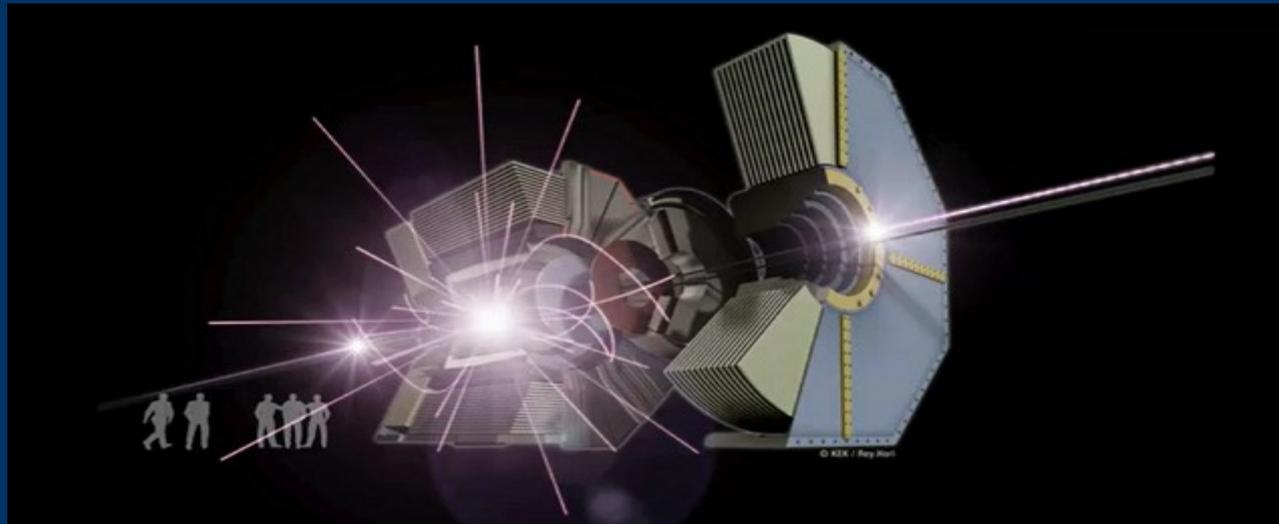




# The Belle II experiment: *status and physics prospects*

Jing-Ge Shiu/NTU  
On behalf of the Belle II collaboration

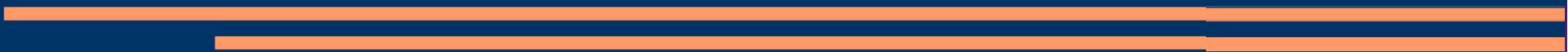




# The Belle II experiment

## Outline

- SuperKEKB and Belle II
- Physics prospects
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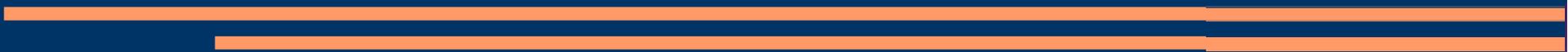




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  - SuperKEKB
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# SuperKEKB @



大学共同利用機関法人  
高エネルギー加速器研究機構

Tsukuba, ~ 1.5 hours away from Tokyo



# LHC

27 km circumference  
~100m underground  
7000 ~ 14000 GeV

NTU/NCU

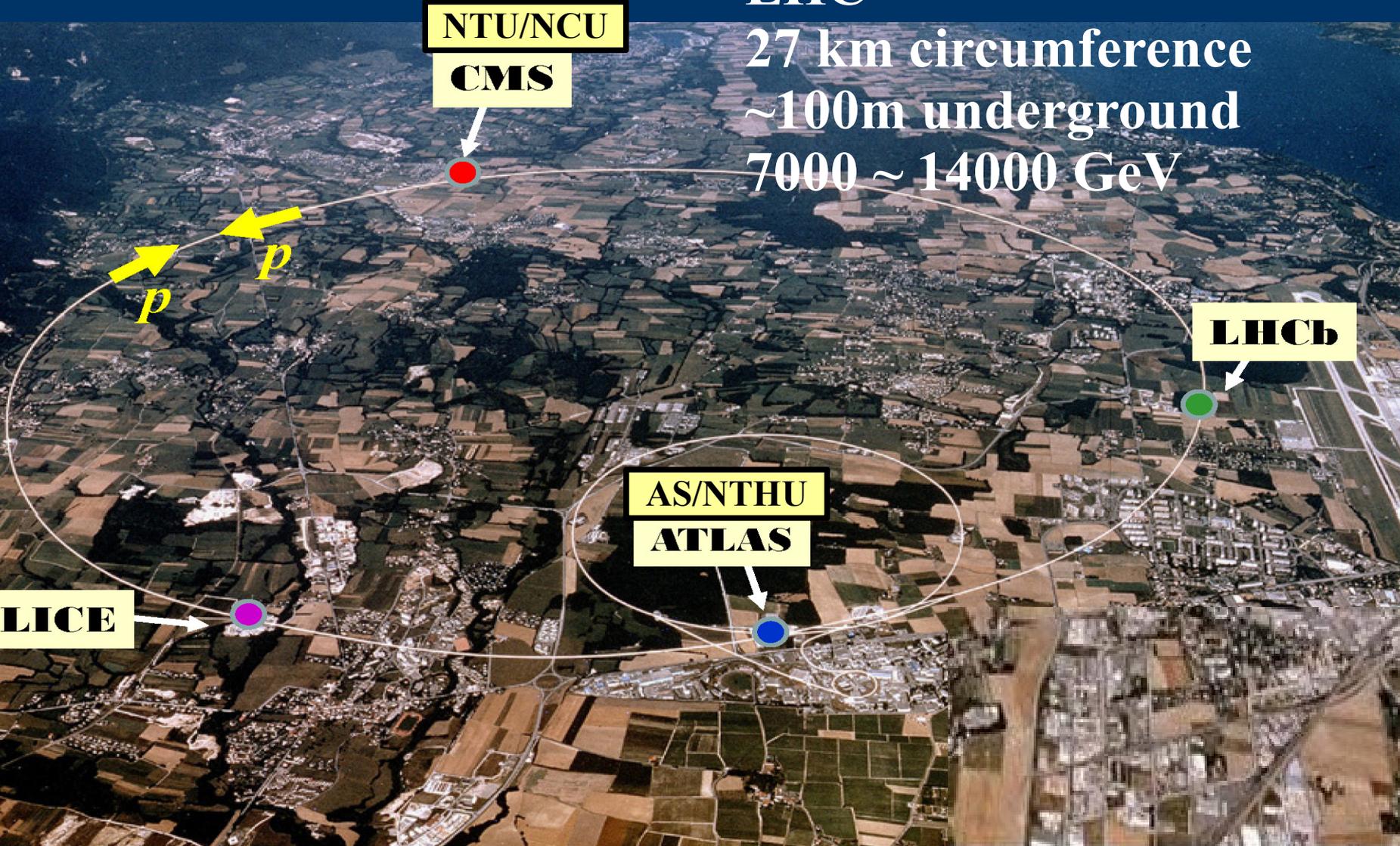
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LHCb

AS/NTHU

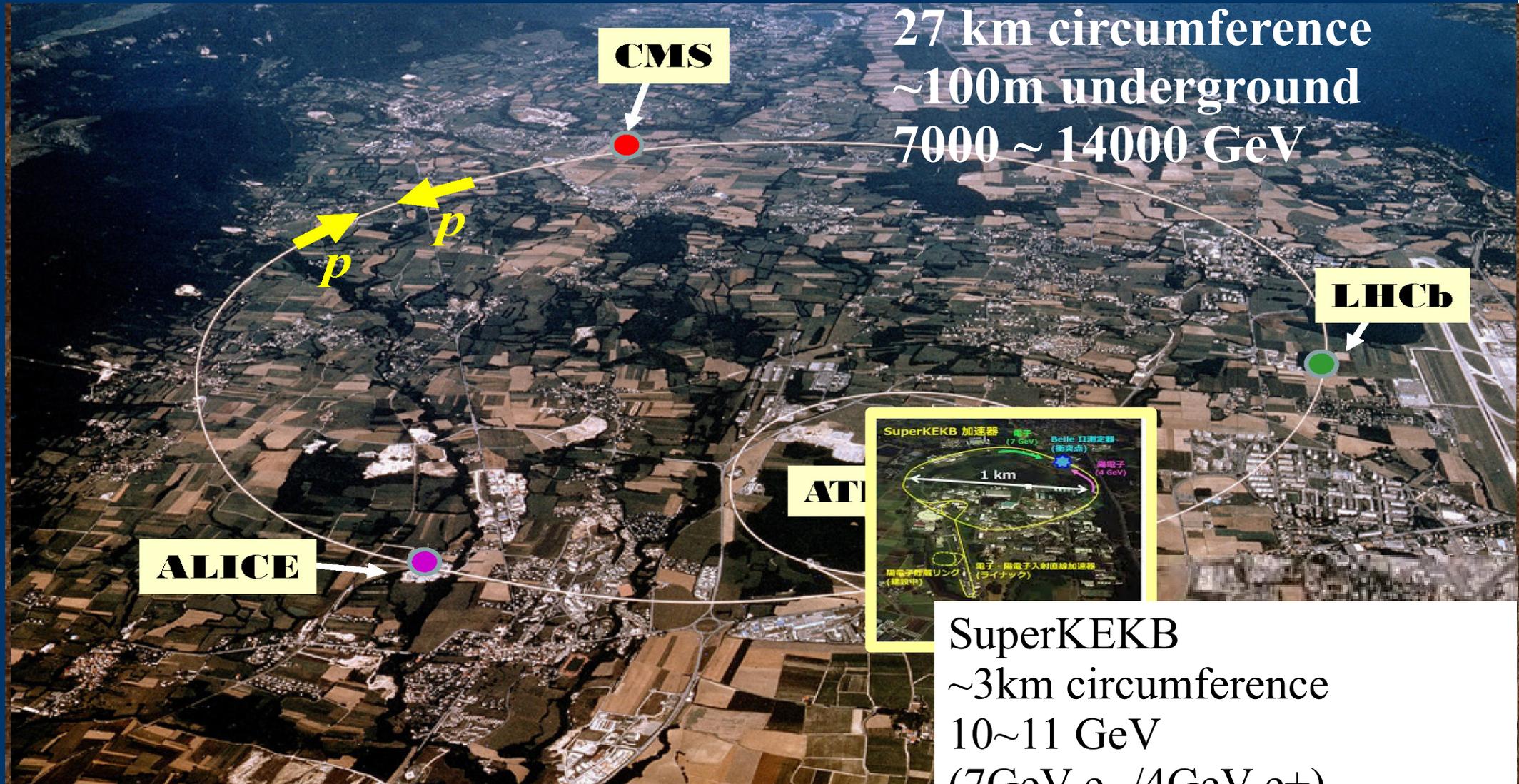
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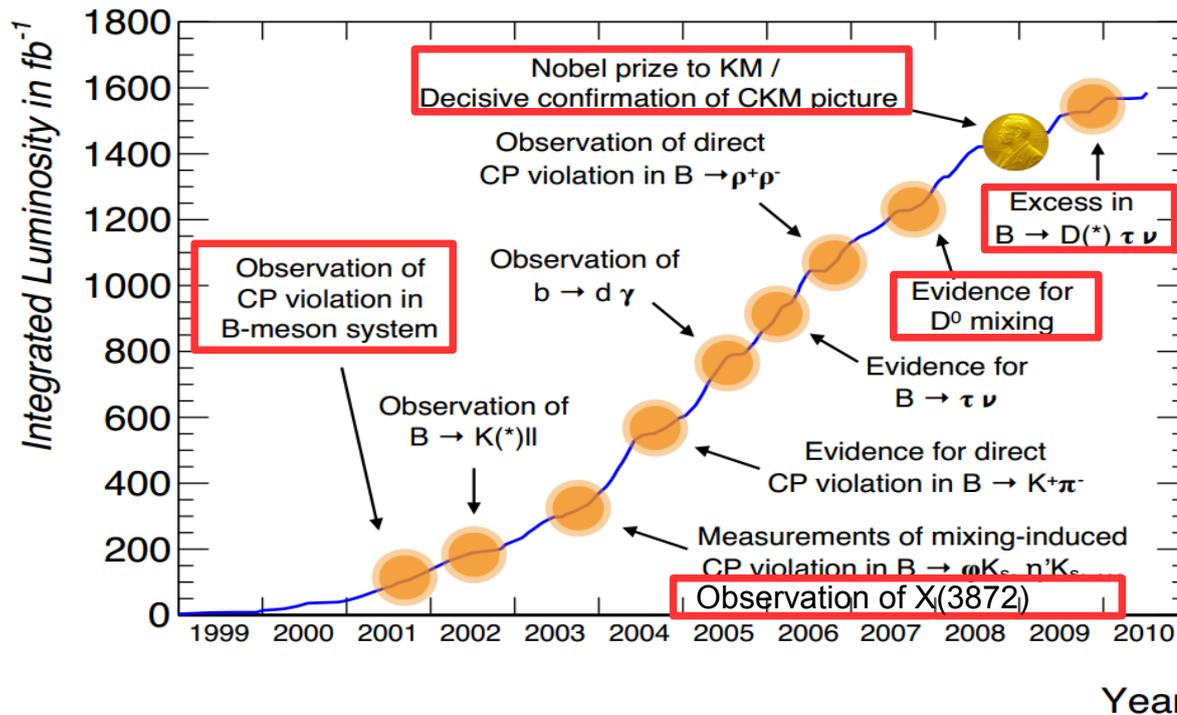
SuperKEKB  
~3km circumference  
10~11 GeV  
(7GeV e<sup>-</sup> /4GeV e<sup>+</sup>)

What is Belle II's role in this LHC era?



# Why Belle II

Last generation B factories achieved great success in B (charm,  $\tau$ ) physics studies and explored possible new physics



**> 1 ab<sup>-1</sup>**  
**On resonance:**  
 $Y(5S): 121 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $Y(4S): 711 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $Y(3S): 3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $Y(2S): 25 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $Y(1S): 6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
**Off reson./scan:**  
 $\sim 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



total  $\sim 1.5 \text{ ab}^{-1}$

**513.7 ± 1.8 fb<sup>-1</sup>**

**On resonance:**  
 $Y(4S): 424 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 471 \text{ M}$   
 $Y(3S): 28 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 122 \text{ M}$   
 $Y(2S): 14 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 99 \text{ M}$   
**Off resonance:**  
 $48 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



**BABAR**

However, there are still remaining puzzles and open questions  
 large matter/antimatter asymmetry in the universe (the truth is out there!)  
 anything beyond the SM (where is the NP)?  
 those “dark” things .....

# Two approaches for HEP:

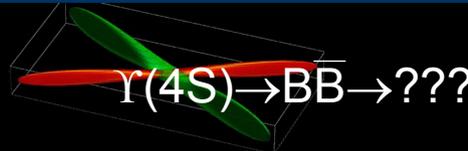
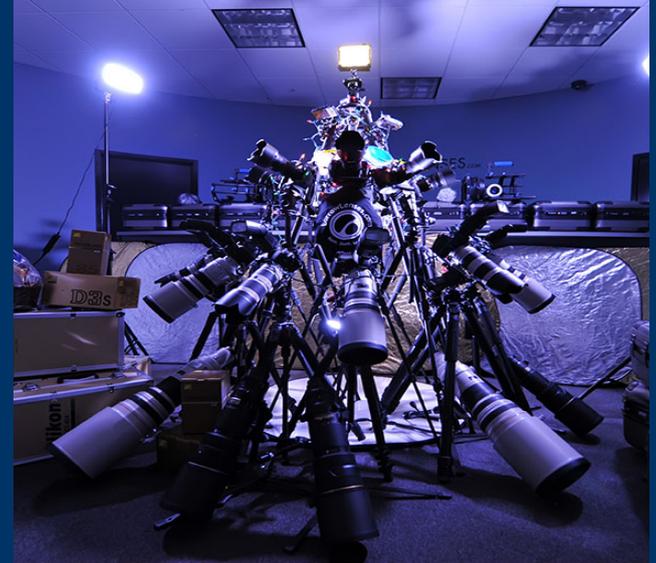
## Energy frontier (direct search)

→ powerful in energy scale to search for new particles and physics. (LHC)

complementary with each other

## Precision/intensity frontier

→ focus on a certain energy range for precision measurements to search for anomalies from the SM and new physics from rare decays (SuperKEKB + Belle II)



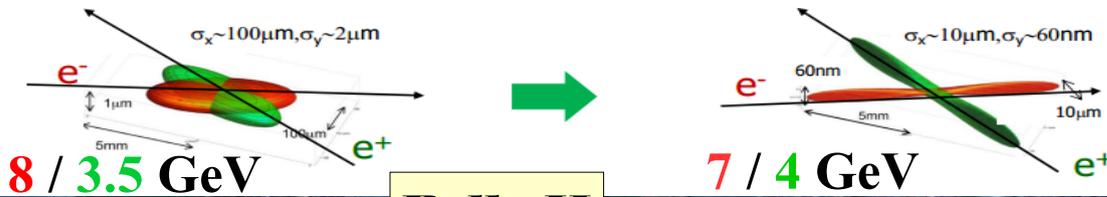
# SuperKEKB: going beyond the KEKB

## SuperKEKB 開始記念式

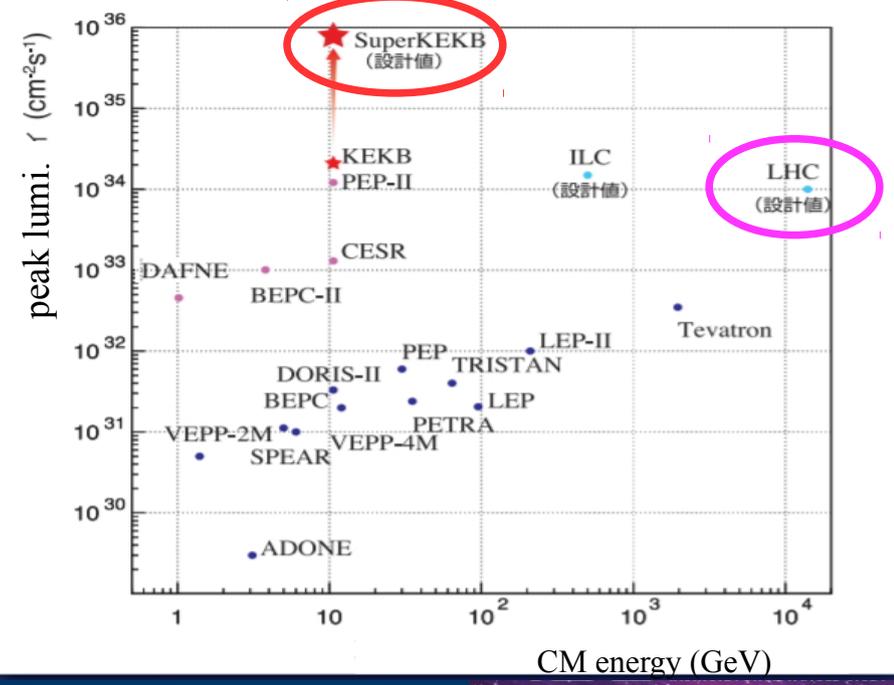
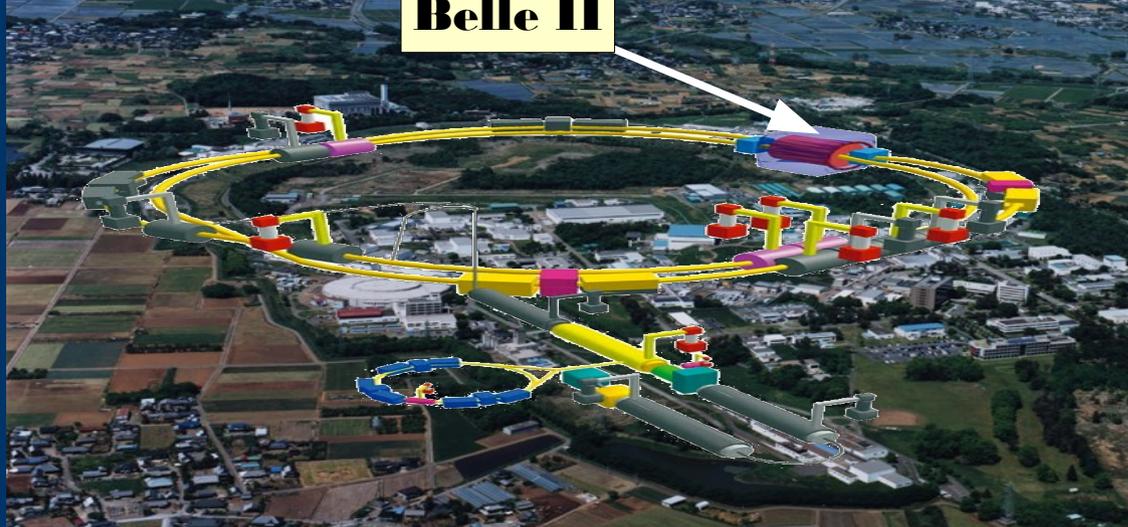
SuperKEKB Groundbreaking Ceremony

