

# Two-Body Nonleptonic B-Meson Decays – II (Analysis of Selected Modes)

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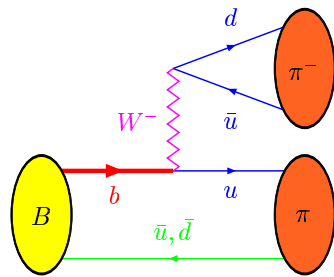
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# Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

## $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Amplitude Topologies

- Dominant topologies contributed within the Standard Model

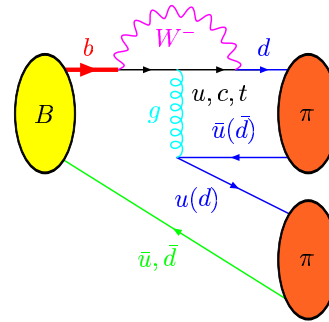
Tree ( $\mathcal{T}$ )



$$B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0$$

$$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$$

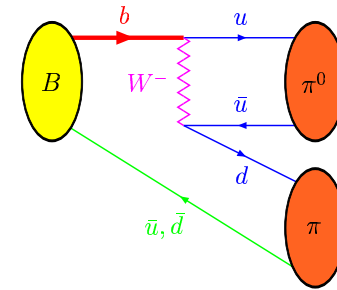
Penguin ( $\mathcal{P}$ )



$$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$$

$$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$$

Color-suppressed ( $\mathcal{C}$ )



$$B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0$$

$$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$$

- Subdominant topologies:

- exchange ( $\mathcal{E}$ )  $\implies \bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-, \pi^0 \pi^0$
- annihilation ( $\mathcal{A}$ )  $\implies B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0$
- penguin-annihilation ( $\mathcal{PA}$ )  $\implies \bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-, \pi^0 \pi^0$
- electroweak-penguin ( $\mathcal{P}_{EW}$ )  $\implies B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0, \bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$
- color-suppressed electroweak-penguin ( $\mathcal{P}_{EW}^C$ )  $\implies \bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-, \pi^0 \pi^0$

## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### Isospin Relations

- Effective Hamiltonian for  $b \rightarrow d$  transitions ( $\lambda_p^{(d)} = V_{pb}V_{pd}^*$ )

$$\mathcal{H}_W^{b \rightarrow d} = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{p=u,c} \lambda_p^{(d)} \left( C_1 \mathcal{O}_1^{(p)} + C_2 \mathcal{O}_2^{(p)} + \sum_{i=3}^{10} C_i \mathcal{O}_i + C_{7\gamma} \mathcal{O}_{7\gamma} + C_{8g} \mathcal{O}_{8g} \right)$$

- $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$  decay amplitudes  
(subdominant topologies are neglected):

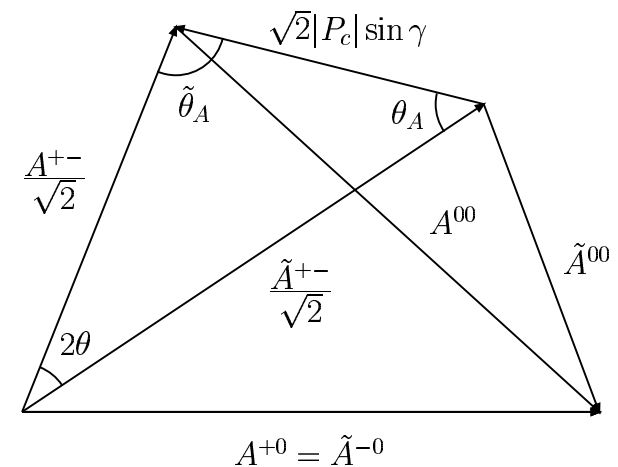
$$A^{+0} = A(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\mathcal{T} + \mathcal{C})$$

$$A^{+-} = A(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-) = -(\mathcal{T} + \mathcal{P})$$

$$A^{00} = A(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\mathcal{P} - \mathcal{C})$$

- The amplitudes  $A^{ij}$  and their charged-conjugate ones  $\bar{A}^{ij}$  are satisfied the isospin relations

$$A^{+0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} A^{+-} + A^{00}, \quad \bar{A}^{-0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{A}^{+-} + \bar{A}^{00}$$



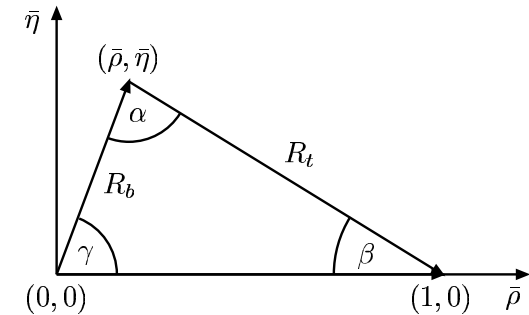
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### Parameterization

- Effective Hamiltonian results two independent CKM factors (improved Wolfenstein parameterization is used)

$$\lambda_c^{(d)} = V_{cb}V_{cd}^* \simeq -A\lambda^3$$

$$\lambda_u^{(d)} = V_{ub}V_{ud}^* \simeq A\lambda^3 (\bar{\rho} - i\bar{\eta}) = A\lambda^3 R_b e^{-i\gamma}$$



- In this convention, amplitudes are

$$\sqrt{2} A^{+0} = -(T_c + C_c) = -|T_c| e^{i\delta_T} e^{i\gamma} [1 + |C_c/T_c| e^{i\Delta_c}]$$

$$A^{+-} = -(T_c + P_c) = -|T_c| e^{i\delta_T} [e^{i\gamma} + |P_c/T_c| e^{i\delta_c}]$$

$$\sqrt{2} A^{00} = -(C_c - P_c) = -|T_c| e^{i\delta_T} [|C_c/T_c| e^{i\Delta_c} e^{i\gamma} - |P_c/T_c| e^{i\delta_c}]$$

- Charged-conjugate amplitudes  $\bar{A}^{ij}$  differ by the replacement  $\gamma \rightarrow -\gamma$
- 5 strong parameters [ $|T_c|$ ,  $r_c \equiv |P_c/T_c|$ ,  $\delta_c$ ,  $|C_c/T_c|$ ,  $\Delta_c$ ] (the choice  $\delta_T = 0$  for the overall phase can be adopted) and the weak phase  $\gamma$  can be phenomenologically extracted if a **complete set** of experimental data on  $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$  decays exist

## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### CP Asymmetry in $B^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

- Both final states:  $\pi^+\pi^-$  and  $\pi^0\pi^0$ , are CP conjugate
- The phenomenon of  $B^0 - \bar{B}^0$  mixing should be taken into account
- The mixing parameter  $q/p \simeq V_{td}/V_{td}^* = e^{-2i\beta}$  is the pure phase factor with a good accuracy
- Results in the time-dependent CP asymmetry ( $\Delta\Gamma_{B^0} = 0$ )

$$a_{\pi\pi}^{+-}(t) \equiv \frac{\Gamma[\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-] - \Gamma[B^0(t) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-]}{\Gamma[\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-] + \Gamma[B^0(t) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-]} = S_{\pi\pi}^{+-} \sin(\Delta M_B t) - C_{\pi\pi}^{+-} \cos(\Delta M_B t)$$

- Direct  $C_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$  and mixing-induced  $S_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$  CP asymmetries can be expressed

$$C_{\pi\pi}^{+-} = \frac{2r_c \sin \delta_c \sin \gamma}{1 + 2r_c \cos \delta_c \cos \gamma + r_c^2}$$
$$S_{\pi\pi}^{+-} = -\frac{\sin(2\beta + 2\gamma) + 2r_c \cos \delta_c \sin(2\beta + \gamma) + r_c^2 \sin(2\beta)}{1 + 2r_c \cos \delta_c \cos \gamma + r_c^2}$$

- Taking weak phases  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  from elsewhere, for example from the SM fit, the ratio  $r_c = |P_c/T_c|$  and strong phase  $\delta_c$  can be determined

## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### Experimental Data

Branching fractions (in units of  $10^{-6}$ )

Mode	BABAR	BELLE	CLEO	Average [HFAG]
$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0$	$5.8 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.4$	$5.0 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.5$	$4.6^{+1.8+0.6}_{-1.6-0.7}$	$5.5 \pm 0.6$
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$	$4.7 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.2$	$4.4 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.3$	$4.5^{+1.4+0.5}_{-1.2-0.4}$	$4.5 \pm 0.4^\ddagger$
$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$	$1.17 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.10$	$2.3^{+0.4+0.2}_{-0.5-0.3}$	$< 4.4$	$1.45 \pm 0.29$

$^\ddagger$  The average also includes the recent CDF measurement  $\mathcal{B}(\pi^+\pi^-) = 4.4 \pm 1.3$

### CP Asymmetry

	BABAR	BELLE	Average [HFAG]
$\mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}(\pi^+\pi^0)$	$-0.01 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.02$	$-0.02 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.01$	$-0.02 \pm 0.07$
$C_{\pi\pi}^{+-} = -A_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$	$-0.09 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.04$	$-0.56 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.06$	$-0.37 \pm 0.10$
$S_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$	$-0.30 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.03$	$-0.67 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.06$	$-0.50 \pm 0.12$
$\mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}(\pi^0\pi^0)$	$0.12 \pm 0.56 \pm 0.06$	$0.44^{+0.53}_{-0.52} \pm 0.17$	$0.28^{+0.40}_{-0.39}$

Life-time ratio  $\tau_{B^+}/\tau_{B^0} = 1.081 \pm 0.015$

CP asymmetry in the  $B \rightarrow J/\psi K_S$  and related decays

$$\sin(2\beta) = \sin(2\phi_1) = 0.725 \pm 0.037, \quad \beta = \phi_1 = (23.3 \pm 1.5)^\circ$$

## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### Numerical Analysis of $C_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$ and $S_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$

- For the construction of C.L. contours, the  $\chi^2$ -function is introduced

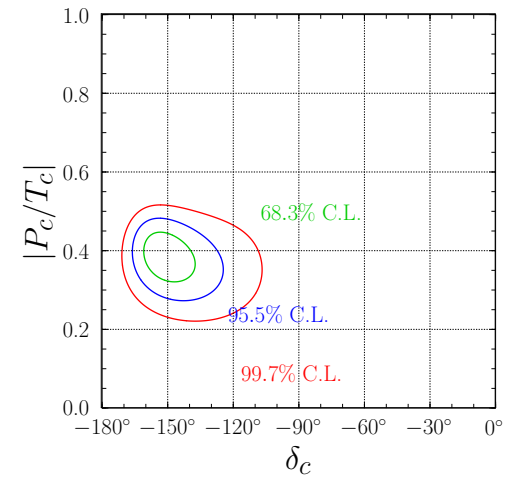
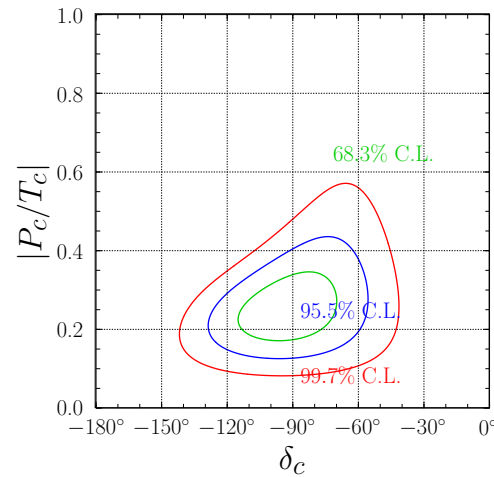
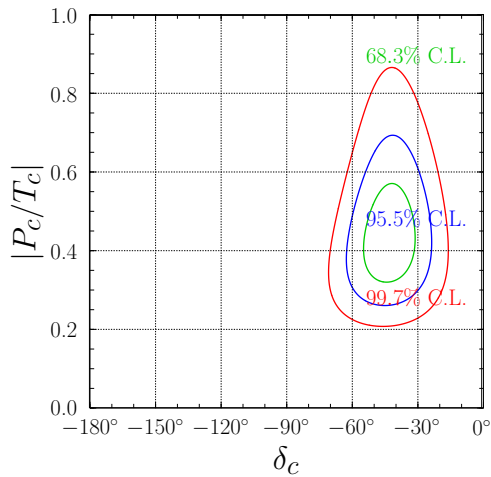
$$\chi^2(\beta, \alpha, |P_c/T_c|, \delta_c) = \left[ \frac{C_{\pi\pi}^{+-} - (C_{\pi\pi}^{+-})_{\text{exp}}}{\Delta C_{\pi\pi}^{+-}} \right]^2 + \left[ \frac{S_{\pi\pi}^{+-} - (S_{\pi\pi}^{+-})_{\text{exp}}}{\Delta S_{\pi\pi}^{+-}} \right]^2$$

