

# Measurement of CP-violating phase $\phi_s$ in the LHCb experiment

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**Problem:** our Universe is made almost entirely from matter...  
So where is the antimatter?

**Necessary ingredient:** violation of the CP symmetry (CPV)!

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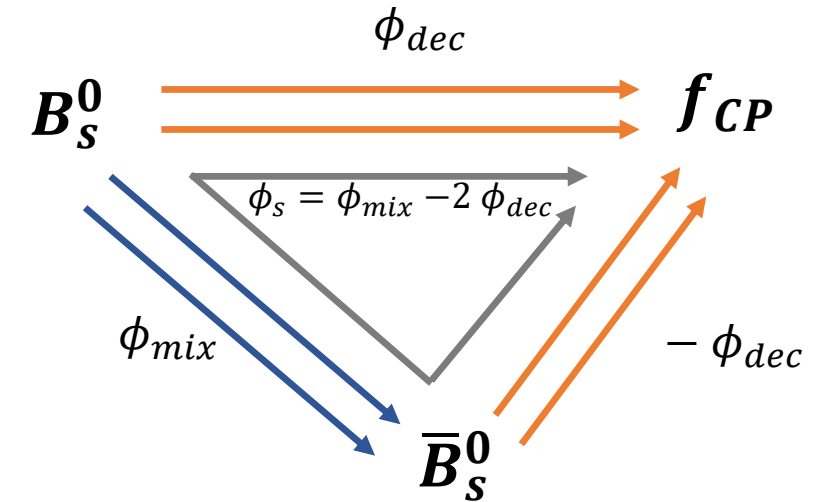
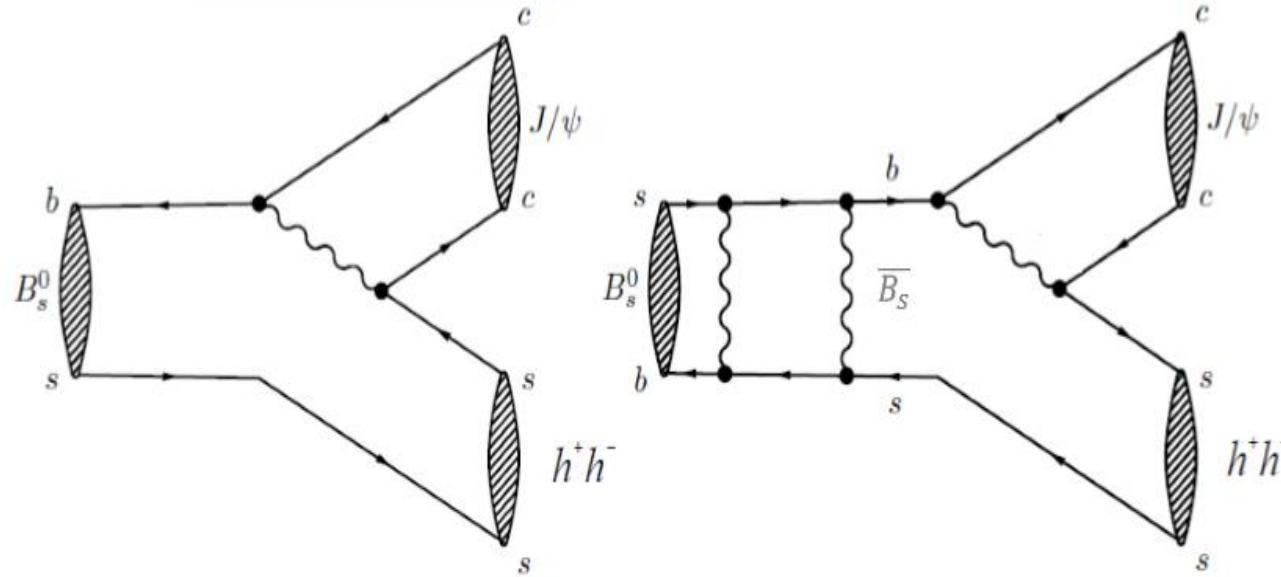
Possible existence of new CPV sources not described by the SM



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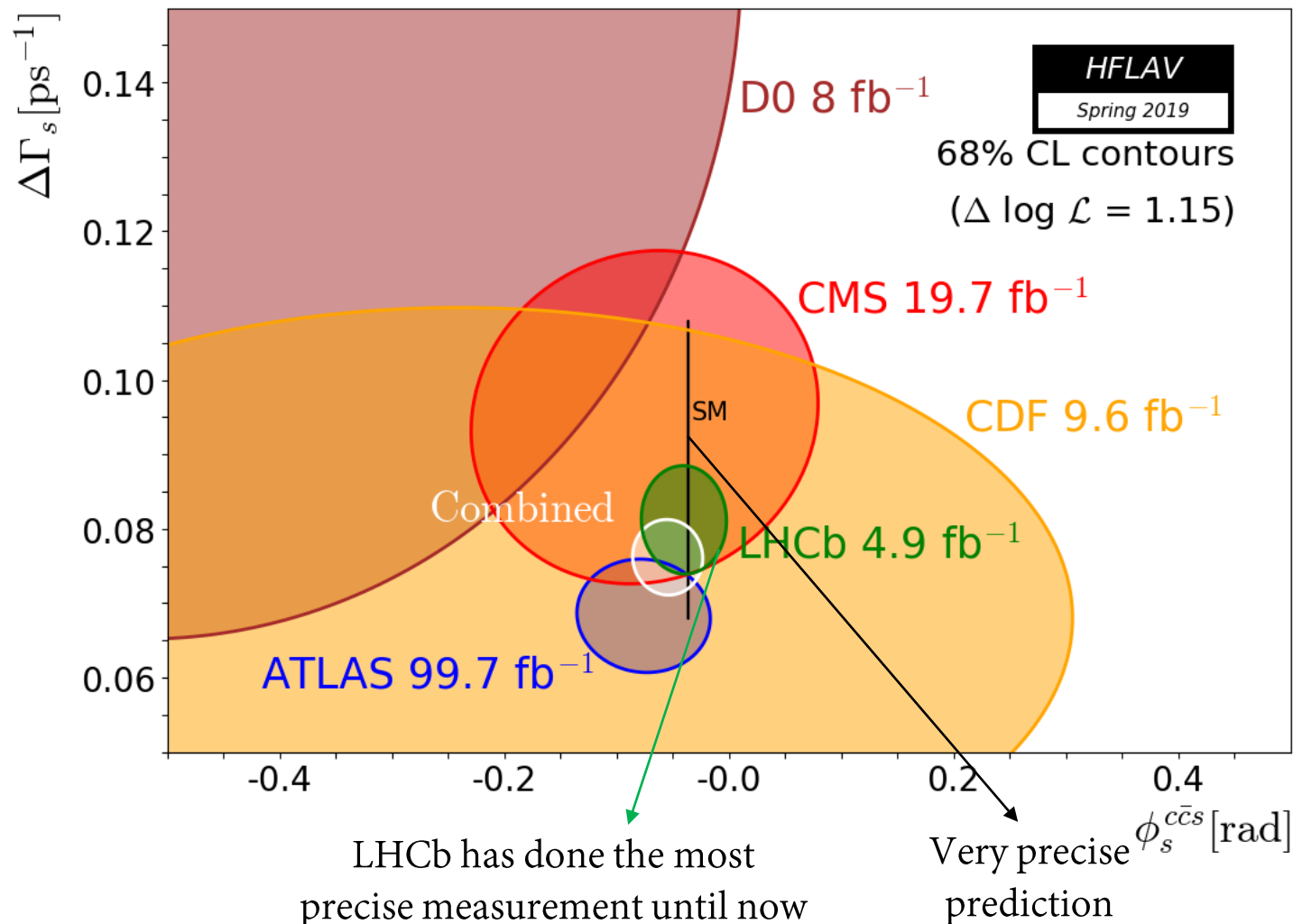
# Introduction: CP violation in the Standard Model



