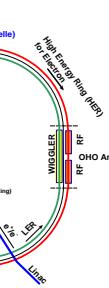
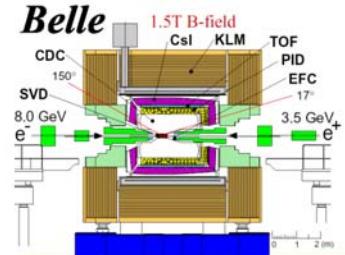


# Status of $V_{ub}$ from Belle



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## Course

- Appetizer:  $W$ -annihilation modes with  $V_{ub}$  vertex
- Entree: decay modes that we (can) use to measure  $V_{ub}$
- Dessert: to finish with something sweet

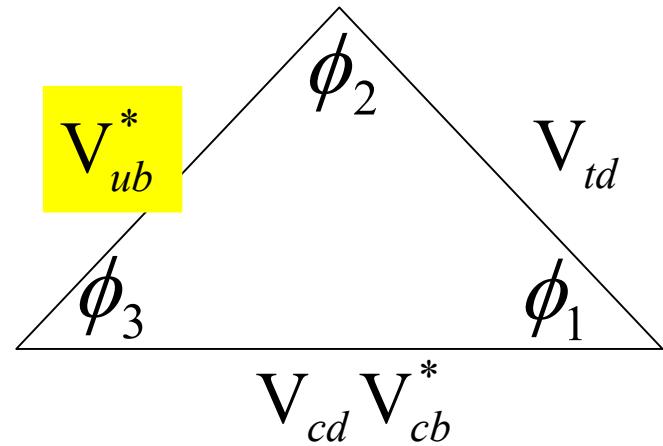
# The Unitarity Triangle

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{ud} V_{ub}^* + V_{cd} V_{cb}^* + V_{td} V_{tb}^* = 0$$

$$V_{ud} \approx V_{tb} \approx 1$$

\* other triangles are difficult to measure

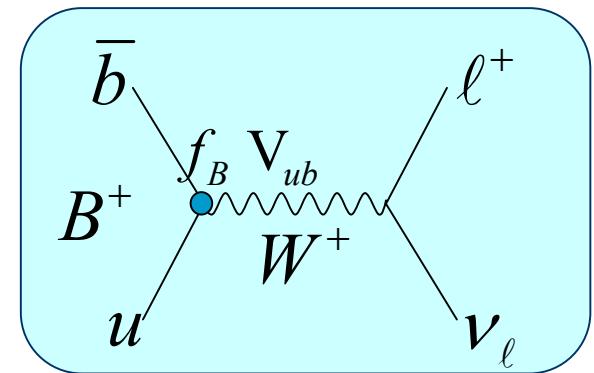


# $W$ -annihilation decays with $V_{ub}$ vertex

- The cleanest mode with  $V_{ub}$  vertex is fully leptonic  $B$  decays

$$B^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell$$

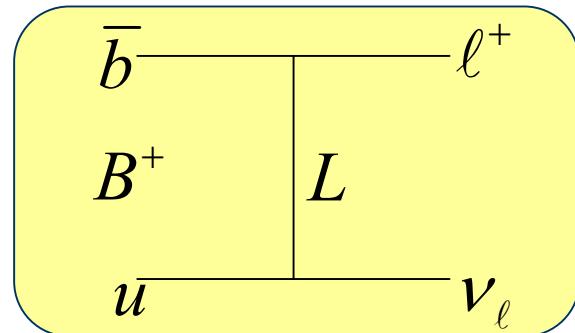
- uncertainty in  $f_B$
- BF is very small for  $\ell = e, \mu$   
(helicity suppression)



$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = \frac{G_F^2 m_B m_\ell^2}{8\pi} \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{m_B^2}\right)^2 f_B^2 |V_{ub}|^2 \tau_B$$

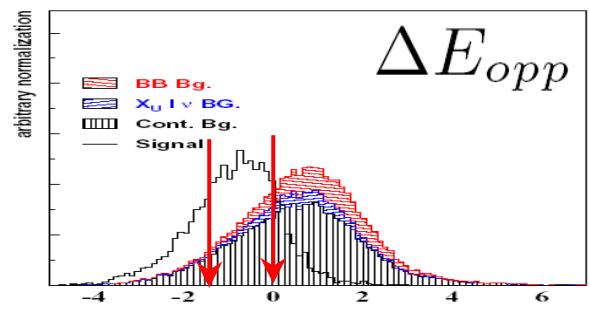
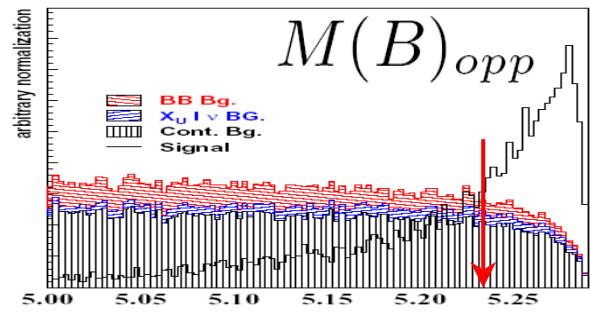
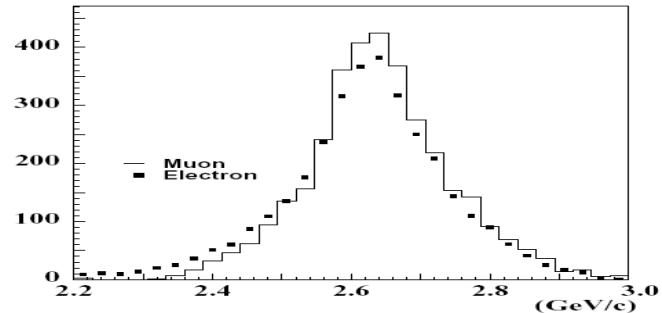
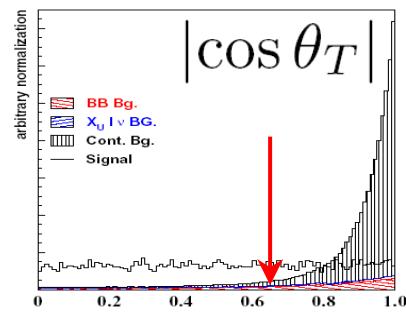
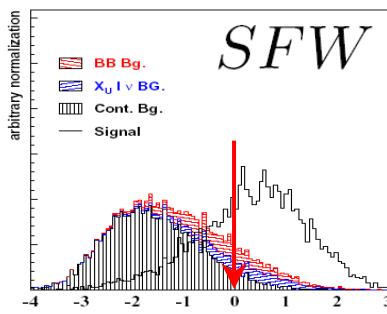
- or experimentally very messy due to multiple neutrinos for  $B \rightarrow \tau\nu$

