

Theoretical Foundations of Flavor Physics I

Introduction



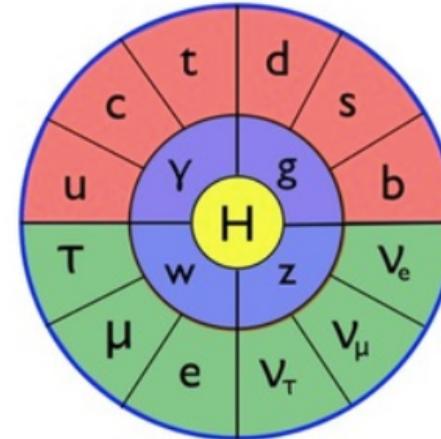
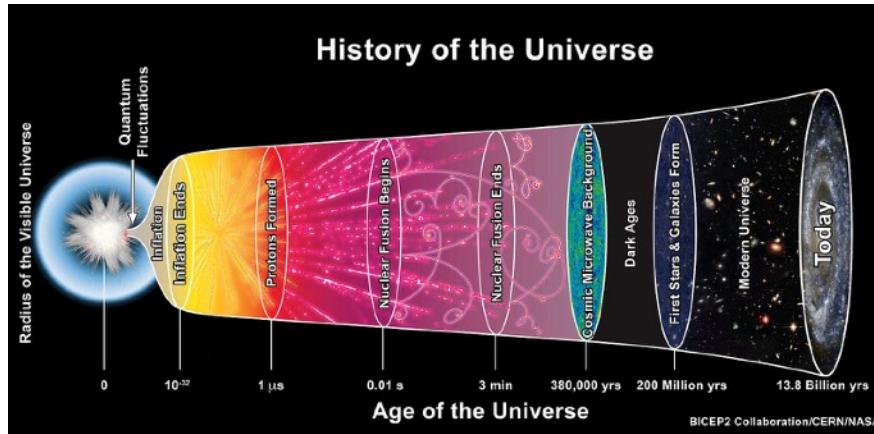
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1. Introduction

★ Is it possible to build the Universe using the Standard Model as a tool?

- no, but maybe it can tell us where to look for new tools



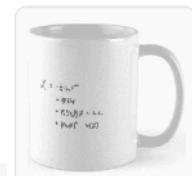
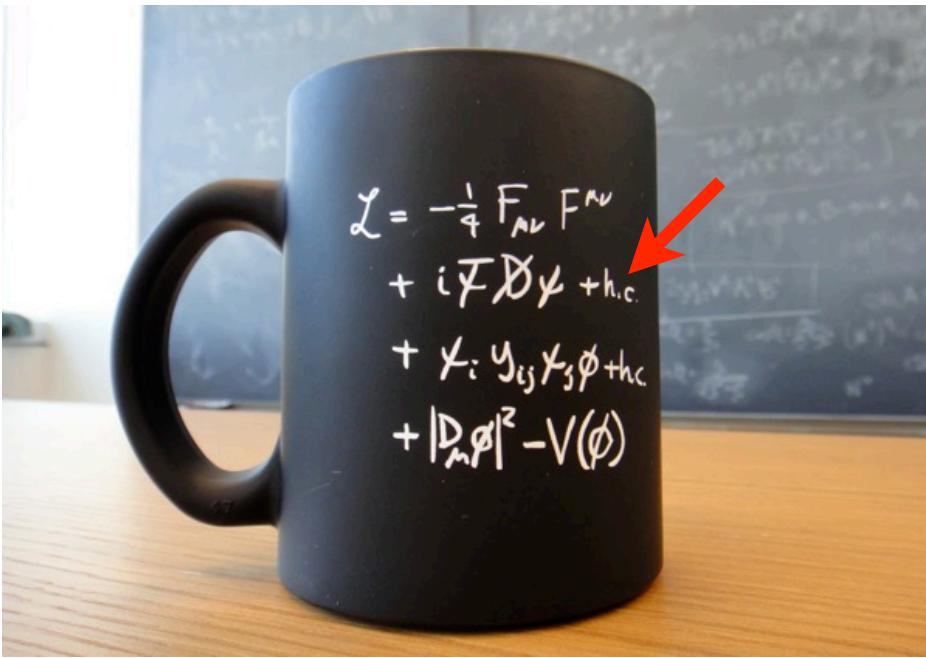
★ The era of “guaranteed discoveries” is over (top quark, electroweak breaking)

- new experiments designed to study rare decays or perform precision studies of various processes might point us in the right direction

★ What about New Physics?

- no new elementary particles so far at the LHC
- neutrinos oscillations: ν 's have mass and so CLFV transitions are guaranteed
- use sphaleron mechanism: baryogenesis via leptogenesis Fukugita, Yanagida
- new sources of CP-violation in the lepton sector

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There is an opinion that the second “h.c.” refers to “hot coffee”

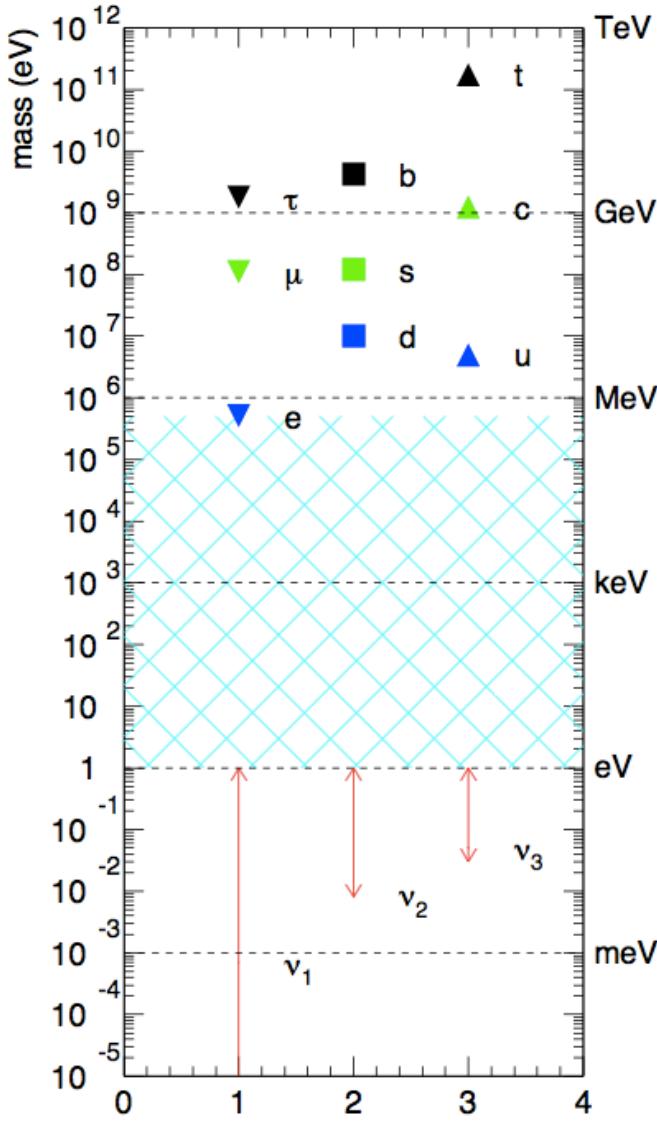
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$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} = \sum_{\psi} \bar{\psi} \gamma^{\mu} \left(i\partial_{\mu} - \frac{g_1}{2} Y_W B_{\mu} - \frac{g_2}{2} \vec{\tau}_L \vec{W}_{\mu} \right) \psi + \mathcal{L}_B, \text{ kin} + \mathcal{L}_W, \text{ kin} + \mathcal{L}_{Higgs}$$

- ★ Symmetries require all particles to be massless!
- ★ A part of this equation is related to particle masses: Higgs sector
- ★ A part of this equation is related to matter interaction with Higgs: flavor sector

Fundamental physics: flavor problem



★ SM and BSM Flavor problem

★ Flavor problem: patterns of masses of particles
- quarks

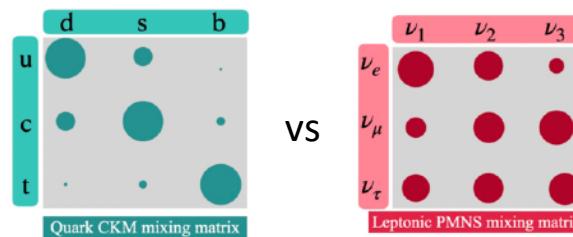
$$\frac{m_d}{m_u} \simeq 2, \quad \frac{m_s}{m_d} \simeq 21, \\ \frac{m_t}{m_c} \simeq 267, \quad \frac{m_c}{m_u} \simeq 431, \quad \frac{m_t}{m_u} \simeq 1.2 \times 10^5.$$

- leptons

$$\frac{m_\tau}{m_\mu} \simeq 17, \quad \frac{m_\mu}{m_e} \simeq 207.$$

★ Flavor problem: pattern of fermion mixing

- why is the quark mixing matrix so different from the neutrino mixing matrix?



S. Cao, et al.

★ Flavor problem: nature of neutrino mass?

Is flavor “problem” actually a problem?

★ Yukawa couplings are protected by a chiral symmetry:

$$\frac{dy}{d \log \mu} \propto y \implies \text{Small couplings remain small: "Technical Naturalness"}$$

★ So, why is it a problem?

The reason there is a problem is that **all these couplings appear to come from the same physics**. Therefore they should all start at the same order of magnitude at some UV scale, and the hierarchy should come from RG effects. This is why gauge couplings are not considered hierachal.

Now the above “technically natural” condition actually HURTS!

Fundamental physics: flavor problem

★ Flavor problem: flavor-changing neutral currents (FCNC)

- there is no term in the SM Lagrangian that leads to FCNC effects: quantum effects (one loop process)
- **quarks:** massive quarks and non-zero mixing parameters automatically lead to FCNC processes: $b \rightarrow s\gamma, c \rightarrow u\ell\bar{\ell}, B^0 - \bar{B}^0$ -mixing, etc.
- **leptons:** massive neutrinos and non-zero mixing parameters **automatically lead to FCNC processes:** $\tau \rightarrow e\gamma, \tau \rightarrow eee, \mu A \rightarrow eA$, etc.

★ Flavor problem: patterns of masses of particles and neutrino mass: new symmetry?

- there could be a mechanism generating mass patterns (Froggatt-Nielsen, etc.)...

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C.D. Froggatt, H.B. Nielsen / Hierarchy of quark masses

A. Blechman, AAP, G.K. Yeghiyan



Fig. 1. Feynman diagram which generates the quark mass matrix element $M_{t,i,j}$. Full lines represent quarks and wavy lines represent super heavy fermions. The dashed lines represent Higgs tadpoles as follows: $--\times \langle \phi_1 \rangle$, and $--\otimes \langle \phi_2 \rangle$.

- ... or maybe not: why is $M_{\text{Jupiter}} \gg M_{\text{Mercury}}$? (a “just so” solution?)