Theory prediction:  $\phi_s^{SM} \approx -0.03686^{+0.00096}_{-0.00068}$  rad

Very precise so perfect to search for  
new sources of CP violation !

# Measurement of $\phi_s$ : state of the art



**LHCb:  $\phi_s = -0.040 \pm 0.025 \text{ rad}$**

**Combined:  $\phi_s = -0.055 \pm 0.021 \text{ rad}$**

Decay channels for  $\phi_s$  measurement at LHCb

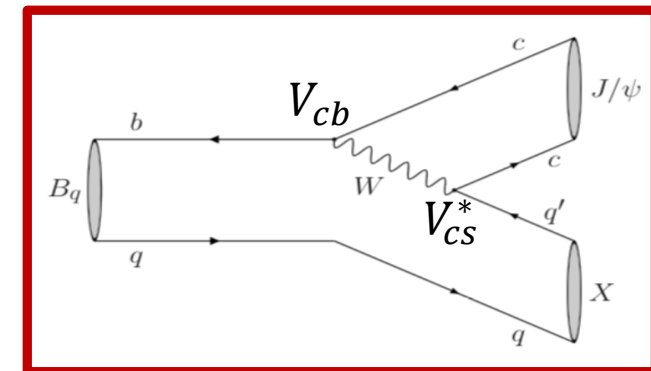
$$B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^+ K^-$$

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$$

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s D_s$$

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow \psi(2S) \phi$$

The decay investigated by me is  **$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$**



Definition of time-dependent CP asymmetry:  $A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_s^0 \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_s^0 \rightarrow f)} = \eta_f \sin \phi_s \sin(\Delta m_s t)$

<p>Theoretical distribution</p> $\frac{d\Gamma}{dt dm_{hh} d\Omega} \sim \sum_{k=1}^{10} f(\Omega, m_{hh}) h_k(t B_s)$	<p>Experimental effects</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; display: inline-block;"> <math display="block">\oplus G(t, \sigma_t) \epsilon(t, \Omega) (1 - 2\omega)</math> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <math>\sigma_t</math>  <span style="color: red;">↓</span>  <span style="color: red;">resolution</span> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <math>\epsilon</math>  <span style="color: green;">↓</span>  <span style="color: green;">efficiency</span> </div> </div> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 10px;"> <math>B_s \quad 0 \quad \bar{B}_s</math>  <span style="color: blue;">↑</span> </div> </div>
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**Experimentally** it becomes:  $A_{CP}(t) = \eta_f \cdot e^{-\frac{1}{2}\Delta m_s^2 \sigma_t^2} \cdot (1 - 2\omega) \cdot \sin \phi_s \cdot \sin(\Delta m_s t)$

# Measurement of $\phi_s$ : where? The LHCb experiment



Single arm spectrometer designed for high precision flavour physics measurements!

Most important features:

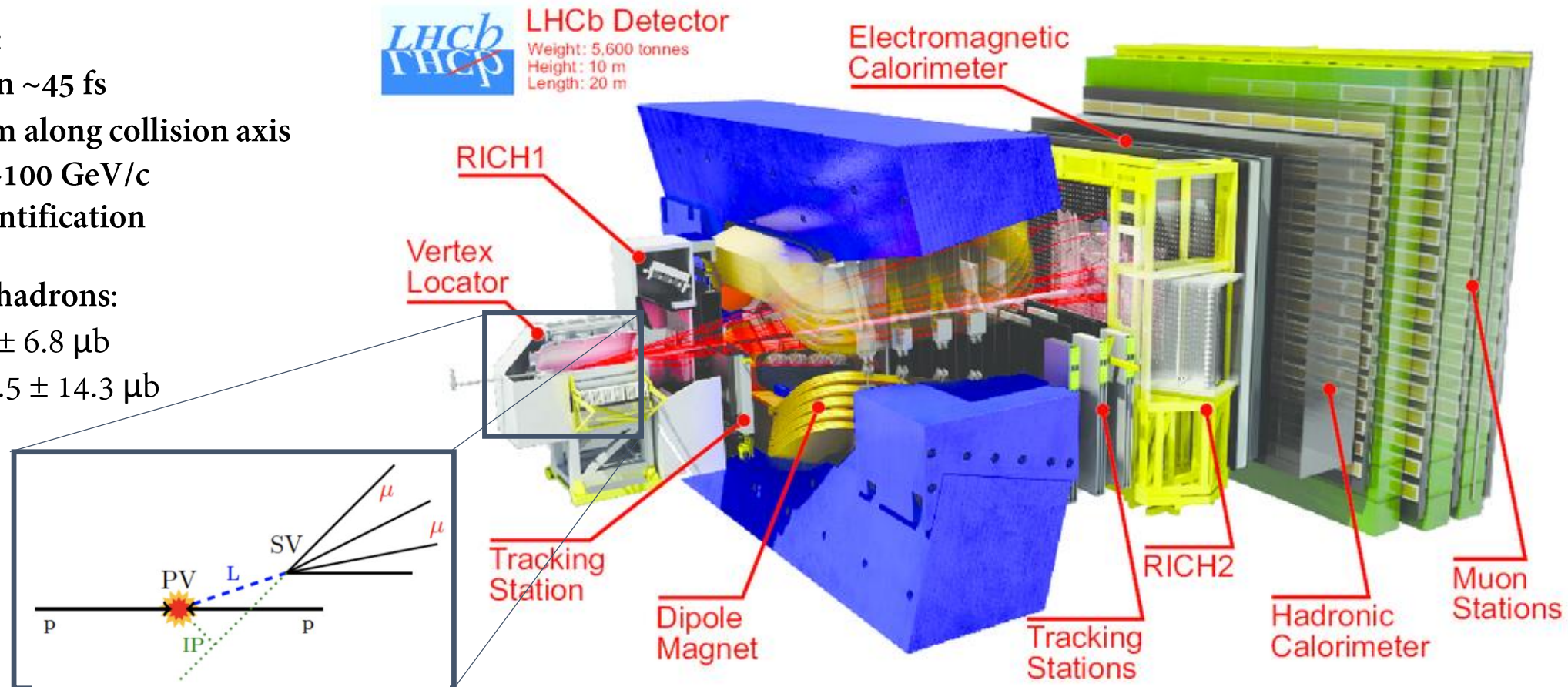
- Decay time resolution  $\sim 45$  fs
- PV resolution  $\sim 70 \mu\text{m}$  along collision axis
- $\Delta p/p = 0.4\text{-}0.6\%$  @ 5-100 GeV/c
- Excellent particle identification

