

Overview of Flavour Physics

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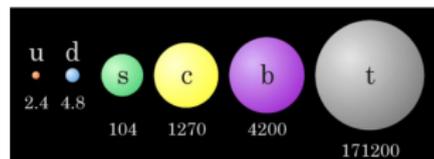
Horizons in Particle Accelerators & Laboratory-based Quantum sensors

Motivation

- Despite its tremendous success, SM can be regarded as a low-energy effective theory of a more fundamental theory
- No direct evidence of NP either in Energy frontier or Intensity frontier
- There are a few open issues, which can not be addressed in the SM
 - Existence of Dark Matter \Rightarrow New weakly interacting particles
 - Non-zero neutrino masses \Rightarrow Right-handed (sterile) neutrinos
 - Observed Baryon Asymmetry of the Universe \Rightarrow Additional CP violating interactions
- It is obvious that SM must be extended.
- So the question is How to go beyond the SM and What is the underlying fundamental theory ?
- Hopefully, Flavour Physics will provide us some light in this direction

Importance of Flavour Physics

- Flavour Physics encompasses many of the open questions of the Standard Model
- Why there are 3-generations of quarks with hierarchical masses



- What determines the hierarchical structure of the CKM matrix

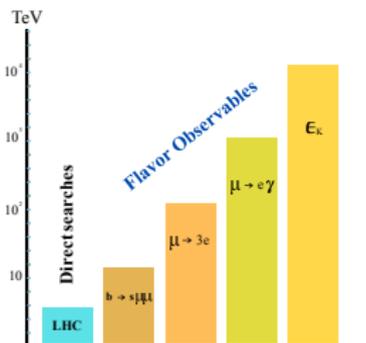
$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- The CKM paradigm explains CP violation but it is really not sufficient to explain the matter-antimatter asymmetry of the Universe.
- Most importantly, Flavour Physics serves as a tool to discover New Physics beyond the SM.

New Physics Prospects with Flavour

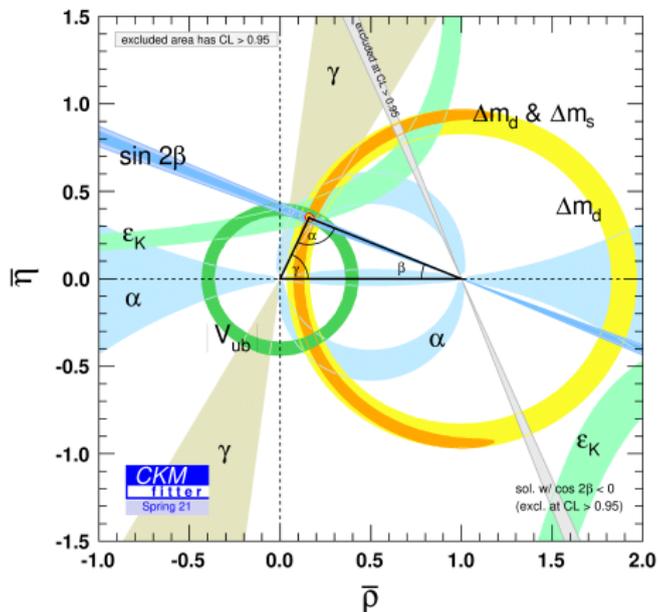
- Searches for NP signature can be performed in two ways
- The first one is through direct production of **New Particles** at colliders
- The second method exploits the presence of **Virtual states** in the decays of SM particles
- Flavour observables are quite sensitive to high energy scales through virtual effects.

- Flavour Physics can probe NP at much higher scale than the direct searches at Colliders

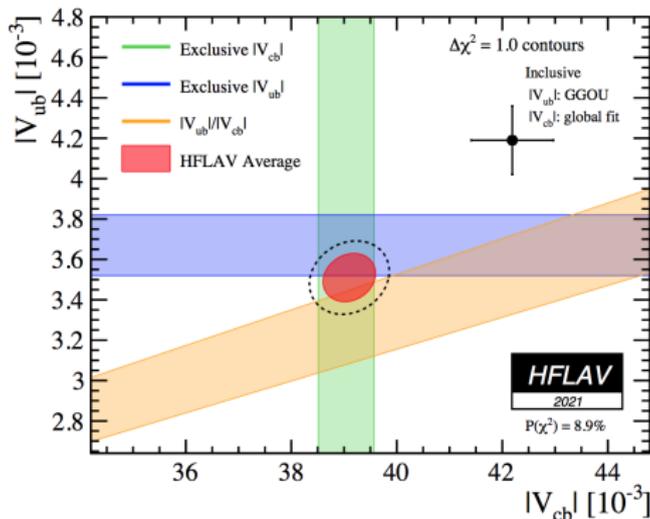


CKM Unitarity Triangle

SM analysis shows very good overall consistency, but still it allows NP $\sim 10\%$



Long-standing Issue Exclusive vs. Inclusive: $|V_{ub}|$ & $|V_{cb}|$

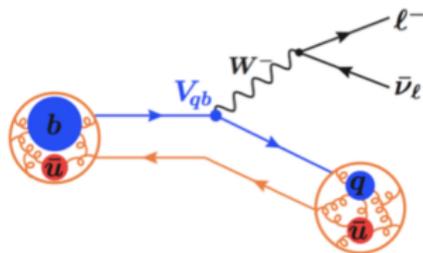


2.8 σ discrepancy between Exclusive vs. Inclusive $|V_{cb}|$ and 1.5 σ between $|V_{ub}|$

Long-standing Issue Exclusive vs. Inclusive: $|V_{ub}|$ & $|V_{cb}|$

- $|V_{qb}|$ determined from semileptonic B decays:

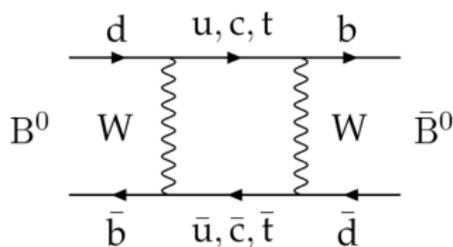
$$d\Gamma \propto G_F^2 |V_{qb}|^2 |L_\mu \langle X \bar{q} \gamma^\mu P_L b | B \rangle|^2$$



- $|V_{cb}|$: Exclusive ($D\ell\nu, D^*\ell\nu$): $(39.09 \pm 0.069) \times 10^{-3}$
 Inclusive ($X_c\ell\nu$): $(42.16 \pm 0.50) \cdot 10^{-3}$ (2.8 σ)
- $|V_{ub}|$: Exclusive ($\pi\ell\nu$): $(3.73 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-3}$
 Inclusive ($X_u\ell\nu$): $(4.19 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.18) \times 10^{-3}$ (1.5 σ)

Mixing in Neutral Mesons

- Neutral mesons (K, D, B, B_s) are created as flavour eigenstates of strong interaction. They can mix through weak interactions



- The time evolution is obtained by

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} P^0(t) \\ \bar{P}^0(t) \end{pmatrix} = \left[\begin{pmatrix} M_{11} & M_{12} \\ M_{12}^* & M_{22} \end{pmatrix} - \frac{i}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \Gamma_{11} & \Gamma_{12} \\ \Gamma_{12}^* & \Gamma_{22} \end{pmatrix} \right] \begin{pmatrix} P^0(t) \\ \bar{P}^0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

- The physical eigenstates are P_L and P_H :

$$|P_{L,H}\rangle = p|P^0\rangle \mp q|\bar{P}^0\rangle, \quad |P_{L,H}(t)\rangle = e^{-i(m_{L,H} - i\Gamma_{L,H}/2)t} |P_{L,H}(t=0)\rangle$$

- The mass and lifetime differences of P_L and P_H :

$$x = \frac{\Delta m}{\Gamma} = \frac{m_H - m_L}{\Gamma}, \quad y = \frac{\Delta \Gamma}{2\Gamma} = \frac{\Gamma_H - \Gamma_L}{2\Gamma}, \quad \text{with } \Gamma = \frac{\Gamma_L + \Gamma_H}{2}$$

CP Violation in Mixing

- This kind of CP violation is the one that was first discovered in the kaon system in the 1960s, and in the B system.
- Let's concentrate on the B system, and consider the final CP state f , which can come from either B^0 and \bar{B}^0 , such that

$$\Gamma(B^0(t) \rightarrow f) = |A_f|^2 e^{-\Gamma t} \left[\frac{1 + |\lambda|^2}{2} + \frac{1 - |\lambda|^2}{2} \cos \Delta M t - \text{Im}(\lambda) \sin \Delta M t \right]$$
$$\Gamma(\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow f) = |A_f|^2 e^{-\Gamma t} \left[\frac{1 + |\lambda|^2}{2} - \frac{1 - |\lambda|^2}{2} \cos \Delta M t + \text{Im}(\lambda) \sin \Delta M t \right]$$

