



***Belle II Status***  
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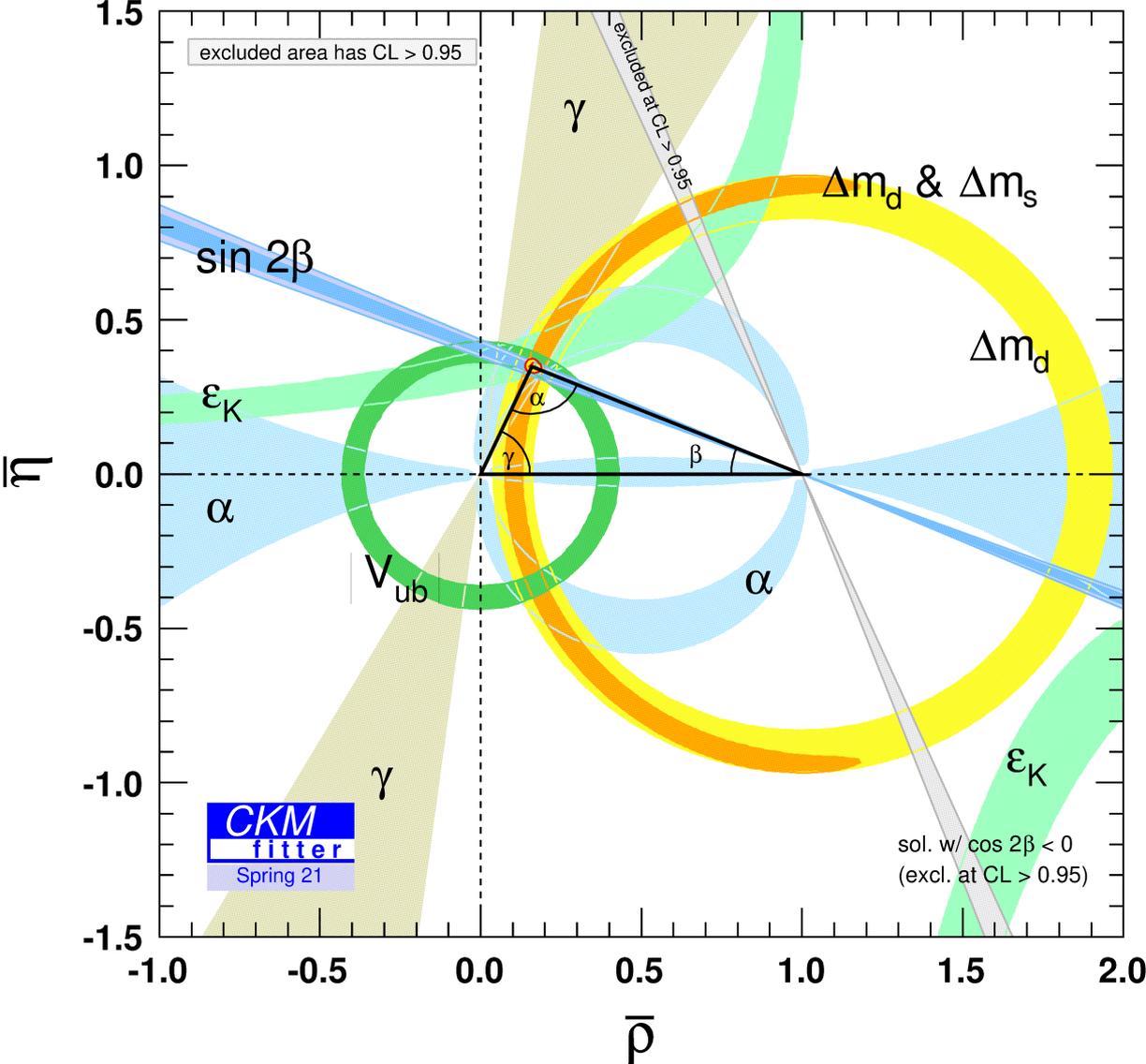
**9.- Light lepton ( $\mu/e$ ) universality**

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Why is matter so predominant in the universe ?



# Why Matter so predominant in the universe ?



# What is dark matter ?

Sterile neutrino ?

WIMP ?

Qball ?



# Beyond the standard Model ?



The SM describe very well the physics, but the whole picture seem.... Suspicious ...

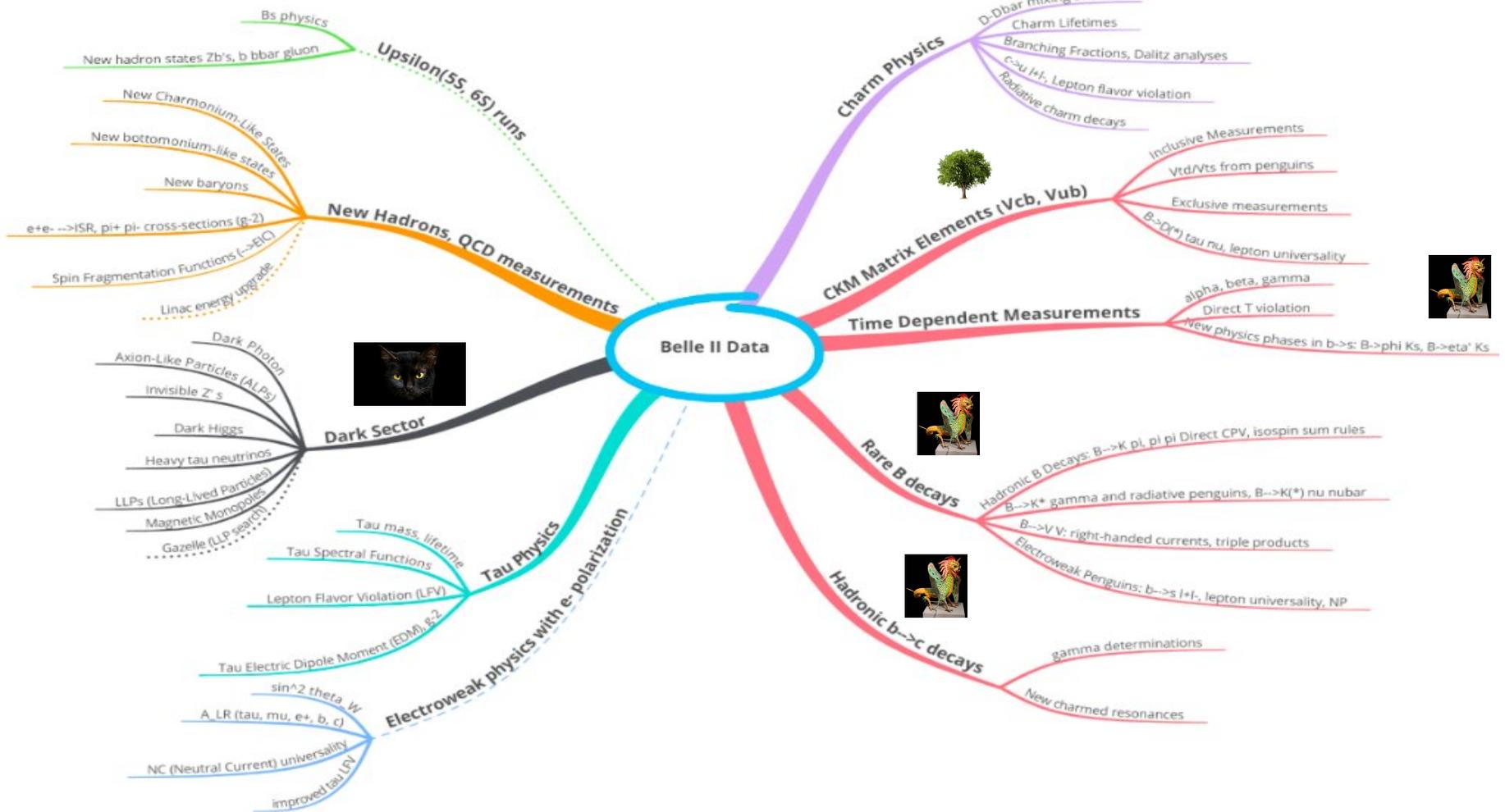
# Belle II collaboration



26 countries and regions, 123 institutions, ~1100 collaborators

Armenia (1), Australia (3), Austria (1), Canada (5), China (12), Czechia (1), France (3), Germany (12), India (9), Israel (1), Italy (9), Japan (16), Malaysia (1), Mexico (3), Poland (1), Russia (6), Saudi Arabia (1), Slovenia (2), South Korea (9), Spain (1), Taiwan (3), Thailand (2), Turkey (1), USA (18), Ukraine (1), Viet Nam (1).

# Belle II physics



40 new results past year, 20 accepted and submitted papers. More on the way

# From KEKB to SuperKEKB

Instantaneous Target Luminosity:  $L = 6 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

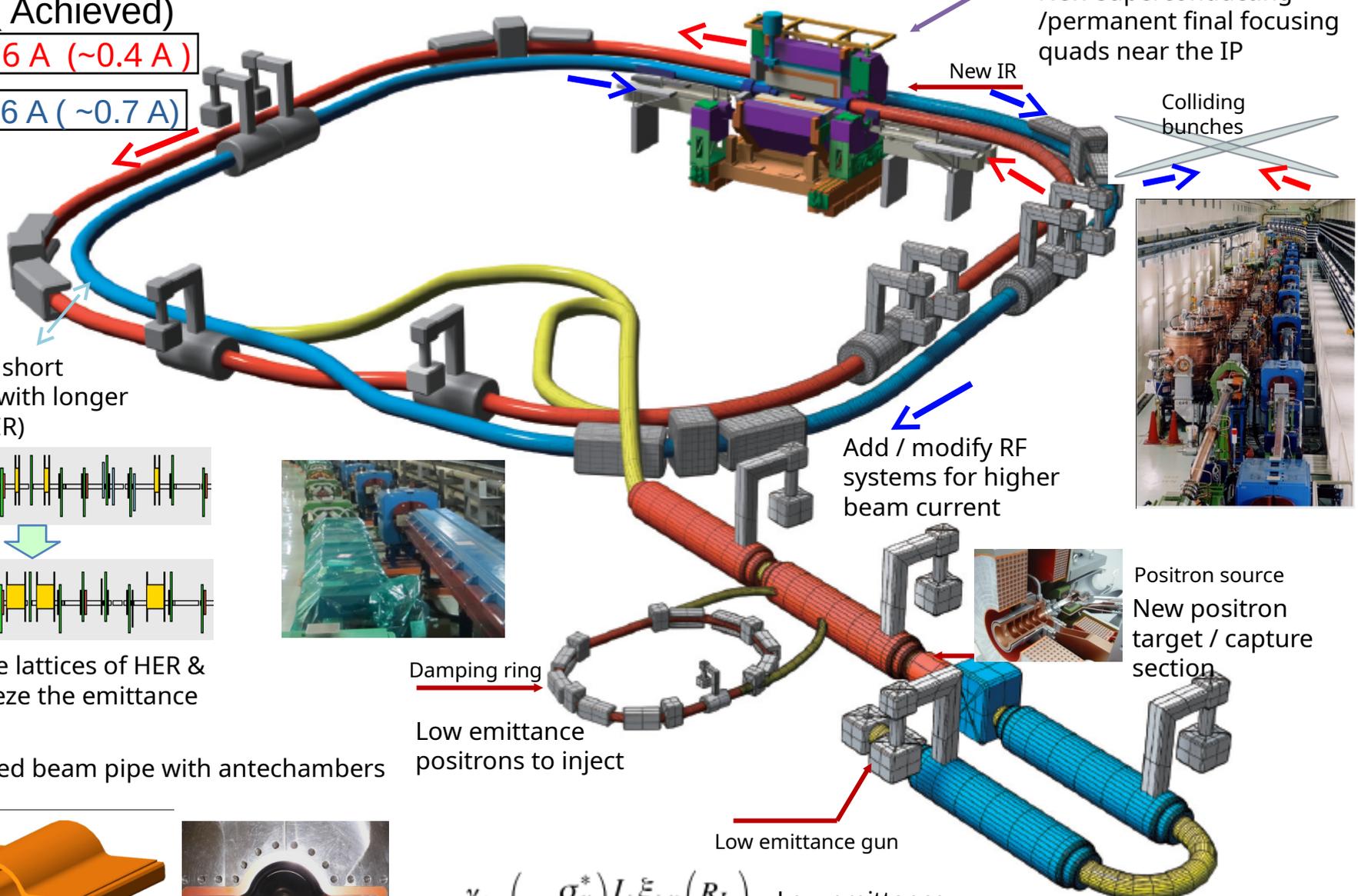
Achieved Luminosity (world record):  $L = 4.7 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

