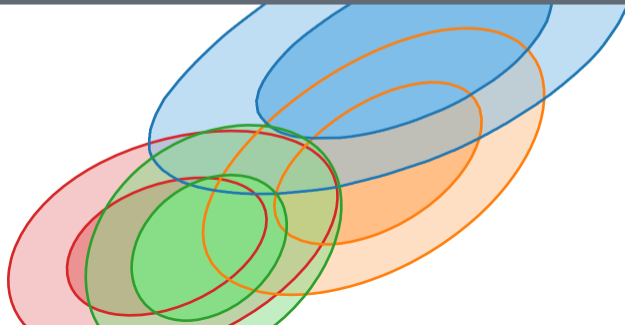


Status of the global $b \rightarrow sll$ fits

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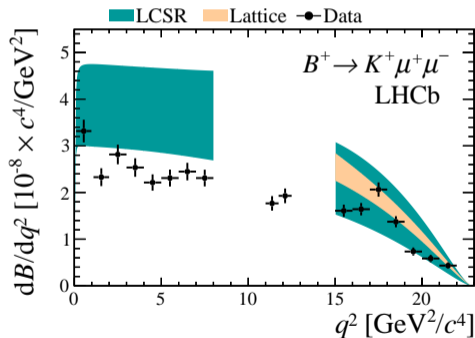
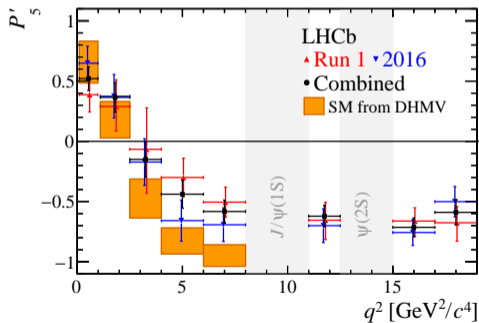


The $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ anomalies

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

Several LHCb measurements deviate from Standard model (SM) predictions* by 2-3 σ :

- ▶ Angular observables in $B^{(0,+)} \rightarrow K^{*(0,+)} \mu^+ \mu^-$ LHCb, arXiv:2003.04831, arXiv:2012.13241
- ▶ 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, arXiv:2105.14007



*: based on hadronic assumptions on which there is no theory consensus yet

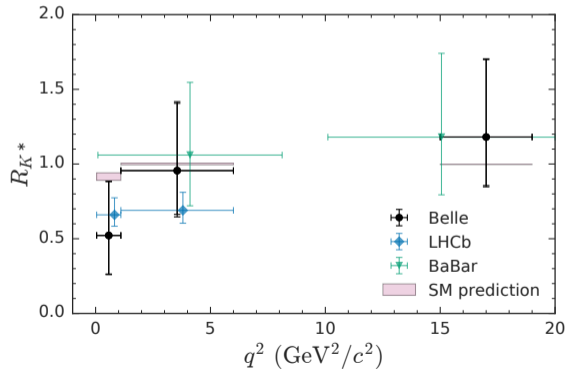
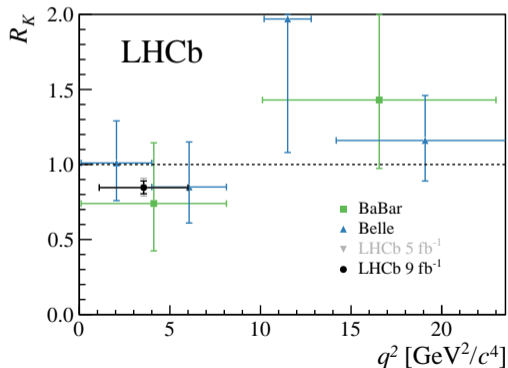
LFU violation in $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ decays (up to Dec. 2022)

Measurements of LFU ratios $R_{K^*}^{[0.045, 1.1]}$, $R_{K^*}^{[1.1, 6]}$, $R_K^{[1, 6]}$ showed deviations from SM by 2.3, 2.5, and 3.1 σ

LHCb, arXiv:1705.05802, arXiv:2103.11769

Belle, arXiv:1904.02440, arXiv:1908.01848

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

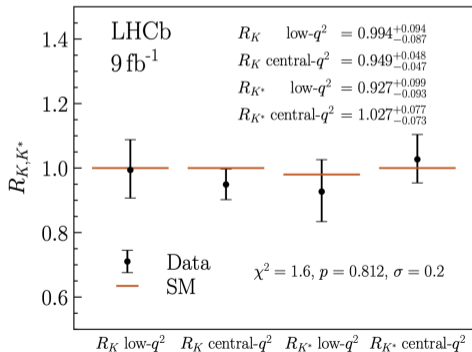


LFU violation in $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ decays

New LHCb measurement of the LFU ratios $R_K^{[0.1,1.1]}$, $R_K^{[1.1,6]}$, $R_{K^*}^{[0.1,1.1]}$, $R_{K^*}^{[1.1,6]}$

LHCb, arXiv:2212.09152, arXiv:2212.09153.

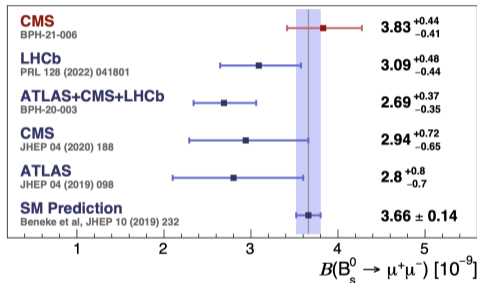
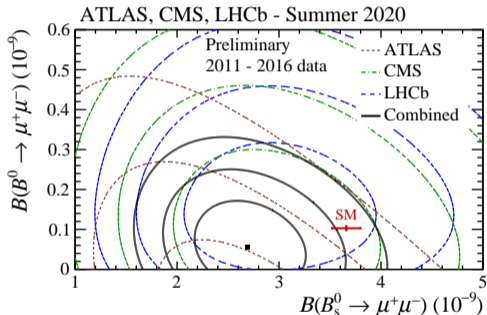
- ▶ sample of B meson decays in pp collisions collected between 2011 and 2018 (integrated luminosity of 9 fb^{-1})
- ▶ new modelling of residual backgrounds due to misidentified hadronic decays
- ▶ deviations from SM by $\sim -0.0, +1.1, +0.5$ and -0.4σ



Leptonic modes $B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

Measurements of $\mathcal{B}(B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$ by LHCb, CMS, and ATLAS show deviations of only about $\sim 1\sigma$ with respect to SM predictions*

ATLAS, arXiv:1812.03017
 CMS, arXiv:1910.12127, **2212.10311**
 LHCb, arXiv:1703.05747, 2108.09283



ATLAS update missing \Rightarrow full Run 1 + Run 2 LHC combination

*: depends on parameters like V_{cb}

Bobeth, Buras, arXiv:2104.09521

Theoretical Framework

$b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ in the Weak Effective Theory

► Effective Hamiltonian at scale m_b : $\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff, sl}} + \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff, had}}$

► **Semileptonic operators:** $(\mathcal{N} = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \approx (34 \text{ TeV})^{-2})$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff, sl}} = -\mathcal{N} \left(\mathcal{C}_7 O_7 + \mathcal{C}'_7 O'_7 + \sum_{\ell} \sum_{i=9,10,P,S} \left(\mathcal{C}_i^{\ell} O_i^{\ell} + \mathcal{C}'_i{}^{\ell} O_i{}^{\prime\ell} \right) \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$O_7^{(\prime)} = \frac{m_b}{e} (\bar{s} \sigma_{\mu\nu} P_{R(L)} b) F^{\mu\nu}, \quad O_9^{(\prime)\ell} = (\bar{s} \gamma_{\mu} P_{L(R)} b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^{\mu} \ell), \quad O_{10}^{(\prime)\ell} = (\bar{s} \gamma_{\mu} P_{L(R)} b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma_5 \ell).$$

$$\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{SM}} \simeq -0.3, \quad \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{SM}} \simeq 4, \quad \mathcal{C}_{10}^{\text{SM}} \simeq -4.$$

Not considered here: (pseudo)scalar $O_{P,S}$ vanish in SM, could appear at dim. 6 in SMEFT (and tensor O_T only at dim. 8 in SMEFT)