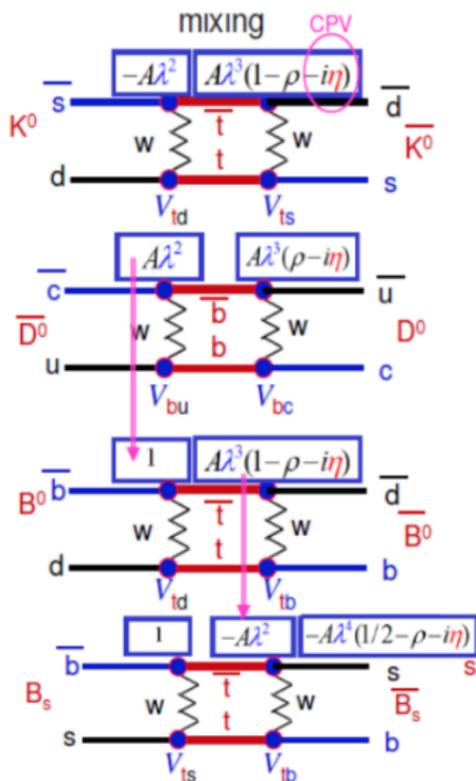
- Thus, one obtains

$$\mathcal{A}_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(B^0(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(B^0(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow f)} = A_{CP}^{dir} \cos(\Delta M t) + A_{CP}^{mix} \sin(\Delta M t)$$

where

$$A_{CP}^{dir}(f) = \frac{1 - |\lambda|^2}{1 + |\lambda|^2}, \quad A_{CP}^{mix}(f) = \frac{-2\text{Im}(\lambda)}{1 + |\lambda|^2}, \quad \lambda = (q/p)(\bar{A}_f/A_f).$$

CP Violation in mixing



slow mixing, small CPV

CPV discovery

KM hypothesis

super slow mixing, very small CPV

long distance diagrams can come into play

good place to look for non-SM CPV,

but SM "background" not well predicted

large mixing, large CPV

good place to test SM CPV

super fast mixing, small CPV

good place to look for non-SM CPV

Mixing and CPV in Neutral Meson system

- The most general effective Hamiltonians for $\Delta F = 2$ processes (with $q_1 q_2 = sd, uc, bq$ for $M = K, D, B_q$)

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{i=5}^5 C_i Q_i^{q_1 q_2} + \sum_{i=1}^3 \tilde{C}_i \tilde{Q}_i^{q_1 q_2}$$

Q_i are the dim-6 operators having the form (e.g. for $B_d - \bar{B}_d$ system)

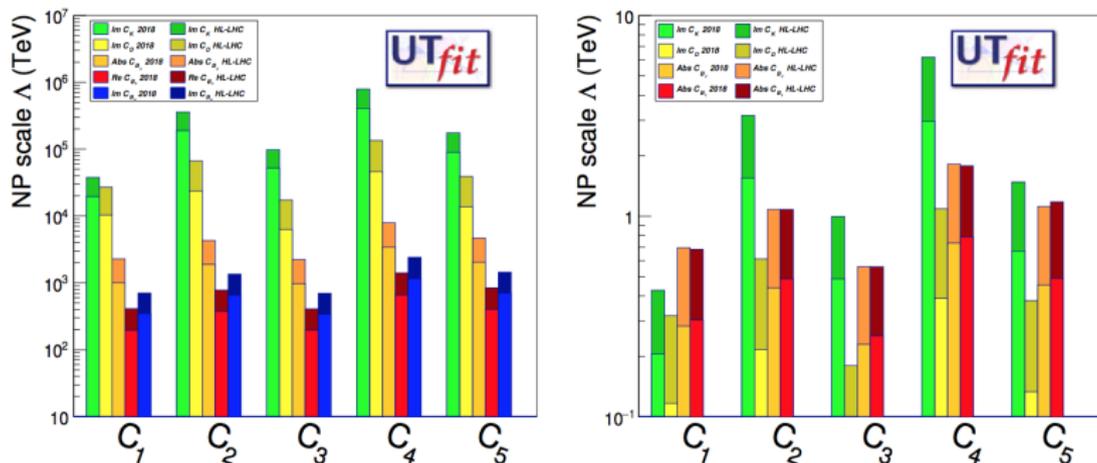
$$Q_1 = (\bar{d}_L^\alpha \gamma_\mu b_L^\alpha)(\bar{d}_L^\beta \gamma^\mu b_L^\beta), \quad Q_2 = (\bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\alpha)(\bar{d}_R^\beta b_L^\beta), \quad Q_3 = (\bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\beta)(\bar{d}_R^\beta b_L^\alpha)$$
$$Q_4 = (\bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\alpha)(\bar{d}_L^\beta b_R^\beta), \quad Q_5 = (\bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\beta)(\bar{d}_L^\beta b_R^\alpha), \quad \text{and } \tilde{Q}_{1,2,3} \xleftrightarrow{L \leftrightarrow R} Q_{1,2,3}$$

- The Wilson coefficients at the NP scale are generally characterised as

$$C_i(\Lambda) = \frac{F_i L_i}{\Lambda^2},$$

- For NP contributing to $M - \bar{M}$ mixing at tree level with $\mathcal{O}(1)$ coupling to SM fermions the flavor and loop factors are: $F_i = L_i = 1$
- For NP effects at loop level: $F_i = V_{tq_1} V_{tq_2}^*$ and $L_i = g_2^2$, g_2 is the weak coupling strength

Present and Future (HL-LHC) constraints on NP scale

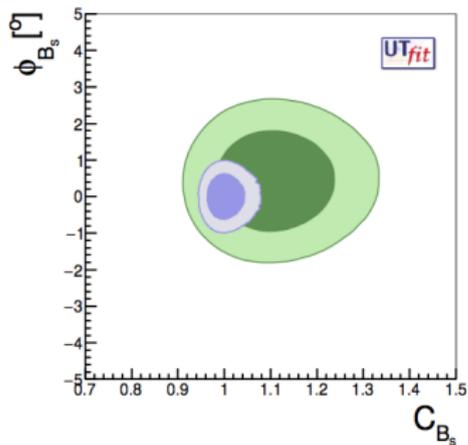
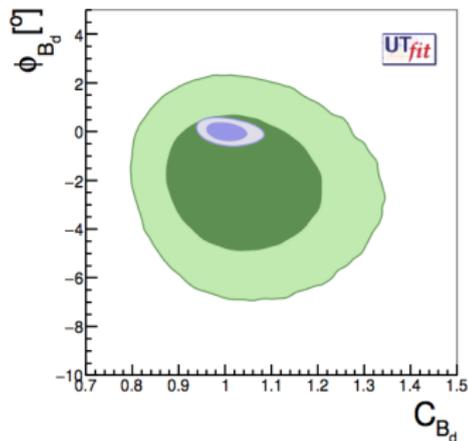


Present (lighter) and future (darker) constraints on NP scale from $\Delta F = 2$ processes. Left panel for NP coupling at tree level, while Right panel for NP coupling at 1-loop level

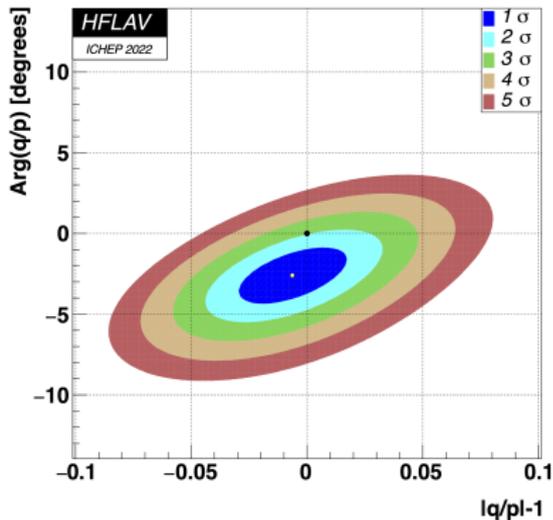
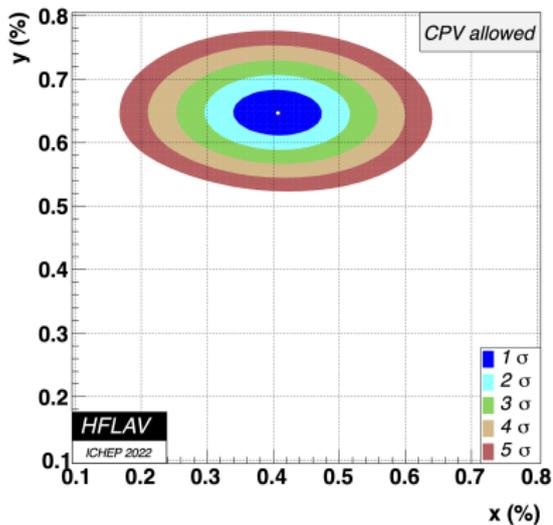
- The contribution of NP to $\Delta F = 2$ transition can be parameterized in a model independent way as

$$C_{B_q} e^{i\phi_{B_q}} = \frac{\langle B_q | \mathcal{H}^{\text{SM+NP}} | \bar{B}_q \rangle}{\langle B_q | \mathcal{H}^{\text{SM}} | \bar{B}_q \rangle}$$

