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# Solving Beautiful Puzzles

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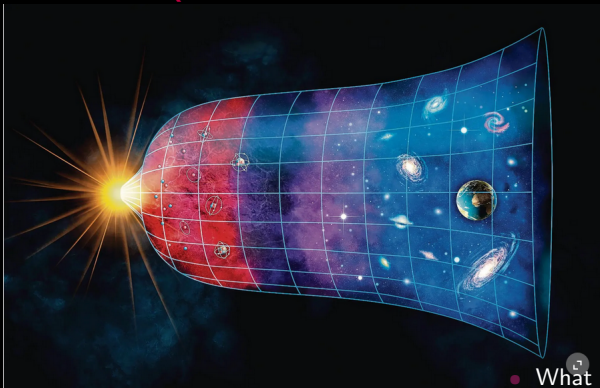
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= Studying beauty meson decays at the highest precision =

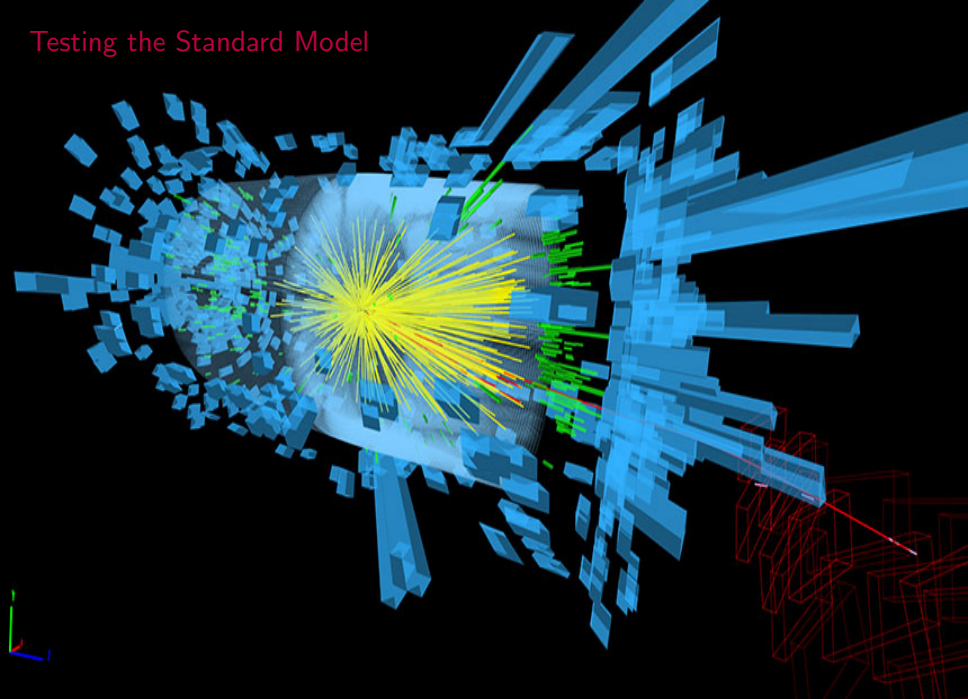


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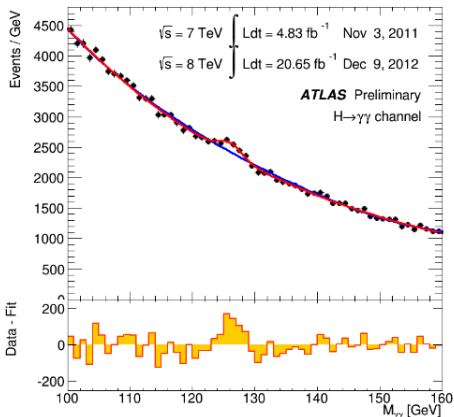


- What is the structure of matter and interactions?
- Size of fundamental parameters?
- Matter versus antimatter?
- Fine tuning of parameters?
- What is dark matter?

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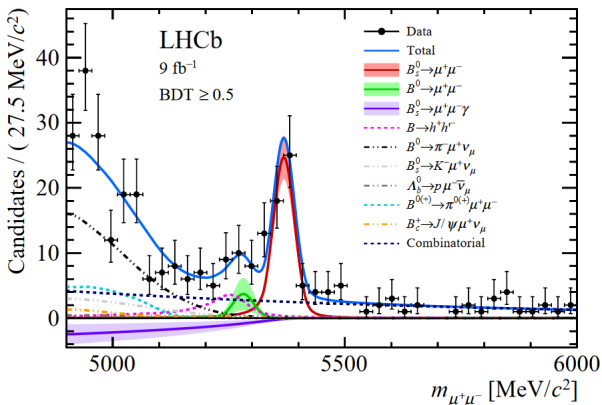


## Energy frontier

Higher energy allows to probe higher new mass scales

# Testing the Standard Model: Indirect

LHCb Collaboration [Phys. Rev. Lett. 128, (2022) 041801]



## Precision frontier

Tiny deviations from SM predictions constrain effects of New Physics

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Flavour sector itself already quite puzzling!



