

# The Outlook for Hadronic Calculations



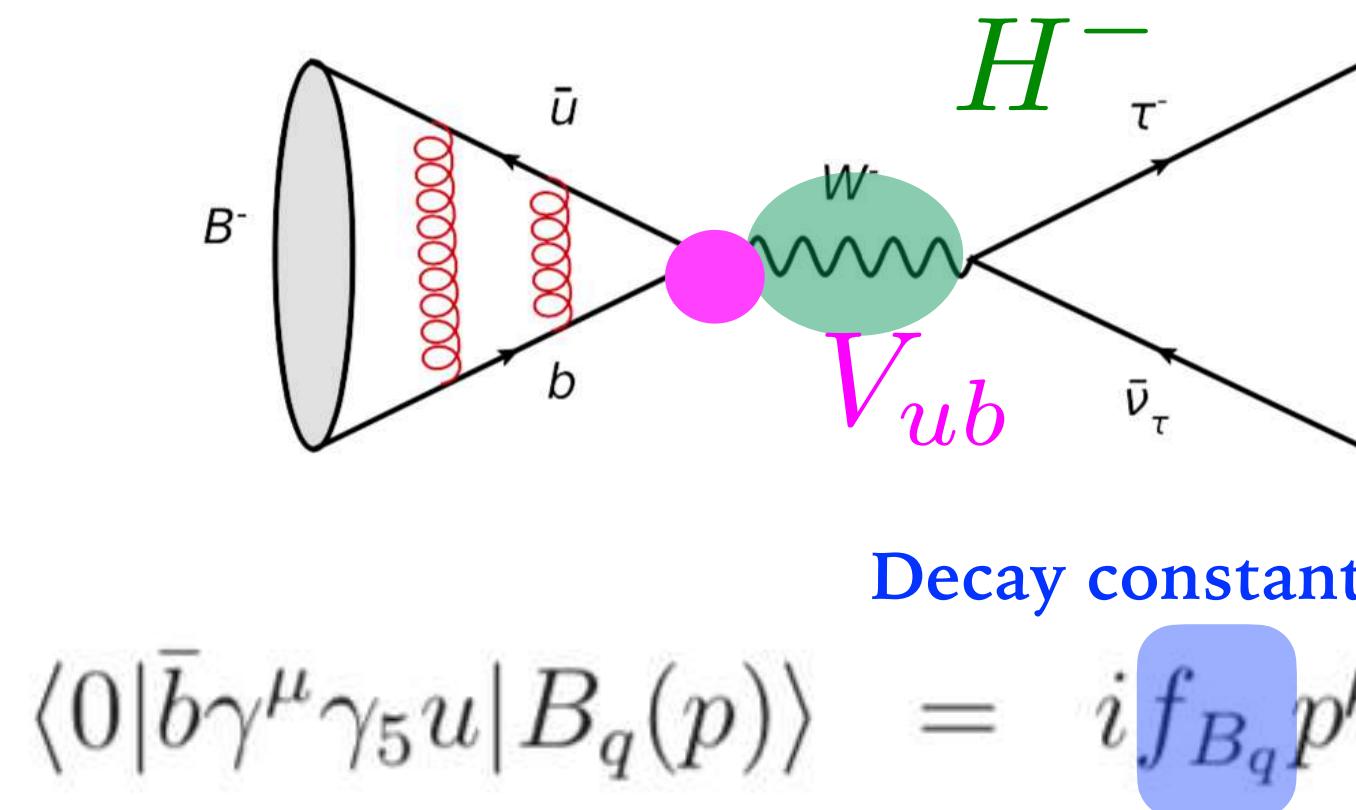
Beyond the Flavour Anomalies

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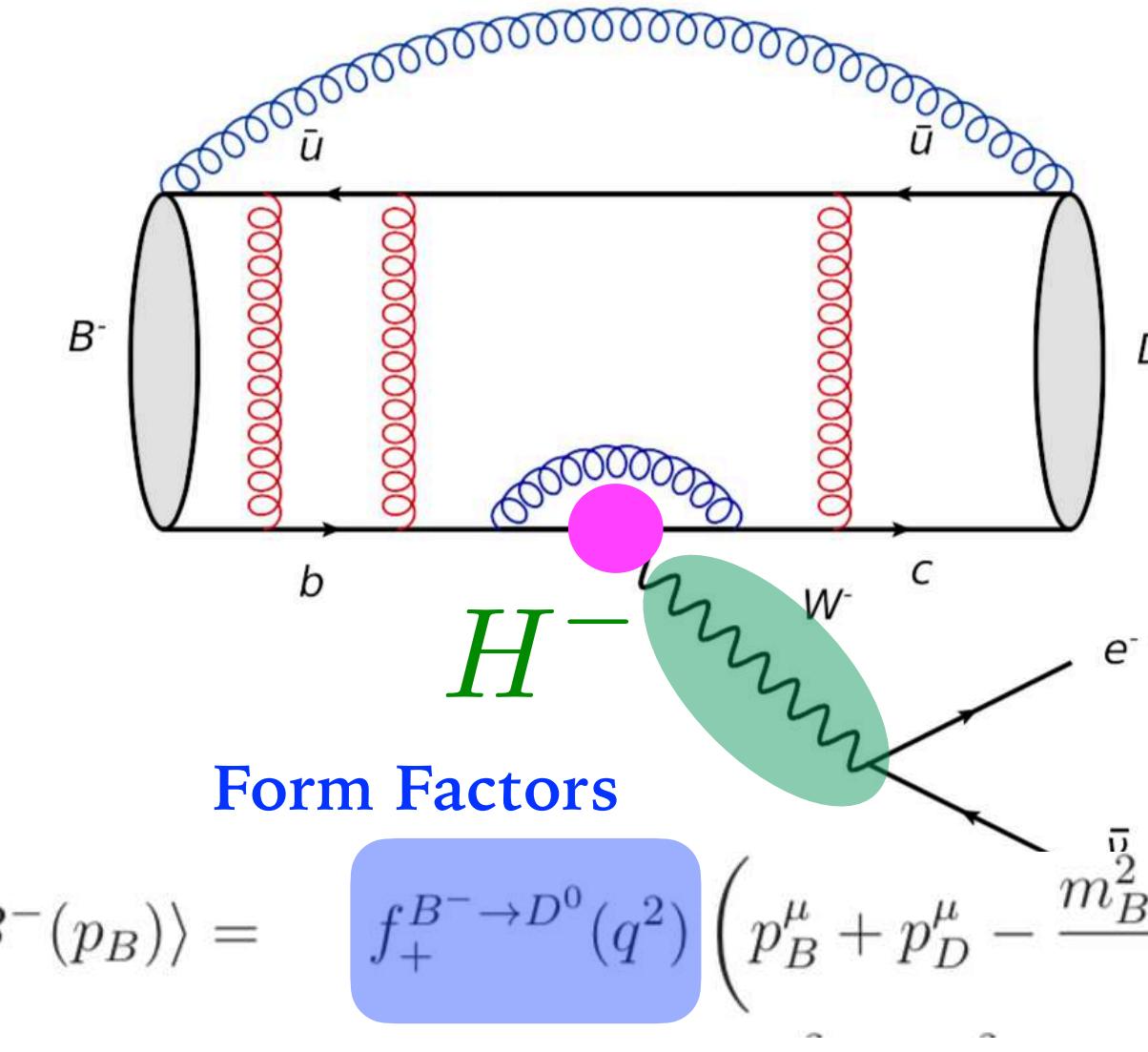
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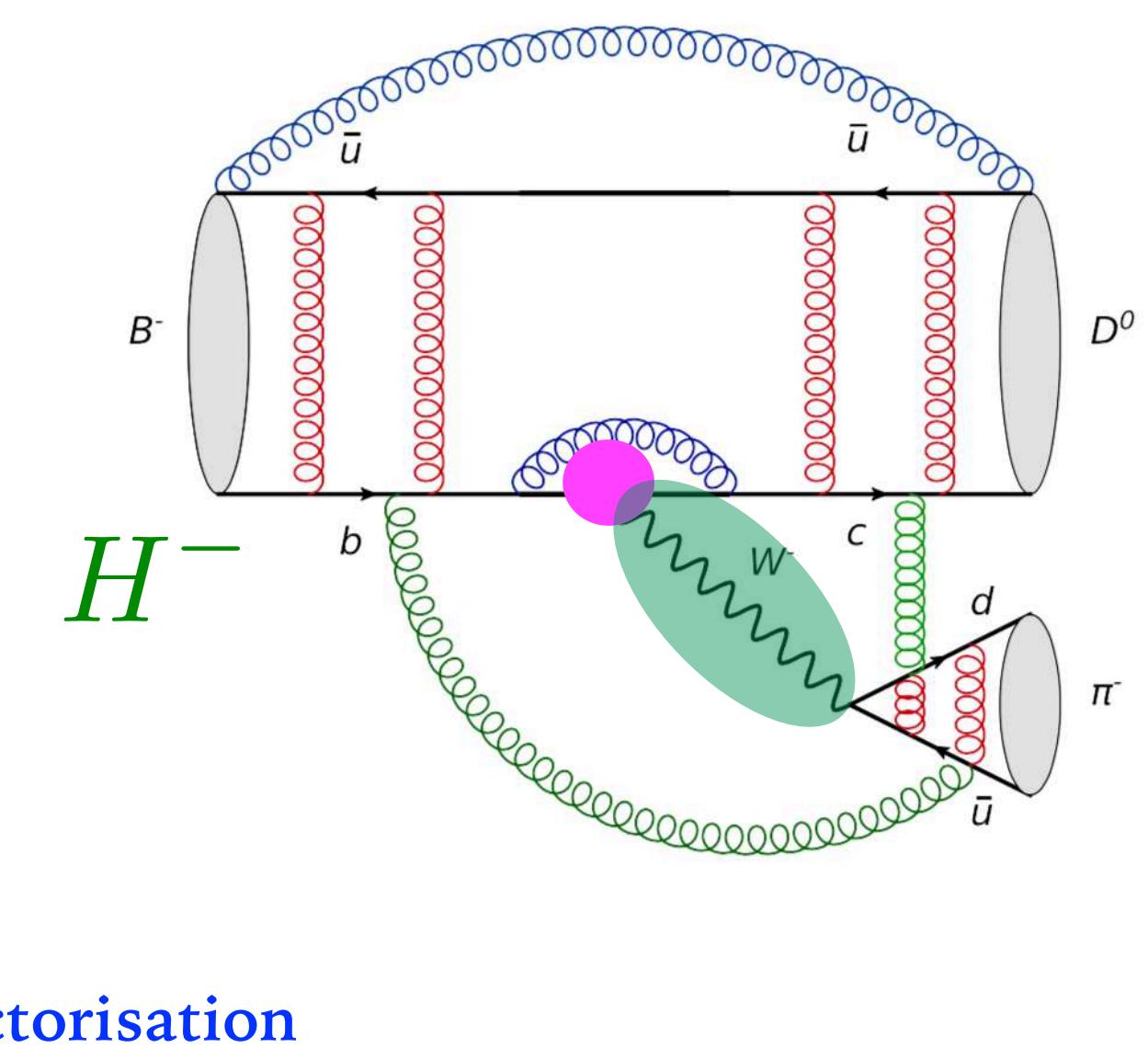
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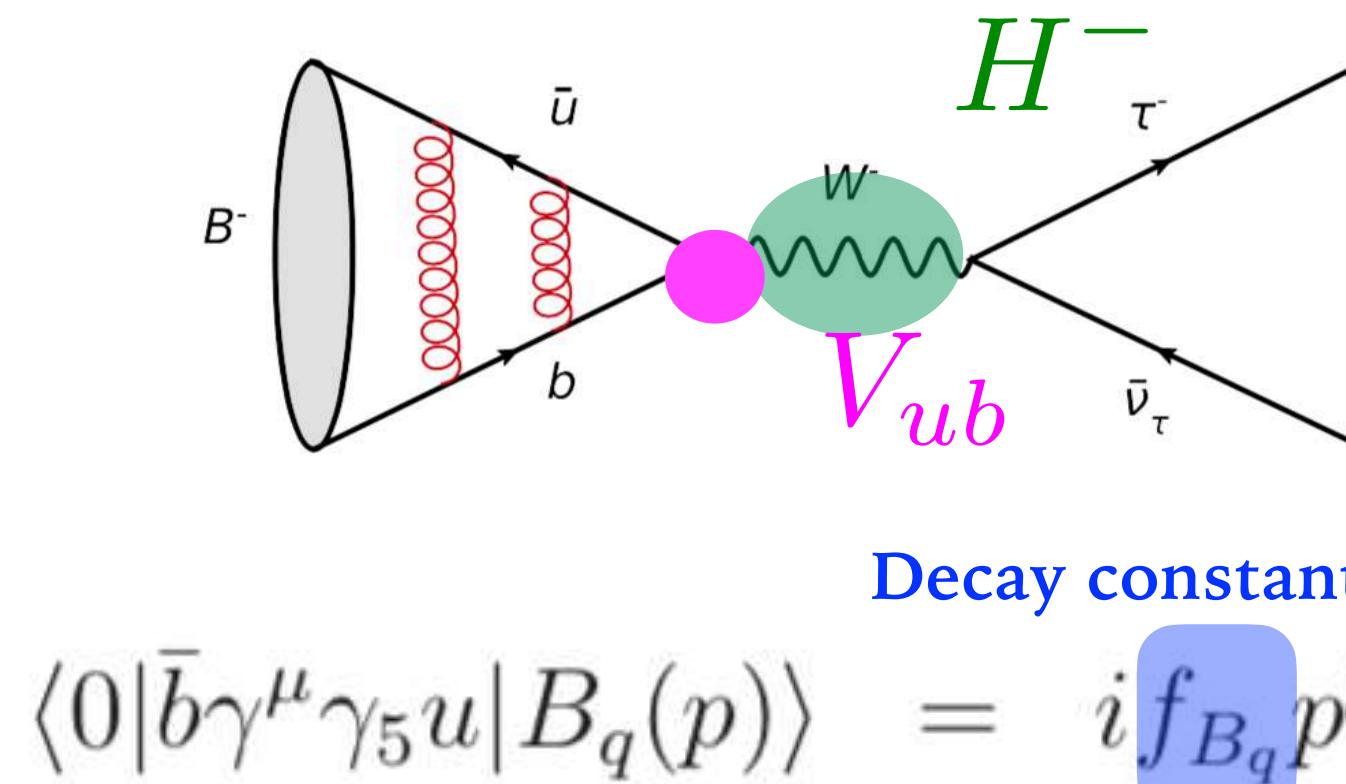
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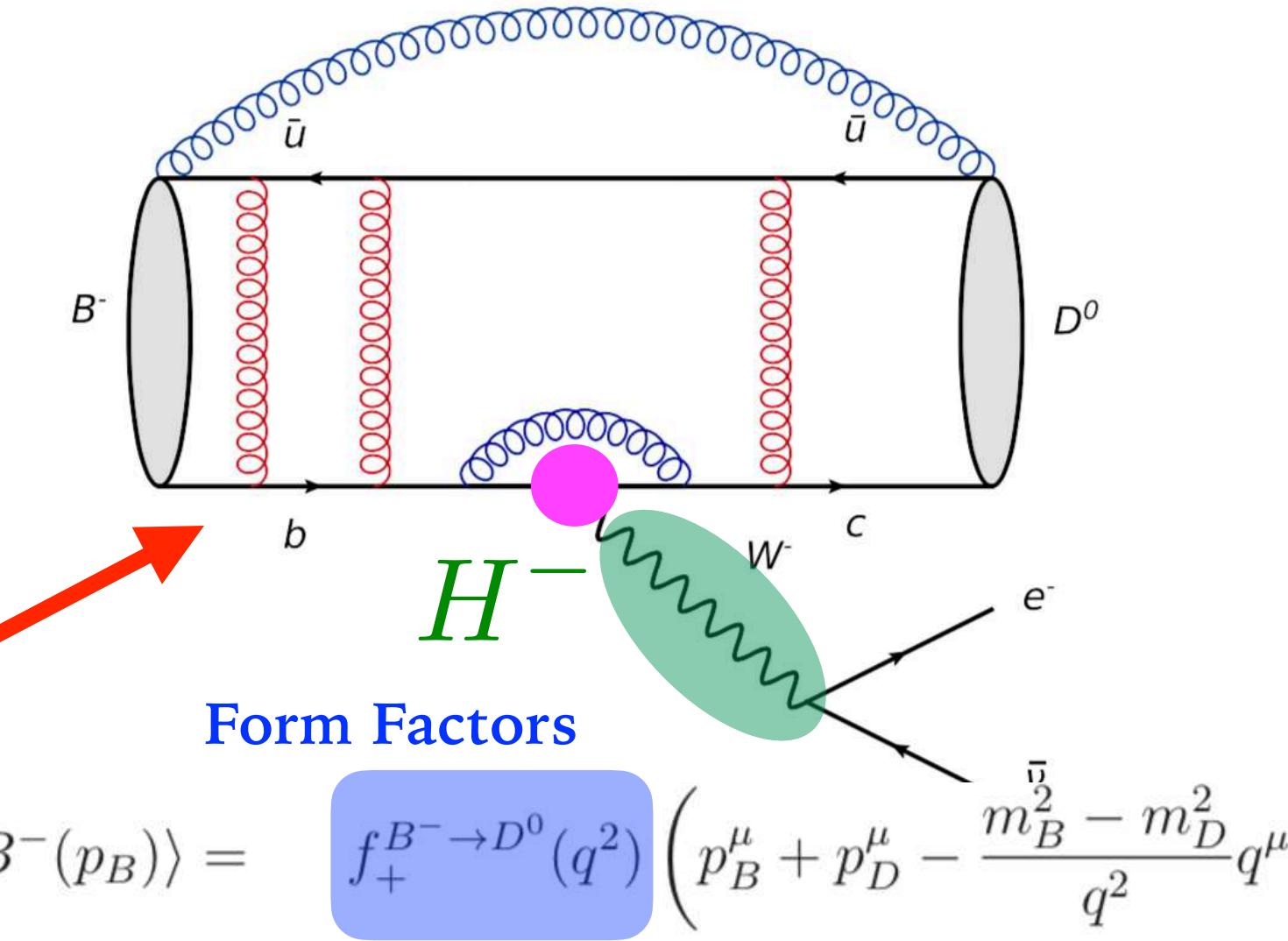


