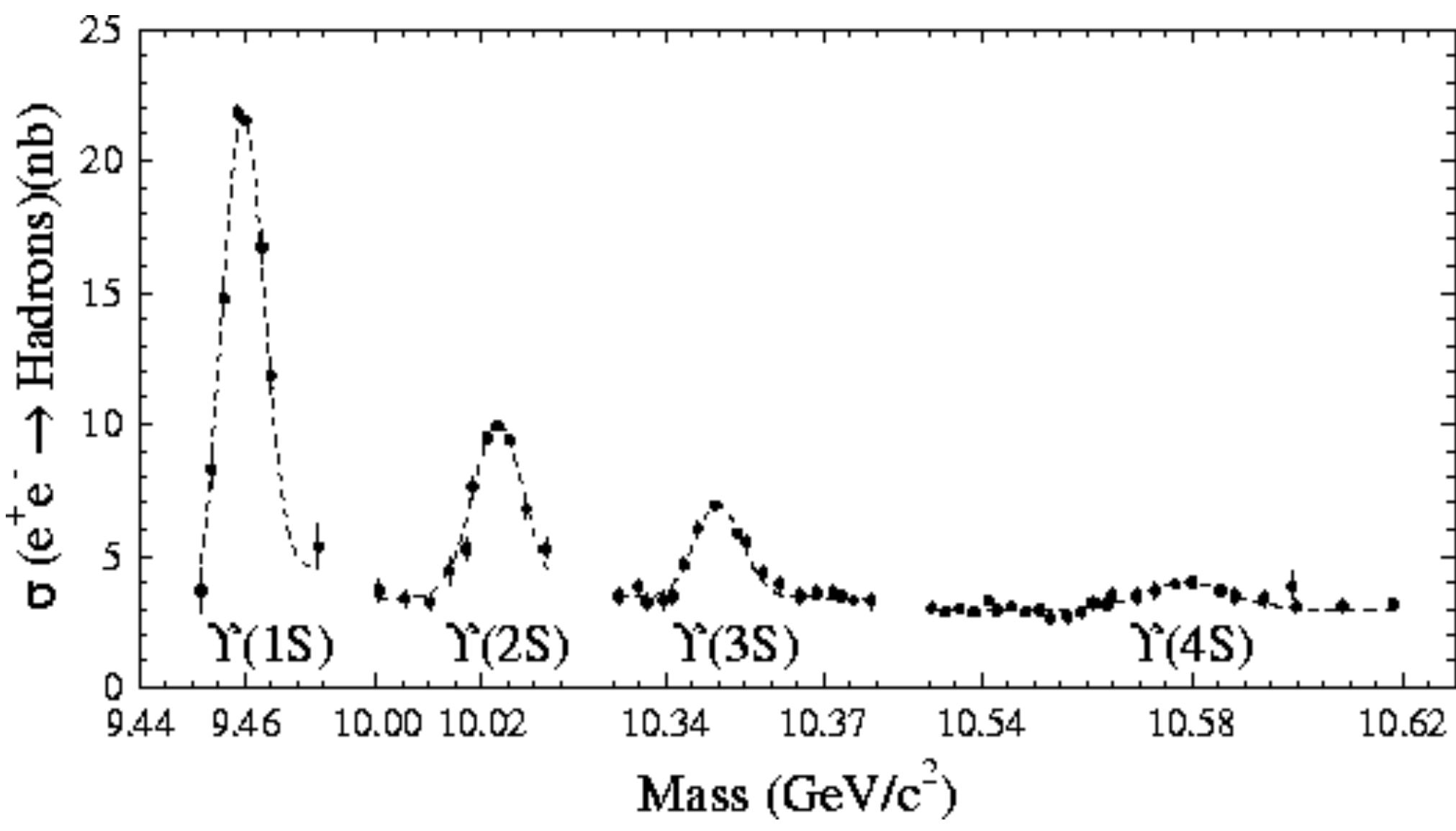
Upgrade $50 \text{ ab}^{-1} \rightarrow 250 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ (Belle III?)

- **Flavour physics has the potential to continue exploring new physics territory provided large enough samples are available.**
- Machine (SuperKEKB) upgrades are possible.
 - No concrete plan yet, just initial discussions.
 - Consider factor 5 increase in luminosity (peak and integrated).
 - Also considering possibility of polarisation.
- Exploring upgrade possibilities for Belle II.
 - Commencing studies to understand detector limits and mitigation measures
- **Open upgrade effort (not just Belle II members).**
 - **Also open to new ideas from theory for new flavour measurements.**

