



Measurement of ϕ_2 (α) from $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$ and $B \rightarrow a_1 \pi$ decays

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- *Isospin decomposition*
- $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^0$
- $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$
- $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0$
- *constraint upon ϕ_2 (α)*
- $B^0 \rightarrow a_1 \pi$ and ϕ_2



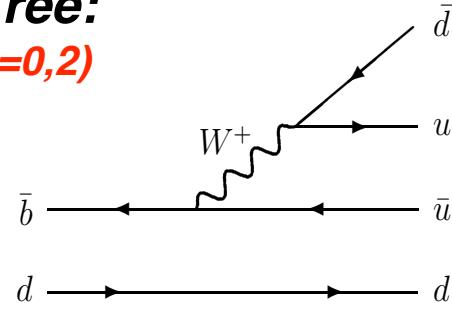
Measurement of $\sin(2\phi_2)$ with $B^0 \rightarrow \rho\rho$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda &= \sqrt{\frac{M_{12}^*}{M_{12}}} \frac{\bar{A}_f}{\mathcal{A}_f} \\
 &= + \left(\frac{V_{td} V_{tb}^*}{V_{td}^* V_{tb}} \right) \left(\frac{V_{ub} V_{ud}^*}{V_{ub}^* V_{ud}} \right) \left[\frac{1 - (\bar{A}_0 / \bar{A}_2)}{1 - (A_0 / A_2)} \right] \\
 &= \frac{-V_{tb}^* V_{td} / (V_{ub}^* V_{ud})}{-V_{tb} V_{td}^* / (V_{ub} V_{ud}^*)} \times \left[\frac{1 - (\bar{A}_0 / \bar{A}_2)}{1 - (A_0 / A_2)} \right] \\
 &= \frac{|M| e^{i\phi_2}}{|M| e^{-i\phi_2}} \times \left[\frac{1 - (\bar{A}_0 / \bar{A}_2)}{1 - (A_0 / A_2)} \right] \\
 &= e^{2i\phi_2} \times \left[\frac{1 - (\bar{A}_0 / \bar{A}_2)}{1 - (A_0 / A_2)} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

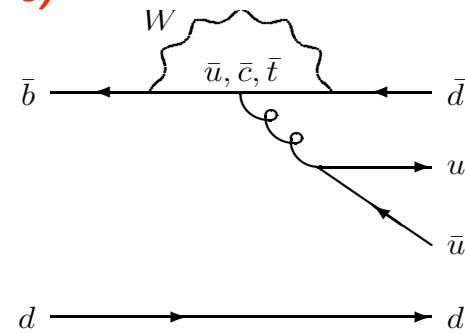
$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow \mathcal{A} &= \frac{|\lambda|^2 - 1}{|\lambda|^2 + 1} = 0 \\
 \mathcal{S} &= \frac{2 \operatorname{Im} \lambda}{|\lambda|^2 + 1} = \sin 2\phi_2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \mathcal{A}^2} \sin 2(\phi_2 + \delta) \text{ (penguin)}$$

Tree:
(I=0,2)



Penguin (gluonic):
(I=0)



For $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$, there is a (small) penguin contribution
 \Rightarrow use isospin analysis to extract ϕ_2

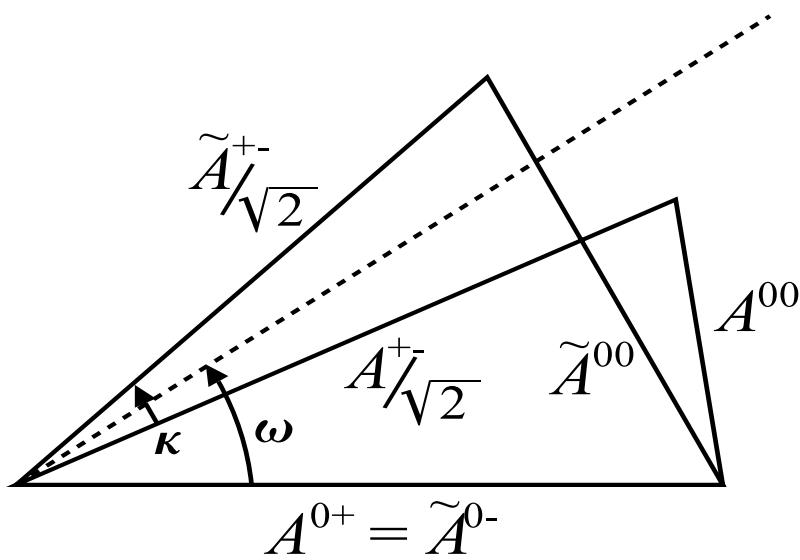


Isospin analysis for ϕ_2

SU(2) isospin analysis:

Gronau & London, PRL 65, 3381 (1990)

6 param. + 6 observables \Rightarrow all determined



$$\frac{A_{+-}}{\sqrt{2}} + A_{00} = A_{+0}$$

$$\frac{\bar{A}_{+-}}{\sqrt{2}} + \bar{A}_{00} = \bar{A}_{+0}$$

$$|A_{\text{th}}^{+-}| = \sqrt{a^{+-}(1 - \mathcal{A}_{\pi\pi})}$$

$$|\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{+-}| = \sqrt{a^{+-}(1 + \mathcal{A}_{\pi\pi})}$$

$$|A_{\text{th}}^{0-}| = |A_{\text{th}}^{0+}| = \sqrt{a^{0+}}$$

$$|A_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2 = \frac{|A_{\text{th}}^{+-}|^2}{2} + |A_{\text{th}}^{0+}|^2 - \sqrt{2}|A_{\text{th}}^{+-}||A_{\text{th}}^{+0}|\cos(\omega - \kappa/2)$$

$$|\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2 = \frac{|\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{+-}|^2}{2} + |A_{\text{th}}^{0+}|^2 - \sqrt{2}|\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{+-}||A_{\text{th}}^{+0}|\cos(\omega + \kappa/2)$$

$$B_{\text{th}}^{\pi^+\pi^-} = \left(|A_{\text{th}}^{+-}|^2 + |\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{+-}|^2\right)/2 = a^{+-}$$

$$B_{\text{th}}^{\pi^0\pi^0} = \left(|A_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2 + |\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2\right)/2$$

$$B_{\text{th}}^{\pi^0\pi^+} = |A_{\text{th}}^{0+}|^2 (\tau_{B^\pm}/\tau_{B^0}) = a^{+0} \cdot (\tau_{B^\pm}/\tau_{B^0})$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{th}}^{\pi^0\pi^0} = \frac{|\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2 - |A_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2}{|\bar{A}_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2 + |A_{\text{th}}^{00}|^2}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{th}}^{\pi^+\pi^-} = \mathcal{A}_{\pi\pi}$$

$$\mathcal{S}_{\text{th}}^{\pi^+\pi^-} = \sqrt{1 - \mathcal{A}_{\pi\pi}^2} \sin(2\phi_2 + \kappa)$$



