

LHCb status report

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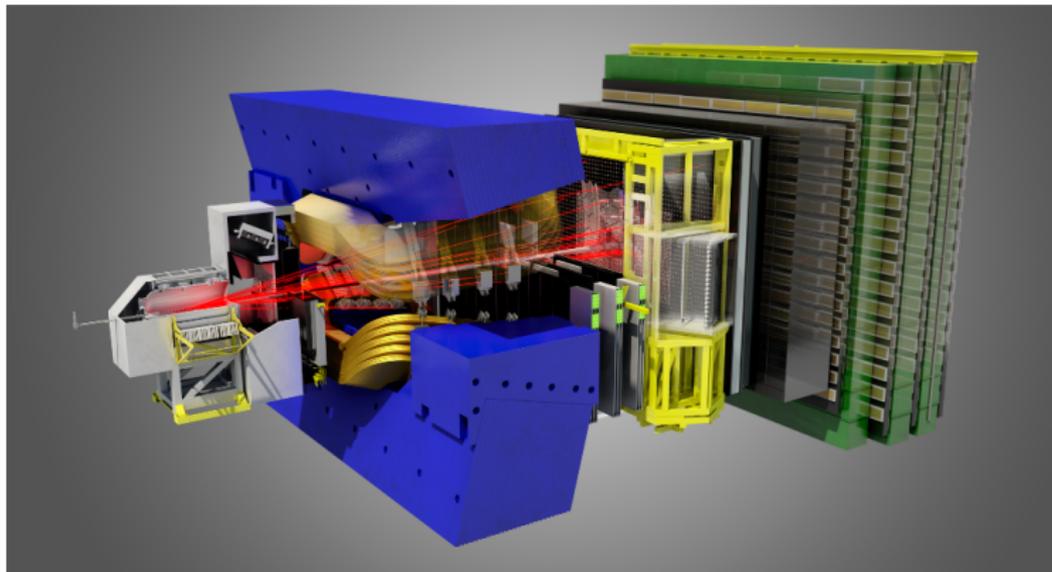
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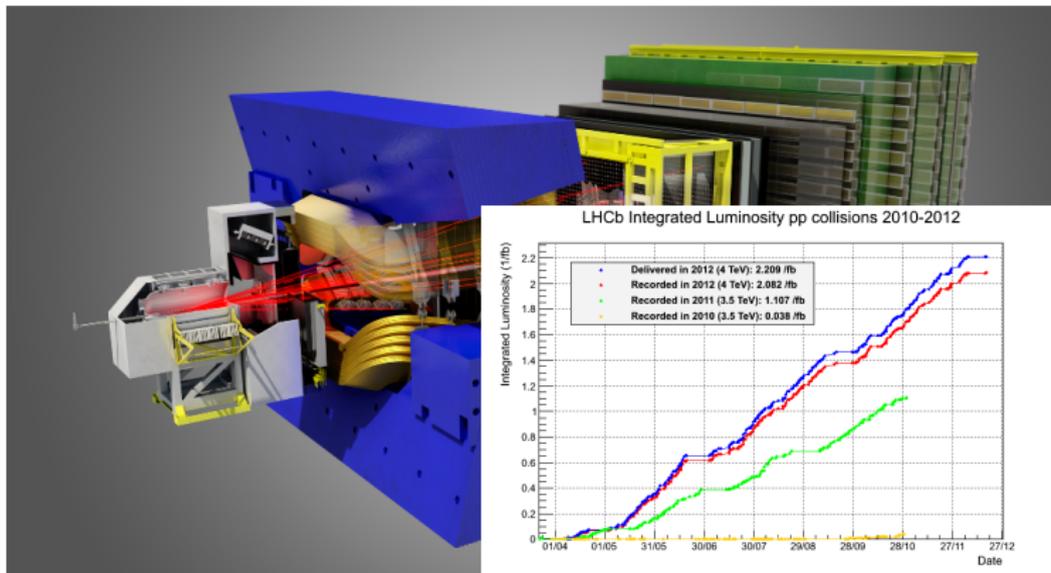
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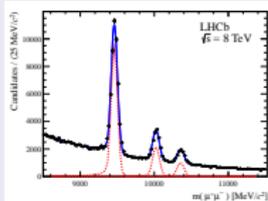
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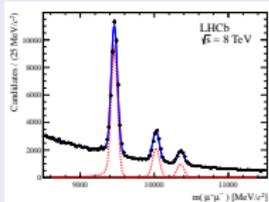
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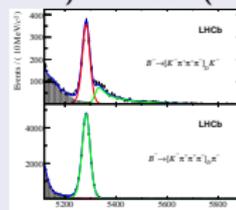
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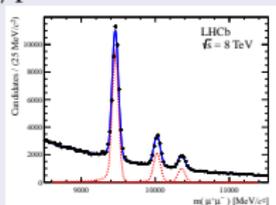
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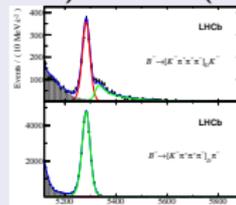
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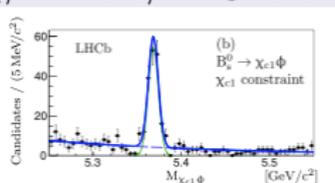


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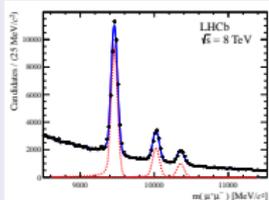
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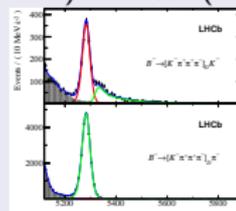
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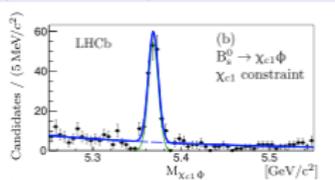


