

# Detecting CP violation with B decays

## *Lecture 2: Detecting*

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- 1) CP violation: CKM and the SM
- 2) Detecting: Detector requirements
- 3) B-decays:  $\sin 2\beta$ ,  $\phi_s$ ,  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ K^-$

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  - pp: LHCb
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  - Tracking
  - Particle identification of final state products
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# B physics: where?

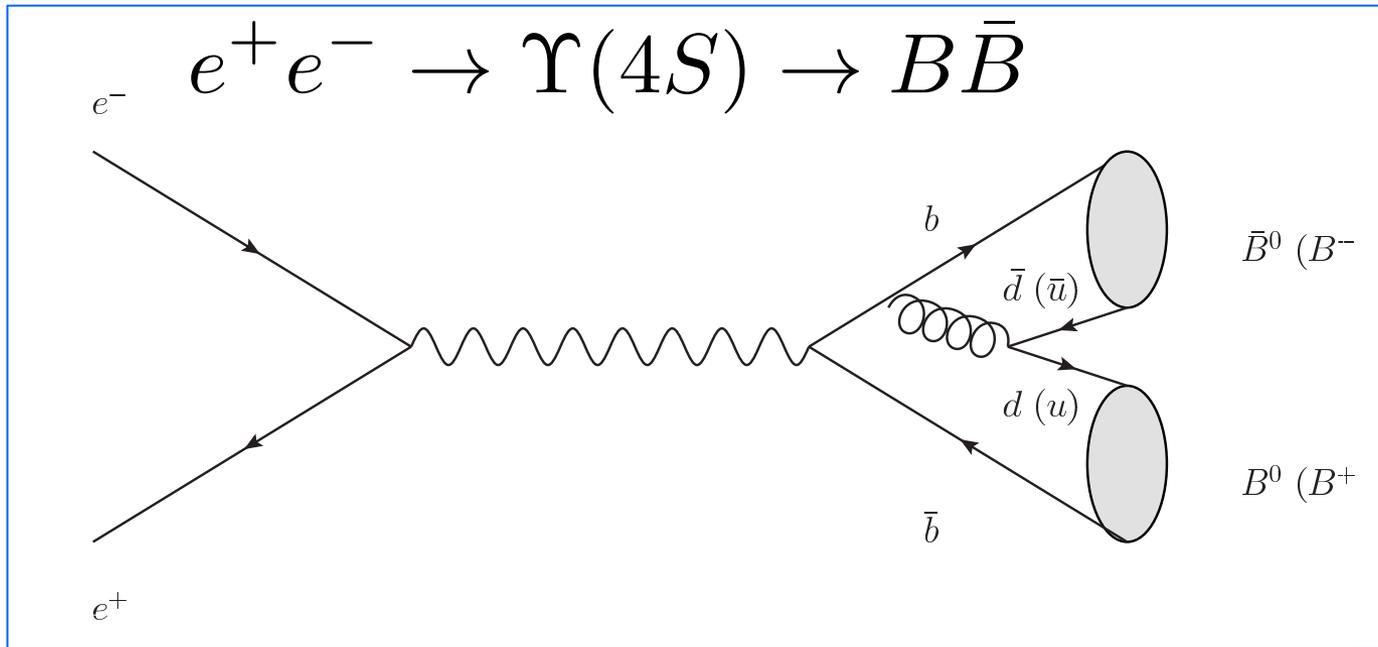
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- The golden decay  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_s$



# Production of B mesons: B-factories

- Center-of-mass energy of 10.58 GeV

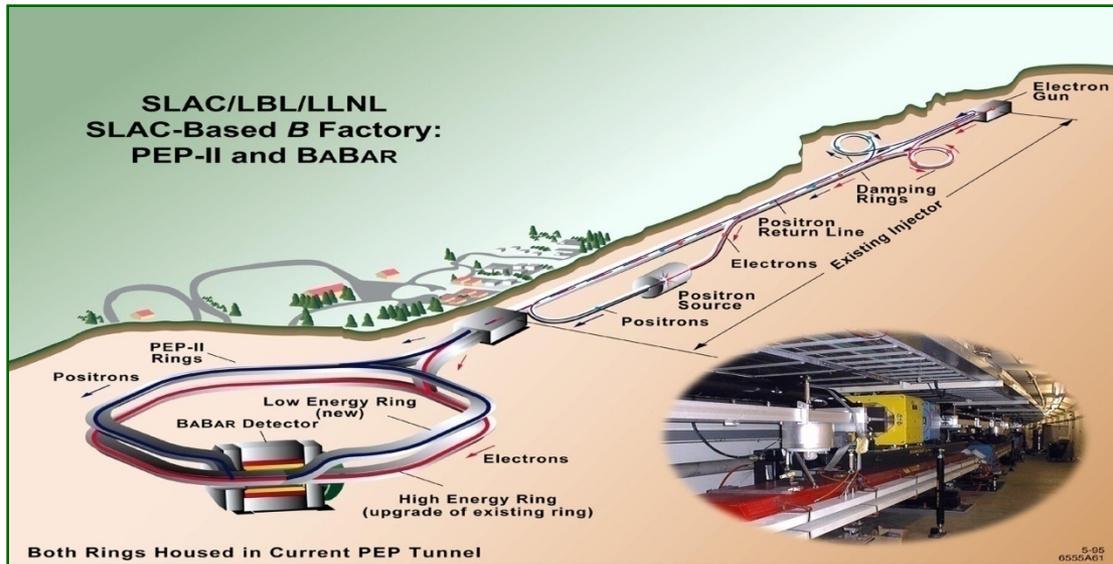
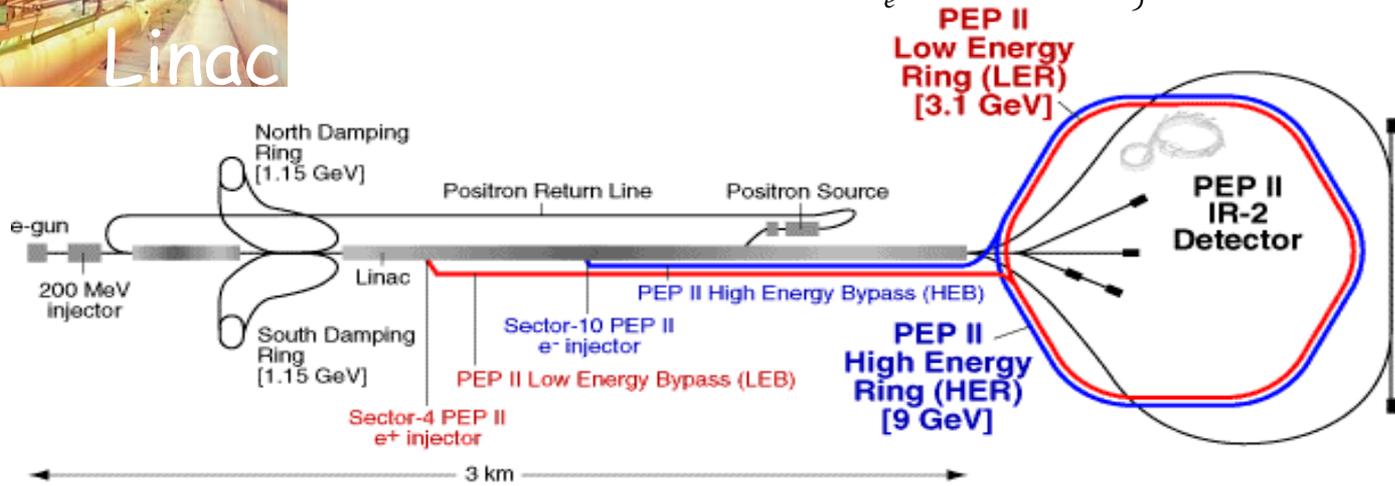


- B mesons at rest? Difficult to measure the decay time...

# SLAC: LINAC + PEP II



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PEP-II accelerator schematic and tunnel view



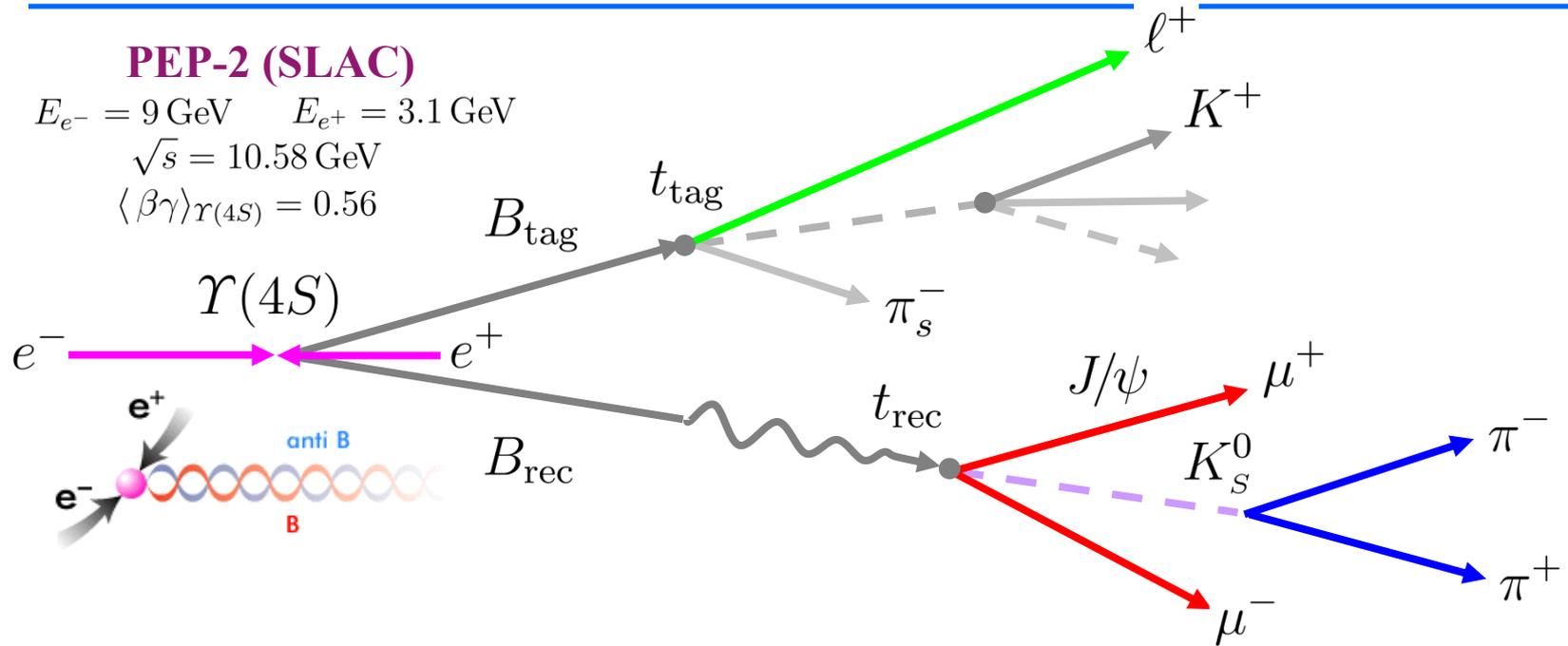
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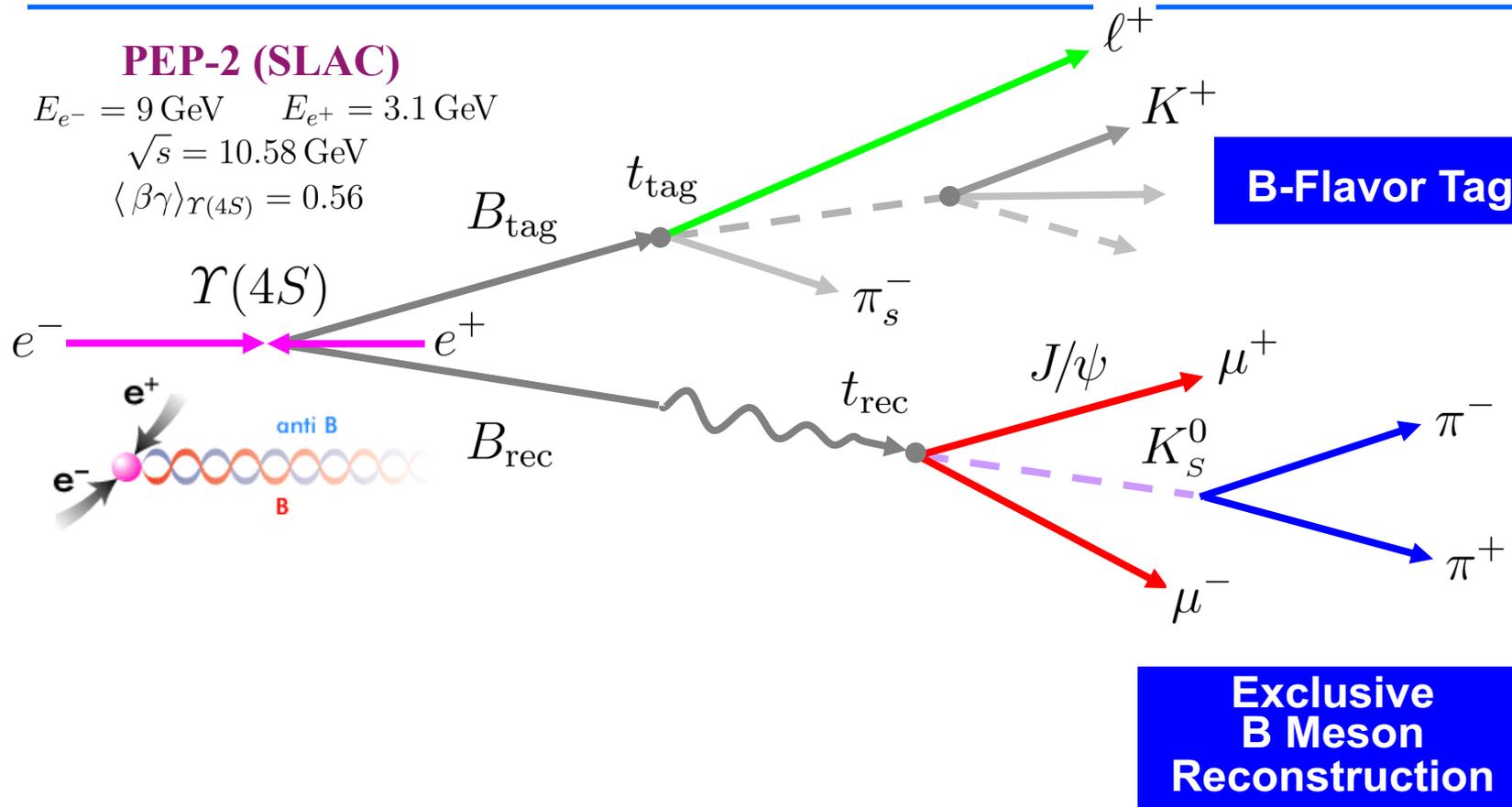
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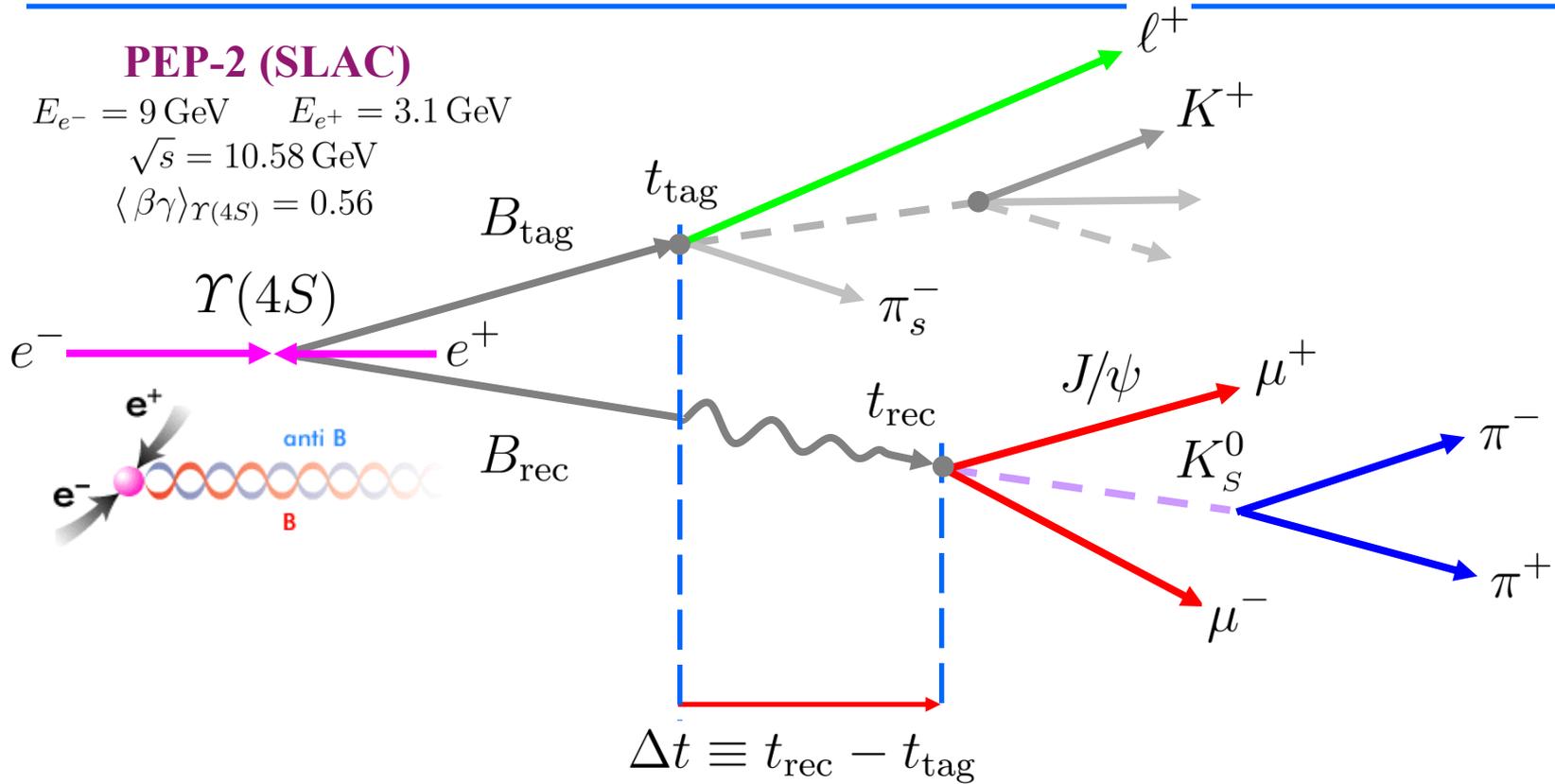
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**Vertexing &  
Time Difference  
Determination**

