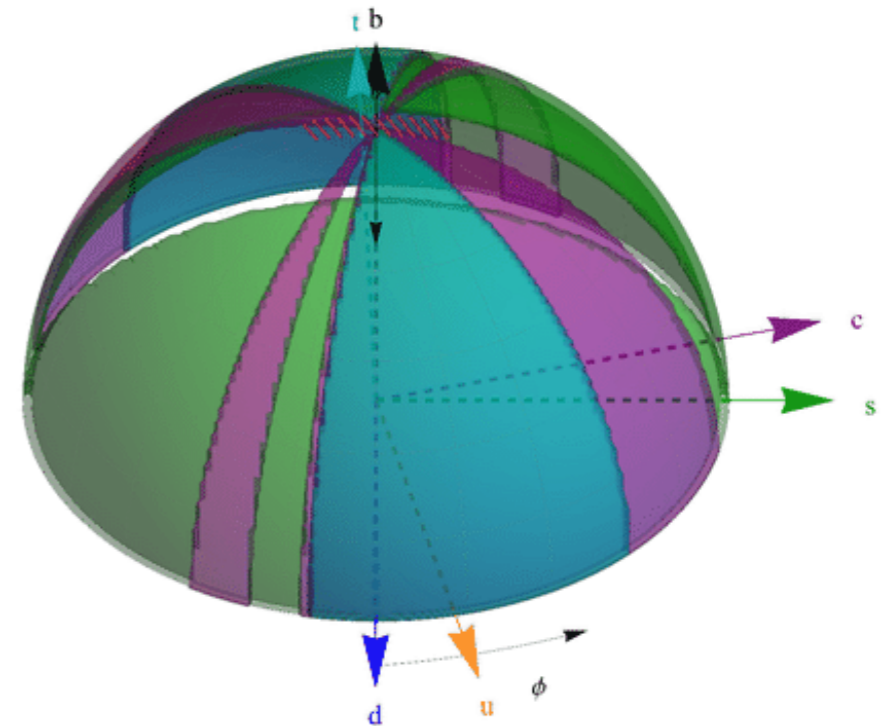


# Rank-One Flavor Violation and B-anomalies

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## Lepton Flavor Universality ratios

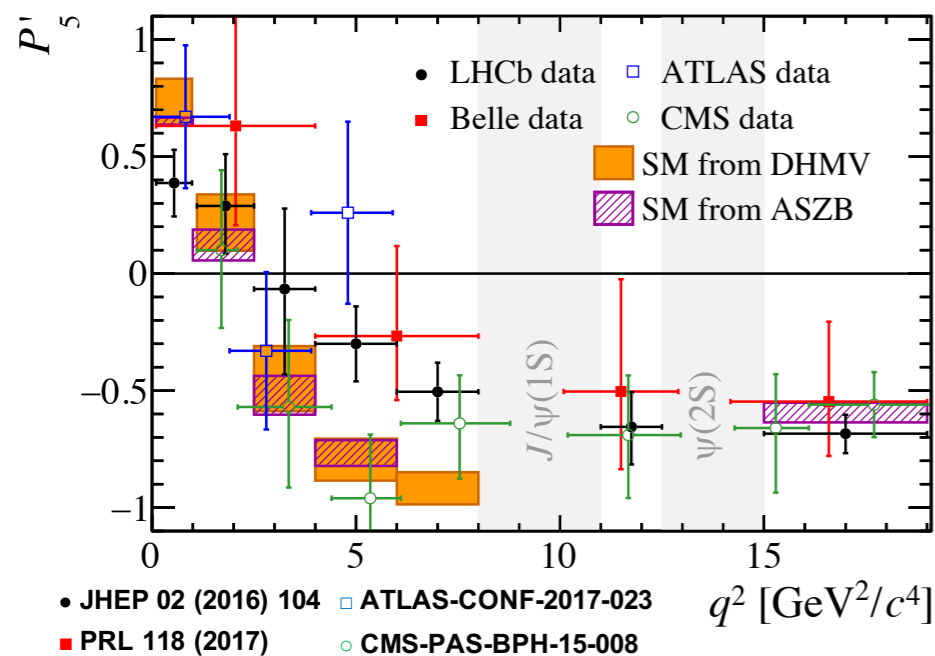
$$R(K^{(*)}) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} e^+ e^-)}$$

Clean SM prediction:  $1 \pm O(1\%)$

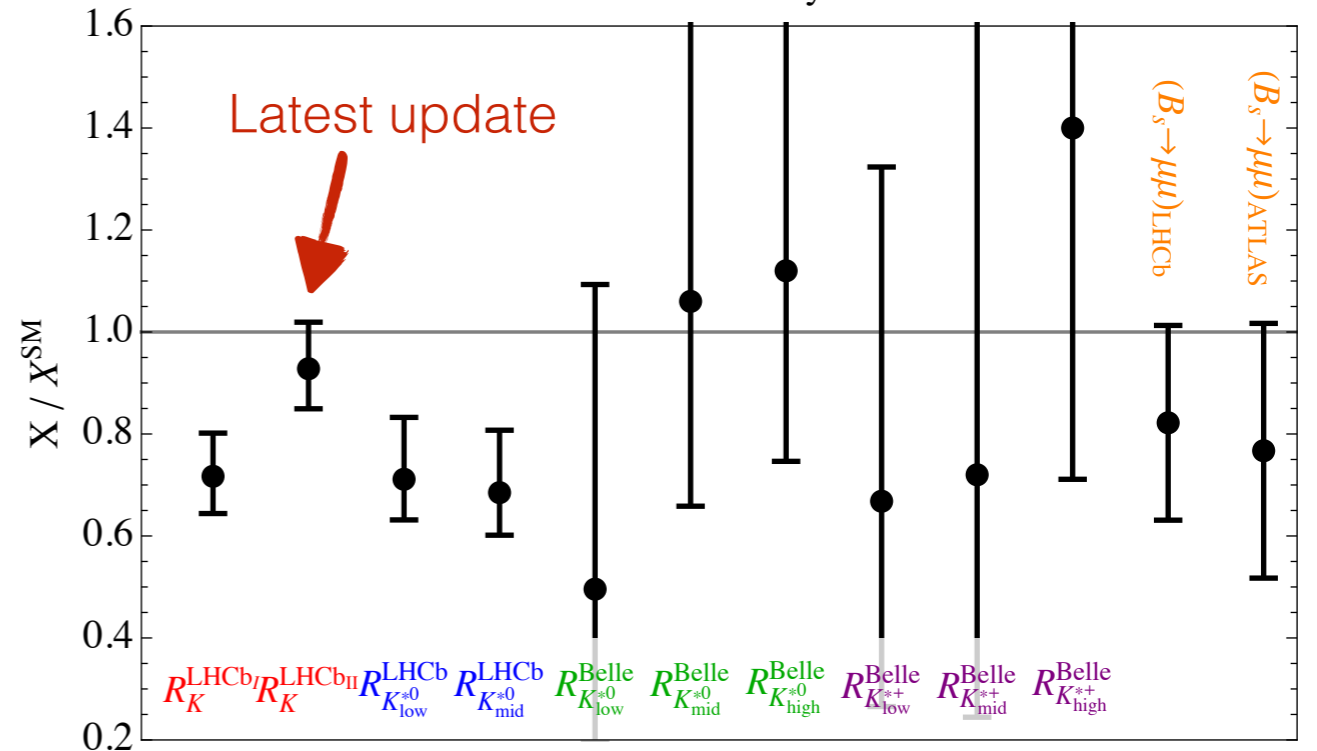
Bordone, Isidori, Pattori 2016

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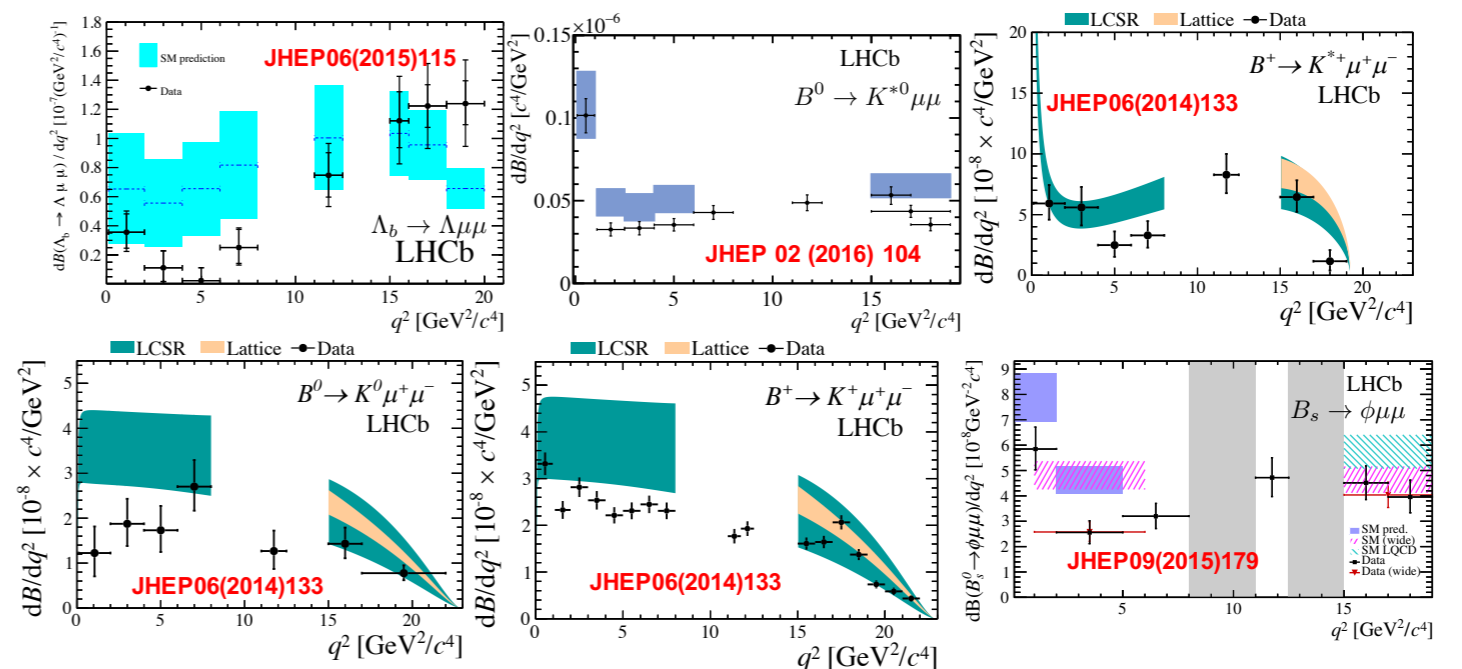
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LFU ratios in rare B-decays. March 2019



## Differential branching fractions in $q_{\mu\mu}^2$ in several channels.



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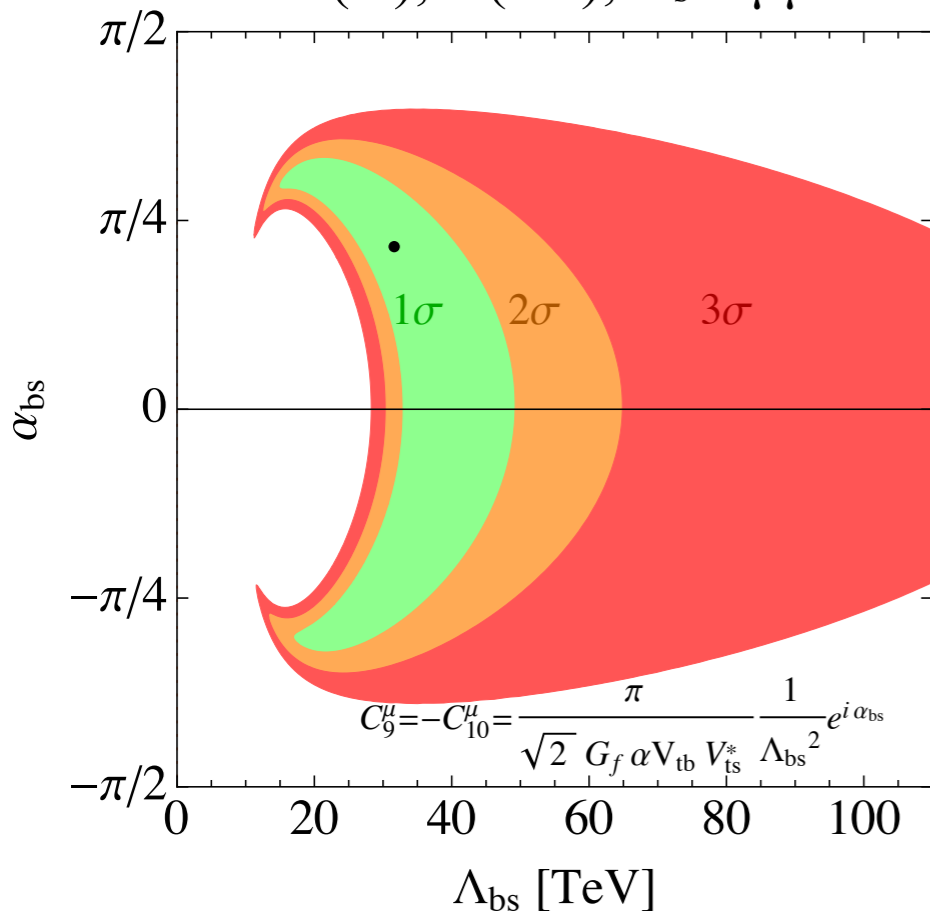
If NP, then a contribution to this LH operator is necessary

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} \supset \frac{e^{i\alpha_{bs}}}{\Lambda_{bs}^2} (\bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu b_L) (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma_\mu \mu_L) + h.c.$$

$$\frac{e^{i\alpha_{bs}}}{\Lambda_{bs}^2} = \frac{G_F \alpha}{\sqrt{2}\pi} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* (\Delta C_9^\mu - \Delta C_{10}^\mu)$$

$$\Lambda_{bs}^{\text{SM}} \approx 12 \text{ TeV}$$

simplified fit of *clean observables*  
R(K), R(K\*), B<sub>s</sub> → μμ



$$(\Lambda_{bs})^{\text{best-fit}} (\alpha_{bs}=0) \approx 38 \text{ TeV}$$

Adding also *angular distributions* and *branching ratios*:

$$(\Lambda_{bs})^{\text{best-fit}} (\alpha_{bs}=0) \approx 34 \text{ TeV}$$

D'Amico et al. 1704.05438, Algueró et al. 1903.09578, Alok et al. 1903.09617, Ciuchini et al. 1903.09632, Aebischer et al 1903.10434


A **non-zero phase** is compatible with data.