2. Flavor in the Standard Model (quarks)

★ Flavor in the Standard Model: mass generation and CP-violation

- masses are generated through Yukawa terms (quarks)

$$-\mathcal{L}_Y = Y_{ij}^d \overline{Q_{Li}^f} H D_{Rj}^f + Y_{ij}^u \overline{Q_{Li}^f} \tilde{H} U_{Rj}^f + h.c. \quad \text{with} \quad Q_{Li}^f = \begin{pmatrix} U_{Li}^f \\ D_{Li}^f \end{pmatrix}$$

CP-symmetric only if Y_{ij}^q are real

- after spontaneous symmetry breaking $H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v + H^0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$-\mathcal{L}_M = (M_d)_{ij} \overline{D_{Li}^f} D_{Rj}^f + (M_u)_{ij} \overline{U_{Li}^f} U_{Rj}^f + h.c. \quad \text{with} \quad (M_q)_{ij} = \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} (Y^q)_{ij}$$

- ... but mass matrices above are NOT diagonal! For both $q = \{u,d\}$:

$$V_{qL} M_q V_{qR}^\dagger = M_q^{\text{diag}} \quad \text{with} \quad q_{Li} = (V_{qL})_{ij} q_{Lj}^f$$
$$q_{Ri} = (V_{qR})_{ij} q_{Rj}^f$$

Some structure of the Yukawas that leads to the mass and CKM hierarchies? Leptons?

Flavor in the Standard Model

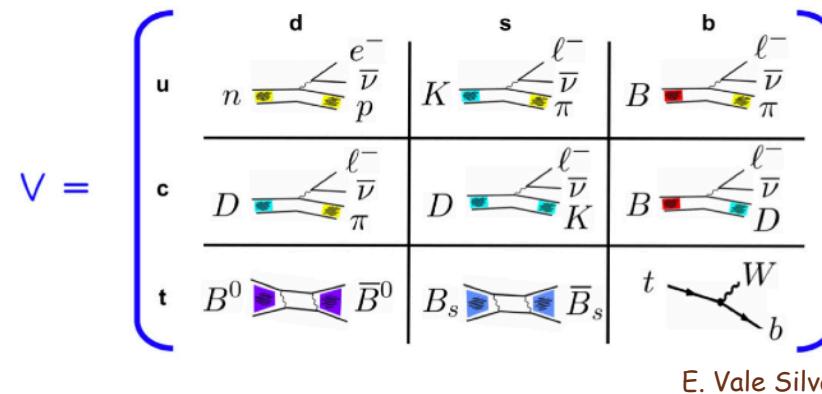
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- since left and right matrices are different: charge current part of \mathcal{L} :

$$-\mathcal{L}_{W^\pm}^q = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_{Li} \gamma^\mu \underbrace{\left[V_{uL} V_{qR}^\dagger \right]_{ij}}_{V} d_{Lj} W_\mu^+ + h.c.$$

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- V_{CKM} cannot be predicted in the SM, but can be measured experimentally



But there is more!

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- Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM) matrix is unitary: $VV^\dagger = 1$ (N^2 relations)
- Counting the number of parameters: $N \times N$
 - $N \times N$ complex matrix contains $2N^2$ real parameters
 - $N \times N$ unitary matrix contains $2N^2 - N^2 = N^2$ real parameters (phases and angles)
 - can rephrase up and down quarks: $2N-1$ relations: $N^2 - (2N-1) = (N-1)^2$ parameters
 - ... which represent $N C_2 = N(N-1)/2$ angles and $(N-1)(N-2)/2$ phases

2 generations: 1 angle and 0 phases; 3 generations: 3 angles and 1 phase!
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- ... and it is encoded in the phase of the CKM matrix. Parameterization?

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{23} - s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

We can explicitly verify that $VV^\dagger = 1$

$$s_{12} = \sin \theta_{12} = 0.22497 \pm 0.00069$$

- with the angles (UTFit)

$$s_{23} = \sin \theta_{23} = 0.04229 \pm 0.00057$$

$$s_{13} = \sin \theta_{13} = 0.00368 \pm 0.00010$$

$$\delta = (65.9 \pm 2.0)^\circ$$

- Note: all angles above are small! In fact, for $\lambda \simeq 0.2$

$$|V_{\text{CKM}}| \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \lambda & \lambda^3 \\ \lambda & 1 & \lambda^2 \\ \lambda^3 & \lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{Can we use it?}$$

CKM picture of CP-violation

★ We can use the fact that all angles of the CKM matrix are small

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- introduce four new parameters λ, A, ρ and η

$$s_{12} = \lambda = \frac{|V_{us}|}{\sqrt{|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2}}$$

$$s_{13} = A\lambda^2 = \lambda \left| \frac{V_{cb}}{V_{us}} \right|$$

$$s_{13}e^{i\delta} = A\lambda^3(\rho + i\eta) = V_{ub}^*$$

- ... and expand in λ up to $\mathcal{O}(\lambda^4)$ to get the Wolfenstein parameterization

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★ Consider two parameterizations of the CKM matrix

- are they physical?

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“PDG” parameterization

- Wolfenstein parameterization: is it unitary?

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & \lambda \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Two lessons: just for fun

$$V_{\text{Wolf}}^{(\text{CK})} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} - \frac{\lambda^4}{8} & \lambda , & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\frac{\lambda^6}{16}[1 + 8A^2(\rho^2 + \eta^2)] , & & \\ -\lambda + \frac{\lambda^5}{2}A^2(1 - 2\rho - 2i\eta) , & 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} - \frac{\lambda^4}{8}(1 + 4A^2) & A\lambda^2 \\ & -\frac{\lambda^6}{16}[1 - 4A^2(1 - 4\rho - 4i\eta)] , & \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 + \frac{\lambda^4}{2}A(1 - 2\rho - 2i\eta) & 1 - \frac{\lambda^4}{2}A^2 \\ +\frac{\lambda^5}{2}A(\rho + i\eta) , & +\frac{\lambda^6}{8}A , & -\frac{\lambda^6}{2}A^2(\rho^2 + \eta^2) \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^7)$$

see Phys. Lett.B 703 (2011) 571-575 for more discussion

CKM picture of CP-violation

★ There is a single phase of the CKM matrix for 3-generation SM

- Even though there are MULTIPLE ways to parameterize CKM matrix
but remember that $V^\dagger V = 1$

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- ...there exists a parameterization-independent quantity,

$$\underset{\text{no sum over } i, j, k, l}{Im} \left[V_{ij} V_{kl} V_{il}^\dagger V_{kj}^\dagger \right] = J_{CKM} \sum_{m,n=1}^3 \epsilon_{ilm} \epsilon_{jlm} \quad \text{with} \quad J_{CKM} \simeq \lambda^6 A^2 \eta$$

- Since CP-violation appears from imaginary parts of the Yukawas,
there is a condition for CP-violation to be present in the SM:
(Jarlskog)

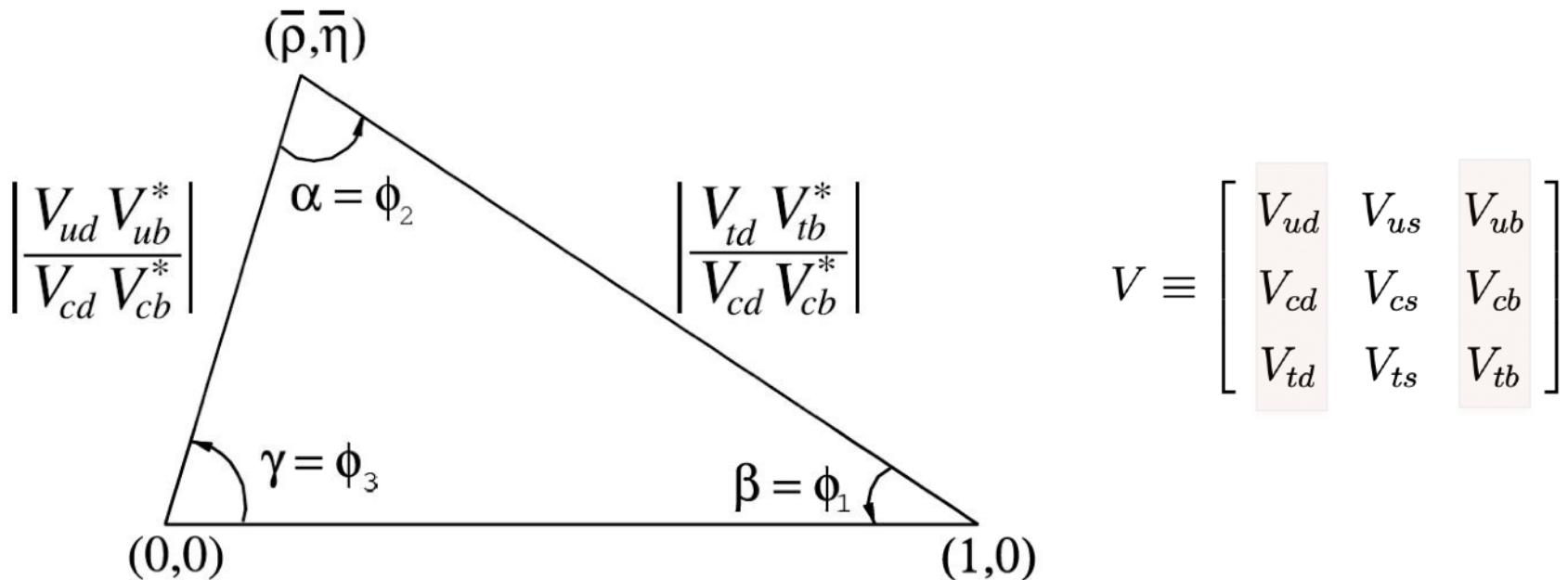
$$\Delta m_{tc}^2 \Delta m_{tu}^2 \Delta m_{cu}^2 \Delta m_{bs}^2 \Delta m_{bd}^2 \Delta m_{sd}^2 J_{CKM} \neq 0 \quad \text{with} \quad \Delta m_{ij}^2 = m_i^2 - m_j^2$$

i.e. no mass degeneracies or zero (or π) angles/phases

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- off-diagonal terms in unitarity relations $VV^\dagger = 1$ look like triangles in a complex plane (ρ, η) , e.g. $V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$ Each term is $\mathcal{O}(\lambda^3)$



- angles are $\phi_1(\beta) = \arg [-V_{cd}V_{cb}^*/V_{td}V_{tb}^*]$ phase of V_{td} in Wolfenstein param

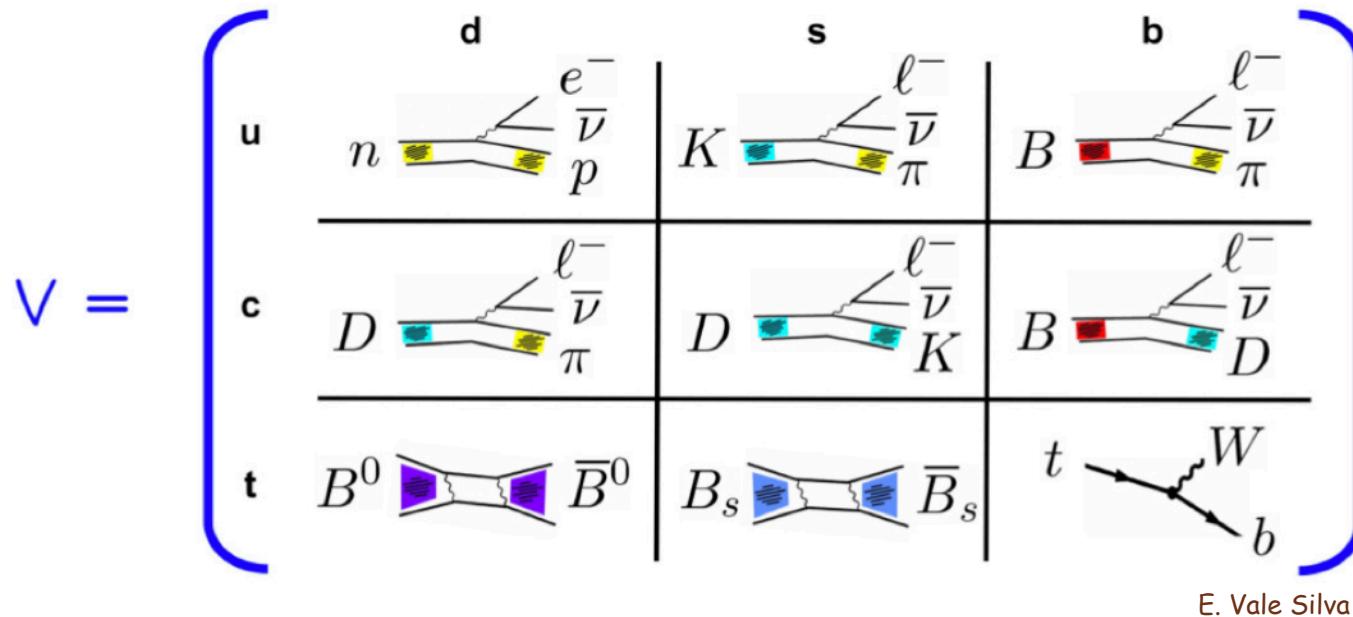
$$\phi_2(\alpha) = \arg [-V_{td}V_{tb}^*/V_{ud}V_{ub}^*]$$

$$\phi_3(\gamma) = \arg [-V_{ud}V_{ub}^*/V_{cd}V_{cb}^*]$$

phase of V_{ub} in Wolfenstein param

Using SM CP-violation to study NP

- ★ There is a single phase of the CKM matrix for 3-generation SM
- triangle parameters can be determined via a variety of ways...

