

Ultimate precision on $|V_{ub}|$ from semileptonic and leptonic decays

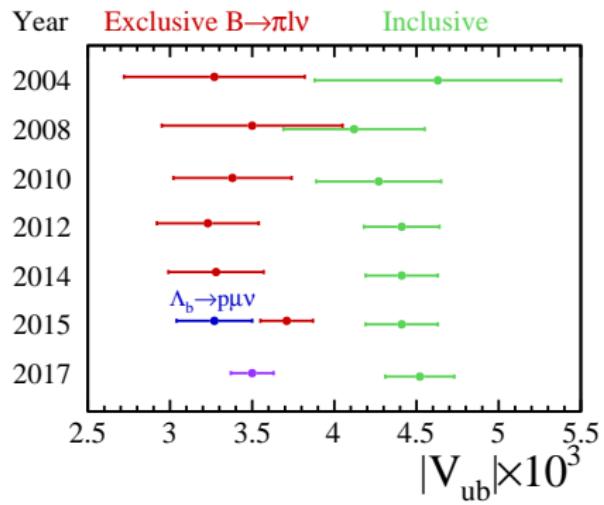
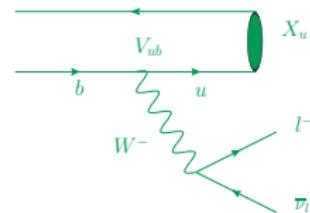
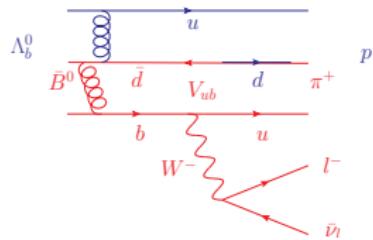
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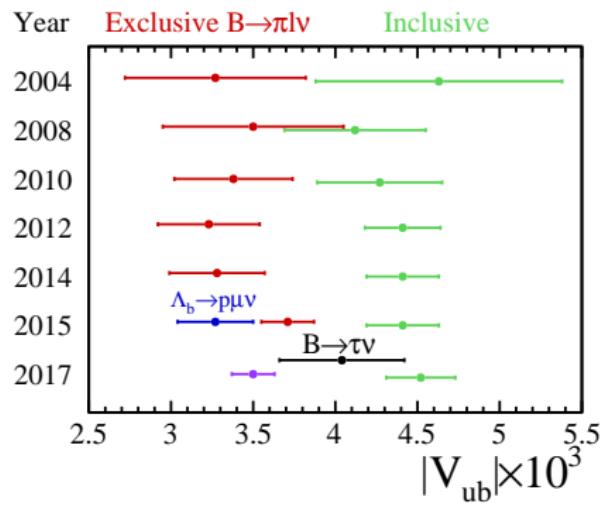
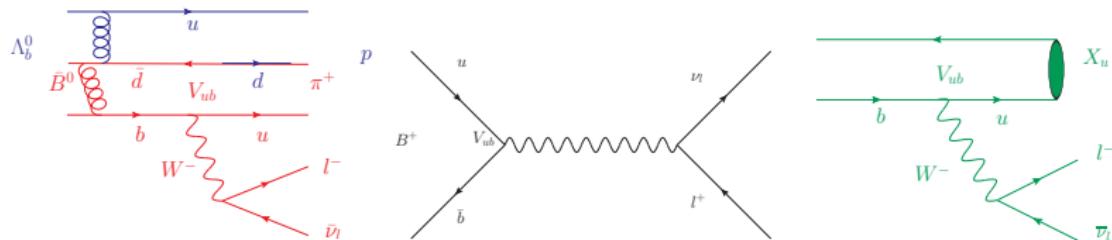


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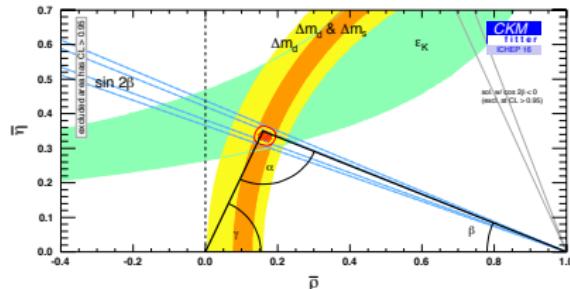
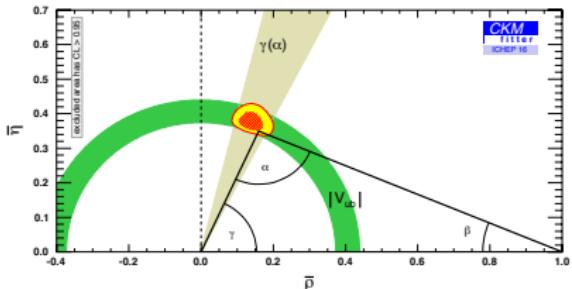
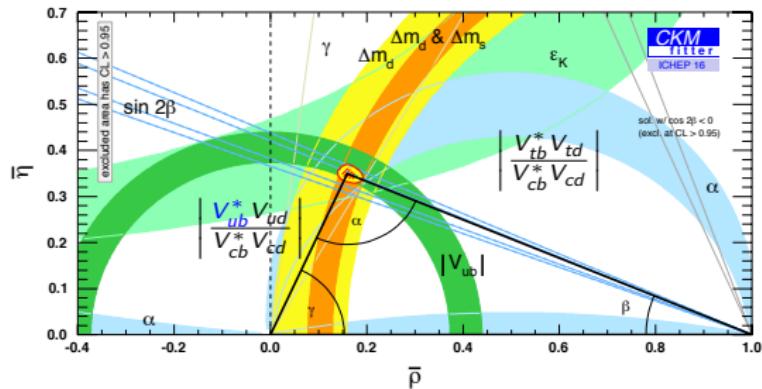
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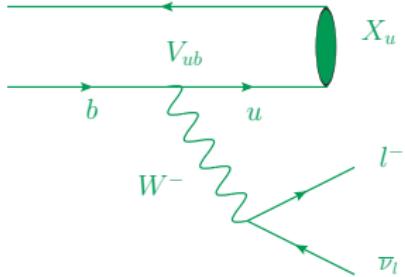
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Why is $|V_{ub}|$ important?



