

A new generation of ULFV observables from $B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$

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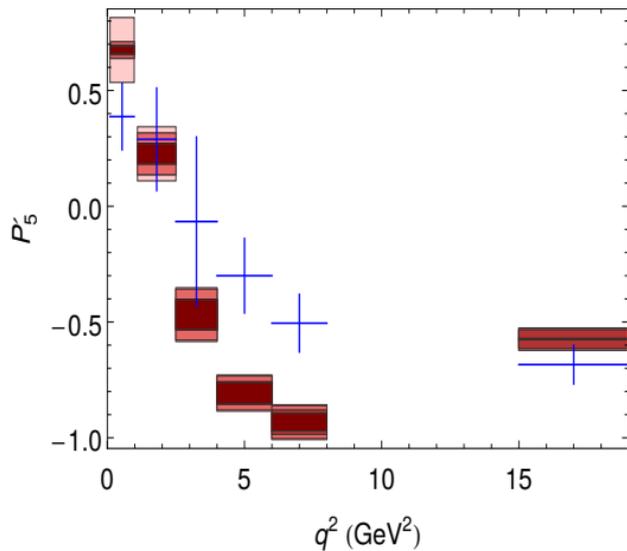
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Based on: CDVM'16 (JHEP 1610 (2016) 075) and CDHM'16 (to appear).

Present situation

concerning evidences of NP in $b \rightarrow sll$

P_5' anomaly (but also P_2 or A_{FB} is relevant)



P_5' was proposed in **DMRV, JHEP 1301(2013)048**

$$P_5' = \sqrt{2} \frac{\text{Re}(A_0^L A_{\perp}^{L*} - A_0^R A_{\perp}^{R*})}{\sqrt{|A_0|^2(|A_{\perp}|^2 + |A_{\parallel}|^2)}} = \sqrt{2} \frac{\text{Re}[n_0 n_{\perp}^{\dagger}]}{\sqrt{|n_0|^2(|n_{\perp}|^2 + |n_{\parallel}|^2)}}.$$

- 2013: 1fb^{-1} dataset LHCb found 3.7σ
- 2015: 3fb^{-1} dataset LHCb found 3σ in 2 bins.
- Belle confirmed it in a bin [4,8] few months ago.

1 Computed in i-QCDF + KMPW+ 4-types of correct. $\mathbf{F}^{\text{full}}(q^2) = F^{\text{soft}}(\xi_{\perp}, \xi_{\parallel}) + \Delta F^{\alpha_s}(q^2) + \Delta F^{\text{p.c.}}(q^2)$

type of correction	Factorizable	Non-Factorizable
α_s -QCDF	$\Delta F^{\alpha_s}(q^2)$	
power-corrections	$\Delta F^{\text{p.c.}}(q^2)$	LCSR with single soft gluon contribution

2 Another group [BSZ] found using full-FF approach and BSZ-FF very similar result (\lesssim errors).

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ONLY power correction error of $\langle P'_5 \rangle_{[4,6]}$	error of f.f.+p.c. scheme-1 in transversity basis DHMV'14	error of f.f.+p.c. scheme-2 in helicity basis JC'14
NO correlations among errors of p.c. (hyp. 10%)	± 0.05	$\pm \mathbf{0.15}$
WITH correlations among errors of p.c.	± 0.03	± 0.03

Their scheme's choice inflates error **artificially**.

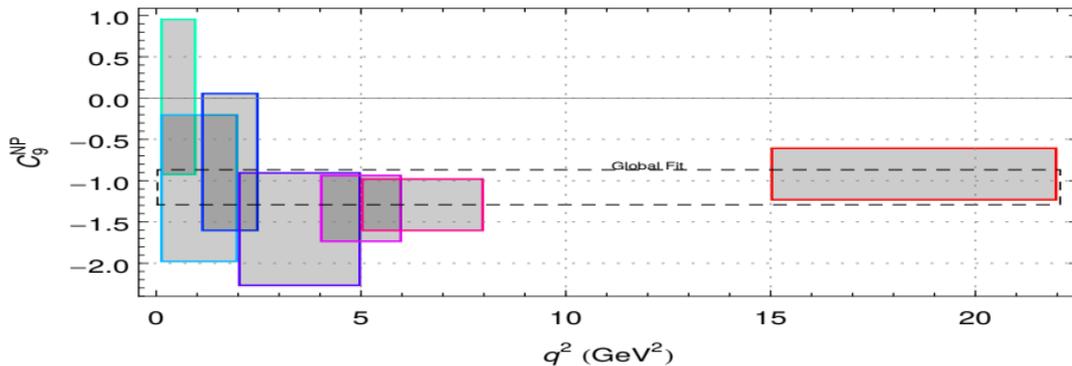
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[3] Bin-by-bin global fit analysis of C_9 tells you if a residual q^2 dependence is present.

⇒ if the values obtained are flat, charm is well estimated.



● We use KMPW. Notice the excellent agreement of bins [2,5], [4,6], [5,8].

$$C_9^{NP[2,5]} = -1.6 \pm 0.7, C_9^{NP[4,6]} = -1.3 \pm 0.4, C_9^{NP[5,8]} = -1.3 \pm 0.3$$

(see also F. Polci)

⇒ The lack of any indication for a q^2 -dependence in C_9 in this plot disfavors the arguments based on a huge charm-loop q^2 -dependent explanation.

More in CHDM'16 (to appear) to close this discussion

Other tensions beyond P'_5 ...

Systematic low-recoil small tensions:

$b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$ (low-recoil)	bin	SM	EXP	Pull
$10^7 \times \text{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow K^0\mu^+\mu^-)$	[15,19]	0.91 ± 0.12	0.67 ± 0.12	+1.4
$10^7 \times \text{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-)$	[16,19]	1.66 ± 0.15	1.23 ± 0.20	+1.7
$10^7 \times \text{BR}(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\mu^+\mu^-)$	[15,19]	2.59 ± 0.25	1.60 ± 0.32	+2.5
$10^7 \times \text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \phi\mu^+\mu^-)$	[15,18.8]	2.20 ± 0.17	1.62 ± 0.20	+2.2

After including the BSZ DA correction that affected the error of twist-4:

$10^7 \times \text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \phi\mu^+\mu^-)$	SM	EXP	Pull
[0.1,2]	1.56 ± 0.35	1.11 ± 0.16	+1.1
[2,5]	1.55 ± 0.33	0.77 ± 0.14	+2.2
[5,8]	1.89 ± 0.40	0.96 ± 0.15	+2.2

Global fit to ~ 90 obs.
(radiative+ $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$)

All deviations add up constructively

- A new physics contribution to $C_{9,\mu} = -1.1$ with a pull-SM of 4.5σ alleviates all anomalies and tensions.

- NP contributions to the rest of Wilson coefficient are not (**for the moment**) yet significantly different from zero.

No $b \rightarrow se^+e^-$ data included at this slide.

(see also J. Virto)

NATURE shows us two very different faces.....

The strongest signal of NP in C_9

- This coefficient is affected by long-distance charm contributions.

$$C_9^{\text{eff},i} = C_9^{\text{eff}}{}_{\text{SM pert}}(q^2) + C_9^{\text{NP}} + C_9^{l.d. c\bar{c}(i)}(q^2)$$

Hints of lepton-flavour non-universal NP

- Observables probing ULFV are free from long-distance charm pollution in the SM, i.e., free from $C_9^{l.d. c\bar{c}(i)}(q^2)$.
- Only NP can explain tensions w.r.t SM in these observables and they appear to be consistent with $P_5^{\prime\mu}$.



