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## Background studies for the Belle II experiment

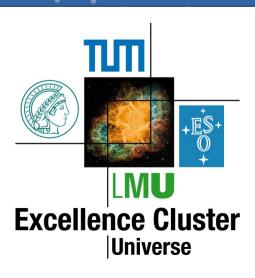
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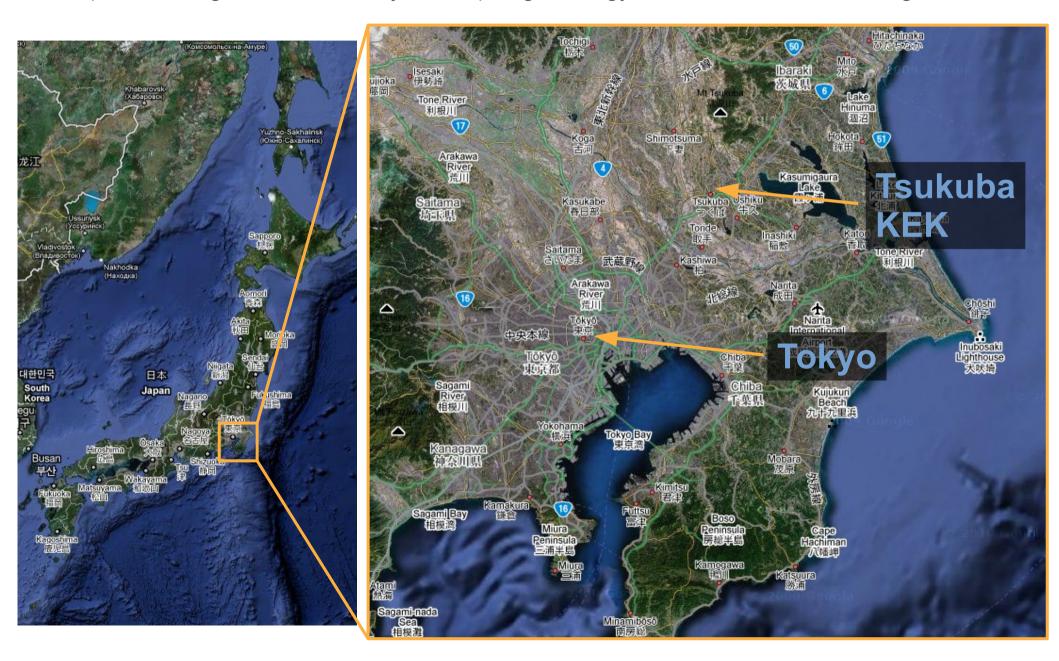


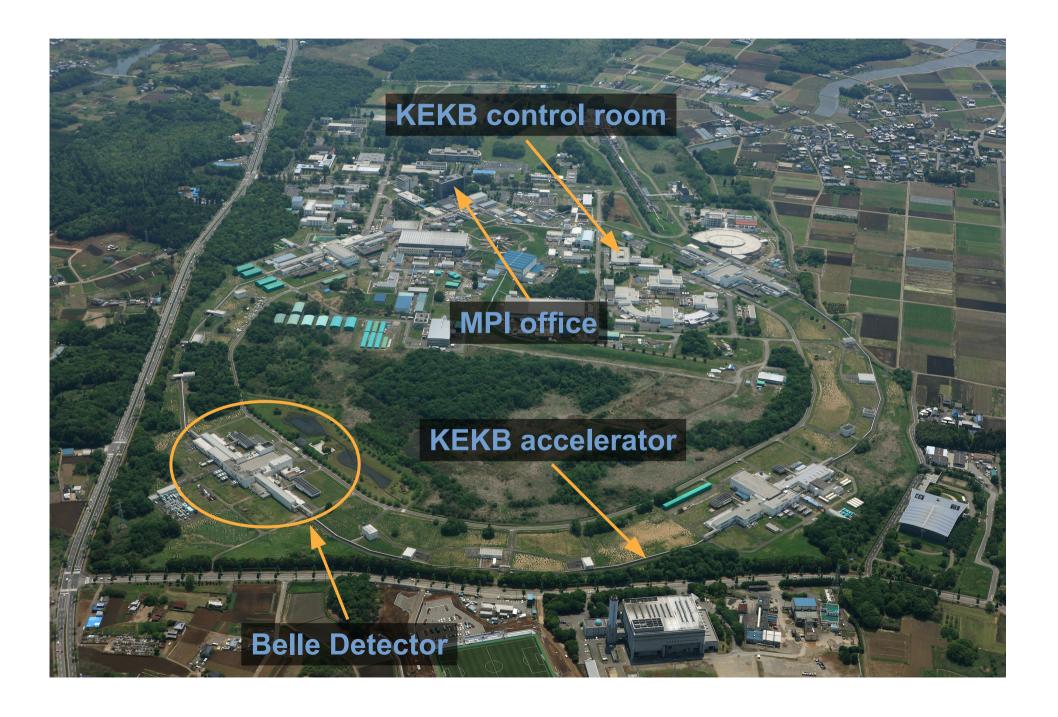




The Belle experiment is located at KEK in Tsukuba, Japan

KEK (Koh Enerugi kasokuki Kenkyu kikou), High Energy Accelerator Research Organization









