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BaBar Measurements of $|V_{ub}|$ and γ



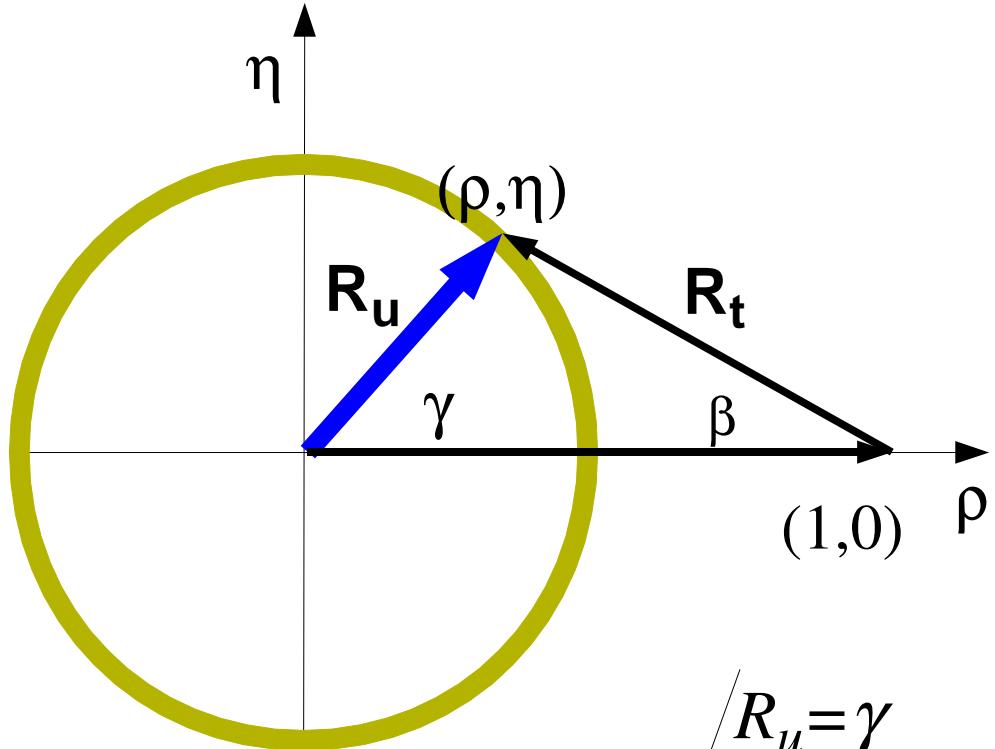
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V_{ub} and the Unitarity Triangle

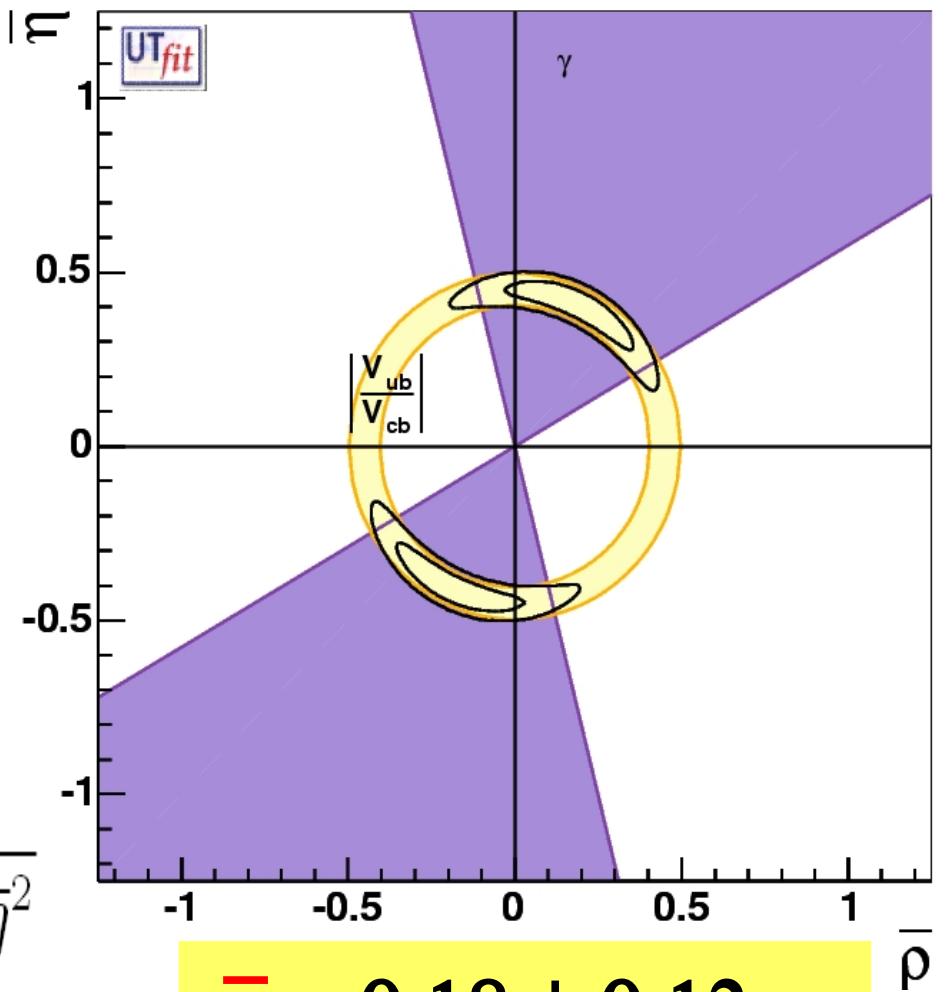
L.Silvestrini LP2005



$$\angle R_u = \gamma$$

$$|R_u| = \left| \frac{V_{ub} V_{ud}^*}{V_{cb} V_{cd}^*} \right| = \frac{1}{\tan \theta_C} \left| \frac{V_{ub}}{V_{cb}} \right| = \sqrt{\bar{\rho}^2 + \bar{\eta}^2}$$

- γ and $|V_{ub}|$ from tree level processes
- Any New Physics that does not occur at tree level, must satisfy this $(\bar{\rho}, \bar{\eta})$ constraint



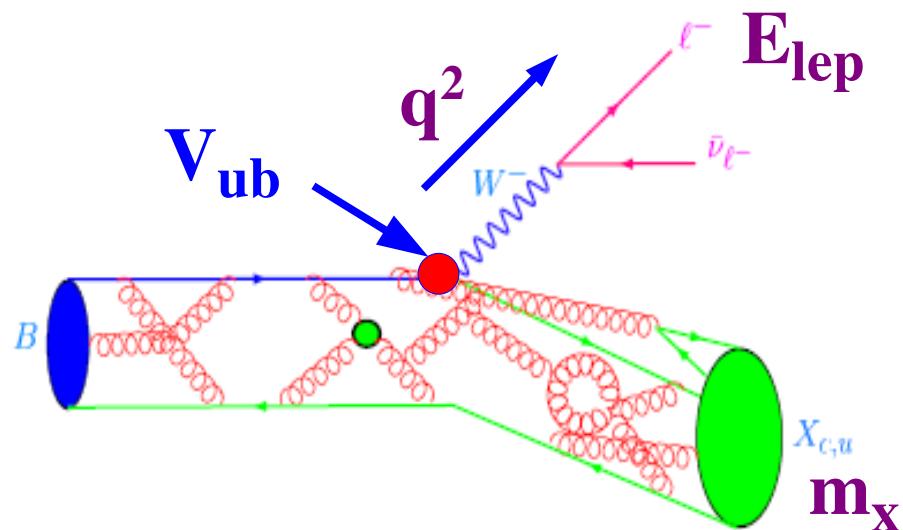
$$\bar{\rho} = 0.18 \pm 0.12$$

$$\bar{\eta} = 0.41 \pm 0.05$$

UTfit coll., hep-ph/0501199;
Botella et al., hep-ph/0502133

|V_{ubl}|

Inclusive Semileptonic B-decays



- **Full $\Gamma(b \rightarrow ul\nu)$ Rate:** Operator Product Expansion (OPE) allows to extract $|V_{ub}|$ with 5% error

$$|V_{ub}| = 0.00424 \left(\frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_u l \nu)}{0.002} \frac{1.61 \text{ ps}}{\tau_b} \right)^{1/2} \times (1.0 \pm 0.028_{\text{pert+nonpert}} \pm 0.039_{m_b}).$$