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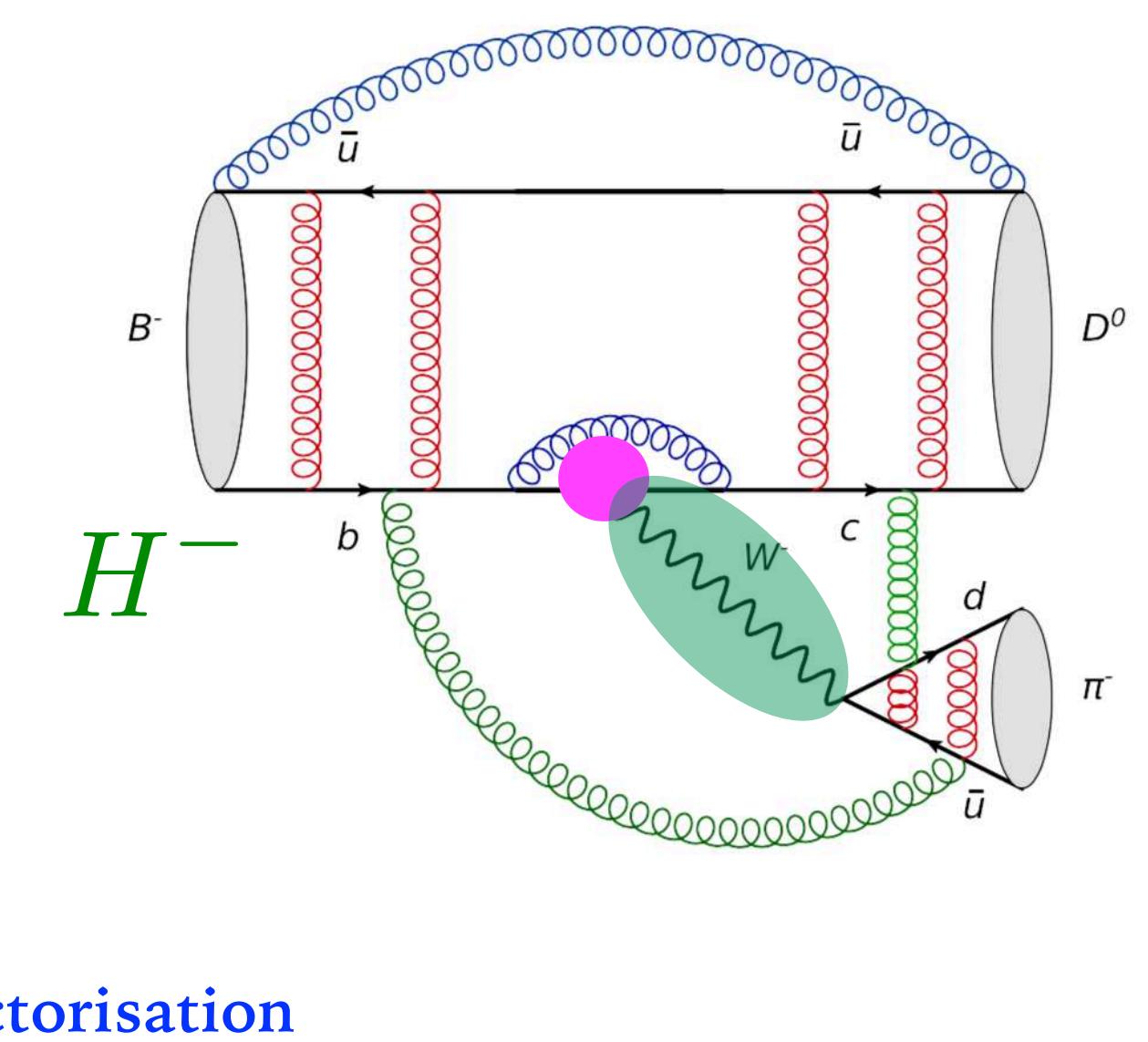


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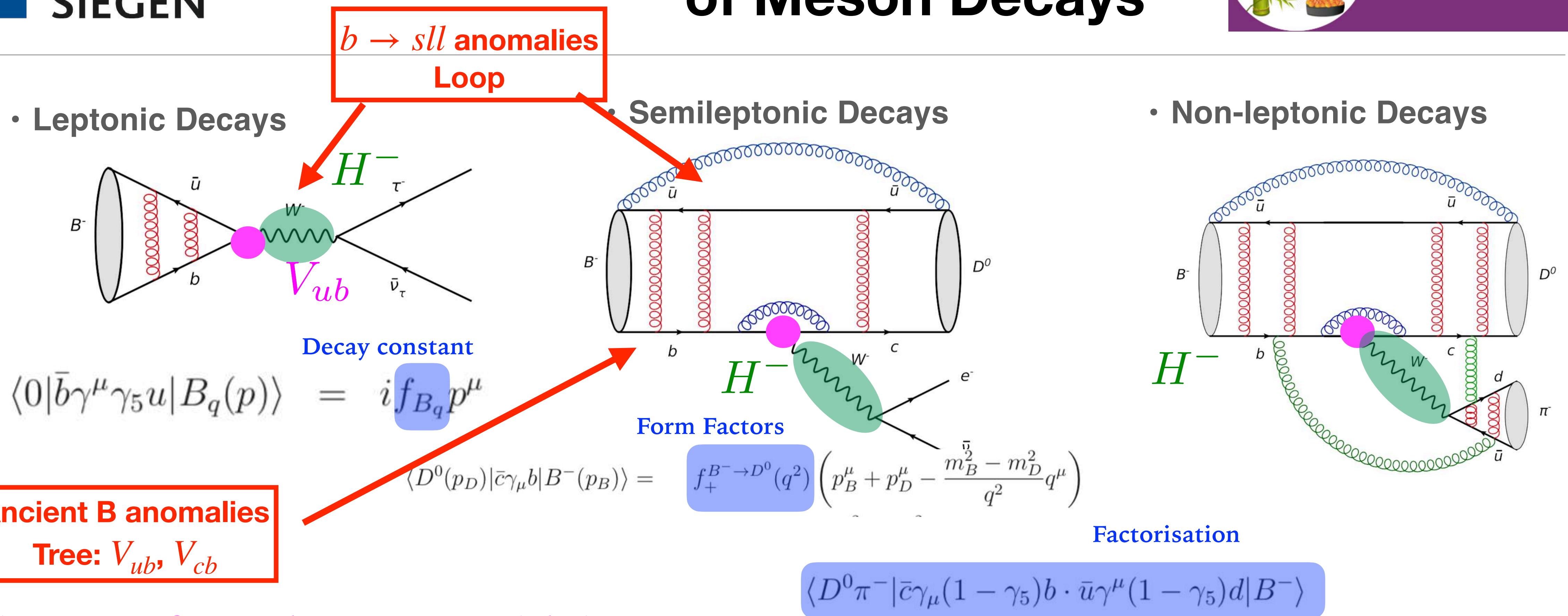
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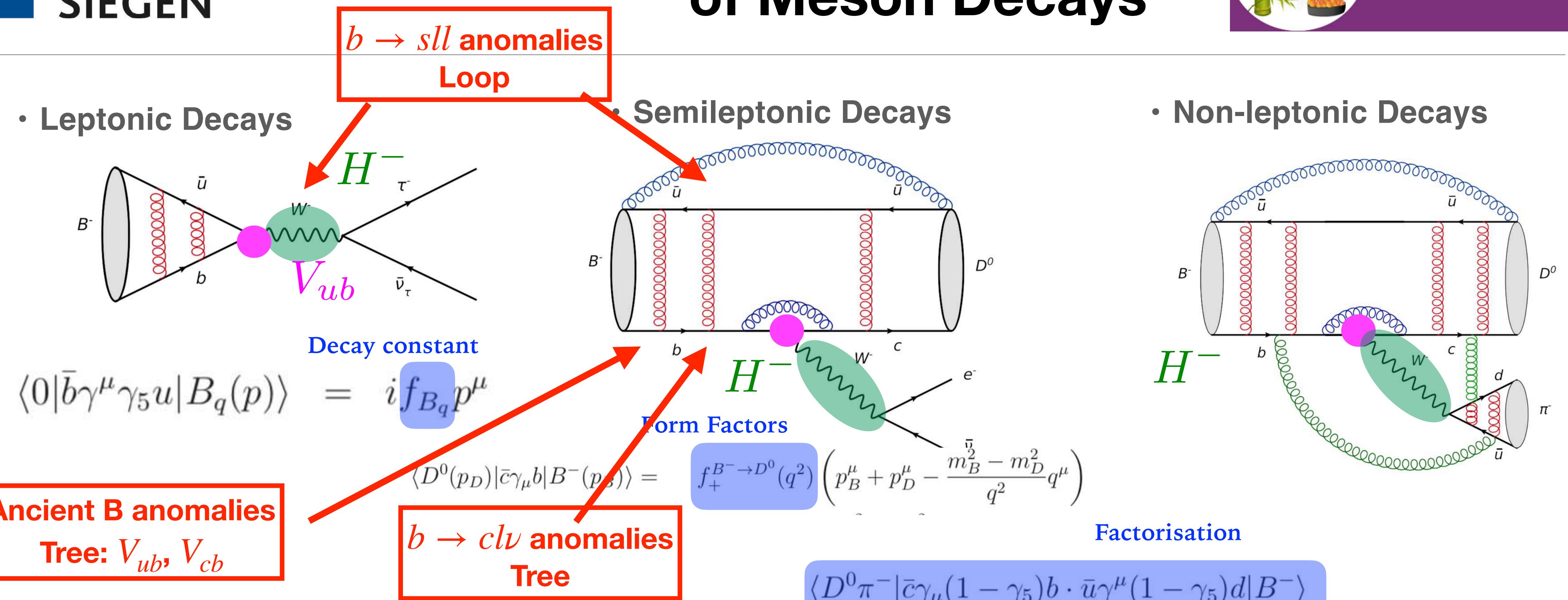
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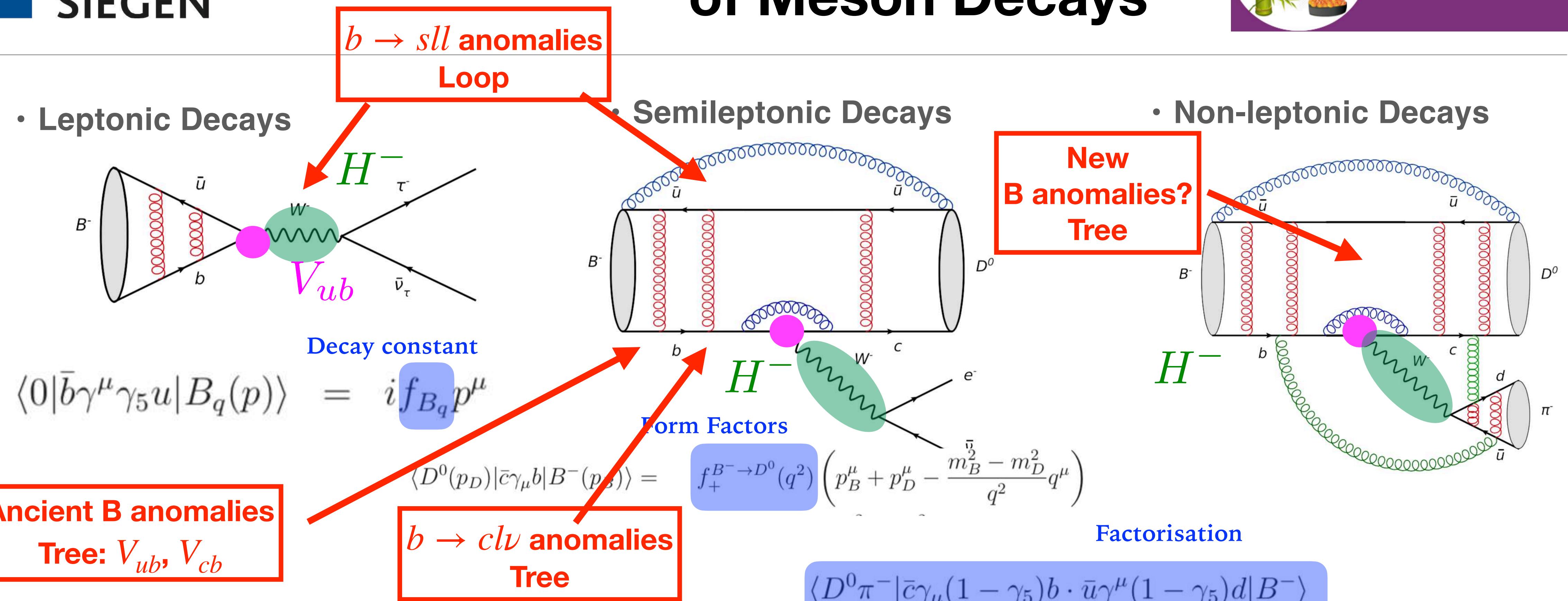
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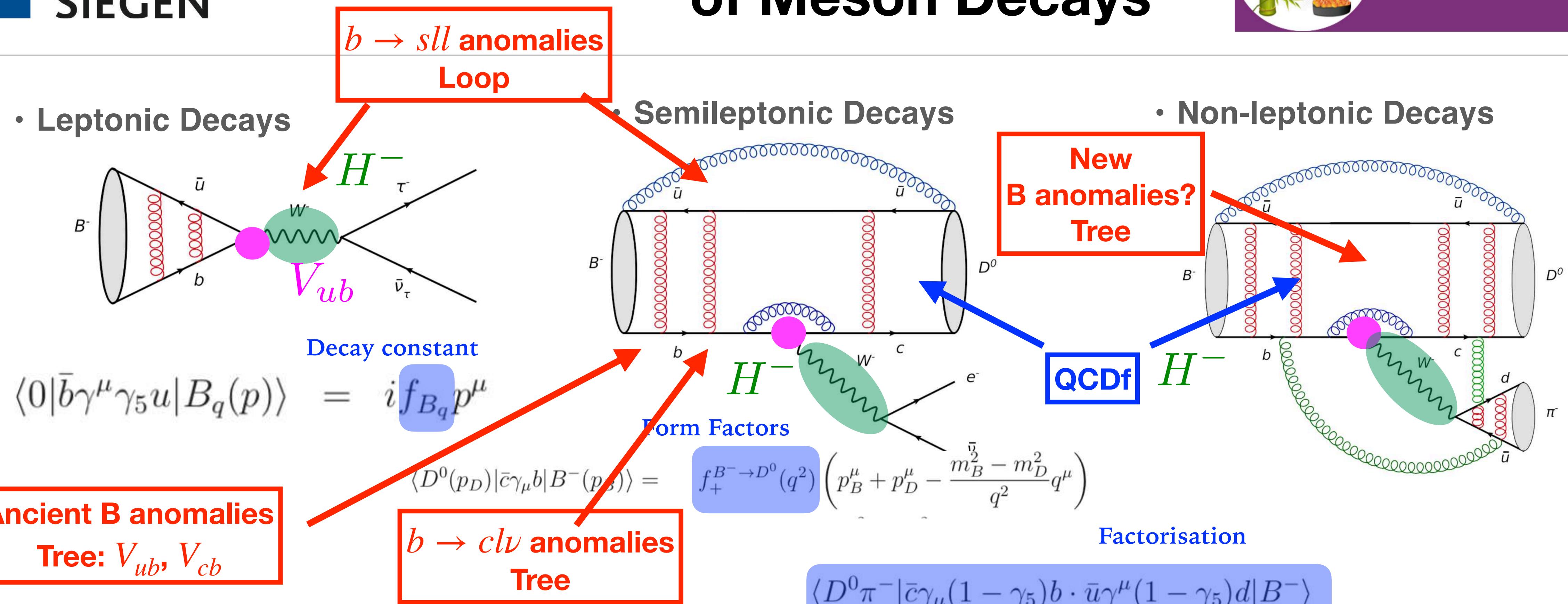
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# Ancient Anomalies



