

# $b \rightarrow cl\nu$ decays at LHCb

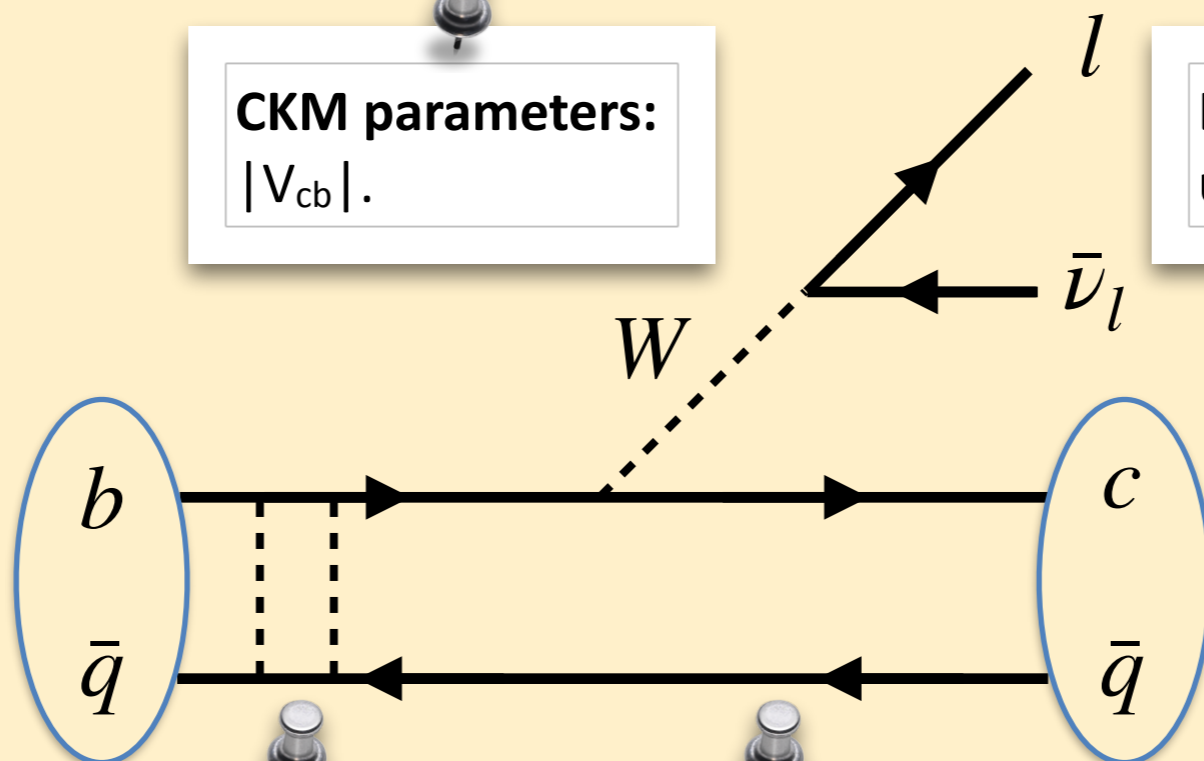
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lifetimes.

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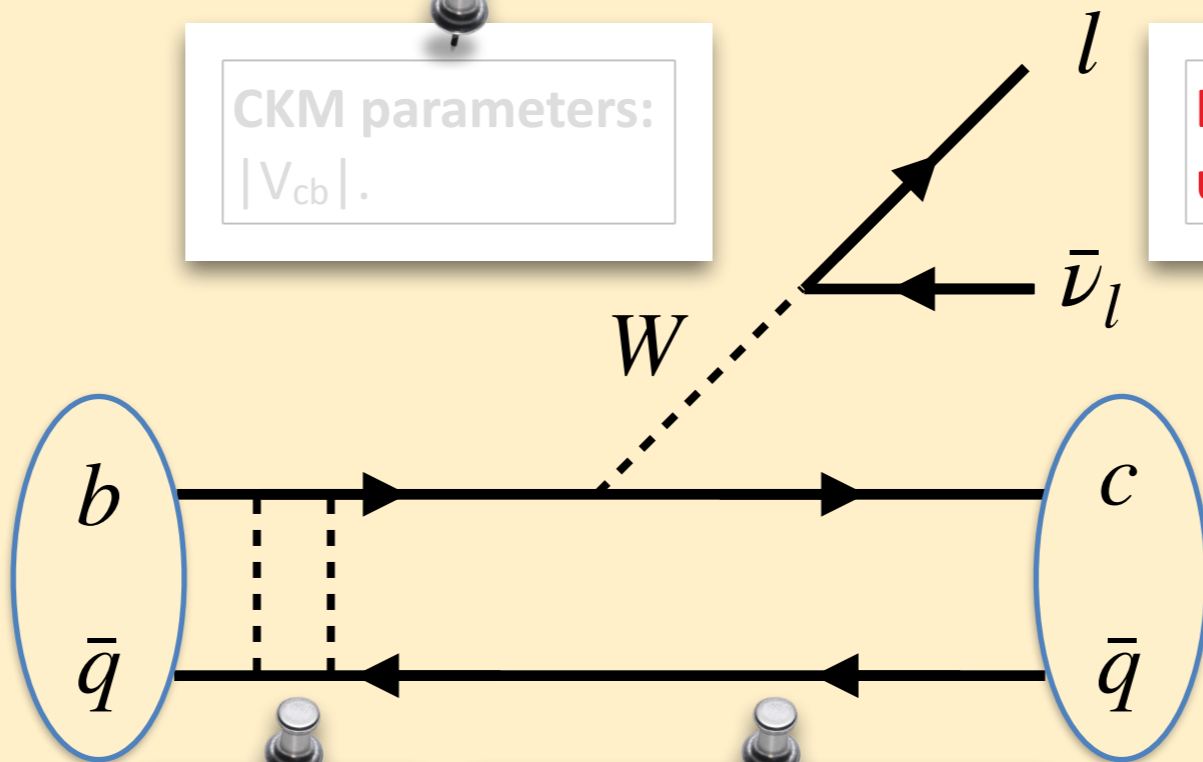
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## LFU ratios

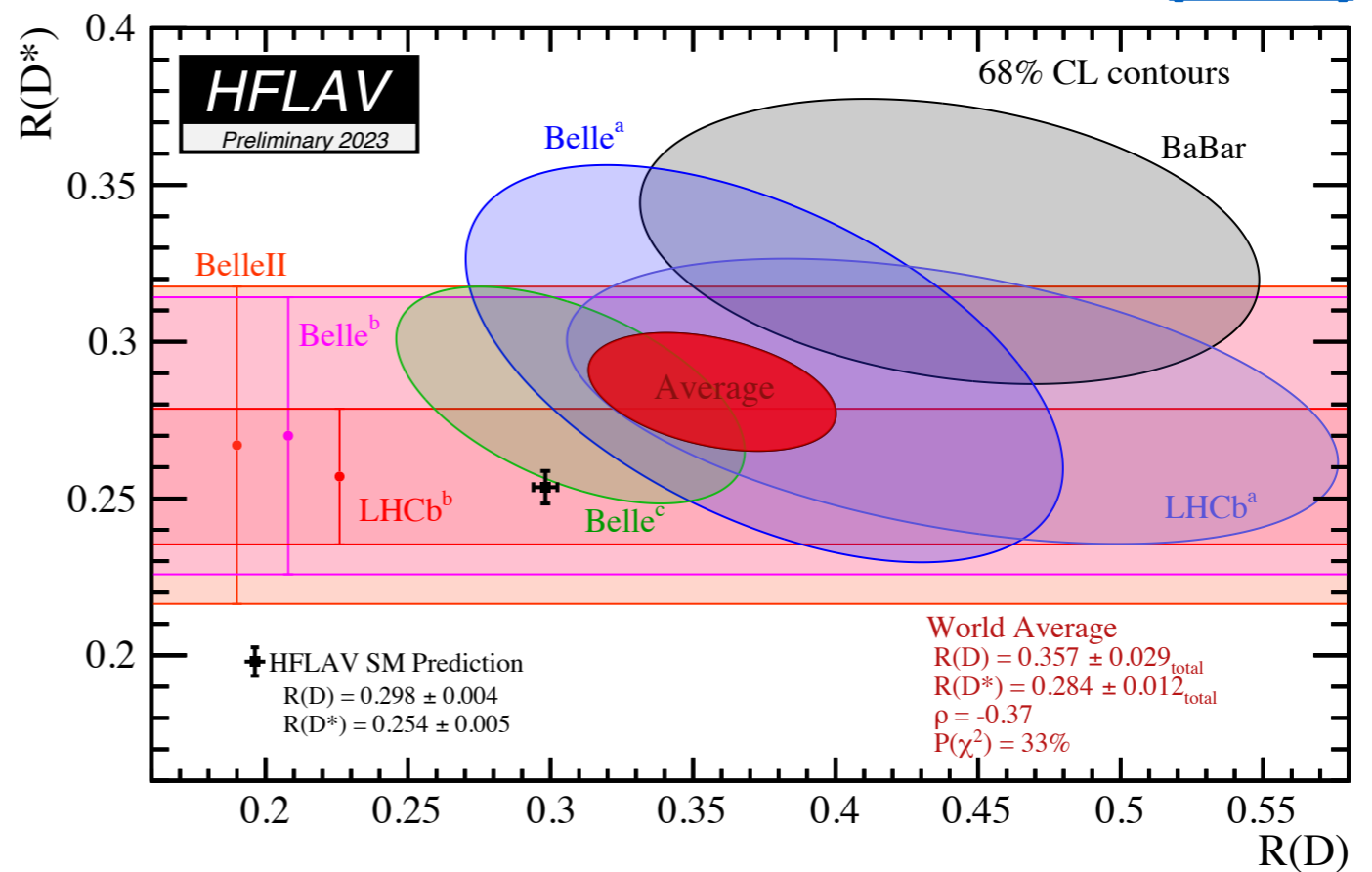
$$R(\mathcal{H}_c) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H}_b \rightarrow \mathcal{H}_c \tau \nu_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(\mathcal{H}_b \rightarrow \mathcal{H}_c \mu \nu_\mu)}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_b = B^0, B_{(c)}^+, \Lambda_b^0, B_s^0 \dots$$

$$\mathcal{H}_c = D^*, D^0, D^+, D_s, \Lambda_c^{(*)}, J/\psi \dots$$

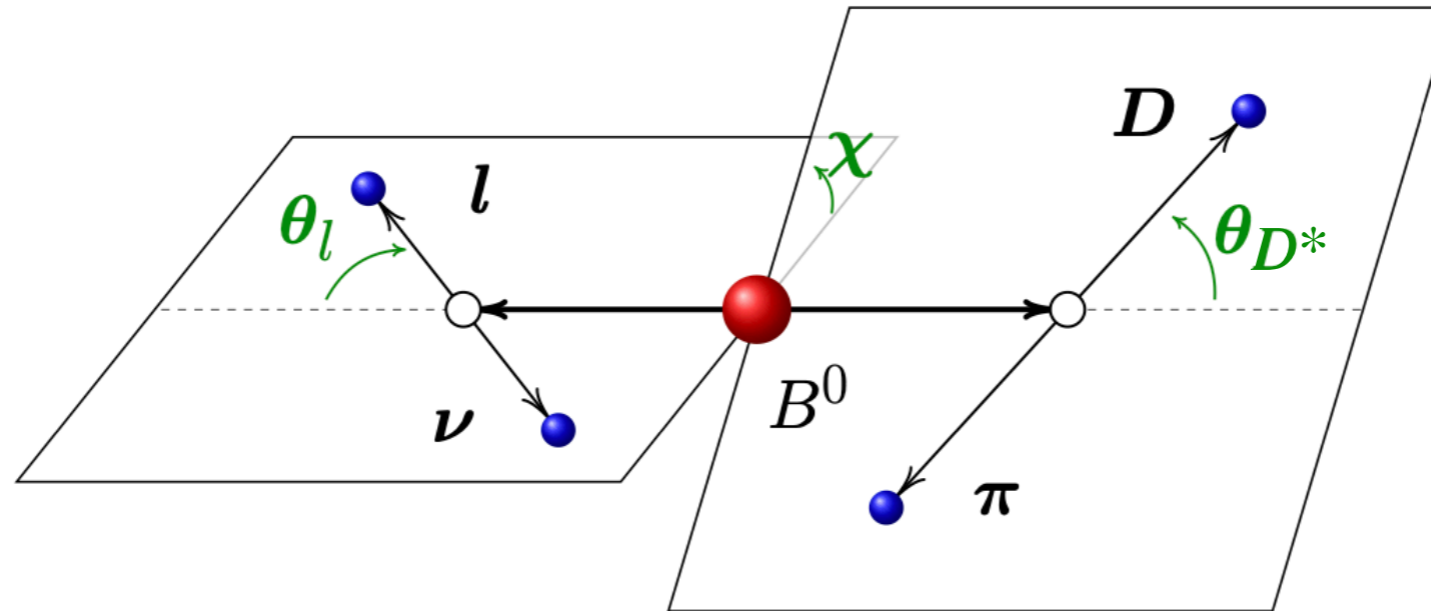
- **Precise measurements** both theoretically and experimentally.
- Deviations seen by several experiments.
  - ↳ Current combined tension at the level of **3.34  $\sigma$** .
- Potential physics beyond the Standard Model (BSM) affecting **semi-tauonic decays**.

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## Angular analyses

From integrated BFs to differential measurements: angular analyses of semi-tauonic decays to **probe the spin structure** of possible BSM physics.

