

# THE CKM QUARK MIXING MATRIX

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# Where are we now

- ⦿ During the past ten years we have witnessed the success of the CKM picture
- ⦿ All CP-violation manifestations in lab experiments are amenable to one single complex phase in flavour changing transitions of quarks
- ⦿ Now Look to deviations from overall consistency of SM
- ⦿ Updates mainly from new LHC results, Tevatron and B-factories full samples

# Updates since the 2010 edition

## ○ Magnitude of CKM elements

- $V_{cs}$ 
  - New measurements of  $D_s$  leptonic decays (muons and taus) &  $f_{D_s}$  from lattice
  - $|V_{cs}| = 1.008 \pm 0.024$
  - Combined with semi-leptonic:
  - **$|V_{cs}| = 1.006 \pm 0.023$**
- $V_{cb}$  (follow mini-review)
  - Since the RPP 2008 version, the tension between exclusive and inclusive determinations lead to scaled errors about twice as large as previously quoted
  - Only incremental improvements since RPP 2010
  - **$|V_{cb}| = (40.9 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-3}$**
- $V_{ub}$  (follow mini-review)
  - Persistent tension between exclusive and inclusive determinations
  - Average  **$|V_{ub}| = (4.15 \pm 0.49) \times 10^{-3}$**
  - A determination (not included in the average) is obtained from  $B(B \rightarrow \tau \nu) = (1.67 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-4}$  and  $f_B = 190.6 \pm 4.6$  MeV  
 $|V_{ub}| = (5.10 \pm 0.47) \times 10^{-3}$

# Updates since the 2010 edition

- $V_{td}$  &  $V_{ts}$  not likely to be precisely determined in tree level processes, rely on neutral meson mixing and K and B rare decays
  - New result from LHCb has reduced the error on  $\Delta m_s$  by about  $\times 3$
  - Errors on  $V_{td}$  and  $V_{ts}$  dominated by lattice QCD inputs
  - Several uncertainties are reduced calculating the ratio  $\xi = (f_{B_s} \sqrt{B_{B_s}}) / (f_{B_d} \sqrt{B_{B_d}}) = 1.237 \pm 0.032$  (unquenched)  
 **$|V_{td} / V_{ts}| = 0.211 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.006$**
- $V_{tb}$ : new single top result from CMS
  - Average with D0 and CDF :  **$|V_{tb}| = 0.89 \pm 0.07$**

# Updates on Phases of CKM elements

- $\beta / \phi_1$  New Belle result (full sample), average of charmonium modes (Babar+Belle):

$$\sin 2\beta = 0.679 \pm 0.020$$

- $\alpha / \phi_2$  LHCb first result on  $B \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$
- $\gamma / \phi_3$  new results from CDF, LHCb on  $B \rightarrow DK$ . Combining GLW, ADS and Dalitz methods:

$$\gamma = (68^{+10}_{-11})^\circ$$

# Global Fit to Standard Model

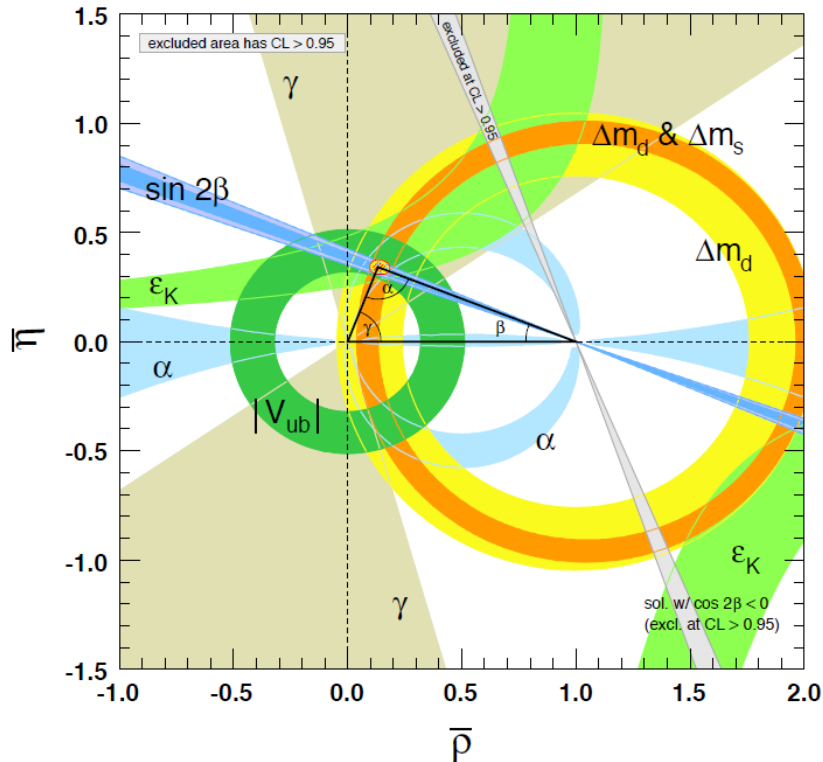
## ⊙ Using frequentistic prescription (CKMfitter):

