# **Flavor-physics outlook**

after LS1 and after LS2

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🗹 Besides two general-purpose exp's, the LHC includes one exp dedicated to b- and c-hadron decays: LHCb



**SM flavor violation:** Within the SM, all of (quark) flavor violation is ruled by

two renormal. "Yukawa" interactions with one scalar doublet

$$L_{qY} = \overline{Q_L} Y_u H^c u_R + \overline{Q_L} Y_d H d_R$$

**Physical parameters:** 

- The Y's eigenvalues
- The relative "rotation" between the Y's

SM quark flavor patterns:

- The only entry in the Y's that is O(1) (in units of the SM Higgs vev and assuming one single vev) is (Y<sub>µ</sub>)<sub>33</sub>
  - The other eigenvalues are << 1</p>
  - The relative rotation (aka CKM) is close to the identity



 In the absence of these interactions (Y's → 0), the SM Lagrangian recovers a large "chiral" group of global (not local, to our knowledge) SU(3) transformations: one for each of Q<sub>L</sub>, u<sub>R</sub>, d<sub>R</sub>

(In the presence of the Y's, this symmetry is used up to define a quark basis, e.g. the mass eigenbasis)

#### Why not a gauge flavor group?

Possible, but beware that:

you need to ensure anomaly cancellation

 $\Rightarrow$  add new fermions

✓ you have flavor gauge bosons⇒ tree FCNCs

Aside possibly from  $(Y_{\mu})_{33}$ , the rest of the pattern may well be "accidental".

So, it is likely NOT to be respected by non-SM physics, however decoupled it may be



Look for however small, but clear-cut (= separable from SM dynamics)		lepton flavor violation
in the above pattern		and its reach at MEG, Belle II, etc.
		(not covered in this talk)

This qualifies especially:





Objection 1

By now established that the CKM phase explains the bulk of low-energy measured CPV

#### Objection 2

And the CKM phase is (arguably) insufficient to explain baryogenesis within the SM

#### All true, but



In several CPV observables, e.g. asymmetries, most of SM uncertainties cancel

especially clean tests









The main sources of error within the BR formula are:

$$BR[B_{s} \rightarrow \mu^{+}\mu^{-}] \simeq \underbrace{\frac{1}{\Gamma_{s}}}_{s} \times \left( \frac{G_{F}^{2}\alpha_{e.m.}^{2}}{16\pi^{3}s_{W}^{4}} \right) \cdot \underbrace{\left| V_{tb}^{*}V_{ts} \right|^{2}}_{s} \cdot \underbrace{\left| f_{B_{s}}^{2}m_{B_{s}} \cdot m_{\mu}^{2} \cdot Y^{2}(m_{t}^{2})M_{W}^{2} \right|}_{top \text{ "pole" mass here}}$$

Thus, one can write the following phenomenological expression for the BR

$$BR[B_s \to \mu^+ \mu^-] = 3.23 \cdot 10^{-9} \cdot \left(\frac{\tau_{B_s}}{1.466 \,\mathrm{ps}}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\mathrm{Re}(V_{tb}^* V_{ts})}{4.05 \cdot 10^{-2}}\right)^2 \cdot \left(\frac{f_{B_s}}{227 \,\mathrm{MeV}}\right)^2 \cdot \left(\frac{M_t}{173.2 \,\mathrm{GeV}}\right)^{3.07}$$

Using this expression, one can easily work out the main error components as follows





$$BR(B_{s} \to \mu \mu [+n \gamma])|_{\sum E_{\gamma i} \leq E_{cut}} = \left(\frac{E_{cut}}{m_{B_{s}}/2}\right)^{\frac{\alpha_{em}}{\pi}} BR(B_{s} \to \mu \mu)_{th} \qquad \text{taking } E_{cut} = 60 \text{ MeV [LHCb]} \text{ correction} = 0.89$$











Beyond the SM, a total of 6 operators can contribute:

(One may write also two tensor operators, but their matrix elements vanish for this process.)



Credits: Gino Isidori

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The very "delicate" structure of the SM prediction is easily spoiled beyond the SM.

Why is this actually plausible?

**Observation**: the  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$  amplitude remains a well-defined object in the limit where gauge interactions go to zero.



# $\text{BR}[\text{B}_{s} \rightarrow \mu\mu]$ as an EW precision test

DG, Isidori, 1302.3909

 $\blacksquare$  B<sub>s</sub>  $\rightarrow \mu\mu$  is more than 'just' a probe of new scalars mediating FCNCs

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Consider the  $Z - \overline{d}_i - d_i$  coupling:



At the Lagrangian leven, these coupling modifications may be parameterized as follows

where:  

$$L_{\text{eff}}^{Zdd} = \frac{g}{c_{W}} Z_{\mu} \overline{d^{i}} \gamma^{\mu} \left[ \left( g_{L}^{ij} + \delta g_{L}^{ij} P_{L} + \left( g_{R}^{ij} + \delta g_{R}^{ij} P_{R} \right] d^{j} \right]$$

$$g_{L}^{ii} = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} s_{W}^{2} + \text{loops}$$

$$g_{R}^{ii} = \frac{1}{3} s_{W}^{2} + \text{loops}$$

$$g_{L,R}^{ii} = 0 + \text{loops}$$

$$mew-physics enters here$$

# **Effective theory**

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Shifts in Zdd couplings can be implemented as contributions from effective operators ( $\rightarrow$  minimal model dep.)

