

Electroweak penguin measurements



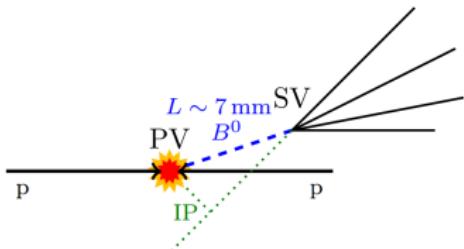
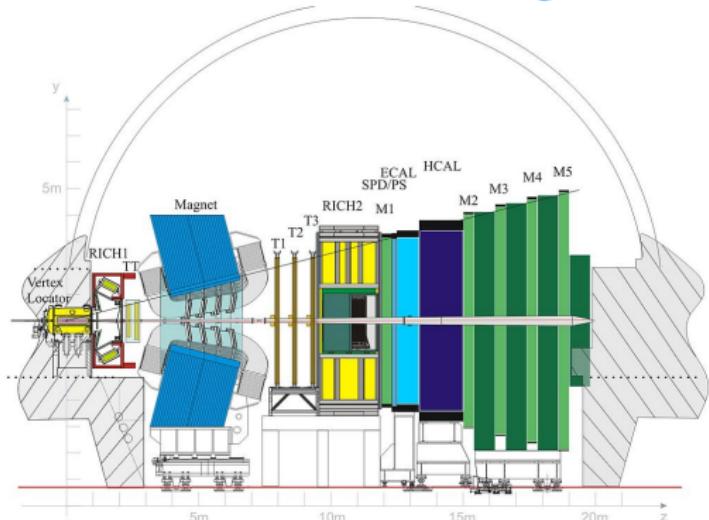
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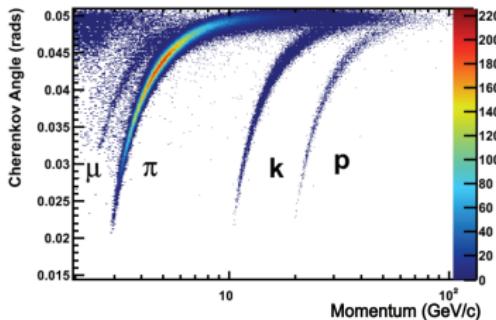
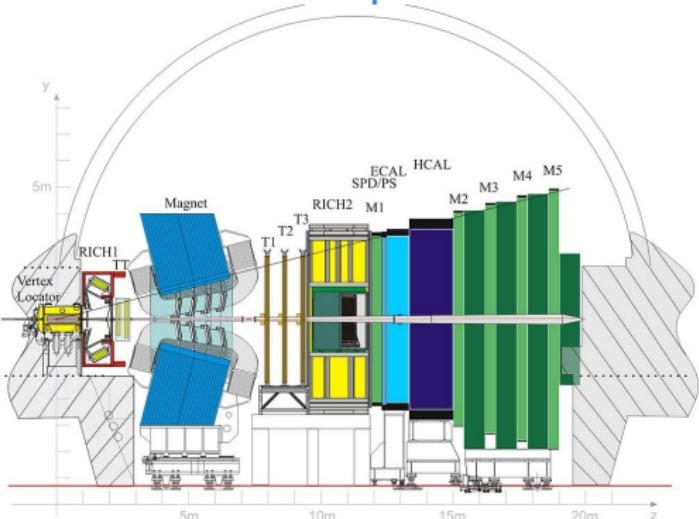
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LHCb detector - tracking



- Excellent Impact Parameter (IP) resolution ($20 \mu\text{m}$).
⇒ Identify secondary vertices from heavy flavour decays
- Proper time resolution $\sim 40 \text{ fs}$.
⇒ Good separation of primary and secondary vertices.
- Excellent momentum ($\delta p/p \sim 0.4 - 0.6\%$) and inv. mass resolution.
⇒ Low combinatorial background.

LHCb detector - particle identification



- Excellent Muon identification $\epsilon_{\mu \rightarrow \mu} \sim 97\%$, $\epsilon_{\pi \rightarrow \mu} \sim 1 - 3\%$
- Good $K - \pi$ separation via RICH detectors, $\epsilon_{K \rightarrow K} \sim 95\%$, $\epsilon_{\pi \rightarrow K} \sim 5\%$.
⇒ Reject peaking backgrounds.
- High trigger efficiencies, low momentum thresholds. Muons:
 $p_T > 1.76 \text{ GeV}$ at L0, $p_T > 1.0 \text{ GeV}$ at HLT1,
 $B \rightarrow J/\psi X$: Trigger $\sim 90\%$.

