

# First Evidence of $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

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# Motivations to search for

$$B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$



# $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ phenomenology

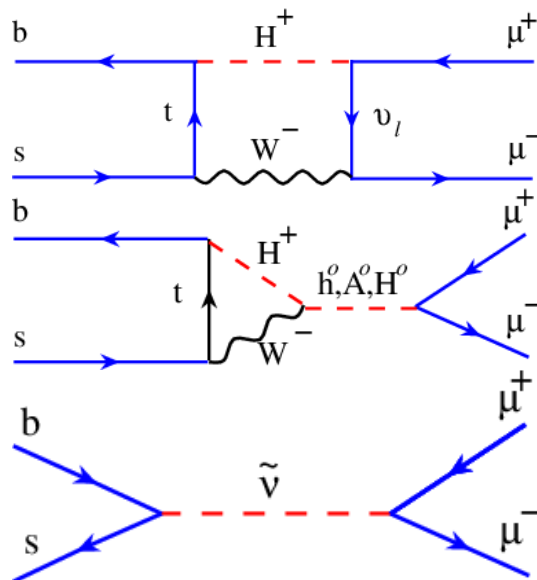
Model independent expression of the Branching Ratio:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) \propto 1 - \frac{4m_\mu^2}{m_{B_s}^2} |C_S - C'_S|^2 + \left| (C_P - C'_P) + 2 \frac{m_\mu}{m_{B_s}} (C_{10} - C'_{10}) \right|^2$$

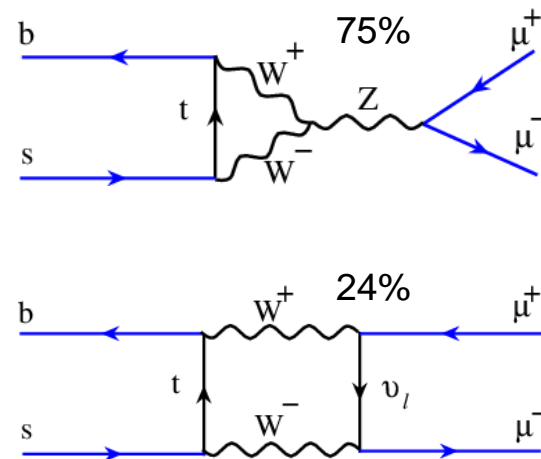
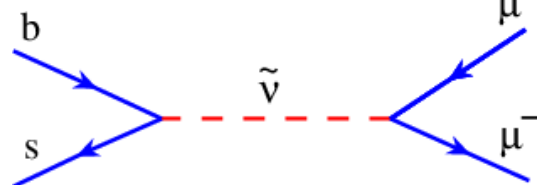
In MSSM:  $C_{S,P}^{MSSM} \propto \frac{m_b^2 m_\mu^2 \tan^6 \beta}{M_A^4}$

SM contributions:

2HDM:



RPV:

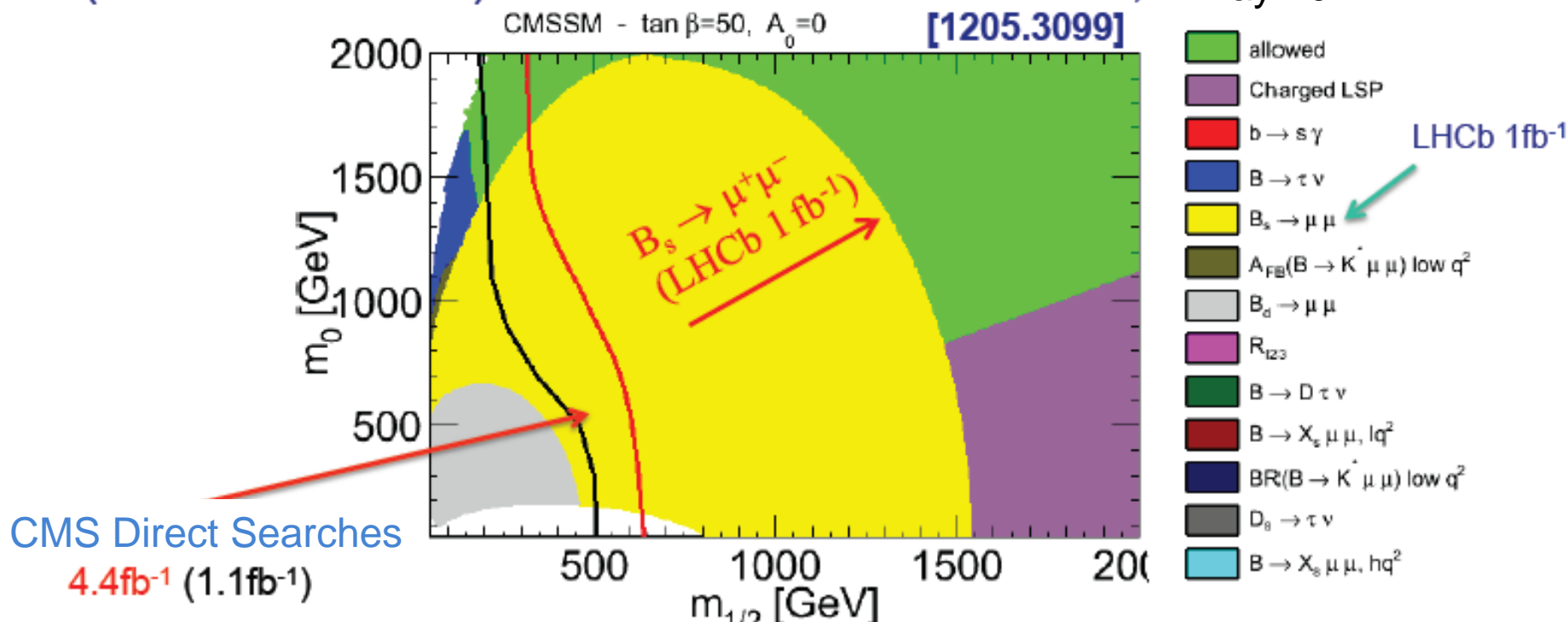


# Constraints from $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

(NUHM1 similar)

F. Mahmoudi,  
[1205.3099]

May 2012



# Experimental Picture

# Experimental Observable

- Neutral  $B_s^0$  mesons **oscillate**:

$$\langle \Gamma(B_s^0(t) \rightarrow f) \rangle \equiv R_H^f e^{-\Gamma_H^s t} + R_L^f e^{-\Gamma_L^s t}$$

- Experimental observable is the **time integrated BR**:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow f)_{\text{exp}} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty \langle \Gamma(B_s^0(t) \rightarrow f) \rangle dt$$

- Theoretical definition for the prediction:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow f)_{\text{theo}} \equiv \frac{\tau_{B_s^0}}{2} \langle \Gamma(B_s^0(t) \rightarrow f) \rangle \Big|_{t=0}$$

- Time integrated prediction:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)_{\text{exp}}^{\text{SM}} = (3.54 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-9}$$

# Historical Picture

- The story begins in 1984 at CLEO:

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## Two-body decays of $B$ mesons

### B. Search for exclusive $\bar{B}^0$ decays into two charged leptons

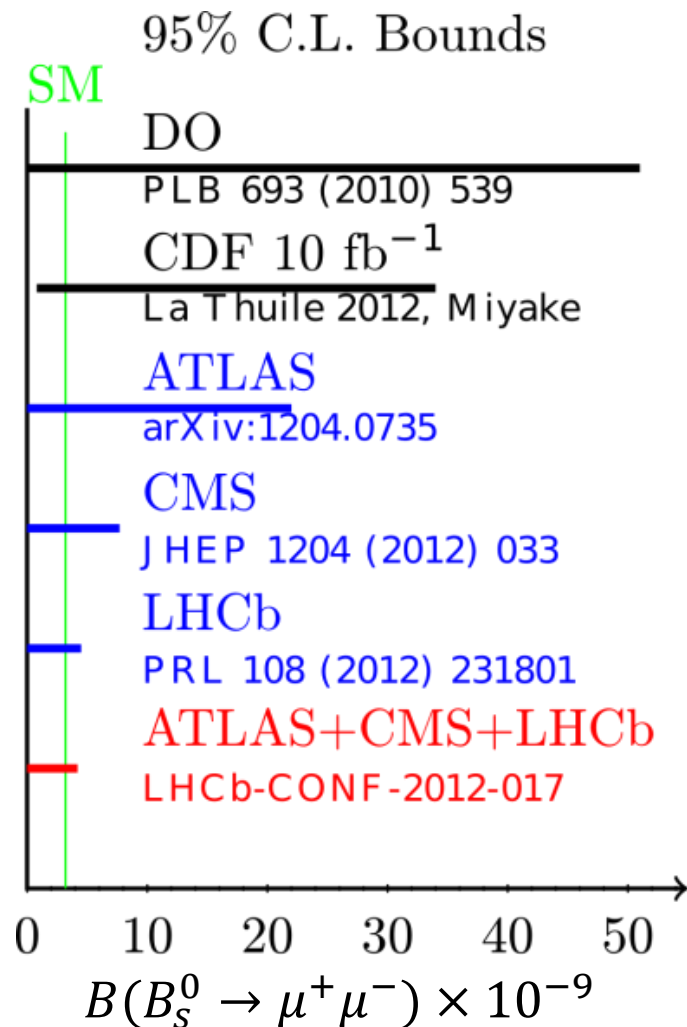
Our search for the  $\pi^+\pi^-$  final state is not sensitive to the mass of the final-state particles, provided that they are light, since the mass enters only in the energy constraint. Therefore, the upper limit of 0.05% applies for any final-state particles with a pion mass or less. When the final-state particles are leptons the limits are improved by using the lepton identification capabilities of the CLEO detector.<sup>14</sup> For the decay  $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ , we improve our limit by requiring that both muons penetrate the iron and produce signals in drift chambers. We find no such events. After correcting for detection efficiency (33%), we set an upper limit of 0.02% at 90% confidence for this decay. We im-

- Since then:

CLEO, ARGUS, UA1, Belle, BaBar, D0, CDF, ATLAS, CMS, **LHCb**



# Experimental Status



June 2012

- LHCb Results:

$$B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 1.0 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 4.5 \times 10^{-9}$$

- Significant NP enhancements ruled out for  $B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$

- Road map now:

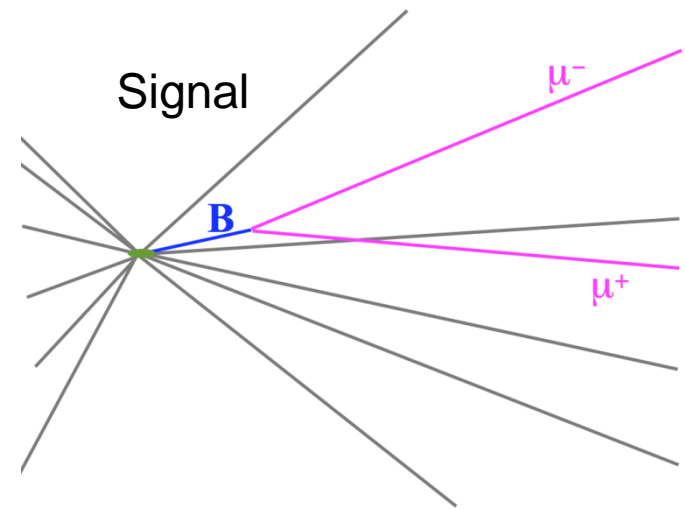
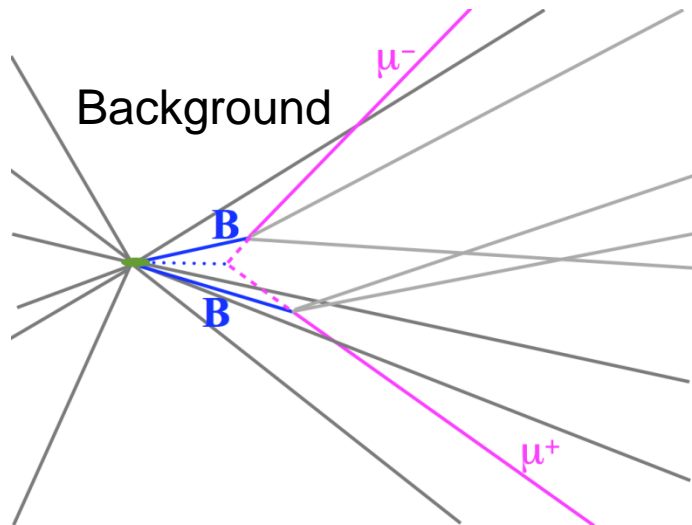
- Constrain  $B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$