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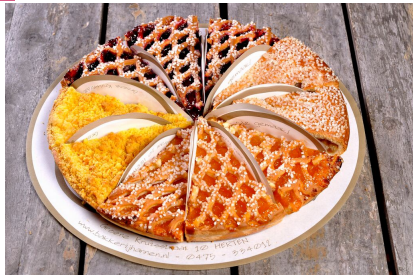
## CP violation in the SM = peculiar!

- CKM Mechanism is the dominant source of CP violation
  - established by fit to unitarity triangle
- Possible strong CP violation via QCD  $\theta$  term strongly constrained
- Remains one of the puzzles of the SM!

# Why Flavour?

## Understanding of Flavour unsatisfactory:

- 22 (out of 27) free parameters from Yukawa sector
- Hierarchy of the CKM matrix
- Three Families
- Hierarchy of masses
- CKM versus PMNS
- Nature of Neutrinos
- CP violation



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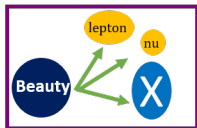
- New physics manifests itself as higher dimensional operators suppressed by scale  $\Lambda$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{dim}4}^{\text{SM}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{dim}5} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{dim}6} + \dots \quad \mathcal{L}_{\text{dim}n} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^{n-4}} \sum_i C_n^{(i)} \mathcal{O}_n^{(i)}$$

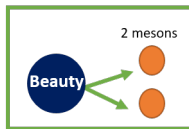
\* The key challenge in this endeavour

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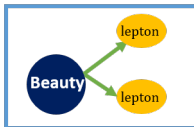
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## Non-leptonic

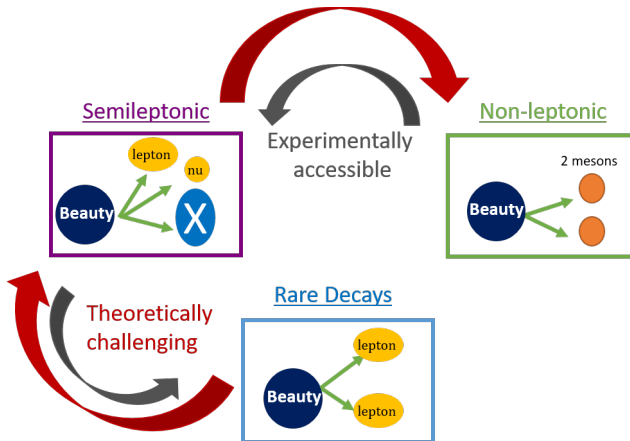


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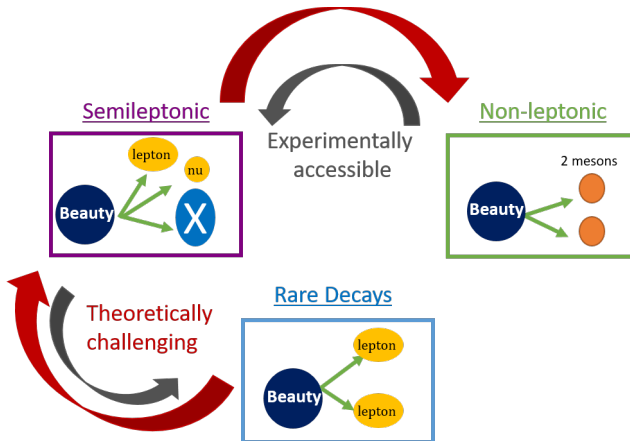




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- Complementary decays with different sensitivities to SM and (!) new physics

# Reminder: The Particle Physics Zoo...

D meson <sup>[20]</sup>	$D^+$	$D^-$	$c\bar{d}$	$1,869.61 \pm 0.10$
D meson <sup>[21]</sup>	$D^0$	$\bar{D}^0$	$c\bar{u}$	$1,864.84 \pm 0.07$
strange D meson <sup>[22]</sup>	$D_s^+$	$D_s^-$	$c\bar{s}$	$1,968.30 \pm 0.11$
B meson <sup>[23]</sup>	$B^+$	$B^-$	$u\bar{b}$	$5,279.26 \pm 0.17$
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Strange B meson <sup>[25]</sup>	$B_s^0$	$\bar{B}_s^0$	$s\bar{b}$	$5,366.77 \pm 0.24$
Charmed B meson <sup>[26]</sup>	$B_c^+$	$B_c^-$	$c\bar{b}$	$6,275.6 \pm 1.1$

Beauty mesons!!

