

Inclusive $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ Decays

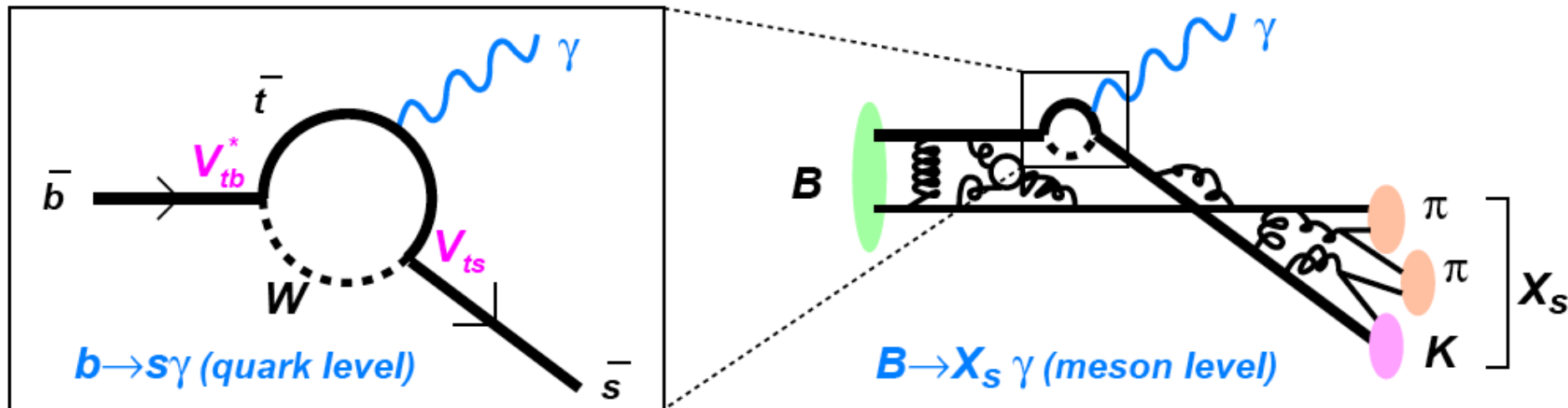
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Motivation

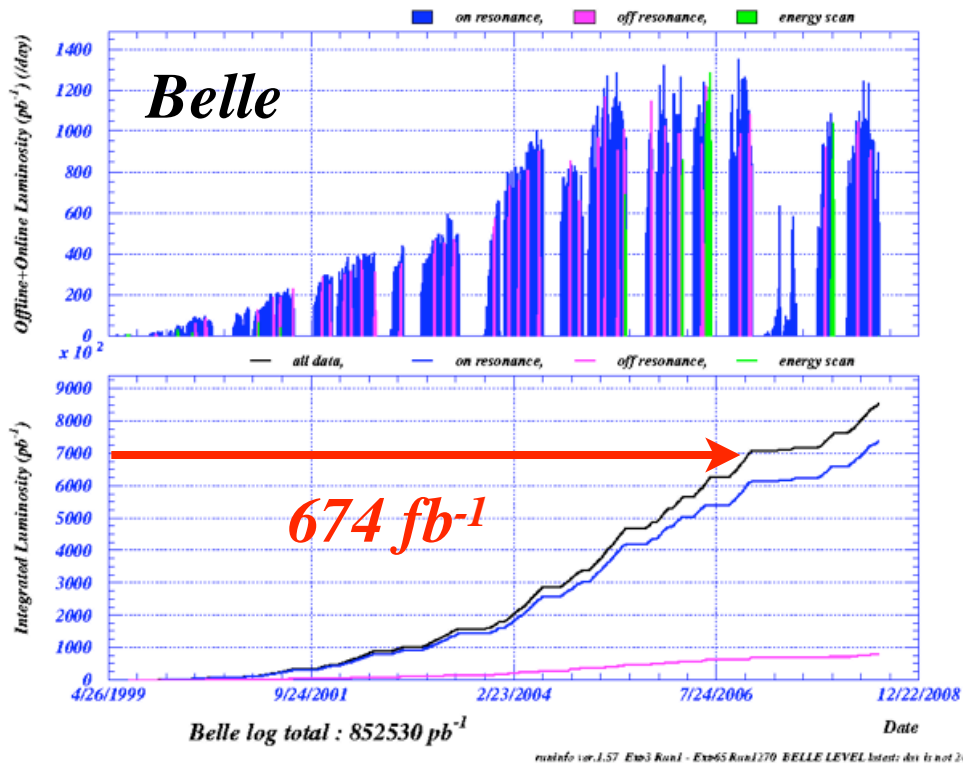


⊙ Total Decay rate and CP Asymmetry : Probe for the New Physics e.g. charged Higgs, SUSY, LR models

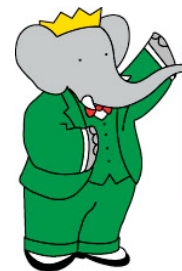
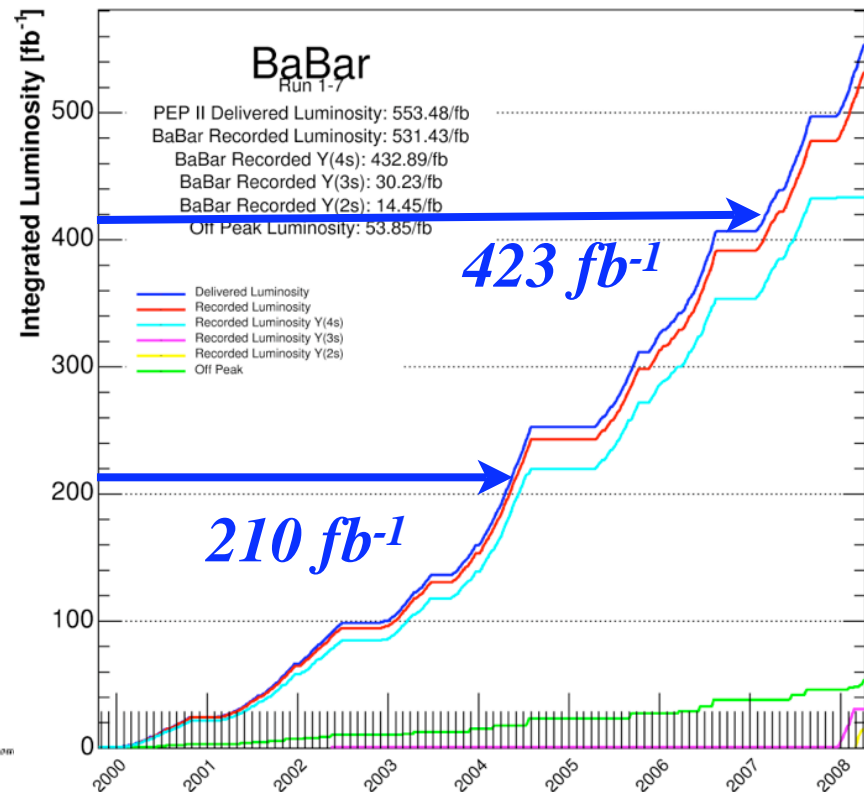
⊙ Differential Decay rate : Photon as a messenger of the dynamics of the b -quark properties e.g mass needed for V_{ub} and V_{cb}

Data set for new measurements

Offline+Online Luminosity (pb^{-1}) (/day) 2008/07/09 07:27



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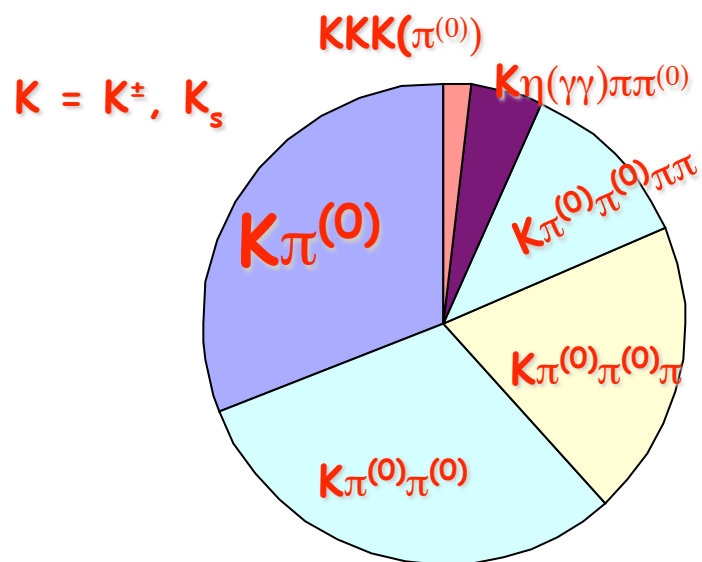
$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{X}_s \gamma) - \Gamma(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)}{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{X}_s \gamma) + \Gamma(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)}$$

Wolfenstein & Wu PRL73 2809(1994)
 Asatrian & Ioannian PRD54, 5642 (1996)
 Ciuchini, Gabrielli, Giudice PLB388 353 1996
 Kagan and Neubert PRD 98 094012

⊙ $A_{CP} < 1\%$ due to CKM & GIM suppression in SM

⊙ Models with non-minimal Flavor violation (e.g SUSY) $A_{CP} \sim 10\%-15\%$

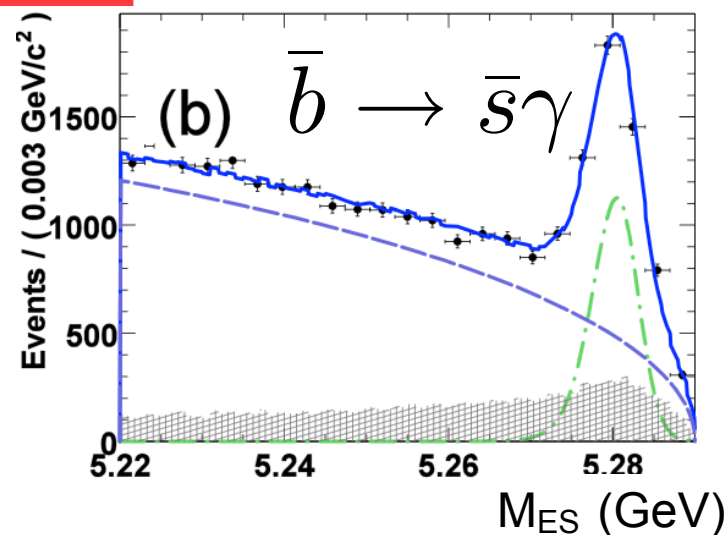
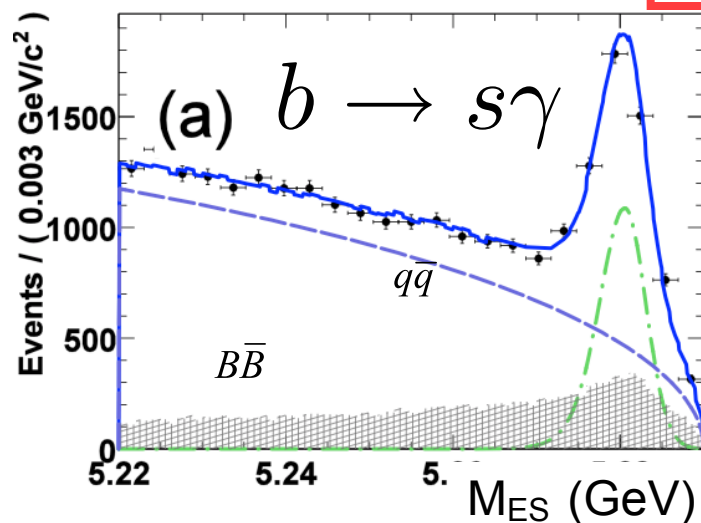
Reconstructed Final States



