

Recent results on FCNC B meson decays at Belle

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Outline



Measurements in $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$

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Angular Analysis of $B \rightarrow K^* l^+ l^-$

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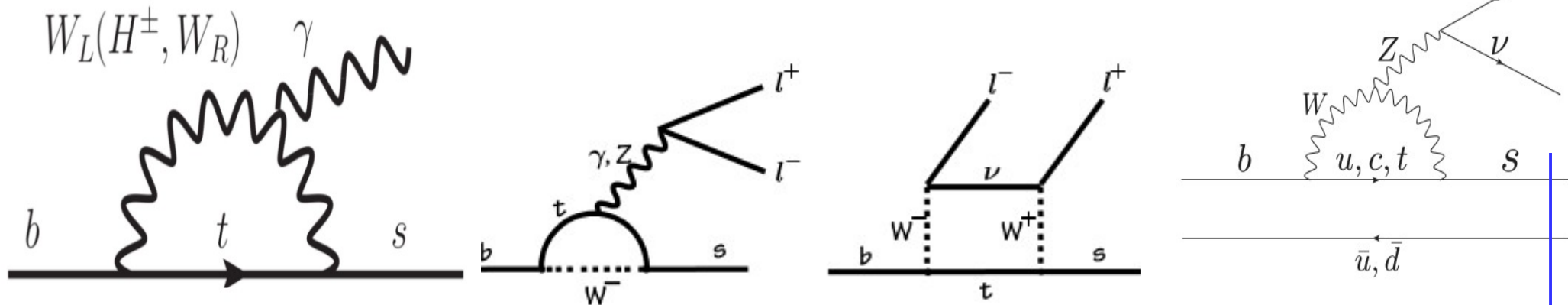


Search for $B \rightarrow h(*) \nu \nu$

arXiv:1702.03224 [Submitted to Phy. Rev. D]

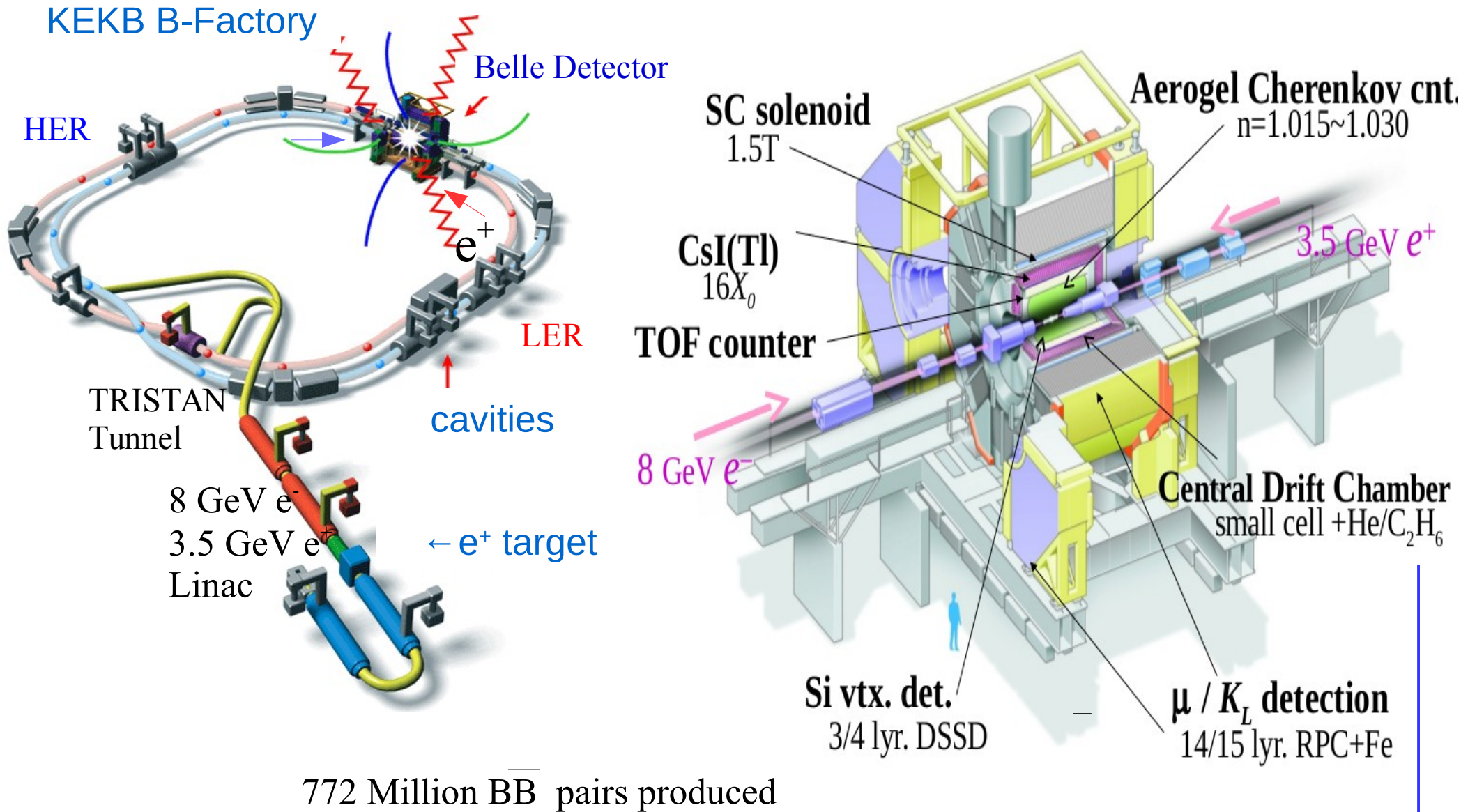
FCNC are strongly suppressed in the SM: only loops

Any new particle generating new diagrams can change the amplitudes



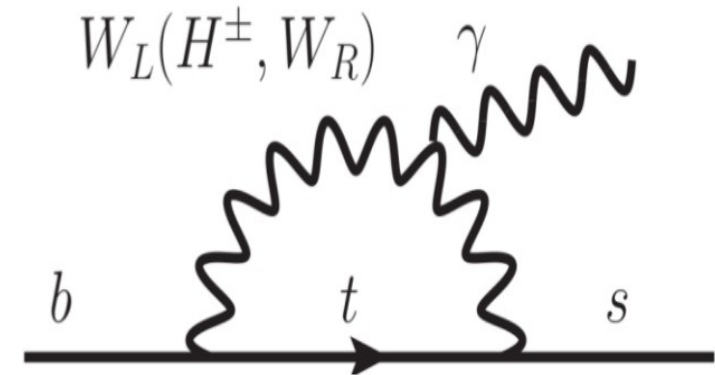
All the analysis is based on the data sample containing 772 Million $B\bar{B}$ pairs; collected with the Belle detector at the KEKB energy-asymmetric e^+e^- collider.

Belle Detector

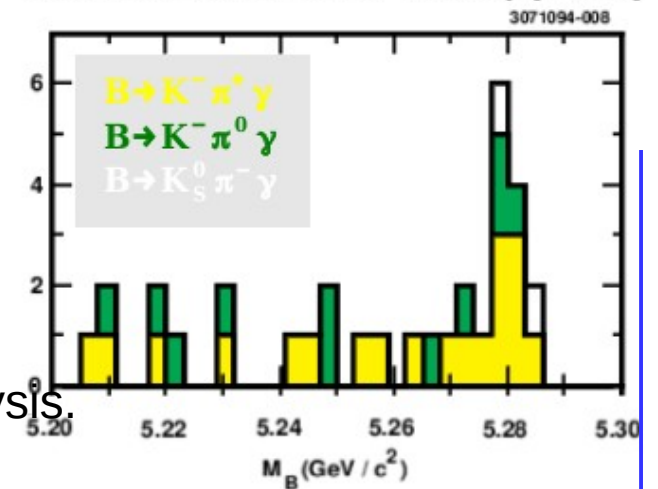


$B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$

- The decay $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$ proceeds dominantly via one loop electromagnetic penguin diagram so-called radiative penguin ($b \rightarrow s\gamma$) transition.
- These diagrams are sensitive to the particles from the NP models, that can also enter in to the loop.
- Among $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ transitions, $B \rightarrow K^*\gamma$ is one of the most important channel:
 - Cleanest exclusive decay among $B \rightarrow X_s\gamma$
 - Large BF: $\sim 4 \cdot 10^{-5}$ about 12% of inclusive $B \rightarrow X_s\gamma$
- The BFs give weak constraints on the NP as the SM predictions suffer from large uncertainties ($\sim 30\%$) in the form factor.
- About nine times larger statistics than the previous Belle analysis.




CLEO observation of $B \rightarrow K^*\gamma$ [1993]



Observables of $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$


 $B(B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma)$

Branching fraction



$$\frac{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma)}{\Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma)} = \frac{\tau_{B^+}}{\tau_{B^0}} \frac{f_{+-}}{f_{00}} \frac{N(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma)}{N(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma)},$$

Ratio of the B.Fs.


