

# Flavour and CP Violation

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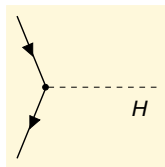
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Yukawa lagrangian of quark fields:

$$-L_Y = Y_{jk}^d \bar{Q}_L^j H d_R^k + Y_{jk}^u \bar{Q}_L^j \tilde{H} u_R^k + \text{h.c.}$$

with  $3 \times 3$  matrices Yukawa matrices  $Y^{u,d}$ .

$\Rightarrow$  quark mass matrices  $M^{u,d} = Y^{u,d} v$ .

With three unphysical rotations achieve

$$Y^u = \hat{Y}^u = \begin{pmatrix} y_u & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y_t \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad Y^d = V^\dagger \hat{Y}^d$$

$$\text{with} \quad \hat{Y}^d = \begin{pmatrix} y_d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y_b \end{pmatrix}$$

and  $y_i \geq 0$ .

$V$  is the unitary **Cabbibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM)** matrix.

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$$d_L^j = V_{jk} d_L^{k'}$$

diagonalises  $M^d$ , but puts  $V$  into the  $W$  boson vertices:

$$W_\mu \bar{u}_L^j \gamma^\mu d_L^j = W_\mu V_{jk} \bar{u}_L^j \gamma^\mu d_L^{k'}$$

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Flavour violation appears only in **charged-current vertices**. **Flavour-changing neutral current (FCNC)** processes are loop suppressed!

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Flavour physics probes scales of new physics exceeding **100 TeV**.

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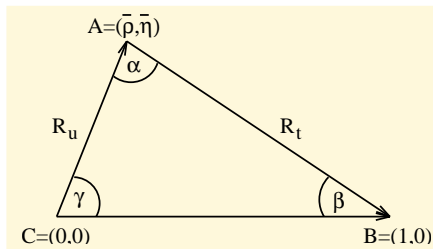
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Exact definition:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\rho} + i\bar{\eta} &= -\frac{V_{ub}^* V_{ud}}{V_{cb}^* V_{cd}} \\ &= \left| \frac{V_{ub}^* V_{ud}}{V_{cb}^* V_{cd}} \right| e^{i\gamma} \end{aligned}$$



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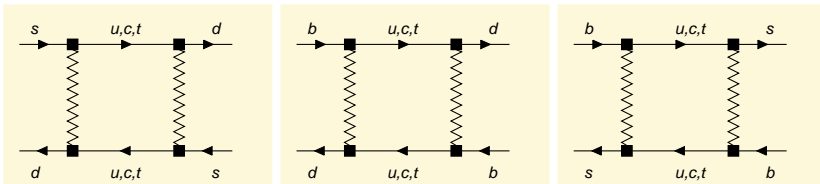
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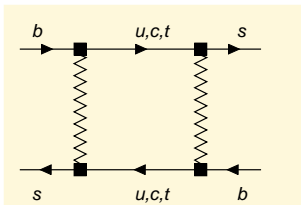
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⇒ gold mine for new-physics searches

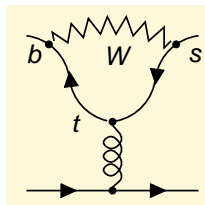


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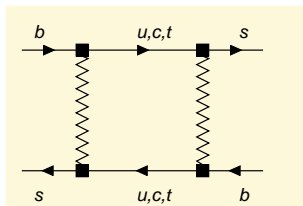
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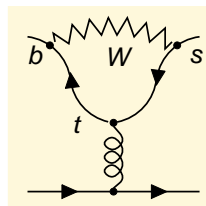
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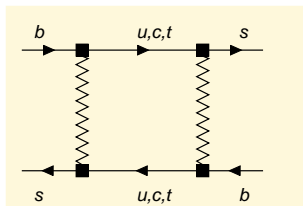
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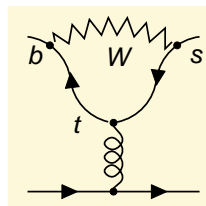


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$\Rightarrow$  Meson-antimeson mixing is more sensitive to generic NP than FCNC decay amplitudes, if  $|\delta_{\text{FCNC}}| > |V_{ts}| \approx 0.04$ .