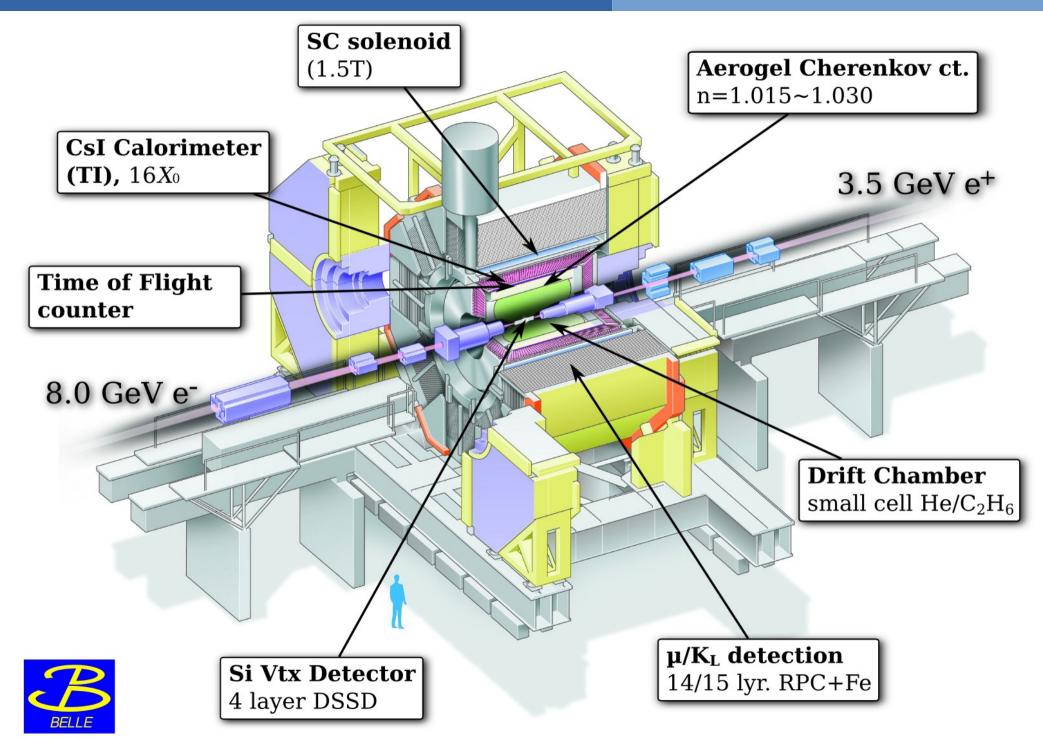
electron – positron collider (running from 1999 to 13.06.2010)

**asymmetric** energies: 8 Gev (e<sup>-</sup>) and 3.5 GeV (e<sup>+</sup>) mainly running at the Y(4S) resonance (10.58 GeV)

**B** - Factory

√ Holds the luminosity world record: L > 2.1 · 10<sup>34</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>





## Physics at Belle

**CP Violation in Belle** 

Standard Model (SM) very successful, yet cannot be the complete theory for example:

- 1) Dark Matter exists
  (only 4% of the Universe accounted for by the SM)
- 2) **Neutrinos** do have mass
  - but are massless in the Standard Model



3) **Asymmetry** in the amount of matter and antimatter in the universe

Big Bang produced an equal amount of matter and antimatter.

Today:

Baryons, electrons 🝁 Observation 🗼 antibaryons, positrons

- **CP Violation** is involved (Sakharov conditions)
  - Charge conjugation (transforms particle antiparticle)
  - Parity transformation (changes the sign of space coordinates)

The Standard Model (SM) with 3 families can accommodate the CP violation in weak interactions through the CKM (Cabibbo, Kobayashi, Masukawa) matrix.

The CKM Matrix "rotates" mass base into flavor base.

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho + i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho + i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 unitary matrix: **4 free real parameters** (3 Euler angles and a phase)



Values not predicted by SM.

