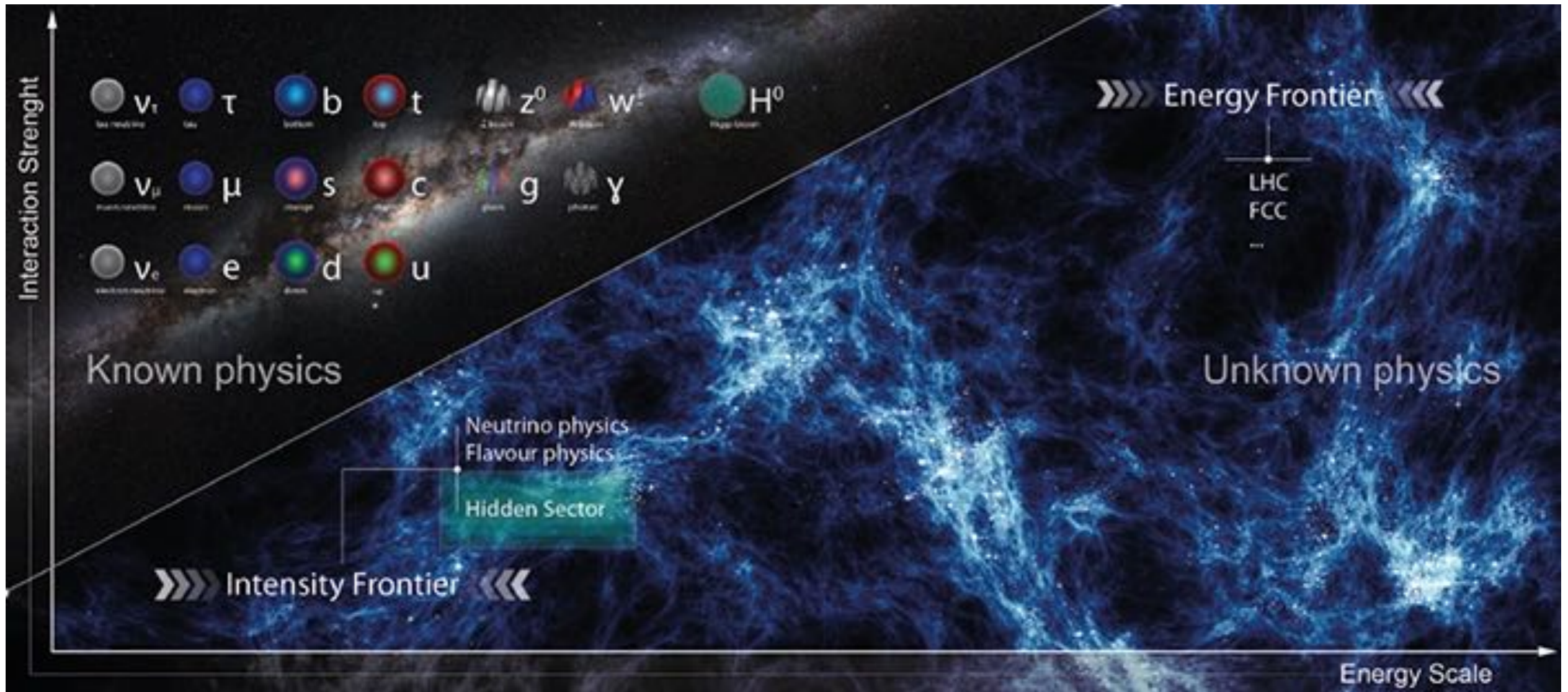


# Searches for New Physics on the Intensity Frontier: The Belle II Experiment

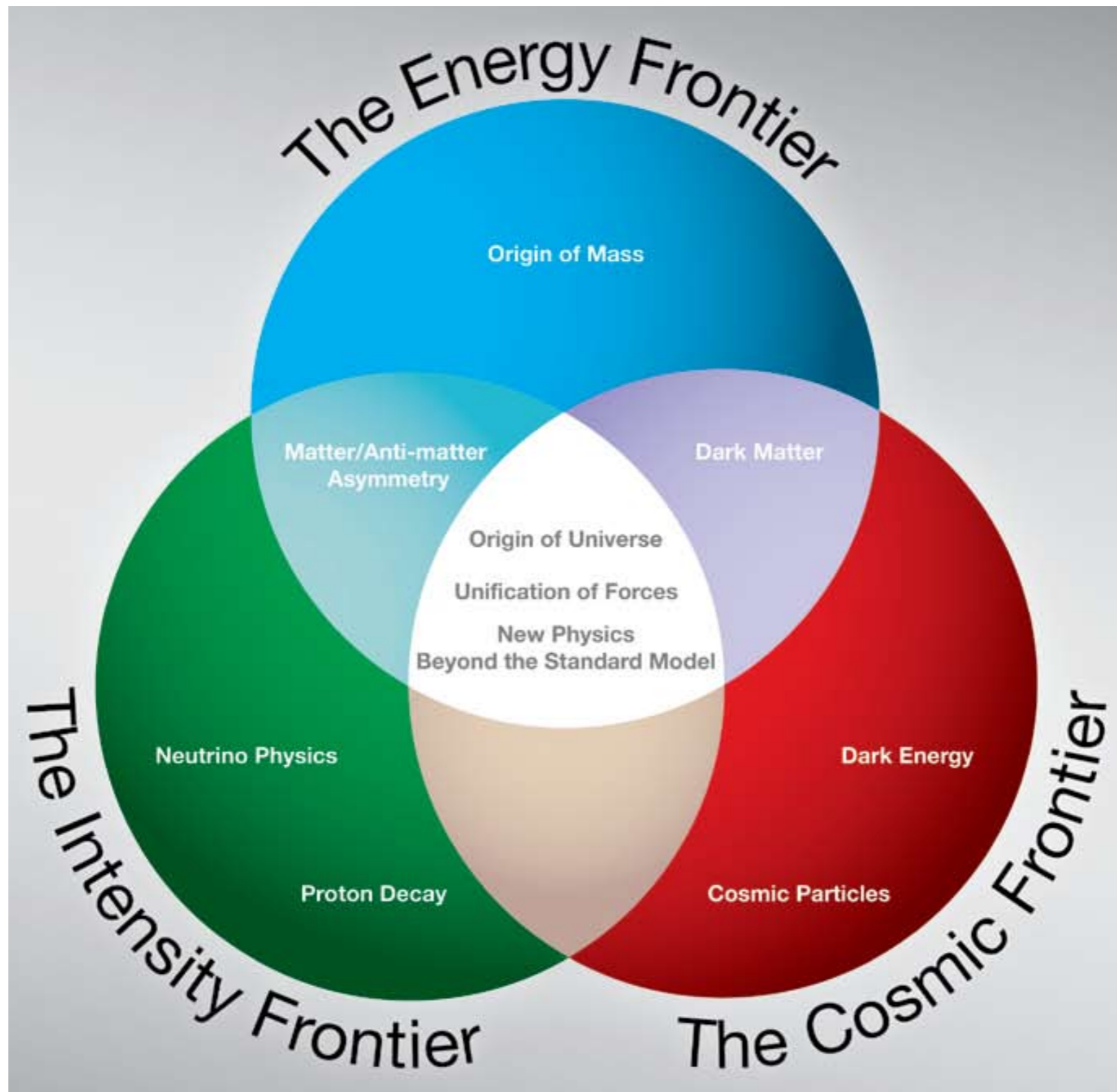
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# Frontiers...



Cern Courier, March 2016, p. 25  
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Particle physics is pursuing a variety of approaches to find evidence for the new physics we know must exist



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# Outline

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- The B Factory Era
  - 3 Decades of Detectors & Flavour Measurements
- Next generation: Belle II physics program (two examples)
  - $B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$
  - Dark Sector
- Belle II Experimental Challenges
  - Accelerator and Detector Upgrades
  - Understanding and Monitoring the Backgrounds
  - Schedules and Status

# The B Factory Era

# Three Decades of *B*-Factory results: *a rich harvest*

## Goals of (heavy) flavour physics:

- Study the flavour mixing and *Charge-Parity violation* (*CP*) in all its aspects
- Look for **new physics** far beyond the current energy frontier in rare and forbidden processes
- By these measurements we hope to get insight into the mystery of the observed flavour structure

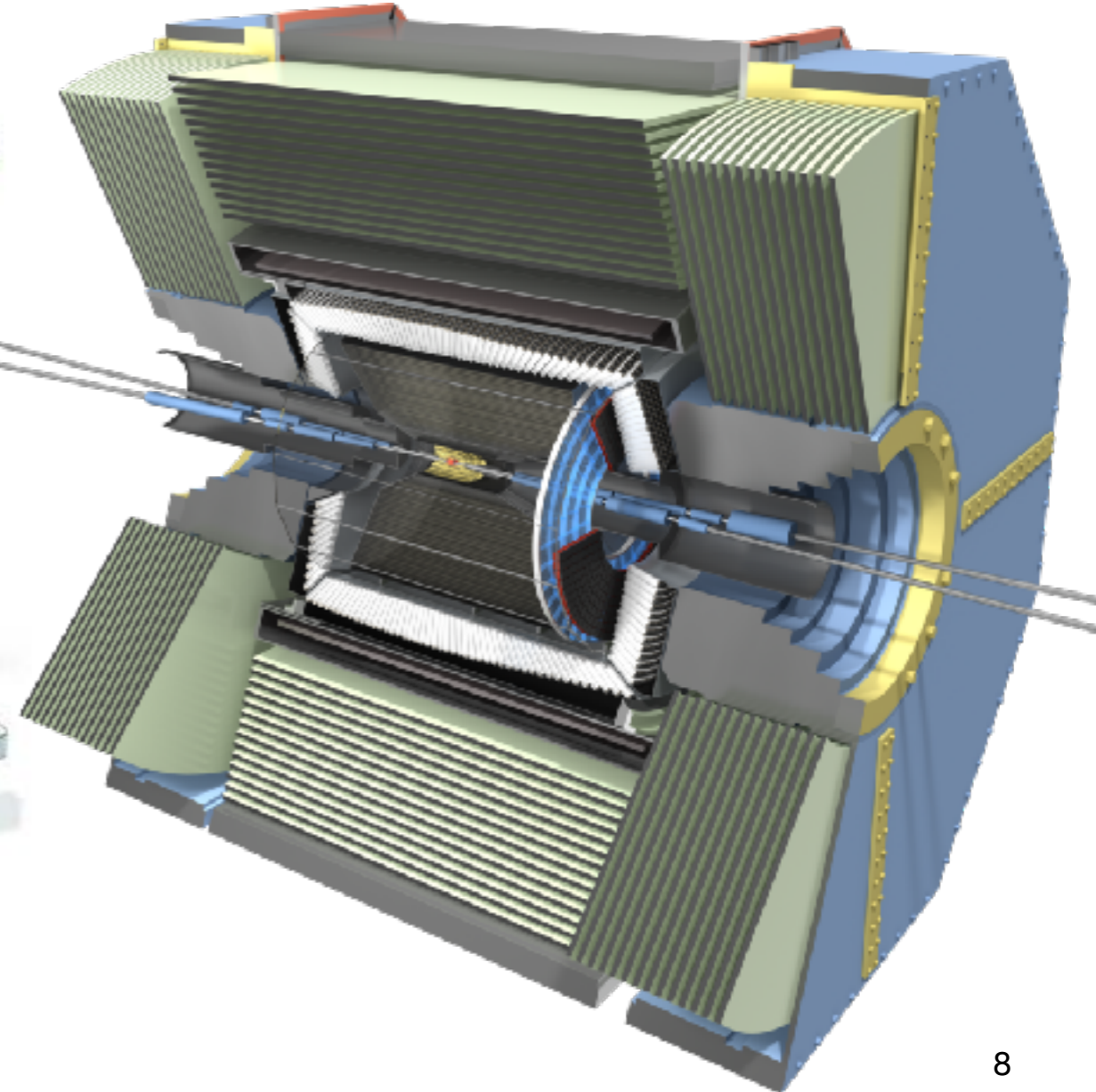
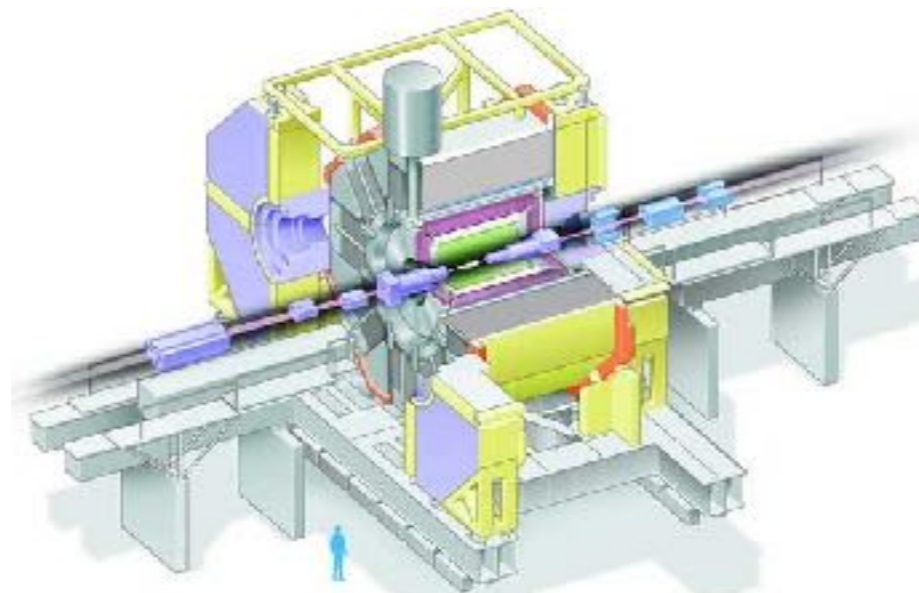
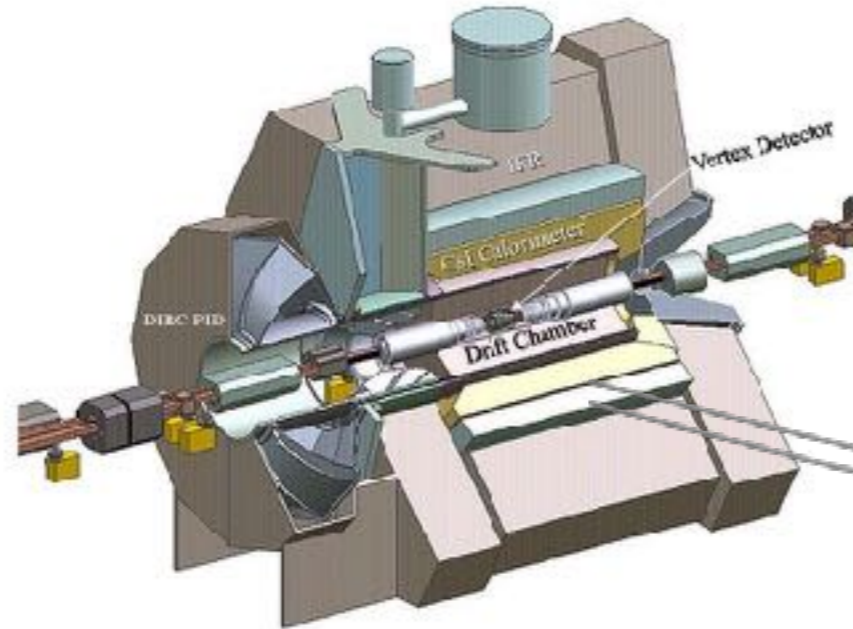
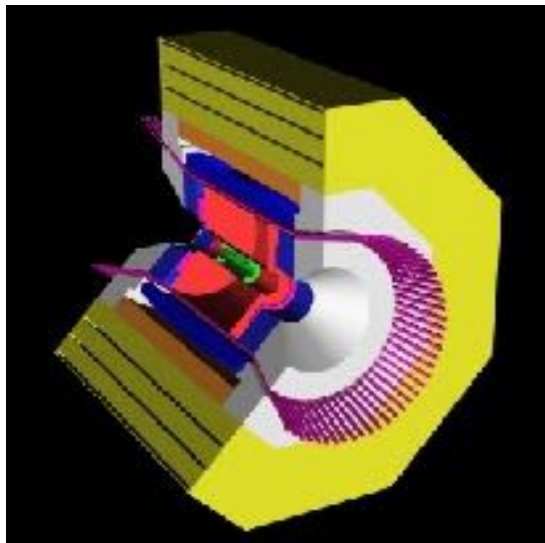
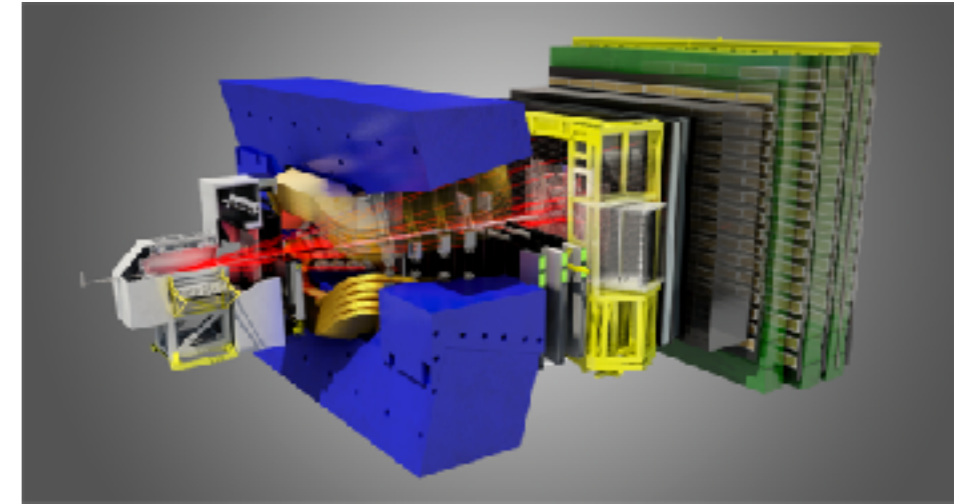
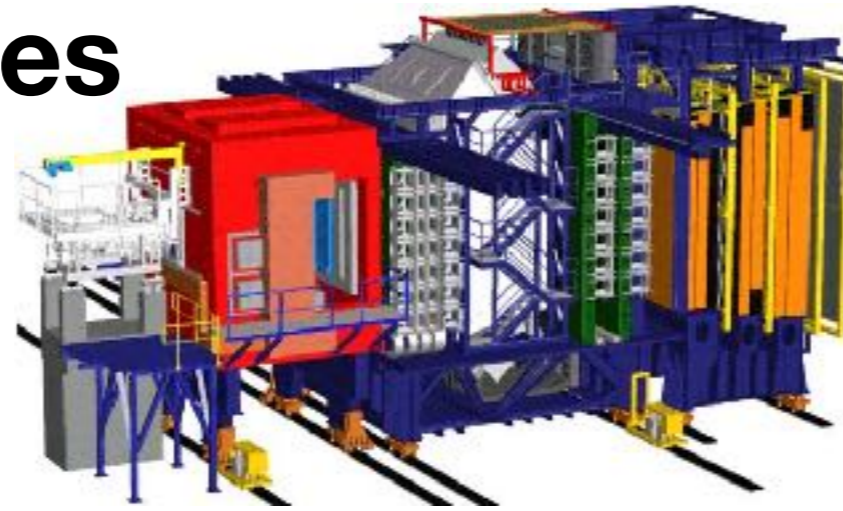
## Large contributions from *B*-Factory experiments:

- Symmetric  $e^+e^-$  and hadronic experiments set the path
- Flavour physics at the luminosity frontier shaped by **BaBar** and **Belle**; plus recent huge contributions from **LHCb**
- Origin of *CP* in the SM was topic of the physics Nobel prize in **2008**



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# The B-Factories





# The B-Factories

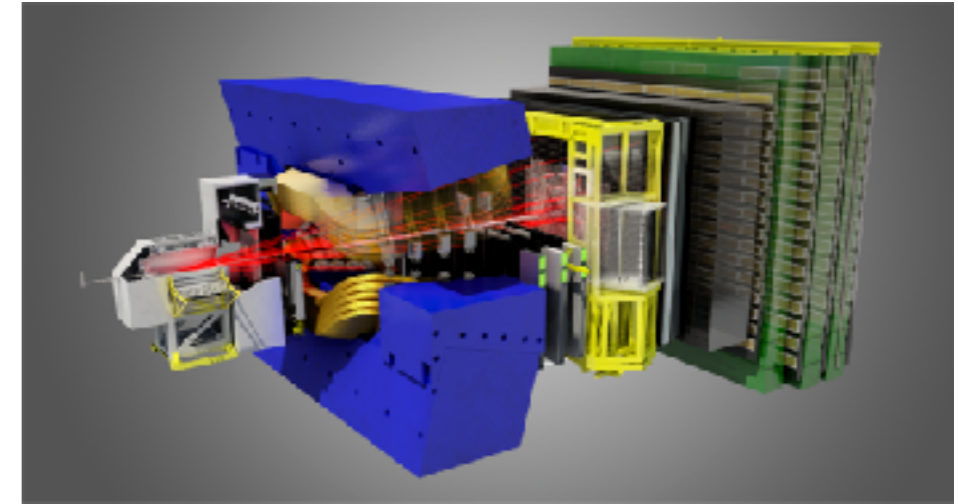


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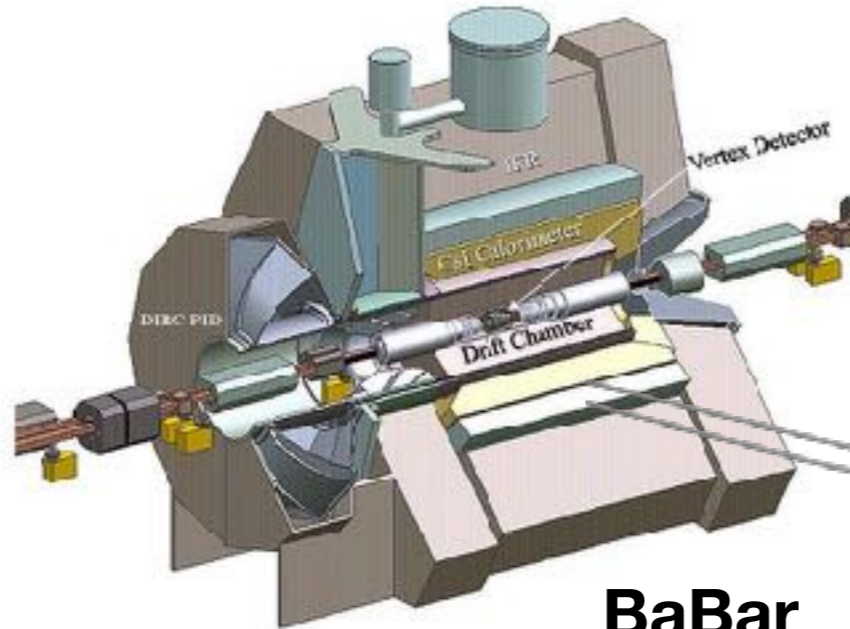
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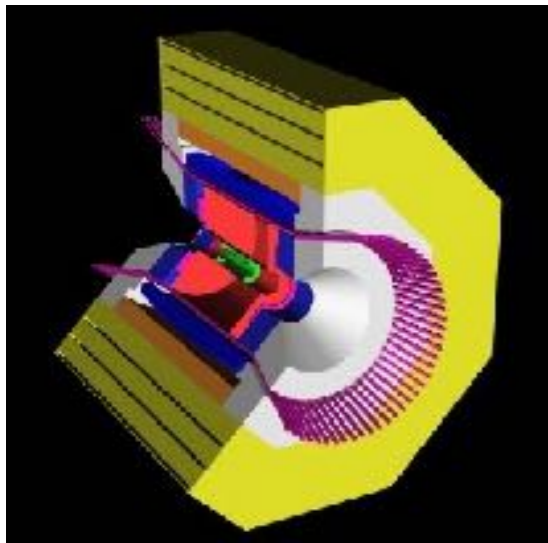
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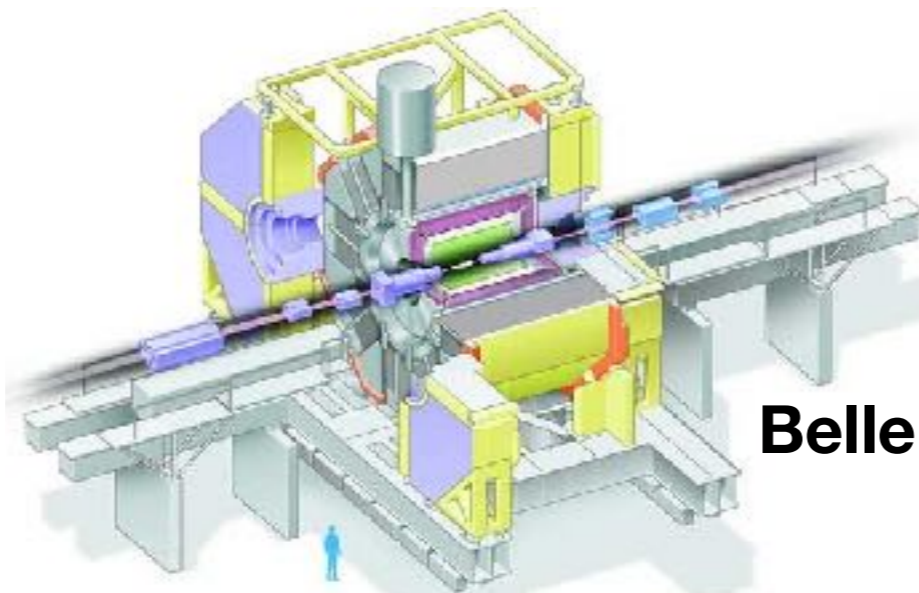
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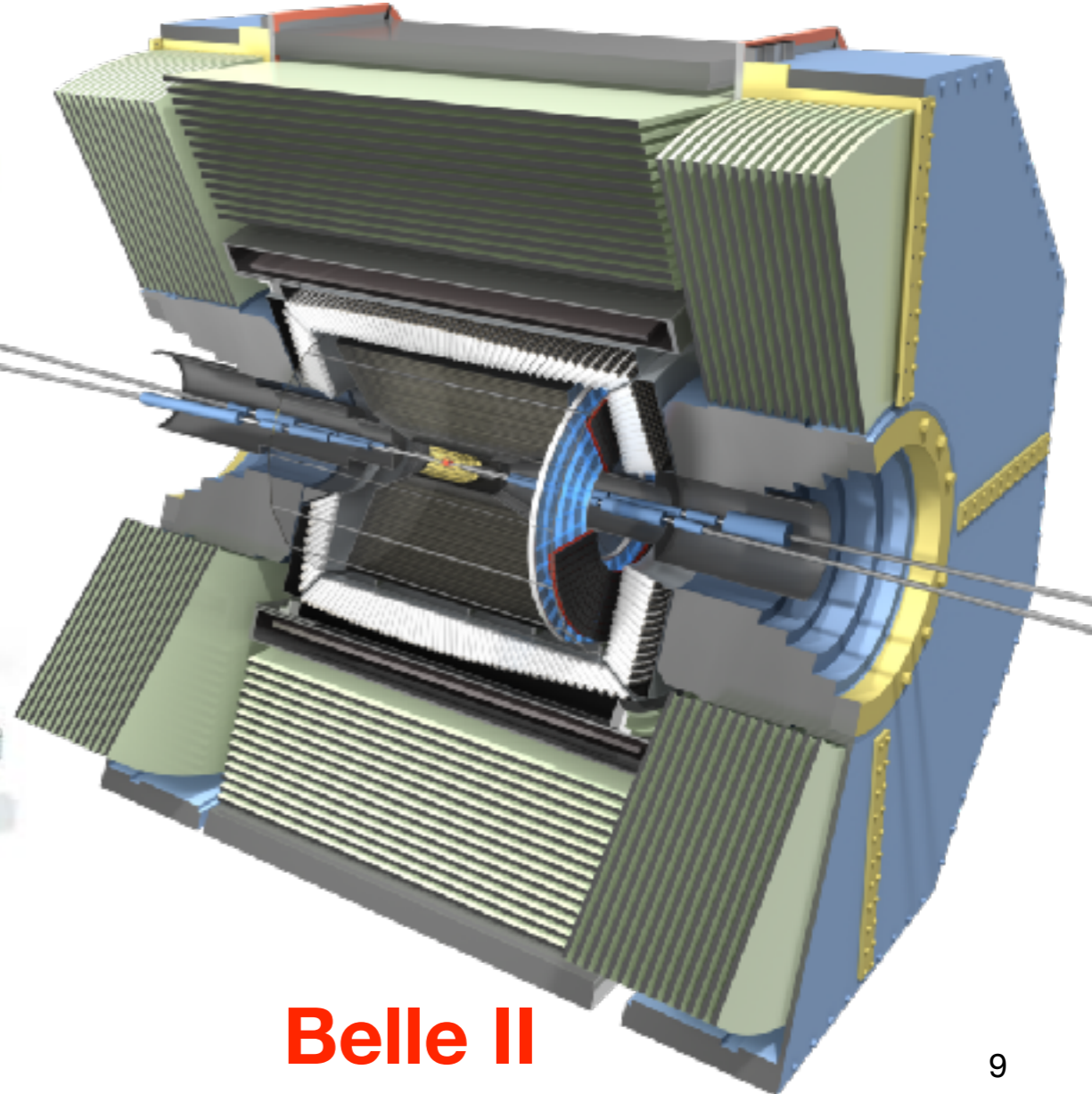
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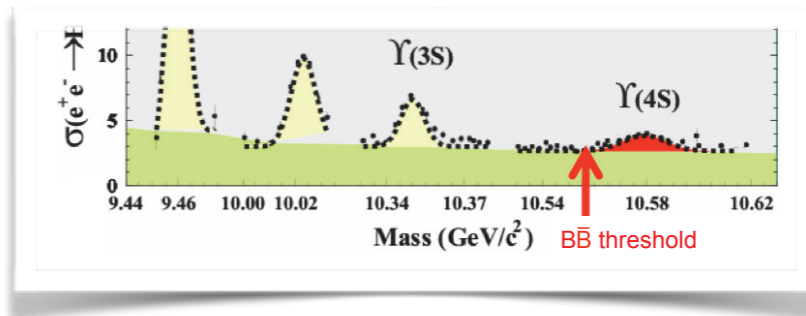