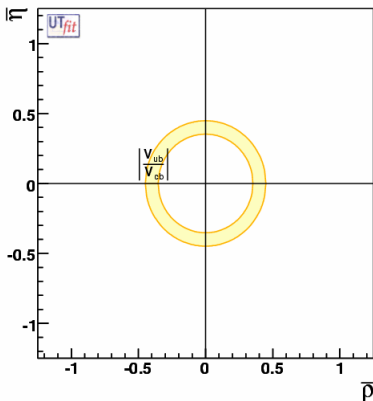
Pion <sup>[10]</sup>	$\pi^+$	$\pi^-$	$u\bar{d}$	$139.570\ 18 \pm 0.000\ 35$
Pion <sup>[11]</sup>	$\pi^0$	Self	$\frac{u\bar{u}-d\bar{d}}{\sqrt{2}}$ [4]	$134.9766 \pm 0.0006$
Eta meson <sup>[12]</sup>	$\eta$	Self	$\frac{u\bar{u}+d\bar{d}-2s\bar{s}}{\sqrt{6}}$ [4]	$547.862 \pm 0.018$
Eta prime meson <sup>[13]</sup>	$\eta'(958)$	Self	$\frac{u\bar{u}+d\bar{d}+s\bar{s}}{\sqrt{3}}$ [4]	$957.78 \pm 0.06$
Charmed eta meson <sup>[14]</sup>	$\eta_c(1S)$	Self	$c\bar{c}$	$2,983.6 \pm 0.7$
Bottom eta meson <sup>[15]</sup>	$\eta_b(1S)$	Self	$b\bar{b}$	$9,398.0 \pm 3.2$
Kaon <sup>[16]</sup>	$K^+$	$K^-$	$u\bar{s}$	$493.677 \pm 0.016$
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# What do we know about flavour?

- Knowledge is beautifully summarized in the unitary CKM matrix
- All entries unknown  $\rightarrow$  phases relevant for CP violation
- Visualized by triangles in the complex plane
- Size and angles from wide range of experimental data!

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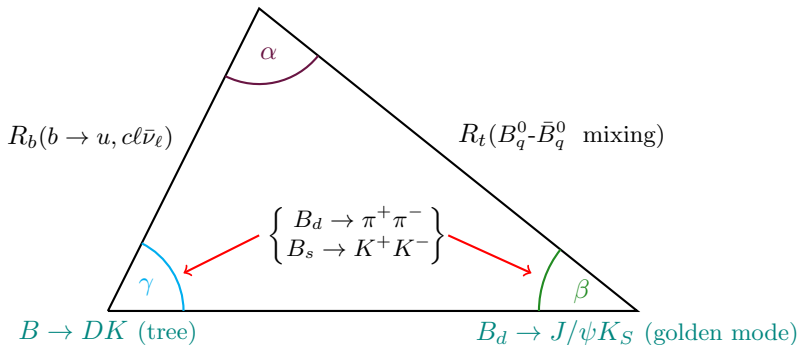


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# Zooming into the CP Landscape

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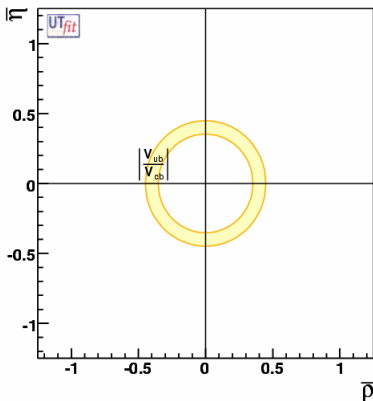


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Flavour symmetries (SU(3), isospin) + many (clean) observables + incredible data set