高エネルギー加速器研究機構 2011. 11. 18

founded in 2008, groundbreaking in 2011  
 peak luminosity  $8 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  (40 x KEKB)  
 Belle II:  $50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  data (50 x Belle)  
 → high precision measurements; rare decays



**Belle II**

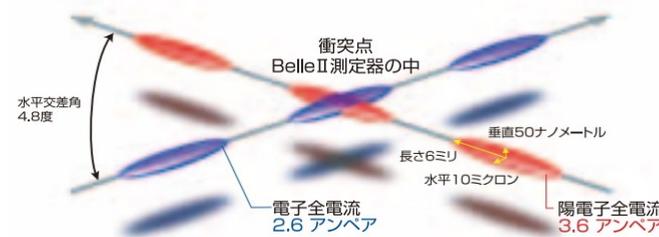
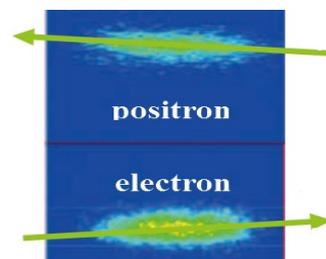


# Luminosity of KEKB and SuperKEKB

	KEKB achieved		SuperKEKB nano-beam		$L = \frac{\gamma_{\pm}}{2er_e} \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma_y^*}{\sigma_x^*} \right) \frac{I_{\pm} \xi_{y\pm}}{\beta_{y\pm}^*} \frac{R_L}{R_{5y}}$
	LER	HER	LER	HER	
$E_{\text{beam}}$ (GeV)	<b>3.5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	$\beta\gamma \sim 2/3$
$I_{\text{beam}}$ (A)	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>	factor 2
$\beta_y$ (mm)	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>0.27</b>	<b>0.30</b>	factor 20
luminosity ( $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ )	<b><math>2.1 \times 10^{34}</math></b>		<b><math>8.0 \times 10^{35}</math></b>		factor 40

nano beams with high beam currents  
low emittance 4.6 nm / 3.2 nm

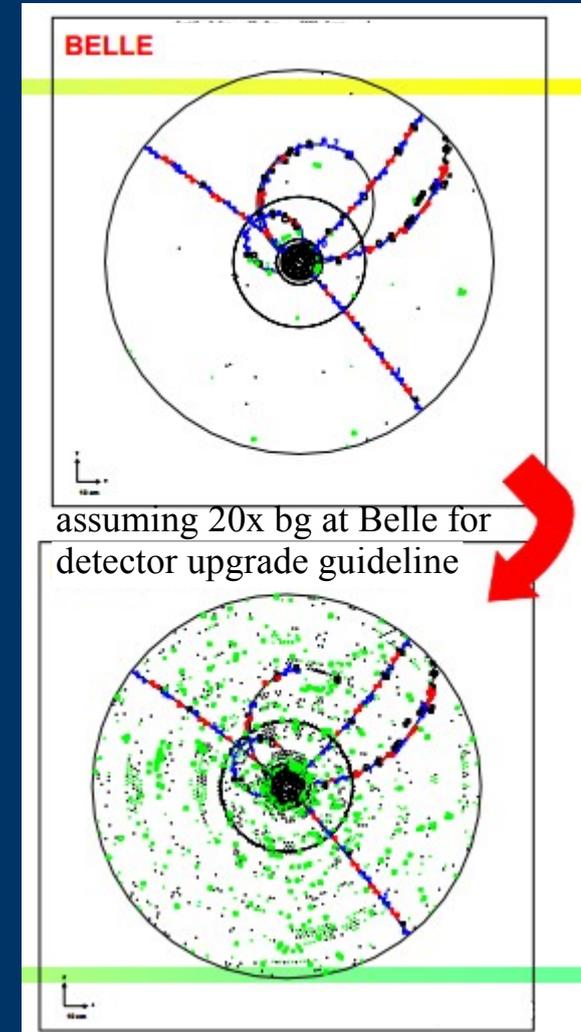
→ high intensity frontier

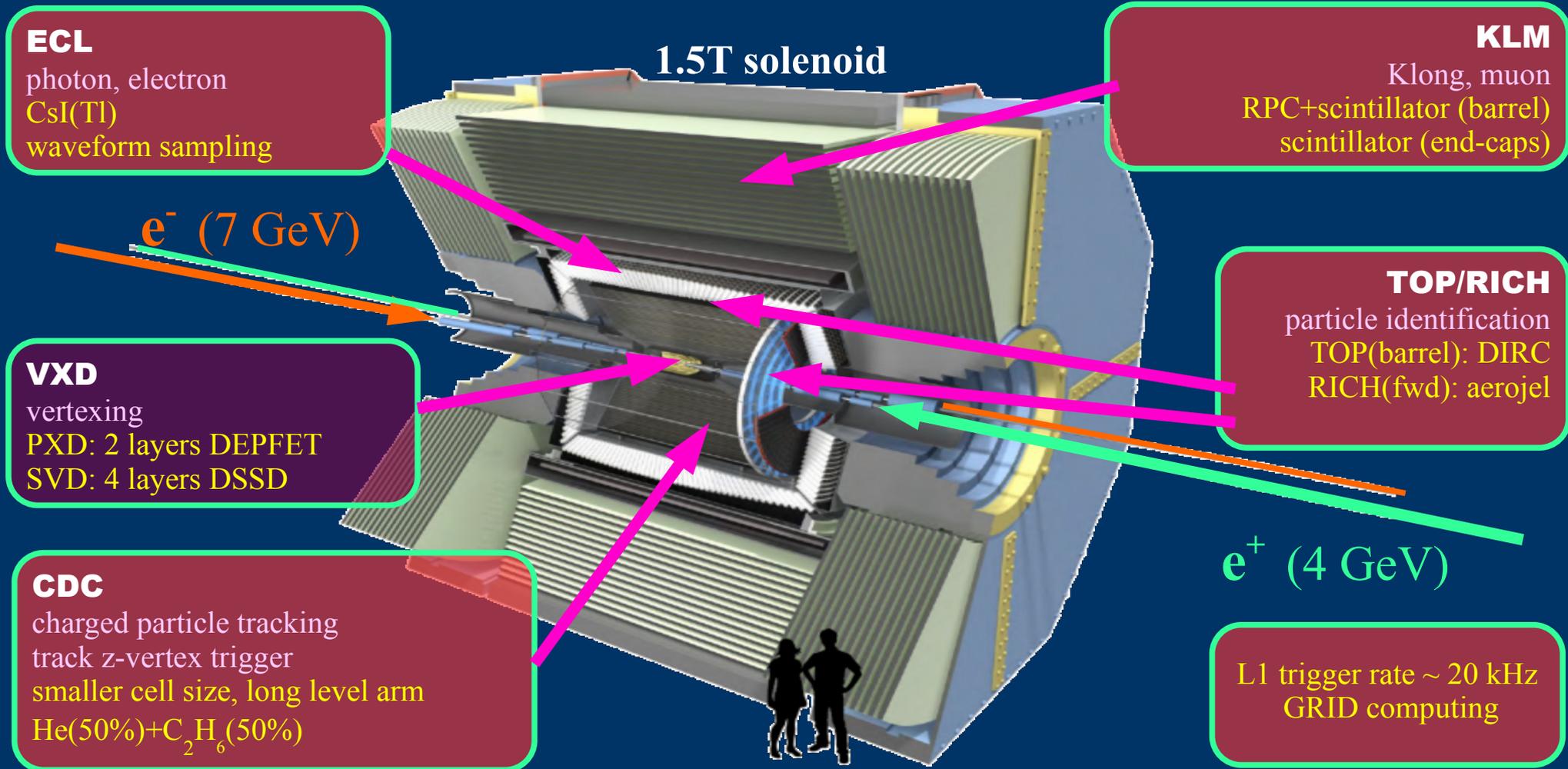


# Requirements for the Belle II detector

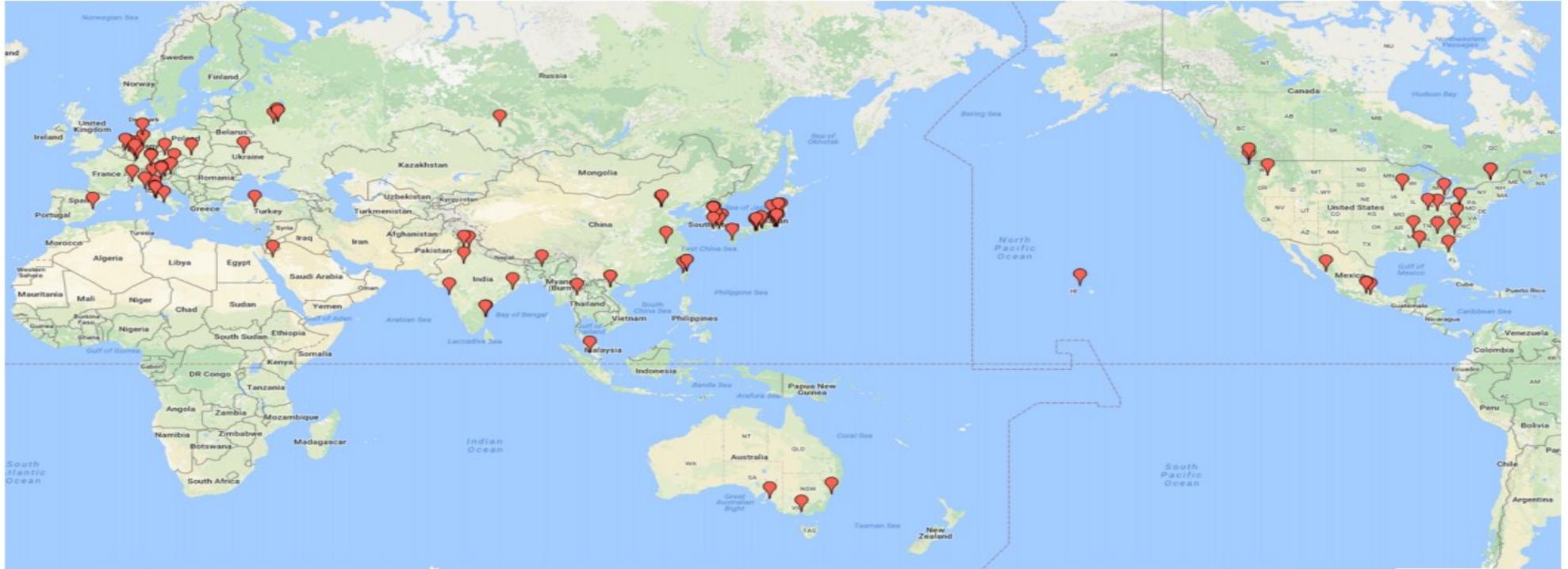
(critical issues at  $L = 8 \times 10^{35} / \text{cm}^2 / \text{s}$ )

- Higher event rate
  - ➔ higher trigger rate, DAQ, computing
- Higher background
  - ➔ radiation damage → **BEAST2**
  - ➔ occupancy
  - ➔ fake hits and pile-up noise
- $\beta\gamma$  reduced by a factor of 1.5
- Upgrade
  - ➔ better vertexing/tracking
    - pixel + silicon strip (**VXD**)
    - new CDC larger volume smaller cell
  - ➔ better particle identification
  - ➔ faster readout electronics and computing
  - ➔ faster and flexible trigger system
    - z-vertex trigger to reduce beam background





# Belle II Collaboration



>700 members  
106 institutions

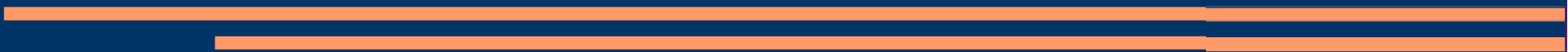




# The Belle II experiment

## Outline

- SuperKEKB and Belle II
- **Physics prospects**
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# Belle II physics prospect

P. Urquijo, Nucl. Part. Phys. Proc. 263-264 (2015) 15-23

P. Krizan, Phys. Sci. T158 (2013) 014024

"Belle II-Theory Interface Platform"

<https://confluence.desy.de/display/BI/B2TiP+WebHome>

(report of Belle II physics book will be submitted to PTEP)

Dolan, M.J., Ferber, T., Hearty, C. et al. J. High Energ. Phys. (2017) 2017: 94.

## ● B physics

- precision measurements of CKM elements
- rare B decays
- other B decay physics, ...

## ● Charm physics (Mixing, CPV in charm, rare charm decays,...)

## ● $\tau$ physics (LFV, CPV, ...)

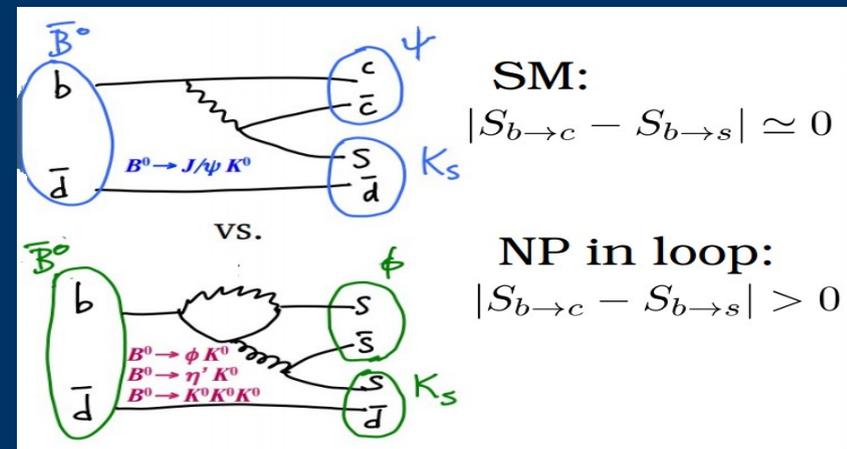
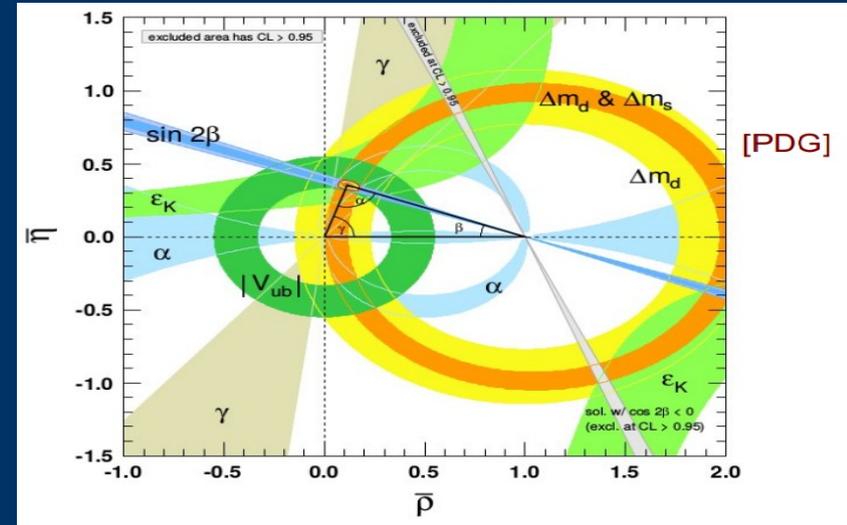
## ● others

- bottomonium spectrum
- exotics state (tetraquark, ...)
- other new physics searching (Higgs BSM, dark sector, ALP, leptoquark, ...)

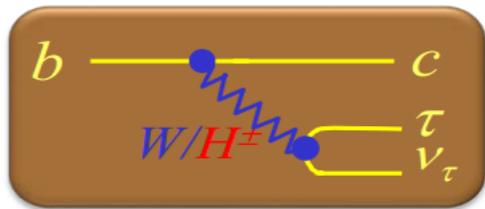
★ advantage with decays with neutral particles in the final states.

# Belle II physics prospect – CKM

- is the unitary triangle really a triangle?  
current  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = (175 \pm 9)^\circ$  (PDG)  
→ Belle II expects to improve the precision  
 $\beta \sim 0.3^\circ$ ,  $\alpha \sim 1.0^\circ$ ,  $\gamma \sim 1.5^\circ$   
(precision 5~10% → 1~3%)
- precision measurements of  $\sin(2\beta) = \sin(2\phi_1)$   
remains an important topic to check the consistency of the unitary triangle and to search for new source of CPV  
e.g.  $\Delta S = \sin(2\beta_{\phi K_S^0}) - \sin(2\beta_{J/\psi K_S^0})$   
→ with  $50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  data, Belle II can check possible NP contributions even just a small deviation  $\Delta S \sim 0.02$

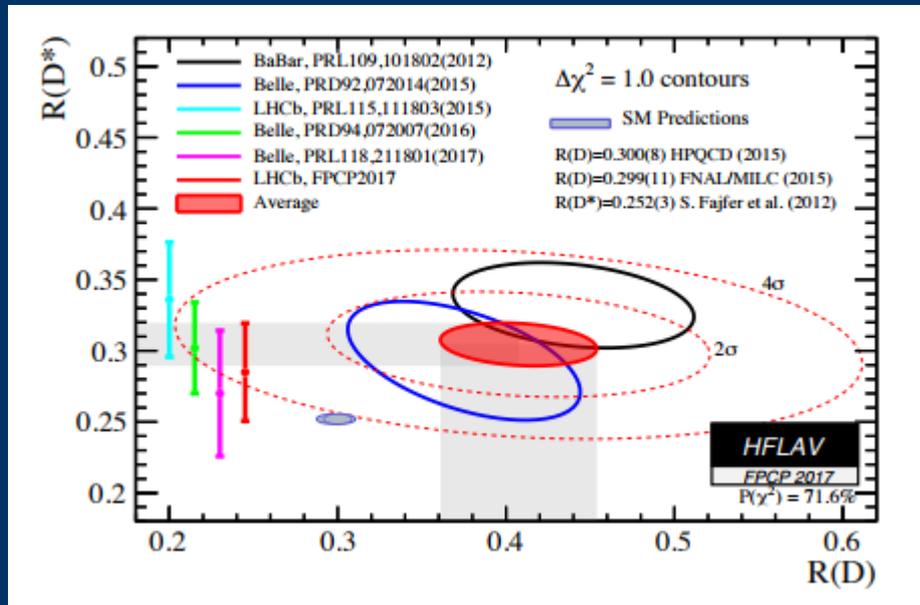


# Belle II physics prospect $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu$

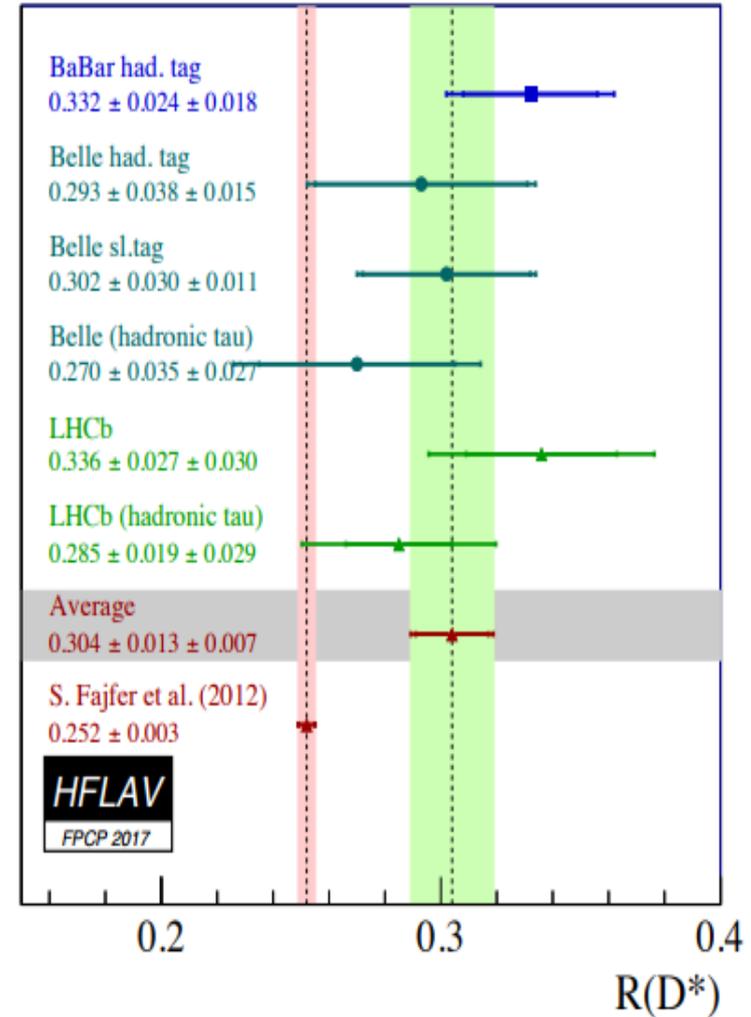


$$R(D^{(*)}) = \frac{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu)}{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)} l \nu)_{l=\mu, e}}$$

larger BF in the SM ( $\sim 1\%$ )  
discrimination of W and H by differential distribution