Universal Lepton-Flavour Violating Observables

offer a second/complementary option **to close the discussion about 'SM alternatives'.....**

Universal LFV observables: R_K 's hints

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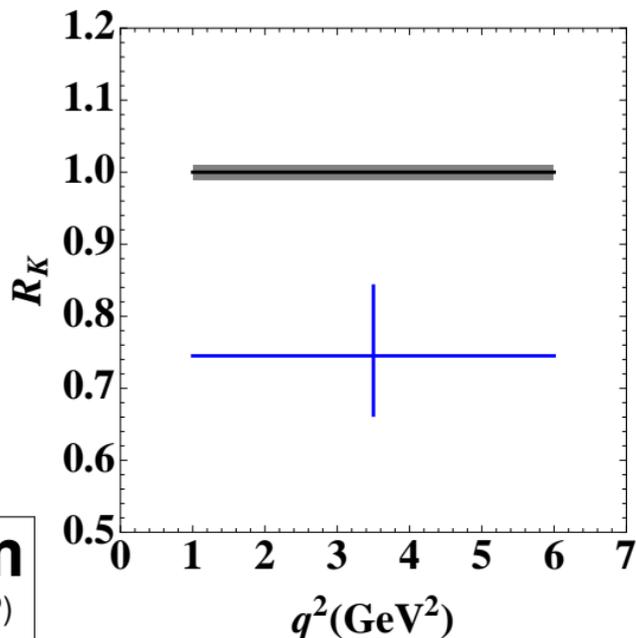
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If answer is YES:

NP or Charm? (obsolete question)	⟶	NP × Charm (disentangling type of NP)
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New Physics only possible explanation and charm only enters into game when discussing type of New Physics



The gray box is the SM prediction and blue cross is data.

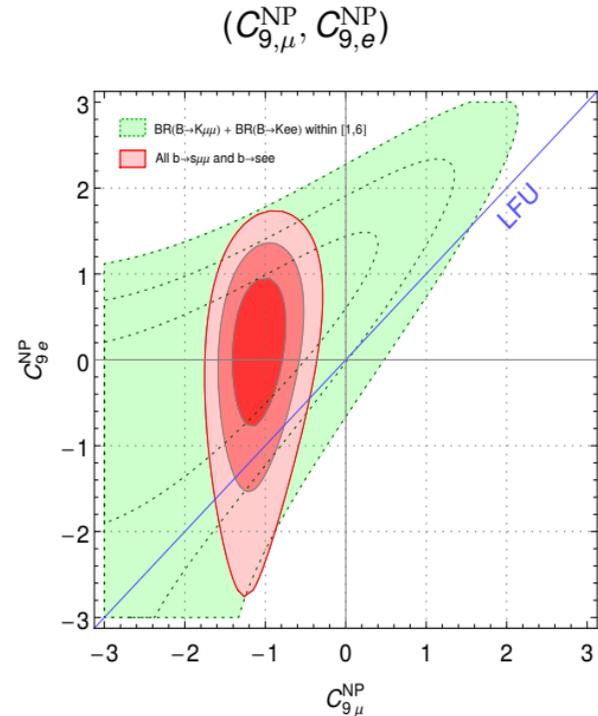
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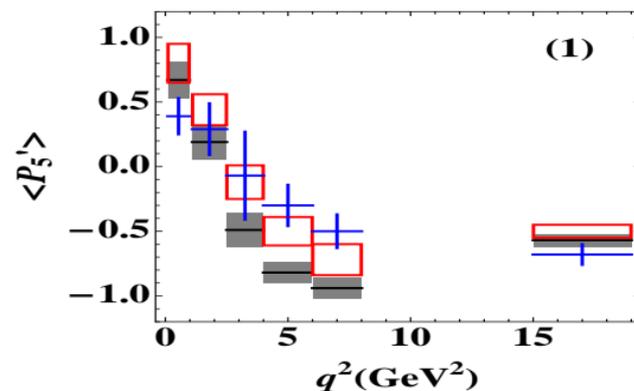
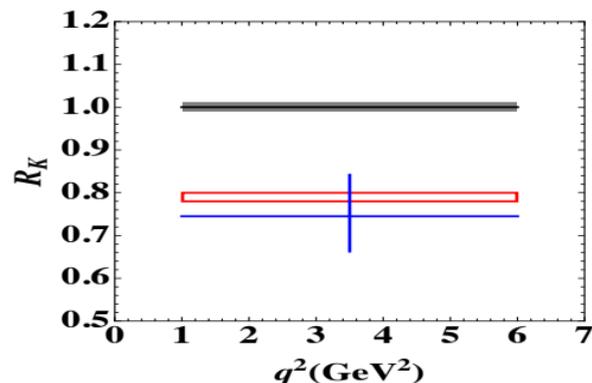
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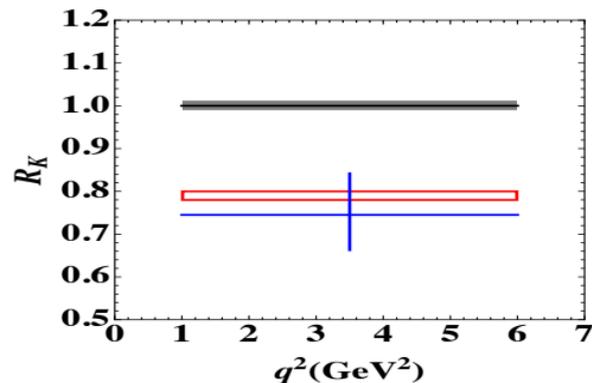
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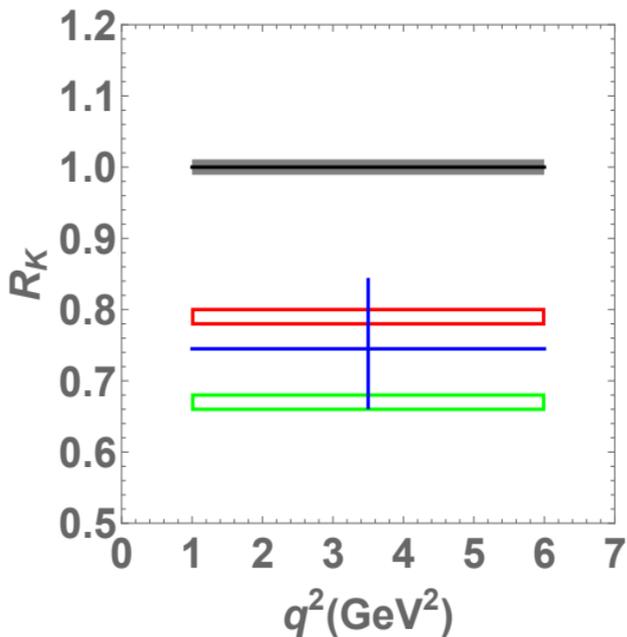
4 **BUT ALSO** low-recoil tensions and $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu \mu$.



$b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$	bin	SM \rightarrow NP
$\text{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow K^0 \mu^+ \mu^-)$	[15,19]	$+1.4\sigma \rightarrow +0.3\sigma$
$\text{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-)$	[16,19]	$+1.7\sigma \rightarrow +0.4\sigma$
$\text{BR}(B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \mu^+ \mu^-)$	[15,19]	$+2.5\sigma \rightarrow +1.2\sigma$
$\text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-)$	[15,18.8]	$+2.2\sigma \rightarrow +0.5\sigma$

Is it enough R_K to disentangle different New Physics scenarios?

