

Rare FCNC t, b and c decays <u>T. Blake</u> on behalf of the LHCb collaboration including results from ATLAS and CMS



Outline

- 1. Why are FCNC t, b and c decays interesting?
- 2. The very rare decays $B^0_{(s,d)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$.
- 3. Photon polarisation in $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ decays.
- 4. Branching fractions and angular distributions of $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ decays.
- 5. Rare c and t decays.

 For more details see the talks in the heavy flavour/top sessions by F. Scuri, F. Ligabue, M. de Cian, J. F. Kamenik and W. Altmannshofer.



- In the SM only the charged current interaction is flavour changing.
 - All other interactions are flavour conserving.
- Flavour changing b→ s and b→ d transitions only occur at loop order in the SM.
 - SM contribution is suppressed.



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

Standard Model



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 $B^0_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

 $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ and $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

- B⁰ and B⁰_s → μ⁺μ⁻ are both GIM (loop) and helicity suppressed in the SM.
- Sensitive to contributions from (pseudo)scalar sector → interesting probe of NP models with extended Higgs sectors (e.g. MSSM, 2HDM, ...)
- e.g. in MSSM, branching fraction scales approximately as $\tan^6 \beta / M_A^4$
 - Predicted precisely in the SM:

$${\cal B}(B^0_s o \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.65 \pm 0.23) imes 10^{-9}$$

[Bobeth et al. PRL 112 101801 (2014)] NB $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$ suppressed by $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|^2$.



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$B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ searches

 Background rejection key for rare decay searches → use multivariate classifiers (BDTs) and tight particle identification requirements.



$B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb and CMS



In 3 fb⁻¹ LHCb sees evidence for B⁰_s → μ⁺μ⁻ at 4.0σ with B(B⁰_s → μ⁺μ⁻) = (2.9^{+1.1+0.3}_{-1.0-0.1}) × 10⁻⁹. [PRL 111 (2013) 101805]
 In 20 fb⁻¹ CMS sees evidence for B⁰_s → μ⁺μ⁻ at 4.3σ

with $\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.0^{+1.0}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-9}$. [PRL 111 (2013) 101805]

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Naïve $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ combination [CMS-PAS-BPH-13-007,LHCb-CONF-2013-012]



• Naïve combination of CMS and LHCb results gives:

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0_s \to \mu^+ \mu^-) = (2.9 \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.6 \stackrel{+1.6}{_{-1.4}}) \times 10^{-10}$$

 $ightarrow B^0_s
ightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ is observed at more than 5σ

- Work is ongoing to do a proper combination of the two results.
- Unfortunately, measured BFs are consistent with SM expectations.

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Photon polarisation in $b \rightarrow s\gamma$

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Photon polarisation in $b \rightarrow s \gamma$ decays

- $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\gamma$ was the first penguin decay ever observed, by CLEO in 1992 .[PRL 71 (1993) 674]
- We already know from the B-factories that inclusive & exclusive $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ branching fractions are compatible with SM expectations.
- What else do we know?
- →→ In the SM, photons from $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ decays are predominantly left-handed $(C_7/C_7' \sim m_b/m_s)$ due to the charged-current interaction.



- Can test C_7/C_7' using:
- → Mixing-induced CP violation [Atwood et al PRL 79 (1997) 185-188], → Λ_b^0 baryons [Hiller & Kagan PRD 65 (2002) 074038],

Photon polarisation from $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \gamma$

OR $B \rightarrow K^{**}\gamma$ decays such as $B^+ \rightarrow K_1(1270)\gamma$. [Gronau & Pirjol PRD 66 (2002) 054008]

- Can infer the photon polarisation from the up-down asymmetry of the photon direction in the $K^+\pi^-\pi^+$ rest-frame. Unpolarised photons would have no asymmetry.
- This is conceptionally similar to the Wu experiment, which first observed parity violation.



[PRL 112 (2014) 161801]

- At LHCb we look at $B^+ \to K^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \gamma$ decays using calorimeter photons.
- Observe $\sim 13,000$ signal candidates in $3 \, {\rm fb}^{-1}$.
- There are a large number of overlapping resonances in the $m(K^+\pi^-\pi^+)$ mass spectra. No attempt is made to separate these in the analysis, we simply bin in 4 bins of $m(K^+\pi^-\pi^+)$.