Belle PRD 97, 012004 (2018) also on  $\tau$  polarization



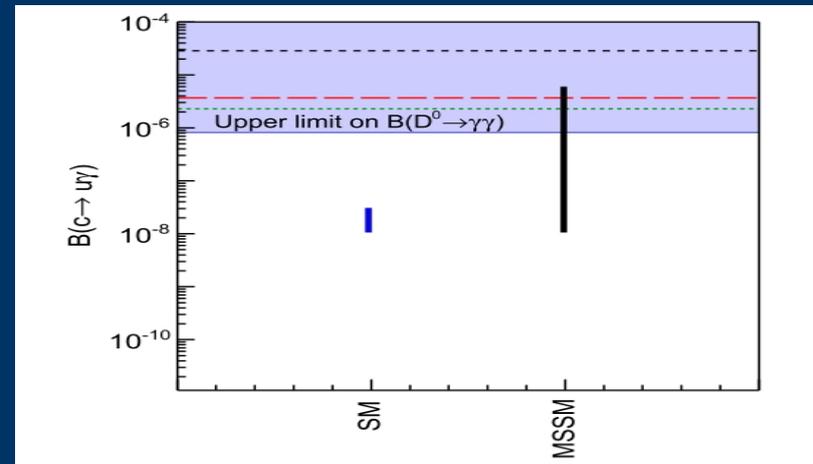
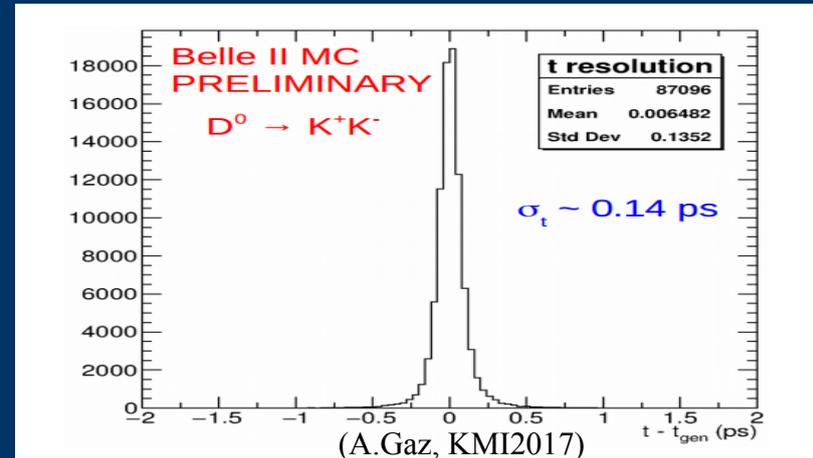
# Belle II physics prospect – charm physics

- B factories discovered the  $D^0 - \bar{D}^0$  mixing.

- Belle II will improve the measurements of the mixing parameters and look for CPV.
- with improved vertexing, proper time resolution for  $D^0$  decays  $\sim 0.14$  ps (0.27 ps @ Babar)

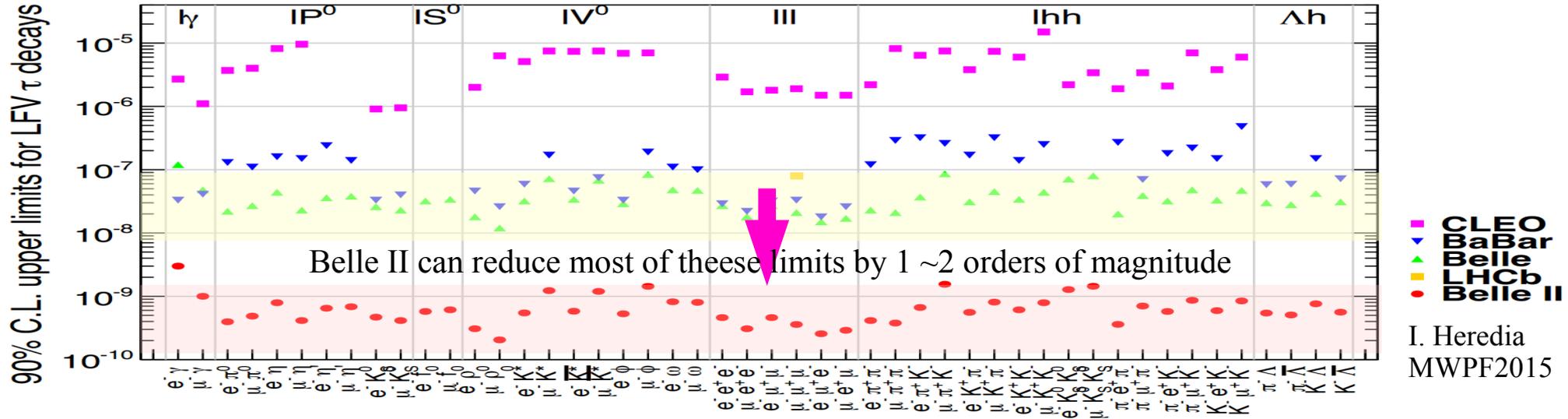
- Rare charm decays, e.g.

- $D^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
- predicted BF a few  $\times 10^{-8}$
- Belle result  $8.5 \times 10^{-7}$  @ 90%CL (PRD 93, 051102(R), 2016; 832  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  data)
- expected to reach  $10^{-7} \sim 10^{-8}$  (with full Belle II data)



# Belle II physics prospect – tau LFV

LFV is suppressed in SM → a few models predict enhancements within Belle II's reach.



$\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma$   
main background from  $ee \rightarrow \mu \mu \gamma$  <sub>ISR</sub>  
reduce sensitivity by a factor  $\sim 7$

$\tau \rightarrow \mu \mu \mu$   
very clean mode  
reduce sensitivity by a factor of 50

possible reach by Belle II ( $50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ )  $< 10^{-9}$   $< 10^{-10}$  → good to test NP

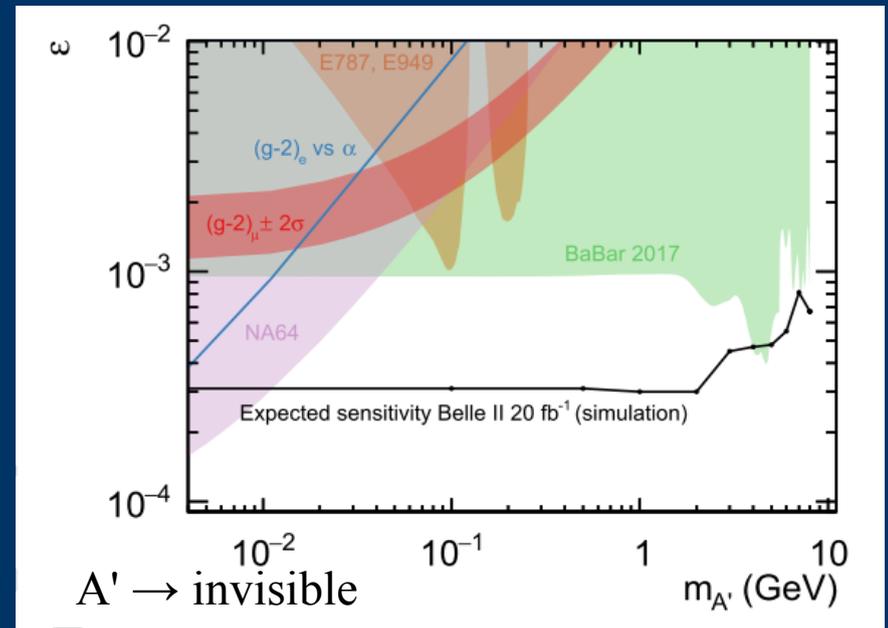
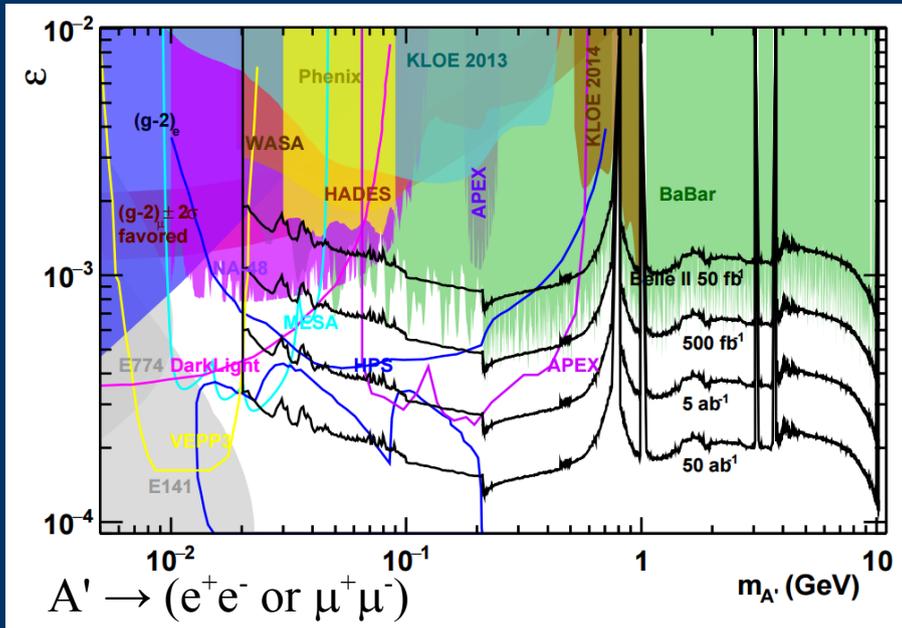
	$\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma)$	$\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \mu \mu)$	
mSUGRA+seesaw	$10^{-7}$	$10^{-9}$	PRD 66(2002) 115013
SUSY+SO(10)	$10^{-8}$	$10^{-10}$	PRD 68(2003) 033012
SM+seesaw	$10^{-9}$	$10^{-10}$	PRD 66(2002) 034008
Non-Universal $Z'$	$10^{-9}$	$10^{-8}$	PLB 547(2002) 252
SUSY+Higgs	$10^{-10}$	$10^{-7}$	PLB 566(2003) 217

# potential early physics topics (in 2018~2019)

possible to collect  $300\text{fb}^{-1}$  data, possible for some physic studies

single photon events, special trigger configuration is considered in the trigger menu.

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma A', \quad A' \rightarrow \text{invisible or } (e^+e^- \text{ or } \mu^+\mu^-) \quad (\text{dark photon})$$



$$\varepsilon^+\varepsilon^- \rightarrow \gamma \alpha', \quad \alpha' \rightarrow \text{invisible} \quad (\text{ALP})$$

$$\Upsilon(3S) \rightarrow \gamma A^0, \quad A^0 \rightarrow \text{invisible} \quad (\text{light Higgs})$$

(ALP)

(light Higgs)

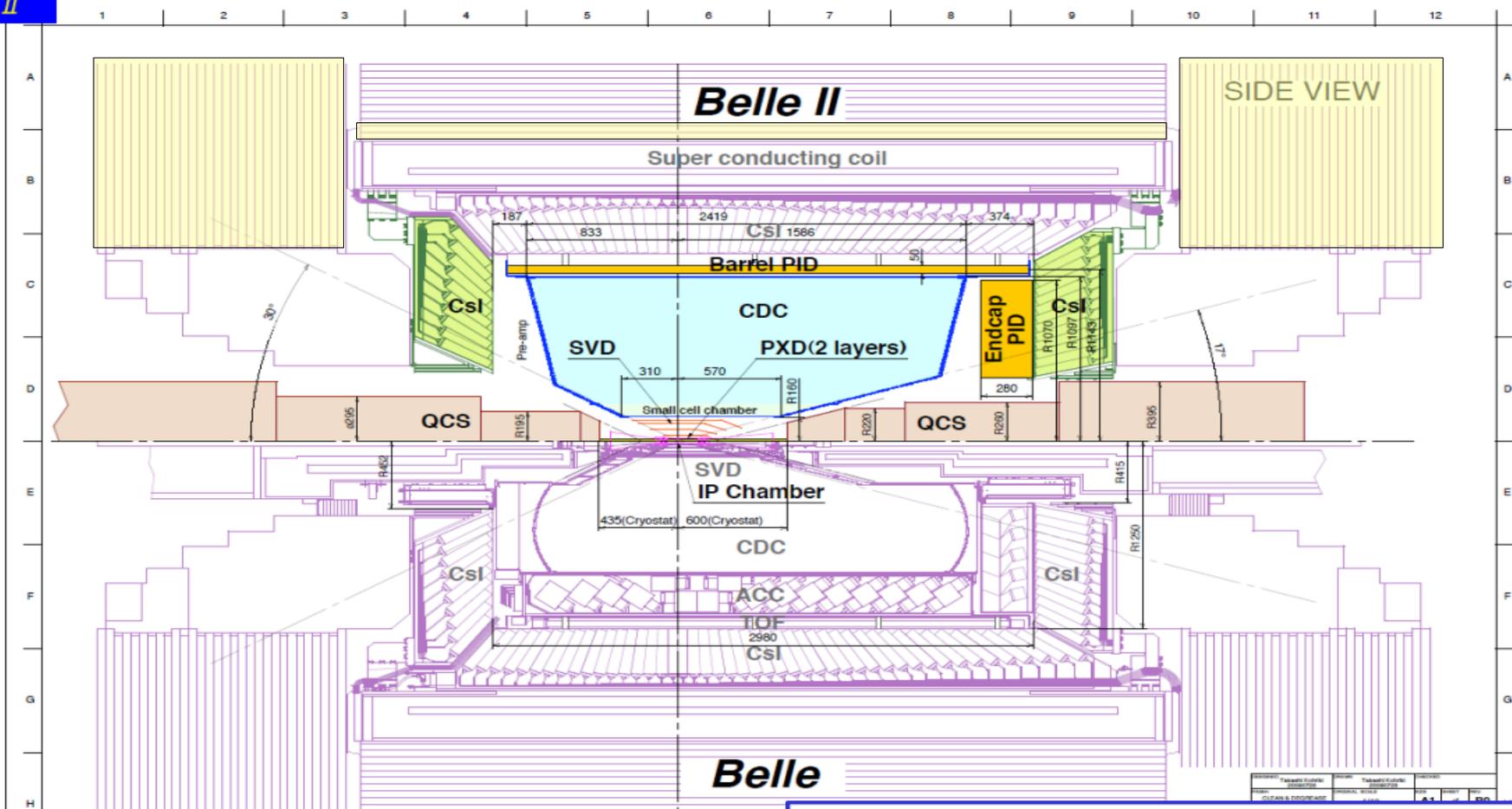


# The Belle II experiment

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- SuperKEKB and Belle II
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  - detector status
  - schedule
    - ➔ 2016 phase 1
    - ➔ 2017 GCR
    - ➔ 2018 phase 2
    - ➔ .....

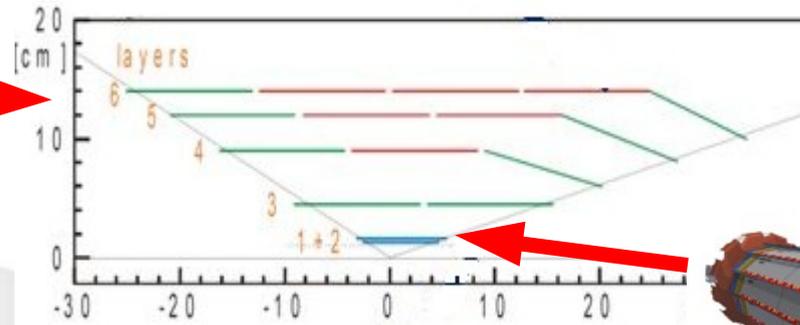
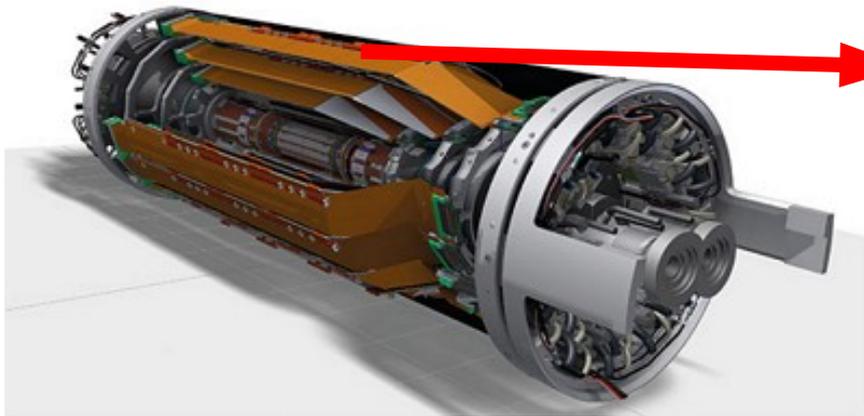
# Belle II (top) compared with Belle (bottom)



SVD: 4 DSSD lyrs → 2 DEPFET lyrs + 4 DSSD lyrs  
 CDC: small cell, long lever arm

ACC+TOF → TOP+A-RICH  
 ECL: waveform sampling  
 KLM: RPC → Scintillator +SiPM (end-caps)

# VXD = SVD + PXD

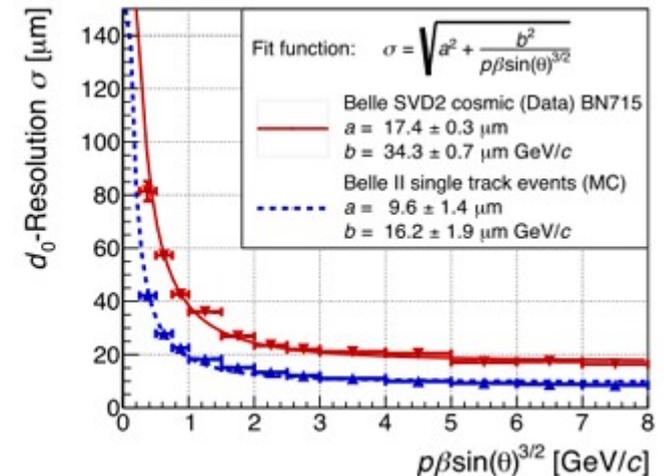
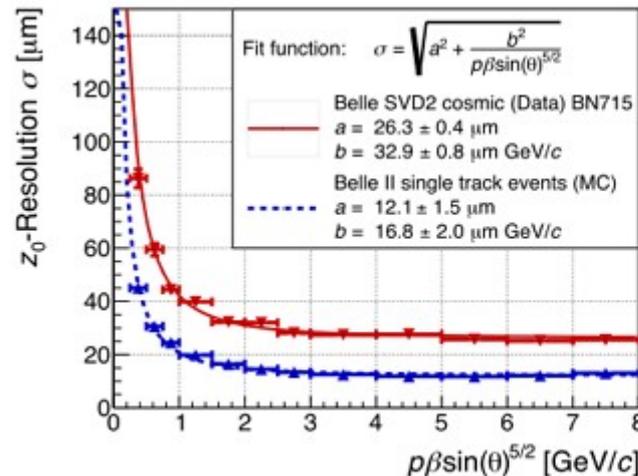


