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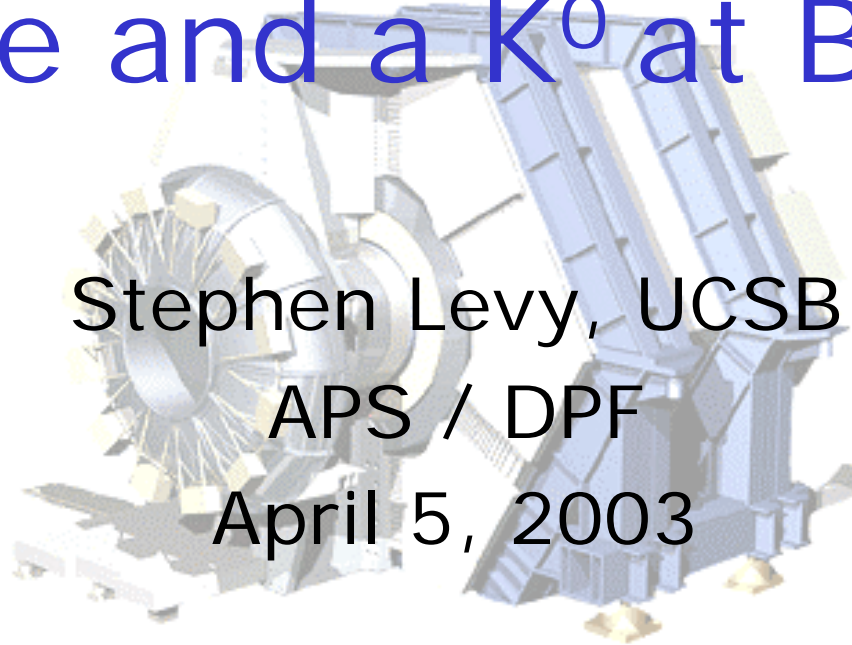
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# Measurement of $\sin 2\beta$ using $B^0$ Decays into a Charmonium State and a $K^0$ at BaBar

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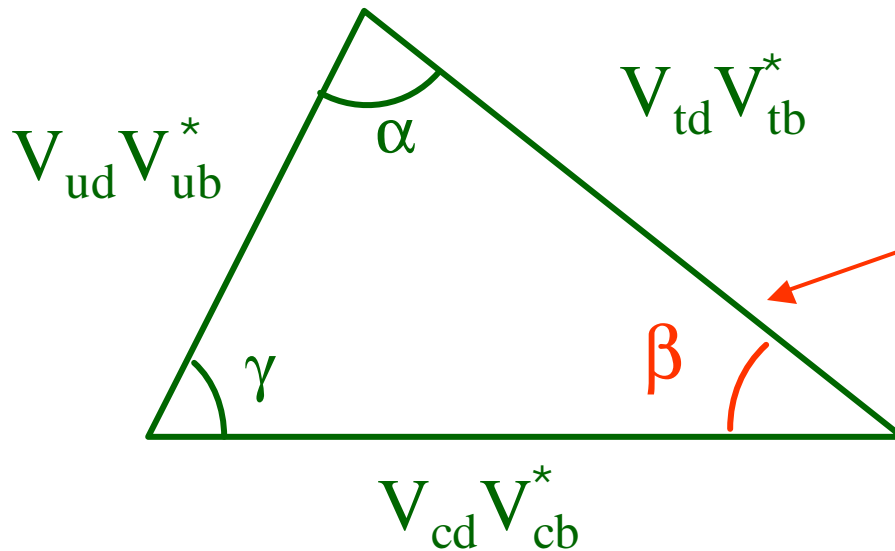
# Origin of CP violation

Irreducible **phase** of CKM matrix only SM source of CP violation

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^4)$$

Unitarity constraint of CKM Matrix

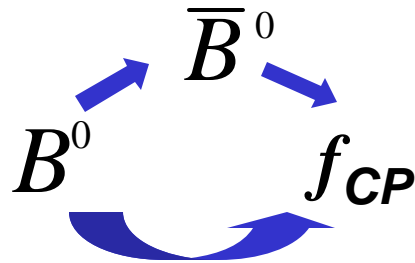
$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$



- Measure  $\sin 2\beta$  in
- $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_{S,L}, K^{*0}$
  - $B^0 \rightarrow \chi_c K_S$
  - $B^0 \rightarrow \eta_c K_S$
  - $B^0 \rightarrow D^* D^{(*)}$
  - $B^0 \rightarrow \Phi K_S$

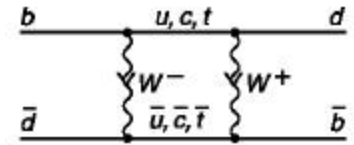


# CP violation due to mixing and decay



$$|B_{L,H}\rangle = p|B^0\rangle \pm q|\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

$$I_f = \frac{q A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f_{CP})}{p A(B^0 \rightarrow f_{CP})}$$



$$\frac{q}{p} \sim \frac{V_{td}}{V_{td}^*}$$

$$\Delta m_d = m_H - m_L$$

$$f(B_{phys}^0 \rightarrow f_{CP}, t) = \frac{\Gamma}{4} e^{-\Gamma|\Delta t|} [1 + C_f \cos(\Delta m_d t) - S_f \sin(\Delta m_d t)]$$

$$f(\bar{B}_{phys}^0 \rightarrow f_{CP}, t) = \frac{\Gamma}{4} e^{-\Gamma|\Delta t|} [1 - C_f \cos(\Delta m_d t) + S_f \sin(\Delta m_d t)]$$

$$C_f = \frac{1 - |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

Probe of direct CP violation:  $|\lambda_{f_{CP}}| \neq 1$

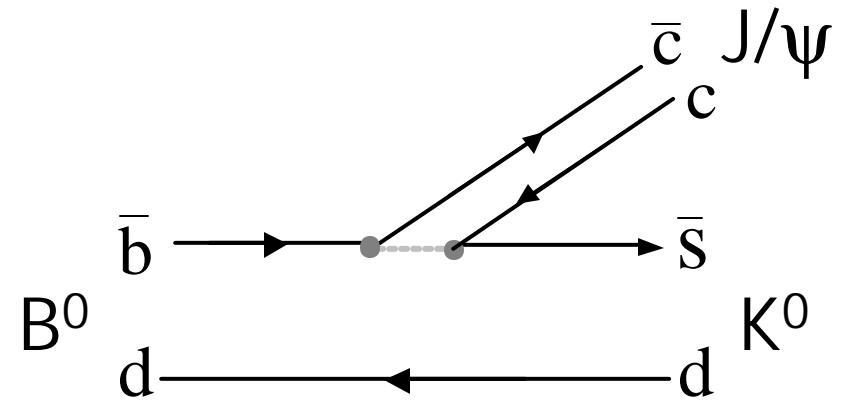
$$S_f = \frac{2 \text{Im} \lambda_{f_{CP}}}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

Sensitive to phase of  $\lambda$  even without direct CP Violation



# CP asymmetry in $B^0 \rightarrow (c\bar{c})K^0$

- Theoretically clean
  - Tree level dominates
  - Phase only from mixing
- Relatively large branching fractions
- Clear experimental signatures



$$I_{CP} = \frac{q}{p} \frac{A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f_{CP})}{A(B^0 \rightarrow f_{CP})} \implies \lambda_{CP} = \mathbf{h}_{CP} e^{-i2b}, \quad \mathbf{h}_{CP} = \pm 1$$

$$|\lambda_{CP}| = 1$$

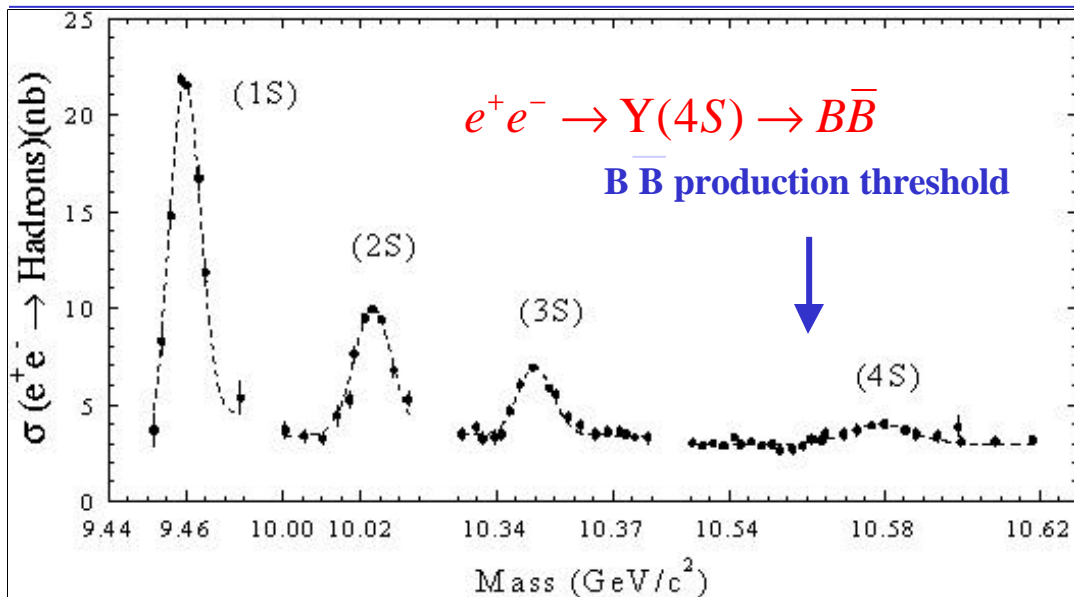
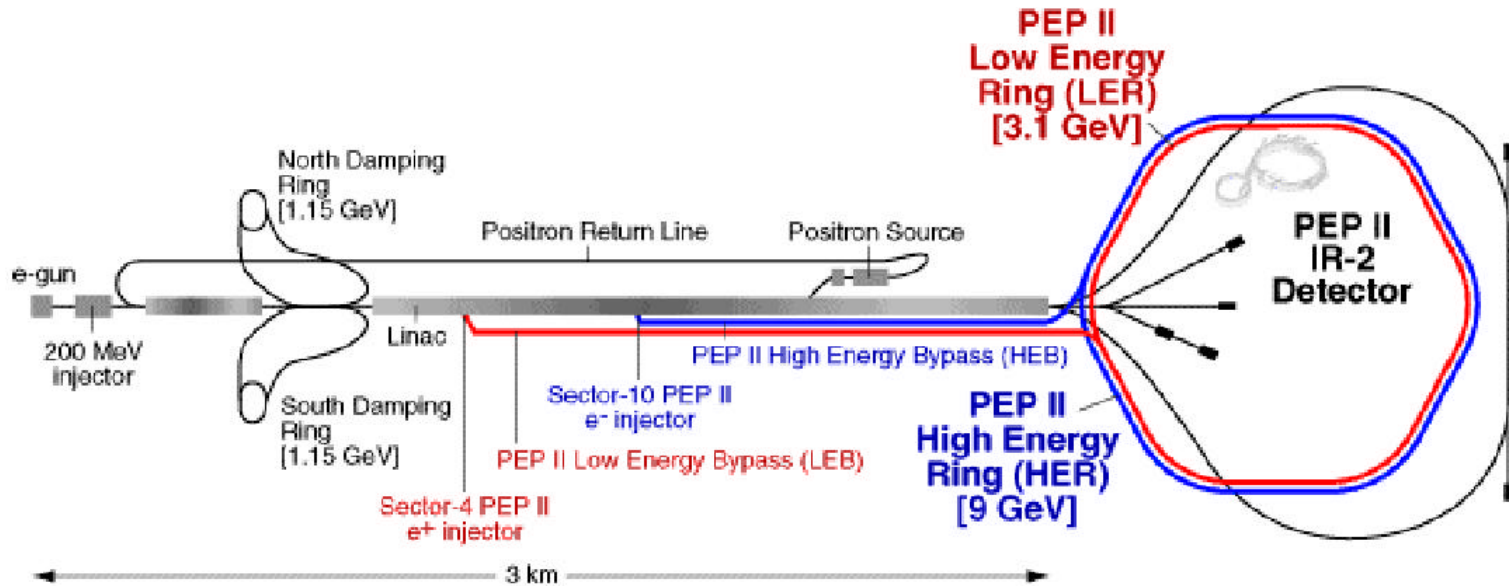
Holds to <1% in SM

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{f_+ - f_-}{f_+ + f_-} = -\mathbf{h}_{CP} \sin 2b \sin(\Delta m_d t)$$

- $\eta_{CP} = -1$   
 $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi, \psi(2S), \chi_{c1}, \eta_c, K_S^0$
- $\eta_{CP} = +1$   
 $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_L^0$



# PEP-II Asymmetric B-Factory



- 9 GeV  $e^-$  on 3.1 GeV  $e^+$
- $Y(4S)$  boosted in lab frame

$$\beta\gamma = 0.55$$



# Outstanding PEP-II performance

PEP-II has been a huge success!

PEP-II top luminosity:

$$5.2 \times 10^{33} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$$

(design  $3.0 \times 10^{33}$ )

Top recorded Lumi/week:  $1.84 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Top recorded Lumi/24h:  $347 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

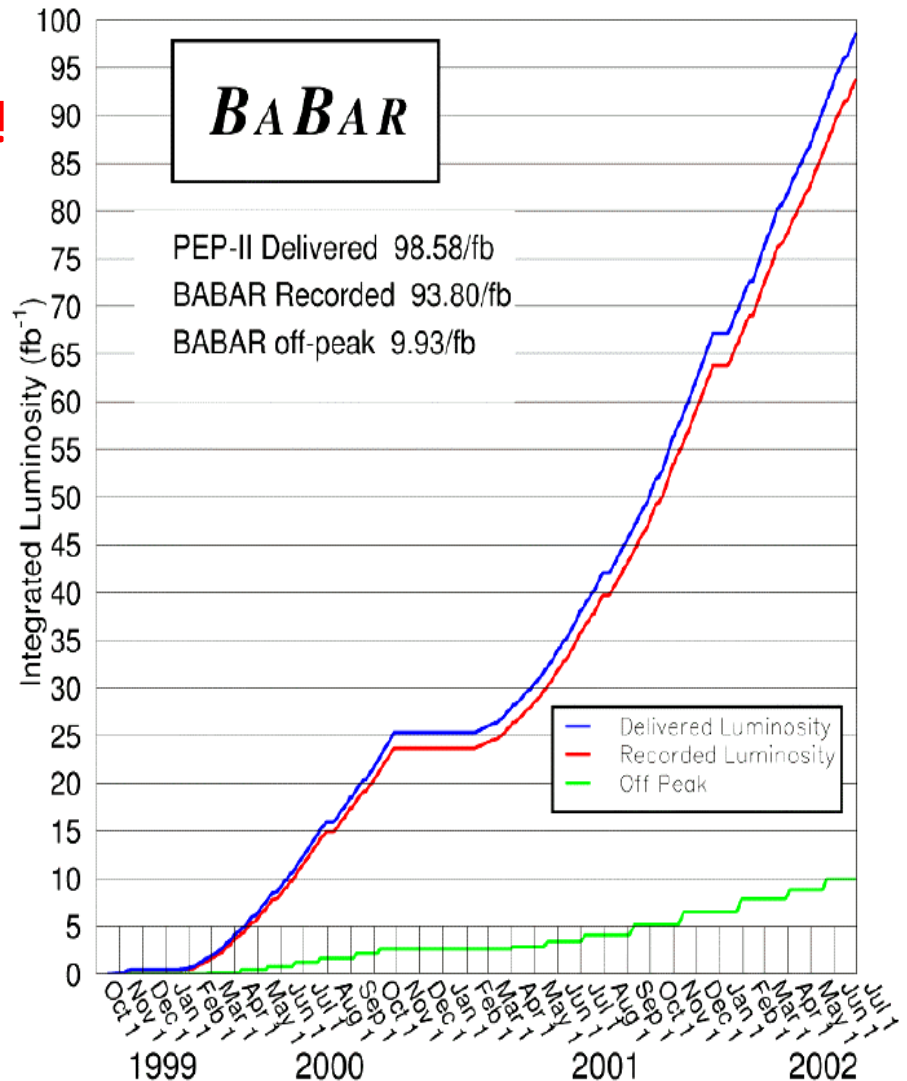
Top recorded Lumi/8h:  $118 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

