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b-QUARK MASS

The first value is the “running mass” $\overline{m}_b(\mu = \overline{m}_b)$ in the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme, and the second value is the $1S$ mass, which is half the mass of the $\Upsilon(1S)$ in perturbation theory. For a review of different quark mass definitions and their properties, see EL-KHADRA 02. The $1S$ mass is better suited for use in analyzing B decays than the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ mass because it gives a stable perturbative expansion. We have converted masses in other schemes to the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ mass and $1S$ mass using two-loop QCD perturbation theory with $\alpha_s(\mu = \overline{m}_b) = 0.223 \pm 0.008$. The values $4.18^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$ GeV for the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ mass and $4.66^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$ GeV for the $1S$ mass correspond to 4.78 ± 0.06 GeV for the pole mass, using the two-loop conversion formula. A discussion of masses in different schemes can be found in the “Note on Quark Masses.”

<u>$\overline{\text{MS}}$ MASS (GeV)</u>	<u>$1S$ MASS (GeV)</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>
4.18 $^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$	OUR EVALUATION	of $\overline{\text{MS}}$ Mass. See the ideogram below.	
4.66 $^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$	OUR EVALUATION	of $1S$ Mass. See the ideogram below.	
4.197 ± 0.022	4.671 ± 0.024	1 KIYO	16 THEO
4.183 ± 0.037	4.656 ± 0.041	2 ALBERTI	15 THEO
4.193 $^{+0.022}_{-0.035}$	4.667 $^{+0.024}_{-0.039}$	3 BENEKE	15 THEO
4.176 ± 0.023	4.648 ± 0.026	4 DEHNADI	15 THEO
4.07 ± 0.17	4.53 ± 0.19	5 ABRAMOWICZ14A	HERA
4.201 ± 0.043	4.676 ± 0.048	6 AYALA	14A THEO
4.21 ± 0.11	4.69 ± 0.12	7 BERNARDONI	14 LATT
4.169 $\pm 0.002 \pm 0.008$	4.640 $\pm 0.002 \pm 0.009$	8 PENIN	14 THEO
4.166 ± 0.043	4.637 ± 0.048	9 LEE	130 LATT
4.247 ± 0.034	4.727 ± 0.039	10 LUCHA	13 THEO
4.236 ± 0.069	4.715 ± 0.077	11 NARISON	13 THEO
4.213 ± 0.059	4.689 ± 0.066	12 NARISON	13A THEO
4.171 ± 0.009	4.642 ± 0.010	13 BODENSTEIN	12 THEO
4.29 ± 0.14	4.77 ± 0.16	14 DIMOPOUL...	12 LATT
4.235 $\pm 0.003 \pm 0.055$	4.755 $\pm 0.003 \pm 0.058$	15 HOANG	12 THEO
4.177 ± 0.011	4.649 ± 0.012	16 NARISON	12 THEO
4.18 $^{+0.05}_{-0.04}$	4.65 $^{+0.06}_{-0.04}$	17 LASCHKA	11 THEO
4.186 $\pm 0.044 \pm 0.015$	4.659 $\pm 0.050 \pm 0.017$	18 AUBERT	10A BABR
4.164 ± 0.023	4.635 ± 0.026	19 MCNEILE	10 LATT
4.163 ± 0.016	4.633 ± 0.018	20 CHETYRKIN	09 THEO
4.243 ± 0.049	4.723 ± 0.055	21 SCHWANDA	08 BELL

