

B Anomalies after Moriond 2019

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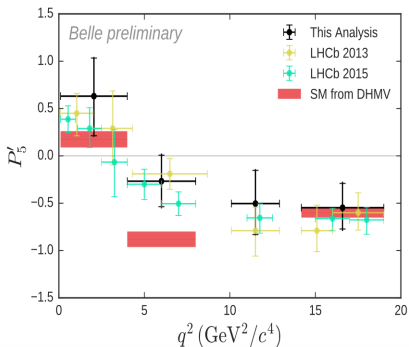
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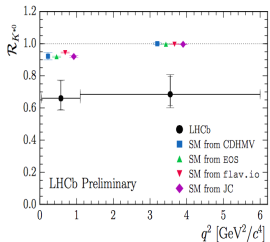
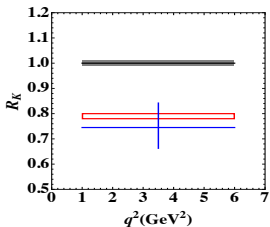
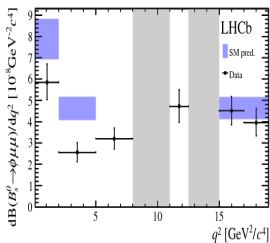
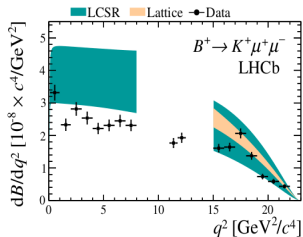
Experimental Situation

The P'_5 anomaly

The field of semi-leptonic rare B decays has been providing some interesting anomalies.



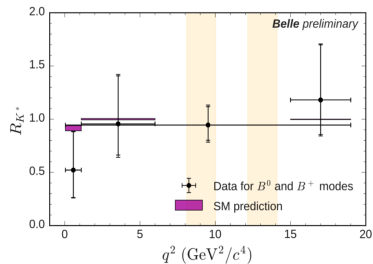
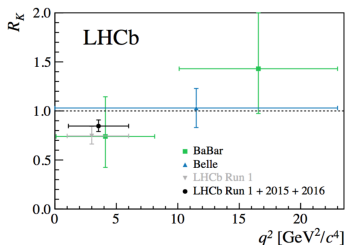
- 2013: 1fb^{-1} data-set LHCb found 3.7σ .
- 2015: 3fb^{-1} data-set LHCb found 3σ in 2 bins.
- Belle confirmed it in a bin $[4,8]$ few months ago.

Other tensions beyond P'_5 (2017)

- $BR(B \rightarrow K \mu \mu)$ small compared to SM predictions.
- Deviations in $BR(B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu \mu)$.
- Several systematic low-recoil small tensions in BR_μ .
- LFUV ratios R_K & R_{K^*} .

LFUV \equiv lepton flavour universality violation

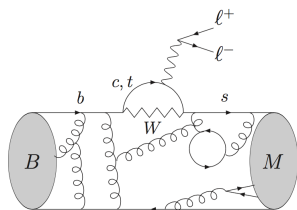
News from Moriond 2019



- New LHCb measurement of R_K .
- 2014 LHCb analysis: R_K at 2.6σ from the SM.
- Combination of LHCb 2014 & 2019 measurements: $R_K = 0.86^{+0.060+0.016}_{-0.054-0.014}$ still at 2.5σ from the SM, with the central value closer to 1.
- New Belle measurement of R_{K^*} .

Review of the theoretical framework

Effective Hamiltonian Approach



$\mathcal{A} \sim \mathcal{C}_i$ (short dist.)

× Hadronic Matrix Elements (long dist.)

$b \rightarrow s \gamma^{(*)}$ Effective Hamiltonian

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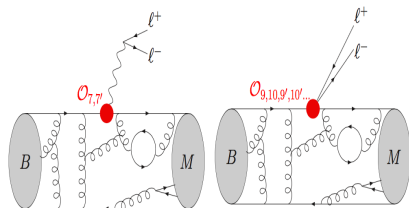
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Improved QCDF + Long Distance $c\bar{c}$ Loops

KMPW Form Factors $\Rightarrow \langle K^* | \mathcal{O}_i | B \rangle \sim F(q^2)$ ($i = 7, 9, 10$) (KMPW Param.)

