

Prospects for Rare Decays at Belle II

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Outline

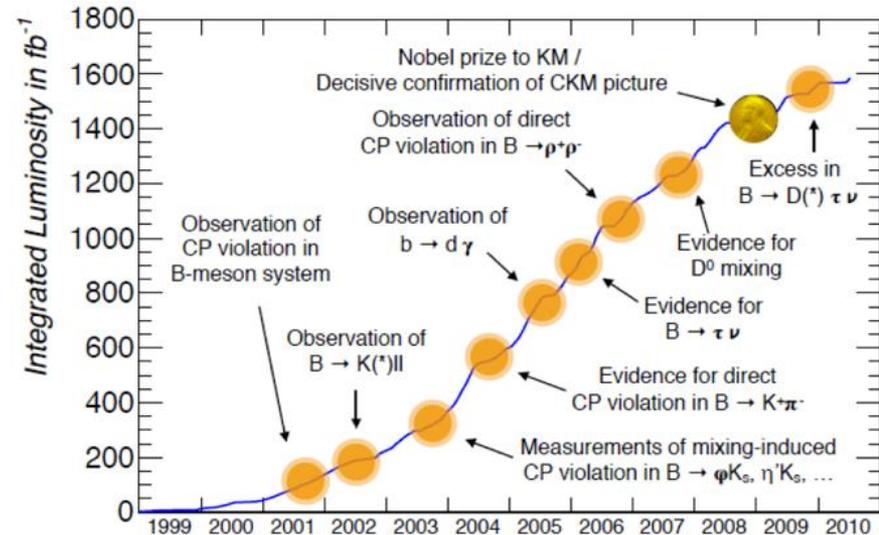
- Motivation and Introduction (Belle II and SuperKEKB)
- $b \rightarrow (s,d) \gamma$
- $b \rightarrow (s,d) l+l-$
- $b \rightarrow (s,d) \nu\nu$
- Double radiative decays
- Status and Summary

Motivation

Success of B-factories:

(Belle and BaBar) had a successful operational period with a total recorded sample over 1.5 ab^{-1} (1.25×10^9 B-meson pairs).

- Observation of CPV in B meson system and confirmation of CKM picture.
- Still room for NP.

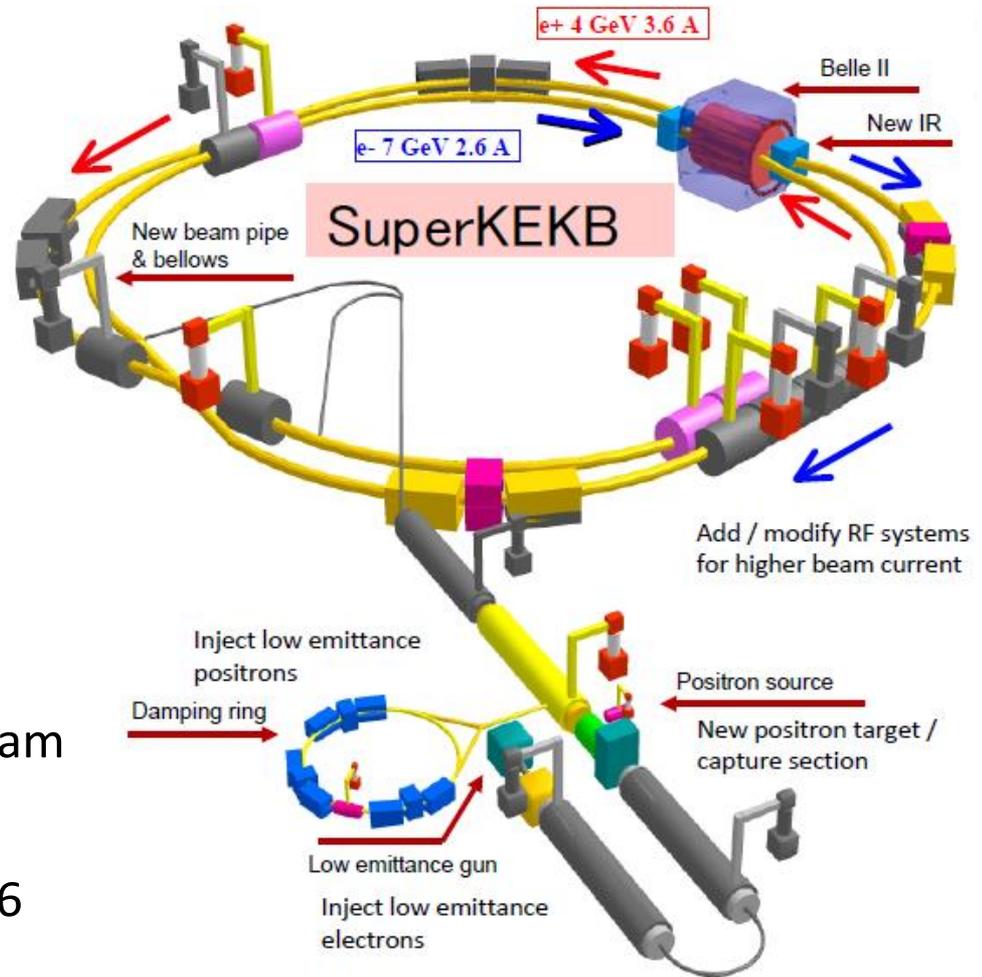


Advantages of SuperKEKB and Belle II

- Very clean sample of quantum correlated B-meson pairs.
- Low background environment \rightarrow efficient reconstruction of neutrals (π^0 , η , ..)
- Dalitz plot analyses, missing mass analyses straight-forward.
- Systematics quite different from those at LHCb. If true NP is seen by one of the experiments, confirmation by the other would be important.
- Belle II goal: to increase the sample sizes over what Belle has achieved by a factor of 50 ($> 5.0 \times 10^{10}$ B-meson pairs).