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

4.212±0.032	4.688 ± 0.036	22	NARISON	12	THEO
4.171±0.014	4.642 ± 0.016	23	NARISON	12A	THEO
4.173±0.010	4.645 ± 0.011	24	NARISON	10	THEO
5.26 ±1.2	5.85 ± 1.3	25	ABDALLAH	08D	DLPH
4.42 ±0.06 ±0.08	4.92 ± 0.07 ± 0.09	26	GUZZINI	08	LATT
4.347±0.048±0.08	4.838 ± 0.053 ± 0.09	27	DELLA-MOR...	07	LATT
4.164±0.025	4.635 ± 0.028	28	KUHN	07	THEO
4.19 ±0.40	4.66 ± 0.45	29	ABDALLAH	06D	DLPH
4.205±0.058	4.68 ± 0.06	30	BOUGHEZAL	06	THEO
4.20 ±0.04	4.67 ± 0.04	31	BUCHMUEL...	06	THEO
4.19 ±0.06	4.66 ± 0.07	32	PINEDA	06	THEO
4.4 ±0.3	4.9 ± 0.3	33,34	GRAY	05	LATT
4.22 ±0.06	4.72 ± 0.07	35	AUBERT	04X	THEO
4.17 ±0.03	4.68 ± 0.03	36	BAUER	04	THEO
4.22 ±0.11	4.72 ± 0.12	34,37	HOANG	04	THEO
4.25 ±0.11	4.76 ± 0.12	34,38	MCNEILE	04	LATT
4.22 ±0.09	4.74 ± 0.10	39	BAUER	03	THEO
4.19 ±0.05	4.66 ± 0.05	40	BORDES	03	THEO
4.20 ±0.09	4.67 ± 0.10	41	CORCELLA	03	THEO
4.33 ±0.10	4.84 ± 0.11	34,42	DEDIVITIIS	03	LATT
4.24 ±0.10	4.72 ± 0.11	43	EIDEMULLER	03	THEO
4.207±0.031	4.682 ± 0.035	44	ERLER	03	THEO
4.33 ±0.06 ±0.10	4.82 ± 0.07 ± 0.11	45	MAHMOOD	03	CLEO
4.190±0.032	4.663 ± 0.036	46	BRAMBILLA	02	THEO
4.346±0.070	4.837 ± 0.078	47	PENIN	02	THEO

¹ KIYO 16 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from the $\Upsilon(1S)$ mass at order α_s^3 (N3LO). We have converted this to the 1S scheme.

² ALBERTI 15 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from fits to inclusive $B \rightarrow X_c e \bar{\nu}$ decay. We have converted this to the 1S scheme. They also find $m_b^{\text{kin}}(1 \text{ GeV}) = 4.553 \pm 0.020 \text{ GeV}$.

³ BENEKE 15 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ using sum rules for $e^+ e^- \rightarrow$ hadrons at order N3LO including finite m_c effects. We have converted this to the 1S scheme. They also find $m_b^{\text{PS}}(2 \text{ GeV}) = 4.532^{+0.013}_{-0.039} \text{ GeV}$. When the four-loop conversion between the pole and the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ mass is applied in BENEKE 16, the $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ mass changes to $4.203^{+0.016}_{-0.034} \text{ GeV}$.

⁴ DEHNADI 15 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ using sum rules for $e^+ e^- \rightarrow$ hadrons at order α_s^3 (N3LO), and fitting to both experimental data and lattice results. We have converted this to the 1S scheme.

⁵ ABRAMOWICZ 14A determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b) = 4.07 \pm 0.14^{+0.01+0.05+0.08}_{-0.07-0.00-0.05}$ from the production of b quarks in ep collisions at HERA. The errors due to fitting, modeling, PDF parameterization, and theoretical QCD uncertainties due to the values of α_s , m_c , and the renormalization scale μ have been combined in quadrature. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.

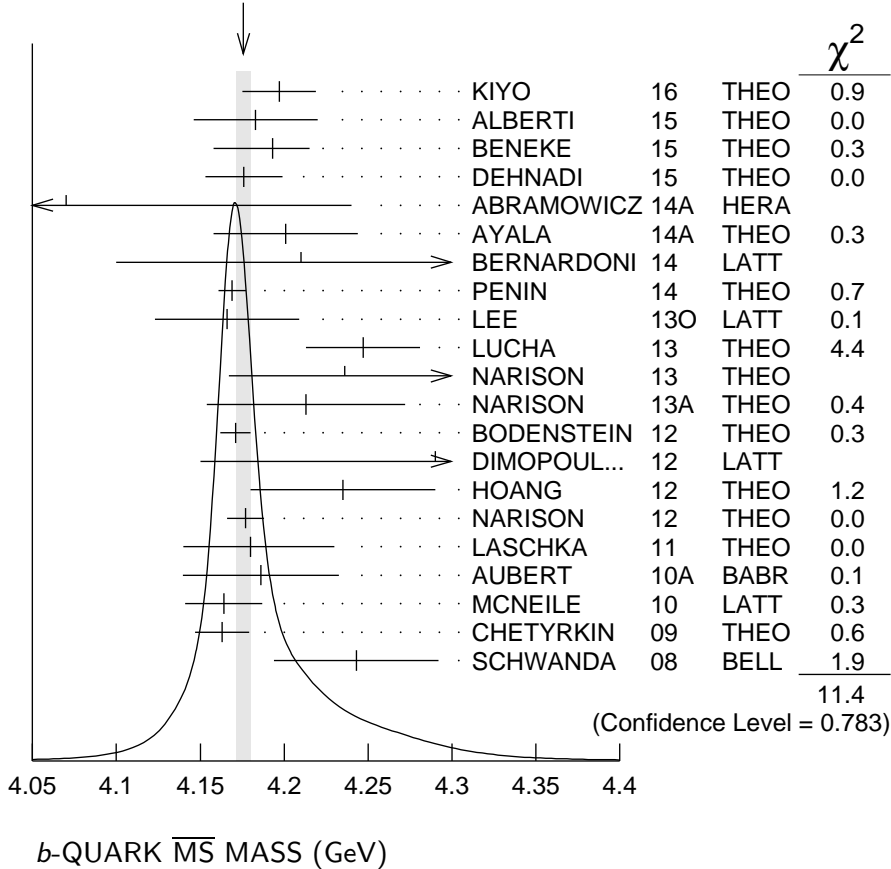
⁶ AYALA 14A determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from the $\Upsilon(1S)$ mass computed to N³LO order in perturbation theory using a renormalon subtracted scheme. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.