► **Hadronic operators:**

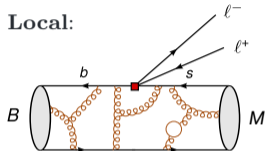
$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff, had}} = -\mathcal{N} \frac{16\pi^2}{e^2} \left(\mathcal{C}_8 O_8 + \mathcal{C}'_8 O'_8 + \sum_{i=1,\dots,6} \mathcal{C}_i O_i \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\text{e.g. } O_1 = (\bar{s} \gamma_{\mu} P_L T^a c) (\bar{c} \gamma^{\mu} P_L T^a b), \quad O_2 = (\bar{s} \gamma_{\mu} P_L c) (\bar{c} \gamma^{\mu} P_L b).$$

Theory of $B \rightarrow M \ell \ell$ decays ($M = K, K^*, \phi$)

$$\mathcal{M}(B \rightarrow M \ell \ell) = \langle M \ell \ell | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | B \rangle = \mathcal{N} \left[(\mathcal{A}_V^\mu + \mathcal{H}^\mu) \bar{u}_\ell \gamma_\mu v_\ell + \mathcal{A}_A^\mu \bar{u}_\ell \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 v_\ell + \mathcal{A}_S \bar{u}_\ell v_\ell + \mathcal{A}_P \bar{u}_\ell \gamma_5 v_\ell \right]$$

Local:

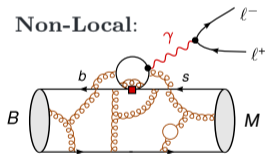


$$\mathcal{A}_V^\mu = -\frac{2im_b}{q^2} \mathcal{C}_7 \langle M | \bar{s} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu P_R b | B \rangle + \mathcal{C}_9 \langle M | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu P_L b | B \rangle + (P_L \leftrightarrow P_R, \mathcal{C}_i \rightarrow \mathcal{C}'_i)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_A^\mu = \mathcal{C}_{10} \langle M | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu P_L b | B \rangle + (P_L \leftrightarrow P_R, \mathcal{C}_i \rightarrow \mathcal{C}'_i)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{S,P} = \mathcal{C}_{S,P} \langle M | \bar{s} P_R b | B \rangle + (P_L \leftrightarrow P_R, \mathcal{C}_i \rightarrow \mathcal{C}'_i)$$

Non-Local:



$$\mathcal{H}^\mu = \frac{-16i\pi^2}{q^2} \sum_{i=1, \dots, 6, 8} \mathcal{C}_i \int dx^4 e^{iq \cdot x} \langle M | T \{ j_{\text{em}}^\mu(x), O_i(0) \} | B \rangle, \quad j_{\text{em}}^\mu = \sum_q Q_q \bar{q} \gamma^\mu q$$

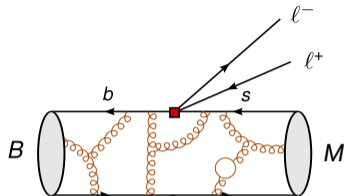
► **Wilson coefficients** $\mathcal{C}_i = \mathcal{C}_i^{\text{SM}} + \mathcal{C}_i^{\text{NP}}$:

perturbative, short-distance physics (q^2 independent), well-known in SM, parameterise heavy NP

► **local** and **non-local** hadronic matrix elements:

non-perturbative, long-distance physics (q^2 dependent), **main source of uncertainty**

Local matrix elements



$$\mathcal{A}_V^\mu = -\frac{2im_b}{q^2} \mathcal{C}_7 \langle M | \bar{s} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu P_R b | B \rangle + \mathcal{C}_9 \langle M | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu P_L b | B \rangle + (P_L \leftrightarrow P_R, C_i \rightarrow C'_i)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_A^\mu = \mathcal{C}_{10} \langle M | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu P_L b | B \rangle + (P_L \leftrightarrow P_R, C_i \rightarrow C'_i)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{S,P} = \mathcal{C}_{S,P} \langle M | \bar{s} P_R b | B \rangle + (P_L \leftrightarrow P_R, C_i \rightarrow C'_i)$$

- ▶ $\langle M | \bar{s} \Gamma_i b | B \rangle$ matrix elements are parameterised by:

- ▶ **3 form factors** for each **spin zero** final state $M = K$
- ▶ **7 form factors** for each **spin one** final state $M = K^*, \phi$

- ▶ Determination of form factors

- ▶ high q^2 : **Lattice QCD**

HPQCD, arXiv:1306.2384,2207.12468

Fermilab, MILC, arXiv:1509.06235

Horgan, Liu, Meinel, Wingate, arXiv:1310.3722, arXiv:1501.00367

- ▶ low q^2 : **Continuum methods**
e.g. Light-cone sum rules (LCSR)

Ball, Zwicky, arXiv:hep-ph/0406232

Khodjamirian, Mannel, Pivovarov, Wang, arXiv:1006.4945

Bharucha, Straub, Zwicky, arXiv:1503.05534

Gubernari, Kokulu, van Dyk, arXiv:1811.00983

- ▶ low + high q^2 : Combined fit to **continuum methods** + **lattice** / **lattice**

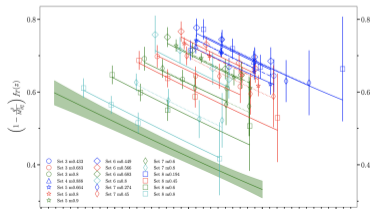
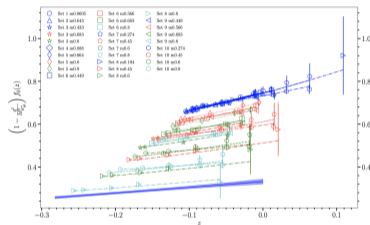
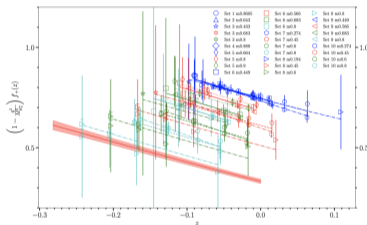
Altmannshofer, Straub, arXiv:1411.3161

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Theory Update: $B \rightarrow K$ lattice form factors at all q^2

- ▶ Lattice QCD calculation of the $B \rightarrow K$ form factors **across the full physical q^2 range**
 - ⇒ highly improved staggered quark (HISQ) formalism (valence quarks)
 - ⇒ gluon field configurations by MILC
 - ⇒ first fully relativistic calculation, using the heavy-HISQ method

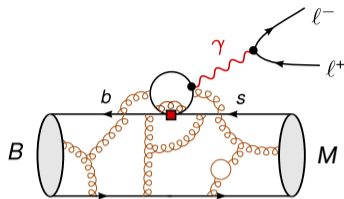


Non-negligible impact on $B \rightarrow K\ell\ell$ observables

Predictions with HPQCD'22 Form Factors			
$10^7 \times \mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)$	Standard Model	Experiment	Pull
[0.1, 0.98]	0.320 ± 0.025	0.29 ± 0.02	+0.8
[1.1, 2]	0.329 ± 0.025	0.21 ± 0.02	+3.9
[2, 3]	0.365 ± 0.027	0.28 ± 0.02	+2.4
[3, 4]	0.366 ± 0.027	0.25 ± 0.02	+3.3
[4, 5]	0.366 ± 0.028	0.22 ± 0.02	+4.4
[5, 6]	0.366 ± 0.029	0.23 ± 0.02	+3.9
[6, 7]	0.367 ± 0.032	0.25 ± 0.02	+3.3
[7, 8]	0.371 ± 0.042	0.23 ± 0.02	+3.1
[15, 22]	1.150 ± 0.159	0.85 ± 0.05	+1.8

HPQCD, arXiv:2207.12468
 LHCb, arXiv:1403.8044

Non-local matrix elements



$$\mathcal{H}^\mu = \frac{-16i\pi^2}{q^2} \sum_{i=1..6,8} c_i \int dx^4 e^{iq \cdot x} \langle M | T \{ j_{em}^\mu(x), O_i(0) \} | B \rangle$$

$$j_{em}^\mu = \sum_q Q_q \bar{q} \gamma^\mu q$$

- ▶ Contributions at low q^2 from QCD factorization (QCDF) Beneke, Feldmann, Seidel, arXiv:hep-ph/0106067
- ▶ **Beyond-QCDF** contributions **the main source of uncertainty**
- ▶ Non-local contributions can mimic New Physics in \mathcal{C}_9
- ▶ Several approaches to estimate beyond-QCDF contributions at low q^2
 - ▶ fit of sum of resonances to data Blake, Egede, Owen, Pomery, Petridis, arXiv:1709.03921
 - ▶ direct fit to angular data Ciuchini, Fedele, Franco, Mishima, Paul, Silvestrini, Valli, arXiv:1512.07157
 - ▶ Light-Cone Sum Rules estimates Khodjamirian, Mannel, Pivovarov, Wang, arXiv:1006.4945
Gubernari, van Dyk, Virto, arXiv:2011.09813
 - ▶ analyticity + experimental data on $b \rightarrow sc\bar{c}$ Bobeth, Chraszcz, van Dyk, Virto, arXiv:1707.07305
Gubernari, van Dyk, Virto, arXiv:2011.09813

