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### Effective Field Theory Approach to Flavour and Dark Matter

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### **Outline:**

Introduction: Higher Dimensional Operators Lepton Flavour Violation Effects of gauge invariant dim-6 operators **Determination of the V**<sub>ub</sub> and V<sub>cb</sub> Can NP explain the differences in the determinations Dark Matter detection SI cross section Dim 5 Dim 6 ■ Dim 7 Conclusions

### Introduction

### **Higher dimensional operators**

NP at the scale A>v must be invariant under the SM gauge group

The heavy degrees of freedom can be integrated out T. Appelquist, J. Carazzone

The resulting effective operators must be Lorentz invariant, respect the SM gauge group and are suppressed by powers of 1/Λ.

B. Grzadkowski et al., arXiv:1008.4884 W. Buchmüller, D. Wyler, Nucl.Phys. B268 (1986) 621-653

### Why EFT methods:

- Argue indecently of the specific NP model
   Properly connect physics at different scales via
  - Running
  - Mixing
  - Matching
- Correlate different experiments (complementarily of searches)
- Can be easily extended to account for DM, righthanded neutrinos, ...

**Operator classification**   $L_{SM} = L_{SM}^{(4)} + 1/\Lambda \sum_{k} C_{k}^{(5)} Q_{k}^{(5)} + 1/\Lambda^{2} \sum_{k} C_{k}^{(6)} Q_{k}^{(6)} + O(1/\Lambda^{3})$  **Dim 5: 1 operator, the Weinberg operator**  $Q_{\nu\nu} = \varepsilon_{jk} \varepsilon_{mn} \varphi^{j} \varphi^{m} (\ell_{p}^{k})^{T} C l_{r}^{n} = (\varphi^{\dagger} l_{p})^{T} C (\varphi^{\dagger} \ell_{r})$ 

Dim 6: 59 operators

- **30** four-fermion operators  $Q_{le} = (\overline{\ell}_p \gamma_\mu \ell_r) (\overline{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$
- 4 pure field-strength tensor operators  $Q_G = f^{ABC} G^{AV}_{\mu} G^{B\rho}_{\nu} G^{C\mu}_{\rho}$
- **3** Higgs operators  $Q_{\varphi} = (\varphi \varphi^{\dagger})^3$
- 8 Higgs-field-strength operators  $Q_{\varphi G} = \varphi^{\dagger} \varphi G_{\mu\nu}^{A} G^{A\mu\nu}$
- **3 Higgs-fermion operators**  $Q_{\varphi e} = \varphi^{\dagger} \varphi \overline{\ell}_{i} \varphi e_{j}$
- 8 "magnetic" operators  $Q_{eB} = \overline{\ell}_i \sigma_{\mu\nu} e_j \varphi B^{\mu\nu}$
- **8** Higgs-fermion-derivative  $Q_{\varphi\ell}^{(1)} = \varphi^{\dagger} D_{\mu} \varphi \overline{\ell}_{i} \gamma^{\mu} \ell_{j}$

### **General procedure**

- Perform EW symmetry breaking
- Derive the Feynman rules
- Calculate the Feynman diagrams
- Perform the matching (integrate out W,Z, t and h)
- RGE evolution to the low scale
- Calculation of decay width, cross sections, etc.

### Lepton Flavour Violation with dim-6 operators

A.C., S. Najjari, J. Rosiek, arXiv:1312.0632 A.C., M. Hoferichter, M. Procura, arXiv:1404.7134

### Lepton flavour violation

In the SM (with massive neutrinos) lepton flavour violations is extremely suppressed by the small neutrino masses:  $O(10^{-52})$ 

Any observation of LFV would establish physics beyond the SM.

- Current best limits on  $\mu \to e$  transitions (from PSI): Br $[\mu \to e\gamma] \le 5.7 \times 10^{-13}$ 
  - $\operatorname{Br}[\mu \to eee] \leq 1 \times 10^{-12}$
  - $\operatorname{Br}_{\operatorname{Au}}^{\operatorname{conv}}\left[\mu \to e\right] \leq 7 \times 10^{-13}$

• Future prospects:  $Br[\mu \rightarrow e\gamma] \leq 6 \times 10^{-14}$  PSI  $Br_{Al}^{conv}[\mu \rightarrow e] \leq 5 \times 10^{-17}$  FNAL, J-PARC  $Br[\mu \rightarrow eee] \leq 7 \times 10^{-17}$  PSI (proposed)

