

# Flavour Opportunities at the Intensity Frontier

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# INTRODUCTION

The Standard Model works beautifully up to a few hundred GeV's, but it must be an effective theory valid up to a scale  $\Lambda \leq M_{\text{planck}}$ :

$$\mathcal{L}(M_W) = \Lambda^2 H^\dagger H + \lambda (H^\dagger H)^2 + \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}^{\text{gauge}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}^{\text{Yukawa}} + \frac{1}{\Lambda} \mathcal{L}^5 + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{L}^6 + \dots$$

EW scale

Violates accidental symmetries

Has accidental symmetries

# INTRODUCTION - II

Two accidental symmetries of the SM are crucial for our discussion:

1) Absence of tree-level flavour changing neutral currents, GIM suppression of FCNC @ the loop level

2) No CP violation @ tree level

⇒ Flavour physics extremely sensitive to NP!!

# EXPRESS REVIEW OF THE SM

- All flavour violation from charged current coupling: CKM matrix  $V$

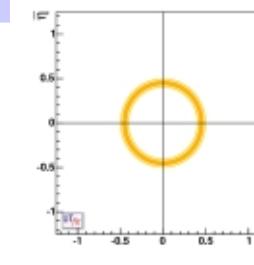
$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \bar{\rho} - i\bar{\eta}) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + O(\lambda^4)$$

- Top quark exchange dominates FCNC loops:  
third row ( $V_{tq}$ ) determines FCNC's  $\leftrightarrow \bar{\rho}, \bar{\eta}$

# Flavour summarized on the $p-\eta$ plane

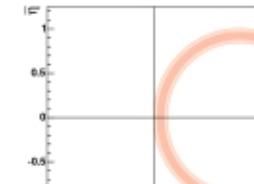
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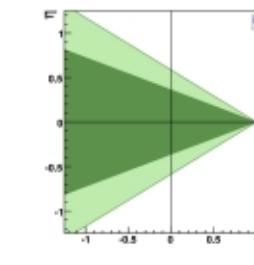
$\Delta m_q$  ( $B_q - \bar{B}_q$  mass diff.)

NC



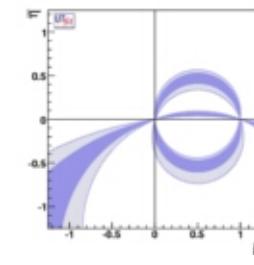
$A_{CP}(b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s)$  ( $J/\psi K, \dots$ )

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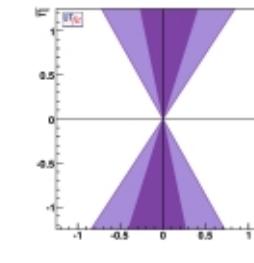
$A_{CP}(b \rightarrow s\bar{s}s, d\bar{d}s)$  ( $\phi K, \pi K, \dots$ )

NC



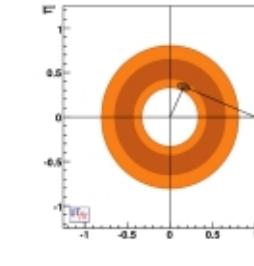
$A_{CP}(b \rightarrow d\bar{d}d, u\bar{u}d)$  ( $\pi\pi, \rho\rho, \dots$ )

CC/NC



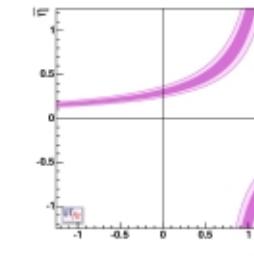
$\text{BR}(b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d, c\bar{u}s)$  (DK, ...)

CC



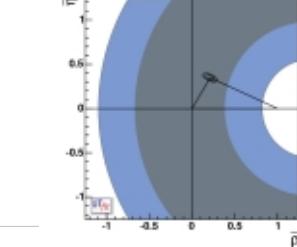
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow \tau \bar{v})$

CC



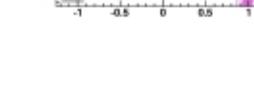
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma)/\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K^*\gamma)$

