

# Model independent view of $b \rightarrow s\ell^-\ell^+$

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# A very brief history of $b \rightarrow s$ transitions

- $B \rightarrow K^* \gamma, B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$  – first penguins were seen [CLEO '93, '94]
- $B \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^-, B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+ \ell^-$
- $B_s$  mixing observed [CDF '06]
- CP violation in  $B_s$  mixing (compatible with small SM prediction) [D0, CDF '09, LHCb '11]
- LHC is now closing in on the SM  $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$

$$\mathcal{B}^{\text{th-SM}} = (3.1 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-9}$$

$\in [2.8, 44] \times 10^{-9}$  [CDF]

$< 7.7 \times 10^{-9}$  [CMS]

$< 4.5 \times 10^{-9}$  [LHCb]

# Motivation

- What information  $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  still holds about NP?
- Scalar operators first to show up
- Turn the anticipated enhancement in supersymmetry into a strong constraint.  $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  can be suppressed as well.
- Few structures enter the prediction of  $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$

$$C_S - C'_S, \quad C_P - C'_P, \quad C_{10} - C'_{10}$$

Decay constant  $f_{B_s}$  known with good precision.

- Orthogonal to this,  $B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^-$ , probes,

$$C_S + C'_S, \quad C_P + C'_P, \quad C_{10} + C'_{10}$$

+  $C_{9,T,T5}^{(\prime)}$ . Form factor uncertainties are moderate.

- $C_{10}^{(\prime)}$  could be further searched for in  $B \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^-$

# Outline

1 Introduction

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- Pseudoscalars  $C_P, C'_P$

5  $C_S$  and  $C_P$  (SUSY)

6 Axial vector operators  $C_{10}, C'_{10}$

7 Conclusion

$(\bar{s}\Gamma b)(\bar{\ell}\Gamma'\ell)$  effective Hamiltonian at  $\mu_b$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \left[ \sum_{i=1}^6 C_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}_i(\mu) + \sum_{i=7,8,9,10,P,S} (C_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}_i(\mu) + C'_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}'_i(\mu)) \right]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_7 = \frac{em_b}{g^2} (\bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu} P_R b) F^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_8 = \frac{m_b}{g} (\bar{s} \sigma_{\mu\nu} T^a P_R b) G^{\mu\nu,a}$$

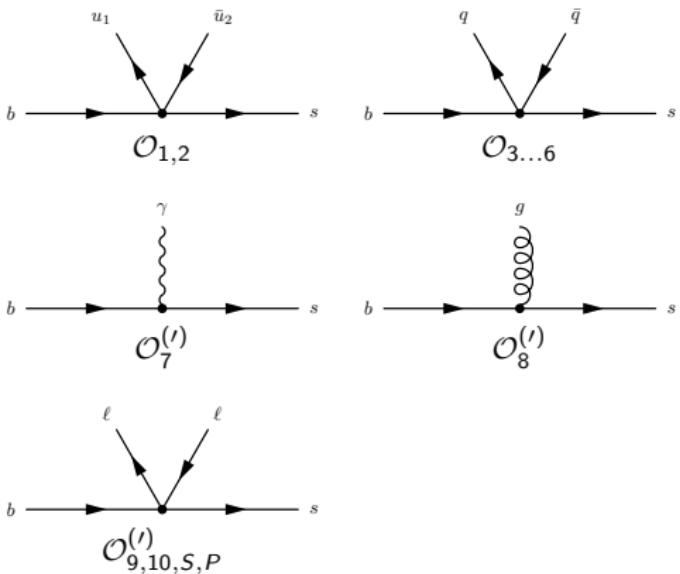
$$\mathcal{O}_9 = \frac{e^2}{g^2} (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_L b)(\bar{\ell} \gamma^\mu \ell)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{10} = \frac{e^2}{g^2} (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_L b)(\bar{\ell}\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \ell)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_S = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s}P_R b)(\bar{\ell}\ell)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_P = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s} P_R b)(\bar{\ell} \gamma_5 \ell)$$

$$+ \mathcal{O}'_{7...P} / .\{ P_L \leftrightarrow P_R \}$$



# $(\bar{s}\Gamma b)(\bar{\ell}\Gamma'\ell)$ effective Hamiltonian at $\mu_b$

- Amplitudes are compactly represented in terms of effective Wilson coefficients

$$C_7^{\text{eff}} = \frac{4\pi}{\alpha_s} C_7 - \frac{1}{3} C_3 - \frac{4}{9} C_4 - \frac{20}{3} C_5 - \frac{80}{9} C_6$$

