
Testing $SU(3)$ flavour symmetry in non-leptonic B and D decays

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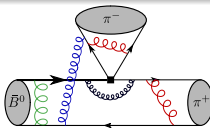
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Challenge: Calculation of Hadronic matrix elements

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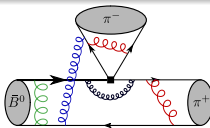
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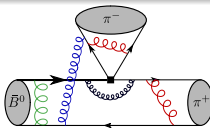
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Flavour symmetries (Isospin or $SU(3)$)

- In subsystems e.g. Fleischer, Jaarsma, KKV, Malami [2017,2018]
- Global $SU(3)$ fit to $B \rightarrow PP$ decays Huber, Tetlalmatzi-Xolocotzi [2111.06418], Berthiaume et al.[2311.18011] Burgos Marcos, Reboud, KKV [2504.05209]

Light-cone sumrules

- Calculation of soft-gluon contribution Piscopo, Rusov [2307.07594] (see also Khodjamirian, Mannel, Melic, Melcher [0509049])

Full $SU(3)_F$ analysis of $B \rightarrow PP$ decays

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$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\pi^0}{\sqrt{2}} & \pi^- & K^- \\ \pi^+ & -\frac{\pi^0}{\sqrt{2}} & \bar{K}^0 \\ K^+ & \bar{K}^0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad B_i = (B^+, B^0, B_s^0)$$

* excluding η modes

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- For penguins replace: $T \rightarrow P_T, C \rightarrow P_C, A \rightarrow P_{TA}, T_P \rightarrow P, E \rightarrow P_{TE}, T_{PA} \rightarrow P_A$,
- One-to-one correspondence with irreducible representation [He,Wang\[1803.04227\]](#)
→ 12 complex parameters: two redundant operators

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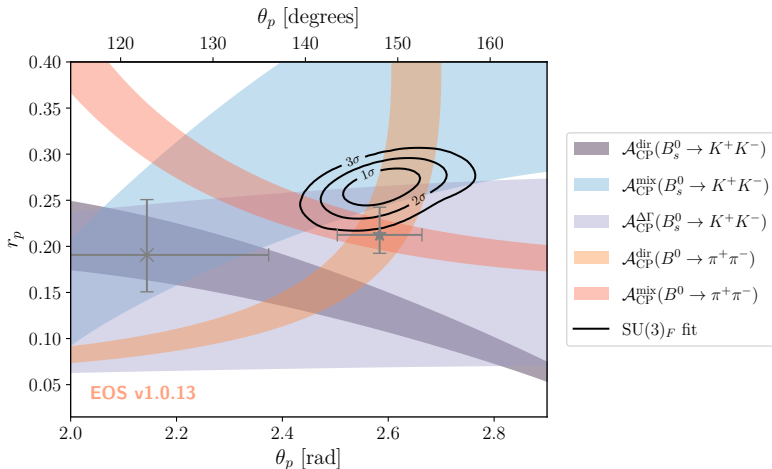
Difference with previous works:

- Include mixing-induced CP asymmetry
- Include mixing effects in B_s^0 branching ratios
- Include correlations by using ratios of branching ratios directly
- Omit $\eta^{(\prime)}$ modes

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(B_q^0(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(\bar{B}_q^0(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(B_q^0(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{B}_q^0(t) \rightarrow f)} = \frac{\mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}^{\text{dir}} \cos(\Delta M_q t) + \mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}^{\text{mix}} \sin(\Delta M_q t)}{\cosh(\Delta \Gamma_q t/2) + \mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}^{\Delta \Gamma} \sinh(\Delta \Gamma_q t/2)},$$

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- U -spin partners: $B_d^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$
- CP asymmetries already show $SU(3)_F$ breaking at 2σ level

Factorizable $SU(3)_F$ breaking effects

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- Factorizable $SU(3)_F$ breaking:** $A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} = M_B^2 F_0^{B \rightarrow M_1} (m_{M_2}^2) f_{M_2}$
- Maximal in $B_d \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ versus $B_s \rightarrow K^+ K^-$: 20% effect
- β parameters are power suppressed annihilation operators in QCDF
 $A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \beta_i^p \rightarrow B_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} b_i^p$ where $B_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} = f_{B_q} f_{M_1} f_{M_2}$