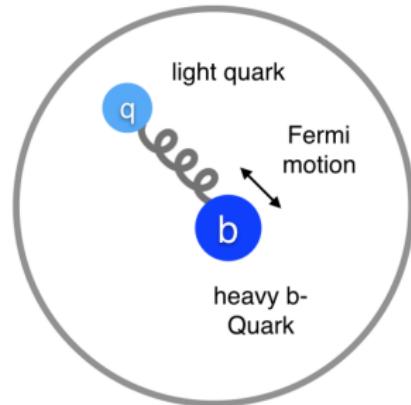
Inclusive theory



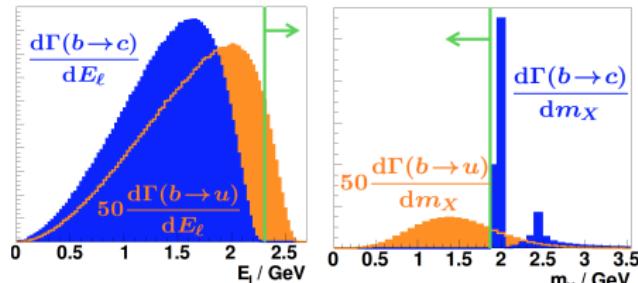
$$\frac{d^3\Gamma}{dp_X^+ dp_X^- dE_\ell} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ub}|^2}{192\pi^3} \int dk \, C(E_\ell, p_X^-, p_X^+, k) F(k) + O\left(\frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}{m_b}\right)$$

$$p_X^+ = E_X - |\vec{p}_X|, \quad p_X^- = E_X + |\vec{p}_X|,$$

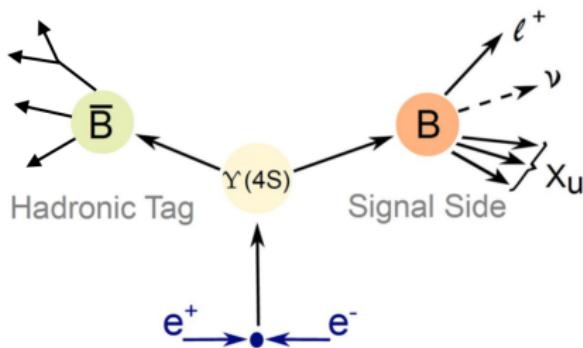
- $F(k)$ pdf of b quark momentum, k
- $C(E_\ell, p_X^-, p_X^+, k)$ computed perturbatively



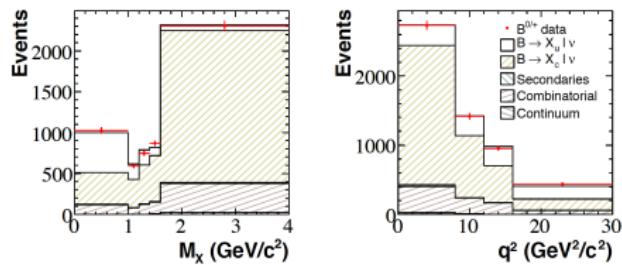
Experimental approach



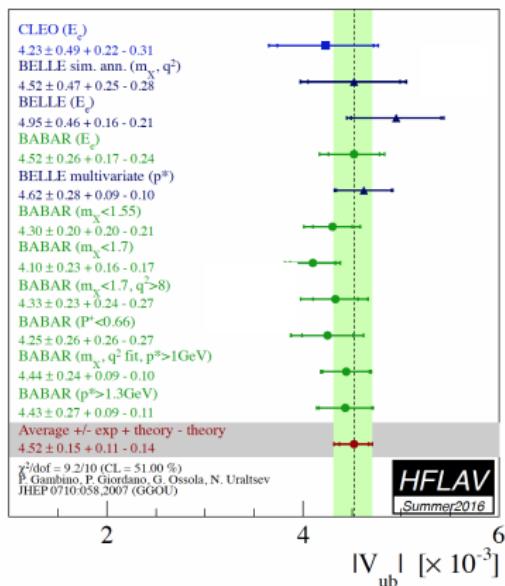
- Large background from $b \rightarrow c$ ($|V_{cb}|^2/|V_{ub}|^2 \sim 100$)
- Exploit $b \rightarrow c$ kinematic endpoints.
- $|V_{ub}| = \sqrt{\Delta\mathcal{B}/(\tau_B \Delta\Gamma)}$



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Inclusive | V_{ub} | and its projection



Framework	V_{ub} [10^{-3}]
BLNP	$4.44 \pm 0.15^{+0.21}_{-0.22}$
DGE	$4.52 \pm 0.16^{+0.15}_{-0.16}$
GGOU	$4.52 \pm 0.15^{+0.11}_{-0.14}$
ADFR	$4.08 \pm 0.13^{+0.18}_{-0.12}$
BL (m _X /q ² only)	$4.62 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.29$

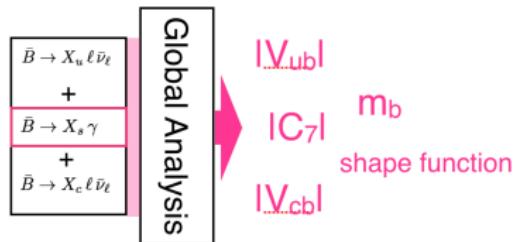
Source	Error on \mathcal{B} (irreducible limit)
$\mathcal{B}(D^{(*)}\ell\nu)$	1.2 (0.6)
Form factors ($D^{(*)}\ell\nu$)	1.2 (0.6)
Form factors & $\mathcal{B}(D^{(*)}\ell\nu)$	0.2
$B \rightarrow X_u\ell\nu$ (SF)	3.6 (1.8)
$B \rightarrow X_u\ell\nu(g \rightarrow s\bar{s})$	1.5
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \pi/\rho/\omega\ell\nu)$	2.3
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \eta^{(\prime)}\ell\nu)$	3.2
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_u\ell\nu)$ unmeasured/fragmentation	2.9 (1.5)
Continuum & Combinatorial	1.8
Secondaries, Fakes & Fit	1.0
PID& Reconstruction	3.1
BDT/Normalisation	3.1 (2.0)
Total	8.1
(Total reducible)	7.4
(Total irreducible)	3.2