⁷ BERNARDONI 14 determine m_b from $N_f = 2$ lattice calculations using heavy quark effective theory non-perturbatively renormalized and matched to QCD at $1/m$ order. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.

- ⁸ PENIN 14 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b) = 4.169 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.002 \pm 0.002$ using an estimate of the order α_s^3 b -quark vacuum polarization function in the threshold region, including finite m_c effects. The errors of ± 0.008 from theoretical uncertainties, and ± 0.002 from α_s have been combined in quadrature. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ⁹ LEE 130 determines m_b using lattice calculations of the Υ and B_s binding energies in NRQCD, including three light dynamical quark flavors. The quark mass shift in NRQCD is determined to order α_s^2 , with partial α_s^3 contributions.
- ¹⁰ LUCHA 13 determines m_b from QCD sum rules for heavy-light currents using the lattice value for f_B of 191.5 ± 7.3 GeV.
- ¹¹ NARISON 13 determines m_b using QCD spectral sum rules to order α_s^2 (NNLO) and including condensates up to dimension 6. We have converted the \overline{MS} value to the 1S scheme.
- ¹² NARISON 13A determines m_b using HQET sum rules to order α_s^2 (NNLO) and the B meson mass and decay constant.
- ¹³ BODENSTEIN 12 determine m_b using sum rules for the vector current correlator and the $e^+e^- \rightarrow Q\overline{Q}$ total cross-section. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ¹⁴ DIMOPOULOS 12 determine quark masses from a lattice computation using $N_f = 2$ dynamical flavors of twisted mass fermions. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ¹⁵ HOANG 12 determine m_b using non-relativistic sum rules for the Υ system at order α_s^2 (NNLO) with renormalization group improvement.
- ¹⁶ Determines m_b to order α_s^3 (N3LO), including the effect of gluon condensates up to dimension eight combining the methods of NARISON 12 and NARISON 12A. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ¹⁷ LASCHKA 11 determine the b mass from the charmonium spectrum. The theoretical computation uses the heavy $Q\overline{Q}$ potential to order $1/m_Q$ obtained by matching the short-distance perturbative result onto lattice QCD result at larger scales. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ¹⁸ AUBERT 10A determine the b - and c -quark masses from a fit to the inclusive decay spectra in semileptonic B decays in the kinetic scheme (and convert it to the \overline{MS} scheme). We have converted this to the 1S scheme.
- ¹⁹ MCNEILE 10 determines m_b by comparing order α_s^3 (N3LO) perturbative results for the pseudo-scalar current to lattice simulations with $N_f = 2+1$ sea-quarks by the HPQCD collaboration. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ²⁰ CHETYRKIN 09 determine m_c and m_b from the $e^+e^- \rightarrow Q\overline{Q}$ cross-section and sum rules, using an order α_s^3 (N3LO) computation of the heavy quark vacuum polarization. We have converted their m_b to the 1S scheme.
- ²¹ SCHWANDA 08 measure moments of the inclusive photon spectrum in $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ decay to determine m_b^{1S} . We have converted this to \overline{MS} scheme.
- ²² NARISON 12 determines m_b using exponential sum rules for the vector current correlator to order α_s^3 , including the effect of gluon condensates up to dimension eight. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ²³ NARISON 12A determines m_b using sum rules for the vector current correlator to order α_s^3 , including the effect of gluon condensates up to dimension eight. We have converted $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ to the 1S scheme.
- ²⁴ NARISON 10 determines m_b from ratios of moments of vector current correlators computed to order α_s^3 and including the dimension-six gluon condensate. These values are taken from the erratum to that reference.
- ²⁵ ABDALLAH 08D determine $\overline{m}_b(M_Z) = 3.76 \pm 1.0$ GeV from a leading order study of four-jet rates at LEP. We have converted this to $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ and m_b^{1S} .

