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Hadron FCNC decays with invisible particles in light of recent data

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Figure 1: Prof. Jusak Tandean and Dr. Geng Li

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Motivation

- Searching for the **dark matter** candidates on colliders;
- **Flavor-Changing Neutral Current (FCNC)** processes of **long-lived** hadrons:
 $c \rightarrow u, s \rightarrow d, b \rightarrow d(s)$;
- In the **SM**, undetected **neutrinos** contribute to **missing energy (MS)**;
- Experiments like **Belle (Belle II), BarBar, BES III, LHCb**, etc., and future colliders like **STCF, CEPC, FCC-ee**, etc., detect **invisible** decays via **missing energy/momentum**;
- **In light of recent data**, the Belle II first report an **anomaly of 2.8σ** in $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \bar{\nu}\nu$ on August 2023.

Motivation

For $s \rightarrow d$ transition,

$$\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{KOTO}} < 3.0 \times 10^{-9} \text{ at 90\% C.L.}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{SM}} = (3.4 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{NA62}} = (11.0_{-3.5}^{+4.0}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.3(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-11} \text{ at 68\% C.L.}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{E949}} = (17.3_{-10.5}^{+11.5}) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{SM}} = (8.4 \pm 1.0) \times 10^{-11}$$

For $c \rightarrow u$ transition,

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \bar{E})_{\text{Belle}} < 9.4 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{BES III}} < 2.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ at 90\% C.L.}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p \gamma')_{\text{BES III}} < 8.0 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{SM}} \sim 0 \text{ (Helicity suppress)}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{SM}} \sim 10^{-17} \text{ (GIM mechanism suppress)}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p \bar{\nu} \nu)_{\text{SM}} \sim 10^{-17} \text{ (GIM mechanism suppress)}$$

Motivation

For $b \rightarrow d$ transition, the Belle II first report an anomaly of 2.8σ in $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \bar{\nu} \nu$ on August 2023.

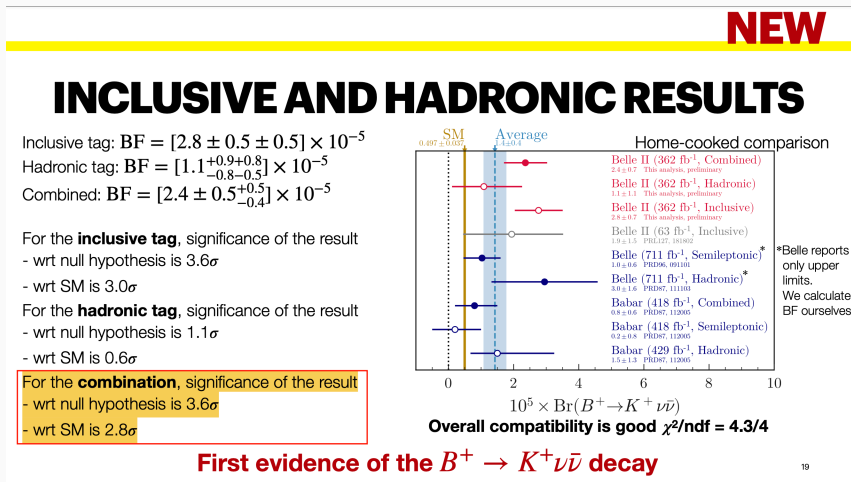


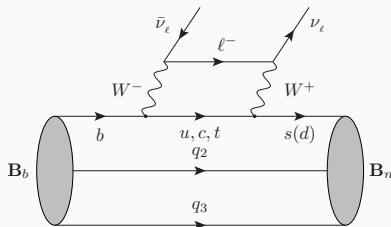
Figure 2: Recent report by Belle II.

Bottomed hadron with \bar{E}

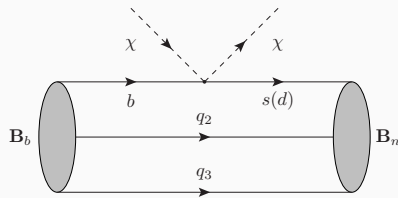
Experimental bounds

Table 1: The branching ratios (\mathcal{B}) (in units of 10^{-6}) of B decays involving missing energy.

Experimental bound	SM prediction	Invisible particles bound
$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \cancel{E}) < 16$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \nu \bar{\nu}) = 4.73 \pm 0.56$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \chi \chi) < 11.8$
$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \cancel{E}) < 14$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \nu \bar{\nu}) = 8.12 \pm 0.01$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \chi \chi) < 5.89$
$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^{*\pm} \cancel{E}) < 40$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^{*\pm} \nu \bar{\nu}) = 8.93 \pm 1.07$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow K^{*\pm} \chi \chi) < 32.1$
$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \rho^\pm \cancel{E}) < 30$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \rho^\pm \nu \bar{\nu}) = 0.48 \pm 0.18$	$\mathcal{B}(B^\pm \rightarrow \rho^\pm \chi \chi) < 29.7$



(a) Within the Standard Model



(b) Beyond the Standard Model

Figure 3: Feynman diagrams of bottomed baryon FCNC decays with missing energy.

SM expectations

The FCNC decay processes of bottomed baryons with **missing energy** are described as

$$\mathcal{L}_{\bar{\nu}\nu} = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\alpha}{2\pi \sin^2 \theta_W} \sum_{\ell=e,\mu,\tau} \sum_{q=u,c,t} V_{bq} V_{sq} X^\ell(x_q) (\bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu b_L) (\bar{\nu}_{\ell L} \gamma_\mu \nu_{\ell L}),$$

The loop is calculated by Inami-Lim function

$$X^\ell(x_q) = \frac{x_q}{8} \left[\frac{x_q + 2}{x_q - 1} + \frac{3(x_q - 2)}{(x_q - 1)^2} \ln x_q \right],$$

where G_F represents the Fermi coupling constant, α corresponds to the fine structure constant, θ_W stands for the Weinberg angle, V_{ij} are the Cabibbo–Kobayashi–Maskawa (CKM) matrix elements, and $x_q = m_q^2/M_W^2$ with m_q (M_W) being the mass of the quark (W -boson).

The transition amplitude is given by

$$\langle \mathbf{B}_n \bar{\nu}\nu | \mathcal{L}_{\bar{\nu}\nu} | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle = \frac{\sqrt{2} G_F \alpha}{4\pi \sin^2 \theta_W} V_{bt} V_{st} X^\ell(x_t) \langle \mathbf{B}_n | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma^5) b | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \times \bar{u}_{\nu_\ell} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma^5) v_{\nu_\ell}.$$

Baryonic amplitude

The baryonic transition matrix elements can be parameterized by the form factors (FFs) of $f_i^{V,A}$ ($i = 1, 2, 3$), f^S and f^P , defined by

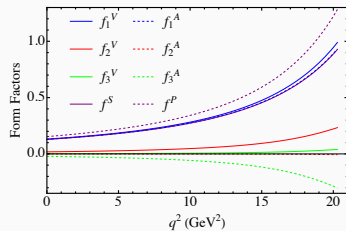
$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathbf{B}_n(P_f, s_f) | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q) | \mathbf{B}_b(P, s) \rangle &= \bar{u}_{\mathbf{B}_n}(P_f, s_f) \left[\gamma_\mu f_1^V(q^2) + i\sigma_{\mu\nu} \frac{q^\nu}{M} f_2^V(q^2) + \frac{q^\mu}{M} f_3^V(q^2) \right] u_{\mathbf{B}_b}(P, s), \\ \langle \mathbf{B}_n(P_f, s_f) | (\bar{q}_f q) | \mathbf{B}_b(P, s) \rangle &= \bar{u}_{\mathbf{B}_n}(P_f, s_f) f^S(q^2) u_{\mathbf{B}_b}(P, s), \\ \langle \mathbf{B}_n(P_f, s_f) | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 q) | \mathbf{B}_b(P, s) \rangle &= \bar{u}_{\mathbf{B}_n}(P_f, s_f) \left[\gamma_\mu f_1^A(q^2) + i\sigma_{\mu\nu} \frac{q^\nu}{M} f_2^A(q^2) + \frac{q^\mu}{M} f_3^A(q^2) \right] \gamma^5 u_{\mathbf{B}_b}(P, s), \\ \langle \mathbf{B}_n(P_f, s_f) | (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q) | \mathbf{B}_b(P, s) \rangle &= \bar{u}_{\mathbf{B}_n}(P_f, s_f) f^P(q^2) \gamma^5 u_{\mathbf{B}_b}(P, s), \end{aligned}$$

By integrating the three-body phase space, we obtain the decay branching ratio to be

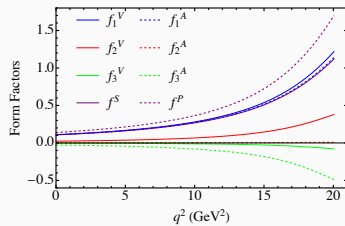
$$\mathcal{B}(\mathbf{B}_b \rightarrow \mathbf{B}_n \bar{\nu} \nu) = \frac{1}{512\pi^3 M^3 \Gamma_{\mathbf{B}_b}} \int \frac{dq^2}{q^2} \lambda^{1/2}(M^2, q^2, M_f^2) \lambda^{1/2}(q^2, m_1^2, m_2^2) \int d\cos\theta \sum |\mathcal{M}|^2,$$

where $\lambda(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2xy - 2xz - 2yz$ is the Kallen function.