Fit setup

$b \rightarrow sll$ global analyses

Results presented here by:

- ▶ **ABCDMN** (M. Algueró, A. Biswas, B. Capdevila, S. Descotes-Genon, J. Matias, M. Novoa-Brunet)
Statistical framework: χ^2 -fit, based on private code [arXiv:2304.07330](#)
- ▶ **AS / GSSS** (W. Altmannshofer, P. Stangl / A. Greljo, J. Salko, A. Smolkovic, P. Stangl)
Statistical framework: χ^2 -fit, based on public code **flavio** [arXiv:2212.10497](#).
- ▶ **CFFPSV** (M. Ciuchini, M. Fedele, E. Franco, A. Paul, L. Silvestrini, M. Valli)
Statistical framework: Bayesian MCMC fit, based on public code **HEPfit** [arXiv:2212.10516](#)
- ▶ **HMMN** (T. Hurth, F. Mahmoudi, D. Martínez-Santos, S. Neshatpour)
Statistical framework: χ^2 -fit, based on public code **SuperIso** [arXiv:23xx.xxxxxx](#)

See also similar fits by other groups:

- ▶ N. Gubernari, M. Reboud, D. van Dyk, J. Virto
Statistical framework: Bayesian fit with improved parameterisation of non-local matrix elements, based on public code EOS (see Nico Gubernari & Javier Virto's talks) [arXiv:2206.03797](#)

Geng et al., [arXiv:2103.12738](#), Alok et al., [arXiv:1903.09617](#), Datta et al., [arXiv:1903.10086](#), Kowalska et al., [arXiv:1903.10932](#), D'Amico et al., [arXiv:1704.05438](#), Hiller et al., [arXiv:1704.05444](#), ...

Observables in $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ global analyses

- ▶ Inclusive decays

- ▶ $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ (\mathcal{B})

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

- ▶ Exclusive leptonic decays

- ▶ $B_{s,d} \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$ (\mathcal{B})

- ▶ Exclusive radiative/semileptonic decays

- ▶ $B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$ ($\mathcal{B}, S_{K^* \gamma}, A_I$)

- ▶ $B^{(0,+)} \rightarrow K^{(0,+)} \ell^+ \ell^-$ (\mathcal{B}_μ, R_K , angular observables)

- ▶ $B^{(0,+)} \rightarrow K^{*(0,+)} \ell^+ \ell^-$ ($\mathcal{B}_\mu, R_{K^*0}$, angular observables)

- ▶ $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$ (\mathcal{B} , angular observables)

- ▶ $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \mu^-$ (\mathcal{B} , angular observables)

- ▶ Fits might include 150 \sim 250 observables \Rightarrow **global** $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ analyses

Comparison between the groups

- ▶ Different experimental inputs, e.g.
 - ▶ $q^2 \in [6, 8]$ GeV² data (ABCDMN, CFFPSV, HMMN)
 - ▶ High- q^2 data (AS / GSSS, ABCDMN, HMMN)
 - ▶ Radiative decays (ABCDMN, CFFPSV, HMMN)
 - ▶ $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \mu^-$ (AS / GSSS, HMMN)
- ▶ Different form factor inputs
 - ▶ Low- q^2 : form factors from LCSR, reduced with heavy-quark & large-energy symmetries + (uncorrelated) power corrections. High- q^2 : lattice form factors ($B \rightarrow V \ell \ell$ ABCDMN)
 - ▶ Full q^2 region: form factors from HPQCD lattice fit across all q^2 , with full correlations ($B \rightarrow P \ell \ell$ ABCDMN)
 - ▶ Full q^2 region: form factors from combined LCSR + lattice fit, with full correlations (AS / GSSS, HMMN)
 - ▶ Low q^2 region: form factors from combined LCSR + lattice fit, with full correlations (CFFPSV)
- ▶ Different assumptions about non-local matrix elements
 - ▶ Order of magnitude estimates based on theory calculations from continuum methods, with different parameterisations (ABCDMN, AS / GSSS, HMMN)
 - ▶ Direct fit to data in each scenario, relying on continuum methods only for $q^2 \leq 1$ GeV² while allowing them to freely grow for larger q^2 (CFFPSV)
- ▶ Different statistical frameworks

New Physics interpretation

General remarks about global fits

Most important Wilson coefficients:

- ▶ $\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}$: dominant contributions to angular observables, LFU observables
- ▶ $\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}$: dominant contributions to $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$, LFU observables

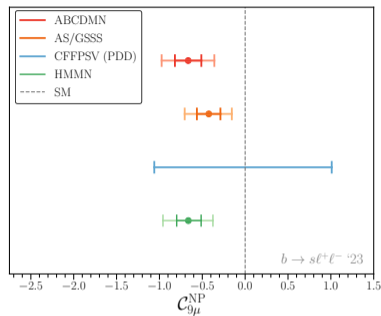
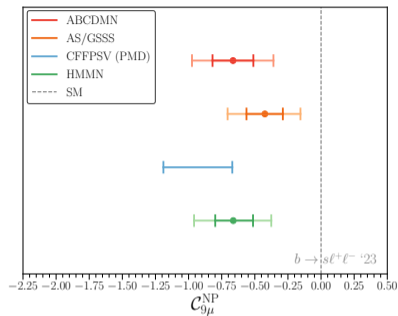
“Uninteresting” NP scenarios:

- ▶ $\mathcal{C}_{7(\prime)}$: strongly constrained by radiative decays and very low- q^2 bin of $B \rightarrow K^* e^+ e^-$
- ▶ $\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}$: new $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$ combination greatly constraints $\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}} \approx 0$
- ▶ $\mathcal{C}_{9'\ell, 10'\ell}$: dominant contribution from coefficients with right-handed quarks disfavoured by $R_K \approx R_{K^*}$

Interesting NP scenarios:

- ▶ 1D scenarios: $\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = \mathcal{C}_{9e}^{\text{NP}} = \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{U}}$
- ▶ 2D scenario: $(\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}), (\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{9e}^{\text{NP}}), (\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{U}}, \mathcal{C}_{i=10(\mu), 9'(\mu), 10'(\mu)}^{\text{V,U}})$ (since $R_K \approx R_{K^*} \approx 1$)

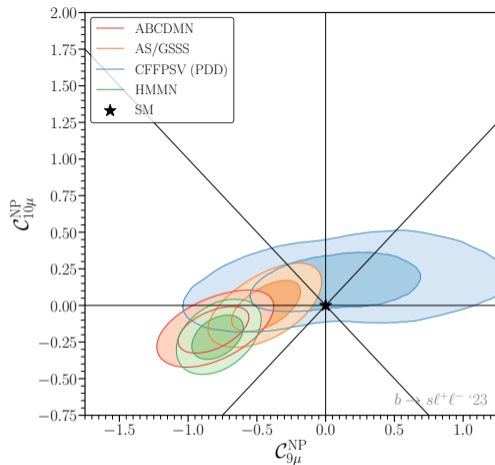
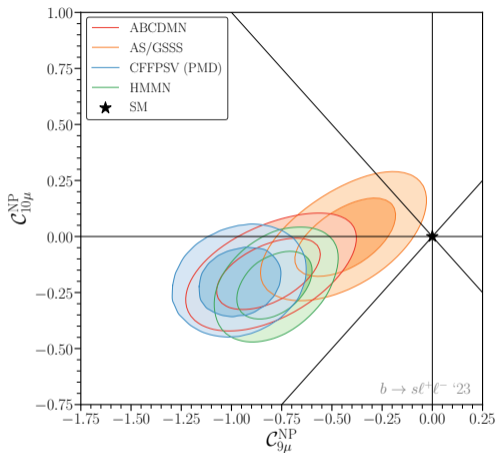
1-dimensional global fits



