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**THE BELLE II EXPERIMENT:
STATUS AND PROSPECTS**

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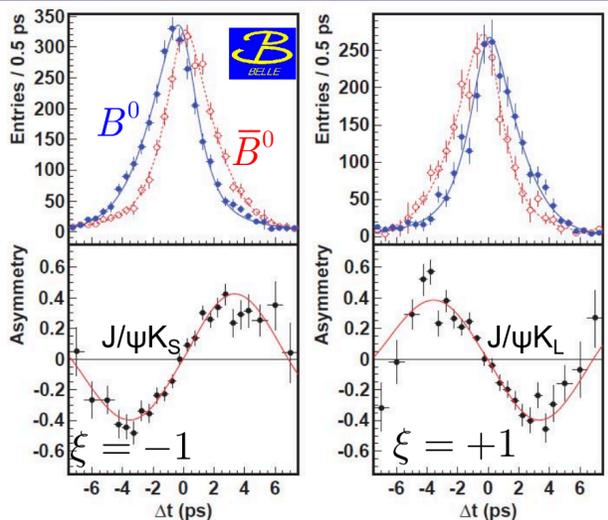
FLAVOR PHYSICS: A STORY OF SUCCESS

DISCOVERY OF FLAVOR EXPERIMENTS

CPV in K^0 system discovered in 1964 \rightarrow CKM mechanism and 3rd quark generation

Neutral kaon oscillation predicted in 1955 and established in 1960 and only in 1987 observed in B^0 system \rightarrow charm and top quark masses

$K_L^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ suppression \rightarrow GIM



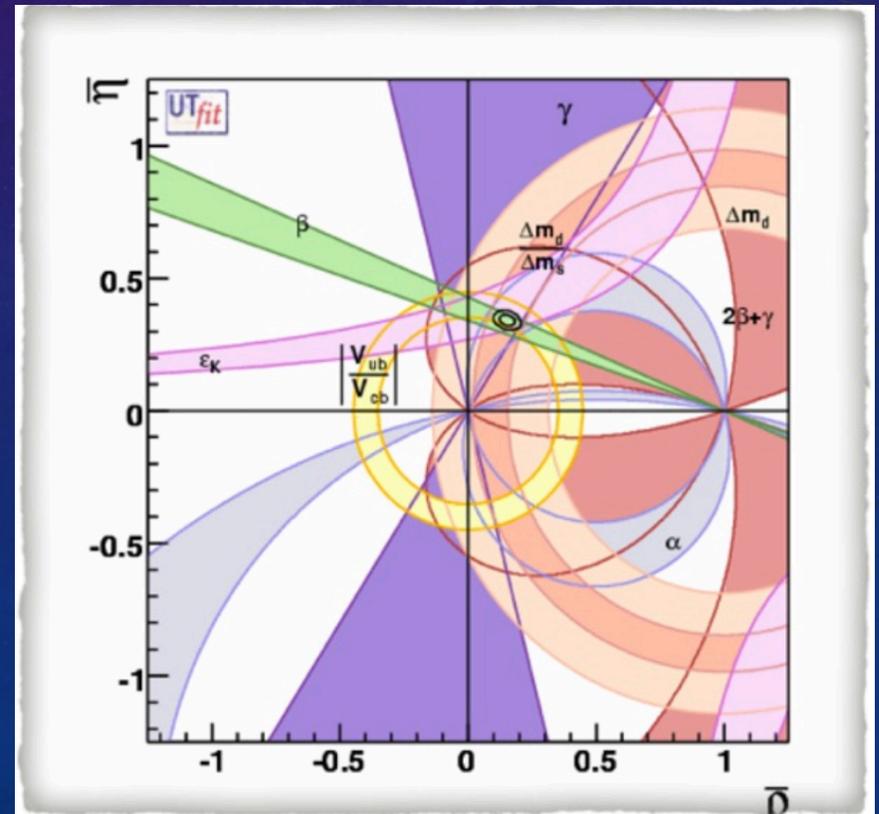
$\sin 2\varphi_1 = 0.667 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.012$
 $A_f = 0.006 \pm 0.016 \pm 0.012$
PRL108,171802 (2012)



V_{ud}	β -decay	$(A,Z) \rightarrow (A,Z+1) + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$	$\cos \vartheta_C$
V_{us}	K-decay	$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 + l^+ + \nu_l$	$\sin \vartheta_C$
		$K^0 \rightarrow \pi^- + l^+ + \nu_l$	
V_{cd}	ν -production of c's	$\nu_l + d \rightarrow l^- + c$	$\cos \vartheta_C$
V_{cs}		$D^\pm \rightarrow K^0 + l^\pm + \nu_l$	$\sin \vartheta_C$
V_{ub}	B-decay	$b \rightarrow u + l^- + \bar{\nu}_l$	
V_{cb}		$b \rightarrow c + l^- + \bar{\nu}_l$	
V_{td}	Δm in B^0 - \bar{B}^0		

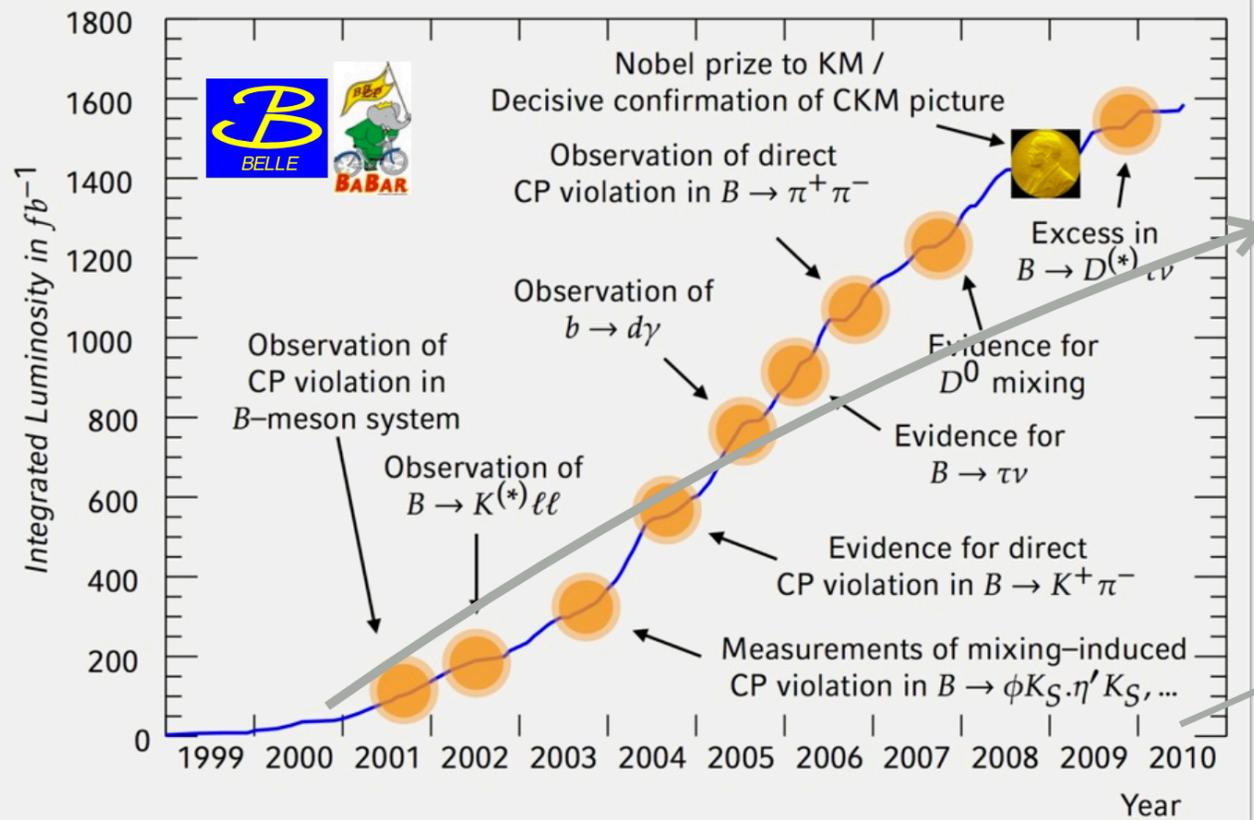
$B_d^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S$	$\sin 2\beta$
$B_d^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$	$\sin 2\alpha$
$B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^\pm K^\mp$	$\sin 2\gamma$

PRECISION MEASUREMENTS OF CKM ELEMENTS



B FACTORIES AND THE INTENSITY FRONTIER

BaBar (PEPII@SLAC) and **Belle** (KEKB@KEK)



Physics of the B Factories

Ed. A.J. Bevan, B. Golob, Th. Mannel, S. Prell, and B.D. Yabsley,
 Eur. Phys. J. C74 (2014) 3026,
[arXiv:1406.6311](https://arxiv.org/abs/1406.6311) [hep-ex]



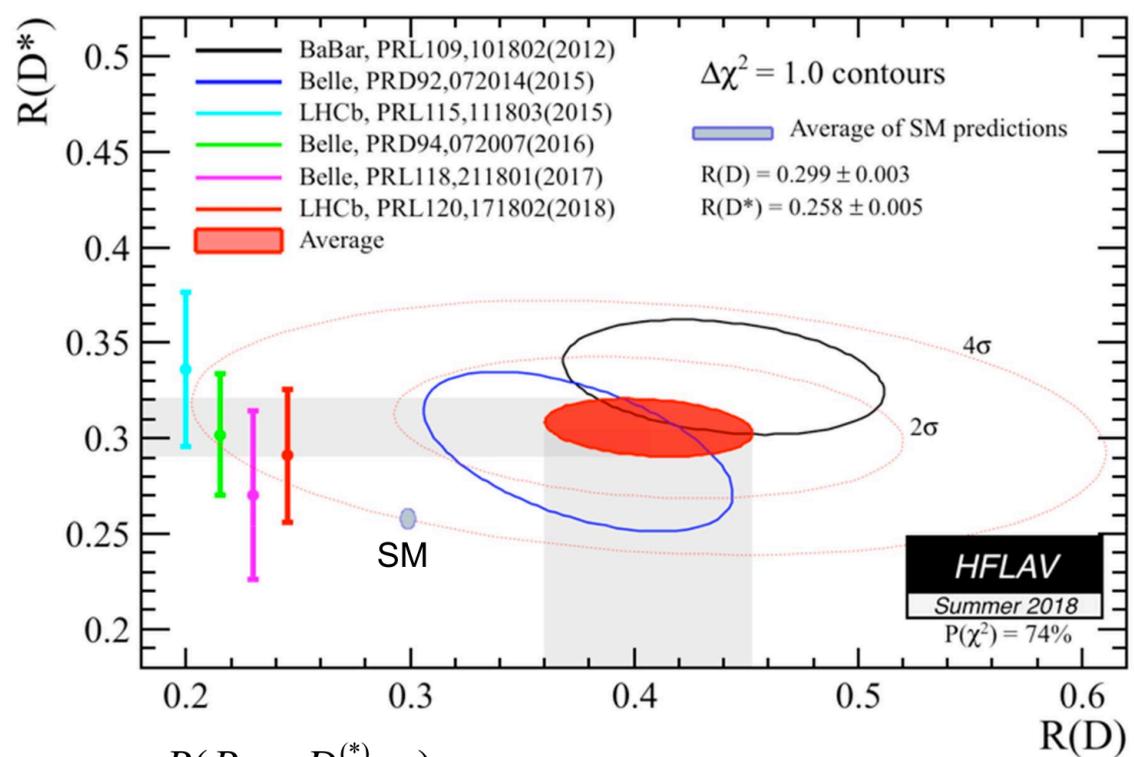
S.Olsen, D.Hitlin, J.Dorfman, F.Takasaki



