

# New physics searches using $b ightarrow s \ell \ell$ transitions at LHCb

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#### Important questions





- What is the origin of dark matter?
- ▶ Why is there a hierarchy of fermion masses?
- Why do elements of the CKM matrix have a large spread?
- What is the origin of CP violation in the universe?

The Standard Model (SM) for all its success has no answers to these

Studying properties of beauty and charm hadrons can shed some light

# *LHCb*

# Higgs and flavour

#### Two sides of the same coin

► Yukawa couplings (*Y<sup>U,D</sup>*) of quarks to Higgs field:

$$\mathcal{L}_{Y} = \bar{u}_{Ri} Y_{ij}^{U} \phi^{c\dagger} Q_{Lj} + \bar{d}_{Ri} Y_{ij}^{D} \phi Q_{Lj}$$

>  $Y^{U,D}$  matrix in 3 quark generations is not necessarily diagonal

▶ Transformation of u, d, Q to mass eigenstates:
 ▷ Diagonalises M<sup>U</sup> = V<sub>u<sub>R</sub></sub>Y<sup>U</sup>V<sup>†</sup><sub>u<sub>L</sub></sub> and M<sup>D</sup> = V<sub>d<sub>R</sub></sub>Y<sup>D</sup>V<sup>†</sup><sub>d<sub>L</sub></sub>
 ▶ W couplings become non-diagonal:

$$W^+_\mu ar{u}_L \gamma^\mu d_L o W^+_\mu ar{u}_L V^\dagger_{u_L} V_{d_L} \gamma^\mu d_L \; (V_{CKM} = V^\dagger_{u_L} V_{d_L})$$

- ▶ In SM,  $Z,\gamma$  couplings remain diagonal! → No tree level Flavour Changing Neutral Currents (FCNC)
  - $\triangleright$  Z and  $\gamma$  couplings are invariant under transformation. Consequence of s,d,b having same  $SU_L(2) \times U_Y(1)$  quantum numbers

#### Experimental approaches



SM could be a low-energy effective theory of a more fundamental theory at higher energy scale with new particles, dynamics/symmetries.

Direct approach



 Rely on high energy collisions to produce new particle(s) on-mass-shell, observed through their decay products

#### Indirect approach (typical of flavour)



 New particles appear off-mass-shell in heavy flavour processes, leading to deviations from SM expectations

# Interplay of direct and indirect measurements



#### Flavour physics has played central role in the development of the SM

► *c*-quark inferred from measurement showing suppression of  $K^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^$ rate compared to  $K \rightarrow \mu \nu$  (GIM 1970)

- $\triangleright$  Discovery of J/ $\psi$  in 1974 (SLAC, BNL)
- *t*,*b*-quarks inferred from CP violation in K sector (KM of CKM 1973)
   ▷ Discovery of the Y in 1977 (Fermilab)
- ▶ Limit on top quark mass m<sub>t</sub> > 50 GeV from B<sup>0</sup> mixing (ARGUS 1987)
   ▷ Discovery of the t-quark 1995 (D0, CDF)
- Weak neutral current inferred from neutrino scattering in Gargamelle (1973)
   Discovery of the Z boson 1983 (UA1,UA2)



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#### Formalism

- Model independent approach
- ► "Integrate" out heavy (m ≥ m<sub>W</sub>) field(s) and introduce set of Wilson coefficients C<sub>i</sub>, and operators O<sub>i</sub> encoding long and short distance effects

$$\mathcal{H}_{eff} pprox -rac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V^*_{ts(d)} \sum_i C^{SM}_i \mathcal{O}^{SM}_i + \sum_{NP} rac{c_{NP}}{\Lambda^2_{NP}} \mathcal{O}_{NP}$$

 $\blacktriangleright$  c.f. Fermi interaction and  $G_F$ 





#### Formalism



 $\Delta F\text{=}2$  processes scale as 1/ $\Lambda^2$   $\Delta F\text{=}2$  processes scale as 1/ $\Lambda^2$ 

### Sensitivity to New Physics



► Different decays probe different operators e.g:

Operator $\mathcal{O}_i$	$B_{s(d)} \rightarrow X_{s(d)} \mu^+ \mu^-$	$B_{s(d)}  ightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$	$B_{s(d)} \rightarrow X_{s(d)}\gamma$
$\mathcal{O}_7 \sim m_b (ar{s_L} \sigma^{\mu u} b_R) F_{\mu u}$	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$
$\mathcal{O}_9 \sim (ar{s_L} \gamma^\mu b_L) (ar{\ell} \gamma_\mu \ell)$	$\checkmark$		
$\mathcal{O}_{10}\sim(ar{s_L}\gamma^\mu b_L)(ar{\ell}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu\ell)$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
$\mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{P}}\sim(ar{s}b)_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{P}}(ar{\ell}\ell)_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{P}}$	(√)	$\checkmark$	

- In SM  $C_{S,P} \propto m_\ell m_b / m_W^2$
- ▶ In SM chirality flipped  $O_i$  suppressed by  $m_s/m_b$

### Setting the scene



#### ► LHC $\sigma_{b\bar{b}} = 460 \,\mu b \, @ \sqrt{s} = 13 \, \text{TeV}$ (scale ~ linear with $\sqrt{s}$ )

►  $\sigma_{b\bar{b}}$  in LHCb acceptance ~ 100 µb ▷ c.f  $\sigma_{b\bar{b}} = 0.001 µb$  @ B-factories



> 300 publications in total

Run 2:  $2fb^{-1}$  (current), Run 1:  $3fb^{-1}$ 



 $L_{inst}^{Max} = 4 \times 10^{32} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$  (double the design value)

#### The LHCb detector





► *B*-lifetime means displaced secondary vertex



#### Detector performance

[Int.J.Mod.Phys.A30(2015)1530022]



# The LHCb trigger in Run 2

#### The challenge

- Only 1 in 200 pp inelastic events contain a b-quark
- $\blacktriangleright\,$  Looking for B-hadron decays with  $BF\sim 10^{-6}-10^{-9}$



#### Major development for Run 2:

- Buffer all events after HLT1 to perform calibrations and alignment
  - Determine calibration and alignment constants per fill (minutes)
  - Global offline-like reconstruction using these constants
  - Major step towards realising upgrade trigger strategy (see later)

 $\rightarrow$  More selective triggers e.g offline like particle ID in the trigger!

 $\rightarrow$  Physics measurement with data straight out of HLT2

Output rate of HLT2 5kHz 12.5kHz





#### Experimental aspects

Selection:

- Reduce combinatorial background using Multivariate classifiers, (typically Boosted Decision Tree)
  - $\triangleright$  Using kinematic and topological information
  - $\,\triangleright\,$  Variable choice based on minimising correlation with mass
- ► Reduce "peaking" backgrounds using particle-ID information
  - ▷ Exclusive decays with final state hadron(s) mis-Id
  - ▷ Estimate by mixture of MC and data-driven studies





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- 1. Measurements of decay rates of  $B \to K^{(*)}\mu^+\mu^-$ ,  $B_s \to \phi\mu^+\mu^$ and  $\Lambda_b \to \Lambda\mu^+\mu^-$
- 2. Measurement of the ratio of branching fractions  $\frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to K^+ e^+ e^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to \mu^+ \mu^-)}$
- 3. Measurements of the angular distributions of  $B \to K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-$  decays

All four measurements can be consistently explained through New Physics

## 1. Differential branching fractions







▶ For  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ , compatible at 2.6 $\sigma$  level with SM

 $\begin{array}{l} B^+ \to K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-, \ B^0 \to K^0 \mu^+ \mu^-, B^+ \to K^{*+} \mu^+ \mu^- \colon [\text{JHEP06(2014)133}] \\ \text{LCSR: Bobeth et al [JHEP07(2011)067]} \\ \text{Lattice: Bouchard et al [1310.3207] missing 2-loop corrections to $C_9^{eff}$, $Horgan et al [PRL112,212003(2014)]$} \end{array}$ 

# 1. Differential branching fractions cont'd





SM: Bharucha et al [1503.05534], Detmold et al [PRD87(2013)074502], LQCD: Horgan et al [PRL112,212003(2014)]

- $\blacktriangleright~$  For  $B_{\rm s} \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-,$  bin  $1.1 < q^2 < 6.0 {\rm GeV^2}$  is  $3.3 \sigma$  from SM
- All branching fraction measurements potentially point to new physics in C<sub>9</sub> (e.g new vector Z')

## 2. Ratios of decay rates

Experimental challenge in:  $B 
ightarrow Ke^+e^-$ 

- ▶ Reduced mass resolution and  $q^2$  migration
- Modelling of part reco backgrounds