BaBar efficiency > 95%

Analysis sample

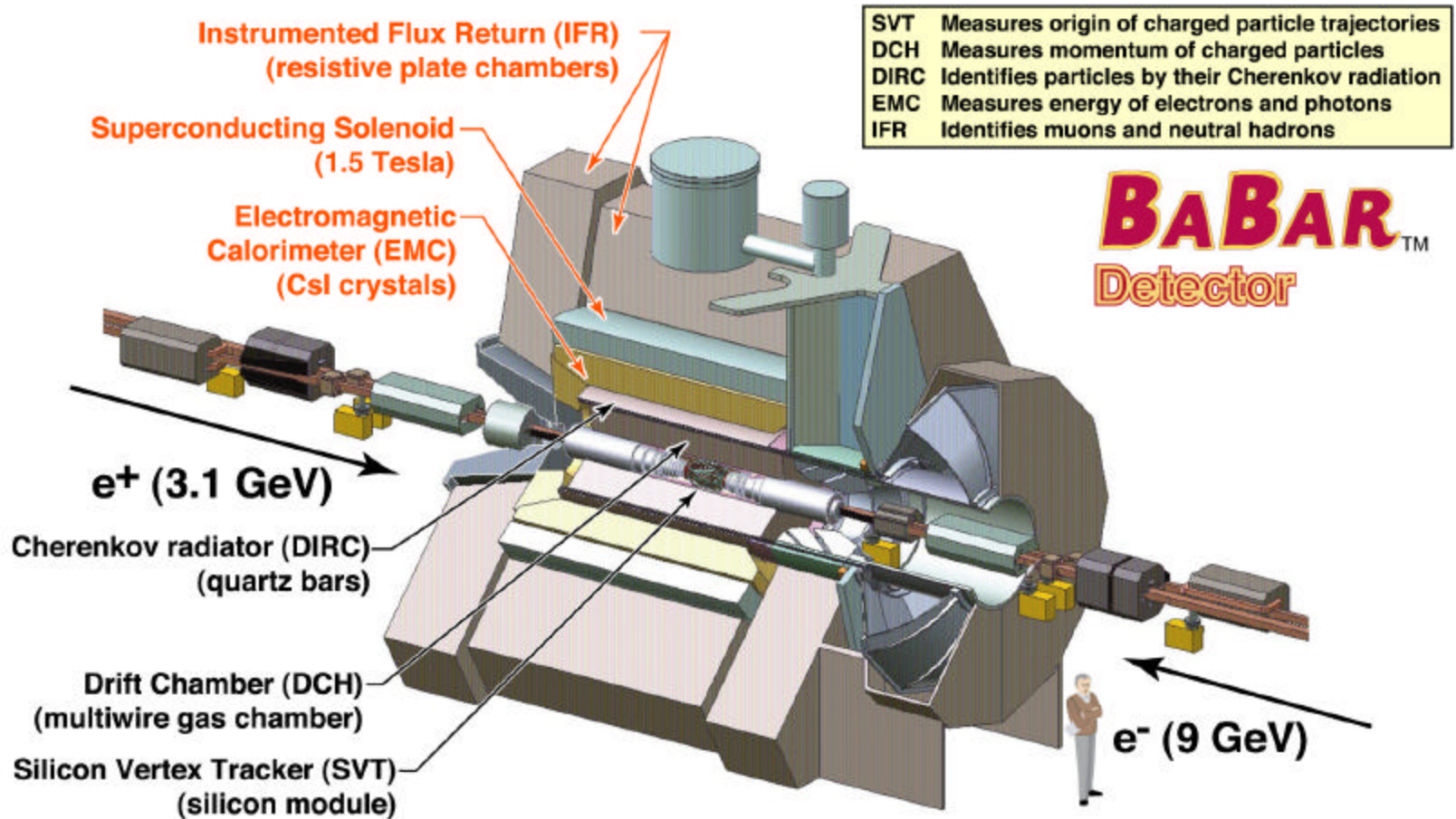
On peak:  $81 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (88 Million BB)

Off peak:  $10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$





# BABAR Detector



**SVT:** 97% efficiency, 15  $\mu\text{m}$  z hit resolution (inner layers, perp. tracks)

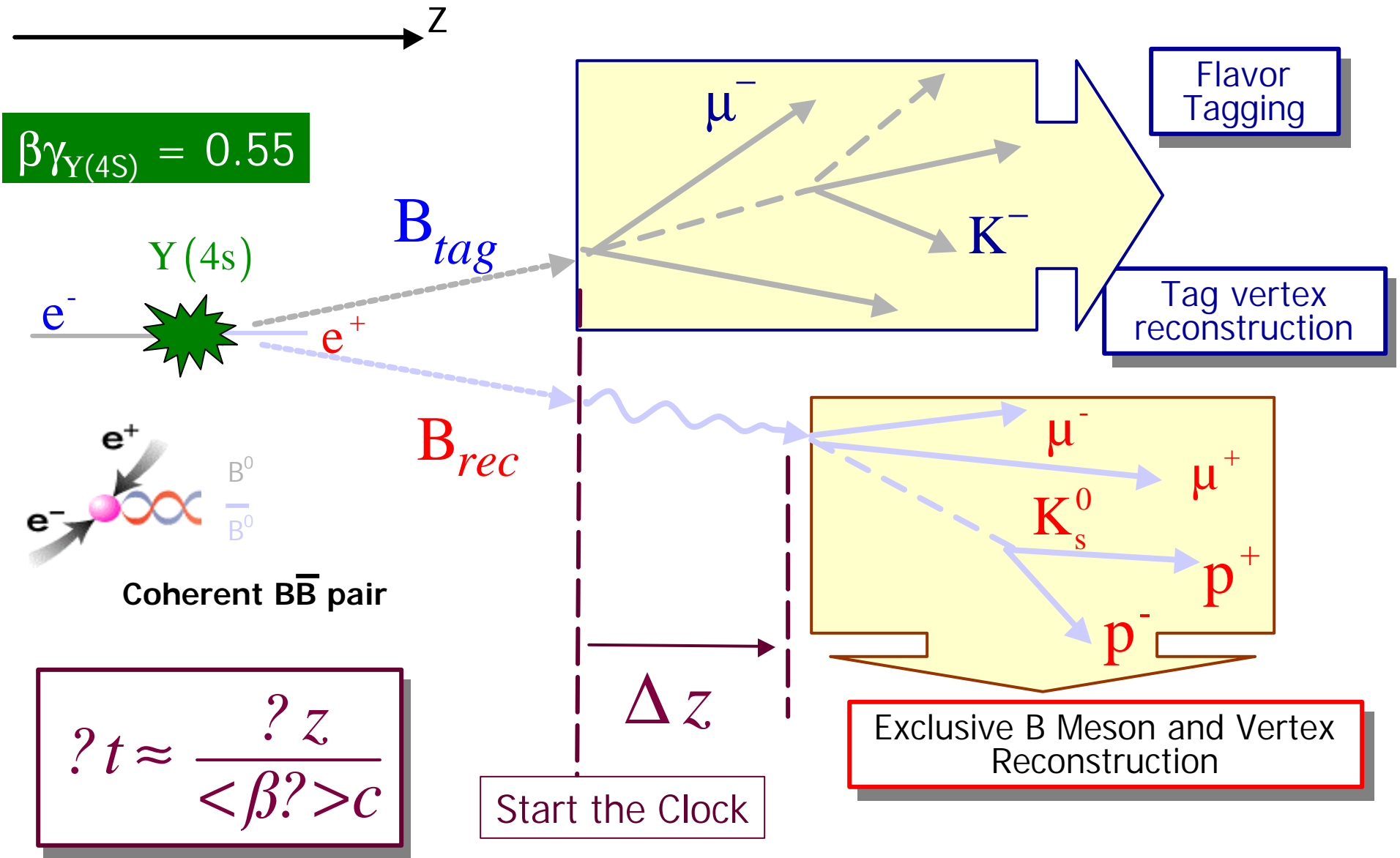
**SVT+DCH:**  $\sigma(p_T)/p_T = 0.13\% \sqrt{p_T} + 0.45\%$

**DIRC:** K- $\pi$  separation 4.2  $\sigma$  @ 3.0 GeV/c  $\rightarrow$  2.5  $\sigma$  @ 4.0 GeV/c

**EMC:**  $\sigma_E/E = 2.3\% \cdot E^{-1/4} \hat{\Delta} 1.9\%$



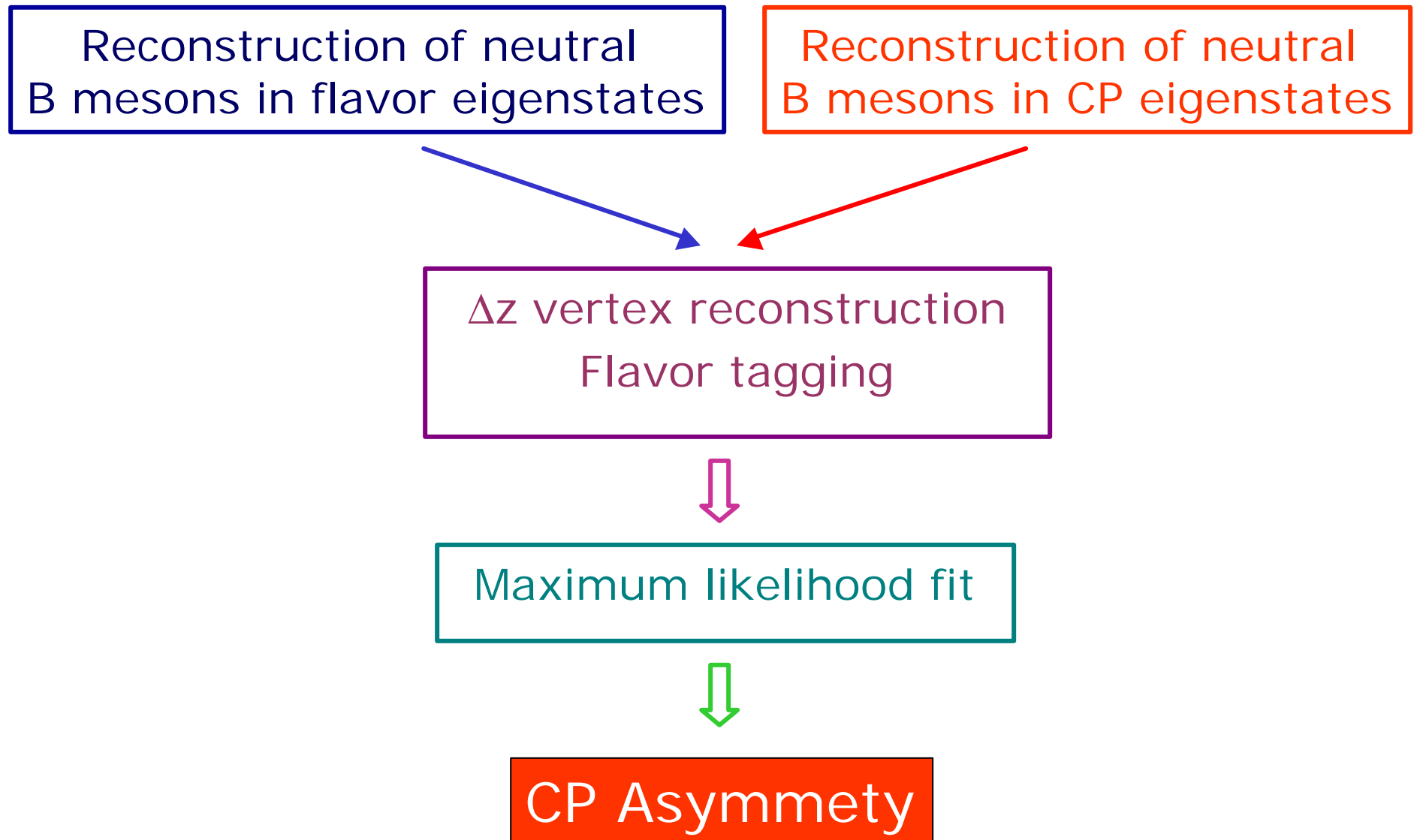
# Event topology







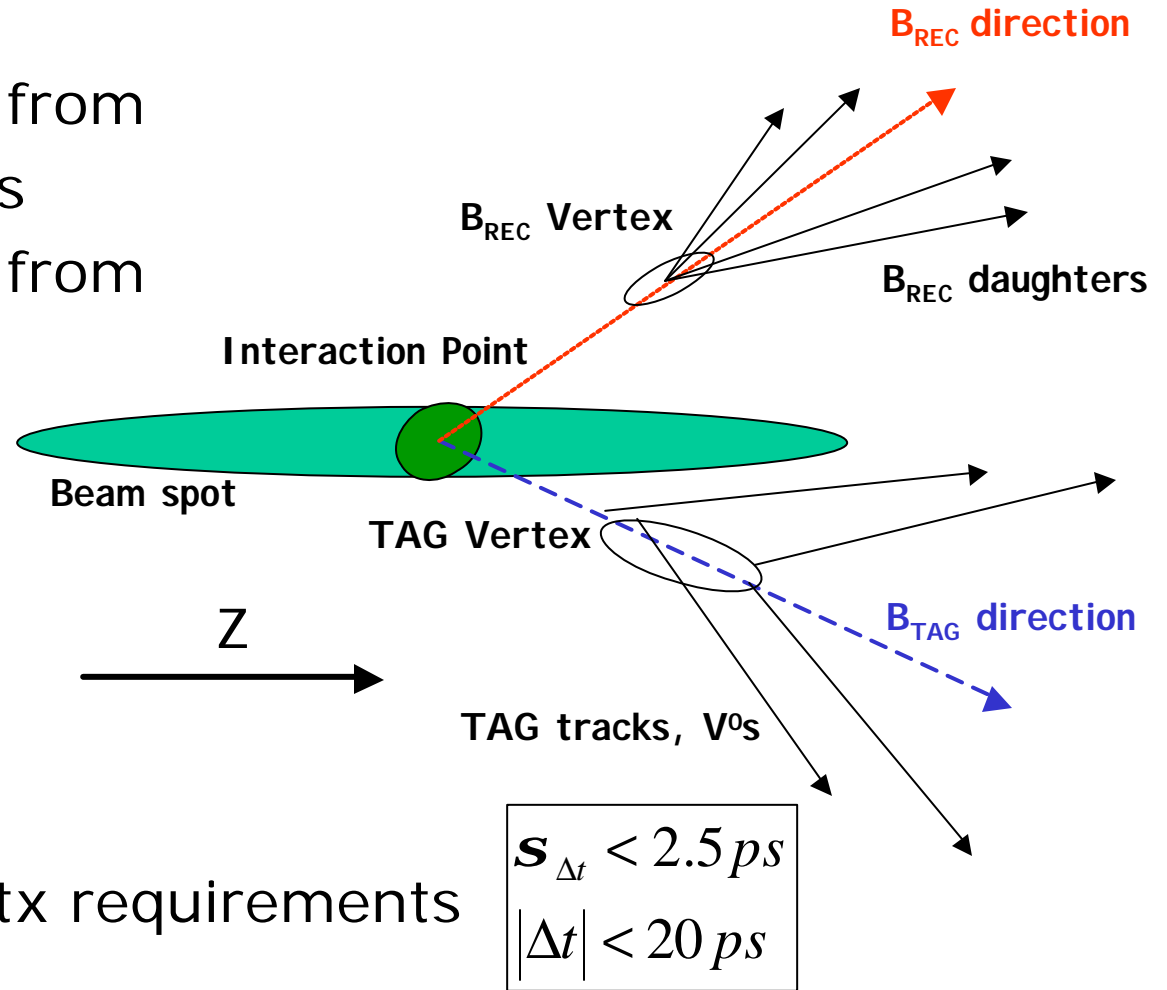
# Ingredients for time-dependent $\sin 2\beta$ analysis