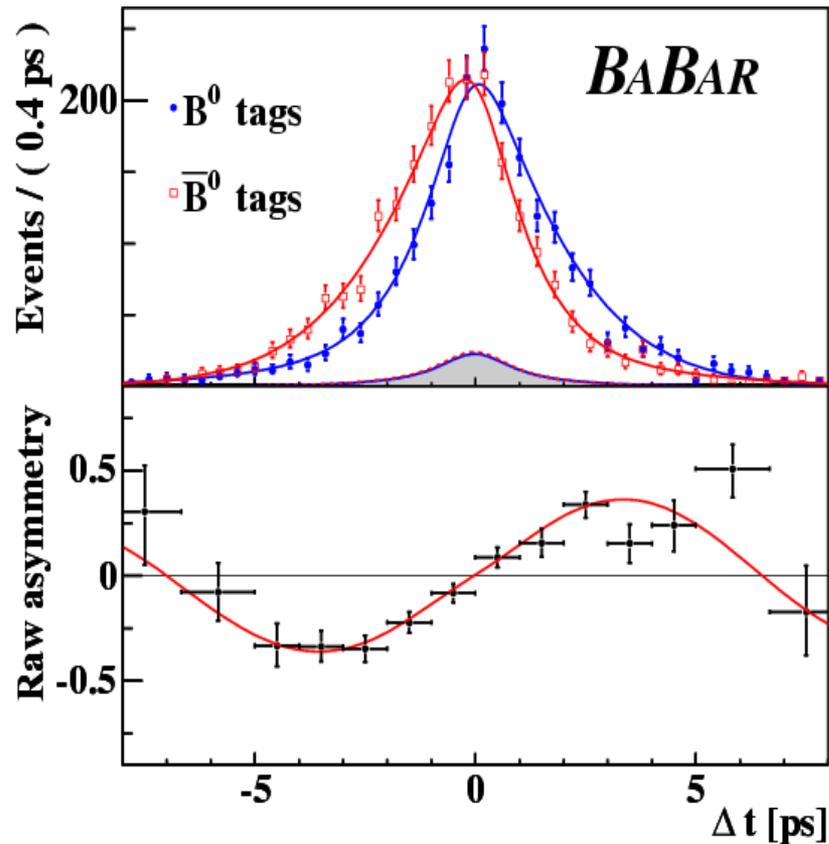
$$\Delta t \approx \Delta z / c \langle \beta\gamma \rangle_{\Upsilon(4S)}$$

$$\langle \Delta z \rangle_{B\bar{B}} \approx 260 \mu\text{m}$$

# Intermezzo: Time-dependent CP asymmetry

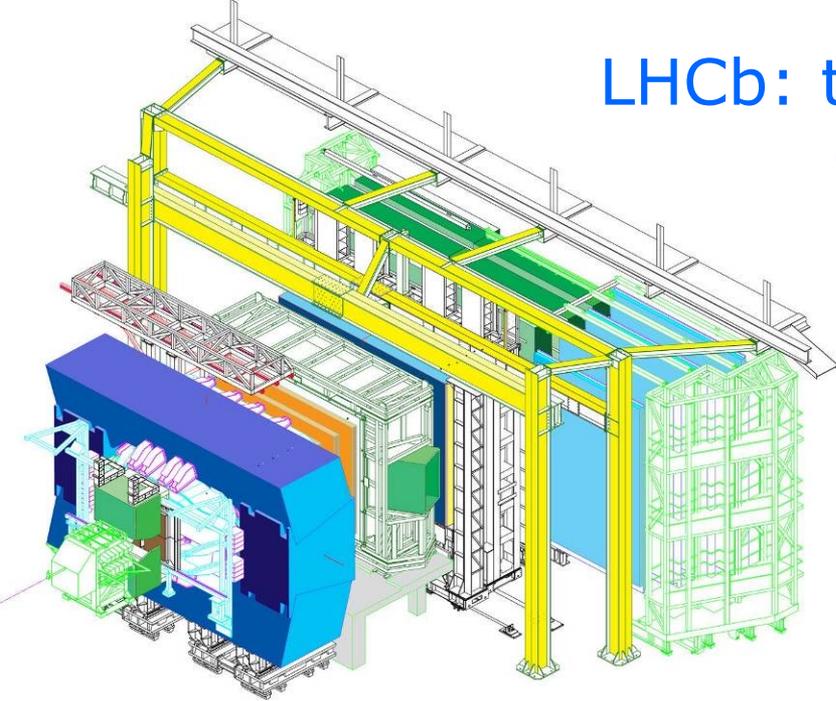
$$B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S$$

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{N_{\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f} - N_{B^0 \rightarrow f}}{N_{\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f} + N_{B^0 \rightarrow f}} = \sin(2\beta) \sin(\Delta m t)$$

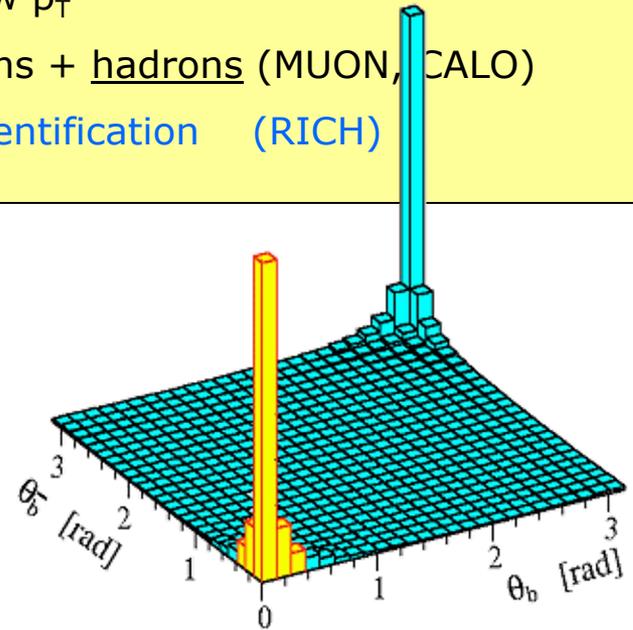


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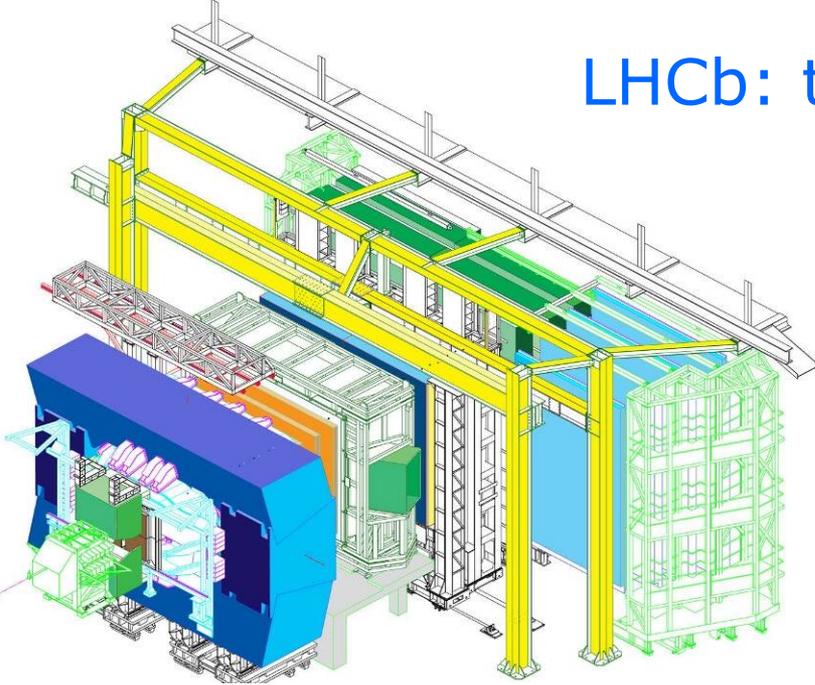
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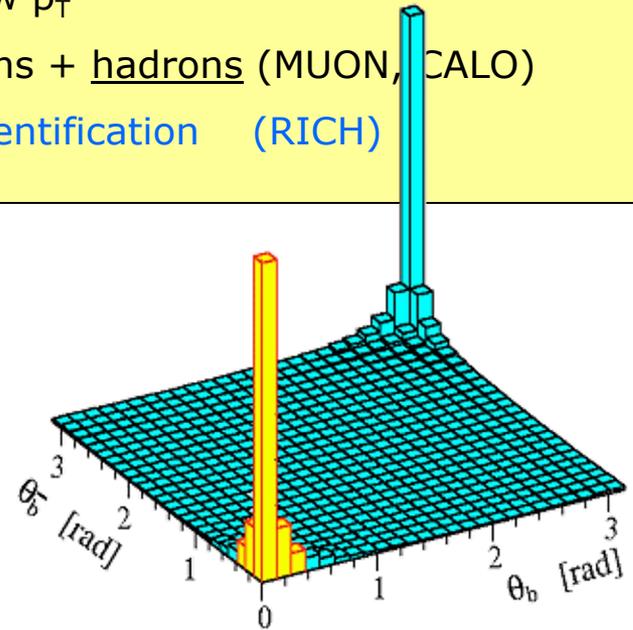
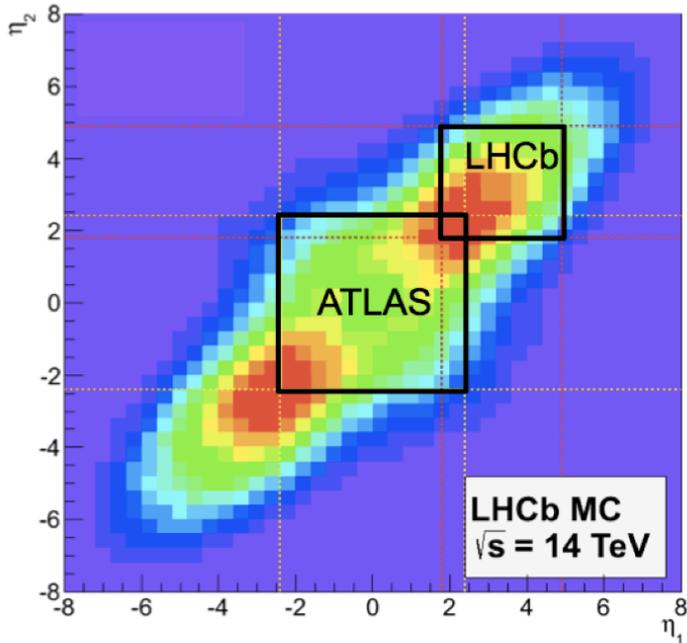


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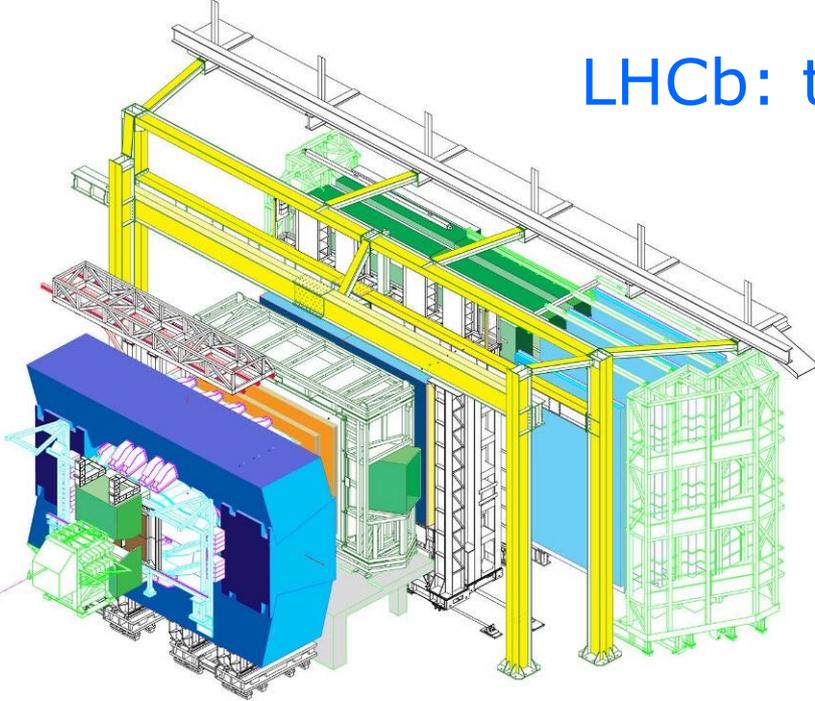


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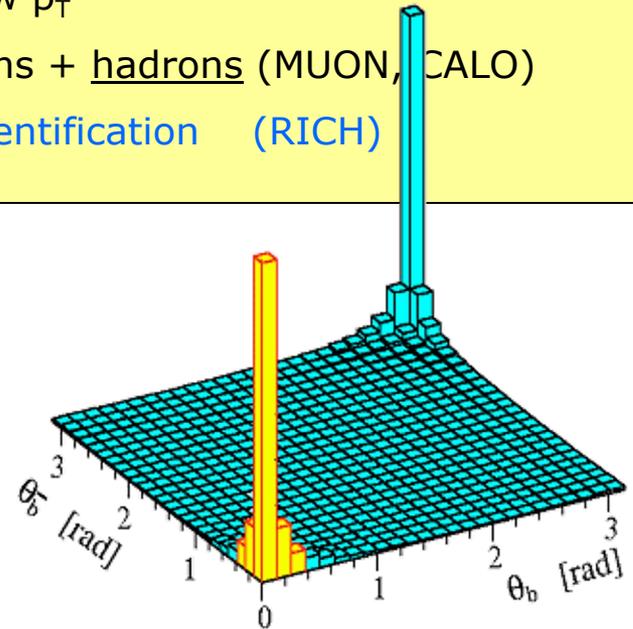
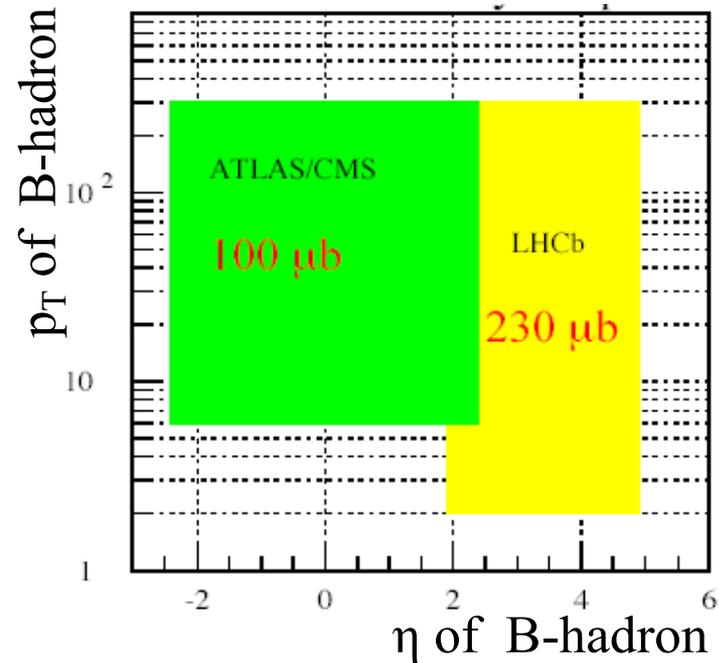
$b\bar{b}$  production



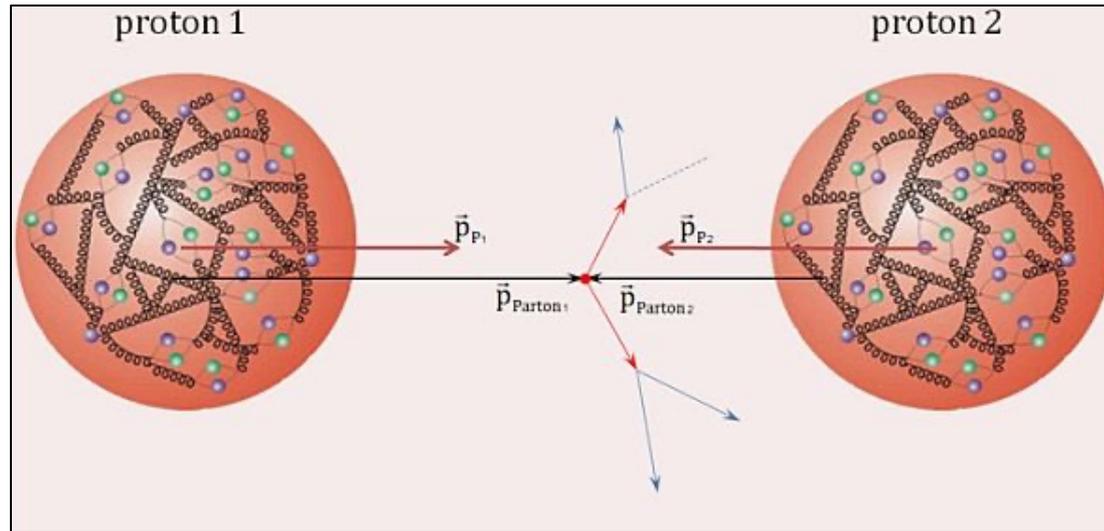
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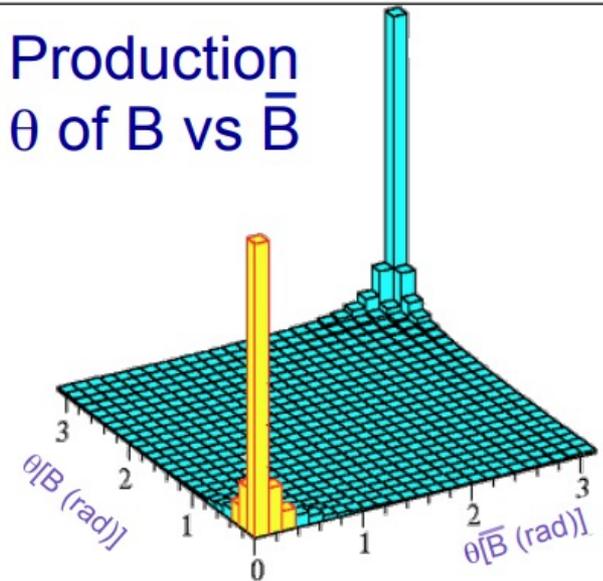


# B hadron production



- Dominant production mechanism is through **gluon fusion**
- Momenta of the incoming **partons** are strongly asymmetric
- Center of mass energy of the produced  $b\bar{b}$  pair is **boosted**
- Both  $b$  hadrons are produced in the same **forward** (or backward) direction