B2TiP report

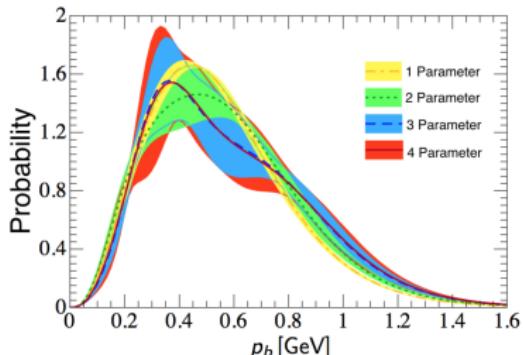
| V_{ub} | inclusive

605 fb^{-1} (old B tag)	4.5	(3.7, 1.6)	6.0	2.5–4.5	6.5–7.5
5 ab^{-1}	1.1	(1.3, 1.6)	2.3	2.5–4.5	3.4–5.1
50 ab^{-1}	0.4	(0.4, 1.6)	1.7	2.5–4.5	3.0–4.8

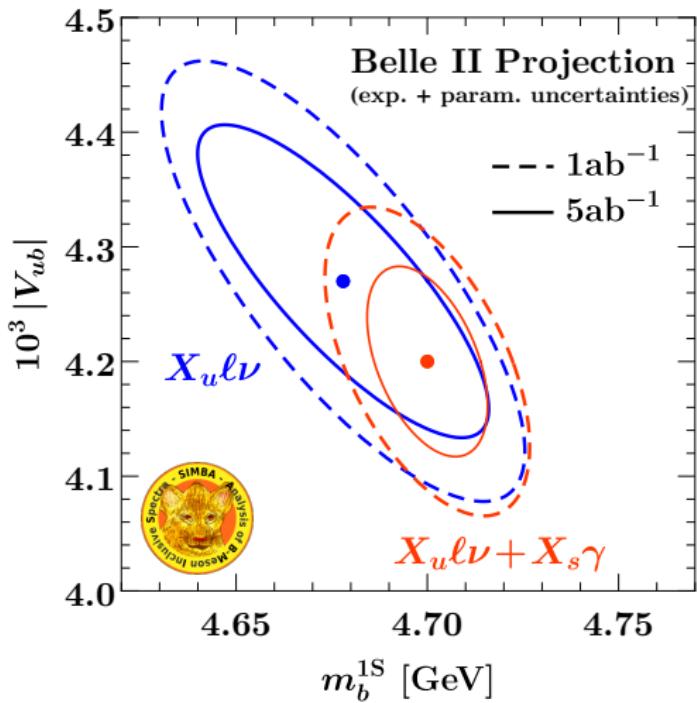
A global fit approach to inclusive $|V_{ub}|$



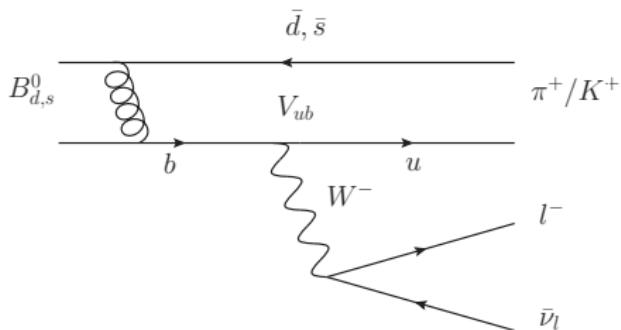
$$F(k) = \sum_n (c_n f_n(k))^2$$



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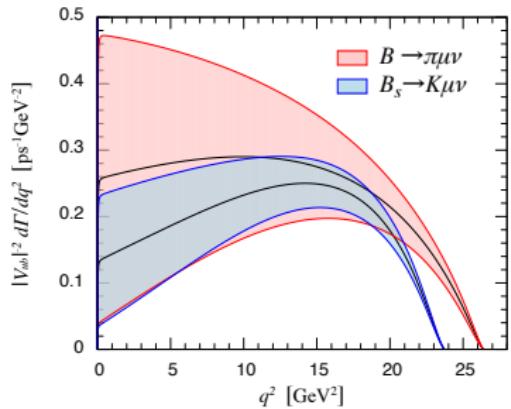


Exclusive theory



- $H^\mu(f_i(q^2)) = \langle X | \bar{q} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) b | B \rangle$
- Form factors $f_i(q^2)$ computed with Light Cone Sum Rules or LQCD

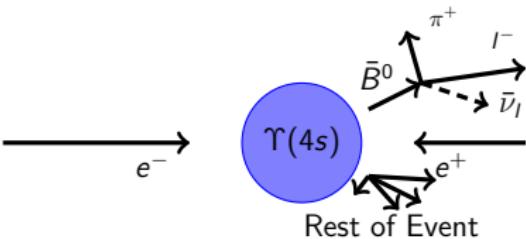
- Matrix element factorises
- $$\mathcal{M} = -i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{ub} H^\mu L_\mu$$
- $\mathcal{B} \propto \mathcal{M}^2 \propto |V_{ub}|^2$



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Untagged $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+/\ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell$ at the B factories

- Select good π and ℓ candidates.