- Measure  $B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$

# Two key points to look for $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ :

1. Production of  $B$  mesons: (x-section and trigger)
2. Separation Signal/Background (detector performance)

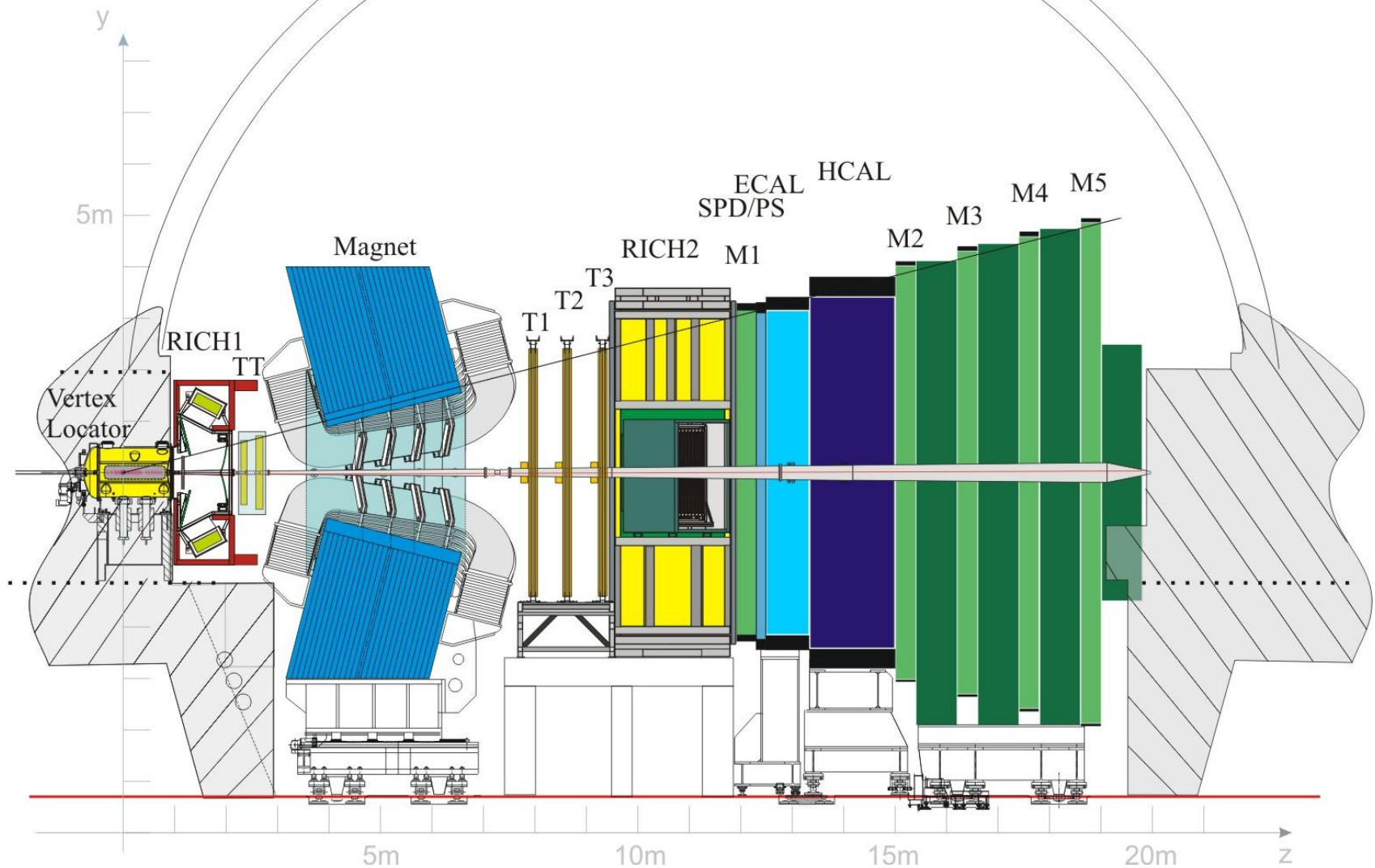
➤ Combinatorial background:  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow \mu\mu X$



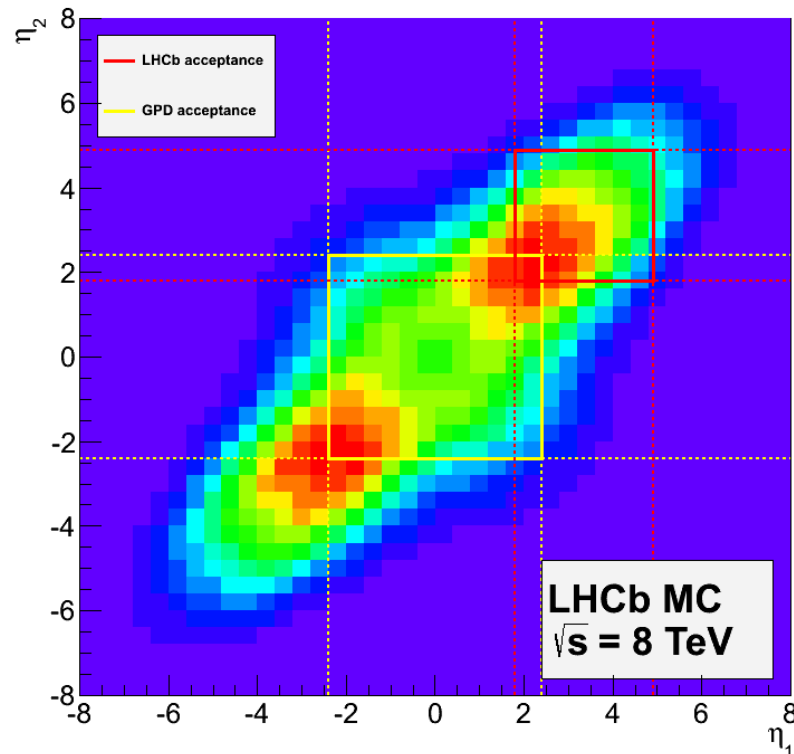
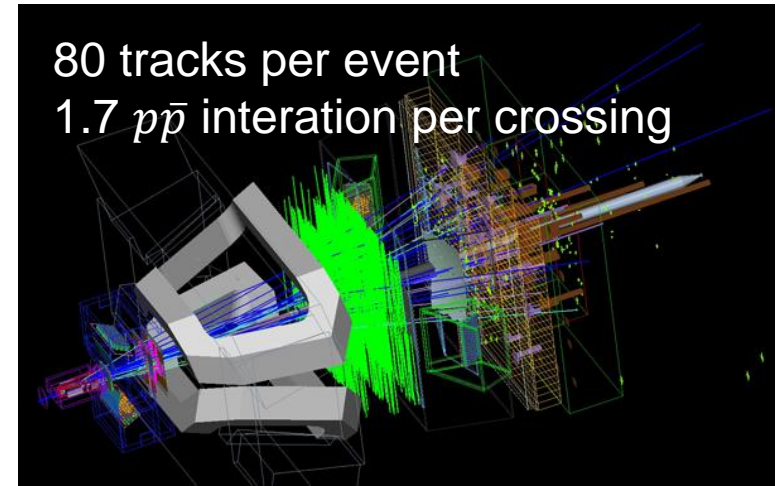
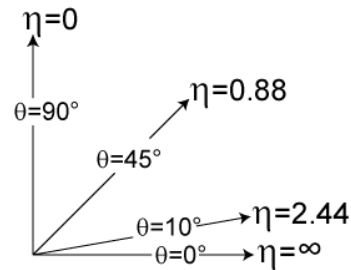
➤ Physical Backgrounds:

e.g.  $B \rightarrow K\pi, KK, \pi\pi$  where  $K, \pi$  decay in flight to  $\mu$

# Searching for $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb



- The LHCb detector:
  - Single arm **forward** spectrometer
  - Acceptance:  $2 < \eta < 6$



- **Key Point 1: Production** of  $B$  mesons:  
b quarks are produced forward

Exp.	Accept.	X-section	$b\bar{b}$ pairs
CDF	$ \eta  < 1$	$6.3 \pm 0.6 \mu b$	$\sim 1 \times 10^9$
ATLAS CMS	$ \eta  < 2.2$	$75 \pm 17 \mu b$	$\sim 4 \times 10^{11}$
LHCb	$2 < \eta < 6$	$94 \pm 8 \mu b$	$\sim 9 \times 10^{10}$

arXiv: 1207.4287v2

# LHCb Trigger for $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

Sig. candidates triggered by the  $\mu$ -lines:

- **Single muon**

L0 requires 1 muon with  $p_T > 1.76 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

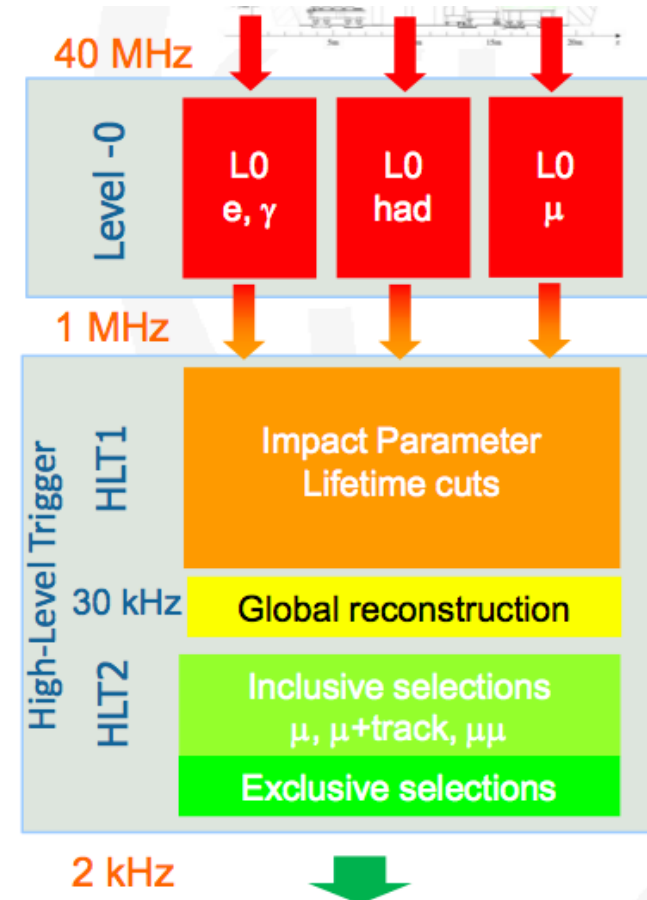
HLT require IP and mass cut

- **Di-muons**

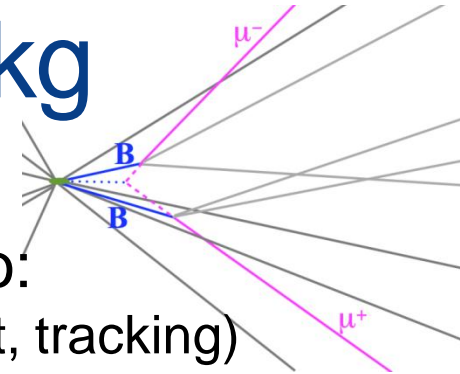
L0 requires di-muons with  $\sqrt{p_{T,1} p_{T,2}} > 1.6 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

HLT require IP and mass cut

Overall: 90% of the sig. candidates pass the trigger



# Key Point 2: Separation Sig/Bkg



**Sig Separated from Combinatorial Bkg** thanks to:

- excellent **mass** and **momentum resolution** (magnet, tracking)

$$\frac{\delta p}{p} \sim 0.4 \rightarrow 0.6\% \text{ for } p = 5 \rightarrow 500 \text{ GeV}/c$$

$$\Delta m_{\mu\mu} \sim 25 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \text{ (2 [3-4] times better than CMS [ATLAS])}$$

- excellent **secondary vertex resolution**: (high boost and tracking)

$B$  average flight distance  $10 \text{ mm}$

$$\sigma_{IP} = 25 \mu\text{m} \text{ at } p_t = 2 \text{ GeV}/c$$

**Sig Separated from Physical Bkg** thanks to:

- **particle identification** information (RICH – muons chambers)

$$\epsilon(\mu \rightarrow \mu) \sim 98\%$$

$$\epsilon(\pi \rightarrow \mu) \sim 0.6\%$$

$$\epsilon(K \rightarrow \mu) \sim 0.3\%$$

$$\epsilon(p \rightarrow \mu) \sim 0.3\%$$

# LHCb Analysis

# Overview of the Analysis

## Strategy:

1. Loose selection
2. Classify events in a 2D binned plane
  - $m_{\mu\mu}$  x BDT combining topological information

and derive expectations for sig and bkg

- need control channels

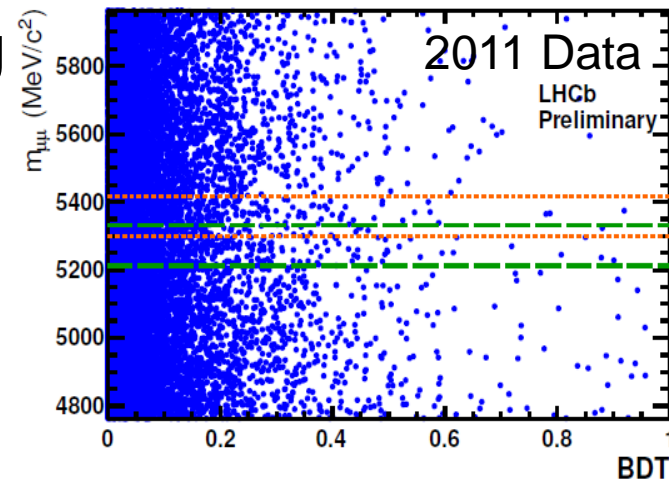
$$B \rightarrow hh' \text{ and } B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$$