It implies a **lower NP scale**, the upper limit is due to a not large enough (destructive) interference with SM.

# A new flavour structure

The operator(s) responsible for the anomalies are **part of an EFT involving all three families**

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NP}}^{\text{EFT}} = C_{ij} (\bar{d}_L^i \gamma_\mu d_L^i) (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma^\mu \mu_L)$$



$$C = \begin{pmatrix} C_{dd} & C_{ds} & C_{db} \\ C_{ds}^* & C_{ss} & C_{sb} \\ C_{db}^* & C_{sb}^* & C_{bb} \end{pmatrix}$$

We are learning about  $C_{sb}$ . **What about the rest?**

What is the  $SU(3)_q$  structure of this new flavor breaking term?

To answer, we need to find and study correlations with other flavor-violating transitions.

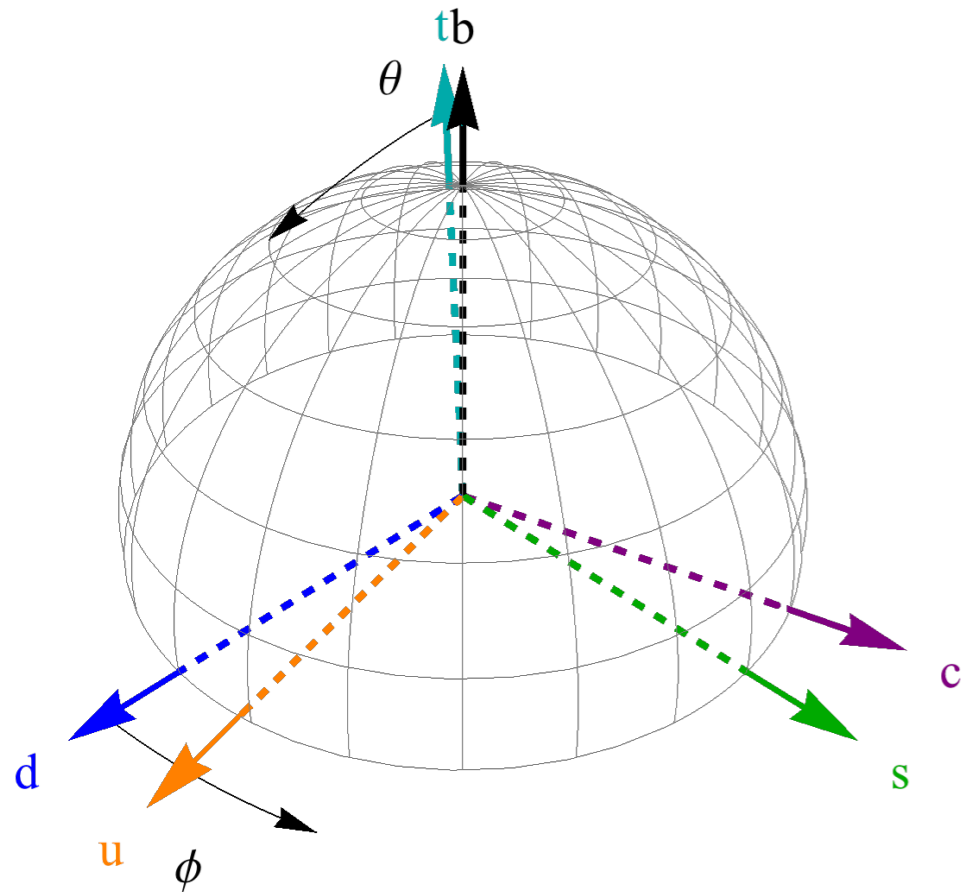
# Directions in $SU(3)_q$ space

We can parametrise directions in  $SU(3)_q$  as:  $\hat{n} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin \theta \cos \phi e^{i\alpha_{bd}} \\ \sin \theta \sin \phi e^{i\alpha_{bs}} \\ \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$

Via a  $U(1)_B$  phase redefinition we can always set  $\hat{n}_3 > 0$

$$\theta \in \left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right], \quad \phi \in [0, 2\pi), \quad \alpha_{bd} \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right], \quad \alpha_{bs} \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$$

In the mass eigenstate basis of down-quarks:  $q_L^i = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ji}^* u_L^i \\ d_L^i \end{pmatrix}$



quark	$\hat{n}$	$\phi$	$\theta$	$\alpha_{bd}$	$\alpha_{bs}$
down	(1, 0, 0)	0	$\pi/2$	0	0
strange	(0, 1, 0)	$\pi/2$	$\pi/2$	0	0
bottom	(0, 0, 1)	0	0	0	0
up	$e^{i \arg(V_{ub})} (V_{ud}^*, V_{us}^*, V_{ub}^*)$	0.23	1.57	-1.17	-1.17
charm	$e^{i \arg(V_{cb})} (V_{cd}^*, V_{cs}^*, V_{cb}^*)$	1.80	1.53	$-6.2 \times 10^{-4}$	$-3.3 \times 10^{-5}$
top	$e^{i \arg(V_{tb})} (V_{td}^*, V_{ts}^*, V_{tb}^*)$	4.92	0.042	-0.018	0.39

$\{q_L^i\}$  space, neglecting phases

The misalignment between down- and up-quarks is described by the CKM matrix.

# Rank-One Flavor Violation

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We assume that the **flavor matrix** of the semi-leptonic couplings **to muons** is of **rank-one**:

$$C_{ij} = C \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^*$$

$\hat{n}$  is some (unknown) unitary vector in flavour space  $\text{SU}(3)_q$ .

It selects a direction in that space.

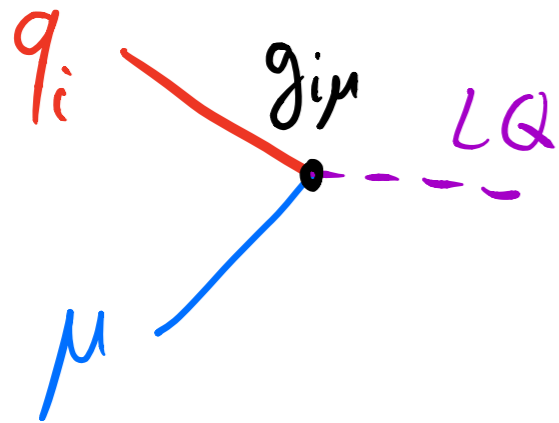
*We aim to answer the following question*

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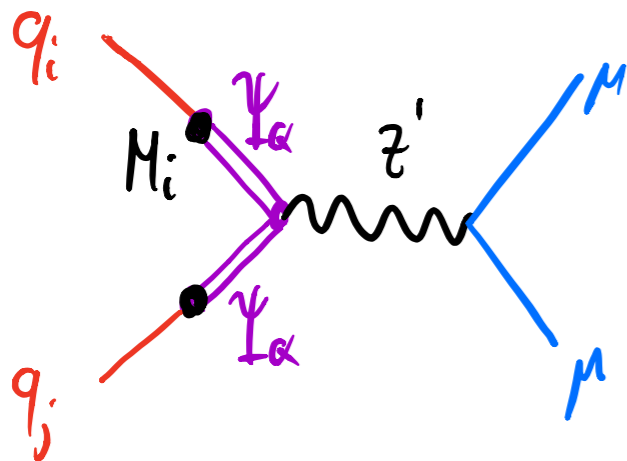
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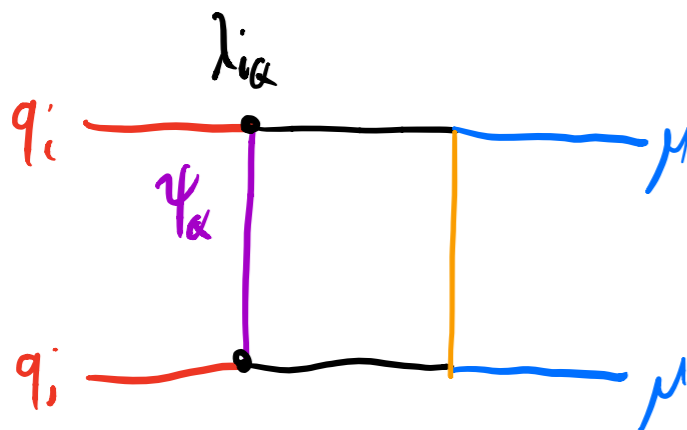
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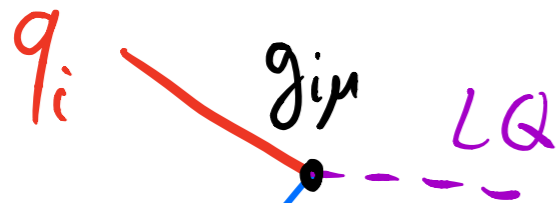
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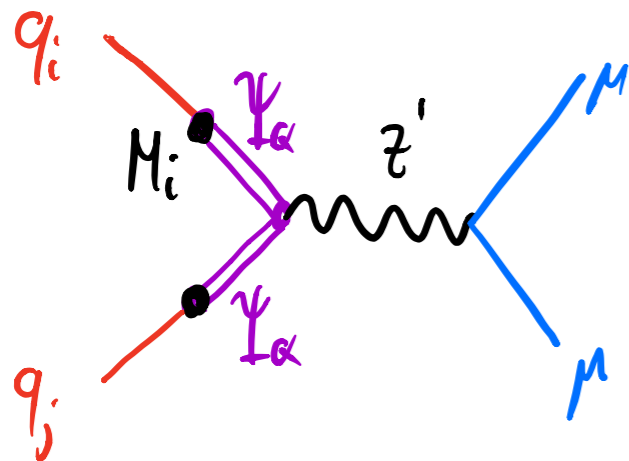


