

Measurement of $\sin 2\beta$ by BaBar

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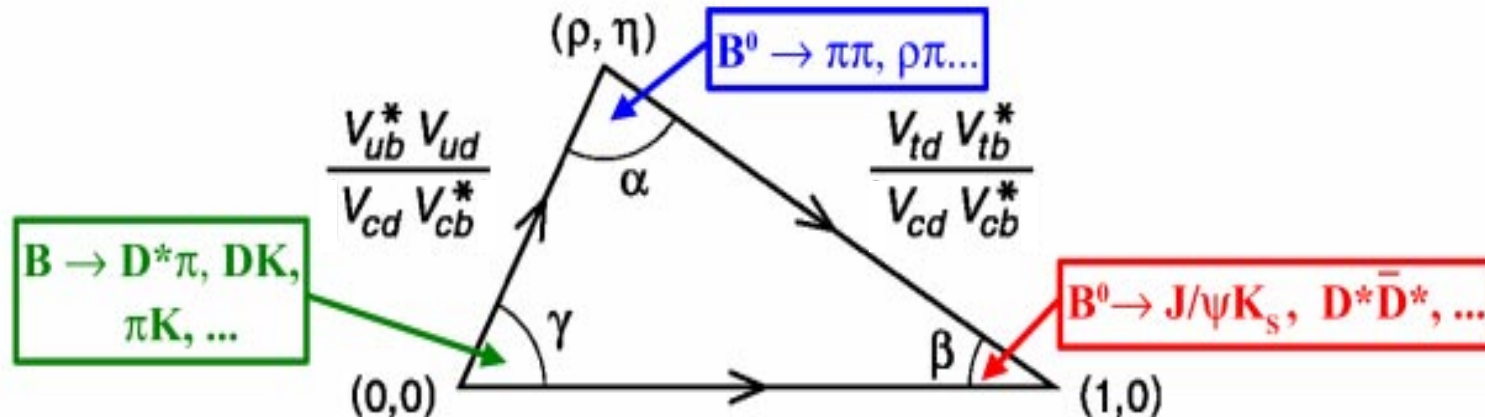
CP violation in the Standard Model

CP violation arises from **single phase in CKM matrix**

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

Unitarity of V implies eg. $V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$

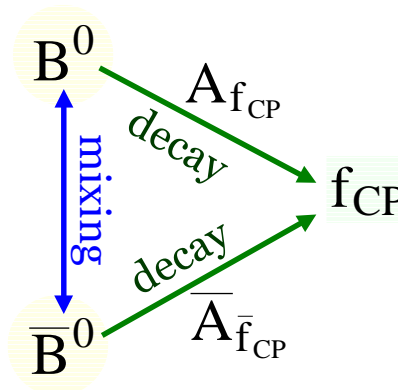
→ represented as '**unitary triangle**' in complex plane



CP asymmetries in B^0 decays give information on angles α, β, γ !

~~CP~~ in interference of mixing and decay

Manifestation of CP violation in interference between decays with and without mixing



$$\lambda_{f_{CP}} = \frac{q}{p} \cdot \frac{\bar{A}_{f_{CP}}}{A_{f_{CP}}}$$

$$= |\lambda_{f_{CP}}| e^{-2i\varphi_{CP}}$$

$$\lambda_{f_{CP}} \neq \pm 1 \Rightarrow \text{Prob}(\bar{B}_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP}) \neq \text{Prob}(B_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP})$$

Time-dependent CP asymmetry:

$$A_{f_{CP}}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP}) - \Gamma(B_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP})}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP}) + \Gamma(B_{phys}^0(t) \rightarrow f_{CP})}$$

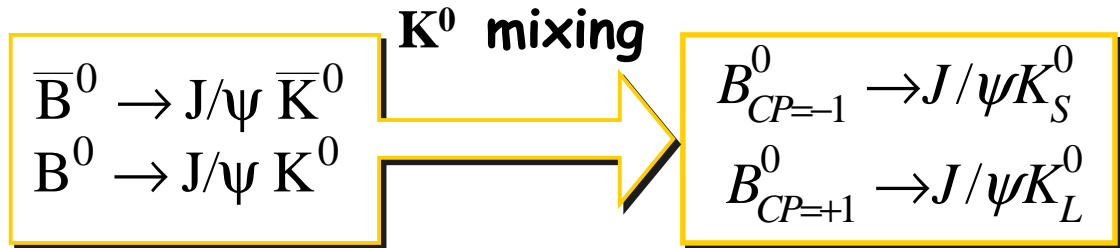
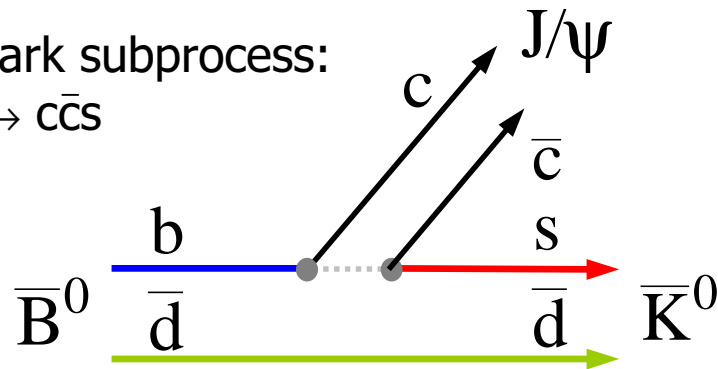
$$= C_{f_{CP}} \cos(\Delta m_d t) + S_{f_{CP}} \sin(\Delta m_d t)$$

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

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

Golden mode: $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^0_S$

Quark subprocess:
 $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$



Single weak phase = no direct \cancel{CP} $\Rightarrow |\lambda_{J/\psi K^0_{S,L}}| = 1$

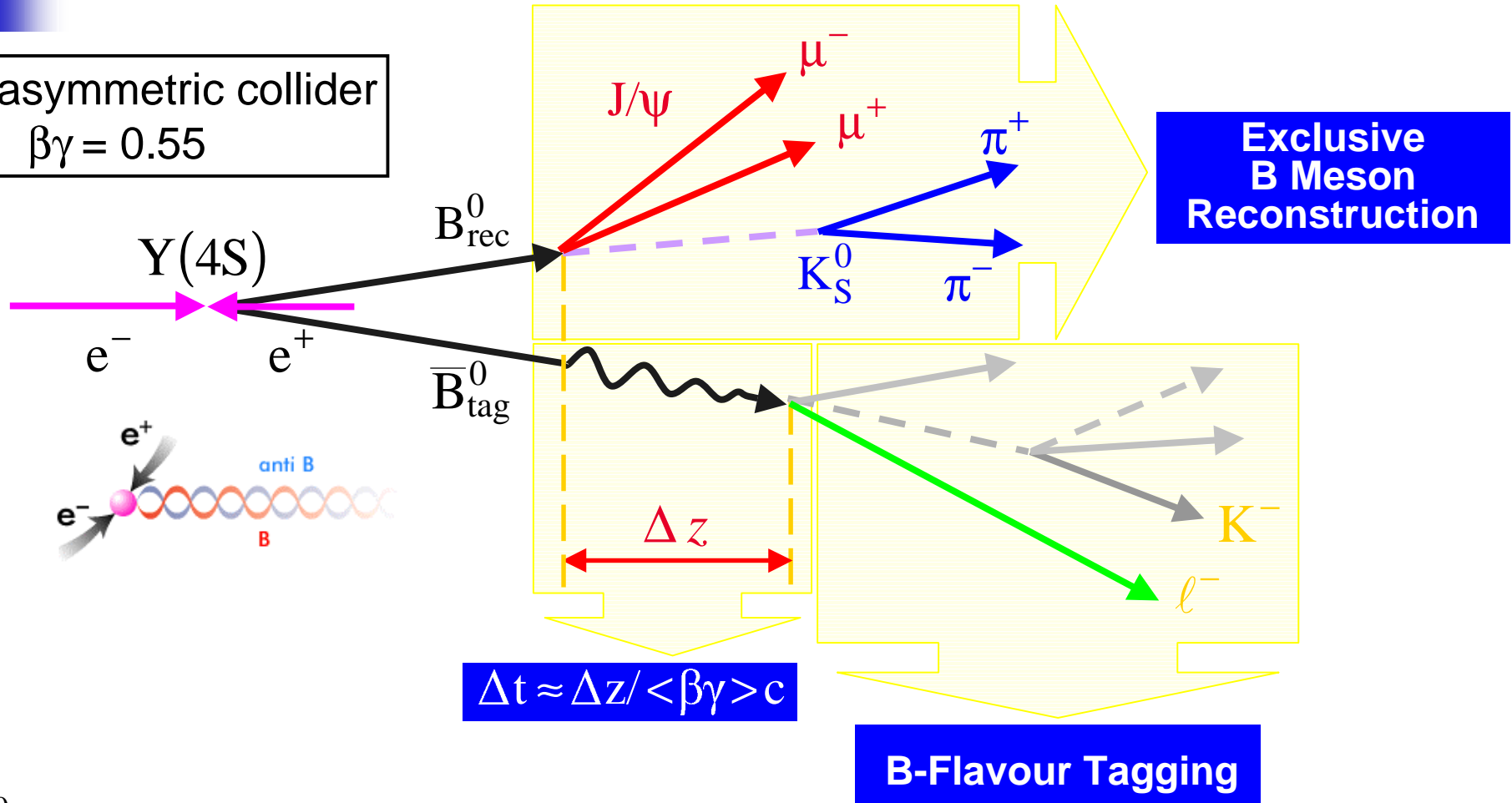
$$A_{J/\psi K^0_{S,L}}(t) = -\eta_{J/\psi K^0_{S,L}} \sin 2\beta \sin(\Delta m_d t)$$

$$\eta_{CP} = -1 (+1) \text{ for } J/\psi K^0_{S(L)}$$

- ➡ Theoretically clean way to measure $\sin 2\beta$
- ➡ Clear experimental signature
- ➡ Relatively large branching fraction