Large number of beauty hadrons:

$$\sigma_{b\bar{b}}(7 \text{ TeV}) = 72.0 \pm 0.3 \pm 6.8 \mu\text{b}$$

$$\sigma_{b\bar{b}}(13 \text{ TeV}) = 154.3 \pm 1.5 \pm 14.3 \mu\text{b}$$

[PRL 118 (2017) 052002]





# Measurements of $\phi_s$ using $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$ channel



Analysis already done with 2015-2016 data.

Current value with this channel

To be improved to test SM  $\leftarrow \phi_s = -0.057 \pm 0.060 \pm 0.011 \text{ rad} \rightarrow$  NO CPV  
[<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1903.05530.pdf>]

My work: Addition of 2017 2018 data to gain a factor 3 of statistical power.

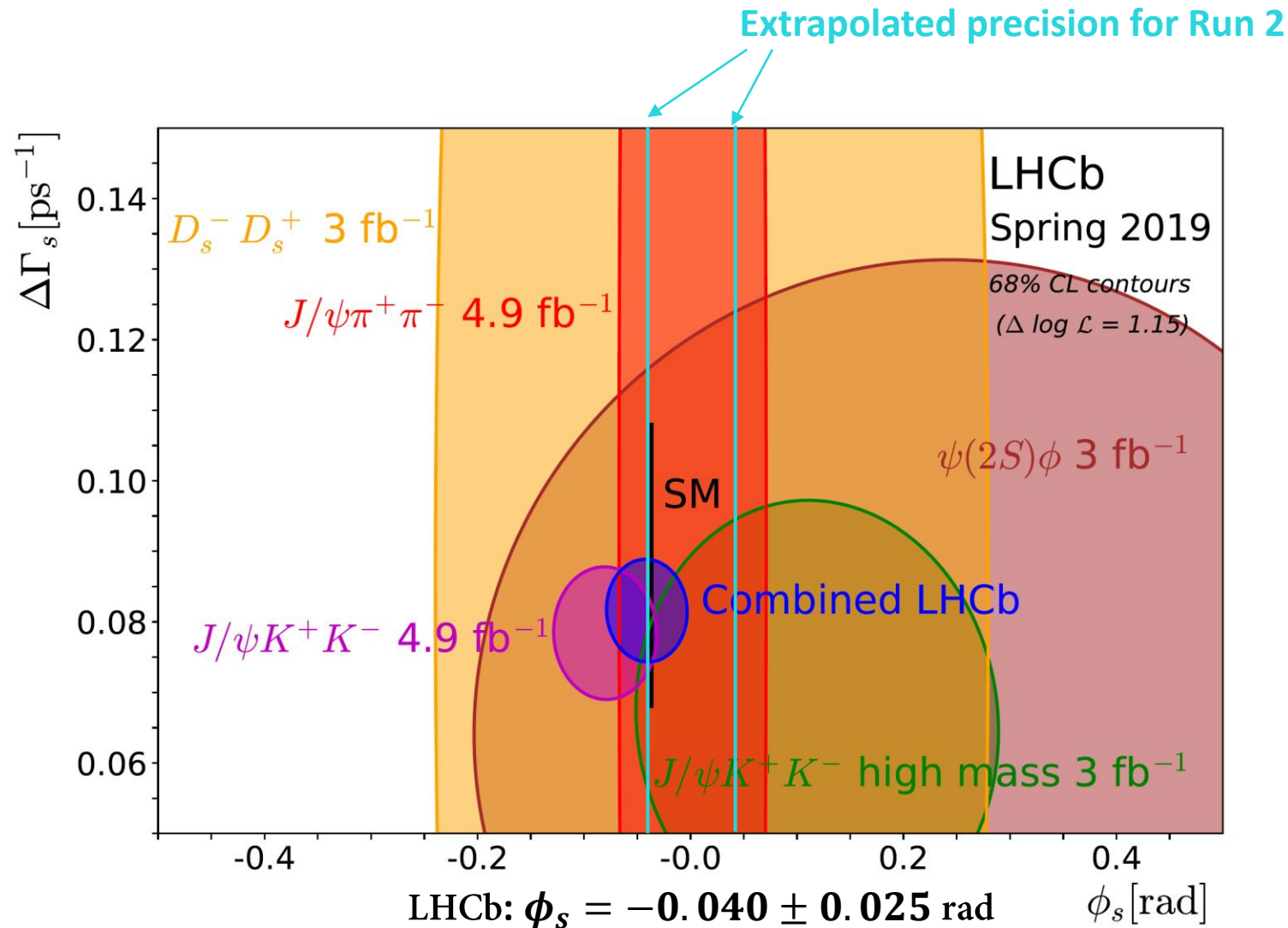
- Candidates selection
- Measurement of decay time resolution
- Flavour tagging performances

Done in Cagliari

- Study of angular and time acceptances
- Final fit to determine  $\phi_s$

Will be done from Tsinghua University

# Expected precision of $\phi_s$ in $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi \pi$ analysis with full RUN2 data



## Preliminary results

Number of candidates:

- 2015:  $4700 \pm 90$
- 2016:  $31300 \pm 200$
- 2017:  $27500 \pm 200$
- 2018:  $38200 \pm 250$

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This analysis with data from 2015 to 2018:

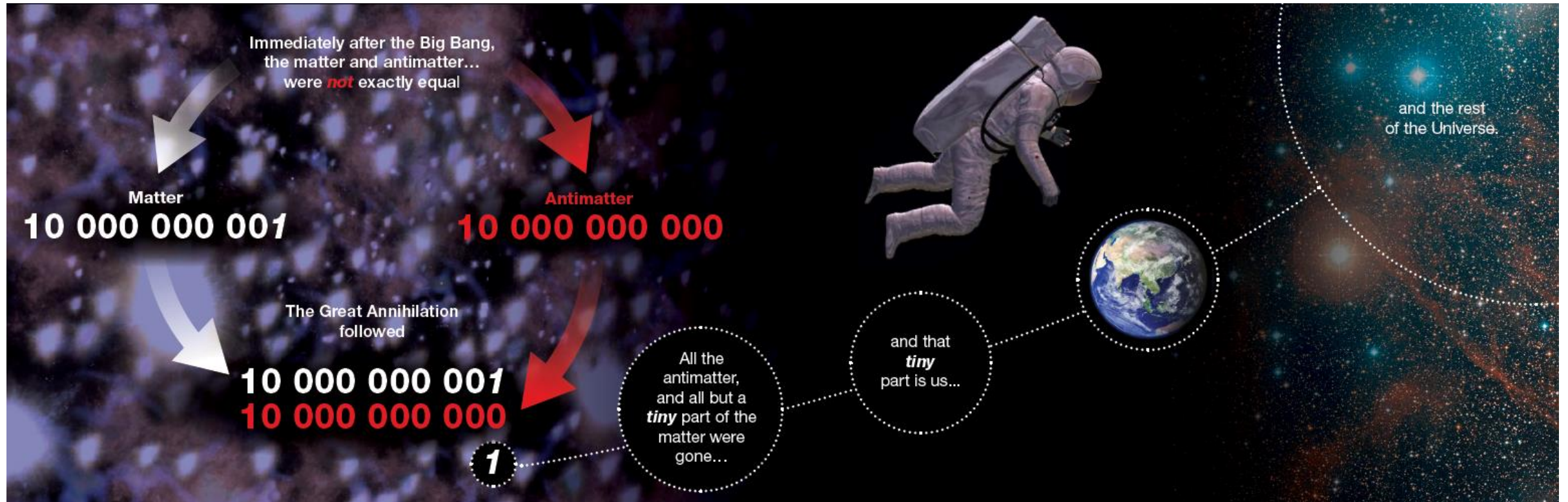
$\phi_s = xxx \pm 0.036 \pm xxx \text{ rad}$

NB:  $\phi_s^{SM} \approx -0.03686_{-0.00068}^{+0.00096} \text{ rad}$

Very important improvement expected on  $\phi_s$  precision using RUN2 data using just this channel !



# BACKUP



## Sakharov Conditions

[A. D. Sakharov, JETP Lett.5, 24 (1967)]

[Rev. Mod. Phys. 88, 015004 (2016)]

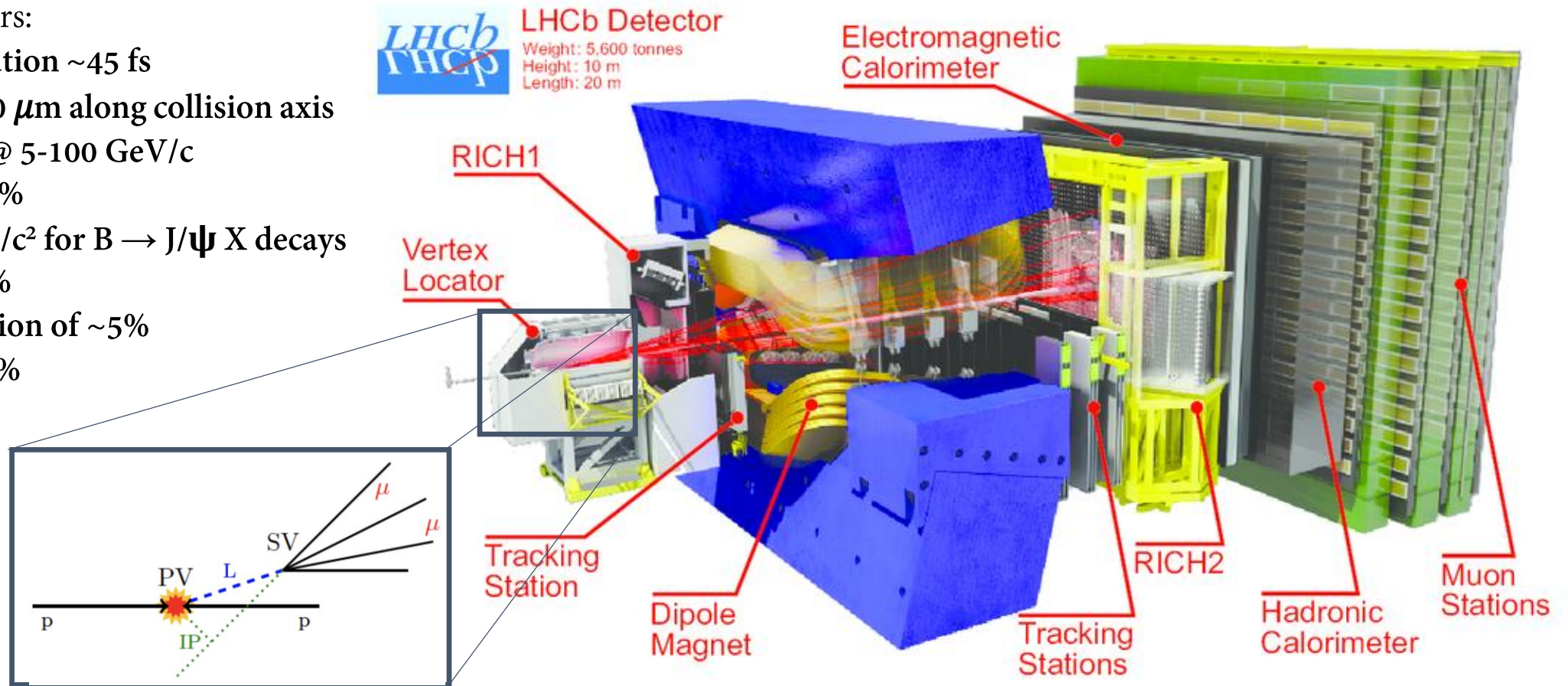
1. Baryon Number Violation
2. **C and CP violation**
3. Interactions out of thermal equilibrium

- Baryon asymmetry of the Universe:  $n_b/n_\gamma \sim 10^{-10}$
- CP violation in the SM does not account for it
- There must be **New Physics** and **new sources of CP violation**

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- Tracking eff.  $> 96\%$
- Mass res.  $\sim 8 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  for  $B \rightarrow J/\psi X$  decays
- Kaon ID eff.  $\sim 95\%$
- Pion mis-ID fraction of  $\sim 5\%$
- Muon ID eff.  $\sim 97\%$