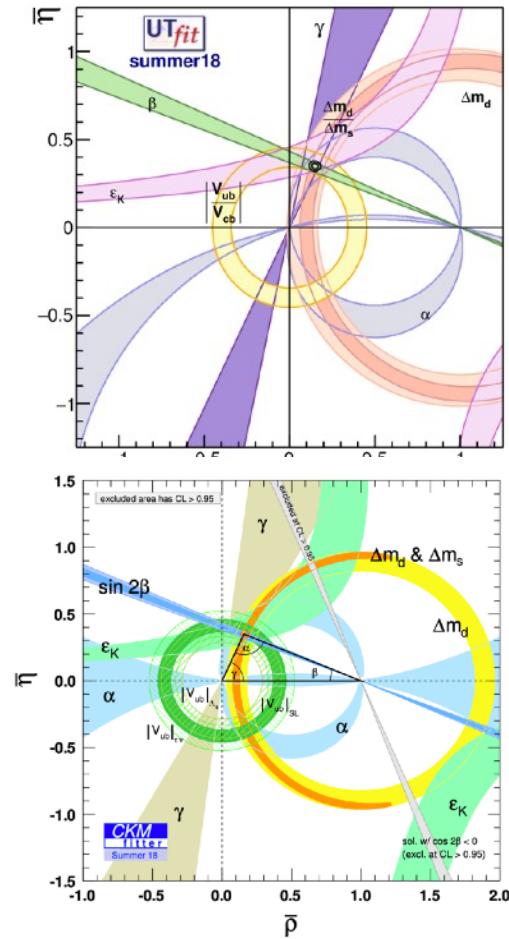


- ... and even though any triangle can be completely defined by two measurements: an angle and two sides (or 3 sides or 3 angles)
- ... we keep measuring the “triangle parameters” trying to find inconsistencies! Why???

A recipe for searches for New Physics

★ Flavor can be used to search for NP, not just new flavor physics!

1. Measure as many processes that depend on CKM parameters independently
2. Interpret those measurements assuming there is **no NP** contribution and extract the CKM parameters
3. Build CKM triangles out of those CKM parameters. If a triangle does not close, then no-NP assumption was incorrect and there is a (possible) presence of New Physics



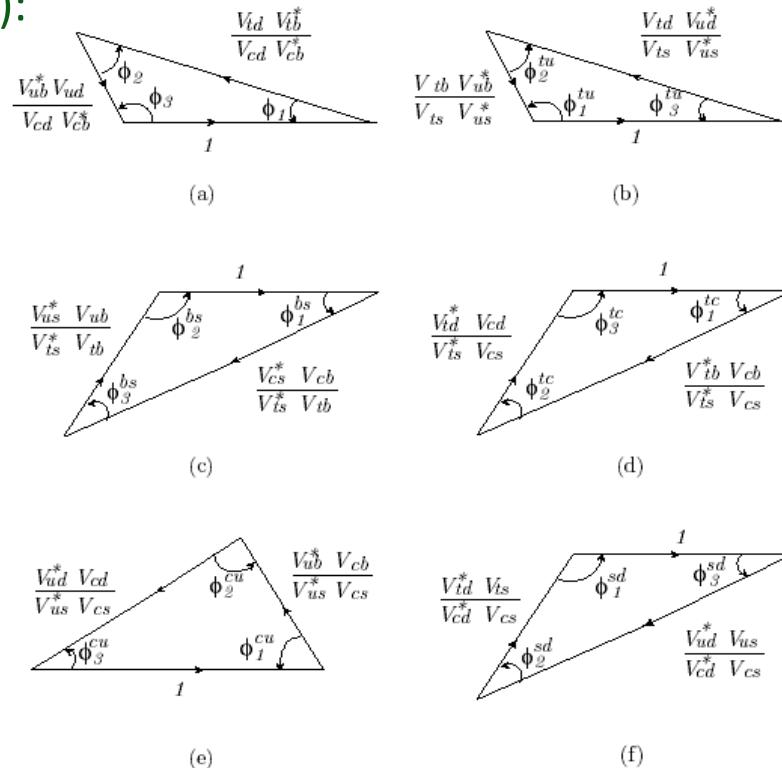
We are NOT checking if the CKM matrix is unitary!
We are searching for NP using the CKM matrix unitarity!

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- ... but regardless of the lines/columns used all these triangles have the same area $A = J_{CKM}/2$ (useful cross-check for NP studies)!

3. NP: modify the SM solution

1. Why generations?

- Why only 3?
- Are there only 3?

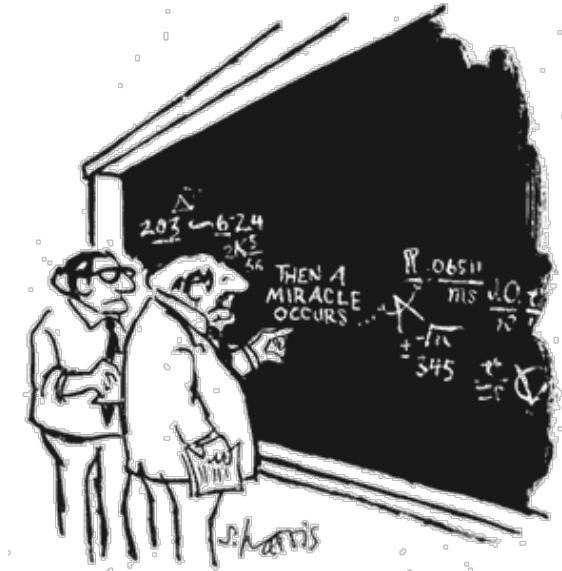
2. Why hierarchies of masses and mixings?

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = -y_\psi \bar{\psi}_L \psi_R \phi + h.c. \rightarrow -\frac{y_\psi v}{\sqrt{2}} (\bar{\psi}_L \psi_R + \bar{\psi}_R \psi_L),$$

$$m_\psi = y_\psi v / \sqrt{2}$$



No explanation of the hierarchy, but mass hierarchy is related to the hierarchy of Yukawa couplings



S. Harris

$$\begin{aligned} y_u &\sim 10^{-5}, & y_c &\sim 10^{-2}, & y_t &\sim 1, \\ y_d &\sim 10^{-5}, & y_s &\sim 10^{-3}, & y_b &\sim 10^{-2}, \\ y_e &\sim 10^{-6}, & y_\mu &\sim 10^{-3}, & y_\tau &\sim 10^{-2}. \end{aligned}$$

3. What about neutrino masses?

Flavor beyond the Standard Model (leptons)

★ There are two possible approaches: Dirac and Majorana

- Dirac masses: introduce a singlet (sterile) ν_R , so Dirac mass term
 - tiny relevant Yukawa couplings, $y_\nu \sim 10^{-12}$, so lepton flavor is an accidental symmetry broken by the Yukawa's
- Majorana masses: introduce Majorana mass
 - lepton flavor symmetry is broken by the mass term
 - easiest realization: a single operator in SMEFT (large NP scale)

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \frac{C^{(5)}}{\Lambda} Q^{(5)} + \sum_i \frac{C_i^{(6)}}{\Lambda^2} Q_i^{(6)} + \dots \quad \text{with}$$

$$Q^{(5)} = \epsilon_{jk} \epsilon_{mn} H^j H^m (L_p^k)^T \mathcal{C} L_r^n \quad \text{Weinberg operator}$$

★ Consequence: CLFV decays are highly suppressed in the Standard Model:

$$Br(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) = \frac{3\alpha}{32\pi} \left| \sum_i U_{\mu i}^* U_{ei} \frac{m_{\nu_i}^2}{M_W^2} \right|^2 < 10^{-54}$$

Why are we still searching for the CLFV? Other mechanisms for CLFV

Mass generation \neq flavor violation?

★ Example of the common origin of the neutrino masses and CLFV transitions

- consider a model with a triplet Higgs, e.g., a left-right model

$$-\mathcal{L}_{\text{Yukawa}} = \bar{\psi}'_{iL} \left(G_{ij} \phi + H_{ij} \tilde{\phi} \right) \psi'_{jR} + \frac{i}{2} F_{ij} \left(\psi'^T_{iL} C \tau_2 \Delta_L \psi'_{jL} + \psi'^T_{iR} C \tau_2 \Delta_R \psi'_{jR} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\text{with } \psi'_{iL,R} = \begin{pmatrix} \nu'_{iL,R} \\ e'_{iL,R} \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta = \begin{pmatrix} \Delta^+/\sqrt{2} & \Delta^{++} \\ \Delta^0 & -\Delta^+/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

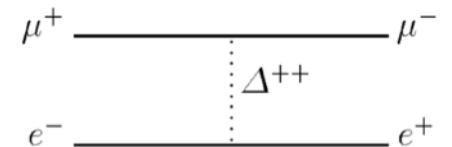
- this Lagrangian leads to the Majorana masses for the neutrinos

Pati, Salam; Mohapatra, Pati;
Senjanovic, et al, Schechter and Valle;
K. Kiers et al

$$-\mathcal{L}_{\text{Majorana}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \left(\overline{\nu'_L}^c F v_L e^{i\theta_L} \nu'_L + \overline{\nu'_R}^c F v_R \nu'_R \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

- ... and both $\Delta L_\mu = 1$ (FCNC decays) and $\Delta L_\mu = 2$ (muonium oscillations) transitions

$$\mathcal{H}_\Delta = -\frac{g_{ee} g_{\mu\mu}^*}{8M_\Delta^2} (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma_\alpha e_L) (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma^\alpha e_L) + \text{H.c.}$$



Chang, Keung (89); Schwartz (89);
Conlin, AAP (21); Han, Tang, Zhang (21)

Effective Lagrangians: probing all NP models

★ Systematic approach: Standard Model Effective Field Theory (SMEFT)

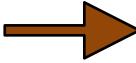
- effective Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \frac{C^{(5)}}{\Lambda} Q^{(5)} + \sum_i \frac{C_i^{(6)}}{\Lambda^2} Q_i^{(6)} + \dots$$

with the Weinberg operator $Q^{(5)}$

$$Q^{(5)} = \epsilon_{jk} \epsilon_{mn} H^j H^m (L_p^k)^T \mathcal{C} L_r^n$$

and lots (59+5) of $Q_i^{(6)}$ operators



- the strategy of identifying an NP model involves fitting C_i from experimental data and/or matching of \mathcal{L} to UV-completed NP models

TABLE 2.3 Operators with H^n , sets X^3 , H^6 , $H^4 D^2$, and $\psi^2 H^3$.

