### Recent results on B and D decay from Belle II

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### **Belle II Experiment in a Nutshell**

- Belle II Plan: collecting 50 ab<sup>-1</sup> as e<sup>+</sup> e<sup>-</sup> collisions at Upsilon(4S) and nearby
  - About 50 times larger than its predecessor, Belle with 1.05 ab<sup>-1</sup>
- Upsilon(4S) decays into  $B \overline{B}$  meson pairs coherently with no additional fragments.
  - High tagging efficiency of B decays (Belle II ~30% vs LHCb ~5%)
  - Full event reconstruction tagging possible
- Direct detection of neutrals such as  $\gamma$ ,  $\pi^0$ , K<sub>L</sub>.
- A hermetic detector:
  - Detection of neutrinos or invisibles as missing energy/momentum.
- Large  $\tau$  samples: Search for LFV  $\tau$  decays at  $O(10^{-9})$ .
  - Detect both e and  $\mu$  with similar performance.

## **Belle II Physics Prospects**

- Charm decays
- Next precision CKM matrix
  - Semileptonic B decays (CKM elements)
  - Hadronic B decays (angles and CPV)
  - Time dependent CP violation
- $\tau$  physics
- Hadron spectroscopy
- Rare decays, FCNC
- New physics

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- Lepton flavor violation
- Dark sector, Long lived particles



articles https://confluence.desy.de/display/BI/Snowmass+2021

Belle II Physics Book by B2TIP (Belle II Theory Interface Platform) PTEP 2019, 123C01



## **SuperKEKB Luminosity: Current Status**

- After the commission phases, Phase III started spring 2019.
- Reclaimed the luminosity record on June 2020! (Previously held by LHC.)
- Spring/summer 2022 run ended June.
  - Current peak luminosity record at  $L_{peak} = 4.7 \times 10^{34} cm^{-2} s^{-1}$ , the current world record on June 22nd.
  - Current integrated luminosity at  $\int L_{recorded} dt = 427.79 \ fb^{-1}.$ (~ Babar, ~ ½ Belle)
- Long shutdown 1 (LS1) started for upgrades (beam pipe, pixel, TOP PMT).

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## THE CHARM LIFETIMES

### **Charm Particle Lifetime**

- Charm particles @ low-energy QCD calculation (non-perturbative and high order correction). The effective models do have uncertainties.
- Measurements of charm lifetimes can test the models.



- At SuperKEKB,  $\sigma_{c\bar{c}} \sim \sigma_{b\bar{b}}$ . Large charm sample.
- $e^+ e^-$  collision gives clean environment. Less bias.
- Small interaction region and the new Belle II vertex detector give strong constraints and better resolutions.
- A great opportunity to measure the world best charm lifetimes.



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### Why CKM Matrix?

- Unitary triangle constraints are powerful test of the SM.
  - Precision on  $\alpha$  and  $\gamma$  angles are much less than  $\beta$ .
- Predicting rare decays involves  $V_{qq'}$ . Needed for NP searches.
  - Use semi-leptonic, leptonic decays of mesons.



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### **Full Event Interpretation**



Hierachial reconstruction is performed to obtain B (tag) meson exclusively. Then use the Upsilon(4S) constraint to get the B (sig) meson.



- Traditionally, at Upsilon(4s), one B (tag) is reconstructed first. The rest of the event is considered as a signal B. https://arxiv.org/abs/2008.02707
- An improved tool (FEI) is developed based on Boosted Decision Tree.

T. Keck et al., Comput. Softw. Big Sci. 3, 6 (2019)

- MVA based. O(10<sup>4</sup>) decay channels.
- $\epsilon_{had} \approx 0.5\%$  and  $\epsilon_{SL} \approx 2\%$

### **The CKM Matrix elements**

- The ~  $3\sigma$  tension between inclusive and exclusive measurements in  $|V_{cb}|$ ,  $|V_{ub}|$  is still going on.
- Preliminary Belle II results, based on 190/fb samples.

