

Lepton Flavor Violation in a Z' model for the $b \rightarrow s$ anomalies

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The effective Hamiltonian for $b \rightarrow s$ transitions

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \sum_i (\mathcal{C}_i \mathcal{O}_i + \mathcal{C}'_i \mathcal{O}'_i) + \text{h.c.}, \quad (1)$$

The relevant effective operators for the study of the $B \rightarrow K \ell^+ \ell^-$ decay are

$$\mathcal{O}_9 = (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_L b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^\mu \ell), \quad \mathcal{O}_{10} = (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu P_L b) (\bar{\ell} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \ell) \quad (2)$$

It is convenient to split their associated Wilson coefficients into the SM and NP contributions $\mathcal{C}_k = \mathcal{C}_k^{\text{SM}} + \mathcal{C}_k^{\text{NP}}$.

Global fits to $b \rightarrow s$ data require a negative $\mathcal{C}_9^{\mu\mu, \text{NP}}$ contribution, leading to a total $\mathcal{C}_9^{\mu\mu}$ significantly smaller than the one in the SM.

$$\mathcal{C}_9^{\mu\mu, \text{NP}} \rightarrow [-0.88, -0.37] \text{ at } 2\sigma^{[1]}, \quad \mathcal{C}_9^{\mu\mu, \text{SM}} = 4.07^{[2]}$$

[1] B. Capdevila et al. JHEP 1801 (2018) 093, 1704.05340

[2] S. Descotes-Genon et al. JHEP 1606 (2016) 092, 1510.04239

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Flavor universality and LFV

[3] S. L. Glashow et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 114 (2015) 091801, 1411.0565

It has been pointed out^[3] that Lepton Flavor Universality Violation implies Lepton Flavor Violation

This observation motivates the search of LFV in B meson decays.

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The model^[4]

New $U(1)_X$ gauge group

extension of:

[4] D. Aristizabal et al. Phys. Rev. D92 (2015) 015001, 1503.06077

	spin	generations	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$	$U(1)_X$
H	0	1	2	$1/2$	0
ϕ	0	1	1	0	2
S	0	1	1	0	-4
ℓ_L	$1/2$	3	2	$-1/2$	0
q_L	$1/2$	3	2	$1/6$	0
$L_{L,R}$	$1/2$	2	2	$-1/2$	2
$Q_{L,R}$	$1/2$	1	2	$1/6$	2
$F_{L,R}$	$1/2$	2	1	0	2

$$L_{L,R} = \begin{pmatrix} N \\ E \end{pmatrix}_{L,R},$$

$$Q_{L,R} = \begin{pmatrix} U \\ D \end{pmatrix}_{L,R}.$$

Dirac mass

$$\mathcal{L}_m = m_Q \bar{Q}Q + m_L \bar{L}L + m_F \bar{F}F. \quad (3)$$

The Yukawa terms involved in flavor physics

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = \lambda_Q \bar{Q}_R \phi q_L + \lambda_L \bar{L}_R \phi \ell_L + y \bar{L}_L H F_R + \tilde{y} \bar{L}_R H F_L + h S \bar{F}_L^c F_L + \tilde{h} S \bar{F}_R^c F_R + \text{h.c.}, \quad (4)$$

Symmetry breaking and scalar spectrum

The scalar potential has the form

$$\mathcal{V} = \mathcal{V}_{SM} + \mathcal{V}(H, \phi, S) + \mathcal{V}(\phi, S), \quad (5)$$

$$\mathcal{V}(H, \phi, S) = \lambda_{H\phi} |H|^2 |\phi|^2 + \lambda_{HS} |H|^2 |S|^2, \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{V}(\phi, S) = & m_\phi^2 |\phi|^2 + m_S^2 |S|^2 + \frac{\lambda_\phi}{2} |\phi|^4 + \frac{\lambda_S}{2} |S|^4 + \lambda_{\phi S} |\phi|^2 |S|^2 \\ & + (\mu' \phi^2 S + \text{h.c.}) \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

All the scalars acquire a VEV

$$\langle H^0 \rangle = \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \langle \phi \rangle = \frac{v_\phi}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \langle S \rangle = \frac{v_S}{\sqrt{2}}. \quad (8)$$

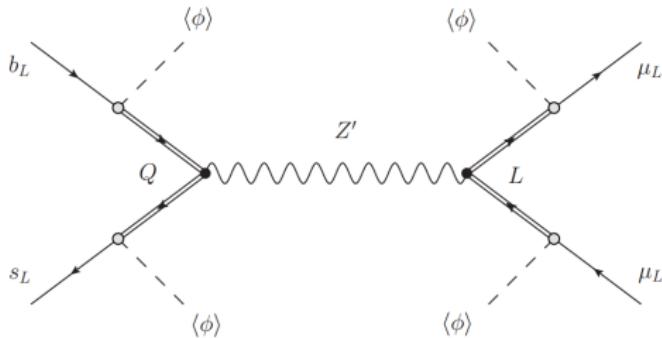
$\langle \phi \rangle \neq 0$ and $\langle S \rangle \neq 0$ will be responsible for the SSB of $U(1)_X$, giving

$$\rightarrow m_{Z'}^2 = 4g_X^2 (v_\phi^2 + 4v_S^2) \quad (9)$$

and for inducing mixings between V-L fermions and their SM counterparts.