Experimental technique

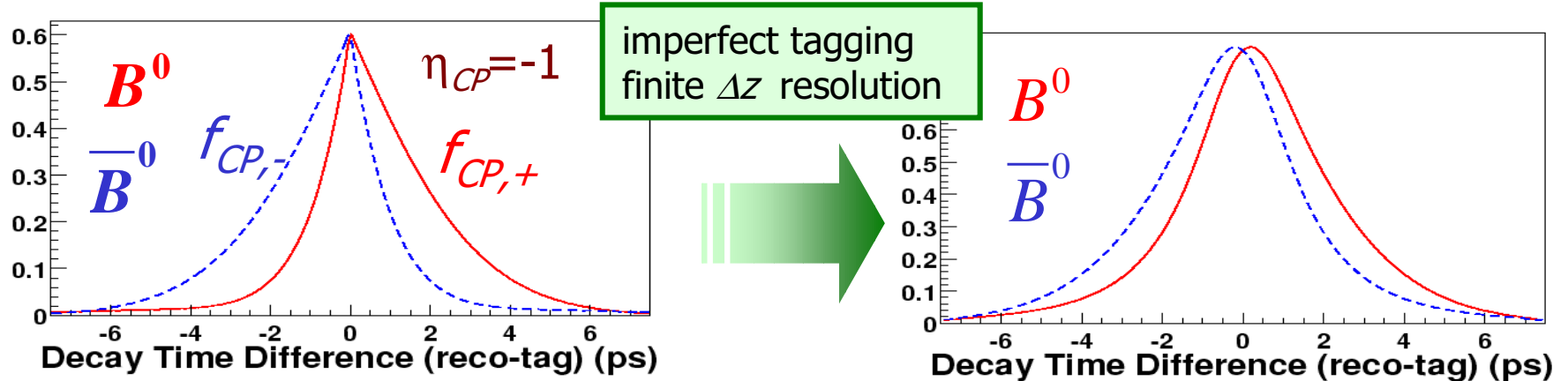
PEP-II asymmetric collider
 $\beta\gamma = 0.55$



$B_{\text{rec}}^0 = B_{\text{CP}}^0$ (CP eigenstates) ▶ CP analysis

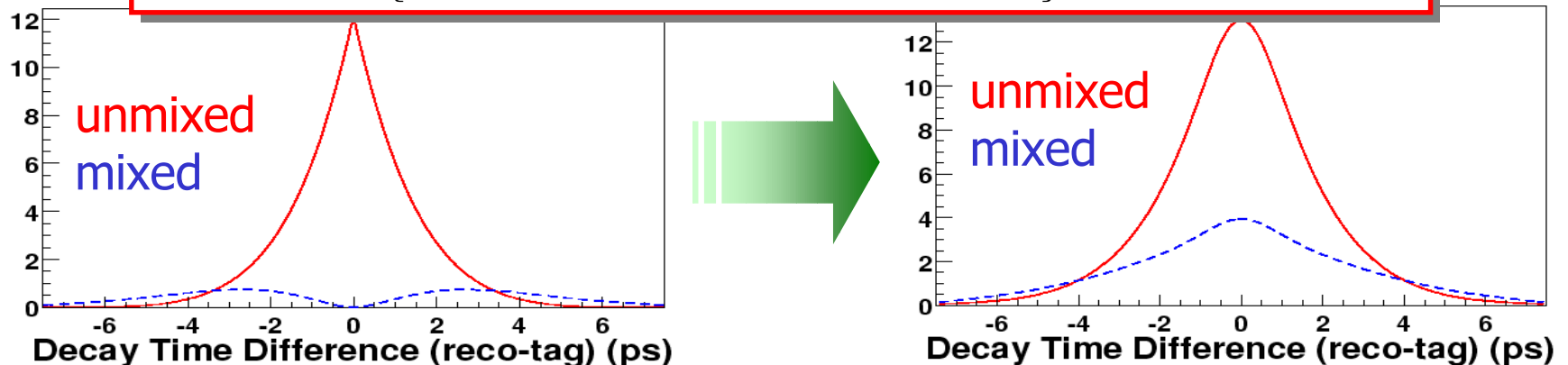
$B_{\text{rec}}^0 = B_{\text{flav}}^0$ (flavour eigenstates) ▶ lifetime, mixing analyses

Expected decay time distributions

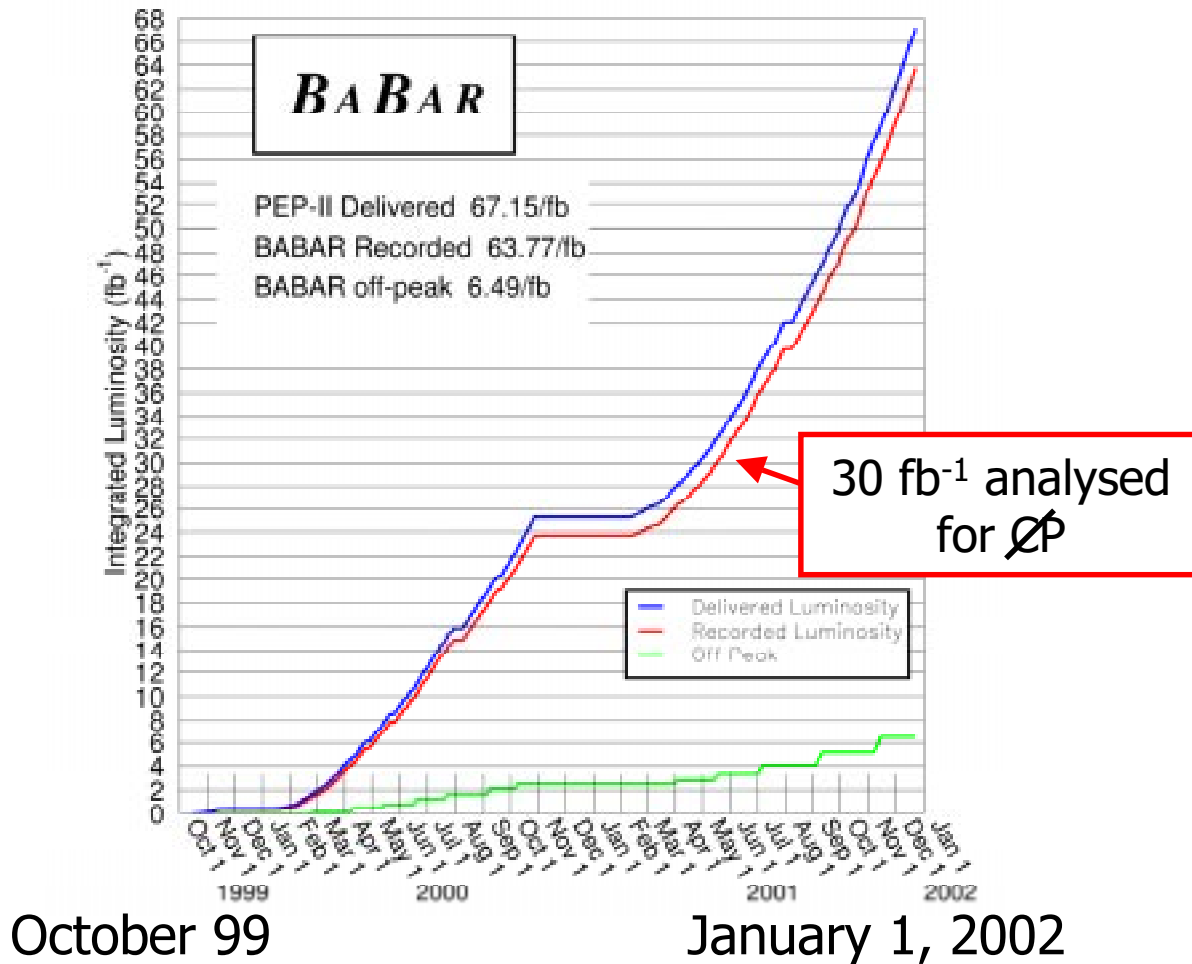


$$f_{CP,\pm}(\Delta t) = \left\{ \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau_{B_d}}}{2\tau_{B_d}} \times \left(1 \mp \eta_{CP} (1 - 2\omega) \sin 2\beta \cdot \sin(\Delta m_{B_d} \Delta t) \right) \right\} \otimes R(\Delta t)$$

$$f_{mix,\pm}(\Delta t) = \left\{ \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau_{B_d}}}{2\tau_{B_d}} \times \left(1 \pm (1 - 2\omega) \cos(\Delta m_{B_d} \Delta t) \right) \right\} \otimes R(\Delta t)$$