$$C_8^{\text{eff}} = \frac{4\pi}{\alpha_s} C_8 + C_3 - \frac{1}{6} C_4 + 20 C_5 - \frac{10}{3} C_6 \quad \text{likewise for } C_i^{\text{eff}}$$

$$C_9^{\text{eff}} = \frac{4\pi}{\alpha_s} C_9 \quad (+Y(q^2))$$

$$C_{10}^{\text{eff}} = \frac{4\pi}{\alpha_s} C_{10}$$

- SM values, NNLL [Altmanshofer '08]

$$C_1 = -0.257 \quad C_2 = 1.009 \quad C_3 = -0.005 \quad C_4 = -0.078 \quad C_5 = 0.0 \quad C_6 = 0.001$$

$$C_7^{\text{eff}} = -0.304 \quad C_8^{\text{eff}} = -0.167$$

$$C_9^{\text{eff}} = 4.211 \quad C_{10}^{\text{eff}} = -4.103$$

$$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

- Only  $C_{10}^{(\prime)}$  helicity suppressed

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma(B_s \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-) = \frac{G_F^2 \alpha^2}{64\pi^3} \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_\ell^2}{m_{B_s}^2}} & m_{B_s}^3 f_{B_s}^2 |V_{tb} V_{ts}|^2 \left[ |C_S - C'_S|^2 \frac{m_{B_s}^2}{m_b^2} (1 - 4m_\ell^2/m_{B_s}^2) \right. \\ & \left. + \left| (C_P - C'_P) \frac{m_{B_s}}{m_b} + \frac{2m_\ell}{m_{B_s}} (\mathbf{C}_{10} - C'_{10}) \right|^2 \right]\end{aligned}$$

- Small hadronic uncertainties:  $f_{B_s} = 234 \pm 6$  MeV, [Naive avg. of ETMC, Fermilab-MILC, HPQCD results]

- Prediction with  $C_{10}^{\text{SM}}$ , while  $C'_{10} = C_S^{(\prime)} = C_P^{(\prime)} = 0$

$$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.1 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-9}$$

- LHCb bound

$$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 4.5 \times 10^{-9} \quad (95\% \text{CL})$$

- Decay with  $\ell = e$  is further suppressed in the SM. Clean test of  $C_S$ ,  $C_P$ .

# $B \rightarrow K \ell^+ \ell^-$ spectrum

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2}(B \rightarrow K \ell^+ \ell^-) \sim \sqrt{\lambda(q^2)} \beta_\ell(q^2) \left[ q^2 (\beta_\ell^2 |F_S|^2 + |F_P|^2) + \frac{\lambda(q^2)}{6} (|F_A|^2 + |F_V|^2) + 2m_\ell(m_B^2 - m_K^2 + q^2) \operatorname{Re}(F_P F_A^*) \right. \\ \left. + 4m_\ell^2 m_B^2 |F_A|^2 \right]$$

$$F_A(q^2) = f_+(q^2)(C_{10} + C'_{10}) \quad F_S(q^2) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_B^2 - m_K^2}{m_b} f_0(q^2)(C_S + C'_S) \\ F_V(q^2) = f_+(q^2)(C_9 + C'_9) + \frac{2m_b}{m_B + m_K} f_T(C_7 + C'_7) \\ F_P(q^2) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{m_B^2 - m_K^2}{m_b} f_0(q^2)(C_P + C'_P) - m_\ell(C_{10} + C'_{10}) \left[ f_+(q^2) - \frac{m_B^2 - m_K^2}{q^2} (f_0(q^2) - f_+(q^2)) \right]$$

