

# Electroweak and radiative penguin $B$ meson decays at Belle and Belle II

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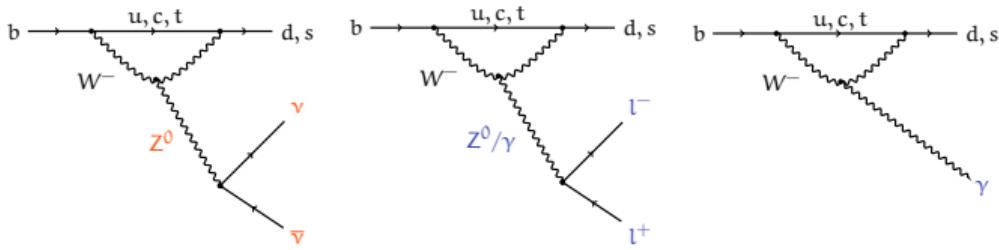
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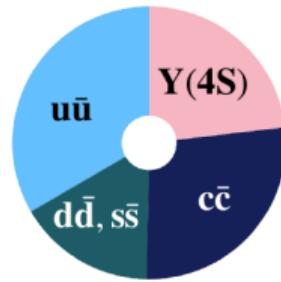
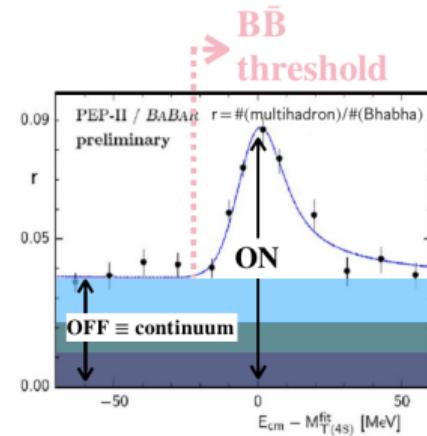
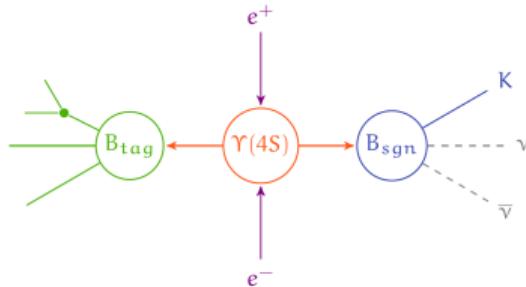
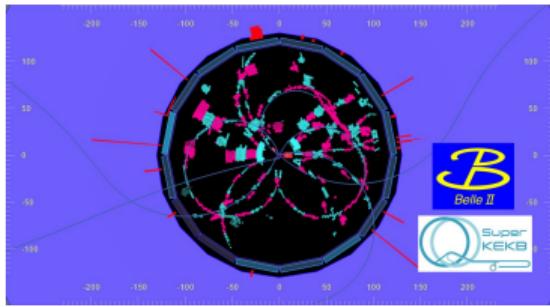
# Electroweak and radiative penguin $B$ decays

- Flavour changing neutral currents present only at loop level in the Standard Model
- Formidable place to look for New Physics that could interfere with radiative and electroweak penguin loops



# Advantages of an $e^+ e^-$ flavour factory

- Known initial kinematics and good hermeticity
  - possible to fully reconstruct events with invisible particles
- Clean environment (average 11 tracks per event)
  - efficient detection of neutrals ( $\gamma, \pi^0, \eta, \dots$ )
- Run at the  $\Upsilon(4S)$  mass just above  $B\bar{B}$  threshold
  - Relatively low background
  - Data off-resonance provide control sample without  $B\bar{B}$

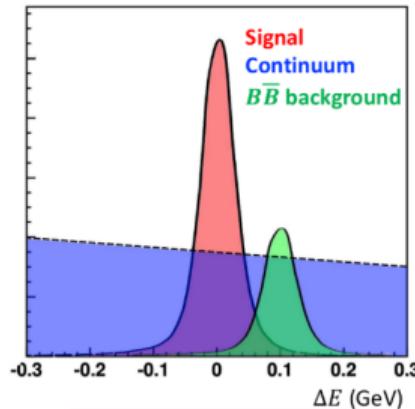


Hadronic cross-section  
 $\text{@ } \sqrt{s} = 10.58 \text{ GeV}$

# Tools at an $e^+ e^-$ flavour factory

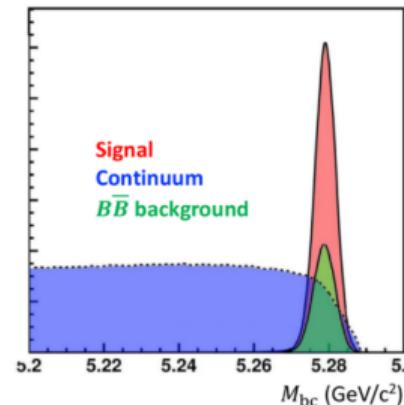
- Optimised variables to exploit information on initial kinematics
- Exploit different event shape to separate  $B\bar{B}$  from continuum background

$$\Delta E = E_B^* - \sqrt{s}/2$$

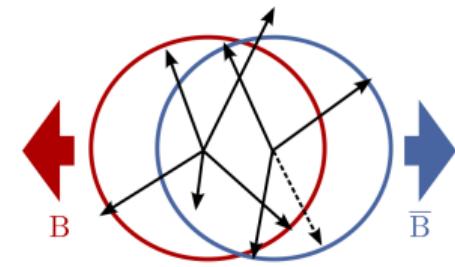


Expected  $\Delta E \simeq 0$

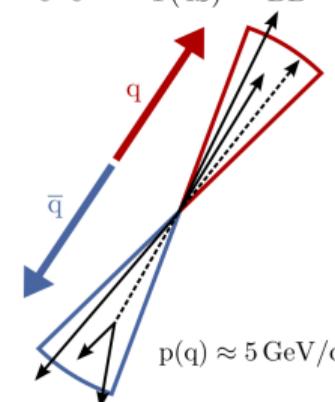
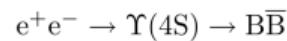
$$M_{bc} = \sqrt{(\sqrt{s}/2)^2 - |\vec{p}_B^*|^2}$$