- a good place to search for new physics



# $B^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell$ Event Selection

- Main feature
  - a monochromatic lepton in  $B$  rest frame
  - $2.2 < p_\ell^* < 2.9$  (GeV/c)
- Background suppression
  - $M(B)_{opp} > 5.23$  GeV/c $^2$
  - $-1.5 < \Delta E_{opp} < 0.0$  GeV
  - $SFW > 0$  and  $|\cos \theta_T| < 0.65$   
for continuum suppression

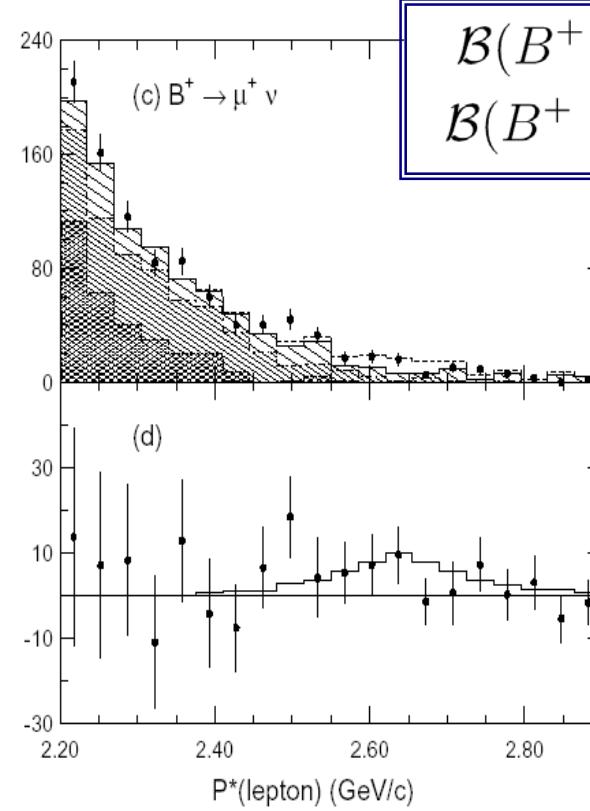
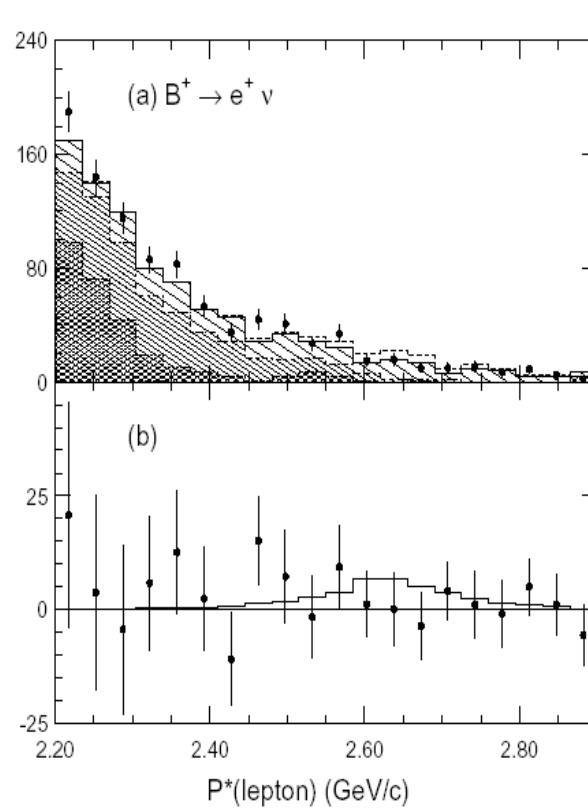


# $B^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell$ Results

Preliminary

## ■ Fitting $p_l$ distribution

- no evidence of signals  $\Rightarrow$  90% CL upper limits



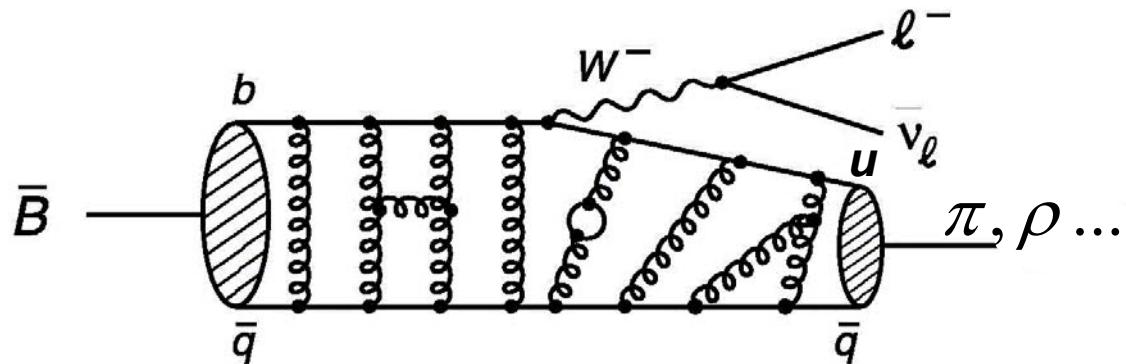
$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e) < 5.4 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu) < 6.8 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\int L_{ON} dt = 60 fb^{-1}$$

# Semileptonic $B$ decays for $V_{ub}$

- Semileptonic  $B$  decays provide the best opportunity for measuring  $|V_{ub}|$ 
  - *strong interaction effects are much simplified due to the two leptons in the final state*

