

Charm status and prospects at Belle II

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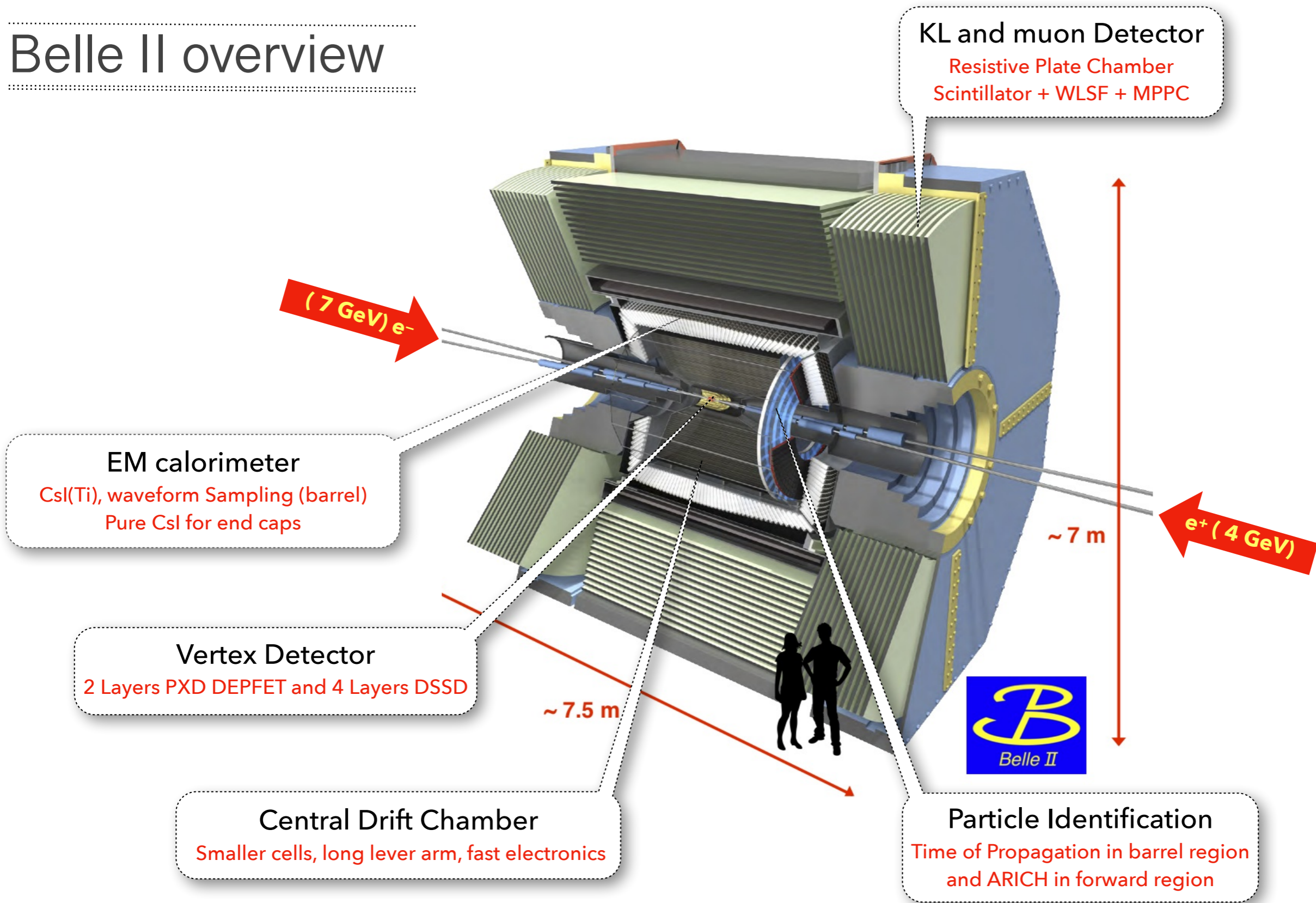
Outline

- ▶ Belle II detector
 - overview, special feature and timeline
- ▶ Charm intro, activities and future prospects
 - life-time, mixing, CPV
- ▶ Summary

Why Charm

- ▶ CP violation in charm sector is special!
 - Only up-type quark family, where mixing and CPV can occur
 - Complementary information to K and $B_{(s)}$ decays
- ▶ In SM, D-mixing is heavily suppressed (both CKM, and GIM suppressed)
 - Very small splitting in both mass and width (small x, y parameters)
 - Non-SM particles contributing to the box diagram could significantly affect the measured values
 - ↪ **Potential room for New Physics**
 - ↪ **But challenging**
 - Predictions are difficult, not a precision probe

Belle II overview



Belle2 TDR: arXiv: 1011.0352

Charm opportunities in Belle II

→ w/ superKEKB and Belle II advancement

Powerful SuperKEKB ▶ $50 \text{ ab}^{-1} = 50\text{x Belle}$

- ▶ Provide clean environment for B Physics: low background with respect to hadron colliders (e.g. LHC)
 - Excellent Dalitz plot analysis with low background
 - Better reconstruction of neutrals/neutrinos → unique access to final states with invisible particles.
- ▶ Large samples of B and D decays (5×10^{10} pairs of b and c over planned operation of 50 ab^{-1})
- ▶ Lorentz boost (asymmetric energy) allows precision measurement mixing parameters, and CP violations.
- ▶ .. more in Physics Book

highlights of Belle II

- ▶ **New VXD** provides better vertex resolution
 - ▶ IP resolution is improved by **PXD** being at radius of 1.4 cm (x2 better D^0 proper time resolution)
- ▶ Good PID even with higher beam background environment (w/ upgraded **SVD, CDC, TOP and ARICH**)
- ▶ Better reconstruction efficiency with improved tracking efficiency
- ▶ More tracking volume from **upgraded CDC and SVD** provides higher K_s efficiency ~ 30%
- ▶ .. more in TDR and Physics Book
- ▶ **Overall performance is expected to improve w.r.t. to Belle, if**
 - **resolution is better/comparable (in particular VXD is better)**
 - **systematic uncertainties are reduced**

Belle2 Physics Book
arxiv1808.10567

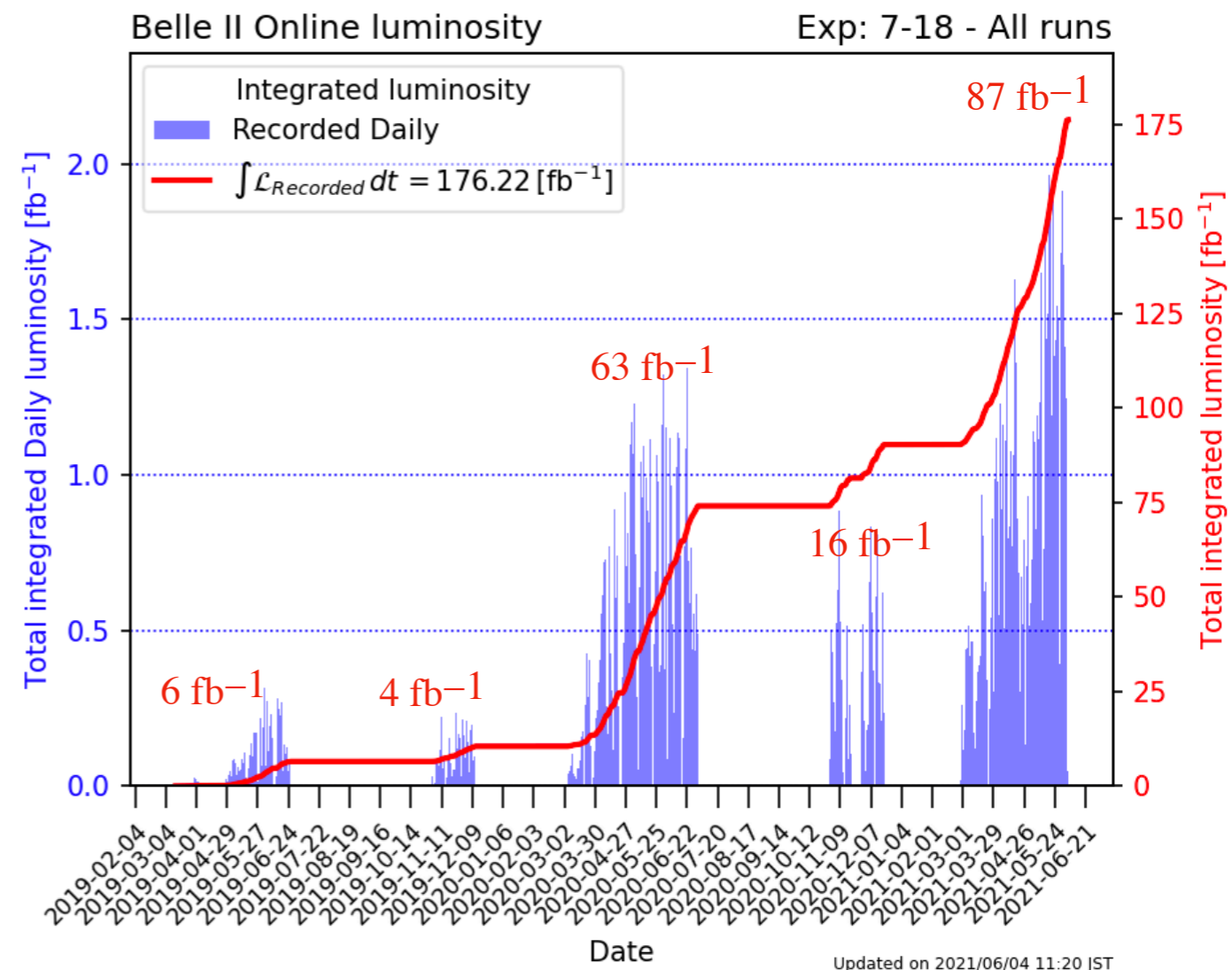
Belle II data status

as of
now

- ▶ Integrated luminosity $L_{\text{int}} \sim 176 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ (June 4, 2021)
- ▶ Highest instantaneous luminosity $\sim 2.9 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - SuperKEKB design luminosity: $6.5 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - New world record archived in June 2020 🏆 (**Belle** highest (June'09) : $2.1 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)
- ▶ Continued data-taking through Covid-19 pandemic

◦ so far..

BelleII charm studies focused on re-discoveries, detector/reconstruction performance, resolutions, and systematic effects..

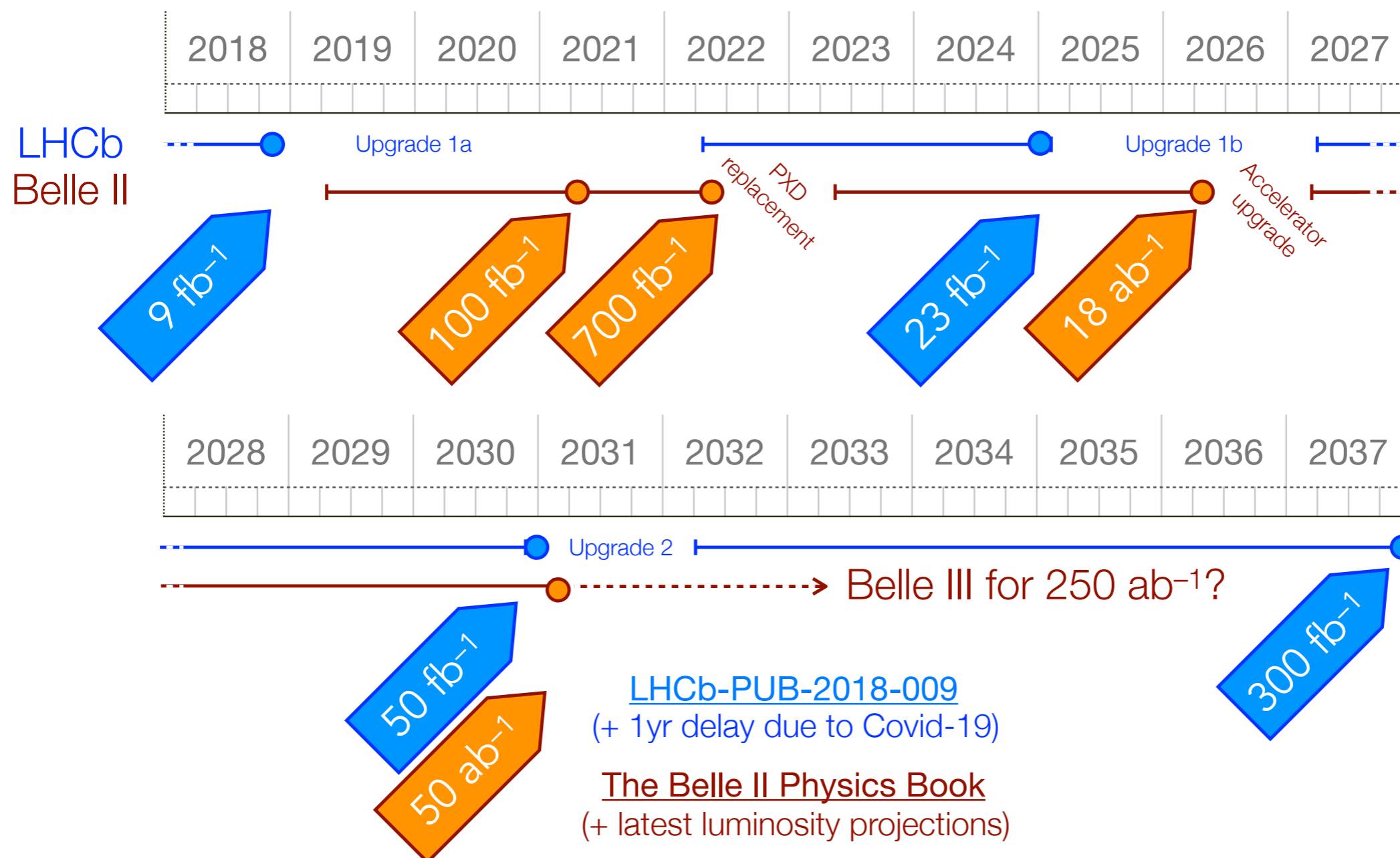


<https://confluence.desy.de/display/BI/Belle+II+Luminosity>

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Belle II data status

future timeline..



CPV: Time integrated

- ▶ Extrapolations from Belle
- ▶ Belle II status
 - .. D^0 decays re-discoveries
 - .. D_s decays re-discoveries

▶ CP asymmetries

$$A_{CP} = \frac{N_{D^0 \rightarrow f} - N_{\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow \bar{f}}}{N_{D^0 \rightarrow f} + N_{\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow \bar{f}}}$$

Time integrated CPV

→ Belle II projections w/ 50 ab⁻¹

Extrapolations from Belle Measurements

$$\sigma_{\text{Belle II}} = \sqrt{(\sigma_{\text{stat}}^2 + \sigma_{\text{syst}}^2) \cdot (\mathcal{L}_{\text{Belle}}/50 \text{ ab}^{-1}) + \sigma_{\text{irred}}^2}$$

σ_{stat} : Scaling the Belle statistical error w/ luminosities,

σ_{syst} : Only those who scale with luminosity such as background shapes measured with control samples

σ_{irred} : Those who do not scale with luminosity such as decay time resolution due to detector misalignment

1. Time integrated CPV

Table 122: Time-integrated CP asymmetries measured by Belle, and the precision expected for Belle II in 50 ab⁻¹ of data.