Best fit, Fit with $(C'_7 - C_7)/(C'_7 + C_7) = 0$



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Rare FCNC decays

- Combining the 4 bins, the photon is observed to be polarised at 5.2σ .
- Unfortunately you need to understand the hadronic system to know if the polarisation is left-handed, as expected in the SM.



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ightarrow s\gamma$ decays

$b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ decays

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$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ angular distribution

- Can also probe photon polaristion using virtual photons in $b \rightarrow s\ell^+\ell^-$ decays, e.g. through the angular distribution of the $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-$ decay.
- Also sensitive to new left- and right-handed vector currents.
- Decay described by three angles $(\theta_{\ell}, \theta_K, \phi)$ and the dimuon invariant mass squared, q^2 .
- Analyses are performed in bins of *q*².



• Angular distribution depends on 11 angular terms:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^4\Gamma[B^0 \to K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-]}{\mathrm{d}\cos\theta_\ell \,\mathrm{d}\cos\theta_K \,\mathrm{d}\phi \,\mathrm{d}q^2} = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\begin{array}{c} J_1^s \sin^2\theta_K + J_1^c \cos^2\theta_K + J_2^s \sin^2\theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell + J_2^c \cos^2\theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell + J_2^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos 2\theta_\ell + J_3^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos 2\phi_\ell + J_4^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos 2\phi_\ell + J_5^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos \phi_\ell + J_5^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos \phi_\ell + J_5^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos \phi_\ell + J_6^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \sin \phi_\ell \sin \phi_\ell + J_8^c \sin^2\theta_\ell \sin^2\theta_\ell$$

where the J_i 's are bilinear combinations of seven decay amplitudes $A_{\parallel}^{L,R}$, $A_{\perp}^{L,R}$, $A_{0}^{L,R}$ & A_{t} (L/R for the chirality of the $\mu^{+}\mu^{-}$ system).

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Altmannshofer et al. [JHEP 01 (2009) 019]

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OR by integrating over two of the three angles (ATLAS and CMS):

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\phi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(1 + S_3 \cos 2\phi + A_9 \sin 2\phi \right) ,$$
$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\theta_K} = \frac{3}{2} F_L \cos^2\theta_K + \frac{3}{4} (1 - F_L) (1 - \cos^2\theta_K) ,$$
$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\theta_\ell} = \frac{3}{4} F_L (1 - \cos^2\theta_\ell) + \frac{3}{8} (1 - F_L) (1 + \cos^2\theta_\ell) + A_{\rm FB} \cos\theta_\ell .$$

- Leaves 4 observables:
 - A_{FB} Dimuon forward-backward asymmetry.
 - $F_{\rm L}$ Fraction of longitudinal K^{*0} polarisation.
 - $A_{\rm T}^2/S_3$ Asymmetry sensitive to the (virtual) photon polarisation. A₉ A CP asymmetry.

$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ angular distribution (part 1)

ATLAS (prelim.) [ATLAS-CONF-2013-038], CMS 5.2fb⁻¹ [PLB 727 (2013) 77], LHCb 1 fb⁻¹ [JHEP 08 (2013) 131]



$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ angular distribution (part 2)

 Can also apply different angular foldings to access different angular terms [PRL 111 191801 (2013)].



SM predictions from [Decotes-Genon et al. JHEP 05 (2013) 137]

- Focus on observables where leading form-factor uncertainties cancel, e.g. $P'_{4,5} = S_{4,5}/\sqrt{F_{\rm L}(1-F_{\rm L})}$.
- In 1 fb⁻¹, LHCb observes a local discrepancy of 3.7σ in P'_5 (probability that at least one bin varies by this much is 0.5%).

Understanding the P'_5 anomaly?

- Decotes-Genon, Matias & Virto perform a global fit to the available $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ and $b \rightarrow s\ell^+\ell^-$ data \rightarrow 4.5σ discrepancy from SM. Fit favours $C_9^{\rm NP} \approx -1.5$ (non-SM vector current). [PRD 88 074002 (2013)]
- Altmannshofer & Straub perform a global analysis and find discrepancies at the level of 3*σ*. Data best described by modified C₉ (and C'₉). Data can be explained by introducing a flavour-changing Z' boson at O(1 TeV).
 [EPJC 73 2646 (2013)]



Understanding the P'_5 anomaly?