NC



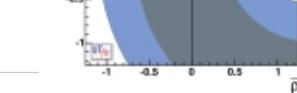
$\epsilon_K$

NC



$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$

NC



# Present status: UTA & NP in $\Delta F=2$

Consider ratios of  $(SM+NP)/SM$   $\Delta F=2$  amplitudes

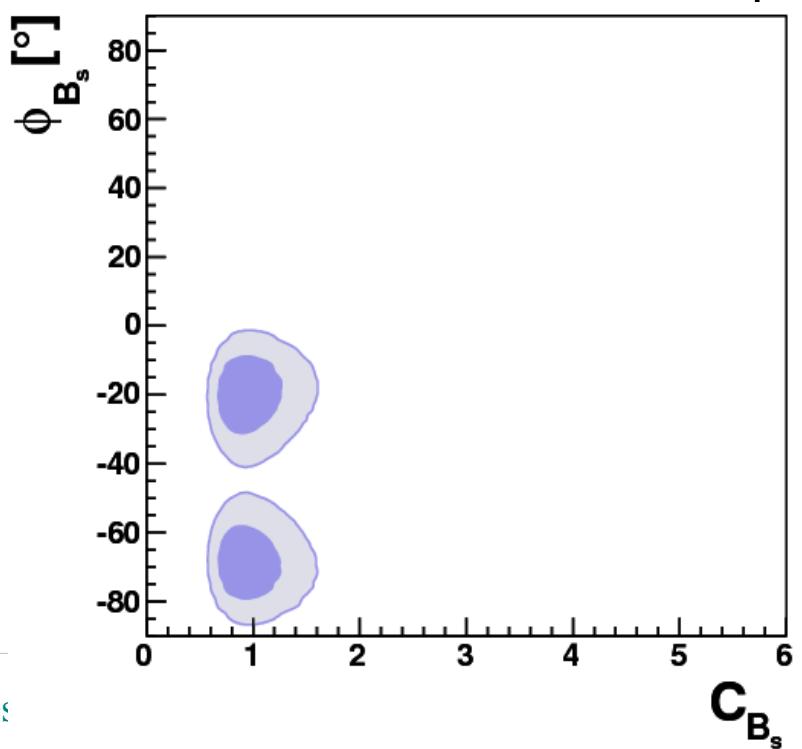
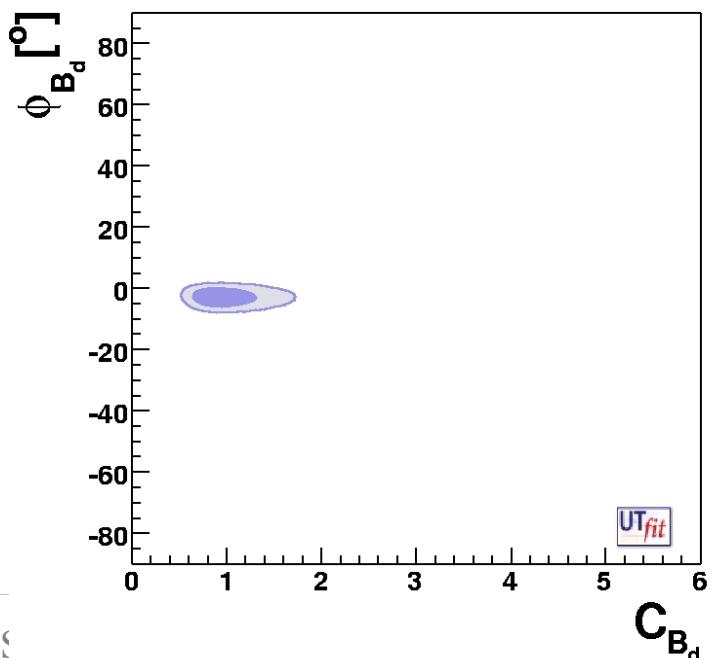
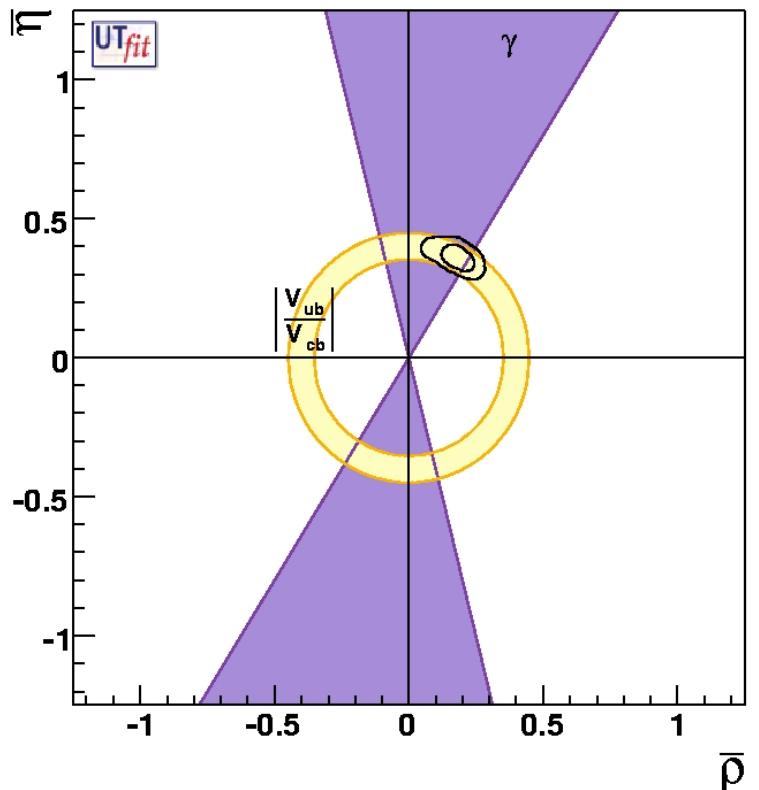
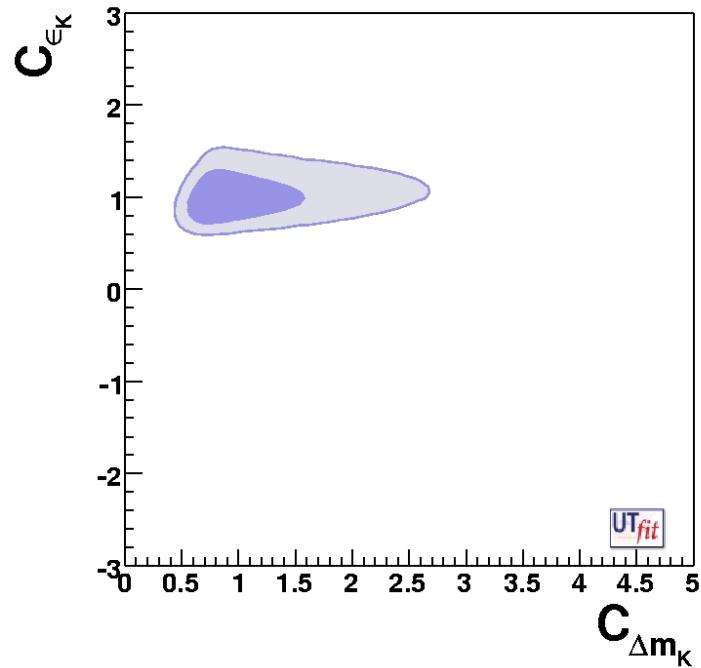
$$C_{B_q} e^{2i\phi_{B_q}} = \frac{\langle B_q | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{full}} | \bar{B}_q \rangle}{\langle B_q | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} | \bar{B}_q \rangle} = \frac{A_q^{\text{SM}} e^{2i\phi_q^{\text{SM}}} + A_q^{\text{NP}} e^{2i(\phi_q^{\text{SM}} + \phi_q^{\text{NP}})}}{A_q^{\text{SM}} e^{2i\phi_q^{\text{SM}}}}$$

$$C_{\epsilon_K} = \frac{\text{Im}[\langle K^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{full}} | \bar{K}^0 \rangle]}{\text{Im}[\langle K^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} | \bar{K}^0 \rangle]}, \quad C_{\Delta m_K} = \frac{\text{Re}[\langle K^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{full}} | \bar{K}^0 \rangle]}{\text{Re}[\langle K^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} | \bar{K}^0 \rangle]}$$

Determine  $\rho$ ,  $\eta$ ,  $C$ 's and  $\phi$ 's using generalized UT analysis