Exclusively Reconstruct 16 final states of X_s :

Covers $\sim 55\%$ of possible X_s states

Self-tagging



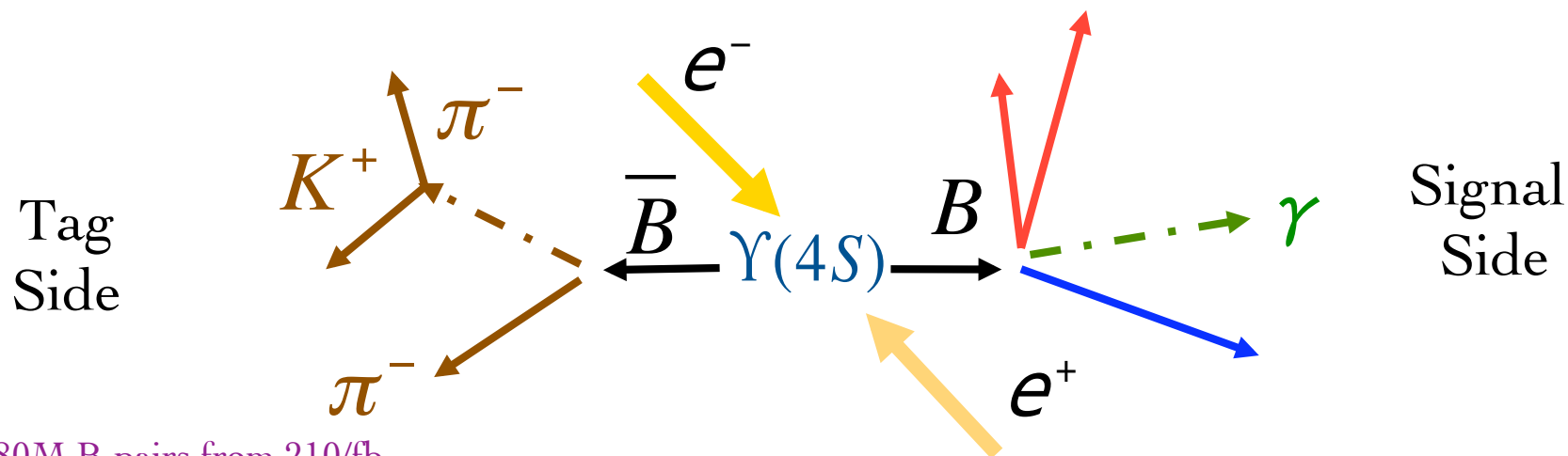
Detector asymmetry $A_{det} = -0.007 \pm 0.005$

$$A_{CP} = -0.011 \pm \underbrace{0.030}_{\text{stat}} \pm \underbrace{0.014}_{\text{sys}}$$

$$0.6 < M_{X_s} / (\text{GeV}/c^2) < 2.8$$

Most precise measurement to date of $A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)$. Consistent with no CPV

- ⊙ Tag B is fully reconstructed in a hadronic mode
- ⊙ Search for an isolated photon from the rest of the event



680M B-pairs from 210/fb

1114 modes ~about 5% of the total width of B decays

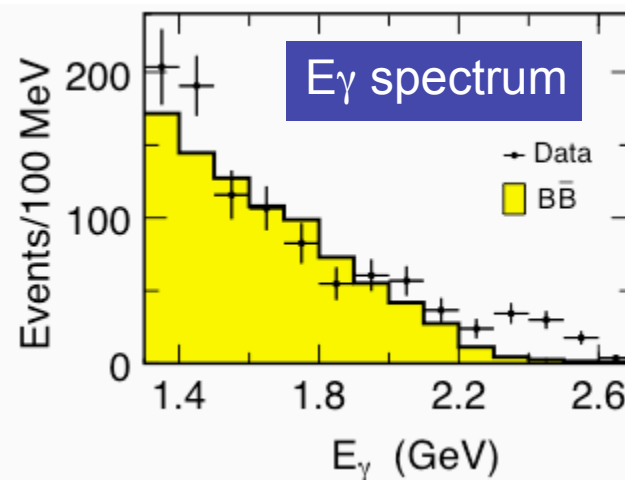
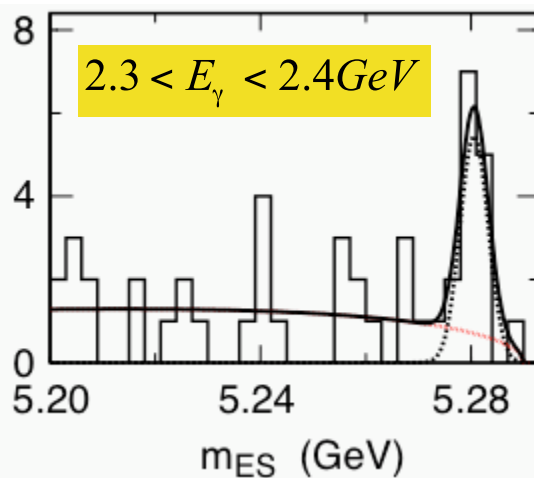
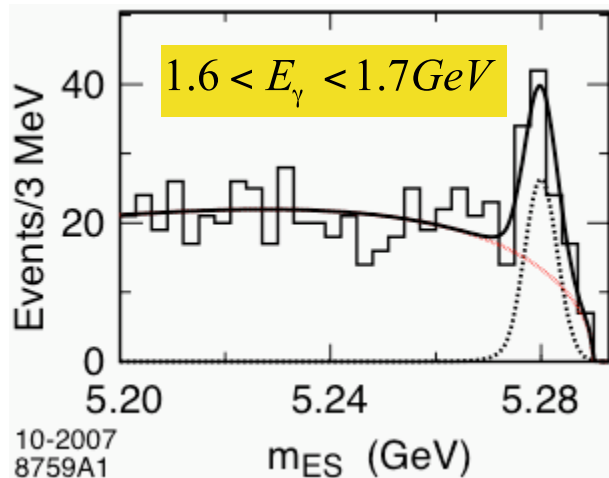
⊙ Advantages

- Rest frame of the B, negligible continuum background
- Access to B flavour, charge and momentum

⊙ Disadvantages

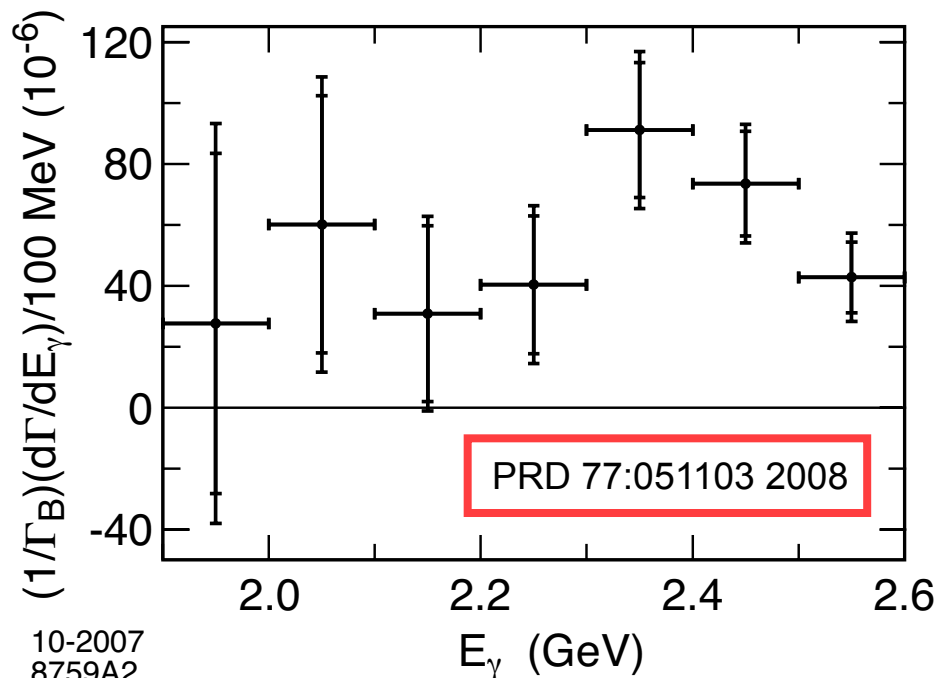
- Low efficiency for fully reconstructing B (~0.3%)

Photon Spectrum



$$\frac{1}{\Gamma_B} \frac{d\Gamma_i}{dE_\gamma} = \frac{N_i - b_i}{\epsilon_i N_B}$$

$$\epsilon_i = \frac{N_{\text{found},i}/N_{\text{sim}}}{N_{\text{true},i}/N_{\text{gen}}} C_{\text{tag}}$$



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$$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma, E_\gamma > 1.9 \text{ GeV}) = (3.66 \pm \underbrace{0.85}_{\text{stat}} \pm \underbrace{0.60}_{\text{sys}}) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\langle E_\gamma \rangle |_{E_\gamma > 1.9 \text{ GeV}} = 2.289 \pm 0.058 \pm 0.027 \text{ GeV}$$

$$(\langle E_\gamma^2 \rangle - \langle E_\gamma \rangle^2) |_{E_\gamma > 1.9 \text{ GeV}} = 0.0334 \pm 0.0124 \pm 0.0062 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{0-} &= \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow X_{s,d} \gamma) - \Gamma(B^- \rightarrow X_{s,d} \gamma)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow X_{s,d} \gamma) + \Gamma(B^- \rightarrow X_{s,d} \gamma)} \\ &= -0.06 \pm 0.15_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.07_{\text{stat}} \end{aligned}$$

$$E_\gamma > 2.2 \text{ GeV}$$

$$A_{CP} = 0.10 \pm 0.18_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.05_{\text{stat}}$$

$$m_b = 4.46^{+0.21}_{-0.23} \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

$$\mu_\pi^2 = 0.64^{+0.39}_{-0.38} \text{ GeV}^2/c^2$$

- ⊙ Consistent with previous measurements and the SM prediction
- ⊙ First look at the future : expect more from Super-B factory
- ⊙ Both statistical and systematic uncertainties to decrease with more statistics