- ▶ NP scenarios preferred over SM with $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}}^* \sim 4\sigma$
- ▶ Different results due to different assumptions about non-local matrix elements, different choices of form factors and observables, etc.
- ▶ Remarkable agreement between fits of different groups despite different approaches
 $\Rightarrow b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ global analyses are robust

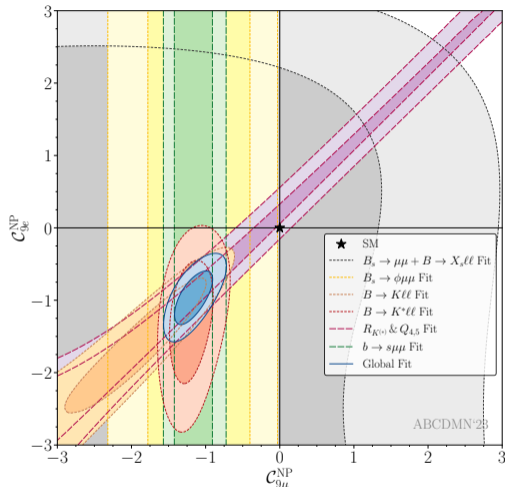
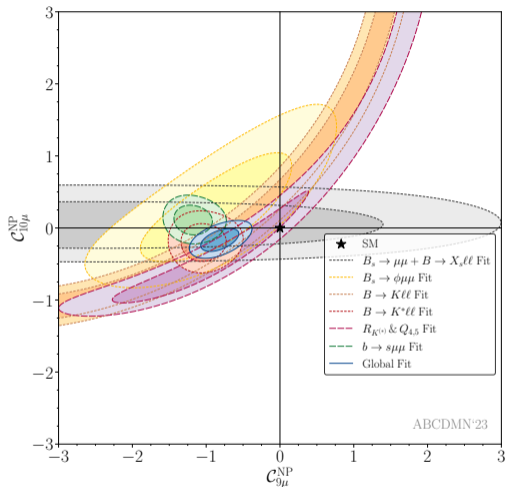
*: $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} \neq$ global significance; conservative global significance (2021) $\simeq 4.3\sigma$ determined in [Isidori, Lancierini, Owen, Serra, arXiv:2104.05631](#)

2-dimensional global fits



- ▶ Again, 2D NP scenarios preferred over SM with $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} \sim 4\sigma$
- ▶ Impressive agreement between fits of different groups despite different approaches (PMD vs PDD & bin [6., 8.]

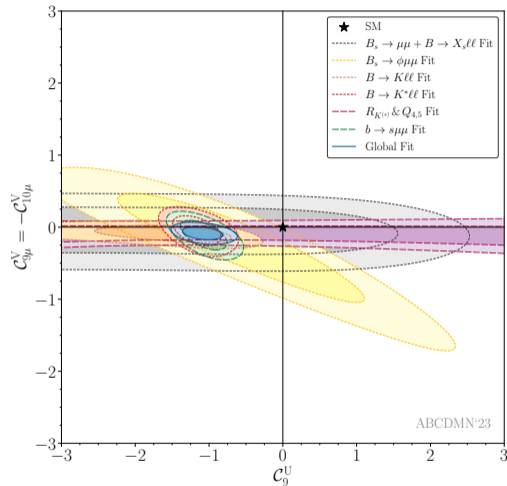
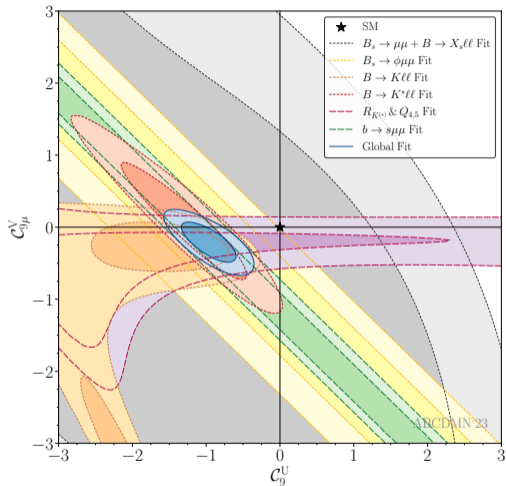
Structure of the multidimensional fits



- ▶ NP hypothesis that do not allow for LFU show important internal tensions among fit components
- ▶ NP hypothesis with LFU embedded are very competitive describing all data

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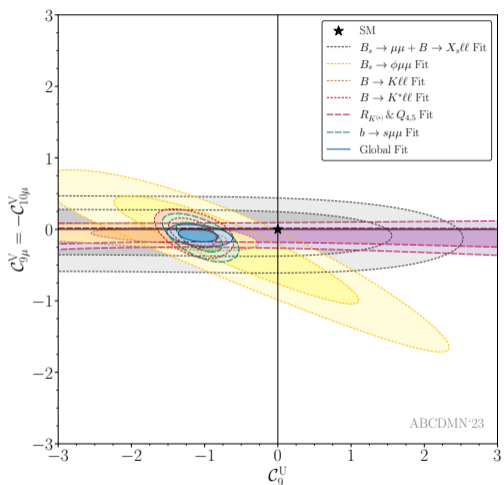
Internal coherence of fits including LFU NP to C_9



► NP hypothesis with C_9^U are very competitive in explaining the data ($\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} \sim 5.5\sigma$)

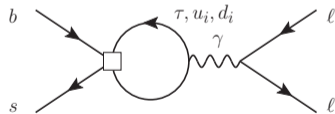
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NP fits with LFU contributions



WET at 4.8 GeV

- ▶ Two-parameter fit in space of $C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$ and C_9^U
 - scenario first considered in [Algueró et al., arXiv:1809.08447](#)
- ▶ Large **non-zero** C_9^U but LFUV compatible with 0
- ▶ This scenario is one of the most successful NP solutions to solve the $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ anomalies
 - ⇒ $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} = 5.6\sigma$
 - ⇒ It successfully describes, with optimal internal consistency, $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$ angular data + LFU ratios
 - ⇒ Can arise from RG effects:

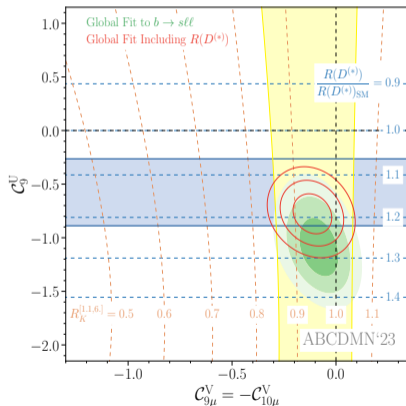


[Bobeth, Haisch, arXiv:1109.1826](#)
[Crivellin, Greub, Müller, Saturnino, arXiv:1807.02068](#)

Model independent connection $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$ & $b \rightarrow cl\nu$ (with LFU NP)

- ▶ NP scenario ($\mathcal{C}_9^U, \mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^V = -\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^V$) allows for connections between $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ and $b \rightarrow c\tau\nu$ ($R_{D^{(*)}}$)
- ▶ SMEFT condition: $\mathcal{C}^{(1)} = \mathcal{C}^{(3)}$
- ▶ $\mathcal{O}_{2322} \Rightarrow$ LFUV NP $\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^V = -\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^V$ & $\mathcal{O}_{2333} \Rightarrow$ LFU NP \mathcal{C}_9^U

Crivellin, Greub, Muller, Saturnino; arxiv:1807.02068

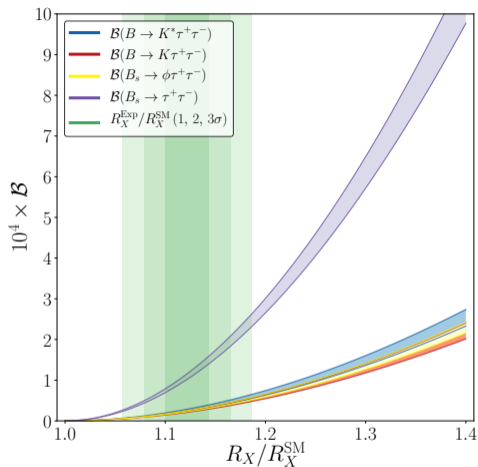


\Rightarrow Pull_{SM} = 6.3 σ

Algueró, Biswas, Capdevila, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Novoa-Brunet; arxiv:2304.07330

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Enhancement of $b \rightarrow s\tau\tau$



