

LHC and Tevatron Charm Mixing Results

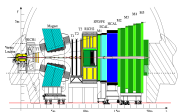
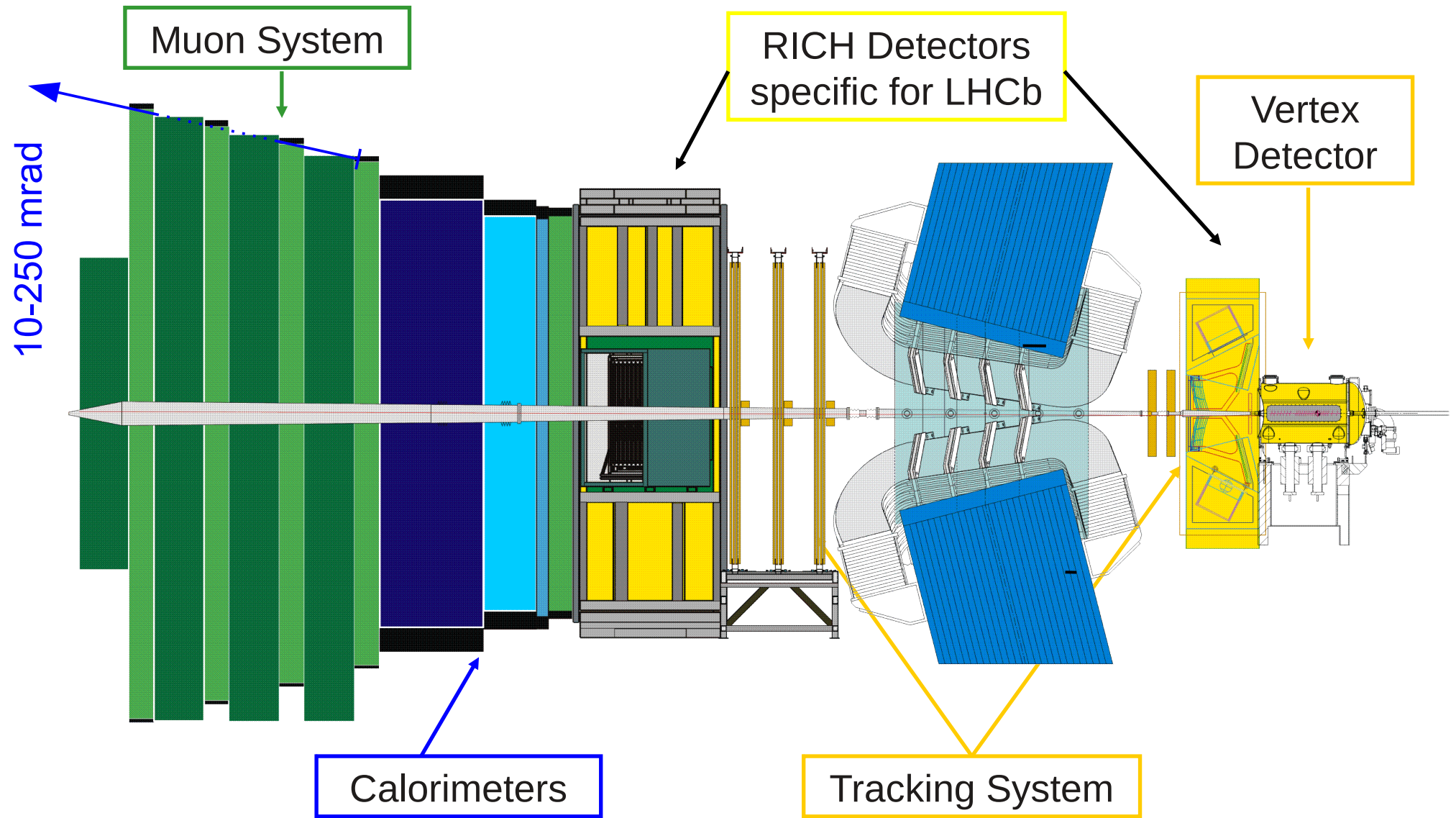
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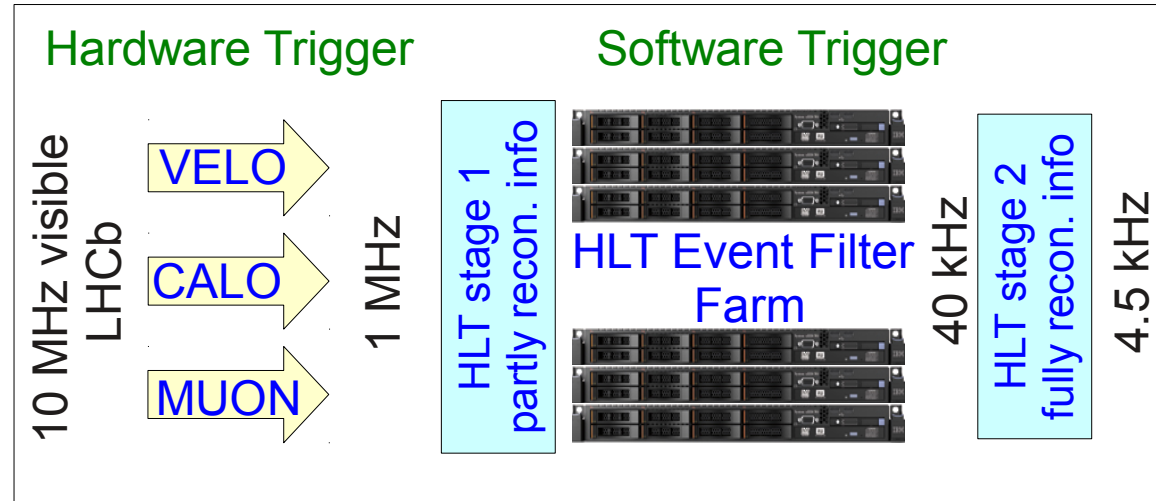
LHCb Experiment



LHCb - Trigger Overview

➤ Hardware Trigger based on VELO, Calorimeter and Muonsystem

- Select on p_T objects:
 $h, \mu, \mu\mu, e^\pm, \gamma, \pi^0$
- Obtain p-p interaction and multiplicity information

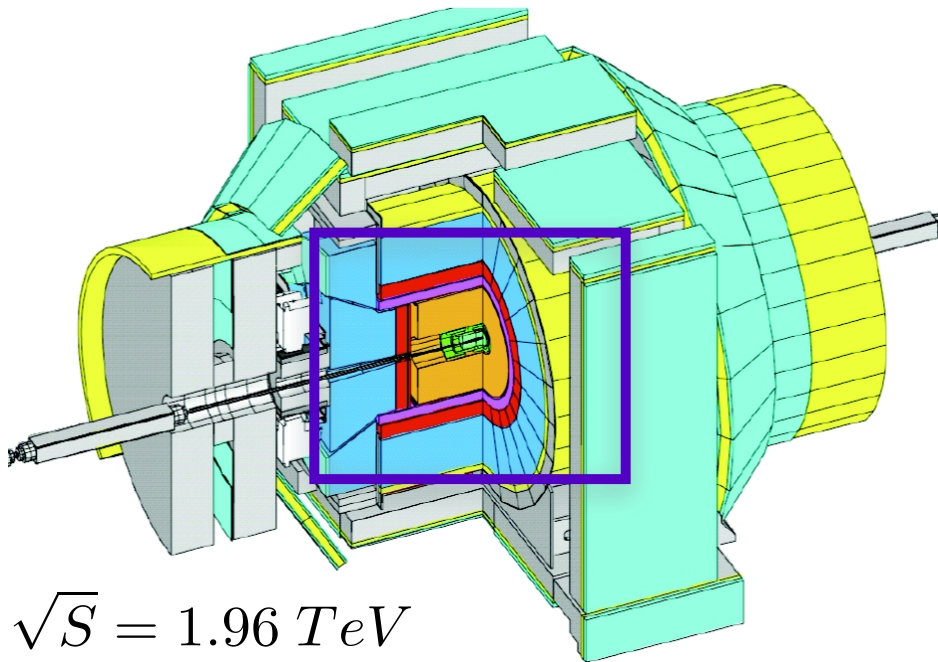


➤ Two level software trigger based on partly / fully reconstructed objects

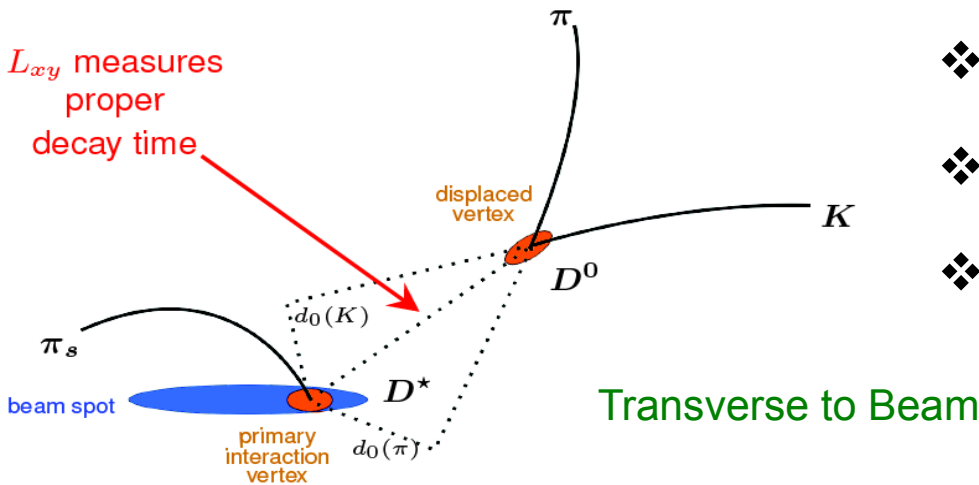
fully reconstructed objects with all detector information

- Confirm L0 trigger objects using **reconstr. and combined** detector information
 - Select on a single track with high p_T and displaced vertices using VELO
 - Use reconstructed objects for exclusive selections and inclusive streams with clear signature
- In 2012 write 4.5 kHz to storage with 2 kHz charm data

CDF II – Setup for Charm



$$\sqrt{S} = 1.96 \text{ TeV}$$



- Find fully reconstr. $D^* \rightarrow \pi_s (D^0 \rightarrow K\pi)$
 - ❖ Si vertex detector
 - ❖ Wire chamber COT in 1.4 T B field
 - ❖ PID via $\frac{dE}{dx}$ in COT