But, with current data, more information than R_K alone is needed to distinguish between NP scenarios.
E.g. $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.1$ (scenario 1) vs $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -0.65$ (scenario 2).



Blue cross is data and gray band is SM prediction

THE (near) FUTURE:

A new generation of ULFV charm-insensitive observables (in SM).

⇒ Assume Nature violates universal lepton flavour (muons vs electrons).

Goal: To probe the different NP scenarios suggested by global fits with the highest possible precision.

How? New observables matching the following criteria:

- Sensitivity only to the short distance part of C_9 (**charm free** in the SM).
- Capacity to test for lepton flavour universality violation between the electronic and muonic modes.
- Sensitivity to Wilson coefficients other than C_9 .
- In presence of New Physics reduced hadronic uncertainties.

Exploiting the angular analyses of both $B \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu$ and $B \rightarrow K^* e e$ decays, certain combinations of the angular observables fulfill the requirements

$$\langle Q_i \rangle = \langle P_i^\mu \rangle - \langle P_i^e \rangle \quad \langle \hat{Q}_i \rangle = \langle \hat{P}_i^\mu \rangle - \langle \hat{P}_i^e \rangle \quad \langle B_k \rangle = \frac{\langle J_k^\mu \rangle}{\langle J_k^e \rangle} - 1 \quad \langle \tilde{B}_k \rangle = \frac{\langle J_k^\mu / \beta_\mu^2 \rangle}{\langle J_k^e / \beta_e^2 \rangle} - 1$$

$i = 1, \dots, 9$ & $k = 5, 6$ s

where $\hat{}$ means correcting for lepton-mass effects in the first bin (backup slides).

How LFUV NP enter in Wilson coefficients?:

$$C_{i,\mu} = \begin{cases} C_i + \delta C_i, & i = 10, 9', 10' \\ C_9 + \delta C_9 + \Delta C_9^{(j)} \end{cases} \quad C_{i,e} = \begin{cases} C_i, & i = 10, 9', 10' \\ C_9 + \Delta C_9^{(j)} \end{cases}$$
$$j = \perp, \parallel, 0$$

Notice $C_{7,7'}$ is obviously lepton-mass independent.

$\Rightarrow \delta C_i = C_{i,\mu} - C_{i,e} \equiv$ amount of LFU violation.

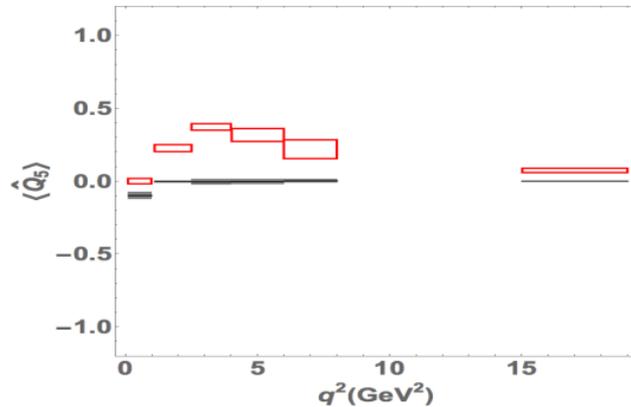
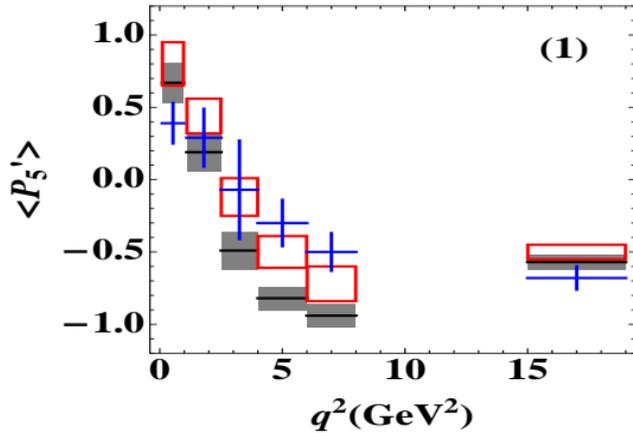
$\Rightarrow C_i \equiv$ SM + LFU NP.

$\Rightarrow \Delta C_9^{(j)} \equiv$ long-distance charm. Two types:

- **Transversity Dependent:** $\Delta C_9^{\perp, \parallel, 0}$ different.
- **Transversity Independent:** $\Delta C_9^{\perp} = \Delta C_9^{\parallel} = \Delta C_9^0$.

Q_i observables. The example: P'_5 versus $Q_5 = P'_5{}^\mu - P'_5{}^e$

Gray-SM, Red-NP $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.11$, $C_{9,e}^{\text{NP}} = 0$ and data



- Soft FF independent at LO exactly in SM
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- Large sensitivity to $C_{9,\mu}$. SM (DHMV'15):

$$\langle P'_5 \rangle_{[4,6]} = -0.82 \pm 0.08$$

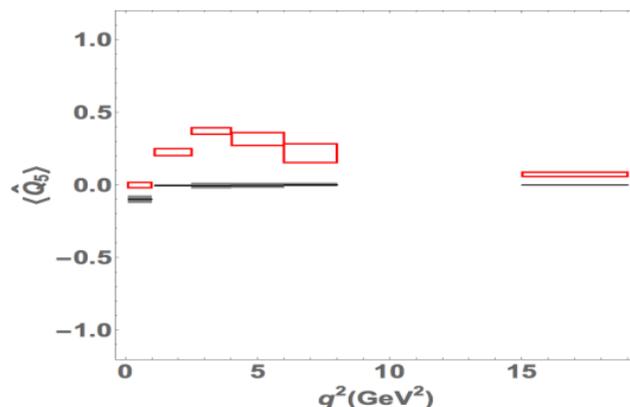
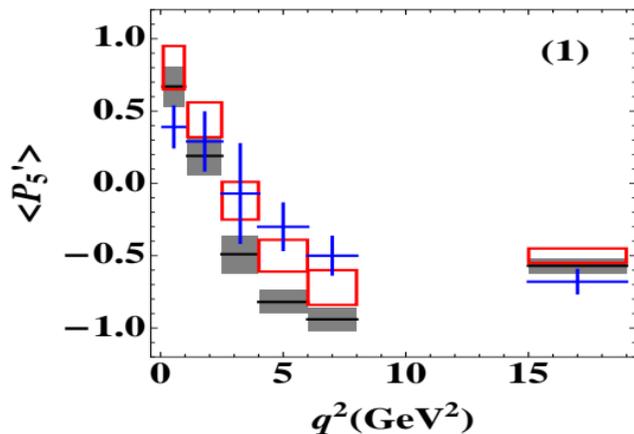
$$\langle P'_5 \rangle_{[6,8]} = -0.94 \pm 0.08$$

- FF indep. at all orders in SM (up to $\Delta m_\ell^2/q^2$).
Soft FF indep. at LO exactly in NP.
- Long-distance charm insensitive in the SM.
Large sensitivity to $\delta C_9 = C_{9,\mu} - C_{9,e}$.
(CDMV'16): ($< 10^{-3}$ without lepton mass)

$$\langle \hat{Q}_5 \rangle_{[4,6]} = -0.002 \pm 0.017$$

$$\langle \hat{Q}_5 \rangle_{[6,8]} = +0.002 \pm 0.010$$

Q_i observables. The example: P'_5 versus $Q_5 = P'_5{}^\mu - P'_5{}^e$ for $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.1$



Remark: In presence of NP hadronic uncertainties reemerge in \hat{Q}_5 ...