- $B \rightarrow K$  form factors

$$C_7^{(\prime)} \rightarrow f_T$$

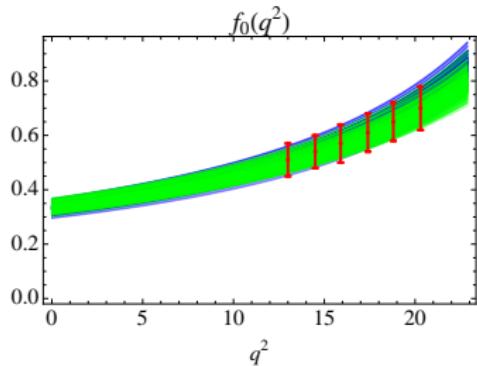
$$C_{9,10}^{(\prime)} \rightarrow f_+(q^2), f_0(q^2)$$

$$C_{S,P}^{(\prime)} \rightarrow f_0/m_b$$

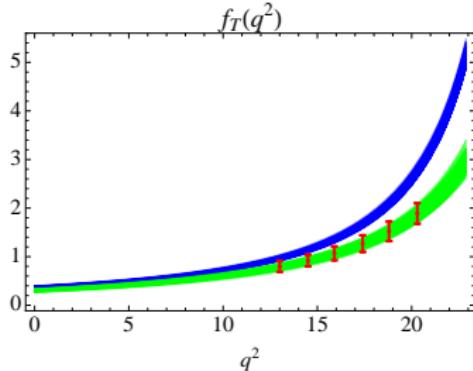
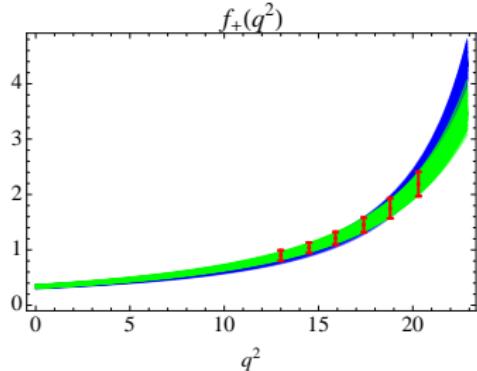
$$\langle K(k) | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu b | B(p) \rangle = \left[ (p+k)_\mu - \frac{m_B^2 - m_K^2}{q^2} q_\mu \right] f_+(q^2) + \frac{m_B^2 - m_K^2}{q^2} q_\mu f_0(q^2) \\ \langle K(k) | \bar{s} \sigma_{\mu\nu} b | B(p) \rangle = i(p_\mu k_\nu - p_\nu k_\mu) \frac{2f_T(q^2)}{m_B + m_K}$$

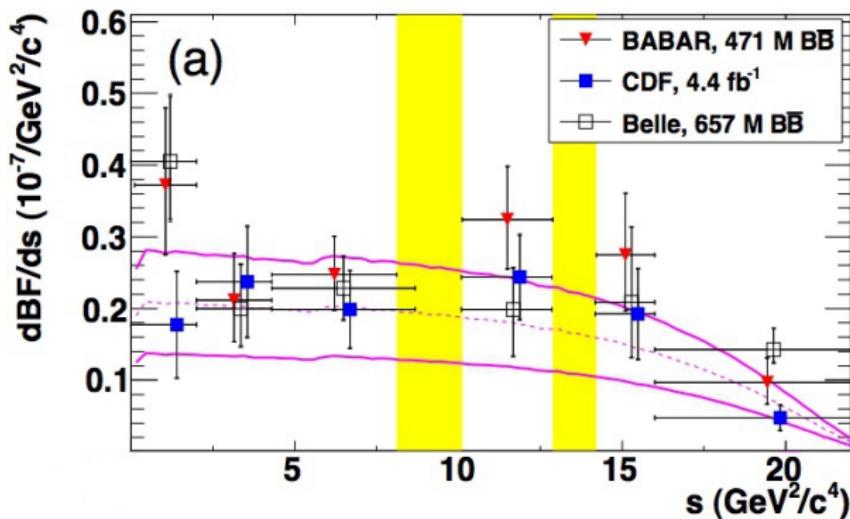
- Dominant uncertainties come from the form factors.
- Wide range of  $q^2 \in [0, (m_B - m_K)^2]$ . Opportunities for different nonperturbative techniques.