- ▶ Belle II will specially contribute to decays with neutrals in the final state
- ▶ The precision on A_{CP} will be improved by $\mathcal{O}(10^{-4})$
 - Also valid for decay with neutrals in final states

LHCb¹: ΔA_{CP}
5.3 σ deviation from zero

Mode	\mathcal{L} (fb ⁻¹)	A_{CP} (%)	Belle II 50 ab ⁻¹
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$	976	$-0.32 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.09$	± 0.03
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$	976	$+0.55 \pm 0.36 \pm 0.09$	± 0.05
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$	966	$-0.03 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.10$	± 0.09
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$	966	$-0.21 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.07$	± 0.02
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0$	921	$-0.02 \pm 1.53 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.17$	± 0.23
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta$	791	$+0.54 \pm 0.51 \pm 0.16$	± 0.07
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta'$	791	$+0.98 \pm 0.67 \pm 0.14$	± 0.09
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	532	$+0.43 \pm 1.30$	± 0.13
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	281	-0.60 ± 5.30	± 0.40
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	281	-1.80 ± 4.40	± 0.33
$D^+ \rightarrow \phi \pi^+$	955	$+0.51 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.05$	± 0.04
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$	921	$+2.31 \pm 1.24 \pm 0.23$	± 0.17
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+$	791	$+1.74 \pm 1.13 \pm 0.19$	± 0.14
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta' \pi^+$	791	$-0.12 \pm 1.12 \pm 0.17$	± 0.14
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+$	977	$-0.36 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.07$	± 0.02
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$	977	$-0.25 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.14$	± 0.04
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+$	673	$+5.45 \pm 2.50 \pm 0.33$	± 0.29
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$	673	$+0.12 \pm 0.36 \pm 0.22$	± 0.05
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0$			

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1: Phys. Rev. Lett. 122, 211803 (2019)

Ongoing time-integrated measurement at Belle II ⁽¹⁾

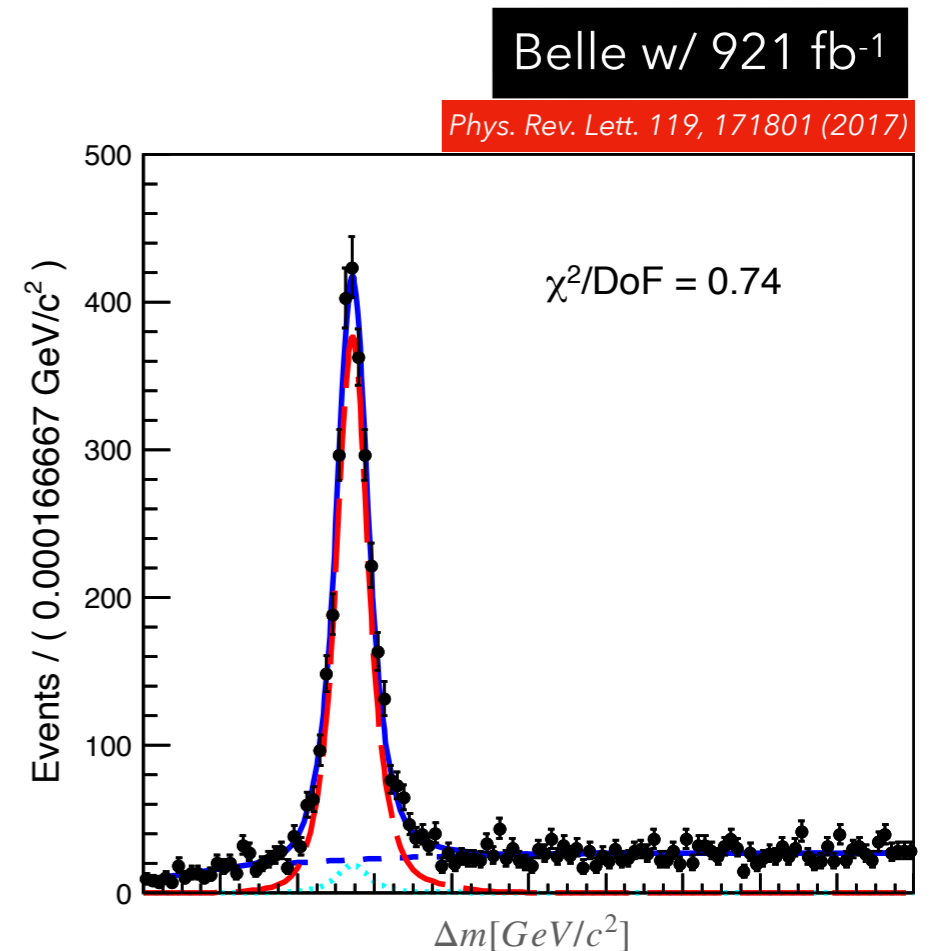
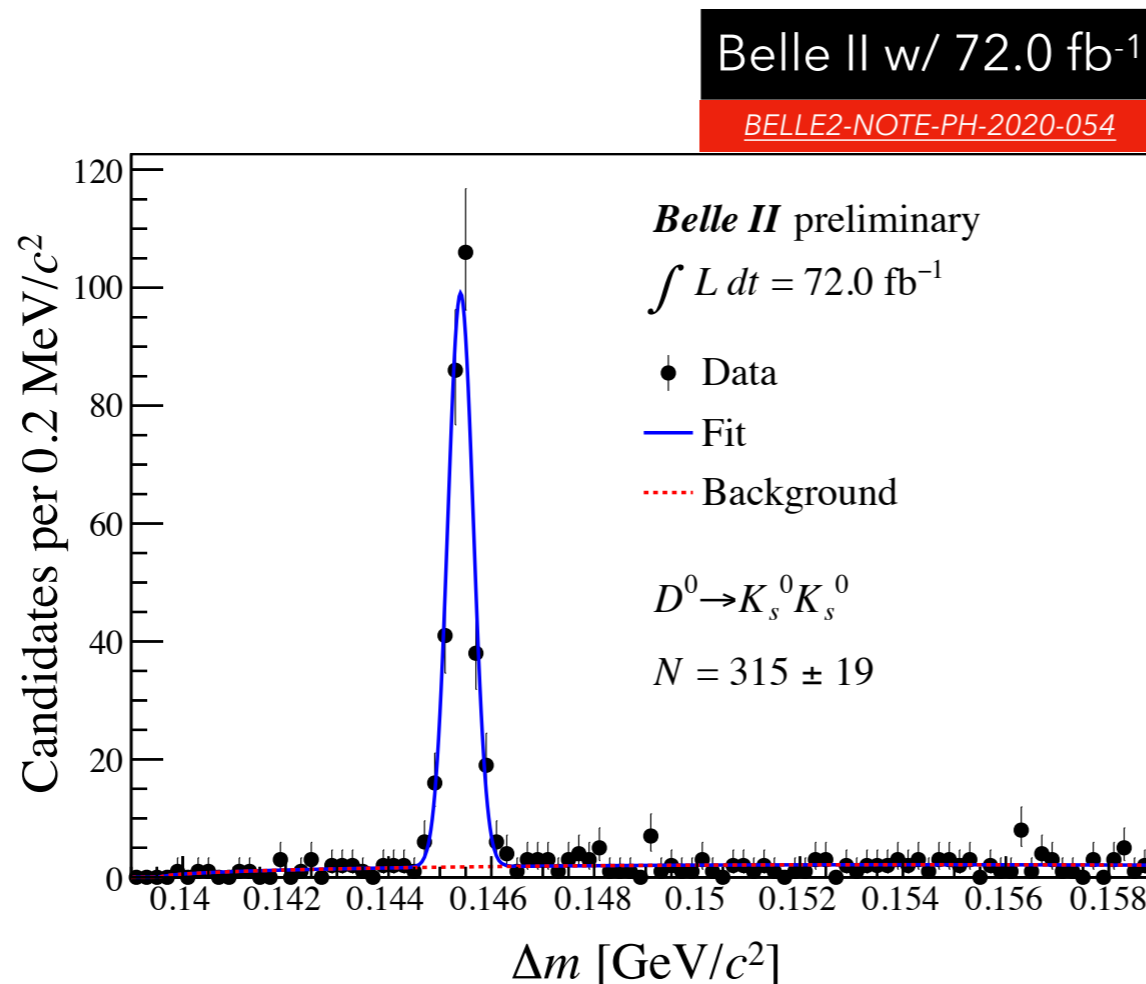
→ rediscoveries of D^* tagged D^0 decays



- ▶ SCS decay, most promising channels, and can probe for CPV origin
- ▶ Current A_{CP} measurements are limited with statistics
 - Best so far is from Belle ($-0.02 \pm 1.53 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.17$)%

▶ Belle II so far..

- Re-discovery with very good reconstruction performance
- Resolution, background, yield/luminosity are comparable with Belle*



only qualitative comparison due to different selections

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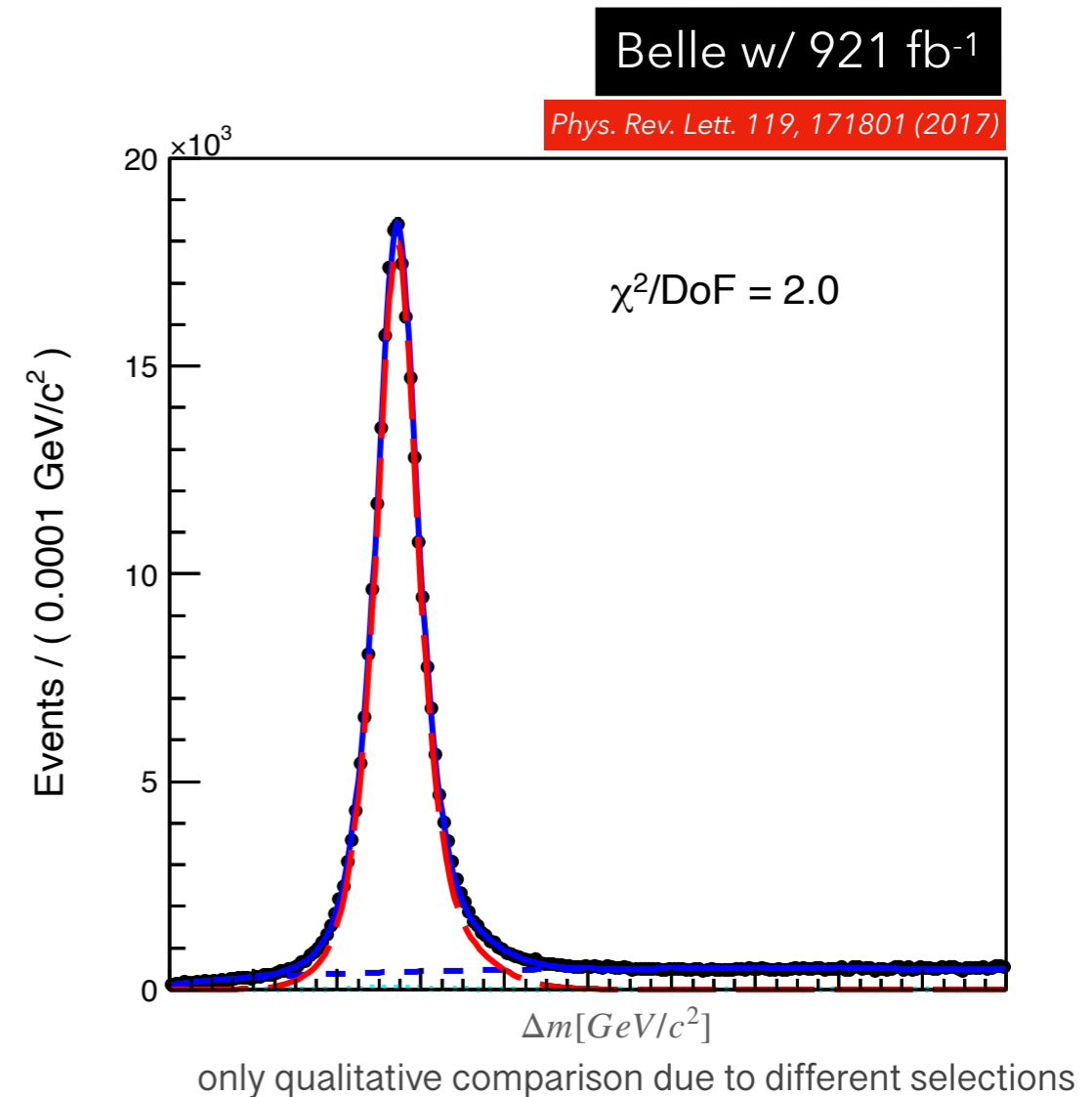
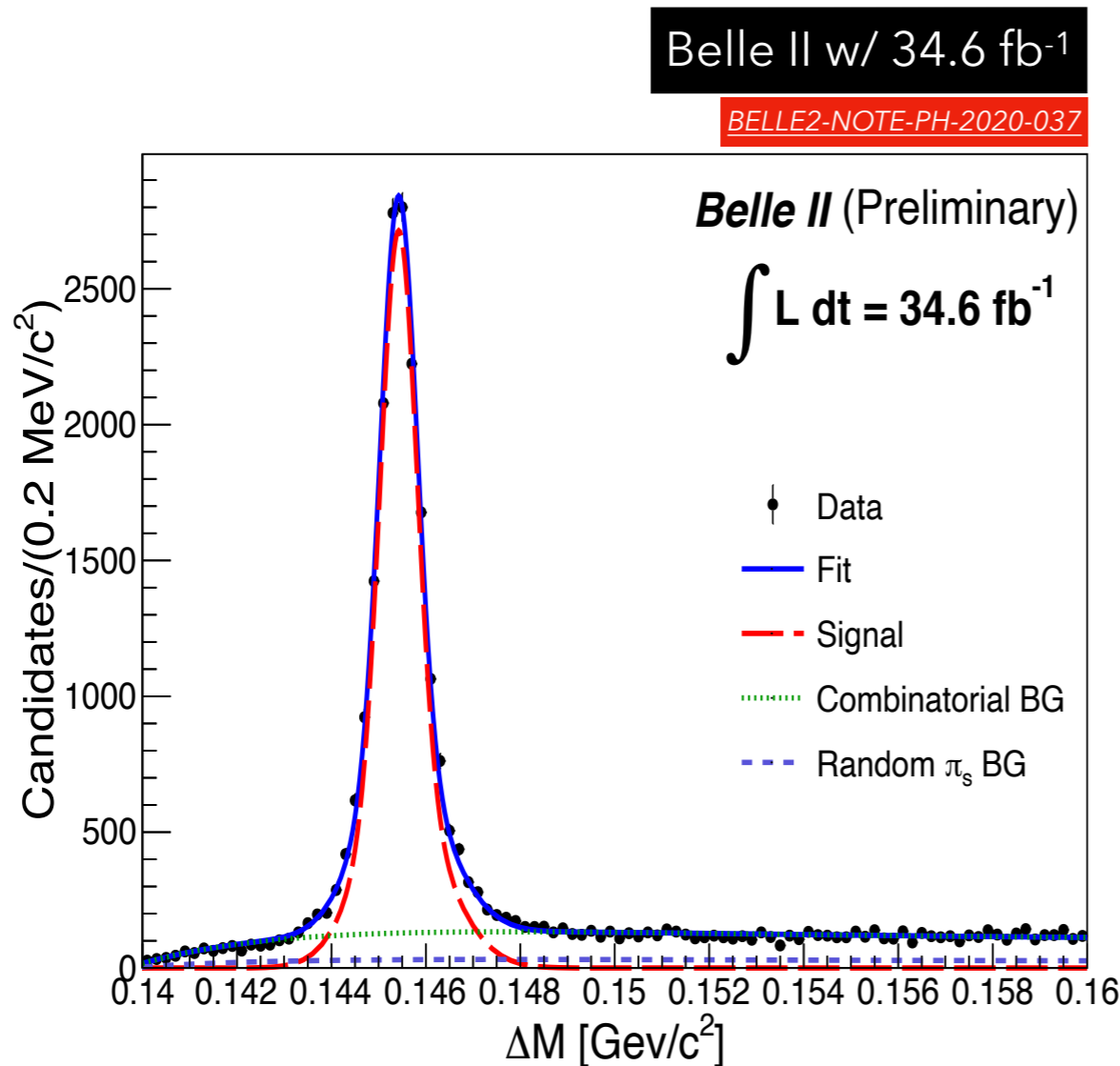
→ rediscoveries of D^* tagged D^0 decays



- CF decay (+ DCSD inference)
- Important for normalization model in $D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 K_s^0$, $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$, $D^0 \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$