76  $\mu\text{m}$  thickness DEPFIET

4 layers DSSD (SVD)  
2 layers DEPFIET (PXD)

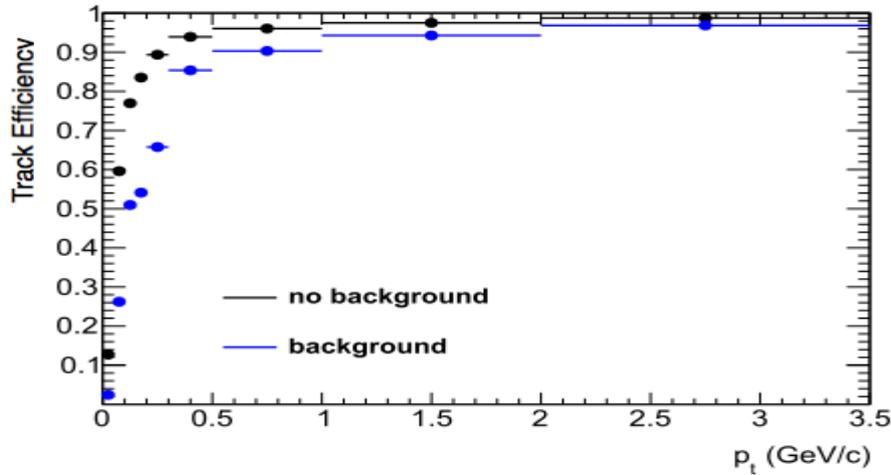
final focus quadrupole  
„intergrated“ into VXD

vertex resolution improved  
by a factor of 2  
(compared to Belle)



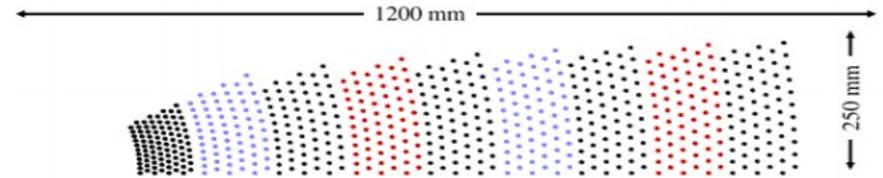
# CDC (central drift chamber)

- charged track reco. and momentum determination
- particle identification via  $dE/dx$
- charged track trigger

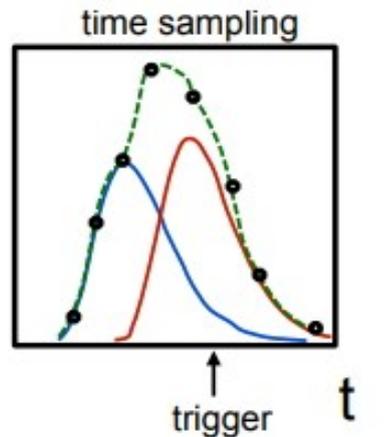
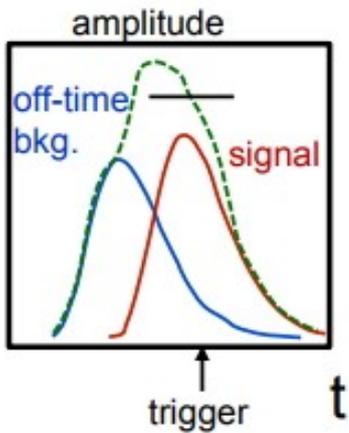
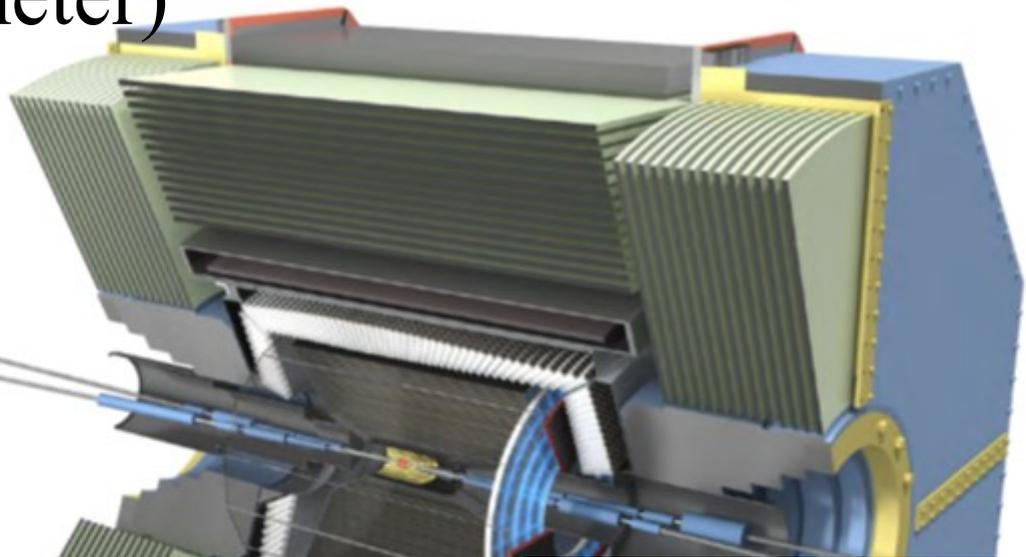


$$\frac{\sigma_{p_t}}{p_t} \sim 0.3\%/\beta \oplus 0.1\% \cdot p_t [GeV/c]$$

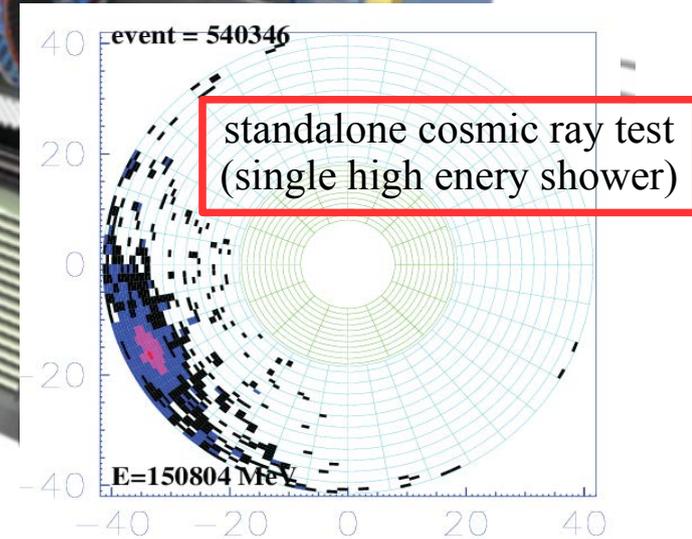
$$\sigma \left( \frac{dE}{dx} \right) \Big|_{MIP} \sim 5\%$$



# ECL (EM calorimeter)



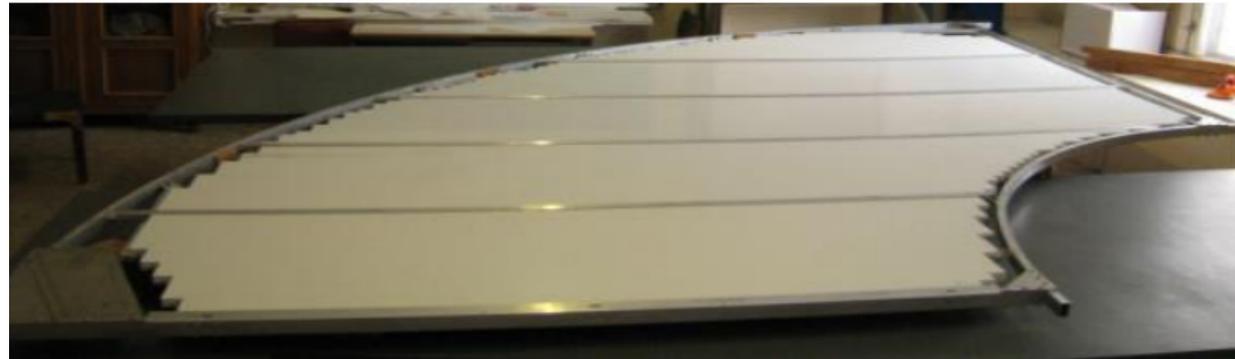
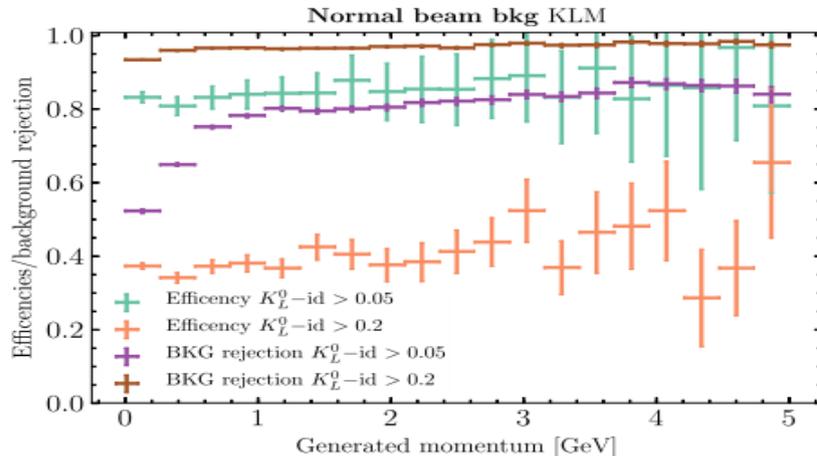
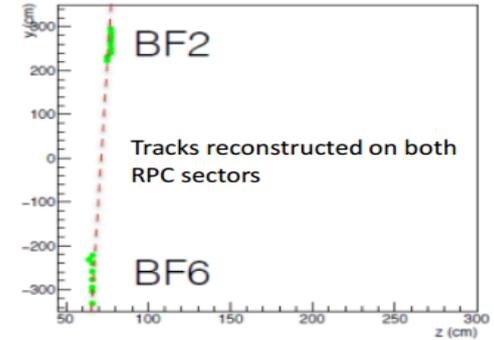
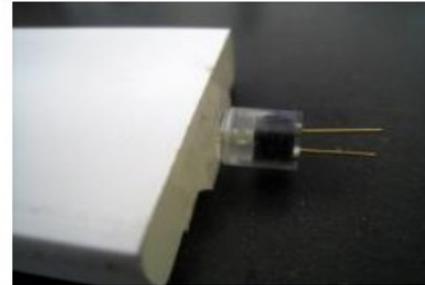
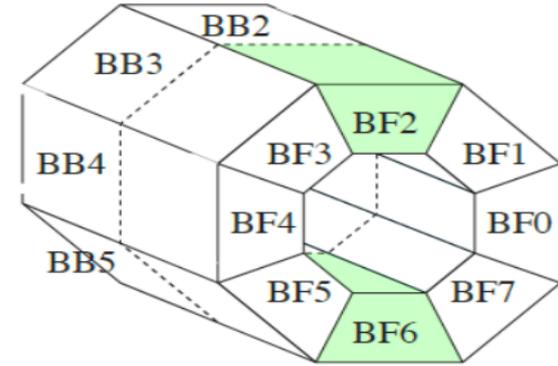
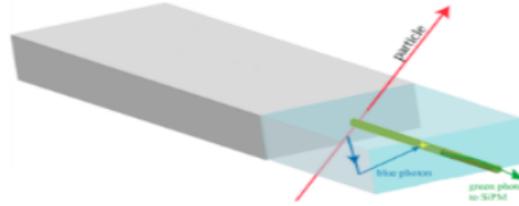
waveform sampling to reject off timing hits



# KLM (K<sub>ℓ</sub> and μ detector)

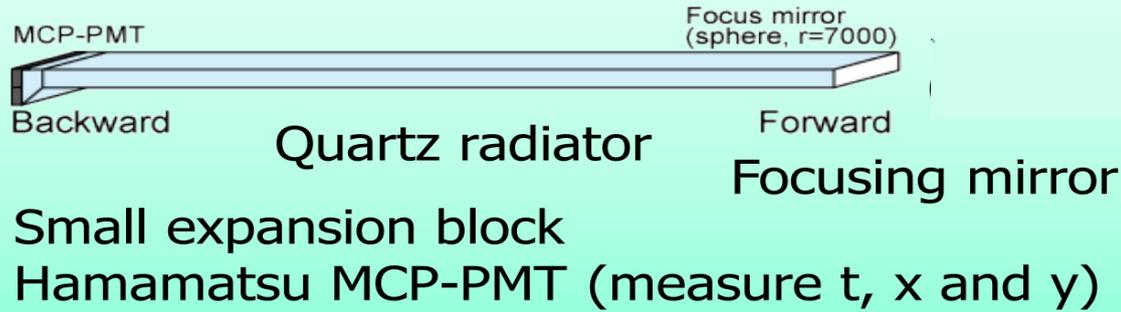
Interleaved with the iron plates of the flux return yoke

- Barrel:  
Belle RPCs reused  
Two inner layers replaced by scintillator strips  
Scintillator strips with WLS fibers  
Hamamatsu SiPM S10362
- Endcap:  
RPCs replaced with polystyrene scintillators  
99% geometrical acceptance.  $\sigma \sim 1\text{ns}$

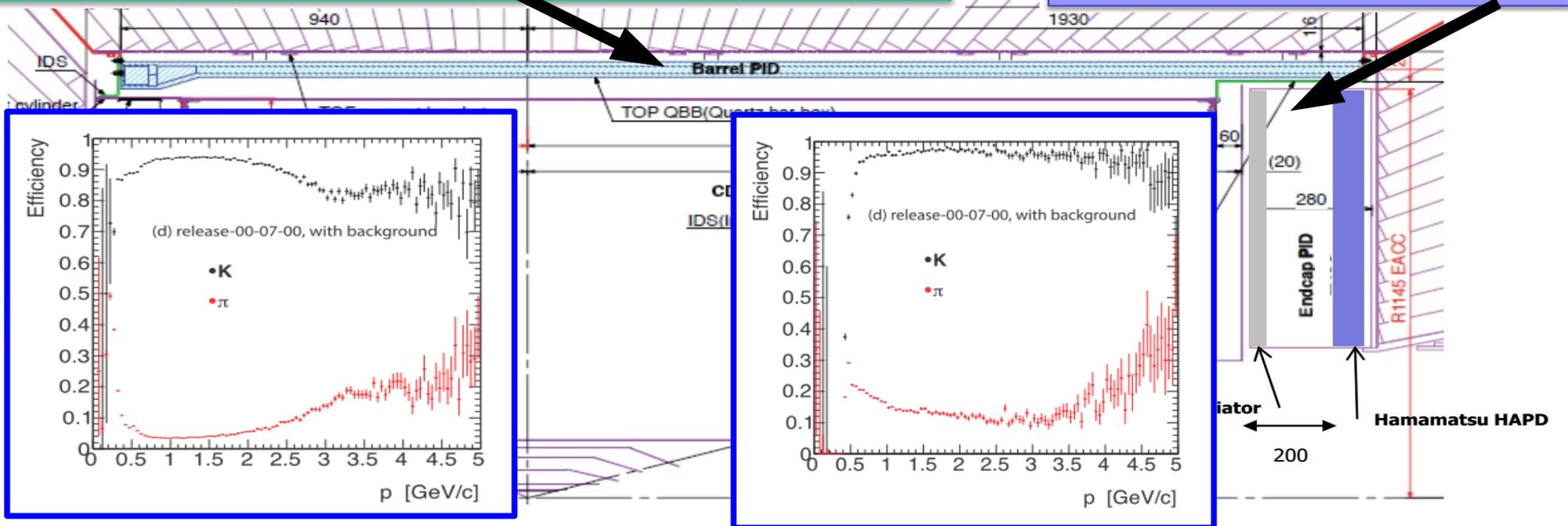
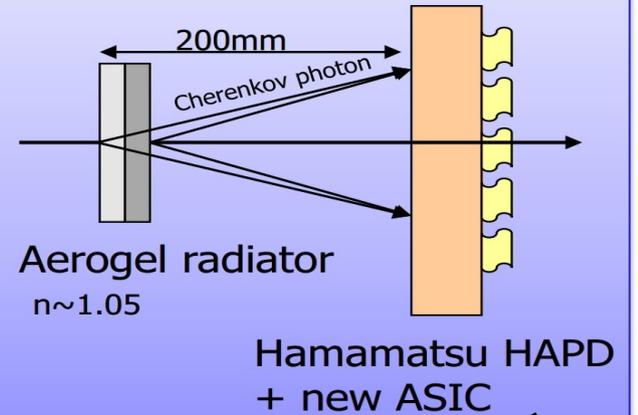


# Particle Identification devices

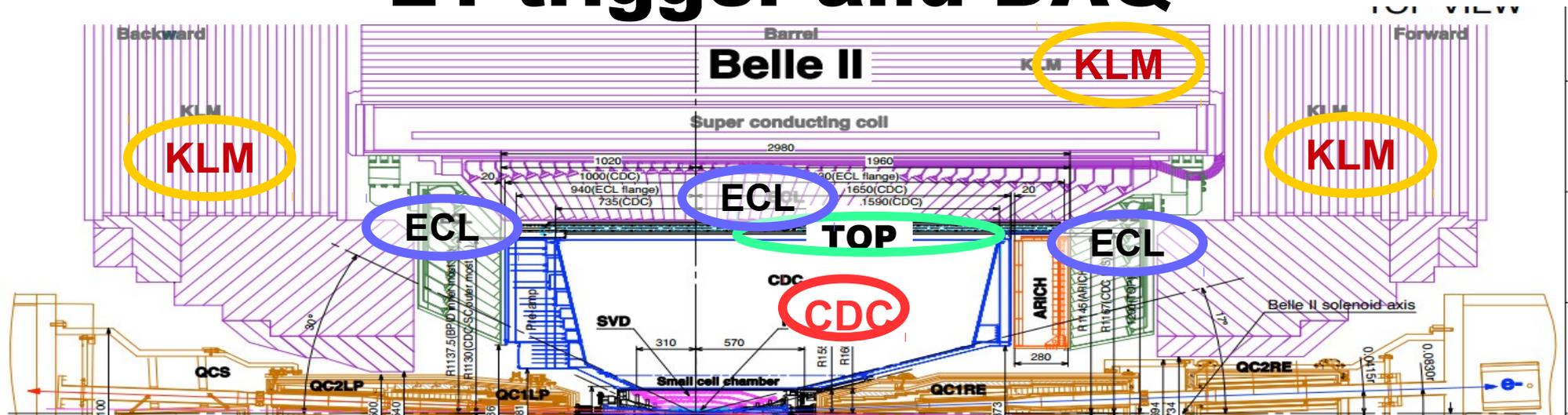
## Barrel PID: TOP (Time Of Propagation)



