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Beautiful and charming physics on the lattice

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The Standard Model of Elementary Particle Physics

	generations			gauge forces	Higgs boson
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	u	c	t		
	d	s	b	γ	
leptons				Z^0	W^\pm
	ν_e	ν_μ	ν_τ		
	e	μ	τ		

- ▶ Gravitation, dark matter, or dark energy not included
- ▶ Is the Higgs boson a fundamental scalar?

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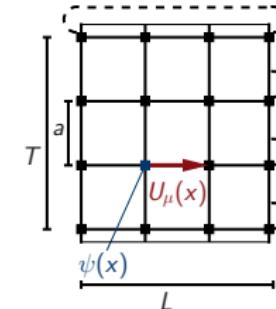
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- ▶ QED and iso-spin breaking likely included in future calculations to achieve precision $\lesssim 1\%$

Lattice simulations

- ▶ Discretize Euclidean space-time and set up a hypercube of finite extent $L^3 \times T$ and spacing a
- ▶ Study physics in a finite box of volume $(aL)^3$
 - The pion should not be squeezed $\Rightarrow M_\pi L \gtrsim 4$
- ▶ $1/a$ is the cutoff
 - Traditionally quark-mass $am \ll 1$
 - Improved actions quark-mass $am < 1$
- ▶ Today's lattices have an inverse lattice spacing of $a^{-1} \approx 1.7 \dots 3 \dots 4$ GeV
 - Light quark masses: $m_u = 2.3$ MeV, $m_d = 4.8$ MeV, $m_s = 95$ MeV
 - Mass of the charm quark: $m_c = 1.29$ GeV
 - Mass of the bottom quark: $m_b = 4.18$ GeV



Simulating charm and bottom (schematic)

$$a^{-1} > 1.5 \text{ GeV}$$

charm: RHQ; extrapolations of fully relativistic actions (?)

bottom: HQET, NRQCD, RHQ

$$a^{-1} > 2.2 \text{ GeV}$$

charm: fully relativistic action

bottom: (guided) extrapolation of fully relativistic action

$$a^{-1} > 4.6 \text{ GeV}$$

bottom: fully relativistic action

HQET: static limit, relatively noisy

NRQCD: non-relativistic QCD, no continuum limit

RHQ or Fermilab: **relativistic heavy quark action**, complicated discretization errors

fully relativistic: (heavy) HISQ, (heavy) MDWF, ...

Analyzing lattice simulations

- ▶ Compute expectation values of gauge invariant observables by

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} \int \mathcal{D}U e^{-S(U)} \mathcal{O}(U), \quad \mathcal{Z} = \int \mathcal{D}U e^{-S(U)}$$

- ▶ Only statistical estimation possible: $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \mathcal{O}(U_i)$
- ▶ Generate a sufficiently long sequence of configurations with probability distribution

$$P \propto \exp\{-S(U)\}$$

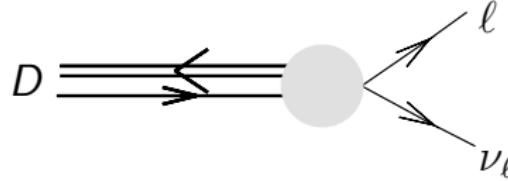
- ▶ Typically done by a Markov chain using the HMC algorithm

- ▶ Not focusing at averages of lattice calculations
 - Overall lattice results are fairly consistent
 - Some groups tend to report more aggressive, some more conservative errors

- ▶ For overview and averages see Flavor Lattice Averaging Group [FLAG 2016][website], see also [Rosner, Stone, Van de Water, arXiv:1509.02220]
 - Please do cite the original publications
 - or no new calculations may happen

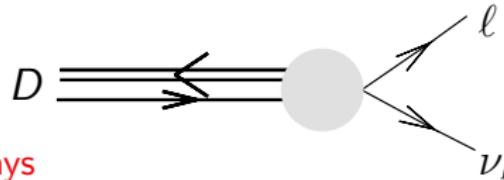
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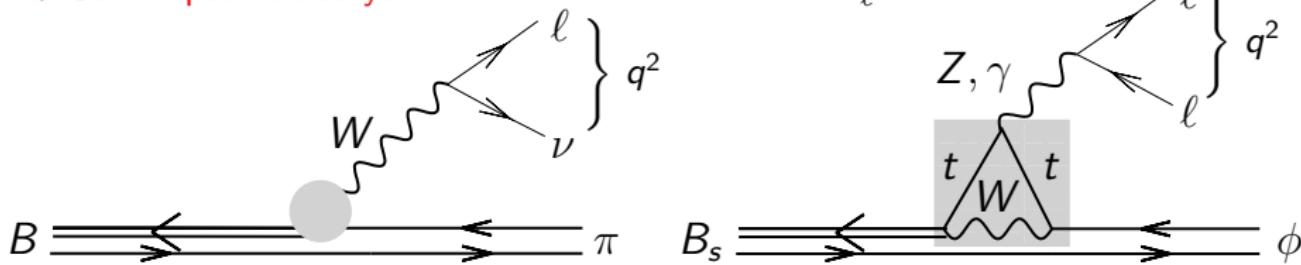


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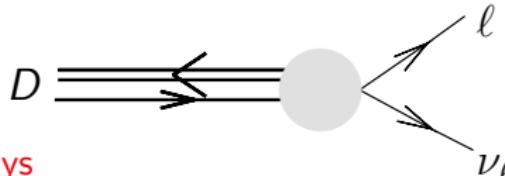


► Semi-leptonic decays

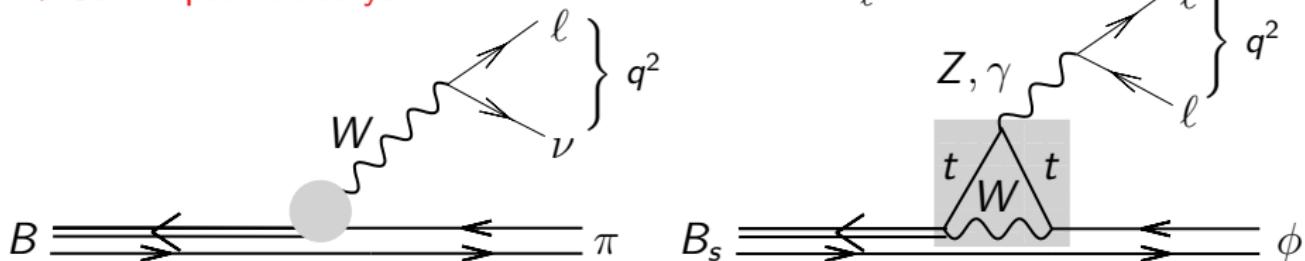


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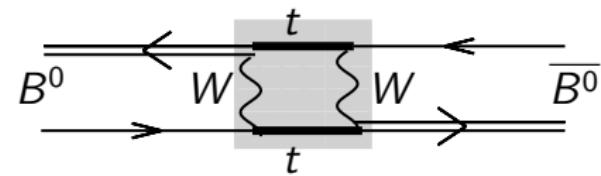
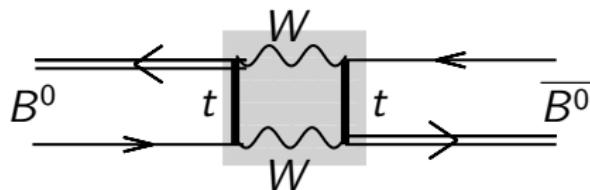
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► (Short distance) neutral meson mixing