P'_5	Prediction $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.1$	\hat{Q}_5	SM-Prediction	\hat{Q}_5	Prediction $\delta C_9 = -1.1$
[0.1, 0.98]	$+0.80 \pm 0.14$	[0.1, 0.98]	-0.097 ± 0.023	[0.1, 0.98]	0.000 ± 0.018
[1.1, 2.5]	$+0.43 \pm 0.12$	[1.1, 2.5]	-0.003 ± 0.007	[1.1, 2.5]	0.227 ± 0.023
[2.5, 4]	-0.12 ± 0.13	[2.5, 4]	-0.005 ± 0.017	[2.5, 4]	0.370 ± 0.021
[4, 6]	-0.50 ± 0.11	[4, 6]	-0.002 ± 0.017	[4, 6]	0.314 ± 0.046
[6, 8]	-0.73 ± 0.12	[6, 8]	$+0.002 \pm 0.010$	[6, 8]	0.216 ± 0.061

BUT, it only matters when discussing the **type** of NP we can see.

In summary if $Q_5^{\text{exp}} \neq 0$ because $P_5^{\prime\mu\text{exp}} \neq P_5^{\prime\mu\text{SM}}$ while $P_5^{\prime e\text{exp}} \simeq P_5^{\prime e\text{SM}}$ we learn:

1 Nature is Universal Lepton Flavour Violation.

2 Any attempt to use:

\Rightarrow long distance $c\bar{c}$ loops that mimics New Physics

as a possible explanation of P_5' within SM is ruled out!!

.... all arguments in [CDHM'16] gets an independent confirmation.

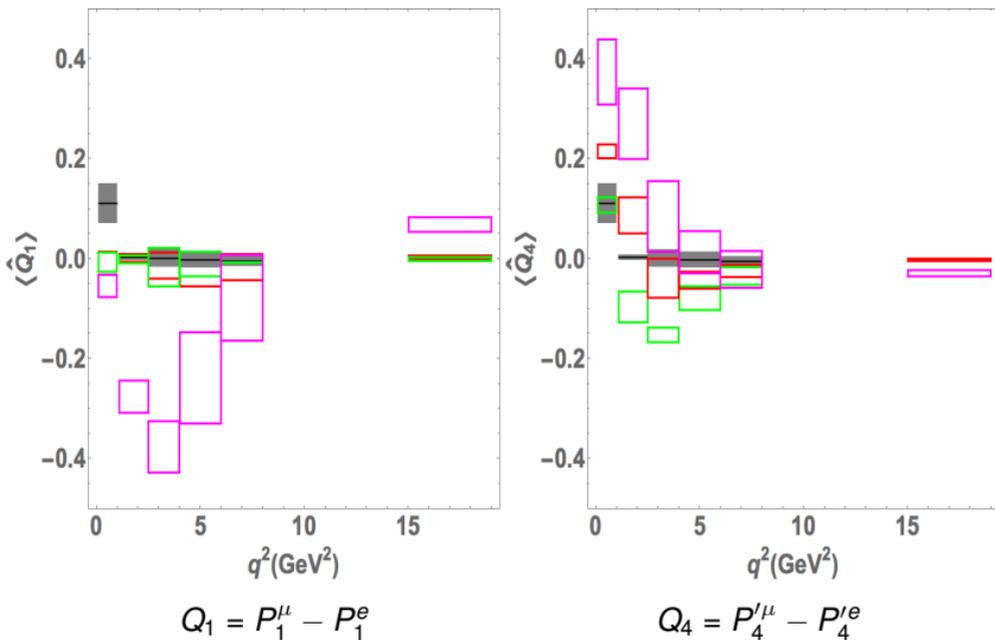
Belle (according to T. Browder's talk) can be the first in testing it (see S. Wehle's talk).

Probing right-handed currents (RHC) with Q_i

SM predictions (grey boxes),

NP: $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.11$ & $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -0.65$ & $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.18$ & $C_{10,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = C_{10,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = 0.38$.

with $\delta C_i = C_{i,\mu} - C_{i,e}$ (and $C_{i,e}$ SM)



⇒ $Q_{1,4}$ provide excellent opportunities to probe RHC in $C'_{9,\mu}$ & $C'_{10,\mu}$.

■ Q_1 shows significant deviations in presence of RHC. If $C'_7 = 0$ at LO

$$s_0^{LO} = -2 \frac{C_7 \delta C'_9 m_b M_B}{C_{10,\mu} \delta C'_{10} + \text{Re} C_{9,\mu} \delta C'_9}$$

no zero (except $s = 0$) if $\delta C'_9 = 0$.

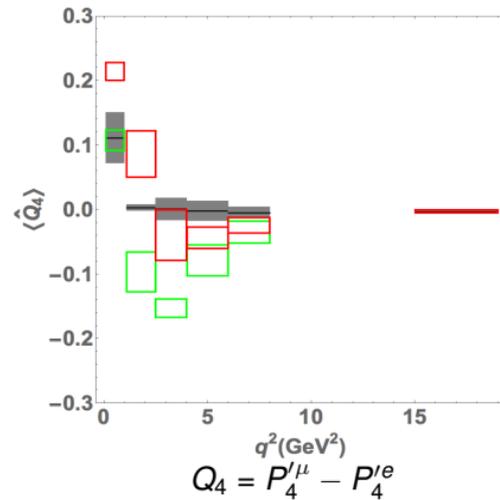
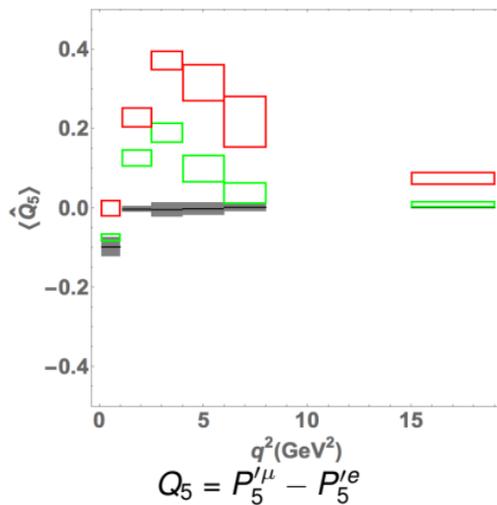
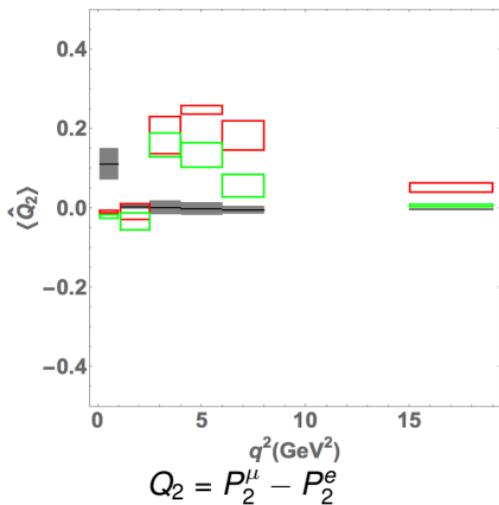
no sensitivity to C_i if $C'_i = 0$.