## EndCap PID: aerogel RICH



# L1 trigger and DAQ



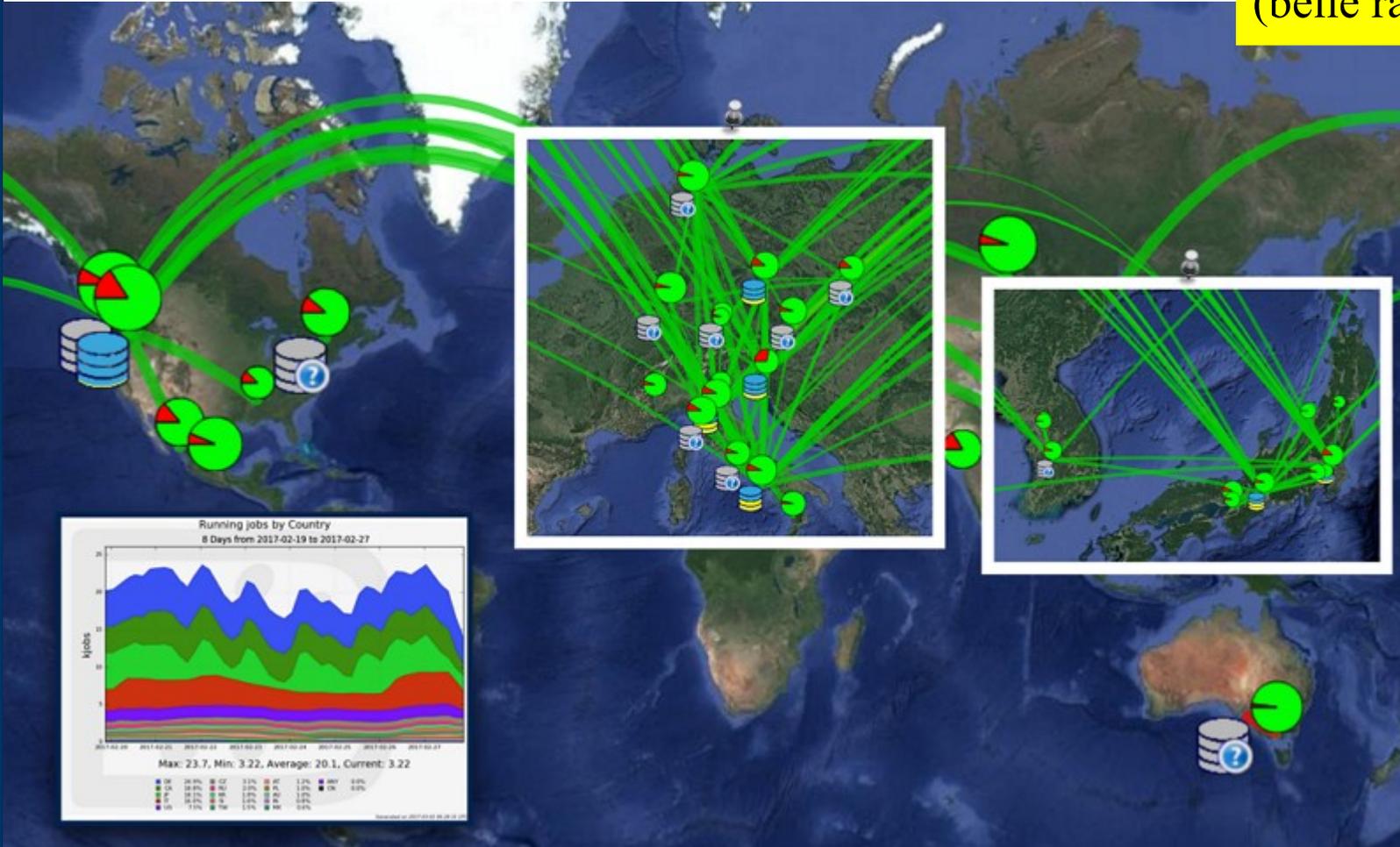
Belle II Level 1 trigger  
(CDC + ECL + TOP + KLM)  
beam bunch crossing 254 MHz (max.)  
nominal beam background rate ~10 MHz  
nominal L1 trigger rate ~20 KHz  
L1 max. latency 5  $\mu$ s  
L1 z-vertex trigger  
L1 Global Reconstruction Logic

Belle II software platform  
BASF2 (ROOT/C++/Python)  
DAQ, HLT, and analysis

\* HLT output rate 6 KHz (1.8 GB/s)

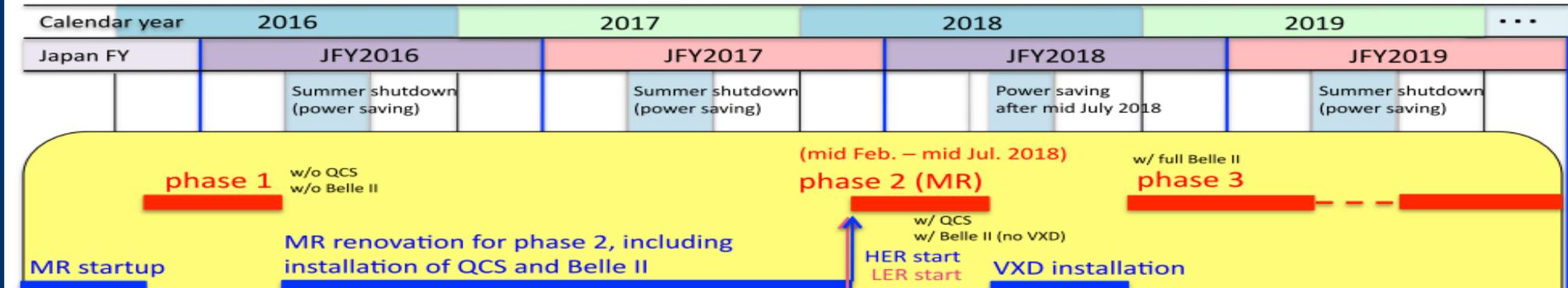
# GRID for Belle II (facilitated by DIRAC)

raw data 20 PB/yr  
total 100 PB  
(belle raw data total 1 PB)





# Schedule in the recent years

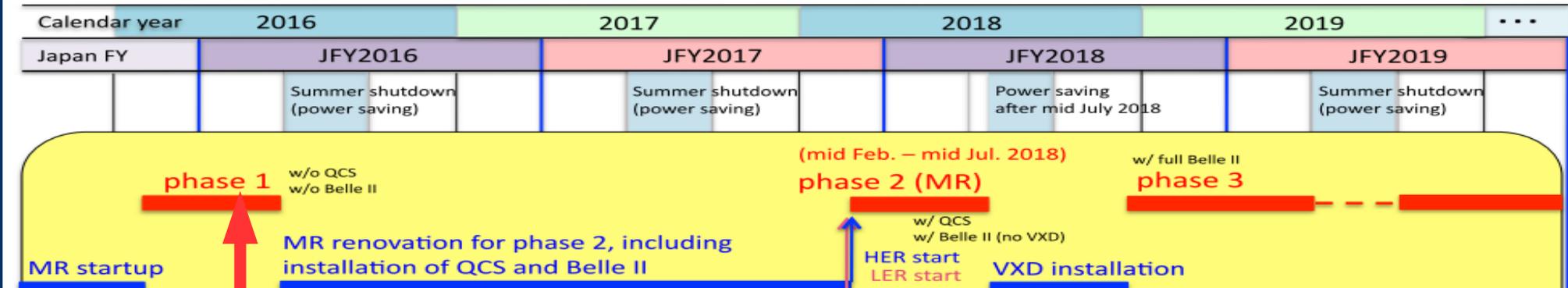


2011  
ground breaking

Before full physics commissioning:  
there are 3 phases for SuperKEKB



# Schedule in the recent years



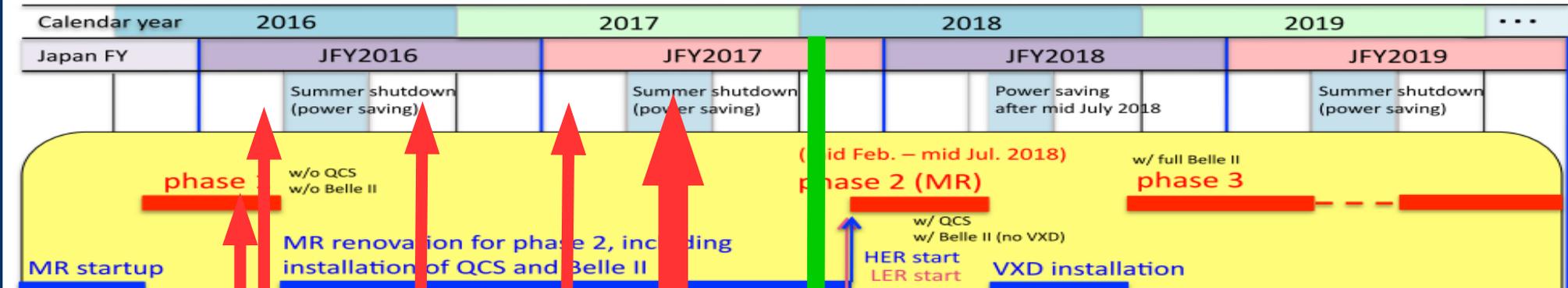
2011 ground breaking

accelerator back to be online  
SuperKEKB/Belle II no longer being “next generation”

Phase 1: beam practice  
 BEAST2 phase 1  
 no collision  
 no Belle II  
 vacuum scrubbing  
 background study



# Schedule in the recent years



2011 ground breaking

TOP

CDC

Belle II roll-in

QCS (for final focusing) **now**

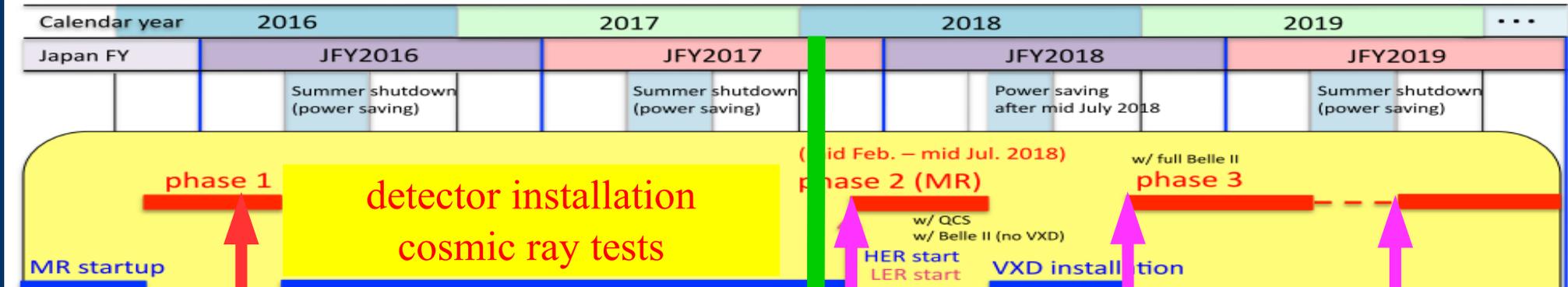
GCR (global cosmic ray runs)

Belle II outer detectors (ECL+KLM+TOP+CDC+RICH)  
Belle II is reloaded

Phase 1: beam practice  
BEAST2 phase 1  
no collision  
no Belle II  
vacuum scrubbing  
background study



# Schedule in the recent years



2011  
ground breaking

Phase 1: beam practice  
BEAST2 phase 1  
no collision  
no Belle II  
vacuum scrubbing  
background study

now

Phase 2: beam collision  
BEAST2 phase 2  
no VXD

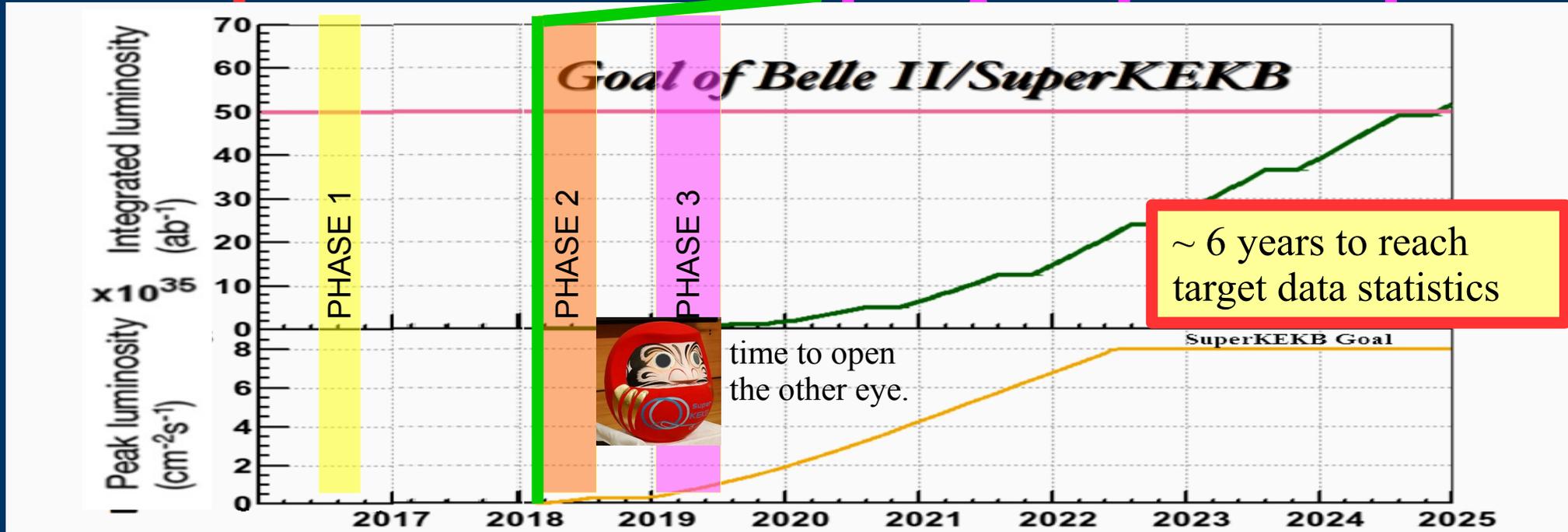
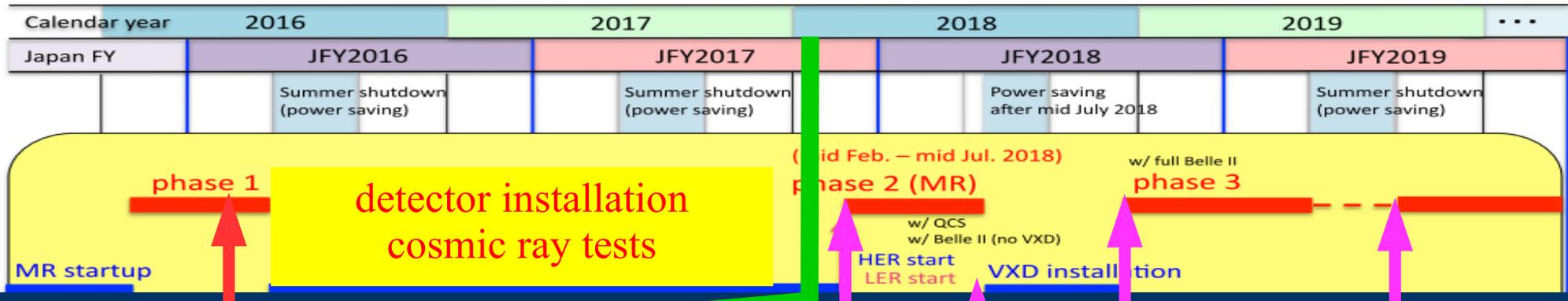
VXD  
(SVD+PXJ)

Phase 3: increasing lumi.  
full Belle II  
physics run 1

keep running,  
and running,  
and running,  
.....



# Schedule in the recent years



# Belle II

## Phase 1

2016 Feb. ~ Jun.  
SuperKEKB  
beam commissioning  
(no collision)

**Done!! 卒業**

## Phase 2

2018 Feb~July  
collision tuning  
partial Belle II  
(no vertexing)

$L \geq 10^{34}/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$

## Phase 3 ...

**50 ab<sup>-1</sup>**

2019 ~  
full Belle II  
commissioning

$8 \times 10^{35}/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$

- high flavor tagging eff.
- good PID
- clean detector environment

**full power of Belle II physics**

beam bg/machine study

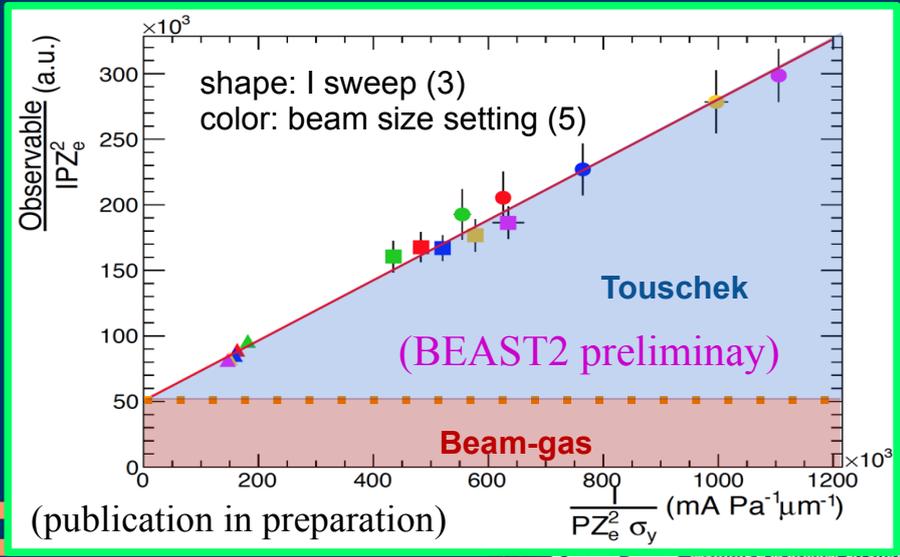
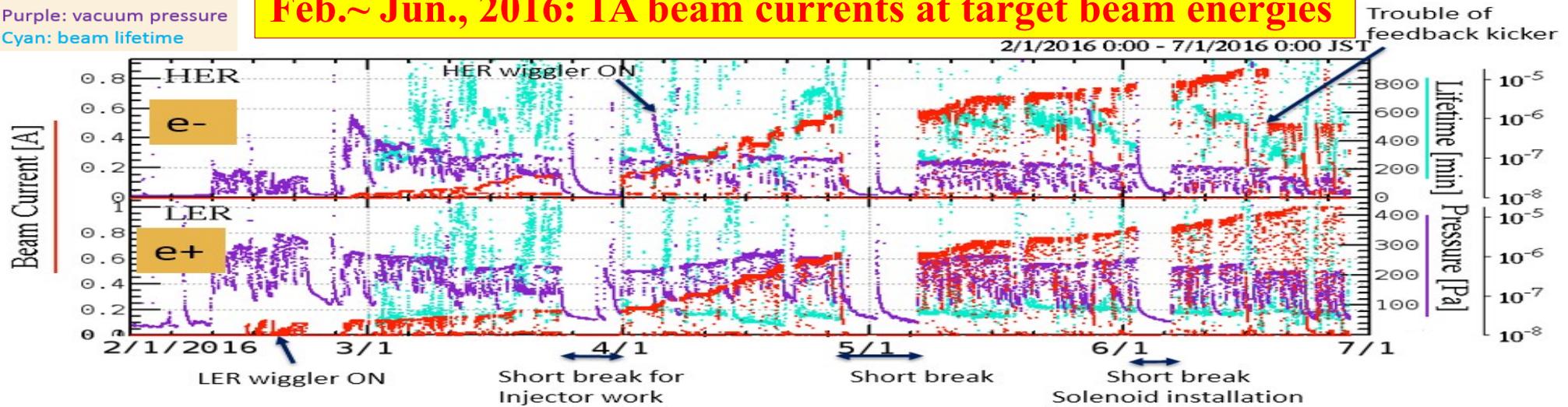
possible early measurements