**Belle II**

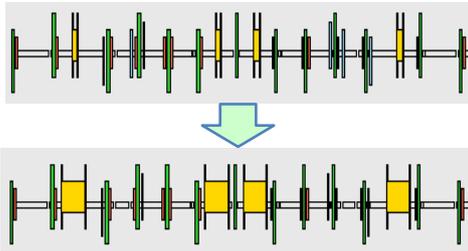
Target (Achieved)

$e^+$  4GeV 3.6 A (~0.4 A)

$e^-$  7GeV 2.6 A (~0.7 A)

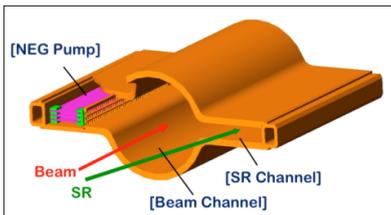


Replace short dipoles with longer ones (LER)



Redesign the lattices of HER & LER to squeeze the emittance

TiN-coated beam pipe with antechambers



Damping ring

Low emittance positrons to inject

Low emittance gun

$$L = \frac{\gamma_{\pm}}{2e r_e} \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma_y^*}{\sigma_x^*} \right) \frac{I_{\pm} \xi_{\pm y}}{\beta_y^*} \left( \frac{R_L}{R_y} \right)$$

Low emittance electrons to inject

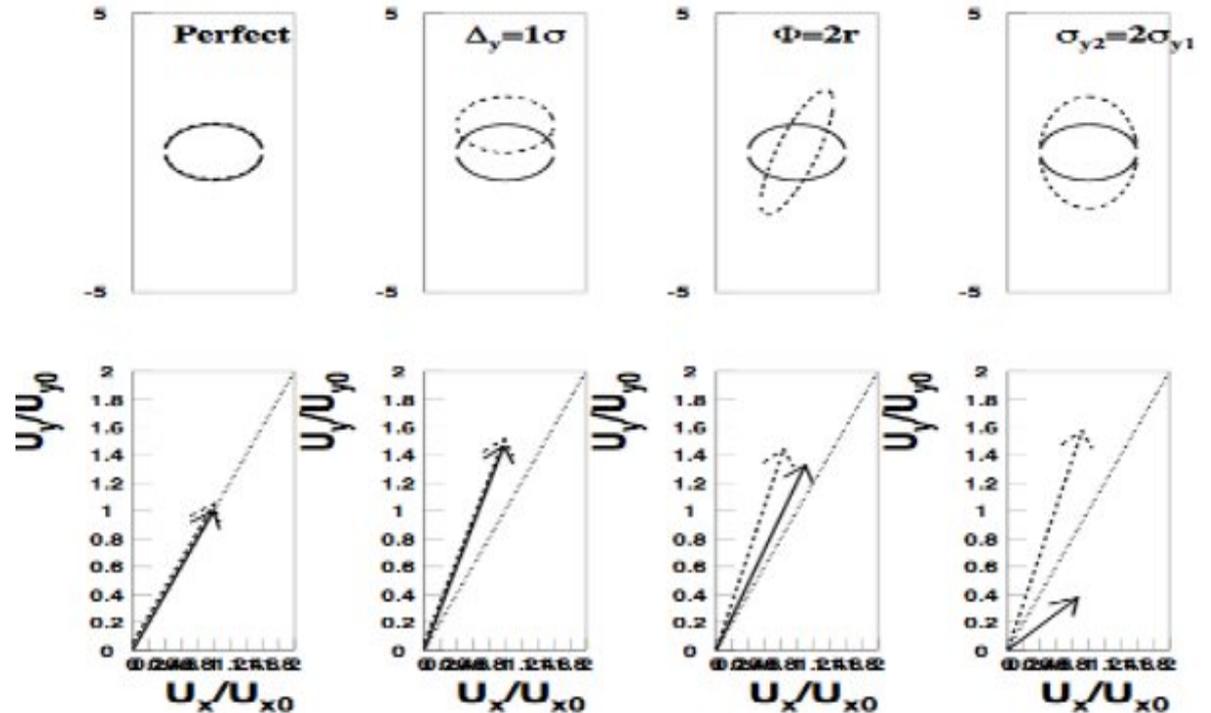
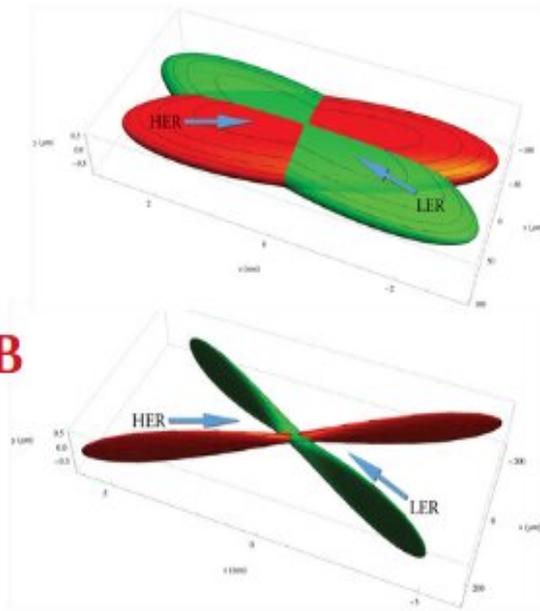
# Large Angle Beamstrahlung Monitor (LABM)

- Bremsstrahlung light produced by the interaction of one beam and the electromagnetic field of the other. Useful for **nanobeam**, Based in measurement of polarization.

KEKB

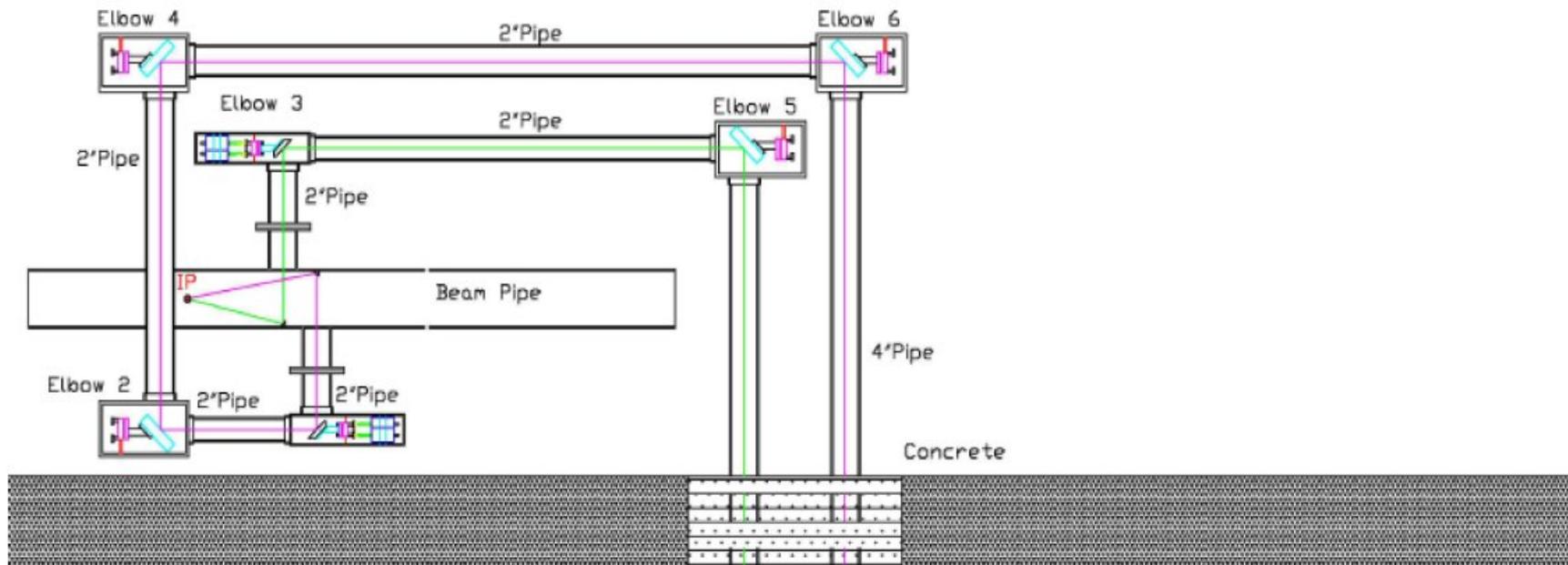


SuperKEKB



Some examples of large angle BMST pattern recognition (collinear beams case)  
3 asymmetries are defined (4 are possible)

