

*New physics search in  $B$  decays involving  
a tensor ( $K$ -resonance) meson*

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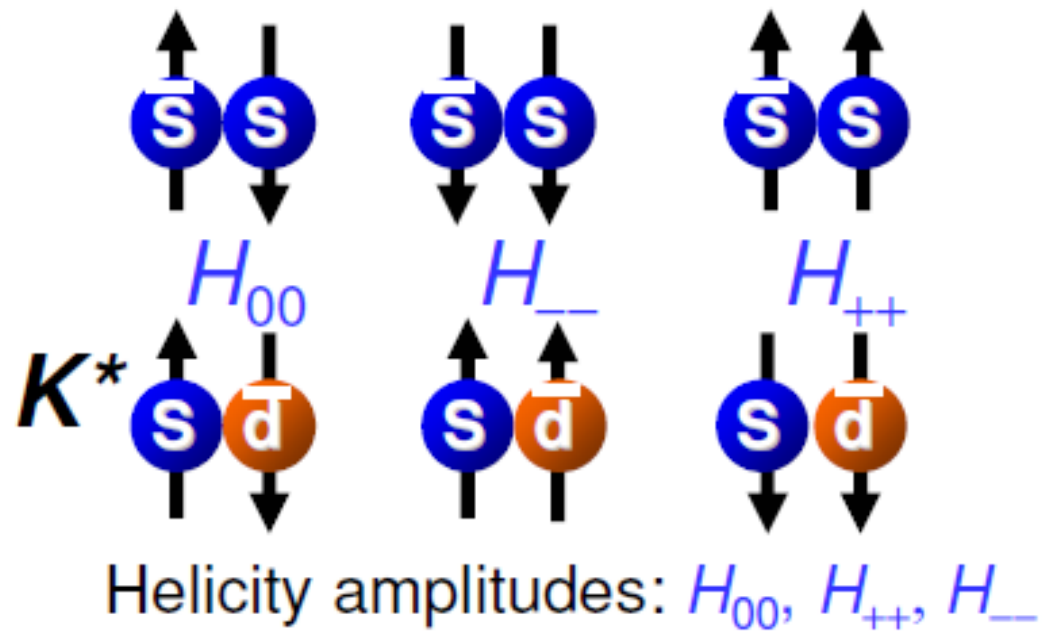
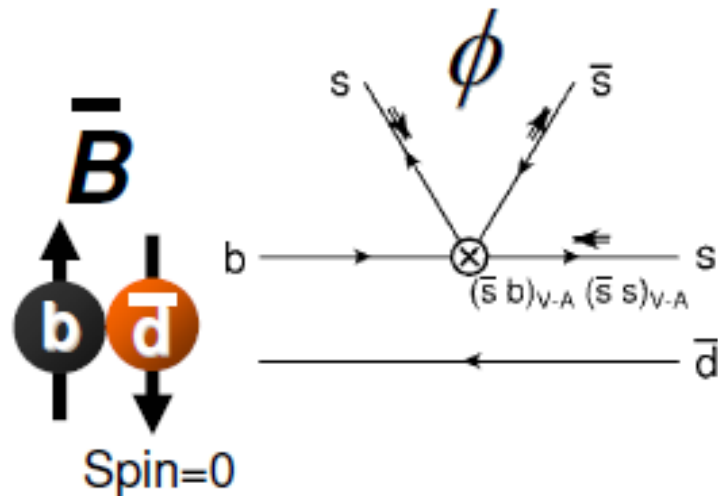
# Outline

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- ◆ Polarization in  $B \rightarrow VV$
- ◆ Can we solve the observed  $B \rightarrow \phi K^*$  anomaly in SM?
- ◆ *Annihilation in  $B \rightarrow \phi K^*, \rho K^*$  [BBNS parametrization(QCDF)]*
- ◆ New Physics in  $B \rightarrow \phi K^*$ ?
- ◆ **Further test**
- ◆ **Conclusion**

# ***B decays into two vector mesons***

Polarization reveals spin structure in the decay

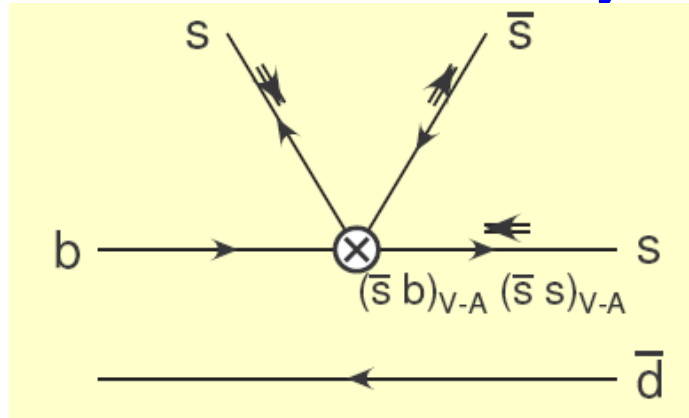


11 observables ( $\bar{B}$  and  $B$ ):  $6 |H_i|$ ,  $5 \arg(\bar{H}_i / H_j)$

$H_0$  requires no spin flip,  
 $H_-$  requires one spin flip  
 $H_+$  requires two spin flips.

# Introduction

## ■ Polarization puzzle in charmless $\bar{B} \rightarrow VV$ decays



$$H_{00} : H_{--} : H_{++} = 1 : \frac{\Lambda}{m_b} : \left( \frac{\Lambda}{m_b} \right)^2$$

In transversity basis  $A_{\perp} = (H^{--} + H^{++}) / \sqrt{2}$ ,  $A_{\parallel} = (H^{--} - H^{++}) / \sqrt{2}$

$$f_T \equiv f_{\parallel} + f_{\perp} = 1 - f_L = O(m_V^2 / m_B^2), \quad f_{\parallel} / f_{\perp} = 1 + O(m_V / m_B)$$

Why is  $f_T$  sizable  $\sim 0.5$  in  $B \rightarrow K^* \varphi$  decays ?

## ■ Search of new physics in $B \rightarrow VV$ decays

## Transversity Basis

Transverse amplitudes in transversity basis

$$\bar{A}_{\parallel} = (\bar{H}_{++} + \bar{H}_{--})/\sqrt{2}$$

$$\bar{A}_{\perp} = -(\bar{H}_{++} - \bar{H}_{--})/\sqrt{2}$$

The  $B \rightarrow V_1 V_2$  decay amplitude can be written as

$$M = A_0 \varepsilon_1^{*L} \cdot \varepsilon_2^{*L} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} A_{\parallel} \vec{\varepsilon}_1^{*T} \cdot \vec{\varepsilon}_2^{*T} - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} A_{\perp} \vec{\varepsilon}_1^{*T} \times \vec{\varepsilon}_2^{*T} \cdot \hat{p}$$

✠ Polarization vectors in

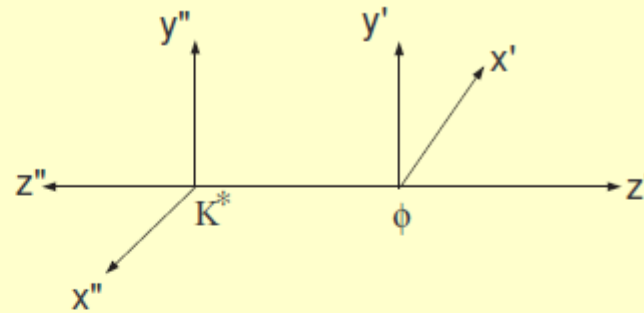
$$\varepsilon_{V_1}^{\mu}(0) = \frac{1}{m_{V_1}} (|\vec{p}|, 0, 0, -E), \quad \varepsilon_{V_2}^{\mu}(0) = \frac{1}{m_{V_2}} (|\vec{p}|, 0, 0, E)$$

(i) Helicity basis

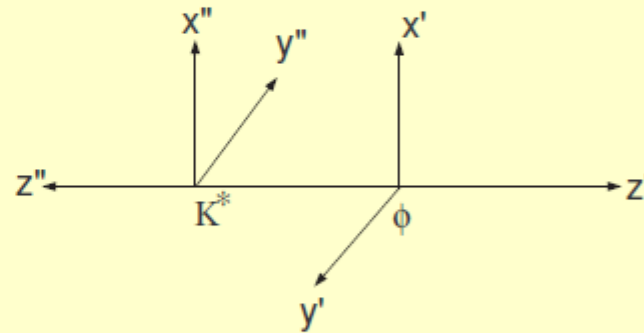
$$\varepsilon_{V_1}^{\mu}(\pm 1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (0, \mp 1, +i, 0), \quad \varepsilon_{V_2}^{\mu}(\pm 1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (0, \mp 1, -i, 0)$$

(ii) Transverse basis: If choosing  $\varepsilon_{V_2}^T = (0, 1, 0, 0)$ , then  $\varepsilon_{V_1}^T$  can be decomposed in  $(0, 1, 0, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, -1, 0)$  directions.