- SM relation  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \pi$  between the unitarity-triangle angles was used to eliminate  $\gamma$
- In getting the C.L. contours,  $\chi^2$ -function was equated to 2.30, 6.18, and 11.83, corresponding to 68.3%, 95.5%, and 99.7%, respectively, for two degrees of freedom
- The correlations  $|P_c/T_c| - \delta_c$  at fixed values of  $\alpha, \beta$  and  $\alpha - \delta_c$  at fixed values of  $|P_c/T_c|, \beta$  are presented further

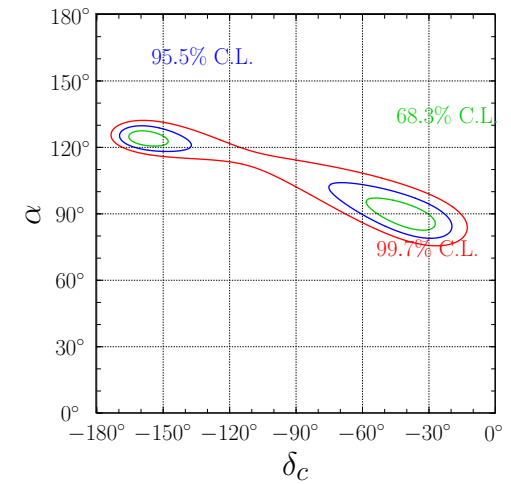
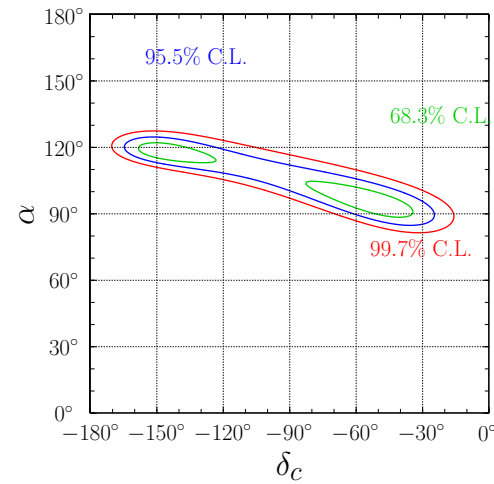
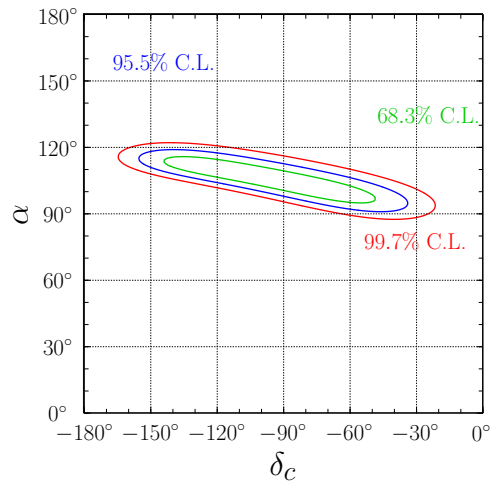


# Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

## Correlation $|P_c/T_c| - \delta_c$



## Correlation $\alpha - \delta_c$



## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### Results of the SM Fit (Spring 2004)

- Combining the above  $\chi^2$ -function with the one used for the SM fit results the following 68% C.L. ranges ( $C_{\pi\pi}^{+-} = -0.46 \pm 0.13$ ,  $S_{\pi\pi}^{+-} = -0.74 \pm 0.16$ )

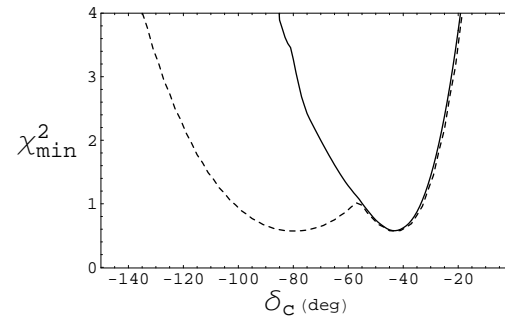
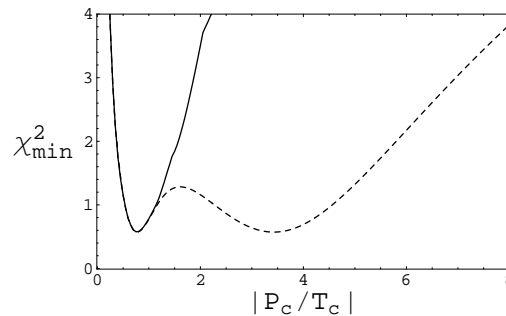
$$\begin{array}{lll} \hline A = 0.79 \div 0.86 & \alpha = (81 \div 103)^\circ & \Delta M_{B_s} = (16.6 \div 20.3) \text{ ps}^{-1} \\ \bar{\rho} = 0.10 \div 0.24 & \beta = (21.9 \div 25.5)^\circ & |P_c/T_c| = 0.43 \div 5.30 \\ \bar{\eta} = 0.32 \div 0.40 & \gamma = (54 \div 75)^\circ & \delta_c = -(29 \div 112)^\circ \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- The ranges of  $|P_c/T_c|$  and  $\delta_c$  can be reduced if restriction on the penguin “pollution”  $\cos(2\theta)$  is taken into account [Gronau et al.]

$$\cos(2\theta) \geq \frac{(B_{\pi\pi}^{+-} + 2B_{\pi\pi}^{+0} - 2B_{\pi\pi}^{00})^2 - 4B_{\pi\pi}^{+-}B_{\pi\pi}^{+0}}{4B_{\pi\pi}^{+-}B_{\pi\pi}^{+0}\sqrt{1 - (C_{\pi\pi}^{+-})^2}} \simeq 0.27$$

Here,  $B_{\pi\pi}^{ij} = (|A^{ij}|^2 + |\bar{A}^{ij}|^2)/2$

- $|P_c/T_c| = 0.77_{-0.34}^{+0.58}$  and  $\delta_c = (-43_{-21}^{+14})^\circ$  at 68% C.L.



## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### Bounds from $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

Based on the Quantities

- $B^{ij} \equiv (|A^{ij}|^2 + |\bar{A}^{ij}|^2) / 2$
- $C \equiv (|A^{+-}|^2 - |\bar{A}^{+-}|^2) / (|A^{+-}|^2 + |\bar{A}^{+-}|^2)$
- $Y \equiv 2|A^{+-}||\bar{A}^{+-}| / (|A^{+-}|^2 + |\bar{A}^{+-}|^2)$
- $S \equiv Y \sin(2\alpha_{\text{eff}}) \equiv Y \sin(2\alpha + 2\theta)$
- $C^2 + S^2 = 1 - Y^2 \cos^2(2\alpha_{\text{eff}}) \leq 1$

Bounds on Penguin Pollution

- **Grossman and Quinn**  $\cos(2\theta) \geq 1 - 2B^{00}/B^{+0}$
- **Charles**  $\cos(2\theta) \geq [1 - 2B^{00}/B^{+0}] / Y$   
 $\cos(2\theta) \geq [1 - 4B^{00}/B^{+-}] / Y$
- **Gronau, London, Sinha, Sinha (GLSS)**  
 $\cos(2\theta) \geq [(B^{+-}/2 + B^{+0} - B^{00})^2 / (B^{+-}B^{+0}) - 1] / Y$

Bound	$\cos(2\theta)_{\text{min}}^{\text{cons}}$	$ \theta_{\text{max}}^{\text{cons}} $
GQ	0.30	36.4°
Ch-I	0.32	35.7°
GLSS	0.35	34.8°

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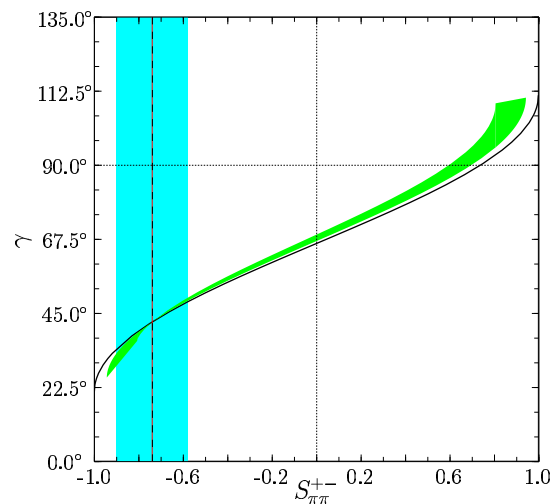
Bounds on the angle  $\gamma$

- Buchalla and Safir (2004)

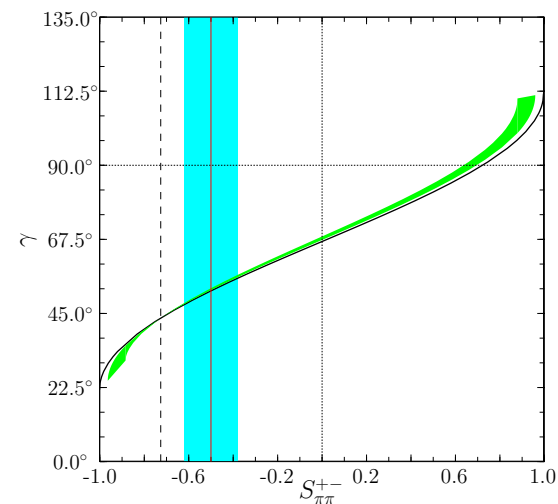
$$\tan \gamma \geq \frac{\cos(2\beta) + \sqrt{1 - S^2}}{\sin(2\beta) - S}$$

- Botella and Silva (2004)

$$\tan \gamma \geq \frac{1 + \sqrt{Y^2 - S^2} \cos(2\beta) + S \sin(2\beta)}{\sqrt{Y^2 - S^2} \sin(2\beta) - S \cos(2\beta)}$$



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### Isospin Analysis

- $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0)$ ,  $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)$ ,  $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0)$ ,  $S_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$ ,  $C_{\pi\pi}^{+-}$ ,  $C_{\pi\pi}^{00}$  (6 measurements) are included in the  $\chi^2$ -function; depends on 6 variables ( $|T_c|$ ,  $r_c$ ,  $\delta_c$ ,  $x_c$ ,  $\Delta_c$ ,  $\gamma$ ); **isospin analysis can be done**
- The best-fit solutions and  $1\sigma$  ranges [ $T_c$ ,  $P_c$ ,  $C_c$  are in units of  $3.0 \times 10^{-8}$  GeV]