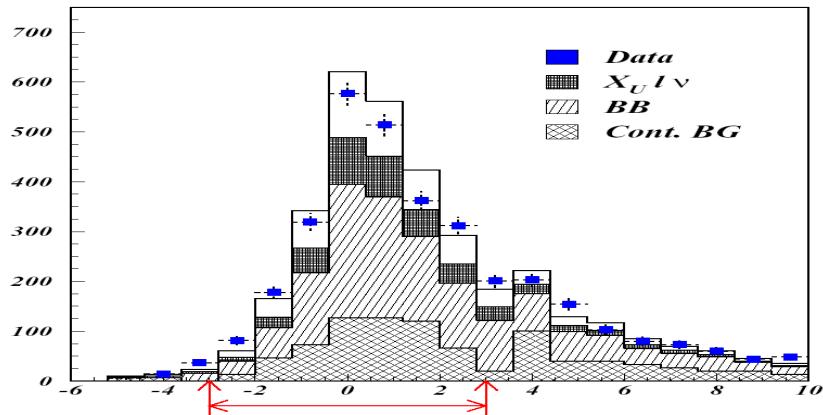


# $V_{ub}$ from $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- l^+ \nu$

- use detector hermeticity to “measure” undetected neutrino
- the events should be consistent with
  - **hermeticity** assumption

$|Q_{\text{total}}| < 2$  ; only one ID’ed lepton ;  $17^\circ < \theta_{\text{miss}} < 150^\circ$

- only one missing neutral particle = **neutrino**



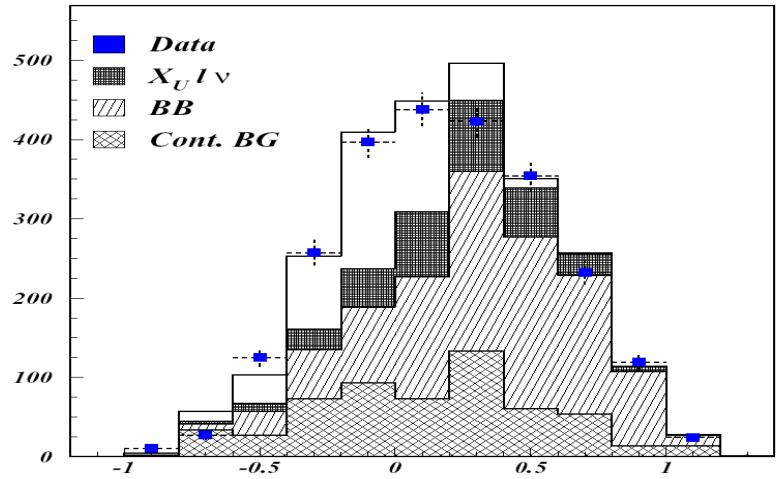
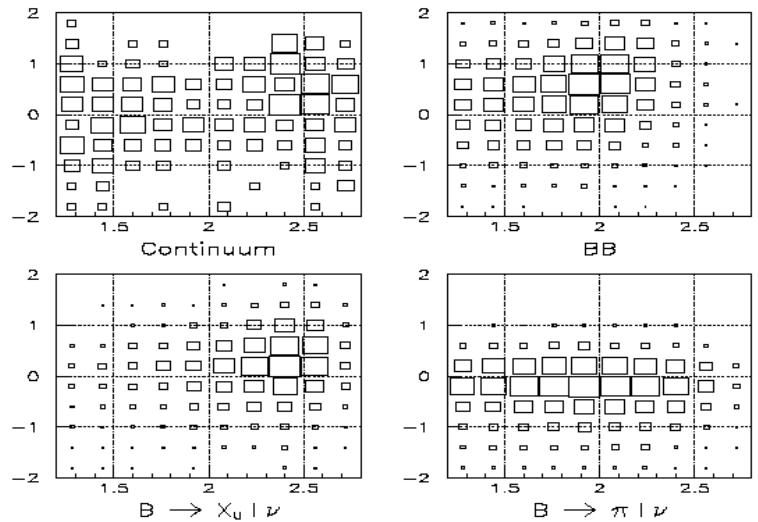
- attribute missing ( $E, p$ ) to the neutrino

$$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- l^+ \nu$$

$$\int L_{ON} dt = 60 fb^{-1}$$

$$\int L_{OFF} dt = 9 fb^{-1}$$

- Other requirements
  - $1.2 < p_\ell < 2.8 \text{ GeV}/c$
  - $|p_\ell| + |p_\pi| > 3.3 \text{ GeV}/c$
  - $q_{\text{obs}}^2 > 1.5 \text{ GeV}^2$
  - $R2 < 0.35, |\cos \theta_T| < 0.8$
  - $|\cos \theta_{B-\pi\ell}| < 1$
  - best candidate based on  $M_{bc}$
  - then,  $M_{bc} > 5.25 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- Signal yield is extracted by binned max. likelihood fit to  $\Delta E$  and  $p_\ell$



# Preliminary

# **BF( $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- l^+ \nu$ ) & $V_{ub}$**

- Need models

- to obtain efficiency, hence  $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell)$
- to calculate  $|V_{ub}|$