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> 2 σ deviations from SM

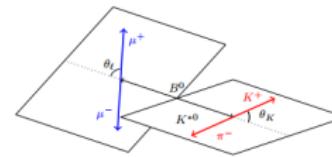
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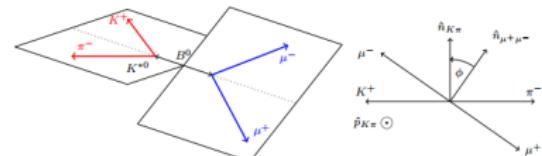
⇒ $\cos \theta_k$: the angle between the direction of the kaon in the K^* (\bar{K}^*) rest frame and the direction of the K^* (\bar{K}^*) in the B^0 (\bar{B}^0) rest frame.

⇒ $\cos \theta_l$: the angle between the direction of the μ^- (μ^+) in the dimuon rest frame and the direction of the dimuon in the B^0 (\bar{B}^0) rest frame.

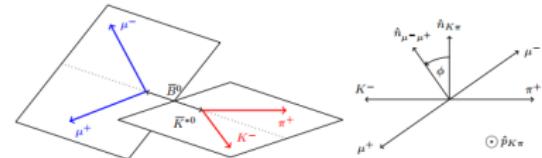
⇒ ϕ : the angle between the plane containing the μ^- and μ^+ and the plane containing the kaon and pion from the K^* .



(a) θ_K and θ_ℓ definitions for the B^0 decay



(b) ϕ definition for the B^0 decay



(c) ϕ definition for the \bar{B}^0 decay

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⇒ This is the most general expression of this kind of decay.
⇒ The CP averaged angular observables are defined:

$$S_i = \frac{J_i + \bar{J}_i}{(d\Gamma + d\bar{\Gamma})/dq^2} \tag{2}$$

Transversity amplitudes

⇒ One can link the angular observables to transversity amplitudes

$$J_{1s} = \frac{(2 + \beta_\ell^2)}{4} \left[|A_\perp^L|^2 + |A_\parallel^L|^2 + |A_\perp^R|^2 + |A_\parallel^R|^2 \right] + \frac{4m_\ell^2}{q^2} \operatorname{Re} \left(A_\perp^L A_\perp^{R*} + A_\parallel^L A_\parallel^{R*} \right),$$

$$J_{1c} = |A_0^L|^2 + |A_0^R|^2 + \frac{4m_\ell^2}{q^2} \left[|A_t|^2 + 2\operatorname{Re}(A_0^L A_0^{R*}) \right] + \beta_\ell^2 |A_S|^2,$$

$$J_{2s} = \frac{\beta_\ell^2}{4} \left[|A_\perp^L|^2 + |A_\parallel^L|^2 + |A_\perp^R|^2 + |A_\parallel^R|^2 \right], \quad J_{2c} = -\beta_\ell^2 \left[|A_0^L|^2 + |A_0^R|^2 \right],$$

$$J_3 = \frac{1}{2} \beta_\ell^2 \left[|A_\perp^L|^2 - |A_\parallel^L|^2 + |A_\perp^R|^2 - |A_\parallel^R|^2 \right], \quad J_4 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \beta_\ell^2 \left[\operatorname{Re}(A_0^L A_\parallel^{L*} + A_0^R A_\parallel^{R*}) \right],$$

$$J_5 = \sqrt{2} \beta_\ell \left[\operatorname{Re}(A_0^L A_\perp^{L*} - A_0^R A_\perp^{R*}) - \frac{m_\ell}{\sqrt{q^2}} \operatorname{Re}(A_\parallel^L A_S^* + A_\parallel^{R*} A_S) \right],$$

$$J_{6s} = 2\beta_\ell \left[\operatorname{Re}(A_\parallel^L A_\perp^{L*} - A_\parallel^R A_\perp^{R*}) \right], \quad J_{6c} = 4\beta_\ell \frac{m_\ell}{\sqrt{q^2}} \operatorname{Re}(A_0^L A_S^* + A_0^{R*} A_S),$$

$$J_7 = \sqrt{2} \beta_\ell \left[\operatorname{Im}(A_0^L A_\parallel^{L*} - A_0^R A_\parallel^{R*}) + \frac{m_\ell}{\sqrt{q^2}} \operatorname{Im}(A_\perp^L A_S^* - A_\perp^{R*} A_S) \right],$$

$$J_8 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \beta_\ell^2 \left[\operatorname{Im}(A_0^L A_\perp^{L*} + A_0^R A_\perp^{R*}) \right], \quad J_9 = \beta_\ell^2 \left[\operatorname{Im}(A_\parallel^{L*} A_\perp^L + A_\parallel^{R*} A_\perp^R) \right], \quad (3)$$