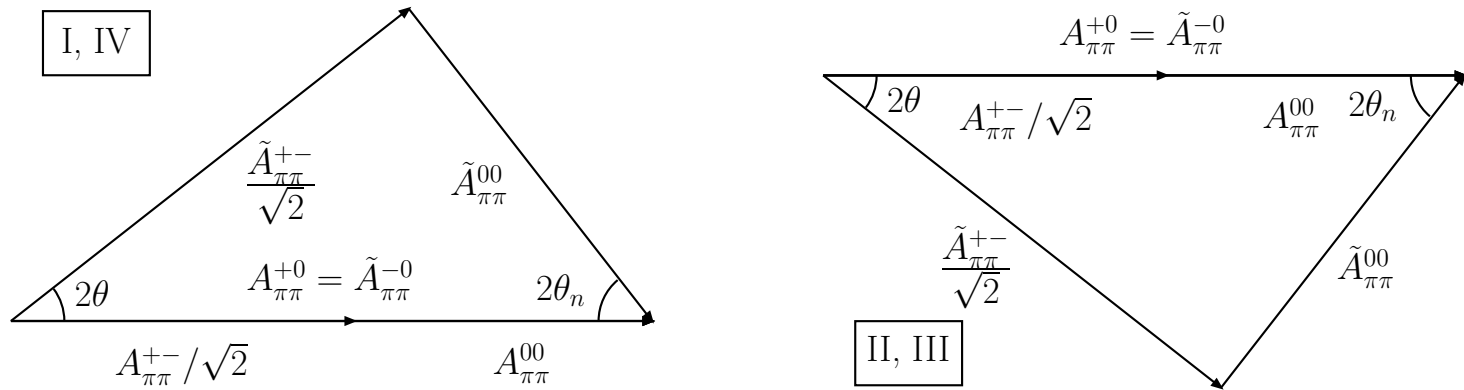
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$\gamma$	$(68.9^{+4.1}_{-4.4})^\circ$	$(32.0^{+2.7}_{-2.8})^\circ$	$(11.4^{+2.6}_{-2.6})^\circ$	$(154.6^{+5.0}_{-4.7})^\circ$
$r_c$	$0.466^{+0.091}_{-0.079}$	$0.466^{+0.031}_{-0.034}$	$1.619^{+0.047}_{-0.041}$	$1.619^{+0.110}_{-0.094}$
$\delta_c$	$(-38.6^{+9.4}_{-9.2})^\circ$	$(-159.2^{+6.6}_{-5.9})^\circ$	$(-152.6^{+4.0}_{-3.4})^\circ$	$(-93.3^{+6.9}_{-8.8})^\circ$
$x_c$	$1.040^{+0.088}_{-0.096}$	$0.173^{+0.079}_{-0.098}$	$2.213^{+0.064}_{-0.069}$	$2.835^{+0.140}_{-0.151}$
$\Delta_c$	$(-53.5^{+14.3}_{-13.0})^\circ$	$(82.8^{+19.2}_{-21.2})^\circ$	$(-157.8^{+5.4}_{-5.0})^\circ$	$(95.4^{+8.6}_{-9.0})^\circ$
$ T_c $	$0.618^{+0.032}_{-0.032}$	$1.086^{+0.032}_{-0.032}$	$0.838^{+0.060}_{-0.055}$	$0.386^{+0.047}_{-0.049}$
$ P_c $	$0.288^{+0.038}_{-0.037}$	$0.506^{+0.031}_{-0.032}$	$1.358^{+0.027}_{-0.026}$	$0.625^{+0.028}_{-0.027}$
$ C_c $	$0.642^{+0.055}_{-0.059}$	$0.188^{+0.085}_{-0.106}$	$1.856^{+0.054}_{-0.058}$	$1.094^{+0.054}_{-0.058}$
$S_{\pi\pi}^{00}$	$0.801^{+0.125}_{-0.180}$	$-0.835^{+0.078}_{-0.052}$	$-0.835^{+0.165}_{-0.119}$	$0.801^{+0.145}_{-0.271}$

- Larger but consistent with the standard CKM fit  $\gamma_{\text{CKM}} = (58^{+7}_{-5})^\circ$

# Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

## Isospin Analysis

- Fourfold ambiguity in determination of  $\gamma$  instead of eightfold
- One of the amplitude triangles collapsed



- “Pollution” angle  $\theta = (18.4_{-3.3}^{+3.4})^\circ$ ; much smaller than the GLSS bound  $\theta < 35^\circ$
- The other angle  $\theta_n = (-25.6_{-6.0}^{+5.7})^\circ$

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### Comparison with Theoretical Predictions

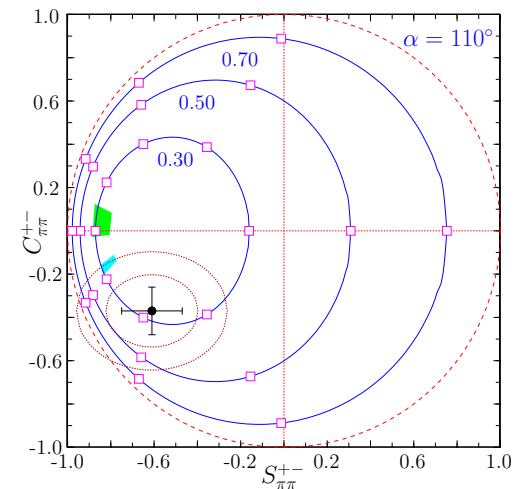
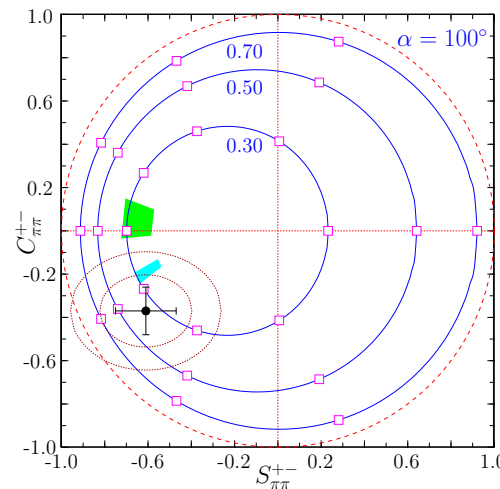
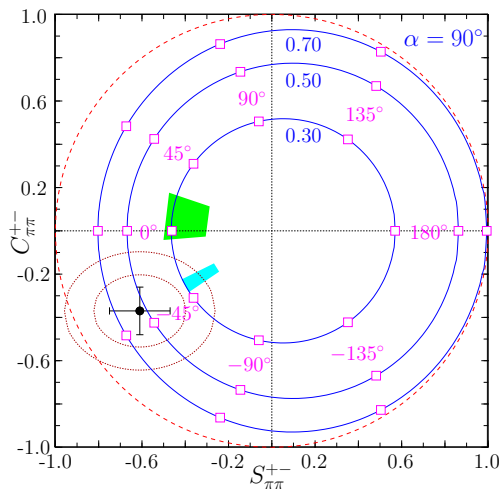
- Allowed values of the dynamical quantities at 68% C.L.

$$|P_c/T_c| = 0.47^{+0.09}_{-0.08} \quad \delta_c = (-38.6^{+9.4}_{-9.2})^\circ$$

- This should be compared with predictions from the dynamical model

$$\begin{array}{llll} |P_c/T_c| = 0.29 \pm 0.09 & \delta_c = (9 \pm 15)^\circ & \text{QCDF} & [\text{Buchalla \& Safir}] \\ |P_c/T_c| = 0.23^{+0.07}_{-0.05} & \delta_c = (-37 \pm 5)^\circ & \text{pQCD} & [\text{Keum \& Sanda}] \end{array}$$

