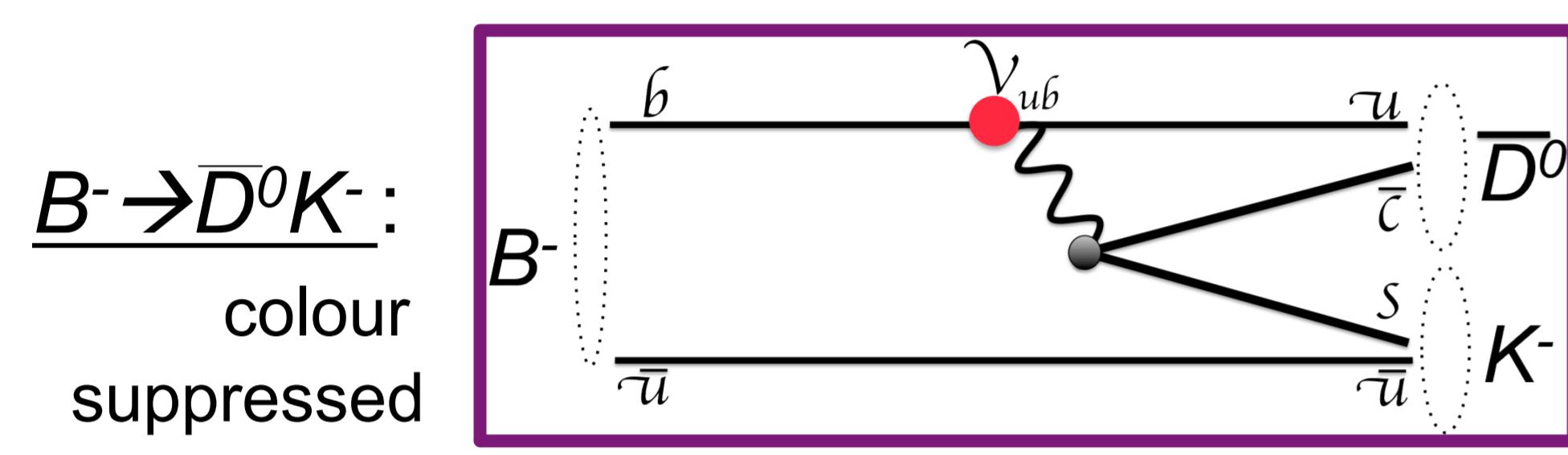
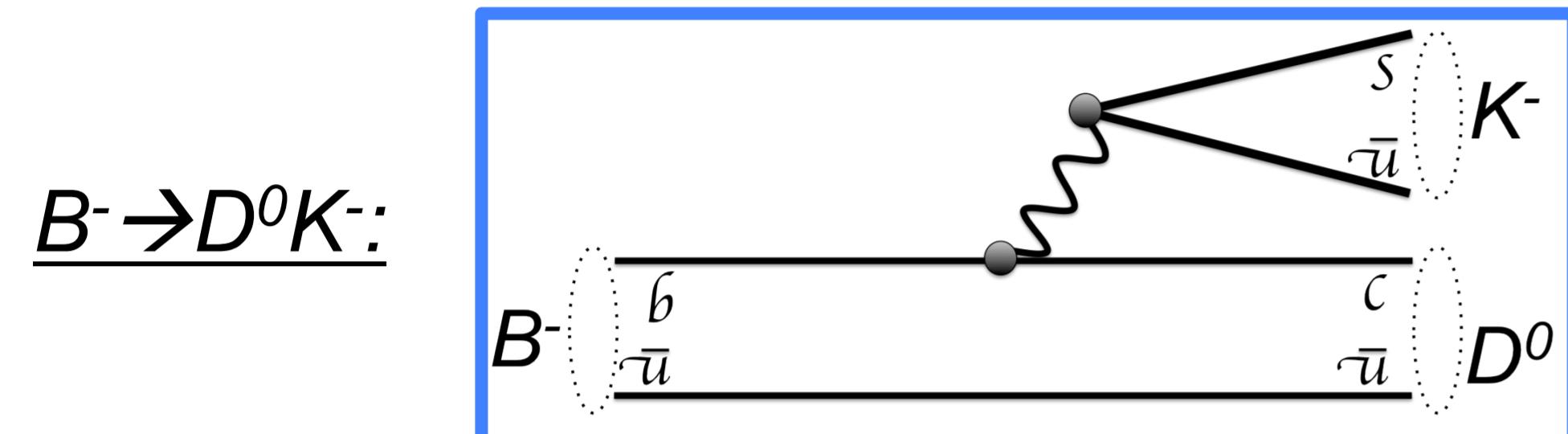