Ratios of BF cancels important uncertainties (including the form-factor related)


$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K}^*\gamma) - \Gamma(B \rightarrow K^*\gamma)}{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K}^*\gamma) + \Gamma(B \rightarrow K^*\gamma)},$$

CP asymmetry (A_{CP})



$$\Delta_{0+} = \frac{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma) - \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma)}{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma)},$$

Isospin asymmetry (Δ_{0+})


$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma) - A_{CP}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma),$$

• **Difference** of CP asymmetry between charged and neutral B (ΔA_{CP})

• useful to identify NP once A_{CP} is observed


$$\bar{A}_{CP} = \frac{A_{CP}(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma) + A_{CP}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma)}{2},$$

Average of A_{CP} between charged and neutral B mesons (\bar{A}_{CP})

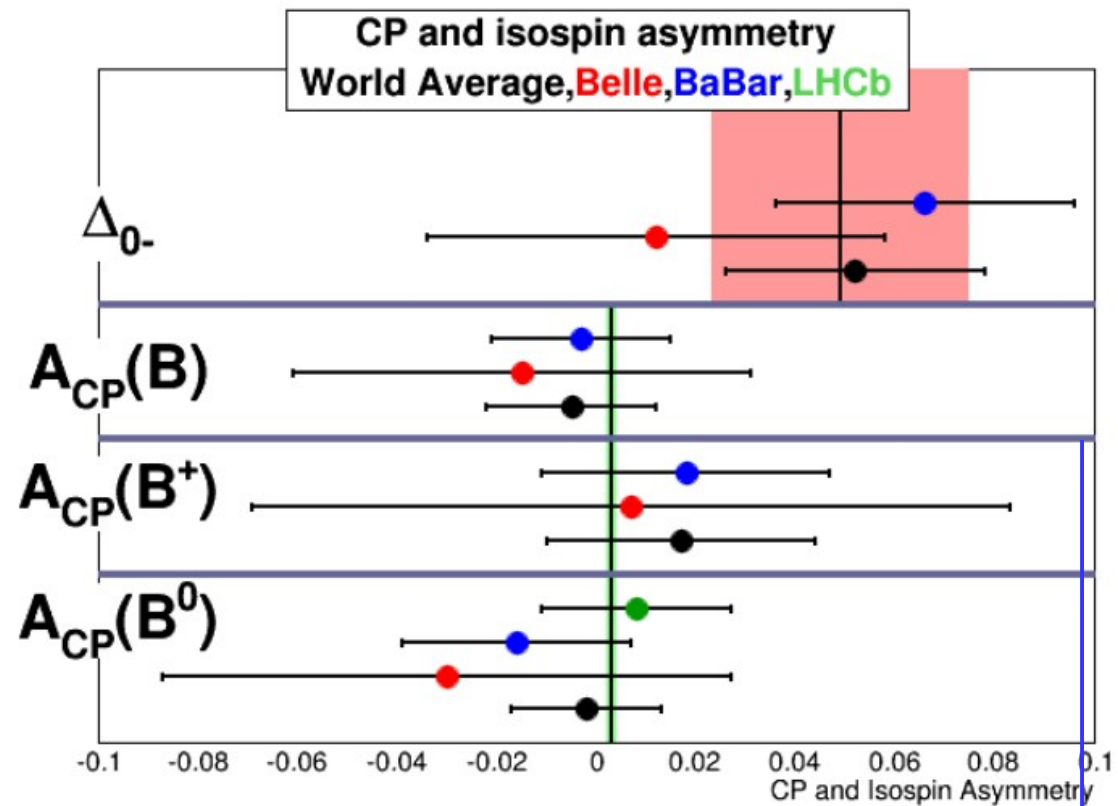
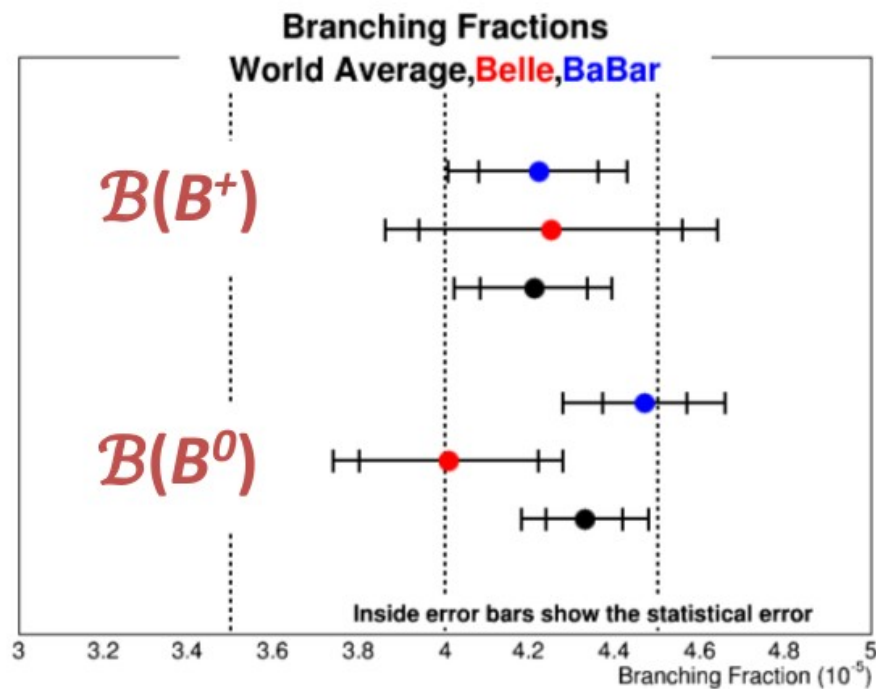
Previous measurement status

The precisions of all observables are dominated by BaBar's results except $A_{CP}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \gamma)$ by LHCb.

- Branching fraction measurement : Systematic error dominant
- Asymmetry measurement : Statistical error dominant

772 M BB pairs

85 M at Belle / 383 M at BaBar



Reconstruction of $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$

Four sub-decay modes:

- $K^{*0} : K_s^0 \pi^0, K^+ \pi^-$ **Self-tagging**
- $K^{*+} : K_s^0 \pi^+, K^+ \pi^0$

Signal Selection:

- $-0.2 \text{ GeV} < \Delta E < 0.1 \text{ GeV}$
- $5.20 \text{ GeV}/c^2 < M_{bc} < 5.29 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- $|M_{k\pi} - M_{K^*}| < 75 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

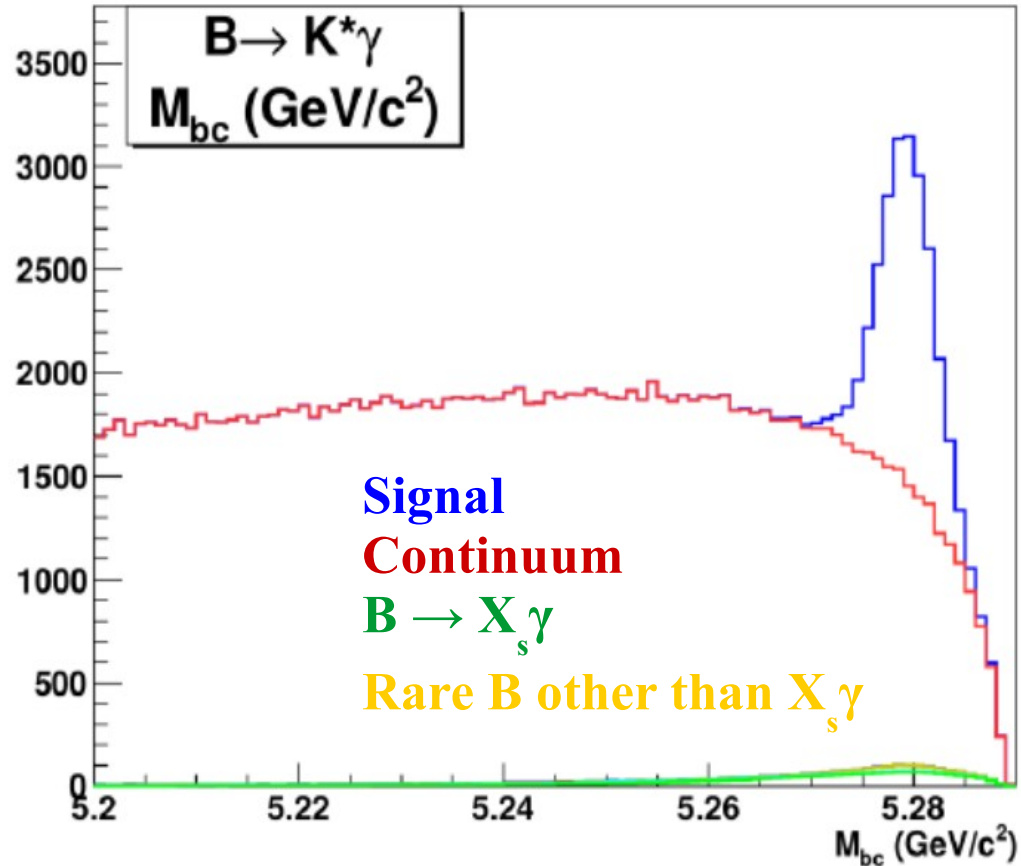
Background Suppression:

- Continuum: Neural network with event shape variables
- photon selection with π^0 and η veto
- Best candidate selection:

Number of candidates per event is
1.16 with MC.