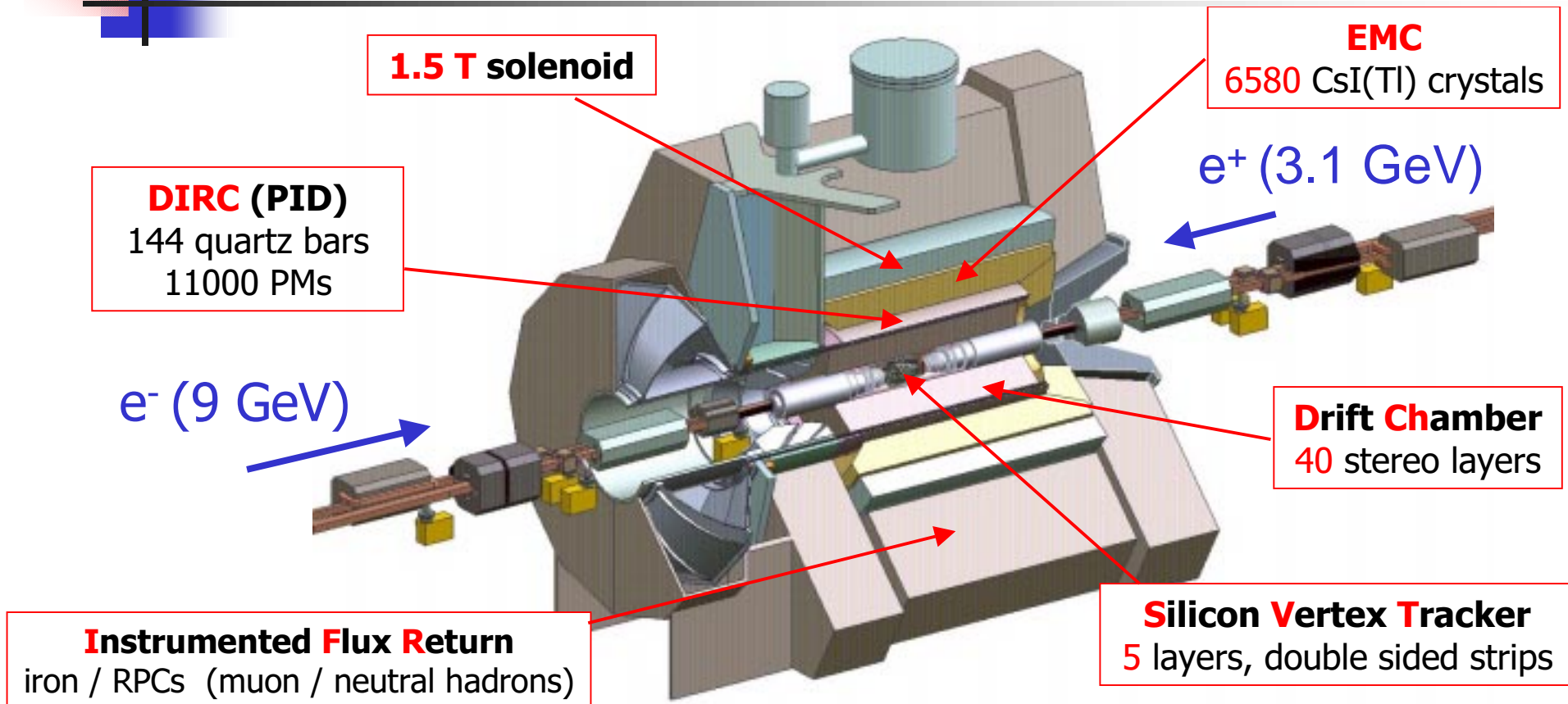
B factory performance



- PEP-II top luminosity:
 $4.51 \times 10^{33} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 (design 3.0×10^{33})
- Top recorded L/24h:
 309 pb^{-1}

PEP-II delivered: 67.2 fb⁻¹
 BaBar recorded: 63.8 fb⁻¹
 (incl. 6.5 fb⁻¹ off peak)

The BaBar detector



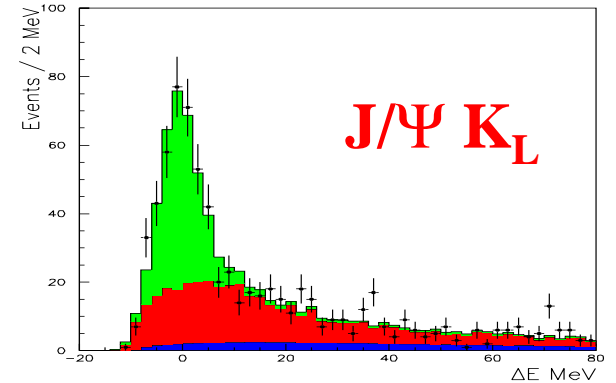
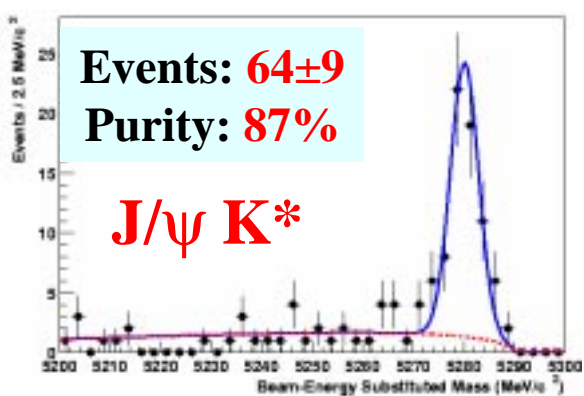
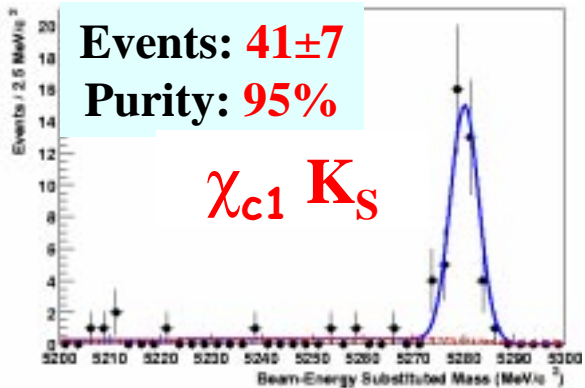
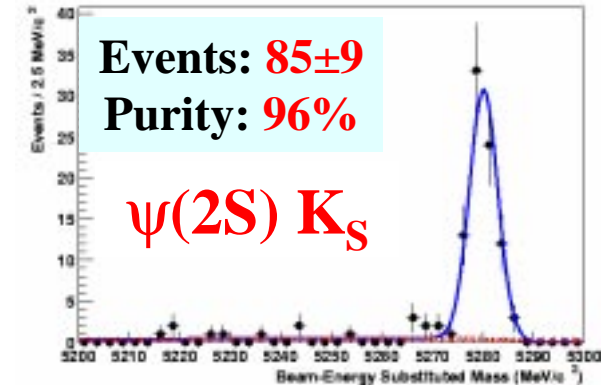
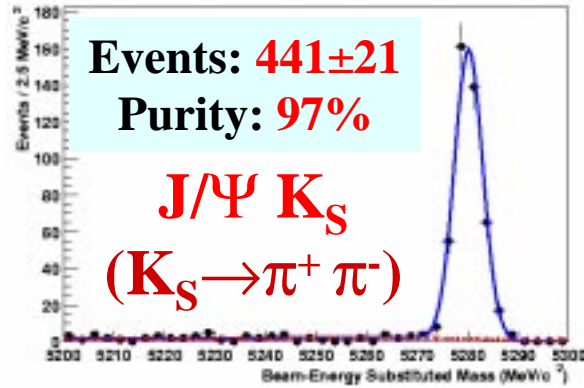
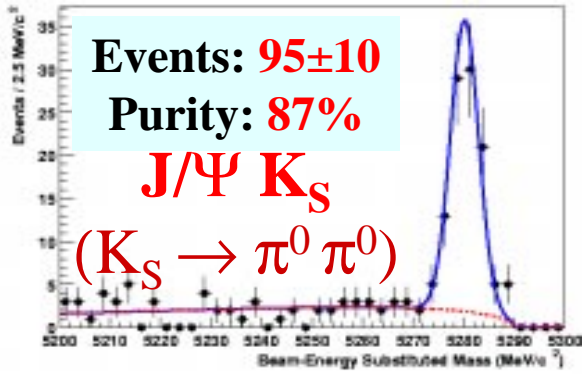
SVT: 97% efficiency, $15 \mu\text{m}$ z hit resolution (inner layers, perp. tracks)

SVT+DCH: $\sigma(p_T)/p_T = 0.13 \% \times p_T + 0.45 \%$, $\sigma(z_0) = 65$ @ $1 \text{ GeV}/c$

DIRC: K- π separation 4.2σ @ $3.0 \text{ GeV}/c \rightarrow 2.5 \sigma$ @ $4.0 \text{ GeV}/c$

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

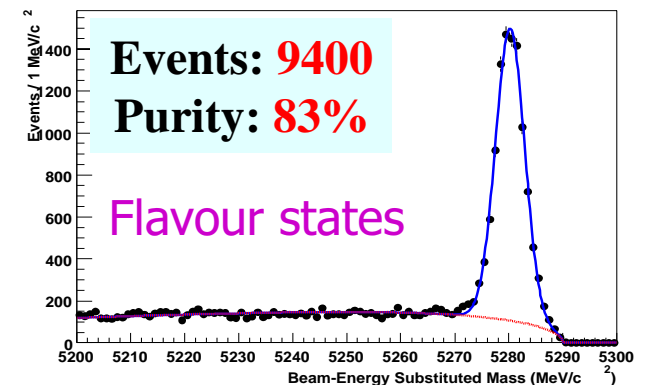
Reconstructed B sample



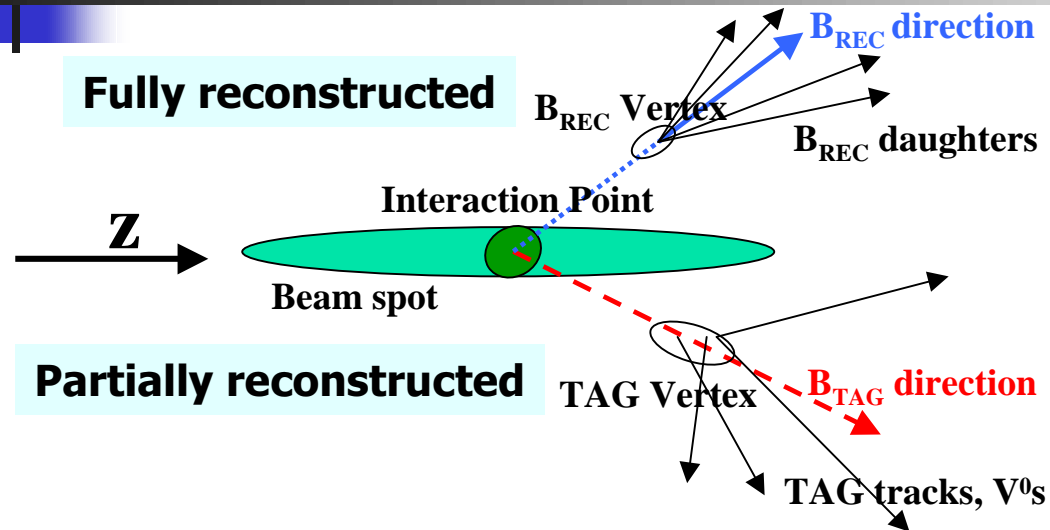
(plots before tagging)

