

How Many Completely Reconstructed B Mesons Can We Expect Per Year ?

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Basic Assumptions

One year: 30 fb^{-1} [$\simeq 30$ million B/\bar{B} -pairs, that is, 15 million mesons of each of the following types: B^+ , B^- , B^0 and \bar{B}^0]

Assumed efficiencies: charged track: 0.85
 π^0 : 0.45

J/Ψ are assumed to be reconstructed in the channel $J/\Psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ only (Br=0.06). Assumed efficiency: 0.7, including the effects of tracking and lepton PID.

K_S^0 are assumed to be reconstructed in the channel $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ only (Br=0.6).

$\text{Br}(\rho^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0)=100\%$.

Charmonium Modes

Reconstruction of $K^*(892)^+$:

mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.
$K^*(892)^+ \rightarrow K^0 \pi^+$	50%	9.2%
$K^*(892)^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0$	50%	19.1%
Σ	100%	28.3%

Reconstruction of $\Psi(2S)$:

Only in the channel $\Psi(2S) \rightarrow J/\Psi \pi^+ \pi^-$ (Br=30.2%). Branching ratio \times efficiencies = **0.9%**.

Reconstruction of the B mesons:

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.	reconstr. events / year
B^0/\overline{B}^0	$B^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi K_S^0$	4.4×10^{-4}	8.1×10^{-6}	255
	$B^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi K^+ \pi^-$	1.1×10^{-3}	3.3×10^{-5}	1051
				$\Sigma = 1306$
B^+/B^-	$B^+ \rightarrow J/\Psi K^+$	9.9×10^{-4}	3.5×10^{-5}	1113
	$B^+ \rightarrow J/\Psi K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	1.4×10^{-3}	3.6×10^{-5}	1137
	$B^+ \rightarrow J/\Psi \pi^+$	5.0×10^{-5}	1.8×10^{-6}	56
	$B^+ \rightarrow J/\Psi K^{*+}$	1.47×10^{-3}	1.7×10^{-5}	550
	$B^+ \rightarrow \Psi(2S) K^+$	6.9×10^{-4}	5.3×10^{-6}	166
	$B^+ \rightarrow \Psi(2S) K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	1.9×10^{-3}	1.1×10^{-5}	331
				$\Sigma = 3353$

D Modes

Reconstruction of the D mesons:

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.
$\mathbf{D^+}/\mathbf{D^-}$	$\mathbf{D^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \pi^+$	0.014	0.0051
	$\mathbf{D^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \pi^+ \pi^0$	0.049	0.0073
	$\mathbf{D^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+ \pi^+$	0.09	0.0553
	$\mathbf{D^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^0$	0.064	0.0177
	$\mathbf{D^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	0.035	0.0085
	$\mathbf{D^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	0.027	0.0030
		$\Sigma = 0.237$	$\Sigma = \mathbf{9.7\%}$
$\mathbf{D^0}/\overline{\mathbf{D^0}}$	$\mathbf{D^0} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+$	0.0385	0.0278
	$\mathbf{D^0} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+ \pi^0$	0.139	0.0452
	$\mathbf{D^0} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \pi^+ \pi^-$	0.027	0.0078
	$\mathbf{D^0} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	0.050	0.0064
	$\mathbf{D^0} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+$	0.076	0.0397
	$\mathbf{D^0} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^0$	0.041	0.0096
		$\Sigma = 0.3455$	$\Sigma = \mathbf{13.6\%}$

Reconstruction of the $\mathbf{D_s^+}$ mesons:

mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.
$\mathbf{D_s^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^+} \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+$	4.4%	2.7%
$\mathbf{D_s^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^+} \mathbf{K_S^0}$	1.8%	0.7%
$\mathbf{D_s^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K_S^0} \mathbf{K^-} \pi^+ \pi^+$	2.2%	0.6%
$\mathbf{D_s^+} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	1%	0.6%
$\mathbf{D_s^+} \rightarrow \mathbf{K^+} \pi^+ \pi^-$	1%	0.6%
Σ	10.4%	$\mathbf{5.2\%}$

Reconstruction of the B mesons:

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.	reconstr. events / year
$\mathbf{B^0/\overline{B^0}}$	$\mathbf{B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+}$	$\mathbf{3.0 \times 10^{-3}}$	$\mathbf{2.5 \times 10^{-4}}$	7.8k
	$\mathbf{B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-}$	$\mathbf{8.0 \times 10^{-3}}$	$\mathbf{4.7 \times 10^{-4}}$	15.0k
	$\mathbf{B^0 \rightarrow D^- \rho^+}$	$\mathbf{7.9 \times 10^{-3}}$	$\mathbf{2.9 \times 10^{-4}}$	9.2k
	$\mathbf{B^0 \rightarrow D^- D_s^+}$	$\mathbf{8.0 \times 10^{-3}}$	$\mathbf{4.0 \times 10^{-5}}$	1.3k
				$\Sigma = \mathbf{33.3k}$
$\mathbf{B^+/\overline{B^+}}$	$\mathbf{B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} \pi^+}$	$\mathbf{5.3 \times 10^{-3}}$	$\mathbf{6.1 \times 10^{-4}}$	19.3k
	$\mathbf{B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-}$	1.1%	$\mathbf{9.2 \times 10^{-4}}$	28.9k
	$\mathbf{B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} \rho^+}$	1.34%	$\mathbf{7.0 \times 10^{-4}}$	22.0k
	$\mathbf{B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} D_s^+}$	1.3%	$\mathbf{9.2 \times 10^{-5}}$	2.9k
				$\Sigma = \mathbf{73.1k}$