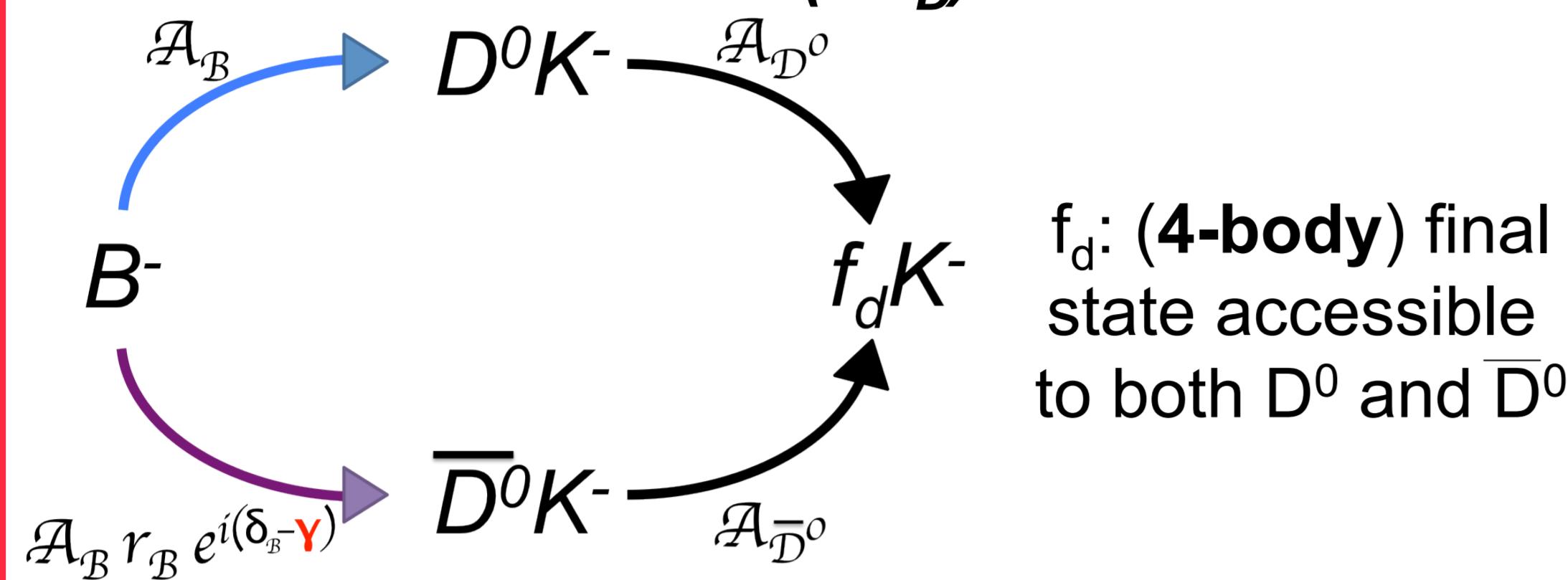