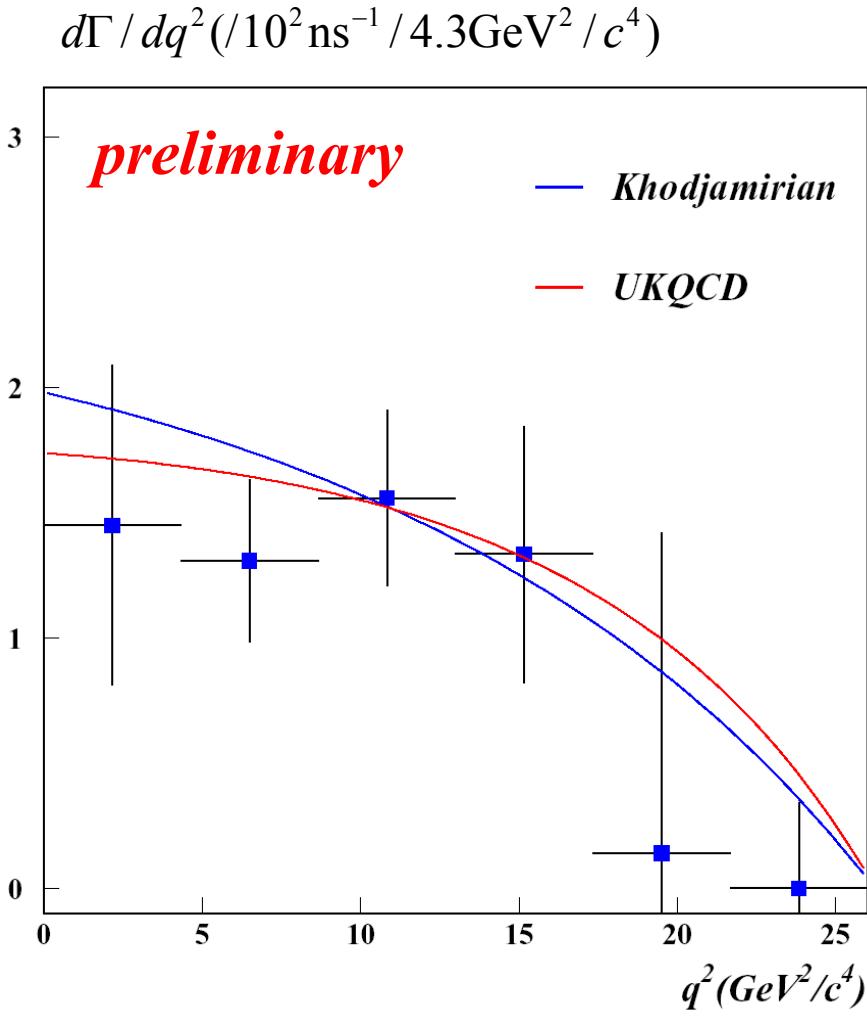
$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = \tau_{B^0} \Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = \tau_{B^0} \gamma_\pi |V_{ub}|^2$$

$\tau_{B^0} = 1.554 \pm 0.036$  ps (Belle 2002)

(Khodjamirian *et al.*)

model	UKQCD	LCSR
Reference	PLB 486, 111 (2000)	PRD 62, 114002 (2000)
good for	large $q^2$	small $q^2$
$\gamma_\pi$	$9^{+3+2}_{-2-2}$	$7.3 \pm 2.5$
effi. (%)	2.9	3.1
$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell)$	$(1.35 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-4}$	$(1.31 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.20) \times 10^{-4}$
$ V_{ub} $	$(3.11 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.56) \times 10^{-3}$	$(3.58 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.63) \times 10^{-3}$

# $q^2$ distribution of $B \rightarrow \pi l \nu$



Unfolding of true  $q^2$  distribution  
from observed distribution,  
by considering **efficiency/smearing**

$$B^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu$$

$$\int L_{ON} dt = 60 fb^{-1}$$

$$\int L_{OFF} dt = 6 fb^{-1}$$

- Hermeticity requirement

- $|Q_{\text{total}}| \leq 2$
- single lepton with  $p_\ell > 2.2 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $|M_{\text{miss}}^2| < 3.0 \text{ (GeV}/c^2)$

- Continuum suppression

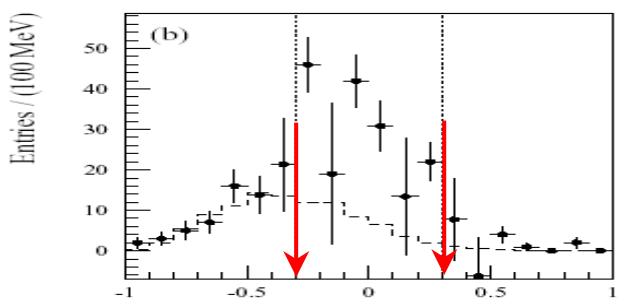
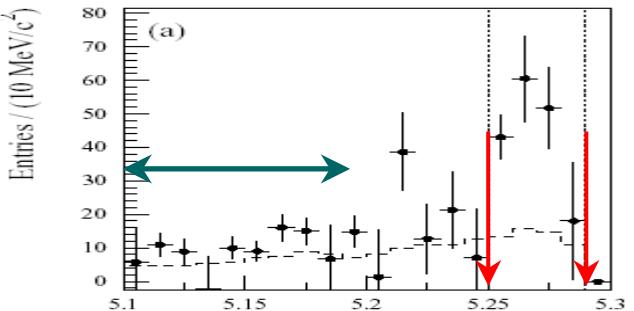
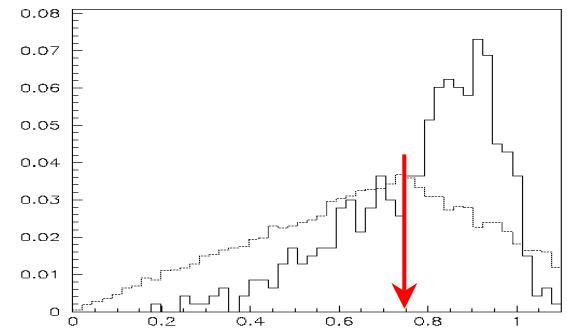
- $R2 < 0.4$
- energy flow distribution around lepton

- $\omega$  selection

- $E_\gamma > 0.03 \text{ GeV} ; 0.12 < M(\gamma\gamma) < 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- $p_{3\pi} > 0.3 \text{ GeV}/c \quad p_{\pi^0} > 0.2 \text{ GeV}/c$
- Dalitz amplitude  $|\vec{p}_{\pi^+} \times \vec{p}_{\pi^-}| > 0.75 \times (\text{max})$

- Signal region

- $|\cos \theta_{B-e\omega}| < 1.0$
- $5.25 < M_{bc} < 5.29 \text{ GeV}/c^2, |\Delta E| < 0.3 \text{ GeV}$
- $5.10 < M_{bc} < 5.19 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ , as a side-band