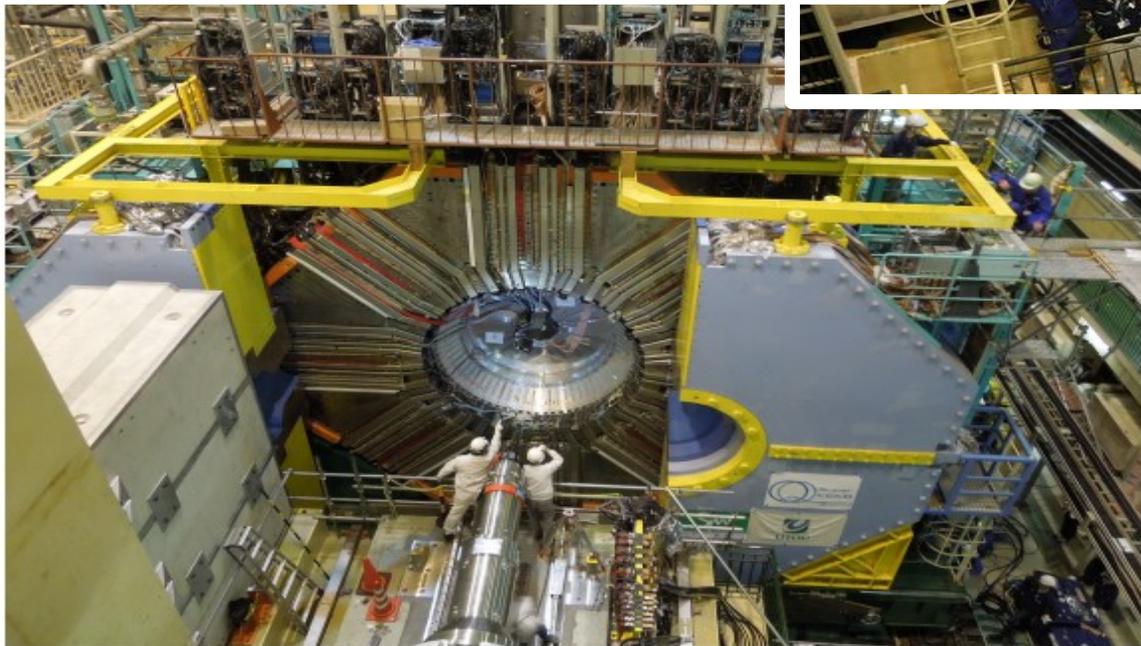
# SuperKEKB/BEAST2 phase 1 operation

Red: total beam current  
 Purple: vacuum pressure  
 Cyan: beam lifetime

**Feb.~ Jun., 2016: 1A beam currents at target beam energies**



Belle II roll-in (April 11, 2017)

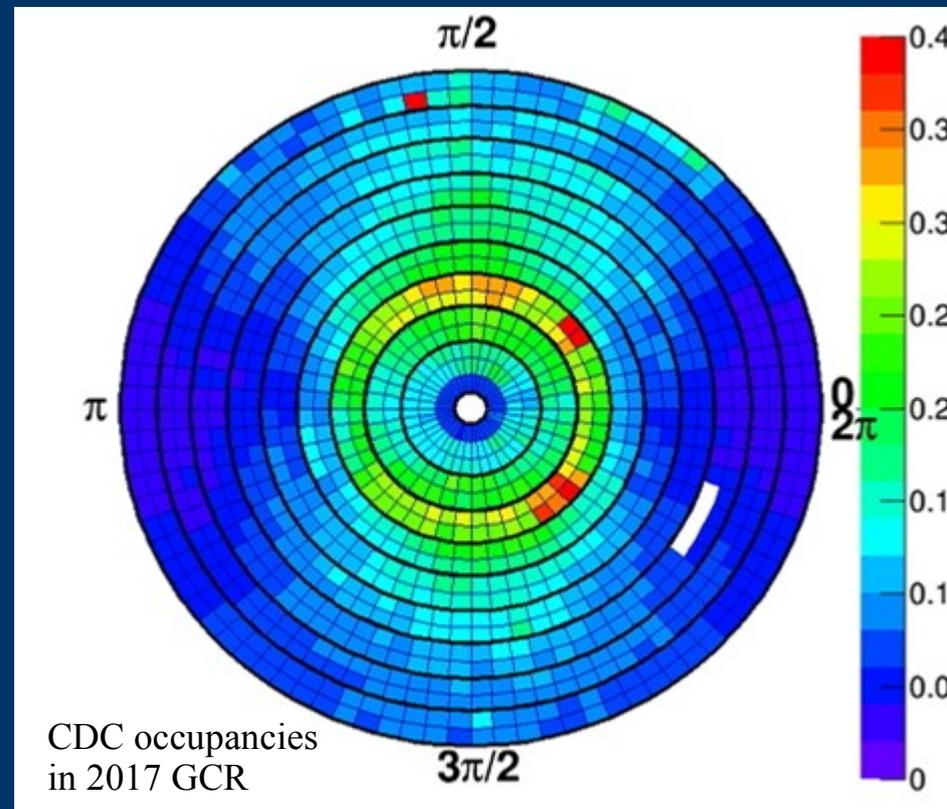
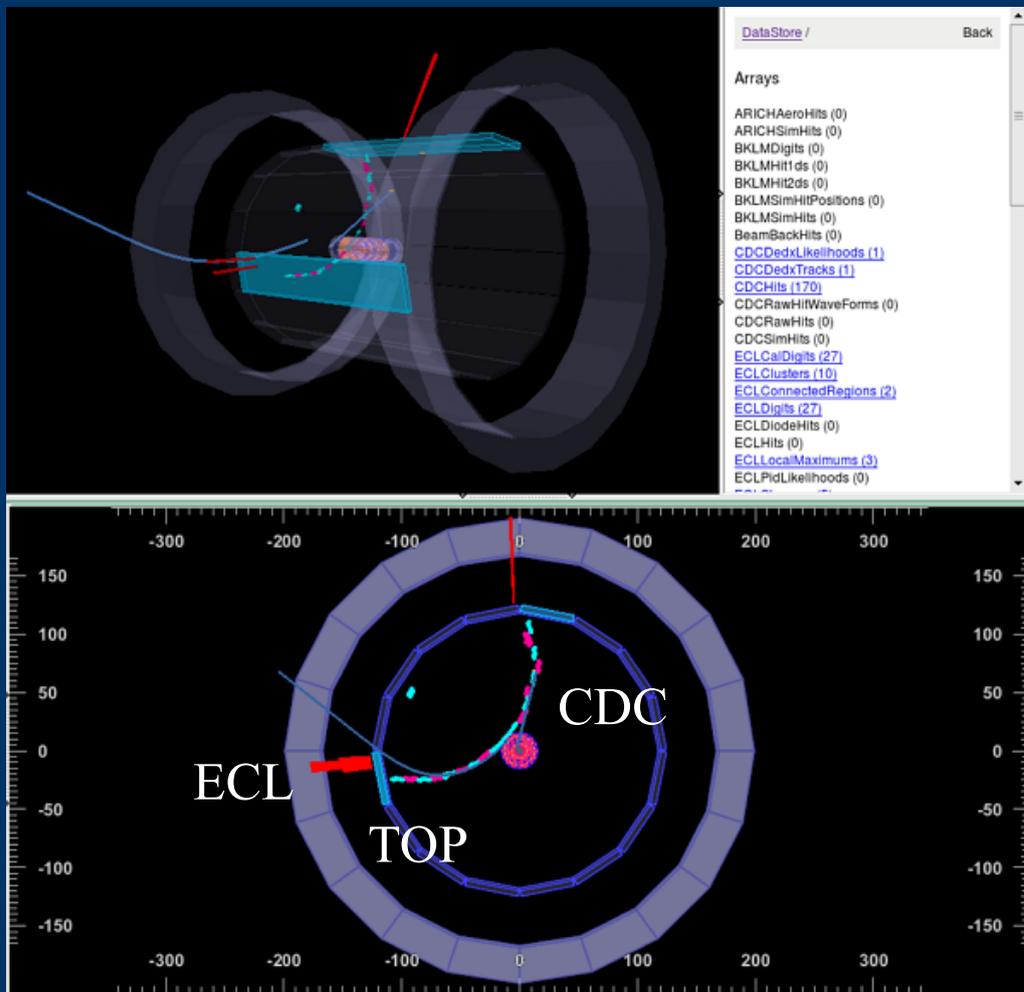


**Belle II**  
**in position now**  
**(VXD)**

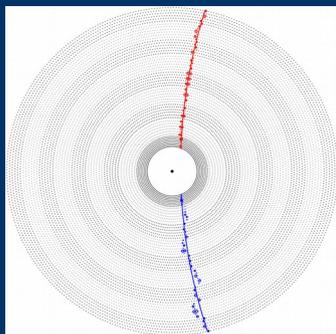
# Belle II 2017 summer GCR

ECL/TOP/CDC are read-out simultaneously  
magnetic ON  
(B-field mapper inside CDC)

simplified trigger by ECL+CDC (10-100 Hz)  
detector/DAQ performance studies

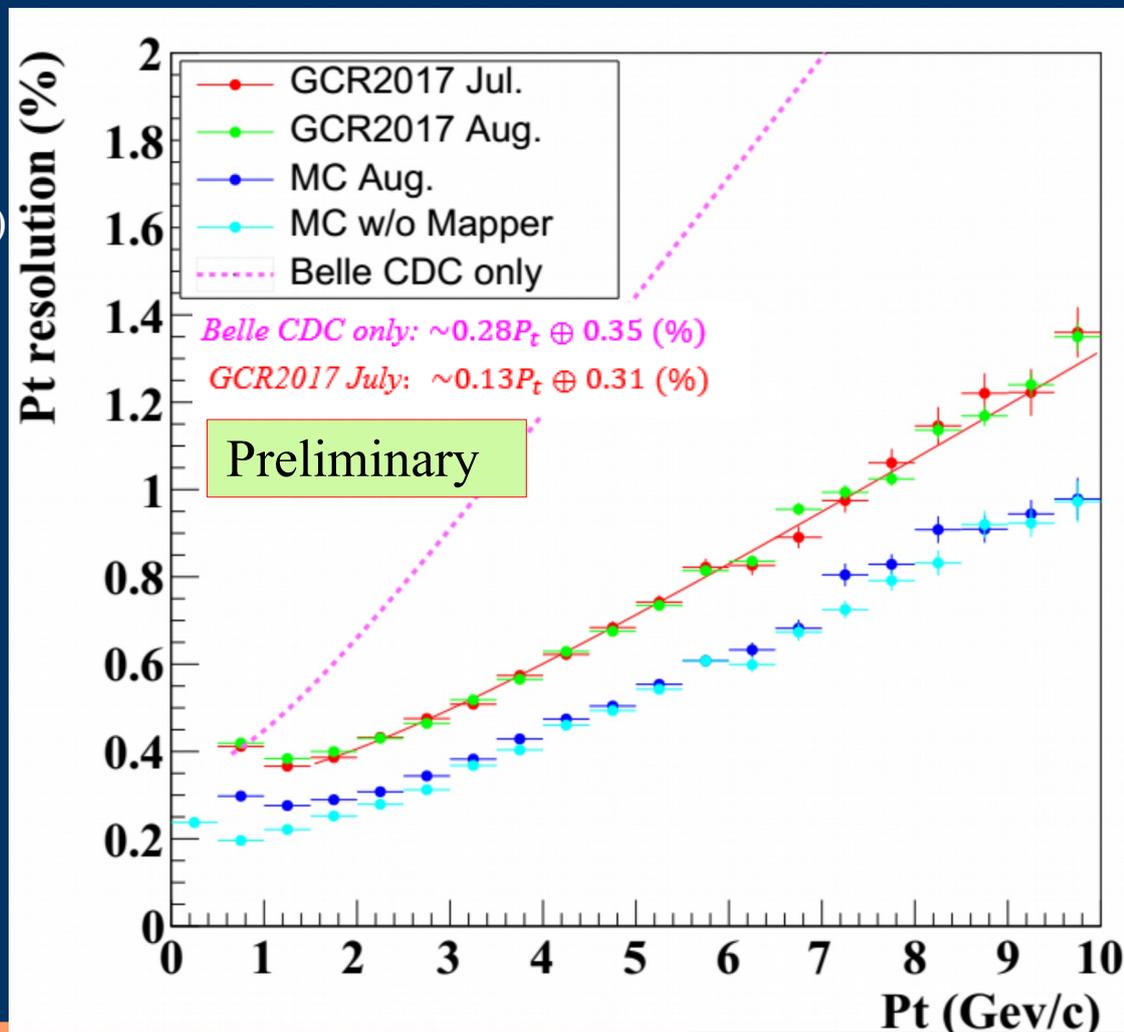
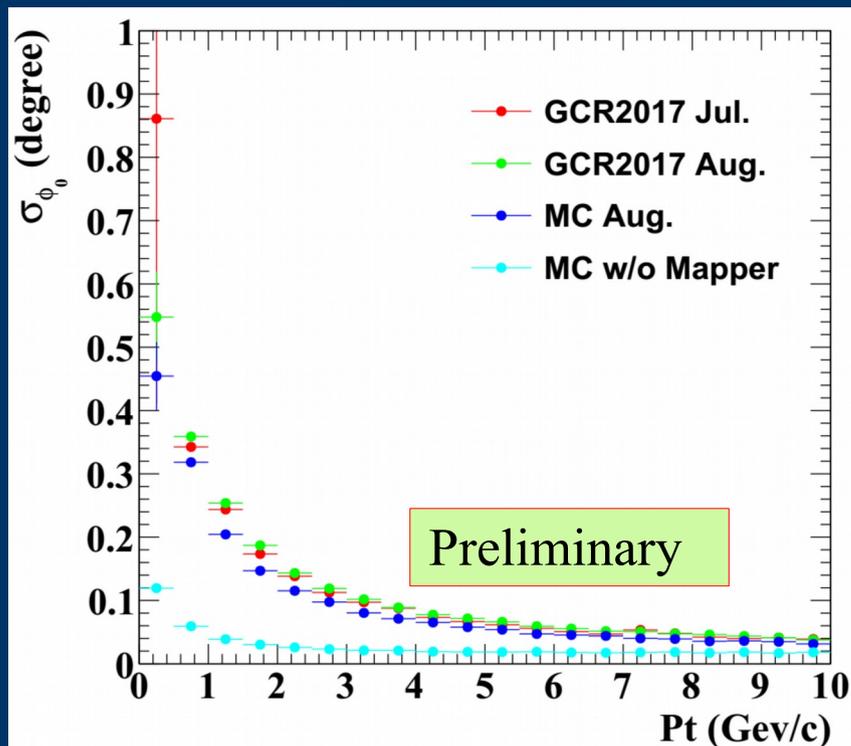


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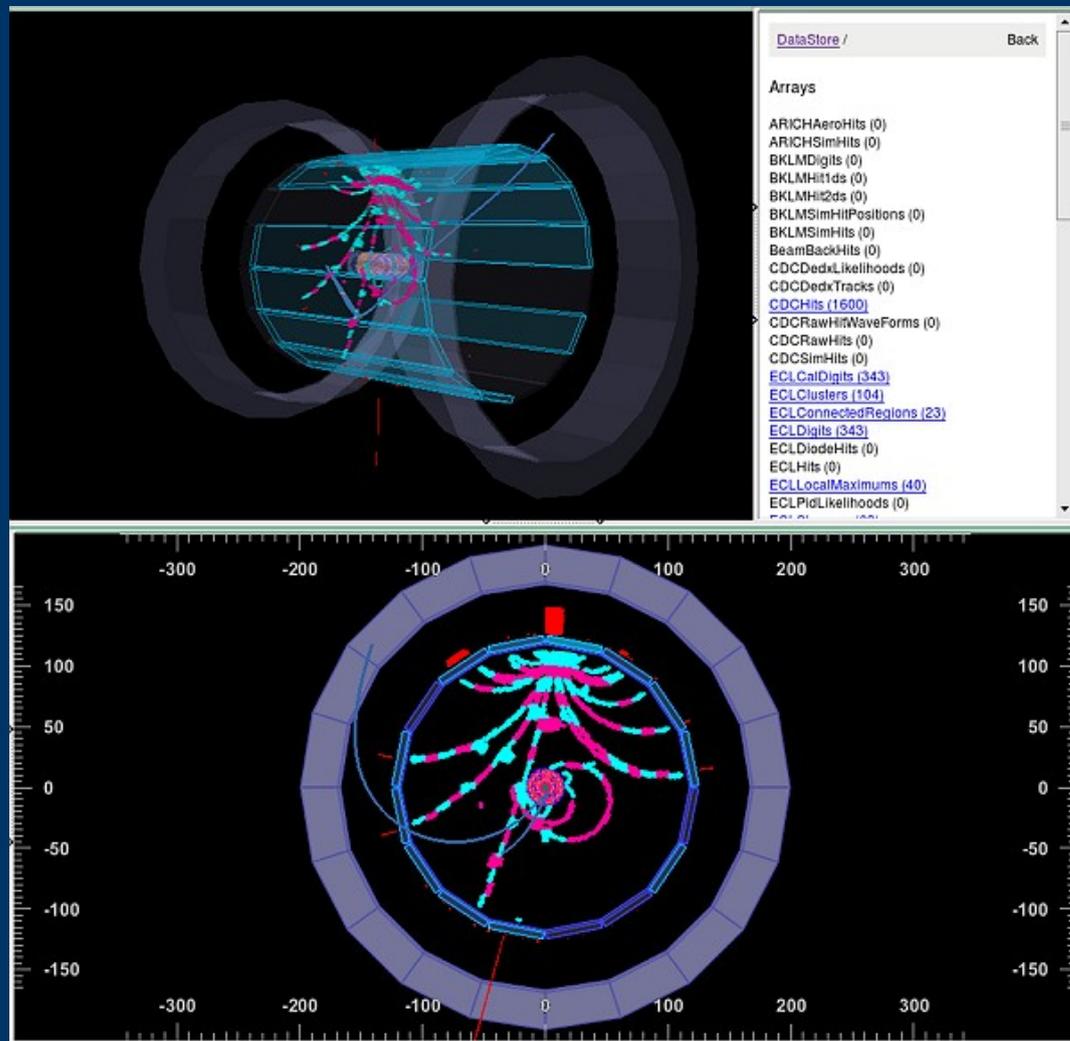


Event selections:

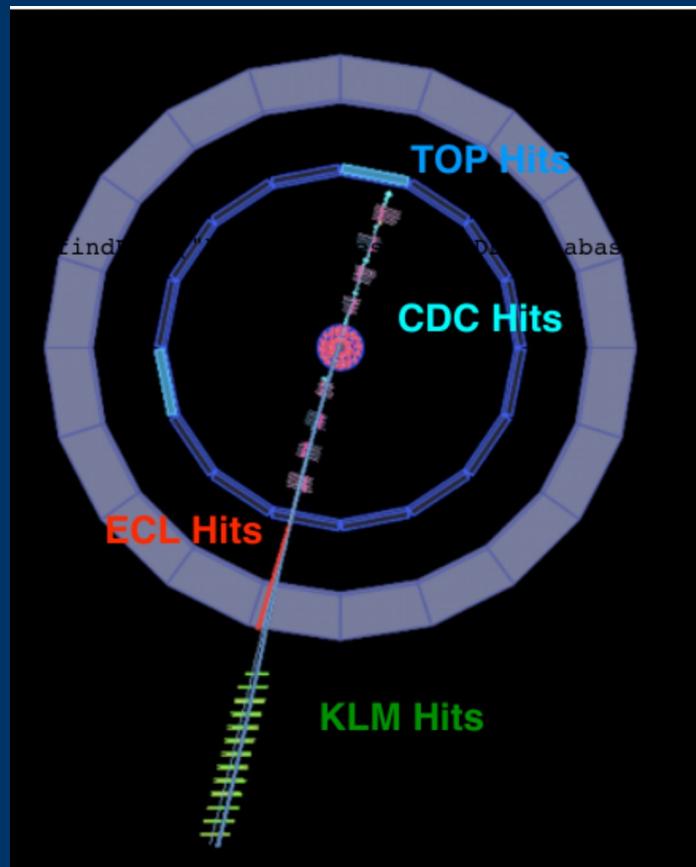
- $|d_0| < 3\text{cm}$  (~IP tracks)
- $-5\text{cm} < z_0 < 15$  (~IP track)
- $|\tan\lambda| < 0.45$   
(reduce the effect of mapper)