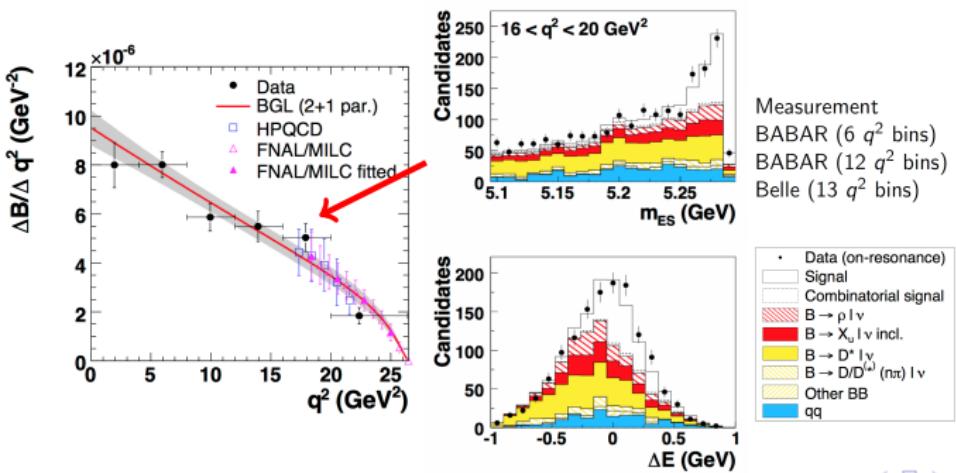
$$p_\nu = (E_{\text{miss}}, \mathbf{p}_{\text{miss}})$$

$$= p_{e^+ e^-} - p_\pi - p_\ell$$

$$- \sum p_{\text{tracks}} - \sum p_{\text{clusters}}$$

$$p_B = p_\pi + p_\ell + (E_{\text{miss}}, \mathbf{p}_{\text{miss}})$$

- Fit $M_{bc} = \sqrt{E_{\text{beam}}^{*2} - P_B^{*2}}$ and $\Delta E = E_B^* - E_{\text{beam}}^*$, ($*$ \Rightarrow CoM).



Measurement

BABAR (6 q^2 bins)BABAR (12 q^2 bins)Belle (13 q^2 bins)

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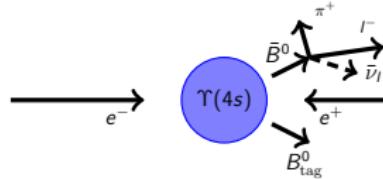
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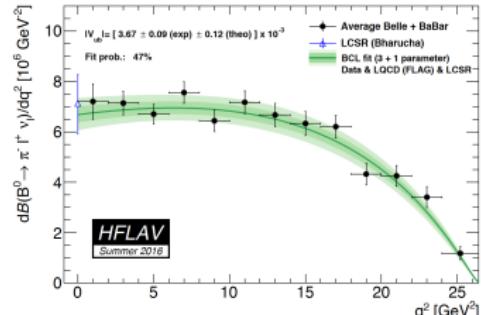
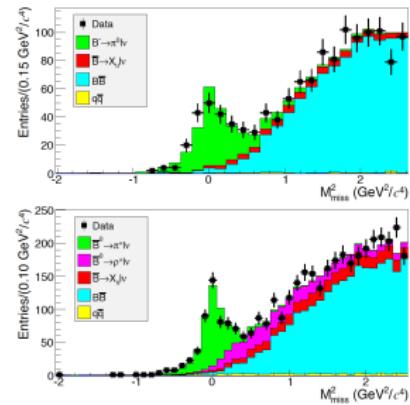
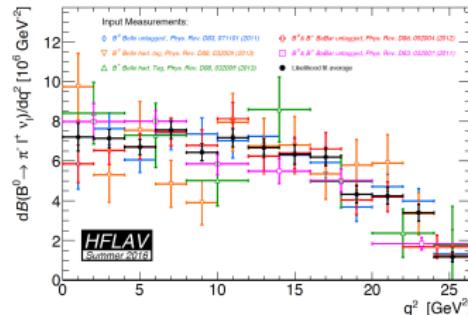
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Tagged $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+/\bar{\nu}_l$ at the B factories

- $p_\nu = p_{e^+e^-} - p_\pi - p_l - p_{B_{\text{tag}}}$
- Fit Missing Mass Squared (p_ν^2)



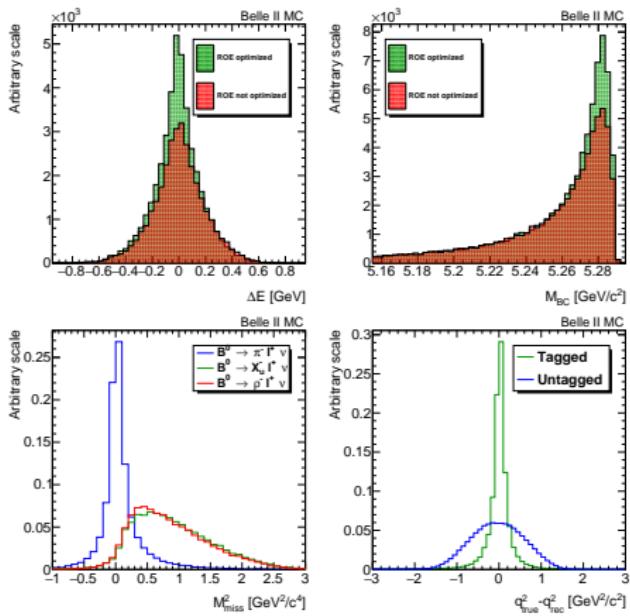
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$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+/\bar{\nu}_l$ prospects