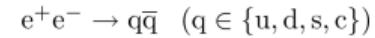
Expected  $M_{bc} \simeq m_B$



$p(B) \approx 0.3 \text{ GeV}/c$

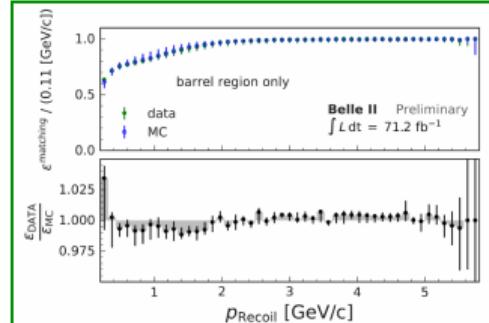
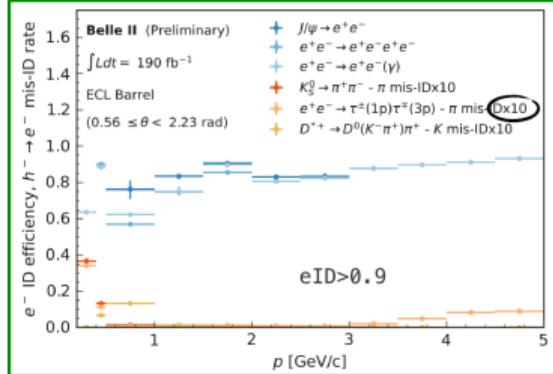
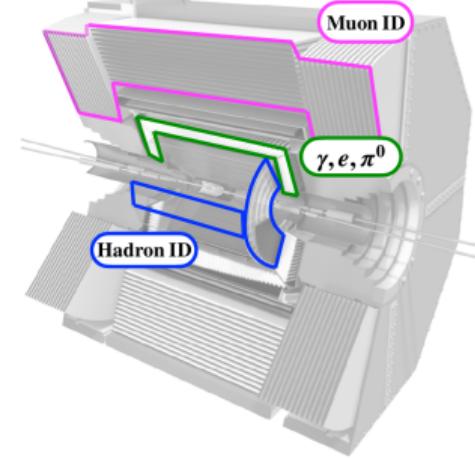
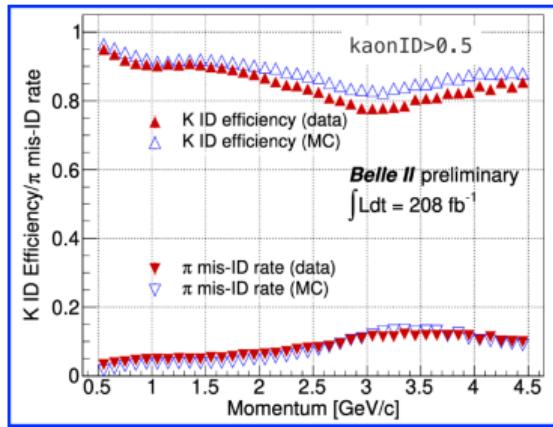
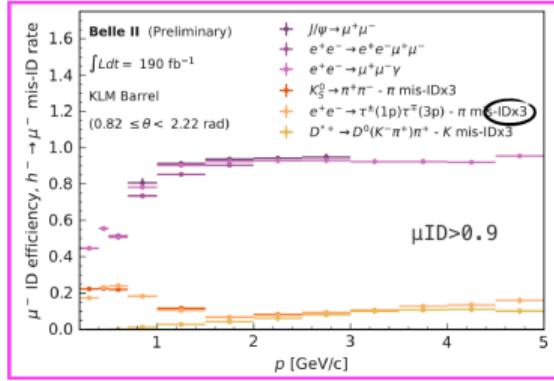


$p(q) \approx 5 \text{ GeV}/c$



# Key Belle II performance

- Good kaon identification in full momentum range
  - $\epsilon(K) \sim 90\%, \pi \rightarrow K \sim 6\%$
- High photon efficiency
  - $\epsilon(\gamma) \sim 90\% (p > 1.5 \text{ GeV})$
- Good lepton ID performance
  - $\epsilon(\mu) \sim 90\%, \pi \rightarrow \mu \sim 7\%$
  - $\epsilon(e) \sim 86\%, \pi \rightarrow e \sim 0.4\%$



# New results since last Moriond QCD

- First evidence of  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \gamma \bar{\nu}$
- Search for rare  $b \rightarrow ll$  decays
- $\mathcal{B}, A_{CP}$  and  $\Delta_{+0}$  of  $B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$  (New for Moriond '24)
- $\mathcal{B}, A_{CP}$  and  $A_I$  of  $B \rightarrow \rho \gamma$
- Search for  $B^0 \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$  (New for Moriond '24)

## Datasets

	on-resonance	off-resonance
 BELLE	711 fb <sup>-1</sup>	90 fb <sup>-1</sup>
 Belle II	362 fb <sup>-1</sup>	42 fb <sup>-1</sup>





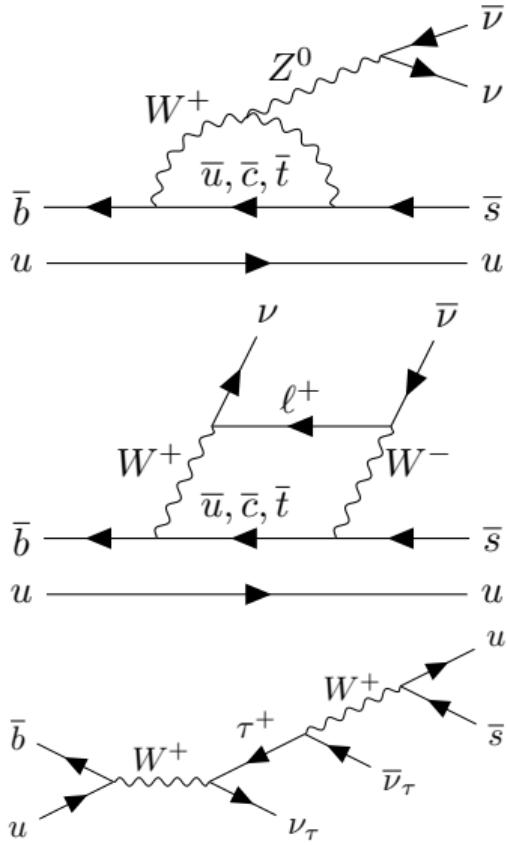
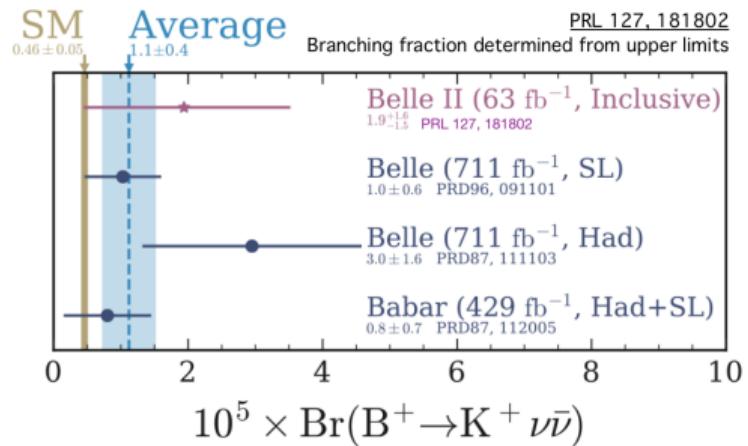
$$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$$

[arXiv:2311.14647 to appear in PRD]

# Evidence for $B^+ \rightarrow K^+\nu\bar{\nu}$ : motivations

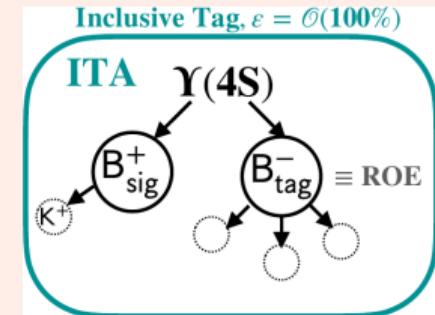
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- $B^+ \rightarrow K^+\nu\bar{\nu}$  known with high accuracy in the SM
  - Clean SM computation (no charm loop contributions)
  - $\mathcal{B}_{SM} = (5.58 \pm 0.37) \times 10^{-6}$  [Parrott, Bouchard, Davies '23]
  - New physics could increase significantly the rate
  - Possible to recast to look for  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ X_{dark}$
- Very challenging experimentally, not yet observed
  - Low  $\mathcal{B}$ , high background contributions
  - 3-body kinematics, no good variable to fit



