

# CP-Asymmetries in Semileptonic Decays

How to Exploit Direct and Indirect CP-asymmetries in rare B-decays

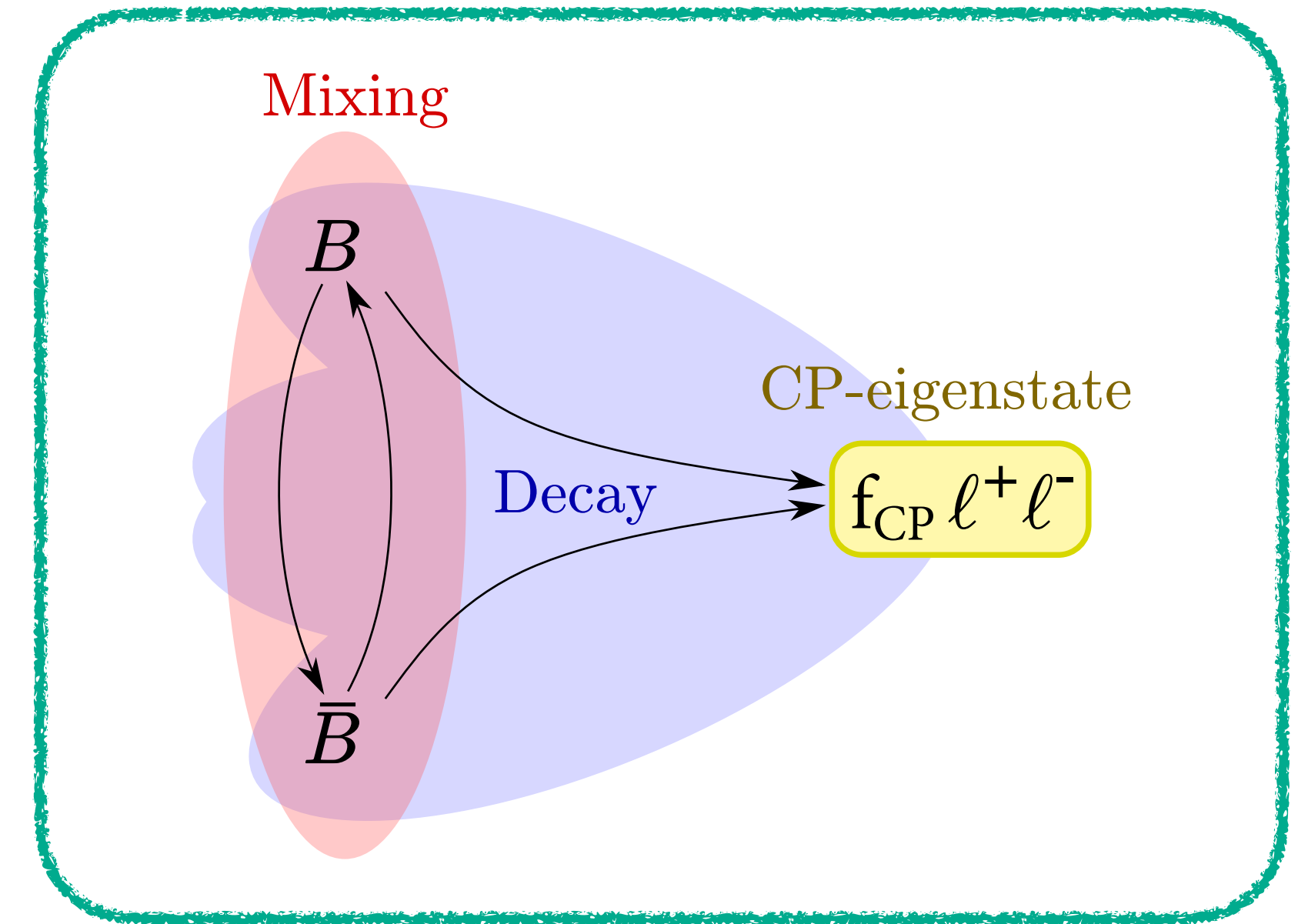
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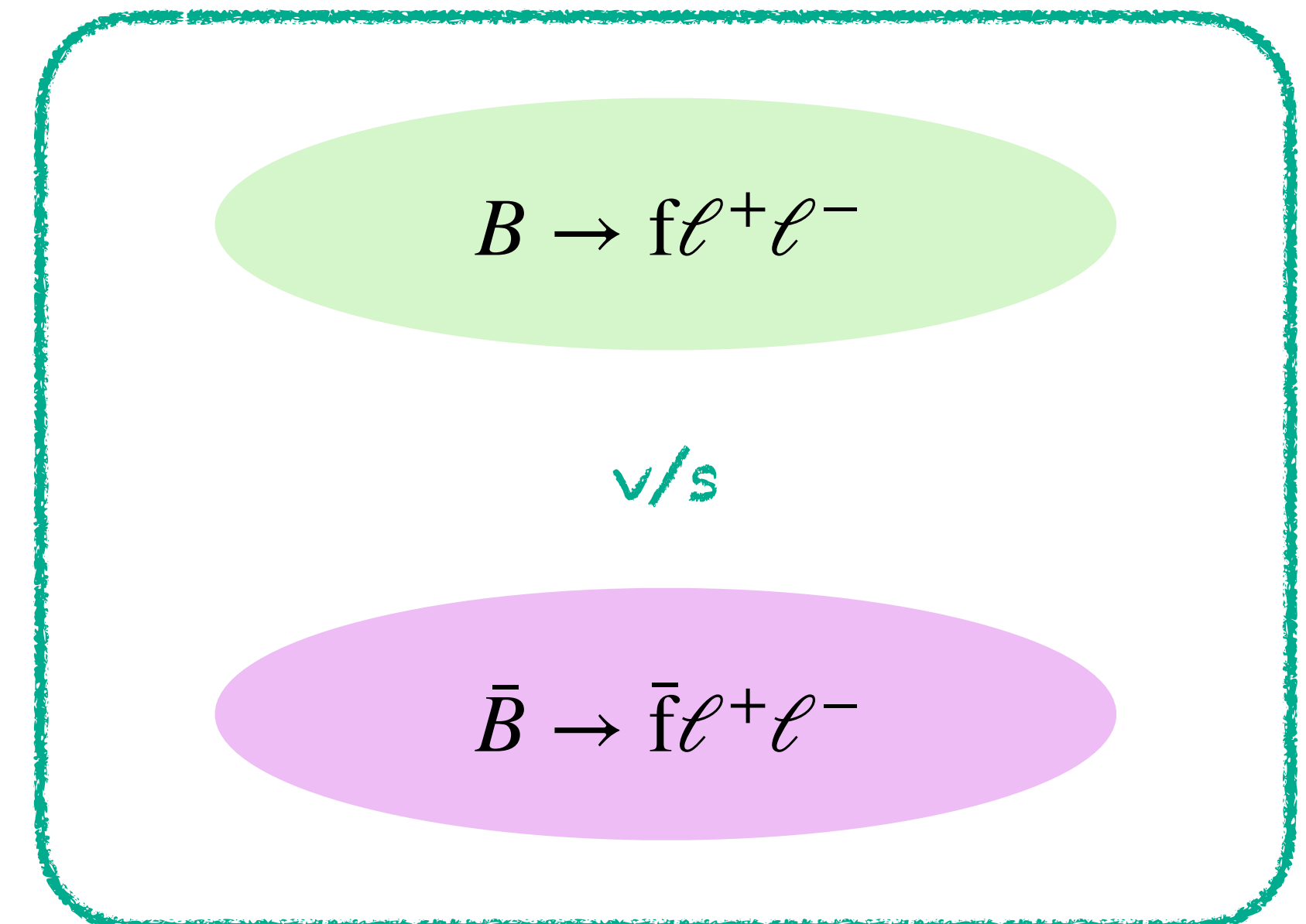
# CP-Asymmetries:

What can they tell us about deviations in  $b \rightarrow sl\ell$ ?

