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Lepton flavor nonuniversality in $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ processes

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Outline

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- Model independent analysis
- Right-handed x left-handed(RL) and leptoquark implementation
- Additional observables and LFV

Introduction

LHCb measured

$$R_K = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^-)_{q^2 \in [1,6] \text{ GeV}^2}}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K e^+ e^-)_{q^2 \in [1,6] \text{ GeV}^2}} = 0.745 \pm_{0.074}^{0.090} \pm 0.036 \quad [\text{LHCb1406.6482}]$$

2.6 σ departure from Lepton flavor universality (LFU), $R_K = 1$

LFU was first observed experimentally in the framework of Fermi theory

$$G_F^e \approx G_F^\mu$$

LFU predicted in the SM on the level of gauge couplings. Broken only by lepton Yukawas

$$\frac{g}{\cos \theta_W} \gamma^\mu \frac{1}{2} (C_V^f - C_A^f \gamma^5), \quad \begin{aligned} C_V^\ell &= -1 \\ C_A^\ell &= -1 + 4 \sin^2 \theta_W \end{aligned}$$

Well tested in pion and kaon decays, Z decays

$$\Gamma_{ll}^{SM} = \frac{GM_Z^3}{6\sqrt{2}\pi} \left((C_V^f)^2 + (C_A^f)^2 \right) = 83.42 \text{ MeV} \quad \begin{aligned} \Gamma_{ee} &= (83.94 \pm 0.14) \text{ MeV} \\ \Gamma_{\mu\mu} &= (83.84 \pm 0.20) \text{ MeV} \\ \Gamma_{\tau\tau} &= (83.68 \pm 0.24) \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

Introduction

- First proposal and prediction of R_K , R_{K^*} , R_{X_s} in 2003

[Kruger, Hiller, hep-ph/0310219]

$$R_K^{SM} = 1.0003 \pm 0.0001$$

- Very precise due to efficient cancellation of hadronic uncertainties.
e and μ are almost massless.
- Back then, the averaged Belle and BaBar indicated LFU

$$R_K = 0.81 \pm 0.24$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 2 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$R_{K^*} = 0.98 \pm 0.38$$

$$R_{X_s} = 1.20 \pm 0.52$$

[BaBar]
[Belle]
[CDF]

- Renewed interest with the dawn of the LHC era
- LFU observables are generally theo. and exp. clean.

Effective operator analysis of R_K

$$\mathcal{O}_7^{(\prime)} = \frac{e}{(4\pi)^2} m_b (\bar{s} \sigma_{\mu\nu} P_{R(L)} b) F^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_9^{(\prime)} = \frac{e^2}{(4\pi)^2} (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_{L(R)} b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^\mu \ell)$$

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$$\mathcal{O}_P^{(\prime)} = \frac{e^2}{(4\pi)^2} (\bar{s} P_{R(L)} b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma_5 \ell)$$

- Experiment prefers to decrease muonic decay rate, alternative is to increase electronic rate
- Tensor operators: decrease μ rate, electronic increase too small ✗
- Scalar operators: electronic increase, but not possible at 1σ ✗
- (Axial)vector operators, chiral vector currents: can affect μ or e ✓

$$C_9^{\ell(\prime)} = \pm C_{10}^{\ell(\prime)}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= Y_{ij} \bar{L}_i i\tau^2 \Delta^* d_{Rj} \\ &= Y_{ij} \left(-\bar{\ell}_{Li} d_{Rj} \Delta^{(2/3)*} + \bar{\nu}_{Lk} (V^{\text{PMNS}})_{ki}^\dagger d_{Rj} \Delta^{(-1/3)*} \right) \quad *(Q = Y + T_3) \end{aligned}$$

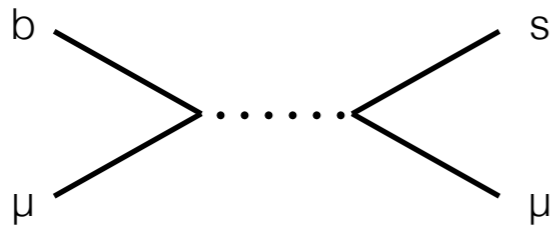
$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} Y_{\mu s} & Y_{\mu b} \end{pmatrix}$$

Couplings designed for $B \rightarrow K\mu\mu$
 Framework of LFUV and LFV
 SU(2) doublet correlations with $B \rightarrow K\nu\nu$

Leptoquark model

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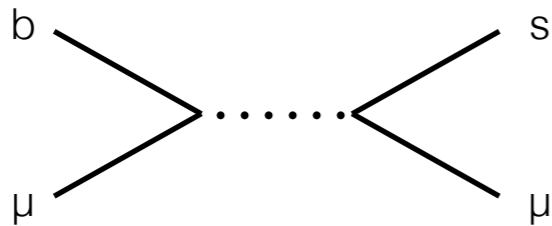


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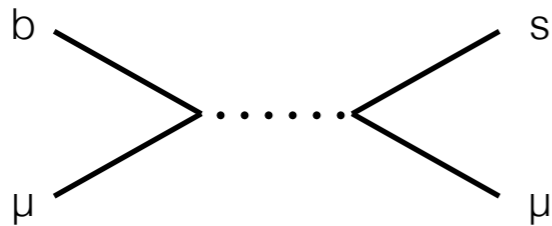
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$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) |_{q^2 \in [15, 22] \text{ GeV}^2} = (8.5 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-8}$$

[LHCb, 1403.8044]

$$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)^{\text{exp}} = (2.8_{-0.6}^{+0.7}) \times 10^{-9}$$

[LHCb+CMS, 1411.4413]
[talk by Flavio Archilli]

Decay spectrum

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2}(B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^-) = 2a_\mu(q^2) + \frac{2}{3}c_\mu(q^2)$$

...in terms of Wilson coefficients and form factors

$$a_\ell(q^2) = \mathcal{C}(q^2) \left[q^2 |F_P(q^2)|^2 + \frac{\lambda(q^2)}{4} (|F_A(q^2)|^2 + |F_V(q^2)|^2) + 4m_\ell^2 m_B^2 |F_A(q^2)|^2 + 2m_\ell (m_B^2 - m_K^2 + q^2) \operatorname{Re}(F_P(q^2) F_A^*(q^2)) \right]$$

