



# Symmetries

## CP Violation

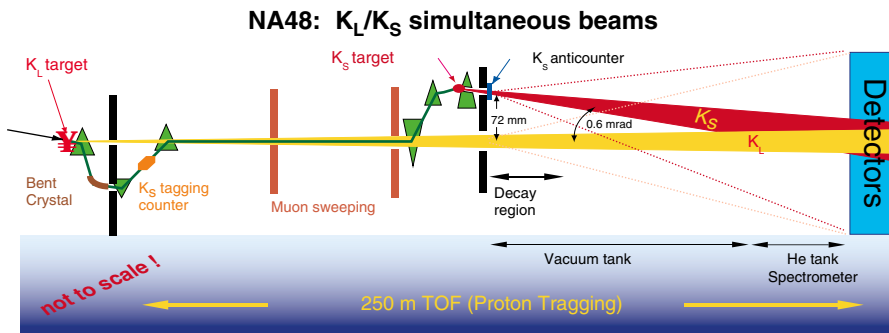
### NA 48 - CP Violation in $K_L$ Decay

The aim of the NA48 experiment is a measurement of the direct CP-violation parameter  $\epsilon'/\epsilon$  by a determination of the double ratio  $R$ :

$$R = \frac{\Gamma(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) / \Gamma(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)}{\Gamma(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) / \Gamma(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)} \approx 1 - 6 \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{\epsilon'}{\epsilon}\right)$$

To achieve an overall accuracy of  $2 \cdot 10^{-4}$  on  $\epsilon'/\epsilon$ , an intense double neutral beam is used to produce long-lived and short-lived neutral kaons,  $K_L$  and  $K_S$ , in the same fiducial volume. Their decays are recorded simultaneously with a magnetic spectrometer and a liquid-Krypton electromagnetic calorimeter. The identification of a decay as originating from  $K_S$  or  $K_L$  is done by tagging the protons which are directed onto the  $K_S$  target.

Since 1997, the experiment has recorded more than two million  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$  decays. A preliminary result, based on this data set (roughly 10 % of the total statistics), is  $\epsilon'/\epsilon = (18.5 \pm 4.5_{\text{stat}} \pm 5.8_{\text{sys}}) \cdot 10^{-4}$ , favouring a large value for  $\epsilon'/\epsilon$  and signalling CP violation in the decay of quarks.

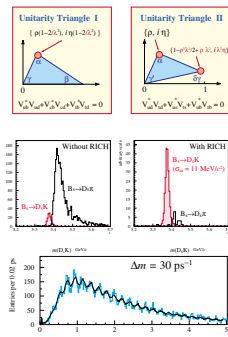


### LHCb - CP Violation in B Decays

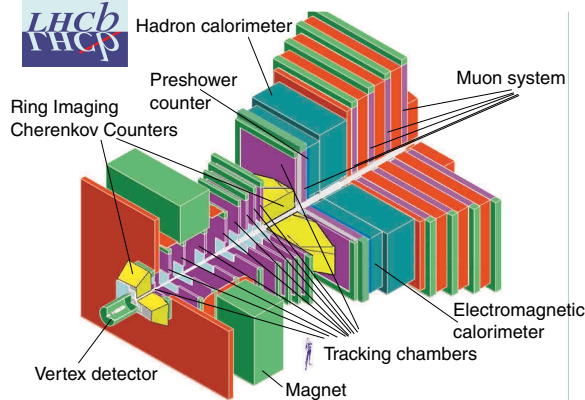
- Magnetic spectrometer (10-300 mrad)
  - Vertex in LHC pp interaction point
  - Luminosity  $L = 2 \cdot 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
  - Flexible trigger optimized for B physics
- Strong Points**
- Particle identification
  - Decay time resolution
  - Invariant mass resolution

#### Physics Performance

CP parameter	Decay mode	No. of events	Uncertainty (after $10^7$ s)	Important detector properties
$\beta \rightarrow \gamma$	$B_d \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$	7 k	$0.03 - 0.16$	Particle ID
$\pi - \alpha$	$B_d \rightarrow D \pi$		$0.07 - 0.38$	
$\beta$	$B_d \rightarrow J/\psi K_S$	55 k	0.01	Trigger
$\gamma$	$B_d \rightarrow D^+ K^-$	0.4 k	$0.07 - 0.31$	Particle ID
$\gamma - 2\beta$	$B_s \rightarrow D^+ K^-$	2.4 k	$0.05 - 0.28$	Particle ID
$\delta \gamma$	$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$	44 k	0.01	$\alpha$ (decay time)
<b>B<sub>s</sub> Mixing</b>				
$x_s$	$B_s \rightarrow D_s \pi$	120 k	up to $x_s = 75$	$\alpha$ (decay time)
<b>Rare Decays</b>				
BR no. evts	$B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu$		$< 2 \cdot 10^{-9}$	$\alpha$ (decay time)
	$B_d \rightarrow K^* \gamma$	26 k		high $E_T$ trigger



