Quo Vadis P_5' ?

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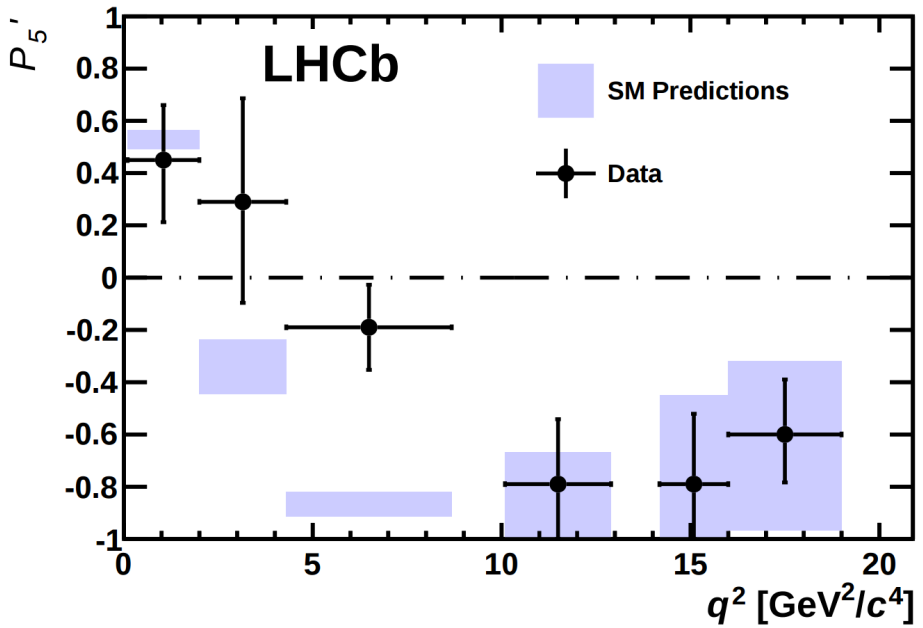

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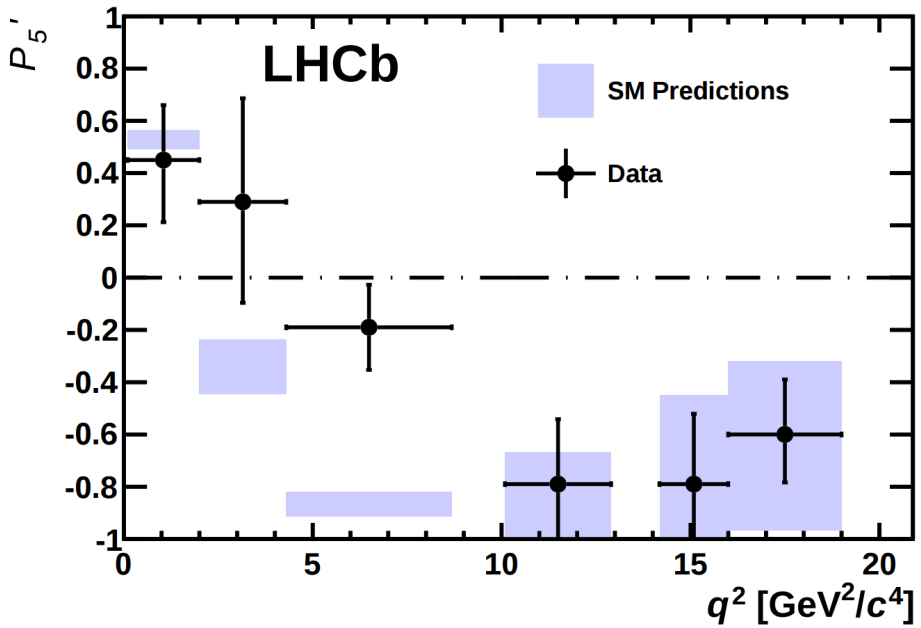