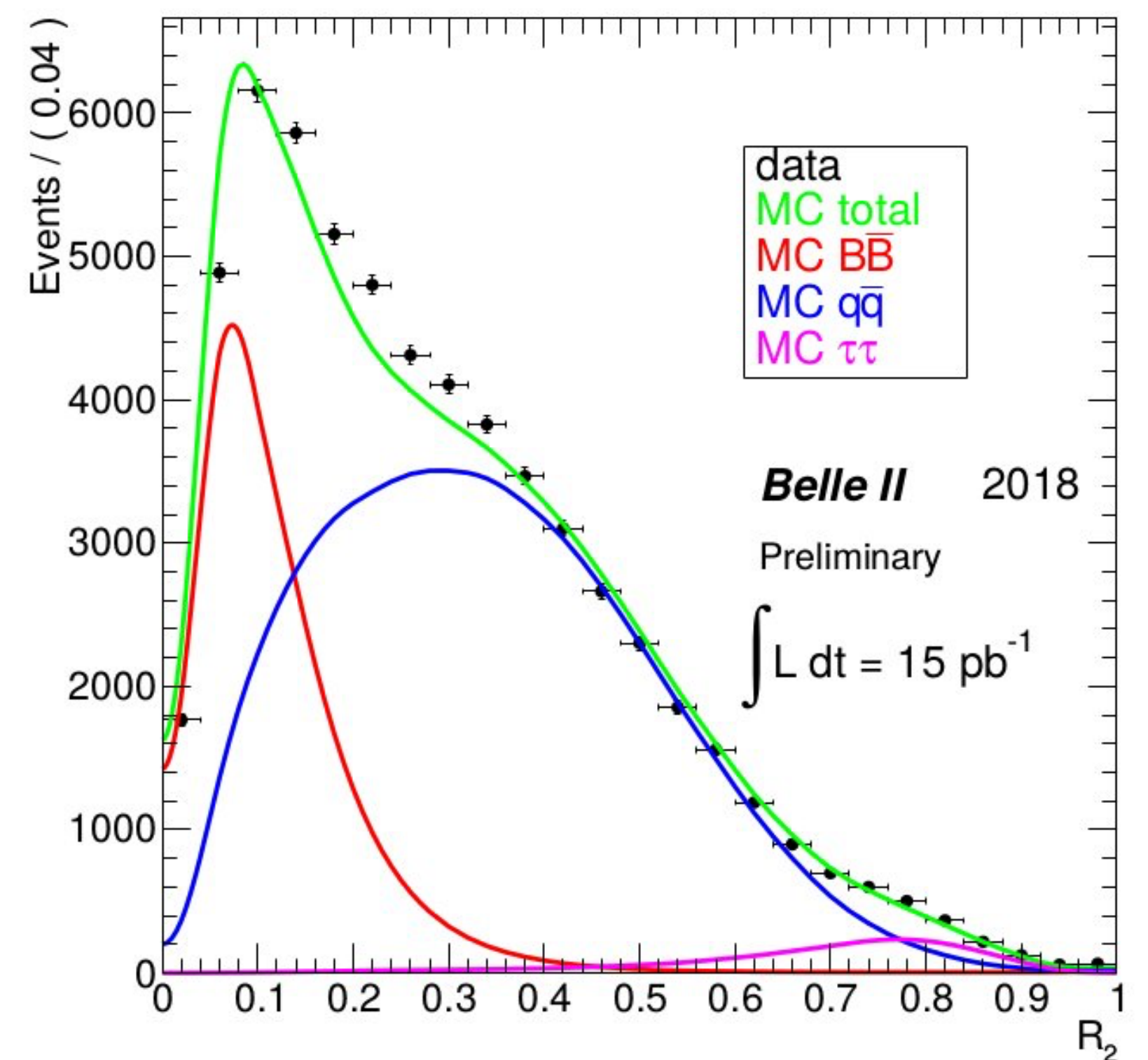
Backup

B production

B pairs produced at rest in the CM with no extra particles



Probably a Y(4S) event



Event Topology (fits to R_2) tells us we are seeing B's

- We are on the Y(4S) resonance and recording B anti-B pairs with ~99% efficiency.
- *Not so obvious: When we change accelerator optics, we remain on Y(4S).*

$$R_2 = H_2/H_0$$

$$H_l = \sum_{ij} \frac{|P_i| |P_j|}{E_{vis}^2} P_l(\cos \theta_{ij})$$

Leptonic and Semileptonic Decay

- 3-ways to measure $|V_{CKM}|$ with leptonic and semileptonic decays

- **Leptonic:** decay constant from LQCD

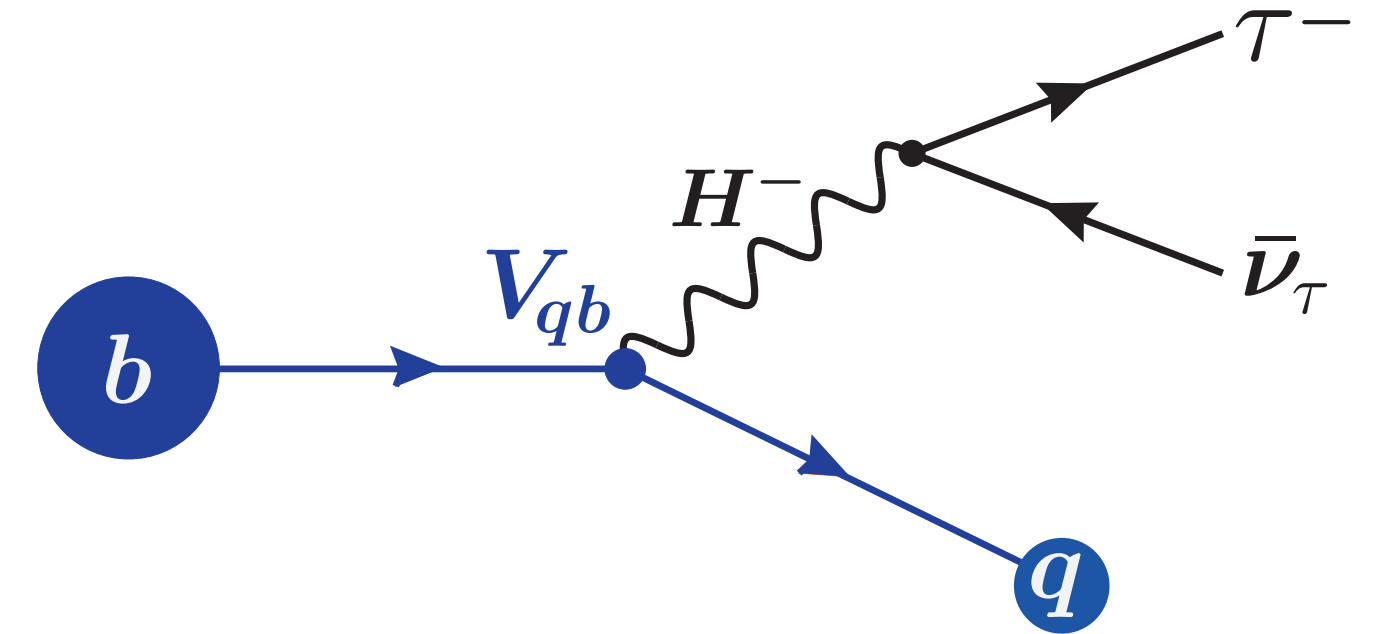
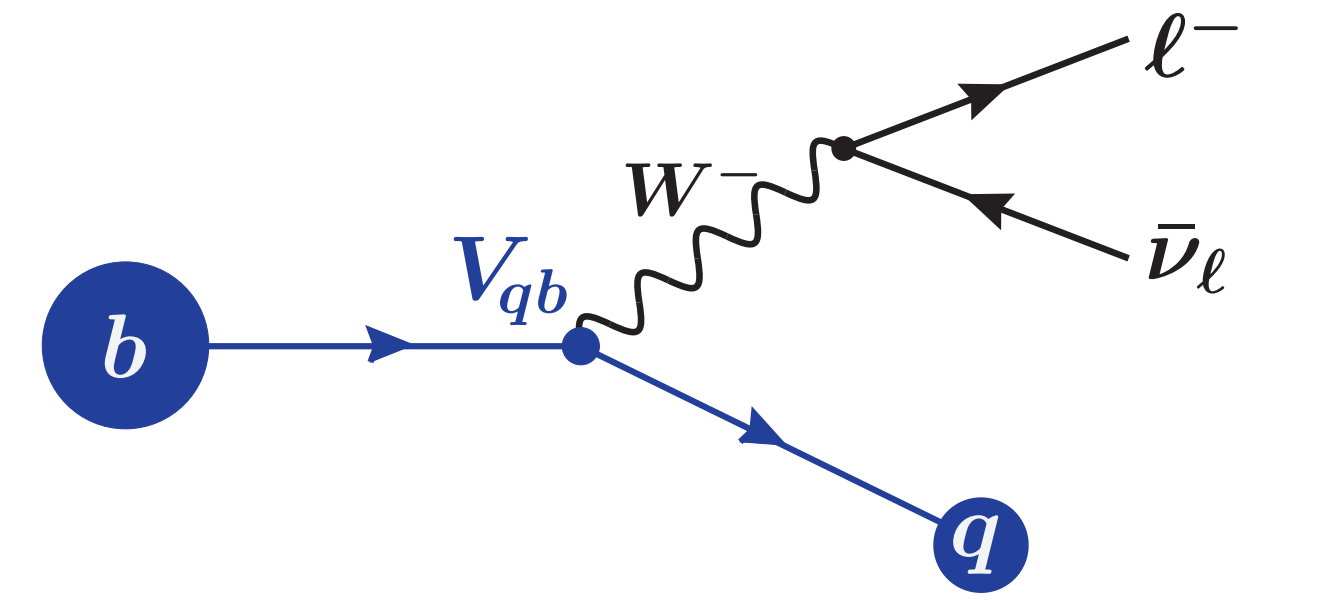
$$\Gamma(B \rightarrow \ell_1 \ell_2) = \frac{M_B}{4\pi} |G|^2 f_B^2 \zeta_{12} \frac{\lambda_{12}^{1/2}}{M_B^2} \quad G = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{ub}, \quad (m_{\nu_\ell} \rightarrow 0)$$

- **Exclusive semileptonic:** form factor parameterisation with normalisation from LQCD or Light Cone Sum Rules

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = C_q |\eta_{EW}|^2 \frac{G_F^2 |V_{qb}|^2}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\lambda^{1/2}}{4M_B^3} \frac{\lambda_{12}^{1/2}}{q^2} \left\{ q^2 \beta_{12} \left[|H_+|^2 + |H_-|^2 + |H_0|^2 \right] + \zeta_{12} |H_s|^2 \right\}$$

- **Inclusive semileptonic:** Heavy quark symmetry if you measure the full rate, described by heavy quark expansion

$$\Gamma(B \rightarrow X_c \ell \nu) = \frac{G_F^2 m_b^5}{192\pi^3} |V_{cb}|^2 \left[[1 + A_{ew}] A_{nonpert} A_{pert} \right]$$



$$\lambda_{12} = (M_B^2 - m_1^2 - m_2^2)^2 - 4m_1^2 m_2^2,$$

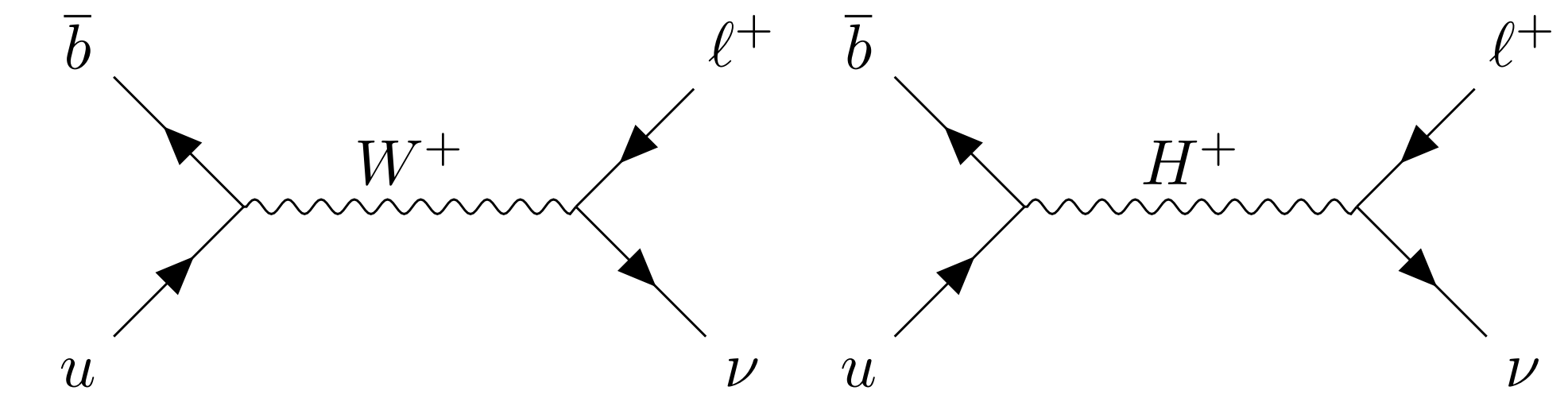
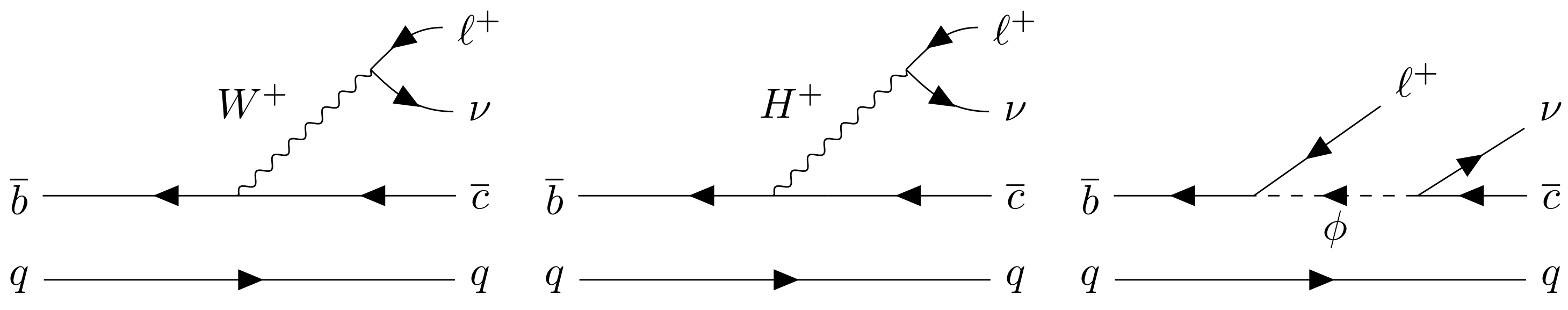
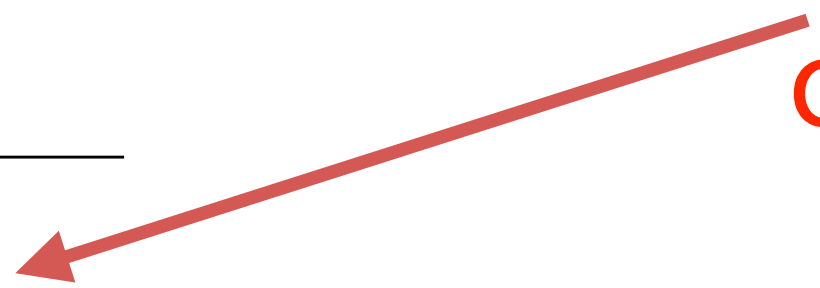
$$\zeta_{12} = m_1^2 + m_2^2 - \frac{(m_1^2 - m_2^2)^2}{M_B^2},$$

$$\beta_{12} = 1 - \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2}{q^2} - \frac{\lambda_{12}}{q^2}$$

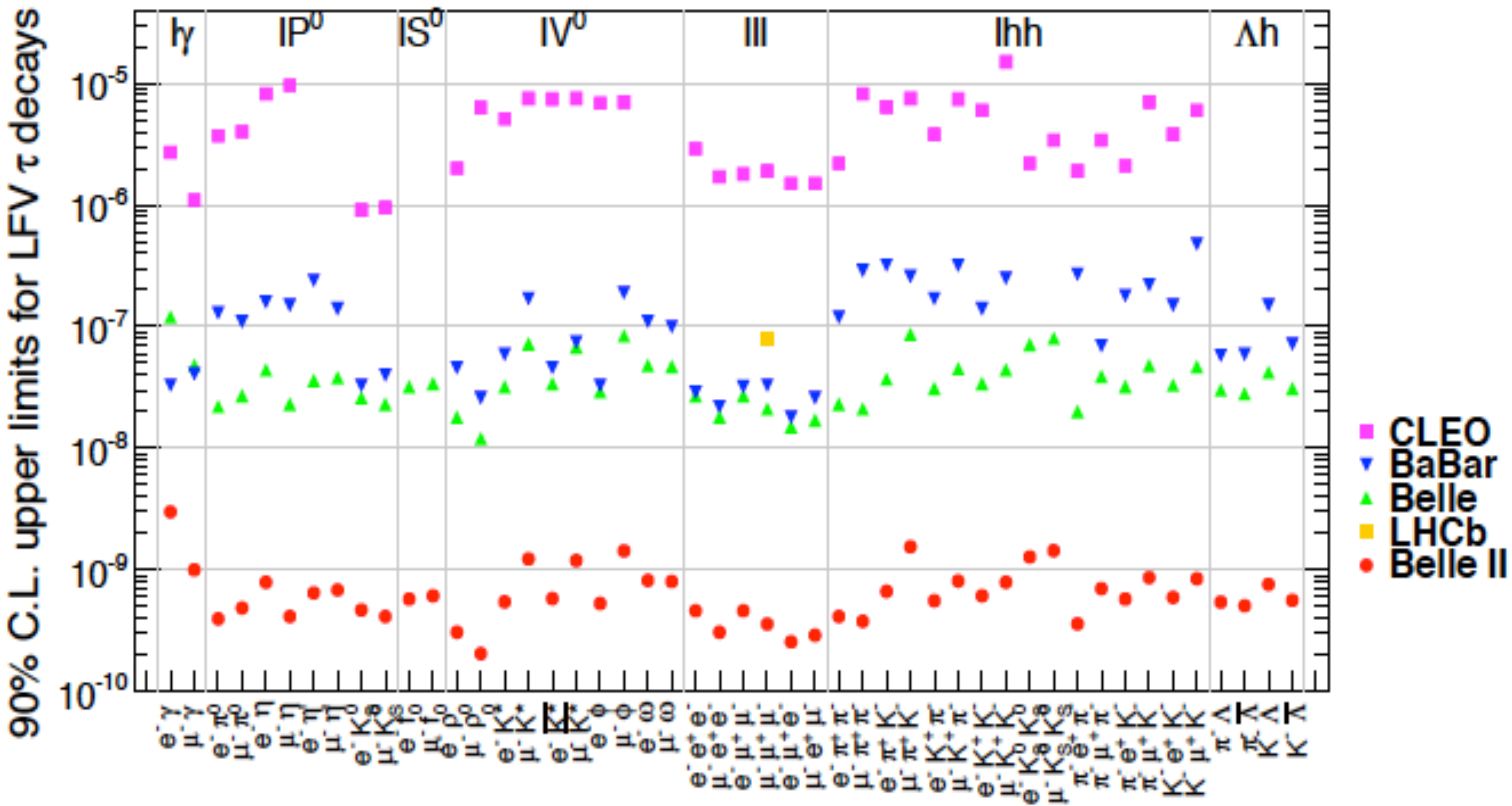
Golden modes for Belle II

| Process | Observable | Theory | Sys. limit (Discovery) [ab ⁻¹] | vs LHCb | vs Belle | Anomaly | NP |
|---|--------------|--------|--|---------|----------|---------|-----|
| ● $B \rightarrow \pi l \nu_l$ | $ V_{ub} $ | *** | 10-20 | *** | *** | ** | * |
| ● $B \rightarrow X_u l \nu_l$ | $ V_{ub} $ | ** | 2-10 | *** | ** | *** | * |
| ● $B \rightarrow \tau \nu$ | $Br.$ | *** | >50 (2) | *** | *** | * | *** |
| ● $B \rightarrow \mu \nu$ | $Br.$ | *** | >50 (5) | *** | *** | * | *** |
| ● $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} l \nu_l$ | $ V_{cb} $ | *** | 1-10 | *** | ** | ** | * |
| ● $B \rightarrow X_c l \nu_l$ | $ V_{cb} $ | *** | 1-5 | *** | ** | ** | ** |
| ● $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu_\tau$ | $R(D^{(*)})$ | *** | 5-10 | ** | *** | *** | *** |
| ● $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu_\tau$ | P_τ | *** | 15-20 | *** | *** | ** | *** |
| ● $B \rightarrow D^{**} l \nu_l$ | $Br.$ | * | - | ** | *** | ** | - |

Least well constrained CKM element



τ Lepton Flavour Violation

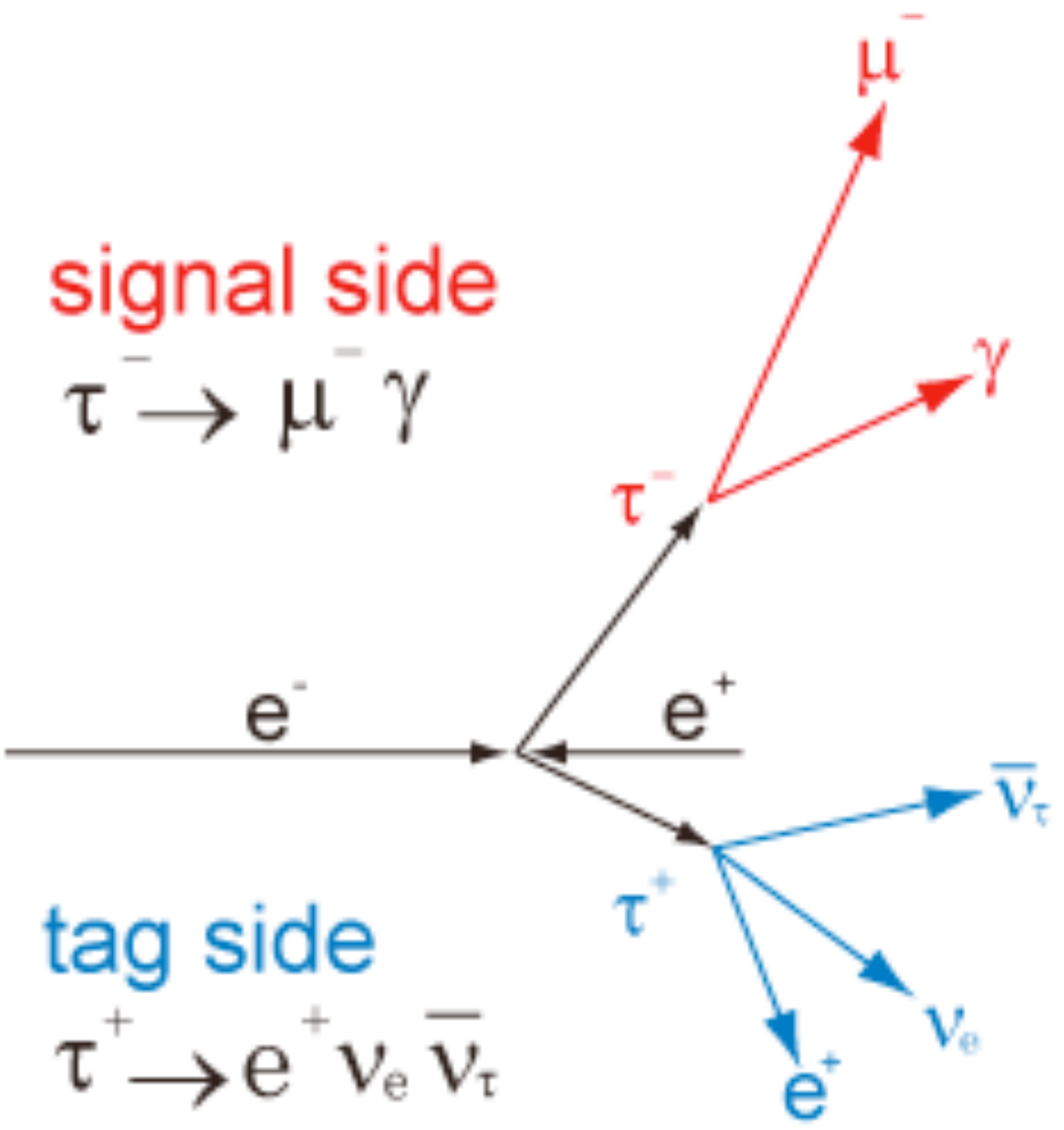


Note vertical log-scale (50 ab^{-1} assumed for Belle II; 3 fb^{-1} result for LHCb)

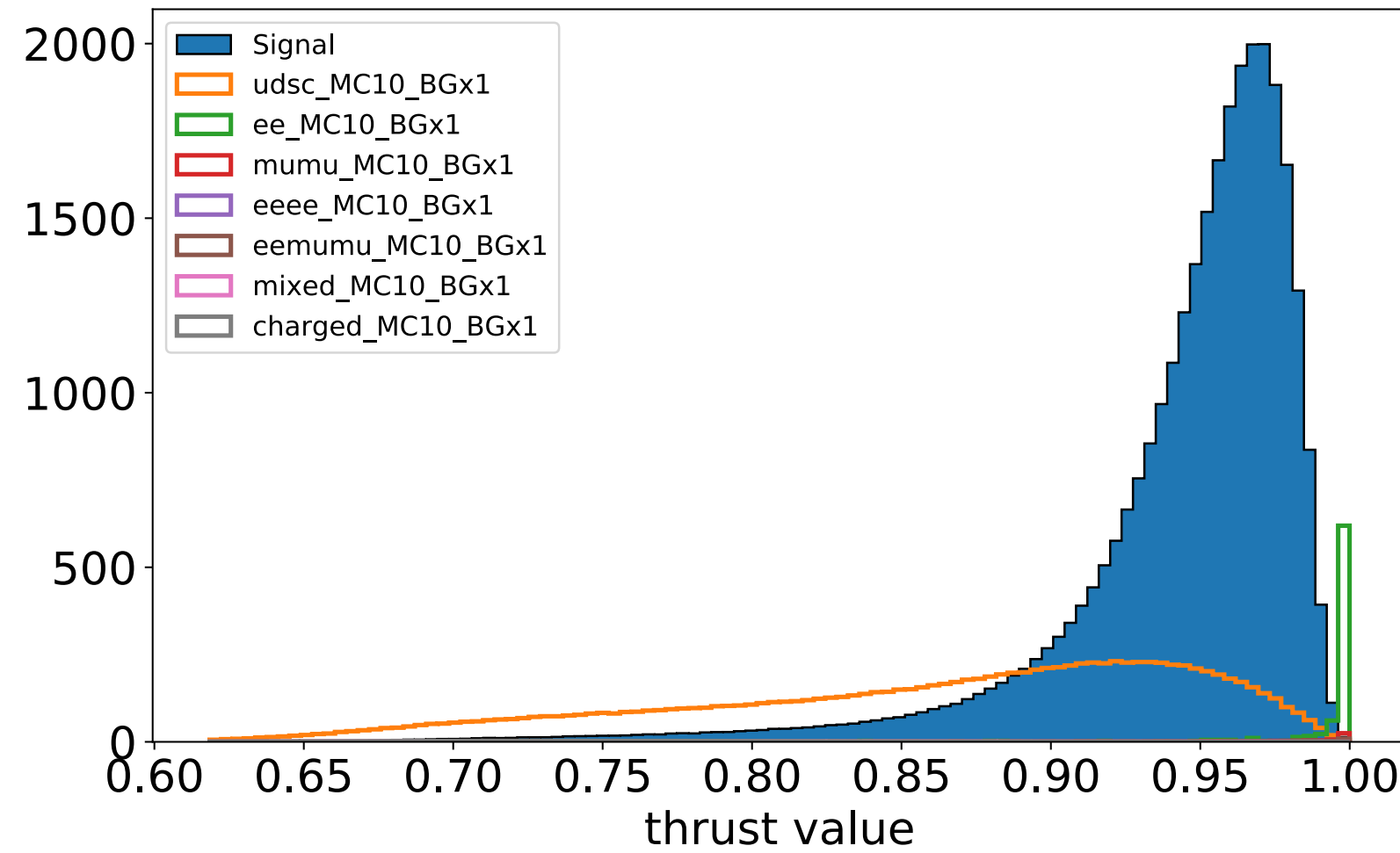
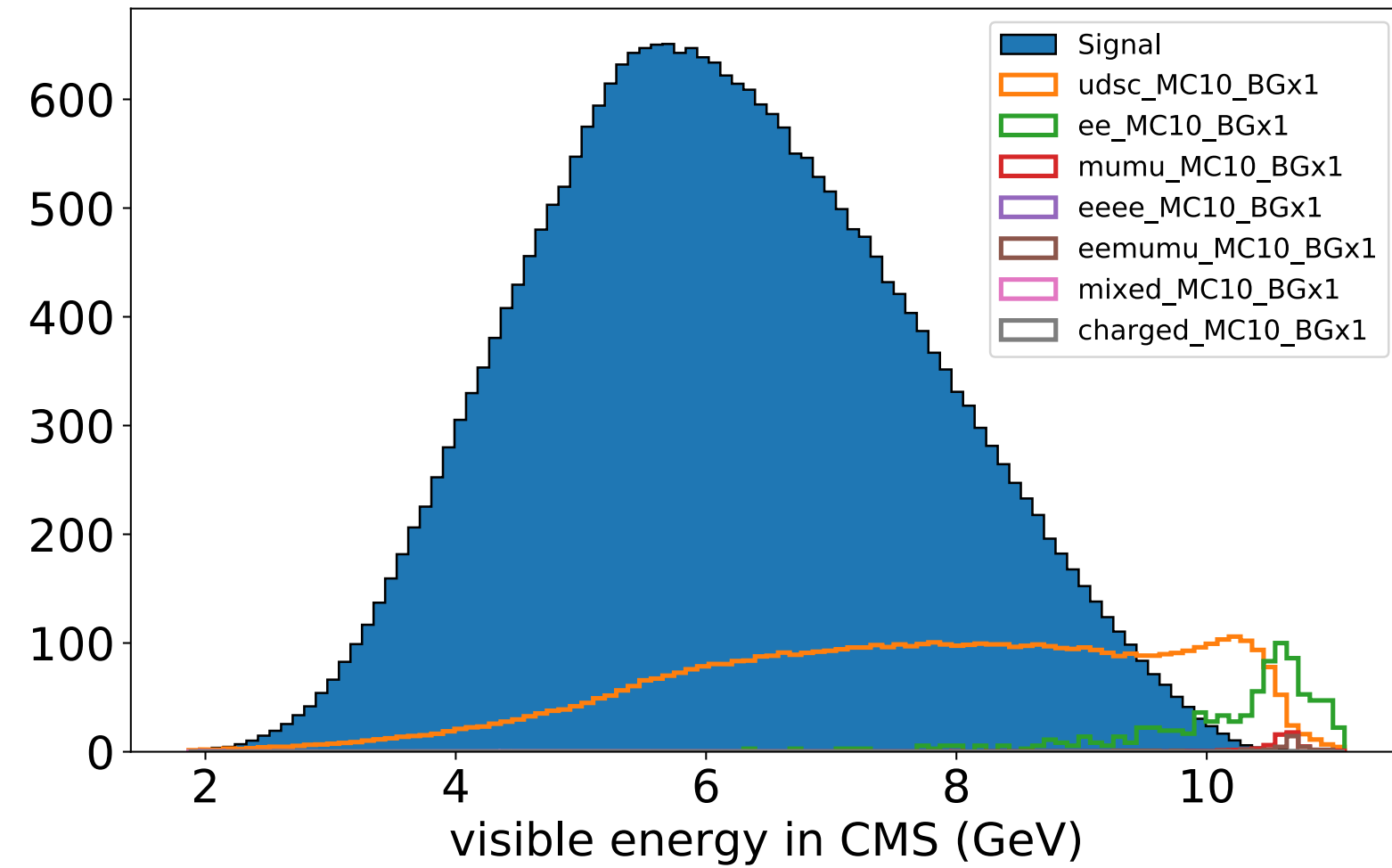
Belle II will push many limits below 10^{-9}



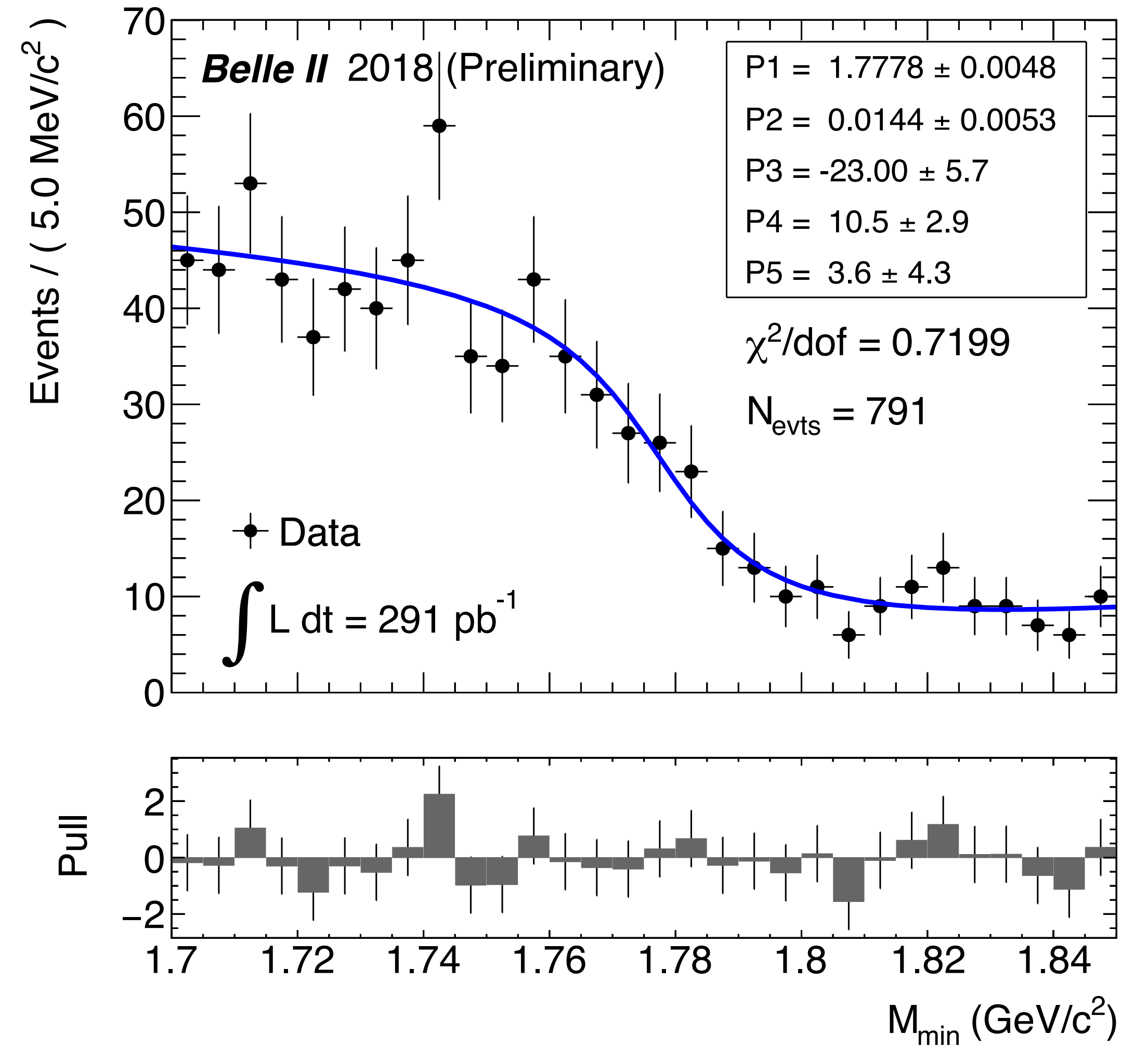
Example of the decay topology



τ Candidates at Belle II



$$M_{min} = \sqrt{M_{3\pi}^2 + 2(E_{beam} - E_{3\pi})(E_{3\pi} - P_{3\pi})}$$



New physics DNA

- What new physics could it be?
- Matter antimatter asymmetry
→ New sources of CP Violation
- Quark and Lepton flavour & mass hierarchy
→ extended gauge sector coupling to third generation (**H±, W', Z'**)
→ **restored L-R symmetry**
- **Finite neutrino masses**
→ LFV and LFUV.
- 19 free parameters
→ GUTs, leptoquarks

- τ LFV is an excellent example.

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|-------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Observables | Experimental Sensitivity | Multi-Higgs Models (§17.2) | generic SUSY | MFV (§17.3) | Z' models (§17.6.1) | gauged flavour (§17.6.2) | 3-3-1 (§17.6.3) | left-right (§17.6.4) | leptoquarks (§18.2.1) | compositeness (§17.7) | dark sector (§16.1) |
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τ tree decays:

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----|---|----|
| $\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow K\nu)/\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \pi\nu)$ | *** | ** | × | × | × | × | × | * | *** | □ | ** |
| $\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow K^*\nu)/\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \rho\nu)$ | *** | × | × | × | × | × | × | * | *** | □ | ** |

τ → μ decays:

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|----|-----|---|-----|-----|-----|---|-----|-----|---|
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$ | *** | * | *** | * | * | * | * | × | * | *** | □ |
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu\pi^0$ | *** | * | ** | × | *** | × | *** | × | *** | □ | □ |
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu K_S$ | *** | * | * | × | * | × | * | × | *** | □ | □ |
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu\rho^0$ | *** | × | ** | × | *** | × | *** | × | *** | □ | □ |
| $\tau \rightarrow \mu K^{0*}$ | *** | × | * | × | * | × | * | × | *** | □ | □ |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^- \ell^- \ell^+$ | ** | ** | * | × | *** | *** | *** | × | * | *** | □ |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^- \mu^- e^+$ | ** | * | × | × | * | *** | * | × | × | *** | □ |