Search for New Physics signals with the LHCb detector at the LHC

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Outline

- Introduction:
 - Flavour physics in the LHC era as a window for New PhysicsIntriguing anomalies in the Standard Model picture
- LHC: a heavy quarks factory
- The LHCb experiment:

key experimental ingredients for heavy flavour physics measurements: status of the art

• First results from LHCb from 2010 run and prospects for the 2011 run

- Flavour physics has been so far a powerful probe to test the Standard Model structure.
- However the Standard Model cannot be the ultimate theory:

 it does not explain the hierarchy problem, the dark matter problem, the baryon asymmetry, the mass pattern and mixing angles of quarks and leptons and it does not account for gravitational interactions. In particular the baryon asymmetry and the neutrino mass cannot be explained in the SM and are of a flavour physics nature.
- The SM is likely the low-energy $(\sim M_W)$ limit of a more fundamental theory that involves new particles, symmetries and degrees of freedom at higher energy scale.
- Therefore the two key questions of particle physics today are:
 1) which is the energy scale of new physics?

2) which is the symmetry structure of the new degrees of 2 freedom?

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Mars from Hubble Space Telescope

The "Flavour" problem

However if NP is at the TeV scale to solve the hierarchy problem eg reachable by ATLAS/CMS – it must have a rather sophisticated flavour structure to account for the absence of unambiguous NP signals in FCNC transitions.





NP [if any] will appear as small anomalies in the Standard Model picture..

→High statistics and high resolution is required (LHCb now, Belle-II & SuperB tomorrow..) to understand the nature of these anomalies.



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- A precise measurement of γ from tree processes and improved precision in V_{ub} will show if there are new phases involved in B_d mixing processes.

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Includes A_{sl} from D0 but not 2010 measurements from CDF&D0 of β_s

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 $extra \ tree-level \ contribution \\ simple \ M_H \ \& \ tan\beta \ dependence$

Contribution of non-SM Higgs(es)?

$$B(B \rightarrow l\nu) = B_{SM} \left(1 - \frac{m_B^2 \tan^2}{M_H^2 (1 + \epsilon_0 \tan\beta)} \right)^2$$

$$B(B \rightarrow h)_{SM} = C_0 f_B^2 |V_{ub}|^2$$

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Understanding these [and other] anomalies is the role of Flavour Physics in the coming years.

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2. LHC machine and LHCb detector performance



The Hubble space telescope

LHC: the 2010 run and perspectives for 2011

- 2010 run (*a*) \sqrt{s} = 7 TeV - a "glorious" run:

 L_{peak} increased x10/month, >90% L collected in 20 days! $L_{int} \sim 42/38 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ (delivered/recorded) with $L_{peak} \sim 1.6 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$



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LHCb,\sigma(pp \rightarrow bb @ 7 \text{ TeV}) \sim 300 \text{ ub}^{(*)}

L ~ 38 pb<sup>-1</sup> \rightarrow ~10<sup>10</sup> bb-pairs produced

(B<sup>+</sup>, B<sub>d</sub>, B<sub>s</sub>, \Lambda_b)

Babar+Belle @ Y(4S),

L ~ 1.5 ab<sup>-1</sup> \rightarrow 1.5 10<sup>9</sup> bb pairs

produced (only B<sup>+</sup>, B<sub>d</sub>)
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(*) LHCb, Phys.Lett.B 694 (2010) 209

-2011 run (a) $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV – the close future:

LHC just resumed the operations LHCb expects to collect 1 fb⁻¹ in 2011

LHCb at the LHC



LHCb skills for Rare and CP-violating b- (and c-) decays:

- □ Huge cross sections: $\sigma(pp \rightarrow bb(cc)X)$ @ 7 TeV ~ 300 µb (6 mb)
- □ Large acceptance (bb are produced forward/backward): LHCb acceptance 1.9< η <4.9 (CDF: $|\eta|$ <1; D0: $|\eta|$ <2; CMS/ATLAS: $|\eta|$ <2.4)
- □ Large boost: → average flight distance of B mesons ~ 10 mm

 \rightarrow A huge amount of very displaced b's.....

.... But in a harsh environment!

- σ (pp, inelastic) @ $\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV ~ 60 mb

- 80 tracks per event in 'high'-pileup conditions (~2.5 pp interactions/Xing)
- only 1/200 event contains a b quark , and we are looking for



 \rightarrow Our problem is clearly the background...

Key ingredients for LHCb: [where we cannot fail]

1) Efficient trigger:

- to separate hadronic and leptonic final states from the HUGE background

2) Good mass resolution & particle identification:

- 3) Excellent vertex resolution:
 - to resolve fast Bs oscillations and separate signals from background



1. LHCb Trigger



Small event size (~60 kB) allows for a large bandwidth \rightarrow relatively low trigger thresholds \rightarrow high efficiency

	charm	hadr. B	lept. B
nominal L	~ 10%	$\sim 40\%$	~ 90%

Muon Triggers in 2010 (eg: $B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu \& B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$)



- Half of the bandwidth (~1 kHz) given to the muon lines
- p_T cuts on muon lines kept very low $\rightarrow \epsilon$ (trigger for di- μ channels) > 90%
- Trigger rather stable during the whole period (despite L increased by $\sim 10^5$)

key ingredients for b- [c-]physics: Vertex & IP resolutions

Crucial for time-dependent CP asymmetries: β s, γ , charm, ... Crucial for tagging and background rejection.

Primary vertex resolutions (25 tracks):				
		LHCb [µm]	ATLAS [μm]	CMS [µm]
	σ(x)	15.8	60	20-40
	σ(γ)	15.2	60	20-40
	σ(z)	91.0	100	40-60





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	p-resolution	Mass resolution J/ψ→μμ
LHCb	$\delta p/p = 0.4-0.6 \%$	13 MeV
CMS	$\delta pt/pt = 1-3 \%$	40 MeV
ATLAS	$\delta pt/pt = 5-6 \%$	71 MeV

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We have all the arms to attack our core physics program:

3. First flavour physics results



First images from the space:

"August 29, 1990: The Hubble Space Telescope has resolved, to an unprecedented detail of 0.1 arcsecond, a mysterious elliptical ring of material around the remnants of Supernova 1987A. "

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(brand new result presented in La Thuile arXiv:1103.2465 Submitted to Phys.Lett.B

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$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: the LHCb hunt for non-SM Higgs(es)

 $B_{(d,s)} \rightarrow \mu\mu$ is the best way for LHCb to constrain the parameters of the extended Higgs sector in MSSM, fully complementary to direct searches



Double suppressed decay: FCNC process and helicity suppressed: → very small in the Standard Model but very well predicted:

$$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- = (3.2 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-9}$$

 $B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- = (1.0 \pm 0.1) \times 10^{-10}$

Buras et al., arXiv:1007.5291

→ sensitive to New Physics contributions in the scalar/pseudo-scalar sector:

$$(c_{S,P}^{MSSM})^2 \propto \left(\frac{m_b m_\mu \tan^3 \beta}{M_A^2}\right)^2$$

MSSM, large $tan\beta$ approximation

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5 σ discovery contours for observing the heavy MSSM Higgs bosons H, A in the three decay channels H,A $\rightarrow \tau^+\tau^- \rightarrow$ jets (solid line), jet+ μ (dashed line), Jet+e (dotted line) assuming 30-60 fb⁻¹ collected by CMS.