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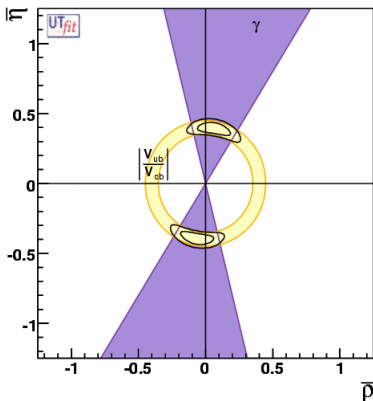
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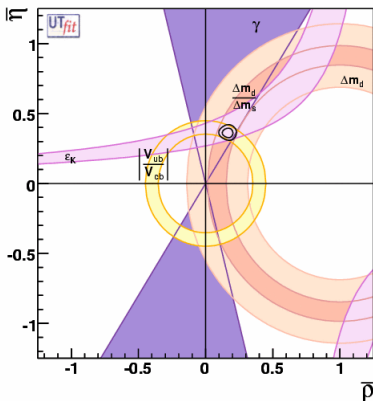
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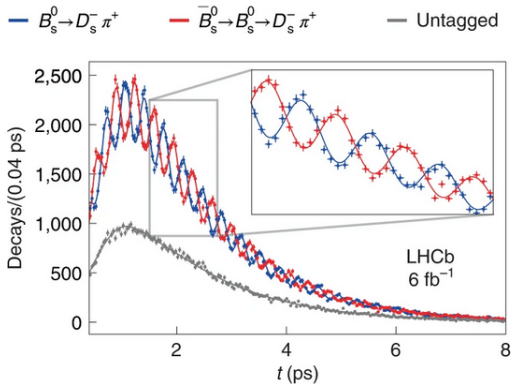
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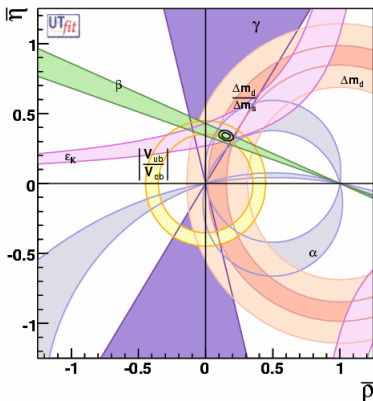
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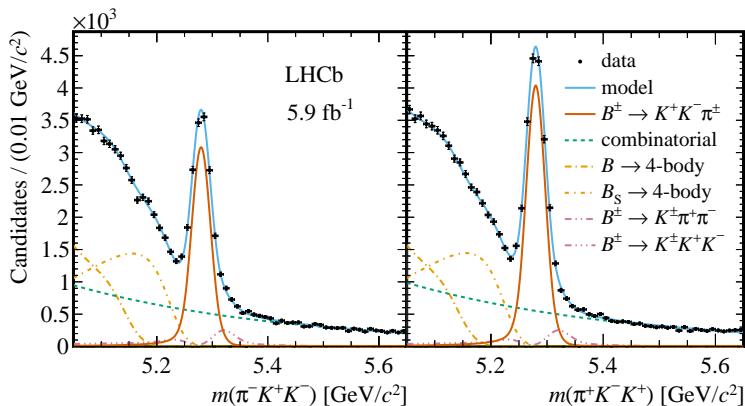
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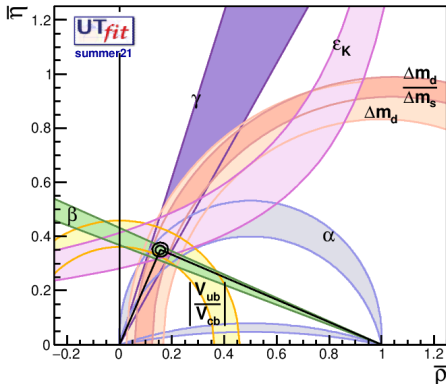
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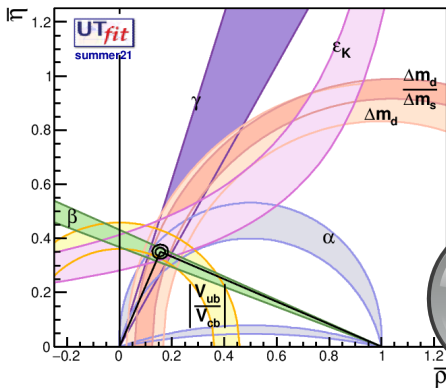
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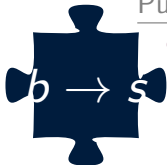
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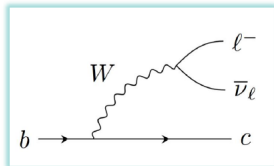


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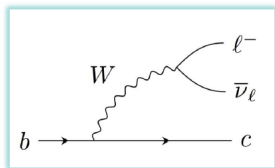