# Vertex and $\Delta z$ Reconstruction

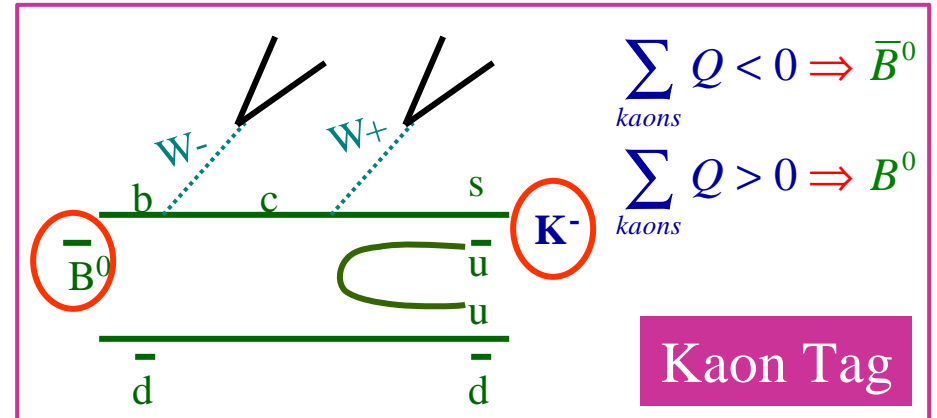
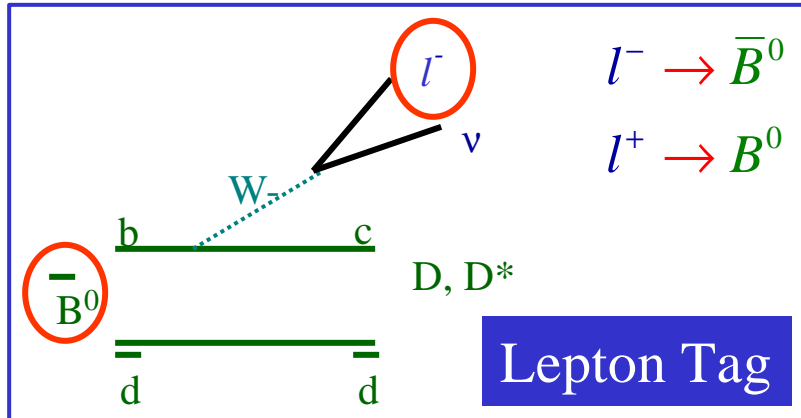
- Determine  $B_{rec}$  vertex from  $B_{rec}$  charged daughters
- Determine  $B_{tag}$  vertex from
  - Charged tracks not belonging to  $B_{rec}$
  - $B_{rec}$  vertex and momentum
  - Beam spot and Y(4S) momentum
- 95% of events pass vtx requirements
- Average  $\Delta z$  resolution 180  $\mu\text{m}$   
 $\langle |\Delta z| \rangle \sim \beta\gamma c\tau = 260 \mu\text{m}$





# Flavor tagging

For electrons, muons and Kaons use the charge correlation



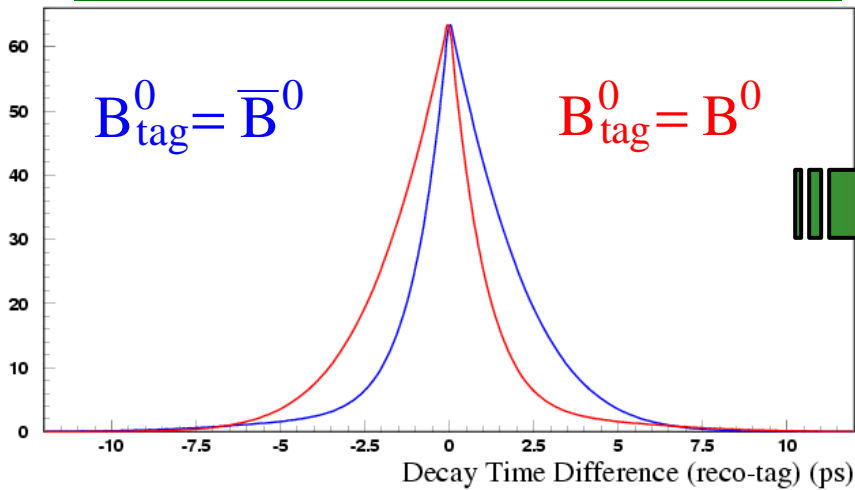
Multilevel neural network assigns each event to one of five mutually exclusive tagging categories

Each category is characterized by the probability of giving the wrong tag answer (**mistag fraction  $w$** )

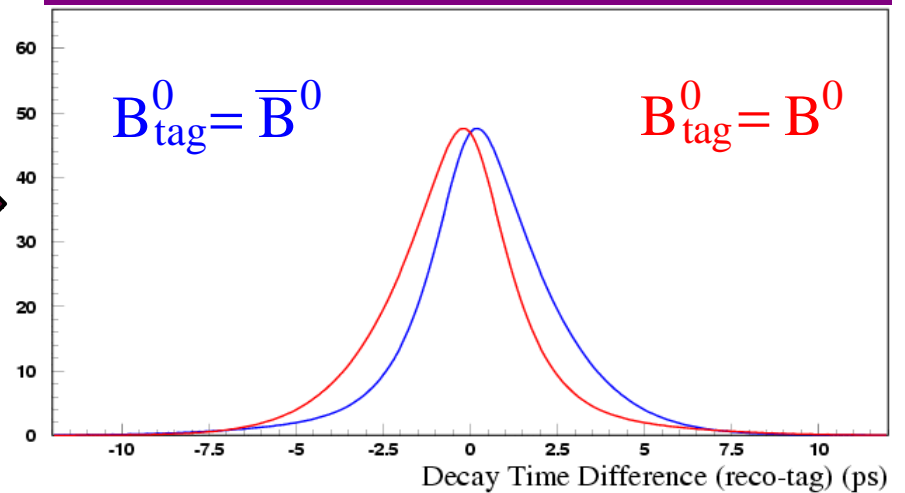


# $\Delta t$ Spectrum of CP Events

**perfect**  
flavor tagging & time resolution



**realistic**  
mis-tagging & finite time resolution



CP PDF

$$f_{B^0}(\Delta t) = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/t_{B_d}}}{4 t_{B_d}} \times \left\{ 1 \mp \left( \frac{1 - \sin 2\beta}{1 + \sin 2\beta} \right) \sin(m_d \Delta t) \right\} \otimes R$$

Mistag fractions  $w$   
and  
resolution function  $R$

determined by  
flavor sample

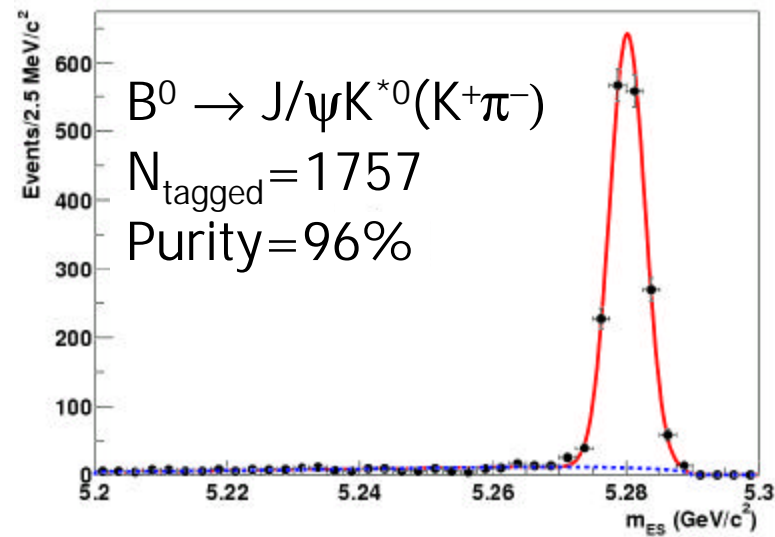
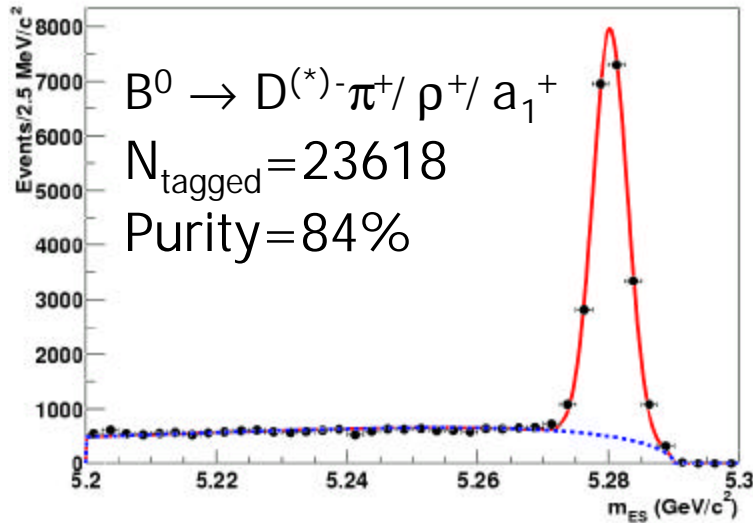
Mixing PDF

$$f_{mixing,\pm}(\Delta t) = \left\{ \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/t_{B_d}}}{4 t_{B_d}} \times \left( 1 \pm (1 - 2w) \cos(m_d \Delta t) \right) \right\} \otimes R$$



# Use $B_{\text{flav}}$ sample to measure $w$ and $R$

- Fully reconstruct self-tagged modes:  $m_{\text{ES}} = \sqrt{(\mathbf{E}_{\text{beam}}^{\text{cm}})^2 - (\mathbf{p}_B^{\text{cm}})^2}$



- Apply  $B_{\text{tag}}$  to other side:

$$f_{\text{Unmixed}}^{\text{Mixed}}(\Delta t) = \left\{ \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/t_B}}{4t_B} [1 \pm (1-2w) \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)] \right\} \otimes R$$

$B_{\text{flav}}$  sample is x10 size of CP sample

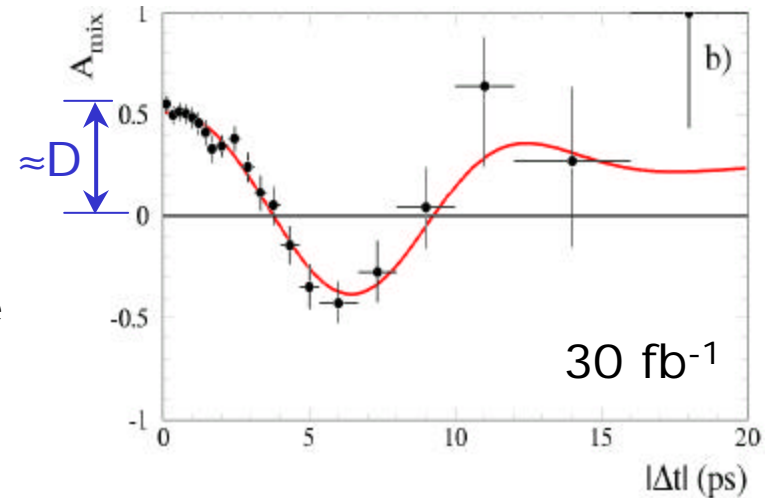


# Fit results: flavor tag Dilutions

Mixing fit with  $B^0$  flav sample ( $30 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

$$\Delta m_d = 0.516 \pm 0.016 \pm 0.010 \text{ ps}^{-1}.$$

- Lepton tag has lowest mistag rate
- Kaon1 tag contributes most.



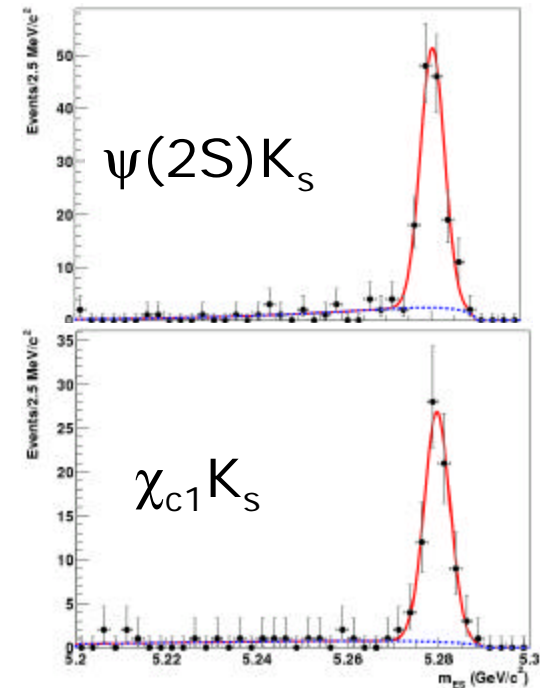
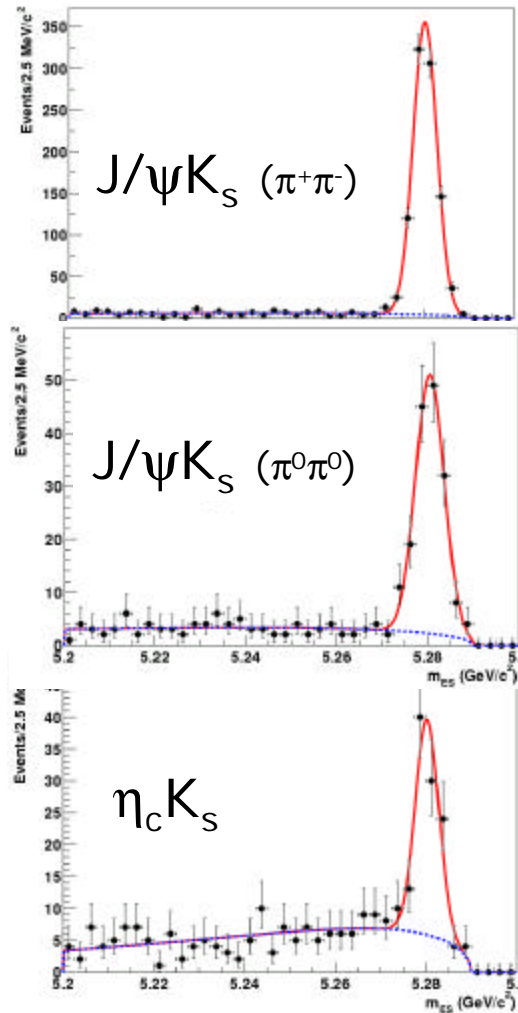
Flavor tag	Efficiency ( $\epsilon$ )	Mistag fr. ( $\omega$ )	$D = 1 - 2\omega$	$\epsilon D^2$
Lepton	$9.1 \pm 0.2 \%$	<b><math>3.3 \pm 0.6 \%</math></b>	<b><math>93.4 \pm 1.2 \%</math></b>	$7.9 \pm 0.3 \%$
Kaon1	$16.7 \pm 0.2 \%$	$9.9 \pm 0.7 \%$	$80.2 \pm 1.4 \%$	<b><math>10.7 \pm 0.4 \%</math></b>
Kaon2	$19.8 \pm 0.3 \%$	$20.9 \pm 0.8 \%$	$58.2 \pm 1.6 \%$	$6.7 \pm 0.4 \%$
Inclusive	$20.0 \pm 0.3 \%$	$31.6 \pm 0.9 \%$	$36.8 \pm 1.8 \%$	$2.7 \pm 0.3 \%$
Total	<b><math>65.6 \pm 0.5 \%</math></b>			<b><math>28.1 \pm 0.7\%</math></b>

Error on  $\sin 2\beta$  Proportional to  $1/\sqrt{\epsilon D^2}$ .