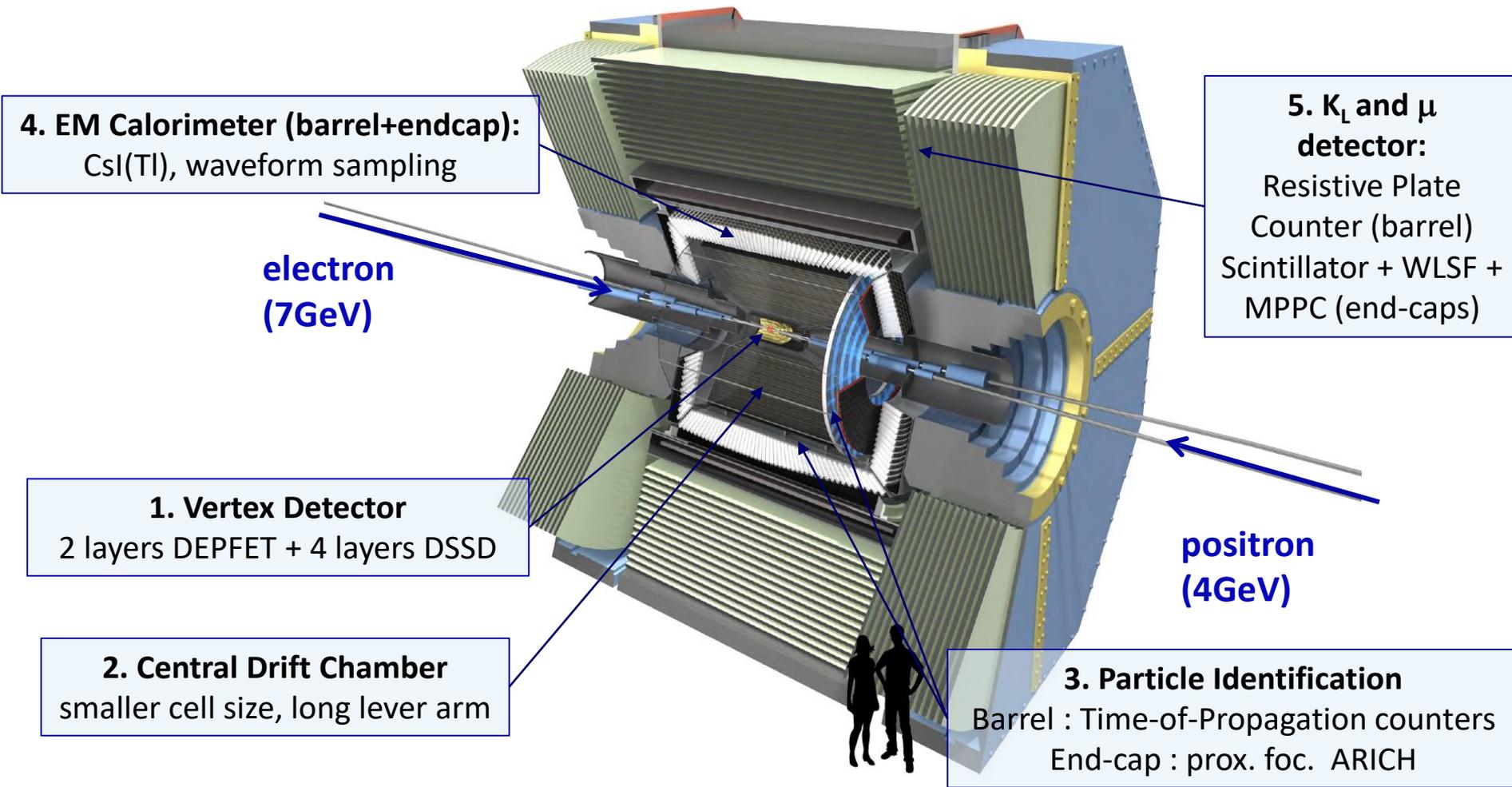
SuperKEKB

- Upgraded from KEKB
 - which is the world's highest luminosity e+e- machine.
- Design Luminosity : $8 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - 40 times larger than KEKB.
 - 20 times smaller beam size
 - 2 times larger beam current
 - Large number of upgrades to RF, magnet, vacuum, etc. systems
- Asymmetric energy : 7GeV(e-) \times 4GeV(e+)
 - Boost factor smaller to reduce beam background.
- Accelerator commissioning : June 2016 (successful.)
 - Phase 2: Starts in Nov 2017 (w/o vtx)
 - Phase 3 / Run 1: Fall 2018 (full det.)



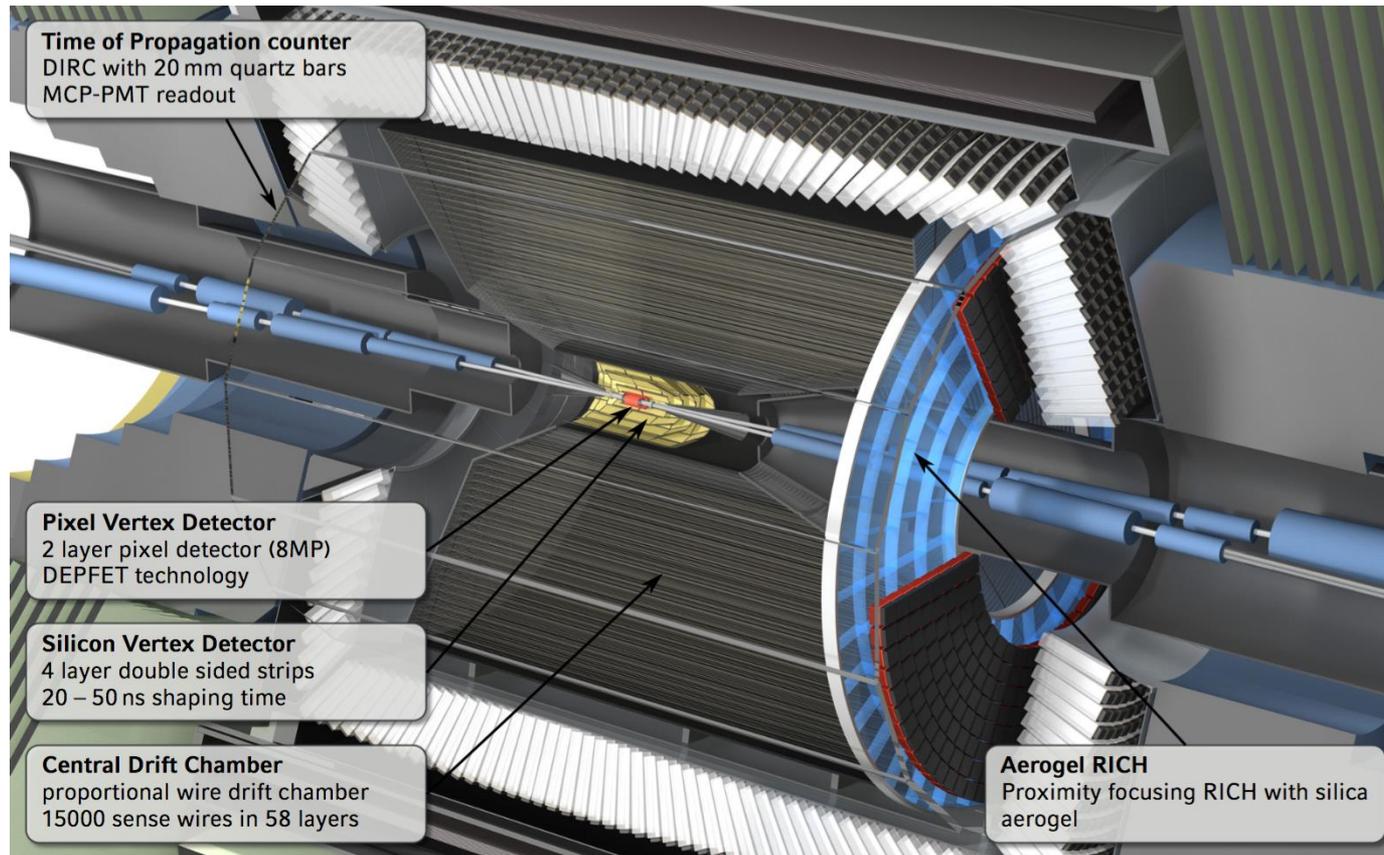
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Colored : newly installed

Belle II



- All sub-detectors are upgraded from Belle II:
 - Except for ECL crystals and a part of Barrel KLM

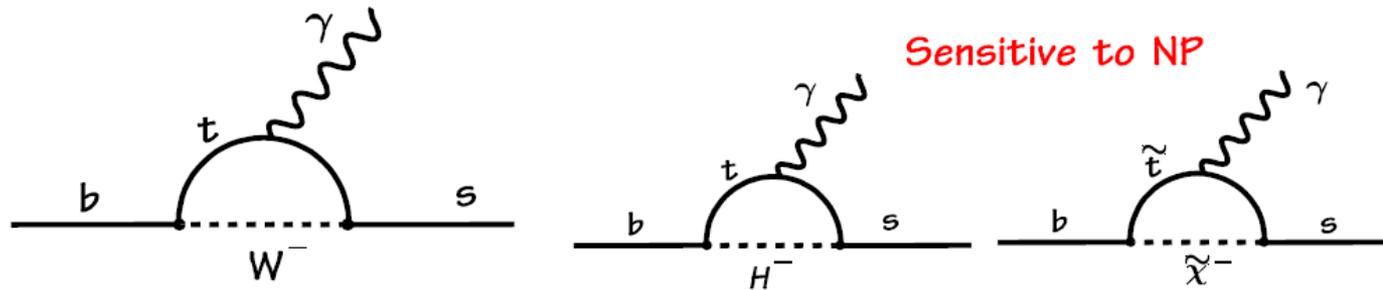
Belle II : a closer look



- First Pixel layer closer to IP → Better vertex resolution
- Larger Vertex Detector → Better K_s efficiency for TDCPV in $B \rightarrow K_s \pi^0 \gamma$
- TOP and ARICH provide better K/π separation.
- Similar or better performance than Belle even under 20 times higher backgrounds.