LHCb calculation using F. Mahmoudi, SuperIso, arXiv: 08083144

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$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: analysis strategy

- Soft selection:
 - reduces the dataset to a manageable level
- Discrimination between S and B via Multi Variate Discriminant variable (GL) and Invariant Mass (IM)

- events in the sensitive region are classified in bins of a 2D plane Invariant Mass and the GL variables

• Normalization:

Convert the signal PDFs into a number of expected signal events by normalizing to channels of known BR

• Extraction of the limit:

- assign to each observed event a probability to be S+B or B-only as a function of the BR($B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$) value; exclude (observe) the assumed BR value at a given confidence level using the **CLs binned method**.

$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: soft selection

Soft selection:

(pairs of opposite charged muons with high quality tracks, making a common vertex very displaced with respect to the PV and $M_{\mu\mu}$ in the range [4769-5969] MeV/c²)

1) Keeps high efficiency for signals:

After selection $B_s(B_d) \rightarrow \mu \mu$ events expected (if BR=BR(SM)): 0.3 (0.04)

3) Rejects most of the background

→ ~ 3000 background events in the large mass range [4769-5969] MeV/c²

~ 300 background events in the signal windows: $M(B_{s,d}) \pm 60 \text{ MeV}$

> Signal regions blinded up to the analysis end



MuonID performance & background composition

Performance measured with pure samples of $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$, $K_s \rightarrow \pi\pi$, $\phi \rightarrow KK$, $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi$



$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Geometrical Likelihood (GL)

Our main background is combinatorial background from two real muons:

 → reduce it by using variables related to the "geometry" of the event: (vertex, pointing, µ IPS, lifetime, mu-isolation) + p_T of the B

Geometrical Likelihood (MC)





Geometrical Likelihood (GL)

Comparison with other Multivariate Techniques (with the same set of variables)

GL: Rejection vs Efficiency profile


$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$ - Measure the BR/Upper limit: the CL_s binned method



- CL_S= CL_{S+B}/CL_B = compatibility with the signal hypothesis
→Used to compute the exclusion
- CL_B = (in)compatibility with the background hypothesis
→ Used for observation

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$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Signal Invariant Mass calibration



CDF (D0) : $\sigma(M) \sim 24$ (120) MeV/c²

$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Geometrical Likelihood calibration

 $B \rightarrow$ hh' sample is also used to calibrate the GL shape with data:

- identical topology
- use events triggered by the other b to avoid trigger bias



GL shape for signal extracted from $B \rightarrow$ hh' is flat as expected. Systematic error dominated by the fit model.

$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Normalization

• The signal PDFs can be translated into a number of expected signal events by normalizing to a channel with known BR

$$\mathrm{BR} = \mathrm{BR}_{\mathrm{cal}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\mathrm{cal}}^{\mathrm{REC}} \epsilon_{\mathrm{cal}}^{\mathrm{SEL}|\mathrm{REC}} \epsilon_{\mathrm{cal}}^{\mathrm{TRIG}|\mathrm{SEL}}}{\epsilon_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{REC}} \epsilon_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{SEL}|\mathrm{REC}} \epsilon_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{TRIG}|\mathrm{SEL}}} \times \frac{f_{\mathrm{cal}}}{f_{B_s^0}} \times \frac{N_{B_s^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-}}{N_{\mathrm{cal}}} = \alpha \times N_{B_s^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-}$$

Three different channels used:

- BR(B⁺→J/ψ(μ⁺μ⁻) K⁺) = (5.98±0.22) 10⁻⁵
 3.7% uncertainty
 → Similar trigger and PID. Tracking efficiency (+1 track) dominates the systematic in the ratio of efficiencies. Needs f_d/f_s as input: 13% uncertainty
- 2) BR(B_s \rightarrow J/ $\psi(\mu^+\mu^-) \phi(K^+K^-)) = (3.35\pm0.9) 10^{-5}$ 26% uncertainty Similar trigger and PID. Tracking efficiency (+2 tracks) dominates the systematic
- 3) BR($B^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$) = (1.94±0.06) 10⁻⁵ 3.1% uncertainty Same topology in the final state. Different trigger dominate the syst. Needs f_d/f_s 35

Normalization Factors: breakdown



CDF, 3.7 fb⁻¹, N(B⁺→J/ψ K)~20000

We use f_d/f_s=3.71±0.47, a recent combination of LEP+Tevatron data by HFAG, with 13% uncertainty, dominated by LEP measurements http://www.slac.stanford.edu/xorg/hfag/osc/end_2009/#FRAC

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The normalization with three different channels is equivalent to perform three different analyses with different systematic uncertainties

Normalization Factors: breakdown



Normalization: results

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	B	$\frac{\epsilon_{\rm norm}^{\rm REC} \epsilon_{\rm norm}^{\rm SEL \rm REC}}{\epsilon_{\rm sig}^{\rm REC} \epsilon_{\rm sig}^{\rm SEL \rm REC}}$	$\frac{\epsilon_{\text{norm}}^{\text{TRIG SEL}}}{\epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{TRIG SEL}}}$	$N_{ m norm}$	$\alpha_{B^0_s o \mu^+ \mu^-}$	$\alpha_{B^0 o \mu^+ \mu^-}$
	$(\times 10^{-5})$				$(\times 10^{-9})$	$(\times 10^{-9})$
$B^+ \to J/\psi K^+$	5.98 ± 0.22	0.49 ± 0.02	0.96 ± 0.05	12366 ± 403	8.4 ± 1.3	2.27 ± 0.18
$B_s^0 \to J/\psi \phi$	3.4 ± 0.9	0.25 ± 0.02	0.96 ± 0.05	760 ± 71	10.5 ± 2.9	2.83 ± 0.86
$B^0 \to K^+\pi^-$	1.94 ± 0.06	0.82 ± 0.06	0.072 ± 0.010	578 ± 74	7.3 ± 1.8	1.99 ± 0.40

