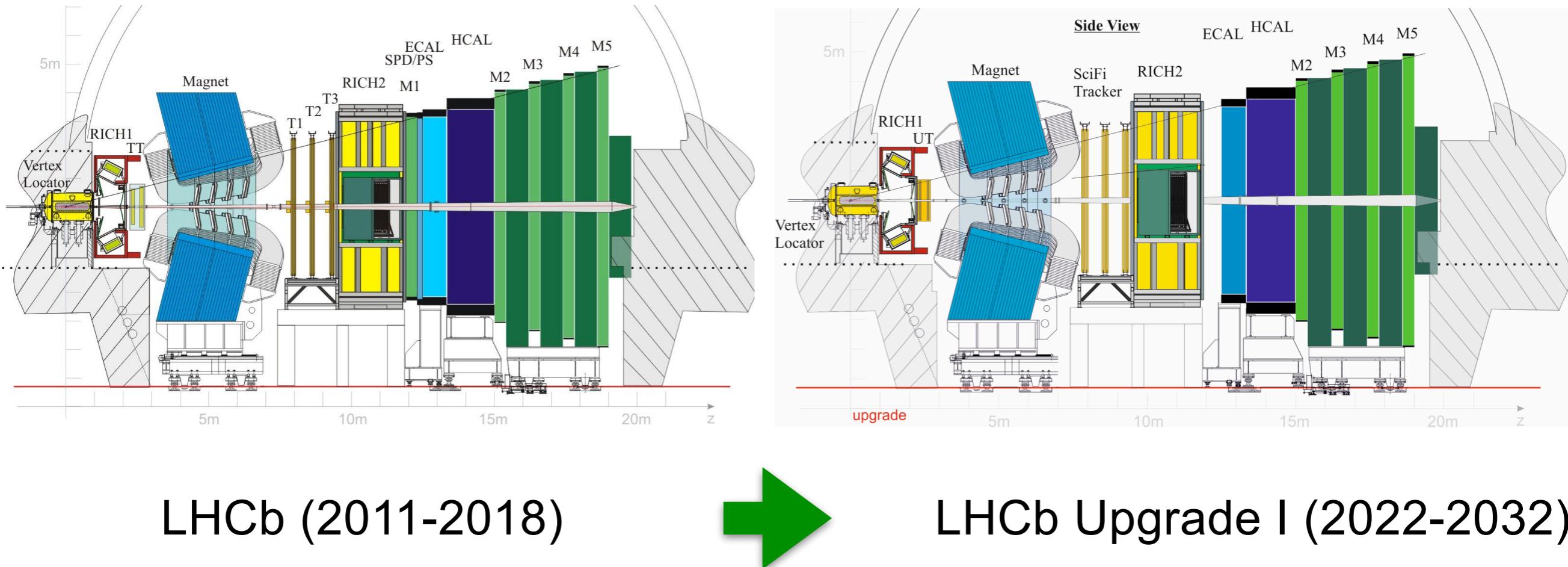




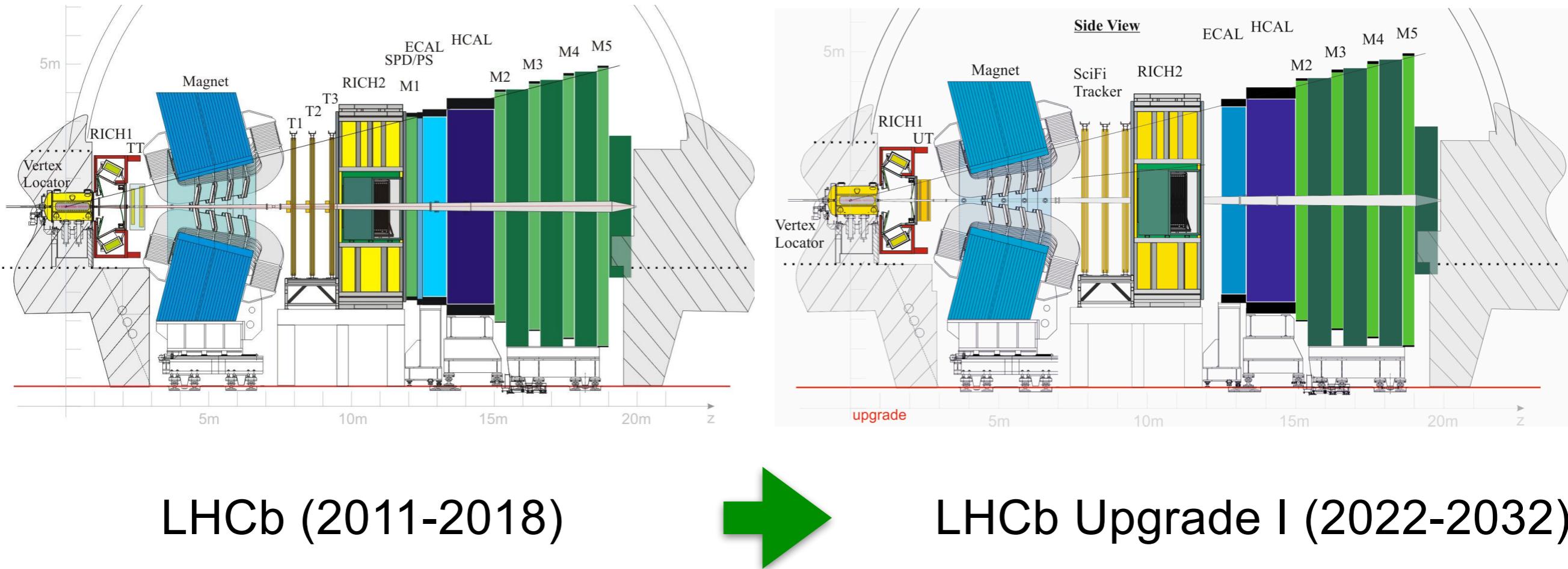
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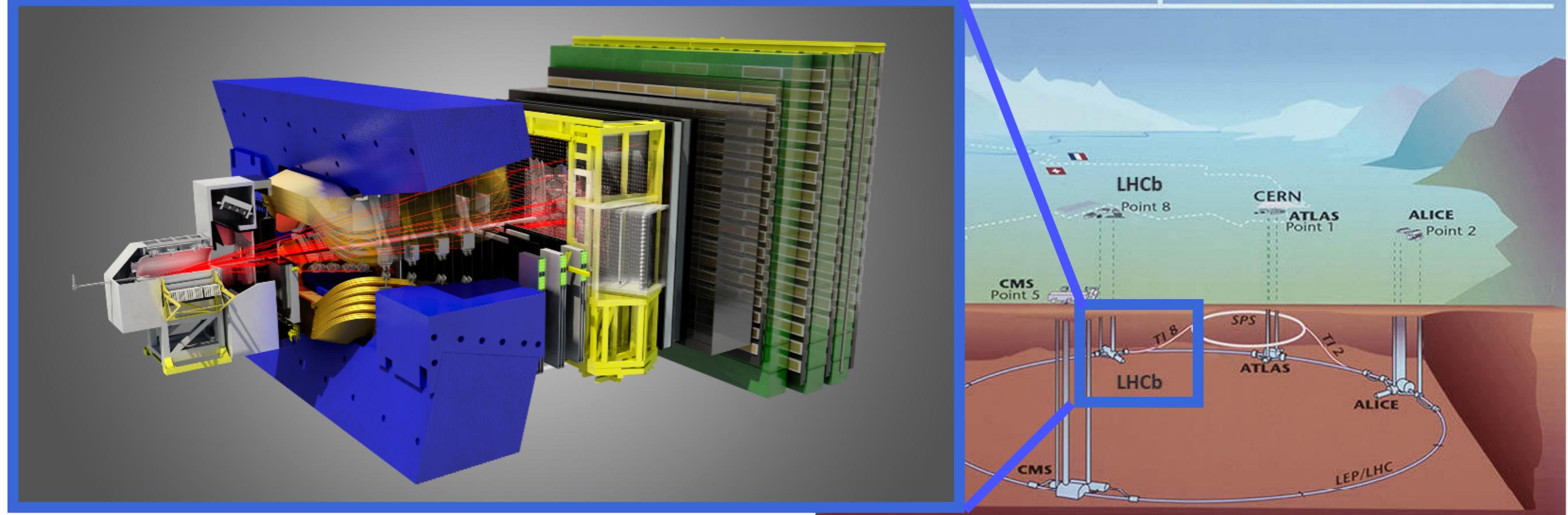
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- Examples of US-led flagship measurements

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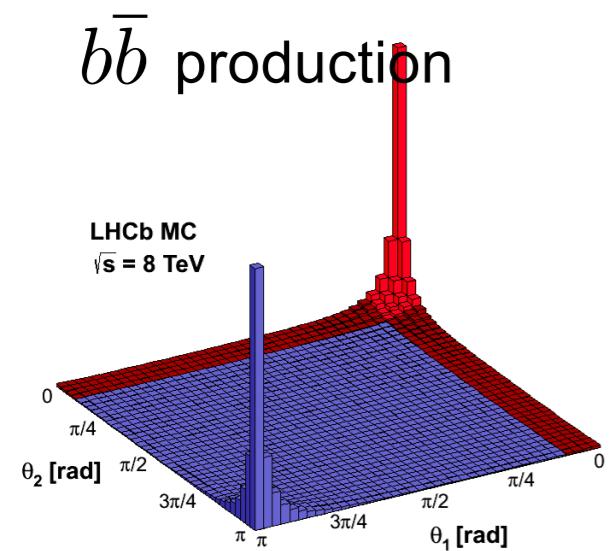
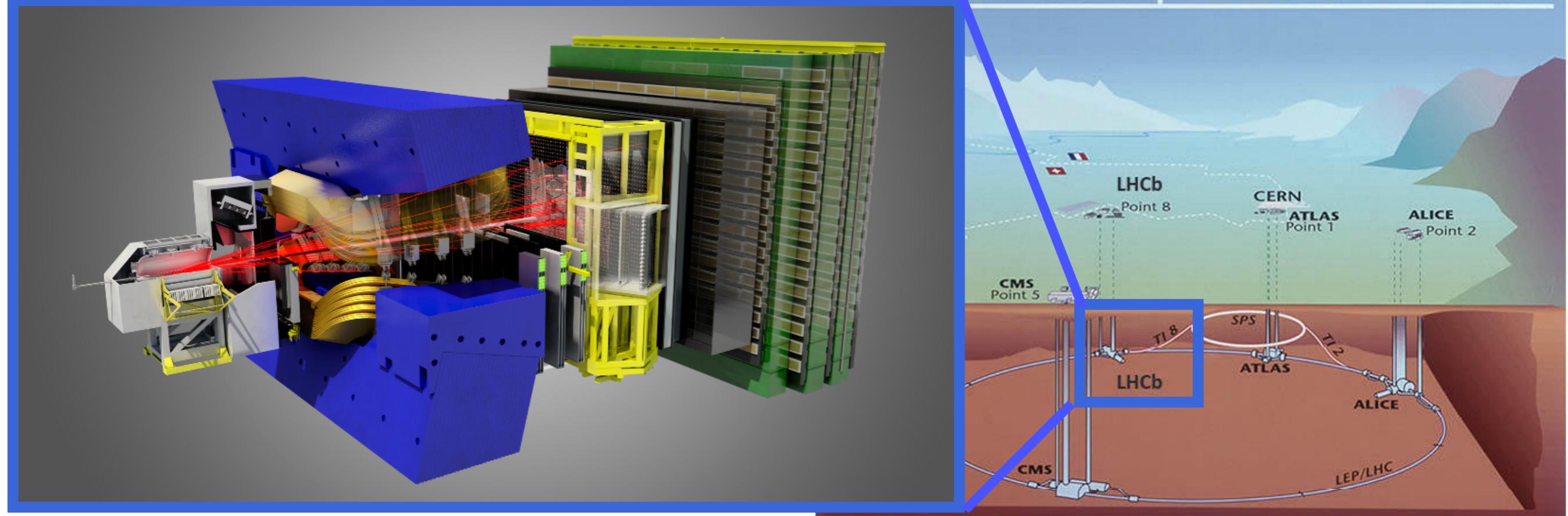
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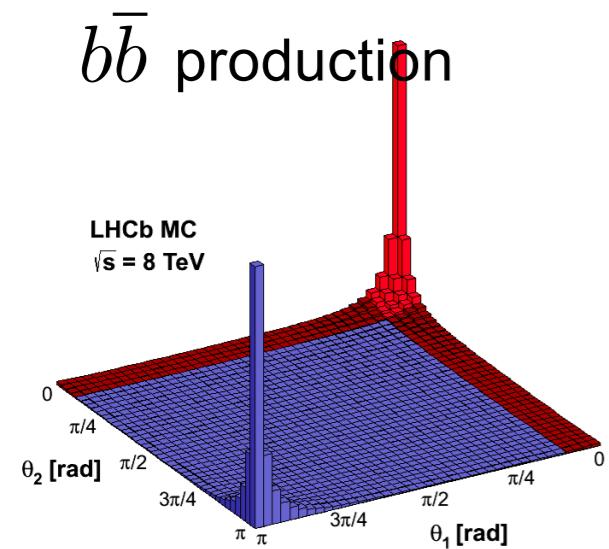
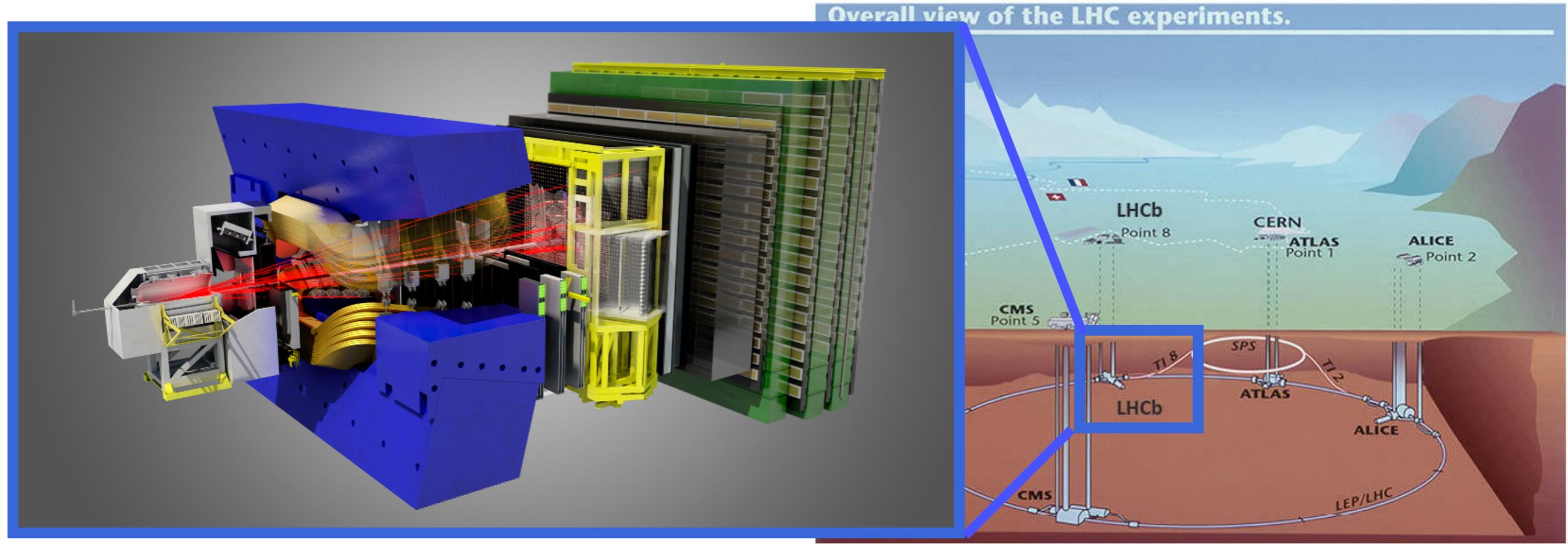
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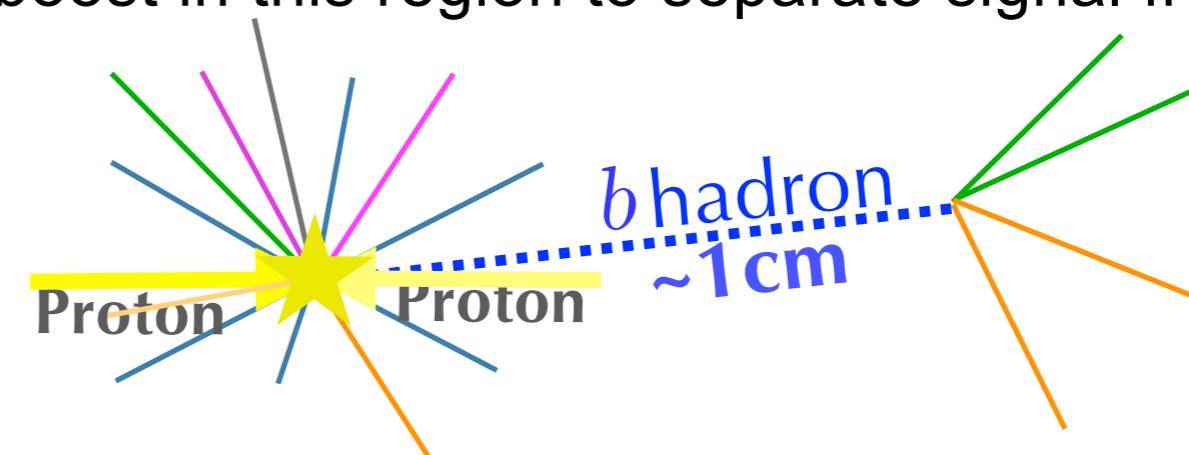


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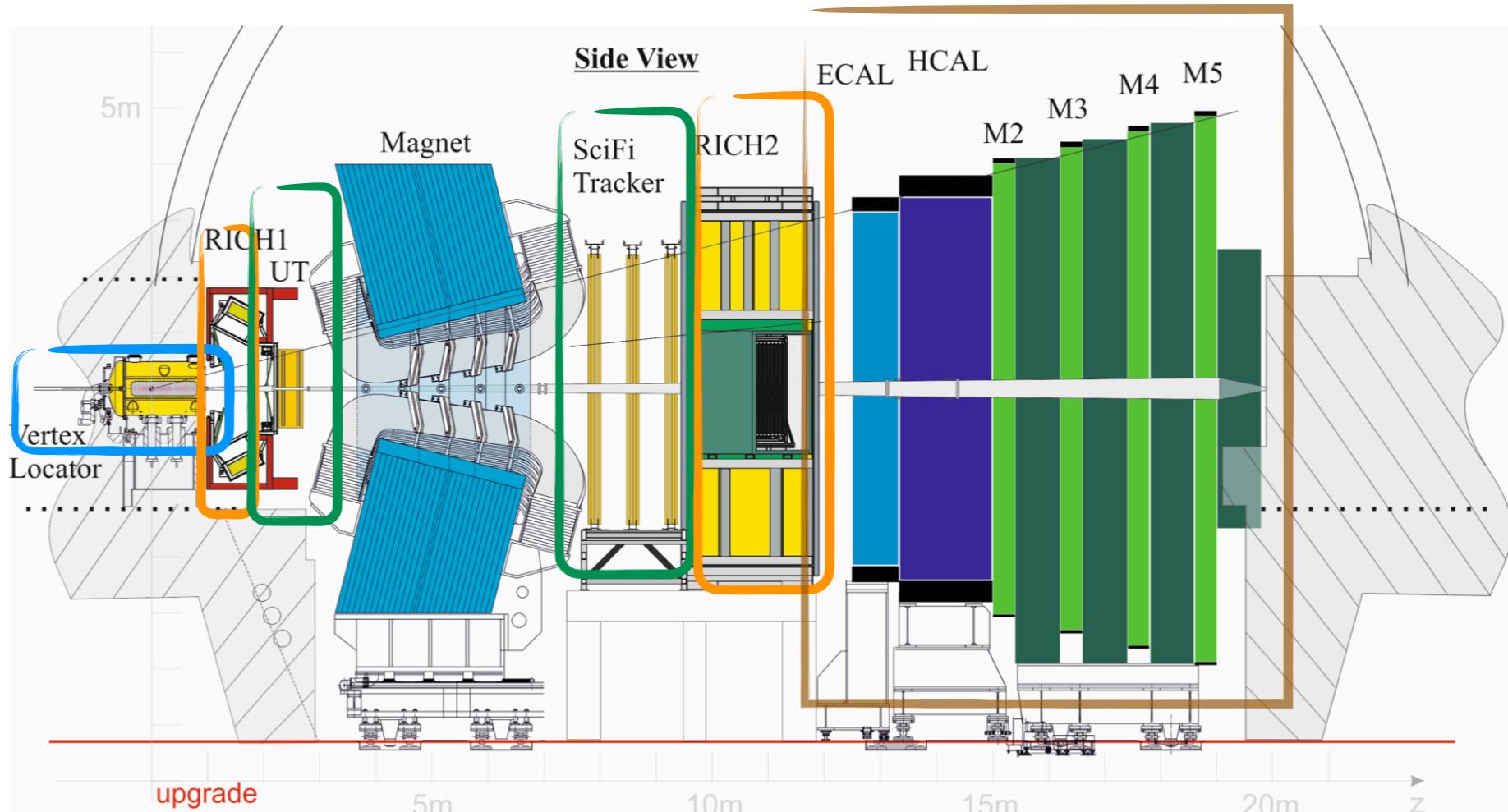