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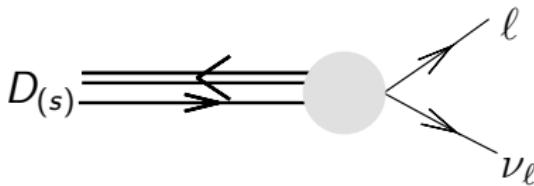
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Decay constants



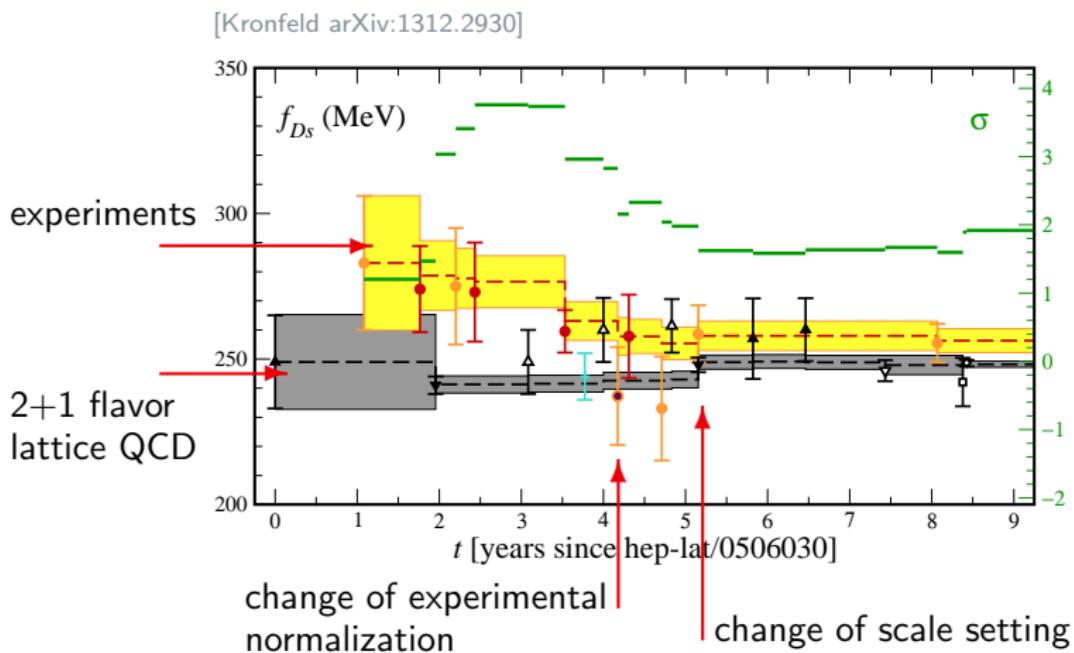
- ▶ Allow to extract CKM matrix elements
when combined with experimental measurements

$$\mathcal{B}(D_{(s)} \rightarrow \ell \nu_\ell) = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cq}|^2 \tau_{D_{(s)}}}{8\pi} f_{D_{(s)}}^2 m_\ell^2 M_{D_{(s)}} \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{M_{D_{(s)}}^2}\right)^2$$

- ▶ Simple lattice 2-point function of the axial vector current

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{A}_{cq}^\mu | D_q(p) \rangle = i f_{D_q} p_{D_q}^\mu \quad \text{with} \quad \mathcal{A}_{cq}^\mu = \bar{c} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q \quad \text{and} \quad q = d, s$$

History of the f_{D_s} puzzle



- ▶ 2σ difference between lattice QCD and experiment + unitarity
[Rosner, Stone, Van de Water, arXiv:1509.02220]

New Physics in rare B -decays?

$B \rightarrow \tau \nu$ [UTfit PLB 687 (2010) 61]

- ▶ f_B is needed for the Standard-Model prediction of $BR(B \rightarrow \tau \nu)$
- ▶ Potentially sensitive to charged-Higgs exchange due to large τ mass

$B_s \rightarrow \mu_+ \mu_-$ [Buras et al. EPJ C72 (2012) 2172], [Buras et al. JHEP07 (2013) 077]

- ▶ f_{B_s} is needed for Standard-Model prediction of $BR(B_s \rightarrow \mu_+ \mu_-)$
- ▶ Strong sensitivity to NP because FCNC processes are suppressed by the Glashow-Iliopoulos-Maiani (GIM)-mechanism in the SM
- ▶ Measured by CMS and LHCb: combined analysis of 7 and 8 TeV runs yields $> 6\sigma$ significance — in agreement with SM [CMS and LHCb arXiv:1411.4413]

Heavy Möbius domain-wall fermions

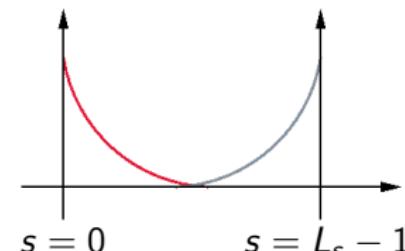
► Domain-wall fermions

[Kaplan PLB 288 (1992) 342], [Shamir NPB 406 (1993) 90]

→ 5 dimensional formulation

→ Perfect chirality for $L_s \rightarrow \infty$

→ Residual chiral symmetry breaking: m_{res}



► Möbius domain-wall fermions [Brower, Neff Orginos, arXiv:1206.5214]

→ Smaller m_{res} for same L_s

► Möbius DWF optimized for heavy quarks [Boyle et al. JHEP 1604 (2016) 037]

→ Discretization errors well under control for $am_c \leq 0.4$

→ On coarse ($a^{-1} = 1.785$ GeV) ensembles we simulate just below m_c^{phys}

→ Simulate 3–4 charm-like masses and then extrapolate/interpolate

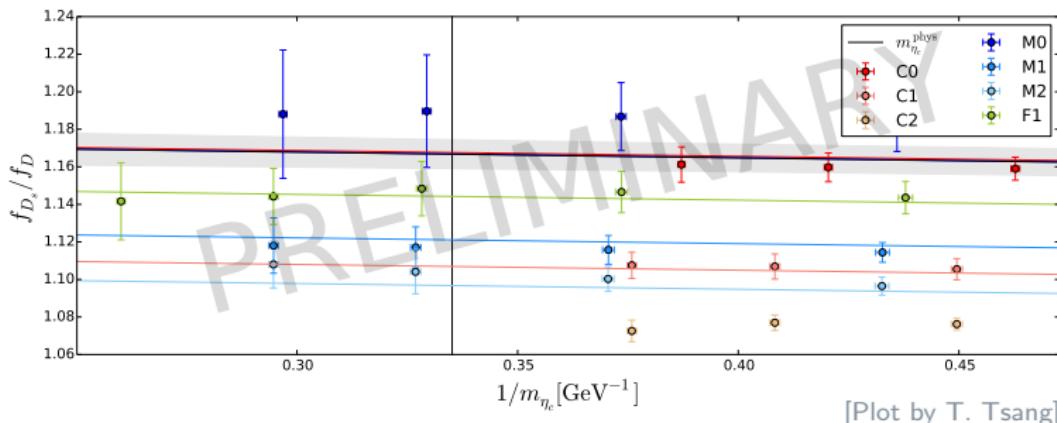
► Smeared Möbius domain-wall fermions [Hashimoto et al.]