Fully Inclusive

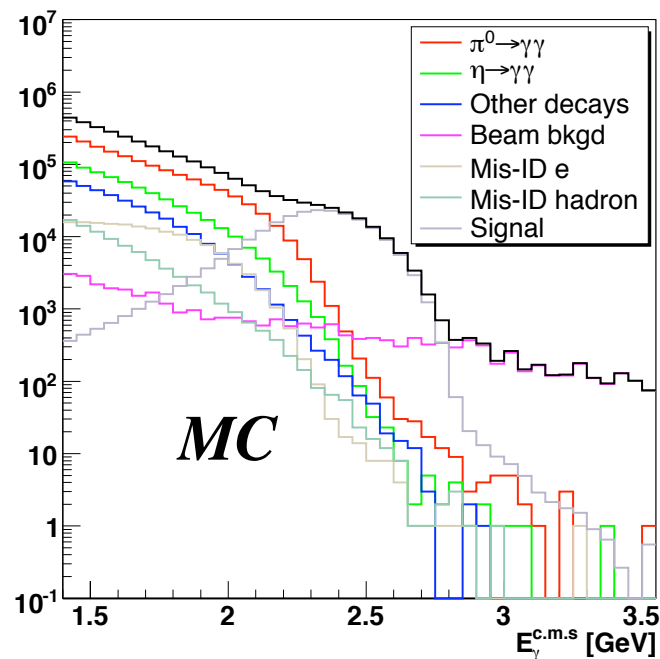
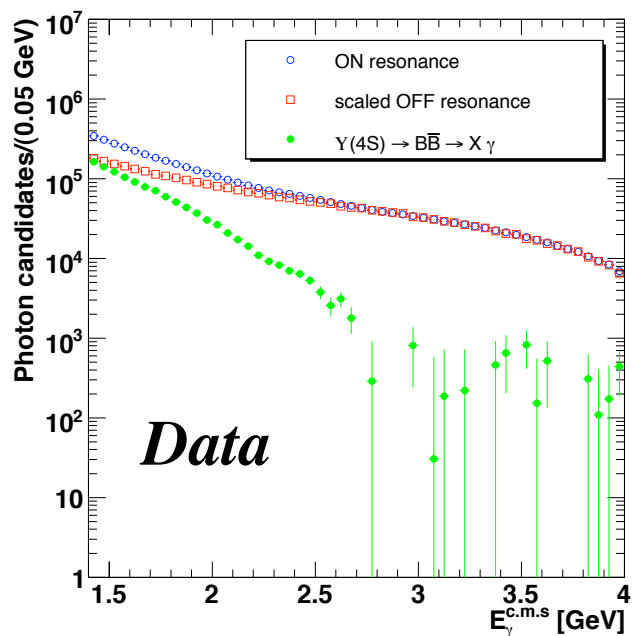
Find isolated clusters in the EM calorimeter

High energy $E(\text{c.m.s}) > 1.4 \text{ GeV}$

Veto γ from π , η & Bhabha and use event topology to suppress continuum

Estimate continuum using OFF resonance data

Estimate B decays using “corrected” MC sample : Measure $B \rightarrow X (\eta/\pi^0)$



Continuum Subtraction

$$N^{B\bar{B}}(E_{\gamma}^{\text{c.m.s.}(\text{ON})}) = N^{\text{ON}}(E_{\gamma}^{\text{c.m.s.}(\text{ON})}) - \alpha \cdot \beta \cdot \gamma \cdot F_N \cdot N^{\text{OFF}}(F_E E_{\gamma}^{\text{c.m.s.}(\text{OFF})})$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\int \mathcal{L}_{\text{ON}} dt}{\int \mathcal{L}_{\text{OFF}} dt} \cdot \frac{s_{\text{OFF}}}{s_{\text{ON}}}$$

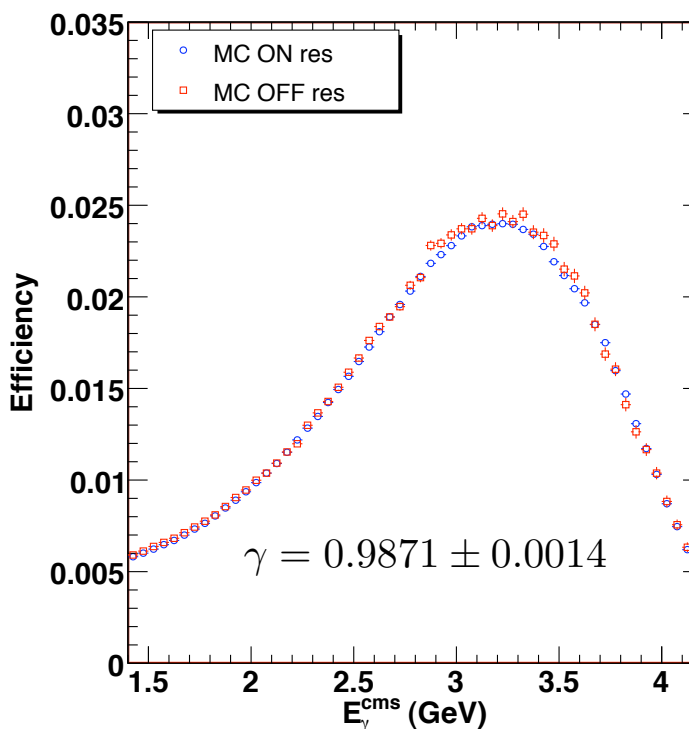
$$\beta = \frac{\epsilon_{\text{Hadronic}}^{\text{ON}}}{\epsilon_{\text{Hadronic}}^{\text{OFF}}}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{\epsilon_{B \rightarrow X_s \gamma}^{\text{ON}}}{\epsilon_{B \rightarrow X_s \gamma}^{\text{OFF}}}$$

$$\alpha = 8.7557(\pm 0.3\%)$$

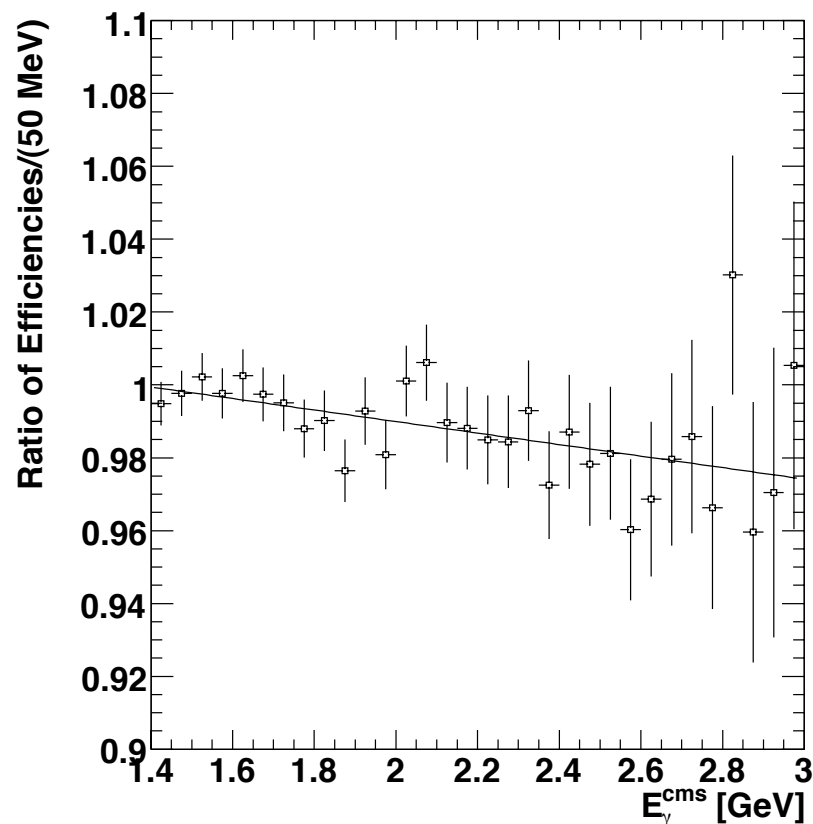
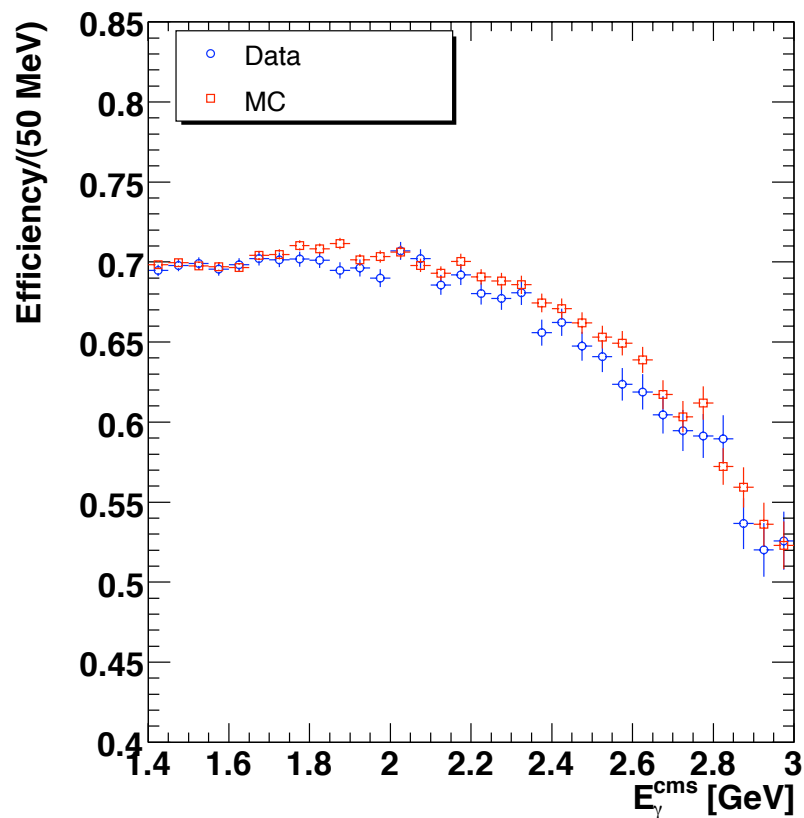
$$\beta = 0.9986 \pm 0.0001$$

$F_N = 1.0009$ accounts for the difference in photon multiplicity
 $F_E = 1.0036$ “ “ in photon mean energy