# sin2β golden sample: (c $\bar{c}$ )K<sub>S</sub> (h<sub>f</sub> = -1)

Sample	N <sub>tagged</sub>	Purity
J/ψ K <sub>S</sub> (π <sup>+</sup> π <sup>-</sup> )	974	97%
J/ψ K <sub>S</sub> (π <sup>0</sup> π <sup>0</sup> )	170	89%
ψ(2S) K <sub>S</sub>	150	97%
χ <sub>c1</sub> K <sub>S</sub>	80	95%
η <sub>c</sub> K <sub>S</sub>	132	73%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1506</b>	<b>92%</b>

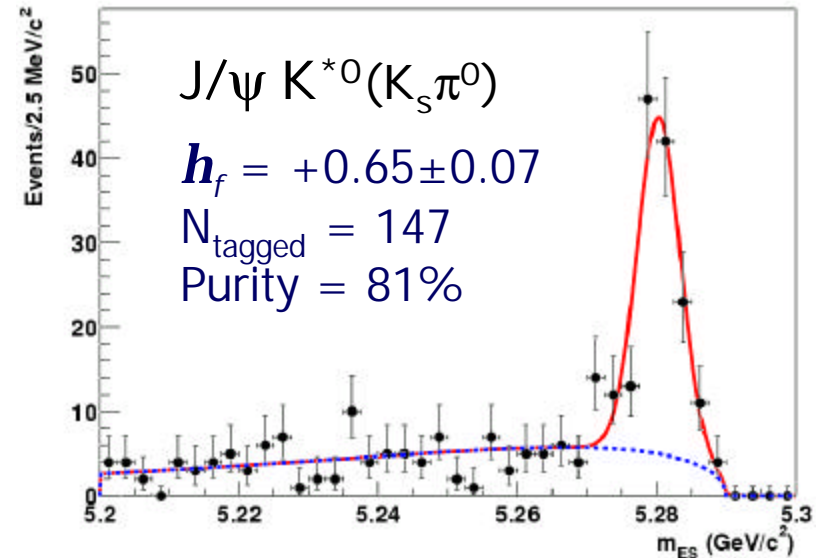
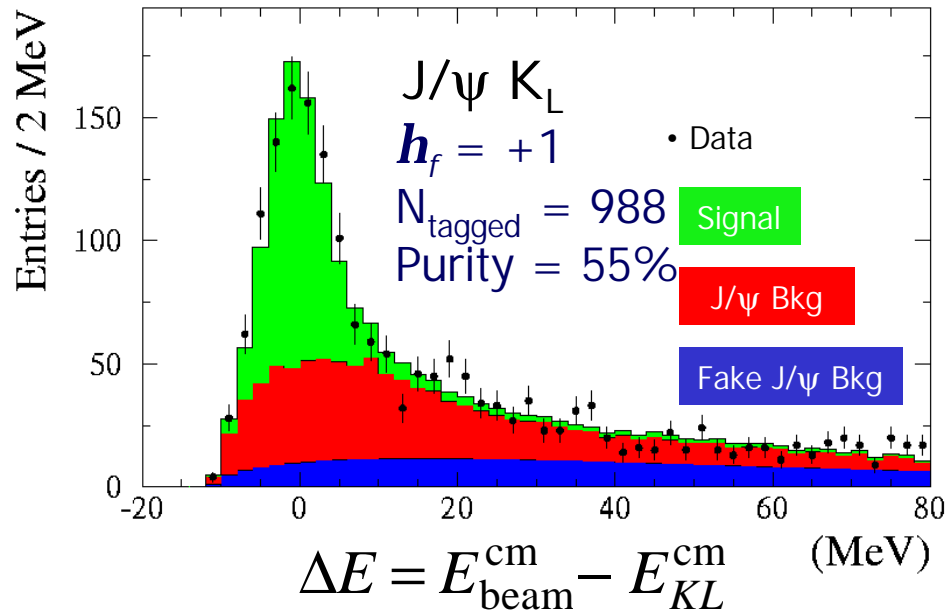


Latest addition:  
 $B^0 \rightarrow \eta_c K_S$   
 where  $\eta_c \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^0$  or  
 $K^+ K_S \pi^-$

Energy-substituted mass  $m_{ES} = \sqrt{(E_{\text{beam}}^{\text{cm}})^2 + (p_B^{\text{cm}})^2}$



# $\sin 2\beta$ samples: $J/\psi K_L$ and $J/\psi K^{*0}$



- Use  $m_B$  constraint to determine  $p_{KL}$
- $J/\psi$  background shape estimated from Monte Carlo
- Fake  $J/\psi$  background shape estimated from data sidebands
- Vector-Vector mode: mixture of CP-even and CP-odd
- Use angular analysis to determine CP-odd fraction
- Treat CP-odd component as dilution  $\rightarrow$  effective  $h_f$





# Fitting Strategy

Fit CP and  $B^0$  flavor samples simultaneously.

- Unbinned maximum likelihood fit.
  - Use measured evt-by-evt error on  $\Delta t$ .
  - Use  $m_{es}$  evt-by-evt to determine signal probability.
- Simultaneous fit automatically propagates uncertainty on dilutions and  $\Delta t$  resolution.

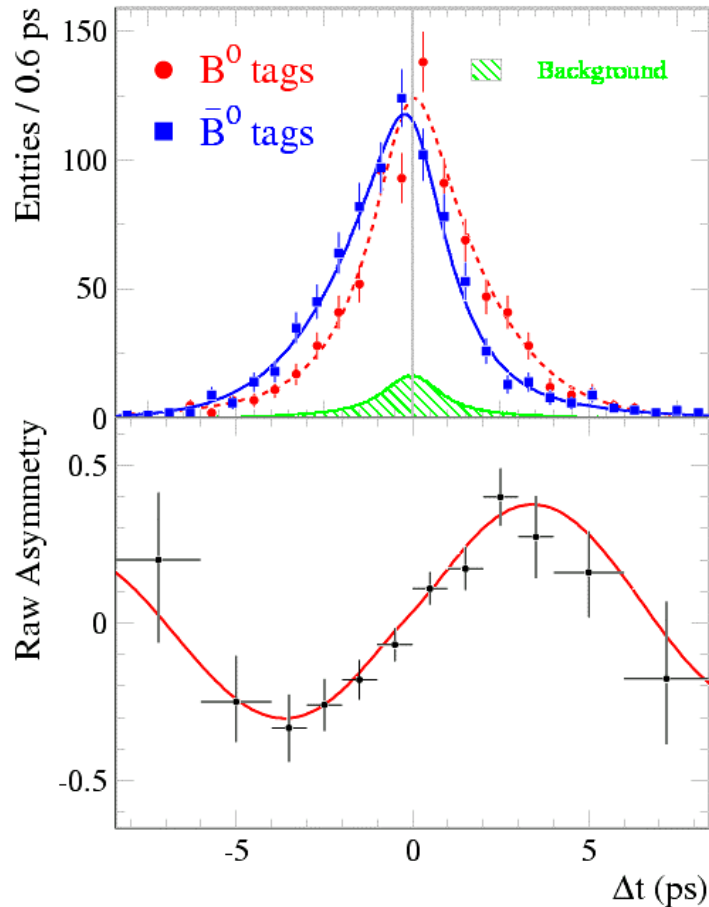
Parameters	# free	
$\sin 2\beta$	1	CP sample
$\langle D \rangle$ and $\Delta D$	8	} $B^0$ flav sample
$\Delta t$ resolution function	8	
Background $\Delta t$ res fcn	3	} $m_{es}$ sideband
Background D	8	
Background $\Delta t$ shape	6	

Total: **34** free parameters.



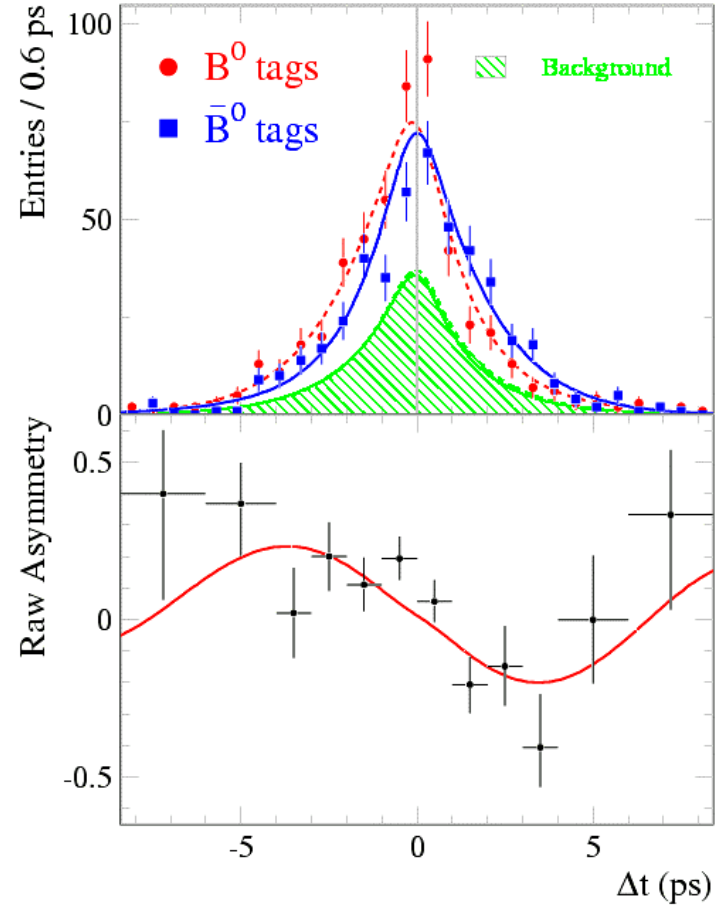
# sin2β Fit Results

$(c\bar{c})K_s$  ( $\eta_{cp} = -1$ )



$$\sin 2\beta = 0.755 \pm 0.074$$

$J/\psi K_L$  ( $\eta_{cp} = +1$ )

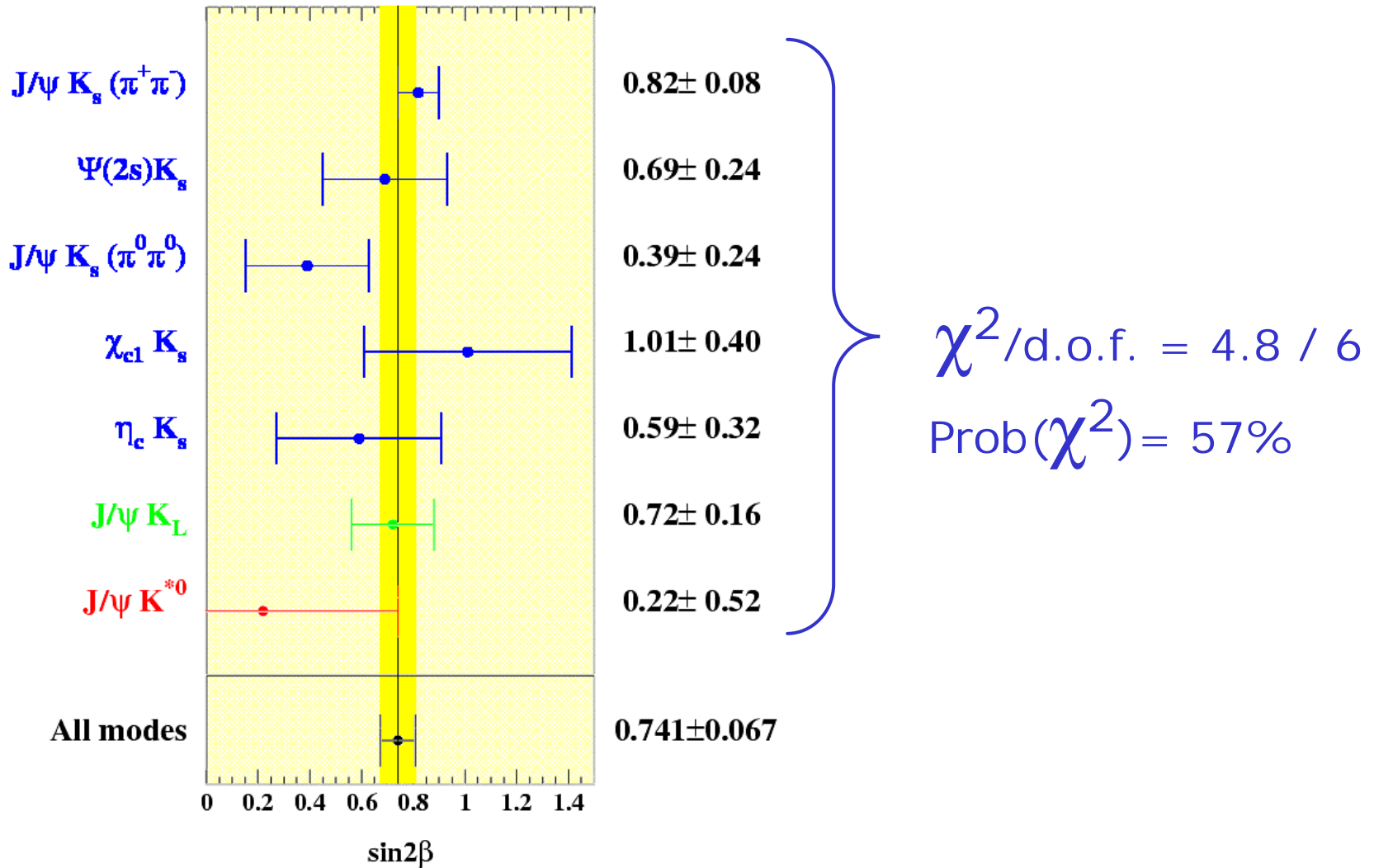


$$\sin 2\beta = 0.723 \pm 0.158$$

$$\text{All modes: } \sin 2\beta = 0.741 \pm 0.067 \pm 0.034$$

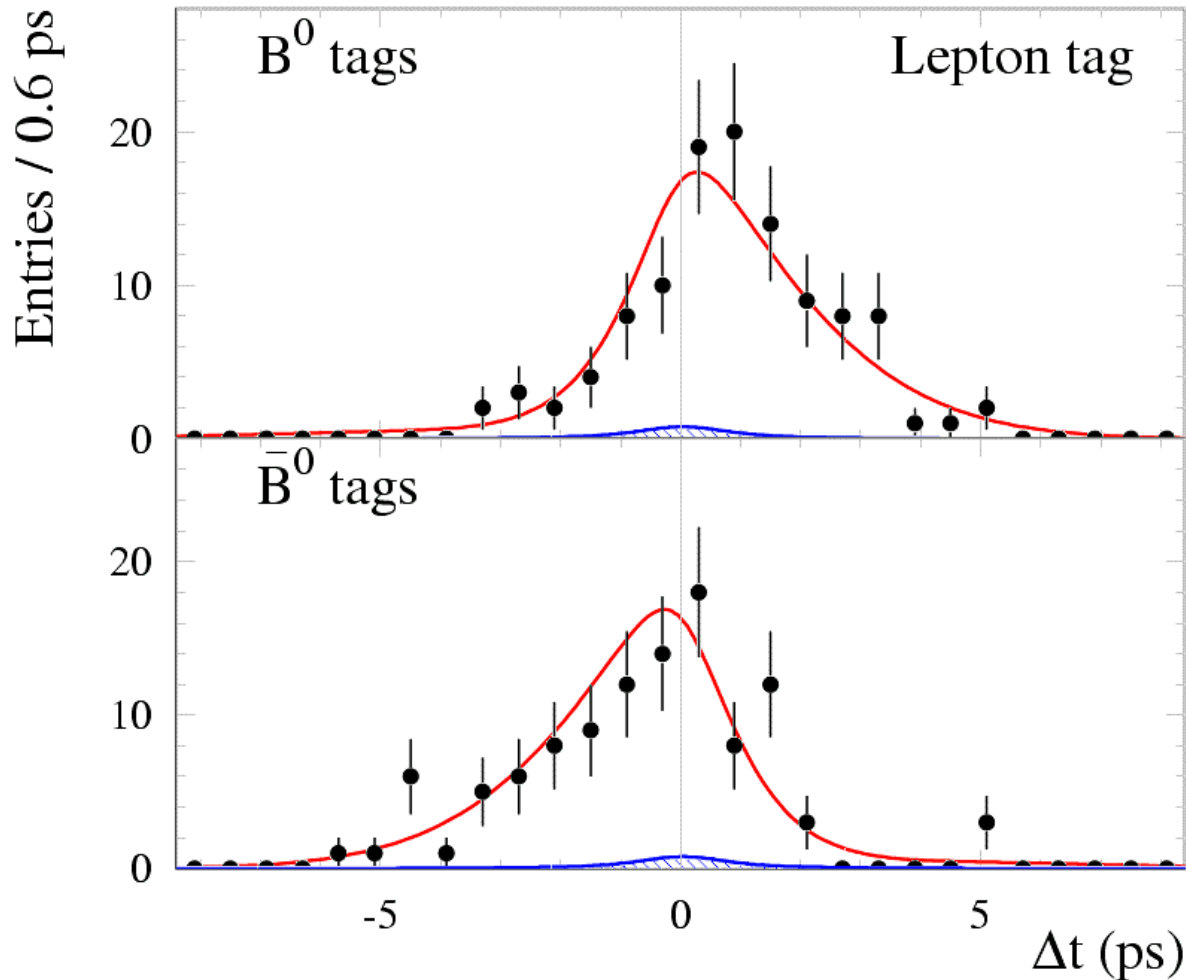


# sin2β by Decay Mode





# $\Delta t$ Distributions for lepton tagged ( $c\bar{c}$ ) $K_s$ sample



98% Pure

Mistag frac.  
3.3%

$\sigma_{\Delta t}$  20%  
better than  
other tag  
categories

It doesn't  
get much  
better than  
this!