X^3		H^6 and $H^4 D^2$		$\psi^2 H^3 + \text{h.c.}$
Q_G	$f^{ABC} G_\mu^{A\nu} G_\nu^{B\rho} G_\rho^{C\mu}$	Q_H	$(H^\dagger H)^3$	Q_{cH}
$Q_G \sim$	$f^{ABC} G_\mu^{A\nu} G_\nu^{B\rho} G_\rho^{C\mu}$	$Q_{H\square}$	$(H^\dagger H) \square (H^\dagger H)$	Q_{uH}
Q_W	$\epsilon^{IJK} W_\mu^{I\nu} W_\nu^{J\rho} W_\rho^{K\mu}$	Q_{HD}	$(H^\dagger D^\mu H)^* (H^\dagger D_\mu H)$	Q_{dH}
$Q_W \sim$	$\epsilon^{IJK} \tilde{W}_\mu^{I\nu} W_\nu^{J\rho} W_\rho^{K\mu}$			

TABLE 2.4 Operators with H^n , sets $X^2 H^2$, $\psi^2 XH$, and $\psi^2 H^2 D$.

$X^2 H^2$		$\psi^2 XH + \text{h.c.}$	$\psi^2 H^2 D$
Q_{nG}	$H^\dagger H G_\mu^A G^{A\mu\nu}$	Q_{eW}	$(\bar{L}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) \tau^I H W_\mu^I$
$Q_{HG} \sim$	$H^\dagger H \tilde{G}_\mu^A G^{A\mu\nu}$	Q_{eB}	$(\bar{L}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) H B_\mu^{\nu I}$
Q_{HW}	$H^\dagger H W_\mu^I W^{I\mu\nu}$	Q_{uG}	$(\bar{Q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A u_r) \tilde{H} G_\mu^A$
$Q_{HW} \sim$	$H^\dagger H \tilde{W}_\mu^I W^{I\mu\nu}$	Q_{uW}	$(\bar{Q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_r) \tau^I \tilde{H} W_\mu^I$
Q_{HB}	$H^\dagger H B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{uB}	$(\bar{Q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_r) \tilde{H} B_{\mu\nu}$
$Q_{HB} \sim$	$H^\dagger H \tilde{B}_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dG}	$(\bar{Q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A d_r) H G_\mu^A$
Q_{HWB}	$H^\dagger \tau^I H W_\mu^I B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dW}	$(\bar{Q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} d_r) \tau^I H W_\mu^I$
$Q_{HWB} \sim$	$H^\dagger \tau^I H \tilde{W}_\mu^I B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dB}	$(\bar{Q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} d_r) H B_{\mu\nu}$

TABLE 2.5 Four-fermion operators, classes $(\bar{L}L)(\bar{L}L)$, $(\bar{R}R)(\bar{R}R)$, and $(\bar{L}L)(\bar{R}R)$.

$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{L}L)$		$(\bar{R}R)(\bar{R}R)$		$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{R}R)$
Q_{ll}	$(\bar{L}_p \gamma^\mu L_r) (\bar{L}_s \gamma^\mu L_t)$	Q_{cc}	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma^\mu e_r) (\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$	Q_{lc}
$Q_{qq}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{Q}_p \gamma^\mu Q_r) (\bar{Q}_s \gamma^\mu Q_t)$	Q_{uu}	$(\bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu u_r) (\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$	Q_{lu}
$Q_{qq}^{(3)}$	$(\bar{Q}_p \gamma^\mu \tau^I Q_r) (\bar{Q}_s \gamma^\mu \tau^I Q_t)$	Q_{dd}	$(\bar{d}_p \gamma^\mu d_r) (\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$	Q_{ld}
$Q_{lq}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{L}_p \gamma^\mu L_r) (\bar{Q}_s \gamma^\mu Q_t)$	Q_{eu}	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma^\mu e_r) (\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$	Q_{qe}
$Q_{lq}^{(3)}$	$(\bar{L}_p \gamma^\mu \tau^I L_r) (\bar{Q}_s \gamma^\mu \tau^I Q_t)$	Q_{ed}	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma^\mu e_r) (\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$	$Q_{qu}^{(1)}$
				$(\bar{Q}_p \gamma^\mu Q_r) (\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$
				$Q_{qu}^{(8)}$
				$(\bar{q}_p \gamma^\mu T^A q_r) (\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu T^A u_t)$
				$Q_{qd}^{(1)}$
				$(\bar{q}_p \gamma^\mu q_r) (\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$
				$Q_{qd}^{(8)}$
				$(\bar{Q}_p \gamma^\mu T^A Q_r) (\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu T^A d_t)$

TABLE 2.6 Four-fermion operators, classes $(LR)(RL)$, and B (baryon-number) violating.

$(\bar{L}R)(\bar{R}L)$		B -violating	
Q_{ledq}	$((\bar{L}_p^j e_r) (\bar{d}_s Q_t^j))$	Q_{duq}	$\epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \epsilon_{jk} \left[(d_p^\alpha)^T C u_r^\beta \right] \left[(Q_s^\gamma)^T C L_t^k \right]$
$Q_{quqd}^{(1)}$	$((\bar{Q}_p^j u_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{Q}_s^k d_t))$	Q_{qqu}	$\epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \epsilon_{jk} \left[(Q_p^\alpha)^T C Q_r^\beta \right] \left[(u_s^\gamma)^T C e_t \right]$
$Q_{quqd}^{(8)}$	$((\bar{Q}_p^j T^A u_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{Q}_s^k T^A d_t))$	$Q_{qqq}^{(1)}$	$\epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \epsilon_{jk} \epsilon_{emn} \left[(Q_p^\alpha)^T C Q_r^\beta \right] \left[(Q_s^\gamma)^T C L_t^k \right]$
$Q_{lequ}^{(1)}$	$((\bar{L}_p^j e_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{Q}_s^k u_t))$	$Q_{qqq}^{(3)}$	$\epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} (\tau^I e)_{jk} (\tau^I e)_{mn} \left[(Q_p^\alpha)^T C Q_r^\beta \right] \left[(Q_s^\gamma)^T C L_t^k \right]$
$Q_{lequ}^{(3)}$	$((\bar{L}_p^j \sigma_{\mu\nu} e_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{Q}_s^k \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_t))$	Q_{duu}	$\epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \left[(d_p^\alpha)^T C u_r^\beta \right] \left[(u_s^\gamma)^T C e_t \right]$

Flavor hierarchies: NP flavor model building

- ★ GUT models: leptonic/quark Yukawas are related
- ★ Flavor symmetries

SM Lagrangian is $SU(3)^5$ -invariant in the limit $y_i \rightarrow 0$

- Yukawas arise as a result of spontaneous breaking of a subgroup of $SU(3)^5$?
 - continuous flavor symmetries
 - discrete flavor symmetries
 - accidental flavor symmetries
- numerology?
$$m_e + m_\mu + m_\tau = \frac{2}{3}(\sqrt{m_e} + \sqrt{m_\mu} + \sqrt{m_\tau})^2$$
Koide formula (also “works” for heavy quarks)

- ★ Dynamical approaches

- ★ Geometric approaches (localization in extra dimension)



Flavor hierarchies: NP flavor model building

Notice that an extra scalar boson can help to solve the flavor puzzle:

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = -y_\psi \bar{\psi}_L \psi_R \phi_1 - y_\chi \bar{\chi}_L \chi_R \phi_2 + \text{h.c.}$$

Then assuming $\tan \beta \gg 1$

$$\frac{m_\chi}{m_\psi} = \frac{y_\chi v_2}{y_\psi v_1} = \frac{y_\chi}{y_\psi} \tan \beta \gg 1$$

So it looks like we can solve the flavor puzzle by just having more scalar bosons, letting all Yukawa couplings be $\mathcal{O}(1)$ and $\tan \beta \gg 1$

Top quark: Das, Kao, Phys. Lett. B 392 (1996) 106.

Xu, Phys. Rev. D44, R590 (1991).

Blechman, AAP, Yeghiyan, JHEP 1011 (2010) 075

CP-violation: NP model building

★ In any quantum field theory CP-symmetry can be broken

1. Explicitly through dimension-4 (or higher) operators ("hard")

Example: Standard Model (CKM): $\bar{\psi}_i \psi_k \xrightarrow{CP} \bar{\psi}_k \psi_i, \varphi \xrightarrow{CP} \varphi$

$$\mathcal{L}_{Yuk} = \zeta_{ik} \bar{\psi}_i \psi_k \varphi + H.c. \xrightarrow{CP} \mathcal{L}_{Yuk}$$

2. Explicitly through dimension <4 operators ("soft")

Example: SUSY, 2HDM, ...

3. Spontaneously (CP is a symmetry of the Lagrangian, but not of the ground state)

Example: multi-Higgs models, left-right models $\langle \Phi \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k' e^{i\eta} \end{pmatrix}$

★ These mechanisms can be probed in quark transitions

Aside: no spontaneous CP-violation in SM

★ One can show that SM (or other 1HDMs) cannot spontaneously break CP

- In order to spontaneously break CP, a scalar doublet (Higgs) must have a VEV, which is independent of \vec{r} and t
- One can perform an SU(2) rotation to bring the doublet to be

$$\langle 0 | \phi | 0 \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ ve^{i\theta} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Under CP transformation

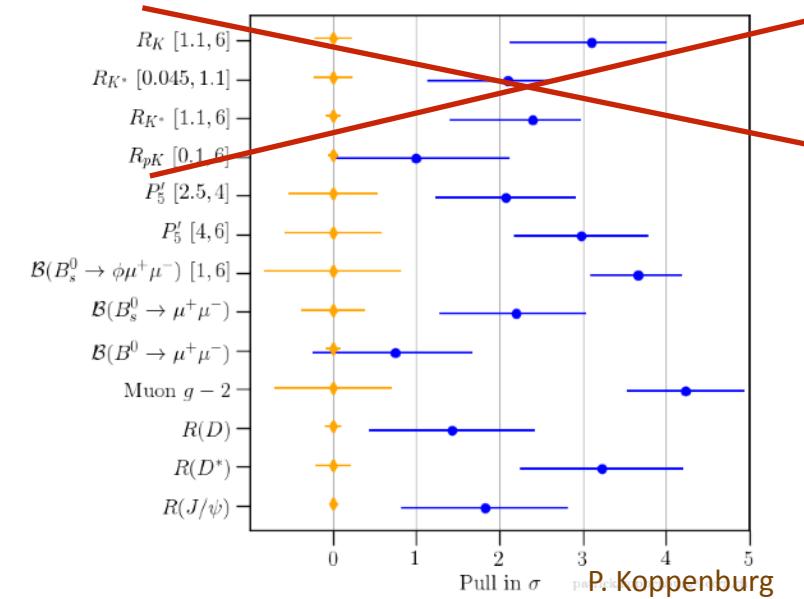
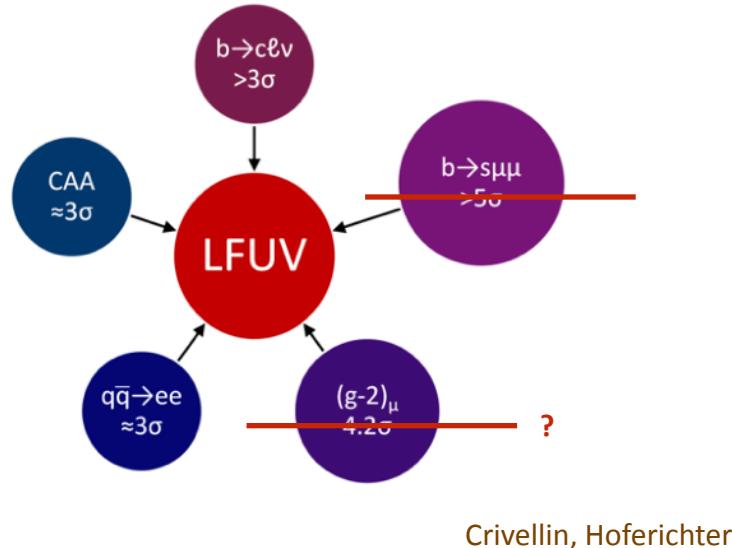
$$[CP]\phi(\vec{r}, t)[CP]^\dagger = \exp(i\alpha)\phi^\dagger(-\vec{r}, t)$$

- Choosing $\alpha = 2\theta$ we can always make it invariant under CP-transformation!