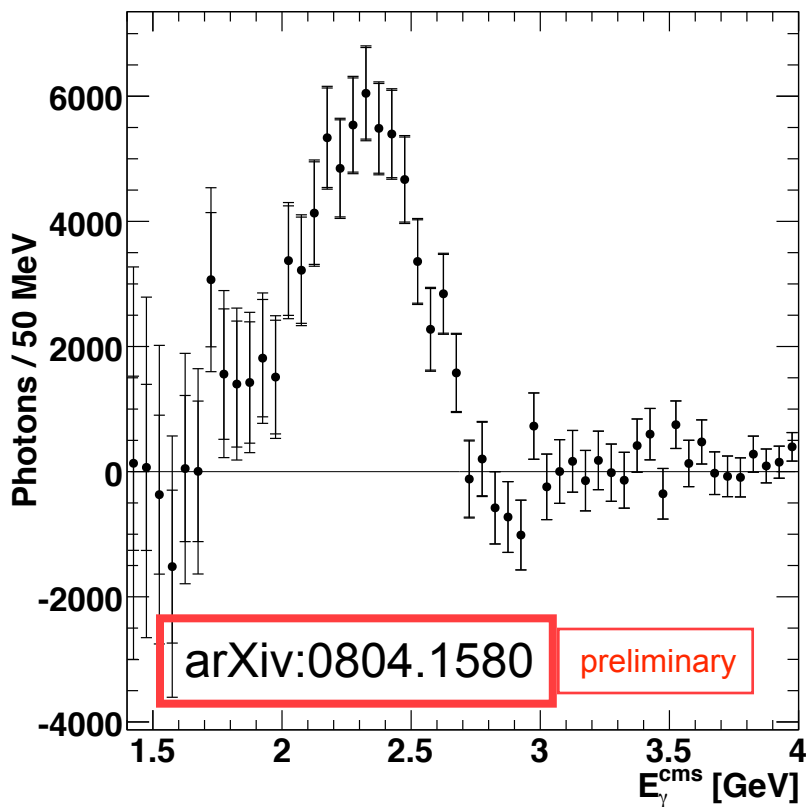
Efficiency Corrections

Get selection efficiency in MC and data in control samples
 e.g. the π^0 Veto efficiency in a sample of partially reconstructed $D^* \rightarrow D \rightarrow K\pi\pi^0$, $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma(\gamma)$



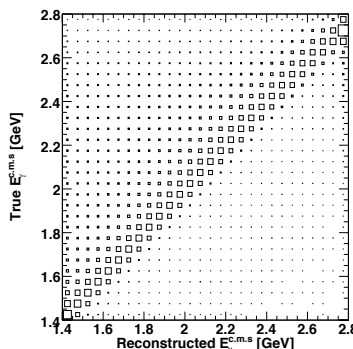
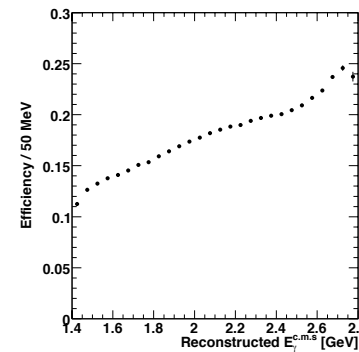
All selection criteria are investigated in a similar fashion

Photon Energy Spectrum



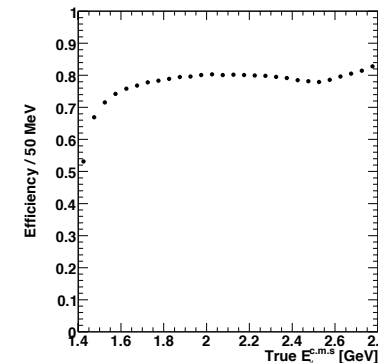
Step One.
Selection Efficiency

$$R(E_\gamma^{\text{meas}}) = \frac{N_{\text{Rec}}}{\eta_{\text{sel}}}$$



Step Two.
Unfold (SVD)

$$M(E_\gamma^{\text{true}}) = A^{-1} R(E_\gamma^{\text{meas}})$$



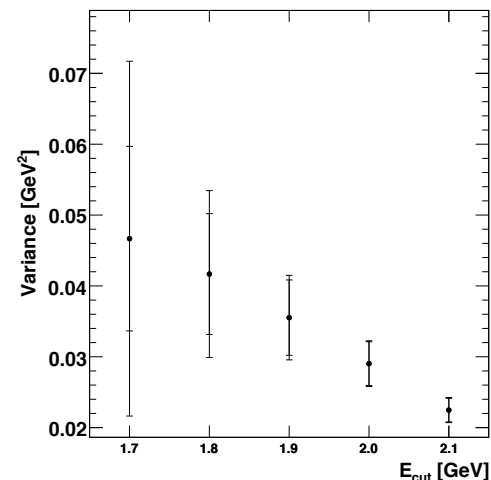
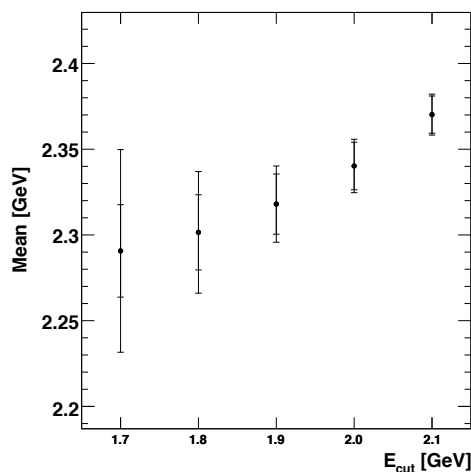
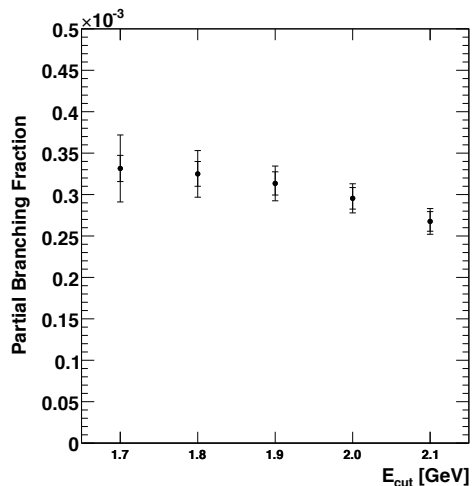
Step Three.
Detection Efficiency

$$T(E_\gamma^{\text{true}}) = \frac{M_{\text{Unfolded}}}{\eta_{\text{det}}}$$

⊙ Signal models: {KN, DGE, BBU, BLNP, GG}

⊙ The MC response of the EM calorimeter is calibrated to match DATA using a study of radiative mu-pair events

B meson Frame

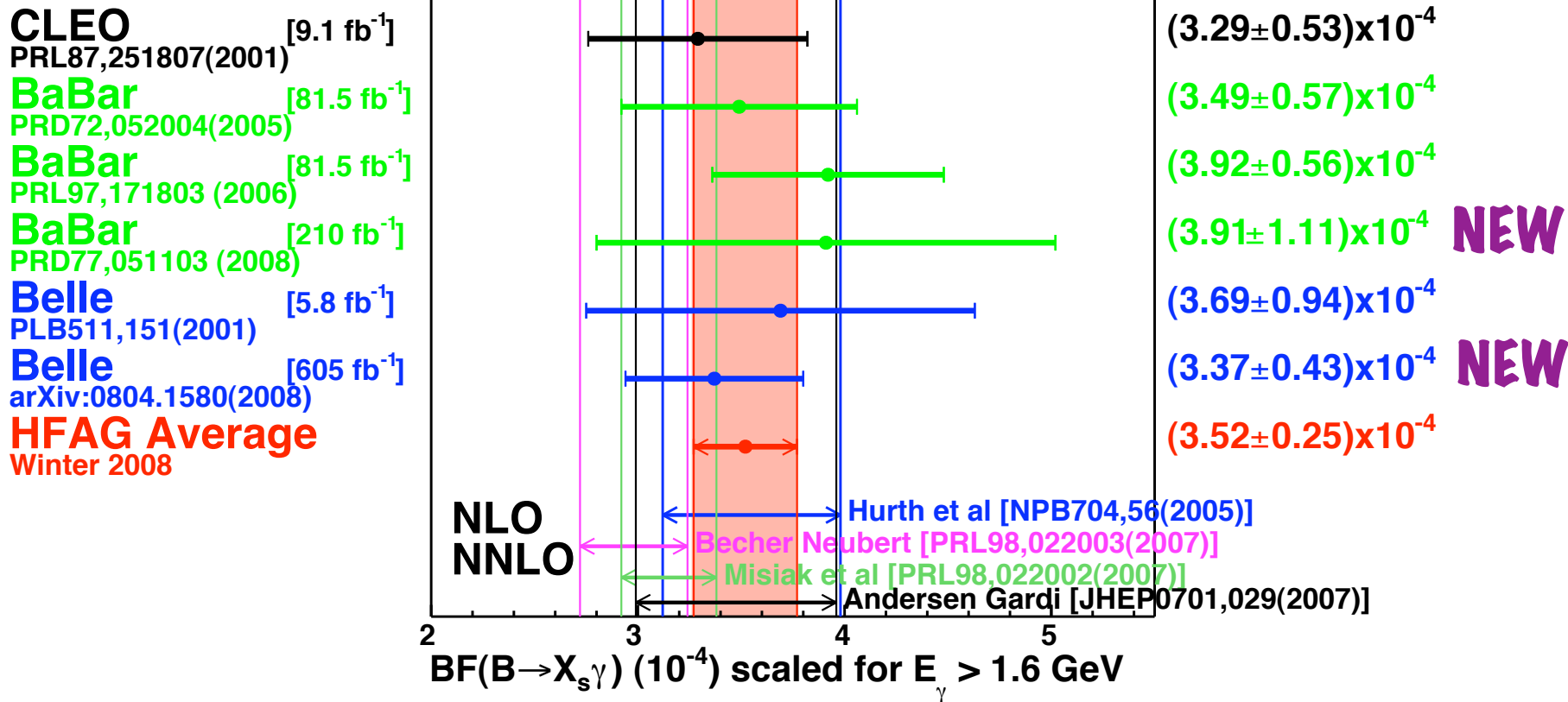


E(cut) [GeV]	PBF [10 ⁻⁴]	Analysis	Relative Error
1.70	3.31 ± 0.19 ± 0.37	(Belle 605/fb)	(12.6%)
1.80	3.24 ± 0.17 ± 0.24	(Belle 605/fb)	(9.1%)
1.80	3.38 ± 0.31 ± 0.30	(Belle 140/fb)	(12.5%)

Systematic	PBF[10 ⁻⁴]	
	1.7 GeV	1.8 GeV
other B - background	0.24	0.13
Selection Criteria	0.20	0.15
Continuum Background	0.17	0.12
pi0/eta background	0.06	0.05
Beam background	0.02	0.02
Energy resolution	0.01	0.01
Unfolding	0.01	0.01
Signal model	0.03	0.02
Photon detection	0.05	0.03
b-> d gamma	0.01	0.01
B-meson boost	0.01	0.01
Total	0.37	0.24



Branching fraction (Exp)





Branching fraction (NLO)

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PRL87,251807(2001)

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PRD72,052004(2005)