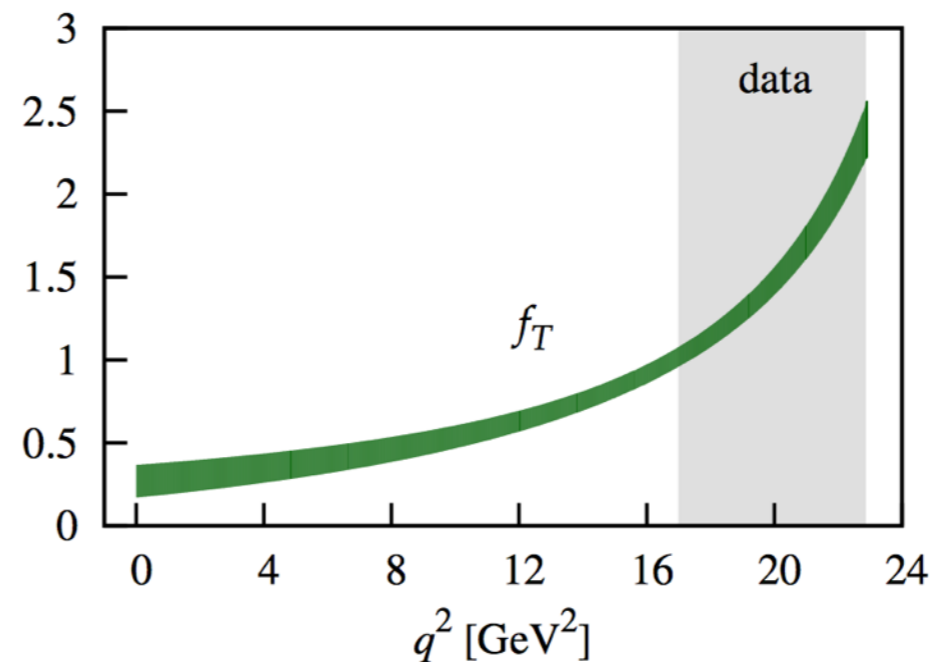
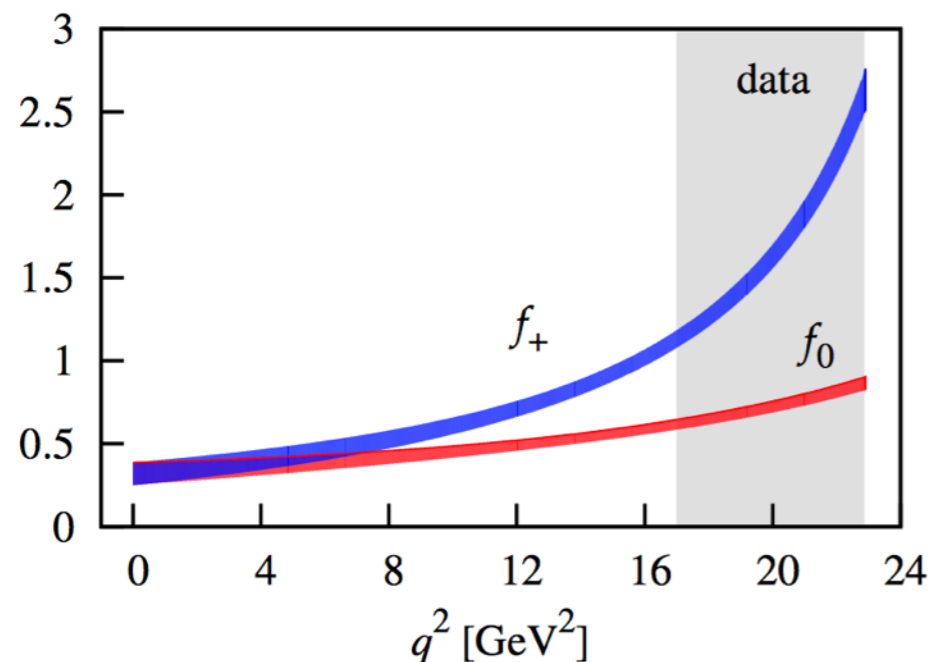
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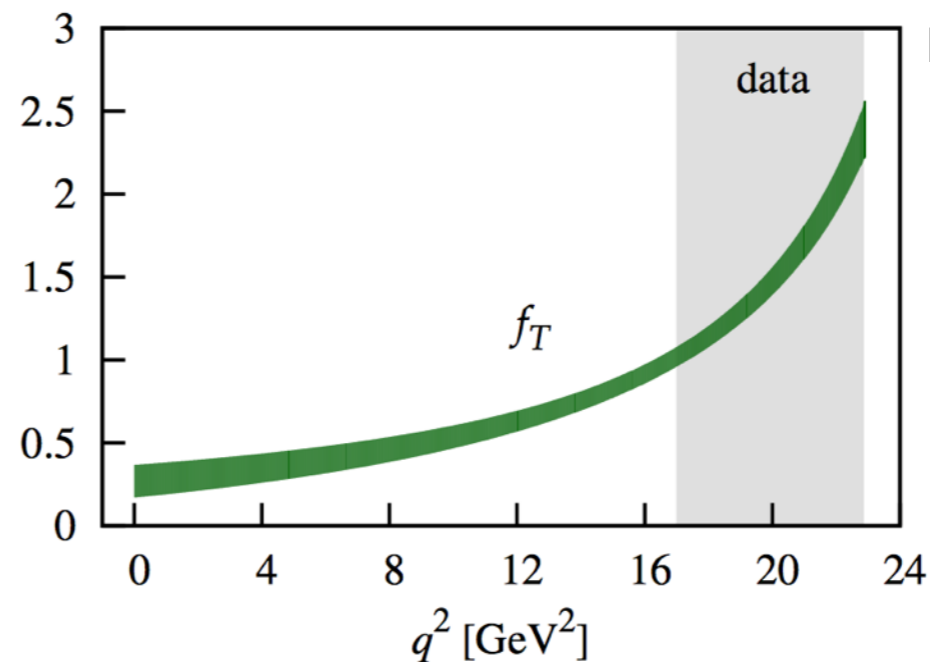
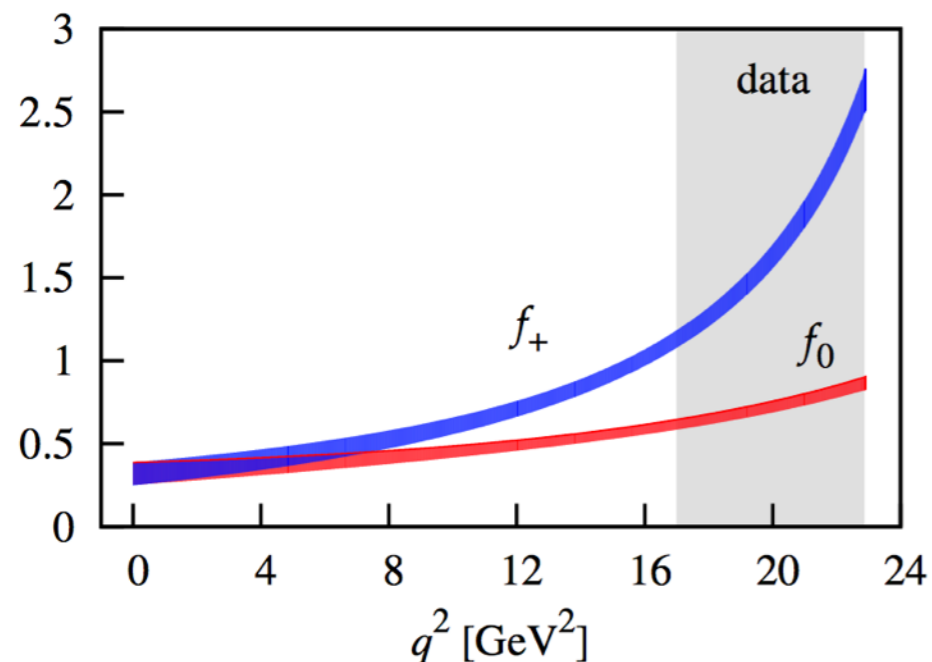