$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$

- The inclusive $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$ decays provide important constraints on masses and interactions of many possible BSM scenarios.



- The inclusive $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$ B.F. is sensitive to $|C_7|$ and in the new physics models such as 2HDM type II and SUSY.
- Very precise prediction is available (for the CP- and isospin-averaged branching ratios) for $E_\gamma > 1.6$ GeV :

$$\mathcal{B}_{s\gamma}^{\text{SM}} = (3.36 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-4} \quad \mathbf{6.8\% \text{ precision}}$$

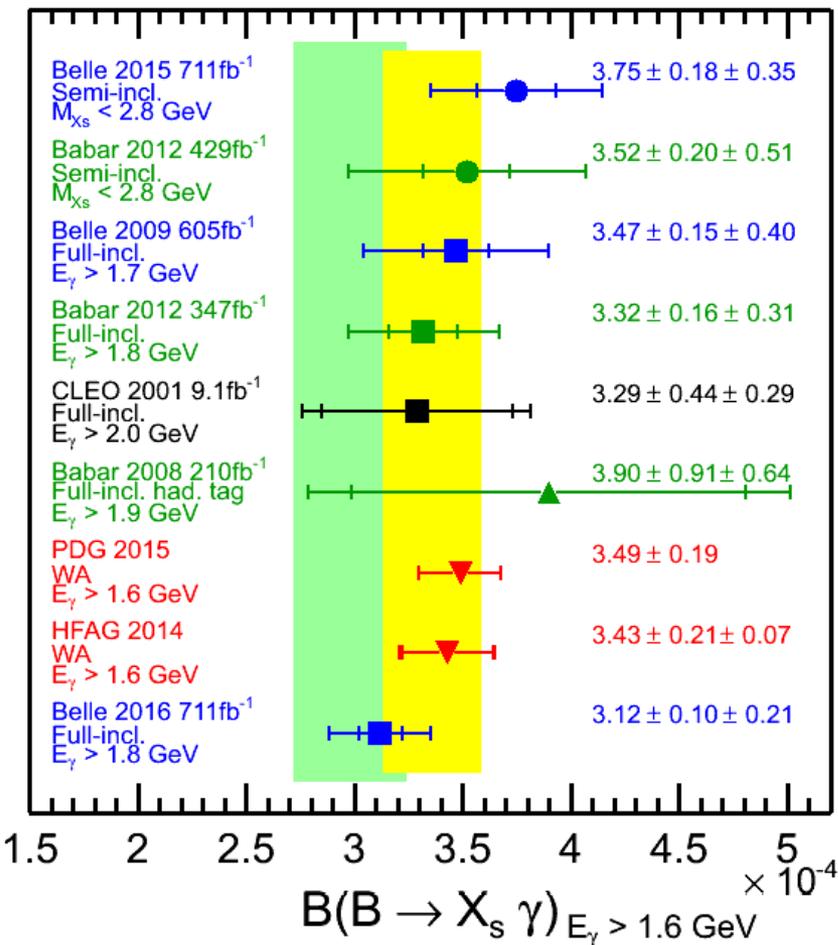
$$\mathcal{B}_{d\gamma}^{\text{SM}} = (1.73_{-0.22}^{+0.12}) \times 10^{-5}$$

(Misiak et. al PRL 114, 221801 (2015))

$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$

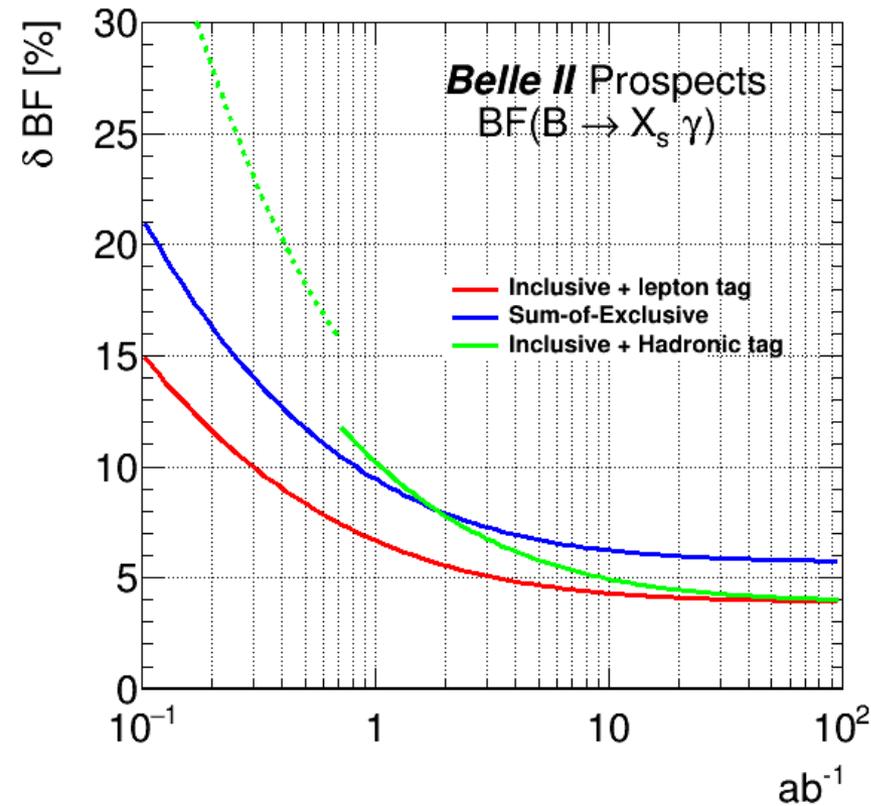
Becher et al 2007
 2.98 ± 0.26

Misiak et al 2015
 3.36 ± 0.23



- Exp. and theory are consistent – puts a strong limit on new physics.
- Evaluation of constraint on BSM scenario depends crucially on both the central value and the uncertainties on the B.F.
 (Misiak et. al PRL 114, 221801 (2015))
- The newest Belle result with fully inclusive method has only 7.3% uncertainty.
 → Charged Higgs mass > 580 GeV at 95% CL

$$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$$



- Mission at Belle II is to reduce the systematic uncertainty with huge data.
- Conservatively estimated, 3.9% total error will be reachable with 50 ab^{-1} which is comparable to uncertainty due to non-perturbative effect (which is hard to reduce) in theory. [Misiak et. al PRL 114, 221801 (2015)].
- We can also measure the BF with $E_\gamma > 1.6 \text{ GeV}$ (w/o extrapolation).

$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$: Rate Asymmetry

- In addition to BFs, asymmetry in decay rates (isospin asym. and CP asym.) are also sensitive to BSM contributions.