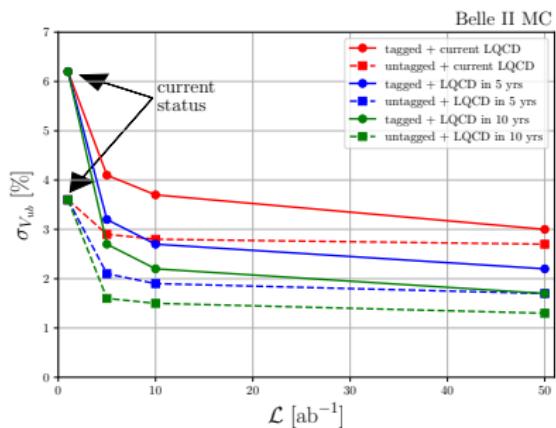
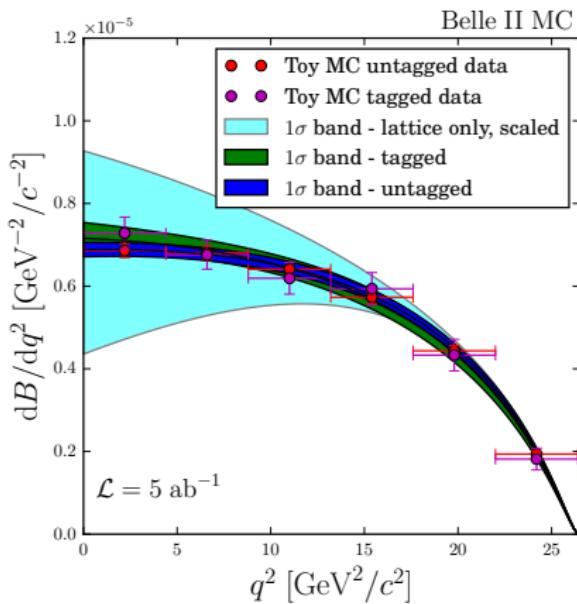
- Tagged and untagged analyses performed on Belle II MC.
- Untagged use optimised BDT selections for tracks and clusters in the Rest of the event.
- Tagged uses the Belle 2 tagging algorithm (FEI)

	Belle ϵ	Belle II ϵ
untagged	7.7-15%	20%
tagged	0.3%	0.55%



Previous Belle $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+/\bar{\nu}_l$ systematics

Source	Error (Limit) [%]	
	Tagged [%]	Untagged
Tracking efficiency	0.4	2.0
Pion identification	–	1.3
Lepton identification	1.0	2.4
Kaon veto	0.9	–
Continuum description	1.0	1.8
Tag calibration and $N_{B\bar{B}}$	4.5 (2.0)	2.0 (1.0)
$X_u \ell \nu$ cross-feed	0.9	0.5 (0.5)
$X_c \ell \nu$ background	–	0.2 (0.2)
Form factor shapes	1.1	1.0 (1.0)
Form factor background	–	0.4 (0.4)
Total	5.0	4.5
(reducible, irreducible)	(4.6, 2.0)	(4.2, 1.6)

Projected $|V_{ub}|$ from $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ l^- \bar{\nu}_l$ decays

$|V_{ub}|$ from $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$ decays at LHCb

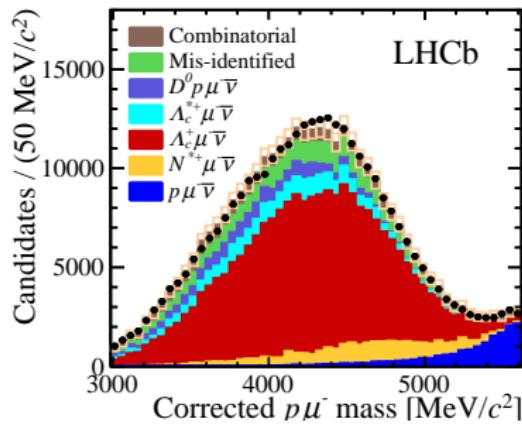
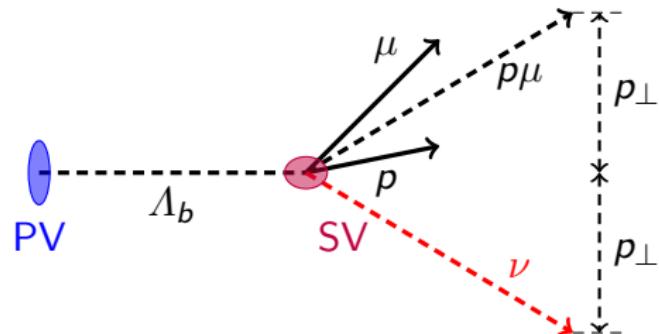
- Fit the corrected mass form $q^2 > 15 \text{ GeV}^2$:

$$M_{corr} = \sqrt{p_\perp^2 + M_{p\mu}^2} + p_\perp$$

$$\frac{|V_{ub}|^2}{|V_{cb}|^2} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu)_{q^2>15GeV^2}}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu)_{q^2>7GeV^2}} R_{FF}$$

- $|V_{ub}| = (3.27 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-3}$

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Prospects for | V_{ub} | from $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$ decays

Table 1 | Summary of systematic uncertainties.

Source	Relative uncertainty (%)
$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^+\pi^-)$	+4.7 -5.3
Trigger	3.2
Tracking	3.0
Λ_c^+ selection efficiency	3.0
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow N^*\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$ shapes	2.3
Λ_b^0 lifetime	1.5
Isolation	1.4
Form factor	1.0
Λ_b^0 kinematics	0.5
q^2 migration	0.4
PID	0.2
Total	+7.8 -8.2

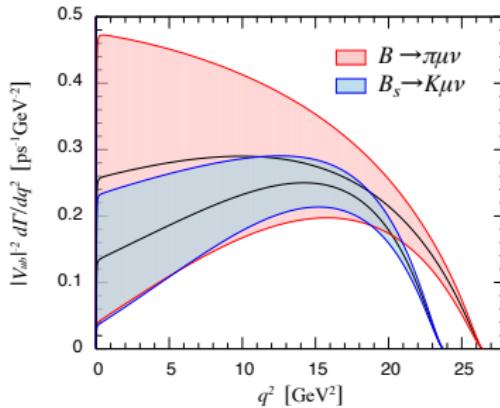
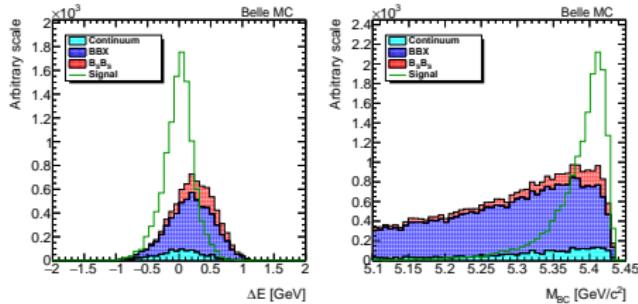
- $\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c \rightarrow pK\pi)$ improves in line with Belle II data
- Account for increased luminosity, collision energy and trigger improvements.
- A differential q^2 measurement would reduce the theory uncertainty.