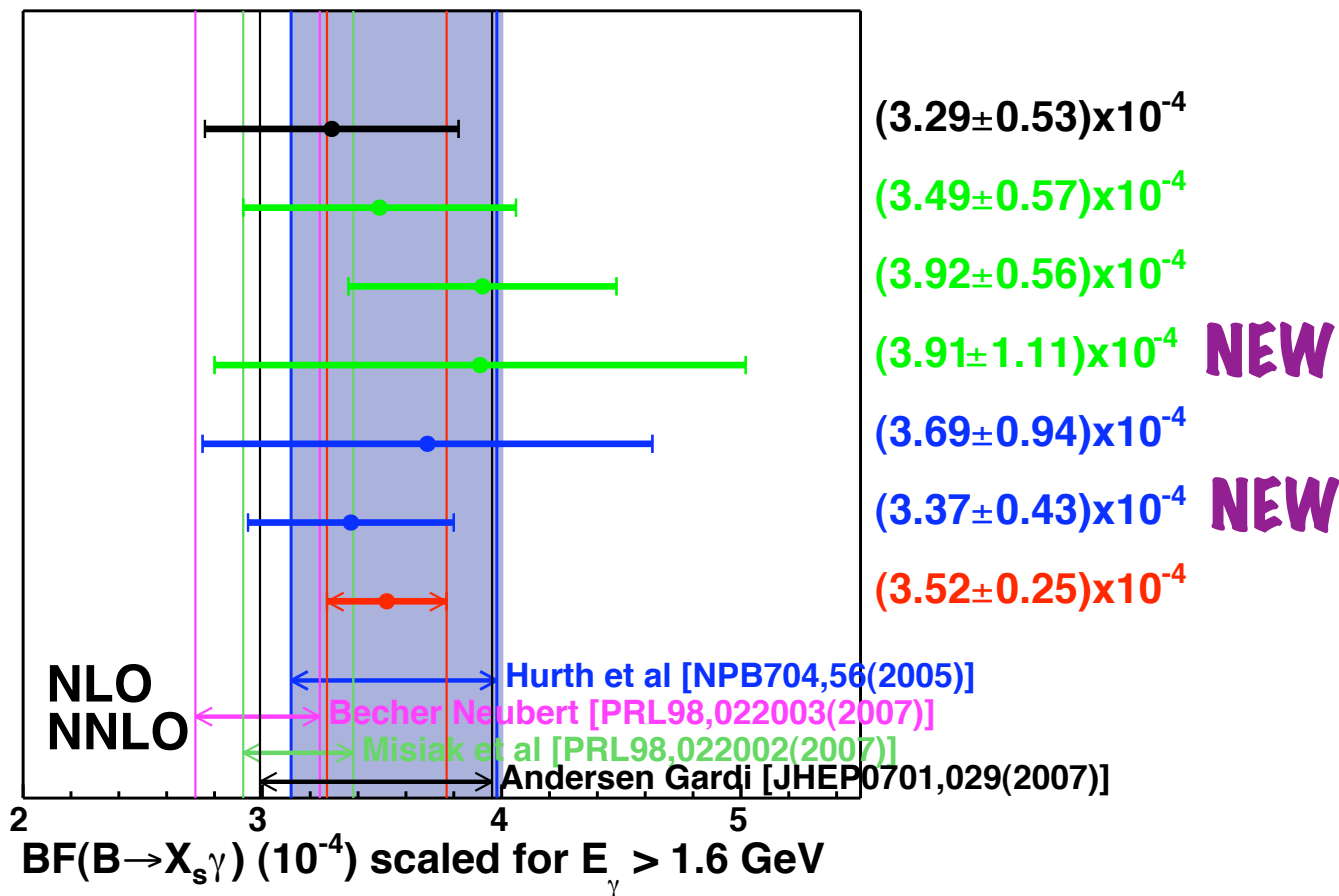
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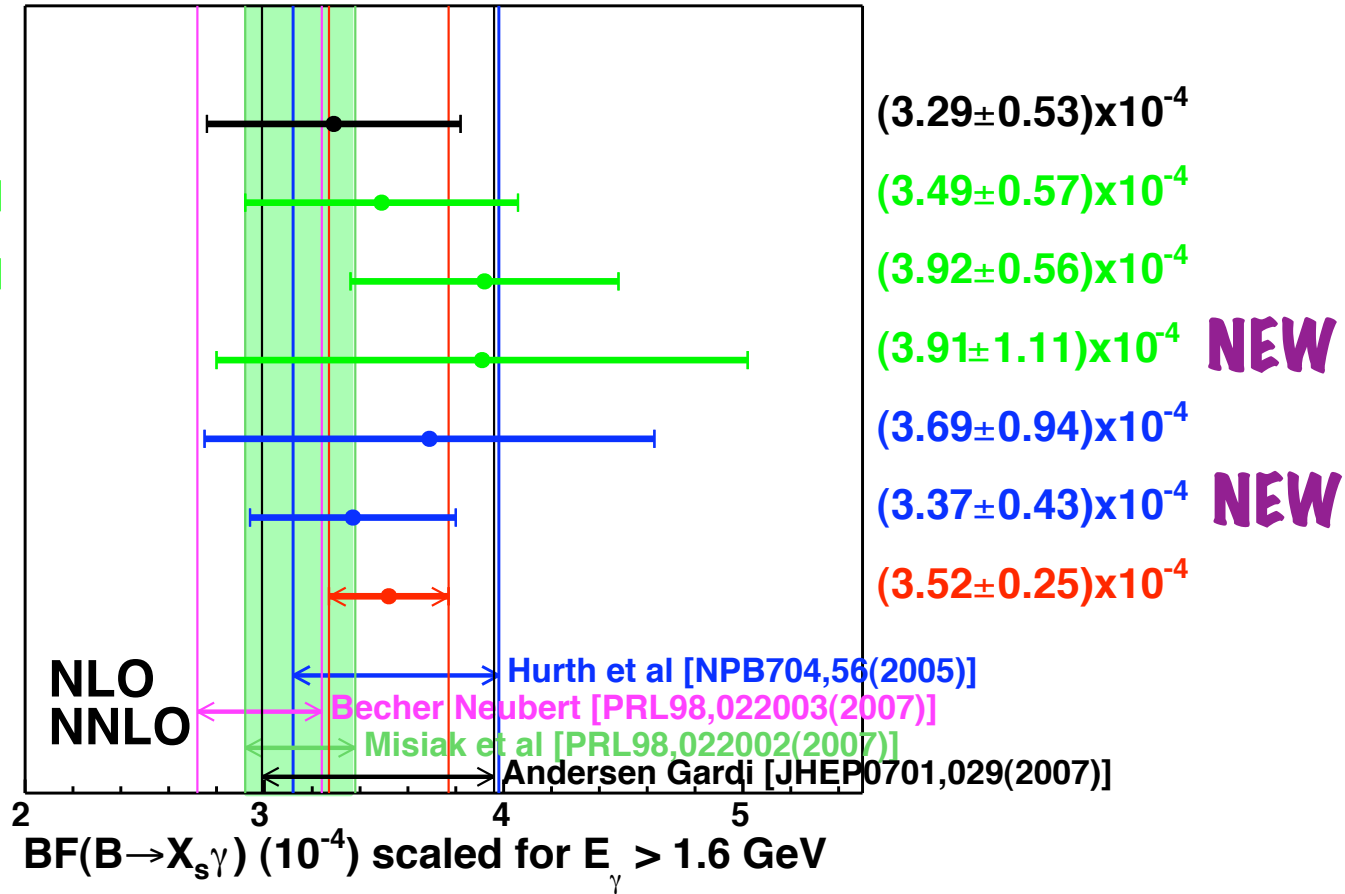
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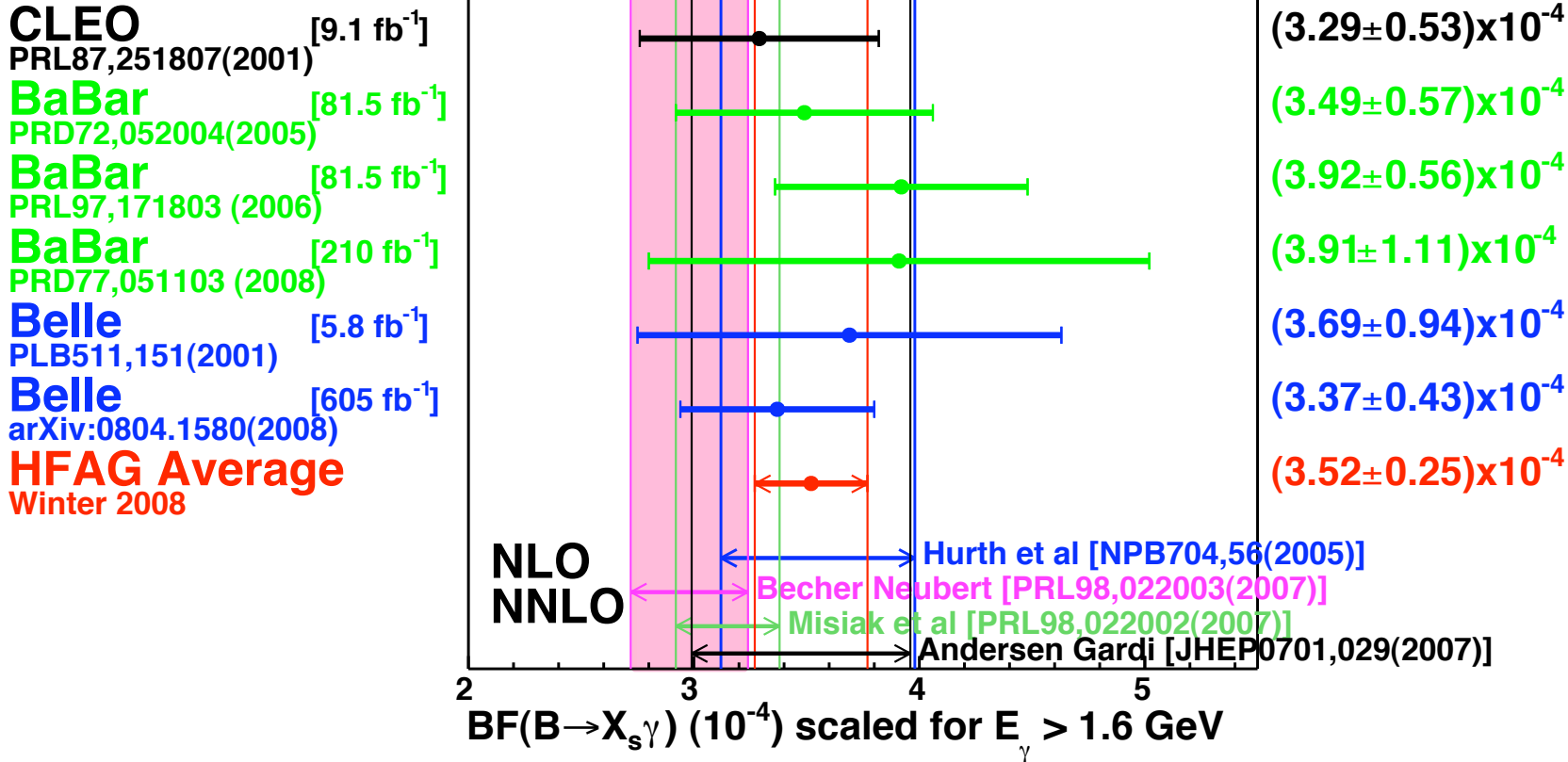
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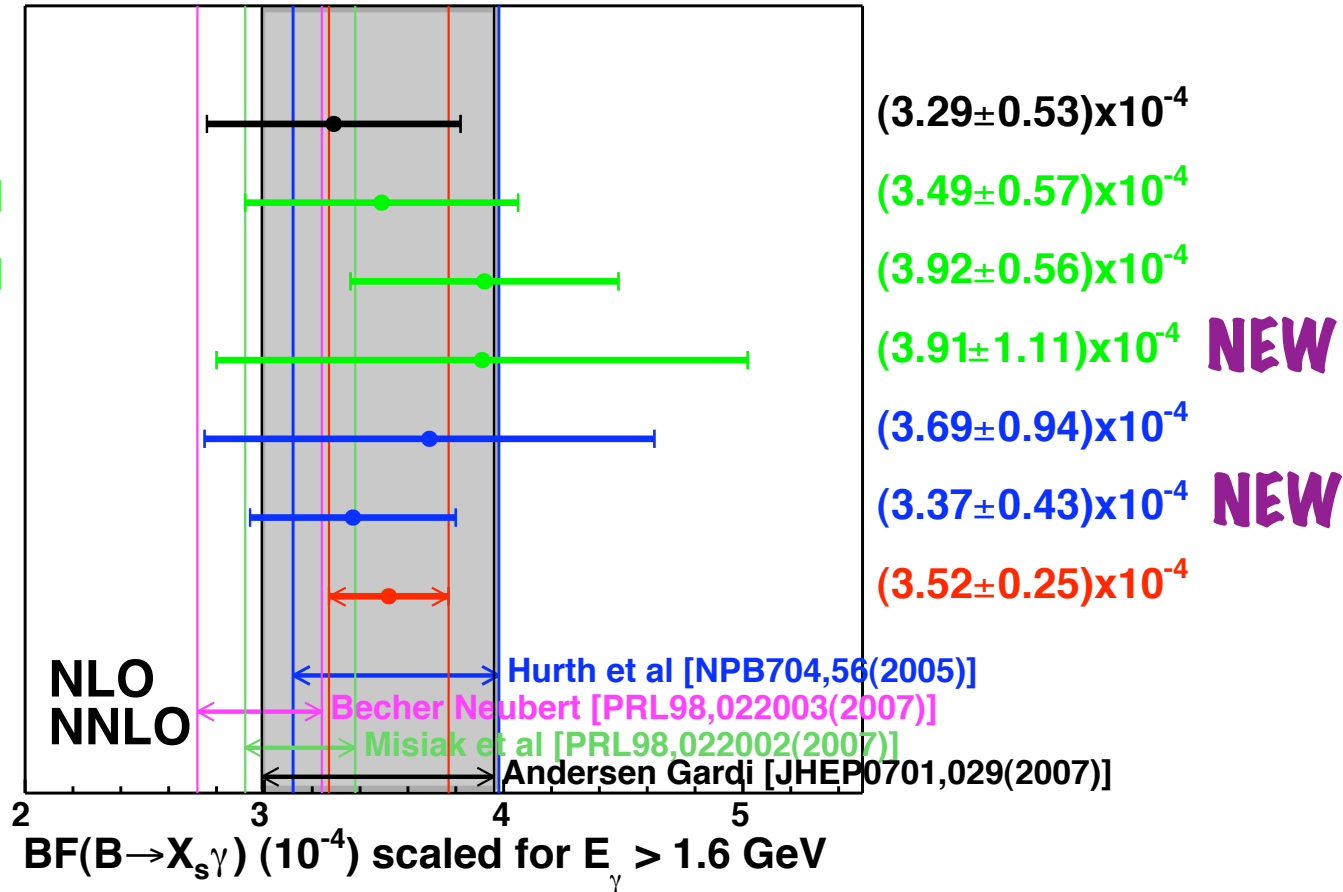
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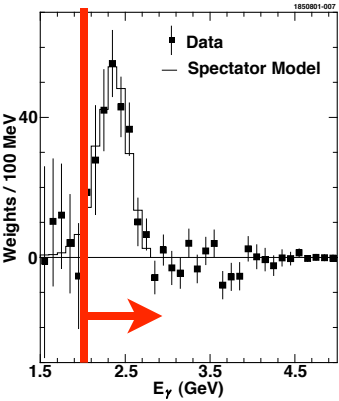
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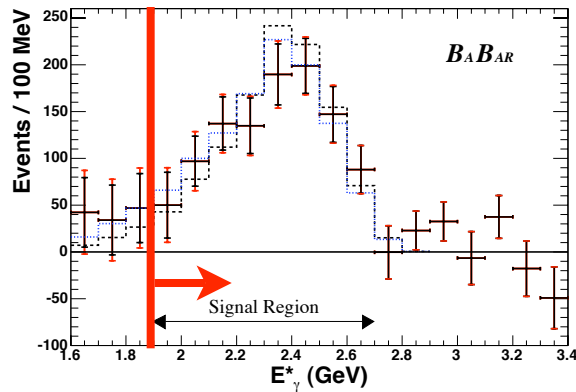