Indirect

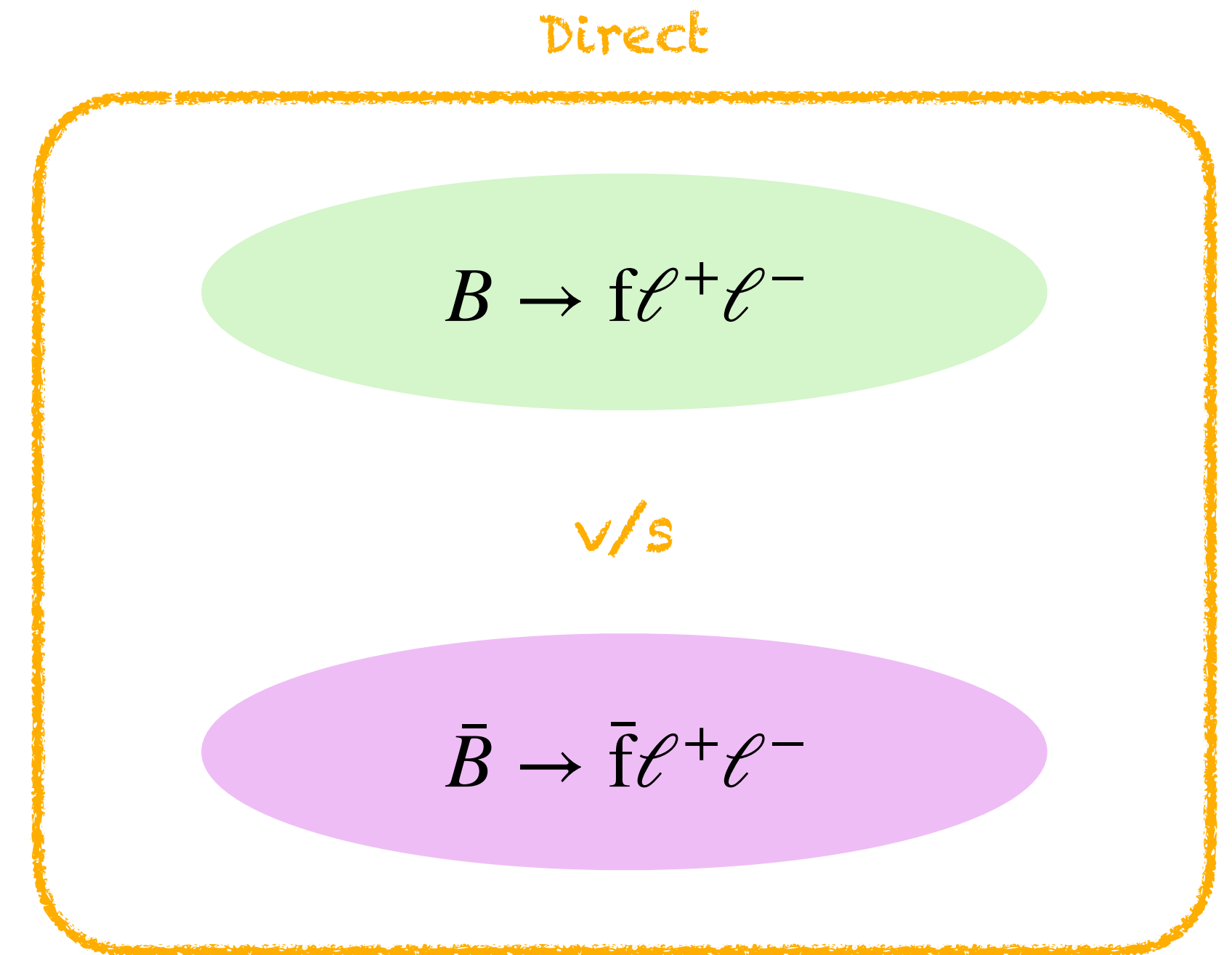


Direct



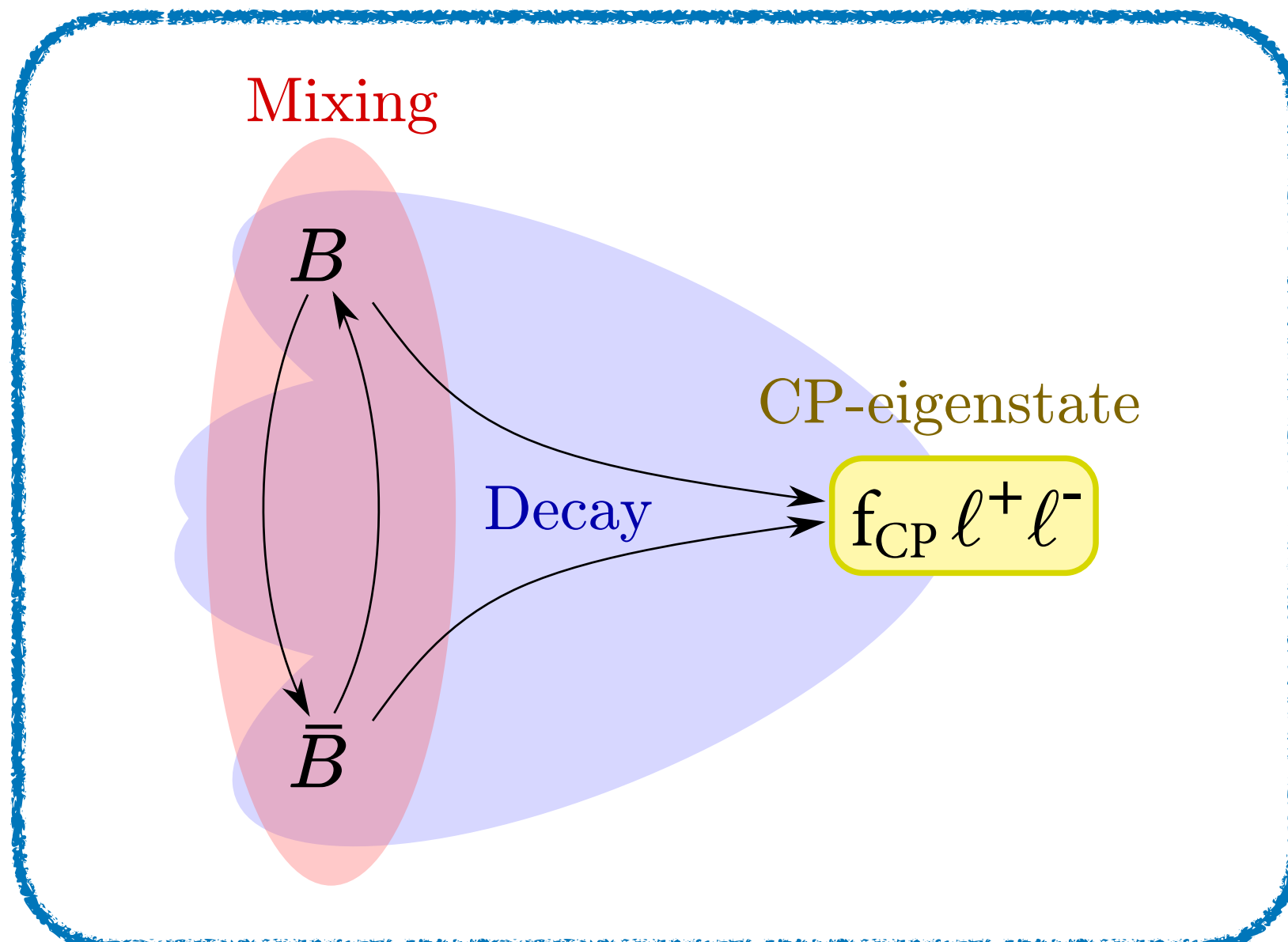
# Direct vs Indirect CP-Asymmetries

- Difference between differential decay width of a mode and its CP-conjugate
- Can be “easily” measured in self tagging modes ( $f \neq \bar{f}$ )
- They probe interference between CP-even and CP-odd phases



$$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{dir}} \equiv \frac{d\Gamma - d\bar{\Gamma}}{d\Gamma + d\bar{\Gamma}}$$

Indirect



- Effect of mixing and decay interference
- They only appear in non-self tagging modes (experimentally challenging)
- Require a time-dependent analysis and a tagged B
- They probe interference between CP-even and mixing phases

# $b \rightarrow s(d)\ell\ell$ Effective Hamiltonian

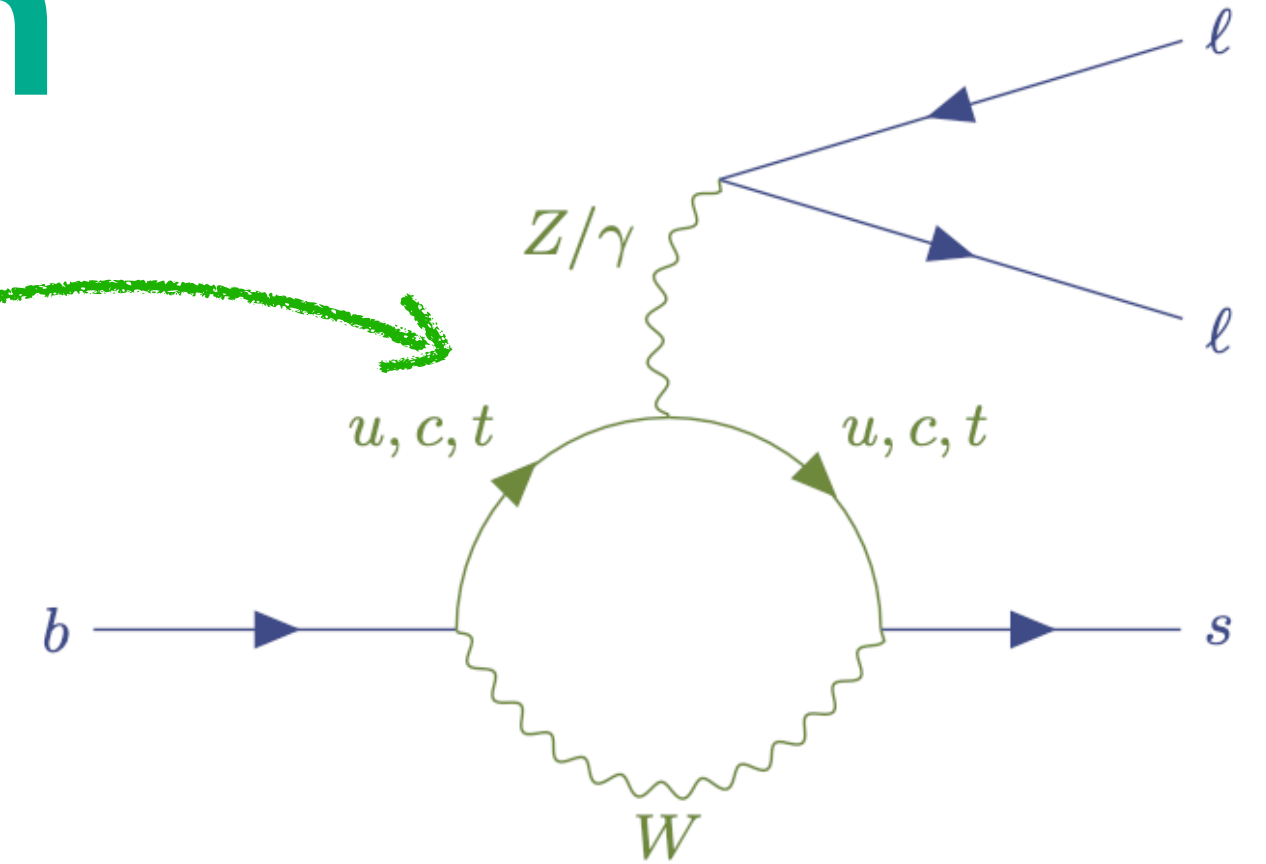
Local operator effective theory at scales below the electroweak scale