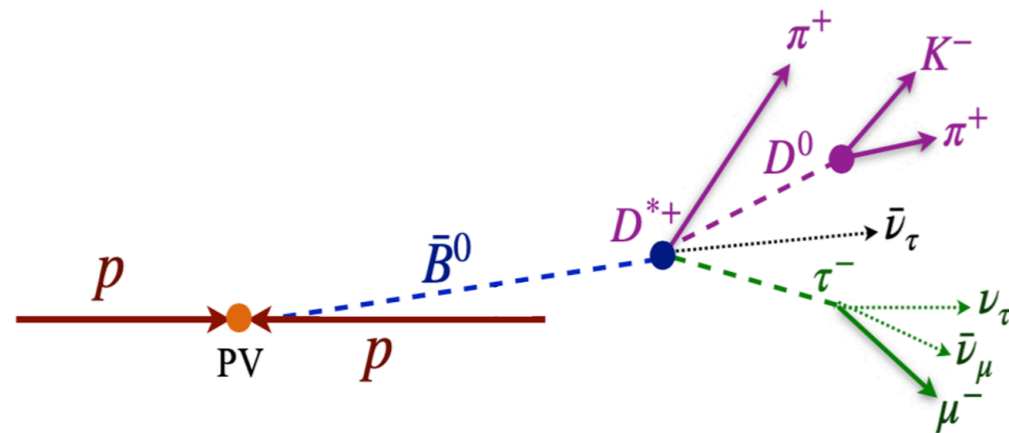


$$\frac{d^4(B^0 \rightarrow D^* l^+ \nu_l)}{dq^2 d\cos^2\theta_\ell d\cos\theta_{D^*} d\chi} \propto |V_{cb}|^2 \sum_i \mathcal{H}_i(q^2) f_i(\theta_\ell, \theta_{D^*}, \chi)$$

**Sensitivity to BSM physics.**

*Angular analyses*

Muonic  $\tau$  decay



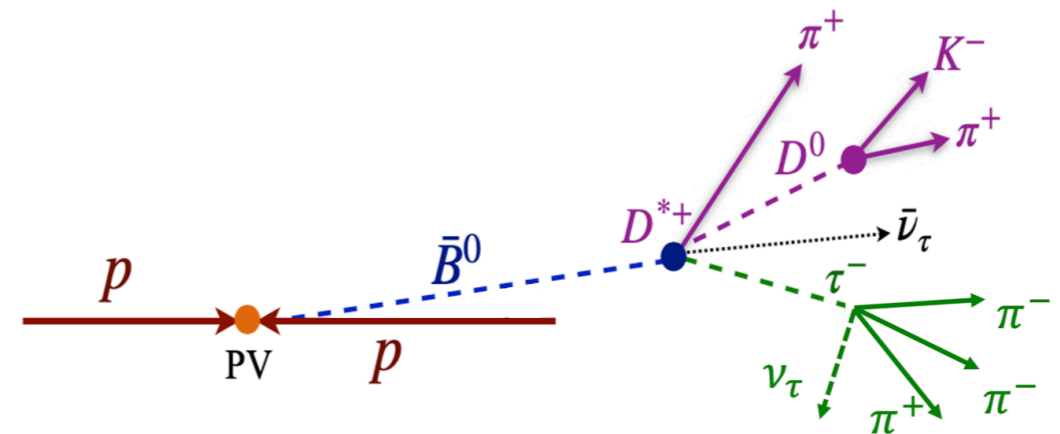
Pros:

- **Direct measurement of  $R(D^{(*)})$** , as normalisation channel shares the same visible final state.
- **Large signal and normalisation yields.**

Cons:

- **Multiple missing neutrinos:** use boost approximation ( $p_B^{\parallel} \propto p_{vis}^{\parallel}$ ) to estimate B momentum.
- **Large background contributions** that need to be controlled very accurately.

Hadronic  $\tau$  decay



Pros:

- Tau vertex measurement and  $3\pi$  kinematics allow for strong background rejection and **high purity.**
- **Better resolution**, as B momentum can be determined up to a 2-fold ambiguity.

Cons:

- **Lower yields** due to smaller BF.
- **Requirement of external BF** to measure  $R(D^{(*)})$ .

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**R(D<sup>\*+</sup>) Run 1**  
[PRL 115, 111803] (2015)

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**D<sup>\*</sup> F<sub>L</sub> Run 1 & partial Run 2**

[arXiv:2311.05224] (2023)

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# Measurement of $R(D^{*+})$

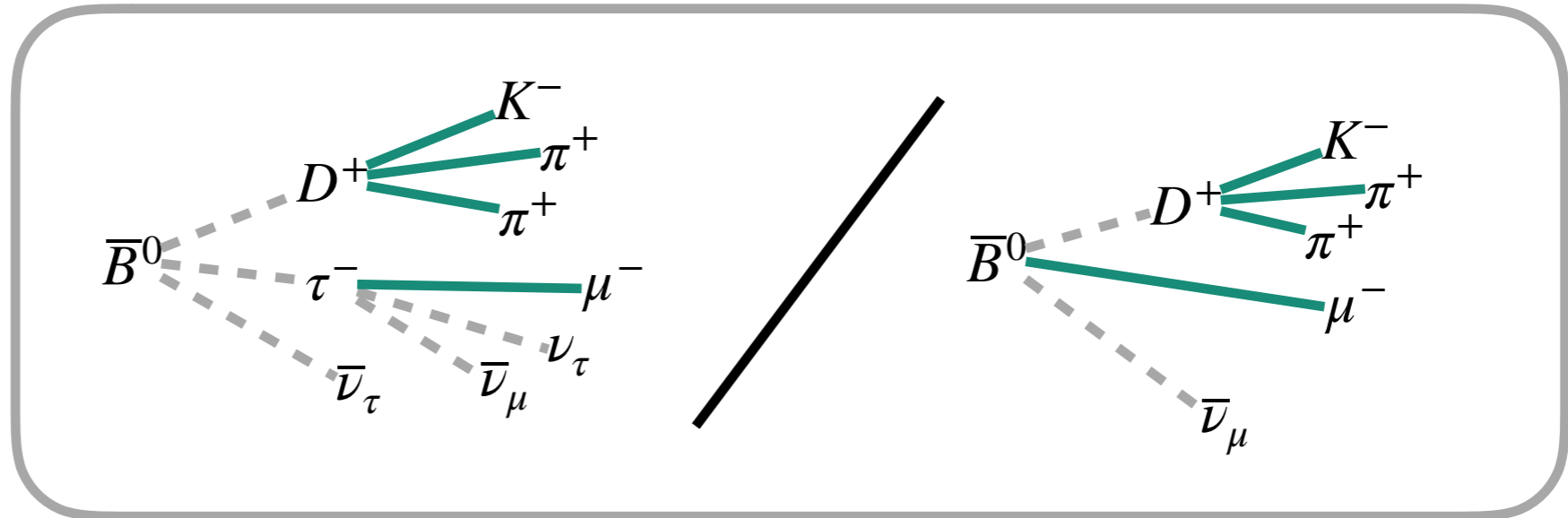
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First LHCb measurement using the  $D^+$  ground state, with  $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ , **muonic-tau decay**.

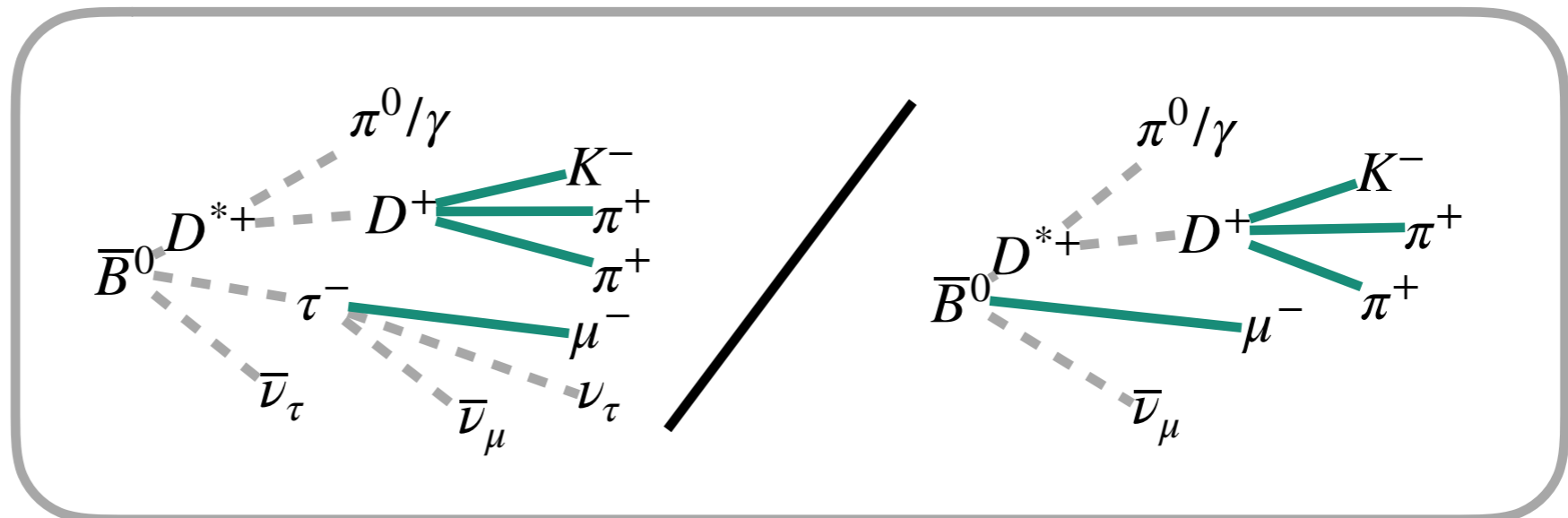
➔ Primary goal is to measure  $R(D^+)$ .

➔ Feed down from  $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^+ \pi^0 / \gamma$  with not reconstructed  $\pi^0 / \gamma$  gives also access to  $R(D^{*+})$  in the same visible final state  $K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \mu^-$ .

$R(D^+) =$



$R(D^{*+}) =$



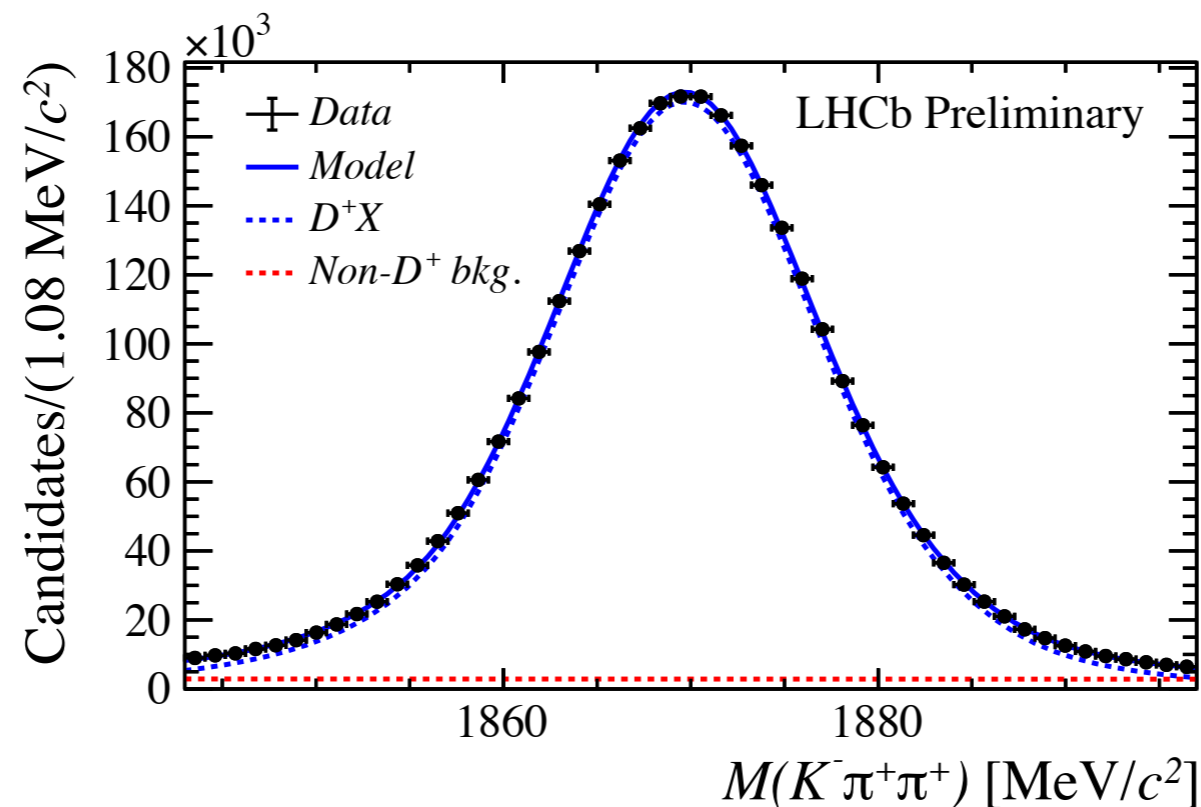
# Background reduction

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Data sample:  $2\text{fb}^{-1}$ . collected in **2015 and 2016**.

## Candidate selection:

- **Basic requirements on  $K^-\pi^+\pi^+\mu^-$  candidates** (topologic, kinematic and particle-identification).
- **Isolation against both charged and neutral particles** from the rest of the event.
  - ↳ Inverse requirements on the charged isolation are combined with particle-identification requirements on extra particles to define **complementary control samples** (see next slide).
- **Fake- $D^+$  bkg. statistically subtracted with *sPlot* technique**, by fitting the  $M(K^-\pi^+\pi^+)$  distribution.



# Strategy to measure signal and norm. yields

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3D binned template fit to data, using the rest-frame quantities  $m^2_{\text{miss}}$ ,  $E_l^*$  and  $q^2=(p_B-p_{D^+})^2$ .