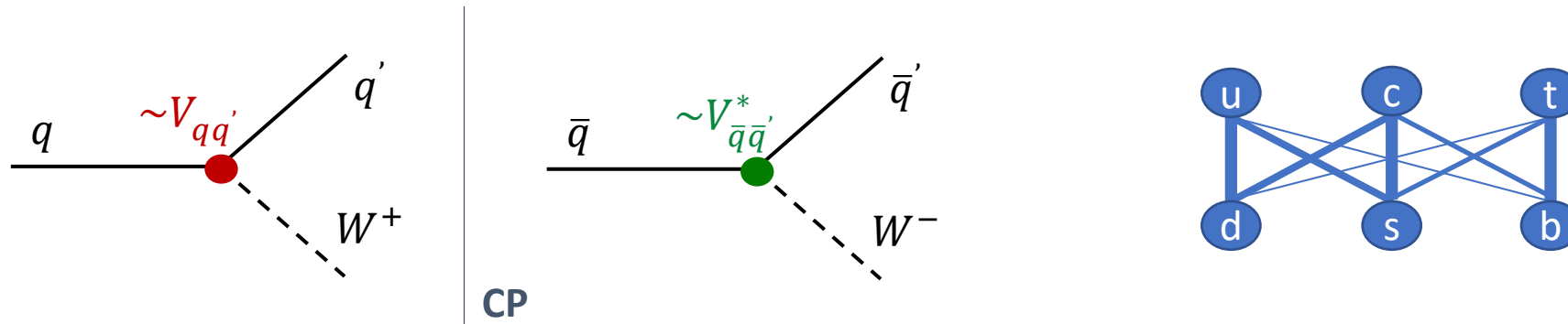




# Introduction: CP violation in the Standard Model



In the Standard Model (SM) quark can transform into another quark thanks to the weak interaction:



The probability for such a transition depends on the elements of Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM) matrix:

$$\text{Mass eigenstates} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix} \sim \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0.2 & 0.004 \\ 0.2 & 1 & 0.04 \\ 0.008 & 0.04 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_{\substack{\text{Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa Matrix (V}_{\text{CKM}}\text{)} \\ \text{3x3 unitary complex matrix}}} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} d' \\ s' \\ b' \end{pmatrix} \text{Flavour eigenstates}$$

If  $V_{qq'} \neq V_{\bar{q}\bar{q'}}^* \Rightarrow$  There is CPV

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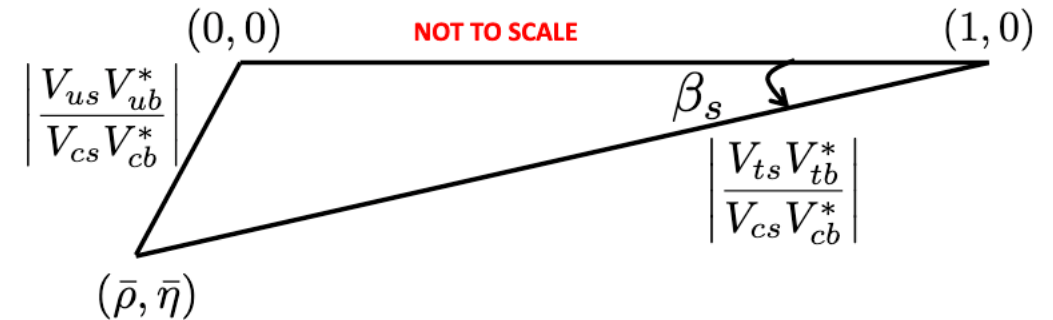
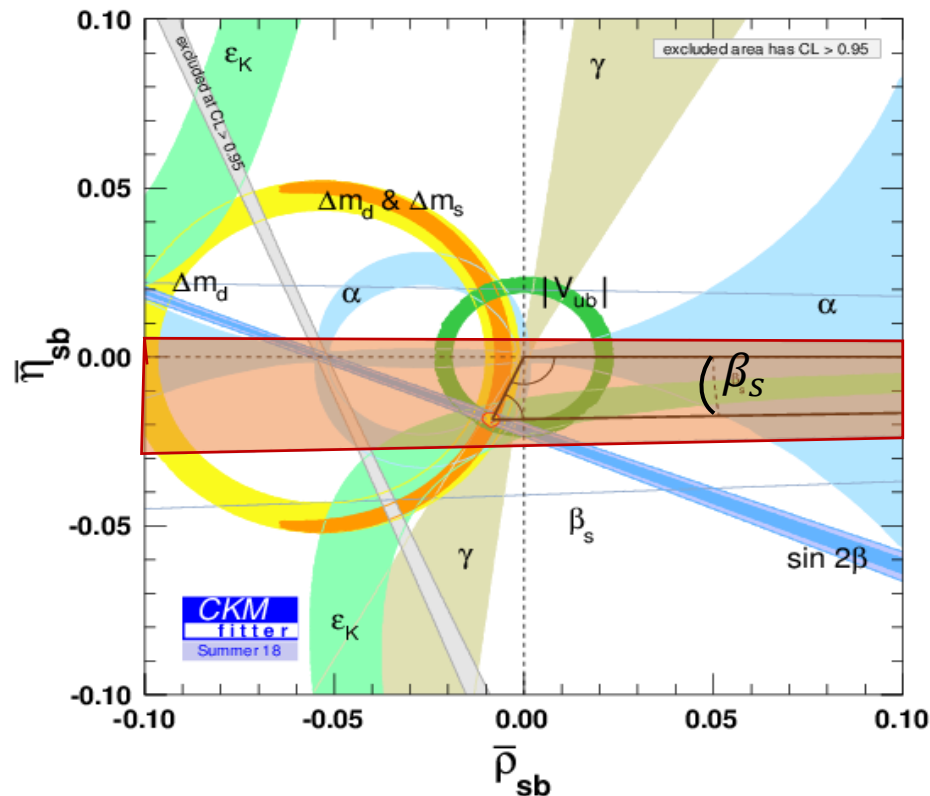
Asking for conservation of probability  $\Rightarrow V_{CKM} V_{CKM}^\dagger = \mathbf{1}$

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & \boxed{V_{us}} & \boxed{V_{ub}} \\ V_{cd} & \boxed{V_{cs}} & \boxed{V_{cb}} \\ V_{td} & \boxed{V_{ts}} & \boxed{V_{tb}} \end{pmatrix}$$