Solving the $b \rightarrow s$ anomalies

The mixing leads to an effective coupling of the Z' to the SM fermions.



$$\Delta_L^{bs} = \frac{2g_X \lambda_Q^b \lambda_Q^{s*} v_\phi^2}{2m_Q^2 + (|\lambda_Q^s|^2 + |\lambda_Q^b|^2)v_\phi^2}, \quad (10)$$

$$\Delta_L^{\mu\mu} = 2g_X (|U_{L42}|^2 + |U_{L52}|^2) \quad (11)$$

U_L Left matrix of biunitarity
diagonalization of ℓ -L mass
matrix.

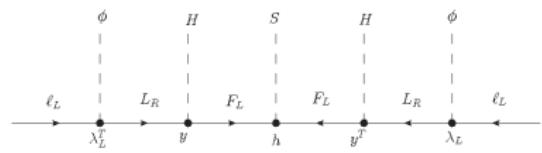
$$C_9^{\mu\mu, NP} = -C_{10}^{\mu\mu, NP} = -\frac{\Delta_L^{bs} \Delta_L^{\mu\mu}}{V_{tb} V_{ts}^*} \left(\frac{\Lambda_\nu}{m_{Z'}} \right)^2, \quad (12)$$

$$\Lambda_\nu = \left(\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{2} G_F \alpha} \right)^{1/2} \simeq 4.94 \text{ TeV} \quad (13)$$

Neutrino mass

The complete 11×11 neutral fermion mass matrix in the basis $\psi^0 = \{\nu_L, N_R^c, N_L, F_R^c, F_L\}$

$$\mathcal{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{\lambda_L^T v_\phi}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{\lambda_L v_\phi}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & m_L^T & 0 & \frac{\tilde{y}v}{\sqrt{2}} \\ 0 & m_L & 0 & -\frac{yv}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{y^T v}{\sqrt{2}} & \sqrt{2}\tilde{h}v_S & m_F^T \\ 0 & \frac{\tilde{y}^T v}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 & m_F & \sqrt{2}h v_S \end{pmatrix}$$



◊ \mathcal{M} can be diagonalized through an *inverse seesaw approximation* (ISS) by assuming

$$h v_S, \tilde{h} v_S \ll yv, \tilde{y}v, \lambda_L v_\phi \ll m_{L,F}$$

◊ $\tilde{y} = \tilde{h} = 0$, since they do not contribute to the generation of neutrino masses at leading order.

◊ 3×3 mass matrix for the light neutrinos.

$$\mathcal{M}_\nu \simeq \frac{v^2 v_\phi^2 v_S}{2\sqrt{2}} \lambda_L^T m_L^{-1} y m_F^{-1} h (m_F^{-1})^T y^T (m_L^{-1})^T \lambda_L. \quad (14)$$

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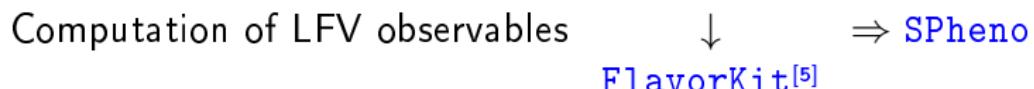
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Phenomenological analysis of LFV observables

[5] Porod, Werner et al. Eur.Phys.J. C74 (2014) no.8, 2992

[6] D. V. Forero, et al. Phys. Rev. D90, 093006 (2014), 1405.7540

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Model parameters relevant for flavor processes

- V-L fermion masses m_Q , m_L , m_F .
- Yukawa couplings λ_Q , λ_L , y .
- VEV v_S , mass $m_{Z'}$ and gauge coupling g_X . v_ϕ is obtained by eq. (9)

h is fixed to give the correct neutrino masses according to neutrino oscillation data^[6]

$$h = \bar{v}^{-5} m_F y^{-1} m_L \bar{\lambda}_L^T m_\nu \bar{\lambda}_L m_L^T (y^{-1})^T m_F^T, \quad (15)$$

where $\bar{\lambda}_L$ is a 3×2 matrix such that $\lambda_L \bar{\lambda}_L = \mathbb{I}_2$.

Phenomenological analysis

- Solve tadpole eqs. for m_H^2 , m_ϕ^2 and m_S^2 .
- Compute couplings h (eq. 15)
 - ↪ Best fit neutrino oscillation data.
 - ↪ Dirac phase $\delta = 0$.
 - ↪ Normal hierarchy.
- Fix the scalar potential parameters

λ_L structure forbids contribution to electron observables.

$$\lambda_L = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1.0 & x \\ 0 & x & 1.0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (16)$$

B_s - \bar{B}_s mixing constrain

$$\frac{m_{Z'}}{|\Delta_L^{bs}|} \gtrsim 244 \text{ TeV}. \quad (17)$$

LHC direct searches are taken into account to constraint the V-L fermion masses.