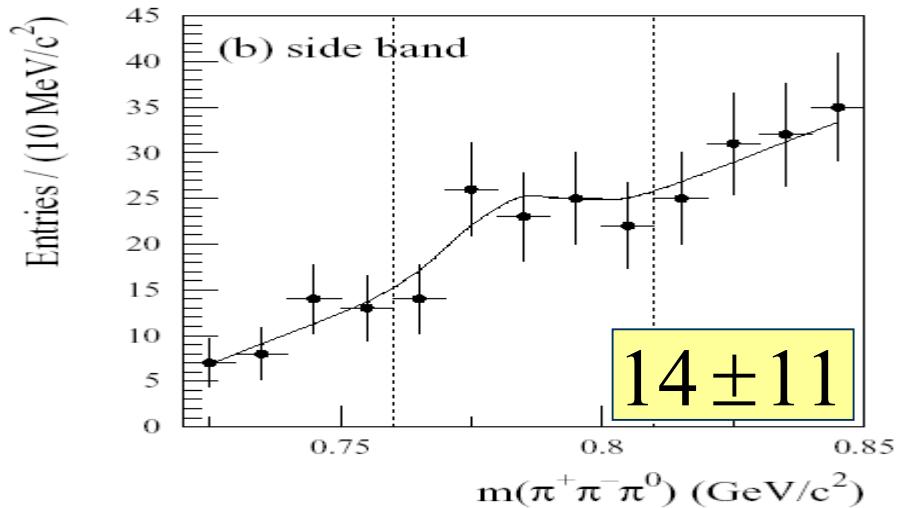
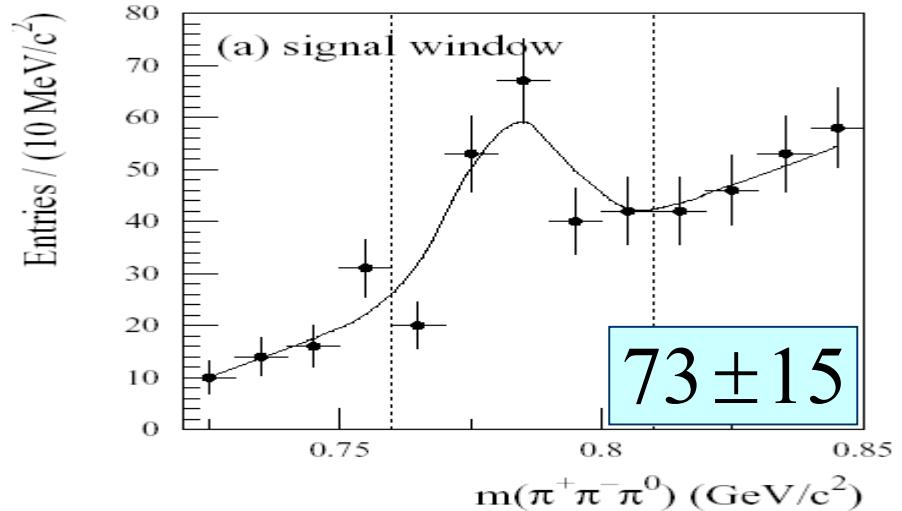


$$B^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu$$

- N(events) in the signal region  
with  $0.76 < m(3\pi) < 0.81$

$222 \pm 15$ (total)	}
$48 \pm 10$ ( $b \rightarrow c$ )	
$2 \pm 2$ (fake)	
$47 \pm 21$ (cont.)	MC est.

- Excess in  $m(3\pi)$   
after side-band subtraction  
 $= 59 \pm 15$  events



$$B^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu$$

## ■ Systematic uncertainties

- background est. 18.0%
- signal fitting 9.2%
- MC statistics 5.1%
- tracking 6.0%
- photon-finding 4.0%
- electron ID 3.0%
- Total: 22.3%

*preliminary*

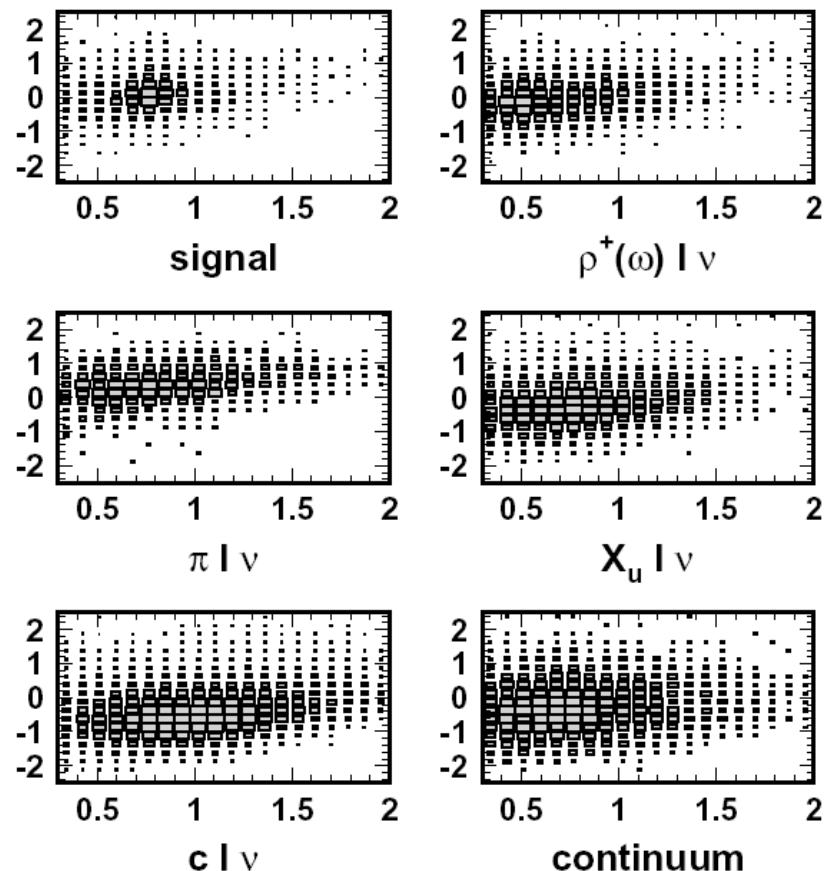
$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu) = (1.4 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu$$

- Similar “*neutrino reconstruction*” using hermeticity

$2.0 < p_\ell < 2.8 \text{ GeV/c}$   
 $|Q_{\text{total}}| \leq 2$   
 $-2 < M_{\text{miss}}^2 < 4 \text{ (GeV/c}^2)^2$   
 $|\cos\theta_{\text{miss}}| < 0.9$