→ Allows to reach larger am_c values

D-meson decay constants

 [Boyle et al., PoS LATTICE2015 336]

- ▶ Renormalization factors not finalized \Rightarrow ratios
 - Nonperturbative renormalization [Boyle, Del Debbio, Khamseh, arXiv:1608.07982]
- ▶ Linear extrapolation/interpolation in m_{η_c}
- ▶ Two ensembles with physical pions
- ▶ Preliminary value: $f_{D_s}/f_D = 1.167(8)$ (statistical error only)
FLAG 2016: $f_{D_s}/f_D = 1.187(12)^{2+1}$ and $1.1716(32)^{2+1+1}$

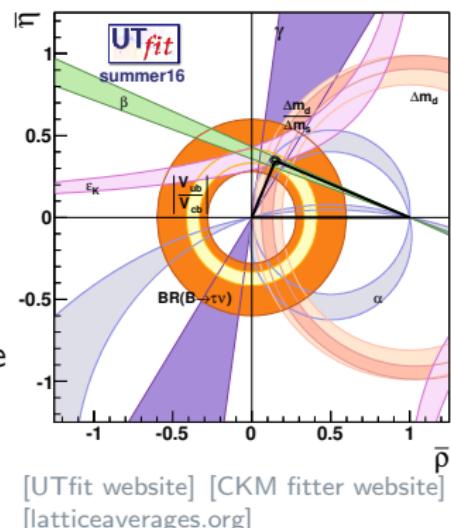


Renormalization

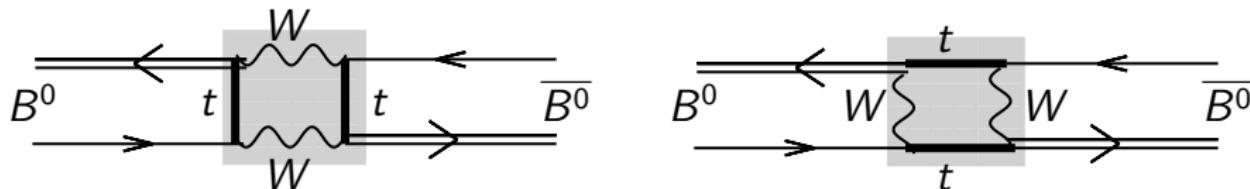
- ▶ Lattice measurements result in bare quantities
- ▶ Renormalization needed to match to physical quantities
- ▶ Lattice perturbation theory is challenging
 - Typically only 1-loop calculations \Rightarrow large uncertainties
- ▶ Nonperturbative renormalization established for light-light quantities (massless scheme)
 - Heavy-light: mostly nonperturbative renormalization
$$Z_V^{hl} = \varrho^{hl} \sqrt{Z_V^{hh} \cdot Z_V^{ll}} \quad [\text{El-Khadra et al. PRD 64 (2001) 014502}]$$
- ▶ Massive momentum-subtraction scheme [Boyle, Del Debbio, Khamseh, arXiv:1608.07982]
 - Based on preserving renormalized Ward identities
 - Renormalization condition defined at \bar{m} (reduces to SMOM for $\bar{m} \rightarrow 0$)
 - Properties verified in 1-loop perturbation theory with dim. regularization
 - Extended to the heavy-light quantities ($m_R \rightarrow 0$, $M_R \rightarrow \bar{m}$)

Neutral meson mixing

- ▶ $D^0 - \overline{D^0}$ mixing has long and short contributions
- ▶ $B^0 - \overline{B^0}$ mixing constraints the apex of the CKM unitarity triangle
 - Short distance dominated
- ▶ Experimental results and nonperturbative inputs are needed
 - Lattice computes short distance, 4-quark operators



Example: $B^0 - \overline{B}{}^0$ mixing



- Dominant contribution in SM: box diagram with top quarks

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} |V_{td}^* V_{tb}| \text{ for } B_d\text{-mixing} \\ |V_{ts}^* V_{tb}| \text{ for } B_s\text{-mixing} \end{array} \right\} \Delta m_q = \frac{G_F^2 m_W^2}{6\pi^2} \eta_B S_0 m_{B_q} f_{B_q}^2 B_{B_q} |V_{tq}^* V_{tb}|^2$$

- Define the $SU(3)$ breaking ratio $\xi^2 = f_{B_s}^2 B_{B_s} / f_{B_d}^2 B_{B_d}$

- CKM matrix elements are extracted by

$$\frac{\Delta m_s}{\Delta m_d} = \frac{m_{B_s}}{m_{B_d}} \xi^2 \frac{|V_{ts}|^2}{|V_{td}|^2}$$

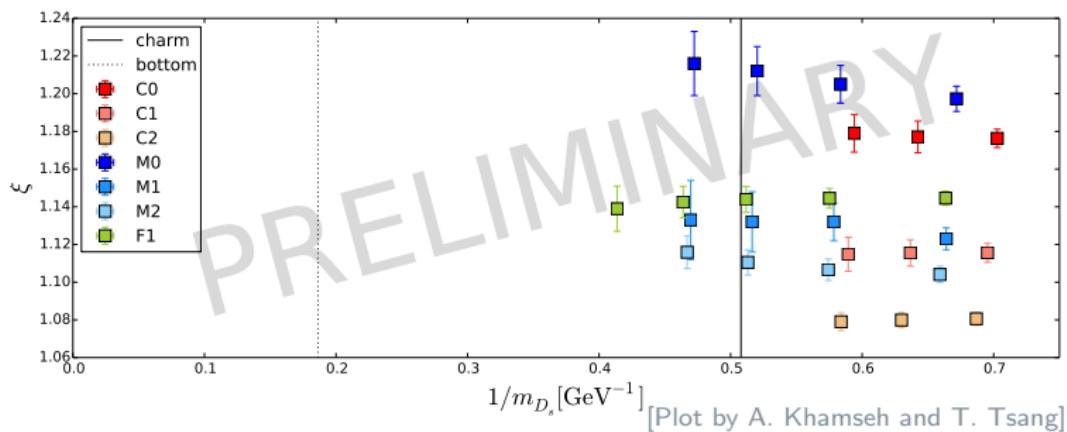
- Experimental uncertainty $< 1\%$; best lattice determination 1.6%

[Fermilab/MILC PRD93 (2016) 113016]

Neutral meson mixing: ξ

[Boyle et al., PoS LATTICE2015 336]

- ▶ Computation of the short distance operators only
- ▶ Linear extrapolation/interpolation in m_{D_s}
- ▶ Two ensembles with physical pions
- ▶ Combined analysis / continuum extrapolation in progress