- SM point corresponds to $C_{B_q} = 1$ and $\phi_{B_q} = 0$. Present (green) and future (blue) constraints on NP contributions to $B_q - \bar{B}_q$ mixing



Mixing in Charmed Meson



Mixing in Charm meson is firmly established

CP violation in charm decays

- CP Violation in charm decays has been found almost 20 years after it has been found in B decays.
- CP violation stems mainly from interference of tree and penguin diagrams
- Size of penguin diagrams in B decays is determined mainly by $m_t/m_W > 1$, while in charm decays the size of penguin operator is determined by $m_b/m_W \ll 1$
- Also in charm decays, GIM mechanism is extremely effective, and hence, penguin operators are not relevant in charm decays.
- Direct CP violation charm decays has been first discovered in the combination of CP asymmetries by LHCb (1903.08726):

$$\Delta a_{CP}^{\text{dir}} = a_{CP}^{\text{dir}}(D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-) - a_{CP}^{\text{dir}}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = (-0.161 \pm 0.028)\%.$$

Direct CP violation in charm decays

- Direct CP asymmetries in $D \rightarrow h^- h^+$ process

$$A_{CP}(D^0 \rightarrow h^- h^+) = \frac{\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow h^- h^+) - \Gamma(\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow h^- h^+)}{\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow h^- h^+) + \Gamma(\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow h^- h^+)}$$

- A prominent test of direct CPV in charm is the observable,

$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}(K^- K^+) - A_{CP}(\pi^- \pi^+)$$

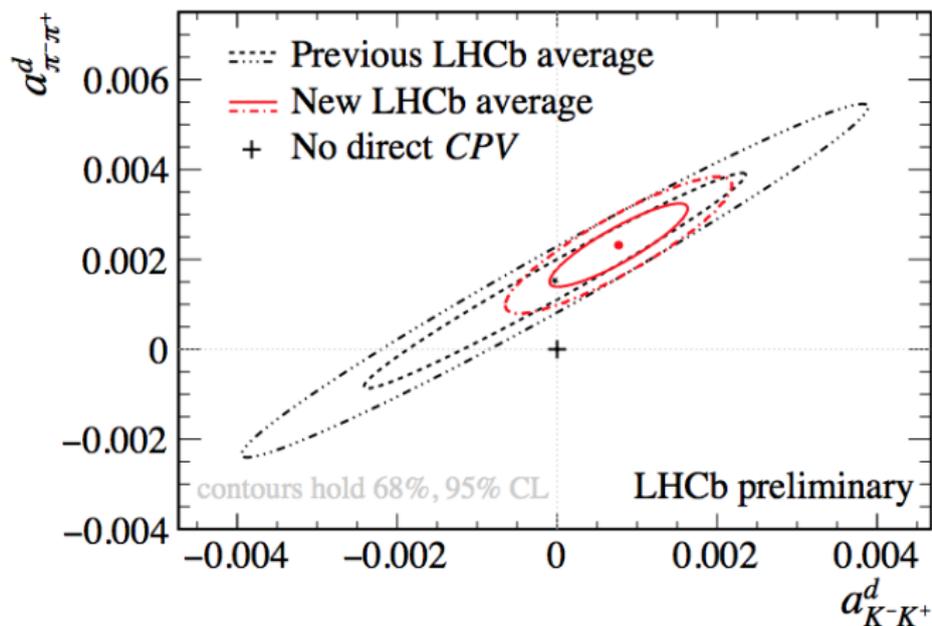
- Direct CPV in $D \rightarrow K^- K^+$ has recently measured by LHCb with 5.7 fb^{-1} data set

$$a_{CP}^{\text{dir}}(D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-) = (7.7 \pm 5.7) \times 10^{-4}$$

- Combination of the measurement of CPV in KK mode with the difference between KK and $\pi\pi$ leads to the first evidence of CPV in $\pi\pi$ mode (3.8σ)

$$a_{CP}^{\text{dir}}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = (23.2 \pm 6.1) \times 10^{-4}$$

Direct CP violation in charm decays



Lepton Flavour Universality a key ingredient of SM

- In the SM, the couplings of the gauge bosons to leptons are independent of the lepton flavour
- Equal couplings of the W and Z bosons to electrons, muons and taus
- Yukawa sector breaks the universality in two ways $\mathcal{L}_{SM} \supset Y_{ij}^{E\tau} \bar{L}_L^i E_R^j H + \text{h.c.}$
In the mass terms $m_e \neq m_\mu \neq m_\tau$ and in Higgs interactions (negligible for flavour physics)
- LFU is enforced in the SM by construction and any violation of it would be a clear sign of physics beyond the SM.
- Over the years, LFU violation has been searched in several other system ($Z \rightarrow \ell\ell$, $W \rightarrow \ell\nu$, $J/\psi \rightarrow \ell\ell$, $\pi \rightarrow \ell\nu$, $K \rightarrow (\pi)\ell\nu$, \dots)
- These measurements provide very strong limit on lepton non-universality in the EW sector.

Quick Recap of Recent Anomalies in B-sector

- However, in last few years there are several measurements, which do not agree with the SM predictions.
- These deviations are not statistically significant enough to claim the discovery of NP. At the same time, they are not weak enough to be completely ignored.
- They may be considered as smoking-gun signals of possible NP.
- Some of these are:
 - $R_{D^{(*)}}$ Anomaly ($b \rightarrow c l \nu$): NP in charged currents
 - $R_{K^{(*)}}$ Anomaly (Hint for Lepton Flavour Non-Universality)
 - Deviations in $b \rightarrow s \mu \mu$: P'_5 , $\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu \mu)$, $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu \mu$ (NP in FCNC transitions)
- These anomalies may guide us how to probe or go beyond the SM

Recent anomalies in the B sector

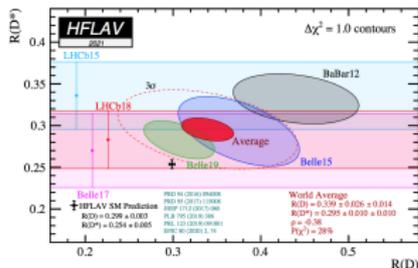
① $R_{D^{(*)}}$

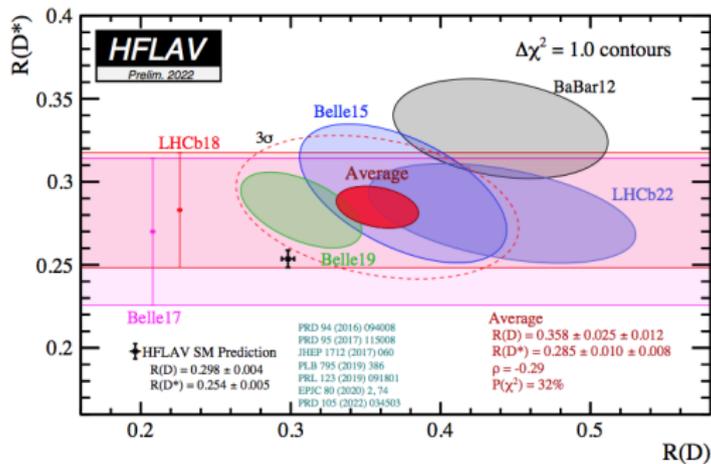
$$R_{D^{(*)}} = \frac{\text{Br}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\text{Br}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell)}, \quad R_{D^{(*)}}^{\text{Expt}} > R_{D^{(*)}}^{\text{SM}}$$

$$R_D^{\text{WA}} = 0.339 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.014, \quad R_{D^*}^{\text{Expt}} = 0.295 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.010$$

$$R_D^{\text{SM}} = 0.299 \pm 0.003, \quad R_{D^*}^{\text{SM}} = 0.258 \pm 0.005.$$

R_D and R_{D^*} exceed SM predictions by 1.4σ and 2.8σ respectively.
Considering $R_D - R_{D^*}$ correlation of -0.38 , the resulting discrepancy is 3.3σ between Expt and SM results.