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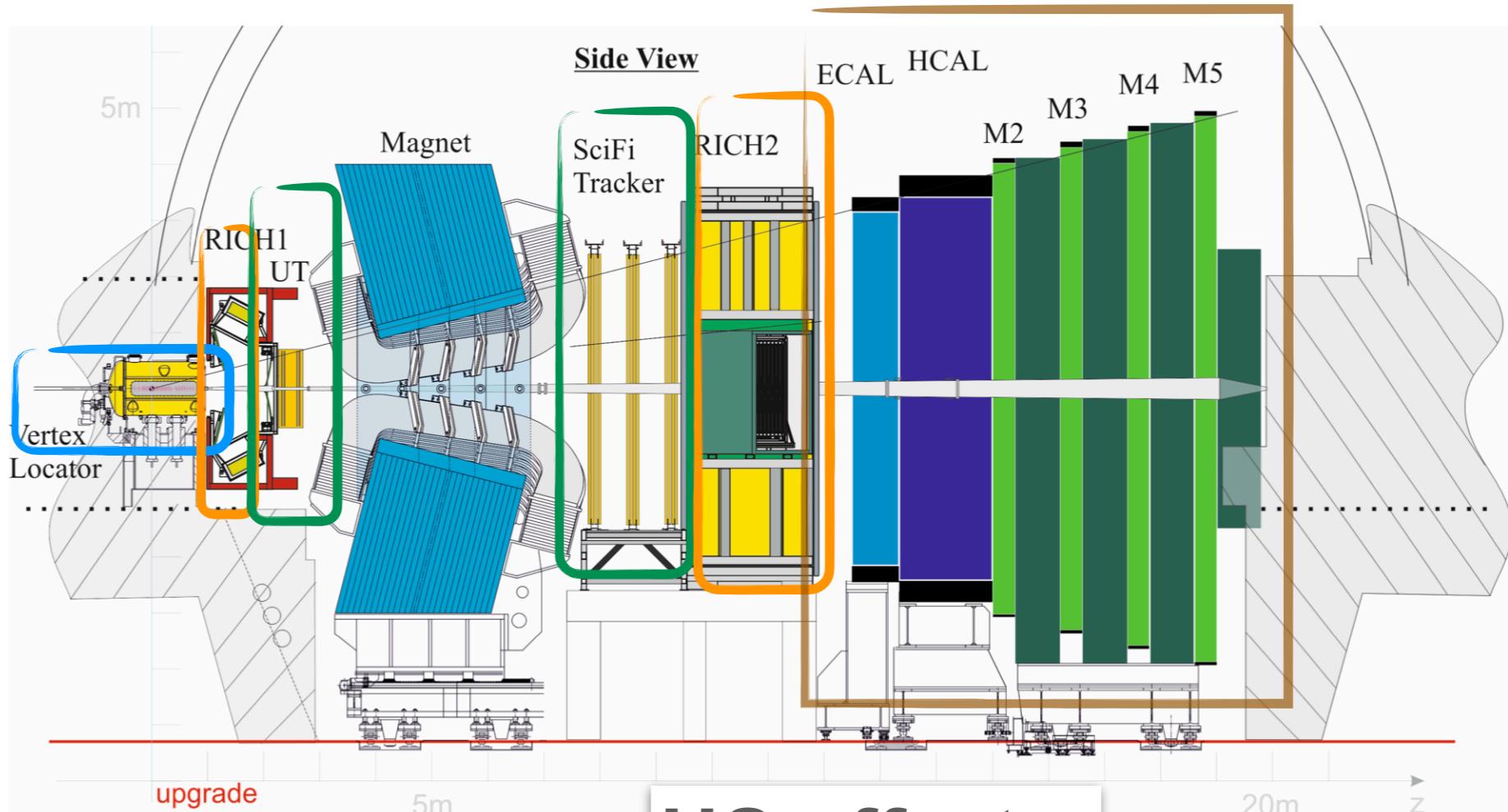
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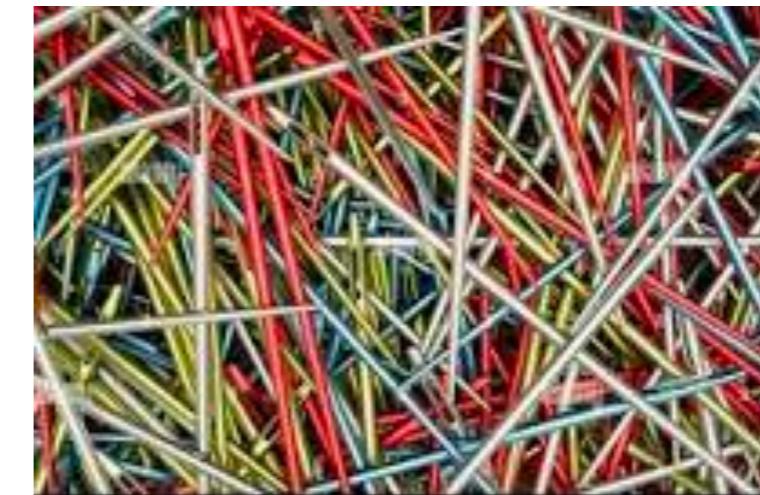
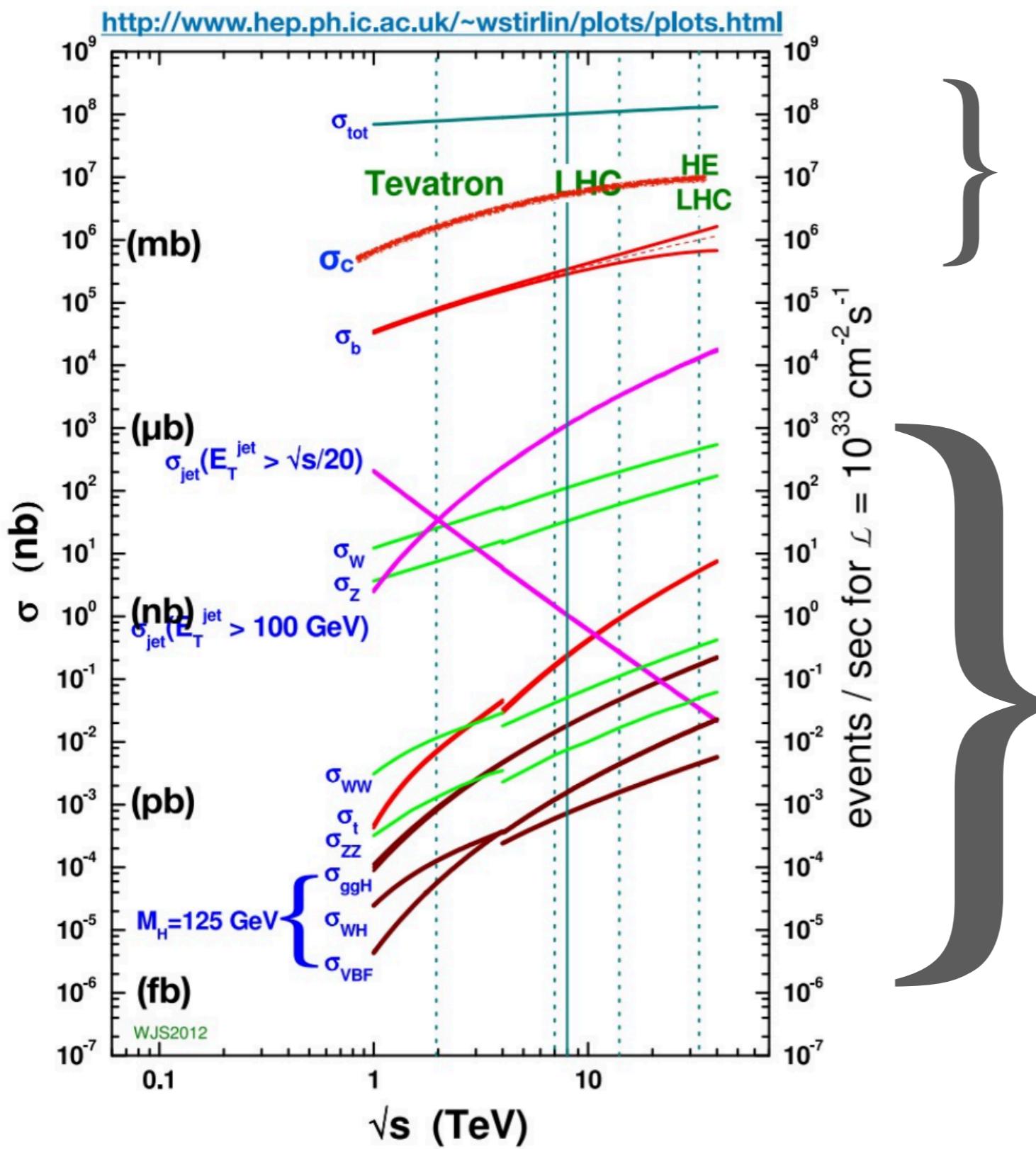
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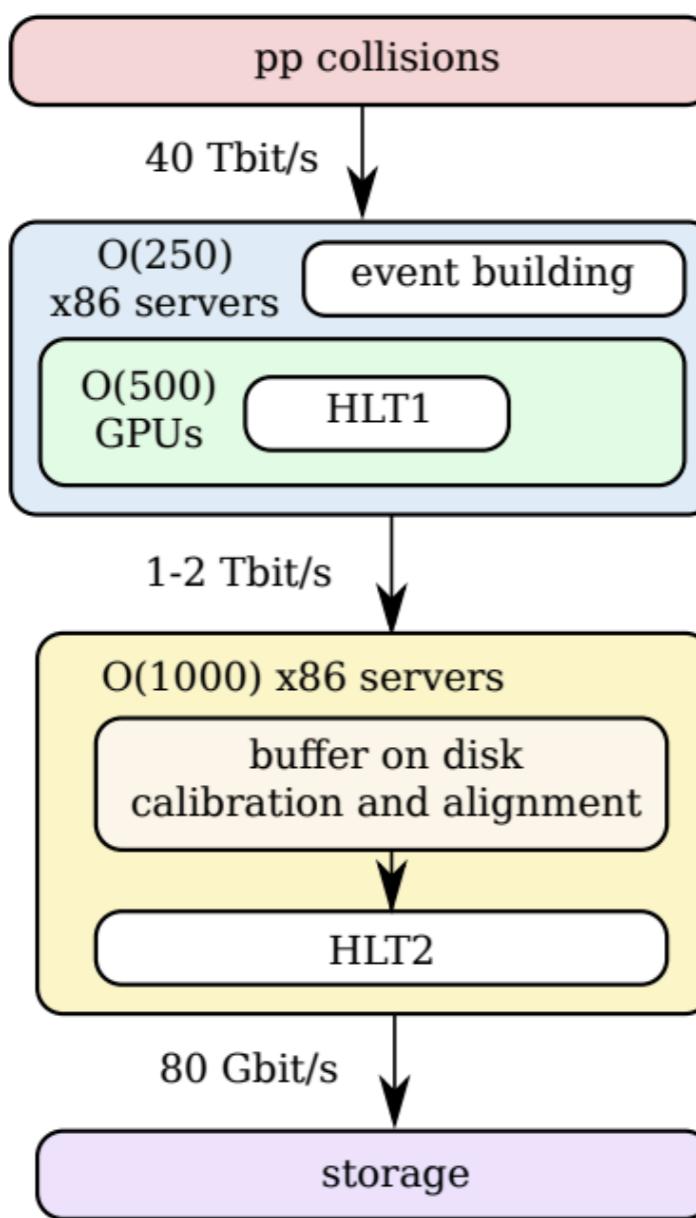
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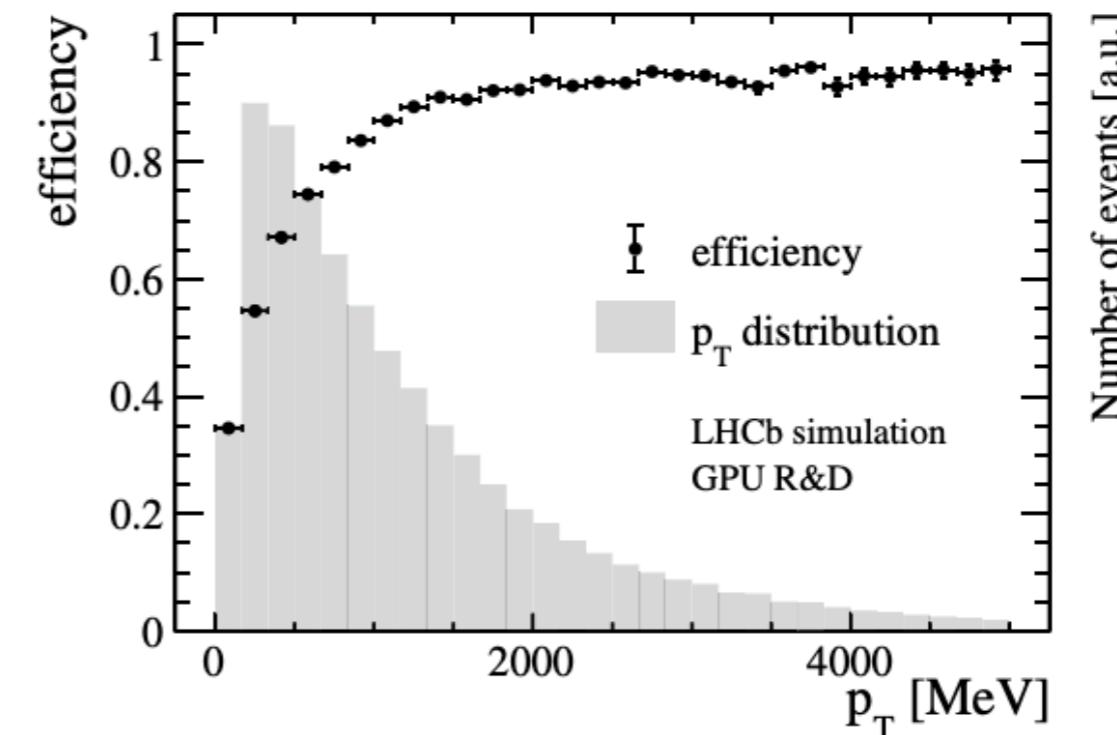


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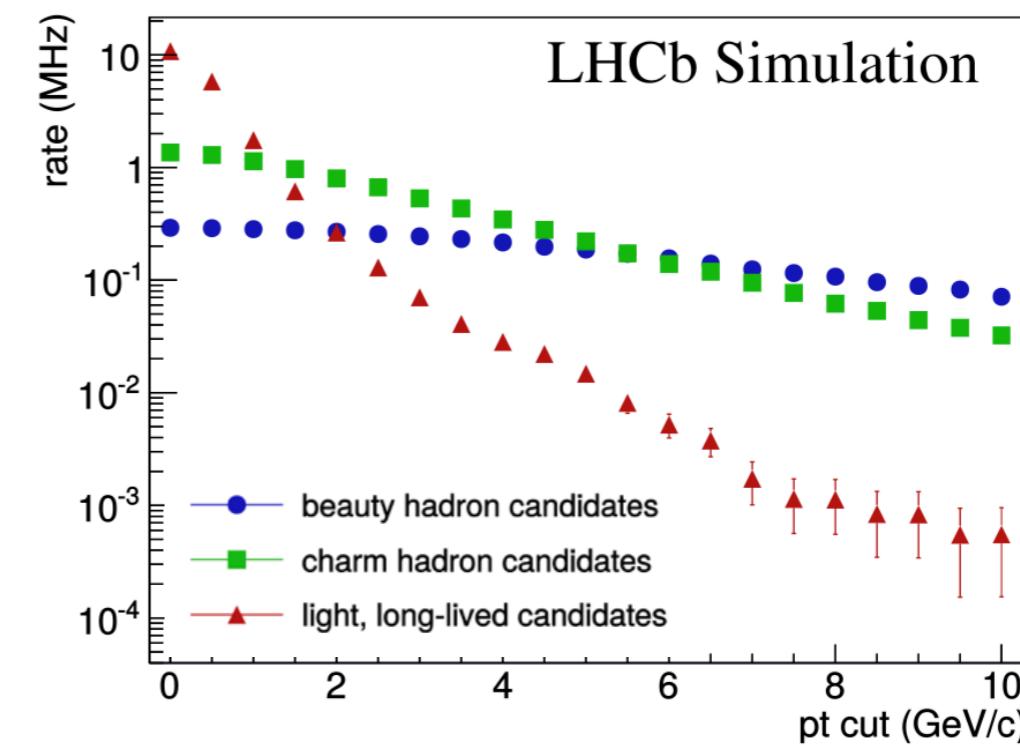
Use GPUs to process 40Tb/s of data



<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s41781-020-00039-7>



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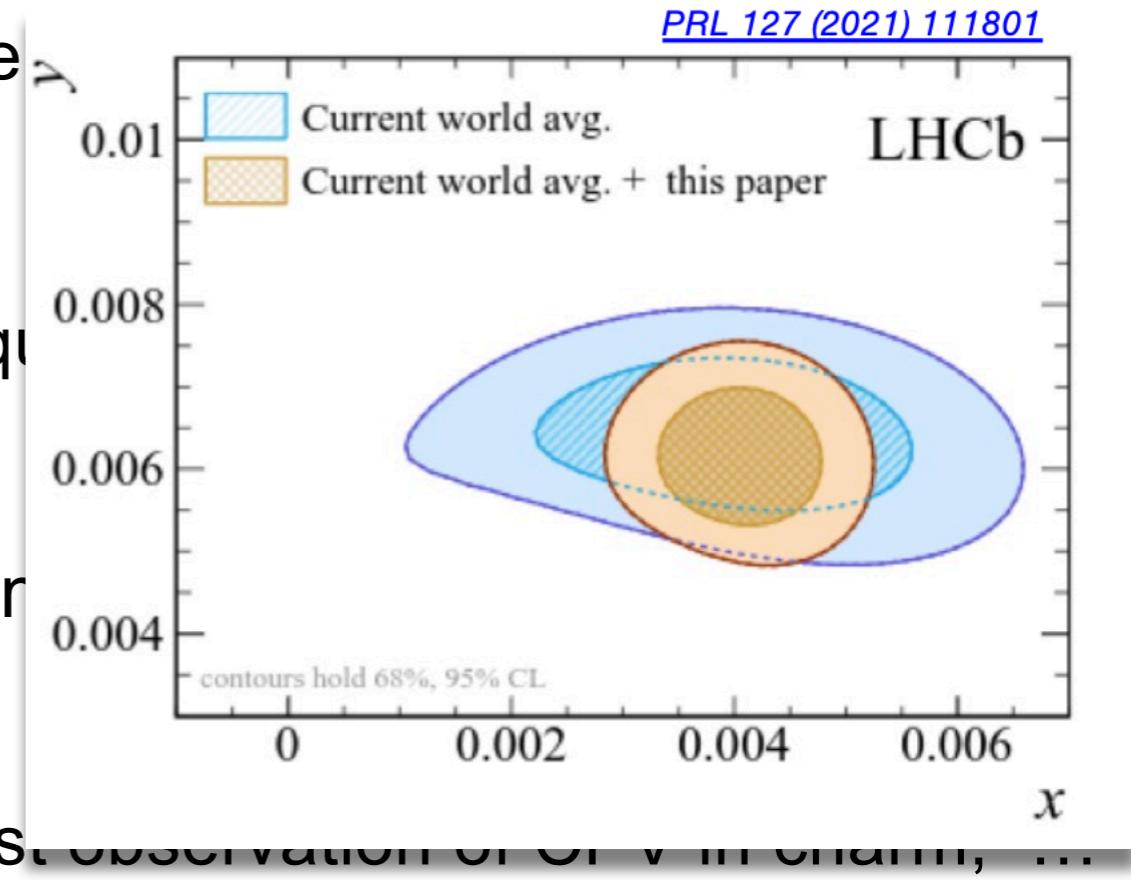
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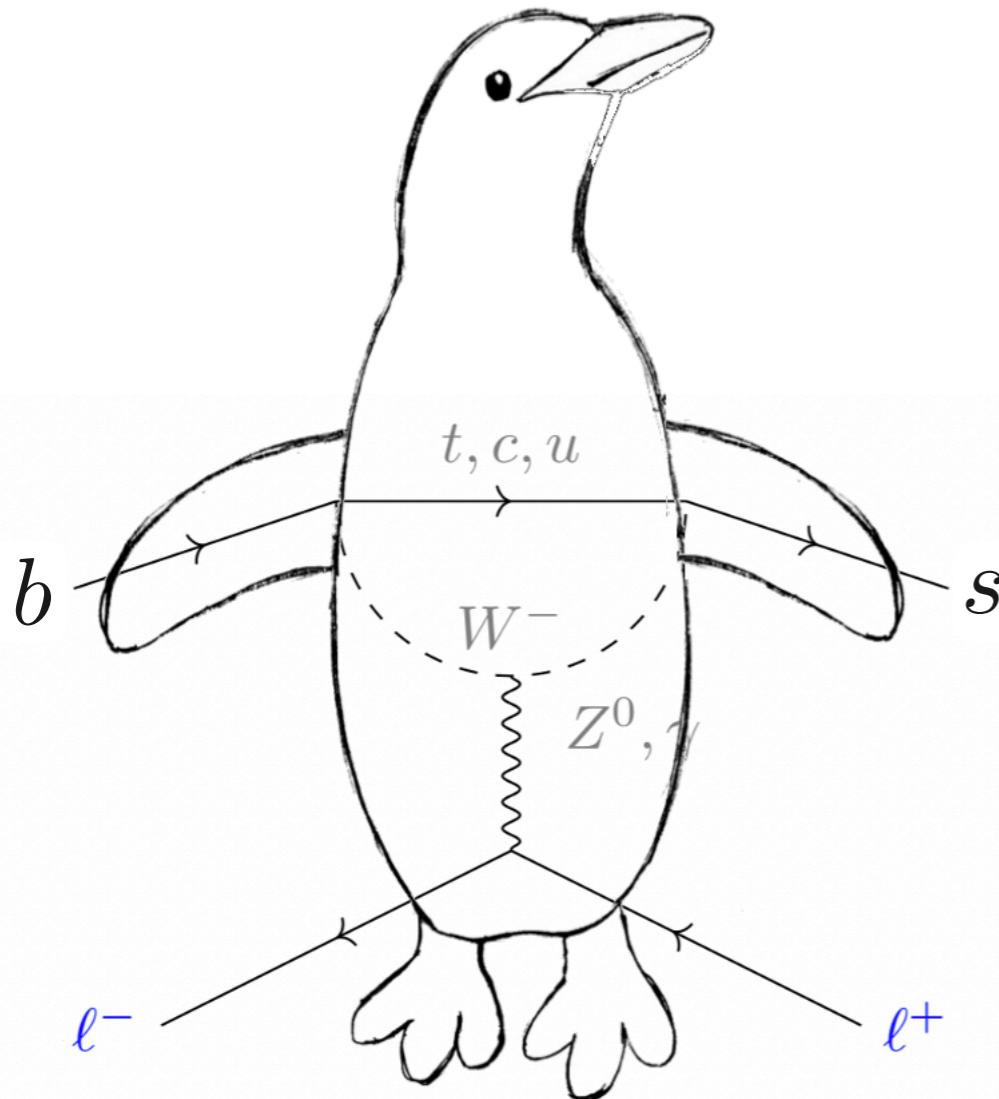
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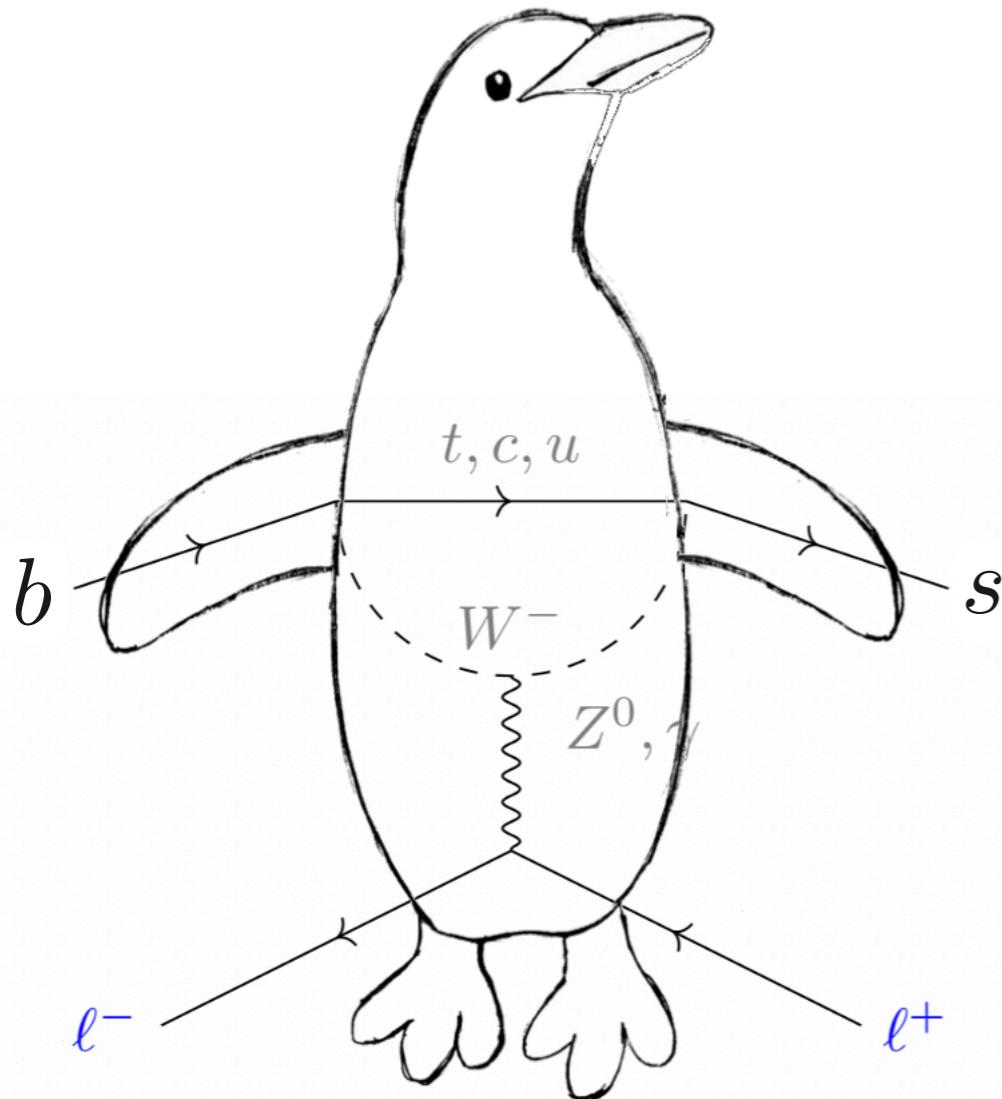