# $B \rightarrow K\ell^+\ell^-$ form factors



Light cone QCD sum rules [Ball '05; Khodjamirian '07],  
Lattice QCD  
Lattice points (quenched) [Abada '01]



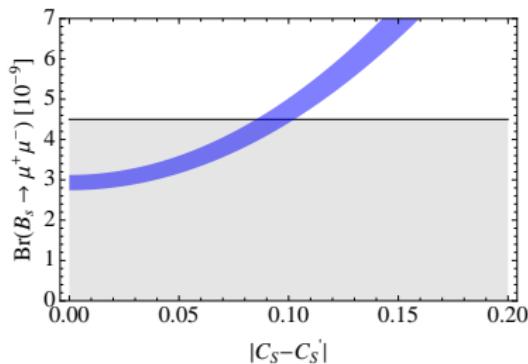


$$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K\ell^+\ell^-) = (4.7 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-7} \quad [\text{BaBar '12}]$$

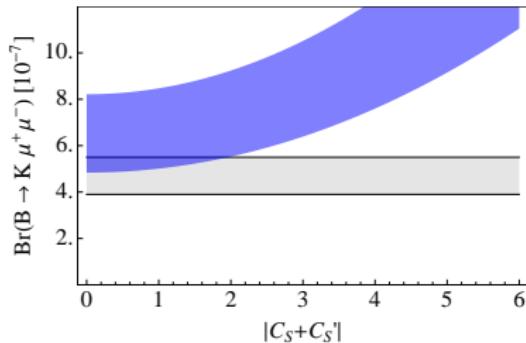
- Caveat: a sum of  $\mu$  and  $e$  final states (assume lepton universality and work with  $\mu$ )
- Narrow resonances (yellow region) cut out.

# Scalar operators

- SM +  $C_S, C'_S$
- $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow |C_S - C'_S|$  NO helicity suppression
- $B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow |C_S + C'_S|$



LHCb 2012,  $\mathcal{B} < 4.5 \times 10^{-9}$

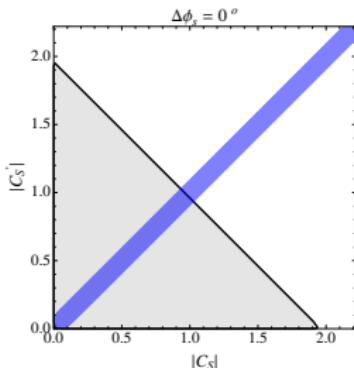


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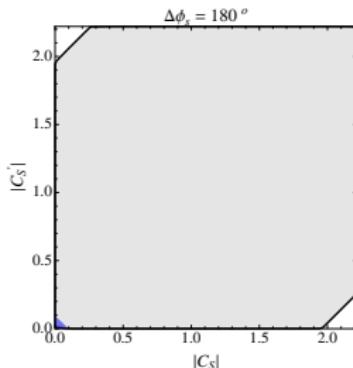
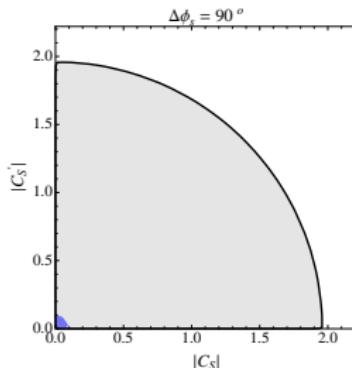
More precise form factors could exclude this scenario altogether

# Scalar operators

- Both regions are ellipses in  $|C_S|$ ,  $|C'_S|$  plane
- Constraints strongly depend on relative phase  $\Delta\phi_S$   
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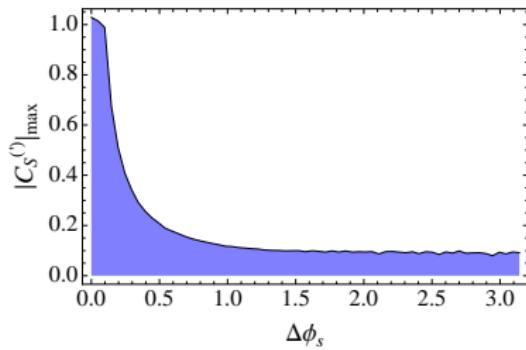
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- Inclusive  $B \rightarrow X_s\mu^+\mu^-$  is less sensitive
- No transverse asymmetry in  $B \rightarrow K^*\mu^+\mu^-$