### The LHCb Detector



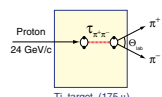
## Chiral QCD

### DIRAC

#### DI-meson Relativistic Atomic Complexes

The aim of the DIRAC experiment is the measurement of the difference of the pion scattering lengths  $|a_0 - a_1|$ , from the lifetime of the  $(\pi\pi)$  Atom. The  $\pi\pi$  scattering lengths can be predicted from Chiral Perturbation Theory to 2 loops approximation:

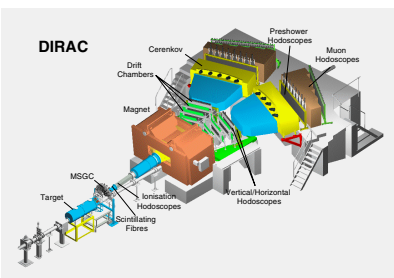
$$|a_0 - a_1| = 0.258 \pm 5\% \quad (\text{Gasser et al., Stern et al.})$$



#### Signature of $\pi\pi$ atoms:

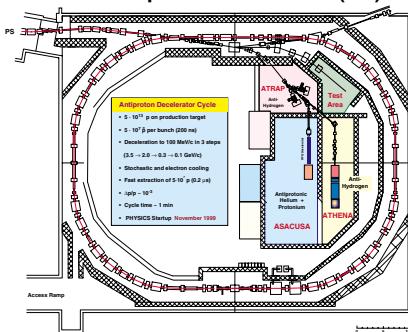
- Low relative c.m.s. momentum:  $q_{\text{rel}}^{\text{c.m.s.}} < 3 \text{ MeV/c}$
- Low opening angle in lab:  $\theta_{\text{lab}} \leq 0.35 \text{ mrad}$
- Nearly equal energies:  $E_{\pi^+} = E_{\pi^-}$  ( $\pm 0.3\%$ )

30,000 events expected in DIRAC (272±49 obs. at Serpukhov)  
Data taking: Autumn 1998 - 2001

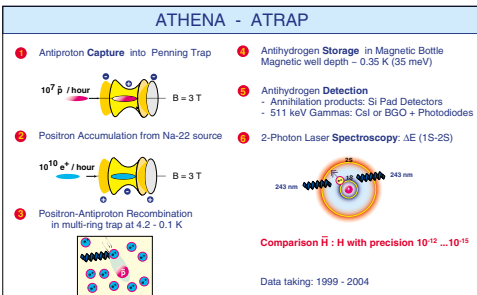


## CPT Tests

### Antiproton Decelerator (AD)



### Antihydrogen Spectroscopy

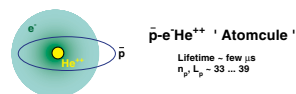


## Exotic Atoms

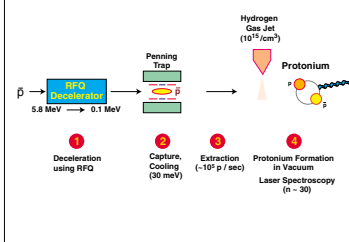
### Antiprotonic Helium and Hydrogen Atoms

#### ASACUSA

This experiment will capture and cool antiprotons from the AD in a Penning trap. The cold antiprotons will then be extracted and brought in contact with either Helium or Hydrogen Gas Cells at very low pressures to produce antiprotonic Helium or antiprotonic Hydrogen Atoms in vacuum. The aim of this experiment is the study of the structure and formation process of antiprotonic atoms. Laser and microwave spectroscopy of  $\bar{p}\text{-He}^+$  and  $\bar{p}\text{-p}$  will allow the precise determination of basic properties of the antiproton like its mass, charge and magnetic moment, as has been shown by the last results of the PS205 experiment at LEAR.



In a second stage, the atomic structure of protonium atoms in high-n (n=30) states will be explored by laser spectroscopy.



# AD - PS - SPS - LHC