Random candidate selection.

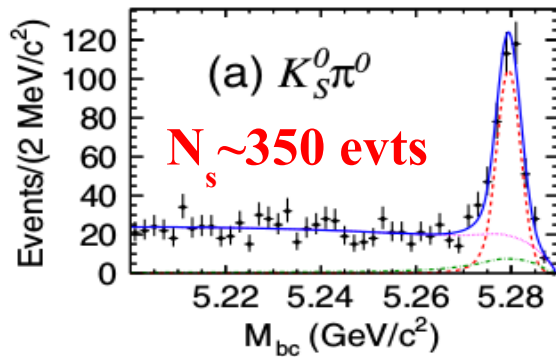
- BF, A_{CP}, Δ_{0+} and ΔA_{CP} are extracted in simultaneous fit performed to seven M_{bc} distributions with the likelihood



M_{bc} distribution summed four channels

With $M(k\pi)$ selection after π^0 and η veto

Extraction of BF , A_{CP} , Δ_{0+} , ΔA_{CP}



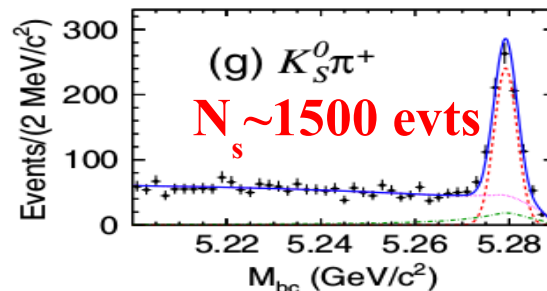
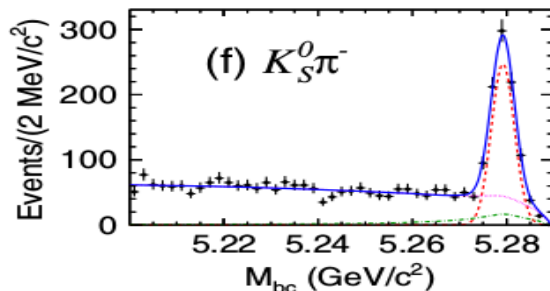
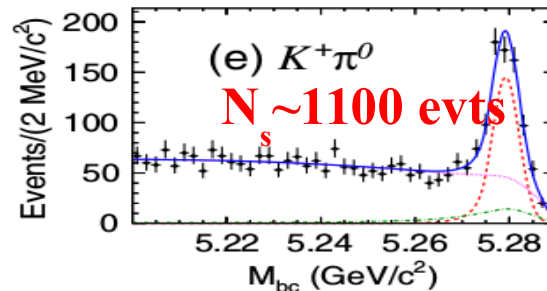
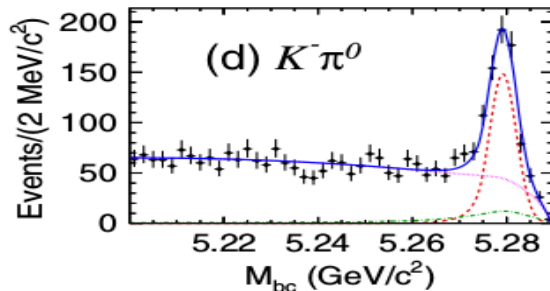
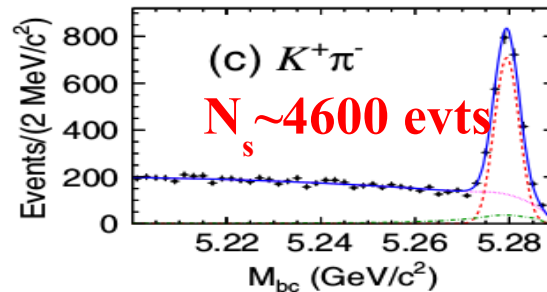
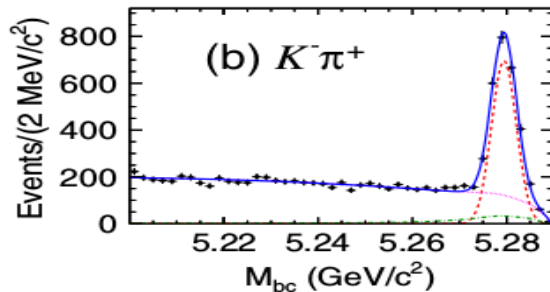
Unbinned maximum likelihood fit to M_{bc} distributions:

Signal w/o π^0 (w/ π^0) : Gaussian (Crystal Ball)

Cross-feed : ARGUS + Bifurcated Gaussian
(the yield is proportional to signal yield)

Continuum bkg : ARGUS

BB bkg : ARGUS + Bifurcated Gaussian



Likelihood for a simultaneous fit

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^N, \mathcal{B}^C, A_{CP}^N, A_{CP}^C) \\ = \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K_S^0 \pi^0}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^N) \\ \times \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K^- \pi^+}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^N, A_{CP}^N) \times \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K^+ \pi^-}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^N, A_{CP}^N) \\ \times \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K^- \pi^0}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^C, A_{CP}^C) \times \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K^+ \pi^0}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^C, A_{CP}^C) \\ \times \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K_S^0 \pi^-}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^C, A_{CP}^C) \times \Pi \mathcal{L}^{K_S^0 \pi^+}(M_{bc} | \mathcal{B}^C, A_{CP}^C), \end{aligned}$$

Results of $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$

| Mode | $N_S^{\bar{B}}$ | N_S^B | ϵ [%] |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| $B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \gamma$ | $349 \pm 23 \pm 15$ | | 1.16 ± 0.04 |
| $B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \gamma$ | $2295 \pm 56 \pm 27$ | $2339 \pm 56 \pm 30$ | 15.61 ± 0.49 |
| $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0 \gamma$ | $572 \pm 32 \pm 12$ | $562 \pm 31 \pm 11$ | 3.66 ± 0.12 |
| $B^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \gamma$ | $745 \pm 32 \pm 8$ | $721 \pm 32 \pm 9$ | 5.01 ± 0.14 |

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \gamma) = (3.96 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-5},$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \gamma) = (3.76 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.12) \times 10^{-5},$$

$$A_{CP}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \gamma) = (-1.3 \pm 1.7 \pm 0.4)\%,$$

$$A_{CP}(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \gamma) = (+1.1 \pm 2.3 \pm 0.3)\%,$$

$$A_{CP}(B \rightarrow K^* \gamma) = (-0.4 \pm 1.4 \pm 0.3)\%,$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \gamma)}{\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi \gamma)} = 1.10 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.18,$$

$$\Delta_{0+} = (+6.2 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.6 \pm 1.2)\%,$$