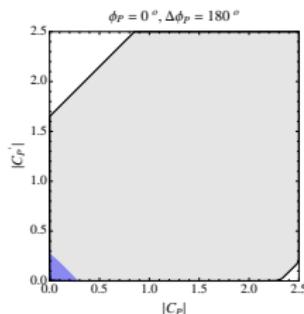
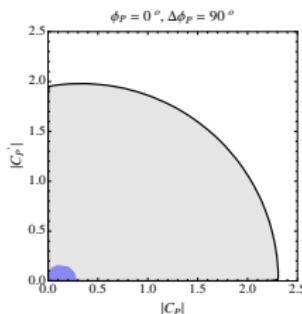
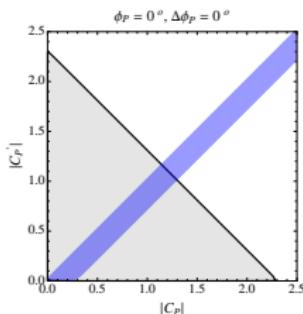
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Strong constraint  $|C_S^{(\prime)}| \lesssim 0.1$ , unless relative phase is small

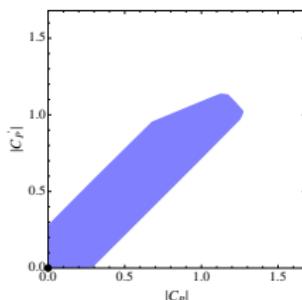


# Pseudoscalar operators

- $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow |C_P - C'_P + 2m_\ell/m_{B_s} C_{10}^{\text{SM}}|$  No helicity suppression
- $B \rightarrow K\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow |C_P + C'_P - \#m_\ell/m_B C_{10}^{\text{SM}}|$
- Relative  $\Delta\phi_P$  and absolute  $\phi_P$  phase dependence  
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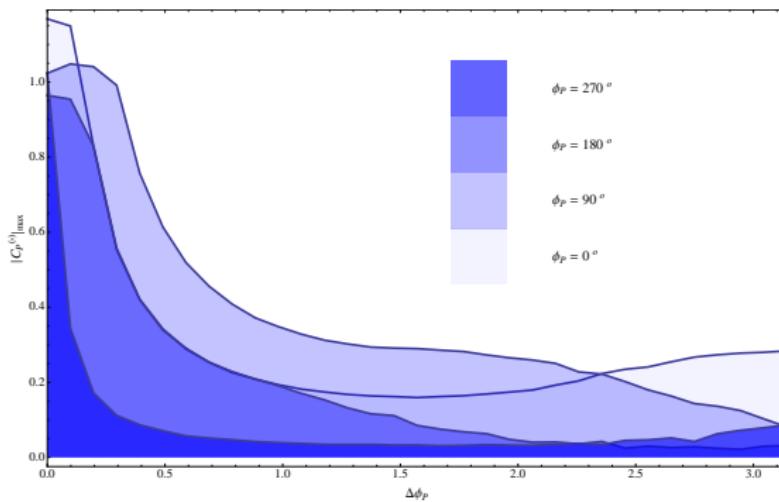


Phase-independent:



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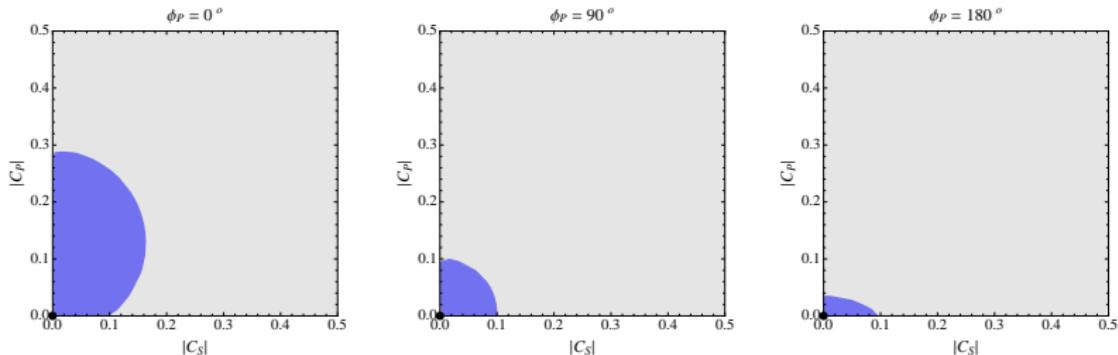
$|C_P^{(\prime)}| \lesssim 0.4$  for  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  relative phase.