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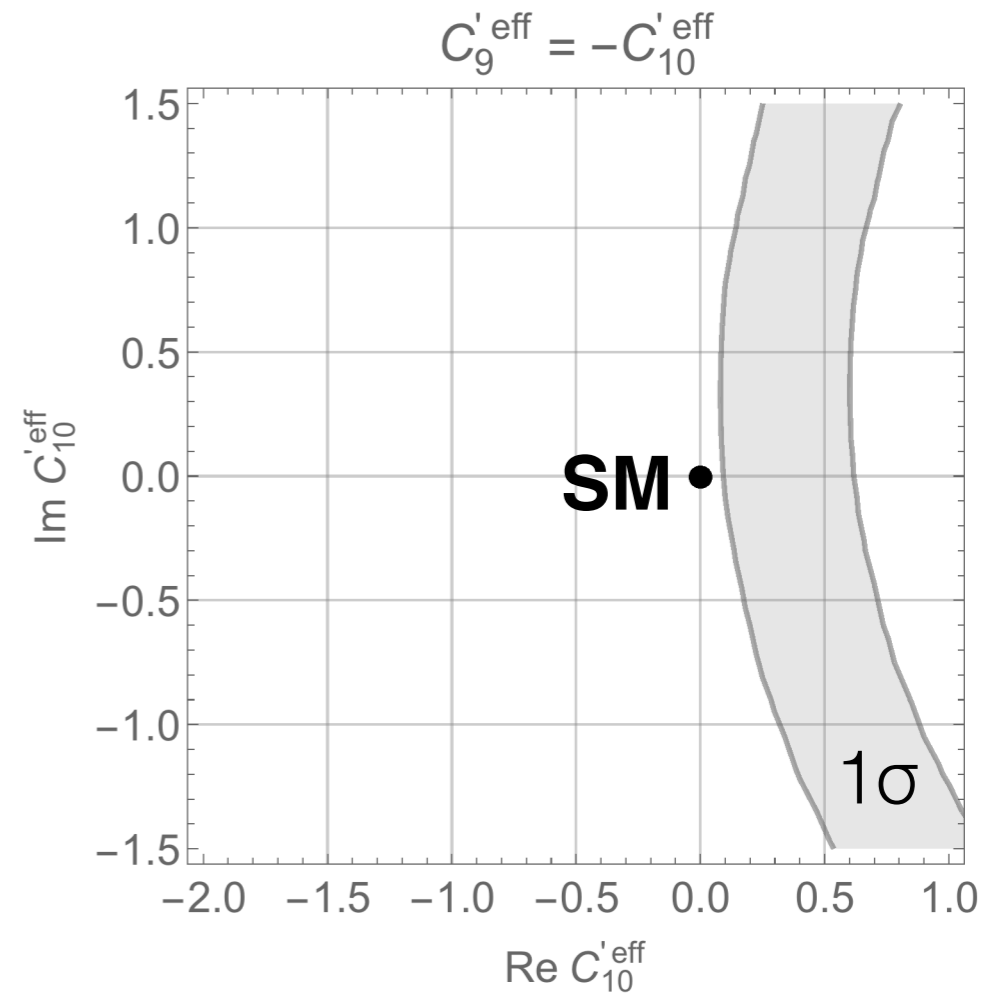
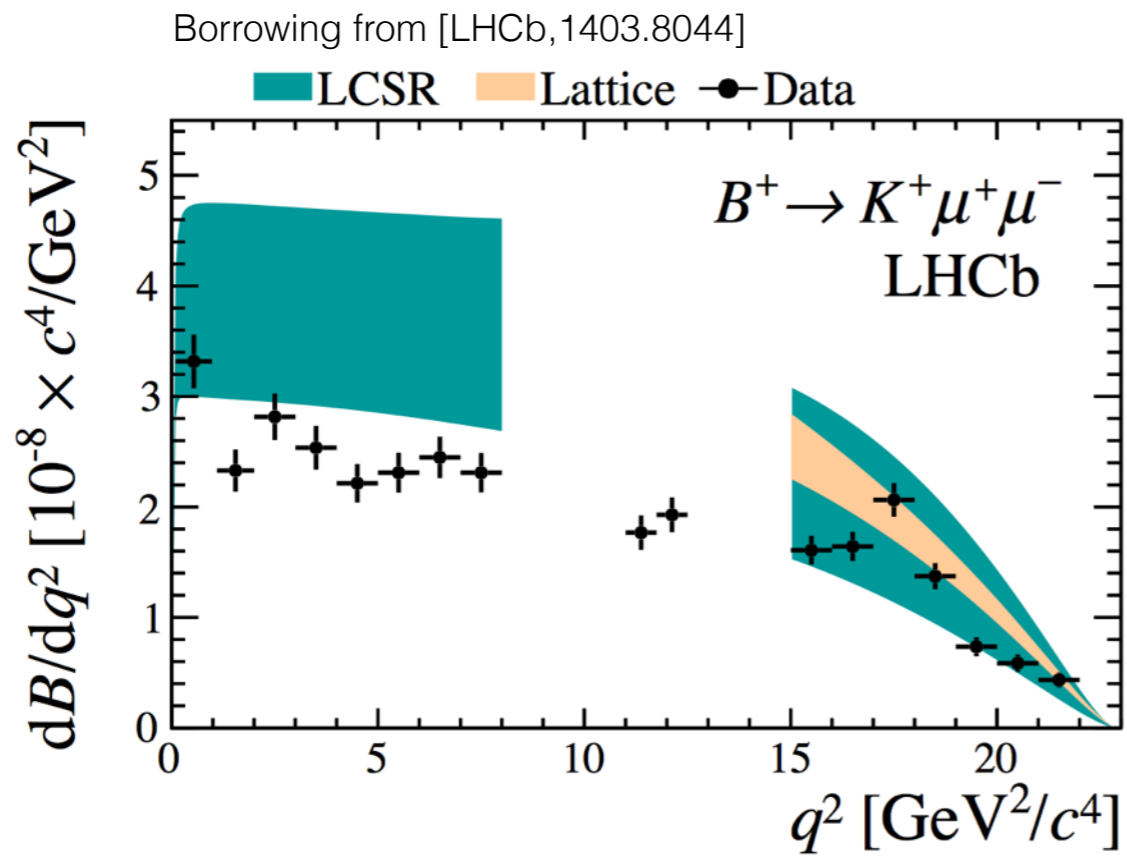
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[Bouchard et al, 1306.2384]