- Phenomenology supports **enhanced** penguin contribution which is not the case of **QCD-F** but can be explained within **pQCD** approach



## Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

### Similar Phenomenological Analysis of $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decays

- Isospin analysis [AP, this School]

$$|P_c/T_c| = 0.47_{-0.08}^{+0.09} \quad \delta_c = (-38.6_{-9.2}^{+9.4})^\circ$$

- Isospin analysis [A. Höcker, this School]

$$|P_c/T_c| = 0.37 \pm 0.17 \quad \delta_c = (-36_{-12}^{+10})^\circ$$

- Analysis accounts for the flavor  $SU(3)$  symmetry  
[Buras, Fleischer, Reckseigel, Schwab, hep-ph/0410407; hep-ph/0411373]

$$|P_c/T_c| = 0.51_{-0.20}^{+0.26} \quad \delta_c = \theta - \pi = (-40_{-18}^{+14})^\circ$$

- Analysis is performed within SCET [Pirjol, hep-ph/0502141]

$$|P_c/T_c| = 0.49 \pm 0.14 \quad \delta_c = -(41 \pm 15)^\circ$$

- Isospin analysis of  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$  time-dependent CP asymmetry  
[Ali, Lunghi and AP, hep-ph/0403275]

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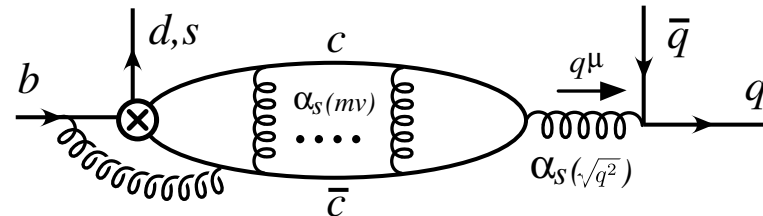
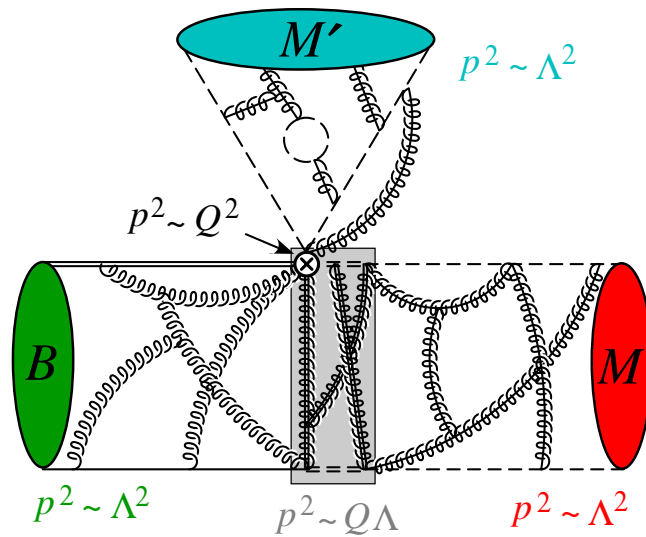


## SCET: Heavy-to-Light Transitions

### $B \rightarrow M_1 M_2$ Factorization in SCET

[Chey, Kim, hep-ph/0301262]

[Bauer, Pirjol, Rothstein, Stewart, hep-ph/0401188]



- form-factor and hard-spectator terms are **formally** the same as in QCD Factorization Approach
- long-distance charming-penguin contribution appears in LO

$$\Lambda^2 \ll Q\lambda \ll Q^2, \quad Q = \{m_b, E, m_c\}$$

## SCET: Heavy-to-Light Transitions

### $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Decay Amplitudes in SCET

[Bauer et al., hep-ph/0401188]

In terms of SCET Wilson coefficients  $c_i^{(d)}(u)$  and  $b_i^{(d)}(u, z)$

$$A(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0) = \frac{G_F}{2} m_B^2 \int_0^1 du f_\pi \phi_\pi(u) \left\{ \zeta^{B\pi} \left[ c_1^{(d)}(u) + c_2^{(d)}(u) - c_3^{(d)}(u) \right] + \int_0^1 dz \zeta_J^{B\pi}(z) \left[ b_1^{(d)}(u, z) + b_2^{(d)}(u, z) - b_3^{(d)}(u, z) \right] \right\}$$

$$A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} m_B^2 \int_0^1 du f_\pi \phi_\pi(u) \left\{ \zeta^{B\pi} \left[ c_1^{(d)}(u) + c_4^{(d)}(u) \right] + \int_0^1 dz \zeta_J^{B\pi}(z) \left[ b_1^{(d)}(u, z) + b_4^{(d)}(u, z) \right] \right\} + \lambda_c^{(d)} A_{\bar{c}c}^{B\pi}$$

$$A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} m_B^2 \int_0^1 du f_\pi \phi_\pi(u) \left\{ \zeta^{B\pi} \left[ c_2^{(d)}(u) - c_3^{(d)}(u) - c_4^{(d)}(u) \right] + \int_0^1 dz \zeta_J^{B\pi}(z) \left[ b_2^{(d)}(u, z) - b_3^{(d)}(u, z) - b_4^{(d)}(u, z) \right] \right\} - \lambda_c^{(d)} A_{\bar{c}c}^{B\pi}$$

In agreement with isospin relation

$$\sqrt{2} A(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0) = A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) + A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0)$$

## SCET: Heavy-to-Light Transitions

### $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ Phenomenology

[Bauer et al., hep-ph/0401188]

- World averages [HFAG] for branching ratios and CP asymmetries

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \pi^0) &= (5.5 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-6} & A_{\text{CP}}(\pi^\pm \pi^0) &= -0.02 \pm 0.07 \\ \bar{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) &= (4.5 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-6} & C_{\pi\pi}^{+-} &= -0.37 \pm 0.10 \\ \bar{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) &= (1.45 \pm 0.29) \times 10^{-6} & S_{\pi\pi}^{+-} &= -0.50 \pm 0.12 \\ & & \text{blue } S_{\pi\pi}^{00} &= -0.28 \pm 0.40 \end{aligned}$$