- Isospin asymmetry (IA) can be defined as:

$$a_I^{\bar{0}^-} = \frac{c_V^2 \Gamma(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{V}^0 \gamma) - \Gamma(B^- \rightarrow V^- \gamma)}{c_V^2 \Gamma(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{V}^0 \gamma) + \Gamma(B^- \rightarrow V^- \gamma)} \quad \text{for } c_{\rho^0}^2 = 2 \text{ and } c_{K^*}^2 = 1$$

- To accumulate more statistics, CP-averaged IAs can be defined as: $\bar{a}_I = (a_I^{\bar{0}^-} + a_I^{0+})/2$

$$\bar{a}_I^{SM}(K^* \gamma) = (4.9 \pm 2.6)\% \quad \bar{a}_I^{exp}(K^* \gamma) = (5.2 \pm 2.6)\%$$

$$\bar{a}_I^{SM}(\rho \gamma) = (5.2 \pm 2.8)\% \quad \bar{a}_I^{exp}(\rho \gamma) = (30_{-16}^{+13})\%$$

PRD 88 (2013), 094004

HFAG 2015

slight tension with
considerable uncertainty

- The observable with reduced uncertainty $\delta_{a_I} = 1 - \frac{\bar{a}_I(\rho \gamma)}{\bar{a}_I(K^* \gamma)} \sqrt{\frac{\bar{\Gamma}(B \rightarrow \rho \gamma)}{\bar{\Gamma}(B \rightarrow K^* \gamma)} \left| \frac{V_{ts}}{V_{td}} \right|}$

$$\delta_{a_I}^{SM} = 0.10 \pm 0.11$$

$$\delta_{a_I}^{exp} = -4.0 \pm 3.5 \rightarrow \text{Can be improved at Belle II with more statistics.}$$

The sensitivity of δ_{a_I} to BSM physics has been studied in PRD 88 (2013), 094004 in a model-independent fashion

$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$: Rate Asymmetry

- The direct CP asymmetry in the time-integral rates is defined as:

$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{X}) - \Gamma(B \rightarrow X)}{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{X}) + \Gamma(B \rightarrow X)}$$

- SM predicts quite different asymmetries for $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ and $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_d \gamma$.

$$A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma) = (+0.44_{-0.14}^{+0.24}) \times 10^{-2}$$

$$A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_d \gamma) = (-10.2_{-5.8}^{+3.3}) \times 10^{-2}$$

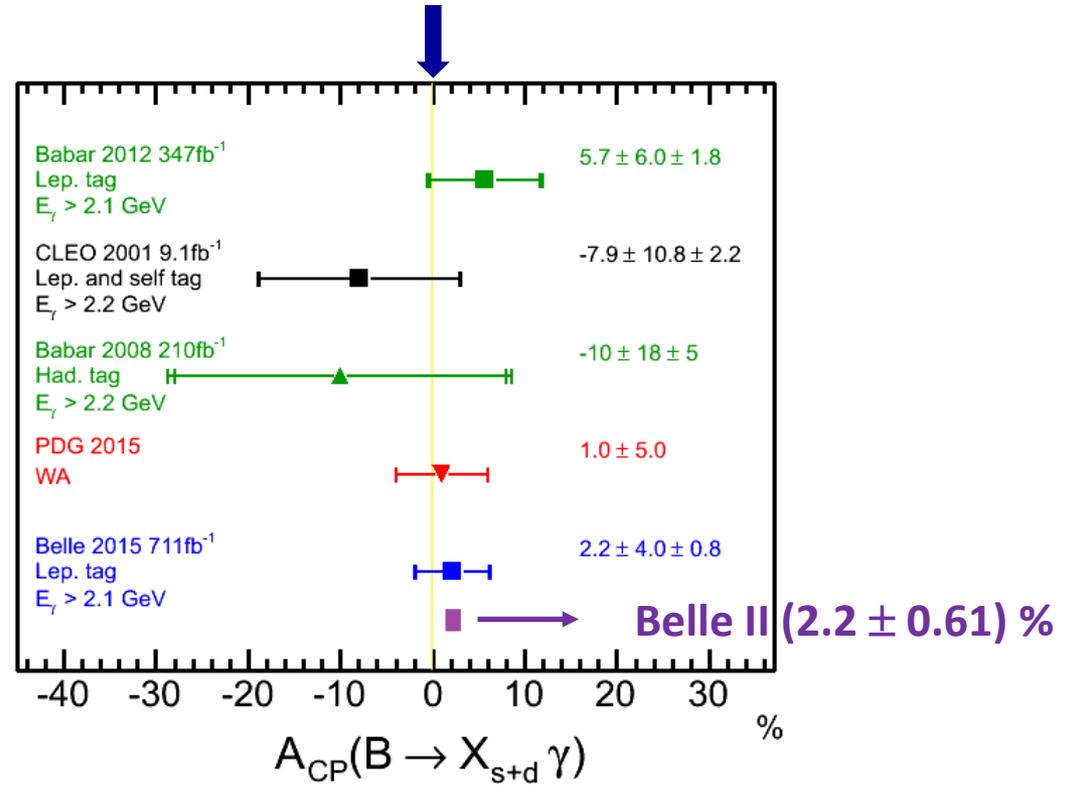
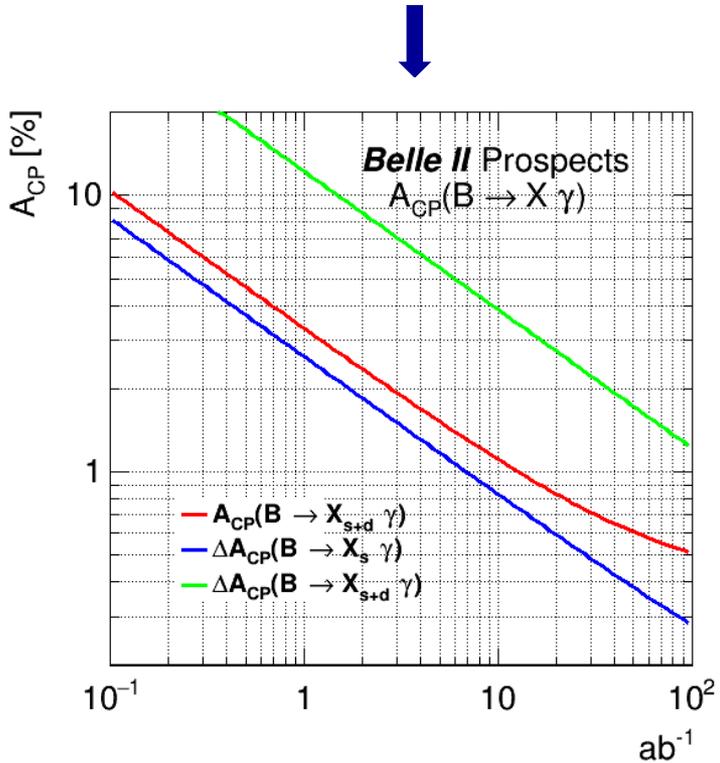
- However, the sum of $b \rightarrow s \gamma$ and $b \rightarrow d \gamma$ is predicted to be very small (close to zero, thanks to the unitarity of the CKM matrix).
- Further, difference of $A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)$ between charged and neutral B mesons ΔA_{CP} is sensitive to phases in C_7 and C_8 .
 - In the SM, phases in C_7 and C_8 are zero $\rightarrow \Delta A_{CP} = 0$.
- If either is deviated from null, clear NP signal!