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LHCb	8 fb^{-1}	22 fb^{-1}	50 fb^{-1}
$ V_{ub}/V_{cb} $	3.4%	2.9%	2.1%
$ V_{ub} $	3.8%	3.3%	2.4%

$\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$ Prospects

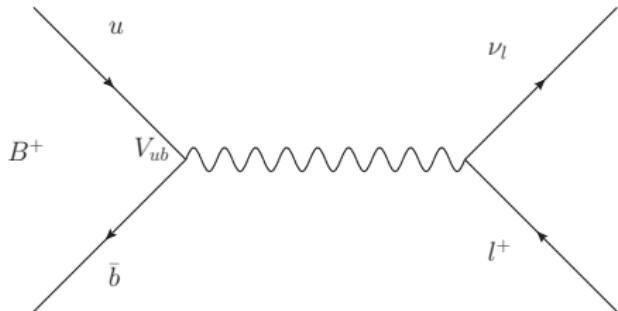
- Smaller theoretical uncertainty than $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ l^- \bar{\nu}_l$
- LHCb measurement to come!



- At Belle II expect 60M $B_s^{(*)} \bar{B}_s^{(*)}$ pairs in 1ab^{-1}
- 5-10% precision on the decay rate with 1ab^{-1}

$|V_{ub}|$ from leptonic decays

$$\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow l^- \bar{\nu}_l) = \frac{G_F^2 m_B m_l^2}{8\pi} \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{m_B^2} f_B^2\right) |V_{ub}|^2 \tau_B$$

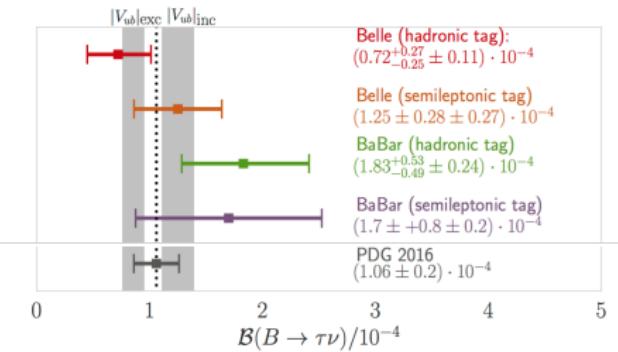
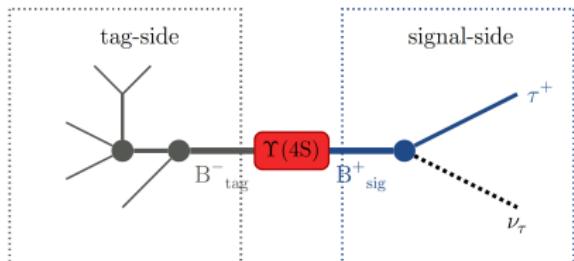
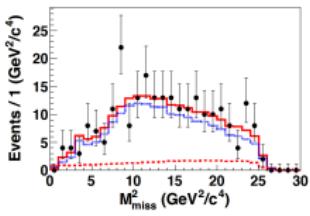
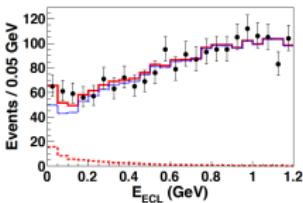


- $\mathcal{B}s$ are hierarchical with lepton mass due to helicity suppression.
- $f_B = 187.1 \text{ MeV}(0.7\%)$ is the decay constant.

I	\mathcal{B}_{SM}	711 fb^{-1}	5 ab^{-1}	50 ab^{-1}
τ	$(7.71 \pm 0.62) \times 10^{-5}$	61179 ± 5031	430231 ± 35378	4302312 ± 353781
μ	$(3.46 \pm 0.28) \times 10^{-7}$	275 ± 23	1933 ± 159	19333 ± 1590
e	$(0.811 \pm 0.065) \times 10^{-11}$	0.0064 ± 0.0005	0.0453 ± 0.0037	0.4526 ± 0.0372

$B^- \rightarrow \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$ status

- Reconstruct B_{tag} hadronically or semileptonic.
- τ reconstructed in $e^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_e$, $\mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu$, $\pi^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$, $\rho^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$,
- Fit sum of remaining energy in the EM calorimeter (E_{ECL})



Projecting $|V_{ub}|$ from $B^- \rightarrow \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$

Belle Hadronic

Source	\mathcal{B} syst. error (%)
Signal PDF	4.2
Background PDF	8.8
Peaking background	3.8
B_{tag} efficiency	7.1
Particle identification	1.0
π^0 efficiency	0.5
Tracking efficiency	0.3
τ branching fraction	0.6
MC efficiency statistics	0.4
K_L^0 efficiency	7.3
$N_{B^+ B^-}$	1.3
Total	14.7

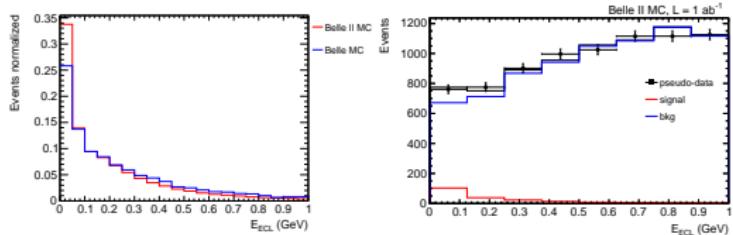
Belle Semileptonic

TABLE III. List of systematic uncertainties.