- Matching full theory onto SCET and neglecting electroweak penguins
- To leading order in  $\alpha_s(m_b)$  and assuming  $\langle u^{-1} \rangle_\pi \simeq 3$

$$A(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0) \simeq \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{f_\pi m_B^2}{3\sqrt{2}} \lambda_u^{(d)} (C_1 + C_2) [4\zeta^{B\pi} + 7\zeta_J^{B\pi}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) &= \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{f_\pi m_B^2}{3} \left\{ \lambda_u^{(d)} (3C_1 + C_2 + C_3 + 3C_4) \zeta^{B\pi} + \lambda_c^{(d)} (C_3 + 3C_4) \zeta^{B\pi} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \lambda_u^{(d)} (3C_1 + 4C_2 + 4C_3 + 3C_4) \zeta_J^{B\pi} + \lambda_c^{(d)} (4C_3 + 3C_4) \zeta_J^{B\pi} \right\} + A_{\bar{c}c}^{B\pi} \end{aligned}$$

- 4 unknowns: real  $\zeta^{B\pi}$  and  $\zeta_J^{B\pi} = \int_0^1 dz \zeta_J^{B\pi}(z)$ ; complex  $A_{\bar{c}c}^{B\pi}$

# Pure Isospin Analysis

[D.Pirjol, hep-ph/0502141]

$$A = \lambda_u^{(d)} T + \lambda_c^{(d)} P$$

$$\sqrt{2} A(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0) = \lambda_u^{(d)} T$$

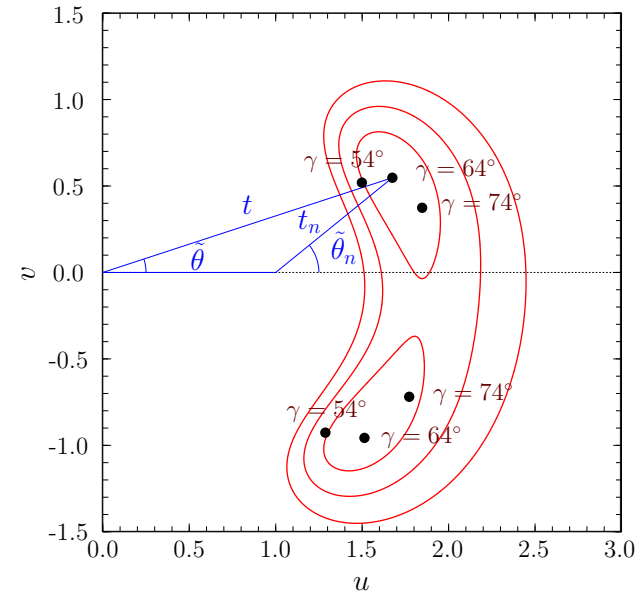
$$A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = \lambda_u^{(d)} T_c (1 + r_c e^{+i\delta_c} e^{+i\gamma})$$

$$A(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) = \lambda_u^{(d)} T_n (1 + r_n e^{+i\delta_n} e^{+i\gamma})$$

10 hadronic parameters

- 4 for isospin relation
- an overall phase

5 parameters  $[|T|, r_c, \delta_c, u, v]$



With  $\gamma = 64^\circ$   $|T| = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} m_B^2 f_\pi (0.290 \pm 0.016) \left[ \frac{3.9 \times 10^{-3}}{|V_{ub}|} \right]$

$$r_c = 0.38 \pm 0.08, \quad \delta_c = (-48 \pm 11)^\circ, \quad (u, v) = \begin{cases} (1.51 \pm 0.16, & -0.90 \pm 0.15) \\ (1.68 \pm 0.15, & 0.55 \pm 0.19) \end{cases}$$

Penguin contribution enhanced and color-suppressed contribution is large

At this order the “tree” isospin triangle is predicted to be flat  $t - t_n = 1$

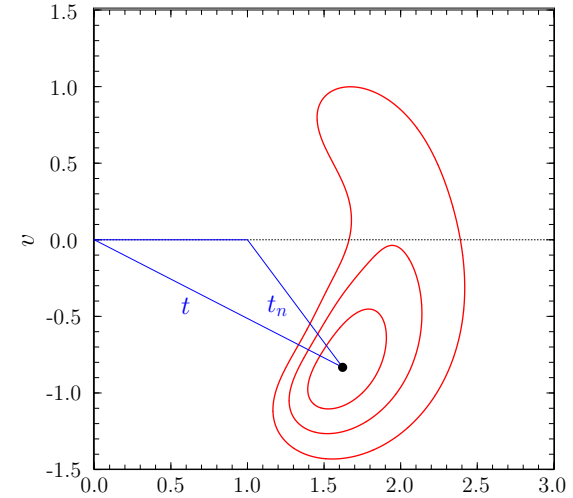
# SCET: Heavy-to-Light Transitions

## Results for Non-Perturbative Parameters

[D. Pirjol, hep-ph/0502141]

Best-fit values and  $1\sigma$  ranges

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma &= (68.8^{+4.4}_{-4.7})^\circ \\ r_c &= 0.46 \pm 0.09 & \delta_c &= (-38.7^{+9.4}_{-9.2})^\circ \\ u &= 1.62^{+0.15}_{-0.13} & v &= -0.83^{+0.18}_{-0.17} \end{aligned}$$



SCET amplitudes in LO in  $\Lambda/Q$  and  $\alpha_s(m_b)$

$[\zeta^{B\pi}, \zeta_J^{B\pi}, P_c \text{ (or } A_{\bar{c}c}^{B\pi})]$  fitted from  $[|T|, r_c, \delta_c, u, v]$

$$r_c, \delta_c \quad P_c \Big|_{\gamma=64^\circ} = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} m_B^2 f_\pi (0.032 \pm 0.010) e^{i(141 \pm 11)^\circ} \quad \leftarrow \text{large } A_{\bar{c}c}^{B\pi}$$

$$|T|, u, v \quad \begin{aligned} \zeta^{B\pi} \Big|_{\gamma=64^\circ} &= (0.08 \pm 0.03) \left[ \frac{3.9 \times 10^{-3}}{|V_{ub}|} \right] \\ \zeta_J^{B\pi} \Big|_{\gamma=64^\circ} &= (0.10 \pm 0.02) \left[ \frac{3.9 \times 10^{-3}}{|V_{ub}|} \right] \end{aligned} \quad \leftarrow \text{QCD Fact. used } \zeta^{B\pi} \gg \zeta_J^{B\pi}$$

$$\text{Pert. theory} \quad \zeta_J^{B\pi} = \frac{\pi \alpha_s C_F}{N_c} \frac{f_B f_\pi}{M_B \lambda_B} \langle \bar{x}^{-1} \rangle \sim 0.02 \div 0.05$$