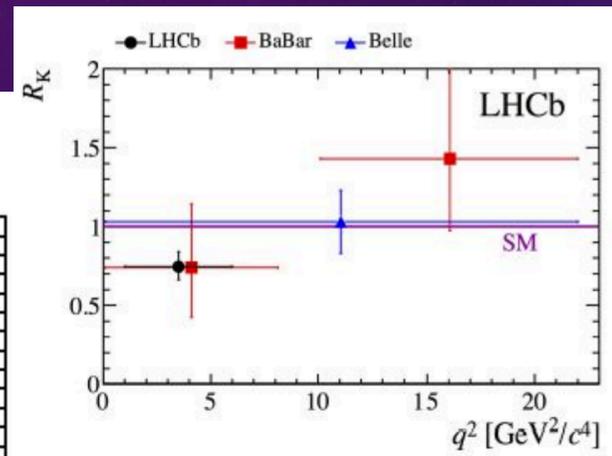
T.Maskawa, M.Kobayashi

OPEN QUESTIONS

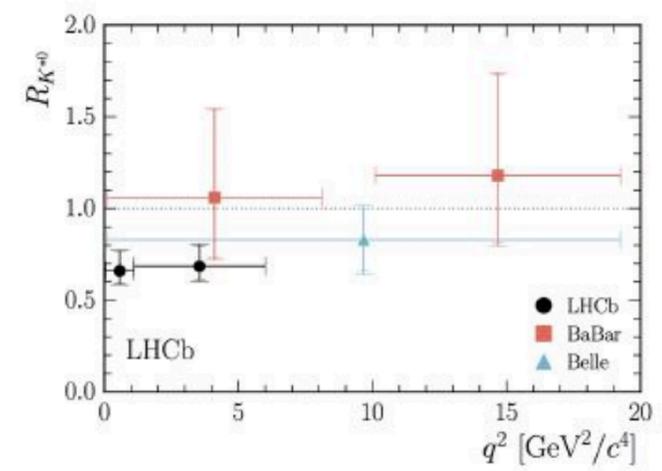
Summer 2018 ICHEP:
World Average is still $\sim 4\sigma$ from the Standard Model



$$R(D^{(*)}) = \frac{B(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\tau\nu)}{B(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}l\nu)} \quad l = \mu, e \quad \text{LHCb only } \mu$$



R_K is $\sim 2.6\sigma$ from the SM

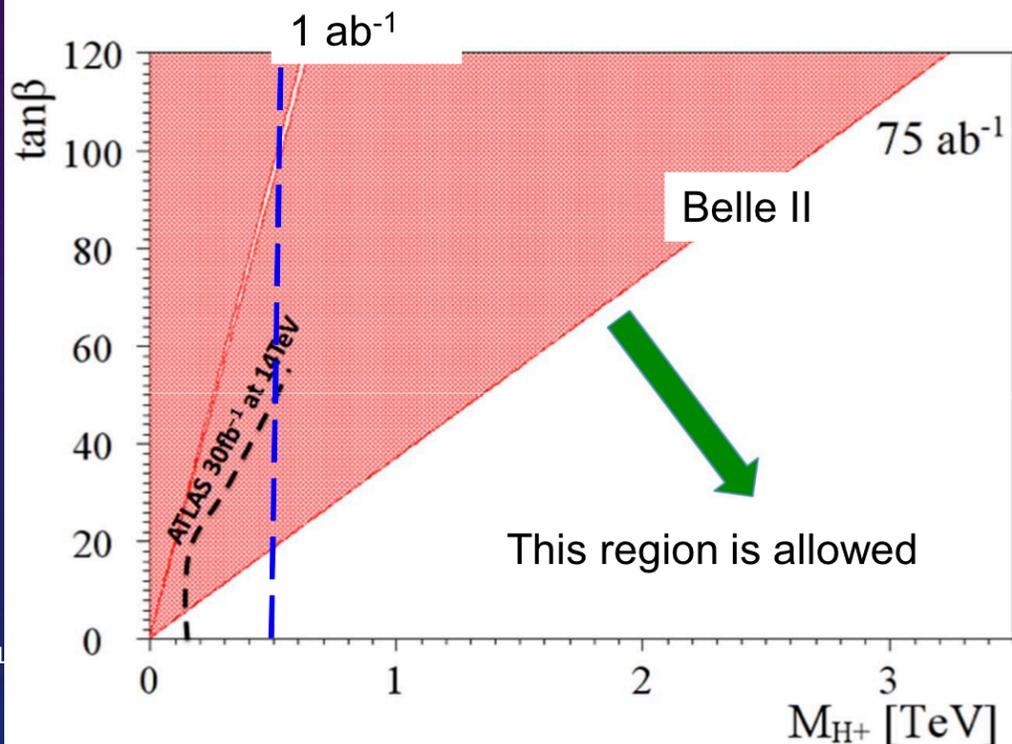
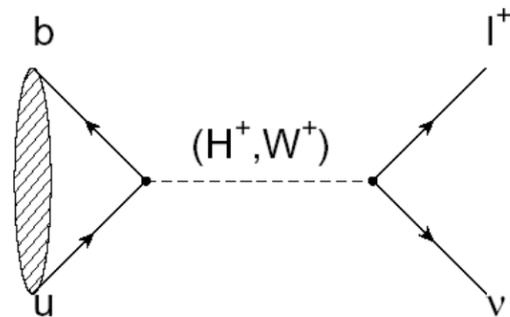


R_{K^*} $\sim 2.1\sigma$ (low bin), 2.5σ (central bin)

$$R_{K^{(*)}}(q^2) = \frac{BF(B \rightarrow K^{(*)}\mu^+\mu^-)}{BF(B \rightarrow K^{(*)}e^+e^-)}$$

COMPLEMENTARITY e^+e^- AND LHC

The current combined $B \rightarrow \tau \nu$ limit places a stronger constraint than direct searches from LHC exps. for the next few years.



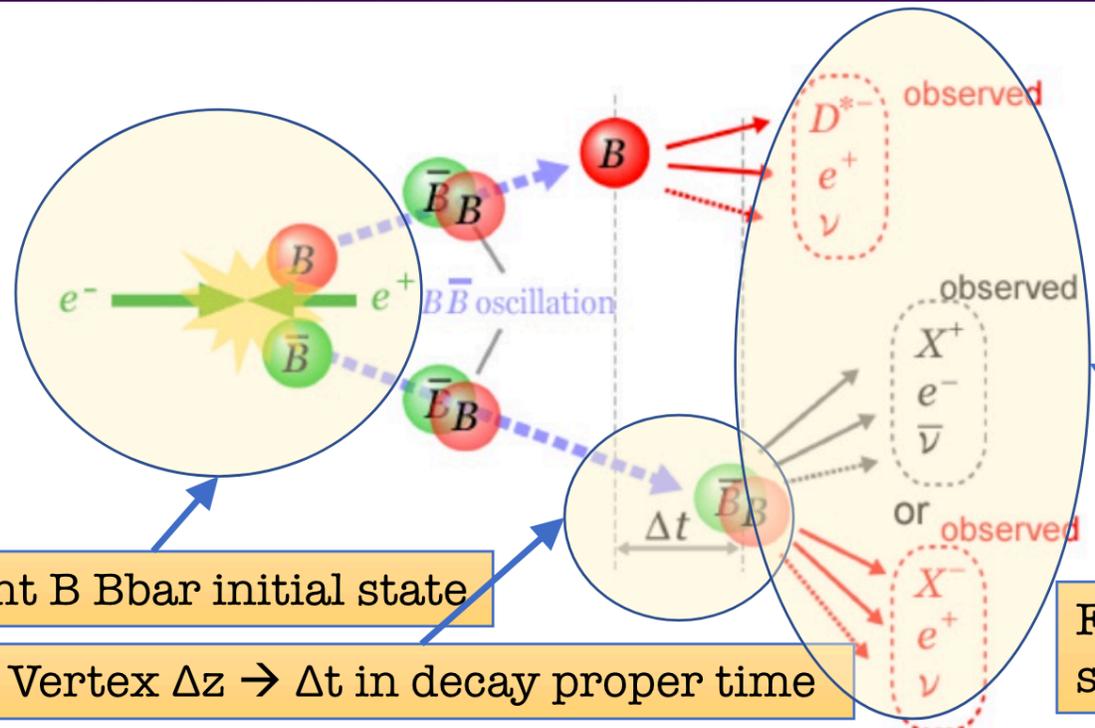
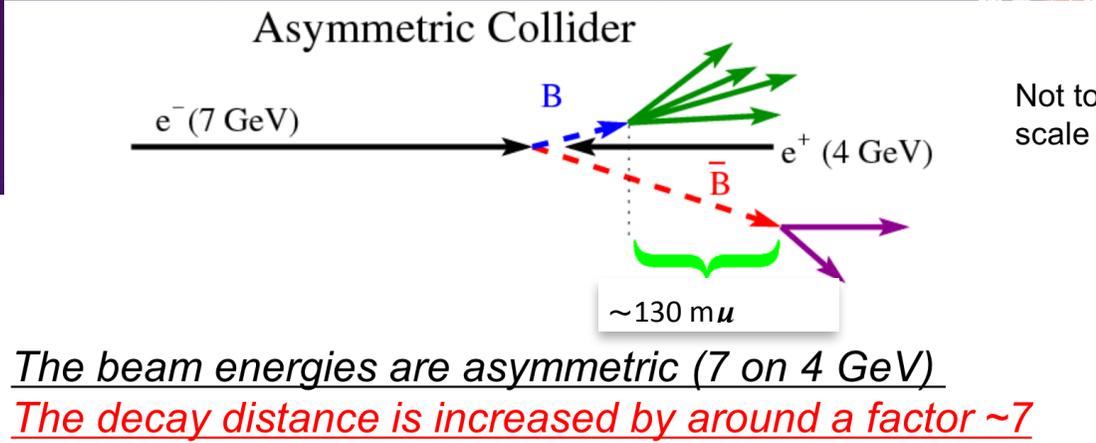
$$r_H = \left(1 - \frac{m_B^2}{m_H^2} \tan^2 \beta \right)^2$$

Currently **inclusive $b \rightarrow s \gamma$** rules out m_{H^+} below $\sim 480 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ range at 95% CL (independent of $\tan \beta$), M. Misiak et al. (assuming no other NP)