Expanding Model Independent Approaches for Measuring the CKM angle γ at LHCb

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Measurement of CKM angle γ through interference in $B^\pm \rightarrow D(\rightarrow f_d)K^\pm$



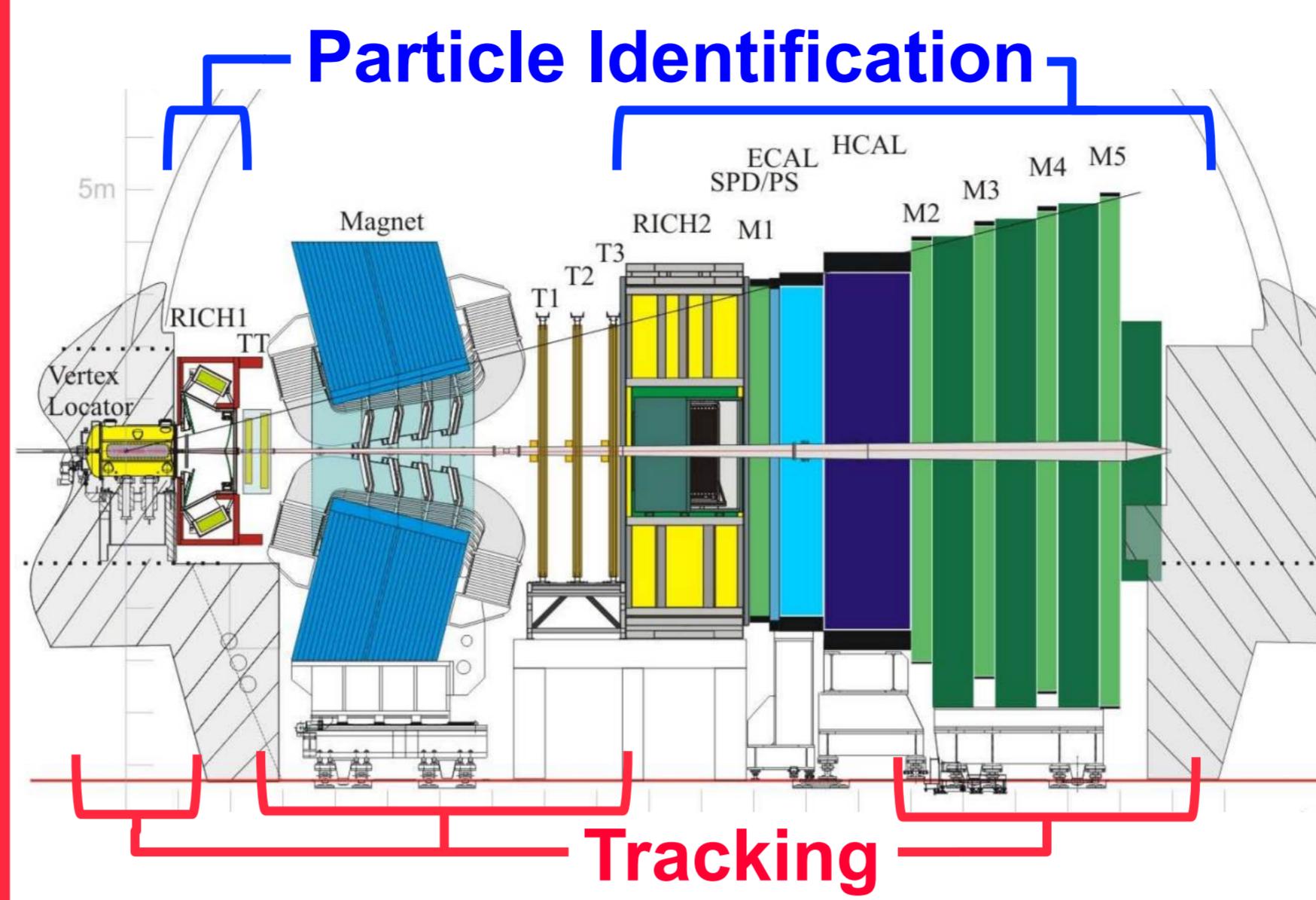
Partial decay width

$$d\Gamma_{B^-}(x) \propto A_{D^0}^2(x) + r_B^2 A_{\bar{D}^0}^2(x) + 2A_{D^0}(x)A_{\bar{D}^0}(x)[x_- \cos(\Delta\delta(x)) + y_- \sin(\Delta\delta(x))]$$