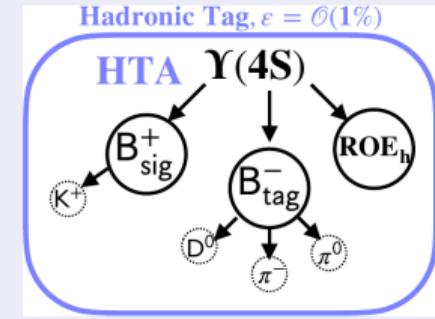
## Inclusive tagged analysis (ITA): approach leading to the final sensitivity

- Select first signal kaon that minimises  $q_{\text{rec}}^2$  (computed as  $K^+$  recoil)
- Two consecutive MVA classifiers
- Total efficiency  $\sim 8\%$ , purity  $\sim 0.8\%$
- Binned fit to  $q_{\text{rec}}^2$  and output MVA classifier simultaneously for on and off resonance

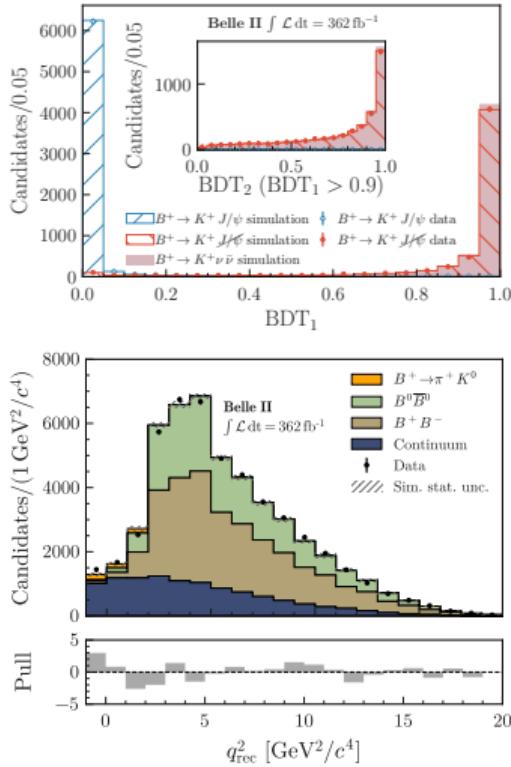


## Hadronically tagged analysis (HTA): Less sensitive but well-established

- Select first tag  $B$  decaying hadronically
- One MVA classifier to reject background
- Total efficiency  $\sim 0.4\%$ , purity  $\sim 3.5\%$
- Fit output MVA classifier

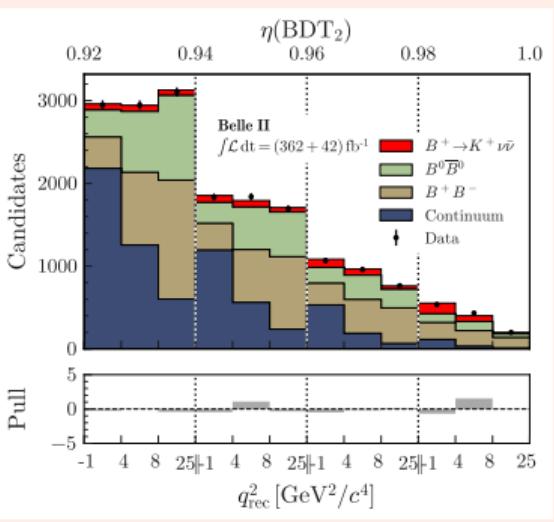


- Analysis relies on simulation for background suppression and background templates for the fit
  - Simulation is validated via several control channels on data
- Signal validation
  - Total efficiency with  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$ , removing  $J/\psi$  and correcting the kaon kinematics to match the signal
  - Kaon ID selection validated with  $B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 (\rightarrow K^+\pi^-)K^+$
- Background validation
  - Off-resonance data to correct for data/MC differences in normalisation and shape
  - Size of  $B \rightarrow X_c(K_L^0 X)$  corrected using pion-enriched sideband
  - Modelling of  $K_L^0$  detection efficiency in the calorimeter corrected using  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\phi (\rightarrow K_S^0 K_L^0)$
  - Cross check  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ K_S^0 K_L^0$  to validate  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ K_L^0 K_L^0$
- Closure test measuring  $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ K^0) = (2.5 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-5}$ 
  - compatible with PDG  $(2.38 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{-5}$



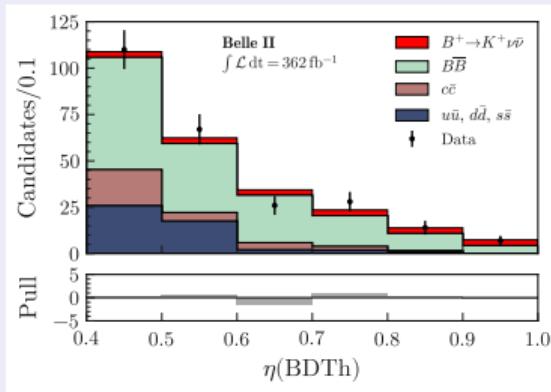
## ITA

- $\mathcal{B} = (2.7 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-5}$
- $3.5\sigma$  significance
- $2.9\sigma$  deviation from SM



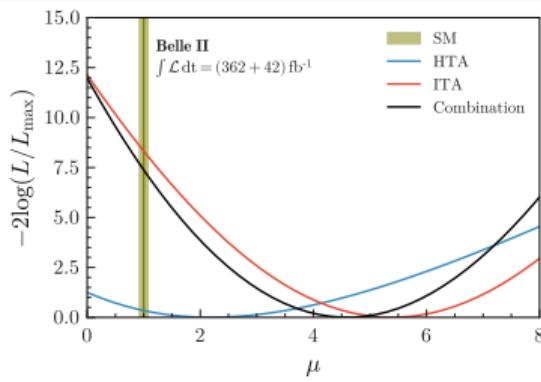
## HTA

- $\mathcal{B} = (1.1^{+0.9+0.8}_{-0.8-0.5}) \times 10^{-5}$
- $1.1\sigma$  significance
- $0.6\sigma$  deviation from SM



## Combination

- $1.2\sigma$  agreement between ITA and HTA, 2% common events
- $\mathcal{B} = (2.3 \pm 0.5^{+0.5}_{-0.5}) \times 10^{-5}$
- $3.5\sigma$  significance
- $2.7\sigma$  deviation from SM





Rare  $b \rightarrow d l l$

# Rare $b \rightarrow dll$ : motivation

## $b \rightarrow dll$ transitions

- FCNC sensitive to new physics complementary to  $b \rightarrow sll$
- Extra CKM suppression  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|^2 \sim 0.04$  wrt  $b \rightarrow sll$
- Typical  $\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{O}(10^{-8})$  or smaller
- Probe lepton flavour universality