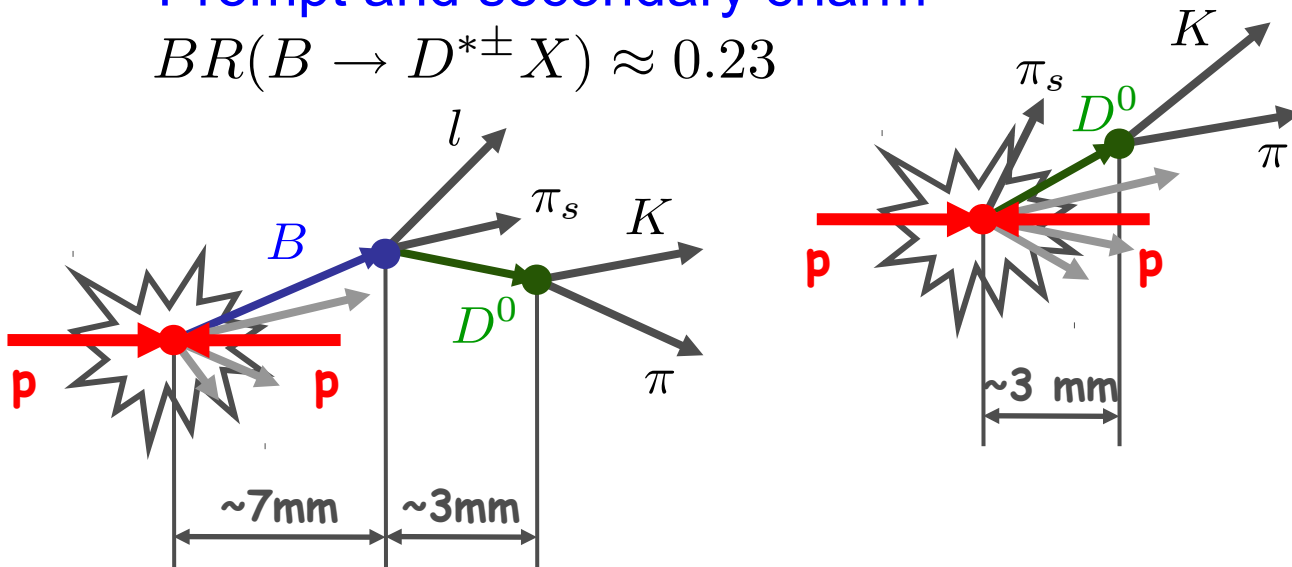
- Trigger on 2 oppositely charged tracks with detached vertex
 - ❖ $p_T^{track} > 2 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - ❖ $|d_0(K\pi)| > 100 \mu m$
 - ❖ $L_{xy} > 200 \mu m$

Charm Production

Huge cross section for heavy quark production at hadron colliders,
 e.g. events within LHCb acceptance: $10^{12} c\bar{c}/fb^{-1}$ and $10^{11} b\bar{b}/fb^{-1}$

➤ Prompt and secondary charm

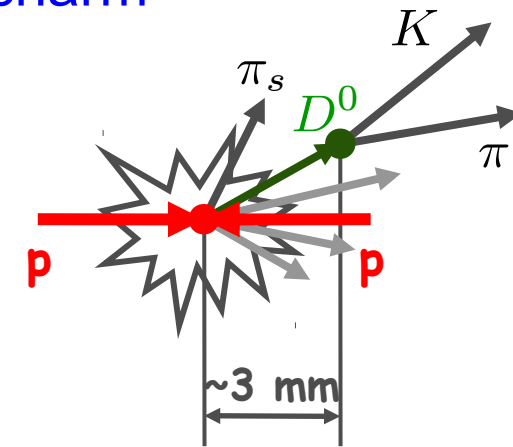
$$BR(B \rightarrow D^{*\pm} X) \approx 0.23$$



PV resolution data (MC)

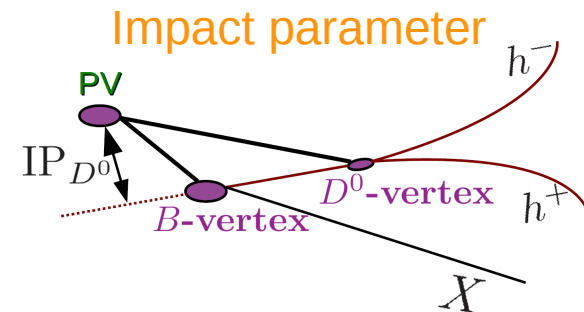
$$\sigma_{x,y} \approx 11 \text{ (10)} \mu\text{m}$$

$$\sigma_z \approx 60 \text{ (50)} \mu\text{m}$$

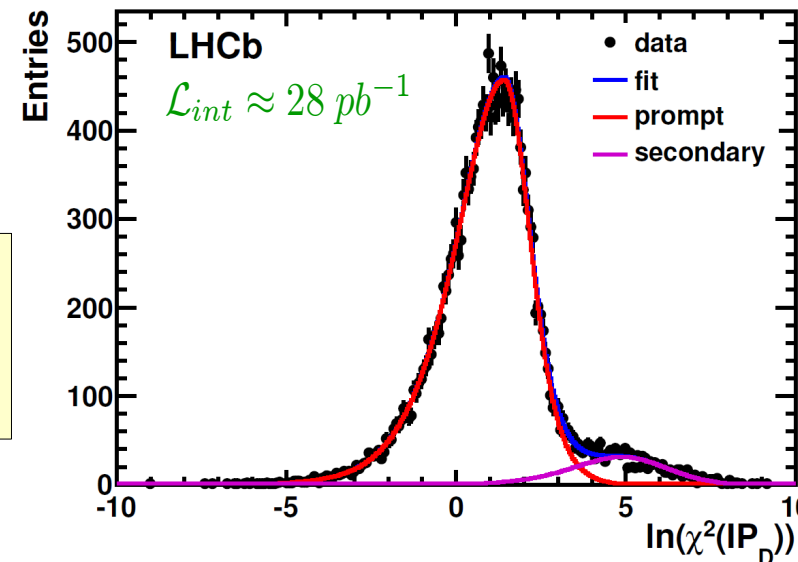


IP resolution, $p_t > 2 \text{ GeV}$

CDF II	$35 \mu\text{m}$
LHCb	$22 \mu\text{m}$



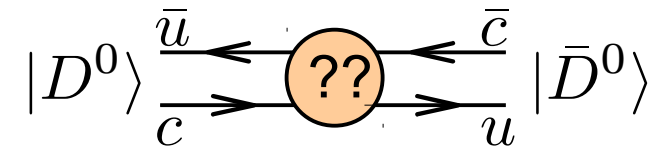
tagged $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$



LHCb and CDF II use prompt charm sample

Mixing Formalism

Neutral D^0 mesons are created as flavor eigenstates of the strong interaction. They can mix through weak interactions.



- The time evolution is obtained by

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} D^0(t) \\ \bar{D}^0(t) \end{pmatrix} = (M - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma) \begin{pmatrix} D^0(t) \\ \bar{D}^0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

- The physical eigenstates are D_1 and D_2 :

$$|D_{1,2}\rangle = p|D^0\rangle \mp q|\bar{D}^0\rangle$$

$$|D_{1,2}(t)\rangle = e^{-i(M_{1,2} - i\Gamma_{1,2}/2)t} |D_{1,2}(t=0)\rangle$$

D_1 : CP even
 D_2 : CP odd

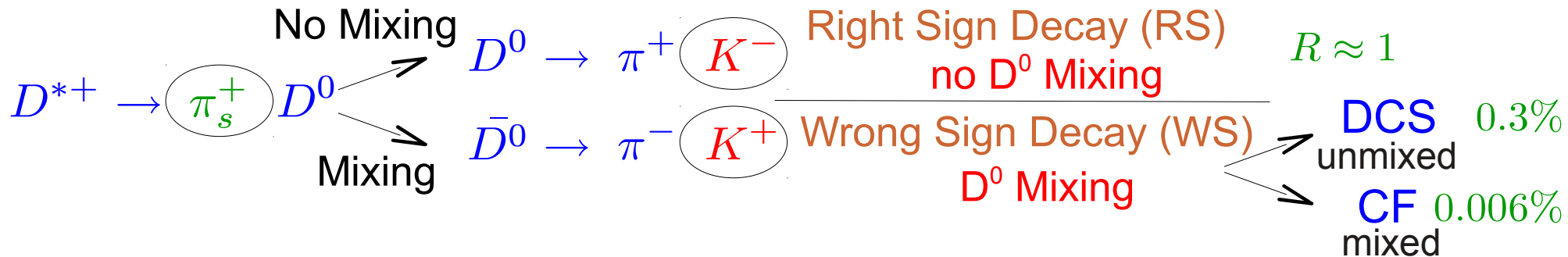
- Define mass and lifetime differences of D_1 and D_2 :

$$x = \frac{\Delta M}{\Gamma} = \frac{M_1 - M_2}{\Gamma} \quad y = \frac{\Delta\Gamma}{2\Gamma} = \frac{\Gamma_1 - \Gamma_2}{2\Gamma}$$

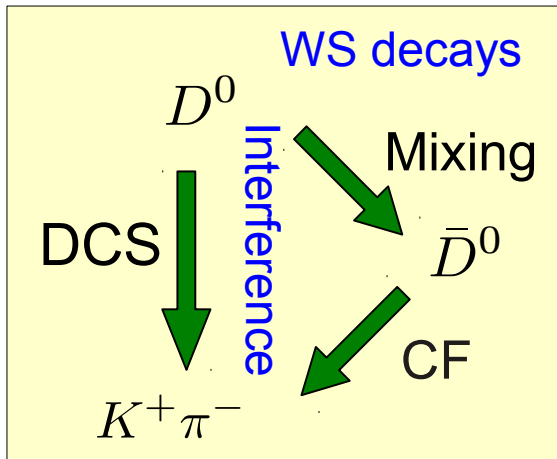
$$\Gamma = \frac{\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2}{2}$$

Time Evolution in $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ Decays

- Event classes - flavour tagging at production and decay time



- Time evolution of the WS decay rate



- assume CP conservation and $|x| \ll 1$; $|y| \ll 1$

$$T_{WS}(t) \propto e^{-\Gamma t} \left(\underbrace{R_D}_{\text{DCS}} + \underbrace{\sqrt{R_D} y' \Gamma t}_{\text{Interference}} + \underbrace{\frac{x'^2 + y'^2}{4} (\Gamma t)^2}_{\text{Mixing}} \right)$$