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}}V_{tb}V_{ts}^* \left( \sum_{i=3}^{10} \mathcal{C}_i \mathcal{O}_i + \sum_{q=u,c} \frac{V_{qb}V_{qs}^*}{V_{tb}V_{ts}^*} \sum_{i=1,2} \mathcal{C}_i \mathcal{O}_i \right)$$

Short Distance

Long Distance

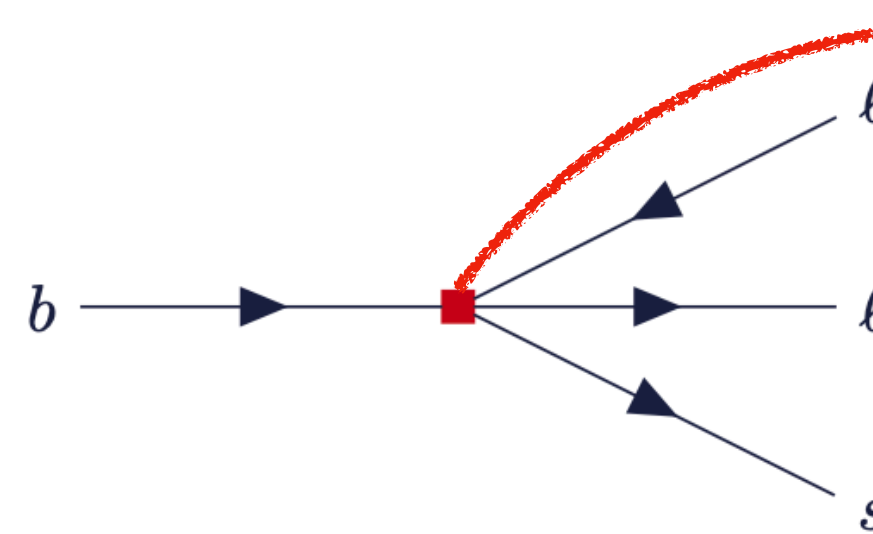
$$\mathcal{C}_i = \mathcal{C}_i^{NP} + \mathcal{C}_i^{SM}$$



4-quark operators contribute through loops:

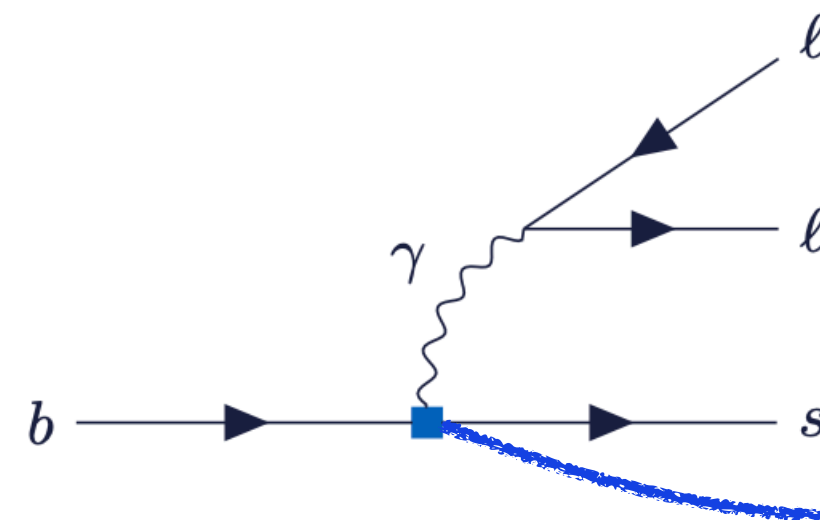
$$\mathcal{O}_1^q = (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_L T^a q)(\bar{q}\gamma^\mu P_L T^a b)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_2^q = (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_L q)(\bar{q}\gamma^\mu P_L b), \quad \dots$$



$$\mathcal{O}_{9(0)} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_{L(R)} b) (\bar{\ell}\gamma^\mu \ell)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{10(0)} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_{L(R)} b) (\bar{\ell}\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \ell)$$



$$\mathcal{O}_{7(0)} = \frac{e}{16\pi^2} m_b (\bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu} P_{R(L)} b) F^{\mu\nu}$$

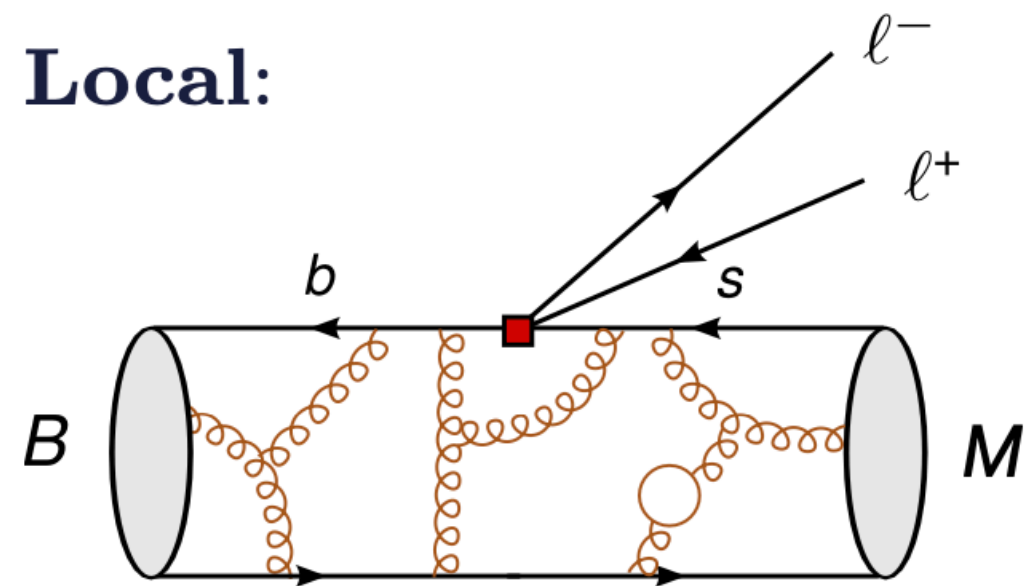
$b \rightarrow d\ell\ell$  is described with a similar framework