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Improved form factors



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$$\Delta M_s^{\text{SM}} = 18.3^{+0.7}_{-1.2} \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

Perfect match

$$\Delta M_s^{\text{SM}} = 16.0^{+0.6}_{-1.0} \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

around  $3\sigma$  deviation

$$\Delta M_s^{\text{Exp}} = 17.741(20) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$



The D0 dimuon anomaly is still not settled:  $3.6\sigma$

## The New York Times

### *A New Clue to Explain Existence*

By DENNIS OVERBYE MAY 17, 2010

Physicists at the [Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory](#) are reporting that they have discovered a new clue that could help unravel one of the biggest mysteries of cosmology: why the universe is composed of matter and not its evil-twin opposite, antimatter. If confirmed, the finding portends fundamental discoveries at the new [Large Hadron Collider](#) outside Geneva, as well as a possible explanation for our own existence.

$$A^{\text{Di-muon}} = C_s a_{sl}^s + C_d a_{sl}^d + \frac{1}{2} C_\Delta \Delta \Gamma_d$$

*Experiment disagrees with the Standard Model predictions by  $4\sigma$*

**Evidence for an anomalous like-sign dimuon charge asymmetry**  
[V.M. Abazov et al \(D0 Collaboration\)](#)  
*Phys. Rev. Lett* 105 (2010) 081801

**Theoretical update of Bs mixing**  
[Alexander Lenz, Uli Nierste](#)  
*JHEP* 0706(2007)072; hep-ph/0612167

**Measurement of the anomalous like-sign dimuon charge asymmetry**  
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*Phys. Rev. D* 84 (2011) 052007

**Numerical update of lifetimes and mixing parameters**  
[Alexander Lenz, Uli Nierste](#)  
*hep-ph/1102.4274*

**Study of CP violating charge asymmetry...**  
[V.M. Abazov et al \(D0 Collaboration\)](#)  
*Phys. Rev. D* 89 (2014) 012002

**CP violation in the Bs system**  
[Marina Artuso, Guennadi Borissov, Alexander Lenz](#)  
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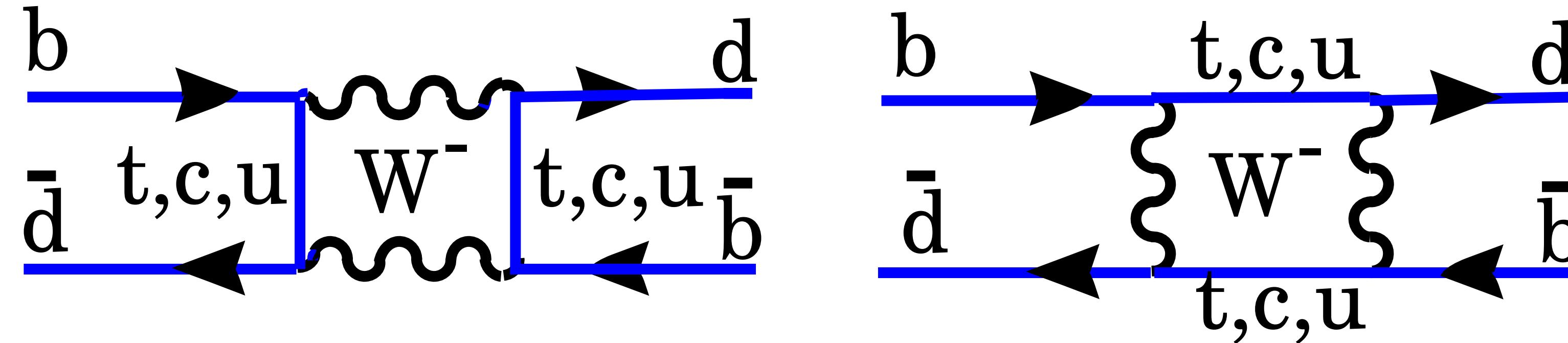
*New interpretation of experimental measurement*

**Understanding the anomalous like-sign dimuon charge asymmetry**  
[Guennadi Borissov, Boris Hoeneisen](#)  
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**Effect of Delta Gamma\_d on the dimuon asymmetry**  
[Uli Nierste](#)  
*Talk at CKM 2014*

# Mixing

$$\begin{aligned} |B_{q,L}\rangle &= p|B_q\rangle + q|\bar{B}_q\rangle \\ |B_{q,H}\rangle &= p|B_q\rangle - q|\bar{B}_q\rangle \end{aligned}$$



$|M_{12}|$ ,  $|\Gamma_{12}|$  and  $\phi = \arg(-M_{12}/\Gamma_{12})$  can be related to three observables:

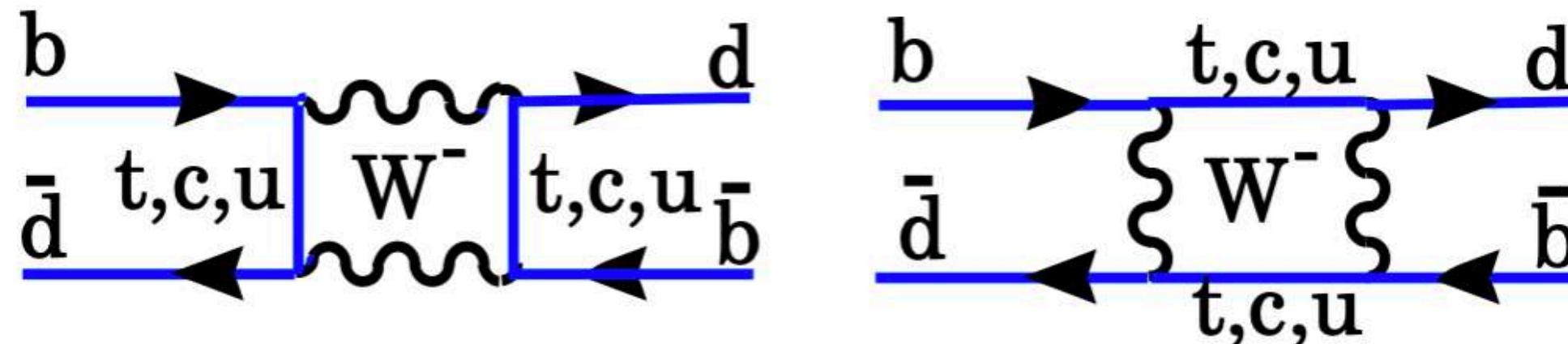
- Mass difference:  $\Delta M := M_H - M_L \approx 2|M_{12}|$  (**off-shell**)  
 $|M_{12}|$  : heavy internal particles: t, SUSY, ...
- Decay rate difference:  $\Delta\Gamma := \Gamma_L - \Gamma_H \approx 2|\Gamma_{12}| \cos \phi$  (**on-shell**)  
 $|\Gamma_{12}|$  : light internal particles: u, c, ... (**almost**) no NP!!!
- Flavor specific/semi-leptonic CP asymmetries: e.g.  $B_q \rightarrow X l \nu$  (*semi-leptonic*)

$$a_{sl} \equiv a_{fs} = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow \bar{f})} = \left| \frac{\Gamma_{12}}{M_{12}} \right| \sin \phi$$

# Status Quo: Mixing

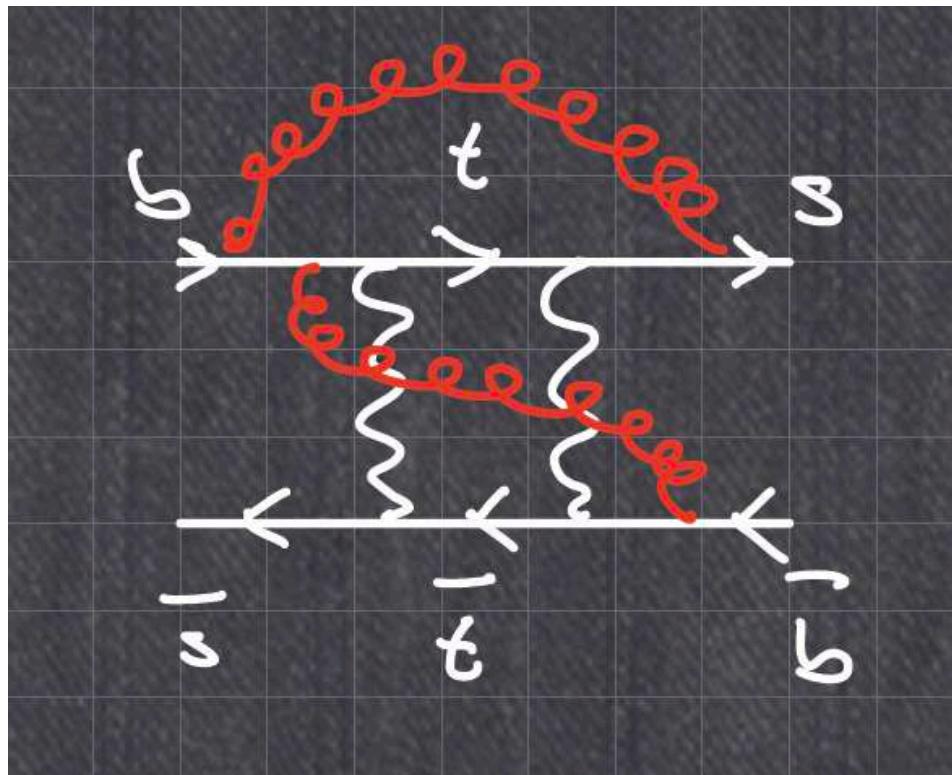


$$\Delta M_S = 2 |M_{12}^S|$$



$$M_{12}^q = \frac{G_F^2}{12\pi^2} \lambda_t^2 M_W^2 S_0(x_t) B f_{B_q}^2 M_{B_q} \hat{\eta}_B,$$

Significant CKM dependence



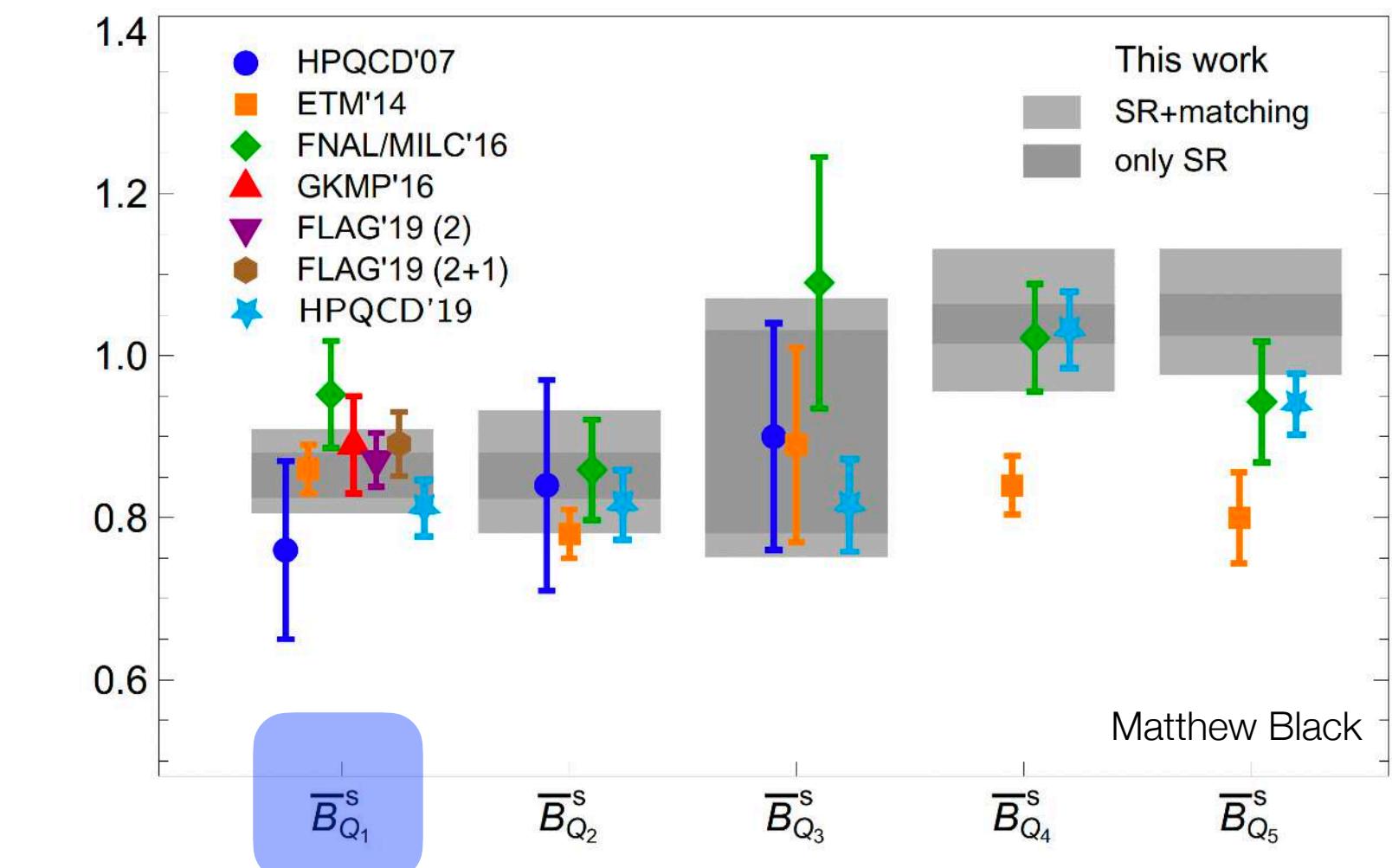
2-loop: Buras, Jamin, Weisz

3-loop: Gorbahn,...