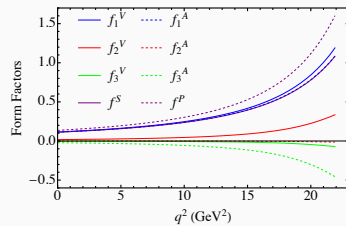
Form Factors from MBM



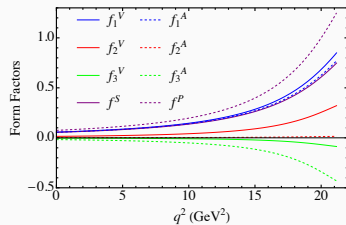
(a) $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda$



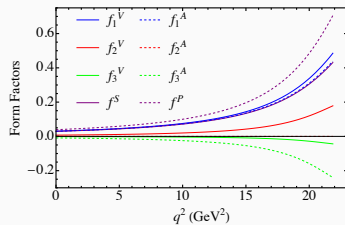
(b) $\Xi_b^{0(-)} \rightarrow \Xi_b^{0(-)}$



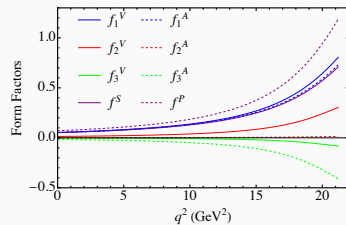
(c) $\Lambda_b \rightarrow n$



(d) $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Sigma^-$



(e) $\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda$



(f) $\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0$

Figure 4: Form factors as function of q^2

SM expectations

For the $b \rightarrow s$ transition, the decay branching ratios associated with $\bar{\nu}\nu$ are as follows:

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{\nu}\nu) = 5.52_{-0.28}^{+0.28} \times 10^{-6},$$
$$\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^{0(-)} \rightarrow \Xi^{0(-)} \bar{\nu}\nu) = 7.80_{-0.67}^{+0.71} \times 10^{-6}.$$

Here, due to the SU(3) flavor symmetry, the branching ratios of Ξ_b^0 and Ξ_b^- are considered approximately to be equal.

Similarly, for the $b \rightarrow d$ transition we have that

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow n \bar{\nu}\nu) = 2.76_{-0.16}^{+0.17} \times 10^{-7},$$
$$\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Sigma^- \bar{\nu}\nu) = 2.65_{-0.26}^{+0.29} \times 10^{-7},$$
$$\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 \bar{\nu}\nu) = 1.24_{-0.12}^{+0.13} \times 10^{-7},$$
$$\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{\nu}\nu) = 3.88_{-0.40}^{+0.37} \times 10^{-8},$$

Effective Lagrangian with invisible particles

Under the low energy scale, the model-independent effective Lagrangian is given by

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{i=1}^6 g_{mi} Q_i,$$

where g_{fi} are the phenomenological **coupling constants**. There are 6 independent **dimension-six** effective operators

$$\begin{aligned} Q_1 &= (\bar{q}_f q)(\chi\chi), & Q_2 &= (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q)(\chi\chi), & Q_3 &= (\bar{q}_f q)(\chi\gamma^5\chi), \\ Q_4 &= (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q)(\chi\gamma^5\chi), & Q_5 &= (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q)(\chi\gamma^\mu\gamma^5\chi), & Q_6 &= (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 q)(\chi\gamma^\mu\gamma^5\chi), \end{aligned}$$

where the invisible particles of χ have been assumed to be the **Majorana** type. Since $\chi\gamma^\mu\chi = 0$ and $\chi\sigma^{\mu\nu}\chi = 0$, there is no contribution from the vector or tensor current.

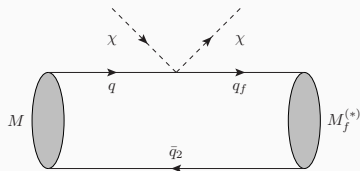


Figure 5: Feynman diagram of bottomed meson FCNC decays with invisible particles.

Decay amplitude

For the $0^- \rightarrow 0^-$ meson decays of $M^- \rightarrow M_f^- \chi\chi$, only operators $Q_{1,3,5}$ give the contributions. The amplitudes of the $0^- \rightarrow 0^-$ decays can be simplified as

$$\begin{aligned}\langle M_f^- \chi\chi | \mathcal{L}_{eff} | M^- \rangle &= 2g_{m1} \langle M_f^- | (\bar{q}_f q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi v_\chi + 2g_{m3} \langle M_f^- | (\bar{q}_f q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^5 v_\chi \\ &\quad + 2g_{m5} \langle M_f^- | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 v_\chi,\end{aligned}$$

For the $0^- \rightarrow 1^-$ meson decays of $M^- \rightarrow M_f^{*-} \chi\chi$ only operators $Q_{2,4,5,6}$ give the contributions. The amplitudes of the $0^- \rightarrow 1^-$ decays can be simplified as

$$\begin{aligned}\langle M_f^{*-} \chi\chi | \mathcal{L}_{eff} | M^- \rangle &= 2g_{m2} \langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi v_\chi + 2g_{m4} \langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^5 v_\chi \\ &\quad + 2g_{m5} \langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 v_\chi + 2g_{m6} \langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 q) | M^- \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 v_\chi.\end{aligned}$$

For baryonic decay, all operators should be considered. The decay amplitude can be expressed as

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \mathbf{B}_n \chi\chi | \mathcal{L}_{eff} | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle &= 2g_{m1} \langle \mathbf{B}_n | (\bar{q}_f q) | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \bar{u}_\chi v_\chi + 2g_{m2} \langle \mathbf{B}_n | (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q) | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \bar{u}_\chi v_\chi \\ &\quad + 2g_{m3} \langle \mathbf{B}_n | (\bar{q}_f q) | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^5 v_\chi + 2g_{m4} \langle \mathbf{B}_n | (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q) | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^5 v_\chi \\ &\quad + 2g_{m5} \langle \mathbf{B}_n | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q) | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 v_\chi + 2g_{m6} \langle \mathbf{B}_n | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 q) | \mathbf{B}_b \rangle \bar{u}_\chi \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 v_\chi.\end{aligned}$$

Mesonic form factors

The hadronic transition matrix elements can be expressed as

$$\langle M_f^- | (\bar{q}_f q) | M^- \rangle = \frac{M^2 - M_f^2}{m_q - m_{q_f}} f_0(q^2),$$

$$\langle M_f^- | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q) | M^- \rangle = (P + P_f)_\mu f_+(q^2) + (P - P_f)_\mu \frac{M^2 - M_f^2}{q^2} [f_0(q^2) - f_+(q^2)],$$

$$\langle M_f^- | (\bar{q}_f \sigma_{\mu\nu} q) | M^- \rangle = i [P_\mu (P - P_f)_\nu - P_\nu (P - P_f)_\mu] \frac{2}{M + M_f} f_T(q^2),$$

and

$$\langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma^5 q) | M^- \rangle = -i [\epsilon \cdot (P - P_f)] \frac{2M_f}{m_q + m_{q_f}} A_0(q^2),$$

$$\langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu \gamma^5 q) | M^- \rangle = i \left\{ \epsilon_\mu (M + M_f) A_1(q^2) - (P + P_f)_\mu \frac{\epsilon \cdot (P - P_f)}{M + M_f} A_2(q^2) \right. \\ \left. - (P - P_f)_\mu [\epsilon \cdot (P - P_f)] \frac{2M_f}{q^2} [A_3(q^2) - A_0(q^2)] \right\},$$

$$\langle M_f^{*-} | (\bar{q}_f \gamma_\mu q) | M^- \rangle = \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \epsilon^\nu P^\rho (P - P_f)^\sigma \frac{2}{M + M_f} V(q^2),$$

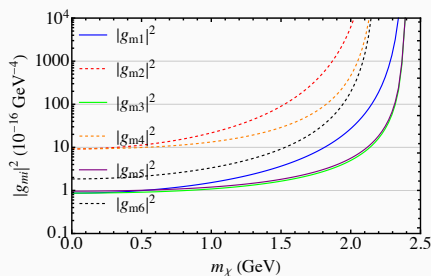
where f_j ($j = 0, +, T$), A_k ($k = 0 - 3$) and V are the FFs, which are evaluated from the method of the **LCSR**, and ϵ is the polarization vector of the final meson with the convention of $\epsilon^{0123} = 1$.