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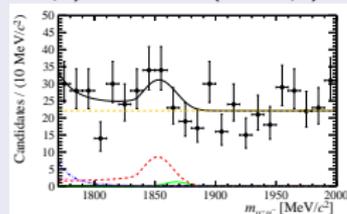
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LS1 Status

- LS1 program achieved so far:
 - Significant consolidation of infrastructure: powering, cooling, gas.
 - Maintenance, repair and consolidation work for MUON, OT, IT and TT.
 - Two months delay in magnet consolidation because of procurement and technical difficulties - work ongoing.
 - 610 IMPACT work packages.
 - 350 visits, 4050 visitors (w-o open days).
- Program for 2014:
 - Exchange of part of the RICH1 and RICH2 HPD.
 - ECAL monitoring system exchange.
 - Continuation of MUON consolidation.
 - Reinstallation of the vacuum chamber with lighter supports foreseen for June.
- **Conclusion:**
 - **The work is progressing as expected.**
 - **Expected to be completed in 2014 as scheduled.**



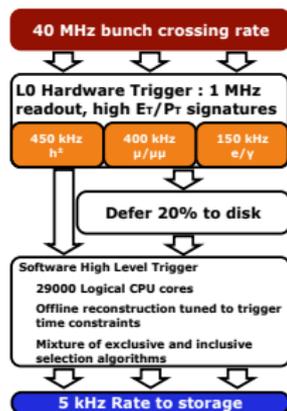
Magnet consolidation



M2-M5 maintenance

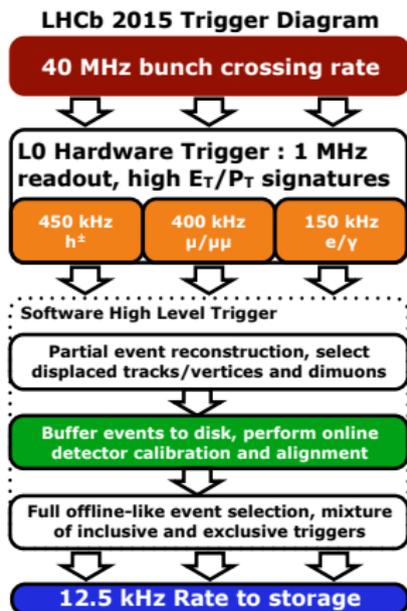
HLT splitting

Deferred trigger in 2012



- Software trigger performed in 2 steps: HLT1 and HLT2.
- HLT2 processes only events passing HLT1: it has a lower input rate and can run more time consuming code.
- So far HLT1 and HLT2 run in a single process.

HLT splitting



- Completely separate the HLT1 and HLT2 steps in 2 different processes.
- Allows fully deferring HLT2 and perform online detector alignment/calibration before running it.

Computing news

- Re-stripping of 2011 and 2012 data
 - Bug fixes and new selection criteria added.
 - One more round foreseen for early 2014.

Update of the Computing Models of the WLCG and the LHC Experiments

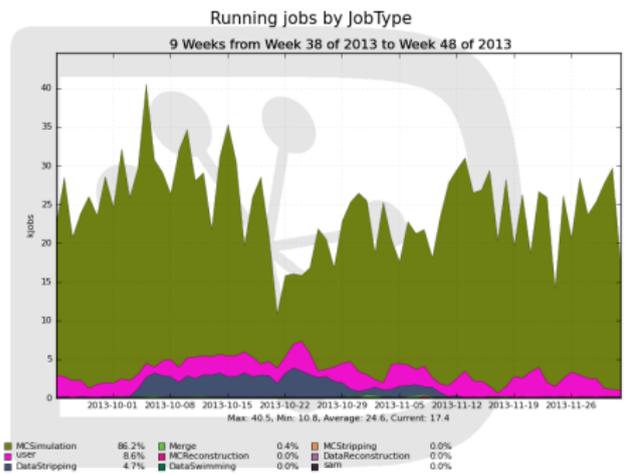
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- Computing model updated and new document released with the other experiments.

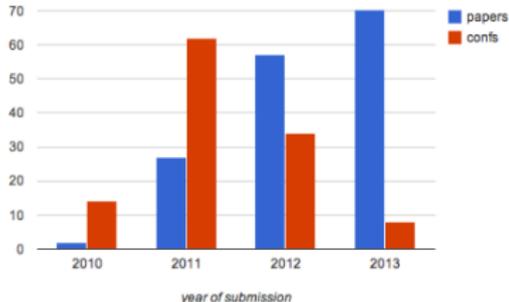
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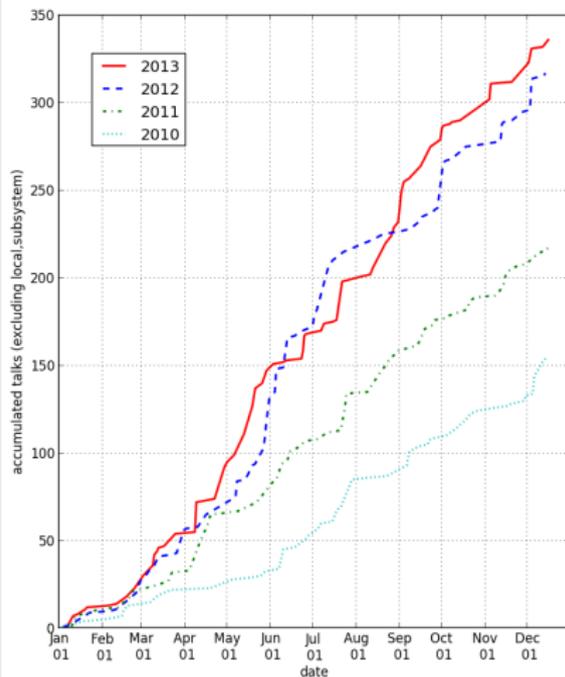
Physics publications

LHCb papers and conf notes submitted by year



161 papers in total.