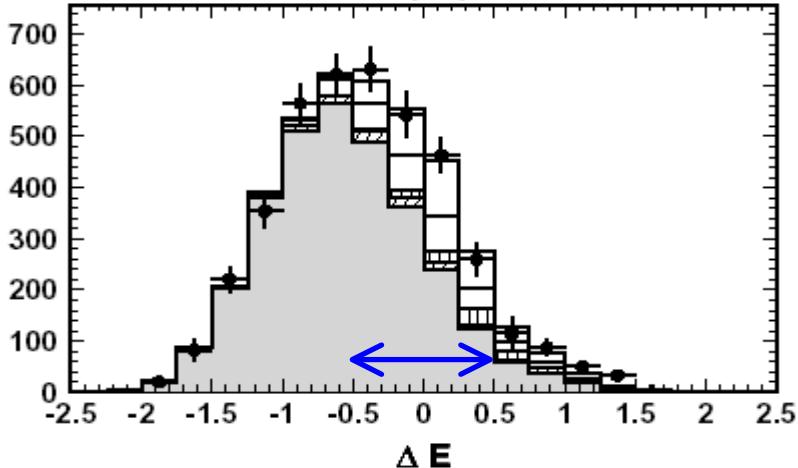
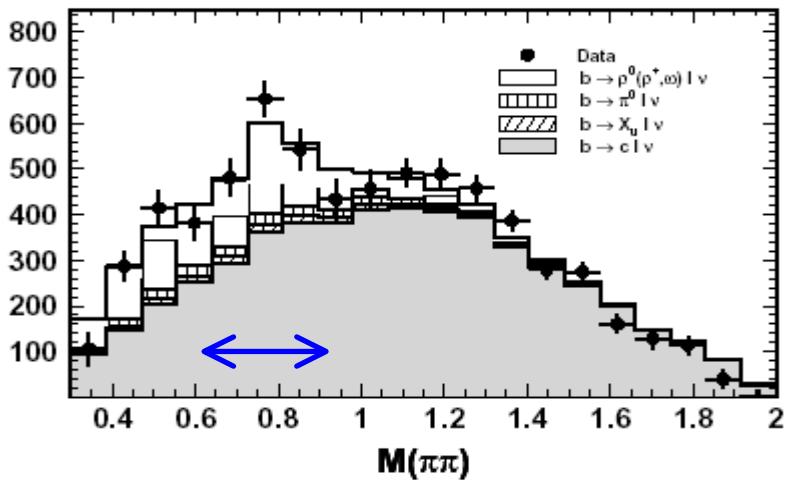
- 2-dim. fit to  $\Delta E$  vs.  $M(\pi\pi)$



$$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu$$

$\int L_{ON} dt = 29 fb^{-1}$
$\int L_{OFF} dt = 3 fb^{-1}$

- Projections onto  $\Delta E$  and  $M(\pi\pi)$



- Tentatively, using ISGW2 for
  - efficiency, hence BF; and
  - $V_{ub}$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu) \quad \text{preliminary} \\ = (1.44 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$|V_{ub}| = (3.50 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.28) \times 10^{-3}$$

# $V_{ub}$ from $B \rightarrow D_s^{(*)} X_u$ decays

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- Instead of  $\ell\bar{\nu}$ , we can use  $D_s^{(*)}$
- signal  $B$  is fully reconstructed  $\rightarrow$  no need to worry about missing neutrino
- Currently, the largest uncertainty is in the  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi\pi^+$  branching fractions:  $\delta\mathcal{B}/\mathcal{B} \approx 25\%$
- Such uncertainties can be removed by taking the ratios, *e.g.*  
(Kim, Kwon, Lee & Namgung, PRD 63, 094506 (2001))

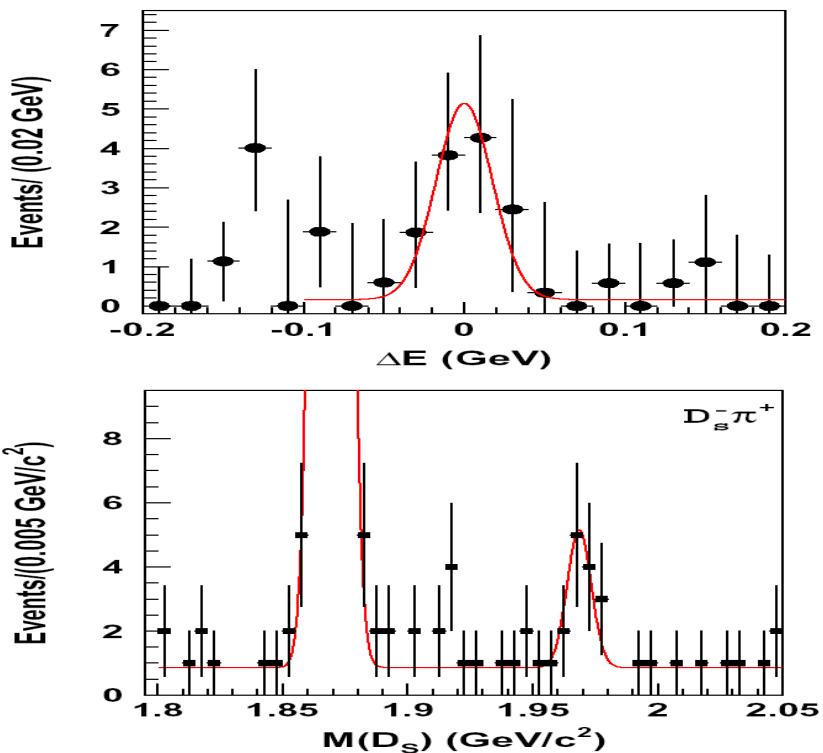
$$\frac{\Gamma(B \rightarrow D_s^{(*)}\pi)}{\Gamma(B \rightarrow D_s^{(*)}D)}$$

- Theory error from form factor uncertainty is  $O(10\%)$ :  
within the generalized factorization scheme; penguin effects are considered

$$B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-$$

$$\int L_{ON} dt = 79 fb^{-1}$$

$$\int L_{OFF} dt = 8 fb^{-1}$$



- For more details  
⇒ hear P. Krokovsky (HQ3)
- $D_s^+$  decay modes used  
 $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi\pi^+, K_S^0K^+, \bar{K}^{*0}K^+$
- 2-dim. fit to  $\Delta E - M(D_s)$
- consistency check  
 $\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^+ \pi^-) = (2.8 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-3}$

a  $3.6 \sigma$  significance

*preliminary*

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-) = (2.4^{+1.0}_{-0.8} \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-5}$$