- **Apply cuts to reduce $b \rightarrow c$ background: OEP fails**

- Measure partial branching fraction ΔBr :

$$\Gamma(b \rightarrow u l \bar{\nu}) = \frac{1}{f_u} \cdot \frac{\Delta Br}{\tau_B}$$

- Acceptance f_u sensitive to Fermi motion of b-quark in meson B (needs non perturbative QCD computation)

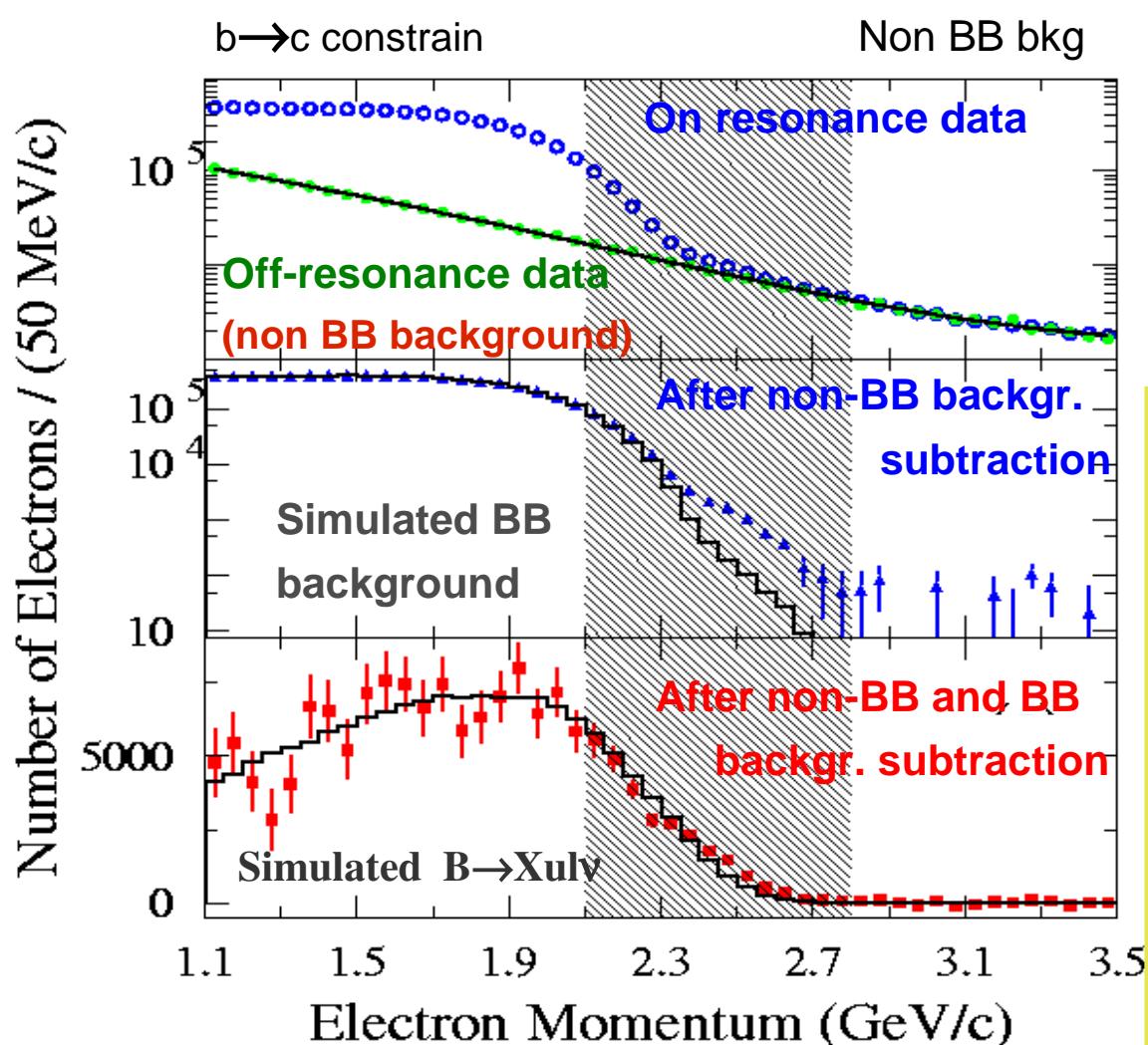
- The b-quark motion is parameterized by the **shape function** $f(k_+)$

- universal function for B mesons, can be extracted from data:
 $b \rightarrow s \gamma$ or $b \rightarrow c l \nu$

$b \rightarrow u$ have smaller m_X
 \rightarrow larger E_{lep} & q^2
 Cut on these variables to
 Maximize Phase Space

$|V_{ub}|$: E_e spectrum near end-point

- Historically first method to look for b→u (CLEO '89): $E_{\text{lep}} > 2.3 \text{ GeV}$ ($f_u = 8\%$)
- Present knowledge of b→c allows us to lower the E_{lep}
 - Much smaller theoretical uncertainties



- Babar >2.0 GeV ($f_u = 25\%$)
- Belle >1.9 GeV ($f_u = 30\%$)

Typical requirements:

- missing momentum **Hep-ex/0509040, PRD73(012006)**
 - event shape **88 M BB**
- S/N~1/10, $\epsilon \sim 40\%$**

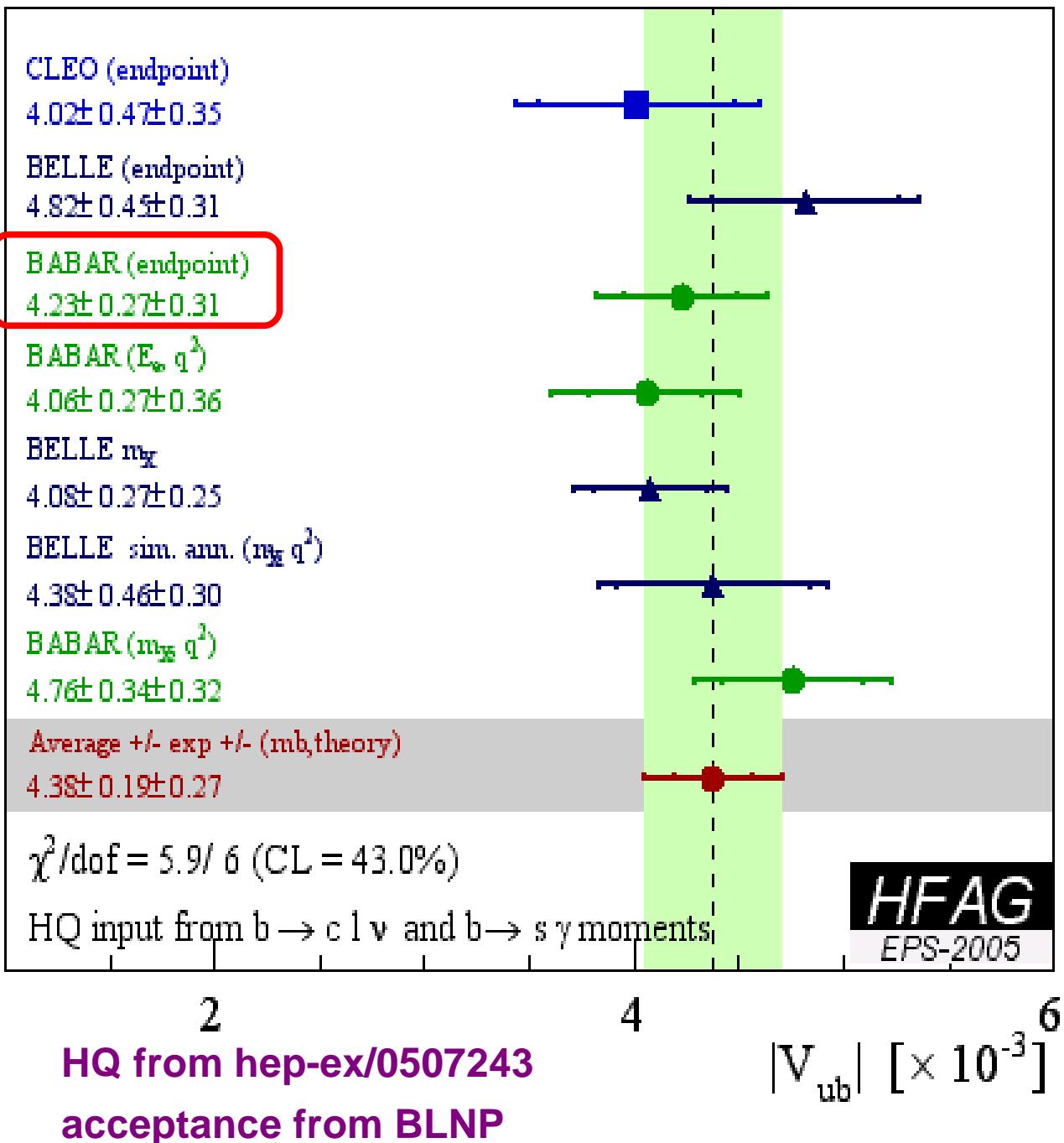
$$\Delta \text{Br} = (0.572 \pm 0.041_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.065_{\text{syst}}) \times 10^{-3}$$