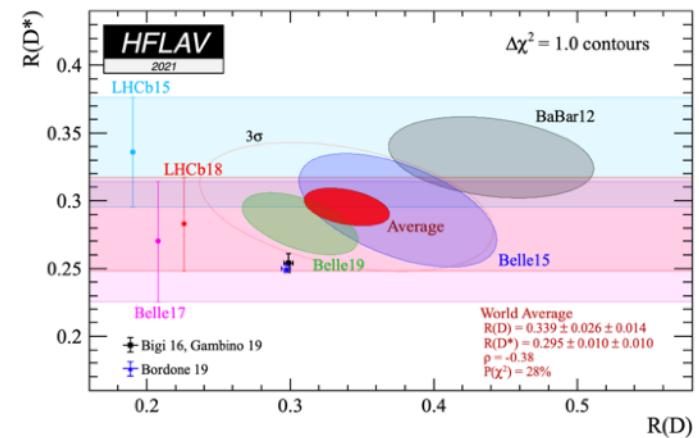
★ Thus we need multi-Higgs doublet models to realize spontaneous CP breaking

Recent experimental anomalies: NP with leptons?

★ Several experimental anomalies involve interactions with muons and taus



- other lepton-flavor conserving processes
 - magnetic properties: muon $g-2$
 - currently a discrepancy theory/exp
- electric properties: muon EDM
- probes CP-violation in leptons
- muonic hydrogen
- proton size/QED/New Physics



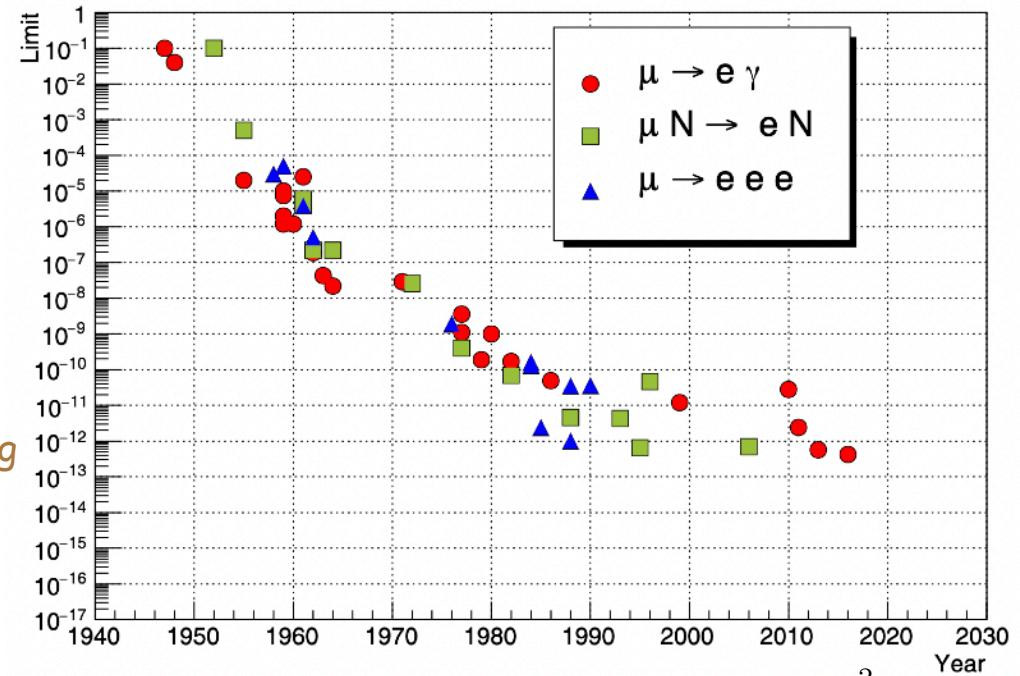
Lepton flavor violation

★ Leptons can help solve the most fundamental problems in particle physics! Flavor?

★ Possible experimental searches for Charged Lepton Flavor Violation (CLFV)

LORENZO CALIBBI and GIOVANNI SIGNORELLI

- lepton-flavor violating processes
 - $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma, \tau \rightarrow e\gamma, \text{etc.}$
 - $\mu \rightarrow eee, \tau \rightarrow \mu ee, \text{etc.}$
 - $\mu^+e^- \rightarrow e^-\mu^+$ (muonium oscillations)
 - $Z^0 \rightarrow \mu e, \tau e, \text{etc.}$
 - $H \rightarrow \mu e, \tau e, \text{etc.}$
 - $K^0 (B^0, D^0, \dots) \rightarrow \mu e, \tau e, \text{etc.}$
 - $\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^- + (A, Z)$
- lepton number and lepton-flavor violating processes
 - $(A, Z) \rightarrow (A, Z \pm 2) + e^\mp e^\mp$
 - $\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^+ + (A, Z - 2)$



★ Decays are highly suppressed in the Standard Model: $Br(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) = \frac{3\alpha}{32\pi} \left| \sum_i U_{\mu i}^* U_{ei} \frac{m_{\nu_i}^2}{M_W^2} \right|^2 < 10^{-54}$

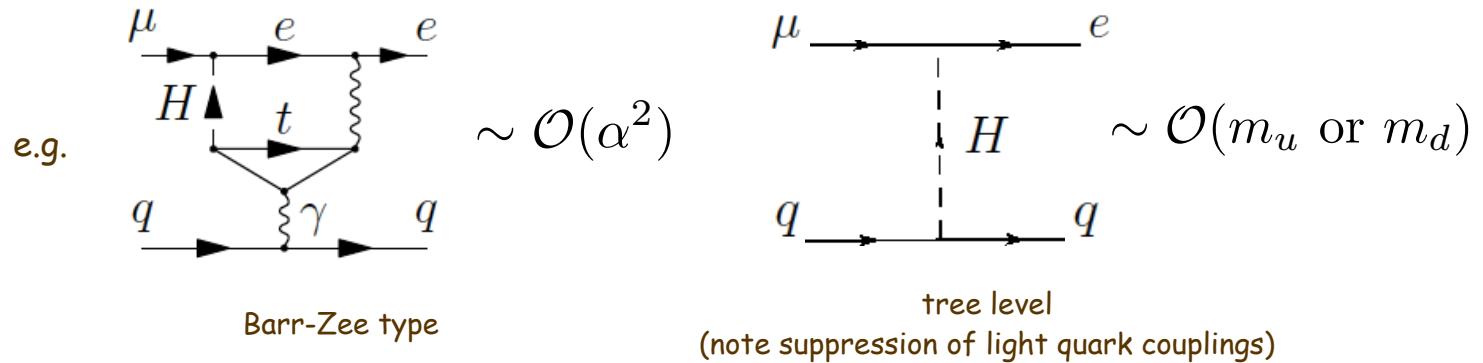
★ But: no trivial FCNC vertices in the Standard Model: sensitive tests of New Physics!

NP models and high energy processes

★ Leptonic FCNC could be generated by New Physics

◆ Ex.1 FCNC Higgs decays $H \rightarrow \mu e, \tau e$, etc.: $Y_{ij} = \frac{m_i}{v} \delta_{ij} + \frac{v^2}{\sqrt{2}\Lambda^2} \hat{\lambda}_{ij}$ Harnik, Kopp, Zupan

► FCNC Higgs model & muon conversion/quarkonium decays



◆ Ex.2 Exceptional couplings of (flavor-diagonal) NP to third generation $\mathcal{H}_{\text{NP}} = G \bar{b}'_L \gamma^\lambda b'_L \bar{\tau}'_L \gamma_\lambda \tau'_L$ flavor “anomalies”

Glashow,
Guadagnoli, Lane

◆ Ex.3 Leptoquarks \rightarrow flavor “anomalies”
Muon collider?

(Number of possible models) $>$ (number of model builders). How do we proceed?

Flavor violation and effective Lagrangians

★ Radiative FCNC decays of leptons $\ell_1 \rightarrow \ell_2 + \gamma$ (tau decays at LHCb/Belle II)

- the most general amplitude is

$$A_{\ell_1 \rightarrow \ell_2 \gamma}(p, p') = \frac{i}{m_{\ell_1}} \bar{u}_{\ell_2}(p') [A_L P_L + A_R P_R] \sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu u_{\ell_1}(p) \epsilon^{*\mu},$$

- which leads to the decay rate

$$\Gamma(\ell_1 \rightarrow \ell_2 \gamma) = \frac{m_{\ell_1}}{16\pi} \left(|A_L|^2 + |A_R|^2 \right)$$

$$\text{with } A_R = A_L^* = \sqrt{2} \frac{vm_i^2}{\Lambda^2} \left(c_W C_{eB}^{fi} - s_W C_{eW}^{fi} \right) \equiv \sqrt{2} \frac{vm_i^2}{\Lambda^2} C_\gamma^{fi}$$

Effective coupling (example)	Bounds on Λ (TeV) (for $ \mathcal{C}_{ij}^6 = 1$)	Bounds on $ \mathcal{C}_{ij}^6 $ (for $\Lambda = 1$ TeV)	Observable
$\mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}^{\mu e}$	6.3×10^4	2.5×10^{-10}	$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$
$\mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}^{\tau e}$	6.5×10^2	2.4×10^{-6}	$\tau \rightarrow e\gamma$
$\mathcal{C}_{e\gamma}^{\tau\mu}$	6.1×10^2	2.7×10^{-6}	$\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$
$\mathcal{C}_{\ell\ell,ee}^{\mu eee}$	207	2.3×10^{-5}	$\mu \rightarrow 3e$
$\mathcal{C}_{\ell\ell,ee}^{e\tau ee}$	10.4	9.2×10^{-5}	$\tau \rightarrow 3e$
$\mathcal{C}_{\ell\ell,ee}^{\mu\tau\mu\mu}$	11.3	7.8×10^{-5}	$\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$
$\mathcal{C}_{(1,3)H\ell}^{\mu e}, \mathcal{C}_{He}^{\mu e}$	160	4×10^{-5}	$\mu \rightarrow 3e$
$\mathcal{C}_{(1,3)H\ell}^{\tau e}, \mathcal{C}_{He}^{\tau e}$	≈ 8	1.5×10^{-2}	$\tau \rightarrow 3e$
$\mathcal{C}_{(1,3)H\ell}^{\tau\mu}, \mathcal{C}_{He}^{\tau\mu}$	≈ 9	$\approx 10^{-2}$	$\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$