3. Extract Limit and BR

## Data Set:

$1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1} + 1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  collected in 2011 and 2012 at 7 and 8 TeV

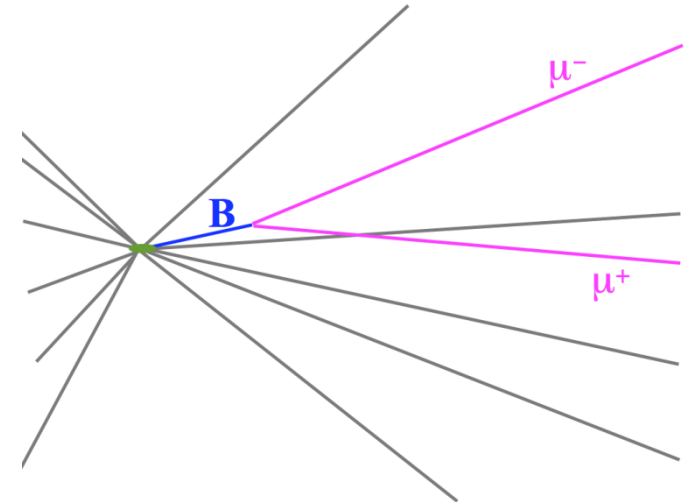
**Blind analysis:** all choices are made without looking at the signal region





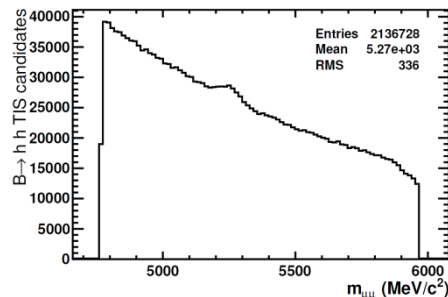
# Selection

- Selection should be:
  - **very efficient** for the signal
  - similar for signal and **control channels**
- **Initial Selection** requires:
  - good tracks with a large impact parameter
  - good and displaced secondary vertex pointing to the primary vertex
- **Tighten** initial selection to reduce combinatorial Bkg:
  - cut on a output of a **MVA** combining information about the candidate **topology**

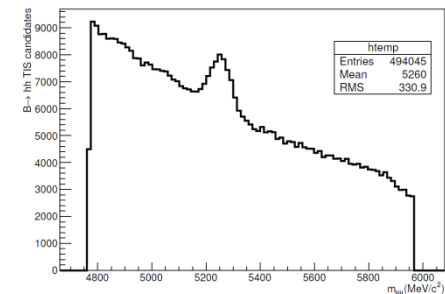


80% background rejection for 92% signal efficiency.

$B \rightarrow hh'$  after  
Initial Selection

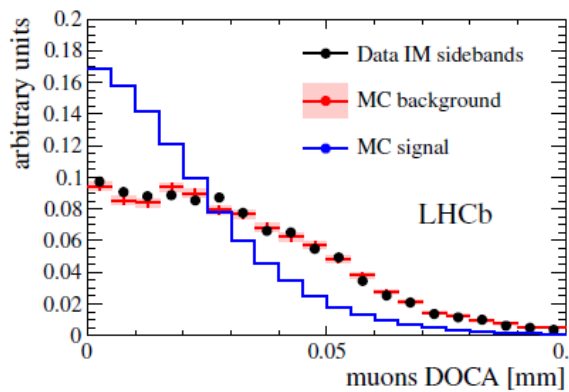
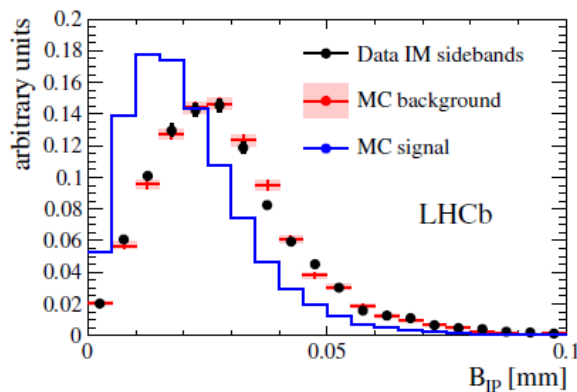


$B \rightarrow hh'$  after  
Tight Selection



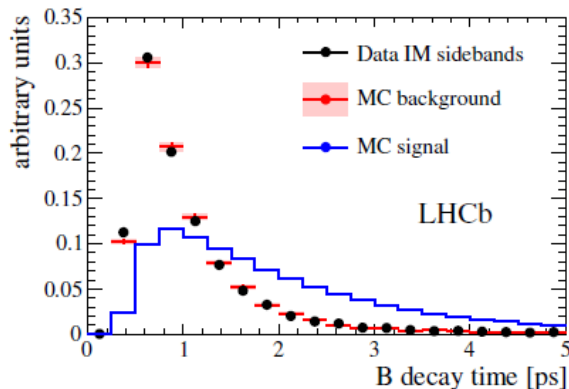
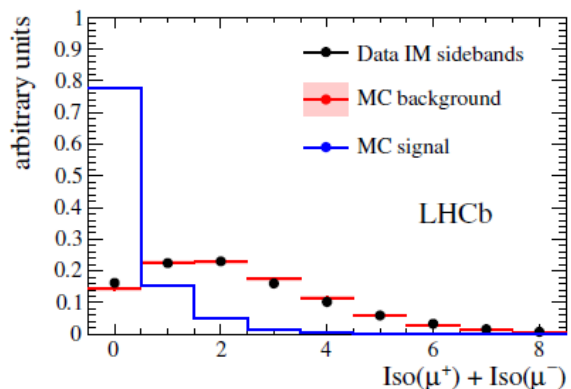
# Classification - BDT

- Boosted Decision Tree
- Inputs : 9 inputs variables uncorrelated with  $m_{\mu\mu}$
- Trained and tested on MC signal and  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow \mu\mu X$



B candidate:

- proper time
- impact parameter
- transverse momentum
- B isolation

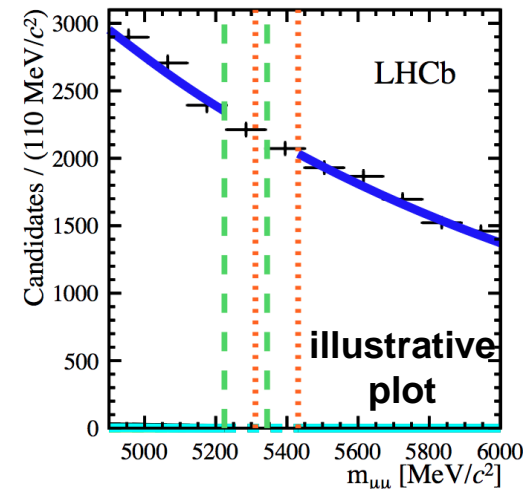
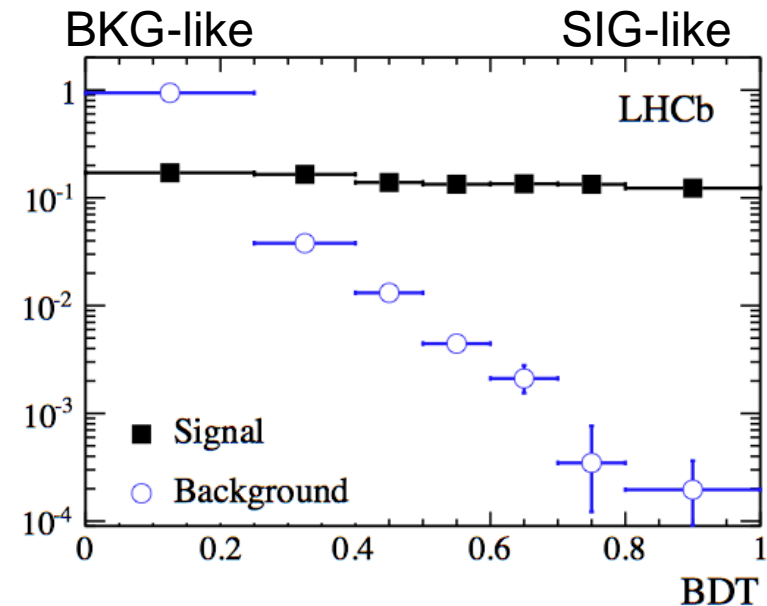


muons:

- min  $p_T$
- min IP significance
- dist. of closest approach
- muon isolation,
- polarisation angle

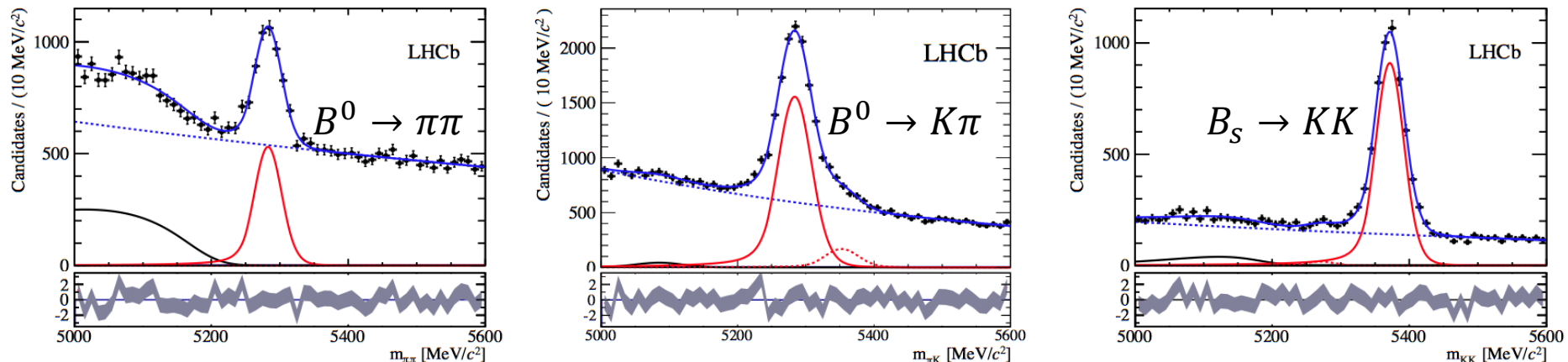
# Classification - BDT

- Flat for signal by design
- Sig line shape calibrated on data using an unbiased  $B \rightarrow hh'$  sample (same topology as sig)
- Combinatorial Bkg derived from data by interpolating from the mass side-bands



# Sig Mass PDF - Mean

- Signal Crystal Ball Shape
- Mean taken from  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi, K\pi$  and  $B_s \rightarrow KK$



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$m_{B^0}$	$(5284.36 \pm 0.26_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.13_{\text{syst}}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
$m_{B_s^0}$	$(5371.55 \pm 0.41_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.16_{\text{syst}}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$

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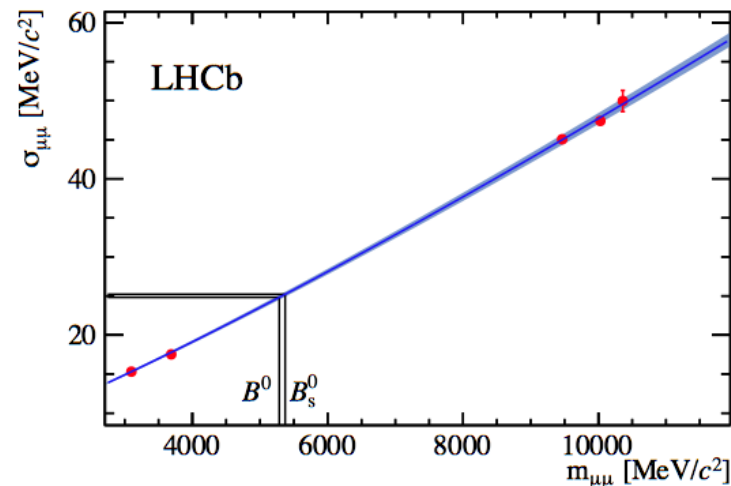
- The two modes are resolved:  $m_{B_s} - m_{B_d} \sim 87 \text{ MeV} \sim 3.5\sigma_{B^0}$

# Sig Mass PDF - Resolution

- $m_{\mu\mu}$  resolution depends on the invariant mass central value:

Interpolate the resolution of the resonances:

$J/\psi$ ,  $\psi(2S)$ ,  $\Upsilon(1S, 2S, 3S)$



- Averaging with the resolution obtained from the  $B \rightarrow hh'$  fits:

$$\sigma_{B^0} = (24.63 \pm 0.13_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.36_{\text{syst}}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\sigma_{B_s^0} = (25.04 \pm 0.18_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.36_{\text{syst}}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

# Normalisation

- Number of signal events corresponding to a  $B$  :

$$N_{B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-} \propto B(B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) \times N_{B_s}$$

- $N_{B_s}$  cannot be obtained directly and precisely at hadron collider
- Need to normalise to a channel of known Br:

$$N_{B_s} \propto \frac{N_{B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+}}{B(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+)} \times \frac{f_s}{f_d} \qquad N_{B_s} \propto \frac{N_{B^0 \rightarrow K\pi}}{B(B^0 \rightarrow K\pi)} \times \frac{f_s}{f_d}$$