- Correct for bremsstrahlung by looking for compatible photons in calorimeter
- Correct for q<sup>2</sup> migration from simulation using PHOTOS to model Final State Radiation





### 2. Ratios of decay rates cont'd



- Measurement of:  $R_K = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to K^+ e^+ e^-)}$  [PRL113(2014)151601]
  - Precise theory prediction due to cancellation of hadronic form factor uncertainties
- Expected to be 1.000 in SM (Higgs contribution  $m_{\ell}$  suppressed)
- ► Z' models with enhanced couplings to muons e.g [Altmannshofer et al 1403.1269]
  - $\rightarrow$  Destructive interference with SM can lead to  ${\it R_{\rm K}}<1$



- Measure for  $1 < q^2 < 6 \,\mathrm{GeV}^2/c^4$ 
  - $ightarrow R_{K} = 0.745^{+0.090}_{-0.074}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.035(\text{syst})$
- $R_K$  consistent at  $\sim 2.6\sigma$

► Consistent with decay rate measurements assuming Z' does not couple to electrons!

3. Angular analysis of  $B^0 o K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ 



• Differential decay rate of  $B^0 \to K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$  and  $\bar{B}^0 \bar{K}^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ :

$$\begin{split} \frac{\mathrm{d}^4\Gamma[\bar{B}^0\to\bar{K}^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-]}{\mathrm{d}q^2\,\mathrm{d}\vec{\Omega}} = & \frac{9}{32\pi}\sum_i I_i(q^2)f_i(\vec{\Omega}) \quad \mathrm{and} \\ \frac{\mathrm{d}^4\bar{\Gamma}[\bar{B}^0\to K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-]}{\mathrm{d}q^2\,\mathrm{d}\vec{\Omega}} = & \frac{9}{32\pi}\sum_i \bar{I}_i(q^2)f_i(\vec{\Omega}) \ , \end{split}$$

► I<sub>i</sub>: bilinear combinations of 6 P-wave and 2 S-wave helicity amplitudes (since K<sup>\*0</sup> can be found in J = 1 and J = 0)

Reparametrise distribution in terms of:

$$S_{i} = \left(I_{i} + \bar{I}_{i}\right) \left/ \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}\Gamma}{\mathrm{d}q^{2}} + \frac{\mathrm{d}\bar{\Gamma}}{\mathrm{d}q^{2}}\right) \text{ and} A_{i} = \left(I_{i} - \bar{I}_{i}\right) \left/ \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}\Gamma}{\mathrm{d}q^{2}} + \frac{\mathrm{d}\bar{\Gamma}}{\mathrm{d}q^{2}}\right).$$

• Determine various  $S_i$  or  $A_i$  by a 3+1D angular  $m_{K\pi}$  distribution in bins of  $q^2$ 