### **Observabels**

Contributions of dim-6 operators to

- $\ell \to \ell' \gamma$  (one loop)
- $\tau \rightarrow \mu \mu \mu, \tau \rightarrow e \mu \mu$ , etc.
- EDM, AMM (one loop)
- $\square Z \longrightarrow \ell \ell'$
- $\square \mu \rightarrow e \text{ conversion}$

At leading loop-order and at leading order in  $1/\Lambda^2$  and  $m_{\ell}/m_W$ 

### **Operators for LFV**

llll		$\ell\ell X\varphi$		$\ell\ell arphi^2 D$ and $\ell\ell arphi^3$	
$Q_{\ell\ell}$	$(ar{\ell}_i\gamma_\mu\ell_j)(ar{\ell}_k\gamma^\mu\ell_l)$	$Q_{eW}$	$(ar{\ell}_o\sigma^{\mu u}e_j) au^Iarphi W^I_{\mu u}$	$Q^{(1)}_{arphi\ell}$	$(arphi^\dagger i\overleftrightarrow{D}_\muarphi)(ar{\ell}_i\gamma^\mu\ell_j)$
$Q_{ee}$	$(ar{e}_i\gamma_\mu e_j)(ar{e}_k\gamma^\mu e_l)$	$Q_{eB}$	$(ar{\ell}_i \sigma^{\mu u} e_j) arphi B_{\mu u}$	$Q^{(3)}_{arphi\ell}$	$(arphi^\dagger i  \overleftarrow{D}^I_\mu  arphi) (ar{\ell}_i  au^I \gamma^\mu \ell_j)$
$Q_{\ell e}$	$(ar{\ell}_i\gamma_\mu\ell_j)(ar{e}_k\gamma^\mu e_l)$			$Q_{arphi e}$	$(arphi^\dagger i  \overleftarrow{D}_\mu  arphi) (ar{e}_i \gamma^\mu e_j)$
				$Q_{earphi$ 3	$(arphi^{\dagger}arphi)(ar{\ell}_i e_j arphi)$
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$Q_{\ell q}^{(1)}$	$(ar{\ell}_i\gamma_\mu\ell_j)(ar{q}_k\gamma^\mu q_l)$	$Q_{\ell d}$	$(ar{\ell}_i\gamma_\mu\ell_j)(ar{d}_k\gamma^\mu d_l)$	$Q_{\ell u}$	$(ar{\ell}_i\gamma_\mu l_j)(ar{u}_k\gamma^\mu u_l)$
$Q_{\ell q}^{(3)}$	$(ar{\ell}_i\gamma_\mu au^I\ell_j)(ar{q}_k\gamma^\mu au^Iq_l)$	$Q_{ed}$	$(ar{e}_i\gamma_\mu e_j)(ar{d}_k\gamma^\mu d_l)$	$Q_{eu}$	$(ar{e}_i\gamma_\mu e_j)(ar{u}_k\gamma^\mu u_l)$
$Q_{eq}$	$(ar{e}_i\gamma^\mu e_j)(ar{q}_k\gamma_\mu q_l)$	$Q_{\ell e d q}$	$(ar{\ell}^a_i e_j)(ar{d}_k q^a_l)$	$Q_{\ell equ}^{(1)}$	$(ar{\ell}^a_i e_j)arepsilon_{ab}(ar{q}^b_k u_l)$
				$Q_{\ell equ}^{(3)}$	$(ar{\ell}^a_i\sigma_{\mu u}e_a)arepsilon_{ab}(ar{q}^b_k\sigma^{\mu u}u_l)$

- $\ell$  : left-handed lepton doublet e: right-handed charged lepton  $\varphi$ : Higgs doublet  $W^{\mu\nu}$  : SU(2) field-strength tensor  $B^{\mu\nu}$  : U(1) field-strength tensor
- *i*, *j*, *k*, *l* : flavour indices  $\vec{D}_{\mu}$  : covariant derivative