<http://arxiv.org/abs/1503.01789>

For more detail see a dedicated talk at this conference by D. Tonelli

WHAT IS THE GAME AT ASYMMETRIC e^+e^- FACTORIES



Coherent B Bbar initial state

Vertex $\Delta z \rightarrow \Delta t$ in decay proper time

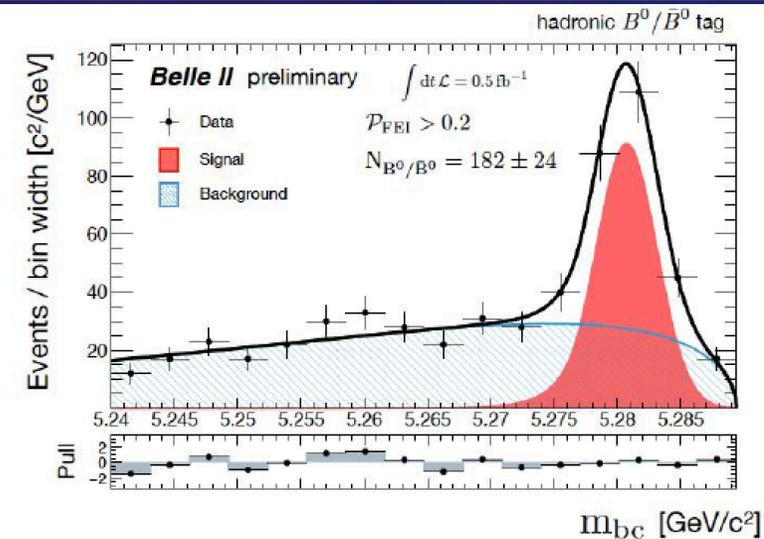
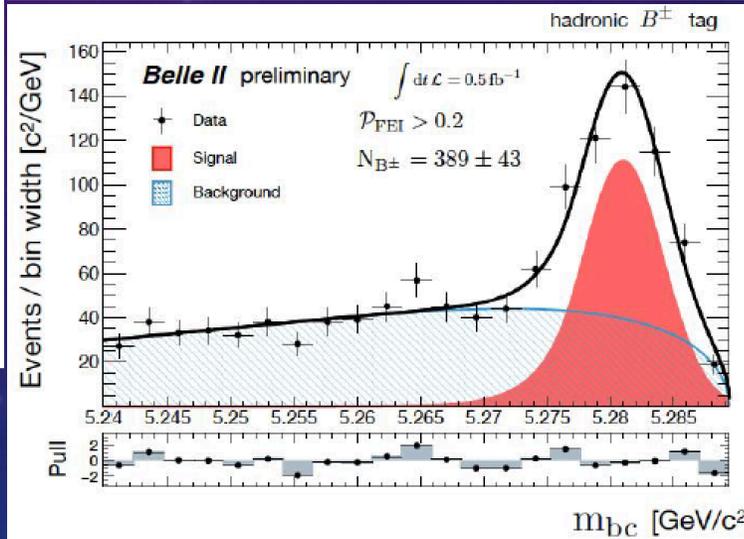
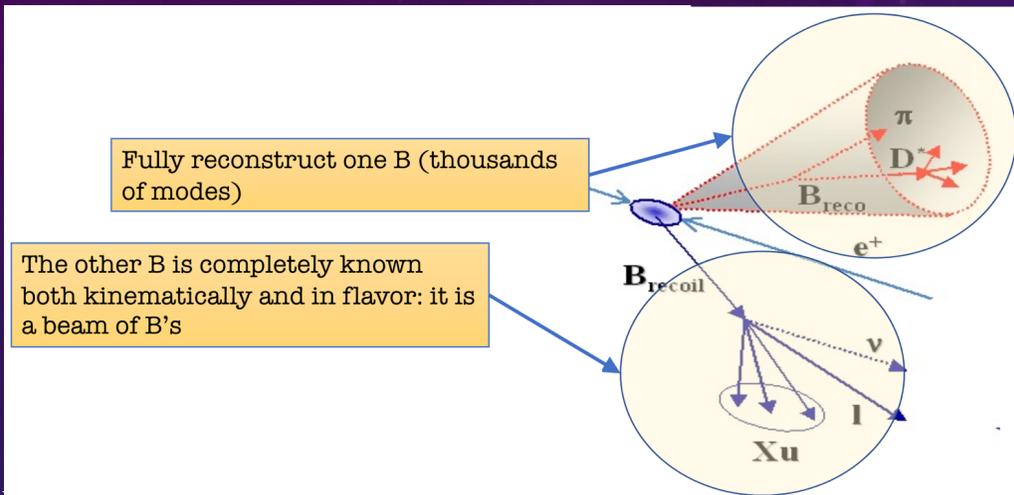
Final state can identify flavor, or select CP eigenstate

But also some difficulties:

- e^+e^- cross section about 1000 smaller than hadronic production
- Production of only B_d and B_u , B_s is possible at smaller rate, B_c unreachable

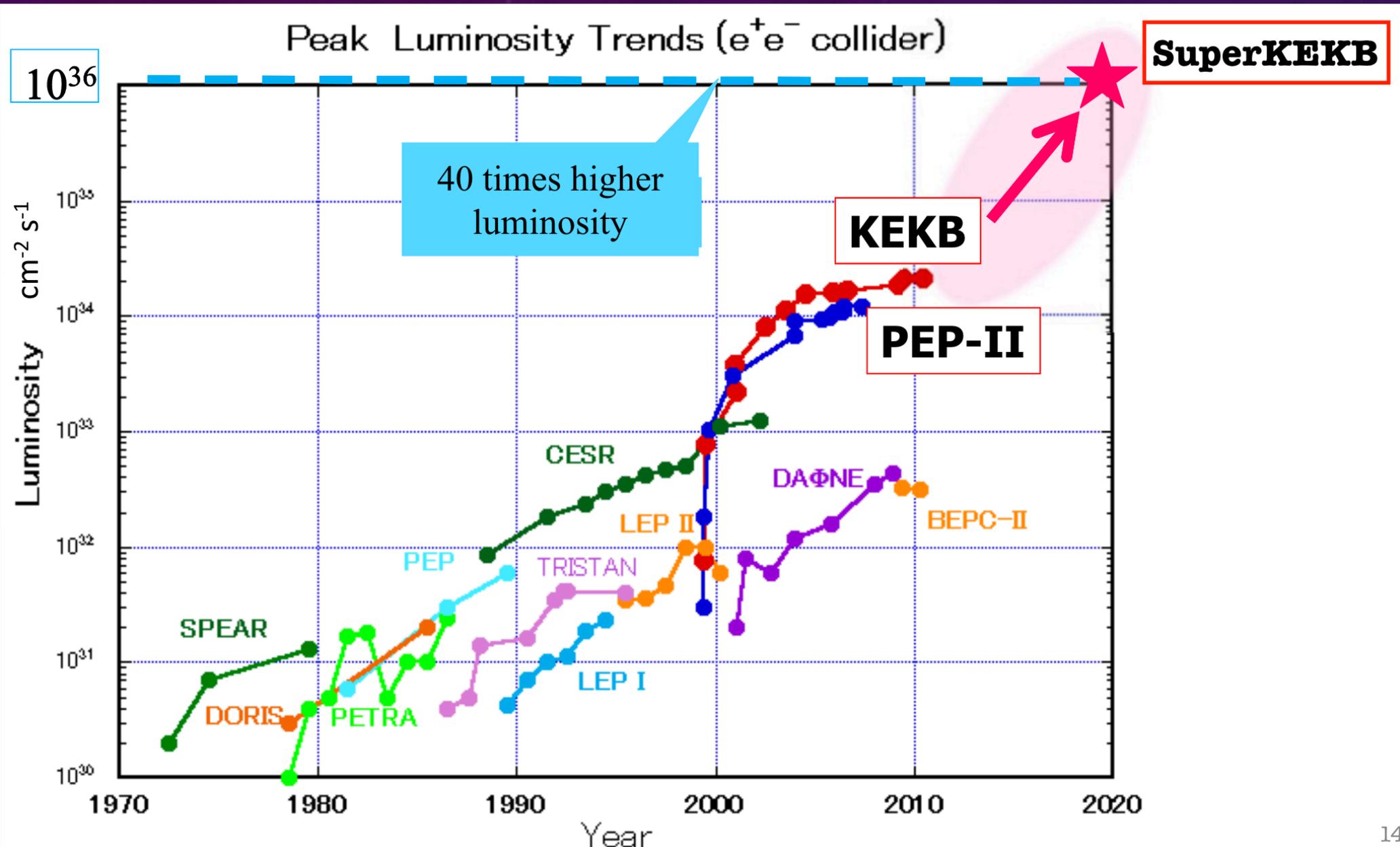
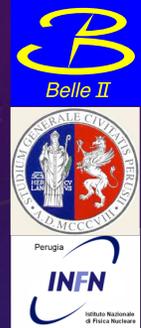
FULL EVENT INTERPRETATION

Now use the full Phase 2 pilot run dataset and apply the FEI (Full Event Interpretation) technique based on boosted decision trees (BDTs, a machine learning technique)

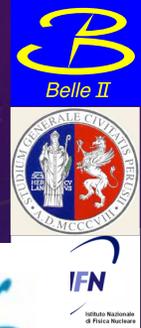


We now observe ~571 fully reconstructed B mesons (389+182) or an improvement of a factor of ~O(3.6) in overall efficiency by using this advanced analysis method that covers many more decay channels.

INTENSITY FRONTIER

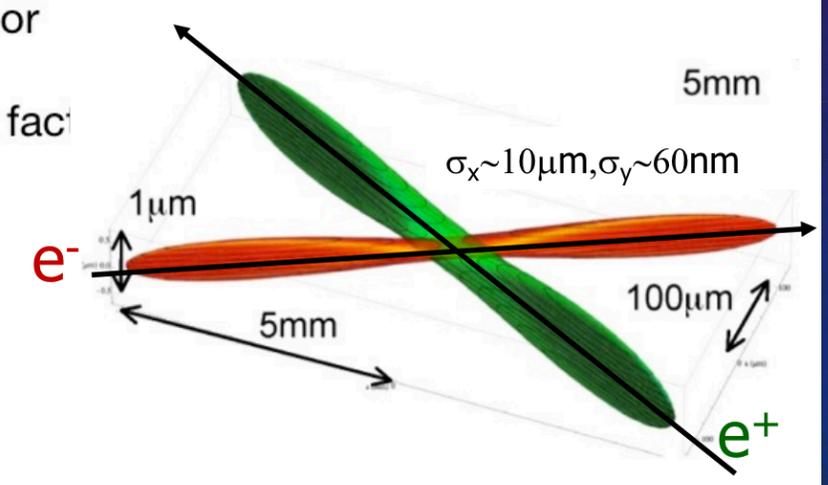


NANO BEAM SCHEME TO INCREASE LUMINOSITY



$$L = \frac{\gamma_{e^\pm}}{2er_e} \left(1 + \frac{\sigma_y^*}{\sigma_x^*} \right) \left(\frac{I_{e^\pm} \xi_y^{e^\pm}}{\beta_y^*} \right) \left(\frac{R_L}{R_{\xi_y}} \right)$$

Lorentz factor
 Beam current
 Beam-beam parameter
 Classical electron radius
 Beam size ratio@IP
 1 - 2 % (flat beam)
 Vertical beta function@IP
 Lumi. reduction factor (crossing angle) & Tune shift reduction factor (hour glass effect)
 0.8 - 1 (short bunch)



- (1) Smaller β_y^*
- (2) Increase beam currents
- (3) Increase ξ_y

← "Nano-Beam" scheme

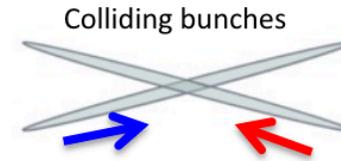
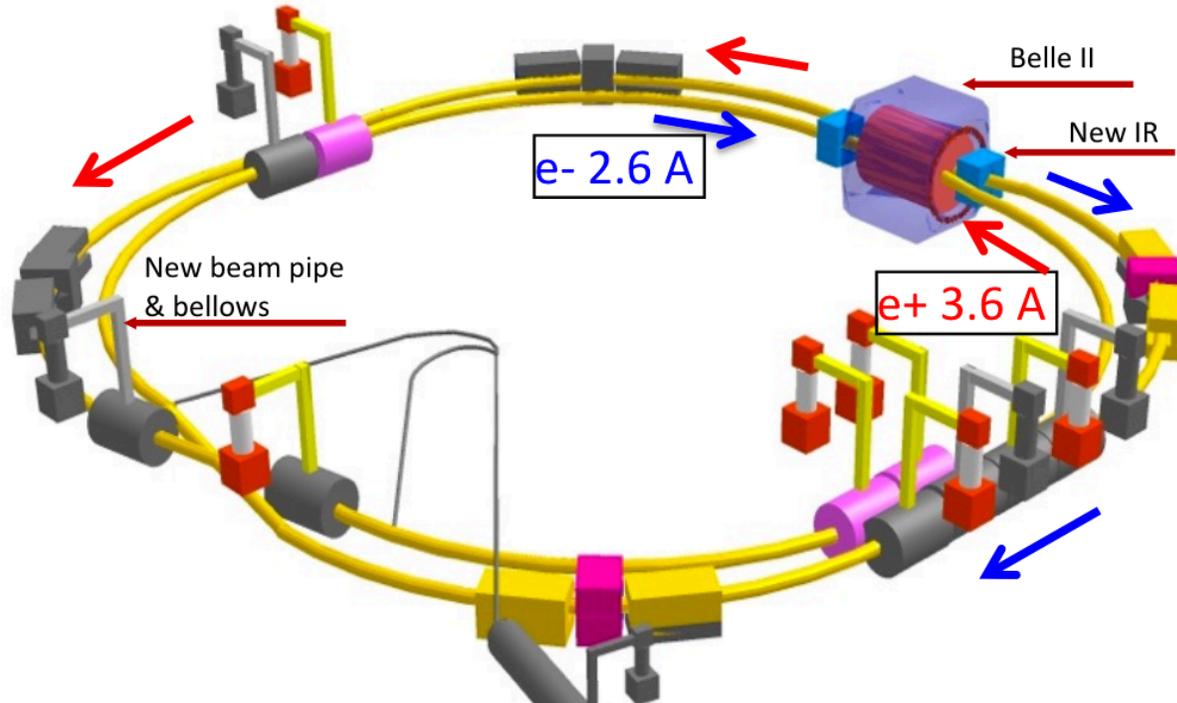
$$\sigma(s) = \sqrt{\epsilon \cdot \beta(s)}$$