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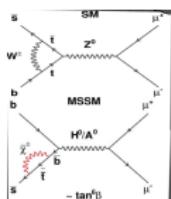


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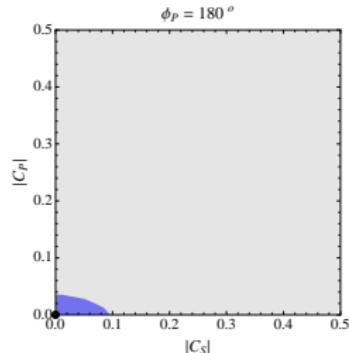
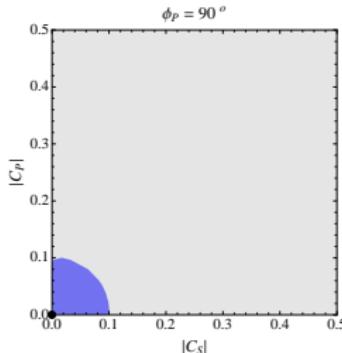
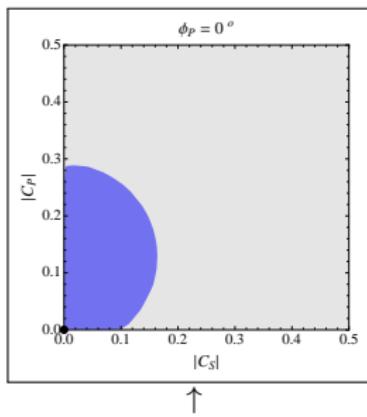
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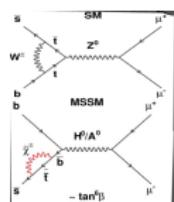


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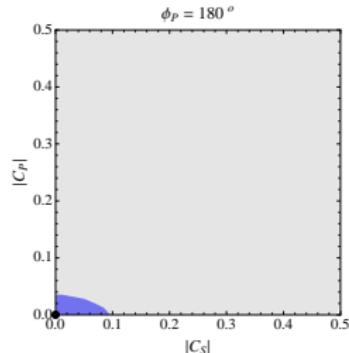
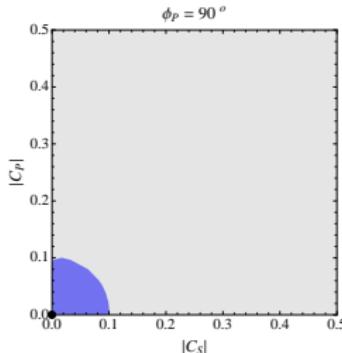
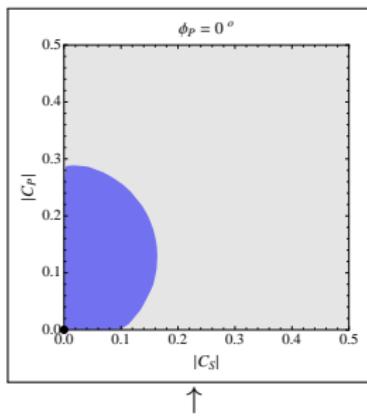
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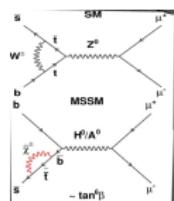