#### Angular terms



	T	r			
		Ji			
1s	$\frac{3}{4} \left   \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{L} ^{2} +  \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{L} ^{2} +  \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{R} ^{2} +  \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{R} ^{2} \right $	$sin^2 \theta_K$	10	1 1 1 4L12 - 1 4R121	1.1
1c	$ A_{\rm L}^{\rm L} ^2 +  A_{\rm R}^{\rm R} ^2$	$\cos^2 \theta_{K}$	10	$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix}  \mathcal{A}_{S} ^{2} +  \mathcal{A}_{S}^{2} ^{2} \end{bmatrix}$	1
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28	$\frac{1}{4} \left[  \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}  +  \mathcal{A}_{\perp}  +  \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}  +  \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}  \right]$	$\sin \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l$	19	$-\frac{1}{2}\left[ A^{L} ^{2}+ A^{R} ^{2}\right]$	cos 2A.
2c	$- \mathcal{A}_{0}^{\mathrm{L}} ^{2}- \mathcal{A}_{0}^{\mathrm{R}} ^{2}$	$\cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l$	12	$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix}  \mathcal{A}_{S}  +  \mathcal{A}_{S}  \end{bmatrix}$	003 201
3	$\frac{1}{2}\left[ \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{L}} ^{2} -  \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{L}} ^{2} +  \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{R}} ^{2} -  \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{R}} ^{2}\right]$	$\sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_l \cos 2\phi$	13	$-\sqrt{\frac{4}{3}}\operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{L}}\mathcal{A}_{0}^{\mathrm{L}*}+\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{R}}\mathcal{A}_{0}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\cos \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l$
4	$\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_{0}^{\mathrm{L}}\mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{L}*} + \mathcal{A}_{0}^{\mathrm{R}}\mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \cos \phi$	14	$\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{L}} \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{L}*} + \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{R}} \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin \theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \cos \theta_l$
5	$\sqrt{2} \operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_0^{\mathrm{L}} \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{L}*} - \mathcal{A}_0^{\mathrm{R}} \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_l \cos \phi$	15	$\sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{L}}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{L}*} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{R}}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin \theta_K \sin \theta_l \cos \phi$
6s	$2 \operatorname{Re}(\mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{L}} \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{L}*} - \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{R}} \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin^2 \theta_K \cos \theta_l$	16	$\sqrt{\frac{8}{3}} \mathrm{Im}(\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{L}}\mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\mathrm{L}*} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{R}}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin\theta_K\sin\theta_l\sin\phi$
7	$\sqrt{2} Im(\mathcal{A}_0^L \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{L*} - \mathcal{A}_0^R \mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{R*})$	$\sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_l \sin \phi$	17	$\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \text{Im}(\mathcal{A}_{S}^{L}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{L*} + \mathcal{A}_{S}^{R}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{R*})$	$\sin \theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \sin q$
8	$\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \mathrm{Im}(\mathcal{A}_0^{\mathrm{L}} \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{L}*} + \mathcal{A}_0^{\mathrm{R}} \mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\mathrm{R}*})$	$\sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_l \sin \phi$		1 V V V V V V V V V V V V V V V V V V V	I
9	$\operatorname{Im}(\mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\operatorname{L*}}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\operatorname{L}}+\mathcal{A}_{\parallel}^{\operatorname{R*}}\mathcal{A}_{\perp}^{\operatorname{R}})$	$\sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_l \sin 2\phi$			



#### Amplitudes I

[JHEP 0901(2009)019] Altmannshofer et al.

$$\begin{split} A_{\perp}^{L(R)} &= N\sqrt{2\lambda} \bigg\{ \left[ (\mathbf{C_{9}^{eff}} + \mathbf{C_{9}^{'eff}}) \mp (\mathbf{C_{10}^{eff}} + \mathbf{C_{10}^{'eff}}) \right] \frac{\mathbf{V(q^{2}})}{m_{B} + m_{K^{*}}} + \frac{2m_{b}}{q^{2}} (\mathbf{C_{7}^{eff}} + \mathbf{C_{7}^{'eff}}) \mathbf{T_{1}(q^{2})} \bigg\} \\ A_{\parallel}^{L(R)} &= -N\sqrt{2} (m_{B}^{2} - m_{K^{*}}^{2}) \bigg\{ \left[ (\mathbf{C_{9}^{eff}} - \mathbf{C_{9}^{'eff}}) \mp (\mathbf{C_{10}^{eff}} - \mathbf{C_{10}^{'eff}}) \right] \frac{\mathbf{A_{1}(q^{2})}}{m_{B} - m_{K^{*}}} + \frac{2m_{b}}{q^{2}} (\mathbf{C_{7}^{eff}} - \mathbf{C_{7}^{'eff}}) \mathbf{T_{2}(q^{2})} \bigg\} \\ A_{0}^{L(R)} &= -\frac{N}{2m_{K^{*}}\sqrt{q^{2}}} \bigg\{ \left[ (\mathbf{C_{9}^{eff}} - \mathbf{C_{9}^{'eff}}) \mp (\mathbf{C_{10}^{eff}} - \mathbf{C_{10}^{'eff}}) \right] \left[ (m_{B}^{2} - m_{K^{*}}^{2} - q^{2})(m_{B} + m_{K^{*}}) \mathbf{A_{1}(q^{2})} - \lambda \frac{\mathbf{A_{2}(q^{2})}}{m_{B} + m_{K^{*}}} \right] \\ &+ 2m_{b} (\mathbf{C_{7}^{eff}} - \mathbf{C_{7}^{'eff}}) \left[ (m_{B}^{2} + 3m_{K^{*}} - q^{2}) \mathbf{T_{2}(q^{2})} - \frac{\lambda}{m_{B}^{2} - m_{K^{*}}^{2}} \mathbf{T_{3}(q^{2})} \right] \bigg\} \end{split}$$