Talks at conferences



Recent LHCb papers

Measurement of $D^0-\bar{D}^0$ mixing parameters and search for CP violation using $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ decays [arXiv:1309.6534](#)

Observation of $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285)$ decays and measurement of the $f_1(1285)$ mixing angle [arXiv:1310.2145](#)

Search for the decay $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\mu^+\mu^-$ [arXiv:1310.2535](#)

Search for the doubly charmed baryon Ξ_{cc}^+ [arXiv:1310.2538](#)

Measurement of CP violation in the phase space of $B^\pm \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^\pm$ and $B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^\pm$ decays [arXiv:1310.4740](#)

Measurements of indirect CP asymmetries in $D^0 \rightarrow K^-K^+$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^-\pi^+$ decays [arXiv:1310.7201](#)

Search for CP violation in the decay $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^-\pi^+\pi^+$ [arXiv:1310.7953](#)

Study of forward Z+jet production in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV [arXiv:1310.8197](#)

Studies of beauty baryon decays to $D^0 p h^-$ and $\Lambda_c^+ h^-$ final states [arXiv:1311.4823](#)

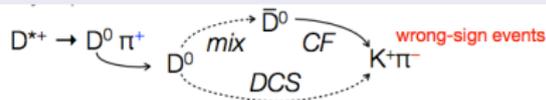
Measurement of $D^0-\bar{D}^0$ mixing parameters ...

Exploit the interference between mixing and doubly-Cabibbo suppressed decay amplitudes.

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Wrong-sign



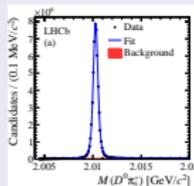
Assuming the mixing parameters $|x|, |y| \ll 1$ and no CP violation:

$$R(t) = \frac{N_{WS}(t)}{N_{RS}(t)} = R_D + \sqrt{R_D} y' t + \frac{x'^2 + y'^2}{4} t^2$$

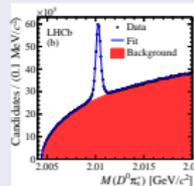
where x' and y' are a linear combination of x and y .

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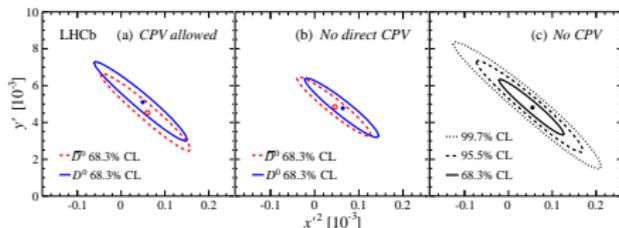
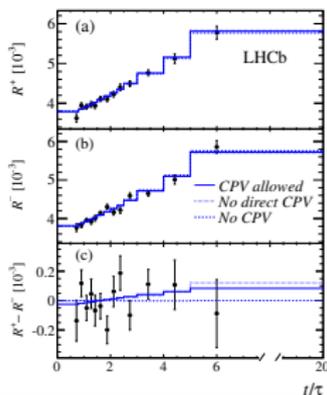
Right-sign $\sim 54M$



Wrong-sign $\sim 228k$

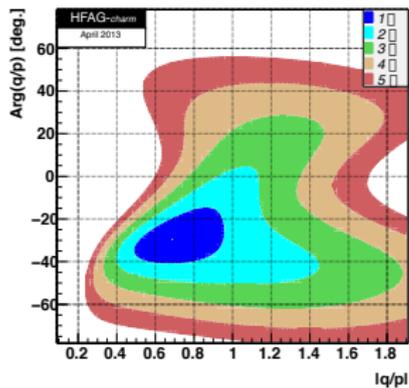


Most systematics cancel in the ratio, remaining accounted for in the time dependent fit.

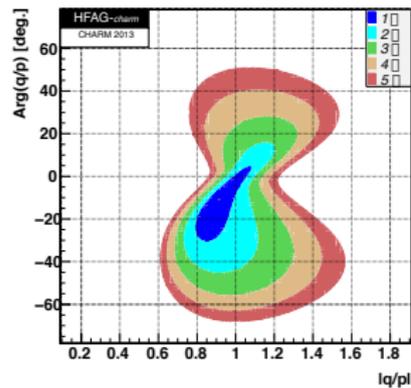


- $0.75 < |q/p| < 1.23$ at 68.3% confidence level.
- Most precise determination from a single experiment.
- No evidence of CP violation found.

Impact of LHCb results on D^0 mixing



HFAG average before LHCb results



HFAG average after LHCb results

Search for CP violation in the decay $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+$

- 3-body decays have rich resonance structures with interfering amplitudes modulated by strong-phase variations across the phase-space.
- Search of localized asymmetries can provide information on CPV.
- Study the Cabibbo suppressed $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ decay.
- Use $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ as control channel.