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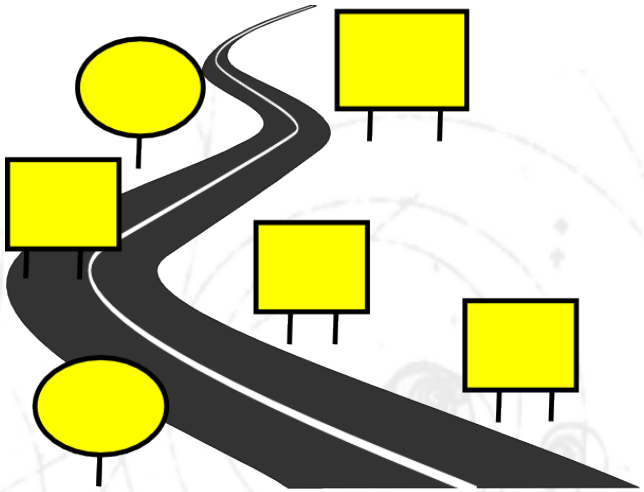

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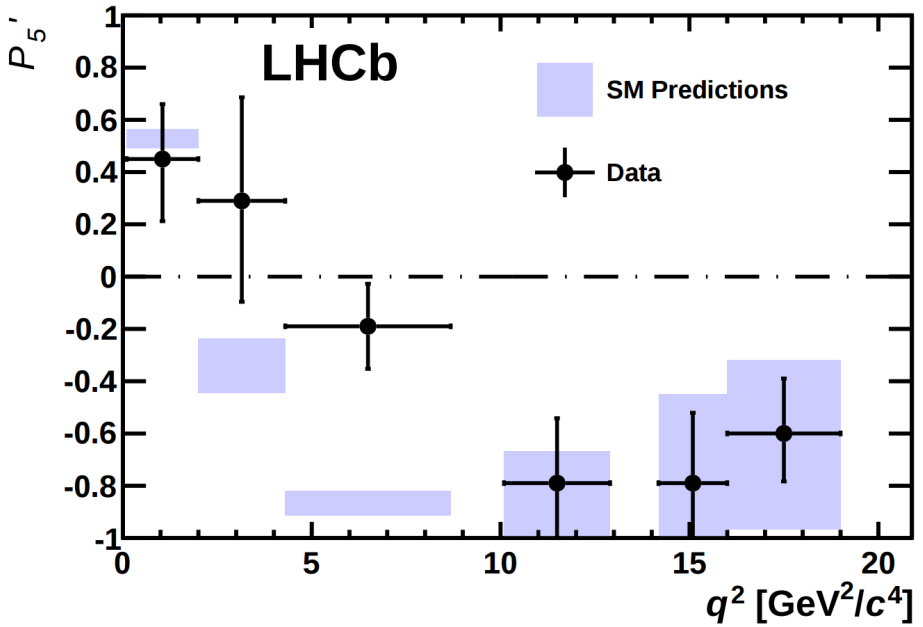

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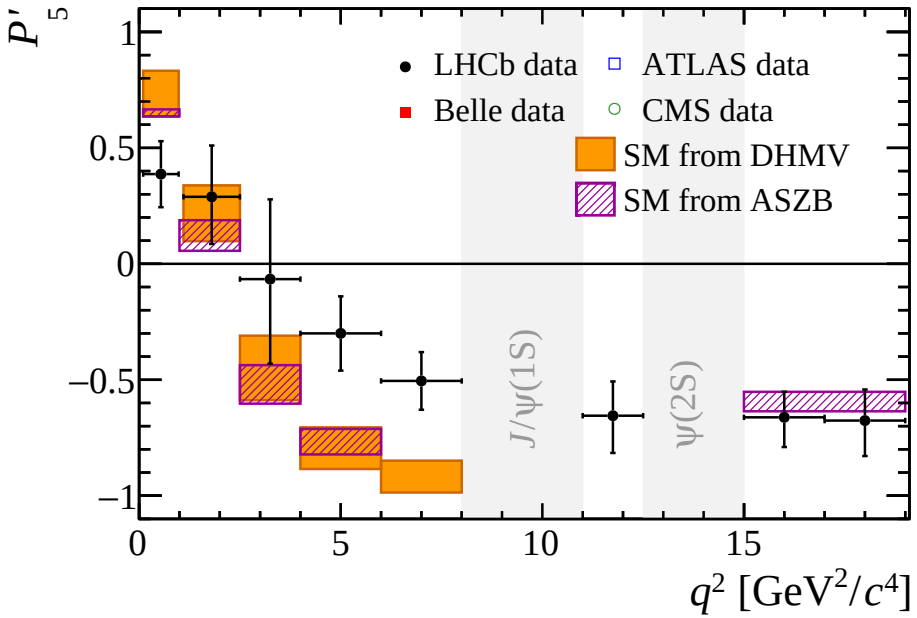