# Theory of $B \rightarrow M \ell \ell$ decays

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

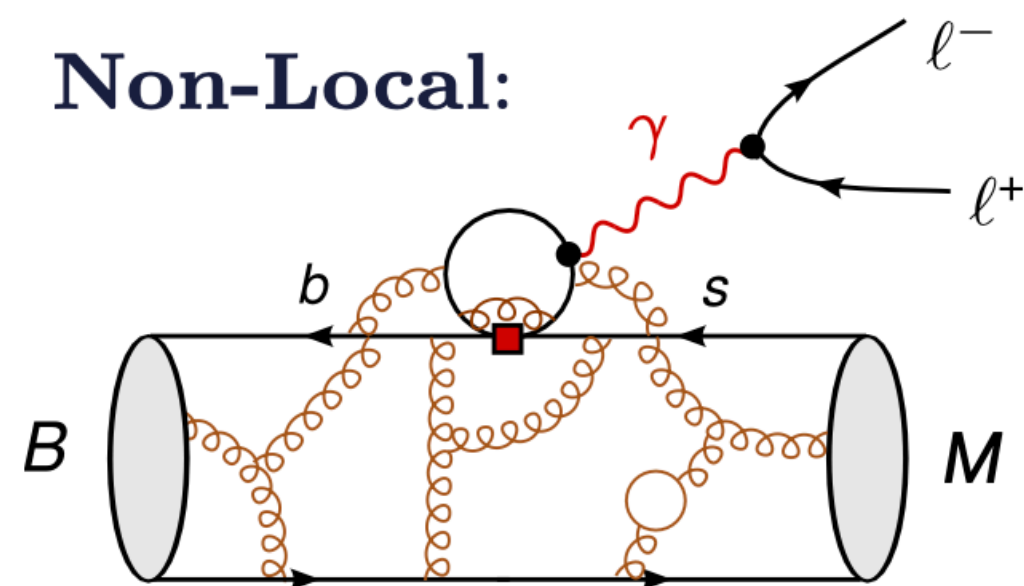
**Local:**



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

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

**Non-Local:**



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

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

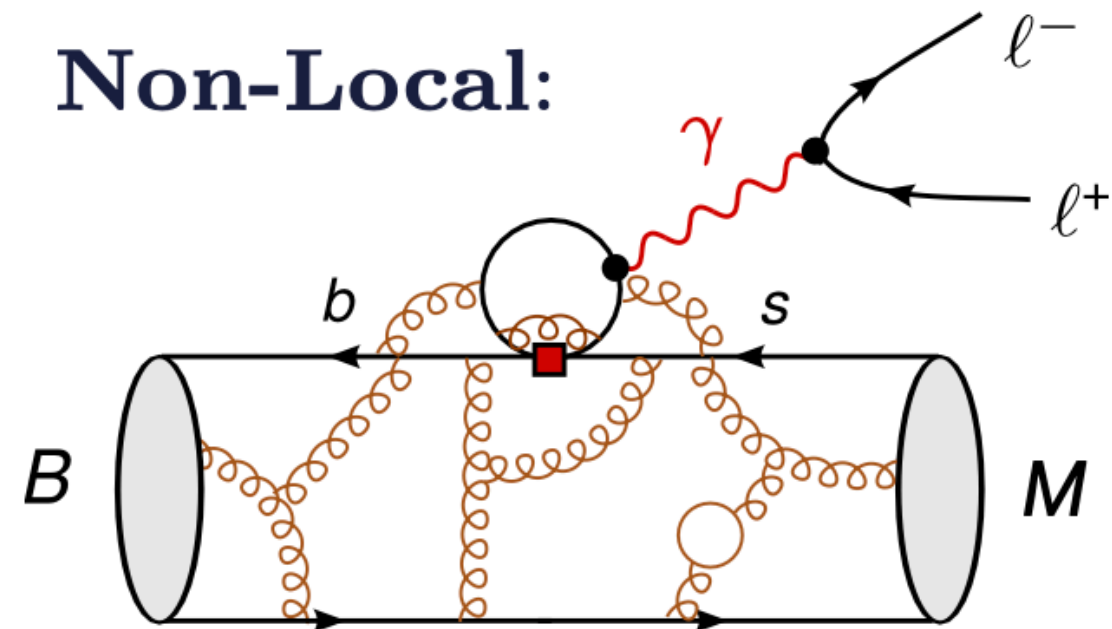
**Local** and **non-local** hadronic matrix elements

- non-perturbative, long-distance physics ( $q^2$  dependent), depends on external states, main source of uncertainty

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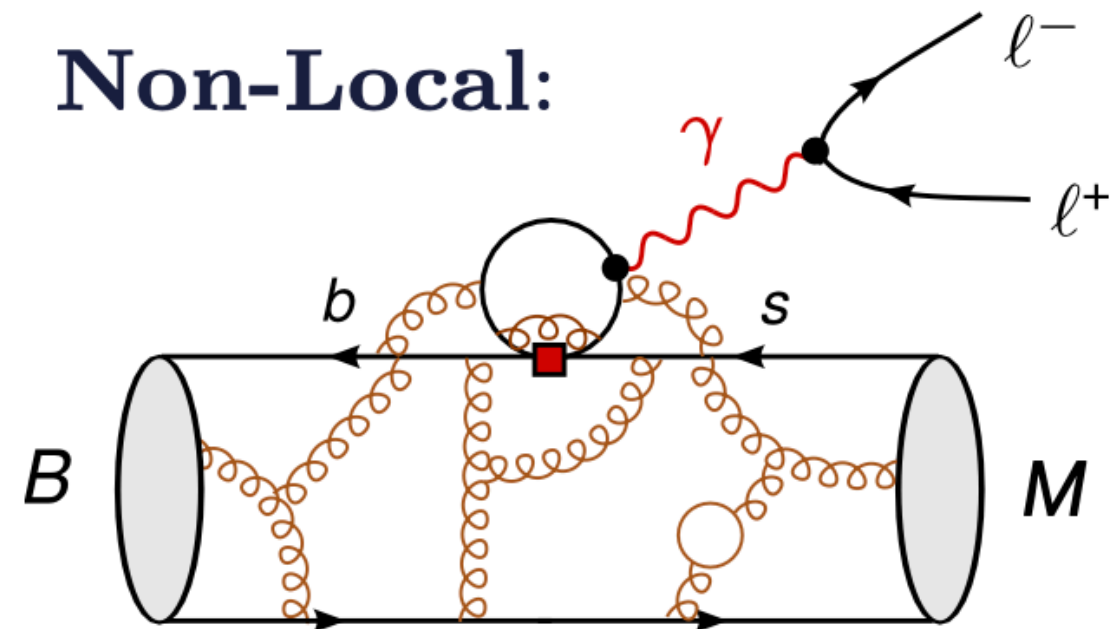
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Large effect in both  $b \rightarrow s \ell \ell$  and  $b \rightarrow d \ell \ell$  rates

$u\bar{u}$  loop

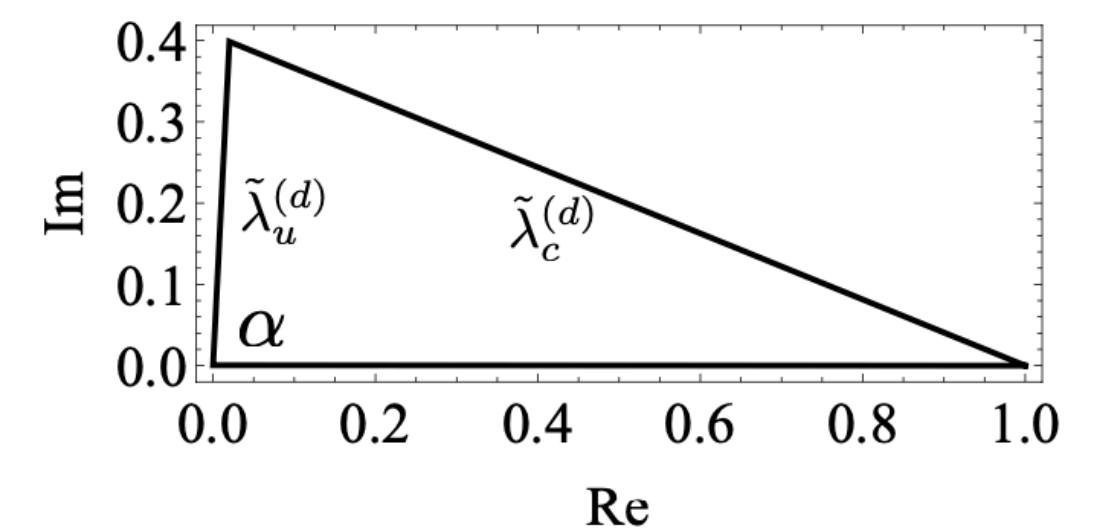
Suppressed in  $b \rightarrow s \ell \ell$  rate due to CKM structure

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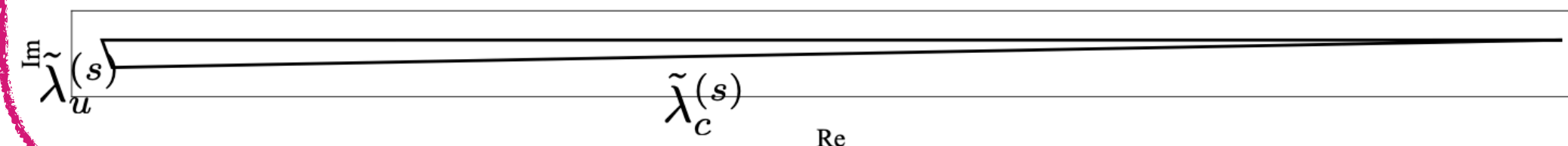
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Complex  $Y_{c\bar{c}}(q^2)$  and  $Y_{u\bar{u}}(q^2)$  even below  $c\bar{c}$  threshold due to cuts in  $q^2$  and  $(q + k)^2$

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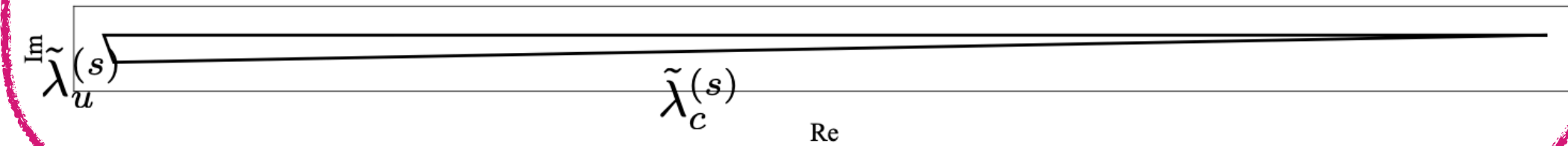
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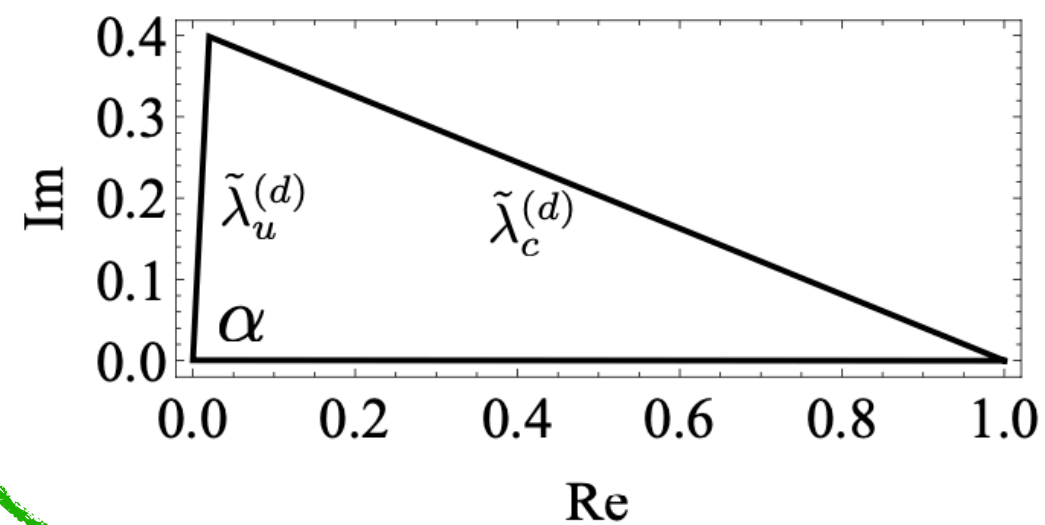