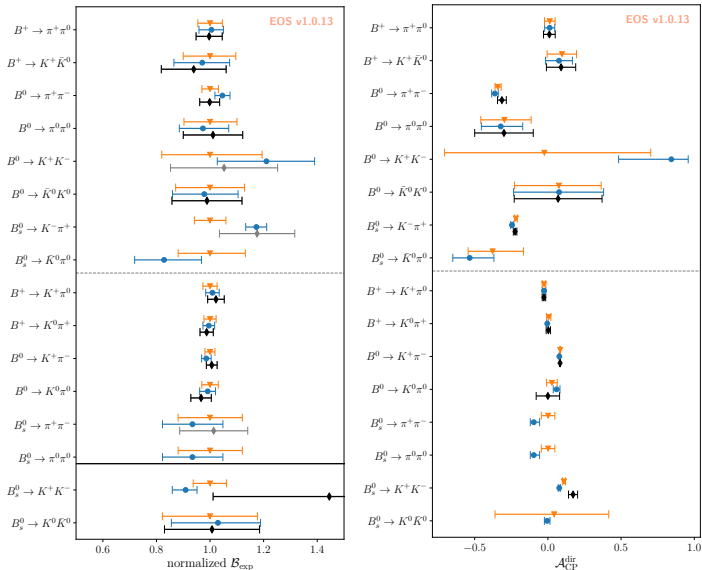
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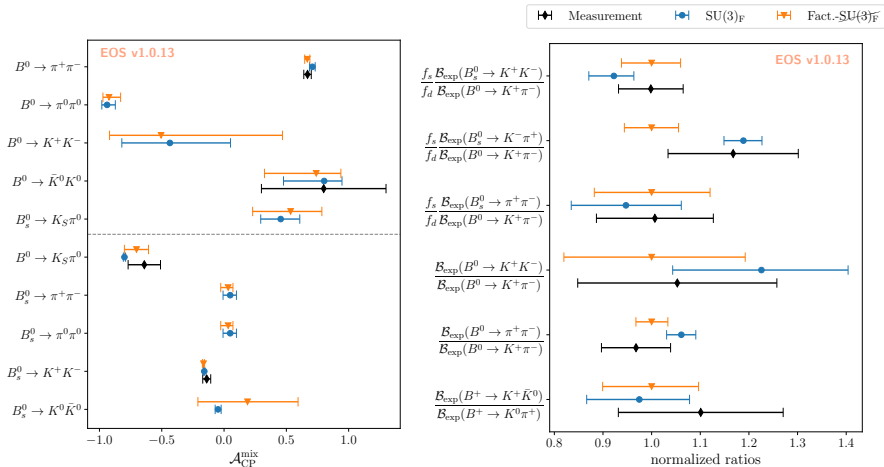
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Key modes to improve:

- Branching ratios of $B_{d,s}^0 \rightarrow K^0 \bar{K}^0$ and $B^+ \rightarrow K^0 K^+, B^+ \rightarrow K^0 \pi^+$
- CP asymmetries in pure annihilation modes like: $B \rightarrow K^+ K^-$
- Updates of the – already precise – $B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ decay

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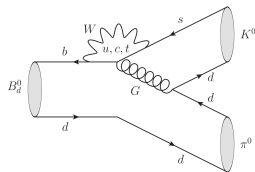
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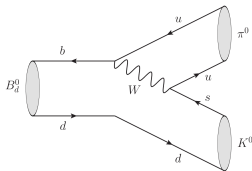
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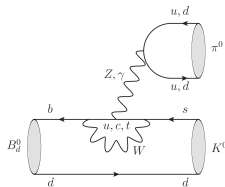
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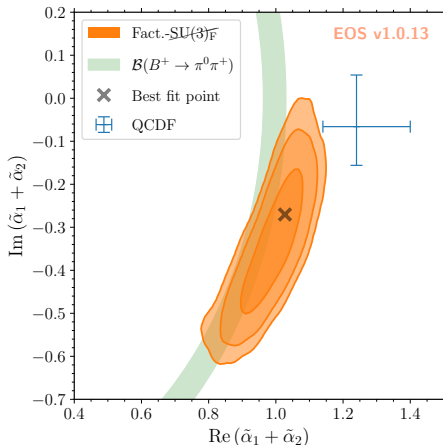
$$\rightarrow \tilde{\alpha}_1 + \tilde{\alpha}_4^u = 0.584 \pm 0.024$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{3}{2}\alpha_{4,EW}^c + \tilde{\alpha}_4^c = -(0.102 \pm 0.001) + (0.044 \pm 0.002) i,$$

$$\left| \frac{\alpha_{4,EW}^c}{\tilde{\alpha}_1} \right| \sim \left| \frac{\tilde{\alpha}_4^c}{\tilde{\alpha}_4^u} \right| \sim \left| \frac{\alpha_{3,EW}^c}{\tilde{\alpha}_2} \right| \in [10^{-4}, 10^{-2}],$$

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- With Factorizable $SU(3)_F$ breaking we get a perfect description of the data
- 20-30% $SU(3)_F$ breaking sufficient!
- Challenging to compare to QCDF as only *combinations* are constrained
 - Identify several modes where new data would help
- In progress:
 - Include $B \rightarrow VP$ modes
 - Linear $SU(3)_F$ -breaking analysis in $B \rightarrow PP$
 - Detailed comparison with QCDF

What about η modes?