\Rightarrow Typical enhancement by 10^2 - 10^3 compared to SM value

Capdevila, Crivellin, Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias; arxiv:1712.01919

Conclusions

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- ▶ Substantial reduction on the significance of the most preferred NP scenarios
 - ⇒ C_9 continues to be the WC where most of the NP signal is encapsulated
 - ⇒ LFUV components are mostly suppressed
 - ⇒ High significances for scenarios with universal NP C_9^U
- ▶ Important tensions in the inner structure of the fit:
 - ⇒ LFU ratios are SM-like
 - ⇒ $B \rightarrow K^{(*)}\mu\mu$ and branching ratios for $B \rightarrow K\mu\mu$ continue to deviate with high significance
- ▶ $R_{D^{(*)}}$ and $b \rightarrow s\tau^+\tau^-$ can be correlated from fairly general assumptions:
 - ⇒ $b \rightarrow s\tau^+\tau^-$ processes dominated by NP approximately three orders of magnitude larger than SM
- ▶ Exploit the correlations among $b \rightarrow sll$ and $b \rightarrow cl\nu$ and $b \rightarrow s\tau\tau$ to test the nature of C_9^U : either NP or hadronic effects (or a combination)

Wishlist

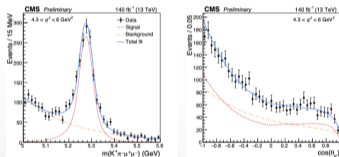
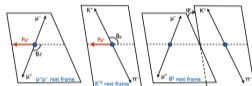
- ▶ Explicit numerical experimental likelihoods, e.g. to avoid digitisation of $B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$ contour plots
- ▶ Measurements of other LFU observables, like e.g. R_ϕ or $Q_{4,5}/D_{P'_{4,5}}$
- ▶ $B \rightarrow K^* e^+ e^-$ angular analysis
- ▶ CP asymmetries to constrain imaginary parts of Wilson coefficients
- ▶ **Experimental updates and new measurements**, not only from **LHCb** but also from **ATLAS** and **CMS**, and eventually from **Belle II**

Angular analysis of decay $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu\mu$



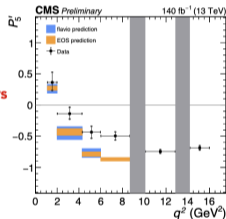
Measurement of the complete set of CP averaged variables

- Long history of searches for hints of NP in this process
 - Limited impact of theoretical uncertainties in angular distributions
- Background rejection optimized with a BDT
- Angular parameters extracted from fit to m_B and 3 angles as $f(q^2)$: $F_L, P_1, P_2, P_3, P'_4, P'_5, P'_6, P'_8$



Examples of post-fit mass and $\cos(\theta_K)$ distributions

Results among the most precise measurements of these parameters



CMS-PAS-BPH-21-002

New @ LHC24

LHCP@Boston: June 3, 2024

CMS Status and Overview

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⇒ CMS measurement **highly in agreement** with LHCb's result for P'_5

⇒ Exciting new experimental result largely poised to **increase the significance** for C_9^U solutions

See Wolfgang Adam talk

Thank you!

Backup slides

p -value SM fit

For the frequentist fits, the p -value of goodness-of-fit can be computed from Wilks' theorem

$$p - value_{SM} = 1 - F(\chi_{SM}^2; n_{obs})$$

with $F(\chi^2; n_{obs})$ the χ^2 CDF and n_{obs} the number of independent observables in the fit (measurements of a given observable by different experiments are counted as different observables).

► ABCDMN

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Global fit} : n_{\text{dof}} = 256 &\Rightarrow p - \text{value} = 5.13\% \\ \text{LFU fit}^* : n_{\text{dof}} = 26 &\Rightarrow p - \text{value} = 92.45\% \end{aligned}$$

► AS

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Global fit} : n_{\text{dof}} = ??? &\Rightarrow p - \text{value} = ?.?\% \\ \text{LFU fit}^* : n_{\text{dof}} = ?? &\Rightarrow p - \text{value} = ?.?\% \end{aligned}$$

► HMMN

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*LFU fit: all the measured LFU observables + $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$ (all groups)
+ effective $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$ lifetime + radiative decays + $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow X_s \mu^+ \mu^-)$ (depending on the group)

ABCDMN: Improved QCDF

Improved QCDF (iQCDF) approach: $m_b \rightarrow \infty$ and $E_{V,P} \rightarrow \infty$ ($V = K^*, \phi, P = K$)
decomposition of full form factors (FF)

$$F^{\text{Full}}(q^2) = F^\infty(\xi_\perp(q^2), \xi_\parallel(q^2)) + \Delta F^{\alpha_s}(q^2) + \Delta F^\Lambda(q^2)$$

where F stands for any FF (either helicity or transversity basis)

Charles et al; hep-ph/9901378

Beneke, Feldman; hep-ph/0008255

Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arXiv:1407.8526

► $m_b \rightarrow \infty$ and $E_{V,P} \rightarrow \infty$ symmetries: low- q^2 and LO in α_s and Λ/m_b

⇒ **Dominant correlations** automatically taken into account
(important for a maximal cancellation of errors)

Capdevila, Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias; arXiv:1701.08672

► $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$ corrections ⇒ QCDF

$$\langle \ell^+ \ell^- \bar{K}_i^* | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | \bar{B} \rangle = \sum_{a,\pm} \mathcal{C}_{i,a} \xi_a + \Phi_{B,\pm} \otimes T_{i,a,\pm} \otimes \Phi_{K^*,a} \quad (i = \perp, \parallel, 0)$$

Beneke, Feldman; hep-ph/0008255

Beneke, Feldman, Seidel; hep-ph/0106067

► $\mathcal{O}(\Lambda/m_b)$ corrections ⇒ $\Delta F^\Lambda(q^2) = a_F + b_F \frac{q^2}{m_B^2} + c_F \frac{q^4}{m_B^4}$

Jäger, Camalich; arXiv:1212.2263

Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arXiv:1407.8526

ABCDMN: Improved QCDF (vs full FF approach)

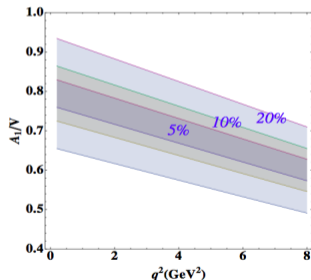
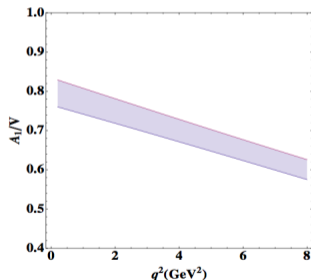
- ▶ How to estimate ΔF^Λ ?

⇒ Central values for a_F, b_F, c_F from **fit to full FF** (continuum calculation)

⇒ Error estimate: assign **uncorrelated** errors to
 $\Delta a_F, \Delta b_F, \Delta c_F = \mathcal{O}(\Lambda/m_b) \times F$

Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arXiv:1407.8526

- ▶ Is this a conservative estimation of errors?



⇒ iQCDF with a 5% power corrections (right) reproduces the full FF (BSZ param.) approach errors (left)

Capdevila, Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias; arXiv:1701.08672

ABCDMN: Estimating beyond QCDF contribution at low- q^2

- ▶ LO (factorisable) charm-loop contribution accounted for in the $Y(q^2)$ (perturbative) function,

$$C_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) = C_9^{\text{SM}} + Y(q^2)$$

Buras, Münz; hep-ph/9501281
Krüger, Lunghi; hep-ph/0008210

- ▶ Estimate of the soft-gluon emission contribution at low q^2 :

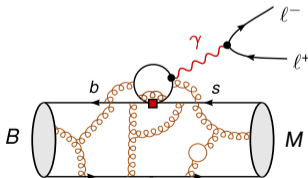
⇒ Calculations based on continuum methods

Khodjamirian, Mannel, Pivovarov, Wang; arxiv:1006.4945
Gubernari, van Dyk, Virto; arxiv:2011.09813

⇒ Shift in C_9^{eff} . Order of magnitude for the shift estimated from theory calculations

$$C_{9i}^{\text{eff}}(q^2) = C_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + C_9^{\text{NP}} + s_i \delta C_9^{\text{LD},i}(q^2) \quad (i = \perp, \parallel, 0)$$

Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1407.8526
Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1510.04239