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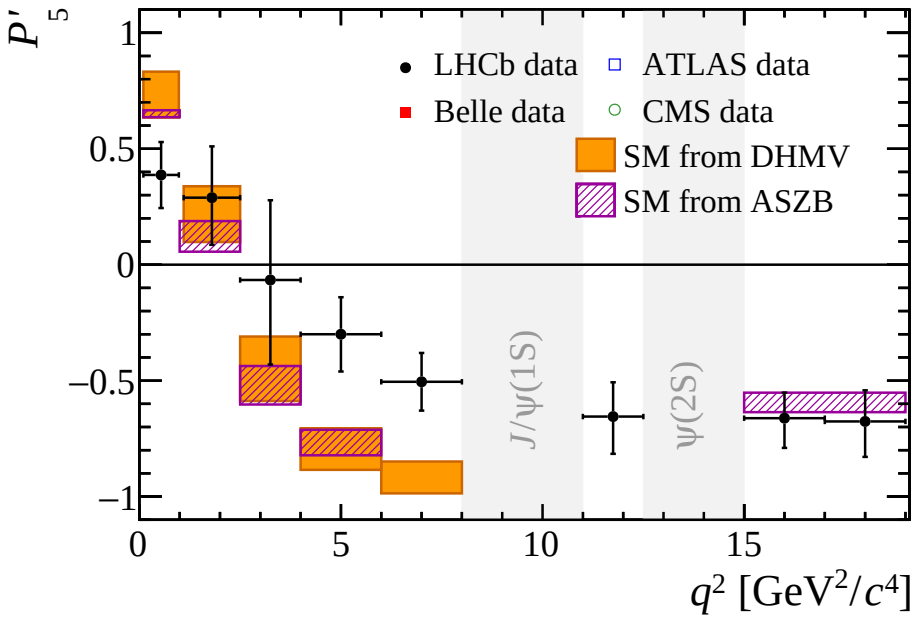

⇛ We generated a lot of interests :) The paper has now 115 citations!
⇛ Two alliances were formed:

⇛ We have new physics:

⇛ We have QCD effects:

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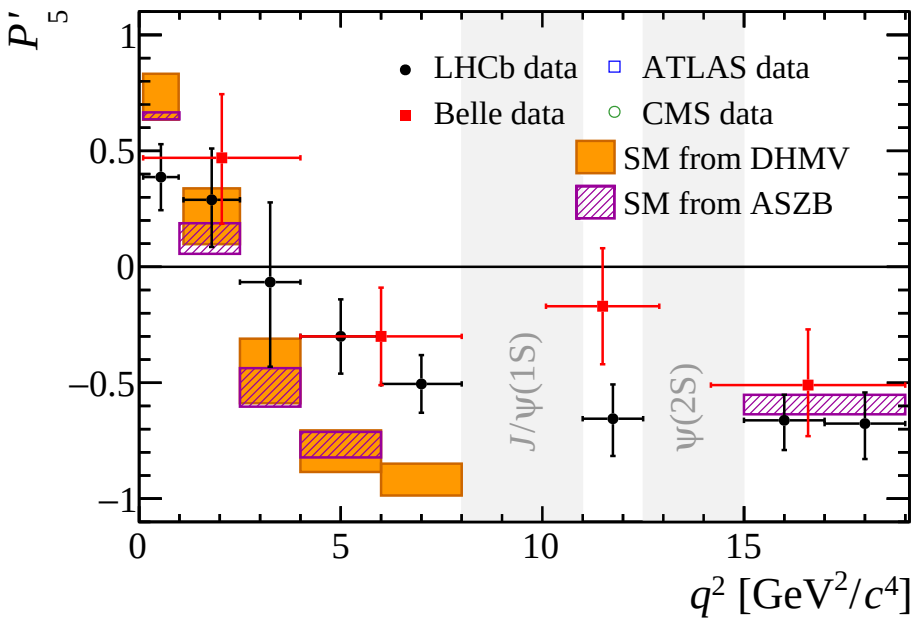

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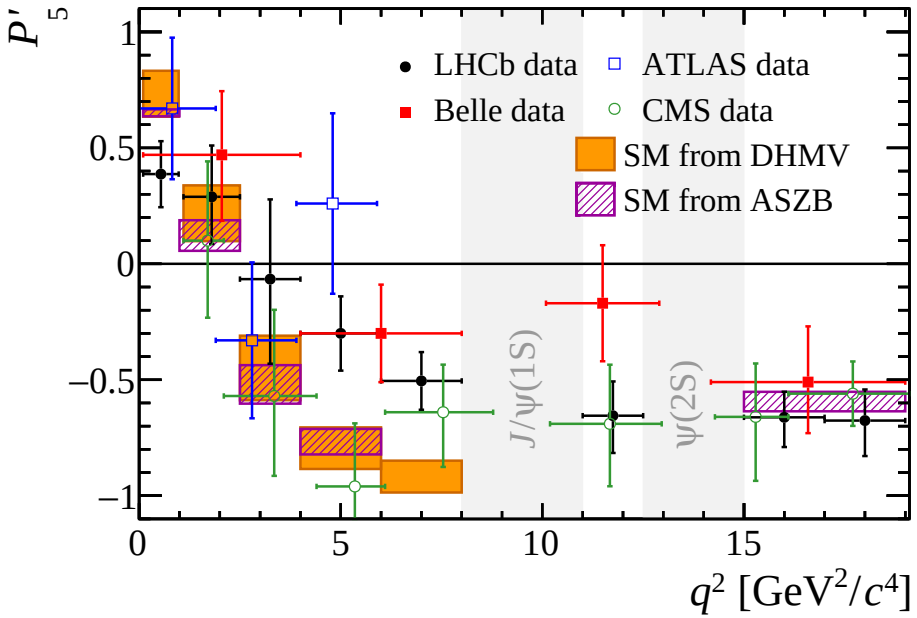


Details about their ATLAS & CMS analysis 1/2

$\Rightarrow$ The results are based on Run1 data.

$\Rightarrow$ The measurement of P_5' is possible knowing the B flavour.

$\Rightarrow$ In LHCb we have RICH, but ATLAS and CMS don't, so the flavour is assigned by checking two possible mass hypothesis for K^* and choosing the one closer to the SM value (13% for CMS and 11% for CMS).

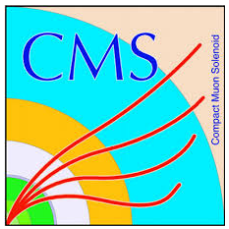
$\Rightarrow$ The analysis follows our LHCb results from $1\ \mathrm{fb}^{-1}$:

- Not enough events to perform the full angular fit.
- Fold the angles to reduce the number of observables
- In this procedure you lose correlations between the observables

$\Rightarrow$ The acceptance corrections both in CMS and ATLAS paramterized as $\epsilon(\cos\theta_l, \cos\theta_k, \phi, m)$ in each of the q^2 bin.