HQE fits $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ and $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$ + Calculations by Bosh *et al.* (BLNP): **hep-ph/0402094, 0504071**

$$|V_{ub}| = (4.44 \pm 0.25_{\text{exp}}^{+0.42}_{-0.38_{\text{SF}}} \pm 0.22_{\text{th}}) \times 10^{-3}$$

Limited by uncertainties on SF parameters

Results on inclusive $|V_{ub}|$



- **Uncertainty on SF parameters: 4.7%**
 - $\delta m_b \sim 40\text{MeV}$
- **Other theory uncertainties: 4%**
 - Subleading SF, Weak annihilation
(can be constrained experimentally)
- **Experimental uncertainties: 4.4%**
 - Statistics: 2%
 - Detector systematics: 2.6%
 - Background modeling: 2%
 - Signal modeling: 2.2%

World average Summer 2005

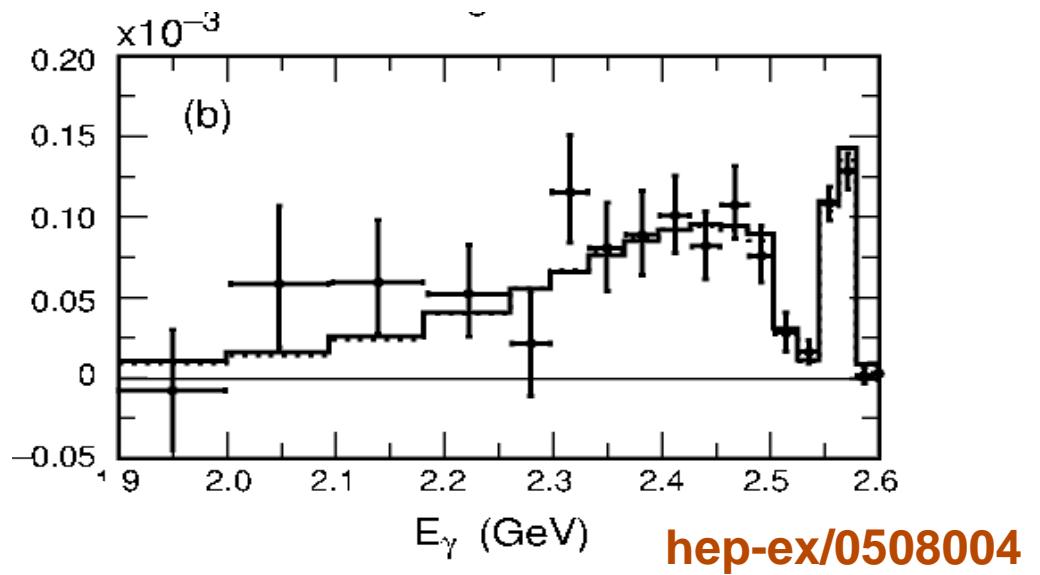
$$|V_{ub}| = (4.38 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.27) \times 10^{-3}$$



$|V_{ub}|$: without shape functions

- Approach based on Leibovich et.al
method (LLR): hep-ph/0005124, 0105066

- $f(k+)$ same in $B \rightarrow X\gamma$ and in $B \rightarrow X_u l\nu$
decays: **use directly the γ spectrum!**



- **Combine measurable endpoint in γ spectra with partial rate $b \rightarrow u$ below hadronic mass (m_x^{cut})**

$$\frac{|V_{ub}|}{|V_{ts}|} = \left\{ \frac{6\alpha(1+H_{mix}^\gamma)C_7(m_b)^2\delta\Gamma(c)}{\pi[l_0(c)+l_+(c)]} \right\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$l_0(c) = \int_{1-\frac{\sqrt{c}}{2}}^1 du \frac{d\Gamma^\gamma}{du} i_0(u)$$