The only operators relevant to the problem are of the form:

Operators ~ 
$$(\overline{d}_i \ \gamma^{\mu} X^{ij} d_j) (H^{\dagger} D_{\mu} H)$$
  
flavor structure  $\sim v^2 Z_{\mu}$ 

#### Comments

- Three such structures compatible with the SM gauge group
- $\fbox{ Other operators yield negligible effects in either Z-peak obs or in B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu}$ 
  - 4-fermion ops. negligible in Zbb
  - ops. involving field-strength tensors negligible in  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$



# $\text{BR[B}_{s} \rightarrow \mu\mu\text{]}$ as an EWPT: results



 $\checkmark$  One can then compare the limits on  $\delta g_{L,R}$  obtained from Z-peak obs with those obtained from  $B_s \rightarrow \mu \mu$ 



Mixing-induced CPV in B<sub>s</sub>

# **Mixing-induced CPV in B**: main channel(s)

The "benchmark" B<sub>s</sub> decay to explore mixing-induced CPV is:

$$B_{s} (\rightarrow \overline{B}_{s}) \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$$

$$K^{+}K^{-}$$

#### Comments

- $B_s$ -equivalent of  $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi K_s$ , benchmark mode for sin 2ß at B-factories
- Analysis needs to be:

 $J/\psi$ 

- time-dependent (otherwise no sensitivity to  $B_s \overline{B}_s$ )
- angular (to disentangle CP-even & CP-odd components in final state)

## **Theory systematics**

#### Main point:

<u>Provided</u> the ( $B_s$  or  $\overline{B}_s$ ) decay amplitude doesn't introduce uncalculable phases, the process allows to determine the  $B_s - \overline{B}_s$  mixing phase,  $\phi_s$ 

#### Within the SM:

$$\phi_s^{\text{SM}} = 2 \arg \left( V_{ts}^* V_{tb} \right)$$
$$= -0.036(2)$$

#### Is this assumption fulfilled for this decay?

Ampl.  $(B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi) =$ 



#### More comments

- If non-negligible the penguin ampl. needs to be fitted from data
- But in this decay:

 $|\text{penguin/tree}| \propto \lambda_{\text{Cabibbo}}^2$ 

So, with present accuracy, assumption is fulfilled

# **Mixing-induced CPV in B**<sub>s</sub>: results and outlook

**The state-of-the-art determination of**  $\phi_s$  is a global fit (HFAG) to  $b \rightarrow ccs$  data

It is dominated by the  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$  channel, that in fact is simultaneously sensitive to  $\{\phi_s, \Delta\Gamma_s, \Gamma_s\}$ 











Direct (= in decay) CPV in B<sub>s</sub>



Rare radiative and semileptonic B<sub>s</sub> decays



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- The crucial advantage of exclusive modes is that they offer several observables: angular & CPV obs.
   In several concrete scenarios (e.g. w/ RH currents) TeV-scale particles modify one or more of these obs.
- In fact, SM deviations can be constrained model-independently, adopting a fully general Hamiltonian:

ators:  

$$O_7^{(\prime)}$$
,  $O_8^{(\prime)}$ ,  $O_9^{(\prime)}$ ,  $O_{10}^{(\prime)}$ ,  $O_S^{(\prime)}$ ,  $O_P^{(\prime)}$   
magnetic and  
chromomag.  
 $\overline{qqIl}$  vector-like  
operators  
 $\overline{qqIl}$  scalar  
operators

• Radiative modes (e.g.  $B_s \rightarrow \phi \gamma$ ) mostly sensitive to magnetic operators:  $O_7$ ,  $O_8$ , + primed (= parity-flipped) (Semi)lep. modes (e.g.  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$ ,  $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu\mu$ ,  $B \rightarrow K \mu\mu$ ,  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$ ) are, in principle, sensitive to all



An example in some detail:  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu$ 

**Work from:** Beneke, Buchalla, Neubert, Sachrajda; Bauer et al.; Feldmann; Egede et al.; Descotes, Matias et al.; Bobeth, Hiller et al.; Khodjamirian-Mannel; ...