Details about their ATLAS & CMS analysis 2/2

⇛ Angular acceptance parametrized by polynomial functions.
⇛ Determination of F_L, P_1, P_4', P_5', P_6', P_8' and/or S_i $i = 3, 4, 5, 7, 8$.
⇛ Systematic for S-wave (small)
⇛ Main systematics: background: charm, partRECO, fake K^*.
⇛ $\mathrm{B} \to \mathrm{K}^* \mathrm{J}/\psi$ used ONLY for mass PDF.



⇛ Angular acceptance parametrized by KDE and sampled histograms.
⇛ Determination of only P_1 and P_5'.
⇛ Swave fraction inferred from other analysis.
⇛ Main systematics: Control channel differences.
⇛ $\mathrm{B} \to \mathrm{K}^* \mathrm{J}/\psi$ used for systematics.

So what is the significance? J. Matias, et. al.

$\Rightarrow$ LHCb ($3\ \mathrm{fb}^{-1}$):

Coefficient	Best Fit	$\mathrm{Pull}_{\mathrm{SM}}$
C_9	-1.09	4.5
$C_9 = -C_{10}$	-0.68	4.2
$C_9 = -C_9'$	-1.06	4.8
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$\Rightarrow$ LHCb ($3\ \mathrm{fb}^{-1}$) + Belle:

Coefficient	Best Fit	$\mathrm{Pull}_{\mathrm{SM}}$
C_9	-1.12	5.0 (!!!)
$C_9 = -C_{10}$	-0.61	4.4
$C_9 = -C_9'$	-1.05	4.5
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C_9	-1.07	4.9
$C_9 = -C_{10}$	-0.58	4.3
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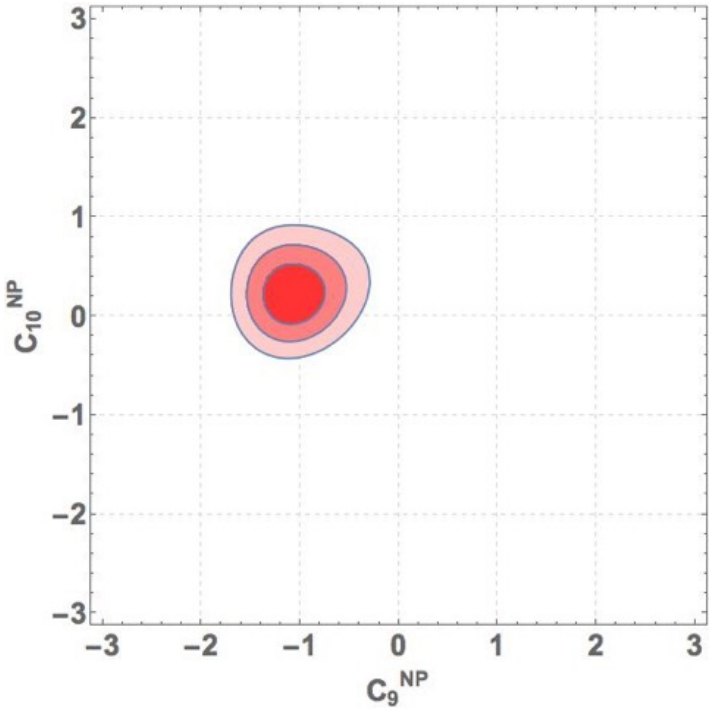

So what is the significance? D. Straub, et. al. [1703.09189]

⇛ LHCb ($3\ \mathrm{fb}^{-1}$) + CDF + ATLAS + CMS:

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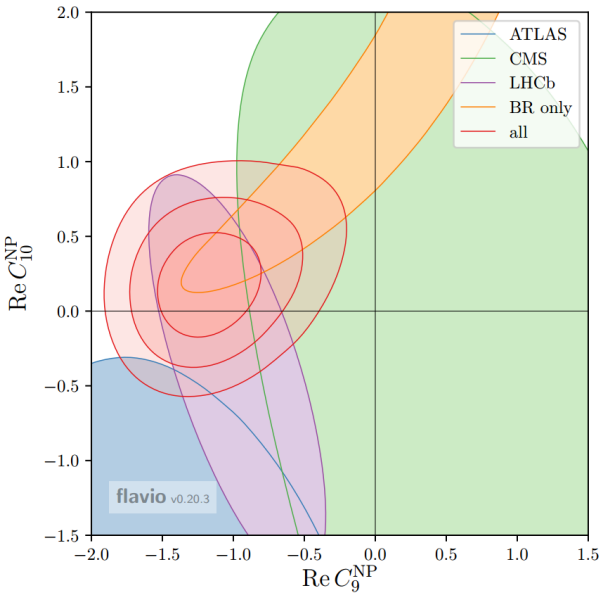
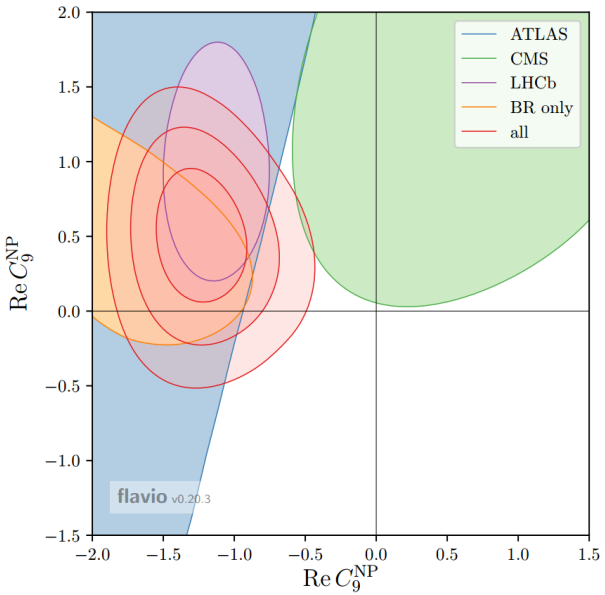
$C_9 = -C_{10}$	-0.62	4.2





⇛ Both groups came to the similar conclusion!

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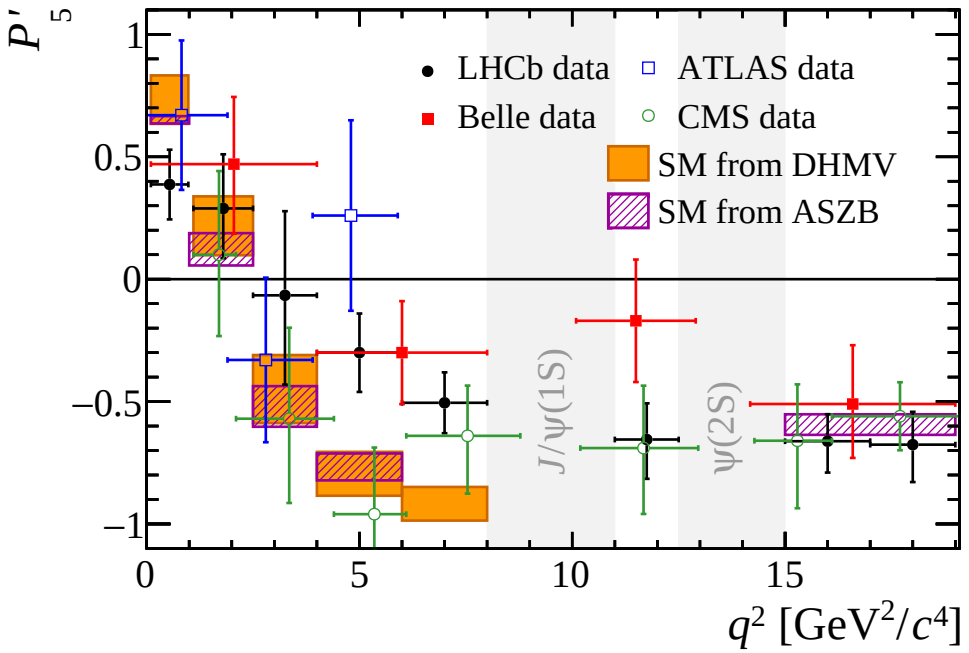
Comments about the CMS result 1/3