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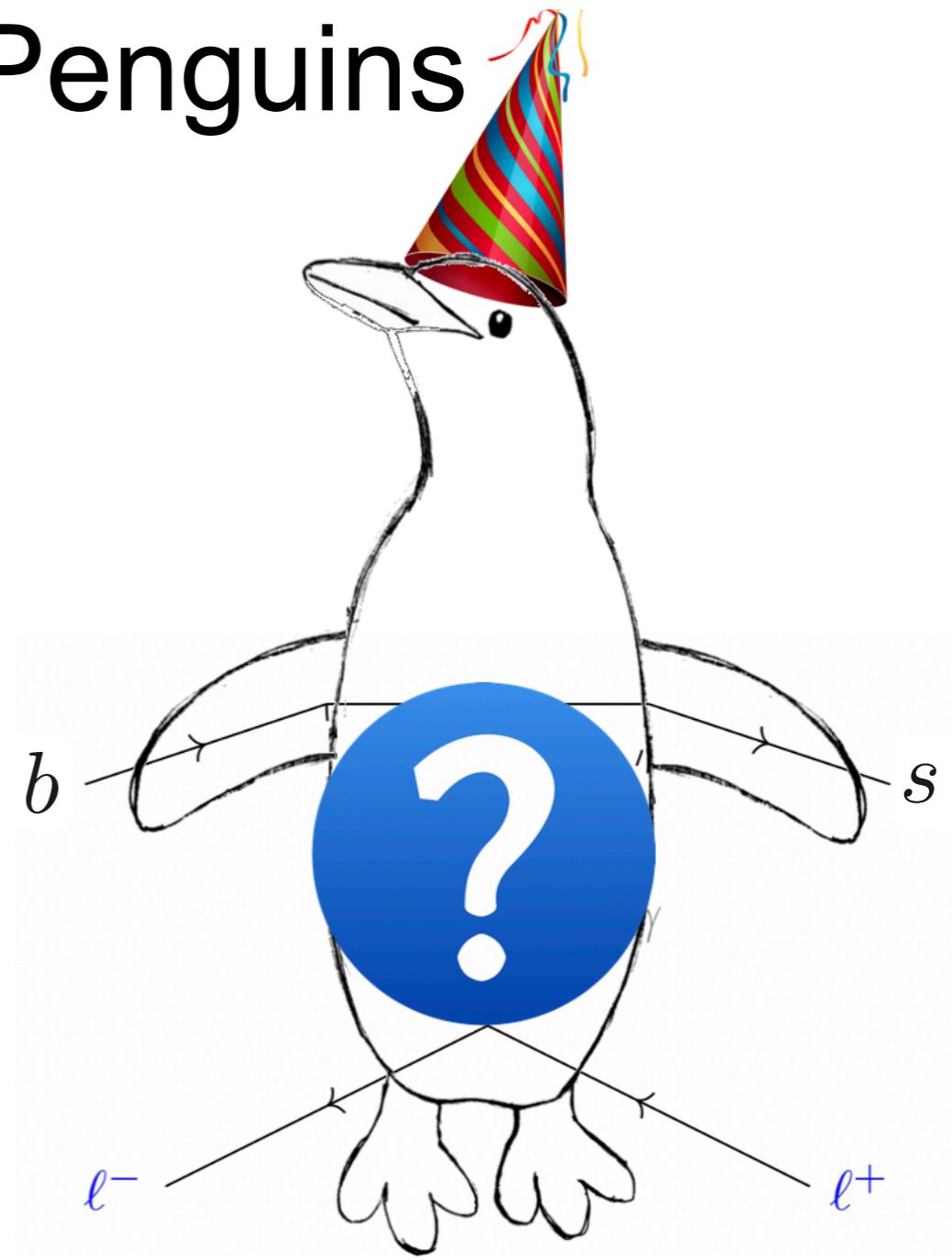
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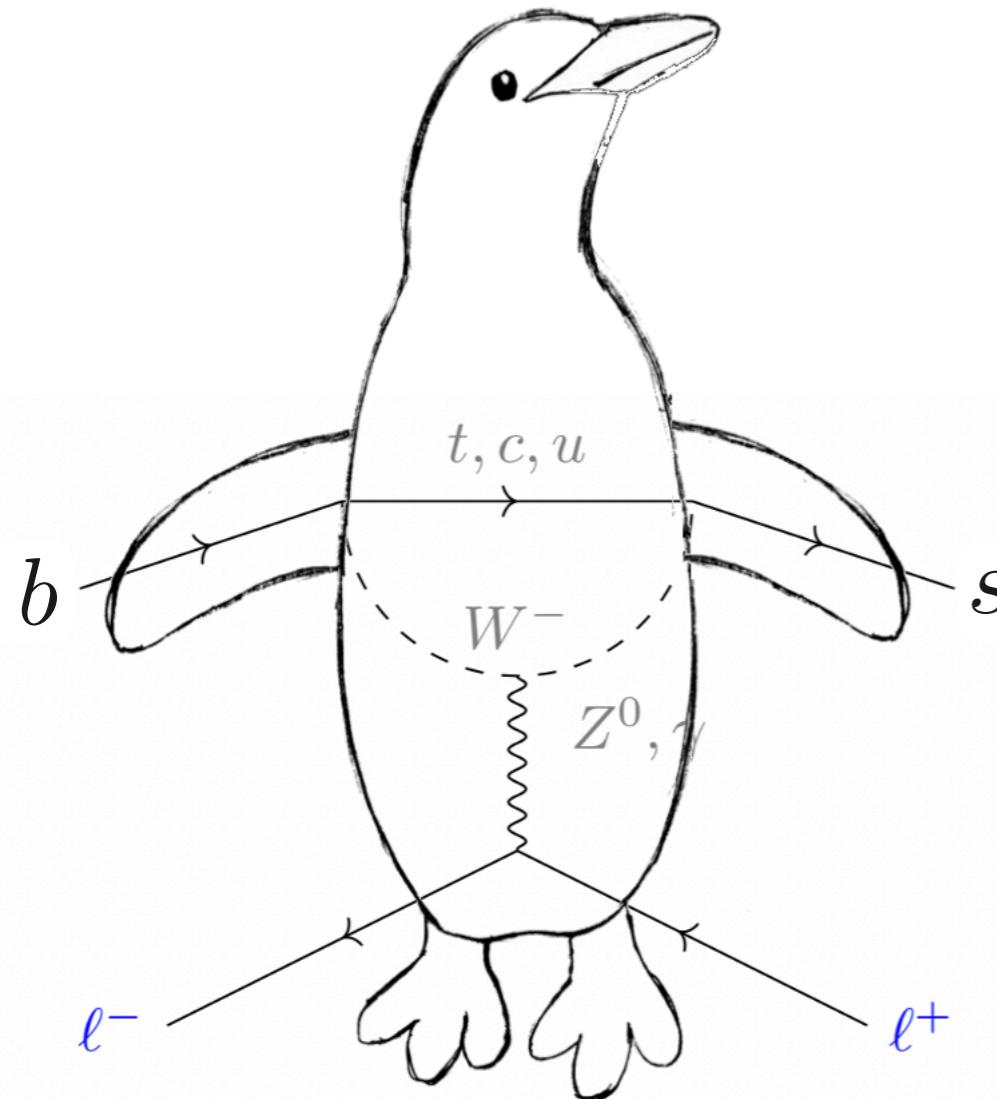


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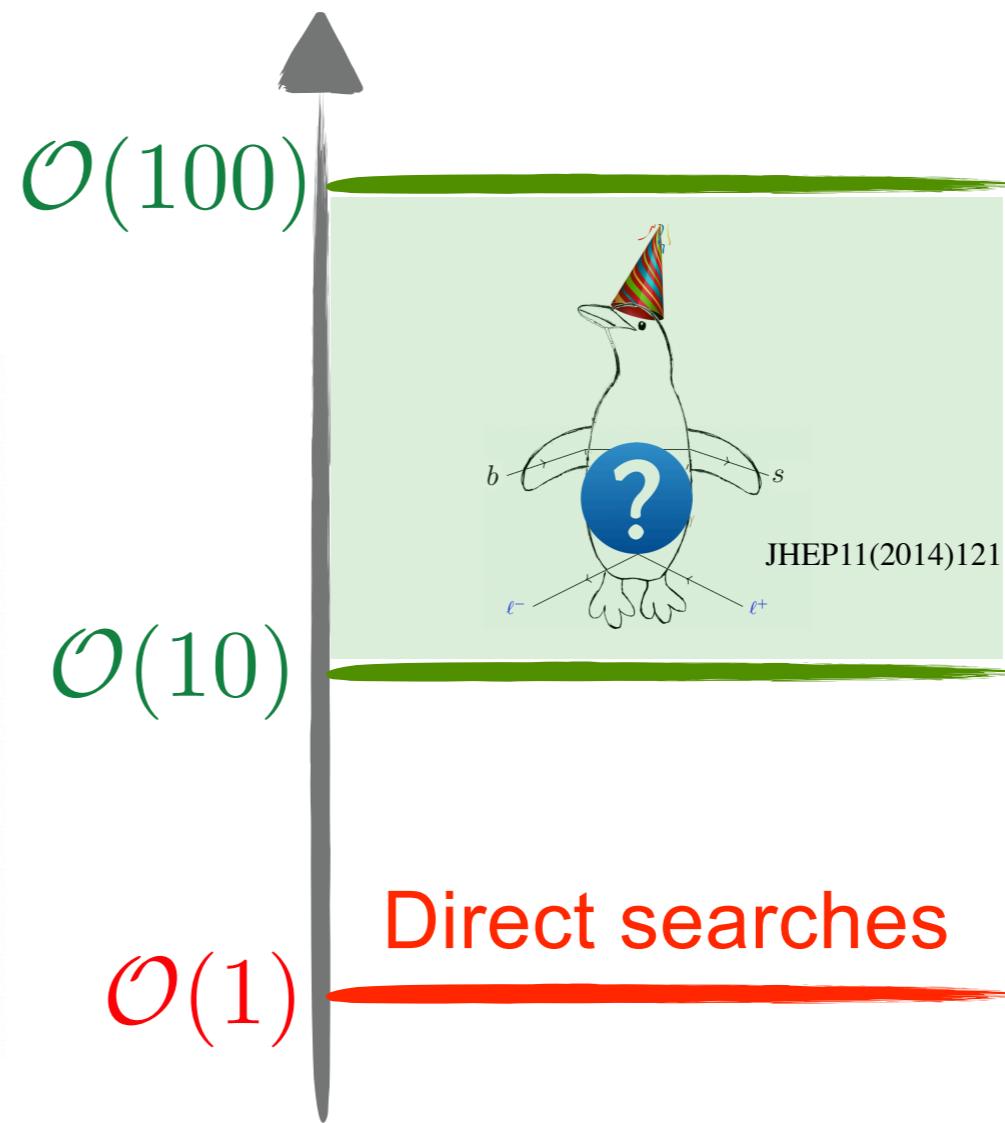
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New Physics beyond the TeV

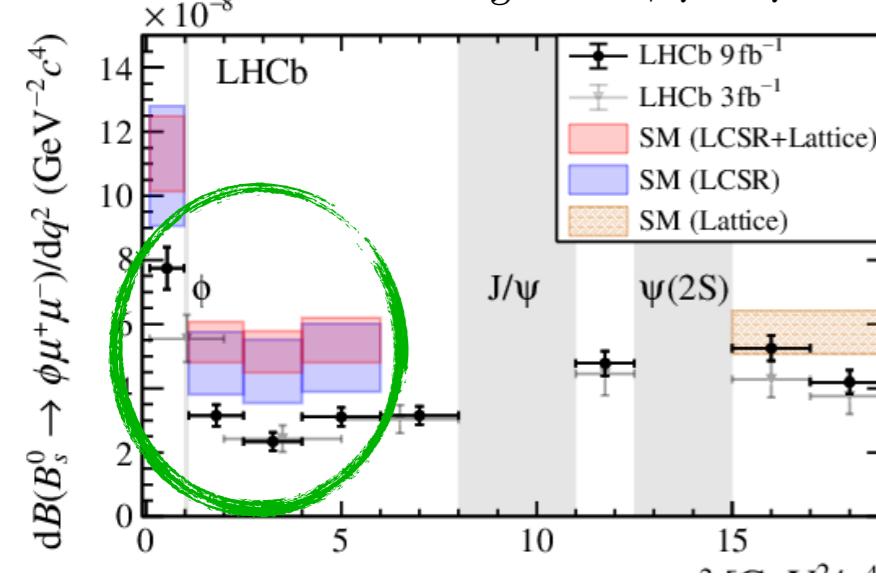
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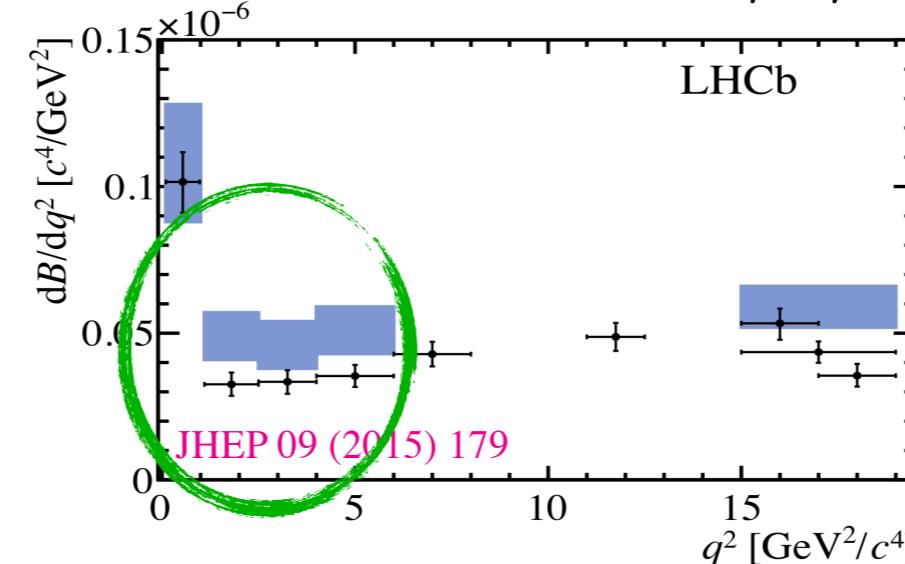


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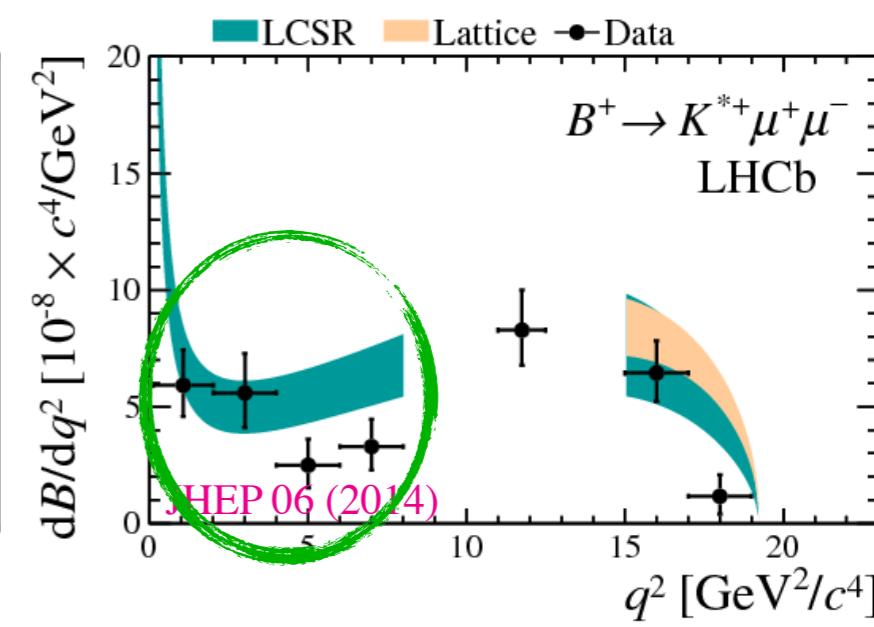
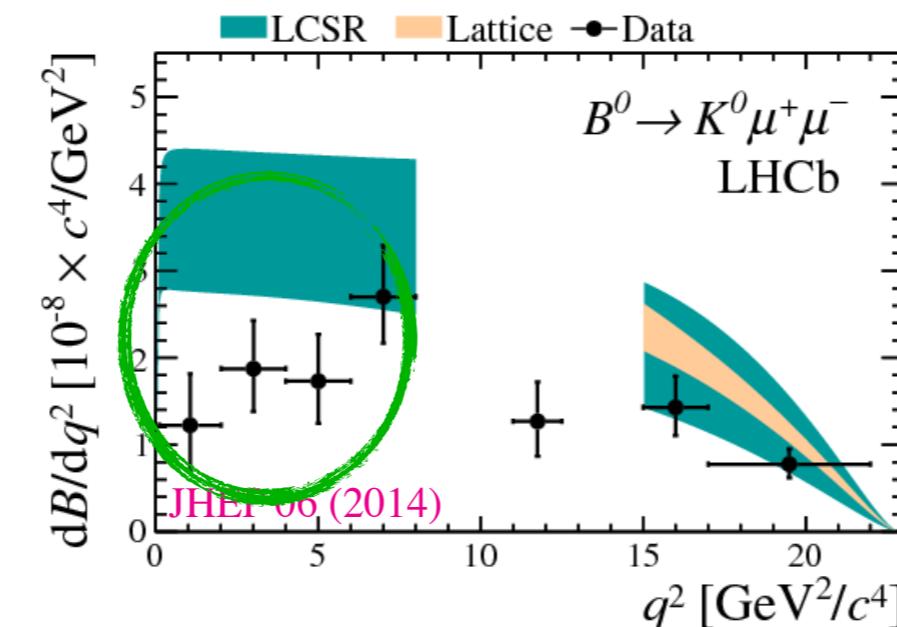
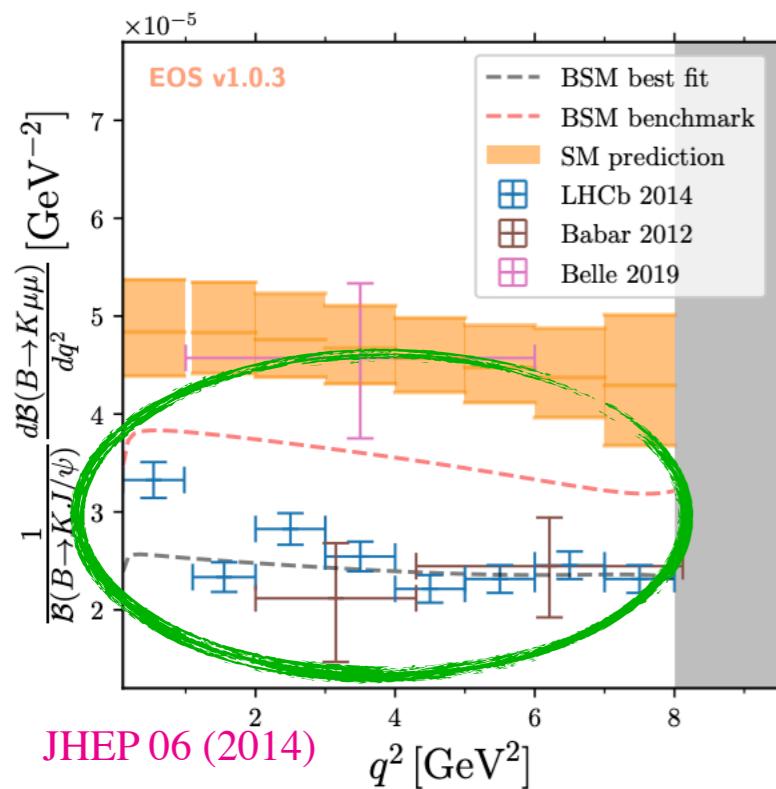
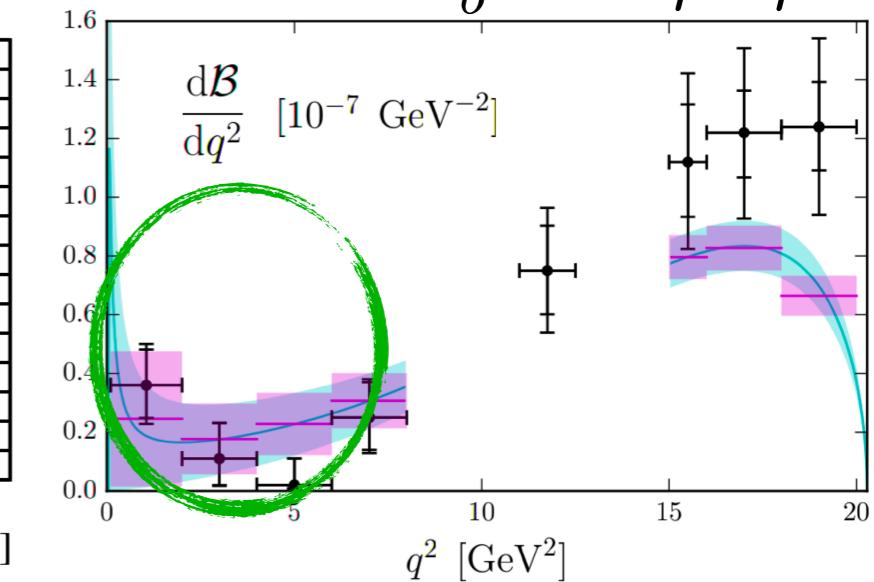
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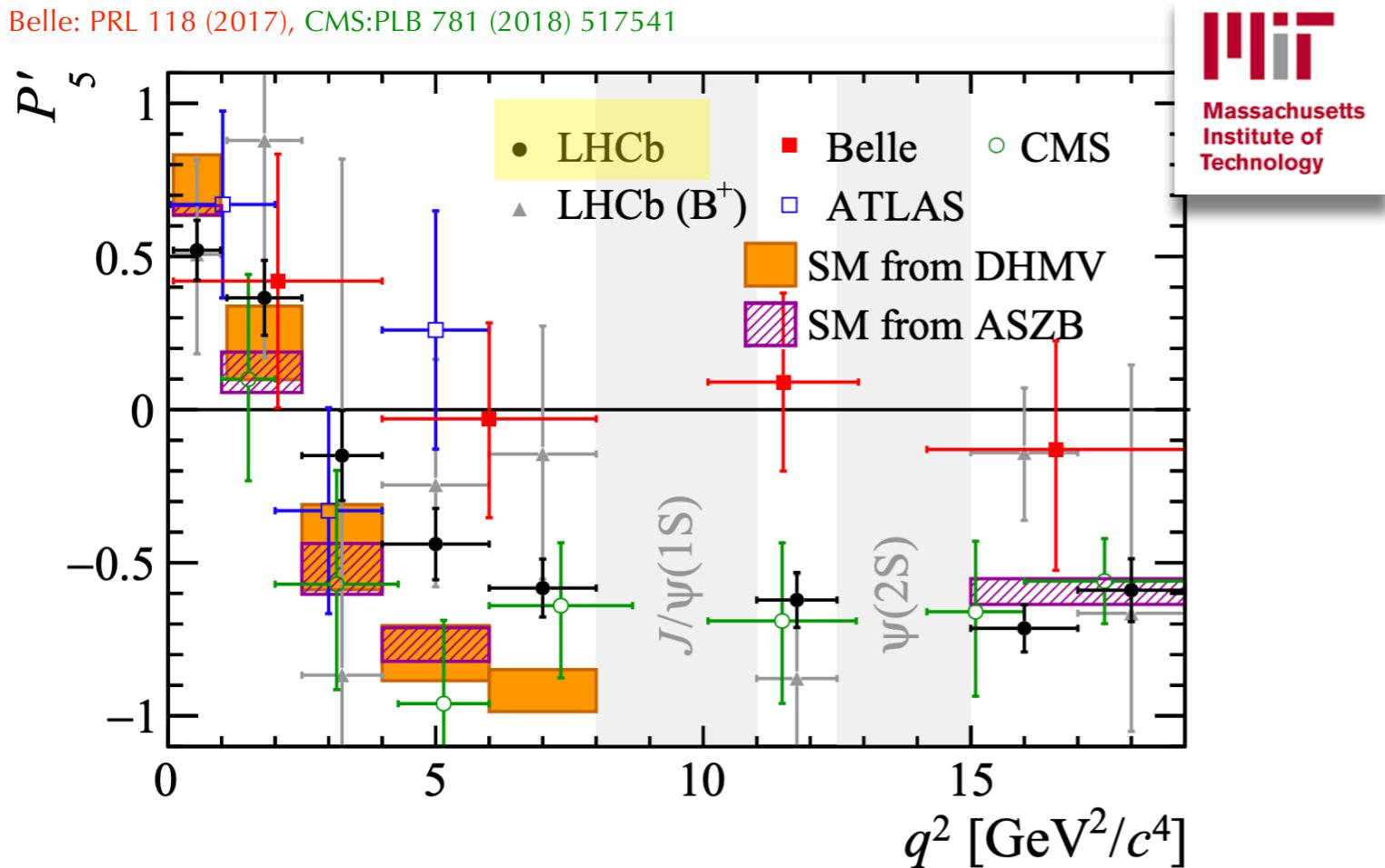
Same pattern, decay rate too low!!