## Jacob-Wick convention



## Jackson convention



In the Jackson convention:

$$\overline{A}_0^{SM} \propto f_\phi m_B^2 \zeta_{\parallel},$$

$$\overline{A}_{\parallel}^{SM} \propto -\sqrt{2} f_\phi m_\phi m_B \zeta_{\perp},$$

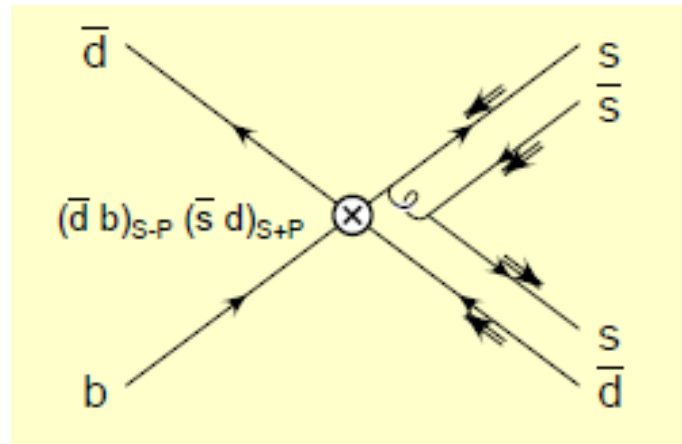
$$\overline{A}_{\perp}^{SM} \propto -\sqrt{2} f_\phi m_\phi m_B \zeta_{\perp},$$

# Scenario with the SM

# Annihilation

In SM, two effects are important:

■ Annihilation  $H_{00}: H_{--}: H_{++} = \frac{1}{m_b^2} \ln^2 \frac{m_b}{\Lambda} : \frac{1}{m_b^2} \ln^2 \frac{m_b}{\Lambda} : \frac{1}{m_b^4}$  (Kagan, 04)



Annihilation topology:  $\Rightarrow$  overall  $1/m_b$

Helicity-flips:  $\Rightarrow$   $1/m_b$

Parametrization  $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x} = \ln \frac{m_B}{\Lambda} (1 + \rho_A e^{i\phi_A})$



## B → K\* φ (without annihilation)

$$\mathcal{A}_{\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K}^* \phi}^h \approx V_c (\alpha_3^h + \alpha_4^{c,h} + \beta_3^h - \frac{1}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^h) X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^h.$$

$$\alpha_3 = \mathbf{a}_3 + \mathbf{a}_5, \quad \alpha_4 = \mathbf{a}_4 - r_\chi^\phi \mathbf{a}_6, \quad \alpha_{3,EW} = \mathbf{a}_9 + \mathbf{a}_7, \quad \beta_3 = \text{penguin ann}$$

$$X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^h = \langle \phi | J_\mu | 0 \rangle \langle \bar{K}^* | J^\mu | B \rangle, \quad |X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^0| : |X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^-| : |X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^+| = 1 : 0.35 : 0.007$$

	h=0		h=-			h=0		h=-	
$\alpha_3(K^* \phi)$	<u>0.005</u>	- 0.001i	<u>-0.004</u>	- 0.001i	$\alpha_{3,EW}(K^* \phi)$	<u>-0.009</u>	- 0.000i	<u>0.002</u>	- 0.000i
$\alpha_4^u(K^* \phi)$	<u>-0.022</u>	- 0.014i	<u>-0.047</u>	- 0.016i	$\alpha_4^c(K^* \phi)$	<u>-0.027</u>	- 0.014i	<u>-0.049</u>	- 0.006i

Coefficients are helicity dependent !

PRD,2008, Hai-Yang Cheng, KCY

$$\frac{\mathcal{A}^-}{\mathcal{A}^0} \Big|_{\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K}^* \phi} \approx \left( \frac{\alpha_3^- + \alpha_4^{c,-} - \frac{1}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^-}{\alpha_3^0 + \alpha_4^{c,0} - \frac{1}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^0} \right) \left( \frac{X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^-}{X_{\bar{K}^* \phi}^0} \right) \quad \text{with } \beta_3 = 0$$

constructive (destructive) interference in A<sup>-</sup> (A<sup>0</sup>) ⇒ f<sub>L</sub> ~ 0.58

NLO corrections alone will bring down f<sub>L</sub> significantly !

Br ~ 4.3 \* 10<sup>-6</sup> (without annihilation), too small compared with data

Although  $f_{\perp}$  is reduced to 60% level, polarization puzzle is not resolved as the predicted rate,  $BR \sim 4.3 \cdot 10^{-6}$ , is too small compared to the data,  $\sim 10 \cdot 10^{-6}$  for  $B \rightarrow K^* \phi$

$$P^c = [a_4^c + r_{\chi} a_6^c]_{SD} + \underbrace{\beta_3^c}_{\text{penguin annihilation}} + \dots$$

■ Br &  $f_{\perp}$  are fit by adjusting  $\Rightarrow \rho_A \simeq 0.65, \phi_A \simeq -53^{\circ}$

Decay	$\mathcal{B}$		$f_L$		$f_{\perp}$	
	Theory	Expt	Theory	Expt	Theory	Expt
$B^- \rightarrow K^{*-} \phi^c$	$10.0^{+1.4+12.3}_{-1.3-6.1}$	$10.0 \pm 1.1$	$0.49^{+0.51}_{-0.42}$	$0.50 \pm 0.05$	$0.25^{+0.21}_{-0.25}$	$0.20 \pm 0.05$
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} \phi$	$9.5^{+1.3+11.9}_{-1.2-5.9}$	$9.5 \pm 0.8$	$0.50^{+0.50}_{-0.42}$	$0.484 \pm 0.034$	$0.25^{+0.21}_{-0.25}$	$0.256 \pm 0.032$

$$f_{\parallel} \doteq f_{\perp} \doteq 0.25$$

Parameter	$h = 0$	$h = -$	Parameter	$h = 0$	$h = -$
$\alpha_1(\rho K^*)$	$0.96 + 0.02i$	$1.11 + 0.03i$	$\alpha_{3,EW}(K^*\rho)$	$-0.009 - 0.000i$	$0.005 - 0.000i$
$\alpha_2(K^*\rho)$	$0.28 - 0.08i$	$-0.17 - 0.17i$	$\alpha_{4,EW}(K^*\rho)$	$-0.002 + 0.001i$	$0.001 + 0.001i$
$\alpha_4^u(\rho K^*)$	$-0.022 - 0.014i$	$-0.048 - 0.016i$	$\beta_3(\rho K^*)$	$0.015 - 0.020i$	$-0.012 + 0.016i$
$\alpha_4^c(\rho K^*)$	$-0.026 - 0.014i$	$-0.050 - 0.006i$			