**Belle**



**Belle II**

# The B-Factories



*Collision cross section to hadrons in nb*

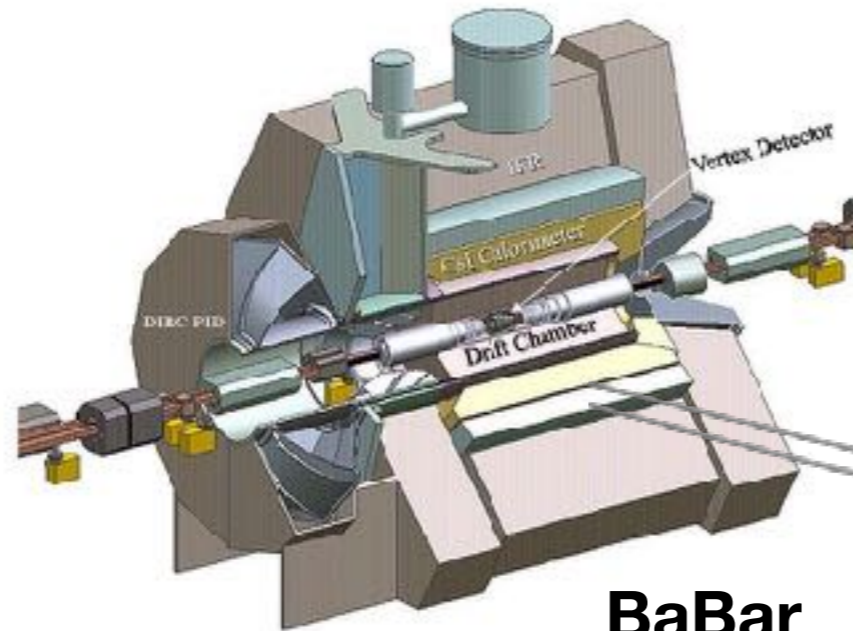
$$e^+ \longrightarrow \Upsilon(4S) \longleftarrow e^-$$

$$\langle b\bar{b} \rangle \quad \sqrt{s} = 10.58 \text{ GeV}$$

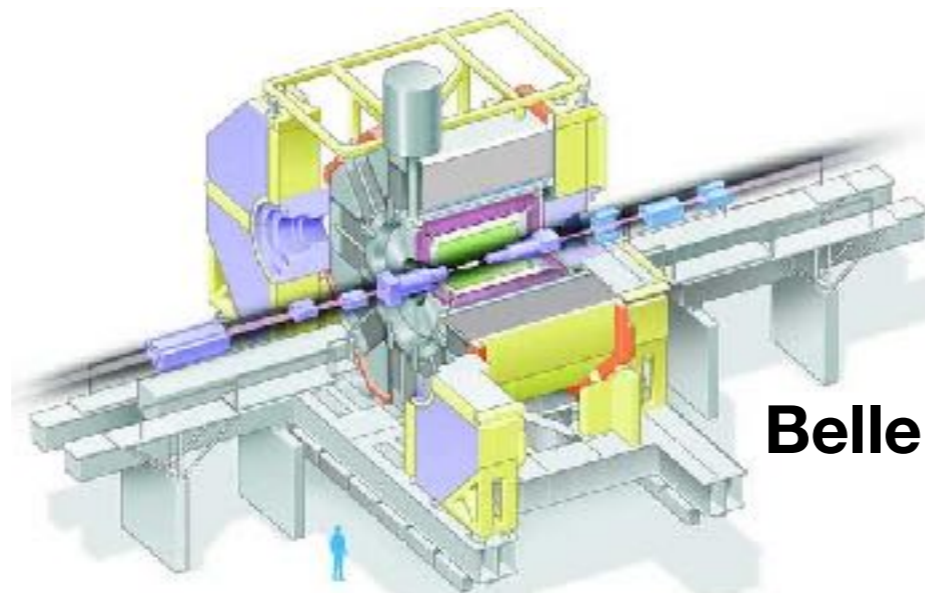


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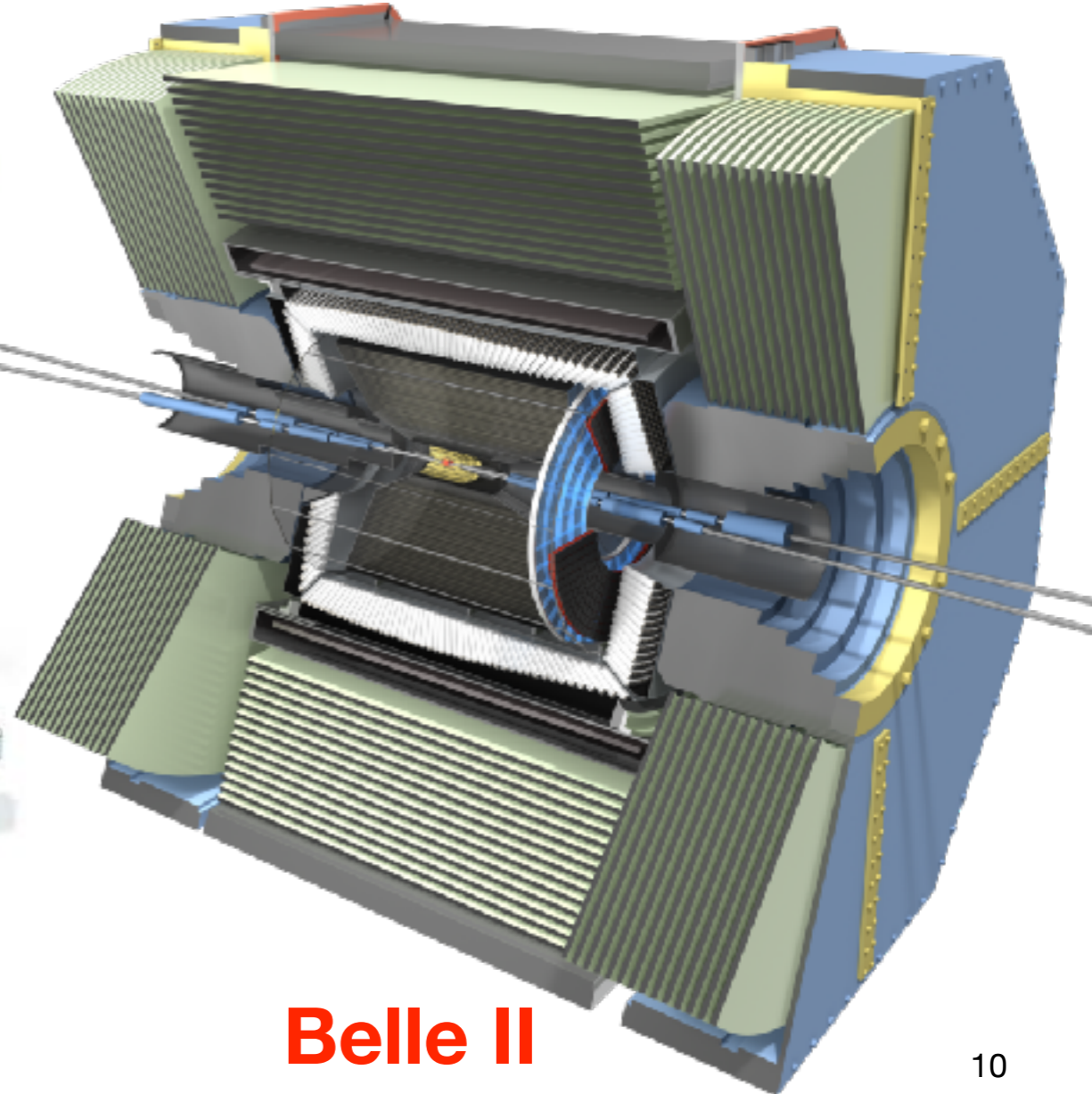
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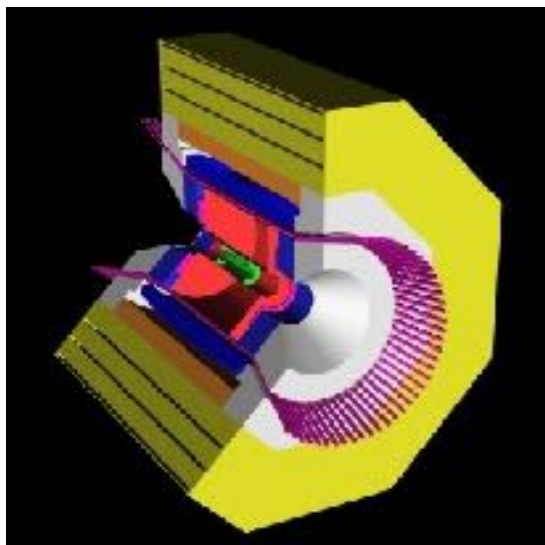
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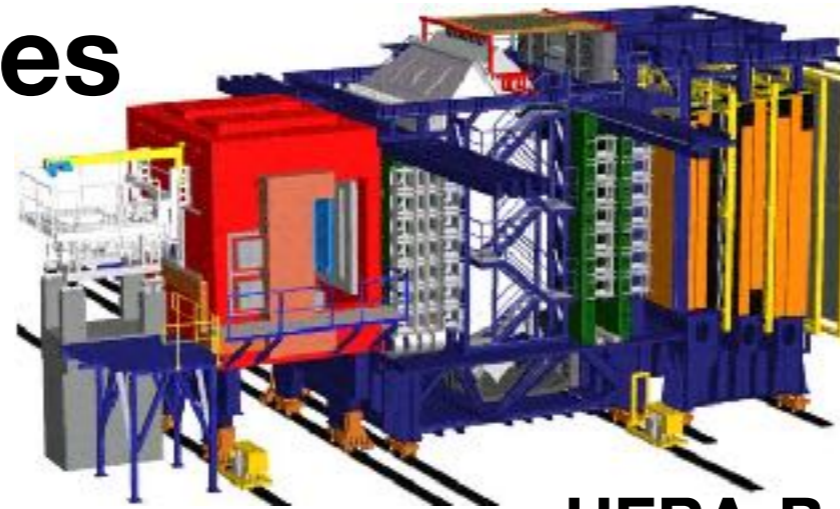


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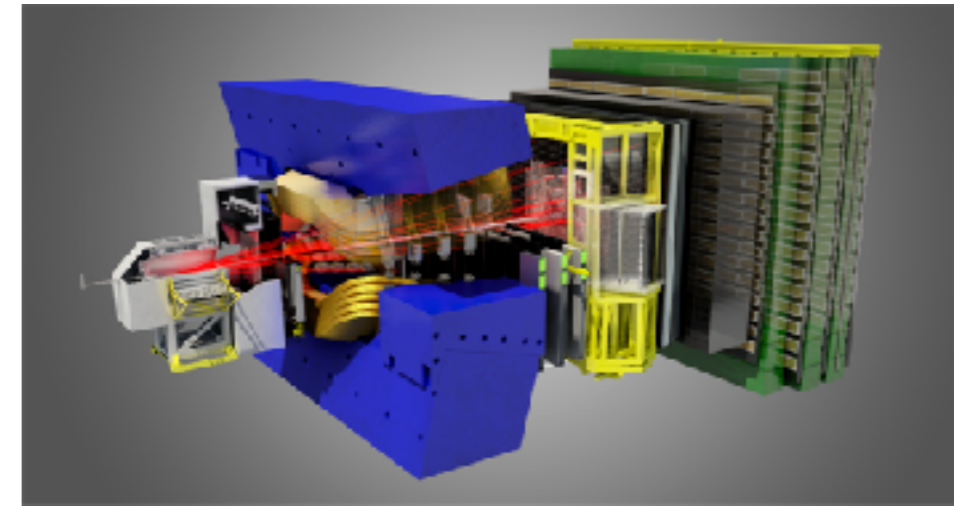
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# The B-Factories



**HERA-B**

proton-atom collisions

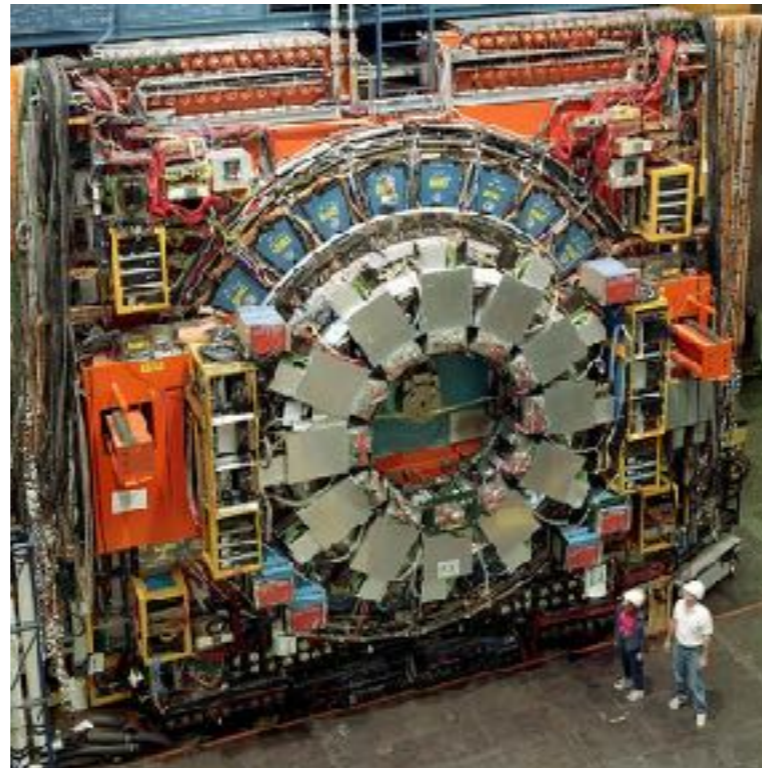


**LHCb**

proton-proton collisions

**Note:** also  
proton-antiproton  
collisions

**(And proton-proton:  
ATLAS & CMS)**



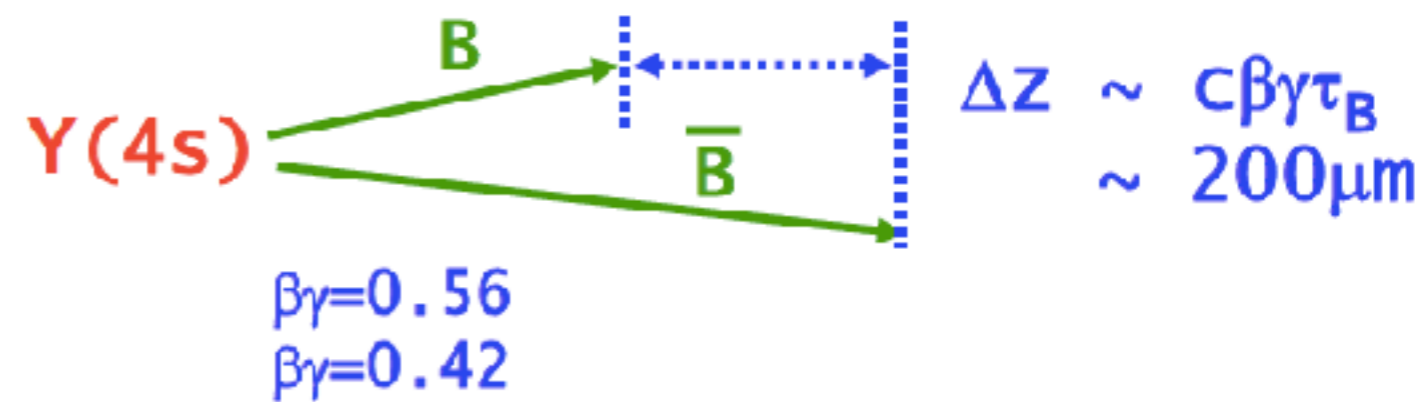
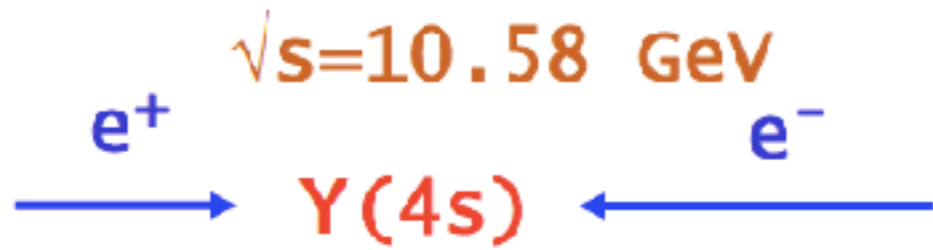
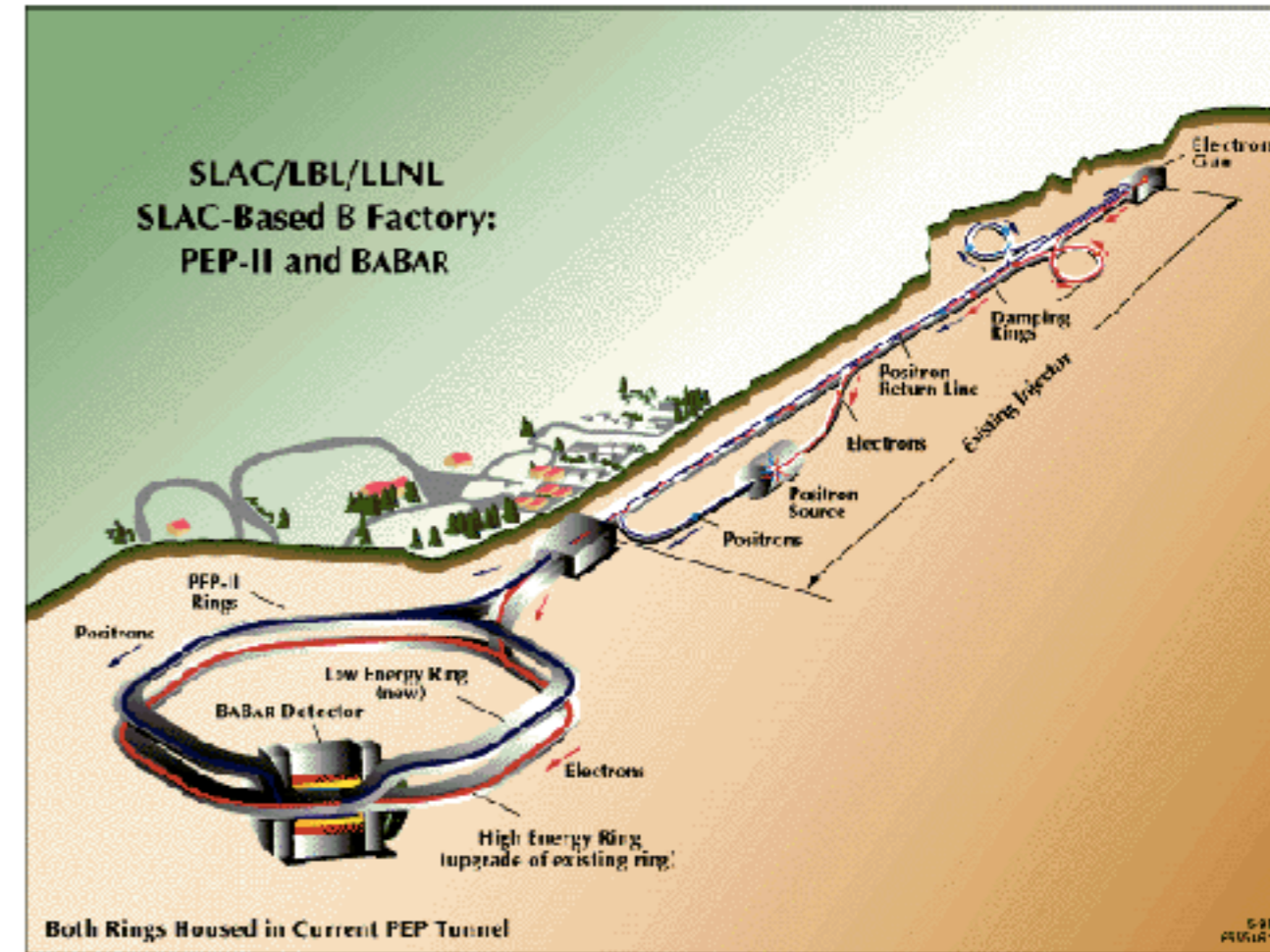
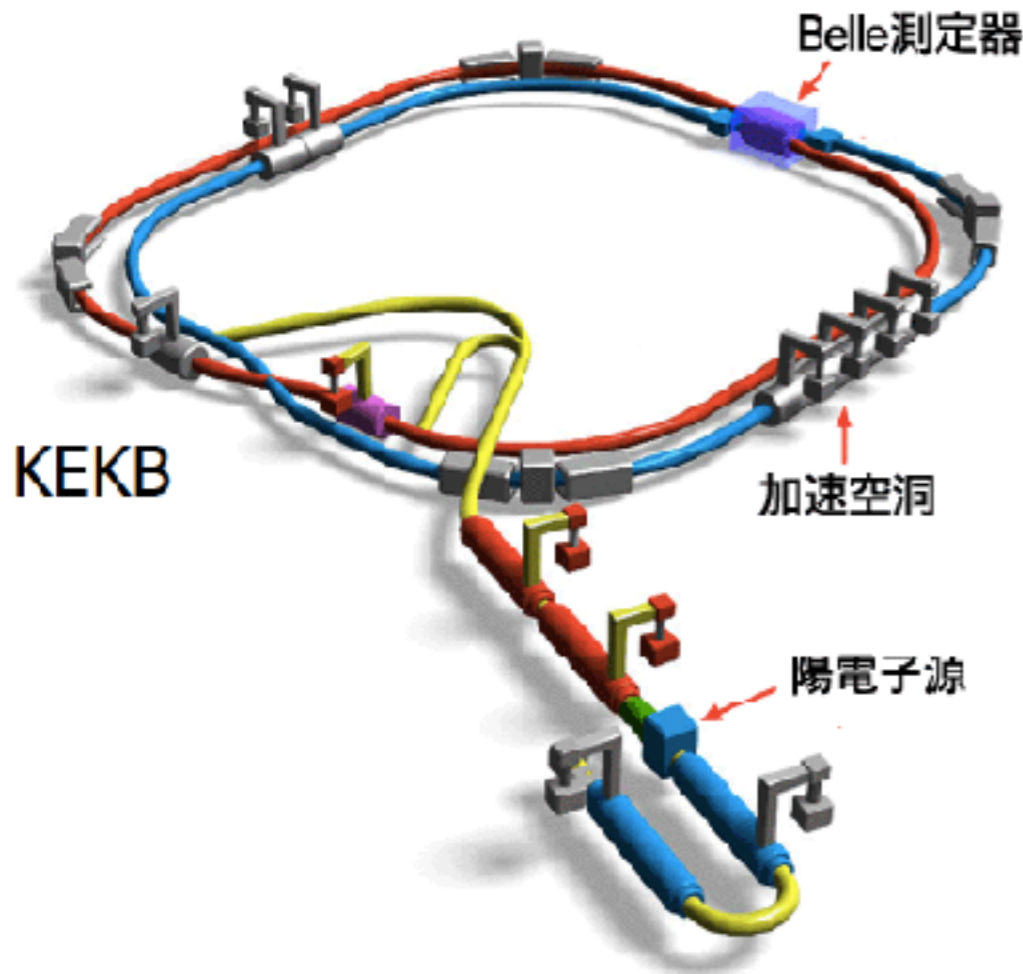
**CDF**



