

# Recent work on Flavour Physics at LAPTh

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# Flavour in SUSY models

Chakraborty, Endo, Fuks, Herrmann, Nojiri, Pani, Polesello, arXiv:1808.07488  
Bernigaud, Herrmann, arXiv:1809.04370

## Squark decays

- ▶ Important for SUSY searches at hadron colliders
- ▶ Squarks are flavoured  $\rightarrow$  3 generations, up-type, down-type
- ▶ Lightest up-type squark  $\tilde{u}_1$  is lightest squark in many SUSY scenarios

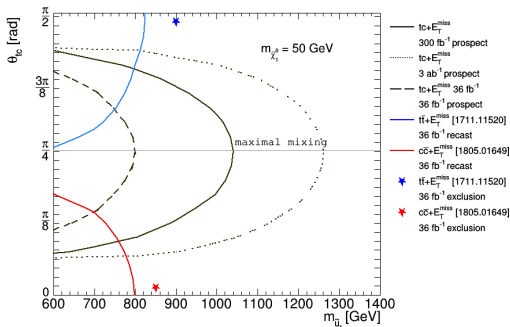
## Squark flavour structure

Different options for flavour violation in squark sector:

- ▶ Only flavour violation from Standard Model CKM matrix
  - ▶ Minimal Flavour violation (MFV)
  - ▶  $\tilde{u}_1$  couples only to one quark generation
- ▶ Additional flavour violation in squark mass matrices
  - ▶ Non-Minimal Flavour violation (NMFV)
  - ▶  $\tilde{u}_1$  can couple to more than one generation, e.g. mainly to top and charm quarks

# Mixed top-charm squarks at the LHC

Chakraborty, Endo, Fuks, Herrmann, Nojiri, Pani, Polesello, arXiv:1808.07488



- ▶ Consider  $\tilde{u}_1$  coupling to top and charm quarks
- ▶ Pair produced  $pp \rightarrow \tilde{u}_1 \tilde{u}_1$
- ▶ Existing searches for decays
  - ▶  $\tilde{u}_1 \tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow \bar{t}t + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
  - ▶  $\tilde{u}_1 \tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow \bar{c}c + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
- ▶ Proposed new search for  $\tilde{u}_1 \tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow \bar{t}c, \bar{c}t + E_T^{\text{miss}}$

# Accessing the squark flavour structure

## Assuming

Bernigaud, Herrmann, arXiv:1809.04370

- ▶ SUSY particles have been observed
- ▶ Masses have been measured for
  - ▶ Lightest up-type squark  $\tilde{u}_1$
  - ▶ Lightest neutralino  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$
  - ▶ Lightest chargino  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$
- ▶  $\tilde{u}_1$  couples only to 2. and 3. generation quarks  $\rightarrow \tilde{u}_1$  is mixture of  $\tilde{t}$  and  $\tilde{c}$
- ▶ Ratios of branching ratios of squark  $\tilde{u}_1$  have been measured:

$$R_{c/t} = \frac{BR(\tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow c\tilde{\chi}_1^0)}{BR(\tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0)}, \quad R_{b/t} = \frac{BR(\tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^+)}{BR(\tilde{u}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0)}$$

## Question: How large is amount of stop $\tilde{t}$ in lightest squark $\tilde{u}_1$ ?

- ▶ Quantified by stop flavour content  $x_{\tilde{t}}$
- ▶ Try to infer  $x_{\tilde{t}}$  from experimentally measured Observables  $\mathcal{O}_i^{\text{exp}}$ ,  
 $i \in \{m_{\tilde{u}_1}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}, R_{c/t}, R_{b/t}\}$

# Accessing the squark flavour structure

## Likelihood inference

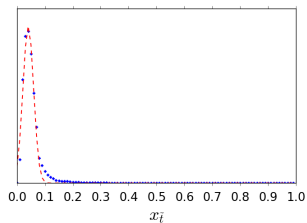
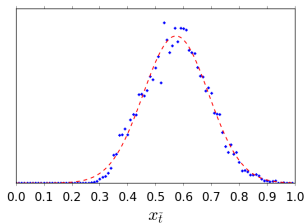
- ▶ Scanning over model parameters  $\theta_j$ , calculate large set of theoretically predicted observables  $\mathcal{O}_i^{\text{th}}(\theta_j)$ ,  $i \in \{m_{\tilde{u}_1}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}, R_{c/t}, R_{b/t}\}$
- ▶ Stop flavour content  $x_{\tilde{t}}$  is one of these parameters:  $j \in \{x_{\tilde{t}}, \dots\}$
- ▶ Construct likelihood for each scanned parameter point:

$$\ln \mathcal{L}(\theta_j) = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_i \left( \frac{\mathcal{O}_i^{\text{th}}(\theta_j) - \mathcal{O}_i^{\text{exp}}}{\sigma_i} \right)^2$$