$$\frac{\mathcal{A}^-}{\mathcal{A}^0} \Big|_{\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} \rho^0} \approx \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_4^{c,-} - \frac{3}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^- \\ \alpha_4^{c,0} - \frac{3}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_{\bar{K}^* \rho}^- \\ X_{\bar{K}^* \rho}^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{A}^-}{\mathcal{A}^0} \Big|_{B^- \rightarrow K^{*-} \rho^0} \approx \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_4^{c,-} + \frac{3}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^- \\ \alpha_4^{c,0} + \frac{3}{2} \alpha_{3,EW}^0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X_{\bar{K}^* \rho}^- \\ X_{\bar{K}^* \rho}^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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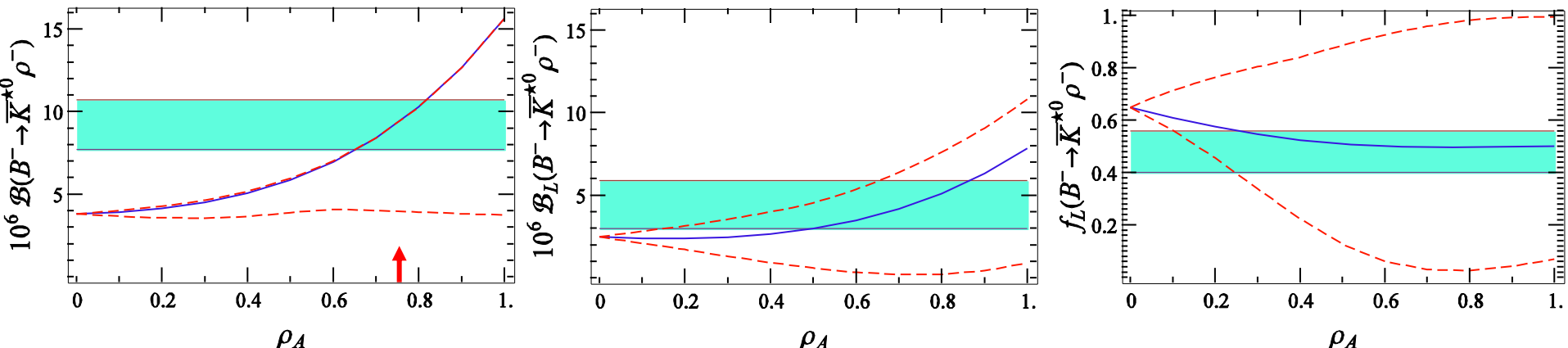
with  $\beta_3=0$

$\Rightarrow f_L(K^{*-} \rho^0) = 0.96, f_L(\bar{K}^{*0} \rho^0) = 0.47$  (=0.91 if  $a_i^h$  are helicity indep)

Decay	Expt		(i)	
	$\mathcal{B}$	$f_L$	$\mathcal{B}$	$f_L$
$B^- \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} \rho^-$	<u><math>9.2 \pm 1.5</math></u>	$0.48 \pm 0.08$	<u>3.8</u>	0.78
$B^- \rightarrow K^{*-} \rho^0$	$< 6.1$	$0.96^{+0.06}_{-0.16}$	3.6	<u>0.96</u>
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^{*-} \rho^+$	$< 12$	—	3.6	0.84
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} \rho^0$	<u><math>5.6 \pm 1.6</math></u>	<u><math>0.57 \pm 0.12</math></u>	<u>1.1</u>	<u>0.47</u>

Without Annihilation

But, the predicted rates for  $K^{*-} \rho^0$  &  $\bar{K}^{*0} \rho^0$  are too small !



Choose  $K^{*0}\rho^-$  as an input, a fit to BR and  $f_L$  yields  $\rho_A \approx 0.78$ ,  $\phi_A \approx -43^\circ$ , slightly different from the ones  $\rho_A \approx 0.65$ ,  $\phi_A \approx -53^\circ$  inferred from  $B \rightarrow K^*\phi$

Process dependent

Decay	$B$		$f_L$		$f_\perp$	
	Theory	Expt	Theory	Expt	Theory	Expt
$B^- \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0}\rho^-$ <sup>a</sup>	$9.2^{+1.2+3.6}_{-1.1-5.4}$	$9.2 \pm 1.5$	$0.48^{+0.52}_{-0.40}$	$0.48 \pm 0.08$	$0.26^{+0.20}_{-0.26}$	
$B^- \rightarrow K^{*-}\rho^0$	$5.5^{+0.6+1.3}_{-0.5-2.5}$	$< 6.1$	$0.67^{+0.31}_{-0.48}$	$0.96^{+0.06}_{-0.16}$ <sup>b</sup>	$0.16^{+0.24}_{-0.15}$	
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^{*-}\rho^+$	$8.9^{+1.1+4.8}_{-1.0-5.5}$	$< 12$	$0.53^{+0.45}_{-0.32}$		$0.24^{+0.16}_{-0.22}$	
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0}\rho^0$	$4.6^{+0.6+3.5}_{-0.5-3.5}$	$3.4 \pm 1.0$	$0.39^{+0.60}_{-0.31}$	$0.57 \pm 0.12$	$0.30^{+0.15}_{-0.30}$	

$K^*\rho^0$  was contaminated by  $K^*f_0(980)$  in previous 2003 measurement of  $f_L(K^*\rho^0)$ .  
BaBar measurement (2006) of  $f_L=0.9 \pm 0.2$  has only 2.5 significance

$$f_L(K^{*-}\rho^0) > f_L(K^{*-}\rho^+) > f_L(\bar{K}^{*0}\rho^-) > f_L(\bar{K}^{*0}\rho^0)$$

## Tree-dominated VV modes

Decay	$\mathcal{B}$		$f_L$		$f_\perp$	
	Theory	Expt	Theory	Expt	Theory	Expt
$B^- \rightarrow \rho^- \rho^0$	$20.0^{+4.0+2.0}_{-1.9-0.9}$	$24.0^{+1.9}_{-2.0}$	$0.96^{+0.02}_{-0.02}$	$0.950 \pm 0.016$	$0.02 \pm 0.01$	
$\overline{B}^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$	$25.5^{+1.5+2.4}_{-2.6-1.5}$	$24.2^{+3.1}_{-3.2}$	$0.92^{+0.01}_{-0.02}$	$0.978^{+0.025}_{-0.022}$	$0.04^{+0.01}_{-0.00}$	
$\overline{B}^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0$	$0.9^{+1.5+1.1}_{-0.4-0.2}$	$0.73^{+0.27}_{-0.28}$	$0.92^{+0.06}_{-0.36}$	$0.75^{+0.12}_{-0.15}$	$0.04^{+0.14}_{-0.03}$	
$B^- \rightarrow \rho^- \omega$	$19.2^{+3.3+1.7}_{-1.6-1.0}$	$15.9 \pm 2.1$	$0.96^{+0.02}_{-0.02}$	$0.90 \pm 0.06$	$0.02 \pm 0.01$	
$\overline{B}^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \omega$	$0.1^{+0.1+0.4}_{-0.1-0.0}$	$< 1.5$	$0.55^{+0.47}_{-0.29}$		$0.22^{+0.16}_{-0.23}$	

- Longitudinal amplitude dominates tree-dominated decays except for  $\rho^0 \omega$
- Predicted  $B \rightarrow \rho\rho, \omega\rho$  rates agree with the data.