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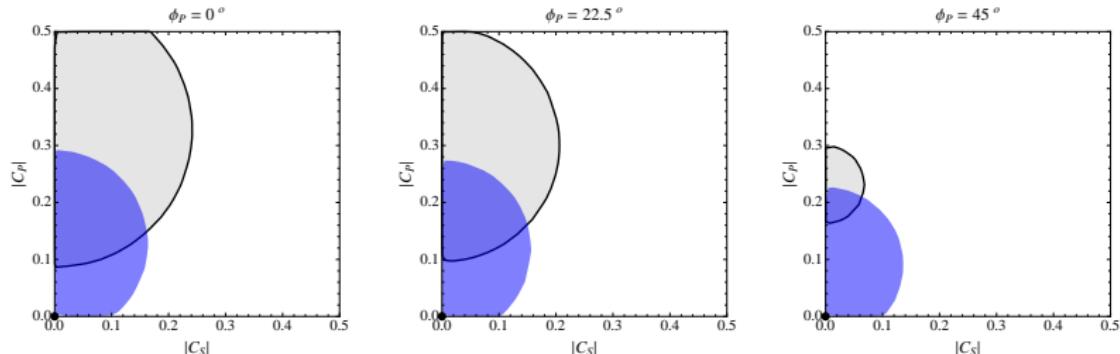
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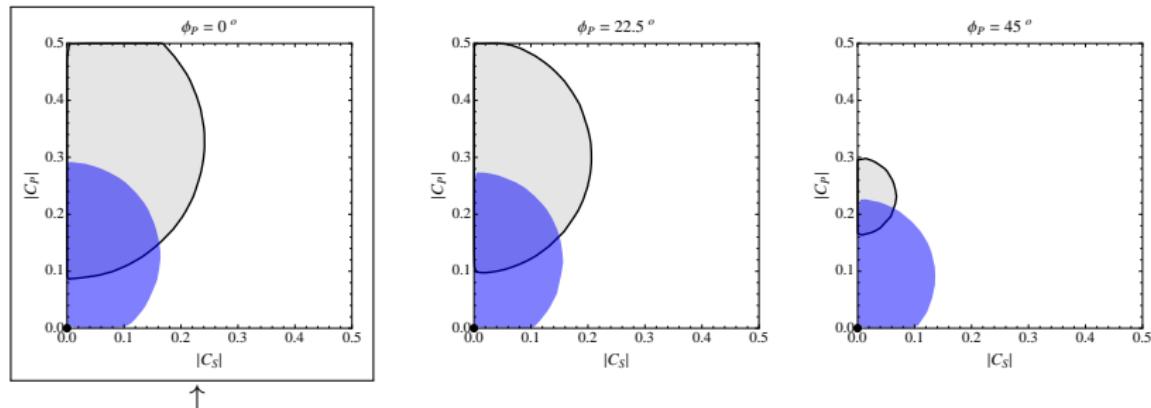


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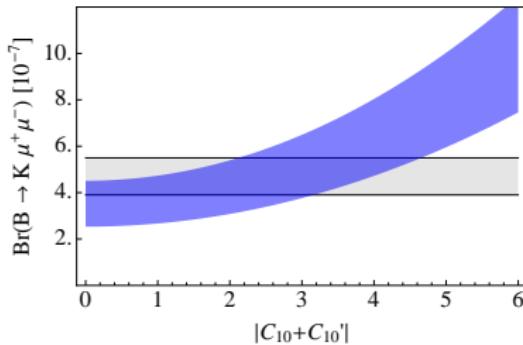
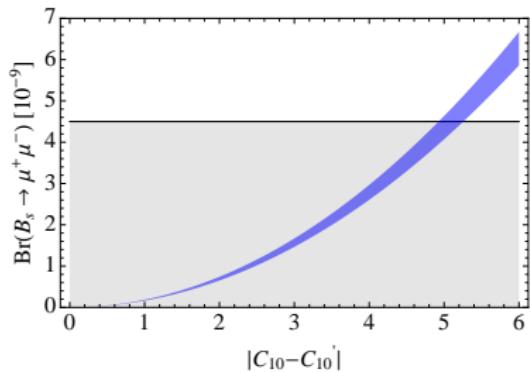


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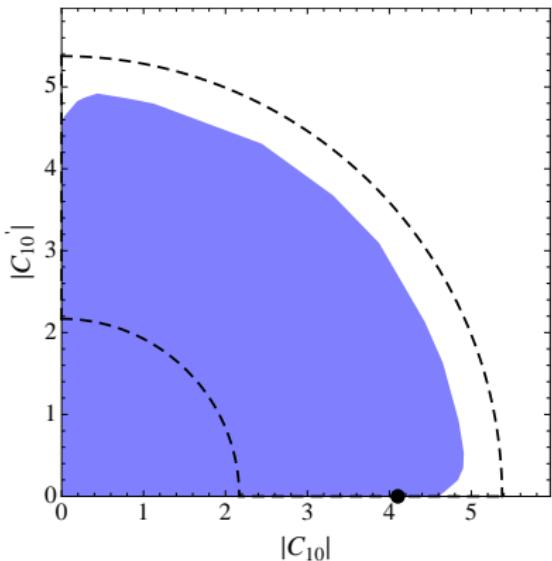
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- Right-handed currents, colored scalars



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- Both regions are ellipses in  $|C_{10}|$ ,  $|C'_{10}|$  plane