- Correcting for efficiencies:  $N_{B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-} =$

$$B(B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) \times \frac{N_{\text{norm}}}{B_{\text{norm}}} \frac{\epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{REC}} \epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{SEL,REC}}}{\epsilon_{\text{norm}}^{\text{REC}} \epsilon_{\text{norm}}^{\text{SEL,REC}}} \frac{\epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{TRIG,SEL}}}{\epsilon_{\text{norm}}^{\text{TRIG,SEL}}} \frac{f_{B_{(s)}^0}}{f_{\text{norm}}} = \frac{B(B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\alpha_{\text{norm}}}$$

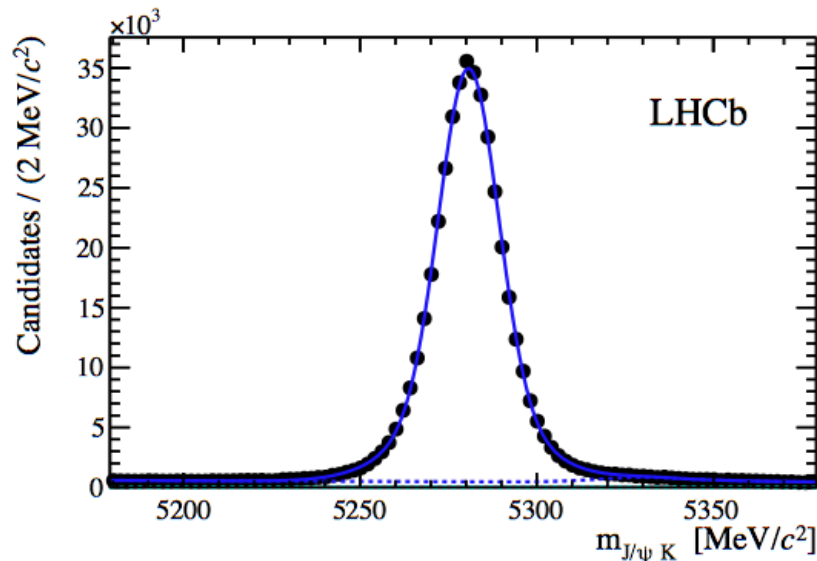
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from Data

Evaluated from MC,  
x-checked with data

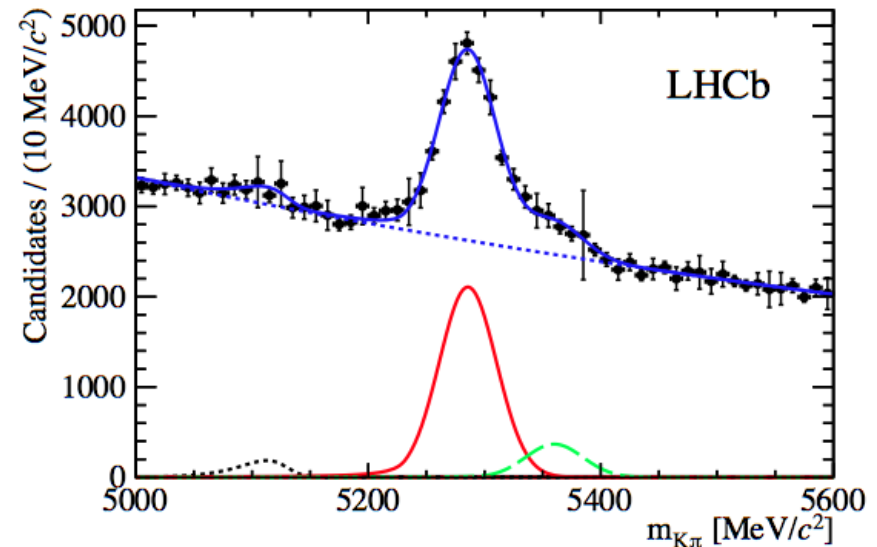
Measured on  
data

Ratio of prob for a  $b$  quark  
to hadronise into a  $B_{(s)}^0$  or  
into the norm. init. state

$$B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$$



$$B^0 \rightarrow K\pi$$



- Use  $f_s/f_d$  measured at LHCb PRD85 (2012) 032008 and LHCb-PAPER-2012-037
- Weighted average of the 2 channels:

$$\alpha_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-} = (2.80 \pm 0.25) \times 10^{-10}$$

$$\alpha_{B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-} = (7.16 \pm 0.34) \times 10^{-11}$$

SM expectations 2012+2011 in the mass windows:

$$13 + 11 \ B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \quad \text{and} \quad 1.5 + 1.3 \ B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

# Combinatorial Background

- 2011 strategy**

Exponential interpolation from the mass side-bands:

$$[4900 - 5000] \cup [5432 - 6000] \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

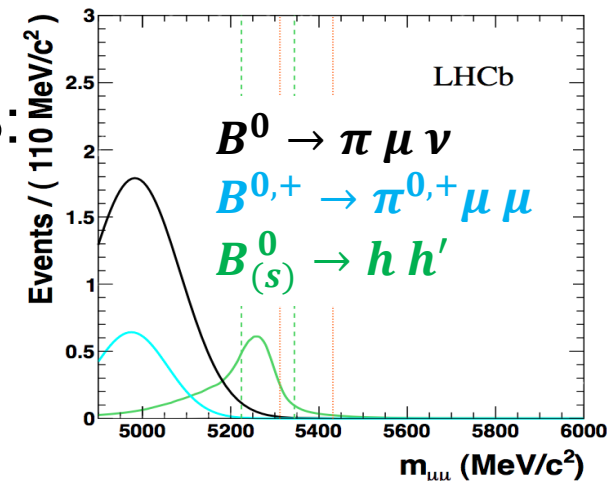
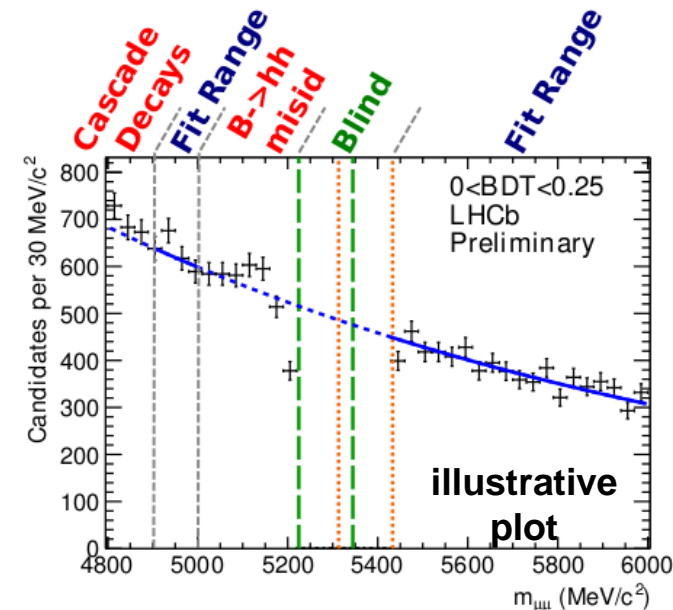
- 2012 refinement**

Study additional background sources:

$$B^0 \rightarrow \pi \mu \nu \quad \text{and} \quad B^{0,+} \rightarrow \pi^{0,+} \mu \mu$$

➤ Yields for  $[4900 - 6000] \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ,  $\text{BDT} > 0.8$ :

$B^0 \rightarrow \pi \mu \nu$	$4.04 \pm 0.28$
$B^{0,+} \rightarrow \pi^{0,+} \mu \mu$	$1.32 \pm 0.39$
$B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow h h'$	$1.37 \pm 0.11$

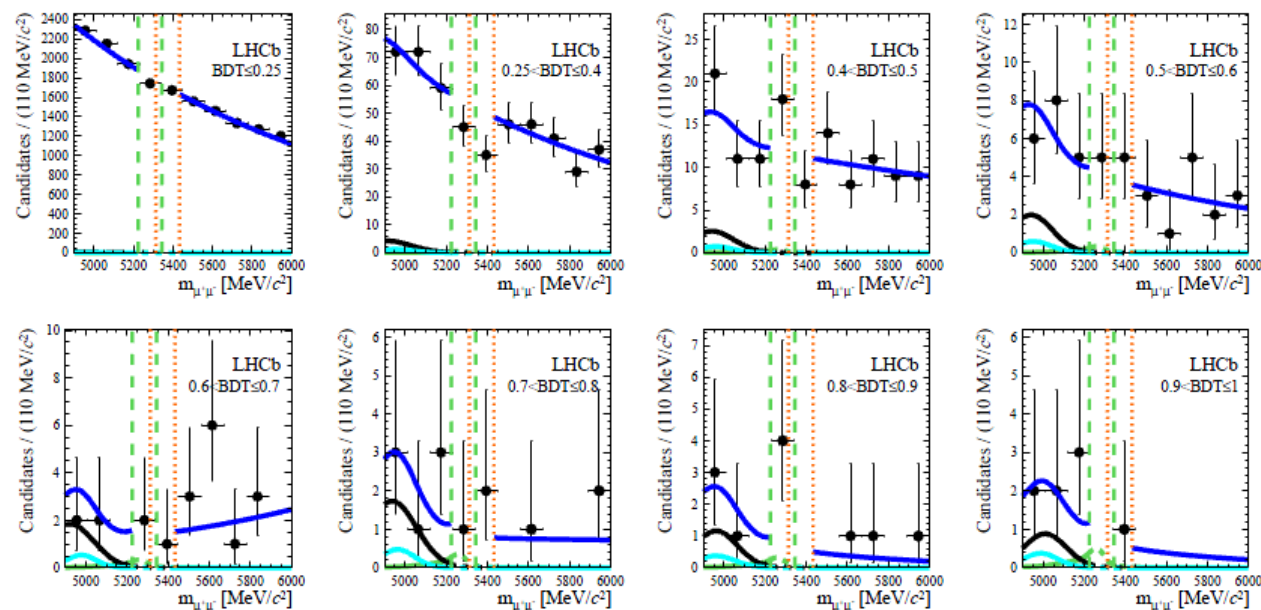
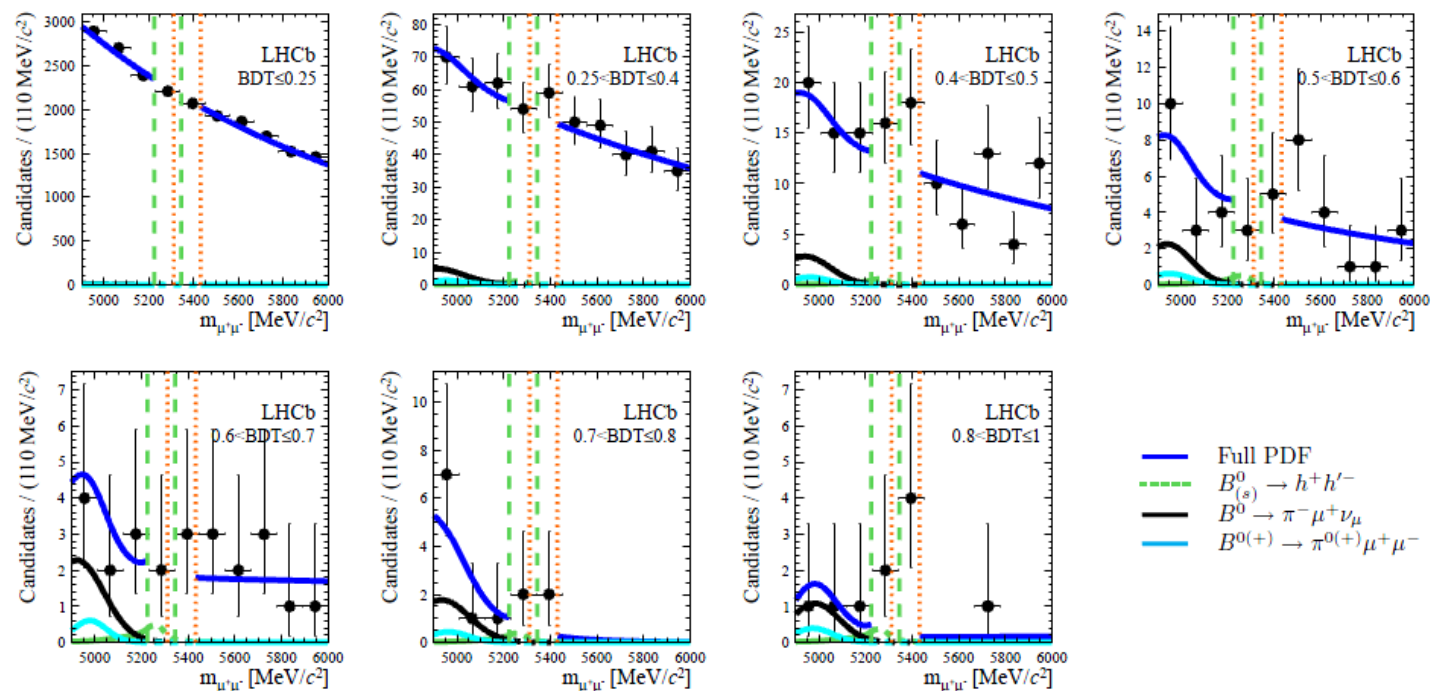