Link to effective operators

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$$\begin{aligned} A_{\perp}^{L,R} &= \sqrt{2} N m_B (1 - \hat{s}) \left[(\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}} + \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}\prime}) \mp (\mathcal{C}_{10} + \mathcal{C}'_{10}) + \frac{2\hat{m}_b}{\hat{s}} (\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}} + \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}\prime}) \right] \xi_{\perp}(E_{K^*}) \\ A_{\parallel}^{L,R} &= -\sqrt{2} N m_B (1 - \hat{s}) \left[(\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}} - \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}\prime}) \mp (\mathcal{C}_{10} - \mathcal{C}'_{10}) + \frac{2\hat{m}_b}{\hat{s}} (\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}} - \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}\prime}) \right] \xi_{\perp}(E_{K^*}) \\ A_0^{L,R} &= -\frac{Nm_B(1-\hat{s})^2}{2\hat{m}_{K^*}\sqrt{\hat{s}}} \left[(\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}} - \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}\prime}) \mp (\mathcal{C}_{10} - \mathcal{C}'_{10}) + 2\hat{m}_b(\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}} - \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}\prime}) \right] \xi_{\parallel}(E_{K^*}), \quad (4) \end{aligned}$$

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⇒ Now we can construct observables that cancel the ξ form factors at leading order:

$$P'_5 = \frac{J_5 + \bar{J}_5}{2\sqrt{-(J_2^c + \bar{J}_2^c)(J_2^s + \bar{J}_2^s)}} \quad (5)$$

Symmetries in $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$

- ⇒ Eq. ?? has 12 angular coefficients.
- ⇒ There exists 4 symmetry transformations that leave the angular distributions non changed:

$$n_{\parallel} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{\parallel}^L \\ A_{\parallel}^{R*} \end{pmatrix}, \quad n_{\perp} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{\perp}^L \\ -A_{\perp}^{R*} \end{pmatrix}, \quad n_0 = \begin{pmatrix} A_0^L \\ A_0^{R*} \end{pmatrix}. \quad (6)$$

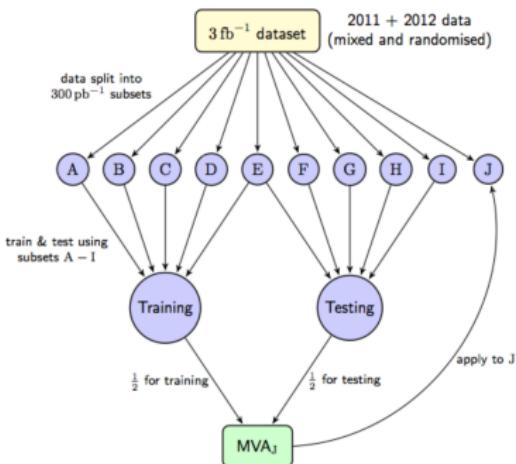
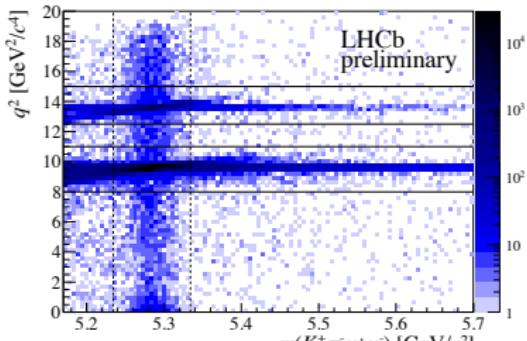
$$n_i' = U n_i = \begin{bmatrix} e^{i\phi_L} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\phi_R} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\cosh i\tilde{\theta} & -\sinh i\tilde{\theta} \\ -\sinh i\tilde{\theta} & \cosh i\tilde{\theta} \end{bmatrix} n_i. \quad (7)$$

⇒ Using this symmetries one can show that there are 8 independent observables. The pdf can be wrote as:

$$\frac{1}{d(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})/dq^2} \left. \frac{d(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})}{dcos\theta_l dcos\theta_k d\phi} \right|_P = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_k \right. \\ + F_L \cos^2 \theta_k + \frac{1}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_k \cos 2\theta_l \\ - F_L \cos^2 \theta_k \cos 2\theta_l + S_3 \sin^2 \theta_k \sin^2 \theta_l \cos 2\phi \\ + S_4 \sin 2\theta_k \sin 2\theta_l \cos \phi + S_5 \sin 2\theta_k \sin \theta_l \cos \phi \\ + \frac{4}{3} A_{FB} \sin^2 \theta_k \cos \theta_l + S_7 \sin 2\theta_k \sin \theta_l \sin \phi \\ \left. + S_8 \sin 2\theta_k \sin 2\theta_l \sin \phi + S_9 \sin^2 \theta_k \sin^2 \theta_l \sin 2\phi \right]. \quad (8)$$

LHCb update of the $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^- \mu^+$, Selection

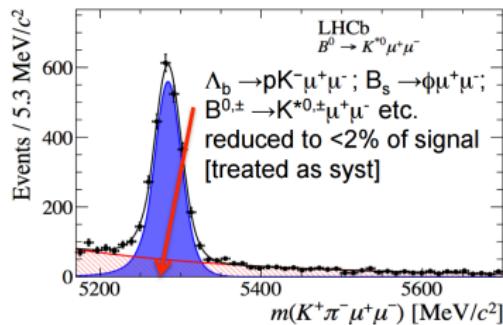
- PID, kinematics and isolation variables used in a Boosted Decision Tree (BDT) to discriminate signal and background.
- Reject the regions of J/ψ and $\psi(2S)$.
- Specific vetos for backgrounds: $\Lambda_b \rightarrow pK\mu\mu$, $B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\mu\mu$, etc.
- Using k-Fold technique and signal proxy $B \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$ for training the BDT.
- Improved selection allowed for finer binning than the 1fb^{-1} analysis.