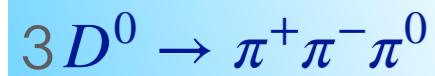
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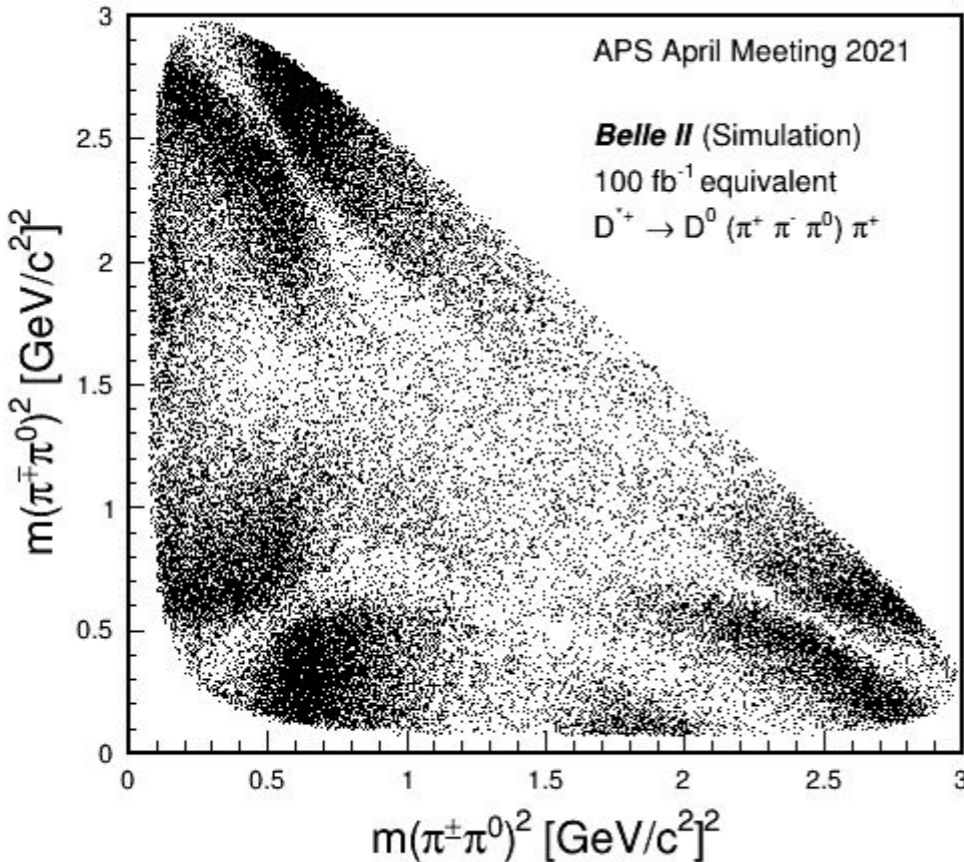
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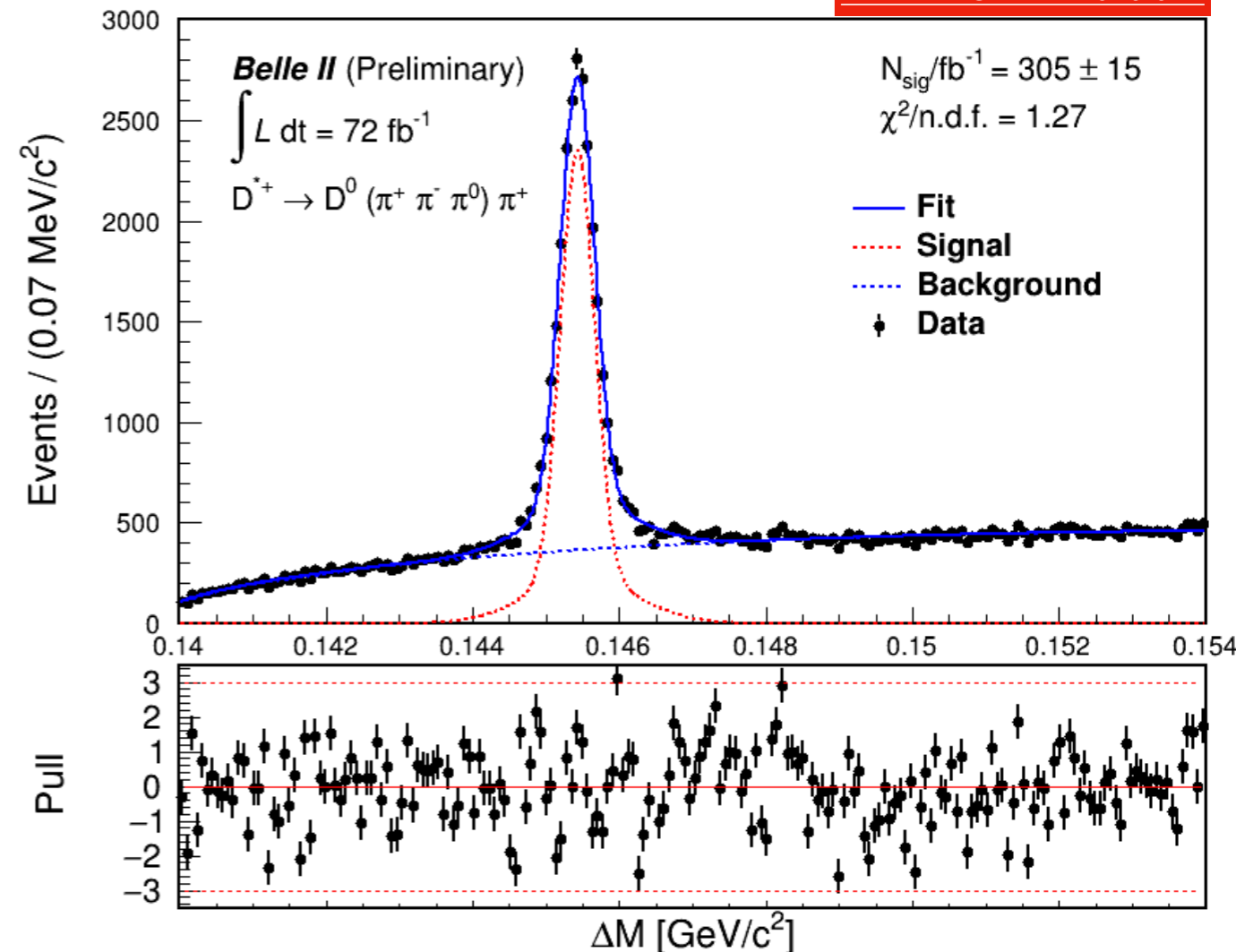
- ▶ SCS decay with a possible admixture from a penguin amplitude
 - The interference of these amplitudes → CP violation
- ▶ Aim to perform a time-averaged Dalitz analysis with full data
 - CPV hints → asymmetry in events distribution over the Dalitz plot

- ▶ Belle II so far..
 - Re-discovery w/ very good reconstruction performance



Belle II w/ 72 fb⁻¹

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Ongoing time-integrated measurement at Belle II (2)

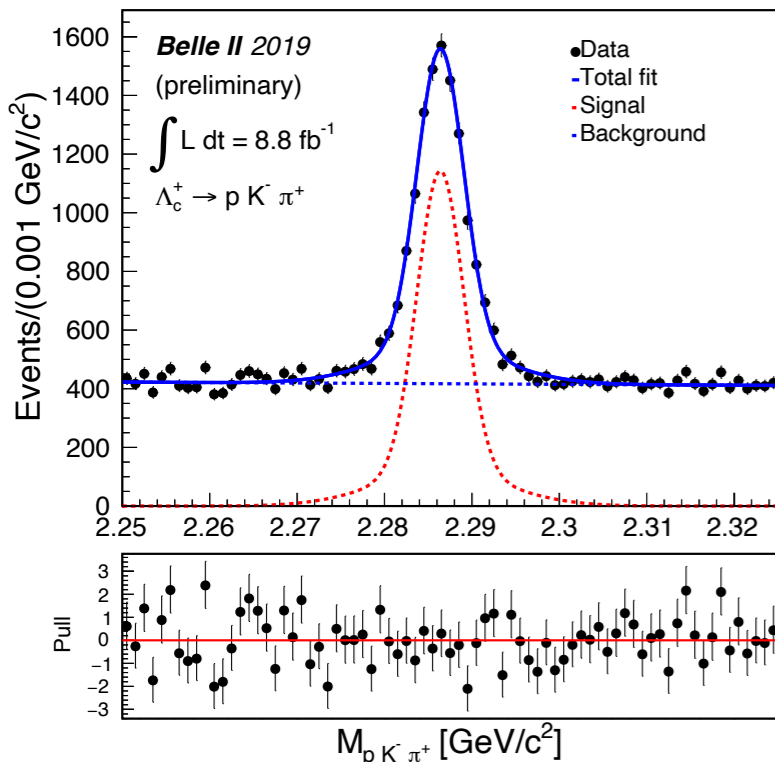
→ rediscoveries of D^* tagged D_s decays

- ▶ D_s decays ($\phi\pi^+$, $K_s K^+$, $\bar{K}^{*0} K^+$)
 - ..are re-discovered
 - Used for normalization in most analysis studying D_s
- ▶ Other D_s channels are also under study

Also charm baryons

$$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+$$

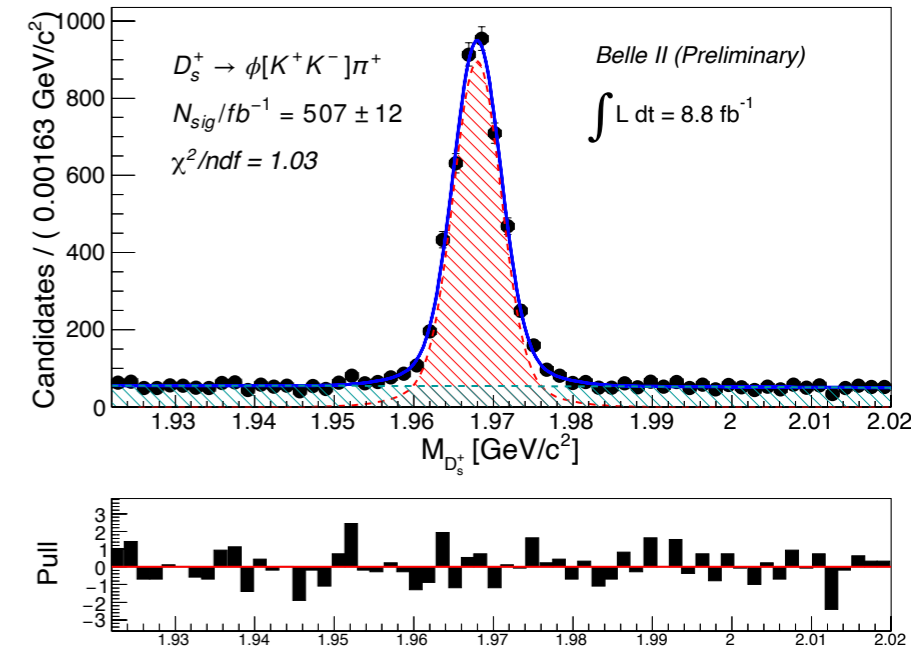
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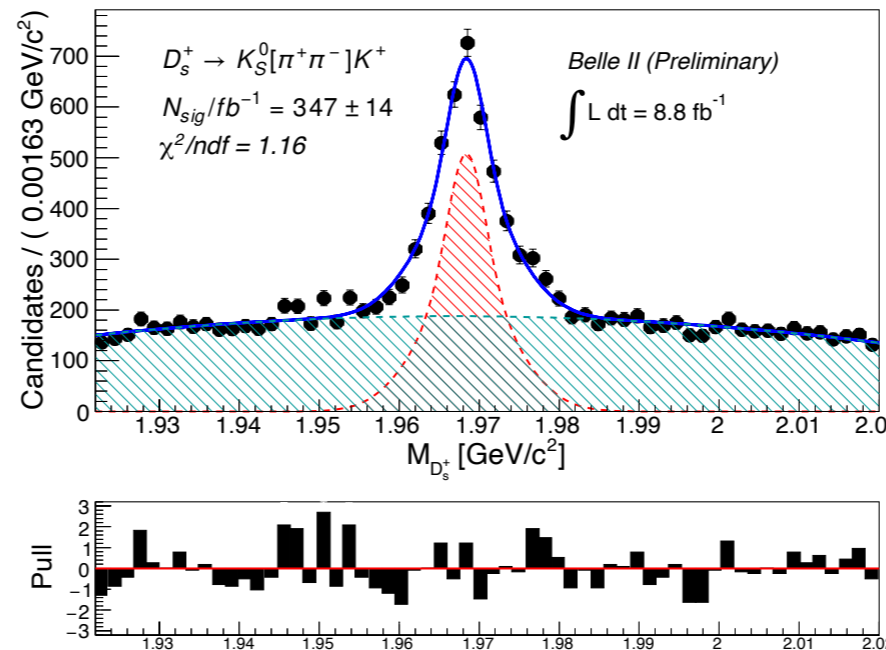
$$1 D_s \rightarrow \phi \pi^+$$

Belle II w/ 8.8 fb^{-1}

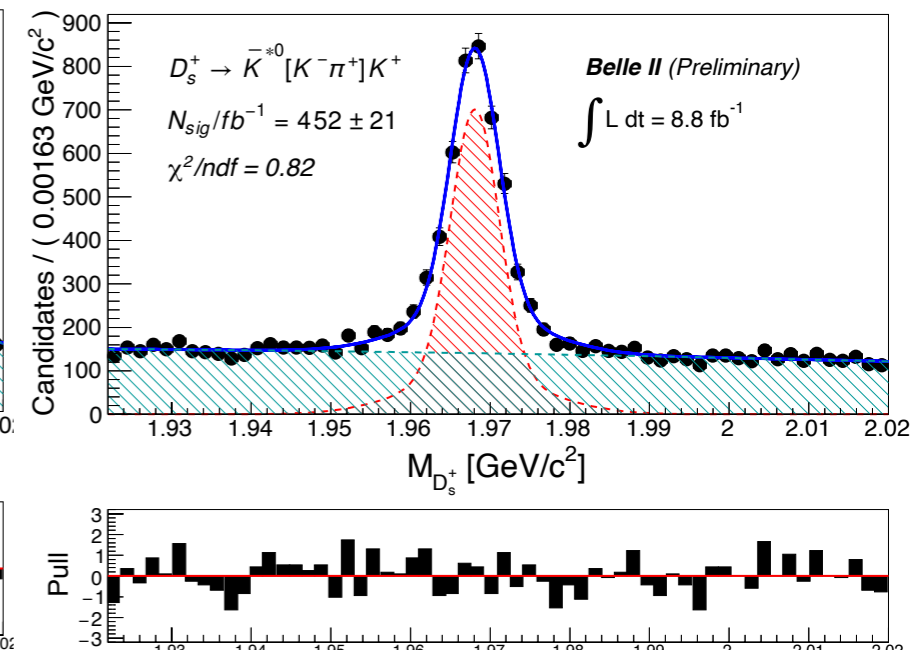
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$$2 D_s \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} K^+$$