Wolfenstein parameterization

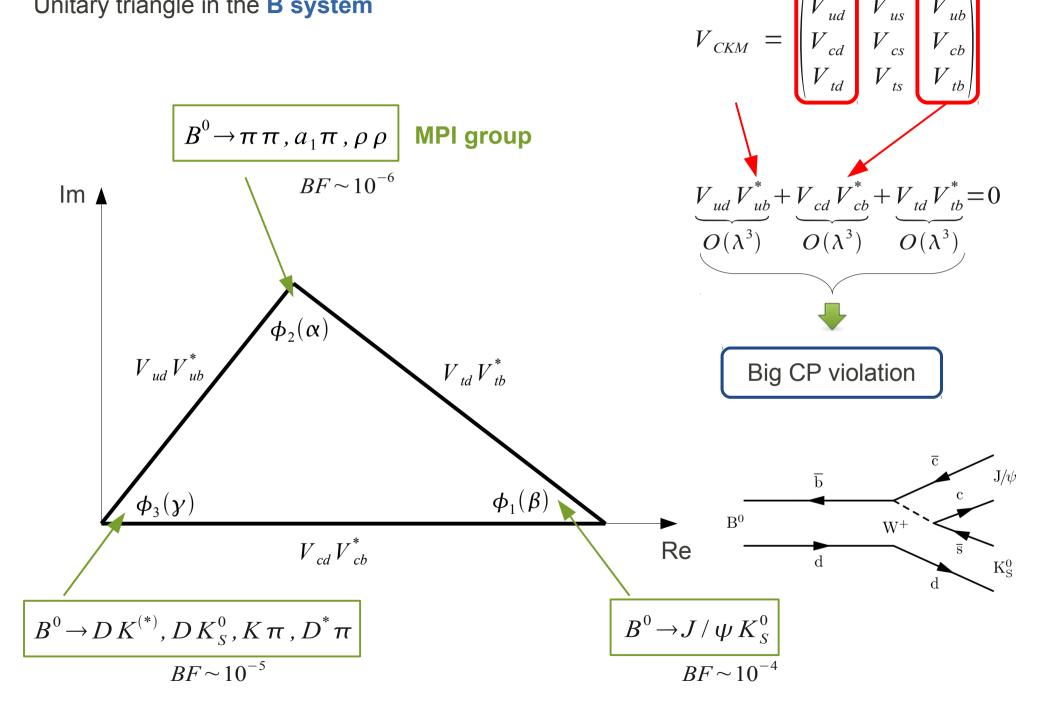
Expansion in powers of  $\sin \theta_C = \lambda (\approx 0.226)$ 



CP conservation would imply  $\eta = 0$ 

Phase introduces imaginary terms in the Standard Model Lagrangian inducing CP violation.

Unitary triangle in the **B system** 

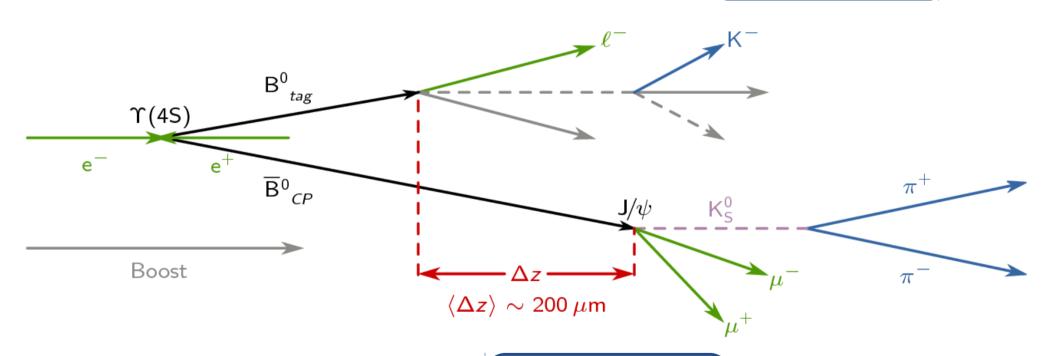


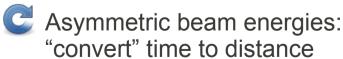
Production of B mesons at the Y(4S) resonance (10.58 GeV)

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(4S) \rightarrow B^0 \overline{B}^0$$