Derive bounds on NP scale and/or couplings

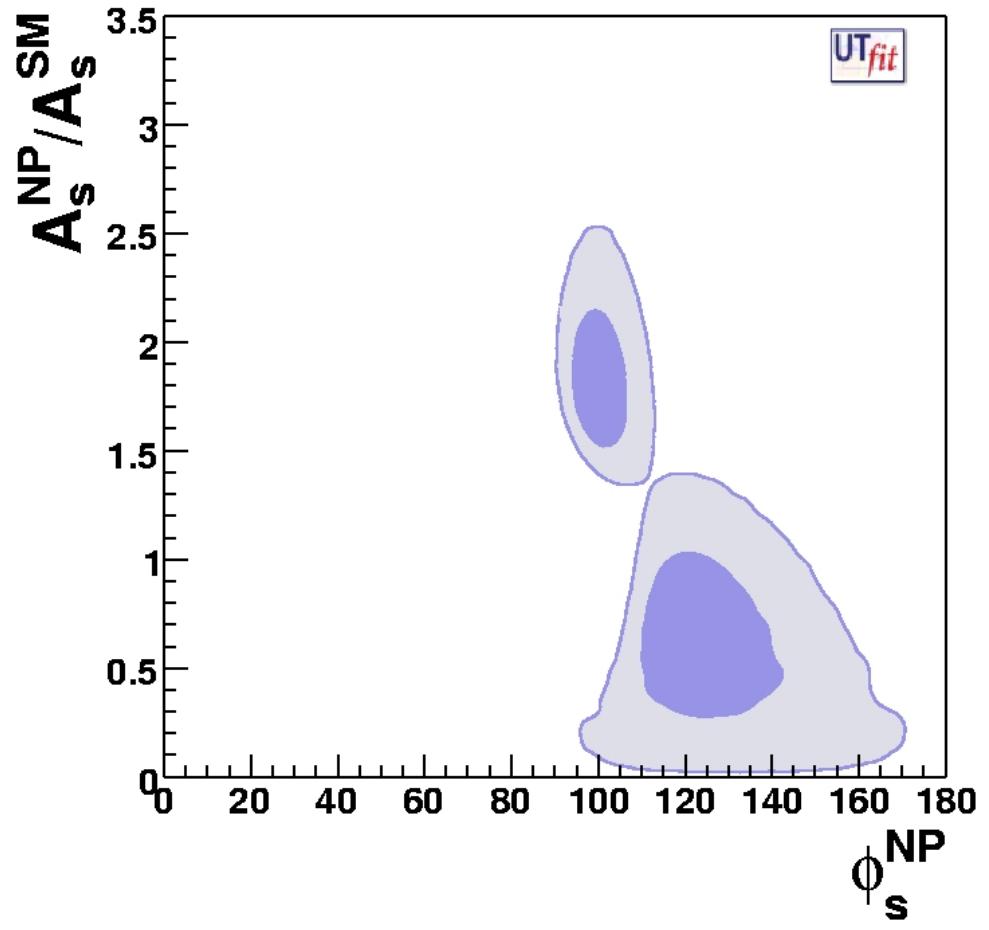
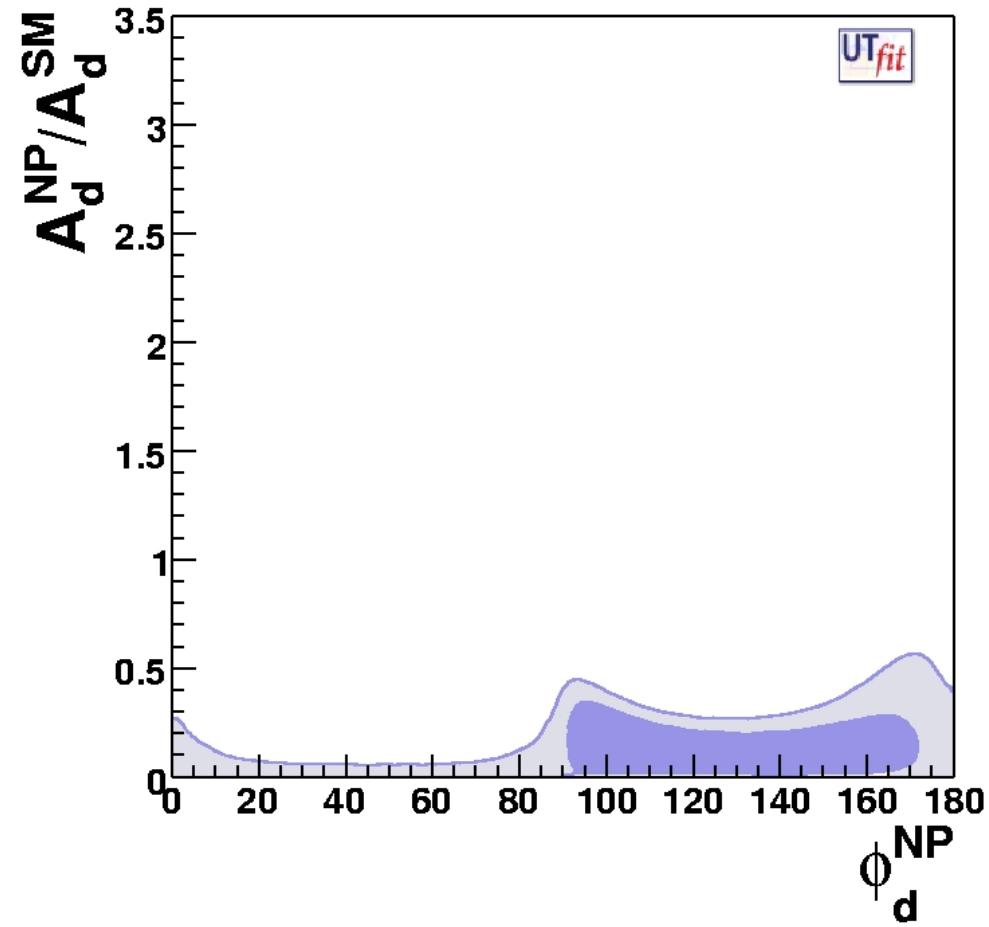
# Our present knowledge:



# SUMMARY OF CONSTRAINTS

Parameter	Output	Parameter	Output
$C_{\Delta m_K}$	$0.96 \pm 0.34$	$C_{\varepsilon_K}$	$0.99 \pm 0.16$
$C_{B_d}$	$0.96 \pm 0.23$	$\phi_{B_d}$	$(-2.9 \pm 1.9)^\circ$
$C_{B_s}$	$0.94 \pm 0.19$	$\phi_{B_s}$	$(-19 \pm 8)^\circ \cup (-69 \pm 7)^\circ$
$\bar{\eta}$	$0.360 \pm 0.031$	$\bar{\rho}$	$0.177 \pm 0.044$
$\bar{\eta}_{SM}$	$0.342 \pm 0.014$	$\bar{\rho}_{SM}$	$0.155 \pm 0.022$

No deviation seen in K and  $B_d$  mixing, ample room for  
NP in phase of  $B_s$  mixing (might become solid evidence)



Ratio of NP/SM contributions is < 40% @ 95% prob.  
in  $B_d$  mixing, and ~60% in  $B_s$  mixing (but compatible with zero at  $2\sigma$ ).

# THE SCALE OF NP

- The constraints we obtained can be used to put lower bounds on the scale of NP models with a given flavour structure:

$$A_{NP}/A_{SM} \sim C/C_{SM} \quad C_i(\Lambda) = K_i F_i \frac{L}{\Lambda^2}$$

- $K_i$  numeric coefficient of  $O(1)$ ,  $F_i$  flavour structure,  $L$  loop coefficient,  $\Lambda$  NP scale

# BOUNDS ON THE NP SCALE

Scenario	strong/tree	$\alpha_s$ loop	$\alpha_W$ loop
MFV (small $\tan \beta$ )	5.5	0.5	0.2
MFV (large $\tan \beta$ )	5.1	0.5	0.2
$M_H$ in MFV at large $\tan \beta$	$5 \sqrt{(a_0 + a_1)(a_0 + a_2)} \left( \frac{\tan \beta}{50} \right)$		
NMFV	62	6.2	2
General	24000	2400	800

To be relevant for the hierarchy problem, NP must have a highly nontrivial flavour structure!!

# Two broad flavour scenarios

- 1) Minimal Flavour Violation (i.e. no new source of flavour violation beyond Yukawa couplings) effectively holds at least at the level seen in  $K$  and  $B_d$  mixing, i.e. < 40%.
- 2) New sources of Flavour & CPV are at work in transitions between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> families, but strongly suppressed elsewhere.  
Nonabelian flavour symmetries? Guts + v?

Tevatron and LHCb will tell us soon!

# What we are aiming at

- Being able to determine the flavour structure of whatever NP seen at the LHC
- Being able to derive info on the full spectrum of NP if LHC only sees part of it
- Being able to cover indirectly the region of NP masses just above the LHC reach, pushing the indirect bound on  $\Lambda$  as high as possible

# How do we get there - I

- A few % error on CKM parameters in the generalized UTA;
- Determining NP contributions to  $\Delta F=2$  and  $\Delta F=1$  transitions in all sectors ( $K, B_d, B_s, D$ ) at the few percent level;
- Improving Lepton Flavour Violation and Lepton Universality bounds by more than one order of magnitude

# How do we get there - II

- CKM parameters in the presence of loop-mediated NP:  $V_{cb,ub}^{\text{incl,excl}}$ ,  $\gamma(B \rightarrow D\bar{K})$
- NP contributions to  $\Delta F=2$  amplitudes:  
 $\beta(b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s)$ ,  $\beta_s(b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s)$ ,  $D^0 \rightarrow K\bar{K}, K\pi, K\pi\pi$ ,  $A_{SL}^{d,s}$ ,  
 $(\Delta\Gamma/\Gamma)_{d,s}$

# How do we get there - III

- NP contributions to  $\Delta F=1$  amplitudes:
  - $b \rightarrow s$ :  $\beta(B \rightarrow K_s \phi, K_s K_s K_s, \dots)$ ,  $B_s \rightarrow K^{*0} K^{*0}$  (penguins),  
 $B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \pi$  (penguins & ewp),  $B \rightarrow X_s vv$  (ewp),  $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$   
(BR&ACP) (photon peng),  $B \rightarrow X_s ll$  (BR&AFB) (photon  
& ewp),  $\beta(B \rightarrow K_s \pi^0 \gamma)$  (RH ops),  $B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu$  (scalar peng)
  - $b \rightarrow d$ :  $\alpha(B \rightarrow \pi\pi, \rho\pi, \rho\rho)$  (ewp),  $B \rightarrow X_d vv$  (ewp),  $B \rightarrow X_d \gamma$   
(BR&ACP) (photon peng),  $B \rightarrow X_d ll$  (BR&AFB) (photon  
& ewp),  $S(B \rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma)$  (RH ops),  $B_d \rightarrow \mu \mu$  (scalar peng)
  - $s \rightarrow d$ :  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 vv$ ,  $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ vv$  (ewp),  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 ll$  (photon &  
ewp)

# How do we get there - IV

- LFV:  $\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$ ,  $\tau \rightarrow e\gamma$ ,  $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$  (photon peng),  
 $\tau \rightarrow \mu ll$ ,  $\tau \rightarrow ell$ ,  $\mu \rightarrow eee$ ,  $\mu \leftrightarrow e$  (photon, ewp & boxes),  $\tau \rightarrow \mu\eta$ ,  $\tau \rightarrow e\eta$  (photon, ewp, boxes & Higgs)
- Lepton Universality:  $K \rightarrow ev/K \rightarrow \mu v$ ,  
 $B \rightarrow \tau v/B \rightarrow \mu v$  (Higgs)
- Charged current scalar interactions:  $B \rightarrow \tau v$  (Higgs)