Bolognani, Nierste, Schacht, KKV [2410.08138]

$$|\eta_8\rangle = \frac{|u\bar{u}\rangle + |d\bar{d}\rangle - 2|s\bar{s}\rangle}{\sqrt{6}}, |\eta_0\rangle = \frac{|u\bar{u}\rangle + |d\bar{d}\rangle + |s\bar{s}\rangle}{\sqrt{3}},$$

- Within $SU(3)_F$ a *single, universal* mixing angle between η and η' states cannot be used!
- η' decouples *completely* from η modes

$$\begin{aligned}\langle P_\eta | H | D \rangle &= \cos \theta \langle P_{\eta_8} | H | D \rangle - \sin \theta \langle P_{\eta_0} | H | D \rangle \\ \langle P_{\eta'} | H | D \rangle &= \sin \theta \langle P_{\eta_8} | H | D \rangle' + \cos \theta \langle P_{\eta_0} | H | D \rangle',\end{aligned}$$

and most importantly

$$\begin{aligned}\langle P_{\eta_8} | H | D \rangle' &\neq \langle P_{\eta_8} | H | D \rangle, \\ \langle P_{\eta_0} | H | D \rangle' &\neq \langle P_{\eta_0} | H | D \rangle.\end{aligned}$$

- Linear $SU(3)_F$ breaking can be included using the powercounting: $\theta = \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$
- Allows to relate $\langle P_{\eta_8} | H | D \rangle$ and $\langle P_{\eta'} | H | D \rangle$

- Modes with η not included
- Postdict modes in full $SU(3)_F$

Channel	Branching Ratios in units of 10^{-6}	
	Experimental value	$SU(3)_F$
$B^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+$	4.02 ± 0.27	$3.1^{+0.9}_{-1.6}$
$B^0 \rightarrow \eta \pi^0$	$0.41^{+0.17+0.05}_{-0.15-0.07}$ [81]	0.44 ± 0.11
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- Postdict modes in full $SU(3)_F$

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What about Charm?

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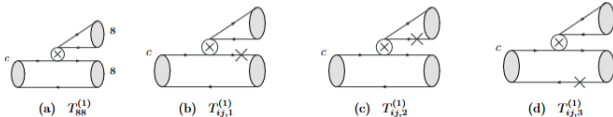
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See: Gronau [1995]; Mueller, Nierste, Schacht [1503.06759]

$$H_{SU(3)_F\text{-break}} = (m_s - m_d)\bar{s}s$$

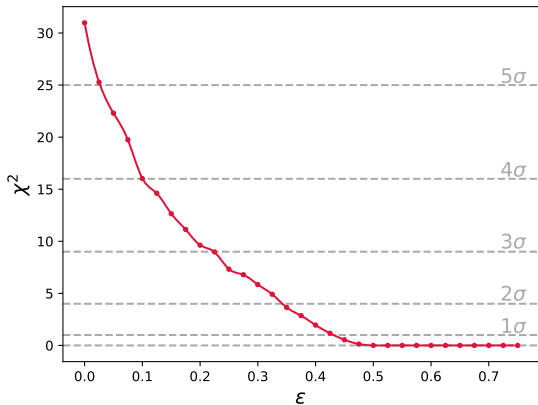
- Feynman rule is denoted by a cross on the s -quark line
- Allows to write the $SU(3)_F$ -breaking decomposition of the eight $D \rightarrow P\eta'$
 - Completely decouple from η and P modes*
- After redefinition: 17 parameters
- Include constraint on $SU(3)_F$ breaking through:

$$\left| \frac{\mathcal{A}_{SU(3)\text{-break}}(D \rightarrow P\eta')}{\mathcal{A}_{SU(3)\text{-lim}}(D \rightarrow P\eta')} \right| \leq \varepsilon$$