CP sample after tagging

	Tagged evts	Purity	CP
$[J/\psi, \psi(2S), \chi_{c1}] K_S$	480	96%	-1
$J/\psi K_L$	273	51%	+1
$J/\psi K^{*0}(K_S \pi^0)$	50	74%	mixed
Full CP sample	803	80%	



Δt reconstruction and resolution

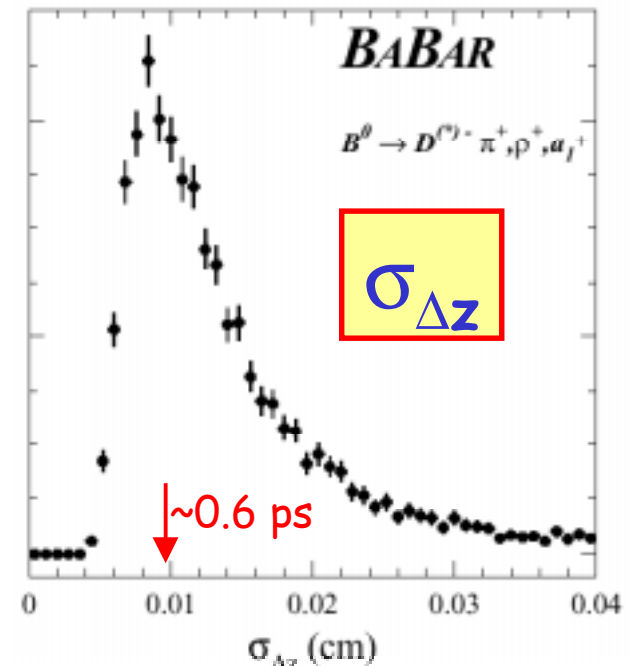


B_{TAG} vertex fit:
All tracks not in B_{REC}
Direction of reconstructed K_S and Λ 's
 B_{TAG} direction constrained by B_{REC} and beam spot information
High χ^2 tracks removed from fit (to reject charmed decays)

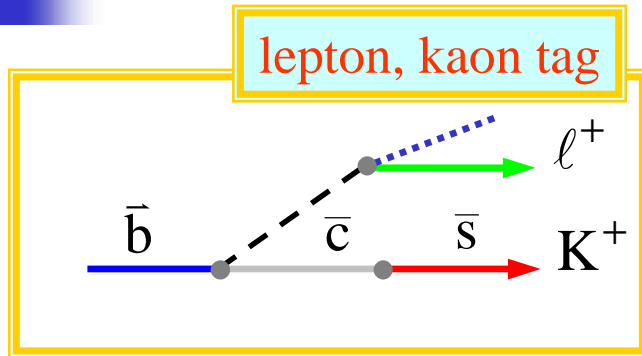
High efficiency : 97%
Average resolution on $\Delta z \sim 180\mu m$

$$\Delta t \propto \Delta z / \beta \gamma c$$

Use per-event estimate $\sigma_{\Delta z}$ and empirical model (« resolution function ») to correct it.
 Extract corresponding parameters (scale factors, biases) from data.



Flavour tagging



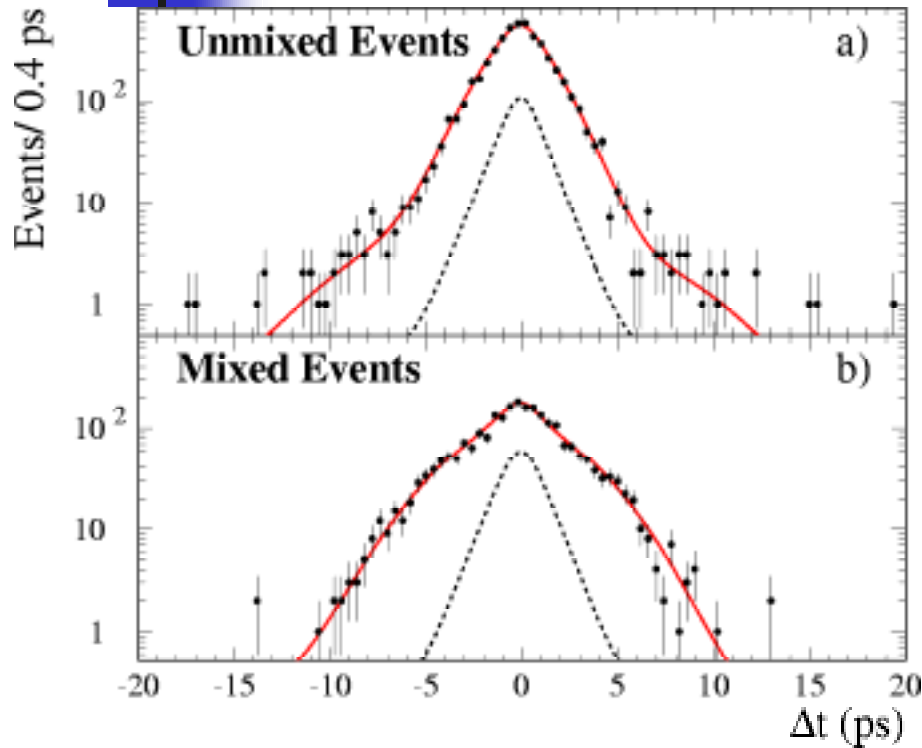
$$\text{Quality factor } Q = \varepsilon(1-2w)^2$$

$$\sigma(\sin 2\beta) \propto 1/\sqrt{Q}$$

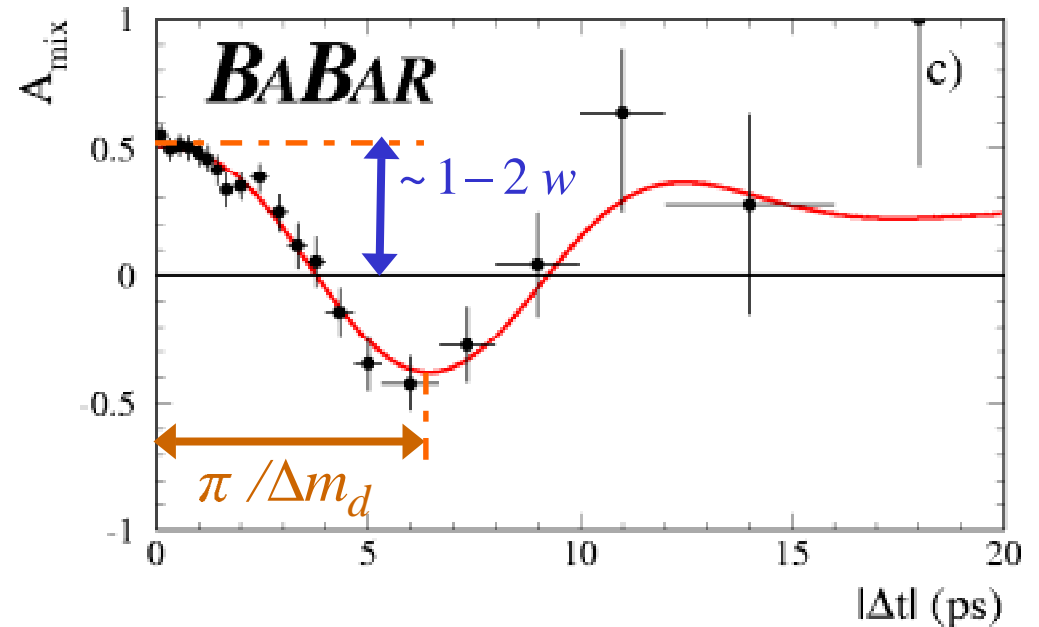
	Category	Definition	efficiency	Q
Hierarchy ↓	<i>Lepton</i>	Charge of fastest electron (muon) with $p^* > 1.0(1.1) \text{ GeV}/c$.	$10.9 \pm 0.4\%$	$7.4 \pm 0.5\%$
	<i>Kaon</i>	Total charge of identified kaons	$35.8 \pm 0.5\%$	$15.0 \pm 0.9\%$
	<i>NT1</i>	Neural Network	$7.8 \pm 0.3\%$	$2.5 \pm 0.4\%$
	<i>NT2</i>	Neural Network	$13.8 \pm 0.3\%$	$1.2 \pm 0.3\%$
		Total	$68.4 \pm 0.7\%$	$26.1 \pm 1.2\%$

NT1, 2 : unidentified leptons, soft pions from D^* , momentum spectrum of B decay products

Mixing analysis results



$$A_{\text{mixing}}(\Delta t) = \frac{N(\text{unmixed}) - N(\text{mixed})}{N(\text{unmixed}) + N(\text{mixed})} \approx (1 - 2w) \times \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)$$



$$\Delta m_d = 0.516 \pm 0.016 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.010 \text{ (syst)} \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

hep-ex/0112044
submitted to Phys. Rev. Lett.

Also: Lifetime (PRL 87, 201803)

See E. Rosenberg's talk at
this workshop.

sin 2 β likelihood fit

- Global unbinned maximum likelihood fit to data:
 - **mistag rates**
 - **Δt resolutions**
 - **sin2 β**
- 44 parameters for mistag rates, Δt resolution & backgrounds: floated to obtain an empirical description from data.