$R_D = 0.441 \pm 0.060 \pm 0.066$, $R_{D^*} = 0.281 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.024$, $\rho = -0.43$
 New measurement gives 3.2σ discrepancy with SM. Overall agreement between measurements

- About 3σ deviation from SM prediction, seen in 3 different expts with different tagging methods (hadronic and semileptonic).
- Measurements are consistent with e/μ universality $R_D^{\text{Exp}} = 0.995(45)$, $R_{D^*}^{\text{Exp}} = 1.04(5)$
- In addition Belle also has measured

$$P_\tau^{D^*} |^{\text{Expt}} = -0.38 \pm 0.51_{-0.16}^{+0.21}, \quad (\text{SM} : -0.497 \pm 0.01)$$

$$F_L^{D^*} |^{\text{Expt}} = 0.60 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.04, \quad (\text{SM} : 0.46 \pm 0.04) \quad (1.6\sigma \text{ discrepancy})$$

- LHCb result on $R_{J/\psi}$

$$R_{J/\psi} = \frac{BR(B_c \rightarrow J/\psi \tau \nu)}{BR(B_c \rightarrow J/\psi \mu \nu)} = 0.71 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.18$$

has about 2σ deviation from its SM value $R_{J/\psi} = 0.283 \pm 0.048$.

- 10% enhancement of the tau SM amplitude \Rightarrow LUV in $b \rightarrow c \tau \nu$ as

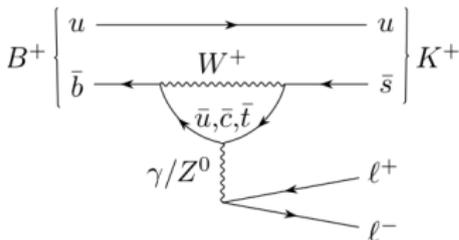
$$\Lambda \simeq 3 \text{ TeV (Tree level NP)} \quad \frac{V_{cb}}{v^2} \text{ vs. } \frac{1}{\Lambda^2}$$

2 $R_{K^{(*)}}$

- Sizable discrepancies ($> 2\sigma$) reported by the LHCb and Belle Collaborations in the ratio $R_{K^{(*)}}$ (FCNC transitions, loop and CKM suppressed in SM)

$$R_{K^{(*)}} = \frac{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu \mu)}{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} e e)}, \quad R_{K^{(*)}}^{\text{Expt}} < R_{K^{(*)}}^{\text{SM}}$$

LNU observable	SM prediction	Expt. value	Deviation
$R_{K^+} _{q^2 \in [1.1, 6.0]}$	1.0003 ± 0.0001	$0.846^{+0.044}_{-0.041}$ (LHCb)	3.1σ
$R_{K_S} _{q^2 \in [1.1, 6.0]}$		$0.66^{+0.20+0.02}_{-0.14-0.04}$ (LHCb)	2σ
$R_{K^{*0}} _{q^2 \in [0.045, 1.1]}$	0.92 ± 0.02	$0.660^{+0.110}_{-0.070} \pm 0.024$ (LHCb)	2.2σ
$R_{K^{*0}} _{q^2 \in [1.1, 6.0]}$	1.00 ± 0.01	$0.685^{+0.113}_{-0.007} \pm 0.047$ (LHCb)	2.4σ
$R_{K^{*+}} _{q^2 \in [1.1, 6.0]}$		$0.70^{+0.18+0.03}_{-0.13-0.04}$ (LHCb)	2σ



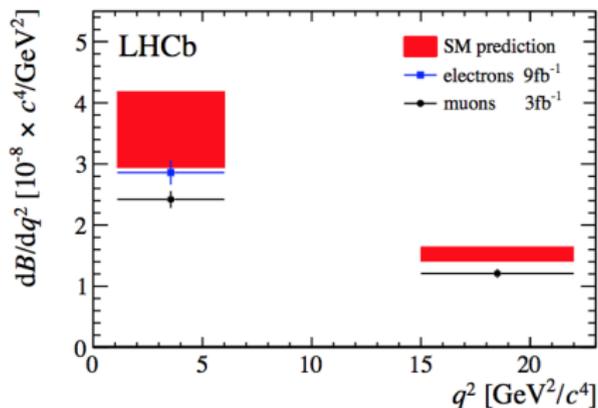
Branching Ratios

- The differential Branching fraction (JHEP 06, 135 (2014))

$$\frac{d\text{Br}}{dq^2}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm e^+ e^-) = \left(28.6_{-1.4}^{+1.5} \pm 1.3\right) \times 10^{-9} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

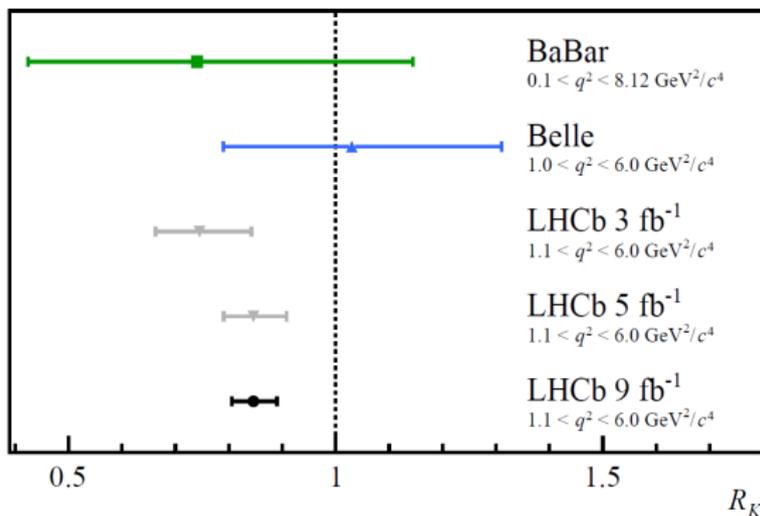
in $(1.1 < q^2 < 6.0 \text{ GeV}^2)$.

- Branching fraction of the electron mode is consistent with the SM prediction



Summary of R_K measurement

- $R_K = 0.846^{+0.044}_{-0.041}$ which shows 3.1σ deviation from SM (LHCb Collab. 2103.11769)

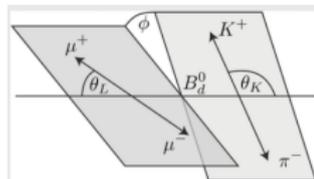


Dynamics for $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$

The decay distribution of $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}(\rightarrow K\pi)\ell\ell$ described by 3 angles $(\theta_l, \theta_K, \phi)$ and q^2

$$\frac{1}{d(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})/dq^2} \frac{d^4(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})}{dq^2 d\vec{\Omega}} = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K + F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l - F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l \right. \\ \left. + S_3 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_l \cos 2\phi + S_4 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \cos \phi \right. \\ \left. + S_5 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_l \cos \phi + \frac{4}{3} A_{FB} \sin^2 \theta_K \cos \theta_l \right. \\ \left. + S_7 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_l \sin \phi + S_8 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \sin \phi \right. \\ \left. + S_9 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_l \sin 2\phi \right]$$

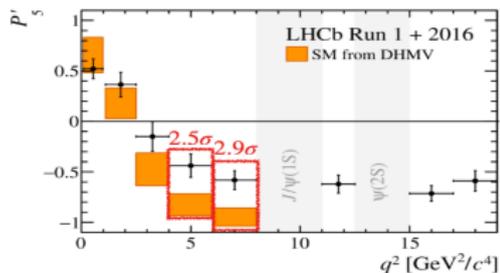
$$P'_{4,5,8} = \frac{S_{4,5,8}}{\sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}}, \quad P'_6 = \frac{S_7}{\sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}}$$



$$\vec{\Omega} = (\cos \theta_l, \cos \theta_K, \phi)$$

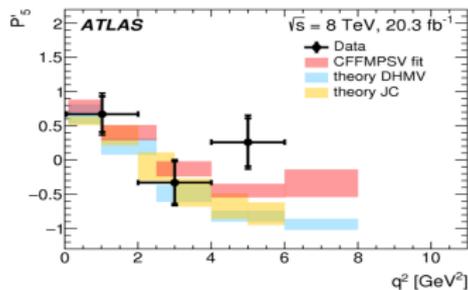
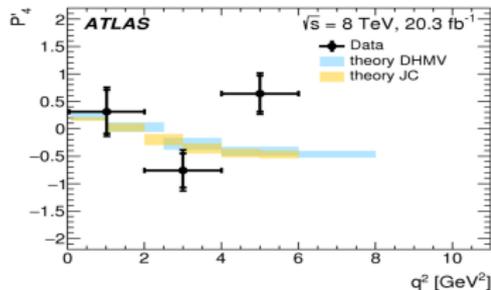
FFI observables in $B \rightarrow K^* \ell \ell$