We also have  $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow D_s^{*+} \pi^0) < 1.4 \times 10^{-4}$

# preliminary

## $|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$ from $B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-$

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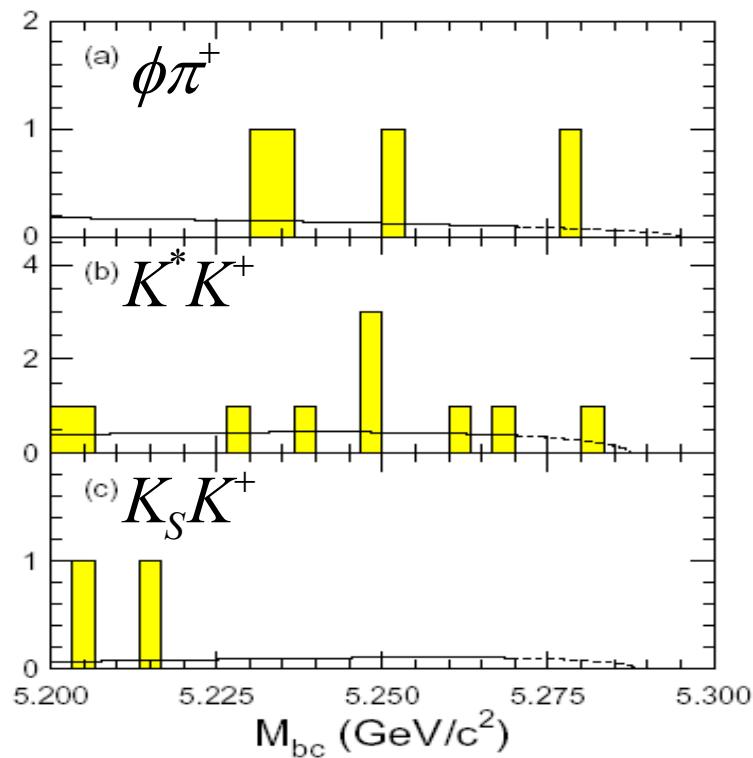
- Using Kim *et al.* (PRD (2001)), with the PDG value of  $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ D^-)$ , we calculate the ratio

$$\begin{aligned}
 R &\equiv \frac{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-)}{\Gamma(B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ D^-)} = (0.424 \pm 0.041) \times \left| \frac{V_{ub}}{V_{cb}} \right|^2 \\
 &= (3.0^{+1.8}_{-1.6}) \times 10^{-3}
 \end{aligned}$$

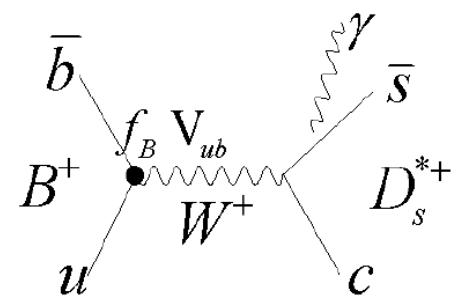
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\left| \frac{V_{ub}}{V_{cb}} \right| = 0.084^{+0.025}_{-0.023}}$$

- Using PDG2002 for  $V_{cb}$ ,  $|V_{cb}| = (41.2 \pm 2.0) \times 10^{-3}$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{|V_{ub}| = (3.5^{+1.0}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-3}}$$


 $B^+ \rightarrow D_s^* \gamma$ 
 $\int L_{ON} dt = 60 fb^{-1}$ 

- back to W-annihilation decay with V<sub>ub</sub> vertex
- $D_s^* \rightarrow D_s \gamma$
- same 3  $D_s$  decay modes



Mode	Signal Efficiency(%)	Expected background	Events in signal region	Branching fraction upper limit (90% CL)
$\phi\pi^+$	8.5	$0.4 \pm 0.3$	1	$6.1 \times 10^{-5}$
$\bar{K}^{*0} K^+$	4.9	$1.4 \pm 0.5$	1	$7.3 \times 10^{-5}$
$K_S^0 K^+$	4.3	$0.4 \pm 0.3$	0	$5.2 \times 10^{-5}$
all combined			<i>preliminary</i>	$2.6 \times 10^{-5}$

# Conclusion (1)

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- Belle's new measurements of exclusive  $B \rightarrow X_u \ell \nu$  semileptonic decays with  $\int L dt = 60 \text{fb}^{-1}$ 
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = (1.33 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-4}$  (*updated!*)
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu) = (1.4 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-4}$  (*new!*)
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu) = (1.44 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-4}$  ( $\int L dt = 29 \text{fb}^{-1}$ )
- Evidence of  $B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-) = (2.4_{-0.8}^{+1.0} \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-5}$$

- upper limits on  $W$ -annihilation decay modes
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e) < 5.4 \times 10^{-6}$
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu) < 6.8 \times 10^{-6}$
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow D_s^{*+} \gamma) < 2.6 \times 10^{-5}$

# Conclusion (2)

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- Calculation of  $|V_{ub}|$  from  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell$  using LCSR and L-QCD models