} **Tagged flavour sample**
← **Tagged CP sample**

Fit Parameters

sin2 β	1
Mistag rates for B^0/\bar{B}^0 tags	8
Signal resolution function	16
Empirical description of background Δt	20

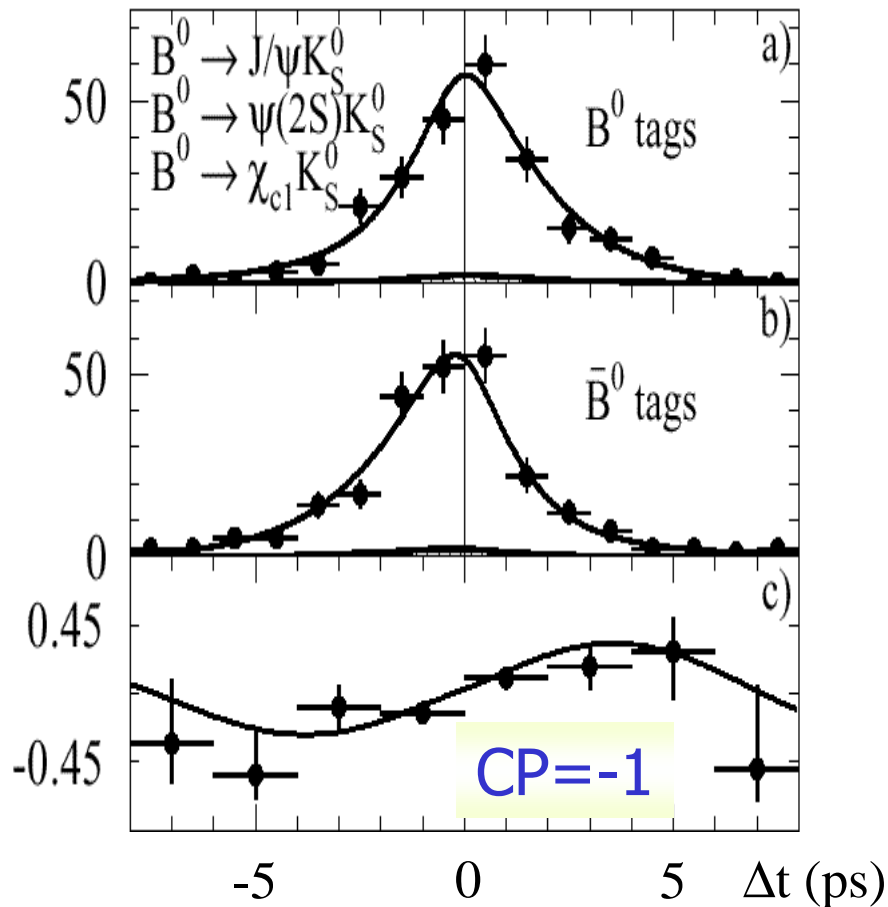
Separate Δt resolutions for two data-taking periods

$$\tau_B = \mathbf{1.548 \text{ ps}} \quad \mathbf{\text{fixed}}$$
$$\Delta m_d = \mathbf{0.472 \text{ ps}^{-1}} \quad \mathbf{\text{fixed}}$$

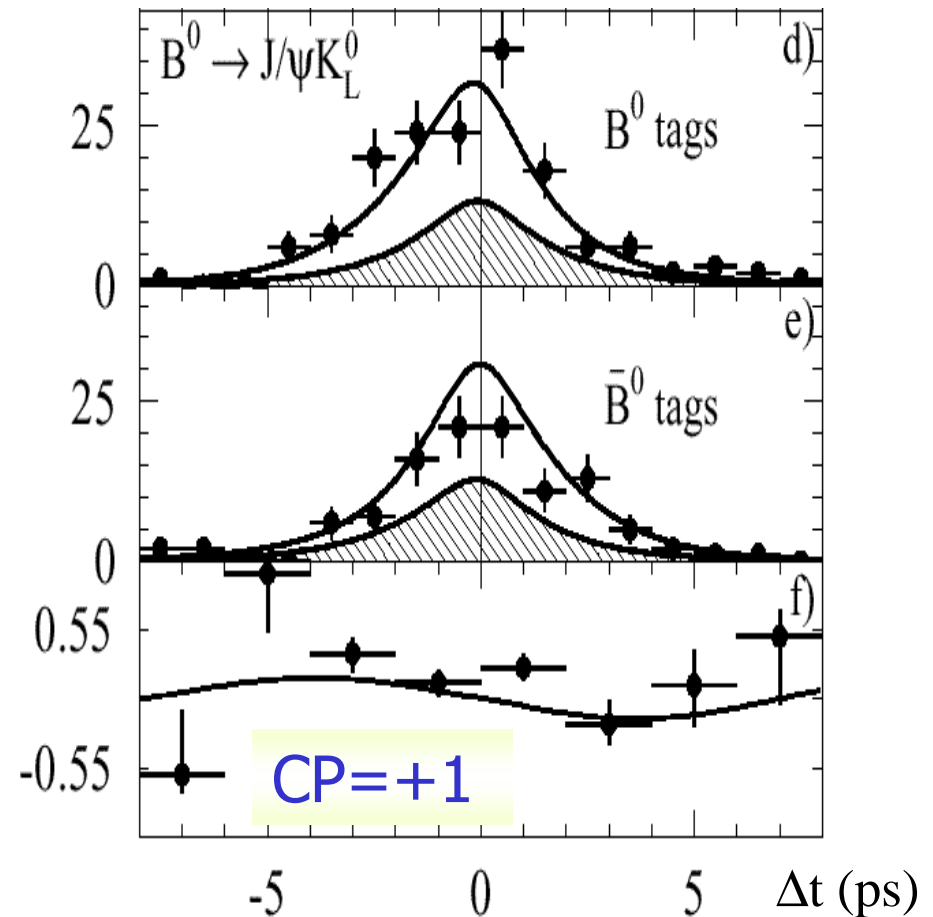
Max correlation of sin(2 β) with any linear combination of the other parameters: 13%

sin 2β result: raw CP asymmetries

Compare raw asymmetries with results from ML fit



$$\sin 2\beta = 0.56 \pm 0.15_{\text{stat}}$$



$$\sin 2\beta = 0.70 \pm 0.34_{\text{stat}}$$

sin 2β fit results

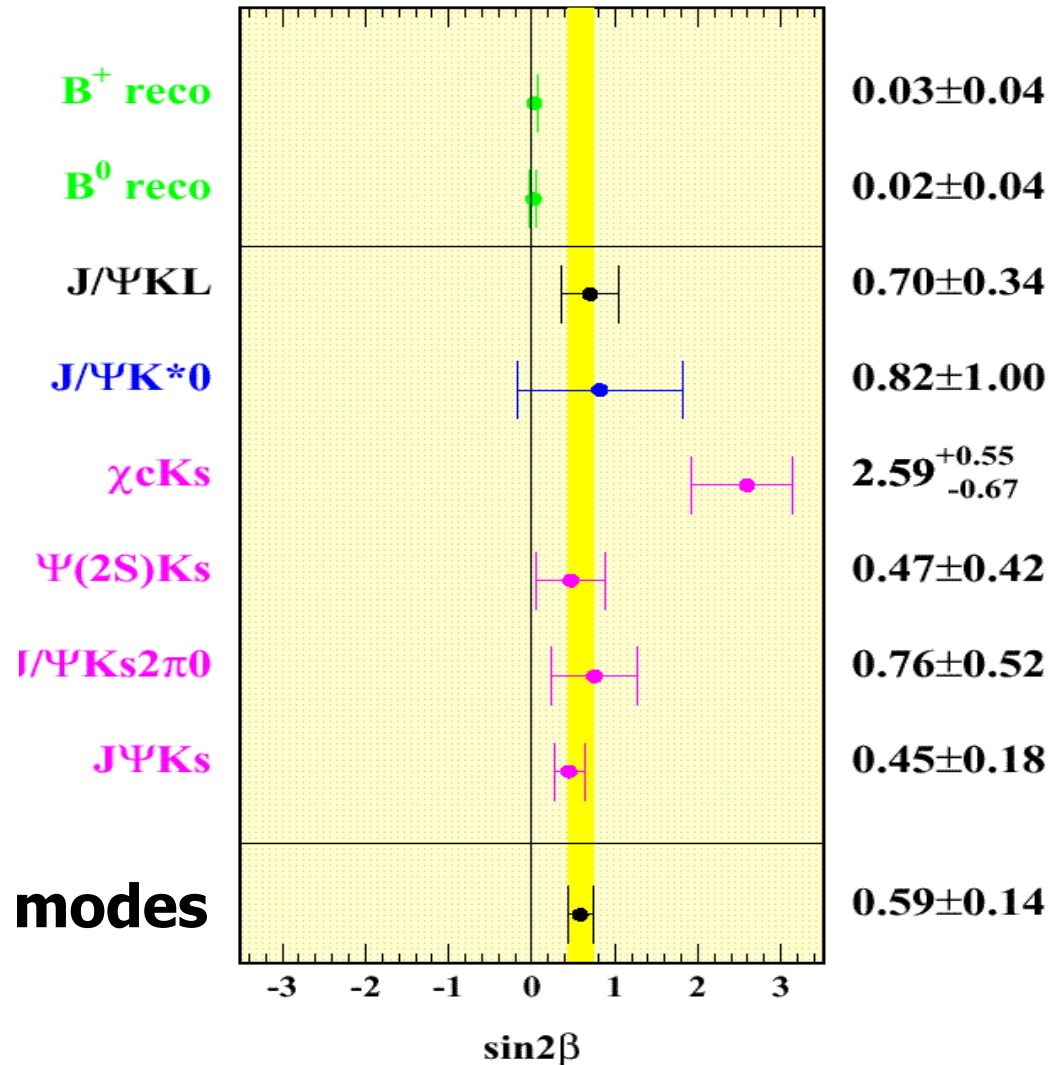
Cross-checks:
Null result in flavour samples