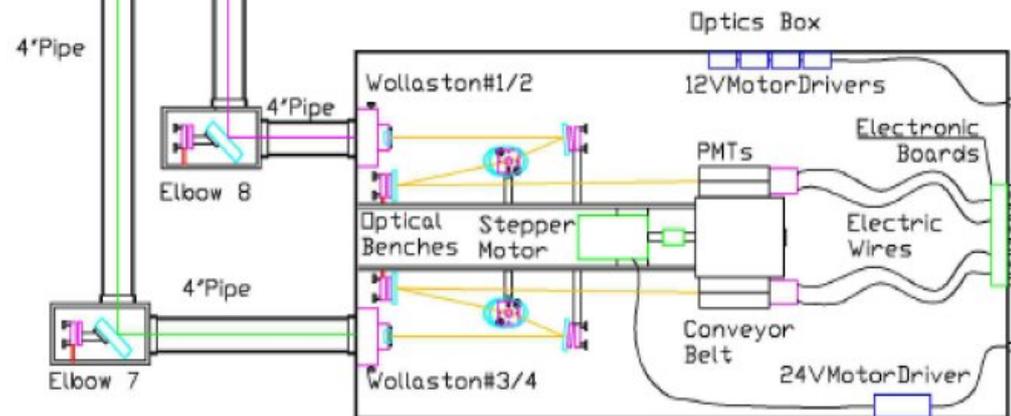
# LABM diagram



Four telescopes

Two for High Energy Ring e-  
Two for Low Energy Ring e+

32 PMT





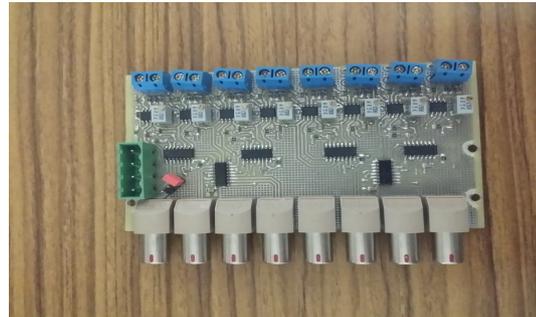
Connection to beam line



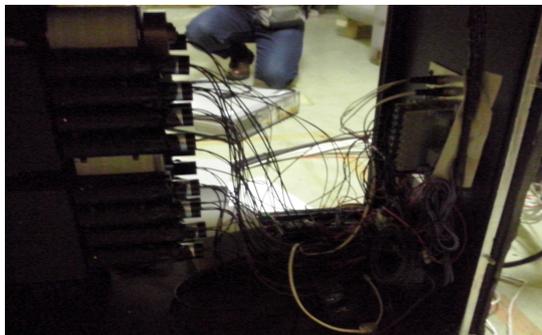
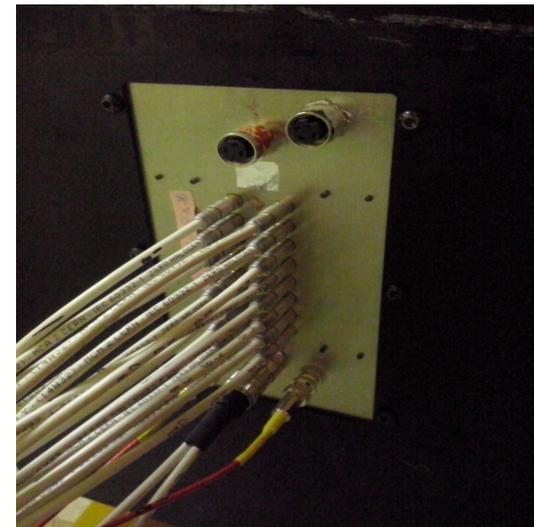
Optical line (4)



Scaler, power supply (16)

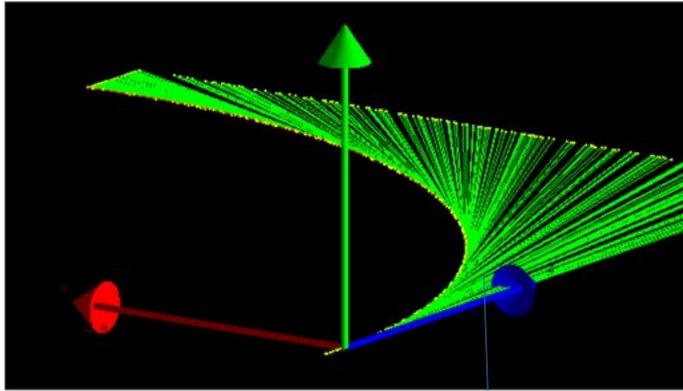


Digitization card (4)

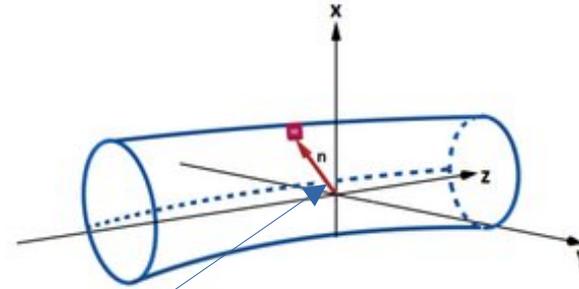


Photomultipliers (32)

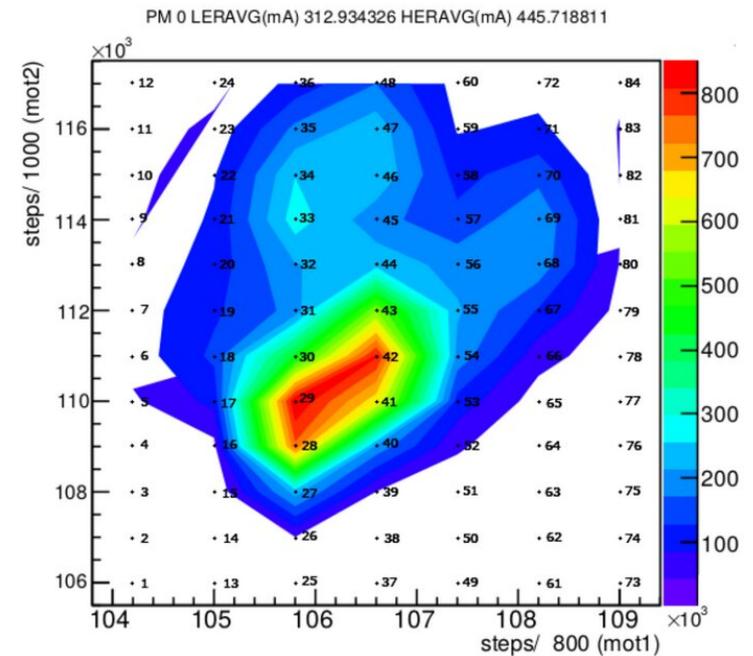
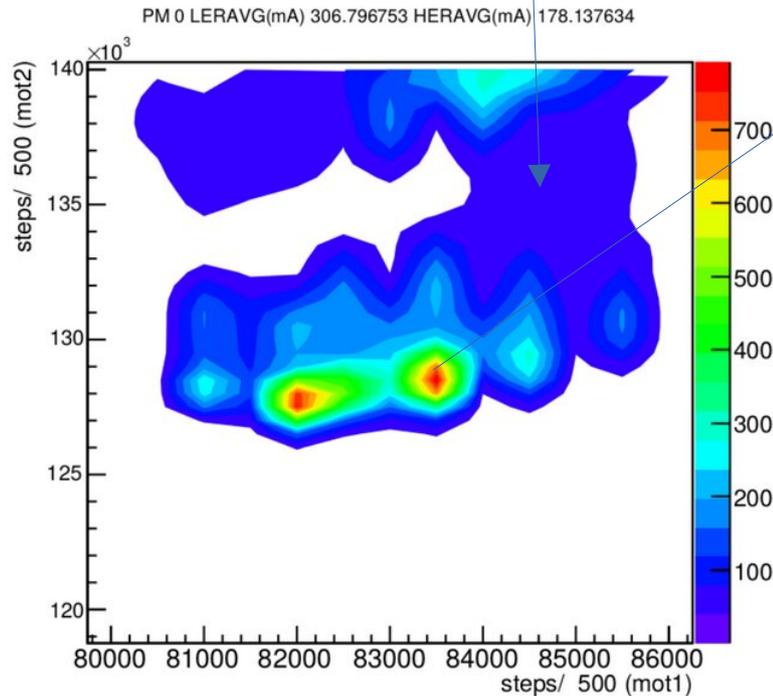
# LABM scans



Synchrotron radiation (Geant4 )

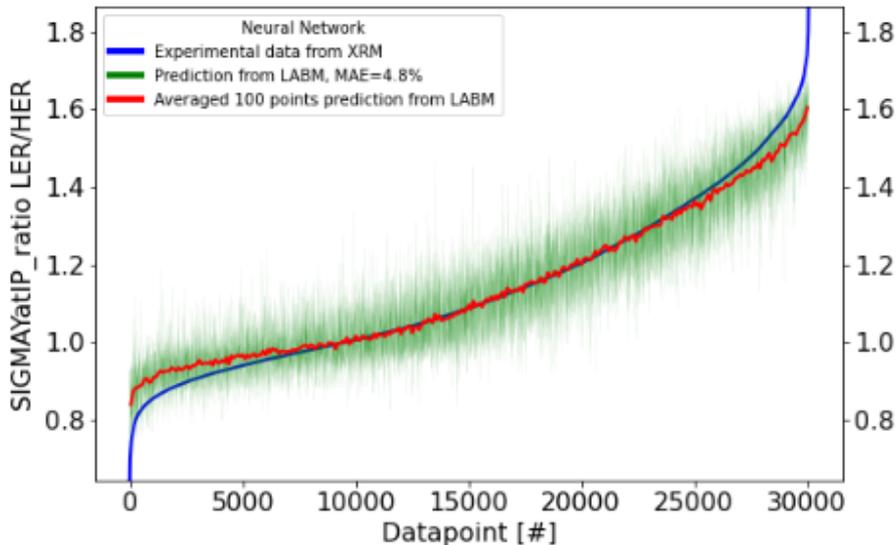
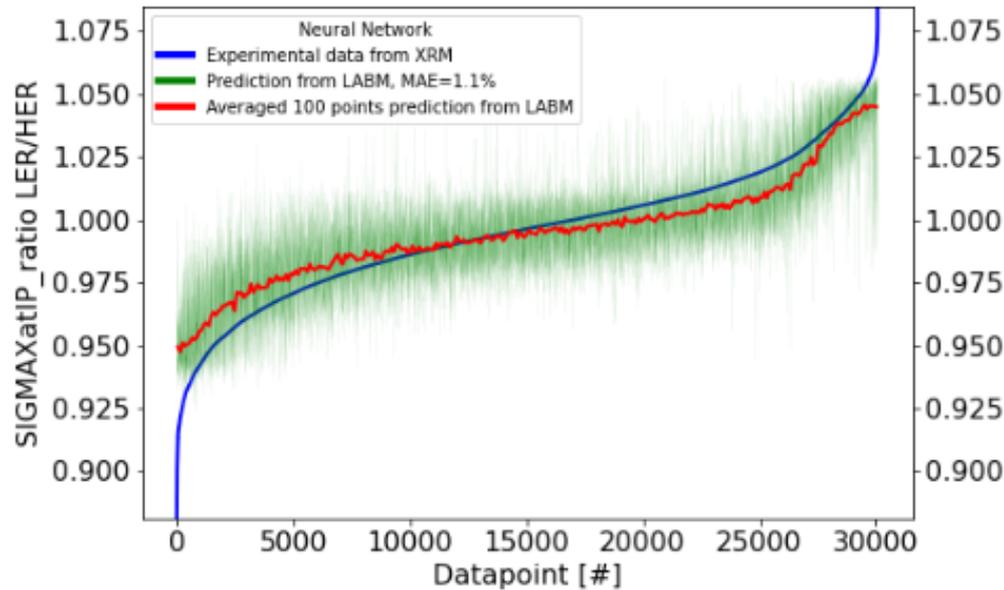


Beamstrahlung radiation (kind of a laser Beam )



Heat map for signal ( parallel vs vertical position of the primary mirror ) Blue synchrotron radiation, Red Beamstrahlung radiation .