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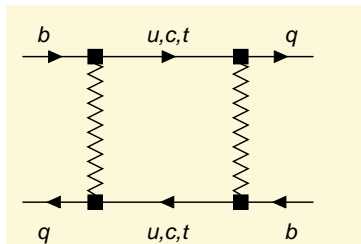
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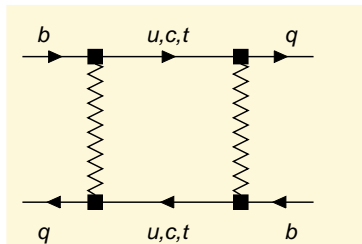


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3 physical quantities in  $B_q - \bar{B}_q$  mixing:

$$|M_{12}^q|, \quad |\Gamma_{12}^q|, \quad \phi_q \equiv \arg \left( -\frac{M_{12}^q}{\Gamma_{12}^q} \right)$$

The two eigenstates found by diagonalising  $M - i\Gamma/2$  differ in their masses and widths:

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CP asymmetry in flavour-specific decays (semileptonic CP asymmetry):

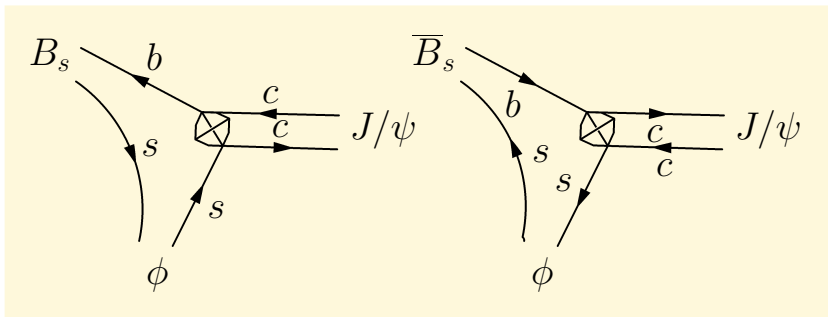
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$$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$$

Angular momentum:  $(J/\psi \phi)_{L=0,2}$ : CP-even,  $\eta_{CP} = 1$   
 $(J/\psi \phi)_{L=1}$  : CP-odd,  $\eta_{CP} = -1$

Time-dependent CP asymmetry:

$$a_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(B_s(t) \rightarrow (J/\psi \phi)_L) - \Gamma(\bar{B}_s(t) \rightarrow (J/\psi \phi)_L)}{\Gamma(B_s(t) \rightarrow (J/\psi \phi)_L) + \Gamma(\bar{B}_s(t) \rightarrow (J/\psi \phi)_L)}$$



Time-dependent CP asymmetry in  $B_s(t) \rightarrow (J/\psi \phi)_L$ :

$$a_{CP}(t) = \eta_{CP} \frac{\sin(2\beta_s) \sin(\Delta m_s t)}{\cosh(\Delta\Gamma_s t/2) - \cos(2\beta_s) \sinh(\Delta\Gamma_s t/2)}$$

Standard Model prediction from a global fit to UT:

$$\sin(2\beta_s) \simeq 2\lambda^2 \bar{\eta} = 0.036 \pm 0.003 \quad @95\%CL,$$

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so that  $2\beta_s = 2.1^\circ \pm 0.2^\circ$ .

In  $a_{CP}(t)$  the penguin pollution is neglected, it may affect the extraction of  $2\beta_s$  from  $a_{CP}(t)$  by  $\mathcal{O}(1^\circ)$ .



LHCb full 2011 data set:

$$\begin{aligned}2\beta_S^{\text{exp}} &= 0.002 \pm 0.083_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.027_{\text{syst}} \\ &= 0.1^\circ \pm 4.8^\circ_{\text{stat}} \pm 1.5^\circ_{\text{syst}}\end{aligned}$$

from  $B_S \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$  and  $B_S \rightarrow J/\psi\pi\pi$ .