$$x_- = r_B \cos(\delta_B - \gamma) \quad y_- = r_B \sin(\delta_B - \gamma)$$

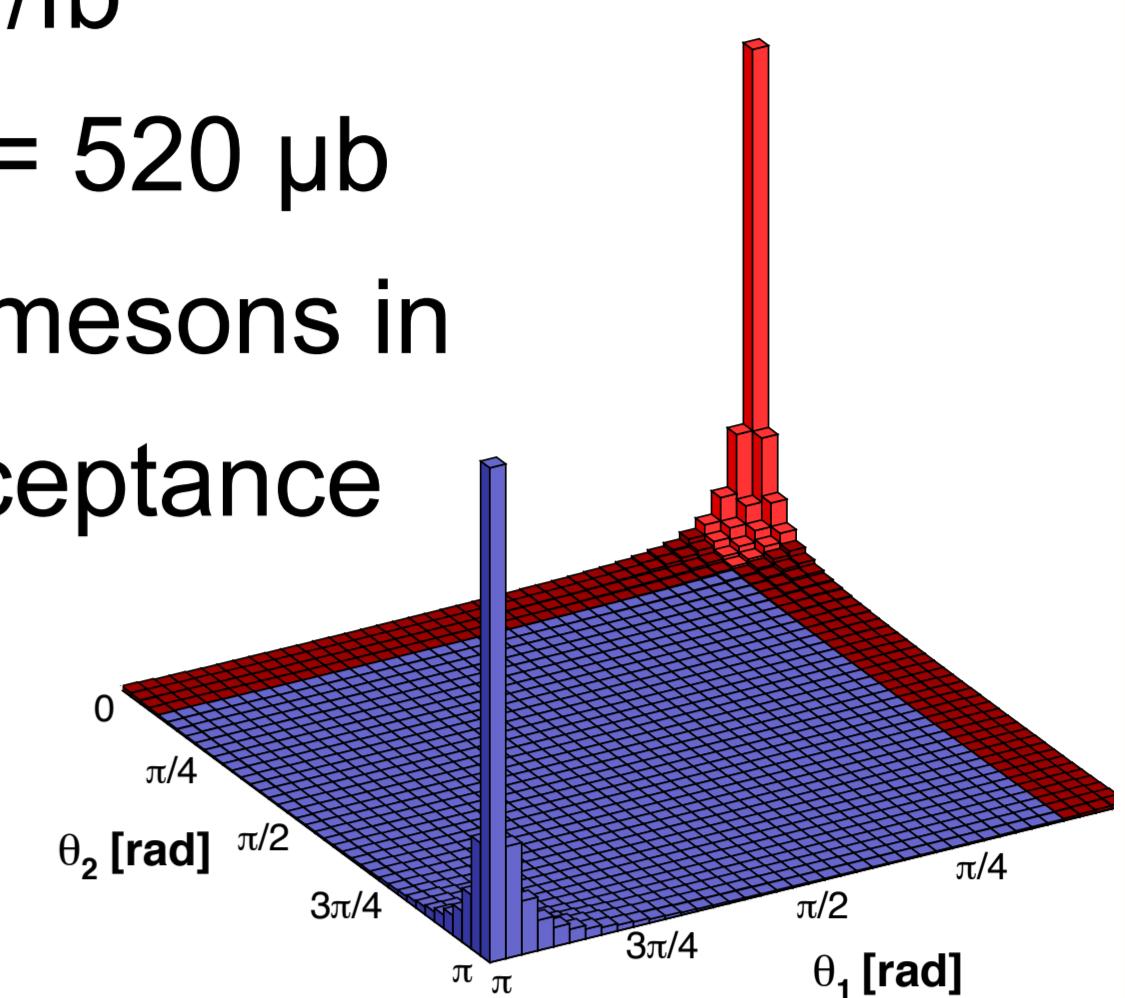
γ becomes an observable through interference

The LHCb Experiment



Run II:

- $\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} \sim 1.99 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- $\sigma_{\text{bb}}(13 \text{ TeV}) = 520 \mu\text{b}$
- $2.3 \cdot 10^{11} B^\pm$ mesons in detector acceptance