**DZero**



# Flavour physics at the luminosity frontier with asymmetric B factories



<b>BaBar</b>	$p(e^-) = 9 \text{ GeV}$	$p(e^+) = 3.1 \text{ GeV}$
<b>Belle</b>	$p(e^-) = 8 \text{ GeV}$	$p(e^+) = 3.5 \text{ GeV}$

To a large degree shaped flavour physics in the previous decade

# The CKM Picture of Quarks in the Standard Model

## The CKM Matrix source of $C$ harge $P$ arity $V$ iolation in SM

- **Unitary 3x3 Matrix**, parametrizes rotation between mass and weak interaction eigenstates in Standard Model

$$\begin{pmatrix} d' \\ s' \\ b' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

Weak Eigenstates

CKM Matrix

Mass Eigenstates

- Fully parametrized by **four** parameters if unitarity holds: **three real parameters** and **one complex phase** that, if non-zero, indicates  $CPV$
- Can be visualized using triangle equations, e.g.

$$V_{CKM} V_{CKM}^\dagger = \mathbf{1} \quad \rightarrow \quad V_{ub}^* V_{ud} + V_{cb}^* V_{cd} + V_{tb}^* V_{td} = 0$$

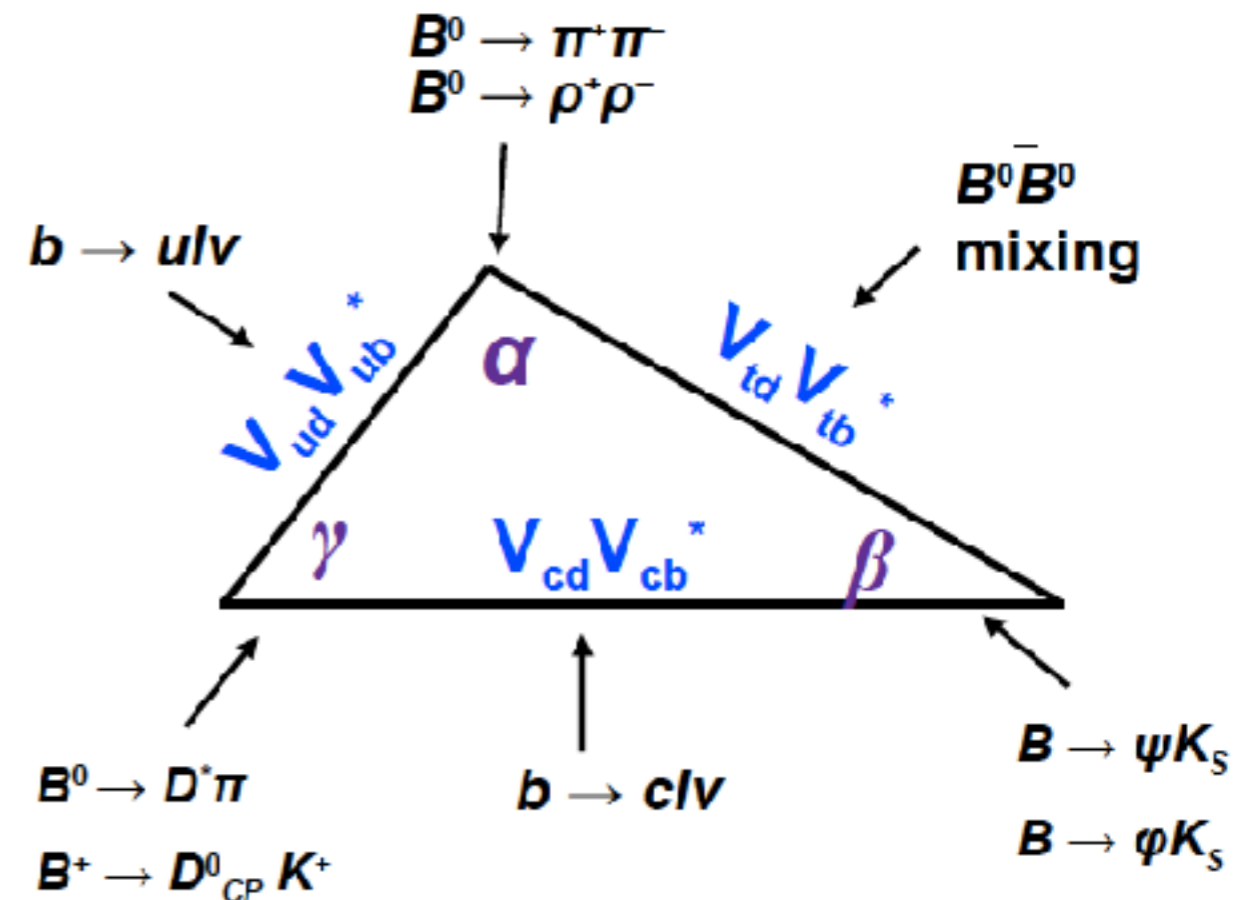
# B Factories: CP Violation in the B-Meson System

## Quark Mixing Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} d' \\ s' \\ b' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

weak eigenstates  $\leftarrow$  Cabibbo Kobayashi Maskawa (CKM) matrix  $\leftarrow$  mass eigenstates

## CKM Unitarity Triangle



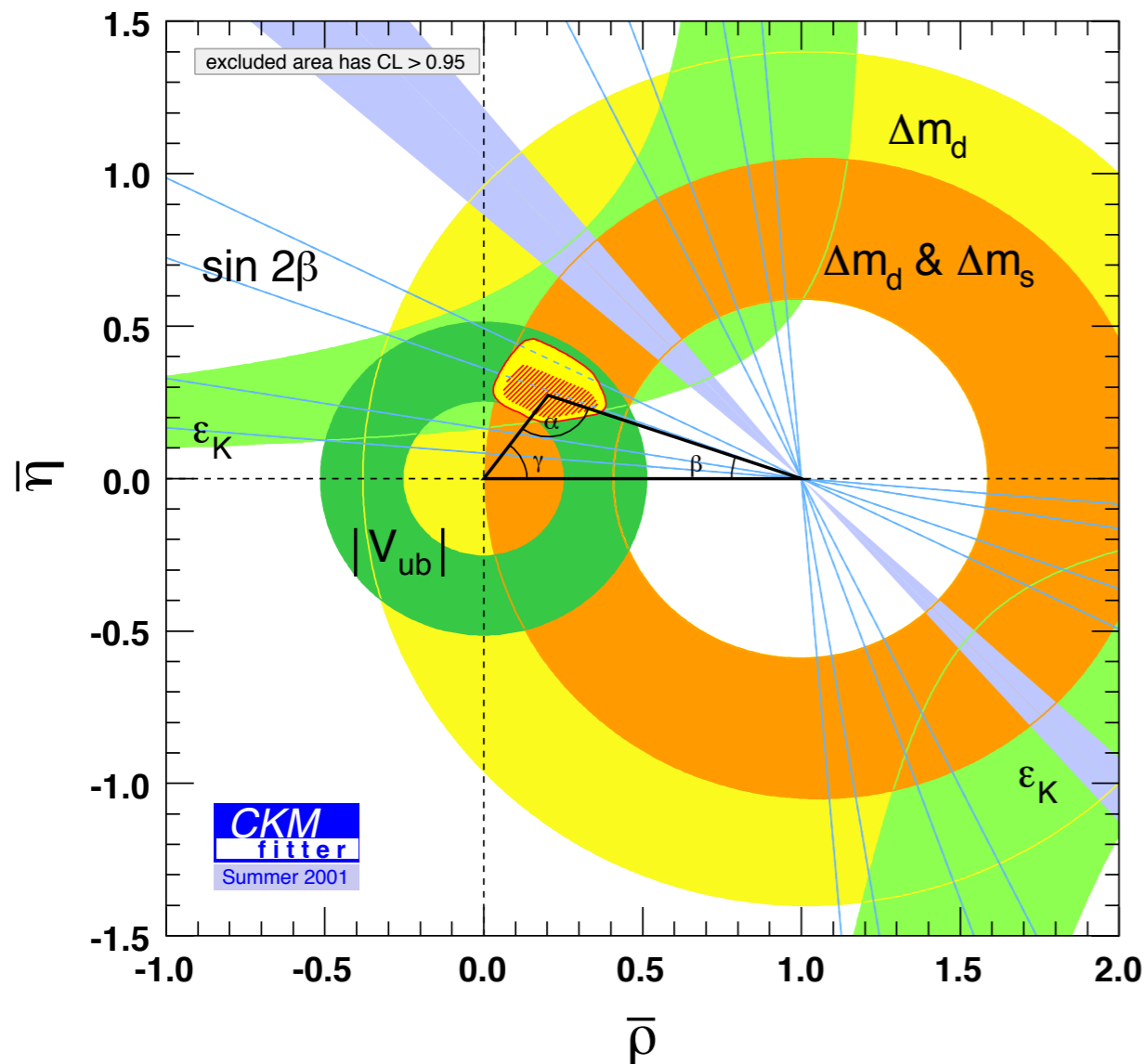
Over-constraining the CKM matrix allows for non-trivial test of the SM  
 Presence of **CPV phase** encoded in apex of triangle in the complex plane

# B Factories: CP Violation in the B-Meson System

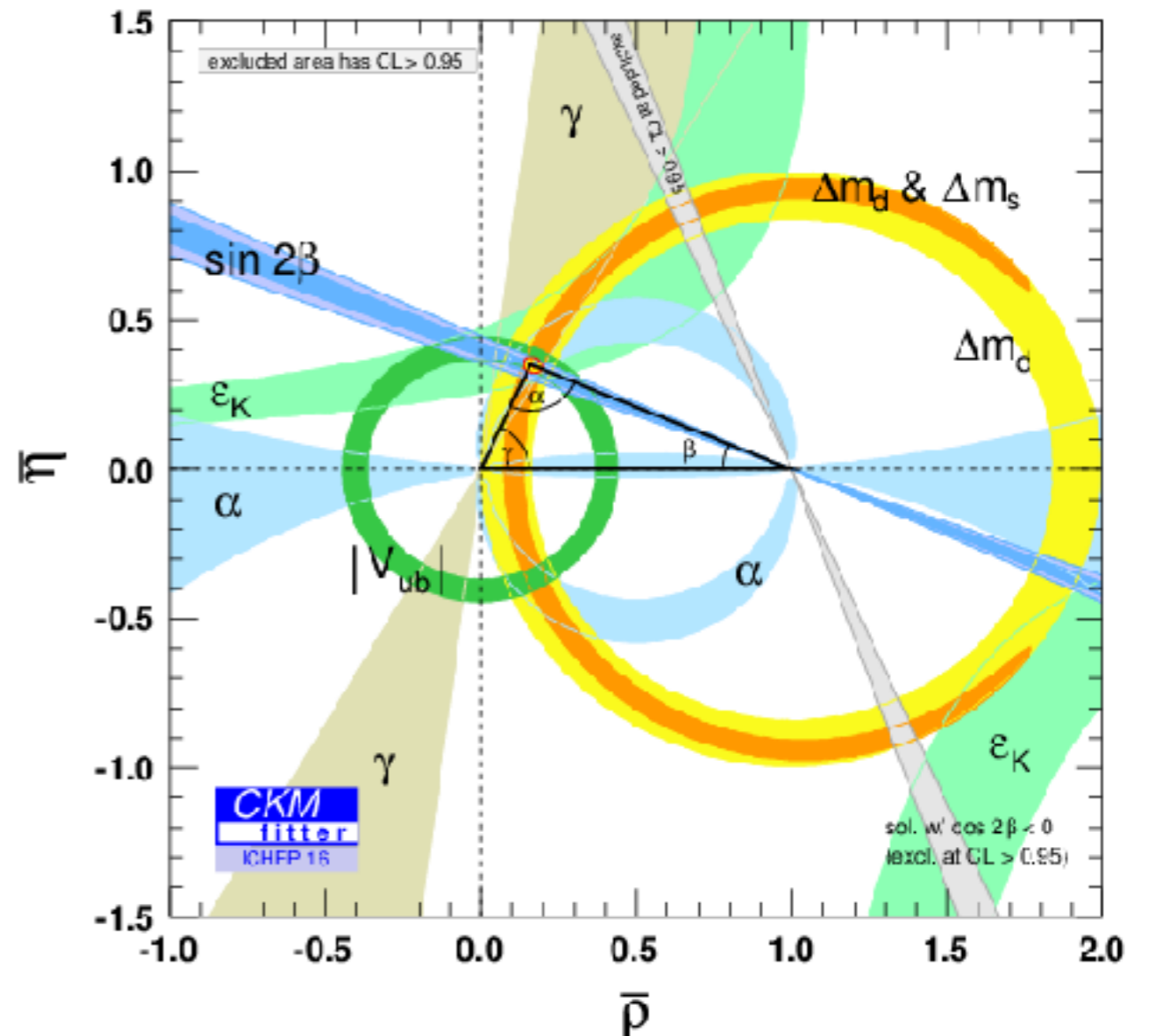
From **discovery** (2001) by BaBar & Belle,  
to **precision measurements**.

- Picture still holds 16 years later, constrained with remarkable precision
- But: there remains room for new physics contributions

2001



2016



**Most Measurements  
Statistically Limited**

# Current open questions: *New physics and anomalies*

Can roughly be grouped into two categories:

- Fundamental questions that the SM in current form does not provide, e.g.
  - What is Dark Matter?
  - What causes the large CPV in the Universe?
  - Gravity?
- Existing anomalies in the Flavour sector, e.g.
  - Inclusive and exclusive  $|V_{qb}|$  disagreement
  - Enhancements in semi-tauonic decays
  - Deviations in penguin decays
  - Very rare  $B_s$  and B decays — not an anomaly!

Flavour and energy frontier experiments are *complementary* probes:

Evidence for BSM?		FLAVOR ( <b>Belle II &amp; LHCb</b> )	
		yes	no
ATLAS & CMS	yes	complementary information	distinguish models
	no	tells us where to look next	flavor is the best microscope

Zoltan Ligeti



# Anomalies — what is there to learn?

If one carries out many measurements, one of course will every once in a while measure something that does not fit (*cf. look elsewhere effect*)

It is interesting though, that some measurements show persistent differences that either cannot be statistical in nature or show up for several experiments that don't use the same observables in their measurements

- Could point to a common systematic error all measurements underestimate (our limited understanding of QCD could be the culprit) and similar models for backgrounds are used
- Or are we seeing an emergence of the first recent sign of **New Physics**?

To discern one from the other we need to keep measuring

- Future results from the LHC and the intensity frontier will either confirm or reject these anomalies

**The Belle II experiment will play an important role in this**

# The Belle II Physics Program

# Belle II Physics

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- We know there must be new physics, but we don't know what it is
- Our approach is to make a large number of measurements for which the outcomes can be accurately predicted using the Standard Model
- Because of quantum effects, these are sensitive to massive particles, even beyond the reach of the LHC
- B-mixing  $\Rightarrow$  heavy top quark; Higgs mass prediction

# Predicted uncertainties on a selection of proposed Belle II measurements

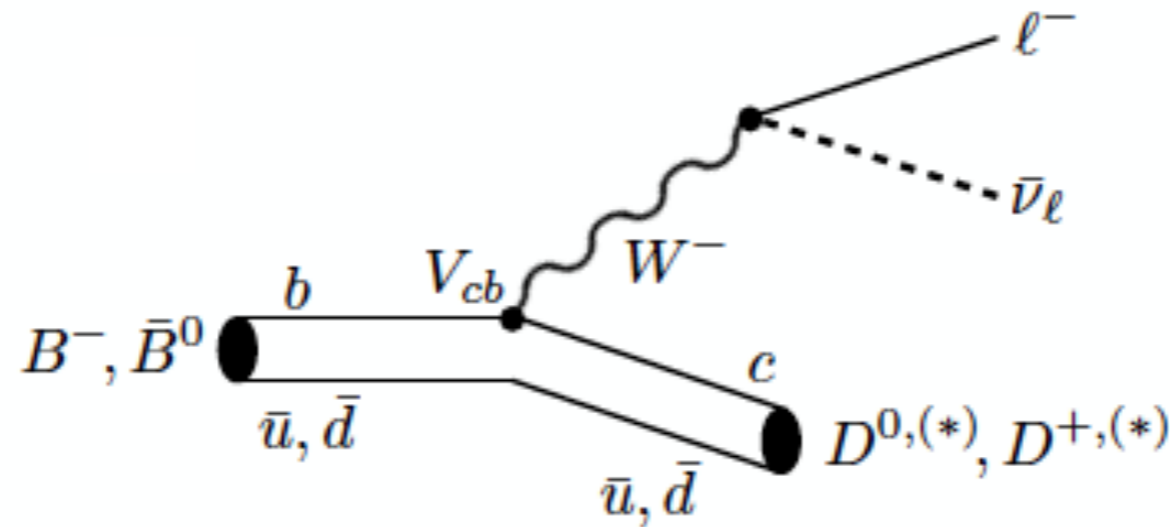
Observables	Belle	Belle II		$\mathcal{L}_s$ [ab <sup>-1</sup> ]
	(2014)	5 ab <sup>-1</sup>	50 ab <sup>-1</sup>	
$\sin 2\beta$	$0.667 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.012$	$\pm 0.012$	$\pm 0.008$	6
$\alpha$		$\pm 2^\circ$	$\pm 1^\circ$	
$\gamma$	$\pm 14^\circ$	$\pm 6^\circ$	$\pm 1.5^\circ$	
$S(B \rightarrow \phi K^0)$	$0.90_{-0.19}^{+0.09}$	$\pm 0.053$	$\pm 0.018$	>50
$S(B \rightarrow \eta' K^0)$	$0.68 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.03$	$\pm 0.028$	$\pm 0.011$	>50
$S(B \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0 K_S^0)$	$0.30 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.08$	$\pm 0.100$	$\pm 0.033$	44
$ V_{cb} $ incl.	$\pm 2.4\%$	$\pm 1.0\%$		< 1
$ V_{cb} $ excl.	$\pm 3.6\%$	$\pm 1.8\%$	$\pm 1.4\%$	< 1
$ V_{ub} $ incl.	$\pm 6.5\%$	$\pm 3.4\%$	$\pm 3.0\%$	2
$ V_{ub} $ excl. (had. tag.)	$\pm 10.8\%$	$\pm 4.7\%$	$\pm 2.4\%$	20
$ V_{ub} $ excl. (untag.)	$\pm 9.4\%$	$\pm 4.2\%$	$\pm 2.2\%$	3
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \tau\nu)$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	$96 \pm 26$	$\pm 10\%$	$\pm 5\%$	46
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \mu\nu)$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	< 1.7	$5\sigma$	$\gg 5\sigma$	>50
$R(B \rightarrow D\tau\nu)$	$\pm 16.5\%$	$\pm 5.6\%$	$\pm 3.4\%$	4
$R(B \rightarrow D^*\tau\nu)$	$\pm 9.0\%$	$\pm 3.2\%$	$\pm 2.1\%$	3
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{*+}\nu\bar{\nu})$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	< 40		$\pm 30\%$	>50
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^+\nu\bar{\nu})$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	< 55		$\pm 30\%$	>50
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s\gamma)$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	$\pm 13\%$	$\pm 7\%$	$\pm 6\%$	< 1
$A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_s\gamma)$		$\pm 0.01$	$\pm 0.005$	8
$S(B \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^0\gamma)$	$-0.10 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.07$	$\pm 0.11$	$\pm 0.035$	> 50
$S(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma)$	$-0.83 \pm 0.65 \pm 0.18$	$\pm 0.23$	$\pm 0.07$	> 50
$C_7/C_9 (B \rightarrow X_s\ell\ell)$	$\sim 20\%$	10%	5%	
$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	< 8.7	$\pm 0.3$		
$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-)$ [10 <sup>-3</sup> ]		< 2		

Observables	Belle	Belle II		$\mathcal{L}_s$ [ab <sup>-1</sup> ]
	(2014)	5 ab <sup>-1</sup>	50 ab <sup>-1</sup>	
$\mathcal{B}(D_s \rightarrow \mu\nu)$	$5.31 \times 10^{-3}(1 \pm 0.053 \pm 0.038)$	$\pm 2.9\%$	$\pm(0.9\%-1.3\%)$	> 50
$\mathcal{B}(D_s \rightarrow \tau\nu)$	$5.70 \times 10^{-3}(1 \pm 0.037 \pm 0.054)$	$\pm(3.5\%-4.3\%)$	$\pm(2.3\%-3.6\%)$	3-5
$y_{CP}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$1.11 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.11$	$\pm(0.11-0.13)$	$\pm(0.05-0.08)$	5-8
$A_\Gamma$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$-0.03 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.08$	$\pm 0.10$	$\pm(0.03-0.05)$	7 - 9
$A_{CP}^{K^+K^-}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$-0.32 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.09$	$\pm 0.11$	$\pm 0.06$	15
$A_{CP}^{\pi^+\pi^-}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$0.55 \pm 0.36 \pm 0.09$	$\pm 0.17$	$\pm 0.06$	> 50
$A_{CP}^{\phi\gamma}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$\pm 5.6$	$\pm 2.5$	$\pm 0.8$	> 50
$x^{K_S\pi^+\pi^-}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$0.56 \pm 0.19 \pm_{0.13}^{0.07}$	$\pm 0.14$	$\pm 0.11$	3
$y^{K_S\pi^+\pi^-}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$0.30 \pm 0.15 \pm_{0.08}^{0.05}$	$\pm 0.08$	$\pm 0.05$	15
$ q/p ^{K_S\pi^+\pi^-}$	$0.90 \pm_{0.15}^{0.16} \pm_{0.06}^{0.08}$	$\pm 0.10$	$\pm 0.07$	5-6
$\phi^{K_S\pi^+\pi^-}$ [°]	$-6 \pm 11 \pm_{5}^4$	$\pm 6$	$\pm 4$	10
$A_{CP}^{\pi^0\pi^0}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$-0.03 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.10$	$\pm 0.29$	$\pm 0.09$	> 50
$A_{CP}^{K_S^0\pi^0}$ [10 <sup>-2</sup> ]	$-0.10 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.09$	$\pm 0.08$	$\pm 0.03$	> 50
$Br(D^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$ [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	< 1.5	$\pm 30\%$	$\pm 25\%$	2
	$\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$ [10 <sup>-9</sup> ]	< 45	< 14.7	< 4.7
	$\tau \rightarrow e\gamma$ [10 <sup>-9</sup> ]	< 120	< 39	< 12
	$\tau \rightarrow \mu\mu\mu$ [10 <sup>-9</sup> ]	< 21.0	< 3.0	< 0.3

- **Ideally, a pattern of deviations from the SM will elucidate the nature of the New Physics**

$$\bar{B} \rightarrow D\tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$$


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arXiv:1703.01766

- Fraction of B mesons that decay to  $D^{(*)}\tau\nu$  should be equal to  $D^{(*)}\mu\nu$  or  $D^{(*)}e\nu$ , except for mass difference (lepton universality)

$$R(D^*) \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^* \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell)} \quad R(D) \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell)} \quad \ell = e \text{ or } \mu$$

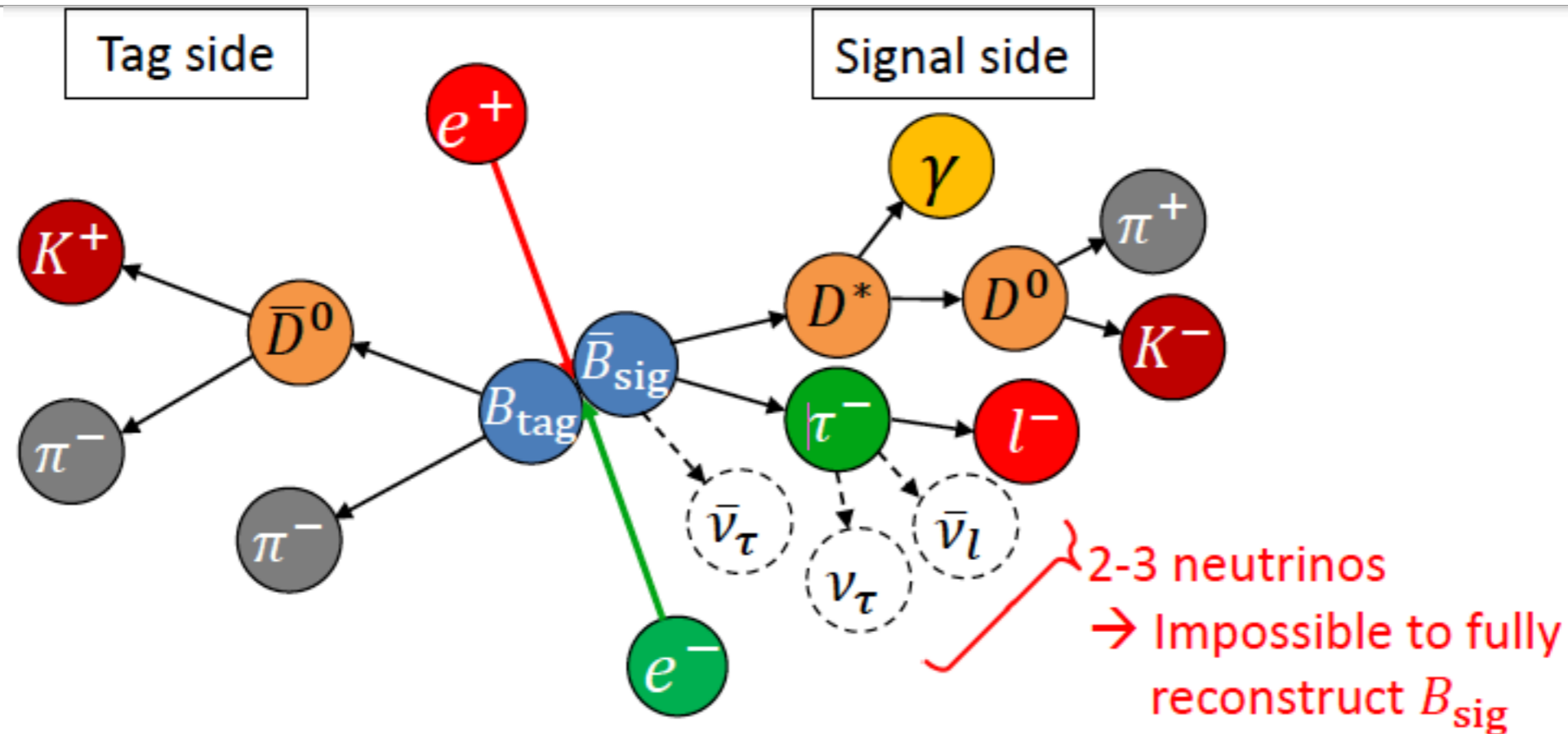
- Charged Higgs would affect decay to  $\tau$ , but not  $e$  or  $\mu$ .