Teixeira; Feruglio,
Paradisi, Pattori

Other interesting modes that probe similar couplings: $\ell_1 \rightarrow \ell_2 \gamma\gamma$, $\ell_1 \rightarrow 3\ell_2$, and others

5. Conclusions and things to take home

- Flavor puzzle is still a big problem for particle physics
 - The reason(s) for generations and mass hierarchy are not known
 - Standard Models simply parameterizes the solution
 - New Physics models use flavor as input, not output
- Flavor-changing neutral current transitions provide great opportunities for studies of flavor in the SM and BSM
 - several anomalies in B physics might point to New Physics “around the corner”
 - studies of charmed transitions experience explosive growth
 - unique access to up-type quark sector
 - large available statistics/in many cases small SM background
 - large contributions from New Physics are possible, but not seen
- There is no indication from high energy studies where the NP show up
 - this makes indirect searches the most valuable source of information
- Maybe flavor will be the first tool to see glimpses of New Physics

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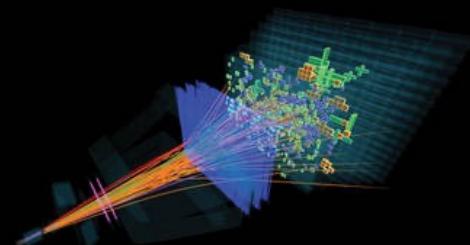
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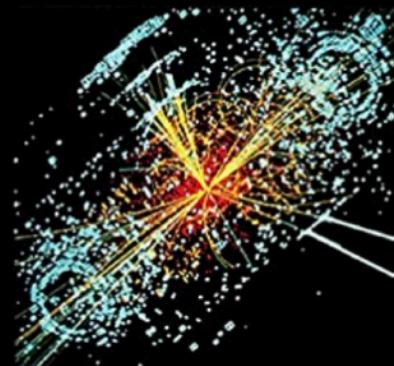
Indirect Searches for New Physics

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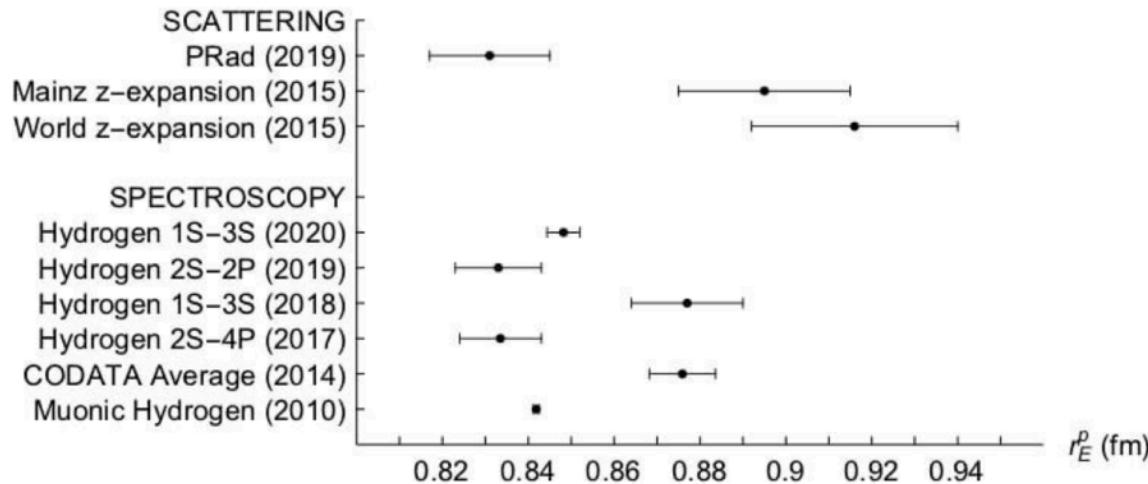
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Muons and recent experimental anomalies

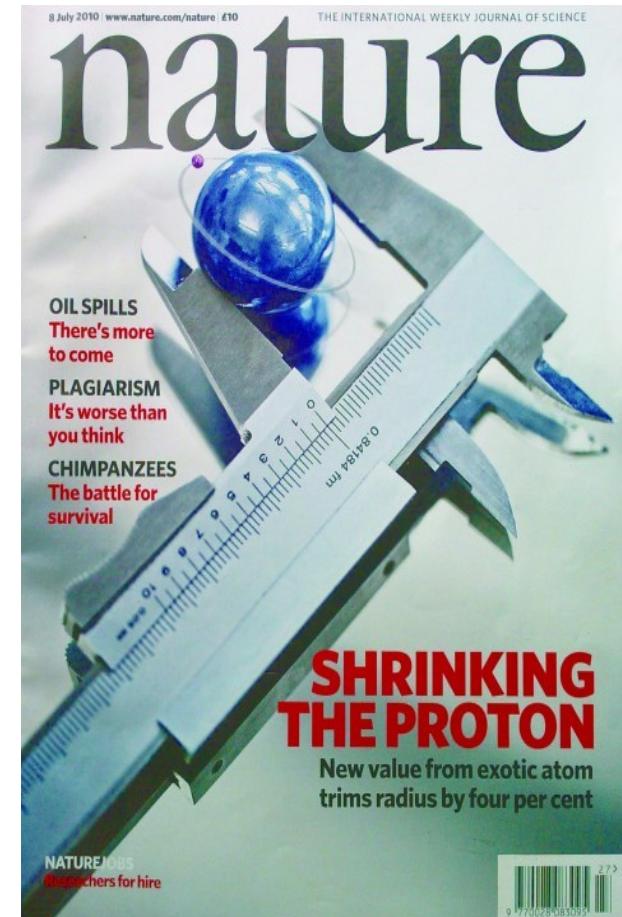
★ Proton's radius from muonic hydrogen: possible New Physics?

- ★ Level splittings (e.g. Lamb shift) are sensitive to the charge radius of the proton



- ★ They are also sensitive to QED radiative corrections
- ★ Are there possible light New Physics particles that are responsible for this difference?

Barger et al, PRL 106 (2011) 153001

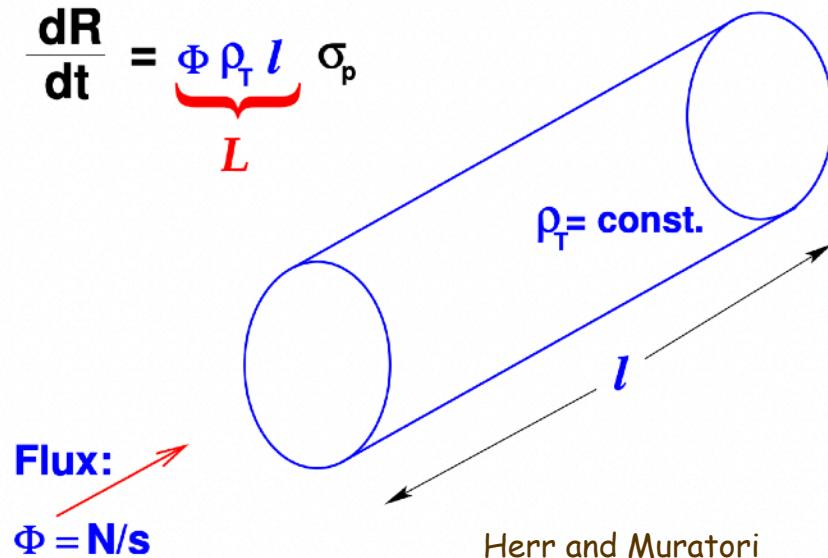


Remove proton radius issue from the problem: atomic physics with muonium?

Experimental studies of rare processes: luminosity

★ Need a lot of muons: high luminosity experiments

- Number of events/second



	Energy (GeV)	\mathcal{L} $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
SPS ($p\bar{p}$)	315×315	$6 \cdot 10^{30}$
Tevatron ($p\bar{p}$)	1000×1000	$50 \cdot 10^{30}$
HERA ($e^+ p$)	30×920	$40 \cdot 10^{30}$
LHC (pp)	7000×7000	$10000 \cdot 10^{30}$
LEP ($e^+ e^-$)	105×105	$100 \cdot 10^{30}$
PEP ($e^+ e^-$)	9×3	$3000 \cdot 10^{30}$
KEKB ($e^+ e^-$)	8×3.5	$10000 \cdot 10^{30}$

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$10^{33} - 10^{35}$

- ... or another way $L = \Phi \rho_T \ell = N \rho_T \frac{\ell}{t} = N \rho_T v$

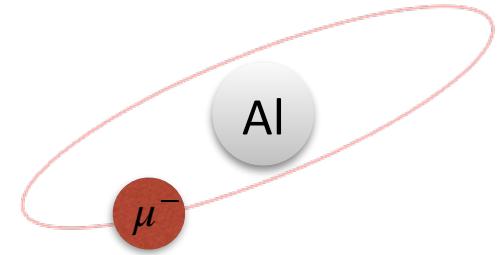
What if incident particles formed bound states with target particles?

Bound states: muon conversion

- How effective is this approach compared to scattering?

- let's compute effective luminosity
 - recall that

$$L = \Phi \rho_T \ell = N \rho_T \frac{\ell}{t} = N \rho_T v$$



- in this “experiment” the probability density is given by the 1s wave function
 - ... and we need to take into account the fact that muon decays
 - Then **luminosity** = (density)(velocity)(flux of muons)(lifetime)

$$L_{\text{eff}} = |\psi(0)|^2 \times \alpha Z \times \Phi_\mu \times \tau_\mu = \frac{m_\mu^3 Z^4 \alpha^4}{\pi} \Phi_\mu \tau_\mu$$

- For Al target ($Z=13$), flux of $\Phi_\mu = 10^{10}$ muons/sec and $\tau_\mu = 2 \mu\text{sec}$

$$L_{\text{eff}} = 10^{48} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{ sec}^{-1}$$

Bernstein, Czarnecki

- A possibility of using muon beams at CMP facilities

Jian Tang, talk at RPPM meeting (Snowmass 2021)

	Proton driver [MW]	Surface muons			Decay muons		
		Intensity [1E6/s]	Polarization [%]	Spread [%]	energy [MeV/c]	Intensity [1E6/s]	Spread [%]
PSI	1.3	420	90	10	85-125	240	3
ISIS	0.16	1.5	95	<15	20-120	0.4	10
RIKEN/RAL	0.16	0.8	95	<15	65-120	1	10
JPARC	1	100	95	15	33-250	10	15
TRIUMF	0.075	1.4	90	7	20-100	0.0014	10
EMuS	0.005	83	50	10	50-450	16	10
Baby EMuS	0.005	1.2	95	10			