Source	Relative uncertainty (%)
Continuum description	14.1
Signal reconstruction efficiency	0.6
Background branching fractions	3.1
Efficiency calibration	12.6
τ decay branching fractions	0.2
Histogram PDF shapes	8.5
Best candidate selection	0.4
Charged track reconstruction	0.4
π^0 reconstruction	1.1
Particle identification	0.5
Charged track veto	1.9
Number of BB pairs	1.4
Total	21.2

- Pseudo analysis performed on Belle 2 MC

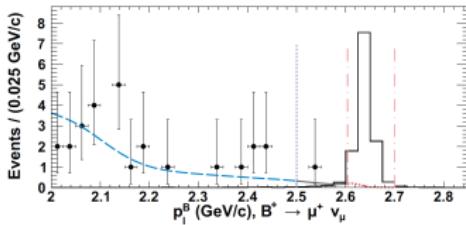
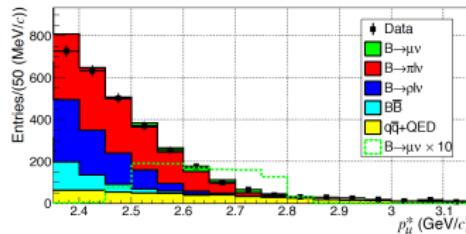
	$\int \mathcal{L} (\text{ab}^{-1})$	1	5	50
Had. tag	stat. uncertainty (%)	29.2	13.0	4.1
	syst. uncertainty (%)	12.6	6.8	4.6
	total uncertainty (%)	31.6	14.7	6.2
SL. tag	stat. uncertainty (%)	19.0	8.5	2.7
	syst. uncertainty (%)	17.9	8.7	4.5
	total uncertainty (%)	26.1	12.2	5.3



$ V_{ub} B \rightarrow \tau \nu$ (had. tagged)	711 fb^{-1}	18.0	(7.1, 2.2)	19.5	2.5	19.6
	5 ab^{-1}	6.5	(2.7, 2.2)	7.3	1.5	7.5
	50 ab^{-1}	2.1	(0.8, 2.2)	3.1	1.0	3.2
$ V_{ub} B \rightarrow \tau \nu$ (SL tagged)	711 fb^{-1}	11.3	(10.4, 1.9)	15.4	2.5	15.6
	5 ab^{-1}	4.2	(4.4, 1.9)	6.1	1.5	6.3
	50 ab^{-1}	1.3	(2.3, 1.9)	2.6	1.0	2.8

$|V_{ub}|$ from $B^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$ decays

Experiment	Upper limit @ 90% C.L.	Comment
Belle	2.7×10^{-6}	Fully reconstructed hadronic tag, 711 fb^{-1}
Belle	1.7×10^{-6}	Untagged analysis, 253 fb^{-1}
BaBar	1.0×10^{-6}	Untagged analysis, $468 \times 10^6 B\bar{B}$ pairs
Belle	2.9×10^{-7}	Untagged analysis, 711 fb^{-1}



- Untagged using CoM p_μ^*
- Tagged use $p_\mu^B = m_B/2 \implies$ high resolution but smaller statistics.

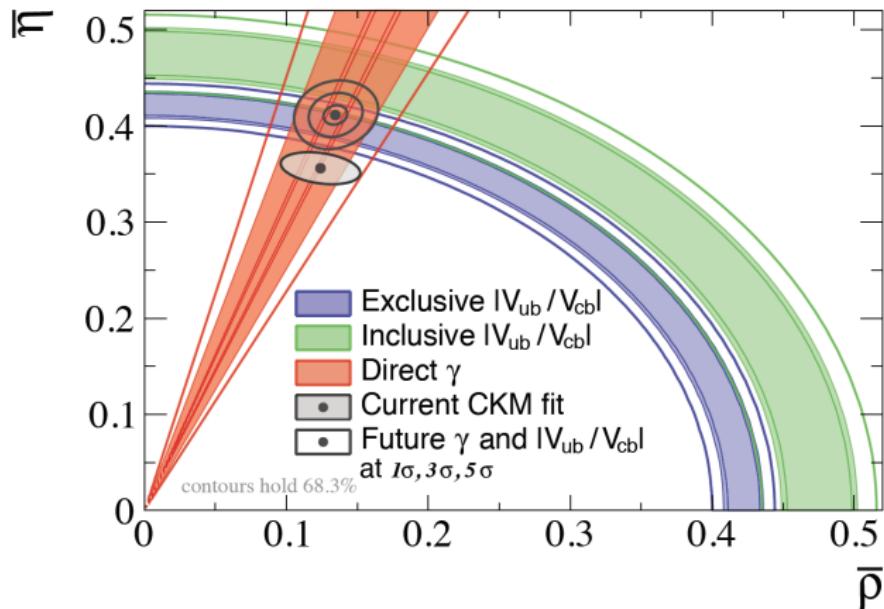
50 ab^{-1}	$\mathcal{B}\text{Stat.}$	$\mathcal{B}\text{Syst.}$	$ V_{ub} $
Belle II Untagged	$\sim 5\%$	$\sim 5\%$	3-4%
Belle II tagged	$\sim 13\%$	-	-