Channel	UL or BR	Collaboration
$B^0 \rightarrow \eta ee$	$< 10.8 \times 10^{-8}$	BaBar
$B^0 \rightarrow \eta \mu\mu$	$< 11.2 \times 10^{-8}$	BaBar
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$	$< 8.4 \times 10^{-8}$	BaBar
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu$	$< 6.9 \times 10^{-8}$	BaBar
$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ ee$	$< 8.0 \times 10^{-8}$	Belle
$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu\mu$	$(1.78 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.03) \times 10^{-8}$	LHCb
$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \mu\mu$	$(1.98 \pm 0.53) \times 10^{-8}$	LHCb

BaBar: [\[Phys.Rev.D 88 \(2013\) 3, 032012\]](#)

Belle: [\[Phys.Rev.D 78 \(2008\) 011101\]](#)

LHCb: [\[JHEP 10 \(2015\) 034, Phys.Lett.B 743 \(2015\) 46\]](#)

## Goal

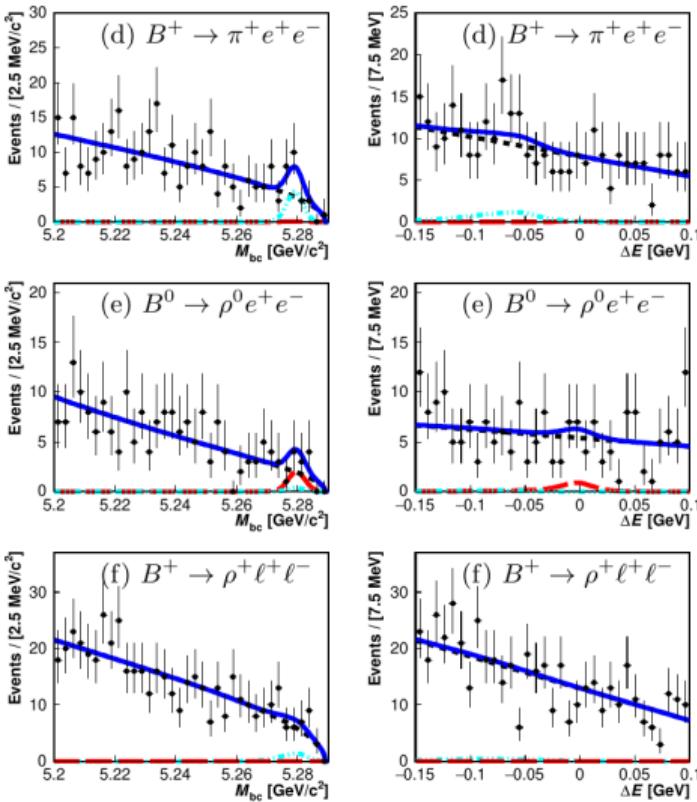
Look for all the  $B^{\pm,0} \rightarrow (\eta, \omega, \pi^{\pm,0}, \rho^{\pm,0}) ll$  decays (except  $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu\mu$  and  $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \mu\mu$  already seen by LHCb)

# Rare $b \rightarrow d\ell\ell$ : analysis strategy

- Reconstruct 12 decay chains

$$B \rightarrow \{\pi, \rho, \eta, \omega\} \ell\ell \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho^{+,0} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^{0,-} \\ \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \\ \omega \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \end{array} \right.$$

- MVA classifier against continuum background
- Suppress specific peaking backgrounds
  - Veto around  $J/\psi$  and  $\psi(2S)$  masses
  - Veto 2-misID  $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$  in  $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \ell\ell$
  - $p_{\pi^0} > 1 \text{ GeV}$  and  $p_{\pi^+} > 1 \text{ GeV}$  in  $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \ell\ell$  against 2-photon backgrounds
  - $q_{ee}^2 > 0.045 \text{ GeV}^2$  against photon conversions and  $\pi^0$  Dalitz decays
- 2D fit on  $M_{bc}$  and  $\Delta E$  to extract signal yields
  - Model remaining peaking background (charmless,  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-$ )



# Rare $b \rightarrow dll$ : results

No signal observed, set 90% CL upper limits

channel	$N_{\text{sig}}$	$N_{\text{sig}}^{\text{UL}}$	$\varepsilon$ (%)	$\mathcal{B}^{\text{UL}} (10^{-8})$	$\mathcal{B} (10^{-8})$
$B^0 \rightarrow \eta e^+ e^-$	$0.0^{+1.4}_{-1.0}$	3.1	3.9	$< 10.5$	$0.0^{+4.9}_{-3.4} \pm 0.1$
$B^0 \rightarrow \eta \mu^+ \mu^-$	$0.8^{+1.5}_{-1.1}$	4.2	5.9	$< 9.4$	$1.9^{+3.4}_{-2.5} \pm 0.2$
$B^0 \rightarrow \eta \ell^+ \ell^-$	$0.5^{+1.0}_{-0.8}$	1.8	4.9	$< 4.8$	$1.3^{+2.8}_{-2.2} \pm 0.1$
$B^0 \rightarrow \omega e^+ e^-$	$-0.3^{+3.2}_{-2.5}$	3.7	1.6	$< 30.7$	$-2.1^{+26.5}_{-20.8} \pm 0.2$
$B^0 \rightarrow \omega \mu^+ \mu^-$	$1.7^{+2.3}_{-1.6}$	5.5	2.9	$< 24.9$	$7.7^{+10.8}_{-7.5} \pm 0.6$
$B^0 \rightarrow \omega \ell^+ \ell^-$	$1.0^{+1.8}_{-1.3}$	3.6	2.2	$< 22.0$	$6.4^{+10.7}_{-7.8} \pm 0.5$
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$	$-2.9^{+1.8}_{-1.4}$	4.0	6.7	$< 7.9$	$-5.8^{+3.6}_{-2.8} \pm 0.5$
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$	$-0.5^{+3.6}_{-2.7}$	6.1	13.7	$< 5.9$	$-0.4^{+3.5}_{-2.6} \pm 0.1$
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$	$-1.8^{+1.6}_{-1.1}$	2.9	10.2	$< 3.8$	$-2.3^{+2.1}_{-1.5} \pm 0.2$
$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ e^+ e^-$	$0.1^{+2.5}_{-1.6}$	5.0	11.5	$< 5.4$	$0.1^{+2.7}_{-1.8} \pm 0.1$
$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 e^+ e^-$	$5.6^{+3.5}_{-2.7}$	10.8	3.2	$< 45.5$	$23.6^{+14.6}_{-11.2} \pm 1.1$
$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ e^+ e^-$	$-4.4^{+2.3}_{-2.0}$	5.3	1.4	$< 46.7$	$-38.2^{+24.5}_{-17.2} \pm 3.4$
$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$	$3.0^{+4.0}_{-3.0}$	8.7	2.9	$< 38.1$	$13.0^{+17.5}_{-13.3} \pm 1.1$
$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \ell^+ \ell^-$	$0.4^{+2.3}_{-1.8}$	3.0	2.0	$< 18.9$	$2.5^{+14.6}_{-11.8} \pm 0.2$