ABCDMN: Estimating beyond QCDF contribution at low- q^2

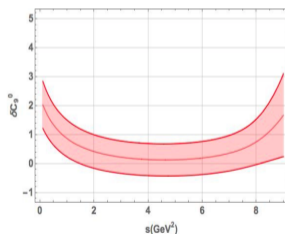
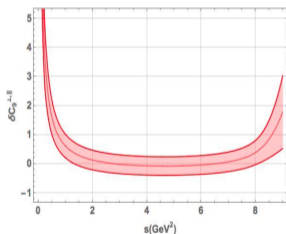
- ▶ Parameterisation for the long-distance contribution

$$\delta C_9^{\text{LD},\perp}(q^2) = \frac{a^\perp + b^\perp q^2 (c^\perp - q^2)}{q^2 (c^\perp - q^2)} \quad \delta C_9^{\text{LD},\parallel}(q^2) = \frac{a^\parallel + b^\parallel q^2 (c^\parallel - q^2)}{q^2 (c^\parallel - q^2)}$$

$$\delta C_9^{\text{LD},0}(q^2) = \frac{a^0 + b^0 (q^2 + s_0) (c^0 - q^2)}{(q^2 + s_0) (c^0 - q^2)}$$

⇒ We vary s_i in the range $[-1, 1]$

⇒ a^i, b^i, c^i parameters floated according to KMPW calculation

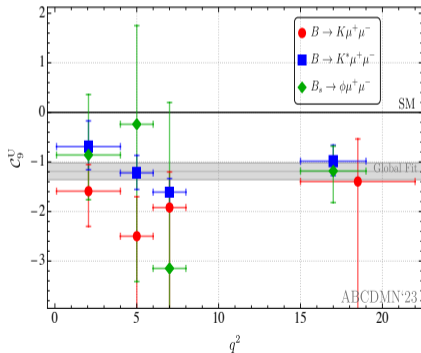


Khodjamirian, Mannel, Pivovarov, Wang, arXiv:1006.4945
Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1407.8526
Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1510.04239

ABCDMN: Consistency over q^2

Testing the q^2 dependence of C_9^{NP} by means of data:

- ▶ Fit to $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ (\mathcal{B} 's + Ang. obs) + $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ + $B \rightarrow X_s \mu^+ \mu^-$ + $b \rightarrow s \gamma$
- ▶ C_9^{NP} bin-by-bin fit (assuming KMPW-like $\delta C_9^{\text{LD},i}(q^2)$)
- ▶ Good agreement with global fit (1σ range)
- ▶ No indication of a strong q^2 dependence
- ▶ Consistency large and low recoil (different theo. treatments)



ABCDMN: Statistical framework

We parametrise the Wilson coefficients as,

$$C_i = C_i^{\text{SM}} + C_i^{\text{NP}} \quad (i = 7_{\mu}^{(\prime)}, 9_{\mu}^{(\prime)}, 10_{\mu}^{(\prime)}, C_i^{\text{NP}} \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow \text{no CPV})$$

Standard frequentist fit to the NP contributions to the Wilson coefficients,

$$\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}}) = \left(\mathcal{O}^{\text{th}}(C_i^{\text{NP}}) - \mathcal{O}^{\text{exp}} \right)_i \text{Cov}_{ij}^{-1} \left(\mathcal{O}^{\text{th}}(C_i^{\text{NP}}) - \mathcal{O}^{\text{exp}} \right)_j$$

- ▶ Both **theory and experiment** contribute to the covariance matrix

$$\Rightarrow \text{Cov} = \text{Cov}^{\text{th}} + \text{Cov}^{\text{exp}}$$

- ▶ Experimental covariance

\Rightarrow **Experimental correlations** between observables (if not provided, assumed uncorrelated).

Assume

gaussian errors (symmetrize if needed)

- ▶ Theoretical covariance

\Rightarrow Compute the **theoretical correlations** by performing a multivariate gaussian scan over all nuisance

parameters

- ▶ $\text{Cov} = \text{Cov}(C_i)$

\Rightarrow **Mild dependency** $\Rightarrow \text{Cov} = \text{Cov}_{\text{SM}} \equiv \text{Cov}(C_i = 0)$. Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1510.04239
Capdevila, Crivellin, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1704.05340

ABCDMN: Statistical framework

► Fit procedure:

⇒ **Best fit points** (bfp): $\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}}) \rightarrow \chi_{\text{min}}^2 = \chi^2(C_{i^{\text{NP}}})$

⇒ **Confidence intervals**: $\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}}) - \chi_{\text{min}}^2 \leq Q^2$
($1\sigma \rightarrow Q^2 = 1$, $2\sigma \rightarrow Q^2 = 4$, ...)

⇒ Compute **pulls** (σ): $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} = \sqrt{\chi_{\text{SM}}^2 - \chi_{\text{min,Sc}}^2}$

► Two types of fits

⇒ *Canonical* (or *All*) fit: fit to **all data** (246 data points)

⇒ LFUV fit: $R_K, R_{K^*}, P'_{4,5}{}^{e\mu}(B \rightarrow K^* \ell \ell)$ and $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ (22 data points)

► Testing different **hypotheses**

⇒ Hypotheses with NP only in one Wilson coefficient (**1D fits**)

⇒ Hypotheses with NP in two Wilson coefficients (**2D fits**)

⇒ Hypotheses with NP in the six Wilson coefficients (**6D fits**)

Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1510.04239
Capdevila, Crivellin, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Virto; arxiv:1704.05340

ABCDMN: 1D NP fits

Global (before exp. updates 2022)				
1D Hyp.	bf _p	1σ	Pull _{SM}	p -value (%)
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	-0.67 (-1.01)	[-0.82, -0.52] ([-1.15, -0.87])	4.5 (7.0)	20.2 (24.0)
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	-0.19 (-0.45)	[-0.25, -0.13] ([-0.52, -0.37])	3.1 (6.5)	9.9 (16.9)
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C'_{9\mu}$	-0.47 (-0.92)	[-0.66, -0.30] ([-1.07, -0.75])	3.0 (5.7)	9.5 (8.2)
LFUV				
1D Hyp.	bf _p	1σ	Pull _{SM}	p -value (%)
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	-0.21 (-0.87)	[-0.38, -0.04] ([-1.11, -0.65])	1.2 (4.4)	92.4 (40.7)
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$	-0.08 (-0.39)	[-0.15, -0.01] ([-0.48, -0.31])	1.1 (5.0)	91.6 (73.5)
$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C'_{9\mu}$	-0.04 (-1.60)	[-0.26, 0.15] ([-2.10, -0.98])	0.2 (3.2)	87.5 (8.4)

- ⇒ Substantial drop in significances
- ⇒ $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ is the strongest signal for the Global fit
- ⇒ p -value for $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ reduces significantly (less fit coherence: ang. obs. vs LFU ratios)
- ⇒ NP contributions to the WC compatible with SM values for the LFUV fit

Algueró, Capdevila, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Novoa-Brunet; arxiv:2104.08921
 Algueró, Biswas, Capdevila, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Novoa-Brunet; arxiv:2304.07330

ABCDMN: Are we overlooking LFU NP?

⇒ Rotation of the basis of operators with a **LFU-LFUV alignment** (instead of flavour)

$$C_{i\ell}^{\text{NP}} = C_{i\ell}^{\text{V}} + C_i^{\text{U}} \quad (C_i^{\text{U}} \text{ the same } \forall \ell)$$

where $i = 9, 10, 9', 10'$ and $\ell = e, \mu$ (trivial extension to $\ell = \tau$)

⇒ The NP parameter space can be equally described with $\{C_{i\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{ie}^{\text{NP}}\}$ or $\{C_{i\mu}^{\text{V}}, C_i^{\text{U}}\}$ ($C_{ie}^{\text{V}} = 0$)

⇒ The LFU vs LFUV language generates non-obvious NP directions in the μ vs e language

$$\begin{cases} C_{9\mu}^{\text{V}} \\ C_9^{\text{U}} \end{cases} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{V}} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{cases} C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} \\ C_{9e}^{\text{NP}} \end{cases} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}} + C_{9e}^{\text{NP}}$$

Algueró, BC, Descotes-Genon, Masjuan, Matias; arxiv:1809.08447

AS: Setup

- ▶ Quantify agreement between theory and experiment by χ^2 function

$$\chi^2(\vec{C}) = \left(\vec{O}_{\text{exp}} - \vec{O}_{\text{th}}(\vec{C}) \right)^T \left(C_{\text{exp}} + C_{\text{th}}(\vec{C}) \right)^{-1} \left(\vec{O}_{\text{exp}} - \vec{O}_{\text{th}}(\vec{C}) \right).$$