- $\delta_{K\pi}$ is the strong phase between CF and DCS amplitudes ($D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$)

$$\begin{aligned}
 x' &= x \cos \delta_{K\pi} + y \sin \delta_{K\pi} \\
 y' &= -x \sin \delta_{K\pi} + y \cos \delta_{K\pi}
 \end{aligned}
 \qquad
 y'^2 + x'^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

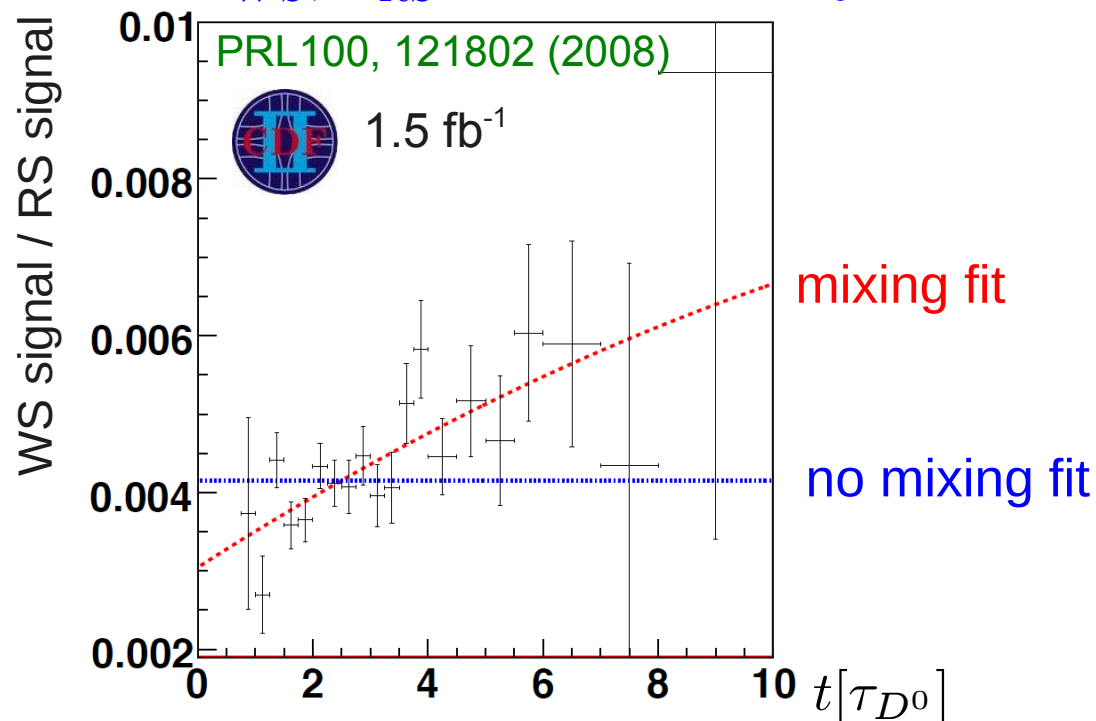
CDF II – Mixing in $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

- Measure the Number of WS and RS D^0 decays in bins of the decay time

$$N_{RS}^{tot} = (3.044 \pm 0.0023) \cdot 10^6$$

$$N_{WS}^{tot} = (12.7 \pm 0.3) \cdot 10^3$$

- Fit the $N_{WS}^{tot}/N_{RS}^{tot}$ vs the D^0 decay time

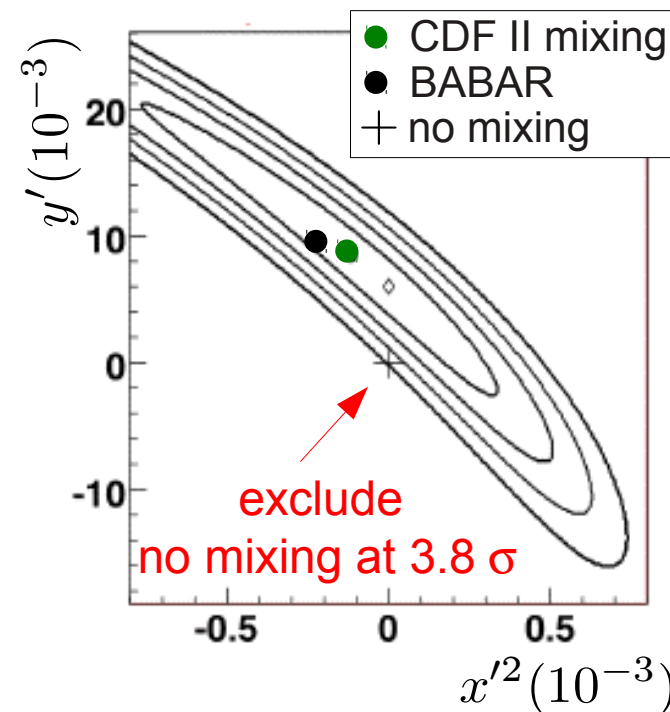


- Mixing Parameter

$$R_D = (0.304 \pm 0.055)\%$$

$$y' = (0.85 \pm 0.76)\%$$

$$x'^2 = (-0.012 \pm 0.035)\%$$



Very good agreement with *BABAR*

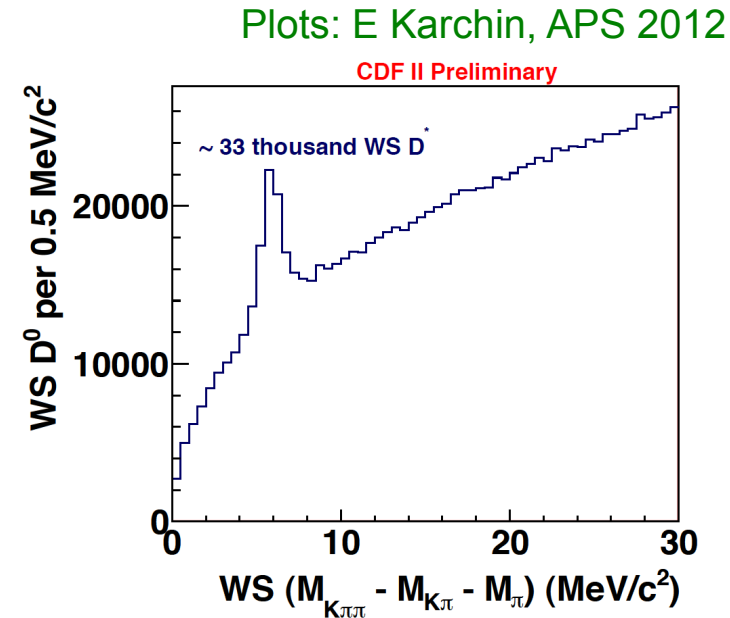
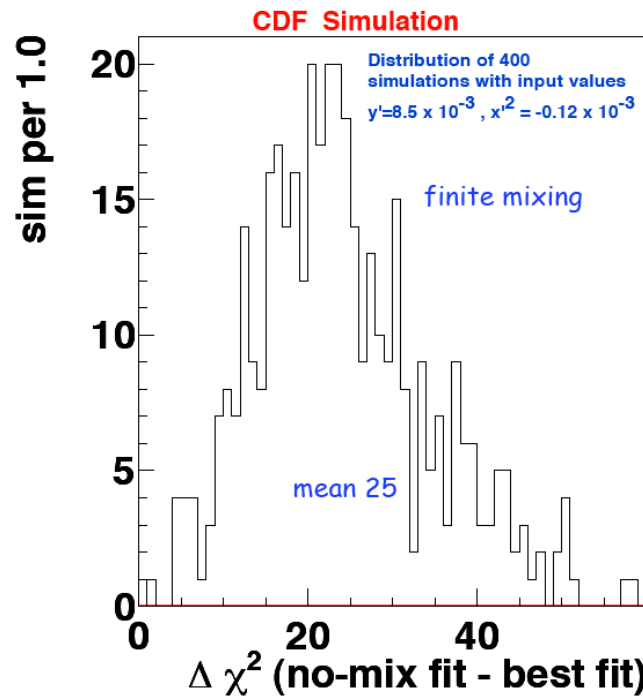
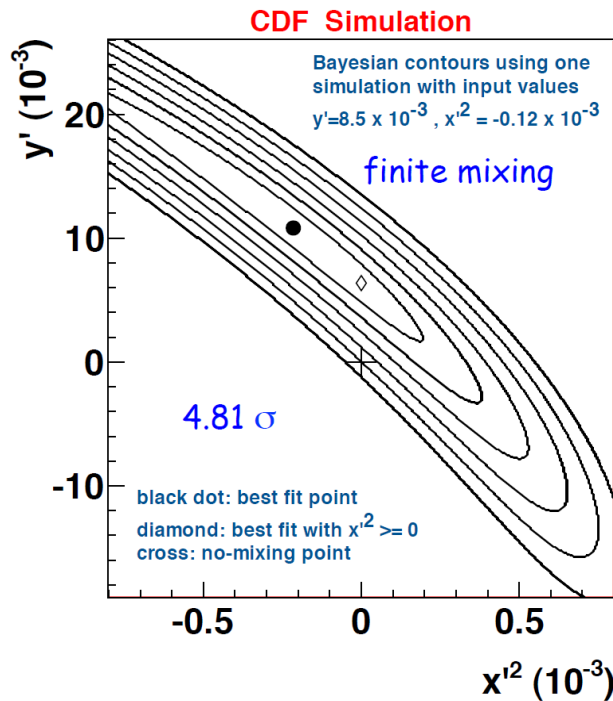
Projection to the Full CDF Dataset

CDF dataset is 9.7 fb^{-1} , but charm trigger is prescaled at higher luminosities.
 Number of D^* s does not scale linearly.

➤ Yields $D^* \rightarrow \pi_s (D^0 \rightarrow K\pi)$

$$N_{RS} \approx 7.5 \cdot 10^6 \quad N_{WS} \approx 3.3 \cdot 10^4$$

➤ Expected significance from simulations



$$3\sigma \equiv 11.8 \quad 5\sigma \equiv 28.8$$

CDF II could reach 5σ significance with the full dataset.