[Khodjamirian, Mannel, Pivovarov, Wang]

Improved QCDF (iQCDF) Approach: General decomposition of a full form factor (FF),

$$F^{\text{Full}}(q^2) = F^\infty(\xi_\perp(q^2), \xi_\parallel(q^2)) + \Delta F^{\alpha_s}(q^2) + \Delta F^\Lambda(q^2)$$

where F stands for any form factor, either from the helicity or transversity basis.

[Charles et al; Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto]

Factorisable Power Corrections:

■ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$ corrections \Rightarrow QCDF [Beneke, Feldman]

■ $\mathcal{O}(\Lambda/m_B)$ corrections $\Rightarrow \Delta F^\Lambda(q^2) = a_F + b_F \frac{q^2}{m_B^2} + c_F \frac{q^4}{m_B^4}$

[Jäger & Camalich; Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto]

Non-Factorisable Power Corrections:

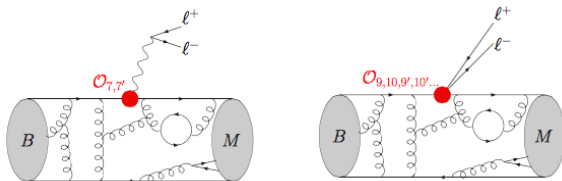
■ Hard Scattering $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$ corrections \Rightarrow QCDF [Beneke, Feldman, Seidel]

■ $c\bar{c}$ Loops $\mathcal{O}(\Lambda/m_B) \Rightarrow \mathcal{C}_{7,9}^{\text{eff}}(q^2) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_{7,9}^{\text{eff}}(q^2) + s_i \delta \mathcal{C}_{7,9}^{\text{LD},i}(q^2)$ ($i = \perp, \parallel, 0$)

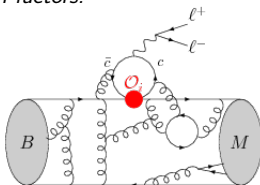
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Hadronic corrections (diagrammatic depiction)

- **Factorisable Corrections:** corrections that **can** be absorbed into the definition of the (full) form factors.



- **Non-factorisable Corrections:** corrections that **cannot** be absorbed into the definition of the (full) form factors.



Global fits

List of observables in the fit (before 2017)

We perform a fit to all available data (except CPV obs.) \Rightarrow 178 obs (2019).

■ Inclusive decays

$$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow X_s \gamma \text{ (BR)}.$$

$$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow X_s \mu^+ \mu^- \text{ (BR)}.$$

■ Exclusive leptonic decays

$$\Rightarrow B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \text{ (BR) (LHCb \& CMS)}.$$

■ Exclusive radiative/semileptonic decays

$$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow K^* \gamma \text{ (BR, } S_{K^* \gamma}, A_I).$$

$$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow K \ell^+ \ell^- \text{ (BR}_\mu, R_K).$$

$$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^- \text{ (BR}_\mu, P_{1,2,4,5,6,8}^{(\prime) \mu}, F_L^\mu, \text{ available electronic angular obs)}.$$

$$\Rightarrow B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^- \text{ (BR, } P_{1,4,6}^{(\prime)}, F_L).$$

List of observables in the fit (2017 & 2019 update)

■ Updates 2017

⇒ $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-)$ (**LHCb**).

⇒ Isospin-averaged $P'_{4,5}{}^{e\mu}(B \rightarrow K^* \ell\ell)$ (**Belle**).

⇒ $P_{1,4,5,6,8}^{(\prime)}, F_L(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-)$ in the large-recoil region (**ATLAS**).

⇒ $P_{1,5}^{(\prime)}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-)$ at large-recoil plus [16, 19] GeV^2 bin (**CMS**).