- ▶ **theory errors** and **correlations** in covariance matrix C_{th}
- ▶ **experimental errors** and available **correlations** in covariance matrix C_{exp}
- ▶ **Theory errors depend on new physics Wilson coefficients $C_{\text{th}}(\vec{C})$** *NEW*

- ▶ $\Delta\chi^2$ and pull

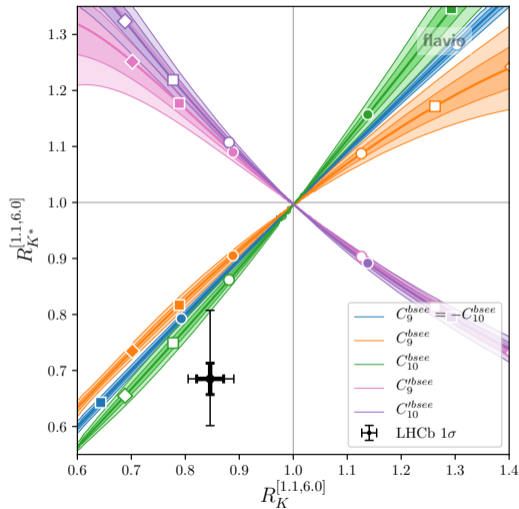
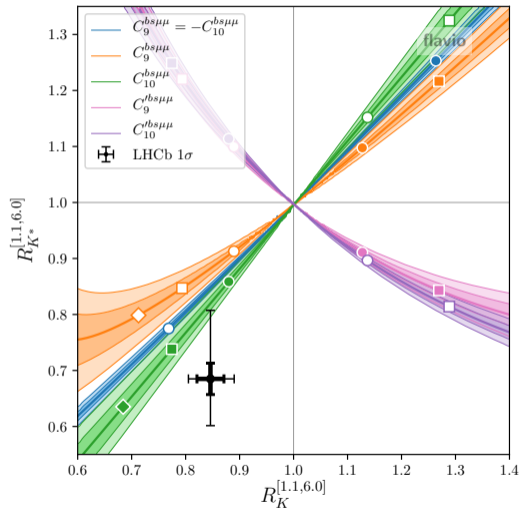
Altmannshofer, PS, arXiv:2103.13370

$$\text{pull}_{1\text{D}} = 1\sigma \cdot \sqrt{\Delta\chi^2}, \quad \text{where } \Delta\chi^2 = \chi^2(\vec{0}) - \chi^2(\vec{C}_{\text{best fit}}).$$

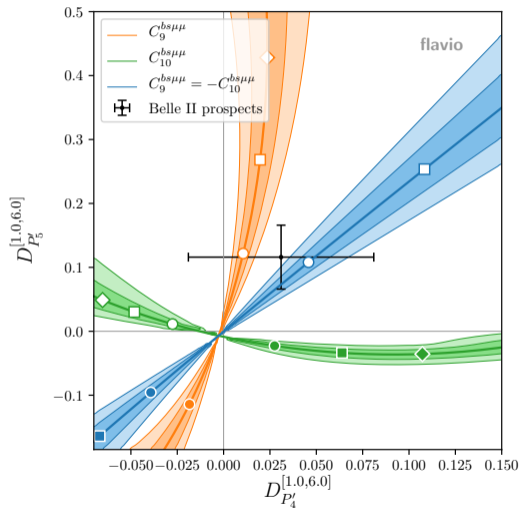
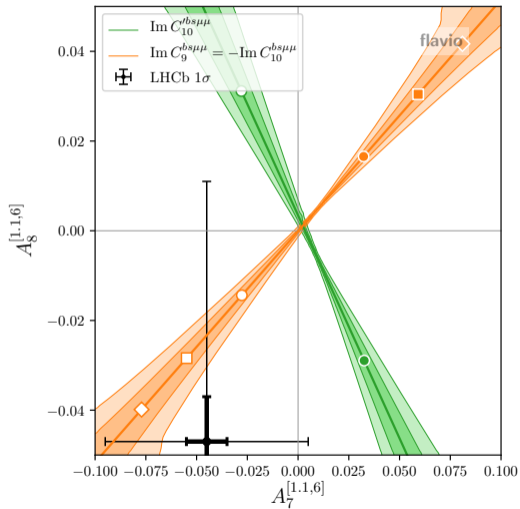
$$\text{pull}_{2\text{D}} = 1\sigma, 2\sigma, 3\sigma, \dots \quad \text{for } \Delta\chi^2 \approx 2.3, 6.2, 11.8, \dots$$

- ▶ New physics scenarios in **Weak Effective Theory (WET)** at scale 4.8 GeV

AS: Theory uncertainties in presence of NP



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AS: Parameterisation of beyond-QCDF contributions for $B \rightarrow K$

$$\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + a_K + b_K(q^2/\text{GeV}^2) \quad \text{at low } q^2 ,$$

$$\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + \mathcal{C}_K \quad \text{at high } q^2 ,$$

$$\text{Re}(a_K) = 0.0 \pm 0.08 ,$$

$$\text{Re}(b_K) = 0.0 \pm 0.03 ,$$

$$\text{Re}(c_K) = 0.0 \pm 0.2 ,$$

$$\text{Im}(a_K) = 0.0 \pm 0.08 ,$$

$$\text{Im}(b_K) = 0.0 \pm 0.03 ,$$

$$\text{Im}(c_K) = 0.0 \pm 0.2 .$$

1σ uncertainties enclose the effects considered in [Khodjamirian et al. arXiv:1006.4945](#), [Beylich et al. arXiv:1101.5118](#), [Khodjamirian et al. arXiv:1211.0234](#)

AS: Parameterisation of beyond-QCDF contributions for $B \rightarrow K^*$ and $B_s \rightarrow \phi$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}}(q^2) &\rightarrow \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + a_{0,-} + b_{0,-}(q^2/\text{GeV}^2) \\ \mathcal{C}'_7 &\rightarrow \mathcal{C}'_7 + a_+ + b_+(q^2/\text{GeV}^2) \end{aligned} \quad \text{at low } q^2 ,$$

$$\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + c_\lambda \quad \text{at high } q^2 ,$$

$$\text{Re}(a_+) = 0.0 \pm 0.004 ,$$

$$\text{Re}(b_+) = 0.0 \pm 0.005 ,$$

$$\text{Re}(c_+) = 0.0 \pm 0.3 ,$$

$$\text{Im}(a_+) = 0.0 \pm 0.004 ,$$

$$\text{Im}(b_+) = 0.0 \pm 0.005 ,$$

$$\text{Im}(c_+) = 0.0 \pm 0.3 ,$$

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$$\text{Re}(a_0) = 0.0 \pm 0.12 ,$$

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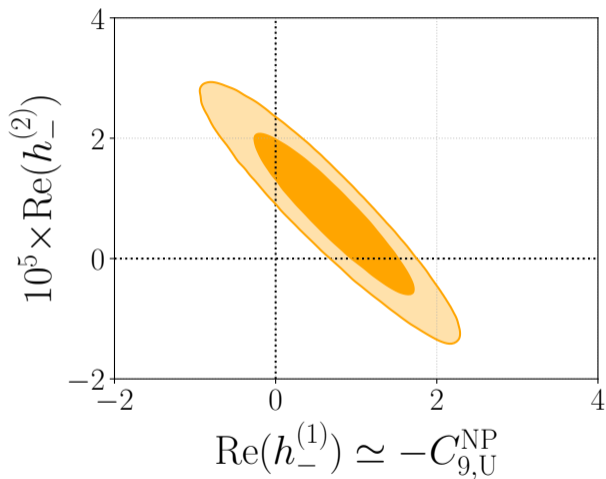
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CFFPSV: Parameterisation of non-local hadronic matrix elements

$$\begin{aligned} H_V^- &\propto \left\{ \left(C_9^{\text{SM}} + h_-^{(1)} \right) \tilde{V}_{L-} + \frac{m_B^2}{q^2} \left[\frac{2m_b}{m_B} \left(C_7^{\text{SM}} + h_-^{(0)} \right) \tilde{T}_{L-} - 16\pi^2 h_-^{(2)} q^4 \right] \right\} \\ H_V^+ &\propto \left\{ \left(C_9^{\text{SM}} + h_-^{(1)} \right) \tilde{V}_{L+} + \frac{m_B^2}{q^2} \left[\frac{2m_b}{m_B} \left(C_7^{\text{SM}} + h_-^{(0)} \right) \tilde{T}_{L+} - 16\pi^2 \left(h_+^{(0)} + h_+^{(1)} q^2 + h_+^{(2)} q^4 \right) \right] \right\} \\ H_V^0 &\propto \left\{ \left(C_9^{\text{SM}} + h_-^{(1)} \right) \tilde{V}_{L0} + \frac{m_B^2}{q^2} \left[\frac{2m_b}{m_B} \left(C_7^{\text{SM}} + h_-^{(0)} \right) \tilde{T}_{L0} - 16\pi^2 \sqrt{q^2} \left(h_0^{(0)} + h_0^{(1)} q^2 \right) \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ $h_-^{(0)}$ and $h_-^{(1)}$ can be considered as constant shifts to the WCs $C_{7,9}^{\text{SM}}$, hence indistinguishable from universal NP contributions to $O_{7,9}$
- ▶ remaining parameters describing purely hadronic contributions