■ Q_4 at low- q^2 exhibits deviations for $C'_{9,10,\mu}$ when accurate precision in measurements is achieved.

Probing NP in $C_{9,10}$ with Q_i

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NP: $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.11$ (scenario 1) & $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -C_{10,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -0.65$ (scenario 2) with $\delta C_i = C_{i,\mu} - C_{i,e}$ (and $C_{i,e}$ SM)



⇒ Q_2 , Q_4 & Q_5 show distinctive signatures for the two NP scenarios considered.

- Differences in the high- q^2 bins of the large recoil region of Q_2 & Q_5 are quite significant. Lack of difference between scenario 2 and SM same reason why P_5^e in scenario 2 is worst than scenario 1.
- Q_4 at very low- q^2 (second bin) is very promising to disentangle scenario 1 from 2.

Idea: Combine J_i^μ & J_i^e to build combinations sensitive to some C_i , with controlled sensitivity to long-distance charm.

$$\beta_\ell J_5 - 2iJ_8 = 8\beta_\ell^2 N^2 m_B^2 (1 - \hat{s})^3 \frac{\hat{m}_{K^*}}{\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}}} C_{10}^\ell \left[C_7 \hat{m}_b (1 + \hat{s}) + \hat{s} C_9^\ell \right] \xi_\perp \xi_{||} + \dots$$
$$\beta_\ell J_{6s} - 2iJ_9 = 16\beta_\ell^2 N^2 m_B^2 \frac{(1 - \hat{s})^2}{\hat{s}} C_{10}^\ell \left[2C_7 \hat{m}_b + \hat{s} C_9^\ell \right] \xi_\perp^2 + \dots$$

where $\beta_\ell = \sqrt{1 - 4m_\ell^2/q^2}$.

Assuming real NP & maximal LFUV μ vs e , natural combinations are

$$B_5 = \frac{J_5^\mu}{J_5^e} - 1 \quad B_{6s} = \frac{J_{6s}^\mu}{J_{6s}^e} - 1$$

- Form factor independent at all orders (up to Δ lepton mass).
- Full charm insensitive in the SM.
- Linear sensitivity to δC_9 **kinematically suppressed**.

In the large-recoil limit and in absence of RHC currents [CDMV'16]:

$$B_5 = \frac{J_5^\mu - J_5^e}{J_5^e} = \frac{\beta_\mu^2 - \beta_e^2}{\beta_e^2} + \frac{\beta_\mu^2}{\beta_e^2} \frac{\delta C_{10}}{C_{10}} + \frac{\beta_\mu^2}{\beta_e^2} \frac{2(C_{10} + \delta C_{10})\delta C_9 \hat{s}}{C_{10} (2C_7 \hat{m}_b (1 + \hat{s}) + (2C_9 + \Delta C_{9,0} + \Delta C_{9,\perp}) \hat{s})} + \dots$$

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In the limit of $s \rightarrow 0$ δC_{10} is cleanly disentangled:

$$B_5(s \rightarrow 0) = B_{6s}(s \rightarrow 0) = \frac{\beta_\mu^2 - \beta_e^2}{\beta_e^2} + \frac{\beta_\mu^2}{\beta_e^2} \frac{\delta C_{10}}{C_{10}} + \dots$$

This shows the IMPORTANCE of the normalization to the electronic mode. IF NOT normalized:

$$J_5^\mu - J_5^e \propto C_7 \delta C_{10} \xi_\perp \xi_\parallel$$

Several PROBLEMS in extracting δC_{10} if not normalized:

- 1) $\xi_\perp \xi_\parallel$: SFF error? KMPW or BSZ
- 2) Charm contribution possible inside C_7 .

B_5 & $B_{6s} \rightarrow \tilde{B}_5$ & \tilde{B}_{6s} Observables

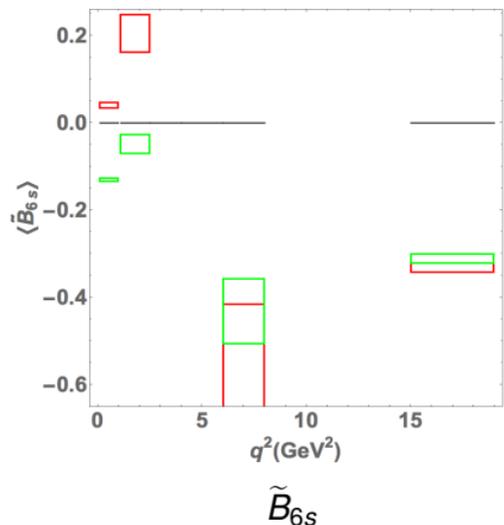
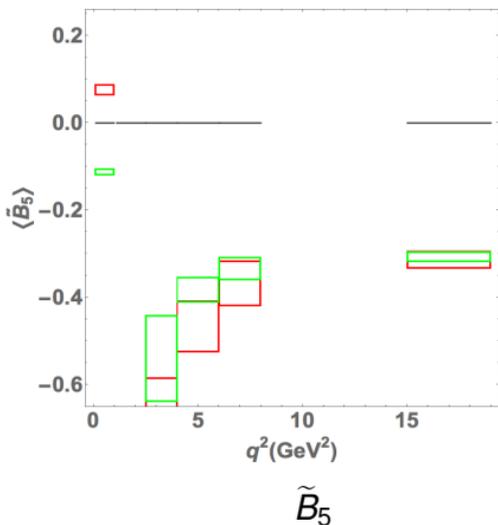
B_5 & B_{6s} are **not identically 0** in the SM.

Lepton mass differences generates a non-zero contribution mainly in the first bin.

⇒ If on an event-by-event basis experimentalist can measure $\langle J_i^\mu / \beta_\mu^2 \rangle$:

$$\langle \tilde{B}_5 \rangle = \frac{\langle J_5^\mu / \beta_\mu^2 \rangle}{\langle J_5^e / \beta_e^2 \rangle} - 1 \quad \langle \tilde{B}_{6s} \rangle = \frac{\langle J_{6s}^\mu / \beta_\mu^2 \rangle}{\langle J_{6s}^e / \beta_e^2 \rangle} - 1$$

- SM Predictions: $\langle \tilde{B}_i \rangle = 0.00 \pm 0.00$.
- All good properties of $B_{5,6s}$ + simpler structure $\beta_i \rightarrow 1$.



- When $\hat{s} \rightarrow 0$, $\tilde{B}_5 = \tilde{B}_{6s} = \delta C_{10} / C_{10}$
 ⇒ Sensitivity to δC_{10} !
 Exactly as B_5 , B_{6s} but simpler.