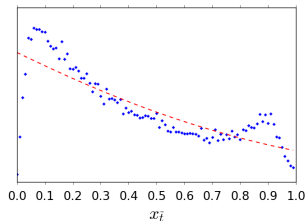
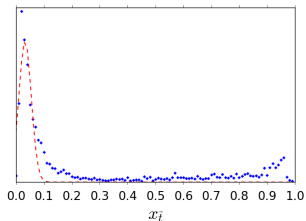
- ▶ Average over likelihoods in bins of the scanned parameter  $x_{\tilde{t}}$   
→ binned averaged likelihood  $\hat{\mathcal{L}}(x_{\tilde{t}})$
- ▶ Fit Gaussian to binned likelihood  $\hat{\mathcal{L}}(x_{\tilde{t}})$  to get value of  $x_{\tilde{t}}$  that has highest averaged likelihood for given measured observables  $\mathcal{O}_i^{\text{exp}}$

# Accessing the squark flavour structure

## ► Specific $\tilde{\chi}$ mixing



## ► General $\tilde{\chi}$ mixing





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## $b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$ anomaly

Several LHCb measurements deviate from Standard model (SM) predictions by 2-3 $\sigma$ :

- ▶ Angular observable  $P'_5$  in  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ . LHCb, arXiv:1512.04442
- ▶ Branching ratios of  $B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^-$ ,  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ , and  $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$ .

LHCb, arXiv:1403.8044, arXiv:1506.08777, arXiv:1606.04731

$$O_9^\ell = (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_L b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^\mu \ell)$$

$$O_{10}^\ell = (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_L b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \ell)$$

see also fits by other groups:

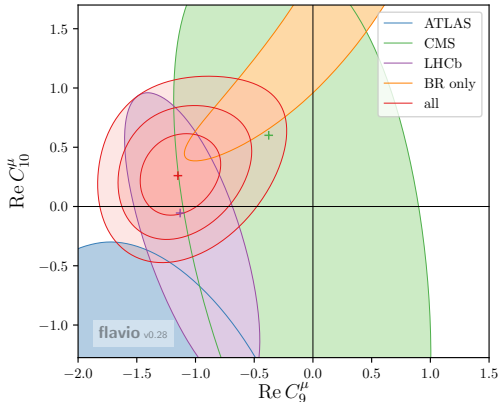
Capdevila et al., arXiv:1704.05340

D'Amico et al., arXiv:1704.05438

Geng et al., arXiv:1704.05446

Ciuchini et al., arXiv:1704.05447

Mahmoudi et al., arXiv:1611.05060



Altmannshofer, Niehoff, PS, Straub, arXiv:1703.09189

## Hints for LFU violation in neutral current decays

Measurements of lepton flavour universality (LFU) ratios  $R_K^{[1,6]}$ ,  $R_{K^*}^{[0.045,1.1]}$ ,  $R_{K^*}^{[1.1,6]}$  show deviations from SM by about  $2.5\sigma$  each.

LHCb, arXiv:1406.6482, arXiv:1705.05802

$$R_{K^{(*)}} = \frac{BR(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-)}{BR(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} e^+ e^-)}$$

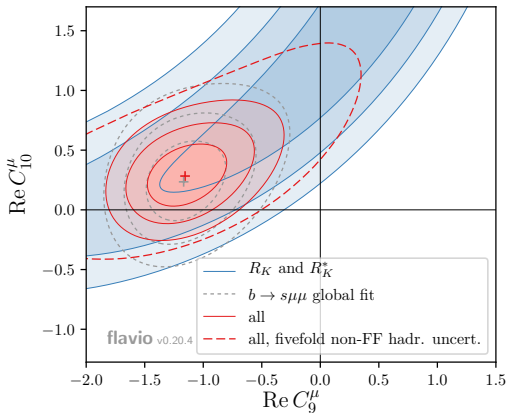
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Altmannshofer, PS, Straub, arXiv:1704.05435

# Hints for LFU violation in charged current decays

Measurements of LFU ratios  $R_D$  and  $R_{D^*}$  by BaBar, Belle, and LHCb show combined deviation from SM by 3.6-3.8 $\sigma$ .