By far dominant uncertainty

$$Q = \bar{s}^\alpha \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) b^\alpha \times \bar{s}^\beta \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) b^\beta$$

$$\langle Q \rangle \equiv \langle B_s^0 | Q | \bar{B}_s^0 \rangle = \frac{8}{3} M_{B_s}^2 f_{B_s}^2 B(\mu)$$



## Lattice

- \*  $B_s$ ,  $B_d$  and  $D$  mixing: FNAL/MILC 1602.03560
- \* Ratio of  $B_s$  and  $B_d$  mixing: RBC/UK QCD 1812.08791
- \*  $B_s$  and  $B_d$  mixing: HQPCD 19007.01025

## HQET-sum rules: 3-loop + part of NNLO matching:

- \*  $B_d$  mixing:  
Siegen: Grozin, Klein, Mannel, Pivovarov 1606.06054, 1706.05910, 1806.00253
- \*  $B_d$  and  $D$  mixing,  $D^0$ ,  $D^+$ ,  $B_d$  and  $B^+$  lifetimes  
Durham: Kirk (Rome), AL, Rauh (Bern) 1711.02100
- \*  $B_s$  mixing  
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$$\Delta M_d = (0.5065 \pm 0.0019) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta M_s = (17.741 \pm 0.020) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

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<http://lhcb-public.web.cern.ch>

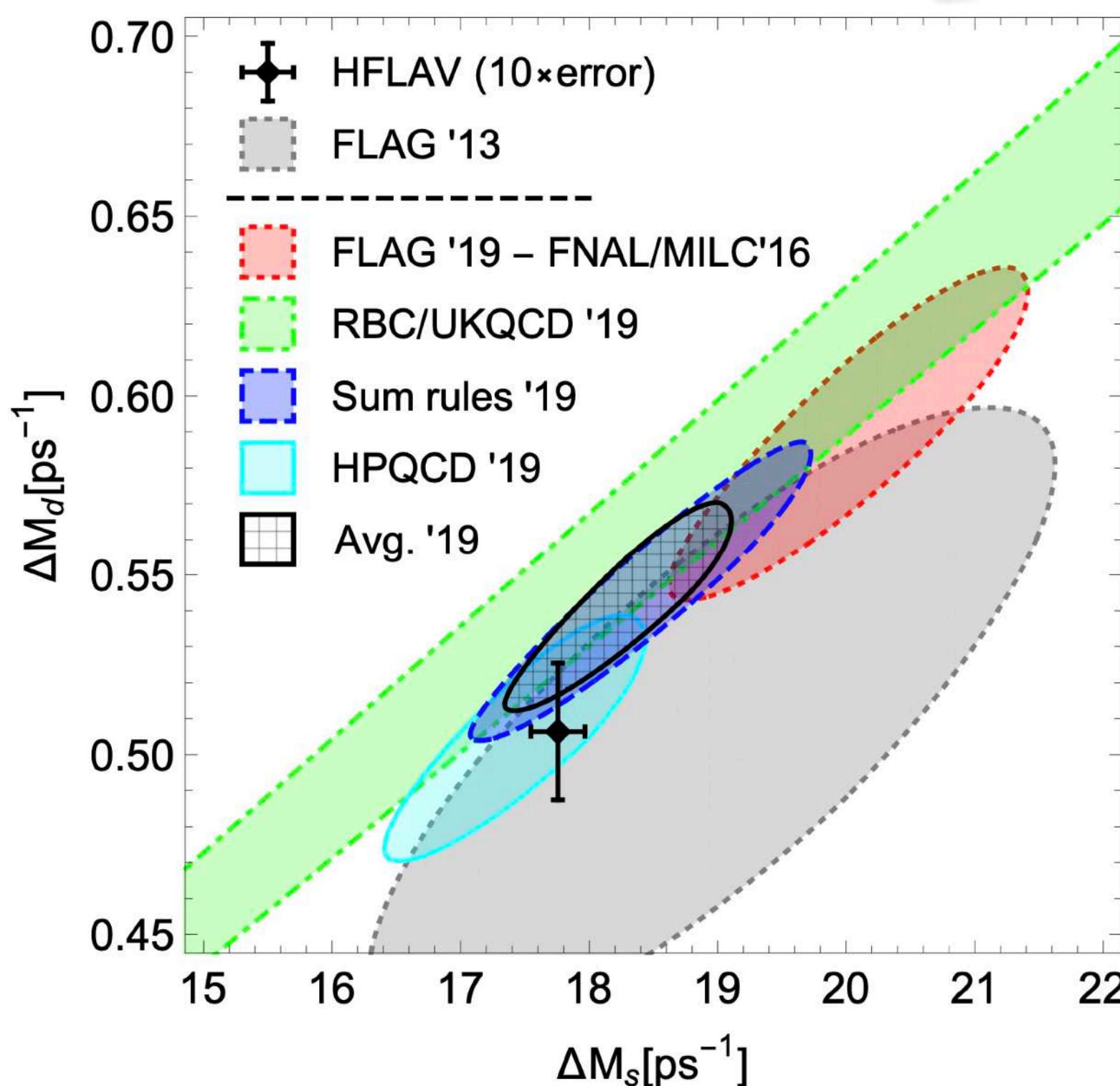
12 April 2021: Fascinating quantum mechanics.

Precise determination of the  $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  oscillation frequency.

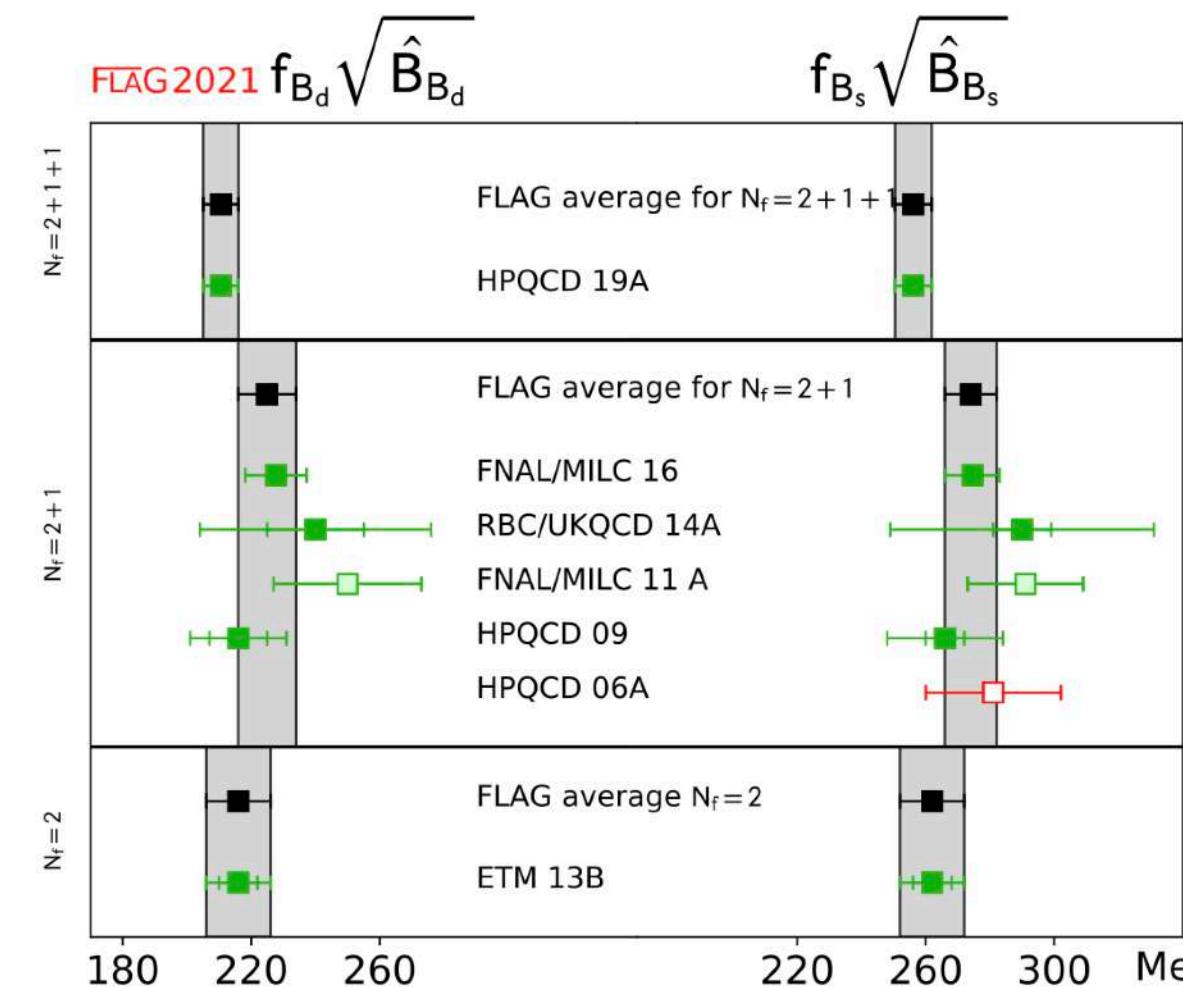
"A phenomenon in which quantum mechanics gives a most remarkable prediction" - Richard Feynman

Today, the LHCb Collaboration submitted a paper for publication that reports a precise determination of the  $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  oscillation frequency. This result is presented also today at the joint [annual conference](#) of the UK Institute of Physics (IOP), organized by the University of Edinburgh. The  $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  oscillation is a spectacular and fascinating feature of quantum mechanics. The strange beauty particle  $B_s^0$  composed of a [beauty](#) antiquark ( $\bar{b}$ ) bound with a [strange](#) quark  $s$  turns into its antiparticle partner  $\bar{B}_s^0$  composed of a  $b$  quark and an  $s$  antiquark ( $\bar{s}$ ) about 3 million million times per second ( $3 \times 10^{12}$ ) as seen in the image below.