H.Y. Cheng & KCY, PRD, 2008 vs. data (2010)

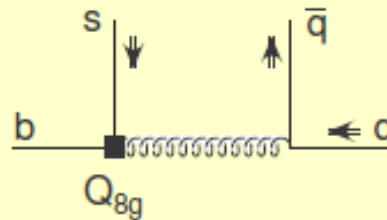
Central values correspond to  $\rho_A = \phi_A = 0$

# Scenario with New Physics

## New Physics: Color Dipole Operator?

Possible NP effects to chromomagnetic dipole operator:

$$O_{8g} = \frac{g_s}{8\pi^2} m_b \bar{s} \sigma^{\mu\nu} (1 + \gamma_5) T^a b G_{\mu\nu}^a,$$



$$G_{8g}^0 = -2 \int_0^1 du \frac{\Phi_{\parallel}^V(u)}{1-u},$$

$$G_{8g}^{\pm} = \int_0^1 \frac{du}{\bar{u}} \left[ \int_0^u \left( \Phi_{\parallel}^V(v) - g_{\perp}^{(v)}(v) \right) dv - \bar{u} g_{\perp}^{(v)}(u) \mp \frac{\bar{u}}{4} \frac{g_{\perp}^{(a)}(u)}{du} + \frac{g_{\perp}^{(a)}(u)}{4} \right] = 0$$

by P.Das, KCY, PRD71,094002(2005); confirmed by A.Kagan.

✘ NP gives no contribution via chromomagnetic dipole operator

Helicity conservation requires that the outgoing  $s$  and  $\bar{s}$  arising from  $s - \bar{s} - n$  gluons vertex have *opposite helicities*. The transversely polarized amplitudes should be suppressed as  $\bar{H}_{00} : \bar{H}_{--} : \bar{H}_{++} \sim \mathcal{O}(1) : \mathcal{O}(1/m_b) : \mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$ ; otherwise the results will violate the angular momentum conservation.

Rechecked recently by Y.D.Yang et.al., hep-ph/0411211 v2, but  $G_{8g}^- \neq 0$ ? (Still no help)

## New Physics: Right-handed currents?

✘ Could NP of Right-handed currents explain the  $\phi K^*$  data?

Contributions from right-handed current

$$\propto \langle \bar{K}^* | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 + \gamma_5) b | \bar{B} \rangle \langle \phi | s \gamma^\mu (1 \mp \gamma_5) s | 0 \rangle = \langle \bar{K}^* | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 + \gamma_5) b | \bar{B} \rangle \langle \phi | s \gamma^\mu s | 0 \rangle$$

compared with the SM result

$$\propto \langle \bar{K}^* | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) b | \bar{B} \rangle \langle \phi | s \gamma^\mu s | 0 \rangle$$

■ If the right-handed currents contribute constructively to  $\bar{A}_\perp$ , they become destructively to  $\bar{A}_{0,\parallel}$ , vice versa.

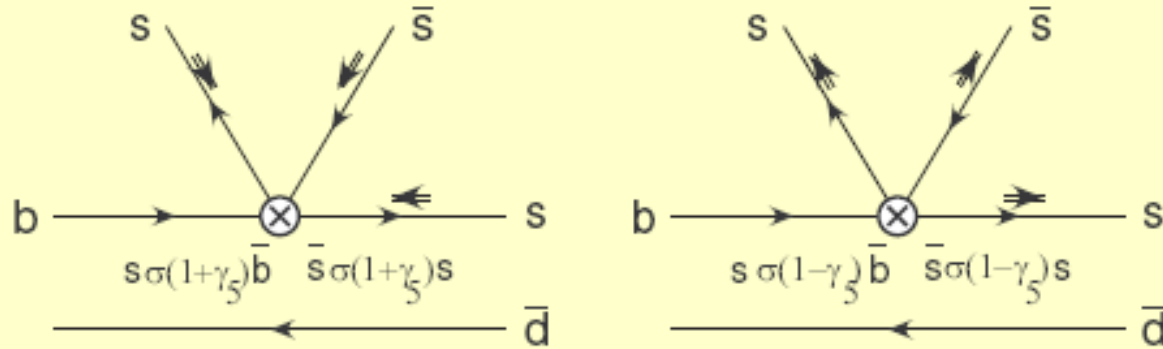
■ Choosing  $|\bar{A}_\perp / \bar{A}_0|^2 \approx 1/2$  to account for the data, however the resulting  $|\bar{A}_\parallel|^2 \ll |\bar{A}_\perp|^2$  will be in contrast to the recent observations

✘ Answer is “NO”.

✘ We do not consider NP of left-handed currents,  $\bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) b \bar{s} \gamma^\mu (1 \mp \gamma_5) s$ , which give corrections to SM Wilson coefficients since they have no help for understanding large polarized amplitudes



# Possible New Physics



$$\otimes \bar{s} \sigma^{\mu\nu} (1 + \gamma_5) b \bar{s} \sigma_{\mu\nu} (1 + \gamma_5) s, \bar{s} (1 + \gamma_5) b \bar{s} (1 + \gamma_5) s$$

$$\bar{H}_{00} : \bar{H}_{--} : \bar{H}_{++} \sim \mathcal{O}(1/m_b) : \mathcal{O}(1) : \mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$$

$$\otimes \bar{s} \sigma^{\mu\nu} (1 - \gamma_5) b \bar{s} \sigma_{\mu\nu} (1 - \gamma_5) s, \bar{s} (1 - \gamma_5) b \bar{s} (1 - \gamma_5) s$$

$$\bar{H}_{00} : \bar{H}_{--} : \bar{H}_{++} \sim \mathcal{O}(1/m_b) : \mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2) : \mathcal{O}(1)$$

TENSOR operators can be related to the SCALAR operators by Fierz transformation.

Phys. Rev. D71, 094002 (2005), KCY& Das

See also works by C.S. Kim, Y.D. Yang; Alex Kagan

Table 2: Possible NP operators and their candidacy in satisfying the anomaly resolution criteria. We have adopted the convention  $\Gamma_1 \otimes \Gamma_2 \equiv \bar{s}\Gamma_1 b \bar{s}\Gamma_2 s$ .

Model	Operators	$H_{00}$	$H_{--}$	$H_{++}$	Choice
SM	$\gamma^\mu(1 - \gamma_5) \otimes \gamma_\mu(1 \mp \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	
NP	$\gamma^\mu(1 + \gamma_5) \otimes \gamma_\mu(1 + \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	N
NP	$\gamma^\mu(1 + \gamma_5) \otimes \gamma_\mu(1 - \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	N
NP	$(1 + \gamma_5) \otimes (1 + \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	Y
NP	$(1 - \gamma_5) \otimes (1 - \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	Y
NP	$(1 + \gamma_5) \otimes (1 - \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	N
NP	$(1 - \gamma_5) \otimes (1 + \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	N
NP	$\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma_5) \otimes \sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	Y
NP	$\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma_5) \otimes \sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	Y
NP	$\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma_5) \otimes \sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	N
NP	$\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma_5) \otimes \sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma_5)$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b)$	$\mathcal{O}(1/m_b^2)$	N

## (pseudo-)scalar-type operators

$$\begin{aligned} O_{15} &= \bar{s}(1 + \gamma^5)b \bar{s}(1 + \gamma^5)s, & O_{16} &= \bar{s}_\alpha(1 + \gamma^5)b_\beta \bar{s}_\beta(1 + \gamma^5)s_\alpha, \\ O_{17} &= \bar{s}(1 - \gamma^5)b \bar{s}(1 - \gamma^5)s, & O_{18} &= \bar{s}_\alpha(1 - \gamma^5)b_\beta s \bar{s}_\beta(1 - \gamma^5)s_\alpha, \end{aligned}$$

## tensor-type operators

$$\begin{aligned} O_{23} &= \bar{s}\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma^5)b \bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma^5)s, & O_{24} &= \bar{s}_\alpha\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma^5)b_\beta \bar{s}_\beta\sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 + \gamma^5)s_\alpha, \\ O_{25} &= \bar{s}\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma^5)b \bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma^5)s, & O_{26} &= \bar{s}_\alpha\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma^5)b_\beta \bar{s}_\beta\sigma_{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma^5)s_\alpha. \end{aligned}$$

By Fierz transformation


$$\begin{aligned} O_{15} &= \frac{1}{12}O_{23} - \frac{1}{6}O_{24}, & O_{16} &= \frac{1}{12}O_{24} - \frac{1}{6}O_{23} \\ O_{17} &= \frac{1}{12}O_{25} - \frac{1}{6}O_{26}, & O_{18} &= \frac{1}{12}O_{26} - \frac{1}{6}O_{25} \end{aligned}$$

Can only (pseudo-)scalar-type operators explain the data?