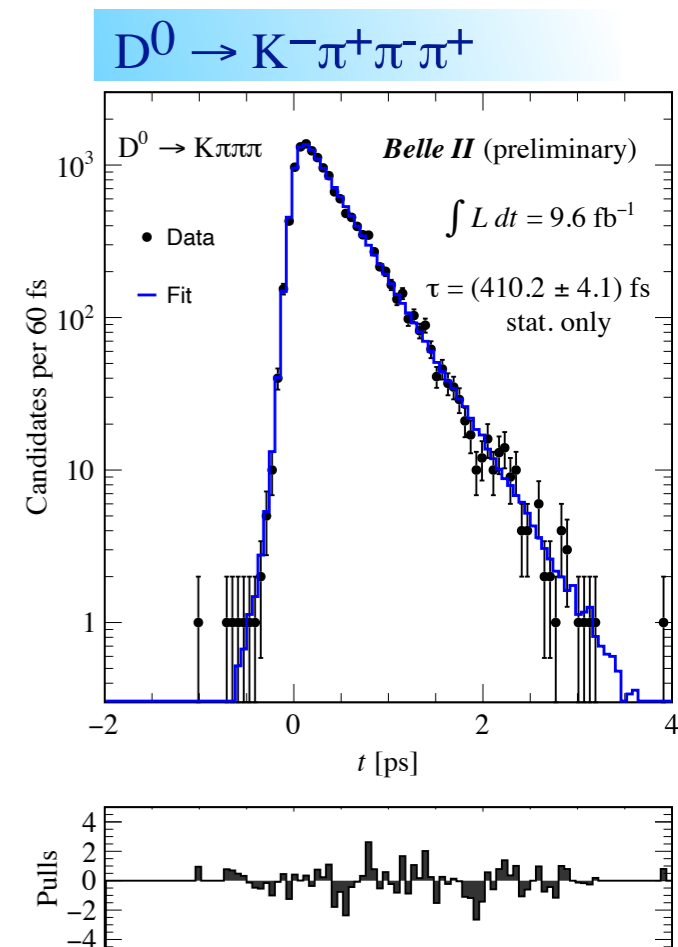
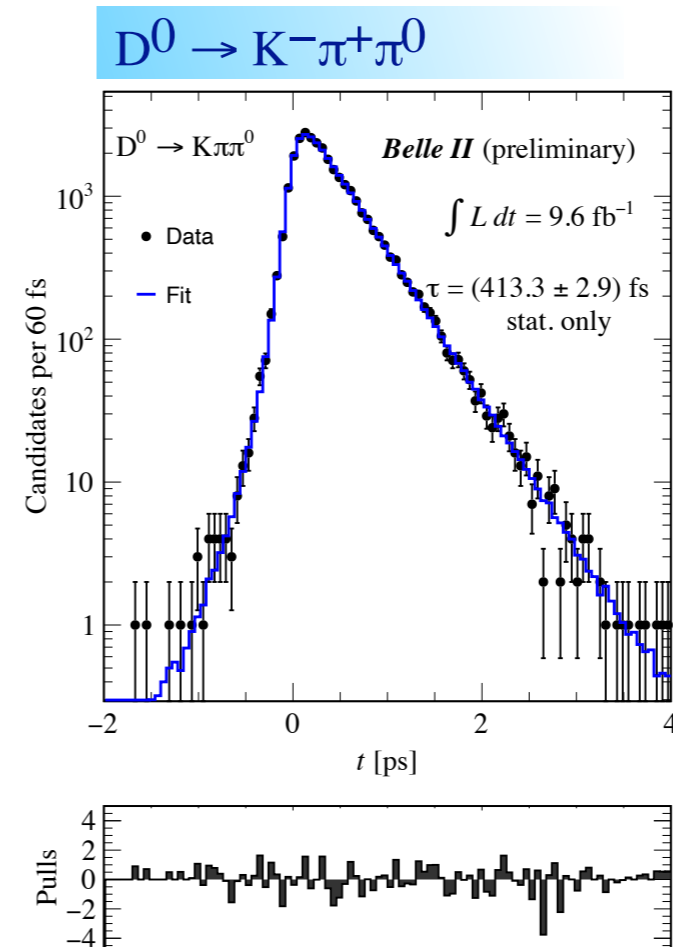
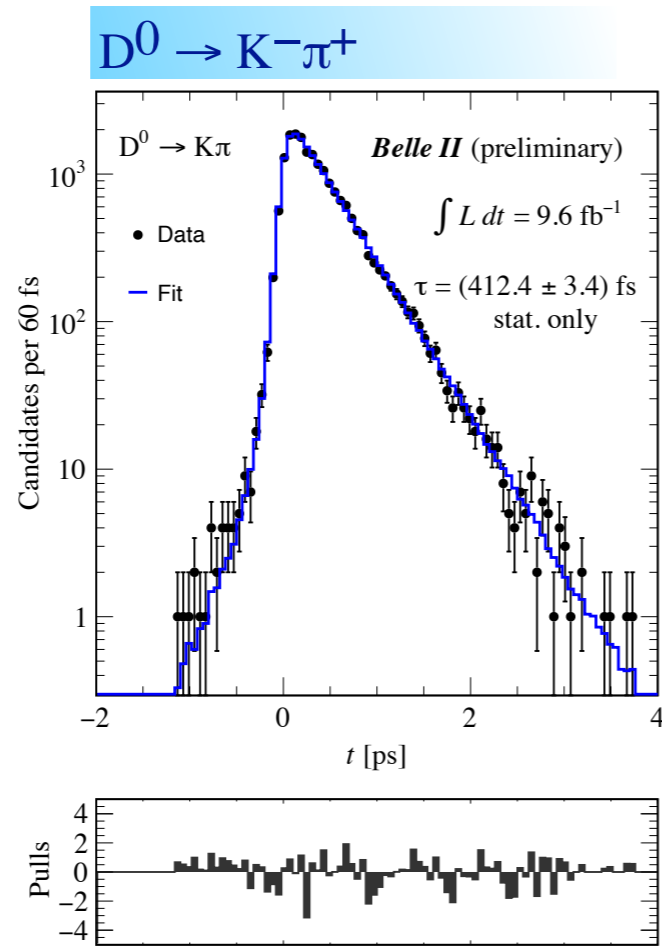
$$3 D_s \rightarrow K_s K^+$$



Decay time resolution study with Belle II data

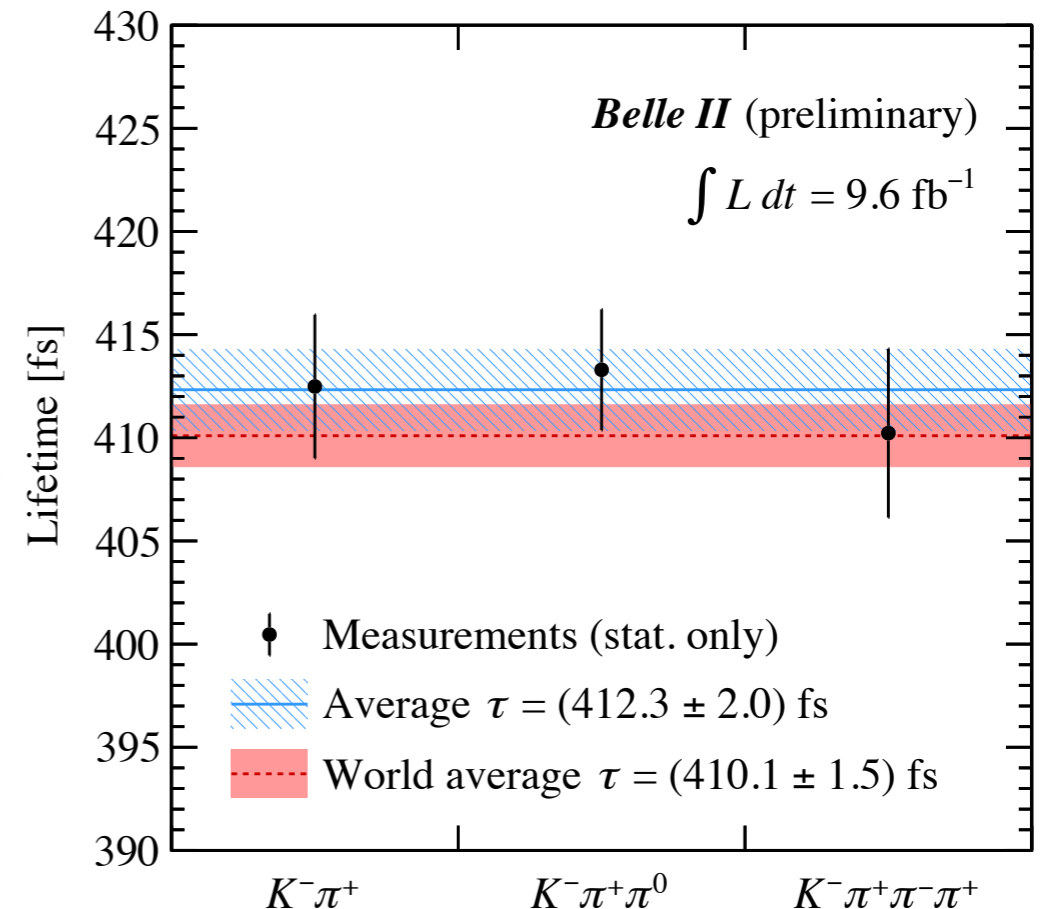
► D0 decays proper time

D⁰ lifetime Study



- ▶ 2019 Belle II data : $L_{int} \sim 9.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- ▶ D* tagged D⁰ decay channels;
- ▶ Proper time distribution fit
 - w/ unbinned maximum likelihood 2D fit
 - using per-candidate proper time errors

○ The average lifetime is $\tau_{D^0} = (412.3 \pm 2.0) \text{ fs}$ is compatible with the world-average = $(410.1 \pm 1.5) \text{ fs}$.



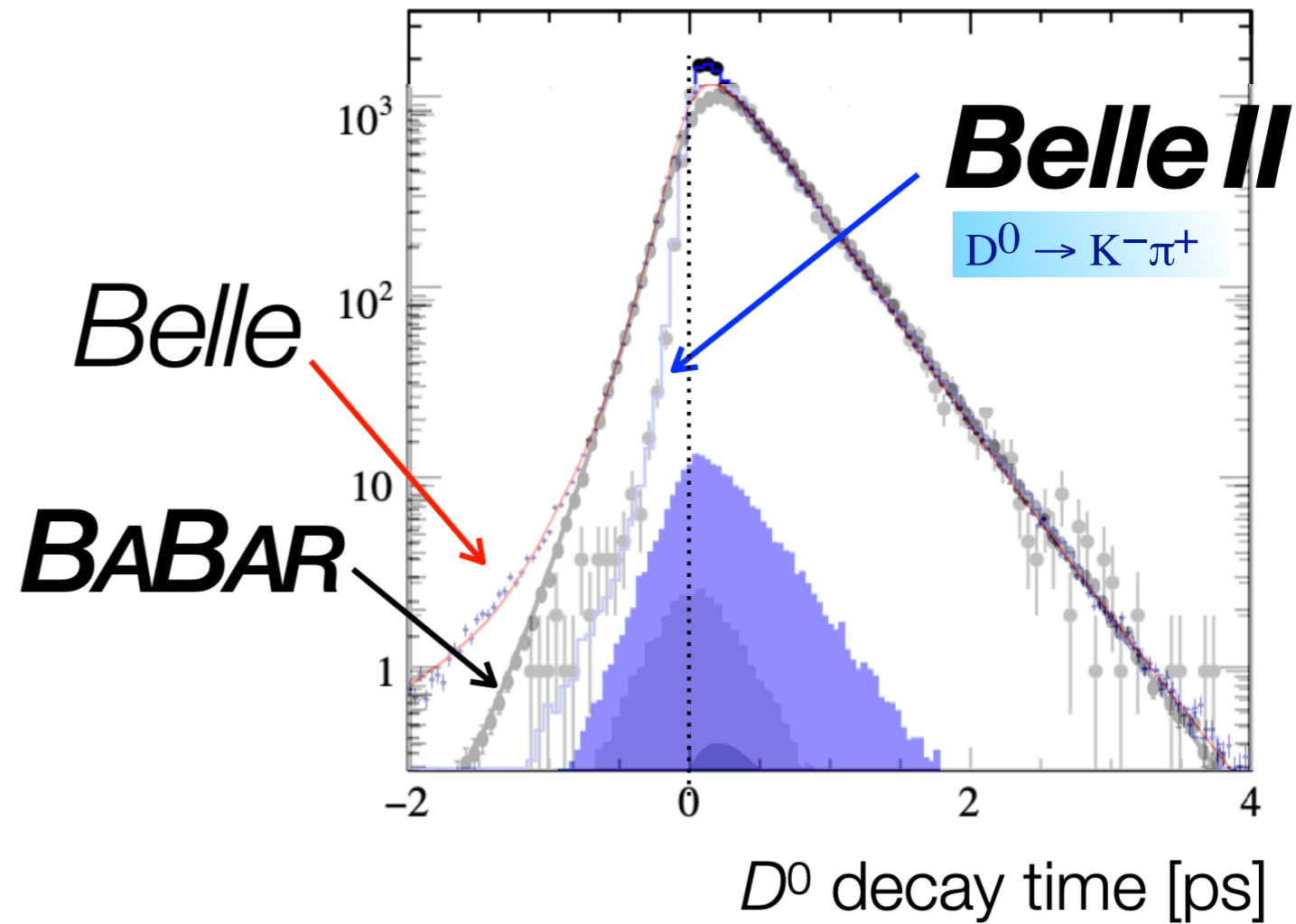
D⁰ lifetime Study

1. Decay time resolution

~ Belle II vs others

► x2 better than Belle and BABAR

- resolution improvement visible at $t < 0$
- thanks to a better-performing vertex detector ([Click here for details](#) ►)



D⁰ decay time [ps]

Reference talk by Giulia

2. Impact on

~ time-dependent measurements

► improved precision on mixing and CPV observables

- Toy MC to estimate the impact on (WS) D⁰ → K⁻π⁺ analysis (almost systematically free):

Parameter	Current HFLAV	Belle Scaled 50/ab	Belle II Toy MC 50ab ⁻¹
$\delta x'^2$	-	0.009	-
$\delta x'$ (%)	-	0.45 [†]	0.13
$\delta y'$ (%)	-	0.16	0.097
$\delta q/p $	0.09	-	0.043
$\delta\phi$ (°)	9	-	5.4

[†] measurement NOT sensitive to x' , the error is computed from the error on x'^2

CPV: Time Dependent

► BelleII status

- .. re-discoveries of WS D^0 decays
- .. Dalitz analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K_s \pi^+ \pi^-$

$$|D_{1,2}\rangle = p |D^0\rangle \mp q |\bar{D}^0\rangle$$

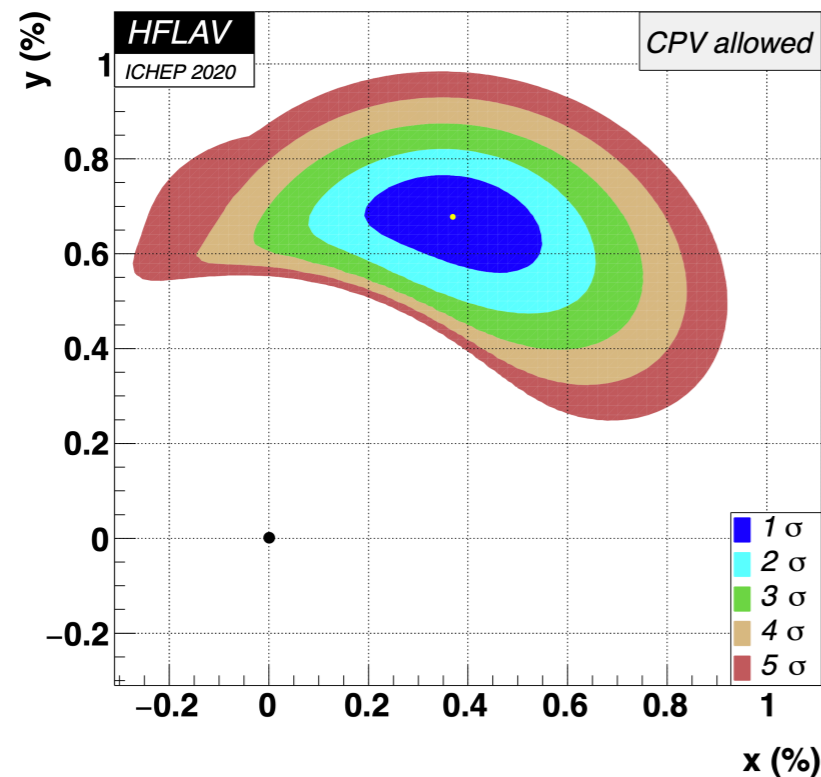
**Indirect CPV
(Mixing)**

$$\left| \frac{q}{p} \right| \neq 1$$

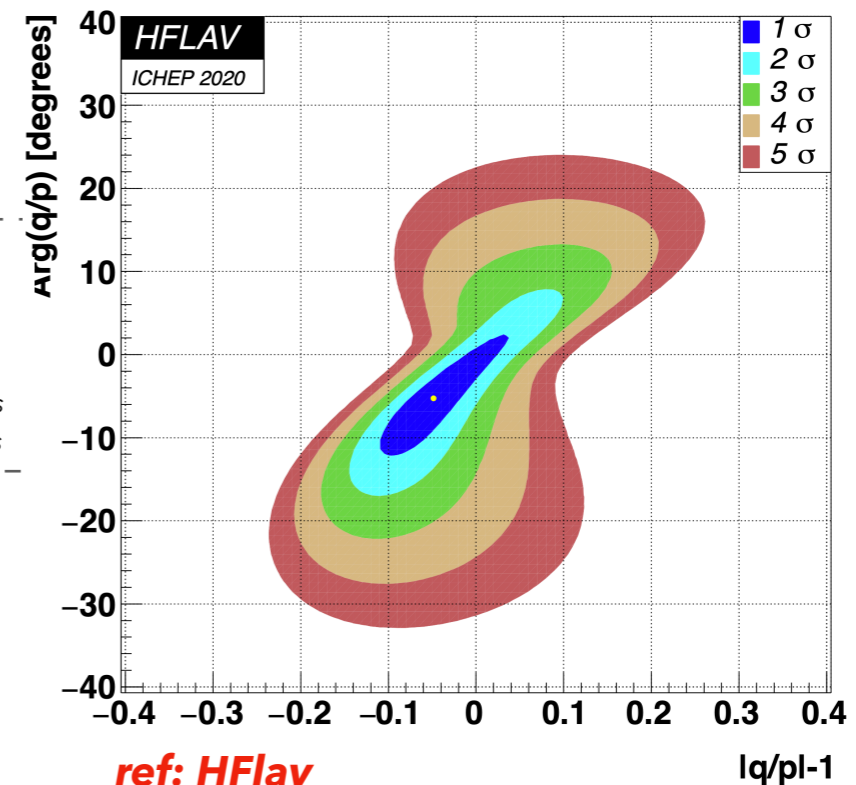
**Interference of
Mixing and Decay**

$$\left(\frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}}{A} \right) \neq 0$$

$$-\eta_{CP} \left| \frac{q}{p} \right| \left| \frac{\bar{A}_f}{A_f} \right| e^{i\phi}$$



mixing parameters
 $x = \frac{\Delta m}{\Gamma}, \quad y = \frac{\Delta \Gamma}{2\Gamma},$
 where $\Delta m =$ mass differences
 and $\Delta \Gamma =$ lifetimes differences



ref: HFlav

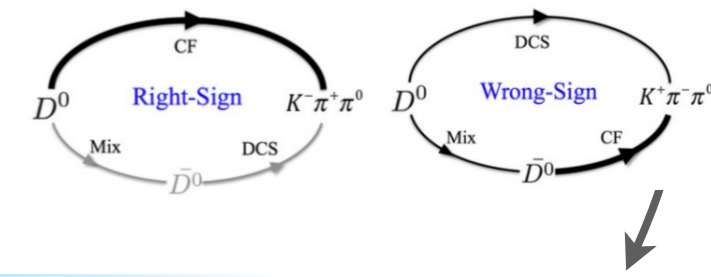
WS: D^0 Decay

- ▶ WS decay directly via a DCS decay, and indirectly via mixing followed by a CF decay
- ▶ Measurement of R_D , x'^2 and y'
- ▶ Small phase (ϕ) gives direct access to $|q/p|$