# Combinatorial Background Interpolation

- Fit the mass side-bands with an exponential and **separate PDFs** for  $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow h h'$ ,  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi \mu \nu$  and  $B^{0,+} \rightarrow \pi^{0,+} \mu \mu$
- **PDF determination** of Exclusive Bkg:
  - Derive **misld probability**  $\pi, K \rightarrow \mu$  on data in  $p$  and  $p_T$  bins
  - Apply these probabilities to large **MC samples**
  - Mass and BDT PDF extracted from the weighted MC sample
  - **Normalisation** to  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$
- **Other backgrounds** studied; all negligible:  
$$B_s^0 \rightarrow K \mu \nu, \quad \Lambda_b \rightarrow p \mu \nu, \quad B_c \rightarrow J\psi(\mu\mu) \mu \nu$$

2012

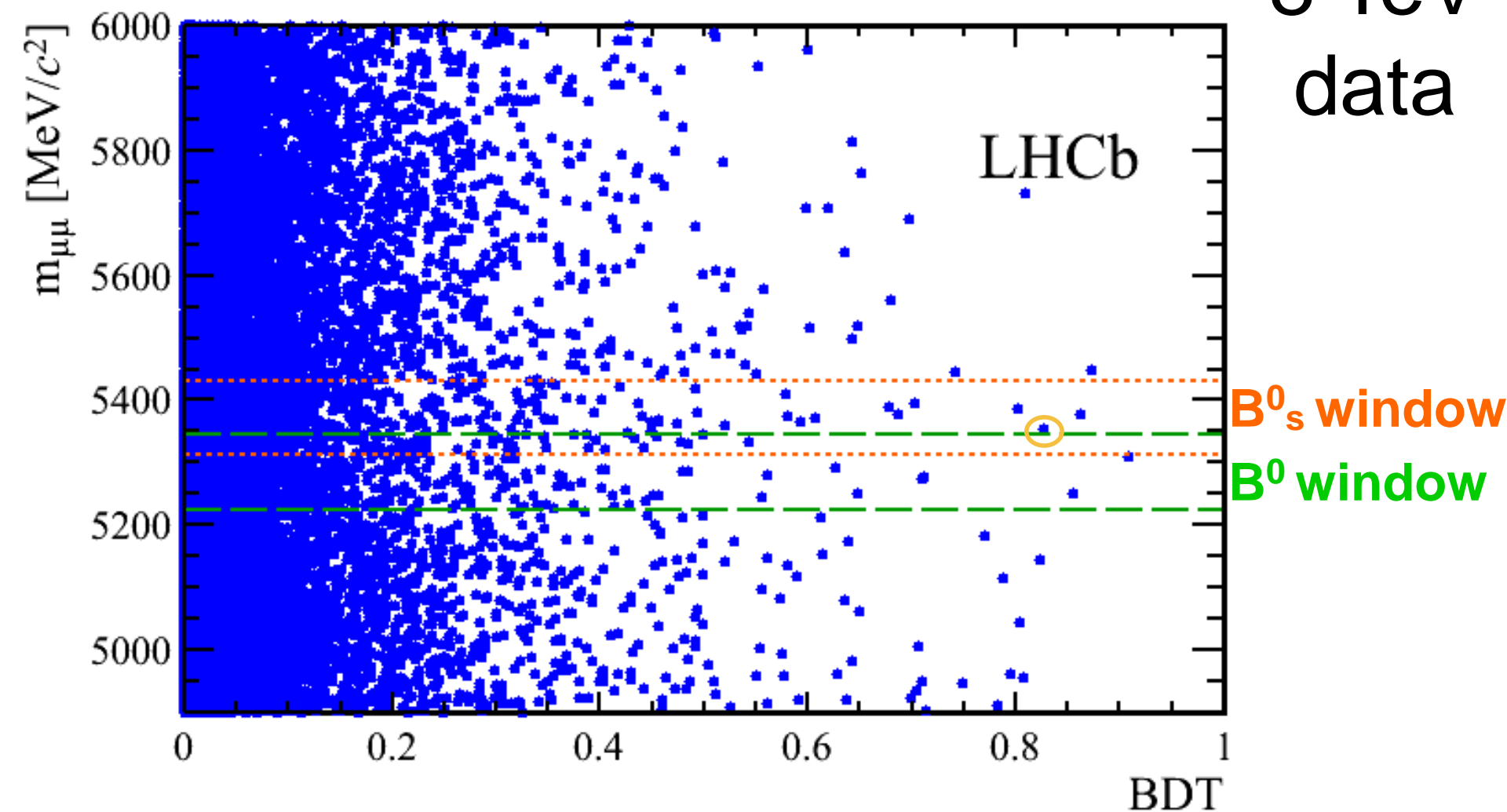


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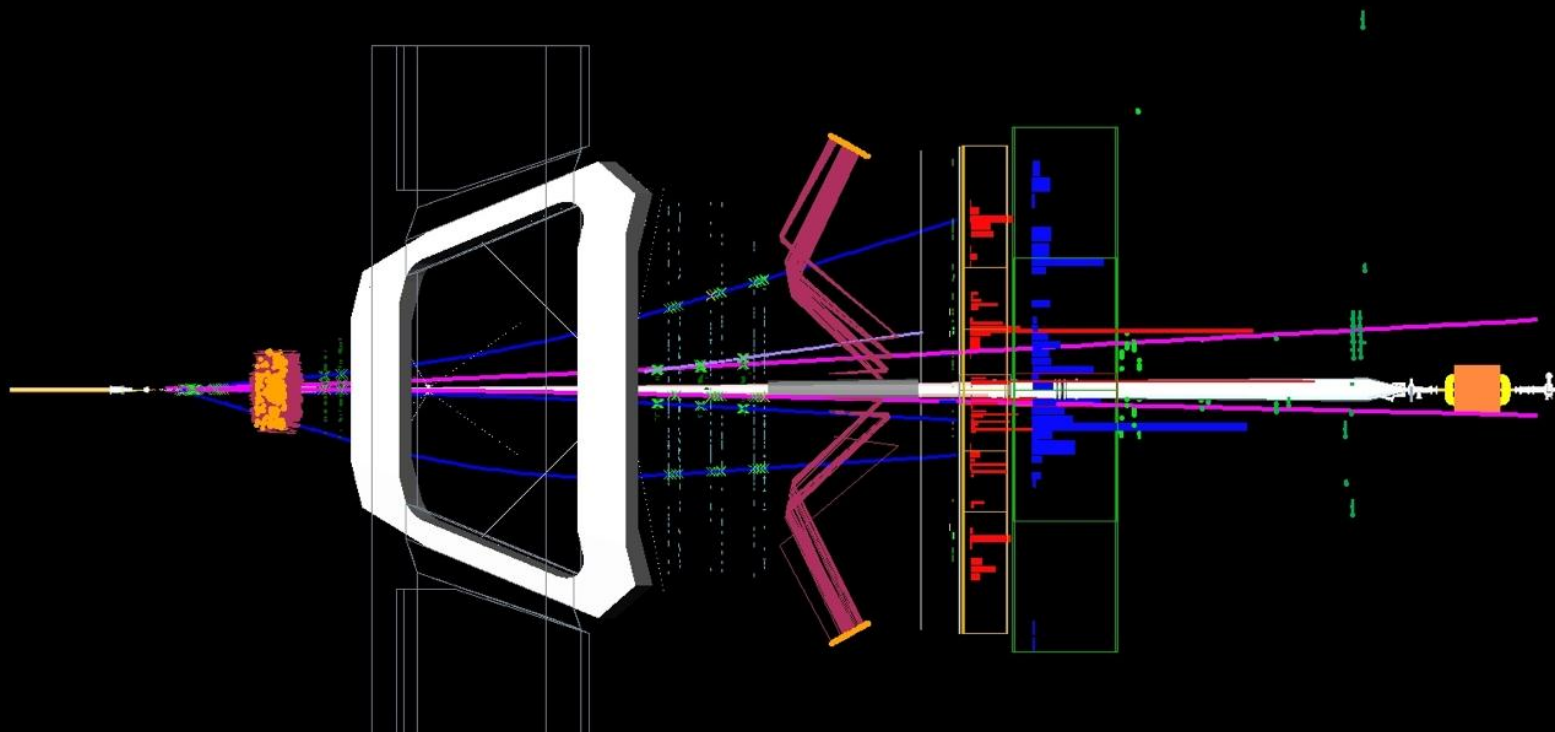
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2012  
8 TeV  
data

# Mass-BDT plane



# $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ Candidate



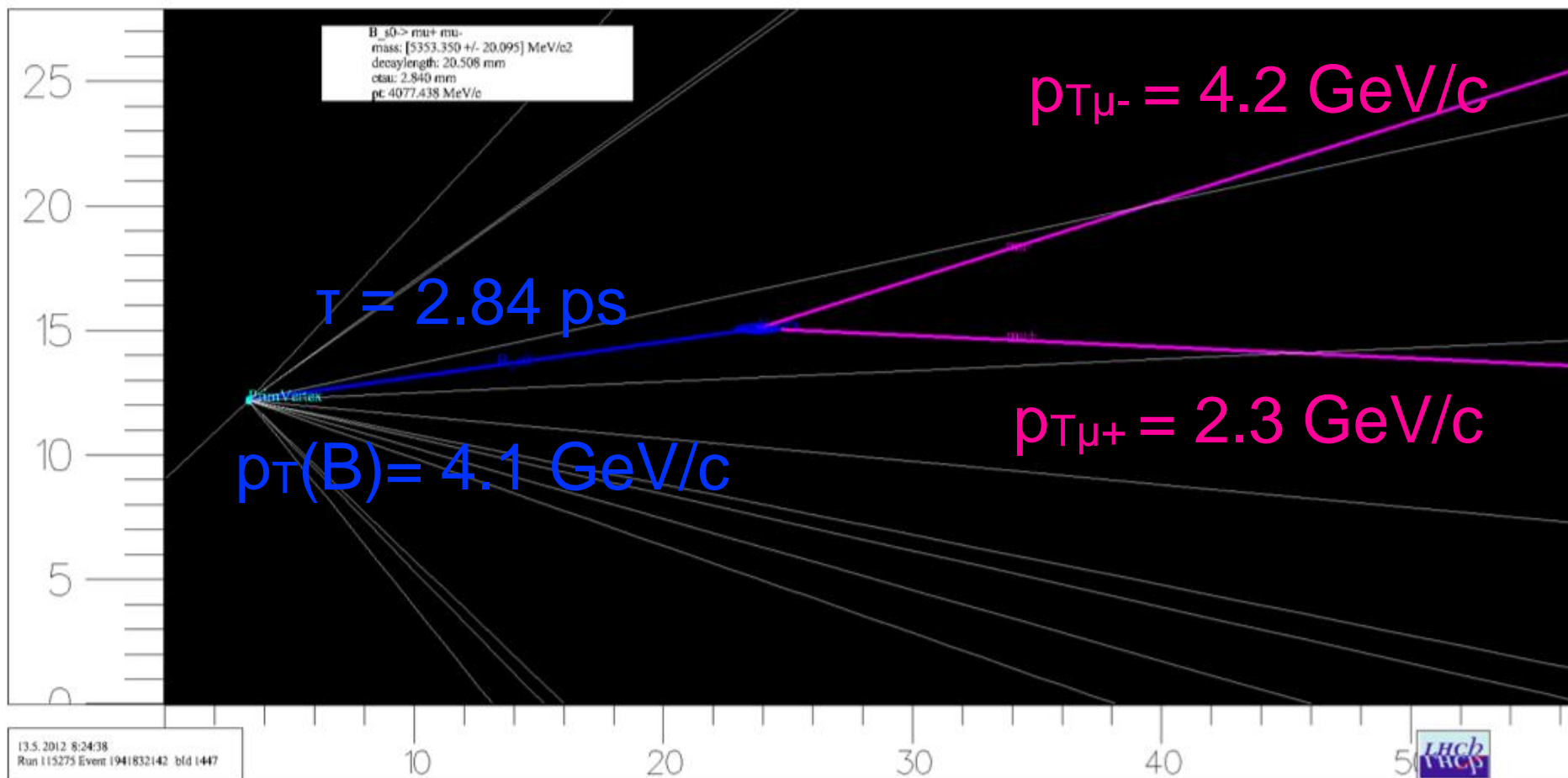
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B candidate:  $m_{\mu\mu} = 5353.4 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  BDT = 0.826

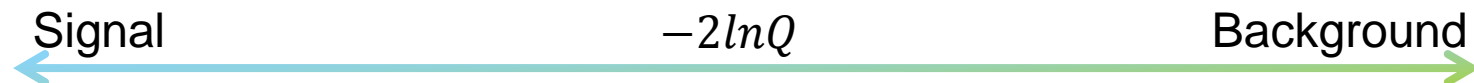
$p_T = 4077.4 \text{ MeV}/c$   $\tau = 2.84 \text{ ps}$

muons:  $p_{T\mu^+} = 2329.5 \text{ MeV}/c$   $p_{T\mu^-} = 4179.4 \text{ MeV}/c$