$$\Delta A_{CP} = (+2.4 \pm 2.8 \pm 0.5)\%,$$

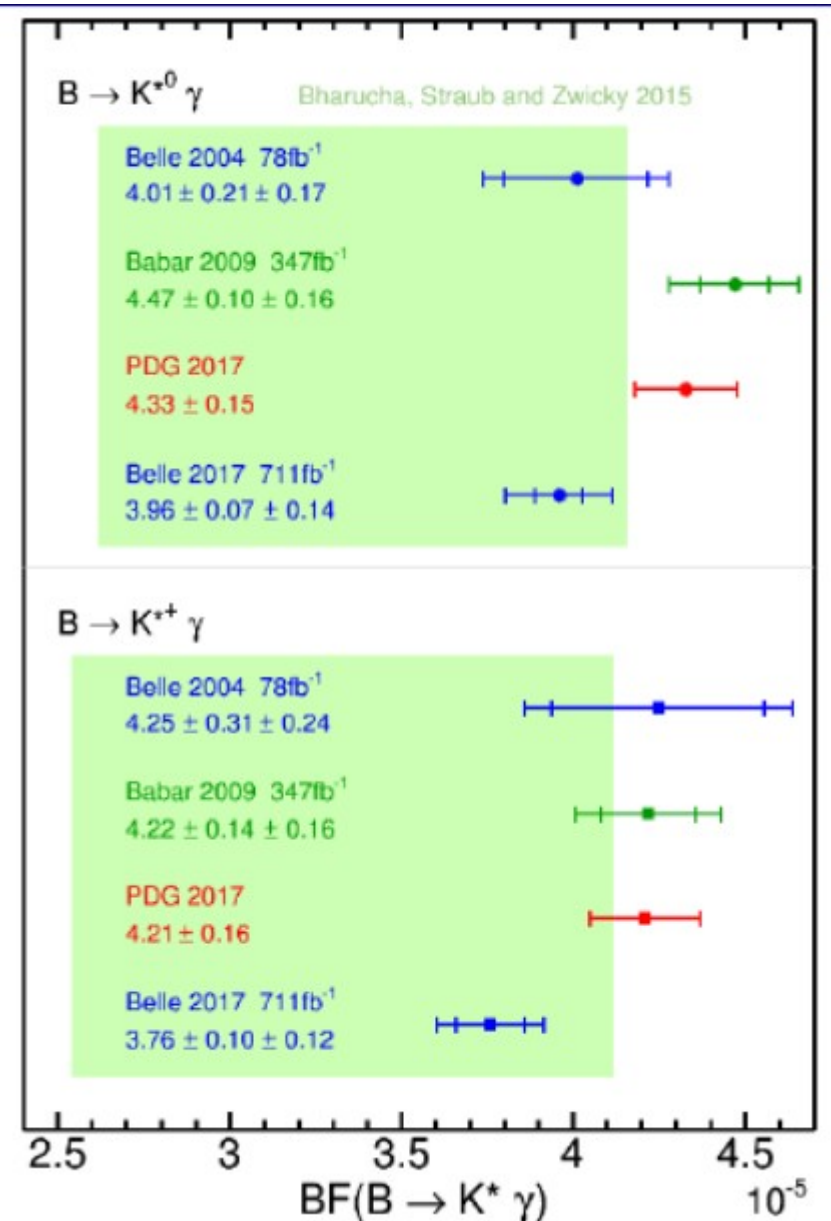
$$\bar{A}_{CP} = (-0.1 \pm 1.4 \pm 0.3)\%,$$

first evidence of isospin violation in $K^* \gamma$!

Improvements are mentioned in next slides...

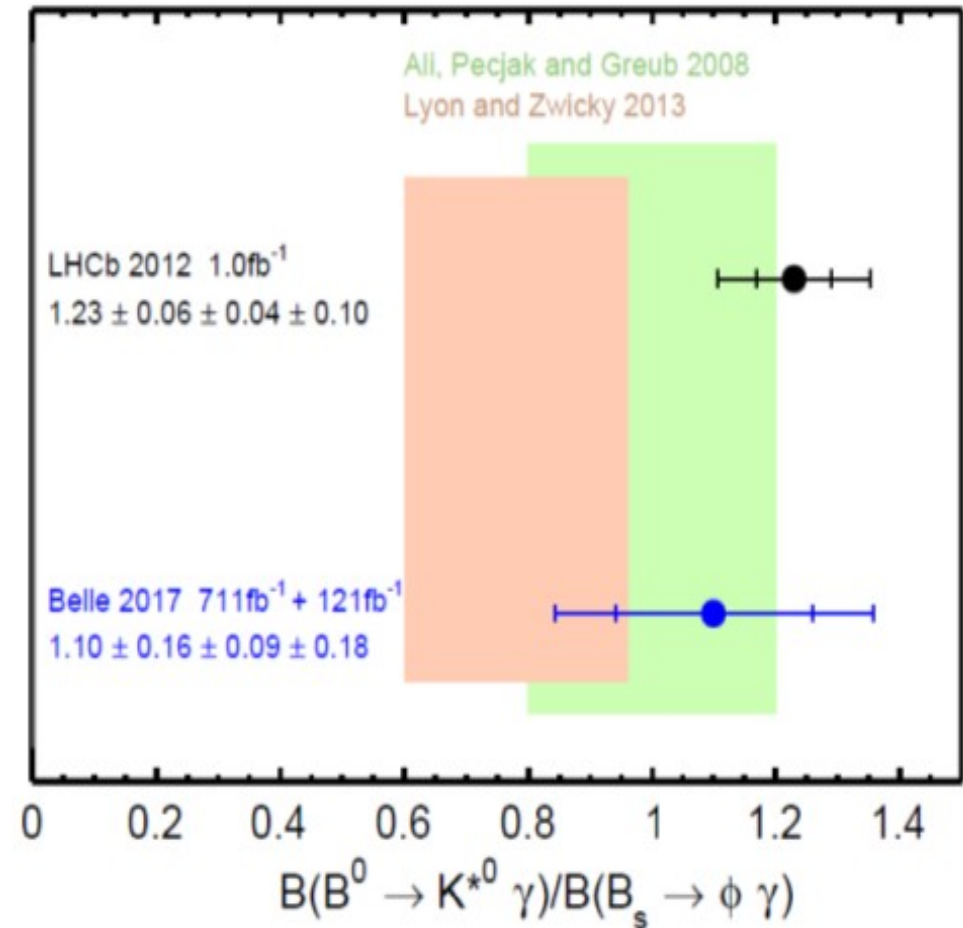
BF of $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$

- New **Belle** result is consistent with the previous measurements
- smaller ($\sim 10\%$) than **BaBar** [**Phys. Rev. Lett.** **103**, 211802 (2009)] result which dominated the **PDG** average.
- Also consistent with the theoretical predictions by **Bharucha, Starub and Zwicky**. [J. High Energy Phys. 08 (2016) 098.]
- Most precise measurement of the $\text{BF}(B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma)$ and splits the difference Between theory and experiment.



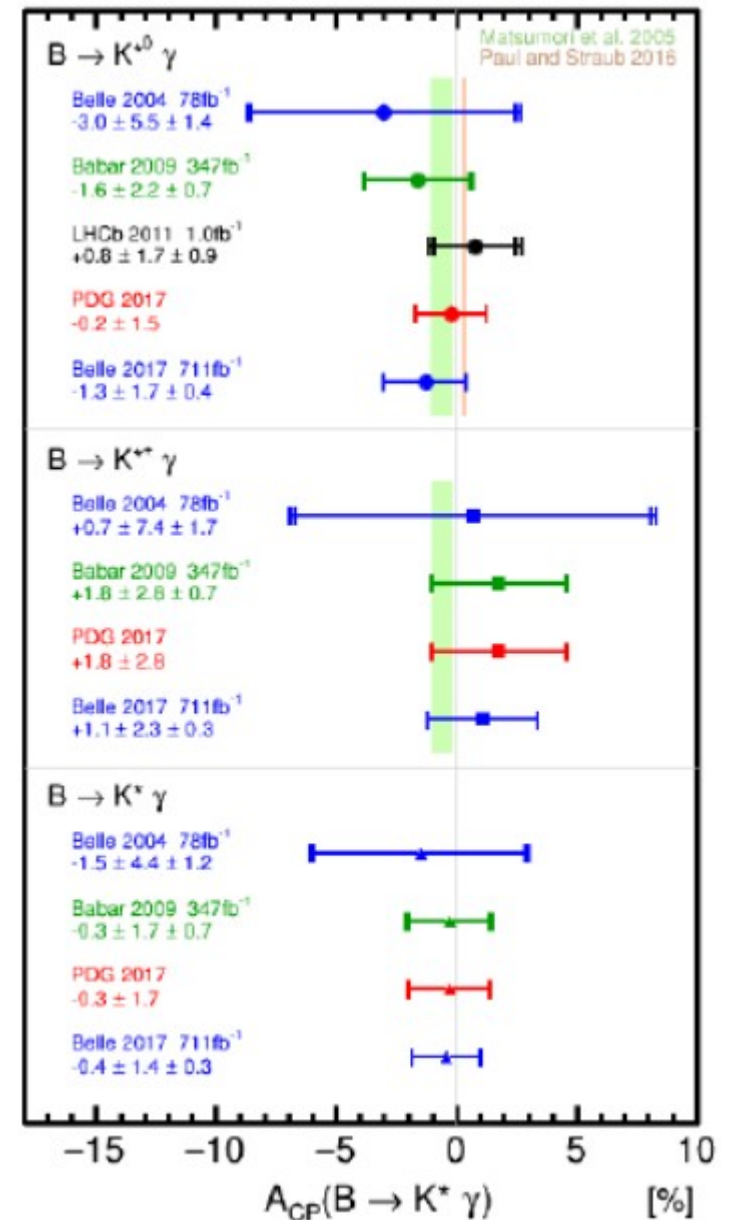
Result: BF ratio

- Sensitive to annihilation diagrams
- Belle measurement from 121 fb^{-1} of data at $Y(5S)$ for $\text{BF} (B_s \rightarrow \phi \gamma)$ is used [Phys. Rev. D 91, 011101 (2015)]
- Only $K^{*0} \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$ mode is used to cancel common systematics
- $\text{BF} (B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \gamma) / \text{BF} (B_s \rightarrow \phi \gamma)$
 $1.10 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.18$
- **Belle** result is consistent with **LHCb** [Nucl. Phys. B 867, 1 (2013)], and theoretical predictions by **Ali, Pecjak and Greub** [Eur. Phys. J. C 55, 577 (2008)] and **Lyon and Zwicky** [Phys. Rev. D 88, 094004 (2013)]



Result : $A_{CP}(B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma)$

- New **Belle** results are most precise to date
- Consistent with zero and previous measurements by **BaBar** [Phys. Rev. Lett. 103, 211802 (2009)] and **LHCb** [Nucl. Phys. B 867, 1 (2013)].
- Consistent with theoretical predictions within the SM by **Matsumori *et al*** [Phys. Rev. D 72, 014013 (2005)] and **Paul and Straub** [arXiv:1608.02556].
- $\Delta A_{CP} = (+2.4 \pm 2.8 \pm 0.5)\%$ consistent with zero.