- Gaul, Goertz & Haisch also favour Z', but with mass $\mathcal{O}(7 \text{ TeV})$. [JHEP 01 (2014) 069]
- Beaujean, Bobeth & van Dyk float form-factor uncertainties as nuisance parameters and find the discrepancy can be reduced to 2*σ*. [arXiv:1310.2478].
- Jaeger & Camalich also explore form-factor uncertainties and try to address their size in the large recoil region. [JHEP 05 (2013) 043]

In general:

- → Difficult to explain data in SUSY scenarios or using partial compositeness (why only $C_9^{(\prime)}$?).
- →→ Data can be described using Z' with flavour violating couplings, but mass must be $\mathcal{O}(7 \text{ TeV})$ to avoid direct limits and limits from mixing (Δm_s) .
- Could we just be underestimating the theory uncertainties?

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Differential branching fraction of $B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-$

- If $C_9^{\rm NP} = -1.5$, then expect to see a suppression of the rate of $B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-$ decays.
- Can reconstruct the $K^{(*)}$ as either K^+ , $K_{\rm S}^0$, K^{*+} ($\rightarrow K_{\rm S}^0 \pi^+$) or K^{*0} . $K_{\rm S}^0$ and K^{*+} modes are experimentally challenging due to the long $K_{\rm S}^0$ lifetime.
- We see large signals for all four K^(*) modes in the 3 fb⁻¹ LHCb dataset [arXiv:1403.8044].
- Look at $d\mathcal{B}/dq^2$, using $B \rightarrow J/\psi K^{(*)}$ decays to normalise the branching fraction.



Differential branching fraction of $B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-$



- SM predictions based on [JHEP 07 (2011) 067], [JHEP 01 (2012) 107].
- Lattice input from [PRL 111 (2013) 162002], [arXiv:1310.3887].



Differential branching fraction of $B \to K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-$



Lepton universality?

- If a Z' is responsible for the anomoly in P'_5 , does it couple equally to all flavours of leptons?
- Dominant SM processes couple with equal strength to leptons:

$$R_{\rm K} = \frac{\int_{q^2=6~{\rm GeV}^2/c^4}^{q^2=6~{\rm GeV}^2/c^4} ({\rm d}\mathcal{B}[B^+ \to \mathcal{K}^+ \mu^+ \mu^-]/{\rm d}q^2) {\rm d}q^2}{\int_{q^2=6~{\rm GeV}^2/c^4}^{q^2=6~{\rm GeV}^2/c^4} ({\rm d}\mathcal{B}[B^+ \to \mathcal{K}^+ e^+ e^-]/{\rm d}q^2) {\rm d}q^2} = 1 \pm \mathcal{O}(10^{-3}) \ .$$

 Selection of the B⁺ → K⁺e⁺e⁻ decay is experimentally challenging, due to bremstrahlung emission from the e[±].



Lepton universality?

- Correct for bremstrahlung using calorimeter photons (with $E_{\rm T} > 75 \,{\rm MeV}$).
- Migration of events into/out-of the $1 < q^2 < 6 \,\mathrm{GeV}^2/c^4$ window is corrected using MC.
- Take double ratio with $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$ decays to cancel possible systematic biases.
- In 3 fb⁻¹ LHCb determines $R_{\rm K} = 0.745^{+0.090}_{-0.074} ({\rm stat})^{+0.036}_{-0.036} ({\rm syst})$

which is consistent with SM at 2.6σ .



LHCb-PAPER-2014-024 [Preliminary], Belle [PRL 103 (2009) 171801] ,

BaBar [PRD 86 (2012) 032012]

FCNC charm decays

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FCNC charm decays

- ✓ Effective GIM cancellation due to presence of b−, s−, d-quark in loop.
 e.g. B(D⁰→ µ⁺µ⁻) ≈ 10⁻¹⁸ in SM.
 - **x** Long distance contributions.



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- Exploit small Δm in $D^{*\pm}$ decays to suppress backgrounds.
- Experimental precision limited by hadronic $\pi \to \mu$ mis-id.



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$D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb

[PLB 724 (2013) 203-212]



- Can also look at other $c \rightarrow u$ decays, e.g. $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$.
- x Background from light resonances.

 $\begin{array}{l} \mbox{Set limits in } 1\,\mbox{fb}^{-1} \mbox{ of } \\ {\cal B}(D^+ \to \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) < 8.3 \times 10^{-8} \\ {\cal B}(D^+_s \to \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) < 4.1 \times 10^{-7} \\ \mbox{at } 95\% \mbox{ CL} \end{array}$

Improving existing limits by 50x.