# CLs method

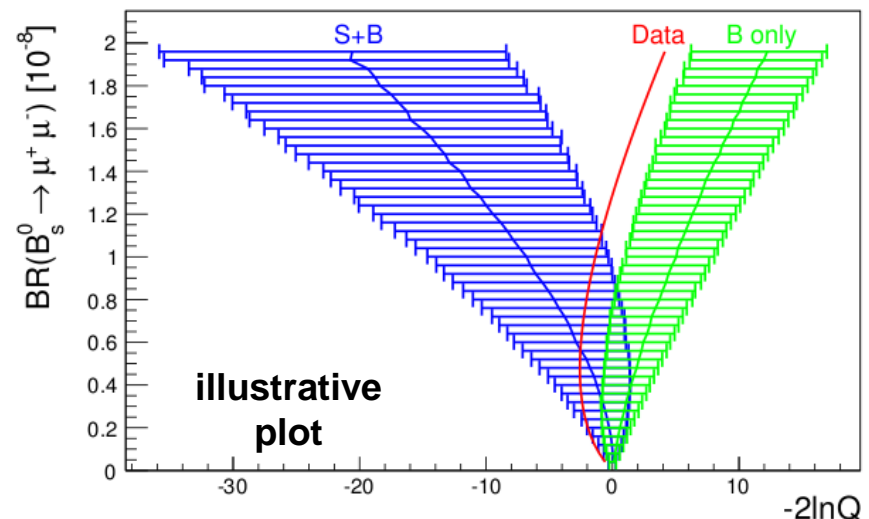
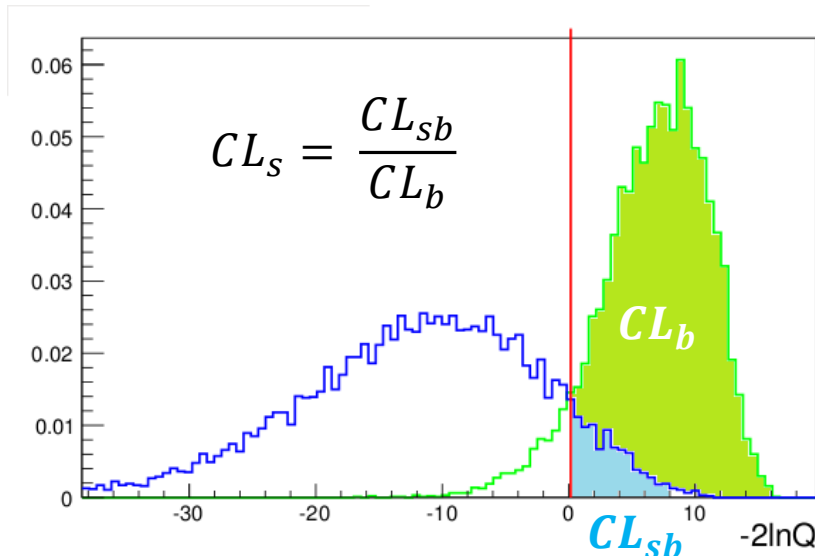
- **Idea:** compare observed data with expectations
- Define a **test statistic** for this comparison:



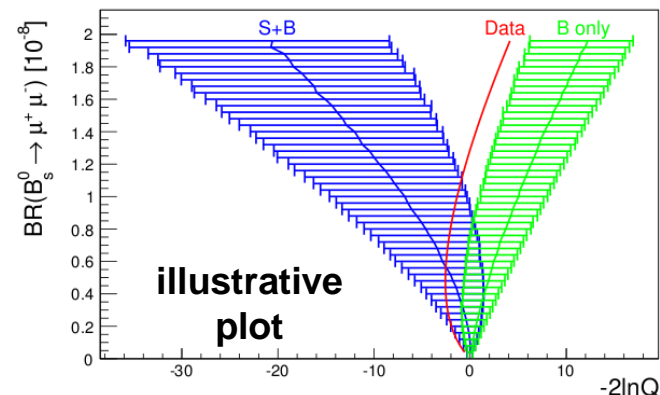
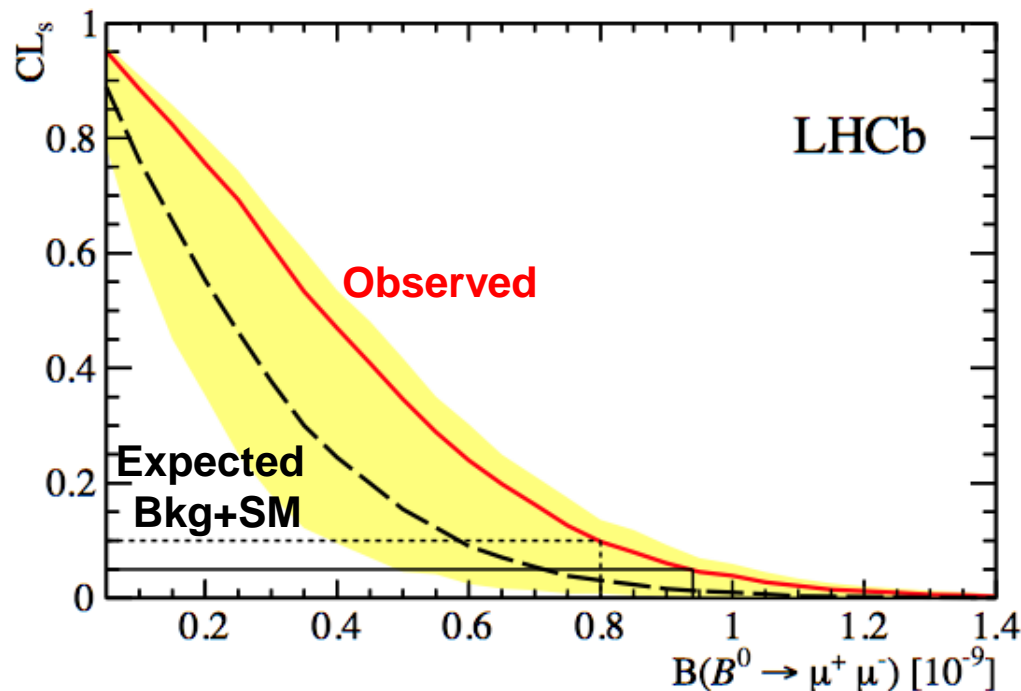
- Calibrate this test statistic with pseudo-experiment

if  $Br$  was such then *Bkg Only* *Sig + Bkg* would give  $-2\ln Q$  of *such* *such*

- Compute the  $-2\ln Q$  of the observed data



# $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ upper limits 2011-2012



Compatibility with bkg  
only hypothesis:  
p-value =  $1 - CL_b = 11\%$

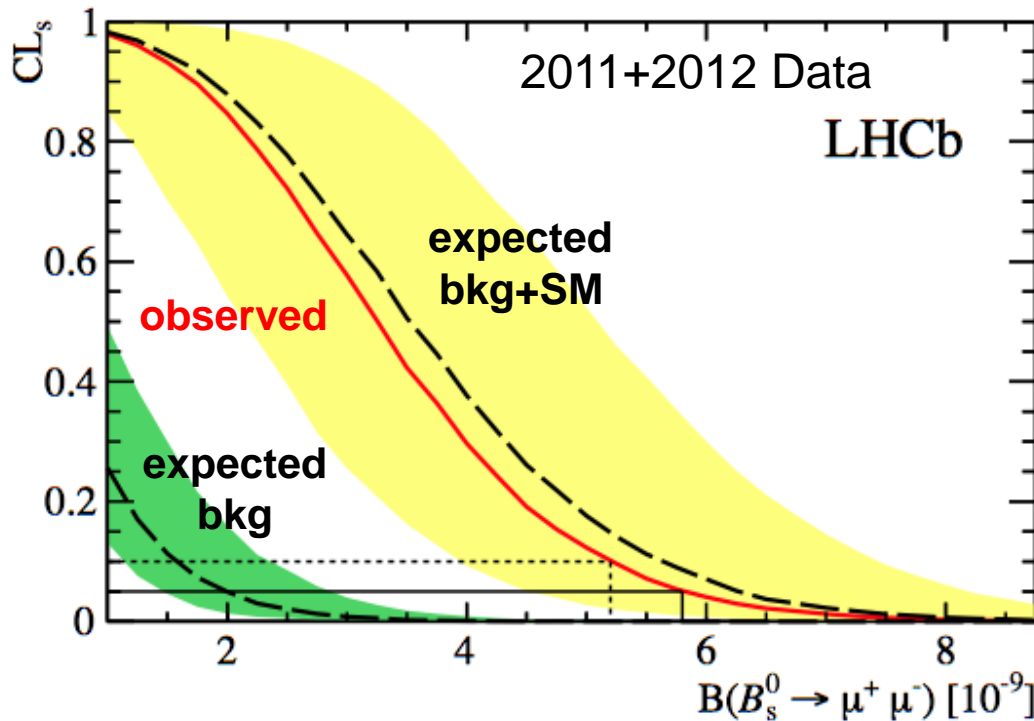
Obs. limit:  $B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 9.4 \times 10^{-10}$  at 95% CL

Exp. limit:  $B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 7.1 \times 10^{-10}$  at 95% CL



# $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ sensitivity 2011-2012

Good separation between the 2 expectations



Bkg only p-value:  
 $5.3 \times 10^{-4}$   
 $3.5 \sigma$  excess

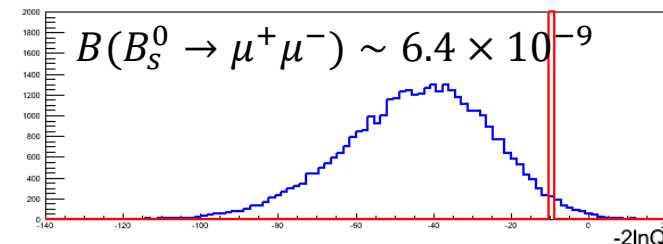
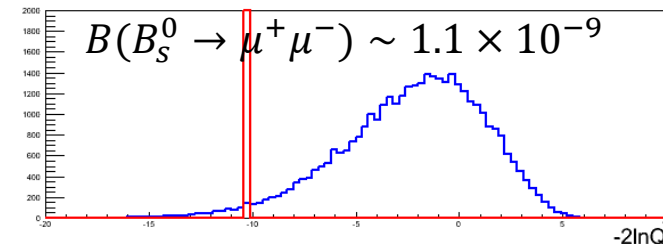
**FIRST EVIDENCE**

Double-sided limit at 95% CL :

$$1.1 \times 10^{-9} < B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 6.4 \times 10^{-9}$$

where the lower and upper limits are evaluated at:

$$CL_{s+b} = 0.975 \text{ and } CL_{s+b} = 0.025$$



# Branching Ratio Fit

- Unbinned maximum likelihood fit of the  $m_{\mu\mu}$  distribution in the 2012 and 2011 BDT bins.
- $B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  and  $B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  are free and fit simultaneously
- Combinatorial bkg is free
- All other parameters (e.g.  $m_{B_s}$ ,  $\sigma_{B_s}$ , exclusive bkg...) are gaussian constrained to their expectations
- An additional systematics is added to account for the hypotheses made on the combinatorial bkg shape (exponential vs double-exponential)

# Fit projections

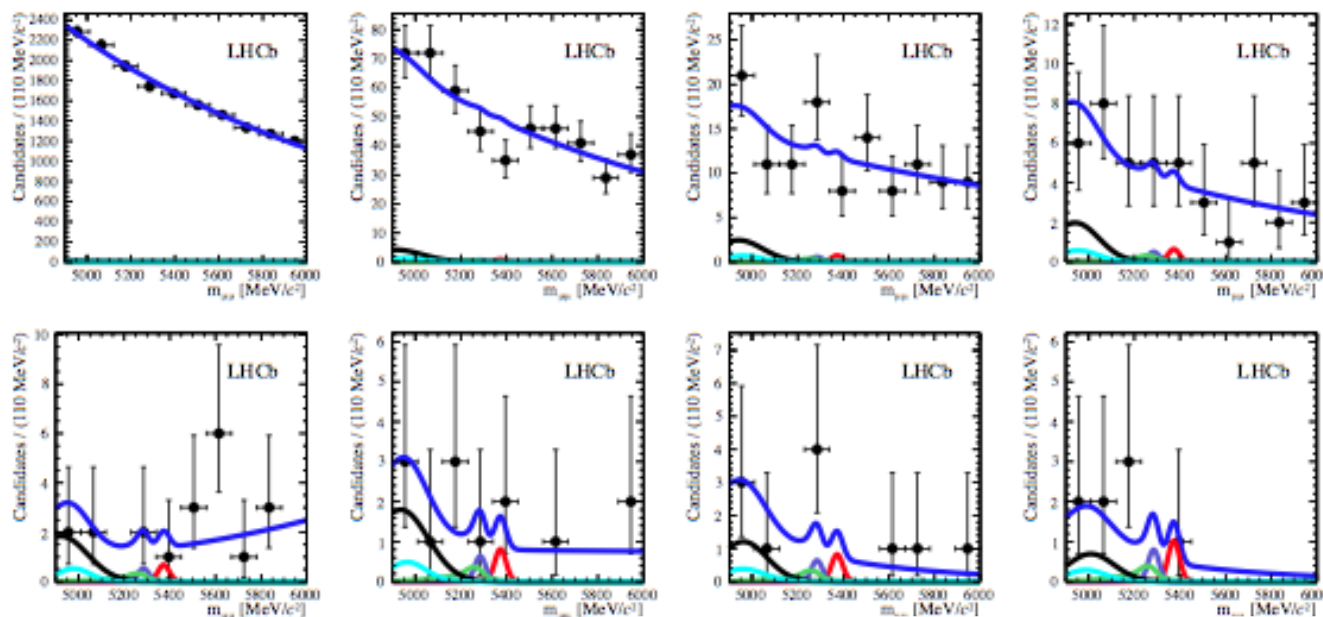
2011

7 TeV data,  $1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ 

8 BDT bins

 $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  $B^0(s) \rightarrow h^+ h'^-$  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$  $B^{\pm,0} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm,0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ 