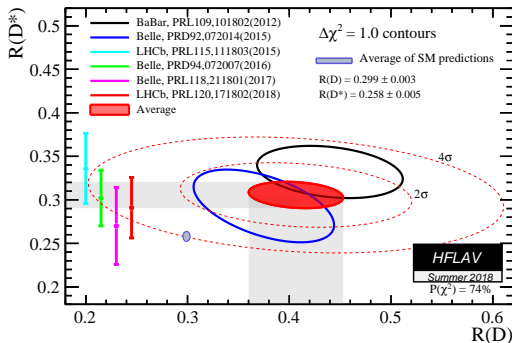
BaBar, arXiv:1205.5442, arXiv:1303.0571

LHCb, arXiv:1506.08614, arXiv:1708.08856

Belle, arXiv:1507.03233, arXiv:1607.07923, arXiv:1612.00529

$$R_{D^{(*)}} = \frac{BR(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu)}{BR(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell \nu)}$$

$$\ell \in \{e, \mu\}$$



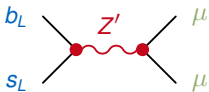
HFLAV, arXiv:1612.07233

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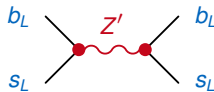
## $Z'$ solution for $R_{K^{(*)}}$ and $B_s-\bar{B}_s$ mixing

Heavy  $Z'$  vector boson can explain  $R_{K^{(*)}}$  measurements



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But  $Z'$ - $b_L$ - $s_L$  coupling yields contribution to  $B_s-\bar{B}_s$  mixing  
→ strong constraint!



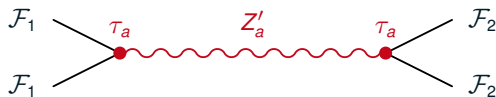
## Gauged horizontal $SU(2)$ and $R_{K(*)}$

Guadagnoli, Reboud, Sumensari, arXiv:1807.03285

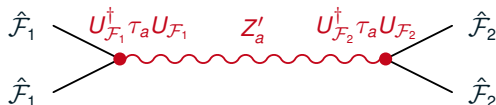
- **Idea:** instead of a single  $Z'$ , use three  $Z'$ 's from a horizontal  $SU(2)$  gauge group
- 2. and 3. generation fermions transform as doublets  $\mathcal{F}$  under this  $SU(2)$

$$\mathcal{F} \in \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} b \\ s \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \tau \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}, \dots \right\}$$

- In gauge basis, one gets diagrams like

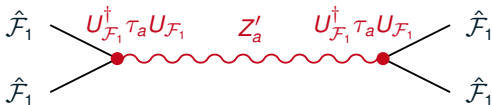


- After rotating to mass basis with mass eigenstates  $\hat{\mathcal{F}} = U_{\mathcal{F}}^\dagger \mathcal{F}$





## Gauged horizontal $SU(2)$ and $R_{K(*)}$



Special feature of mass basis diagram if  $\mathcal{F}_2 = \mathcal{F}_1$  and  $Z'_a$  masses degenerate:

- ▶  $SU(2)$  symmetry can be used to make couplings flavour diagonal!
- ▶ No contribution to  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$  mixing at tree level since  $\mathcal{F}_{(b,s)}$  on both sides
- ▶ Flavour violation to get  $bs\mu\mu$  still possible since  $\mathcal{F}_{(b,s)} \neq \mathcal{F}_{(\mu,\tau)}$

Model still constrained by other observables, but strong constraints from  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$  are avoided

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## Effects in Kaons from B anomalies

Borsato, Gligorov, Guadagnoli, Santos, Sumensari, arXiv:1808.02006

- Assume  $B$  meson anomalies are explained by purely left-handed operator

$$\lambda_{ij}^q \lambda_{mn}^\ell (\bar{d}_L^i \gamma^\alpha d_L^j) (\bar{\ell}_L^m \gamma_\alpha \ell_L^n)$$