Current results

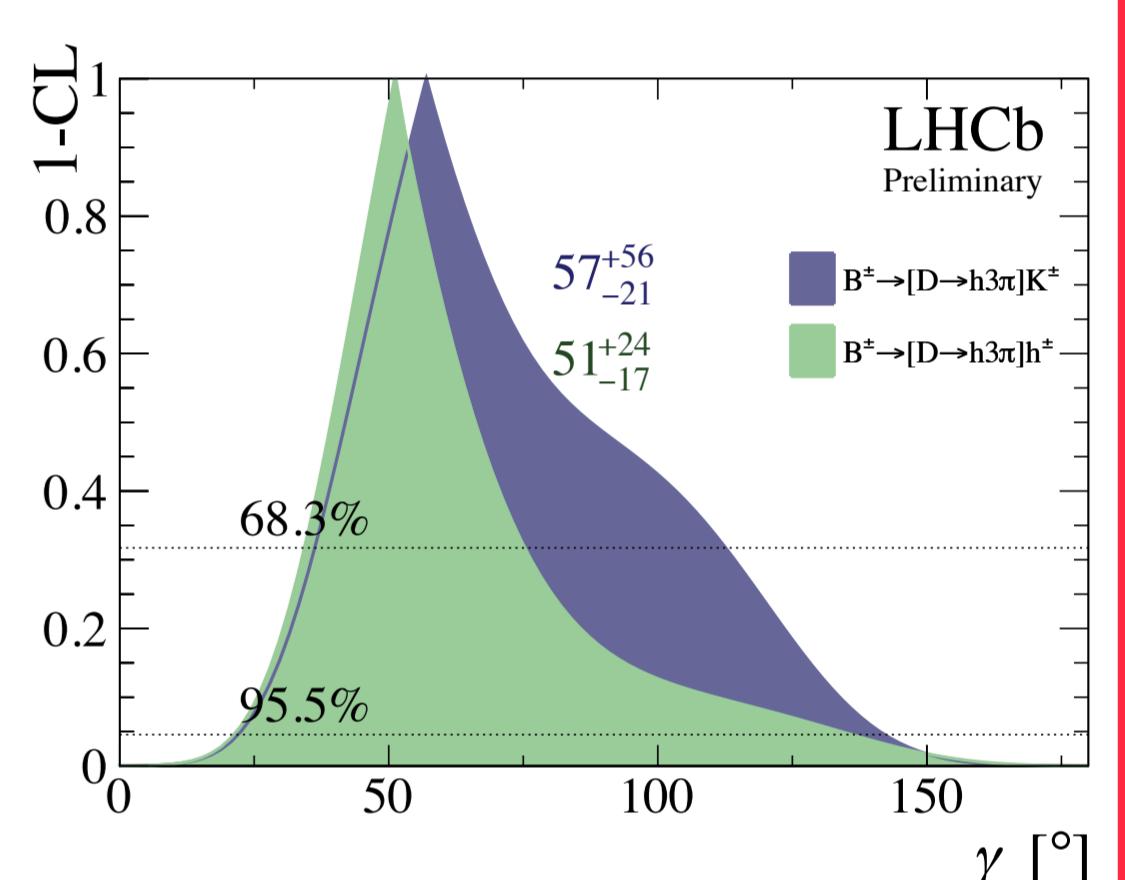
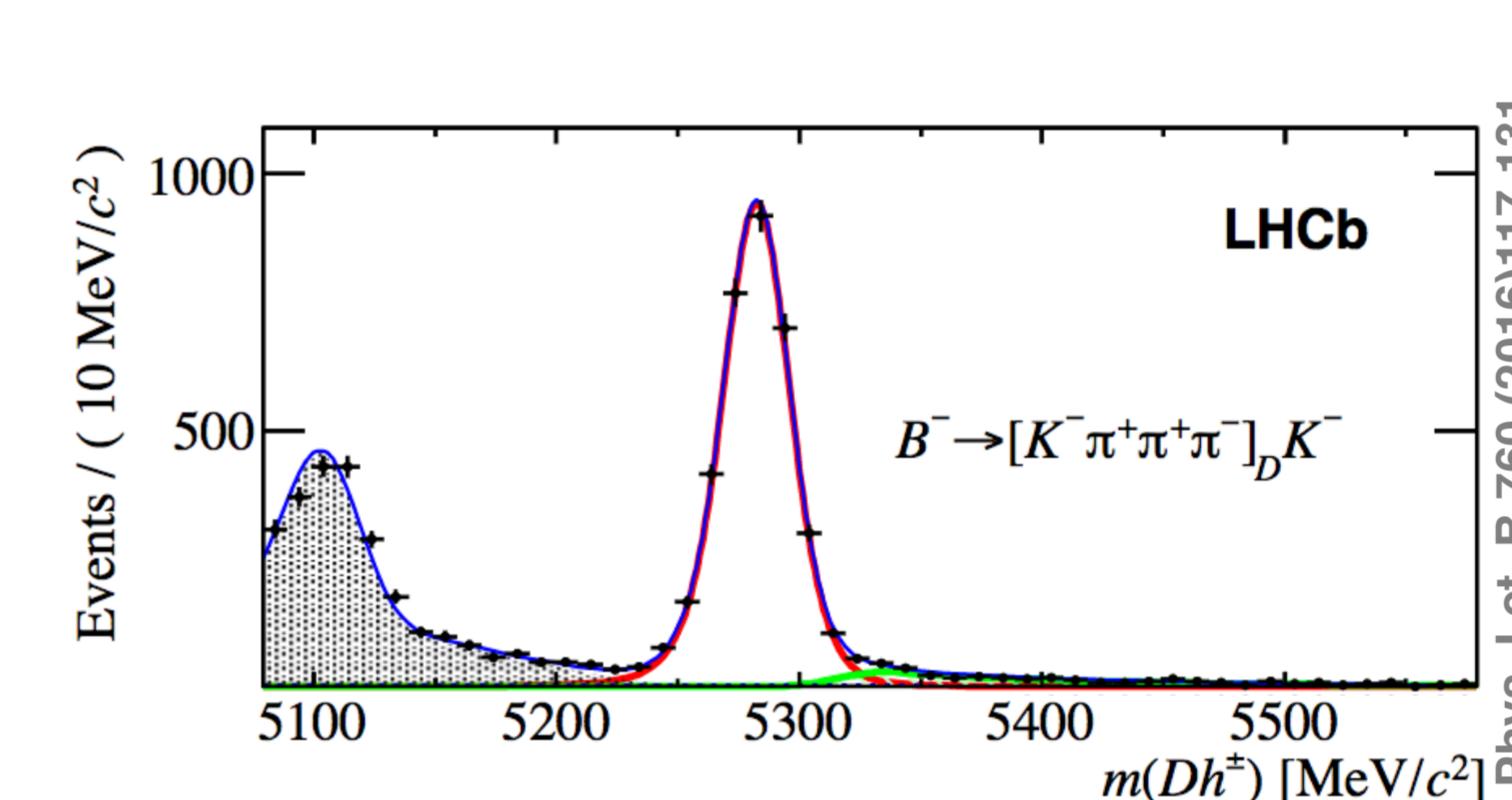