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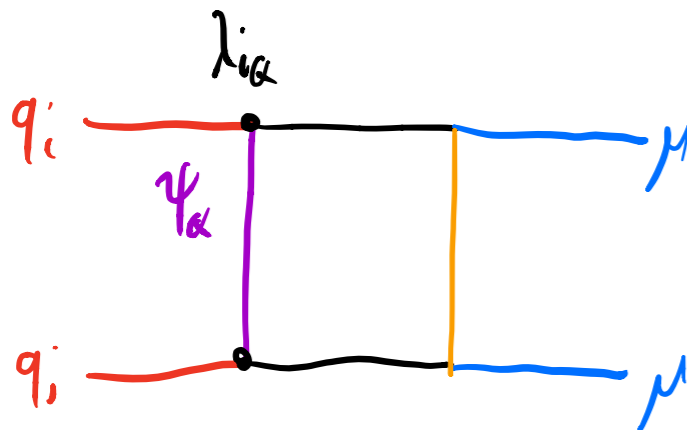
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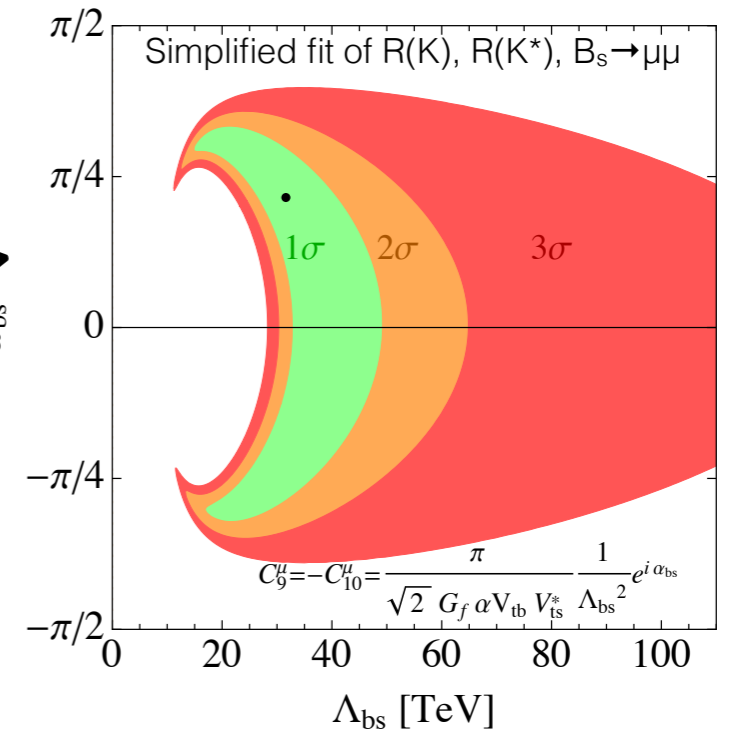
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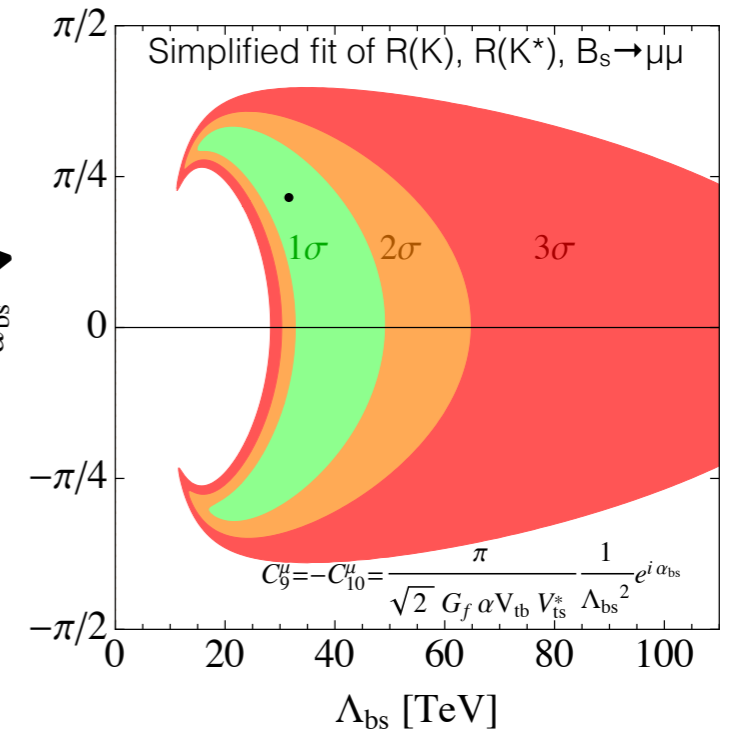
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Once  $C$  is fixed (as a function of  $\hat{n}$ ) we  
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$$C_{ds} = C \sin^2 \theta \sin \phi \cos \phi e^{i(\alpha_{bd} - \alpha_{bs})}$$



We can check if the specific direction in  $SU(3)_q$  space  $\hat{n}$   
is experimentally **allowed** or **excluded** by observables testing these transitions.

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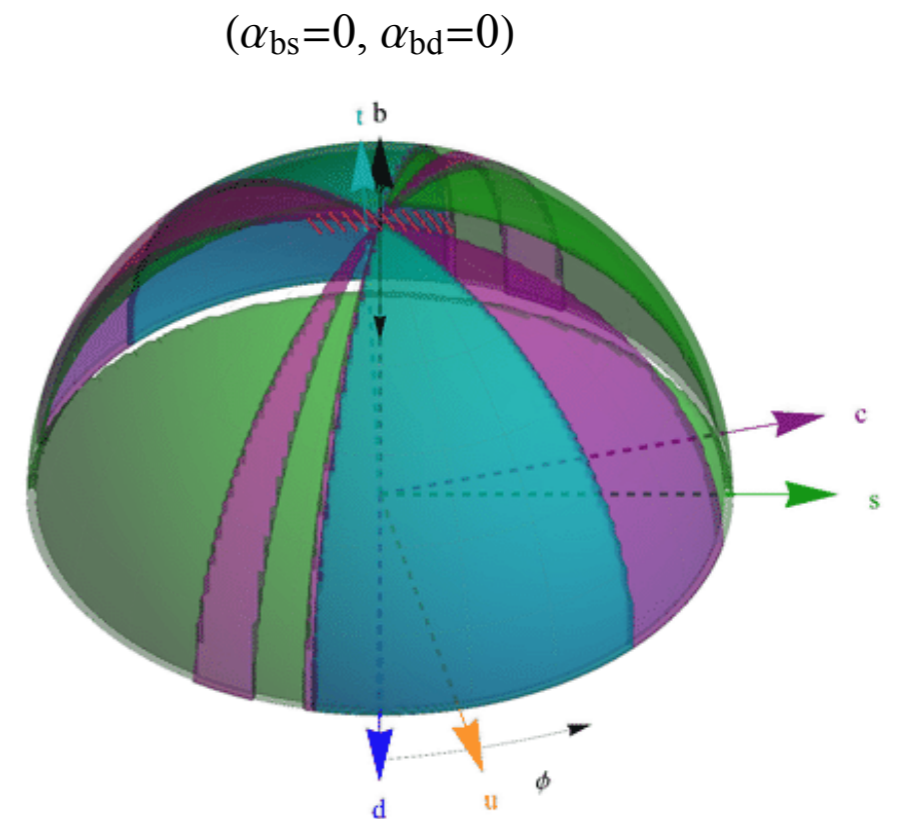
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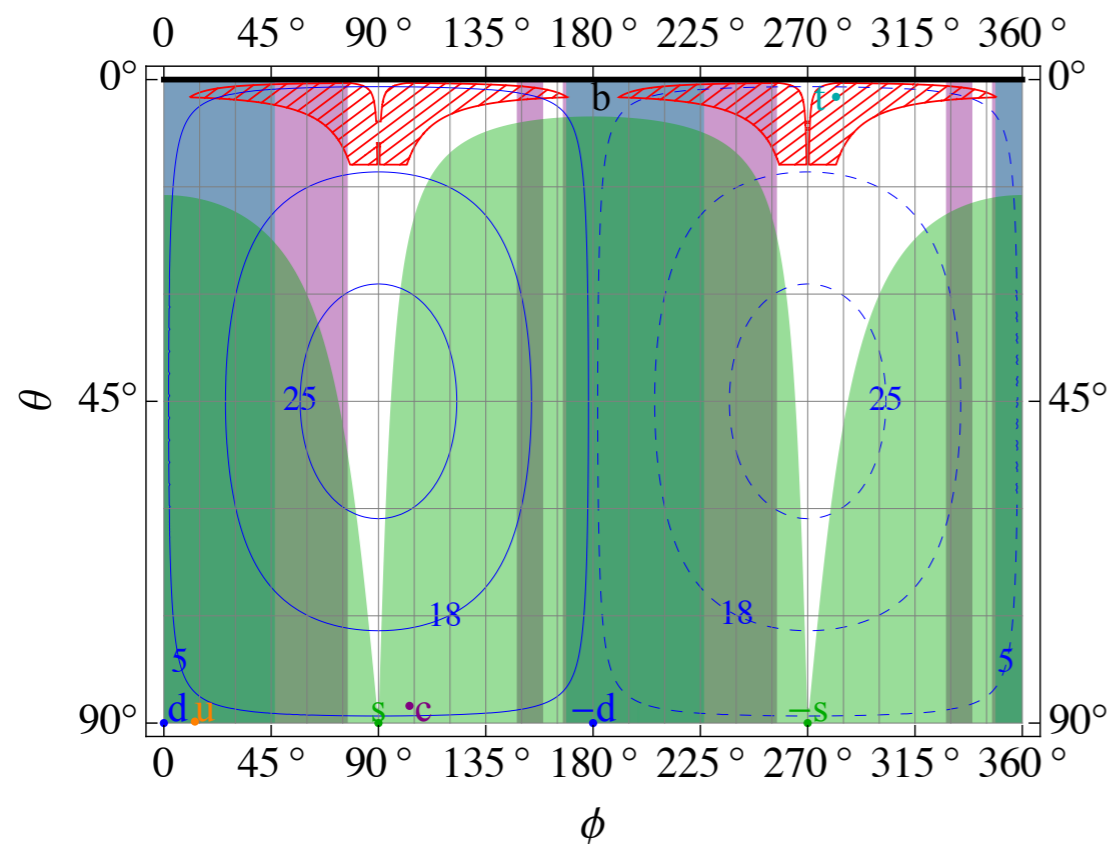
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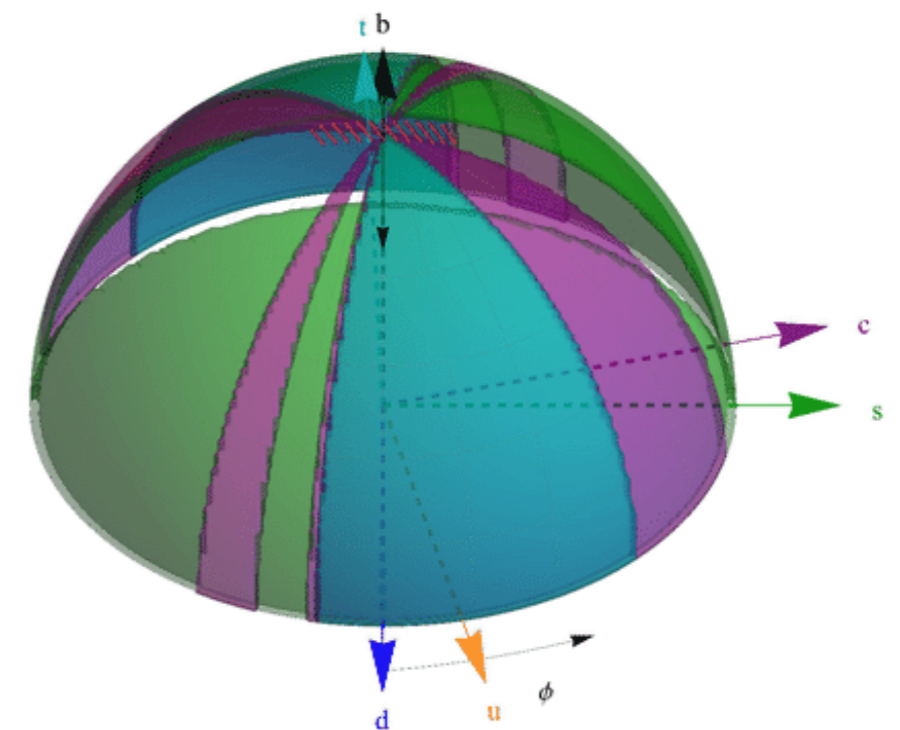
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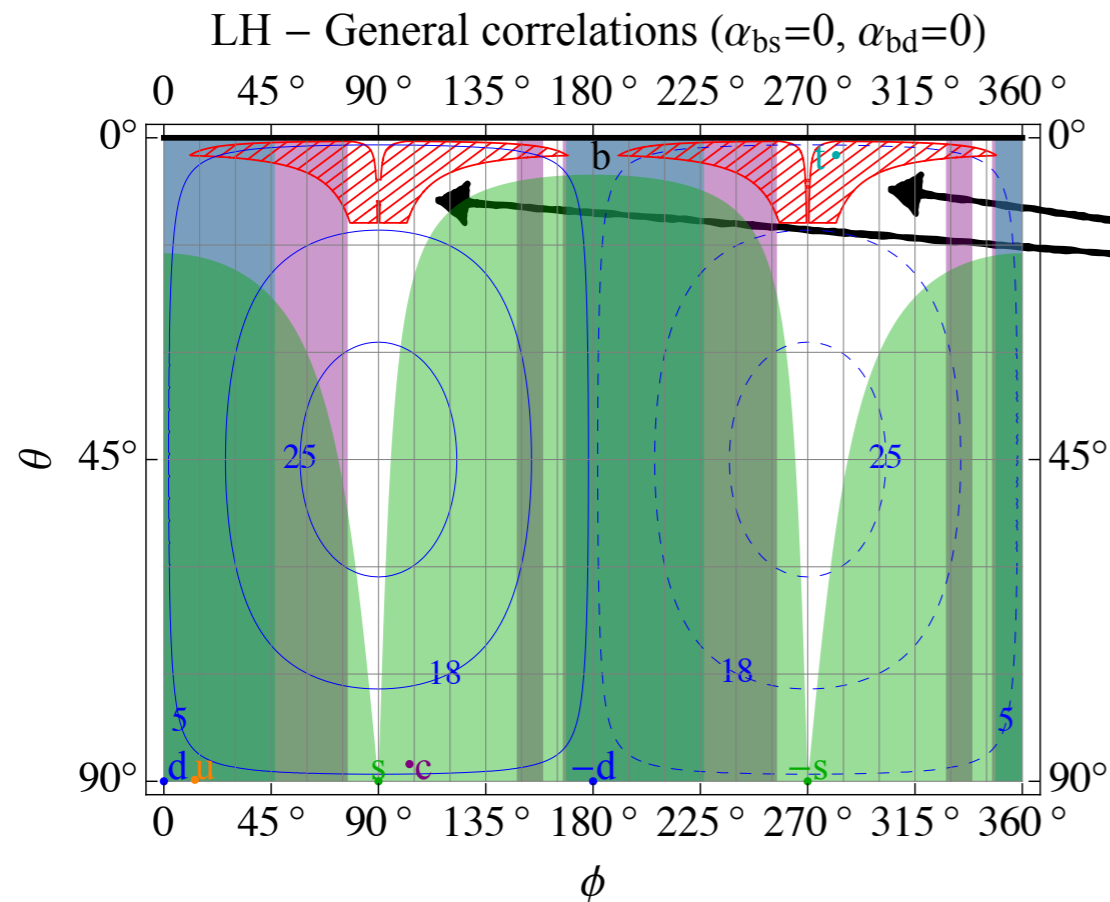
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Region suggested by U(2) flavour symmetry or partial compositeness (close to third generation).