Experimental Results - $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$



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3.9σ

$$R_D = (0.303 \pm 0.016 \pm 0.01)\%$$

$$y' = (0.97 \pm 0.44 \pm 0.31)\%$$

$$x'^2 = (-0.022 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.021)\%$$



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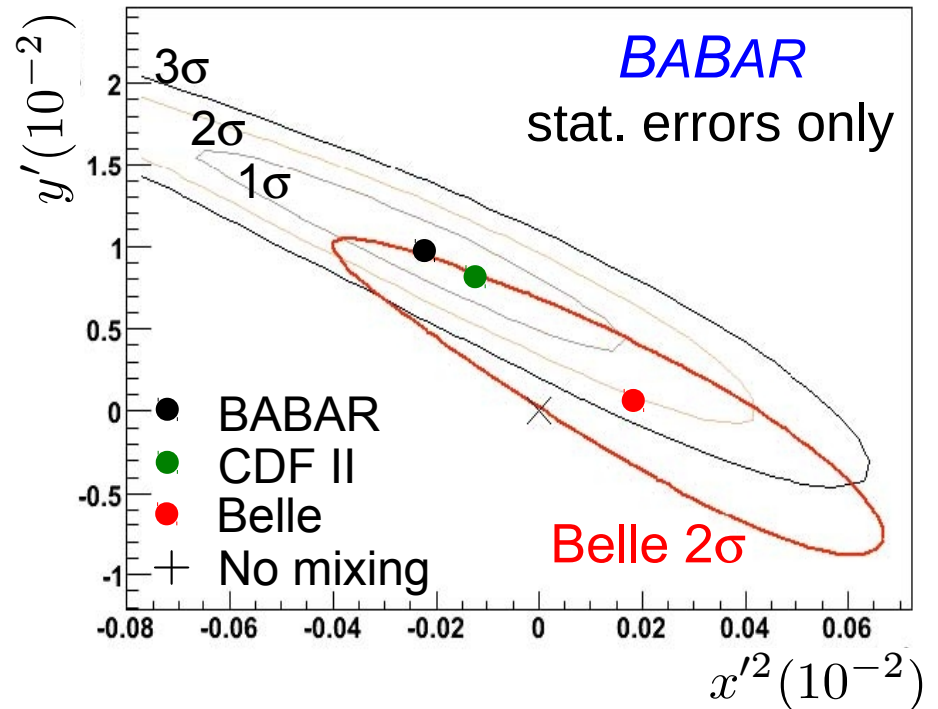
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2σ

$$R_D = (0.364 \pm 0.017)\%$$

$$y' = (0.06^{+0.40}_{-0.39})\%$$

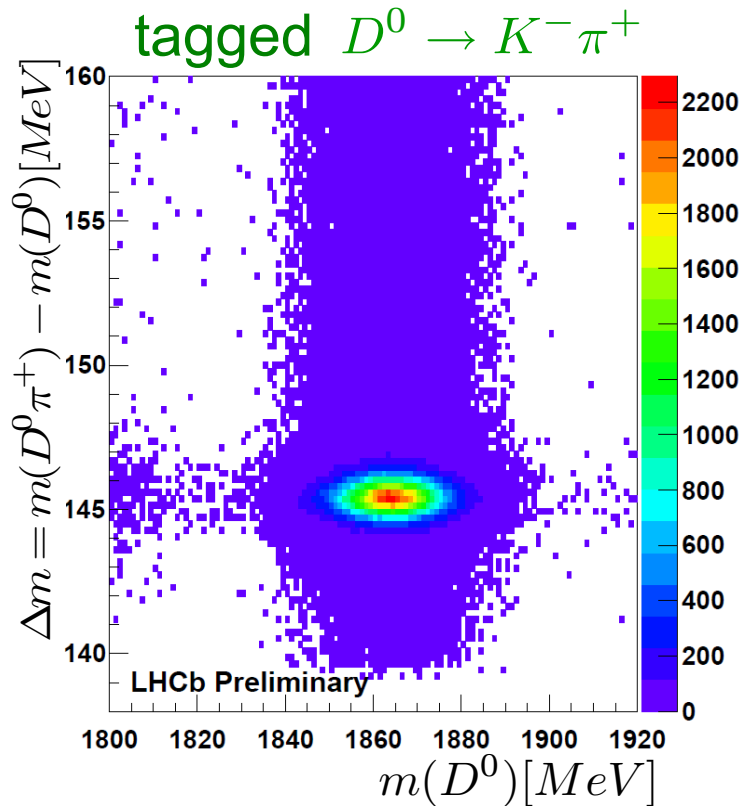
$$x'^2 = (0.018^{+0.021}_{-0.23})\%$$



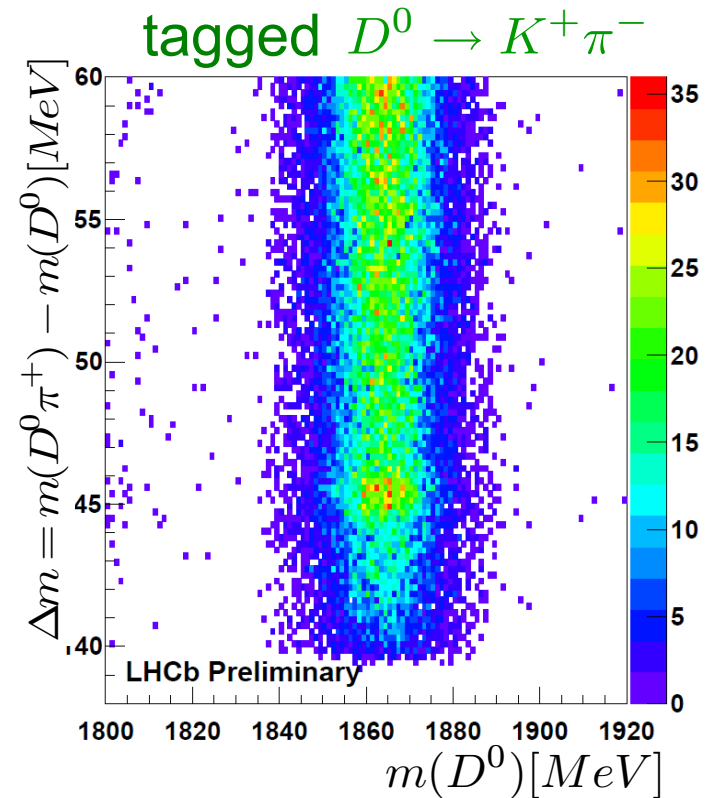
LHCb – t integrated WS/RS Ratio

➤ tagged D^0 mass spectra

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} \approx 34.6 \pm 0.34 \text{ pb}^{-1}$$



$$N_{RS}^{cand} \approx 287038$$



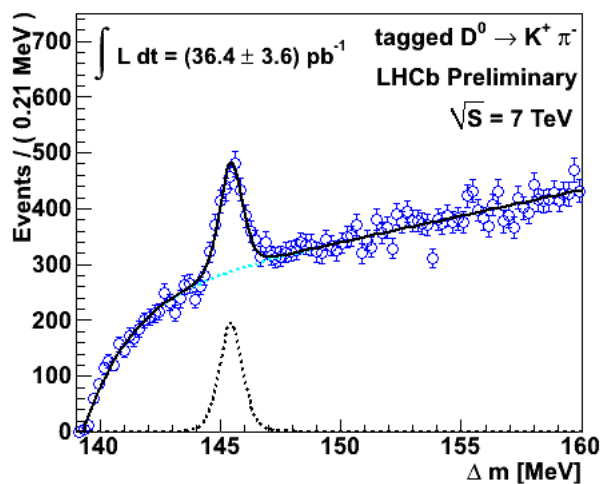
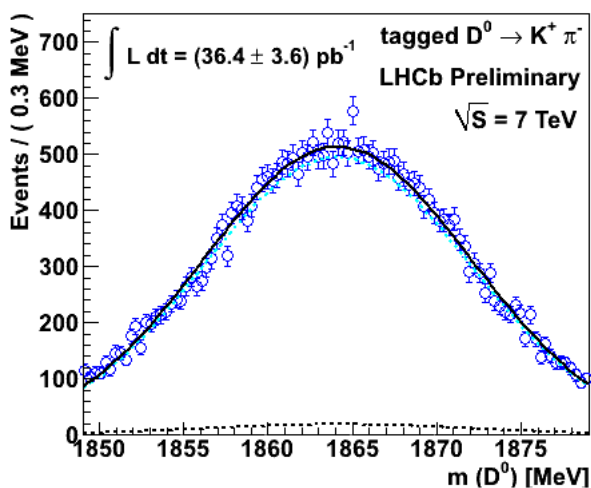
$$N_{WS}^{cand} \approx 34997$$

Signal yield is extracted from an unbinned max. likelihood fit in the $(m_{D^0}, \Delta m)$ plane

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➤ Results

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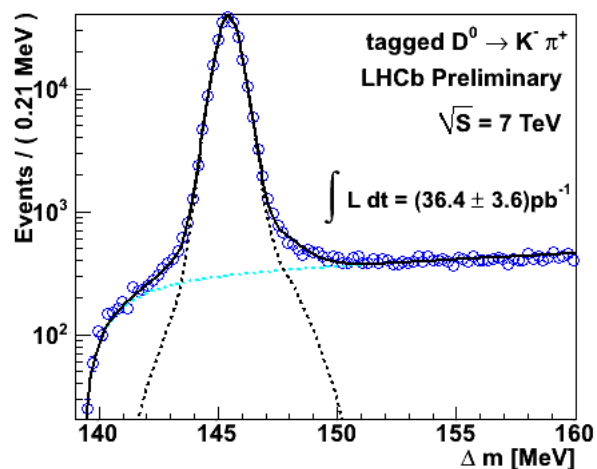
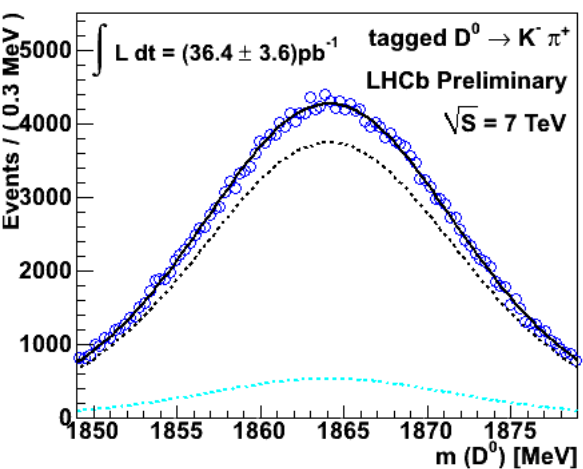