LHCb update of the $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^- \mu^+$, Selection

- Signal modelled by a sum of two Crystal-Ball functions.
- Shape is defined using $B \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$ and corrected for q^2 dependency.
- Combinatorial background modelled by exponent.

- $K\pi$ system:
 - Rel. Breit Wigner for P-wave
 - Lass model for the S-wave.
 - Linear model for background.



- In total we found 2398 ± 57 candidates in the $(0.1, 19)$ GeV² q^2 region.
- 624 ± 30 candidates in the theoretically the most interesting $(1.1 - 6.0)$ GeV² region.

Detector acceptance

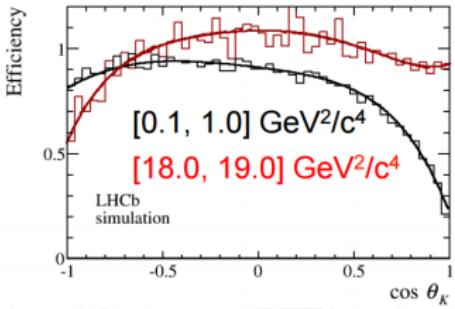
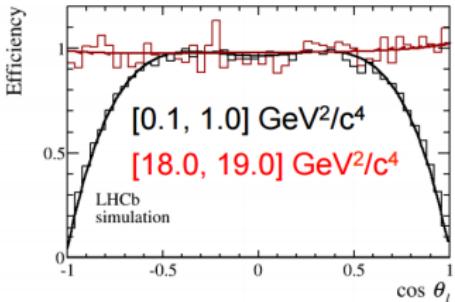
- Detector distorts our angular distribution.
- We need to model this effect.
- 4D function is used:

$$\epsilon(\cos \theta_l, \cos \theta_k, \phi, q^2) =$$

$$\sum_{ijkl} c_{ijkl} P_i(\cos \theta_l) P_j(\cos \theta_k) P_k(\phi) P_l(q^2),$$

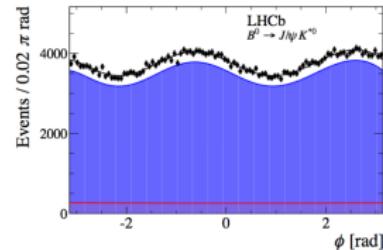
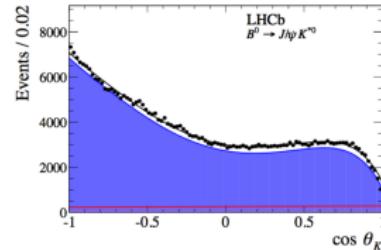
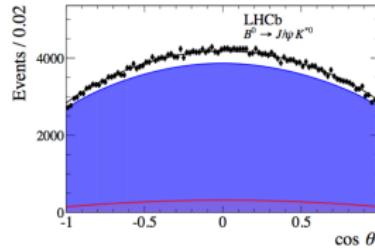
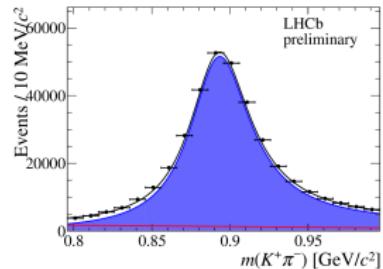
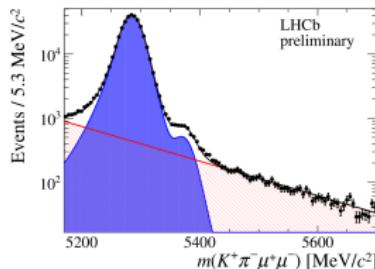
where P_i is the Legendre polynomial of order i .

- We use up to 4th, 5th, 6th, 5th order for the $\cos \theta_l, \cos \theta_k, \phi, q^2$.

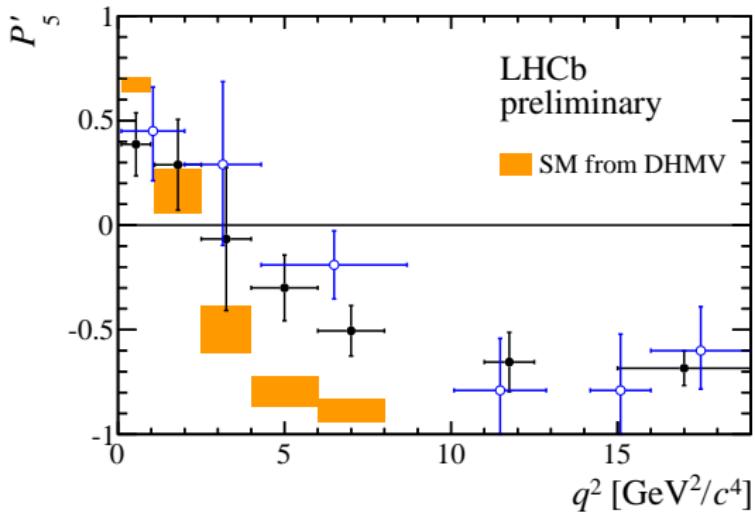


Control channel

- We tested our unfolding procedure on $B \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$.
- The result is in perfect agreement with other experiments and our different analysis of this decay.