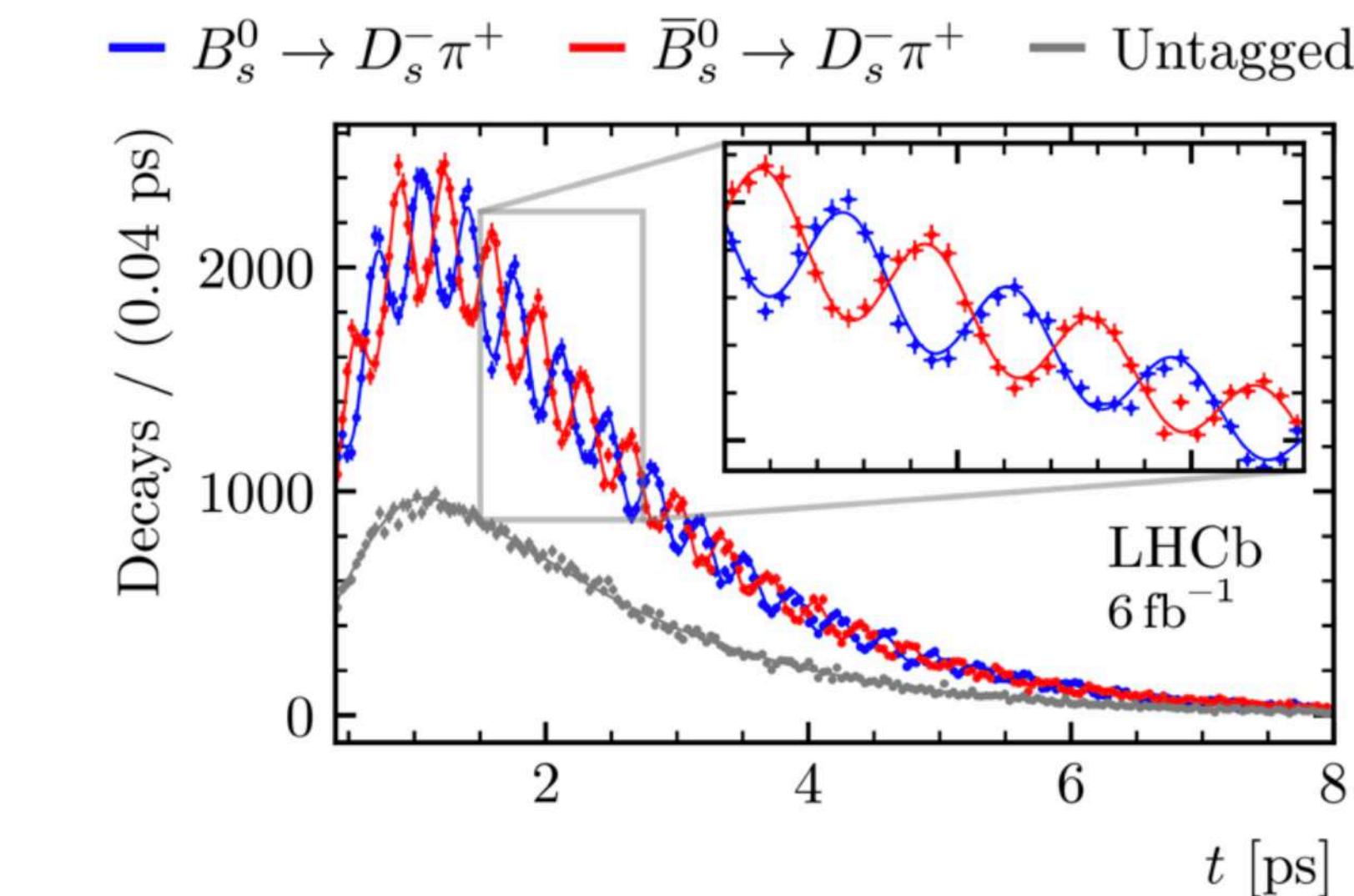
**HFLAV 2021**



**1909.11087**  
Average lattice & sum rules



Work in progress by  
RBC/UKQCD+JLQCD 2111.11287

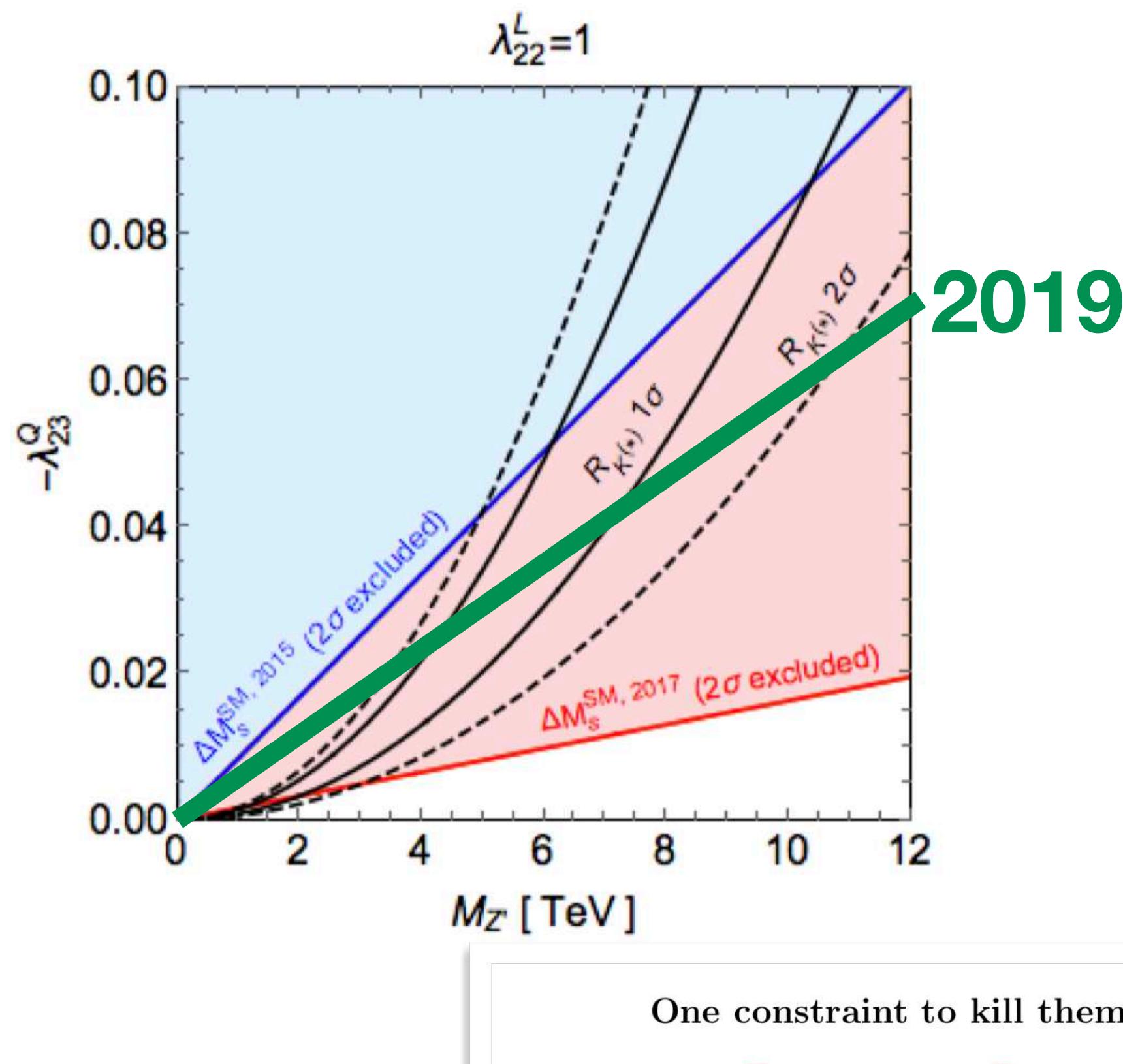


**Higher precision for Bag**

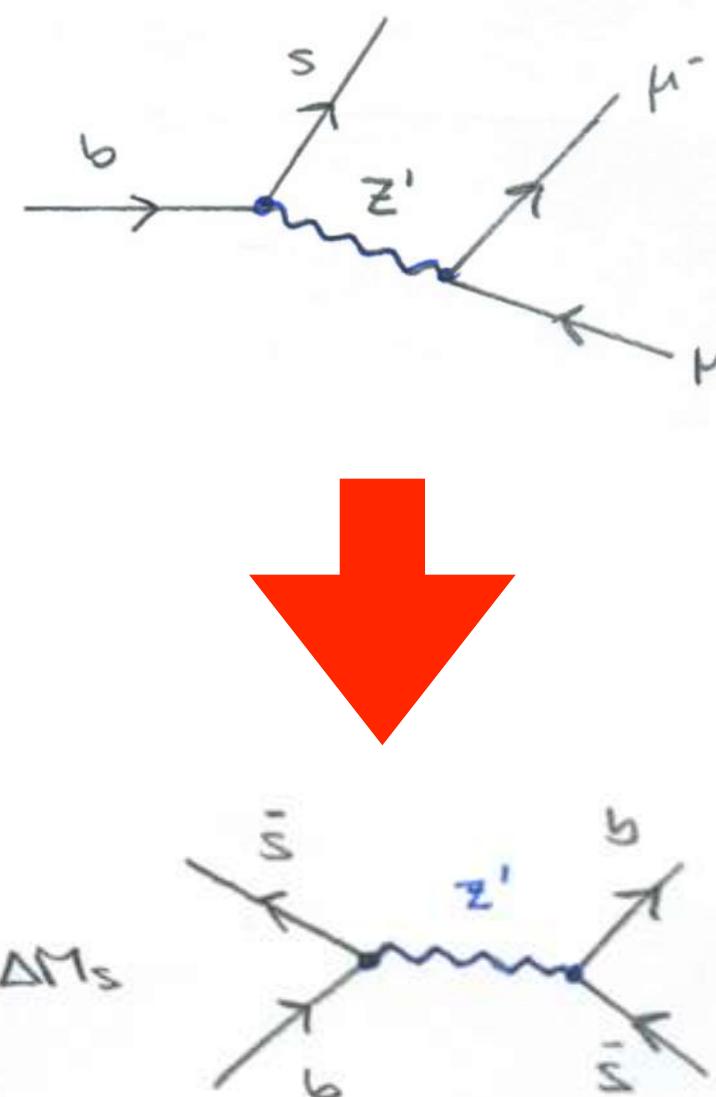
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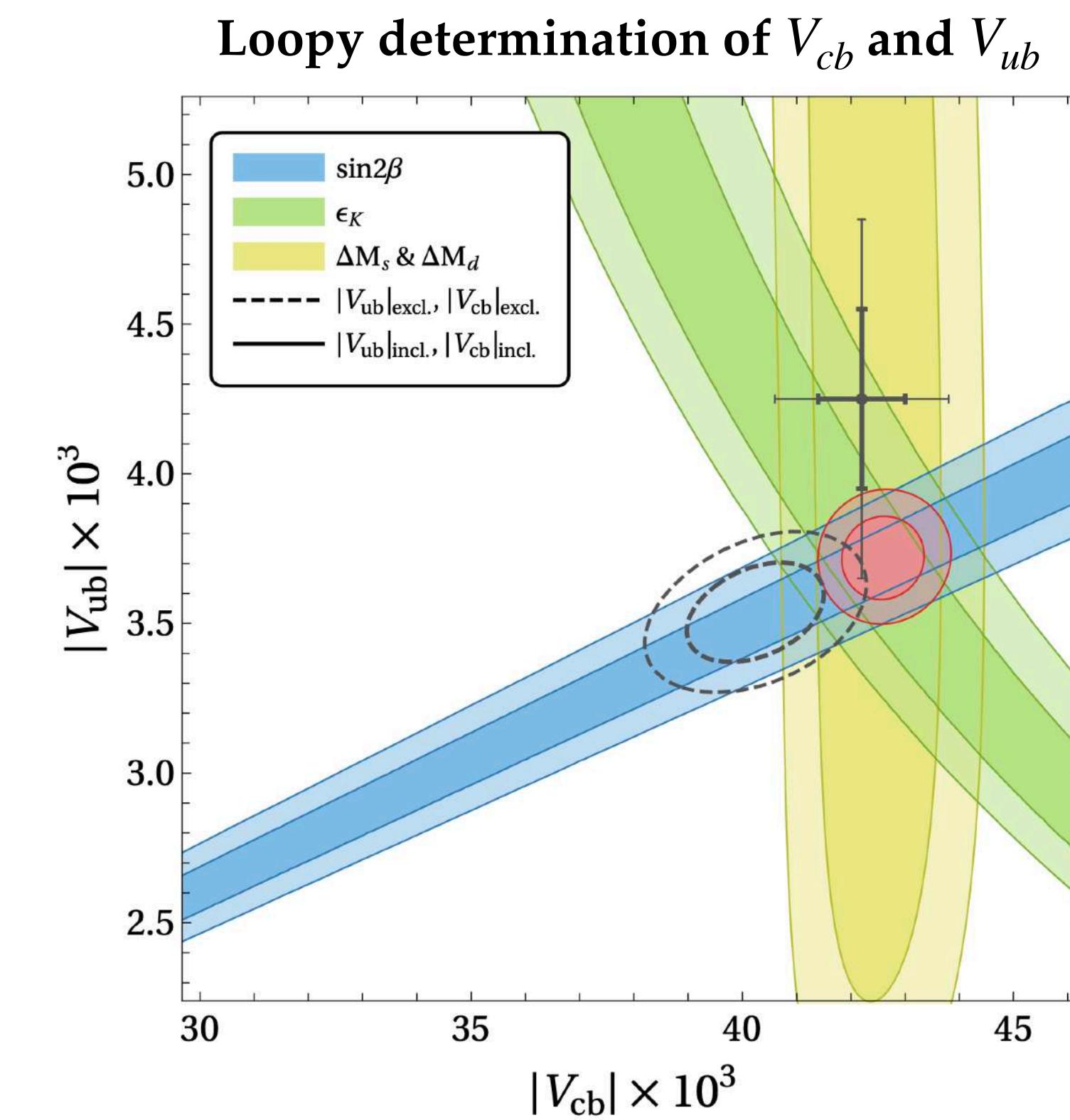
The 2016 theory value for B-mixing has dramatic consequences for BSM models explaining the B anomalies



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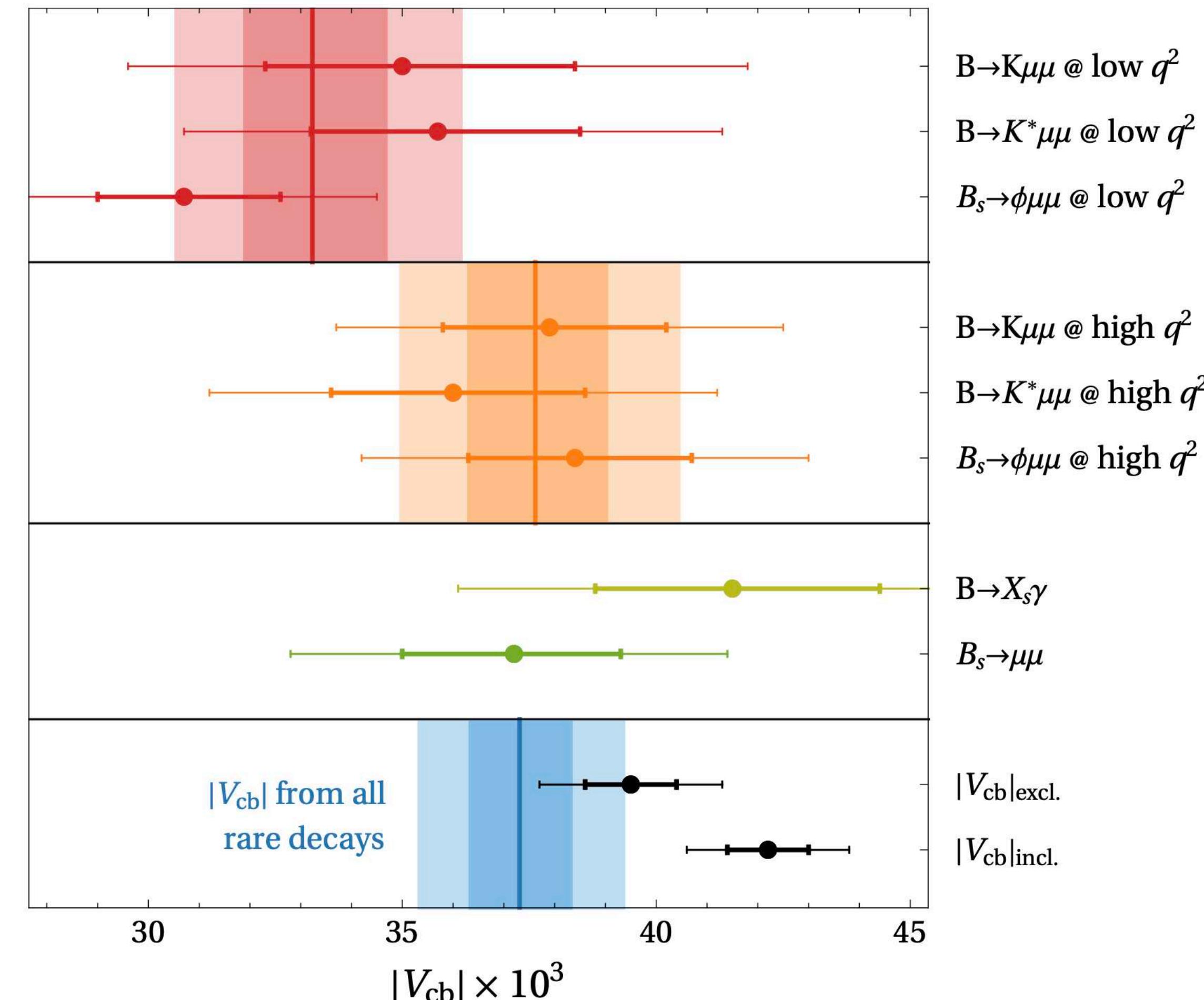
Direct determination of  $V_{td}V_{tb}$ ,  $V_{ts}V_{tb}$  and  $V_{ts}/V_{td}$



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**Interesting suggestion  
to determine  
inclusive B decays  
directly with Lattice-QCD**

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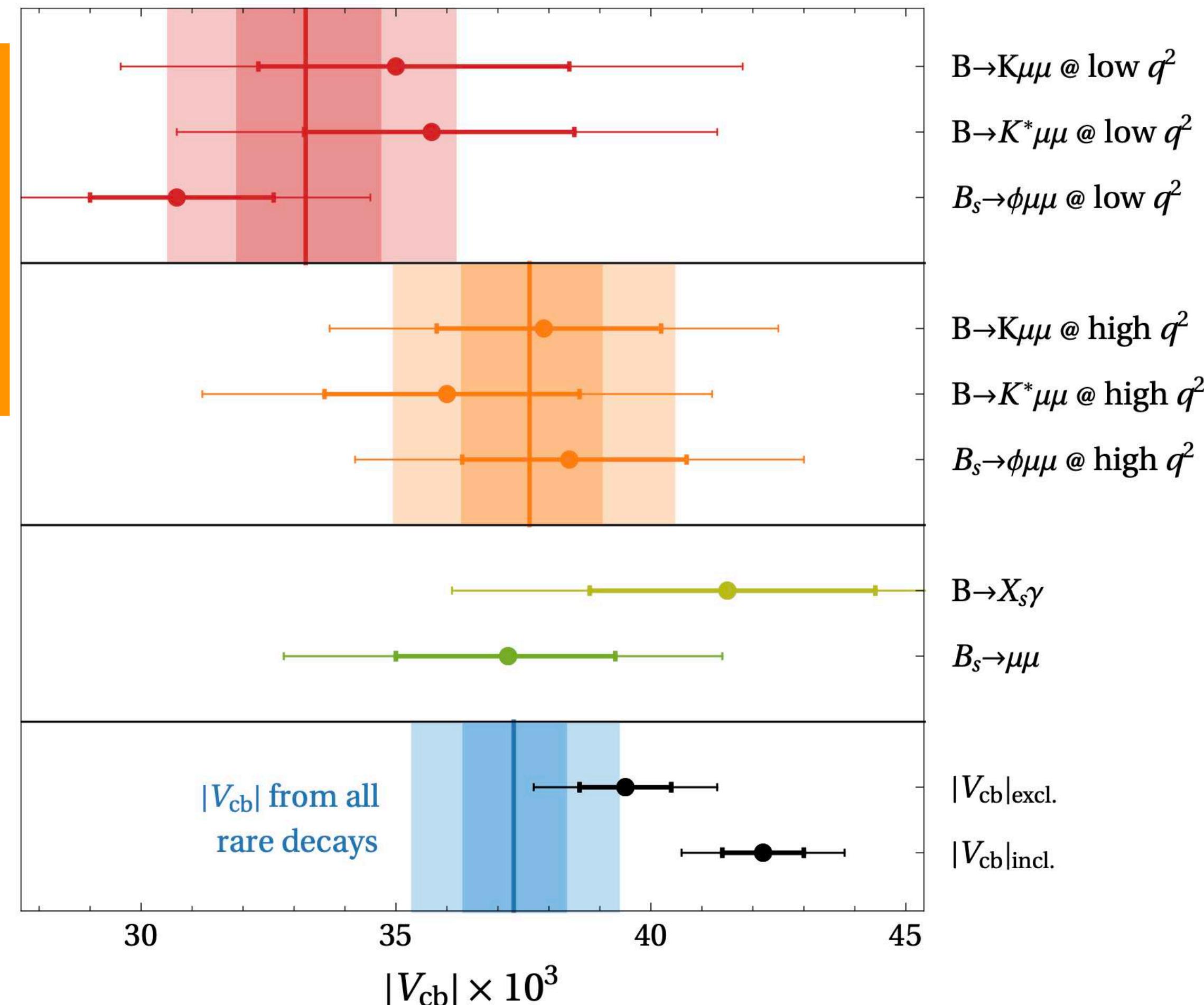
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[45] P. Gambino and S. Hashimoto, *Inclusive Semileptonic Decays from Lattice QCD*, [Phys. Rev. Lett. 125 \(2020\) 032001](#), [arXiv:2005.13730](#).