$$q^2 = m^2(\mu^+ \mu^-)$$

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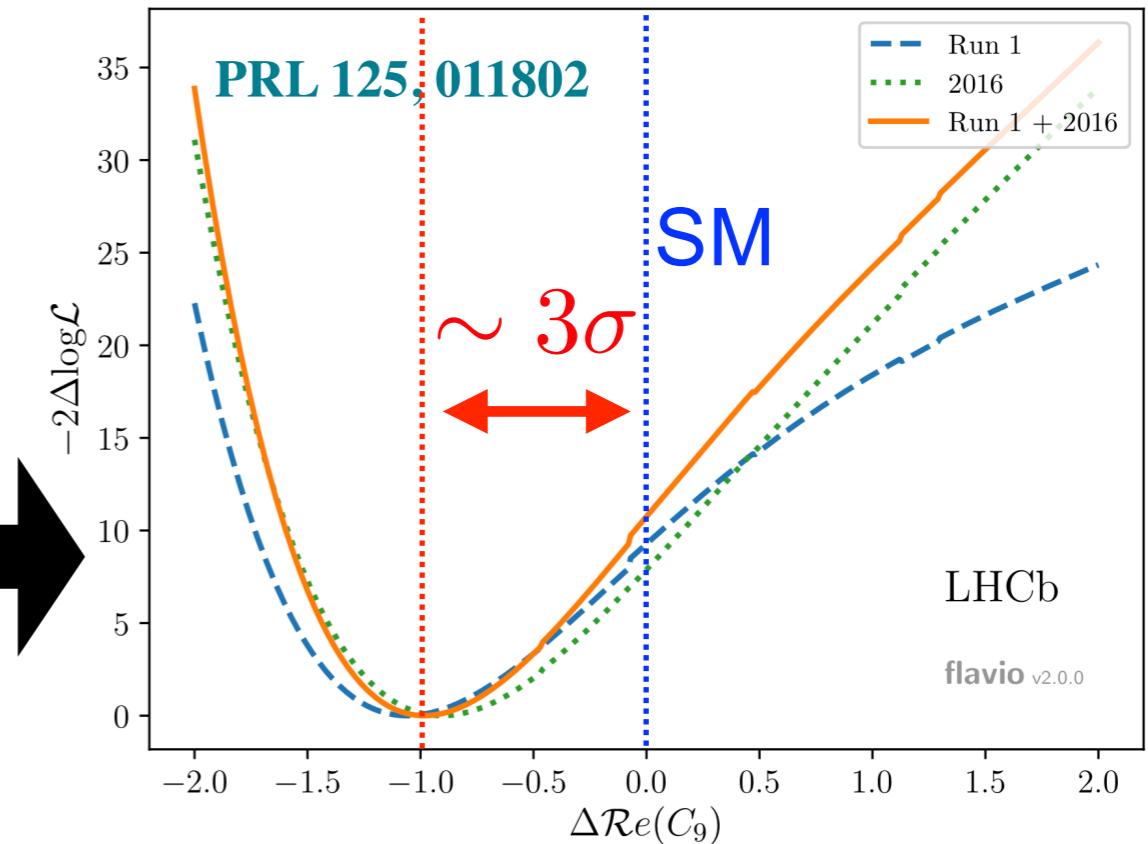
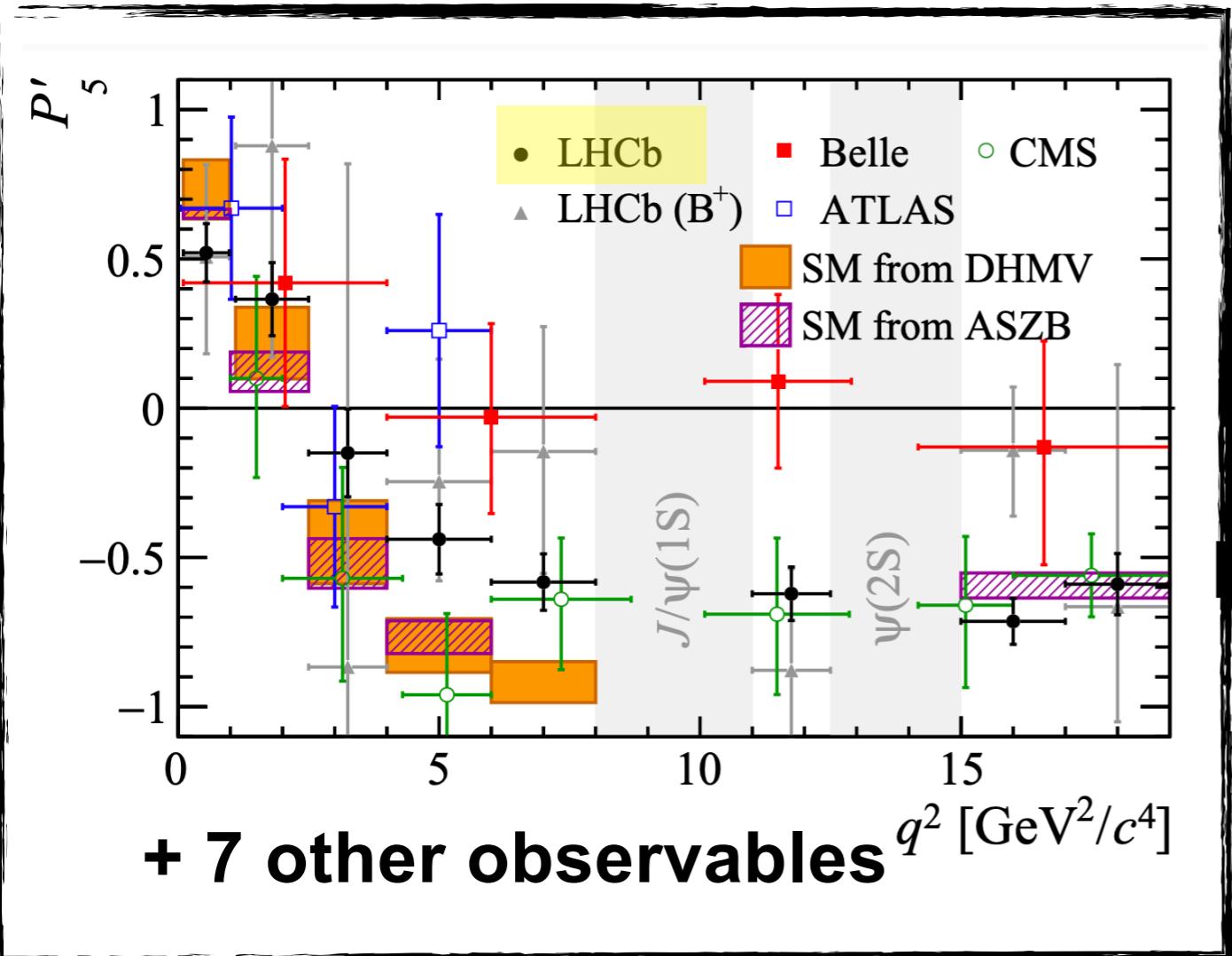
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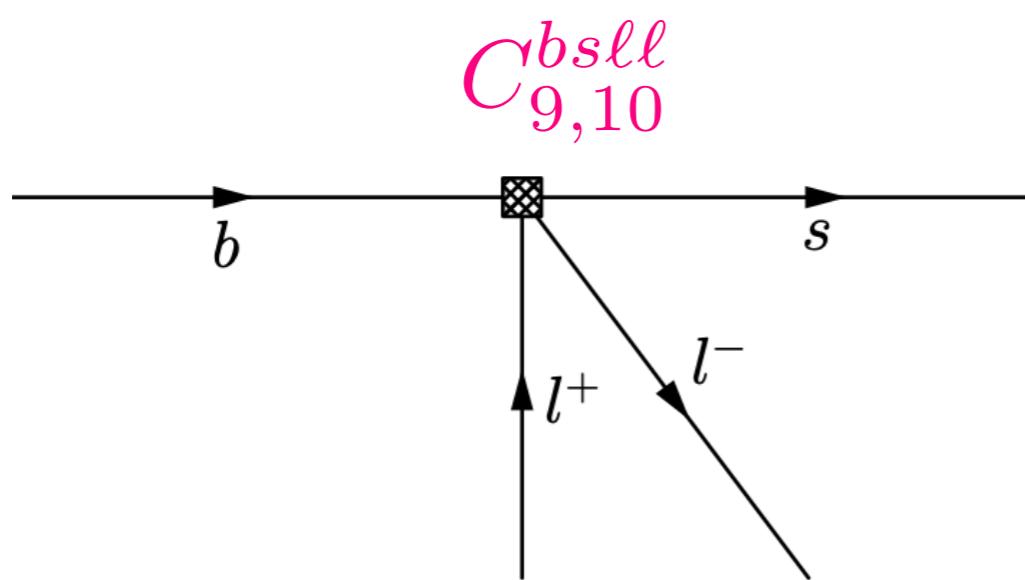
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p-value ~ 0.001



Summary of angular analysis

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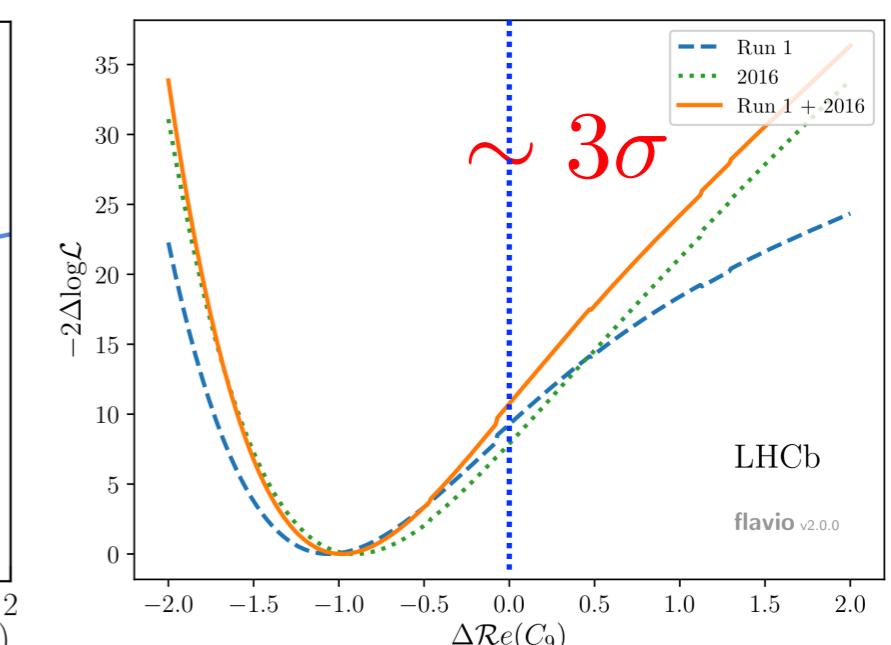
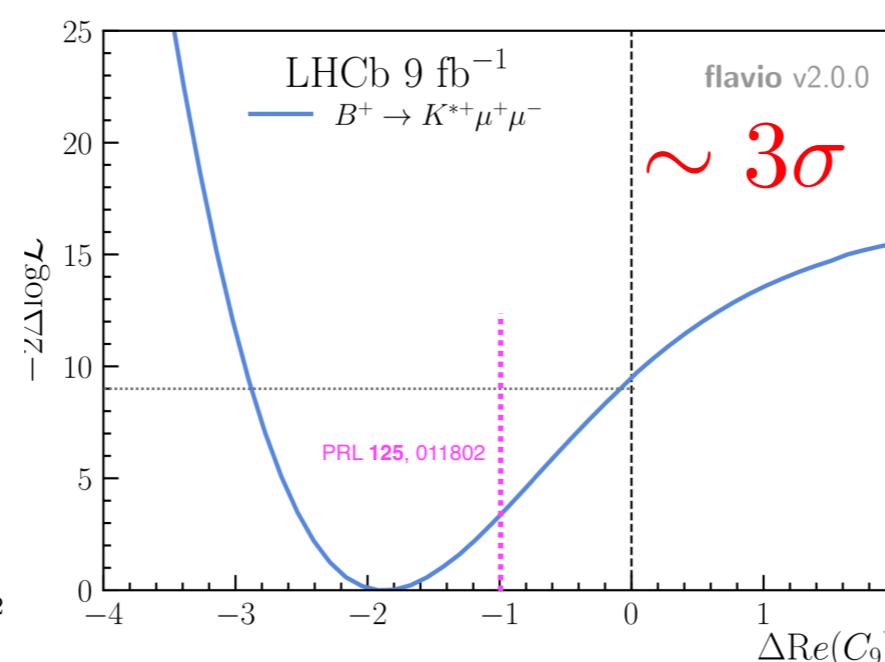
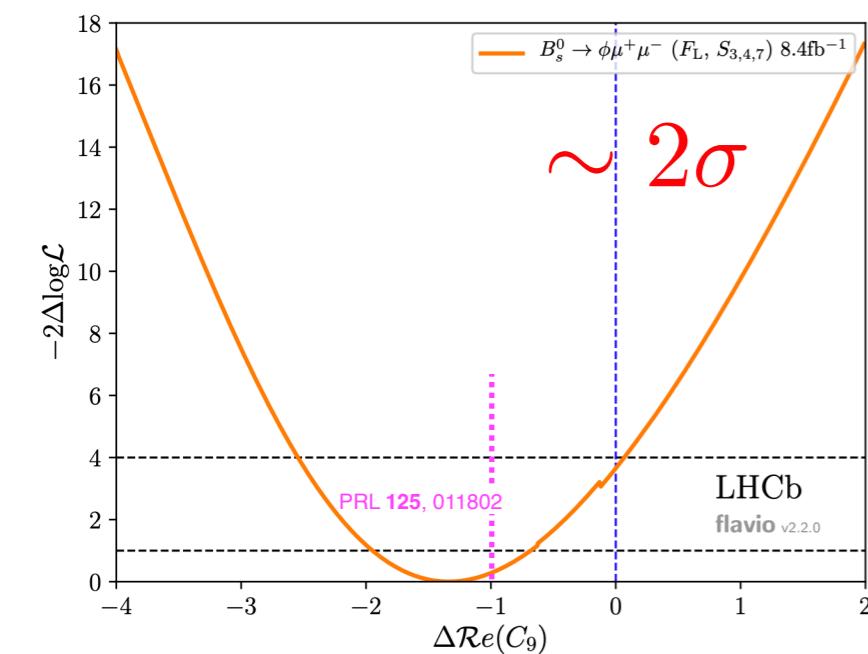
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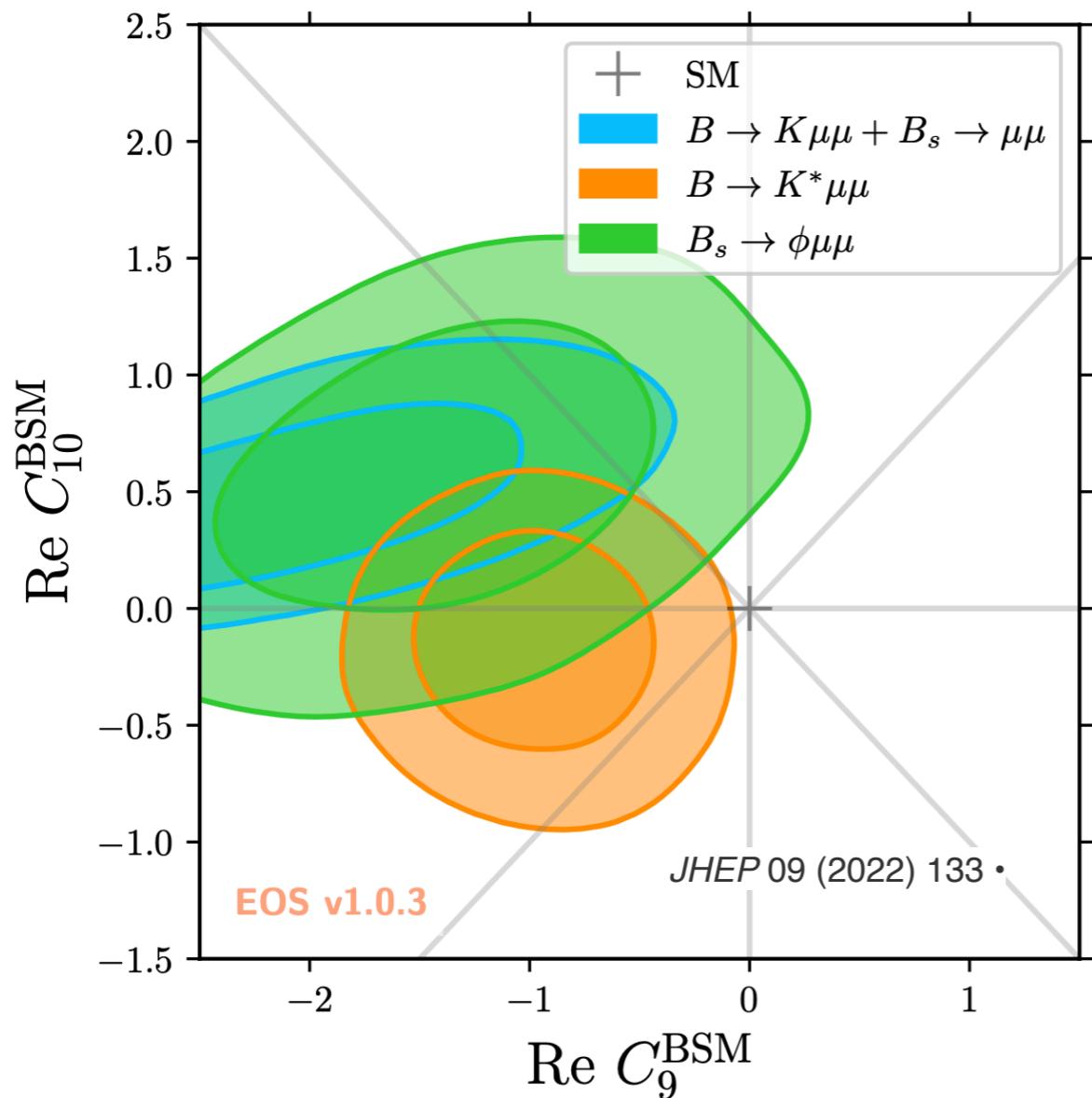
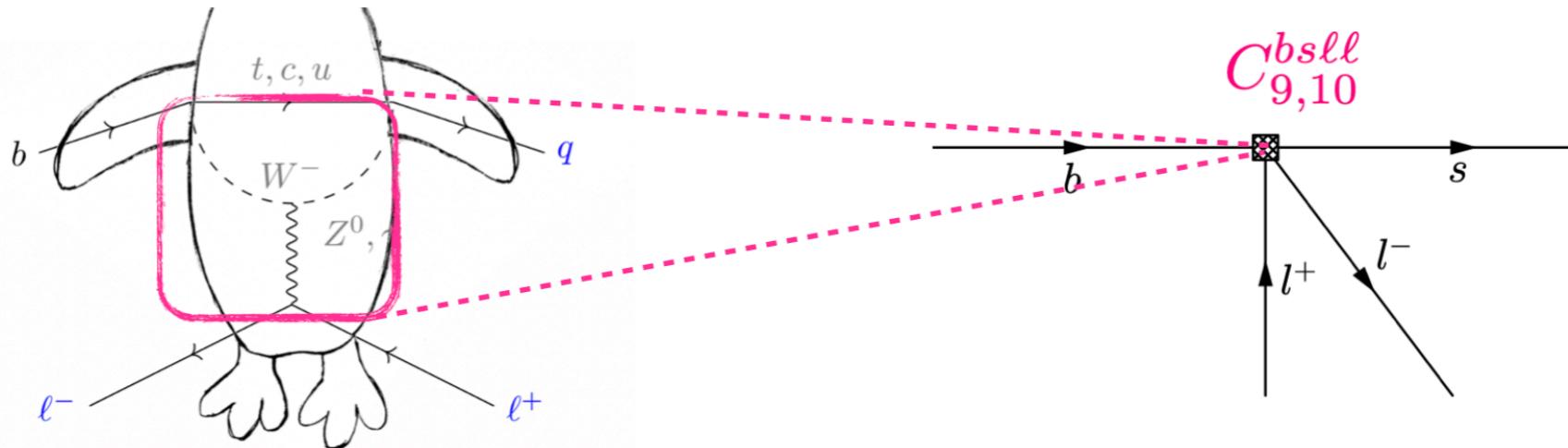
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Same pattern, negative definitions in effective coupling

Global fit to underlying effective couplings



- Results across angular observables and branching fractions consistent
- Overall deviation from SM at the $4-5\sigma$ level
- Brand-new result (LHCb-PAPER-2023-032) favours C_9 , shift in $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-$ also accounting for non-local QCD