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accidental cancellation in the real part of  $\tilde{\lambda}_u^{(d)}$   
due to the smallness of  $\xi \equiv \rho(1 - \rho) - \eta^2 = -0.022$

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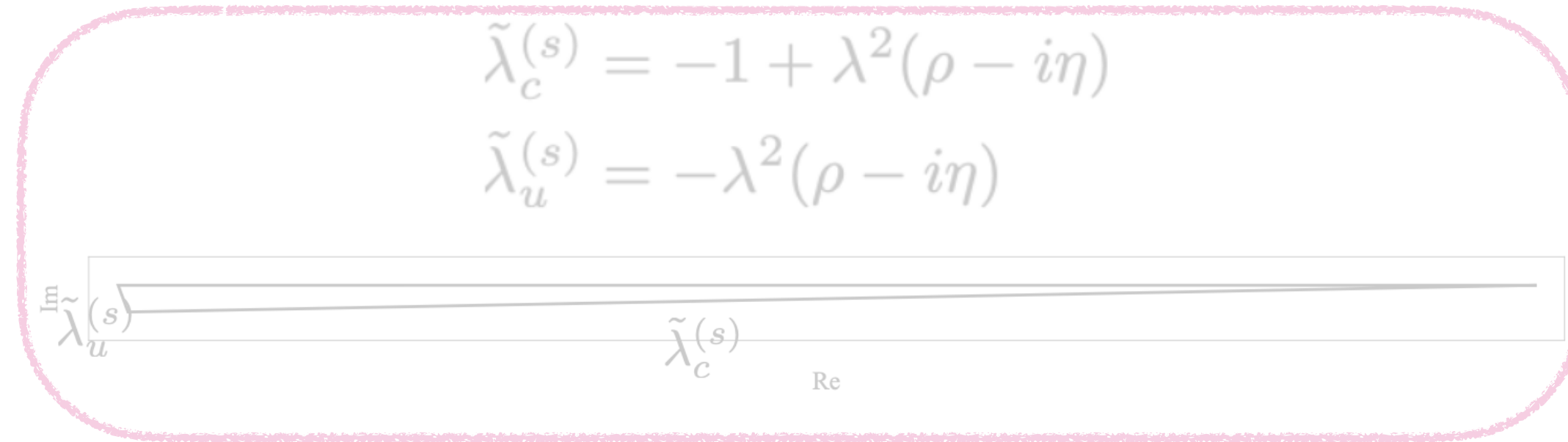
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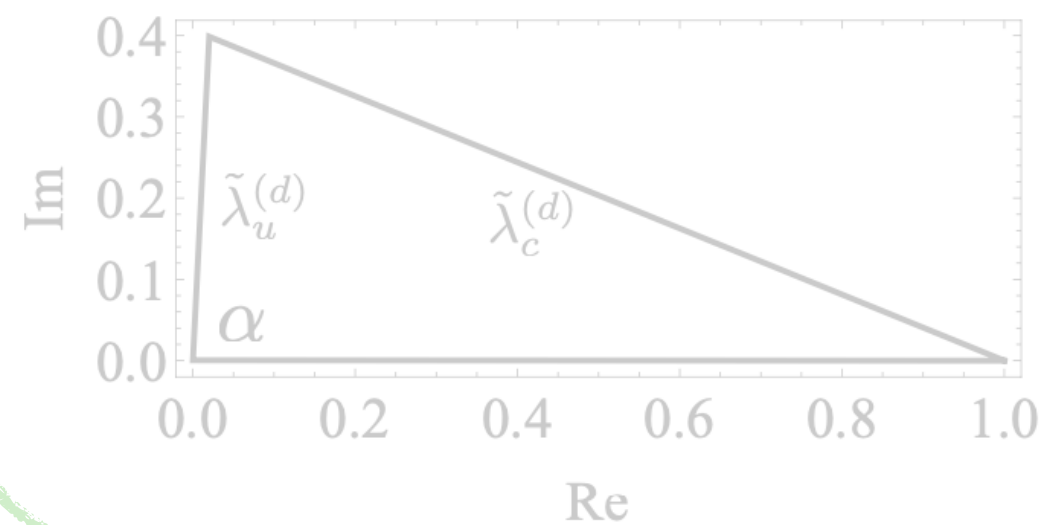
CP-odd rates have the same structure up to U-spin breaking! (non Trivial due to CKM)

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Expanding on U-spin breaking

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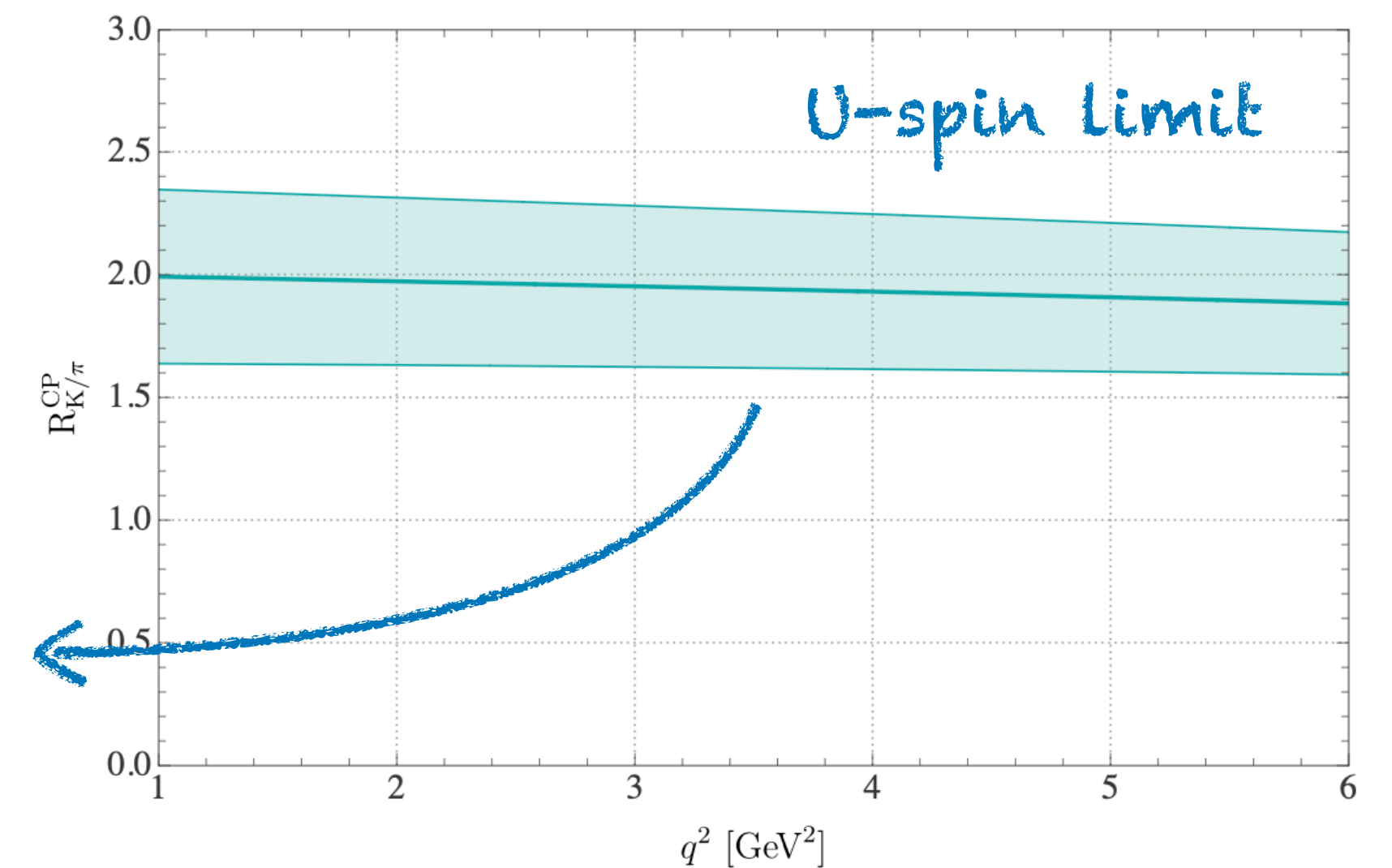
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How big is U-spin breaking?

$$\left| \frac{Y_{c\bar{c}}^{(K)}}{Y_{c\bar{c}}^{(\pi)}} \right|_{q^2=m_{J/\psi}^2} = \left| \frac{\lambda_c^{(d)}}{\lambda_c^{(s)}} \right| \sqrt{\frac{|\mathbf{k}_\pi| \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+)}{|\mathbf{k}_K| \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+)}} = 1.2$$