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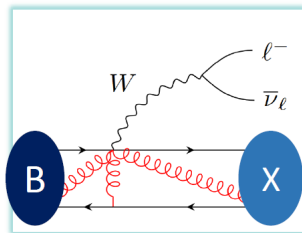
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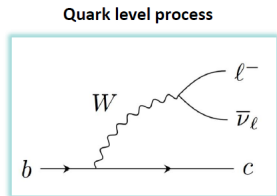
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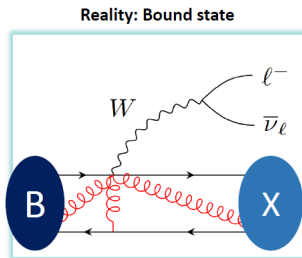
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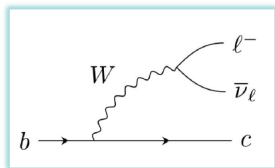
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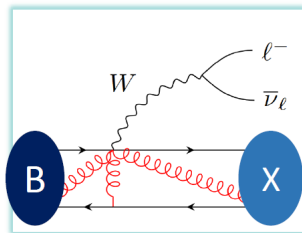
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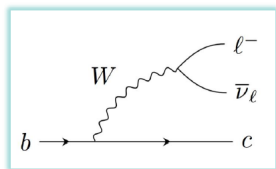
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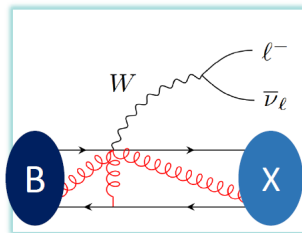
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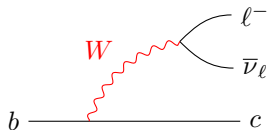
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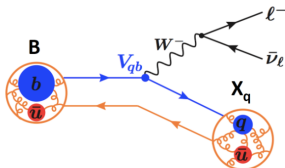
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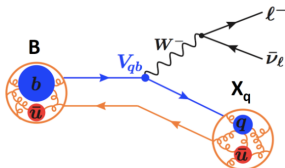


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- Observation: Transitions between **hadrons**

## Two options:

- Exclusive decays: pick one final state with the desired quarks ( $V_{cb} \rightarrow D^{(*)}$  and  $V_{ub} \rightarrow \pi$ )
- Inclusive decays: everything you can think of! (denoted with  $X_c$  or  $X_u$ )

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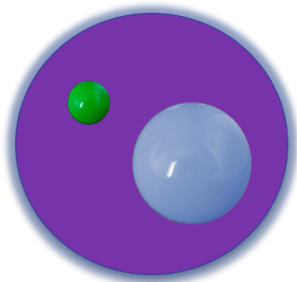


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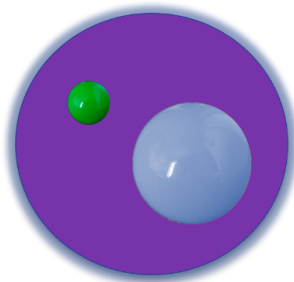
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- Dealing with QCD at large distances/small scales
- Parametrize fundamental mismatch in non-perturbative objects
  - Calculable: Lattice or Light-cone sumrules = **Exclusive Decays**
  - Measurable: from data = **Inclusive Decays**

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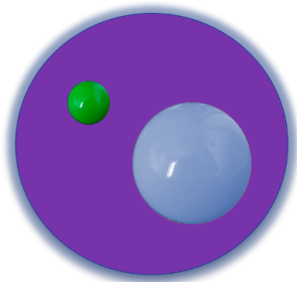


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- HQE parameters extracted from **lepton energy**, **hadronic mass** and **di-lepton invariant mass** moments

$\Gamma_i$  are power series in  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$

$$\Gamma = \Gamma_0 + \frac{1}{m_b} \Gamma_1 + \frac{1}{m_b^2} \Gamma_2 + \frac{1}{m_b^3} \Gamma_3 \dots$$