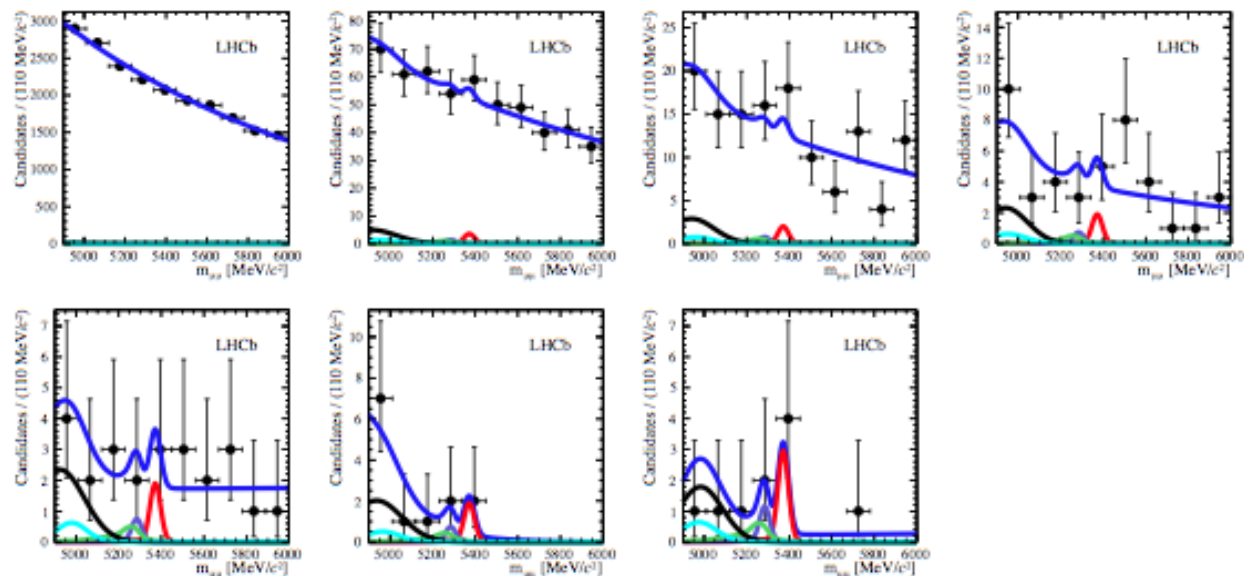
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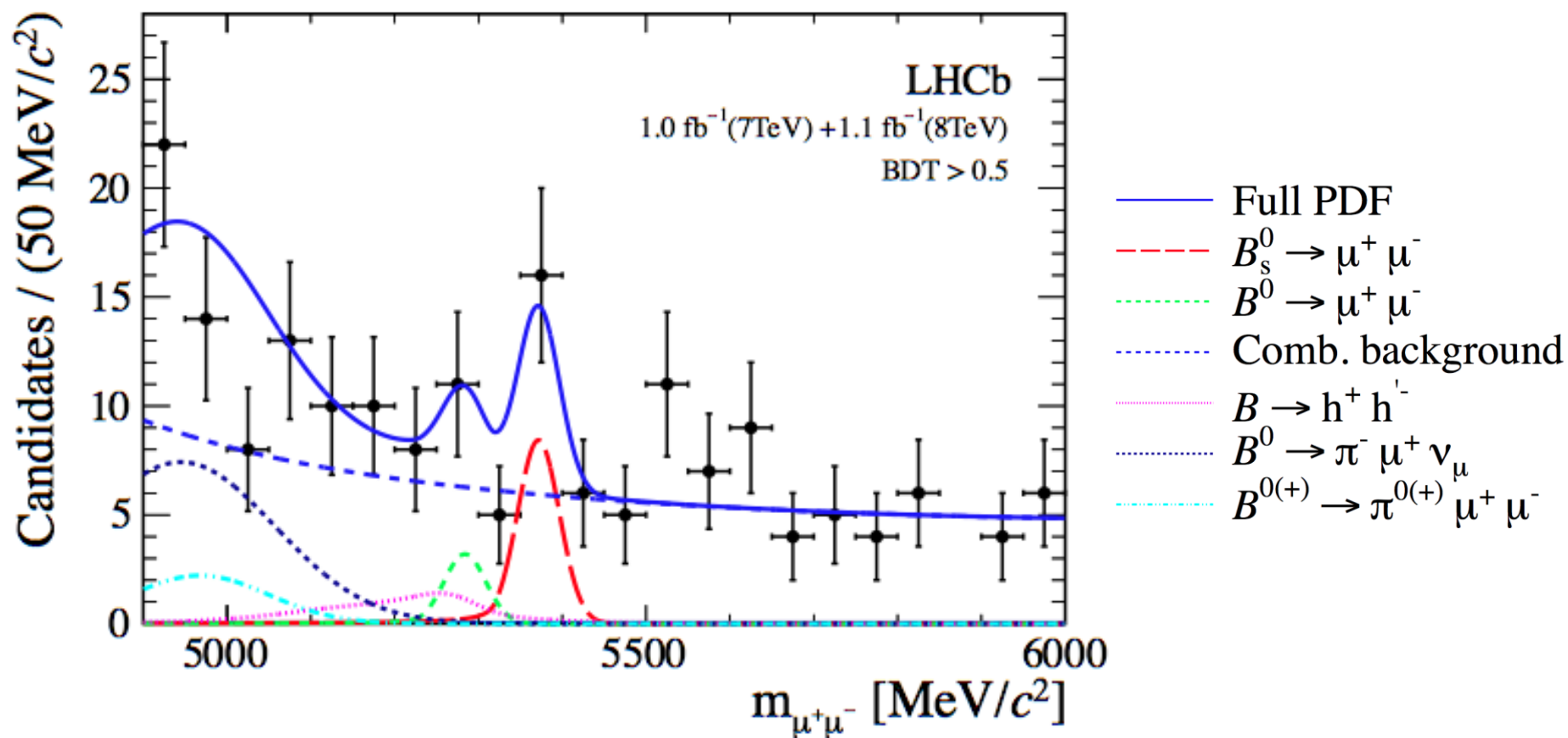
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8 TeV data,  $1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ 

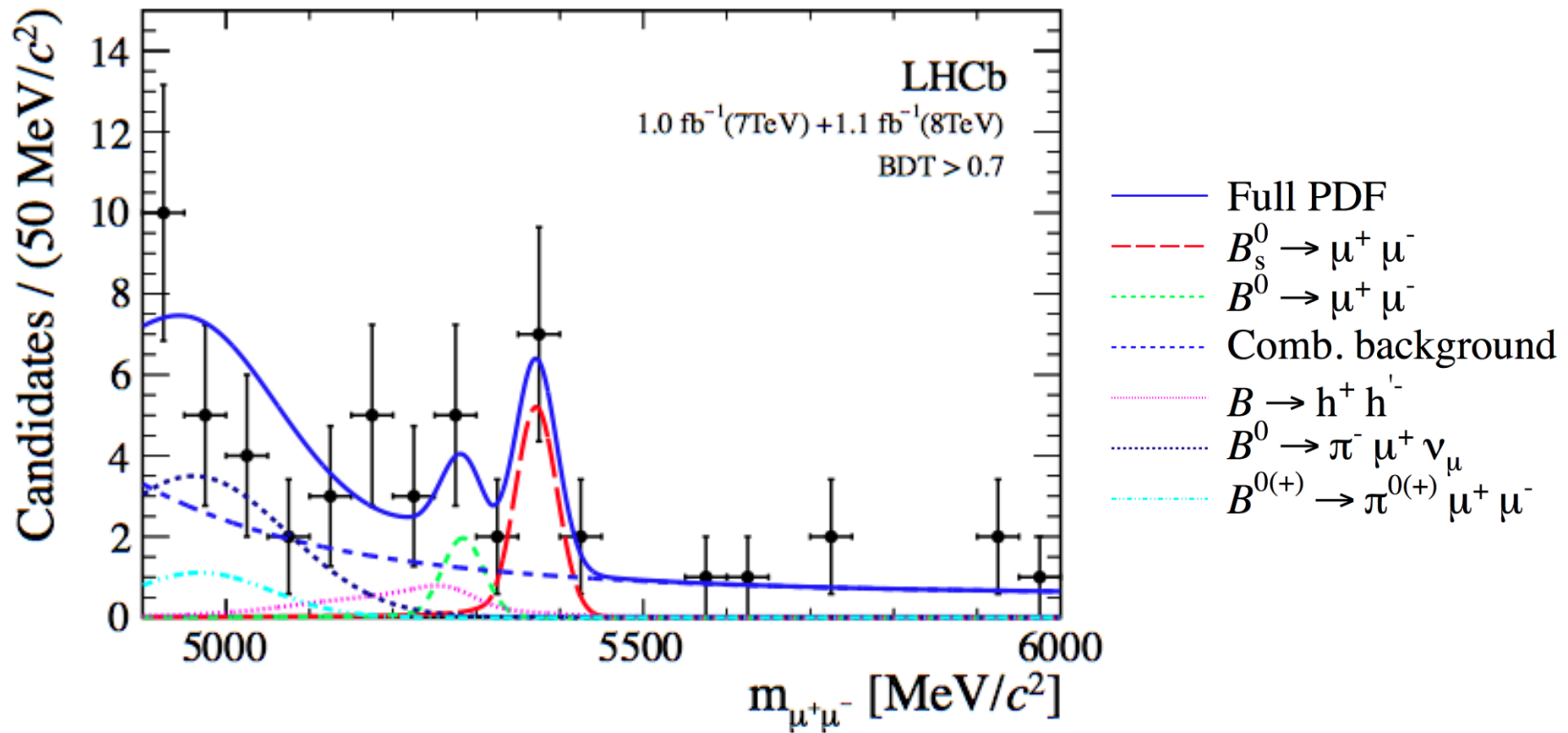
7 BDT bins



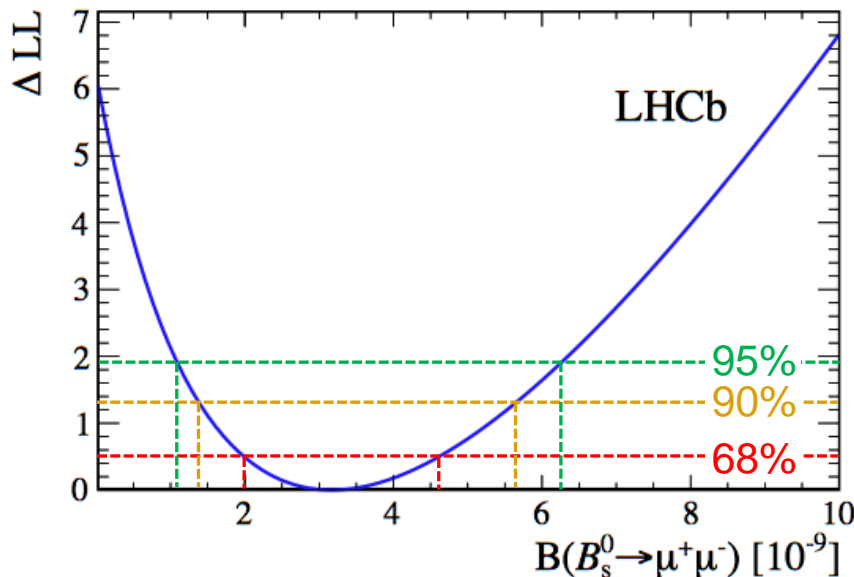
# In the Signal Region $\text{BDT} > 0.5$



# In the Signal Region $BDT > 0.7$



# Fit Results 2011+2012



**Profile Likelihood:**  
All parameters except  $B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  are floated within their errors.