Summary of $|V_{ub}|$ projections

	Statistical	Systematic (reducible, irreducible)	Total Exp	Theory	Total
$ V_{ub} $ exclusive (had. tagged)					
711 fb^{-1}	3.0	(2.3, 1.0)	3.8	7.0	8.0
5 ab^{-1}	1.1	(0.9, 1.0)	1.8	1.7	3.2
50 ab^{-1}	0.4	(0.3, 1.0)	1.2	0.9	1.7
$ V_{ub} $ exclusive (untagged)					
605 fb^{-1}	1.4	(2.1, 0.8)	2.7	7.0	7.5
5 ab^{-1}	1.0	(0.8, 0.8)	1.2	1.7	2.1
50 ab^{-1}	0.3	(0.3, 0.8)	0.9	0.9	1.3
$ V_{ub} $ inclusive					
605 fb^{-1} (old B tag)	4.5	(3.7, 1.6)	6.0	2.5–4.5	6.5–7.5
5 ab^{-1}	1.1	(1.3, 1.6)	2.3	2.5–4.5	3.4–5.1
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50 ab^{-1}	2.1	(0.8, 2.2)	3.1	1.0	3.2
$ V_{ub} B \rightarrow \tau\nu$ (SL tagged)					
711 fb^{-1}	11.3	(10.4, 1.9)	15.4	2.5	15.6
5 ab^{-1}	4.2	(4.4, 1.9)	6.1	1.5	6.3
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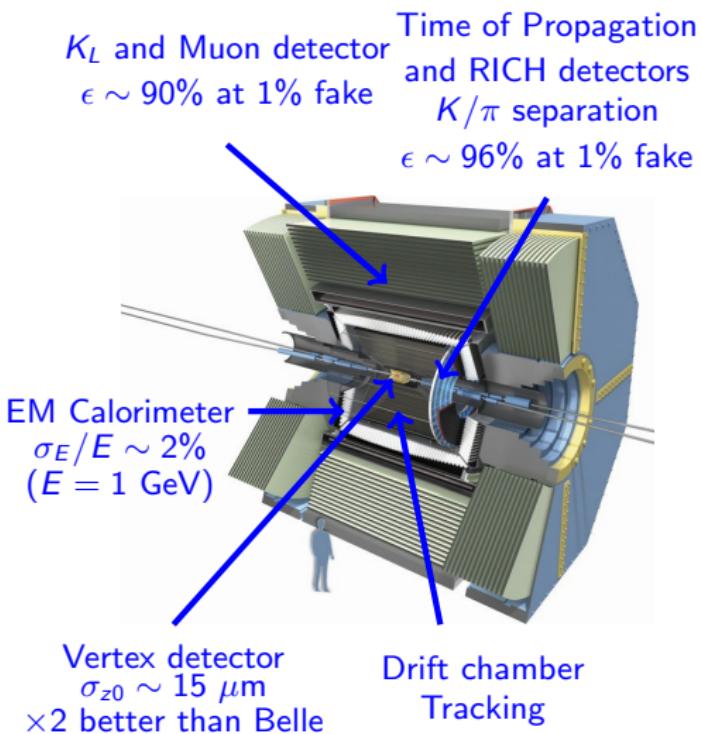


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Conclusion

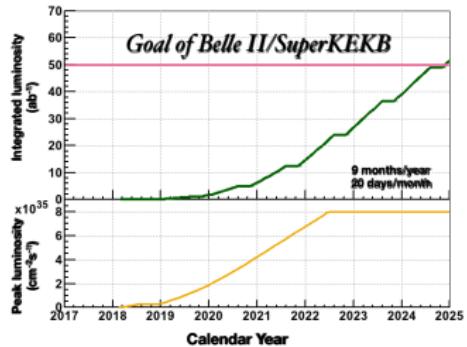
- Most precise determination of $|V_{ub}|$ from $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ l^- \bar{\nu}_l$ decays (un-tagged).
- Exclusive $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ l^- \bar{\nu}_l$ uncertainty of 1.3% vs inclusive uncertainty of (3-4.8%)
- Precision tree level determinations of $|V_{ub}|$ and γ will allow a stringent testing of NP in loop level CKM observables.

Belle II Improvements



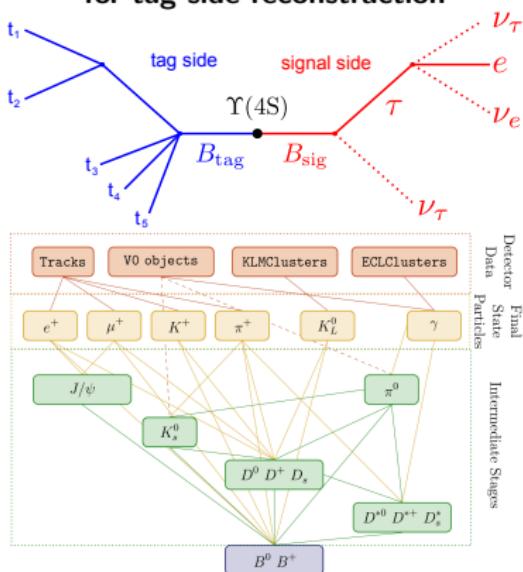
$\times 40\mathcal{L}$
Ultimate aim $\int \mathcal{L} = 50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$

SuperKEKB luminosity projection



Improved algorithms at Belle II

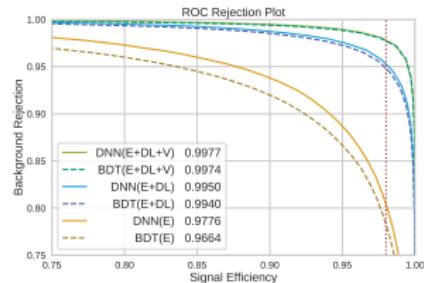
New Full Event Interpretation (FEI) algorithm for tag-side reconstruction



Tag	Tagging ε on MC		
	FR ¹	FEI Belle	FEI Belle II
Hadronic B^+	0.28%	0.76%	0.66%
SL B^+	0.67%	1.80%	1.45%
Hadronic B^0	0.18%	0.46%	0.38%
SL B^0	0.63%	2.04%	1.94%

¹Belle Full Reconstruction algorithm.

Deep NN based $e^+ e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ background suppression



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