③ $P'_{4,5}$

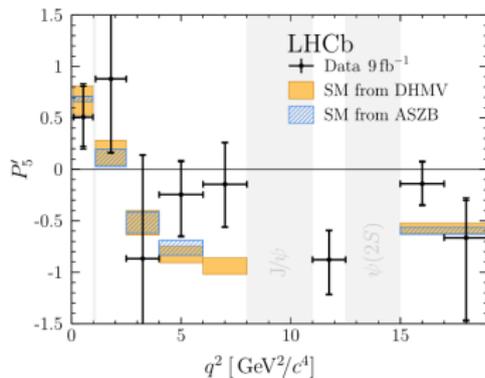
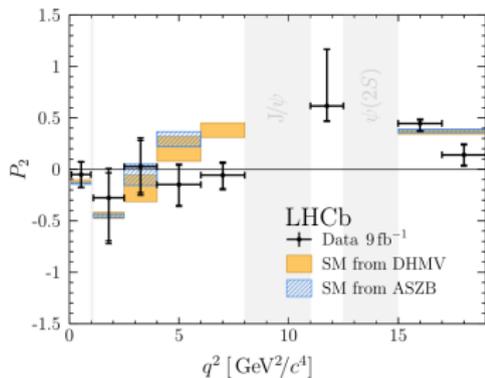


LHCb: PRL **125**, 011802
 (2020)

ATLAS Results show
 $\sim 2.7\sigma$ deviation



FFI Observables in $B^{*+} \rightarrow K^{*+} \mu^+ \mu^-$

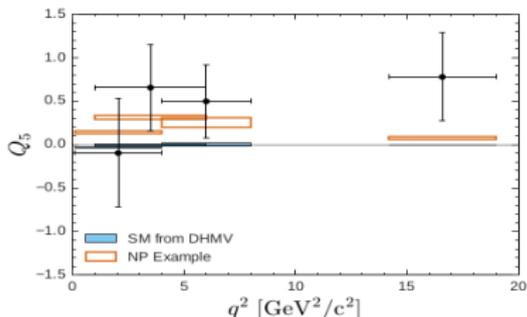
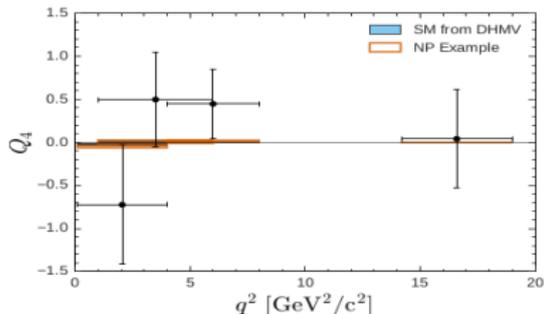


P_2 in [6-8] GeV² bin shows 3.0σ deviation from its SM value, whereas P_5' broadly agrees with the deviation observed in $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$.

LHCb: PRL 126, 161802 (2021)

④ Q_{4,5}

- $Q_i = P_i^{\prime\mu} - P_i^{\prime e}$ Belle: PRL **118**, 111801 (2017)



- Considering 20% deficit in SM muon channel \Rightarrow LUV in $b \rightarrow sll$

$\Lambda \simeq 30$ TeV (Tree level NP)

$$\frac{V_{ts}}{(4\pi)^2 v^2} \text{ vs. } \frac{1}{\Lambda^2}$$

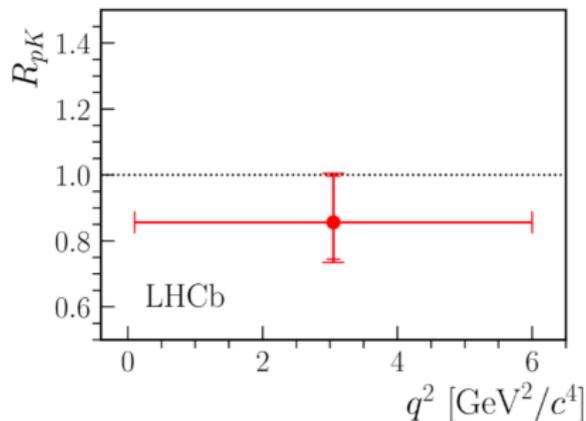
$\Lambda \simeq 3$ TeV (One – loop NP)

$$\frac{V_{ts}}{(4\pi)^2 v^2} \text{ vs. } \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2 \Lambda^2}$$

$R_{pK} : \Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda(1520) \ell^+ \ell^-$

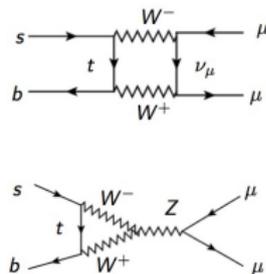
$$R_{pK}^{-1} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- e^+ e^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- J/\psi(\rightarrow e^+ e^-))} \bigg/ \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- J/\psi(\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-))}$$

$R_{pK} = 0.86_{-0.11}^{+0.14} \pm 0.05$ Consistent with SM JHEP 40 (2020)



$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ (2103.13370)

The rare decay $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ is mediated through quark level transition $b \rightarrow s \mu \mu$ and highly suppressed in the SM (loop suppressed, CKM suppressed, helicity suppressed and theoretically very clean)

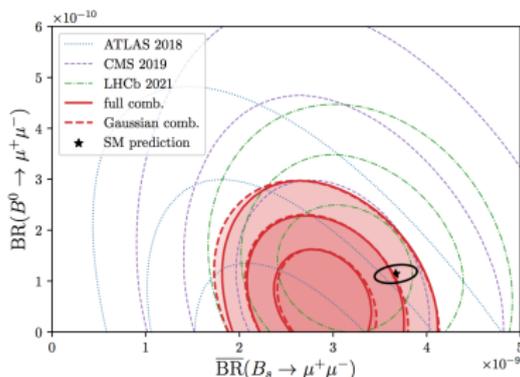


$$\text{Br}(B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu) = (2.93 \pm 0.35) \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\text{Br}(B_d \rightarrow \mu\mu) = (0.56 \pm 0.70) \times 10^{-10},$$

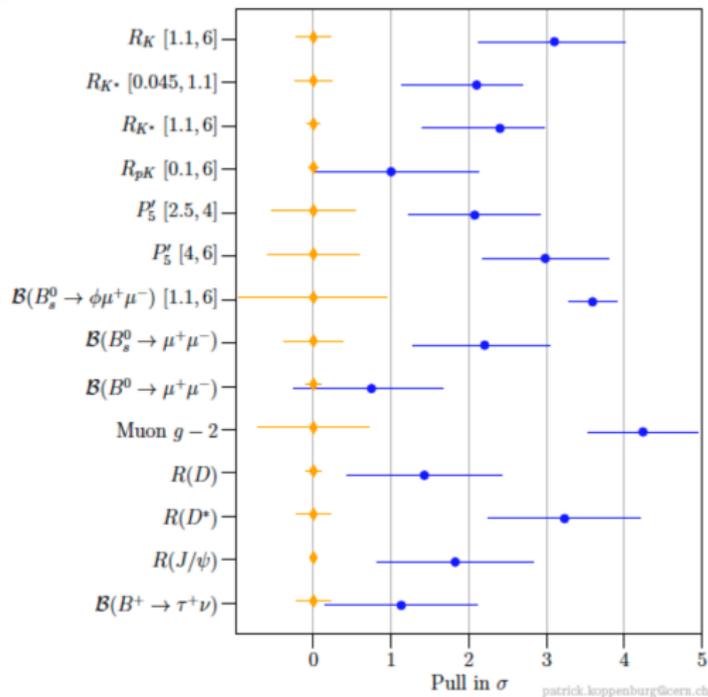
$$\text{Br}(B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu)|_{SM} = (3.67 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\text{Br}(B_d \rightarrow \mu\mu)|_{SM} = (1.14 \pm 0.12) \times 10^{-10}$$



2.3 σ discrepancy with SM

List of Anomalies in Flavour sector



Summary of Observed Anomalies in B decays

Decay Processes	$b \rightarrow c\ell\bar{\nu}_\ell$	$b \rightarrow s\ell^+\ell^-$
Observables	$R_D, R_{D^*}, R_{J/\psi}, F_L^{D^*}, P_\tau^{D^*}$	$R_K, R_{K^*}, P'_5, \mathcal{B}$
SM	Tree level CKM favored	One-loop (FCNC process) GIM suppressed
LFU violation	τ vs. e/μ	μ vs. e
Caveats	τ reconstruction difficult	e reconstruction difficult at LHCb
Advantages	Well-understood theory	Solid theory for $R_{K^{(*)}}$, Some caveats for P'_5 and \mathcal{B}

- Lots of reasons to be excited !
 - Two different sets of anomalies of very different taste
- All combined, the most compelling hints for physics BSM seen so far.