The three normalization channels give compatible results:

 \rightarrow Weighted average accounting for correlated systematic uncertainties

$$\alpha_{B_s^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-} = (8.6 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-9} + \alpha_{B^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-} = (2.24 \pm 0.16) \times 10^{-9} + 10$$

Look inside the box....



	uu search	window	Geometrical Likelihood Bins —			
			[0, 0.25]	[0.25, 0.5]	[0.5, 0.75]	[0.75, 1]
		Exp. bkg.	$56.9^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.31\substack{+0.19 \\ -0.17}$	$0.282\substack{+0.076\\-0.065}$	$0.016\substack{+0.021\\-0.010}$
	[-60, -40]	Exp. sig. Observed	$\begin{array}{r} 0.0076\substack{+0.0034\\-0.0030}\\39\end{array}$	$0.0050^{+0.0027}_{-0.0020}$ 2	$0.0037\substack{+0.0015\\-0.0011}{1}$	$0.0047\substack{+0.0015\\-0.0010}\\0$
		Exp. bkg.	$56.1^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.28\substack{+0.18\\-0.17}$	$0.269\substack{+0.072\\-0.062}$	$0.015\substack{+0.020\\-0.009}$
eV/c	[-40, -20]	Exp. sig. Observed	$\begin{array}{r} 0.0220\substack{+0.0084\\-0.0079}\\55\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0.0146\substack{+0.0066\\-0.0053}\\2\end{array}$	$0.0107\substack{+0.0036\\-0.0026}$ 0	$0.0138\substack{+0.0034\\-0.0024}\\0$
N I	Sui [-20, 0]	Exp. bkg.	$55.3^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.24_{-0.16}^{+0.17}$	$0.257\substack{+0.069\\-0.059}$	$0.014\substack{+0.018\\-0.009}$
ins (Exp. sig. Observed	$\begin{array}{r} 0.038\substack{+0.015\\-0.014}\\73\end{array}$	$0.025\substack{+0.012\\-0.010}\\0$	$0.0183\substack{+0.0063\\-0.0047}\\0$	$0.0235\substack{+0.0059\\-0.0042}\\0$
- S S S S		Exp. bkg.	$54.4^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.21_{-0.16}^{+0.17}$	$0.246^{+0.066}_{-0.057}$	$0.013\substack{+0.017\\-0.008}$
Mas	[0, 20]	Exp. sig. Observed	$0.03761\substack{+0.015\\-0.015}\\60$	$0.025\substack{+0.012\\-0.010}\\0$	$0.0183^{+0.0063}_{-0.0047}\\0$	$0.0235\substack{+0.0060\\-0.0044}\\0$
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- In		Exp. bkg.	$52.8^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$	$1.15\substack{+0.16 \\ -0.15}$	$0.224\substack{+0.060\\-0.052}$	$0.011\substack{+0.014\\-0.007}$
	[40, 60]	Exp. sig. Observed	$\begin{array}{r} 0.0076\substack{+0.0031\\-0.0027}\\55\end{array}$	$0.0050^{+0.0025}_{-0.0019}$ 1	$0.0037^{+0.0013}_{-0.0010}\\0$	$0.0047\substack{+0.0013\\-0.0010}\\0$

$B \rightarrow uu$ search window		Geometrical Likelihood Bins				
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		Exp. bkg.	$60.8^{+1.2}_{-1.1}$	$1.48\substack{+0.19 \\ -0.18}$	$0.345\substack{+0.084\\-0.073}$	$0.024\substack{+0.027\\-0.014}$
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$\left(\begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right)$		Exp. bkg.	$59.9^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.44_{-0.17}^{+0.19}$	$0.329\substack{+0.080\\-0.070}$	$0.022\substack{+0.024\\-0.013}$
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N		Exp. bkg.	$59.0^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.40\substack{+0.18\\-0.17}$	$0.315\substack{+0.077\\-0.067}$	$0.020\substack{+0.022\\-0.012}$
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nt		Exp. bkg.	$57.3^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.33\substack{+0.17 \\ -0.16}$	$0.287\substack{+0.070\\-0.061}$	$0.017\substack{+0.019\\-0.010}$
aria	[20, 40]	Exp. sig. Observed	$\begin{array}{r} 0.0026\substack{+0.0009\\-0.0009}\\42\end{array}$	$0.0017\substack{+0.0008\\-0.0006}$ 2	$0.0013\substack{+0.0004\\0.0003}$	$0.0016\substack{+0.0004\\-0.0002}$ 0
[hV	fue cel	Exp. bkg.	$56.4^{+1.1}_{-1.1}$	$1.29\substack{+0.17 \\ -0.16}$	$0.274\substack{+0.067\\-0.058}$	$0.016\substack{+0.018\\-0.009}$
	[40, 60]	Exp. sig. Observed	$0.0009^{+0.0003}_{-0.0003}_{-0.0003}_{-0.0003}_{-0.0003}$	$0.0006^{+0.0003}_{-0.0002}$ 2	$0.0004\substack{+0.0001\\-0.0001}\\0$	$0.0006\substack{+0.0002\\-0.0001}\\0$

Results: $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$

[submitted to Phys.Lett.B, arXiv:1103.2465]



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D0	World best published, 6.1 fb⁻¹ PLB 693 539 (2010)	< 42 x10 ⁻⁹	< 51 x10 ⁻⁹
CDF	Preliminary, 3.7 fb⁻¹ Note 9892	< 36 x10 ⁻⁹	< 43 x 10 -9 42

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LHCb	Observed (expected) 37 pb ⁻¹	< 12 (14) x10 ⁻⁹	<15 (18) x10 ⁻⁹	
CDF	World best, 2 fb ⁻¹ PRL 100 101802 (2008)	<15 x10 ⁻⁹	< 18 x10 ⁻⁹	
CDF	Preliminary, 3.7 fb⁻¹ Note 9892	< 7.6 x10 ⁻⁹	< 9.1 x 10 ⁻⁹	43

$B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$: LHCb reach in 2011-2012



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 - 3) non-SM photon polarization in exclusive $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ decays final number: all
- -NP contributions in CP violating decays:
 - 1) in box diagrams :

Very close to the 2010 Intermediate results presented in La Thuile 10 days ago

The editor's choice

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CPV in B_s mixing: ...the (still) unresolved saga...

• The observable weak phase is: $\Phi = \Phi^{SM} + \Phi^{NP}$

In the Standard Model is small.....