[46] J. Bulava et al., *Inclusive rates from smeared spectral densities in the two-dimensional  $O(3)$  non-linear  $\sigma$ -model*, [arXiv:2111.12774](#).

[47] P. Gambino et al., *Lattice QCD study of inclusive semileptonic decays of heavy mesons*, [arXiv:2203.11762](#).



Altmannshofer, Lewis 2112.03437

# CP Violation



1. **CP violation in Mixing:** Consider a **flavour specific** ( $\mathcal{A}_{\bar{f}} = 0 = \bar{\mathcal{A}}_f$ ) decay  $B \rightarrow f$

$$A_{\text{fs}}^q = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow \bar{f})} \quad \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}} = \mathcal{A}_f} \\ = \\ \text{No direct CP violation} \end{array}$$

$$a_{\text{fs}}^q \approx \frac{|\Gamma_{12}^q|}{|M_{12}^q|} \sin \phi_{12}^q$$

e.g.  $B \rightarrow X l \nu$   
or  $\bar{B}_s \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^-$   
or  $\bar{B}_d \rightarrow D^+ K^-$

2. **CP violation in interference of mixing and decay**

$$A_{\text{ind}}^q = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow f)}$$

e.g.  $B_s \rightarrow J/\Psi \phi$   
or  $B_d \rightarrow J/\Psi K_s$

See also  
1511.09466,  
hep-ph/0201071

3. **CP violation in decay**

$$A_{\text{dir}}^q = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow \bar{f}) - \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow \bar{f}) + \Gamma(B_q(t) \rightarrow f)} = \frac{|\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}|^2 - |\mathcal{A}_f|^2}{|\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}|^2 + |\mathcal{A}_f|^2}$$

e.g.  $\Delta A_{CP}$   
or  $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+, K^- K^+$

# Time evolution



Time evolution of neutral B mesons (quantum mechanics on a macroscopic scale)

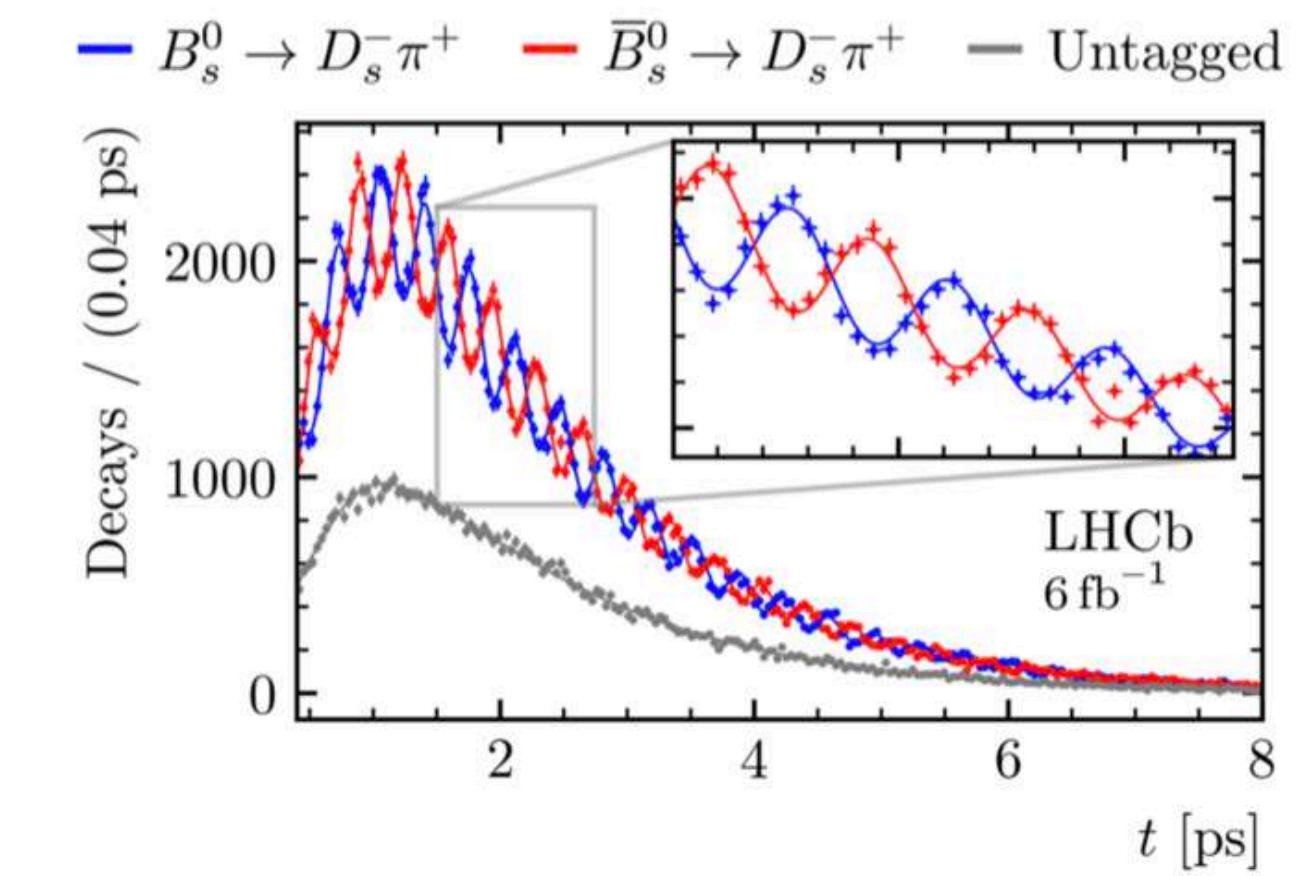
$$\Gamma [\bar{B}_q(t) \rightarrow f] = N_f |\mathcal{A}_f|^2 \frac{(1 + |\lambda_f|^2)}{2} (1 + a_{fs}^q) e^{-\Gamma_q t} \left\{ \cosh \left( \frac{\Delta\Gamma_q t}{2} \right) - \frac{1 - |\lambda_f|^2}{1 + |\lambda_f|^2} \cos(\Delta M_q t) \right. \\ \left. - \frac{2 \operatorname{Re}(\lambda_f)}{1 + |\lambda_f|^2} \sinh \left( \frac{\Delta\Gamma_q t}{2} \right) + \frac{2 \operatorname{Im}(\lambda_f)}{1 + |\lambda_f|^2} \sin(\Delta M_q t) \right\},$$

With

$$\mathcal{A}_f = \langle f | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | B_q \rangle,$$

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_f = \langle f | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | \bar{B}_q \rangle,$$

$$\lambda_f = \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{\mathcal{A}}_f}{\mathcal{A}_f}$$



and the tiny quantity  $a_{fs}^q$  to be defined below

# Status Quo: Mixing



$$\Gamma_{12} = \frac{\Lambda^3}{m_b^3} \tilde{\Gamma}_6 \langle \tilde{Q}_6 \rangle + \frac{\Lambda^4}{m_b^4} \tilde{\Gamma}_7 \langle \tilde{Q}_7 \rangle + \dots$$

with  $\langle \tilde{Q}_6 \rangle \propto f_B^2 B_{1,2,3}$  and  $\langle \tilde{Q}_7 \rangle \propto f_B^2 R_{0,2,3}$ ,  $m_s/m_b f_B^2 B_{4,5}$  and  $\tilde{\Gamma}_i = \tilde{\Gamma}_i^{(0)} + \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \tilde{\Gamma}_i^{(1)} + \dots$

$\tilde{\Gamma}_6^{(1)}$

- 1998 Beneke, Buchalla, Greub, AL, Nierste
- 2003 Franco, Lubicz, Mescia, Tarantino
- 2003 Beneke, Buchalla, AL, Nierste
- 2006 AL, Nierste
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_6^{(2)}$

- 2017 partly: Asatrian, Hovhannисyan, Nierste, Yeghiazaryan
- 2020 partly: Asatrian, Asatryan, Hovhannисyan, Nierste, Tumasyan
- 2021 partly: Gerlach, Nierste, Shtabovenko, Steinhauser
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_7^{(0)}$

- 1996 Beneke, Buchalla, Dunietz
- 2001 Dighe, Hurth, Kim
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_7^{(1)}$

- 202x Nierste and friends
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_8^{(0)}$

- 2007 Badin, Gabbiani, Petrov

$\langle \tilde{Q}_6 \rangle$

- $B_1$  the same as for  $\Delta M, B_{2,3,4,5}$  new
- 2016 FNAL/MILC
- 2016-18 Grozin, Klein, Mannel, Pivovarov  $B_d$
- 2017 Kirk, AL, Rauh  $B_d$
- 2019 King, AL, Rauh  $B_s$
- 2019 HPQCD 19007.01025
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- So far only Vacuum insertion approximation
- 2019 HPQCD 1910.00970

$$R_2 = \frac{1}{m_b^2} (\bar{b}^\alpha \overleftrightarrow{D}_\rho \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma^5) D^\rho s^\alpha) (\bar{b}^\beta \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma^5) s^\beta)$$

$$R_3 = \frac{1}{m_b^2} (\bar{b}^\alpha \overleftrightarrow{D}_\rho (1 - \gamma^5) D^\rho s^\alpha) (\bar{b}^\beta (1 - \gamma^5) s^\beta)$$

This work

$$\Delta\Gamma_s^{HQE} = (0.091 \pm 0.013) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta\Gamma_d^{HQE} = (2.6 \pm 0.4) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta\Gamma_s^{HFLAV} = (0.082 \pm 0.005) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta\Gamma_d^{HFLAV} = (-1.3 \pm 6.6) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

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with  $\langle \tilde{Q}_6 \rangle \propto f_B^2 B_{1,2,3}$  and  $\langle \tilde{Q}_7 \rangle \propto f_B^2 R_{0,2,3}$ ,  $m_s/m_b f_B^2 B_{4,5}$  and  $\tilde{\Gamma}_i = \tilde{\Gamma}_i^{(0)} + \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \tilde{\Gamma}_i^{(1)} + \dots$

$\tilde{\Gamma}_6^{(1)}$

- 1998 Beneke, Buchalla, Greub, AL, Nierste
- 2003 Franco, Lubicz, Mescia, Tarantino
- 2003 Beneke, Buchalla, AL, Nierste
- 2006 AL, Nierste
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_6^{(2)}$

- 2017 partly: Asatrian, Hovhannисyan, Nierste, Yeghiazaryan
- 2020 partly: Asatrian, Asatryan, Hovhannисyan, Nierste, Tumasyan
- 2021 partly: Gerlach, Nierste, Shtabovenko, Steinhauser
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_7^{(0)}$

- 1996 Beneke, Buchalla, Dunietz
- 2001 Dighe, Hurth, Kim
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_7^{(1)}$

- 202x Nierste and friends
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$\tilde{\Gamma}_8^{(0)}$

- 2007 Badin, Gabbiani, Petrov
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$\langle \tilde{Q}_6 \rangle$

- $B_1$  the same as for  $\Delta M, B_{2,3,4,5}$  new
- 2016 FNAL/MILC
- 2016-18 Grozin, Klein, Mannel, Pivovarov  $B_d$
- 2017 Kirk, AL, Rauh  $B_d$
- 2019 King, AL, Rauh  $B_s$
- 2019 HPQCD 19007.01025
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- So far only Vacuum insertion approximation
- 2019 HPQCD 1910.00970

$\langle \tilde{Q}_7 \rangle$

$$R_2 = \frac{1}{m_b^2} (\bar{b}^\alpha \overleftrightarrow{D}_\rho \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma^5) D^\rho s^\alpha) (\bar{b}^\beta \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma^5) s^\beta)$$

$$R_3 = \frac{1}{m_b^2} (\bar{b}^\alpha \overleftrightarrow{D}_\rho (1 - \gamma^5) D^\rho s^\alpha) (\bar{b}^\beta (1 - \gamma^5) s^\beta)$$

This work

Higher perturbative orders and determinations of dim. 7 Bag

# Status Quo: CPV in Mixing



In the ratio  $\Gamma_{12}/M_{12}$  theory uncertainties are cancelling

$$\text{Re} \left( \frac{\Gamma_{12}^s}{M_{12}^s} \right) = -\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s}{\Delta M_s}, \quad \text{Im} \left( \frac{\Gamma_{12}^s}{M_{12}^s} \right) = a_{fs}^s.$$

$$-\frac{\Gamma_{12}^s}{M_{12}^s} = \frac{\lambda_c^2 \Gamma_{12}^{s,cc} + 2\lambda_c \lambda_u \Gamma_{12}^{s,uc} + \lambda_u^2 \Gamma_{12}^{s,uu}}{\lambda_t^2 \tilde{M}_{12}^s} = \frac{\Gamma_{12}^{s,cc}}{\tilde{M}_{12}^s} + 2 \frac{\lambda_u}{\lambda_t} \frac{\Gamma_{12}^{s,cc} - \Gamma_{12}^{s,uc}}{\tilde{M}_{12}^s} + \left( \frac{\lambda_u}{\lambda_t} \right)^2 \frac{\Gamma_{12}^{s,cc} - 2\Gamma_{12}^{s,uc} + \Gamma_{12}^{s,uu}}{\tilde{M}_{12}^s}$$