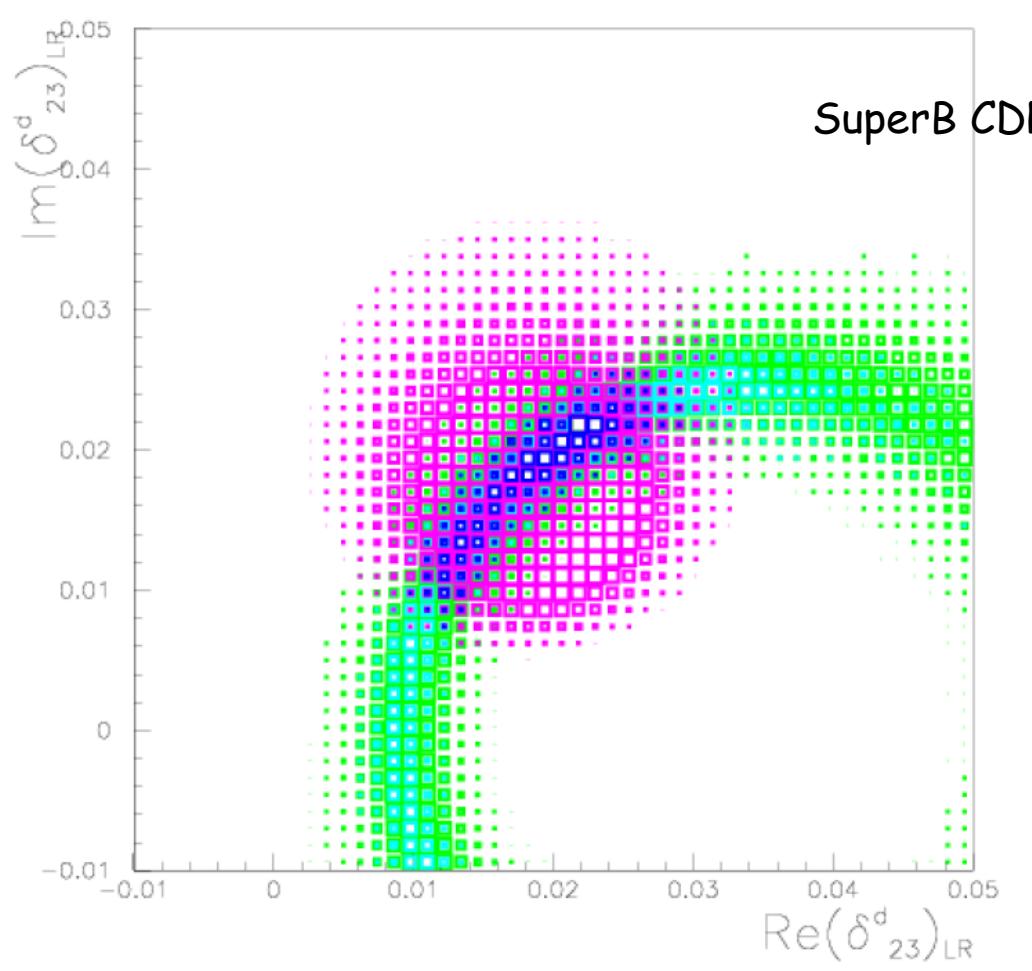
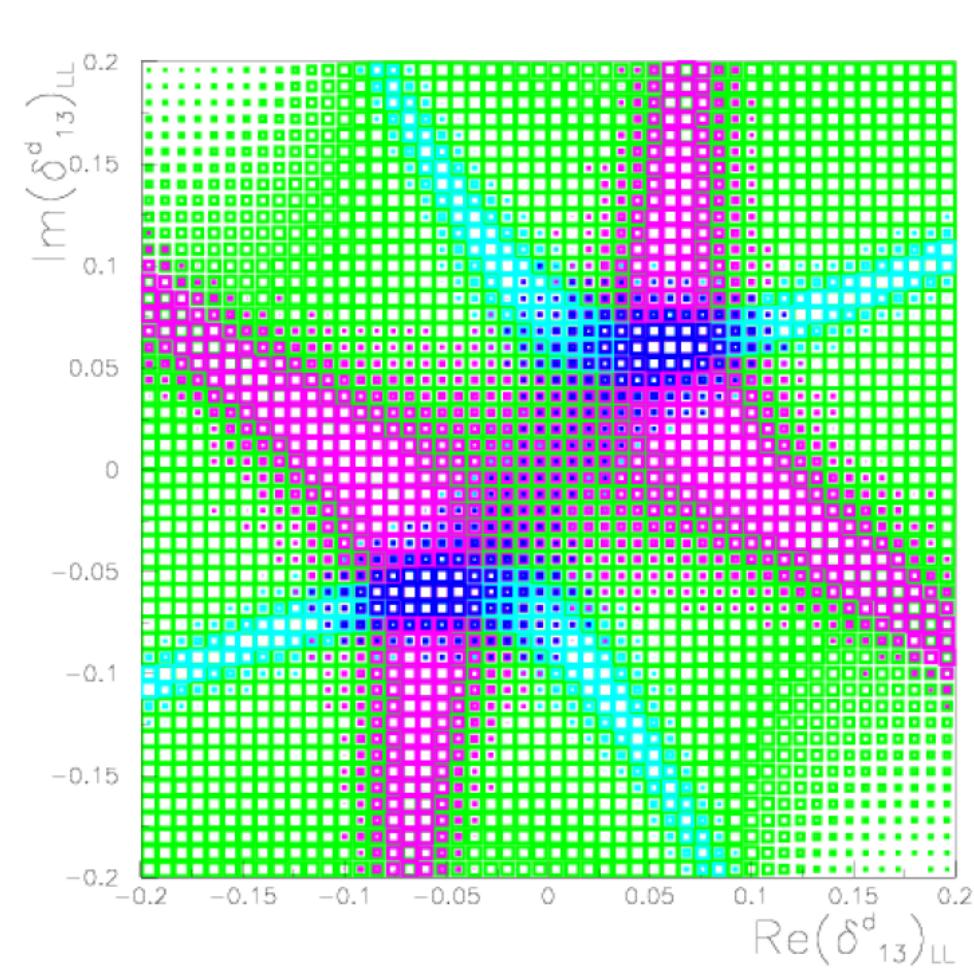
# ...and theoretical efforts needed!