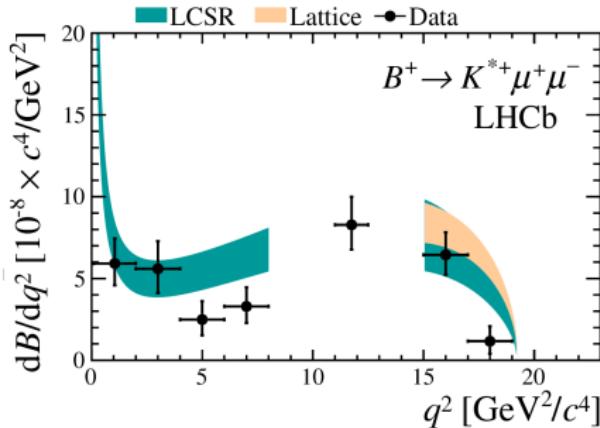
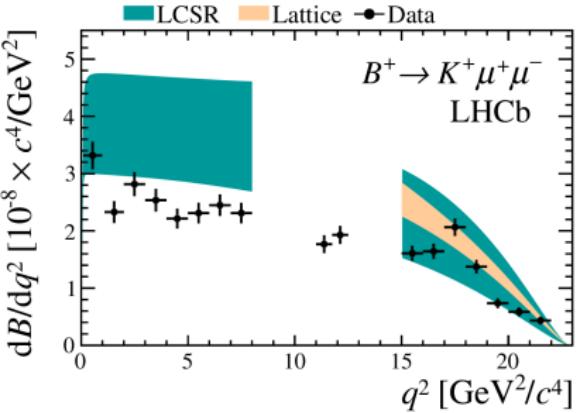
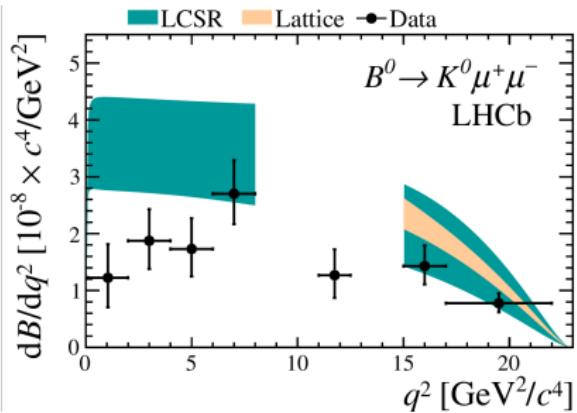


Results in $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$



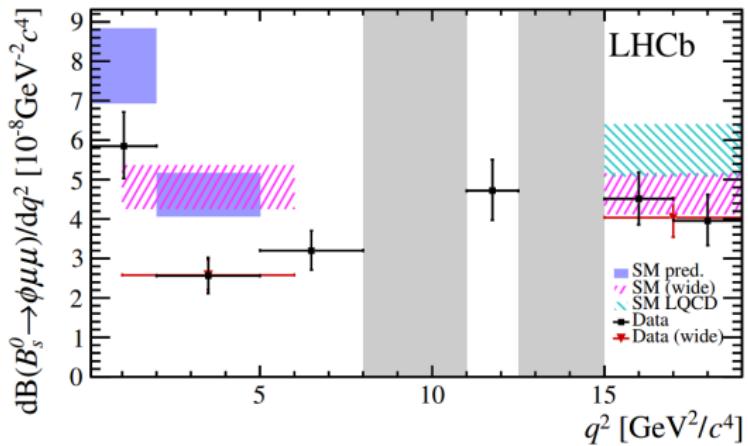
- Tension with 3 fb^{-1} gets confirmed!
- The two bins deviate both in 2.8σ from SM prediction.
- Result compatible with previous result.