Only depends on U-Spin Breaking of hadronic non-local contributions

Error domain by Form factors due to lack of correlations





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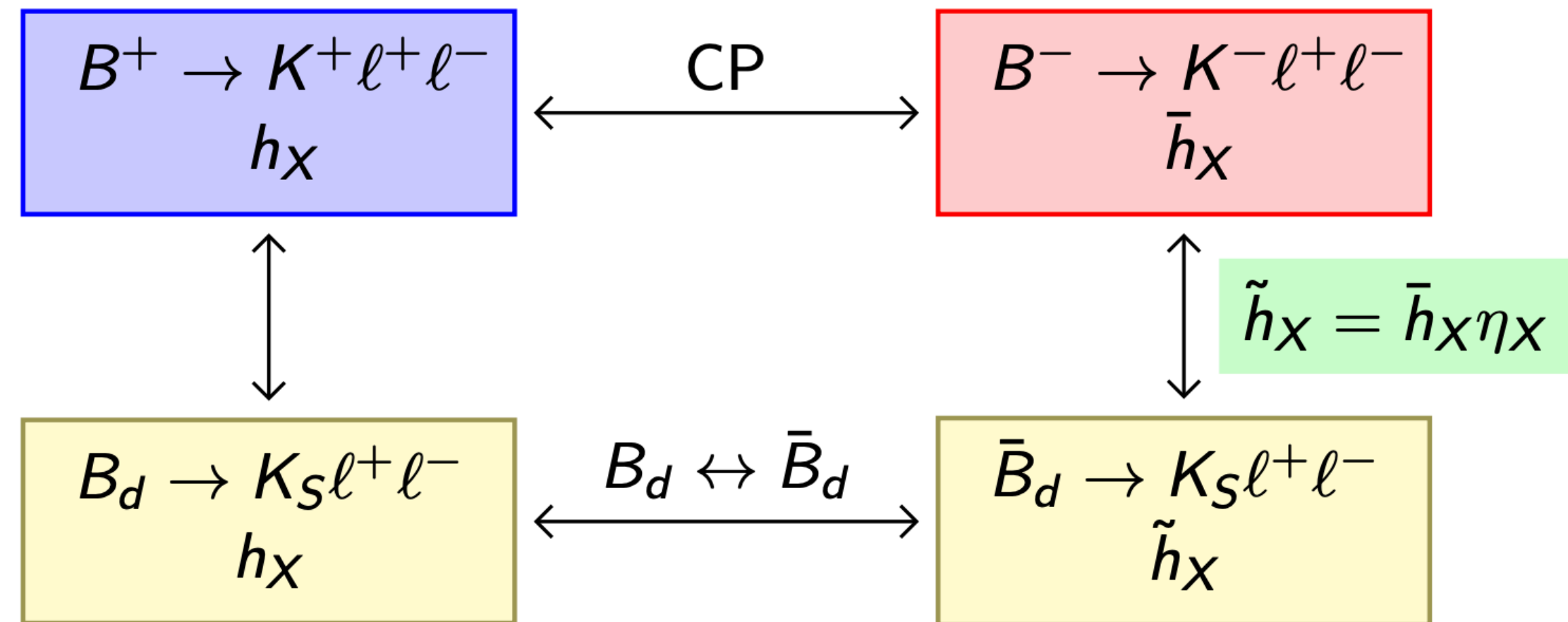
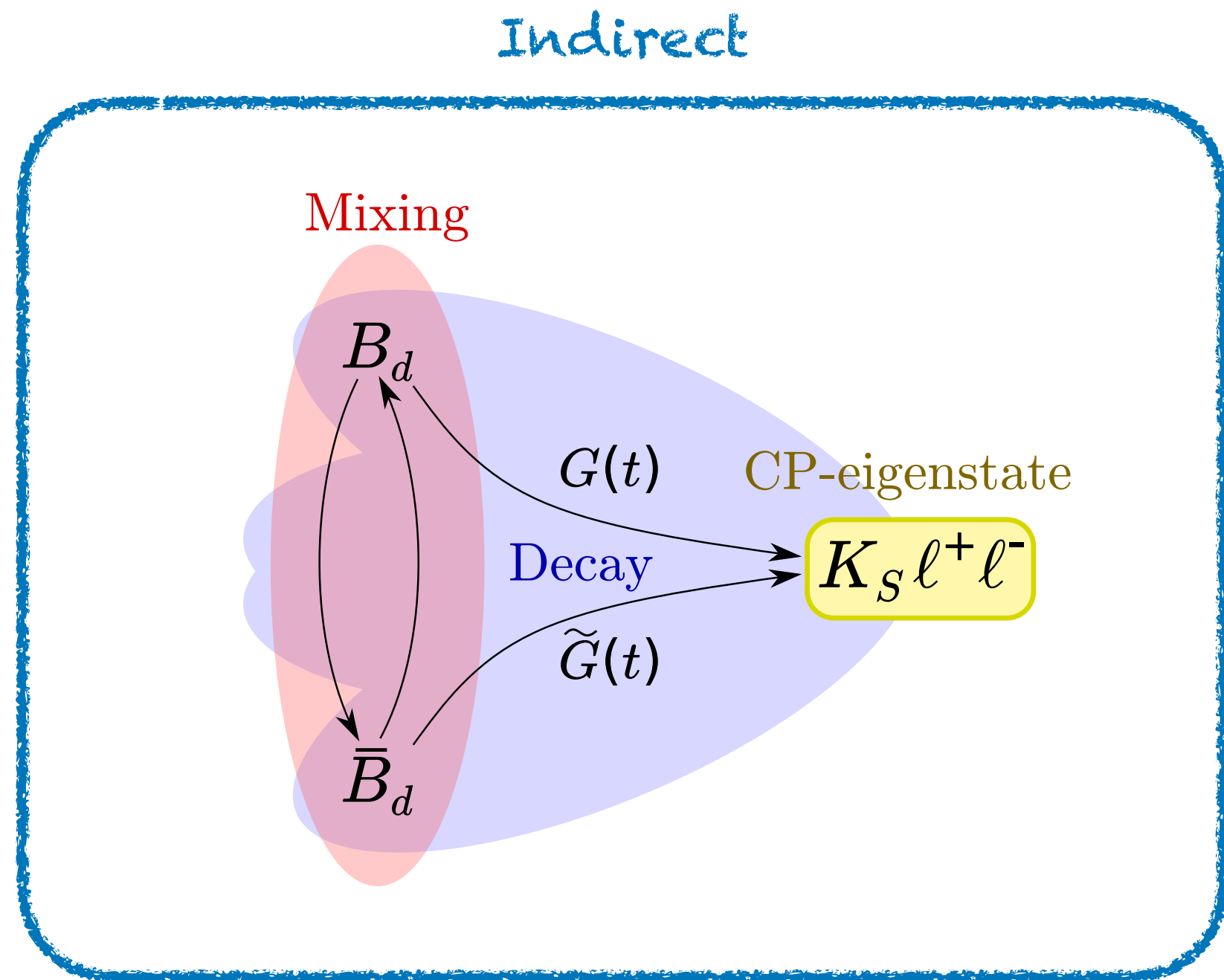
$$\left| \frac{Y_{c\bar{c}}^{(K)}}{Y_{c\bar{c}}^{(\pi)}} \right|_{q^2=m_{J/\psi}^2} = \left| \frac{\lambda_c^{(d)}}{\lambda_c^{(s)}} \right| \sqrt{\frac{|\mathbf{k}_\pi| \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+)}{|\mathbf{k}_K| \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+)}} = 1.2$$

CP-conserving NP in  $B \rightarrow K\ell\ell$

$$R_{K/\pi}^{\text{CP}}|_{\text{NP}} = \left( \frac{\lambda_K}{\lambda_\pi} \right)^{3/2} \left( \frac{f_+^{(K)}}{f_+^{(\pi)}} \right)^2 \left[ 1 - \frac{\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{SM}}(\tilde{f}_T^{(\pi)} - \tilde{f}_T^{(K)})}{\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{SM}} + \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{SM}} \tilde{f}_T^{(K)}} - \epsilon_{uc} + \mathcal{O}(\Delta_U^2) \right] \times \left( 1 + \frac{\delta\mathcal{C}_9^{(s)} + \delta\mathcal{C}_7^{(s)} \tilde{f}_T^{(K)}}{\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{SM}} + \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{SM}} \tilde{f}_T^{(K)}} \right)$$

Ratio probes CP-conserving contribution in orthogonal direction to CP-average (wrt hadronic contributions)

# Indirect Asymmetry: How do you describe it?



$h_X$ : Transversity amplitudes  $\eta_X$ : CP-parity associated to  $h_X$

$$\eta_{V,A,P,T_t} = -1 \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_{S,T} = 1 \quad \implies \quad \tilde{h}_X^{\text{SM}} = -\bar{h}_X^{\text{SM}}$$

[Dunietz et al '01, Descotes-Genon et al '15]