Coupling constants

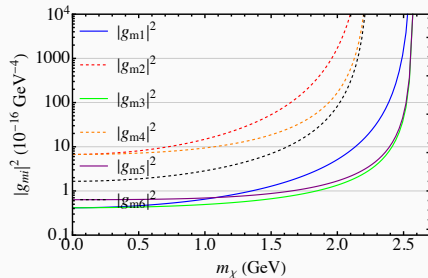
In our calculation, we assume that **only one operator contributes** to the process at a time. The upper limits of the coupling constants g_{mi} can be obtained from Table 1, given by

$$\mathcal{B}(M \rightarrow M_f^{(*)} \bar{E})_{\text{exp}} - \mathcal{B}(M \rightarrow M_f^{(*)} \bar{\nu}\nu)_{\text{SM}} \geq \mathcal{B}(M \rightarrow M_f^{(*)} \chi\chi)_{Q_i} = \frac{|g_{mi}|^2 \tilde{\Gamma}_{ii}}{\Gamma_{M_B}},$$

The upper limits of $|g_{mi}|^2$ on $(bs\chi\chi)$ and $(bd\chi\chi)$ vertices are shown as functions of m_χ in Fig. 6 with m_χ is the mass of χ .



(a) $(bs\chi\chi)$ vertex



(b) $(bd\chi\chi)$ vertex

Figure 6: Upper limits of $|g_{mi}|^2$ as functions of m_χ

Partial width

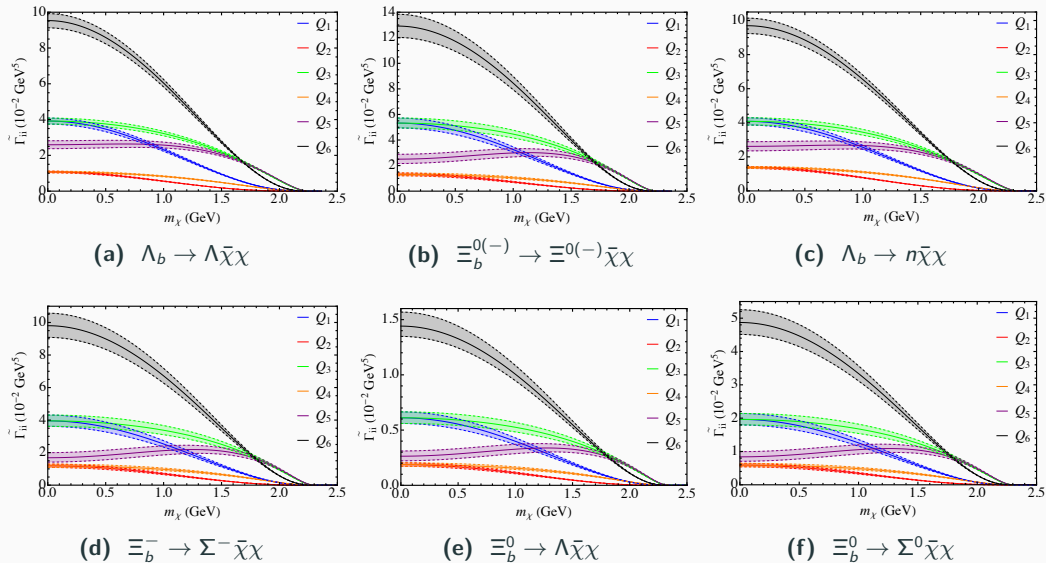
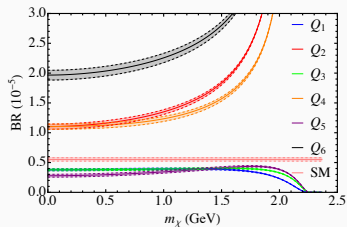
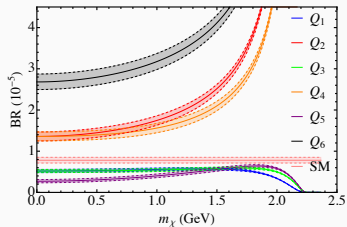


Figure 7: $\tilde{\Gamma}_{ij}$ as functions of m_χ , where the shadows represent the errors estimated by varying the bag radius within $\pm 5\%$

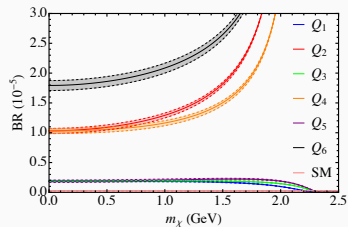
Prediction of the branching ratios



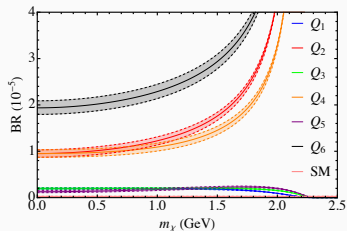
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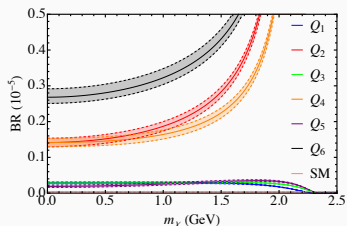
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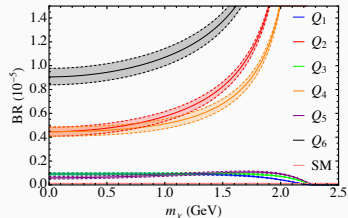
(c) $\Lambda_b \rightarrow n \bar{\chi} \chi$



(d) $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Sigma^- \bar{\chi} \chi$



(e) $\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{\chi} \chi$



(f) $\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 \bar{\chi} \chi$

Figure 8: The upper limits of the BR as function of m_χ in bottomed baryon FCNC decays

Table 2: Upper limits of $\mathcal{B}(\mathbf{B}_b \rightarrow \mathbf{B}_n \chi \chi)$ when $m_\chi \rightarrow 0$ GeV (in units of 10^{-5})

Operator	$\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \chi \chi$	$\Xi_b^{0(-)} \rightarrow \Xi^{0(-)} \chi \chi$	$\Lambda_b \rightarrow n \chi \chi$	$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Sigma^- \chi \chi$	$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 \chi \chi$	$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda \chi \chi$
Q_1	0.38	0.52	0.19	0.20	0.092	0.029
Q_2	1.1	1.4	1.0	0.95	0.45	0.14
Q_3	0.38	0.52	0.19	0.20	0.092	0.029
Q_4	1.1	1.4	1.0	0.95	0.45	0.14
Q_5	0.28	0.27	0.19	0.13	0.060	0.019
Q_6	2.0	2.7	1.8	1.9	0.91	0.27
SM	$\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{\nu} \nu$	$\Xi_b^{0(-)} \rightarrow \Xi^{0(-)} \bar{\nu} \nu$	$\Lambda_b \rightarrow n \bar{\nu} \nu$	$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Sigma^- \bar{\nu} \nu$	$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 \bar{\nu} \nu$	$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{\nu} \nu$
	0.55	0.78	0.028	0.027	0.012	0.0039

Charmed hadron with \bar{c}

Predictions of the standard model

Before dealing with the SM case, we consider the [more general, effective couplings](#) of invisible spin-1/2 Dirac fermion fields \mathbf{f} and \mathbf{f}' to vector and axialvector $c \rightarrow u$ currents described by

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'} = -\bar{u}\gamma^\mu c \bar{\mathbf{f}}\gamma_\mu (\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}} + \gamma_5 \mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}) \mathbf{f}' - \bar{u}\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c \bar{\mathbf{f}}\gamma_\mu (\tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}} + \gamma_5 \tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}) \mathbf{f}' ,$$

where the constants $\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V},\mathbf{A}}$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V},\mathbf{A}}$ may be complex. It will induce $D^0 \rightarrow \gamma \mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'$, $\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}\mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'$, $\mathbb{V}\mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'$, and $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'$ if kinematically allowed. We then arrive at the (differential) rates

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow \mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'} &= \frac{\lambda^{1/2}(m_{D^0}^2, m_{\mathbf{f}}^2, m_{\mathbf{f}'}^2)}{8\pi m_{D^0}^3} \left[|\tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}}|^2 (m_{D^0}^2 - \tilde{\mu}_+^2) \tilde{\mu}_-^2 + |\tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}|^2 (m_{D^0}^2 - \tilde{\mu}_-^2) \tilde{\mu}_+^2 \right] f_D^{\mathbb{P}}, \\ \frac{d\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow \gamma \mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'}}{d\hat{s}} &= \frac{\alpha_e \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{1/2} (m_{D^0}^2 - \hat{s})^3}{192\pi^2 m_{D^0}^5 \hat{s}^2} \left\{ \left[|\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}}|^2 F_V^2 + |\tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}}|^2 F_A^2 \right] (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_+) \tilde{s}_- \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left[|\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}|^2 F_V^2 + |\tilde{\mathbf{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}|^2 F_A^2 \right] (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_-) \tilde{s}_+ \right\}, \\ \frac{d\Gamma_{\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}\mathbf{f}\bar{\mathbf{f}}'}}{d\hat{s}} &= \frac{4 \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{P}}^{1/2} \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{1/2}}{3(8\pi m_{\mathbb{D}} \hat{s})^3} \left\{ \left[|\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}}|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_+) \tilde{s}_- + |\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_-) \tilde{s}_+ \right] \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{P}} F_+^2 \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 3 \left(|\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{V}}|^2 \tilde{\mu}_-^2 \tilde{s}_+ + |\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\mathbf{A}}|^2 \tilde{\mu}_+^2 \tilde{s}_- \right) F_0^2 m_+^2 m_-^2 \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