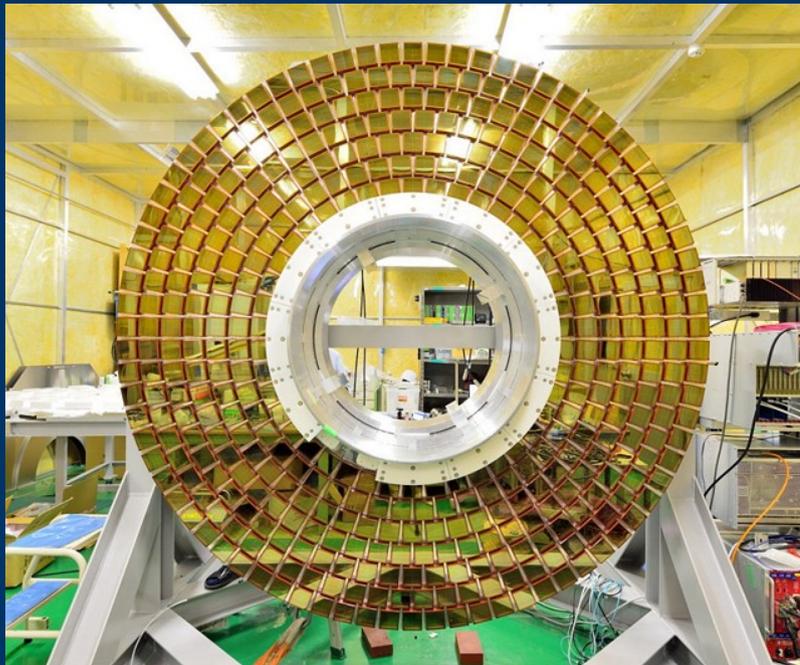
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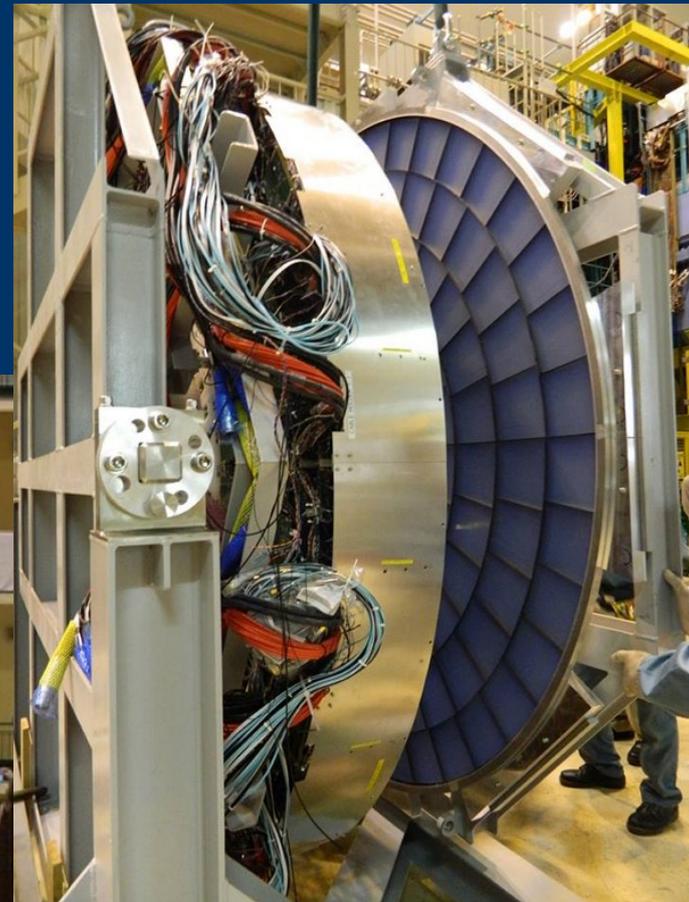
After 2017 GCR, KLM readout in (magnetic field off)



KLM/ECL/TOP/CDC (RICH)  
ready for commissioning



2017 Oct.  
RICH is  
implemented  
in Belle II

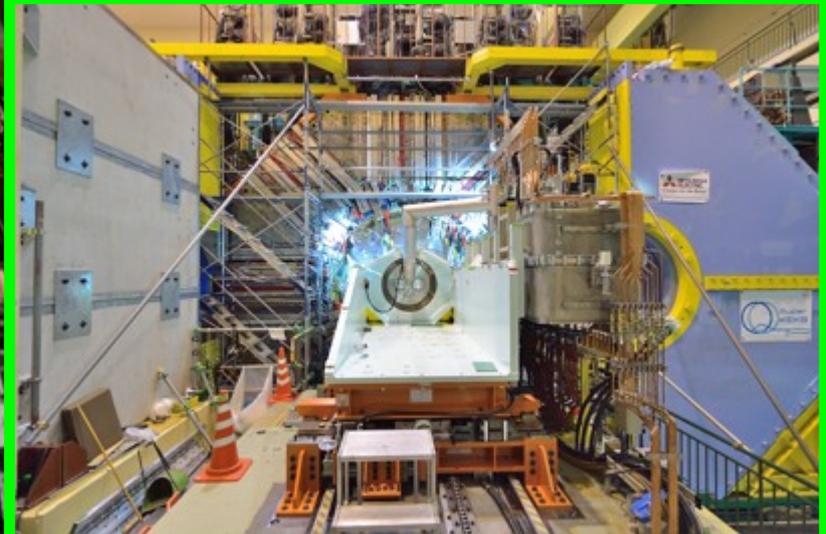
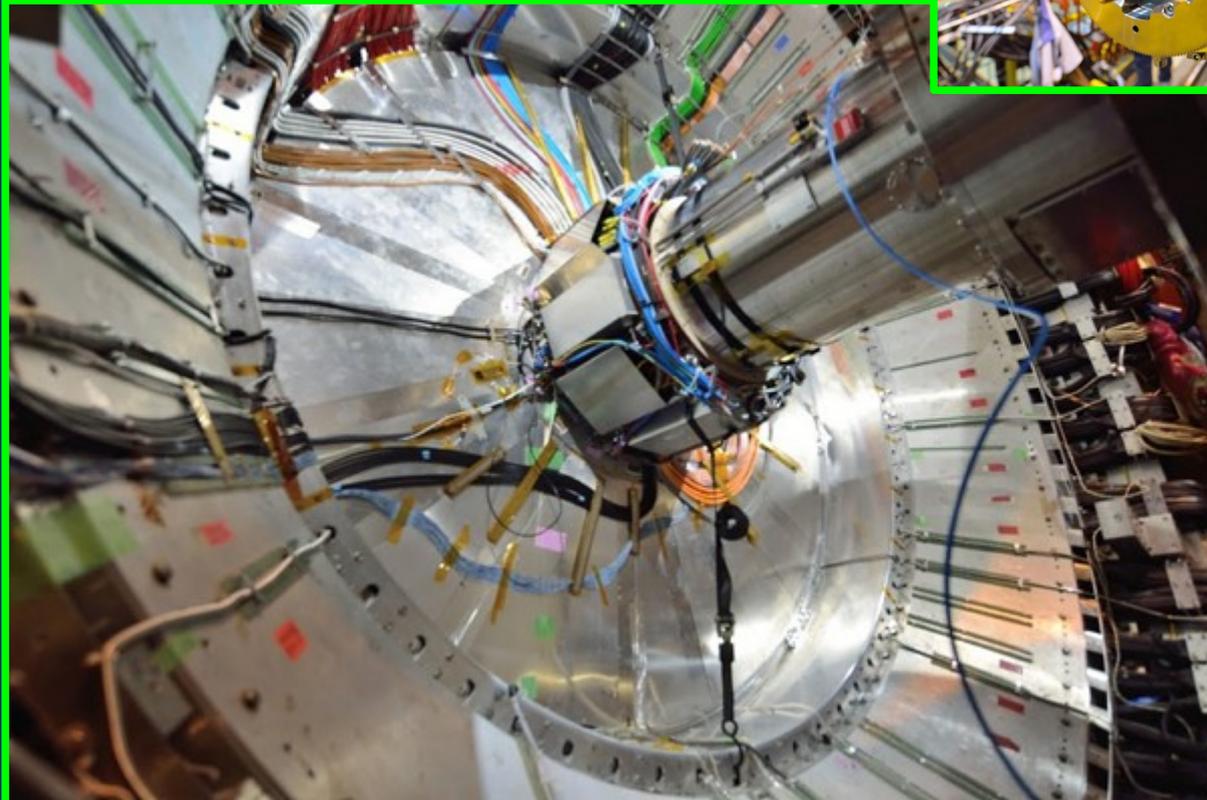
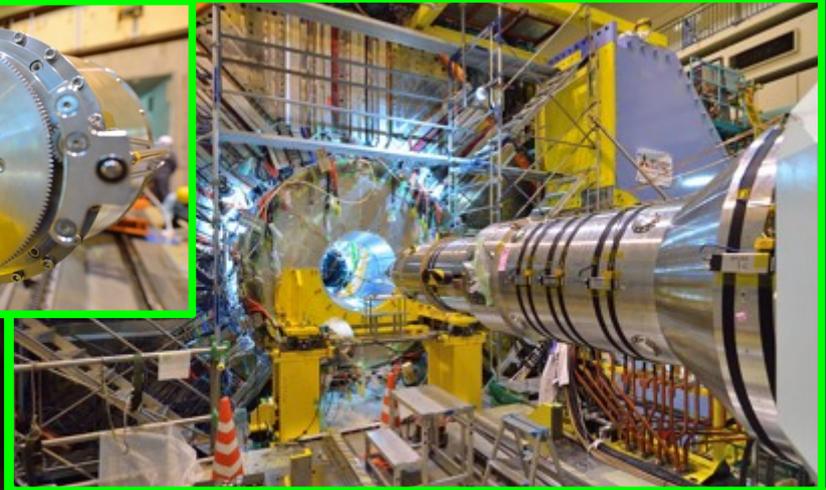


**All  
outer detectors  
are  
in position**



# 2018,0114 QCSL and QCSR integrated into the Belle II IR

**SuperKEKB  
one step forward  
to collision**



# Phase 2 operation

(Feb./Mar. - July 2018)

Beast2 detectors

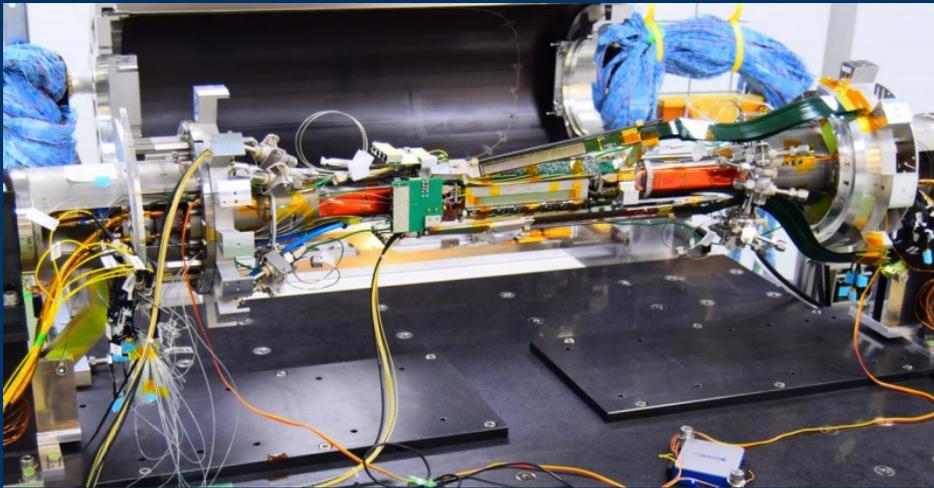
Belle II VXD prototype

Belle II outer detectors

reach  $L \geq 10^{34}/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$

beam collisions (expecting  $20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

sensor	number	location	unique measurement
Belle II PXD	2 ladders	VXD	in-situ occupancy, full Belle II tracking, <u>vertexing</u>
Belle II SVD	4 ladders	VXD	
diamond sensors	8 diamonds	VXD	ionizing dose in VXD → BEAM abort
FANGS "LHC style" silicon pixel sensors	3 arms 15 chips	VXD	MIPs & x-rays > 10 keV @ 40 MHz → <b>Synchrotron x-ray spectrum</b>
CLAWS Scintillators w/ <u>SiPMTs</u>	2 ladders	VXD	X-rays or track counting w/ 1-ns timing → <b>injection background</b>
PLUME "ILC style" silicon pixels sensor	2 ladders	VXD	Two-sided silicon pixels → <b>tracklets w/ pointing</b>
Micro-TPC nuclear recoil detectors	8	VXD dock	<b>fast neutrons</b> : rate, directional & spectral information
He-3 tube neutron detectors	4	VXD dock	<b>thermal neutrons</b> : rate
Scintillators	40+40	around QCS	X-ray and total loss distribution versus position, → <b>collimator adjustment</b>
PIN diodes		around QCS	amount of beam background around QCS → <b>collimator adjustment</b>
FPGA	2	beam pipe	
LYSO-ECL	4+4	ECL	



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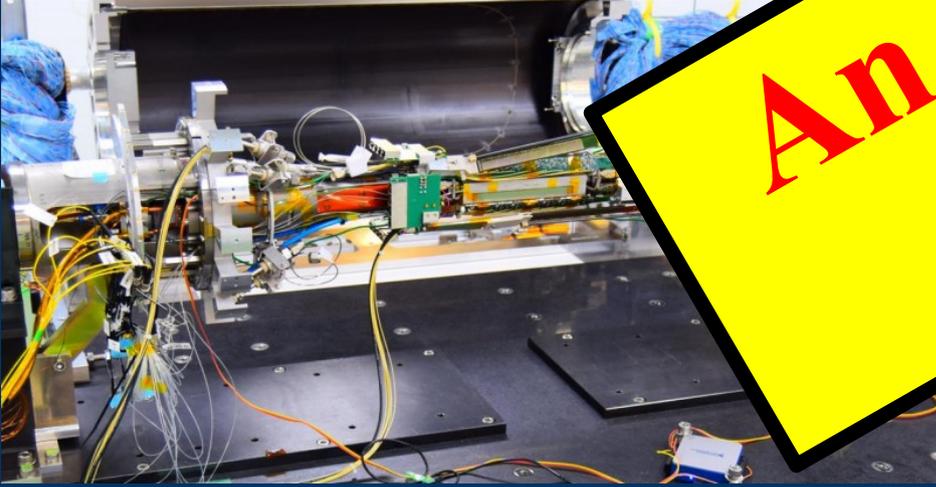
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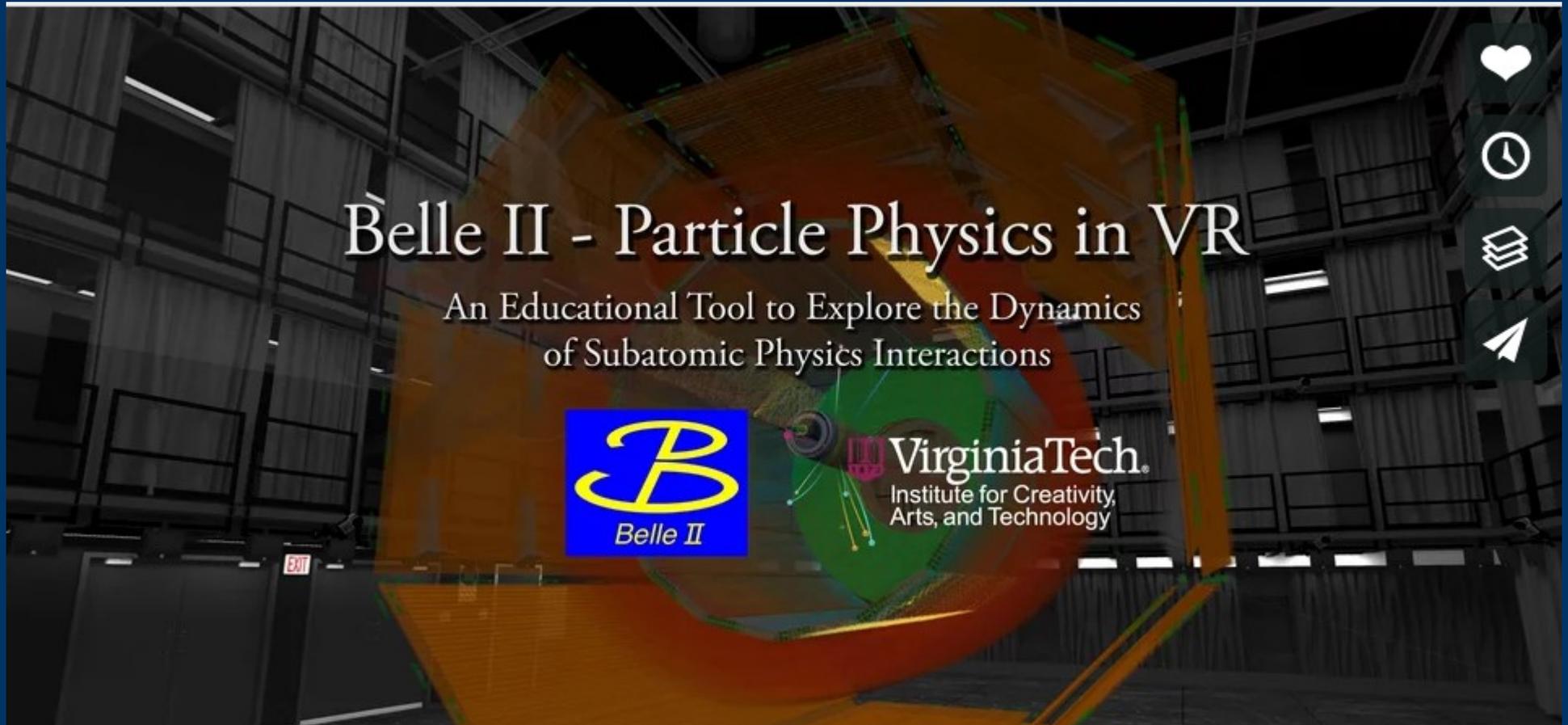
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FANGS "LHC style" silicon pixel sensors	3	VXD	10 MHz → 100 μm
CLAW Scintillating fiber			10 ns w/ 1-ns background
			red silicon pixels → tracklets w/ pointing
		dock	fast neutrons: rate, directional & spectral information
		VXD dock	thermal neutrons: rate
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PIN diodes		around QCS	amount of beam background around QCS → collimator adjustment
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LYSO-ECL	4+4	ECL	

**An exciting year for Belle II**



Belle II VR by Virginia Tech group (led by Prof. Leo Piilonen)  
<https://vimeo.com/214899668>

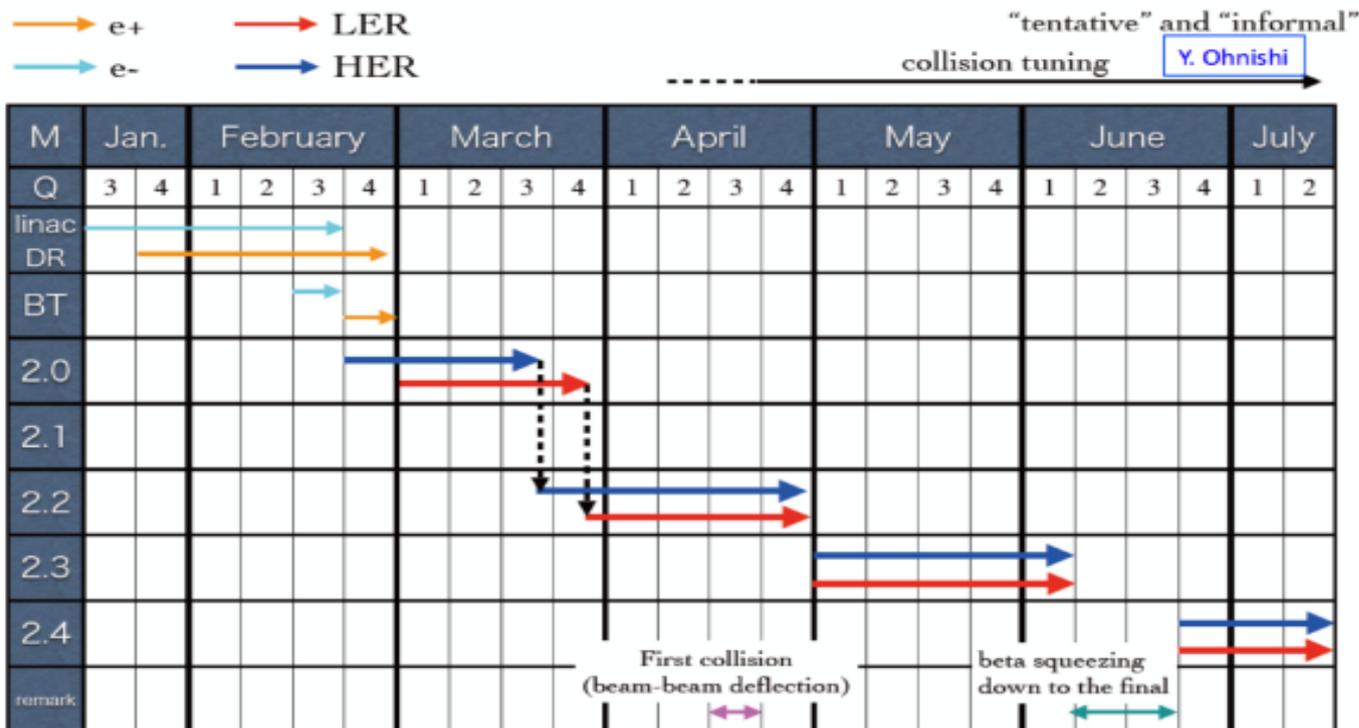


# Summary

- The SuperKEKB + Belle II will be ready for commissioning soon
  - 40x higher instantaneous lumi.
  - 50  $\text{ab}^{-1}$  data statistics.
  - Belle  $\rightarrow$  Belle II
- SuperKEKB first beam circulations in 2016
  - Belle II roll-in in April 2017
  - prepare 1st collision in the coming months (2018)
- Physics commissioning with full Belle II in early 2019.
  - precision measurements of CKM
  - B, charm and  $\tau$  physics
  - exotics states, dark sector, ALP, light Higgs, ....
- A new era to explore new physics in intensity frontier; friendly competition and complementarity with other experiments.