- C<sub>i</sub><sup>eff</sup>: Wilson coefficients (including 4-quark operator contributions)
- ▶  $\mathbf{A}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{T}_i$  and  $\mathbf{V}_i$ : 7  $B \to K^*$  form factors





#### Amplitudes II

► At leading order and for large dimuon masses squared  $(q^2)$  below  $\sim 6 \text{GeV}^2/c^4$ , form factors reduce to  $\xi_{\perp}, \xi_{\parallel}$ :

$$A_{\perp}^{L,R} = \sqrt{2}Nm_B(1-\hat{s}) \left[ (\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}} + \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}) \mp (\mathcal{C}_{10} + \mathcal{C}_{10}') + \frac{2\hat{m}_b}{\hat{s}} (\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}} + \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}}) \right] \xi_{\perp}(E_{K^*})$$

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$$A_0^{L,R} = -\frac{Nm_B(1-\hat{s})^2}{2\hat{m}_{K^*}\sqrt{\hat{s}}} \bigg[ (\mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}} - \mathcal{C}_9^{\text{eff}}) \mp (\mathcal{C}_{10} - \mathcal{C}_{10}') + 2\hat{m}_b(\mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}} - \mathcal{C}_7^{\text{eff}}) \bigg] \xi_{\parallel}(E_{K^*})$$

► Can build form factor independent observables using ratios of bilinear amplitude combinations [JHEP 1301(2013)048] Descotes-Genon et al. e.g:

$$P_5' \sim \frac{Re(A_0^L A_{\perp}^L - A_0^R A_{\perp}^*)}{\sqrt{(|A_0^L|^2 + |A_0^R|^2)(|A_{\perp}^L|^2 + |A_{\perp}^R|^2 + |A_{\parallel}^L|^2 + |A_{\parallel}^R|^2)}}$$



#### Acceptance correction

- ▶ Trigger, reconstruction and selection efficiency distorts the angular and  $q^2$  distribution of  $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$
- Acceptance correction parametrised using 4D Legendre polynomials
- ▶ Use moment analysis in  $B^0 \to K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$  MC to obtain coefficients  $c_{klmn}$
- Cross-check acceptance in  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*0}$

$$\varepsilon(\cos\theta_{\ell},\cos\theta_{K},\phi,q^{2}) = \sum_{klmn} c_{klmn} P_{k}(\cos\theta_{\ell}) P_{l}(\cos\theta_{K}) P_{m}(\phi) P_{n}(q^{2})$$





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### Angular analysis results

- LHCb has performed the first full angular analysis of the decay through a maximum likelihood fit to the data
   Measurement of the full set of CP-averaged and CP-asymmetric angular terms and their correlations
  - $\rightarrow$  Also determine the "less form-factor dependent" observables  $P_i^{(')}$



- Also measure all observables using a principal moment analysis of the angular distribution
  - $\triangleright$  Robust estimator even for small datasets  $\rightarrow$  finer  $q^2$  binning
  - > Statistically less precise than result of maximum likelihood fit

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Zero crossing points



[JHEP02(2016)104]

▶ Determine zero crossing points of  $S_4$ ,  $S_5$  and  $A_{FB}$  by parametrising the angular distribution in terms of  $q^2$  dependent decay amplitudes

• Choose a  $q^2$  ansatz to model the six complex amplitudes:  $A_{0,1,\parallel}^{L,R} = \alpha_i + \beta_i q^2 + \gamma_i/q^2$  Egede, Patel, KP [JHEP06(2015)084]

The zero crossing points measured are:

$$\begin{aligned} q_0^2(S_5) &\in [2.49, 3.95] \text{GeV}^2/c^4 \text{ at } 68\% \text{ C.L.} \ q_0^2(A_{ ext{FB}}) &\in [3.40, 4.87] \text{GeV}^2/c^4 \text{ at } 68\% \text{ C.L.} \ q_0^2(S_4) &< 2.65 \text{GeV}^2/c^4 \text{ at } 95\% \text{ C.L.} \end{aligned}$$





#### Can we form a consistent picture?

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#### Interpretations

▶ Several attempts to interpret all our  $b o s \ell^+ \ell^- o$  Two views



Altmannshofer, Straub [1503.06199]

• Modified vector coupling  $C_9^{NP} \neq 0$ at  $\sim 4.5\sigma$ 

 $\rightarrow$  New vector Z', leptoquarks, vector-like confinement... Buttazzo et al [1604.03940], Bauer et al [PRL116,141802(2016)], Crivellin et al [PRL114,151801(2015)], Altmannshofer et al [PRD89(2014)095033]...