Predictions of the standard model

$$\frac{d\Gamma_{\mathbb{D} \rightarrow V f \bar{f}'}}{d\hat{s}} = \frac{4 \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}V}^{3/2} \tilde{\lambda}_{ff'}^{1/2}}{(8\pi m_{\mathbb{D}} \hat{s})^3} \left\{ \left[|C_{ff'}^V|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_+) \tilde{s}_- + |C_{ff'}^A|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_-) \tilde{s}_+ \right] \frac{2\hat{s}V^2}{3\tilde{m}_+^2} \right. \\ \left. + \left[\frac{A_1^2 \tilde{m}_+^2}{6m_V^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{6m_V^2 \hat{s}}{\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}V}} \right) + \frac{\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}V} A_2^2}{12\tilde{m}_+^2 m_V^2} + \frac{\hat{s} - \tilde{m}_+ \tilde{m}_-}{6m_V^2} A_1 A_2 \right] \right. \\ \left. \times \left[|\tilde{C}_{ff'}^V|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_+) \tilde{s}_- + |\tilde{C}_{ff'}^A|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_-) \tilde{s}_+ \right] \right. \\ \left. + \left(|\tilde{C}_{ff'}^V|^2 \tilde{\mu}_-^2 \tilde{s}_+ + |\tilde{C}_{ff'}^A|^2 \tilde{\mu}_+^2 \tilde{s}_- \right) A_0^2 \right\},$$

$$\frac{d\Gamma_{\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p f \bar{f}'}}{d\hat{s}} = \frac{4 \tilde{\lambda}_{\Lambda_c p}^{1/2} \tilde{\lambda}_{ff'}^{1/2}}{3(8\pi m_{\Lambda_c} \hat{s})^3} \left\{ \left[|C_{ff'}^V|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_+) \tilde{s}_- + |C_{ff'}^A|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_-) \tilde{s}_+ \right] (2\hat{p}_\perp^2 \hat{s} + \hat{p}_+^2 M_+^2) \hat{\sigma}_- \right. \\ \left. + 3 \left(|C_{ff'}^V|^2 \tilde{\mu}_-^2 \tilde{s}_+ + |C_{ff'}^A|^2 \tilde{\mu}_+^2 \tilde{s}_- \right) \hat{\sigma}_+ \hat{p}_0^2 M_-^2 \right. \\ \left. + \left[|\tilde{C}_{ff'}^V|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_+) \tilde{s}_- + |\tilde{C}_{ff'}^A|^2 (3\hat{s} - \tilde{s}_-) \tilde{s}_+ \right] (2g_\perp^2 \hat{s} + g_+^2 M_-^2) \hat{\sigma}_+ \right. \\ \left. + 3 \left(|\tilde{C}_{ff'}^V|^2 \tilde{\mu}_-^2 \tilde{s}_+ + |\tilde{C}_{ff'}^A|^2 \tilde{\mu}_+^2 \tilde{s}_- \right) \hat{\sigma}_- g_0^2 M_+^2 \right\},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mu}_\pm &= m_f \pm m_{f'}, & \mathbf{m}_\pm &= m_{\mathbb{D}} \pm m_{\mathbb{P}}, & M_\pm &= m_{\Lambda_c} \pm m_p, \\ \tilde{s}_\pm &= \hat{s} - \tilde{\mu}_\pm^2, & \tilde{\mathbf{m}}_\pm &= m_{\mathbb{D}} \pm m_V, & \hat{\sigma}_\pm &= M_\pm^2 - \hat{s}. \end{aligned}$$

Predictions of the standard model

In the SM, the FCNC decays with **neutrinos** arising from loop diagrams by the effective Hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H}_{c \rightarrow u\nu\bar{\nu}}^{\text{SM}} = \frac{\alpha_e G_F}{\sqrt{2} \pi \sin^2 \theta_W} \sum_{\ell=e,\mu,\tau} \sum_{q=d,s,b} \hat{\lambda}_q \bar{D}(r_q, r_\ell) \bar{u} \gamma^n P_L c \bar{\nu}_\ell \gamma_n P_L \nu_\ell,$$

where $r_f = m_f^2/m_W^2$ and with the loop function

$$\bar{D}(x, y) = \frac{x(4-y)^2}{8(1-y)^2} \frac{y \ln y}{x-y} + \frac{x(4-x)^2}{8(1-x)^2} \frac{x \ln x}{y-x} + \frac{4-2x+x^2}{8(1-x)^2} x \ln x - \frac{4+2x+5y-2xy}{8(1-x)(1-y)} x.$$

Accordingly, with $\mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f}' = \nu_\ell$ and $m_{\mathbf{f}} = m_{\mathbf{f}'} = 0$,

$$\mathcal{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\text{V}} = -\mathcal{C}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\text{A}} = -\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\text{V}} = \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{\mathbf{f}\mathbf{f}'}^{\text{A}} = \sum_{q=d,s,b} \frac{\alpha_e G_F \hat{\lambda}_q \bar{D}(r_q, r_\ell)}{4\sqrt{2} \pi \sin^2 \theta_W}.$$

We obtained

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}) &= 0, & \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \gamma\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 1.8 \times 10^{-19}, \\ \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 2.5 \times 10^{-17}, & \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 1.1 \times 10^{-17}, \\ \mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 1.3 \times 10^{-16}, & \mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \rho^+\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 5.9 \times 10^{-17}, \\ \mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 4.5 \times 10^{-17}, & \mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 3.3 \times 10^{-17}, \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 7.3 \times 10^{-17}, & \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 1.1 \times 10^{-16}, \\ \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 1.8 \times 10^{-17}, & \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\nu\bar{\nu}) &= 6.5 \times 10^{-18}. \end{aligned}$$

Prediction of invisible fermions

The allowed $|K_{NN'}|$ range for each $(m_N, m_{N'})$ pair is below the lowest curve.

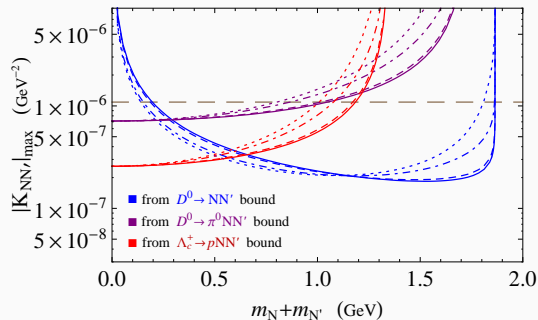


Figure 9: The upper limits on $|K_{NN'}|$ versus $m_N + m_{N'}$, with $N = N_2$ and $N' = N_1$, implied by the $D^0 \rightarrow N\bar{N}'$ (blue), $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 N\bar{N}'$ (purple), and $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p N\bar{N}'$ (red) bounds for $m_{N'}/m_N = 0.001$ (dotted curves), 0.1 (dash-dotted curves), 0.5 (dashed curves), 1 (solid curves). The horizontal brown dashed line marks $|K_{NN'}| < 1.1 \text{ TeV}^{-2}$ inferred from collider and perturbativity restrictions.

FCNC charm decay with invisible singlet fermions

The leptoquark \bar{S}_1 transforms as $(\bar{3}, 1, -2/3)$ under the SM gauge groups $SU(3)_{\text{color}} \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$. We write the Lagrangian for the renormalizable interaction of \bar{S}_1 with $N_{1,2,3}$ and the quarks as

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{LQ}} = \bar{Y}_{jl} \bar{U}_j^c P_R N_l \bar{S}_1 + \text{H.c.},$$

where \bar{Y}_{jl} are generally complex elements of the LQ Yukawa matrix \bar{Y} , $\mathcal{U}_{1,2,3} = (u, c, t)$.