Complications for $\sin(2\phi_2)$ with $B^0 \rightarrow \rho\rho$

- If $m_{\rho_1} \neq m_{\rho_2}$ wave function can be antisymmetric Falk et al., PRD 69, 011502 (2004)
 - ⇒ $I=1$ allowed, isospin relations do not hold

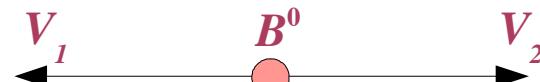
But measurements are stable when decreasing allowed Δm region
- electroweak penguin can have $I=2$
 - ⇒ isospin relations do not hold

But no sign of direct CP asymmetry in $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+\rho^0$ decays
- final state is VV , $L=1$ possible and has opposite CP (-1)
 - ⇒ uncertainty in measuring S , must also measure polarization
(⇒ isospin relations hold separately for long., trans. perp., trans. par. states)

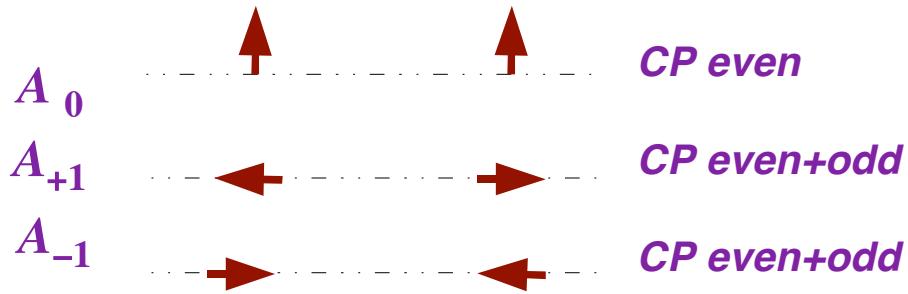
Polarization has been measured: $fL \approx 1$
(consistent with factorization)
Kagan, PLB 601, 151 (2004)



$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$ polarization



Helicity basis:

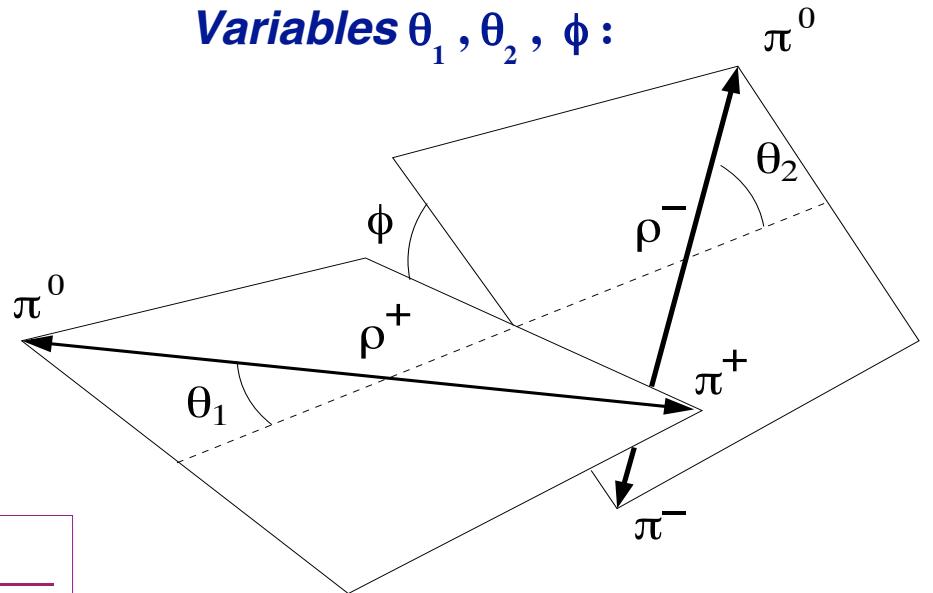


CP even

CP even+odd

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Variables θ_1, θ_2, ϕ :



$$f_L \equiv \frac{|A_0|^2}{|A_0|^2 + |A_{+1}|^2 + |A_{-1}|^2}$$

After integrating over ϕ :

$$\frac{d^2 N}{d \cos \theta_1 d \cos \theta_2} \propto 4 f_L \cos^2 \theta_1 \cos^2 \theta_2 + (1 - f_L) \sin^2 \theta_1 \sin^2 \theta_2$$

ML fits (binned and unbinned) use this PDF



Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^0$

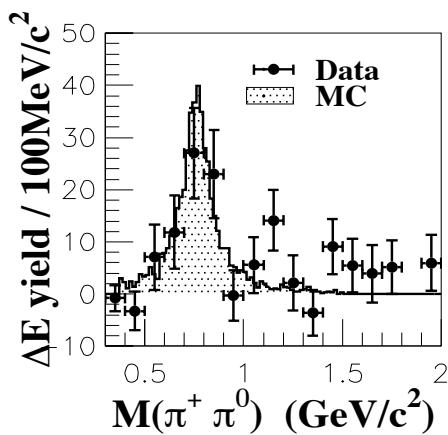
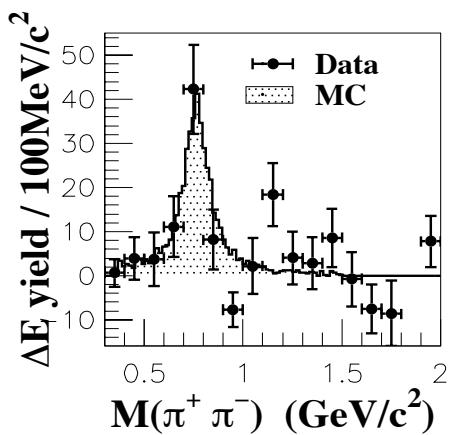
PRL 91, 221801 (2003)