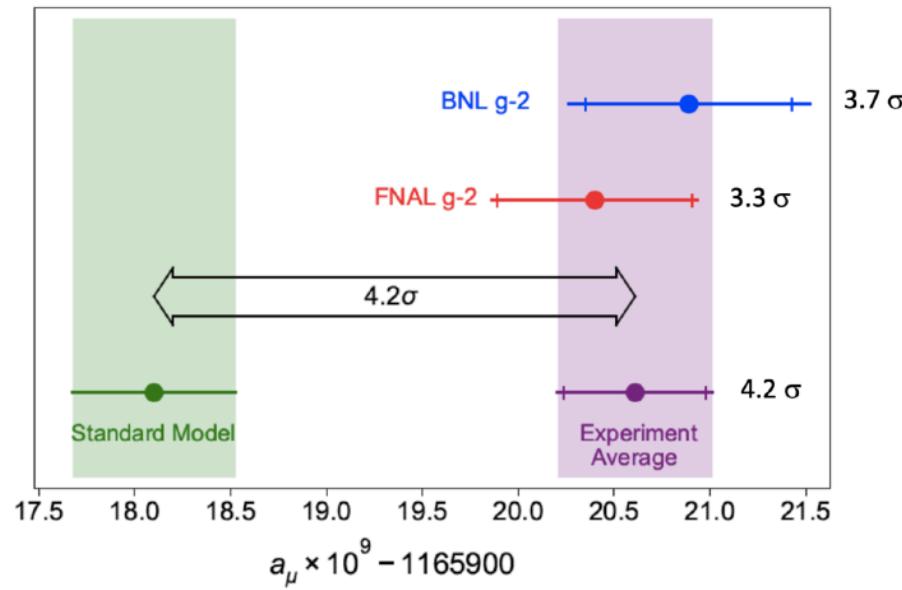
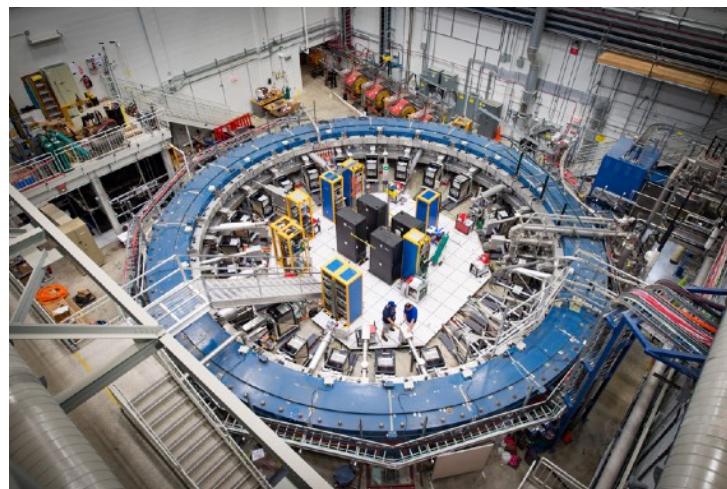
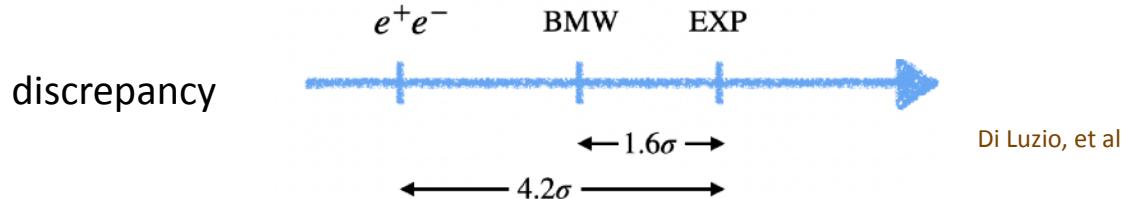
Facility	Source Type	Intensity ($\mu+$ /sec)*
ISIS	pulsed	1.5×10^6
J-PARC	continuous	1.8×10^6
PSI	continuous	7.0×10^4
TRIUMF	pulsed	5.0×10^6
SEEMS	pulsed	1.9×10^8

X5 CSNS-II upgrade

- Muonium Antimuonium
Conversion Experiment
(MACE) EMuS at CSNS

Muons and recent experimental anomalies

★ Muon's magnetic properties ($g-2$): $a_\mu = (g - 2)/2$ with $\vec{\mu} = g \frac{e}{2m} \vec{s}$



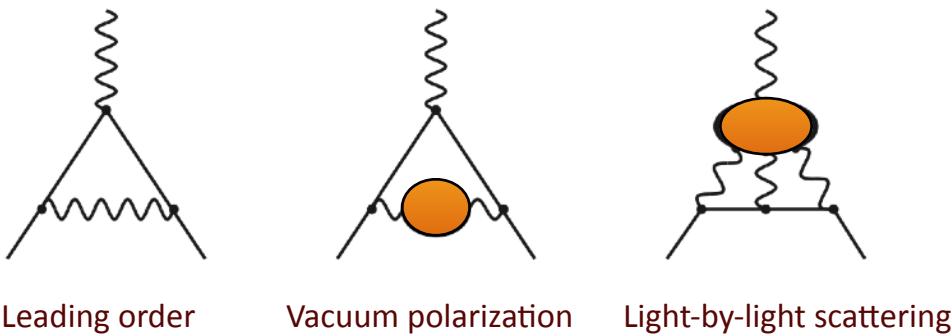
$$\text{FNAL (g-2): } a_\mu(\text{Exp}) = 116592061(41) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$a_\mu(\text{Theory}) = 116591810(43) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$a_\mu(\text{BMW}) = 116591954(55) \times 10^{-11}$$

Are there possible New Physics particles that are responsible for this difference?

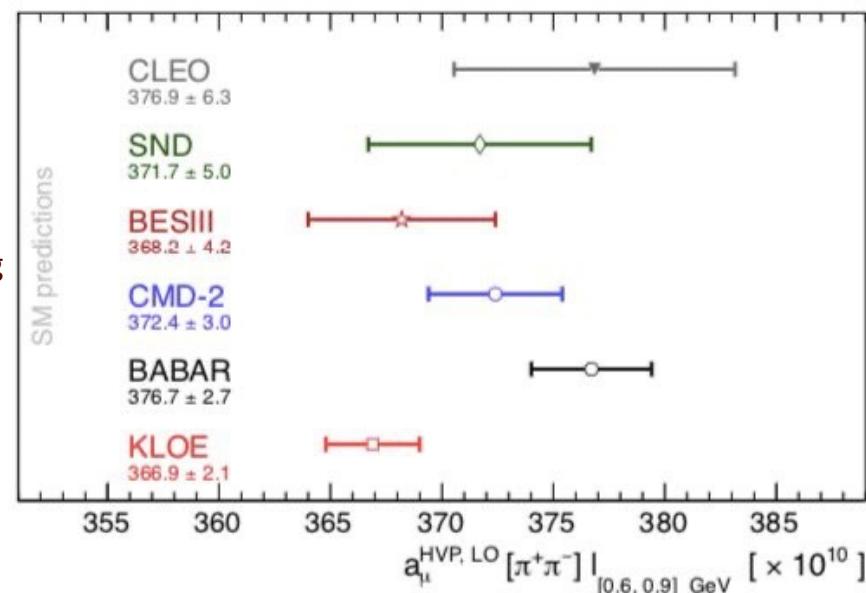
- Independent lattice computations of HVP
- Data-driven estimates of hadronic vacuum polarization (HVP)
 - discrepancy between KLOE and BaBar data used in HVP



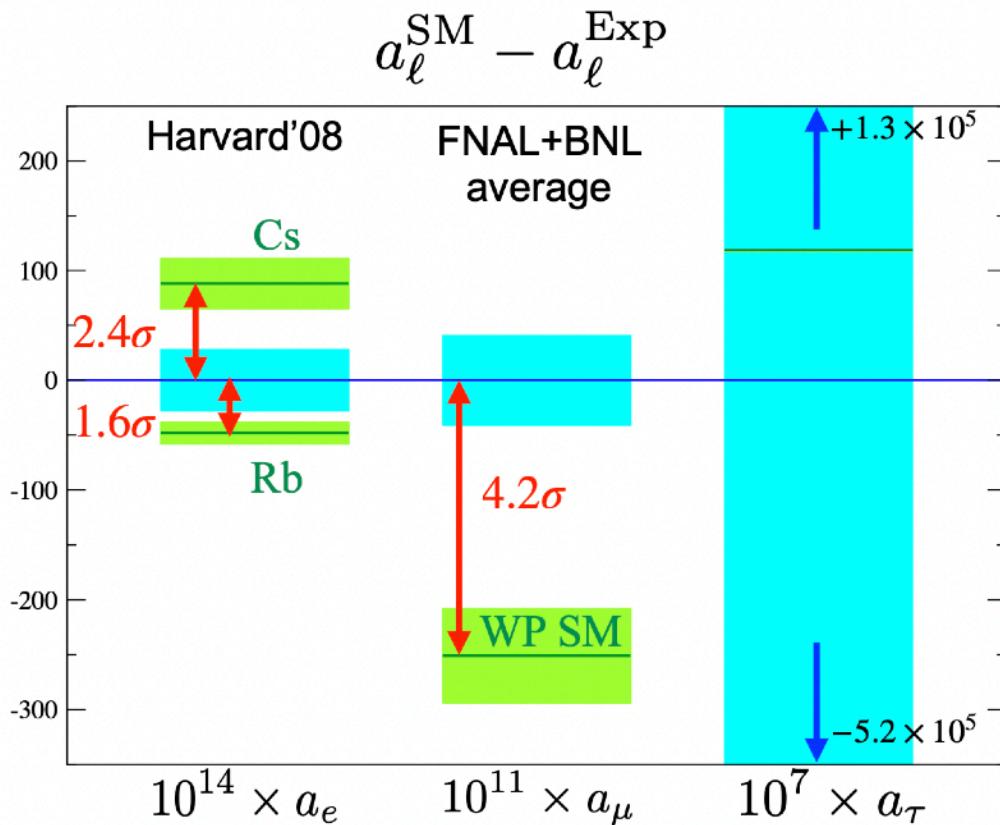
$$a_\mu^{hvp} = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \right)^2 \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty \frac{ds}{s} K(s) R(s)$$

$$\frac{1}{12\pi} R(s) = \frac{1}{12\pi} \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})}{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)}$$

$$K(s) = \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^2(1-x)m_\mu^2}{x^2m_\mu^2 + (1-x)s}$$



- need radiative return Belle II data to eliminate the discrepancy
- τ -decay data is not currently used: Belle II + lattice?



Sensitivity to heavy
new physics:

$$a_\ell^{\text{NP}} \sim \frac{m_\ell^2}{\Lambda^2}$$

$$(m_\mu/m_e)^2 \sim 4 \times 10^4$$

Cs: α from Berkeley group [Parker et al, Science 360, 6385 (2018)]

Rb: α from Paris group [Morel et al, Nature 588, 61–65(2020)]

A. El-Khadra (talk at LP21)

- Muon decay $\mu \rightarrow 3e$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma(\mu \rightarrow 3e) &= \\
&= \frac{\alpha m_\mu^5}{3\Lambda^4(4\pi)^2} (|C_{DL}|^2 + |C_{DR}|^2) \left(8 \log \left[\frac{m_\mu}{m_e} \right] - 11 \right) \\
&+ \frac{4m_\mu^5}{3\Lambda^4(16\pi)^3} (m_e^4 G_F^2 (|C_{SR}^e|^2 + |C_{SL}^e|^2)) \\
&+ 2(2(|C_{VR}^e|^2 + |C_{VL}^e|^2 + |C_{AR}^e|^2 + |C_{AL}^e|^2) + |C_{AR}^e + C_{VR}^e|^2 + |C_{AL}^e - C_{VL}^e|^2)) \\
&- \frac{\sqrt{4\pi\alpha} m_\mu^5}{3\Lambda^4(4\pi)^3} (\Re [C_{DL} (3C_{VR}^e + C_{AR}^e)^*] + \Re [C_R^D (3C_{VL}^e - C_{AL}^e)^*])
\end{aligned}$$

- Muonium decay $M_\mu^V \rightarrow e^+e^-$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma(M_\mu^V \rightarrow e^+e^-) &= \frac{f_M^2 M_M^3}{48\pi\Lambda^4} \left\{ \frac{3}{2} |C_{VR}^e + C_{AR}^e|^2 - \frac{3}{2} |C_{VL}^e + C_{AL}^e|^2 \right. \\
&\quad \left. + |2C_{VL}^e + C_{VR}^e|^2 + |2C_{AL}^e + C_{AR}^e|^2 \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

- Note: different combination of Wilson coefficients!