Binned method

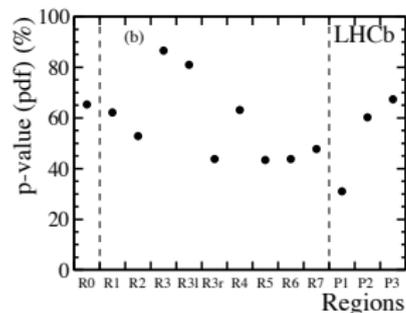
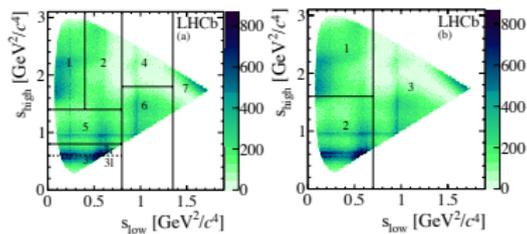
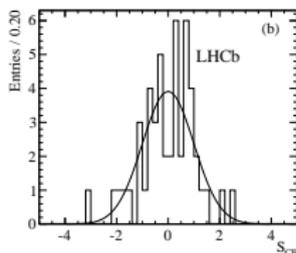
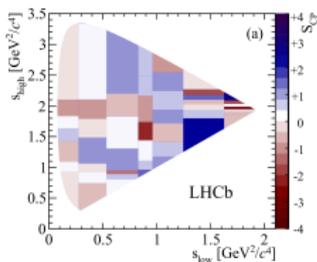
Measure the significance S_{CP}^i of the difference of D^+ and D^- in bins of the Dalitz plot.

Unbinned method

kNN nearest neighbor to compare D^+ and D^- Dalitz plot distributions.

- Data selection common to both methods.
- Analysis carried out on 1 fb^{-1} data.

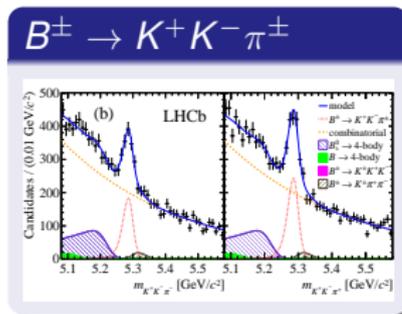
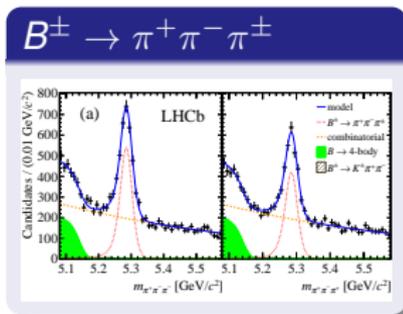
Search for CP violation in the decay $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+$



- In absence of localized asymmetries S_{CP} follows a Gaussian distribution.
- CPV can be detected as a deviation.
- All results show statistical agreement between the D^+ and D^- samples.

- kNN method applied with 2 possible region definitions.
- The p-values for the CPV hypothesis are all above 20% consistent with no CP asymmetry.

Measurement of CPV in the phase space of $B^\pm \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^\pm \dots$

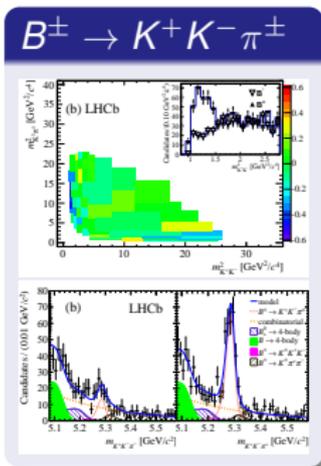
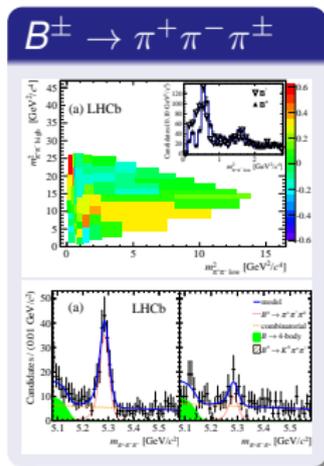


- 1.0 fb⁻¹ from 2011.
- $N(\pi\pi\pi) = 4904 \pm 148$ $A_{raw} = 0.124 \pm 0.020$
- $N(KK\pi) = 1870 \pm 133$ $A_{raw} = -0.143 \pm 0.040$
- $A_{CP} = A_{raw} - A_D - A_P$
- $A_P(B^\pm)$ measured from $B^\pm \rightarrow J/\psi K^\pm$
- A_D previously measured by LHCb: PLB713 (2012) 186

$$A_{CP}(\pi\pi\pi) = 0.117 \pm 0.021(stat) \pm 0.009(sys) \pm 0.007(J/\psi K) \quad 4.9\sigma$$

$$A_{CP}(KK\pi) = -0.141 \pm 0.040(stat) \pm 0.018(sys) \pm 0.007(J/\psi K) \quad 3.2\sigma$$

Measurement of CPV in the phase space of $B^\pm \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^\pm \dots$



- $s \bar{s}$ resonant contribution strongly suppressed for $B^\pm \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^\pm$.
- Asymmetries not uniformly distributed.
- A very large negative asymmetry is localized in the low $K^+ K^-$ invariant mass region: $m_{K^+ K^-}^2 < 1.5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$.
- A large positive asymmetry is measured for $m_{\pi^+ \pi^-}^2 < 0.4 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$ and $m_{\pi^+ \pi^-}^2 > 15 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$:

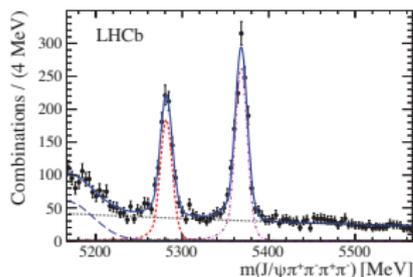
$$A_{CP}(\pi\pi\pi \text{ local}) = 0.584 \pm 0.082(\text{stat}) \pm 0.027(\text{sys}) \pm 0.007(\text{J}/\psi K)$$

$$A_{CP}(KK\pi \text{ local}) = -0.648 \pm 0.070(\text{stat}) \pm 0.013(\text{sys}) \pm 0.007(\text{J}/\psi K)$$

- Evidence of large direct CP violation observed.
- Interference between intermediate states does not seem to justify the results for $B^\pm \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^\pm$.