LHCb-CDF-DØ average

$$2\beta_S^{\text{exp}} = 0.044_{-0.085}^{+0.090} = 2.5^\circ_{-4.9^\circ}^{+5.2^\circ} \quad \text{HFAG 2012}$$

in good agreement with the SM expectation  $2\beta_S = 2.1^\circ \pm 0.2^\circ$ .

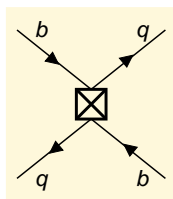
## $\Delta m_s$ and $\Delta m_d$

Operator Product Expansion:

$$M_{12}^q = |V_{tq}^* V_{tb}|^2 C Q$$

Local Operator:

$$Q = \bar{q}_L \gamma_\nu b_L \bar{q}_L \gamma^\nu b_L$$



Theoretical uncertainty of  $\Delta m_q$  dominated by **matrix element**:

$$\langle B_q | Q | \bar{B}_q \rangle = \frac{2}{3} M_{B_q}^2 f_{B_q}^2 B_{B_q}$$

Standard Model:  $C = C(m_t, \alpha_s)$  is well-known.

$\Delta m_s$ 

$B_s - \bar{B}_s$  mixing: CKM unitarity fixes  $|V_{ts}| \simeq |V_{cb}|$ . Use lattice results for  $f_{B_q}^2 B_{B_q}$  to confront  $\Delta m_s^{\text{exp}}$  with the Standard Model:

$$\Delta m_s = \left( 18.8 \pm 0.6_{V_{cb}} \pm 0.3_{m_t} \pm 0.1_{\alpha_s} \right) \text{ps}^{-1} \frac{f_{B_s}^2 B_{B_s}}{(220 \text{ MeV})^2}$$

Here  $\overline{\text{MS}}\text{-NDR}$  scheme for  $B_{B_q}$  at scale  $m_b$ .

Often used: scheme-invariant  $\hat{B}_{B_q} = 1.51 B_{B_q}$ .

Recall:

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CKMfitter lattice averages (1203.0238):

$$f_{B_S} = (229 \pm 2 \pm 6) \text{ MeV}, \quad B_{B_S} = 0.85 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.02$$

means  $f_{B_S}^2 B_{B_S} = (211 \pm 9) \text{ MeV}$  and

$$\Delta m_S = (17.3 \pm 1.5) \text{ps}^{-1}$$

complying with LHCb/CDF average

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Few lattice-QCD calculations of  $f_{B_s}^2 B_{B_s}$  available!

Prediction of  $\Delta m_s$  largely relies on calculations of  $f_{B_s}$  and the prejudice  $B_{B_s} \simeq 0.85$ .

With recent preliminary Fermilab/MILC result (1112.5642),

$$f_{B_s}^2 B_{B_s} = 0.0559(68) \text{ GeV}^2 \simeq [(237 \pm 14) \text{ MeV}]^2,$$

one finds

$$\Delta m_s = (21.7 \pm 2.6) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

## Decay matrix

The calculation  $\Gamma_{12}^q$ ,  $q = d, s$ , is needed for  
 the width difference  $\Delta\Gamma_q \simeq 2|\Gamma_{12}^q| \cos \phi_q$   
 and the semileptonic CP asymmetry  $a_{\text{fs}}^q = \frac{|\Gamma_{12}^q|}{|M_{12}^q|} \sin \phi_q$

In the Standard Model

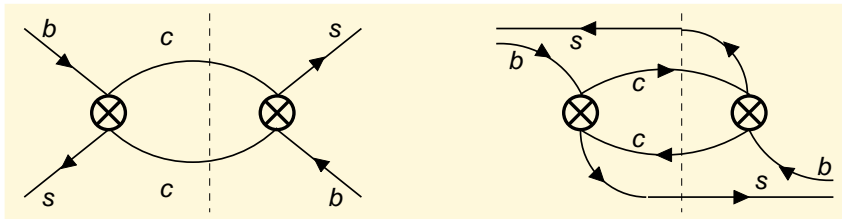
$$\phi_s = 0.22^\circ \pm 0.06^\circ \quad \text{and} \quad \phi_d = -4.3^\circ \pm 1.4^\circ.$$