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... or 4-body decays of $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^-$ [PLB 728 (2014) 234-243]



• Using 1 fb^{-1} of integrated luminosity, LHCb sets a limit of:

$${\cal B}(D^0\!
ightarrow\pi^+\pi^-\mu^+\mu^-) < 5.5 imes 10^{-7}$$
 at 90%

c.f. SM predictions of $\mathcal{O}(10^{-9})$, improving on previous limits by 50x.

FCNC top decays

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• Effective GIM cancellation leads to $\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Z^0 q) < 10^{-14}$ in the SM, see e.g. [ActaPhys. Polon. B35 (2004) 2671-2694]

CMS perform a search for t→ Z⁰j with Z⁰→ ℓ⁺ℓ⁻, where j is a jet, reconstructing the other top through t→ Wb. [PRL 112 171802 (2014)]

CMS sets a limit of

 $\mathcal{B}(t\!
ightarrow Z^0 q) < 5 imes 10^{-4}$ at 95% CL

• Earlier ATLAS results using 2011 dataset in [JHEP 09 (2012) 139]



- Can also set limits on FCNC top coupling by looking at top production, e.g. anomalous single top production through qg → t.
- Search carried out by the ATLAS collaboration, with $t \rightarrow Wb$, sets limits of:

$$\mathcal{B}(t
ightarrow$$
 ug) $< 5.7 imes 10^{-5}$ at 95% CL $\mathcal{B}(t
ightarrow$ cg) $< 2.7 imes 10^{-4}$ at 95% CL



Summary

Large *b* and *c* and *t* production cross section makes the LHC an excellent flavour factory

Are we starting to see some tension with the SM in $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^- decays$?

Many analyses are still to be updated with the full Run I datasest. Many new results to come.

I don't have time to talk about *CP*, isospin asymmetries, LFV or LNV decays. More details in the parallel sessions.



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Constraints

• Flavour constraints depend heavily on model assumptions. Will just pick one example of a concrete model, the CMSSM, from [Mahmoudi arXiv:1310.2556].



allowed, $\mathcal{B}(b \rightarrow s\gamma)$, $\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$, $A_{FB}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-)$, – direct searches

• Flavour constraints exclude the the whole $m_0 : m_{\frac{1}{2}}$ plane at large tan β and are comparable to direct searches at tan $\beta \approx 30$.

Summer 2010:



Can exploit correlations with other flavour observables, e.g. B_{s}^{0} mixing phase ϕ_{s} .

$B_s^0 ightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ progress with time



$B^0 ightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb

[JHEP 08 (2013) 131]

Using $1 \, \text{fb}^{-1}$ of integrated luminosity



$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb



- Perform measurements in six bins of $q^2 = m_{\mu^+\mu^-}^2$.
- The binning scheme was originally optimised for the Belle experiment (not particularly optimal for the LHC experiments).

$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ at ATLAS and CMS



 Large data sets are also available at ATLAS [ATLAS-CONF-2013-038] and CMS [PLB 727 (2013) 77].

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Isospin asymmetries

• In the SM expect the partial widths of $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ and $B^0 \rightarrow K^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$ to be almost identical

$$A_{\rm I} = \frac{\Gamma[B^+ \to K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-] - \Gamma[B^0 \to K^0 \mu^+ \mu^-]}{\Gamma[B^+ \to K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-] + \Gamma[B^0 \to K^0 \mu^+ \mu^-]} \approx 0$$

- In our 1 fb⁻¹ dataset, LHCb found $A_{\rm I} < 0$ at 4.4 σ .
- Updating the measurement to the full 3 fb^{-1} dataset. Still favour negative A_{I} , but A_{I} is compatible with $A_{\text{I}} = 0$ at 1.5σ .



$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ angular distribution

[arXiv:1403.8045]

• Single angle and two paremeters describe the decay:

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{\mathrm{d}\Gamma}{\mathrm{d}\cos\theta_{\mathrm{l}}} = \frac{3}{4} (1 - F_{\mathrm{H}}) + \frac{1}{2} F_{\mathrm{H}} + A_{\mathrm{FB}} \cos\theta_{\mathrm{l}}$$

- $F_{\rm H}$ corresponds to the fractional contribution of (pesudo)scalar and tensor operators to Γ .
- Angular distribution is only +ve for $A_{\rm FB} \leq F_{\rm H}/2$ and $F_{\rm H} \geq 0$.
- Unfortunately the angular distribution is insensitive to C₉^{NP}.
- It is also consistent with the SM expectation of $A_{\rm FB} \approx 0$ and $F_{\rm H} \approx 0$.