Produced in a quantum-entangled state

Flavor eigenstate





$$\Delta z = \beta \gamma c \Delta t$$

Some state  $f(\overline{f})$  or CP eigenstate e.g.  $J/\psi$   $K_S$ 

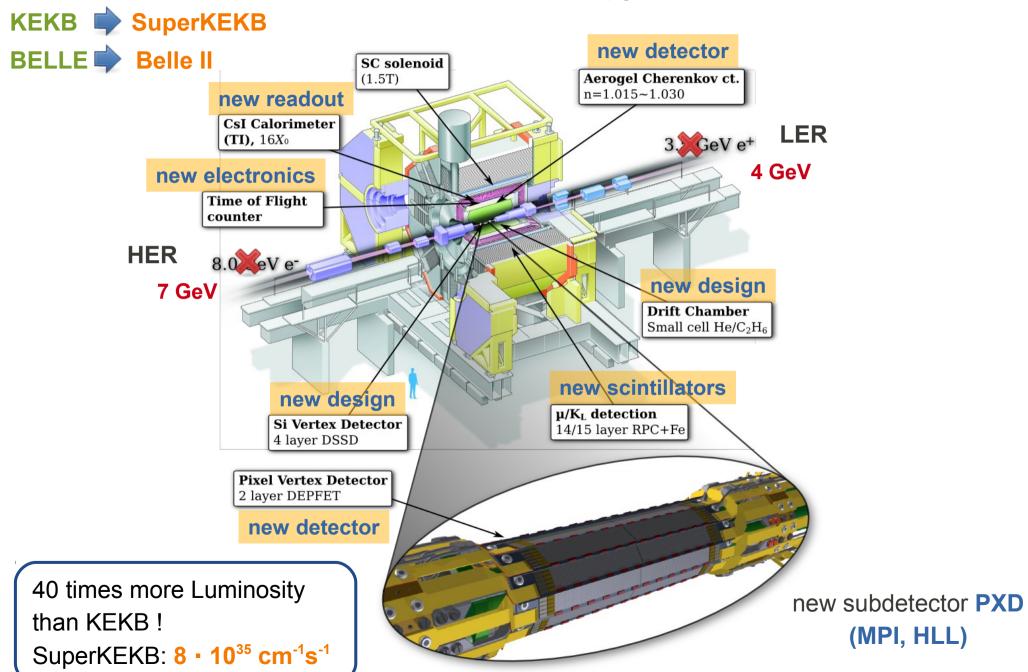


Good vertex resolution needed.

### Belle II

The next generation

Belle was shutdown on 13.06.2010: Construction of an upgraded accelerator & detector started.



# Which background How much background

Two kinds of background are expected for Belle II

#### **Machine background**



Beam/gas scattering (Bremsstrahlung and Coulomb scattering)



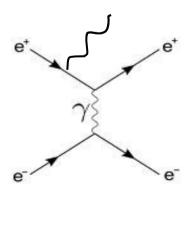
Touschek effect (intra bunch scattering)



Synchrotron radiation

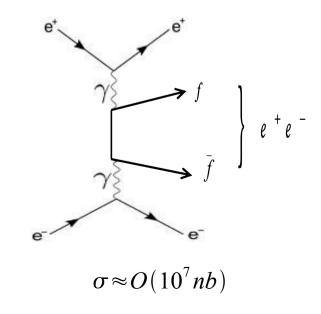
#### **Luminosity related background**

Radiative Bhabha scattering



$$\sigma \approx 50 \, nb$$

#### Gamma/Gamma reactions



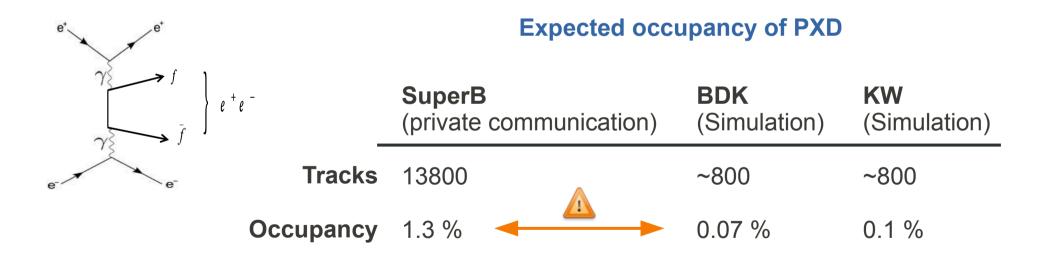
Expected rate increase of:

#### **Machine**

#### **Luminosity related**

factor of 40 due to luminosity

Dominating QED background: 2 photon processes



**BDK**: Berends – Daverfeldt – Kleiss

KW: S.Jadach et al.