- 1st Bins: Capacity to distinguish

$$C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.11 \text{ from}$$

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\widetilde{M} : Transversity Independent Charm Free Observables at low q^2

Goals: Can one construct a ULFV observable not only free from hadronic uncertainties in the SM but also free from long-distance charm in presence of New Physics? **Yes** BUT only under two conditions:

- Only if New Physics is dominated by δC_9 .
- Only if long-distance charm is transversity independent $\Delta C_9^\perp = \Delta C_9^\parallel = \Delta C_9^0 = \Delta C_9$.

$$\widetilde{M} = \frac{\widetilde{B}_5 \widetilde{B}_{6s}}{\widetilde{B}_{6s} - \widetilde{B}_5} = -\frac{\delta C_9 \hat{s}}{C_7 \hat{m}_b (1 - \hat{s})} + \delta C_{10} \text{ terms} + \delta C_{10} \Delta C_9 \text{ terms} + \dots$$

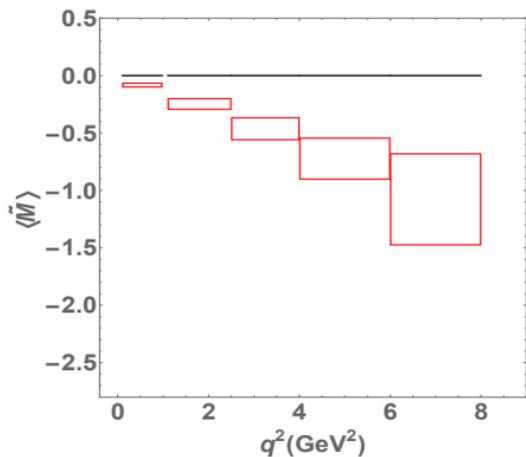
- If charm is transversity dependent (as expected) is impossible to remove it in presence of NP.

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(Leading order expression)

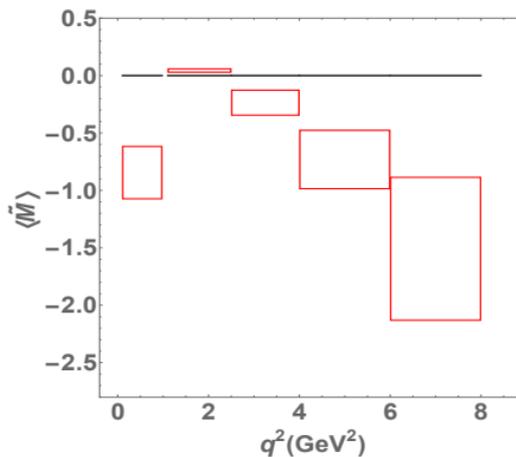
- Maximal sensitivity to NP at very low- q^2 .
- **Even if for $\delta C_{10} \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ long-distance charm reemerges, this observable is particularly promising to measure δC_{10} .**
- Singular in the region where $B_5 \simeq B_{6s}$.

Error size comes from TD charm suppressed at low- q^2



Scenario 1:
 $\delta C_{9\mu}^{NP} = -1.11$

Error size comes from all type of charm TD and TI (due to $\delta C_{10} \neq 0$)



Scenario 2:
 $\delta C_{9\mu}^{NP} = -\delta C_{10\mu}^{NP} = -0.65$

Figure: SM predictions (grey boxes) and NP predictions (red boxes) for $\langle \tilde{M} \rangle$ down in the 2 scenarios.

- Global point of view: We have shown that the same NP solution $C_{9,\mu}^{\text{NP}} = -1.1$, $C_{9,e}^{\text{NP}} = 0$ alleviates all tensions: P'_5 , R_K , low-recoil, $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$, ...
→ SM 'alternative explanations' are in trouble from a global point of view.
- Local point of view:
 - Factorizable p.c.: We have proven that an inappropriate scheme's choice if correlations among p.c. are not considered inflates artificially the errors.
 - Long-distance charm: Explicit computation by KMPW do not explain the anomaly and a bin-by-bin analysis does not find any indication for a q^2 -dependence.
- We have proposed different sets of **ULFV observables comparing** $B \rightarrow K^* ee$ & $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$ (totally free from any long distance charm in the SM).
 - Q_i Observables: $Q_i \leftrightarrow P_i^\ell$
 - $C_{9\ell}$ linear Observables: $B_{5,6s}$, $\tilde{B}_{5,6s} \leftrightarrow J_{5,6s}$
 - TI charm free Observables: M (\tilde{M})
- $\langle Q_i \rangle$ observables allows us to **distinguish** different **NP** scenarios: RHC or δC_9 versus $\delta C_9 = -\delta C_{10}$.
- $\langle B_5 \rangle$ & $\langle B_{6s} \rangle$ but also $\langle \tilde{M} \rangle$ can be used to **measure** δC_{10} at very low- q^2 .

Backup Slide

LHCb currently determines $F_{L,T}$ using a simplified description of the angular kinematics:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} J_{2s} \\ J_{2c} \end{array} \right\} \mapsto J_{1c} \text{ (equivalent in the massless limit)}$$

Then, to match this convention, the angular observables are redefined in the following way:

$$F_L = \frac{-J_{2c}}{dG/dq^2} \rightarrow \hat{F}_L = \frac{J_{1c}}{dG/dq^2}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{J_3}{2J_{2s}} \rightarrow \hat{P}_1 = \frac{J_3}{2\hat{J}_{2s}}$$

$$P_3 = -\frac{J_9}{4J_{2s}} \rightarrow \hat{P}_3 = -\frac{J_9}{4\hat{J}_{2s}}$$

$$P'_5 = \frac{J_5}{2\sqrt{-J_{2s}J_{2c}}} \rightarrow \hat{P}'_5 = \frac{J_5}{2\sqrt{\hat{J}_{2s}J_{1c}}}$$

$$P'_8 = -\frac{J_8}{\sqrt{-J_{2s}J_{2c}}} \rightarrow \hat{P}'_8 = -\frac{J_8}{\sqrt{\hat{J}_{2s}J_{1c}}}$$

$$F_T = \frac{4J_{2s}}{dG/dq^2} \rightarrow \hat{F}_T = 1 - \hat{F}_L$$

$$P_2 = \frac{J_{6s}}{8J_{2s}} \rightarrow \hat{P}_2 = \frac{J_{6s}}{8\hat{J}_{2s}}$$

$$P'_4 = \frac{J_4}{\sqrt{-J_{2s}J_{2c}}} \rightarrow \hat{P}'_4 = \frac{J_4}{\sqrt{\hat{J}_{2s}J_{1c}}}$$

$$P'_6 = -\frac{J_7}{2\sqrt{-J_{2s}J_{2c}}} \rightarrow \hat{P}'_6 = -\frac{J_7}{2\sqrt{\hat{J}_{2s}J_{1c}}}$$

$$\text{with } \hat{J}_{2s} = \frac{1}{16}(6J_{1s} - J_{1c} - 2J_{2s} - J_{2c})$$

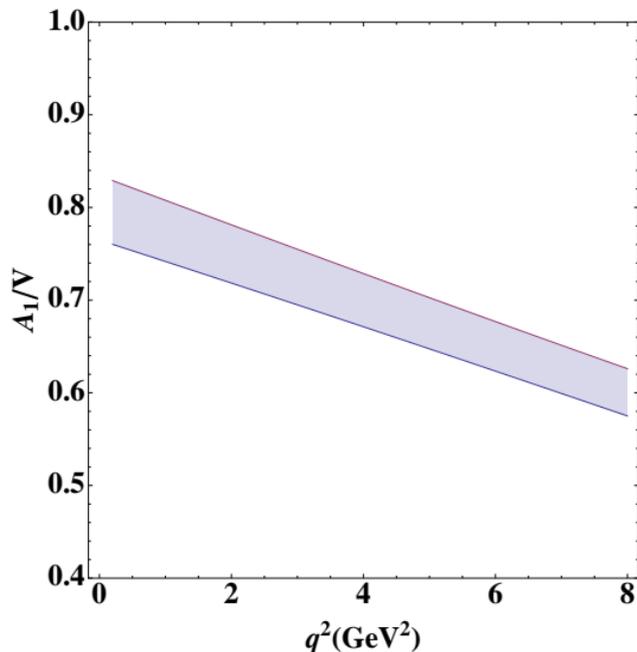
Why is there a need to compute the predictions from $\hat{F}_{L,T}$ instead of $F_{L,T}$? Let's consider the decay distribution

$$\frac{1}{d(G + \bar{G})/dq^2} \frac{d^3(G + \bar{G})}{dO} = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\frac{3}{4} \hat{F}_T \sin^2 \theta_K + \hat{F}_L \cos^2 \theta_K \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{4} F_T \sin^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l - F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_l + \dots \right]$$