Collision with very small spot-size beams
 Invented by Pantaleo Raimondi for SuperB

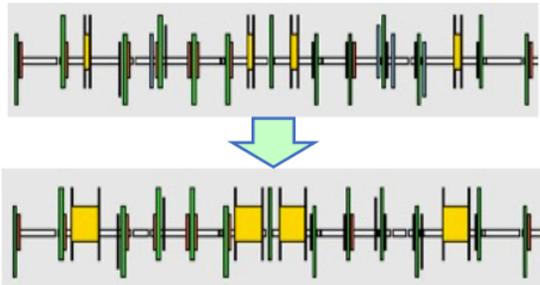
Replace short dipoles with longer ones (LER)



KEKB → SuperKEKB

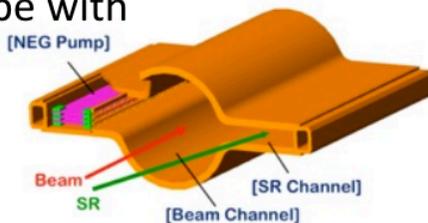


New superconducting / permanent final focusing quads near the IP



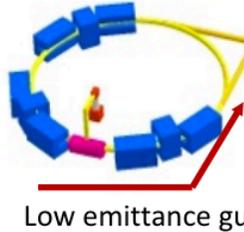
Redesign the lattices of HER & LER to squeeze the emittance

TiN-coated beam pipe with antechambers



Low emittance positrons to inject

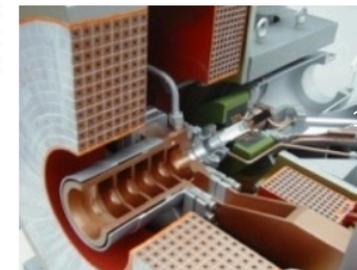
Damping ring



Low emittance electrons to inject

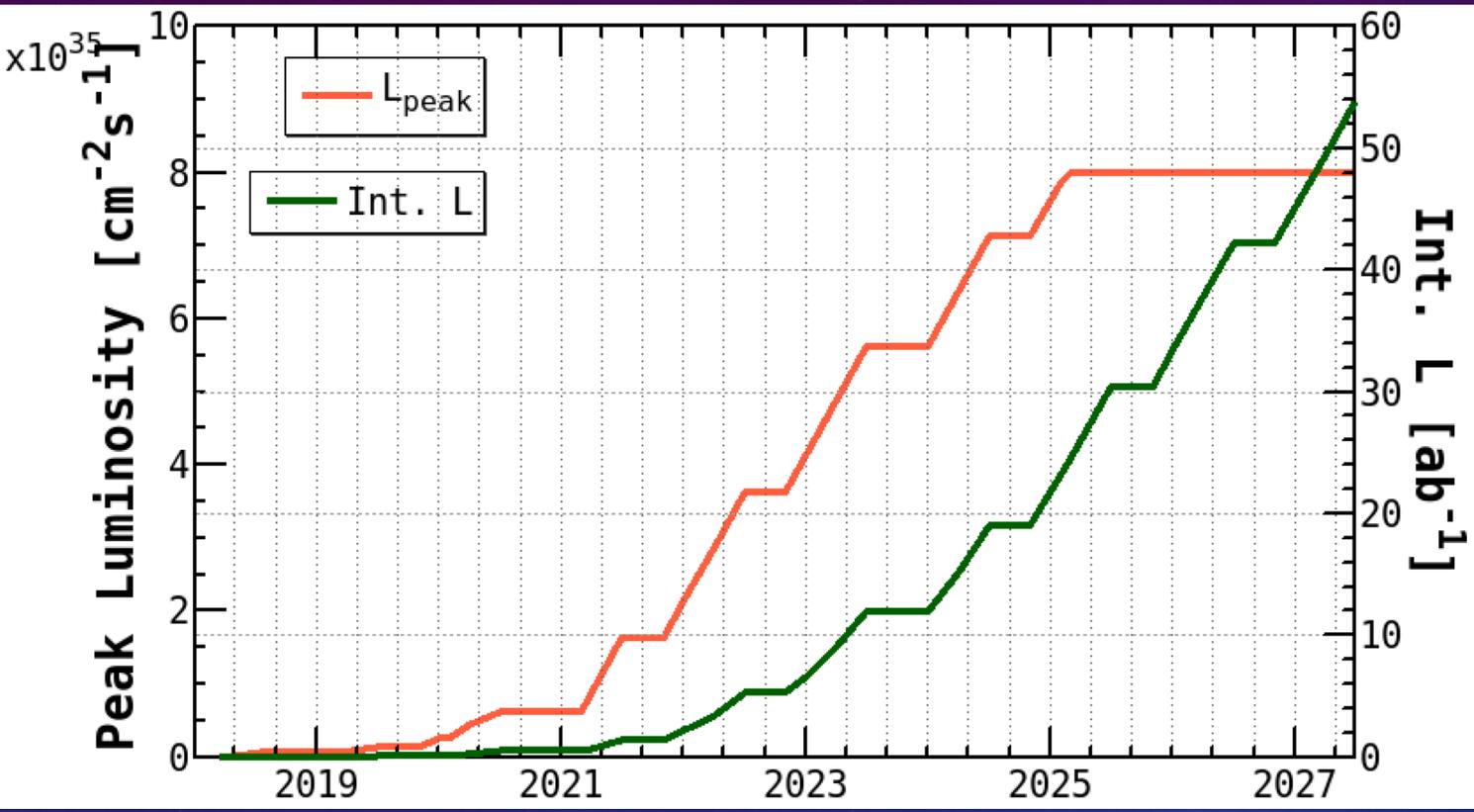
Positron source

New positron target / capture section



Add / modify RF systems for higher beam current

LUMINOSITY PROFILE



Phase I (Feb – June 2016)

- Background commissioning detectors (diamond TPC's, diodes, crystals...)
- Circulated both beams but no collisions;
- Tune accelerator optics, etc.; vacuum scrubbing

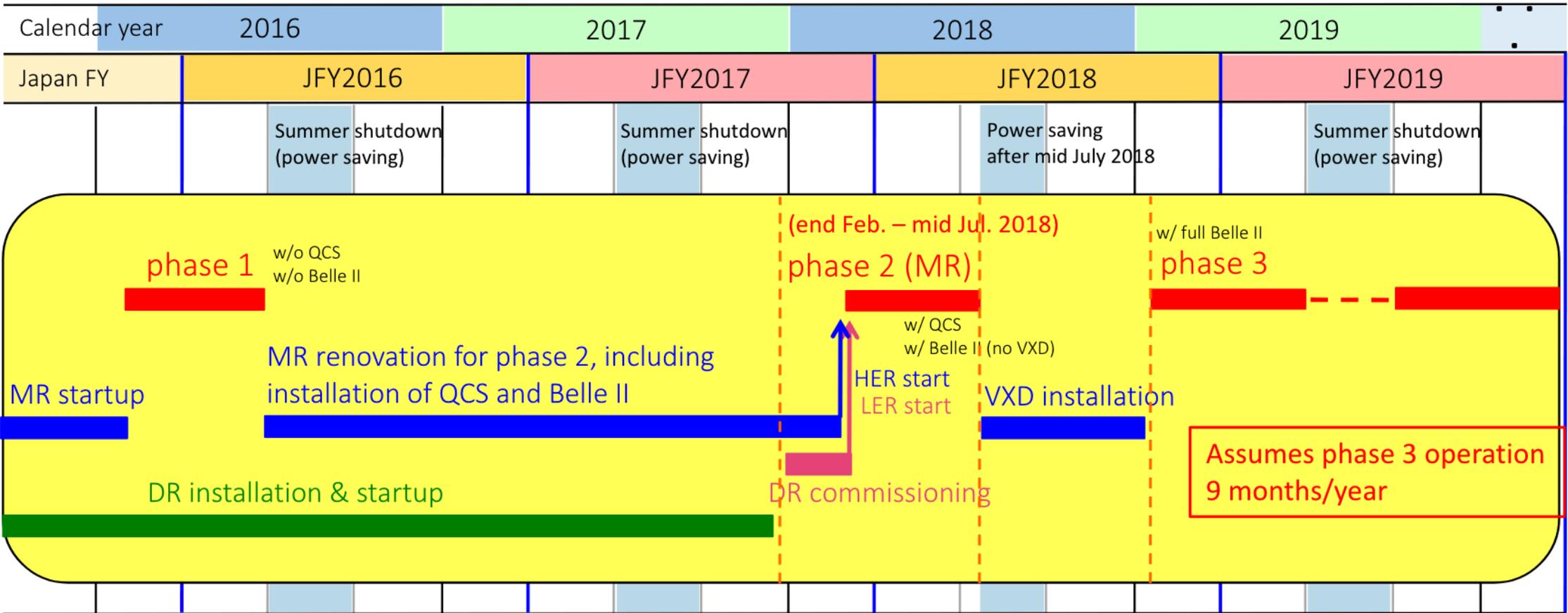
Phase II (2018)

- First collisions!
- Beam Commissioning
- Background measurements with BEAST II/2
- Full Belle II outer detector without Vertex Detector

Phase III (2019 →)