Observation of $\bar{B}_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285) \dots$

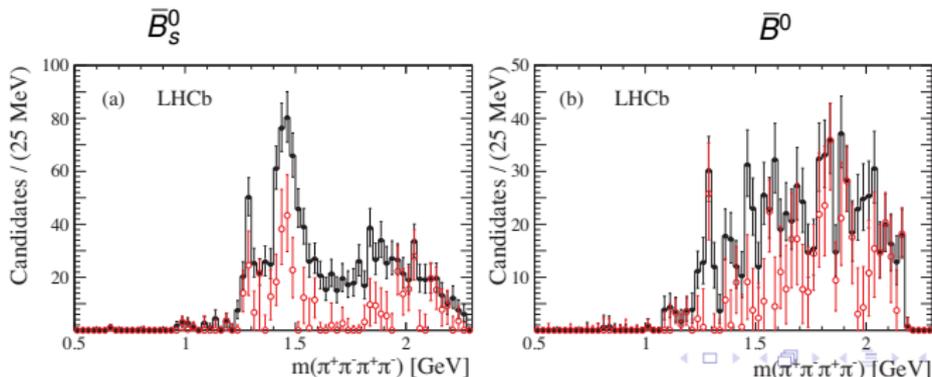
Large sample of $B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi\pi\pi\pi$ identified in 3 fb^{-1} data.



$$N_{\bar{B}_s^0} = 1197 \pm 41$$

$$N_{\bar{B}^0} = 836 \pm 39$$

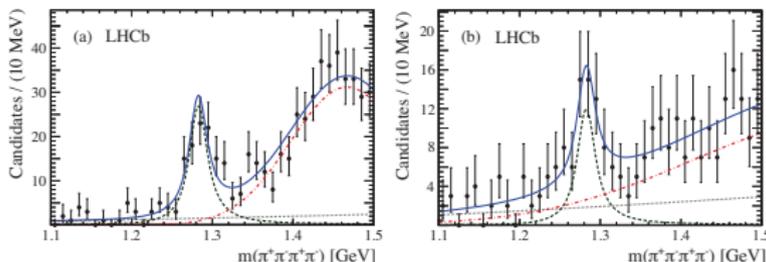
- Clear signals at $1285 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ with structure at higher mass.
- Angular distribution of J/ψ studied to probe the spin of the four-pion state



Observation of $\bar{B}_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285)\dots$

$$N_{\bar{B}_s^0} = 110.2 \pm 15.0 \text{ } 7.6\sigma$$

$$N_{\bar{B}^0} = 49.2 \pm 29.5 \text{ } 5.4\sigma$$



First observation of $f_1(1285)$ in b-hadron decays.

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285))}{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-)} = (3.82 \pm 0.52^{+0.29}_{-0.32})\%$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285))}{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-)} = (2.32 \pm 0.54 \pm 0.11)\%$$

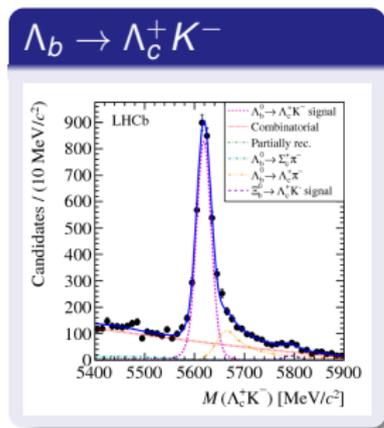
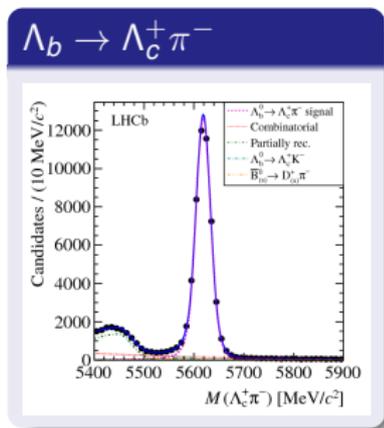
$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285))}{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_1(1285))} = (11.6 \pm 3.1^{+0.7}_{-0.8})\%$$

Assuming $f_1(1285)$ is a mixed $q \bar{q}$ state the mixing angle Φ is measured:

$$|f_1(1285)\rangle = \cos \Phi \frac{|u\bar{u}\rangle + |d\bar{d}\rangle}{\sqrt{2}} - \sin \Phi |s\bar{s}\rangle \quad ; \quad \Phi = \pm(24.0^{+3.1+0.6}_{-2.6-0.8})^\circ$$

Studies of beauty baryon decays...

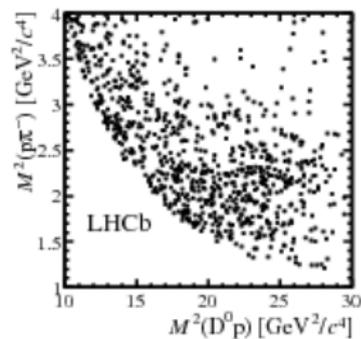
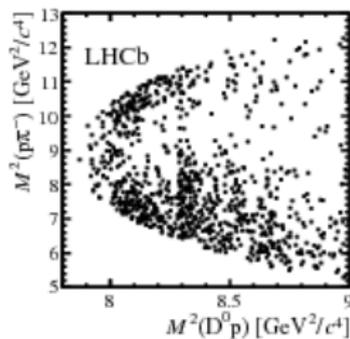
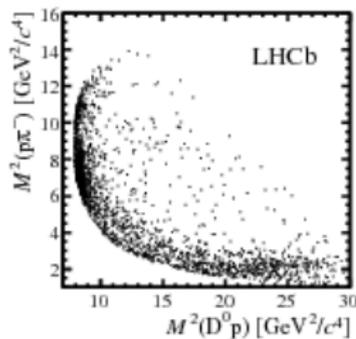
- Study $\Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$, $\Lambda_c^+ K^-$, $D^0 p \pi^-$, and $D^0 p K^-$ spectra.
- Measure yields of Ξ_b and Λ_b both in Cabibbo favored and Cabibbo suppressed channels:



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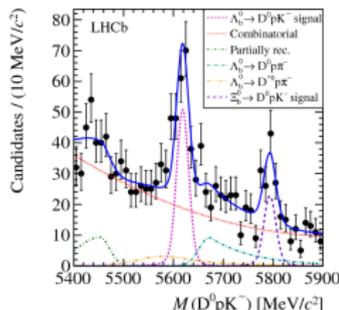
- Efficiency calculated separately for selection, PID and phase-space.
- PID efficiency is data driven as much as possible, remaining components measured from simulation

$D^0 \rho \pi$ Dalitz plots



- Non zero spin particles involved in initial and final states.
- Angular corrections found to be negligible.

Studies of beauty baryon decays...



- First observation of $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow D^0 p K^-$ and of $\Lambda_b^- \rightarrow D^0 p K^-$
- $m_{\Xi_b^-} - m_{\Lambda_b^-} = 174.8 \pm 2.4 \pm 0.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- $m_{\Xi_b^-} = 5794.3 \pm 2.4 \pm 0.7 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

$$R_{\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p \pi^-} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p \pi^-) \times \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-) \times \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+)} = 0.0806 \pm 0.0023 \pm 0.0035,$$

$$R_{\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p \pi^-)} = 0.073 \pm 0.008^{+0.005}_{-0.006},$$

$$R_{\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-)} = 0.0731 \pm 0.0016 \pm 0.0016,$$

$$R_{\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-} \equiv \frac{f_{\Xi_b^0} \times \mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-)}{f_{\Lambda_b^0} \times \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-)} = 0.44 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.06,$$

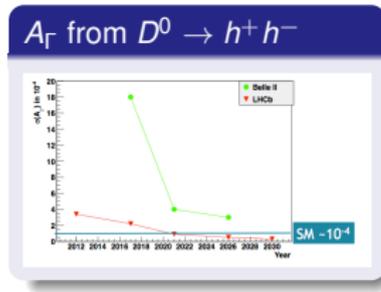
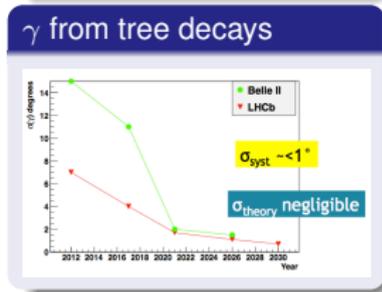
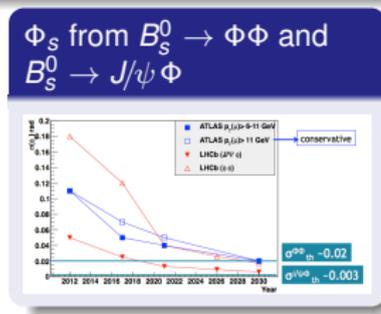
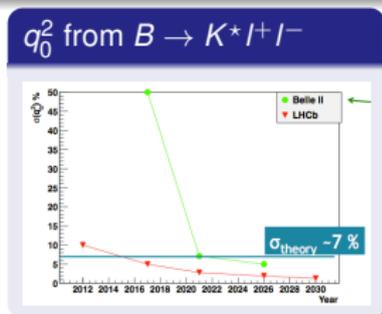
$$R_{\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-) \times \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+)}{\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-) \times \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)} = 0.57 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.21,$$

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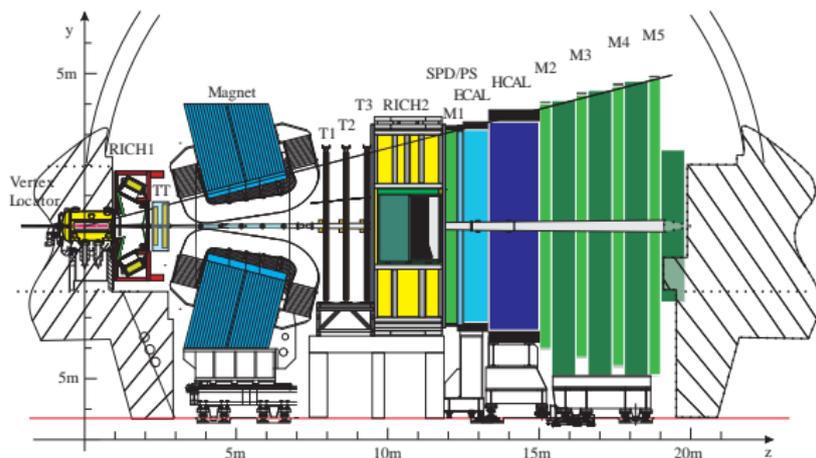
Why an upgrade?

Expected precisions on several Heavy Flavour related quantities from ECFA workshop, Aix-les-Bain Octobr 2013.