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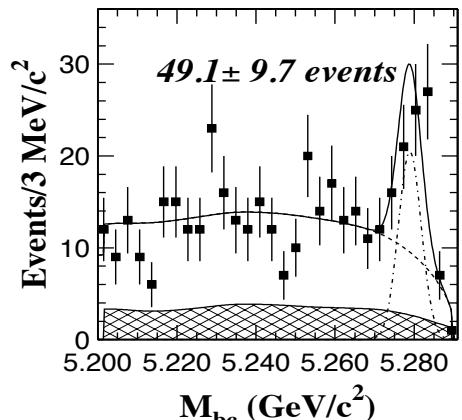
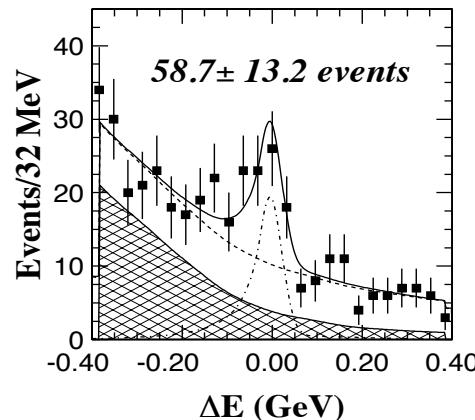
$$B_{\rho^+\rho^0} = (31.7 \pm 7.1 {}^{+3.8}_{-6.7}) \times 10^{-6}$$

(asymmetric due to non-resonant + fraction of long. polarization)



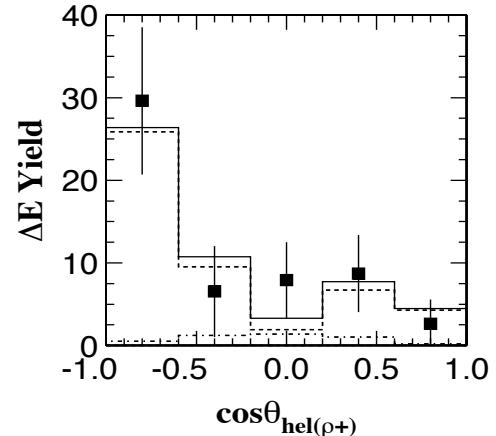
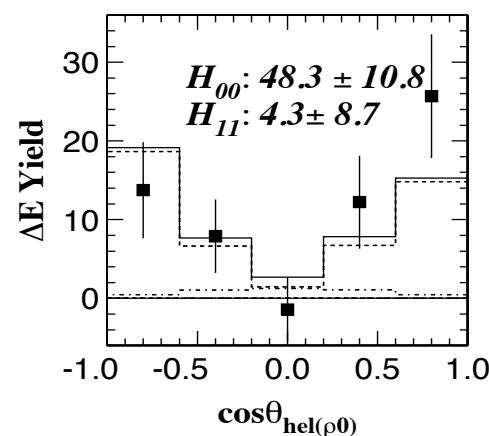
$$A_{CP} = (N_- - N_+)/N_+ = -0.12 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.10$$

⇒ no large electroweak penguin



non-resonant contribution < 17%

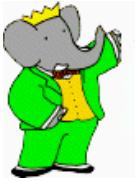
$$f_L = 0.95 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.02$$





Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^0$

PRL 97, 261801 (2006)



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$$B_{\rho^+\rho^0} = (16.8 \pm 2.2 \pm 2.3) \times 10^{-6}$$

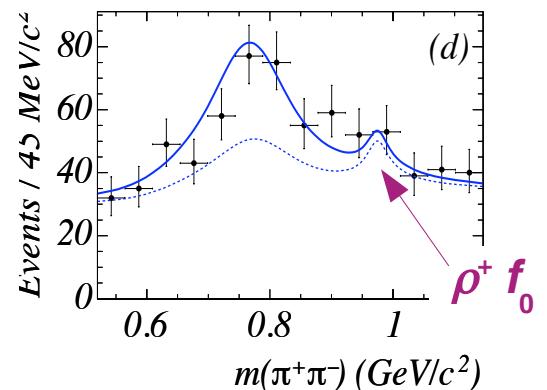
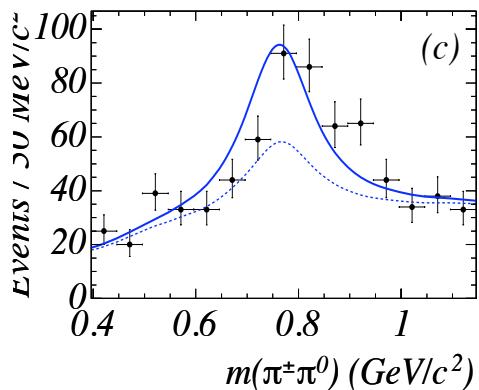
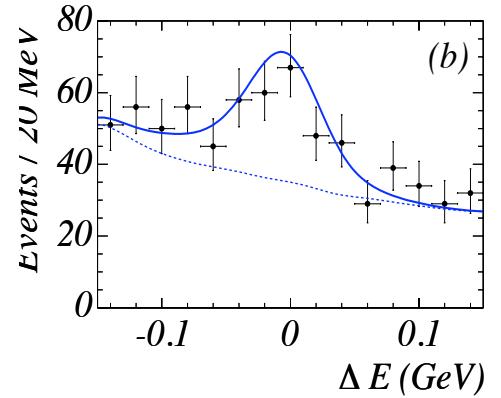
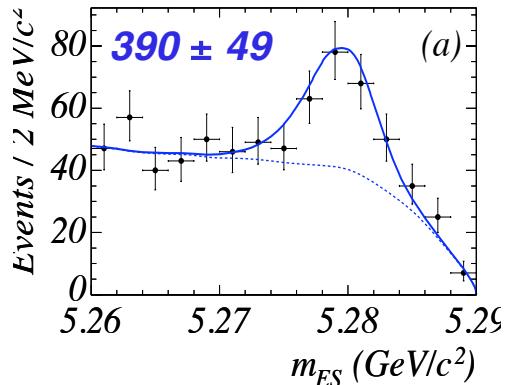
(unbinned extended ML fit to M_{bc} , ΔE ,
 $m_{\pi\pi^+}$, $\cos \theta_+$, $m_{\pi\pi^0}$, $\cos \theta_0$, x_{NN})

no PDF for non-resonant $B \rightarrow \rho\pi\pi$

$$f_L = 0.905 \pm 0.042^{+0.023}_{-0.027}$$

$$A_{CP} = 0.00 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.03$$

⇒ no large electroweak penguin





Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$

PRL 96, 171801 (2006)