- $\lambda = 0.22535 \pm 0.00065$        $A = 0.811^{+0.022}_{-0.012}$
- $\rho = 0.131^{+0.026}_{-0.013}$        $\eta = 0.345^{+0.013}_{-0.014}$

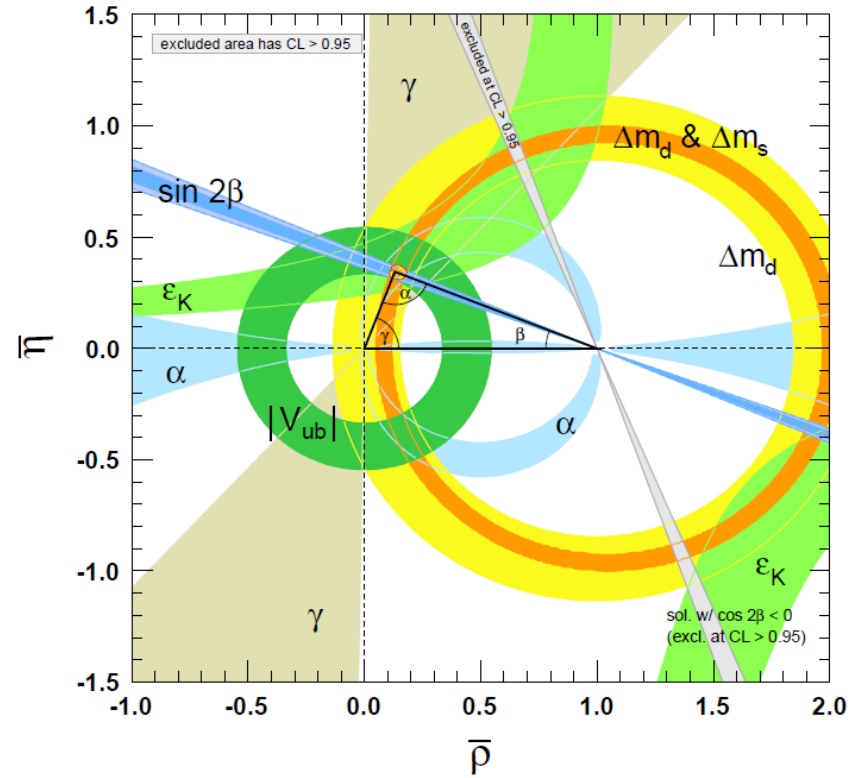
## ⊙ Using Bayesian prescription (UTfit):

- $\lambda = 0.22535 \pm 0.00065$        $A = 0.817 \pm 0.015$
- $\rho = 0.131 \pm 0.018$        $\eta = 0.348 \pm 0.014$

# RPP 2010



# RPP 2012



# Implications Beyond Standard Model

- Many key measurements sensitive to BSM are not useful to in terms of constraining the unitarity triangle
  - For instance, from CP-asymmetries in semileptonic  $B_{d,s}^0$  decays, D0 finds a  $3.9\sigma$  deviation from SM
- A key quantity in the  $B_s$  system is  $\beta_s = \arg(-V_{ts} V_{tb}^*/V_{cs} V_{cb}^*)$  which is the small  $\lambda^2$ -suppressed angle of a squashed unitarity triangle (scalar product of second and third column)
- $\phi_s = -2\beta_s$
- SM prediction:  $\beta_s = 0.018 \pm 0.001$
- LHCb measurement ( $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ):  $\beta_s = 0.001 \pm 0.044$
- Uncertainty is still twice the SM prediction and  $\sim 40$  times its uncertainties
  
- Rare kaon decays clean tests of the standard model will be expected from the study of the  $K \rightarrow \pi \nu \bar{\nu}$  modes



# A few comments

- ⊙ Several constraints/elements depend significantly on input from theory (decay constants, bag parameters, form factors...)
  - Epsilon
  - $\Delta m_d$
  - $\Delta m_s$
  - 2+1 Flavor Lattice QCD averages
- ⊙ Average and error treatment of theory input not always straightforward
  - $f_+(0), f_{K,D,B}$
  - B, quark masses,...
- ⊙ Persistent tension on the determination of  $V_{ub}$ 
  - $B \rightarrow \tau \nu$  ??