Real data to clarify situation: Special QED runs taken at May 28th on Belle

Idea: Measure QED background

**Problem**: Events consisting of tracks with a few MeV cannot be triggered at Belle

Solution: Random Triggers (unbiased background)

Fr th out Lab Energy lower part Electron

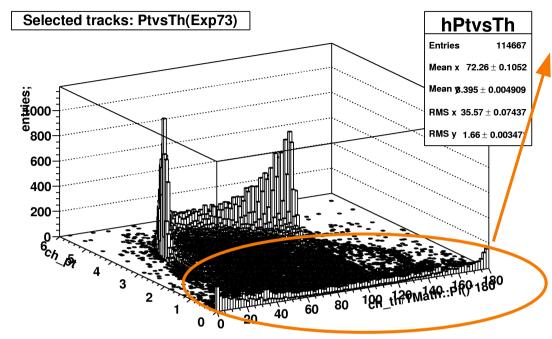
Entries 792

Mean 0.017

RMS 0.01221

**BDK** 40 30 QED spectrum normalized to one event 20 10 00 0.01 0.02 0.08 0.09 **Transverse Momentum [GeV]** 

high rate at very low momentum (  $\sim 5 - 20 \text{ MeV}$  )



Taken background events consist of

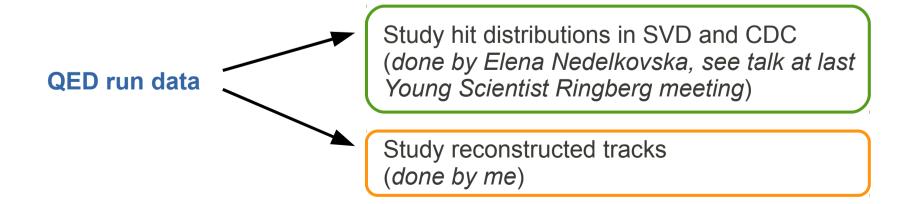
- B physics (few)
- Machine background
- QED