## Signal modes

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{B}^0 &\rightarrow D^+ \tau^- [\mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu] \bar{\nu}_\tau \\ \bar{B}^0 &\rightarrow D^{*+} [D^+ \pi^0 / \gamma] \tau^- [\mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu] \bar{\nu}_\tau\end{aligned}$$

## Normalisation modes

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{B}^0 &\rightarrow D^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \\ \bar{B}^0 &\rightarrow D^{*+} [D^+ \pi^0 / \gamma] \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu\end{aligned}$$

## Feed-down bkg. from 1P D\*\* states

$$\begin{aligned}B &\rightarrow D^{**} [D^+ X] \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \\ B &\rightarrow D^{**} [D^+ X] \tau^- [\mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu] \bar{\nu}_\tau\end{aligned}$$

## Double-charm bkg.

$$B \rightarrow D^+ H_c [\mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu X] X'$$

## Muon Mis-ID bkg.

$$D^+ h^-$$

## Feed-down bkg. from higher-mass D\*\* states

$$B \rightarrow D^{**} [D^+ X] \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

## Neutronic bkg.

$$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow n D^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

## Combinatorial bkg.

$$D^+, \mu^-$$

Simultaneous fit to four data samples, with enhanced sensitivity to specific components:

## Signal sample

$$D^+ \mu^-$$

## 1 $\pi$ sample

$$D^+ \mu^- \pi^-$$

## 2 $\pi$ sample

$$D^+ \mu^- \pi^+ \pi^-$$

## 1K sample

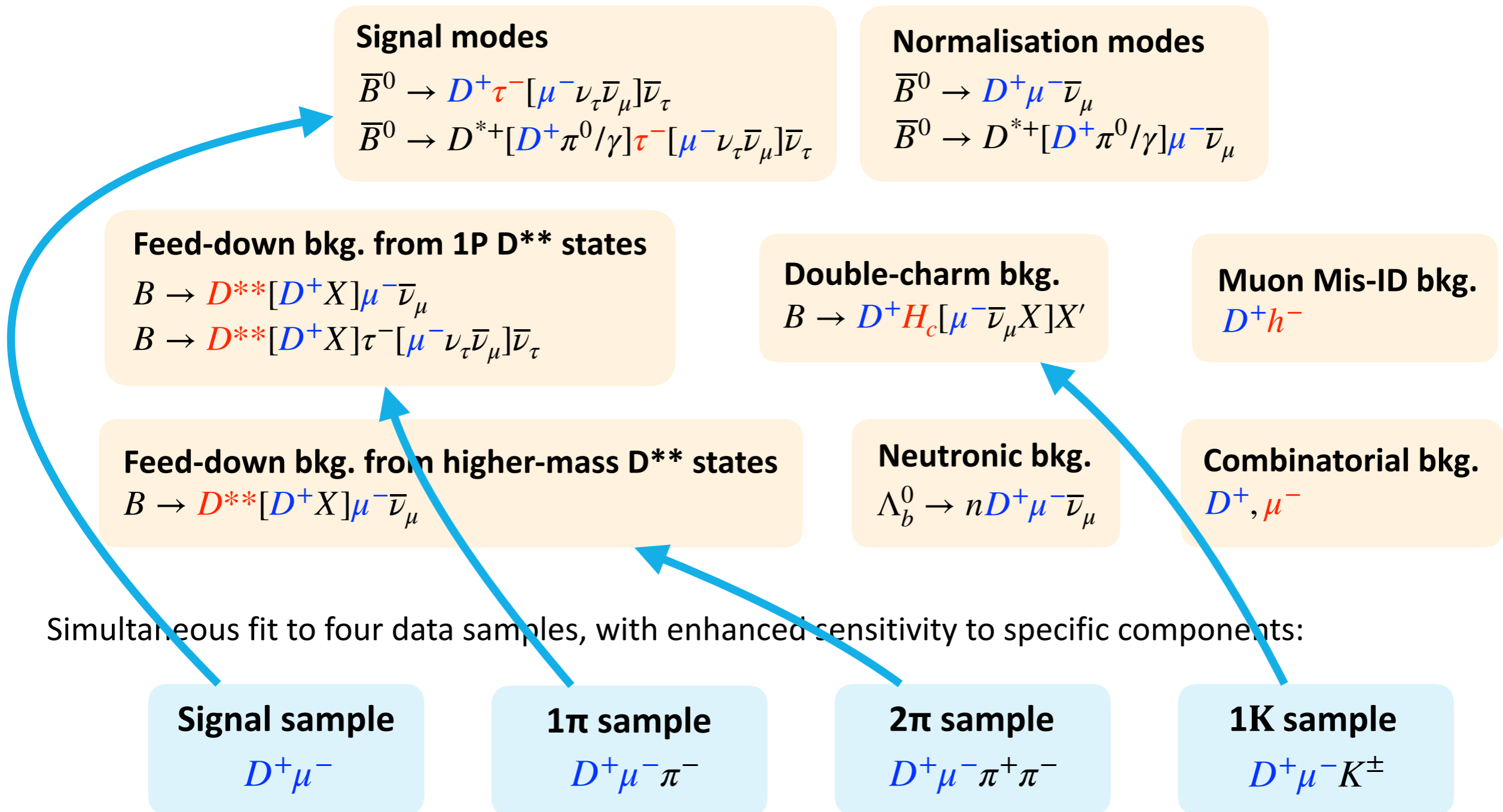
$$D^+ \mu^- K^\pm$$

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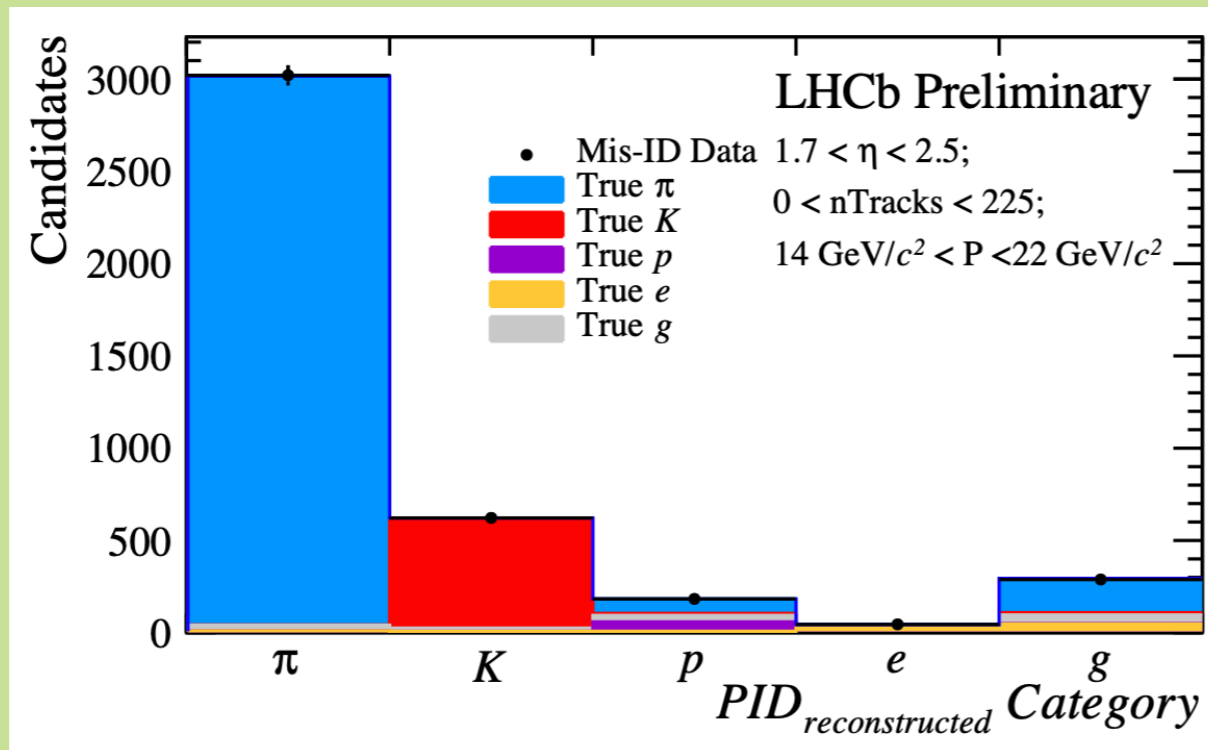
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# Data-based templates

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Obtained from **non-muon control sample**.  
**True-particle-type composition unfolded** by fitting the reconstructed-particle-type category.



(g ("ghost") = fake tracks)

ation modes

$$\mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu + [D^+ \pi^0 / \gamma] \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

**Muon Mis-ID bkg.**

$$D^+ h^-$$

bkg.

$$\mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

**Combinatorial bkg.**

$$D^+, \mu^-$$

Obtained from **wrong-sign ( $D^+ \mu^+$ ) control sample**.

Feed-

$$B \rightarrow D^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

Feed-

$$B \rightarrow D^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$



# Simulation-based templates: form factors

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## Signal modes

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{B}^0 &\rightarrow D^+ \tau^- [\mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu] \bar{\nu}_\tau \\ \bar{B}^0 &\rightarrow D^{*+} [D^+ \pi^0 / \gamma] \tau^- [\mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu] \bar{\nu}_\tau \end{aligned}$$

## Normalisation modes

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## Feed-down bkg. from higher-mass D\*\* states

$$B \rightarrow D^{**} [D^+ X] \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

## Form factor parameterisations:

$$B \rightarrow D^+: \text{BGL} [\text{PRD } 94 \text{ (2016) } 094008]$$

$$B \rightarrow D^*: \text{BGL} [\text{Eur. Phys. J. C } 82, 1141 \text{ (2022)}]$$

$$B \rightarrow D^{**}: \text{BLR} [\text{PRD } 95 \text{ (2017) } 014022]$$

**First analysis that uses HAMMER** [Eur. Phys. J. C. 80 (2020) 883] and **RoosHammerModel** [JINST 17 (2022) T04006] to vary the form factor parameters in the fit (with external constraints applied).

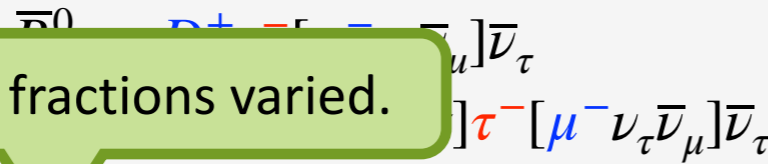
$B^0$ decays	$B^+$ decays
$B^0 \rightarrow D_0^*(2400)^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}_0^*(2400)^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$
$B^0 \rightarrow D_2^*(2460)^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}_2^*(2460)^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$
$B^0 \rightarrow D_1^*(2420)^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}_1^*(2420)^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$
$B^0 \rightarrow D_1(H)^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}_1(H)^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$

# Simulation-based templates: decay composition

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Signal modes

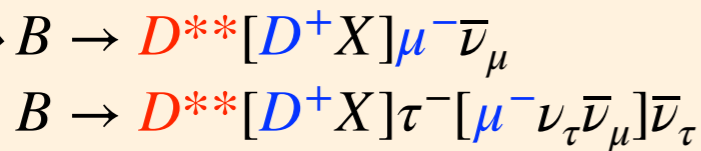


Component fractions varied.

Normalisation modes

Component fractions varied + shape corrections.

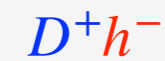
Feed-down bkg. from 1P D\*\* states



Double-charm bkg.



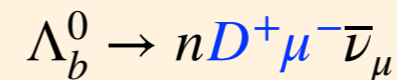
Muon Mis-ID bkg.



Feed-down bkg. from higher-mass D\*\* states



Neutronic bkg.



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# Modelling of detector effects in simulation

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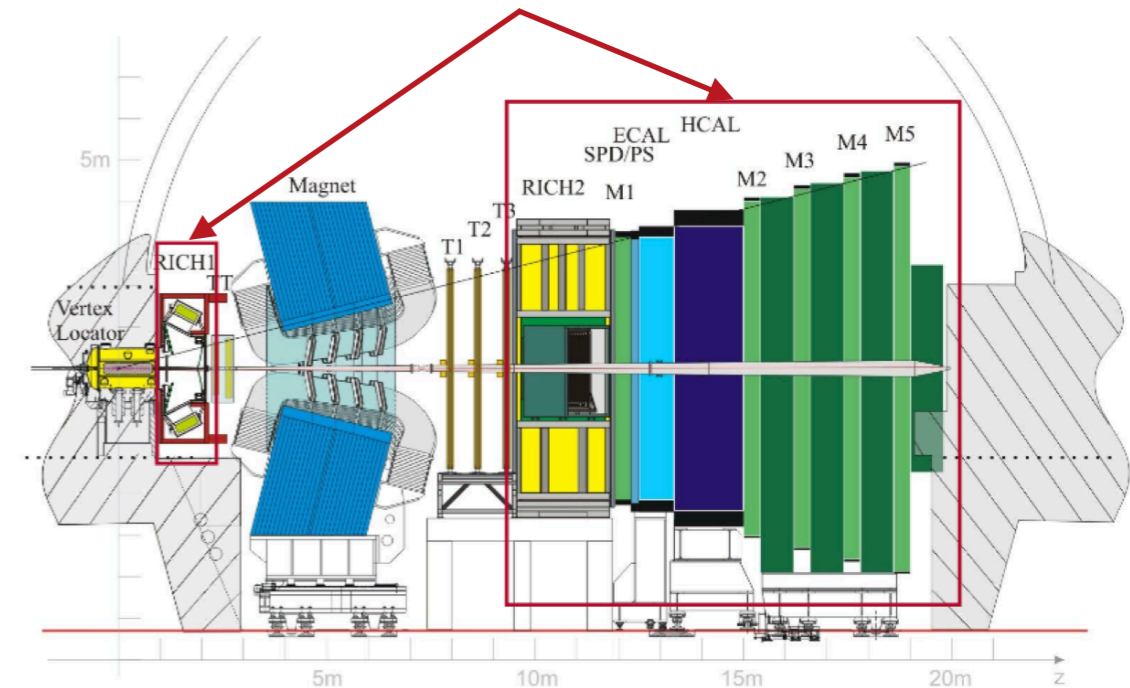
## Tracker-Only ultra-fast simulation

- ➔ First analysis that uses this method.
- ➔ Reduce syst. uncertainty on simulation sample size.
- ➔ Emulation of missing features at analysis level.