Recalling  $\phi_q = \arg\left(-\frac{M_{12}^q}{\Gamma_{12}^q}\right)$ , a new physics contribution to  $\arg M_{12}^q$  may deplete  $\Delta\Gamma_q$  and enhance  $|a_{\text{fs}}^q|$  to a level observable at current experiments.

**But:** Precise data on CP violation in  $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi K_S$  and  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$  preclude large NP contributions to  $\arg \phi_d$  and  $\arg \phi_s$ .



Leading contribution to  $\Gamma_{12}^s$ :



$\Gamma_{12}^s$  stems from Cabibbo-favoured tree-level  $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$  decays, sizable new-physics contributions are impossible.

Updated Standard-Model prediction for  $\Delta\Gamma_s/\Delta m_s$  in terms of hadronic parameters:

$$\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s}{\Delta m_s} \Delta m_s^{\text{exp}} = \left[ 0.082 + 0.019 \frac{\tilde{B}'_{S,B_s}}{B_{B_s}} - 0.025 \frac{B_R}{B_{B_s}} \right] \text{ps}^{-1}$$

Here

$$\langle B_s | \bar{s}_L^\alpha b_R^\beta \bar{s}_L^\beta b_R^\alpha | \bar{B}_s \rangle = \frac{1}{12} M_{B_s}^2 f_{B_s}^2 \tilde{B}'_{S,B_s}$$

and  $B_R = 1 \pm 0.5$  parametrises the size of higher-dimension operators.

With preliminary Fermilab/MILC result (1112.5642),

$$\frac{\tilde{B}'_{S, B_s}}{B_{B_s}} = 1.23 \pm 0.24$$

find:

$$\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s}{\Delta m_s} \Delta m^{\text{exp}} = \left[ 0.075 \pm 0.015_{B_R/B} \pm 0.012_{\text{scale}} \pm 0.004_{\tilde{B}/B} \right] \text{ps}^{-1}$$

complies well with LHCb-CDF-DØ average

$$\Delta\Gamma_s = [0.105 \pm 0.015] \text{ps}^{-1}$$

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# New physics

$M_{12}^S$  is highly sensitive to new physics, unlike the tree-level decay  $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$  responsible for  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$  and  $\Gamma_{12}^S$ .

It is plausible to consider a generic scenario, in which the  $M_{12}$  elements in  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$ ,  $B_d - \bar{B}_d$ , and  $K - \bar{K}$  mixing are affected by new-physics, while all other quantities entering the global fit to the UT are as in the Standard-Model.

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Define the complex parameters  $\Delta_d$  and  $\Delta_s$  through

$$M_{12}^q \equiv M_{12}^{\text{SM},q} \cdot \Delta_q, \quad \Delta_q \equiv |\Delta_q| e^{i\phi_q^\Delta}.$$

In the Standard Model  $\Delta_q = 1$ . Use  $\phi_s = \phi_s^{\text{SM}} + \phi_s^\Delta \simeq \phi_s^\Delta$ .