Production  
 $\theta$  of  $B$  vs  $\bar{B}$

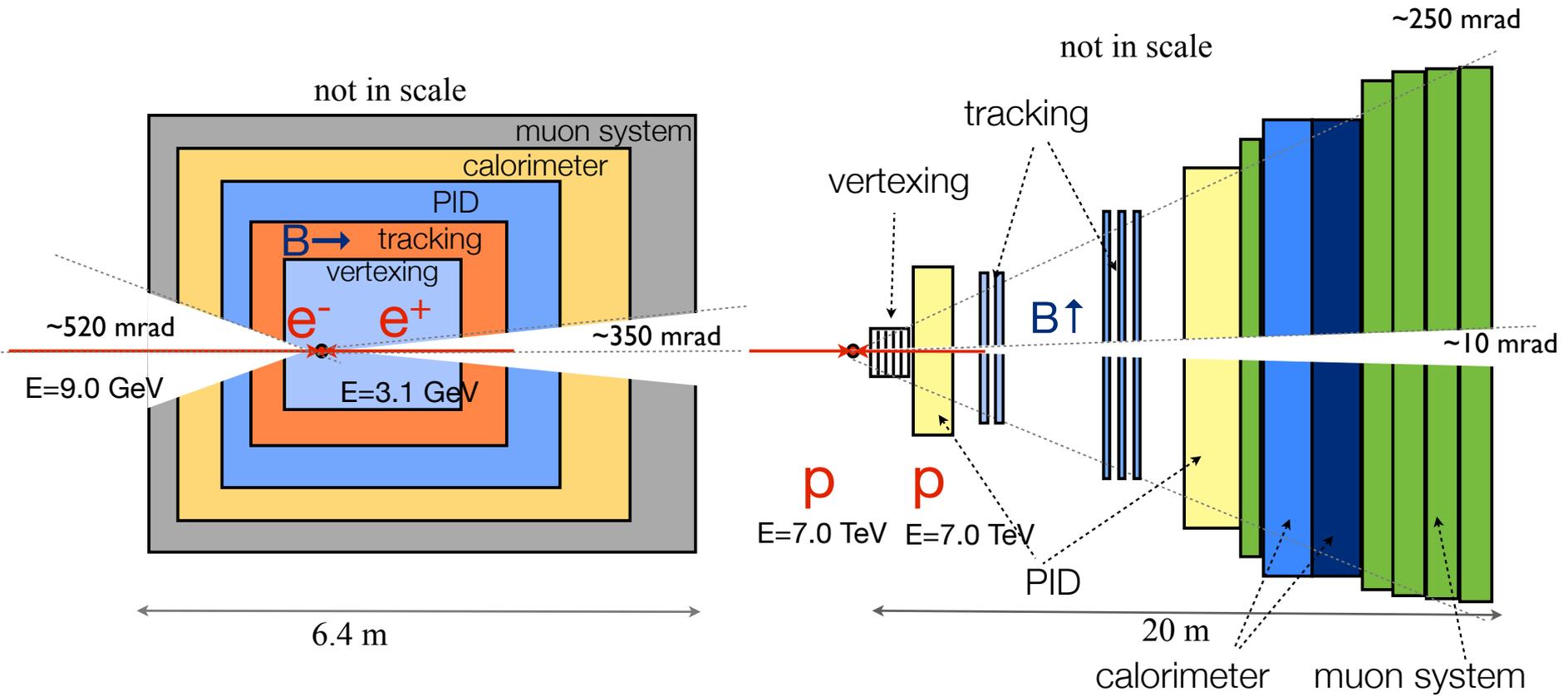


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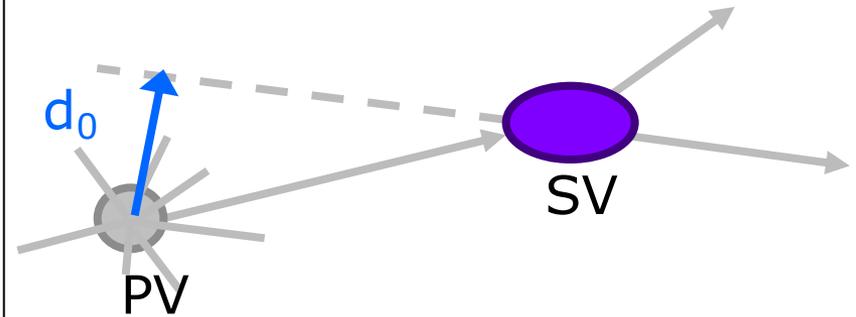
# Different detectors



# What is the key physical parameter?

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- **Impact parameter** resolution is mandatory for reconstruction of heavy flavour vertices.
- **Secondary vertex** reconstruction depends on impact parameter resolution
- lifetimes of  $\sim 10^{-13}$  s (100 fs) require IP precision  $< 10$   $\mu\text{m}$



# IP resolution

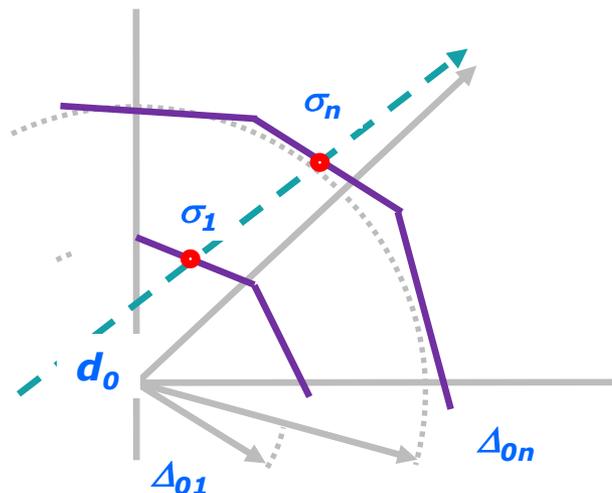
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$$\sigma_{d_0}^2 = \frac{\pi}{2} \sigma_{IP}^2 = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{\Delta_{0n}^2 \sigma_1^2 + \Delta_{01}^2 \sigma_n^2}{\Delta_{1n}^2} + \theta_0^2 \Delta_{01}^2 \right]$$

$$\sigma_1^2$$

$$\Delta_{01}^2$$

$$\theta_0 = \frac{13.6}{p} \sqrt{x/X_0} [1 + 0.038 \ln(x/X_0)]$$

# Distance to the vertex

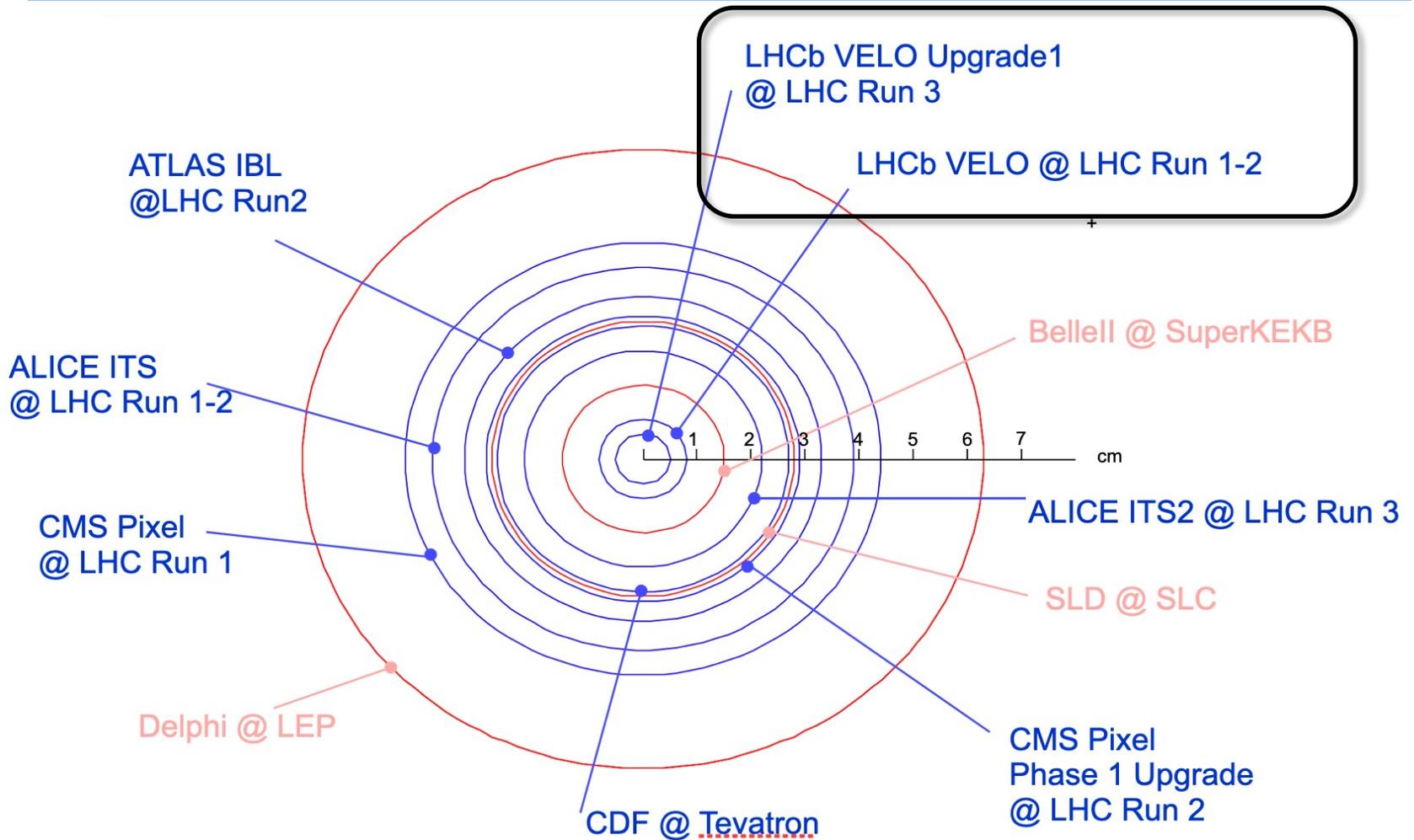
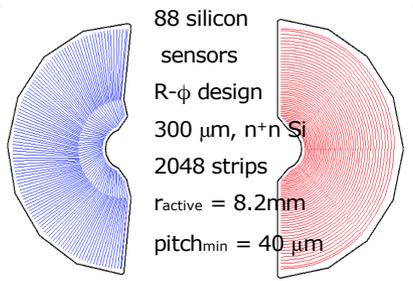
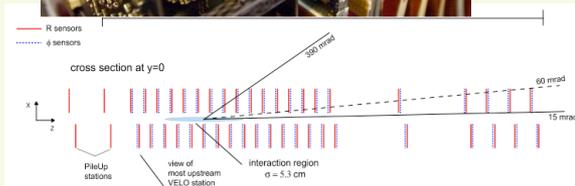


Fig.: Minimum radius of silicon vertex detectors at hadron and lepton colliders, up to start of LHC Run 3.

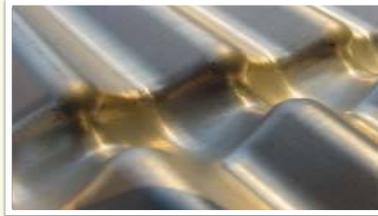
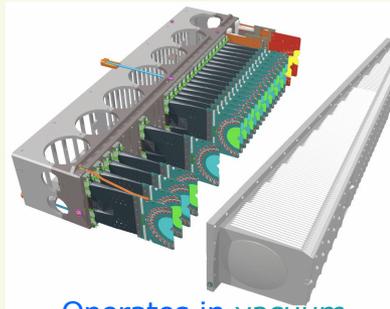
# Vertexing: detector choice

## Sensors



Moves away every fill and centers around the beam with self measured vertices

## Vacuum



Separated from primary vacuum by thin RF foil with complex shape  
– Protection from beam pickup

## Cooling

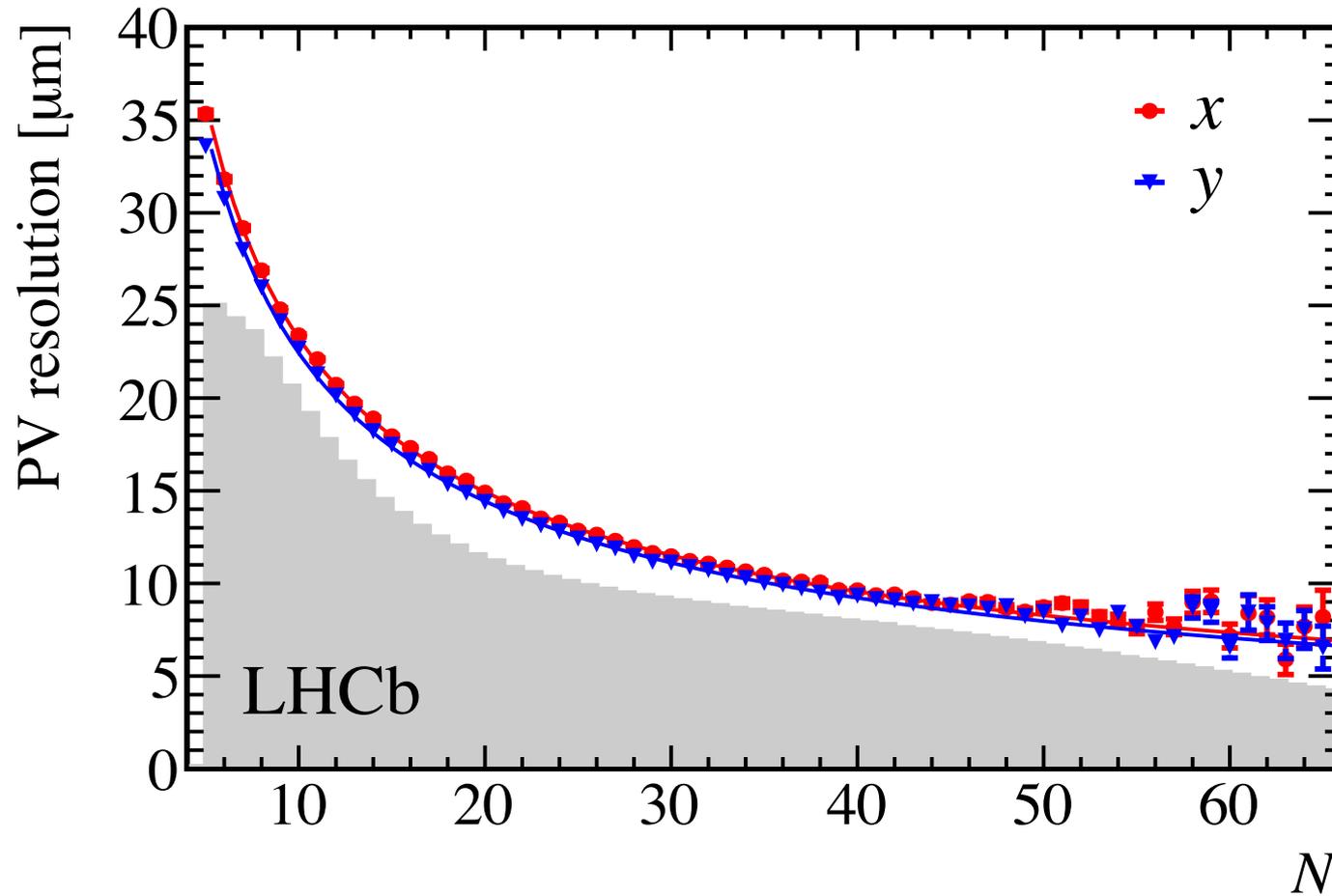


Evaporation of CO<sub>2</sub> keeps the temperature stable.

## Radiation exposure

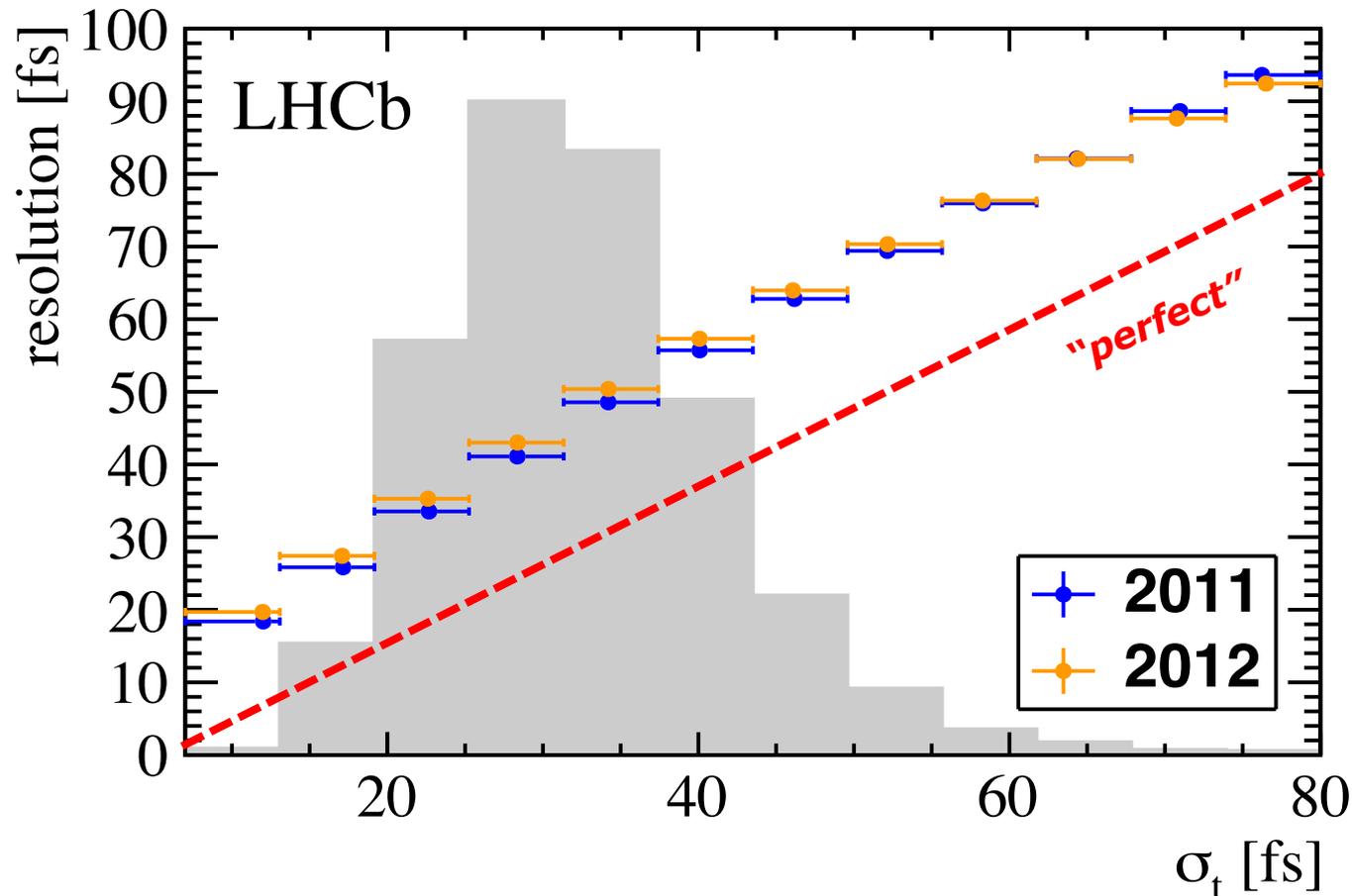
LHC RUN I	Delivered Luminosity	Highest Fluence* per fb <sup>-1</sup>
CMS pixel	~29.5 fb <sup>-1</sup>	3x10 <sup>12</sup> 1MeV n <sub>eq</sub> /cm <sup>2</sup> At 39 mm
VELO	~3.4 fb <sup>-1</sup>	5x10 <sup>13</sup> MeV n <sub>eq</sub> /cm <sup>2</sup> At 8 mm