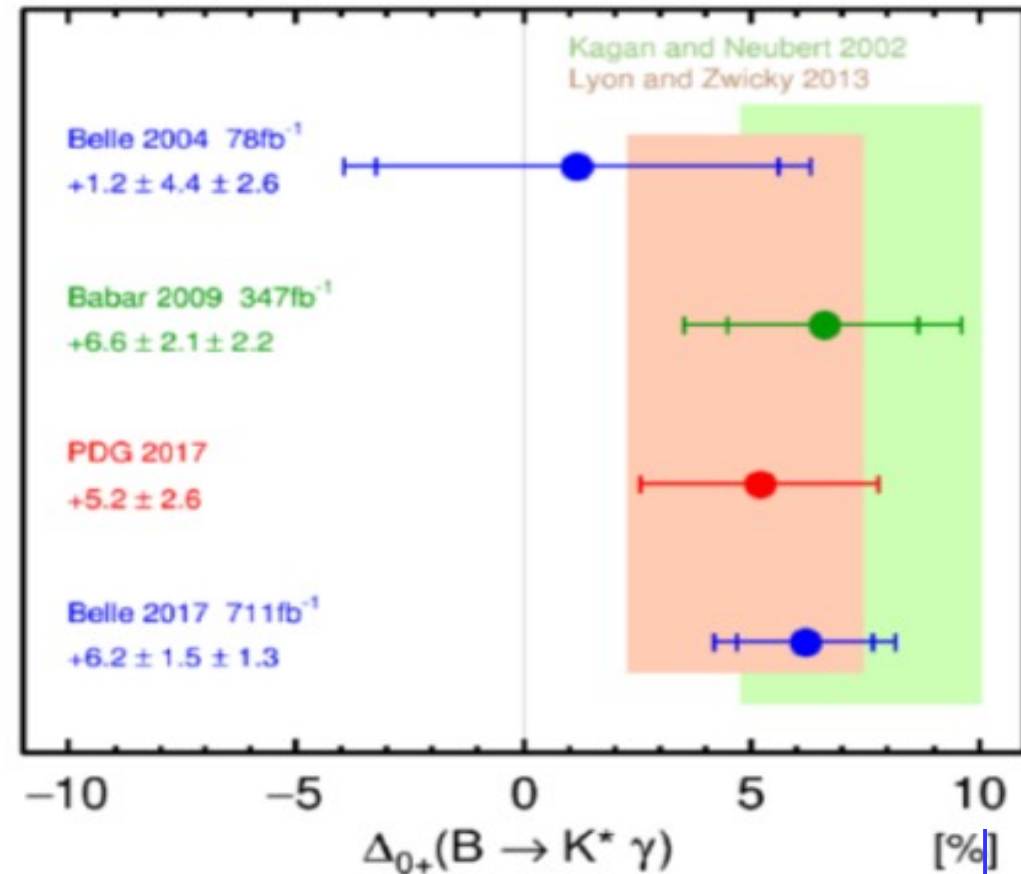


Result : $\Delta_{0+} (B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma)$

- First evidence of isospin violation in $b \rightarrow s$ transition with 3.1σ significance

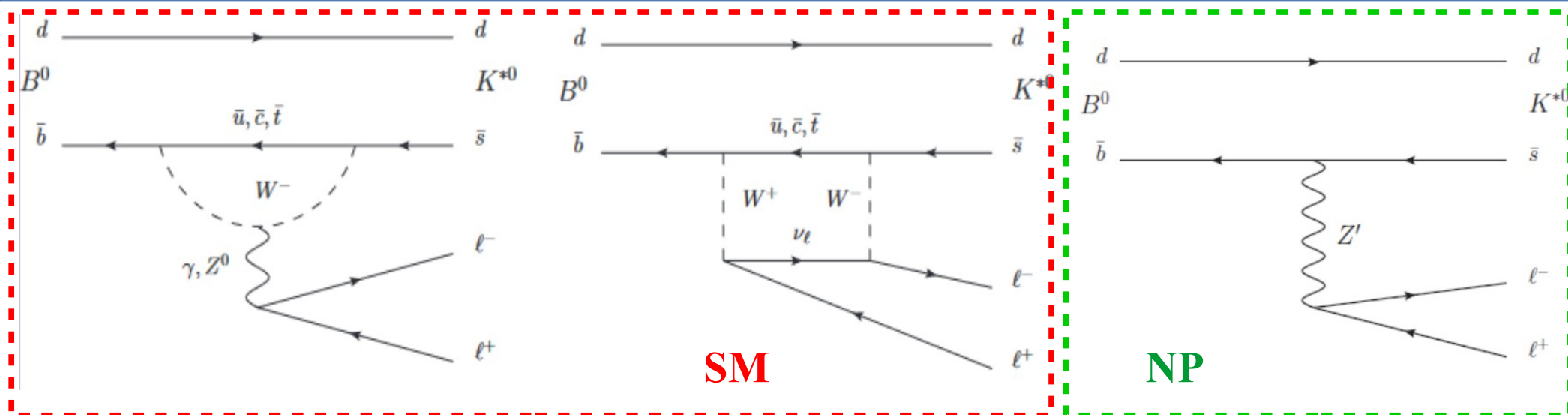
$$\Delta_{0+} = (+6.2 \pm 1.5(\text{stat}) \pm 0.6(\text{sys}) \pm 1.2(f_{+-}/f_{00}))\%$$

- Dominant uncertainties are statistical one and due to f_{+-}/f_{00}
- New **Belle** result is consistent with **BaBar** [Phys. Rev. Lett. 103, 211802 (2009)], and also theoretical predictions within the SM by **Kagan and Neubert** [Phys. Lett. B 539, 227 (2002)] and **Lyon and Zwicky** [Phys. Rev. D 88, 094004 (2013)]

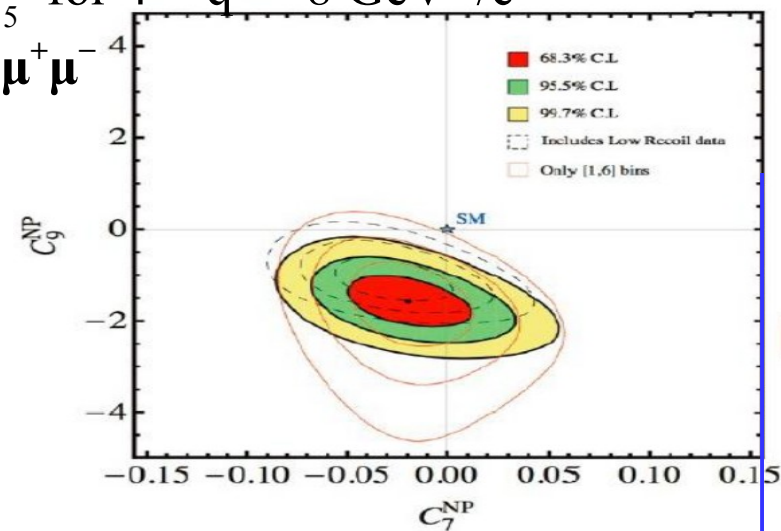


first evidence of isospin violation in $K^* \gamma$!

Angular Analysis of $B \rightarrow K^* l^+ l^-$



- LHCb reported 3.4σ deviation from a SM prediction in P_5' for $4 < q^2 < 8 \text{ GeV}^2/c^2$ which was obtained from full angular analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$
- Global fit to radiative and EW penguin B decays gives Wilson coefficient C_9^{NP} deviated about -1 from SM values
- Motivates to check lepton flavor dependence in angular analysis.