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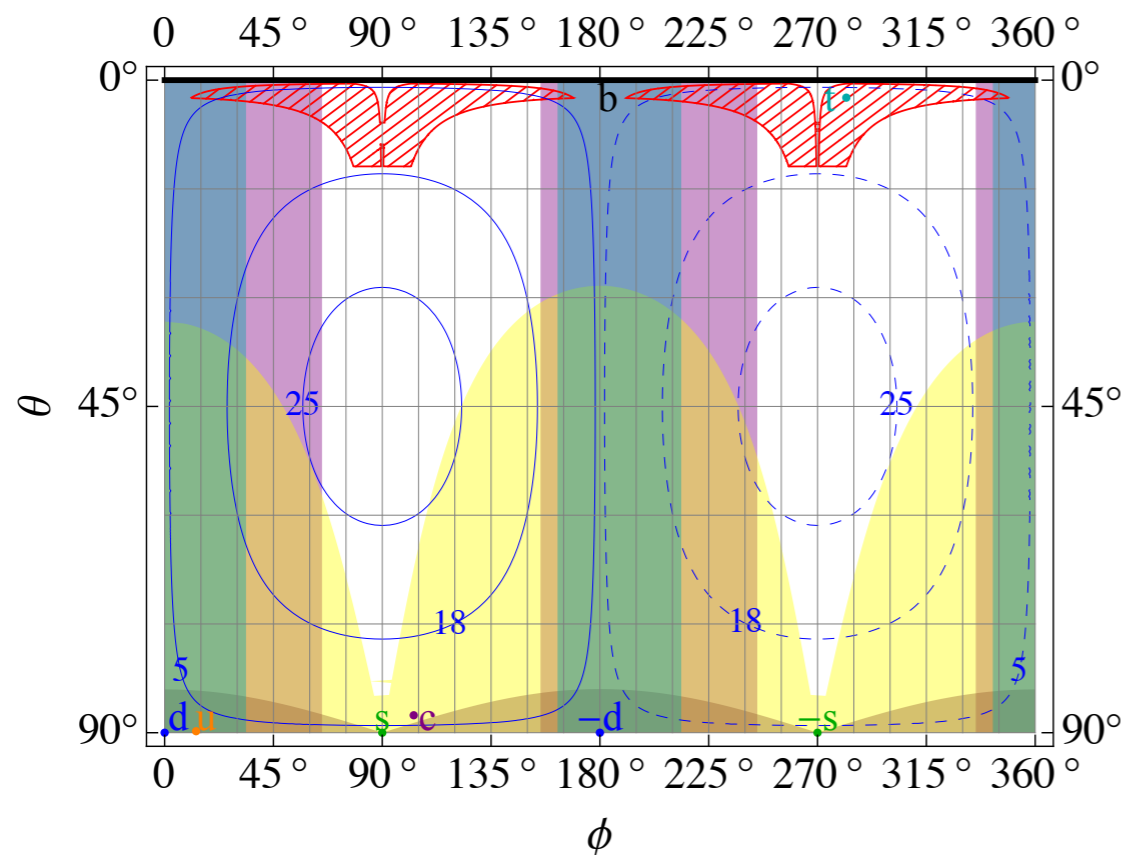
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We can ask what are the possible **tree-level mediators** which generate these operators.

Different ones generate different combinations of  $C_{S,T,R}$ .

Simplified model	Spin	SM irrep	$(c_S, c_T, c_R)$
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$V'$	1	$(1, 3, 0)$	$(0, 1, 0)$
$Z'_{(L)}$	1	$(1, 1, 0)$	$(1, 0, 0)$
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As representative examples, we study:

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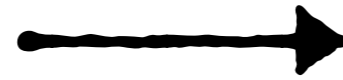
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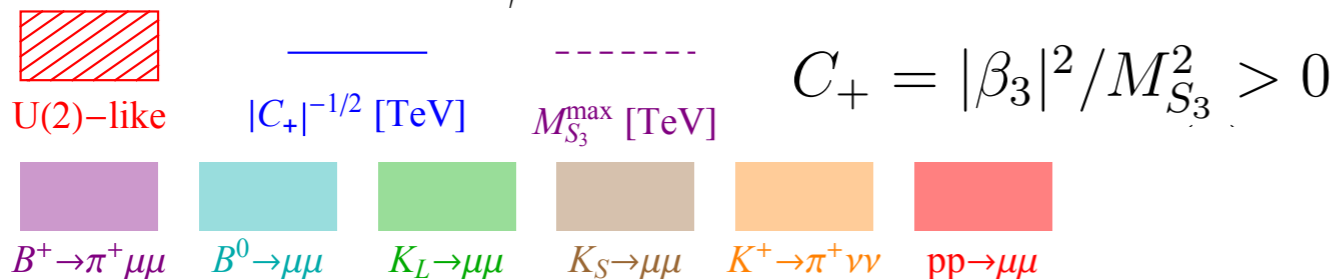
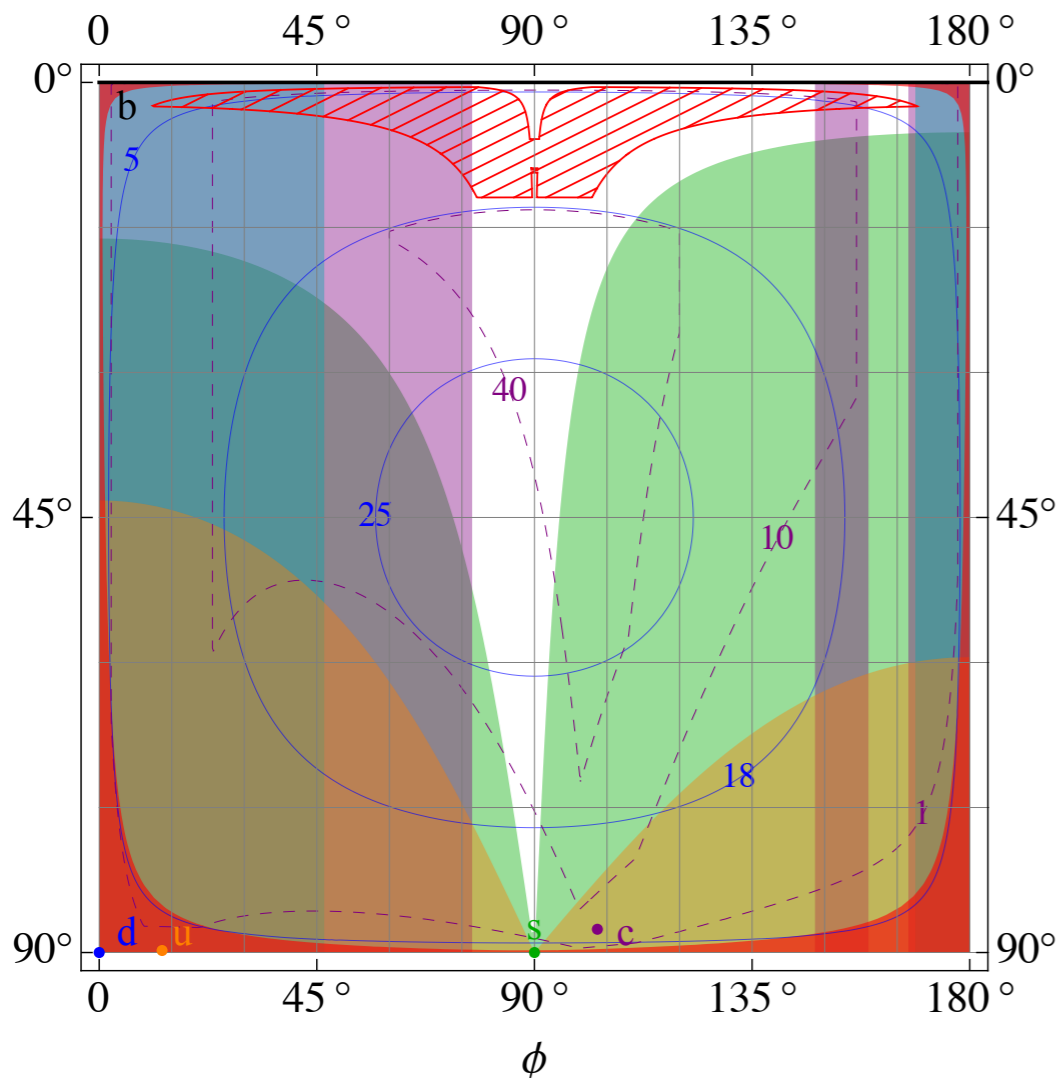
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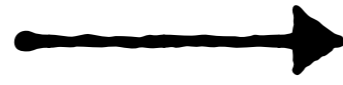
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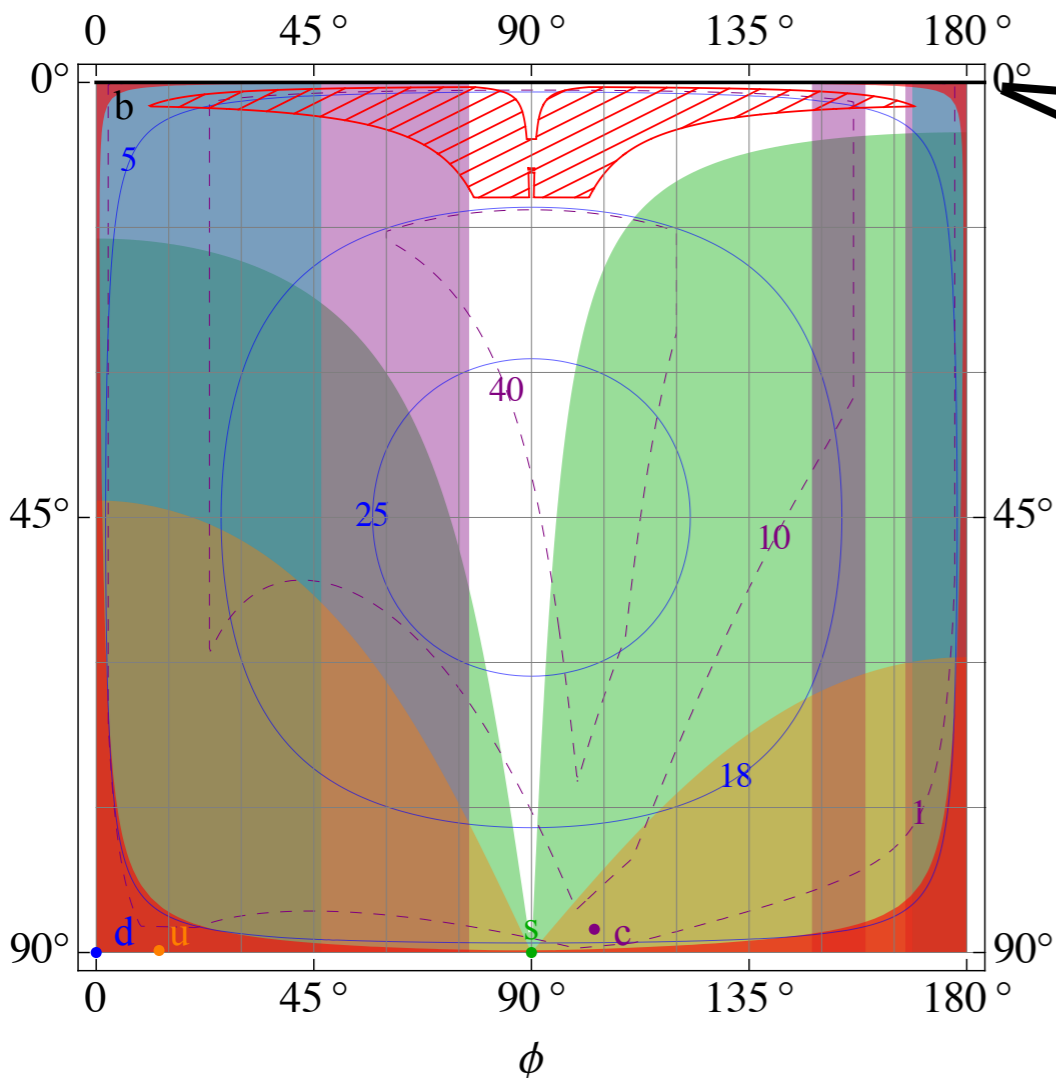
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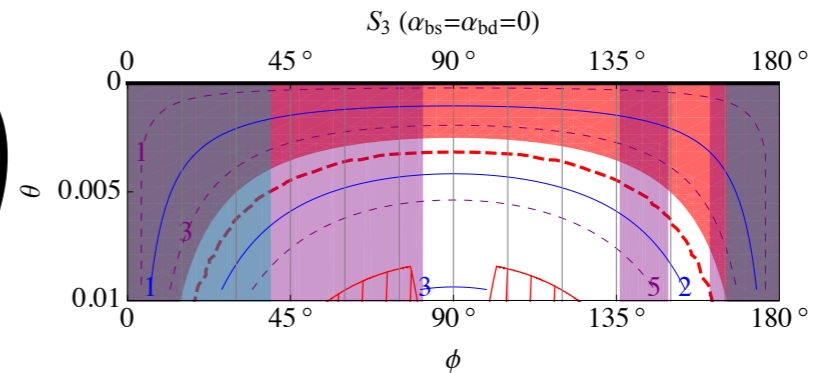
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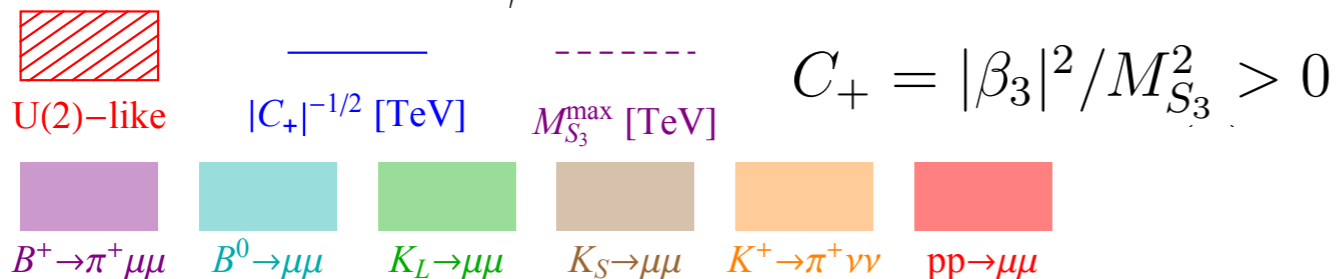
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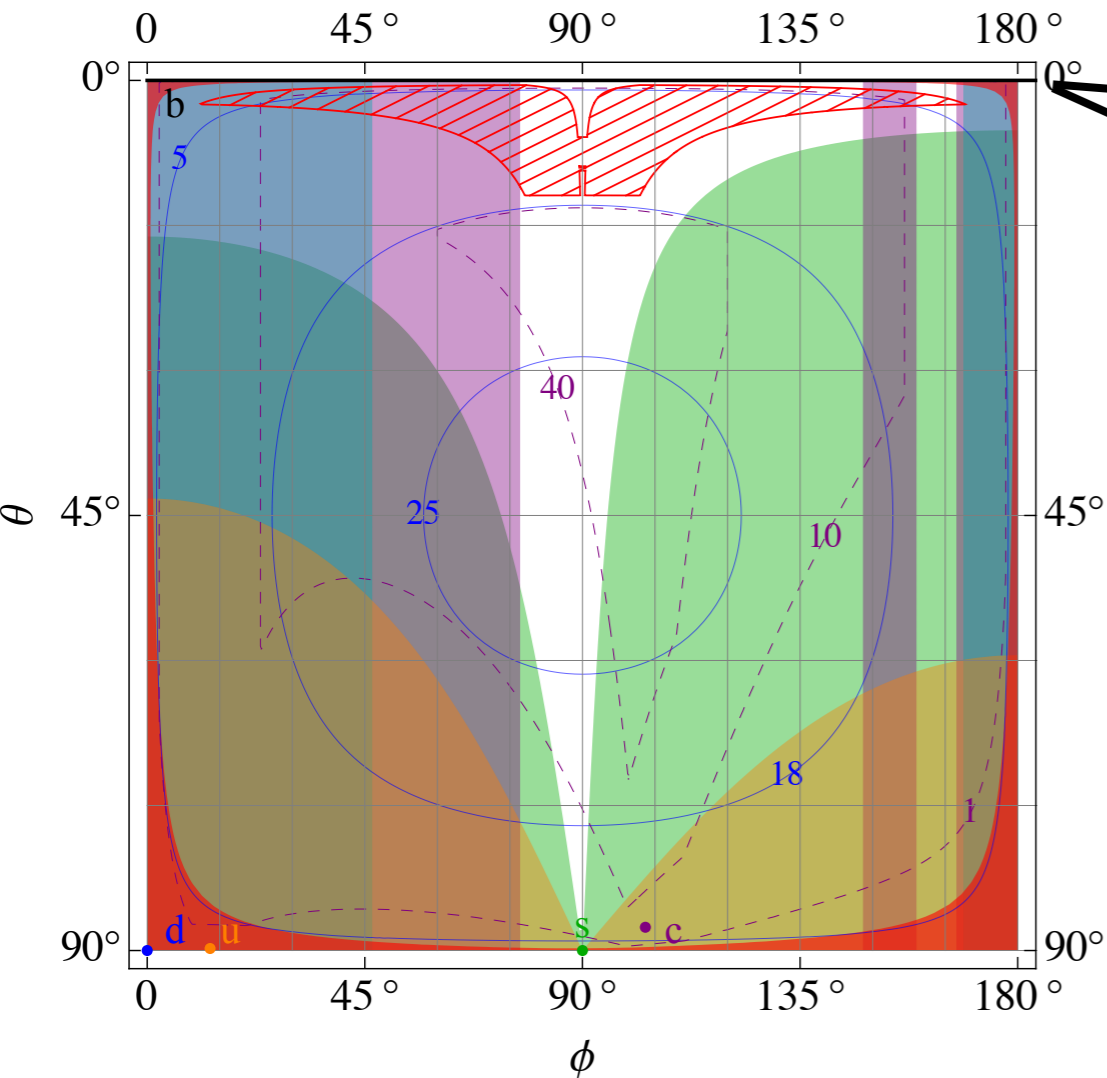
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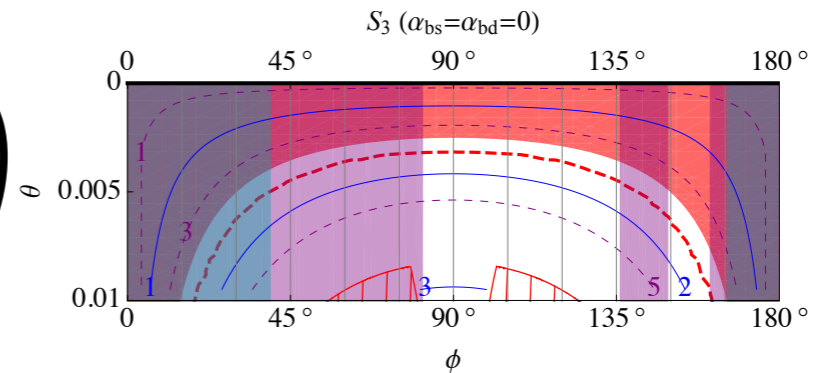
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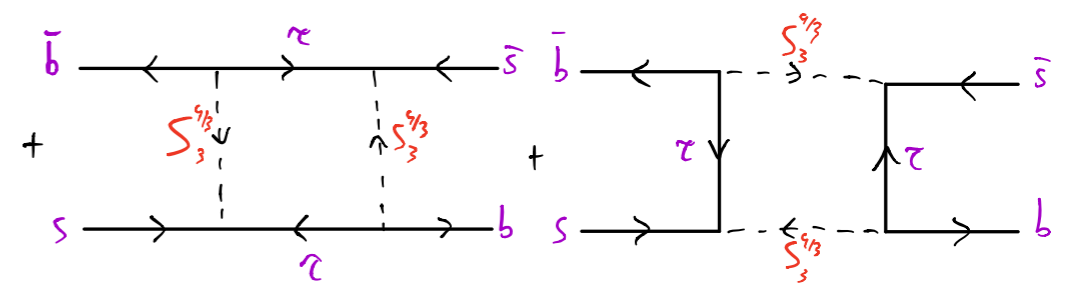
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Limits on  $D-\bar{D}$ ,  $K-\bar{K}$ ,  $B_d-\bar{B}_d$ ,  $B_s-\bar{B}_s$  give an upper limit on the leptoquark mass

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One can **predict** (up to O(2%) corrections)

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**These predictions of minimally broken  $U(2)^3$   
will be tested with future data** (see prospects slide).



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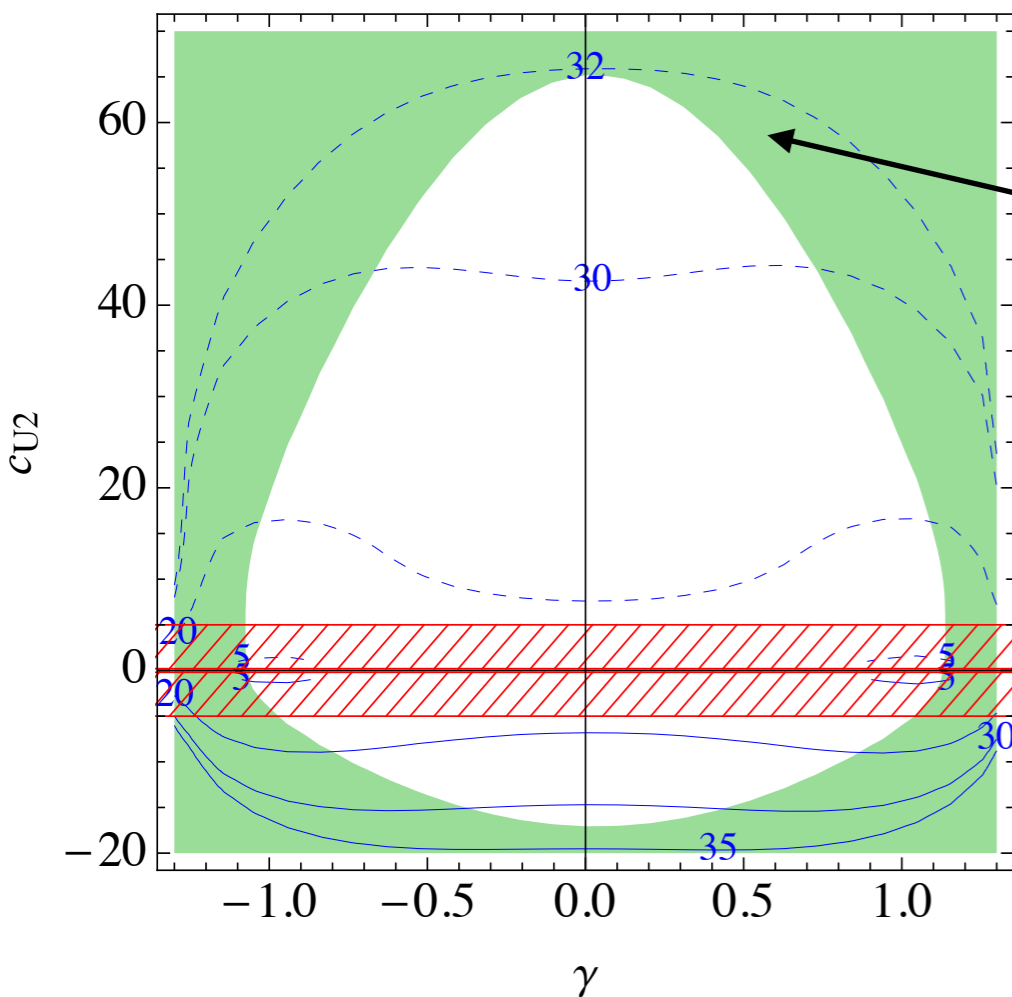
Imposing the ROFV structure we can also get **correlations with s-d transitions**:  
only 2 free parameters:  $c_{U2}$ ,  $\gamma$ .