- $\Gamma_0$ : decay of the free quark (partonic contributions),  $\Gamma_1 = 0$
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- $\Gamma_4$ : 9 parameters Mannel, Turczyk, Uraltsev, JHEP 1010 (2011) 109
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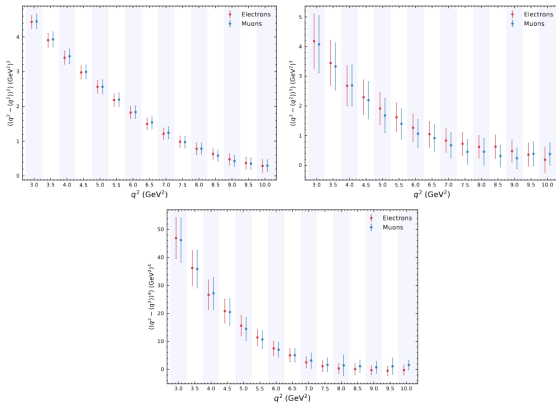
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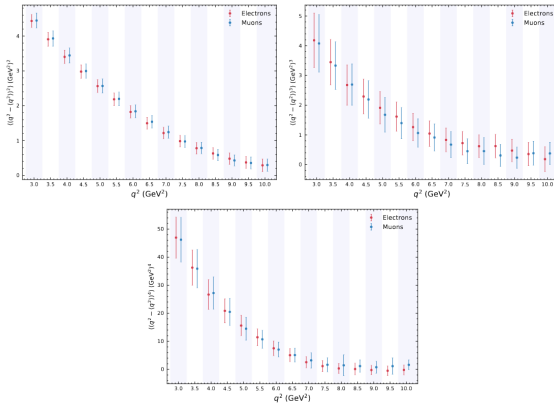
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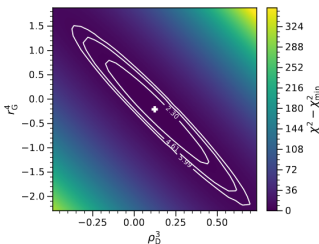
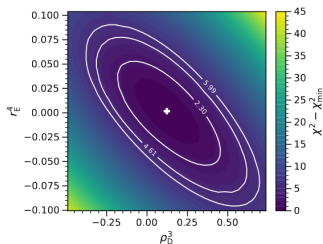
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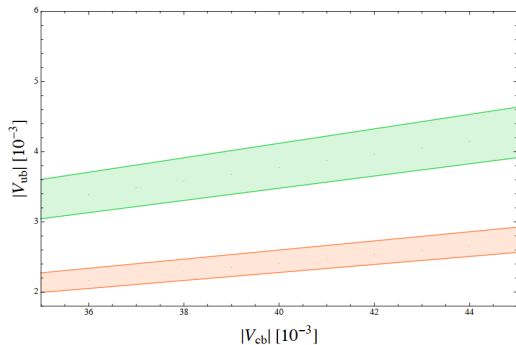
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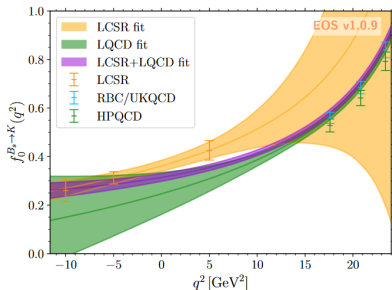
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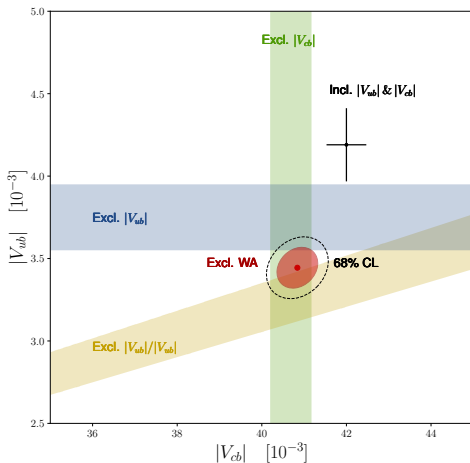
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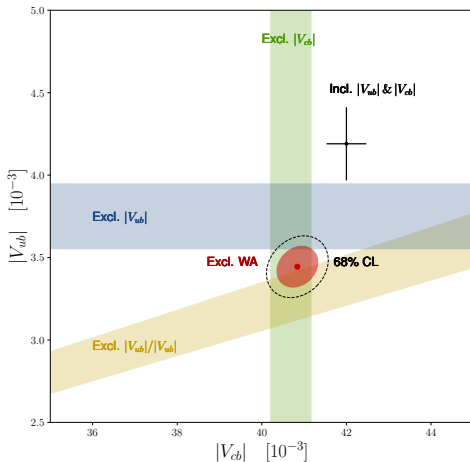


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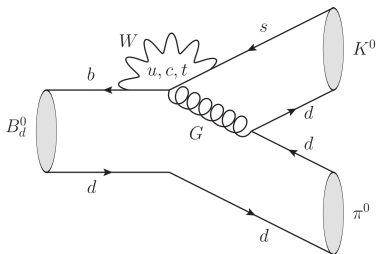
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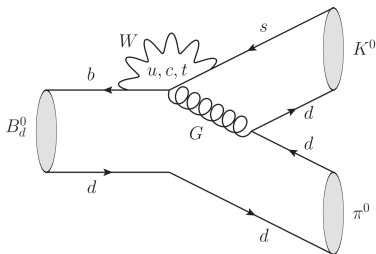
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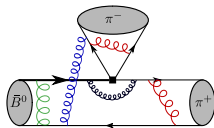
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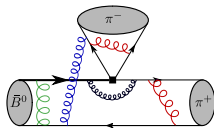