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.2^{+1.5}_{-1.2}) \times 10^{-9}$$

Value in agreement with SM prediction:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)_{SM} = (3.54 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-9}$$

Nota: 95% interval in perfect agreement with the one provided by the  $CL_s$  method

# Conclusions

- $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  are very powerful tests of the SM

## Harvest of the LHCb analysis of the data collected in 2012 and 2011:

- Constrains on  $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ :

$$B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 9.4 \times 10^{-10}$$

- First evidence of  $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ :

$$\text{p-value: } 5.3 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$3.5\sigma$$

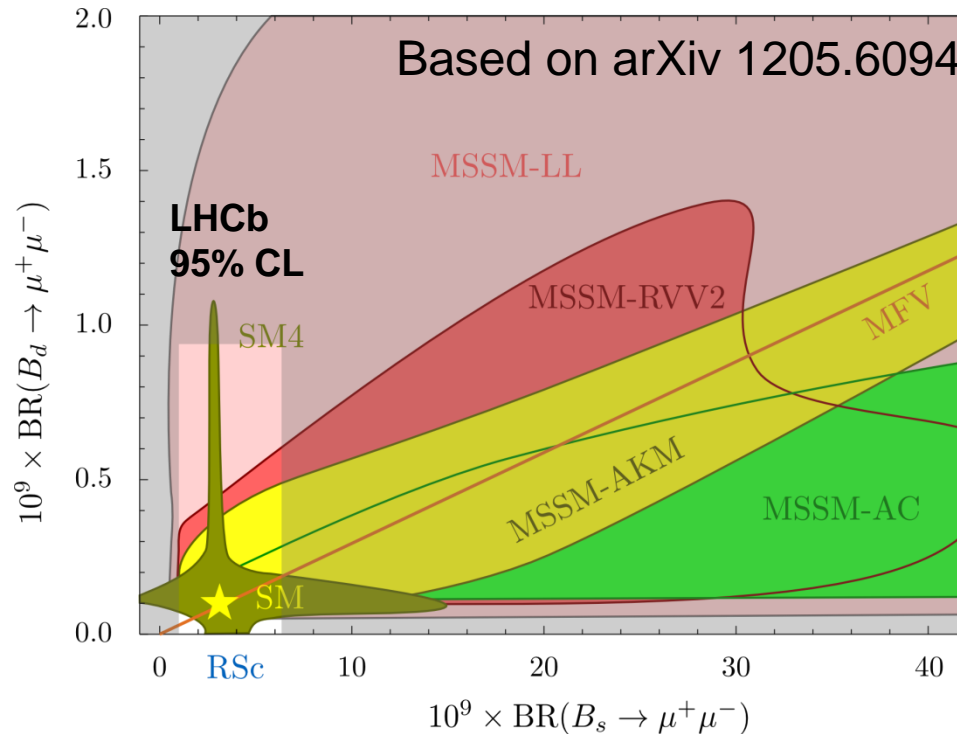
- BR measurement:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = 3.2_{-1.2}^{+1.5} \times 10^{-9}$$

Paper submitted at PRL, arXiv: 1211.2674

# Impact of the results

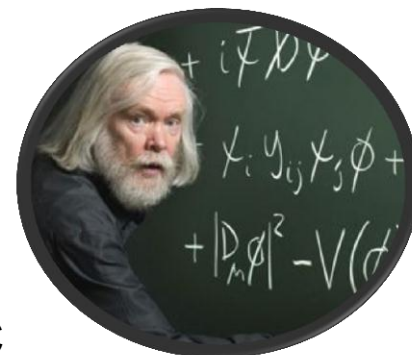
- Hard time for SuperSymmetry...



- But SUSY never dies ;-)

The observation is "quite consistent with supersymmetry". In fact, it was actually expected in (some) supersymmetric models. I certainly won't lose any sleep over the result.

J. Ellis interviewed by BBC





# Spares

# Fit Statistical Error

Fix all the nuisance parameters to their expectations, subtract the error in quadrature with the errors obtained when all parameters are floating:

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = 3.2_{-1.2}^{+1.4}(\text{stat})_{-0.3}^{+0.5}(\text{syst}) \times 10^{-9}$$

fully dominated by stat error

# Comparison 2012-2011

- 2011, 7 TeV ( $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = 1.4_{-1.3}^{+1.7} \times 10^{-9}$$

p-value 0.11

- 2012, 8 TeV ( $1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ):

$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = 5.1_{-1.9}^{+2.4} \times 10^{-9}$$

p-value  $9 \times 10^{-4}$

results from 7 TeV and 8 TeV are compatible at  $\sim 1.5\sigma$

# Exclusive Background Effect on 2011

## New Analysis:

- $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ 
  - bkg only p-value: 0.11
  - UL =  $5.1 \times 10^{-9}$ , 95% CL
- $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ 
  - bkg only p-value: 0.19
  - UL =  $13 \times 10^{-10}$ , 95% CL

## Published Analysis

- $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ 
  - bkg only p-value: 0.18
  - UL =  $4.5 \times 10^{-9}$ , 95% CL
- $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ 
  - bkg only p-value: 0.60
  - UL =  $10.3 \times 10^{-10}$ , 95% CL

# $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ : limits and sensitivity

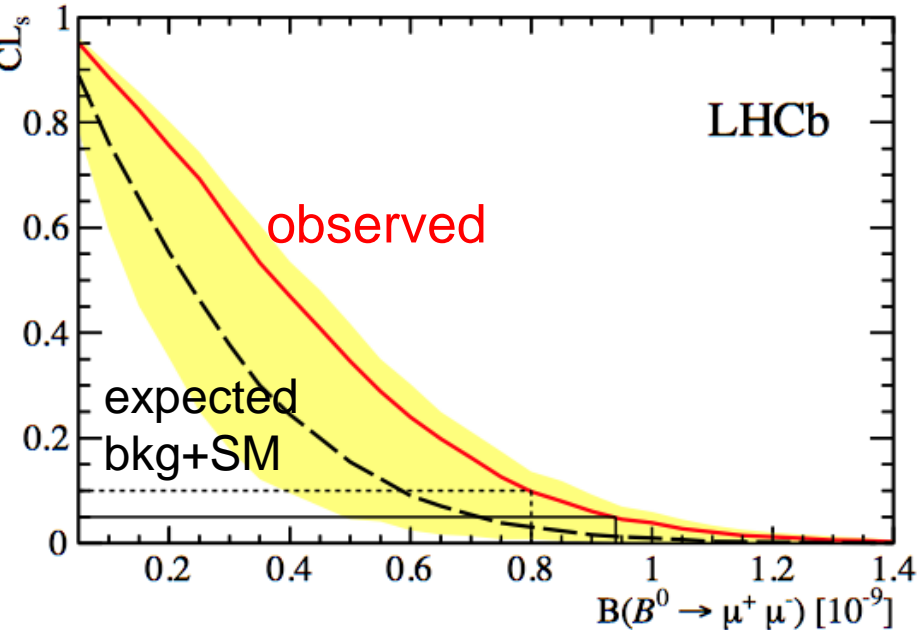
7 TeV ( $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) + 8 TeV ( $1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ):  $\text{CL}_s$

$$B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 9.4 \times 10^{-10}$$

bkg only p-value ( $1 - \text{CL}_b$ ): 0.11  
(corresponds to  $\sim 1.5\sigma$  excess)

UL are quoted at 95%CL

	Expected UL (SM+bkg)	Observed UL	Observed 1-CL <sub>b</sub>
7 TeV	$6.0 \times 10^{-10}$	$13.0 \times 10^{-10} *$	0,19 *
8 TeV	$10.5 \times 10^{-10}$	$12.5 \times 10^{-10}$	0,16
7TeV + 8TeV	$7.1 \times 10^{-10}$	$9.4 \times 10^{-10}$	0,11



\*published results:  
UL =  $10.3 \times 10^{-10}$   
1-CL<sub>b</sub> = 0.60

# Some projections

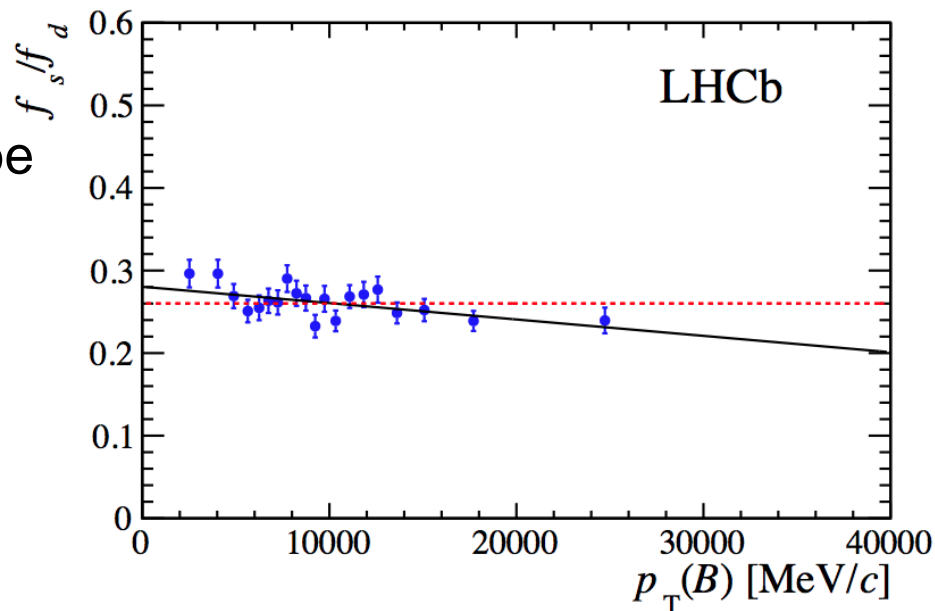
- From LHCb-TDR-012:

Obs.	End 2018	LHCb upgrade $50fb^{-1}$
$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$	$0.5 \times 10^{-9}$	$0.15 \times 10^{-9}$
$\frac{B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)}{B(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)}$	100%	35%

# Hadronisation Probability $f_s/f_d$

- $f_s/f_d$  is measured at LHCb by comparing abundances of:
  - $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$ ,  $B^0 \rightarrow D^- K^+$  and  $B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+$  arXiv:111.2357 aka PRD85 032008 (2012)
  - $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \mu^+ X$  and  $B^0 \rightarrow D^- \mu^+ X$  LHCb-paper-2012-037 in preparation
- at 7 TeV:  $f_s/f_d = 0.256 \pm 0.020$

- $p_T$  dependency small enough to be negligible
- $\sqrt{s}$  dependency checked with  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$  and  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ : stable within  $1\sigma$



# Exclusive Backgrounds :

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \text{ and } B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$

- $B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$  contribution is found **negligible**
- Accounted in the fit as a **systematics**
- Lower contribution from  $B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$  explained by:
  - $f_s/f_d = 0.26$
  - $B(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu)/B(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu) = 0.88$
  - $\epsilon_{K \rightarrow \mu}/\epsilon_{\pi \rightarrow \mu} = 0.28$  (RICH efficiency and  $B(K^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu)/B(\pi^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu)$ )

	2011	2012
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$3.51 \pm 0.25$	$4.04 \pm 0.28$
$B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow h^+ h'^- \text{ misID}$	$0.91 \pm 0.12$	$1.37 \pm 0.11$
$B^{+(0)} \rightarrow \pi^{+(0)} \mu^+ \mu^-$	$1.12 \pm 0.35$	$1.32 \pm 0.39$
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p \mu^- \nu$	$0.29 \pm 0.17$	$0.50 \pm 0.29$
$B_s^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$0.33 \pm 0.13$	$0.46 \pm 0.19$
$B_c^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \mu^+ \nu$	$0.29 \pm 0.33$	$0.34 \pm 0.39$

Yields for  
[4900 – 6000] MeV/c<sup>2</sup>, BDT > 0.8



# BDT Variables

**Muon isolation:** number of other tracks with which the muon can make a good vertex

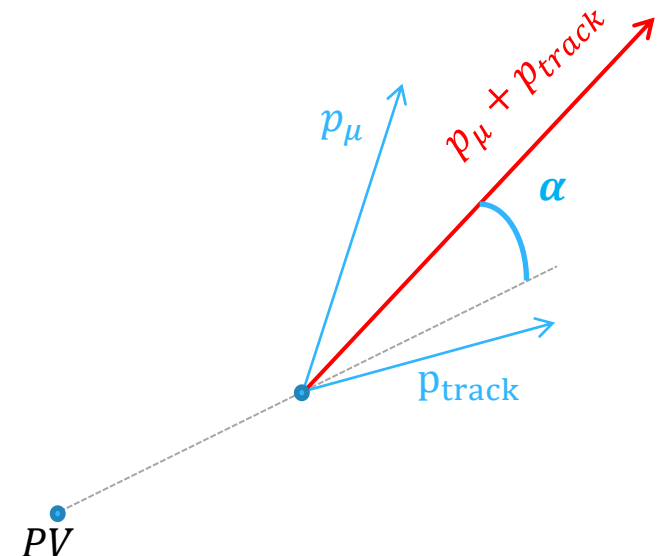
**Other tracks requirement:**

- Long track
- Impact Param Significance with PV > 3

**Vertex requirement:**

- Angle track-muon < 0.27 rad
- Distance of Closest Approach < 130  $\mu\text{m}$
- Distance to PV:  $0.5\text{cm} < d < 4\text{cm}$
- Distance to SV:  $-0.15\text{cm} < d < 30\text{cm}$

$$\bullet \frac{|\vec{p}_\mu + \vec{p}_{\text{track}}| \sin \alpha}{|\vec{p}_\mu + \vec{p}_{\text{track}}| \sin \alpha + p_{T,\mu} + p_{T,\text{track}}} < 0.6$$



# BDT Variables

## Polarisation Angle:

angle between the muon momentum in the  $B$  rest frame and the vector perpendicular to the  $B$  momentum and the beam axis

## B Isolation:

$$I = \frac{p_{T,B}}{p_{T,B} + \sum_{tracks} p_{T,track}}$$

sum running on the tracks such that  $\delta\eta^2 + \delta\phi^2 < 1.0$

# MVA Selection Variables

- B Candidate
  - impact parameter\*
  - impact parameter  $\chi^2$
  - $\chi^2$  of the vertex
  - pointing angle
  - distance of closest approach\*
- Muons
  - min IP

\*common with BDT