- No CKM dependence!
- No GIM suppression!
- No imaginary part!
- Small  $\approx \mathcal{O}(5 \cdot 10^{-3})$
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- GIM suppression
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- Leading contribution to  $a_{fs}$
- Tiny contribution to  $\Delta\Gamma$

$$\frac{V_{ub} V_{ud}}{V_{tb} V_{td}} = \lambda^{0.8}$$

$$\frac{V_{ub} V_{us}}{V_{tb} V_{ts}} = \lambda^{2.8}$$

- Stronger CKM suppression
- Very strong GIM suppression
- Imaginary part via CKM
- Subleading contribution to  $a_{fs}$  and  $\Delta\Gamma$

$$a_{sl}^{s,\text{Exp}} = (60 \pm 280) \cdot 10^{-5},$$

$$a_{sl}^{d,\text{Exp}} = (-21 \pm 17) \cdot 10^{-4}.$$

$$a_{sl}^{s,\text{SM}} = (2.06 \pm 0.18) \cdot 10^{-5},$$

$$a_{sl}^{d,\text{SM}} = (-4.73 \pm 0.42) \cdot 10^{-4}.$$

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## Alternative Scale Setting

$\epsilon(\text{GeV})$	$\Gamma_{12}^s/M_{12}^s$	$\Gamma_{12}^d/M_{12}^d$
0.	$-0.00499 + 0.000022I$	$-0.00497 - 0.00050I$
0.2.	$-0.00494 + 0.000023I$	$-0.00492 - 0.00053I$
0.5.	$-0.00484 + 0.000026I$	$-0.00482 - 0.00059I$
1.0.	$-0.00447 + 0.000037I$	$-0.00448 - 0.00084I$
1.5.	$-0.00287 + 0.000091I$	$-0.00309 - 0.0021I$

Theory uncertainties might be larger, but this will only become relevant if the exp. precision reaches around  $2 a_{fs}^{\text{SM}}$

AL, Piscopo, Vlahos  
2007.03022

# CPV in Decay



$$A_{\text{dir.CP},f}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_s^0(t) \rightarrow \bar{f}) - \Gamma(B_s^0(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_s^0(t) \rightarrow \bar{f}) + \Gamma(B_s^0(t) \rightarrow f)} = \frac{|\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}|^2 - |\mathcal{A}_f|^2}{|\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}}|^2 + |\mathcal{A}_f|^2} = \frac{2|r| \sin(\phi_{\text{Peng}}^{\text{QCD}} - \phi_{\text{Tree}}^{\text{QCD}}) \sin[\arg(\lambda_u) - \arg(\lambda_c)]}{1 + |r|^2 + 2|r| \cos(\phi_{\text{Peng}}^{\text{QCD}} - \phi_{\text{Tree}}^{\text{QCD}}) \cos[\arg(\lambda_u) - \arg(\lambda_c)]}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_f = |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{Tree}}| e^{i[\phi_{\text{Tree}}^{\text{QCD}} + \arg(\lambda_c)]} + |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{Peng}}| e^{i[\phi_{\text{Peng}}^{\text{QCD}} + \arg(\lambda_u)]}$$

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\bar{f}} = |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{Tree}}| e^{i[\phi_{\text{Tree}}^{\text{QCD}} - \arg(\lambda_c)]} + |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{Peng}}| e^{i[\phi_{\text{Peng}}^{\text{QCD}} - \arg(\lambda_u)]}$$

The **leading contribution to the CP asymmetry is proportional to  $r = |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{Peng}}| / |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{Tree}}|$**

**Extremely hard to predict!**

(In the case of CPV in interference the leading term was free of hadronic uncertainties and only the penguin corrections depended on r)



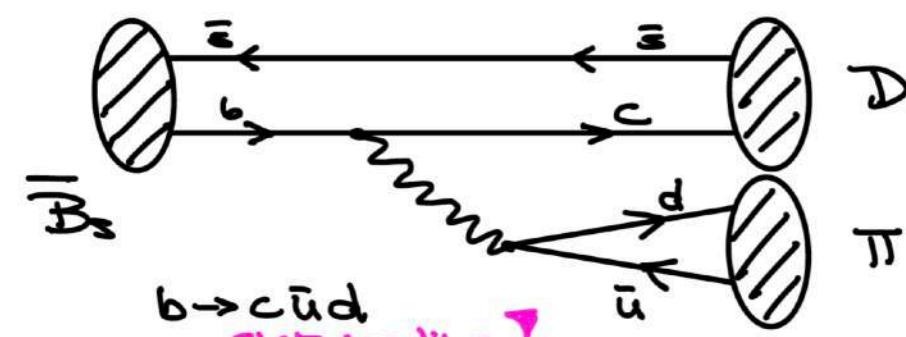
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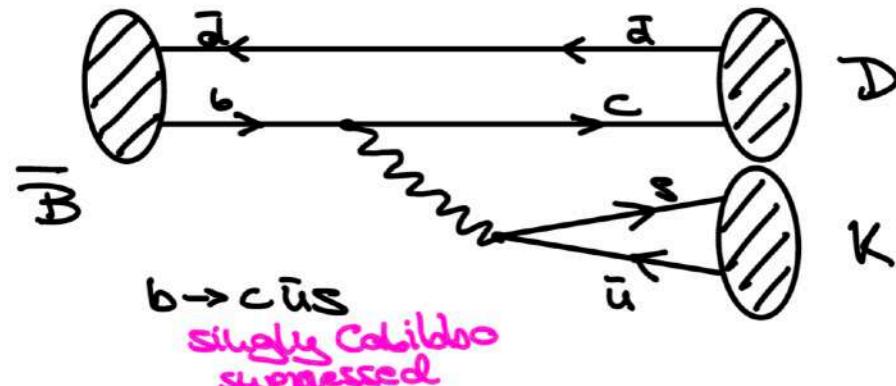
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Talk by Daniel Ferlewicz, Nico Gubernari

## Colour-allowed Tree-level Decays

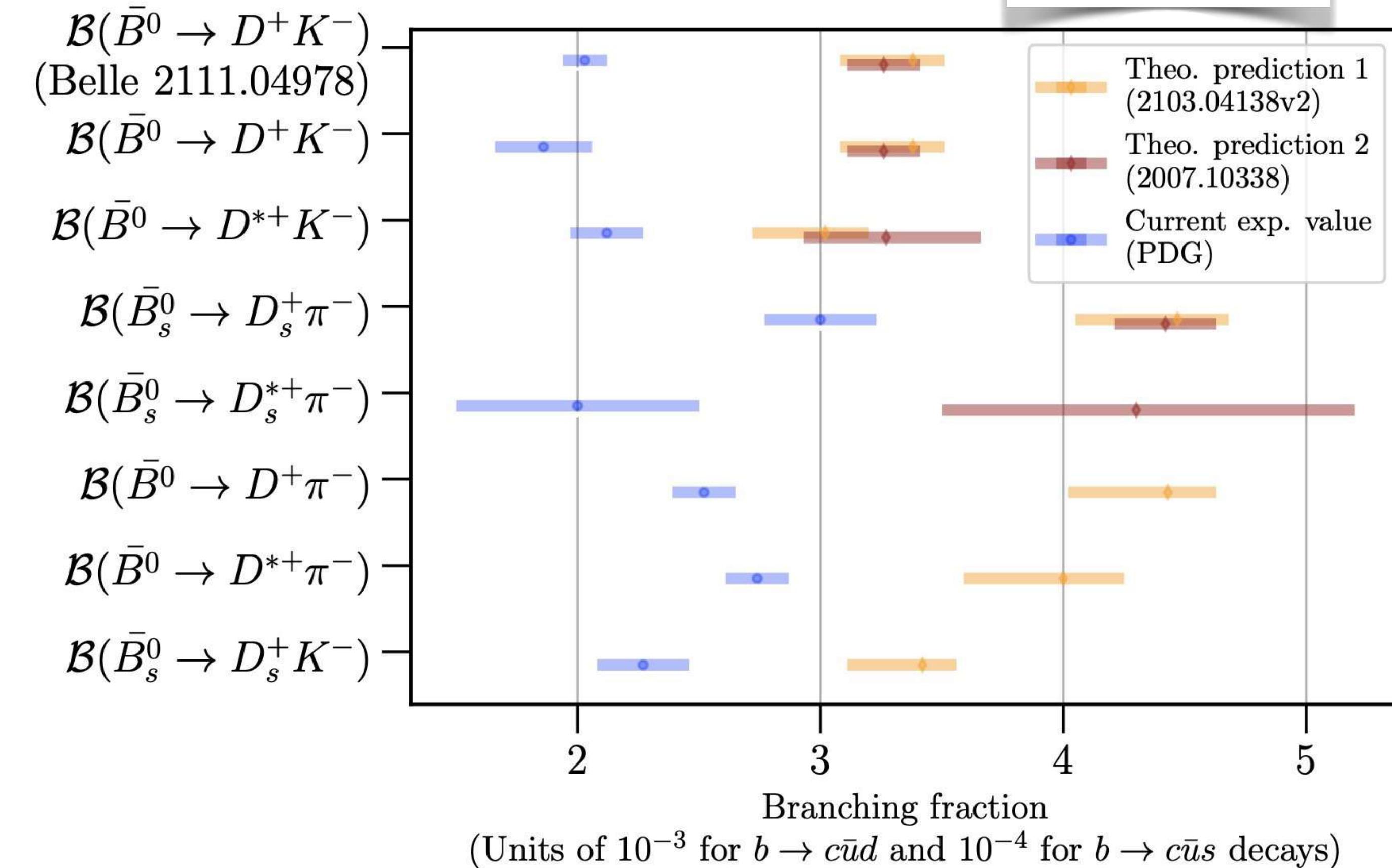


- CKM leading decays
- There are no annihilation, penguins,...
- QCdf should work at its best!



Beneke, Buchalla, Neubert, Sachrajda 1999...

$$\langle D_q^{(*)+} L^- | \mathcal{Q}_i | \bar{B}_q^0 \rangle = \sum_j F_j^{\bar{B}_q \rightarrow D_q^{(*)}}(M_L^2) \times \int_0^1 du T_{ij}(u) \phi_L(u) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}{m_b}\right)$$



# Non-leptonic decays



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In the SM the determination of  $\gamma$  is super precise

The ultimate theoretical error on  $\gamma$  from  $B \rightarrow DK$  decays

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### Abstract

The angle  $\gamma$  of the standard CKM unitarity triangle can be determined from  $B \rightarrow DK$  decays with a very small irreducible theoretical error, which is only due to second-order electroweak corrections. We study these contributions and estimate that their impact on the  $\gamma$  determination is to introduce a shift  $|\delta\gamma| \lesssim \mathcal{O}(10^{-7})$ , well below any present or planned future experiment.

If there are BSM effects in non-leptonic decays, the determination of  $\gamma$  can be modified by  $\mathcal{O}(5^\circ)$

PHYSICAL REVIEW D 92, 033002 (2015)

New physics effects in tree-level decays and the precision in the determination of the quark mixing angle  $\gamma$

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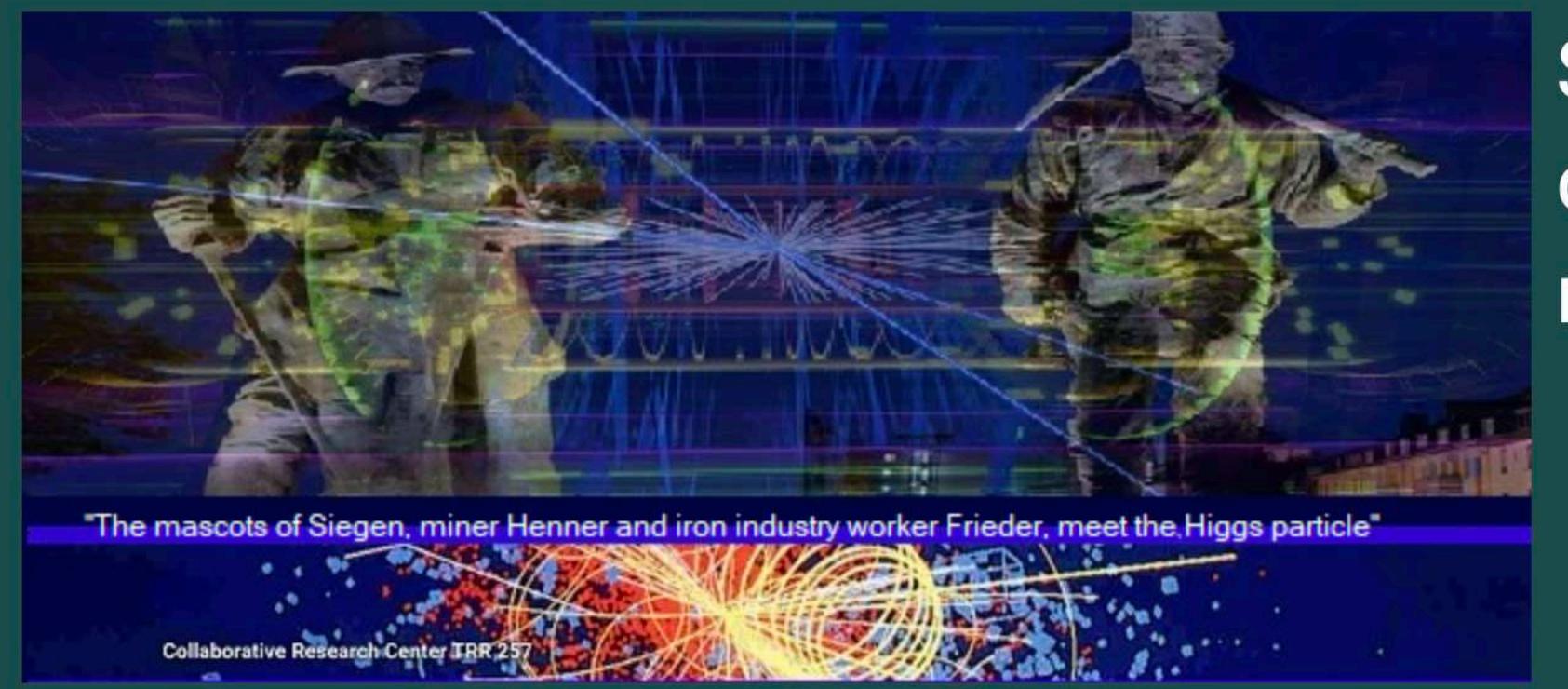
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## Things to check

- Reconsidering QCDF uncertainty estimates: **Khodjamirian, Piscopo, Rusov**  
if new effects will be found, then this  
might also affect the estimate of charm loops
- BSM in  $b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$  would also affect  $\tau(B^+)/\tau(B_d)$  **AL, Müller, Piscopo, Rusov**
- Consider CP asymmetries in colour allowed tree-level decays  
there is only one amplitude in the SM