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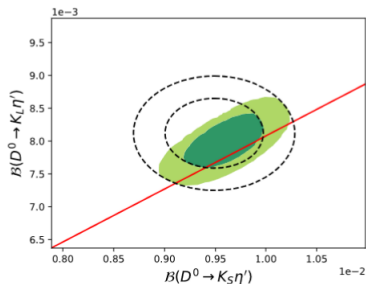
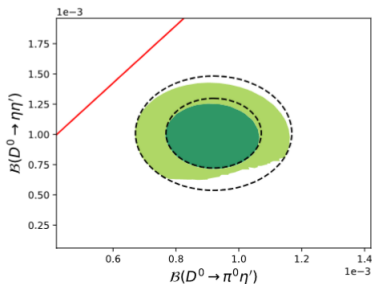
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- Nominal fit $\epsilon = 30\%$ gives slight 2.5σ tension with data

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- Improved measurements of $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\eta'$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \eta\eta'$ can further test $SU(3)_F$ in charm
- Comparison with study of all $D \rightarrow PP$ decays in progress

Comparison with QCDF?

- Factorization not expected to work, maybe for tree?
- Could use large N_c arguments?

Decay ampl. $\mathcal{A}(d)$	$\hat{T}_{18}$	$\hat{T}_{18,1}^{(1)}$	$\hat{T}_{18,2}^{(1)}$	$\hat{T}_{88}^{(1)}$	$\hat{C}_{18,1}^{(1)}$	$\hat{C}_{81}$	$\hat{C}_{81,1}^{(1)}$	$\hat{C}_{81,2}^{(1)}$	$\hat{C}_{88}^{(1)}$
SCS									
$\mathcal{A}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta')$	0	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$	0	0	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
$\mathcal{A}(D^0 \rightarrow \eta \eta')$	0	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	$-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$	$-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$	-1
$\mathcal{A}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta')$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	0	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	0	0	$-\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$
$\mathcal{A}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ \eta')$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$-\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	0	0	$-\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$
CF									
$\mathcal{A}(D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \eta')$	0	0	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$
$\mathcal{A}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta')$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	$-\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$	0	0	0	0	0
DCS									
$\mathcal{A}(D^0 \rightarrow K^0 \eta')$	0	0	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$
$\mathcal{A}(D^+ \rightarrow K^+ \eta')$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$	0	0	0	0	0

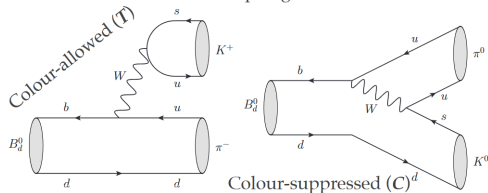
- Many redefinitions, do not allow to obtain T alone

- Entering an era in B decays where we can test $SU(3)_F$
- Further tests of $SU(3)_F$ in charm of interest
- Could help to improve QCD-based description of the data
 - Insights into weak annihilation?
- In progress:
 - Include $B \rightarrow VP$ modes
 - Linear $SU(3)_F$ -breaking analysis in $B \rightarrow PP$
 - Detailed comparison with QCDF
 - Updated analysis of $D \rightarrow PP$

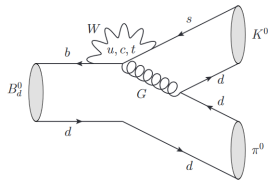
Backup-Slides

Topologies non-leptonic B decays

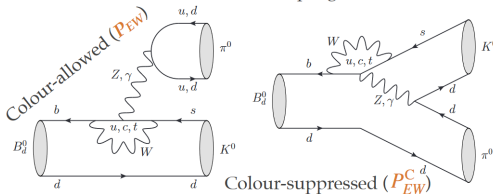
Tree topologies



QCD penguin (P)



Electroweak (EW) penguins



- Many decay topologies
- Different CKM dependencies
- Different dominant contributions
- Some more challenging to compute

- In QCDF $\alpha(M_1 M_2)$ depend on final states (tiny effect)
- One-to-one correspondence with amplitudes

$$T = A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \tilde{\alpha}_1,$$

$$C = A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \tilde{\alpha}_2,$$

$$T_P = A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \tilde{\alpha}_4^u,$$

$$A = B_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \tilde{b}_2,$$

$$E = B_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \tilde{b}_1,$$

$$T_{PA} = B_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} \tilde{b}_4^u,$$