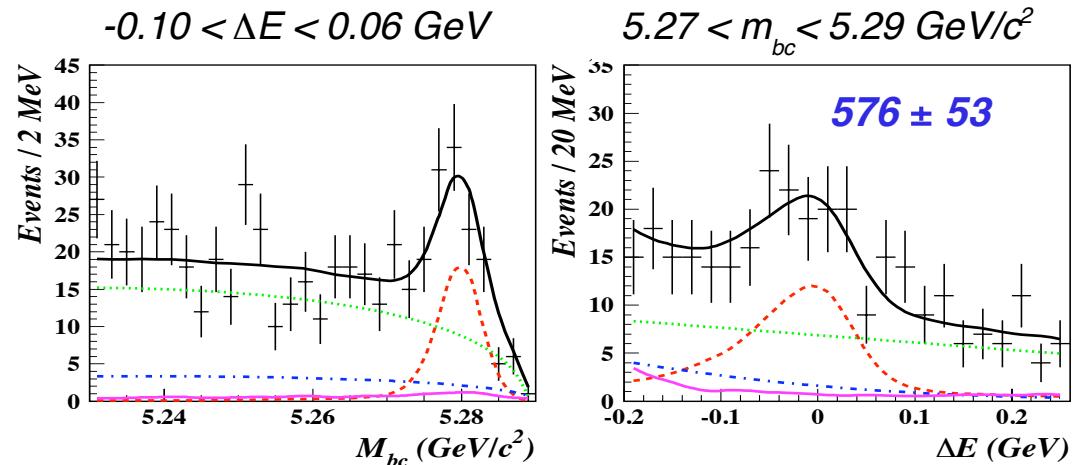
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Fit #1:

select $\rho\rho$ region in $m_{\pi\pi}$, fit m_{bc} - ΔE

Fit #2:

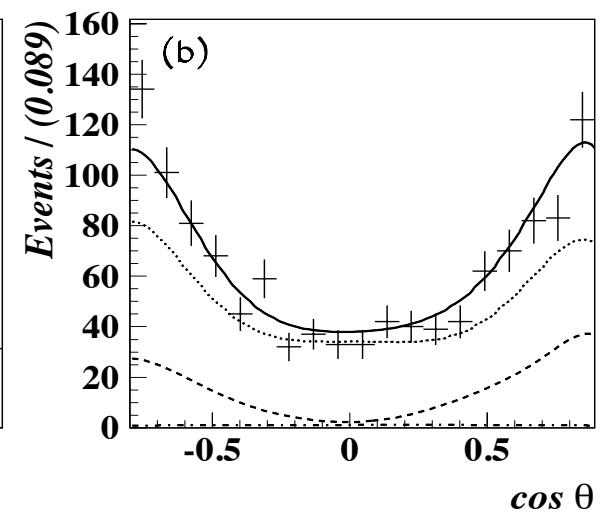
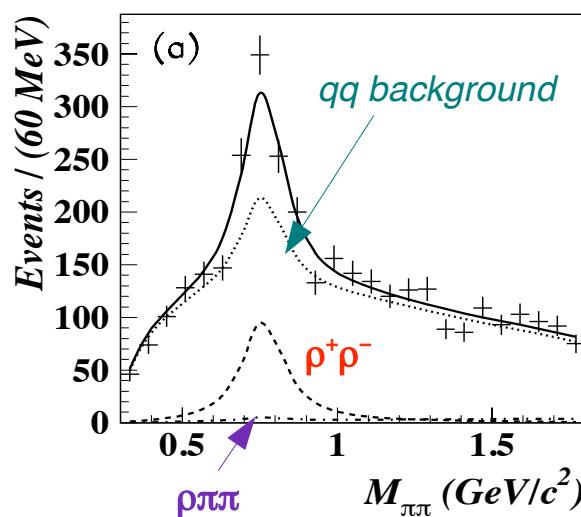
select 4π region in $(m_{bc}, \Delta E)$, fit $m_{\pi\pi}$

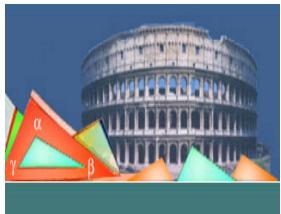


$$B_{\rho^+\rho^-} = (22.8 \pm 3.8^{+2.3}_{-2.6}) \times 10^6$$

$$f_{\rho\pi\pi} = (6.3 \pm 6.7)\%$$

$$f_L = 0.941^{+0.034}_{-0.040} \pm 0.030$$





Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$

PRD 76, 011104(R) (2007)



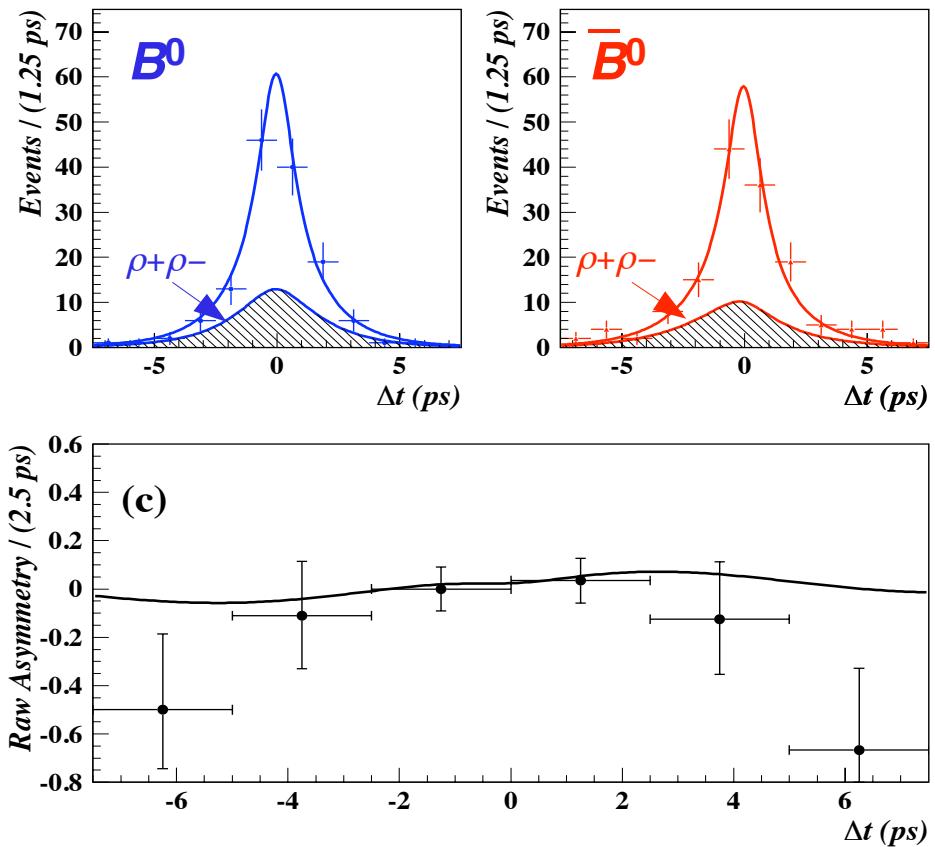
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Also: reduce qq suppression cut,
include qq PDF into ML fit
(70% increase in ε , 12% decrease in errors)