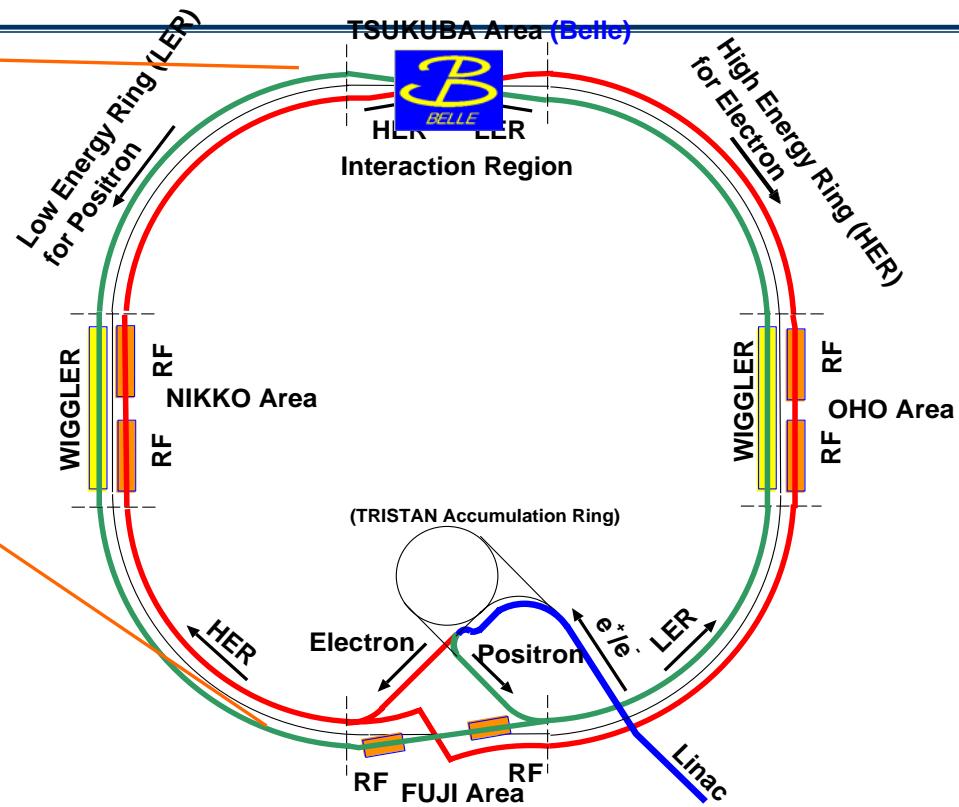
$$|V_{ub}| = \begin{cases} (3.11 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.56) \times 10^{-3} & \text{UKQCD} \\ (3.58 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.63) \times 10^{-3} & \text{Khodjamirian, et al.} \\ & (\text{LCSR}) \end{cases}$$

- From new measurement of  $B^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-$   
and using factorization-based calculation

$$|V_{ub}| = (3.5^{+1.0}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-3}$$

# Backup slides

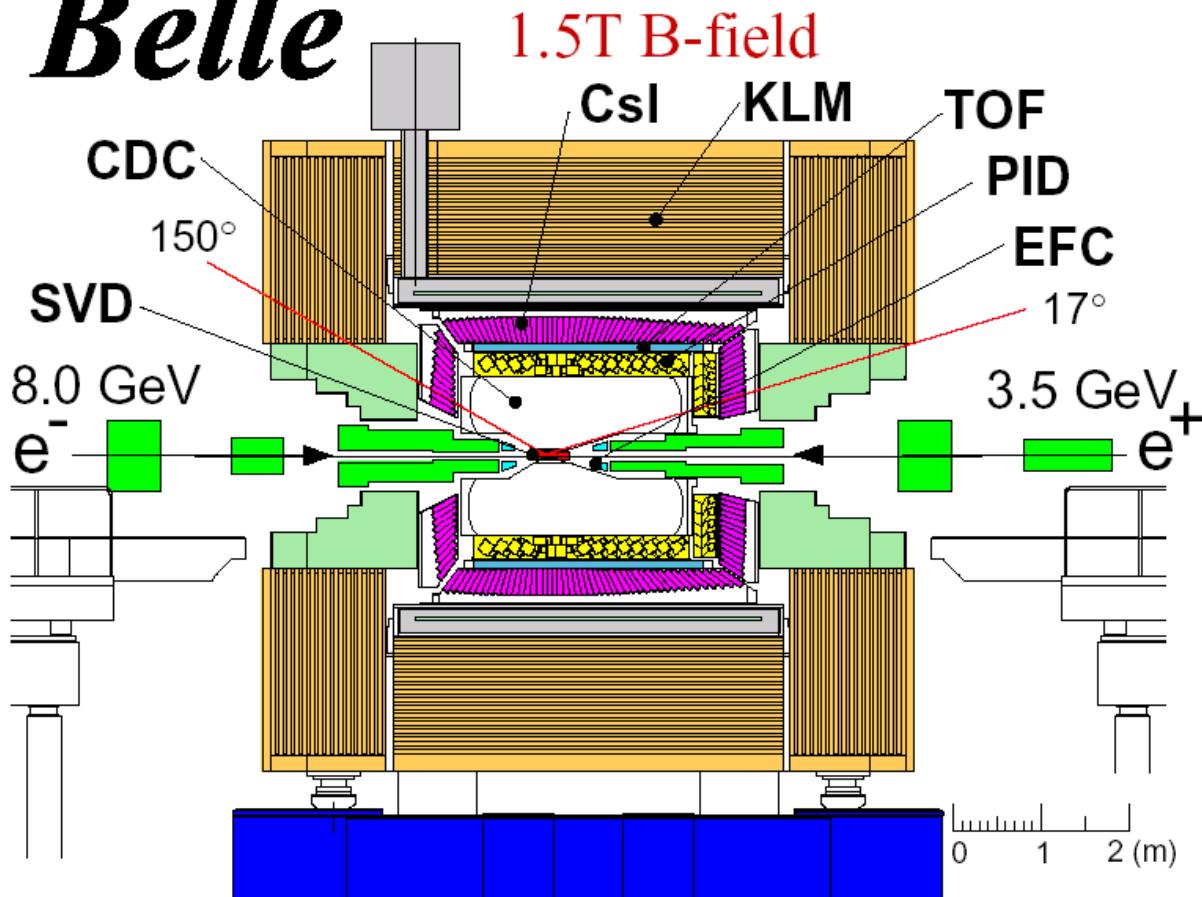
# The KEKB Collider



- asymmetric energy  
 $e^+$  (3.5 GeV)  $e^-$  (8 GeV)
- design Luminosity =  $10^{34} /cm^2/s$
- $E(cm) = 10.58 \text{ GeV}$  on resonance of  $\Upsilon(4S)$  production

# The Belle detector

*Belle*



**SVD:** 3 DSSD lyr

$$\sigma \sim 55\mu\text{m}$$

**CDC:** 50 layers

$$\sigma_p/p \sim 0.35\%$$

$$\sigma_\pi(dE/dx) \sim 7\%$$

**TOF:**  $\sigma \sim 95\text{ps}$

**Aerogel**  
 $(n = 1.01 \sim 1.03)$

$$K/\pi \sim 3.5 \text{ GeV}/c$$

**CsI :**

$$\sigma_E/E_\gamma \sim 1.8\%$$

**KLM:** RPC 14 ly

$$(@1\text{GeV})$$