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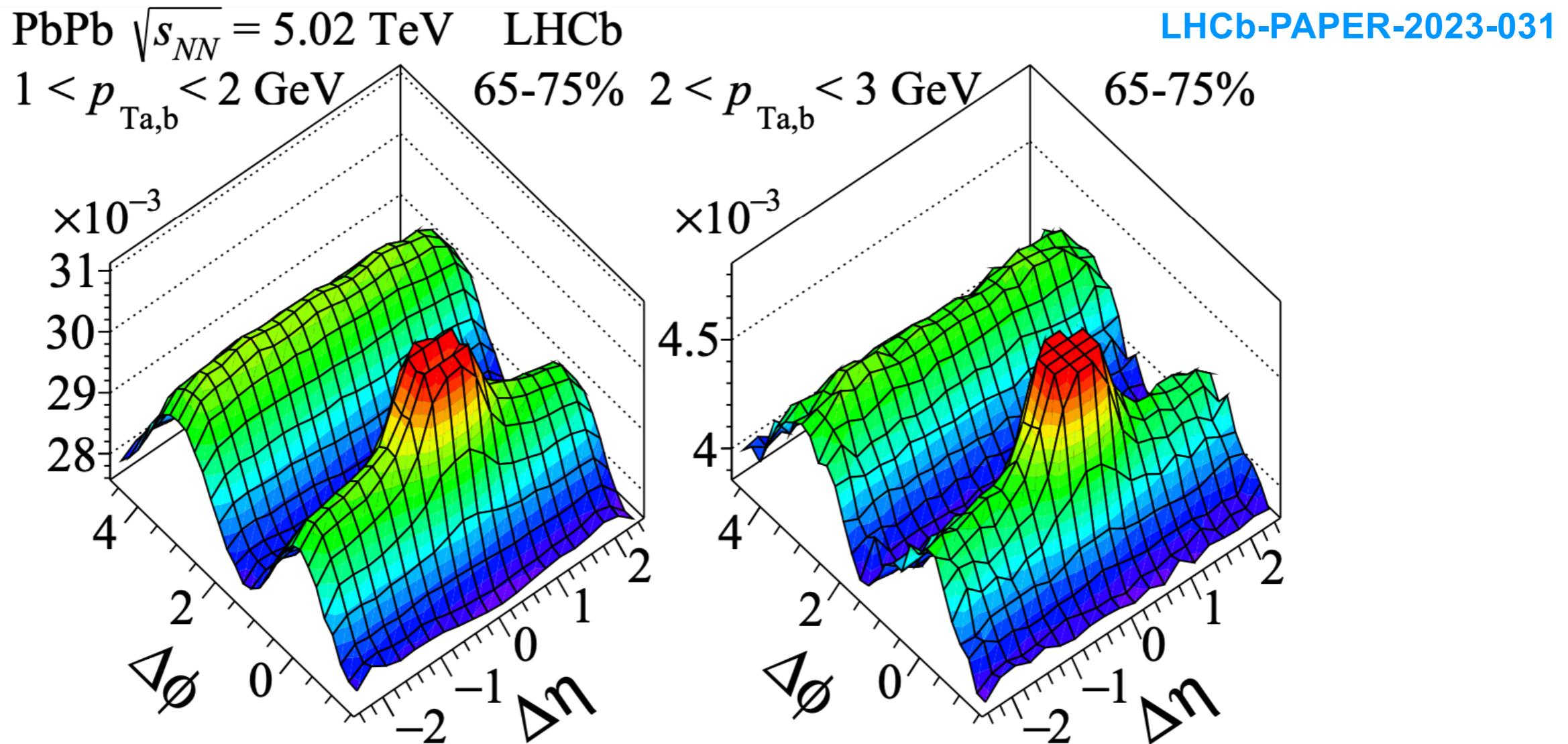
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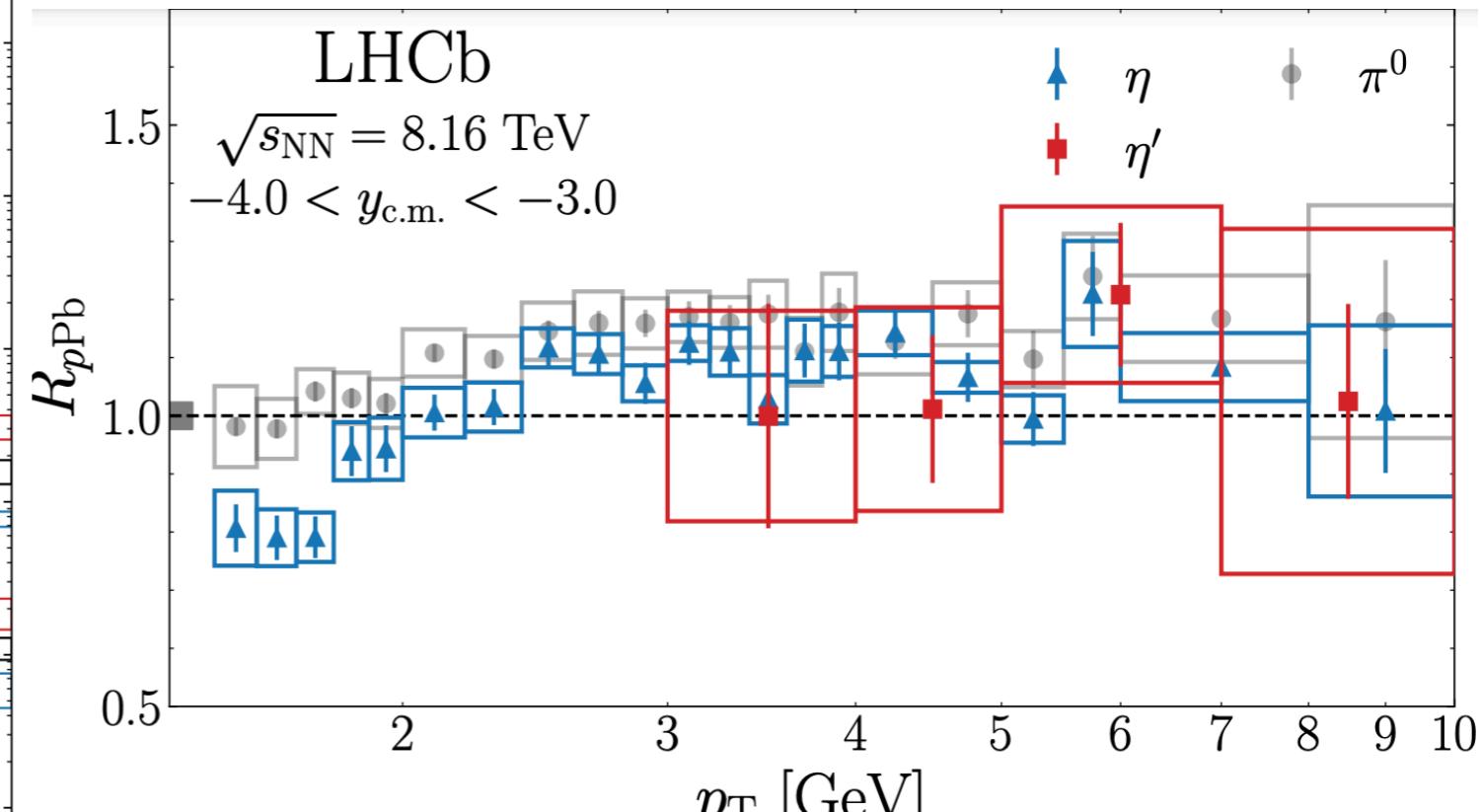
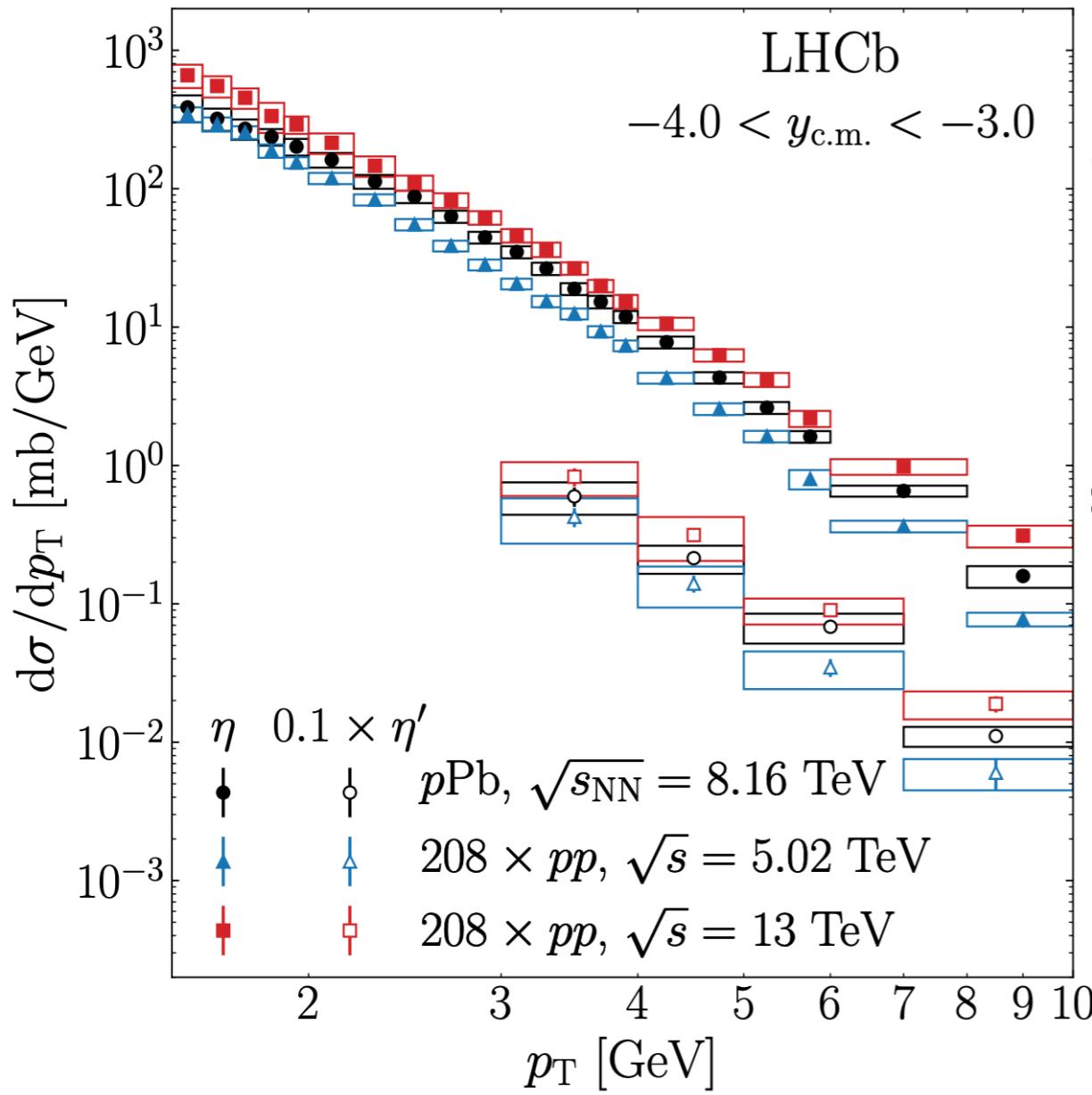
- Harmonic coefficients → hydrodynamic of quark-gluon plasma
- First LHCb results of the second- and the third-order flow harmonic coefficients of charged hadrons as a function of transverse momentum in the forward region



Heavy ion runs at LHCb: $\eta^{(\prime)}$ production

Differential cross section of $\eta^{(\prime)}$ in pp (5TeV and 13TeV) and pPb collisions (8 TeV)

Used to calculate nuclear modification factors



[LHCb-PAPER-2023-030](#)

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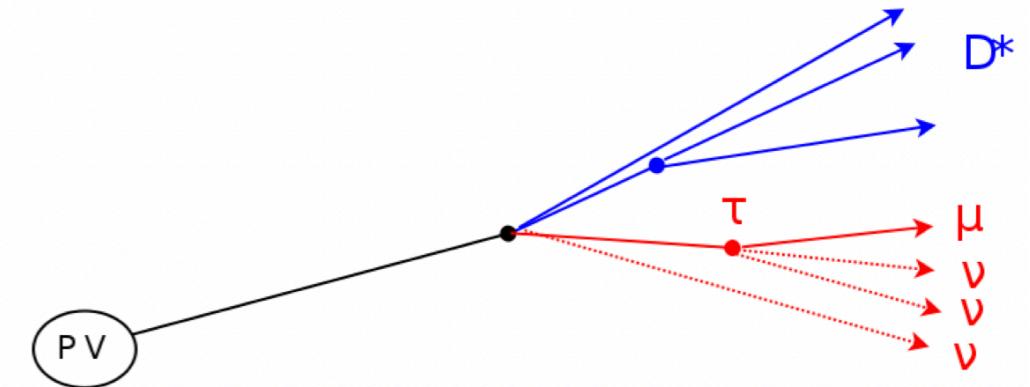
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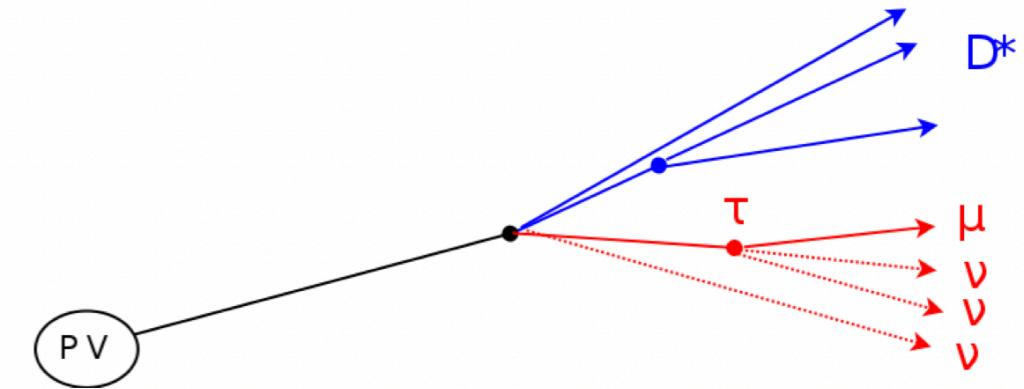
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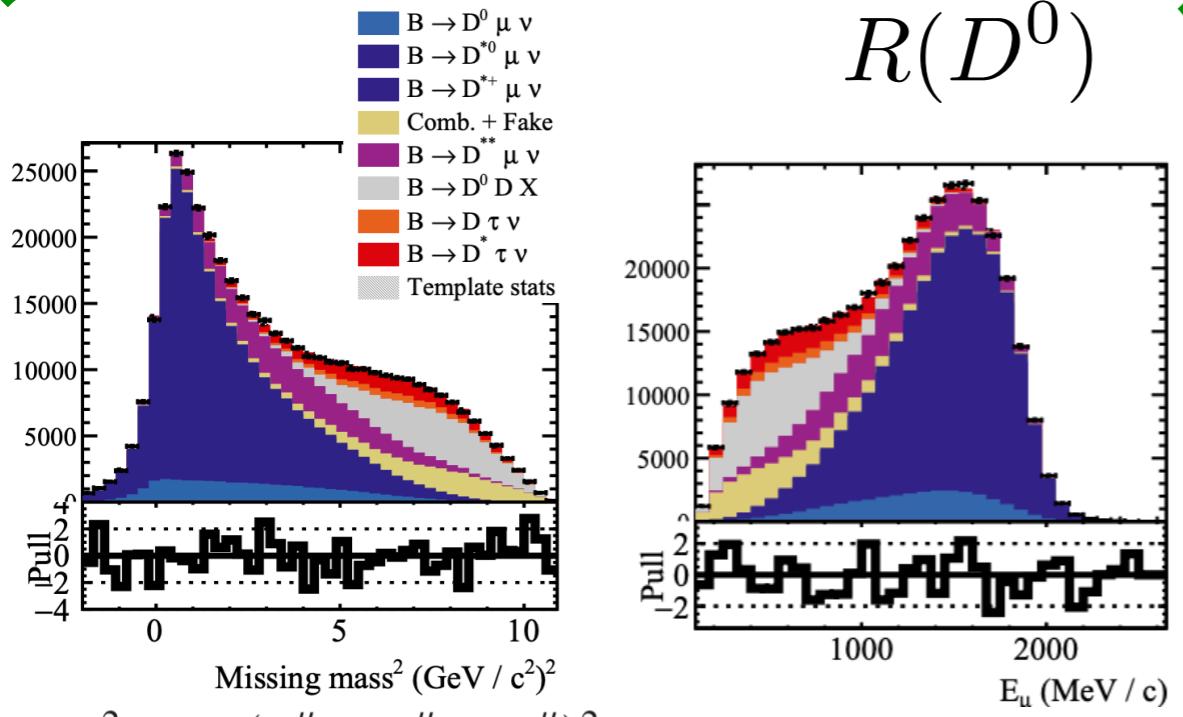
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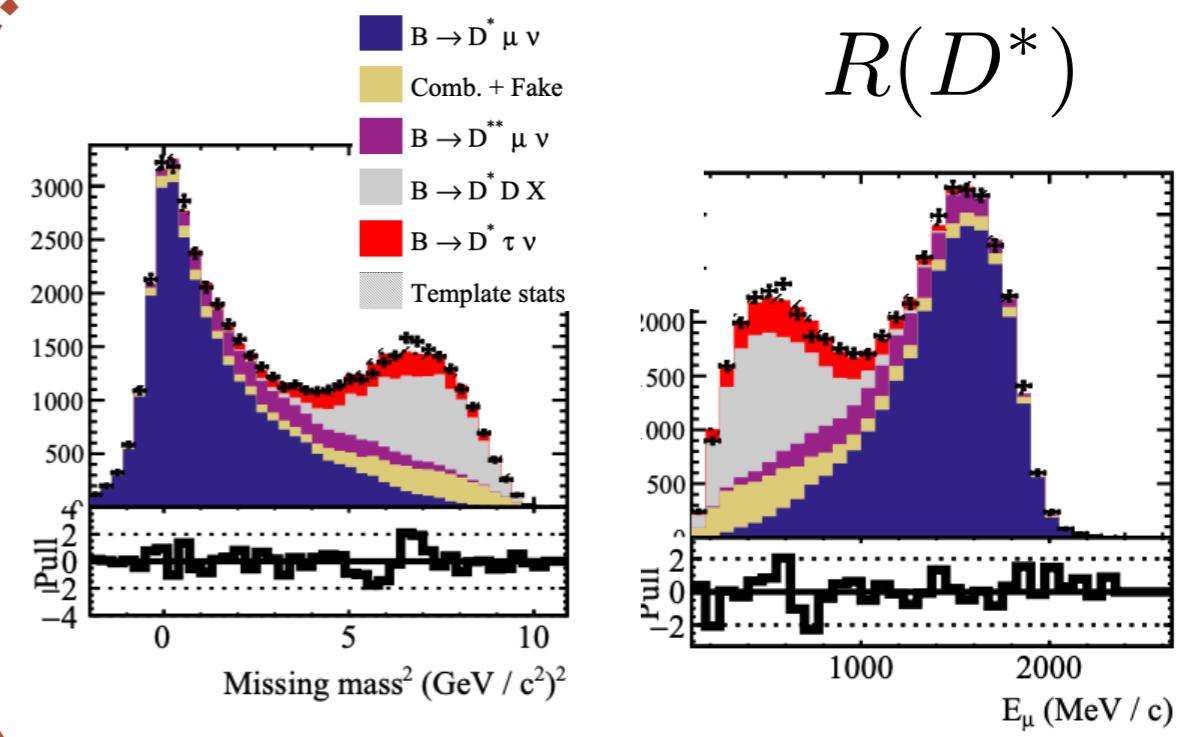
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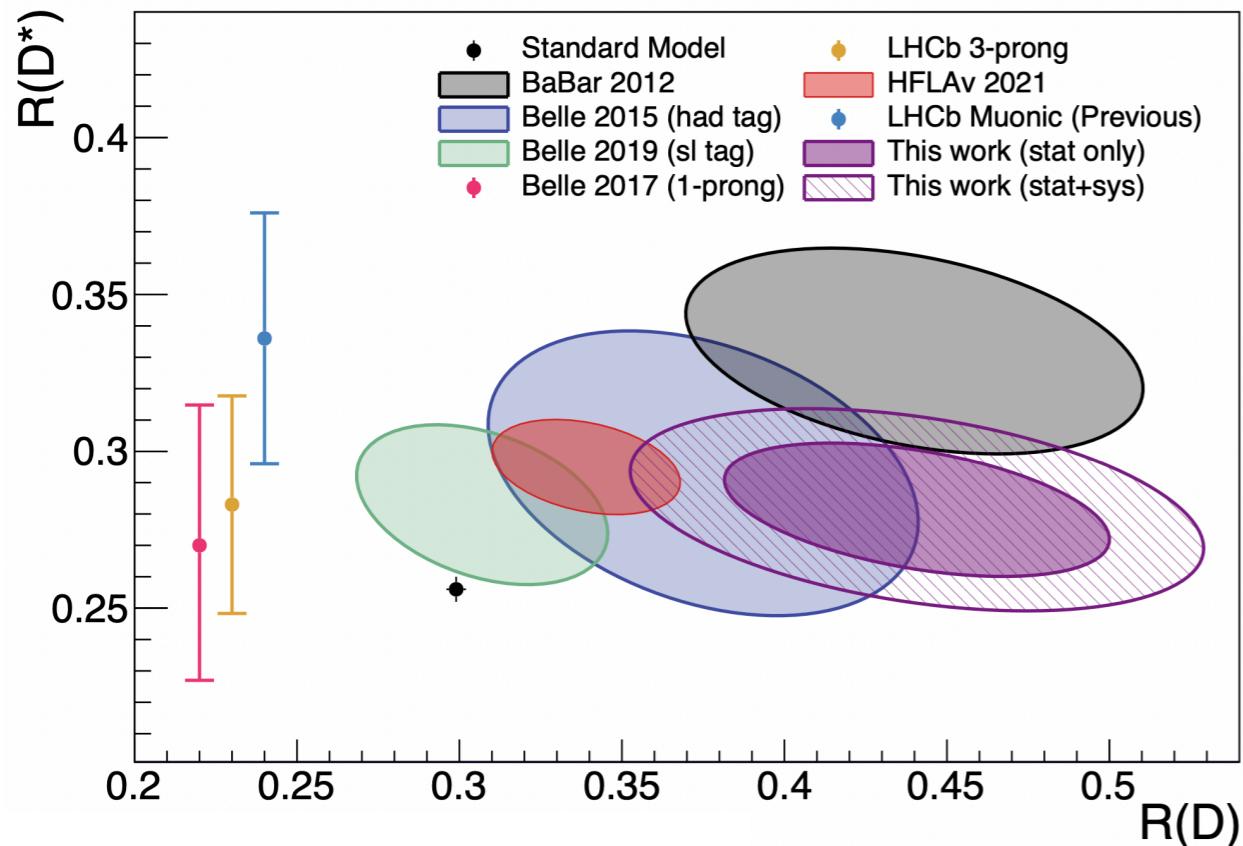
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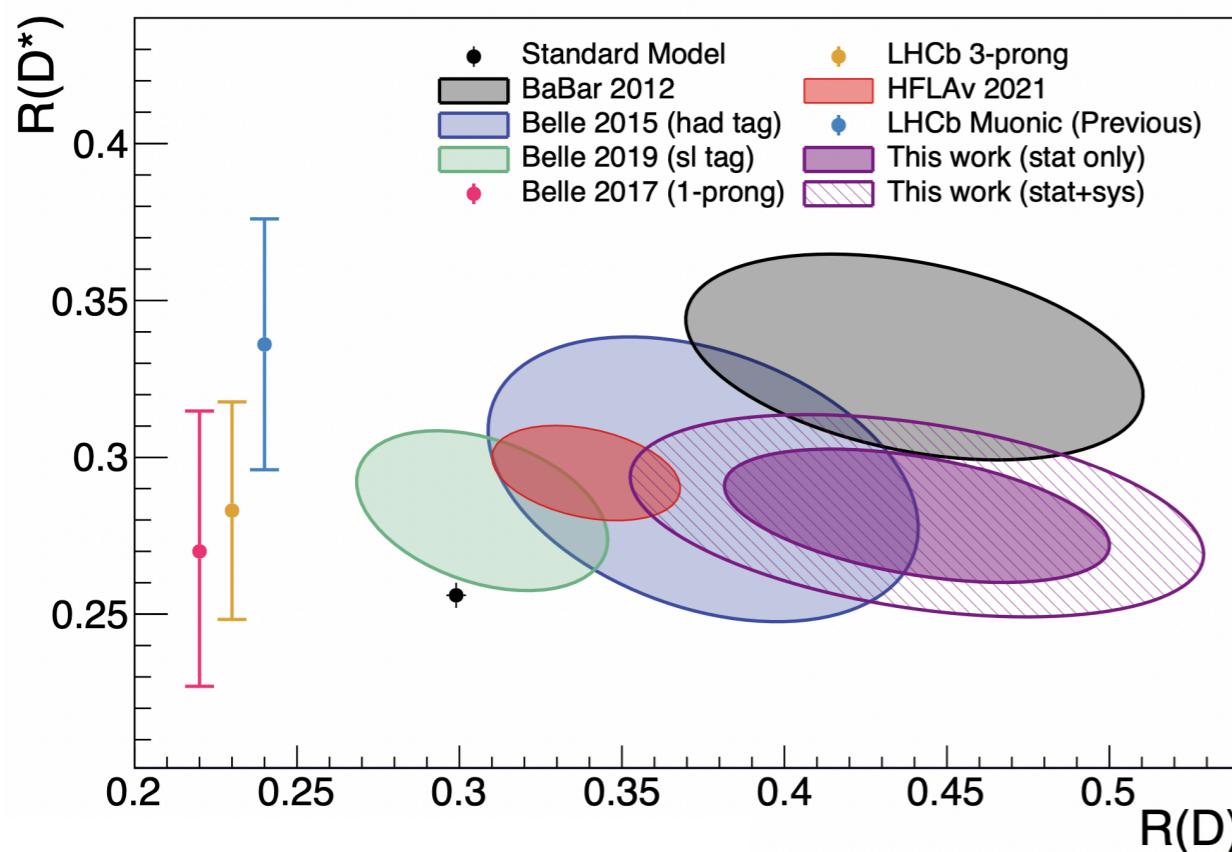