 Potential problem with our understanding of the contribution from cc̄ producing dimuon pair Lyon,Zwicky [1406.0566],

Altmannshofer, Straub [1503.06199], Ciuchini et al [1512.07157]... (more details by Enrico and Jorge)

 $\rightarrow$  Mimics vector-like new physics effects

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# Hint of new physics?

▶ Global fits to the data, e.g. Matias et al. [1510.04239] including  $b \to K^* \gamma$ ,  $b \to s\gamma$ ,  $B \to \mu^+ \mu^-$ 



angular observables, branching fractions, combination

- $\blacktriangleright$  3 $\sigma$  contours shown. Tension at the level of  $\sim 4.5\sigma$  to the SM. Good description of the data. other theory groups see consistent tensions
- Concrete model: Z' with mass:
   35 TeV for O(1) couplings (tree)
   7 TeV for CKM-like couplings (tree)
   Straub et al [1308.1501]
- ▶ Including  $b \rightarrow see$  data and assuming SM like electron couplings: Tension with SM at  $5\sigma$  level! yes yes ok... i know you dont believe this... certainly interesting!



# New physics concrete model (example)

Single massive vector particle Z' Crivellin et al [PRL114,151801(2015)]

Explain all b → sℓℓ anomalies (including non-universality) and CMS's h → μτ excess (yeah ok...)

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#### Explaining $h \to \mu^{\pm} \tau^{\mp}$ , $B \to K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ and $B \to K \mu^+ \mu^- / B \to K e^+ e^$ in a two-Higgs-doublet model with gauged $L_{\mu} - L_{\tau}$

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The LHC observed so far three deviations from the Standard Model (SM) predictions in flavour observables: LHCb reported anomalies in  $B \to K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$  and  $R(K) = B \to K \mu^+ \mu^- / B \to K e^+ e^-$ , while CMS found an excess in  $h \to \mu \tau$ . We show, for the first time, how these deviations from the SM can be explained within a single well-motivated model: a two-Higgs-doublet model with gauged  $L_{\mu} - L_{\tau}$  symmetry. We find that, despite the constraints from  $\tau \to \mu \mu \mu$  and  $B_s - \overline{B}_s$  mixing, one can explain  $h \to \mu \tau$ ,  $B \to K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$  and R(K) simultaneously, obtaining interesting correlations among the observables.

# One more thing: $\bar{B}^0 \to D^{*+} \tau \bar{\nu}$ vs $\bar{B}^0 \to D^{*+} \mu \bar{\nu}$





Combination of BaBar, Belle and LHCb: ~ 4σ from SM
 Dominant systematic uncertainty: MC template statistics

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## New physics concrete model (another example)

Leptoquark model Bauer et al [1511.01900]

 Non-universality tensions including muon (g-2) simultaneously explained through introduction of leptoquark sector

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#### One Leptoquark to Rule Them All: A Minimal Explanation for $R_{D^{(*)}}$ , $R_K$ and $(g-2)_{\mu}$

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We show that by adding a single new scalar particle to the Standard Model, a TeV-scale leptoquark with the quantum numbers of a right-handed down quark, one can explain in a natural way three of the most striking anomalies of particle physics: the violation of lepton universality in  $\bar{B} \to \bar{K} \ell^+ \ell^-$  decays, the enhanced  $\bar{B} \to D^{(*)} \tau \bar{\nu}$  decay rates, and the anomalous magnetic moment of the muon. Constraints from other precision measurements in the flavor sector can be satisfied without fine-tuning. Our model predicts enhanced  $\bar{B} \to \bar{K}^{(*)} \nu \bar{\nu}$  decay rates and a new-physics contribution to  $B_s - B_s$  mixing close to the current central fit value.