Answer: NO

In the minimal supersymmetric standard model (MSSM), such scalar/pseudoscalar operators can be induced by the penguin diagrams of neutral-Higgs bosons.

A combined analysis of the decays  $B \rightarrow K \eta^{(\prime)}$ ,  $\phi K^*$  decays shows that the NP effects only due to (pseudo-)scalar-type operators is much smaller.

 consistent with the data for  $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

## Looking for clean evidence for annihilations and new physics

Why do we study  $h_1(1380)K^*$ ?

Reasons:

- ◆  $B \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^*$  is a factorization forbidden process.
- for  $h_1$ ,  $I^G(J^{PC}) = ?^-(1^{+-})$ , the charge conjugate (or say G-parity) of which does not match with the axial current; the quark content is  $\bar{s}s$  suggested in the QCD sum rule calculation.
- In SM, the leading term in the amplitude is  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$ : QCD corrections to the vertex, spectator scattering, penguin, spectator, annihilation.
  - local axial vector current  $\Rightarrow$  non-local axial vector current
  - the DA defined by the non-local axial vector current is antisymmetric under the exchange of  $s$  and  $\bar{s}$ .

NPB,2007; JHEP,2005, KCY

- ◆ the tensor current can couple to  $h_1$  with non-vanishing coupling constant.  
Sensitive to NEW PHYSICS

PRD, 2005, KCY

# Comparison for new-physics amplitude

$\bar{B} \rightarrow h_1(1380)\bar{K}^*$

$$\bar{A}_0^{NP} \simeq 4 \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} f_{h_1}^T m_B m_{h_1} [\tilde{a}_{23} \oplus \tilde{a}_{25}] \zeta_{\parallel},$$

$$\bar{A}_{\parallel}^{NP} \simeq -4 \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{2} f_{h_1}^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} \oplus \tilde{a}_{25}) \zeta_{\perp},$$

$$\bar{A}_{\perp}^{NP} \simeq -4 \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{2} f_{h_1}^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} \ominus \tilde{a}_{25}) \zeta_{\perp},$$

$\bar{B} \rightarrow \phi\bar{K}^*$

$$\bar{A}_0^{NP} \simeq -4i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} f_{\phi}^T m_B m_{\phi} [\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}] \zeta_{\parallel},$$

$$\bar{A}_{\parallel}^{NP} \simeq 4i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{2} f_{\phi}^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}) \zeta_{\perp},$$

$$\bar{A}_{\perp}^{NP} \simeq 4i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{2} f_{\phi}^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} + \tilde{a}_{25}) \zeta_{\perp},$$

# SM with annihilations

Mode	$\mathcal{B}$	$f_L$
$B^- \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^{*-}$	$8.1^{+4.0+21.3}_{-2.8-6.6}$	$0.87^{+0.13}_{-0.75}$
	$3.7^{+2.0+7.8}_{-1.3-2.2}$	$0.88^{+0.12}_{-0.53}$
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow h_1(1380)\bar{K}^{*0}$	$8.3^{+4.4+21.8}_{-2.9-6.9}$	$0.88^{+0.12}_{-0.80}$
	$3.9^{+1.9+8.3}_{-1.3-2.6}$	$0.88^{+0.12}_{-0.64}$

# NP scenario

New physics	Process	$BR_{tot}$	$BR_{\parallel}$	$BR_{\perp}$
Scenario 1: $\tilde{a}_{25}$	$B^- \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^{*-}$	$15.3 \pm 4.0$	$3.4 \pm 1.5$	$2.0 \pm 1.0$
	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^{*0}$	$14.5 \pm 4.0$	$3.2 \pm 1.5$	$2.0 \pm 1.0$
Scenario 2: $\tilde{a}_{23}$	$B^- \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^{*-}$	$9.1 \pm 2.0$	$2.1 \pm 0.5$	$2.0 \pm 0.5$
	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^{*0}$	$8.5 \pm 2.0$	$2.0 \pm 0.5$	$1.8 \pm 0.5$

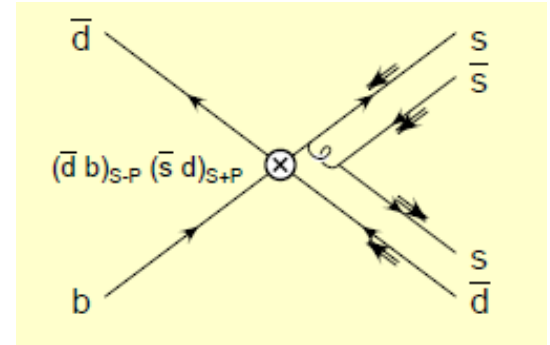
New physics can be distinguishable



$f_L \sim 0.4-0.5$

## Annihilation contributions (and $f_{\perp}$ ) are highly related to

- (i)  $\Phi_{\perp}^{1^3P_1}$  for  $B \rightarrow f_1 K^*, a_1 K^*$   
 (ii)  $\Phi_{\parallel}^{1^1P_1}$  for  $B \rightarrow h_1 K^*, b_1 K^*$



$$A_3^{f,0}(V^3P_1) \approx 18\pi\alpha_s(2X_A^0 - 1) \left[ a_1^{\perp, 3P_1} r_{\chi}^{3P_1} (X_A^0 - 3) - r_{\chi}^V (X_A^0 - 2) \right]$$

$$A_3^{f,-}(V^3P_1) \approx -18\pi\alpha_s(2X_A^- - 3) \times \left[ \frac{m_{3P_1}}{m_V} r_{\chi}^V (X_A^- - 1) - 3a_1^{\perp, 3P_1} \frac{m_V}{m_{3P_1}} r_{\chi}^{3P_1} (X_A^- - 2) \right]$$

$$A_3^{f,0}(V^1P_1) \approx 18\pi\alpha_s(X_A^0 - 2) \left[ r_{\chi}^{1P_1} (2X_A^0 - 1) - a_1^{\parallel, 1P_1} r_{\chi}^V (6X_A^0 - 11) \right]$$

$$A_3^{f,-}(V^1P_1) \approx -18\pi\alpha_s(X_A^- - 1) \times \left[ -\frac{m_V}{m_{1P_1}} r_{\chi}^{1P_1} (2X_A^- - 3) + a_1^{\parallel, 1P_1} \frac{m_{1P_1}}{m_V} r_{\chi}^V \left( 2X_A^- - \frac{17}{3} \right) \right]$$