Consistency of CP
channels $P(\chi^2) = 8\%$

Goodness-of-fit:
 $P(L_{\max} > L_{\text{obs}}) > 27\%$

All modes

$$\sin(2\beta) = 0.59 \pm 0.14$$



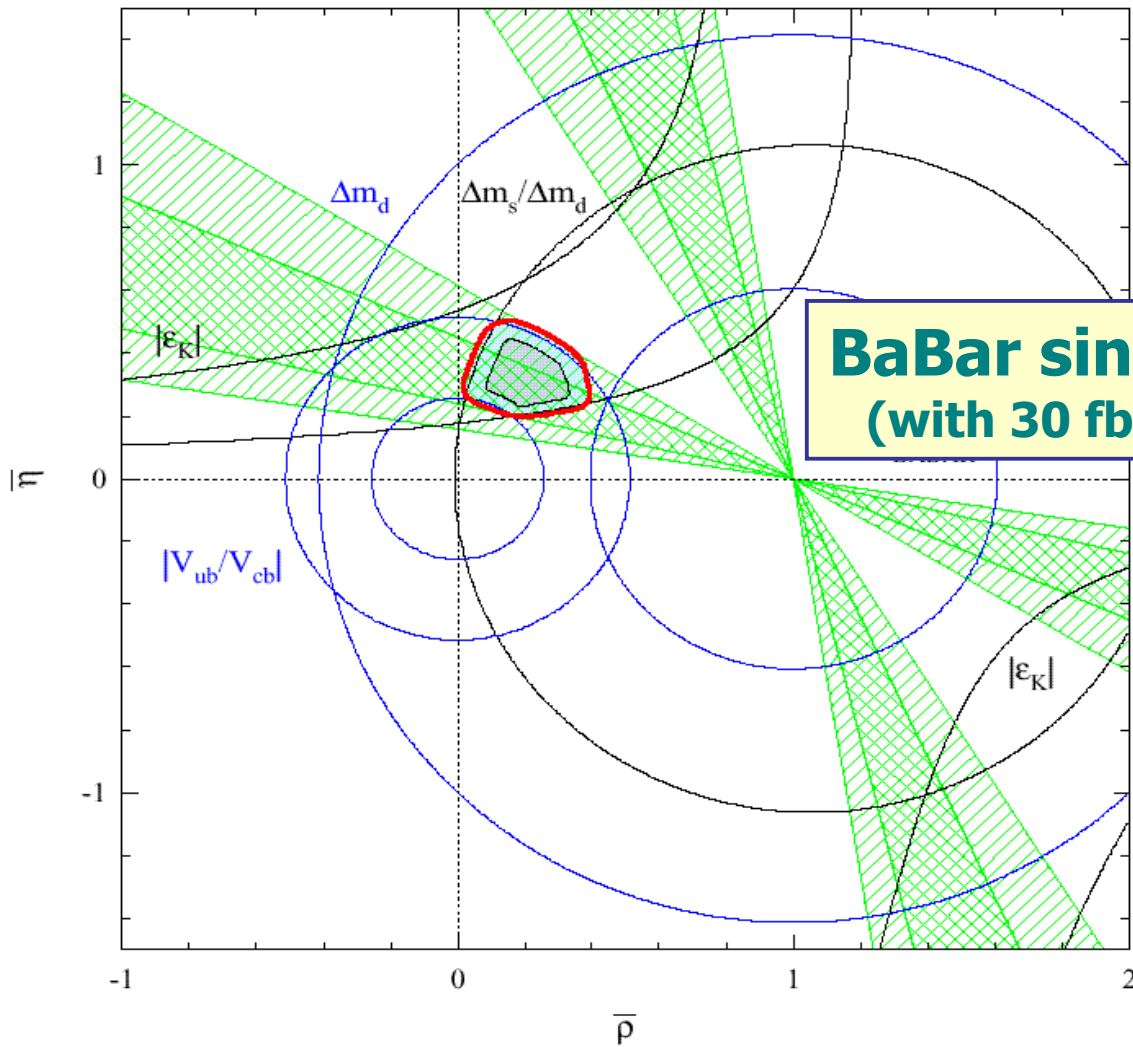


Systematic uncertainties

Error	K_S	K_L	K^{*0}	Total
Statistic	0.15	0.34	1.01	0.14
Systematic	0.05	0.10	0.16	0.05

- Signal resolution and vertex reconstruction **0.03**
 - Resolution model, outliers, SVT residual misalignment
- Tagging **0.03**
 - possible differences between B_{CP} and $B_{flavour}$ samples
- Backgrounds **0.02** (overall)
 - Signal probability, peaking background, CP content of background
 - Total 0.09 for $J/\Psi K_L$ channel; 0.11 for $J/\Psi K^{*0}$
- **Total = 0.05 for total sample**

Interpretation of results



One solution for β is consistent with measurements of sides of Unitarity Triangle

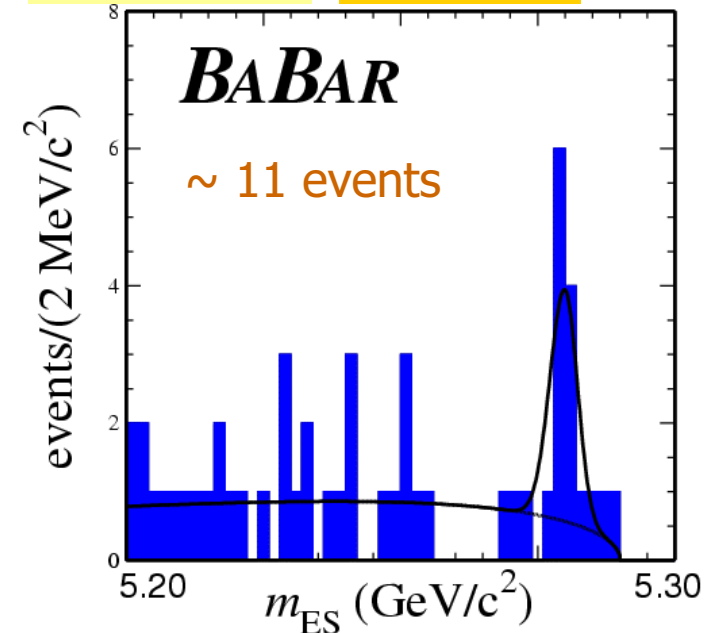
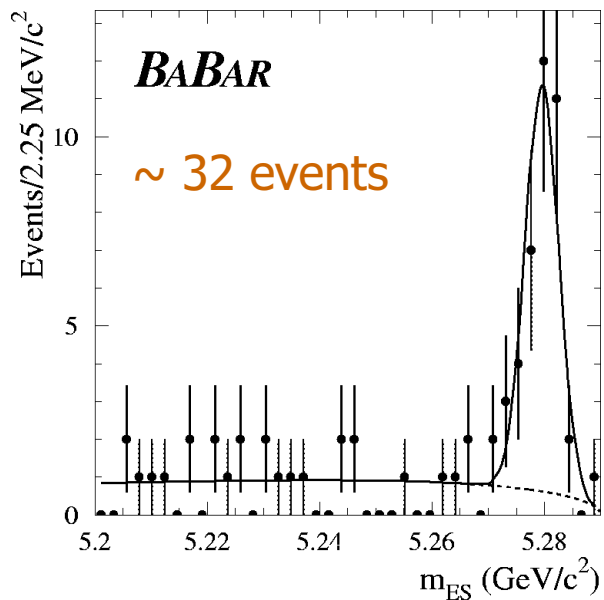
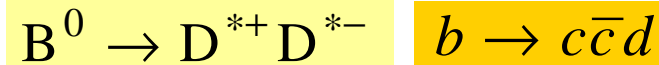
**BaBar $\sin 2\beta$
(with 30 fb^{-1})**

*Method as in Höcker et al, hepex/0104062
(also other recent global CKM matrix analyses)*

Perspectives

Golden modes:

$\sigma(\sin 2\beta) \leq 0.08$ for 100 fb^{-1} (next summer)
 $300 - 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ by 2005



← 21 fb⁻¹ →

New modes can potentially provide independent measurements of $\sin 2\beta$:

- ➡ different quark processes
- ➡ various penguin contributions
- ➡ angular analyses for VV modes



Conclusions

BaBar observes CP violation in the B^0 system at 4σ level

$$\sin(2\beta) = 0.59 \pm 0.14 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.05 \text{ (syst)}$$

➡ PRL 87, 091801

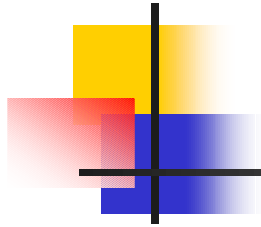
➡ Detailed paper (hep-ex/0201020) submitted to Phys. Rev. D on January 10th

$\sin 2\beta$ will become a precision measurement:

$\sigma(\sin 2\beta) \leq 0.08$ with 100 fb^{-1} (this summer)

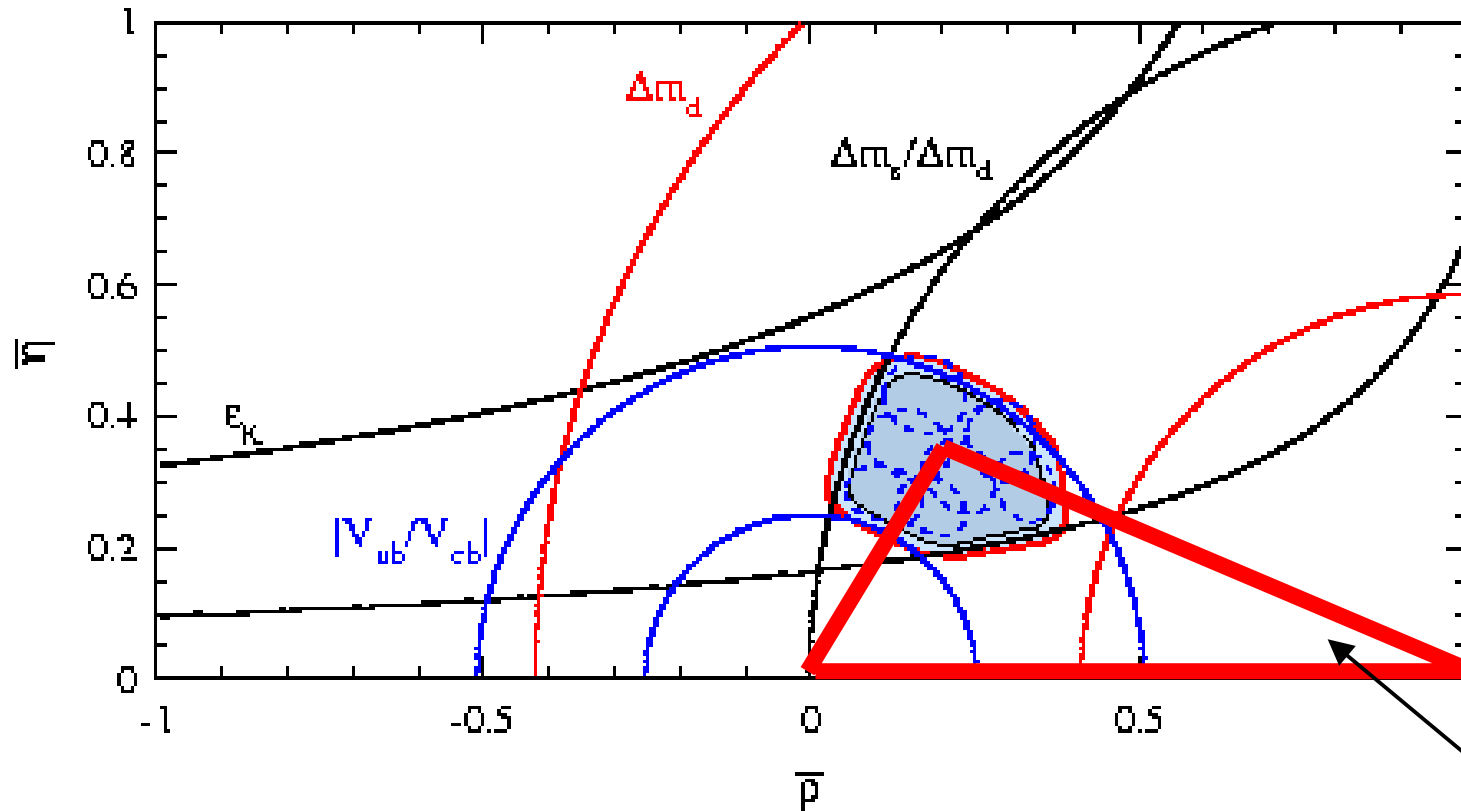
$300 - 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ by 2005