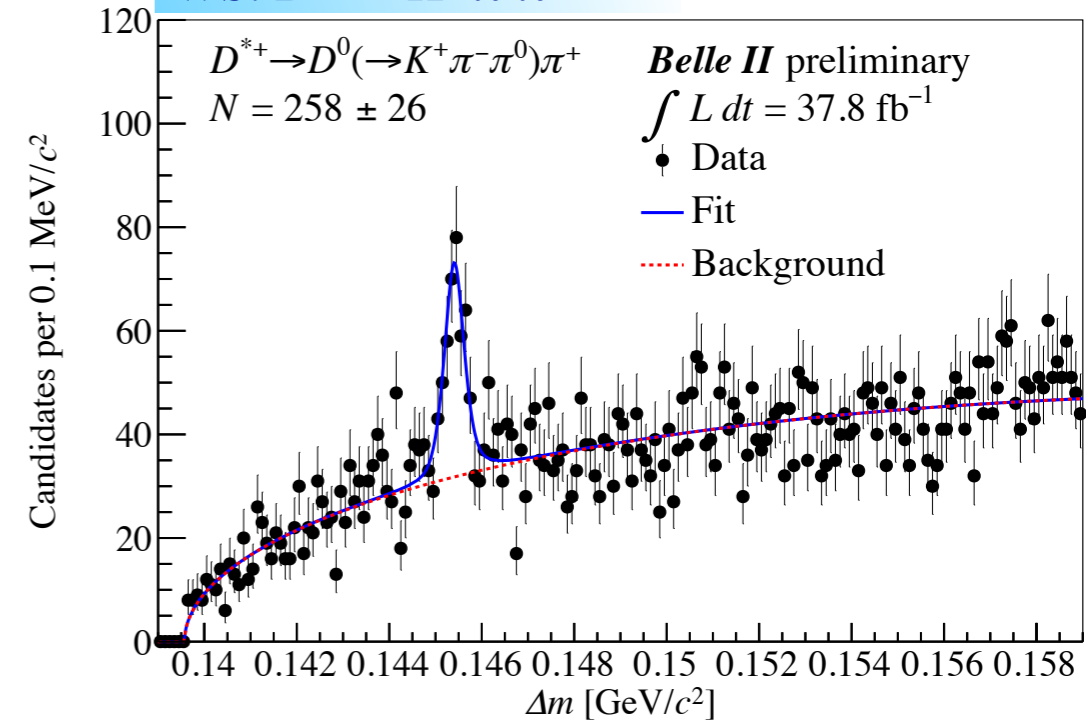
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w/ 37.8 fb^{-1}

- ▶ re-discoveries of D^* tagged WS D^0 decay channels

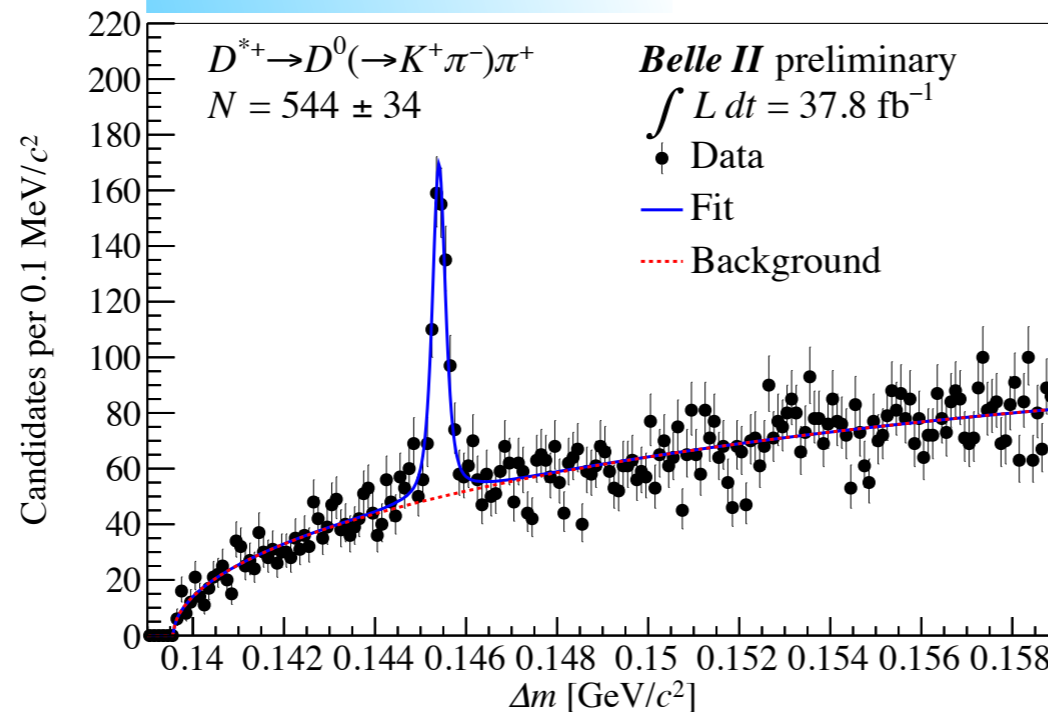
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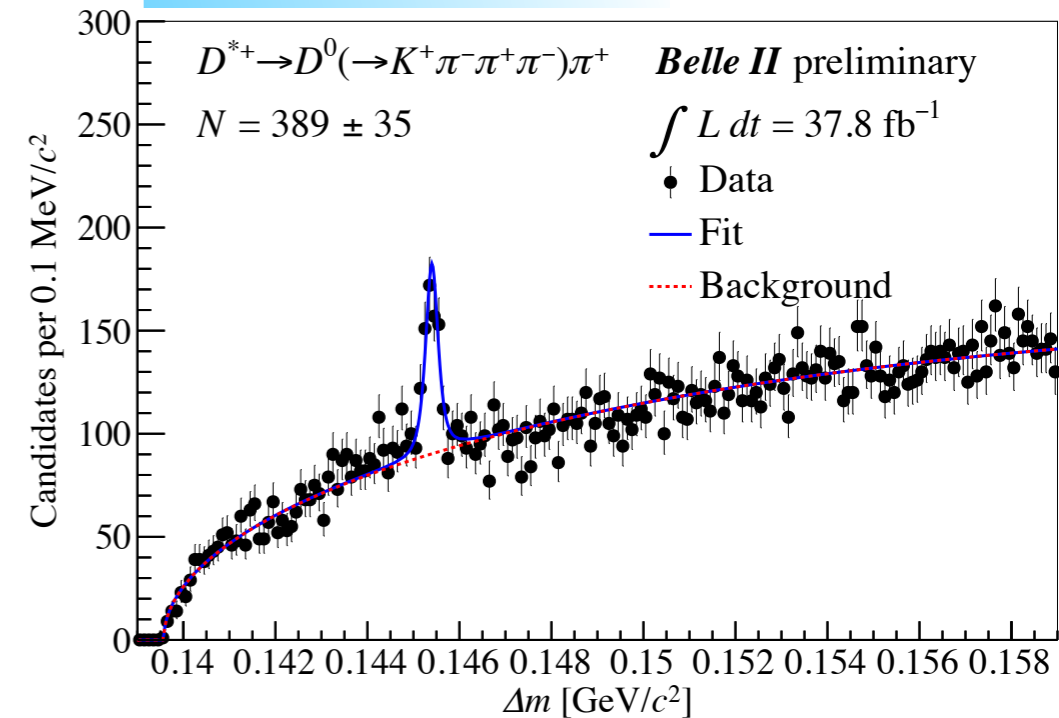
WS: $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$



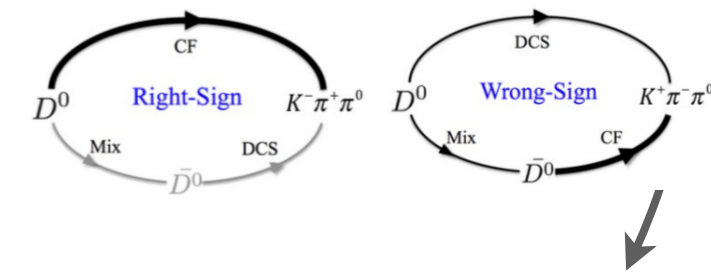
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WS: D^0 Decay

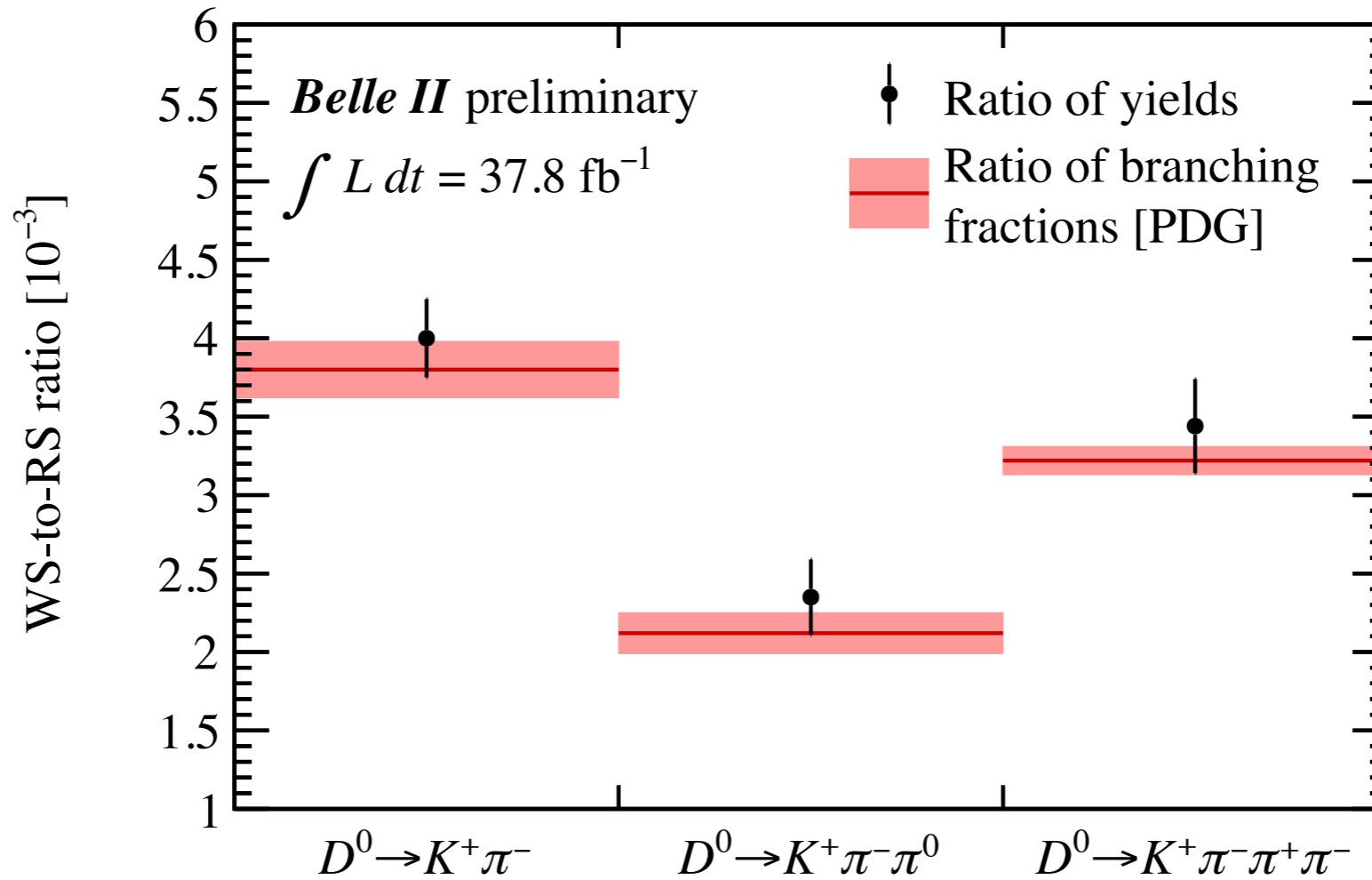


WS/RS ratio

► PDF from RS is use it to fit the WS distributions. Then ratio of yields is extracted

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Other experiments

Belle: [Phys.Rev.Lett. 96 151801,2006](#)
 BaBar: [Phys. Rev. Lett. 98 \(2007\) 211802](#)
 LHCb: [Phys. Rev. Lett. 110 \(2013\) 101802](#)