## Polarization Effects in $B \rightarrow VV$ Decays

### Polarization in $B \rightarrow VV$ Decays

- In  $\bar{B} \rightarrow VV$  decays, there are three helicity amplitudes,  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(0)}$ ,  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(-)}$  and  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(+)}$ , in which both vector mesons are longitudinally, negatively and positively polarized.
- In naive factorization supplemented by the large energy form factor relations

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{V_1 V_2}^{(0,-,+)} = -i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \lambda_p^{(q)} \tilde{a} f_{V_2} m_B \left\{ -m_B \zeta_{\parallel}^{V_1}, m_{V_2} \zeta_{\perp}^{V_1}, m_{V_2} \zeta_{\perp}^{V_1} r_{\perp}^{V_1} \right\}$$

Here,  $\tilde{a}$  is a combination of Wilson coefficients,  $\zeta_{\parallel}^V$  and  $\zeta_{\perp}^V$  are universal  $B \rightarrow V$  form factors, and  $r_{\perp}^V$  parameterizes the form factor helicity suppression

- The helicity suppression  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(\pm)}/\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(0)} \sim m_V/m_B$  is clearly seen
- In large-energy limit,  $r_{\perp}^V \rightarrow 0$  at leading power in  $\Lambda/m_b \implies \bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(+)}/\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(-)} \sim \mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$
- Transversity basis  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}_L \equiv \bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(0)}$ ,  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}_{\perp,\parallel} \equiv [\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(-)} \mp \bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(+)}/\sqrt{2}]$  occurs more convenient, so

$$1 - f_L = \mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2), \quad f_{\perp}/f_{\parallel} = 1 + \mathcal{O}(1/m_b), \quad f_i \equiv \Gamma_i/\Gamma_{\text{tot}}$$

- First relation remains **formally** true when non-factorizable contributions are included in the QCD Factorization approach and is realized in  $B \rightarrow \rho\rho$  [Kagan, hep-ph/0405134]
- Similar result follows from SCET where at LO only long-distance charming-penguin operator contributes to the  $B \rightarrow V_1^{\perp} V_2^{\perp}$  amplitude [Bauer et al., hep-ph/0401188]
- The observation of  $f_L(\phi K^*) \simeq 0.5$  can be accounted for in the Standard Model within QCD-F approach, with large theoretical errors [Rohrer, this School]

## Phenomenological Analysis: $B \rightarrow VV$ Decays

### $B \rightarrow VV$ Decays: Experimental Data

Longitudinal polarization fraction  $f_L$

Mode	BABAR	BELLE	Average [HFAG]
$B^+ \rightarrow K^{*0} \rho^+$	$0.79 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.04$	$0.43 \pm 0.11^{+0.05}_{-0.02}$	$0.66 \pm 0.07$
$B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \rho^0$	$0.96^{+0.04}_{-0.15} \pm 0.04$		$0.96^{+0.06}_{-0.15}$
$B^+ \rightarrow \phi K^{*+}$	$0.46 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.03$	$0.52 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.03$	$0.50 \pm 0.07$
$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^0$	$0.97^{+0.03}_{-0.07} \pm 0.04$	$0.95 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.02$	$0.97^{+0.05}_{-0.07}$
$B^+ \rightarrow \omega \rho^+$	$0.88^{+0.12}_{-0.15} \pm 0.03$		$0.88^{+0.12}_{-0.15}$
$B^0 \rightarrow \phi K^{*0}$	$0.52 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.02$	$0.45 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.02$	$0.48 \pm 0.04$
$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$	$0.99 \pm 0.03^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$		$0.99^{+0.05}_{-0.04}$

Full angular analysis is also available for  $B \rightarrow \phi K^*$  modes

Transverse polarization fraction  $f_\perp$

Mode	BABAR	BELLE	Average [HFAG]
$B^+ \rightarrow \phi K^{*+}$		$0.19 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.02$	$0.19 \pm 0.08$
$B^0 \rightarrow \phi K^{*0}$	$0.25 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.02$	$0.31^{+0.06}_{-0.05} \pm 0.02$	$0.26 \pm 0.04$

## Polarization Effects in $B \rightarrow VV$ Decays

### Polarization in $B \rightarrow VV$ Decays

[Li, Mishina, hep-ph/0411146]

- Tree-dominated decays into two light vector mesons  $B \rightarrow \rho\rho, \dots$  can be understood by kinematics in the large energy limit; this is also robust under subleading corrections; all are negligible within pQCD; QCD dynamics play a minor role for the polarization
- For penguin-dominated decays, polarization fractions can deviate from the naive counting rules; important annihilation contributions from the  $(S - P)(S + P)$  operators;  $R_L$  can be decrease up to 0.75 for decays like  $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ K^{*0}, \dots$ ; can be accommodated within the SM
- $f_L \simeq 0.5$  for  $B \rightarrow \phi K^*$ . In the SM, suggested solutions – taking into account penguin-annihilation contributions [Kagan, hep-ph/0405134], rescattering effects [Colangelo et al., hep-ph/0406162], etc., are not satisfactory.
- It is too early talk about effects of New Physics as complicated QCD dynamics in  $B \rightarrow VV$  decays is not properly worked out



## Summary

- Experiment requires a deeper understanding of QCD dynamics in hadronic  $B$ -meson decays
- Several theoretical approaches (QCD-F, pQCD, SCET, etc) are proposed and experimentally tested
- Majority of experimental data can be successfully explained within these approaches; puzzles still exist and require satisfactory explanation
- **SCET – the emerging QCD technology**, hold the promise to provide a better theoretical description of  $B$ -meson hadronic decays than existing approaches
- Progress in understanding of QCD dynamics in exclusive processes will allow to reduce theoretical errors in determination of the CKM matrix elements and check a mechanism of CP violation