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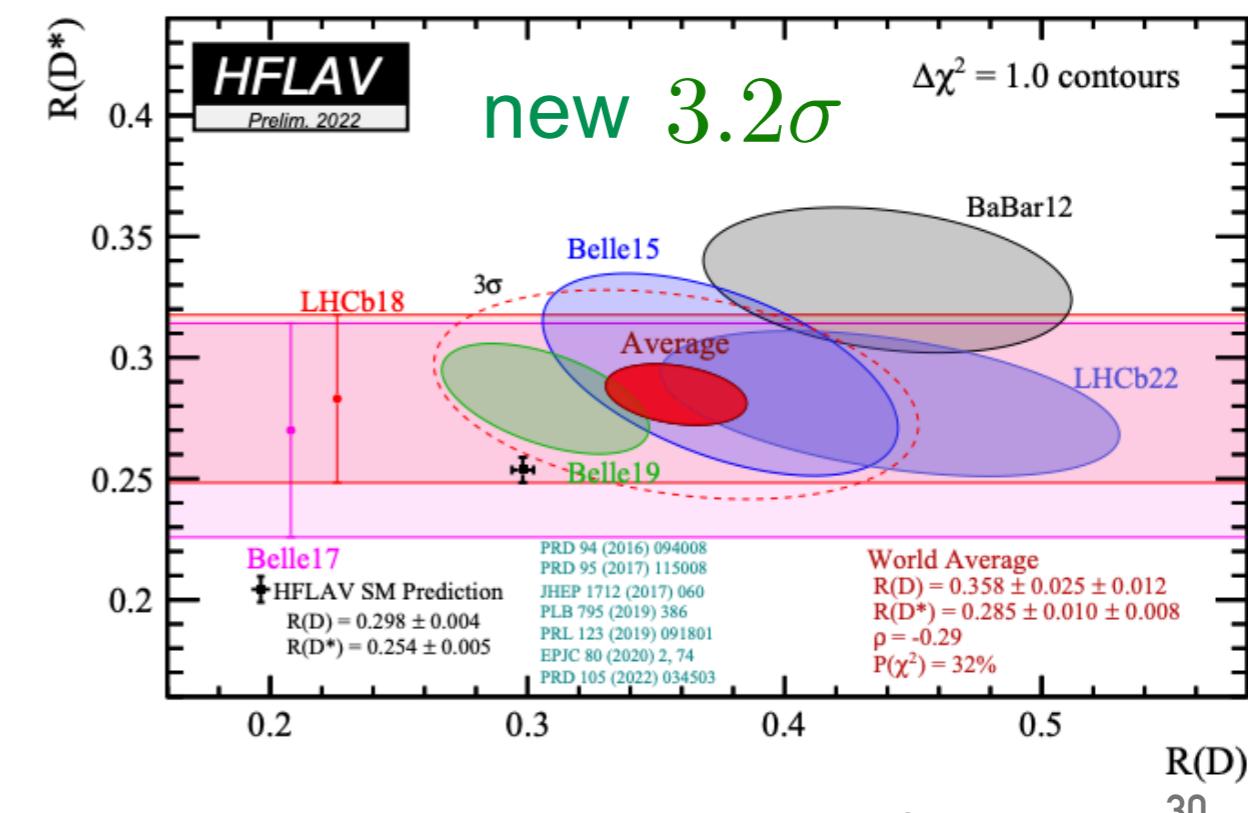
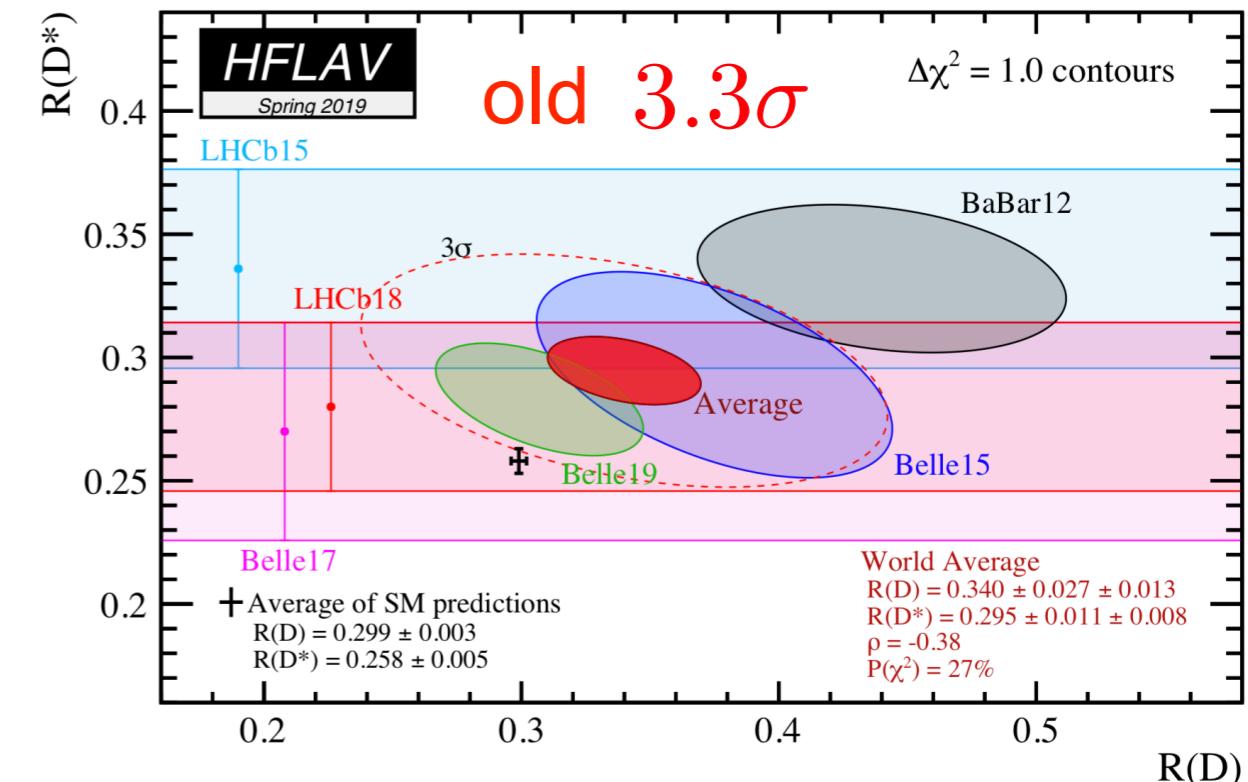
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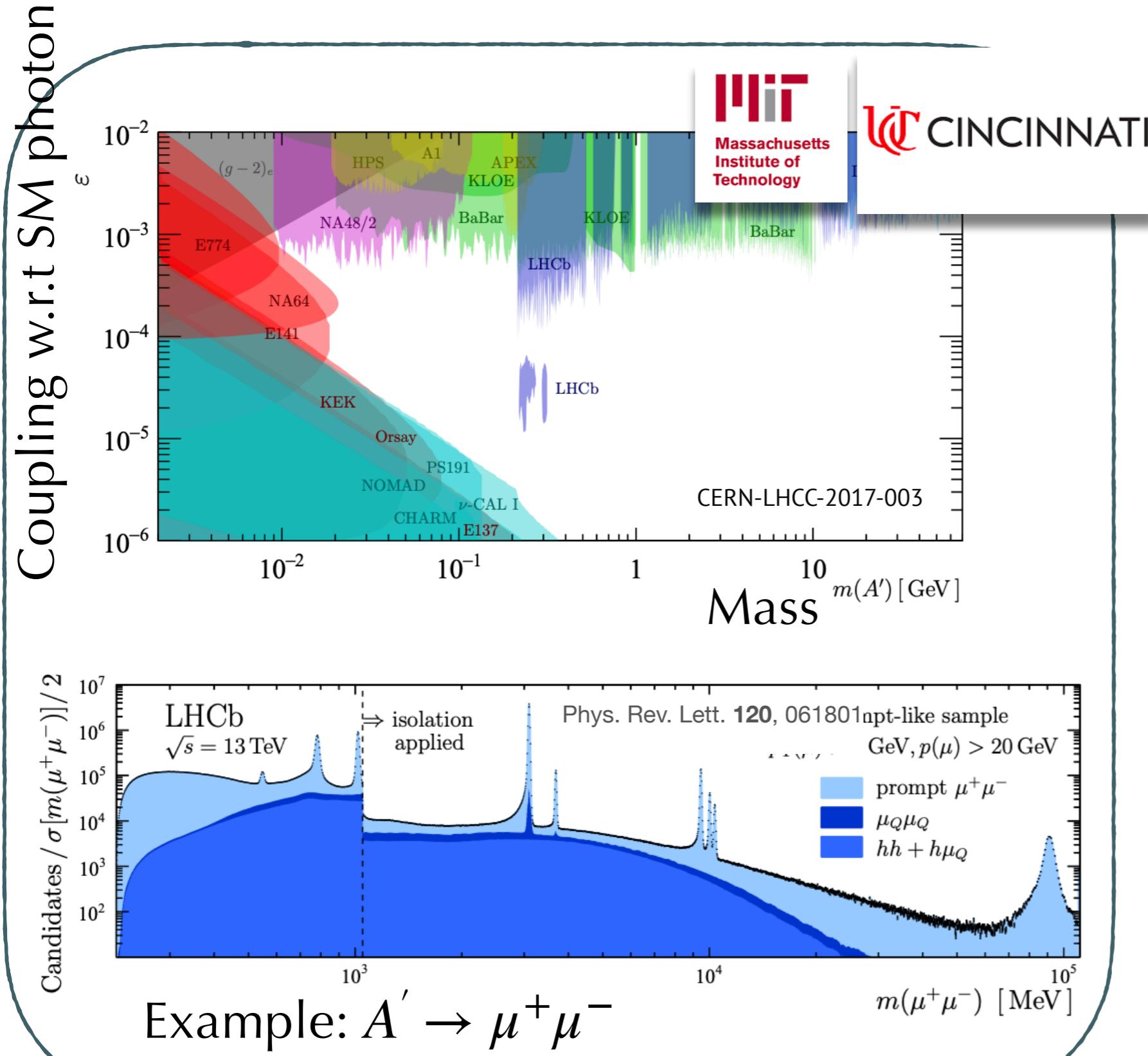
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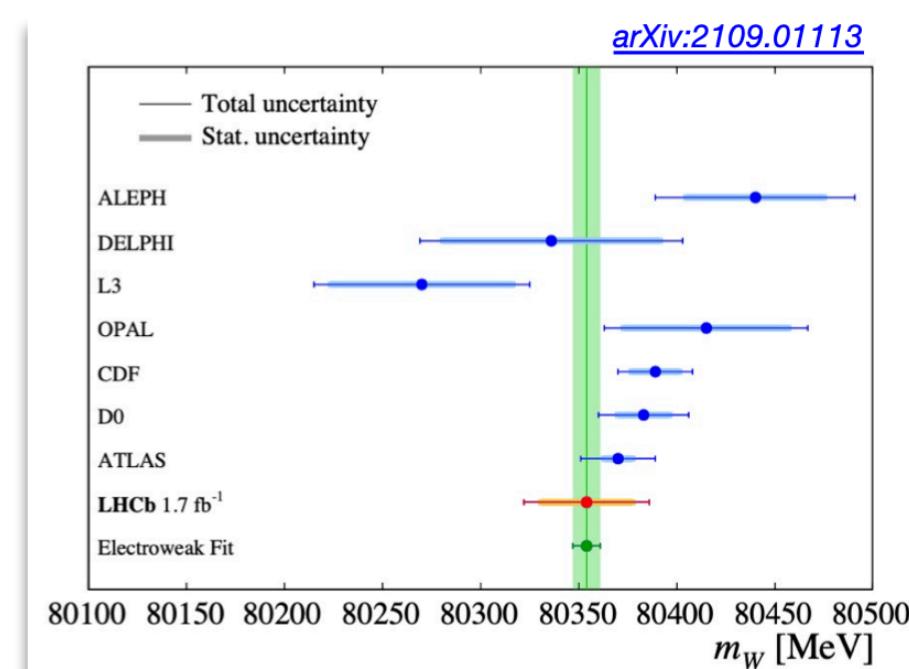
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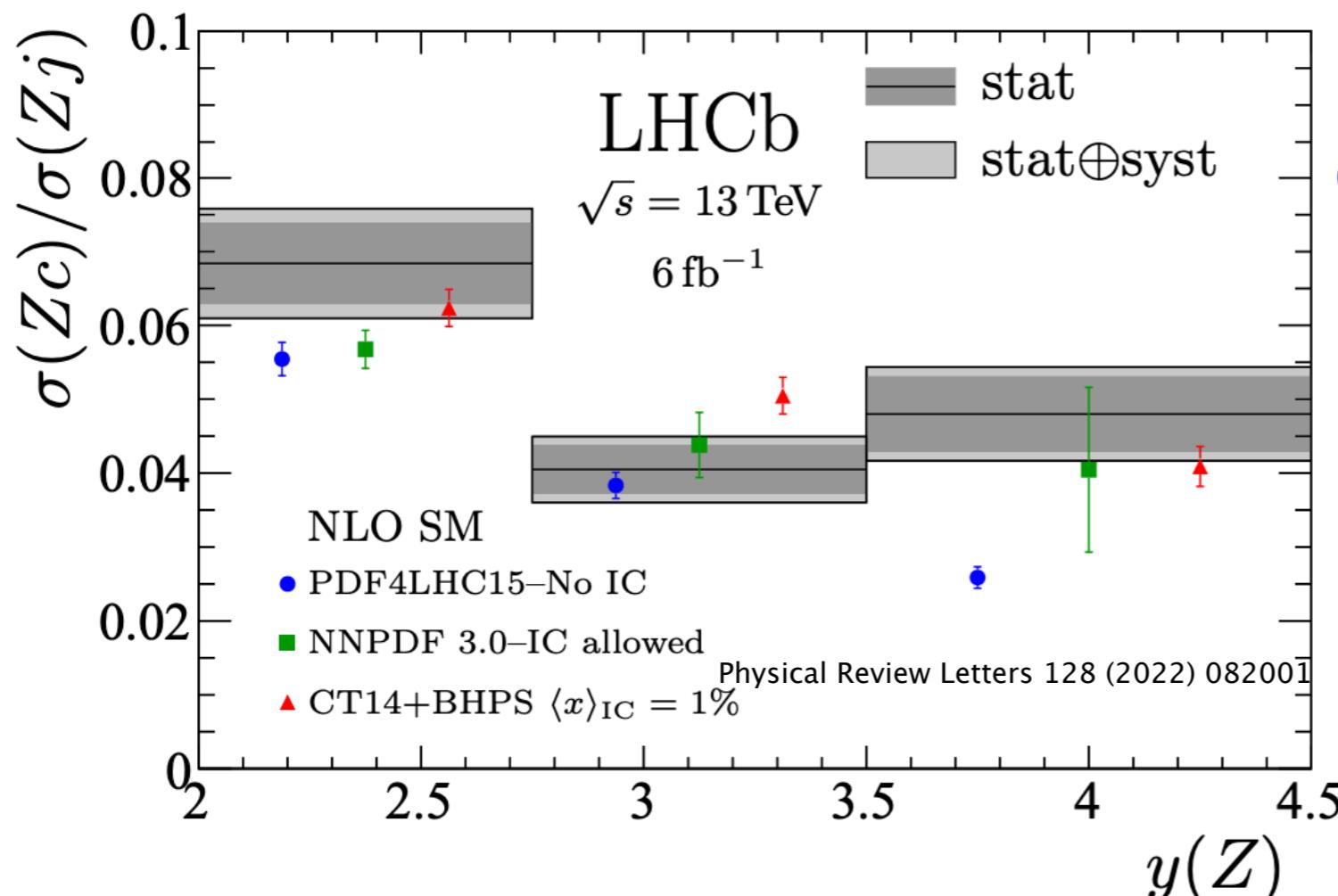
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First measurements of Zc jets in forward region



$$\mathcal{R}_j^c \equiv \sigma(Zc)/\sigma(Zj)$$



Prediction with no intrinsic charm

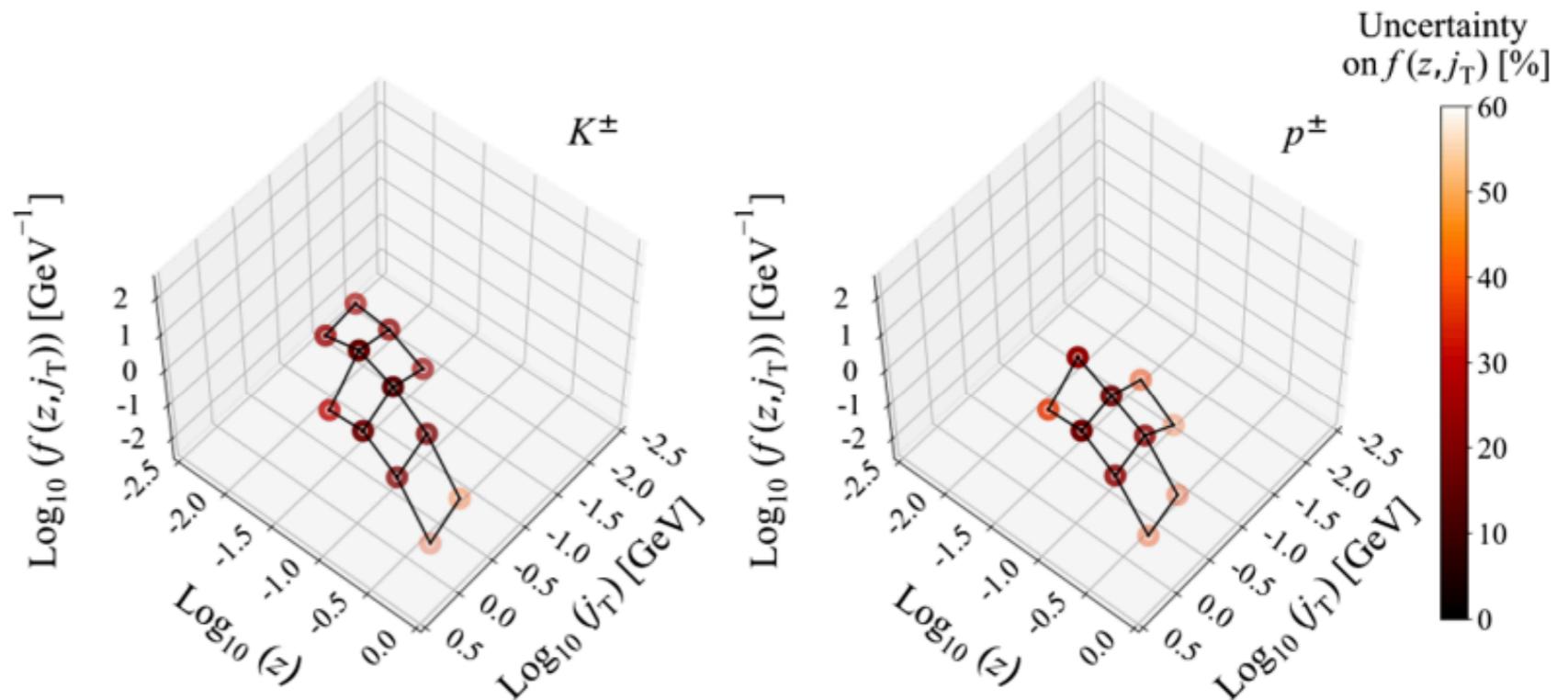
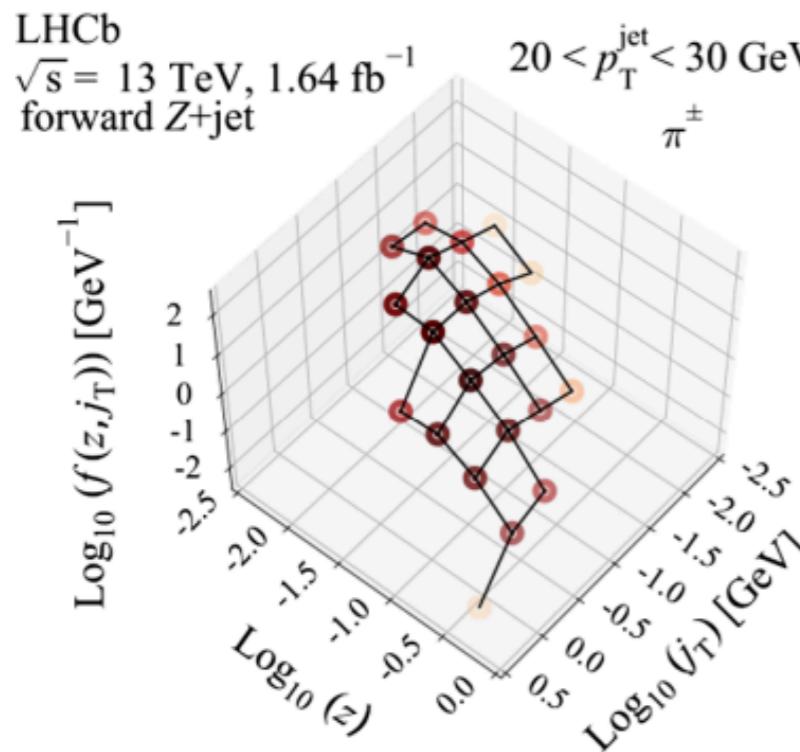
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Prediction with intrinsic charm,
mean momentum fraction 1%

Z-rapidity

Z-tagged jet fragmentation functions

$$z = \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\text{had}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}}}{|\mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}}|^2}, \quad j_{\text{T}} = \frac{|\mathbf{p}_{\text{had}} \times \mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}}|}{|\mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}}|} \quad f(z, j_{\text{T}}) = \frac{1}{N_{Z+\text{jet}}} \frac{dN_{\text{had}}(z, j_{\text{T}})}{dz dj_{\text{T}}}$$



PRD108, L031103 (2023)

- First measurement of jet fragmentation fractions for charged pions, kaons, and protons within jets recoiling against a Z boson.
- Charged-hadron distributions studied longitudinally + transversely to the jet direction for jets with transverse momentum $20 < p_{\text{T}} < 100$ GeV and in the pseudorapidity range $2.5 < \eta < 4$.