## Analysis of data using a neural network



We had the first publication in 2022

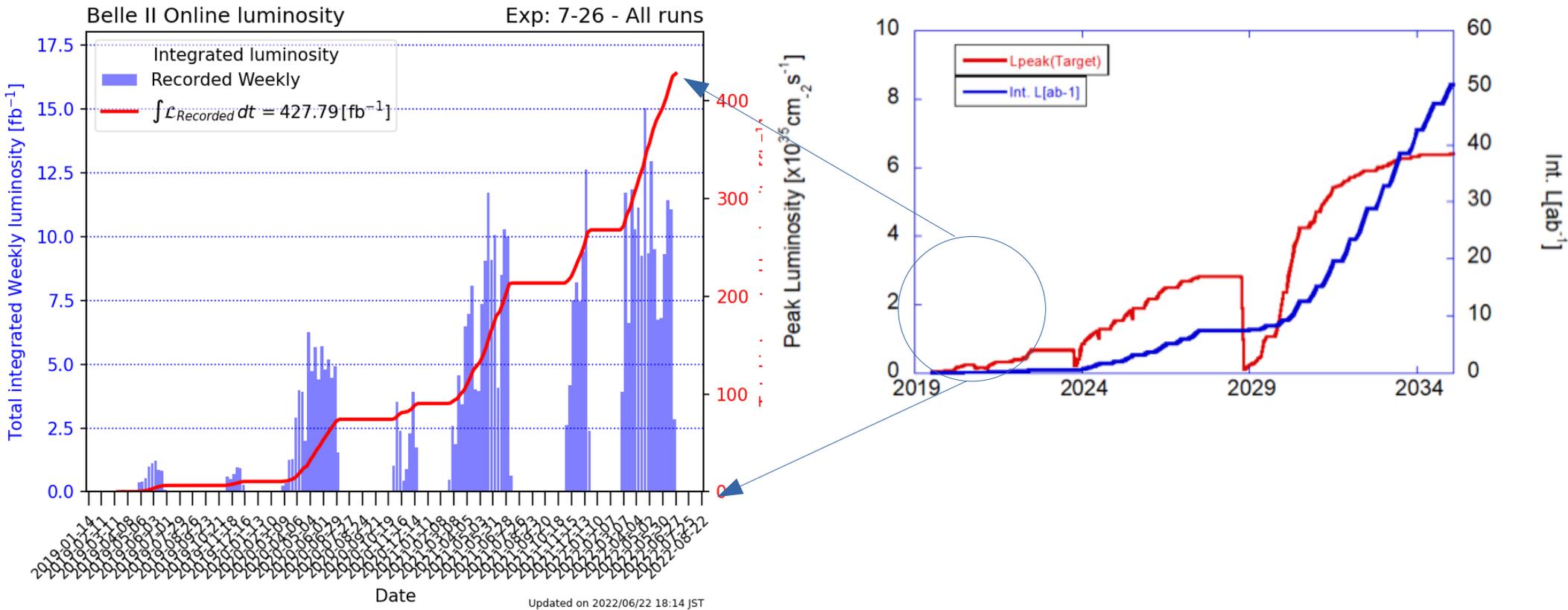
<https://arxiv.org/abs/2206.11709>

We can see Beamstrahlung Radiation !!!

Upgrade (November 2023)

- Replace PMT by cameras
- Fix motor issues and new control
- New DAQ and data

# Luminosity status

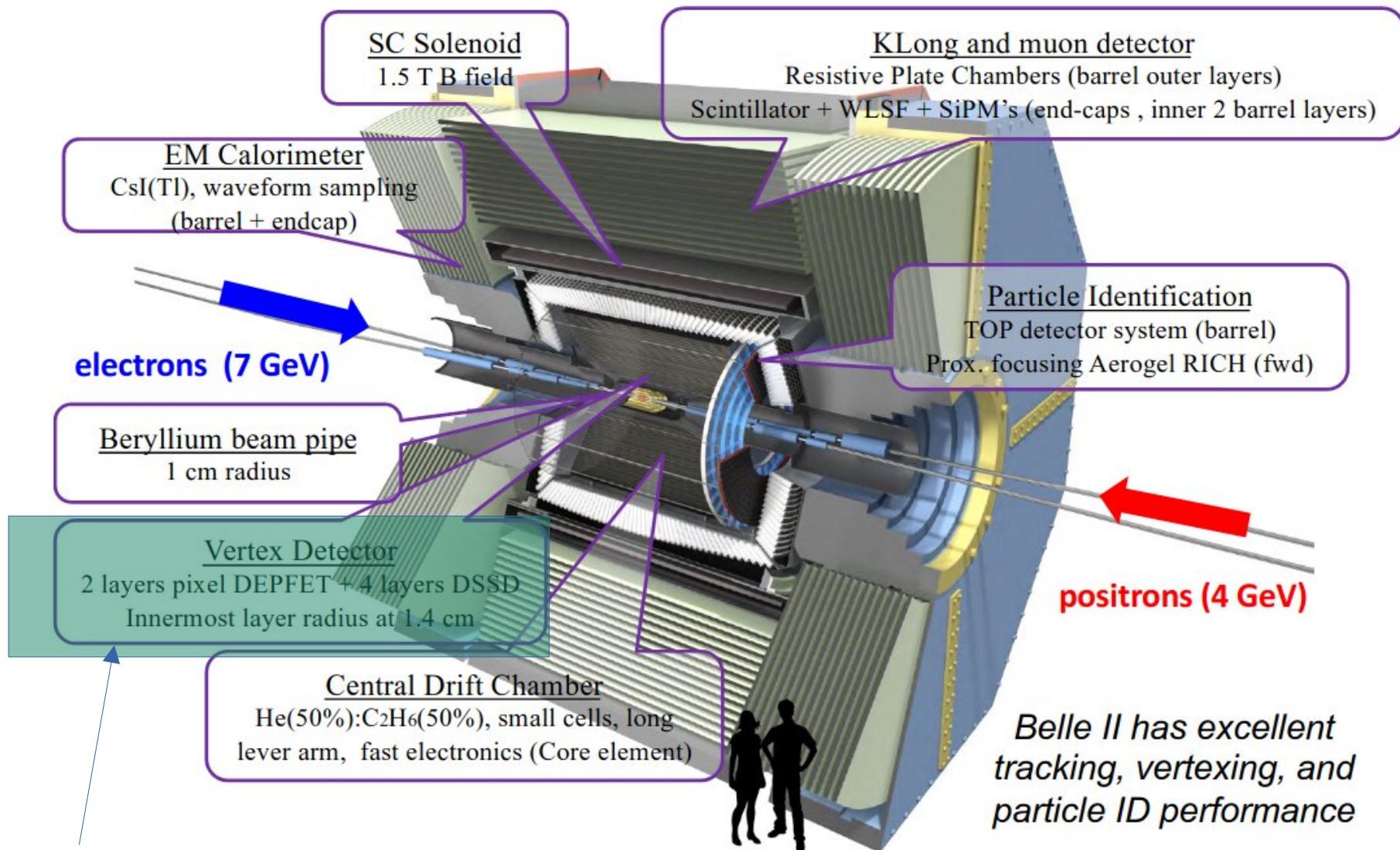


- Record instantaneous luminosity:  $4.7 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ ;
- 2023 we had nine month long shutdown to complete the vertex detector,
- Resume data taking in December 11, 2023.

Belle II Luminosity

<https://confluence.desy.de/display/BI/Belle+II+Luminosity>

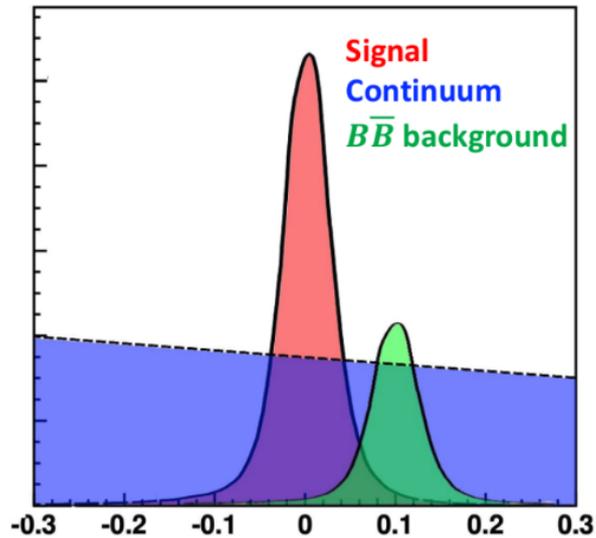
# Belle II detector



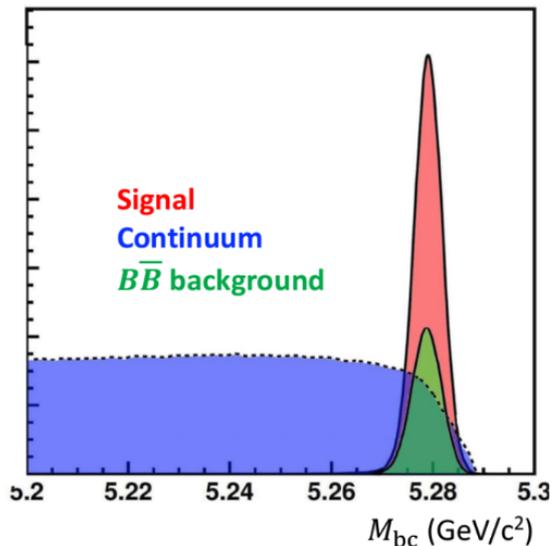
FULLY INSTRUMENTED, after shutdown

# The Belle II workhorses

$$\Delta E = E_B^* - \sqrt{s}/2$$



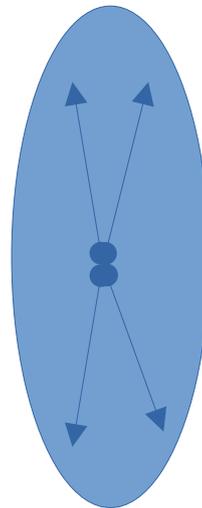
$$M_{bc} = \sqrt{(\sqrt{s}/2)^2 - \vec{p}_B^{*2}}$$



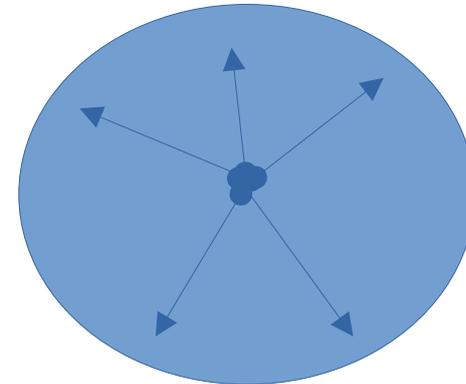
Kinematics:

- Invariant B mass replaced by half of the collision energy.
- Difference between expected and observed energy.