# LHCb vertex performance



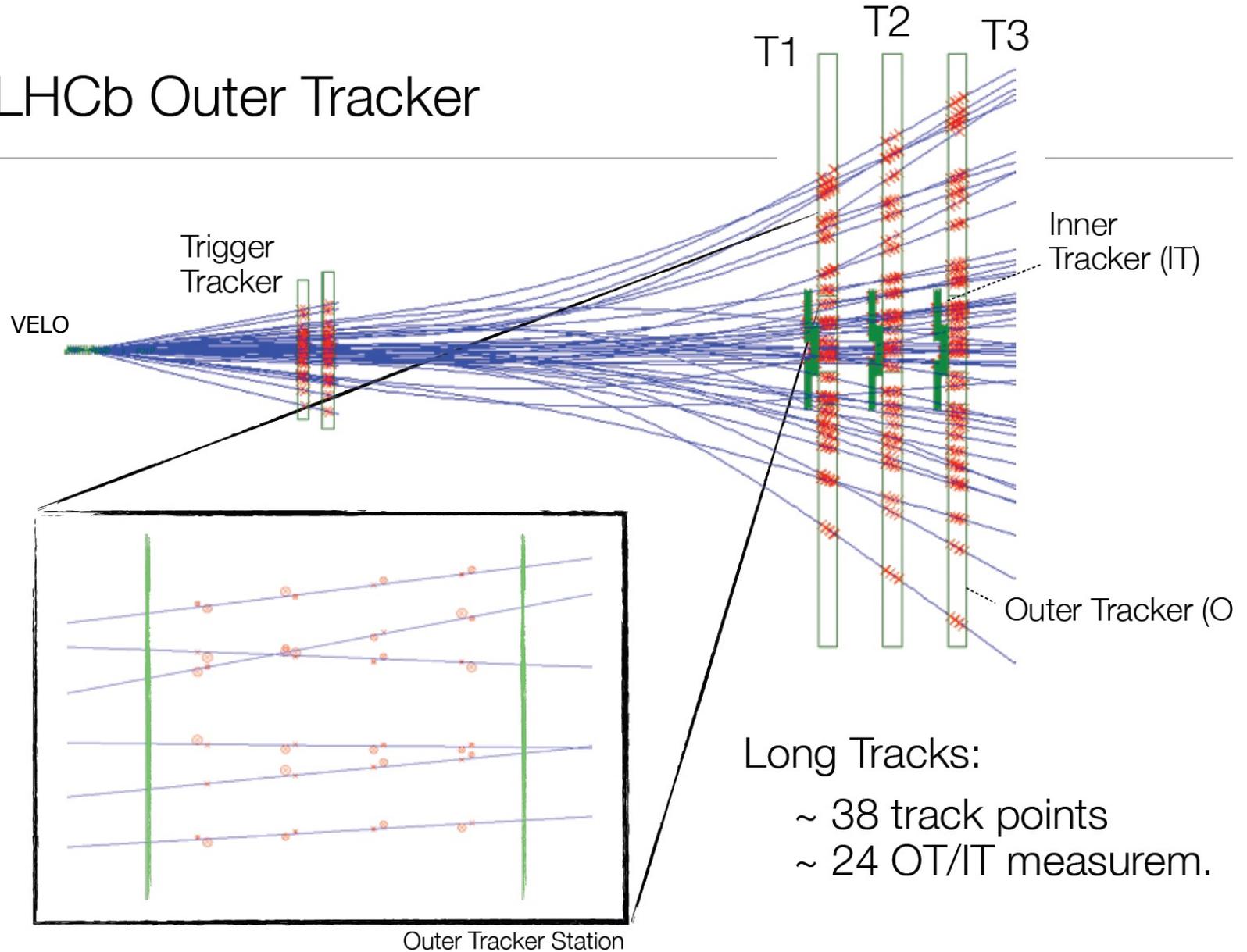
# LHCb secondary vertex performance: Decay time

- Estimate decay time uncertainty from track parameters
- Measure the resolution: *calibration*



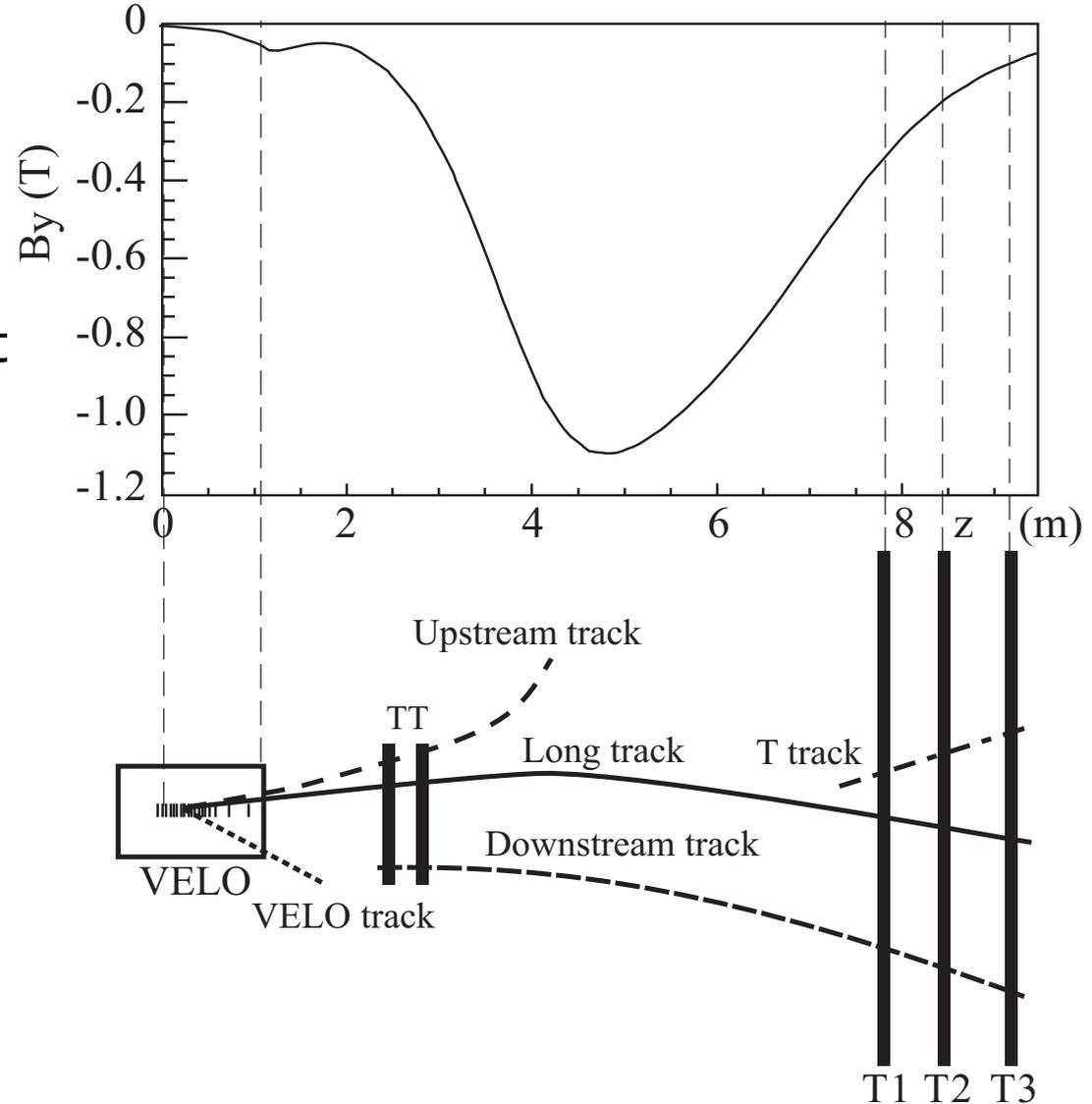
# Tracking

## LHCb Outer Tracker



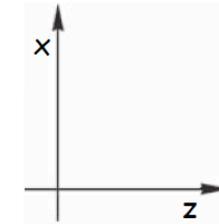
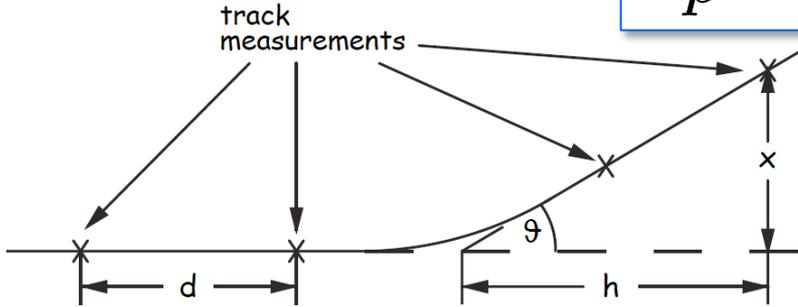
# Tracking

- Find tracks
  - Efficiency
  - Tag-and-probe
- Momentum measurement
  - Mass resolution

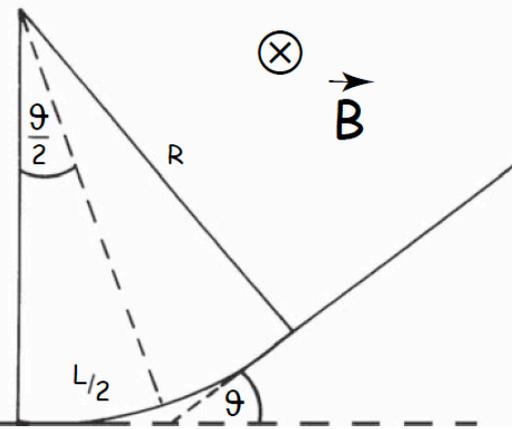


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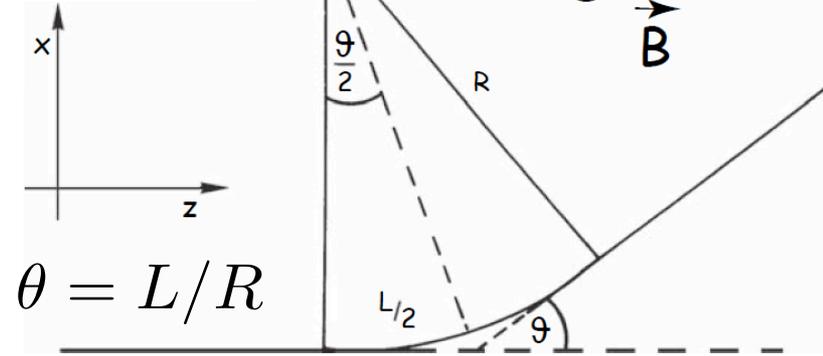
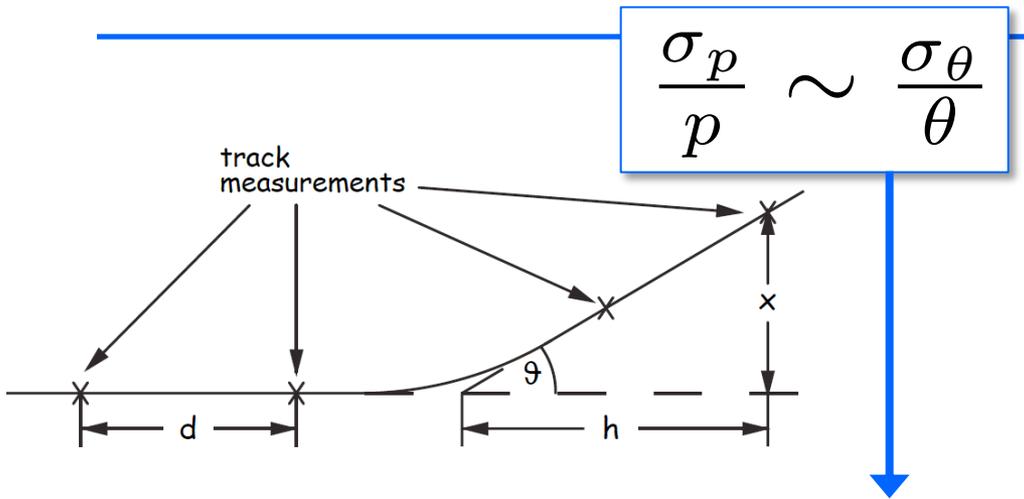
$$\frac{\sigma_p}{p} \sim \frac{\sigma_\theta}{\theta}$$



$$\theta = L/R$$



# Momentum resolution



Contribution from measurement error

$$\frac{\sigma_p}{p} \sim \frac{\sigma_x}{h} \frac{p}{qBL}$$

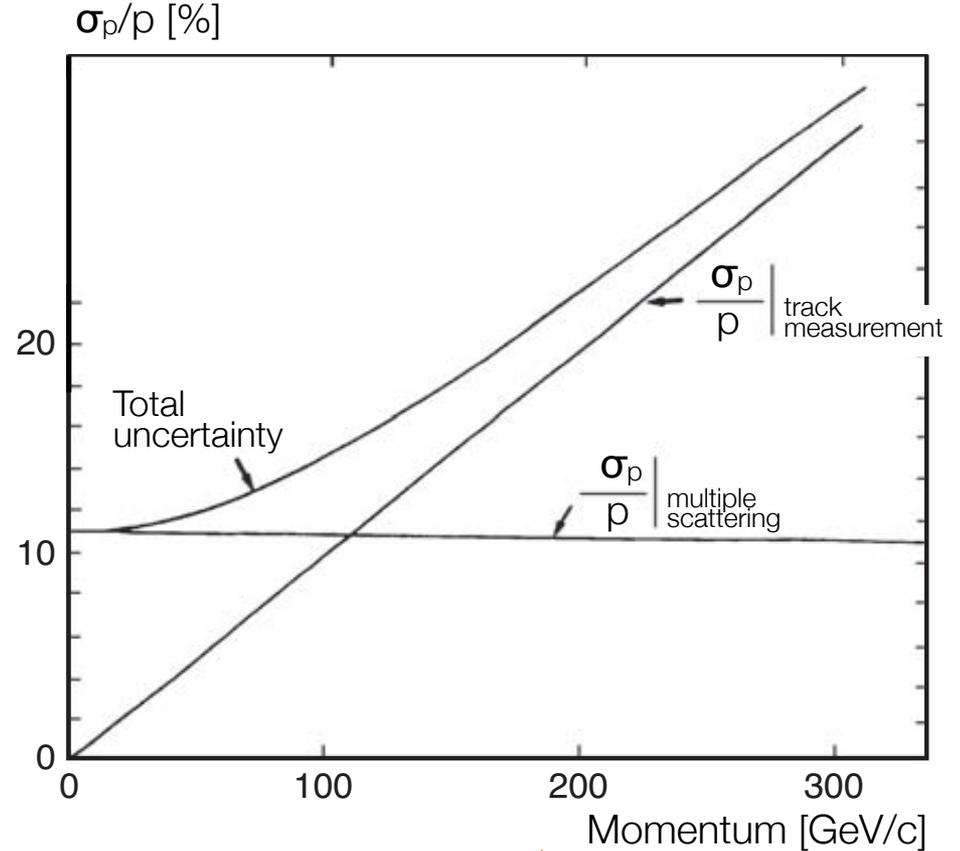
- 1) Hit error  $\sigma_x$
- 2) Lever arm  $h$
- 3) Magnetic field  $BL$

Contribution from multiple scattering

$$\left(\frac{\sigma_p}{p}\right)_{ms} \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{LX_0}B}$$

$$\left(\frac{\sigma_{p_t}}{p_t}\right)^2 = \text{const} \cdot \left(\frac{p_t}{BL^2}\right)^2 + \text{const} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{B\sqrt{LX_0}}\right)^2$$

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# A quick example: how to design your tracker?

- Momentum measurement:

- $P[\text{GeV}] = 0.3 B [\text{T}] R[\text{m}]$

- Sagitta:  $s = \frac{L^2}{8R}$

- So, let's say

- $L = 4 \text{ m}$

- $B = 1 \text{ T}$

- $p = 100 \text{ GeV}$

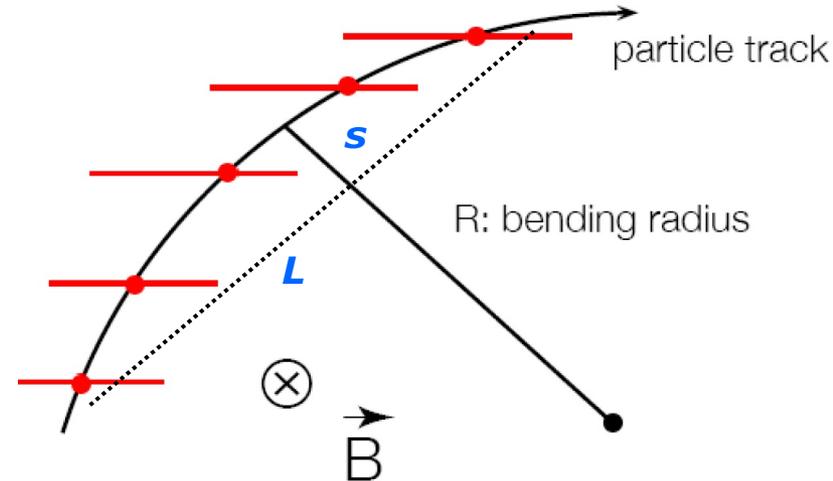
- Then

- Bending radius:  $R = 100/0.3 = 330 \text{ m}$

- Sagitta:  $s = 16/8 * 330 = 6 \text{ mm}$

- If we want a 1% error on P then we need approximately:

- $\frac{\sigma_p}{p} \approx \frac{\sigma_s}{s} = 1\% = 60 \mu\text{m}$



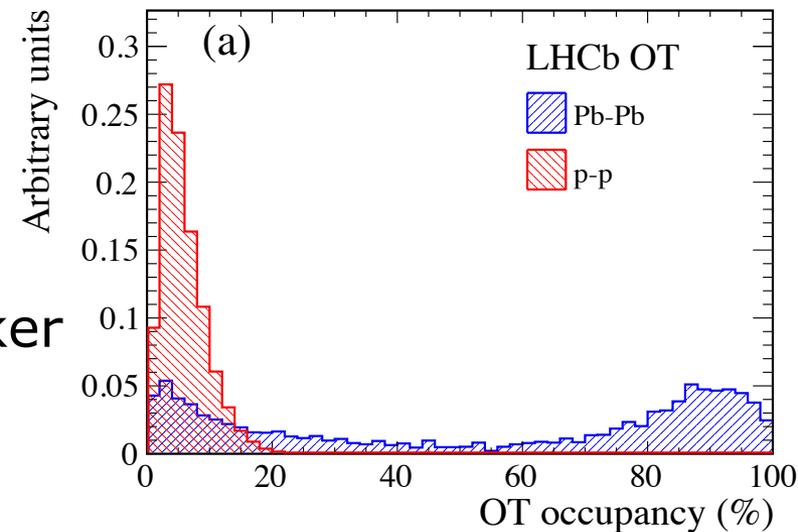
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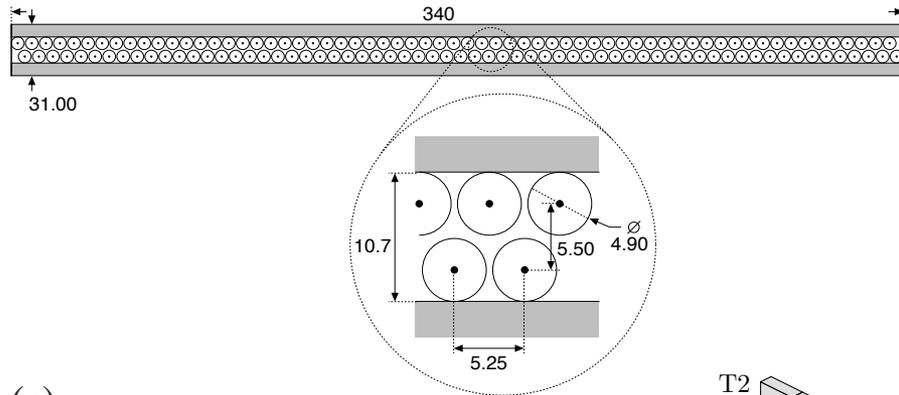
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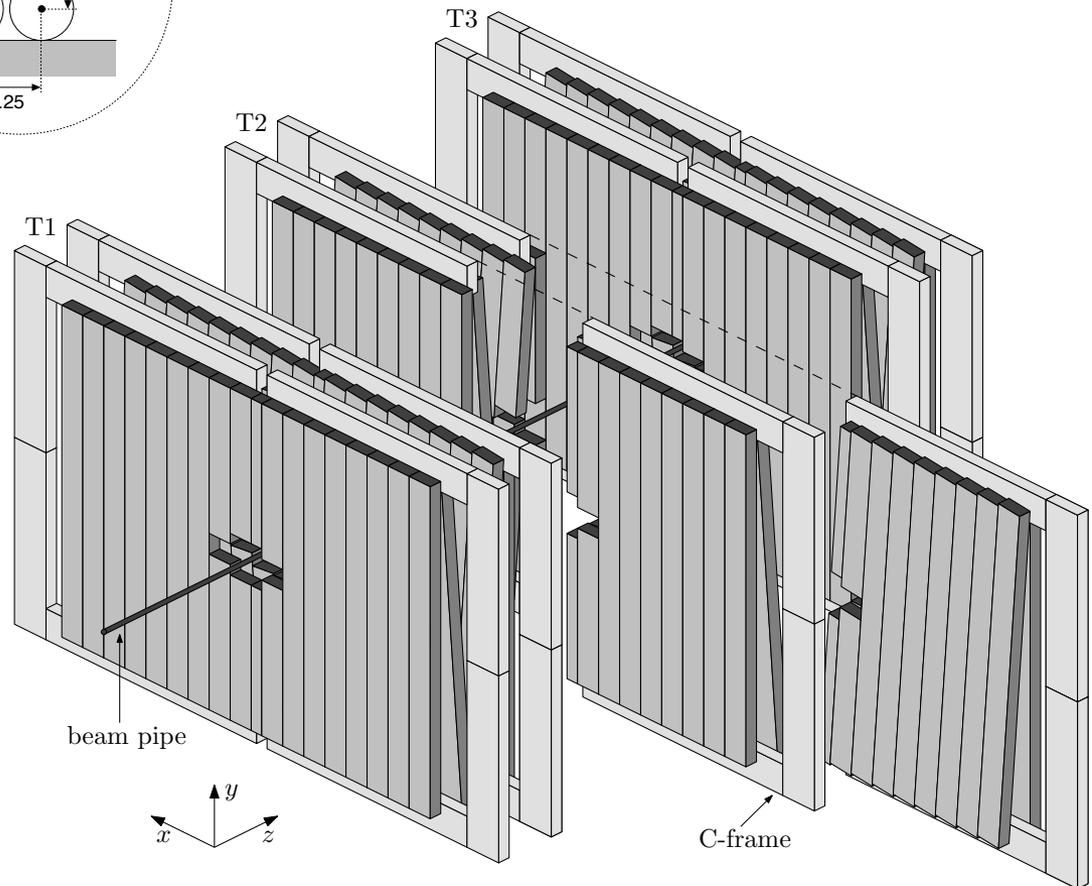
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  - Occupancy: cell size!
  - Cost...
- 2011-2018: Gas detector
  - Resolution:  $<200 \mu\text{m}$
- 2022-2030: Scintillating Fiber tracker
  - Resolution:  $<200 \mu\text{m}$



# Tracking: gaseous straw tube detector

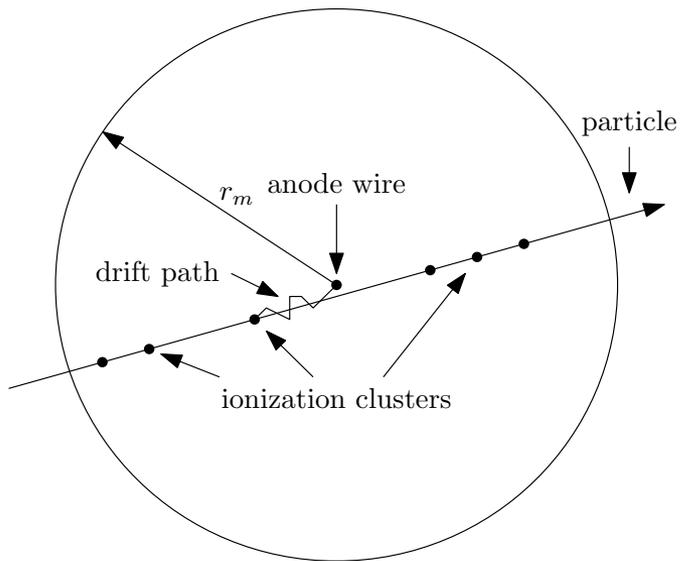


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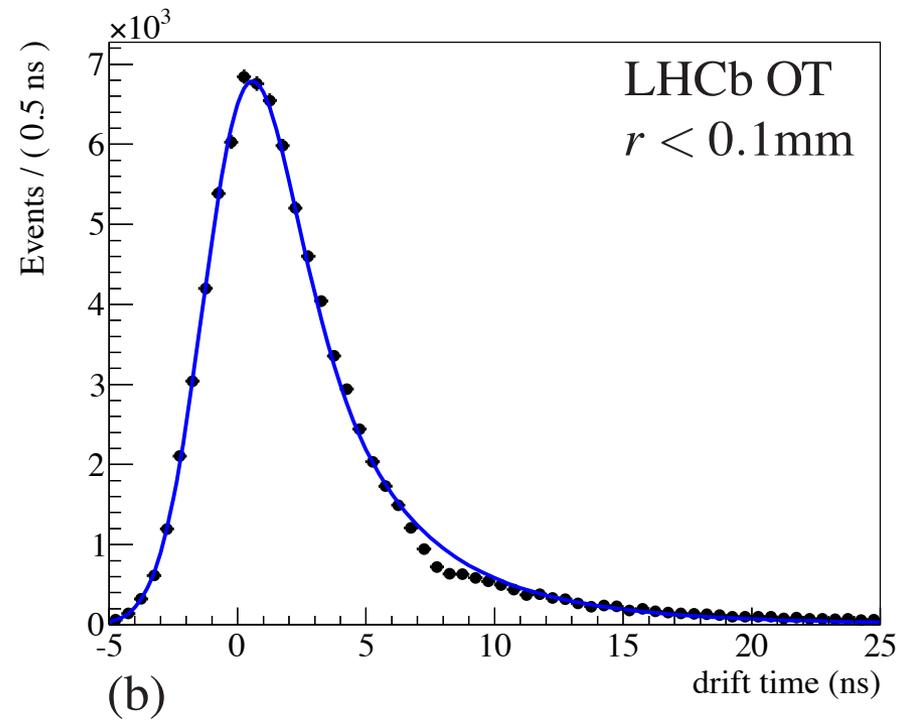


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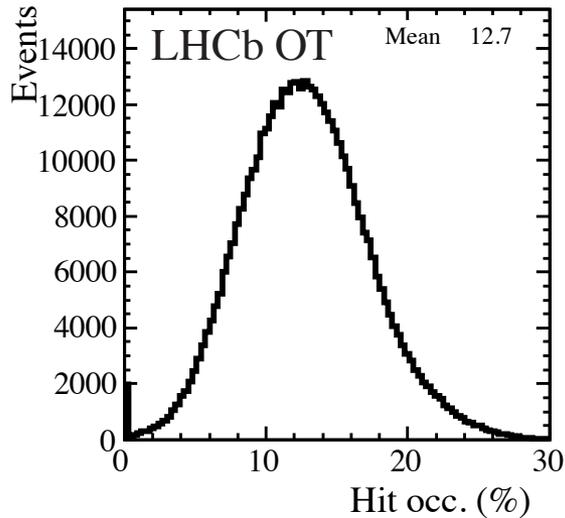
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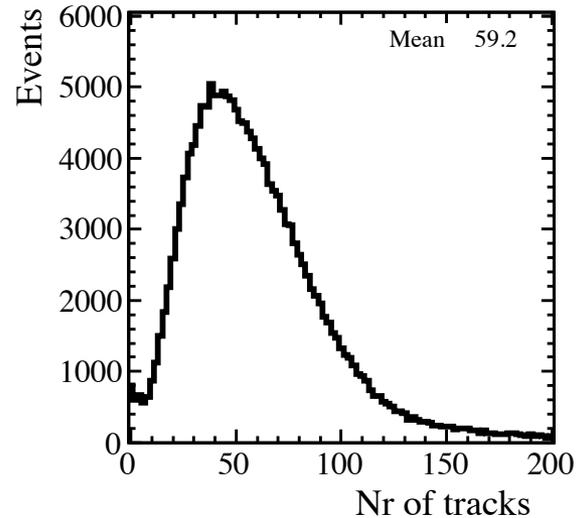
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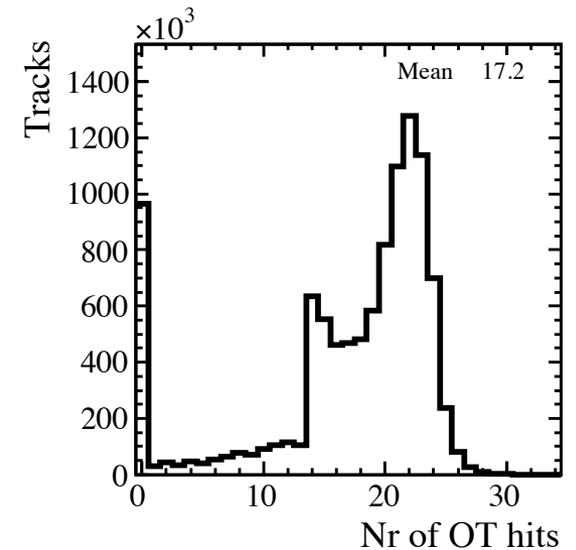
~13% of channels are hit



~ 60 tracks per event



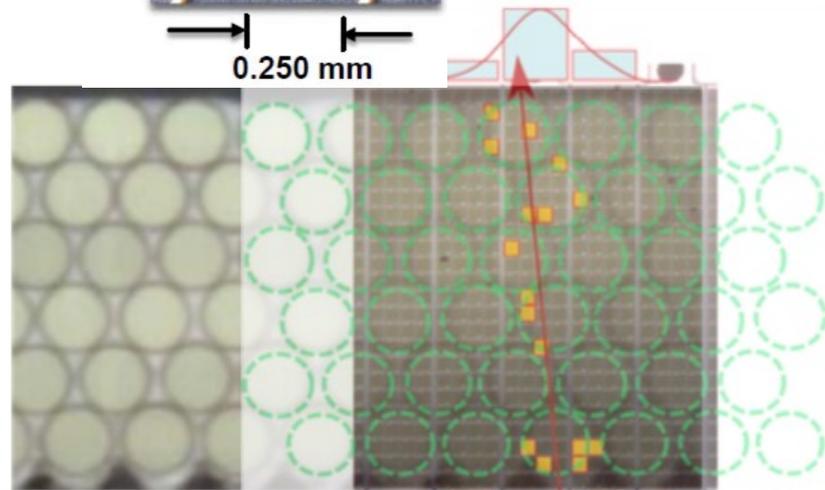
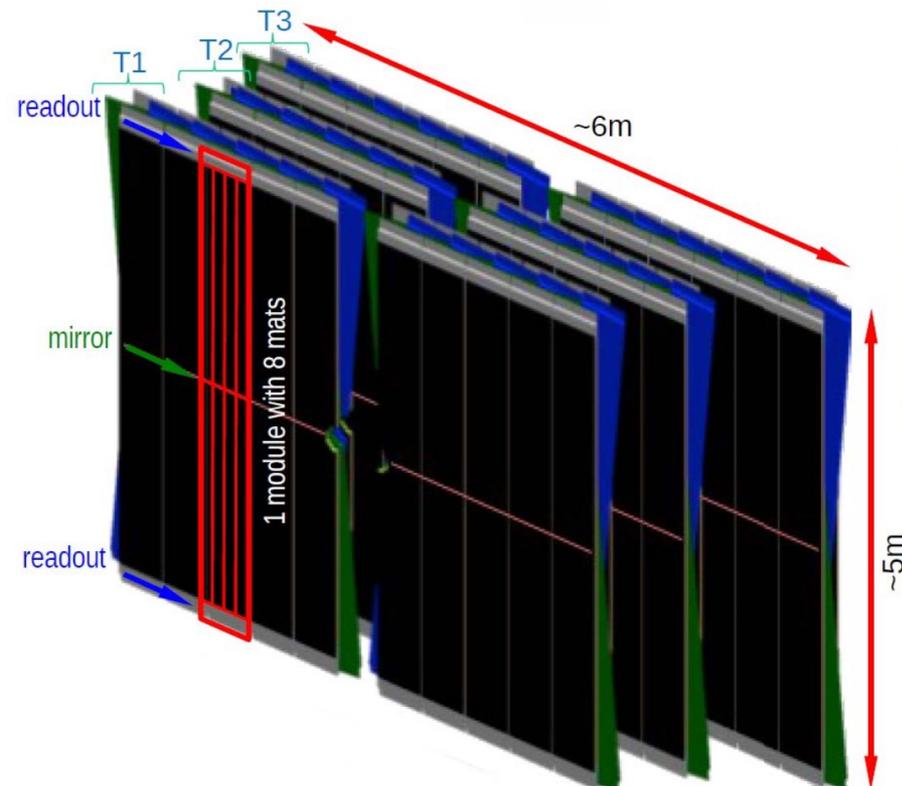
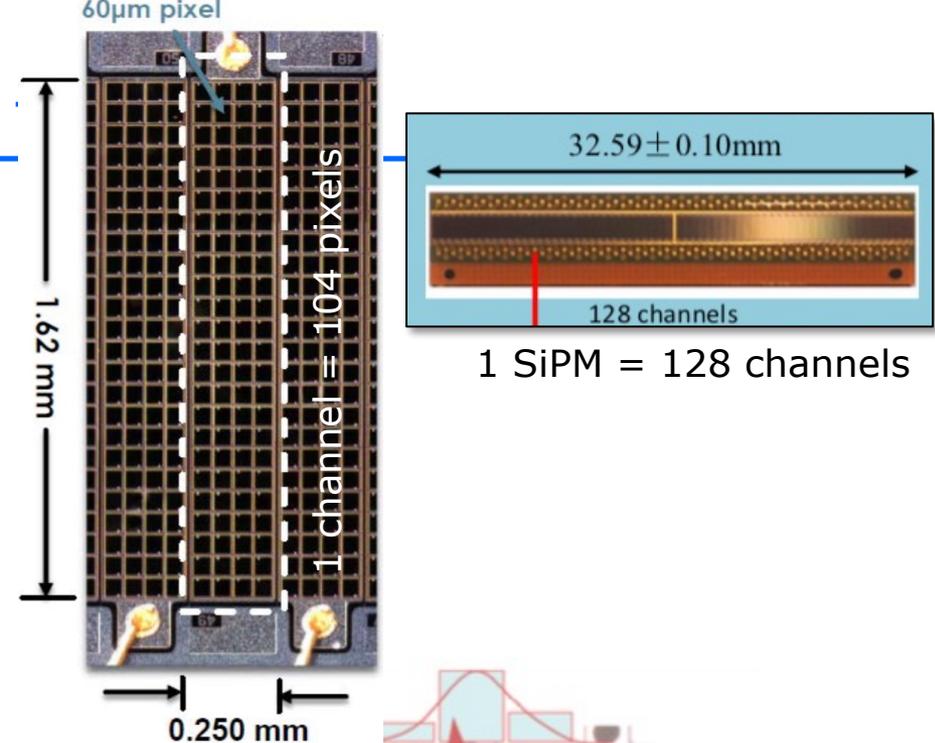
~ 22 hits per track



# Tracking: scintillator fiber

## Detector:

- 1) SciFi (scintillating fibers)
- 2) SiPM (silicon photomultiplier)



→ <100  $\mu$ m hit resolution  
(we reached 70 $\mu$ m)

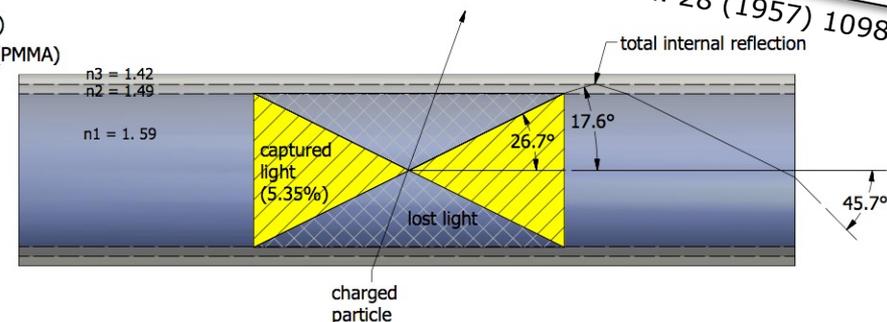
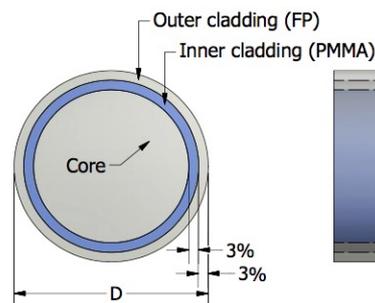
# Scintillating fibers

- Core of polystyrene
- Thin cladding layers with lower refractive indices
- **Light transport:** internal reflection between core and cladding structure
  - Only few photons per fiber per track detected by SiPM !