 $\Phi^{\rm SM}(Bs \rightarrow J/\psi \phi) = 2 \arg(V_{ts}^* V_{tb}) - 2 \arg(V_{cs}^* V_{cb}) = -2 \beta s \cong o \ (\lambda^2)$

$$\begin{split} V_{\rm CKM} = & \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 - \frac{1}{8}\lambda^4 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda + \frac{1}{2}A^2\lambda^5[1 - 2(\rho + i\eta)] & 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 - \frac{1}{8}\lambda^4(1 + 4A^2) & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3[1 - (1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2)(\rho + i\eta)] & -A\lambda^2 + \frac{1}{2}A\lambda^4[1 - 2(\rho + i\eta)] & 1 - \frac{1}{2}A^2\lambda^4 \end{pmatrix} \end{split}$$

.... and well known:

 $\Phi^{\text{SM}}(\text{Bs}\rightarrow J/\psi \phi) = -2 \beta \text{s} = -0.0368 \pm 0.0017 \text{(CKMFitter, summer07)}$

• In presence of New Physics: $\Phi(Bs \rightarrow J/\psi \phi) = -2\beta s + \Phi^{NP}_{M}$



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- The weak phase of B_s mixing is presently under investigation at Tevatron via the time-dependent study of the $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ decay $[A_{\psi \phi}]$ & via the semileptonic charge asymmetry $[a_{sl}]$ (same-sign muons).
- Several new results in 2010: a_{sl} by D0 [~3 σ deviation from SM] + update $A_{\psi\phi}$ by both CDF and D0 [agreement with SM at ~1 σ]



 B_s mixing phase in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

The channel is complex $(P \rightarrow VV)$ two particles $[B_s, B_s bar]$ decaying in 3 final states [2 CP-even, 1 CP-odd]:

- \rightarrow initial states must be tagged
- \rightarrow final states need to be statistically separated through angular analysis

... and the extraction of the phase experimentally very challenging:

Most critical parameters are mistag and proper time resolution \Rightarrow sensitivity on $2\beta_s$ goes as $\sim (1-2\omega)^2 \exp(-\Delta m_s^2 \sigma^2(\tau)/2)$



θμ

$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ analysis ingredients

- Trigger and select signals and control channels w/o distorting proper time (and angular) distributions – proof: measure lifetimes of b-hadron $\rightarrow J/\psi X$
- Disentangle polarizations of $P \rightarrow VV$ decays

– proof: measure polarization parameters in $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$

• Determine initial flavour of B mesons

– proof: measure Δm_d and Δm_s

• Fit differential rates of initial B_s and \overline{B}_s

– first step: untagged analysis of $B_s\!\rightarrow\!\!J\!/\psi\phi$

Selection of $b \rightarrow J/\psi X$

- Trigger and selection: avoid distortion of proper time distributions (no cuts on impact parameters)
- Retain prompt background events (t~0) for time resolution calibration: $\sigma_t \sim 50~fs$
- Excellent mass resolutions
- Very low background with t>0.3 ps, shown below:



$b \rightarrow J/\psi X$ lifetimes (LHCb-CONF-2011-001)



* All "lifetimes" are measured with a single exponential

Angular analysis of $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$ (LHCb-CONF-2011-002)

- P \rightarrow VV polarization amplitudes (A₀, A_{||}, A_{\perp}) can be measured in distribution of transversity angles (θ, φ, ψ)
- Correct for angular efficiency using simulation



Untagged analysis of $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ (LHCb-CONF-2011-002)

Fix ϕ_s to zero, and fit

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^{4}\Gamma(\mathrm{B}^{0}_{\mathrm{s}}\to\mathrm{J}/\psi\phi)}{\mathrm{d}t\,\mathrm{d}\cos\theta\,\,\mathrm{d}\phi\,\,\mathrm{d}\cos\psi} = f(\phi_{\mathrm{s}},\Delta\Gamma_{\mathrm{s}},\Gamma_{\mathrm{s}},\Delta m_{\mathrm{s}},M_{\mathrm{B}^{0}_{\mathrm{s}}},|A_{\perp}|,|A_{\parallel}|,\delta_{\perp},\delta_{\parallel})$$





5 0 -1 -0.8 -0.6 -0.4 -0.2 0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 1 cos w

LHCb preliminary (36 pb⁻¹)

$\Gamma_{\rm s}$	$0.679 \pm 0.036 \pm 0.027$
$\Delta\Gamma_{\rm s}$	$0.077 \pm 0.119 \pm 0.021$
$ A_0 ^2$	$0.528 \pm 0.040 \pm 0.028$
$ A_{\perp} ^2$	$0.263 \pm 0.056 \pm 0.014$
δ_{\parallel} (rad)	$3.14 \pm 0.52 \pm 0.13$

CDF note 10206 (5.2 fb⁻¹)

$\Gamma_{\rm s}$	$0.653 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.005$
$\Delta\Gamma_{\rm s}$	$0.075 \pm 0.035 \pm 0.010$
$ A_0 ^2$	$0.524 \pm 0.013 \pm 0.015$

(plus $|A_{||}|^2$ and δ_{\perp})

Flavour tagging (LHCb-CONF-2011-003)

- Initial flavour of B can be inferred from
 - Opposite Side: products of the other B meson
 - Same Side: fragmentation particles associated to signal B
- Optimized and calibrated using control channels



Δm_d and Δm_s (LHCb-CONF-2011-010, LHCb-CONF-2011-005)



Signal yields for Δm_s

LHCb (37 pb ⁻¹)		cf. CDF (1 fb ⁻¹)	
$B_s \rightarrow D_s(\phi \pi) \pi$	515 ± 25	$B_s \rightarrow D_s \pi$	4100
B _s →D _s (K*K)π	338 ± 27	$B_s \rightarrow D_s \pi$ partial	3100
B _s →D _s π non-reso	283 ± 27	$B_s \rightarrow D_s 3\pi$	1500
B _s →D _s 3π	245 ± 46	semileptonic	61500

LHCb: $\Delta m_d = 0.499 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.003 \text{ ps}^{-1}$ World average $\Delta m_d = 0.507 \pm 0.005 \text{ ps}^{-1}$

Only OST used, ε_{eff} =(3.5 ±2.1)% Per event time resolution < σ_t > ~ 40 fs

LHCb: $\Delta m_s = 17.63 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.04 \text{ ps}^{-1}$ CDF: $\Delta m_s = 17.77 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.07 \text{ ps}^{-1}$ (PRL 97, 242003)



infinite oscillation frequency

 4.6σ significance

Tagged analysis of $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

- Analysis ongoing..
- Precision in φ_s using 36 pb⁻¹ is expected to be comparable to the CDF precision \rightarrow