⇛ Both ATLAS and CMS use our folding technique that was used in $1\ \mathrm{fb}^{-1}$ analysis. ⇛ CMS when performing the angular fit fixes the F_L, F_S and A_s from the previous analysis on the same data!

⇛ They claim that they check with TOYMC it is correct. However some doubts remain.

⇛ Feldman-Cousin procedure can underestimate the errors in this case.

⇛ More details on toy validation and or bootstrapping the data would be nice!



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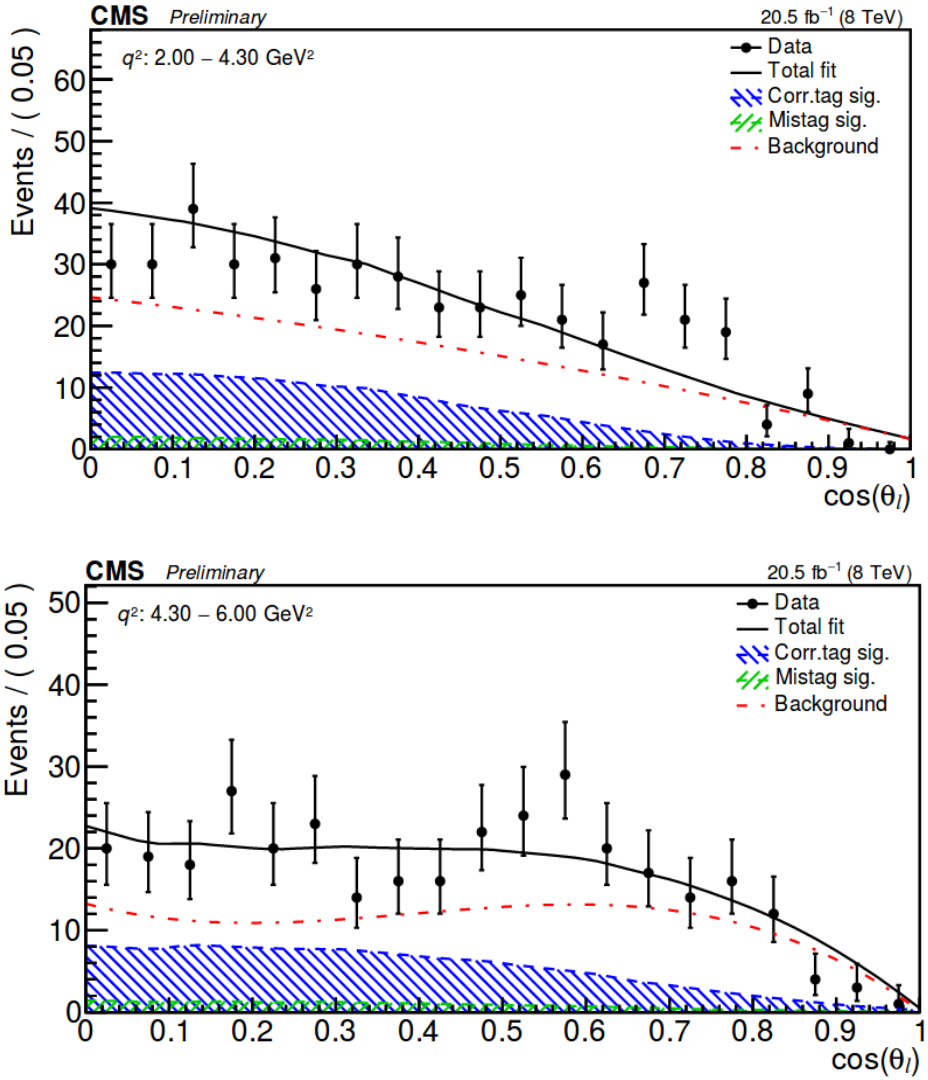
⇛ There seems to be a structure in the $\cos\theta_l$ distribution.