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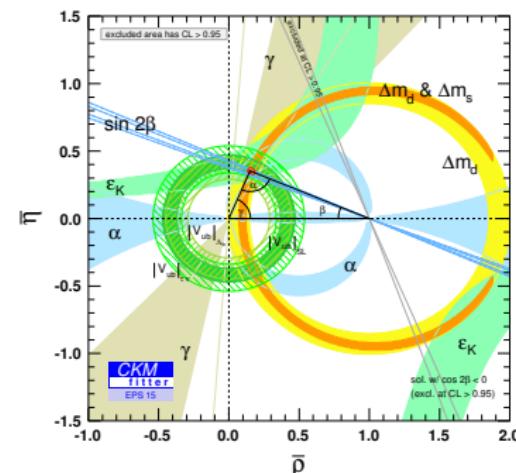
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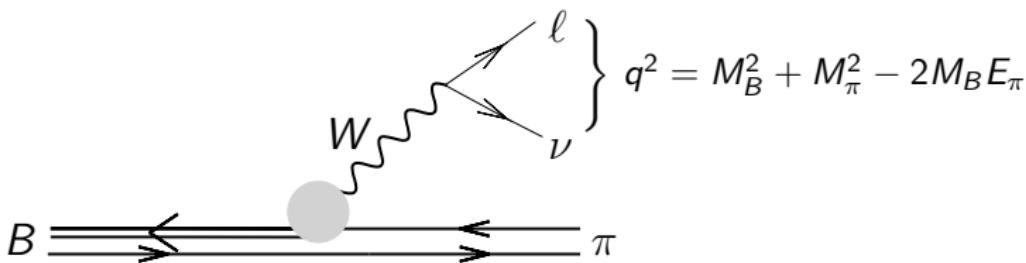
Semi-leptonic decays: $|V_{ub}|$

- ▶ $|V_{ub}|$ is another constrain of the apex of the CKM unitarity triangle
- ▶ Longstanding $2 - 3\sigma$ discrepancy between exclusive ($B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$) and inclusive ($B \rightarrow X_u \ell \nu$) measurements
- ▶ Alternative, exclusive ($\Lambda_b \rightarrow p \ell \nu$) determination
[Detmold, Lehner, Meinel, PRD92 (2015) 034503]
- ▶ $B \rightarrow \tau \ell \nu$ has larger error



[<http://ckmfitter.in2p3.fr>]

Example: V_{ub} from exclusive semileptonic decay $B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$



- ▶ Conventionally parametrized by

$$\frac{d\Gamma(B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu)}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2}{192\pi^3 M_B^3} \left[(M_B^2 + M_\pi^2 - q^2)^2 - 4M_B^2 M_\pi^2 \right]^{3/2} \times |f_+(q^2)|^2 \times |V_{ub}|^2$$

experiment

known

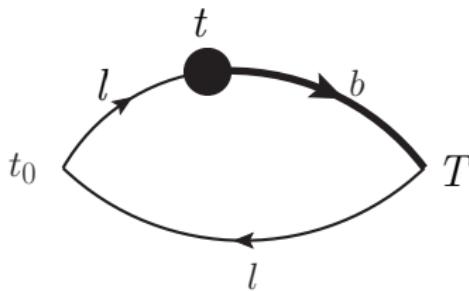
nonperturbative input

CKM

Relativistic Heavy Quark action for the b -quarks

- ▶ Relativistic Heavy Quark action developed by Christ, Li, and Lin
[Christ et al. PRD 76 (2007) 074505], [Lin and Christ PRD 76 (2007) 074506]
- ▶ Builds upon Fermilab approach [El-Khadra et al. PRD 55 (1997) 3933]
by tuning all parameters of the clover action non-perturbatively;
close relation to the Tsukuba formulation [S. Aoki et al. PTP 109 (2003) 383]
- ▶ Heavy quark mass is treated to all orders in $(m_b a)^n$
- ▶ Expand in powers of the spatial momentum through $O(\vec{p}a)$
 - ▶ Resulting errors will be of $O(\vec{p}^2 a^2)$
 - ▶ Allows computation of heavy-light quantities with discretization errors
of the same size as in light-light quantities
- ▶ Applies for all values of the quark mass
- ▶ Has a smooth continuum limit

$B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$ form factors [PRD 91 (2015) 074510]



- ▶ Parametrize the hadronic matrix element for the flavor changing vector current V^μ in terms of the form factors $f_+(q^2)$ and $f_0(q^2)$

$$\langle \pi | V^\mu | B \rangle = f_+(q^2) \left(p_B^\mu + p_\pi^\mu - \frac{M_B^2 - M_\pi^2}{q^2} q^\mu \right) + f_0(q^2) \frac{M_B^2 - M_\pi^2}{q^2} q^\mu$$

- ▶ Re-use **point-source light quark** propagators and generate **Gaussian smeared-source** sequential heavy quark propagators
- ▶ Improve vector current at 1-loop ($O(\alpha_S a)$, perturbatively computed coefficient)

Relating form factors f_+ and f_0 to f_{\parallel} and f_{\perp}

- On the lattice we prefer using the B -meson rest frame and compute

$$f_{\parallel}(E_{\pi}) = \langle \pi | V^0 | B \rangle / \sqrt{2M_B} \quad \text{and} \quad f_{\perp}(E_{\pi}) p_{\pi}^i = \langle \pi | V^i | B \rangle / \sqrt{2M_B}$$

- Both are related by

$$f_0(q^2) = \frac{\sqrt{2M_B}}{M_B^2 - M_{\pi}^2} [(M_B - E_{\pi}) f_{\parallel}(E_{\pi}) + (E_{\pi}^2 - M_{\pi}^2) f_{\perp}(E_{\pi})]$$

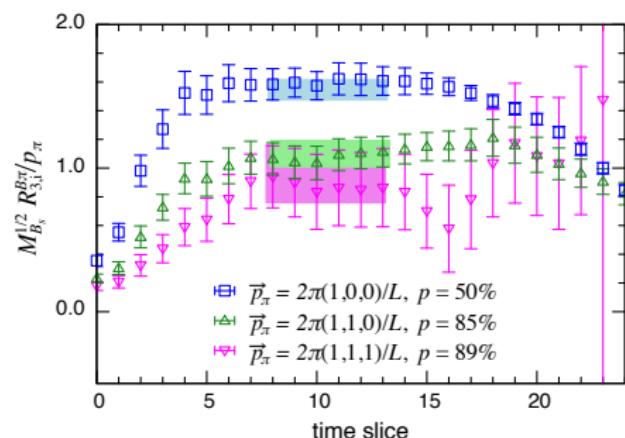
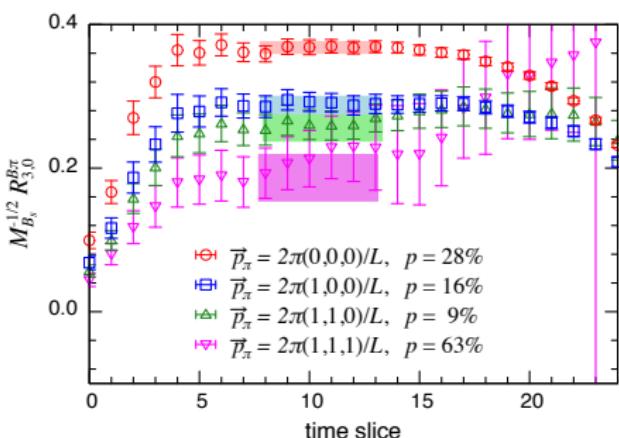
$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2M_B}} [f_{\parallel}(E_{\pi}) + (M_B - E_{\pi}) f_{\perp}(E_{\pi})]$$

Lattice results for form factors f_{\parallel} and f_{\perp} [PRD 91 (2015) 074510]

$$f_{\parallel} = \lim_{t, T \rightarrow \infty} R_0^{B \rightarrow \pi}(t, T)$$

$$f_{\perp} = \lim_{t, T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{p_{\pi}'} R_i^{B \rightarrow \pi}(t, T)$$

$$R_{\mu}^{B \rightarrow \pi}(t, T) = \frac{C_{3,\mu}^{B \rightarrow \pi}(t, T)}{C_2^{\pi}(t) C_2^B(T-t)} \sqrt{\frac{2E_{\pi}}{e^{-E_{\pi}t} e^{-M_B(T-t)}}}$$