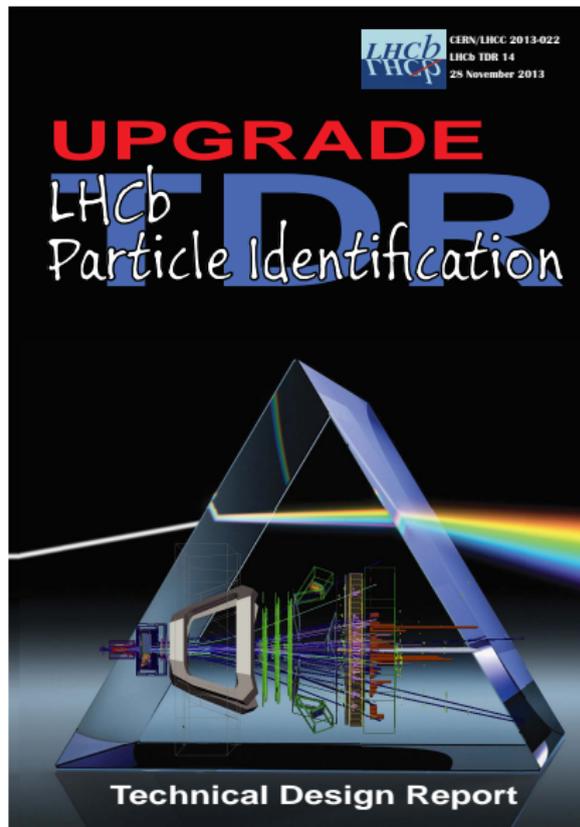
LHCb upgrade more sensitive than competition for key flavour physics observables

LHCb Upgrade

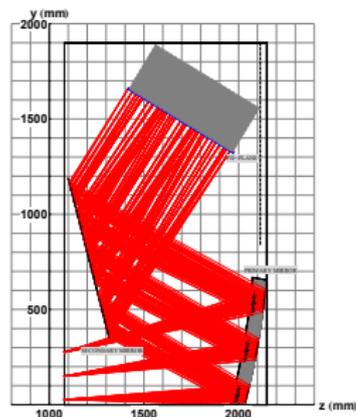
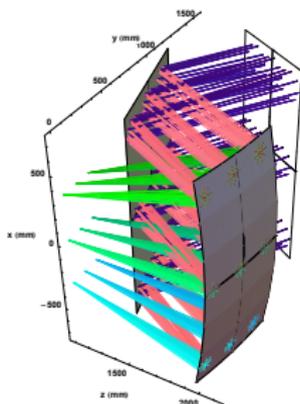


- Luminosity: $2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- 40 MHz readout with software base trigger running on a PC farm.

LHCb Upgrade TDR's

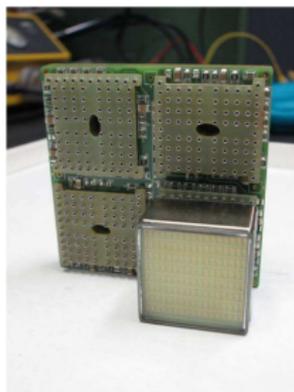


RICH optical design



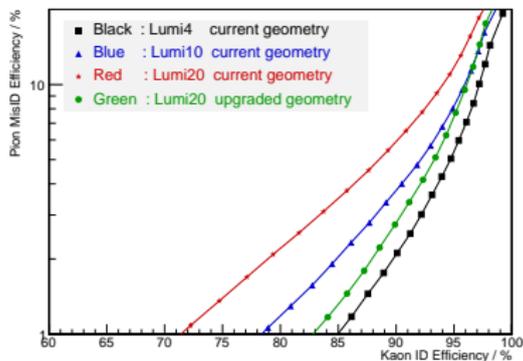
- Overall structure still based on 2 detectors
- Remove aerogel from RICH 1 \implies reduced maximum ring size and increase of Cherenkov photons by about 15%.
- Focal length of spherical mirrors increased by a $\approx \sqrt{2}$ \implies halved occupancy and reduced aberration.
- Distance between spherical and plane mirrors also increased \implies further increase in Cherenkov photons.
- Tilt of spherical mirrors reduced \implies reduced aberration.

RICH PD & performance



- Baseline R11265 Hamamatsu MaPMT.
- 8×8 pixel, 26.2 mm square device.

- $3.9 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ current geometry
- $10.0 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ current geometry
- $20.0 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ current geometry
- $20.0 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ updated geometry

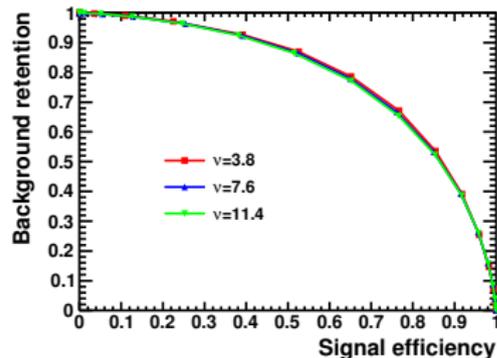


Calorimeter

- Maintain the same photo-multipliers: reduce gain by factor 5 to increase their lifetime.
- Change in electronics to compensate the reduced gain.
- Degradation with radiation will require replacement of the innermost part of ECAL.

- Remove SPD and PS.
- Pile-up
- \Rightarrow change in reconstruction.