Branching fraction measurements of $B \rightarrow K^{*\pm} \mu\mu$



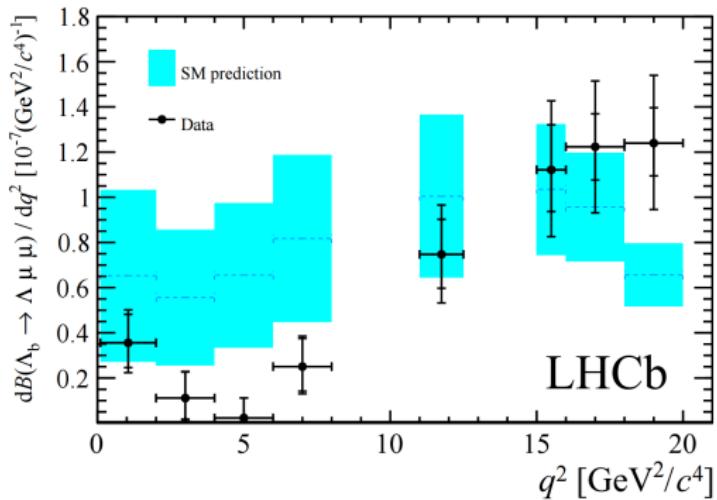
- Despite large theoretical errors the results are consistently smaller than SM prediction.

Branching fraction measurements of $B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\mu\mu$



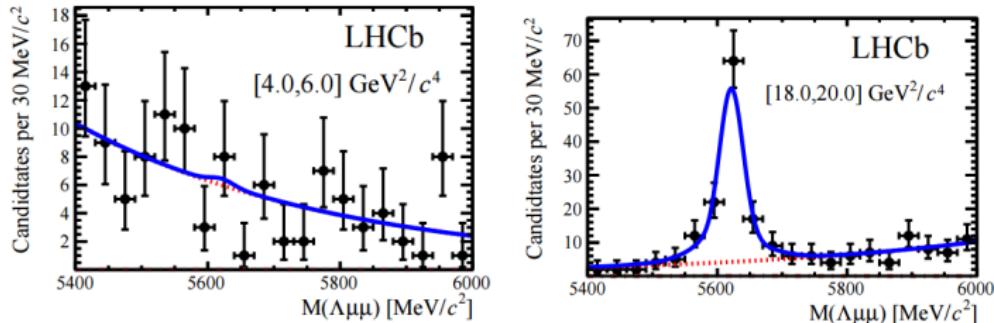
- Recent LHCb measurement [JHEP09 (2015) 179].
- Suppressed by $\frac{f_s}{f_d}$.
- Cleaner because of narrow ϕ resonance.
- 3.3σ deviation in SM in the $1 - 6\text{GeV}^2$ bin.

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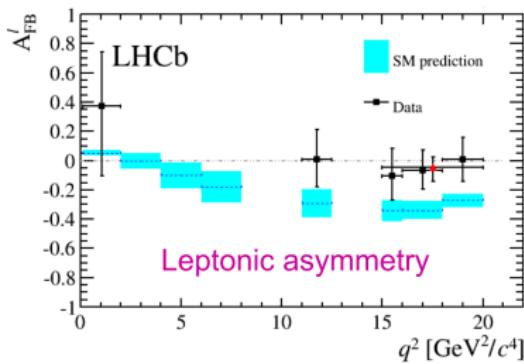
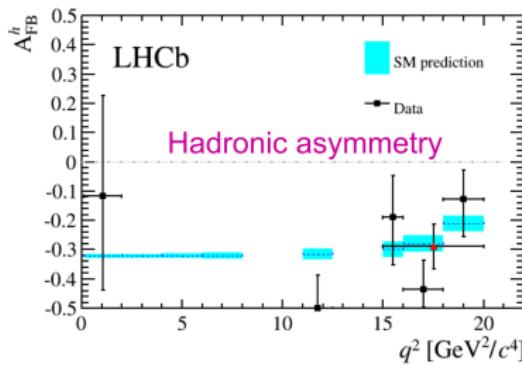
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Angular analysis of $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda\mu\mu$

- For the bins in which we have $> 3\sigma$ significance the forward backward asymmetry for the hadronic and leptonic system.



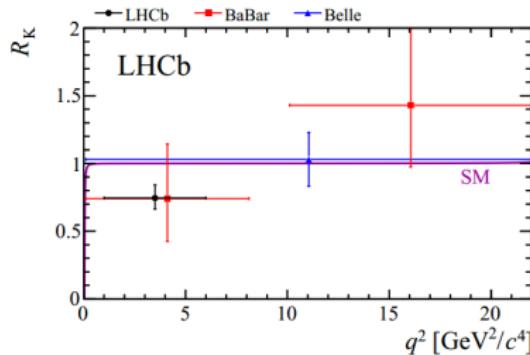
- A_{FB}^H is in good agreement with SM.
- A_{FB}^ℓ always above SM prediction.

Lepton universality test

- If Z' is responsible for the P'_5 anomaly, does it couple equally to all flavours?

$$R_K = \frac{\int_{q^2=1\text{ GeV}^2/c^4}^{q^2=6\text{ GeV}^2/c^4} (d\mathcal{B}[B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-]/dq^2) dq^2}{\int_{q^2=1\text{ GeV}^2/c^4}^{q^2=6\text{ GeV}^2/c^4} (d\mathcal{B}[B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-]/dq^2) dq^2} = 1 \pm \mathcal{O}(10^{-3}) .$$

- Challenging analysis due to bremsstrahlung.
- Migration of events modeled by MC.
- Correct for bremsstrahlung.
- Take double ratio with $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$ to cancel systematics.
- In 3fb^{-1} , LHCb measures
 $R_K = 0.745^{+0.090}_{-0.074}(\text{stat.})^{+0.036}_{-0.036}(\text{syst.})$
- Consistent with SM at 2.6σ .