$$A_{\rho\rho} = 0.16 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.08$$

$$S_{\rho\rho} = 0.19 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.08$$

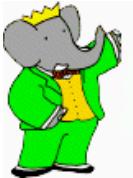
Systematics	$\delta\mathcal{A} (\times 10^{-2})$		$\delta\mathcal{S} (\times 10^{-2})$	
	$+\sigma$	$-\sigma$	$+\sigma$	$-\sigma$
Component fractions	1.5	1.9	3.9	3.7
Wrong tag fractions	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.8
$\rho\pi\pi$ nonresonant fraction	1.2	1.0	1.5	1.2
SCF fraction, Δt PDF	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
\mathcal{R} PDF ($q\bar{q}$ suppression)	0.8	0.7	1.2	1.3
Vertexing	2.1	2.1	1.0	1.3
Resolution function	1.4	1.5	1.0	1.7
Background Δt distributions	0.5	0.5	1.0	1.1
Background asymmetry	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.4
$b \rightarrow u$ asymmetry	2.4	2.9	2.4	3.2
$\rho\pi\pi$ asymmetry	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6
Possible fitting bias	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0
Parameters Δm , τ_{B^0}	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.7
Transverse polarization	3.8	2.8	4.6	2.7
Tag-side interference	3.7	3.7	0.1	0.1
Total	+8.3	-8.0	+8.4	-7.9





Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$

PRD 76, 052007 (2007)



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*unbinned extended ML fit to M_{bc} , ΔE ,
 $m_{\pi\pi+}$, $\cos \theta_+$, $m_{\pi\pi-}$, $\cos \theta_0$, x_{NN} , Δt :*

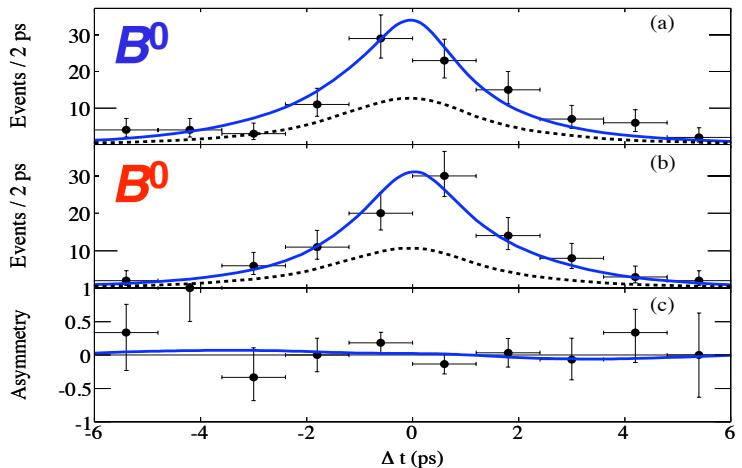
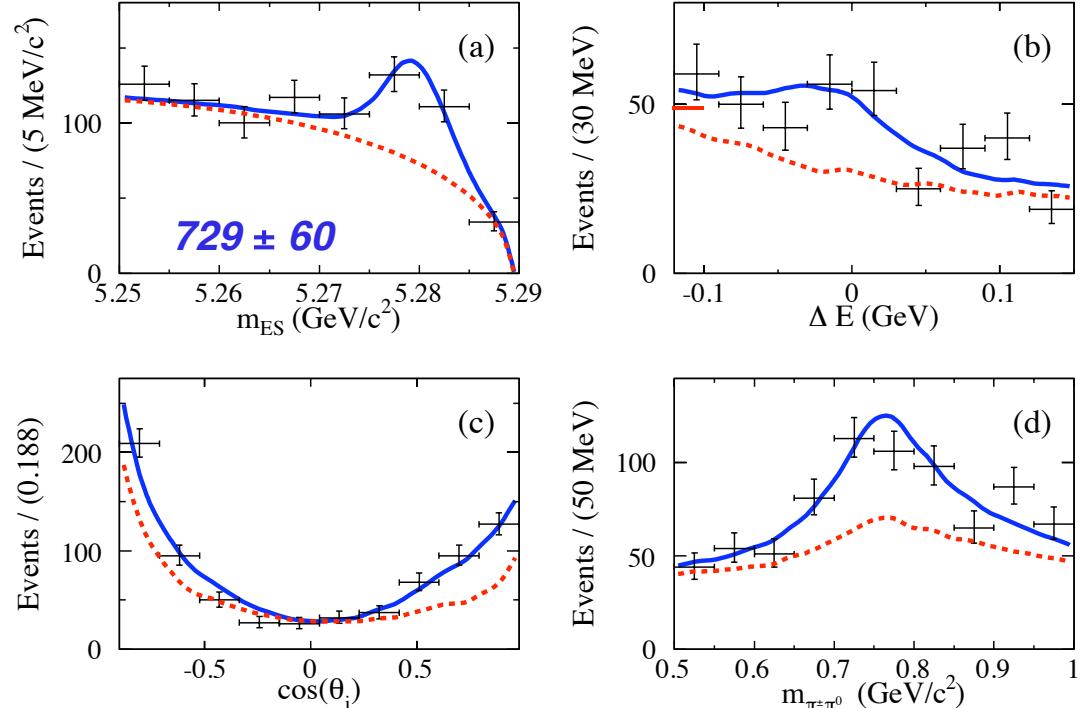
$$B_{\rho+\rho^0} = (25.5 \pm 2.1^{+3.6}_{-3.9}) \times 10^{-6}$$

no PDF for non-resonant $B \rightarrow \rho\pi\pi$

$$f_L = 0.992 \pm 0.024^{+0.026}_{-0.013}$$

$$A_{\rho\rho} = -0.01 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.06$$

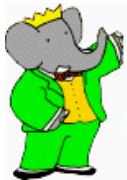
$$S_{\rho\rho} = -0.17 \pm 0.20^{+0.05}_{-0.06}$$





Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0$

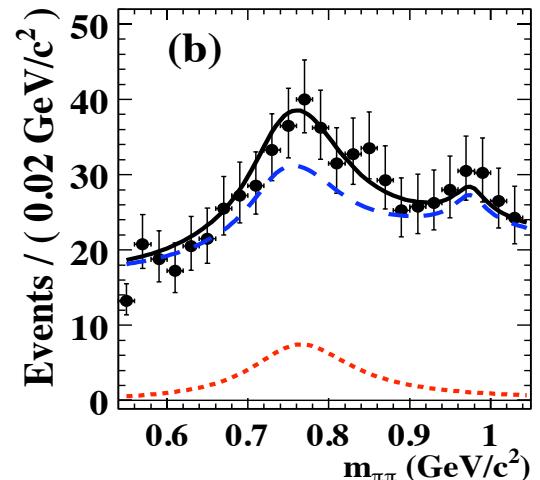
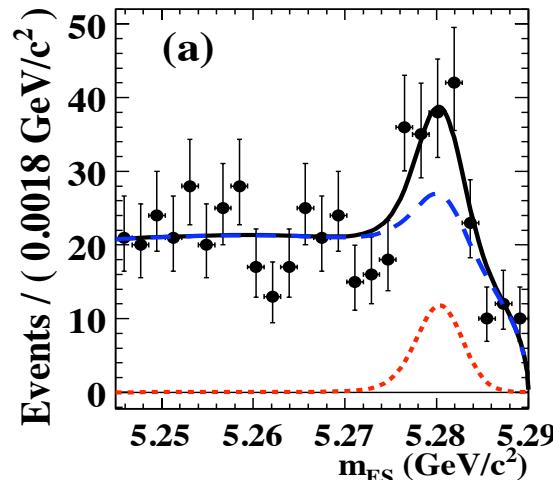
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$(0.55 < m_{\pi\pi-1} < 1.05) \times (0.55 < m_{\pi\pi-2} < 1.05)$