Theory refs:

T. Hurth, E. Lunghi and W. Porod, Nucl.Phys. B704 (2005) 56–74, M. Benzke et. al, PRL 106, 141801 (2011)

$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_q \gamma$: Rate Asymmetry

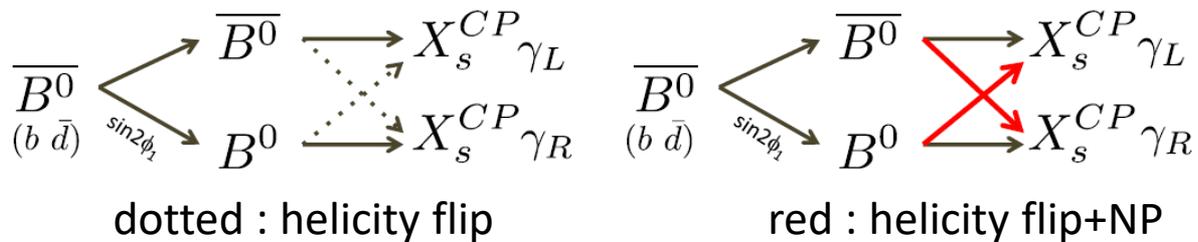
- In asymmetry (difference) measurements, most of systematic error cancels out, so both are still statistically dominated at Belle II with 50 ab^{-1} .
- Uncertainty in A_{CP} to be $\pm 0.61\%$ $\rightarrow 3.4\sigma$ if the central value not change



- Uncertainty in ΔA_{CP} to be $\pm 0.37\%$ $\rightarrow 13.5\sigma$ if the central value not change [from BaBar's measurement $\Delta A_{CP}(X_s \gamma) = +(5.0 \pm 3.9 \pm 1.5)\%$ [Belle II : $+(5.0 \pm 0.37)\%$]

Time dependent CPV

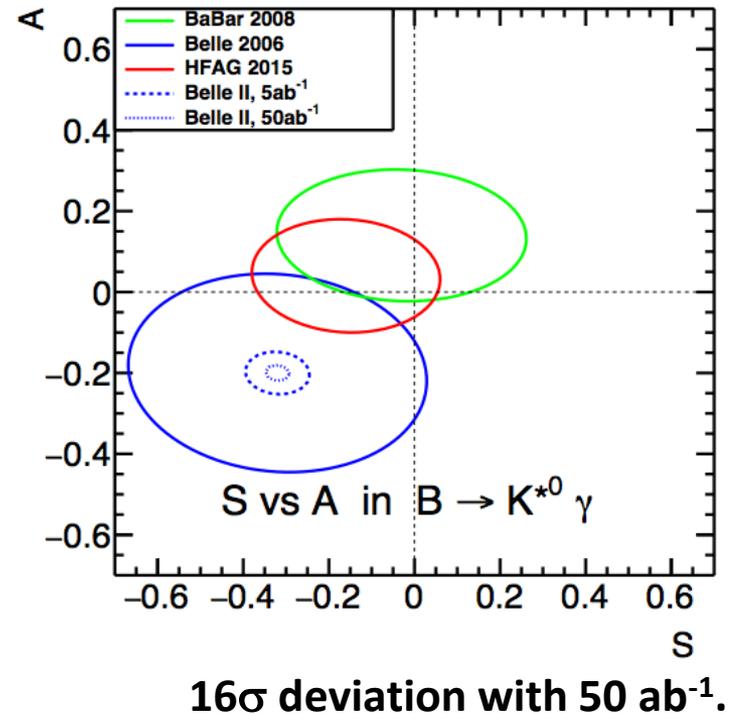
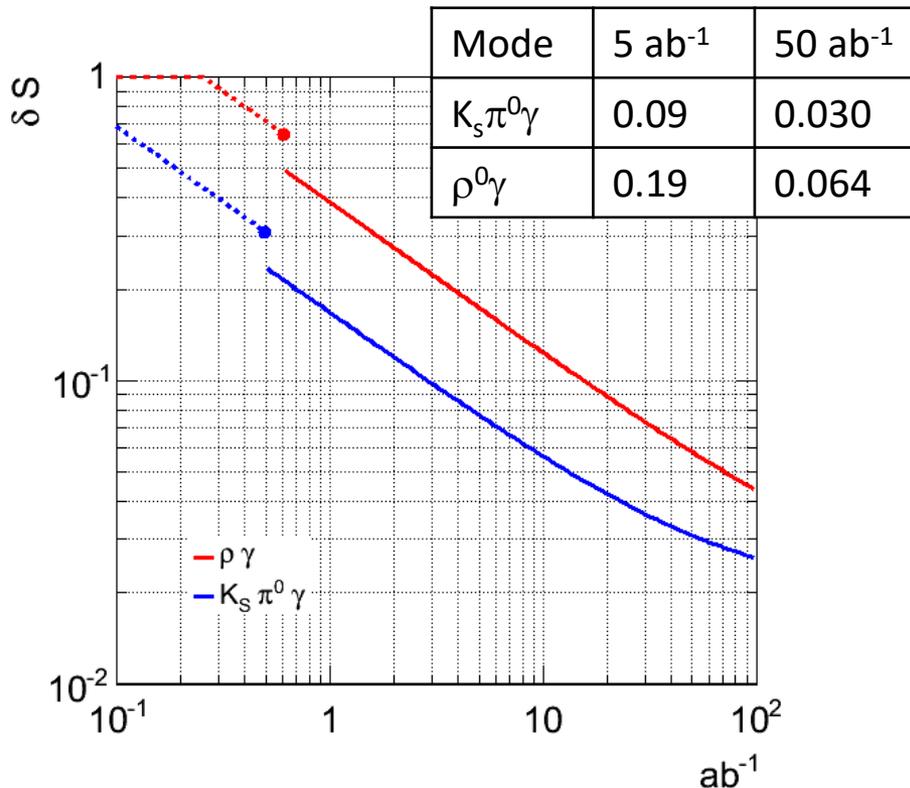
- Mixing-induced CP asymmetry in an exclusive $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ CP eigenstate mode such as $B \rightarrow K^*(K_s\pi^0)\gamma$ is an excellent probe for particular class of NP scenario.
- In the SM, expected asymmetry $|S_{CP}| \approx \frac{2m_s}{m_b} \sin(2\phi_1) \sim$ a few %.



- New physics with right handed current increases the fraction of right handed photon.
 - Interfere with the SM occurs and **large TDCPV possible**
- Studies of these asymmetries are thus considered to be one of the most promising methods to search for non-SM right-handed currents

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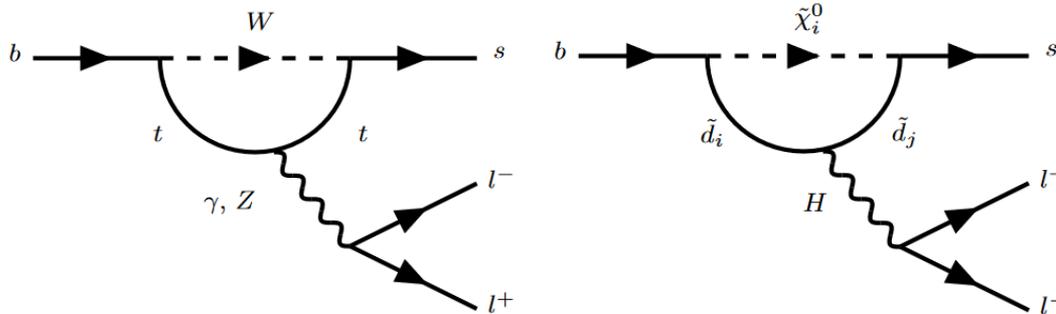
- At Belle II, significant improvement in the determination of $A_{CP}(t)$ in $K_S\pi^0\gamma$ is expected.
 - Belle II vertex detector is larger than Belle (6cm → 11.5cm).
 - 30% more Ks with vertex hits available.
 - Effective tagging efficiency is 13% better (conservative estimation).
- Expected errors for S measurements of $K_S\pi^0\gamma$ and $\rho^0\gamma$.