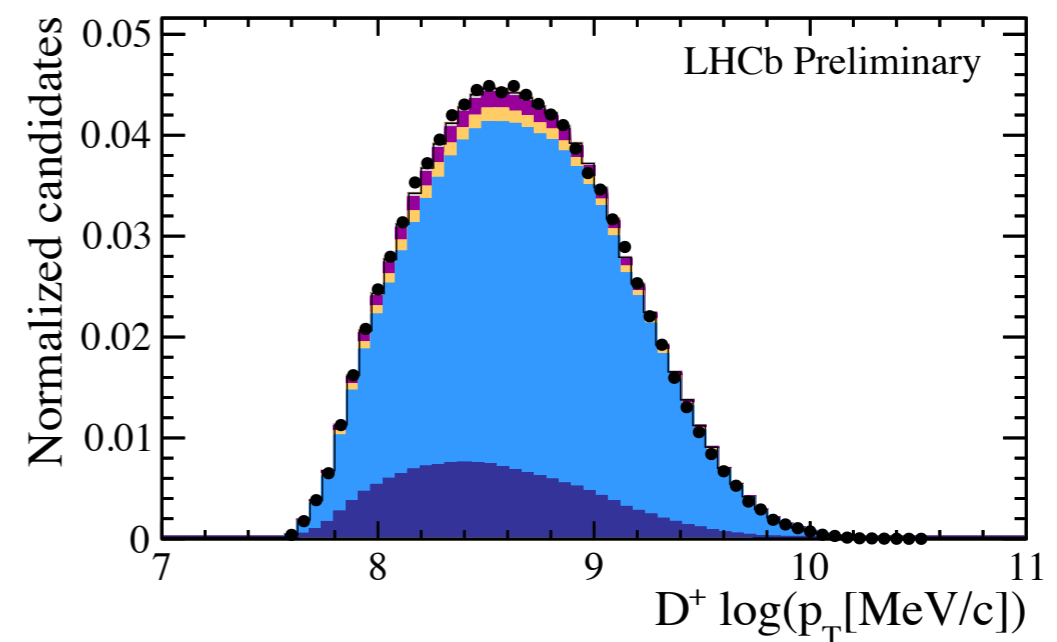
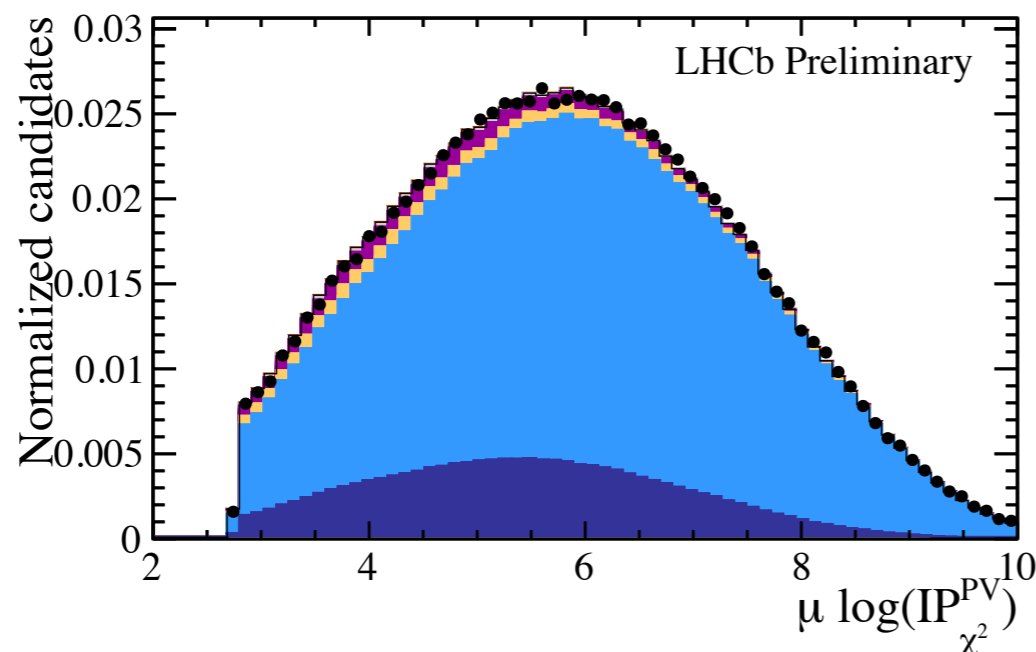
## Data/simulation corrections

- ➔ Multi-dimensional reweightings.
- ➔ Correction of QED effects [[PRL 120, 261804 \(2018\)](#)].

Sub-detector response turned off



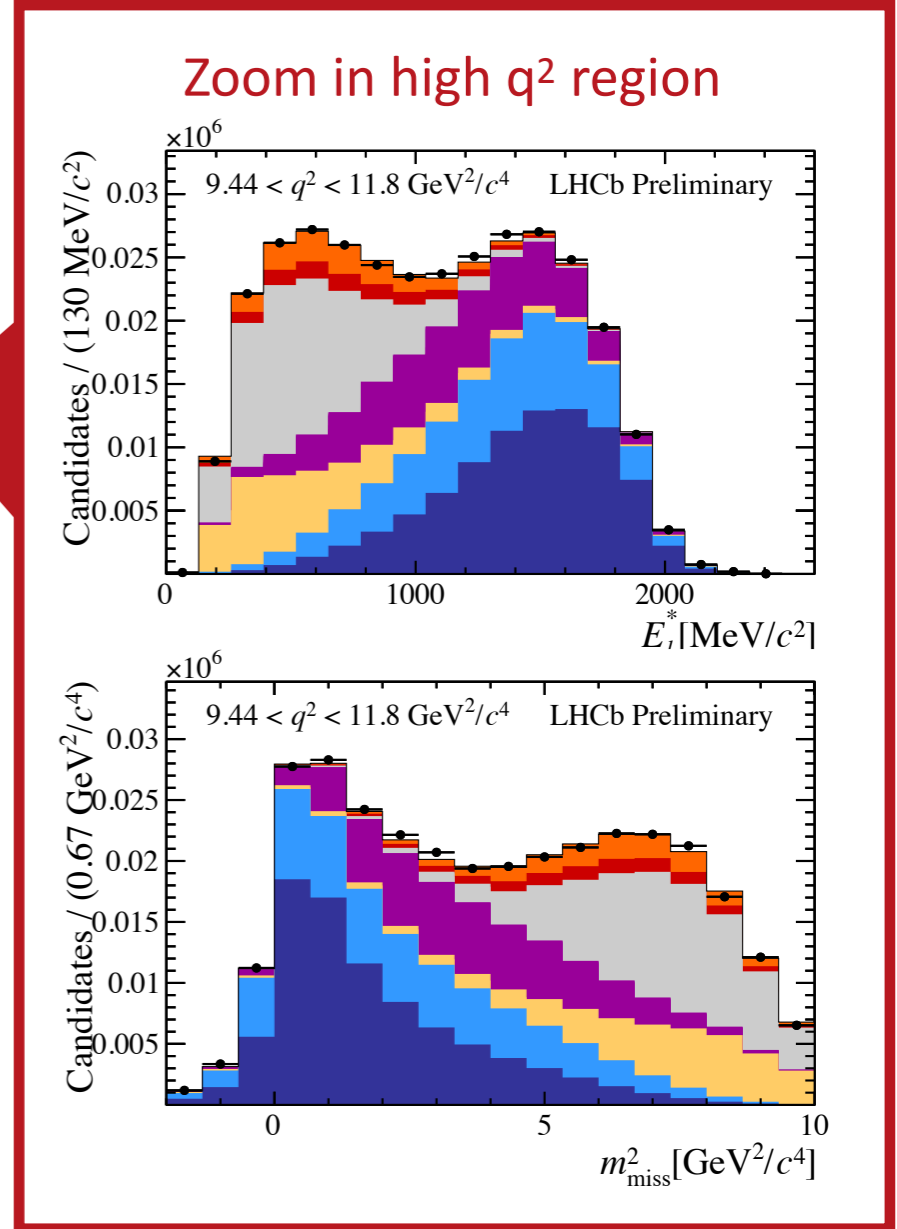
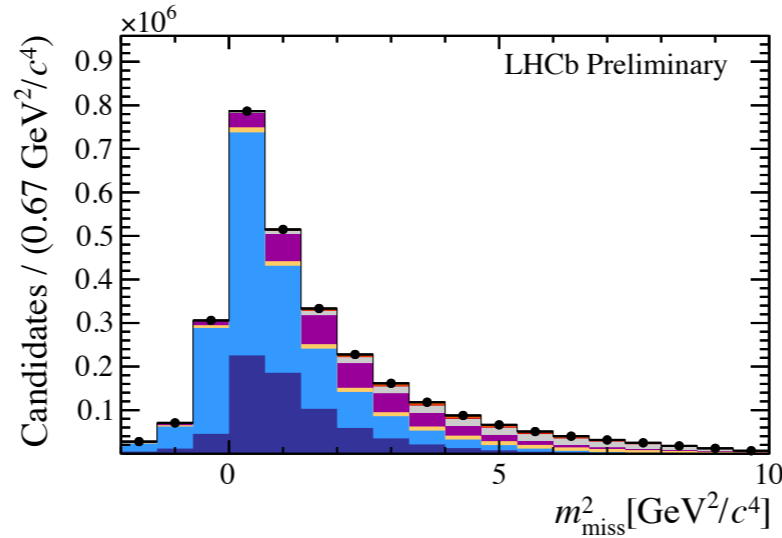
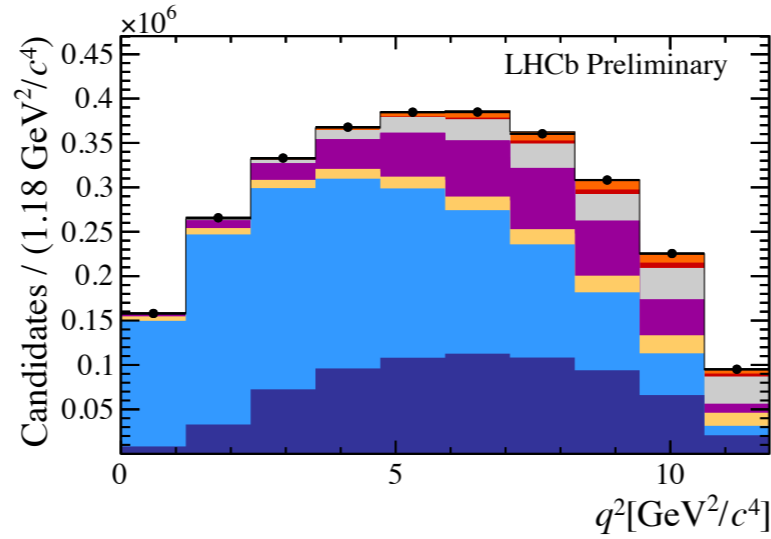
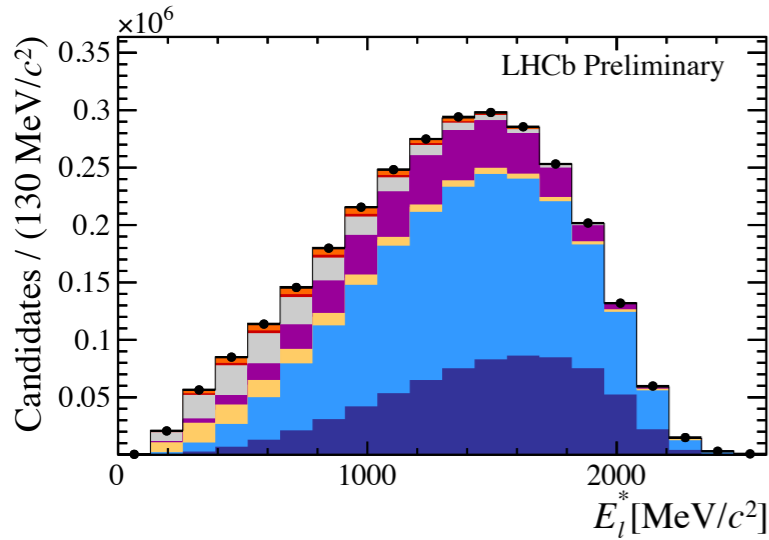
Excellent agreement achieved (see below for a normalisation-enriched control region).



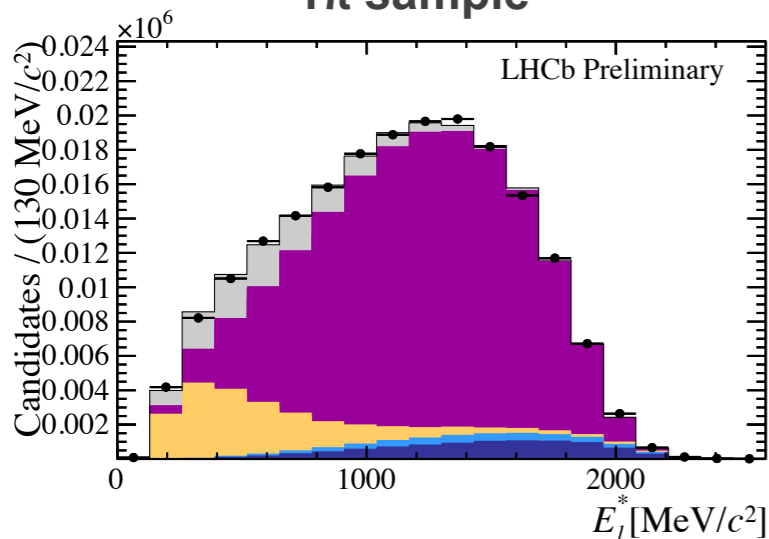
# Results

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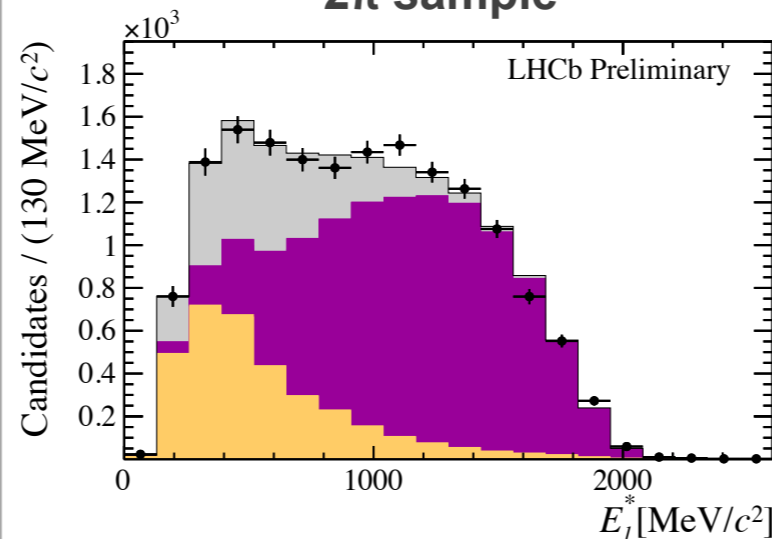
- $B \rightarrow D^+ \tau \nu$
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- $B \rightarrow D^+ X_c X$
- $B \rightarrow D^{**} \mu / \tau \nu$
- Comb + misID
- $B \rightarrow D^+ \mu \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^{*+} \mu \nu$



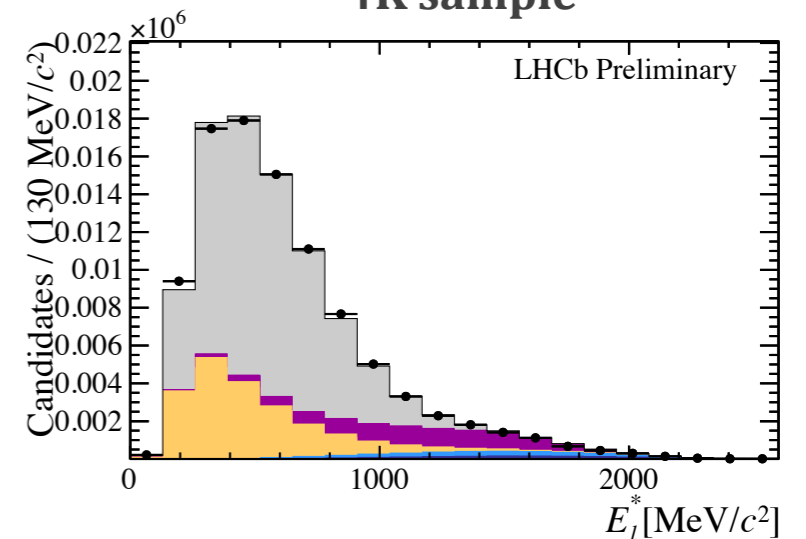
## 1 $\pi$ sample



## 2 $\pi$ sample



## 1K sample



# Results

From simulation.