The effective Lagrangian for $c \rightarrow u N \bar{N}'$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = -\bar{u} \gamma^\mu c \bar{f} \gamma_\mu (\mathcal{C}_{\text{ff}'}^V + \gamma_5 \mathcal{C}_{\text{ff}'}^A) f' - \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c \bar{f} \gamma_\mu (\tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{\text{ff}'}^V + \gamma_5 \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{\text{ff}'}^A) f',$$

with the coefficients being given by

$$\mathcal{C}_{N_j N_l}^V = \mathcal{C}_{N_j N_l}^A = \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{N_j N_l}^V = \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{N_j N_l}^A = -\frac{\bar{Y}_{1j}^* \bar{Y}_{2l}}{8m_{\bar{S}_1}^2}.$$

To evade the stringent restrictions from D^0 - \bar{D}^0 mixing, we choose one of the simplest examples,

$$\bar{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \bar{y}_{u2} & 0 \\ \bar{y}_{c1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$

in which case only $c \rightarrow u N_2 \bar{N}_1$ can occur with

$$\mathcal{C}_{N_2 N_1}^V = \mathcal{C}_{N_2 N_1}^A = \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{N_2 N_1}^V = \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{N_2 N_1}^A = -\frac{\bar{y}_{u2} \bar{y}_{c1}}{8m_{\bar{S}_1}^2} \equiv K_{NN'},$$

Prediction of invisible fermions

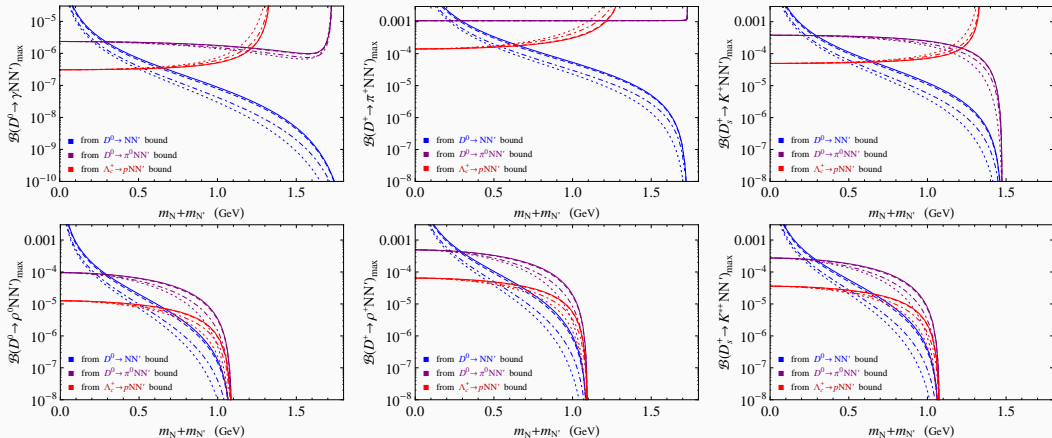


Figure 10: Maximal branching fractions of $D^0 \rightarrow (\gamma, \rho^0)N\bar{N}'$, $D^+ \rightarrow (\pi^+, \rho^+)N\bar{N}'$, and $D_s^+ \rightarrow (K^+, K^{*+})N\bar{N}'$ translated from the $|K_{NN'}|_{\max}$ values in Fig. 9 inferred from the $D^0 \rightarrow N\bar{N}'$ (blue), $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 N\bar{N}'$ (purple), and $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \rho N\bar{N}'$ (red) bounds.

Prediction of invisible fermions

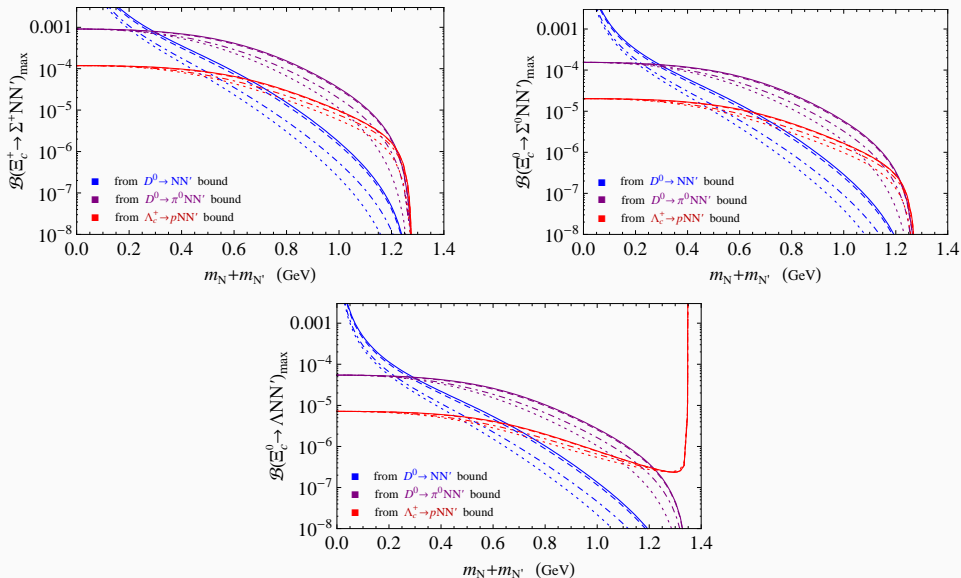


Figure 11: The same as Fig. 9 but for $\Xi_c^{+,0} \rightarrow \Sigma^{+,0} NN'$ and $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda NN'$.

Prediction of invisible fermions

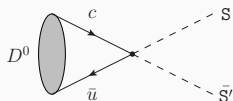
Table 3: The upper limits on the branching fractions, in units of 10^{-5} , of various charmed-hadron decays induced by the $c \rightarrow u\bar{N}\bar{N}'$ interactions and evaluated with the lowest $|K_{NN'}|_{\max}$ for $m_{N'} = m_N = 0$ and $m_{N'} = 0.1 m_N = 0.05$ GeV if the $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\bar{N}\bar{N}'$ bound is absent and, in brackets, if it is included and the strongest.

Decay modes	$m_{N'} = m_N = 0$	$m_{N'} = 0.1 m_N = 0.05$ GeV
$D^0 \rightarrow N\bar{N}'$	-	9.4 [Input]
$D^0 \rightarrow \gamma N\bar{N}'$	0.15 (0.020)	0.021
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 N\bar{N}'$	21 [Input] (2.8)	3.1
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ N\bar{N}'$	107 (14)	16
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ N\bar{N}'$	38 (4.9)	4.9
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 N\bar{N}'$	9.6 (1.3)	0.68
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ N\bar{N}'$	49 (6.4)	3.5
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} N\bar{N}'$	27 (3.6)	1.9
$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\bar{N}\bar{N}'$	61 (8.0 [Input])	7.2
$\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+ N\bar{N}'$	91 (12)	5.4
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 N\bar{N}'$	15 (2.0)	0.91
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda N\bar{N}'$	5.5 (0.71)	0.34

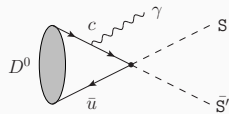
Effective Lagrangian with invisible scalars

The leading-order low-energy effective $|\Delta C| = 1$ operators containing invisible bosons are

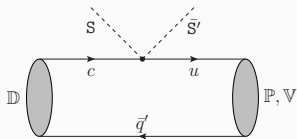
$$\mathcal{L}_{SS'} = -(\kappa_{SS'}^V \bar{u} \gamma_\mu c + \kappa_{SS'}^A \bar{u} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 c) i(S^\dagger \partial^\mu S' - \partial^\mu S^\dagger S') - (\kappa_{SS'}^S \bar{u} c + \kappa_{SS'}^P \bar{u} \gamma_5 c) m_c S^\dagger S' + \text{H.c.},$$



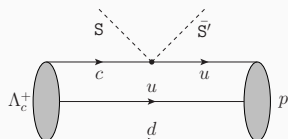
(a) Fully invisible decay



(b) Semi-invisible radiative decay



(c) Semi-invisible mesonic decay



(d) Semi-invisible baryonic decay

Figure 12: Diagrams of FCNC charmed-hadron decays with two invisible light spin-0 bosons.

(a) Fully invisible decay

The **amplitude** for the invisible channel $D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'$ can be expressed as

$$\mathcal{M}_{D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'} = \kappa_{SS'}^A \langle 0 | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle (\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')_\mu + \kappa_{SS'}^P m_c \langle 0 | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle,$$

with the **mesonic matrix elements**

$$\langle 0 | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle = -i f_D p_{D^0}^\mu, \quad \langle 0 | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle = \frac{i f_D m_{D^0}^2}{m_u + m_c},$$

There are no contributions of $\kappa_{SS'}^S$ and $\kappa_{SS'}^V$, because $\langle 0 | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu c | D^0 \rangle = \langle 0 | \bar{u} c | D^0 \rangle = 0$.

Neglecting m_u compared to m_c then leads to

$$\mathcal{M}_{D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'} = i [\kappa_{SS'}^A (m_{S'}^2 - m_S^2) + \kappa_{SS'}^P m_{D^0}^2] f_D.$$

$$\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'} = \frac{\lambda^{1/2}(m_{D^0}^2, m_S^2, m_{S'}^2)}{16\pi m_{D^0}^3} |\kappa_{SS'}^A (m_{S'}^2 - m_S^2) + \kappa_{SS'}^P m_{D^0}^2|^2 f_D^2,$$

which contains the Källén function

$$\lambda(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2(xy + xz + yz).$$

Evidently, $D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'$ can in general probe $\kappa_{SS'}^P$ and $\kappa_{SS'}^A$, which accompany the parity-odd quark bilinears in $\mathcal{L}_{SS'}$, but the sensitivity to $\kappa_{SS'}^A$ will be lost if $m_{S'} = m_S$.