Summary of Fully Inclusive



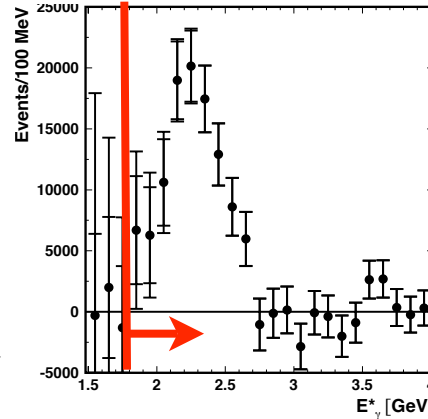
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 $E_\gamma > 2.0$ GeV

PRL87, 251807
 (2001)



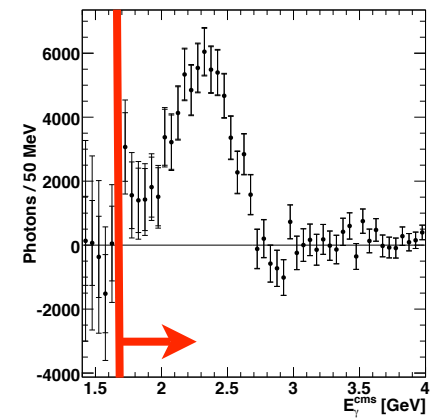
BABAR
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 $E_\gamma > 1.9$ GeV

PRL97, 171803
 (2006)



Belle
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 $E_\gamma > 1.8$ GeV

PRL93, 061803
 (2004)



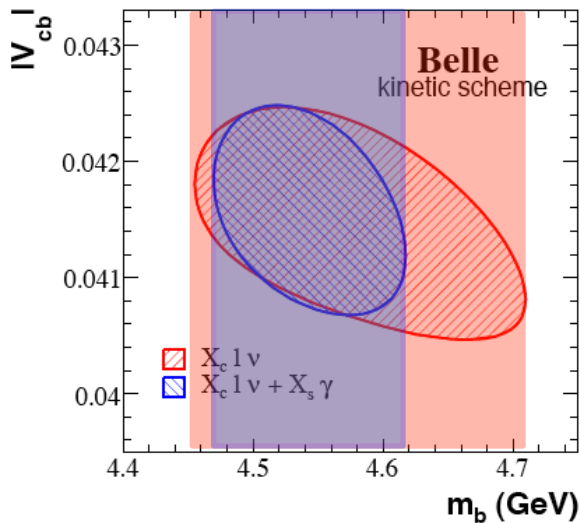
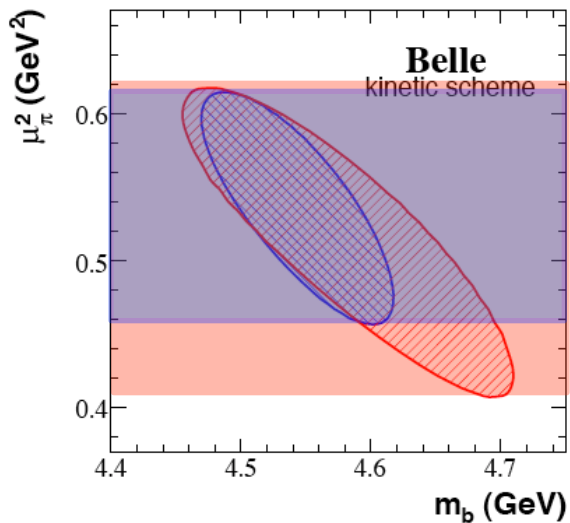
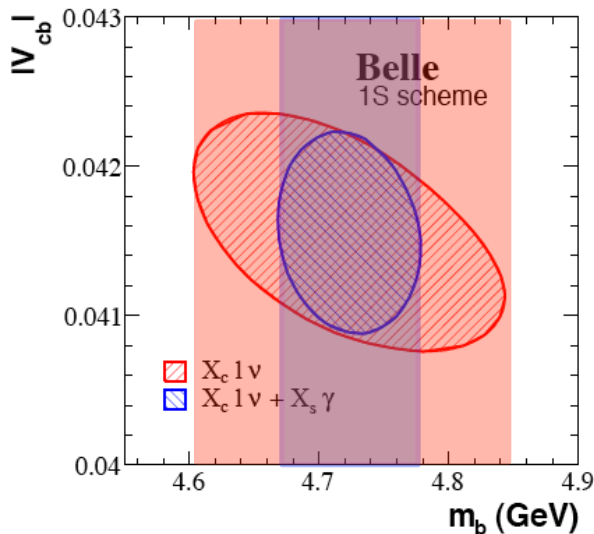
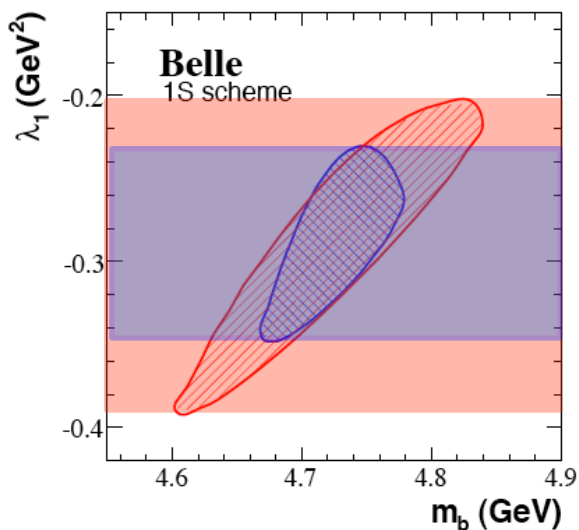
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More data, lower the photon energy cut