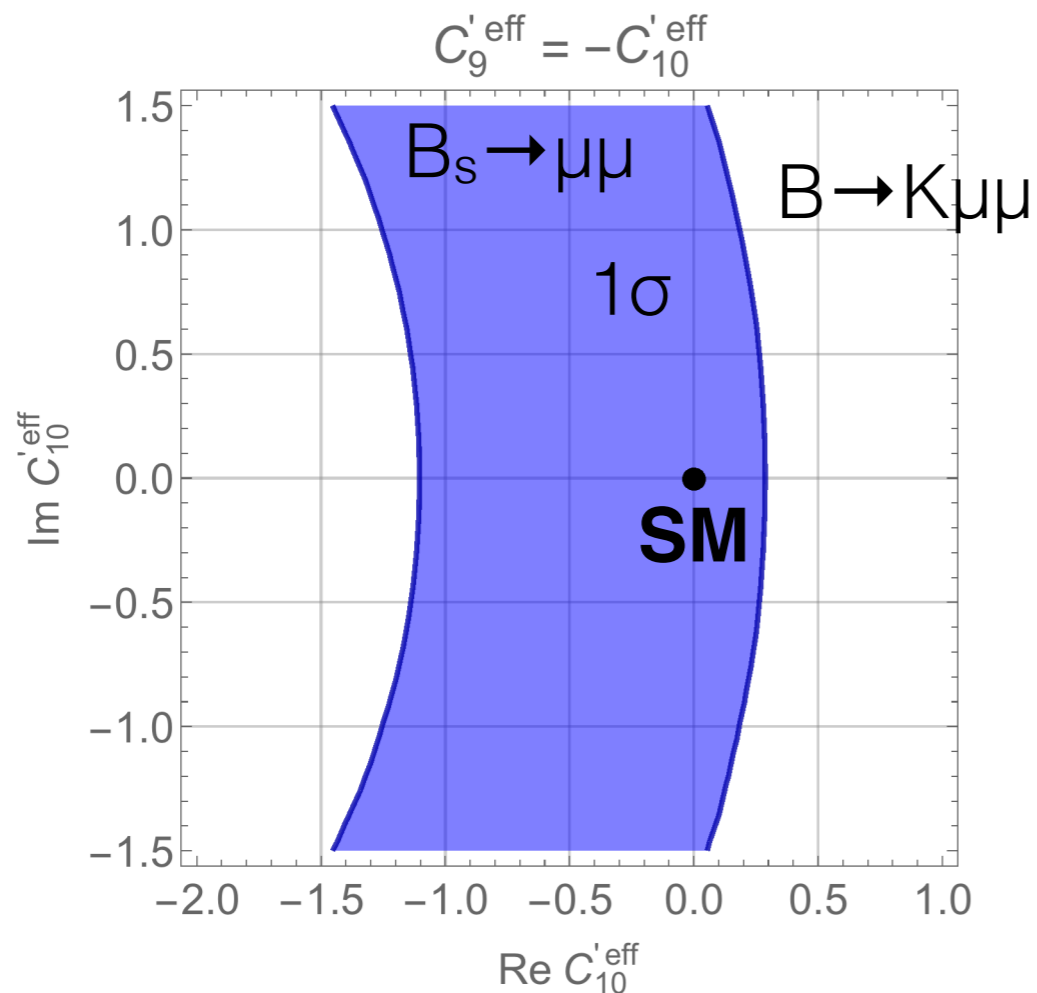
In the SM: Slight deficit of events at high q^2