### Derivation of the modified Feynman rules

After EW symmetry breaking
 General R<sub>x</sub> gauge

#### **Example: Z-lepton coupling**

$$\begin{array}{l} I = \frac{e}{2s_W c_W} \left[ \Gamma_{fi}^{ZL} P_L + \Gamma_{fi}^{ZR} P_R \right] + i \sigma^{\mu\nu} \left[ C_{fi}^{ZL} P_L + C_{fi}^{ZR} P_R \right] q_\nu \right) \\ \Gamma_{fi}^{ZL} = \frac{e}{2s_W c_W} \left( \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} \left( C_{\phi\ell}^{(1)fi} + C_{\phi\ell}^{(3)fi} \right) + \left( 1 - 2s_W^2 \right) \delta_{fi} \right) \\ \Gamma_{fi}^{ZR} = \frac{e}{2s_W c_W} \left( \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} C_{\phi e}^{fi} - 2s_W^2 \delta_{fi} \right) \\ C_{fi}^{ZR} = C_{if}^{ZL\star} = -\frac{v\sqrt{2}}{\Lambda^2} \left( s_W C_{eB}^{fi} + c_W C_{eW}^{fi} \right) \end{array}$$

### **Calculation of the diagrams**



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 Gauge invariant structure of the operators

R<sub>x</sub> gauge

$$F_{TL}^{WG \ fi} = -rac{10 em_f C_{arphi\ell}^{(3)fi}}{3(4\pi)^2} \ F_{TR}^{WG \ fi} = -rac{10 em_i C_{arphi\ell}^{(3)fi}}{3(4\pi)^2}$$

$$F_{TL}^{4\ell fi} = \frac{2e}{(4\pi)^2} \sum_{j=1}^{3} C_{\ell e}^{fjji} m_j$$
$$F_{TR}^{4\ell fi} = \frac{2e}{(4\pi)^2} \sum_{j=1}^{3} C_{\ell e}^{jifj} m_j$$

 $\mathsf{Br}\left[\ell_i \to \ell_f \gamma\right] = \frac{m_{\ell_i}^3}{16\pi\Lambda^4 \,\Gamma_{\ell_i}} \left(\left|F_{TR}^{fi}\right|^2 + \left|F_{TL}^{fi}\right|^2\right)$ 

 $F_{TL}^{ZG fi} = \frac{4e \left[ \left( C_{\varphi \ell}^{(1)fi} + C_{\varphi l}^{(3)fi} \right) m_f (1 + s_W^2) - C_{\varphi e}^{fi} m_i (\frac{3}{2} - s_W^2) \right]}{3(4\pi)^2}$ 

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$$\begin{split} F_{TL}^{ql\ fi} &= -\frac{16e}{3(4\pi)^2} \sum_{j=1}^3 C_{\ell equ}^{(3)fijj\star} m_{u_j} \left( \Delta - \log \frac{m_{u_j}^2}{\mu^2} \right) \\ F_{TR}^{ql\ fi} &= -\frac{16e}{3(4\pi)^2} \sum_{j=1}^3 C_{\ell equ}^{(3)fijj} m_{u_j} \left( \Delta - \log \frac{m_{u_j}^2}{\mu^2} \right) \end{split}$$

### **Numerical results**



$$\tau \rightarrow ee$$

 $\tau \rightarrow e\gamma$ 



### $\mu \rightarrow e$ conversion



# Determination of $V_{ub}$ and $V_{cb}$

A.C., Stefan Pokorski, arXiv:1407.1320

### **Different determinations**

■  $V_{cb}$ | $V_{cb}$  |= (4.242 ± 0.086)×10<sup>-2</sup> (inclusive) | $V_{cb}$  |= (3.904 ± 0.075)×10<sup>-2</sup> ( $B \rightarrow D^* \ell \nu$ ) | $V_{cb}$  |= (3.850 ± 0.191)×10<sup>-2</sup> ( $B \rightarrow D \ell \nu$ )



•  $V_{ub}$   $|V_{ub}| = (4.41^{+0.21}_{-0.23}) \times 10^{-3}$  (inclusive)  $|V_{ub}| = (3.40^{+0.38}_{-0.33}) \times 10^{-3}$  ( $B \to \pi \ell \nu$ )  $|V_{ub}| = (4.3 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-3}$  ( $B \to \tau \nu$ )  $|V_{ub}| = (3.4 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-3}$  ( $B \to \rho \ell \nu$ )



### Effective operators (at the B scale)

B. Dassinger et al. arXiv:0803.3561, S. Faller et al. arXiv:1105.3679

#### Four-fermion operators

 $O_{R}^{S} = \overline{\ell} P_{L} v \overline{q} P_{R} b$   $O_{L}^{S} = \overline{\ell} P_{L} v \overline{q} P_{L} b$ contribute  $O_{L}^{T} = \overline{\ell} \sigma_{\mu\nu} P_{L} v \overline{q} \sigma^{\mu\nu} P_{L} b$ 