Event Shape



Continuum



Signal

# Belle II is much more than Belle with more data

- Is a new detector: Only magnet and calorimeter is reused, basically new detector
- Is new algorithms: Particle Identification, Full Event Interpretation, Charm tagger, Flavor tagger coming soon.
- Is a new accelerator with a novel strategy to increase luminosity.
- Let us see this over the following slides

# D<sup>0</sup>/D<sup>+</sup> Lifetime

- Main PDG result from FOCUS 20 years old
- Useful for LHCb in  $D_s^+$
- No input from simulation
- Blind analysis
- 2D fit, mass and lifetime
- Mass signal: Two Gaussians + Crystal Ball
- Mass background: exponential
- Lifetime: convoluted exponential for signal

Results (Most Precise In the world)

$$\tau(D^0) = (410.0 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.8) \text{ fs}$$

Phys. Rev. Lett. 127, 211801 (2021)

$$\tau(D^+) = (1030.4 \pm 4.7 \pm 3.1) \text{ fs}$$

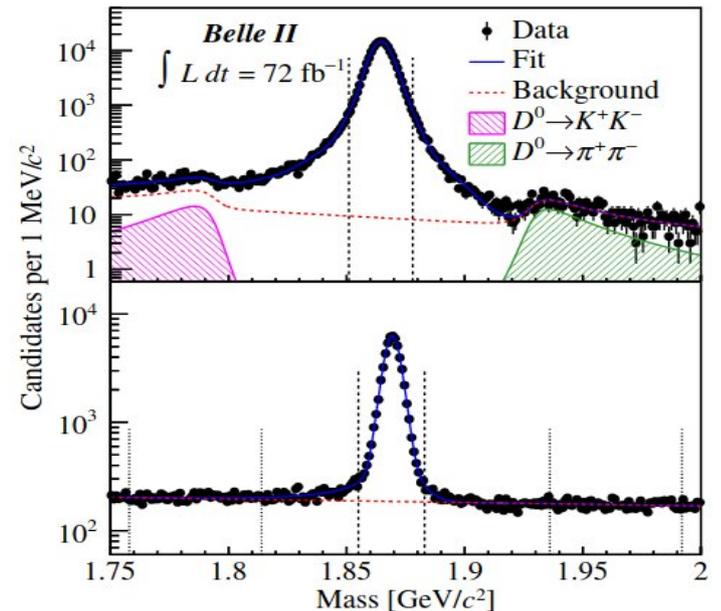
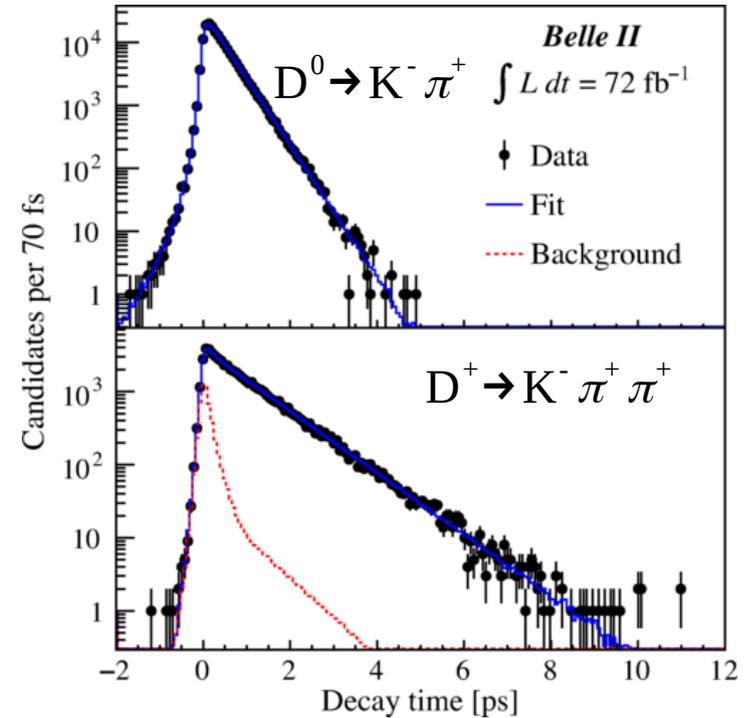
More Lifetime results (Most precise)

$$\tau(\Lambda_c^+) = (203.2 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.8) \text{ fs} \quad \text{Phys. Rev. Lett. 130 071802 (2023)}$$

$$\tau(D_s^+) = (498.7 \pm 1.7 (+1.1/-0.8)) \text{ fs} \quad \text{arXiv:2306.00365}$$

Lifetime result (Highly competitive)

$$\tau(\Omega_c^0) = (243.0 \pm 48.0 \pm 11.0) \text{ fs} \quad \text{Phys. Rev. D 107 L031103 (2023)}$$



# $\tau$ physics

- Cross section similar to **b** so Belle II is a  **$\tau$  factory !!!**
- Belle II will be leading  $\tau$  Physics for the next decade
- Neutrino always involved full event never fully reconstructed.
- Not as thoroughly studied as the B sector.
- BSM physic in the  $\tau$  sector ???
- Strong participation of the Mexican group.

# $\tau$ Mass

The least precise measurement of the charged leptons

$$m_e = (.5109989461 \pm 0.0000000031) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$m_\mu = (105.6583745 \pm 0.0000024) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$m_\tau = (1776.86 \pm 0.12) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

Measured in the decay mode  $\tau \rightarrow 3\pi\nu$ , using a pseudomass technique developed by the **ARGUS** collaboration.

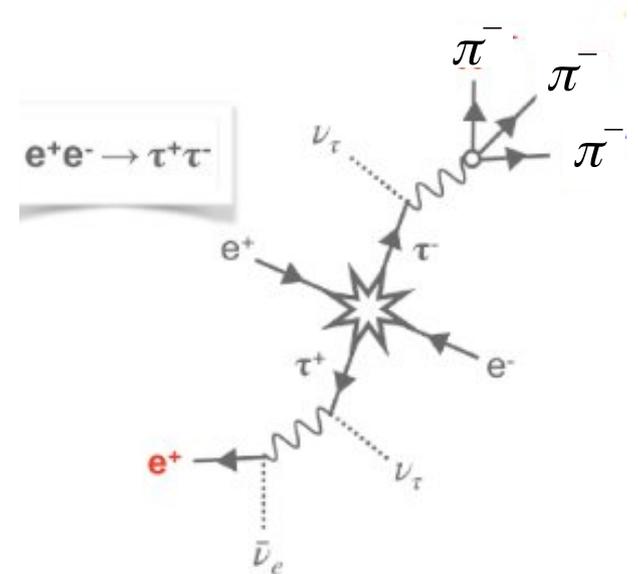
The tau mass can be calculated as

$$\begin{aligned} m_\tau^2 &= (p_h + p_\nu)^2 \\ &= 2E_h(E_\tau - E_h) + m_h^2 - 2|\vec{p}_h|(E_\tau - E_h) \cos(\vec{p}_h, \vec{p}_\nu) \end{aligned}$$

As the direction of the neutrino is not known, the approximation  $\cos(\vec{p}_\nu, \vec{p}_h) = 1$  is taken, resulting in

$$M_{\min}^2 = 2E_h(E_\tau - E_h) + m_h^2 - 2|\vec{p}_h|(E_\tau - E_h) < m_\tau^2$$

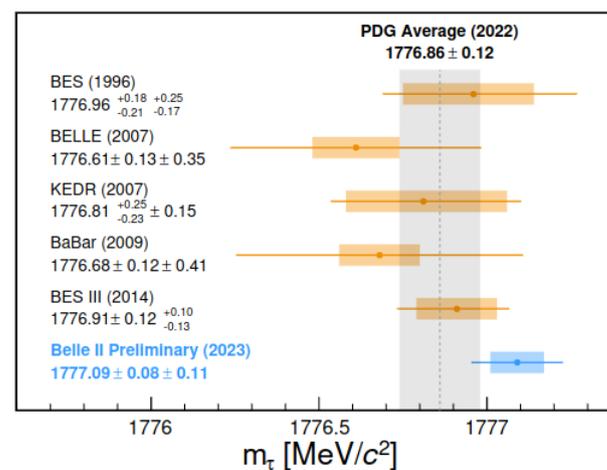
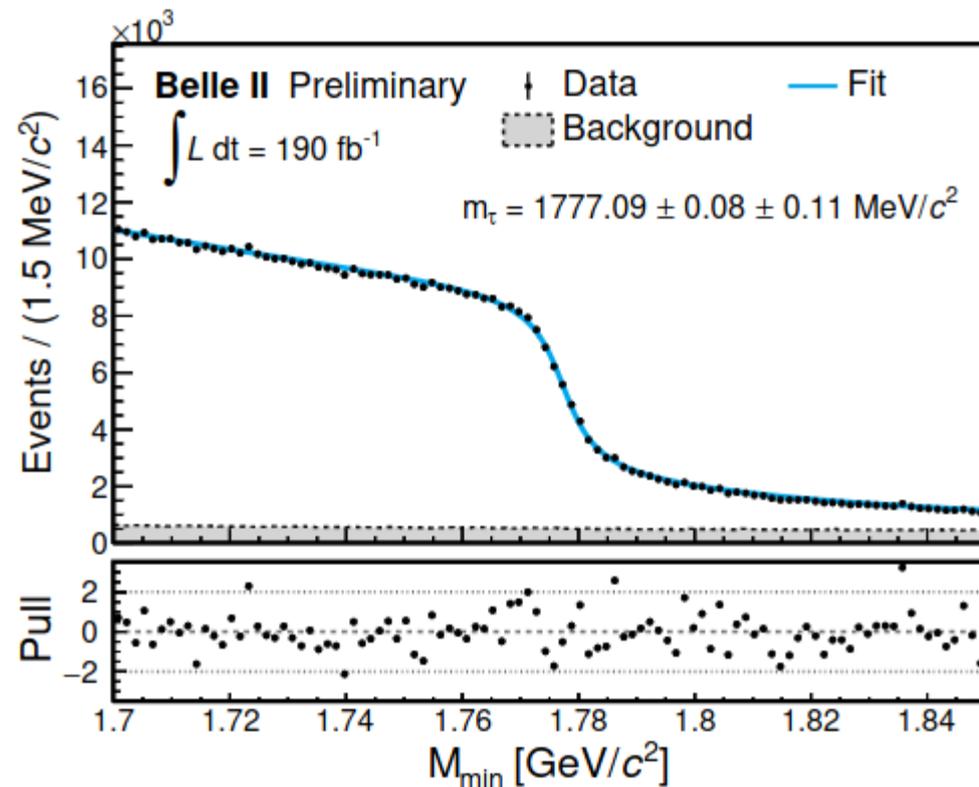
Then, the distribution of the pseudomass is fitted to an empirical edge function, and the position of the cutoff indicates the value of the mass.