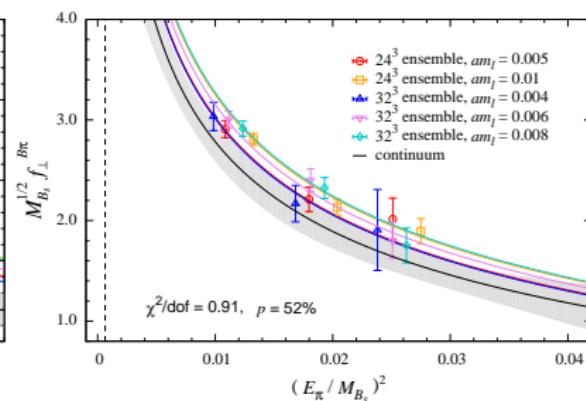
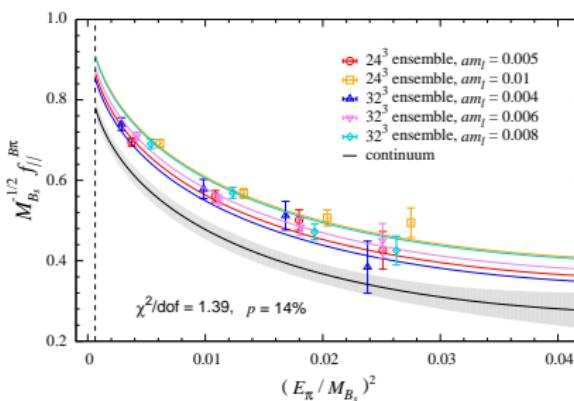
Chiral-continuum extrapolation using SU(2) hard-pion χ PT

$$f_{\parallel}(M_\pi, E_\pi, a^2) = c_{\parallel}^{(1)} \left[1 + \left(\frac{\delta f_{\parallel}}{(4\pi f)^2} + c_{\parallel}^{(2)} \frac{M_\pi^2}{\Lambda^2} + c_{\parallel}^{(3)} \frac{E_\pi}{\Lambda} + c_{\parallel}^{(4)} \frac{E_\pi^2}{\Lambda^2} + c_{\parallel}^{(5)} \frac{a^2}{\Lambda^2 a_{32}^4} \right) \right]$$

$$f_{\perp}(M_\pi, E_\pi, a^2) = \frac{1}{E_\pi + \Delta} c_{\perp}^{(1)} \left[1 + \left(\frac{\delta f_{\perp}}{(4\pi f)^2} + c_{\perp}^{(2)} \frac{M_\pi^2}{\Lambda^2} + c_{\perp}^{(3)} \frac{E_\pi}{\Lambda} + c_{\perp}^{(4)} \frac{E_\pi^2}{\Lambda^2} + c_{\perp}^{(5)} \frac{a^2}{\Lambda^2 a_{32}^4} \right) \right]$$

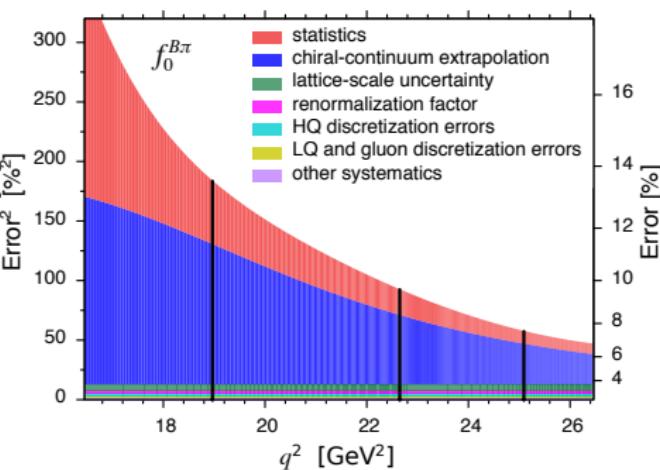
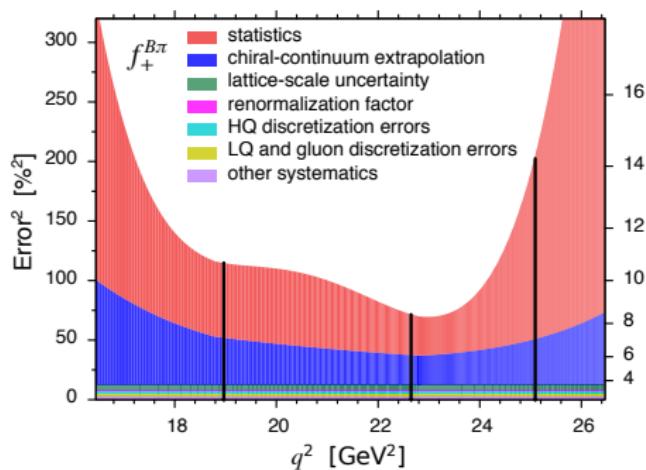
with δf non-analytic logs of the pion mass and hard-pion limit is taken by $\frac{M_\pi}{E_\pi} \rightarrow 0$

► Again we perform the analysis in terms of dimensionless ratios over M_{B_s}



Obtaining form factors f_+ and f_0 [PRD 91 (2015) 074510]

- ▶ Extract f_{\parallel} and f_{\perp} for three different q^2 values (synthetic data points)
- ▶ Estimate all systematic errors and them add in quadrature
- ▶ Convert results to f_+ and f_0



z-expansion [PRD 91 (2015) 074510]

- ▶ Use the model-independent z-expansion fit to extrapolate lattice results to the full kinematic range [Boyd, Grinstein, Lebed, PRL 74 (1995) 4603]
[Bourrely, Caprini, Lellouch, PRD 79 (2009) 013008]

$$z(q^2, t_0) = \frac{\sqrt{1-q^2/t_+} - \sqrt{1-t_0/t_+}}{\sqrt{1-q^2/t_+} + \sqrt{1-t_0/t_+}}$$

with $t_{\pm} = (M_B \pm M_{\pi})^2$ and $t_0 \equiv t_{\text{opt}} = (M_B + M_{\pi})(\sqrt{M_B} - \sqrt{M_{\pi}})^2$

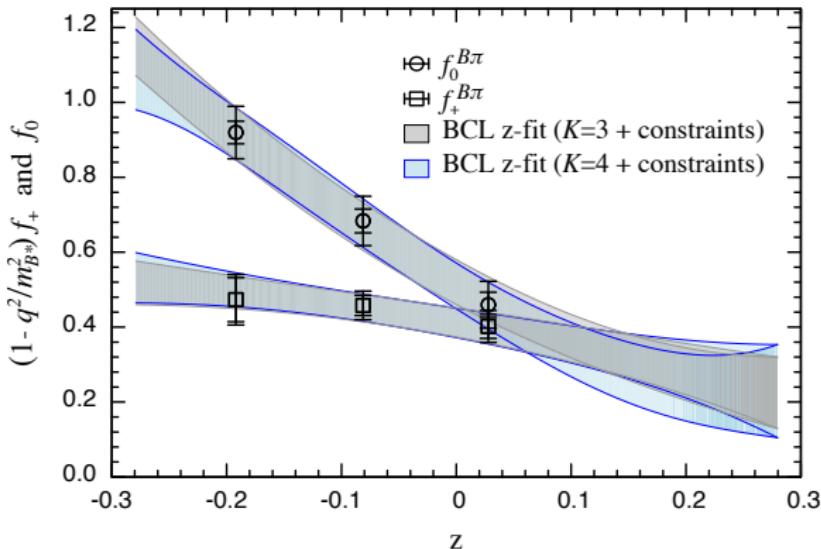
- ▶ Minimizes the magnitude of z in the semi-leptonic region: $|z| \leq 0.279$
- ▶ $f_0(q^2)$ is analytic in the semi-leptonic region except at the B^* pole
- ▶ $f_+(q^2)$ can be expressed as convergent power series