- The tau decays to e or  $\mu$  plus neutrinos  
 $\Rightarrow$  same particles are reconstructed in the final state, other than the neutrinos, which we can't detect.



- If we can't detect neutrinos, how do we know we have the correct final state?

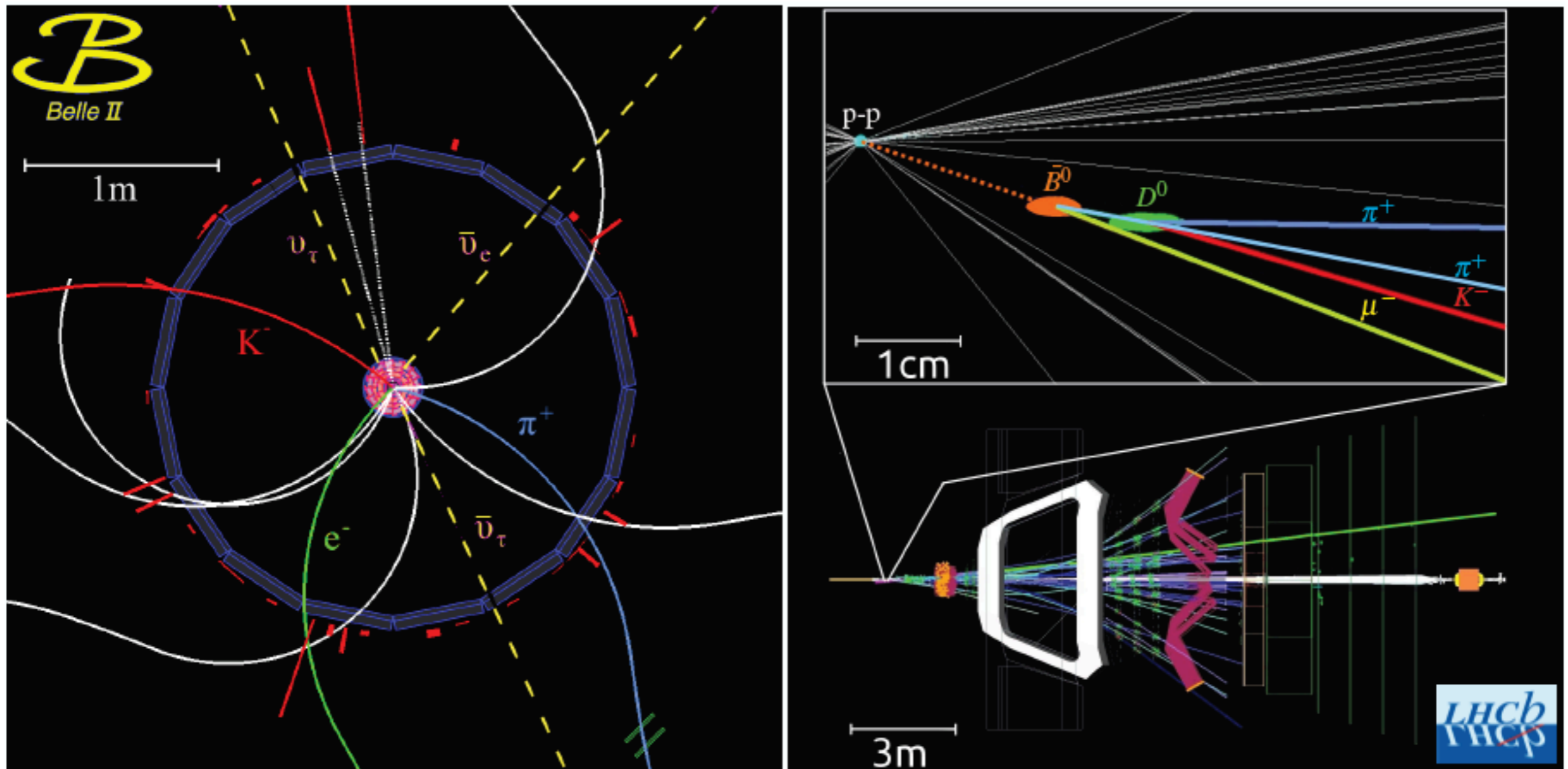
# Reconstruction: Tag the companion B meson



- Infer signal B-meson kinematics by reconstructing the tag B-meson (hadronic, semileptonic)
- A powerful tool for reconstructing events with neutrinos
- Not available at proton colliders like the LHC

$$\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$$

# Belle II vs. LHCb: Very different reconstructions



G. Ciezarek et al., arXiv:1703.01766



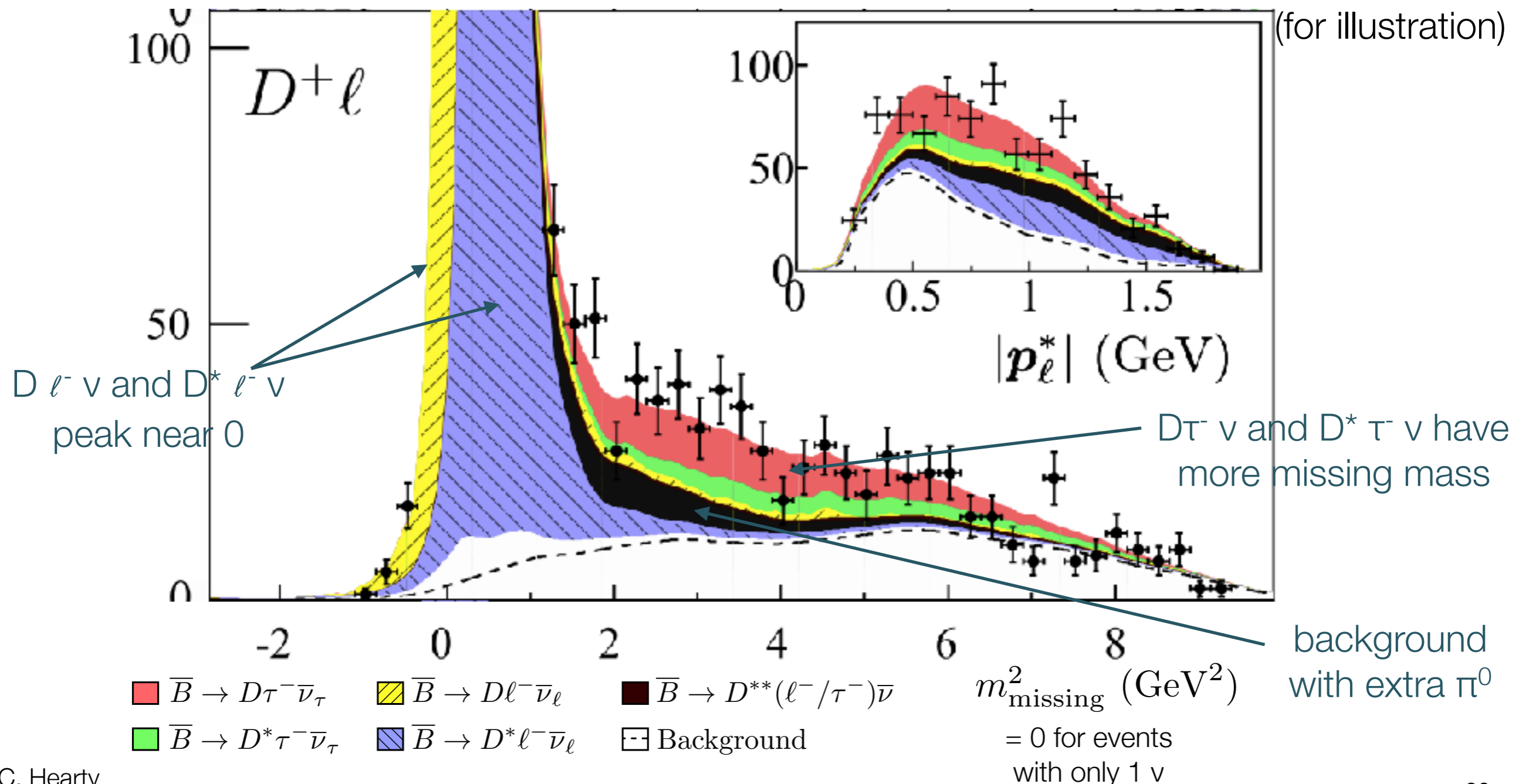
Separating  $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$  and  $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell$

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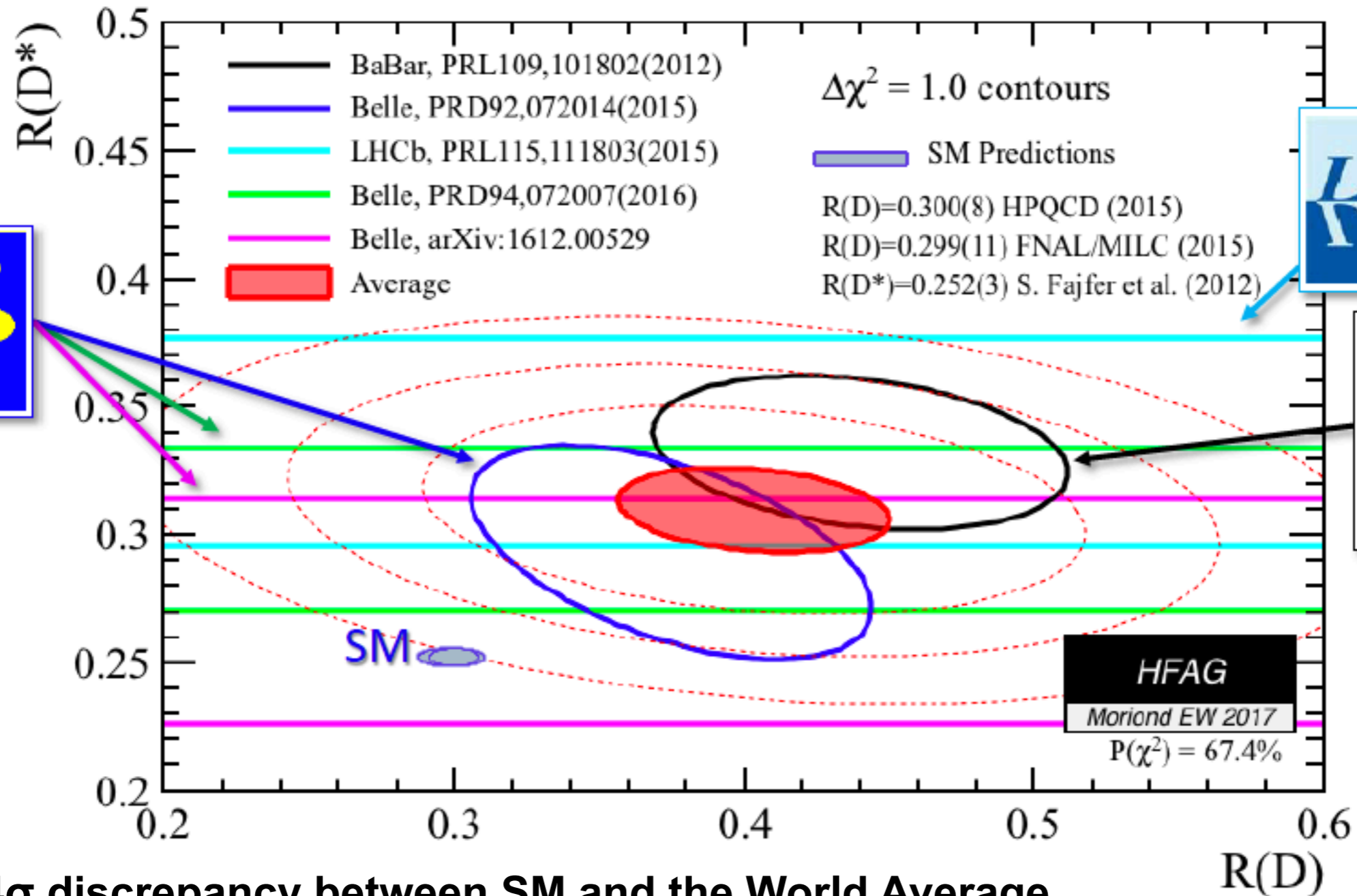
- But how to distinguish  $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$  from  $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$  ?  
 $\rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau$ 
  - momentum of  $\mu$  is lower
  - more neutrinos  $\Rightarrow$  more “missing” energy (or missing mass)

# Distinguishing $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)}\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$ and $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)}\ell^-\bar{\nu}_\ell$

- A glimpse at how complicated it actually is...



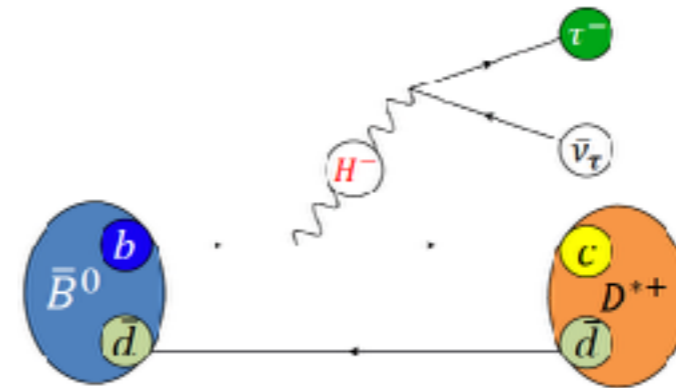
# Current World Situation: Moriond EW 2017



- $\sim 4\sigma$  discrepancy between SM and the World Average
- All experimental results so far measure larger  $R(D^*)$  &  $R(D)$  than SM predicts

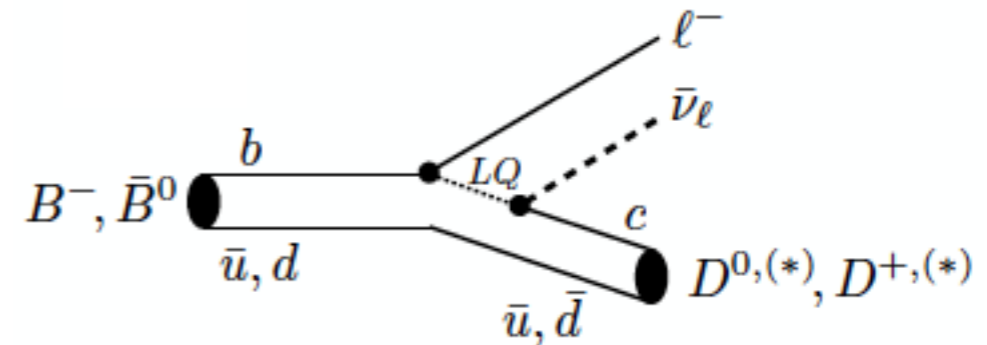
# Potential Interpretations:

- Charged Higgs in extensions to SM



S. Hirose, Moriond EW 2017

- Leptoquark mediators



G. Ciezarek et al., arXiv:1703.01766

- Other? Important to use Belle II to improve precision:

- Target inclusive and light-meson  $R(\pi)$  modes, excited states  $R(D^{**})$
- Differential measurements
- Projected sensitivities:

$R(D)$

Error	stat.	tot.
B-Factories	13%	16.2%
Belle II 5/ab	3.8%	5.6%
Belle II 50/ab	1.2%	3.4%

$R(D^*)$

Error	stat.	tot.
B-Factories	7.1%	9.0%
Belle II 5/ab	2.1%	3.2%
Belle II 50/ab	0.7%	2.1%

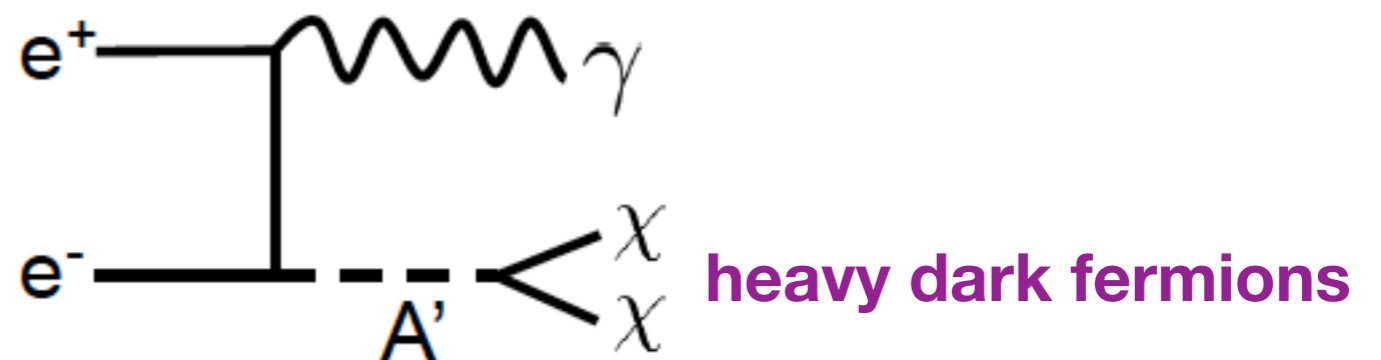
# The Dark Sector

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- The dark sector is hypothesized to contain massive particles that carry “dark charge” (like electric charge), which couples to a dark photon  $A'$ . Unlike the real photon, the  $A'$  would not be massless.

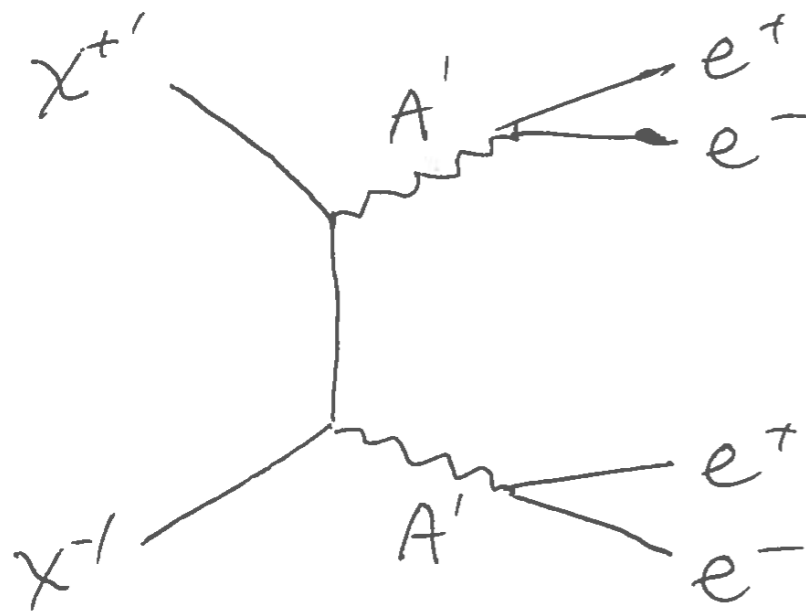
- The  $A'$  and  $\gamma$  mix with strength  $\varepsilon$ . 

- Any process that creates a photon can create an  $A'$ .

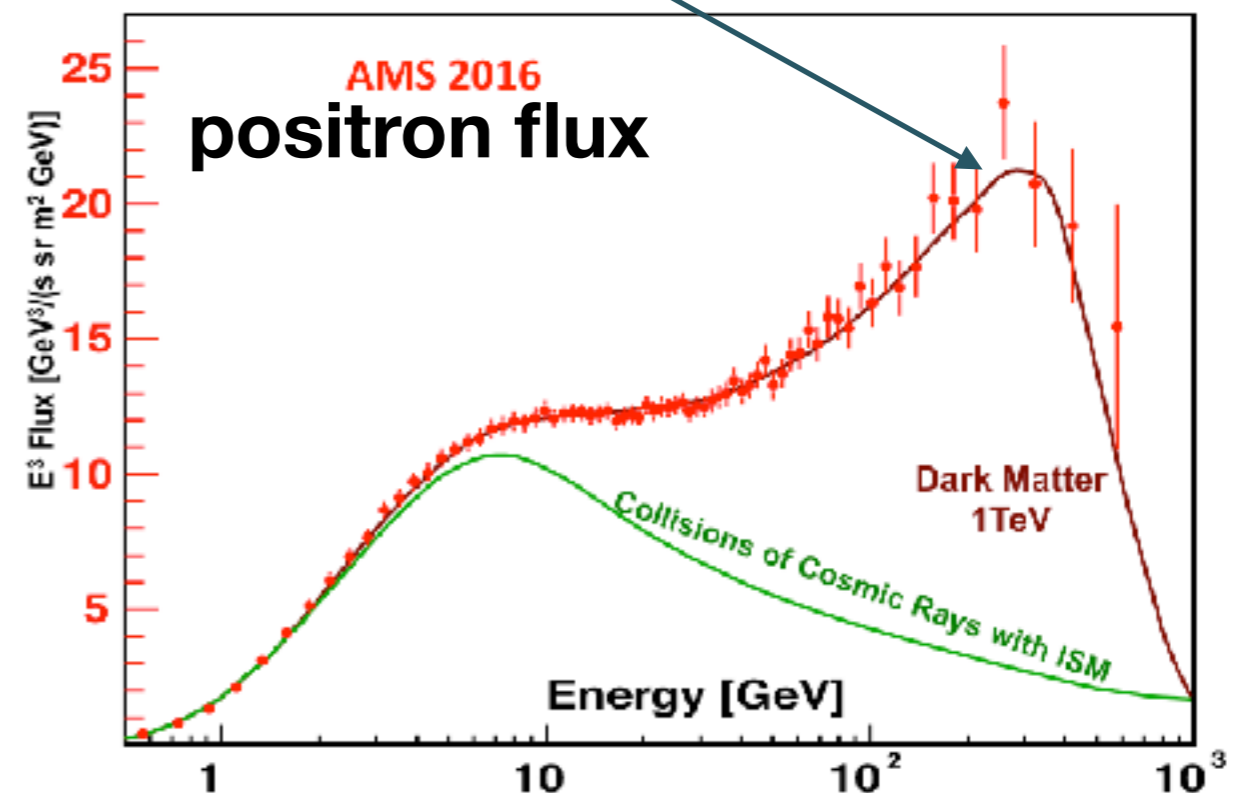


# Connection with Dark Matter

- In this model, dark matter would be heavy dark fermions. These could annihilate to produce a pair of dark photons, which could decay to  $e^+e^- \Rightarrow$  astronomical excess of  $e^+$ .
  - assuming that the  $A'$  is the lightest dark particle.