(b) Semi-invisible radiative decay

The amplitude for $D^0 \rightarrow \gamma S \bar{S}'$ is

$$\mathcal{M}_{D^0 \rightarrow \gamma S \bar{S}'} = \kappa_{SS'}^V \langle \gamma | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu c | D^0 \rangle (k - k')^\mu + \kappa_{SS'}^A \langle \gamma | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle (k - k')_\mu,$$

where $k^{(i)}$ designates the momentum of $S^{(i)}$ and

$$\langle \gamma | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu c | D^0 \rangle = \frac{eF_V}{m_{D^0}} \epsilon_{\mu\zeta\eta\theta} \epsilon_\gamma^{\zeta*} p_{D^0}^\eta p_\gamma^\theta, \quad \langle \gamma | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle = \frac{ieF_A}{m_{D^0}} (p_\gamma \cdot p_{D^0} \epsilon_\gamma^{\mu*} - \epsilon_\gamma^* \cdot p_{D^0} p_\gamma^\mu),$$

Since $\langle \gamma | \bar{u} c | D^0 \rangle = \langle \gamma | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | D^0 \rangle = 0$, there are no $\kappa_{SS'}^{S,P}$ terms.

Evaluating the absolute square of the amplitude times the **three-body phase space** yields the **differential rate**

$$\frac{d\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow \gamma S \bar{S}'}}{d\hat{s}} = \frac{\alpha_e \lambda^{3/2}(\hat{s}, m_S^2, m_{S'}^2)}{384\pi^2 m_{D^0}^5 \hat{s}^2} (m_{D^0}^2 - \hat{s})^3 (|\kappa_{SS'}^V|^2 F_V^2 + |\kappa_{SS'}^A|^2 F_A^2),$$

which is to be integrated over $(m_S + m_{S'})^2 \leq \hat{s} \leq m_{D^0}^2$. Thus, the invisible scalars' mass range covered by this mode is $0 \leq m_S + m_{S'} < m_{D^0}$, the same as that in the $D^0 \rightarrow S \bar{S}'$ case.

(c) Semi-invisible mesonic decays

Initial mesons $\mathbb{D} = D^0, D^+, D_s^+$, and the final mesons $\mathbb{P} = \pi^0, \pi^+, K^+$ or $\mathbb{V} = \rho^0, \rho^+, K^{*+}$.

The **amplitudes** are

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{P} S \bar{S}'} = \kappa_{SS'}^{\mathbb{V}} \langle \mathbb{P} | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu c | \mathbb{D} \rangle (\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')_\mu + \kappa_{SS'}^{\mathbb{S}} m_c \langle \mathbb{P} | \bar{u} c | \mathbb{D} \rangle,$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{V} S \bar{S}'} = \kappa_{SS'}^{\mathbb{V}} \langle \mathbb{V} | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu c | \mathbb{D} \rangle (\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')^\mu + \kappa_{SS'}^{\mathbb{A}} \langle \mathbb{V} | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | \mathbb{D} \rangle (\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')_\mu + \kappa_{SS'}^{\mathbb{P}} m_c \langle \mathbb{V} | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | \mathbb{D} \rangle,$$

which involve the momentum $\mathbf{k}^{(\prime)}$ of $S^{(\prime)}$ and the **mesonic matrix elements**

$$\langle \mathbb{P} | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu c | \mathbb{D} \rangle = (p_{\mathbb{D}}^\mu + p_{\mathbb{P}}^\mu) f_+ + (p_{\mathbb{D}}^\mu - p_{\mathbb{P}}^\mu) (f_0 - f_+) \frac{m_{\mathbb{D}}^2 - m_{\mathbb{P}}^2}{q_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{P}}^2}, \quad \langle \mathbb{P} | \bar{u} c | \mathbb{D} \rangle = \frac{m_{\mathbb{D}}^2 - m_{\mathbb{P}}^2}{m_c - m_u} f_0,$$

$$\langle \mathbb{V} | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu c | \mathbb{D} \rangle = \frac{2V}{m_{\mathbb{D}} + m_{\mathbb{V}}} \epsilon_{\mu\beta\eta\theta} \epsilon_{\mathbb{V}}^{\beta*} p_{\mathbb{V}}^\eta p_{\mathbb{D}}^\theta,$$

$$\langle \mathbb{V} | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | \mathbb{D} \rangle = i(m_{\mathbb{D}} + m_{\mathbb{V}}) \epsilon_{\mathbb{V}}^{\mu*} A_1 - \left[\frac{p_{\mathbb{D}}^\mu + p_{\mathbb{V}}^\mu}{m_{\mathbb{D}} + m_{\mathbb{V}}} A_2 + \frac{p_{\mathbb{D}}^\mu - p_{\mathbb{V}}^\mu}{q_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{V}}^2} (A_3 - A_0) 2m_{\mathbb{V}} \right] i \epsilon_{\mathbb{V}}^* \cdot p_{\mathbb{D}},$$

$$\langle \mathbb{V} | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | \mathbb{D} \rangle = \frac{-2iA_0 m_{\mathbb{V}}}{m_c + m_u} \epsilon_{\mathbb{V}}^* \cdot p_{\mathbb{D}},$$

where f_+ and f_0 [V, A_0, A_1 , and A_2] are **form factors**.

(c) Semi-invisible mesonic decays

Accordingly, from the absolute squares of the amplitudes, we arrive at

$$\frac{d\Gamma_{\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}\mathbb{S}\bar{\mathbb{S}}'}}{d\hat{s}} = \frac{2\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{P}}^{1/2}\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{1/2}}{(8\pi m_{\mathbb{D}}\hat{s})^3} \left[\frac{1}{3} |\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{V}}|^2 \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{P}} \tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'} f_+^2 + |\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{V}}(m_{\mathbb{S}}^2 - m_{\mathbb{S}'}^2) + \kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{S}} \hat{s}|^2 (m_{\mathbb{D}}^2 - m_{\mathbb{P}}^2)^2 f_0^2 \right],$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\Gamma_{\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{V}\mathbb{S}\bar{\mathbb{S}}'}}{d\hat{s}} = & \frac{\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{V}}^{3/2}\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{3/2}}{(8\pi m_{\mathbb{D}}\hat{s})^3} \left\{ \frac{|\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{A}}|^2}{6 m_{\mathbb{V}}^2} \left[\left(1 + \frac{12 m_{\mathbb{V}}^2 \hat{s}}{\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{V}}} \right) A_1^2 \tilde{m}_+^2 + 2(\hat{s} - \tilde{m}_+ \tilde{m}_-) A_1 A_2 + \frac{\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{D}\mathbb{V}} A_2^2}{\tilde{m}_+^2} \right] \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{2A_0^2}{\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}} |\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{A}}(m_{\mathbb{S}}^2 - m_{\mathbb{S}'}^2) + \kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{P}} \hat{s}|^2 + \frac{4|\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{V}}|^2 \hat{s} V^2}{3 \tilde{m}_+^2} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

to be integrated over $(m_{\mathbb{S}} + m_{\mathbb{S}'})^2 \leq \hat{s} = (\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{k}')^2 \leq (m_{\mathbb{D}} - m_{\mathbb{P},\mathbb{V}})^2$, respectively, with

$$\tilde{\lambda}_{\mathbb{X}\mathbb{Y}} = \lambda(m_{\mathbb{X}}^2, m_{\mathbb{Y}}^2, \hat{s}), \quad \tilde{m}_{\pm} = m_{\mathbb{D}} \pm m_{\mathbb{V}}.$$

$\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}\mathbb{S}\bar{\mathbb{S}}'$ can probe not only $\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{V}}$, but also $\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{S}}$, which is inaccessible to $D^0 \rightarrow \mathbb{S}\bar{\mathbb{S}}', \gamma\mathbb{S}\bar{\mathbb{S}}'$ as well as to $\mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{V}\mathbb{S}\bar{\mathbb{S}}'$. However, the latter is sensitive to the other three parameters, $\kappa_{\mathbb{S}\mathbb{S}'}^{\mathbb{V},\mathbb{P},\mathbb{A}}$.

(d) Semi-invisible baryonic decays

Of interest here are $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pS\bar{S}'$ and $\Xi_c^{+,0} \rightarrow \Sigma^{+,0}S\bar{S}'$ plus $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda S\bar{S}'$,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M}_{\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pS\bar{S}'} &= \kappa_{SS'}^V \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle (\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')_\mu + \kappa_{SS'}^A \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle (\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')_\mu \\ &\quad + \kappa_{SS'}^S m_c \langle p | \bar{u} c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle + \kappa_{SS'}^P m_c \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathbf{k}^{(\prime)}$ is again the momentum of $S^{(\prime)}$.