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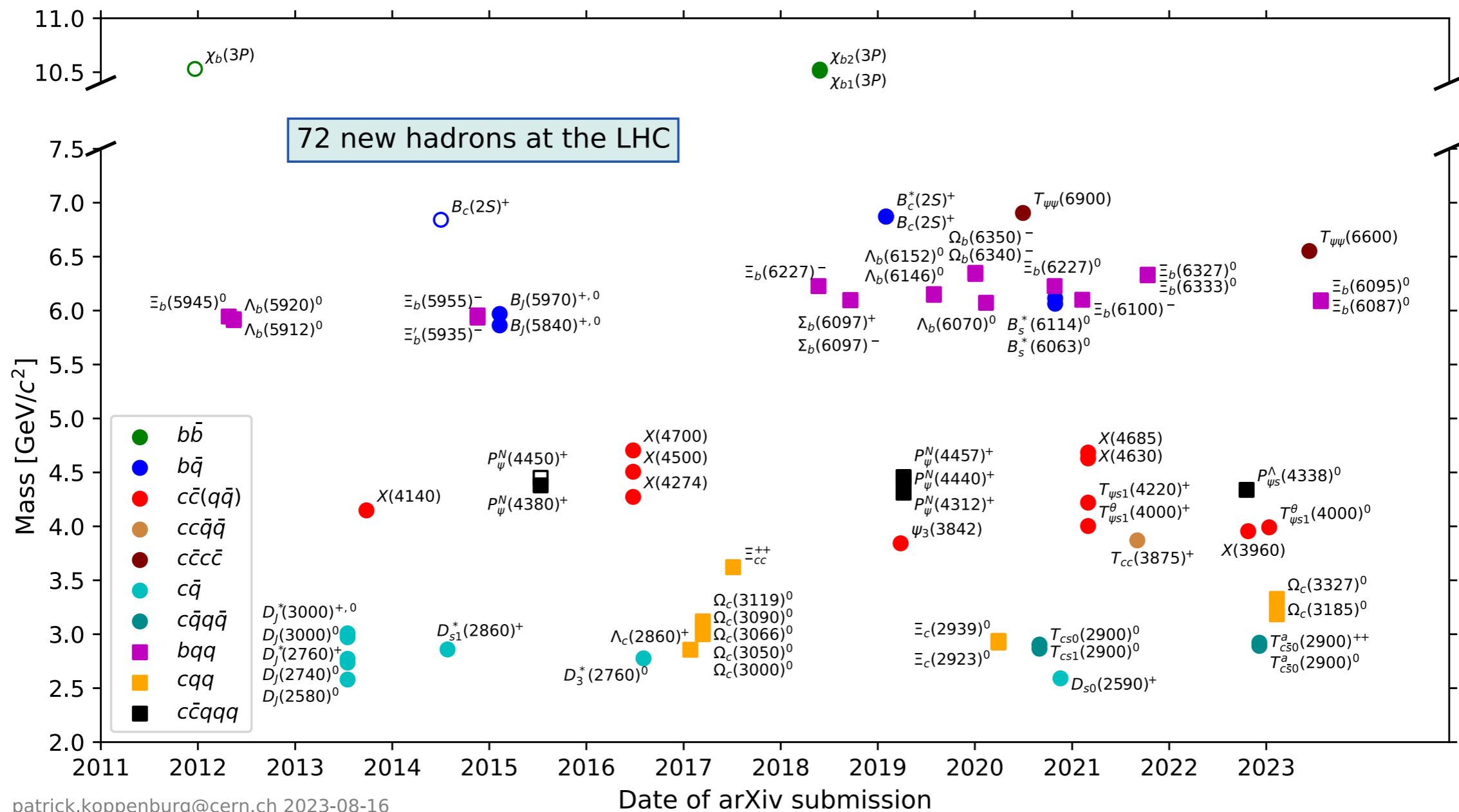
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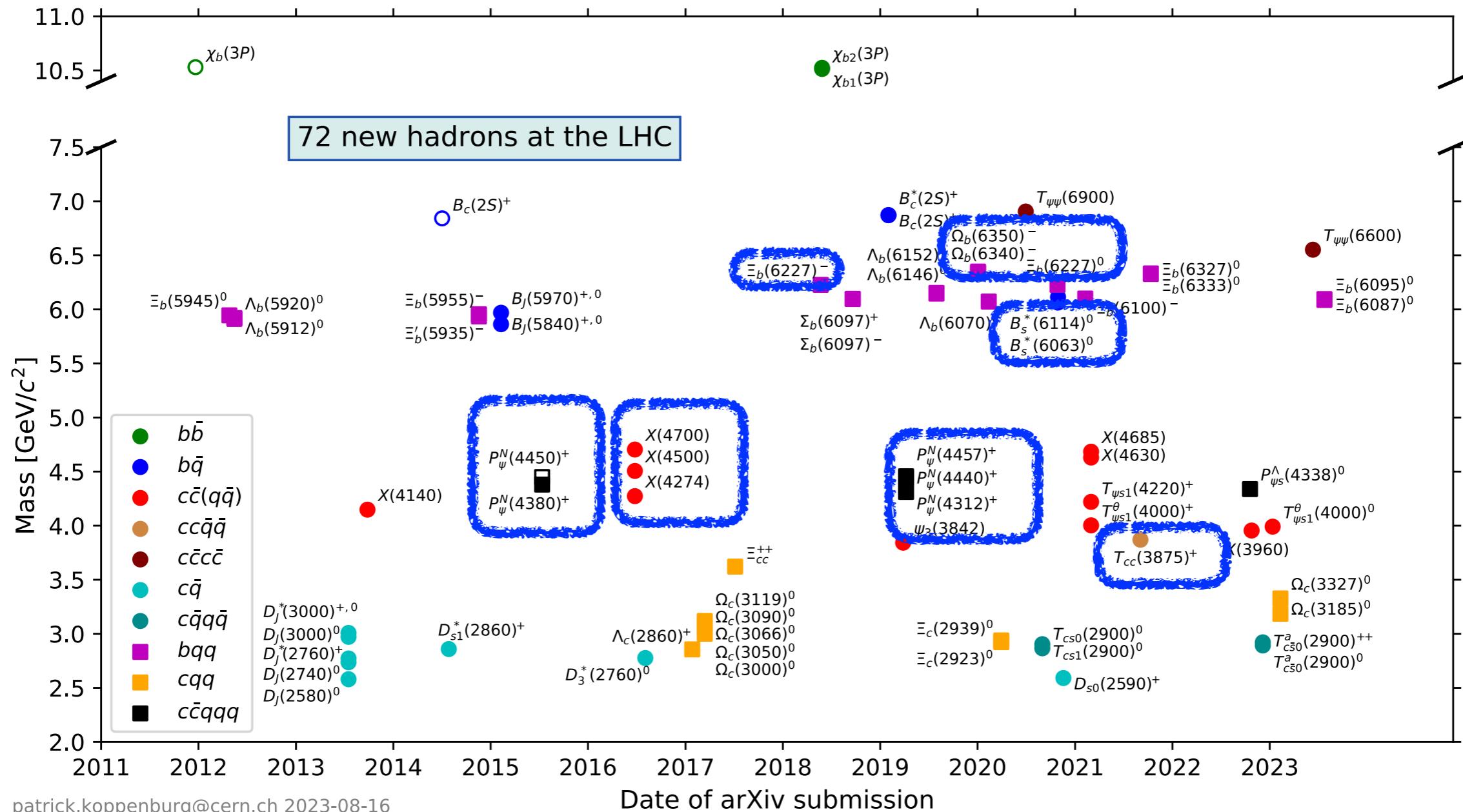
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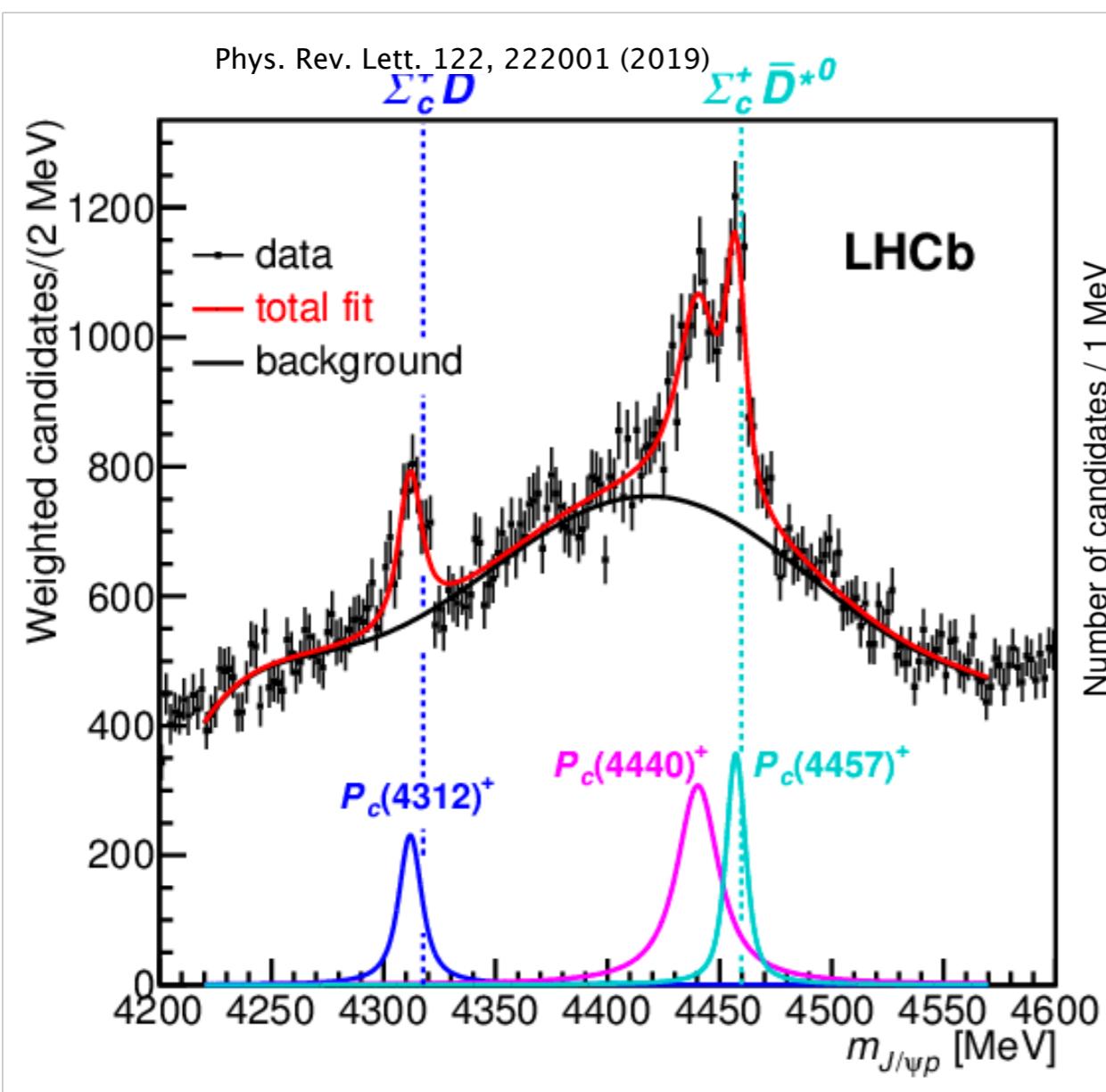


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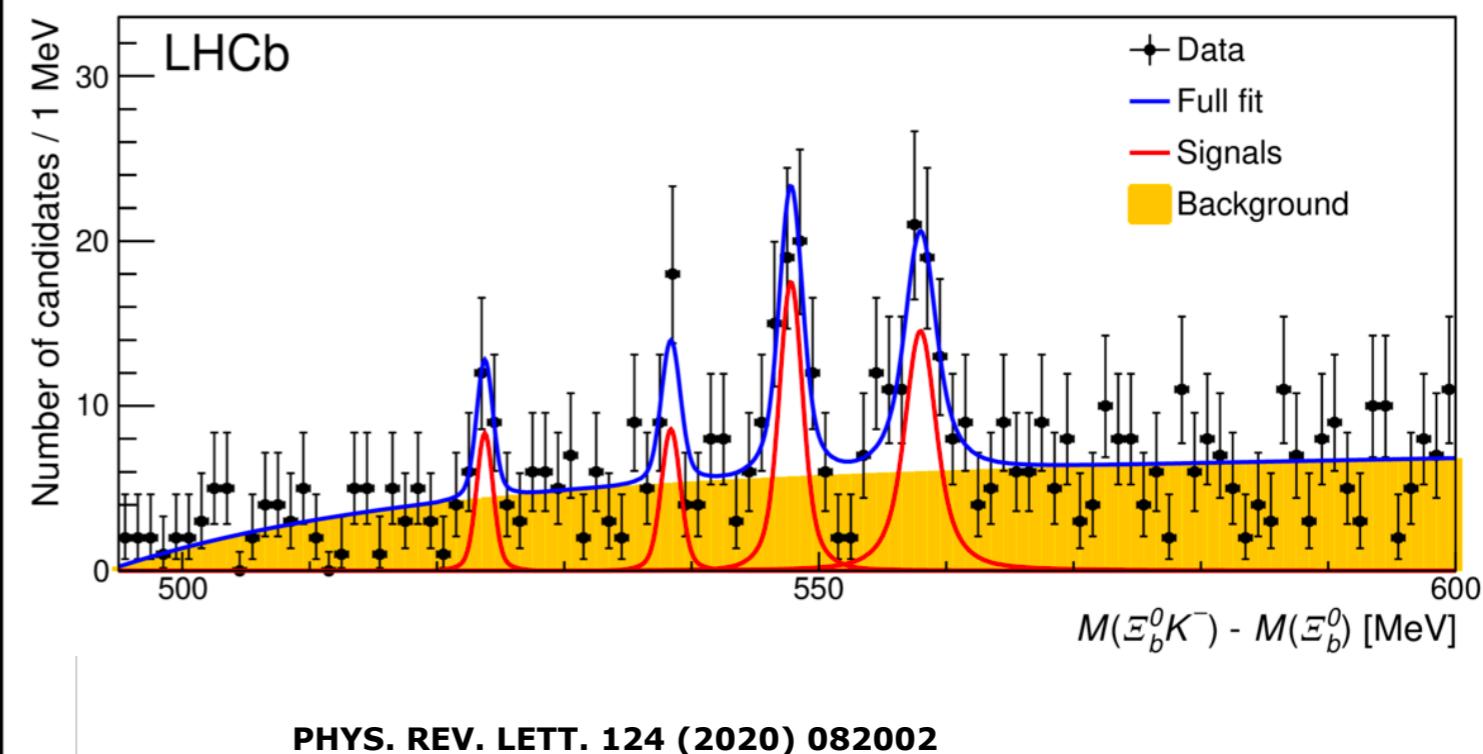


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Observation of new pentaquark states



Observations of four new excited Ω_b^- states



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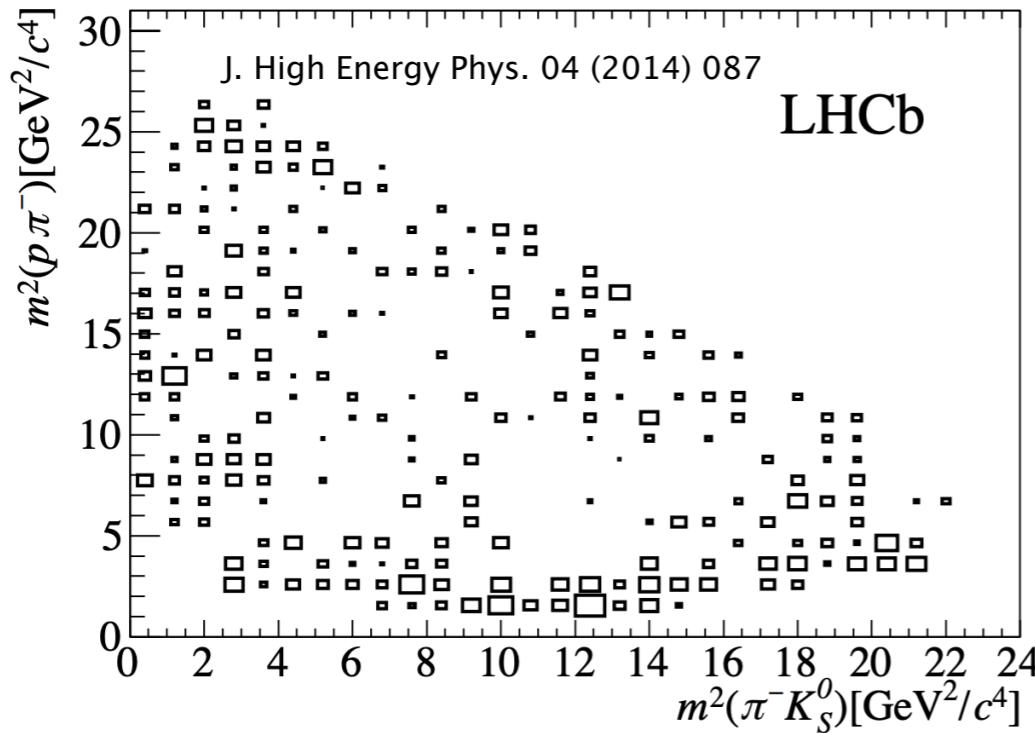
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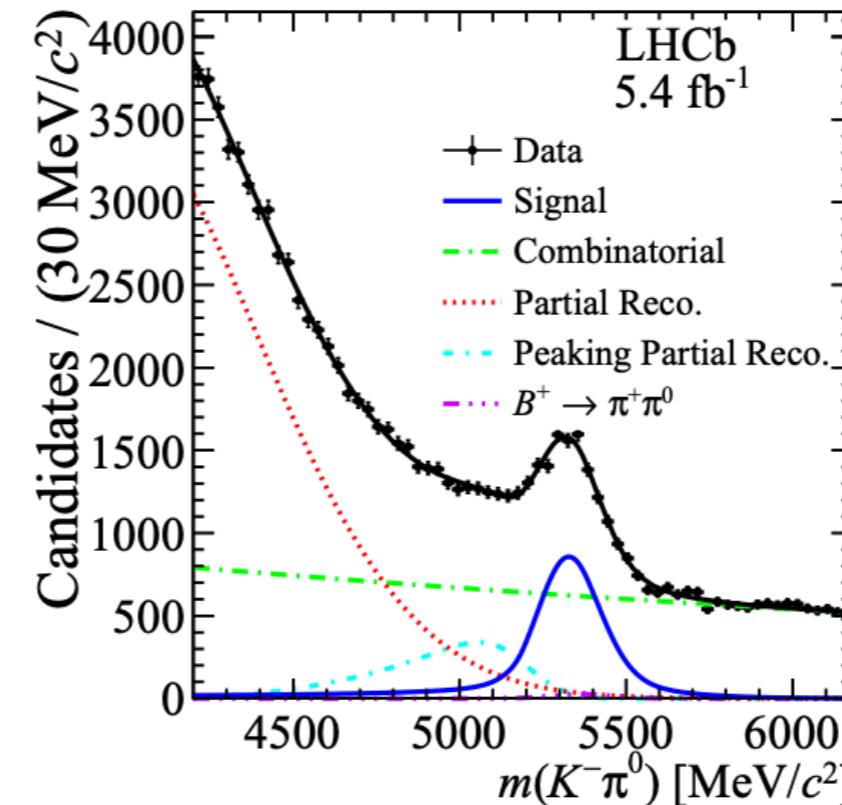
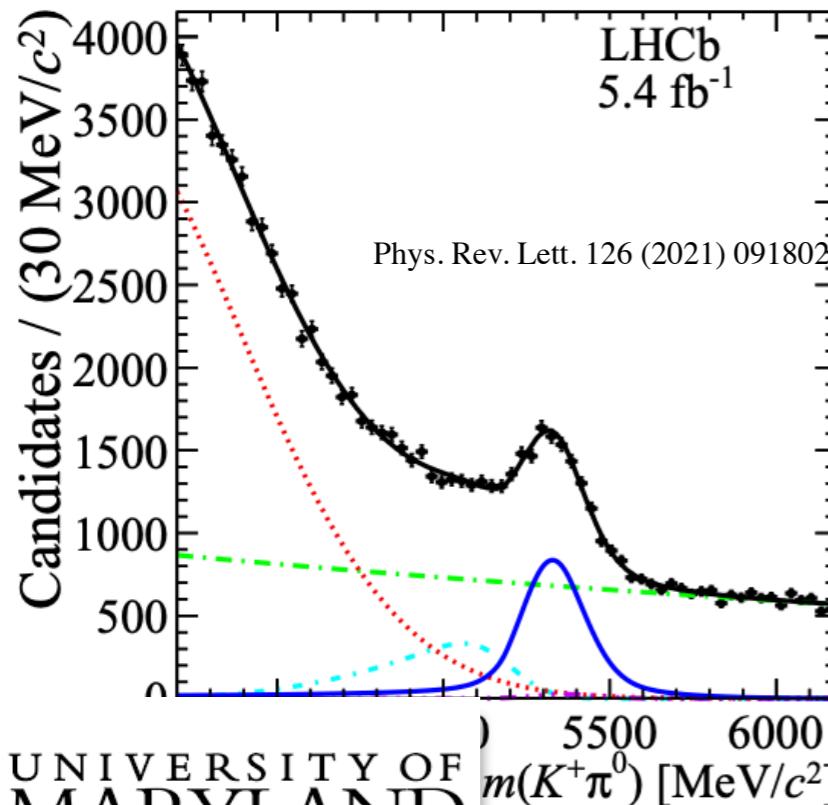
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Studies of $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 p \pi^-$
baryons via measurements
of integrated $A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma - \bar{\Gamma}}{\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma}}$



Most precise
measurement of
direction CP
asymmetry in
 $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0 \rightarrow K\pi$
puzzle

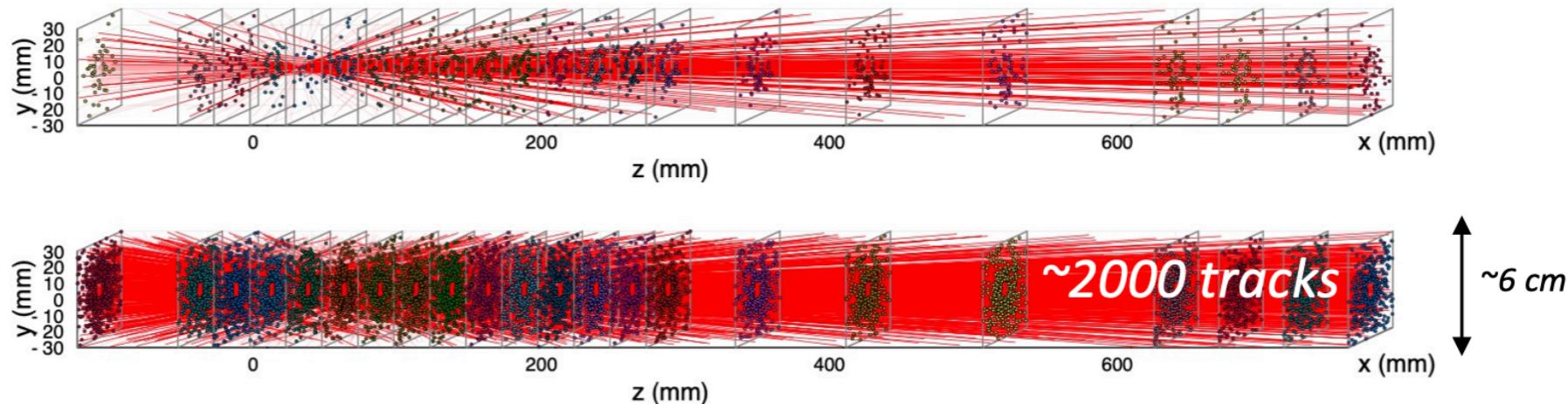
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Run 1&2	LS2	Run 3	LS3	Run 4	LS4	Run 5	LS5	Run ->
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2011-2018	2019-2021	2022-2024	2025-2027	2028-2030	2031	2032-2034	2035	2036->

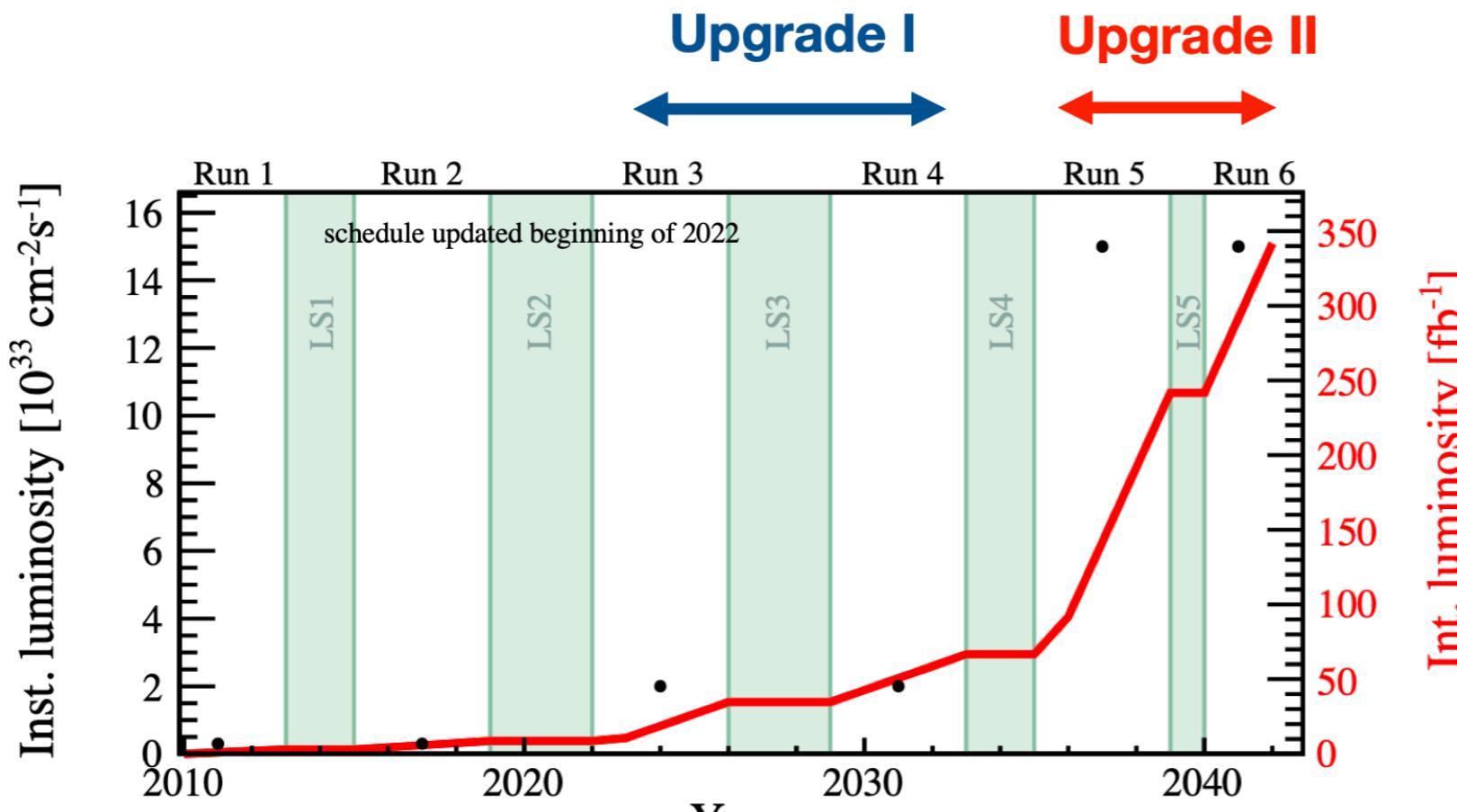
- By end of **Upgrade I** many observables will still be inaccessible or statistics-limited: **Upgrade II needed to realise full physics potential**
- **TDR for Upgrade II** released (2021), R&D programmed approved (2022), sub-detector TDRs expected ~ 2026
- Aiming for same performance as Run 3 but with ~40 (as opposed to ~6) pile-up (!)