★ Calculation of muon conversion probability involves interesting interplay of particle and nuclear physics - and QED!

Measure $R_{\mu e} = \frac{\Gamma [\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^- + (A, Z)]}{\Gamma [\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow \nu_\mu + (A, Z - 1)]}$ to probe NP

★ Lepton wave functions are taken as solutions of Dirac equation
- with usual substitutions $u_1(r) = r g(r)$ and $u_2(r) = r f(r)$

$$\frac{d}{dr} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\kappa/r & W - V + m_i \\ -(W - V - m_i) & \kappa/r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\psi = \psi_\kappa^\mu = \begin{pmatrix} g(r)\chi_\kappa^\mu(\theta, \phi) \\ i f(r)\chi_{-\kappa}^\mu(\theta, \phi) \end{pmatrix}$$

★ ... with Dirac equation in a potential $V(r) = -e \int_r^\infty E(r') dr'$

SINDRUM II (PSI), 2006 : $R_{\mu e} < 7 \times 10^{-13}$
M2e goal : $R_{\mu e} < \text{a few} \times 10^{-17}$

$$E(r) = \frac{Ze}{r^2} \int_0^r r'^2 \rho^{(p)}(r') dr'$$

★ Calculation of muon conversion probability involves interesting interplay of particle and nuclear physics

★ Nuclear averages are often done as an approximation. For a general quark operator Q

$$\langle N|Q|N\rangle = \int d^3r [Z\rho_p(r)\langle p|Q|p\rangle + (A - Z)\rho_n(r)\langle n|Q|n\rangle]$$

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p(n) densities

$$\rho_{p(n)}(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp[(r - c)/z]}, \quad \int d^3\rho_{p(n)}(r) = 1$$

★ Matrix elements of light quark currents are easily computed

- since $(m_\mu - m_e) \ll m_N$ we can neglect space components of the quark current

$$\langle p|\bar{u}\gamma^0 u + c_d\bar{d}\gamma^0 d|p\rangle = 2 + c_d$$

$$\langle n|\bar{u}\gamma^0 u + c_d\bar{d}\gamma^0 d|n\rangle = 1 + 2c_d$$

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count number of quarks

★ Gluonic contribution can be removed using anomaly equation or can be computed

- ★ Calculation of muon conversion probability involves interesting interplay of particle and nuclear physics
- ★ Nuclear averages are often done as an approximation. For a gluonic Rayleigh operator

$$\langle N | \frac{\beta_L}{4\alpha_s} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} | N \rangle = -\frac{9}{2} \left[ZG^{(g,p)}\rho^{(p)} + (A-Z)G^{(g,n)}\rho^{(n)} \right],$$

where $G^{(g,N)} = \langle N | \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} | N \rangle \approx -189 \text{ MeV}$

- ★ The (coherent) conversion rate is

$$\Gamma(\mu^- + (A, Z) \rightarrow e^- + (A, Z)) = \frac{4a_N^2}{\Lambda^4} (|c_1|^2 + |c_3|^2)$$

with $a_N = G^{(g,p)}S^{(p)} + G^{(g,n)}S^{(n)}$

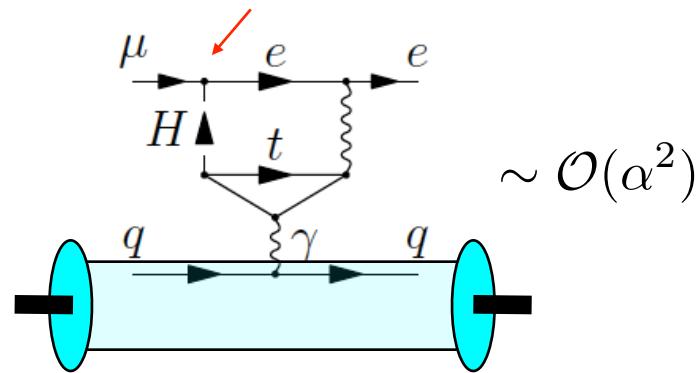
The overlap integrals $S^{(p,n)}$ with muon and electron wave functions are

$$S^{(p)} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \int_0^\infty dr r^2 Z \rho^{(p)} (g_e^- g_\mu^- - f_e^- f_\mu^-),$$

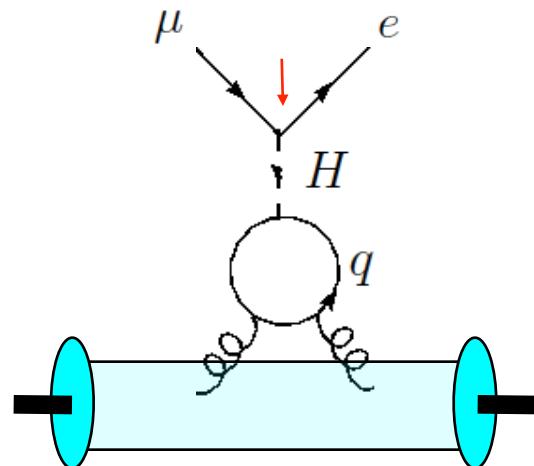
$$S^{(n)} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \int_0^\infty dr r^2 (A - Z) \rho^{(n)} (g_e^- g_\mu^- - f_e^- f_\mu^-).$$

★ Contribution of heavy quarks can, in principle, be large even at low energies

★ Two-loop sensitivity to NP in muon conversion experiment...



★ ... becomes one-loop!



- gluonic couplings to hadrons are not (always) suppressed!
- NP couplings to heavy quarks are not well constrained and could be large

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Measuring CKM angles: ϕ_3 example

- ★ Many different methods: see lectures by T. Browder and S. Prell
- ★ One can also use a fact that initial state at Belle II is quantum coherent

- which means that initial state can be CP-tagged
- can be done for both B_d (at $\Upsilon(4S)$) or B_s (at $\Upsilon(5S)$). For B_s

$$A_{\text{CP}} = A(B_s^{\text{CP}} \rightarrow D_s^- K^+) = (A_1 + A_2)/\sqrt{2},$$

$$\bar{A}_{\text{CP}} = A(B_s^{\text{CP}} \rightarrow D_s^+ K^-) = (\bar{A}_1 + \bar{A}_2)/\sqrt{2}.$$

with $A_1 = A(B_s \rightarrow D_s^- K^+)$ and $A_2 = A(\bar{B}_s \rightarrow D_s^- K^+)$

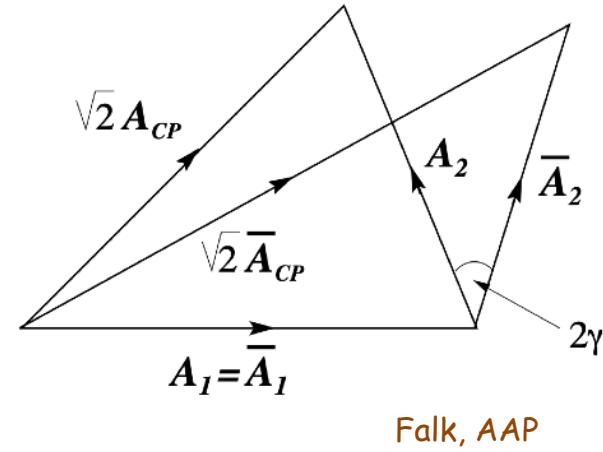
- measuring all amplitudes,

$$\alpha = \frac{2|A_{\text{CP}}|^2 - |A_1|^2 - |A_2|^2}{2|A_1||A_2|},$$

$$\bar{\alpha} = \frac{2|\bar{A}_{\text{CP}}|^2 - |\bar{A}_1|^2 - |\bar{A}_2|^2}{2|\bar{A}_1||\bar{A}_2|},$$

$$\sin 2\gamma = \pm \left(\alpha \sqrt{1 - \bar{\alpha}^2} - \bar{\alpha} \sqrt{1 - \alpha^2} \right)$$

- analysis is similar for $B_d \rightarrow D\pi$ is similar, but coefficients are time-dependent

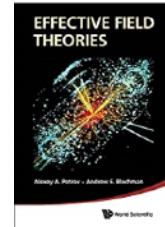


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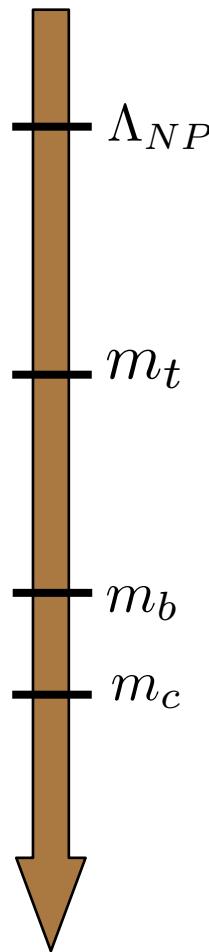
Models and effective Lagrangians

★ Modern approach to flavor physics calculations: effective field theories

★ It is important to understand ALL relevant energy scales for the problem at hand



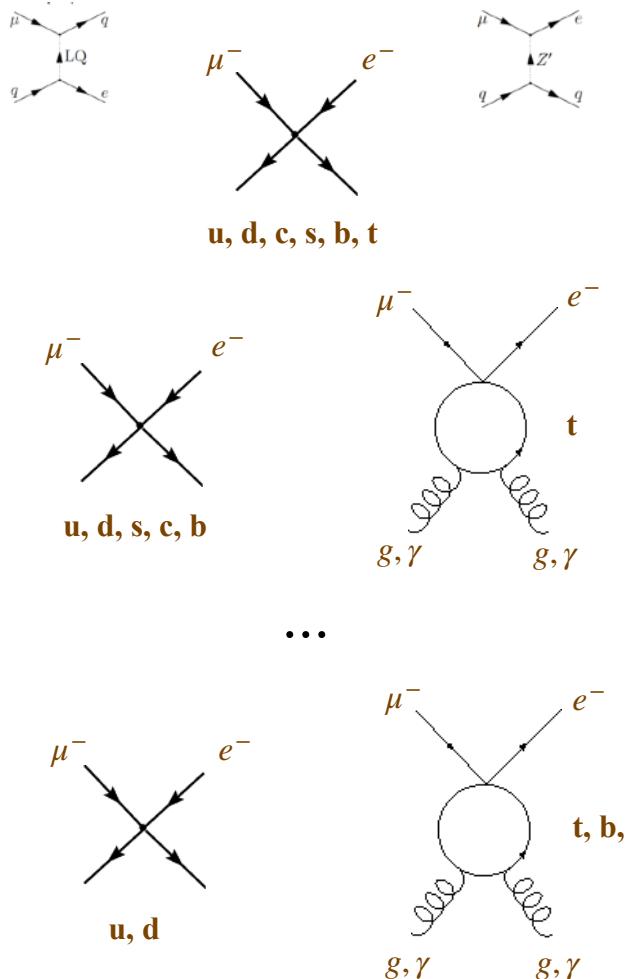
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New Physics generates lepton FCNC

Scales associated with heavy SM particles (quarks, leptons)

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heavy
quarks
decouple

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Scales associated with experiment