$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{1}{1-q^2/M_{B^*}^2} \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} b_+^{(k)} \left[z^k - (-1)^{k-K} \frac{k}{K} z^k \right]$$

and use for $f_0(q^2)$ the functional form $f_0(q^2) = \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} b_0^{(k)} z^k$

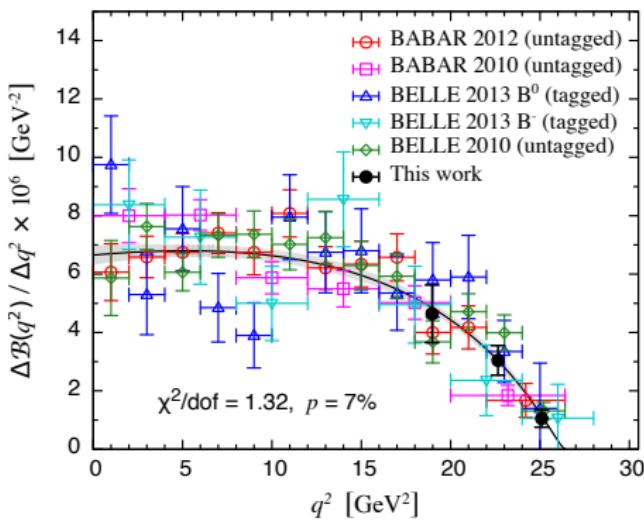
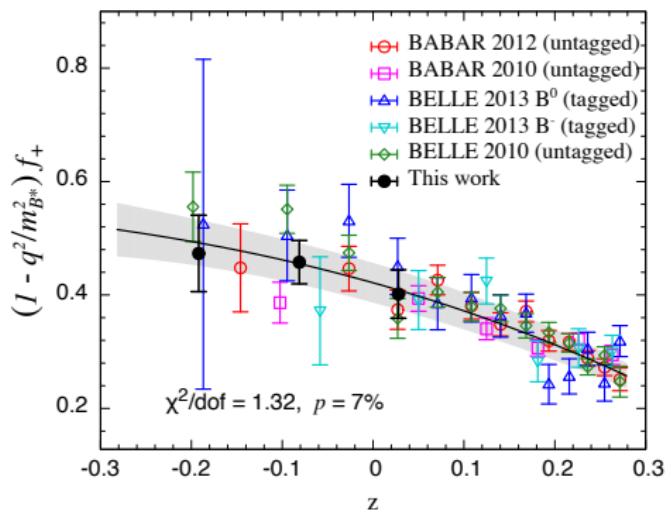
- ▶ Exploit the kinematic constraint $f_+(q^2 = 0) = f_0(q^2 = 0)$
and use HQ power counting to constrain the size of the f_+ coefficients

z-expansion fit [PRD 91 (2015) 074510]



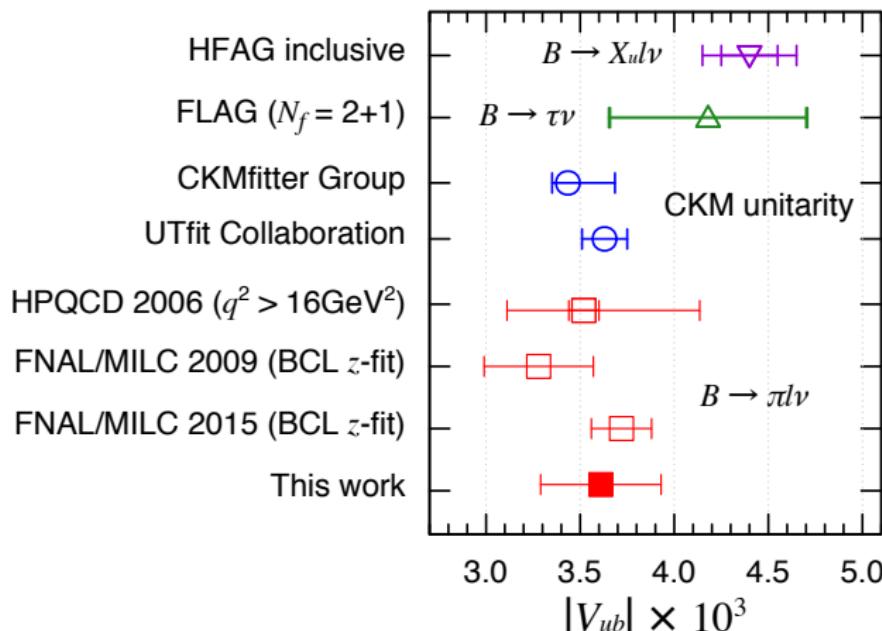
Combine with experimental data to determine $|V_{ub}|$

[PRD 91 (2015) 074510]



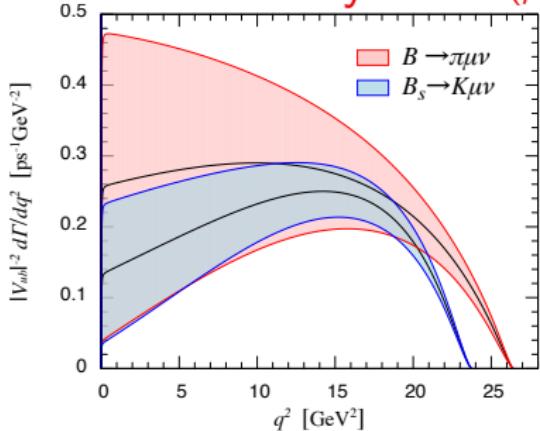
► Result: $|V_{ub}| = 3.61(32) \cdot 10^{-3}$

Comparison with other determinations

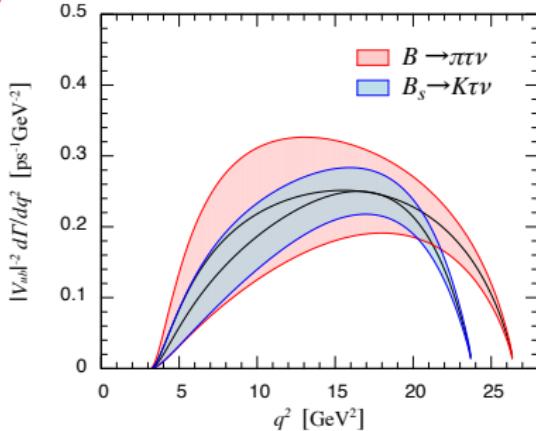


- ▶ In good agreement with existing and new FNAL/MILC result
- ▶ Result agrees with value obtained CKM unitarity
- ▶ Exhibits 2σ tension to inclusive results

Differential decay rates ($\mu = e, \mu$)