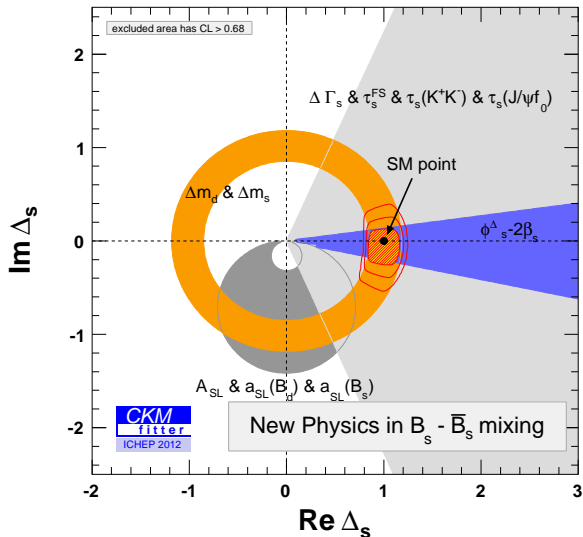
Global analysis of  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$  mixing and  $B_d - \bar{B}_d$  mixing with  
A. Lenz and the CKMfitter Group (J. Charles,  
S. Descotes-Genon, A. Jantsch, C. Kaufhold, H. Lacker,  
S. Monteil, V. Niess) [arXiv:1008.1593, 1203.0238](#)

**Rfit method:** No statistical meaning is assigned to systematic errors and theoretical uncertainties.

We have performed a simultaneous fit to the Wolfenstein parameters and to the new physics parameters  $\Delta_s$  and  $\Delta_d$ :

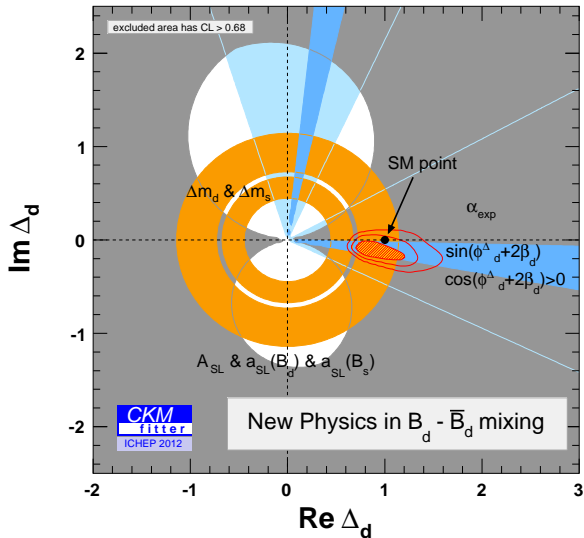
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# CKMfitter September 2012 update of 1203.0238:





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# Supersymmetry

The **MSSM** has many new sources of flavour violation, all in the **supersymmetry-breaking sector**.

No problem to get a big effect in a given **FCNC process**, but rather to suppress big effects elsewhere (**supersymmetric flavour problem**).

With squark masses well beyond **1 TeV** the supersymmetric flavour problem is substantially alleviated.

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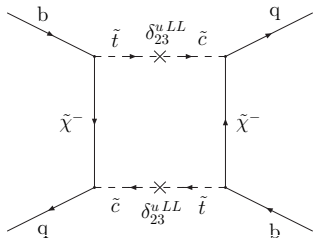
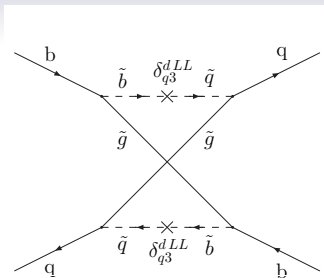
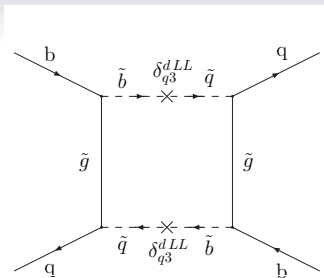
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## Flavour and SUSY GUT

Linking quarks to neutrinos: Flavour mixing:

quarks: Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM) matrix

leptons: Pontecorvo-Maki-Nakagawa-Sakata (PMNS) matrix

Consider  $SU(5)$  multiplets:

$$\bar{\mathbf{5}}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} d_R^c \\ d_R^c \\ d_R^c \\ e_L \\ -\nu_e \end{pmatrix}, \quad \bar{\mathbf{5}}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} s_R^c \\ s_R^c \\ s_R^c \\ \mu_L \\ -\nu_\mu \end{pmatrix}, \quad \bar{\mathbf{5}}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} b_R^c \\ b_R^c \\ b_R^c \\ \tau_L \\ -\nu_\tau \end{pmatrix}.$$

If the observed large atmospheric neutrino mixing angle stems from a rotation of  $\bar{\mathbf{5}}_2$  and  $\bar{\mathbf{5}}_3$ , it will induce a large  $\tilde{b}_R - \tilde{s}_R$ -mixing (Moroi; Chang, Masiero, Murayama).