$$C_{ij} = C \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^*$$

$$\hat{n} \sim \mathbf{1} + \mathbf{2}_q \sim (c_{U2} V_q^T, 1)^T$$

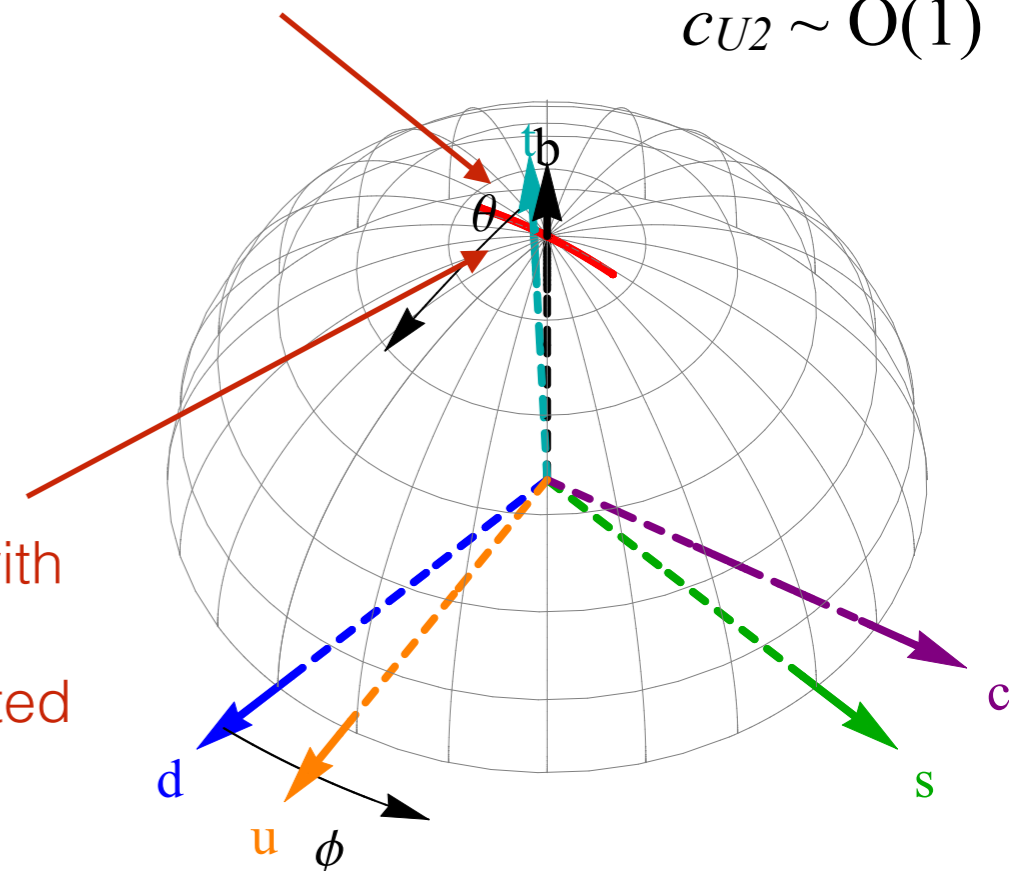
$$\hat{n} \propto (c_{U2} e^{i\gamma} V_{td}^*, c_{U2} e^{i\gamma} V_{ts}^*, 1)$$

$$c_{U2} \sim O(1)$$



Main constraint from  $K_L \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

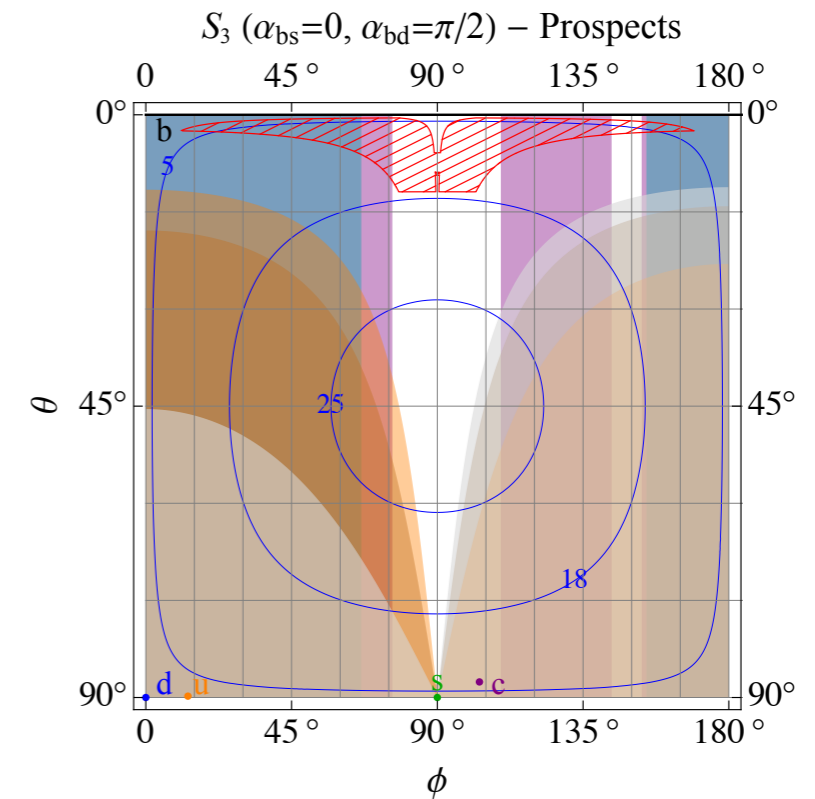
The region consistent with minimally broken  $U(2)$  symmetry is still not tested



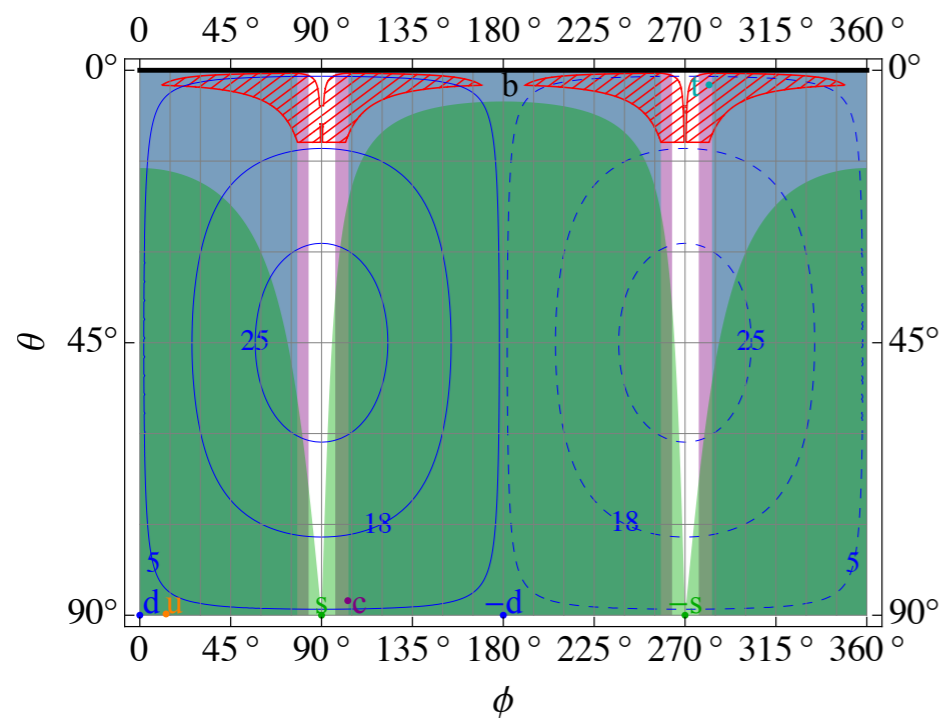
# Prospects

Future improvements in the measurements of these observables will allow to cover the majority of the parameter space

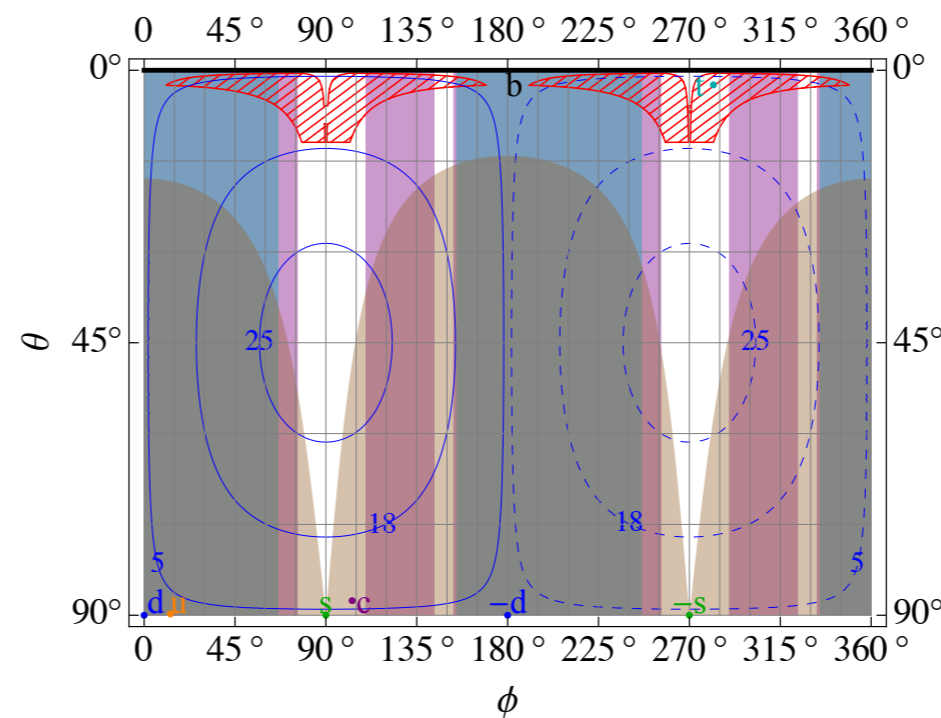
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	3.6 (11)%	Belle II 50 (5) ab <sup>-1</sup>
$R_{K^*}$	0.8 (2.0)%	LHCb 300 (50) fb <sup>-1</sup>
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Br( $K_S \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ )	$\sim 10^{-11}$	LHCb 300fb <sup>-1</sup>
Br( $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \nu$ )	$\sim 30\%$	KOTO phase-I
	20%	KLEVER
Br( $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \nu$ )	10%	NA62 goal



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# Summary

- ◆ The **B-physics anomalies** will be thoroughly **tested in the next few years**.  
If confirmed, **understanding the flavor structure** of this new breaking of the SM flavor symmetries will be crucial.
- ◆ The **Rank-One Flavor Violation** assumption is realised in several UV completions.  
It allows to **correlate  $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$  processes with other flavor observables** involving muons (or muon neutrinos).
- ◆ Already now a sizeable part of parameter space is **tested** and **future measurements will cover the majority of the framework**.