- 26 GUAZZINI 08 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from a quenched lattice simulation of heavy meson masses. The ± 0.08 is an estimate of the quenching error. We have converted these values to the 1S scheme.
- 27 DELLA-MORTE 07 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from a computation of the spin-averaged B meson mass using quenched lattice HQET at order $1/m$. The ± 0.08 is an estimate of the quenching error.
- 28 KUHN 07 determine $\overline{m}_b(\mu = 10 \text{ GeV}) = 3.609 \pm 0.025 \text{ GeV}$ and $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from a four-loop sum-rule computation of the cross-section for $e^+ e^- \rightarrow$ hadrons in the bottom threshold region. We have converted this to the 1S scheme.
- 29 ABDALLAH 06D determine $m_b(M_Z) = 2.85 \pm 0.32 \text{ GeV}$ from Z -decay three-jet events containing a b -quark. We have converted this to $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ and m_b^{1S} .
- 30 BOUGHEZAL 06 \overline{MS} scheme result comes from the first moment of the hadronic production cross-section to order α_s^3 . We have converted it to the 1S scheme.
- 31 BUCHMUELLER 06 determine m_b and m_c by a global fit to inclusive B decay spectra. We have converted this to the 1S scheme.
- 32 PINEDA 06 \overline{MS} scheme result comes from a partial NNLL evaluation (complete at order α_s^2 (NNLO)) of sum rules of the bottom production cross-section in $e^+ e^-$ annihilation. We have converted it to the 1S scheme.
- 33 GRAY 05 determines $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from a lattice computation of the Υ spectrum. The simulations have 2+1 dynamical light flavors. The b quark is implemented using NRQCD.
- 34 We have converted m_b to the 1S scheme.
- 35 AUBERT 04X obtain m_b from a fit to the hadron mass and lepton energy distributions in semileptonic B decay. The paper quotes values in the kinetic scheme. The \overline{MS} value has been provided by the BABAR collaboration, and we have converted this to the 1S scheme.
- 36 BAUER 04 determine m_b , m_c and $m_b - m_c$ by a global fit to inclusive B decay spectra.
- 37 HOANG 04 determines $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from moments at order α_s^2 of the bottom production cross-section in $e^+ e^-$ annihilation.
- 38 MCNEILE 04 use lattice QCD with dynamical light quarks and a static heavy quark to compute the masses of heavy-light mesons.
- 39 BAUER 03 determine the b quark mass by a global fit to B decay observables. The experimental data includes lepton energy and hadron invariant mass moments in semileptonic $B \rightarrow X_c \ell \nu_\ell$ decay, and the inclusive photon spectrum in $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ decay. The theoretical expressions used are of order $1/m^3$, and $\alpha_s^2 \beta_0$.
- 40 BORDES 03 determines m_b using QCD finite energy sum rules to order α_s^2 .
- 41 CORCELLA 03 determines \overline{m}_b using sum rules computed to order α_s^2 . Includes charm quark mass effects.
- 42 DEDIVITIIS 03 use a quenched lattice computation of heavy-heavy and heavy-light meson masses.
- 43 EIDEMULLER 03 determines \overline{m}_b and \overline{m}_c using QCD sum rules.
- 44 ERLER 03 determines \overline{m}_b and \overline{m}_c using QCD sum rules. Includes recent BES data.
- 45 MAHMOOD 03 determines m_b^{1S} by a fit to the lepton energy moments in $B \rightarrow X_c \ell \nu_\ell$ decay. The theoretical expressions used are of order $1/m^3$ and $\alpha_s^2 \beta_0$. We have converted their result to the \overline{MS} scheme.
- 46 BRAMBILLA 02 determine $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b)$ from a computation of the $\Upsilon(1S)$ mass to order α_s^4 , including finite m_c corrections. We have converted this to the 1S scheme.
- 47 PENIN 02 determines \overline{m}_b from the spectrum of the Υ system.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE
 4.176 ± 0.004 (Error scaled by 1.0)



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