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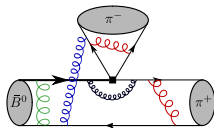
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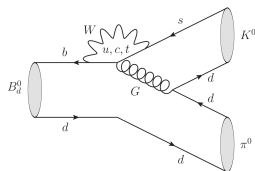
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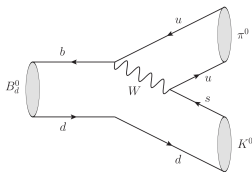
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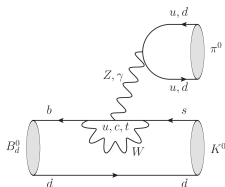
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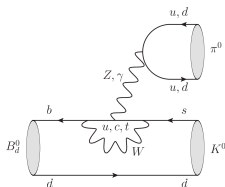
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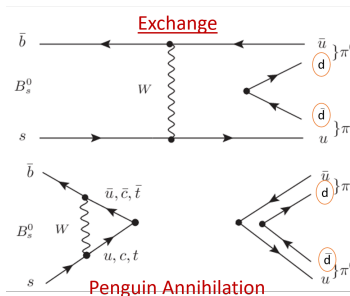
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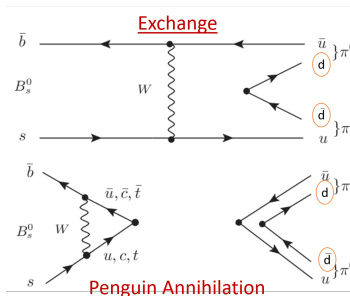
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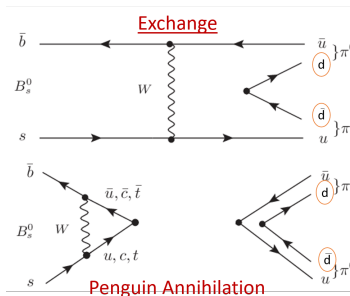


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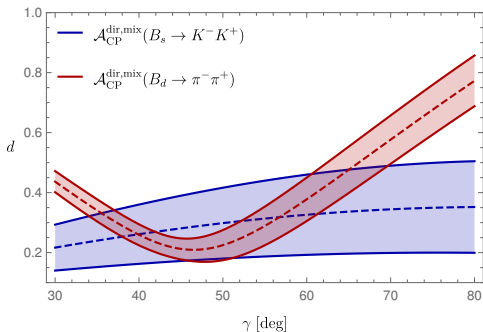


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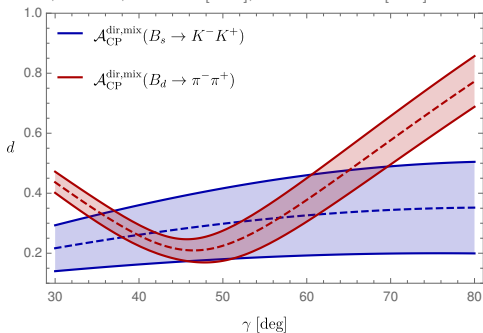
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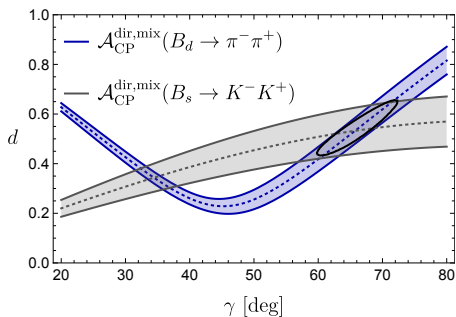
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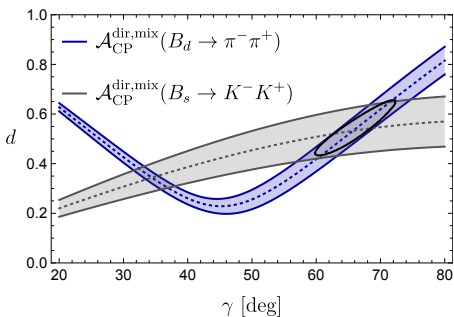


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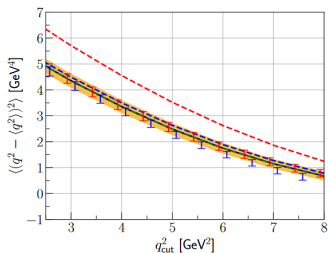
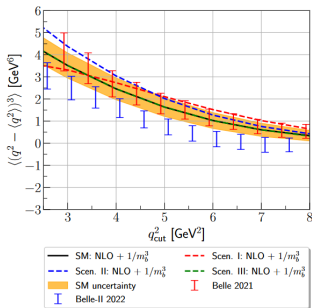


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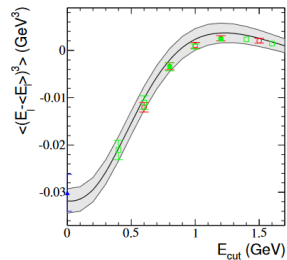
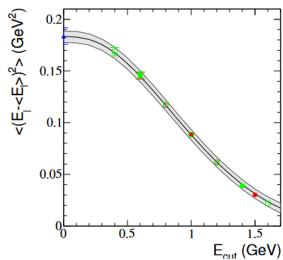
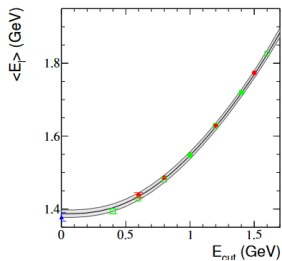