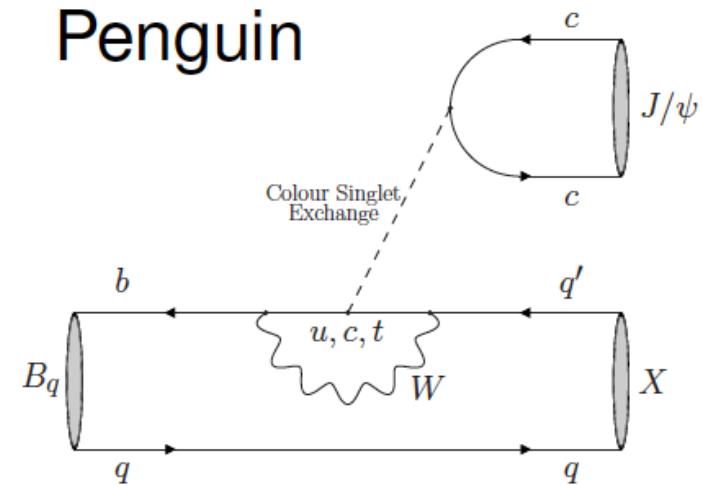
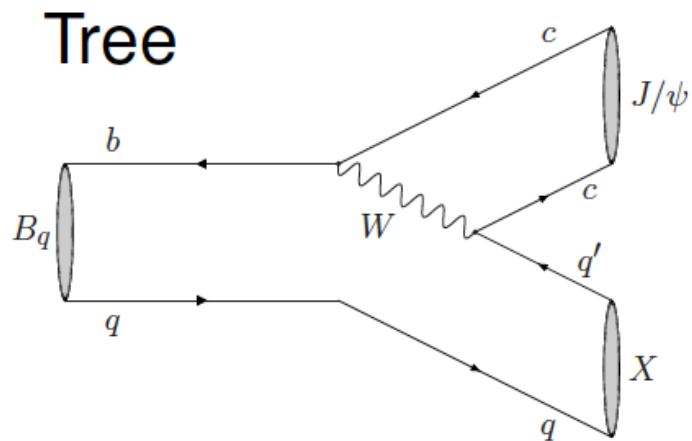


Unitarity condition from 2nd and 3rd columns:

$$V_{us}V_{ub}^* + V_{cs}V_{cb}^* + V_{ts}V_{tb}^* = 0$$



The area of triangle gives information about the magnitude of CP violation !



$$\phi_s = \underbrace{\phi_s^{SM}}_{-2\beta_s} + \Delta\phi_s^{peng} + \Delta\phi_s^{NP}$$

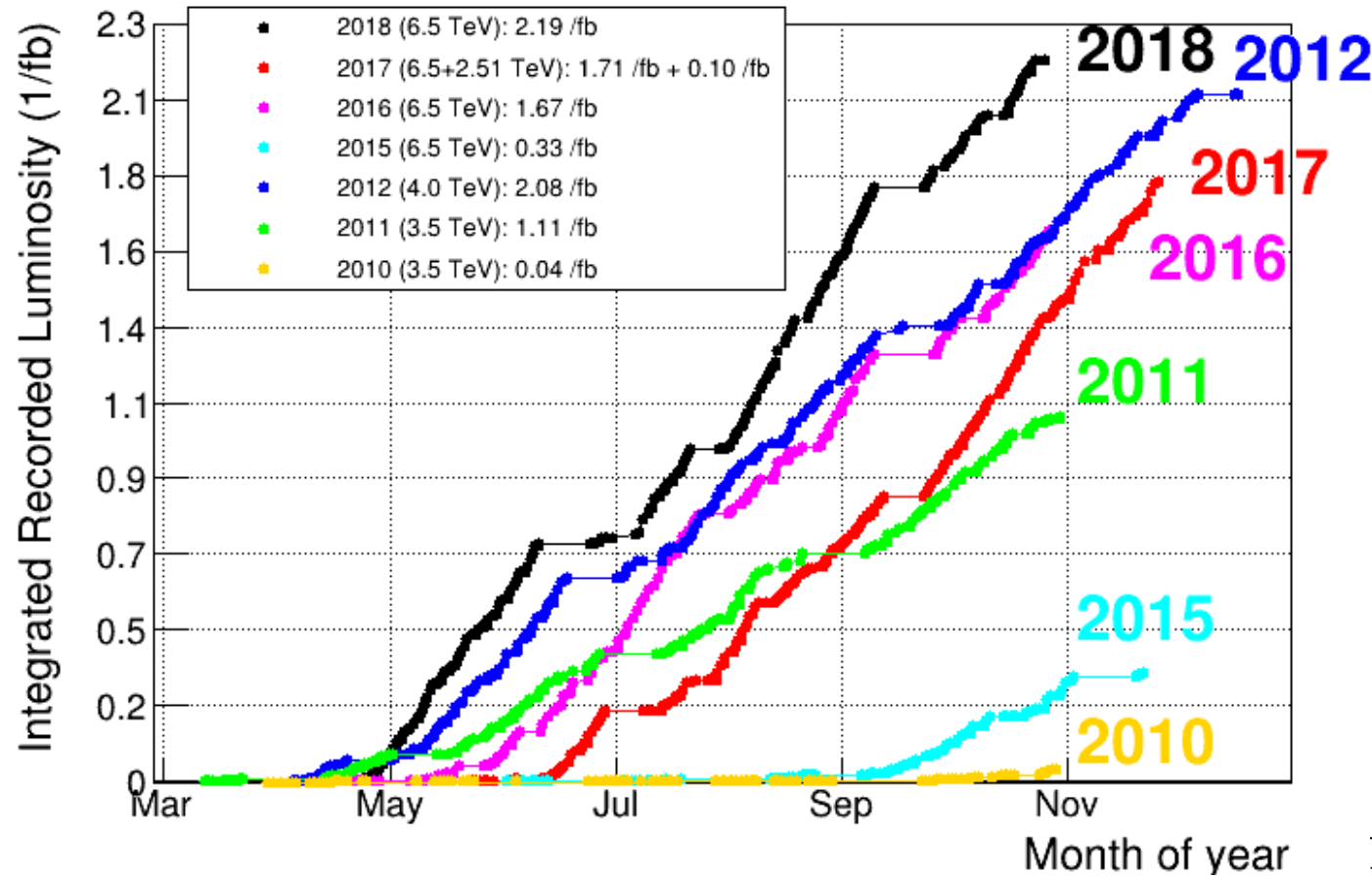
Important channels:

- $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$
- $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \rho^0$