- if $A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q}$ is universal

$$A_{M_1 M_2}^{B_q} = M_B^2 F_0^{B \rightarrow M_1}(m_{M_2}^2) f_{M_2},$$

$$\tilde{\alpha}_1 \equiv \alpha_1 + \frac{3}{2}\alpha_{4,\text{EW}}^u,$$

$$\tilde{\alpha}_2 \equiv \alpha_2 + \frac{3}{2}\alpha_{3,\text{EW}}^u,$$

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$$\tilde{\alpha}_4^r \equiv \alpha_4^r + \beta_3^r - \frac{1}{2} \left(\alpha_{4,\text{EW}}^r + \beta_{3,\text{EW}}^r \right),$$

$$\tilde{\beta}_4^r \equiv \beta_4^r - \frac{1}{2}\beta_{4,\text{EW}}^r,$$

Weak annihilation

- Strong constraints on several combinations from $B_d^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ decay and its U -spin partner $B_s^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$
- $\tilde{b}_1 + 2\tilde{b}_4^u = -(3.7_{-8.2}^{+9.6}) + (13.7_{-11.9}^{+6.9}) i$, and $\frac{3}{2}b_{4,EW}^c + 2\tilde{b}_4^c = -(1.5_{-1.5}^{+1.4}) + (11.0_{-5.2}^{+4.6}) i$.
- $\left| \frac{\tilde{b}_2}{\tilde{b}_1} \right| = 0.99 \pm 0.05$

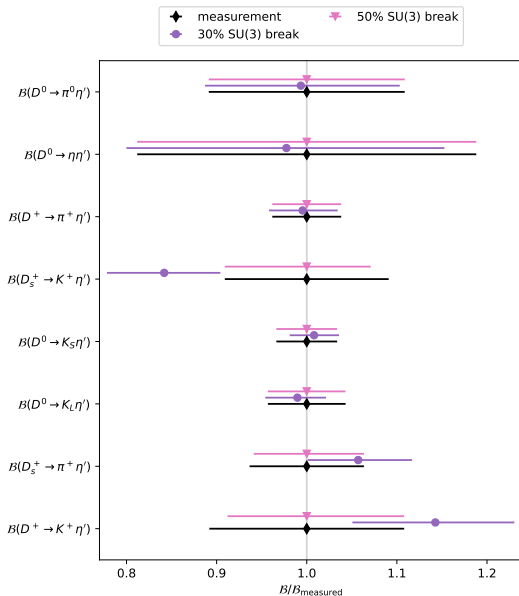
Less constrained parameters have:

$$\left| \frac{b_{4,EW}^c}{\tilde{b}_1} \right| \sim \left| \frac{b_{3,EW}^c}{\tilde{b}_2} \right| \sim \left| \frac{\tilde{b}_4^c}{\tilde{b}_4^u} \right| \in [10^{-4}, 10^{-2}],$$

indicating that the electroweak parameters are small and that $\tilde{b}_4^c$ is much smaller than $\tilde{b}_4^u$.

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Observable	Global theory fit	Experiment
$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta')$	$(9.15^{+1.00}_{-0.99}) \cdot 10^{-4}$	$(9.2 \pm 1.0) \cdot 10^{-4}$
$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \eta \eta')$	$(0.98 \pm 0.18) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(1.01 \pm 0.19) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta')$	$(4.95 \pm 0.19) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(4.97 \pm 0.19) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ \eta')$	$(2.22 \pm 0.17) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(2.64 \pm 0.24) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K_S \eta')$	$(9.56^{+0.27}_{-0.25}) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(9.49 \pm 0.32) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K_L \eta')$	$(8.04^{+0.26}_{-0.29}) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(8.12 \pm 0.35) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta')$	$(4.17 \pm 0.23) \cdot 10^{-2}$	$(3.94 \pm 0.25) \cdot 10^{-2}$
$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K^+ \eta')$	$(2.11 \pm 0.17) \cdot 10^{-4}$	$(1.85 \pm 0.20) \cdot 10^{-4}$

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$$\hat{T}_{88}^{(1)} = T_{88}^{(1)} + 2A_{88}^{(1)} + 3E_{88}^{(1)},$$

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$$\hat{C}_{81,1}^{(1)} = C_{81,1}^{(1)} + E_{18,1}^{(1)} + E_{18,3}^{(1)} + E_{81,1}^{(1)} + 3E_{H,1}^{(1)},$$

$$\hat{C}_{81,2}^{(1)} = C_{81,2}^{(1)} + E_{18,2}^{(1)} + E_{81,2}^{(1)} + E_{81,3}^{(1)} + 3E_{H,2}^{(1)},$$

$$\hat{C}_{88}^{(1)} = C_{88}^{(1)} - E_{88}^{(1)}.$$