⇒ F_L, A_{FB} from 2015 and F_L, A_{FB}, BR from 2013 at 7 TeV (**CMS**).

⇒ R_{K^*} in the bins [0.045, 1.1], [1.1, 6] GeV^2 (**LHCb**).

■ Updates 2019

⇒ $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ (BR) (**ATLAS, LHCb & CMS**) ⇒ Uncorr. average.

⇒ R_K (**LHCb**) ⇒ LHCb 2014 & 2019 combination.

⇒ R_{K^*} in the bins [0.045, 1.1], [1.1, 6] & [15, 19] GeV^2 (**Belle**).

Statistical framework

We parametrize the Wilson coefficients as,

$$C_i = C_i^{\text{SM}} + C_i^{\text{NP}} \quad (i = 7^{(\prime)}, 9^{(\prime)}, 10^{(\prime)}, C_i^{\text{NP}} \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow \text{no CPV})$$

Standard frequentist fit to the NP contributions to the Wilson coefficients,

$$\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}}) = (\mathcal{O}^{\text{th}}(C_i^{\text{NP}}) - \mathcal{O}^{\text{exp}})_i \text{Cov}_{ij}^{-1} (\mathcal{O}^{\text{th}}(C_i^{\text{NP}}) - \mathcal{O}^{\text{exp}})_j$$

- Both **theory and experiment** contribute to the covariance matrix,
 $\Rightarrow \text{Cov} = \text{Cov}^{\text{th}} + \text{Cov}^{\text{exp}}$
- Experimental covariance,
 \Rightarrow **Experimental correlations** between observables (if not provided, assumed uncorrelated). Assume gaussian errors (symmetrize if needed).
- Theoretical covariance,
 \Rightarrow Compute the **theoretical correlations** by performing a multivariate gaussian scan over all nuisance parameters.
- In principle $\text{Cov} = \text{Cov}(C_i)$,
 \Rightarrow **Mild dependency** $\Rightarrow \text{Cov} = \text{Cov}_{\text{SM}} \equiv \text{Cov}(C_i = 0)$.

[Descotes-Genon, Hofer, Matias, Virto; BC, Crivellin, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Virto]



Statistical framework

■ Fit procedure:

⇒ **Best fit points** (bfp): $\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}}) \rightarrow \chi_{\min}^2 = \chi^2(\hat{C}_{i^{\text{NP}}})$.

⇒ **Confidence intervals**: $\chi^2(C_i^{\text{NP}}) - \chi_{\min}^2 \leq Q^2$
 ($1\sigma \rightarrow Q^2 = 1$, $2\sigma \rightarrow Q^2 = 4$, ...).

⇒ Compute **pulls** (σ): $\text{Pull}_{\text{SM}} = \sqrt{\chi_{\text{SM}}^2 - \chi_{\min, \text{Sc}}^2}$.

■ Two types of fits

⇒ *Canonical* fit: fit to **all data** (178 data points).

⇒ LFUV fit: $R_K, R_{K^*}, P'_{4,5}{}^{e\mu}(B \rightarrow K^* \ell \ell)$ plus $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ (20 data points)

■ Testing different **hypotheses**

⇒ Hypotheses with NP only in one Wilson coefficient (**1D fits**).

⇒ Hypotheses with NP in two Wilson coefficients (**2D fits**).

⇒ Hypotheses with NP in the six Wilson coefficients (**6D fits**).

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Analysing 1D NP hypotheses

| 2017 | | All | | | |
|---|----------|----------------|--------------------|-------------|--|
| 1D Hyp. | Best fit | 1σ | Pull _{SM} | p-value (%) | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ | -1.11 | [-1.28, -0.94] | 5.8 | 68 | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ | -0.62 | [-0.75, -0.49] | 5.3 | 58 | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C'_{9\mu}$ | -1.01 | [-1.18, -0.84] | 5.4 | 61 | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -3C_{9e}^{\text{NP}}$ | -1.07 | [-1.24, -0.90] | 5.8 | 70 | |
| 2019 | | All | | | |
| 1D Hyp. | Best fit | 1σ | Pull _{SM} | p-value (%) | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ | -1.02 | [-1.18, -0.85] | 5.8 | 65 | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ | -0.49 | [-0.59, -0.40] | 5.4 | 56 | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C'_{9\mu}$ | -1.02 | [-1.18, -0.85] | 5.7 | 61 | |
| $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -3C_{9e}^{\text{NP}}$ | -0.92 | [-1.08, -0.76] | 5.7 | 63 | |