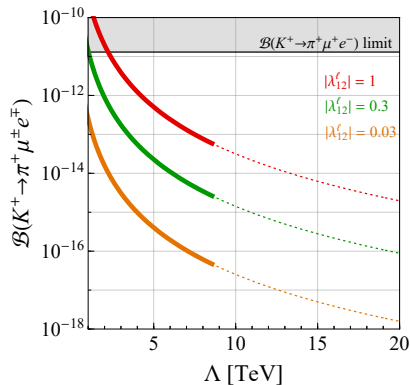
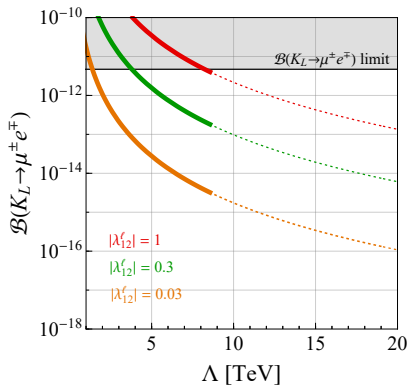
- Well-motivated case that can explain anomalies is if quark couplings are proportional to CKM elements:

$$\lambda_{ij}^q \propto V_{ti}^* V_{tj}$$

- This yields effects in Kaon decays from

$$\lambda_{sd}^q \propto V_{ts}^* V_{td}$$

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## Analysing a model

- ▶ Compute *all relevant* observables  $\vec{O}$  (flavour, EWPO, ...) in terms of Lagrangian parameters  $\vec{\theta}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NP}}(\vec{\theta}) \rightarrow \vec{O}(\vec{\theta})$$

- ▶ Take into account loop / RGE effects

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NP}}(\vec{\theta}) \xrightarrow{\Lambda_{\text{NP}} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\text{IR}}} \vec{O}(\vec{\theta})$$

- ▶ Compare to experiment

$$\vec{O}(\vec{\theta}) \rightarrow \underbrace{L(\vec{O}(\vec{\theta}), \vec{O}_{\text{exp}})}_{\text{Likelihood}}$$

Tedious to do this for each model...

## Analysing a model

- ▶ Assuming  $\Lambda_{\text{NP}} \gg v$ , NP effects in flavour, EWPO, Higgs, top, ... can be expressed in terms of SMEFT Wilson coefficients

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SMEFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \sum_{n>4} \sum_i \frac{c_i}{\Lambda^{n-4}} O_i$$

Buchmuller, Wyler, Nucl. Phys. B 268 (1986) 621  
 Grzadkowski, Iskrzynski, Misiak, Rosiek, arXiv:1008.4884

- ▶ Powerful tool to connect model-building to phenomenology without needing to recompute hundreds of observables in each model

- ▶ Model building:




$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NP}}(\vec{\theta}) \rightarrow \vec{C}(\vec{\theta}) @ \Lambda_{\text{NP}}$$

- ▶ *Model-independent* pheno:

$$\vec{C} \xrightarrow{\Lambda_{\text{NP}} \rightarrow \Lambda_{\text{IR}}} \vec{O}(\vec{C}) \rightarrow L(\vec{O}(\vec{C}), \vec{O}_{\text{exp}})$$

# Building a global SMEFT likelihood

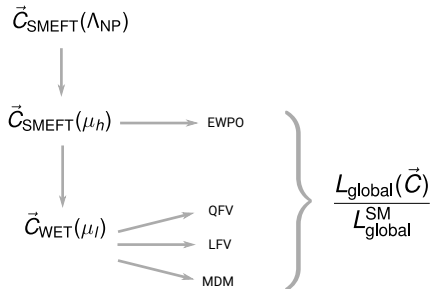
Aebischer, Kumar, PS, Straub, arXiv:1810.07698

- ▶ Based on the tools
  - ▶  **flavio** for computing observables
  - ▶  **wilson** for RG running and matching
- ▶ We have started building the **SMEFT LikeLIhood**
  - ▶  **smelli** <https://github.com/smelli>

Straub, arXiv:1810.08132

Aebischer, Kumar, Straub, arXiv:1804.05033

- ▶ So far, 257 observables included
  - ▶ Rare  $B$  decays
  - ▶ Semi-leptonic  $B$  and  $K$  decays
  - ▶ Meson-antimeson mixing
  - ▶ FCNC  $K$  decays
  - ▶ (LFV) tau and muon decays
  - ▶  $Z$  and  $W$  pole EWPOs
  - ▶  $g - 2$





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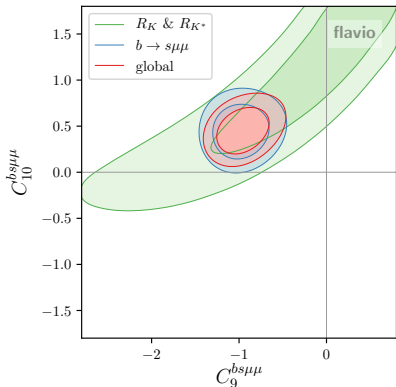
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# Summary