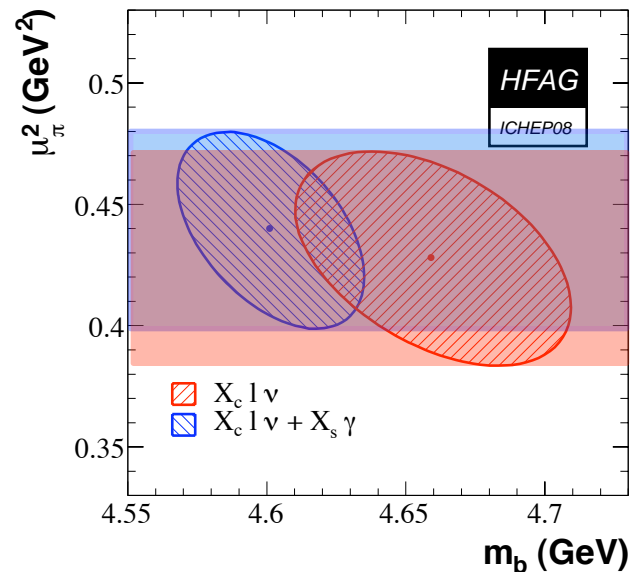
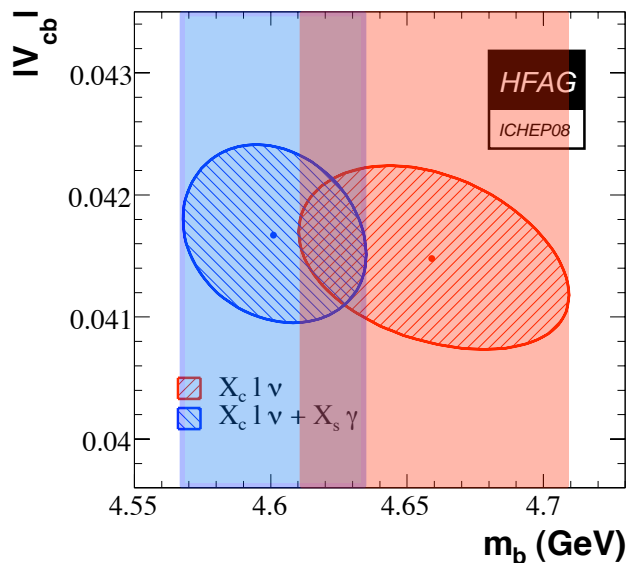


Moments : Global Fit



Belle 140/fb data

Global Fit (all Data)



Input	$ V_{cb} (10^{-3})$	$m_b^{\text{kin}} (\text{GeV})$	$\mu_{\pi}^2 (\text{GeV}^2)$
all moments ($X_c l \nu$ and $X_s \gamma$)	$41.67 \pm 0.43(\text{fit}) \pm 0.08(\tau_B) \pm 0.58(\text{th})$	4.601 ± 0.034	0.440 ± 0.040
$X_c l \nu$ only	$41.48 \pm 0.47(\text{fit}) \pm 0.08(\tau_B) \pm 0.58(\text{th})$	4.659 ± 0.049	0.428 ± 0.044



Since CKM2006@Nagoya

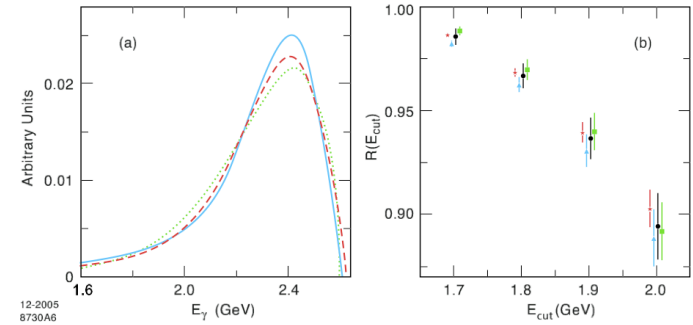
- ⊙ The branching fraction measurement uncertainty has reduced by about 5% to yield a total uncertainty of 7%, comparable to the theoretical uncertainty
- ⊙ As yet no hint of new physics, CP asymmetry and BF consistent with the SM
- ⊙ First report of a measurement using a fully reconstructed B sample by BaBar, most promising avenue for improving the measurement ---> Super B factory
- ⊙ $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ continues to play an important, albeit controversial, role in the determination of the CKM matrix elements V_{ub} and V_{cb}



Which is the best cut to use?

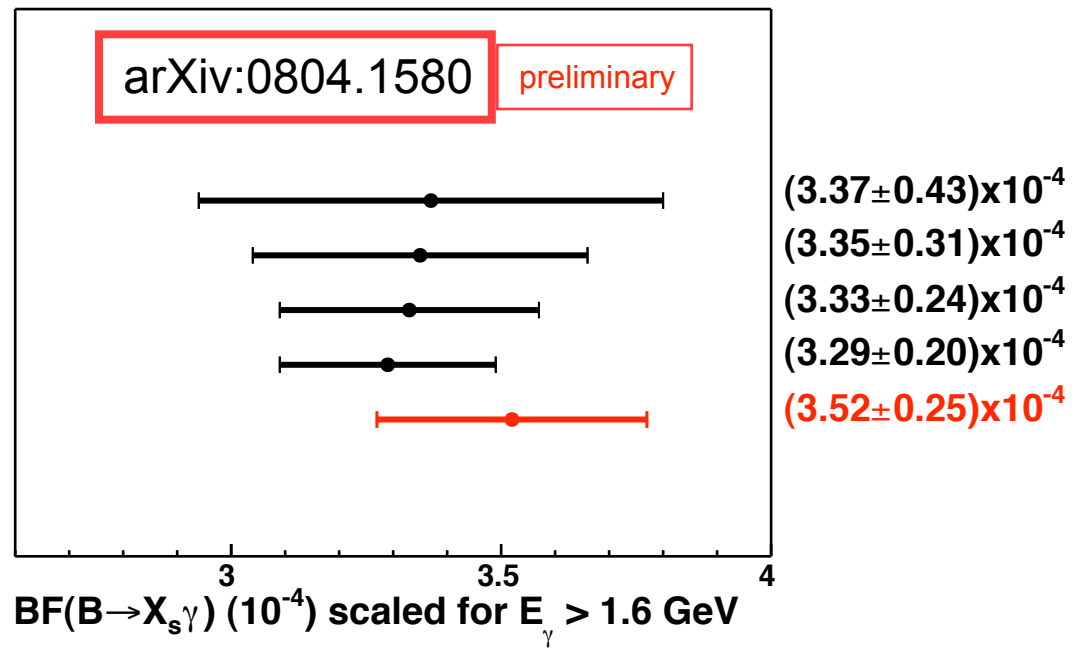
Extrapolation factors used by HFAG
from Buchmuller & Flacher PRD73 073008 (2006)

Scheme	$E_\gamma < 1.7$	$E_\gamma < 1.8$	$E_\gamma < 1.9$	$E_\gamma < 2.0$	$E_\gamma < 2.242$
Kinetic	0.986 ± 0.001	0.968 ± 0.002	0.939 ± 0.005	0.903 ± 0.009	0.656 ± 0.031
Neubert SF	0.982 ± 0.002	0.962 ± 0.004	0.930 ± 0.008	0.888 ± 0.014	0.665 ± 0.035
Kagan-Neubert	0.988 ± 0.002	0.970 ± 0.005	0.940 ± 0.009	0.892 ± 0.014	0.643 ± 0.033
Average	0.985 ± 0.004	0.967 ± 0.006	0.936 ± 0.010	0.894 ± 0.016	0.655 ± 0.037



arXiv:0804.1580 preliminary

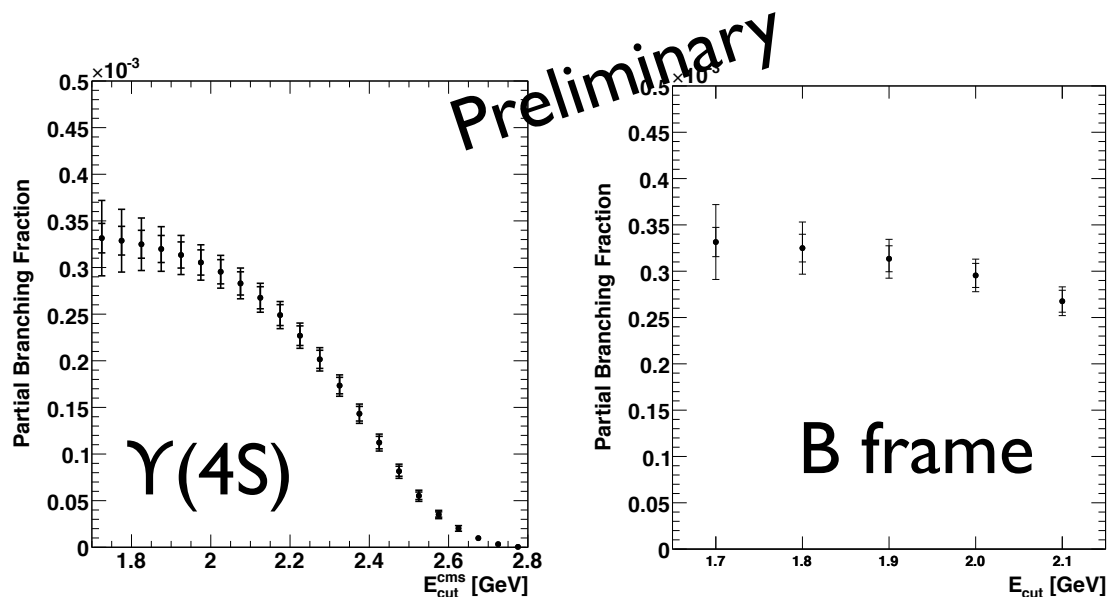
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Much lower uncertainty if $E > 2.0$ GeV cut is used!

$\Upsilon(4S)$ frame to B frame

- Fully inclusive measurements are out most precise to date, but necessarily restricted to the $\Upsilon(4S)$ frame. A correction is needed to go to the rest frame of the B.
- Correction is model dependent, moreover grows quickly, as the lower threshold energy cut is raised.



$\Upsilon(4S)$ rest frame

B rest frame

E(cut) [GeV]	PBF [10 ⁻⁴]	Mean [GeV]	Variance [GeV ²]
2.00	$2.95 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.12$	$2.340 \pm 0.015 \pm 0.007$	$0.0290 \pm 0.0033 \pm 0.0009$
2.00	$2.94 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.02$	$2.326 \pm 0.015 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.005$	$0.0227 \pm 0.0031 \pm 0.0009 \pm 0.0009$
2.10	$2.68 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.10$	$2.370 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.005$	$0.0225 \pm 0.0017 \pm 0.0006$
2.10	$2.62 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.05$	$2.350 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.006$	$0.0170 \pm 0.0017 \pm 0.0006 \pm 0.0012$

Can we make better use of all our data



Global fit of $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ data?

As is done with V_{cb} , m_b , other HQET parameters, is it time we performed a simultaneous fit to all the $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ data?

- ⊙ Partial branching fraction, first moment (Mean), second central moment (Variance) and third central moment (Kurtosis).