**Filament Scintillation Counter\***  
 GEORGE T. REYNOLDS AND P. E. CONDON  
*Palmer Physical Laboratory, Princeton University,  
 Princeton, New Jersey*  
 (Received October 8, 1957; and in final form, October 16,  
 1957)

As a part of a program to develop a solid scintillation chamber,<sup>1</sup> we have prepared filaments of plastic scintillator material and formed them into a scintillation counter. The filaments can be prepared in lengths many feet. Considerable care must be taken to avoid surface crazing. The diameter has been chosen between 0.5 and 1.0 mm in view of the proposed application. The above result indicates that a minimum ionizing particle passing through a filament of 1-mm diameter (index of refraction 1.58) would, on the average, result in 110 photons appearing at the end of the filament, corresponding to over 13 000 photons per square centimeter. Viewed with image intensifier tubes currently being developed,<sup>3,4</sup> these filaments would provide a solid scintillation chamber capable of fast timing and good space resolution accomplished by stereoscopic viewing of alternate rows placed at right angles to one another.

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# Intermezzo: magnet choice?

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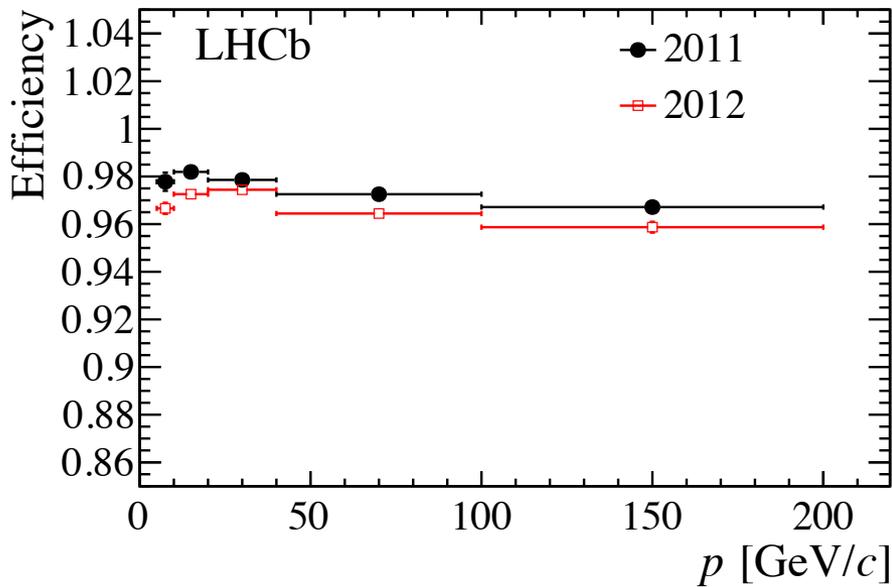
- first choice that has to be made for a HEP experiment layout
- difficult to replace
- Dipole fields will require a “compensating” dipole for the accelerating/colliding particles
- It consumes a lot of power

**Table 5.2: Power supply requirements**

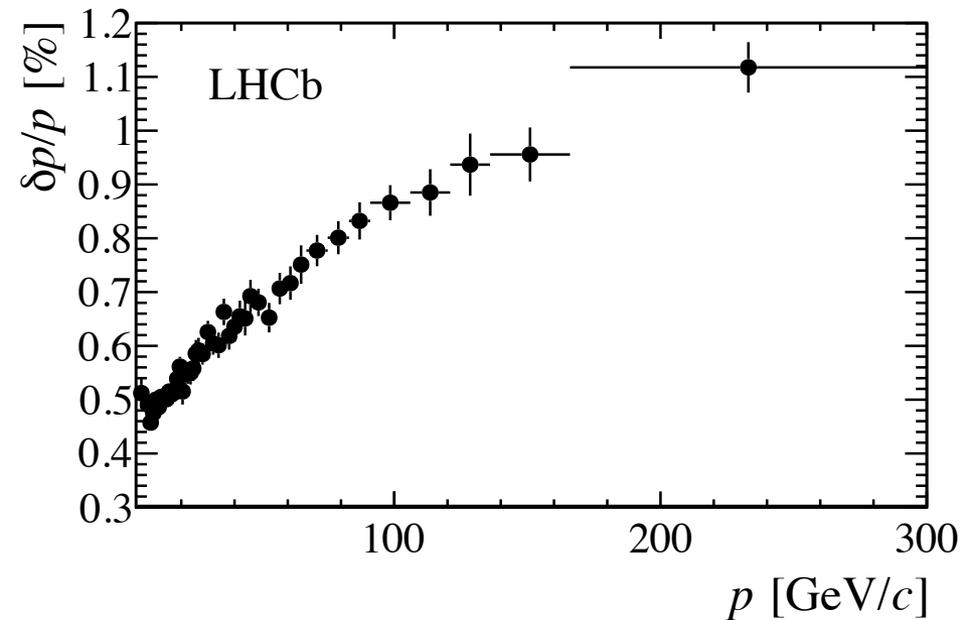
Network power	$\Pi = 6.0 \text{ MVA}$
Dissipated power	$P = 100 \text{ kW}$
Total water flow	$\varphi = 3.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$
Pressure drop	$\Delta p = 5 \text{ bar at } \Delta T = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$
Maximum inlet temperature	$T = 20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

# LHCb tracking performance (p)

Track finding efficiency measured with "tag-and-probe"

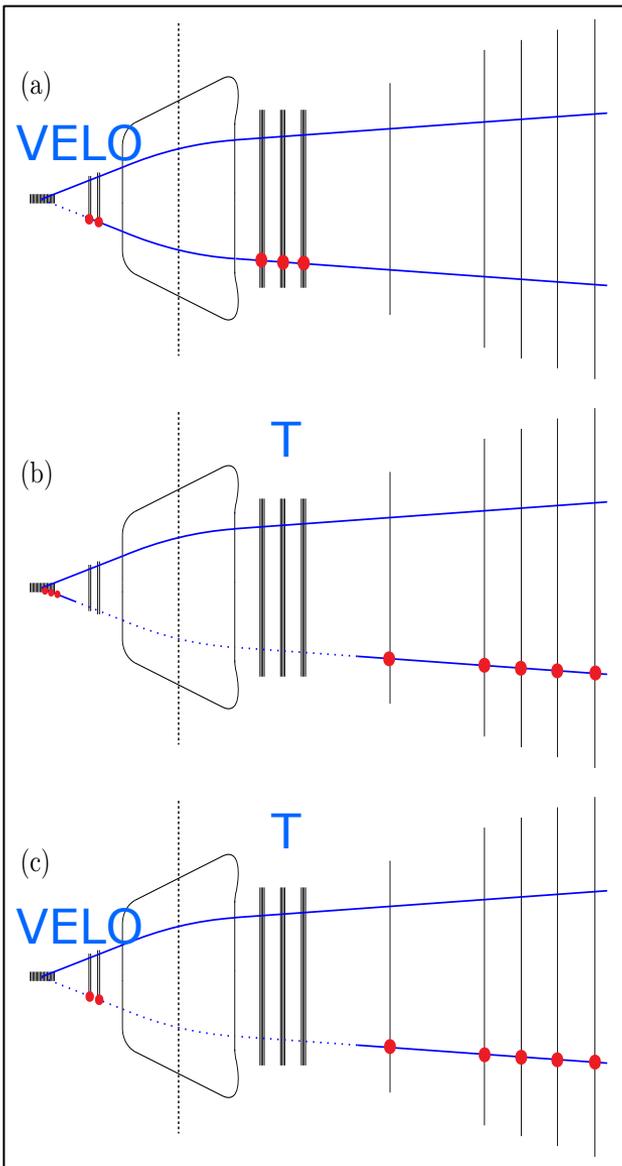


High momenta become almost straight: resolution deteriorates



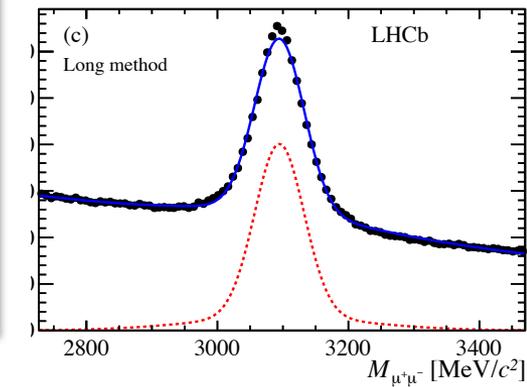
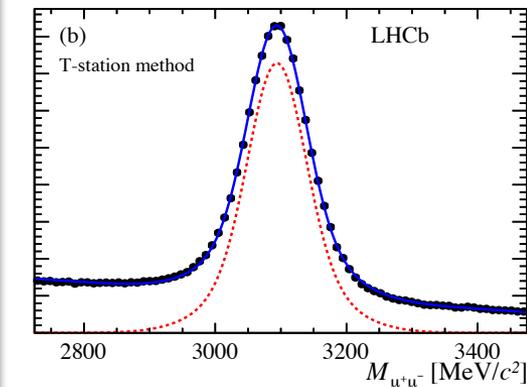
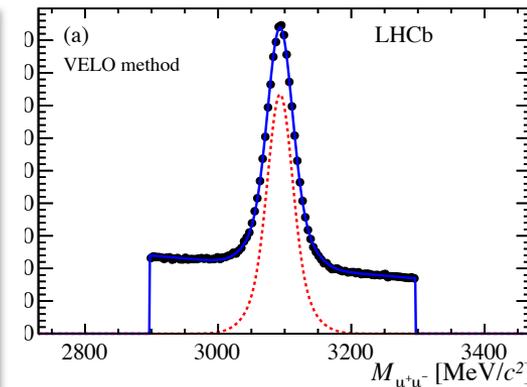
# LHCb tracking performance: "tag-and-probe"

How often **VELO track** is found?  
(using TT and T hits)



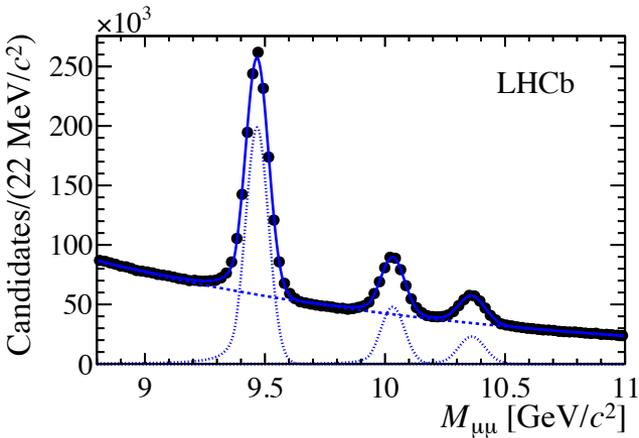
How often **T track** is found?  
(using VELO and MUON hits)

How often **Long track** is found?  
(using TT and MUON hits)

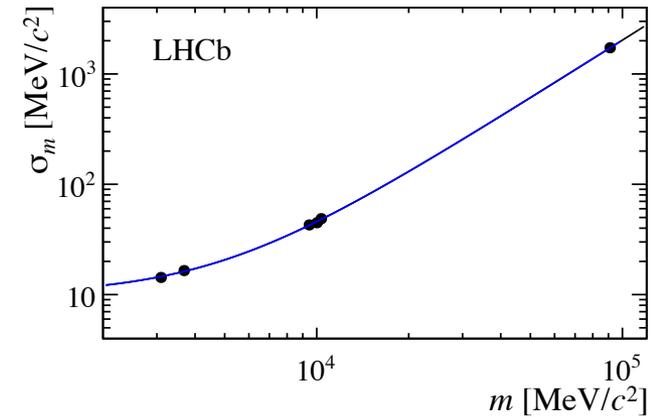


# LHCb tracking performance (m)

- Mass resolution measured from resonances:



Resonance	Mass resolution ( $\text{MeV}/c^2$ )
$J/\psi$	$14.3 \pm 0.1$
$\psi(2S)$	$16.5 \pm 0.4$
$\Upsilon(1S)$	$42.8 \pm 0.1$
$\Upsilon(2S)$	$44.8 \pm 0.1$
$\Upsilon(3S)$	$48.8 \pm 0.2$
$Z^0$	$1727 \pm 64$



# Particle identification

- Many different B-decays!

- “BtoKstarpipiDsgamma”

- ...

- Need to distinguish:

- e,  $\mu$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $\pi$ , K, p, ...

## $B^0$ Decay Modes

▼ Collapse all

$\bar{B}^0$  modes are charge conjugates of the modes below. Reactions indicate the weak decay vertex and do not include mixing. Modes which do not identify the charge state of the  $B$  are listed in the  $B^\pm / B^0$  ADMIXTURE section.

The branching fractions listed below assume 50%  $B^0\bar{B}^0$  and 50%  $B^+B^-$  production at the  $\Upsilon(4S)$ . We have attempted to bring older measurements up to date by rescaling their assumed  $\Upsilon(4S)$  production ratio to 50:50 and their assumed  $D, D_s, D^*$ , and  $\psi$  branching ratios to current values whenever this would affect our averages and best limits significantly.

Indentation is used to indicate a subchannel of a previous reaction. All resonant subchannels have been corrected for resonance branching fractions to the final state so the sum of the subchannel branching fractions can exceed that of the final state.

For inclusive branching fractions, e.g.,  $B \rightarrow D^\pm X$ , the values usually are multiplicities, not branching fractions. They can be greater than one.

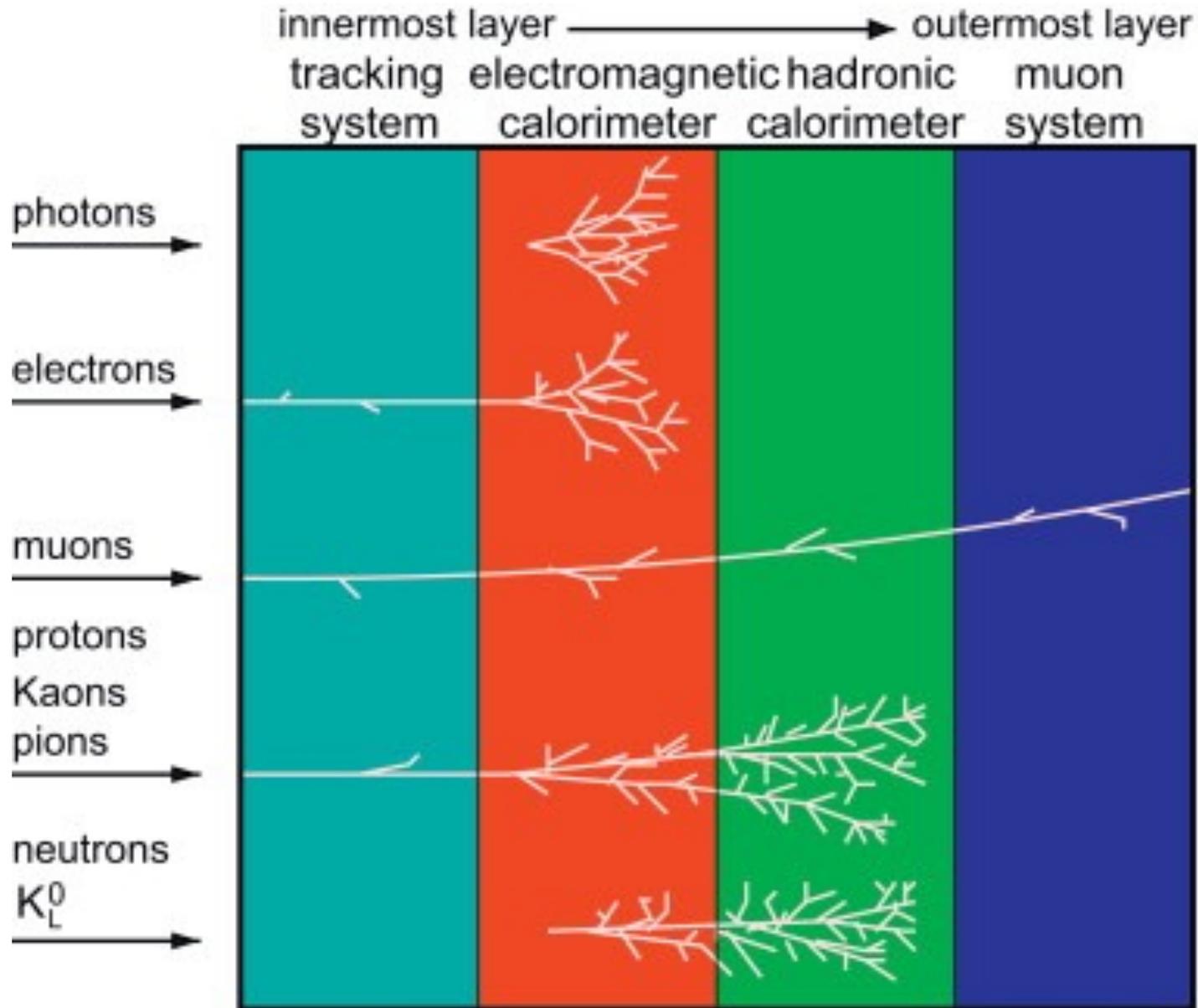
	Mode	Fraction ( $\Gamma_i / \Gamma$ )	Scale Factor/ Conf. Level	P(MeV/c)
$\Gamma_1$	$\ell^+\nu_\ell X$	$(10.33 \pm 0.28)\%$		
$\Gamma_2$	$e^+\nu_e X_c$	$(10.1 \pm 0.4)\%$		
$\Gamma_3$	$\ell^+\nu_\ell X_u$	$(1.51 \pm 0.19) \times 10^{-3}$		
$\Gamma_4$	$D\ell^+\nu_\ell X$	$(9.3 \pm 0.8)\%$		
$\Gamma_5$	$D^-\ell^+\nu_\ell$	$(2.24 \pm 0.09)\%$		2309
$\Gamma_6$	$D^-\tau^+\nu_\tau$	$(1.05 \pm 0.23)\%$		1909
$\Gamma_7$	$D^*(2010)^-\ell^+\nu_\ell$	$(4.97 \pm 0.12)\%$		2257