- ▶ Squarks with NMFV flavour structure have interesting phenomenology that could be probed by the LHC if SUSY is discovered
- ▶ Flavour anomalies hint at new physics that violates lepton flavour universality
- ▶ Explanation of anomalies in rare  $B$  decays by gauged horizontal symmetry could avoid stringent constraints from  $B_s$ - $\bar{B}_s$  mixing
- ▶ Anomalies in  $B$  decays could imply new effects in Kaon decays
- ▶ New global likelihood in SMEFT can be used to analyse models using more than 250 flavour and other precision observables

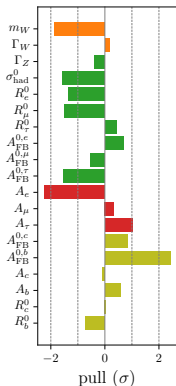
# Backup slides

# Likelihood maps: $b \rightarrow sll$ anomalies



- ▶ Since  $B$  physics constraints are included in the likelihood, the usual  $b \rightarrow sll$  Wilson coefficients are one example application (using WET WCs here)
- ▶ Disclaimer: this and the following two-coefficient plots are only meant for illustration – main point of the global likelihood is to *not* be restricted to 2D subspaces

# Electroweak precision tests



- We have implemented all the relevant  $Z$  and  $W$  pole observables, not assuming LFU, in flavio

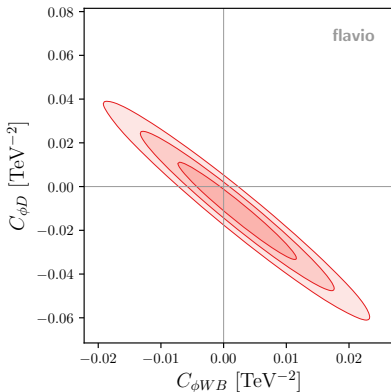
Efrati, Falkowski, Soreq, arXiv:1503.07872

Brivio, Trott, arXiv:1706.08945

- SM pulls in good agreement e.g. with Gfitter

Baak et al., arXiv:1407.3792

# Oblique parameters



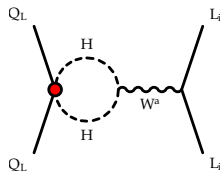
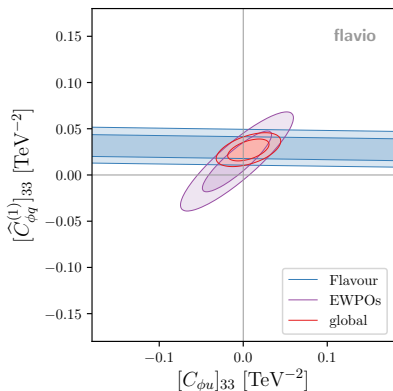
- ▶ Reproducing the EWPO constraint on the electroweak  $S$  and  $T$  parameters

$$S \propto C_{\phi WB}, \quad T \propto -C_{\phi D}$$

$$O_{\phi D} = \left( \phi^\dagger D^\mu \phi \right)^* \left( \phi^\dagger D_\mu \phi \right)$$

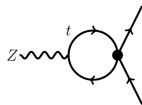
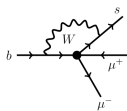
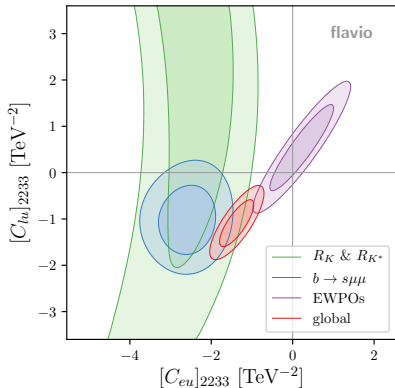
$$O_{\phi WB} = \phi^\dagger \tau^I \phi W_{\mu\nu}^I B^{\mu\nu}$$

# EWPT vs. $B$ constraints on modified $t$ couplings



- ▶ Modifications of LH vs. RH  $Zt\bar{t}$  couplings (in basis where up-type quark mass matrix is diagonal)
- ▶ Complementarity between flavour ( $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ ) and EW ( $Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ , T) constraints
  - ▶ Brod, Greljo, Stamou, Uttayarat, arXiv:1408.0792
- ▶ Plot: WC at 1 TeV, up-aligned basis