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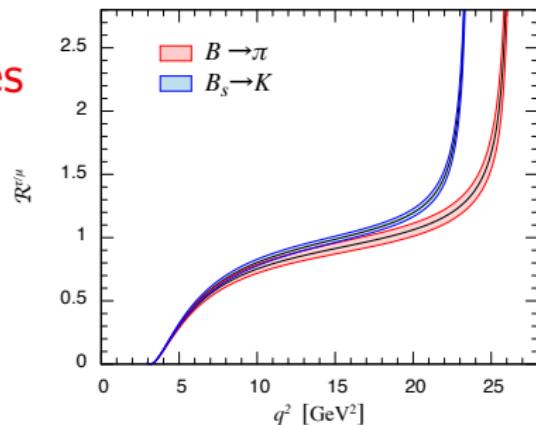


Ratio of differential decay rates

$$\mathcal{R}_\pi^{\tau/\mu} \equiv \frac{d\Gamma(B \rightarrow \pi \tau \nu_\tau)/d_q^2}{d\Gamma(B \rightarrow \pi \mu \nu_\mu)/d_q^2} = 0.60(19)$$

Similar computation for $B_s \rightarrow K \ell \nu$:

$$\mathcal{R}_K^{\tau/\mu} = 0.77(12)$$

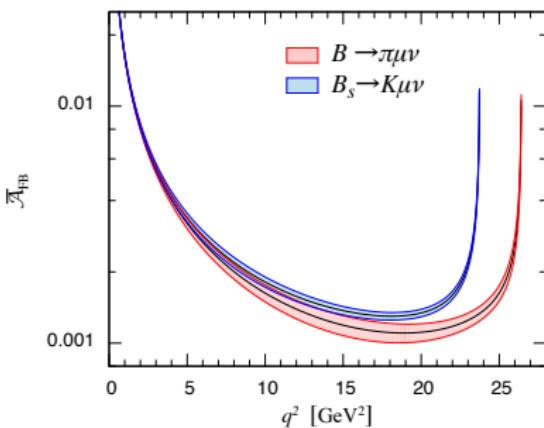


Normalized forward-backward asymmetry

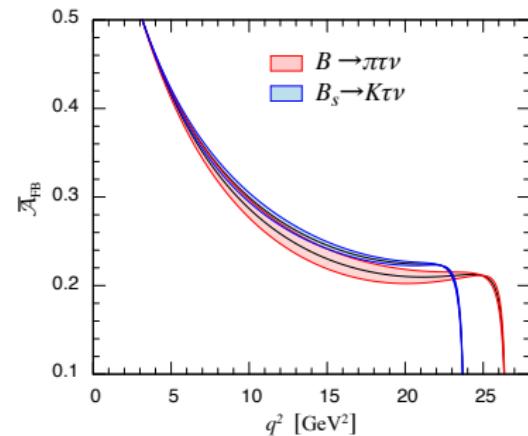
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$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\text{FB}}^{B_{(s)} \rightarrow P \ell \nu} \equiv \frac{\int_{m_\ell^2}^{q_{\max}^2} dq^2 \mathcal{A}_{\text{FB}}^{B_{(s)} \rightarrow P \ell \nu}(q^2)}{\int_{m_\ell^2}^{q_{\max}^2} dq^2 d\Gamma(B_{(s)} \rightarrow P \ell \nu)/dq^2}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{FB}}^{B_{(s)} \rightarrow P \ell \nu}(q^2) = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ub}|^2}{32\pi^3 M_{B_{(s)}}} \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{q^2}\right)^2 |\vec{p}_P|^2 \times \frac{m_\ell^2}{q^2} (M_{B_{(s)}}^2 - M_P^2) f_+(q^2) f_0(q^2)$$



$$\begin{aligned}\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\text{FB}}^{B \rightarrow \pi \mu \nu} &= 0.0044(13) \\ \bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\text{FB}}^{B_s \rightarrow K \mu \nu} &= 0.0039(11)\end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\text{FB}}^{B \rightarrow \pi \tau \nu} &= 0.252(12) \\ \bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\text{FB}}^{B_s \rightarrow K \tau \nu} &= 0.2650(79)\end{aligned}$$

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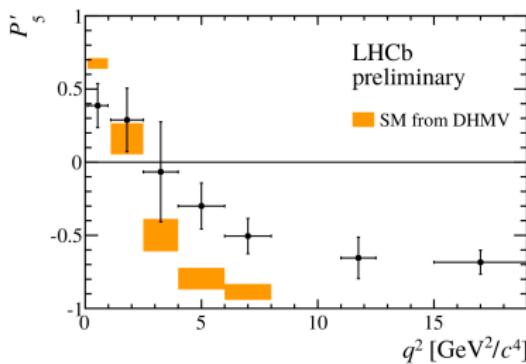
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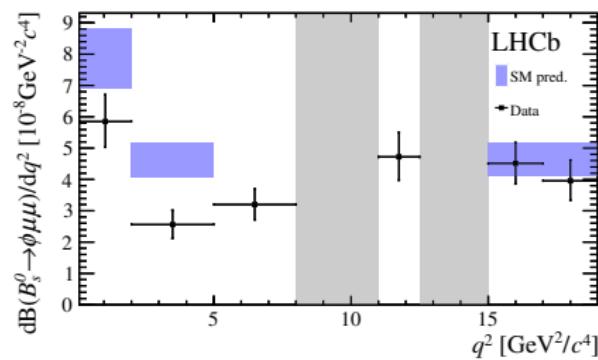
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Rare B decays (FCNC)

- GIM suppressed in the Standard Model \Rightarrow sensitive to new physics
- Angular observable P'_5 in $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ received a lot of attention