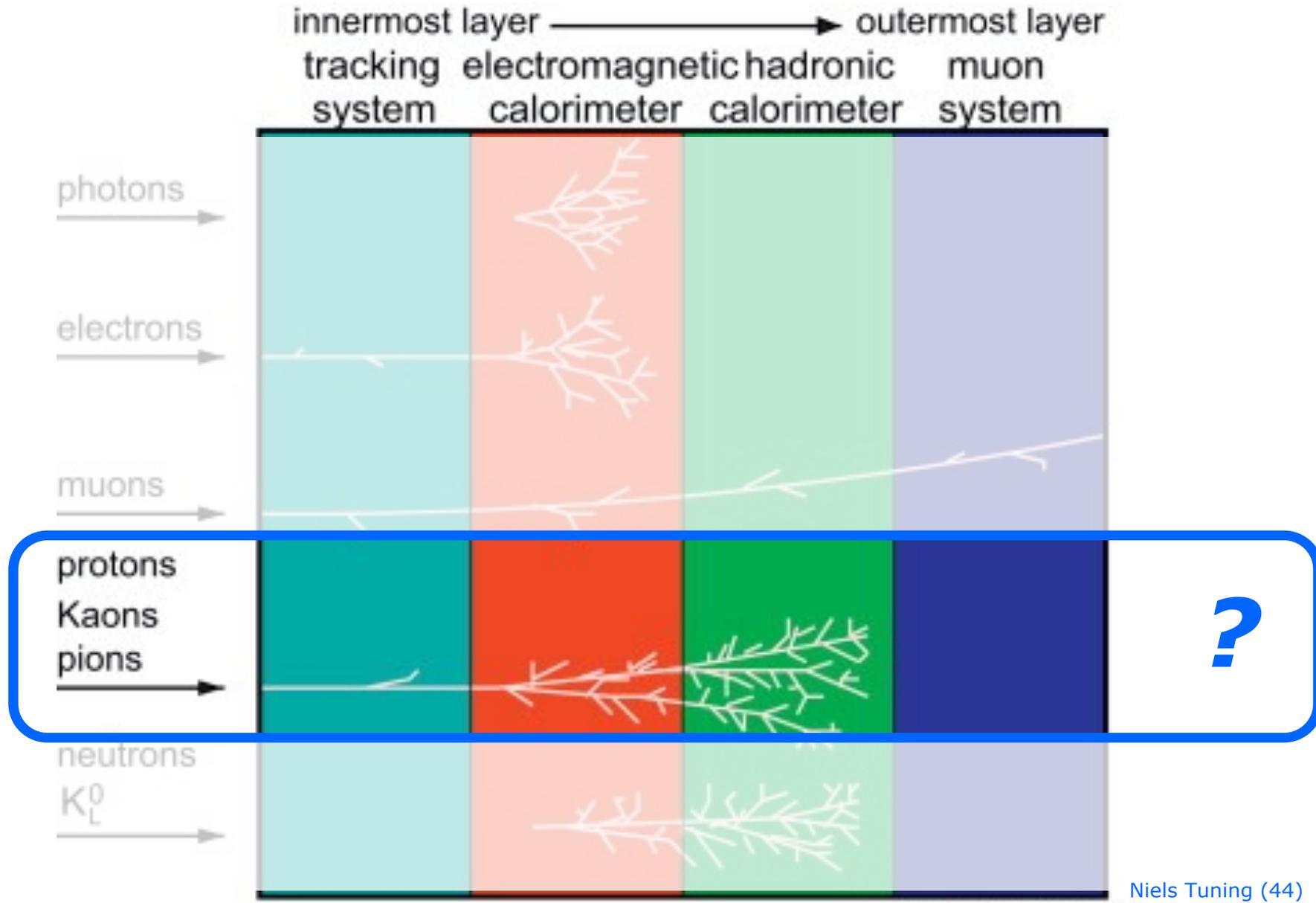
$\Gamma_{535}$	$\pi^0\nu\bar{\nu}$	$< 9 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	2638
$\Gamma_{536}$	$K^0\ell^+\ell^-$	$(3.3 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-7}$		2616
$\Gamma_{537}$	$K^0e^+e^-$	$(2.5^{+1.1}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-7}$	S=1.3	2616
$\Gamma_{538}$	$K^0\mu^+\mu^-$	$(3.39 \pm 0.35) \times 10^{-7}$	S=1.1	2612
$\Gamma_{539}$	$K^0\nu\bar{\nu}$	$< 2.6 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	2616
$\Gamma_{540}$	$\rho^0\nu\bar{\nu}$	$< 4.0 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	2583
$\Gamma_{541}$	$K^*(892)^0\ell^+\ell^-$	$(9.9^{+1.2}_{-1.1}) \times 10^{-7}$		2565
$\Gamma_{542}$	$K^*(892)^0e^+e^-$	$(1.03^{+0.19}_{-0.17}) \times 10^{-6}$		2565
$\Gamma_{543}$	$K^*(892)^0\mu^+\mu^-$	$(9.4 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-7}$		2560



# Particle identification



# Particle identification



# Particle identification: detector choice

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1) Time-of-flight ?

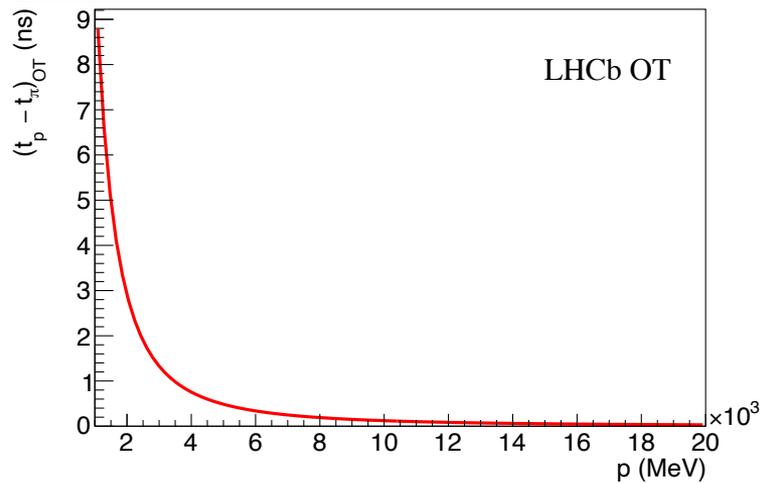
2)  $dE/dx$  ?

3) Cherenkov effect ?

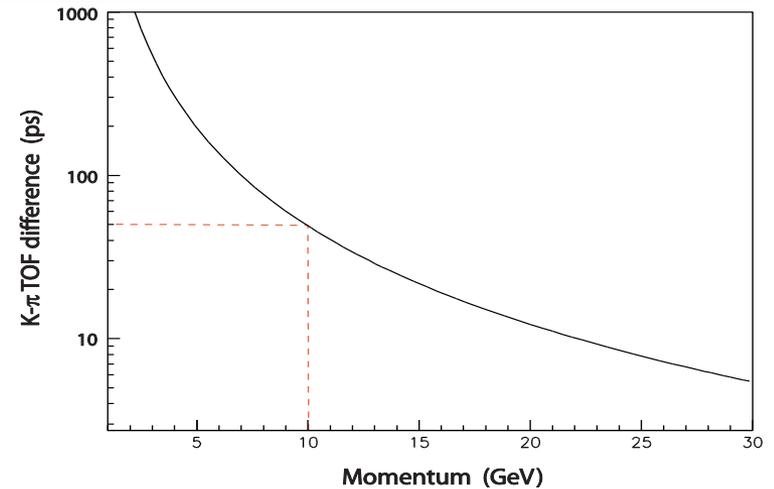
# Particle identification: detector choice

## 1) Time-of-flight ?

Ex. 1: **1 ns resolution**:  $p < 5$  GeV  
proton - pion difference at  $z = 8$  m



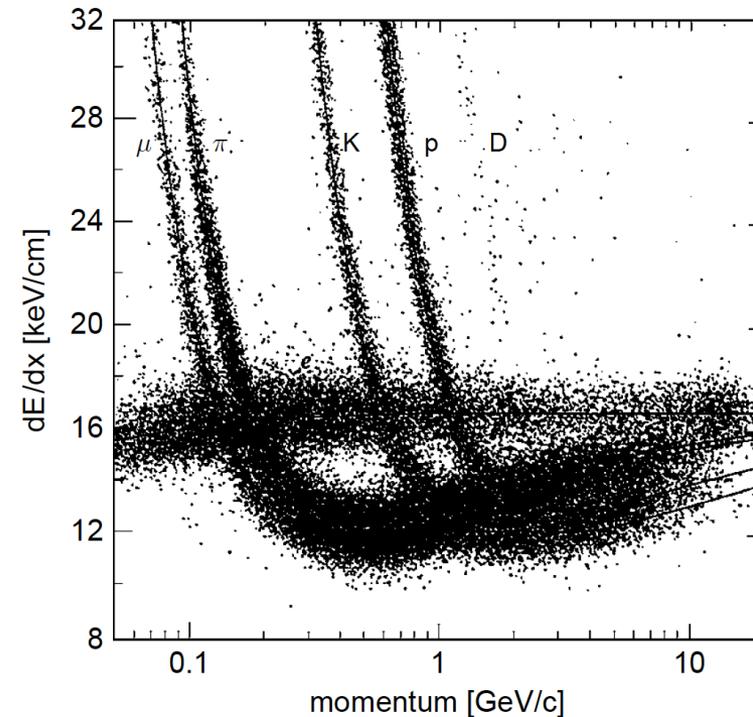
Ex. 2: **50 ps resolution**:  $p < 10$  GeV  
kaon - pion difference at  $z = 12$  m



# Particle identification: detector choice

## 2) $dE/dx$ ?

- Charged particles passing through matter: *ionization*
- Energy loss velocity dependent Bethe-Bloch formula:  $dE/dx \propto \log(\beta^2 \gamma^2) / \beta^2$
- $dE/dx$  varies rapidly at low momenta
- *Advantage:* uses existing detectors needed (but *requires accurate measurement of the charge*)
- *Note:* signals for *all* charged particles  
But  $m_\mu \approx m_\pi$ , so they are not well separated (dedicated detectors do a better job)



# Particle identification: detector choice

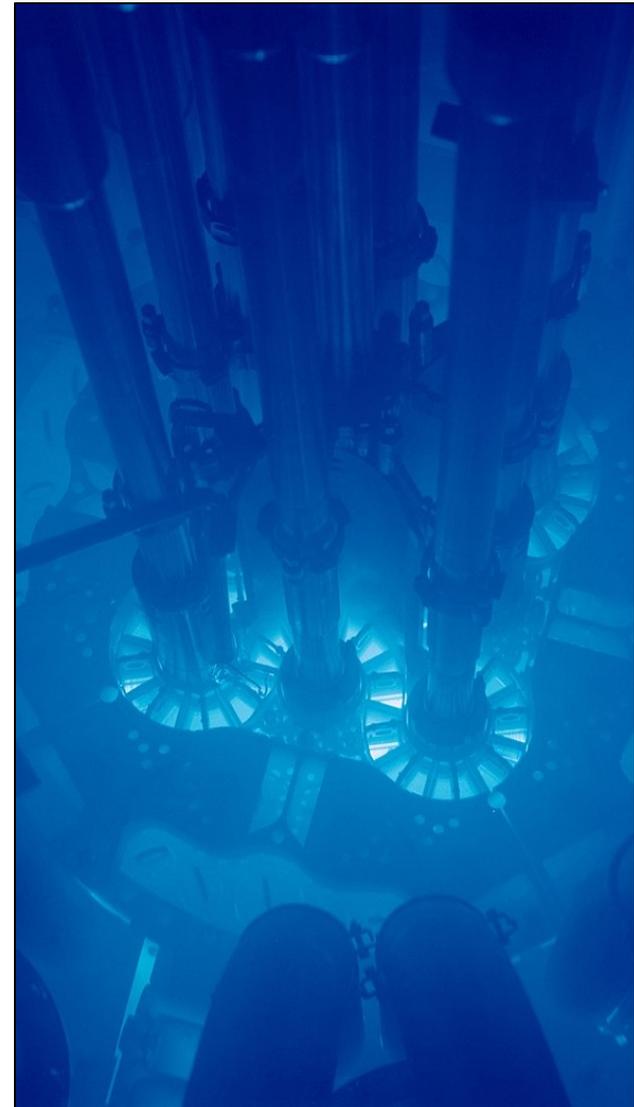
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## 3) Cherenkov effect ?

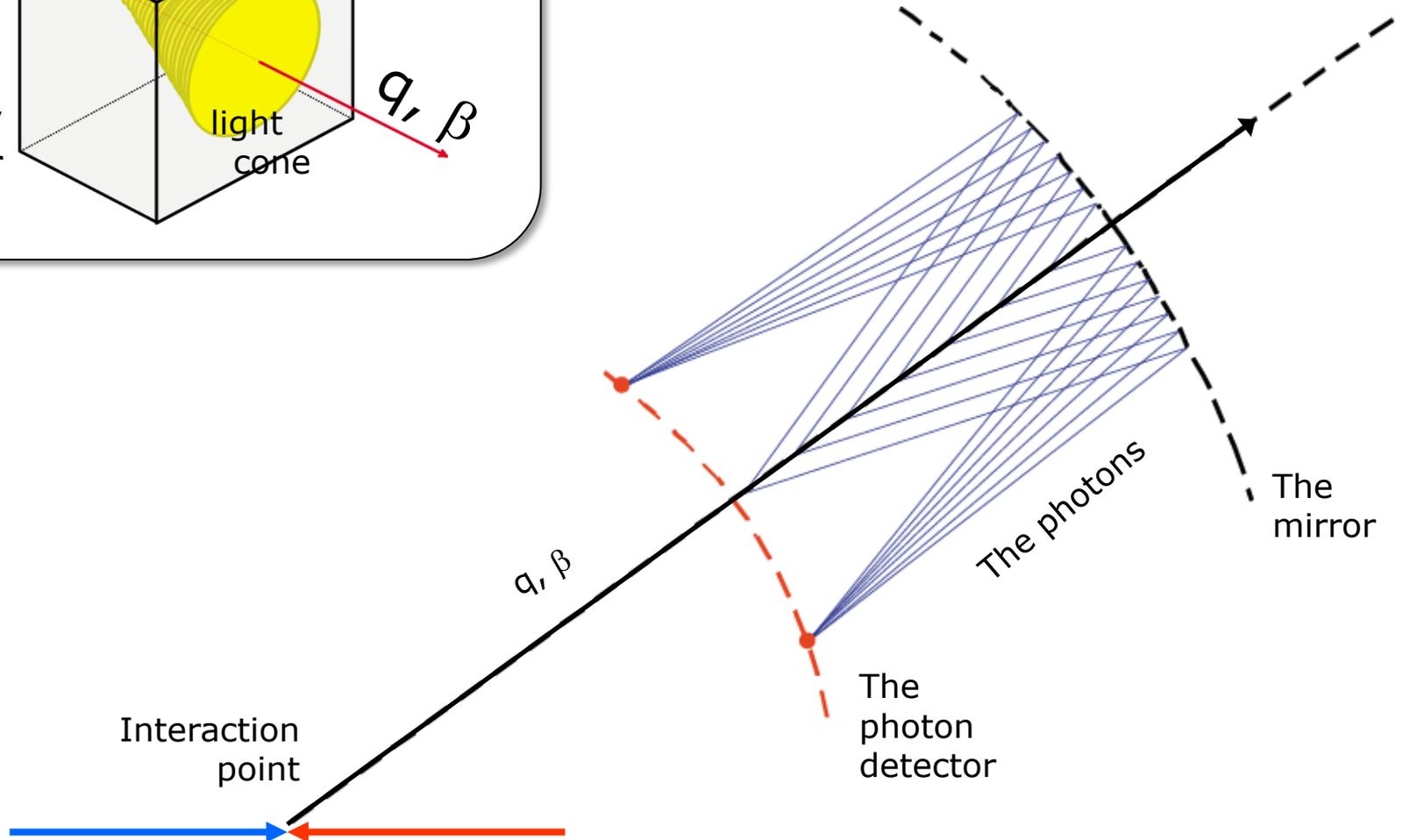
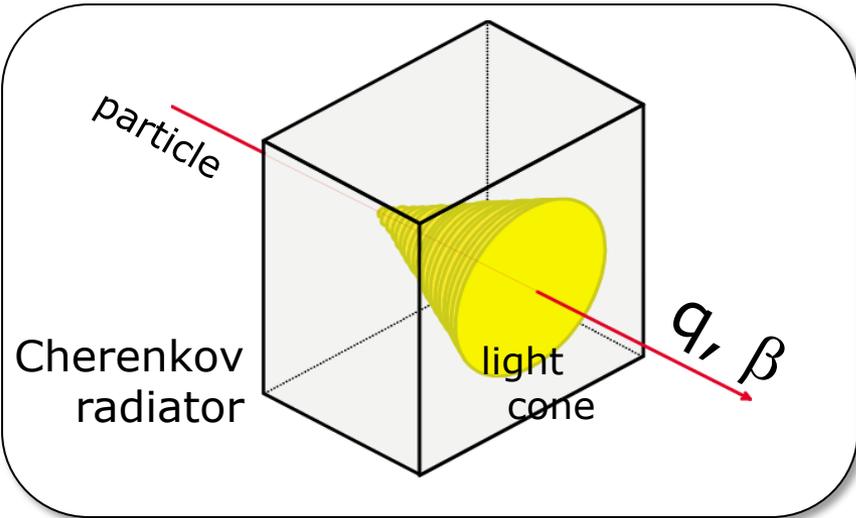
- when the velocity of charged particle in a dielectric medium exceeds the light speed in that medium
- The angle depends on the speed
- Measuring the angle is measuring the speed