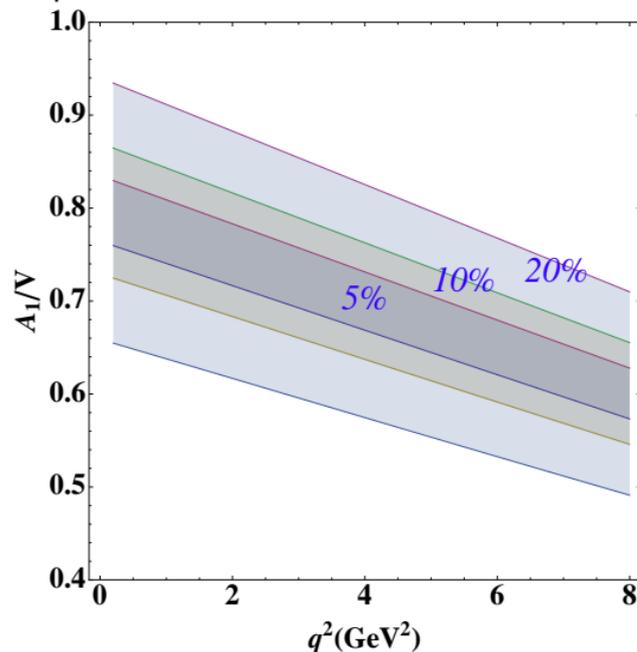
- With the current limited statistics, $\hat{F}_{L,T}$ and $F_{L,T}$ cannot be distinguished by LHCb.
- $\cos^2 \theta_K$ is the dominant term, so it is the natural place to extract F_L .

The size of power corrections

The ratio A_1/V is particularly relevant. Let's illustrate that the size of the error associated to power corrections is much below 10%. We use BSZ for this example.



Ratio of FF computed in BSZ including correlations using full-FF.



Ratio of FF computed in BSZ taking 5%, 10% and 20% for the error associated to p.c.

Notice that already a 5% error of power correction is of the same size of the error of the full-FF.

A brief (or not so) parenthesis on hadronic uncertainties

There are two ways to discard attempts of explanation (factorizable p.c, charm) of the anomaly in P'_5 within the SM:

- 1 Direct deconstruction of arguments (\rightarrow the case of factorizable power corrections) or by comparison with data of explicit computations (not fits) of long-distance charm contributions (KMPW).
- 2 With the help of ULFV observables: if P'_5 and ULFV observables share the same new physics explanation, no space for long-distance charm or other unknown hadronic uncertainties is left in P'_5 .

let's play a bit first with 1....



$$F^{\text{full}}(q^2) = F^{\text{soft}}(\xi_{\perp}, \xi_{\parallel}) + \Delta F^{\alpha_s}(q^2) + \Delta F^{\text{p.c.}}(q^2) \quad \text{with} \quad \Delta F^{\text{p.c.}}(q^2) = a_F + b_F \left(\frac{q^2}{m_B^2}\right) + \dots$$

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Why JC'14 has observables with huge errors?

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Long-distance contributions from $c\bar{c}$ loops where the lepton pair is created by an electromagnetic current.

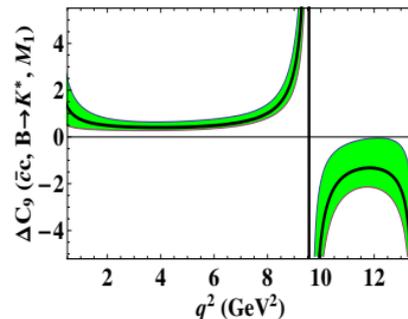
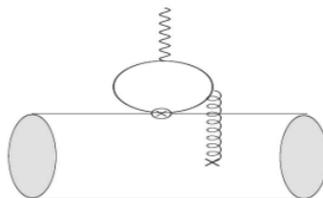
- 1 The γ couples universally to μ^\pm and e^\pm : R_K nor any LFVU cannot be explained by charm-loops.
- 2 KMPW is the only real computation of long-distance charm.

$$C_9^{\text{eff } i} = C_9^{\text{eff}}_{\text{SM pert}}(q^2) + C_9^{\text{NP}} + s_i \delta C_9^{\text{cc}(i)}_{\text{KMPW}}(q^2)$$

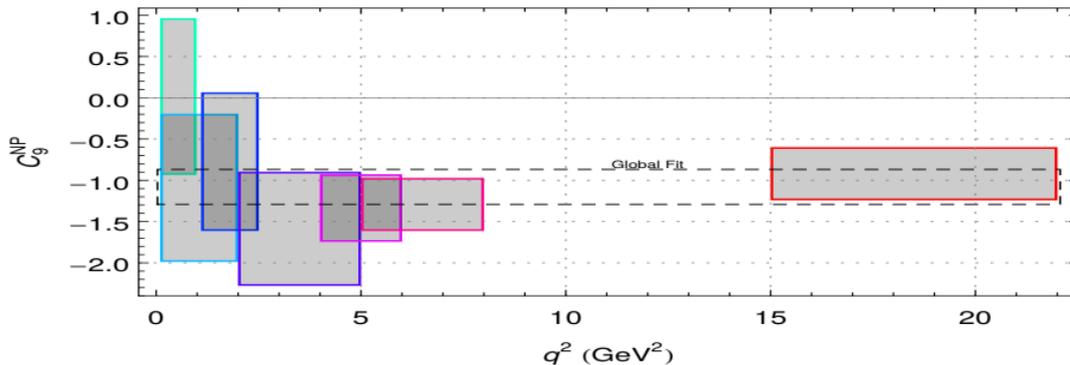
KMPW implies $s_i = 1$, but we vary $s_i = 0 \pm 1$, $i = 0, \perp, \parallel$.

$$\delta C_9^{\text{LD},(\perp,\parallel)}(q^2) = \frac{a^{(\perp,\parallel)} + b^{(\perp,\parallel)} q^2 [c^{(\perp,\parallel)} - q^2]}{b^{(\perp,\parallel)} q^2 [c^{(\perp,\parallel)} - q^2]}$$

$$\delta C_9^{\text{LD},0}(q^2) = \frac{a^0 + b^0 [q^2 + s_0] [c^0 - q^2]}{b^0 [q^2 + s_0] [c^0 - q^2]}$$



- 3 Bin-by-bin global fit analysis of C_9 tells you if a residual q^2 dependence is present.
 \Rightarrow if the values obtained are flat, charm is well estimated.