❖ WS/RS ratio

	WS/RS of $D \rightarrow K\pi$ decays (%)
R_{meas}	0.442 ± 0.033 (stat.) ± 0.042 (sys.)
R_{corr}	0.409 ± 0.031 (stat.) ± 0.039 (sys.)
$R(\text{PDG})$	0.380 ± 0.018

❖ Systematic errors

fit model : 0.0035 %
 size of the signal box: 0.0023 %
 double mis-id : negligible



❖ Outlook

Time dependent measurement with
 $\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} \approx 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ in progress.
 $N_{RS} \approx 10$ Million

Measurement of y_{CP} - Introduction

- Decay time of D^0 's is exponential with modifications due to mixing

$$\tau^\pm = \frac{\tau^0}{1 + |q/p|(y \cos \phi_f \mp x \sin \phi_f)} \quad \begin{array}{l} \tau^\pm: \text{lifetime of } D^0 (\bar{D}^0) \rightarrow \text{CP}^\pm \text{ eigenstates} \\ \tau^0: \text{lifetime of } D^0 \rightarrow \text{CP mixed (CF)} \end{array}$$

- A lifetime difference between CP+ and CP mixed states gives access to mixing

$$y_{CP} = \frac{\tau^0}{\tau} - 1 \quad \text{or}$$

$$y_{CP} = \frac{\tau(K^- \pi^+)}{\tau(K^- K^+)} - 1 = \frac{\tau(K^- \pi^+)}{\tau(\pi^- \pi^+)} - 1 = |q/p|(y \cos \phi_f - x \sin \phi_f)$$

$$y_{CP} \neq 0 \Rightarrow D^0\text{-}\bar{D}^0 \text{ mixing}$$

- Test of CP violation

$$A_\Gamma = \frac{\tau^- - \tau^+}{\tau^- + \tau^+}$$

$q/p \neq 1 \Rightarrow$ CP violation in $D^0\text{-}\bar{D}^0$ mixing

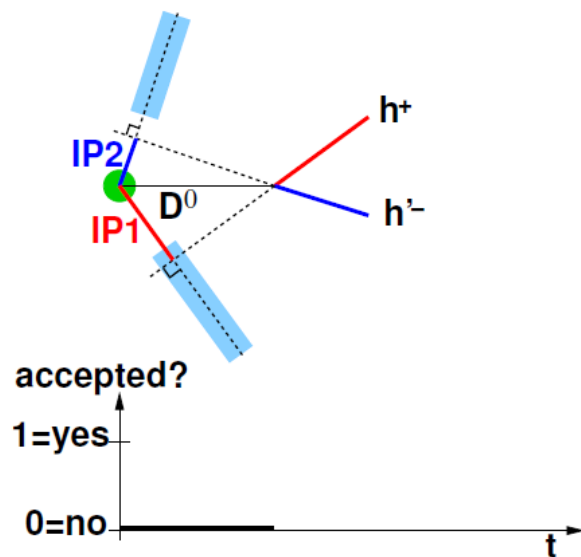
$\cos \phi_f \neq 1 \Rightarrow$ CP violation in interf. between mixing and decay

$y_{CP} = y \Leftarrow$ CP conservation

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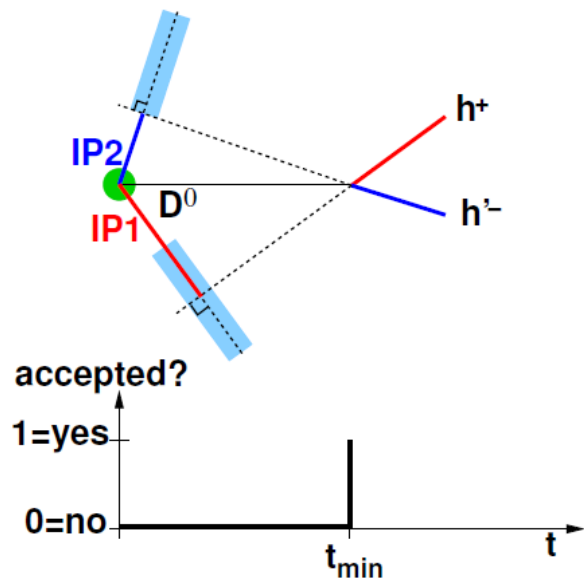


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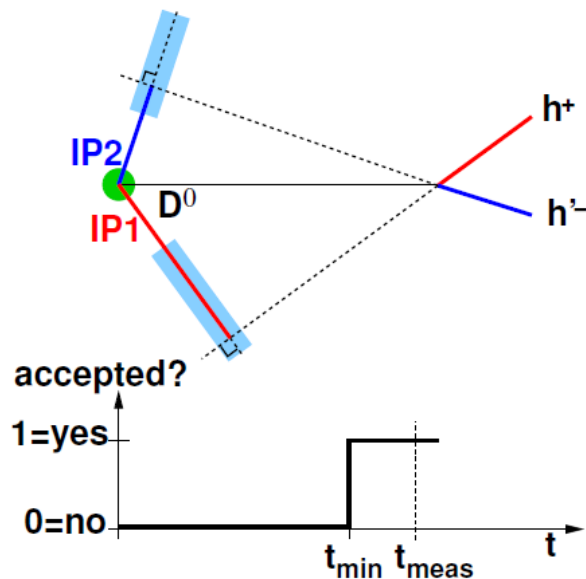
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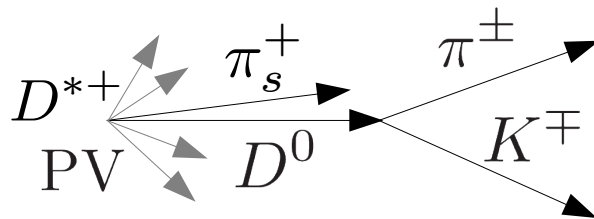
t_{meas} is reached.

Similar procedure can be applied for other selection criteria.

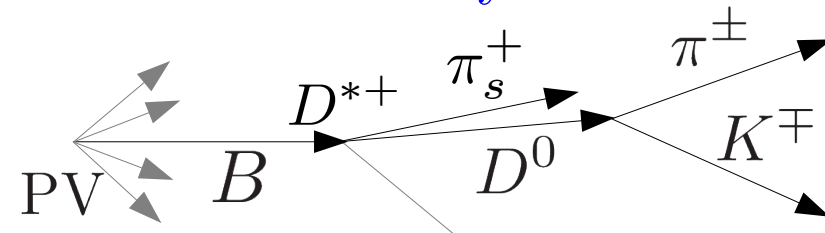
LHCb - $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ Decay Time