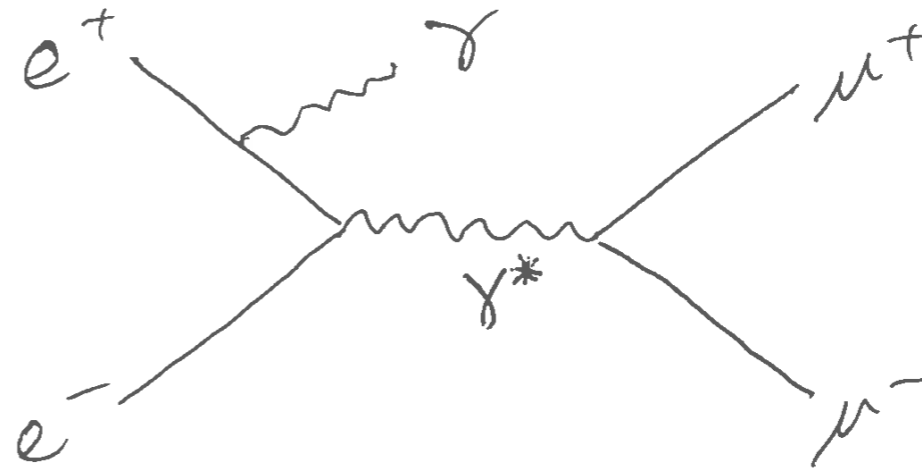
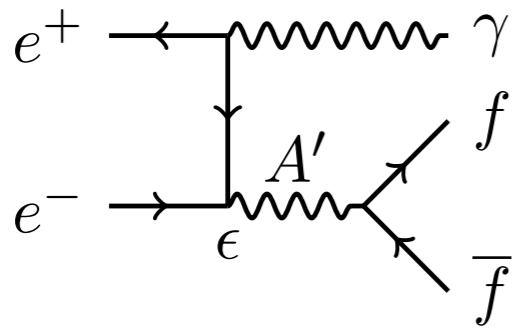


Should see rate drop above  
 $\sim 1/2$  the dark matter mass



Note: High-Altitude Water Cherenkov Observatory (HAWC) observations point to significant Pulsar contributions [D. Hooper et al., March 2017]

# Search for a dark photon at an $e^+e^-$ collider



$$\sigma \propto \epsilon^2 \alpha^2 / E_{CM}^2$$

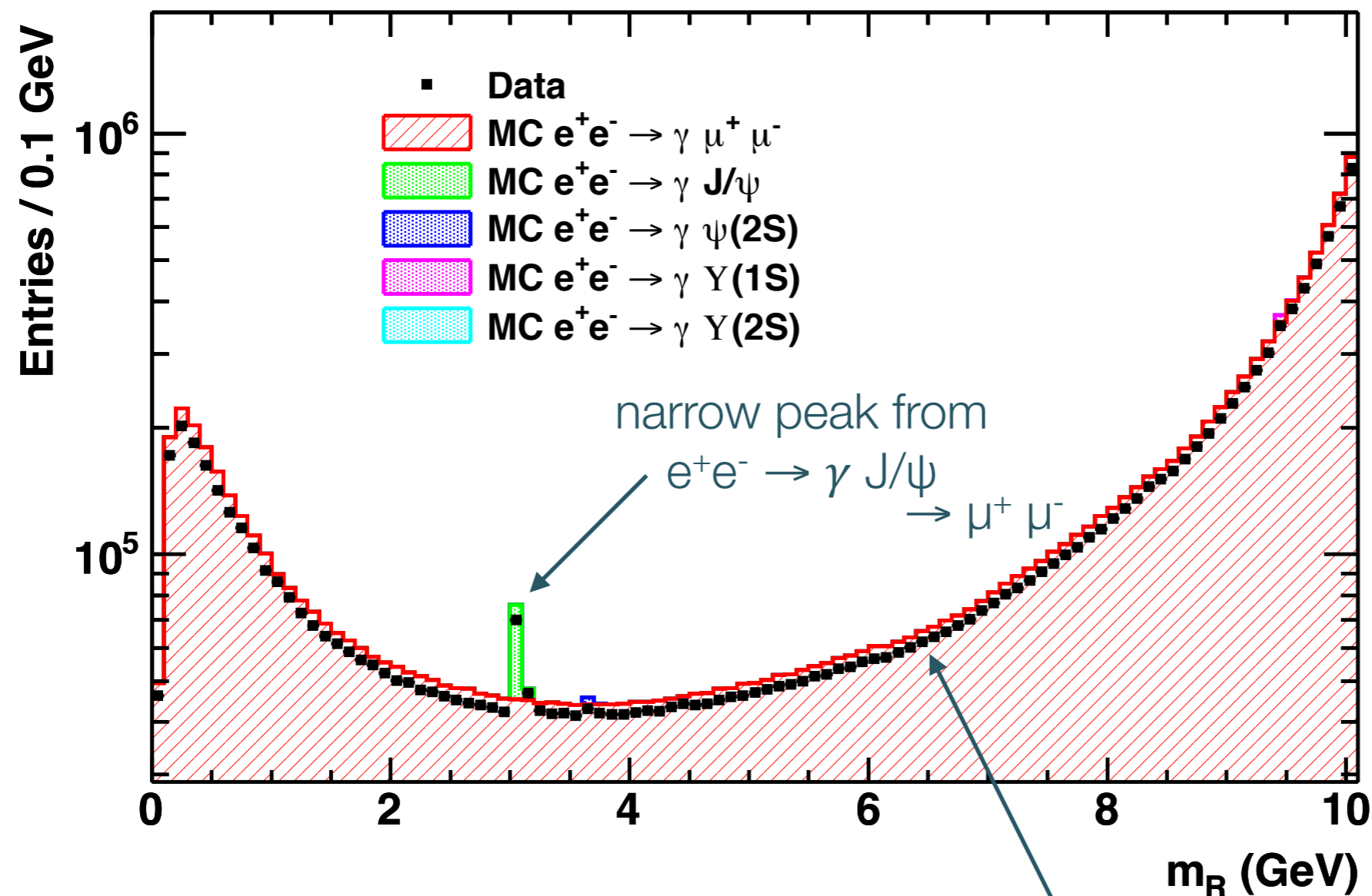
- Final state is a photon plus  $e^+e^-$  or  $\mu^+\mu^-$ . Very large backgrounds from SM processes.
- Difference is that the invariant mass of the  $\mu^+\mu^-$  pair is the  $A'$  mass for signal, a smooth distribution for background.

# BaBar search for $A' \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

Method:

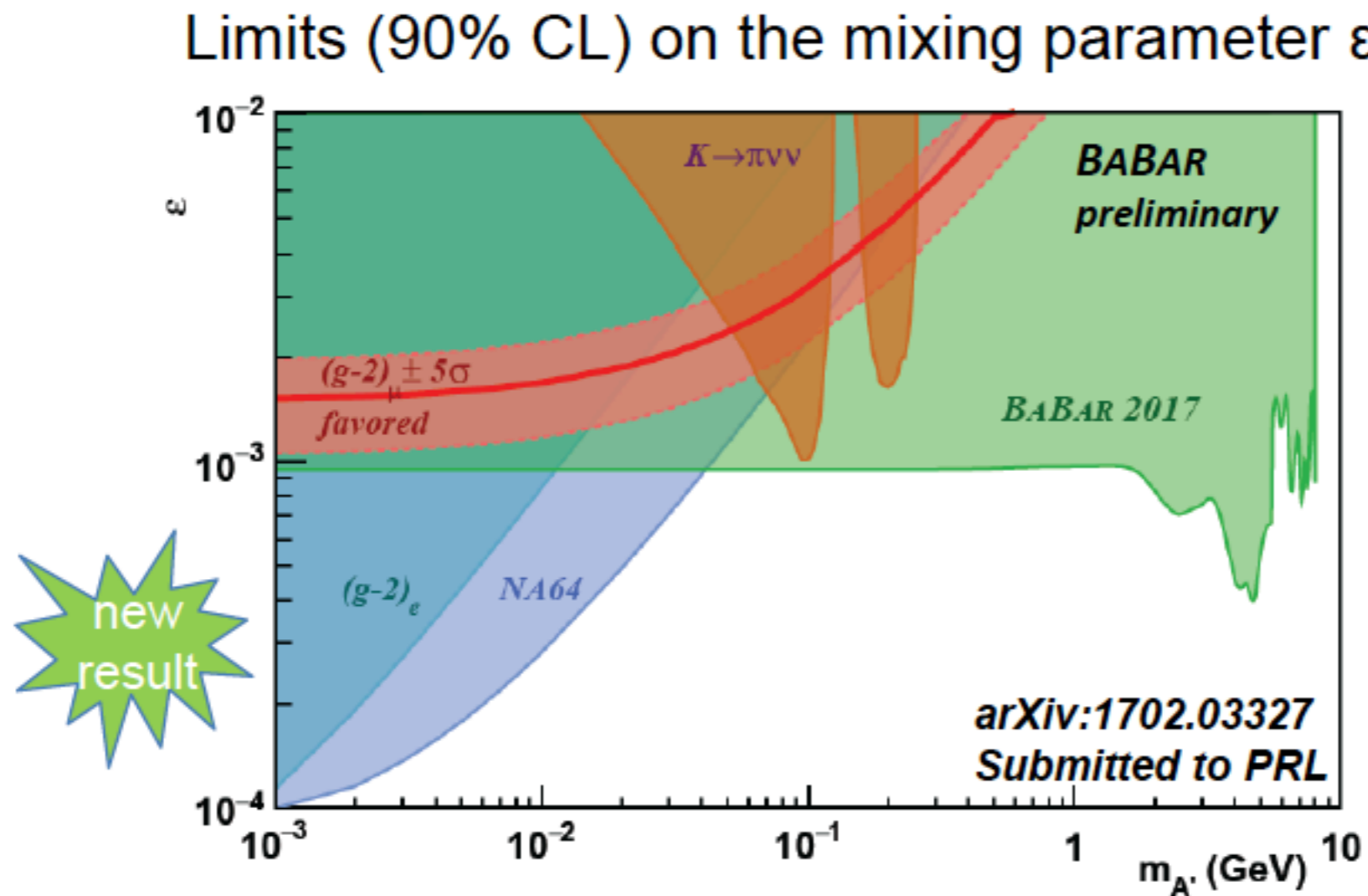
- Select single-photon final states
- reconstruct missing mass
- look for bump

- $0.22 < m_{A'} < 10.2 \text{ GeV}/c^2$





# Latest limits from BaBar

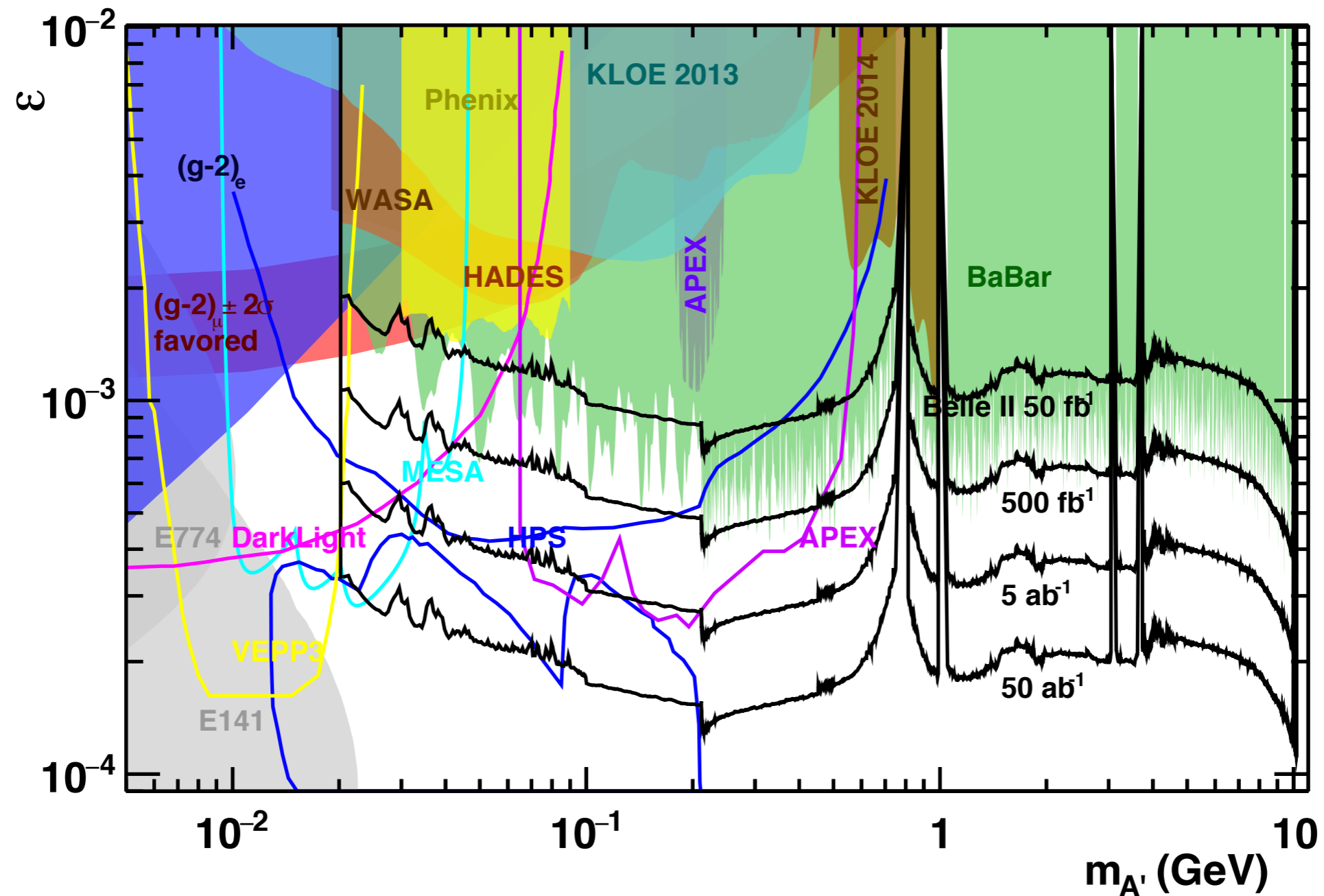


Note: BaBar  
ceased data taking  
in 2008

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**Measurement rules out the entire region  
preferred by the  $(g-2)_\mu$  anomaly**

# Projected Belle II limits on $A'$ parameters



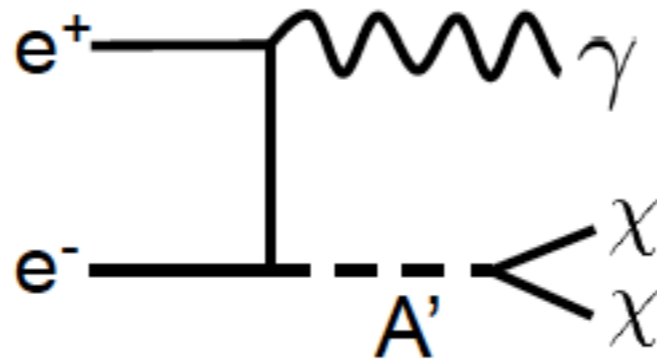
Belle2-Note-034

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- Many dedicated experiments planned (at JLab in particular), but Belle II has unique reach.

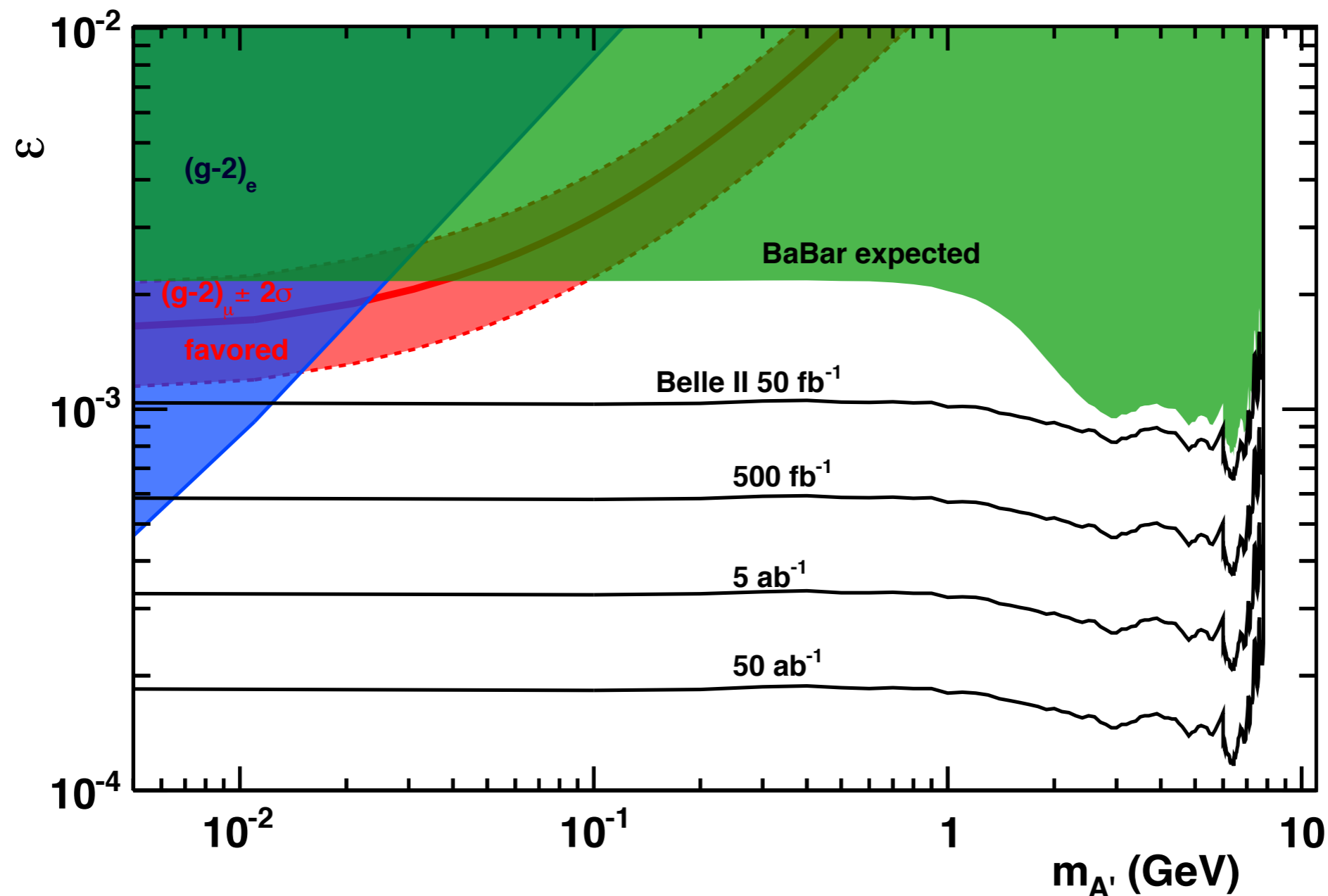
# Invisible decays of the dark photon

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- The  $A'$  will decay to other dark particles if it can. These do not interact in the detector, so the observed final state is a single photon.
- Very challenging measurement; large backgrounds.

# Belle II projection for $A' \rightarrow$ invisible

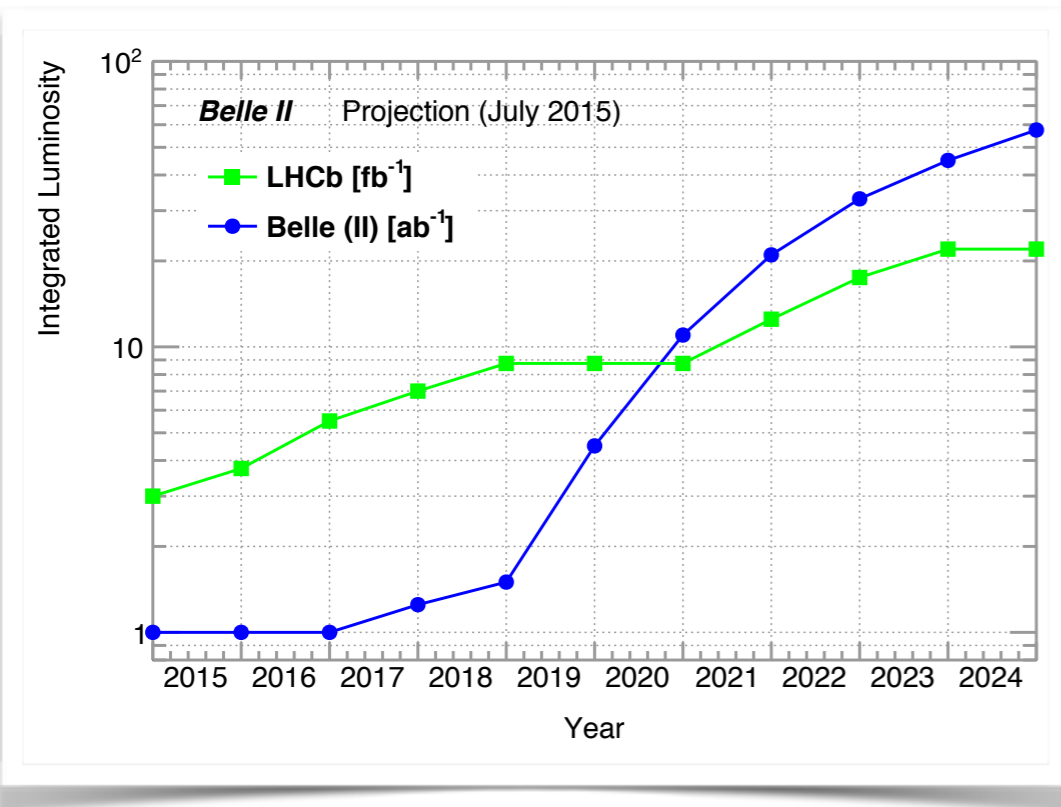


Belle2-Note-034

- With appropriate trigger and background suppression, Belle II can rapidly exceed probable BaBar limits.

# What about LHCb?

- LHCb is running and exceeding expectations
- There are overlaps between the physics programs, but also numerous unique strengths
  - Large baryonic samples and decays into visible particles play into **LHCb's** corner
  - Missing particles, inclusive measurements, low multiplicity final states with few constraints are **Belle II's** forte
  - For some channels there will be neck-and-neck competition!



Observable	Expected th. accuracy	Expected exp. uncertainty	Facility
<b>CKM matrix</b>			
$ V_{us}  [K \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu]$	**	0.1%	<i>K</i> -factory
$ V_{cb}  [B \rightarrow X_c \ell \nu]$	**	1%	Belle II
$ V_{ub}  [B_d \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu]$	*	4%	Belle II
$\sin(2\phi_1) [c\bar{c}K_S^0]$	***	$8 \cdot 10^{-3}$	Belle II/LHCb
$\phi_2$		$1.5^\circ$	Belle II
$\phi_3$	***	$3^\circ$	LHCb
<b>CPV</b>			
$S(B_s \rightarrow \psi\phi)$	**	0.01	LHCb
$S(B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi)$	**	0.05	LHCb
$S(B_d \rightarrow \phi K)$	***	0.05	Belle II/LHCb
$S(B_d \rightarrow \eta' K)$	***	0.02	Belle II
$S(B_d \rightarrow K^*(\rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0) \gamma)$	***	0.03	Belle II
$S(B_s \rightarrow \phi \gamma)$	***	0.05	LHCb
$S(B_d \rightarrow \rho \gamma)$		0.15	Belle II
$A_{SL}^d$	***	0.001	LHCb
$A_{SL}^s$	***	0.001	LHCb
$A_{CP}(B_d \rightarrow s \gamma)$	*	0.005	Belle II
<b>rare decays</b>			
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \tau \nu)$	**	3%	Belle II
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D \tau \nu)$		3%	Belle II
$\mathcal{B}(B_d \rightarrow \mu \nu)$	**	6%	Belle II
$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu)$	***	10%	LHCb
zero of $A_{FB}(B \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu)$	**	0.05	LHCb
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \nu \nu)$	***	30%	Belle II
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow s \gamma)$		4%	Belle II
$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \gamma \gamma)$		$0.25 \cdot 10^{-6}$	Belle II (with 5 ab <sup>-1</sup> )
$\mathcal{B}(K \rightarrow \pi \nu \nu)$	**	10%	<i>K</i> -factory
$\mathcal{B}(K \rightarrow e \pi \nu) / \mathcal{B}(K \rightarrow \mu \pi \nu)$	***	0.1%	<i>K</i> -factory
<b>charm and <math>\tau</math></b>			
$\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma)$	***	$3 \cdot 10^{-9}$	Belle II
$ q/p _D$	***	0.03	Belle II
$\arg(q/p)_D$	***	$1.5^\circ$	Belle II

# Experimental challenges



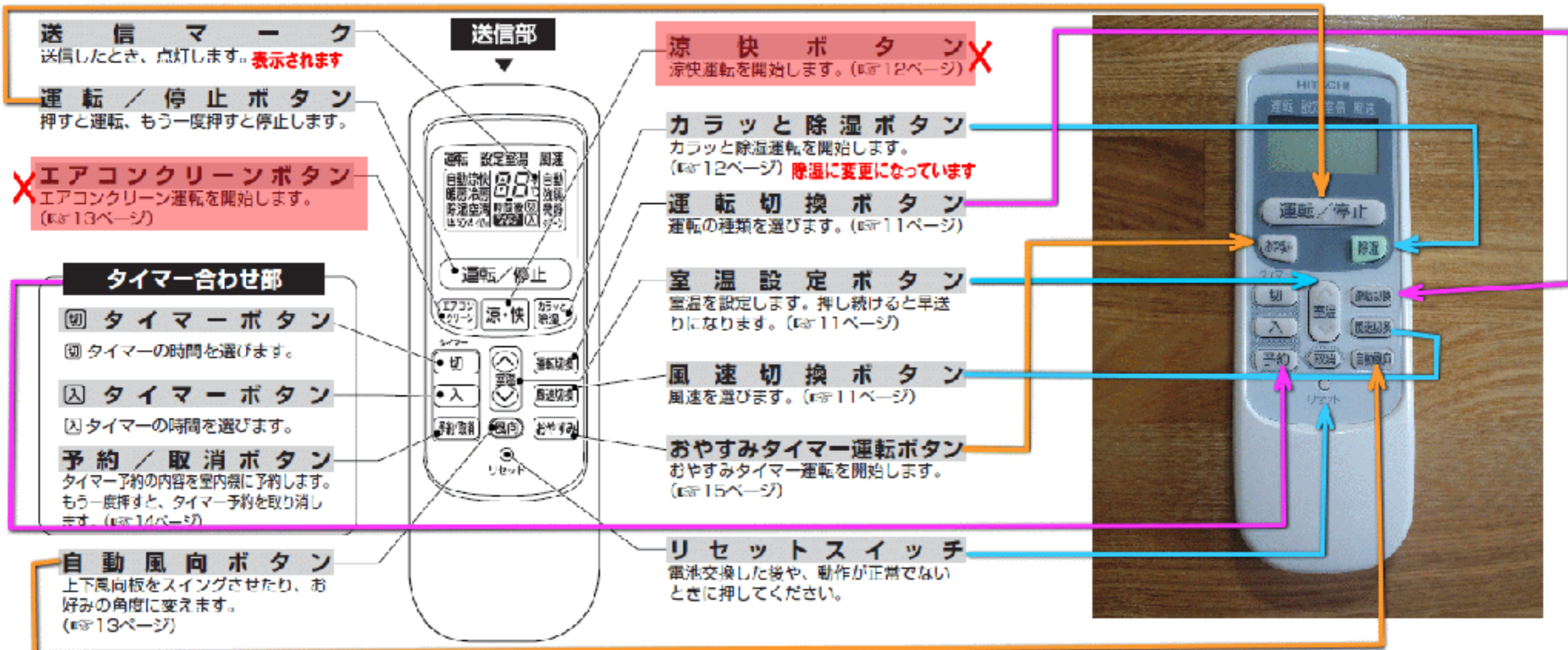
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リモコン