**Precision of ~10 mrad of penguin contribution of  $\phi_s$**

To be compared with the current precision of HFLAV of **21 mrad**





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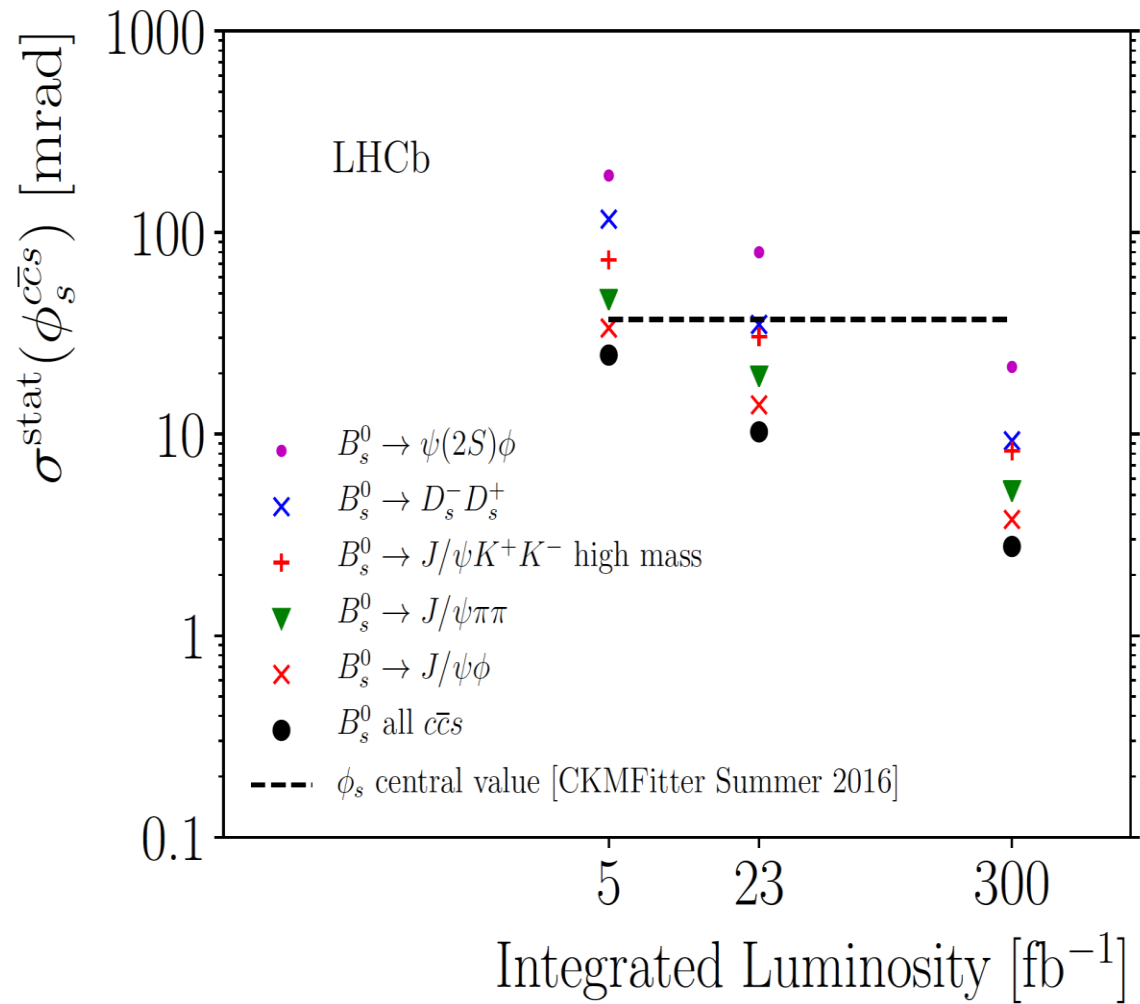
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Scaling considering lumi from 2015 to 2018:

$$\varphi_s = -0.057 \pm 0.035 \pm 0.011 \text{ rad}$$

$$\text{NB: } \varphi_s^{SM} \approx -0.03686_{-0.00068}^{+0.00096} \text{ rad}$$

New measurements are fundamental to test the SM



[LHCB-PUB-2018-009]

## Prospects for the future

- Additional modes planned:  $J/\psi \rightarrow ee$ ,  $\eta' \rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma$  or  $\eta' \rightarrow \eta \pi \pi$  or  $\gamma \gamma$  as cross checks

300/fb:  $\sigma^{\text{STAT}}(\phi_s) \sim 4$  mrad from  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi KK$  only

NB:  $\phi_s^{\text{SM}} \approx -0.03686_{-0.00068}^{+0.00096}$  rad

The CKM matrix can be described by 4 parameters:  $\lambda, A, \rho, \eta$

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} |V_{ud}| & |V_{us}| & |V_{ub}|e^{-i\gamma} \\ -|V_{cd}| & |V_{cs}| & |V_{cb}| \\ |V_{td}|e^{-i\beta} & -|V_{ts}|e^{i\beta_s} & |V_{tb}| \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 - \lambda^4/8 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda + A^2\lambda^5[1 - 2(\rho + i\eta)]/2 & 1 - \lambda^2/2 - \lambda^4(1 + 4A^2)/8 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3[1 - (\rho + i\eta)(1 - \lambda^2/2)] & -A\lambda^2 + A\lambda^4[1 - 2(\rho + i\eta)]/2 & 1 - A^2\lambda^4/2 \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{Wolfenstein parametrisation}} + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^6)$$

$$\lambda = \sin(\theta_c) \approx 0.22, \quad \eta \approx 0.3$$

$\eta$  is the **only CPV source** in the SM!

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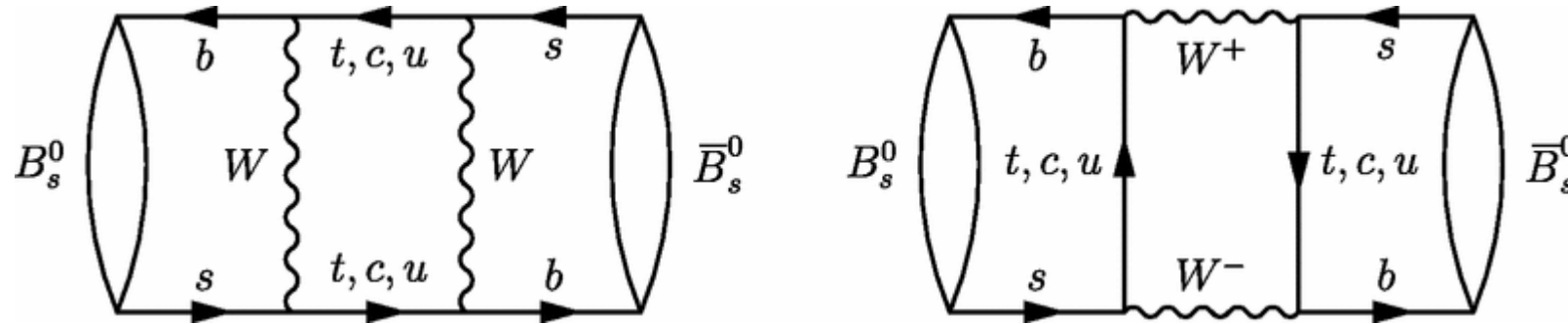
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Test the consistency of CKM within SM experimentally

# Theoretical introduction: mixing of neutral mesons



## Mixing phenomena:

during its time evolution a  $B_s^0$  can transform into its antiparticle.

