

Heavy Flavor Averaging Group  
August 2014

Compilation of  $\Lambda_b$  Branching Fractions  
All branching fractions are in units of  $10^{-6}$

In PDG2014      New since PDG2014 (preliminary)      New since PDG2014 (published)

RPP#	Mode	PDG2014 Avg.	CDF	LHCb	New Avg.
21	$p\pi^-$	$4.1 \pm 0.8$	$3.6 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.6$ †		$3.6 \pm 1.0$
22	$pK^-$	$4.9 \pm 0.9$	$5.6 \pm 1.0 \pm 1.0$ †		$5.6 \pm 1.4$
23	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	$10.8 \pm 2.8$	$17.3 \pm 4.2 \pm 5.5$	$9.6 \pm 1.6 \pm 2.5$	$10.8 \pm 2.7$
–	$\overline{K}^0 p\pi^-$	New		<span style="color: red;"><math>12.6 \pm 1.9 \pm 3.6</math> ‡</span>	$12.6 \pm 4.1$
–	$K^0 pK^-$	New		$< 3.5$ ‡	$< 3.5$ ‡
–	$\Lambda\eta'$	New		$< 6.3$ ‡	$< 6.3$ ‡

† Original experimental relative BF multiplied by the best values (PDG2014) of reference BF. The first error is experimental, the second is from reference BF.

‡ Relative BF transformed to absolute.

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Compilation of  $\Xi_b^0$  Branching Fractions  
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RPP#	Mode	PDG2014 Avg.	CDF	LHCb	New Avg.
–	$\overline{K}^0 p\pi^-$	New		$< 1.6$ †	$< 1.6$ †
–	$\overline{K}^0 pK^-$	New		$< 1.1$ †	$< 1.1$ †

† Relative BF transformed to absolute.

The quoted numbers are  $f_{\Xi_b^0}/f_d \times \text{BF}$ .

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Differential Branching Fractions ( $d\mathcal{B}/dq^2$ ) of  $\Lambda_b$  decays

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All branching fractions are in units of  $10^{-7}$

RPP#	Mode	$q^2$ [(GeV/c <sup>2</sup> ) <sup>2</sup> ] †	PDG2014 Avg.	CDF	LHCb	New Avg.
23	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	$< 2.0$	$0.3 \pm 0.5$	$0.15 \pm 2.01 \pm 0.05$	$0.28 \pm 0.38 \pm 0.40$	$0.29 \pm 0.36$
	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	[2.0, 4.3]	$0.34 \pm 0.28$	$1.8 \pm 1.7 \pm 0.6$	$0.31 \pm 0.26 \pm 0.10$	$0.34 \pm 0.20$
	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	[4.3, 8.68]	$0.15 \pm 0.17$	$-0.2 \pm 1.6 \pm 0.1$	$0.15 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.04$	$0.15 \pm 0.12$
	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	[10.09, 12.86]	$0.62 \pm 0.29$	$3.0 \pm 1.5 \pm 1.0$	$0.56 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.20$	$0.62 \pm 0.20$
	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	[14.18, 16.00]	$0.82 \pm 0.30$	$1.0 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.3$	$0.79 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.23$	$0.82 \pm 0.21$
	$\Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$	$> 16.00$	$1.18 \pm 0.34$	$7.0 \pm 1.9 \pm 2.2$	$1.10 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.29$	$1.18 \pm 0.24$

† See the papers for the exact  $q^2 = M^2(\mu^+\mu^-)$  selection.

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