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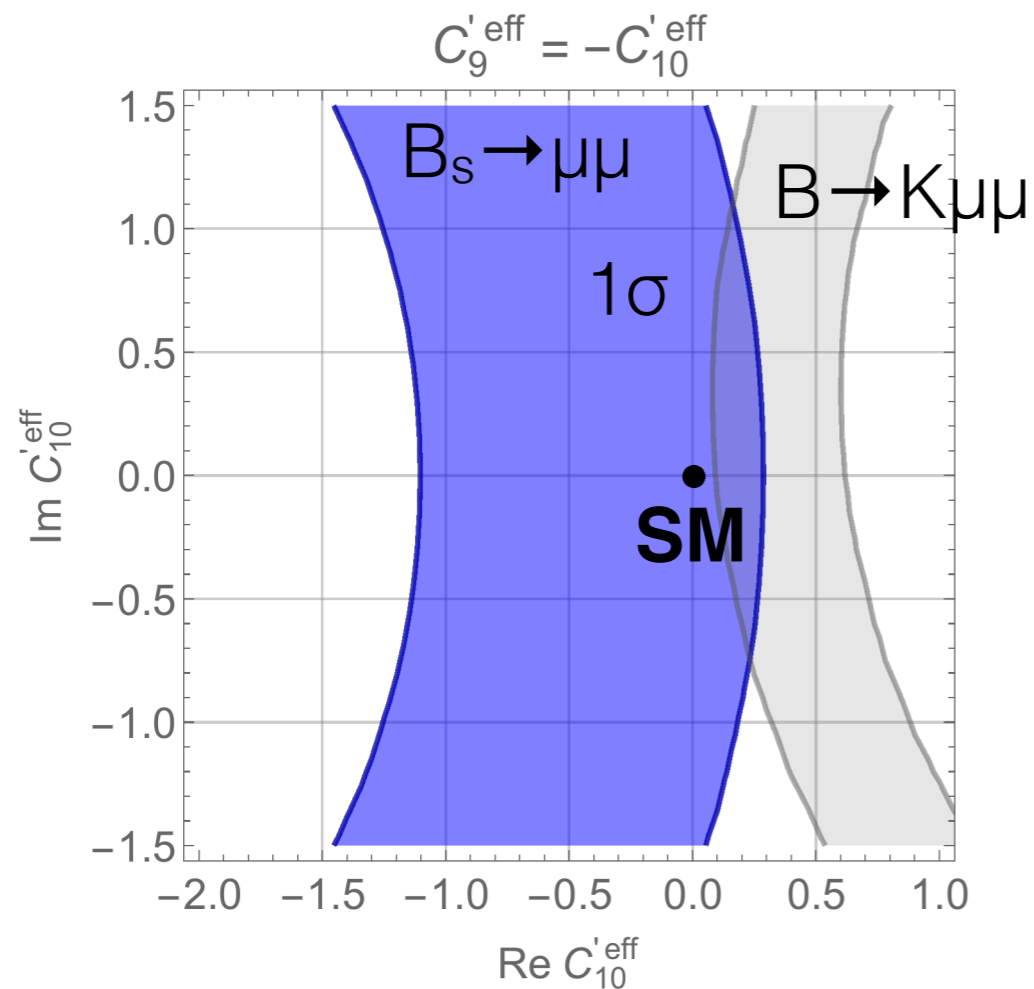
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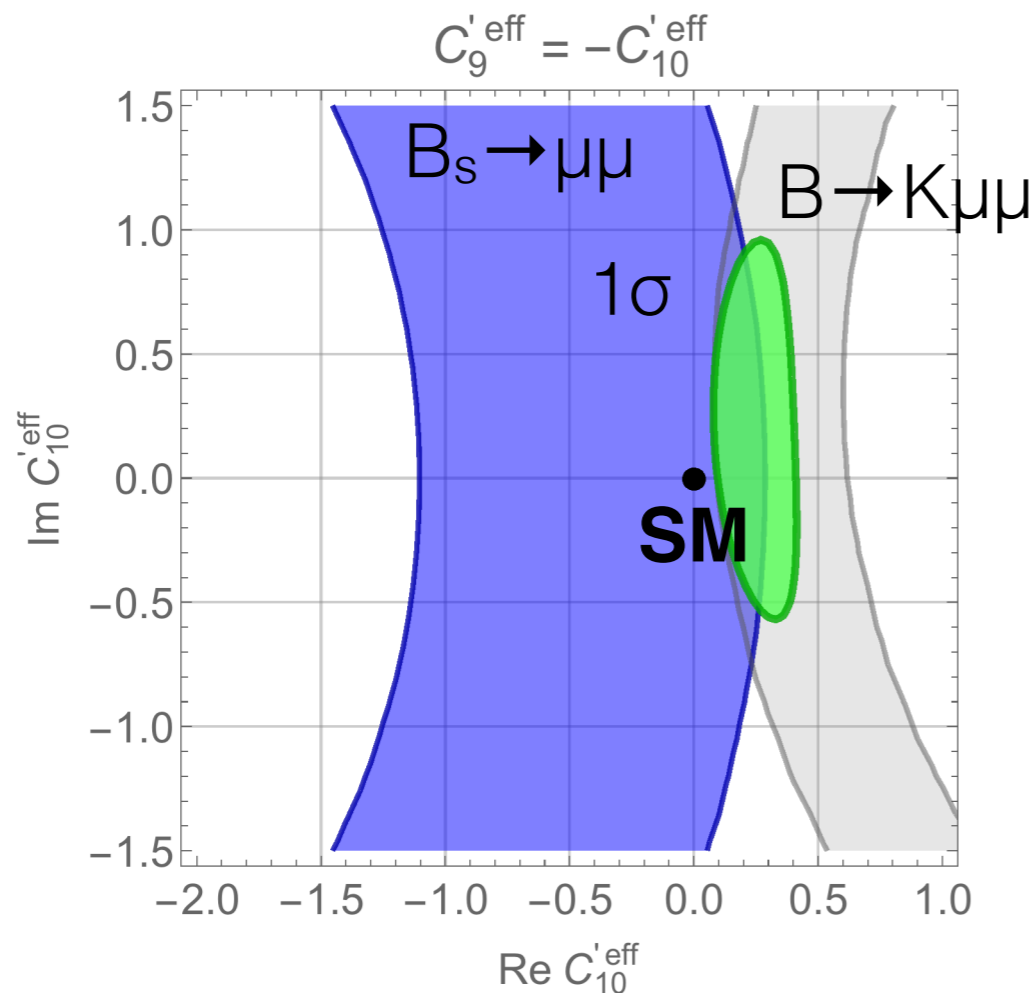
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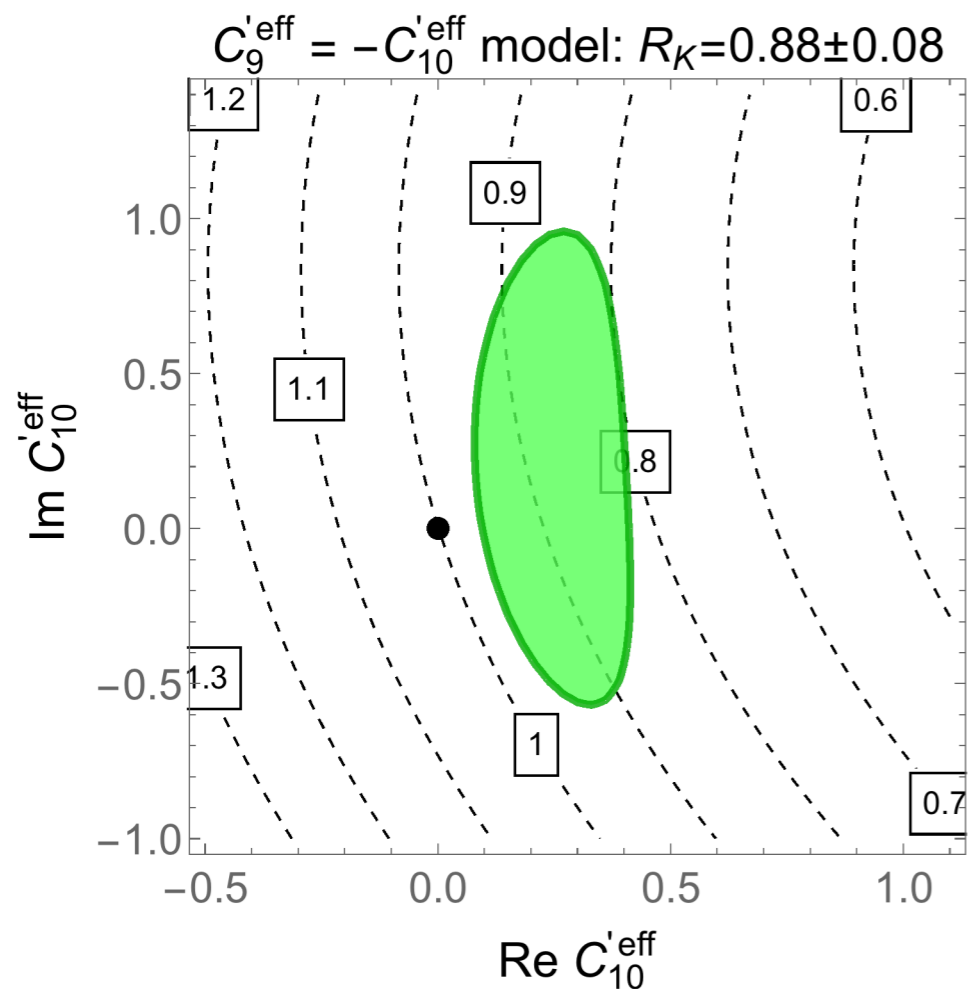
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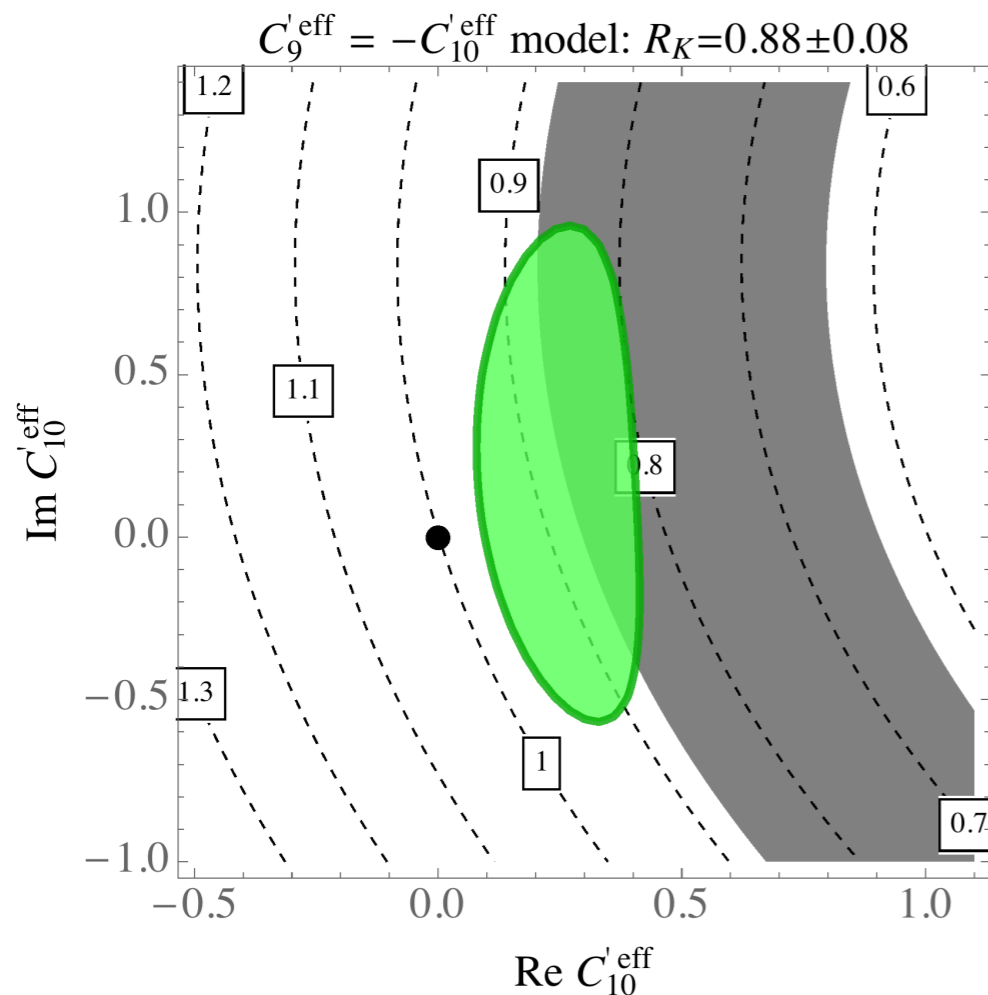
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Overlaps with 1σ exp. region (grey)