- Obtained upper limits in the range  $(3.8 - 47) \times 10^{-8}$
- Best upper limit for all searched decay modes
- $B^0 \rightarrow \omega ll$ , and  $B^{\pm,0} \rightarrow \rho^{\pm,0} ll$  searched for the first time


$$B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$$

New for Moriond '24

- Flavour changing neutral current decays sensitive to new physics
- CP ( $A_{CP}$ ) and isospin ( $\Delta_{+0}$ ) asymmetries are theoretically clean thanks to form factor cancellations
- Latest Belle measurement found evidence of isospin asymmetry at  $3.1\sigma$  [Phys. Rev. Lett. 119, 191802 (2017)]

$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K}^*\gamma) - \Gamma(B \rightarrow K^*\gamma)}{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K}^*\gamma) + \Gamma(B \rightarrow K^*\gamma)}$$

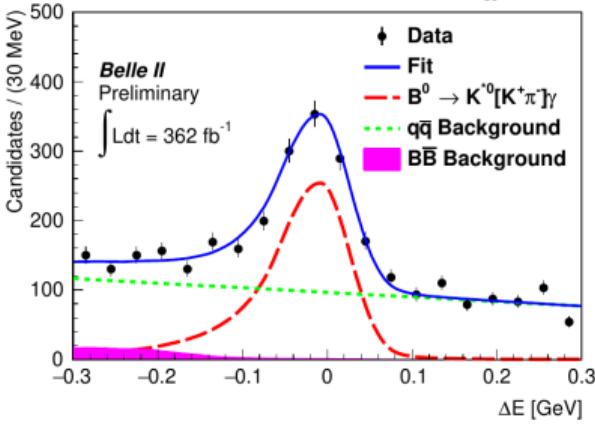
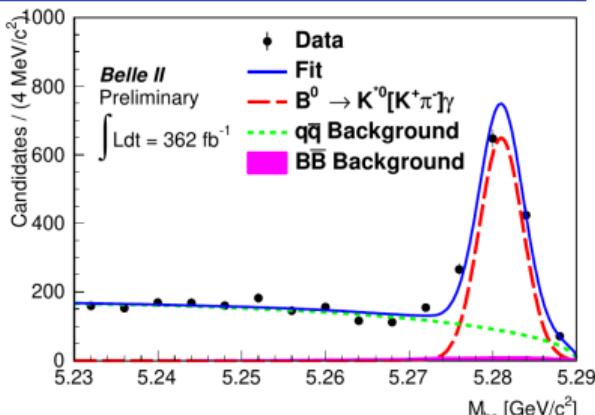
$$\Delta_{+0} = \frac{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma) - \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma)}{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma)}$$

## Goal

Using the  $362 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  Belle II run 1 dataset

- Measure  $\mathcal{B}(B^{\pm,0} \rightarrow K^{*\pm,0}\gamma)$  with  $K^* \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ ,  $K_s^0\pi^0$ ,  $K^+\pi^0$  and  $K_s^0\pi^+$
- Measure  $\Delta_{+0}$  and  $A_{CP}$  for all modes except  $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}(\rightarrow K_s^0\pi^0)\gamma$

- Reconstruct 4  $K^*$  modes:  $K^+\pi^-$ ,  $K_s^0\pi^0$ ,  $K^+\pi^0$  and  $K_s^0\pi^+$
- 2 MVA classifiers to reject
  - photons from asymmetric  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  and  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  decays
  - continuum events
- 2D  $M_{bc}$ - $\Delta E$  fit to extract
  - Simultaneously yields of  $B$  and anti- $B$  for self-tagged modes for  $A_{CP}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$
  - Yield of  $B \rightarrow K^{*0}(\rightarrow K_s^0\pi^0)\gamma$  for  $\mathcal{B}$



- Consistent with World average and SM
- Similar sensitivity as Belle despite smaller sample (thanks mainly to improved  $\Delta E$  resolution,  $K_s^0$  efficiency and continuum suppression)
- Asymmetries statistically limited

$$\mathcal{B}[B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma] = (4.16 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-5},$$

$$\mathcal{B}[B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma] = (4.04 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{-5},$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{CP}[B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma] = (-3.2 \pm 2.4 \pm 0.4)\%,$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{CP}[B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\gamma] = (-1.0 \pm 3.0 \pm 0.6)\%,$$

$$\Delta\mathcal{A}_{CP} = (2.2 \pm 3.8 \pm 0.7)\%, \text{ and}$$

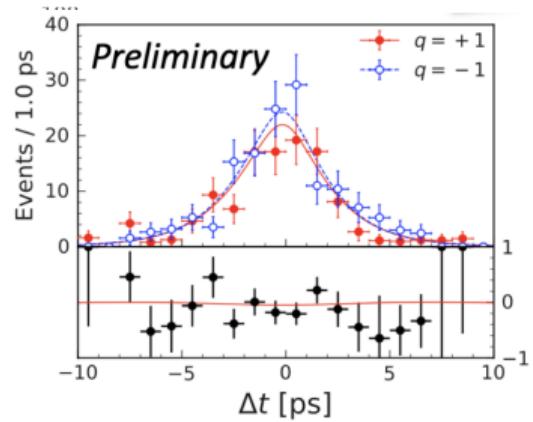
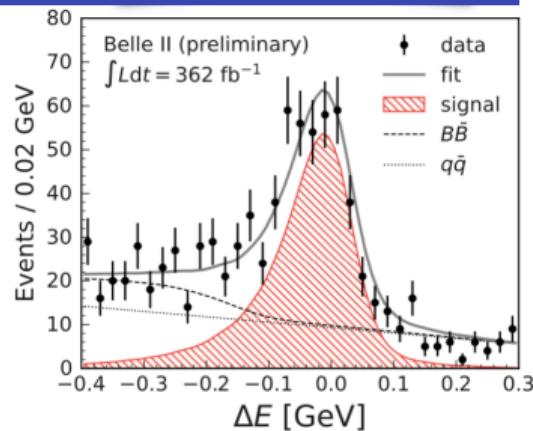
$$\Delta_{0+} = (5.1 \pm 2.0 \pm 1.5)\%,$$

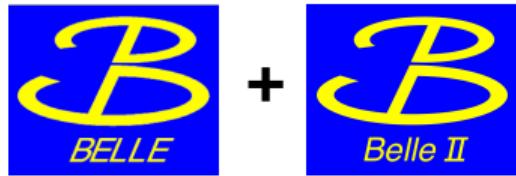
# $B^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^0 \gamma$

- Goal: Measure time-dependent CPV in two regions
  - resonant:  $K^*(892)\gamma$   $m_{K\pi} \in [0.8, 1]$  GeV
  - non resonant:  $K_s^0 \pi^0 \gamma$   $m_{K\pi} \in [0.6, 0.8] \cup [1, 1.8]$  GeV
- Expect almost no CPV in SM as photons from  $B^0$  ( $\bar{B}^0$ ) are predominantly right-handed (left-handed) (Flipping photon polarisation suppressed by  $m_s/m_b$ )
- Strategy: fit to  $\Delta E$  and  $M_{bc}$  followed by fit to  $\Delta t$
- World best result thanks to better background suppression, vertexing and  $K_s^0$  acceptance

resonant	non resonant
$S = 0.00^{+0.27+0.03}_{-0.26-0.04}$	$S = 0.04^{+0.45}_{-0.44} \pm 0.10$
$C = 0.10 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.03$	$C = -0.06 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.07$