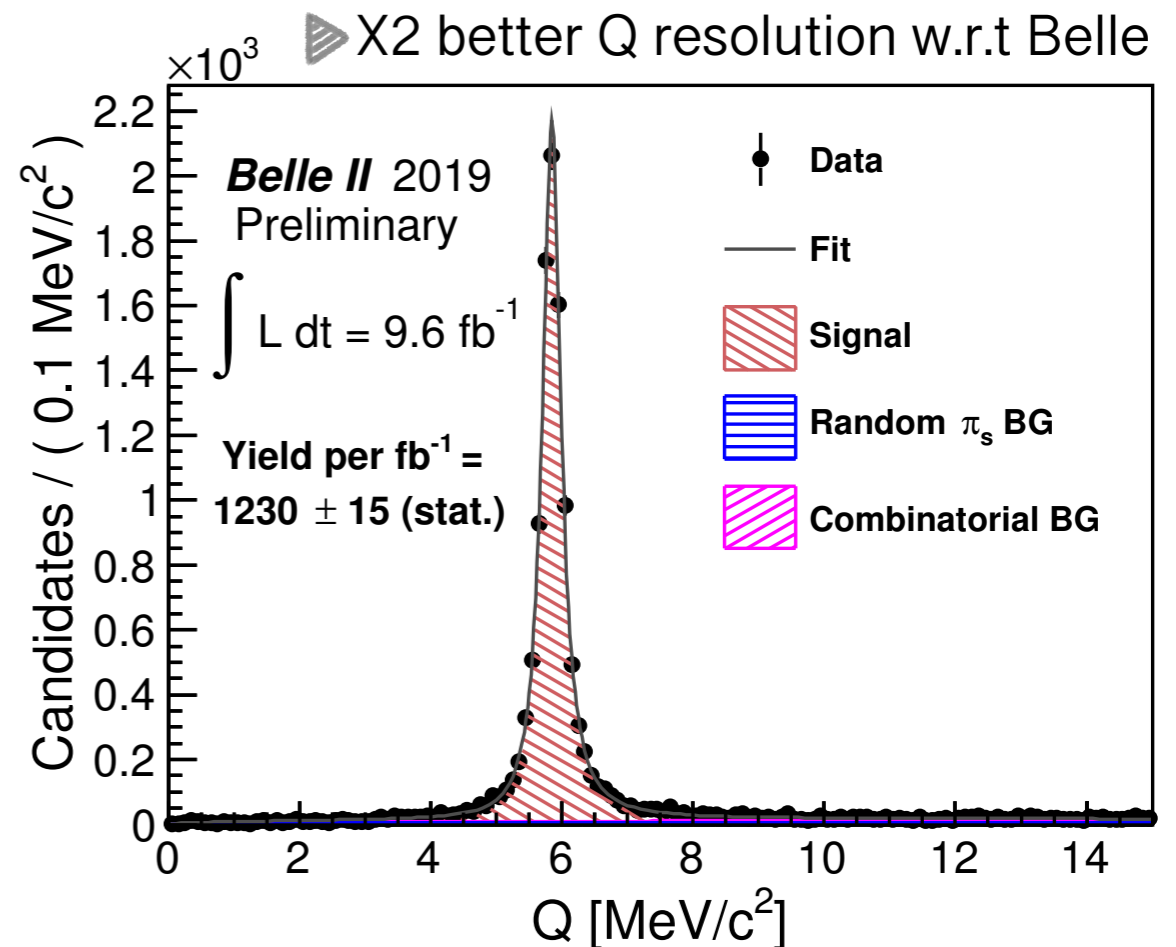
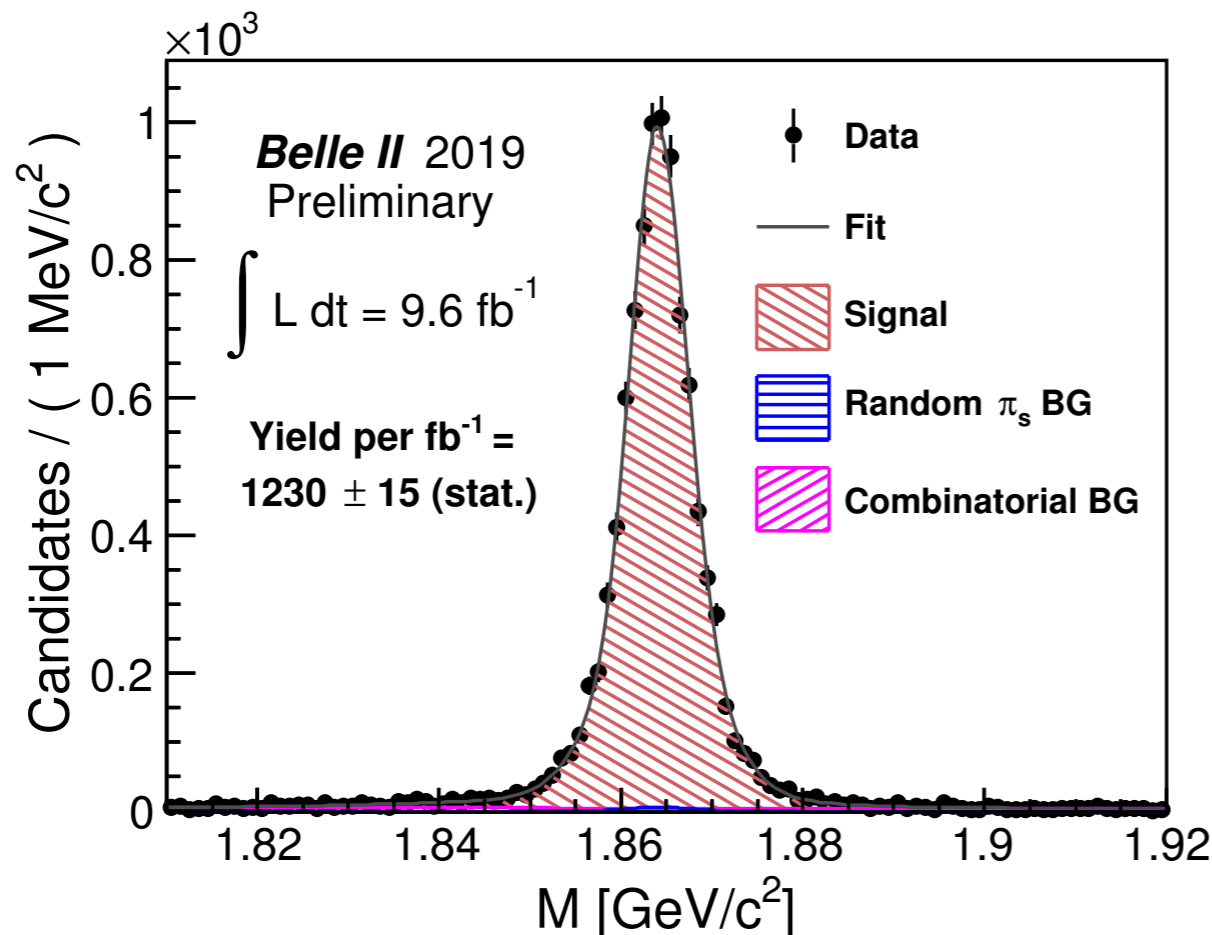
Dalitz analysis $D^0 \rightarrow K_s \pi^+ \pi^-$

- ▶ One of the golden channel $D^0 \rightarrow K_s \pi^+ \pi^-$
- ▶ Provide most precise mixing parameter
- ▶ To avoid systematic limitation:
 - either reduce model limitation OR strong phase measurement (at BESIII)

Belle II status
w/ 9.6 fb^{-1}

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- ▶ Time-dependent fit to the Dalitz amplitudes
 - assuming a Dalitz model, extracting amplitudes and phases from data
 - source of irreducible systematics



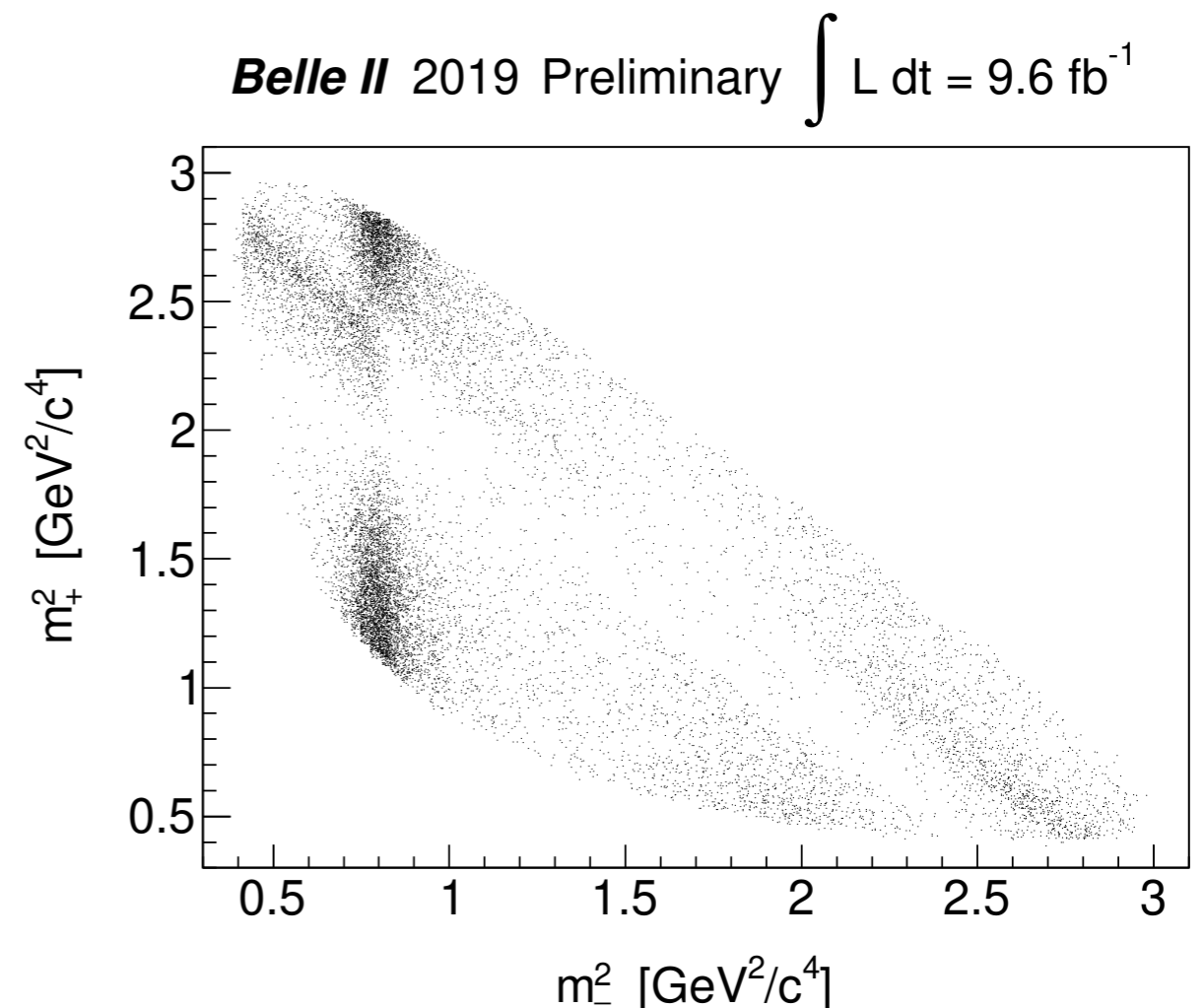
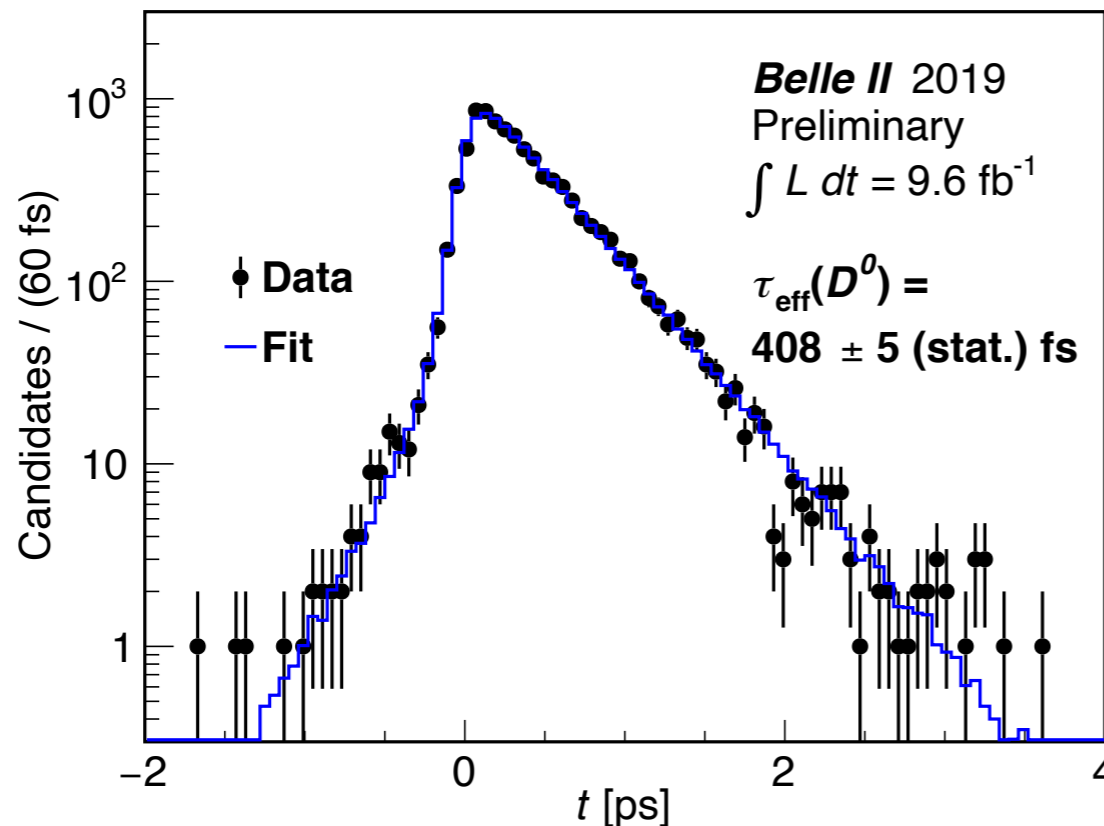
▶ X2 better Q resolution w.r.t Belle

Dalitz analysis $D^0 \rightarrow K_s \pi^+ \pi^-$

Belle II status
w/ 9.6 fb⁻¹

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- ▶ Proper time resolution
 - Comparable to the ones observed in lifetime analysis
 - Also compatible with expected WA (410.1 ± 1.5) fs
- ▶ Nice Dalitz plots with visible resonances
- ▶ Goal: Sensitivity study for mixing and CPV parameters measurements via Dalitz analysis



Summary

- ▶ SuperKEKB and Belle II provides an excellent platform for charm measurements
 - Integrated luminosity so far (June 04, 2021) $L_{\text{int}} \sim 176 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - Highest instantaneous luminosity $\sim 2.9 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - ➔ SuperKEKB design luminosity: $6.5 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - ➔ New world record archived in June 2020 🏆
- ▶ D^0 decay time resolution is x2 better than that of Belle/Babar (upgraded VXD)
- ▶ A good start with many rediscoveries and more exciting results to come soon with larger luminosity in coming years.
- ▶ ..with full 50ab^{-1}
 - Better precision on CPV observables (x and y variables $\leq 0.1\%$)

Extras

Full charm event reconstruction

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow c\bar{c} \rightarrow D_{tag}X_{frag}D_{sig}$$

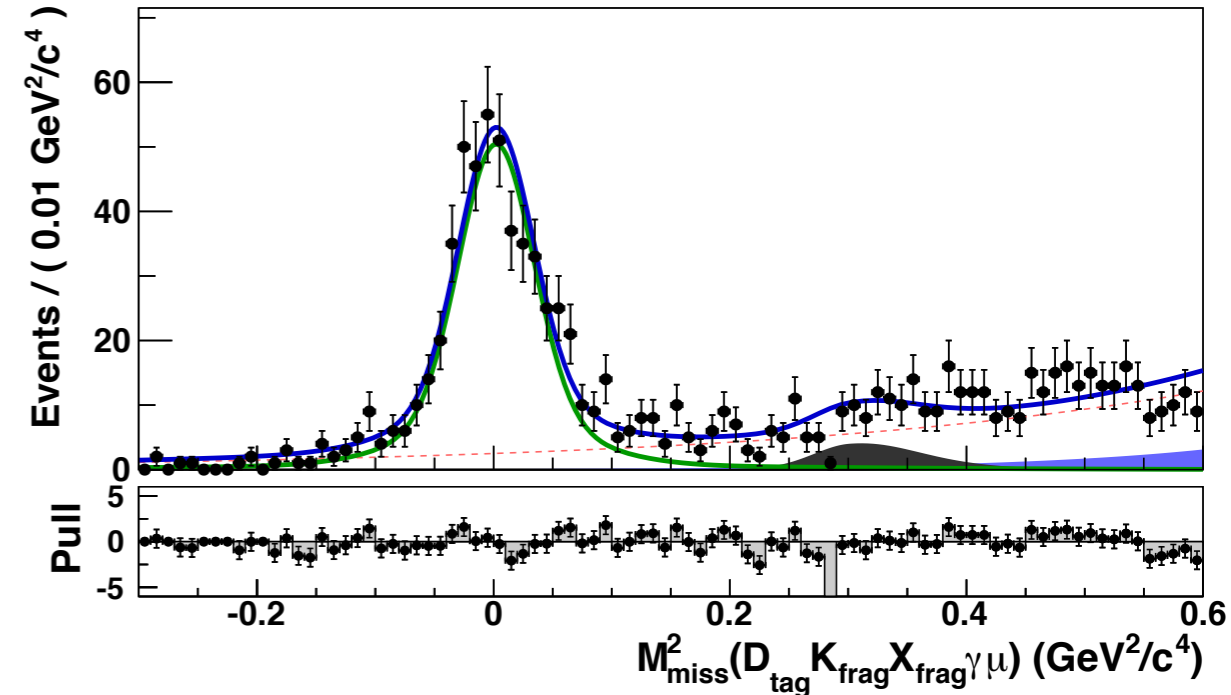
- Provides useful insights in;
 - inclusive branching fraction measurement
 - (semi-)leptonic study
 - rare/forbidden decays search

$$1 D_s^+ \rightarrow \mu^+\nu$$

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$$e^+e^- \rightarrow c\bar{c} \rightarrow D_{tag}X_{frag}KD_s^{*+}(\rightarrow D_s^+\gamma)$$