	LHCb 36 pb ⁻¹	CDF 5.2 fb ⁻¹
${ m B}^0_{ m s} ightarrow { m J}\!/\!\psi\phi$	960	6500
Proper time resolution	50 fs	100 fs
OS tagging power	$2.5\pm0.8\%$	$1.2\pm0.2\%$
SS tagging power	work ongoing	$3.5\pm1.4\%$

LHCb has x30 more statistics with respect to CDF for same L x2 proper time resolution x2 OS tagging power

LHCb aims to make world's best measurement of φ_s with data from 2011 run ⁶⁵ 57

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(Prospects for 2011)

Setting the CKM scale: γ from trees

Assume NP negligible in tree decays and fix Unitarity Triangle parameters from tree-level processes:



Tree decays w/o NP can determine: $|V_{ud}|, |V_{us}|, |V_{ub}|, |V_{cb}|$, and γ

 γ [together with $|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$] provides the SM signpost to be met by any NP model.

Present accuracy by direct measurement of γ from tree process B \rightarrow D K is still poor:

$$\gamma$$
 (WA) = $(70^{+21}_{-25})^{\circ}$

Current tension $(\sin(2\beta) \& \varepsilon_k)$ calls for precise γ determination \rightarrow Milestone of the LHCb program

Measuring γ @ LHCb

Milestone of the LHCb physics program is the measurement of 'B \rightarrow DK' direct asymmetries which are sensitives to the unitarity angle γ

$$B^{-}\left\{\begin{array}{c} b\\ \overline{u} \end{array} \underbrace{K^{-}}_{colour-allowed} \begin{bmatrix} s\\ \overline{u} \end{bmatrix} D^{0} \\ B^{-}\left\{\begin{array}{c} b\\ \overline{u} \end{bmatrix} B^{-}\left\{\begin{array}{c} b\\ \overline{u} \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{K^{-}}_{colour-suppressed} \begin{bmatrix} u\\ s\\ \overline{u} \end{bmatrix} \right\} K^{-} \\ Magnitude ratio = r_{B} \sim 0.15 \end{array}\right\}$$

Final state common to D^0 & D^0 bar : K π , KK, $\pi\pi$, K $\pi\pi\pi$, K $s\pi\pi$, KsKK... allows for interference $\rightarrow \gamma$ **GLW**: D⁰ decays into CP eigenstates **ADS** : D⁰ decays to K $-\pi^+$ (fav.) and K+ π -(sup.) **GGSZ**: D⁰ \rightarrow K_S $\pi\pi$ (interference in Dalitz plot)

These decays are self-tagging: \rightarrow no need to do a time-dependent analysis \rightarrow only need the ratio of the different decay modes Extract γ , r_B , δ_B simultaneously!

Crucial role of hadronic trigger and π/K separation in this analysis **6**

Measuring γ @ LHCb

$\sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ already offers possibilities to improve on knowledge from B factories

LHCb expected yields at 7 TeV, 1 fb⁻¹ Assuming $r_B \sim 0.1$ (0.4) for B^{\pm} (B⁰)

Channel	Expected event yield
B-→D(KK)K-	2000
B-→D(ππ)K-	750
$B^{-} \rightarrow D(K\pi)K^{-}$ favoured	20000
$B^{-} \rightarrow D(K\pi)K^{-}$ suppressed	400



eg. 'ADS' suppressed $B \rightarrow D(K\pi)K$ mode just beyond reach of B-factories



LHCb expects ~80 of these events with 200 pb⁻¹

Combine all considered B \rightarrow DK measurements and time dependent approaches from B_s system $\sigma\gamma^{LHCb} \sim 10^{\circ}$ with 1 fb⁻¹ [end 2011]

4. Prospects: LHCb with 1 fb⁻¹ (... sharpening the picture...)



 $B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu$



ϕ_s from $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$



γ from trees



Impact on New Physics Models

1.5

LHCb will provide measurements essential to understand physics landscape that the coming decade will unveil. Lets consider two popular ideas.

Minimal Flavour Violation (MFV) hypothesis

All sources of flavour- and CP-violation in quarks will be same as SM. In this case searches for NP will be fruitless in CPV, but not in rare decays

e.g. In MFV BR($B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$) *can* differ from SM but *not* BR($B_d \rightarrow \mu\mu$)/BR($B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$)

SM with 4-families (SM4)



MSSM-LL

Add 2 new quarks (t', b') plus 5 new quark-mixing parameters New CPV possibilities that could show up in D⁰, B⁰ and B_s system

Both proposals can be disproved / strongly constrained by LHCb in the coming years

Conclusions

•Flavour physics in the LHC era is an excellent window for new physics searches fully complementary to the direct searches approach.

•LHC and LHCb are performing amazingly well.
→ First results show the excellent quality of data collected so far.
-→ with only 37 pb⁻¹ LHCb is already competitive in the B_s→μµ

•With the data collected in the 2011 run LHCb will have competitive results in the measurement of γ , $B_d \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu$ FB asymmetry CPV violating phase in B_s mixing, CPV in charm which will allow to clarify better the already observed anomalies in the Standard Model and possibly discover New Physics.

Thank you for your attention and... the best has still to come! 64
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1.LHC: status of 2010-2011 run

2010:

80% of L reached with 344 bunches (2622 nominal) and $\beta^* \sim 3.5$ m ($\beta^* \sim 10$ m nominal) and L_{peak} $\sim 1.6 \ 10^{32}$ cm⁻² s⁻¹

 \rightarrow Number of visible pp interactions/crossing up to 2.7 (nominal=0.4).

Number of visible pp interactions per crossing in 2010



2011:

first stable beam last Sunday; reached 1.2 10^{30} cm⁻² s⁻¹ in ATLAS/CMS with 2 bunches per beam. $\beta^* \sim 3$ m, μ =1.2. After a short run at 1.38x 1.38 TeV the machine will go at 3.5x3.5 TeV and 75 ns scheme with $\beta^*=3$ m, $\epsilon^* = 2.5 \mu m$ (possibly down to 1 μm), Np~1.2 10¹¹ /bunch, o(1000) bunches/beam LHCb will not exceed $3x10^{32}$ cm⁻² s⁻¹ \rightarrow luminosity leveling @ IP8.

2.Rare Decays @ LHC

Back to FCNC processes....
→ In SM only allowed at loop level
→ powerful probe for possible NP.