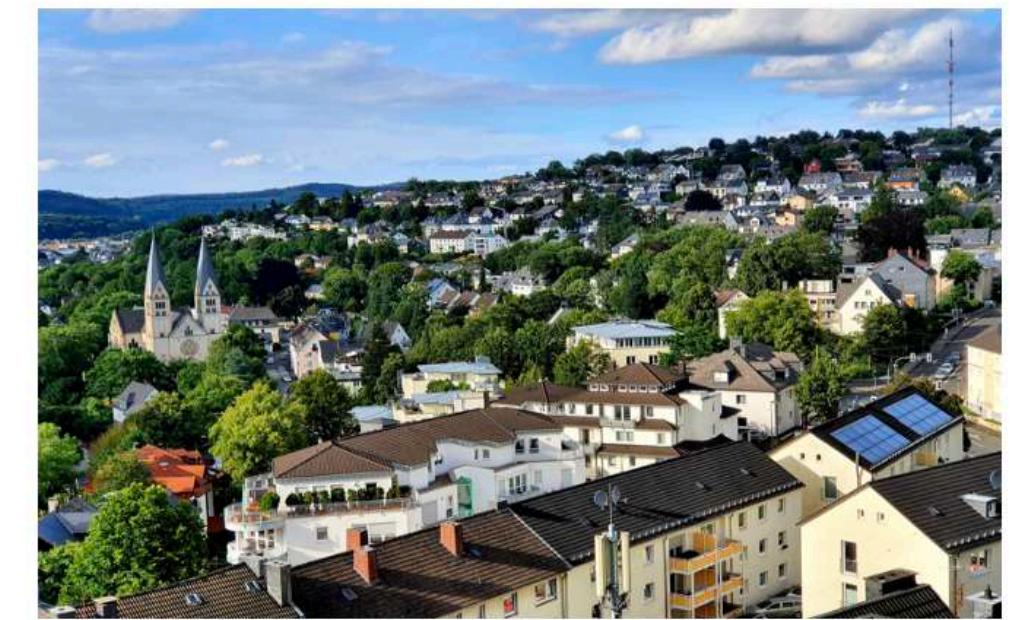
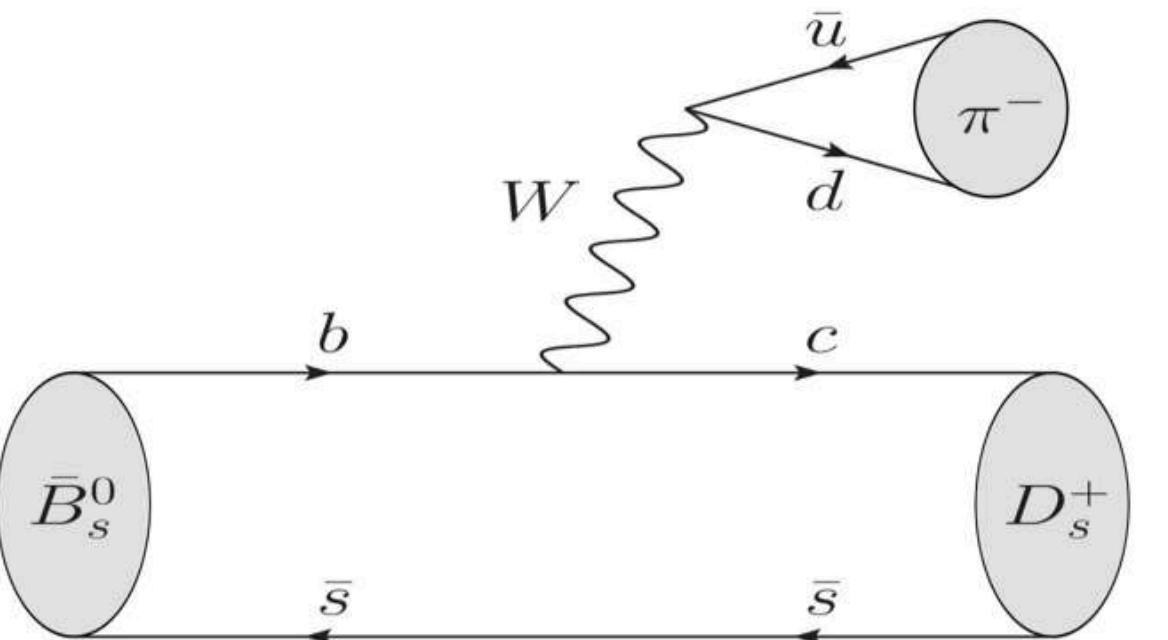


## Status and prospects of Non-leptonic B meson decays

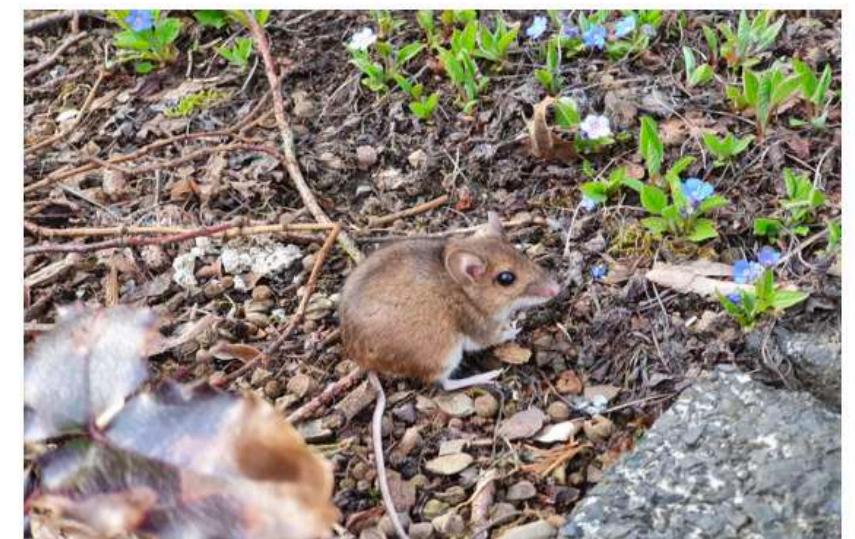
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The aim of this event is to discuss the current status in theory and experiment of non-leptonic B meson decays. This entails talks on calculation techniques, including QCD factorization and perturbative QCD with special emphasis on the current status of estimating power corrections. Moreover, this workshop will include sessions devoted to the discussion of different puzzles, old and new, arising within the context of purely hadronic B meson processes. Here, discrepancies between the theoretical and the experimental determinations may indicate either potential physics beyond the SM or a critical reassessment of our theory tools. Finally, future experimental prospects on the expected precision and the measurement of different non-leptonic channels will also be addressed.



The University of Siegen has around 18.000 students and it has a large theoretical flavour physics group with around 40 members. Downtown Siegen offers many pubs, restaurants and cafes, but also theaters, cinemas and concert halls.



<https://indico.scc.kit.edu/event/2641/>

# Non-leptonic decays



If you are fed up with our (=theorists)  
estimates  
of hadronic effects

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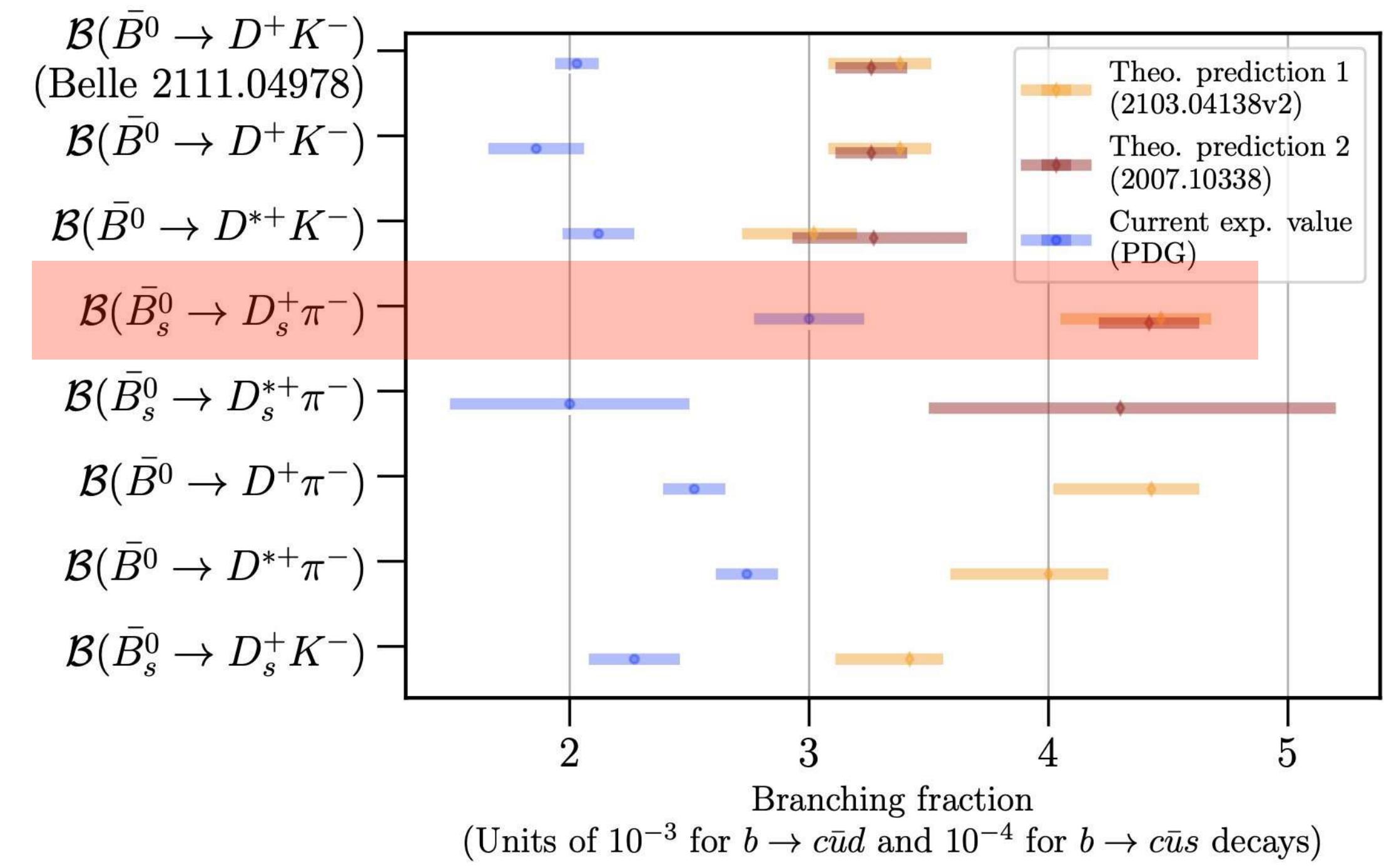
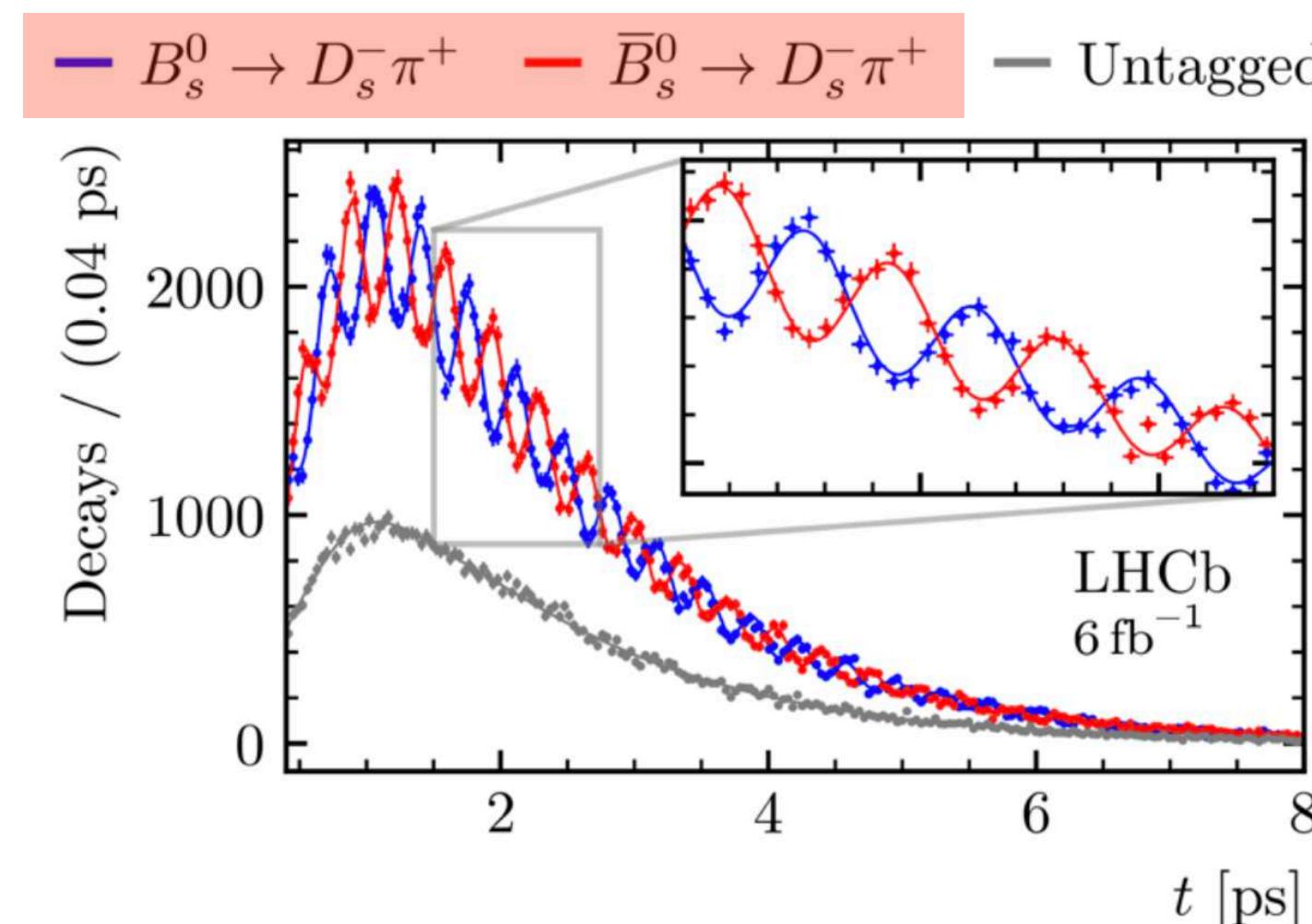
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12 April 2021: Fascinating quantum mechanics.

Precise determination of the  $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  oscillation frequency.

*"A phenomenon in which quantum mechanics gives a most remarkable prediction" - Richard Feynman*

Today, the LHCb Collaboration submitted a paper for publication that reports a precise determination of the  $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  oscillation frequency. This result is presented also today at the joint [annual conference](#) of the UK Institute of Physics (IOP), organized by the University of Edinburgh. The  $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  oscillation is a spectacular and fascinating feature of quantum mechanics. The strange beauty particle  $B_s^0$  composed of a [beauty](#) antiquark ( $\bar{b}$ ) bound with a [strange](#) quark  $s$  turns into its antiparticle partner  $\bar{B}_s^0$  composed of a  $b$  quark and an  $s$  antiquark ( $\bar{s}$ ) about 3 million million times per second ( $3 \times 10^{12}$ ) as seen in the image below.





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$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{A}_f &= |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{SM}}| e^{i\phi^{\text{SM}}} e^{i\varphi^{\text{SM}}} + |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{BSM}}| e^{i\phi^{\text{BSM}}} e^{i\varphi^{\text{BSM}}} \\ &=: |\mathcal{A}_f^{\text{SM}}| e^{i\phi^{\text{SM}}} e^{i\varphi^{\text{SM}}} (1 + r e^{i\phi} e^{i\varphi}) ,\end{aligned}$$

Discrepancy QCDF vs Exp. suggests  $r \approx 0.1 - 0.2$



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**Gershon, AL, Rusov, Skidmore**  
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**Significant exp. deviation of  $A_{fs}^q$  from  $a_{sl}^q$**   
**= unambiguous and theory independent**  
**signal for BSM**

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Jun 14 – 17, 2022  
Zadar, Croatia  
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We will discuss the state of the current anomalies, puzzles, and quirks in quark flavour physics. Participants will contribute in the fields of experimental physics, phenomenology, and lattice field theory.

## Quirks in Quark Flavour Physics

The workshop will take place in the beautiful coastal city of Zadar, Croatia.



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