*unbinned extended ML fit to M_{bc} , ΔE ,
 $m_{\pi\pi}$, $\cos \theta_1$, $m_{\pi\pi}$, $\cos \theta_2$, x_{NN} , Δt , $\sigma_{\Delta t}$:*



Mode	yield	significance (σ)	branching fraction (10^6)
$\rho^0 \rho^0$	99^{+35}_{-34}	3.1	$0.92 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.14$
$\rho^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	-12^{+39}_{-35}	-	< 8.7
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	8^{+30}_{-25}	-	< 21.1

$$f_L = 0.75^{+0.11}_{-0.14} \pm 0.04$$

$$A_{\rho\rho} = -0.2 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.3$$

$$S_{\rho\rho} = 0.3 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.2$$



Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0$

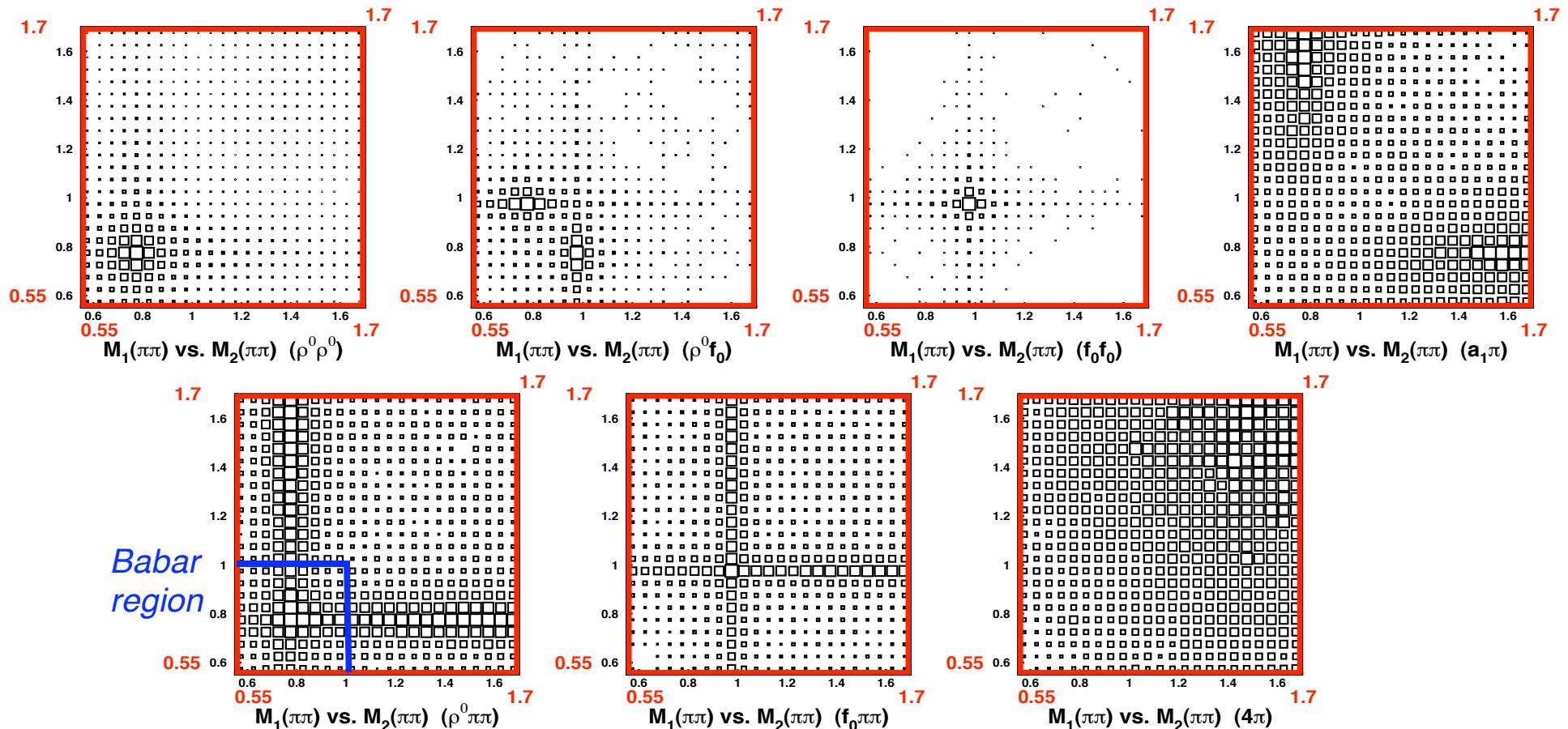
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To distinguish $\rho\rho$, $\rho\pi\pi$, $\pi\pi\pi\pi$, do an extended unbinned ML fit to grand canonical area (units are GeV/c²) : $(0.55 < m_{\pi\pi-1} < 1.7) \times (0.55 < m_{\pi\pi-2} < 1.7)$

Monte Carlo:



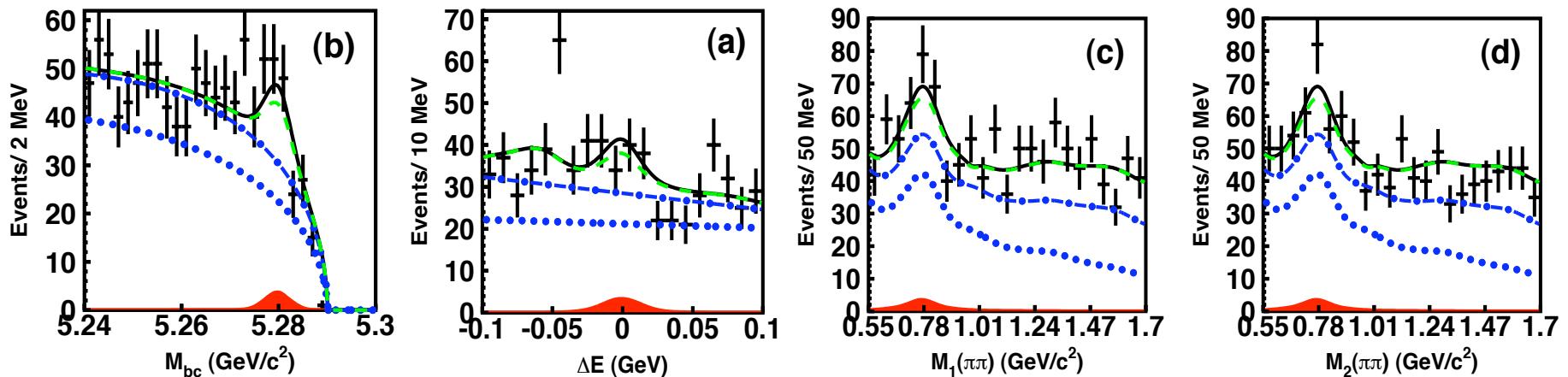


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<i>Mode</i>	<i>yield</i>	<i>significance (σ)</i>	<i>branching fraction (10^6)</i>
$\rho^0 \rho^0$	24.5^{+24}_{-22}	1.0	$0.4 \pm 0.4^{+0.2}_{-0.3}$
$\rho^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	112.5^{+67}_{-66}	1.3	$5.9^{+3.5}_{-3.4} \pm 2.7$
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	161.2^{+61}_{-59}	2.5	$12.4^{+4.7}_{-4.6} \pm 2.1^{+2.1}_{-1.9}$



Constraint on ϕ_2 (from $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0$)

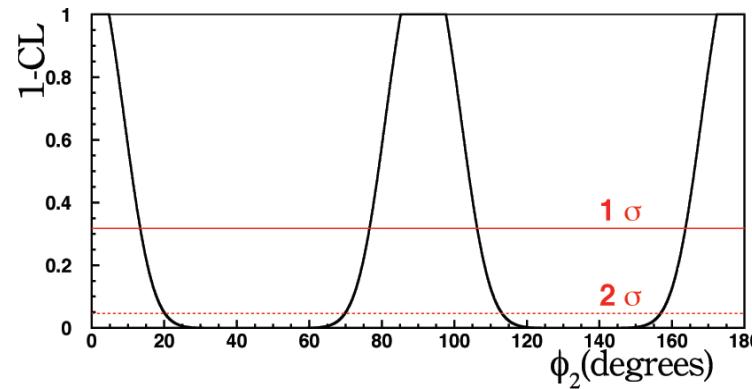
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Construct χ^2 , take CL from cumulative χ^2 distribution:



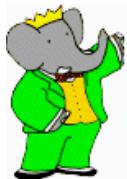
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[Using WA (HFAG) values for $B(\rho^+ \rho^0)$, $B(\rho^+ \rho^-)$, and $A_{\rho^0 \rho^0}$ missing]



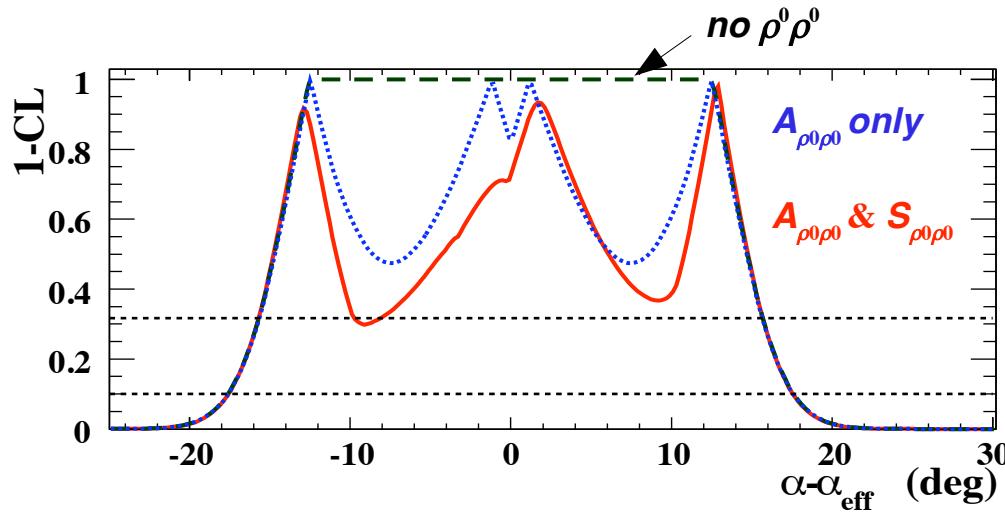
$$\phi_2 = (91.7 \pm 14.9)^\circ$$

(solution consistent with other constraints on unitarity triangle)



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[all Babar values]



$$|\phi_2 - \phi_2(\text{eff})| < 17.6^\circ \quad (90\% \text{ CL})$$



Measurement of $B^0 \rightarrow a_1^- \pi^+$

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Decay time dependence: [Gronau & Zupan, PRD 73, 057502 (2006)]

$$\frac{dN(a_1^\pm \pi^\mp)}{d\Delta t} = (1 \pm \mathcal{A}_{CP}) \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau}}{4\tau} \left\{ 1 - q [(\mathcal{C} \pm \Delta C) \cos(\Delta m \Delta t) - (\mathcal{S} \pm \Delta S) \sin(\Delta m \Delta t)] \right\}$$