Basic challenge: find kinematic regions where f.f. dependence either calculable or "simple" (= can be got rid of)
Such regions exist:



#### **Data and outlook**

- For decays like  $B \to K^* \mu\mu$ , the fully angular (in  $q_{\mu\mu}^2$  and in 3 decay angles) distribution is in principle accessible. It consists of **12 angular terms, with coeff. functions J**<sub>i</sub>( $q_{\mu\mu}^2$ ) [Krüger et al., PRD 00; Altmannshofer et al. JHEP 09]
- **The J**, offer plenty of observables: symmetric (asymmetric) combinations CP-averaged (CP-odd) quantities With current (limited) statistics: build partially integrated obs, with large bins:



For example: Possible a detailed comparison of

 $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|_{\text{penguins}}$  vs.  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|_{\text{boxes}}$ 

#### Conclusions

Two wide classes of processes interesting for theory: rare and clean decays & CPV In both cases, LHCb well on its way towards interesting results

## $\mathbf{M}_{s} \rightarrow \mu\mu$

- Theory (SM) ready to match experimental accuracy
- Overall accuracy expected at ~ 10% by 2018 (dominated by exp)
- One of the best existing probes of the Yukawa sector
- Also exquisite probe of Zqq anomalous couplings.

Within general frameworks for BSM flavor breaking (MFV and generic partial compositeness)  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$  constraint typically stronger than Z-peak observables

#### 📶 Mixing & mixing-induced CPV in B

- Clean "null test" of the SM, passed within present accuracies
- With increased exp accuracy, mandatory to revise assumptions about penguin amplitudes
- Effective lifetimes as a penguin-pollution-immune avenue to access the same observable
- CPV in pure mixing: D0 dimuon anomaly not confirmed by LHCb, but still unresolved issue (2.4  $\sigma$ )

### Conclusions

## Direct CPV in B<sub>s</sub>

LHCb discovery in charmless two-body decays
 Now possible to accurately test a SM sum rule where hadronic uncertainties cancel

#### Rare radiative and semileptonic decays

- Crucial advantage: lots of observables. New physics testable in a model-independent approach
- In appropriate kinematic regions, possible to construct observables where f.f. dependence nearly cancels. Several CP-averaged and CP-odd observables proposed
- Ideal probes of (even very suppressed) RH currents
- With 5 / fb: full NP potential of semileptonic channels will be exploited.
- Besides  $b \rightarrow s$ , important to also measure  $b \rightarrow d$  channels. In this way one can test

 $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|_{\text{penguins}}$  vs.  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|_{\text{boxes}}$ 

**sin2ß vs.**  $\epsilon_{\kappa}$  vs B  $\rightarrow \tau \nu$  tensions: status

- Currently below  $2\sigma$  (sin2ß vs.  $\epsilon_{\mu}$ ). Disappeared in  $B \rightarrow \tau v$
- Worthwhile to follow, especially after  $\gamma$  improvements (LHCb) and Belle II startup

#### **Some Topics for Discussion**

 $\boxed{P} B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$ 

- Error on  $B_s$  decay constant ( $f_{Bs}$ ) crucial for BR error. Too aggressive  $f_{Bs}$  errors and corresponding  $BR(B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu)$  errors should be taken cum grano salis
- The "large-ΔΓ<sub>s</sub>" factor (De Bruyn et al.) as well as the soft-photon correction factor should be estimated by convoluting in the time integral the (measured !) exp acceptance as a function of B<sub>s</sub> decay time
- $B_d \rightarrow \mu\mu$  &&  $B_s \rightarrow \tau\tau$
- Mixing & mixing-induced CPV in B
  - Prospects for "effective-lifetime" (= untagged but time-dependent BRs) measurements
  - Whether the  $\phi_s$  vs.  $\Delta \Gamma_s$  determination with effective lifetimes will be competitive with the determination from the "benchmark"  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ ,  $J/\psi \pi \pi$  analysis
  - Prospects on  $\phi_s$  error from exps other than LHCb (for which the figure seems to be 0.008 w/ 50/fb)
  - Strategies for understanding the D0 di-muon anomaly (if any)

## **Some More Topics for Discussion**

#### **Rare semileptonic & radiatives**

- According to "Implications Workshop" paper, only 5 / fb necessary for a fully angular analysis of B → K\* μμ. Does this mean measuring all of the (12) coefficient functions of this distribution?
- Prospects for b  $\rightarrow$  d channels and for testing  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|_{\text{penguins}}$  vs.  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|_{\text{boxes}}$

# **Additional material**

Fixing the couplings. Case 1: MFV

MFV is the statement that – even beyond the SM – the only structures that break the flavor symmetry are the SM Yukawa couplings

This statement fixes the flavor structure of new operators.

Example: operators with the bilinear

 $\overline{Q}_{L}^{i} \gamma^{\mu} X_{i i} Q_{L}^{j} \qquad \square X_{i i} = O(1) \times (Y_{u} Y_{u}^{\dagger})_{i i}$ 

This fixes the flavor structure of the Z  $\overline{d}_i d_i$  coupling  $\delta g_L^{ij}$ 

E.g., in the basis where  $Y_{\mu} = V^{\dagger} \hat{Y}_{\mu}$  and  $Y_{d} = \hat{Y}_{d}$  one has:

$$\delta g_L^{ij} \propto V_{ti}^* V_{tj}$$

Most relevantly, this fixes univocally the correlation between the flavor-off-diag. and the flavor-diag. coupling:





