

# Charm mixing study at Belle and prospects at Belle II

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# Mixing in $D^0$ system

- Mass eigenstates are superposition of flavour eigenstates:

$$|D_{1,2}^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|p|^2 + |q|^2}} (p |D^0\rangle \pm q |\bar{D}^0\rangle) \quad \text{If } p \neq q, \text{ CP is violated}$$

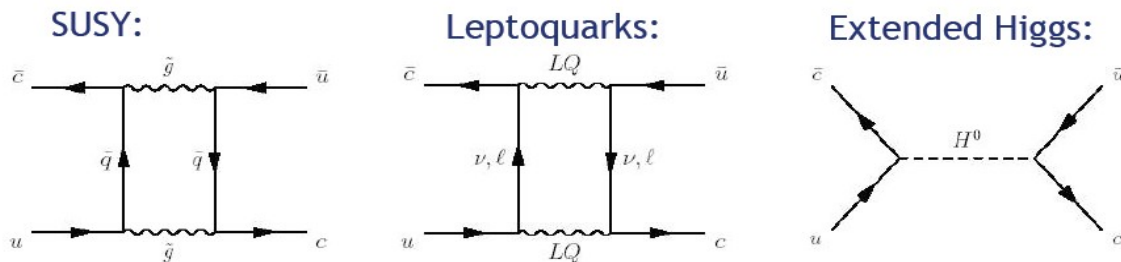
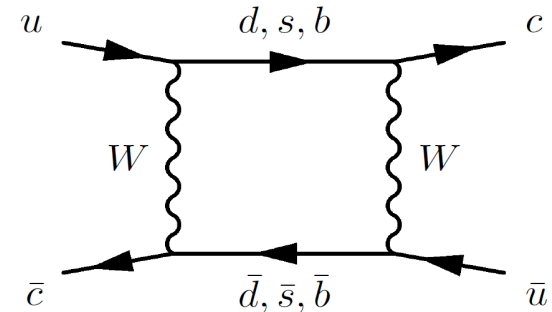
- Mixing parameterized by mass/width splittings:

$$x = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{\Gamma}, \quad y = \frac{\Gamma_1 - \Gamma_2}{2\Gamma}$$

- In SM, D-mixing is heavily suppressed (both CKM, and GIM suppressed)

- SM expectation:  $|x|, |y| \sim O(10^{-3} - 10^{-2})$ .

- NP could significantly affect the measured values

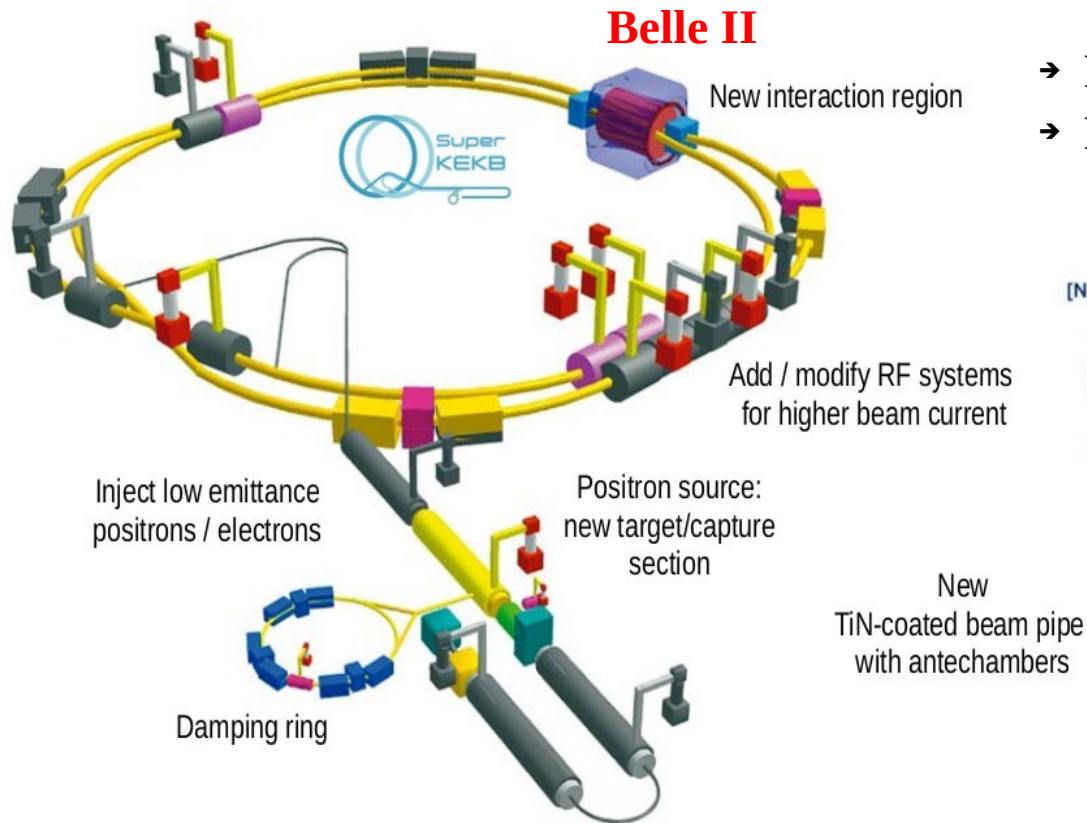


- Precision measurements need huge statistics (KEKB  $\rightarrow$  SuperKEKB) and clean, accurate signals (Belle  $\rightarrow$  Belle II)

# SuperKEKB (High luminosity frontier machine!)

→ SuperKEKB – major upgrade of the KEKB factory at KEK

→  $e^+e^-$  (4 GeV + 7 GeV) →  $B\bar{B}$  mainly at  $\sqrt{s}_{cm} = 10.58$  GeV (peak of  $Y(4S)$  resonance)

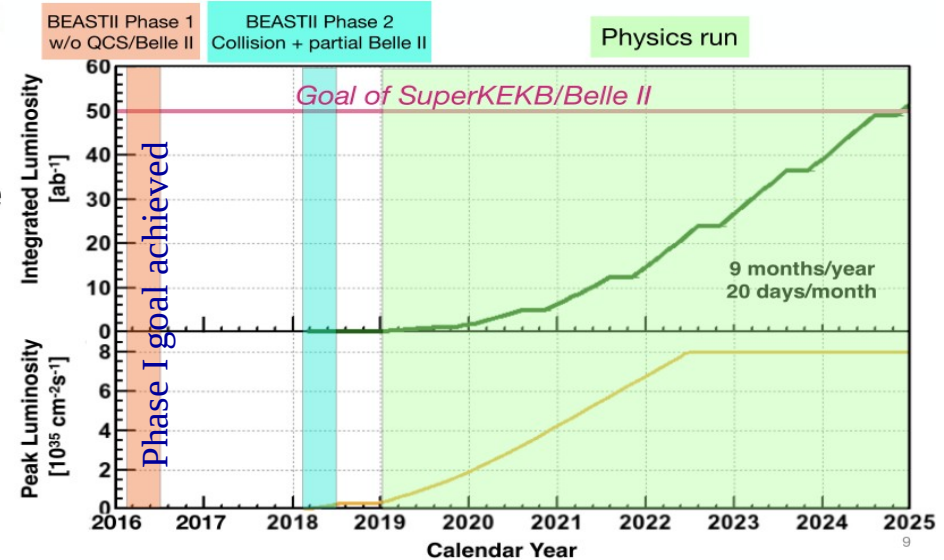


To obtain x40 higher instantaneous luminosity:

→ Double beam current

→ Major increase by small beam size “nano-beam”  
(vertical spot size  $\sim 50$ nm !!)

## Belle II schedule

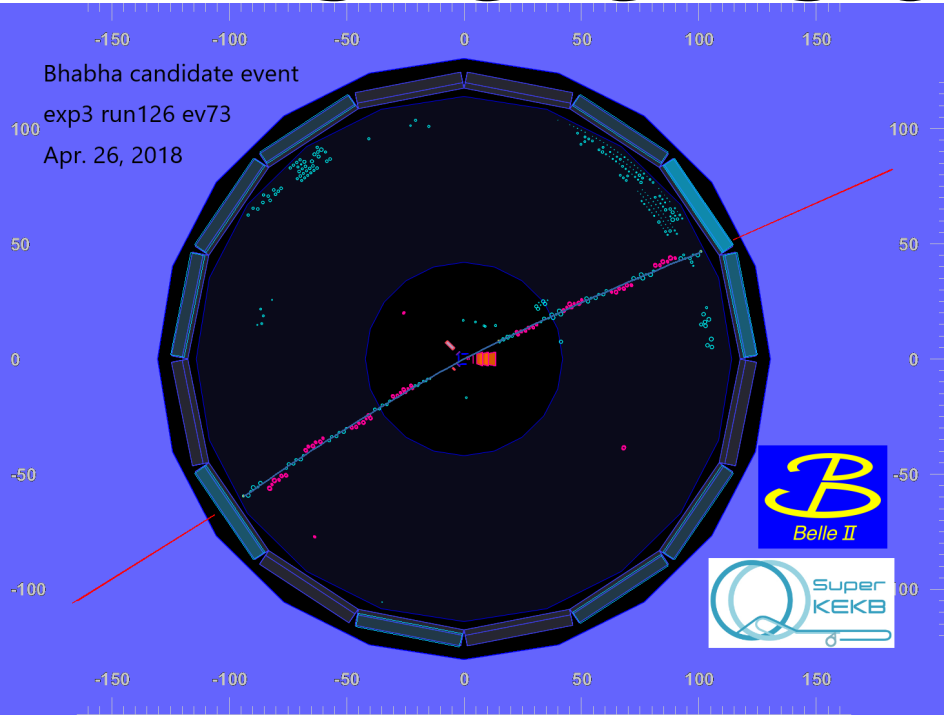


**Phase II ends today!**

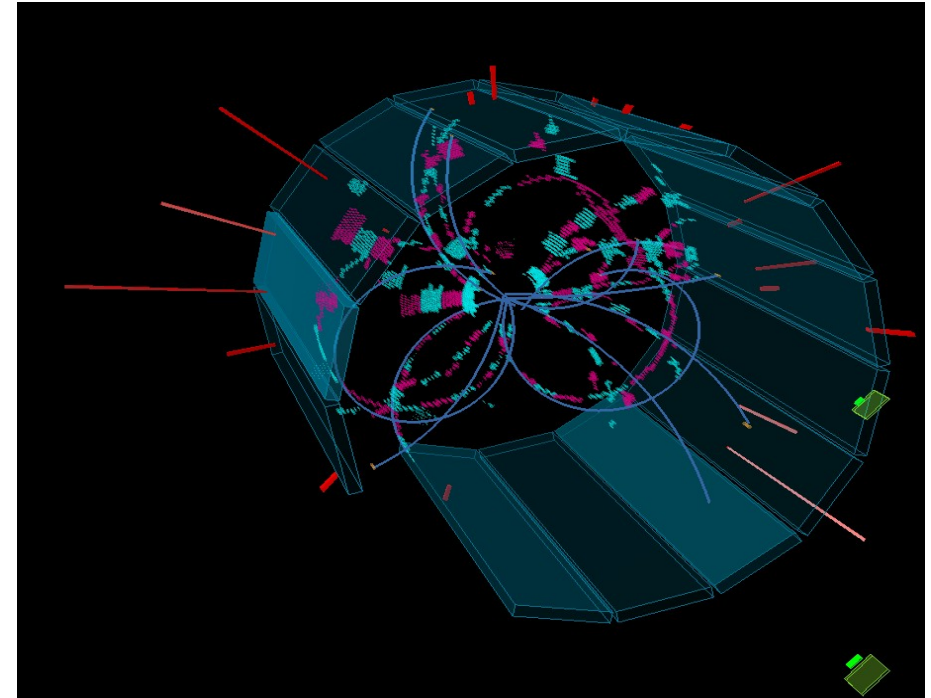
Few of Phase II achievements are in next slide

# First events on April 26, 2018

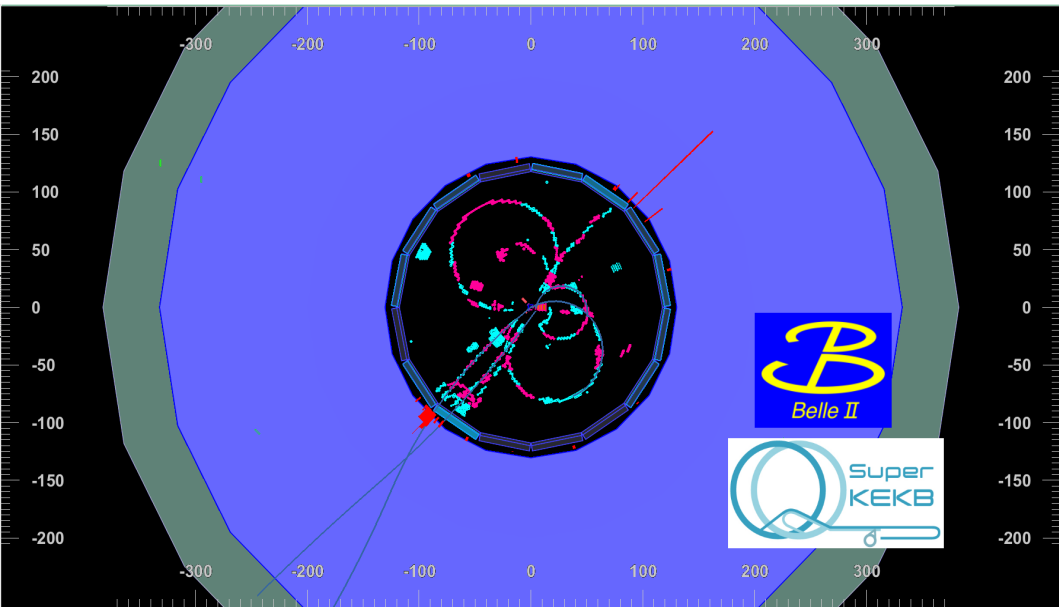
Bhabha candidate event  
exp3 run126 ev73  
Apr. 26, 2018



Bhabha event



$\bar{B}B$  like event

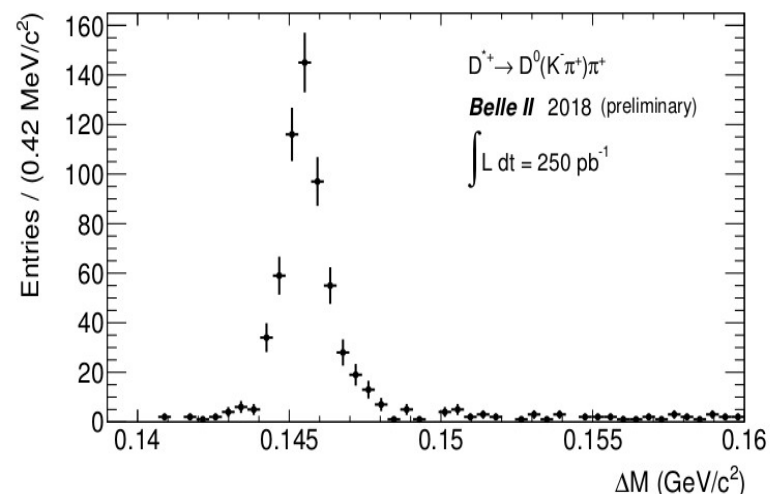
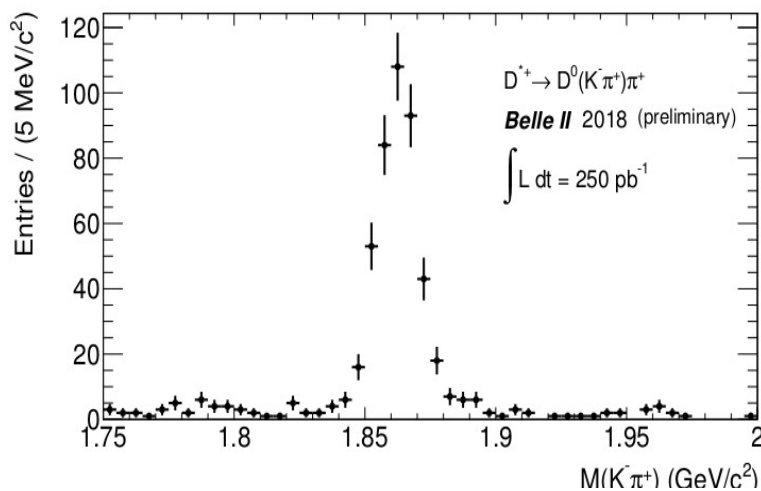


Hadronic event

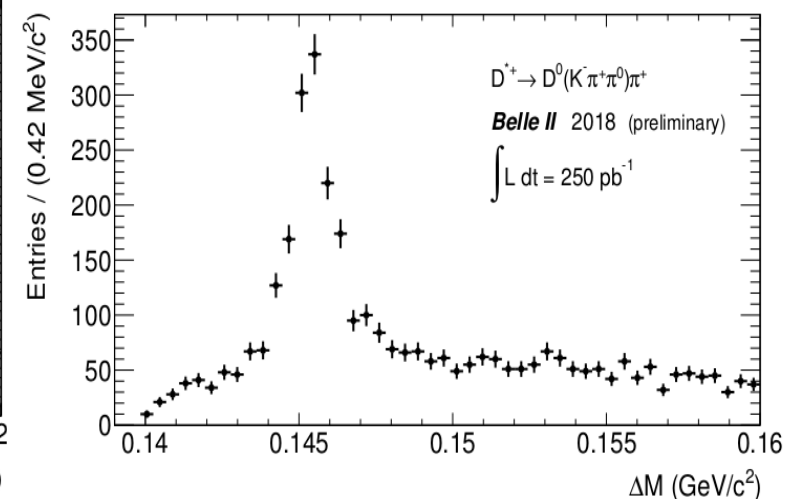
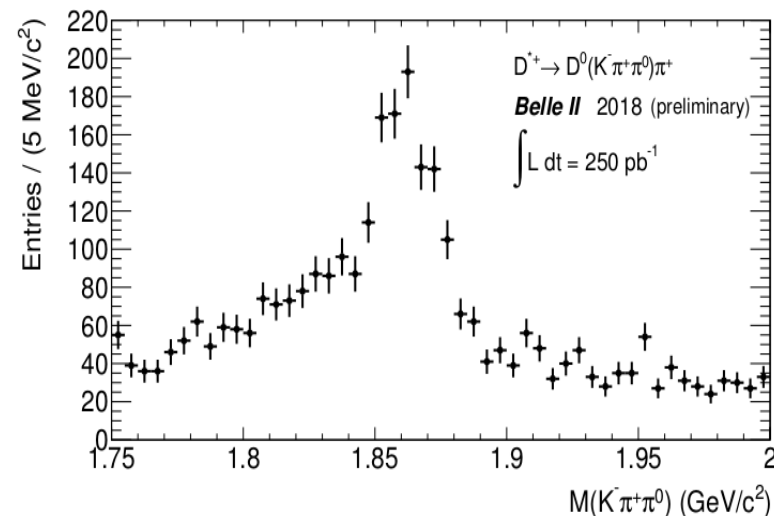
# Rediscovery of charm mesons in phase II data

Remark: Full Belle II without VXD

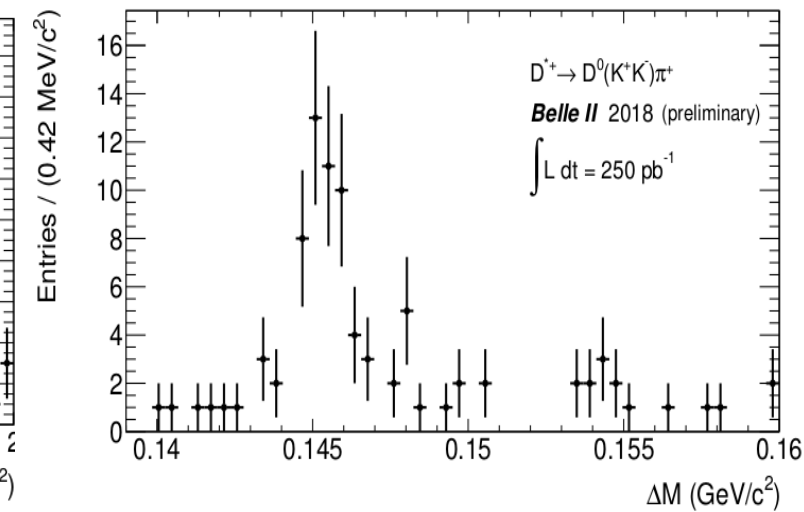
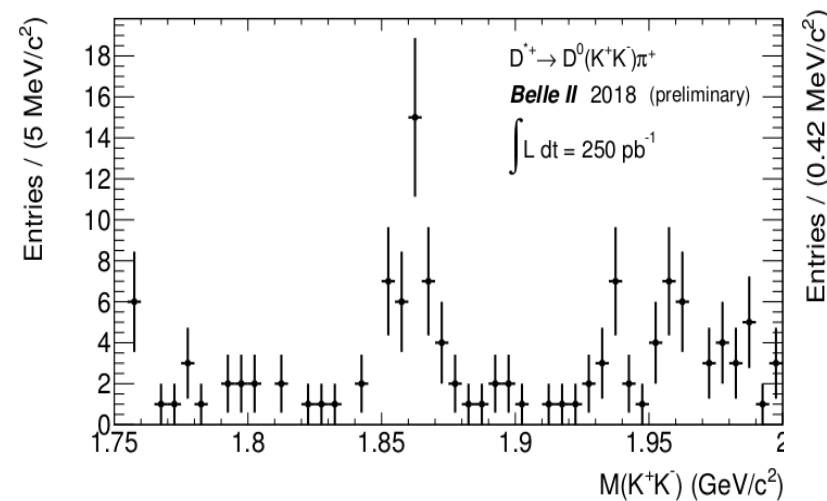
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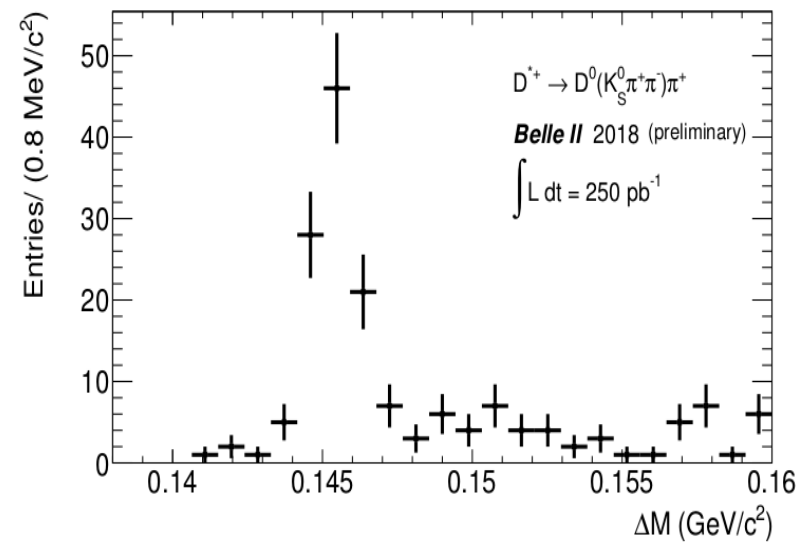
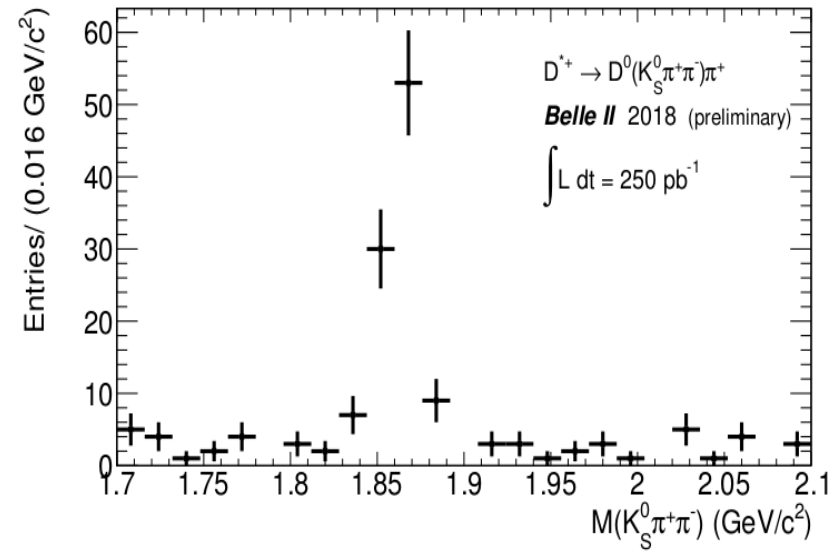
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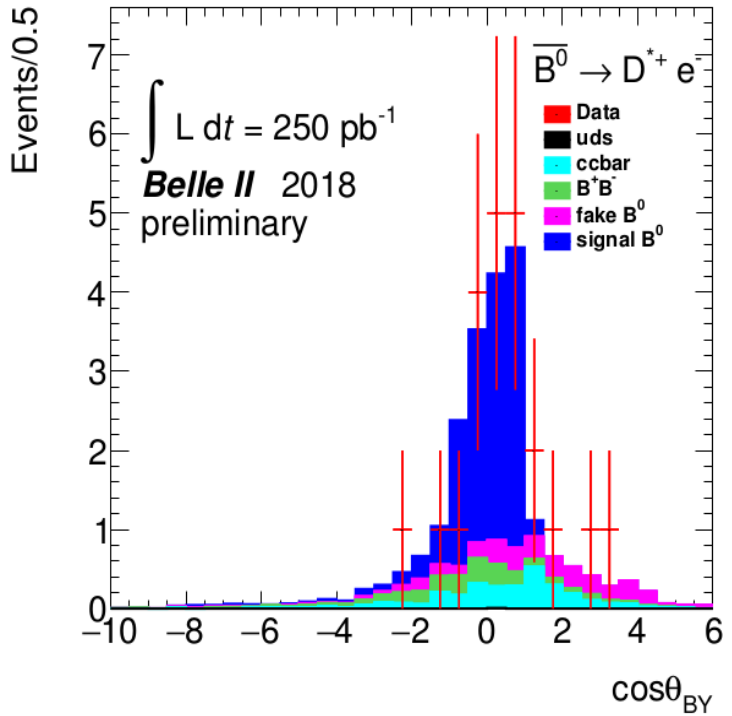
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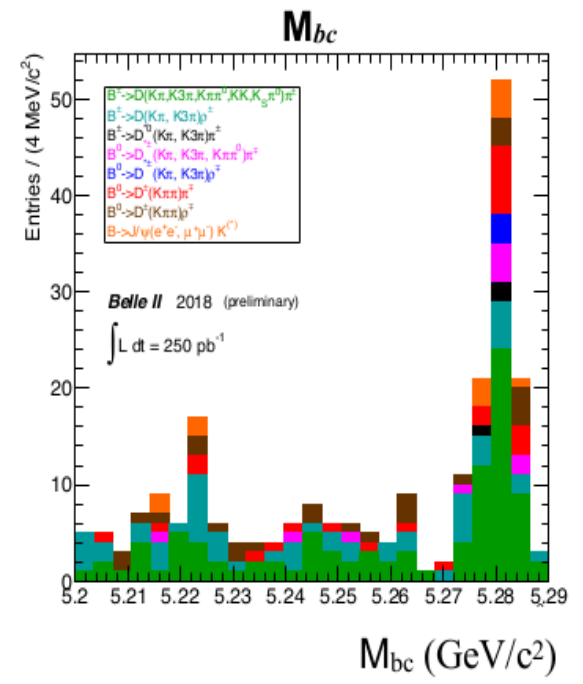
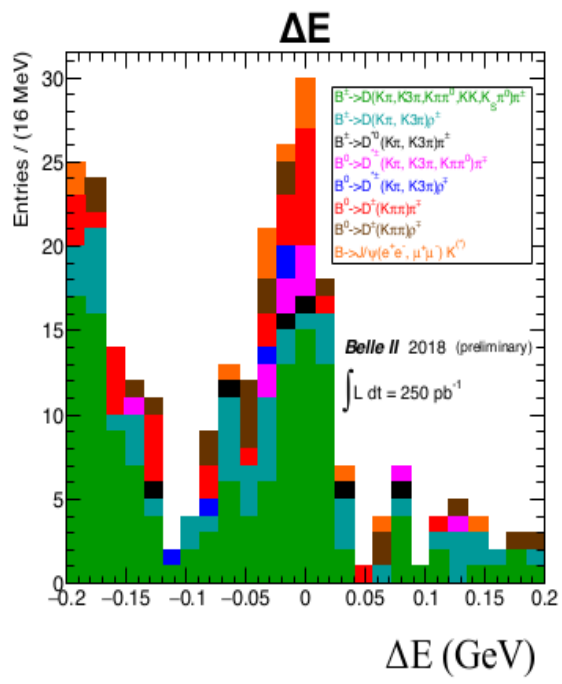
$$D^{*\pm} \rightarrow D(K_S \pi^+ \pi^-) \pi^\pm$$



### Semileptonic B Decays to Charm



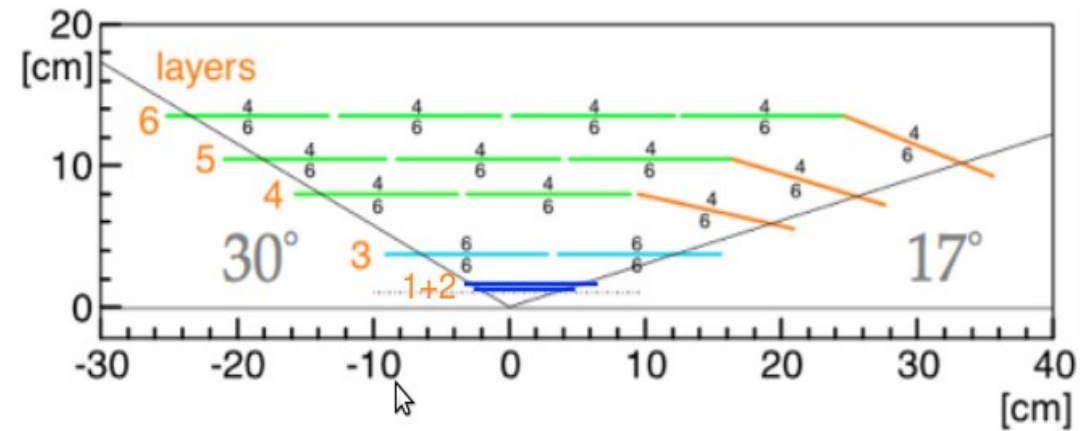
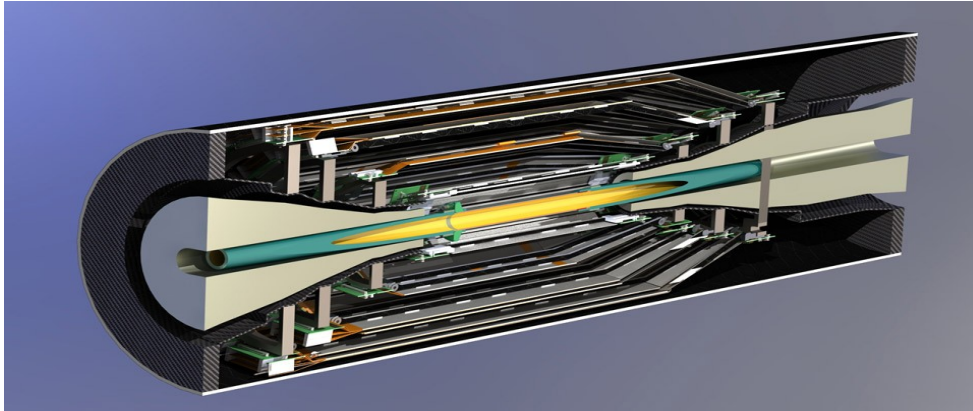
### Hadronic B Decays to Charm





# Belle II Vertex detector (main player for D-mixing sensitivity measurement)

- Precise measurement of PV and SV of short-lived particles



4 layers DS Si strips (SVD) + 2 layers of DEPFET pixels (PXD)  
(Will be in place during phase III)

## PXD:

- Very thin (50  $\mu\text{m}$ ) pixel sensor
- Inner most layer very close to IP ( $r = 1.4\text{cm}$ )
- Very low material budget
- Excellent spatial granularity ( $\sigma \leq 15\mu\text{m}$ )

## SVD:

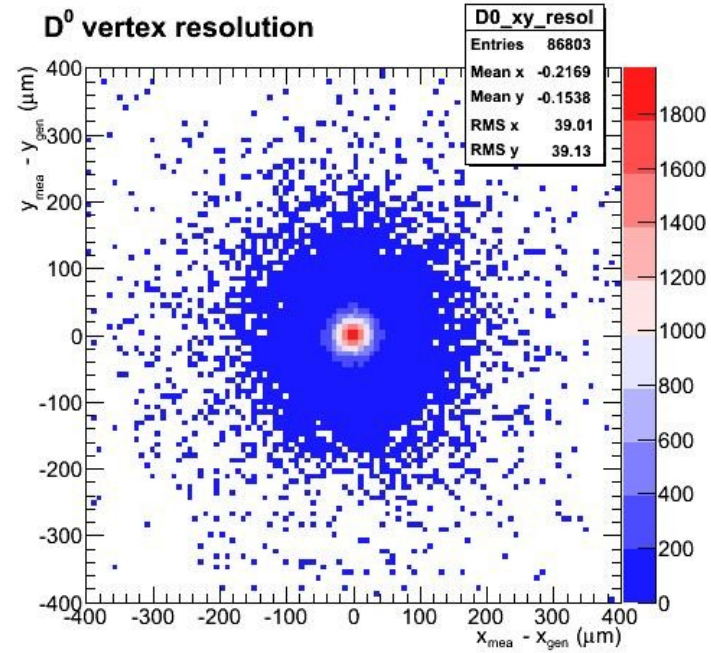
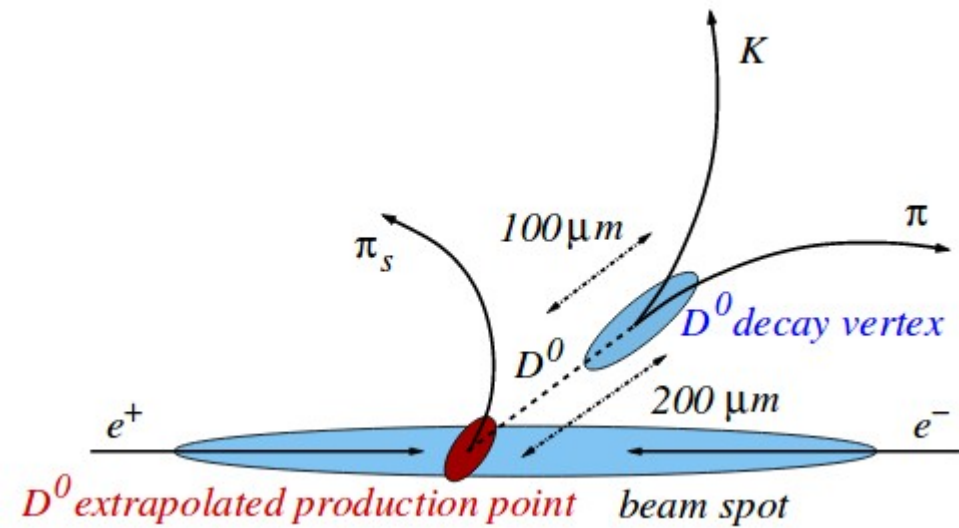
- Excellent timing resolution ( $\sigma \sim 2\text{-}3\text{ ns}$ )
- Low material budget
- Larger outer radius (6.05 cm  $\rightarrow$  14 cm)
- Inner radius: 3.8cm
- covers the full Belle II angular acceptance of  $17^\circ < \theta < 150^\circ$

# Motivation to SuperKEKB and Belle II for charm mixing analysis

- Low backgrounds, high trigger efficiency, excellent  $\gamma$  and  $\pi^0$  reconstruction
- Excellent Dalitz plot analysis with low background
- With Belle II VXD:  $D^0$  decay vertex resolution precision  $\sim 40\mu\text{m}$ , large improvement w.r.t B-Factories and IP resolution improved by PXD being at radius of 1.4 cm
- Increased tracking volume in both SVD and CDC  $\Rightarrow \sim 30\%$  higher  $K_s$  efficiency
- Improved PID with better K/ $\pi$  separation relative to Belle.
- Belle II by 2025:  $50\text{ab}^{-1}$  data :  $> 6 \times 10^{10}$  charm events (Belle:  $10^9$  charm events)

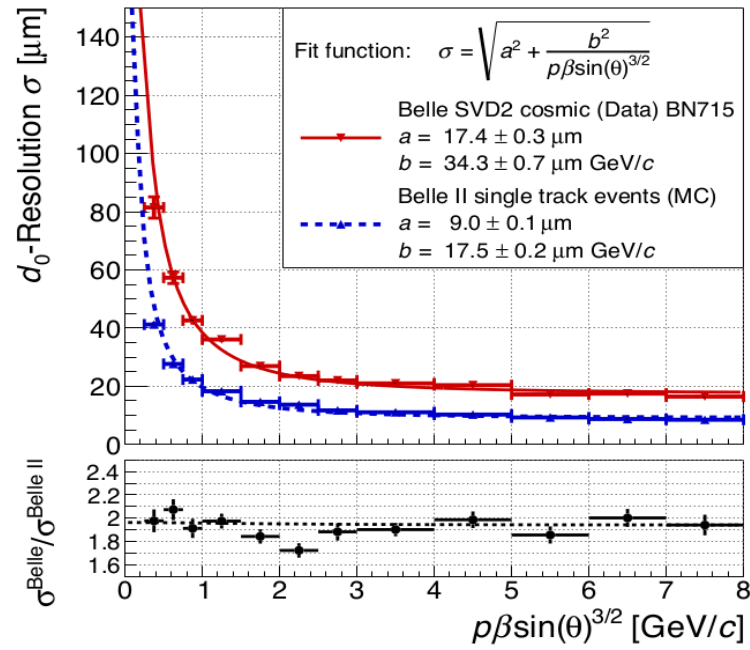


# D0 decay vertex resolution



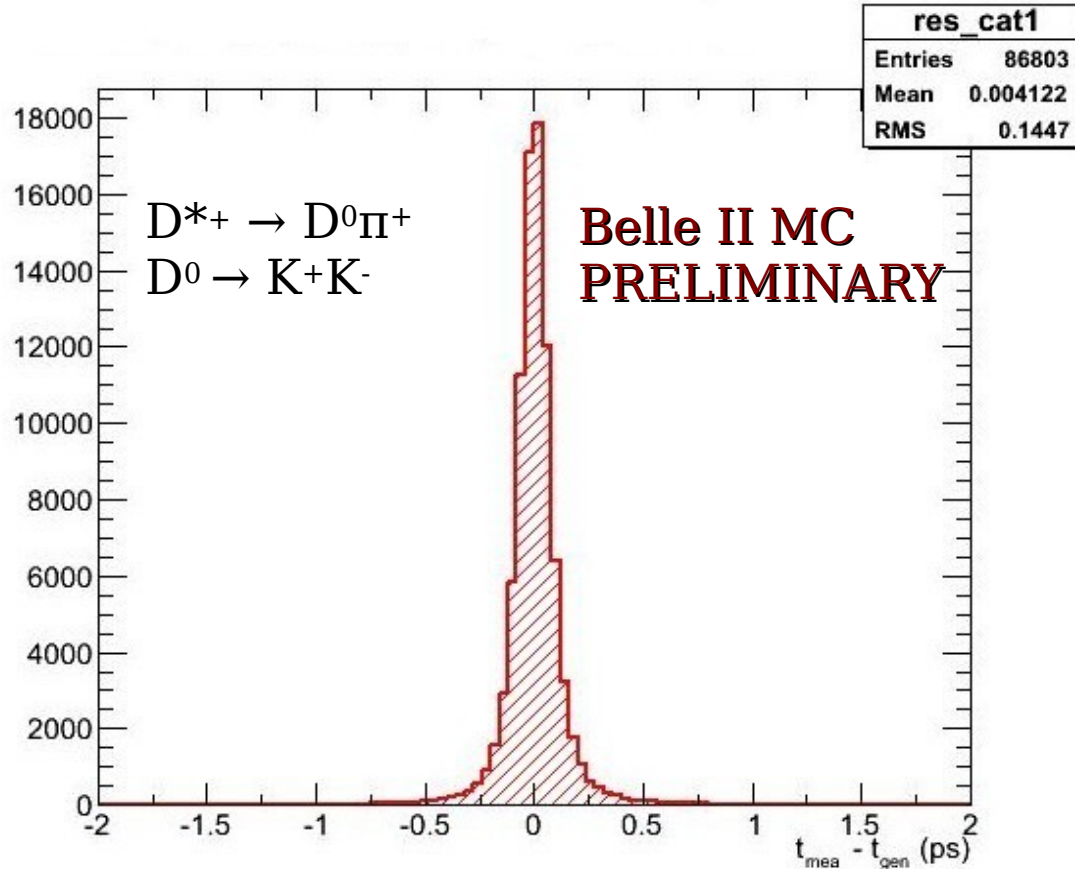
**Belle II:  $\sigma \approx 40\ \mu\text{m}$**

- Belle, - Belle II Factor of 2 improvement !



# $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$ decay time resolution ( $D^*$ tag)

$$t = \frac{\ell}{\beta\gamma c} = \frac{\ell m_D}{c |\vec{p}|}$$



Lifetime of  $D^0 = 0.41$  ps

Decay time resolution of 0.14 ps

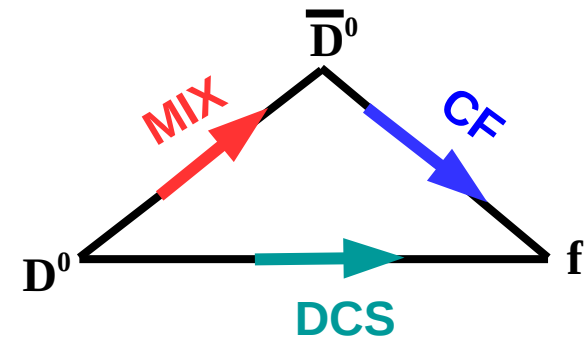
**2 x better than Belle and Babar (0.27 ps)**

Similar result for  $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$  prompt decay (0.15 ps)

# Time dependent $D^0$ mixing studies

- Final state accessed both by  $D^0$  or  $\bar{D}^0$ , the two paths interfere in the amplitude as:

$$|\mathcal{M}(\bar{f}, t)|^2 = e^{-\Gamma t} \left( |\mathcal{A}_{\bar{f}}|^2 + \frac{x^2 + y^2}{4} |\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}|^2 (\Gamma t)^2 - \Re(\mathcal{A}_{\bar{f}} \bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}^*) \cdot y \Gamma t - \Im(\mathcal{A}_{\bar{f}} \bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}^*) \cdot x \Gamma t \right)$$



- Measuring the decay rate as a function of the  $D^0$  proper time gives access to be sensitive to mixing
- With multibody final state, the Dalitz analysis allows to access to more than one channel at the same time

## Belle II sensitivity extrapolation

$$\sigma_{\text{Belle II}} = \sqrt{(\sigma_{\text{stat}}^2 + \sigma_{\text{syst}}^2) \cdot \frac{\mathcal{L}_{\text{Belle}}}{50 \text{ ab}^{-1}} + \sigma_{\text{irred}}^2}$$



# **D<sup>0</sup>-mixing precision at Belle and expected precision at Belle II using few golden modes**

# Mixing precision for $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ decay

- $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$  is an ideal channel for mixing study, almost systematic free
- Belle measurement using full statistics:**

$$x'^2 = (0.09 \pm 0.22) \times 10^{-3} \quad \text{and} \quad y' = (4.6 \pm 3.4) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$x' = x \cos \delta + y \sin \delta, \quad y' = y \cos \delta - x \sin \delta$$

PRL 112, 111801 (2014)

## no CPV assumption:

fit decay time distribution for mixing parameters  $R_D$ ,  $x'^2$ ,  $y'$

$$\frac{dN(D^0 \rightarrow f)}{dt} \propto e^{-\bar{\Gamma}t} \left\{ R_D + \sqrt{R_D} y' (\bar{\Gamma}t) + \frac{(x'^2 + y'^2)}{4} (\bar{\Gamma}t)^2 \right\}$$

## with CPV assumption:

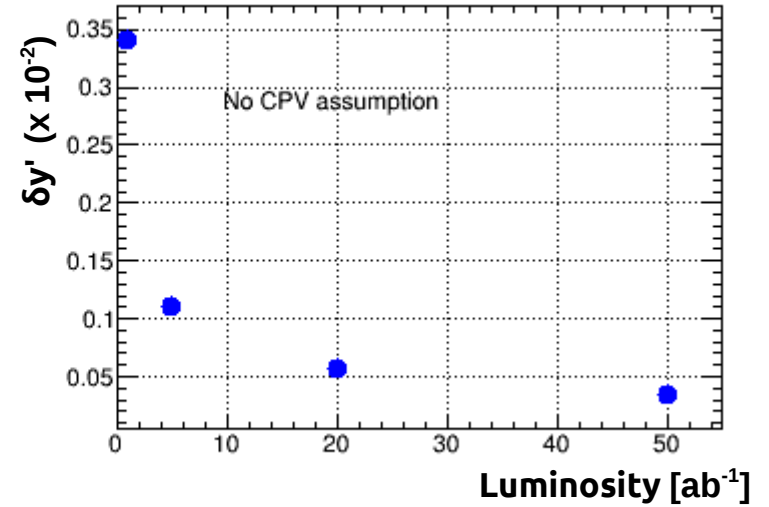
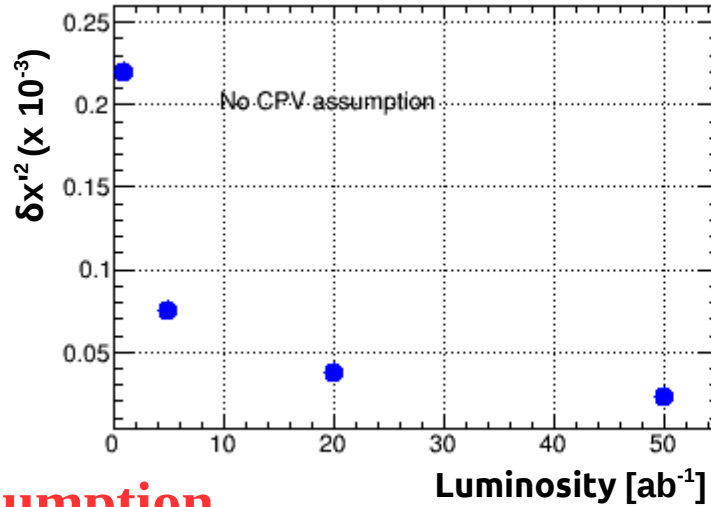
fit decay time distribution with additional parameters:  $|q/p|$ ,  $\phi$

$$D^0(t) = : e^{-\bar{\Gamma}t} \left\{ R_D + \left| \frac{q}{p} \right| \sqrt{R_D} (y' \cos \phi - x' \sin \phi) (\bar{\Gamma}t) + \left| \frac{q}{p} \right|^2 \frac{(x'^2 + y'^2)}{4} (\bar{\Gamma}t)^2 \right\}$$

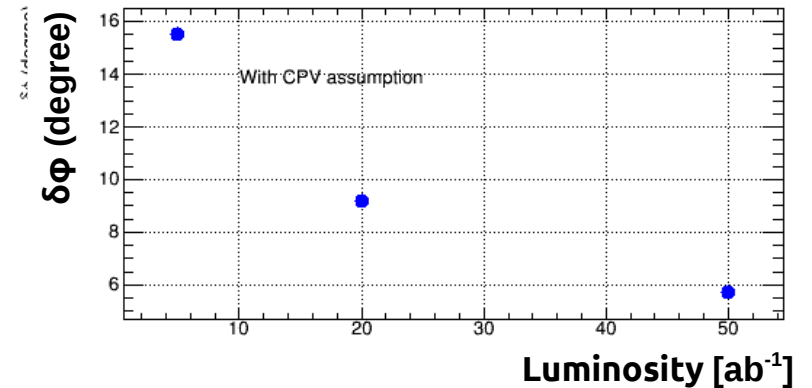
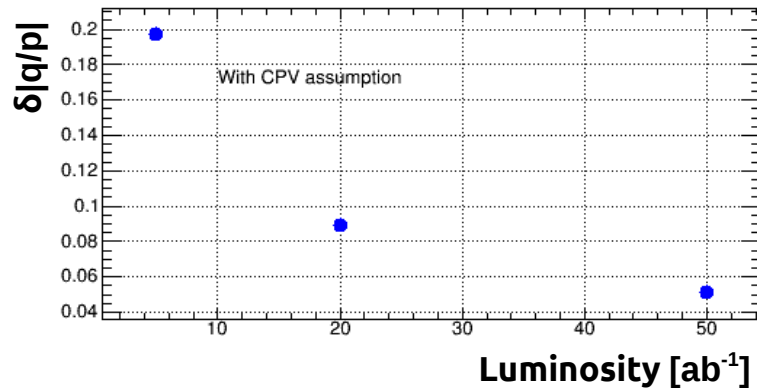
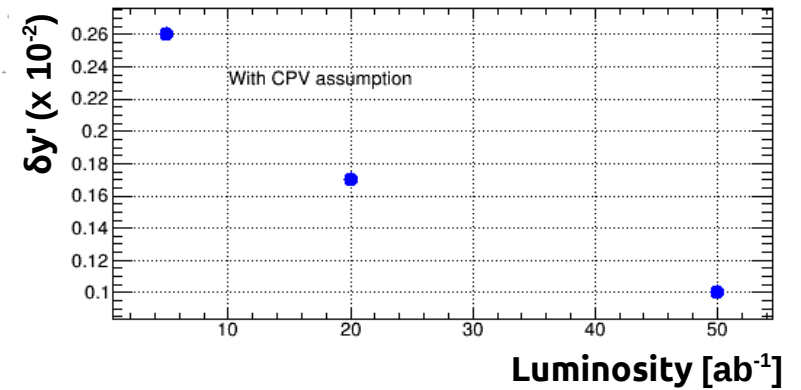
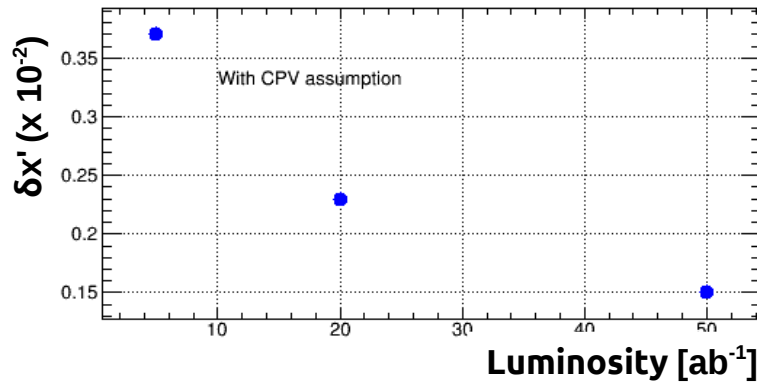
$$\bar{D}^0(t) = : e^{-\bar{\Gamma}t} \left\{ \bar{R}_D + \left| \frac{p}{q} \right| \sqrt{\bar{R}_D} (y' \cos \phi + x' \sin \phi) (\bar{\Gamma}t) + \left| \frac{p}{q} \right|^2 \frac{(x'^2 + y'^2)}{4} (\bar{\Gamma}t)^2 \right\}$$

# Estimated Mixing precision at Belle II for $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ decay

## No CPV assumption



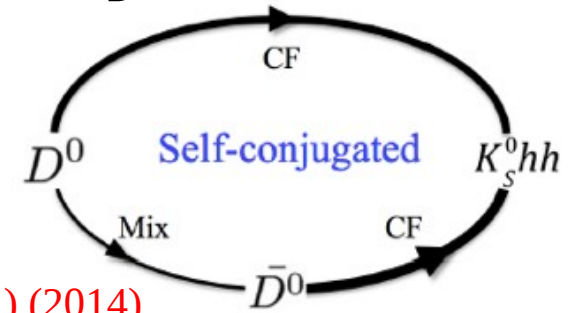
## With CPV assumption



# Golden mode: $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^-$ decay

- Belle II sensitivity to  $x, y$  from  $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^-$  decay is estimated by scaling from the Belle measurement

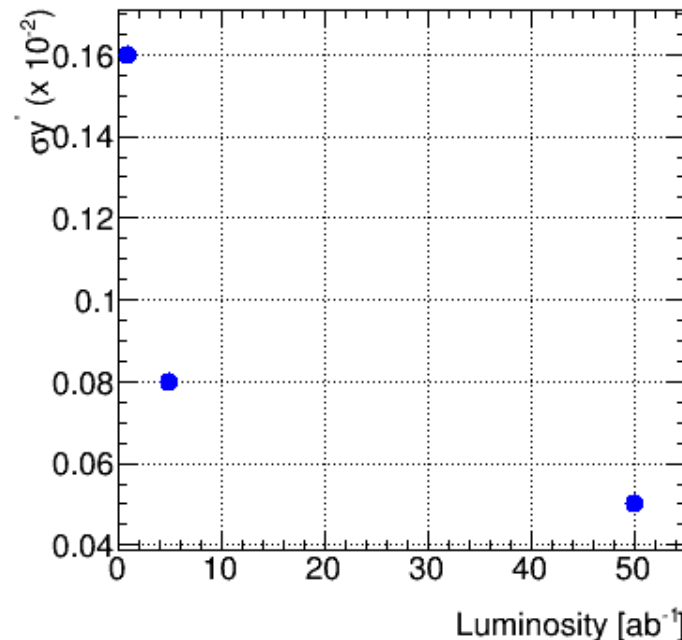
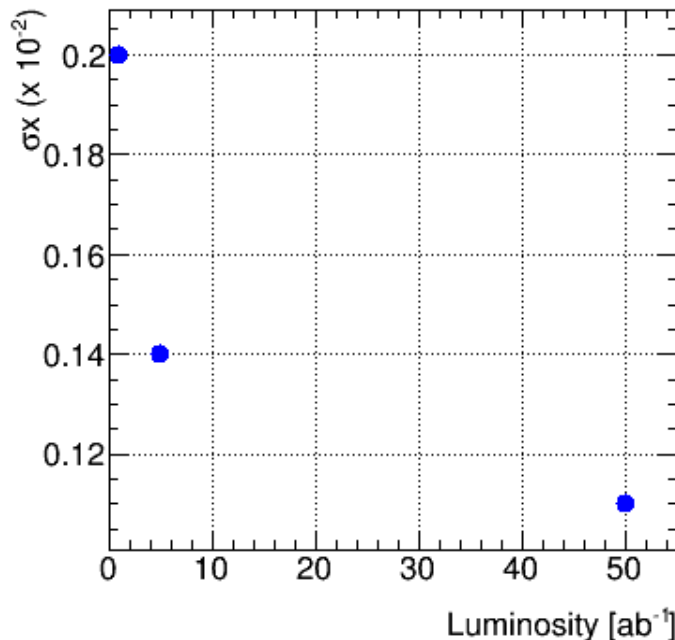
Peng et al., PRD 89, 091103(R) (2014)



- Using  $0.921 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  data, Belle measurements of  $x$  and  $y$ :

$$x = (0.56 \pm 0.19^{+0.03}_{-0.09} +0.06_{-0.09})\% \quad y = (0.30 \pm 0.15^{+0.04}_{-0.05} +0.03_{-0.06})\%$$

- Expected Belle II sensitivity:



Improvement in decay time resolution is not included here.



# Expected $y_{CP}$ precision for $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^- / \pi^+\pi^-$ decay (CP even modes)

$$y_{CP} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \left| \frac{q}{p} \right| + \left| \frac{p}{q} \right| \right) y \cos \phi - \frac{1}{2} \left( \left| \frac{q}{p} \right| - \left| \frac{p}{q} \right| \right) x \sin \phi \quad , \quad \phi = \arg(q/p)$$

$$\approx y \cos \phi - A_M x \sin \phi .$$

- **Belle:**  $y_{CP} = (1.11 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.09)\%$  (M. Staric et al., Phys. Lett. B 753, 412 (2016).)
- **BaBar:**  $y_{CP} = (0.72 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.12)\%$  (B. Aubert et al., Phys. Rev. D 87, 012004 (2013).)

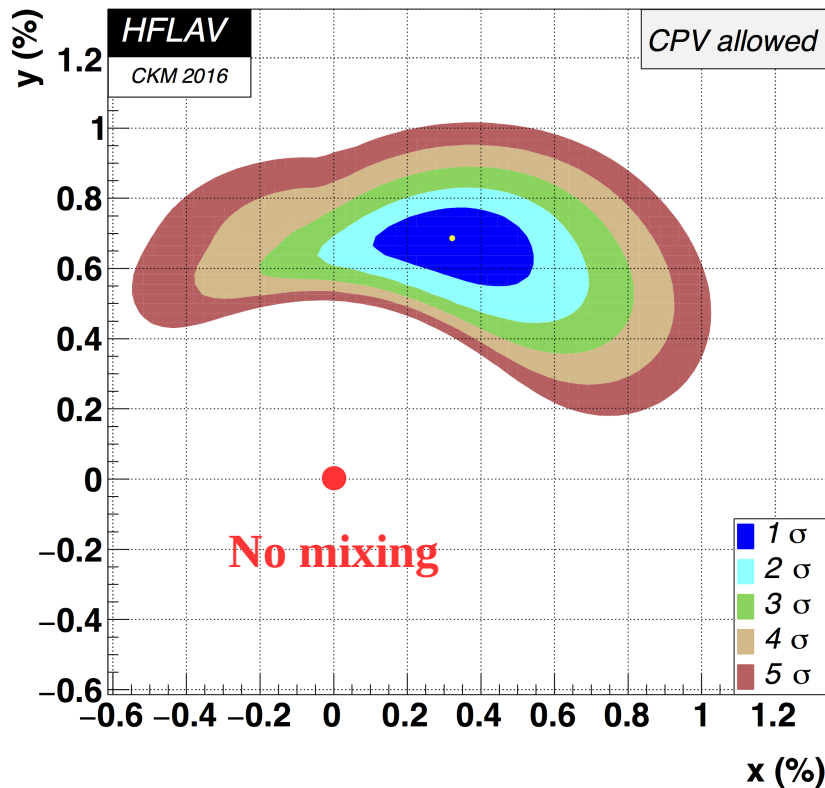
## Expected Belle II sensitivity

### Sources of Systematic for Belle

Observable	Statistical	Systematic		Total
		red.	irred.	
$y_{CP}(\%)$				
$976 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	0.22	0.07	0.07	0.24
$5 \text{ ab}^{-1}$	0.10	0.03-0.04	0.07-0.04	0.11-0.12
$50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$	0.03	0.01	0.07-0.04	0.05-0.08

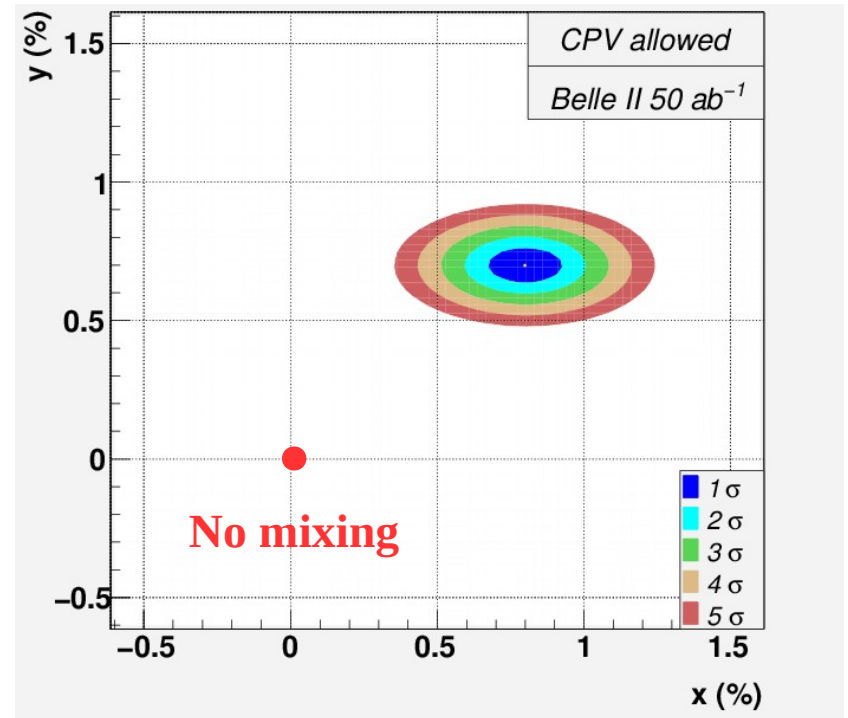
Source	$\Delta y_{CP} [10^{-2}]$
acceptance	0.050
SVD misalignments	0.060
mass window position	0.007
background	0.059
resolution function	0.030
binning	0.021
total syst. error	0.105
stat. error	0.220

# Expected Belle II precision vs. Current WA



**World average (mixing):**

$$\mathbf{x} = (0.32 \pm 0.14)\%, \mathbf{y} = (0.69^{+0.06}_{-0.07})\%$$



**Belle II (50  $ab^{-1}$ )**

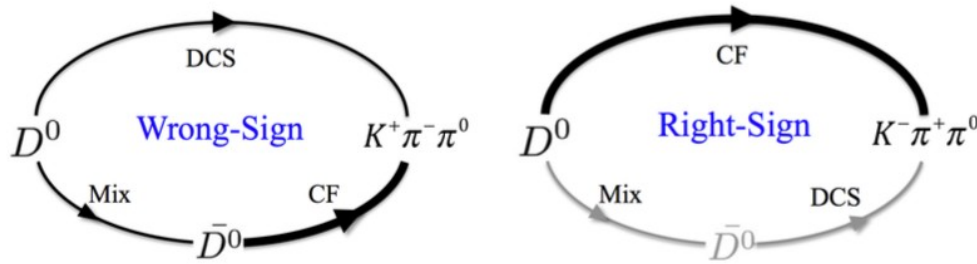
$$\mathbf{x} = 0.8 \pm 0.09\%, \mathbf{y} = 0.7 \pm 0.04\%$$

(result is conservative, does not include modes:  $K^+\pi^-\pi^0$ ,  $K_S K^+ K^-$  etc.)

➤ The experimental data consistently indicate that the  $D^0$  and  $\bar{D}^0$  do mix.

➤ Current measurement provides constraints on many NP models like fourth generation, extra gauge bosons, left right symmetric models...

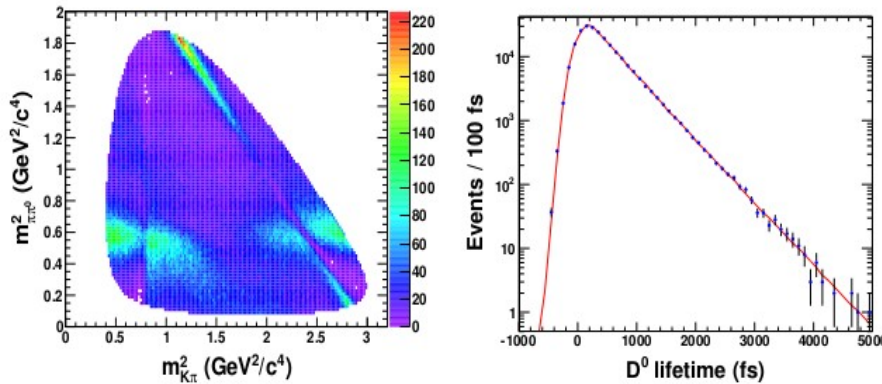
# Time dependent Dalitz analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi^+\pi^0$ to measure mixing



$$x'' = x \cdot \cos \delta_{K\pi\pi^0} + y \cdot \sin \delta_{K\pi\pi^0},$$

$$y'' = y \cdot \cos \delta_{K\pi\pi^0} - x \cdot \sin \delta_{K\pi\pi^0}$$

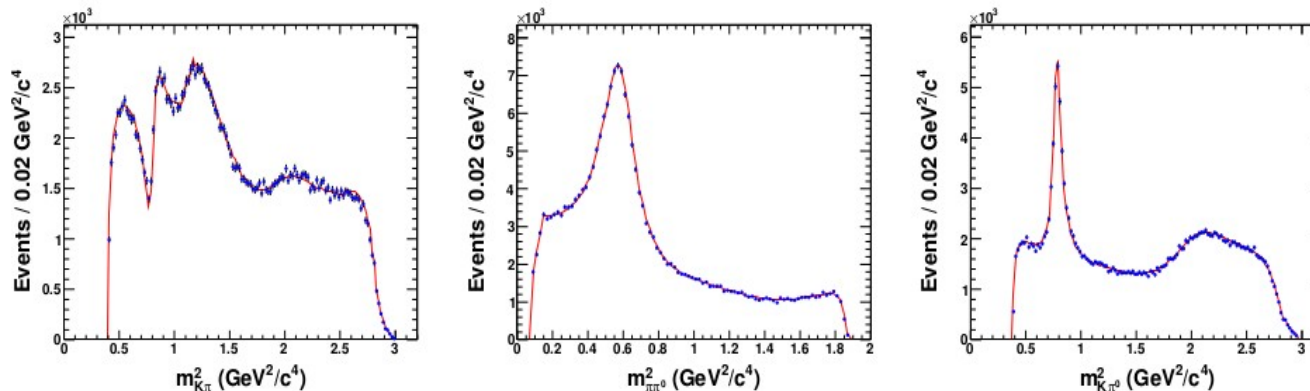
Measurement of effective mixing parameters from the time-dependent fit to the  $(m_{K^+\pi^-}^2, m_{K^+\pi^0}^2)$  Dalitz plot



Expected Belle II precision for these parameters:

$$\sigma_{x''} = 0.057\%$$

$$\sigma_{y''} = 0.049\%$$

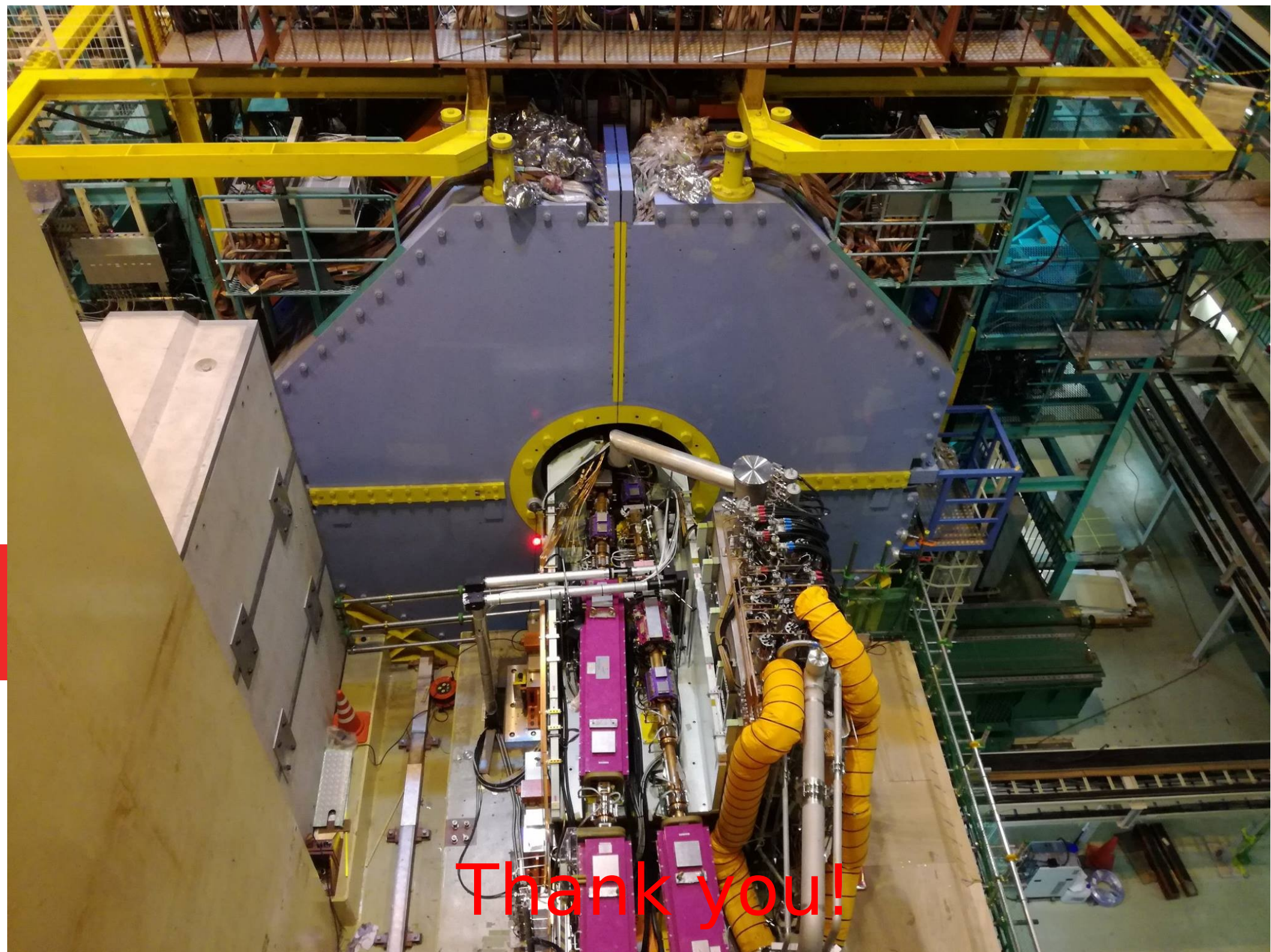


an order of magnitude better than BaBar (**Phys. Rev. Lett. 103, 211801 (2009)**), if no background

# Summary

- B factories have proven to be an excellent tool for charm mixing study
- SuperKEKB will provide  $L = 40 \times \text{Belle} \Rightarrow 50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  (by 2025)
- Due to upgraded VXD,  $D^0$  decay time resolution will improve 2 x Belle/Babar which subsequently improves the precision of mixing/CPV parameters.
- Belle D-mixing measurements extrapolated at  $50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  show expected precision  $\leq 0.1\%$  on  $x$  and  $y$ .
- Excellent performance of Belle II. Phase 2 data taking is about to end. phase 3 with full Belle II detector early next year.
- Era of precision measurements is approaching. Stay tuned!





Thank you!



# Belle II sub-detector performances

Component	Type	Configuration	Readout	Performance
Beam pipe	Beryllium double-wall	Cylindrical, inner radius 10 mm, 10 $\mu\text{m}$ Au, 0.6 mm Be, 1 mm coolant (paraffin), 0.4 mm Be		
PXD	Silicon pixel (DEPFET)	Sensor size: 15 $\times$ 100 (120) mm <sup>2</sup> pixel size: 50 $\times$ 50 (75) $\mu\text{m}^2$ 2 layers: 8 (12) sensors	10 M	impact parameter resolution $\sigma_{z_0} \sim 20 \mu\text{m}$ (PXD and SVD)
SVD	Double sided Silicon strip	Sensors: rectangular and trapezoidal Strip pitch: 50(p)/160(n) - 75(p)/240(n) $\mu\text{m}$ 4 layers: 16/30/56/85 sensors	245 k	
CDC	Small cell drift chamber	56 layers, 32 axial, 24 stereo r = 16 - 112 cm - 83 $\leq z \leq$ 159 cm	14 k	$\sigma_{r\phi} = 100 \mu\text{m}, \sigma_z = 2 \text{ mm}$ $\sigma_{p_t}/p_t = \sqrt{(0.2\%p_t)^2 + (0.3\%/\beta)^2}$ $\sigma_{p_t}/p_t = \sqrt{(0.1\%p_t)^2 + (0.3\%/\beta)^2}$ (with SVD) $\sigma_{dE/dx} = 5\%$
TOP	RICH with quartz radiator	16 segments in $\phi$ at $r \sim 120 \text{ cm}$ 275 cm long, 2 cm thick quartz bars with 4x4 channel MCP PMTs	8 k	$N_{p.e.} \sim 20, \sigma_t = 40 \text{ ps}$ K/ $\pi$ separation : efficiency > 99% at < 0.5% pion fake prob. for $B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$ decays
ARICH	RICH with aerogel radiator	4 cm thick focusing radiator and HAPD photodetectors for the forward end-cap	78 k	$N_{p.e.} \sim 13$ K/ $\pi$ separation at 4 GeV/c: efficiency 96% at 1% pion fake prob.
ECL	CsI(Tl) (Towered structure)	Barrel: r = 125 - 162 cm End-cap: z = -102 cm and +196 cm	6624 1152 (F) 960 (B)	$\frac{\sigma E}{E} = \frac{0.2\%}{E} \oplus \frac{1.6\%}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 1.2\%$ $\sigma_{pos} = 0.5 \text{ cm}/\sqrt{E}$ (E in GeV)
KLM	barrel: RPCs end-caps: scintillator strips	14 layers (5 cm Fe + 4 cm gap) 2 RPCs in each gap 14 layers of (7 - 10) $\times$ 40 mm <sup>2</sup> strips read out with WLS and G-APDs	$\theta$ : 16 k, $\phi$ : 16 k 17 k	$\Delta\phi = \Delta\theta = 20 \text{ mradian}$ for $K_L$ $\sim 1\%$ hadron fake for muons $\Delta\phi = \Delta\theta = 10 \text{ mradian}$ for $K_L$ $\sigma_p/p = 18\%$ for 1 GeV/c $K_L$