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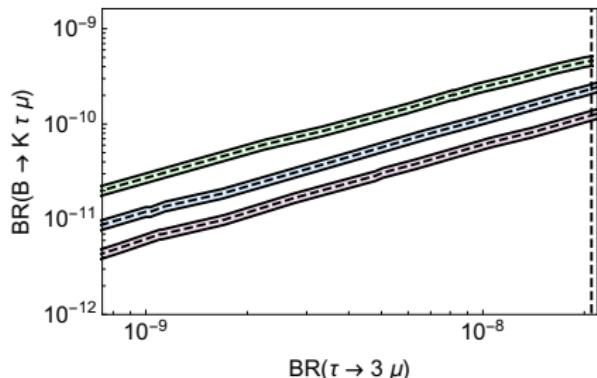
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LFV in B and τ decays

$$\frac{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K\tau\mu)}{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)} = 1.7 \cdot 10^7 \text{ TeV}^4 \left(\frac{|\Delta_L^{bs}|}{m_{Z'}} \right)^4 \frac{1}{|C_9^{\mu\mu,\text{NP}}|^2}. \quad (18)$$

	g_X	v_S	$m_{Z'}$	$(m_L)_{11} = (m_L)_{22}$	$(\lambda_Q)_2 = (\lambda_Q)_3$
Green	0.155	10.6 GeV	1592 GeV	1904 GeV	0.0407
Blue	0.2	200 GeV	1010 GeV	1600 GeV	0.055
Purple	0.4	34 GeV	2330 GeV	1007 GeV	0.052

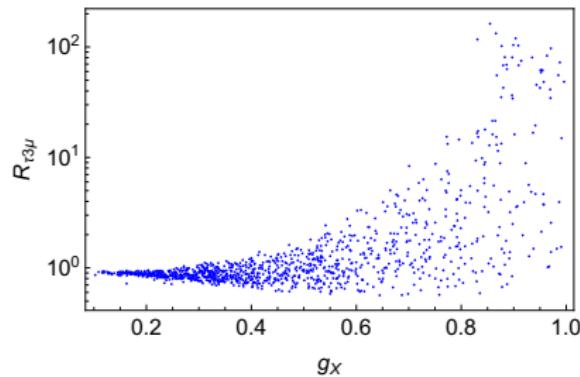


$$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K\tau\mu)_{\max} \lesssim 8 \cdot 10^{-10}.$$

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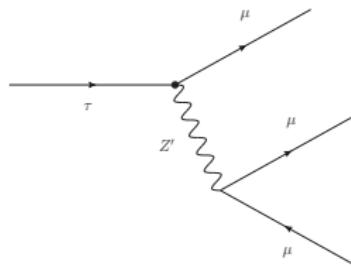
On the relevance of loop effects in $\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)$

$$R_{\tau 3\mu} = \frac{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)_{\text{tree-level}}}{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)_{\text{1-loop}}}$$

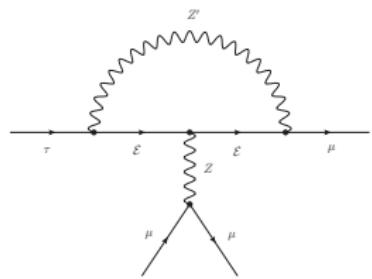


- $0.05 < g_X < 1.0$
- $10 \text{ GeV} < v_S < 500 \text{ GeV}$
- $0.01 < (\lambda_Q)_2 = (\lambda_Q)_3 < 0.1$
- $0.8 \text{ TeV} < (m_L)_{11} = (m_L)_{22} < 2 \text{ TeV}$
- $1 \text{ TeV} < m_{Z'} < 3 \text{ TeV}$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{tree}} = g_X^2 / m_Z^2, F_{\text{tree}}(V_e)$$



$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{loop}} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{g_X^2 g_{Z\ell\ell}}{m_Z^2} F_{\text{loop}}^{g_X}(m_\mathcal{E}, V_e)$$



Loop effects are negligible when
 $g_X \lesssim 0.4$

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- The additional d.o.f. involved in neutrino masses and mixings play a sub-dominant role in the LFV predictions of the model, which are dominated by the NP effects induced by the states responsible for the explanation of the $b \rightarrow s$ anomalies.
- $B \rightarrow K\tau\mu$ and $\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$ are dominated by tree-level Z' boson exchange. We derived the upper limit $\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K\tau\mu)_{\text{max}} \lesssim 8 \cdot 10^{-10}$. This limit applies to all models with purely left-handed Z' couplings.
- Loop effects in $\tau \rightarrow 3\mu$ may be comparable to the tree-level ones. This is due to the strong suppression induced by the tree-level exchange of a TeV-scale Z' boson, which is absent in many 1-loop contributions. In fact, this feature is expected in generic Z' models for the $b \rightarrow s$ anomalies.



Thank you!