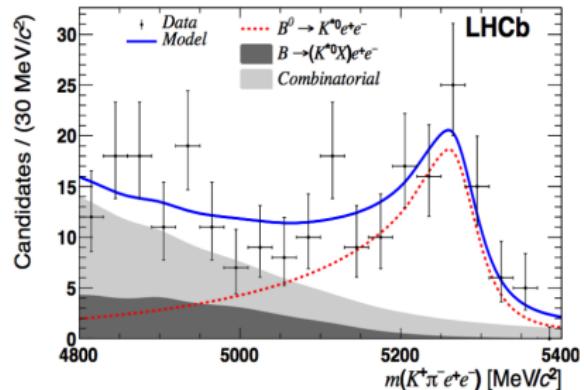
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Angular analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow K^*ee$

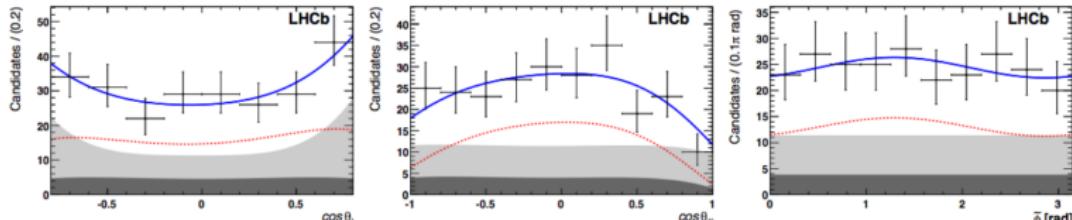
- With the full data set (3fb^{-1}) we performed angular analysis in $0.0004 < q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$.
- Electrons channels are extremely challenging experimentally:
 - Bremsstrahlung.
 - Trigger efficiencies.
- Determine the angular observables: F_L , $A_T^{(2)}$, A_T^{Re} , A_T^{Im} :

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Angular analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow K^*ee$



- Results in full agreement with the SM.
- Similar strength on C_7 Wilson coefficient as from $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ decays.

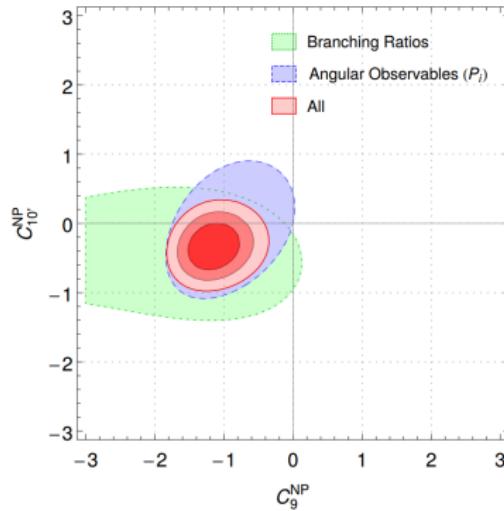
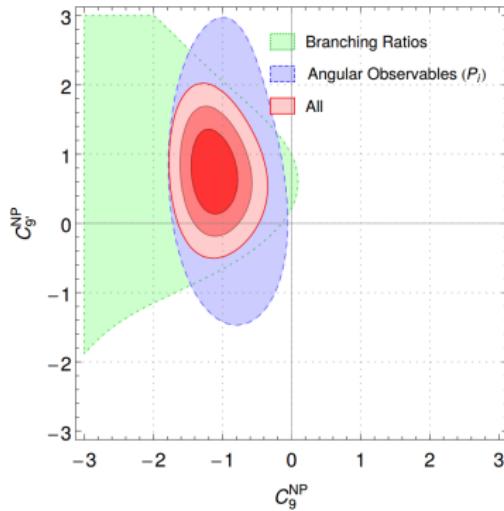