$B \rightarrow {}^3P_1 \quad V$ 

## SM with annihilations

 $B \rightarrow {}^1P_1 \quad V$ 

Mode	Br	$f_L$	CMV	Mode	Br	$f_L$	CMV
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^+ \rho^-$	$23.9_{-9.2-0.4}^{+10.5+3.2}$	$(0.82_{-0.13}^{+0.05})$	4.3	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^+ \rho^-$	$32.1_{-14.7-4.6}^{+16.5+12.0}$	$(0.96_{-0.02}^{+0.01})$	1.6
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^- \rho^+$	$36.0_{-4.0-0.7}^{+3.5+3.5}$	$(0.84_{-0.06}^{+0.02})$	4.7	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^- \rho^+$	$0.6_{-0.3-0.2}^{+0.6+1.9}$	$(0.98_{-0.33}^{+0.00})$	0.55
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^0 \rho^0$	$1.2_{-0.7-0.3}^{+2.0+5.1}$	$(0.82_{-0.68}^{+0.06})$	0.01	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^0 \rho^0$	$3.2_{-2.0-0.4}^{+5.2+1.7}$	$(0.99_{-0.18}^{+0.00})$	0.002
$B^- \rightarrow a_1^0 \rho^-$	$17.8_{-6.4-0.2}^{+10.1+3.1}$	$(0.91_{-0.10}^{+0.03})$	2.4	$B^- \rightarrow b_1^0 \rho^-$	$29.1_{-10.6-5.9}^{+16.2+5.4}$	$(0.96_{-0.06}^{+0.01})$	0.86
$B^- \rightarrow a_1^- \rho^0$	$23.2_{-2.9-0.1}^{+3.6+4.8}$	$(0.89_{-0.18}^{+0.11})$	3.0	$B^- \rightarrow b_1^- \rho^0$	$0.9_{-0.6-0.5}^{+1.7+2.6}$	$(0.90_{-0.38}^{+0.05})$	0.36
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^0 \omega$	$0.2_{-0.1-0.0}^{+0.1+0.4}$	$(0.75_{-0.65}^{+0.11})$	0.003	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^0 \omega$	$0.1_{-0.0-0.0}^{+0.2+1.6}$	$(0.04_{-0.00}^{+0.96})$	0.004
$B^- \rightarrow a_1^- \omega$	$22.5_{-2.7-0.7}^{+3.4+3.0}$	$(0.88_{-0.14}^{+0.10})$	2.2	$B^- \rightarrow b_1^- \omega$	$0.8_{-0.5-0.3}^{+1.4+3.1}$	$(0.91_{-0.33}^{+0.07})$	0.38
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^0 \phi$	$0.002_{-0.001-0.000}^{+0.002+0.009}$	$(0.94_{-0.69}^{+0.00})$	0.0005	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^0 \phi$	$0.01_{-0.00-0.00}^{+0.01+0.01}$	$(0.98_{-0.33}^{+0.01})$	0.0002
$B^- \rightarrow a_1^- \phi$	$0.01_{-0.00-0.00}^{+0.01+0.04}$	$(0.94_{-0.69}^{+0.01})$	0.001	$B^- \rightarrow b_1^- \phi$	$0.02_{-0.01-0.00}^{+0.02+0.03}$	$(0.98_{-0.33}^{+0.01})$	0.0004
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^+ K^{*-}$	$10.6_{-4.0-8.1}^{+5.7+31.7}$	$(0.37_{-0.29}^{+0.39})$	0.92	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^+ K^{*-}$	$12.5_{-3.7-9.0}^{+4.7+20.1}$	$(0.82_{-0.41}^{+0.18})$	0.32
$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow a_1^0 \bar{K}^{*0}$	$4.2_{-1.9-4.2}^{+2.8+15.5}$	$(0.23_{-0.19}^{+0.45})$	0.64	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^0 \bar{K}^{*0}$	$6.4_{-1.7-4.8}^{+2.4+8.8}$	$(0.79_{-0.73}^{+0.21})$	0.15
$B^- \rightarrow a_1^- \bar{K}^{*0}$	$11.2_{-4.4-9.0}^{+6.1+31.9}$	$(0.37_{-0.37}^{+0.48})$	0.51	$B^- \rightarrow b_1^- \bar{K}^{*0}$	$12.8_{-3.8-9.6}^{+5.0+20.1}$	$(0.79_{-0.74}^{+0.21})$	0.18
$B^- \rightarrow a_1^0 K^{*-}$	$7.8_{-2.5-4.3}^{+3.2+16.3}$	$(0.52_{-0.42}^{+0.41})$	0.86	$B^- \rightarrow b_1^0 K^{*-}$	$7.0_{-2.0-4.8}^{+2.6+12.0}$	$(0.82_{-0.26}^{+0.16})$	0.12

■  $\text{Br}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^+ \rho^-) \gg \text{Br}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow b_1^- \rho^+)$ ; BaBar:  $\text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow a_{1\pm} \rho^\mp) < 61 \cdot 10^{-6}$  (2006);

■  $\text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow b_{1\pm} \pi^\mp) = (10.9 \pm 1.5) \cdot 10^{-6}$ ;  $\text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow b_{1\pm} \rho^\mp) < 1.4 \cdot 10^{-6}$  ?

it is expected that  $b_{1^+} \rho^- \sim b_{1^+} \pi^-$  ( $f_\rho/f_\pi$ )<sup>2</sup>  $\sim 32 \cdot 10^{-6}$

■  $a_1 K^*$  modes are dominated by transverse amplitudes (we use  $\rho_A = 0.65$  &  $\phi_A = -53^\circ$ ) 25

## SM results

$$f_L(b_1K^*) > f_L(\rho K^*) > f_L(a_1K^*)$$

if  $\rho_A = 0.65$  and  $\phi_A = -53^\circ$  for  $VA$  modes

$$f_L(b_1K^*) > f_L(a_1K^*) > f_L(\rho K^*)$$

if neglecting the penguin annihilation for  $VA$

# Two-body decays involving a tensor meson

# Light-cone distribution amplitudes for a tensor meson

## chiral-even

$$\langle T(P, \lambda) | \bar{q}_1(y) \gamma_\mu q_2(x) | 0 \rangle = -i f_T m_T^2 \int_0^1 du e^{i(uPy + \bar{u}Px)} \left\{ P_\mu \frac{\epsilon_{\alpha\beta}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha z^\beta}{(Pz)^2} \Phi_{\parallel}^T(u) + \left( \frac{\epsilon_{\mu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha}{Pz} - P_\mu \frac{\epsilon_{\beta\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} z^\beta z^\alpha}{(Pz)^2} \right) g_v(u) - \frac{1}{2} z_\mu \frac{\epsilon_{\alpha\beta}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha z^\beta}{(Pz)^3} m_T^2 \bar{g}_3(u) + \mathcal{O}(z^2) \right\},$$

$$\langle T(P, \lambda) | \bar{q}_1(y) \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q_2(x) | 0 \rangle = -i f_T m_T^2 \int_0^1 du e^{i(uPy + \bar{u}Px)} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} z^\nu P^\alpha \epsilon_{(\lambda)}^{*\beta\delta} z^\delta \frac{1}{2Pz} g_a(u)$$

## chiral-odd

$$\langle T(P, \lambda) | \bar{q}_1(y) \sigma_{\mu\nu} q_2(x) | 0 \rangle = -f_T^\perp m_T \int_0^1 du e^{i(uPy + \bar{u}Px)} \left\{ \left[ \epsilon_{\mu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha P_\nu - \epsilon_{\nu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha P_\mu \right] \frac{1}{Pz} \Phi_{\perp}^T(u) + (P_\mu z_\nu - P_\nu z_\mu) \frac{m_T^2 \epsilon_{\alpha\beta}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha z^\beta}{(Pz)^3} \bar{h}_t(u) + \frac{1}{2} \left[ \epsilon_{\mu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha z_\nu - \epsilon_{\nu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha z_\mu \right] \frac{m_T^2}{(Pz)^2} \bar{h}_3(u) + \mathcal{O}(z^2) \right\},$$

twist-2:  $\Phi_{\parallel}, \Phi_{\perp}$   
 twist-3:  $g_v, g_a, h_t, h_s$   
 twist-4:  $g_3, h_3$

$$\langle T(P, \lambda) | \bar{q}_1(y) q_2(x) | 0 \rangle = -f_T^\perp m_T^3 \int_0^1 du e^{i(uPy + \bar{u}Px)} \frac{\epsilon_{\alpha\beta}^{(\lambda)*} z^\alpha z^\beta}{2Pz} h_s(u)$$

Asymptotic form of chiral-even  
 DAs is first studied by Braun &  
 Kivel ('01)