- ⇒ The hierarchy of scenarios remains fundamentally the same.
- ⇒ $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ is the strongest signal for the "All fit". $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ dominates in the LFUV fit.
- ⇒ $C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ solution shows a significance of $\sim 4\sigma$.
- ⇒ $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C'_{9\mu}$ significances increases, since this predicts $R_K \simeq 1$.

[BC, Crivellin, Descotes-Genon, Matias, Virto; Algueró, BC, Crivellin, Descotes-Genon, Masjuan, Matias, Virto]



Analysing 2D NP hypotheses

| 2017 | All | | |
|---|----------------|--------------------|-------------|
| | Best fit | Pull _{SM} | p-value (%) |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}})$ | (-1.01, 0.29) | 5.7 | 72 |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{9'\mu})$ | (-1.15, 0.41) | 5.6 | 71 |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{10'\mu})$ | (-1.22, -0.22) | 5.7 | 72 |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{9e}^{\text{NP}})$ | (-1.00, 0.42) | 5.5 | 68 |
| Hyp. 1 | (-1.16, 0.38) | 5.7 | 73 |
| 2019 | Best fit | Pull _{SM} | p-value (%) |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}})$ | (-0.95, 0.20) | 5.7 | 70 |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{9'\mu})$ | (-1.13, 0.54) | 5.9 | 75 |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{10'\mu})$ | (-1.17, -0.34) | 6.1 | 78 |
| $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{9e}^{\text{NP}})$ | (-1.04, -0.11) | 5.5 | 65 |
| Hyp. 1 | (-1.09, 0.28) | 6.0 | 76 |
| Hyp. 4 | (-0.52, 0.11) | 5.2 | 59 |
| Hyp. 5 | (-1.17, 0.24) | 6.1 | 78 |

Hyp 1: $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{9'\mu}, C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}} = C_{10'\mu})$, 4: $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{9'\mu} = -C_{10'\mu})$
 and 5: $(C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{9'\mu} = -C_{10'\mu})$.

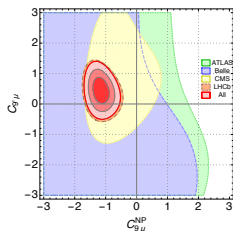
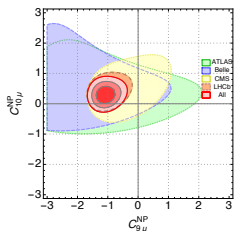
- ⇒ New data (mainly R_K) allows more space for right-handed currents (RHCs).
- ⇒ $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ (vector) structure preferred over $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}}$ (left-handed) with RHCs of the type $C_{9'\mu} = -C_{10'\mu} \Rightarrow$ Hyp. 4 vs Hyp. 5

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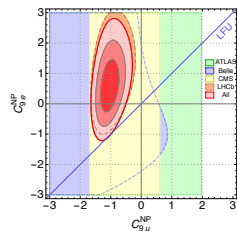


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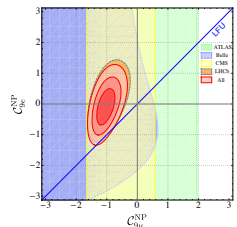
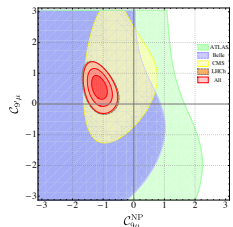
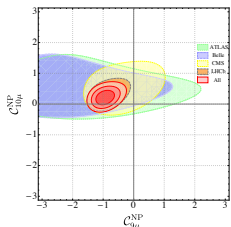


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Are we overlooking Lepton Flavour Universal (LFU) NP?