⇛ A.Bevan suggested this might be due to existence of a $\mathrm{B} \to \mathrm{D}(\mathrm{K}\pi\pi)\pi$

⇛ Can be easily checked with MC.



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⇛ In the decay of $\mathrm{B} \to \mathrm{K}^* \mathrm{J}/\psi$ they fail to reproduce the value of F_L.

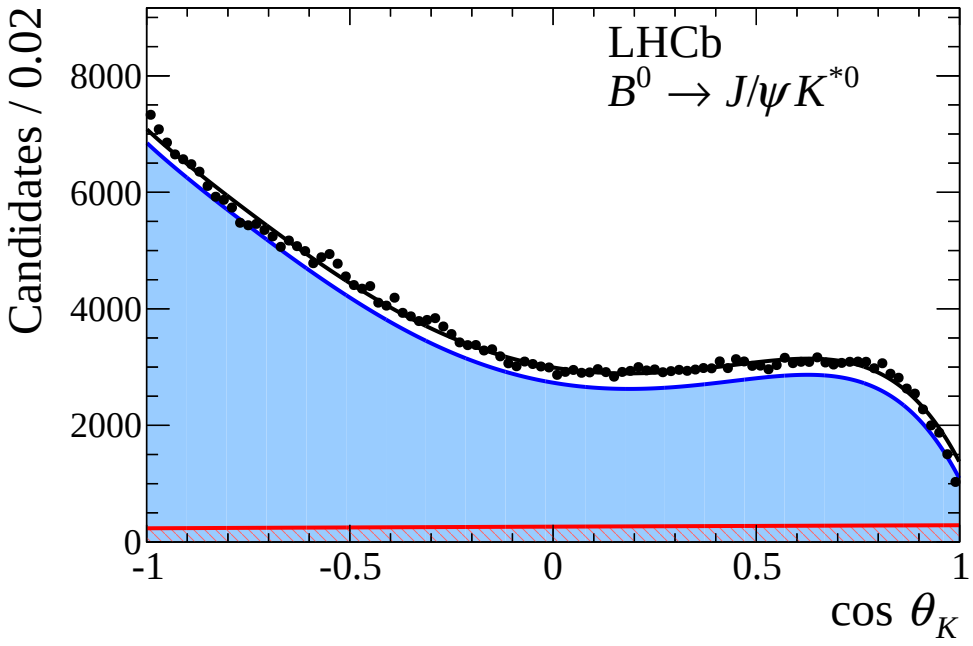
⇛ They assign the difference as a systematic uncertainty.

⇛ There is no guaranty that this has no q^2 dependence.

⇛ They tag the K^* via which of the configurations: $\mathrm{K}^+\pi^-$, $\mathrm{K}^-\pi^+$ is closer to nominal K^* mass.

⇛ They model the miss-tag fractions from MC.

⇛ The mistag is modelled by MC. Systematic assign from $\mathrm{B} \to \mathrm{K}^* \mathrm{J}/\psi$ (no q^2 dependence assumed).



Conclusion

$\Rightarrow$ The anomaly is alive and well!

$\Rightarrow$ New results overall increase the significance.

$\Rightarrow$ Tension with SM seen in P_5' by Atlas, Belle and LHCb. CMS result in good agreement with SM, but consistent with our results.

$\Rightarrow$ Some discussion on aspects of the CMS analysis ongoing.

$\Rightarrow$ Run2 data will shade definite light if the anomaly is there or not (of course the nature of the anomaly is different question).

Backup