■ 運転内容、タイマー予約内容などを室内機に送信します。  
 ☆図の液晶表示は、リセットスイッチを押した直後の表示を示します。  
 本ルームエアコンには無い機能も表示されます。

代替品





# Transformation of a *B*-Factory into a **Super** *B*-Factory

To achieve the necessary sensitivity to further push the intensity frontier, the instantaneous luminosity needed to increase from  $2.1 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  to  $8 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

The key to this is a beam-configuration called the **nano-beam scheme** that squeezes the beam to a very small vertical spot size of about **50 nm**

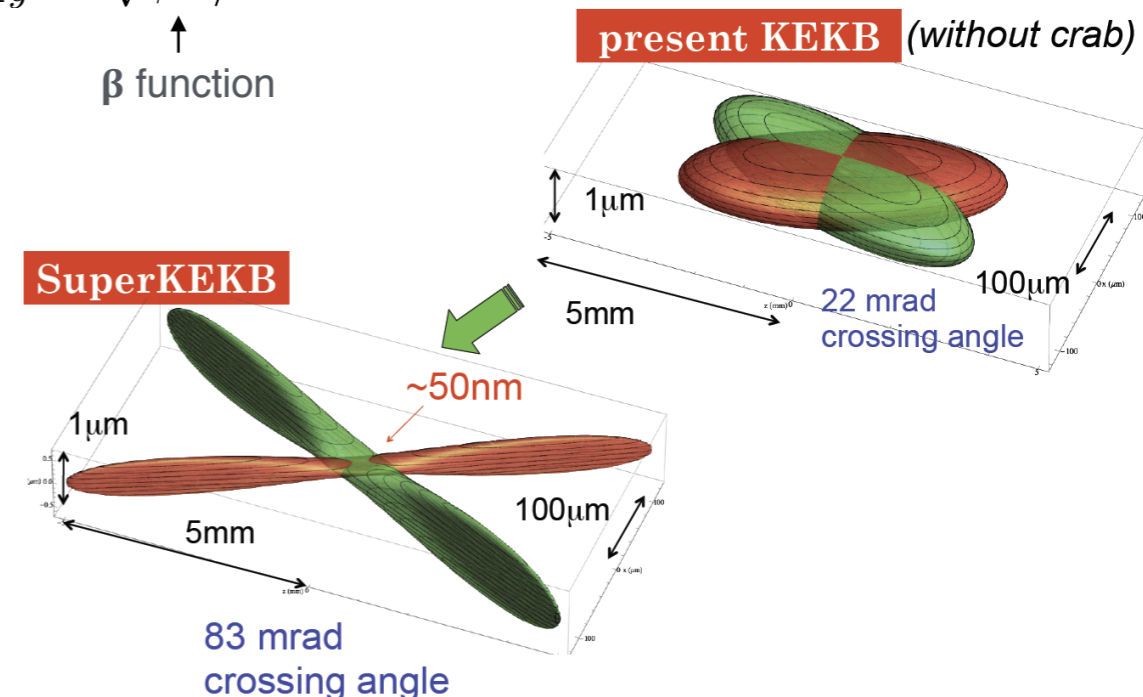
LER / HER	KEKB	SuperKEKB
Energy [GeV]	3.5 / 8	4.0 / 7.0
$\beta_y^*$ [mm]	5.9 / 5.9	<b>0.27 / 0.30</b>
$\beta_x^*$ [mm]	1200	<b>32 / 25</b>
$I_{\pm}$ [A]	1.64 / 1.19	<b>3.6 / 2.6</b>
$\zeta_{\pm y}$	0.129 / 0.09	<b>0.09 / 0.09</b>
$\epsilon$ [nm]	18 / 24	<b>3.2 / 4.6</b>
# of bunches	1584	2500
Luminosity [ $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ ]	2.1	80

$$L = \frac{\gamma_{\pm}}{2e r_e} \left( 1 + \frac{\sigma_y^*}{\sigma_x^*} \right) \left( \frac{I_{\pm} \zeta_{\pm y}}{\beta_y^*} \right) \left( \frac{R_L}{R_y} \right)$$

Lorentz factor  $\rightarrow \gamma_{\pm}$   
 beam current  $\rightarrow I_{\pm}$   
 beam-beam parameter  $\rightarrow \zeta_{\pm y}$   
 beam size aspect ratio  $\rightarrow \frac{\sigma_y^*}{\sigma_x^*}$   
 vertical  $\beta$  function  $\rightarrow \beta_y^*$   
 geometric factors  $\rightarrow \frac{R_L}{R_y}$

$$\zeta_{\pm y} \sim \sqrt{\beta^* / \epsilon} \leftarrow \text{emittance}$$

$\uparrow$   
 $\beta$  function

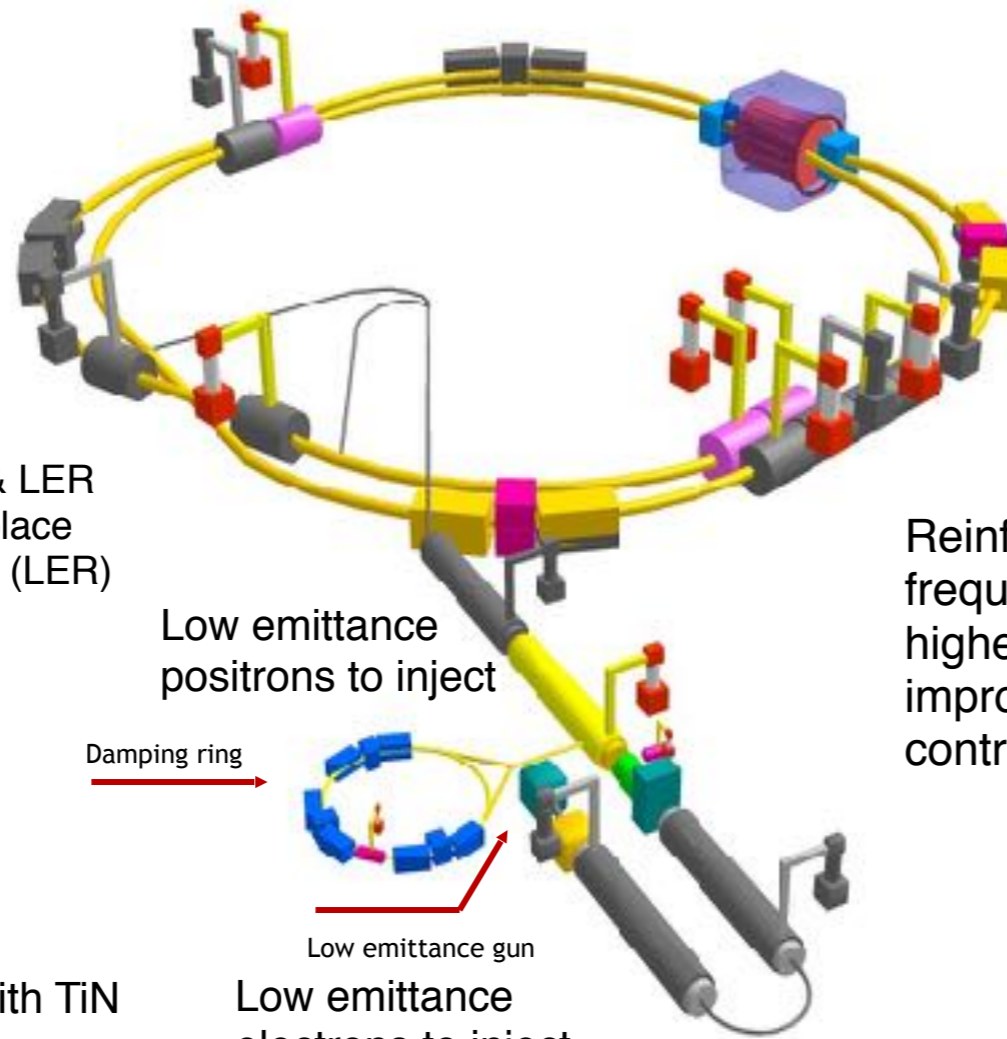
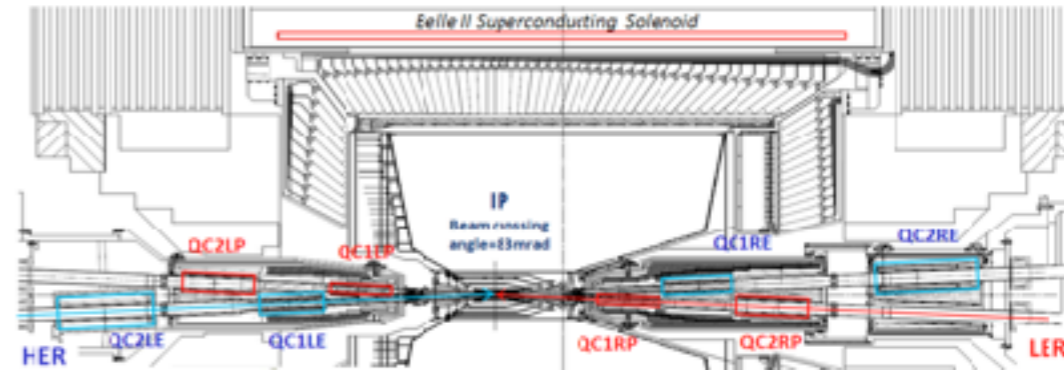


**Major upgrade of existing accelerator needed**

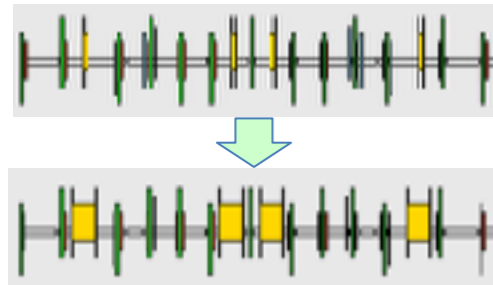
# Transformation of a *B*-Factory into a **Super** *B*-Factory



New superconducting final focusing magnets near the IP

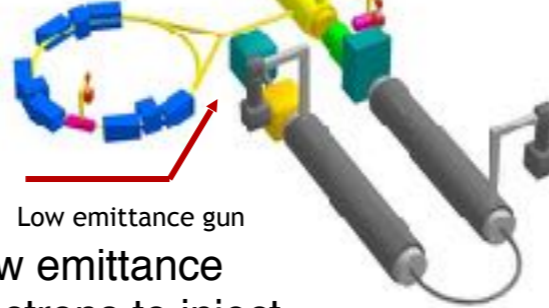


Redesign the lattices of HER & LER to squeeze the emittance. Replace short dipoles with longer ones (LER)



Low emittance positrons to inject

Damping ring

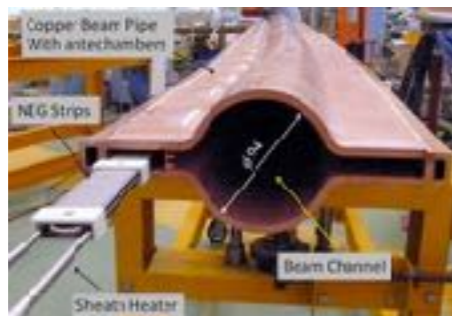


Low emittance electrons to inject

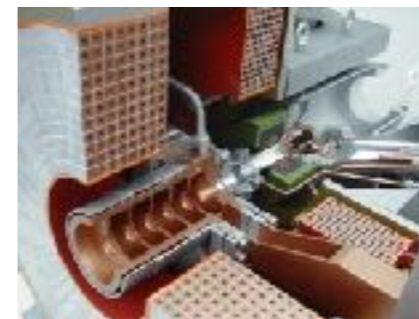
Reinforced RF (radio frequency) system for higher beam currents, improved monitoring & control system



Replaced old beam pipes with TiN coated beam pipes with antechambers



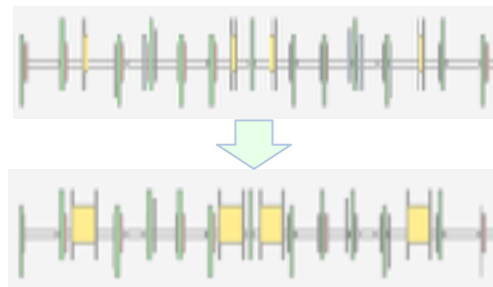
Upgrade positron capture section



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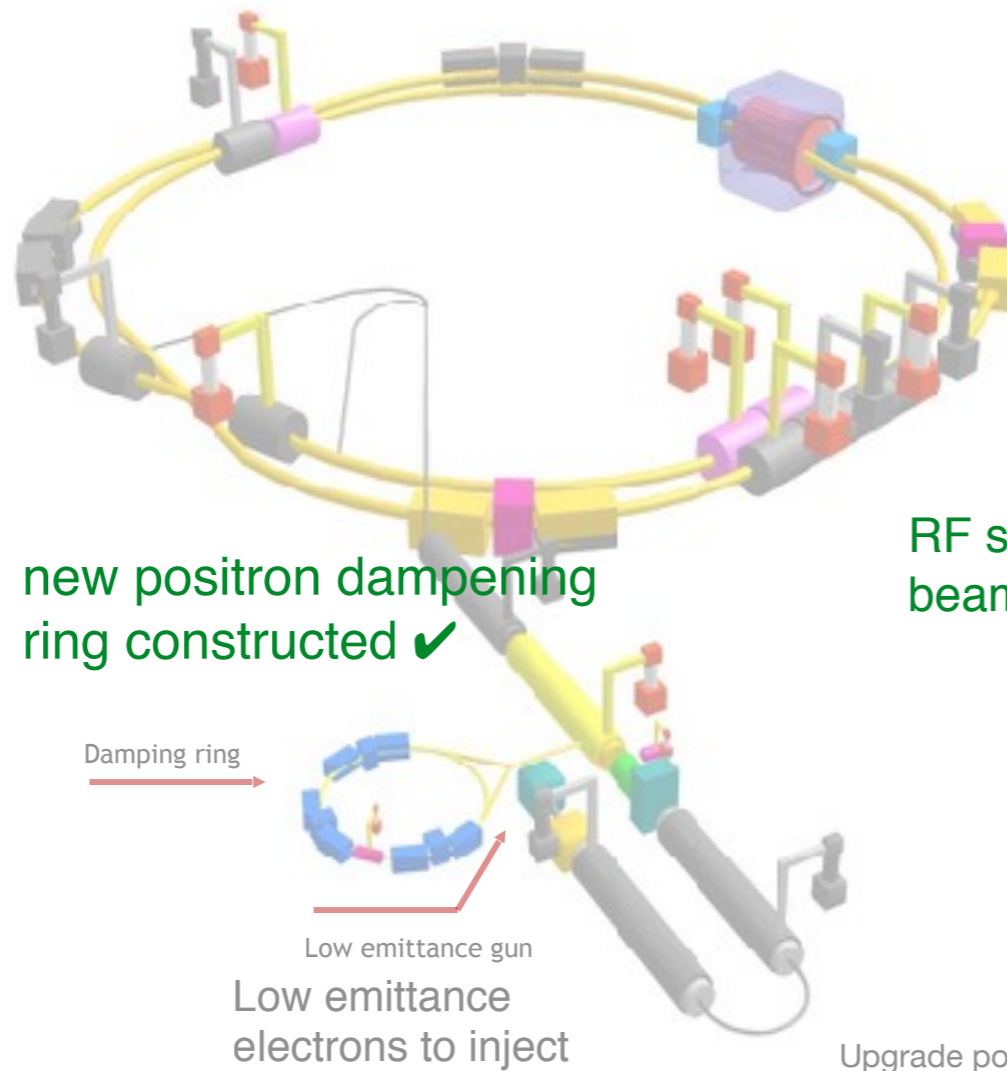
All magnets installed ✓



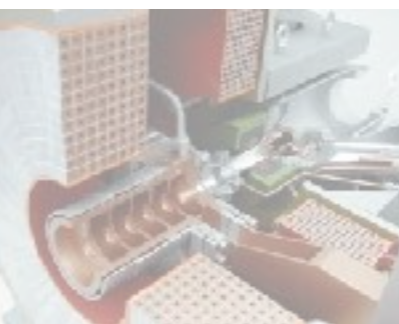
Beam pipes replaced ✓



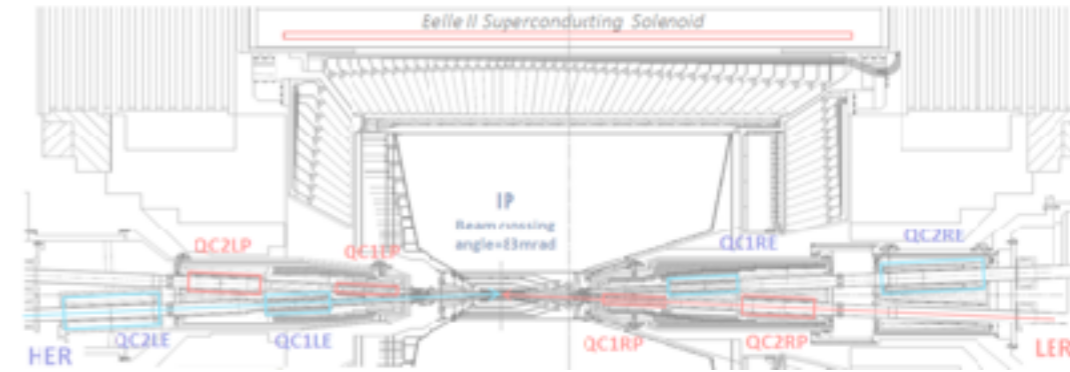
Work on final focus magnets progressing well



new positron damping ring constructed ✓



Upgrade positron capture section



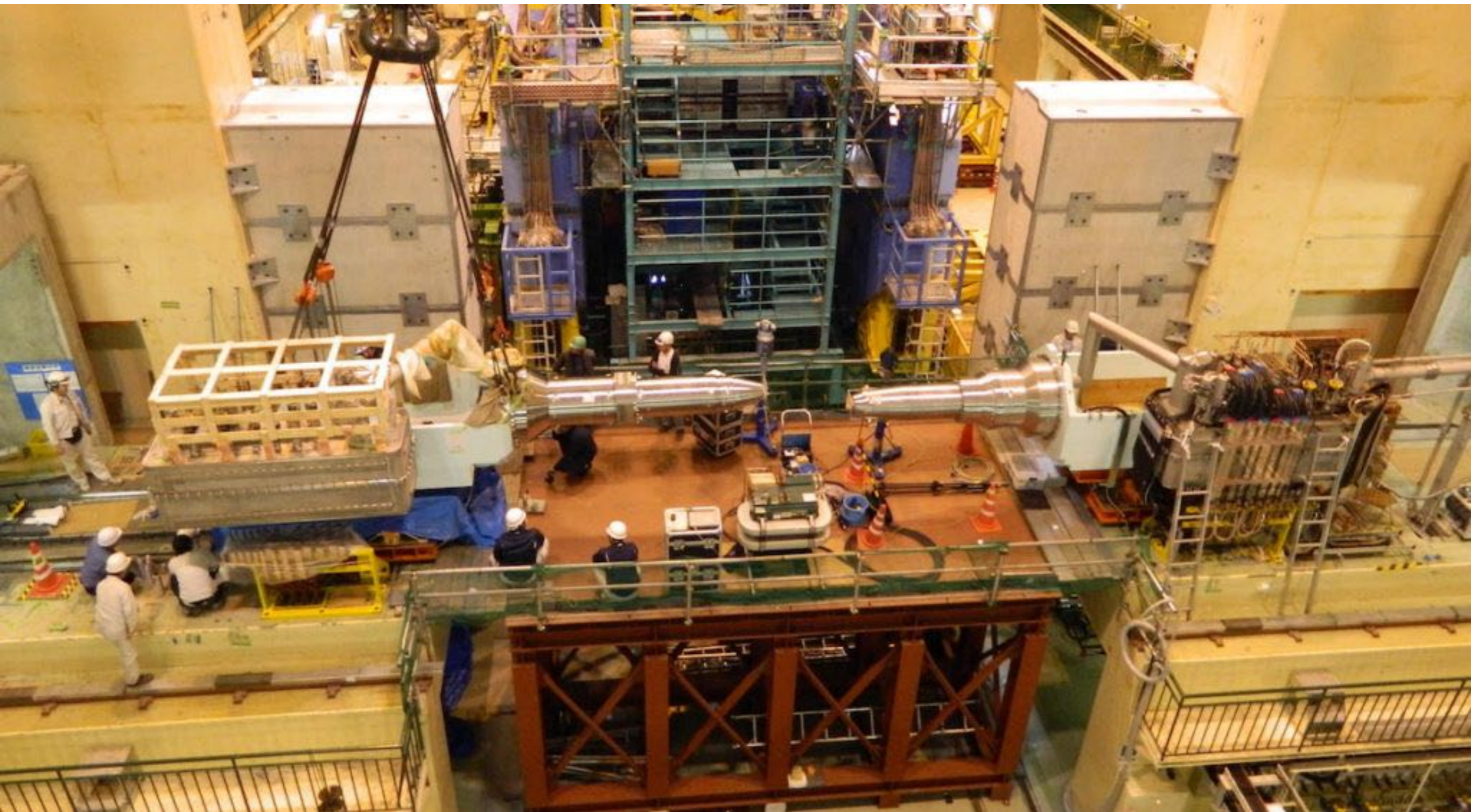
RF system for higher beam currents upgraded ✓



# Arrived Feb. 2017: Last “missing part” of SuperKEKB



# Recent View: Belle II Interaction Region

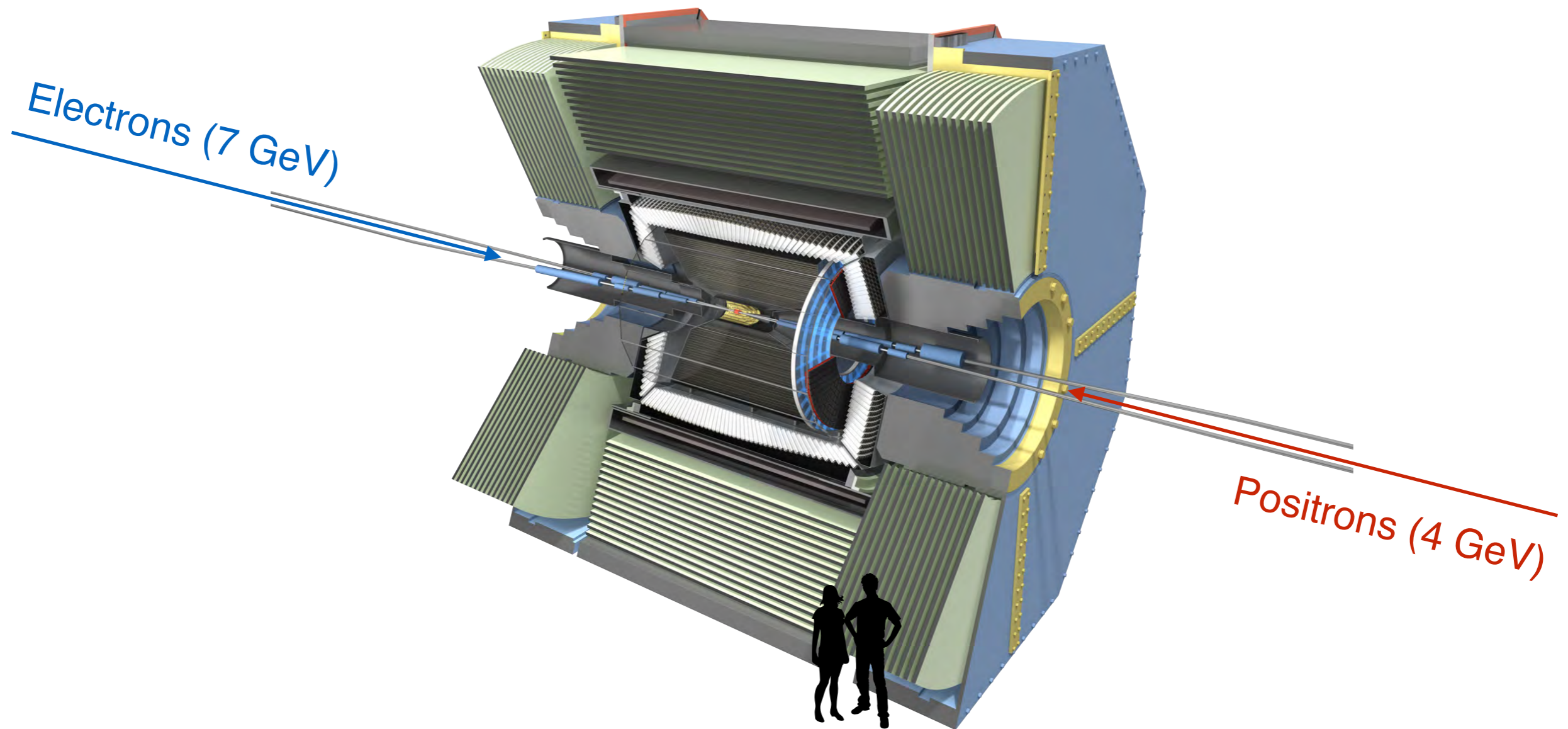


# The Belle II Detector



To cope with the higher luminosity, a new detector is needed

Design concept similar to the B-Factory detectors Belle and BaBar



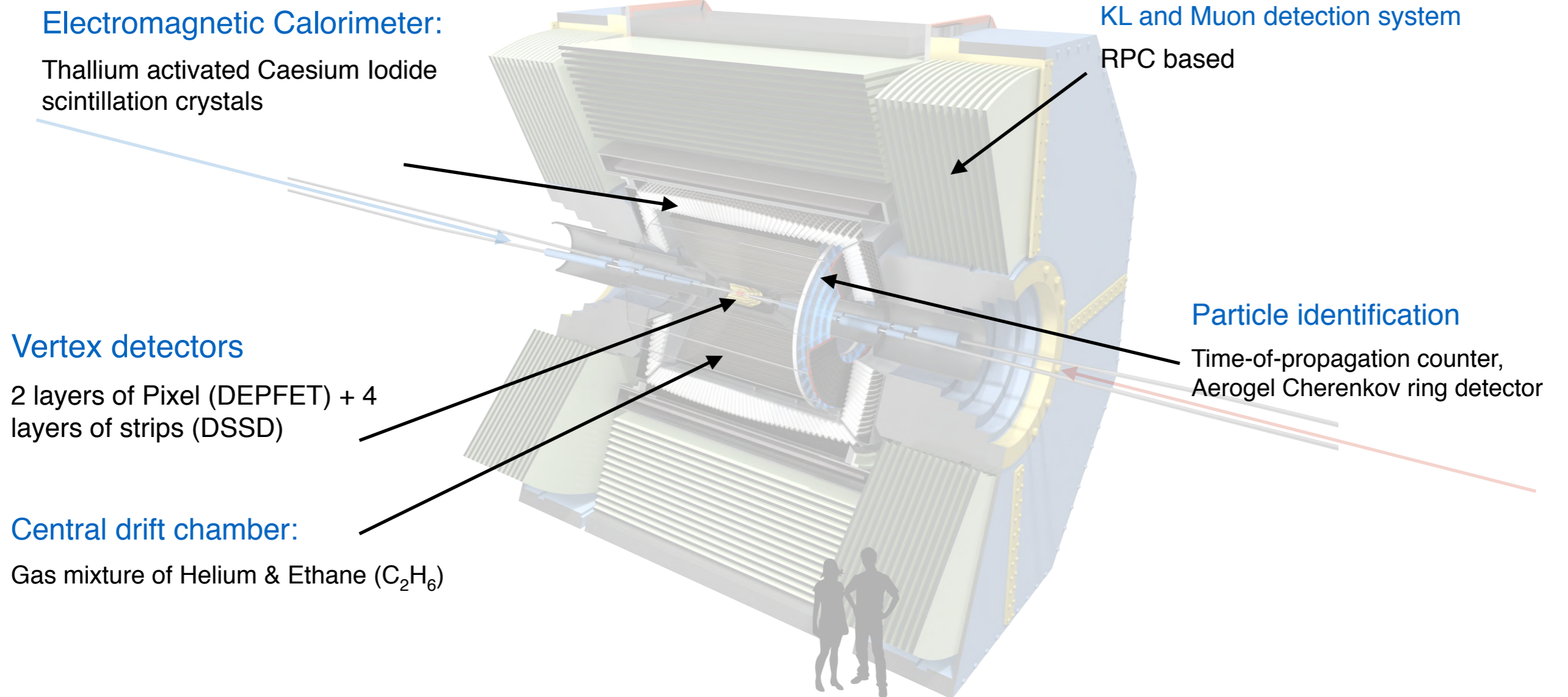
Needs to cope e.g. with 20-40 times larger beam backgrounds, many technological challenges