$\Rightarrow$  new  $b_R - s_R$  transitions from gluino-squark loops possible.

Key ingredients: Some weak basis with

$$Y_d = V_{\text{CKM}}^* \begin{pmatrix} y_d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y_b \end{pmatrix} U_{\text{PMNS}}$$

and right-handed down squark mass matrix:

$$m_{\tilde{d}}^2(M_Z) = \text{diag} \left( m_{\tilde{d}}^2, m_{\tilde{d}}^2, m_{\tilde{d}}^2 - \Delta_{\tilde{d}} \right).$$

with a calculable real parameter  $\Delta_{\tilde{d}}$ , typically generated by top-Yukawa RG effects.

Rotating  $Y_d$  to diagonal form puts the large atmospheric neutrino mixing angle into  $m_{\tilde{d}}^2$ :

$$U_{\text{PMNS}}^\dagger m_{\tilde{d}}^2 U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{\tilde{d}}^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m_{\tilde{d}}^2 - \frac{1}{2} \Delta_{\tilde{d}} & -\frac{1}{2} \Delta_{\tilde{d}} e^{i\xi} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \Delta_{\tilde{d}} e^{-i\xi} & m_{\tilde{d}}^2 - \frac{1}{2} \Delta_{\tilde{d}} \end{pmatrix}$$

The CP phase  $\xi$  affects CP violation in  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$  mixing!

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with the Planck mass  $M_{\text{Pl}}$  and

- $16_i$ : one matter superfield per generation,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ ,
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### “Most minimal flavour violation”

The Yukawa matrices  $Y_U$  and  $Y_N$  are always symmetric. In the **CMM model** they are assumed to be simultaneously diagonalisable at the scale  $M_{Pl}$ , where the soft **SUSY-breaking** terms are **universal**.

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## Chang-Masiero-Murayama model

We have considered  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$  mixing,  $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ ,  $\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$ , vacuum stability bounds, lower bounds on sparticle masses and the mass of the lightest Higgs boson.

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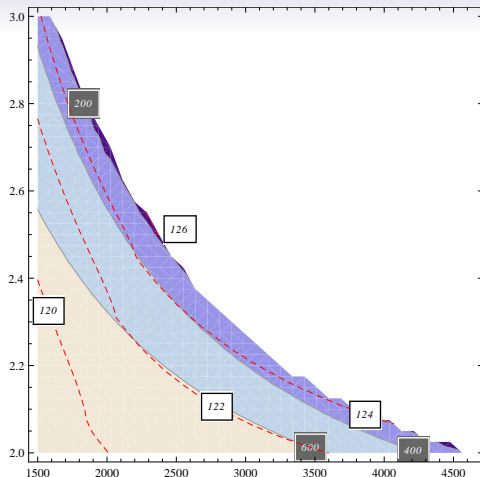
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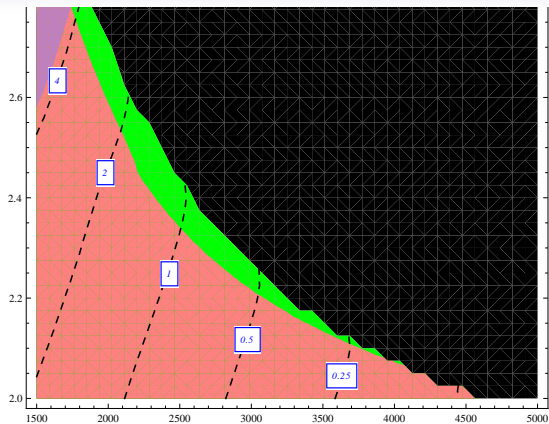
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