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 - $P B_{(s)} \rightarrow K^*(\phi) \mu\mu$, Horgan et al 2013
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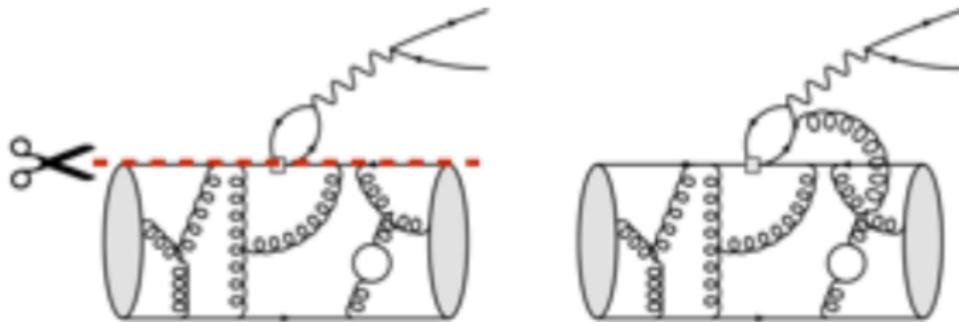
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Coefficient	Best fit	1σ	3σ	Pull_{SM}	p-value (%)
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C_9^{NP}	-1.11	[-1.32, -0.89]	[-1.71, -0.40]	4.5	62.0
C_{10}^{NP}	0.58	[0.34, 0.84]	[-0.11, 1.41]	2.5	25.0
$C_{7'}^{\text{NP}}$	0.02	[-0.01, 0.04]	[-0.05, 0.09]	0.7	15.0
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Table 2: Best-fit points, confidence intervals, pulls for the SM hypothesis and p-values for different one-dimensional NP scenarios.

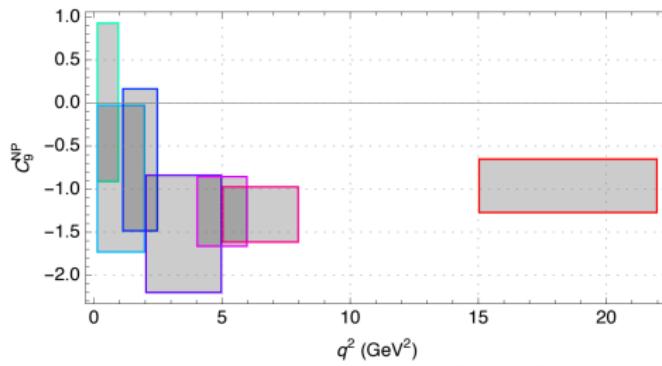
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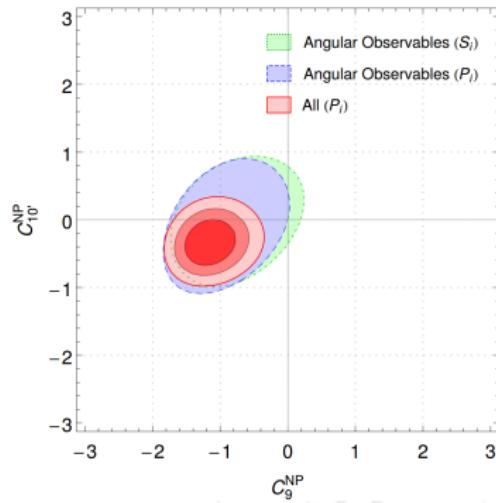
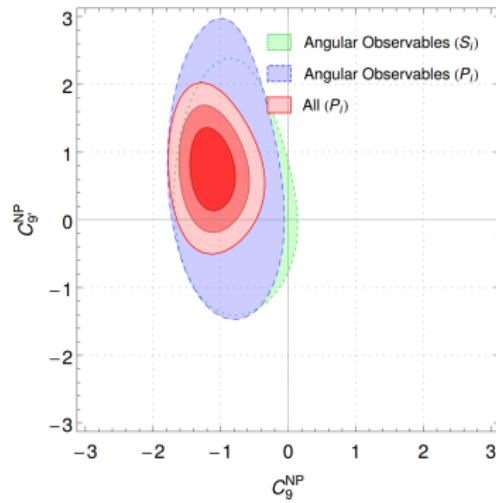
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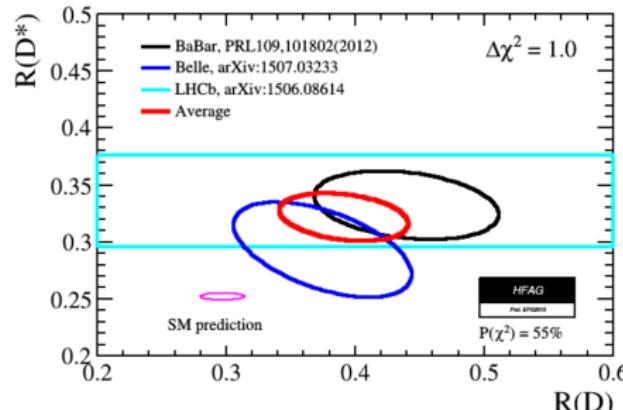
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- How about our clean P_i observables?
- The QCD cancel as mentioned only at leading order.
- Comparison to normal observables with the optimised ones.



There is more!

- There is one other LUV decay recently measured by LHCb.
- $R(D^*) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^* \mu \nu)}$
- Clean SM prediction: $R(D^*) = 0.252(3)$, PRD 85 094025 (2012)
- LHCb result: $R(D^*) = 0.336 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.030$, HFAG average: $R(D^*) = 0.322 \pm 0.022$
- 3.9σ discrepancy wrt. SM.



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Thank you for the attention!