The FCNC processes can be described by an effective Hamiltonian, in the form of an Operator Product Expansion:



New physics modifies the Wilson coefficients affecting observable quantities as BRs [ex:B_s $\rightarrow \mu\mu$] (C_s, C_p), Angular distributions [B_d $\rightarrow K^*\mu\mu$] (C₉, C₁₀, C₇) and Polarization [B_s $\rightarrow \phi\gamma$] (C₇). 40

2.Intriguing hints from $B \rightarrow K^{(*)}l^+l^-$

Forward backward asymmetry in $B^0 \rightarrow K^*l^{+}l^-$ is a extremely powerful observable for testing SM vs NP



$$A_{FB} = \int \frac{d^2 B(B \to K^* \mu^+ \mu^-)}{d \cos \theta} \, \text{sgn}(\cos \theta) \, \propto \, \text{Re} \{ C_{10}^* [q^2 C_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + r(q^2) C_7] \}$$

$$\theta = \text{angle between } \mu^+ \& B \text{ in the dilepton}$$

$$rest \text{ frame}$$

$$q^2 = \text{dilepton invariant mass}$$

$$Re \{ C_{10}^* [q^2 C_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + r(q^2) C_7] \}$$

$$\int \gamma \text{ penguin [dipole]} \Leftrightarrow b \to s\gamma$$

$$\gamma \text{ peng. [vector]} + (Z \& box)$$

$$Z \text{ peng. + box [axial]}$$

- Interference of axial & vector currents → direct access to relative phases of the Wilson coefficients.
- Uncertainties of hadronic form factors under control in the low- q^2 region.

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Early results are showing intriguing hints....



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... and LHCb can help in understanding further the situation!



 $2.B_d \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^- (a) LHCb$

Forward backward asymmetry in $B^0 \rightarrow K^*l^{+}l^{-}$ is a extremely power observable for testing SM vs NP



Main experimental problem: control of acceptance biases introduced by detector acceptance, trigger and selection:

 \rightarrow use topologically similar and abundant control channels as $D \rightarrow K \pi \pi \pi$:



3.Prospects in the Charm sector

Charm physics has been for many years shadowed by the successes of K decays and B decays, due to the fact that:

- the GIM mechanism is very effective in suppressing the FCNC transitions;
- long distance contributions prevent the evaluation of the ΔM_D ;
- insensitivity to top physics in the loops.

However, large $D^0 - D^0$ mixing discovered in 2007 and good prospects for the study of CP violation in charm gave new impetus to this field.

"No-mixing" excluded at 10.2 σ: All measurements consistent with no CPV:





Present constraints on CPV weak because CPV ~ $x_D \sin(2\varphi_D)$ and $x_D \sim 1\%$ \rightarrow required sub-0.1% precision for CPV sensitivity!

3.Open Charm cross section at the LHC

Statistics at the LHC is not a problem....

Putting together: $D^{0} \rightarrow K \pi$, $D^{+} \rightarrow K \pi \pi$ $D^{*} \rightarrow D^{0}(K \pi) \pi$ $D^{+} \rightarrow \varphi \pi$ and extrapolating to 4π We get:

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow cc) = (6.10 \pm 0.93) \text{ mb}$$

x 20 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow bb)$!



3.Charm mixing studies at LHCb

Example mixing analysis is measurement of " y_{CP} ", which is D⁰ width splitting parameter modified by CP-violating effects. Comparison to pure "y" measurements probes for CP-violation, as does measurement of pure CP-violating observable A $_{\Gamma}$

y_{CP}: compare lifetime of $D^0 \rightarrow CP$ -eigenstate, eg. KK or $\pi\pi$, to $D^0 \rightarrow$ non-eigenstate eg. K π [untagged samples]

$$y_{CP} = \frac{\tau(K^- \pi^+)}{\tau(K^+ K^-)} - 1$$

A_{Γ}: compare D⁰ and D⁰ \rightarrow KK lifetimes [tagged samples]

$$A_{\Gamma} = \frac{\tau(\overline{D}{}^0 \to K^- K^+) - \tau(D^0 \to K^+ K^-)}{\tau(\overline{D}{}^0 \to K^- K^+) + \tau(D^0 \to K^+ K^-)}$$



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y_{CP}: current world best by Babar (2.6 M Kπ and 260k KK in 0.38/ab → Statistical precision 0.22% (PRD80:071103 (2009)) A_Γ: current world best from Babar+Belle (180k tagged KK) --> Statistical precision 0.25%

3.Charm mixing studies at LHCb





Enough events for competitive y_{CP}, A_Γ measurements in 2010 data - 2011 data will increase this again by more than an order of magnitude

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4. First observation of $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi f_0$

LHCb, arXiv:1102.0206[hep-ex]



4. Implication

• Sensitive probe of NP in B_s mixing just as $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$



- CP odd, no need for angular analysis to disentangle CP eigenstates
- Good precision to complement $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$
- Can use $f_0 \rightarrow KK$ to resolve sign ambiguity in ϕ_s

(JHEP 0909:074, 2009, Y. Xie *et al*.)

Search for NP in penguin diagrams

Direct CP violation in B \rightarrow K π

□ First observation of $B_s \rightarrow K^{*0}K^{\overline{*0}}$

$B \rightarrow hh$

• Sensitive probe of NP in penguin diagrams



- Observables
 - Time-dependent CP asymmetries in $B_d \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^$ and $B_s \rightarrow K^+K^+$
 - Direct CP asymmetries

$$A_{CP} = (N_{\bar{B}\to\bar{f}} - N_{B\to f})/(N_{\bar{B}\to\bar{f}} + N_{B\to f})$$

Direct CP violation in $B_{d/s} \rightarrow K\pi$

Raw CP asymmetry in $B^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ decays: -0.086 ± 0.033



Raw CP asymmetry in $B_s \rightarrow \pi K$ decays: 0.15 ± 0.19



Data-driven correction: $A_{CP} = A_{CP}^{RAW} - A_D(K\pi) - \kappa A_P$ detector asymmetry $A_d = -0.004 \pm 0.004$

production asymmetry $A_p = -0.025 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.010$

Oscillation factors k

Channel	κ
$B^0 \to K^+ \pi^-$	0.33
$B_s^0 \to \pi^+ K^-$	0.015

HFAG

$$A_{CP} \left(B^0 \to K^+ \pi^- \right) = -0.074 \pm 0.033 \pm 0.008$$
$$A_{CP} \left(B_s^0 \to \pi^+ K^- \right) = 0.15 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.02$$

$$A_{CP} \left(B^0 \to K^+ \pi^- \right) = -0.098^{0.012}_{-0.011}$$
$$A_{CP} \left(B^0_s \to \pi^+ K^- \right) = 0.39 \pm 0.17$$