*Thank you!*

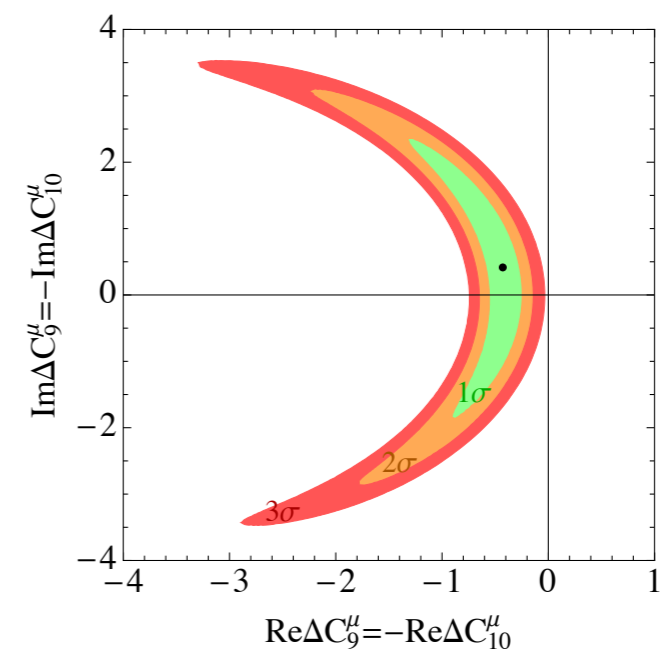
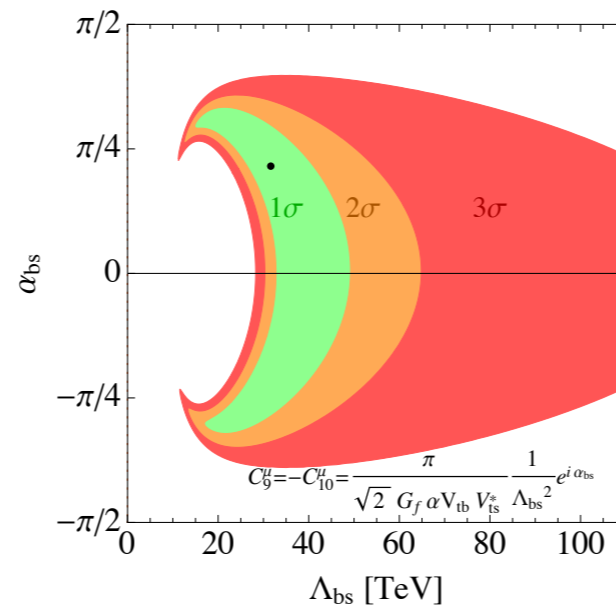
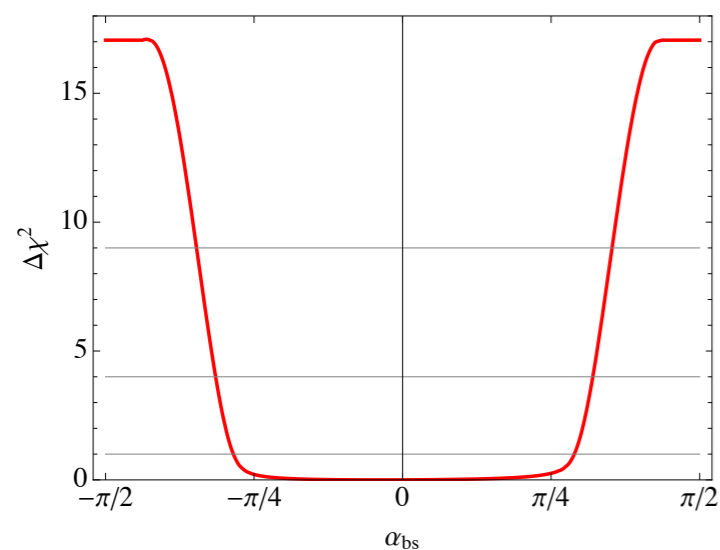
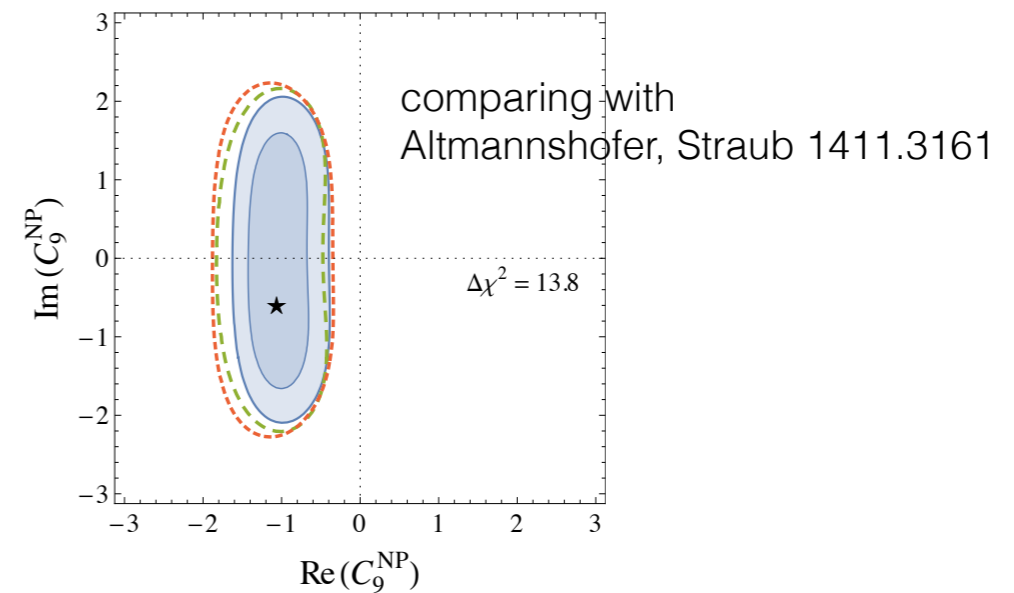
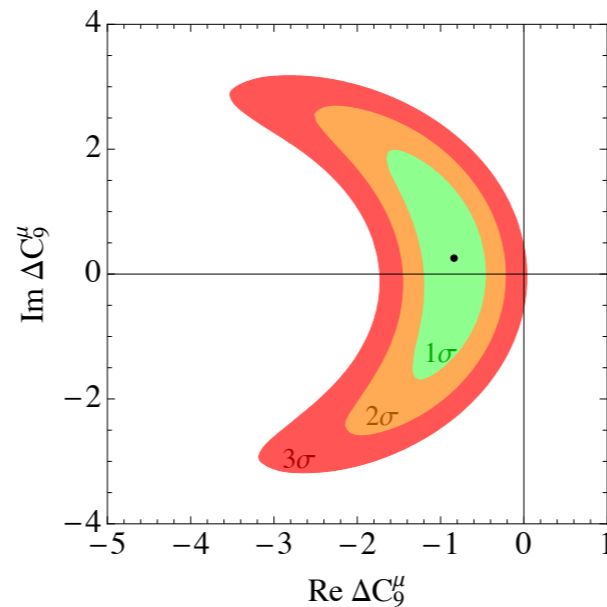
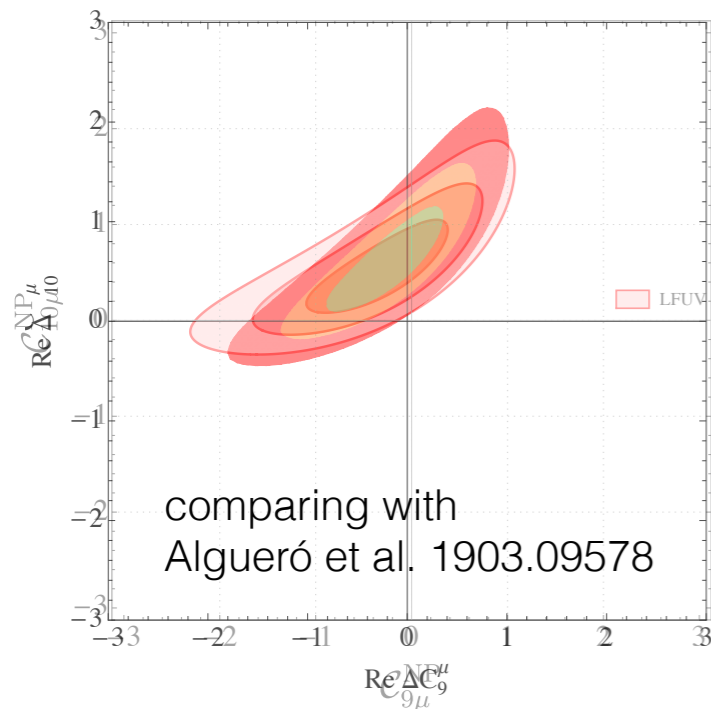
Backup

# Simplified\* fit of clean observables

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$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} \supset \frac{e^{i\alpha_{bs}}}{\Lambda_{bs}^2} (\bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu b_L) (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma_\mu \mu_L) + h.c.$$

$R_K$ [1.1, 6] $\text{GeV}^2$	$0.846 \pm 0.062$	LHCb [1, 2]
$R_{K^*}$ [0.045, 1.1] $\text{GeV}^2$	$0.66 \pm 0.11$ $0.52^{+0.36}_{-0.26}$	LHCb [3] Belle [4]
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$R_{K^*}$ [15, 19] $\text{GeV}^2$	$1.18^{+0.52}_{-0.32}$	Belle [4]
$\text{Br}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu)$	$(3.0^{+0.67}_{-0.63}) \times 10^{-9}$ $(2.8^{+0.8}_{-0.7}) \times 10^{-9}$	LHCb [9] ATLAS [10]



\*Simplified = no theory uncertainties considered. Agrees well "enough" with full fits.

# $\Delta F = 2$ observables (and $\varepsilon'/\varepsilon$ )

Limits on $\Delta F = 2$ coefficients [GeV <sup>-2</sup> ]	
$\text{Re}C_K^1 \in [-6.8, 7.7] \times 10^{-13}$	$\text{Im}C_K^1 \in [-1.2, 2.4] \times 10^{-15}$
$\text{Re}C_D^1 \in [-2.5, 3.1] \times 10^{-13}$	$\text{Im}C_D^1 \in [-9.4, 8.9] \times 10^{-15}$
$ C_{B_d}^1  < 9.5 \times 10^{-13}$	
$ C_{B_s}^1  < 1.9 \times 10^{-11}$	

$$\mathcal{L}_{\Delta F=2}^{\text{NP}} = C_{ij} (\bar{q}_L^i \gamma_\mu q_L^j)^2$$

[UTfit 0707.0636, update by L. Silvestrini @ La Thuile '18]

For example, the Z' contribution is: 
$$\Delta\mathcal{L}_{\Delta F=2} = -\frac{g_q^2}{2M_{Z'}^2} [(\hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^* \bar{d}_{iL} \gamma^\alpha d_{jL})^2 + (V_{ik} \hat{n}_k \hat{n}_l^* V_{jl}^* \bar{u}_{iL} \gamma^\alpha u_{jL})^2]$$

Also  $\varepsilon'/\varepsilon$  provides a potential constrain on the coefficient of  $(\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_L d)(\bar{q} \gamma^\mu P_L q)$   
 $q = u, d, s, c$

[Aebischer et al. 1807.02520, 1808.00466 ]

$$\left(\frac{\varepsilon'}{\varepsilon}\right)_{\text{BSM}} = \sum_i P_i(\mu_{\text{ew}}) \text{Im} [C_i(\mu_{\text{ew}}) - C'_i(\mu_{\text{ew}})] \lesssim 10 \times 10^{-4}$$

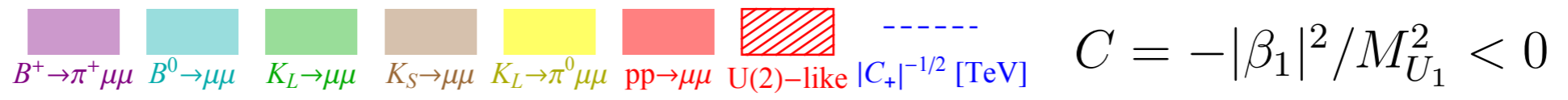
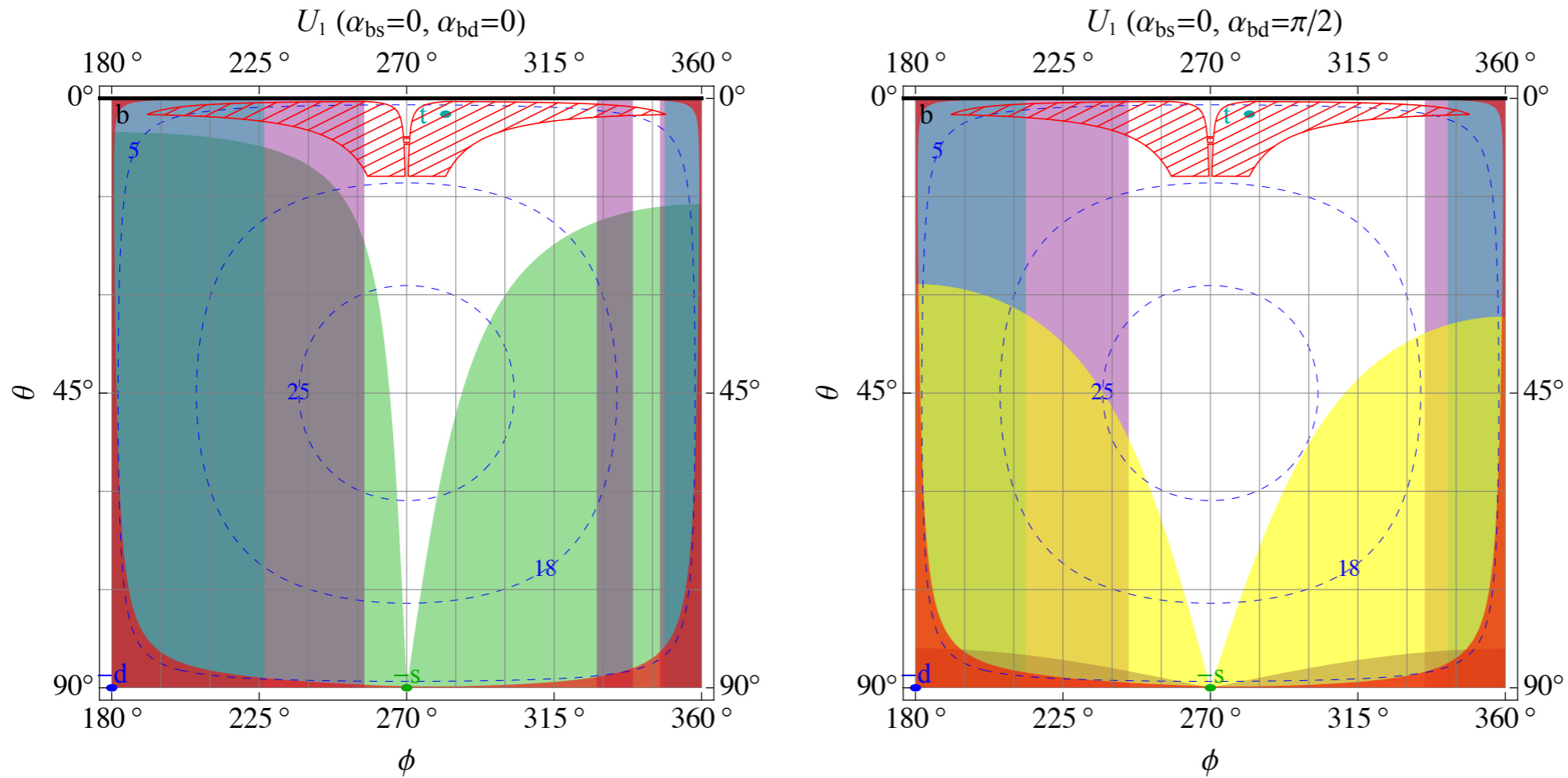
In this framework, this constraint is not competitive with  $\Delta F = 2$