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$$R(D^{(*)+}) = \frac{\epsilon_{\mu}^{D^{(*)+}} N_{\tau}^{D^{(*)+}}}{\epsilon_{\tau}^{D^{(*)+}} N_{\mu}^{D^{(*)+}}} \frac{1}{\mathcal{B}(\tau^{-} \rightarrow \mu^{-} \nu_{\tau})}$$

[LHCb preliminary]

$$R(D^{+}) = 0.249 \pm 0.043(stat) \pm 0.047(syst)$$

$$R(D^{*+}) = 0.402 \pm 0.081(stat) \pm 0.085(syst)$$

$$\rho = -0.39$$

Results compatible with the SM at the **0.78  $\sigma$**  level.

Results compatible with the (previous) World Average at the **1.09  $\sigma$**  level.

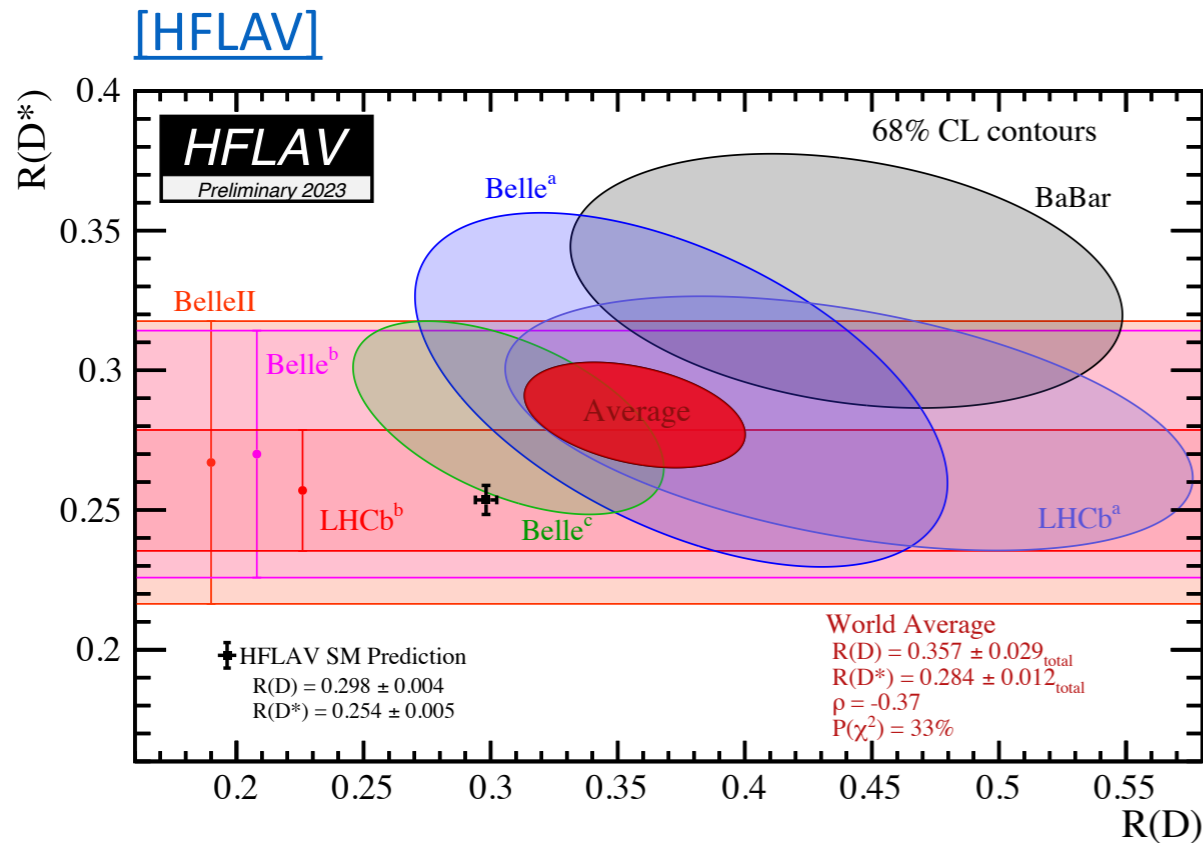
Source	$\mathcal{R}(D^{+})$	$\mathcal{R}(D^{*+})$
Form factors	0.023	0.035
$B \rightarrow D^{**}[D^{+}X]\mu/\tau\nu$ fractions	0.024	0.025
$B \rightarrow D^{+}X_cX$ fractions	0.020	0.034
Misidentification	0.019	0.012
Simulation size	0.009	0.030
Combinatorial background	0.005	0.020
Data/simulation agreement	0.016	0.011
Muon identification	0.008	0.027
Multiple candidates	0.007	0.017
Total systematic uncertainty	0.047	0.086

Main systematic uncertainties from form-factor parameterisation and background modelling.

# New World Average

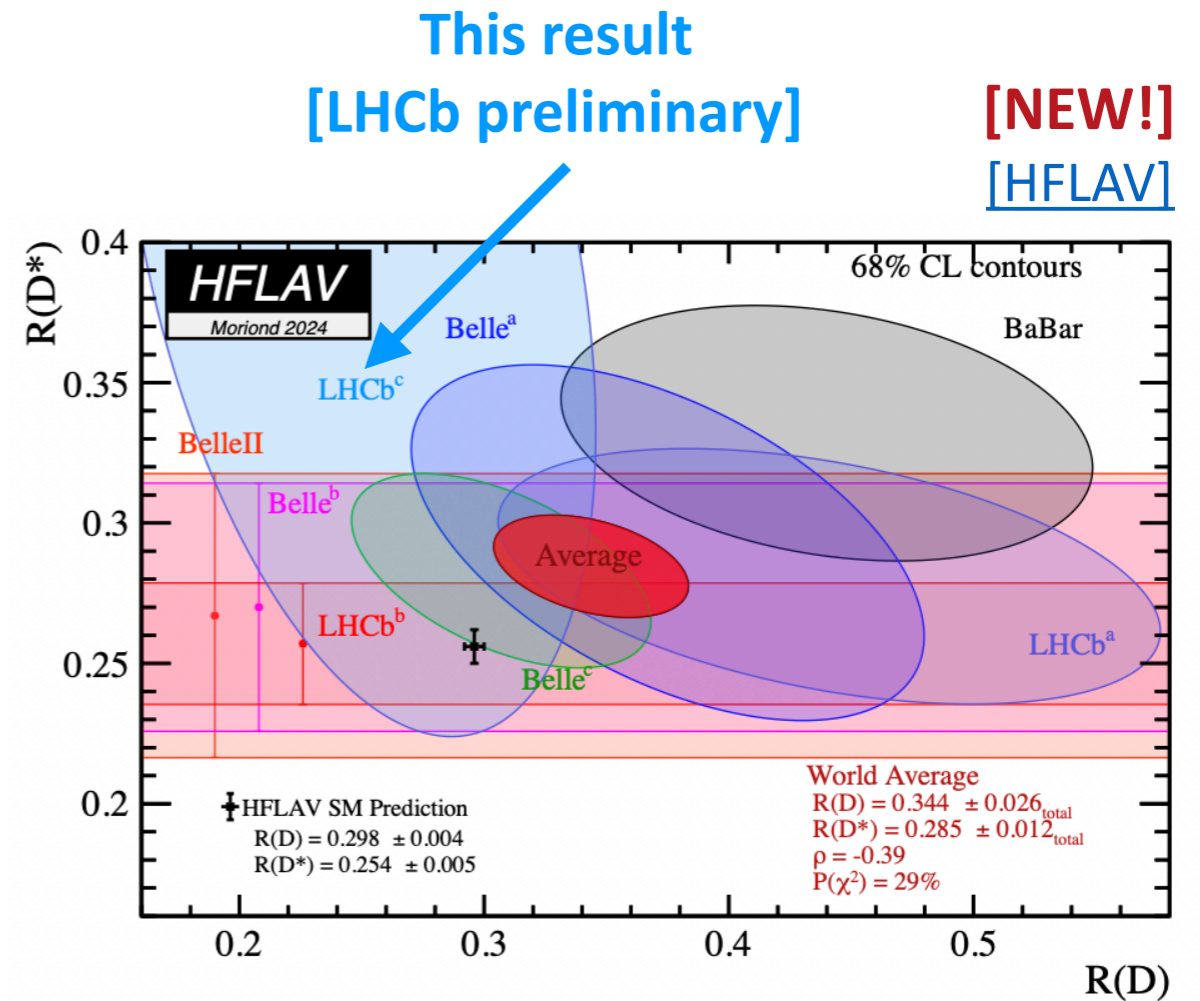
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**Previous World Average.**

Tension with SM at the level of **3.34  $\sigma$** .



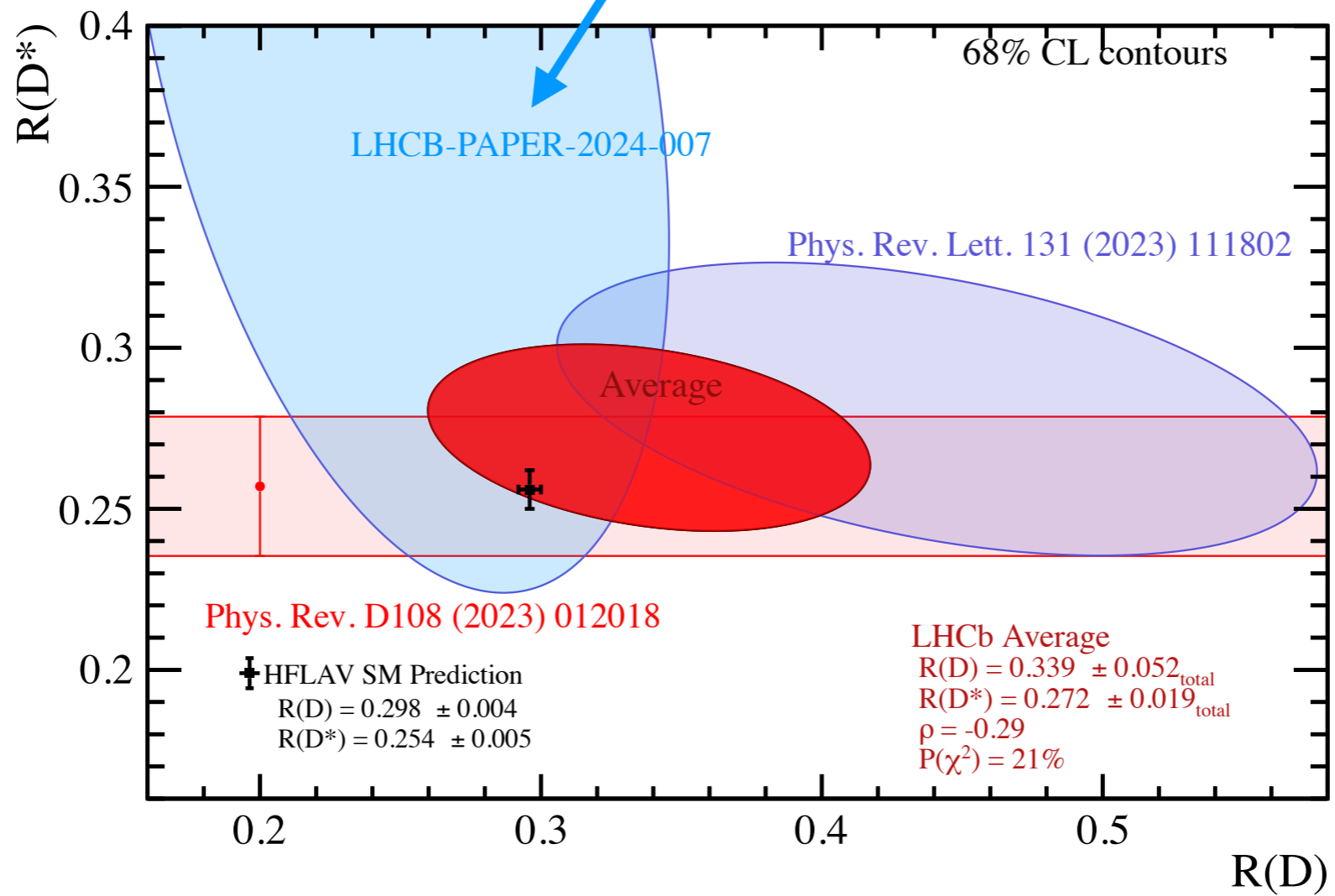
**New World Average.**

Tension with SM at the level of **3.17  $\sigma$** .