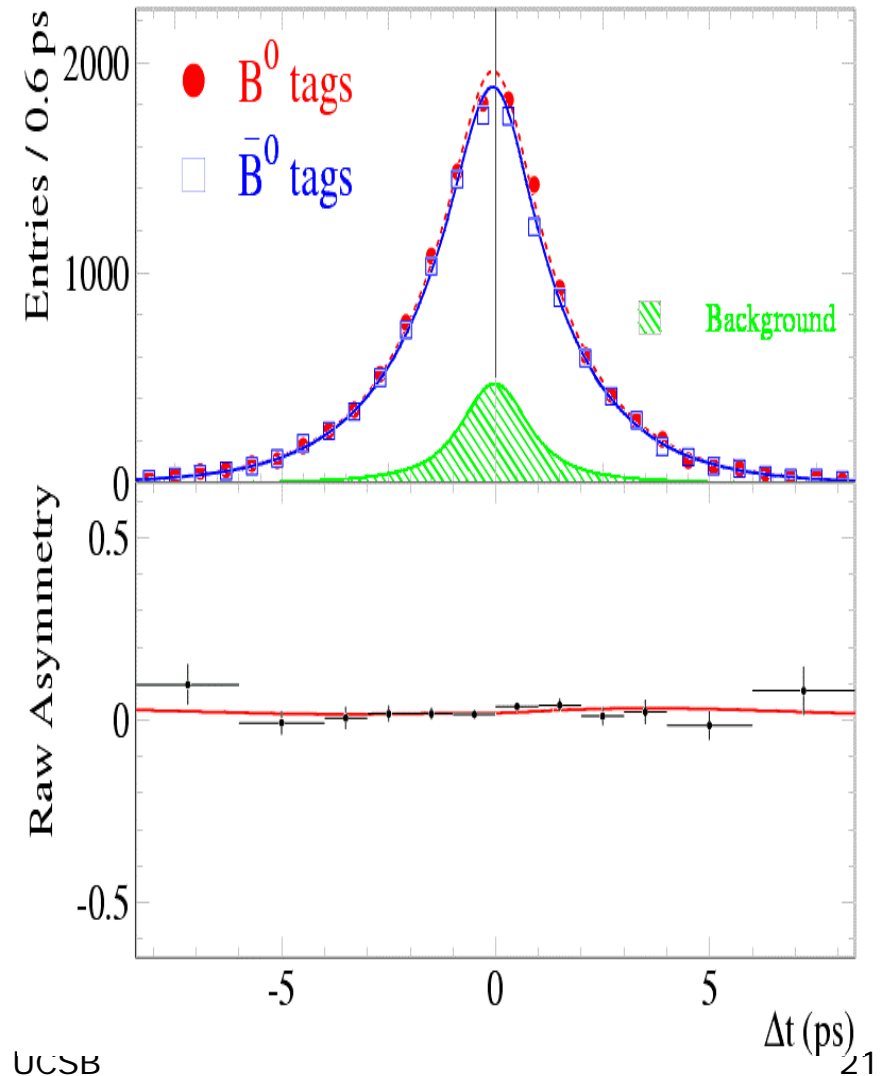
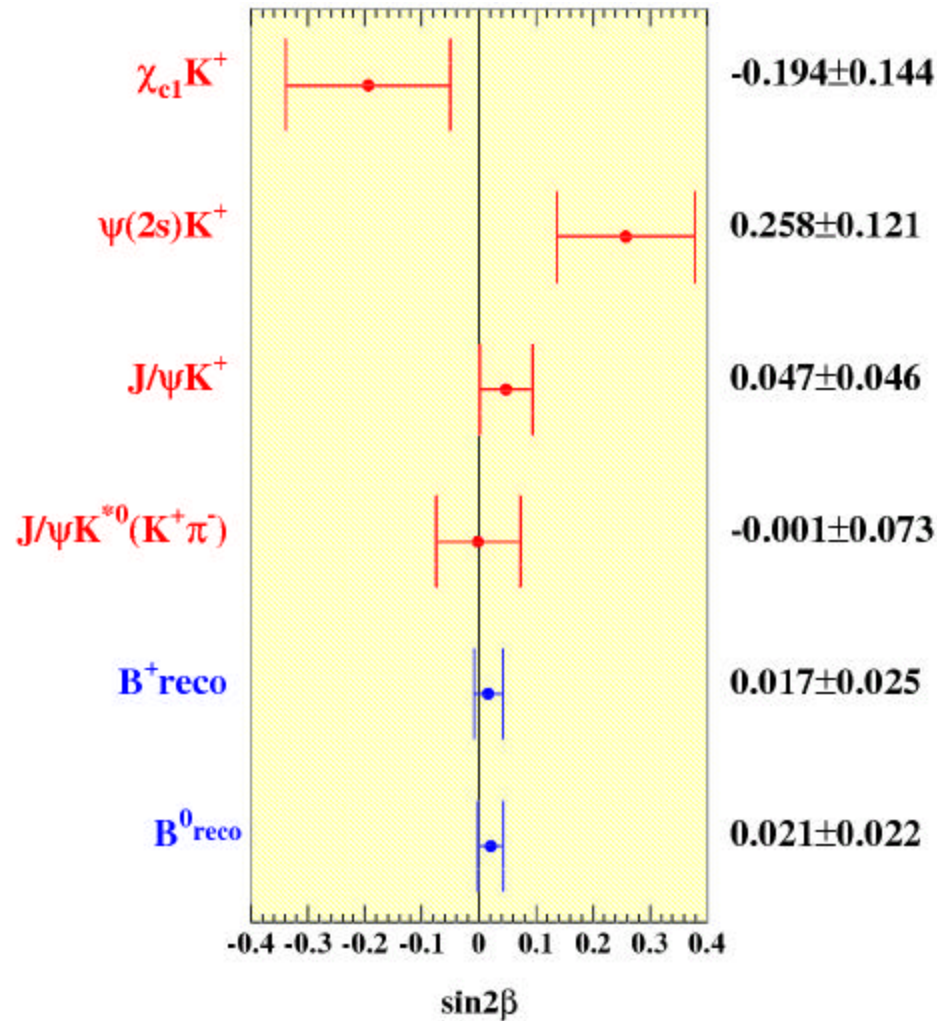
220 events,  $\sin 2\beta = 0.79 \pm 0.11$



# $\sin 2\beta$ Control Samples

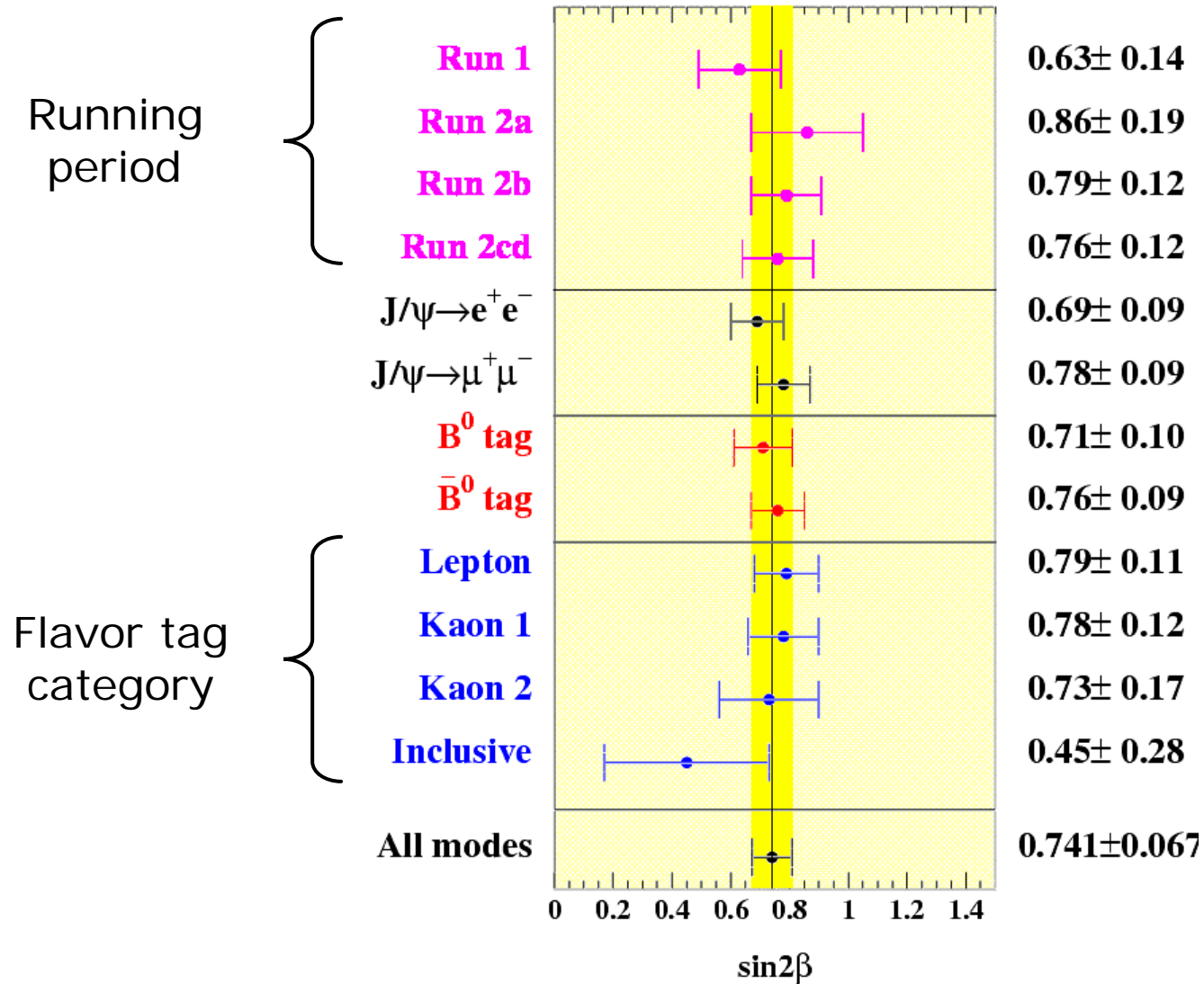
No asymmetry where none expected!

Fit  $B^0$  reco for  $\sin 2\beta$





# Crosschecks: $\sin 2\beta$ in subsamples





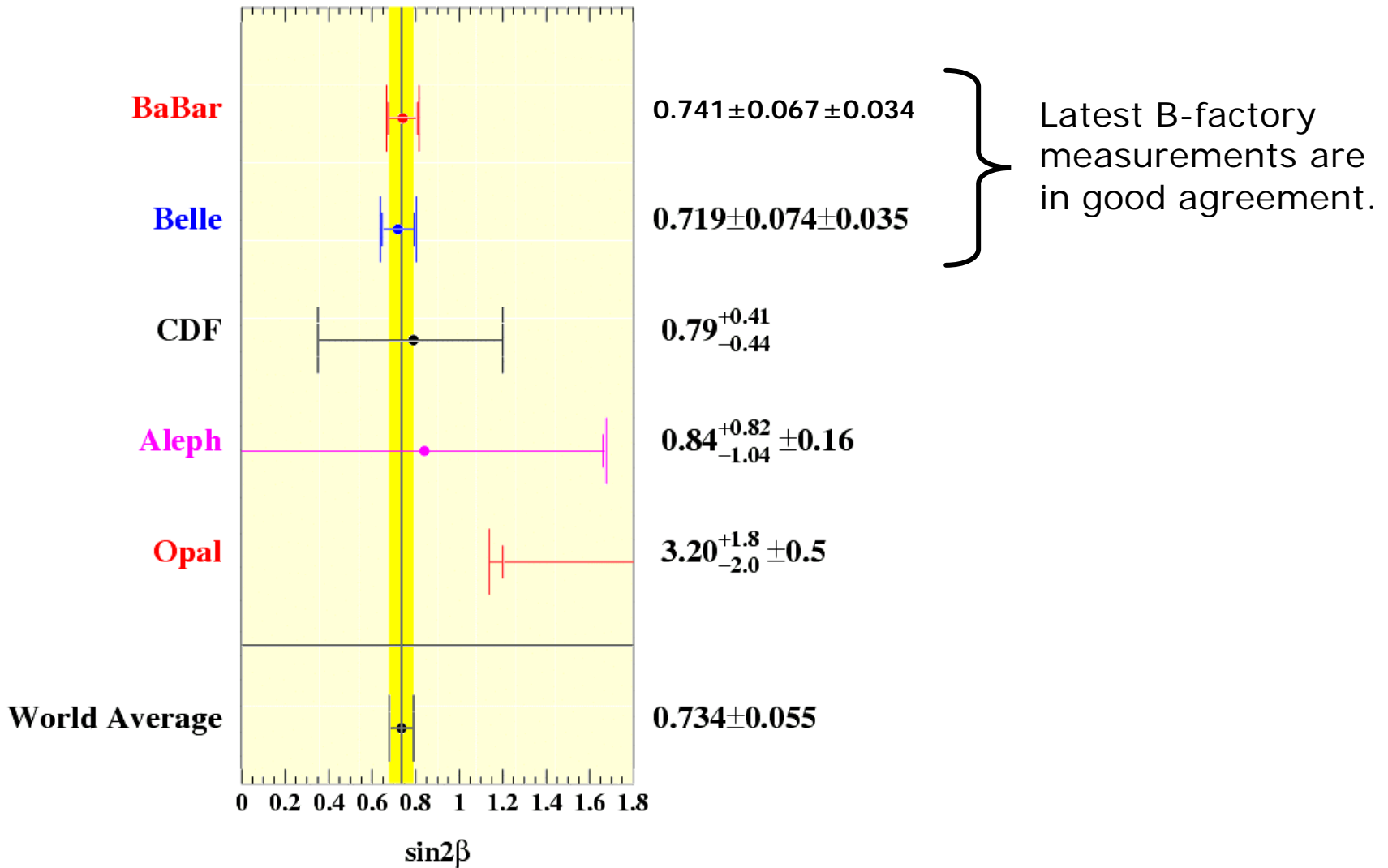
# Sources of Systematic Error

	<u><math>\sigma(\sin 2\beta)</math></u>
Description of background events	0.017
CP content of background components	
Background shape uncertainties	
Composition and content of $J/\psi K_L$ background	0.015
$\Delta t$ resolution and detector effects	0.017
Silicon detector alignment uncertainty	
$\Delta t$ resolution model	
Mistag differences between $B_{CP}$ and $B_{flav}$ samples	0.012
Fit bias correction	0.010
<u>Fixed lifetime and oscillation frequency</u>	<u>0.005</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.034</b>

Steadily reducing systematic error:	July 2002 = 0.034
	July 2001 = 0.05



# $\sin 2\beta$ world average







# Check for direct CP violation

In the nominal  $\sin 2\beta$  fit, we assume  $|\lambda| = 1$   
(as expected in SM)

where

$$\lambda = e^{-2i\beta} \frac{\bar{A}}{A}$$

We check this SM assumption by performing the fit with  $|\lambda|$  free.