$$\cos(\theta_c) = \frac{1}{\beta n}$$

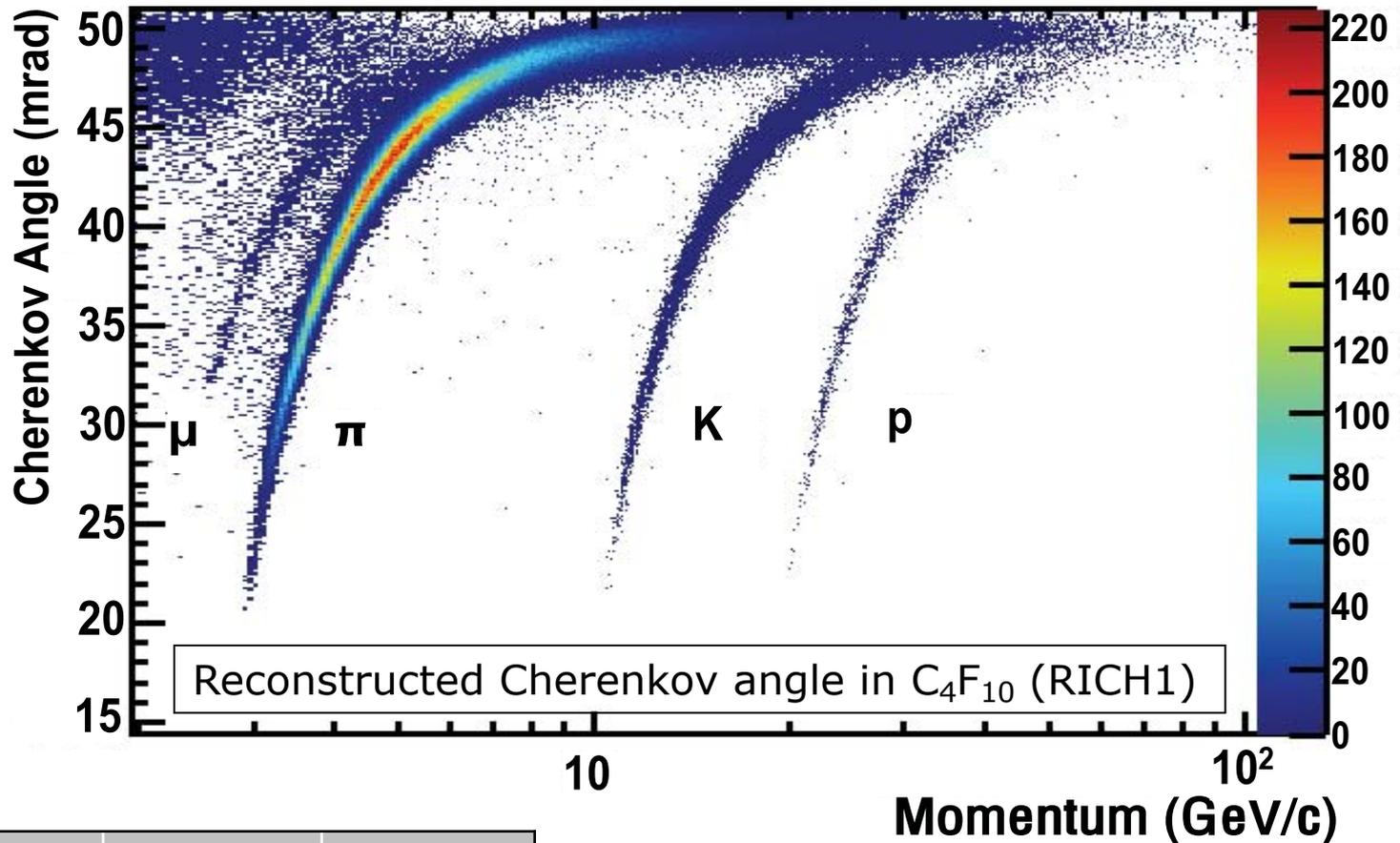
$$\beta_{\text{thr}} = 1/n$$



# Particle identification: detector choice: RICH



# Particle identification performance



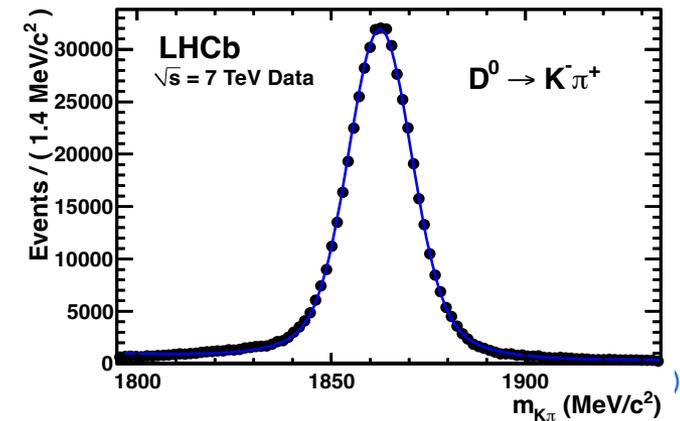
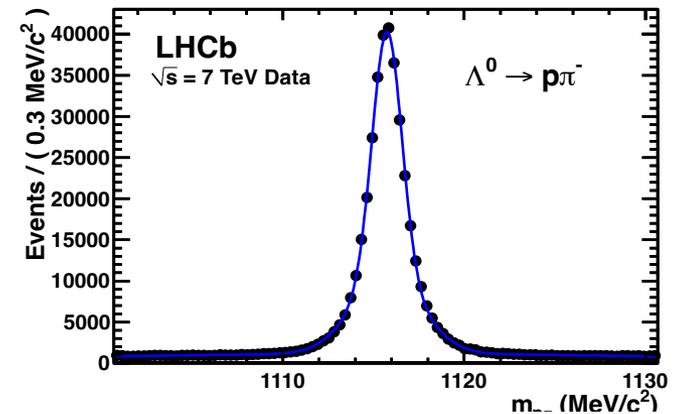
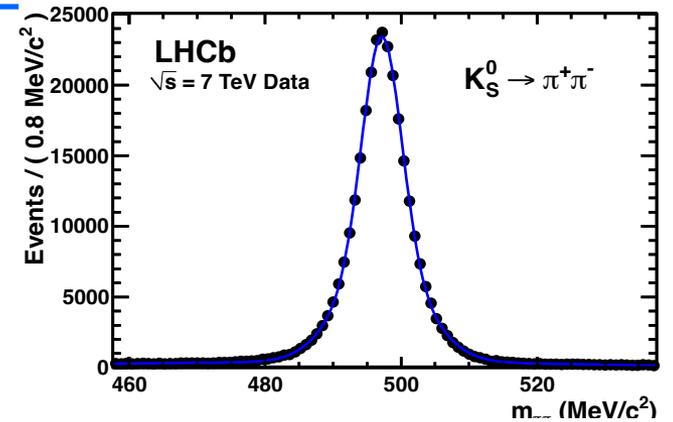
	RICH1	RICH2
Radiator	$C_4F_{10}$	$CF_4$
n	1.0014	1.0005
P (GeV)	2-40	15-100
Acc (mrad)	25-300	15-120

- Detector optimized with *two* different radiators

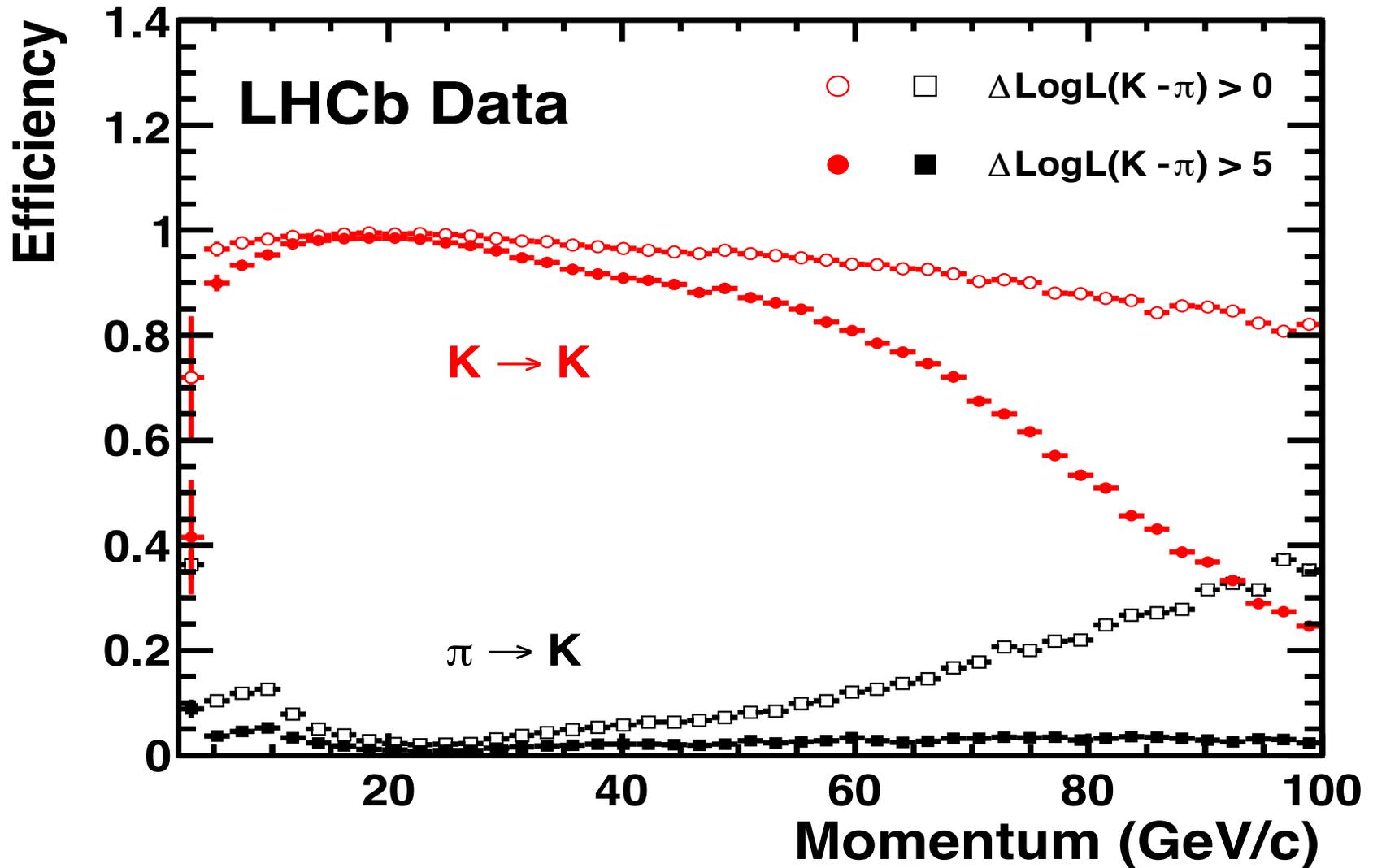
# Particle identification performance

- Performance measured

- $\pi$  with  $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$
- $p$  with  $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi$
- $K, \pi$  with  $D^* \rightarrow D^0(\rightarrow K\pi)$

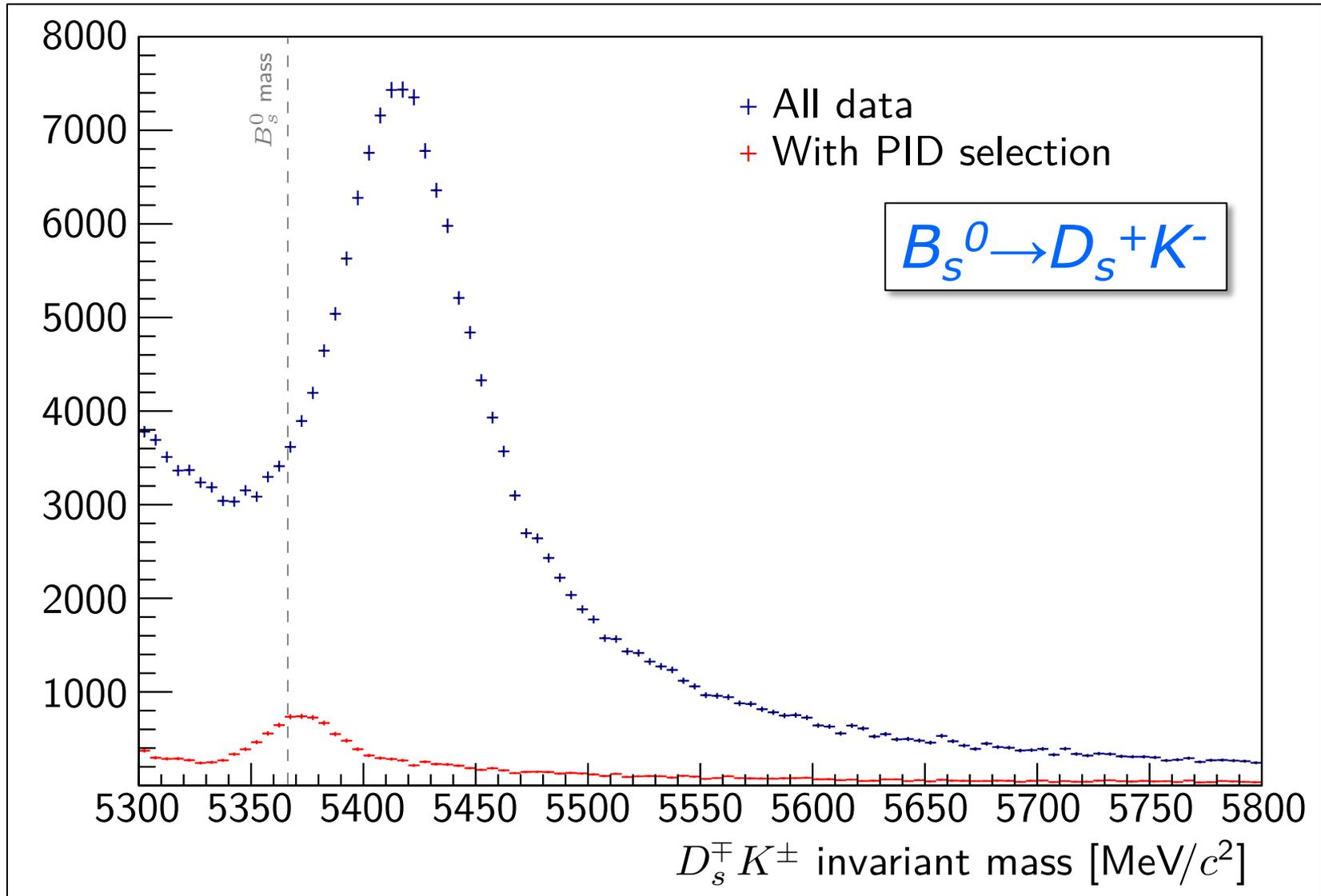


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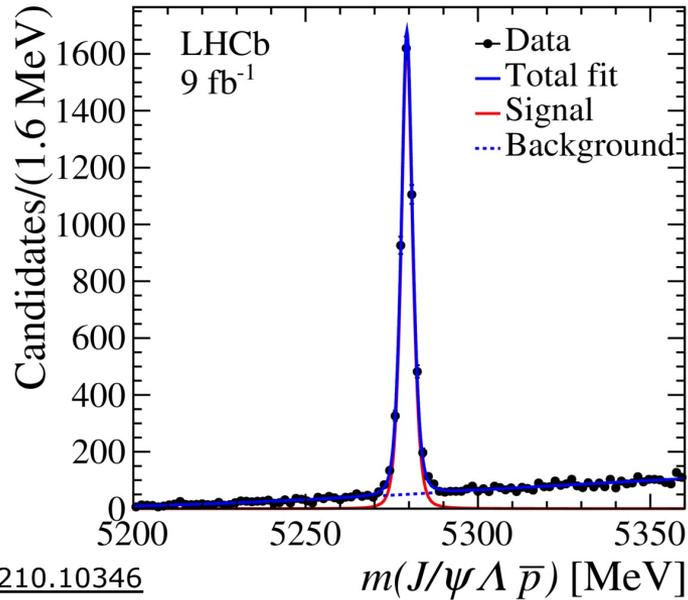


# Particle identification performance

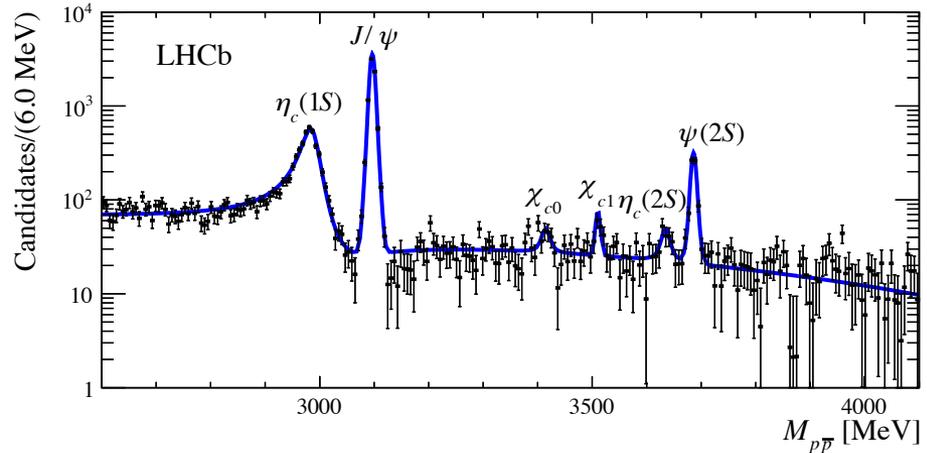
- $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ K^-$  much more rare than  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-$  ...



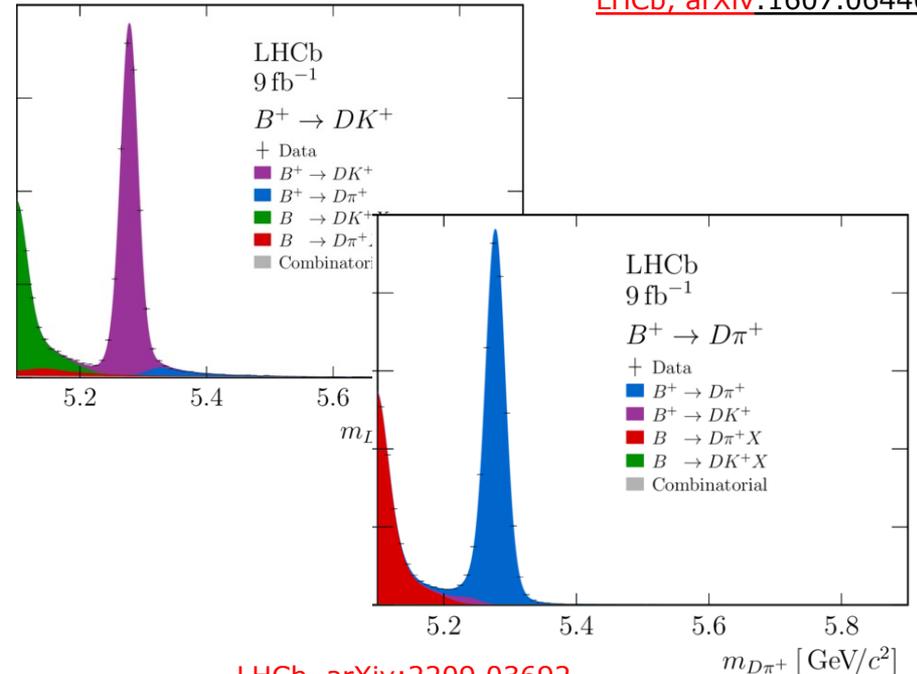
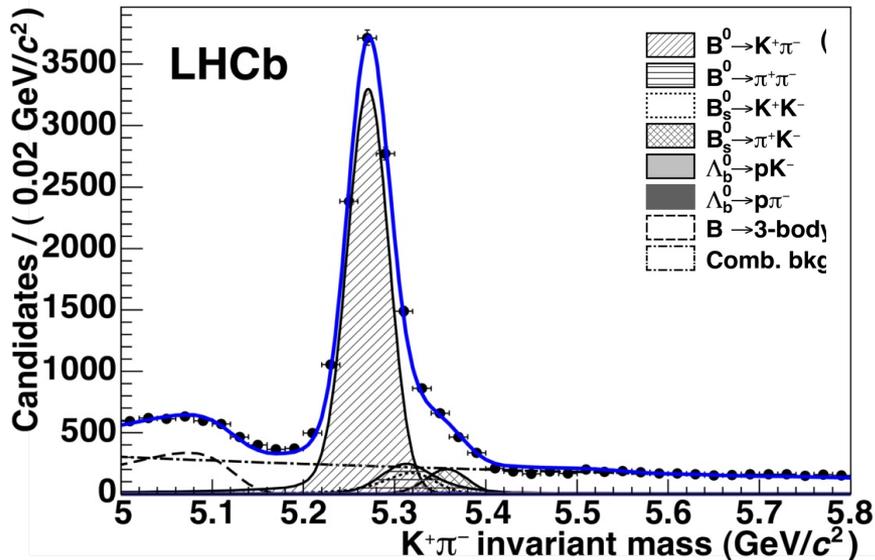
# $\pi, K, p$ identification: indispensable for flavour physics



LHCb, arXiv:2210.10346



LHCb, arXiv:1607.06446



LHCb, arXiv:2209.03692

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# Detecting CP violation with B decays

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- 1) CP violation: CKM and the SM
- 2) Detecting: Detector requirements
- 3) B-decays:  $\sin 2\beta$ ,  $\phi_s$ ,  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ K^-$