no theory improvements needed	$\beta(J/\psi K)$ , $\gamma(DK)$ , $\alpha$ , lepton FV & UV, CPV in $B \rightarrow X\gamma$ , D and $\tau$ decays, zero of FB asymmetry $B \rightarrow X_s l^+ l^-$	SM already known with the required accuracy
improved lattice QCD	meson mixing , $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} l\nu$ , $B \rightarrow \pi(\rho) l\nu$ , $B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$ , $B \rightarrow \rho \gamma$ , $B \rightarrow l\nu$ , $B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu$	target error: ~1-2% Feasible (see SuperB CDR)
improved OPE+HQE	$B \rightarrow X_{u,c} l\nu$	target error: ~2-3% Feasible getting exp. rid of annihilation & shape function (see arXiv:0810.1312)
improved QCDF or SCET or flavour symmetries or data driven methods	S's from TD $A_{CP}$ in $b \rightarrow s$ transitions	target error: ~2-3% need either breakthrough in computing power corrections or data-driven approaches (Dalitz analyses particularly favourable)

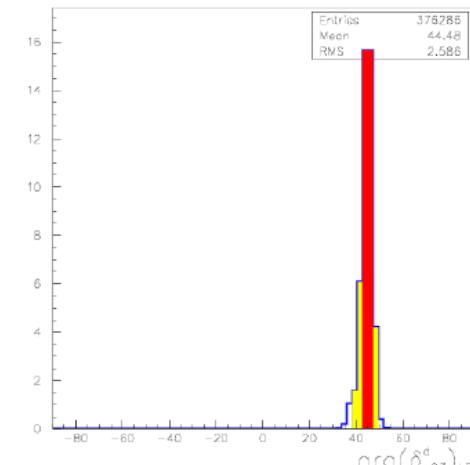
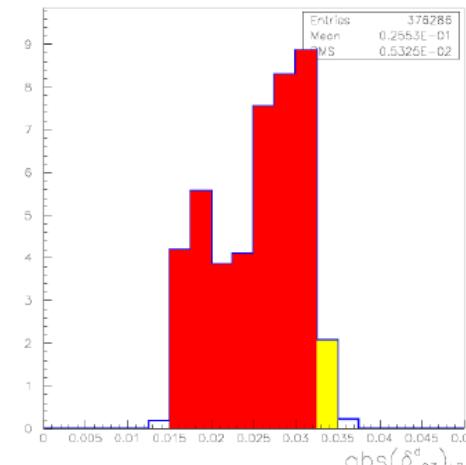
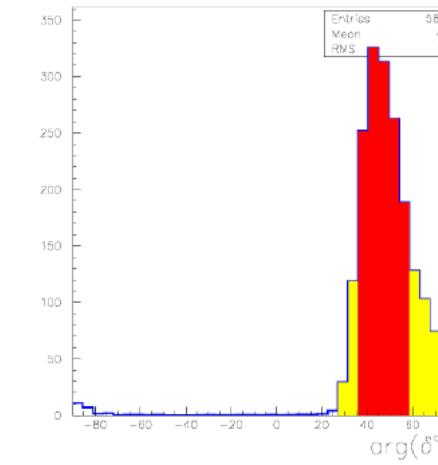
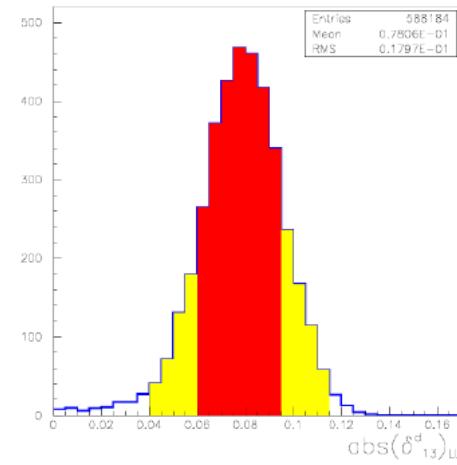
# Reconstructing $L_{\text{SUSY}}$

$$m_{\tilde{d}}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} (m_{11}^2)_{LL} & (\Delta_{12}^d)_{LL} & (\Delta_{13}^d)_{LL} & (\Delta_{11}^d)_{LR} & (\Delta_{12}^d)_{LR} & (\Delta_{13}^d)_{LR} \\ (\Delta_{12}^d)^*_{LL} & (m_{22}^2)_{LL} & (\Delta_{23}^d)_{LL} & (\Delta_{21}^d)_{LR} & (\Delta_{22}^d)_{LR} & (\Delta_{23}^d)_{LR} \\ (\Delta_{13}^d)^*_{LL} & (\Delta_{23}^d)^*_{LL} & (m_{33}^2)_{LL} & (\Delta_{31}^d)_{LR} & (\Delta_{32}^d)_{LR} & (\Delta_{33}^d)_{LR} \\ (\Delta_{11}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{21}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{31}^d)^*_{LR} & (m_{11}^2)_{RR} & (\Delta_{12}^d)_{RR} & (\Delta_{13}^d)_{RR} \\ (\Delta_{12}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{22}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{32}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{12}^d)^*_{RR} & (m_{22}^2)_{RR} & (\Delta_{23}^d)^*_{RR} \\ (\Delta_{13}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{23}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{33}^d)^*_{LR} & (\Delta_{13}^d)^*_{RR} & (\Delta_{23}^d)^*_{RR} & (m_{33}^2)_{RR} \end{pmatrix}$$

(Some of the) Diagonal sfermion masses will be measured  
 @ LHC; off-diagonal terms to be determined from flavour  
 (relevant parameters:  $(\delta_{ij}^d)_{AB} = (\Delta_{ij}^d)_{AB} / (m_{ii})_{AA} (m_{jj})_{BB}$ )



Reconstructing  $(\delta_{13}^d)_{LL} = 0.085 e^{i\pi/4}$  and  $(\delta_{23}^d)_{LR} = 0.028 e^{i\pi/4}$  for  $m_{SUSY} = 1 \text{ TeV}$



- For a full reconstruction of the hadronic part of the SUSY Lagrangian, need % knowledge of meson mixings (including D) and FCNC decays
- Agreement with the SM as useful as disagreement
- If deviation from SM in  $B_s$  confirmed, effort in measuring  $b \rightarrow s$  decays mandatory
- Notice that a large  $\tilde{b} \leftrightarrow \tilde{s}$  mixing could invalidate standard LHC strategies to search for SUSY