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QCD effect

 $b \rightarrow s \ell \ell \ \mathsf{LHCb}$ 

- Dependence of observables on vector couplings always enters through  $C_0^{eff} = C_9 + Y(q^2)$ 
  - $ightarrow Y(q^2)$  summarises contributions from  $bsar{c}c$  operators
  - $\to$  Interference between  $B\to K^{(*)}\mu^+\mu^-$  and the tail of  $B\to J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-)K^{(*)}$



At low q<sup>2</sup> main culprit is the J/ψ
 → Corrections to C<sub>9</sub><sup>eff</sup> (ΔC<sub>9</sub>) all the way down to q<sup>2</sup> = 0

 $\rightarrow$  Effect strongly dependent on relative phase with penguin





# QCD effect cont'd

- ► If C<sub>9</sub> is related to a problem in our understanding of QCD then it should exhibit a q<sup>2</sup> dependence.
- It should be largest closest to the  $J/\psi$ .
- More data will help resolve apparent q<sup>2</sup> dependence of C<sub>9</sub>
- Note: Even if it is not new physics, it would be something new in QCD to understand!
- We plan dedicated measurements to dissentangle we are working on it ok?...



### Measuring phase differences

► Measure relative phase between narrow resonances and penguin amplitudes → Model resonances as relativistic BWs multiplied by relative scale and phase Lyon et al. [1406.0566], Hiller et al. [1606.00775]

ightarrow Use this model to replace  $Y(q^2)$  in  $C_9^{e\!f\!f}=Y(q^2)+C_9$ 

- $\rightarrow$  *B*  $\rightarrow$  *K* form factors constrained to LCSR+Lattice predictions
- $\rightarrow$  Fit for phases and  $\mathit{C}_9$  and  $\mathit{C}_{10}$



- Fit dimuon spectrum in  $B^+ \to K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ 
  - $\rightarrow$  Expect precision of phase  $\sim 0.1$  rad (ambiguities over sign of phase)[Owen Barcelona workshop 2016]
- In final stages of review





#### Conclusions

- ► Intriguing set of measurements of electroweak penguin decays at LHCb
- $\blacktriangleright$  Combination of measurements results in tensions with the SM at level  $\sim 4.5\sigma$ 
  - $\triangleright$  Can be explained through extensions to the SM
  - $\,\vartriangleright\,$  Can be attributed to large unexpected experimental or theory effects
  - More tests underway
- $\blacktriangleright$  Run2 quadrupules our dataset  $\rightarrow$  major benefit as all measurements statistically limited and theory precision is better than experimental
- ▶ Larger yields means we can start comparing  $b \rightarrow s\ell\ell$  with  $b \rightarrow d\ell\ell$  at test Minimal Flavour Violation hypothesis of potential new physics
- As LHC pushes energy scale of new physics  $\gg\!\!1\text{TeV}$ , Minimal Flavour Violation constraints get lifted  $\rightarrow$  Increase chances to see NP in flavour