VErtex LOcator (VELO)

Run 3: pile-up ~6



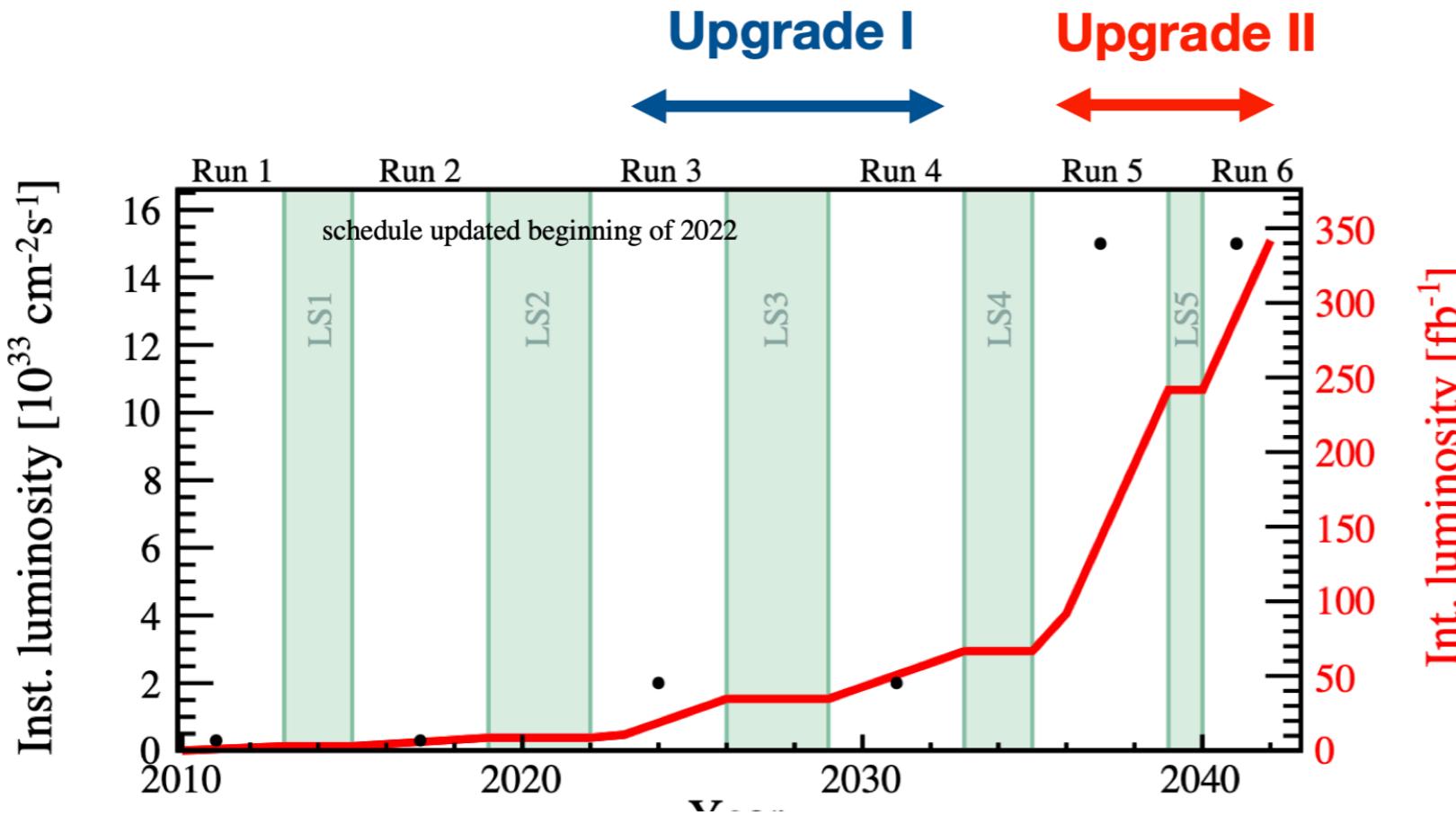
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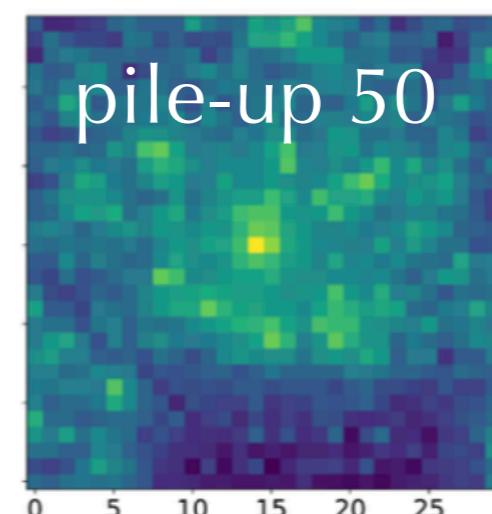
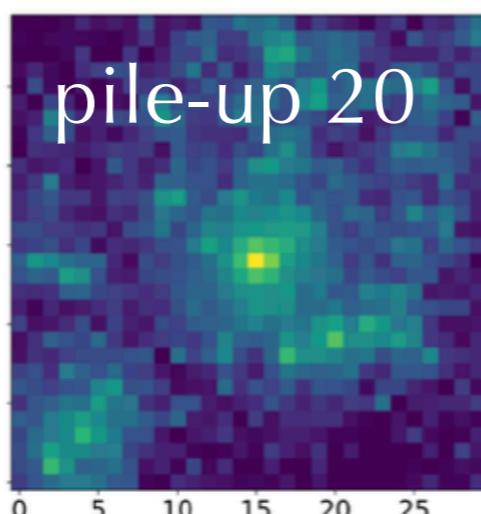
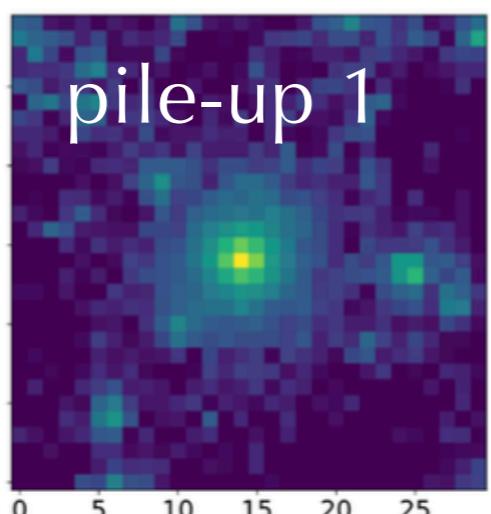
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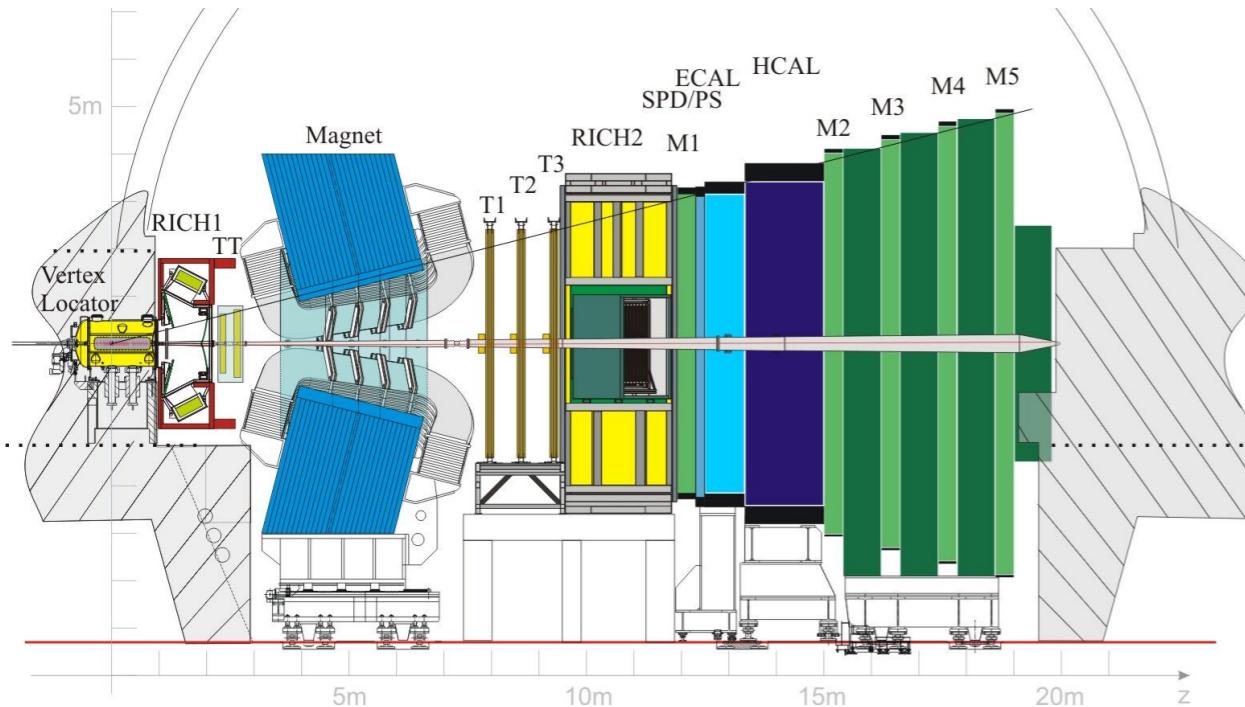
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- Likely only general purpose flavour-facility on this time-scale
- US-led effort for R&D into ECAL (Spaghetti Calorimeter with timing)

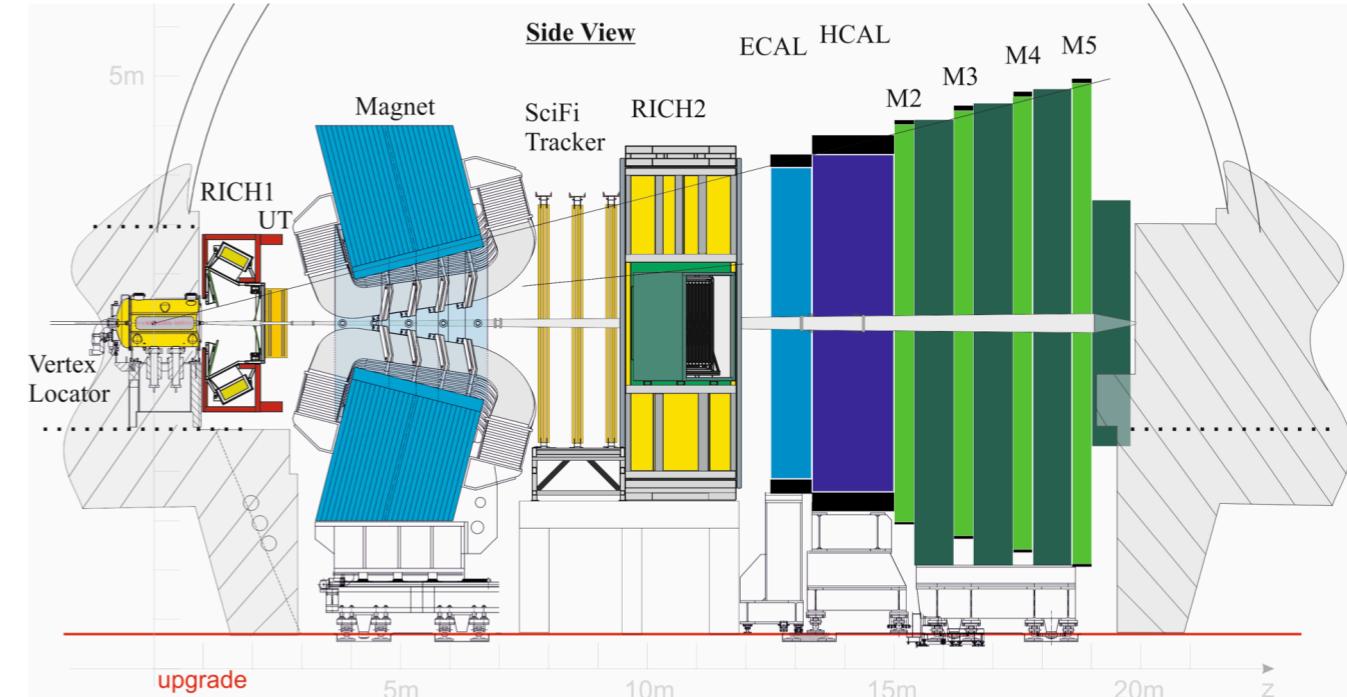
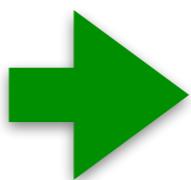


Conclusions



LHCb (2011-2018)

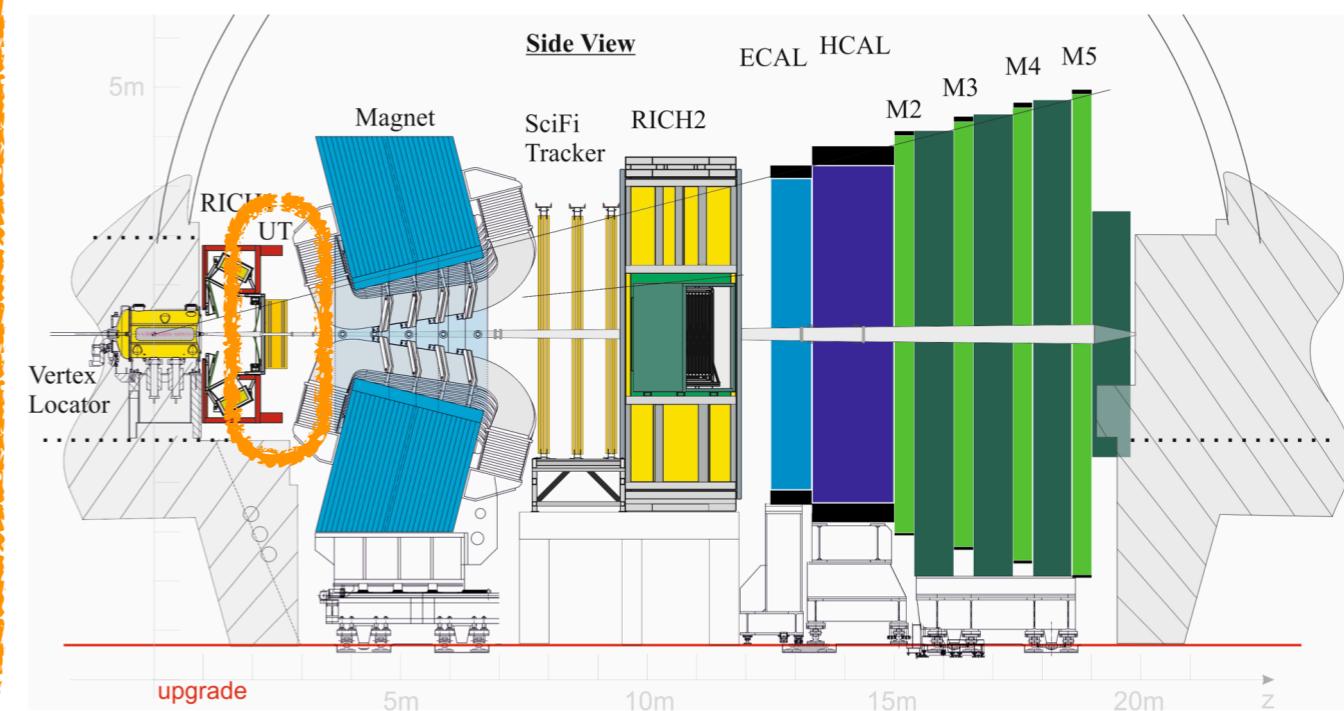
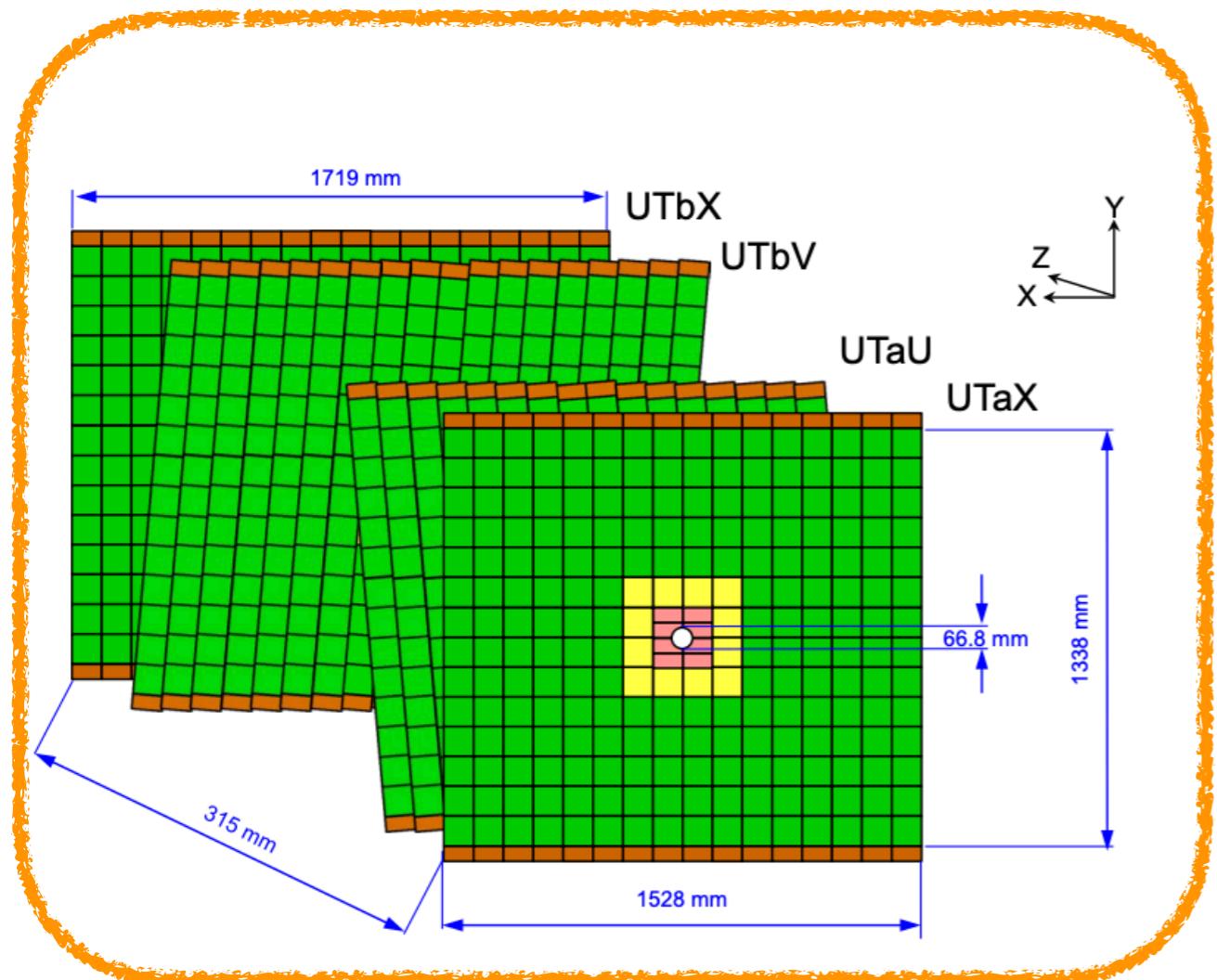
LHCb ‘original’ has surpassed expectations, producing leading results in wide range of physics programs (*many* not covered today)



LHCb Upgrade I (2022-2032)

Run 3 has started and commissioning is underway!
Expect significant gains from increased lumi + upgraded detector and trigger system

Upstream Tracker

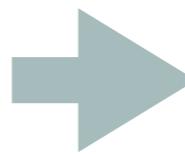


Silicon-strip detector sitting just before magnet

Longer lived particles decay past end of Velo, UT allows for their momentum to be measured + improves the track resolution of particles decaying inside velo

LHCb Upgrade I

- Lumi increase means that ~24% (2%) of events will have a reconstructable $c\bar{c}$ ($b\bar{b}$) pair



- Significant efficiency gains, particularly for low-PT hadrons + electrons

Signal	GEC	TIS -OR- TOS	TOS	GEC × TOS
$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$	88.9 ± 2.0	90.6 ± 2.0	88.8 ± 2.1	79.0 ± 2.6
$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} e^+ e^-$	84.2 ± 2.7	69.1 ± 3.8	61.7 ± 4.0	52.0 ± 3.8
$B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi \phi$	83.2 ± 2.6	75.8 ± 3.2	68.5 ± 3.5	57.0 ± 3.4
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$	82.5 ± 3.6	58.5 ± 5.1	42.6 ± 5.1	35.1 ± 4.5
$Z \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$	77.8 ± 1.2	99.5 ± 0.2	99.5 ± 0.2	77.4 ± 1.2

HLT1 (software trigger) selection efficiency