CFFPSV: Parameterisation of non-local hadronic matrix elements



HMMN: New Physics vs hadronic fit (Status 2021)

Non-local matrix element contributions can mimic C_9^{NP} since both appear in the vectorial helicity amplitude

$$H_V^\mu \propto \left\{ C_9^{\text{eff}} \tilde{V}_\lambda(q^2) + \frac{m_B^2}{q^2} \left[\frac{2m_b}{m_B} C_7^{\text{eff}} \tilde{T}_\lambda(q^2) - 16\pi^2 (\text{LO in QCDf} + h_\lambda(q^2)) \right] \right\}$$

Instead of *guesstimating* $h_\lambda(q^2)$, can be parameterised by a general ansatz: Jäger, Camalich, arXiv:1412.3183
Ciuchini et al., arXiv:1512.07157

$$h_{\pm,[0]} = \left[\sqrt{q^2} \times \right] \left(h_{\pm,[0]}^{(0)} + q^2 h_{\pm,[0]}^{(1)} + q^4 h_{\pm,[0]}^{(2)} \right)$$
Kobanava, Hurth, Mahmoudi, Martinez-Santos, SN, arXiv:1702.02234

NP effect in C_9 are embedded in the hadronic contributions

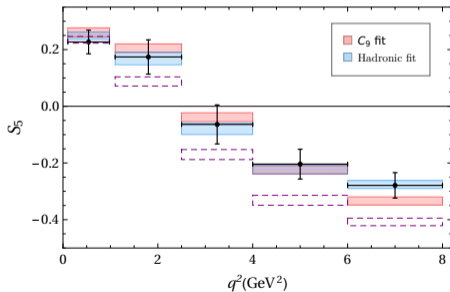
⇒ Wilks' test can be used to compare separate fits to:

- ▶ Hadronic quantities $h_{+,-,0}^{(0,1,2)}$ (18 parameters)
- ▶ Wilson coefficient C_9^{NP} (1 parameter)

$B \rightarrow K^* \gamma / \mu\mu$ observables		
	Real C_9^{NP} (1)	Hadronic fit h_λ (18)
Plain SM	6.0σ	4.7σ
Real C_9^{NP}	–	1.5σ

■ Hadronic fit describes the data well, however adding 17 more param. to NP doesn't significantly improve the

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HMMN: New Physics vs hadronic fit (minimal description, Status 2021)

18-parameter description of the hadronic contributions cannot get strongly constrained with current data

A (minimal) description of hadronic contributions with fewer parameters

$$h_\lambda(q^2) = -\frac{\tilde{V}_\lambda(q^2)}{16\pi^2} \frac{q^2}{m_B^2} \Delta C_9^{\lambda, \text{PC}} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{a different } \Delta C_9^{\text{PC}} \text{ for each helicity } \lambda = +, -, 0 \\ \rightarrow 3 \text{ (6) free parameters if assumed real (complex)} \end{array}$$

If NP in C_9 is the favoured scenario, the different fitted helicities should give the same value

⇒ Can work as a null test for NP

	best fit value
$\Delta C_9^{+, \text{PC}}$	$(3.39 \pm 6.44) + i(-14.98 \pm 8.40)$
$\Delta C_9^{-, \text{PC}}$	$(-1.02 \pm 0.22) + i(-0.68 \pm 0.79)$
$\Delta C_9^{0, \text{PC}}$	$(-0.83 \pm 0.53) + i(-0.89 \pm 0.69)$

Fitted parameters not the same for different helicities but in agreement with each other within 1σ

$B \rightarrow K^* \gamma / \mu\mu$ observables		
	Real C_9^{NP} (1)	Hadronic fit $\Delta C_9^{\lambda, \text{PC}}$ (6)
Plain SM	6.0σ	5.5σ
Real C_9^{NP}	–	1.8σ

■ Adding the hadronic parameters improve the fit with less than 2σ significance

⇒ Strong indication that the NP interpretation is a valid option, although the situation remains inconclusive

HMMN: Multi-dimensional global fit (Status 2021)

Considering only one or two Wilson coefficients may not give the full picture

A generic set of Wilson coefficients: $C_7, C_8, C_9^l, C_{10}^l, C_S^l, C_P^l$ + primed coefficients

All observables with $\chi_{\text{SM}}^2 = 225.8$ $\chi_{\text{min}}^2 = 151.6$; $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} = 5.5(5.6)\sigma$			
δC_7 0.05 ± 0.03		δC_8 -0.70 ± 0.40	
$\delta C_7'$ -0.01 ± 0.02		$\delta C_8'$ 0.00 ± 0.80	
δC_9^μ -1.16 ± 0.17	δC_9^e -6.70 ± 1.20	δC_{10}^μ 0.20 ± 0.21	δC_{10}^e degenerate w/ C_{10}^e
$\delta C_9'^\mu$ 0.09 ± 0.34	$\delta C_9'^e$ 1.90 ± 1.50	$\delta C_{10}'^\mu$ -0.12 ± 0.20	$\delta C_{10}'^e$ degenerate w/ C_{10}^e
$C_{Q_1}^\mu$ 0.04 ± 0.10	$C_{Q_1}^e$ -1.50 ± 1.50	$C_{Q_2}^\mu$ -0.09 ± 0.10	$C_{Q_2}^e$ -4.10 ± 1.5
$C_{Q_1}'^\mu$ 0.15 ± 0.10	$C_{Q_1}'^e$ -1.70 ± 1.20	$C_{Q_2}'^\mu$ -0.14 ± 0.11	$C_{Q_2}'^e$ -4.20 ± 1.2

- ▶ Considering most general NP description and eliminating insensitive params. and flat directions based on the fit and not based on data, look-elsewhere effect is avoided
- ▶ Many parameters are weakly constrained at the moment
- ▶ Effective degree of freedom is (19)
- ▶ **Effective degrees of freedom:** degrees of freedom minus the spurious degrees of as realised from likelihood profiles, correlations and C_i^{NP} only weakly affecting the χ^2 such that $|\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}} \neq 0) - \chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}} = 0)| \lesssim 1$

HMMN: Comparison of different multi-dimensional global fits (Status 2021)

Pull_{SM} of 1, 2, 6, 10 and 20 dimensional fit:

Set of WC	param.	χ_{\min}^2	Pull _{SM}	Improvement
SM	0	225.8	-	-
C_9^μ	1	168.6	7.6σ	7.6σ
C_9^μ, C_{10}^μ	2	167.5	7.3σ	1.0σ
$C_7, C_8, C_9^{(e,\mu)}, C_{10}^{(e,\mu)}$	6	158.0	7.1σ	2.0σ
All non-primed WC	10	157.2	6.5σ	0.1σ
All WC (incl. primed)	20 (19)	151.6	$5.5 (5.6)\sigma$	$0.2 (0.3)\sigma$

- ▶ In the last column the significance of improvement of the fit compared to the scenario of the previous row is given
- ▶ The “All non-primed WC” includes in addition to the previous row, the scalar and pseudoscalar Wilson coefficients
- ▶ The last row also includes the chirality-flipped counterparts of the Wilson coefficients
- ▶ The number in parentheses corresponds to the effective degrees of freedom (19)

HMMN: Evolution in the $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}})$ plane