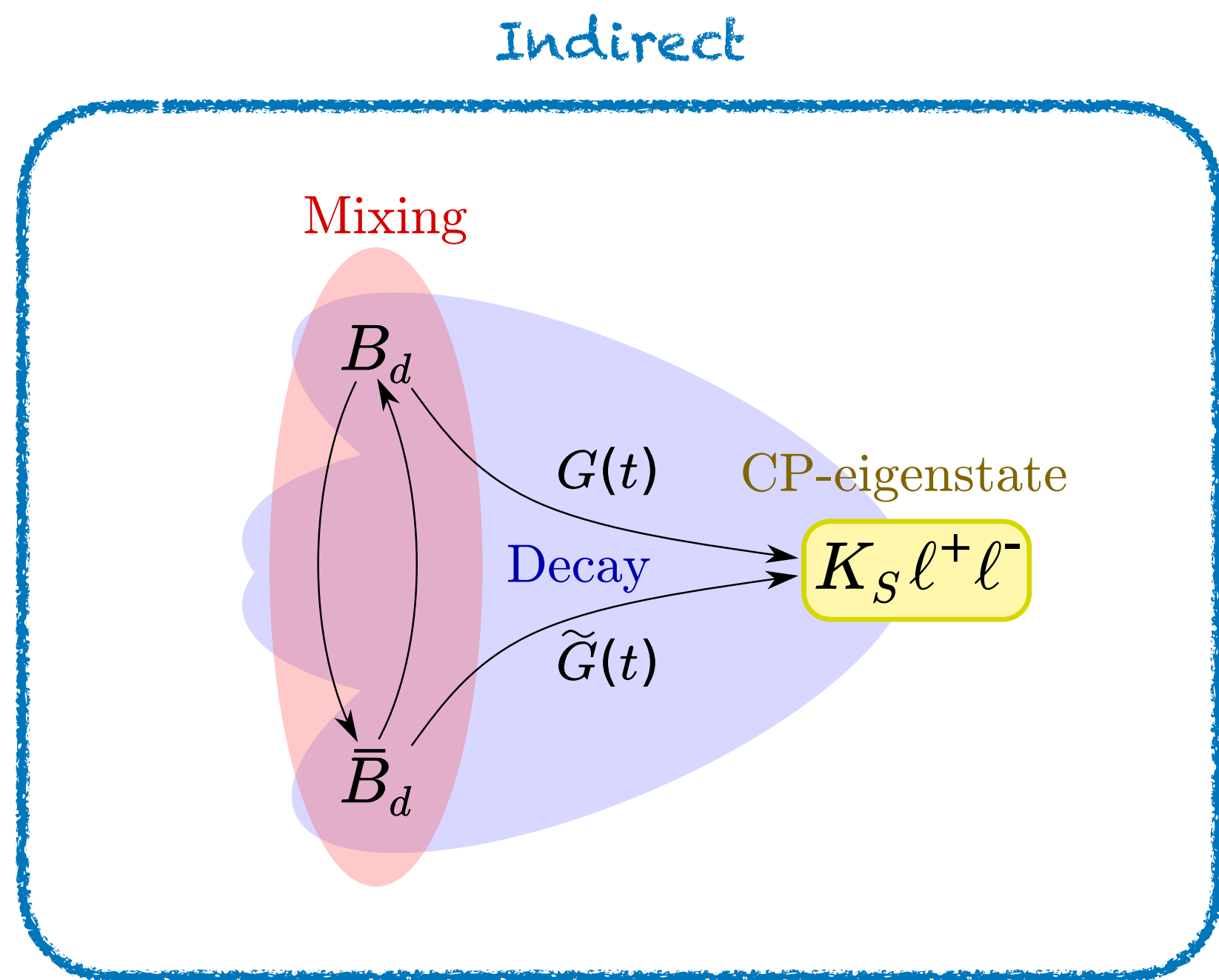
$$G_2 = -\frac{4\beta_\ell^2}{3} \left( |h_V|^2 + |h_A|^2 - 2|h_T|^2 - 4|h_{T_t}|^2 \right)$$

$$\frac{d^2\Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ l^+ l^-)}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_\ell} = G_0(q^2) + G_1(q^2)\cos\theta_\ell + G_2(q^2)\frac{1}{2}(3\cos^2\theta_\ell - 1)$$

$$\bar{h}_A \propto (\mathcal{C}_{10} + \mathcal{C}_{10'})f_+(q^2)$$



# Indirect Asymmetry: How do you describe it?



$$G_i(t) + \tilde{G}_i(t) = e^{-\Gamma t} \left[ \text{CP-Average} \left( (G_i + \tilde{G}_i) \cosh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma t}{2}\right) - h_i \sinh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma t}{2}\right) \right) \right]$$

$$G_i(t) - \tilde{G}_i(t) = e^{-\Gamma t} \left[ \text{Direct CP-Asymmetry} \left( (G_i - \tilde{G}_i) \cos(\Delta m t) - s_i \sin(\Delta m t) \right) \right]$$

Time-evolution of CP-average  
Encodes the same information as si

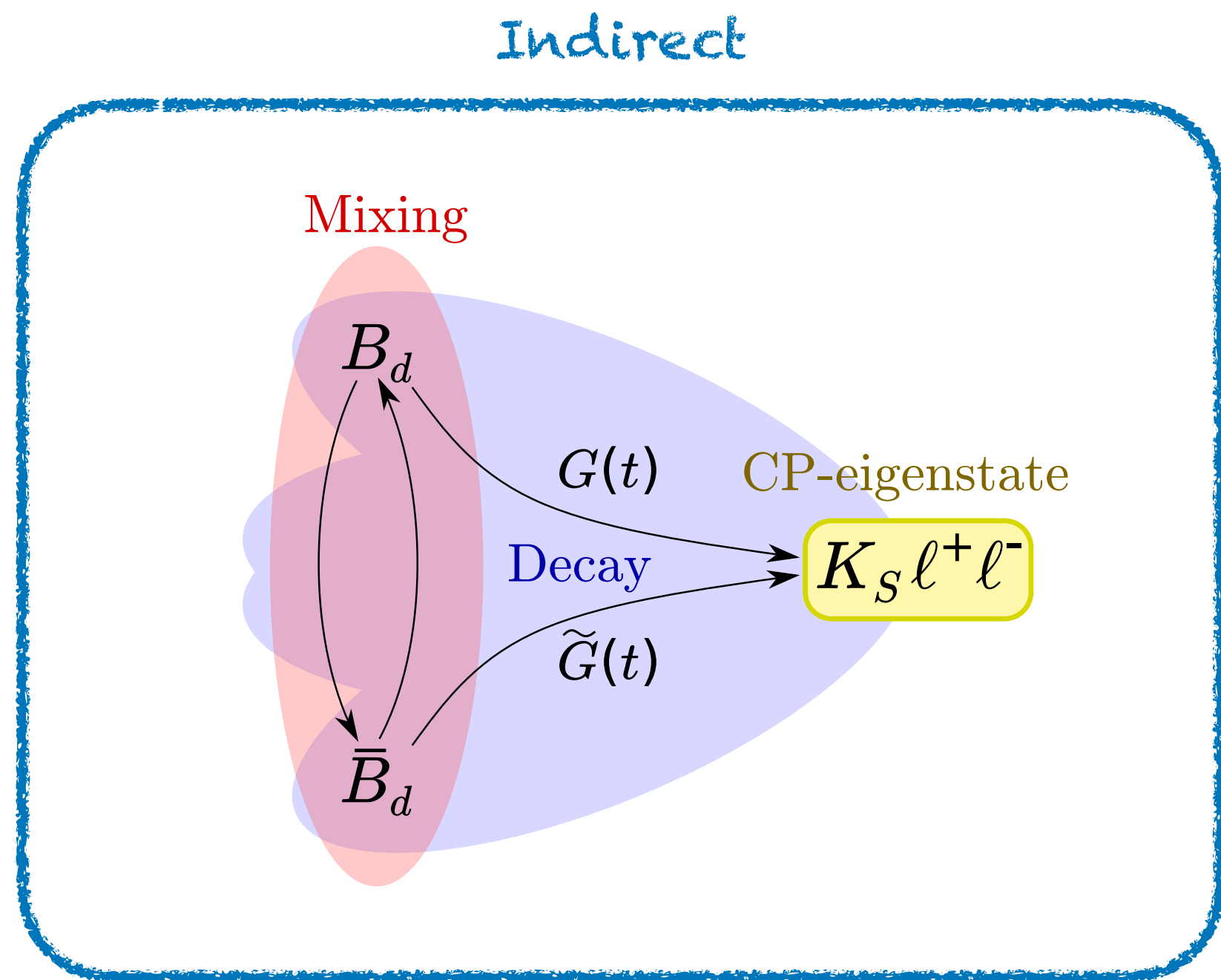
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# Indirect Asymmetry: What does it probe?



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Time-evolution of CP-average  
Encodes the same information as si  
Re vs Im part

$$G_i(t) - \tilde{G}_i(t) = e^{-\Gamma t} \left[ (G_i - \tilde{G}_i) \cos(\Delta m t) - s_i \sin(\Delta m t) \right]$$