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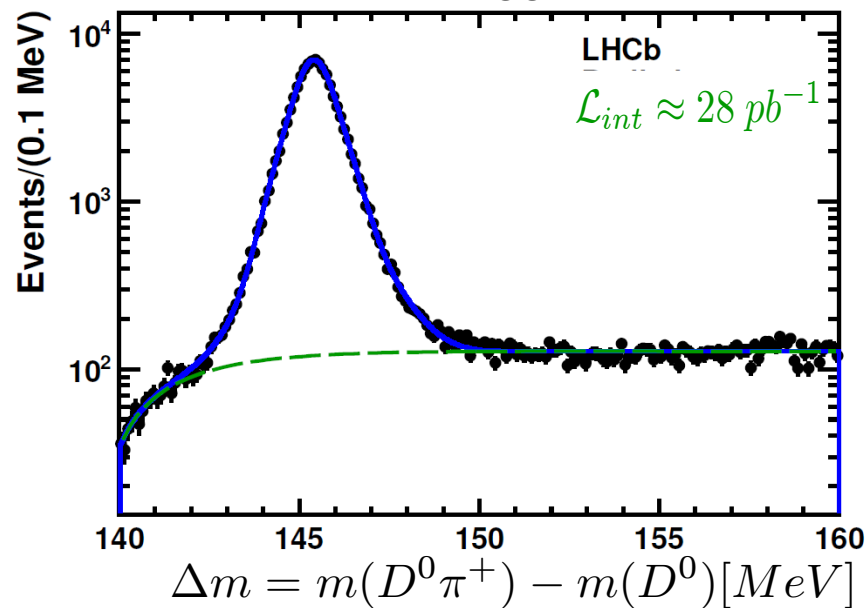
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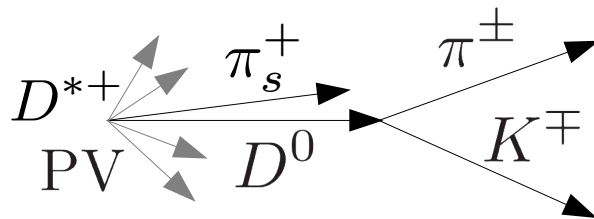
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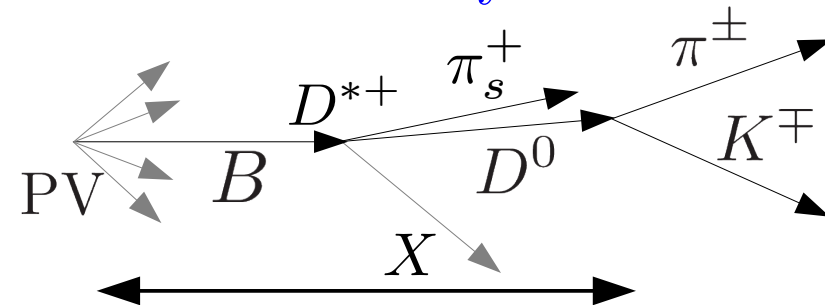
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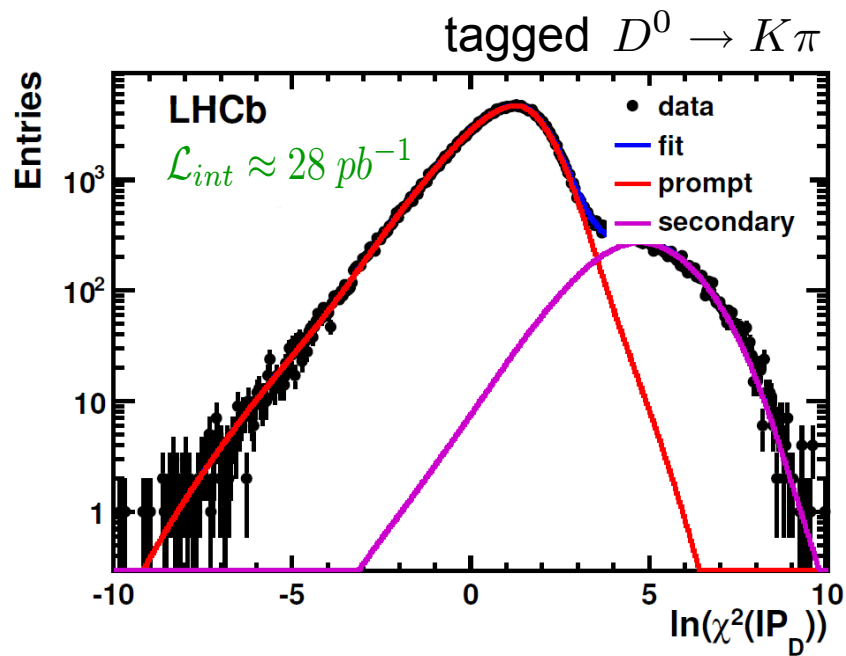
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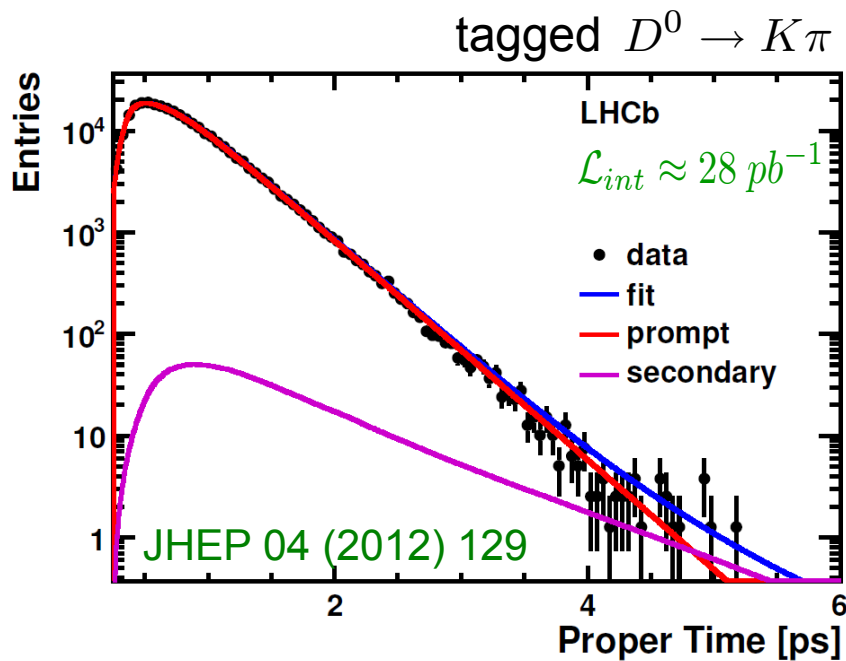
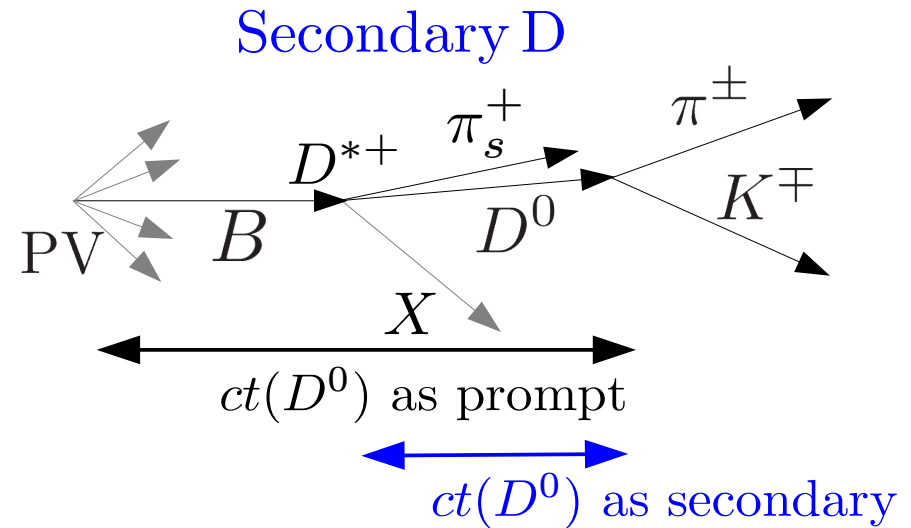
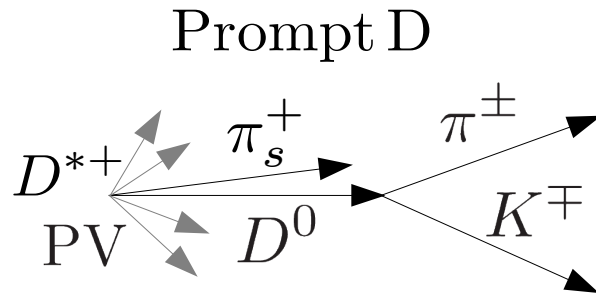
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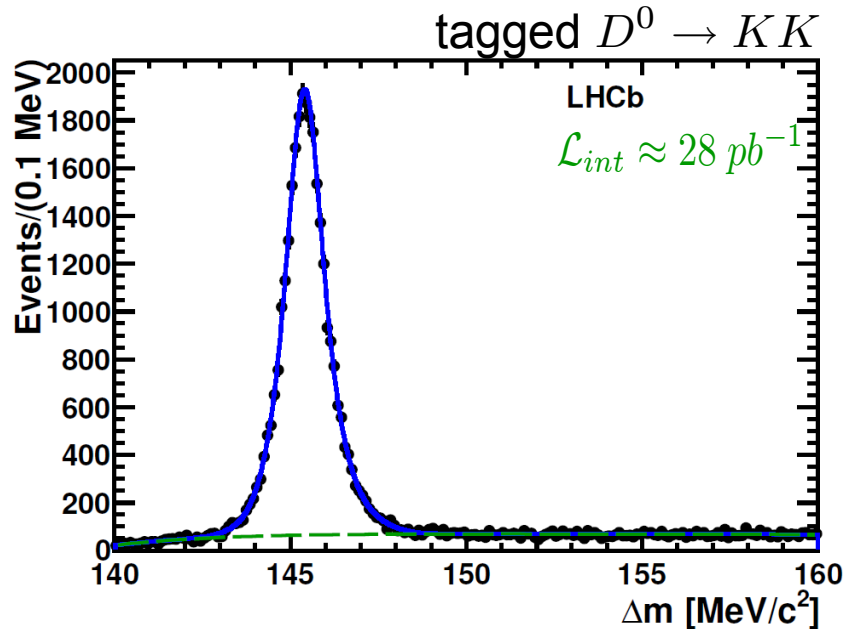
decay time measurement using an unbinned max. likelihood fit:

- lifetime is compatible with the PDG value

$$\tau(D^0 \rightarrow K\pi) = 410.3 \pm 0.9 \text{ (stat.) fs}$$

LHCb - y_{CP} Measurement

- Considering tagged $D^0 \rightarrow KK$ decays allows to measure y_{CP} and A_Γ

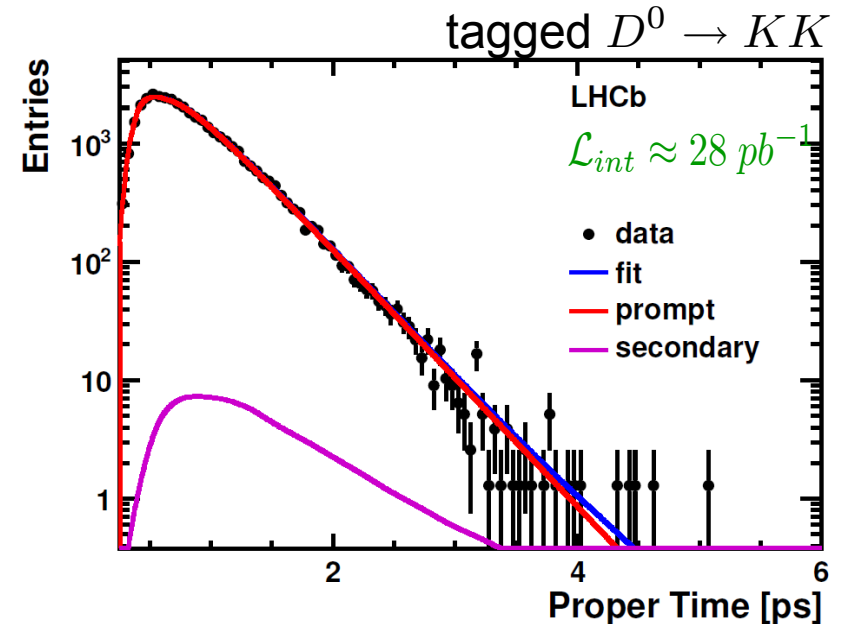


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$$y_{cp} = (5.5 \pm 6.3 \text{ (stat)} \pm 4.1 \text{ (sys)}) \cdot 10^{-3}$$