- Blue =  $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  &  $B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^-$
- Dashed =  $B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+ \ell^-$

Presence of  $C'_{10}$  can be cross-checked in  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$  transverse asymmetries

# A word on tensors and FB asymmetry

- We assumed NO tensor contributions to  $B \rightarrow K\mu^+\mu^-$

$$\mathcal{O}_T = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s}\sigma^{\mu\nu} b)(\bar{\ell}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\ell) \quad \mathcal{O}_{T5} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s}\sigma^{\mu\nu} b)(\bar{\ell}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_5\ell)$$

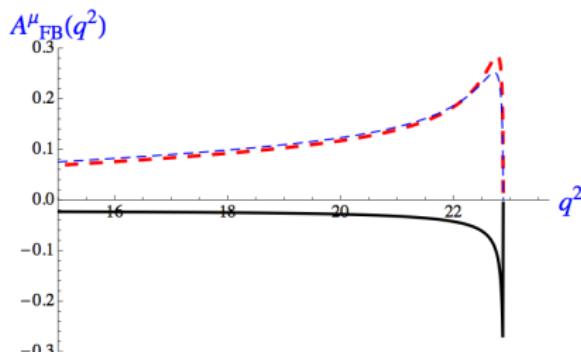
Assumption testable in

- $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s\mu^+\mu^-)$

$$\int_{1 \text{ GeV}^2}^{6 \text{ GeV}^2} \frac{d\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s\mu^+\mu^-)}{dq^2} dq^2 = 1.59(17) \times 10^{-6} [1 + 0.59(2)(|C_T|^2 + |C_{T5}|^2)]$$

- Forward-backward asymmetry of  $B \rightarrow K\mu^+\mu^-$

$$A_{FB}^\ell(q^2) = \frac{2 \mathcal{C}(q^2)}{\Gamma_\ell} \frac{m_B - m_K}{m_b} \sqrt{\lambda(q^2)} f_0(q^2) \left\{ (C_S C_T + C_P C_{T5}) q^2 f_T(q^2) \right. \\ \left. + m_\ell \left[ C_S (C_9(m_B + m_K) f_P(q^2) + 2m_b (C_S C_7 + 2C_{T5} C_{10}) f_T(q^2)) \right] + \mathcal{O}(m_\ell^2) \right\}$$



- $C_T = C_{T5} = 1.6$
- Thick  $\rightarrow C_S = C_P = 0$
- Dashed  $\rightarrow \{C_S, C_P\} = (1, 0)$

# Conclusions

- $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  is sensitive to (pseudo)scalar operators
$$(\bar{s}P_{L,R}b)(\bar{\ell}(\gamma_5)\ell)$$
- Only one hadronic parameter enters,  $f_{B_s}$
- $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K\ell^+\ell^-)$  is sensitive to (pseudo)scalars + vector operators (+tensors)
- With respect to  $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  it probes the effective Hamiltonian in the “orthogonal” direction
- Improvement in form factors calculation would make the two observables a high resolution probe of scalar operators
- For vector operators cross check is possible with spectrum of  $B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+\ell^-$  and transverse asymmetries in  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$

# Backup

$q^2$ -dependent contributions to  $C_9^{\text{eff}}$

$$Y(q^2) = \frac{4}{3}C_3 + \frac{64}{9}C_5 + \frac{64}{27}C_6 - \frac{1}{2}h(q^2, 0) \left( C_3 + \frac{4}{3}C_4 + 16C_5 + \frac{64}{3}C_6 \right)$$
$$+ h(q^2, m_c) \left( \frac{4}{3}C_1 + C_2 + 6C_3 + 60C_5 \right) - \frac{1}{2}h(q^2, m_b) \left( 7C_3 + \frac{4}{3}C_4 + 76C_5 + \frac{64}{3}C_6 \right)$$

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

$$c_\ell(q^2) = C(q^2)\beta_\ell(q^2) \left[ q^2(\beta_\ell^2 |F_T|^2 + |F_{T5}|^2) - \frac{\lambda(q^2)}{4}(|F_A|^2 + |F_V|^2) + 2m_\ell\sqrt{\lambda(q^2)}\beta_\ell \text{Re}(F_T F_V^*) 4m_\ell^2 m_B^2 |F_A|^2 \right]$$