R(K), R(K*), R(Xs)

Ratio of $B \rightarrow K\mu\mu$ and $B \rightarrow Kee$

- $B \rightarrow Kll$ proceeds via one loop diagram, and LU holds in SM.

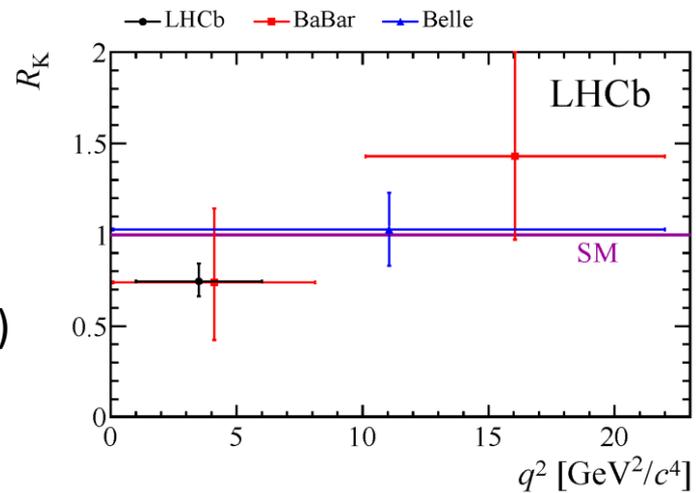


- LHCb reported 2.6σ deviation of ratio of BFs from unity.

$$R(K) = 0.745_{-0.074}^{+0.090} \pm 0.036$$

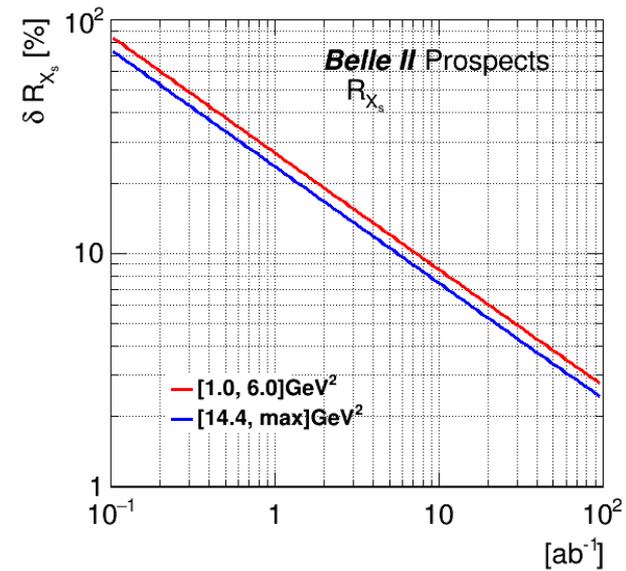
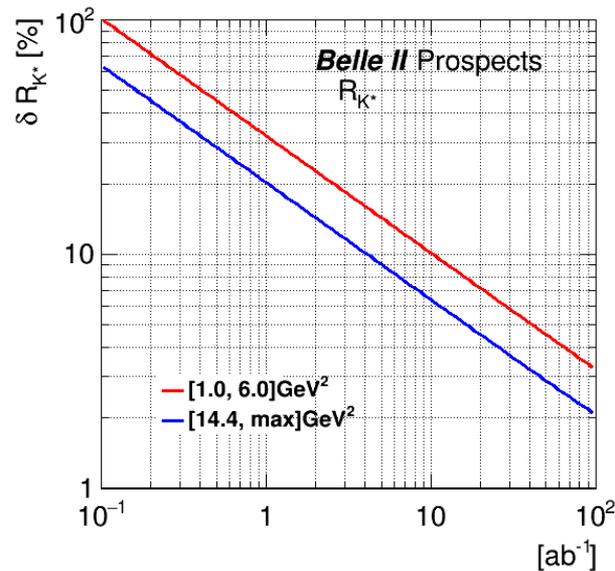
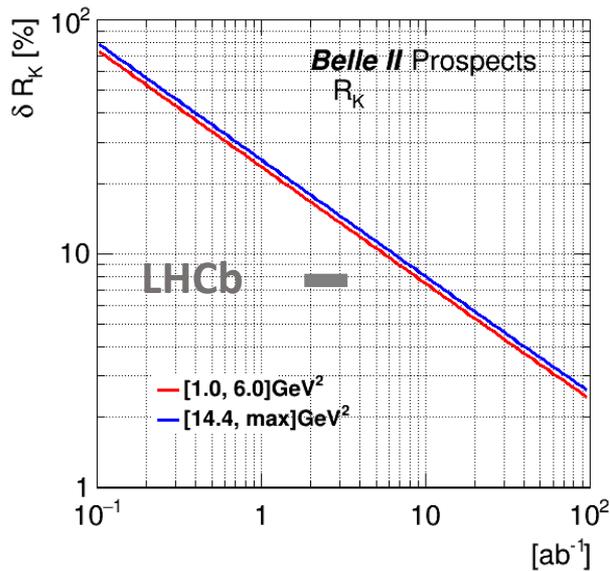
PRL 11, 151601 (2014)

- However electron mode is challenging at LHCb, especially for high q^2 .
- At Belle II:
 - electron and muon modes have similar efficiency.
 - Both low and high q^2 regions are possible.
 - All ratios $R(K)$, $R(K^*)$, $R(X_s)$ are possible.

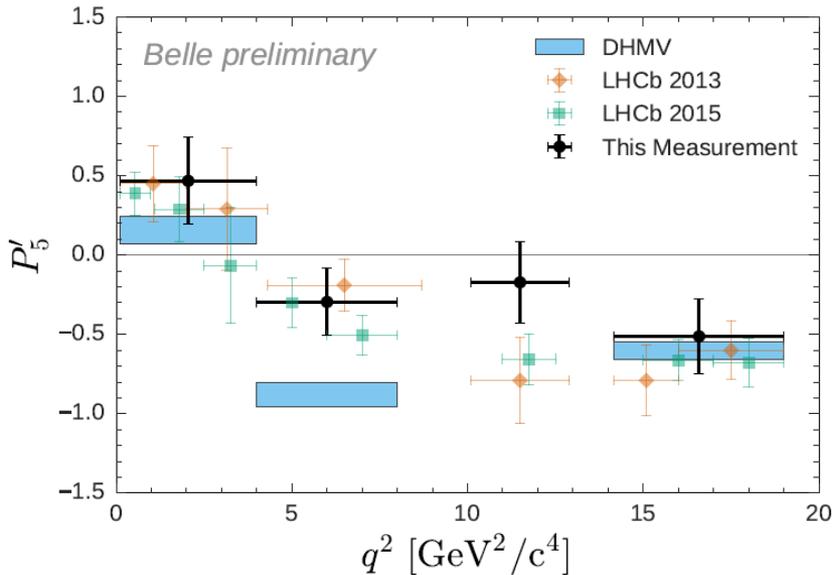


$R(K)$, $R(K^*)$, $R(X_s)$

The errors reach to 0.04 for all K , K^* and X_s modes in Belle II.
Errors are still statistical dominant (systematic error $\sim 0.4\%$)