## Fit to edge in the p.d.f in the cutoff region

$$F(M_{\min}, \vec{P}) = (P_3 + P_4 M_{\min}) \cdot \tan^{-1}[(M_{\min} - P_1)]$$

Source	Uncertainty [MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ]
Knowledge of the colliding beams:	
Beam-energy correction	0.07
Boost vector	< 0.01
Reconstruction of charged particles:	
Charged-particle momentum correction	0.06
Detector misalignment	0.03
Fit model:	
Estimator bias	0.03
Choice of the fit function	0.02
Mass dependence of the bias	< 0.01
Imperfections of the simulation:	
Detector material density	0.03
Modeling of ISR, FSR and $\tau$ decay	0.02
Neutral particle reconstruction efficiency	$\leq 0.01$
Momentum resolution	< 0.01
Tracking efficiency correction	< 0.01
Trigger efficiency	< 0.01
Background processes	< 0.01
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.11</b>

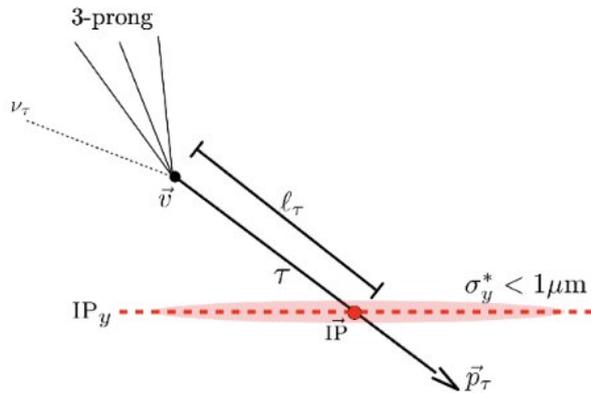


Submitted to PRD in **May 30 2023**

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2305.19116>

# $\tau$ lifetime

- 3 prong in one side for Belle II
- Better statistics
- 3 prong in two sides for Belle



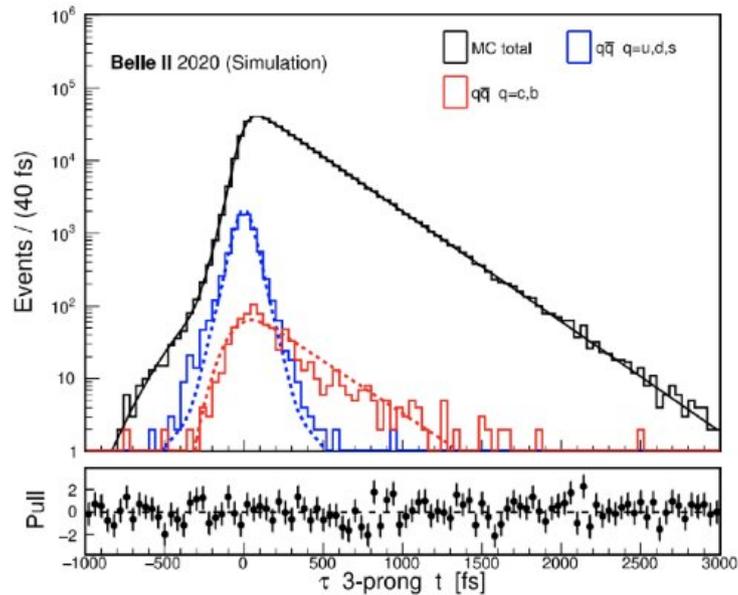
- $l_\tau$  reconstruction and IP constrain:

Use constraint on  $IP_y$

$$\vec{IP} + l_\tau \hat{n}_\tau = \vec{v}_{3\pi}$$

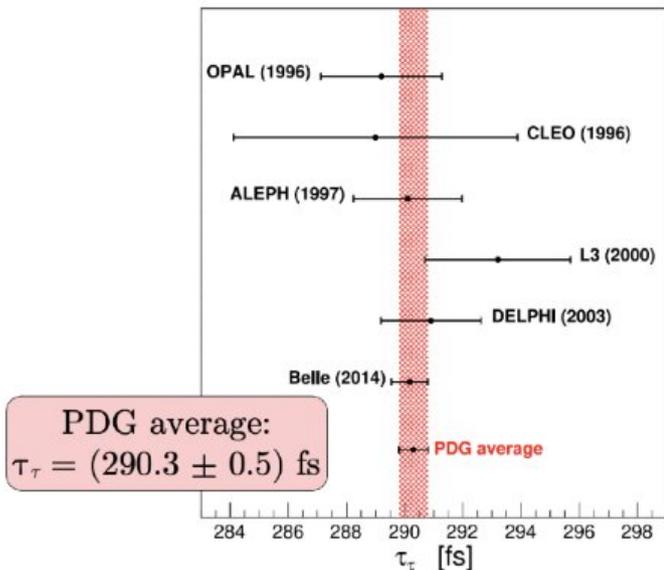
$\hat{n}_\tau = \vec{p}_\tau / |\vec{p}_\tau|$

3-prong vertex



- Lifetime extraction:

- $\tau_\tau = 287.2 \pm 0.5$  (stat) fs
- Same statistical uncertainty of Belle. (200 fb<sup>-1</sup> vs 711 fb<sup>-1</sup>)

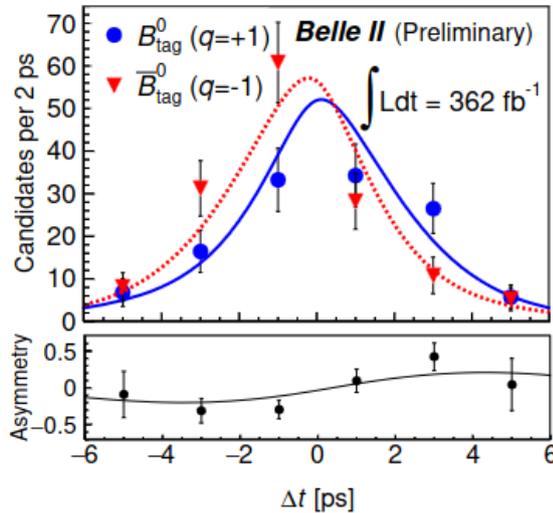
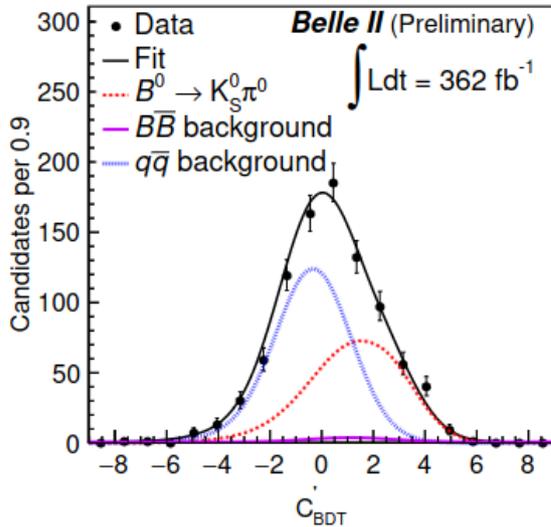
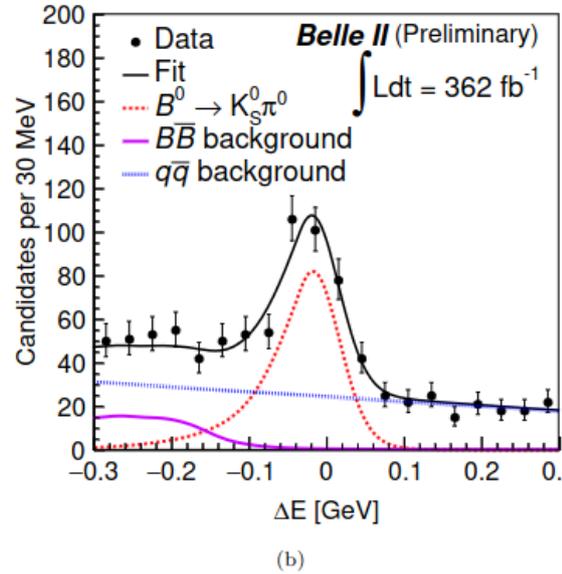
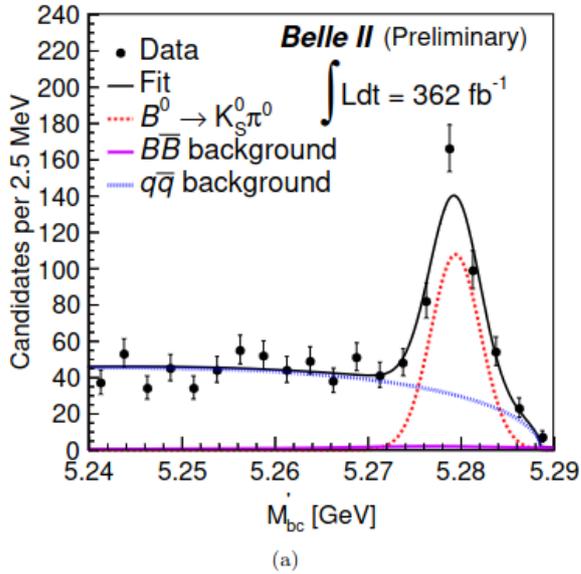


# Isospin sum rule: $B \rightarrow K^+\pi^-, K^+\pi^0, K^0\pi^+$

- Isospin sum-rule relation for  $B \rightarrow K\pi$  provides a stringent SM test  
$$I_{K\pi} = \mathcal{A}_{K^+\pi^-} + \mathcal{A}_{K^0\pi^+} \frac{\mathcal{B}(K^0\pi^+)}{\mathcal{B}(K^+\pi^-)} \frac{\tau_{B^0}}{\tau_{B^+}} - 2\mathcal{A}_{K^+\pi^0} \frac{\mathcal{B}(K^+\pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(K^+\pi^-)} \frac{\tau_{B^0}}{\tau_{B^+}} - 2\mathcal{A}_{K^0\pi^0} \frac{\mathcal{B}(K^0\pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(K^+\pi^-)} = 0$$
  
(Phys.Lett. B627 (2005) 82-8)

- 1% precision in the SM
- Experimental precision is 11% dominated by  $B^0 \rightarrow K^0\pi^0$
- Unique to Belle II but hard: it's rare, it involves  $\pi^0$  and  $K^0$  also if  $B^0$  or  $B^+$  was produced.

# $B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$



$$A = 0.04 \pm 0.15 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.05 (\text{syst})$$

$$B = (10.5 \pm 0.6 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.7 (\text{syst})) \times 10^{-10}$$