To yield

- ⊙ The full branching fraction ($E > 1.6$ GeV or wherever)
- ⊙ The b-quark mass m_b
- ⊙ The mean momentum squared of the b-quark $(\mu_\pi)^2$

Parametric/Model errors

Parameter error Δm_b
“Signal model
error”
used for acceptance
correction

Systematic error on
PBF, mean, variance

Fit of mean and variance
to get m_b

Initial error Δm_b propagates to
the new determination of m_b .
The effort to precisely determine
 m_b is undermined i.e. we don't
allow the data to speak for itself.

At the moment we are necessarily choosing values for m_b and $(\mu_\pi)^2$ to extract the branching fraction and the moments, are we ready to allow our data simultaneously decide the value of these parameters?

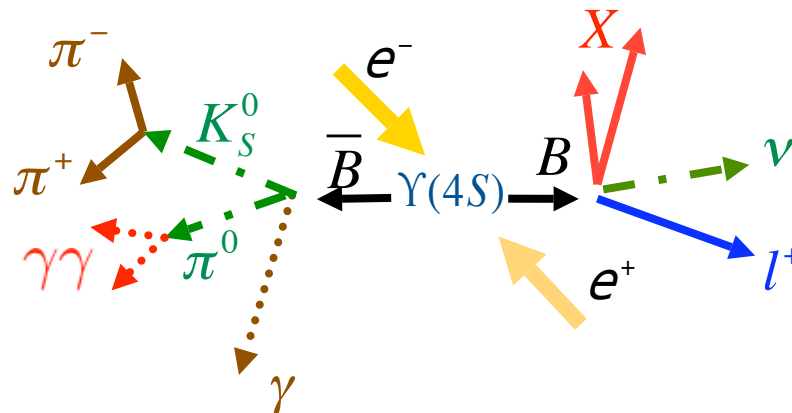
Backup Slides



Three methods

⊙ Fully inclusive

- Isolated photon
- Big continuum background
- Smeared by B-boost

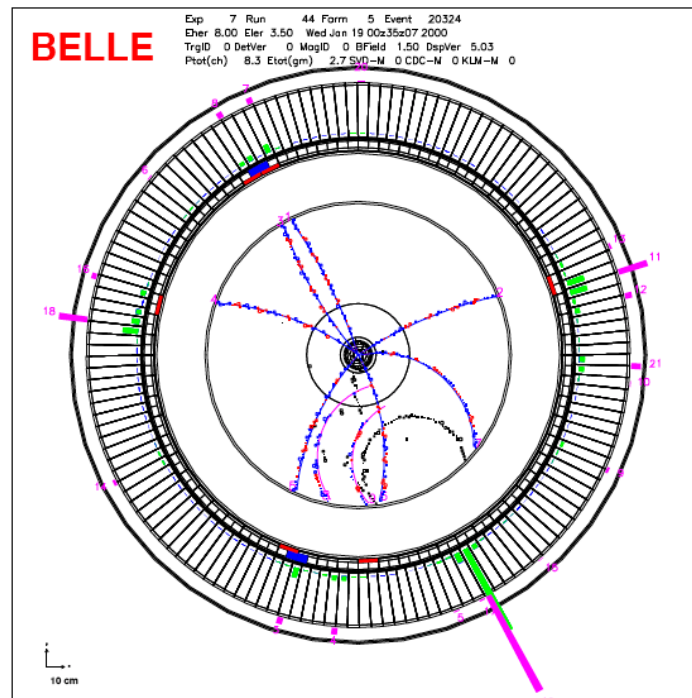


⊙ Semi-inclusive

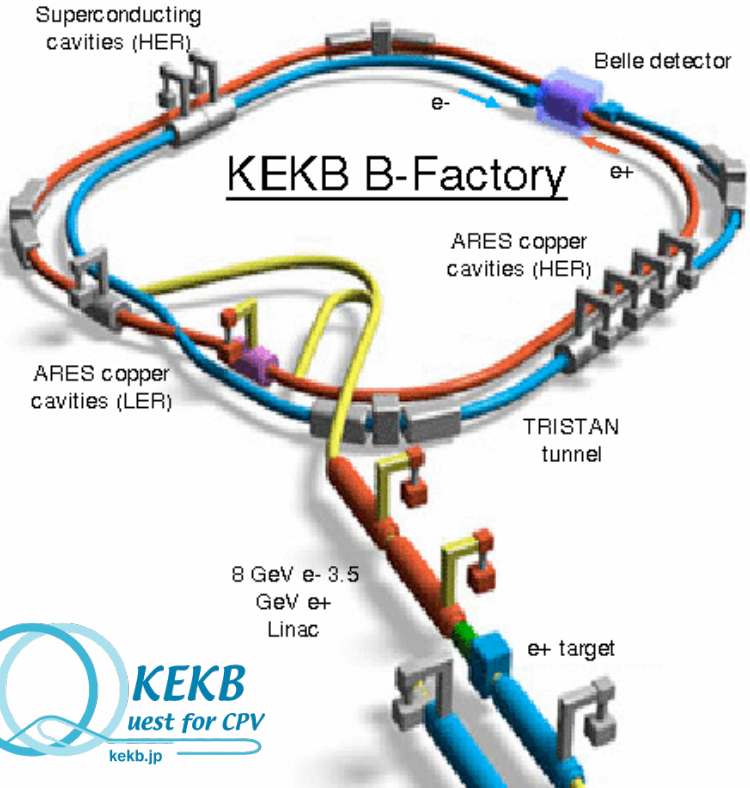
- B reconstruction $M_{bc(ES)} - \Delta E$
- Sum up many modes $\sim 55\%$
- B-rest frame
- Excellent Υ energy resolution

⊙ B-Recoil

- Isolated photon
- B-rest frame



KEKB and Belle

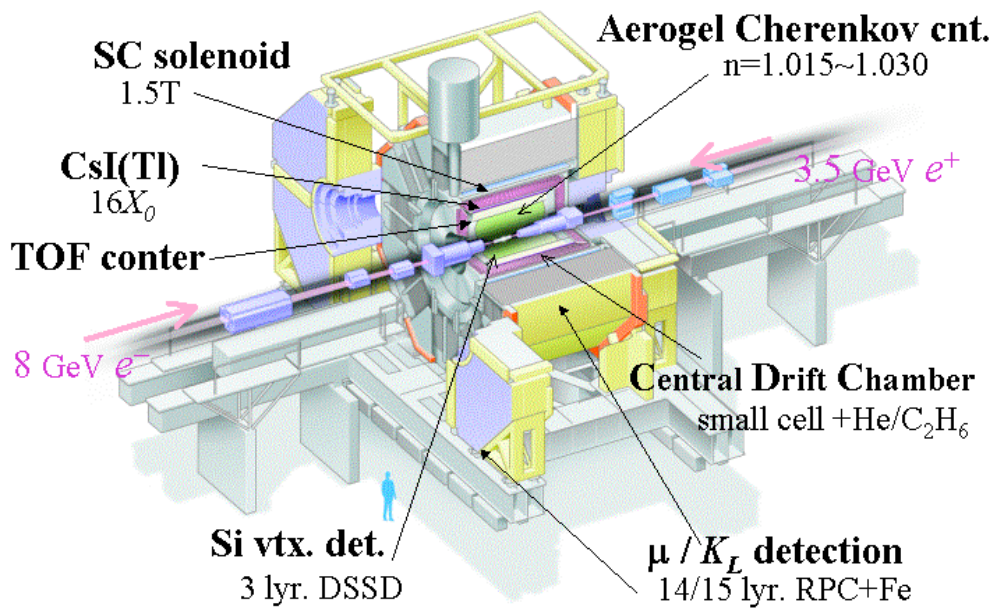


Solid angle coverage	~92%
Particle ID	e m p K p



Luminosity	KEKB
Peak	$>16.5 \times 10^{33}$ /cm²/s
Total Integrated	$>700/\text{fb}$

Belle Detector



Selection Criteria

γ polar angle	$\cos \theta$	\in	$[-0.35, 0.70]$
π^0 probability	\mathcal{P}_{π^0}	\leq	0.10
η probability	\mathcal{P}_{η}	\leq	0.20
Distance to closest charged	d_T	\geq	3 cm
Distance to closest charged with $P > 1$ GeV	d_{HT}	\geq	50 cm
Distance to closest γ	d_{γ}	\geq	30 cm
Angle to closest e	α_e	\geq	0.3
Angle to closest μ	α_{μ}	\geq	0.3
$\gamma E_9/E_{25}$	E_9/E_{25}	\geq	0.95
Second Fox Wolfram moment	R_2	\leq	0.5
Angle between γ and EM cluster ($-\pi$)	Θ	\in	$[0, 0.2]$
OFF time cut (Exp ≥ 39)	s_tdc	\in	$[9000, 11000]$
	$mcsi_bb$	\in	$[7500, 9300]$

MAIN stream

Virtual calorimeter central energy	E_C	\geq	3.0 GeV
Virtual calorimeter Fisher discriminant	F_{VC}	\leq	2.0 GeV
Event shapes Fisher Discriminant	F_{ES}^{MAIN}	\leq	-0.28

Table of Results for Belle

	$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma) (10^{-4})$					$\langle E_\gamma \rangle$ (GeV)					$\Delta E_\gamma^2 \equiv \langle E_\gamma^2 \rangle - \langle E_\gamma \rangle^2$ (GeV ²)				
E_γ^B [GeV]	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1
Value	3.31	3.24	3.12	2.94	2.62	2.281	2.290	2.305	2.326	2.350	0.0396	0.0350	0.0292	0.0227	0.0170
\pm statistical	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.032	0.025	0.019	0.015	0.011	0.0156	0.0096	0.0058	0.0033	0.0017
\pm systematic	0.37	0.24	0.16	0.12	0.10	0.053	0.028	0.014	0.007	0.005	0.0214	0.0081	0.0027	0.0009	0.0006
\pm boost	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.002	0.002	0.004	0.005	0.006	0.0012	0.0005	0.0008	0.0009	0.0012
Systematic Uncertainties															
Continuum	0.18	0.11	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.030	0.016	0.008	0.004	0.002	0.0101	0.0040	0.0012	0.0004	0.0004
Selection	0.20	0.15	0.11	0.08	0.06	0.023	0.012	0.006	0.003	0.001	0.0114	0.0039	0.0014	0.0005	0.0001
π^0/η	0.07	0.05	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.012	0.006	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.0075	0.0023	0.0007	0.0003	0.0001
Other B	0.24	0.13	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.033	0.016	0.007	0.002	0.000	0.0124	0.0051	0.0017	0.0004	0.0000
Beam	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0006	0.0003	0.0001	0.0000	0.0000
resolution	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.004	0.004	0.0009	0.0006	0.0005	0.0004	0.0004
Unfolding	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.0014	0.0008	0.0006	0.0003	0.0001
Model	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.0014	0.0006	0.0002	0.0000	0.0000
γ Detection	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.005	0.003	0.002	0.001	0.000	0.0014	0.0006	0.0002	0.0000	0.0000
$B \rightarrow X_d \gamma$	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0001	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000



Signal Models

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