Angular Analysis $B \rightarrow K^* l^+ l^-$ (at Belle II)



Angular Analysis of $B \rightarrow K^* l^+ l^-$

- ▶ Demonstrated that Belle can make a contribution to the $b \rightarrow sl^+l^-$ puzzle
- ▶ Found **2.6 σ deviation** from the Standard Model prediction
- ▶ Shows P'_5 anomaly is unlikely to be a statistical fluctuation
- ▶ **No significant lepton flavor non-universality is found**

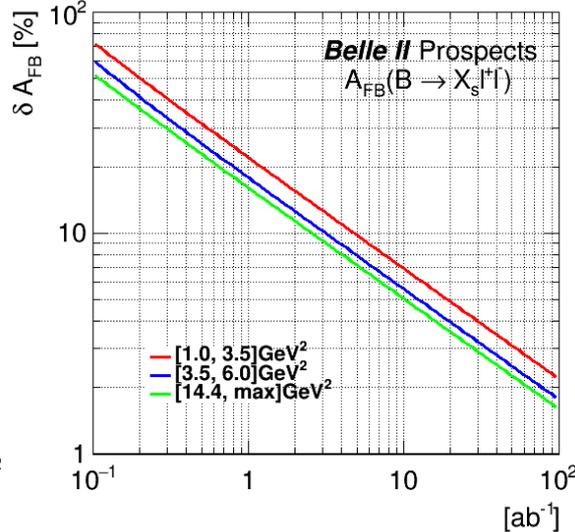
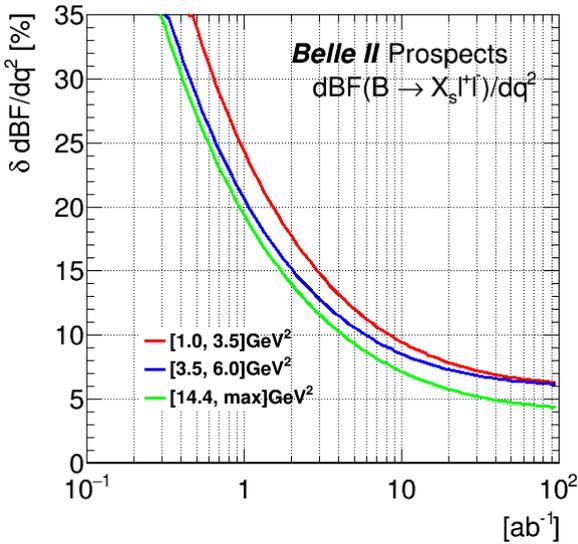
See Simon Wehle's talk in this conference

- Belle II and LHCb will be comparable for this process.
- electron mode more efficiently
- Belle II will be also be able to do isospin comparison (K^{*0} , K^{*+} or ground states K).

q^2 (GeV^2c^{-4})	Belle	LHCb (3 fb^{-1})	Belle II
0.1 – 4	0.416	0.109	0.059
4 – 8	0.277	0.099	0.040
10.09 – 12	0.344	0.155	0.049
14.18 – 19	0.248	0.092	0.033

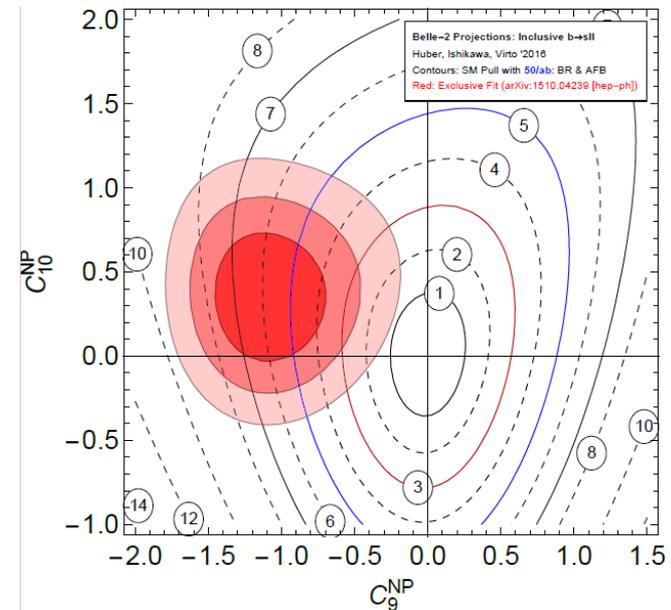
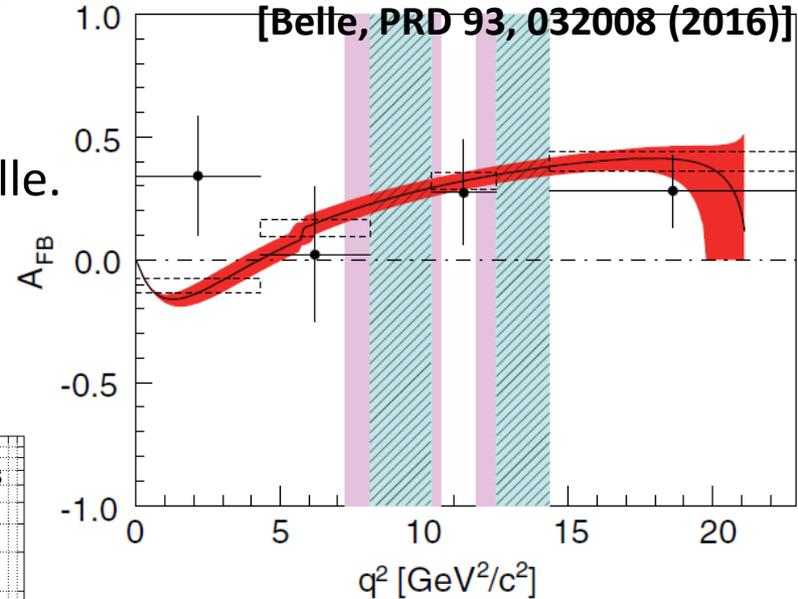
$B \rightarrow X_s |^+ |^-$

- Inclusive measurement is theoretically cleaner than exclusive.
- Measurement of BF and A_{FB} in $B \rightarrow X_s |^+ |^-$ at Belle.
- Sum-of-exclusive method is utilized.
- Tension in low q^2 region.
- Measurement can be improved at Belle II.



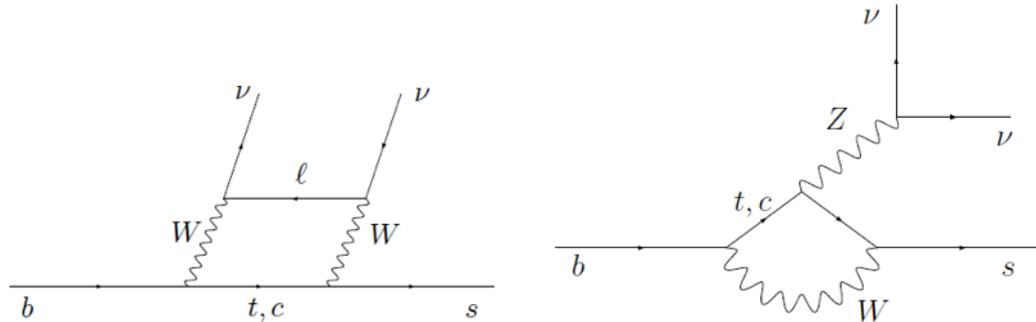
- Decay amplitude can be expressed in terms of C_7 , C_9 , and C_{10} .
- Precise theory prediction available.