# LHCb combination

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This result  
[LHCb preliminary]



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*Hadronic  $\tau$  decay*

*Angular analyses*

**D\*  $F_L$  Run 1 & partial Run 2**  
[\[arXiv:2311.05224\]](https://arxiv.org/abs/2311.05224) (2023)



# D\* polarisation fraction in $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^{*+}[D^0\pi^+]\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$ decays

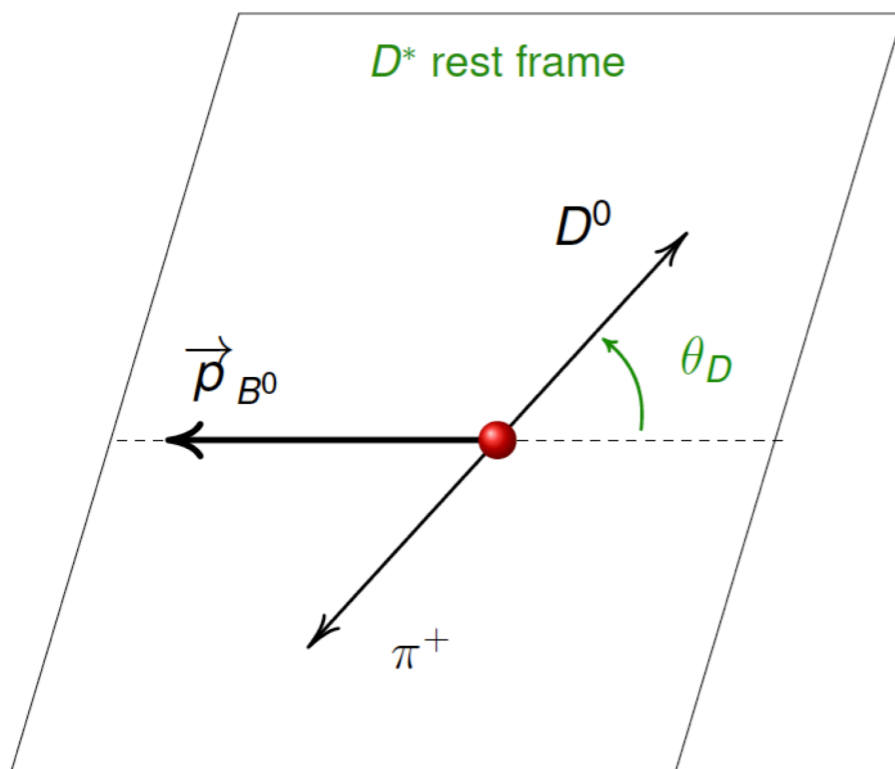
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$$\frac{d^2\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_D} = \mathbf{a}_{\theta_D}(q^2) + \mathbf{c}_{\theta_D}(q^2) \cos^2\theta_D$$

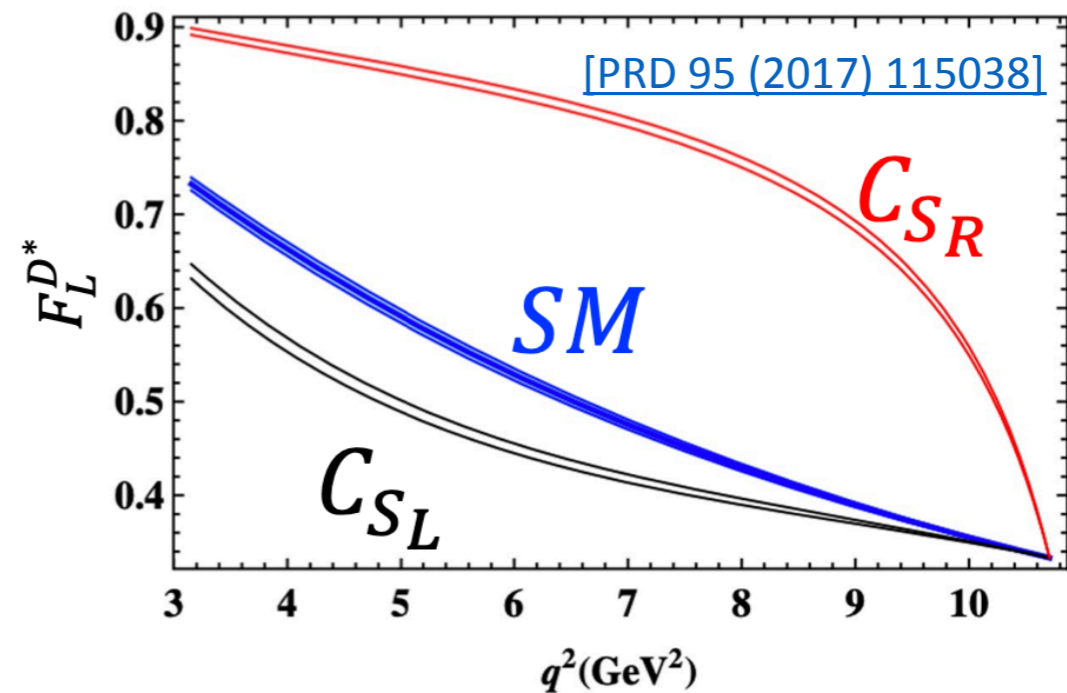
$$F_L^{D^*} = \frac{\mathbf{a}_{\theta_D}(q^2) + \mathbf{c}_{\theta_D}(q^2)}{3\mathbf{a}_{\theta_D}(q^2) + \mathbf{c}_{\theta_D}(q^2)}$$

unpolarised signal fraction

polarised signal fraction



The presence of new mediators impacts the polarisation fraction.



# Analysis and results

[arXiv:2311.05224]

Run 1 + partial Run 2 (5fb<sup>-1</sup>), **hadronic  $\tau$  decay**.

➔ Background suppression and control **similar to Run 2 R(D<sup>\*</sup>) analysis** [PRD 108, 012018].

Measurement of  $F_L^{D^*}$ :

- **4D-binned template fit** on:  $\tau$  decay time, anti- $D_s$  BDT output,  **$\cos \theta_D$**  and  $q^2$  ( $q^2 \leq 7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$ ).
- Two signal components: **polarised & unpolarised**.

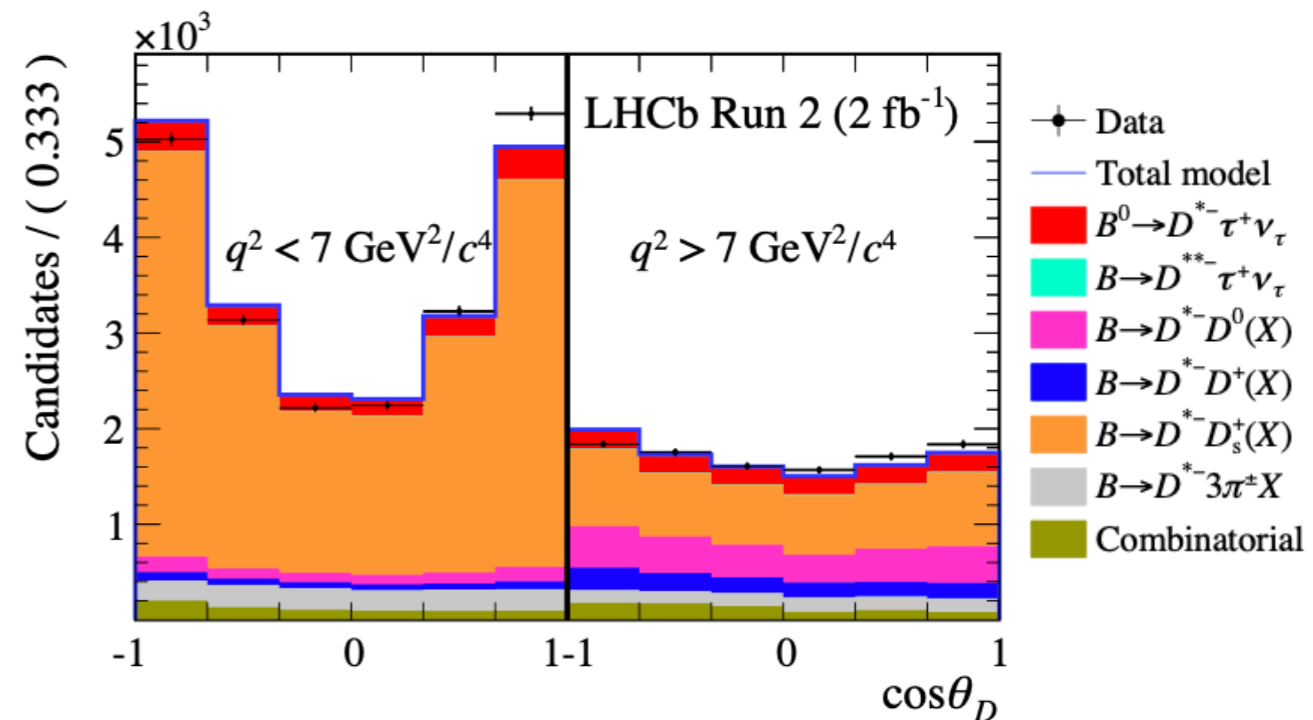
Measured values of  $F_L^{D^*}$ :

$$q^2 < 7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4 : 0.51 \pm 0.07 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$q^2 > 7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4 : 0.35 \pm 0.08 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$q^2 \text{ whole range} : 0.43 \pm 0.06 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst)}$$

Main systematic uncertainties from size of simulated samples, FF parameterisation and double-charm background modelling.



**Compatible with previous Belle measurement:**

$$F_L^{D^*} = 0.60 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.04 \text{ [arXiv:1903.03102]}$$

**Compatible with SM:**

$$F_L^{D^*} = 0.441 \pm 0.006 \text{ [PRD 98 (2018) 095018]}$$

$$F_L^{D^*} = 0.457 \pm 0.010 \text{ [Eur. Phys. J. C 79, 268 (2019)]}$$

$$F_L^{D^*} = 0.467 \pm 0.009 \text{ [Eur. Phys. J. C 80, 347 (2020)]}$$

$$F_L^{D^*} = 0.422 \pm 0.010 \text{ [arXiv:2310.03680]}$$

$$F_L^{D^*}[q^2 < 7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4] = 0.495 \pm 0.017 \text{ [arXiv:2310.03680]}$$

$$F_L^{D^*}[q^2 > 7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4] = 0.383 \pm 0.006 \text{ [arXiv:2310.03680]}$$

## Summary and outlook

Review of recent LHCb measurements of charged-current semileptonic decays, focused on  $b \rightarrow c\tau\nu$  transitions.

**First LHCb measurement of  $R(D^+)$  &  $R(D^{*+})$  [NEW!]**, with a muonic decay of the tau lepton.

- ➔ **Compatible with the World Average and with the SM.**
- ➔ **New HFLAV average: overall tension at the level of  $3.17 \sigma$ .**

**First LHCb angular analysis of charged-current semitauonic decays**, measuring the  $D^*$  polarisation fraction in  $B^0 \rightarrow D^*\tau\nu$  with a hadronic decay of the tau lepton.

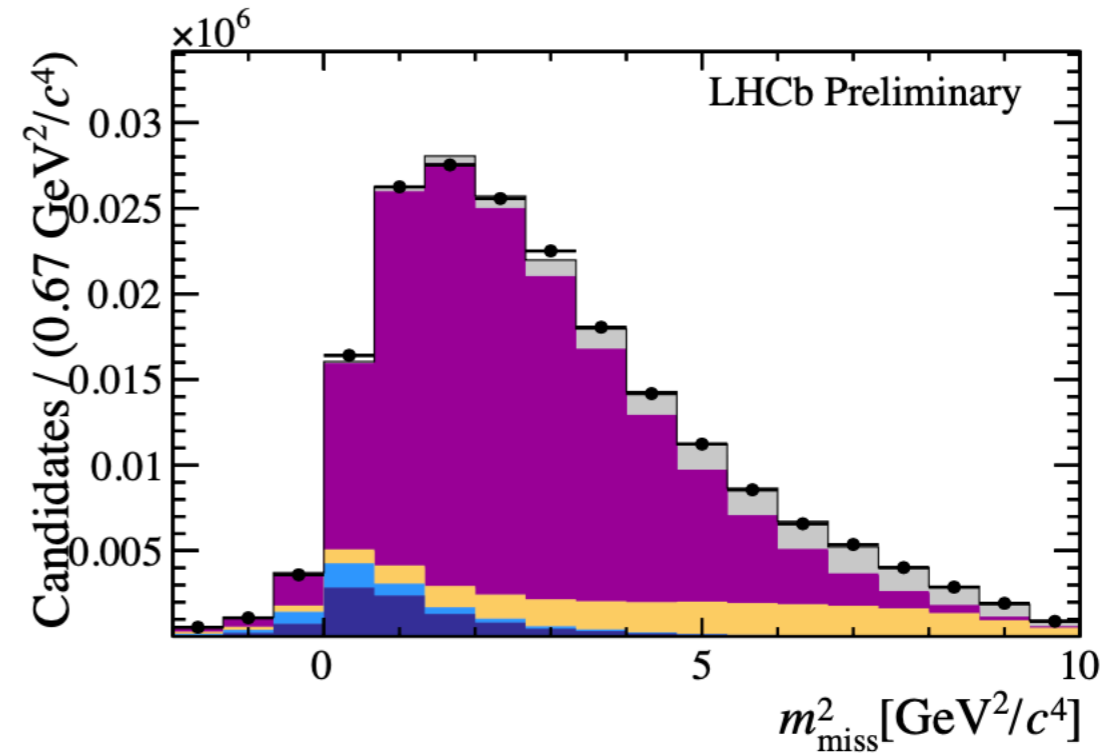
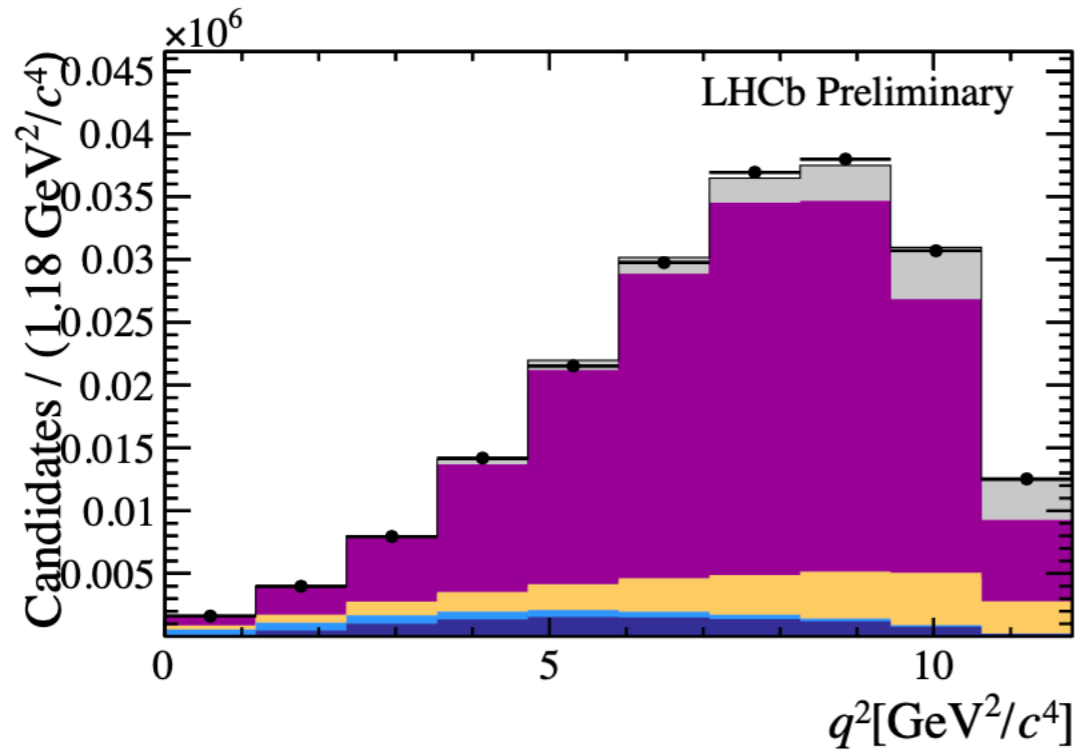
- ➔ **Better precision than previous result, compatible with it and with the SM.**