HFLAV resonant:  $S = -0.16 \pm 0.22$ ,  $C = -0.07 \pm 0.12$





$B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$

# $B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$ : motivation

- SM  $\mathcal{B}$  suppressed by  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}| \simeq 0.04$  with respect to  $B \rightarrow K^*\gamma$
- Previously observed at Belle  
[Phys.Rev.Lett.101:111801,2008] and BaBar  
[Phys.Rev.D78:112001,2008]
- Almost  $2\sigma$  tension between current world average  
 $A_I = (30^{+16\%}_{-13\%})$  and SM  $(5.2 \pm 2.8)\%$  [Lyon, Zwicky '13]

$$A_{CP}(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma) = \frac{\Gamma(\overline{B} \rightarrow \bar{\rho}\gamma) - \Gamma(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma)}{\Gamma(\overline{B} \rightarrow \bar{\rho}\gamma) + \Gamma(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma)}$$

$$A_I = \frac{2\Gamma(\overset{(-)}{B^0} \rightarrow \rho^0\gamma) - \Gamma(B^\pm \rightarrow \rho^\pm\gamma)}{2\Gamma(\overset{(-)}{B^0} \rightarrow \rho^0\gamma) + \Gamma(B^\pm \rightarrow \rho^\pm\gamma)}$$

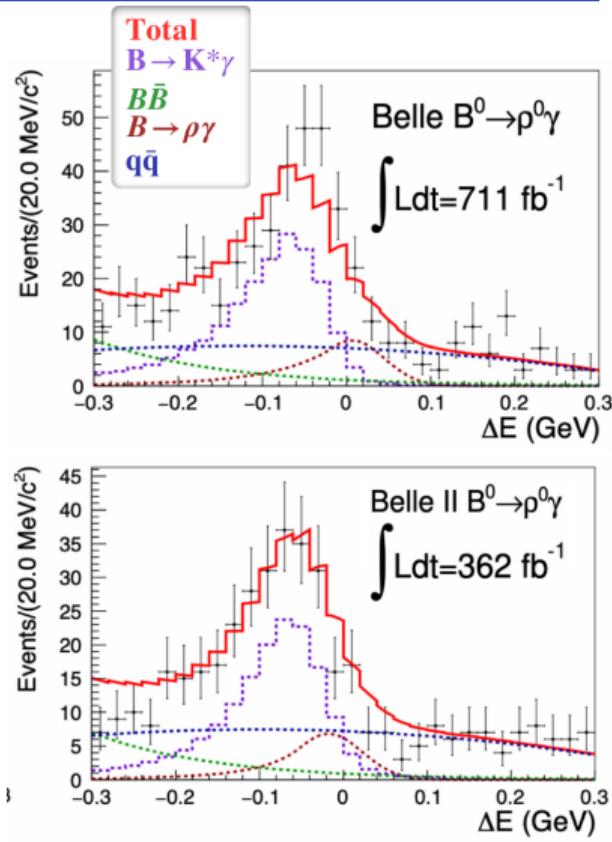
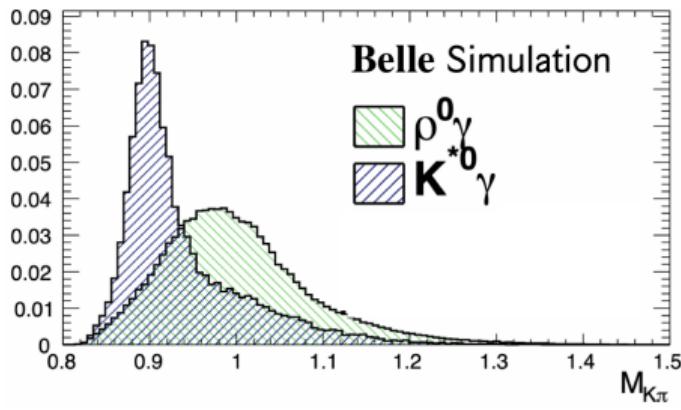
## Goal

Using the  $1.07 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  Belle + Belle II dataset

- Measure  $\mathcal{B}(B^{\pm,0} \rightarrow \rho^{\pm,0}\gamma)$  with  $\rho^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ , and  $\rho^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm\pi^0$
- Measure  $A_{CP}(B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+\gamma)$  and  $A_I(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma)$

# $B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$ : analysis strategy

- 2 MVA classifiers against photons from  $\pi^0/\eta$  and continuum events
- Large background from  $B \rightarrow K^*\gamma$  ( $K \rightarrow \pi$  misID)
- Belle+Belle II simultaneous 3D fit of  $M_{bc}$ ,  $\Delta E$  and  $M_{K\pi}$



## $B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$ : results

- Obtain most precise measurements to date
- Belle II performance similar to Belle despite smaller dataset
- $A_I$  consistent with SM at  $0.6\sigma$

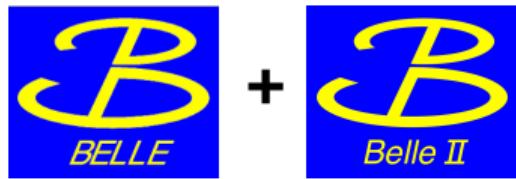
$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \gamma) = (13.1^{+2.0+1.3}_{-1.9-1.2}) \times 10^{-7},$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma) = (7.5 \pm 1.3^{+1.0}_{-0.8}) \times 10^{-7},$$

$$A_{CP}(B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \gamma) = (-8.2 \pm 15.2^{+1.6}_{-1.2}) \%,$$

$$A_I(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma) = (10.9^{+11.2+6.8+3.8}_{-11.7-6.2-3.9}) \%,$$