# ${}^3P_2$ tensor meson

Due to  $G$ -parity,  $\Phi_{\perp}$ ,  $h_{\parallel}^{(t)}$ ,  $h_{\parallel}^{(p)}$ ,  $\Phi_{\parallel}$ ,  $g_{\perp}^{(v)}$ ,  $g_{\perp}^{(a)}$  are antisymmetric with the replacement  $u \rightarrow 1-u$  in  $SU(3)$  limit

$$\int_0^1 du \Phi_{\parallel}(u) = \int_0^1 du g_{\perp}^{(a)}(u) = \int_0^1 du g_{\perp}^{(v)}(u) = \int_0^1 du g_3(u) = 0$$

$$\Phi_{\parallel,\perp}^T(u, \mu) = 6u(1-u) \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} a_{\ell}^{(\parallel,\perp),T}(\mu) C_{\ell}^{3/2}(2u-1),$$

$C_i^{3/2}$ : Gegenbauer polynomial

$$\Phi_{\parallel,\perp}(u) \simeq 6u(1-u)(2u-1) a_1^{\parallel,\perp}$$

**twist-2:  $\Phi_{\parallel}, \Phi_{\perp}$**

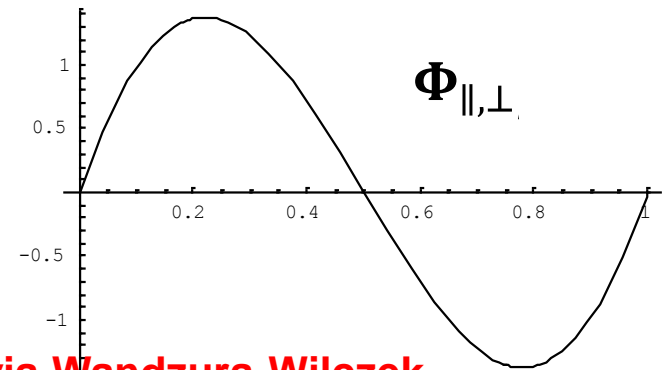
**twist-3:  $g_{\perp}^{(v)}, g_{\perp}^{(a)}, h_{\perp}^{(t)}, h_{\parallel}^{(p)}$  related to twist-2 ones via Wandzura-Wilczek relations (neglecting 3-parton distributions)**

$$g_v^{WW}(u) = \int_0^u dv \frac{\Phi_{\parallel}^T(v)}{\bar{v}} + \int_u^1 dv \frac{\Phi_{\parallel}^T(v)}{v},$$

$$g_a^{WW}(u) = 2\bar{u} \int_0^u dv \frac{\Phi_{\parallel}^T(v)}{\bar{v}} + 2u \int_u^1 dv \frac{\Phi_{\parallel}^T(v)}{v},$$

$$h_t^{WW}(u) = \frac{3}{2}(2u-1) \left( \int_0^u dv \frac{\Phi_{\perp}^T(v)}{\bar{v}} - \int_u^1 dv \frac{\Phi_{\perp}^T(v)}{v} \right)$$

$$h_s^{WW}(u) = 3 \left( \bar{u} \int_0^u dv \frac{\Phi_{\perp}^T(v)}{\bar{v}} + u \int_u^1 dv \frac{\Phi_{\perp}^T(v)}{v} \right).$$



# Decay constants

- Tensor meson cannot be produced from local V-A current owing

to  $\varepsilon_{\mu\nu}\mathbf{p}^\nu=0$   $\langle T(p, \lambda) | V_\mu, A_\mu | 0 \rangle = 0$

- Can be created from local current involving covariant derivatives

$$\langle T(P, \lambda) | J_{\mu\nu}(0) | 0 \rangle = f_T m_T^2 \varepsilon_{\mu\nu}^{*(\lambda)},$$

$$\langle T(P, \lambda) | J_{\mu\nu\alpha}^\perp(0) | 0 \rangle = -i f_T^\perp m_T (\varepsilon_{\mu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} P_\nu - \varepsilon_{\nu\alpha}^{(\lambda)*} P_\mu),$$

with

$$J_{\mu\nu}(0) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \bar{q}_1(0) \gamma_{\mu i} \overleftrightarrow{D}_\nu q_2(0) + \bar{q}_1(0) \gamma_{\nu i} \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu q_2(0) \right)$$

$$J_{\mu\nu\alpha}^\perp(0) = \bar{q}_1(0) \sigma_{\mu\nu i} \overleftrightarrow{D}_\alpha q_2(0), \quad \text{Normalized with } a_1^\parallel = a_1^\perp = \frac{5}{3}$$

Previous estimates: Aliev & Shifman ('82); Aliev, Azizi, Bashiry ('10)

Based on QCD sum rules we obtain (Cheng, Koike, KCY, arXiv:1007.3526)

Light tensor mesons [40]

$T$	$f_T$ (MeV)	$f_T^\perp$ (MeV)
$f_2(1270)$	$102 \pm 6$	$117 \pm 25$
$f_2'(1525)$	$126 \pm 4$	$65 \pm 12$
$a_2(1320)$	$107 \pm 6$	$105 \pm 21$
$K_2^*(1430)$	$118 \pm 5$	$77 \pm 14$

# VT modes

Data from BaBar

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

Mode	$\mathcal{B}$	$f_L$		Mode	$\mathcal{B}$	$f_L$
$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K_2^*(1430)^+\omega)$	$21.5 \pm 4.3$	$0.56 \pm 0.11$		$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow K_2^*(1430)^0\omega)$	$10.1 \pm 2.3$	$0.45 \pm 0.12$
$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K_2^*(1430)^+\phi)$	$8.4 \pm 2.1$	$0.80 \pm 0.10$		$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow K_2^*(1430)^0\phi)$	$7.5 \pm 1.0$	$0.901^{+0.059}_{-0.069}$

$$K_2^*\omega = 0.05 \sim 0.1$$

$$K_2^*\phi = 2 \sim 9$$



Naïve factorization,

Kim, Lee & Oh, PRD (2003);

Munoz, Quintero, J.Phys.G (2009)

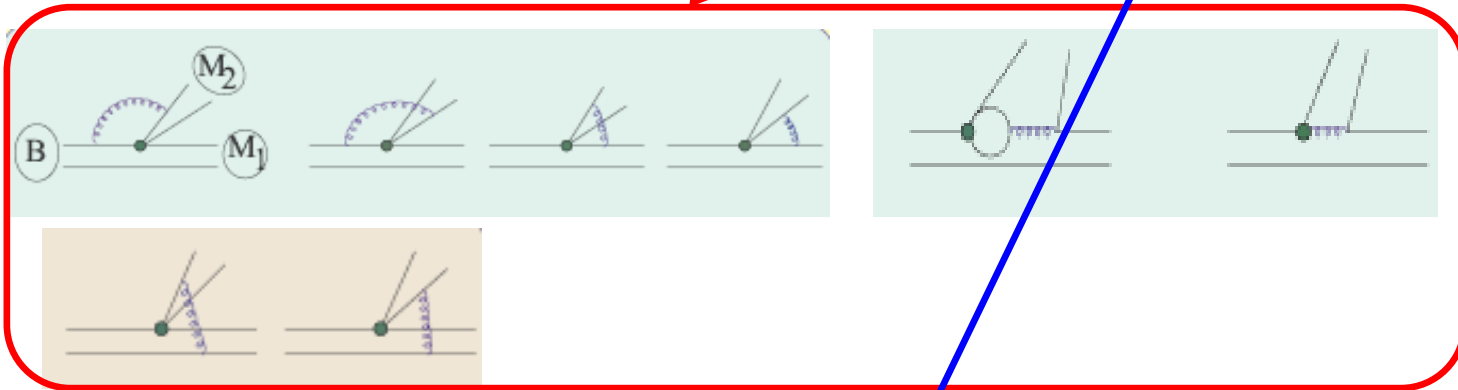
QCD factorization (without annihilation)  $K_2^*\omega \sim 0.2, K_2^*\phi = 3$ , too small