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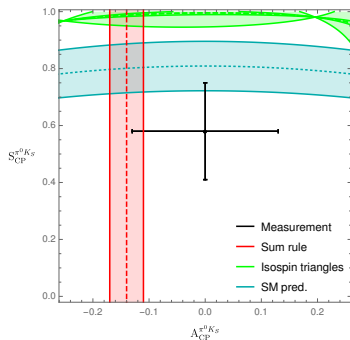
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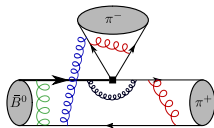
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$$\xi_{\text{NF}}^a \equiv \left| \frac{1 + r_P}{1 + r'_P} \right| \left| \frac{1 + x}{1 + x'} \right| \left| \frac{a_{\text{NF}}^T}{a_{\text{NF}}^{T'}} \right| = 1.00 \pm 0.07,$$

- $\Delta\phi_{KK} = -(4.5 \pm 5.3)^\circ$
- With  $\phi_s^{\text{eff}} = -(8.1 \pm 1.9)^\circ \rightarrow \phi_s = -(3.6 \pm 5.7)^\circ$

Remarkable agreement with  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$  determination:  $\phi_s = -(4.2 \pm 1.4)^\circ$

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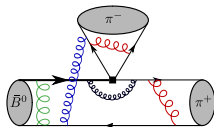
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- Non-perturbative **form factors** and **LCDAs**
  - from data, lattice or Light-Cone Sum Rules
- No systematic framework to compute power corrections (yet?)
- Strong phases suffer from large uncertainties
- Theoretical challenge: reliable computations of observables
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## Flavour symmetries (Isospin or $SU(3)$ )

- Many studies e.g. Fleischer, Jaarsma, KKV, Malami [2017,2018]
- Global  $SU(3)$  fit to  $B \rightarrow PP$  decays Huber, Tetlalmatzi-Xolocotzi [2111.06418]

# The $V_{cb}$ puzzle: Inclusive versus Exclusive decays

## Exclusive $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} l \bar{\nu}$

- Form factor required (only for  $B \rightarrow D$  available at different kinematic points)
- Different parametrizations for form factors: CLN Caprini, Lellouch, Neubert [1997] and BGL Boyd, Grinstein, Lebed [1995]
  - BGL: model independent based on unitarity and analyticity
  - CLN: Simple parametrization using HQE relations
- Some inconsistencies in the Belle data were pointed out see e.g. van Dyk, Jung, Bordone, Gubernari [2104.02094]

## Inclusive $B \rightarrow X_c l \nu$

- Determined fully data driven including  $1/m_b$  power corrections

Recently a lot of attention for the  $V_{cb}$  puzzle! Bigi, Schacht, Gambino, Jung, Straub, Bernlochner, Bordone, van Dyk, Gubernari

Stay tuned!

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Gunawardana, Lange, Mannel, Paz, Olschewsky, KKV [in progress]

$$|V_{ub}|_{\text{incl}} = \text{Stay Tuned!}$$

- Leading order shape functions

$$2m_B f(\omega) = \langle B(v) | \bar{b}_v \delta(\omega + i(n \cdot D)) b_v | B(v) \rangle$$

- Charged Lepton Energy Spectrum (at leading order)

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dy} \sim \int d\omega \theta(m_b(1-y) - \omega) f(\omega)$$

- Moments of the shapefunction are related to HQE ( $b \rightarrow c$ ) parameters:

$$f(\omega) = \delta(\omega) + \frac{\mu_\pi^2}{6m_b^2} \delta''(\omega) - \frac{\rho_D^3}{m_b^3} \delta'''(\omega) + \dots$$

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- Other approach: OPE with hard-cutoff  $\mu$  Gambino, Giordano, Ossola, Uraltsev
  - Use pert. theory above cutoff and parametrize the infrared
  - Different definition of the shape functions
- Shape functions have to be parametrized and obtained from data

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## $U$ -spin symmetry

$$d e^{i\theta} = d' e^{i\theta'}$$

- Or assume  $d = d'$  and extract  $\gamma$
- Limited by  $U$ -spin breaking corrections

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- Even cleaner extraction of mixing-phase  $\phi_s$  possible **Fleischer, Jaarsma, KKV [2211.08346]**

# New Physics explanation?

- Too many to count: exclusive  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}$  in combination with

$$R_{D^{(*)}} = \frac{B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu}{B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \mu \nu}$$

- For inclusive  $b \rightarrow c$  less analyses
  - RH-current, scalar and tensor NP contributions to rate Jung, Straub [2018]
  - RH-current to moments Feger, Mannel, et. al. [2010]
  - NP for moments KKV, Fael, Rahimi [in progress]