Therefore the hamiltonian eigenstates are different from the interaction states and are known as mass eigenstates  $B_L$  and  $B_H$  and they can be written as their linear combination:

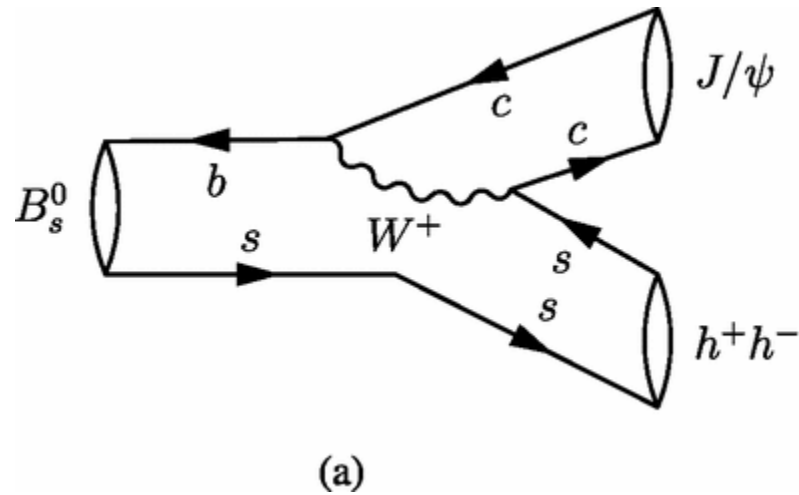
$$|B_H\rangle \propto p |B_q^0\rangle + q |\bar{B}_q^0\rangle$$

$$|B_L\rangle \propto p |B_q^0\rangle - q |\bar{B}_q^0\rangle$$

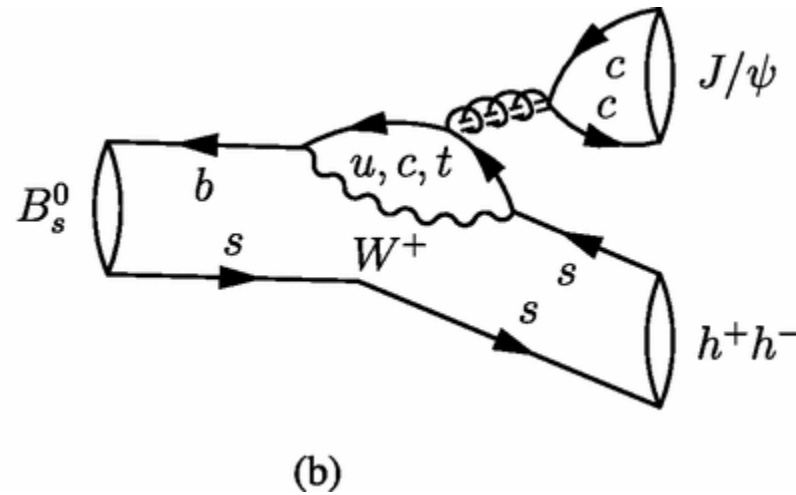
$$|B_q^0(t)\rangle \propto \frac{1}{2p} (|B_L(t)\rangle + |B_H(t)\rangle)$$

$$|\bar{B}_q^0(t)\rangle \propto \frac{1}{2q} (|B_L(t)\rangle - |B_H(t)\rangle)$$

$$\text{where } |B_{H/L}(t)\rangle = e^{-iM_{H/L}t} e^{-\Gamma_{H/L}t/2} |B_{H/L}\rangle \quad \text{with} \quad \Gamma_q = \frac{\Gamma_L + \Gamma_H}{2} \equiv \frac{1}{\tau},$$



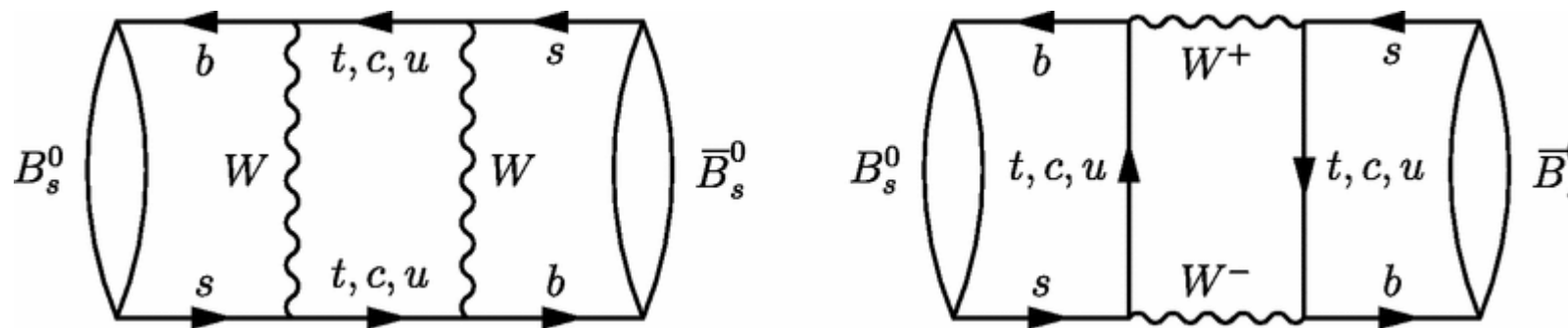
Tree diagram  
(dominant)



Penguin diagram  
(deleted)

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Due to a phase arising from interference of two diagrams

# Theoretical outline: CP violation in mixing



CP violation in mixing:  $B \rightarrow \bar{B}$  probability different from that of  $\bar{B} \rightarrow B$   
Due to different phasis arising from interference of two diagrams

$$|B(t)\rangle = g_+(t) |B\rangle + \frac{q}{p} g_-(t) |\bar{B}\rangle$$

$$|\bar{B}(t)\rangle = \frac{p}{q} g_-(t) |B\rangle + g_+(t) |\bar{B}\rangle$$

No violation if  $q/p \sim 1$ , true for  $B_s^0$  for which  $|q/p| = 1.0003 \pm 0.0014$



Interference between mixing and decay is due to different decay rate between  $B_S^0 \rightarrow f$  and  $B_S^0 \rightarrow \overline{B}_S^0 \rightarrow \bar{f}$

Arising from a phase parameter  $\phi_s = -2\arg(-V_{ts}V_{tb}^*/V_{cs}V_{cb}^*)$  (SM, ignoring penguin contributions)

Very accurate  $\leftarrow 2 \arg\left(-V_{ts}V_{tb}^*/V_{cs}V_{cb}^*\right) = -0.03686_{-0.00068}^{+0.00096} \text{ rad}$

Parameter very sensitive to new physics effects, as the presence of a new particle in the box diagram