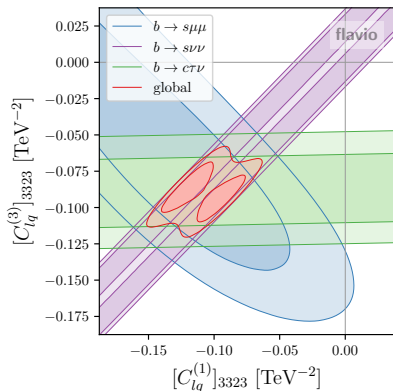
# B anomalies from NP in top



- ▶  $[C_{eu}]_{2233}$ , i.e. RH  $tt\mu\mu$  operator, suggested as solution to  $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$  anomalies in [Celis et al., arXiv:1704.05672](#)
  - ▶ see  $Z'$  model in [Kamenik et al., arXiv:1704.06005](#)
- ▶ Later realized that there are strong constraints from  $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$  [Camargo-Molina, Celis, Faroughy, arXiv:1805.04917](#)
- ▶ Plot: WC at 1 TeV

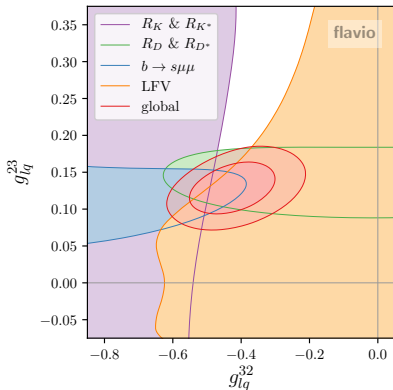


# LLLL solutions to B anomalies



- ▶ Using models that generate  $C_{lq}^{(3)}$  with flavour  $\tau\tau sb$  are prime candidates to explain  $R_{D^{(*)}}$
- ▶ Strong constraint from bounds on  $B \rightarrow K\nu\nu$  probing  $b \rightarrow s\nu_\tau\bar{\nu}_\tau$  unless  $C_{lq}^{(1)} \approx C_{lq}^{(3)}$  Buras et al., arXiv:1409.4557
- ▶ Radiatively induced lepton flavour *universal* contribution to  $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$  and thus also explain  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$  anomalies Bobeth, Haisch, arXiv:1109.1826  
Crivellin, Greub, Müller, Saturnino, arXiv:1807.02068
- ▶ (Explaining  $R_{K^{(*)}}$  possible by directly coupling to muons)
- ▶ Plot: WC at 1 TeV

# Vector leptoquark ( $U_1$ ) solution to $B$ anomalies



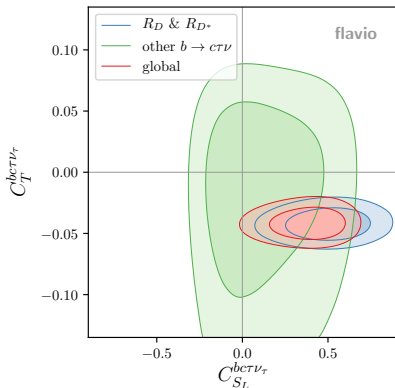
- ▶ Suggested in Barbieri et al., arXiv:1512.01560
- ▶ Does not generate  $B \rightarrow K\nu\nu$  at tree level  
Buras, Girschbach-Noe, Niehoff, Straub, arXiv:1409.4557
- ▶ Couplings:

$$\mathcal{L}_{U_1} \supset g_{lq}^{ij} (\bar{l}_L^i \gamma^\mu q_L^j) U_\mu + \text{h.c.}$$

- ▶  $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$  requires  $g_{lq}^{22} g_{lq}^{23*}$
- ▶  $b \rightarrow c\tau\nu$  requires  $g_{lq}^{32} g_{lq}^{33*}$
- ▶  $\tau \rightarrow \phi\mu$  constrains  $g_{lq}^{32} g_{lq}^{22*}$

$$m_{U_1} = 1 \text{ TeV} \quad g_{lq}^{33} = 1 \quad g_{lq}^{22} = 0.04^2 \approx V_{cb}^2$$

# Scalar and tensor operator explanation of $R_{D^{(*)}}$



- ▶ This combination is generated with  $C_{S_L}^{bc\tau\nu\tau} = -4C_T^{bc\tau\nu\tau}$  at matching scale by  $S_1$  leptoquark  
 Becirevic, Sumensari, arXiv:1704.05835
- ▶ New result:  
 second, disjoint solution with large tensor Wilson coefficient excluded by new, preliminary Belle measurement of longitudinal polarization fraction  $F_L$  in  $B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$  Nishida, Talk given at CKM 2018