The fit was done only on the very clean  $(c\bar{c})K_s$  sample which requires minimal background assumptions.

$$|\lambda| = 0.948 \pm 0.051 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.030 \text{ (syst)}$$

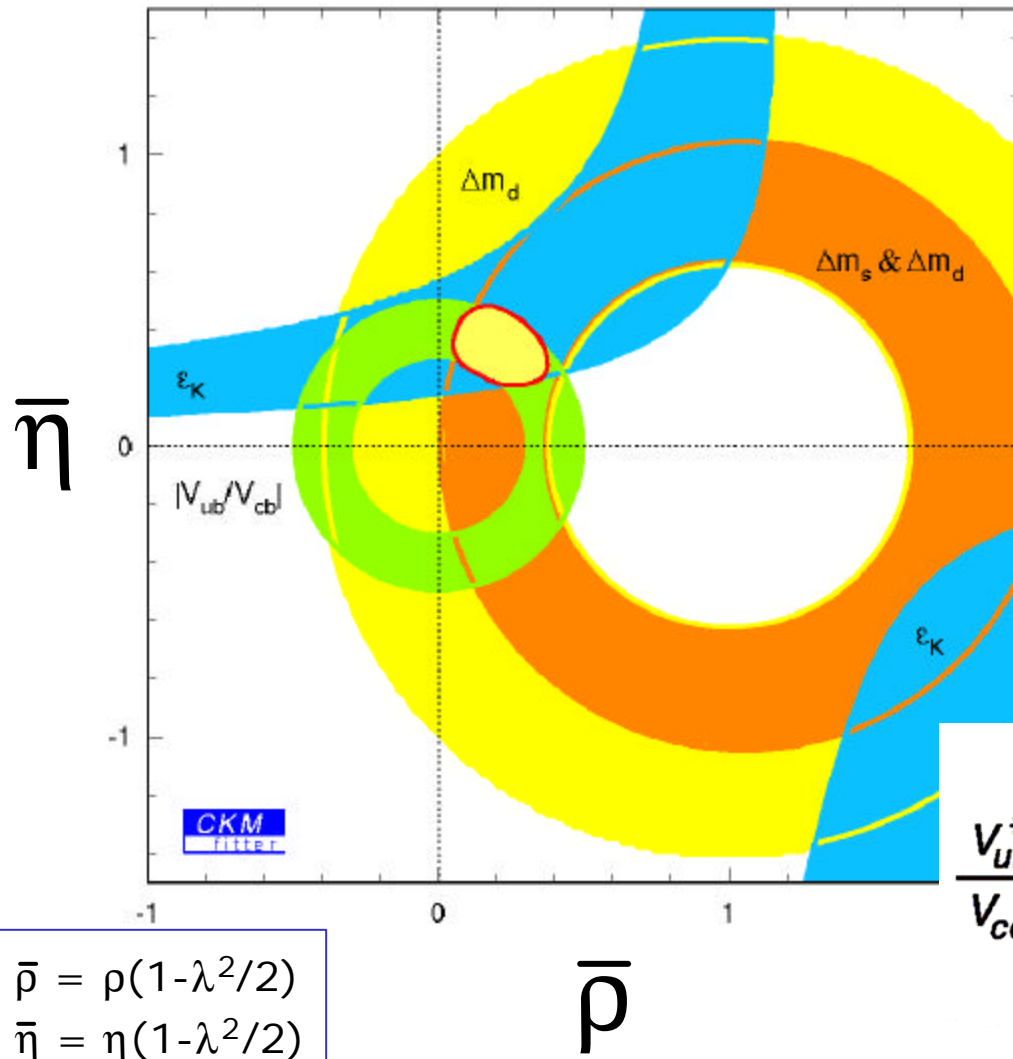
$$\text{Im } \lambda / |\lambda| = 0.759 \pm 0.074 \text{ (stat)}$$

Consistent with the Standard Model expectation of  $|\lambda| = 1$ .

The  $\text{Im } \lambda / |\lambda|$  term, which is  $\sin 2\beta$  for the  $|\lambda| = 1$  case, is consistent with the nominal fit ( $\sin 2\beta = 0.755 \pm 0.074$  for  $(c\bar{c})K_s$  modes alone).



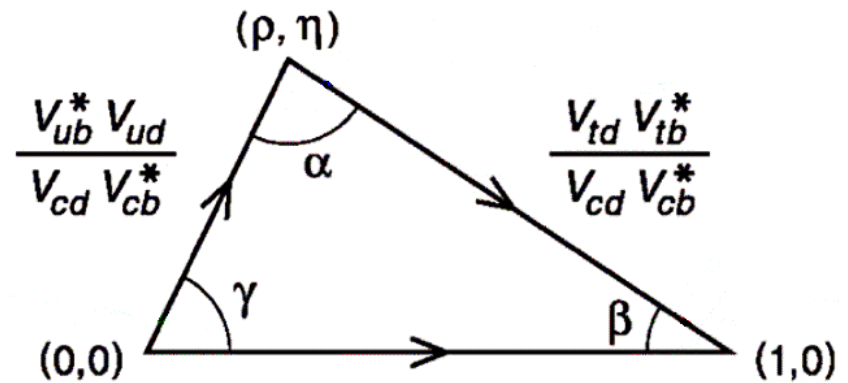
# Standard Model interpretation



Constraints on the Wolfenstein parameters  $\rho$  and  $\eta$  or the apex of the Unitarity Triangle.

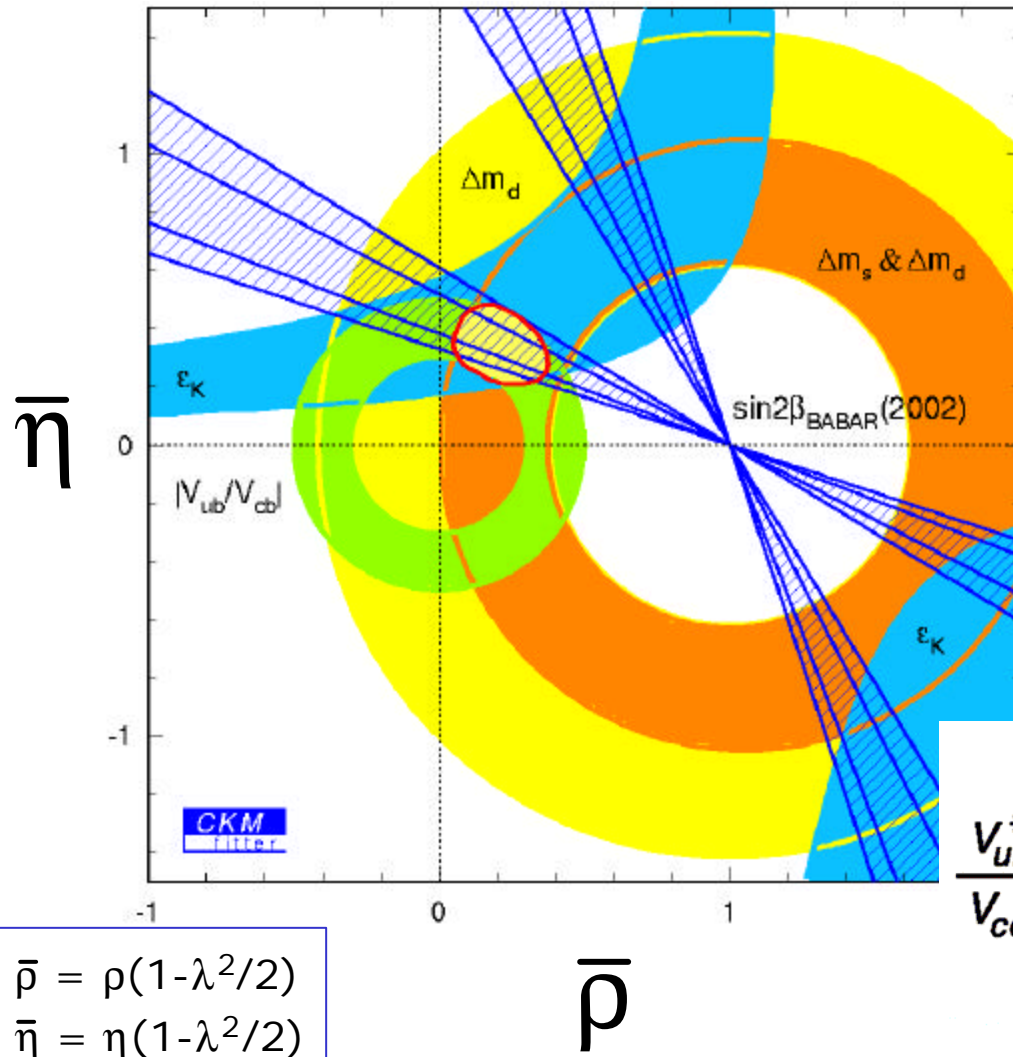
$$\bar{\rho} = \rho(1-\lambda^2/2)$$

$$\bar{\eta} = \eta(1-\lambda^2/2)$$





# Standard Model interpretation

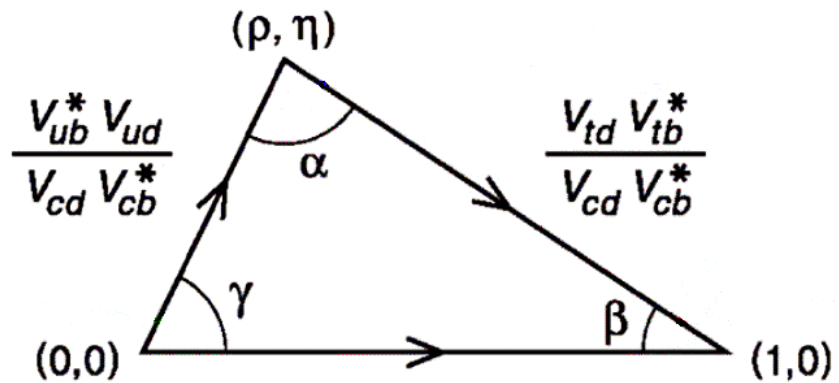


$$\bar{\rho} = \rho(1-\lambda^2/2)$$

$$\bar{\eta} = \eta(1-\lambda^2/2)$$

Constraints on the Wolfenstein parameters  $\rho$  and  $\eta$  or the apex of the Unitarity Triangle.

One solution for  $\mathbf{b}$  is in excellent agreement with measurements of unitarity triangle apex





# Conclusions

- Latest measurement of  $\sin 2\beta$  with BaBar  
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$$\sin 2\beta = 0.741 \pm 0.067 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.034 \text{ (syst)}$$

- Next round will be precision measurement
- $\sin 2\beta$  remains interesting with possible SM deviations in penguin only decays
- *“The KM mechanism of CP violation has successfully passed its first precision test.”* Y. Nir



# Backup Slides



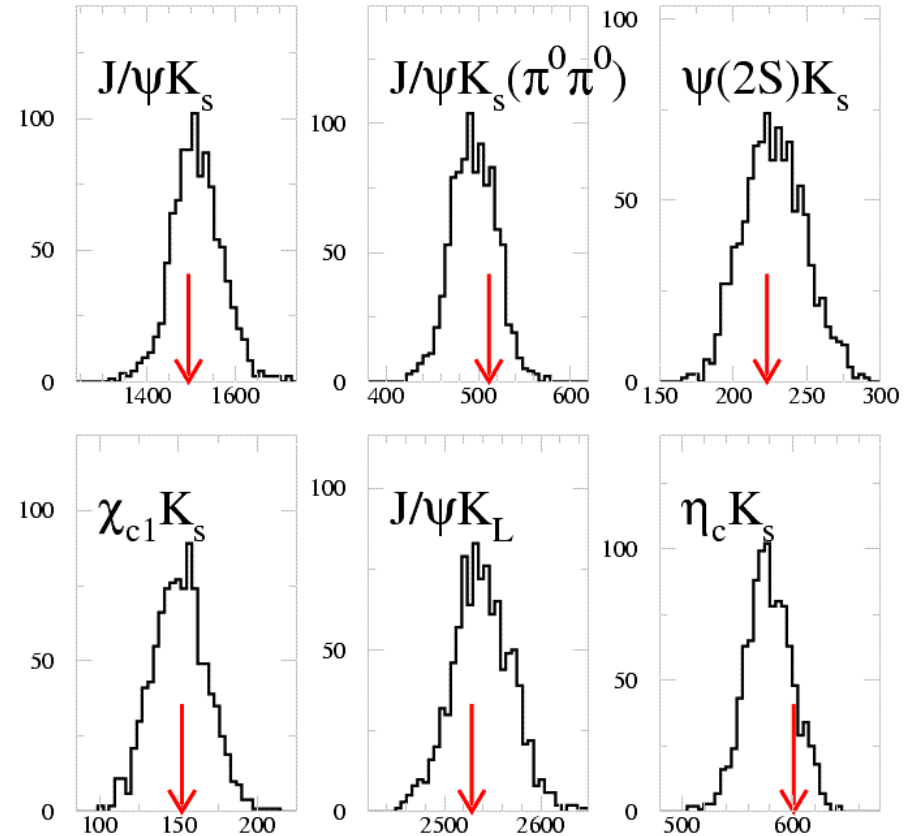
# Yields for CP (Ks) and B<sup>0</sup> flavor data sets

Mode	Ntag	Purity (%)
J/ψK <sub>s</sub> (π <sup>+</sup> π <sup>-</sup> )	974	96.5
J/ψK <sub>s</sub> (π <sup>0</sup> π <sup>0</sup> )	170	88.5
Ψ(2S)K <sub>s</sub>	150	96.9
χ <sub>c</sub> K <sub>s</sub>	80	94.5
η <sub>c</sub> K <sub>s</sub>	132	63.4
<b>(cc)K<sub>s</sub></b>	<b>1506</b>	<b>92.2</b>
Breco Hadronic	23618	84.2
J/ψK <sup>*0</sup> (K <sup>+</sup> π <sup>-</sup> )	1757	95.8
<b>Bflavor</b>	<b>25375</b>	<b>84.5</b>



# Goodness of fit from toy MC

- Use toy MC to evaluate the expected statistical error and the goodness of fit from the log likelihood.
- Samples are generated with exactly the same statistics and per-event properties ( $\sigma_{\Delta t}$ , tag cat, tag val,  $m_{es}$ ) as the data sample.
- The per-event  $\Delta t$  is regenerated based on the  $\Delta t$  PDF from the likelihood fit of the data, using the per-event properties above.