NP scenarios with LFU NP

- ⇒ The distinction between lepton flavour dependent (LFD) observables and LFUV observables suggests a new (and natural) basis,

$$C_{i\ell}^{\text{NP}} = C_{i\ell}^{\text{V}} + C_i^{\text{U}}$$

with $i = 9, 10, 9', 10'$ and $\ell = e, \mu$ (trivial extension to $\ell = \tau$).

- ⇒ The NP parameter space can be equally described with $\{C_{i\mu}^{\text{NP}}, C_{ie}^{\text{NP}}\}$ or $\{C_{i\mu}^{\text{V}}, C_i^{\text{U}}\}$ ($C_{ie}^{\text{V}} = 0$).
- ⇒ The LFU vs LFUV language generates non-obvious NP scenarios in the μ vs e language,

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} C_{9\mu}^{\text{V}} \\ C_9^{\text{U}} \end{array} \right. = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{V}} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} \\ C_{9e}^{\text{NP}} \end{array} \right. = -C_{10\mu}^{\text{NP}} + C_{9e}^{\text{NP}}$$

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Analysing LFU NP Fits

| 2017 - Scenario | | Best-fit point | 1σ | Pull _{SM} | p-value |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|---------|
| Scenario 6 | $C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$ | -0.64 | [-0.77, -0.51] | 6.0 | 79 % |
| | $C_9^U = C_{10}^U$ | -0.44 | [-0.58, -0.29] | | |
| Scenario 7 | $C_{9\mu}^V$ | -1.57 | [-2.14, -1.06] | 5.7 | 72 % |
| | C_9^U | +0.56 | [+0.01, +1.15] | | |
| Scenario 8 | $C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$ | -0.42 | [-0.57, -0.27] | 5.8 | 74 % |
| | C_9^U | -0.67 | [-0.90, -0.42] | | |
| 2019 - Scenario | | Best-fit point | 1σ | Pull _{SM} | p-value |
| Scenario 6 | $C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$ | -0.52 | [-0.64, -0.41] | 5.8 | 71.5 % |
| | $C_9^U = C_{10}^U$ | -0.37 | [-0.52, -0.22] | | |
| Scenario 7 | $C_{9\mu}^V$ | -0.91 | [-1.25, -0.58] | 5.5 | 65.3 % |
| | C_9^U | -0.08 | [-0.46, +0.31] | | |
| Scenario 8 | $C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$ | -0.33 | [-0.45, -0.22] | 5.9 | 74.1 % |
| | C_9^U | -0.72 | [-0.93, -0.47] | | |

⇒ $\{C_{9\mu}^V, C_9^U\}$ largely correlated ⇒ $C_{9\mu}^V + C_9^U = -0.98$ vs $C_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.02$.

⇒ Left-handed structure $C_{9\mu}^V = -C_{10\mu}^V$ preferred over the vector structure $C_{9\mu}^V$, with the presence of C_9^U .

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Conclusions

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- Performing our analyses with the new measurements of R_K , R_{K^*} and $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$:
 - ⇒ $\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}$ is (still) the most strong signal of NP.
 - ⇒ Hierarchy of scenarios unaltered.
- Stronger signals coming from RHC:
 - ⇒ With a signature $\mathcal{C}_{9'\mu} > 0$ and $\mathcal{C}_{10'\mu} < 0$.
 - ⇒ Hyp. 5 ($\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{NP}}, \mathcal{C}_{9'\mu} = -\mathcal{C}_{10'\mu}$) emerges as one of the scenarios with higher significance (6.1σ).
- The interplay between LFU and LFUV NP might be instrumental for finding new directions both for phenomenological analyses and models.
 - ⇒ Overcoming the hierarchy between $\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{V}} = -\mathcal{C}_{10\mu}^{\text{V}}$ and $\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{V}}$ by introducing LFU NP ($\mathcal{C}_{9\mu}^{\text{U}}$).

Thank you