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$$C = -|\beta_1|^2 / M_{U_1}^2 < 0$$

$\Delta F=2$  loops are divergent,  
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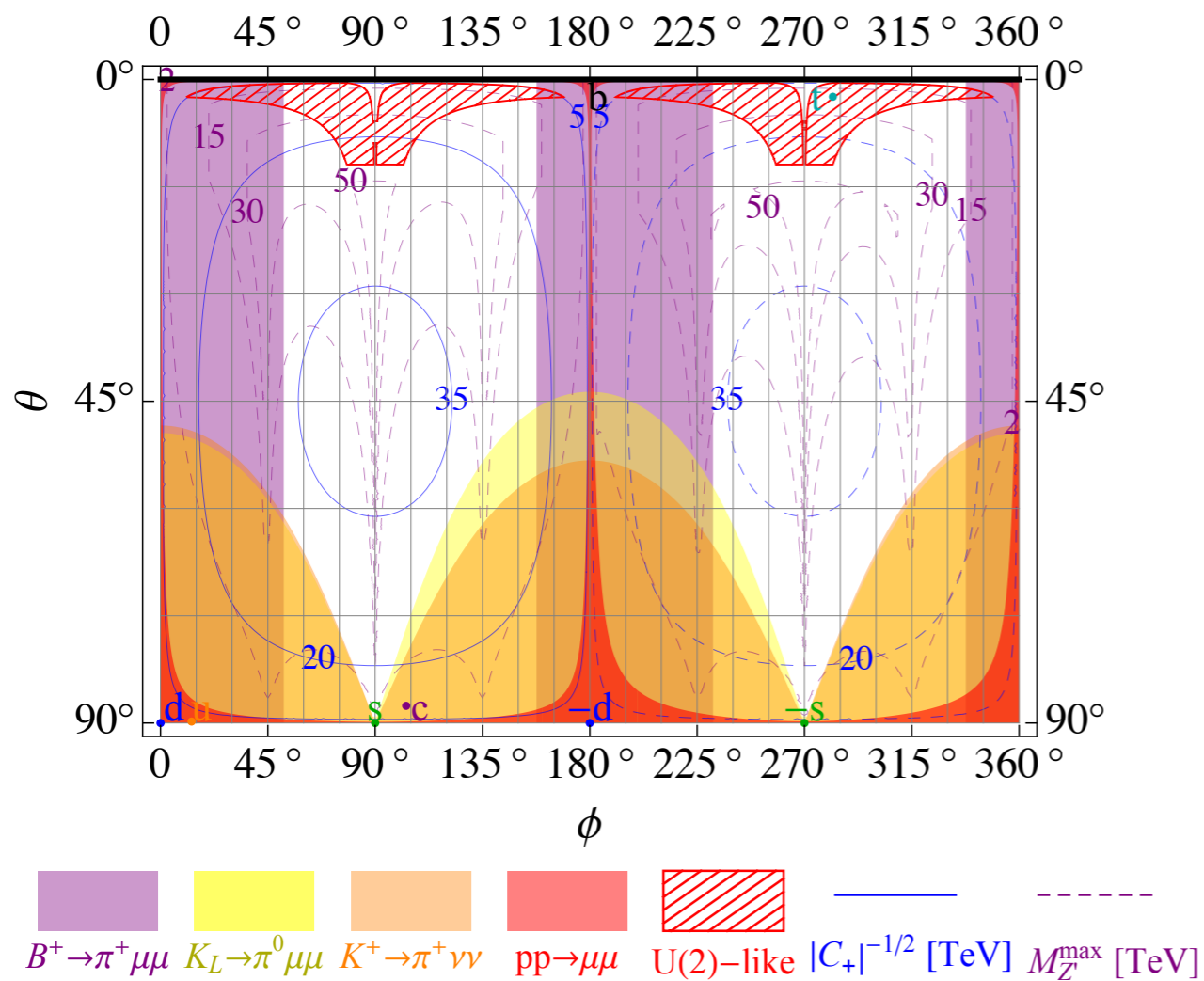
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$$\mathcal{L} \supset M_i \bar{q}_L^i \Psi_Q$$

$$\hat{n}_i \propto M_i$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NP}} \supset [g_q \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^* (\bar{q}_L^i \gamma^\alpha q_L^j) + g_\mu (\bar{\ell}_L^2 \gamma^\alpha \ell_L^2 + \bar{\mu}_R \gamma^\alpha \mu_R)] Z'_\alpha \longrightarrow C_S^{ij} = -\frac{g_q g_\mu}{M_{Z'}^2} \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^*, \quad C_T^{ij} = 0, \quad C_R^{ij} = -\frac{g_q g_\mu}{M_{Z'}^2} \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^*$$

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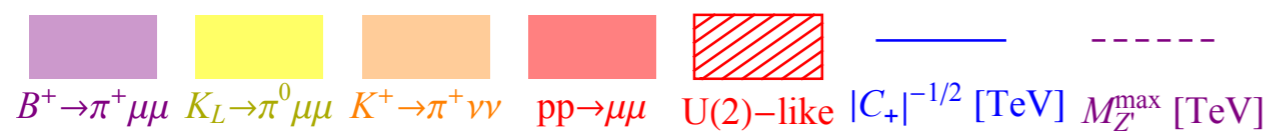
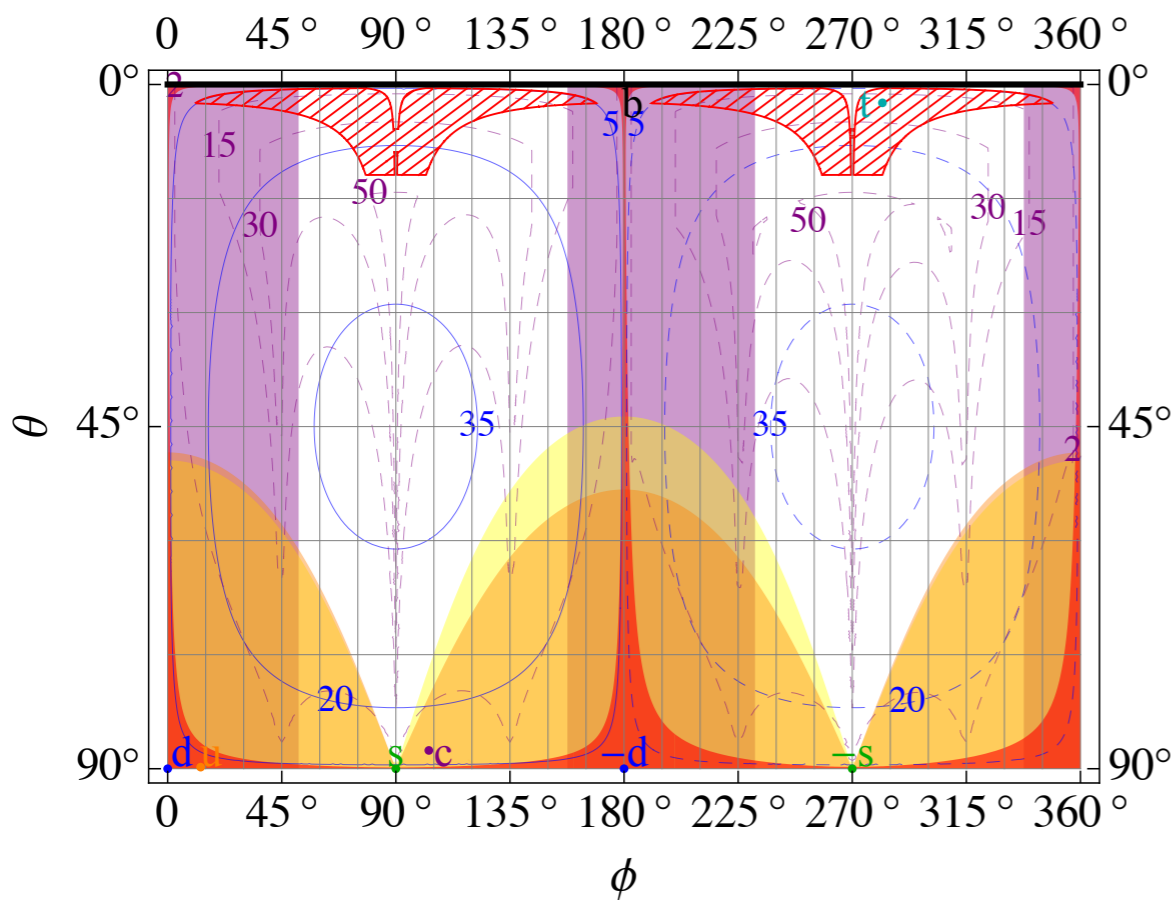
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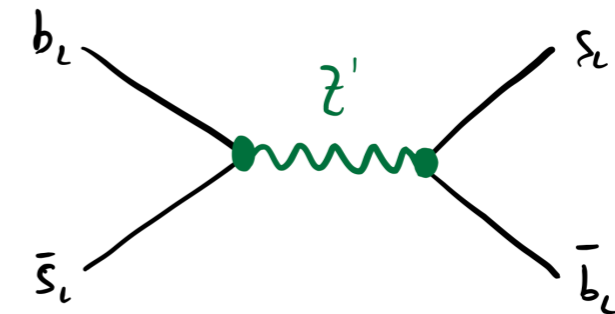
$$\hat{n}_i \propto M_i$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NP}} \supset [g_q \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^* (\bar{q}_L^i \gamma^\alpha q_L^j) + g_\mu (\bar{\ell}_L^2 \gamma^\alpha \ell_L^2 + \bar{\mu}_R \gamma^\alpha \mu_R)] Z'_\alpha \longrightarrow C_S^{ij} = -\frac{g_q g_\mu}{M_{Z'}^2} \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^*, \quad C_T^{ij} = 0, \quad C_R^{ij} = -\frac{g_q g_\mu}{M_{Z'}^2} \hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^*$$

$Z'_V$  ( $\alpha_{bs}=0, \alpha_{bd}=\pi/2$ )



$$C_+ = -g_q g_\mu / (M_{Z'}^2)$$



$\Delta F=2$  operators are generated at the tree level.

$$\Delta \mathcal{L}_{\Delta F=2} = -\frac{g_q^2}{2M_{Z'}^2} [(\hat{n}_i \hat{n}_j^* \bar{d}_L^i \gamma^\alpha d_L^j)^2 + (V_{ik} \hat{n}_k \hat{n}_l^* V_{jl}^* \bar{u}_L^i \gamma^\alpha u_L^j)^2]$$

We can put upper limits on  $r_{q\mu} = g_q/g_\mu$ , or for a given maximum  $g_\mu$ , an upper limit on the  $Z'$  mass

$$M_{Z'}^{\text{lim}} = \sqrt{\frac{r_{q\mu}^{\text{lim}}}{4|C|} |g_\mu^{\text{max}}|}$$