Test standard model by comparing $\sin 2\beta$ from different decay modes (different quark transitions, ...)



Backup slides

The unitarity triangle without CP violation measurements

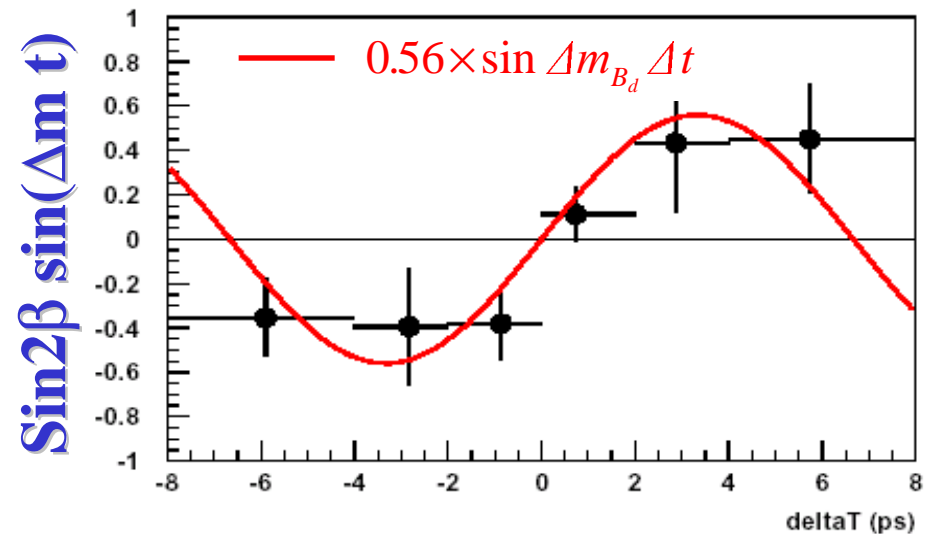
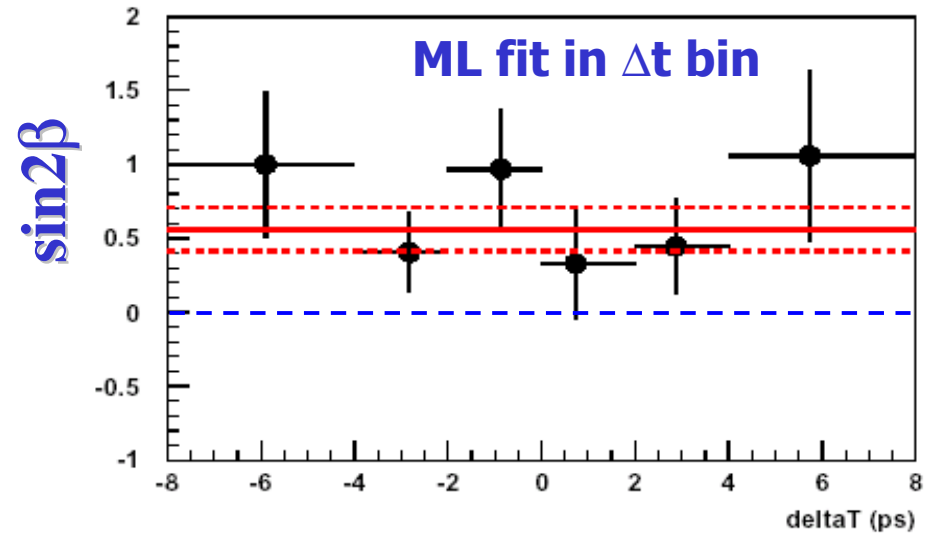


Method described in Höcker et al, hep-ex/0104062

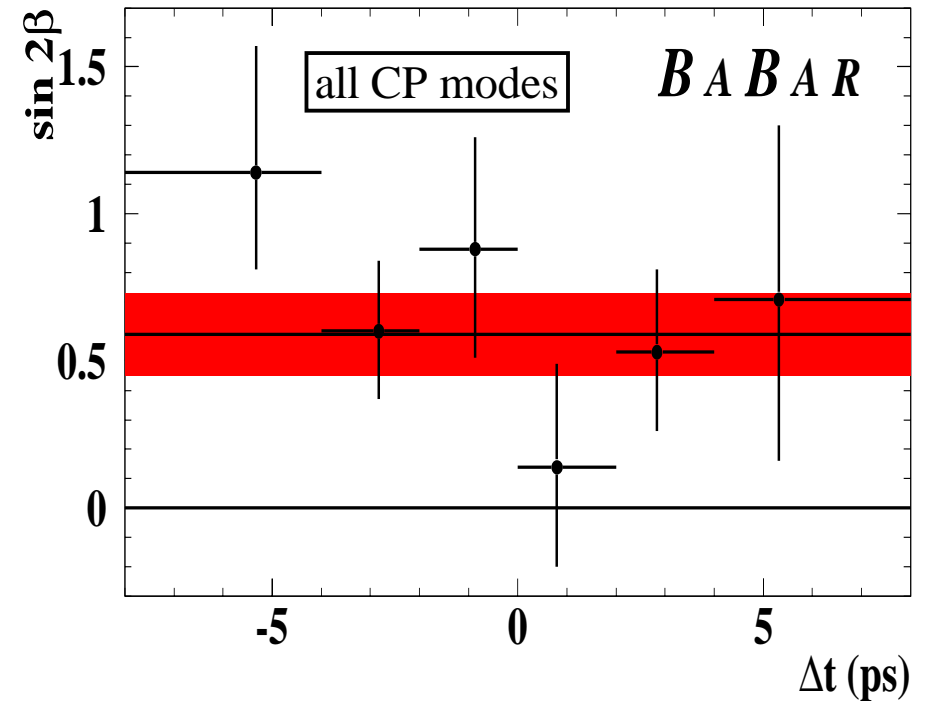
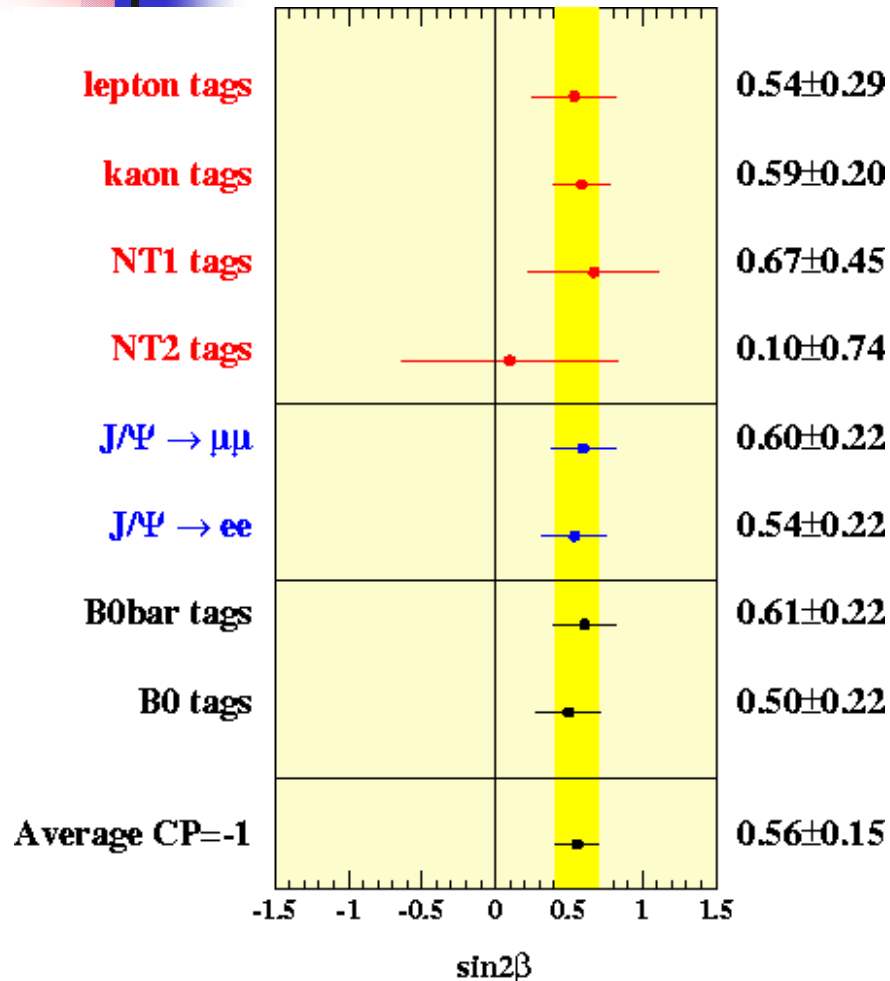
➤ Test SM by over-constraining Unitarity Triangle with measurements of sides and angles