# BACKUP

~20 fb<sup>-1</sup>, could be more. Our job to prepare for publications with 2018 data.



BT: tuning of the beam transport lines

K. AKAI, MR and DR status and schedule, Oct. 9, 2017 @B2GM

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Y. Ohnishi, June B2GM

	Phase 2.2 (8x8)	Phase 2.3 (4x8)	Phase 2.4 (4x4)
L [cm <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> ]	1 x 10 <sup>34</sup> (tentative target)	2 x 10 <sup>34</sup>	4 x 10 <sup>34</sup>

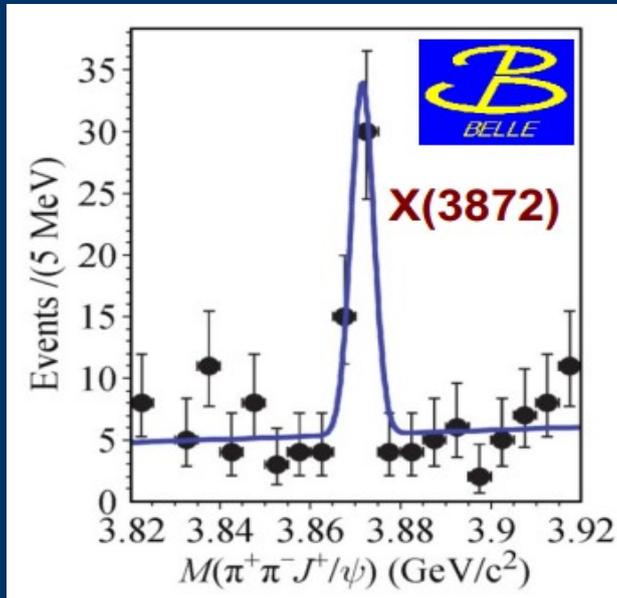


# Required injector beam parameters

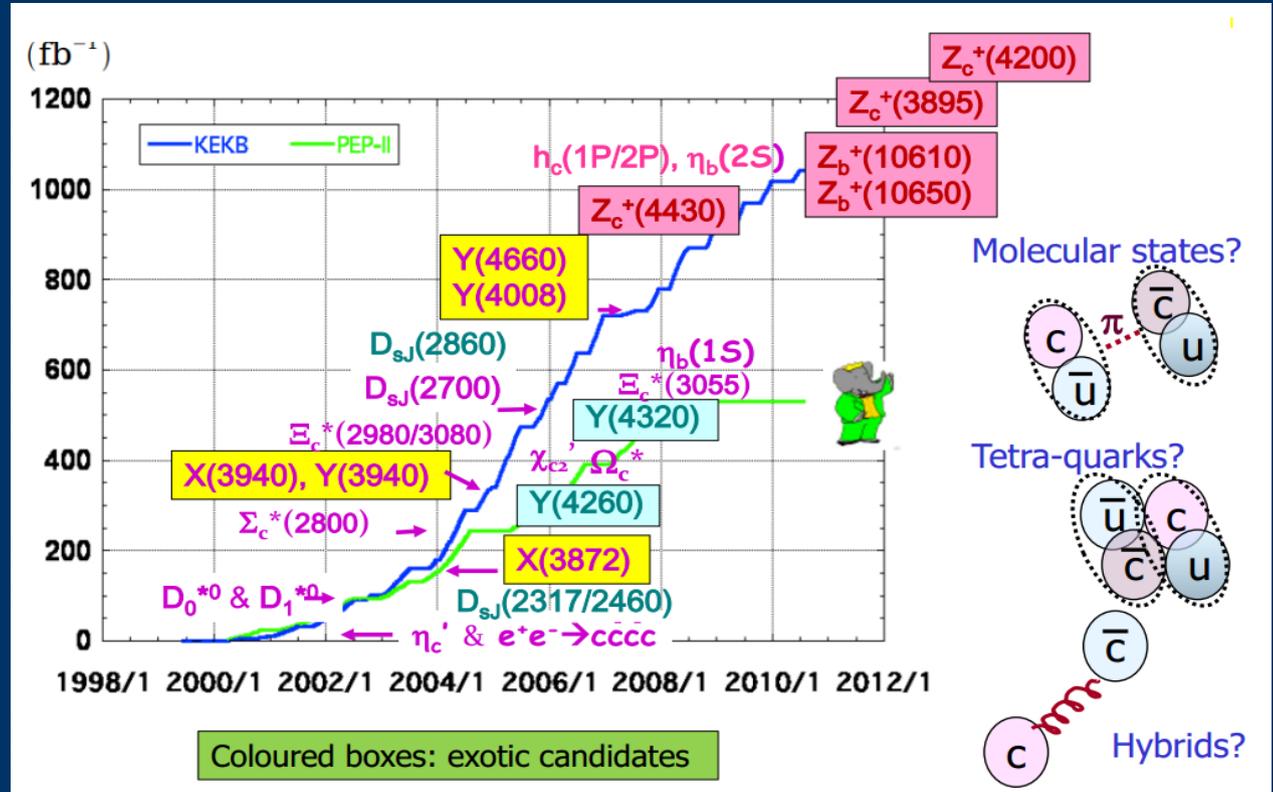
Stage	KEKB (final)		Phase-I		Phase-II		SuperKEKB (final)	
	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-
Beam	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-
Energy	3.5 GeV	8.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV
Stored current	1.6 A	1.1 A	1 A	1 A	–	–	3.6 A	2.6 A
Life time (min.)	150	200	100	100	–	–	6	6
Bunch charge (nC)	primary e- 10 → 1	1	primary e- 8 → 0.4	1	0.5	1	primary e- 10 → <u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
Norm. Emittance ( $\gamma\beta\epsilon$ ) ( $\mu\text{rad}$ )	1400	310	1000	130	200/40 (Hor./Ver.)	150	<u>100/15</u> (Hor./Ver.)	<u>40/20</u> (Hor./Ver.)
Energy spread	0.125%	0.125%	0.5%	0.5%	0.16%	0.1%	<u>0.16%</u>	<u>0.07%</u>
Bunch / Pulse	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Repetition rate	50 Hz		25 / 50 Hz		25 / 50 Hz		50 Hz	
Simultaneous top-up injection (PPM)	3 rings (LER, HER, PF)		No top-up		Eventually		<u>4+1 rings</u> (LER, HER, DR, PF, PF-AR)	

# Belle II physics prospect – hadron spectroscopy

Many new states are observed, which do not fit in the traditional quark model. More are expected in Belle II, opening a door for exotic state studies.



First exotic state observed.  
[PRL 91, 262001 (2003)]



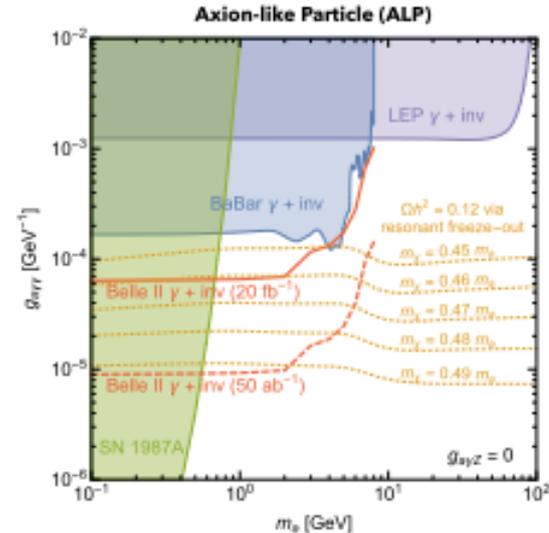
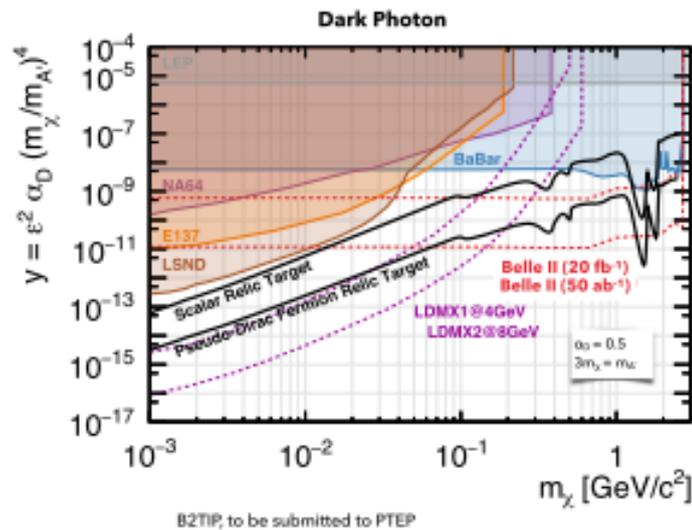
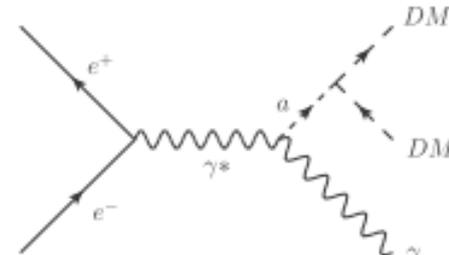
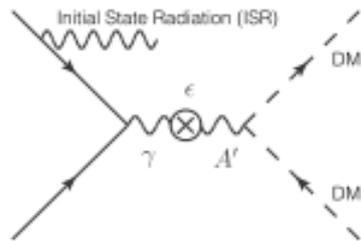
Coloured boxes: exotic candidates

54th International Winter Meeting on Nuclear Physics, Peter Krizan



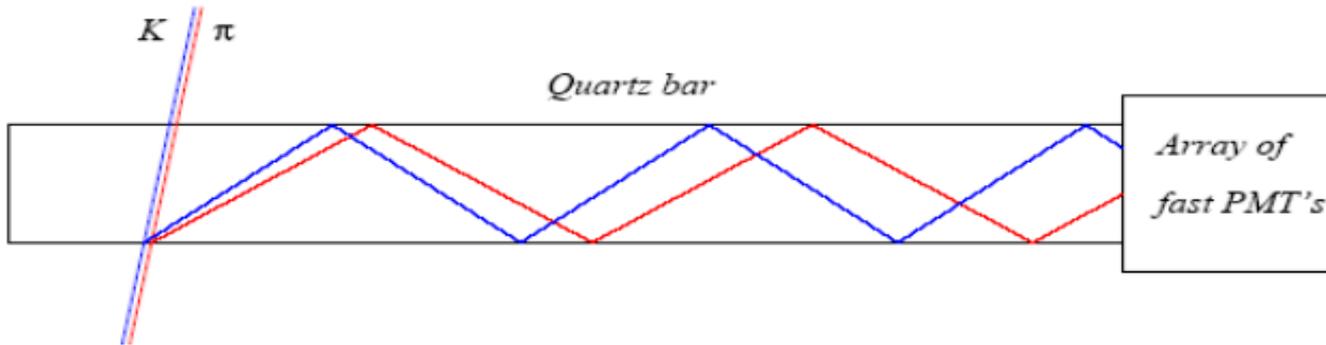
# Single photons $ee \rightarrow \gamma A'$ (and $a'$ ): Sensitivity

T. Ferber

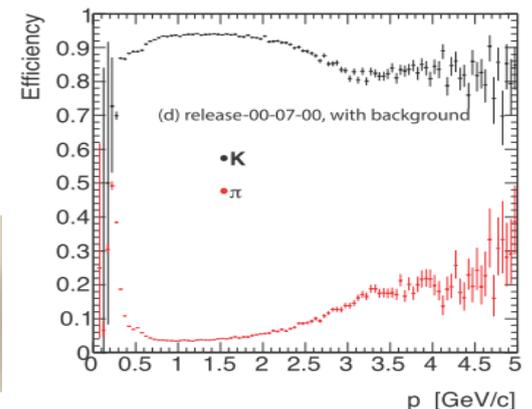
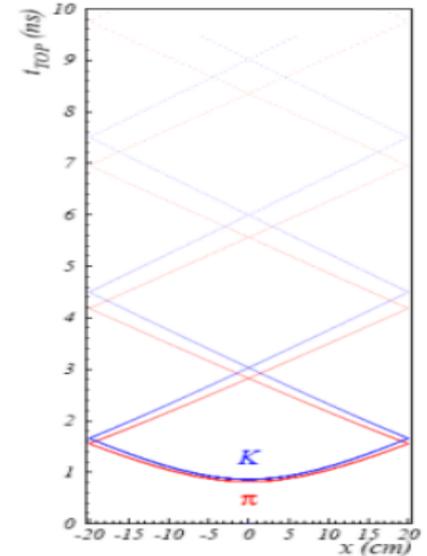
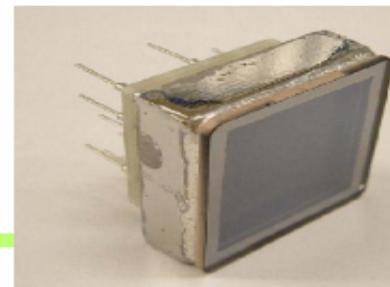


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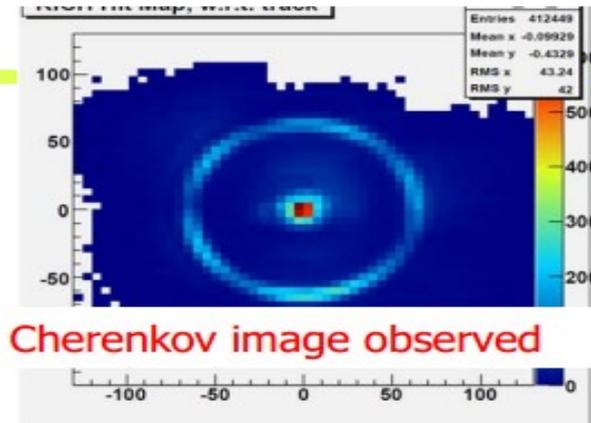
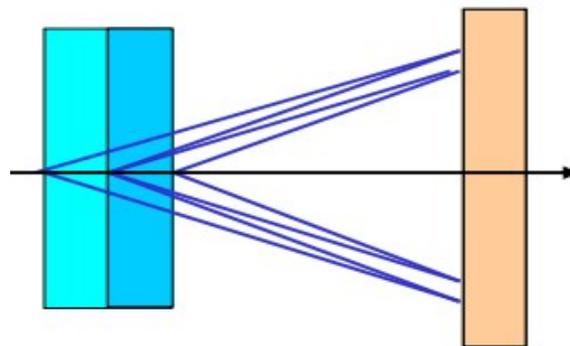
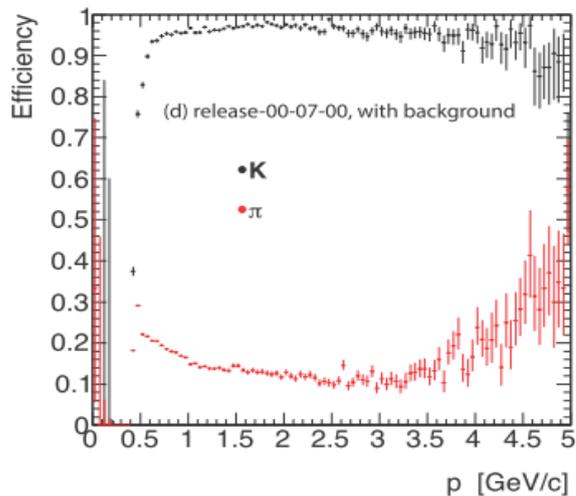
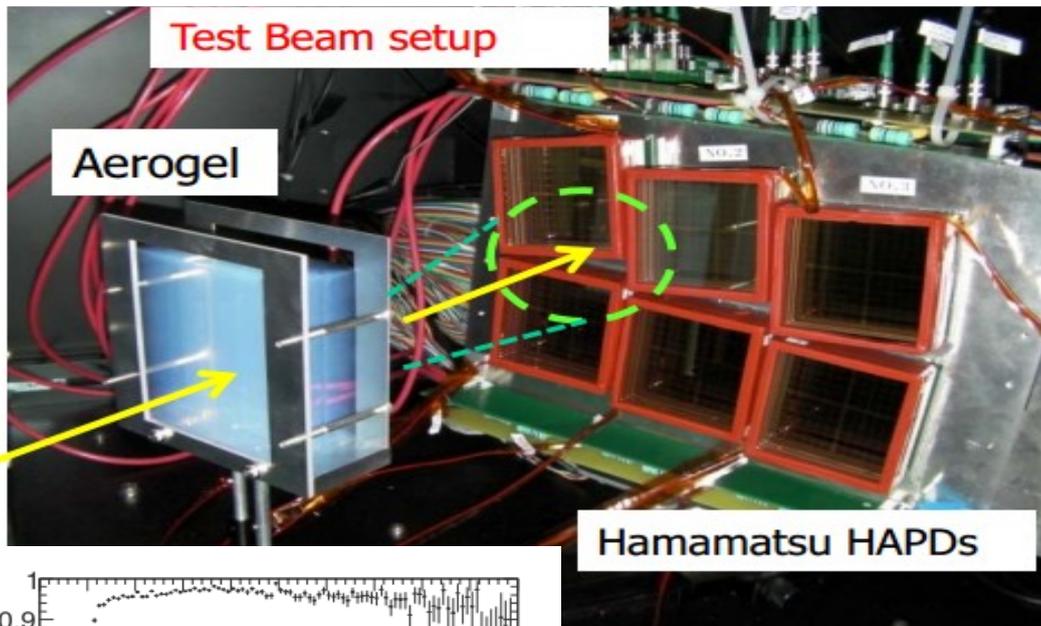
# Barrel PID: TOP (Time Of Propagation)



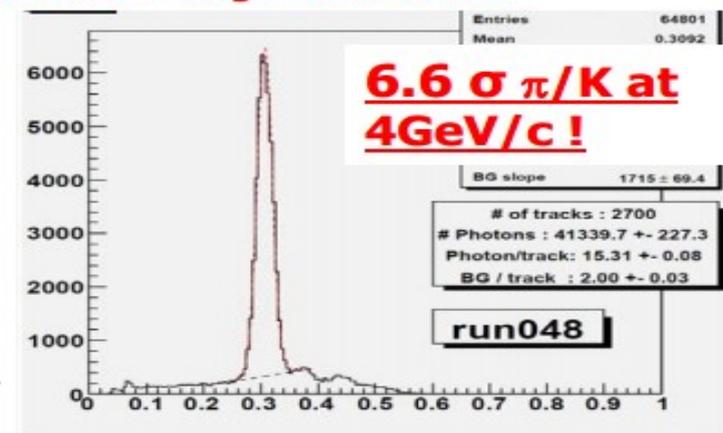
- Cherenkov ring imaging with precise time measurement.
- Uses internal reflection of Cherenkov ring images from quartz
- Reconstruct Cherenkov angle from two hit coordinates and the time of propagation of the photon
  - Quartz radiator (2cm thick)
  - Photon detector (MCP-PMT)
    - Excellent time resolution  $\sim 40$  ps
    - Single photon sensitivity in 1.5



# EndCap PID: ARICH ( $K/\pi$ separation)



Cherenkov angle distribution



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