$$A_\Gamma = (-5.9 \pm 5.9 \text{ (stat)} \pm 2.1 \text{ (sys)}) \cdot 10^{-3}$$

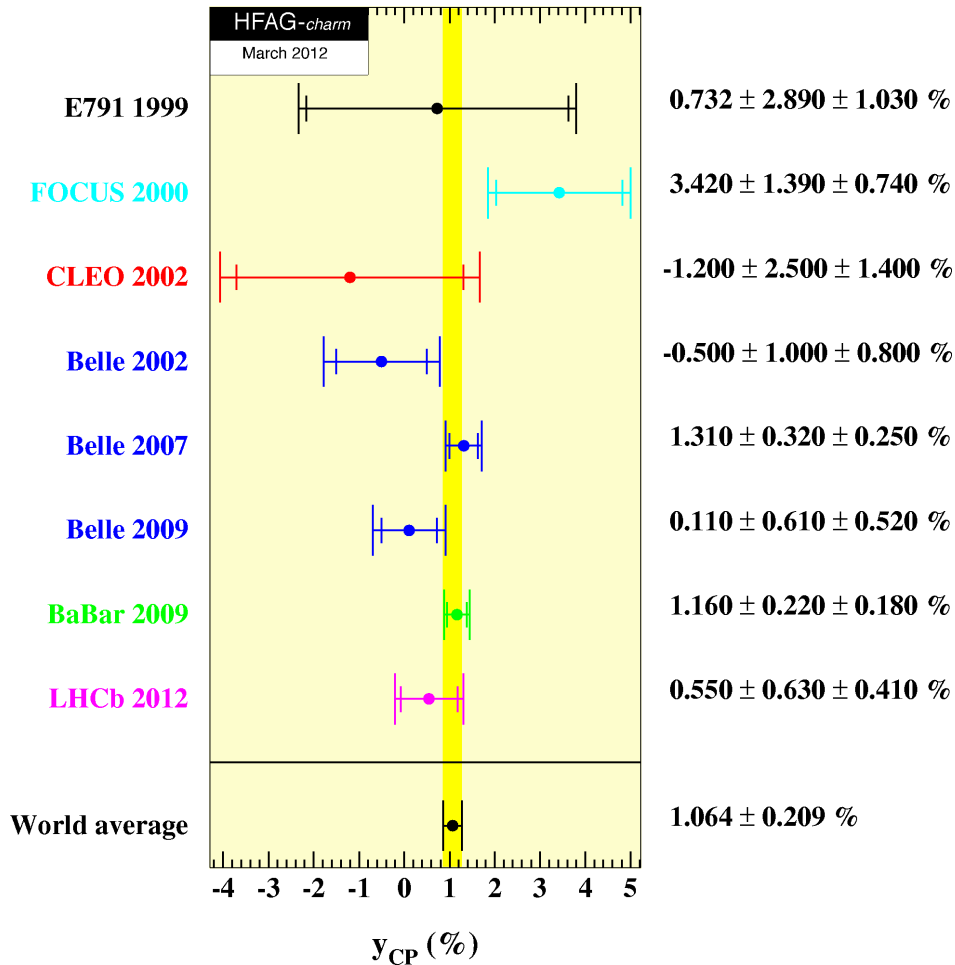
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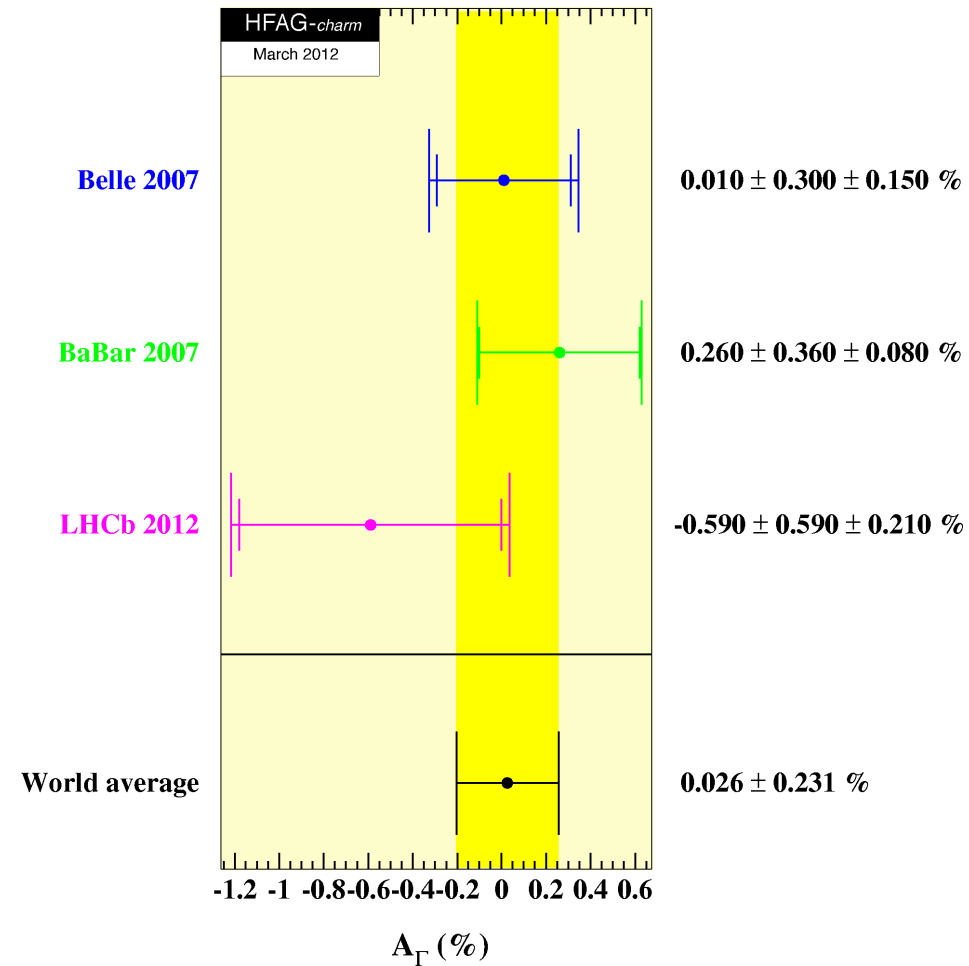
Systematic uncertainties	$y_{CP} (10^{-3})$
Decay-time acceptance correction	0.1
Decay-time resolution	0.1
Minimum decay-time cut	0.8
Maximum decay-time cut	0.2
Combinatorial background	0.8
Secondary-like background	3.9
Total	4.1

Experimental Results – y_{CP}

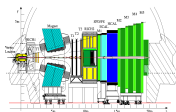
➤ Combined y_{CP} and A_Γ as averaged by the charm subgroup of HFAG



$$y_{CP} = (1.064 \pm 0.209)\%$$



$$A_\Gamma = (0.026 \pm 0.231)\%$$



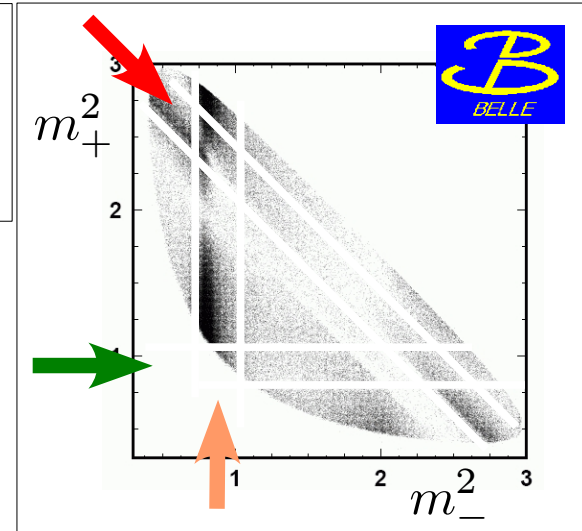
Introduction - t Dep. Dalitz Analysis

➤ Dalitz plot of $D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

❖ Different quasi 2 body amplitudes contribute and interfere

❖ Dalitz analysis allows to determine amplitude and relative phases of 18 modes

CF: $D^0 \rightarrow K^{*-} \pi^+$
 DCS: $D^0 \rightarrow K^{*+} \pi^-$
 CP: $D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 \rho^0$



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➤ Time dependence

$$\langle K_s^0 \pi^+ \pi^- | D^0(t) \rangle = \frac{1}{2} A(m_-^2, m_+^2) [e^{-i\lambda_1 t} + e^{-i\lambda_2 t}] + \frac{1}{2} \frac{q}{p} \bar{A}(m_-^2, m_+^2) [e^{-i\lambda_1 t} + e^{-i\lambda_2 t}]$$

decay amplitude

$D^0 : m_+^2 (K_s^0 \pi^+)$

$\bar{D}^0 : m_+^2 (K_s^0 \pi^-)$

$$\lambda_{1,2} = f(x, y)$$

❖ The decay rates contain functions of x and y

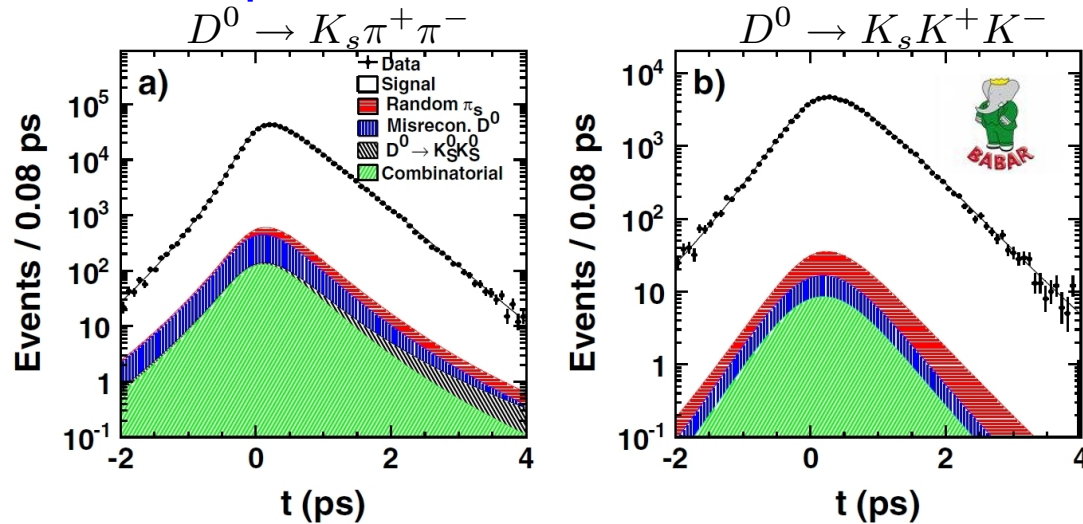
➤ Perform unbinned max. likelihood fit in the signal region to (m_+^2, m_-^2, t)