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Extrapolations from Belle Measurements

Mode	Belle (0.91, 0.92 ab ⁻¹)	Belle II (50 ab ⁻¹)
$D_s^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}$	492 ± 26	27000
$D^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}$	—	1250
inclusive $D^0 \rightarrow$ anything	$(695 \pm 2) \times 10^3$	38×10^6

stat. error ~1/3 of the theory error (unc for 50ab-) $\Leftarrow D_s^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}$

competitive with CLEOc and BESIII (Belle sim for 50ab-) $\Leftarrow D^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}$

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$$2 D^0 \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}$$

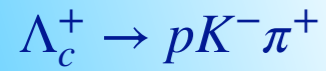
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38x10⁶ inclusive D⁰ with 50 ab⁻¹

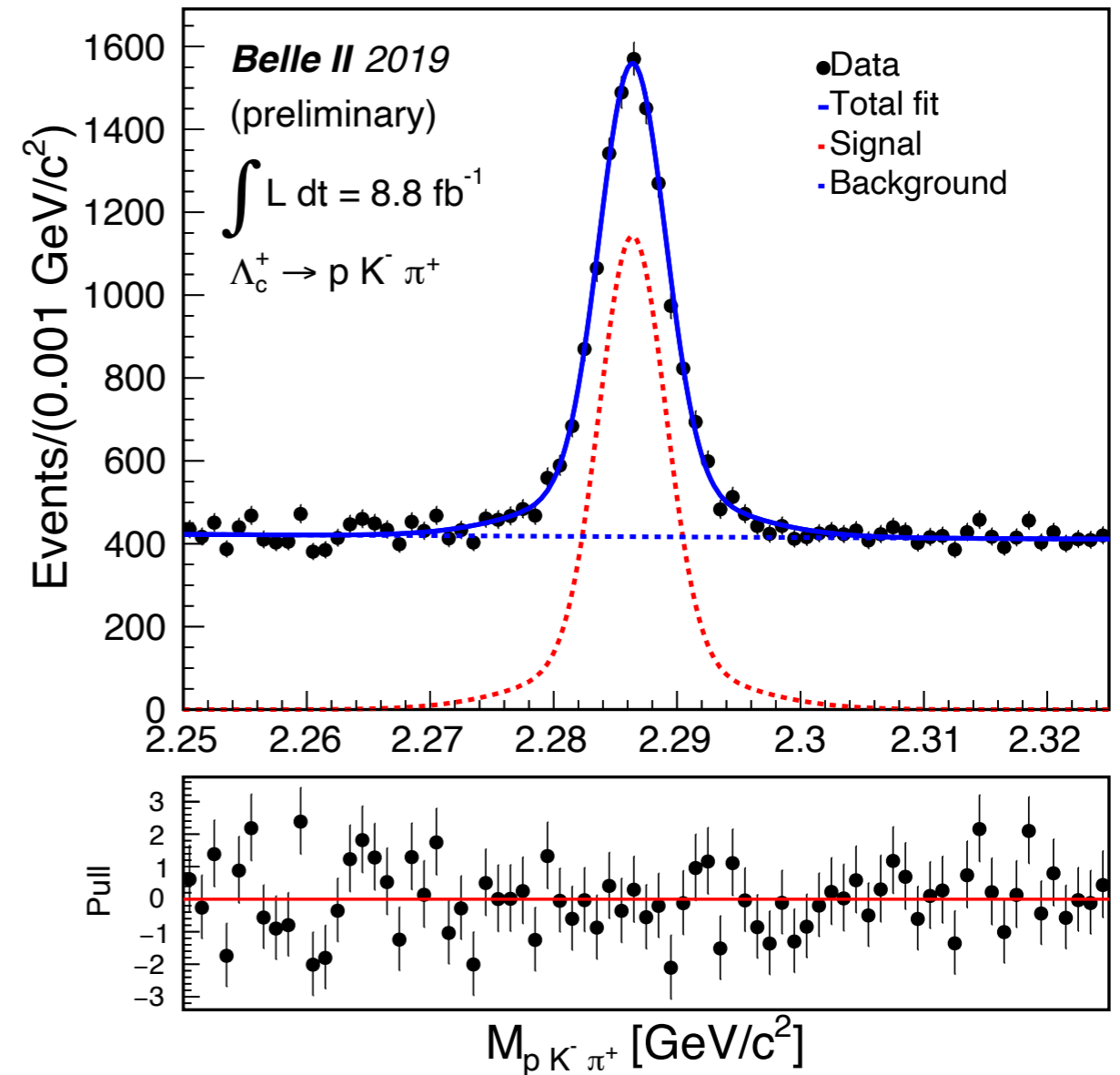
Ongoing time-integrated measurement at Belle II (3)

→ rediscoveries of charm baryons



Belle II w/ 8.8 fb⁻¹

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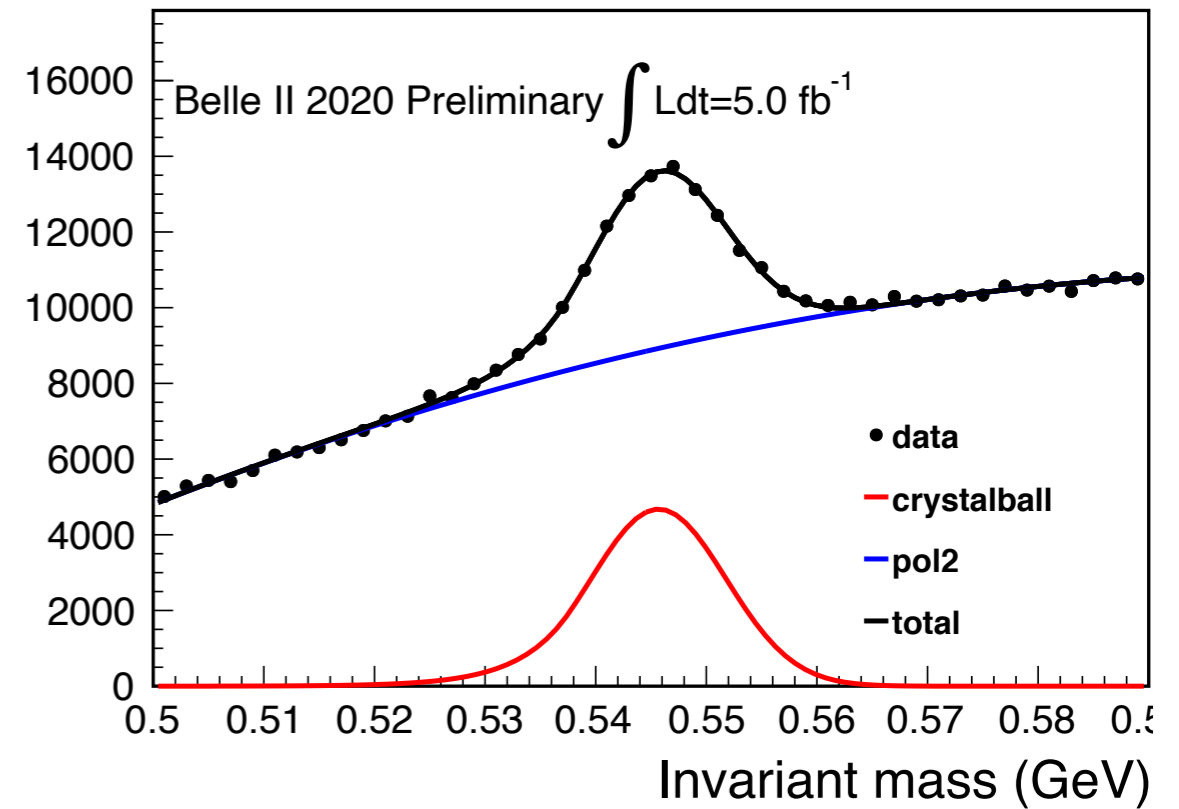
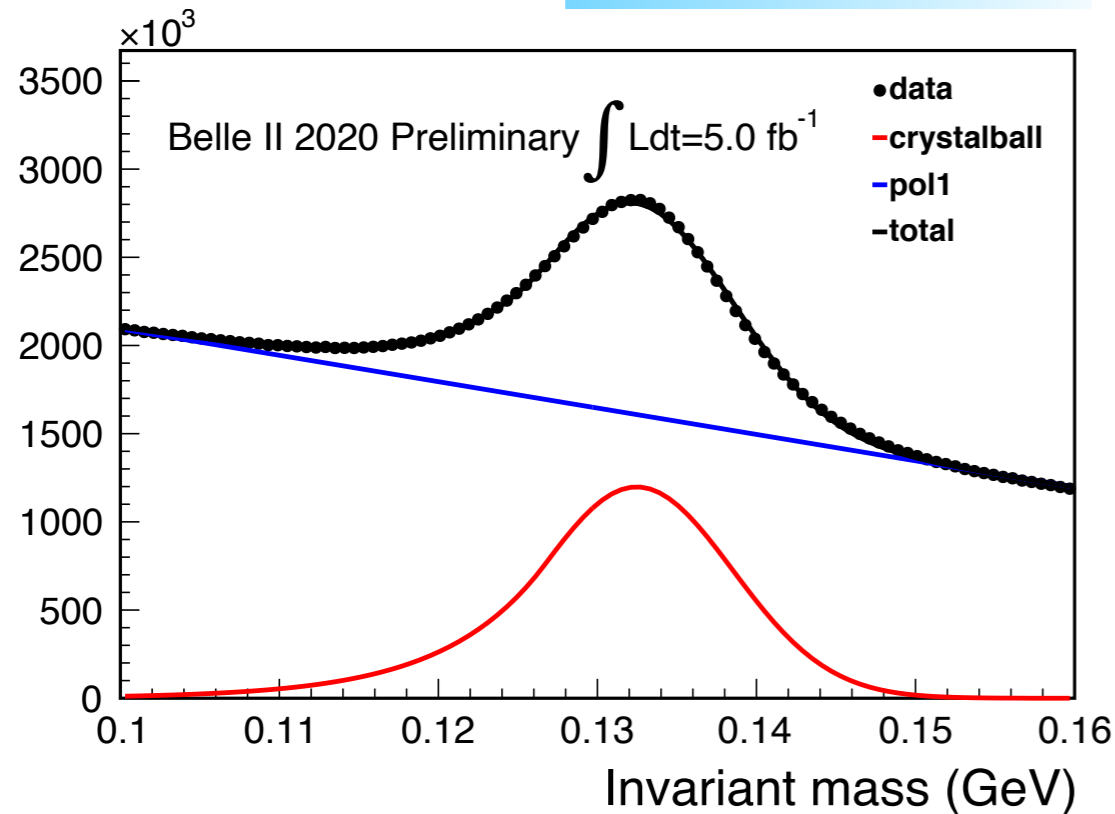


	data (Proc11)
Peak position [MeV/c ²]	2286.4 ± 0.1
$\langle \sigma \rangle$ [MeV/c ²]	4.287 ± 0.759
χ^2/ndf	1.09
Signal yields per 1/fb	984 ± 6
Purity	0.508 ± 0.002

Neutral performance

$$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0$$

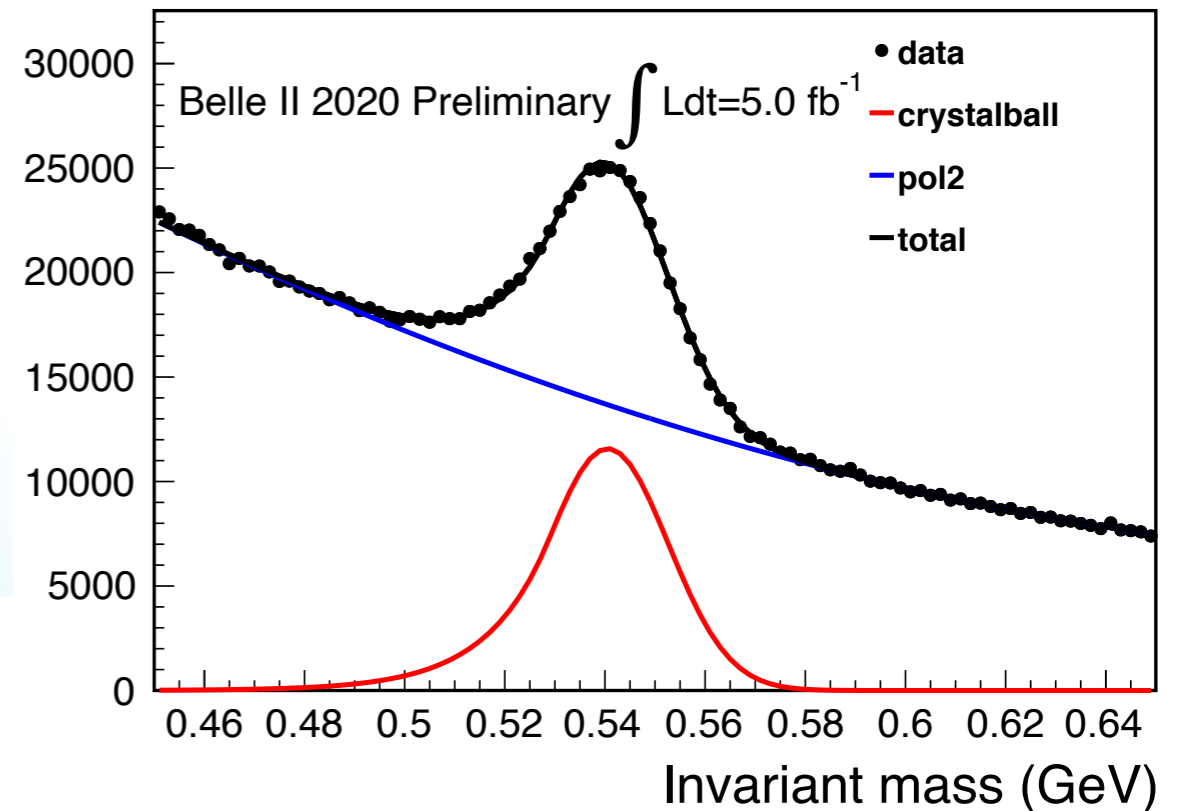
$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$



Belle II status w/ 5.0 fb⁻¹

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$$\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$