Within SM, to account for data,  
penguin annihilation is necessary

PRD83:034001,2011, Hai-Yang Cheng, KCY

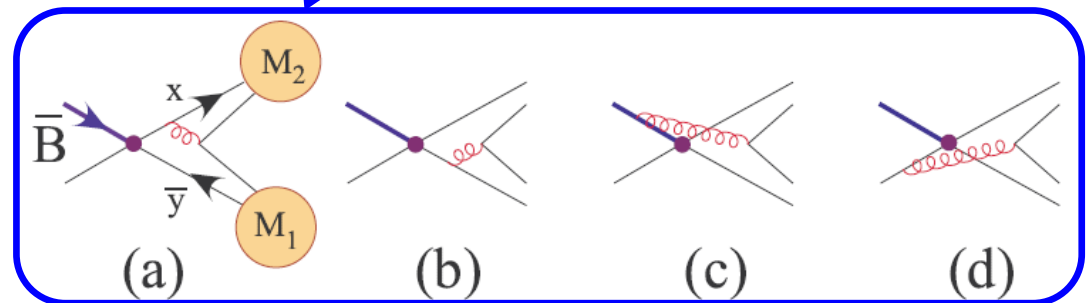
$$\sqrt{2}\mathcal{A}_{B^- \rightarrow K_2^{*-}\omega}^h \approx \sqrt{2}\mathcal{A}_{\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}_2^{*0}\omega}^h \approx \left\{ [\alpha_4^{p,h} + \beta_3^{p,h}] \bar{X}_h^{(\bar{B}\omega, \bar{K}_2^*)} + [2\alpha_3^{p,h}] X_h^{(\bar{B}K_2^*, \omega)} \right\}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{B^- \rightarrow K_2^{*-}\phi}^h \approx \mathcal{A}_{\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}_2^{*0}\phi}^h \approx [\alpha_3^{p,h} + \alpha_4^{p,h} + \beta_3^{p,h} + \beta_{3,EW}^{p,h}] X_h^{(\bar{B}K_2^*, \phi)}$$



Ann is dominated by

$$(M_1, M_2) = \begin{cases} (K_2^* \phi) \\ (\omega K_2^*) \end{cases}$$



To account for data, penguin annihilation is necessary

$$\neq \begin{cases} \rho_A^{TV} \simeq 0.65, \phi_A^{TV} \simeq -33^\circ, (K_2^* \phi) \text{ where } M_1 = T, M_2 = V \\ \rho_A^{VT} \simeq 1.20, \phi_A^{VT} \simeq -60^\circ, (\omega K_2^*) \text{ where } M_1 = V, M_2 = T \end{cases}$$

Process-dependent ?



# Polarization puzzle in $B \rightarrow K_2^* \phi$

$$f_L(K_2^{*+}\omega) = 0.56 \pm 0.11, \quad f_L(K_2^{*0}\omega) = 0.45 \pm 0.12,$$

BaBar

$$f_L(K_2^{*+}\phi) = 0.80 \pm 0.10, \quad f_L(K_2^{*0}\phi) = 0.901^{+0.059}_{-0.069}$$

Why is  $f_T/f_L \ll 1$  for  $B \rightarrow K_2^* \phi$  and  $f_T/f_L \sim 1$  for  $B \rightarrow K_2^* \omega$  ?

Why is that  $f_T$  behaves differently in  $K_2^* \phi$  and  $K^* \phi$  ?

In QCDF,  $f_L$  is very sensitive to the phase  $\phi_A^{TV}$  for  $B \rightarrow K_2^* \phi$ , but not so sensitive to  $\phi_A^{VT}$  for  $B \rightarrow K_2^* \omega$

$$f_L(K_2^* \phi) = 0.88, 0.72, 0.48 \quad \text{for } \phi_A^{TV} = -30^\circ, -45^\circ, -60^\circ,$$
$$f_L(K_2^* \omega) = 0.68, 0.66, 0.64 \quad \text{for } \phi_A^{VT} = -30^\circ, -45^\circ, -60^\circ$$

Rates & polarization fractions can be accommodated in QCDF

$$\rho_A^{TV} = 0.65, \quad \phi_A^{TV} = -33^\circ, \quad \rho_A^{VT} = 1.20, \quad \phi_A^{VT} = -60^\circ$$

but no dynamical explanation is offered

Fine-tuning!

# New Physics due to tensor currents

$$B \rightarrow K_2^* \phi$$

$$\overline{A}_0^{NP} = 4i f_\phi^T m_B^2 [\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}] [h_2 T_2(m_\phi^2) - h_3 T_3(m_\phi^2)] \frac{p_3}{m_{K_2^*}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\overline{A}_\parallel^{NP} = -4i \sqrt{2} f_\phi^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}) f_2 T_2(m_\phi^2) \frac{p_3}{m_{K_2^*}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\overline{A}_\perp^{NP} = -4i \sqrt{2} f_\phi^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} + \tilde{a}_{25}) f_1 T_1(m_\phi^2) \frac{p_3}{m_{K_2^*}} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Relatively smaller

Larger  $f_L$  compared with  $\phi K^*$

$$B \rightarrow K^* \phi$$

$$\overline{A}_0^{NP} = +4i f_\phi^T m_B^2 [\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}] [h_2 T_2(m_\phi^2) - h_3 T_3(m_\phi^2)]$$

$$\overline{A}_\parallel^{NP} = -4i \sqrt{2} f_\phi^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}) f_2 T_2(m_\phi^2),$$

$$\overline{A}_\perp^{NP} = -4i \sqrt{2} f_\phi^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} + \tilde{a}_{25}) f_1 T_1(m_\phi^2),$$

# NEW-PHYSICS CORRECTIONS TO $B \rightarrow \phi K_J^*$

$$\overline{A}_0^{NP} = 4i f_\phi^T m_B^2 [\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}] \left[ h_2 T_2(m_\phi^2) - h_3 T_3(m_\phi^2) \right] \left( \frac{p_3}{m_{K_2^*}} \right)^{J-1} \alpha_J^{(J)},$$

$$\overline{A}_\parallel^{NP} = -4i\sqrt{2} f_\phi^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} - \tilde{a}_{25}) f_2 T_2(m_\phi^2) \left( \frac{p_3}{m_{K_2^*}} \right)^{J-1} \beta_J^{(J)},$$

$$\overline{A}_\perp^{NP} = -4i\sqrt{2} f_\phi^T m_B^2 (\tilde{a}_{23} + \tilde{a}_{25}) f_1 T_1(m_\phi^2) \left( \frac{p_3}{m_{K_2^*}} \right)^{J-1} \beta_J^{(J)},$$

Larger J



$f_L \sim$  unchanged

TABLE II: The Clebsch-Gordan coefficients,  $\alpha_L^{(J)}$  and  $\beta_T^{(J)}$ , with  $J = 1, 2, \dots, 5$ .

$J$	1	2	3	4	5
$\alpha_L^{(J)}$	1	$\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{2}{5}}$	$2\sqrt{\frac{2}{35}}$	$\frac{2}{3}\sqrt{\frac{2}{7}}$
$\beta_T^{(J)}$	1	$\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$	$\frac{2}{\sqrt{15}}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{7}}$	$2\sqrt{\frac{2}{105}}$

# Conclusions

Possible solutions for polarization in  $B \rightarrow VV$  decays:

- ◆ In SM, we need large constructive annihilation corrections to the transverse amplitudes via the  $O_6 = -2\bar{d}(1 - \gamma_5)b \bar{s}(1 + \gamma_5)d$
- the annihilation corrections are only significant for penguin dominant processes  $\phi K^*, \rho K^*, \dots$

New physics solutions:

1. It is unlikely to explain data using color dipole operator and right-handed currents.
2. the only candidates are the tensor operators  
(Pure  $(S \pm P)(S \pm P)$  operators are unlikely)

Further information ( $b \rightarrow s \bar{s} s$ ) can be extracted from

$$B \rightarrow h_1(1380)K^*$$

$$B \rightarrow \phi K_2^*, \omega K_2^*$$

$$B \rightarrow \phi K_J^*$$