 $\sim |C_L^T|^2 \quad \text{all decays}$   $\sim |C_R^S + C_L^S|^2 \quad B \to D(\pi)\ell \nu$   $\sim |C_R^S - C_L^S|^2 \quad B \to D^*(\rho)\ell \nu$   $\sim |C_R^S|^2 + |C_L^S|^2 \text{ inclusive}$ 

Cannot explain the differences in the determinations

Modified W coupling

 $H_{eff} = \frac{4G_F V_{qb}}{\sqrt{2}} \overline{\ell} \gamma^{\mu} P_L \nu \left( (1 + c_L^{qb}) \overline{q} \gamma_{\mu} P_L b + g_L^{qb} \overline{q} i \vec{D}_{\mu} P_L b + d_L^{qb} i \partial^{\nu} \left( \overline{q} i \sigma_{\mu\nu} P_L b \right) + L \to R \right)$ 

### **Effects of NP**

#### Exclusive determination at zero recoil:

V<sub>cb</sub> = 
$$\frac{V_{cb}^{SM}}{1 + c_L^{cb} + c_R^{cb} - 1.6 \text{GeV}(d_R^{cb} + d_L^{cb}) + 5.5 \text{GeV}(g_R^{cb} + g_L^{cb})}$$
 (B → Dℓν)  
V<sub>cb</sub> =  $\frac{V_{cb}^{SM}}{1 + c_L^{cb} - c_R^{cb} + 3.3 \text{GeV}(d_R^{cb} - d_L^{cb})}$  (B → D<sup>\*</sup>ℓν)  
V<sub>ub</sub> =  $\frac{V_{ub}^{SM}}{1 + c_L^{ub} + c_R^{ub} - 4.9 \text{GeV}(d_R^{ub} + d_L^{ub}) + 5.5 \text{GeV}(g_R^{ub} + g_L^{ub})}$  (B → πℓν)  
V<sub>ub</sub> =  $\frac{V_{ub}^{SM}}{1 + c_L^{ub} - c_R^{ub} + 4.5 \text{GeV}(d_R^{ub} - d_L^{ub})}$  (B → ρℓν)

Inclusive determination on weakly affected

### **New Physics Effects in V<sub>cb</sub>**

#### **Right-handed W coupling**

#### "magnetic" operator





### **New Physics Effects in V<sub>ub</sub>**

#### **Right-handed W coupling**

"magnetic" operator









### Results

- In terms of SU(2) invariant operators d<sub>L</sub> corresponds to
  - $\overline{Q}_{uW}^{ij} = 1 / \Lambda^2 \left( \overline{q}_i \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_j \right) \tau^I \tilde{\varphi} W_{\mu\nu}^I$
- Direct connection to Z-quark couplings
- Excluded order one corrections to Z-bb couplings



NP at the scale  $\Lambda$  cannot explain the differences in the determinations of V<sub>ub</sub> and V<sub>cb</sub>.

### Effective field theory approach to Dark Matter

A.C., F. d'Eramo, M. Procura, arXiv:1402.1173 A.C., M. Hoferichter, M. Procura arXiv:1312.4951 A.C., U. Haisch, arXiv:1408:xxxx

### Spin independent scattering cross section

Up to Dim 7 (at the direct detection scale)

$$\sigma_N^{\text{SI}} \approx \frac{m_N^2}{\pi \Lambda^4} \left| \sum_{q=u,d} C_{qq}^{VV} f_{V_q}^N + \frac{m_N}{\Lambda} \left( \sum_{q=u,d,s} C_{qq}^{SS} f_q^N - 12\pi C_{gg}^S f_Q^N \right) \right|^2$$

 $L_{eff} = \sum_{X} C_{X} O_{X}$ 

$$O_{gg}^{S} = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{\Lambda^{3}} \,\overline{\chi} \, \chi G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu}$$

$$O_{qq}^{SS} = \frac{m_q}{\Lambda^3} \,\overline{\chi} \,\chi \,\overline{q} q$$

$$O_{qq}^{VV} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \overline{\chi} \gamma^{\mu} \chi \overline{q} \gamma_{\mu} q$$

 $f^N$ : nucleon couplings  $m_N$ : nucleon mass

The Wilson coefficients  $C_X$ must be connected to UV physics

## Scalar quark content of the nucleon

Tradiational approach: SU(3) chiral pertubation Better: SU(2) chiral pertubation theory and f<sub>s</sub> from lattice



### **EFT for Dark Matter**

We assume that DM is:

- A SM singlet (other choices are also possible)
- A Dirac fermion (biggest number of operators)
- Interactions of DM with the SM arise through messengers at a high scale Λ
- Construct operators which are invariant under the SM gauge group
- This scale A must be connected to the direct detection scale via running, mixing and threshold effects.

**Operators dim-5**  $O_{M}^{T} = \frac{1}{\Lambda} \overline{\chi} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \chi B_{\mu\nu}, \quad O_{HH}^{S} = \frac{1}{\Lambda} \overline{\chi} \chi H^{\dagger} H, \quad O_{HH}^{P} = \frac{1}{\Lambda} \overline{\chi} \gamma^{5} \chi H^{\dagger} H$  $- O_M^T$ : Tree-level contribution to direct detection  $\circ$   $O_{HH}^{P}$  : Affects only spin dependent direct detection  $\circ$   $O_{HH}^{S}$  : Enters only via matching corrections Matching:  $C_{gg}^{S} = \frac{1}{12\pi} \frac{\Lambda^2}{m_{e0}^2} C_{HH}^{S}$  $C_{qq}^{SS} = -\frac{\Lambda^2}{m_{\phi}^2} C_{HH}^S \qquad \bar{\chi}$  $O_{HH}^S$ Mixing turns out to be small  $C_{qq}^{SS}(\mu_{0}) = \left[\frac{1}{12\pi} \left(U_{m_{b},m_{t}}^{(5)} + 2U_{\mu_{0},m_{b}}^{(4)}\right) - 1\right] \frac{\Lambda^{2}}{m_{\infty}^{2}} C_{HH}^{S} \qquad \chi$  $U_{\mu,\Lambda}^{\left(n_{f}\right)} = \frac{-3C_{F}}{\pi\beta} \ln \frac{\alpha_{s}(\Lambda)}{\alpha(\mu)}.$ 

# $O_{qq}^{VV} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \overline{\chi} \gamma^{\mu} \chi \, \overline{q} \gamma_{\mu} q$

- $O_{qq}^{VV} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \overline{\chi} \gamma^{\mu} \chi \, \overline{q} \, \gamma_{\mu} q$  $O_{qq}^{VA} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \overline{\chi} \gamma^{\mu} \chi \, \overline{q} \, \gamma_{\mu} q$  $\cdot$
- $O^{V}_{\phi\phi D}=rac{i}{\Lambda^{2}}\,\overline{\chi}\,\gamma^{\mu}\chi\phi^{\dagger}ec{D}_{\mu}\phi$



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No QCD effects

• EW-mixing of  $O_{qq}^{VA}$  into  $O_{HHD}^{V}$ 

$$C_{\phi\phi D}^{V}(\mu) = C_{\phi\phi D}^{V}(\Lambda) - \frac{\alpha_{t}N_{c}}{\pi}C_{tt}^{VA}(\Lambda)\ln\frac{\mu}{\Lambda} - (t \to b)$$

Matching contributions

$$C_{uu}^{VV} \rightarrow C_{uu}^{VV} + \frac{1}{2}C_{HHD}^{V}, C_{dd}^{VV} \rightarrow C_{dd}^{VV} - \frac{1}{2}C_{HHD}^{V}$$
  
Bounds on previously unconstrained operator

### **Experimental constraints**

$$C_{qq}^{VA} = 1$$



![](_page_30_Picture_3.jpeg)

relic density

### **Operators dim-7**

Field strength tensors especially interesting

 $O_{BB}^{S} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^{2}} \overline{\chi} \chi B^{\mu\nu} B_{\mu\nu} , \quad O_{WW}^{S} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^{2}} \overline{\chi} \chi W^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu\nu}$ 

Mixing into

$$O_{4\phi}^{S} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^{3}} \overline{\chi} \chi \phi \phi^{\dagger} \phi \phi^{\dagger}$$
$$O_{qq}^{\phi SS} = \frac{Y^{q}}{\Lambda^{3}} \overline{\chi} \chi \overline{q} \phi q$$

![](_page_31_Figure_5.jpeg)

Contributions to direct detection after EW symmetry breaking and integrating out the Higgs.

![](_page_32_Figure_0.jpeg)

preliminary results

### Conclusions

- LVF is an excellent place to search for NP
  - $\mu \rightarrow e$  conversion sensitive to Higgs mediated flavour violation
- NP cannot explain the current differences in the determination of V<sub>ub</sub> and V<sub>cb</sub>
- Interesting loop effects in DM direct detections: new constraints on operators
- EFT provide a consistent framework to search for NO in a model independent way