Scales with luminosity

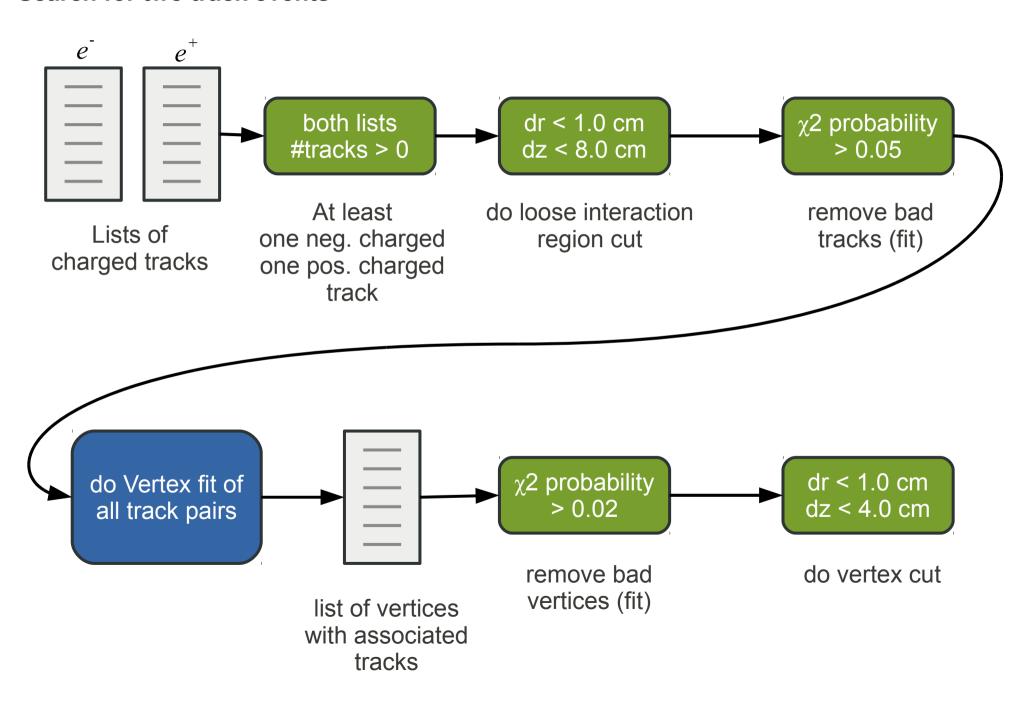


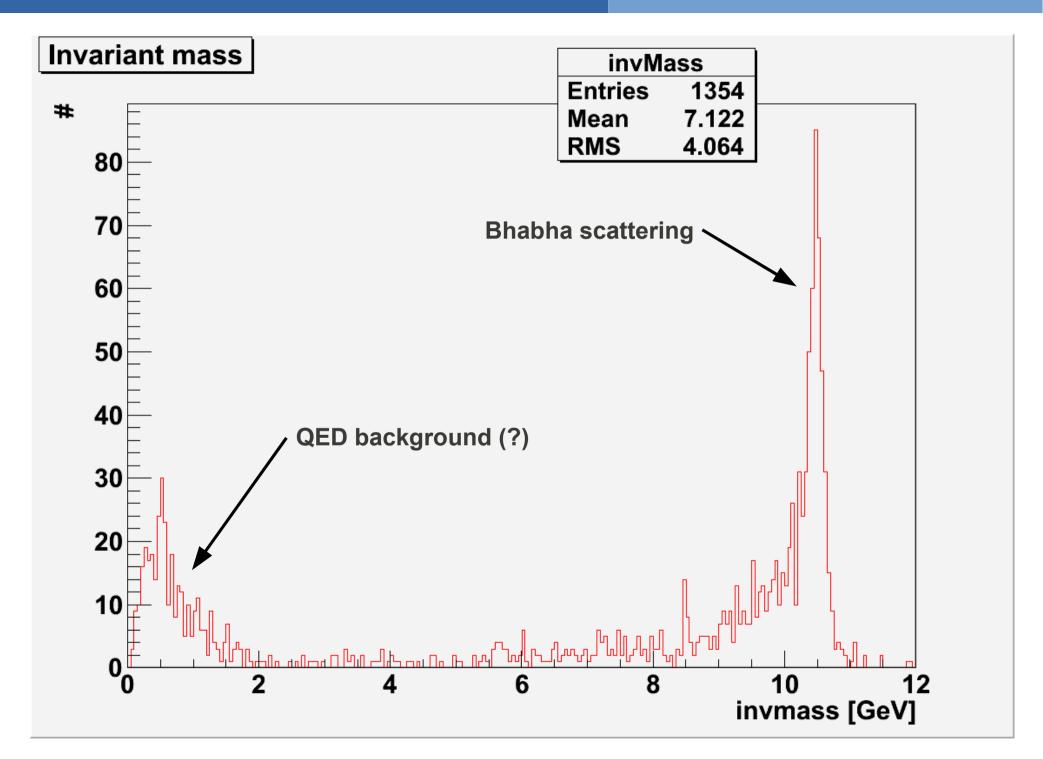
Take runs with varying luminosity to subtract machine background

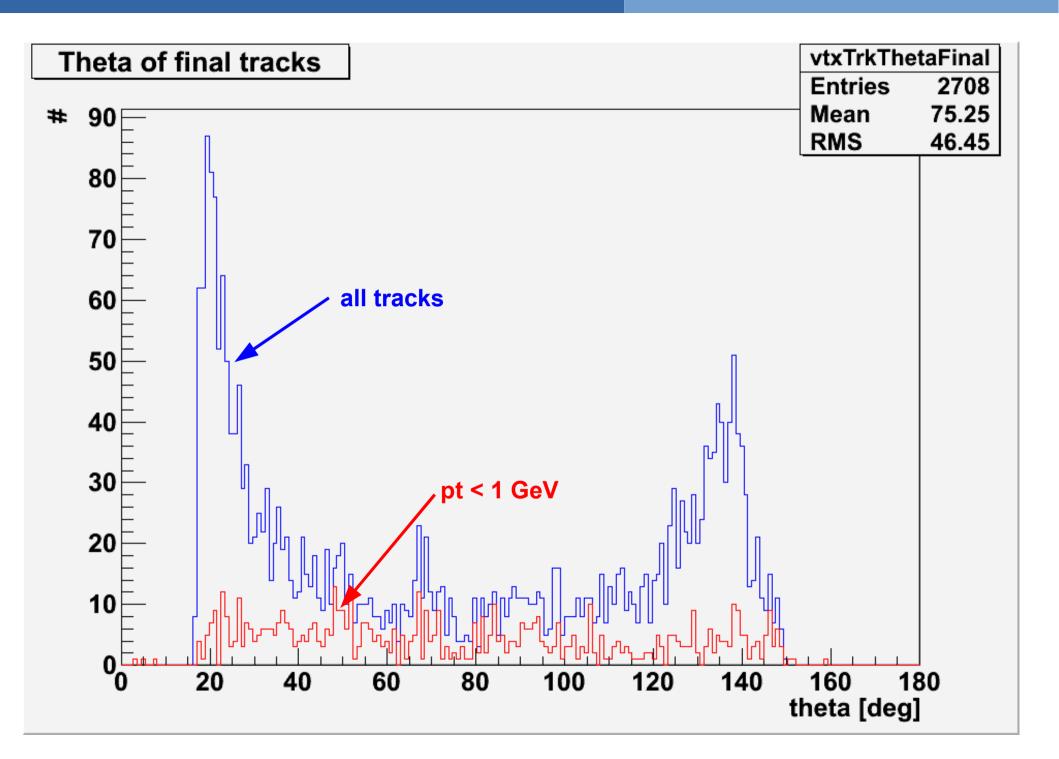
#### **Analysis follows two paths:**



#### Search for two track events







## Machine background

**Touschek** 

Touschek is a single Coulomb scattering effect of two particles



Transforms a small transverse momentum into a large longitudinal momentum



Particles leave the nominal beam orbit



If energy deviation of the particles leads to violation of accelerator parameters both particles are lost!