P'_4 and P'_5 observables

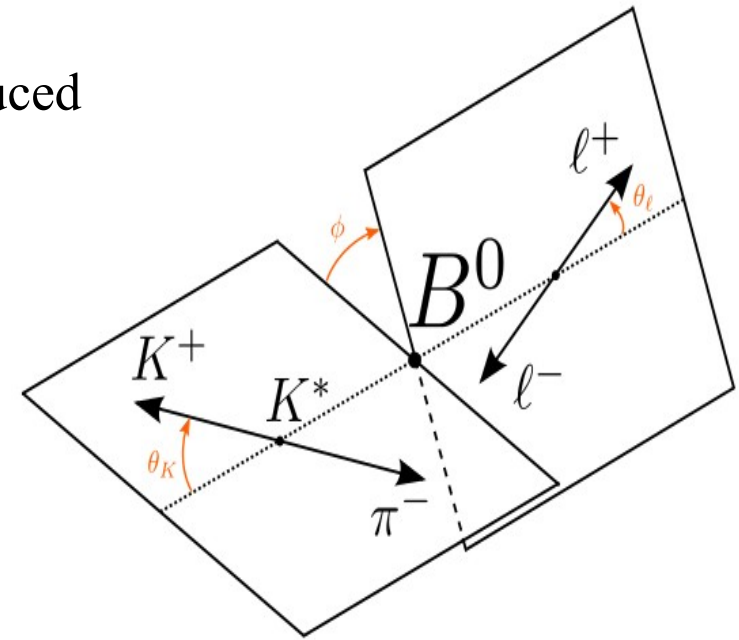
With a transformation of the angles, the dimension is reduced to three free parameters

Each transformation remains three observables S_j , F_L and S_3

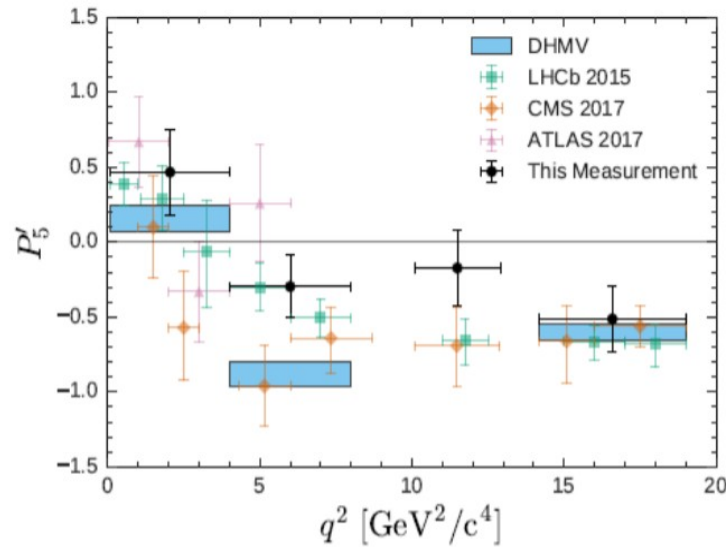
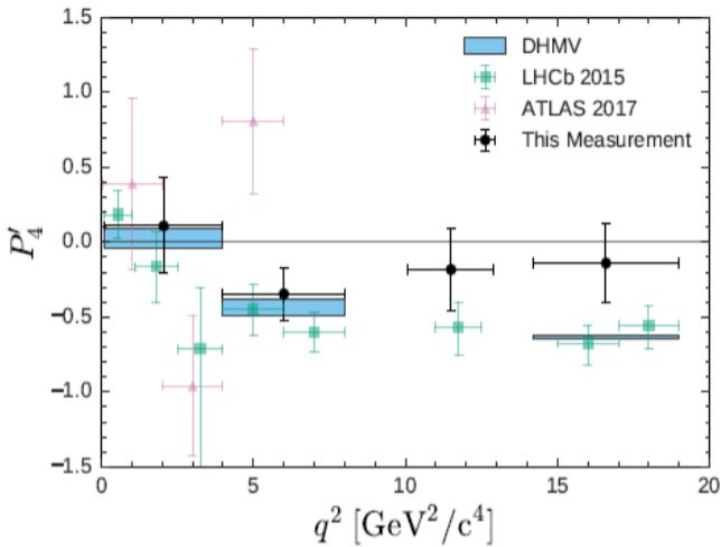
$$P'_{i=4,5,6,8} = \frac{S_{j=4,5,7,8}}{\sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}},$$

$$P'_4, S_4 : \begin{cases} \phi \rightarrow -\phi & \text{for } \phi < 0 \\ \phi \rightarrow \pi - \phi & \text{for } \theta_L > \pi/2 \\ \theta_L \rightarrow \pi - \theta_L & \text{for } \theta_L > \pi/2, \end{cases}$$

$$P'_5, S_5 : \begin{cases} \phi \rightarrow -\phi & \text{for } \phi < 0 \\ \theta_L \rightarrow \pi - \theta_L & \text{for } \theta_L > \pi/2, \end{cases}$$

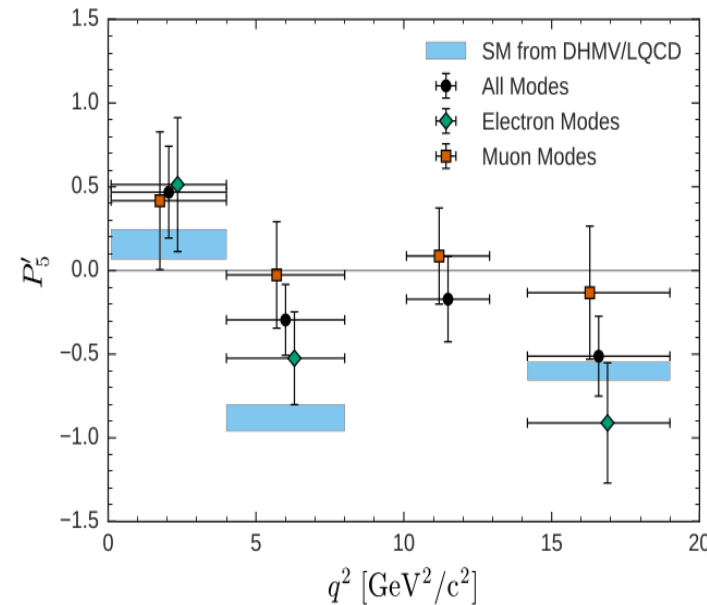
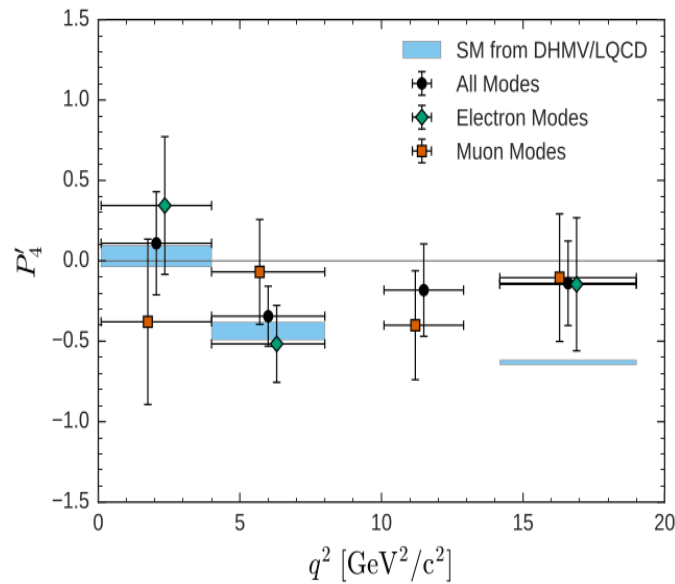


P'_4 and P'_5 observables



Combined Lepton Flavor

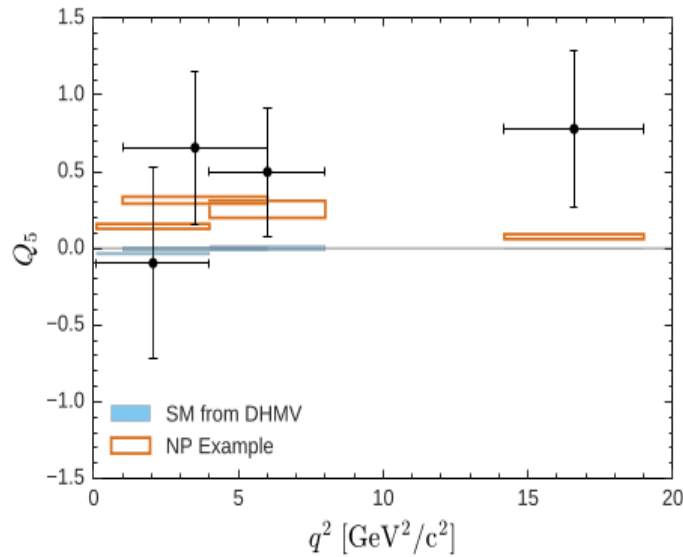
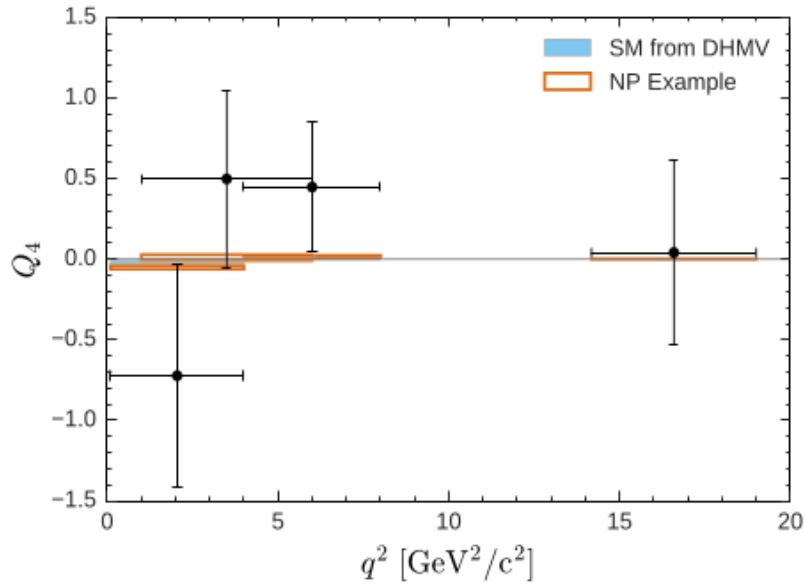
- Compatible with the SM
- Similar central values for the P'_5 anomaly with 2.5 σ tension.