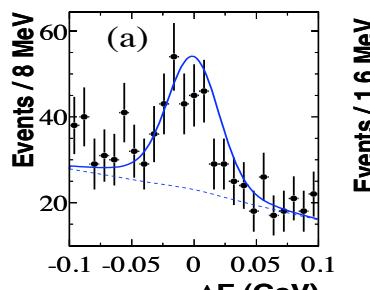
CP violating

CP conserving

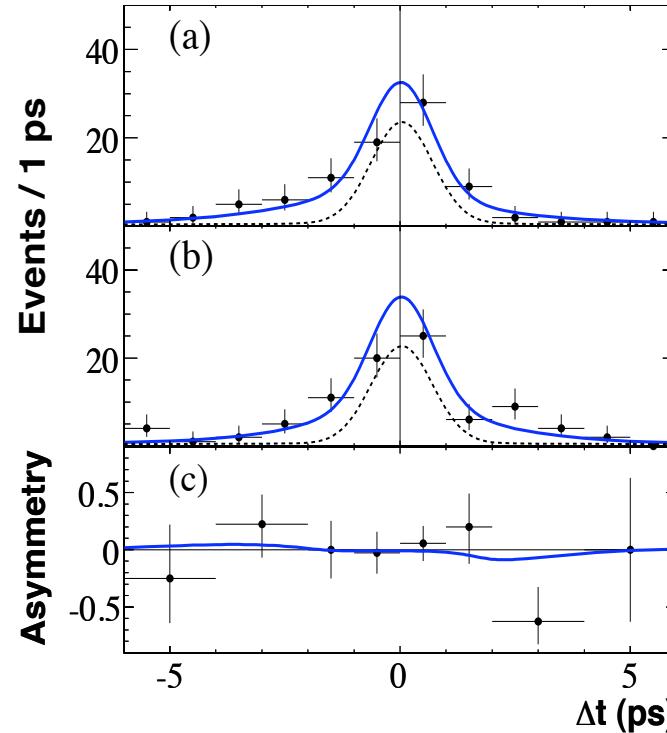
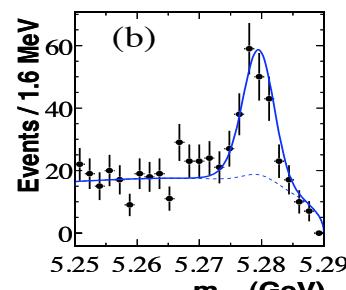
⇒ need to measure decay times of all four modes to unravel



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608 ± 52



$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{A}_{CP} &= -0.07 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.02 \\ C &= -0.10 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.09 \\ S &= 0.37 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.07\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta C &= 0.26 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.07 \\ \Delta S &= -0.14 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.06\end{aligned}$$

4-fold ambiguity for α_{eff} :
solution closest to SM is
 $(78.6 \pm 7.3)^\circ$



$\phi_2(\alpha)$ from $B^0 \rightarrow a_1^- \pi^+$

Gronau, Zupan, PRD 73, 057502 (2006)

Babar, PRL 98, 181803 (2007): **4-fold ambiguity for α_{eff} :** **solution closest to SM is $(78.6 \pm 7.3)^\circ$**

To extract α from α_{eff} one can use $SU(3)$ symmetry and $B \rightarrow a_1^- K$, $B^0 \rightarrow K_{1A}^- \pi^+$ decays:

$$\mathcal{R}_-^+ \equiv \frac{\lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \bar{\Gamma}(a_1^+ K^0)}{f_K^2 \bar{\Gamma}(a_1^- \pi^+)} \quad \mathcal{R}_-^0 \equiv \frac{\lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \bar{\Gamma}(a_1^- K^+)}{f_K^2 \bar{\Gamma}(a_1^- \pi^+)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\sin(\alpha - \alpha_{\text{eff}}^-)| &\leq \sqrt{\mathcal{R}_-^+} \sin \gamma \\ |\sin(\alpha - \alpha_{\text{eff}}^-)| &\leq \sqrt{\mathcal{R}_-^0} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{R}_{+A}^+ \equiv \frac{\lambda^2 f_{a_1}^2 \bar{\Gamma}(K_{1A}^0 \pi^+)}{f_{K_1}^2 \bar{\Gamma}(a_1^+ \pi^-)} \quad \mathcal{R}_{+A}^0 \equiv \frac{\lambda^2 f_{a_1}^2 \bar{\Gamma}(K_{1A}^+ \pi^-)}{f_{K_1}^2 \bar{\Gamma}(a_1^+ \pi^-)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\sin(\alpha - \alpha_{\text{eff}}^+)| &\leq \sqrt{\mathcal{R}_{+A}^+} \sin \gamma \\ |\sin(\alpha - \alpha_{\text{eff}}^+)| &\leq \sqrt{\mathcal{R}_{+A}^0} \end{aligned}$$

Recent results for $B \rightarrow a_1^+ K^0$, $a_1^- K^+$ and $B^0 \rightarrow K_{1A}^- \pi^+$:



arXiv:0706.3279 (2007) **492 fb⁻¹**



PRL 100, 051803 (2008) **347 fb⁻¹**

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**But: must know f_{a_1} and size of
 $SU(3)$ -breaking corrections**



Summary

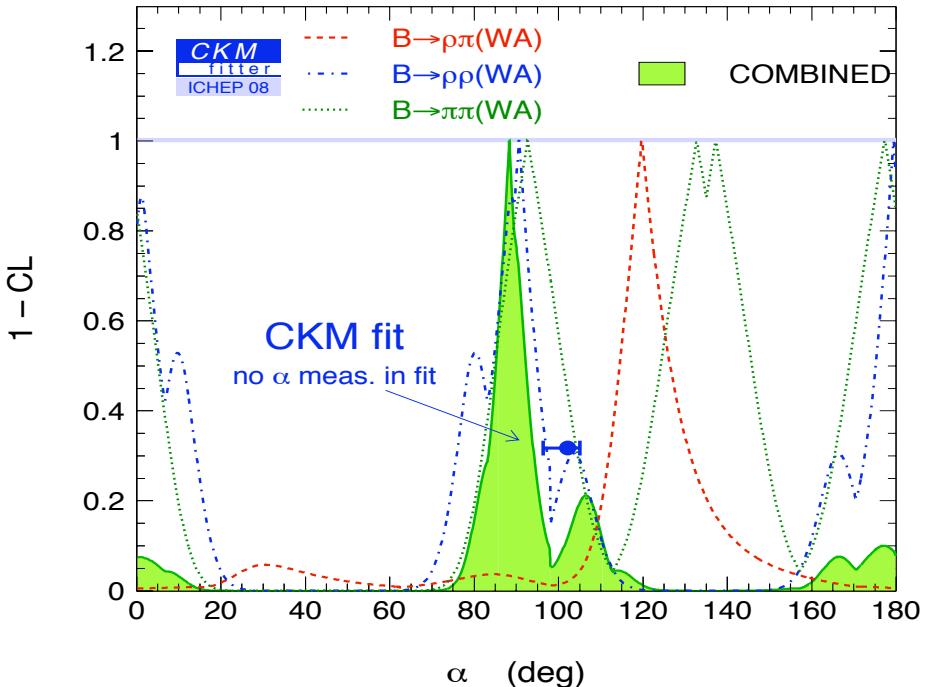
$\rho\rho$ system has turned out to be very favorable for measuring ϕ_2

$\rho^0\rho^0$ just now being measured, but Belle/Babar results differ somewhat

Final updates with full Babar and Belle data sets could make a substantial difference

$a_1\pi$ system may be useful with SU(3) symmetry; SU(3)-breaking corrections needed

uncertainty in ϕ_2 from $\rho\rho$ penguin pollution is now $< 15^\circ$



$$CKMfitter: \phi_2 = (88.3^{+5.7}_{-4.8})^\circ$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{c} < 6.5^\circ \\ (77, 112)^\circ \\ > 163^\circ \end{array} \right\} 2\sigma$$