CMS Experiment at the LHC, CERN

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Anatomy of the $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ decay



$c\overline{c}$ contributions at high q^2

- $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ data shows clear resonant structure.
- $\begin{array}{l} \rightarrow \mbox{ First observation of } B^+ \rightarrow \psi(4160) {\cal K}^+ \\ \mbox{ and } \psi(4160) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-. \\ \mbox{ [PRL 111 (2013) 112003]} \end{array}$
 - Beylich, Buchalla & Feldman Theory calculations take cc contributions into account (through an OPE) but not their resonant structure.
 [EPJC 71 (2011) 1635]



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 $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ differential branching fraction

- Normalise the observed event yields w.r.t. $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} J/\psi$ to determine $d\mathcal{B}/dq^2$.
- \rightarrow Sensitivity of $d\mathcal{B}/dq^2$ to NP contributions limited by hadronic uncertainties.
 - With larger datasets also need to consider S-wave interference under the K^{*0} from $B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^-$ (and $B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- J/\psi$).



LHCb 1 fb⁻¹ [JHEP 08 (2013)] CMS 5.2 fb⁻¹ [PLB 727 (2013) 77]

Angular observables $J_i(q^2)$ for $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$

$$\begin{split} J_{1}^{e} &= \frac{3}{4} \left\{ \frac{(2+\beta_{\mu}^{2})}{4} \left[|A_{\perp}^{L}|^{2} + |A_{\parallel}^{l}|^{2} + (L \to R) \right] + \frac{4m_{\mu}^{2}}{q^{2}} \Re(A_{\perp}^{L}A_{\perp}^{R*} + A_{\parallel}^{t}A_{\parallel}^{R*}) \right\} \\ J_{1}^{e} &= \frac{3}{4} \left\{ |A_{0}^{L}|^{2} + |A_{0}^{R}|^{2} + \frac{4m_{\mu}^{2}}{q^{2}} \left[|A_{t}|^{2} + 2\Re(A_{0}^{L}A_{0}^{R*}) \right] \right\} \\ J_{2}^{g} &= \frac{3\beta_{\mu}^{2}}{16} \left\{ |A_{\perp}^{L}|^{2} + |A_{\parallel}^{R}|^{2} + (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{2}^{g} &= -\frac{3\beta_{\mu}^{2}}{4} \left\{ |A_{0}^{L}|^{2} + |A_{\parallel}^{R}|^{2} + (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{3} &= \frac{3\beta_{\mu}^{2}}{4} \left\{ |A_{0}^{L}|^{2} - |A_{\parallel}^{R}|^{2} + (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{4} &= \frac{3\beta_{\mu}^{2}}{4\sqrt{2}} \left\{ \Re(A_{0}^{L}A_{\parallel}^{L*}) + (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{5} &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}\beta_{\mu}}{4} \left\{ \Re(A_{0}^{L}A_{\perp}^{L*}) - (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{6} &= \frac{3\beta_{\mu}}{2} \left\{ \Re(A_{0}^{L}A_{\parallel}^{L*}) - (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{7} &= \frac{3\sqrt{2}\beta_{\mu}}{4} \left\{ \Im(A_{0}^{L}A_{\perp}^{L*}) - (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{8} &= \frac{3\beta_{\mu}^{2}}{4\sqrt{2}} \left\{ \Im(A_{0}^{L}A_{\perp}^{L*}) + (L \to R) \right\} \\ J_{9} &= \frac{3\beta_{\mu}^{2}}{4} \left\{ \Im(A_{\parallel}^{L}A_{\perp}^{L}) + (L \to R) \right\} \end{split}$$