Reduces beam lifetime

Rate of Touschek scattering

is proportional to E<sup>-3</sup> (E beam energy) scales linearly with the bunch dimensions

#### SuperKEKB:



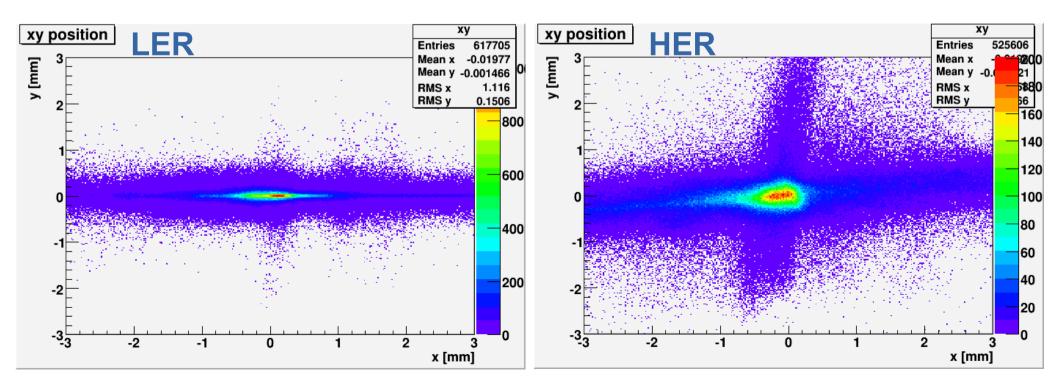
Very small beams

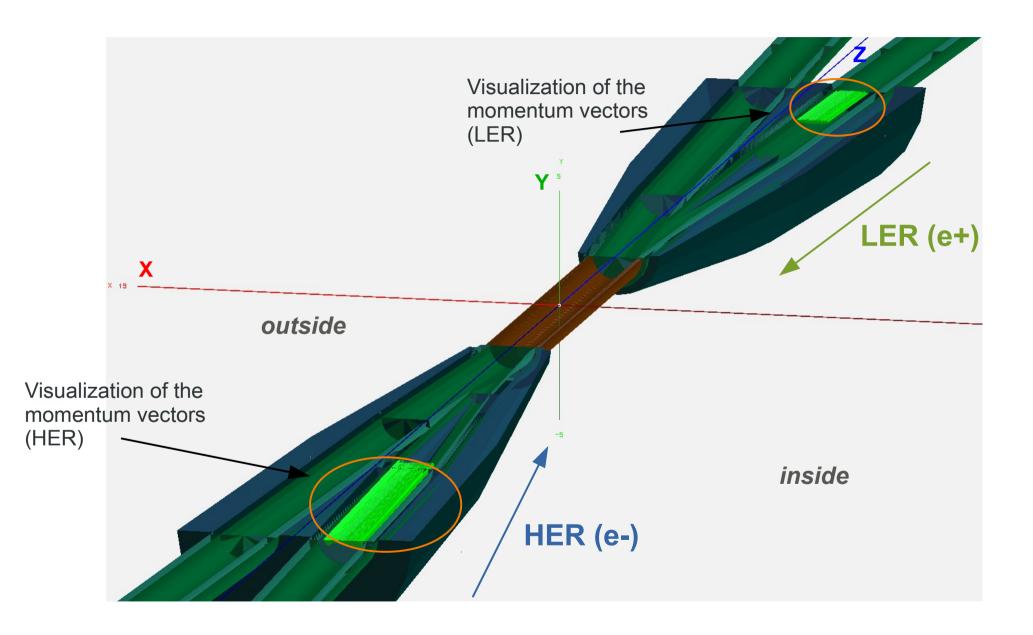
horizontal beam size  $10.2 \mu m$  (LER),  $7.75 \mu m$  (HER) vertical beam size 59 nm (LER), 59 nm (HER)

Touschek is the main source of background at Belle II

First Touschek background events were simulated:

- KEKB beam parameters and magnetic field
- Scattering positions were taken **randomly** along the ring (equally distributed)
- Particle was transported through the magnetic field of the ring
- Particles leaving the ring or hitting slits were removed
- Particle flux at **±50cm** from the IP was written out
  - Particles lost: LER 39 %, HER 48 %