How to address the Anomalies in b sector

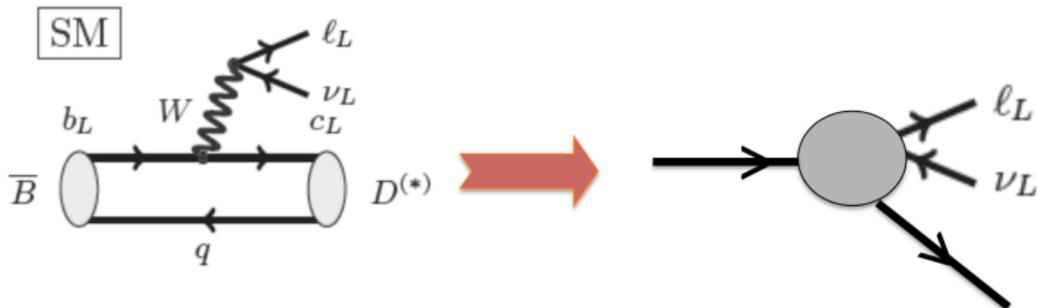
- As seen, the NP scales are quite different for the CC $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$ and NC $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ transitions if the effect of NP is considered at tree level for both the processes. **So tree level contribution with single mediator like W' for $b \rightarrow c$ and Z' for $b \rightarrow s$ will not work.**
- However, if NP contributions arise at tree level for CC and at loop-level for NC, then the scale could be same for both processes
- **First step: To construct effective Lagrangian which might explain experimental data**
- **Next, to find the new particles which can mimic effective Lagrangian**
- Need to check all other low energy flavour constraints, electroweak observables, including direct searches for NP at LHC
- **Construct the consistent model for NP of your choice !**

Effective Field Theory Approach for $b \rightarrow c\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$

- Most of the EFT analyses assume that NP is present mainly in $b \rightarrow c\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$ transitions
- As there are no signs of LU violation, for electron and muon in $b \rightarrow cl\bar{\nu}_l$ decays

$$R_D^{\mu/e} = \frac{Br(B \rightarrow D\mu\nu)}{Br(B \rightarrow Dev)} = 0.995(45)$$

$$R_{D^*}^{\mu/e} = \frac{Br(B \rightarrow D^*\mu\nu)}{Br(B \rightarrow D^*e\nu)} = 1.04(5)$$



EFT for $b \rightarrow c\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$

NP contributions to $b \rightarrow c\tau\nu$ (over complete set of operators) (1506.08896)

$$\mathcal{H} = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{cb} \mathcal{O}_{V_L} + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \sum_i C_i^{(l, ')} \mathcal{O}_i^{(l, ')}$$

	Operator	Fierz identity	Allowed Current	$\delta\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}$
\mathcal{O}_{V_L}	$(\bar{c}\gamma_\mu P_L b)$	$(\bar{\tau}\gamma^\mu P_L \nu)$	$(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3})_0$	$(g_q \bar{q}_L \tau \gamma^\mu q_L + g_\ell \bar{\ell}_L \tau \gamma^\mu \ell_L) W'_\mu$
\mathcal{O}_{V_R}	$(\bar{c}\gamma_\mu P_R b)$	$(\bar{\tau}\gamma^\mu P_L \nu)$	$\rangle(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{2})_{1/2}$	$(\lambda_d \bar{q}_L d_R \phi + \lambda_u \bar{q}_L u_R i\tau_2 \phi^\dagger + \lambda_\ell \bar{\ell}_L e_R \phi)$
\mathcal{O}_{S_R}	$(\bar{c} P_R b)$	$(\bar{\tau} P_L \nu)$		
\mathcal{O}_{S_L}	$(\bar{c} P_L b)$	$(\bar{\tau} P_L \nu)$		
\mathcal{O}_T	$(\bar{c}\sigma^{\mu\nu} P_L b)$	$(\bar{\tau}\sigma_{\mu\nu} P_L \nu)$		
\mathcal{O}'_{V_L}	$(\bar{\tau}\gamma_\mu P_L b)$	$(\bar{c}\gamma^\mu P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{V_L}$	$(\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{3})_{2/3}$	$\lambda \bar{q}_L \tau \gamma_\mu \ell_L U^\mu$
\mathcal{O}'_{V_R}	$(\bar{\tau}\gamma_\mu P_R b)$	$(\bar{c}\gamma^\mu P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -2\mathcal{O}_{S_R}$	$\rangle(\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1})_{2/3}$	$(\lambda \bar{q}_L \gamma_\mu \ell_L + \bar{\lambda} \bar{d}_R \gamma_\mu e_R) U^\mu$
\mathcal{O}'_{S_R}	$(\bar{\tau} P_R b)$	$(\bar{c} P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -\frac{1}{2}\mathcal{O}_{V_R}$		
\mathcal{O}'_{S_L}	$(\bar{\tau} P_L b)$	$(\bar{c} P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -\frac{1}{2}\mathcal{O}_{S_L} - \frac{1}{8}\mathcal{O}_T$	$(\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{2})_{7/6}$	$(\lambda \bar{u}_R \ell_L + \bar{\lambda} \bar{q}_L i\tau_2 e_R) R$
\mathcal{O}'_T	$(\bar{\tau}\sigma^{\mu\nu} P_L b)$	$(\bar{c}\sigma_{\mu\nu} P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -6\mathcal{O}_{S_L} + \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{O}_T$		
\mathcal{O}''_{V_L}	$(\bar{\tau}\gamma_\mu P_L c^c)$	$(\bar{b}^c \gamma^\mu P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -\mathcal{O}_{V_R}$	$(\bar{\mathbf{3}}, \mathbf{2})_{5/3}$	$(\lambda \bar{d}_R^c \gamma_\mu \ell_L + \bar{\lambda} \bar{q}_L^c \gamma_\mu e_R) V^\mu$
\mathcal{O}''_{V_R}	$(\bar{\tau}\gamma_\mu P_R c^c)$	$(\bar{b}^c \gamma^\mu P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -2\mathcal{O}_{S_R}$		
\mathcal{O}''_{S_R}	$(\bar{\tau} P_R c^c)$	$(\bar{b}^c P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{O}_{V_L}$	$(\bar{\mathbf{3}}, \mathbf{3})_{1/3}$	$\lambda \bar{q}_L^c i\tau_2 \tau \ell_L \mathbf{S}$
\mathcal{O}''_{S_L}	$(\bar{\tau} P_L c^c)$	$(\bar{b}^c P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -\frac{1}{2}\mathcal{O}_{S_L} + \frac{1}{8}\mathcal{O}_T$	$\rangle(\bar{\mathbf{3}}, \mathbf{1})_{1/3}$	$(\lambda \bar{q}_L^c i\tau_2 \ell_L + \bar{\lambda} \bar{u}_R^c e_R) S$
\mathcal{O}''_T	$(\bar{\tau}\sigma^{\mu\nu} P_L c^c)$	$(\bar{b}^c \sigma_{\mu\nu} P_L \nu) \leftrightarrow -6\mathcal{O}_{S_L} - \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{O}_T$		

Global Fit to NP Couplings

- Global fits are performed by various groups including the measurements on R_D , R_{D^*} , q^2 differential distribution, $F_L^{D^*}$, $\mathcal{B}(B_c \rightarrow \tau\nu)$.

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In addition to global minima there are also local minima.

