# Phenomenology of CP Violation in the MSSM

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#### Outline

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#### CP Violation in the SM

Apart from the QCD  $\theta$  term, the only source for CP violation in the SM is the phase in the CKM matrix.

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\varrho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \varrho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^4)$$

CP violation from the CKM matrix can be visualized by Unitarity Triangles e.g.

$$V_{ub}V_{ud}^* + V_{cb}V_{cd}^* + V_{tb}V_{td}^* = 0$$



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Impressive confirmation of the CKM picture for CP violation

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The MSSM has many free parameters that can provide such phases

- Higgsino mass:  $\mu$
- ► Gaugino masses: *M*<sub>1</sub>, *M*<sub>2</sub>, *M*<sub>3</sub>
- ▶ squark masses:  $m_Q^2$ ,  $m_U^2$ ,  $m_D^2$
- ► trilinear couplings:  $A_u$ ,  $A_d$

$$\Delta F = 0$$
e.g.
• Electric Dipole  
Moments (EDMs)  
of the electron and  
neutron,  $d_e$  and  $d_n$ 







► Time dependent CP asymmetries in 
$$B_d \to \phi K_S$$
 and  $B_d \to \eta' K_S$ ,  $S_{\phi K_S}$  and  $S_{\eta' K_S}$ 

#### Constraints from the EDMs

- ► In the MSSM, EDMs can be induced already at the 1loop level → typically tight constraints on CP violating phases from the upper bounds on EDMs
- ► Example: Gluino contributions to up and down quark EDMs



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 sizeable effects in flavor observables still possible, as 3<sup>rd</sup> generation squarks enter

#### A Flavor Blind MSSM with CP Violating Phases

In a flavor blind MSSM (FBMSSM) there are no additional flavor structures apart from the CKM matrix. In particular, we assume

universal squark masses

hierarchical and flavor diagonal trilinear couplings

and allow for

#### flavor conserving but CP violating phases.

For analyses of similar frameworks see:

Baek, Ko '99 Bartl, Gajdosik, Lunghi, Masiero, Porod, Stremnitzer, Vives '01 (Flavor Blind MSSM) Ellis, Lee, Pilaftsis '07 (MCPMFVMSSM) Mercolli, Smith '09

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The corresponding Wilson coefficients recieve the dominant contributions from Higgsino-stop loops and are therefore mainly sensitive to one complex parameter combination

 $C_{7,8} \propto \mu A_t$ 



#### → Interesting correlated effects in CP violating observables

WA, Buras, Paradisi '08

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- Electric Dipole Moments of the electron and the neutron
- 2 loop Barr-Zee type contributions sensitive to the 3<sup>rd</sup> generation of squarks
- decouple for heavy Higgses with  $1/M_{A^0}^2$
- put constraints on  $Im(\mu A_t)$

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$$d_e\gtrsim 5 imes 10^{-28} {
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 ,  $d_n\gtrsim 8 imes 10^{-28} {
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(roughly one order of magnitude below the current experimental constraints)





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Soares '91; Kagan, Neubert '98

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$A_{CP}^{bs\gamma}(SM)$	$\simeq (0.44^{+0.24}_{-0.14})\%$	Hurth, Lunghi, Porod '03
$A^{bs\gamma}_{CP}( ext{exp.})$	$\simeq (0.4\pm 3.6)\%$	HFAG

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- Sign of A<sup>bsγ</sup><sub>CP</sub> is correlated with sign of S<sub>φKS</sub>
- ► For  $S_{\phi K_S} < S_{\phi K_S}^{SM}$ ,  $A_{CP}^{bs\gamma}$  is unambiguously positive
- ▶ values typically in the range 1% 6%



Bobeth, Hiller, Piranishvili '08 Egede, Hurth, Matias, Ramon, Reece '08 WA, Ball, Bahrucha, Buras, Straub, Wick '09



Perfoming a full angular reconstruction of both  $B^0 \to K^{0*} (\to K^+\pi^-) \ell^+ \ell^$ and the CP conjugate mode  $\bar{B}^0 \to \bar{K}^{0*} (\to K^-\pi^+) \ell^+ \ell^$ one has access to up to 24 observables!  $(I_i, \bar{I}_i)$ 

CP averaged angular coefficients

$$S_i = \left(I_i + \overline{I}_i\right) / rac{d(\Gamma + \overline{\Gamma})}{dq^2}$$

CP asymmetries $oldsymbol{\mathcal{A}}_i = \left( I_i - ar{I}_i 
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- Deviations from the correlation point clearly towards sizeable complex NP contributions to other Wilson coefficients than C<sub>7</sub>



- $\langle A_7 \rangle$  and  $\langle A_8 \rangle$  are correlated with  $S_{\phi K_S}$  and  $S_{\eta' K_S}$
- S<sub>φKs</sub> ≃ 0.4 implies positve ⟨A<sub>7</sub>⟩ ≃ 0.05 ÷ 0.2 and negative ⟨A<sub>8</sub>⟩ ≃ −0.11 ÷ −0.03
- ► Finally,  $\langle A_7 \rangle$  and  $\langle A_8 \rangle$  are also correlated with the CP asymmetry in  $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  and the EDMs

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- 2 CP violation in K mixing
- ► Also M<sup>K</sup><sub>12</sub> has no sensitivity to the new flavor blind phases
- Still, *ϵ<sub>K</sub>* ∝ Im(*M*<sup>K</sup><sub>12</sub>) can get a positive NP contribution up to 15%
- ► But only for a very light SUSY spectrum:  $\mu, m_{\tilde{t}_1} \simeq 200 \text{GeV}$

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A combined study of all these observables and their correlations constitutes a very powerfull test of the FBMSSM

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•  $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  strongly constrains the LR and RL mass insertions, because the corresponding contributions to the amplitude are helicity enhanced

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- LL and RR mass insertions are less constrained
- If only LL or RR insertions are switched on, large δs are required to generate effects in S<sub>ψφ</sub>
- If both LL and RR insertions are present simultaneously, contributions are generated that are strongly renormalization group enhanced
- ► Even for moderate values for  $\delta_d^{LL}$  and  $\delta_d^{RR}$ , sizeable effects in  $S_{\psi\phi}$  are possible

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- To get large CP violating NP effects in ΔF = 2 amplitudes, as indicated by the measurement of S<sub>ψφ</sub>, additional flavor violating structures have to be present in the soft sector
- The most promising way to generate large effects in S<sub>ψφ</sub> is through simultaneous δ<sup>LL</sup><sub>d</sub> and δ<sup>RR</sup><sub>d</sub> insertions
- Which concrete flavor models predict such patterns? ...

# Back Up

#### **FBMSSM Implications for Direct Searches**



- $S_{\phi K_{S}} \simeq 0.4$  implies  $\mu \lesssim 600 \text{GeV}$  and  $m_{\tilde{t}_{1}} \lesssim 700 \text{GeV}$
- ► similarly, large non standard effects in  $A_{CP}^{bs\gamma} \gtrsim 2\%$  imply  $\mu \lesssim 600$ GeV and  $m_{\tilde{t}_{c}} \lesssim 800$ GeV
- stops and Higgsinos lie well within the reach of LHC

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$$R_t = \xi \frac{1}{\lambda} \sqrt{\frac{m_{B_s}}{m_{B_d}}} \sqrt{\frac{\Delta M_d}{\Delta M_s}} = 0.913 \pm 0.033$$



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