- We use KMPW. Notice the excellent agreement of bins [2,5], [4,6], [5,8].

$$C_9^{NP[2,5]} = -1.6 \pm 0.7, C_9^{NP[4,6]} = -1.3 \pm 0.4, C_9^{NP[5,8]} = -1.3 \pm 0.3$$

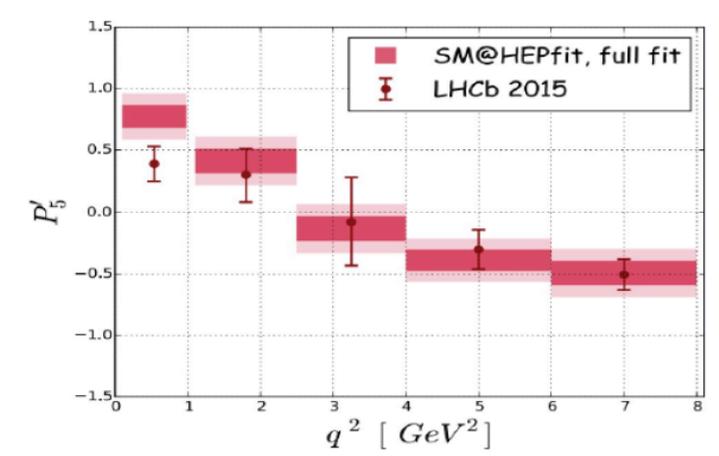
- **We do not find any indication for a q^2 -dependence in C_9 neither in the plots nor in a 6D fit adding $a^i + b^i$ s to C_9^{eff} for $i = K^*, K, \phi$.**
 \rightarrow disfavour again charm explanation.

Another group [Silvestrini et al.] argue that maybe there is an unknown and very hard to compute charm contribution (that they do not even try to compute or estimate) that explain only one anomaly.

An anatomy/deconstruction of (Ciuchini et al'15)

There is certain confusion in the literature related to the correct interpretation of [Ciuchini et al.'15].

1) **Arbitrary** parametrization $h_\lambda = h_\lambda^{(0)} + h_\lambda^{(1)}q^2 + h_\lambda^{(2)}q^4$ and fit ONLY LHCb data @low- q^2 .



THIS IS JUST A FIT TO DATA: No dynamics is involved. If one adds 18 free parameters one can fit easily anything.

Can one get a solid conclusion out of this result?

In v1 of that work we found an internal inconsistency of more than 4σ between their predictions.

→ Reason error in S_4^{theory} . Example in bin [4,6]:

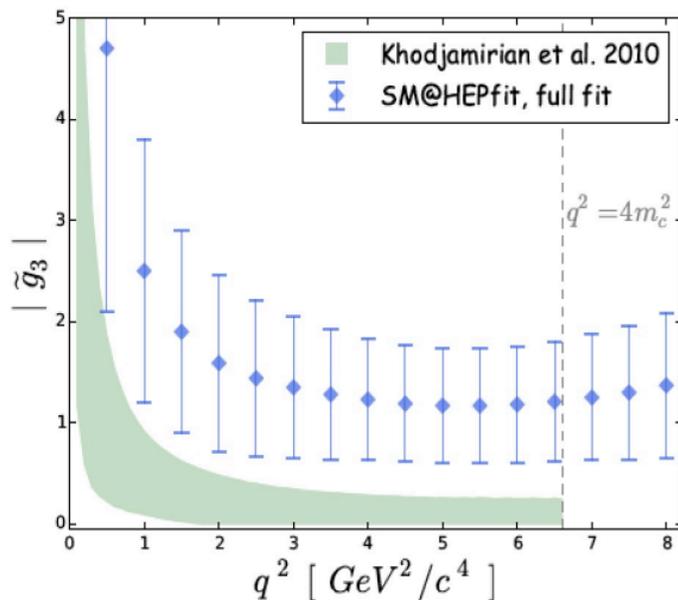
$$S_4^{v1} = -0.120 \pm 0.008 \text{ versus } S_4^{v2} = -0.241 \pm 0.014 \text{ they differ by } 7.5\sigma!!!!$$

Surprisingly in abstract v1: " *good description* of current experimental data within SM" (also in v2...)

→ Difficult to get a robust conclusion. So many parameters can swallow anything (real or spurious).

The paper has basically two parts:

- 1) Part-I Unconstrained fit: They simply confirm our results of the global fit (we obviously agree).



Consider again:

$$C_9^{\text{eff}(i)} = C_9^{\text{eff}}_{\text{SM pert}}(q^2) + C_9^{\text{NP}} + \delta C_9^{\text{cc}(i)}_{\text{KMPW}}(q^2)$$

where

$$\delta C_9^{\text{cc}(i)}_{\text{KMPW}}(q^2) \rightarrow |2C_1 \tilde{g}_i^{\text{CFMPSV}}| \rightarrow h_\lambda$$

Blue: Their **fit** to $\delta C_9^{\text{cc}(i)}_{\text{KMPW}}(q^2)$

Green: The **computation** of Khodjamirian et al.

They show a constant shift everywhere. Two options:

...this universal shift is C_9^{NP} (same as R_K).

...or a universal charm q^2 -**independent** coming from?? unable to explain nor R_K neither any LFVU. (weird)

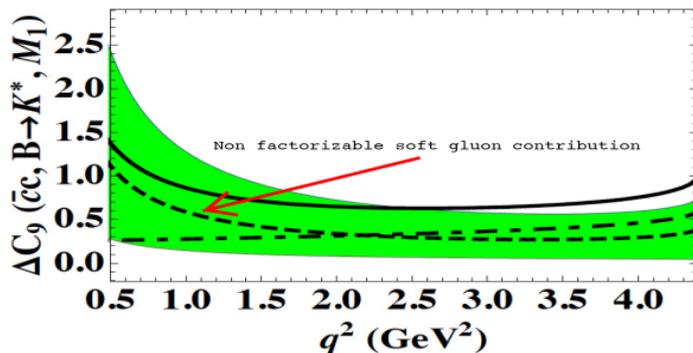
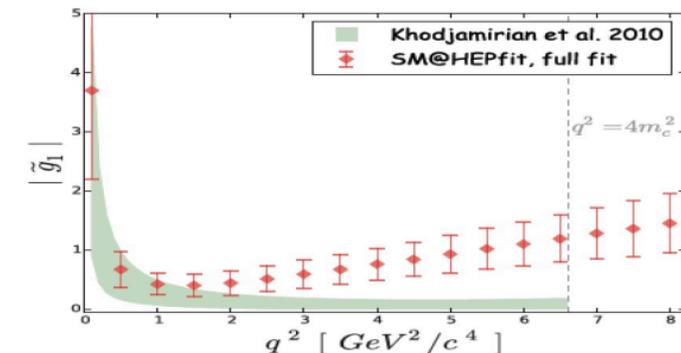
II) Part-II Constrained fit: This part of the paper is highly 'controversial'.

They consider the result of KMPW at $q^2 \lesssim 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ as an estimate of the charm loop effect.

- **Problem 1:** They tilt the fit at very-low q^2 inducing artificially a high- q^2 effect.
- **Problem 2:** Precisely below 1 GeV^2 there are well known lepton mass effects not considered here.
- **Problem 3:** KMPW computed the soft gluon effect with respect to LO factorizable (no imaginary part included) but CFFMPSV imposes

$$|g_i|^{LHCb} \simeq g_i^{KMPW} \quad \text{at } q^2 \lesssim 1 \text{ GeV}^2$$

This makes no sense since on the RHS the imaginary part is not computed.



KMPW (left): Dashed is $2C_1\tilde{g}_1$ indistinguishable from $2C_1\tilde{g}_2$.



let's now explore 2....this is the goal of this seminar