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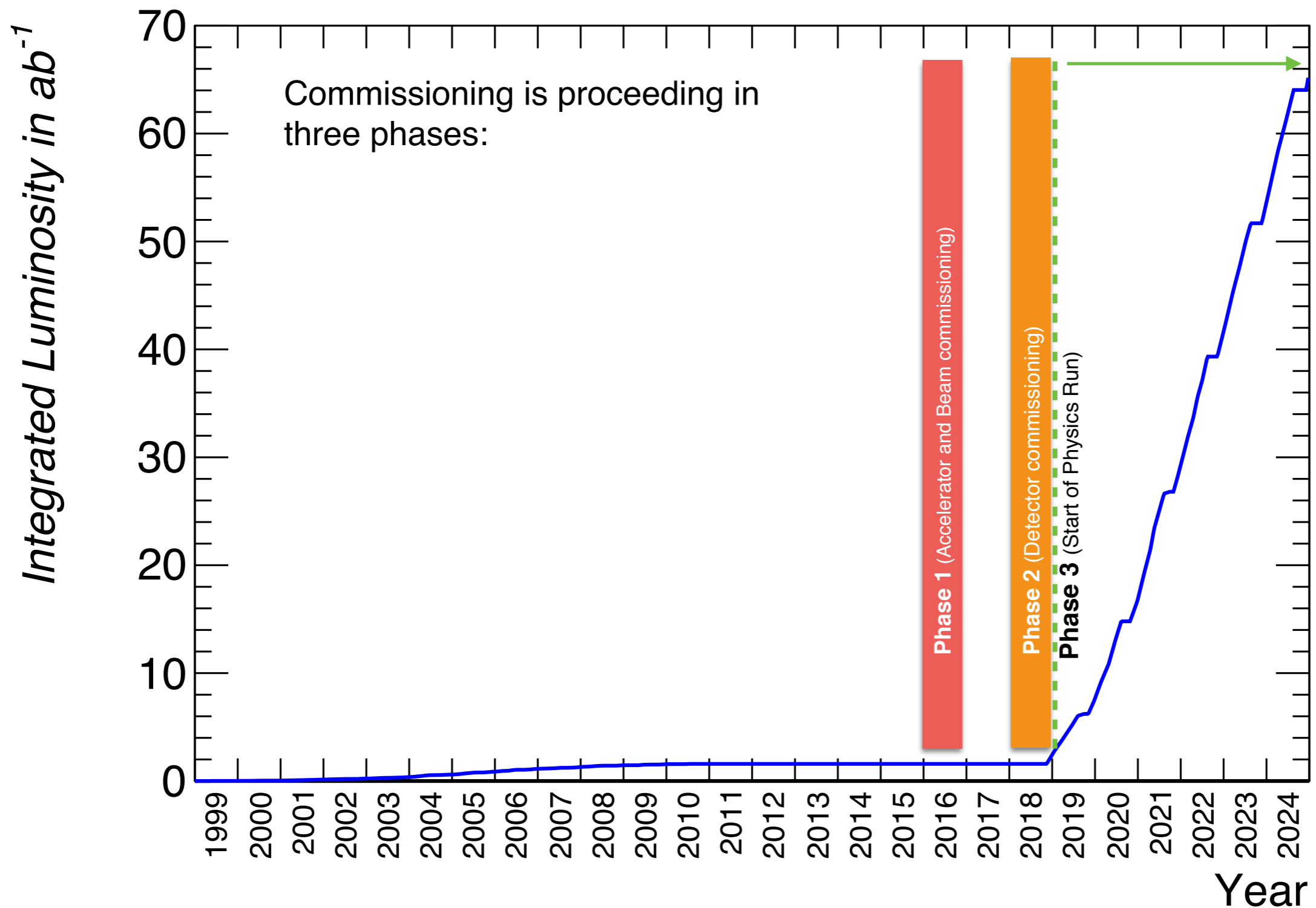


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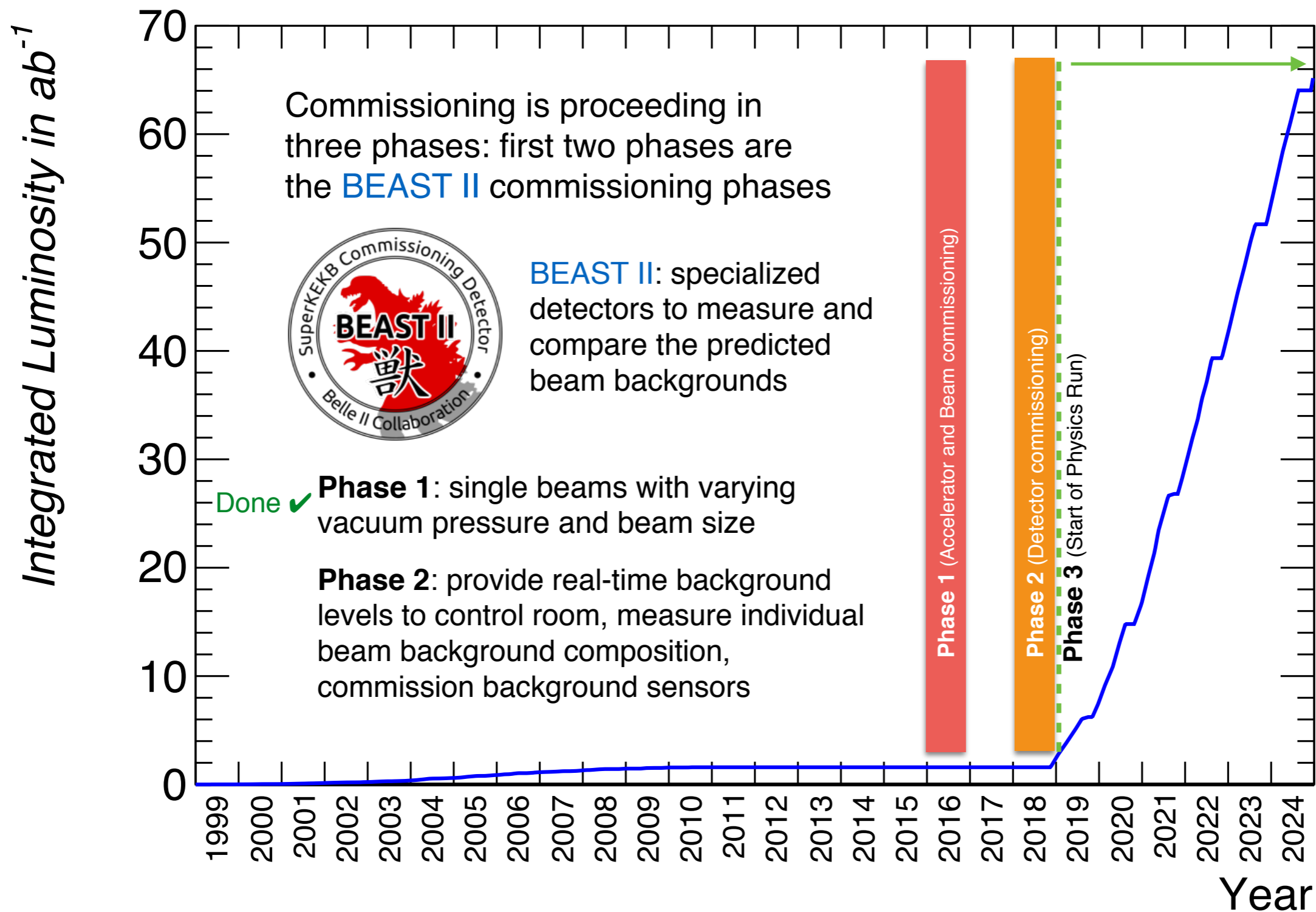


# Belle II / SuperKEKB Luminosity projections



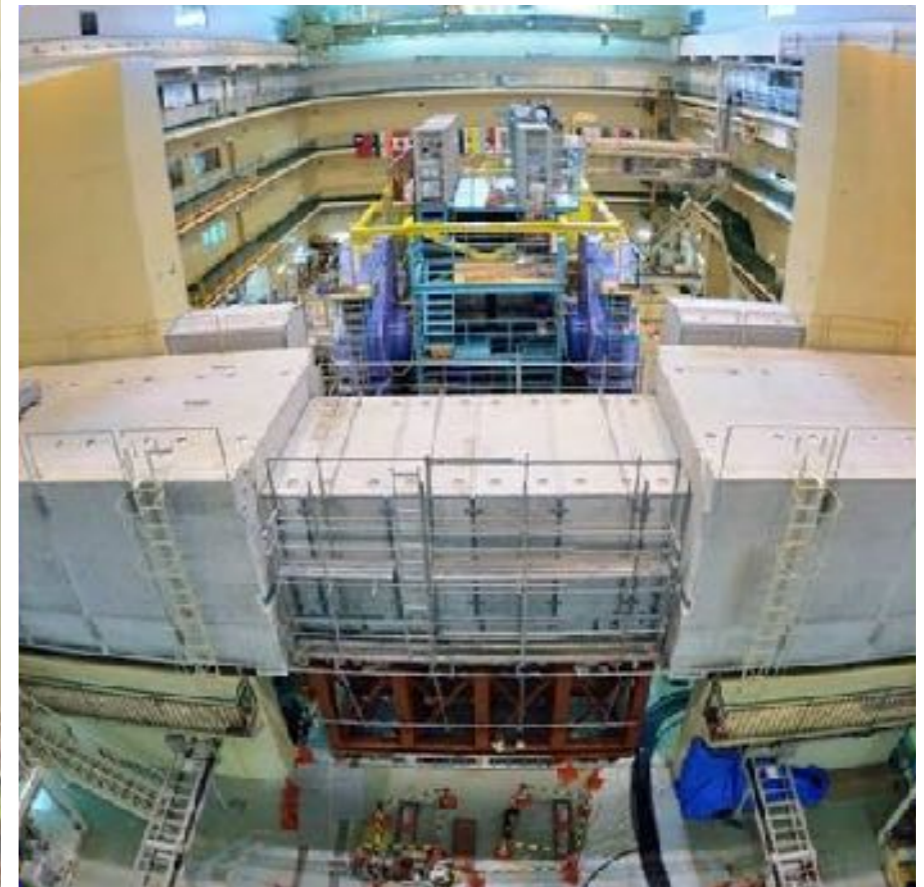
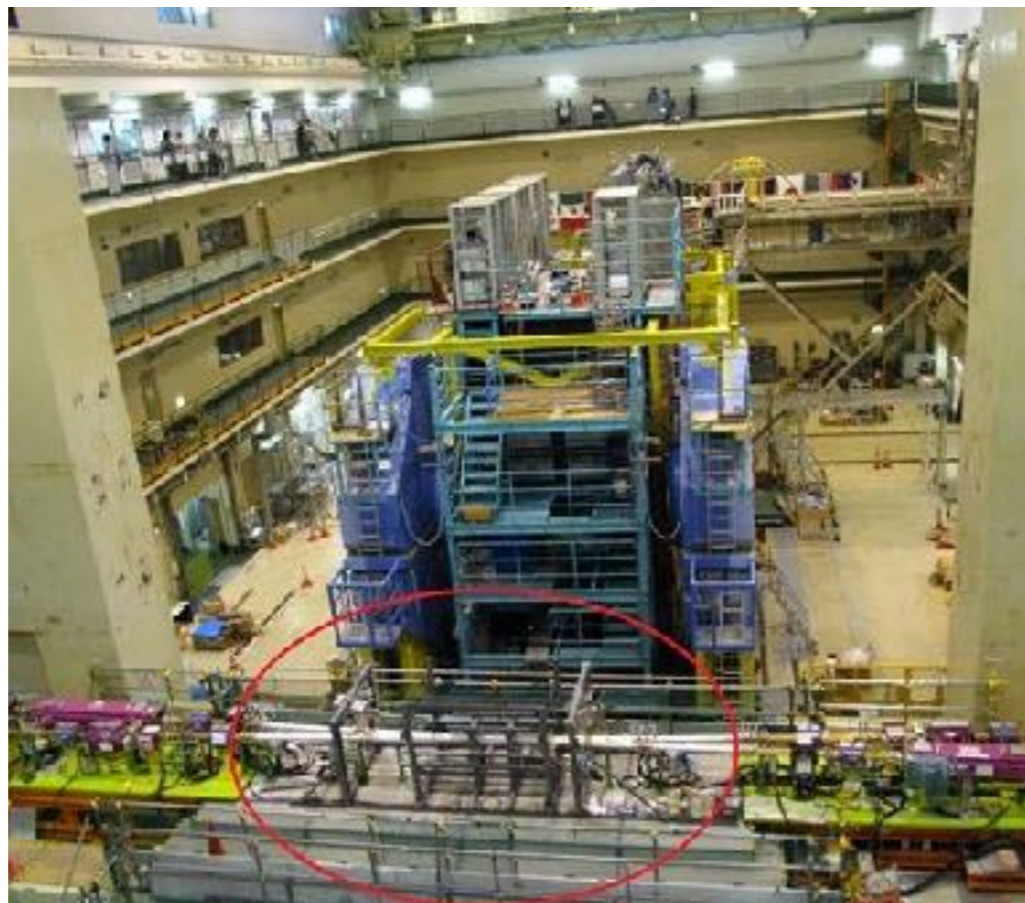


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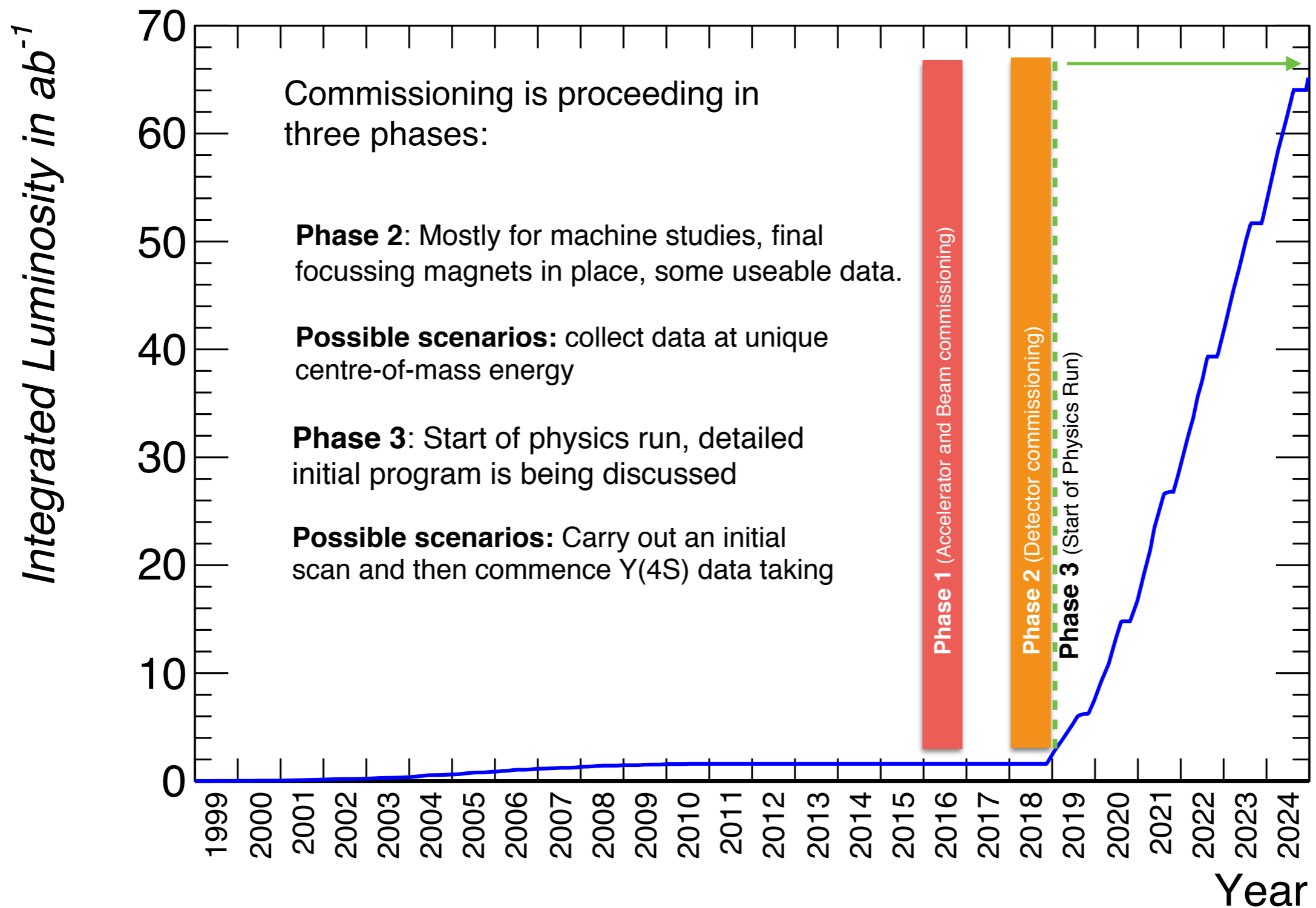




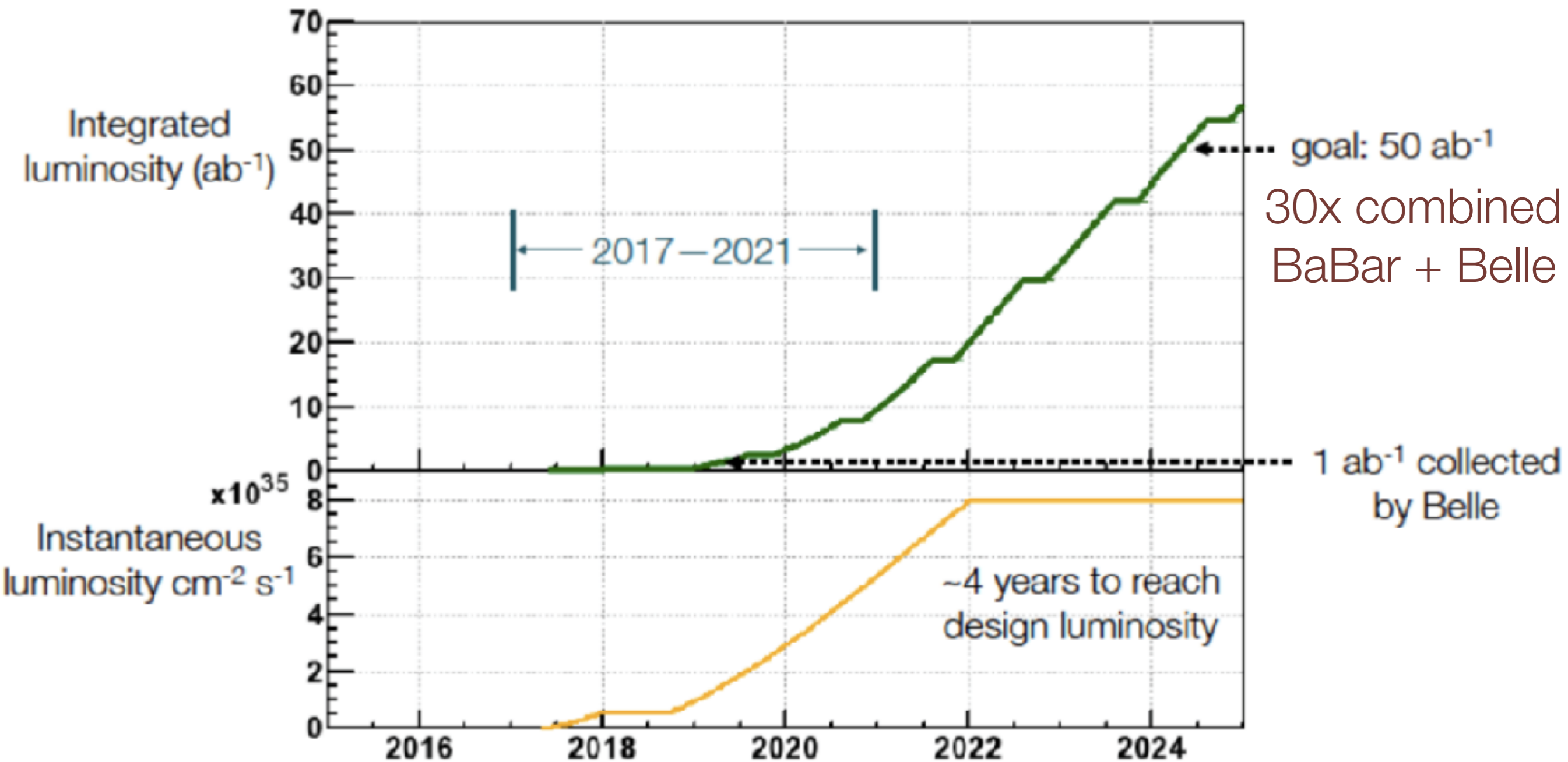
# BEAST II Phase 1 Setup



# Belle II / SuperKEKB Luminosity projections



# Longer term Belle II schedule

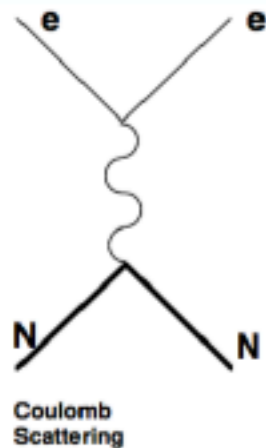


# Beam Backgrounds at SuperKEKB

- Deterioration of detector resolution, damage to detector components
- Expected ~40-fold increase in beam backgrounds compared to KEKB
- Scattered  $e^-/e^+$  hit the beam-pipe and create electromagnetic showers and neutrons
- Simulations used to get an estimate of background rates in each sub-detector

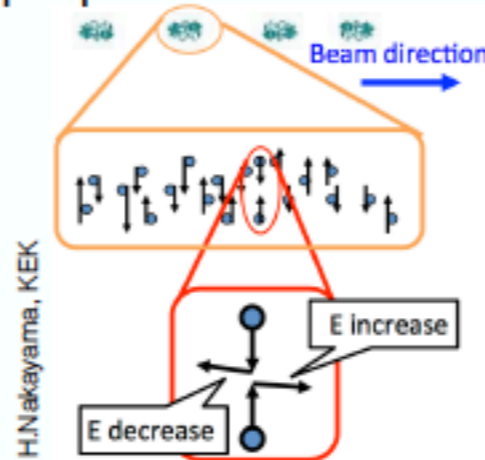
## Beam-gas interactions

- Coulomb scattering of beam particles off of residual gas
- Bremsstrahlung
- Proportional to beam current