"Corrected" CP asymmetries

$$\eta_{CP} = -1 \text{ only}$$



Consistency checks



$\sin(2\beta)$ measured in several Δt bins

$\sin(2\beta)$ vs. J/ψ decay mode, tagging category and flavour for $\eta = -1$ events

Search for direct CP

If at least 2 amplitudes with a weak phase difference contribute

$|\lambda|$ might be different from 1

(tree amplitude and leading penguin amplitude for $B \rightarrow J/\psi K_S$ have same weak phase in SM)

$$A_{CP} = C_{f_{CP}} \cos \Delta m_d \Delta t + S_{f_{CP}} \sin \Delta m_d \Delta t$$

$$C_{f_{CP}} = \frac{1 - |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$
$$S_{f_{CP}} = \frac{-2 \operatorname{Im} \lambda_{f_{CP}}}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

Probing new physics (only use $\eta_{CP} = -1$ sample that contains no \overline{CP} background)

$$|\lambda| = 0.93 \pm 0.09 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst.)}$$

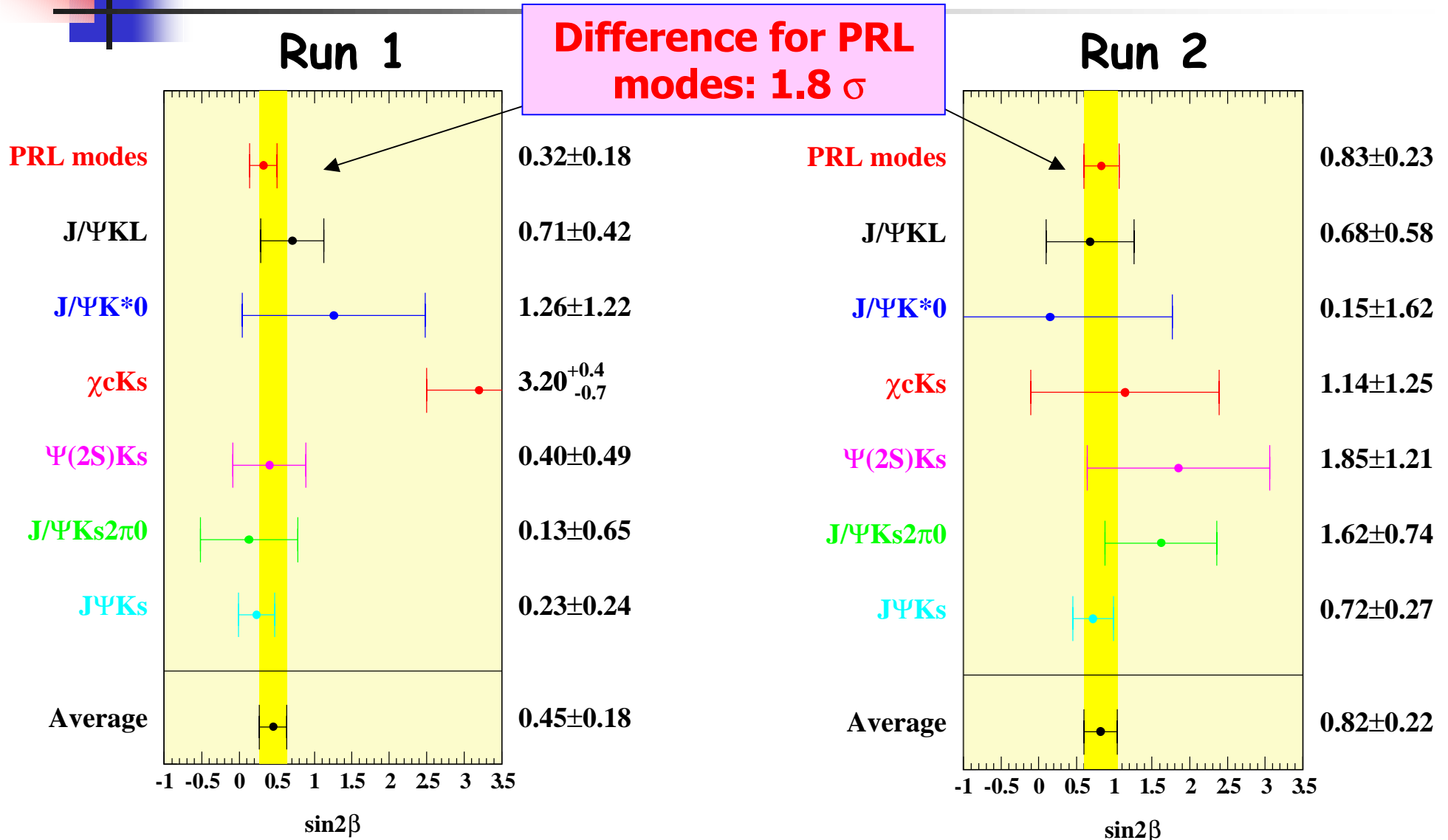
No evidence of direct CP violation due to decay amplitude interference (coefficient of the “sine” term unchanged)



Changes Run1 → Run2

- First publication in March 2001
 $\sin(2\beta) = 0.34 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.05$ PRL 86 (2001) 2515
- Changes since then:
 - More data (run 2): **23 → 32 $B\bar{B}$ pairs**
 - Improved reconstruction efficiency
 - Optimized selection criteria takes into account CP asymmetry of background in $J/\psi K_L$
 - Additional decay modes $\chi_{C1} K_S$ and $J/\psi K^{*0}$
 - Improved vertex resolution for reconstructed and tag B

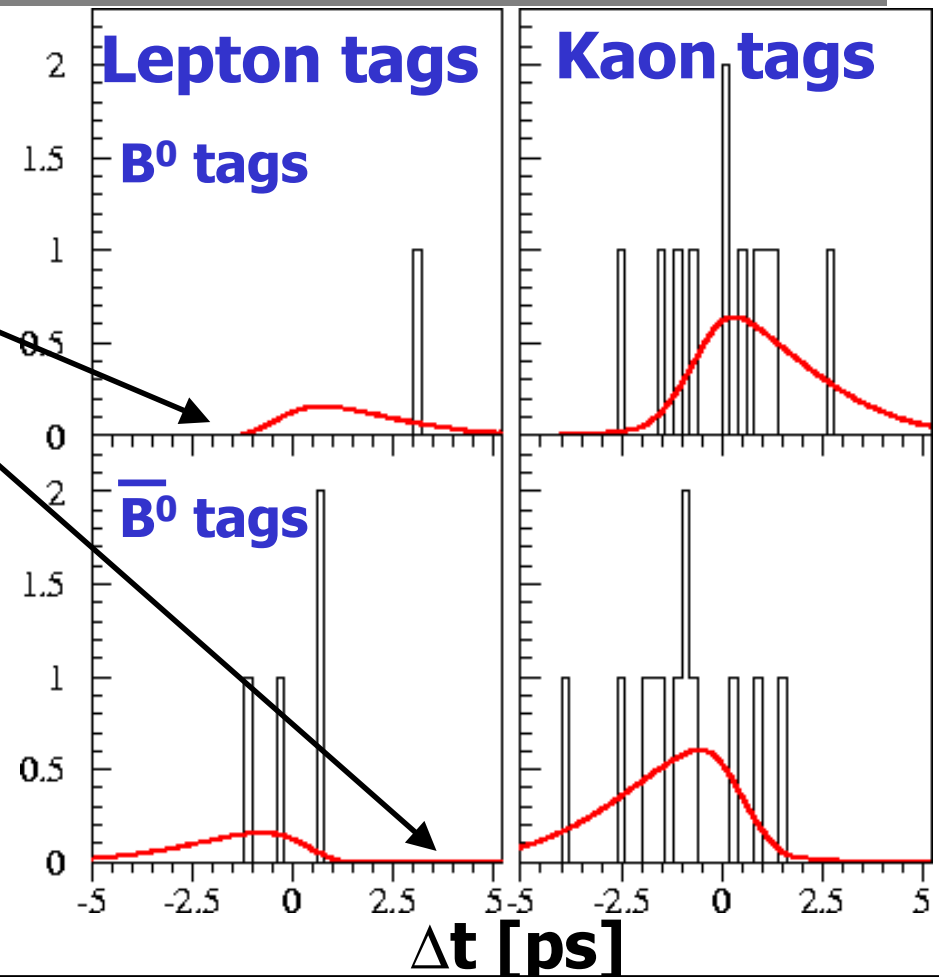
Run1/Run2 results



Large $\sin 2\beta$ in $B^0 \rightarrow \chi_{c1} K^0_S$

$$f_{CP,\pm}(\Delta t) = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau_B}}{4\tau_B} \times \left(1 \pm \sin 2\beta (1 - 2\omega) \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) \right)$$

- fit for B^0/\bar{B}^0 Δt PDFs, not for A_{CP}
- accommodate large asymmetry with negative signal PDF (at $-(+)\pi/2\Delta m_d$ for $B^0(\bar{B}^0)$ tagged events)
- Possible, because
 - No events at these Δt (eg. lepton tags)
 - Sum of signal + background PDFs positive (eg. Kaon tags)
- Note: a single lepton B^0 -tag at $\Delta t = -\pi/2\Delta m$ would bring $\sin 2\beta$ from 2.6 to $\sim 1/(1-2w_{lep}) \approx 1.1$
- Measure $\sin 2\beta$ unbiased for low stat. samples and probability to obtain $\sin 2\beta \geq 2.6$ when true value 0.7 is 1-2%



NT1, NT2