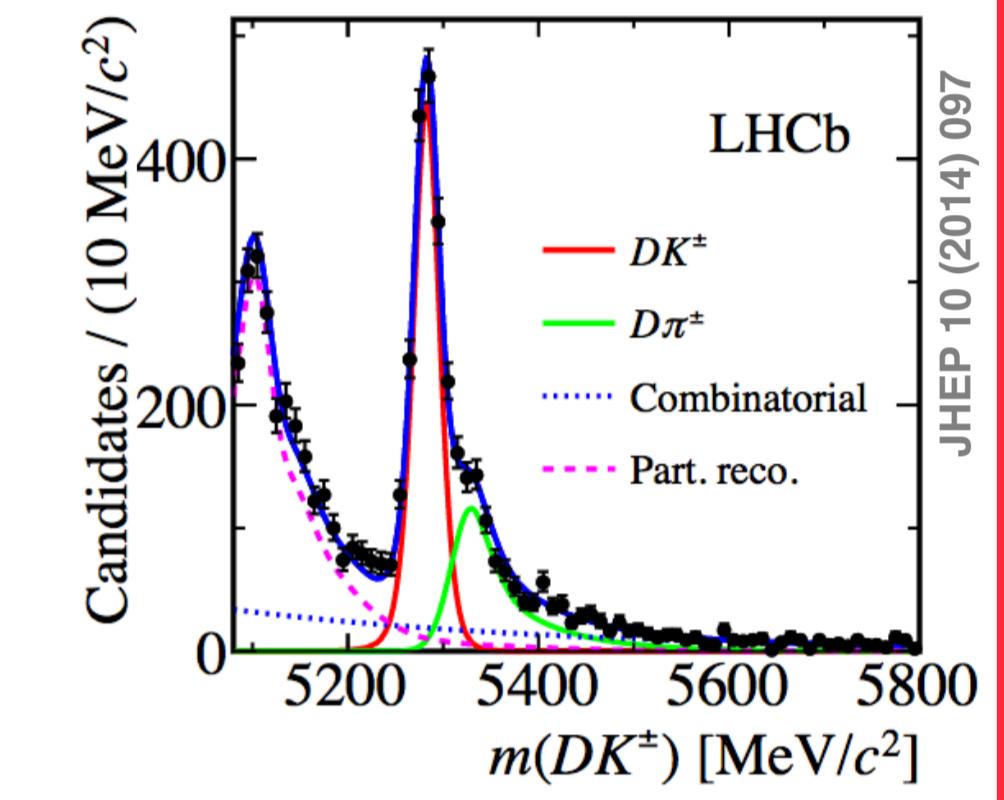
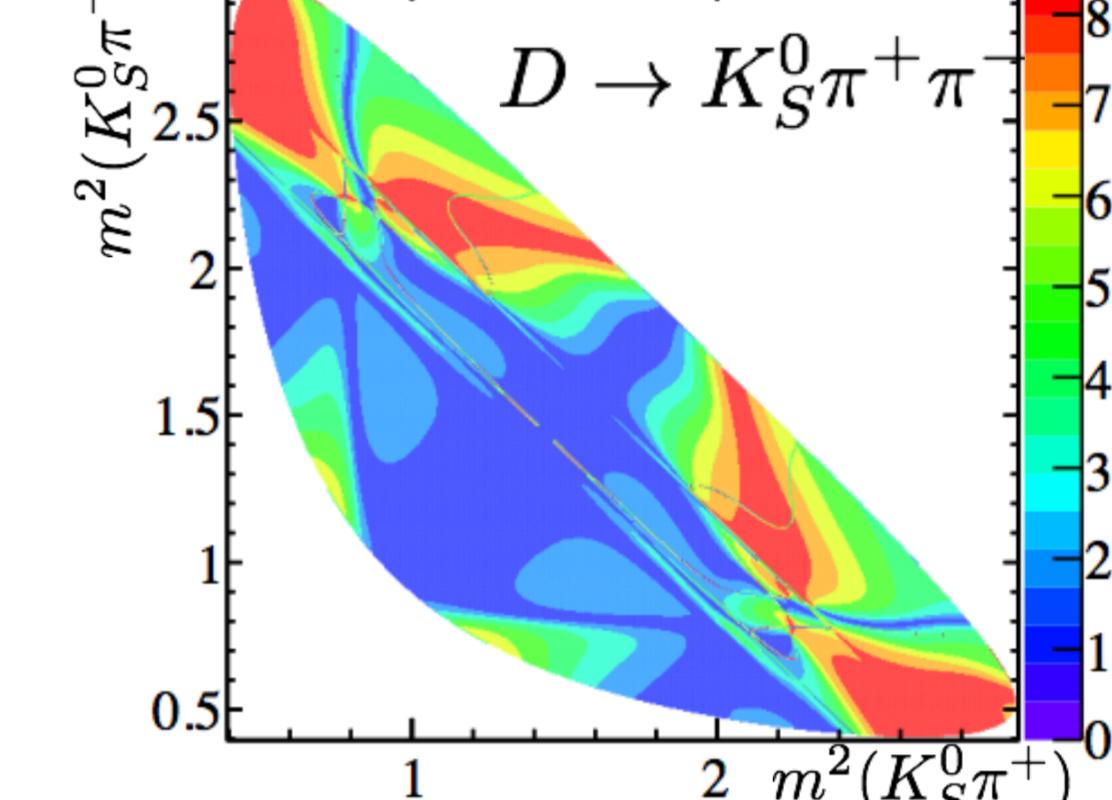
$D \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^-$:

- Babar, Belle, LHCb Run I
- Binned
- Most precise measurement from single analysis
- LHCb: $\gamma = 62^{+15}_{-14} \text{ }^\circ$

$D \rightarrow h \pi^+ \pi^-$:

- LHCb Run I
- Phase-space integrated
- $\gamma = 57^{+56}_{-21} \text{ }^\circ$

Binned Dalitz plot



Binned phase-space for the D decay

$$A_{D^0}(x) = A_{D^0}(x)e^{i\delta_{D^0}(x)} \quad \Delta\delta(x) = \delta_{D^0}(x) - \delta_{\bar{D}^0}(x)$$

$$d\Gamma_{B^-}(x) \propto A_{D^0}^2(x) + r_B^2 A_{\bar{D}^0}^2(x) + 2A_{D^0}(x)A_{\bar{D}^0}(x)[x_- \cos(\Delta\delta(x)) + y_- \sin(\Delta\delta(x))]$$

easy difficult to determine

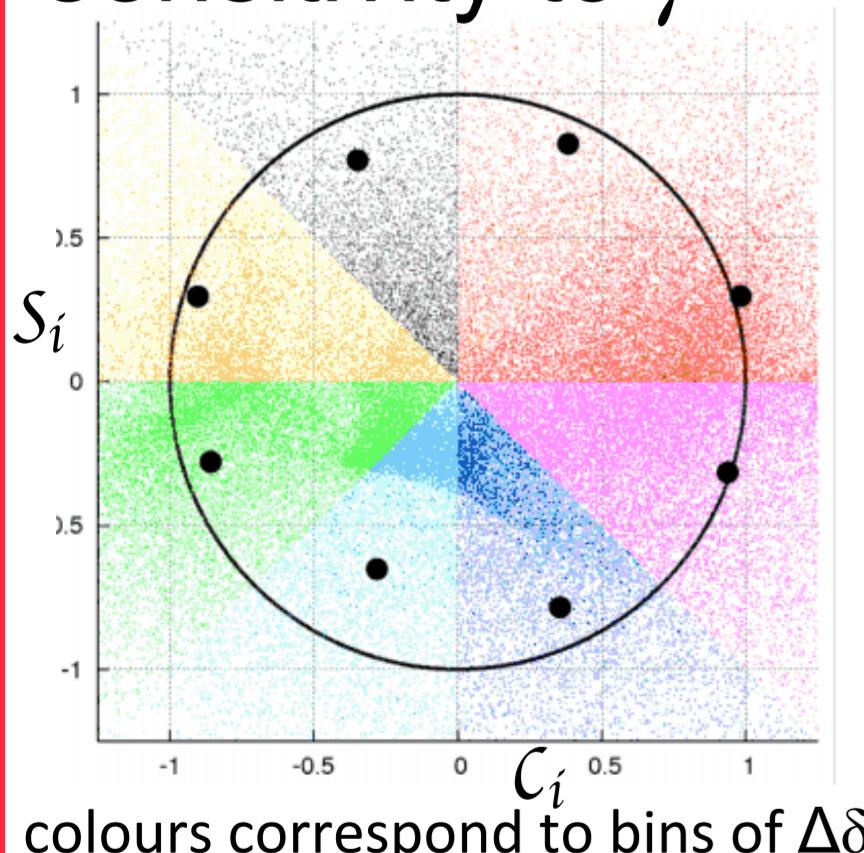
Binned five-dimensional phase-space:

$$N_i(B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-) \propto h \left(K_i + r_B^2 K_{-i} + 2\sqrt{K_i K_{-i}} [x_- c_i + y_- s_i] \right)$$

$$c_i = \frac{\int_i A_{D^0}(x)A_{\bar{D}^0}(x) \cos(\Delta\delta(x)) dx}{\sqrt{\int_i A_{D^0}^2(x) dx \int_i A_{\bar{D}^0}^2(x) dx}} \quad K_i = \int_i A_{D^0}^2(x) dx$$

Model inspired binning:

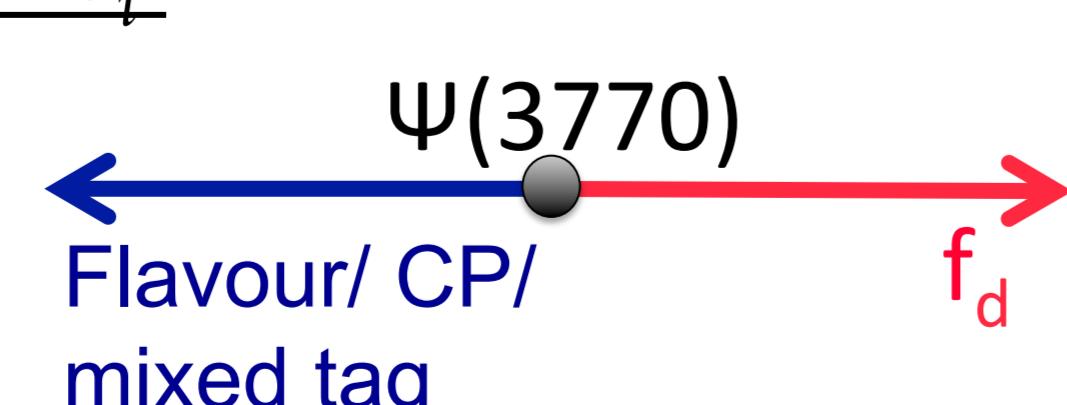
bins with minimal variation of $\Delta\delta \rightarrow$ highest sensitivity to γ



$\langle c_i \rangle = 0.04$
 $\langle s_i \rangle = -0.01$
→ use amplitude model to find the binning

Model independent c_i and s_i :

- CLEO-c
- Correlated D^0 - \bar{D}^0 decays



Binning influences the sensitivity not the value of γ !

Future prospects

$D \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$:

- Self-conj. state \rightarrow GGSZ
- Expect gain from binned analysis
- 5k $B^\pm \rightarrow D(\rightarrow 4\pi)K^\pm$ events after reconstruction and selection 2015 + 2016
- 5-dimensional phase-space → adaptive binning
- Similar sensitivity to γ as from $D \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^-$