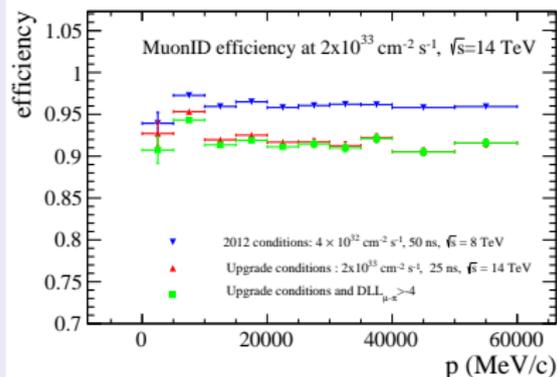
Photon efficiency for various luminosities



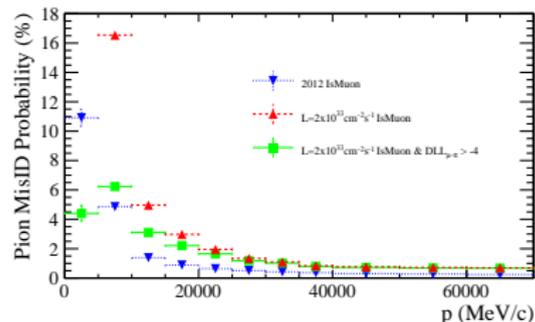
MUON

- New off-detector electronics with 40 MHz readout.
- Removal of station M1.
- Additional shielding around the beam pipe in front of M2.
- Change in identification algorithm needed to recover increased misidentification.

μ id. efficiency



μ misidentification



VELO requirements

Physics performance

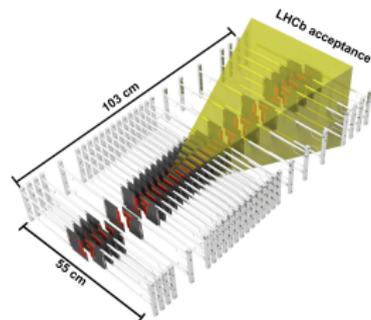
- Fast and robust reconstruction with excellent IP resolution at $20.0 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.
- First measured point as close as possible to interaction point: \implies as close to the beam as $\pm 5.1 \text{ mm}$.
- Material in acceptance kept at minimum.
- Geometric acceptance $> 99\%$ for track within $\pm 2\sigma_{lumi} = \pm 126 \text{ mm}$.

Sensors

- Hottest sensor exposed to fluence of $8 \times 10^{15} 1 \text{ MeV} n_{eq} \text{ cm}^{-2}$ after 50 fb^{-1} .
- Must be able to withstand 1000 V.
- Will be kept at $< -20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$.

ASIC

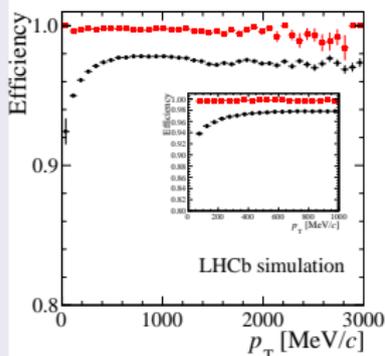
- Output rate up to 15.1 Gbit/s.
- Power consumption $\leq 3 \text{ W}$.



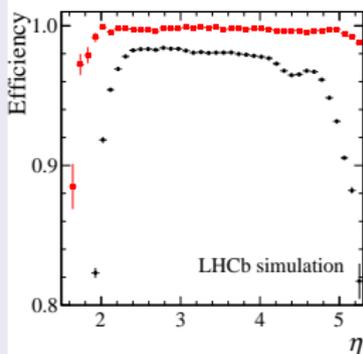
VELO performance: pattern recognition

- $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ events at $\mathcal{L} = 20.0 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.
- Improved efficiency and ghost rate compared to current VELO.
- Flatter efficiency over p , p_T , η , ϕ ...
- Comparison between current (black) and **upgraded** (red).

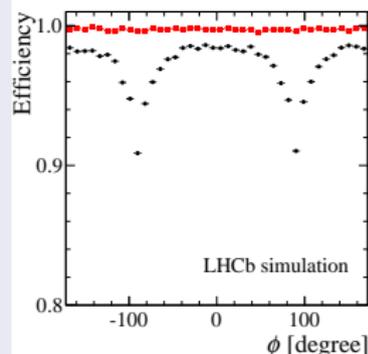
Efficiency vs. p_T



Efficiency vs. η



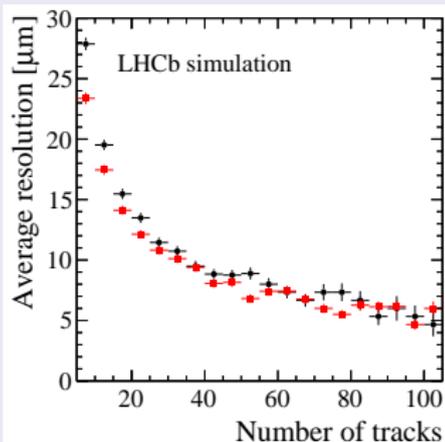
Efficiency vs. ϕ



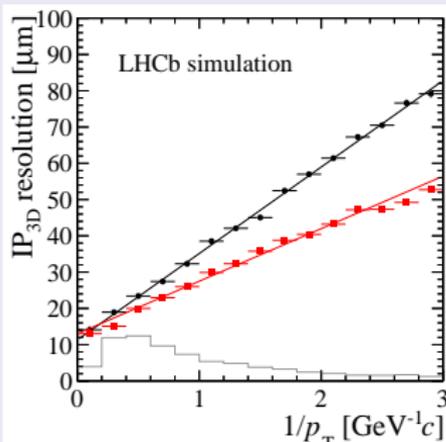
VELO performance: primary vertex and IP

- $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ events at $\mathcal{L} = 20.0 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.
- PV and IP resolution after full reconstruction.
- Intercept of IP resolution vs $1/p_T$ similar for current (black) and upgraded (red). Slope reduced significantly.

PV resolution in X



IP resolution



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- LHCb continues to produce a wealth of high-quality physics results.
- Full dataset of 3 fb^{-1} not yet fully exploited.
- At the same time work is in progress to prepare for Run 2.
- VELO and PID TDR submitted to LHCC: major milestones on upgrade for achieved.