Third uncertainty on  $A_I$  from  $f_{+-}/f_{00}$  and  $\tau_{B^+}/\tau_{B^0}$

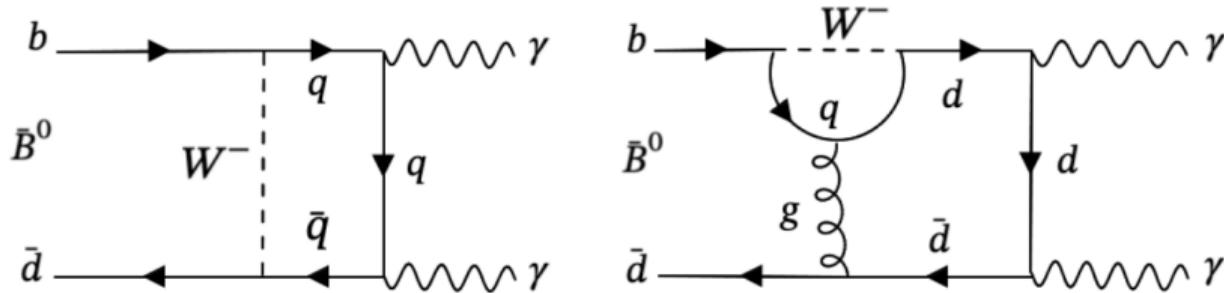


New for Moriond '24

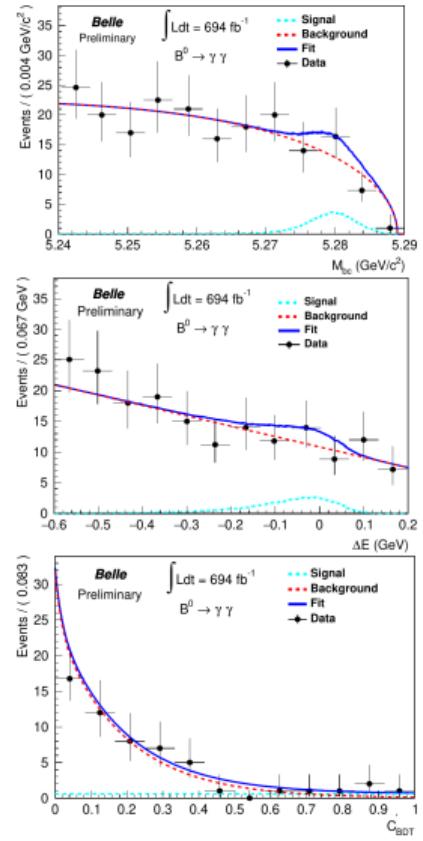
- Flavour changing neutral current decay sensitive to new physics
- Expected  $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) = 1.4_{-0.8}^{+1.4} \times 10^{-8}$   
[Shen, Wang, Wei '20, Qin, Shen, Wang, Wang '23]
  - Significant long distance contribution
- Current best upper limit by BaBar  
 $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) < 3.2 \times 10^{-7}$   
[Phys.Rev.D83:032006,2011]

## Goal

Search for the  $B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  decay using the  $1.07 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  Belle + Belle II dataset



- Combine two high energy photons from the barrel
- 2 MVA classifiers against photons from  $\pi^0/\eta$  and continuum events
- Photon timing cuts to suppress peaking background in  $M_{bc}$  from combinations of back-to-back off-time photons
- Belle+Belle II simultaneous 3D fit on  $M_{bc}$ ,  $\Delta E$  and output MVA classifier
  - Use KDE to model  $M_{bc} - \Delta E$  correlation for signal
- Use  $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}(\rightarrow K^+\pi^-)\gamma$  as control channel to derive data/MC efficiency corrections



- $9.1^{+5.6}_{-4.4}/615 \pm 25$  and  $1.9^{+4.2}_{-2.8}/317 \pm 18$  signal/background events in Belle and Belle II datasets
- Belle II performance similar to Belle despite smaller dataset
- $2.5\sigma$  combined significance
- 90% CL upper limit improved by a factor 5 over BaBar, sensitivity close to SM expected value

	$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$	$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$ (at 90% CL)
Belle	$(5.4^{+3.3}_{-2.6} \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-8}$	$< 9.9 \times 10^{-8}$
Belle II	$(1.7^{+3.7}_{-2.4} \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-8}$	$< 7.4 \times 10^{-8}$
Combined	$(3.7^{+2.2}_{-1.8} \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-8}$	$< 6.4 \times 10^{-8}$

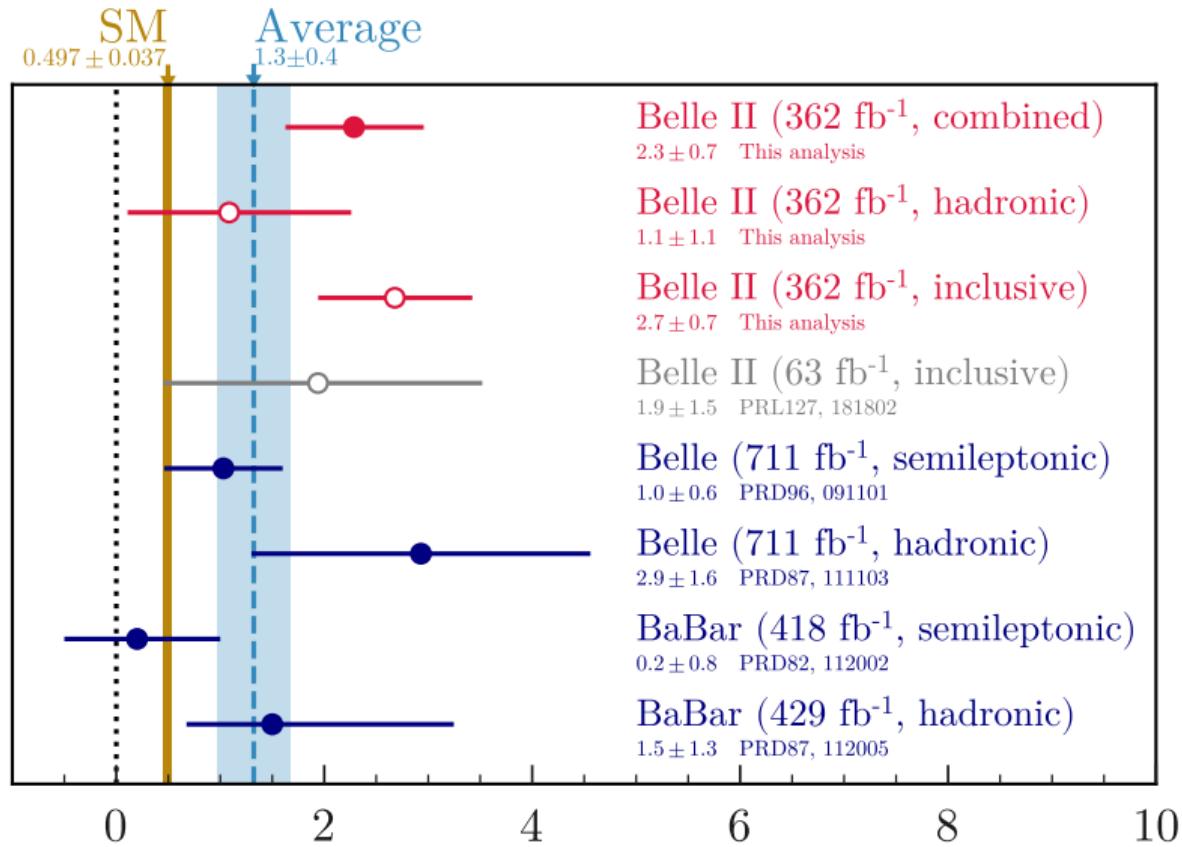
# Conclusion

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- Electroweak and radiative penguin  $B$  decays are promising place to look for New Physics
- Five Belle and Belle II new results since last Moriond
  - First evidence of  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \gamma\bar{\nu}$  with Belle II
  - Best upper limits on rare  $b \rightarrow ll$  decays with Belle
  - New measurements of  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $A_{CP}$  and  $\Delta_{+0}$  of  $B \rightarrow K^*\gamma$  with Belle II
  - Best measurements of  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $A_{CP}$  and  $A_I$  of  $B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$  with Belle+Belle II
  - Best upper limit on  $B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  with Belle+Belle II
- Results statistically limited; Belle II Run 2 data taking just started, stay tuned for updates