BSM in  $b \rightarrow s q \bar{q}$

Isoespin sum rule

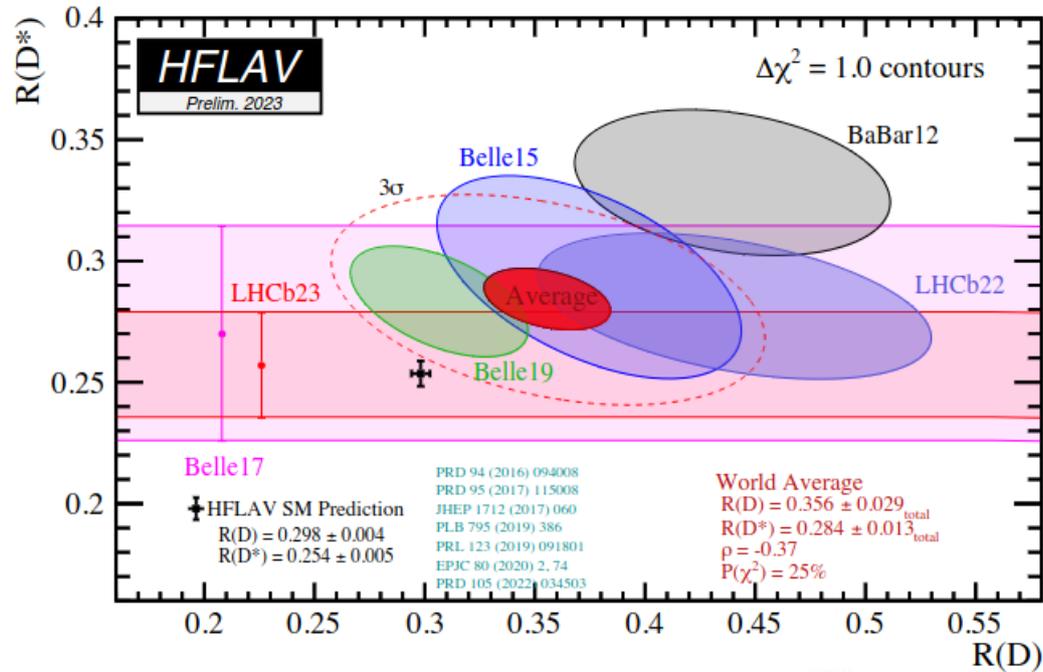
$$I_{K\pi} = -0.03 \pm 0.13 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.05 (\text{syst})$$

$$I_{K\pi} (\text{World average}) = -0.13 \pm 0.11$$

$$I_{K\pi} (\text{SM}) = 0$$

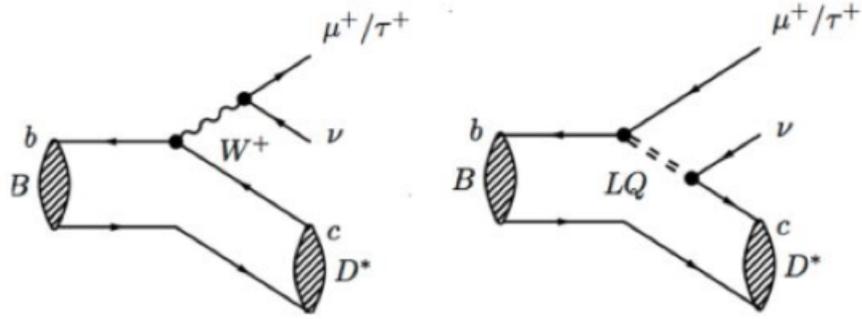
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# Hints of New Physics in semileptonic B decays



$$R(D^*) \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{*+} \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{*+} \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell)}$$

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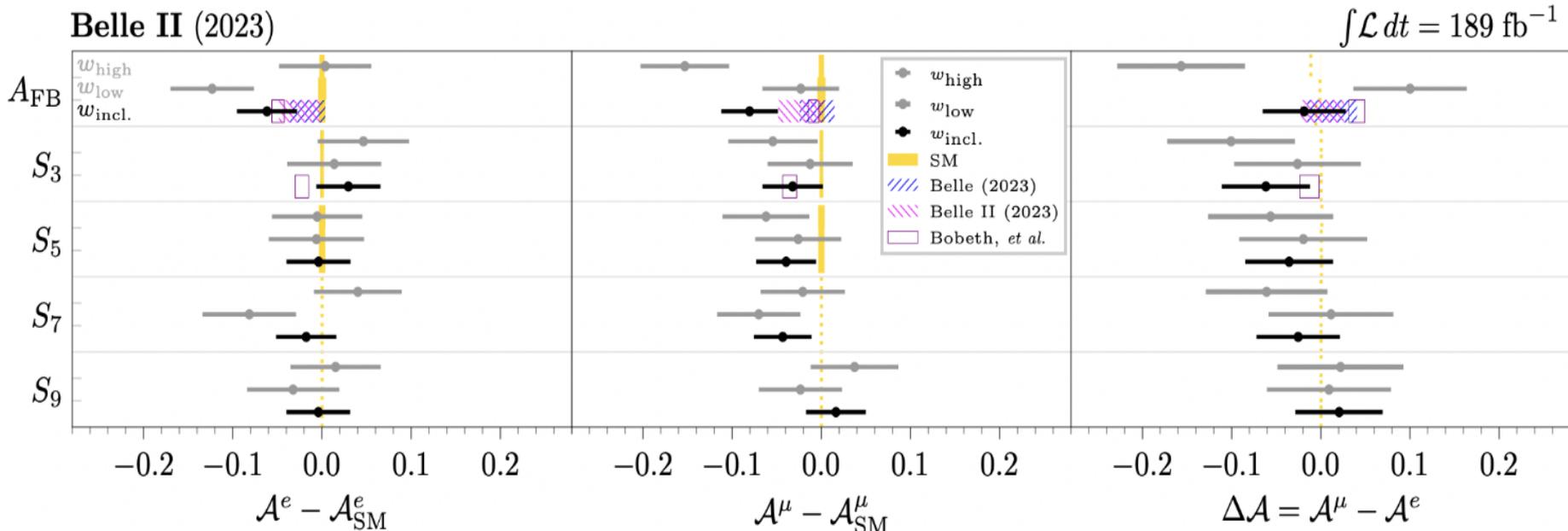
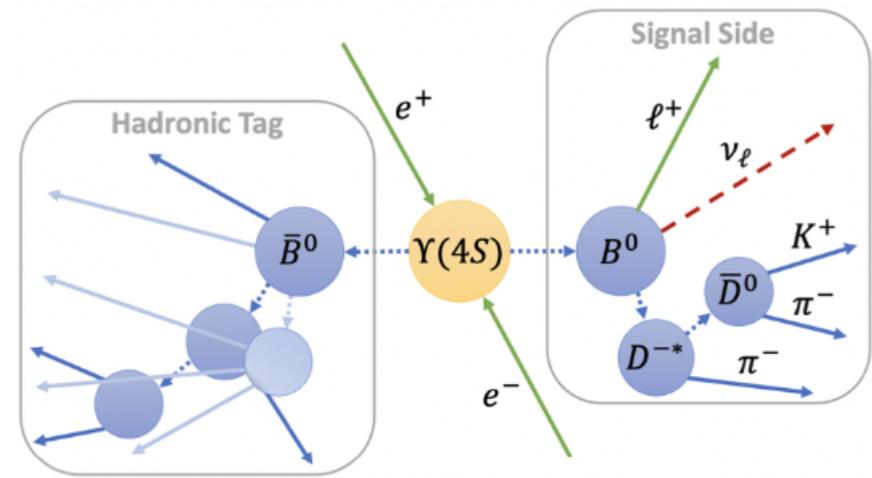


# As a first step testing light lepton ( $\mu/e$ ) universality

$$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-}\mu^+ \nu \text{ and } B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-}e^+ \nu$$

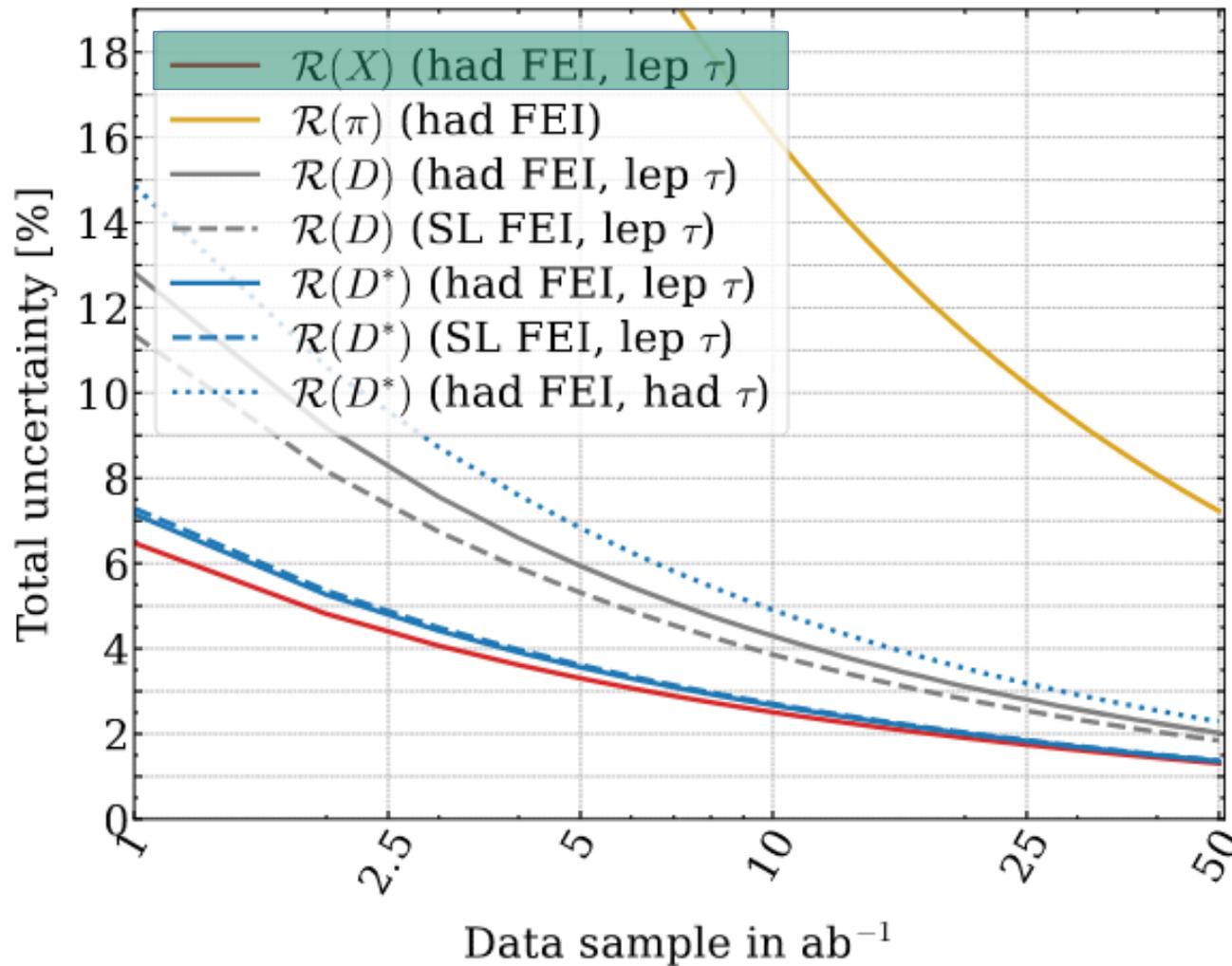
SM consistent within 10%

$A_{\text{FB}}$  is an asymmetry that measure the likelihood of the lepton to travel in the same direction as the W