Physics in $B_{c} \rightarrow K^{*0}K^{*0}$

b→s penguin process

SM decay amplitude

$$A(B_s \to K^{*0}\bar{K}^{*0}) = -V_{tb}^*V_{ts} P_s - V_{ub}^*V_{us} P_s^{\text{GIM}}$$

dominated by top loop P_s

$$B_{s} \xrightarrow{b} W^{+} \overline{s} \\ \xrightarrow{\overline{u}, \overline{c}, \overline{t}} g \\ \xrightarrow{\overline{u}, \overline{c}, \overline{t}} g \\ \xrightarrow{\overline{u}, \overline{c}, \overline{t}} \\ \xrightarrow{\overline{u}, \overline{$$

 $\Phi_{\rm M}$ -2 $\Phi_{\rm D}$ =0

mixing-induced asymmetry direct CP asymmetry Null test of SM $S(B_s \rightarrow K^{*0}\overline{K}^{*0}) = 0$ $C(B \rightarrow K^{*0}\overline{K}^{*0}) = 0$

CKM suppressed up and charm loops P_s^{GIM} controlled using d \leftrightarrow s channel B_d \rightarrow K^{*0}K^{*0} (M. Ciuchini, M. Pierini, L. Silvestrini, PRL 100, 031802)

Sensitive to NP that affects weak phases of box and penguin diagrams differently

Ratio of fragmentation fractions

We use $f_d/f_s=3.71\pm0.47$, a recent combinaton of LEP+Tevatron data by HFAG, with 13% uncertainty, dominated by LEP measurements

B species	Z ⁰ fractions [%]	Tevatron fractions [%]
B^{\pm}	$40.4{\pm}1.2$	33.3 ± 3.0
\mathbf{B}^0	$40.4{\pm}1.2$	33.3 ± 3.0
B _s	10.9 ± 1.2	12.1 ± 1.5
$\Lambda_{ m b}$	8.3±2.0	21.4 ± 6.8

<u>HFAG: http://www.slac.stanford.edu/xorg/hfag/osc/end_2009/#FRAC</u> Tevatron results from PLB, 667,1 (2008)

LHCb is measuring them using semileptonic decays and hadronic $B_{(s)} \rightarrow$ Dh decays *(method described in Phys.Rev.D83, 014017 (2011)*

Ratio of fragmentation fractions

$$BR = BR_{cal} \cdot \frac{f_{cal}}{f_{B_s}} \cdot \frac{\varepsilon_{cal}^{\text{Rec}} \cdot \varepsilon_{cal}^{\text{Sel}} \cdot \varepsilon_{cal}^{\text{Trig}}}{\varepsilon_{Bs}^{\text{Rec}} \cdot \varepsilon_{Bs}^{\text{Sel}} \cdot \varepsilon_{Bs}^{\text{Trig}}} \cdot \frac{N_{B \to \mu\mu}}{N_{cal}} = \alpha \cdot N_{B \to \mu\mu}$$

Currently use HFAG average of LEP/Tevatron value: fd/fs=3.71±0.47

LHCb already provides (preliminary) results

 Measure fd/fs in the relative yields of B⁰→D[±]K[±] or B⁰→D[±]π[±] to B_S→D_Sπ[±]

NEW: with 35pb⁻¹ LHCb measures

$$\frac{f_{B_d^0}}{f_{B_s}} = 4.02 \pm 0.52$$

(using $B^0 \rightarrow D^{\pm} \pi^{\pm}$)

Fleischer et al, Phys.Rev.D83,014017 (2011) LHCb-CONF-2011-013

Also preliminary result from semileptonics:

$$\frac{f_{B_d^0}}{f_{B_s}} = 3.84 \pm 0.34 \quad \text{Preliminary}$$



Statistical Method

We have si, bi, di=Nobs:



$B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu @ ATLAS/CMS$

Cut based analysis: separate signal from background by using high discriminant variables such as pointing, isolation and secondary vertex displacement:



Experiment	N sig	N bkg	90% CL limit in absence of signal
ATLAS (10 fb ⁻¹) σ (bb)=500 ub	5.6 events	14^{+13}_{-10} events (only bb $\rightarrow \mu\mu$)	
CMS (1 fb ⁻¹) σ (bb)=500 ub	2.36 events	6.53 events (2.5 bb→μμ)	< 1.6 x 10 ⁻⁸

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D. Karlen, Comp. Phys.12 (1998) 380

Geometrical Likelihood

- How the decorrelation is done:
- 1). Input variables \rightarrow 2) Gaussian variables

 \rightarrow In this space the correlations are more linear: easier to decorrelate

3) Decorrelation is applied and the variables are re-gaussianized



→Tranformation under signal hypothesis: χ^2_S →Transformation under background hypothesis: χ^2_B Discriminating variable: $GL = \chi^2_S - \chi^2_B$ → kept flat for signal

Trigger configurations

Data samples grouped in 5 trigger categories:

- Muon lines stable for 90% of the data set
- Hadron lines: 80% of L taken with L0(h) ET>3.6 and SPD<450 /900
 - \rightarrow important for calibration/normalization channels

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TCK category	$L0 - \mu$	$L0 - di\mu$	L0-hadron	
	$p_T (\text{GeV}/c) / \text{nSPD}$	$p_{T1} (\text{GeV}/c) / p_{T2} (\text{GeV}/c) / \text{nSPD}$	$p_T (\text{GeV}/c) / \text{nSPD}$	integrated luminosity
1a	1.0/ -	1.0 / 0.4 / -	2.26 / -	2.2 pb^{-1}
1b	1.0 / 600	1.0 / 0.4 / 600	2.26 / 600	1 pb^{-1}
2	1.4 / 900	0.56 / 0.48 / 900	2.6 / 900	$2.3 \mathrm{~pb}^{-1}$
3a	1.4 / 900	0.56 / 0.48 / 900	3.6 / 900	17.3 pb^{-1}
3b	1.4 / 900	0.56 / 0.48 / 900	3.6 / 450	$11.9 \mathrm{pb}^{-1}$

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TCK category	Hlt1SingleMuonNoIP	Hlt1TrackMuon	Hlt1TrackAllL0
	$p_T \ ({\rm GeV}/c) \ / \ {\rm prescale}$	$p_T/$ IP (mm)/ IPS	$p_T~({ m GeV}/c)~/~{ m IP}/~{ m IPS}$
1a	1.35 / 1	-	-
1b	1.35 / 1	-	-
2	1.8 / 1	800 / 0.11 / 5	1450 / 0.11 / $\sqrt{50}$
3a	1.8 / 0.2 - 1	800 / 0.11 / 5	$1850 / 0.11 / \sqrt{50}$
3b	1.8 / 0.2 - 1	800 / 0.11 / 5	$1850 / 0.11 / \sqrt{50}$