**BACKUP**



# $B \rightarrow K^*\gamma$ : systematics

**Table 3.** Systematic uncertainties (%) for branching fraction measurements.

Source	$K^{*0}[K^+\pi^-]\gamma$	$K^{*0}[K_S^0\pi^0]\gamma$	$K^{*+}[K^+\pi^0]\gamma$	$K^{*+}[K_S^0\pi^+]\gamma$
$B$ counting	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
$f^\pm/f^{00}$	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
$\gamma$ selection	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
$\pi^0$ veto	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
$\eta$ veto	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Tracking efficiency	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.7
$\pi^+$ selection	0.2	—	—	0.2
$K^+$ selection	0.4	—	0.4	—
$K_S^0$ reconstruction	—	1.4	—	1.4
$\pi^0$ reconstruction	—	3.9	3.9	—
$\chi^2$ requirement	0.2	1.0	0.2	1.0
CSBDT requirement	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3
Best candidate selection	0.1	1.0	0.6	0.2
Fit bias	0.1	0.9	0.5	0.2
Signal PDF model	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2
KDE PDF model	0.1	0.8	0.6	0.2
Simulation sample size	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.5
Self-crossfeed fraction	—	1.0	1.0	—
Total	2.6	5.4	4.9	3.2

**Table 2.** Systematic uncertainties (%) for  $\mathcal{A}_{CP}$  measurements.

Source	$K^{*0}[K^+\pi^-]\gamma$	$K^{*+}[K^+\pi^0]\gamma$	$K^{*+}[K_S^0\pi^+]\gamma$
Fit bias	0.1	0.2	0.2
Signal PDF model	0.1	0.1	0.1
KDE PDF model	0.1	0.4	0.2
Best candidate selection	0.1	0.5	0.2
$K^+$ asymmetry	—	0.6	—
$\pi^+$ asymmetry	—	—	0.6
$K^+\pi^-$ asymmetry	0.3	—	—
Total	0.4	0.9	0.7

**Table 4.** Correlation matrix for systematic uncertainties in the branching fractions.

	$B^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-\gamma$	$B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^0\gamma$	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+\pi^0\gamma$	$B^+ \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^+\gamma$
$B^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-\gamma$	1	0.4556	0.5047	0.7870
$B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^0\gamma$		1	0.8141	0.5519
$B^+ \rightarrow K^+\pi^0\gamma$			1	0.4034
$B^+ \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^+\gamma$				1

## $B \rightarrow \rho\gamma$ : systematics

Source	$\mathcal{B}_{\rho^+ \gamma} \times 10^8$	$\mathcal{B}_{\rho^0 \gamma} \times 10^8$	$A_I$	$A_{CP}$
Reconstruction	4.1	1.3	1.4%	0.5%
Selection	9.0	3.4	4.0%	0.5%
Fixed PDF	1.1	2.7	1.8%	0.2%
Signal shape	4.7	3.0	3.1%	0.5%
Histogram PDF	1.0	0.6	0.5%	0.1%
$K^*\gamma$ yield	3.4	5.4	3.1%	0.1%
$B\bar{B}$ peaking yield	2.2	0.8	0.9%	0.2%
$B\bar{B}$ peaking $A_{CP}$	0.1	0.0	0.1%	1.0%
Number of $B\bar{B}$ 's	1.7	1.4	0.3%	0.1%
Other parameters	4.0	3.6	3.9%	0.0%
Total	12.5	8.6	7.5%	1.4%

# $B^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ : systematics

TABLE I. Summary of systematic uncertainties on the signal yield.

Source	Belle (events)	Belle II (events)
Fit bias	+0.16	+0.12
PDF parameterization	+0.56 -0.48	+0.30 -0.32
Shape Modeling	+0.06	+0.04
Total (sum in quadrature)	+0.58 -0.48	+0.30 -0.32

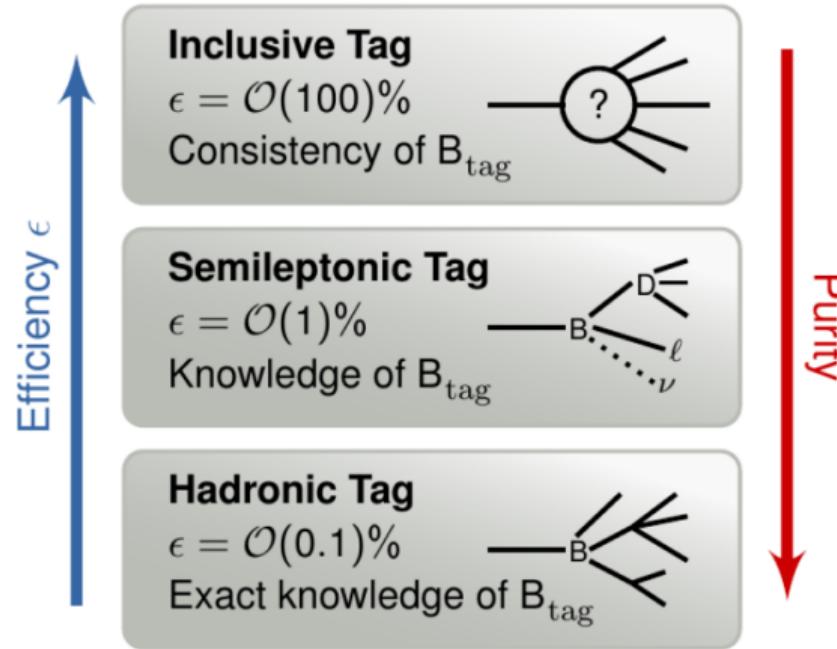
TABLE II. Summary of systematic uncertainties on signal efficiencies.

Source	Belle (%)	Belle II (%)
Photon Detection Efficiency	4.0	2.7
Reconstruction Efficiency ( $\epsilon_{rec}$ )	0.6	0.5
Number of $B\bar{B}$	1.3	1.5
$f^{00}$	2.5	2.5
$C_{BDT}$ requirement	0.4	0.9
$\pi^0/\eta$ veto	0.3	0.4
Timing requirement efficiency	2.8	—
Total (sum in quadrature)	5.7	4.1

# Rare $b \rightarrow ll$ : systematics

source	$\eta ee$	$\eta \mu\mu$	$\omega ee$	$\omega \mu\mu$	$\pi^0 ee$	$\pi^0 \mu\mu$	$\pi^+ ee$	$\rho^0 ee$	$\rho^0 \mu\mu$	$\rho^+ ee$	$\rho^+ \mu\mu$
$\mu$	—	0.6	—	0.6	—	0.6	—	—	0.6	—	0.6
e	0.8	—	0.8	—	0.8	—	0.8	0.8	—	0.8	—
$\pi^+$	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	—	—	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5
$\pi^0$	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	—	—	—	2.3	2.3
$\gamma$	4.0	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
BDT	7.1	6.6	7.1	6.6	7.1	6.6	1.4	1.4	0.8	7.1	6.6
MC	0.48	0.37	0.73	0.53	0.34	0.24	0.24	0.53	0.34	0.80	0.54
track	0.7-1.4	0.7-1.4	1.4	1.4	0.7	0.7	1.05	1.4	1.4	1.05	1.05
PDF	0.04	0.04	0.43	0.07	0.10	0.09	0.50	0.20	0.06	0.34	0.32
$f^{+-/00}$	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45
$N_{B\bar{B}}$	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Total	9.27	8.87	8.25	7.78	8.06	7.60	3.50	3.72	3.47	8.15	7.68

# Tagging strategies



# Cross sections at the $\Upsilon(4S)$