Direct CP-Asymmetry

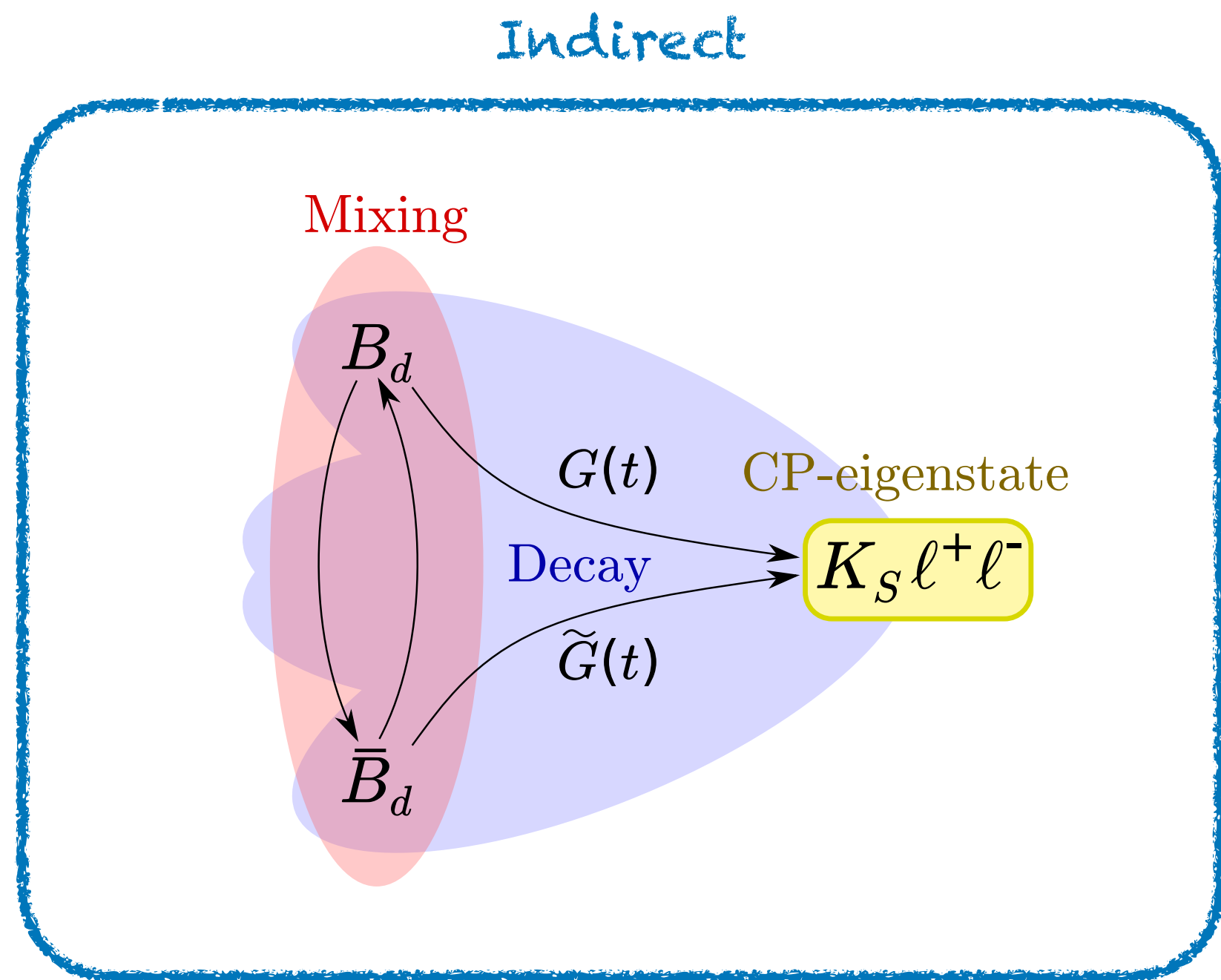
$$s_2 = -\frac{8\beta_\ell^2}{3} \text{Im} \left[ e^{i\phi} \left[ \tilde{h}_V h_V^* + \tilde{h}_A h_A^* - 2\tilde{h}_T h_T^* - 4\tilde{h}_{T_t} h_{T_t}^* \right] \right]$$

Scalar/Tensor Currents

$$s_2 \simeq -2 \sin \phi \left( G_2 - \frac{32}{3} |\bar{h}_{T_t}|^2 \right)$$

Real Scalar and Tensor Currents due to their CP-parities (Substantially suppressed)

# Indirect Asymmetry: What does it probe?



Complex NP

$$s_2 \simeq -2 \sin(\phi - \phi_{NP}) G_2$$

Interference between weak (CP-odd) phase and mixing phases

Clean Sensitive Probes of Complex NP!!!

$$G_i(t) + \tilde{G}_i(t) = e^{-\Gamma t} \left[ \text{CP-Average} \left( G_i + \tilde{G}_i \right) \cosh \left( \frac{\Delta\Gamma t}{2} \right) - h_i \sinh \left( \frac{\Delta\Gamma t}{2} \right) \right]$$

Time-evolution of CP-average

$$G_i(t) - \tilde{G}_i(t) = e^{-\Gamma t} \left[ (G_i - \tilde{G}_i) \cos(\Delta m t) - s_i \sin(\Delta m t) \right]$$

Indirect CP-Asymmetry

Encodes the same information as  $s_i$  Re vs Im part

Direct CP-Asymmetry

$$s_2 = -\frac{8\beta_\ell^2}{3} \text{Im} \left[ e^{i\phi} \left[ \tilde{h}_V h_V^* + \tilde{h}_A h_A^* - 2\tilde{h}_T h_T^* - 4\tilde{h}_{T_i} h_{T_i}^* \right] \right]$$

Observable	SM	$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.12$	$C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.12 + i1.00$
$\sigma_0$	0.368(5)	0.368(5)	0.273(6)
$\sigma_2$	-0.359(5)	-0.359(5)	-0.266(6)



# Conclusions and Future Prospects

- Cancellations due to CKM structure implies similar structure in  $B \rightarrow K\ell\ell$  and  $B \rightarrow \pi\ell\ell$  CP-odd rates up to U-spin breaking.
- U-spin ratio of CP-odd rates is an indicator of validity of CKM mechanism. Provides orthogonal handle on CP-even New Physics.
- Estimate of U-spin breaking needed!

Direct

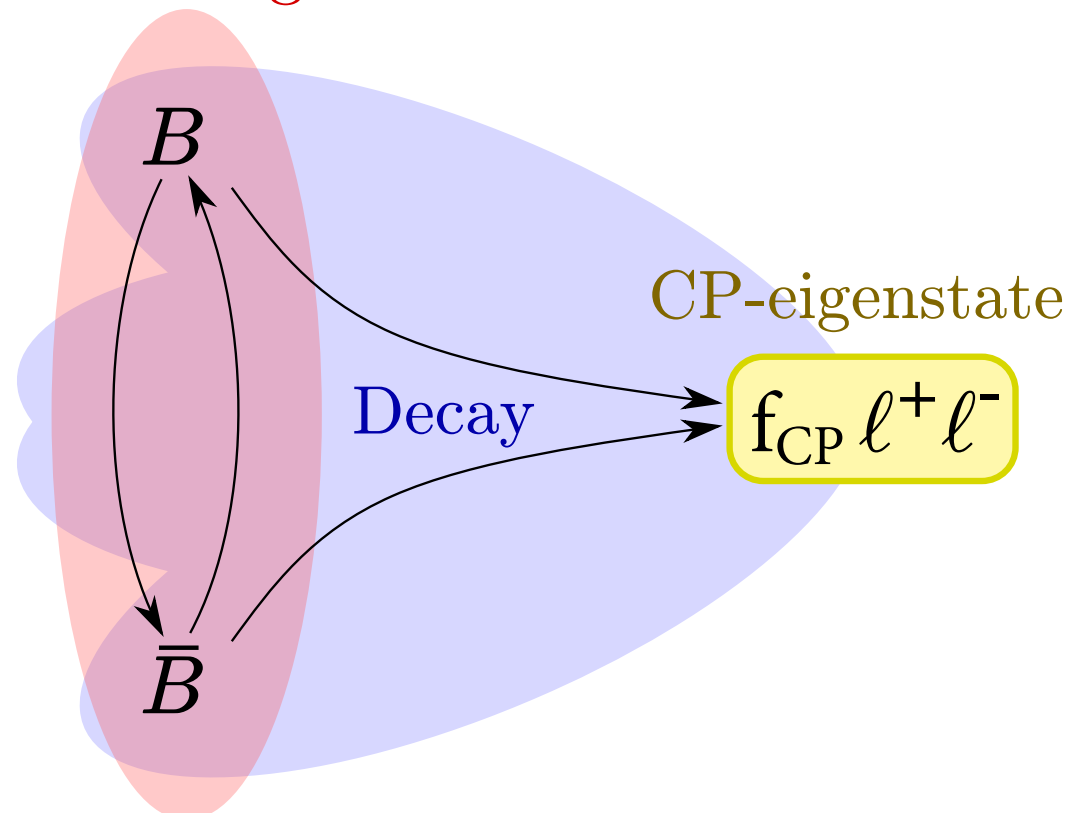
$$B \rightarrow f\ell^+\ell^-$$

v/s

$$\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{f}\ell^+\ell^-$$

Indirect

Mixing



- A  $B_d \rightarrow K_S \ell\ell$  time dependent analysis can help to constrain NP complex phases in  $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$ . LHCb, BelleII?
- Similar arguments can be made in the case of  $B_s$  decays.
- $B \rightarrow V\ell\ell$  decays are more complex but still strongly sensitive to CP-odd phase.

# CP-Asymmetries in Semileptonic Decays

How to Exploit Direct and Indirect CP-asymmetries in rare B-decays

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# Indirect Asymmetry: How to extract it?

In  $B_d \rightarrow K_S \ell^+ \ell^-$  :  $y = \Delta\Gamma_{B_d}/2\Gamma$  very small  $\Rightarrow$  Only 3 observables ( $s_i$ ) accessible

In  $B_s$  decays :  $x = \Delta m_{B_s}/\Gamma$  large,  $y = \Delta\Gamma_{B_s}/2\Gamma$  small (low sensitivity)  $\Rightarrow$  All observables accessible

No need for flavour tagging needed to access  $h_i$  (lower sensitivity due to small  $y$  and small mixing angle)

- Time integration different for **hadronic machines (incoherent production)** and  $B$ -factories (coherent production).
  - **Incoherent**:  $t \in [0, \infty) \Rightarrow$  time since  $b$ -quarks have been produced
  - **Coherent**:  $t \in (-\infty, \infty) \Rightarrow$  time difference between  $B$  and  $\bar{B}$  decay
- Hadronic machines involve an **additional term** compared to the  $B$ -factories ( $x = \delta m/\Gamma \Rightarrow$  mixing parameter).

$$\langle G_i + \tilde{G}_i \rangle_{\text{Hadronic}} = \frac{1}{\Gamma} \left[ \frac{1}{1-y^2} \times (G_i + \tilde{G}_i) - \frac{y}{1-y^2} \times h_i \right]$$

$$\langle G_i - \tilde{G}_i \rangle_{\text{B-factory}} = \frac{2}{\Gamma} \frac{1}{1+x^2} [G_i - \tilde{G}_i]$$