# Muon – electron universality inclusive projection

arxiv:2207.06307



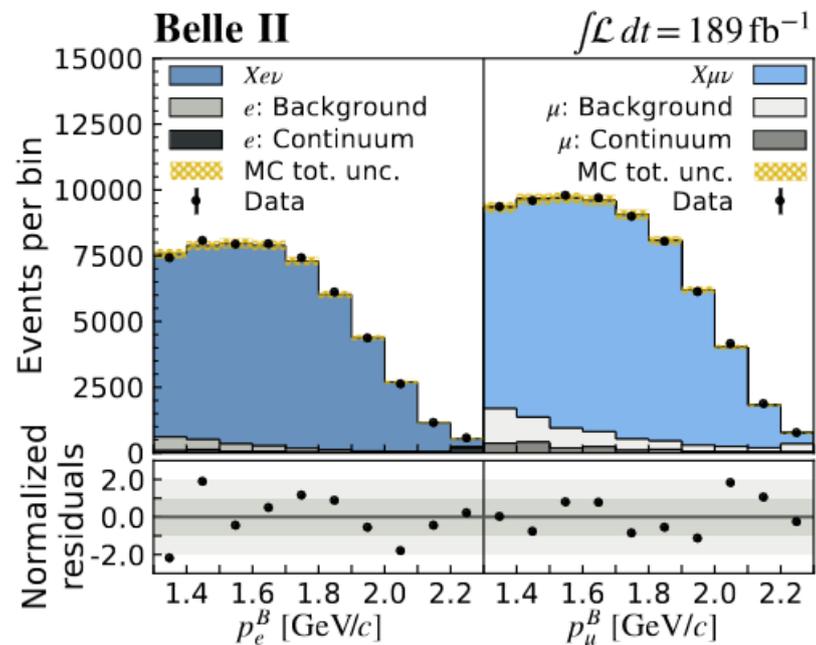
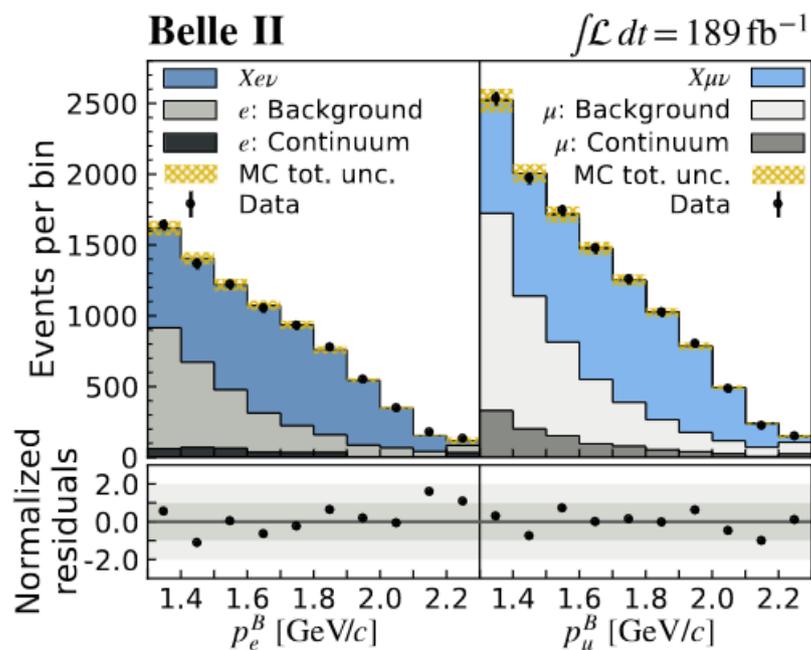
# Semileptonic B decays

arxiv:2301.08266

$$R(X_{e/\mu}) = B(B \rightarrow X e \nu) / B(B \rightarrow X \mu \nu),$$

Control channel ( $B^0 B^0$ ) / ( $B^+ B^+$ )

Signal channel ( $B^{0+} \bar{B}^0 / B^+ B^-$ )



$$R(X_{e/\mu}) = 1.007 \pm 0.009 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.019 \text{ (syst)}$$

Belle II

$$R(X_{e/\mu}) = 1.006 \pm 0.001$$

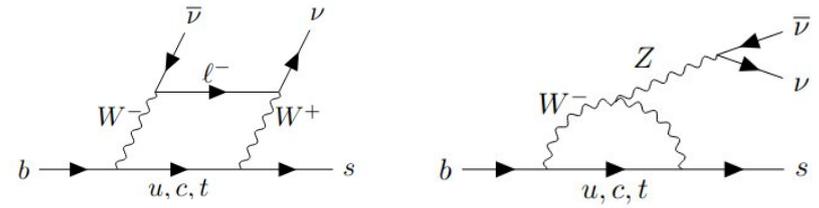
SM

Consistent with SM  $R(X_{e/\mu}) \{1\}$  by 1.2 sigma and with the exclusive Belle  $R(X_{e/\mu}) \{2, 3\}$

[1] J. High Energy Phys. 11, 007 (2022), [2] Phys. Rev. D 100, 052007 (2019) [3] arXiv:2301.07529

$$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$$

- Flavor changing neutral current
- SM prediction is  $4.6 \times 10^{-6}$
- Enhancement means physics BSM
- Measuring a limit helps in constraining models for leptoquarks, axions, dark matter.

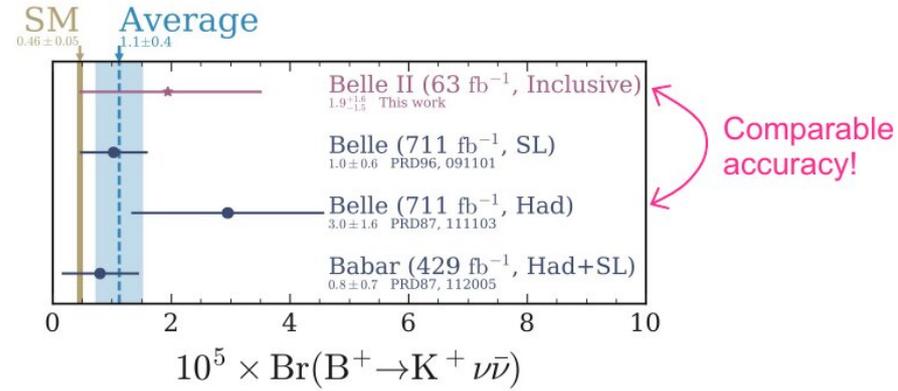


Analysis based in BDT, use well known

$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ J/\psi$  is used as validation.

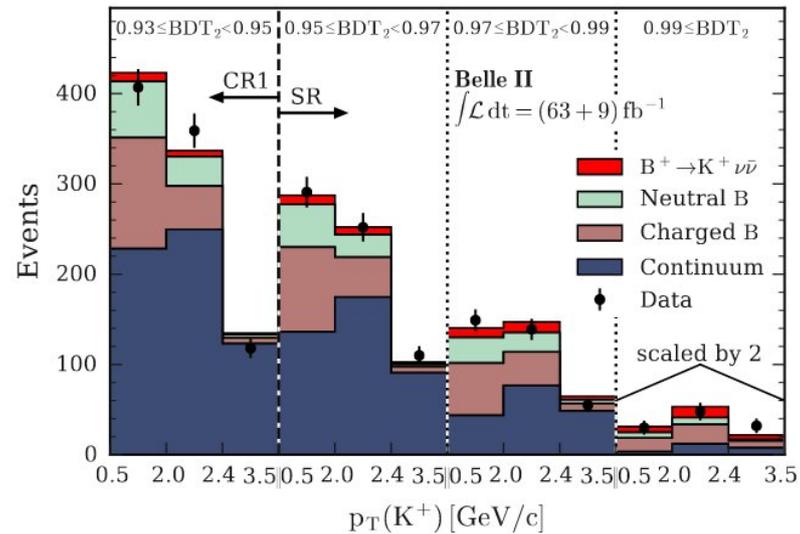
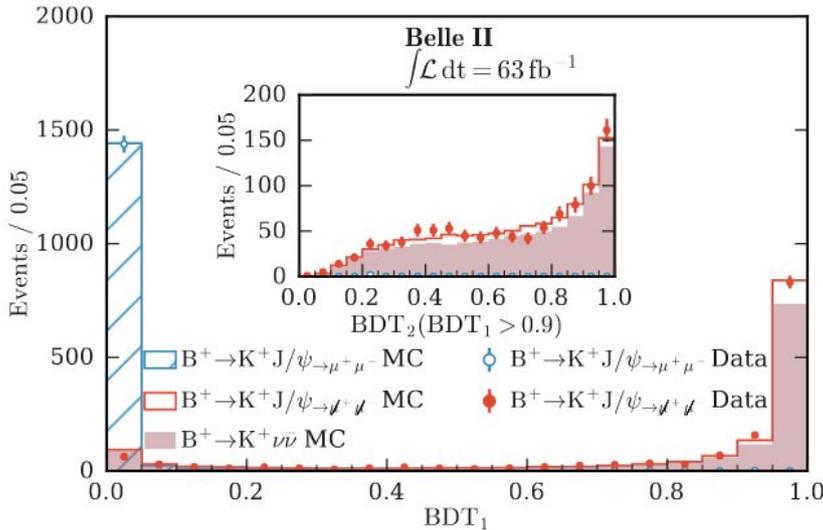
Inclusive tagging: 4% Efficiency (Belle II)

Semileptonic: 0.2 % Efficiency (Belle)



*Observed (Expected)*

$$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \bar{\nu} < 4.1 (1.9) \times 10^{-5} @ 90\% CL$$

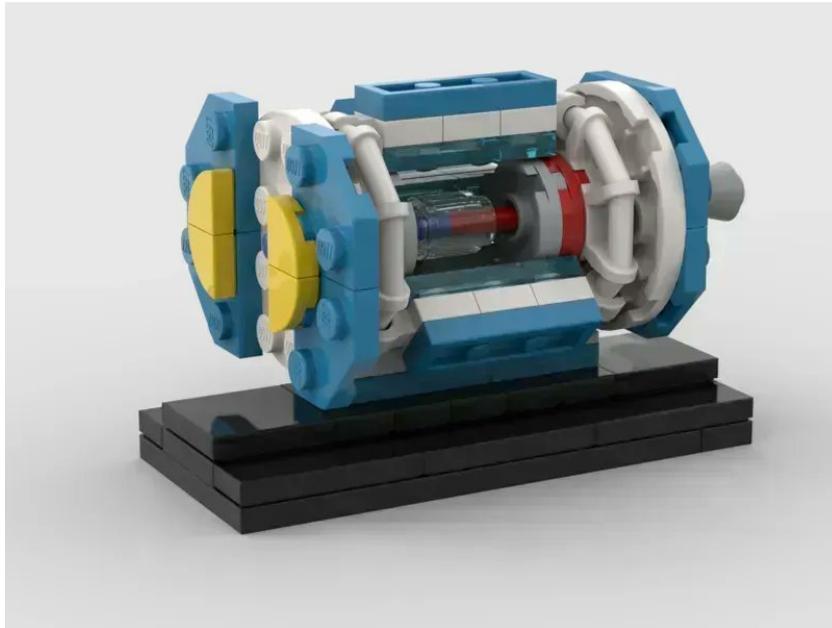


# Conclusions

- SuperKEK has been increasing in delivering luminosity. It is hard but we are progressing to achieve this goal.
- Beamstrahlung radiation can be observed in superKEK.
- The upgraded detector is working smoothly and new tools in beam, software, tagging allowed us to get competitive results with less data than in Belle.
- First steps in  $\tau$  physics program best world measurement of  $\tau$  Mass. We expect exciting results over the next years in Belle II.
- Lifetimes in  $D$ ,  $B$  are the best in the world, with fully vertex instrumented these will be even better.
- Lepton universality seems to hold for the light ones.
- We are working in multiple searches for New Physics, BUT so far none has been observed at least in FCNC In  $B^+$  and isospin in  $B \rightarrow K^+\pi$ .
- Mexican participation in the collaboration is consolidated.

# GRACIAS

# BELLE II LEGO



75 bloques menos de 10 minutos

<https://build-your-own-particle-detector.org/models/belle-2-micro-model/>