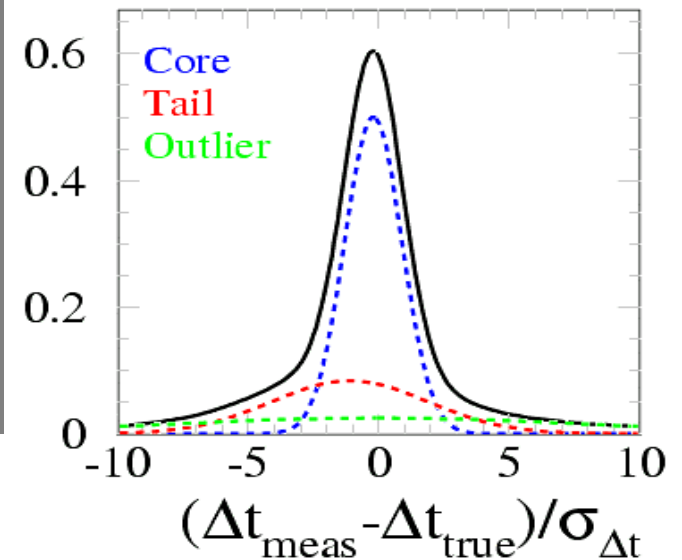
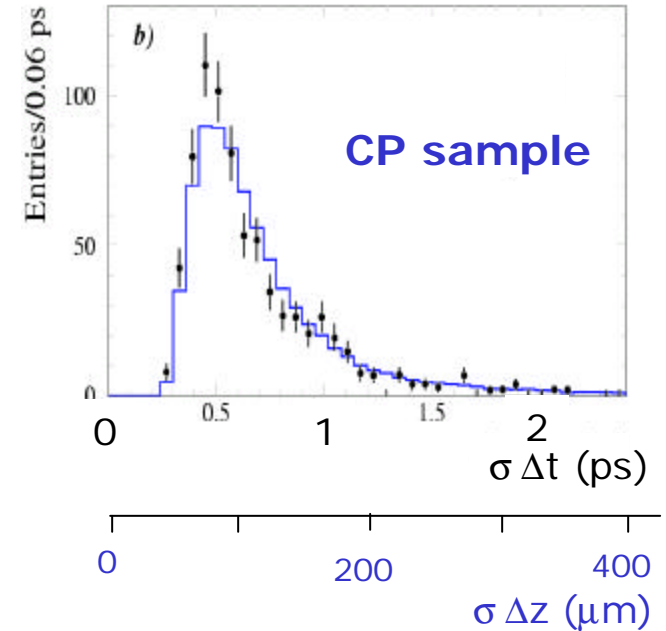


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# $\Delta t$ resolution function

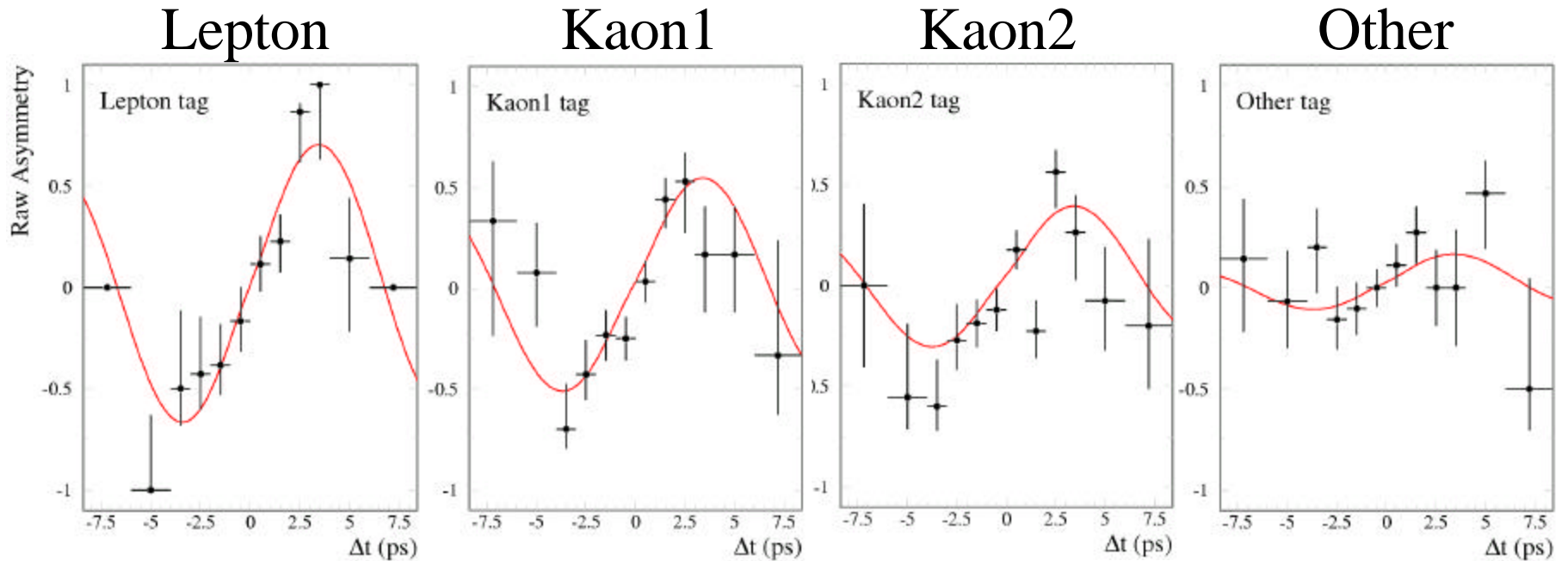
- Sum of 3 Gaussians (**core**, **tail**, **outlier**)
- **Core** and **tail** width scales with event error:
  - $s_c = S_c s_{Dt}$
  - $s_t = S_t s_{Dt}$  ( $S_t$  fixed to 3)
- Mean is free parameter. **Core** mean is flavor-tag dependent.
- **Core** and **tail** mean scale with  $s_{Dt}$ .
- **Outlier** has :  $s_o = 8$  ps , mean = 0.
- BG resolution function is only **core** and **outlier**.







# CP Asymmetry by Tagging Category for $(c\bar{c}) K_S$



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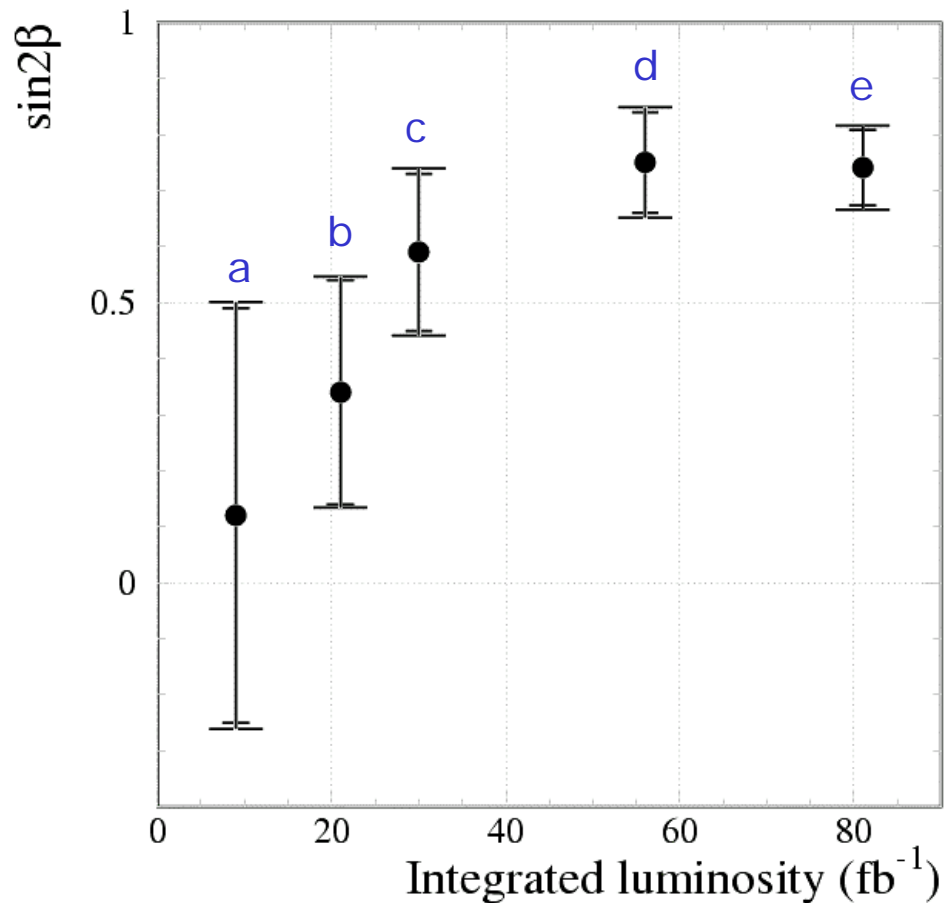
$0.78 \pm 0.12$

$0.73 \pm 0.17$

$0.45 \pm 0.28$



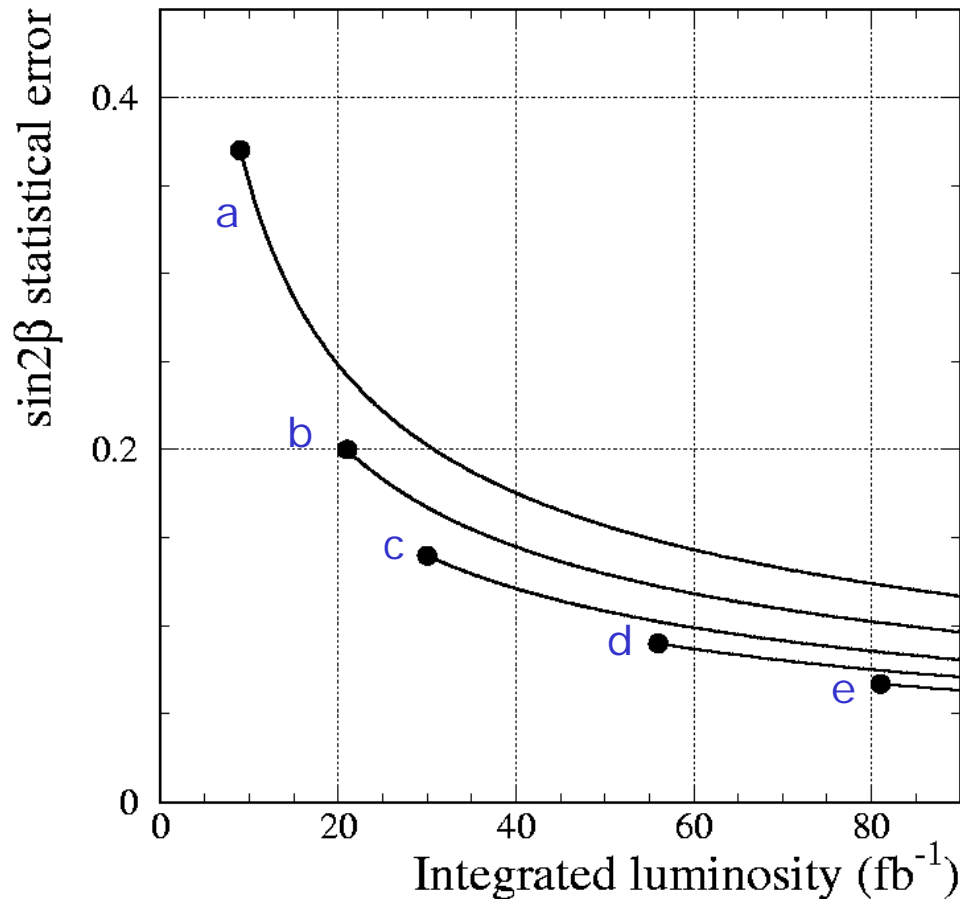
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# Full expression for $\Delta t$ from $\Delta z$

- The approximation  $\Delta t \approx \Delta z / \beta \gamma c$  is very good but it ignores the B momentum (340 MeV/c) in the Y(4S) frame.
- Can use the fully reconstructed B to improve it

$$\Delta z = \beta \gamma \gamma_{\text{rec}}^* c \Delta t + \gamma \beta_{\text{rec}}^* \gamma_{\text{rec}}^* \cos \theta_{\text{rec}}^* c (\tau_B + |\Delta t|)$$

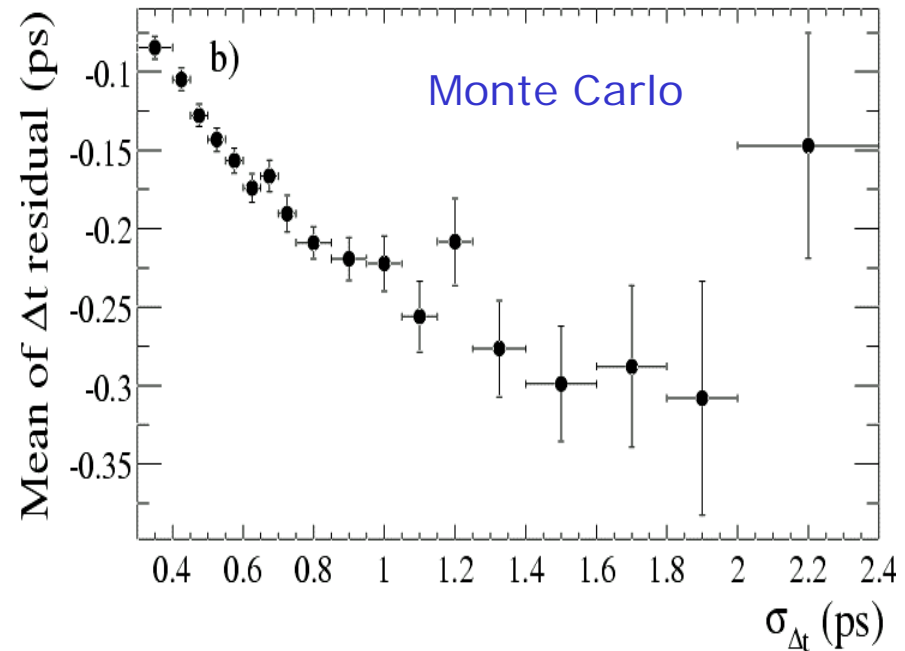
Where the B in the Y(4S) frame has  $\beta_{\text{rec}}^* = 0.064$  and  $\gamma_{\text{rec}}^* = 1.002$

- Improves  $\Delta t$  resolution by about 5%.
- Removes a correlation between  $\Delta t$  and  $\sigma_{\Delta t}$ .

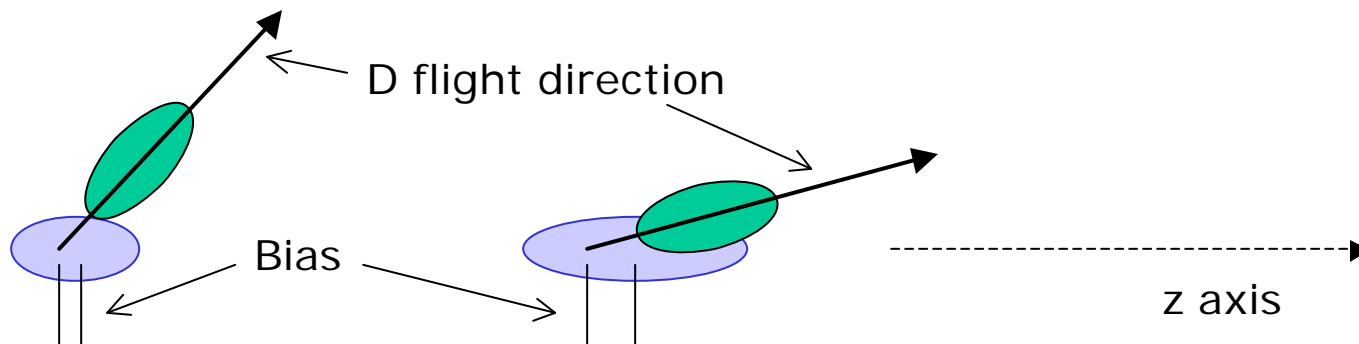


# $\Delta t$ bias correlation with $\sigma(\Delta t)$

- D vertex error ellipse aligned along its flight direction.
- D flight length in z is also correlated with D flight dir.



**Two tag vertex scenarios.**





## Crosscheck: independent signal $\Delta t$ resolution for CP and Breco

- The fit explicitly assumes that the **charmonium** and **Breco** modes share a common signal resolution function.
- MC supports this and the systematic is small: (0.002 this time).

Parameter	Breco	Charmonium
Scale core	$1.10 \pm 0.05$	$1.13 \pm 0.15$
Scale tail	3.0 (fixed)	3.0 (fixed)
Bias core, Lep	$0.05 \pm 0.07$	$0.03 \pm 0.16$
Bias core, Kaon1	$-0.24 \pm 0.05$	$-0.11 \pm 0.13$
Bias core, Kaon2	$-0.25 \pm 0.05$	$-0.16 \pm 0.11$
Bias core, Other	$-0.21 \pm 0.05$	$-0.25 \pm 0.11$
Bias tail	$-1.1 \pm 0.3$	$-1.1 \pm 0.7$
Fraction tail	$0.11 \pm 0.02$	$0.12 \pm 0.07$
Fraction outlier	$0.003 \pm 0.001$	$0.003 \pm 0.003$

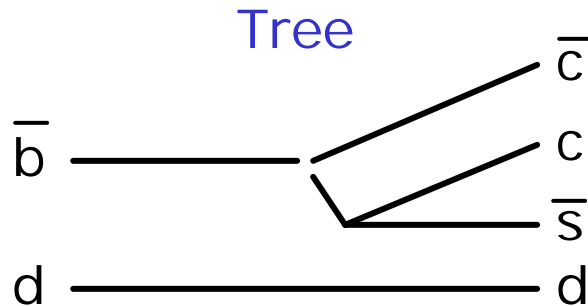
Good agreement!

$\Delta \sin 2\beta = +0.011$

$\sigma(\sin 2\beta)$  up 2%



# Penguin terms in $(c\bar{c})K_S$

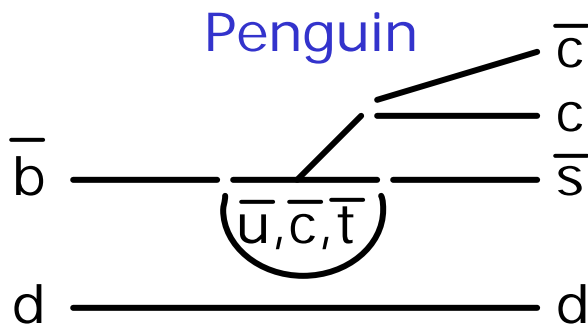


Tree amplitude proportional to

$$V_{cb}^* V_{cs} \approx A \lambda^3$$

Three penguins

- **c quark**: same CKM factors as tree so same weak phase.
- **u quark**: suppressed by  $\lambda^2 \approx 0.04$ .
- **t quark**: same order as tree *but* can regroup this one with u and c terms assuming unitarity.



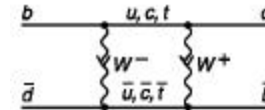
$$V_{tb}^* V_{ts} = - V_{cb}^* V_{cs} - V_{ub}^* V_{us}$$



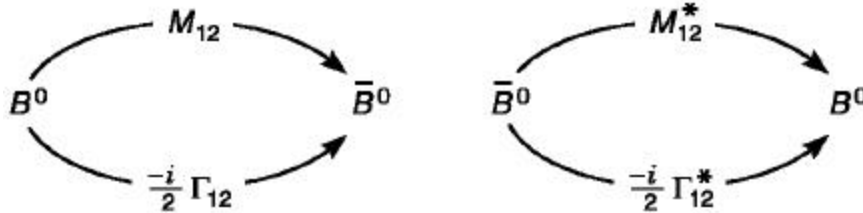
# CP violation in $B^0 - \bar{B}^0$ mixing

CP violation if  $\text{rate}(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{B}^0) \neq \text{rate}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow B^0)$ .

- Are there 2 separate amplitudes? **Yes.**
  - Virtual intermediate states ( $M_{12}$ ) – Box diagram
  - On-shell intermediate states ( $\Gamma_{12}$ ) – e.g.  $\pi^+\pi^-$



- Are the necessary phase differences present? **Yes.**



The factor  $-i = e^{-i\pi/2}$  plays the role of the strong phase: it does not change sign under CP.

- How big is it? **Tiny!**

$$A_{SL} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0 \rightarrow \ell^+ X) - \Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^0 \rightarrow \ell^- X)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0 \rightarrow \ell^+ X) + \Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^0 \rightarrow \ell^- X)} = (0.2 \pm 1.4) \times 10^{-2}$$

- Virtual path ( $M_{12}$ ) totally dominates. *Neglect* CPV in mixing.

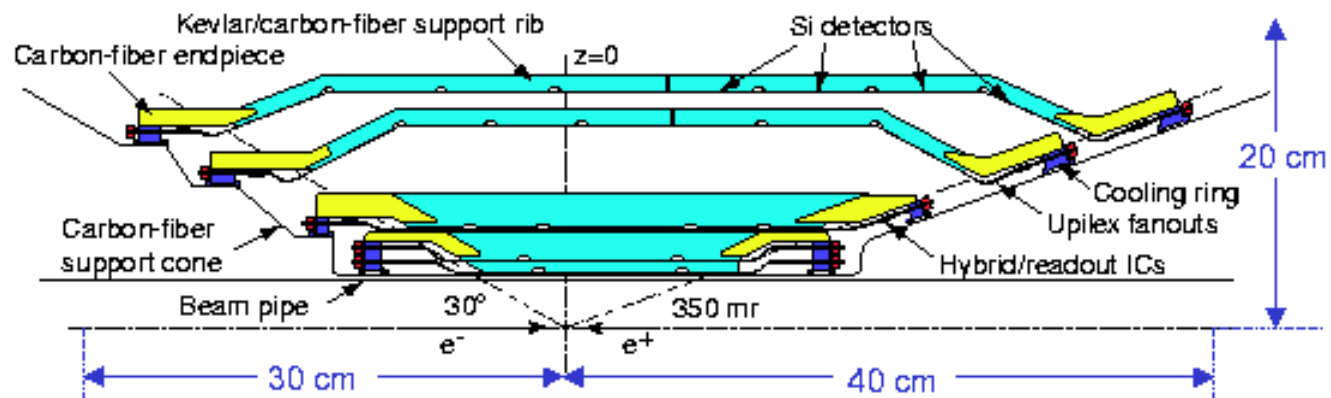




# Vertex Detector

## The BaBar Silicon Vertex Tracker

- 5 Layers of double-sided, AC-coupled Silicon.
- Custom rad-hard readout IC (the **AToM** chip).
- Low-mass design. ( $P_t < 2.7 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  for B daughters)
- Stand-alone tracking for slow particles.
  - Inner 3 layers for angle and impact parameter measurement.
  - Outer 2 layers for pattern recognition and low  $P_t$  tracking.



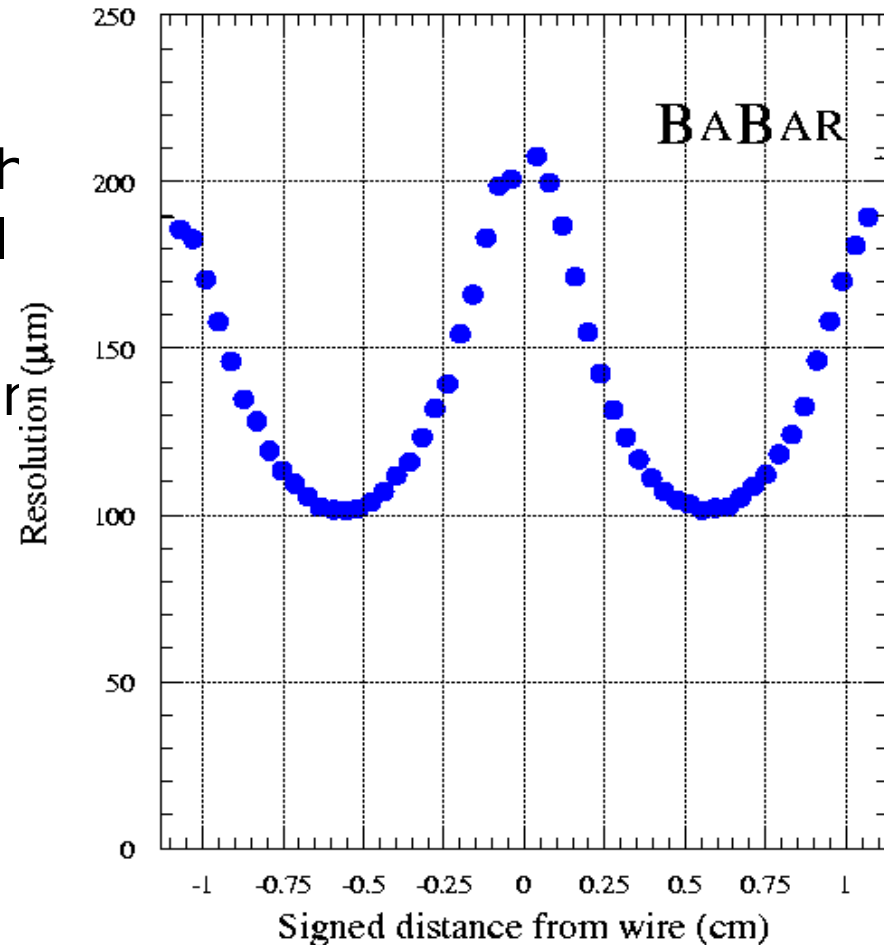


# Drift Chamber

- Drift cells arranged in 10 superlayers of 4 layers each alternating stereo and axial
- 280 cm long cylinder with  $R_{in} = 23.6$  cm,  $R_{out} = 80.9$  cm
- Low Z He-Isobutane gas

- $\frac{S_{p_t}}{p_t} \approx 0.3\%$  in 1.5 T field

Drift Chamber Hit Resolution





# Detection of Internally Reflected Cherenkov Light (DIRC)

- Incident angle of Cherenkov photons maintained by internal reflection along quartz bars

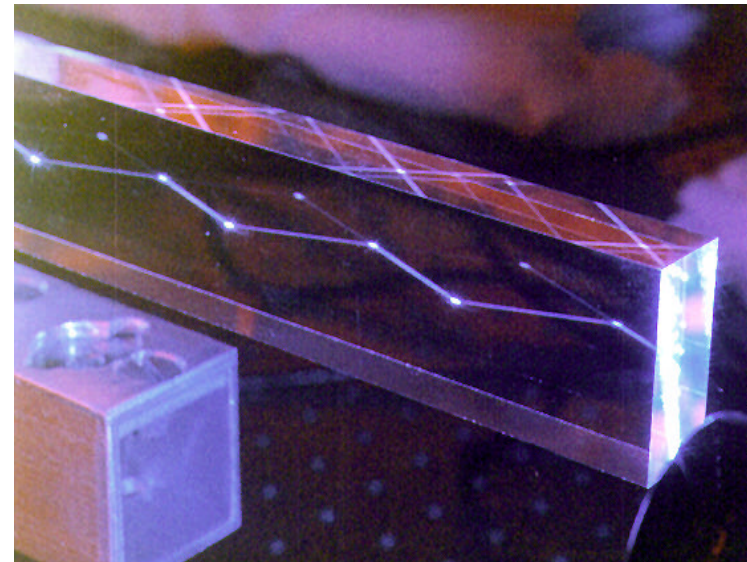
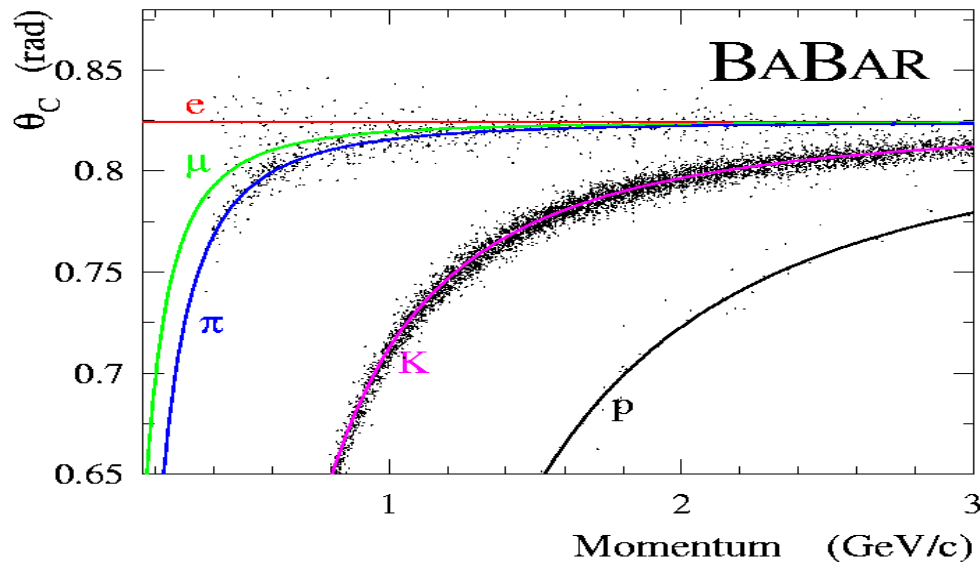
$$\cos \theta_c = (n \beta)^{-1}$$

Measured in DIRC

$$p = m g b c$$

Measured in drift chamber

- Greater than  $3\sigma$  K –  $\pi$  separation up to 3 GeV/c

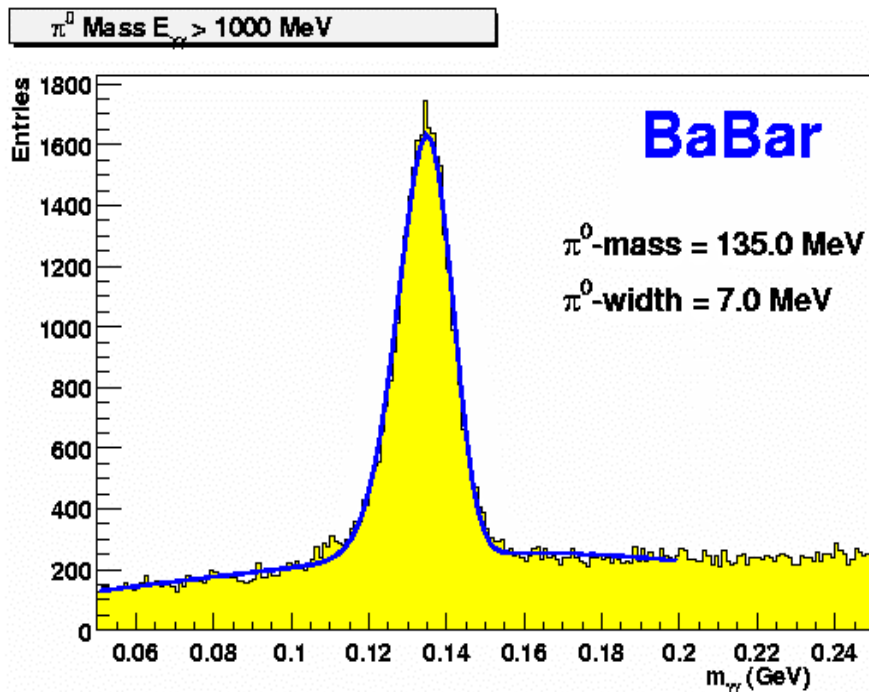




# Shower Detectors

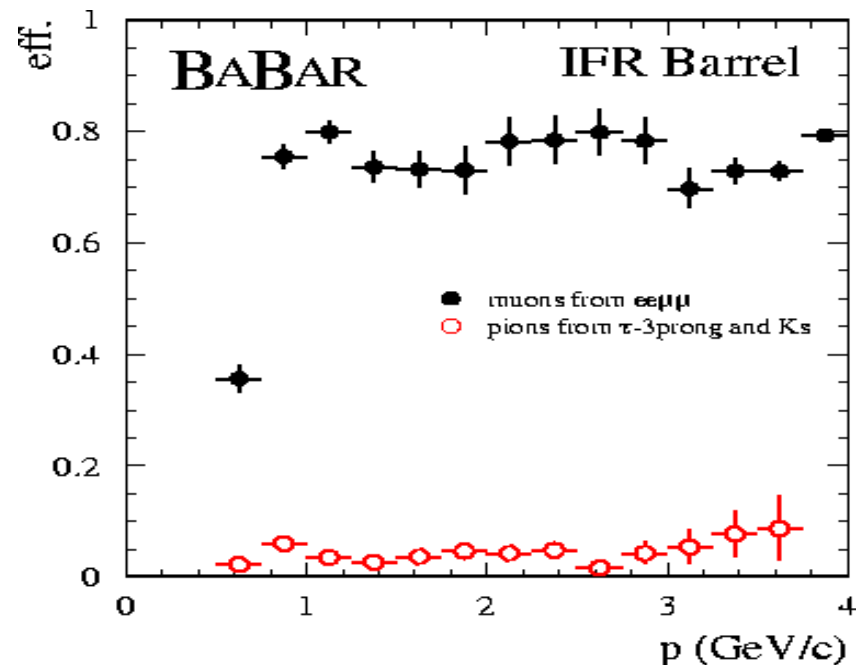
## Electro-Magnetic Calorimeter

- 6580 CsI(Tl) crystals for good low energy resolutions ( $X_0 \sim 1.85$  cm)
- Covers  $-0.78 < \cos\theta_{\text{lab}} < 0.96$
- Typical electron id efficiency of 90% with less than 1% fake pion rate



## Instrumented Flux Return

- Identify muons and neutral hadrons ( $K_L$ )
- Iron structure segmented and instrumented with Resistive Plate Counters (RPCs)
- Iron plate thickness varies from 2 cm at innermost layers to 10





# Maximum Likelihood Method

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- Extract  $\sin 2\beta$  by maximizing likelihood fit to time distribution
- Determine parameter  $A$  with true value  $\hat{A}$  fit with dataset  $\{t_i\}$  assuming normalized PDF  $f(A; t_i)$ . Likelihood given by

$$L = \sum_i \ln f(A; t_i)$$

- As the number of data points increases

$$L \rightarrow N \int dt f(\hat{A}, t) \ln f(A, t)$$

- We find

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial A} \rightarrow N \int dt f(\hat{A}, t) \frac{1}{f(A, t)} \frac{\partial f(A, t)}{\partial A}$$

evaluated at the true value of  $A$  vanishes

**Asymptotically, the maximum likelihood occurs at true value of parameter**