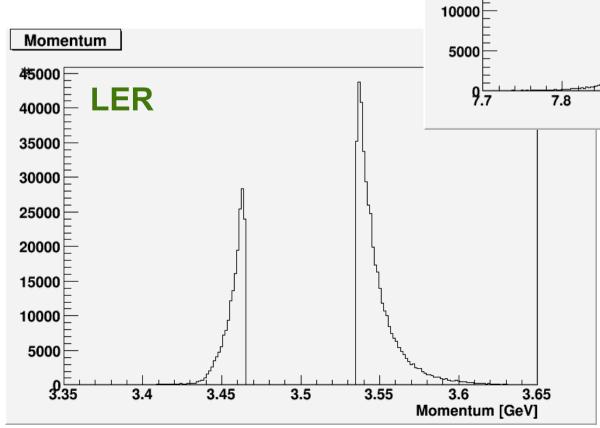


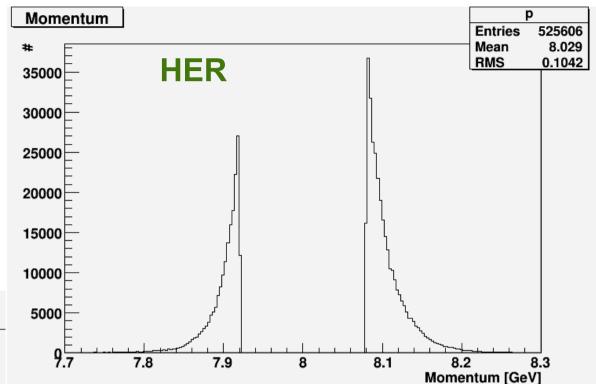


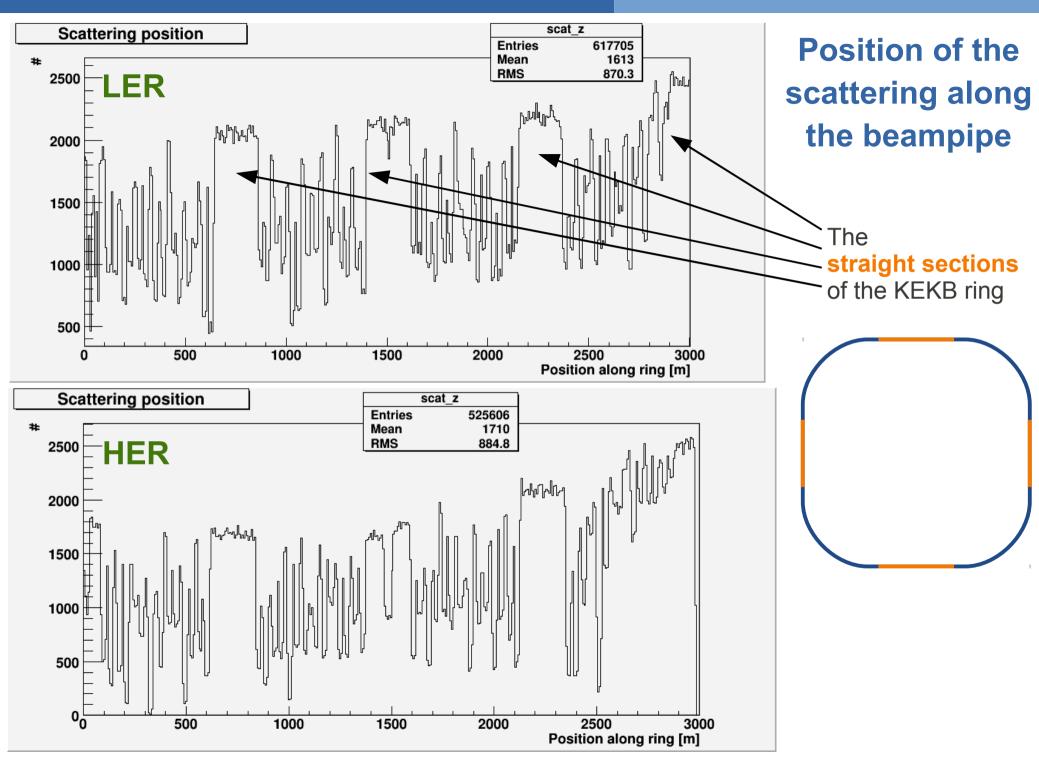
#### **Momentum**

The momentum of the particle is increased/decreased by at least 1% of its nominal energy

Gap around nominal energy







- The Belle Experiment and CP Violation
- Upgrade of the accelerator requires new background studies
- Two types of background: machine and luminosity related
- QED background track studies started. Next step: compare data to MonteCarlo
- Touschek background

Dominating background at Belle II

Next step: Simulate Touschek with SuperKEKB parameter



## Backup

Things I couldn't show