Semileptonic pulls R_K down

Leptonic pulls R_K up

Related LFU observables

$$R_{K^*} = \frac{\Gamma(B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-)_{q^2 \in [1,6]} \text{ GeV}^2}{\Gamma(B \rightarrow K^* e^+ e^-)_{q^2 \in [1,6]} \text{ GeV}^2}$$

[Kruger, Hiller, hep-ph/0310219]

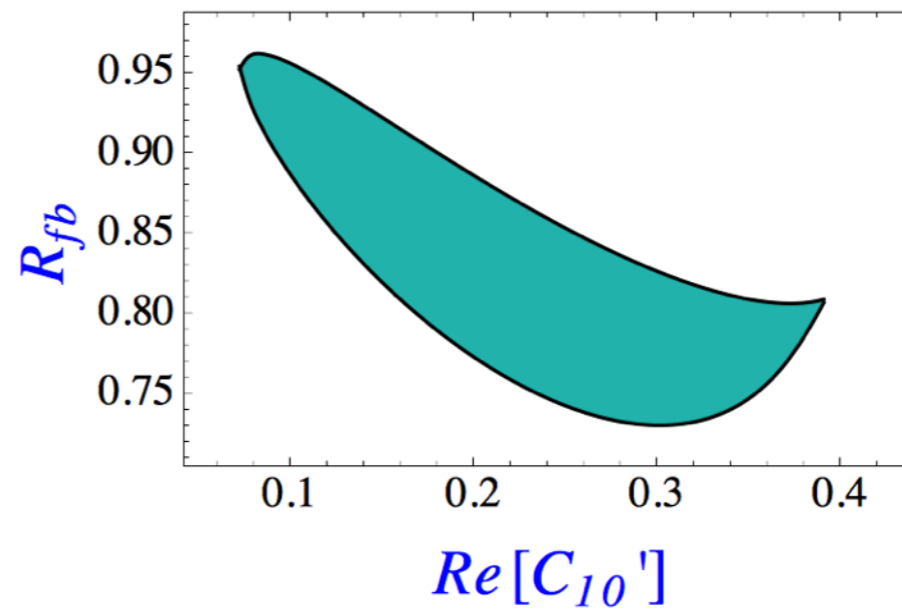
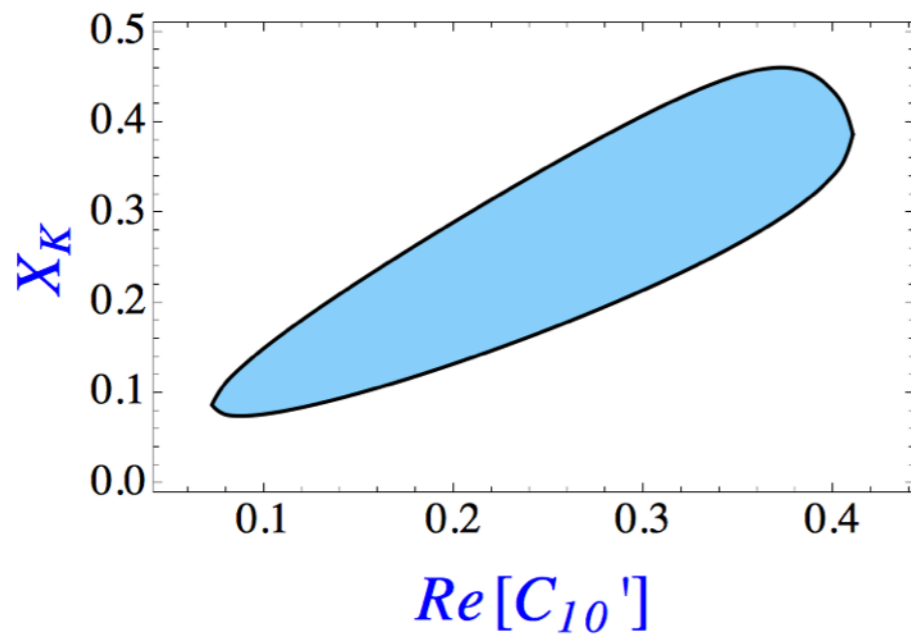
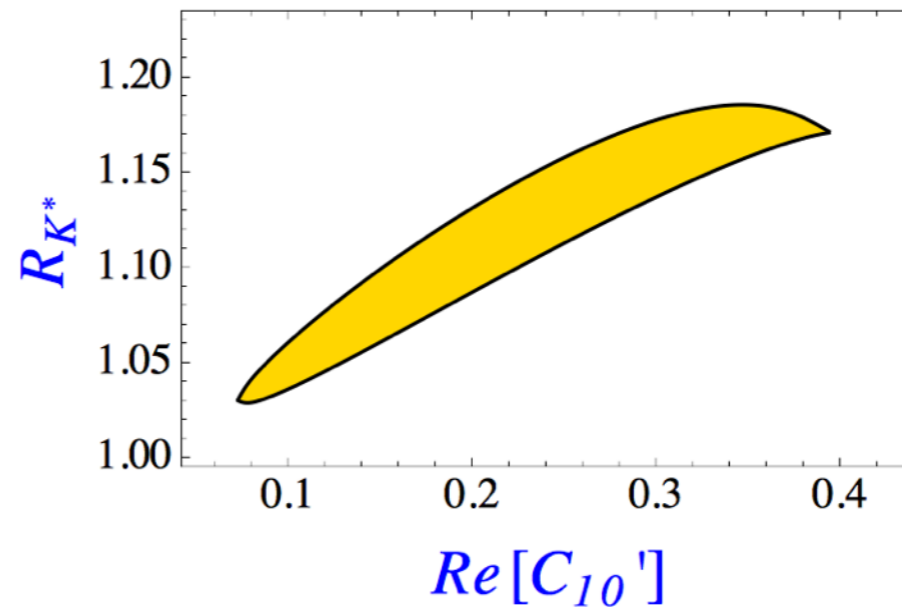
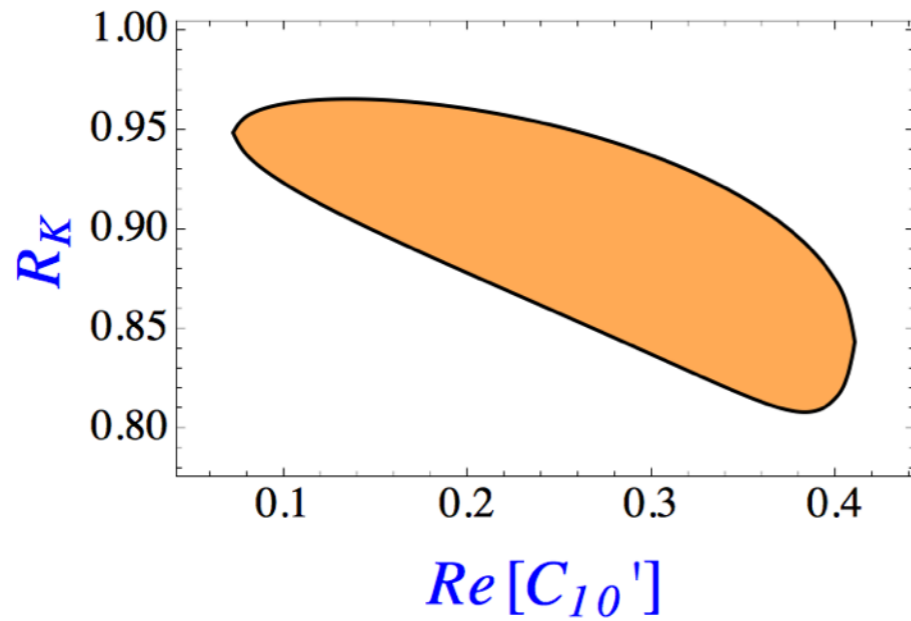
$$X_K = \frac{R_{K^*}}{R_K} - 1$$