Separate Lepton Flavor

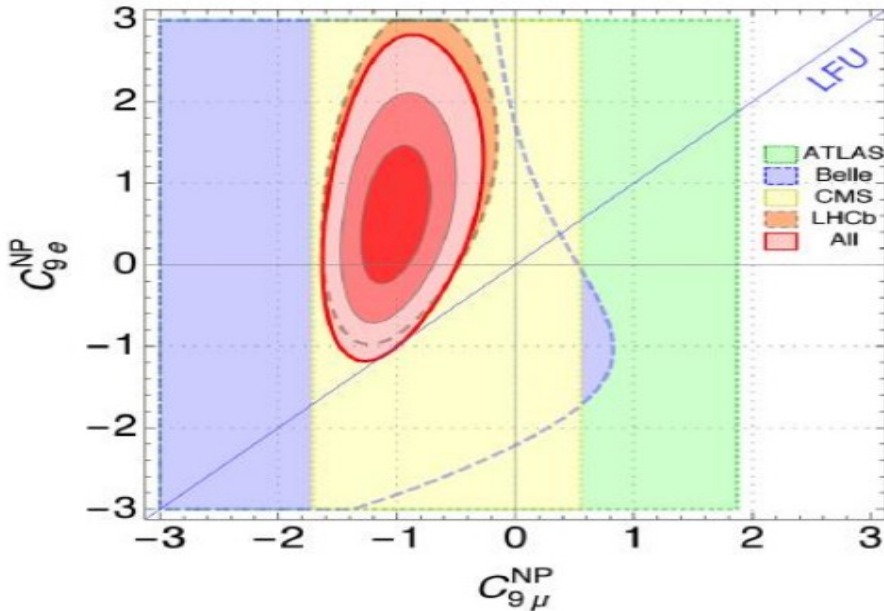
- **Muon** mode with 2.6 σ (largest deviation)
- **Electron** mode with 1.1 σ
- Test on lepton flavor universality

Lepton flavor universality



• $Q_i = P'_i(\mu) - P'_i(e)$
[JHEP 10, 075 (2016)]

- Deviation from zero very sensitive to NP

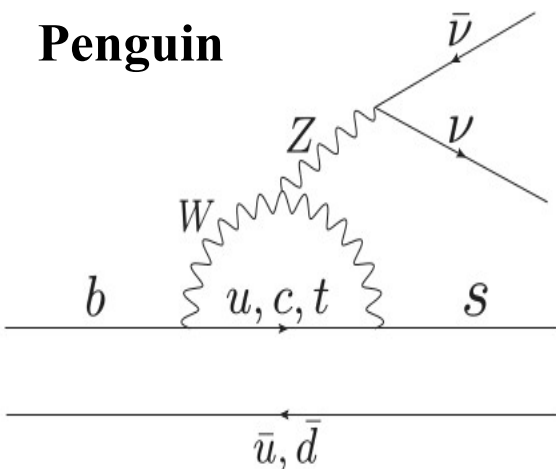


- No significant deviation from zero is discerned.
 - Q_4 and Q_5 observables in agreement with SM and favoring NP scenario.
- [Phys. Rev. Lett. 118, 111801 (2017)]

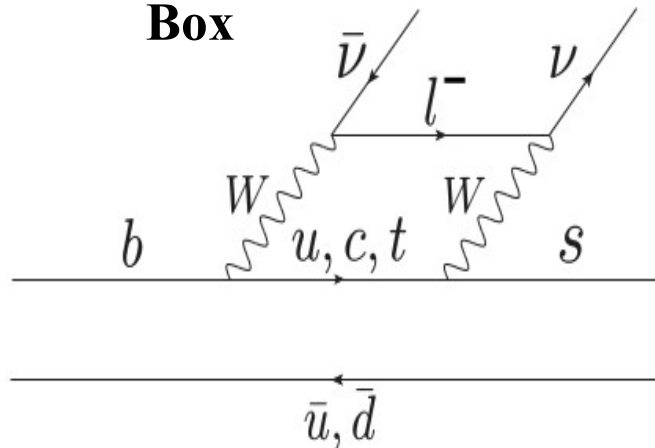
- Global fits including P'_5 , Q_5 , $R(K^*)$, $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$, $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ suggests $C_{9\mu}^{NP} \approx -1.1$

Search for $B \rightarrow h(*) \nu \bar{\nu}$

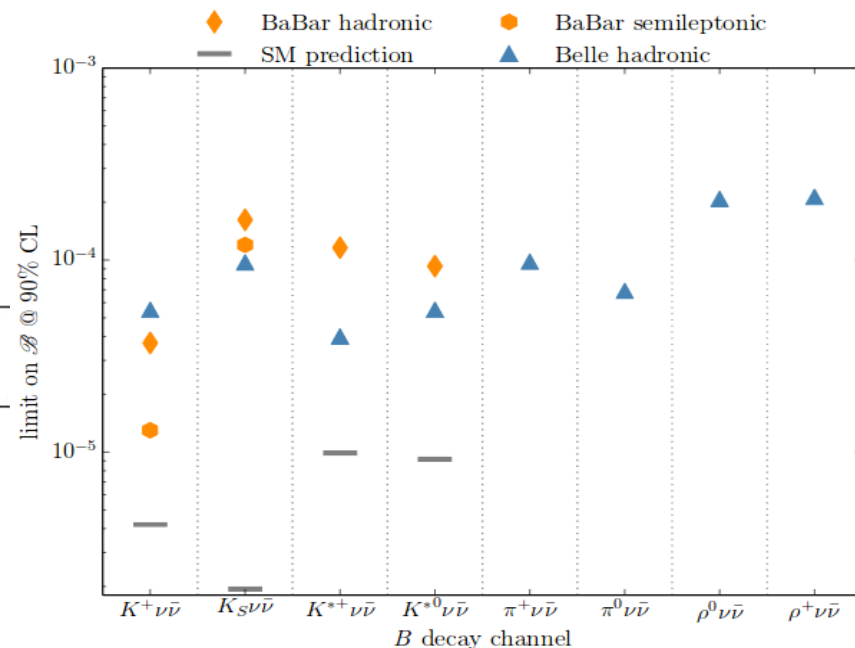
Penguin



Box



- Proceeds via penguin or box diagrams
- Theoretically very clean channel (no charm loops)
- Experimentally challenging, tagging of companion B meson needed
- Hadronic tagging already measured at Belle
[Phys.Rev.D87 111103 (2013)]
- Semileptonic tagging in this analysis.