For completeness

$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ decay amplitudes

At "leading order"

$$\begin{split} A_{\perp}^{L(R)} &= N\sqrt{2\lambda} \bigg\{ \left[(\mathbf{C}_{9}^{\text{eff}} + \mathbf{C}_{9}^{\text{reff}}) \mp (\mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{eff}} + \mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{reff}}) \right] \frac{\mathbf{V}(\mathbf{q}^{2})}{m_{B} + m_{K^{*}}} + \frac{2m_{b}}{q^{2}} (\mathbf{C}_{7}^{\text{eff}} + \mathbf{C}_{7}^{\text{reff}}) \mathbf{T}_{1}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) \bigg\} \\ A_{\parallel}^{L(R)} &= -N\sqrt{2} (m_{B}^{2} - m_{K^{*}}^{2}) \bigg\{ \left[(\mathbf{C}_{9}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{9}^{\text{reff}}) \mp (\mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{reff}}) \right] \frac{\mathbf{A}_{1}(\mathbf{q}^{2})}{m_{B} - m_{K^{*}}} + \frac{2m_{b}}{q^{2}} (\mathbf{C}_{7}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{7}^{\text{reff}}) \mathbf{T}_{2}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) \bigg\} \\ A_{0}^{L(R)} &= -\frac{N}{2m_{K^{*}}\sqrt{q^{2}}} \bigg\{ \left[(\mathbf{C}_{9}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{9}^{\text{reff}}) \mp (\mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{reff}}) \right] \left[(m_{B}^{2} - m_{K^{*}}^{2} - q^{2})(m_{B} + m_{K^{*}}) \mathbf{A}_{1}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) - \lambda \frac{\mathbf{A}_{2}(\mathbf{q}^{2})}{m_{B} + m_{K^{*}}} \right] \\ &+ 2m_{b} (\mathbf{C}_{7}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{7}^{\text{reff}}) \left[(m_{B}^{2} + 3m_{K^{*}} - q^{2}) \mathbf{T}_{2}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) - \frac{\lambda}{m_{B}^{2} - m_{K^{*}}^{2}} \mathbf{T}_{3}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) \right] \bigg\} \\ A_{t} &= \frac{N}{\sqrt{q^{2}}} \sqrt{\lambda} \bigg\{ 2(\mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{10}^{\text{reff}}) + \frac{q^{2}}{m_{\mu}} (\mathbf{C}_{P}^{\text{eff}} - \mathbf{C}_{P}^{\text{reff}}) \bigg\} \mathbf{A}_{0}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) \\ A_{S} &= -2N\sqrt{\lambda} (\mathbf{C}_{S} - \mathbf{C}_{S}) \mathbf{A}_{0}(\mathbf{q}^{2}) \end{split}$$

- *C_i* are Wilson coefficients that we want to measure (they depend on the heavy degrees of freedom).
- A₀, A₁, A₂, T₁, T₂ and V are form-factors (these are effectively nuisance parameters).

Comments on angular distribution

- The L & R indices refer to the chirality of the leptonic system.
 - Different due to the axial vector contribution to the amplitudes.
- If $C_{10} = 0$, $A_{0,\parallel,\perp}^L = A_{0,\parallel,\perp}^R$ and the angular distribution reduces to the one for $B^0 \to K^{*0} J/\psi$.
- Zero-crossing point of $A_{\rm FB}$ comes from interplay between the different vector-like contributions.
- In the SM there are 7 different amplitudes that contribute, corresponding to different polarisations states:

 K^* on-shell \rightarrow 3 polarisation states $\epsilon_{K^*}(m = +, -, 0)$ V^* off-shell \rightarrow 4 polarisation states $\epsilon_{K^*}(m = +, -, 0, t)$

• A_t corresponds to a longitudinally polarised K^* and time-like $\mu^+\mu^-$. It's suppressed, so can be neglected.

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$B^0_s ightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ and $B^0 ightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

- B^0 and $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ are both GIM (loop) and helicity suppressed in the SM.
- Sensitive to contributions from (pseudo)scalar sector → interesting probe of NP models with extended Higgs sectors (e.g. MSSM, 2HDM, ...)
- e.g. in MSSM, branching fraction scales approximately as $\tan^6\beta/M_A^4$
 - More generally:

$$\mathcal{B}(B_q^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-) \approx \frac{G_F \alpha^2 M_{B_q^0}^3 f_{B_q^0}^{2_0} \pi_{B_q^0}}{64\pi^3 \sin^4 \theta_W} |V_{tb} V_{tq}^*|^2 \left(1 - \frac{4m_\mu^2}{M_{B_q^0}^2}\right)^{1/2} M_{B_q^0} \times \left[\left(1 - \frac{4m_\mu^2}{M_B^2}\right) |\mathcal{C}_S - \mathcal{C}_S'|^2 + |(\mathcal{C}_P - \mathcal{C}_P') + \frac{2m_\mu}{M_B} (\mathcal{C}_{10} - \mathcal{C}_{10}')|^2 \right] \right]$$





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