$$A_{\text{fb}[4-6]}^\ell = \frac{3}{4} \frac{\int_{4 \text{ GeV}^2}^{6 \text{ GeV}^2} I_6^s(q^2) dq^2}{\Gamma(B \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^-)_{q^2 \in [4,6]} \text{ GeV}^2}$$

[Altmannshofer, Straub, 1308.1501]

$$R_{\text{fb}} = \frac{A_{\text{fb}[4-6]}^\mu}{A_{\text{fb}[4-6]}^e}$$

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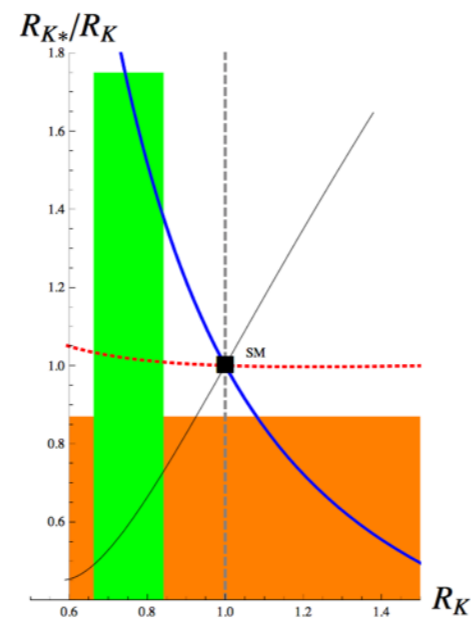
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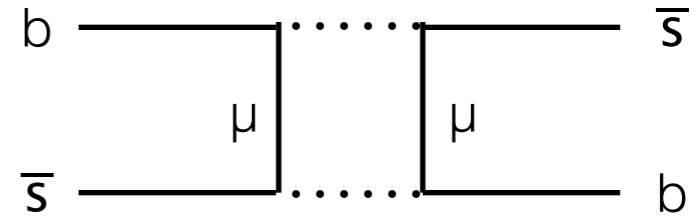
[G. Hiller,
presentation at EPS 2015]

Green band: R_K 1 sigma LHCb. Curves: different BSM scenarios. red dashed: pure C_{LL} . Black solid: $C_{LL} = -2C_{RL}$. Blue: C_{RL} . Orange band is prediction for R_{K^*} (not significantly measured) based on R_K and $B \rightarrow X_s \ell \ell$: $R_{X_s}^{\text{Belle}'09} = 0.42 \pm 0.25$, $R_{X_s}^{\text{BaBar}'13} = 0.58 \pm 0.19$.

R_K and R_{K^*} discriminate between different Wilson coefficient realisations

LQ specific constraints: B_s mixing

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = C_1^{\text{SM}} (\bar{b} \gamma_\mu P_L s) (\bar{b} \gamma^\mu P_L s) + C_6^{\text{LQ}} (\bar{b} \gamma_\mu P_R s) (\bar{b} \gamma^\mu P_R s)$$



$$C_6^{\text{LQ}}(m_\Delta) = -\frac{G_F^2}{8\pi^4} (V_{tb}^* V_{ts})^2 \alpha^2 m_\Delta^2 \boxed{(C'_{10})^2} \quad \text{Quadratic sensitivity}$$

$$\langle \bar{B}_s^0 | \bar{b} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) s \bar{b} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) s | B_s^0 \rangle = (8/3) f_{B_s}^2 m_{B_s}^2 B_{B_s}$$

$$\Delta m_{B_s} = \underbrace{\frac{G_F^2 m_W^2}{6\pi^2} |V_{tb}^* V_{ts}|^2 f_{B_s}^2 m_{B_s} B_{B_s} \eta_B S_0(x_t)}_{\Delta m_{B_s}^{\text{SM}} = 17.3 \pm 1.7 \text{ ps}^{-1}} \left| 1 - \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \frac{\alpha^2}{S_0(x_t)} (C'_{10})^2 \frac{m_\Delta^2}{m_W^2} \right|$$

Upper mass limit for the LQ of the order 100 TeV.