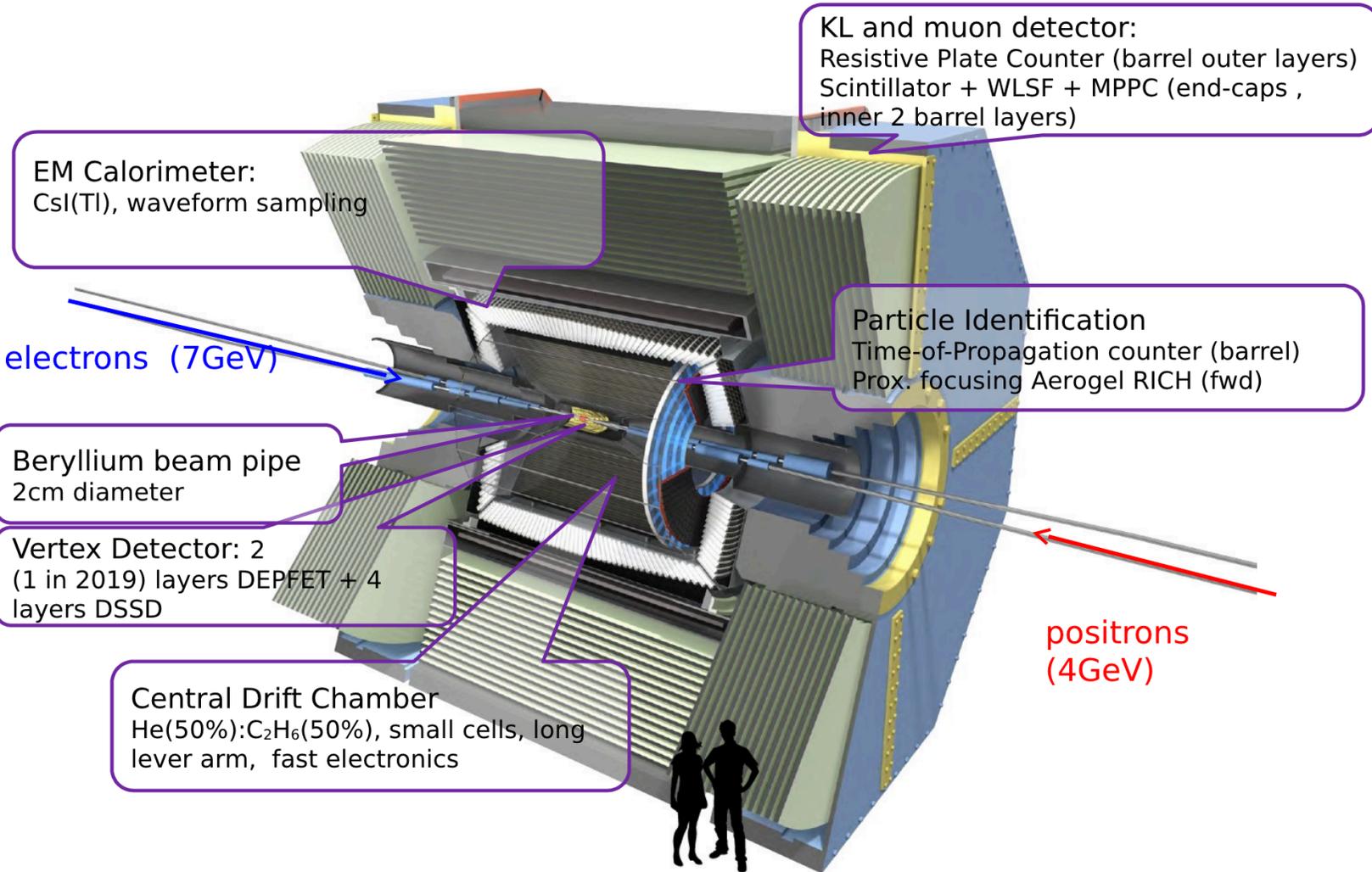
- Physics run

SCHEDULE



- First collision April 26th 2018
- Phase 3 has started March 11th THE SHOW MUST GO ON!!!!

BELLE II DETECTOR



SVD: 4 DSSD lyrs → 2 DEPFET lyrs + 4 DSSD lyrs
 CDC: small cell, lor
 ACC+TOF → TOP+A-RICH
 ECL: waveform sampling (+pure CsI for endcaps)
 KLM: RPC → Scintillator +MPPC (endcaps, barrel inner 2 lyrs)

BELLE II COLLABORATION



>800 members
101 institution
25 countries



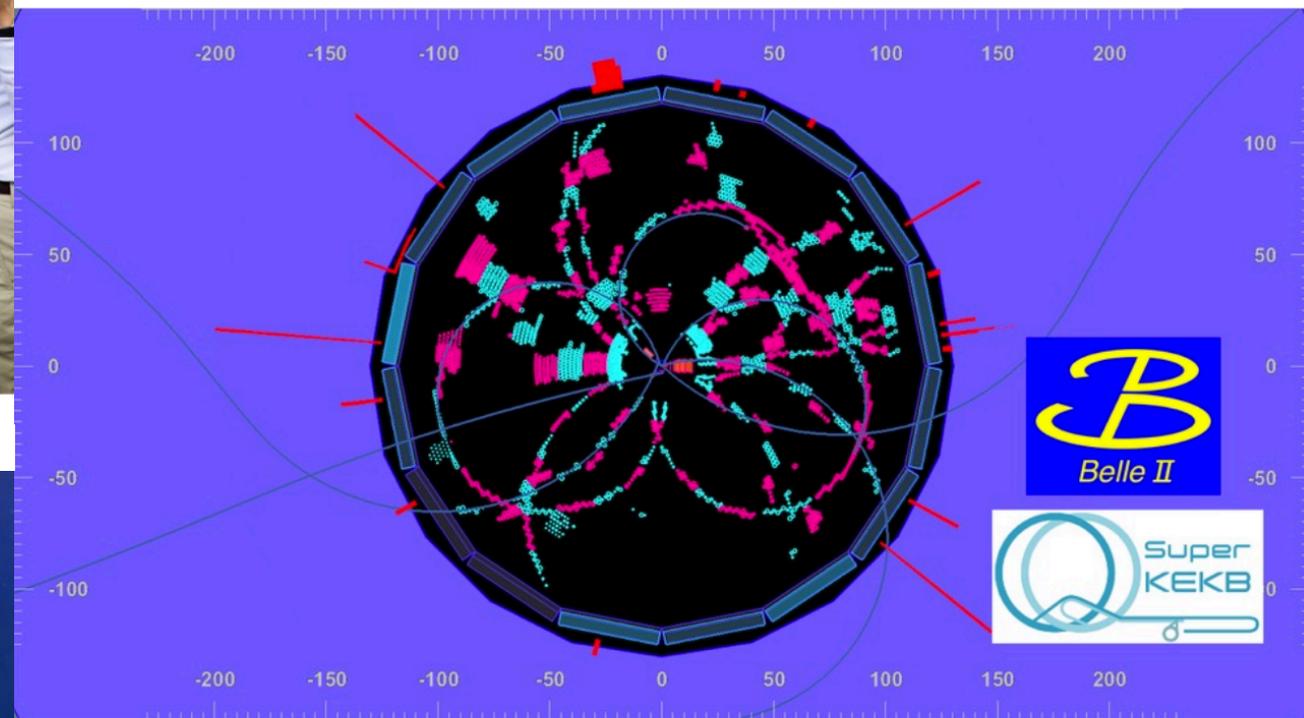
PHASE2 FIRST COLLISION!



Apr 26, 2018

First collisions on April 26
 β^* successfully squeezed down to $\beta^*=2\text{mm}$
 $L = 5.54 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 $L_{\text{spec}} = 2 \times 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
Integrated Luminosity (online): 500 pb^{-1}

$$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow B \bar{B}$$



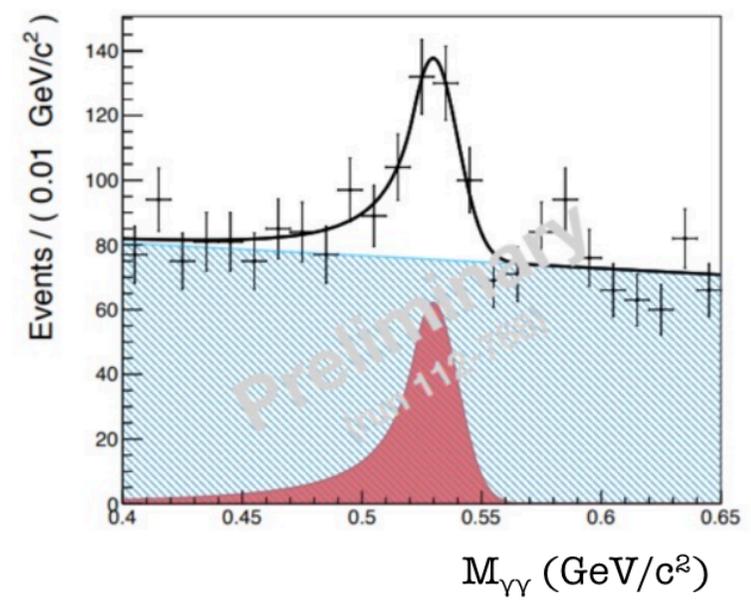
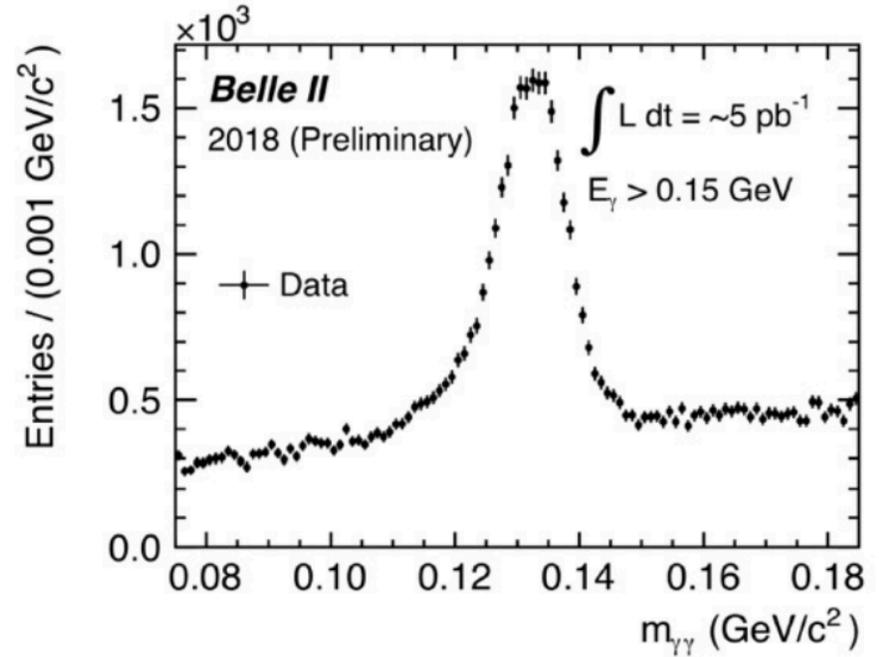
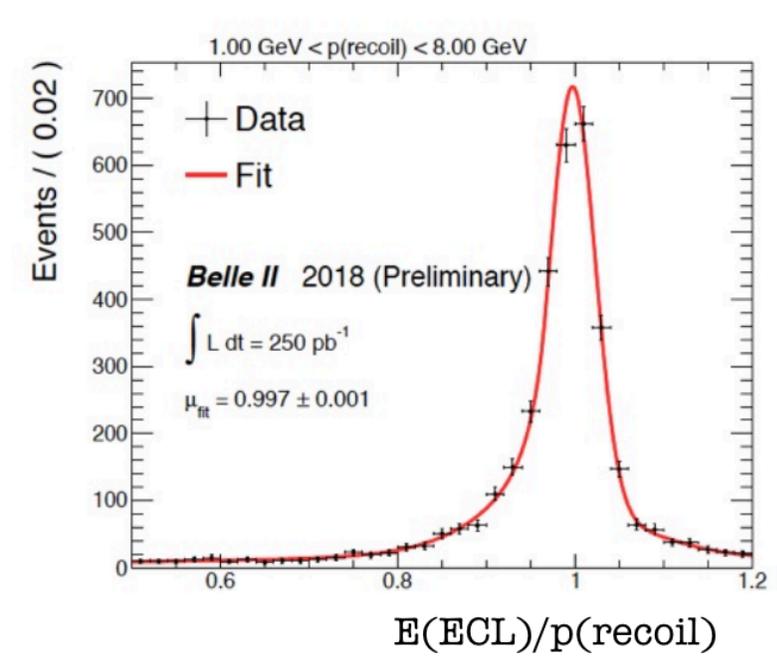
A potential $e^+ e^- \rightarrow B \bar{B}$ candidate

PHASE2: PHOTON RECONSTRUCTION

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\gamma$$

$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$

$$\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$



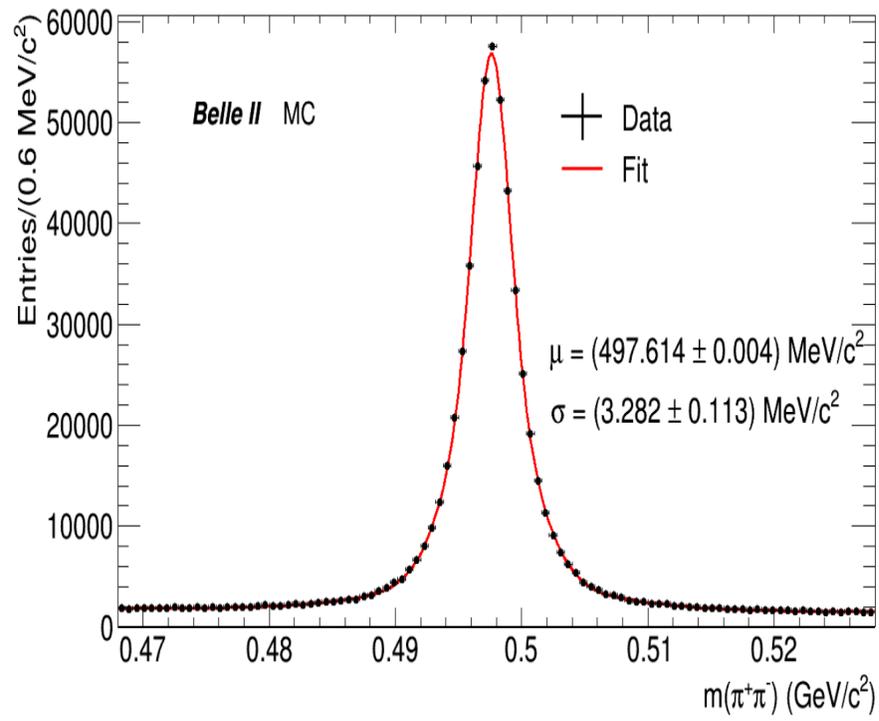
- Good reconstruction of both single photons and pairs
- Ready for the “dark sector” – single photons

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma X$$

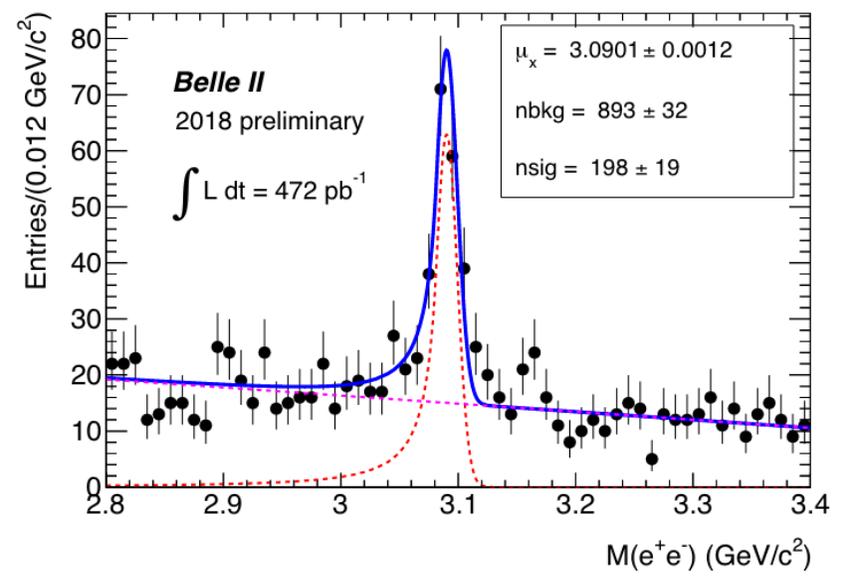
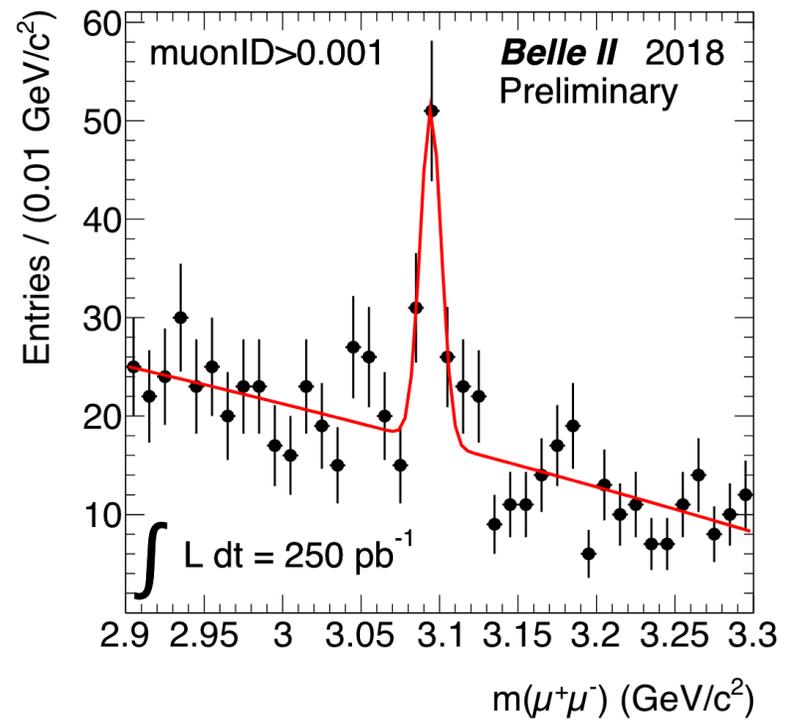
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma ALP \rightarrow \gamma(\gamma\gamma)$$

PHASE2: TRACKING

$K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$



$J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- , J/\psi \rightarrow e^+ e^-$

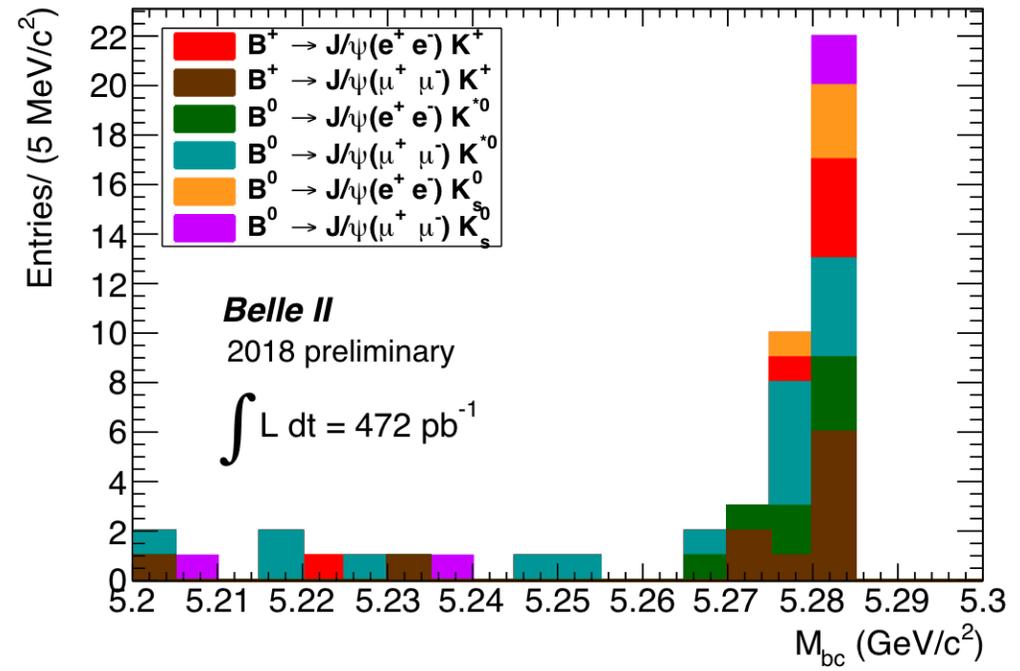
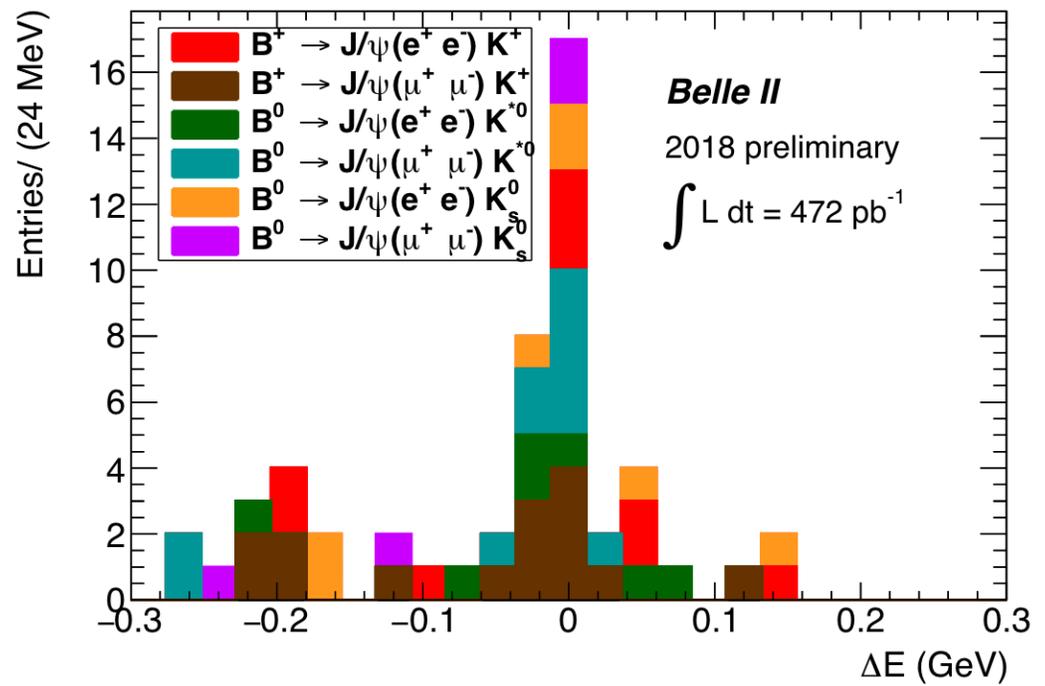


- Good tracking efficiency.

PHASE2: RE-DISCOVERY OF B MESONS

$$\Delta E = E_{cm} / 2 - E_{recon}$$

$$M_{bc} = \sqrt{(E_{cm} / 2)^2 - p_{recon}^2}$$



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History
1983:

VOLUME 50, NUMBER 12 PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS 21 MARCH 1983

Observation of Exclusive Decay Modes of *b*-Flavored Mesons 40.7 pb⁻¹

B-meson decays to final states consisting of a D^0 or $D^{*\pm}$ and one or two charged pions have been observed. The charged-*B* mass is $5270.8 \pm 2.3 \pm 2.0$ MeV and the neutral-*B* mass is $5274.2 \pm 1.9 \pm 2.0$ MeV.

PHYSICS: EARLY PHASE3

- Luminosity will depend on machine and detector performance
- Let's assume 10 fb^{-1} by summer 2019

SEMILEPTONIC

$B \rightarrow \pi l \nu$ and $\rho l \nu$ untagged (CLEO saw a signal with 2.66 fb^{-1})

TIME DEPENDENT CP VIOLATION AND CHARM

D lifetimes (2 fb^{-1})

$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$, $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ (10 fb^{-1})

B lifetimes ($2\text{-}10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$)

Time dependent B mixing (10 fb^{-1})

DARK SECTOR physics publications!

RADIATIVE ELECTROWEAK PENGUINS

$B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$ (2 fb^{-1}) rediscovery penguins

$B \rightarrow X s \gamma$ (10 fb^{-1})

HADRONIC B DECAYS

$B \rightarrow K \pi$ (10 fb^{-1})

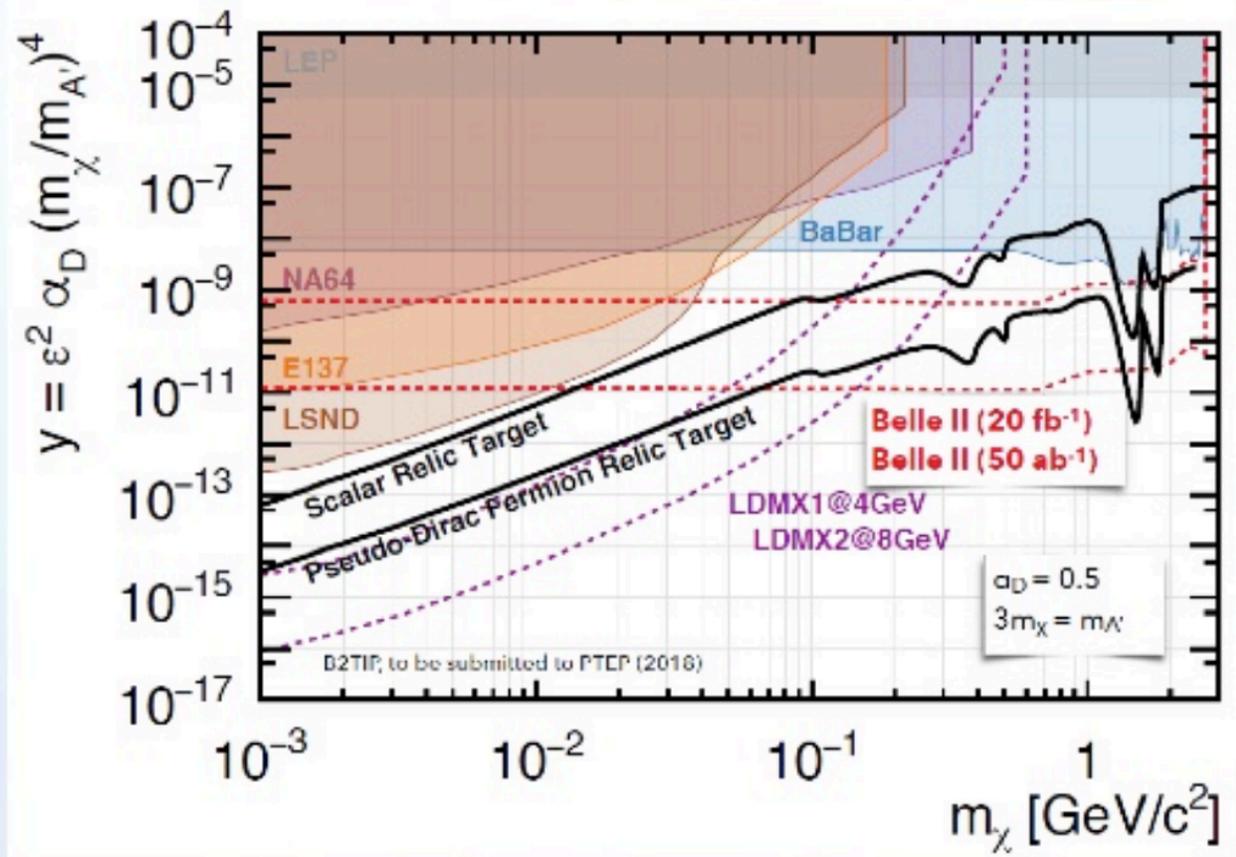
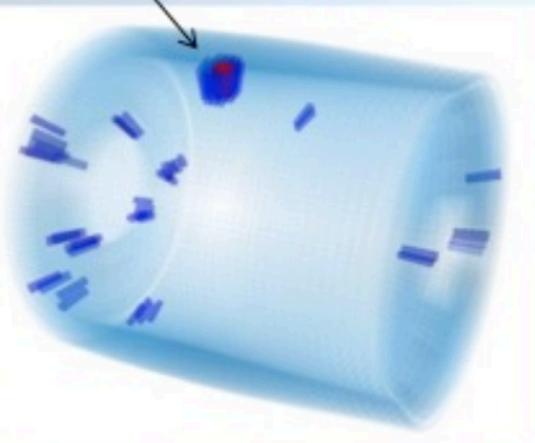
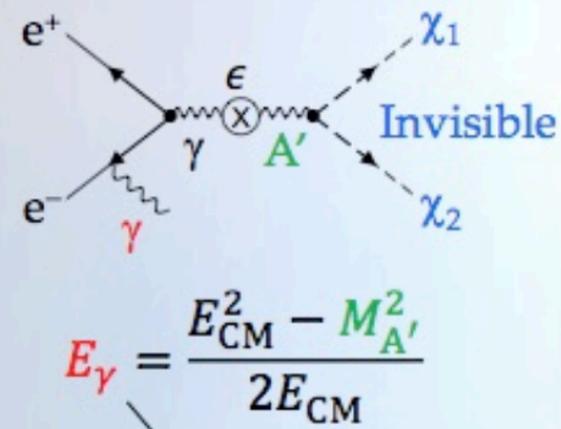
$B \rightarrow \phi K$ (10 fb^{-1})

$B \rightarrow J/\psi K$ ($2\text{-}10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$)

Time dependent B mixing (10 fb^{-1})

PHYSICS PHASE3 → DARK SECTOR

- New triggers will be used in Belle II to search for dark matter and dark photons.
- ▶ Single photon trigger with ~1 GeV threshold to search for dark photon decaying into light dark matter



For more details see dedicated talk at this conference by G. Inguglia

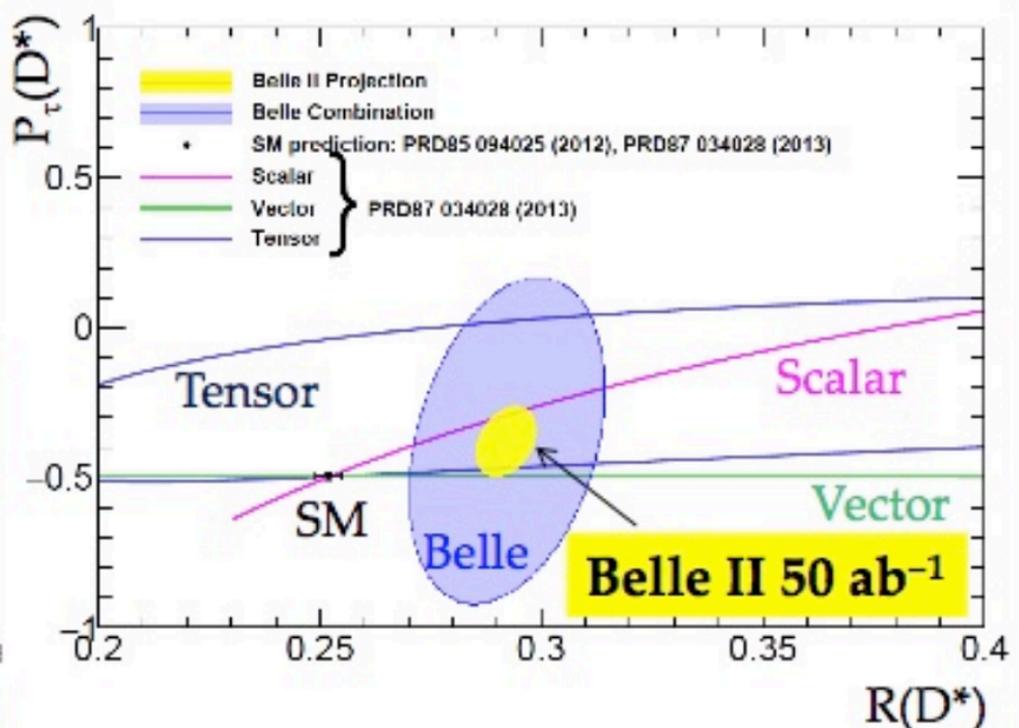
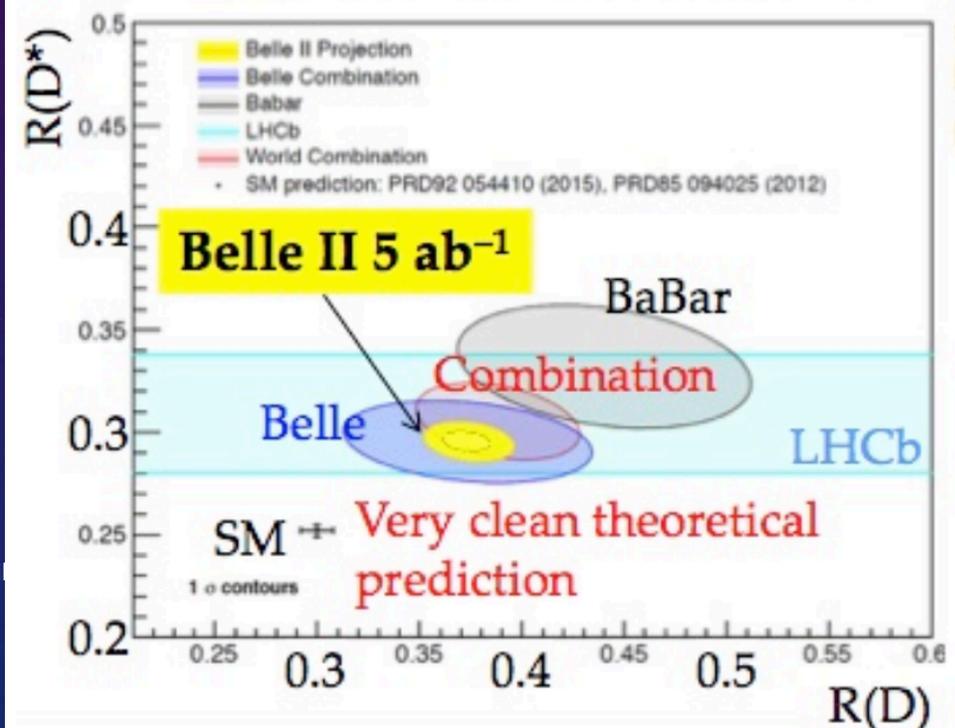
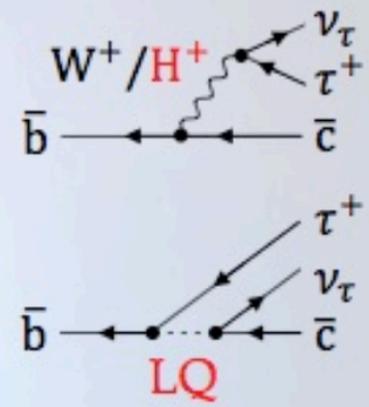
PHYSICS PHASE3: $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu$

$$R(D^{(*)}) = \frac{\Gamma(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu)}{\Gamma(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell \nu)} \quad (\ell = e \text{ or } \mu)$$

- Partial cancellation of theoretical uncertainties related to hadronic effects and measurement systematics.

$$P_{\tau}(D^{*}) = \frac{\Gamma^{+} - \Gamma^{-}}{\Gamma^{+} + \Gamma^{-}} \quad (\Gamma^{\pm}: \text{decay rate of } \pm \tau\text{-helicity})$$

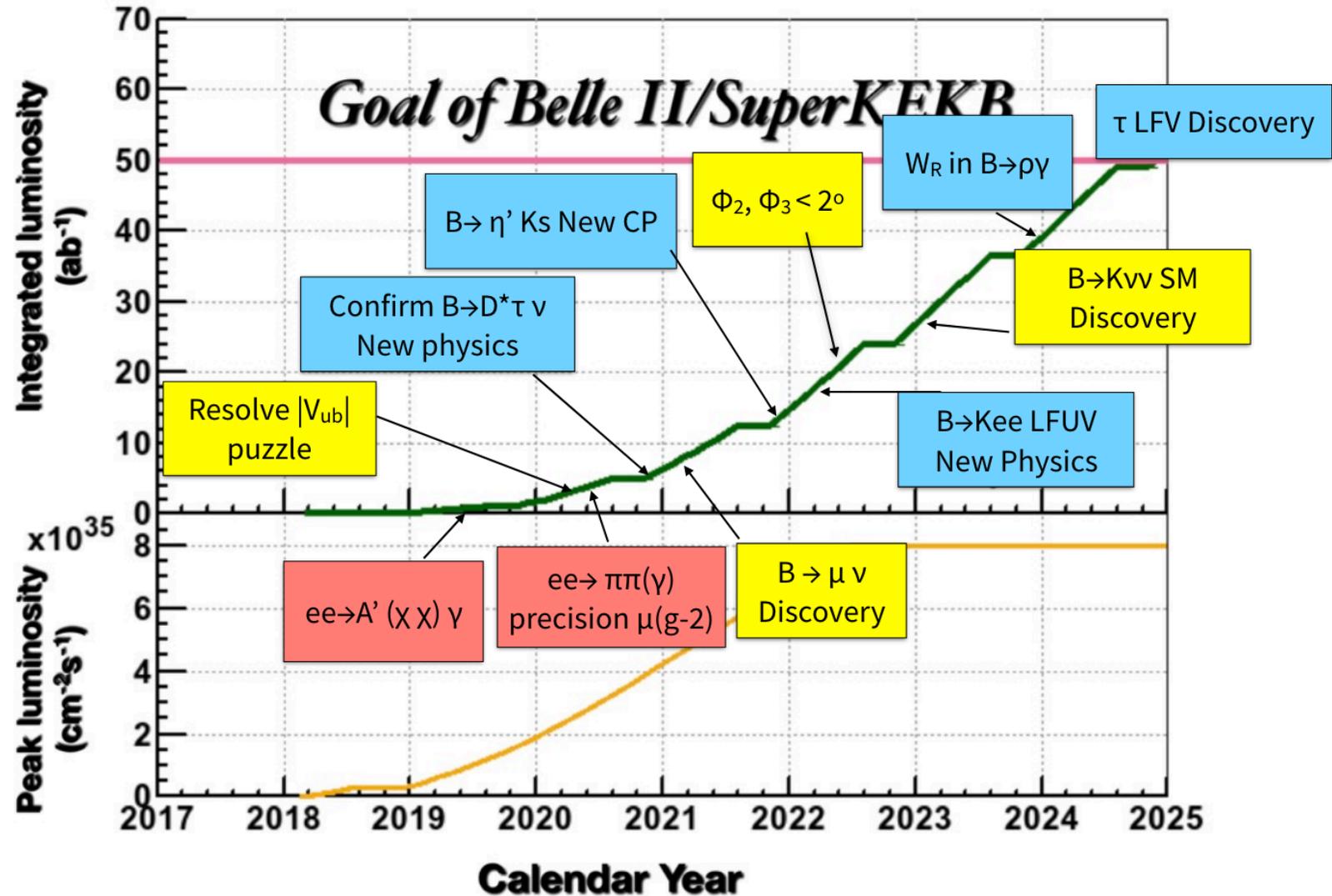
- Another probe of New Physics



PHASE3 PHYSICS PERSPECTIVES

- B2TIP: Belle2 Theory Interface Platform
- A series of joint workshops with theorists
- Belle II Physics book submitted to PTEP

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1808.10567>
<https://inspirehep.net/record/1692393/>



Ultimate precision

				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				
$\phi(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-) [^\circ]$	***	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				
				UT angles & sides			
				$\phi_1 [^\circ]$	***	0.4	Belle II
				$\phi_2 [^\circ]$	**	1.0	Belle II
				$\phi_3 [^\circ]$	***	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
				CP Violation			
				$S(B \rightarrow \phi K^0)$	***	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

- Very rich physics program in the next few years

CONCLUSIONS

- Belle II has completed the initial data taking (Phase 2)
 - Understanding the machine and the backgrounds
 - Detector and software checkout
 - Initial physics
- Belle II will explore New Physics on the Intensity Frontier in a complementary way w.r.t. LHC high p_T experiments, in a healthy competition with LHCb
- We are ready to start a long physics run in the Super Factory mode (Phase 3) from yesterday!
This requires high-efficiency data-taking by Belle II and extensive running by Super KEK-B, soon to be the world's highest luminosity accelerator.
- Particle Physics community is waiting for our results → first at LP2019



BACKUP

SUPERKEKB DESIGN PARAMETERS



parameters		KEKB		SuperKEKB		units
		LER	HER	LER	HER	
Beam energy	E_b	3.5	8	4	7	GeV
Half crossing angle	ϕ	11		41.5		mrad
Horizontal emittance	ϵ_x	18	24	3.2	4.6	nm
Emittance ratio	κ	0.88	0.66	0.37	0.40	%
Beta functions at IP	β_x^*/β_y^*	1200/5.9		32/0.27	25/0.30	mm
Beam currents	I_b	1.64	1.19	3.60	2.60	A
beam-beam parameter	ξ_y	0.129	0.090	0.0881	0.0807	
Luminosity	L	2.1×10^{34}		8×10^{35}		$\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

- Nano-beams and a factor of two more beam current to increase luminosity
- Large crossing angle

- Change beam energies to solve the problem of short lifetime for the LER
- Consequence β_y : decrease 0.42 \rightarrow 0.28

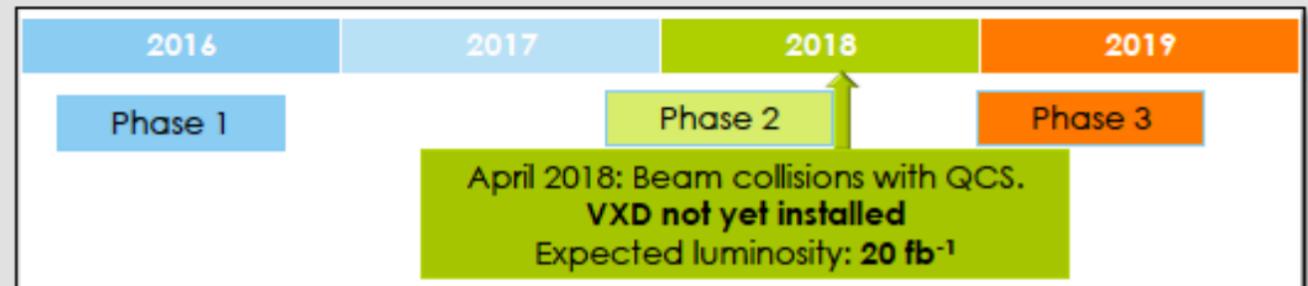
Physics Competition and Complementarity

2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	203+
		Run III						Run IV					Run V	
LS2						LS3					LS4			
LHCb 40 MHz UPGRADE I		$L = 2 \times 10^{33}$			LHCb Consolidate: Upgr Ib			$L = 2 \times 10^{33}$ 50 fb^{-1}			LHCb UPGRADE II		$L=1-2 \times 10^{34}$ 300 fb^{-1}	
ATLAS Phase I Upgr		$L = 2 \times 10^{34}$			ATLAS Phase II UPGRADE			HL-LHC $L = 5 \times 10^{34}$			ATLAS		HL-LHC $L = 5 \times 10^{34}$	
CMS Phase I Upgr		300 fb^{-1}			CMS Phase II UPGRADE						CMS		3000 fb^{-1}	
Belle II	5 ab^{-1}	$L = 8 \times 10^{35}$			50 ab^{-1}									

LHC schedule: [Frederick Bordry, Jun 2015](#)

■ Belle II

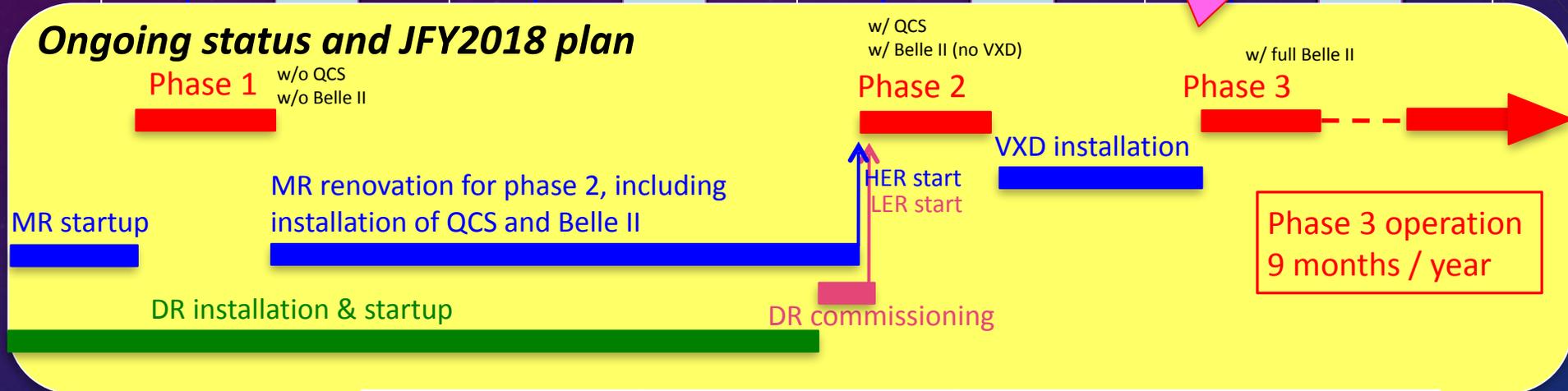
- $L=5 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ achieved!
- Physics with VXD in 2019



R. Cheaib, Moriond, 12 Mar 2018, arXiv:1802.01366

GLOBAL SCHEDULE

as of Dec. 2018



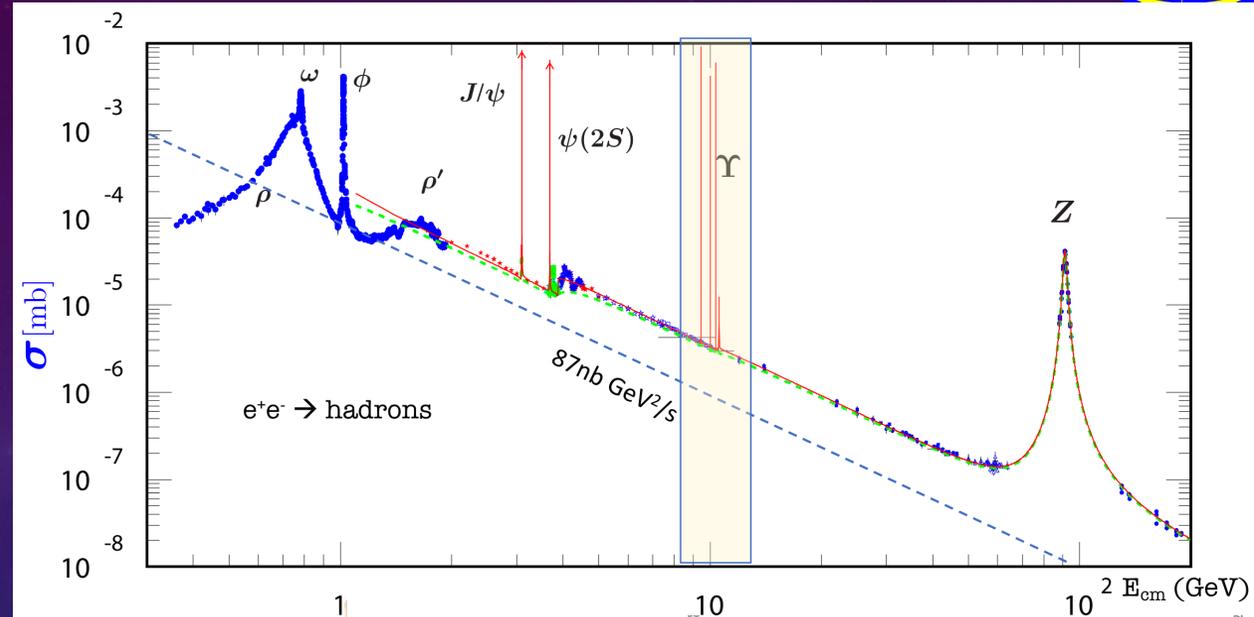
Phase2 started April 26, 2018

	Start	End
Operation	Mar. 11, 2019	9:00 Jul. 1, 2019
Summer shutdown	Jul. 1, 2019	Early autumn 2019 (end Sep-Oct)
Operation	Early autumn 2019	~Christmas
Winter shutdown	~Christmas	Early 2020 (Jan-Feb)
Operation	Early 2020 (Jan-Feb)	9:00 Jul. 1, 2020 12/03/2019
Shutdown 2020	Jul. 1, 2020	Depending on the amount of Belle II/ superKEKB consolidation works

E⁺E⁻ CROSS SECTIONS

Cross section @ Y(10580)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow$	Cross-section (nb)
$b\bar{b}$	1.05
$c\bar{c}$	1.30
$s\bar{s}$	0.35
$u\bar{u}$	1.39
$d\bar{d}$	0.35
$\tau^+\tau^-$	0.94
$\mu^+\mu^-$	1.16
e^+e^-	~ 40



$R = \sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{had}) / \sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$