Outlook:

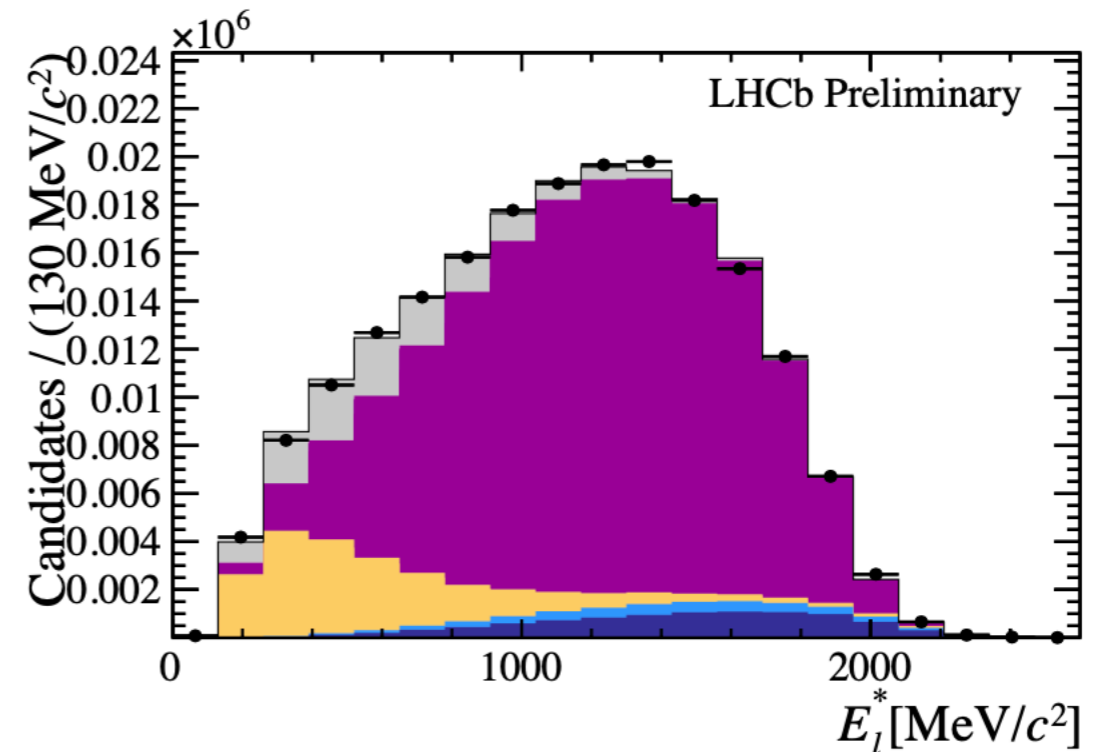
- Improve the precision of the current measurements: updates with full Run 2, Runs 3 and 4, Upgrade II (aiming to collect  $300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ).
- Measure new observables: other  $R(H_c)$  ratios, other angular observables.

**Backup slides**

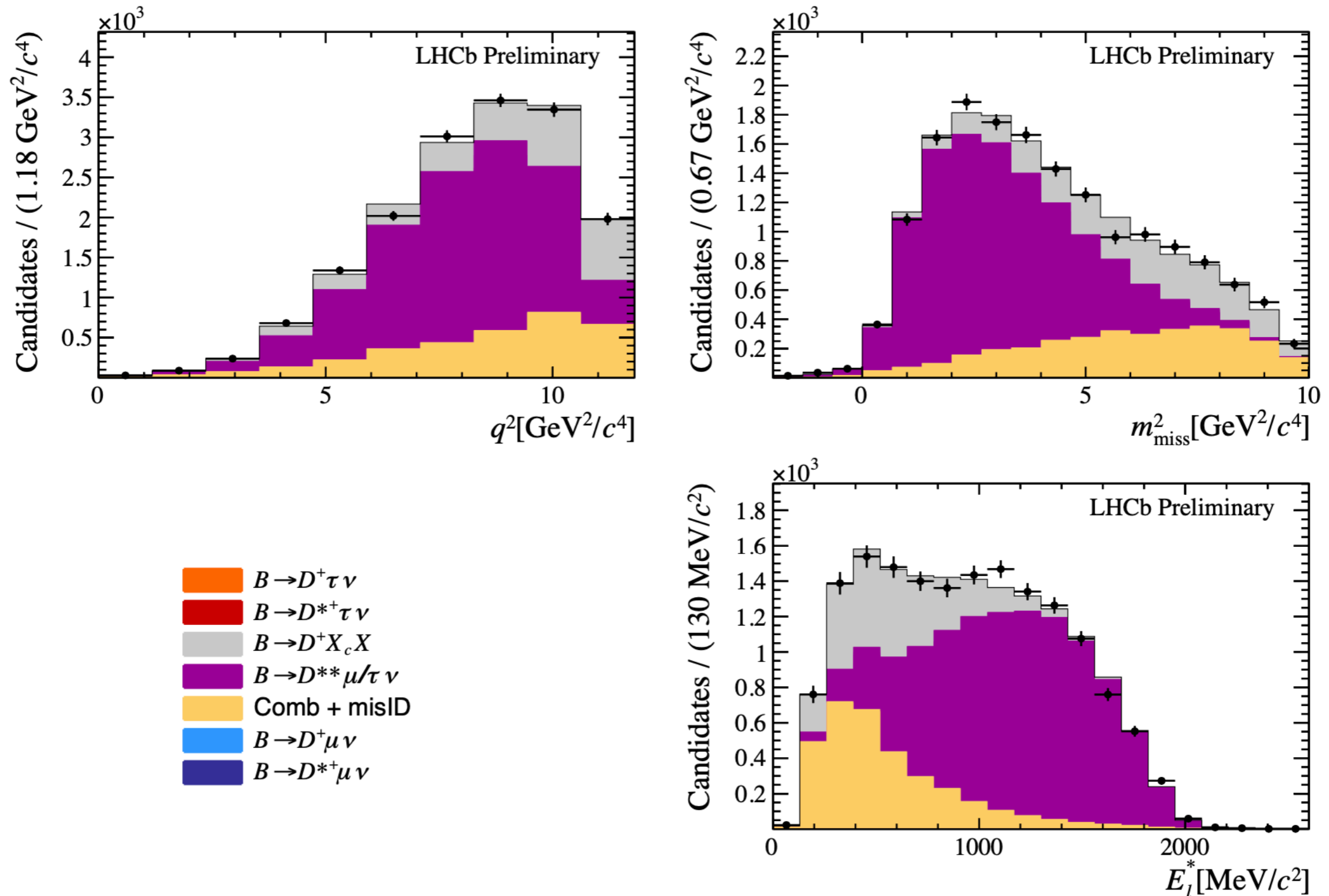
# Measurement of $R(D^{(*)+})$ : fit projections in $1\pi$ sample



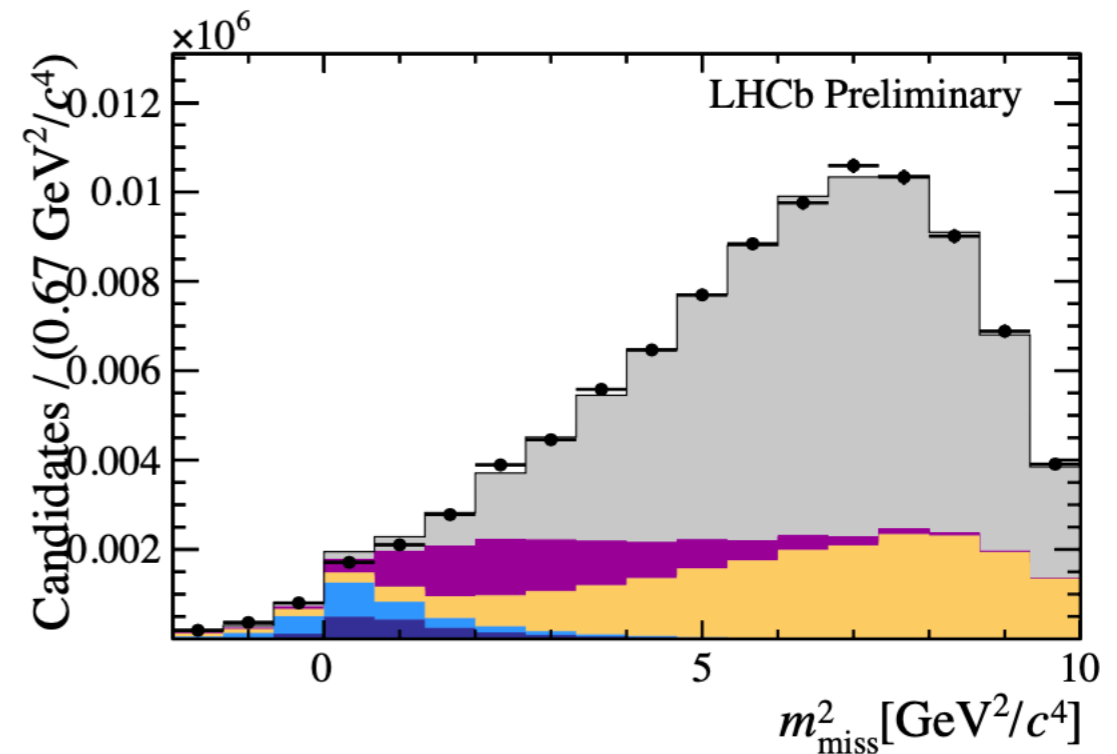
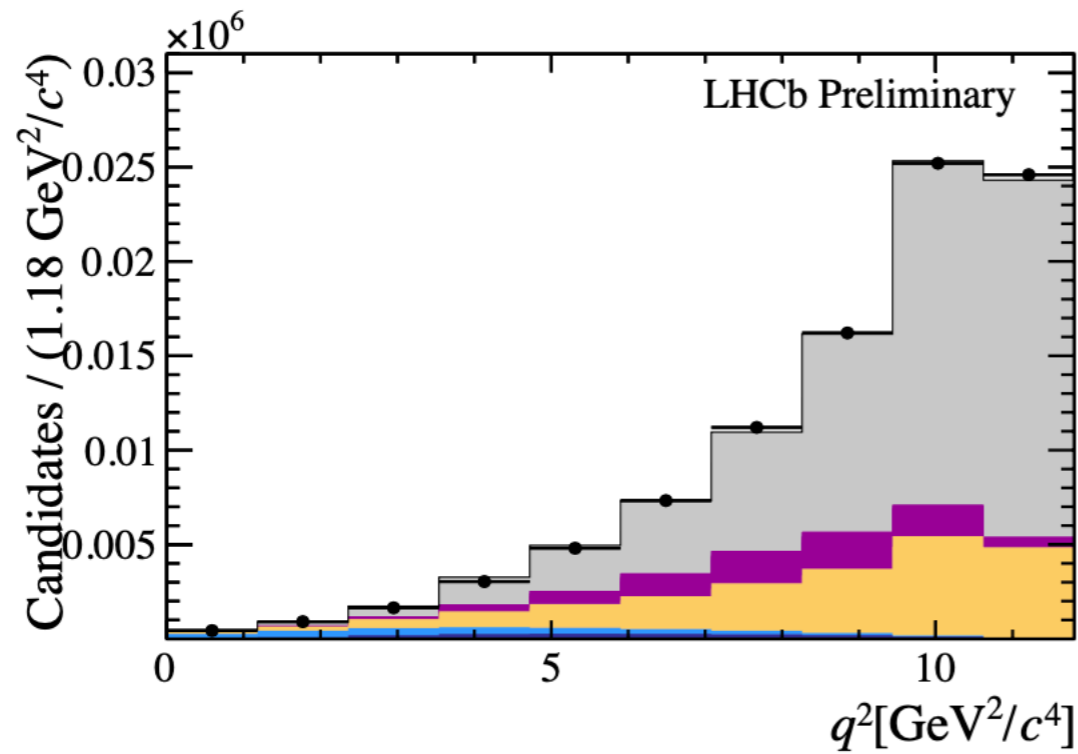
- $B \rightarrow D^+ \tau \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^{*+} \tau \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^+ X_c X$
- $B \rightarrow D^{**} \mu/\tau \nu$
- Comb + misID
- $B \rightarrow D^+ \mu \nu$
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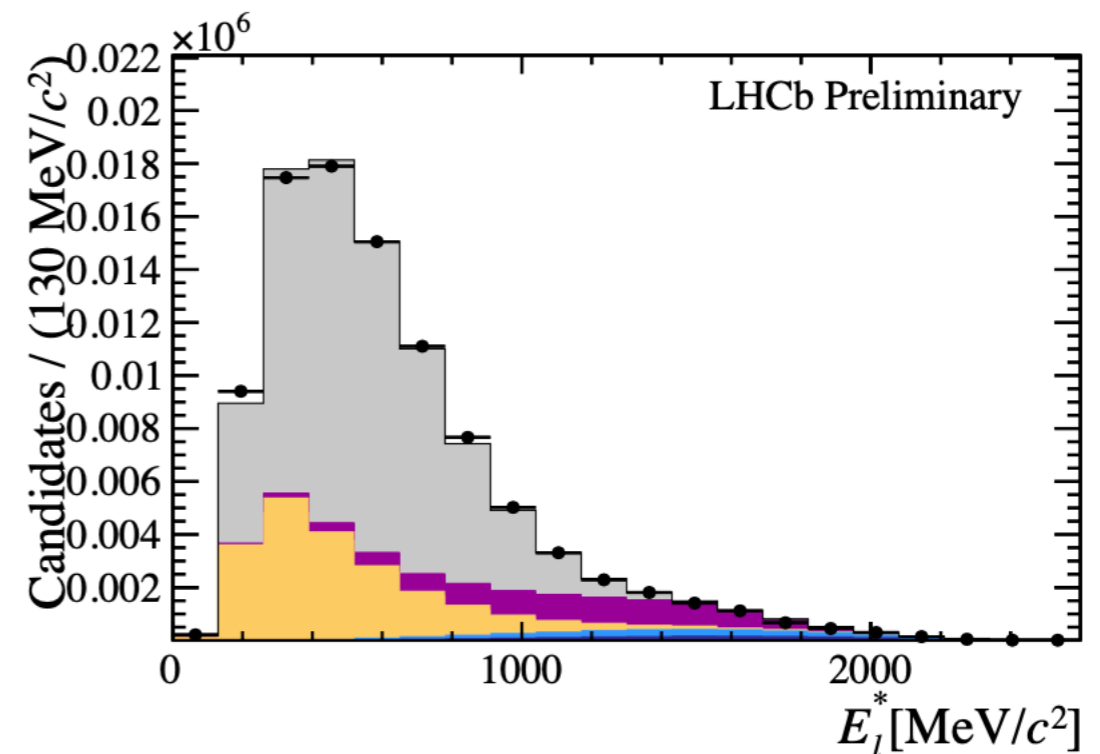
# Measurement of $R(D^{(*)+})$ : fit projections in $2\pi$ sample