The **baryonic matrix elements** are expressible as

$$\begin{aligned} \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle &= \bar{u}_p \left\{ \left[\gamma^\mu - \frac{M_+ \hat{p}^\mu - M_- \hat{q}^\mu}{M_+^2 - \hat{q}^2} \right] F_\perp + \left[\hat{p}^\mu - \frac{M_+ M_- \hat{q}^\mu}{\hat{q}^2} \right] \frac{M_+ F_+}{M_+^2 - \hat{q}^2} + \frac{M_- \hat{q}^\mu}{\hat{q}^2} F_0 \right\} u_{\Lambda_c}, \\ \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle &= \bar{u}_p \left\{ \left[\gamma^\mu + \frac{M_- \hat{p}^\mu - M_+ \hat{q}^\mu}{M_-^2 - \hat{q}^2} \right] G_\perp - \left[\hat{p}^\mu - \frac{M_+ M_- \hat{q}^\mu}{\hat{q}^2} \right] \frac{M_- G_+}{M_-^2 - \hat{q}^2} - \frac{M_+ \hat{q}^\mu}{\hat{q}^2} G_0 \right\} \gamma_5 u_{\Lambda_c}, \\ \langle p | \bar{u} c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle &= \frac{M_- F_0}{m_c - m_u} \bar{u}_p u_{\Lambda_c}, \quad \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma_5 c | \Lambda_c^+ \rangle = \frac{M_+ G_0}{m_c + m_u} \bar{u}_p \gamma_5 u_{\Lambda_c}, \end{aligned}$$

where u_p and u_{Λ_c} designate the Dirac spinors of the baryons, $F_{\perp,+0}$ and $G_{\perp,+0}$ symbolize form factors which depend on $\hat{s} = \hat{q}^2$,

$$M_\pm = m_{\Lambda_c} \pm m_p, \quad \hat{p} = p_{\Lambda_c} + p_p, \quad \hat{q} = p_{\Lambda_c} - p_p.$$

(d) Semi-invisible baryonic decays

After averaging (summing) the absolute square of the amplitude over the initial (final) baryon polarizations and multiplying by the three-body phase space, we find the **differential rate**

$$\frac{d\Gamma_{\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pS\bar{S}'}}{d\hat{s}} = \frac{2\tilde{\lambda}_{\Lambda_c p}^{1/2} \tilde{\lambda}_{SS'}^{1/2}}{3(8\pi m_{\Lambda_c} \hat{s})^3} \left\{ \left[|\kappa_{SS'}^V|^2 (2F_{\perp}^2 \hat{s} + F_+^2 M_+^2) \hat{\sigma}_- + |\kappa_{SS'}^A|^2 (2G_{\perp}^2 \hat{s} + G_+^2 M_-^2) \hat{\sigma}_+ \right] \tilde{\lambda}_{SS'} \right. \\ \left. + 3|\kappa_{SS'}^V (m_S^2 - m_{S'}^2) + \kappa_{SS'}^S \hat{s}|^2 \hat{\sigma}_+ M_-^2 F_0^2 \right. \\ \left. + 3|\kappa_{SS'}^A (m_{S'}^2 - m_S^2) + \kappa_{SS'}^P \hat{s}|^2 \hat{\sigma}_- M_+^2 G_0^2 \right\},$$

where $\hat{\sigma}_{\pm} = M_{\pm}^2 - \hat{s}$. It is to be integrated over $(m_S + m_{S'})^2 \leq \hat{s} \leq (m_{\Lambda_c} - m_p)^2$.

Numerical results for decays induced by $c \rightarrow uS\bar{S}'$

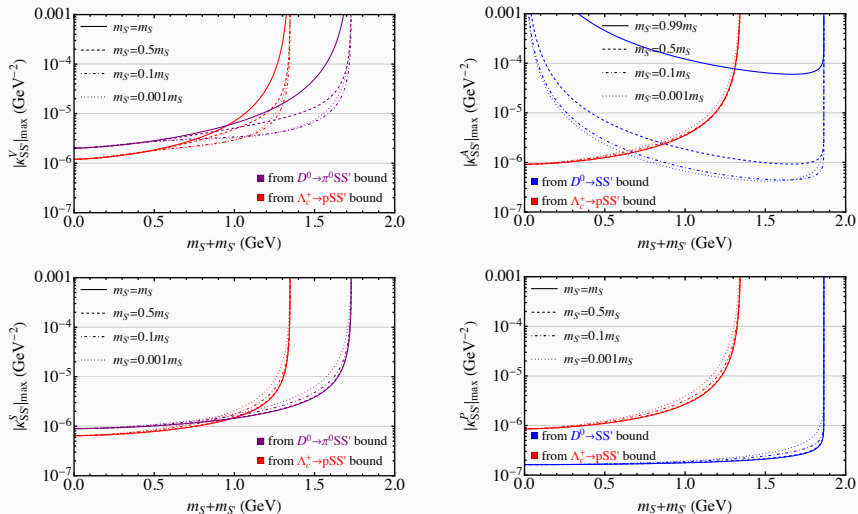


Figure 13: The upper limits on $|\kappa_{SS'}^V|$ (top left), $|\kappa_{SS'}^A|$ (top right), $|\kappa_{SS'}^S|$ (bottom left), and $|\kappa_{SS'}^P|$ (bottom right) versus $m_S + m_{S'}$ obtained from the $D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'$ (blue), $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 S\bar{S}'$ (purple), and $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p S\bar{S}'$ (red) limits for various $m_{S'}/m_S$ values if only one of $\kappa_{SS'}^{V,A,S,P}$ is nonzero at a time.

Prediction of invisible scalars

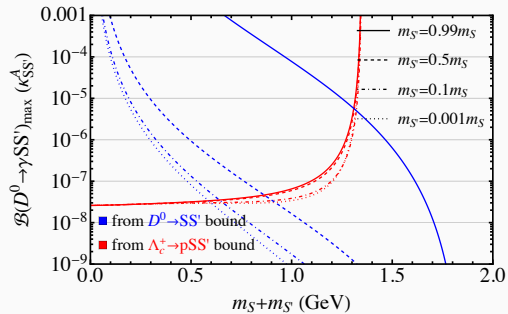
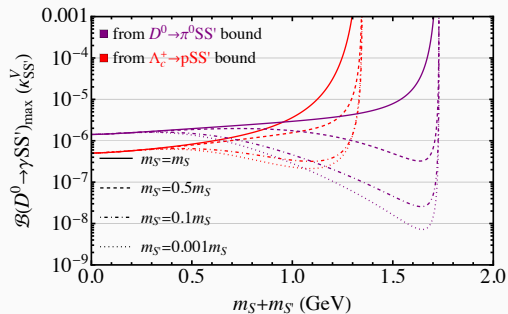


Figure 14: The maximal branching fraction of $D^0 \rightarrow \gamma S\bar{S}'$ due to $|\kappa_{SS'}^V|_{\max}$ (left) or $|\kappa_{SS'}^A|_{\max}$ (right) alone for various $m_{S'}/m_S$ choices.

Prediction of invisible scalars

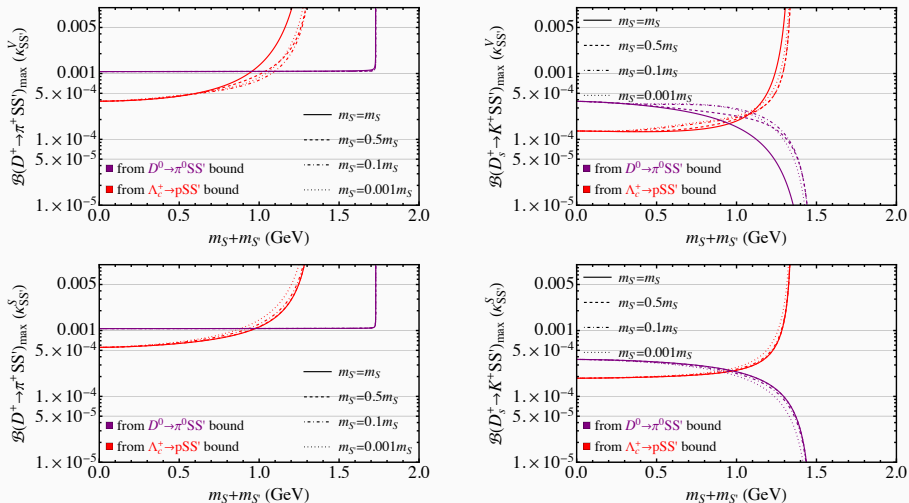


Figure 15: The maximal branching fractions of $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ S \bar{S}'$ (left column) and $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ S \bar{S}'$ (right column) due to $|\kappa_{SS'}^V|_{\max}$ (top row) or $|\kappa_{SS'}^S|_{\max}$ (bottom row) alone for different $m_{S'}/m_S$ values.