	Min 1b	Min 2b	Min 1b	Min 2b
$\mathcal{B}(B_c \rightarrow \tau\nu)$	10%		30%	
$\chi^2_{\min}/\text{d.o.f.}$	37.6/54	42.1/54	37.6/54	42.0/54
C_{V_L}	$0.14^{+0.14}_{-0.12}$	$0.41^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$	$0.14^{+0.14}_{-0.14}$	$0.40^{+0.06}_{-0.07}$
C_{S_R}	$0.09^{+0.14}_{-0.52}$	$-1.15^{+0.18}_{-0.09}$	$0.09^{+0.33}_{-0.56}$	$-1.34^{+0.57}_{-0.08}$
C_{S_L}	$-0.09^{+0.52}_{-0.11}$	$-0.34^{+0.13}_{-0.19}$	$-0.09^{+0.68}_{-0.21}$	$-0.18^{+0.13}_{-0.57}$
C_T	$0.02^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$	$0.12^{+0.04}_{-0.04}$	$0.02^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$	$0.11^{+0.03}_{-0.04}$

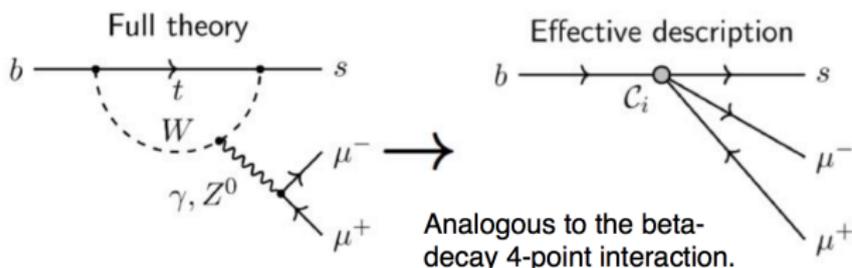
Bottom line

- \mathcal{O}_{V_L} has the same Lorentz structure as SM hence R_D and R_{D^*} proportional to $(1 + C_{V_L})^2$: Preferred scenario
- \mathcal{O}_{V_R} : $R_D \propto (1 + C_{V_R})^2$ whereas $R_{D^*} \propto (1 - C_{V_R})^2$, hence not possible to find a common solution to both R_D and R_{D^*} .
- \mathcal{O}_{S_L} and \mathcal{O}_{S_R} predict large branching ratio for $B_c \rightarrow \tau\nu$, hence constrained by B_c lifetime.
- Large value of tensor operator predicts small $F_L^{D^*}$ but provides a decent description to data. However, such operators not easily generated by NP theories at EW scale. In some cases they appear due to RG evolution from EW scale to b quark scale, with strong correlation with scalar operators

Effective Field Theory Approach for $b \rightarrow sll$

- Compared to $b \rightarrow cl\nu_e$, $b \rightarrow sll$ transitions are richer due to large no of observables
- The effective Hamiltonian describing $b \rightarrow sl^+\ell^-$ process

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \left[\sum_{i=1}^6 C_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}_i + \sum_{i=7,9,10,S,P} \left(C_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}_i + C'_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}'_i \right) \right].$$



Grobal-fit Results (1D)

- Good fits obtained along the direction $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$, arises naturally in models obeying $SU(2)_L$ invariance

1D Hyp.	All				LFUV			
	Best fit	$1\sigma/2\sigma$	Pull _{SM}	p-value	Best fit	$1\sigma/2\sigma$	Pull _{SM}	p-value
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	-1.06	$[-1.20, -0.91]$ $[-1.34, -0.76]$	7.0	39.5 %	-0.82	$[-1.06, -0.60]$ $[-1.32, -0.39]$	4.0	36.0 %
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	-0.44	$[-0.52, -0.37]$ $[-0.60, -0.29]$	6.2	22.8 %	-0.37	$[-0.46, -0.29]$ $[-0.55, -0.21]$	4.6	68.0 %
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{9'\mu}$	-1.11	$[-1.25, -0.96]$ $[-1.39, -0.80]$	6.5	28.0 %	-1.61	$[-2.13, -0.96]$ $[-2.54, -0.41]$	3.0	9.3 %
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -3C_{9e}^{\text{NP}}$	-0.89	$[-1.03, -0.75]$ $[-1.17, -0.62]$	6.7	32.2 %	-0.61	$[-0.78, -0.44]$ $[-0.97, -0.29]$	4.0	36.0 %

Best fit values for new WCs: 2104.08921

Grobal-fit Results: 2D & 6D

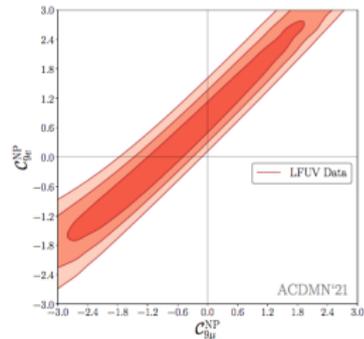
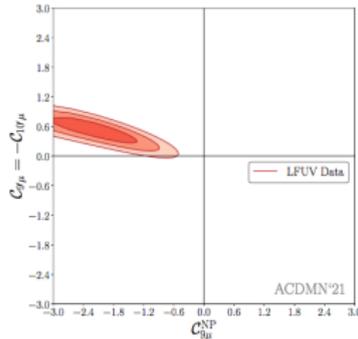
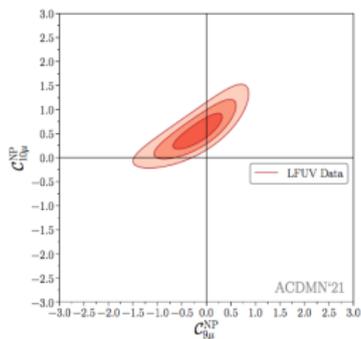
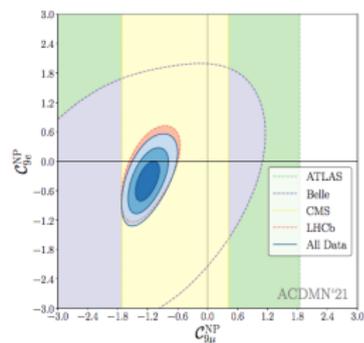
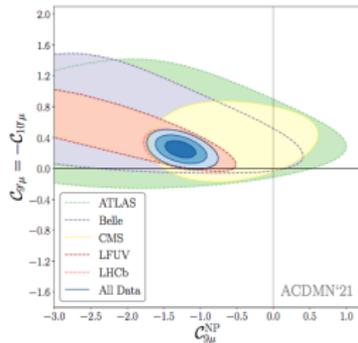
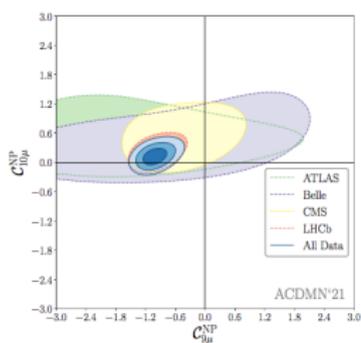
2D Hyp.	All			LFUV		
	Best fit	Pull _{SM}	p-value	Best fit	Pull _{SM}	p-value
$(\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}})$	(-1.00, +0.11)	6.8	39.4 %	(-0.12, +0.54)	4.3	65.6 %
$(\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{7\prime})$	(-1.06, +0.00)	6.7	37.8 %	(-0.82, -0.03)	3.7	32.6 %
$(\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{9\prime\mu})$	(-1.22, +0.56)	7.2	49.8 %	(-1.80, +1.12)	4.1	53.6 %
$(\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{10\prime\mu})$	(-1.26, -0.35)	7.4	55.9 %	(-1.82, -0.59)	4.7	84.1 %
$(\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{9e}^{\text{NP}})$	(-1.20, -0.41)	6.9	41.7 %	(-0.73, +0.08)	3.6	30.3 %

	$\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{NP}}$	$\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	$\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	$\mathcal{C}_{7\prime}$	$\mathcal{C}_{9\prime\mu}$	$\mathcal{C}_{10\prime\mu}$
Best fit	+0.01	-1.21	+0.15	+0.01	+0.37	-0.21
1 σ	[-0.02, +0.04]	[-1.38, -1.01]	[+0.00, +0.34]	[-0.02, +0.03]	[-0.12, +0.80]	[-0.42, +0.02]
2 σ	[-0.04, +0.06]	[-1.52, -0.83]	[-0.11, +0.49]	[-0.03, +0.05]	[-0.51, +1.12]	[-0.60, 0.23]