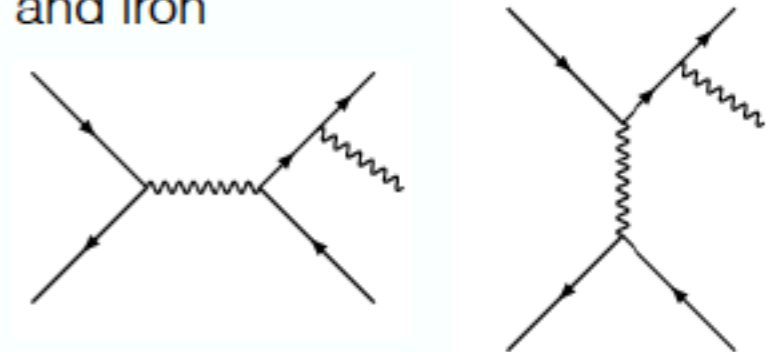
## Touschek scattering

- Intra-beam scattering
- Scattering rate inversely proportional to beam size, proportional to beam current



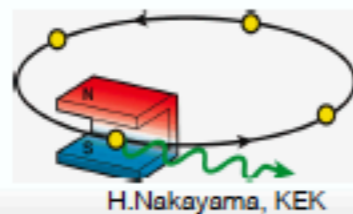
## Luminosity backgrounds

- $e^-e^+$  Bhabha scattering
- Followed by photon emission
- Rate proportional to luminosity
- Neutrons copiously produced in a photo-nuclear reaction of photons and iron



## Synchrotron radiation

- Collimators and shielding prevent scattered particles from reaching the detector



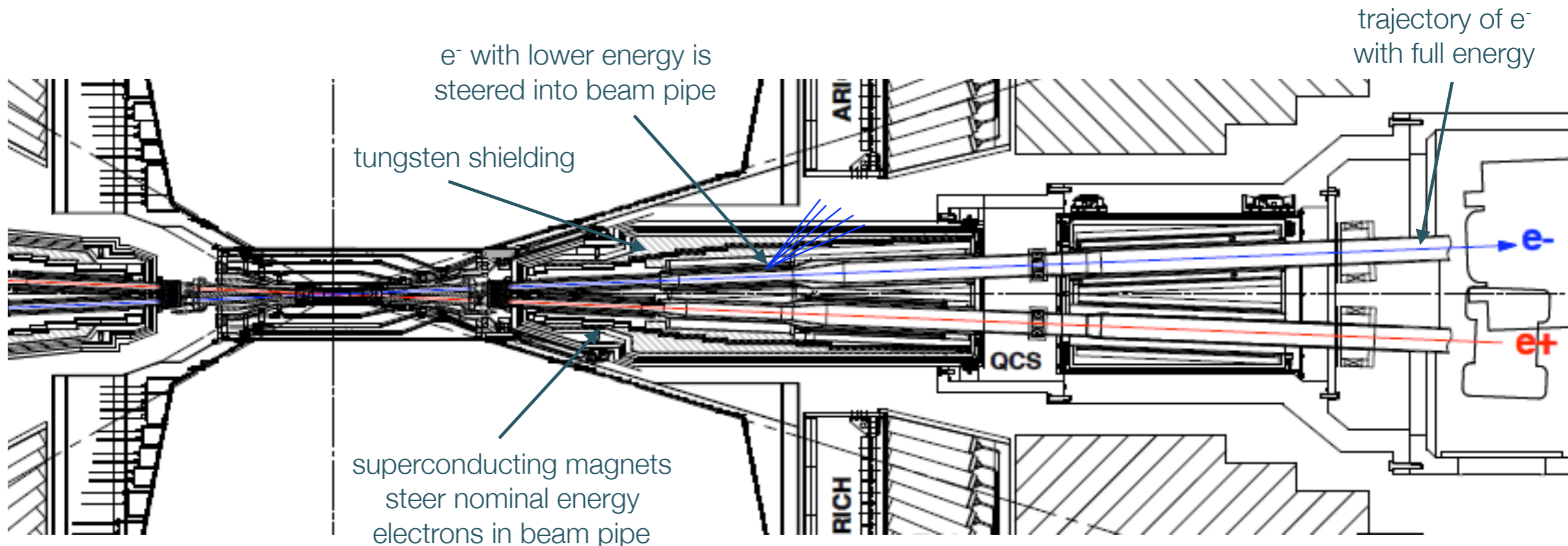
## Injection background

- New particles injected every 100 ns
- Newly injected particles interact with existing beam particles
- Hard to simulate

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# Radiative Bhabhas: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma e^+e^-$

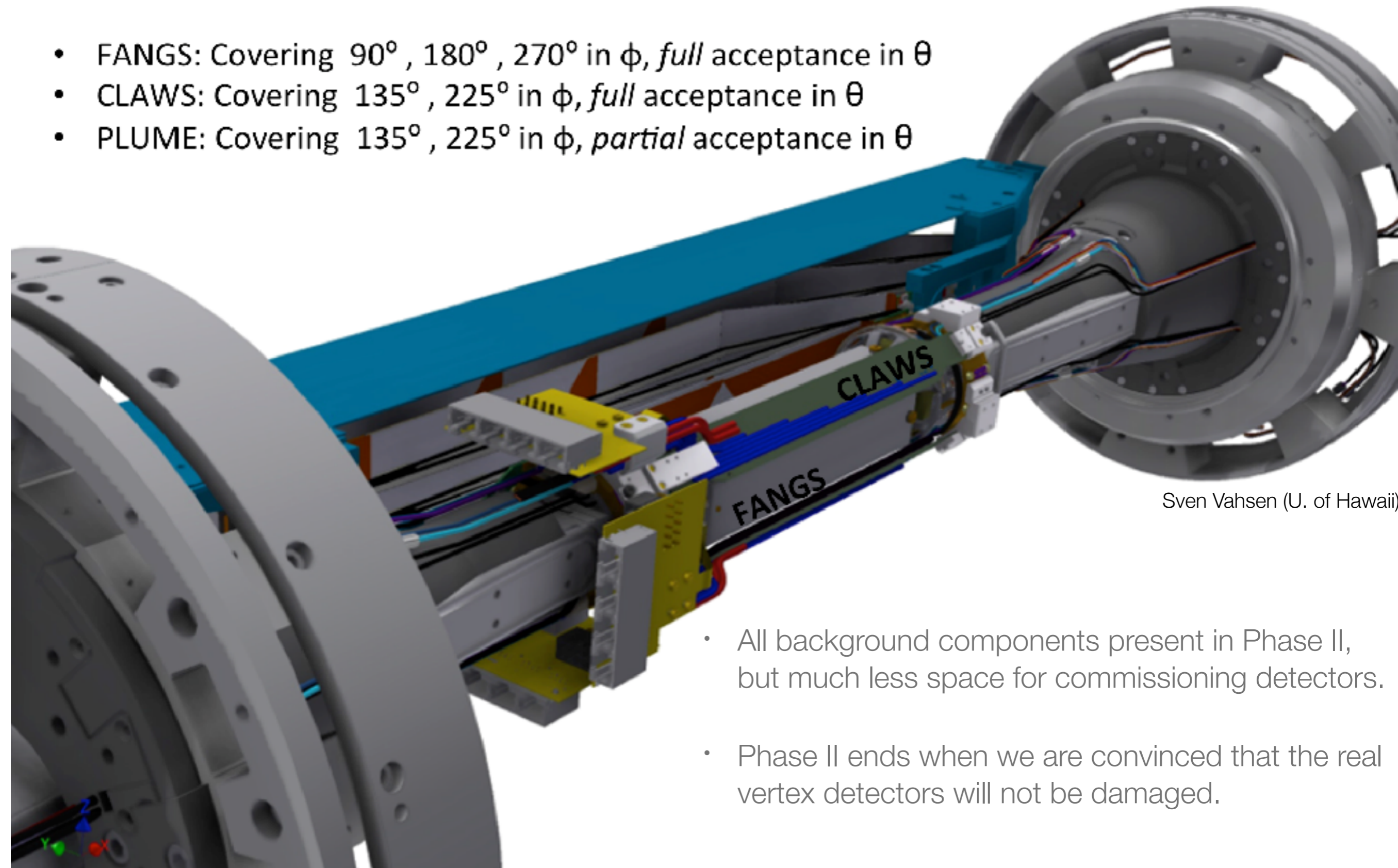
- Thousands per bunch crossing.



- Despite shielding, many 1 – 2 MeV photons reach the detector.
  - *e.g.* extraneous hits; compromised photosensor lifetimes

# BEAST II, Phase 2: Full Belle II but with specialized background detectors in place of Si Strips & Pixels

- FANGS: Covering  $90^\circ$ ,  $180^\circ$ ,  $270^\circ$  in  $\phi$ , *full* acceptance in  $\theta$
- CLAWS: Covering  $135^\circ$ ,  $225^\circ$  in  $\phi$ , *full* acceptance in  $\theta$
- PLUME: Covering  $135^\circ$ ,  $225^\circ$  in  $\phi$ , *partial* acceptance in  $\theta$



Sven Vahsen (U. of Hawaii)

- All background components present in Phase II, but much less space for commissioning detectors.
- Phase II ends when we are convinced that the real vertex detectors will not be damaged.

# BEAST II Phases 2 & 3: **Canadian** Hardware Fast Real-Time Beam Background Monitors

- Measure “trickle injection” backgrounds from lost beam particles as individual bunches are topped up during live data-taking
  - \* Not included in background simulations: must be measured empirically in data
  - \* Fast feedback to SuperKEKB control room needed, for accelerator tuning

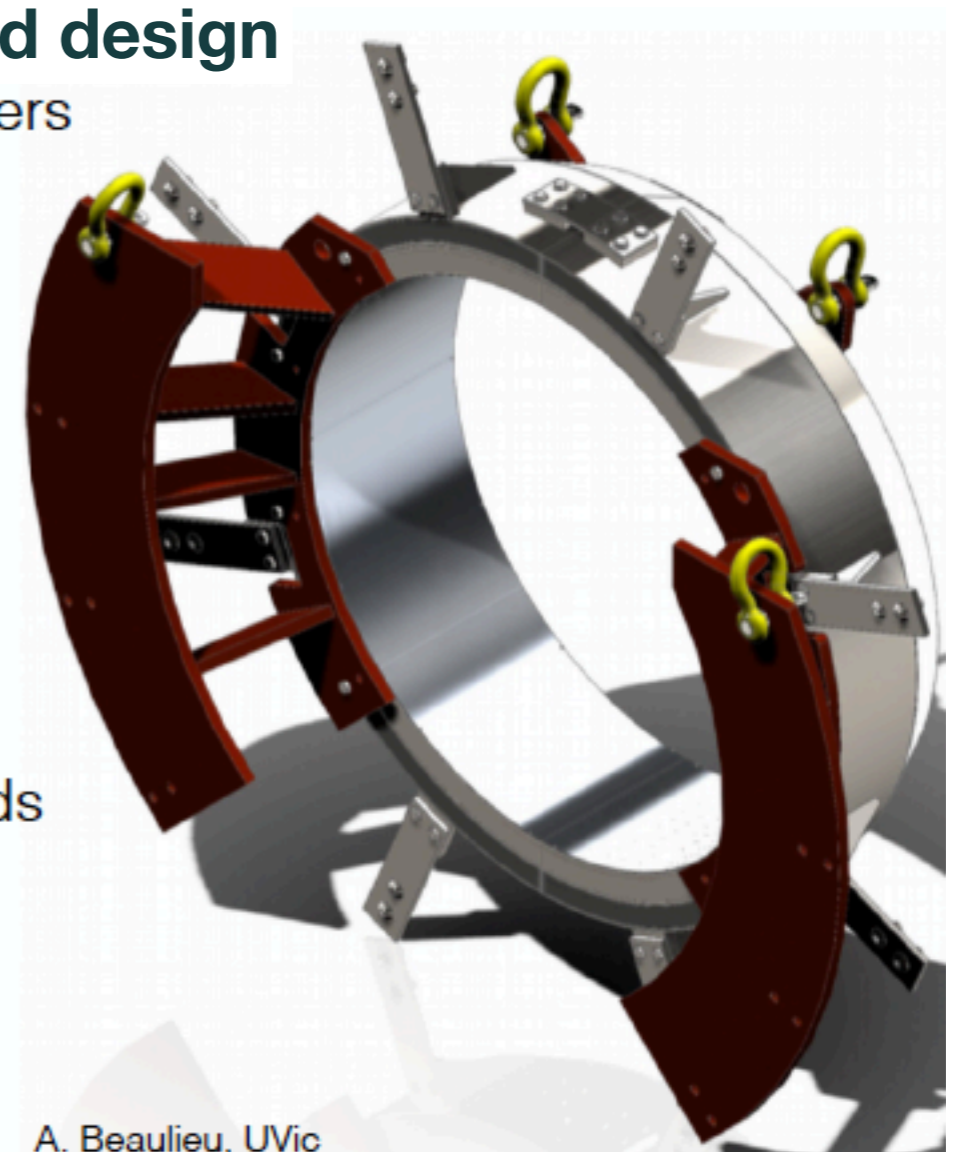
## New electromagnetic calorimeter endcap shield design

- High density polyethylene (HDPE) + stainless steel layers

neutrons

$\gamma/e^\pm$  showers

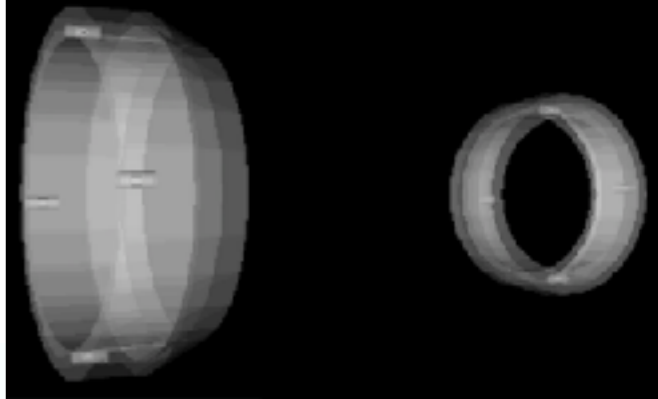
- **Proposal:** make recesses in HDPE layer which would enclose the scintillation-detector based beam-background monitors
- **Needs:**
  - Fast timing for observing the injection backgrounds
  - Wide energy range
  - High radiation hardness



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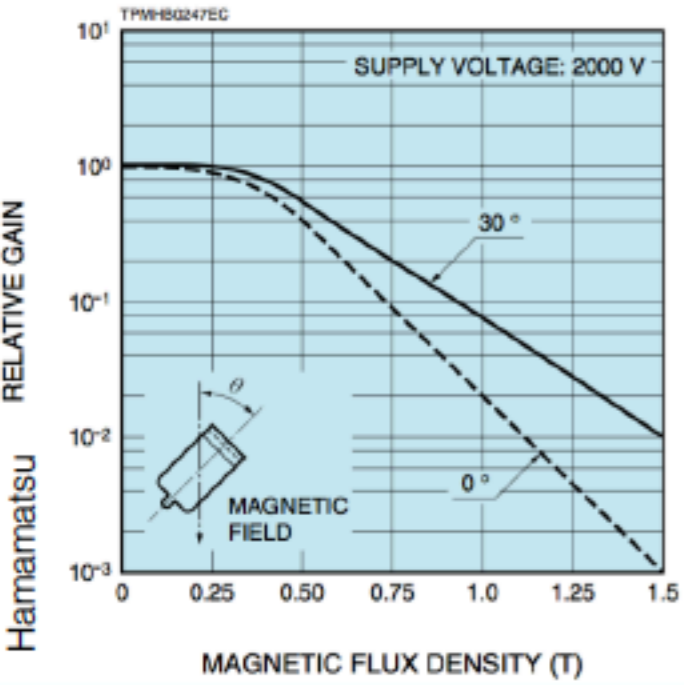
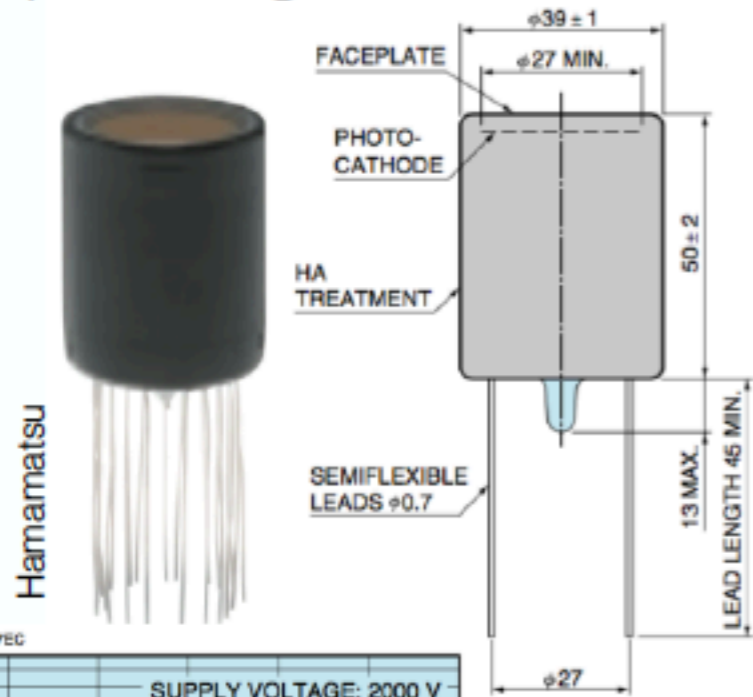


# Beam Background Monitors: Design



## Hamamatsu R7761-70 Photomultiplier

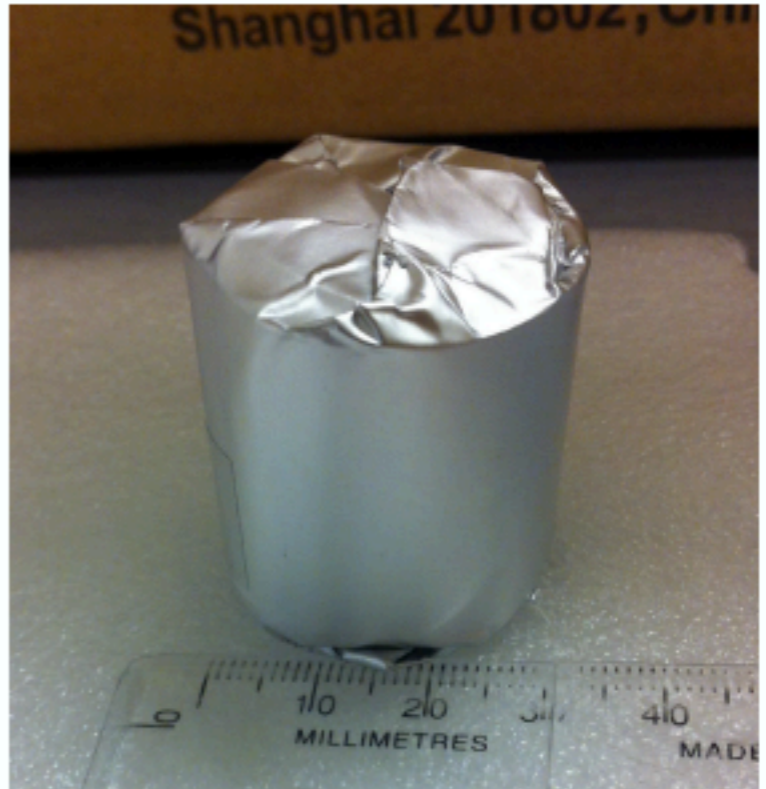
- suitable for operation in high magnetic field
- peak wavelength 420 nm
- gain  $10^4$  at 1.5 T
- compact design, 39 mm diameter



## LYSO crystal

- wavelength of emission maximum at 420 nm
- short decay time of 40 ns  
→ well matches the beam top-up time of 100 ns
- high light yield of 32000 photons/MeV
- radiation length of 1.14 cm
- good radiation hardness
- radioactive isotope  $^{176}\text{Lu}$

→ 30×30 mm cylindrical crystals



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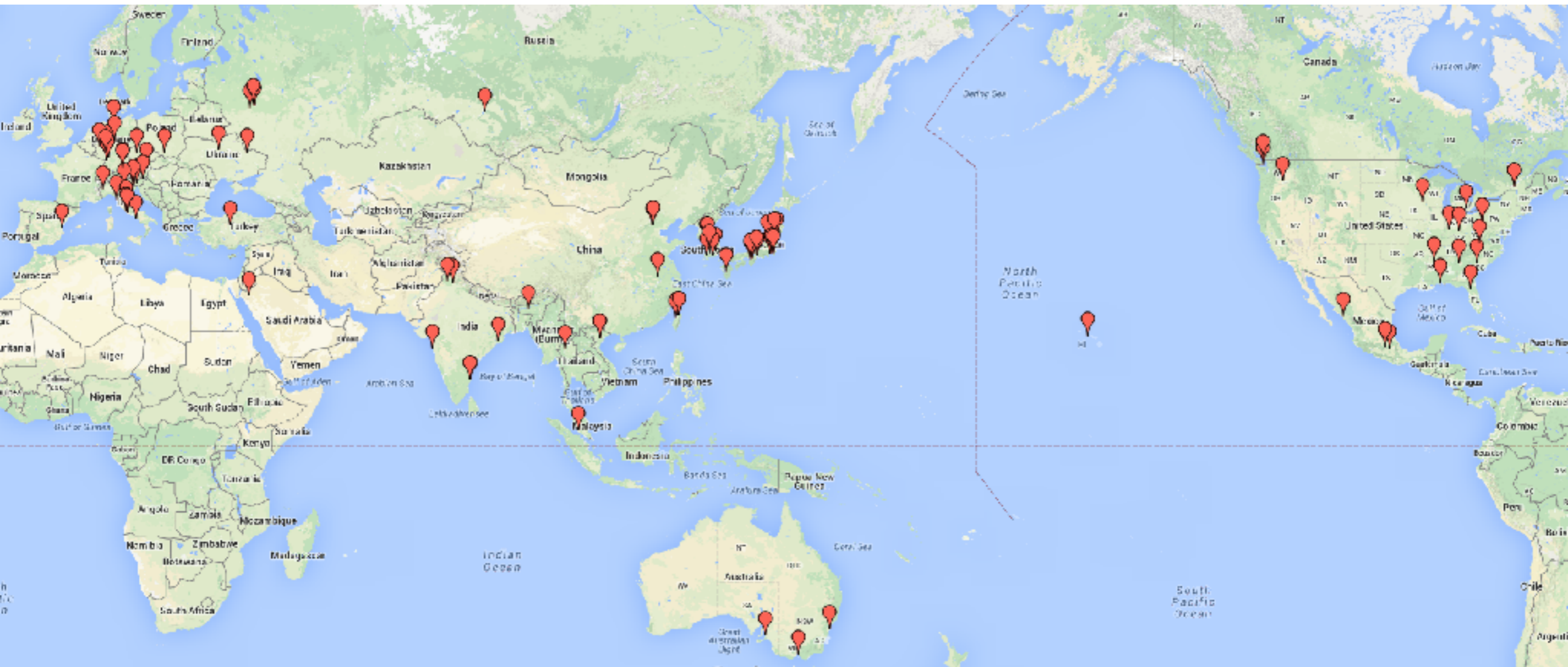
**Student**

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**Faculty**

(From 2015: some student names have been replaced due to graduations)

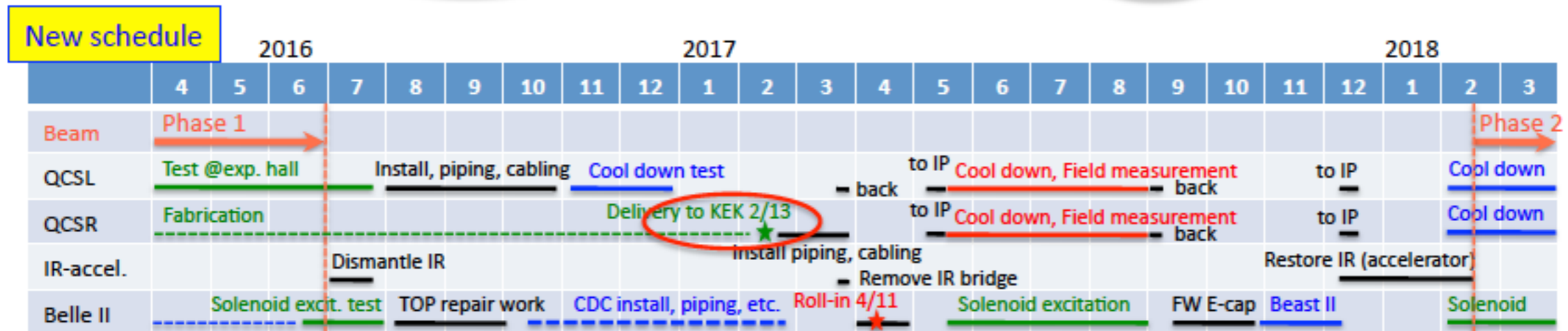
# The Belle II Collaboration



- 686 collaborators (~25% Japanese),  
23 countries/regions.

(2015 figures)

# Next Steps...



K. AKAI, Overall status and schedule of SuperKEKB, Feb. 6, 2017 @B2GM

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- **Detector roll-in (to Interaction Region): April 11th**
- **This summer/fall: install beam-background monitors into calorimeter shields**
- **Cosmic-ray data-taking shifts (summer)**
- **Feb. 2018, start BEAST II Phase 2 data taking**
- **Dec. 2018, start Belle II Phase 3 physics data taking, with Canadian beam-background monitors in long-term operation**

# Summary

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- High-intensity flavour-physics measurements play an important role in our pursuit for answers to fundamental questions in particle physics
- Although operating at a relatively lower energy than the LHC, the Belle II experiment is sensitive to a broad range of new physics, through a large number of measurements
- The high luminosity and high resulting backgrounds are challenging for the experiment, but Belle II is on track for first collisions in 2018



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