Flavour @ LHC Workshop, arXiv:0801.1800

# CONCLUSIONS: PRESENT

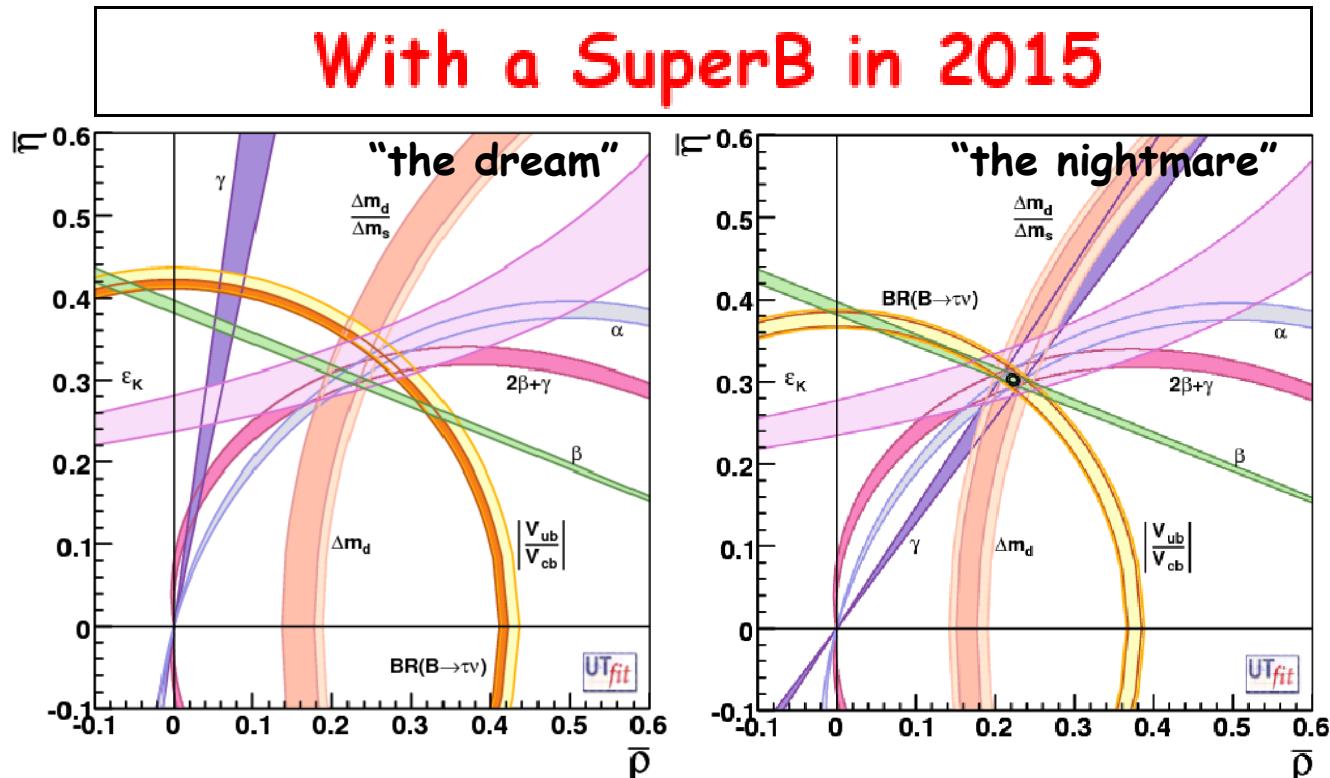
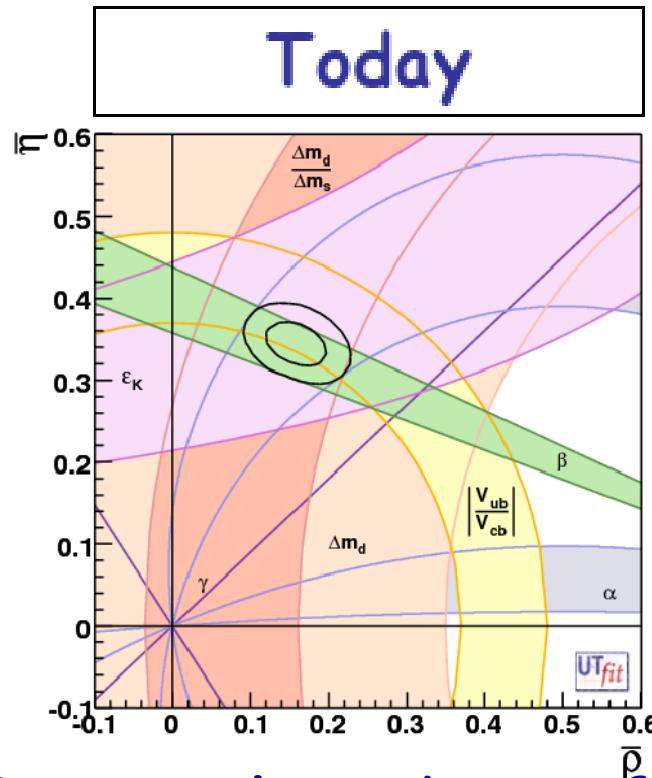
- Present status: control CKM + NP  $\Delta F=2$  at the 20-30% level, except for  $B_s$  mixing where  $O(1)$  NP is favoured
- Bounds on NP scale tell us that NP can be within the LHC reach only if
  - it is MFV-like within at most 40% or
  - it contributes  $O(1)$  to  $b \leftrightarrow s$  and <40% elsewhere

# CONCLUSIONS: FUTURE

- Control CKM + NP in  $\Delta F=1,2$  at the % level; push down searches for LFV by two orders of magnitude or lower; improve tests of LU
- Ensure determination of flavour structure of whatever NP seen at the LHC
- Ensure sensitivity to moderately fine-tuned NP above the LHC reach
- Requires covering the full spectrum of  $B_{(s)}$ , D, K and LFV observables

# BACKUP SLIDES

# The basic step: CKM matrix at the %



Generalized UT fits:

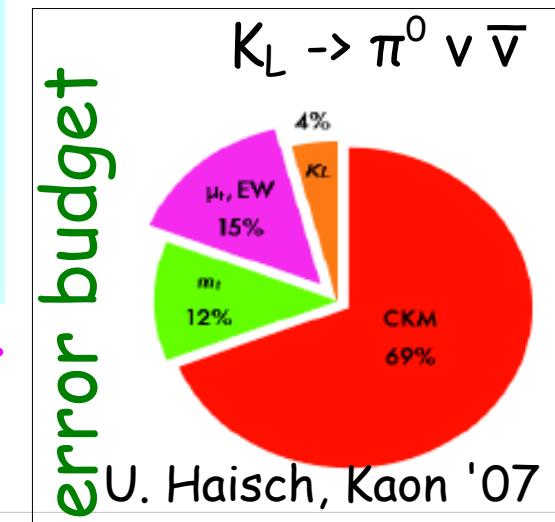
CKM at % in the presence of NP!

today      SuperB

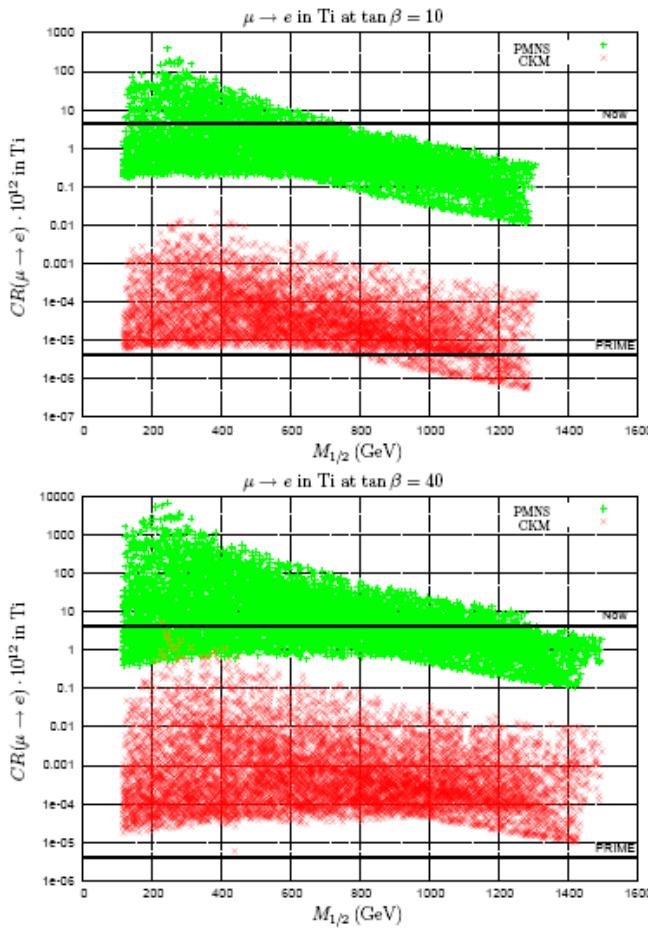
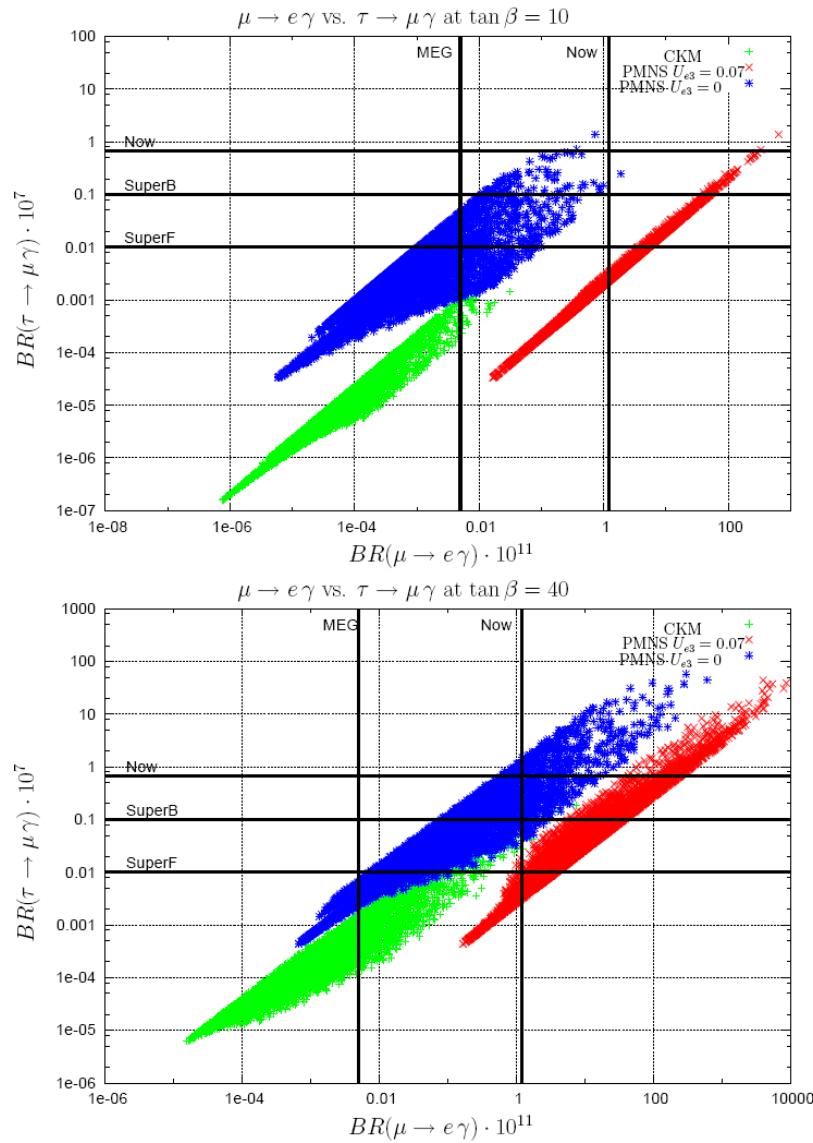
$\bar{\rho}$   $0.177 \pm 0.044$   $\pm 0.005$

$\bar{\eta}$   $0.360 \pm 0.031$   $\pm 0.005$

Will detect deviations from the SM at the level of 3% in  $C_{Bd}$  and of  $0.5^\circ$  in  $\phi_{Bd}$



# LFV in an SO(10) SUSY-GUT



Calibbi et al. 06

$|l_i \rightarrow l_j||$  and  $|l_i \rightarrow l_j P|$  useful to constrain Higgs and box contributions