# Measurement of $R(D^{(*)+})$ : fit projections in 1K sample



- $B \rightarrow D^+ \tau \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^{*+} \tau \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^+ X_c X$
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- Comb + misID
- $B \rightarrow D^+ \mu \nu$
- $B \rightarrow D^{*+} \mu \nu$



# Measurement of $R(D^{(*)+})$ : analysis strategy

[\[arXiv:2311.05224\]](#)

Dataset: **Run 1 + partial Run 2** ( $5\text{fb}^{-1}$  in total), **hadronic  $\tau$  decay**.

**Background suppression and control similar to the Run 2  $R(D^*)$  analysis**  
[\[PRD 108, 012018\]](#).

Measurement of  $F_L^{D^*}$ :

- 4D-binned template fit simultaneous on Run1 and Run2 data on:  $\cos \theta_D$ ,  $q^2$  (split in two regions  $q^2 \leq 7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$ ),  $\tau$  decay time and anti- $D_s$  BDT output.
- Split the signal model into polarised and unpolarised components, whose relative fraction can be used to determine  $F_L^{D^*}$ .

**Background suppression:**

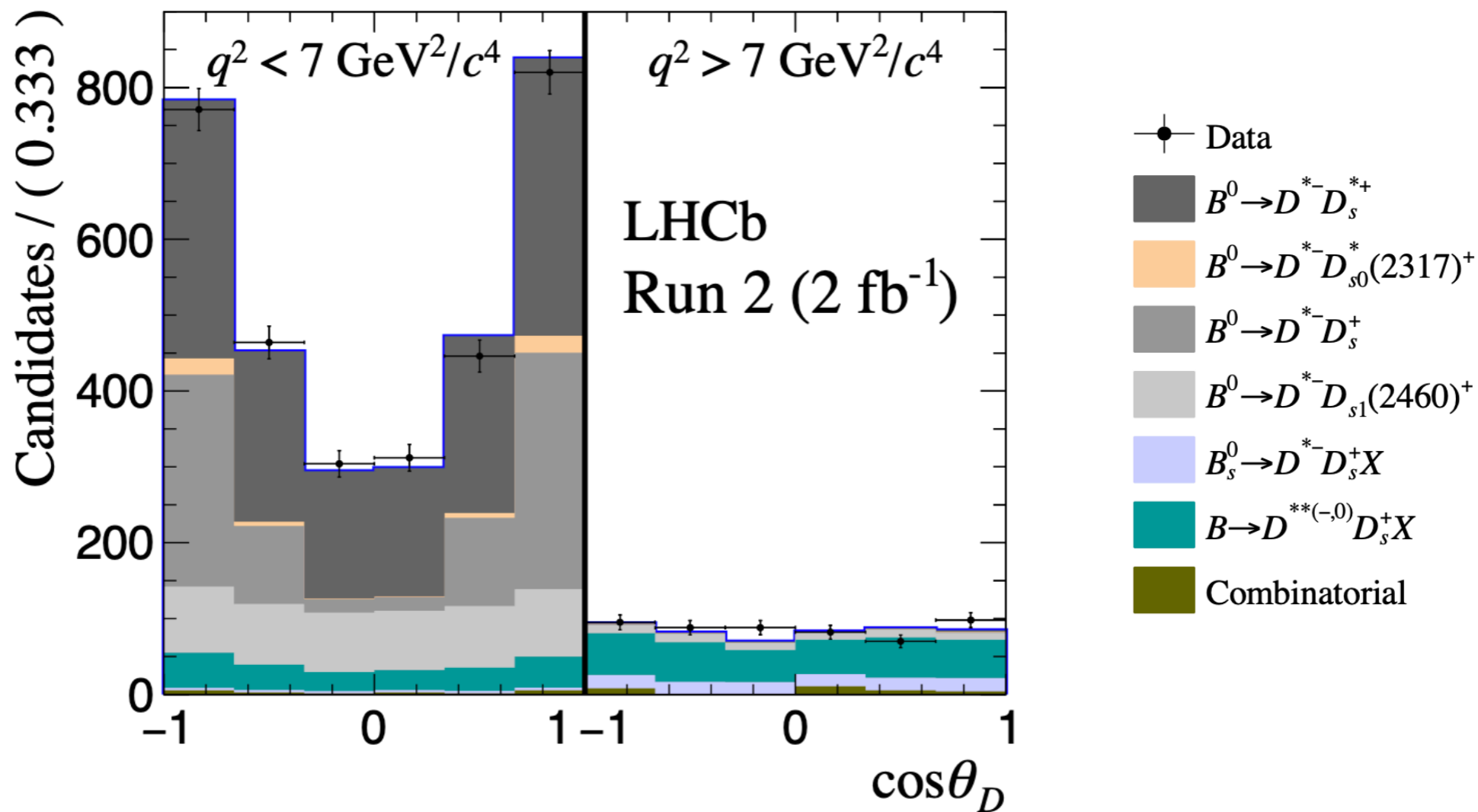
- **“Prompt-decay” bkg.,  $B \rightarrow D^* 3\pi X$  (BF  $\sim 100x$  signal):** require **displacement** between  $\tau$  and B vertices + BDT in Run 2.
- **Double charm bkg.,  $B \rightarrow D^* D^{+,0}_{(s)} X$  (BF  $\sim 10x$  signal):** **isolation** from extra charged particles + anti- $D_s$  BDT (including isolation from extra neutral particles and  **$3\pi$  kinematics**).

**Data-driven correction of simulation samples:**

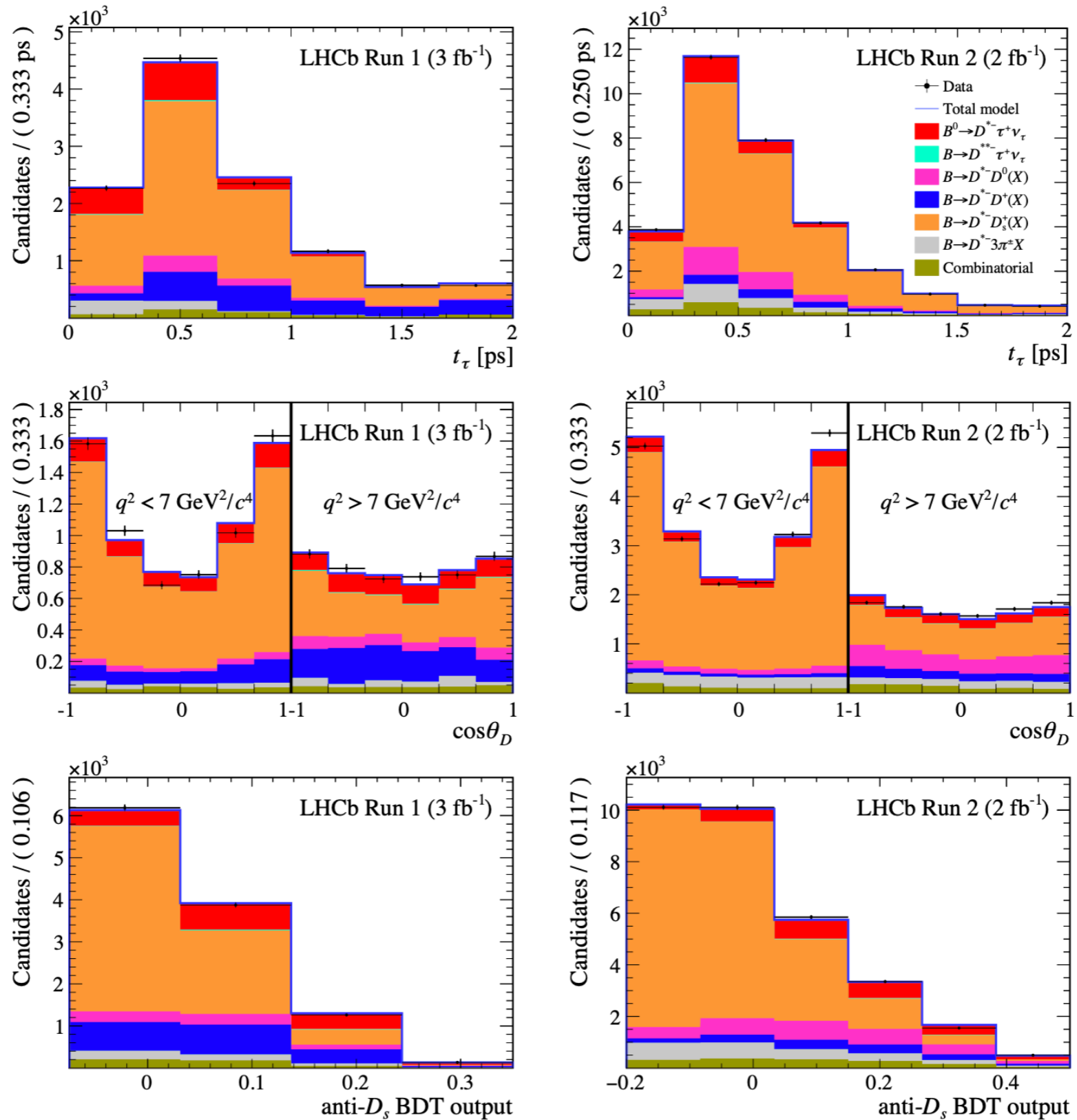
- $D_s^{(*,**)}$  production fractions and  $D_s$  decay models in  **$B \rightarrow D^* D^{+,0}_s X$** .
- **$B \rightarrow D^* D^{0,+} X$**  templates.



# Measurement of $D^*$ $F_L$ : control sample for $B \rightarrow D^* D^{+,0}_s X$



# Measurement of $D^*$ $F_L$ : fit projections



# Measurement of $D^* F_L$ : systematic uncertainties

[\[arXiv:2311.05224\]](https://arxiv.org/abs/2311.05224)

Source	low- $q^2$	high- $q^2$	whole $q^2$ range
Fit validation	0.003	0.002	0.003
FF model	0.007	0.003	0.005
FF parameters	0.013	0.006	0.011
Limited template statistics	0.027	0.017	0.019
Fraction of signal $\tau^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^0 \nu_\tau$ decays	0.001	0.001	0.001
Fraction of $D^{**}$ feed-down	0.001	0.004	0.003
Signal selection	0.005	0.004	0.005
Bin migration	0.008	0.006	0.007
$F_L^{D^*}$ in simulation	0.007	0.003	0.007
$D_s^+$ decay model	0.008	0.009	0.009
Shape of $\cos \theta_D$ template in $D^{*-} D_s^+$ decays	0.002	0.001	0.002
Shape of $\cos \theta_D$ template in $D^{*-} D_s^{*+}$ decays	0.007	0.002	0.004
Shape of $\cos \theta_D$ template in $D^{*-} D_s^+ X$ decays	0.007	0.006	0.007
Shape of $\cos \theta_D$ template in $D^{*-} D^+ X$ decays	0.002	0.002	0.003
Shape of $\cos \theta_D$ template in $D^{*-} D^0 X$ decays	0.002	0.002	0.003
$F_L^{D^*}$ integration method	-	-	0.002
Total	0.036	0.023	0.029