 $b \rightarrow s \ell \ell \, \, LHCb$ 

#### Backup

# Upgrade Trigger



# The problem: saturation of L0 Hadronic trigger rate on hadronic decays at $>4\times10^{32} cm^{-2} s^{-1}$



# LHCb upgrade



Type	Observable	Current	LHCb	Upgrade	Theory
		precision	2018	$(50{ m fb}^{-1})$	uncertainty
$B_s^0$ mixing	$2\beta_s \ (B^0_s \to J/\psi \ \phi)$	0.10 [9]	0.025	0.008	$\sim 0.003$
	$2\beta_s \ (B_s^0 \to J/\psi \ f_0(980))$	0.17 [10]	0.045	0.014	$\sim 0.01$
	$A_{ m fs}(B^0_s)$	$6.4 \times 10^{-3}$ [18]	$0.6  imes 10^{-3}$	$0.2  imes 10^{-3}$	$0.03  imes 10^{-3}$
Gluonic	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \to \phi\phi)$	-	0.17	0.03	0.02
penguin	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B^0_s  o K^{*0} \bar{K}^{*0})$	_	0.13	0.02	< 0.02
	$2\beta^{ m eff}(B^0  o \phi K^0_S)$	0.17 [18]	0.30	0.05	0.02
Right-handed	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \to \phi \gamma)$	-	0.09	0.02	< 0.01
currents	$ au^{\mathrm{eff}}(B^0_s  o \phi \gamma)/ au_{B^0}$	_	5 %	1 %	0.2%
Electroweak	$S_3(B^0 \to K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-; 1 < q^2 < 6 \text{GeV}^2/c^4)$	0.08 [14]	0.025	0.008	0.02
penguin	$s_0A_{ m FB}(B^0 o K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-)$	25%[14]	6%	2%	7%
	$A_{ m I}(K\mu^+\mu^-;1< q^2 < 6{ m GeV}^2/c^4)$	0.25 [15]	0.08	0.025	$\sim 0.02$
	$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) / \mathcal{B}(B^+ \to K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)$	25% [16]	8 %	2.5%	$\sim 10 \%$
Higgs	$\mathcal{B}(B^{\scriptscriptstyle U}_s  o \mu^+\mu^-)$	$1.5 \times 10^{-9}$ [2]	$0.5 \times 10^{-9}$	$0.15 \times 10^{-9}$	$0.3 \times 10^{-9}$
penguin	$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \to \mu^+ \mu^-) / \mathcal{B}(B^0_s \to \mu^+ \mu^-)$	-	$\sim 100 \%$	$\sim 35\%$	$\sim 5 \%$
Unitarity	$\gamma \ (B  o D^{(*)} K^{(*)})$	$\sim 10$ –12° [19, 20]	4°	0.9°	negligible
triangle	$\gamma \ (\overline{B}^0_s \to \overline{D}_s \overline{K})$	-	11°	$2.0^{\circ}$	negligible
angles	$eta \; (B^0  o J/\psi  K^0_S)$	$0.8^{\circ}$ [18]	$0.6^{\circ}$	$0.2^{\circ}$	negligible
Charm	$A_{\Gamma}$	$2.3 \times 10^{-3}$ [18]	$0.40 \times 10^{-3}$	$0.07  imes 10^{-3}$	-
CP violation	$\Delta A_{CP}$	$2.1 \times 10^{-3} [5]$	$0.65  imes 10^{-3}$	$0.12  imes 10^{-3}$	_

# The LHCb upgrade



- If cracks in the SM persist in Run 2, the LHCb upgrade will allow for precision measurements of the flavour structure of New Physics
- ► Otherwise, LHCb upgrade will probe NP at multi-TeV energy scale
- General purpose forward experiment: Complementary non-flavour programme to ATLAS and CMS

Run 1 (2010-2012)	2012-2015	Run 2 (2015-2018)	2018-2021	Run 3 (2021-2023)	2023-2025	Run 4 (2025-2028)	2028-2030	Run 5 (2030+)
3fb <sup>-1</sup>	Shutdown	~5fb <sup>-1</sup>	Shutdown	~23fb <sup>-1</sup>	Shutdown	~46fb <sup>-1</sup>	Shutdown	~100fb <sup>-1</sup>
	LHCb		LHCb upgrade			LHCb upgrade++		
2017-2024 Belle-II (50ab <sup>-1</sup> )								

The problem:

- Current conditions: up to  $L_{inst} = 4 \times 10^{32} cm^{-2} s^{-1}$ ,  $\mu \sim 1.7$
- ▶ 2020 conditions:  $L_{inst} = 2 \times 10^{33} cm^{-2} s^{-1}$ ,  $\mu \sim 5$

Higher luminosities:

More interactions per crossing, more vertices, higher track multiplicities, more ghost tracks...



# The LHCb upgrade cont'd

The solution:

► More flexible trigger, reading out full detector at 40 MHz and HLT output between 20 and 100 kHz

#### LHCb UK

- $\rightarrow$  VELO upgrade:
  - $\,\triangleright\,$  Silicon microstrips  $\rightarrow$  Pixel sensors
  - ▷ 40MHz readout
  - $\triangleright$  Closer to the beam (8mm $\rightarrow$ 5mm)
  - Microchannel cooling and RF foil
- $\rightarrow$  RICH upgrade:
  - $\triangleright$  Replace HPDs with MaPMTs in RICH1,2
  - ▷ 40MHz readout
  - ▷ Upgrade photodetector assembly in RICH1,2
  - Complete redesign of RICH1 mechanical structure to reoptimise optics and easier access
- $\rightarrow$  Major upgrades to tracking as well

[LHCb-TDR-013], [LHCb-TDR-014], [LHCb-TDR-015],[LHCb-TDR-016]



#### Phase 1 upgrade of LHCb firmly established

 $\rightarrow$  Momentum building for developing a detector for Run4,5...

 $\rightarrow$  Theatre of Dreams Beyond the LHCb Phase 1 upgrade: 6-7 April Manchester [link]

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