Prediction of invisible scalars

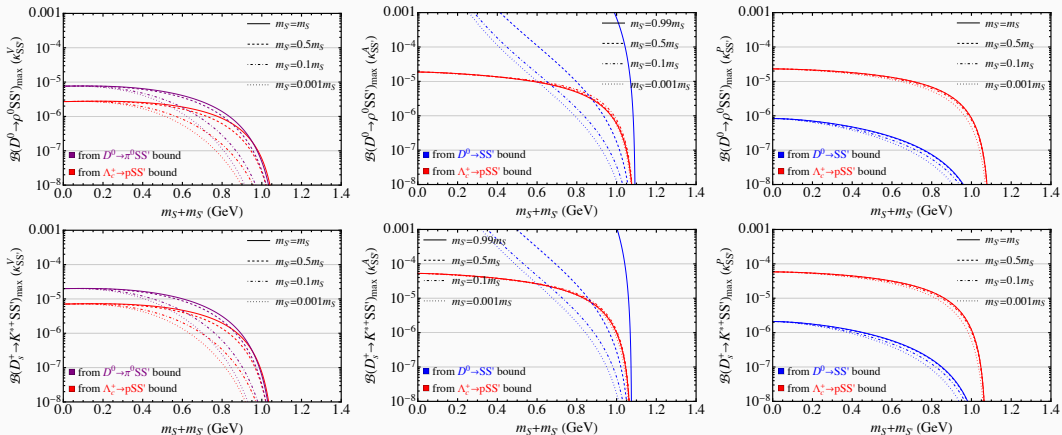


Figure 16: The maximal branching fractions of $D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \bar{S}S'$ and $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \bar{S}S'$ due to $|\kappa_{SS'}^V|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^A|_{\max}$ (middle row) or $|\kappa_{SS'}^P|_{\max}$ alone. The $D^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \bar{S}S'$ curves, not displayed, are approximately $2\tau_{D^+}/\tau_{D^0} \sim 5$ times their $D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \bar{S}S'$ counterparts.

Prediction of invisible scalars

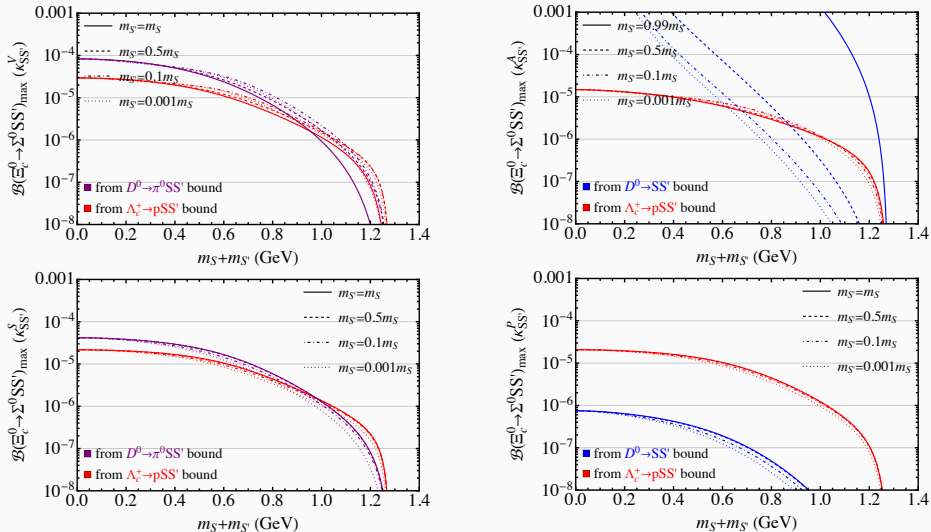


Figure 17: The maximal branching fractions of $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 S \bar{S}'$ due to $|\kappa_{SS'}^V|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^A|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^S|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^P|_{\max}$ alone. The $\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+ S \bar{S}'$ curves, not shown, are approximately $2\tau_{\Xi_c^+}/\tau_{\Xi_c^0} \sim 6$ times their $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 S \bar{S}'$ counterparts.

Prediction of invisible scalars

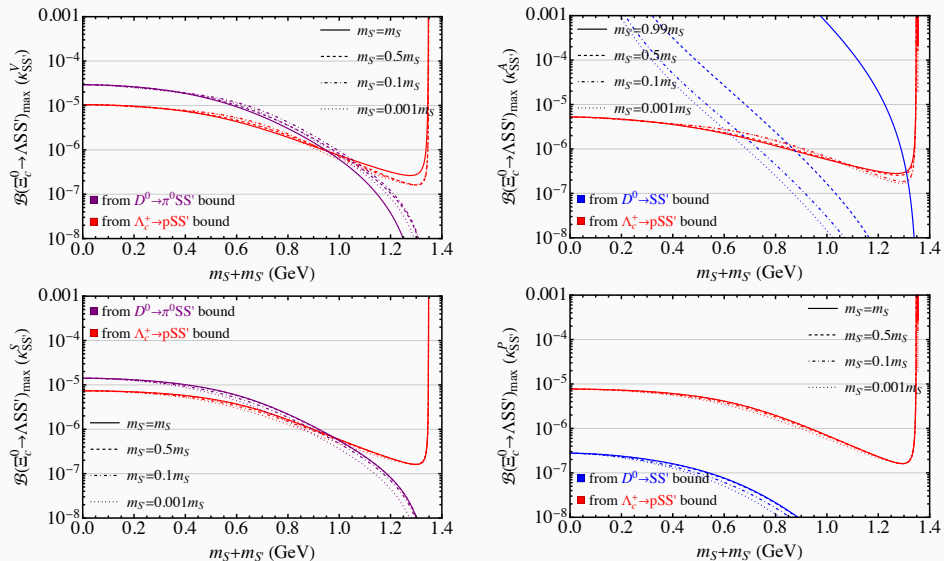


Figure 18: The maximal branching fractions of $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda SS'$ due to $|\kappa_{SS'}^V|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^A|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^S|_{\max}$ or $|\kappa_{SS'}^P|_{\max}$ alone.

Prediction of invisible scalars

Table 4: The upper limits on branching fractions, in units of 10^{-5} , of various charmed-hadron decays induced by the $c \rightarrow u\bar{S}\bar{S}'$ operators for $m_{S'} = m_S = 0$ if the $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\bar{S}\bar{S}'$ bound is absent and, in brackets, if it is taken into account and the stronger. Only one of the coefficients $\kappa_{SS'}^{V,A,S,P}$ of the operators is taken to be nonzero at a time. A dash entry under $\kappa_{SS'}^X \neq 0$ means that $\kappa_{SS'}^X$ does not affect the decay.

Decay modes	$\kappa_{SS'}^V \neq 0$	$\kappa_{SS'}^A \neq 0$	$\kappa_{SS'}^S \neq 0$	$\kappa_{SS'}^P \neq 0$
$D^0 \rightarrow \bar{S}\bar{S}'$	-	-	-	9.4 [Input]
$D^0 \rightarrow \gamma\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	0.14 (0.050)	(0.0026)	-	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	21 [Input] (7.5)	-	21 [Input] (11)	-
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	107 (38)	-	107 (55)	-
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	38 (13)	-	36 (19)	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	0.74 (0.26)	(1.8)	-	0.081
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^+\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	3.8 (1.4)	(9.4)	-	0.42
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^{*+}\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	2.0 (0.71)	(5.3)	-	0.21
$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	23 (8.0 [Input])	(8.0 [Input])	15 (8.0 [Input])	0.29
$\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	49 (17)	(8.7)	25 (13)	0.44
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	8.3 (2.9)	(1.5)	4.2 (2.2)	0.075
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\bar{S}\bar{S}'$	2.9 (1.0)	(0.52)	1.4 (0.74)	0.028




Prediction of invisible scalars




Table 5: The same as Table I but for $m_{S'} = 0.1 m_S = 0.05$ GeV.

Decay modes	$\kappa_{SS'}^V \neq 0$	$\kappa_{SS'}^A \neq 0$	$\kappa_{SS'}^S \neq 0$	$\kappa_{SS'}^P \neq 0$
$D^0 \rightarrow S\bar{S}'$	-	9.4 [Input] (3.5)	-	9.4 [Input]
$D^0 \rightarrow \gamma S\bar{S}'$	0.14 (0.063)	0.0081 (0.0030)	-	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 S\bar{S}'$	21 [Input] (9.3)	-	21 [Input] (13)	-
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ S\bar{S}'$	107 (47)	-	107 (68)	-
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ S\bar{S}'$	34 (15)	-	32 (20)	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 S\bar{S}'$	0.23 (0.10)	2.9 (1.1)	-	0.024
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ S\bar{S}'$	1.2 (0.55)	15 (5.6)	-	0.12
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} S\bar{S}'$	0.62 (0.27)	8.1 (3.0)	-	0.060
$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p S\bar{S}'$	18 (8.0 [Input])	22 (8.0 [Input])	13 (8.0 [Input])	0.14
$\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+ S\bar{S}'$	22 (9.9)	13 (4.7)	10 (6.5)	0.12
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Sigma^0 S\bar{S}'$	3.8 (1.7)	2.2 (0.80)	1.7 (1.1)	0.020
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Lambda S\bar{S}'$	1.4 (0.61)	0.82 (0.30)	0.61 (0.39)	0.0078

Conclusion

- A window to detect new physics: highly suppressed SM background. Fully invisible decay; Semi-invisible radiative decay; Semi-invisible mesonic (baryonic) decay.
- Light invisible scalars and singlet fermions.
- The bounds of the coupling constants are extracted from very recent data. Based on these bounds, we predict the upper limits of other channels.
- Many of the predictions we have made [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6] are expected testable by the near-future collider experiments.

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Thanks! Questions?