HLT1:

Background from $B \rightarrow hh$ modes



B→ hh background in the sensitive region is completely negligible with respect the bb \rightarrow µµ component

Background composition

• The background after the selection is dominated by real muons (mostly $bb \rightarrow \mu\mu X$ component):



Exact knowledge of the background level in MC is not required as the background in the signal region is anyhow extracted from sidebands of the mass distribution in data

Summary of parameters entering in the limit computation

Signal parameters		Background parameters	
Normalizations		Background $\operatorname{GL}_{\mathrm{KS}} p.d.f.$ for $B^0_s \to \mu^+\mu^-$	
f_d/f_s $\alpha_{B^0_s \to \mu^+\mu^-}$	3.71 ± 0.47 $(8.6 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-8}$	N^{bkg} , GL _{KS} bin 1 N^{bkg} , GL _{KS} bin 2	329.1 ± 6.4 7.4 ± 1.0
$\alpha_{B^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-}$	$(2.24 \pm 0.16) \times 10^{-9}$	$N^{\text{bkg}}, \text{GL}_{\text{KS}}$ bin 3	1.5 ± 0.4
Signal GL_{KS} p.d.f.		$N^{\rm bkg}, {\rm GL}_{\rm KS} {\rm bin} 4$	$0.08^{+0.1}_{-0.05}$
$N_{B^0 \to h^+h^-}^{TIS}$ (total) 611 ± 76 Background GL _{KS} $p.d.f.$ for $B^0 \to \mu$		$B^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-$	
$N_{P_0}^{TIS}$, $h^{\pm h^{\pm}}$, GL bin 2	228 ± 86	$N^{\rm bkg}, {\rm GL}_{\rm KS} {\rm bin} 1$	351.6 ± 6.6
$N_{B_{(s)}^{0} \rightarrow h^{+}h^{-}}^{TIS}$, GL bin 3	168 ± 38	$N^{\text{bkg}}, \text{GL}_{\text{KS}}$ bin 2 $N^{\text{bkg}}, \text{GL}_{\text{KS}}$ bin 3	8.3 ± 1.0 1.9 ± 0.4
$N_{B^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-}^{TIS}$, GL bin 4	215 ± 23	$N^{\text{bkg}}, \text{GL}_{\text{KS}} \text{ bin } 4$	$0.12^{+0.1}_{-0.07}$
$\frac{D_{(s)} - n \cdot n}{\text{Signal Mass } n \cdot d_s f_s}$		Background Mass $p.d.f.$ for B^0 and B^0_s	
Mean value for B^0	5275.01 ± 0.87 MeV/ c^2	$k, \operatorname{GL}_{\mathrm{KS}} \operatorname{bin} 1$	$-(0.748\pm 0.051)/{\rm GeV}\!/c^2$
Mean value for B_s^0	$5363.1 \pm 1.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$	$k, \operatorname{GL}_{\mathrm{KS}}$ bin 2	$-(1.36 \pm 0.35)/\mathrm{GeV}/c^2$
Mass resolution	$26.71 \pm 0.95 \mathrm{MeV}/c^2$	$k, \operatorname{GL}_{\mathrm{KS}}$ bin 3	$-(2.29\pm0.28)/{\rm GeV}/c^2$
Crystal Ball transition point	$\alpha = 2.11 \pm 0.05$	$k, \operatorname{GL}_{\mathrm{KS}}$ bin 4	$-(4.15 \pm 0.91)/\mathrm{GeV}/c^2$

CP violation in charmless hadronic decays

Study of CPV $B_s \rightarrow \Phi \Phi$ and K*K* gives high sensitivity to NP, and will elucidate the B-factory 'sin2 β_{eff} anomaly' (even though we will be working with B_s mesons...)



	$\sin(2\beta^{cn})$	$\equiv \sin(2\phi_1^{en})$	FPCP 2010 PRELIMINARY
b→ccs	World Average		0.67 ± 0.02
φK ⁰	Average	⊢ ★ III	0.56 +0.16
η′ Κ ^٥	Average	r ★ r	0.59 ± 0.07
K _s K _s K	Average	► ★	0.74 ± 0.17
$\pi^{\circ} K^{\circ}$	Average	⊢ <u>★</u>	0.57 ± 0.17
$\rho^0 K_S$	Average	► ★ <u></u>	0.54 +0.18
ωK _s	Average	⊢ ★ I	$\textbf{0.45} \pm \textbf{0.24}$
f _o K _s	Average	⊢_★ _1	0.62 +0.11 -0.13
$f_{_2} K_{_S}$	Average	*	0.48 ± 0.53
f _X K _S	Average	* ·	0.20 ± 0.53
π ⁰ π ⁹	Average	_	$\textbf{-0.72} \pm 0.71$
$\phi \pi^0 K_{S}$	Average	F	0.97 +0.03
$\pi^+ \pi^- K_S$	N A verage —		0.01 ± 0.33
K⁺ K⁻ K⁰	Average	· · · · ·	0.82 ± 0.07
-1.6 -1.4	-1.2 -1 -0.8 -0.6 -0.4 -0.2	0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8	1 1.2 1.4 1.6

oeff.

eff. LLEAO

Existing experiment with 4 fb⁻¹ will achieve ~0.09 stat precision on CPV in $B_s \rightarrow \Phi \Phi$, which is similar to uncertainty on best B-factory mode ($B^0 \rightarrow \eta' K^0$). Upgrade is needed to do better! 50 fb⁻¹ will give uncertainty ~ theoretical precision

Other important, LHCb unique, studies: multibody B_s decays e.g. $B_s \rightarrow K_s \pi \pi$, $K_s K \pi$

All benefit greatly from increased data samples and software trigger

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Recent D0 result shows 3σ discrepancy with SM (arXiv:1005.2757v1) using inclusive measurement of same-sign muon asymmetry A_b .

 A_b is related to $a^d{}_{\rm fs}$ and $a^s{}_{\rm fs}$:

$A_b = (0.493 \pm 0.043) a_{fs}^s + (0.506 \pm 0.043) a_{fs}^d$

where the coefficients are calculated using the production fractions measured at Tevatron [PLB 667,1 (2008)].



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This method provides orthogonal constraint to D0 di-leptons.