A. Buras, et al. JHEP 02 184 (2015)

| Mode | $\mathcal{B} [10^{-6}]$ |
|--|--------------------------|
| $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ | $3.98 \pm 0.43 \pm 0.19$ |
| $B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ | $1.85 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.09$ |
| $B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \nu \bar{\nu}$ | $9.91 \pm 0.93 \pm 0.54$ |
| $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \nu \bar{\nu}$ | $9.19 \pm 0.86 \pm 0.50$ |

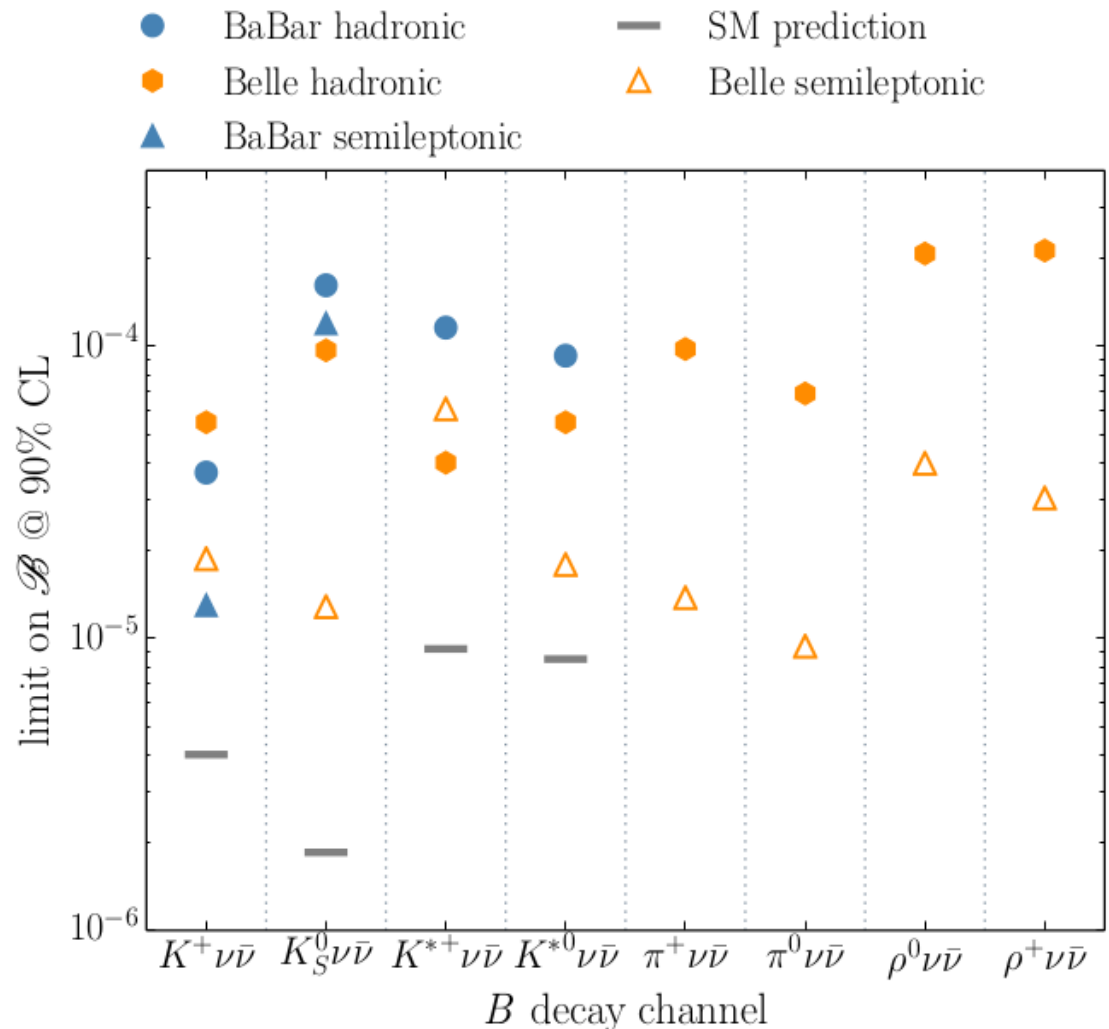
Results of $B \rightarrow h(*)\nu\bar{\nu}$

- $h(*) = K^+, K_S^0, K^{*0}, \pi^+, \pi^0, \rho^+$ and ρ^0
- The limits on the branching fraction for the $B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \nu\bar{\nu}$, $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \nu\bar{\nu}$, $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu\bar{\nu}$, $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu\bar{\nu}$, $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \nu\bar{\nu}$, and $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \nu\bar{\nu}$ channels are the most stringent to date

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K \nu\bar{\nu}) &< 1.6 \times 10^{-5}, \\ \mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^* \nu\bar{\nu}) &< 2.7 \times 10^{-5}, \\ \mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \pi \nu\bar{\nu}) &< 0.8 \times 10^{-5}, \\ \mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \rho \nu\bar{\nu}) &< 2.8 \times 10^{-5}.\end{aligned}$$

- $B \rightarrow K \nu\bar{\nu}$ and of $B \rightarrow K^* \nu\bar{\nu}$:

$$R_K < 3.9 \quad R_{K^*} < 2.7 \text{ @ C.L 90\%}$$

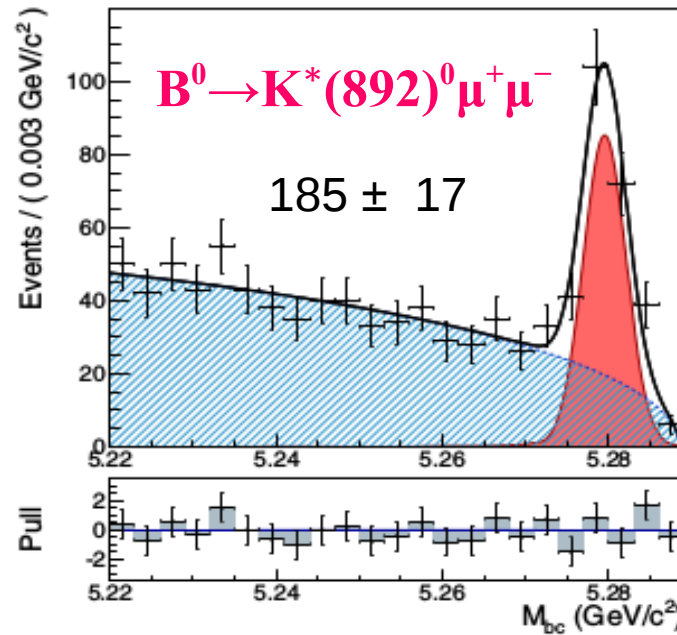
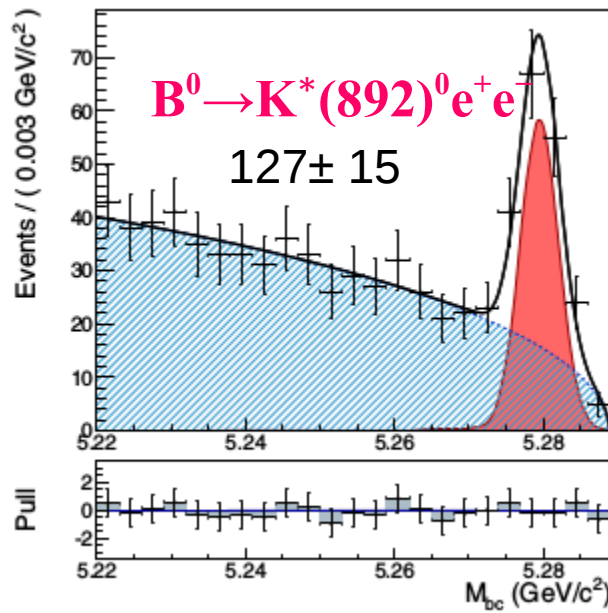


The largest signal contribution is observed in the $B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \nu\bar{\nu}$ with a significance of 2.3σ

Summary

- New measurement of $B \rightarrow K^*(892)\gamma$ performed
First evidence for Isospin Violation in $b \rightarrow s$ transition with 3.1σ significance
All the measurements are most precise to date
Used to constrain new physics
- Current A_{CP} measurements are dominated by the statistical uncertainty; thus, the upcoming Belle II experiment will further reduce the uncertainty. To observe the isospin violation with 5σ significance at Belle II, reduction of the dominant uncertainty due to f_{+-}/f_{00} is essential, and can be performed at both Belle and Belle II.
- First Lepton Flavor dependent angular analysis of $B \rightarrow K^* l^+ l^-$ performed
Consistent with both SM and NP with $C_{9\mu}^{NP} \approx -1.1$
*** See Saurabh's talk on 14th December 2017**
- Search for $B \rightarrow h(*)\nu\nu$
Most stringent limits till date in most channels
Close to SM prediction in $K(*)$ mode
Golden channel for Belle II

Thank you !!



$$\frac{1}{d\Gamma/dq^2} \frac{d^4\Gamma}{d\cos\theta_\ell d\cos\theta_K d\phi dq^2} = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K + F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \right. \\
+ \frac{1}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell \\
- F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell + S_3 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_\ell \cos 2\phi \\
+ S_4 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \cos \phi + S_5 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \cos \phi \\
+ S_6 \sin^2 \theta_K \cos \theta_\ell + S_7 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \sin \phi \\
\left. + S_8 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \sin \phi + S_9 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_\ell \sin 2\phi \right],$$

| q^2 in GeV^2/c^2 | Q_4 | Q_5 |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| [1.00, 6.00] | $0.498 \pm 0.527 \pm 0.166$ | $0.656 \pm 0.485 \pm 0.103$ |
| [0.10, 4.00] | $-0.723 \pm 0.676 \pm 0.163$ | $-0.097 \pm 0.601 \pm 0.164$ |
| [4.00, 8.00] | $0.448 \pm 0.392 \pm 0.076$ | $0.498 \pm 0.410 \pm 0.095$ |
| [14.18, 19.00] | $0.041 \pm 0.565 \pm 0.082$ | $0.778 \pm 0.502 \pm 0.065$ |