T. Huber, J. Virto, A. Ishikawa →



$b \rightarrow s \nu \bar{\nu}$

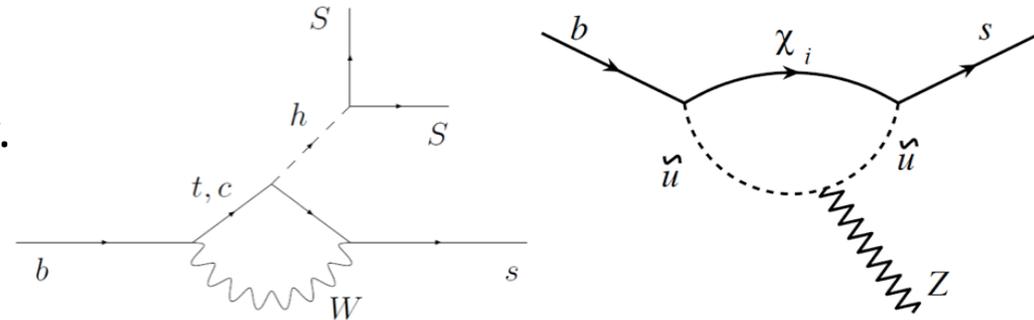
In the SM:



- SM predictions ([1] JHEP 02 184, 2015) updated BELLE2-MEMO-2016-007[2] [D M Straub]

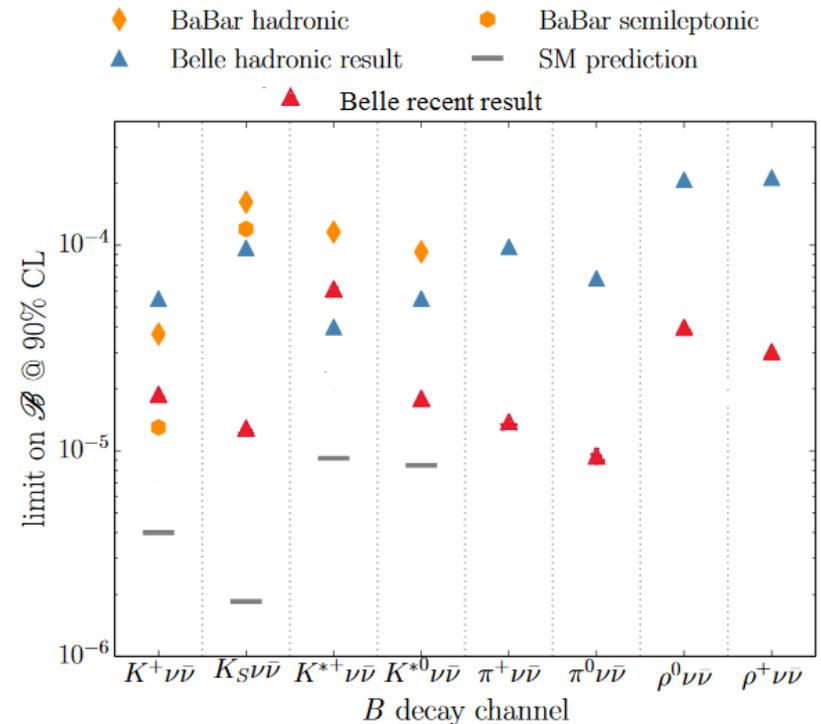
Mode	\mathcal{B} [10^{-6}] Ref. [2]	\mathcal{B} [10^{-6}] Ref. [1]
$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$	$3.98 \pm 0.43 \pm 0.19$	4.68 ± 0.64
$B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$	$1.85 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.09$	2.17 ± 0.30
$B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \nu \bar{\nu}$	$9.91 \pm 0.93 \pm 0.54$	10.22 ± 1.19
$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \nu \bar{\nu}$	$9.19 \pm 0.86 \pm 0.50$	9.48 ± 1.10

- NP scenario can be tested:
 - Non- standard Z-coupling
 - New sources of missing energy.



$b \rightarrow s\nu\bar{\nu}$: Belle II prospects

- Belle very recently updated $b \rightarrow (s,d) \nu\bar{\nu}$ measurement.
(See P.Goldenzweig's talk in this conference)
- Brighter prospects for Belle II to observe this decay.
- Belle II extrapolation based on previous Belle measurement (hadronic tag)
Phys.Rev.D87 111103 (2013) [BELLE2-MEMO-2016-008].
- Assumes 100% more had. tag eff. and 30% more K_s reco. eff.



we are estimating the sensitivities

Mode	\mathcal{B} [10^{-6}]	Efficiency	$N_{\text{Backg.}}$		$N_{\text{Sig-exp.}}$		Statistical error	Total Error
			Belle	Belle II	Belle	Belle II		
$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu\bar{\nu}$	4.68	5.68	21	2960	3.5	245	20%	22%
$B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \nu\bar{\nu}$	2.17	0.84	4	560	0.24	22	94%	94%
$B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \nu\bar{\nu}$	10.22	1.47	7	985	2.2	158	21%	22%
$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \nu\bar{\nu}$	9.48	1.44	5	704	2.0	143	20%	22%
$B \rightarrow K^* \nu\bar{\nu}$ combined							15%	17%

(We can include semileptonic tagging)

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- Major upgrade at KEK represents an essentially new experiment:
 - Many detector components and electronics replaced, software and analysis also improved.
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Double-radiative B decays

$B_q \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$:

SM prediction

$$\text{Br}(B_s \rightarrow \gamma \gamma)_{\text{SM}} \in [0.5, 3.7] \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\text{Br}(B_d \rightarrow \gamma \gamma)_{\text{SM}} \in [1.0, 9.8] \times 10^{-8}$$

Bosch and Buchalla, JHEP 08 (2002) 054

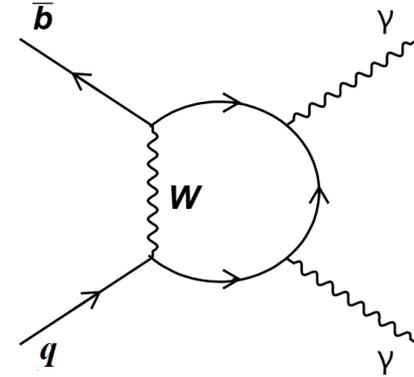
Exp. situation

$$\text{Br}(B_s \rightarrow \gamma \gamma)_{\text{exp}} < 3.1 \times 10^{-6}$$

[Belle, PRD 91, 011101 (2015)]

$$\text{Br}(B_d \rightarrow \gamma \gamma)_{\text{exp}} < 3.2 \{6.2\} \times 10^{-7}$$

BaBar, PRD 83, 032006 (2011)
 {Belle, , PRD 73, 051107 (2006)}



- With the above comparison, Belle II will be able to discover $B_d \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$ with the anticipated 50 ab^{-1} at $\Upsilon(4S)$.
- Furthermore, in an appropriately large data at $\Upsilon(5S)$ $B_s \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$ can be observed.

$B \rightarrow X_s \gamma \gamma$:

- $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma \gamma$ decays are suppressed by $\alpha_s/4\pi$ compared to $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$.

$$\text{Br}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma \gamma)_{\text{SM}}^{\epsilon=0.02} = (1.7 \pm 0.7) \cdot 10^{-7}$$

Asatrian et al., PRD 93, 014037 (2016)

should be observable at Belle II.

- Measurements of the double-radiative decay mode would allow to put bounds on 1PI type corrections.
- One can study more complicated distributions like, double differential rate ($d^2\Gamma/dE_1 dE_2$) and forward backward asymmetry \rightarrow sensitive to BSM physics.