$$l_+(c) = \int_{1-\frac{\sqrt{c}}{2}}^1 du \frac{d\Gamma^\gamma}{du} i_+(u)$$

$$u = 2E_\gamma/m_B \quad c = (m_x^{cut}/m_B)^2$$

**$\delta\Gamma(c)$ is the partial $b \rightarrow u$ rate
Functions $i_{0,+}(u)$ Weight Functions**

Non perturbative uncertainties of
order $(\Delta m_B/m_b m_x^{cut})^2$

$|V_{ub}|$: without shape functions



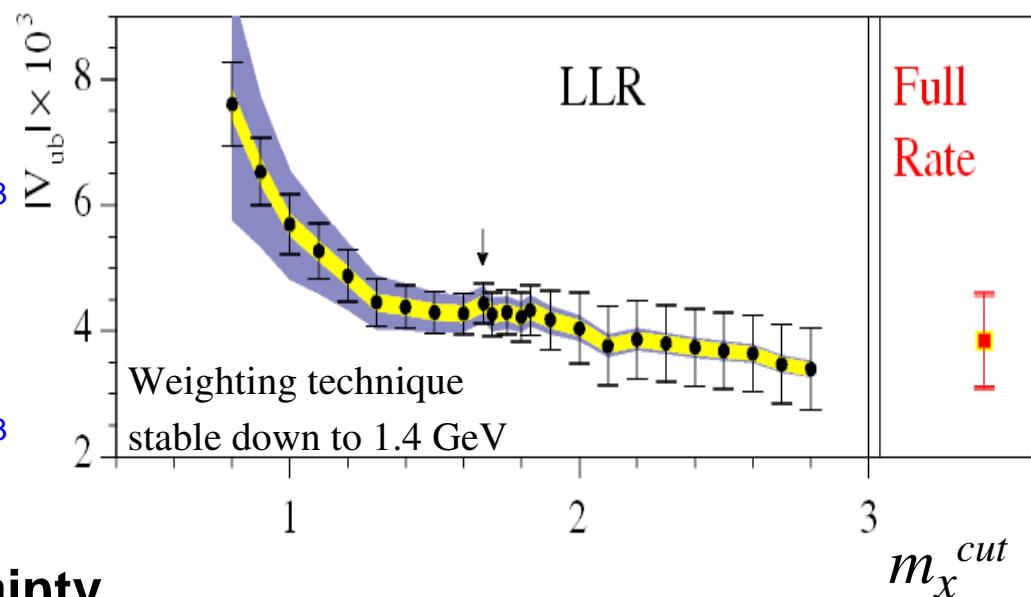
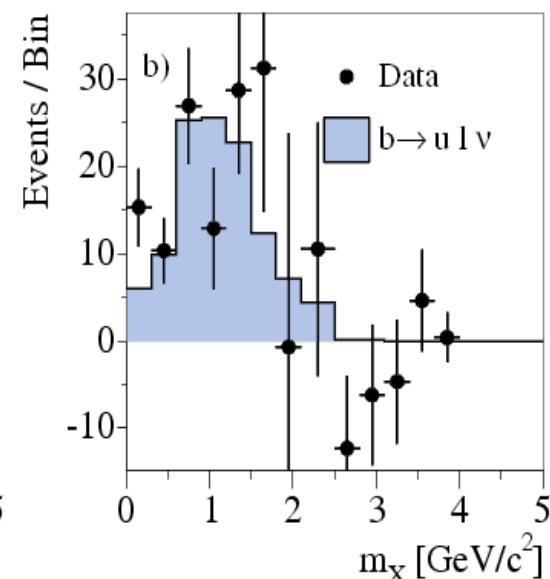
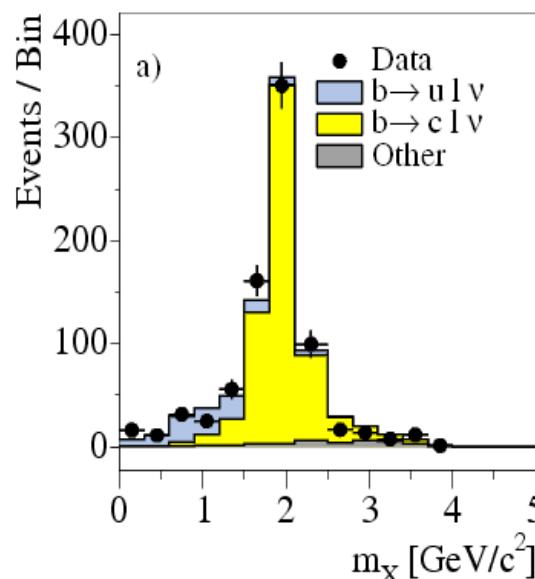
hep-ex/0601046

88×10^6 BB

- Fully reconstructed B recoil analysis:
 - Clear sample & kinematics known
 - Signal extracted from fit to m_x
- Use the full hadronic mass spectra
 - Extract $|V_{ub}|$ from OPE
 - $|V_{ub}| = (3.84 \pm 0.70_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.30_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.10_{\text{th}}) \times 10^{-3}$
- LLR, best error $m_x < 1.67 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 - $|V_{ub}| = (4.43 \pm 0.38_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.25_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.29_{\text{th}}) \times 10^{-3}$

Uncertainty from SF \rightarrow statistical uncertainty

smaller uncertainty from m_b and SF models

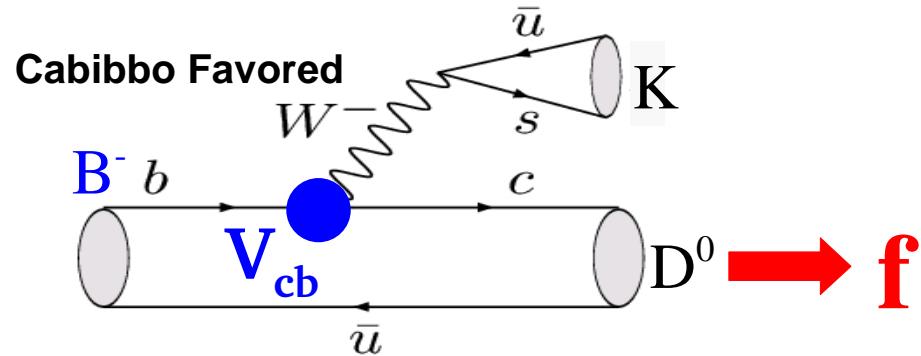


Not yet included in HFAG

γ

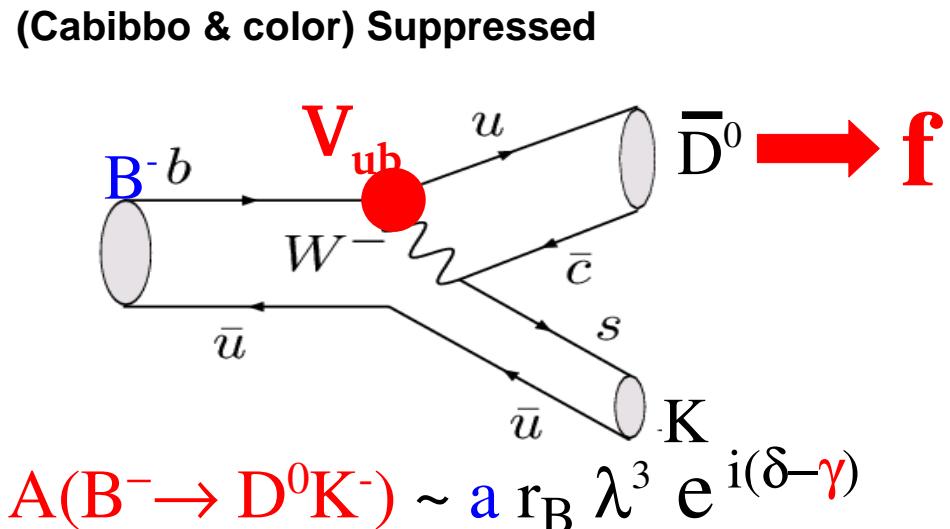
Measurement of γ with $B^\pm \rightarrow D^{(*)} K^{(*)\pm}$

- Exploiting the **interference** among $b \rightarrow \bar{u}s$ and $b \rightarrow \bar{c}\bar{s}$ decay amplitude in charged B
- No Time Dependent analysis required



$$a = A(B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-) \sim \lambda^3$$

δ relative strong phase unknown



$$A(B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-) \sim a r_B \lambda^3 e^{i(\delta - \gamma)}$$

Size of CP asymmetry

$$r_B = \frac{|A(B^+ \rightarrow D^0 K^+)|}{|A(B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^+)|} \approx \frac{|V_{ub}| |V_{cs}|}{|V_{cb}| |V_{us}|} \cdot f_{COL} \approx 0.10$$

Depends on the B decay mode

Large r_B , larger interference, better γ exp. precision

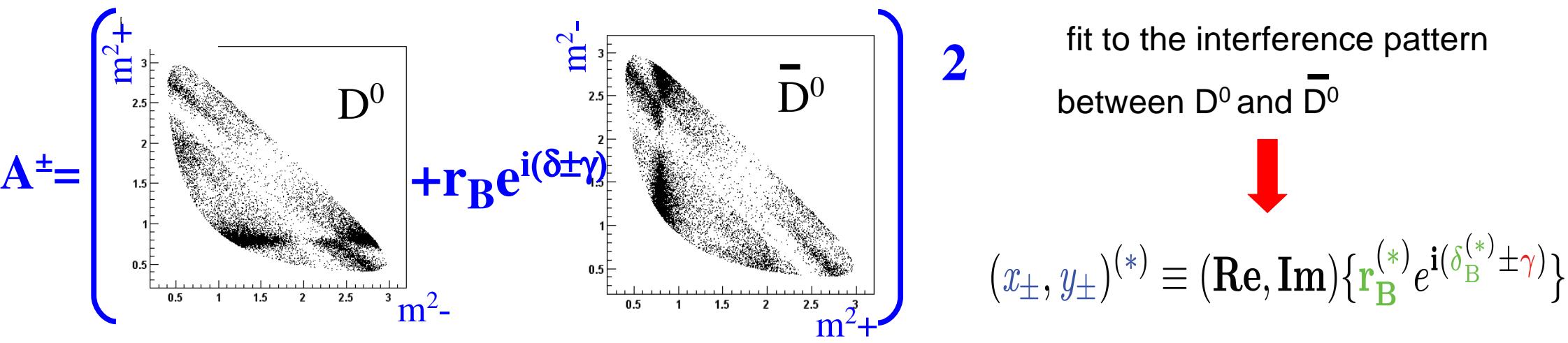
f D final state common to D^0 and \bar{D}^0