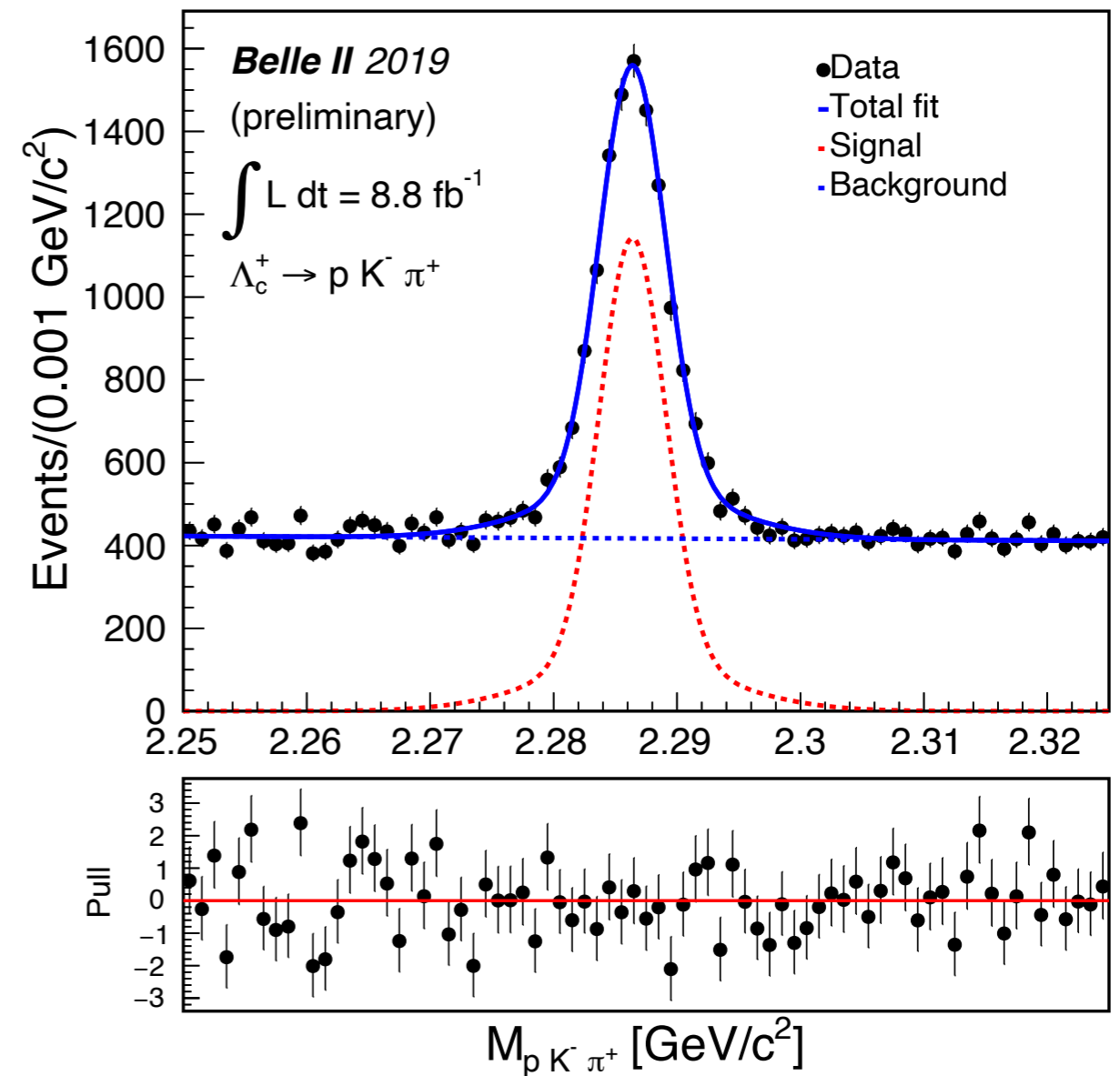
rediscoveries of charm baryons

$$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+$$

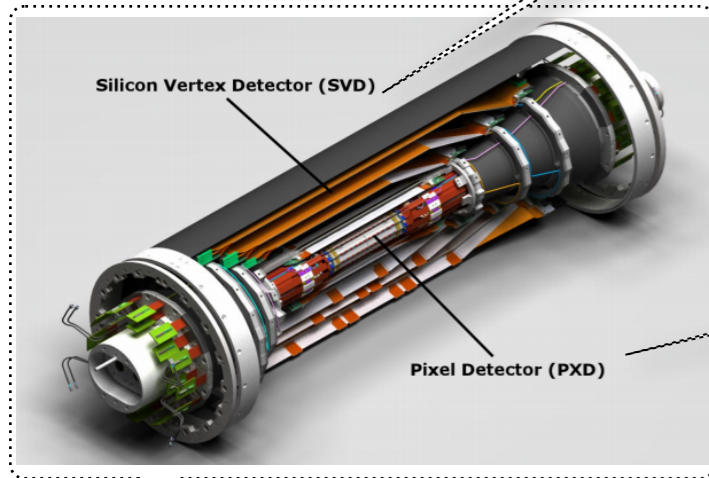
	data (Proc11)
Peak position [MeV/c ²]	2286.4 ± 0.1
$\langle \sigma \rangle$ [MeV/c ²]	4.287 ± 0.759
χ^2/ndf	1.09
Signal yields per 1/fb	984 ± 6
Purity	0.508 ± 0.002

Belle II w/ 8.8 fb⁻¹

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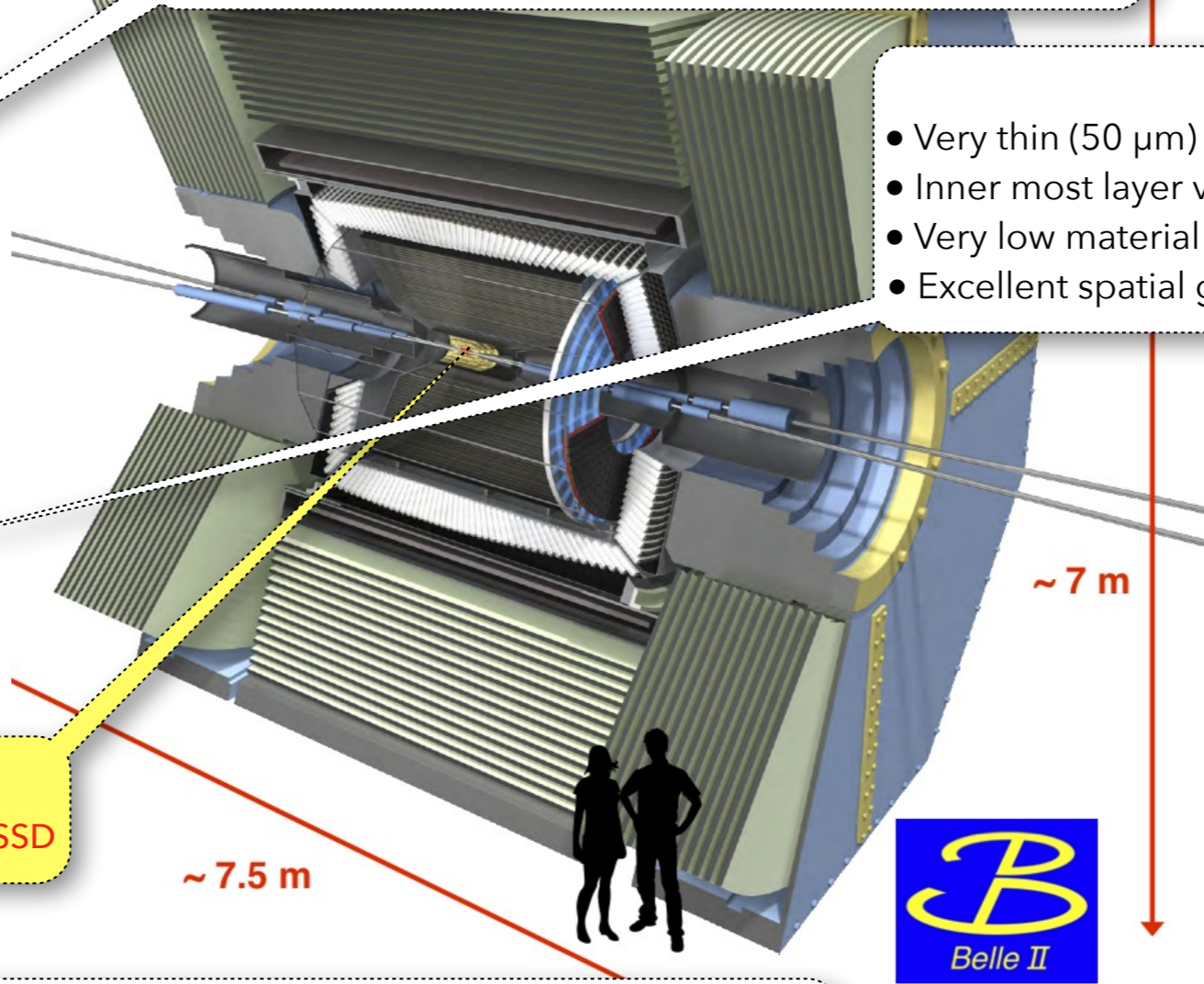
VXD



Vertex Detector
2 Layers PXD DEPFET and 4 Layers DSSD

- SVD**
- Excellent timing resolution ($\sigma \sim 2-3$ ns)
 - Low material budget
 - Larger outer radius (6.05 cm \rightarrow 14 cm)
 - Inner radius: 3.8 cm
 - covers the full Belle II angular acceptance of 17-150 degree

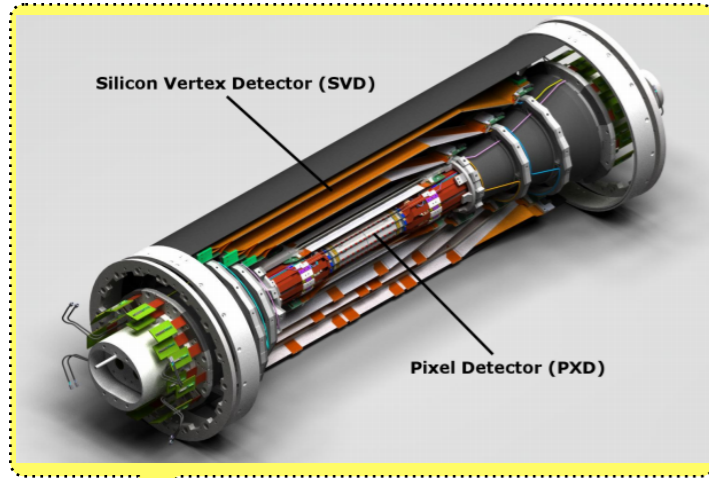
- PXD**
- Very thin (50 μ m) pixel sensor
 - Inner most layer very close to IP ($r = 1.4$ cm)
 - Very low material budget
 - Excellent spatial granularity ($\sigma \leq 15$ μ m)



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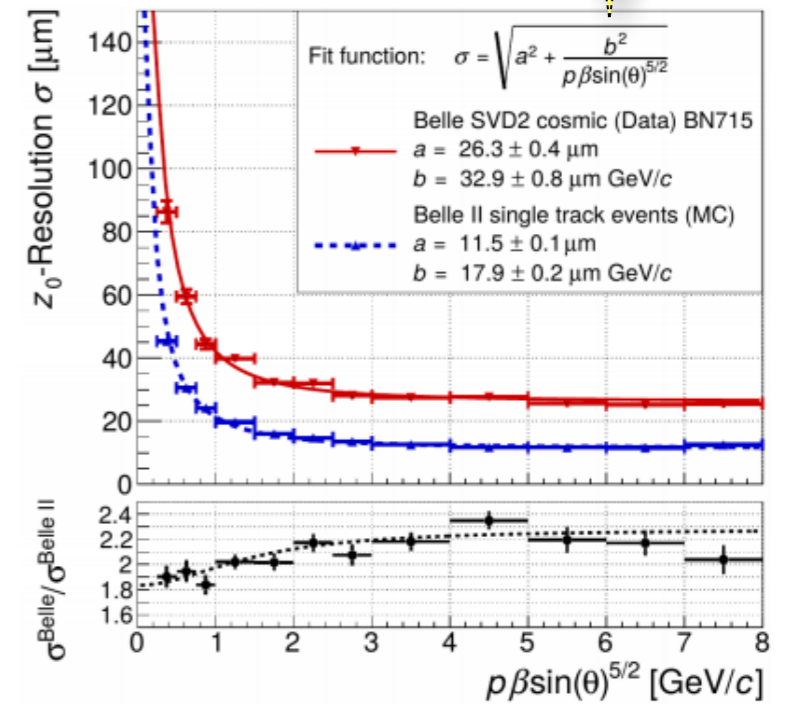
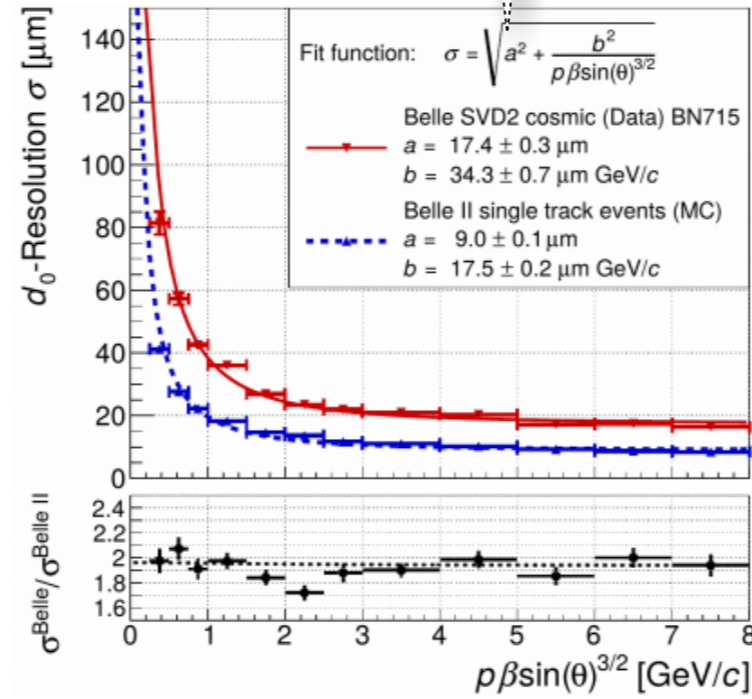
- Installation is set for phase III stage of belle2 program
- **Key player for D-mixing sensitivity measurements !**
 - Highly granular pixel sensors provide most accurate 2D position information
 - Reconstruction of primary and secondary vertices of short-lived particles (< 100 μ m from IP)

VXD

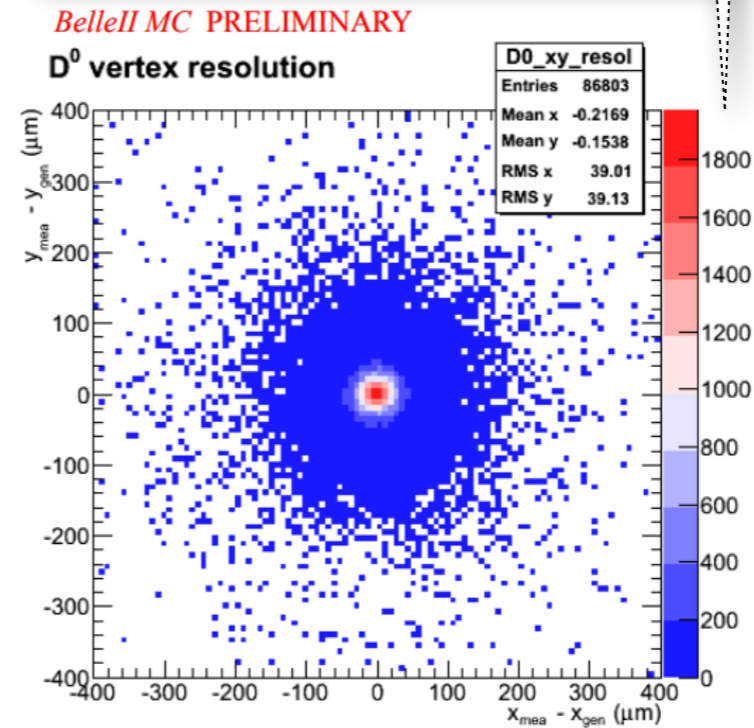


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A factor 2 improvement with respect to Belle



Better vertex resolution $\sim 40 \mu\text{m}$



Dalitz analysis $D^0 \rightarrow K_s \pi^+ \pi^-$

Extrapolations from Belle Measurements

$$\sigma_{\text{Belle II}} = \sqrt{(\sigma_{\text{stat}}^2 + \sigma_{\text{syst}}^2) \cdot (\mathcal{L}_{\text{Belle}}/50 \text{ ab}^{-1}) + \sigma_{\text{irred}}^2}$$

Data	stat.			Total	syst.			Total
	red.	irred.	irred.		red.	irred.		
	$\sigma_x (10^{-2})$				$\sigma_y (10^{-2})$			
$\wedge 976 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	0.19	0.06	0.11	0.20	0.15	0.06	0.04	0.16
5 ab^{-1}	0.08	0.03	0.11	0.14	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.08
50 ab^{-1}	0.03	0.01	0.11	0.11	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.05
	$ q/p (10^{-2})$				$\phi (^\circ)$			
$\wedge 976 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	15.5	5.2-5.6	7.0-6.7	17.8	10.7	4.4-4.5	3.8-3.7	12.2
5 ab^{-1}	6.9	2.3-2.5	7.0-6.7	9.9-10.1	4.7	1.9-2.0	3.8-3.7	6.3-6.4
50 ab^{-1}	2.2	0.7-0.8	7.0-6.7	7.0-7.4	1.5	0.6	3.8-3.7	4.0-4.2

► Scaling doesn't include x2 improvement in proper time!

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