D* Modes

Reconstruction of the D* mesons:

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.
$\mathbf{D^{*+}/D^{*-}}$	$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0(\rightarrow \text{no } \pi^0) \pi^+$	0.683	0.0437
	$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0(\rightarrow \text{one } \pi^0) \pi^+$	0.683	0.0356
	$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^+(\rightarrow \text{no } \pi^0) \pi^0$	0.306	0.0095
			$\Sigma = \mathbf{8.9\%}$
$\mathbf{D^{*0}/\overline{D^{*0}}}$	$D^{*0} \rightarrow D^0(\rightarrow \text{no } \pi^0) \pi^0$	0.619	0.0210
			$\Sigma = \mathbf{2.1\%}$

Reconstruction of the B mesons:

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.	reconstr. events / year
$\mathbf{B^0/\overline{B^0}}$	$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+$	2.8×10^{-3}	2.1×10^{-4}	6.7k
	$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+ \pi^0$	1.5%	5.1×10^{-4}	16.1k
	$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	7.6×10^{-3}	4.2×10^{-4}	13.1k
	$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	3.4%	8.4×10^{-4}	26.3k
	$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} D_s^+$	9.6×10^{-3}	4.4×10^{-5}	1.4k
				$\Sigma = \mathbf{63.6k}$
$\mathbf{B^+/\overline{B^+}}$	$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} \pi^+$	4.6×10^{-3}	8.2×10^{-5}	2.6k
	$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} \rho^+$	1.55%	1.2×10^{-4}	3.9k
	$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	9.4×10^{-3}	1.2×10^{-4}	3.8k
	$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} D_s^+$	1.2%	1.3×10^{-5}	0.4k
				$\Sigma = \mathbf{10.7k}$

The Potential of Semileptonic Modes

One could try to reconstruct decays of B mesons with one single neutrino in the final state. This neutrino can either stem from the decay of the B meson itself or from the subsequent charm decay.

Assumed lepton PID efficiency: 70%.

Semileptonic B decay:

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.	reconstr. events / year
B^0/\overline{B}^0	$B^0 \rightarrow D^- l^+ \nu_l$	2.0%	1.6×10^{-3}	36k
	$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} l^+ \nu_l$	4.6%	3.5×10^{-3}	77k

An l indicates an e or a μ mode, not a sum over these modes. The total number of reconstructed events is thus $2 \cdot (36k + 77k) = \mathbf{226k}$.

	mode	branching ratio	br. ratio \times eff.	reconstr. events / year
B^+/B^-	$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D}^0 l^+ \nu_l$	1.86 %	2.2×10^{-3}	48k
	$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D}^{*0} l^+ \nu_l$	5.3%	9.5×10^{-4}	21k

An l indicates an e or a μ mode, not a sum over these modes. The total number of reconstructed events is thus $2 \cdot (48k + 21k) = \mathbf{138k}$.

Semileptonic D decay:

Try to reconstruct the D^0/\overline{D}^0 in the additional mode $D^0 \rightarrow K^- l^+ \nu_l$ (Br=3.5%)

\Rightarrow overall D^0/\overline{D}^0 efficiency: 13.6% \rightarrow **17.1%**.

Try to reconstruct the D^+/D^- in the additional mode $D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 l^+ \nu_l$ (Br=3.4%)

\Rightarrow overall D^+/D^- efficiency: 9.7% \rightarrow **11.5%**.

\Rightarrow overall D^{*0}/\overline{D}^{*0} efficiency: 2.1% \rightarrow **2.6%**
 overall D^{*+}/D^{*-} efficiency: 8.9% \rightarrow **11.1%**

Effect on the number of reconstructed $B^0/\overline{B^0}$ mesons:

$B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+$	7.8k	\rightarrow	9.2k
$B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	15.0k	\rightarrow	17.8k
$B^0 \rightarrow D^- \rho^+$	9.2k	\rightarrow	10.9k
$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+$	6.7k	\rightarrow	8.3k
$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+ \pi^0$	16.1k	\rightarrow	20.1k
$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	13.1k	\rightarrow	16.3k
$B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	26.3k	\rightarrow	32.8k
Σ	94.2k	\rightarrow	115.4k

Effect on the number of reconstructed B^+/B^- mesons:

$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} \pi^+$	19.3k	\rightarrow	24.3k
$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	28.9k	\rightarrow	36.3k
$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^0} \rho^+$	22.0k	\rightarrow	27.7k
$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} \pi^+$	2.6k	\rightarrow	3.2k
$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} \rho^+$	3.9k	\rightarrow	4.8k
$B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D^{*0}} \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	3.8k	\rightarrow	4.7k
Σ	80.5k	\rightarrow	101.0k

Summary

	$B^0/\overline{B^0}$	B^+/B^-
Charmonium	1,306	3,353
D	33,300	73,100
D*	63,600	10,700
Σ	98,200	87,200
Semileptonic	226,000	138,000