- Three body $K_S \pi \pi$ (GGSZ)
- CP eigenstate (GLW)
- Double Cabibbo Suppressed mode (ADS)
 - Not covered in this talk

From Dalitz analysis: $B^\pm \rightarrow D^{(*)} K^\pm$ with $D^0(K_S \pi\pi)$

Giri-Grossman-Soffer-Zupan: PRD68 054018 (2003)

$f = K_S \pi\pi$ 3-body final state accessible through many different decays: **Dalitz Analysis**



Results with 227 million BB

Combining: $DK + D^*K + DK^*$

$DK \quad r_b = 0.12 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.04$

$D^*K \quad r_{b^*} = 0.17 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.03$

$DK^* \quad r_s < 0.19 @ 90\% \text{ CL}$

PRL95 (2005) & hep-ex/0507101

$$\gamma = (67 \pm 28_{\text{stat}} \pm 13_{\text{syst}} \pm 11_{\text{Dalitz}})^\circ$$

Golden Mode for γ

GLW method: $B \rightarrow D[CP\text{-Eigenstate}]K$

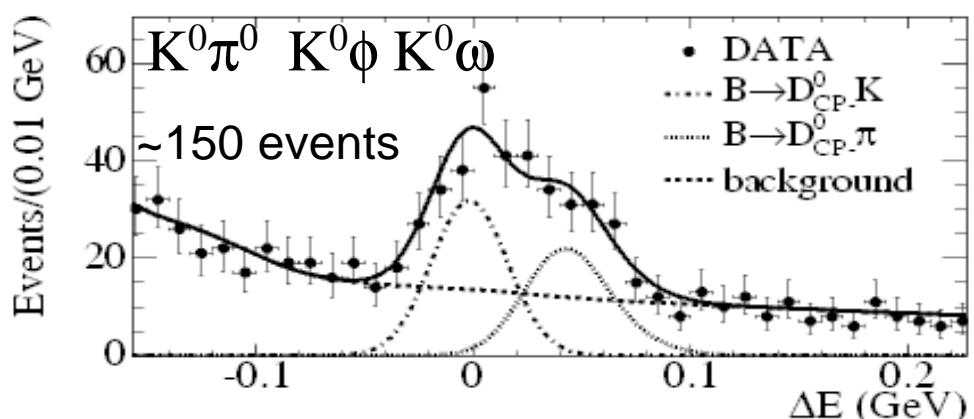
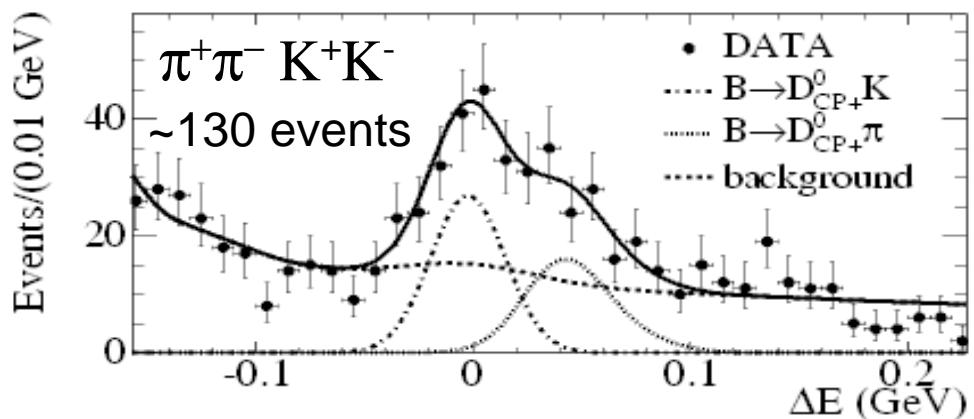
Gronau-London-Wyler: PLB253, 483 PLB265, 172(1991)

Select CP-even and CP-odd final state

Theoretically clean but
8-fold ambiguity
3 ind. observables
3 unknown: r_B, δ_B, γ

$$A_{CP\pm} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow D_{\pm} K^-) - \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow D_{\pm} K^+)}{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow D_{\pm} K^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow D_{\pm} K^+)} = \frac{\pm 2 r_B \sin(\delta_B) \sin(\gamma)}{R_{CP\pm}}$$

$$R_{CP\pm} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow D_{\pm} K^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow D_{\pm} K^+)}{[\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^+)]/2} = 1 + r_B^2 \pm 2 r_B \cos(\delta_B) \cos(\gamma)$$



New

hep-ex/0512067

232 million of BB

D^0 mode	R_{CP}	A_{CP}
$CP+$	$0.90 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.04$	$0.35 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.04$
$CP-$	$0.86 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.05$	$-0.06 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.04$

CP observables expressed in x_{\pm} to allow a direct comparison with Dalitz results

$$x_+ = -0.082 \pm 0.053(\text{stat}) \pm 0.018(\text{syst}),$$

$$x_- = +0.102 \pm 0.062(\text{stat}) \pm 0.022(\text{syst}),$$

$$r^2 = -0.12 \pm 0.08(\text{stat}) \pm 0.03(\text{syst}).$$

- results on x_{\pm} consistent with Dalitz analysis both in central value and in error

Combined results on γ

Dalitz: x_{\pm} & y_{\pm}

GLW: x_{\pm} from R_{CP} and A_{CP}

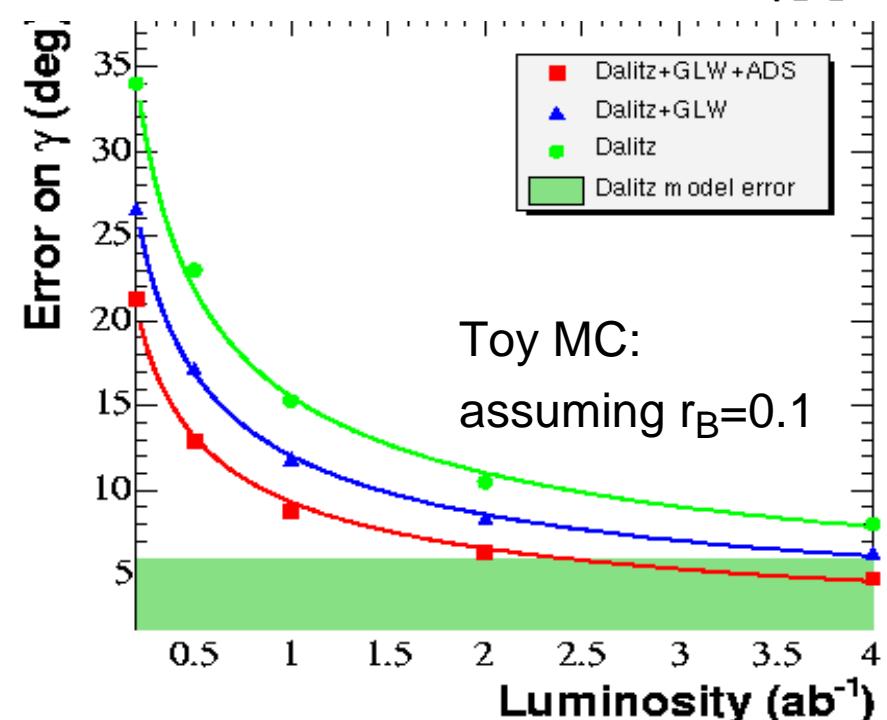
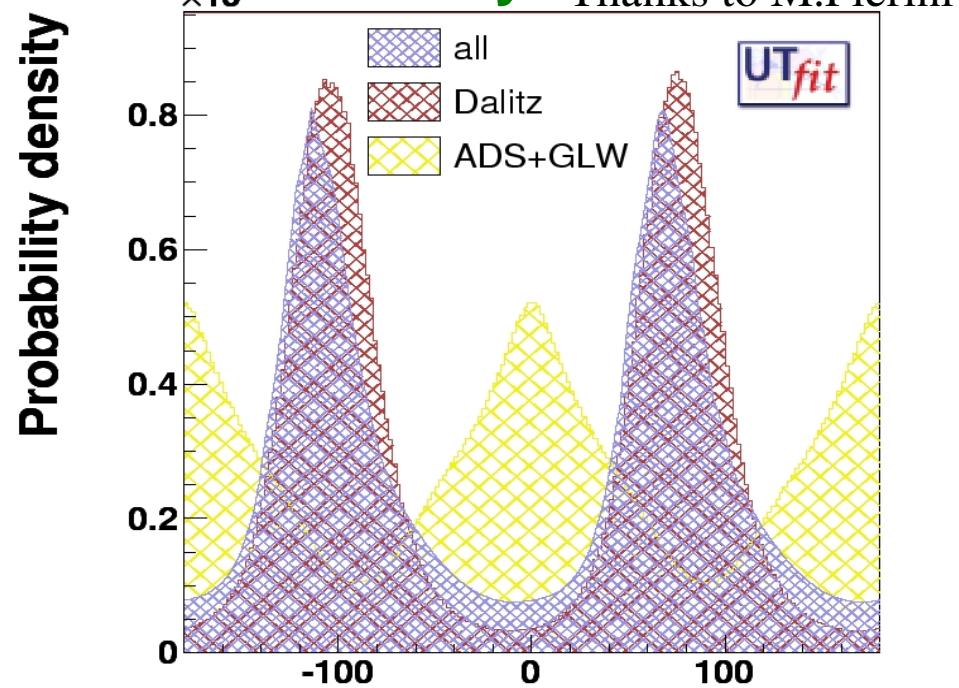
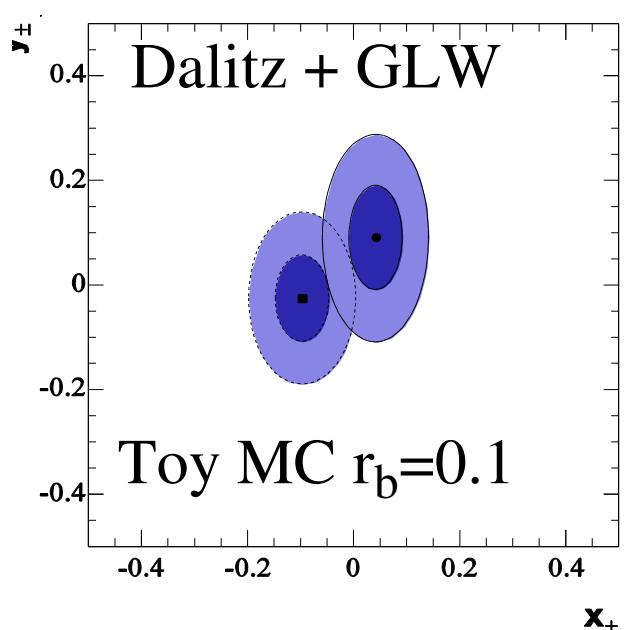
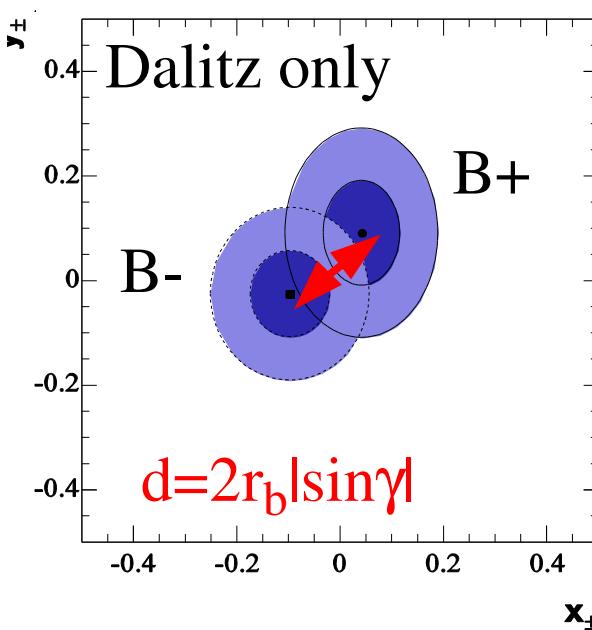
ADS: with current statistics, limit on r_B

$$\gamma_{\text{Dalitz}} = (67 \pm 33)^\circ \quad \text{UTfit results}$$

$$\gamma_{\text{All}} = (72 \pm 30)^\circ \quad \text{SM fits predicts } \gamma = (58 \pm 7)^\circ$$

Small r_B from **GLW** \rightarrow Small improvement on $\sigma(\gamma)$

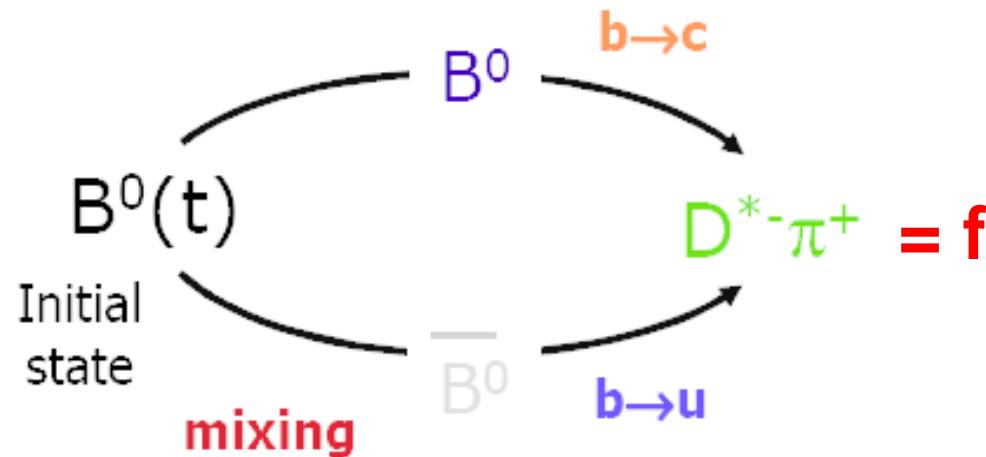
More statistics is needed!



Different path
towards γ ...

Measurement of $\sin(2\beta+\gamma)$ from B^0

- Exploit mixing (2β) and interference between $b \rightarrow c$ and $b \rightarrow u$ transitions (γ) in Time Dependent Analysis like $B^0(t) \rightarrow D^{(*)}\pi(\rho)$



Sensitivity depends on
 $r = |A(b \rightarrow u)/A(b \rightarrow c)|$

Different possible final state f

- $f = D^{(*)}\pi(\rho)$



hep-ex/0602049 & PRD71,112003(2005)

Large BR
but $r \sim 0.02$ small
asymmetry

$|\sin(2\beta+\gamma)| > 0.4$
@90% CL

Not covered
in this talk

- $f = D^{(*)}K^{(*)}0$



Small BR, but expected $r \sim O(1)$
Large asymmetry

Analyzed $\sim 230 \times 10^6$ BB

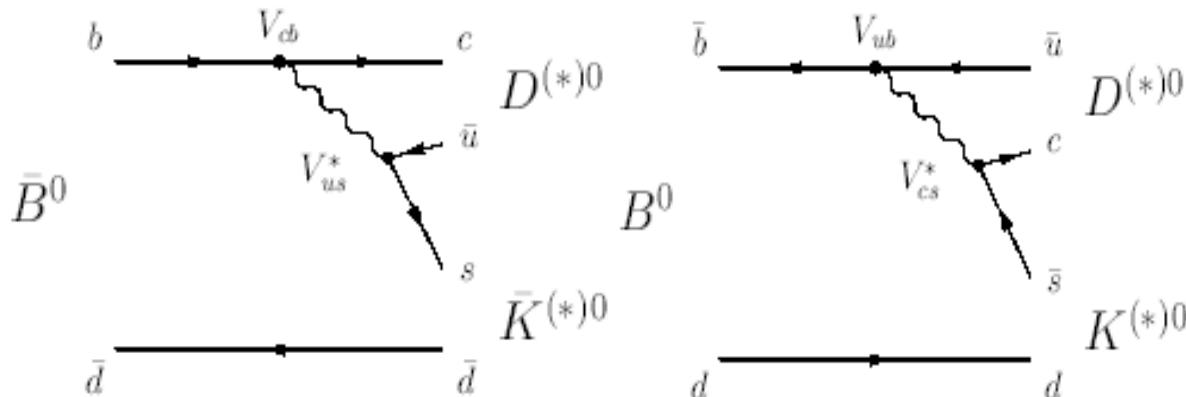
- $f = D^{(*)}a_{0(2)}$

- $f = DK\pi$

$\sin(2\beta + \gamma)$ with $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)0} K^{(*)0}$

PRL78,3257(1997)

PRD61,116013(2001)



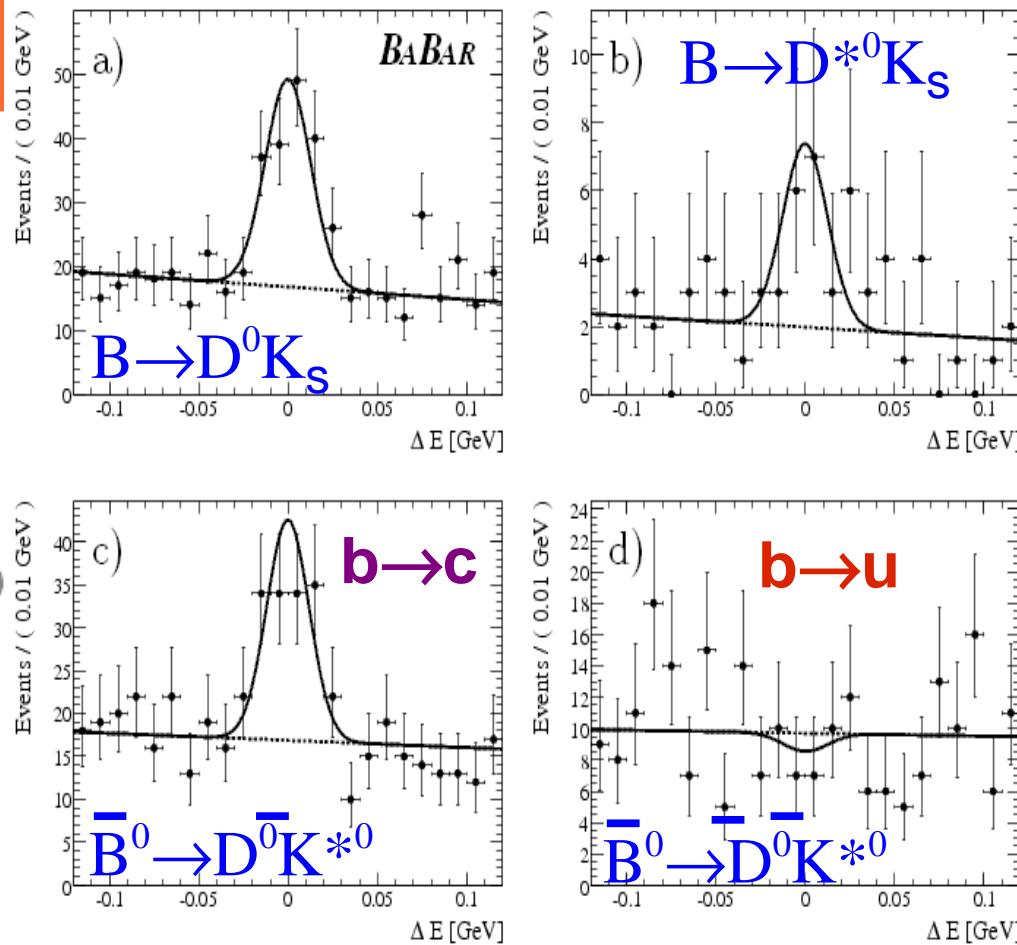
- Both diagrams color suppressed: expected large asymmetry
- Time dependent measurement with $K^0 \rightarrow K_S$
- r_B from self-tagged final states $K^{*0} \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$

$$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^0 \bar{K}^0) = (5.3 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^{*0} \bar{K}^0) = (3.6 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^0 \bar{K}^{*0}) = (4.0 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 \bar{K}^{*0}) = (0.0 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-5}$$



No evidence of $b \rightarrow u$ mode

$\text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow D^0 K^{*0}) < 1.1 \times 10^{-5}$ @ 90% CL

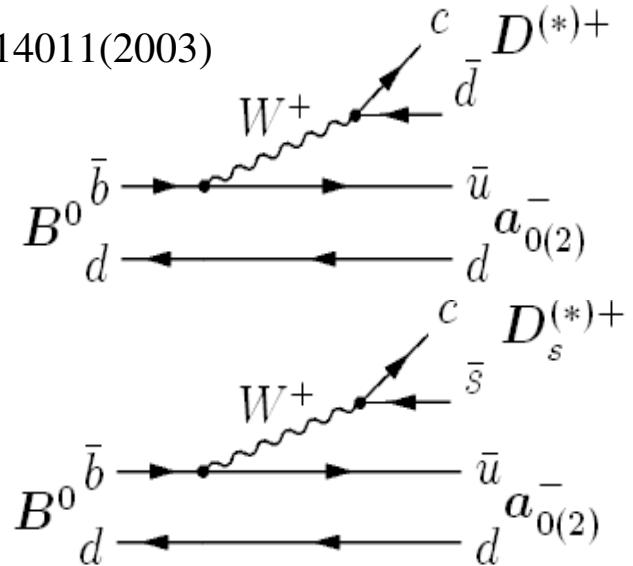
$r_B < 0.40$ @ 90% CL

r_B smaller than theoretical expectation
(~0.4) not useful to measure γ value yet

$\sin(2\beta + \gamma)$ with $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)+} a_{0(2)}^-$: Search for $B^0 \rightarrow D_s^{(*)+} a_{0(2)}^-$

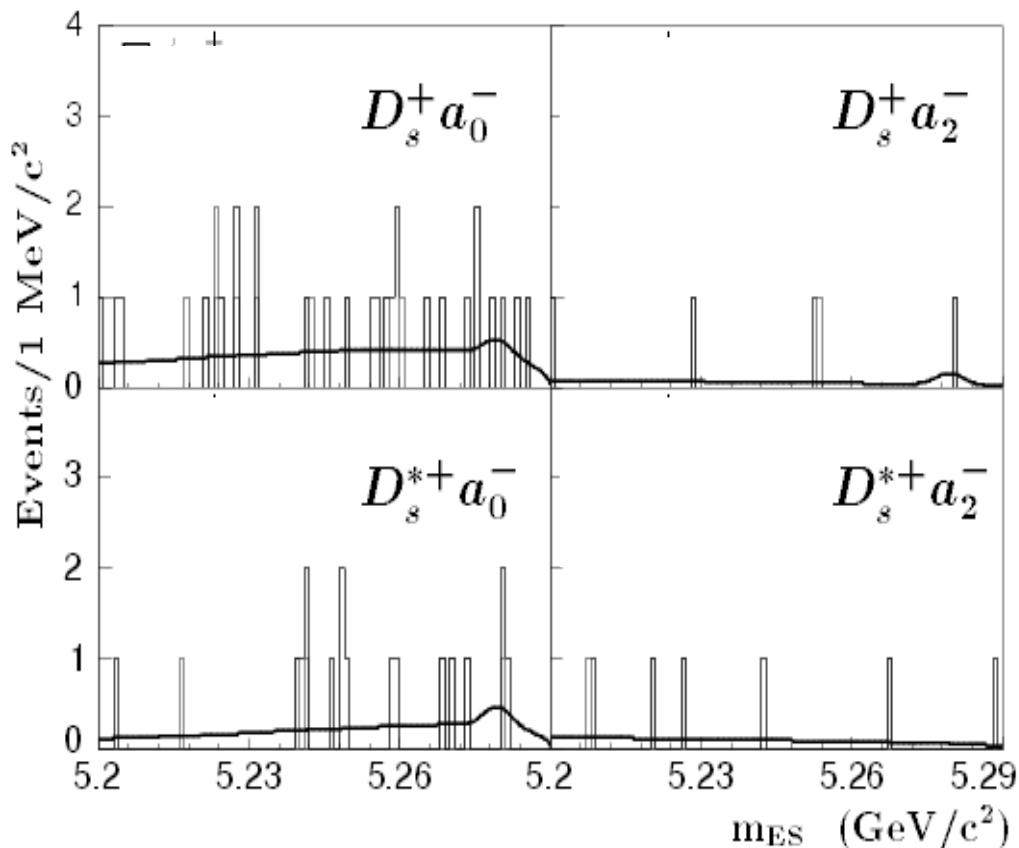
- CKM-favored is suppressed:

PLB517,125(2001),PRD67,014011(2003)



- $B^0 \rightarrow D_s^{(*)+} a_{0(2)}^-$ [hep-ex/0512031](#)

- Constrain (assuming SU(3)) the $b \rightarrow u$ process



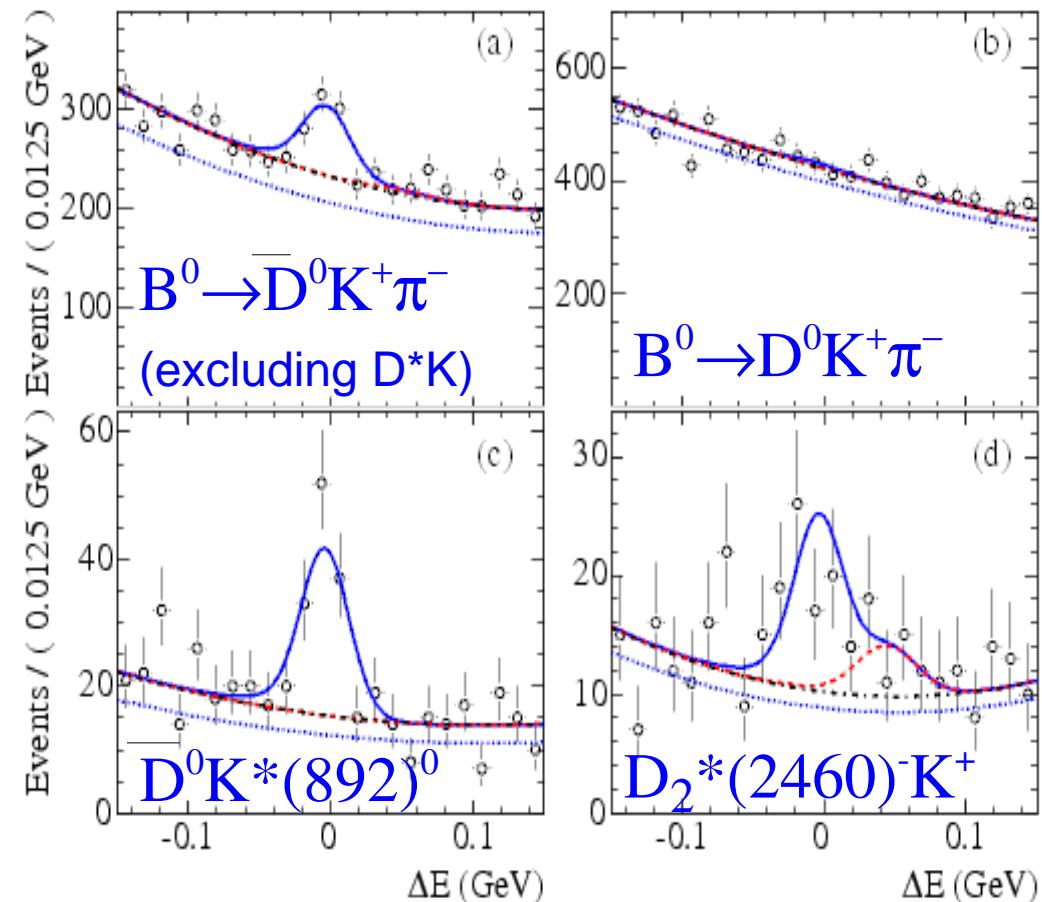
B^0 mode	n_{sig}	$\mathcal{B} [10^{-5}(10^{-7})]$	$U.L. [10^{-5}]$
$D_s^+ a_0^-$	$0.9^{+2.2}_{-1.7}$	$0.6^{+1.4}_{-1.1} \pm 0.1$	$(2.6^{+6.6}_{-5.1} \pm 0.5)$
$D_s^+ a_2^-$	$0.6^{+1.0}_{-0.6}$	$6.4^{+10.4}_{-5.7} \pm 1.5$	$(4.5^{+7.3}_{-4.0} \pm 0.8)$
$D_s^{*+} a_0^-$	$1.5^{+2.3}_{-1.8}$	$1.4^{+2.1}_{-1.6} \pm 0.3$	$(6.5^{+10.1}_{-7.8} \pm 1.2)$
$D_s^{*+} a_2^-$	—	—	$(-)$
			$1.9 (0.09)$
			$19 (0.13)$
			$3.6 (0.17)$
			$20 (0.13)$

Lower than expected from theory:

- UL suggests $\text{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)+} a_{0(2)}^-)$ too low to extract γ with present B-factories
- Revisit $B \rightarrow a_0 X$ transitions and Form-Factors
- Limit of the factorization for this decays?

$B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0/\bar{D}^0 K^+ \pi^-$

- Principle similar to GLW: CP eigenstate isospin analysis to extract γ
 - CKM suppressed $b \rightarrow u c s$ include color-allowed diagrams
 - Expected large rate and large CP violation
 - Dalitz analysis allow to resolve δ , reduce ambiguity to 2-fold



PRL96, 011803(2006) New

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^+ \pi^-) = (88 \pm 15 \pm 9) \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^*(892)^0) \cdot \mathcal{B}(K^*(892)^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-) \\ = (38 \pm 6 \pm 4) \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow D_s^*(2460)^- K^+) \cdot \mathcal{B}(D_s^*(2460)^- \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 \pi^-) \\ = (18.3 \pm 4.0 \pm 3.1) \times 10^{-6}$$

$\text{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^+ \pi^-) < 19 \times 10^{-6} \text{ 90%CL}$

- No significant CKM-suppressed component
- CP violation effects smaller than expected
- Not useful for γ extraction yet

Conclusions

- Many different and independent techniques to extract $|V_{ub}|$ and γ
- The shape function is one of most relevant systematic uncertainty on $|V_{ub}|$
 - First $|V_{ub}|$ extraction with reduced shape function dependence!
- Dalitz gives the best sensitivity to γ :
 - GLW methods can improves the γ extraction: more modes and statistics is needed
 - Many other alternative methods have been evaluated:
 - Less promising than theoretical expectation