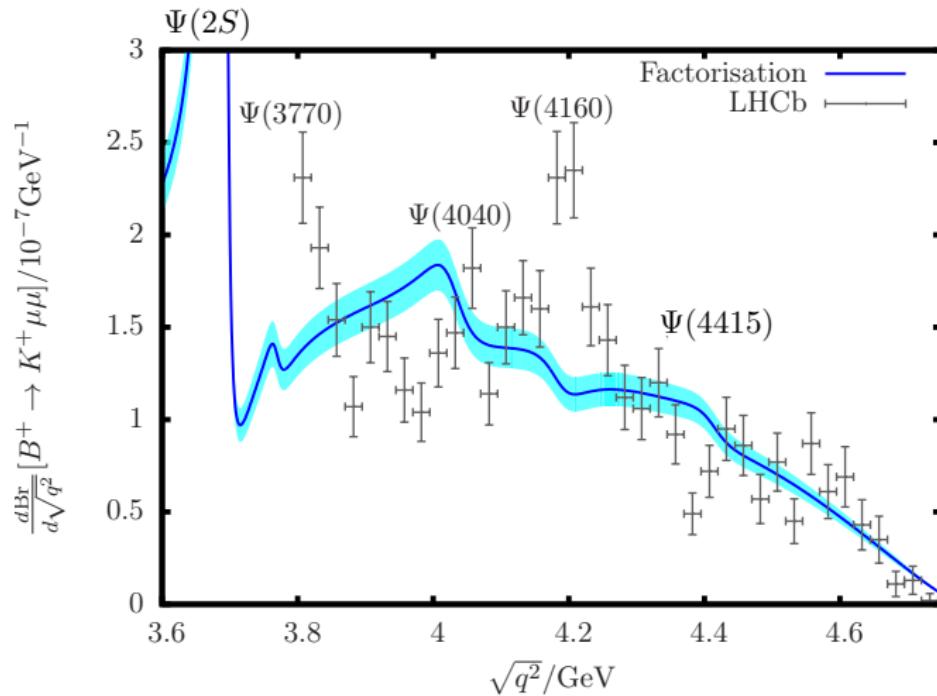
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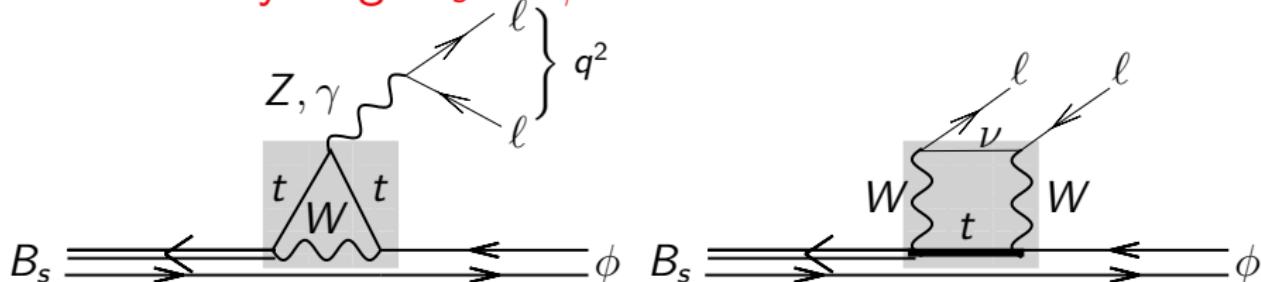
[LHCb JHEP 1509 (2015) 179]

- Lattice QCD: [Horgan et al. PRD 89 (2013) 094501]

► Charm resonances under control? [Lyon and Zwicky, arXiv:1406.0566]



Rare B decays e.g. $B_s \rightarrow \phi \ell^+ \ell^-$



- ▶ Pseudoscalar or vector final state (narrow width approximation)
- ▶ Effective Hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}}^{b \rightarrow s} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{ts}^* V_{tb} \sum_i^{20} C_i O_i$$

- ▶ Leading contributions at short distance

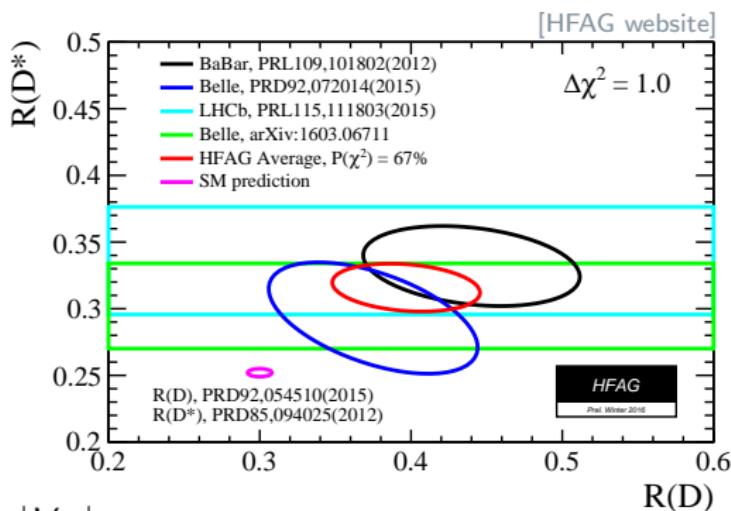
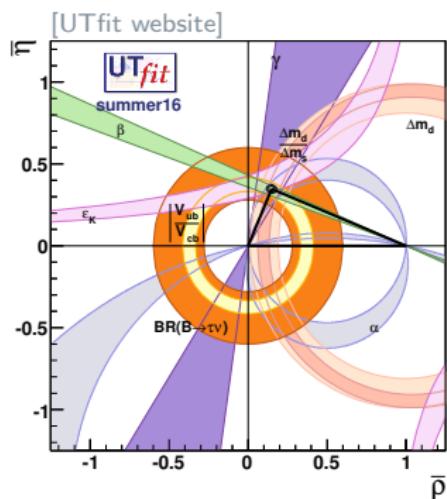
$$O_7^{(\prime)} = \frac{m_b e}{16\pi^2} \bar{s} \sigma^{\mu\nu} P_{R(L)} b F_{\mu\nu}$$

$$O_9^{(\prime)} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \bar{s} \gamma^\mu P_{L(R)} b \bar{\ell} \gamma_\mu \ell$$

$$O_{10}^{(\prime)} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \bar{s} \gamma^\mu P_{L(R)} b \bar{\ell} \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 \ell$$

⇒ 7 form factors, further details [E. Lizarazo, Lattice 2016]

$B \rightarrow D\ell\nu$ and $B \rightarrow D^*\ell\nu$



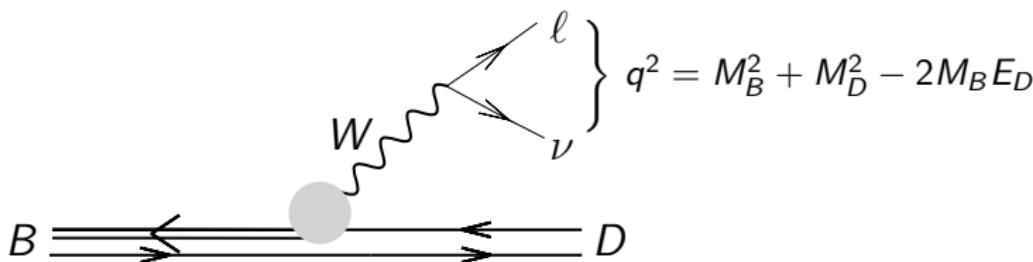
- ▶ Determine CKM matrix element $|V_{cb}|$
 - ▶ Ratio of branching fractions

$$\mathcal{R}_{D^{(*)}}^{\tau/\mu} \equiv \frac{d\Gamma(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\tau\nu_\tau)/d_q^2}{d\Gamma(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\mu\nu_\mu)/d_q^2}$$

Update: $B \rightarrow D\ell\nu$

- ▶ Two lattice form factor calculations with $q^2 \leq q_{\max}^2$
[Fermilab/MILC PRD92 (2015) 035606] [HPQCD PRD92 (2015) 054510]
- ▶ New more precise Belle measurement [Belle PRD93 (2016) 032006]
- ▶ Result of new analysis [Bigi and Gambino, arXiv:1606.08030]
 $|V_{cb}|^{\text{incl}} = 42.00(65) \cdot 10^{-3}$ vs. $|V_{cb}|^{\text{excl}} = 40.49(97) \cdot 10^{-3} \sim 1.5\sigma$
 $R_D^{\text{exp}} = 0.397(49)$ vs. $R_D^{\text{SM}} = 0.299(3) \sim 2.0\sigma$

Computational setup



- ▶ RHQ *b*-quarks
- ▶ MDWF *c*-quarks
 - ⇒ computation rather similar to $B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$ or $B_s \rightarrow K \ell \nu$
- ▶ Challenge: resolve q^2 dependence because $m_c \gg m_s$
- ▶ Further details: [OW Lattice 2016]

Conclusion

To find new physics in the flavor sector,
we need to understand the Standard Model contributions.