⇒ extract relative amplitudes and relative phases

⇒ **x, y** and τ_{D^0}

Mixing Parameter in $D^0 \rightarrow K_s h^+ h^-$

➤ Proper time fit results



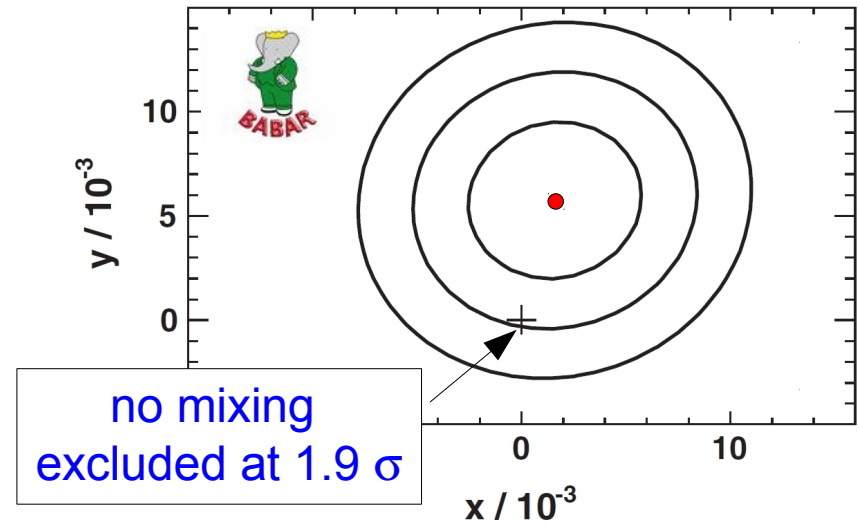
❖ τ_{D^0} compatible with PDG values

➤ Allow for CP violation

❖ Dalitz plot parameters from fit are similar for D^0 and \bar{D}^0 **no direct CP violation**

	$x(\%)$	$y(\%)$
D^0	0.0 ± 0.33	0.55 ± 0.28
\bar{D}^0	0.33 ± 0.33	0.58 ± 0.28

➤ Mixing parameter fit results



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$$x = (0.16 \pm 0.23 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.08)\%$$

$$y = (0.57 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.07)\%$$

Belle 540 fb⁻¹: PRL 99, 131803 (2007)

$$x = (0.80 \pm 0.29_{-0.07-0.14}^{+0.09+0.10})\%$$

$$y = (0.33 \pm 0.24_{-0.12-0.08}^{+0.08+0.06})\%$$

LHCb - Mixing in $D^0 \rightarrow K_s h^+ h^-$

Measure D^0 mixing parameter x and y without influence of a strong phase.

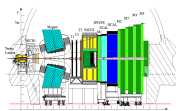
➤ $D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 h^+ h^-$ is challenging to measure with LHCb.

❖ Average momentum of the K_s is about 35 GeV. With a lifetime of 90 ps the flight distance in LHCb is about 2 m.

→ Most of the K_s daughter tracks don't have VELO tracks.

➤ 2011: tagged $D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ decay yields provide sample sizes in the order of the ones for the B factories.

➤ 2012 data taking has an improved trigger scheme for this sample.



Mixing – t-dependent $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\mp \pi^\pm$

- Determine y in a time dependent inclusive analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\mp \pi^\pm$ using a CLEO-c measurement of the coherence factor and strong phase difference

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Treat the SCS decays $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\mp \pi^\pm$ similar as WS and RS

$D^0 \rightarrow K \pi$

Time dependence:

SCS D^0 decays: $r_D^{K_S^0 K \pi} \approx 1$

$$\Gamma[D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\mp \pi^\pm] = e^{-\Gamma t} \left[\kappa_1 + r_D^{K_S^0 K \pi} R_D^{K_S^0 K \pi} y'_{K_S^0 K \pi} \Gamma t + \frac{(1 + (r_D^{K_S^0 K \pi})^2) y'^2 + \kappa_2 (1 - (r_D^{K_S^0 K \pi})^2) x'^2}{4} \Gamma t^2 \right]$$

$$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- \pi^+ : \kappa_1 \equiv 1 ; \kappa_2 \equiv -1$$

$$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ \pi^- : \kappa_1 \equiv (r_D^{K_S^0 K \pi})^2 ; \kappa_2 \equiv +1$$

coherence factor
strong phase difference } CLEO-c

Fit $y'_{K_S^0 K \pi}$ and extract y by using the strong phase $\delta_D^{K_S^0 K \pi}$ with a precision similar to the time dependent WS $D^0 \rightarrow K \pi$ results.

- Tagged event sample for LHCb in 2011 similar as for the B factories

LHCb – t-dependent $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi\pi\pi$

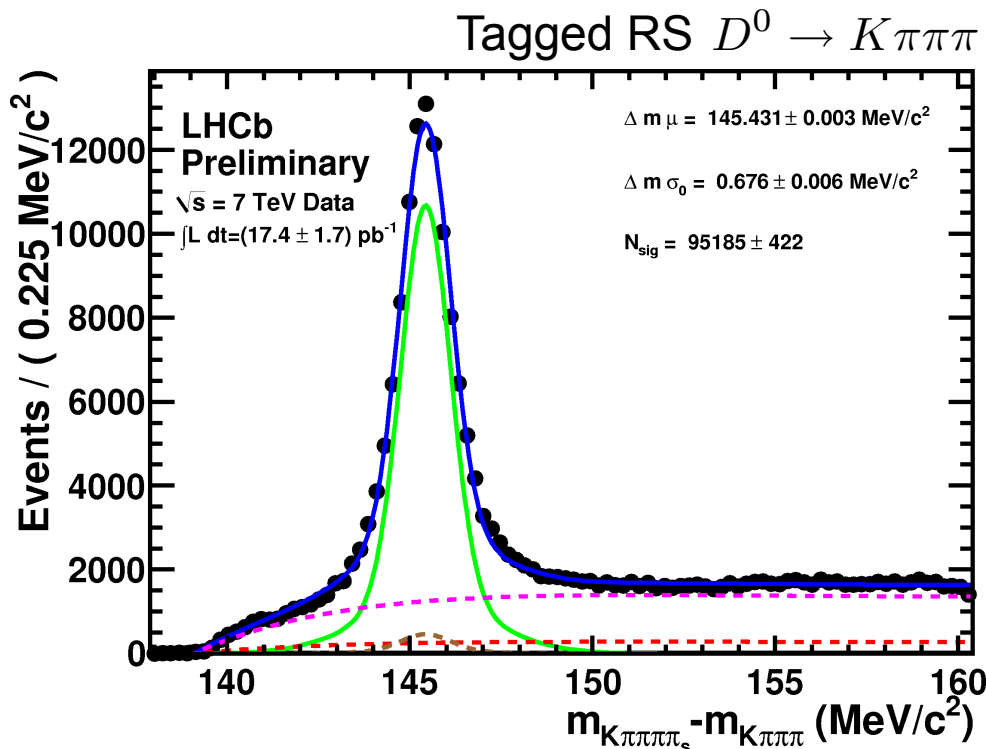
WS rate of tagged $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi\pi\pi$ decays: $R_{WS} = (0.320 \pm 0.018_{-0.013}^{+0.018})\%$



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➤ LHCb: mixing measurement by analysing the time dependent WS rate

- Determine $\langle N_{WS} \rangle_i / \langle N_{RS} \rangle_i$ in bins of the lifetime distribution



- Measure $r_D^{K\pi\pi\pi}$

- Measure mixing parameter y' , x'^2 (rotated by a strong phase)

- In the 2011 dataset ($\mathcal{L}_{int} \approx 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$) several million RS events will be available

LHCb – t-dependent $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi\pi^0$

- WS rate of tagged $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi\pi^0$ decays: $R_{WS} = (0.229 \pm 0.015_{-0.009}^{+0.013})\%$

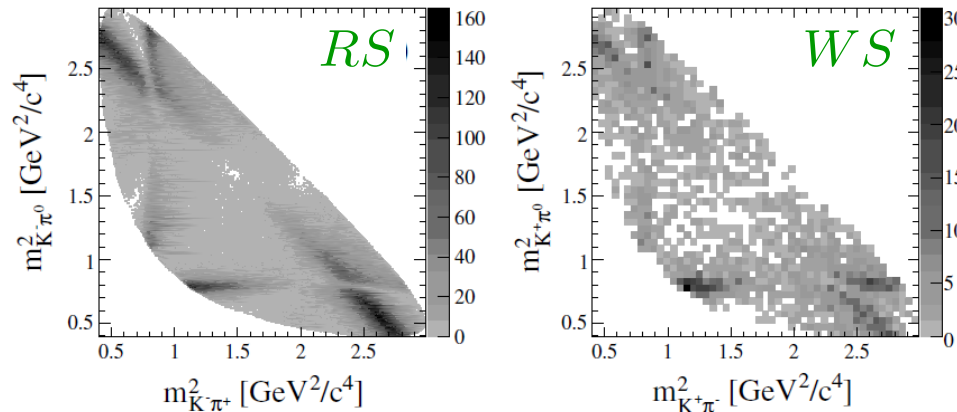


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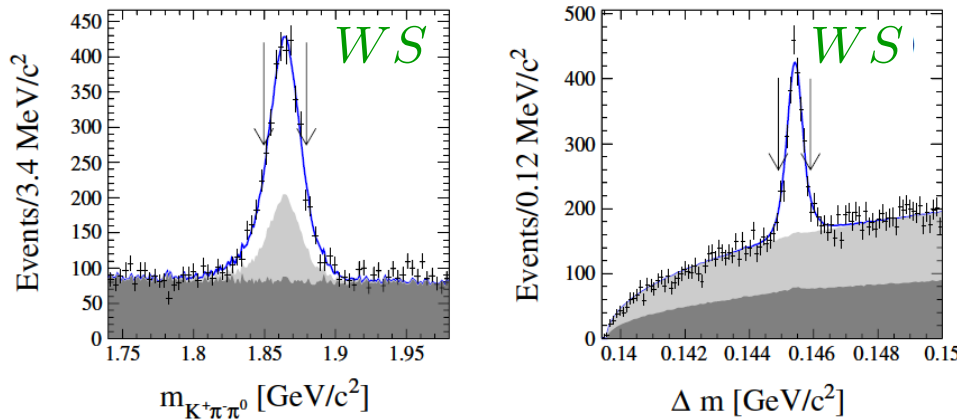
- Mixing measurement (y'' , x'') by a time-dependent amplitude analysis in the Dalitz Plot of $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-\pi^0$



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→ exclude no mixing at 3.2σ



- π^0 's in a dense hadronic environm. are difficult to handle in LHCb

- 2012 data taking has a now a trigger and selection scheme for charm with π^0 's.

Summary

- The full CDFII dataset has the potential of a 5σ D mixing parameter measurement in the time dependent WS $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ decays.
- LHCb started with a y_{CP} measurement to contribute to the current world average.
- LHCb has good prospects for mixing measurements in multibody decays.
- Charm physics at hadron colliders will soon play a leading role in D mixing measurements and take the fine results of the B factories to an even higher precision.
- Measurements at the charm threshold as pioneered by CLEO-c are needed to determine strong phases and coherence factors.