Matrix elem.	Signal B	Other B	Meas.	Ref.
<i>V<sub>cb</sub></i>	$B \rightarrow D l \nu$ , $(l = e, \mu)$	Untagged	$(38.53 \pm 1.15 (stat. + sys. + theo.))$ × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	ICHEP 2022
	$B^0 \rightarrow D^* l \nu$ , $(l = e, \mu)$	Hadronic	$(38.2 \pm 2.8 (stat. + sys. + theo.))$ × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	Moriond 2022
<i>V<sub>ub</sub></i>	$B^0 \rightarrow \pi l \nu$ , $(l = e, \mu)$	Untagged	$(3.54 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.16) \times 10^{-3}$	ICHEP 2022
	$B \to \pi e \nu$	hadronic	$(3.88 \pm 0.45(stat. + sys. + theo.))$ × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	Moriond 2022

### Signal Selection of SL modes.

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### **Time Dependent CPV and Mixing**

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### **Time Dependent CPV and Mixing**

 $sin2\phi_1$  results

#### $sin2\phi_1$ validation

![](_page_15_Figure_2.jpeg)

## **RARE B DECAYS**

## **Rare B decays: Overview**

- FCNC b  $\rightarrow$  s transitions are suppressed in the SM. A good are to look for NP.
- The 10 to 30% uncertainty in the SM BR (10<sup>-5</sup> to 10<sup>-7</sup>) can be supplemented by ratios, asymmetries, and angular distributions.
- An excellent place to test LFU and LFV.
  - Belle II have similar detector performances between electron and muon.
  - Currently Belle II is statistically limit, but will become competitive with a few /ab.

### $B^+ \to K^* ll$

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- Current  $R_{K^*}$  measurements have a 2-3  $\sigma$  discrepancies.
- The first Belle II report on  $190 fb^{-1}$  sample.
- Background suppressed by BDT, and veto on J/ $\psi,\,\psi(2S)$  mass.
- 2D fit to M<sub>bc</sub> and delta E
- The current results are statistically limited.

Modes	Belle II	WA
$B \to K^*  \mu^+ \mu^-$	$(1.19 \pm 0.31^{+008}_{-0.07}) \times 10^{-6}$	$(1.06 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-6}$
$B \to K^* e^+ e^-$	$(1.42 \pm 0.48 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-6}$	$(1.19 \pm 0.20) \times 10^{-6}$
$B \to K^* \ l^+ l^-$	$(1.25 \pm 0.30^{+008}_{-0.07}) \times 10^{-6}$	$(1.05 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-6}$

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## $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \nu \nu$ with Inclusive Tagging

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- The Belle II measurement at  $63 fb^{-1}$  is comparable to the previous Babar/Belle measurements.
- Next step : 190  $fb^{-1}$  sample, and extra channels (K\*, K<sub>S</sub>)

Babar	$< 1.6 \times 10^{-5}$ (90% C.L.)	Phys. Rev. D87,112005 (2013)
Belle	$< 1.9 \times 10^{-5}$ (90% C.L.)	Phys. Rev. D96,091101(R) (2017)
Belle II	$< 4.1 \times 10^{-5}$ (90% C.L.)	https://arxiv.org/abs/2105.05754

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# SUMMARY

## Summary

- SuperKEKB has achieved  $L_{peak} = 4.7 \times 10^{34} cm^{-2} s^{-1}$ , the world record on June 22nd.
  - It is a super B factory now.
- Belle II has started producing new results, including a world leading results in charm lifetime.
  - More updates are coming with Phase III data
- Belle II started producing results on many intertesing B physics.
  - Reports at ICHEP 2022, Moriond 2022.
- This is a very exciting time to do flavor physics, looking for physics beyond the Standard Model.

# **EXTRA**

### **The Belle II Collaboration**

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### **Belle II and LHCb**

- Belle II and LHCb have different systematics ٠
  - Two experiments are required to establish NP.
  - LHCb: large  $b\overline{b}$  cross-section (LHCb 1 fb<sup>-1</sup> ~ Belle II 1 ab<sup>-1</sup>). Good sensitivity and S/N with di-muon modes and charged tracks with a vertex.

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LHCb Event Display

### **Long Lived Particles**

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 December 2020, FSP Workshop focusing on feasibility studies

https://indico.belle2.org/event/2920/

- Additional displacement vertex trigger is needed to enhance the LLP sensitivities.
- A Snowmass White Paper including a proposal of the Gazelle detector

https://www.snowmass21.org/docs/files/su mmaries/RF/SNOWMASS21-RF6\_RF0\_Torben\_Ferber-020.pdf

### **KEKB to SuperKEKB: Accomplished**

positrons

- Nano beam scheme + Crab waist optics
- Target: vertical beta function  $\beta_{\gamma}^*$  5.9 mm (KEKB) to 0.3 mm (SuperKEKB)
- Increase beam currents  $I_{e^+}$ ٠
- Increase beam-beam interaction  $\xi_{\nu}$ ٠

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Belle II detector