LQ specific predictions: $B \rightarrow K \nu \nu$



$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* (C_L^{ij} \mathcal{O}_L^{ij} + C_R^{ij} \mathcal{O}_R^{ij}) \quad \mathcal{O}_{L,R}^{ij} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_{L,R} b) (\bar{\nu}_i \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) \nu_j)$$

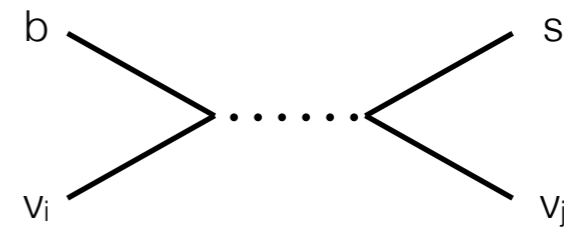
SM: flavour diagonal contributions

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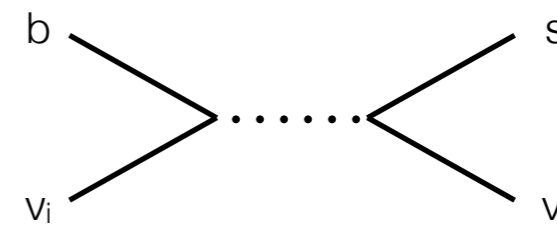
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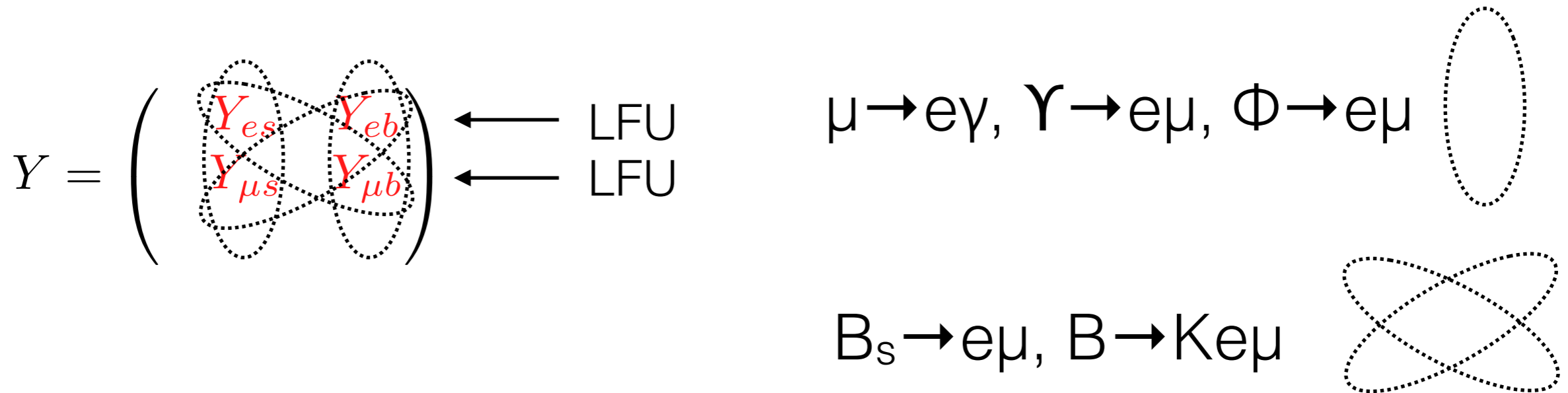
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Relate LFU violation (lepton flavour specificity) with Lepton Flavor Violation (LFV)

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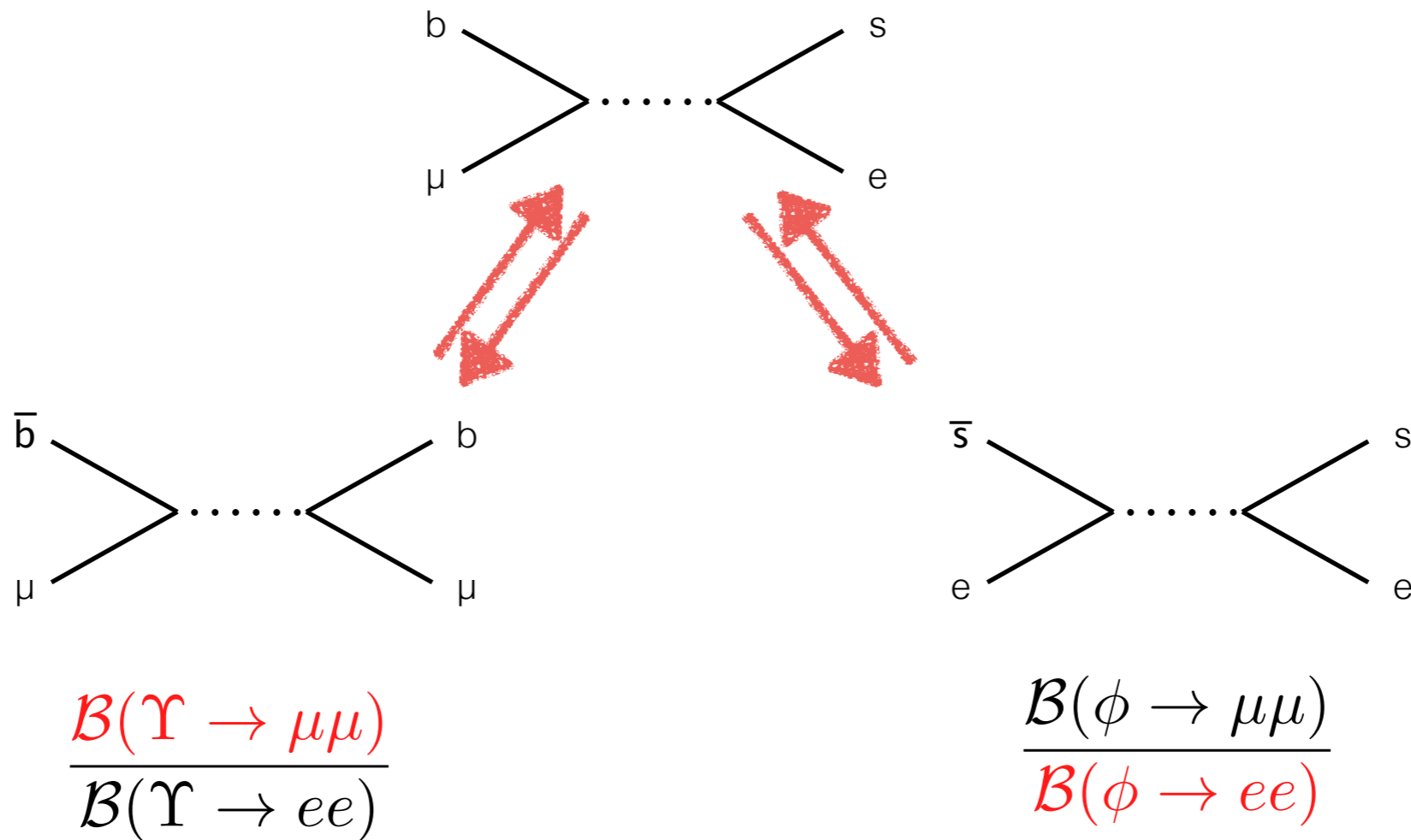
Cannot play with electronic and muonic decay modes simultaneously:



LFV

LFV \Leftrightarrow (LFUV in different channels)

($B_s \rightarrow e\mu$ and $B \rightarrow K e\mu$ can be measured) **if and only if** (LFUV in bottomonium and Φ can be measured)



Conclusions

- R_K measurement is a very compelling hint
- (Axial)Vector operators are most obvious solution
- Leptoquarks naturally realize these operators
- $(3, 2, 1/6)$ scalar is favoured, additional signatures in neutrino modes
- LFV closely connected to LFUV