Pull 6.6 σ

Best fit values for new WCs: 2104.08921

Global-fit Results: 2D

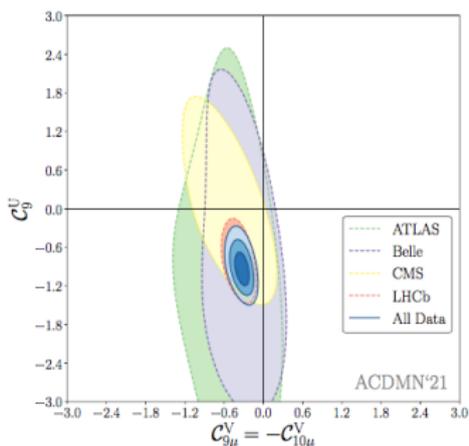


New Physics Contribution to both μ and e channels

- In addition to LFUV NP contribution to C_9^μ , one can also have LFU NP contributions:

$$C_i^e = C_i^U \quad C_{i\mu} = C_i^U + C_i^V \quad (i = 9^{(\prime)}, 10^{(\prime)})$$

$C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$	-0.30	[-0.39, -0.21]	[-0.47, -0.13]	7.3	53.8%
C_9^U	-0.92	[-1.10, -0.72]	[-1.27, -0.51]		



Specific NP models for $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$ and $b \rightarrow c\tau\nu$

1 $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$

- Loop level:
 - Z' + vector-like quarks
 - Leptoquarks
 - 2HDM
- Tree-level mediators:
 - Charged and colored: Scalar or vector Leptoquarks
 - Neutral vectors: Z' : Interesting phenomenological implications

2 $b \rightarrow c\tau\nu$

- Charged Scalars, Charged Gauge Boson (W')
- Colored Bosons (Leptoquarks) \Rightarrow Upon Fierz transformation can provide Scalar/Vector/Tensor operators

Leptoquarks

- Leptoquarks are color triplet bosons that couple to quarks and leptons:

LQ	SM rep	Spin	F=3B+S	Proton decay	$R_{K^{(*)}}$	$R_{D^{(*)}}$
S_1	$(\bar{3}, 1, +1/3)$	0	-2	Yes	Yes	Yes
\bar{S}_1	$(\bar{3}, 1, -2/3)$	0	-2	Yes	No	No
\tilde{S}_1	$(\bar{3}, 1, +4/3)$	0	-2	Yes	No	No
S_3	$(\bar{3}, 3, +1/3)$	0	-2	Yes	Yes	No
R_2	$(3, 2, +7/6)$	0	0	No	Yes	Yes
\tilde{R}_2	$(3, 2, +1/6)$	0	0	No	No	No
U_1	$(3, 1, +2/3)$	1	0	No	Yes	Yes
\bar{U}_1	$(3, 1, -1/3)$	1	0	No	No	No
\tilde{U}_1	$(3, 1, +5/3)$	1	0	No	No	No
U_3	$(3, 3, +2/3)$	1	0	No	Yes	No
V_2	$(\bar{3}, 2, +5/6)$	1	-2	Yes	Yes	No
\tilde{V}_2	$(\bar{3}, 2, -1/6)$	1	-2	Yes	Yes	No

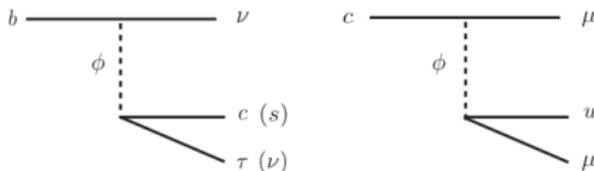
Single Scalar Leptoquark $S_1(3, 1, -1/3) \equiv \phi$: 1511.01900

- Leptoquark can couple to $(L_L Q_L)$ and $e_R u_R$
- An additional discrete symmetry has to be imposed (with L_L and ϕ have opposite parity) to avoid proton decay
- The interaction Lagrangian

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} \supset \bar{Q}^c \lambda^L i \tau_2 L \phi^* + \bar{u}_R^c \lambda^R e_R \phi^* + \text{H.c.} \quad (\text{weak basis}) \\ = \bar{u}_L^c \lambda_{\mu e}^L e_L \phi^* - \bar{d}_L^c \lambda_{d\nu}^L \nu_L \phi^* + \bar{u}_R^c \lambda_{\mu e}^R e_R \phi^* + \text{H.c.} \quad (\text{mass basis}) \end{aligned}$$

- ϕ mediates semileptonic B-meson decays at tree level

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{1}{2M_\phi^2} \left[-\lambda_{u_i l_j}^{L*} \lambda_{b\nu_k}^L \bar{u}_L^i \gamma^\mu b_L \bar{\ell}_L^j \gamma^\mu \nu_k + \lambda_{u_i l_j}^{R*} \lambda_{b\nu_k}^L \left(\bar{u}_R^i b_L \bar{\ell}_R^j \nu_k - \text{Tensor term} \right) \right]$$



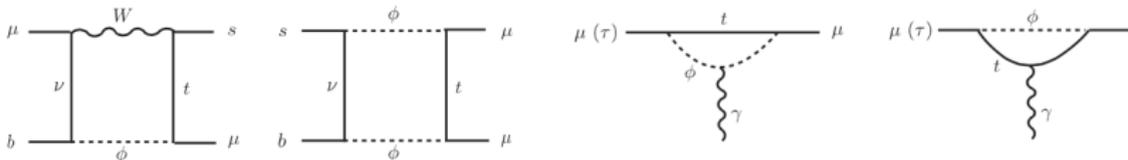
- For a TeV scale LQ, the fit to expt. data on $R_{D^{(*)}}$ gives

$$\lambda_{c\tau}^{L*} \lambda_{b\nu\tau}^L \approx 0.35 \left(\frac{M_\phi}{1 \text{ TeV}} \right)^2, \quad \lambda_{c\tau}^{R*} \lambda_{b\nu\tau}^L \approx -0.03 \left(\frac{M_\phi}{1 \text{ TeV}} \right)^2.$$

- The model also gives tree level FCNC $B \rightarrow K\nu\nu$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu$ (consistent with the present upper bound for suitable choice of couplings)
- The $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$ transition occurs at one-loop level:

$$C_{LL}^\mu = \frac{m_t^2}{8\pi\alpha M_\phi^2} |\lambda_{t\mu}^L|^2 - \frac{1}{64\pi\alpha} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{G_F M_\phi^2} \frac{(\lambda_L \lambda^{L\dagger})_{bs}}{V_{tb} V_{ts}^*} (\lambda_L \lambda^{L\dagger})_{\mu\mu} \Rightarrow (-1.5 < C_{LL}^\mu < -0.7).$$

- The model also explains $(g-2)_\mu$, and $\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$
- Cons: Discrete symmetry is adhoc, Not UV complete, etc..**



Vector LQ $U_1^\mu(3, 1, 2/3)$: 1609.04367, 2004.09464, 1511.06024, ...

- Vector LQ $U_1^\mu(3, 1, 2/3)$ with $Y = 2/3$ and $F = 0$ can mediate $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ and $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$
- The int. Lagrangian of U_1^μ LQs with the SM fermion bilinear in int basis

$$\mathcal{L} = \left(\lambda_{1L}^{ij} \bar{Q}_{iL} \gamma^\mu L_{jL} + \lambda_{1R}^{ij} \bar{d}_{iR} \gamma^\mu l_{jR} \right) U_{1\mu},$$

- Down type quark fields are rotated into the mass basis by the V_{CKM}
- Fierz transformation gives new WC to the $b \rightarrow cT\bar{\nu}$,

$$C_{V_1} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}G_F V_{cb}} \sum_{k=1}^3 V_{k3} \left[\frac{\lambda_{1L}^{2l} \lambda_{1L}^{k3*}}{M_{U_1}^2} \right],$$

- The new WC for $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$

$$C_9^{NP} = -C_{10}^{NP} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{2}G_F V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \alpha} \left[\frac{\lambda_{1L}^{2l} \lambda_{1L}^{k3*}}{M_{U_1}^2} \right]$$

Summary

- Current anomalies $R_{K^{(*)}}$ and $R_{D^{(*)}}$ in semileptonic B meson decays hint towards the violation of **Lepton Flavour Universality**.
- They have huge impact on model building and also in the searches new particle like Leptoquarks and Z' .
- Building a viable model which accommodates the observed B anomalies and consistent with all other measured flavor observables is difficult.
- Models with leptoquarks seem to address the anomalies along with some additional assumptions
- But they do not provide a clear picture of an UV complete model.

Thank you for your attention!