

QCD Factorization for Radiative Leptonic B -Meson Decays

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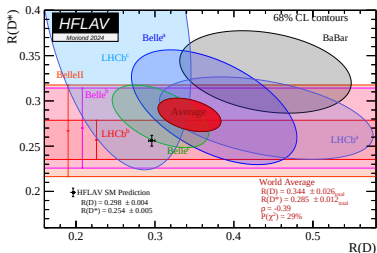
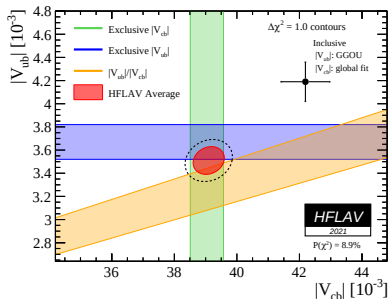
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Beneke, König, Ji and **YBW**, Ongoing



New physics beyond the SM

- Direct search: new particles
- Indirect search: flavour physics
CPV, $R(D^{(*)})$, $|V_{ub}|$, $|V_{cb}|$, $\dots$



- BaBar, Belle
- LHC, Belle-II
- HL-LHC

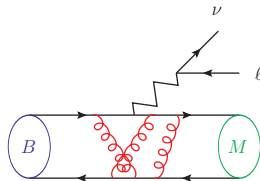
HQET LCDA of B meson

Light-cone distribution amplitudes (LCDA)

$$\langle H_v | \bar{h}_v(0) \not{n}_+ \gamma^5 [0, tn_+] q_s(tn_+) | 0 \rangle = -i \tilde{f}_H(\mu) n_+ \cdot v \int_0^\infty d\omega e^{i\omega tn_+ \cdot v} \varphi_+(\omega)$$

Most important **long-distance function** in exclusive B decays

- Non-leptonic decays: $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$, $B \rightarrow \pi K \dots$
- Semi-leptonic decays: $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell \nu$,
 $B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \ell \nu \dots$
- Radiative decay: $B \rightarrow \gamma \ell \nu$, $B \rightarrow \gamma\gamma \dots$



Non-perturbative LCDA of hadrons

LCDA: non-perturbative physics

- Extract from the experiments: **clean process**

- $B \rightarrow \gamma \ell \nu$ **decay** [Belle, 18']

$$F_{V/A, \text{LP}} = \frac{Q_u m_B}{n \cdot p} \tilde{f}_B(\mu) \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} T(\omega, \mu) \phi_B^+(\omega, \mu)$$

- Rare decay $W^- \rightarrow B^- \gamma$ [Grossman, König and Neubert, 15']
- Calculate with LQCD: (LaMET [Ji, 13'])
quasi DA $\rightarrow$ QCD LCDA [Han, et. al. 24']

QCD LCDA $\rightarrow$ HQET LCDA [Beneke, Finauri, Vos, and YBW 23'], [Deng, Wang, YBW and Zeng 24']

Introduction to $B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$

Decay amplitude of the $B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$ process

$$A(B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell) = \frac{G_F V_{ub}}{\sqrt{2}} \langle (\ell \bar{\nu}_\ell)(q) \gamma(p) | \bar{\ell} \gamma^\nu (1 - \gamma_5) \nu_\ell \bar{u} \gamma_\nu (1 - \gamma_5) b | B^-(p_B) \rangle$$

Theoretically clean: factorization properties of exclusive B decays, extract important non-perturbative parameters of B meson.

[Korchensky, Pirjol and Yan 99'; Descotes-Genon and Sachrajda 02'; Lunghi, Pirjol and Wyler 02';

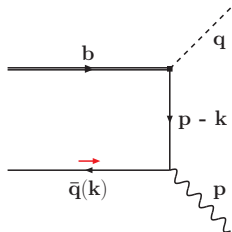
Beneke, Rohrwild 11': **NLL resummation and NLP correction**

Braun and Khodjamirian 12'; Wang and Shen 18'; Beneke, Braun, Ji and **YBW** 18'; Galda and Neubert 20'; Shen, **YBW**, Zhao and Zhou 20'; Cui, Shen, Wang and **YBW** 23'; ...]

Introduction to $B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$

$E_\gamma \sim \mathcal{O}(m_b)$, light-cone vectors n and $\bar{n}$: $n^2 = \bar{n}^2 = 0$, $n \cdot \bar{n} = 2$.

Power-expansion parameter $\lambda = \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/m_b})$.



We have momenta:

- hard p_b : $(n \cdot p_b, \bar{n} \cdot p_b, p_{b\perp}) \sim m_b(1, 1, 1)$
- soft k : $m_b(\lambda^2, \lambda^2, \lambda^2)$
- collinear p : $m_b(1, \lambda^4, \lambda^2)$
- hard-collinear $p - k$: $m_b(1, \lambda^2, \lambda)$

Two perturbative scales: **hard scale** $\mathcal{O}(m_b)$, **hard-collinear scale** $\mathcal{O}(\lambda m_b)$

$$F_{V/A, \text{LP}} = \frac{Q_u m_B}{n \cdot p} \tilde{f}_B(\mu) \mathcal{C}(n \cdot p, m_b, \mu) \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} J(n \cdot p \omega, \mu) \phi_B^+(\omega, \mu)$$

$B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$ form factors at LP

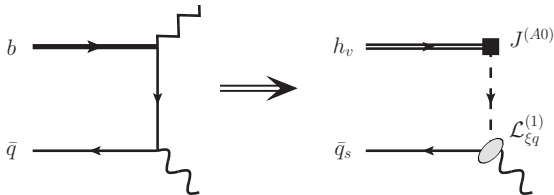
- Operators in SCET_I scale as λ^4

$$\text{T}\{\bar{\xi}_{hc}(1 + \gamma_5)\gamma_\nu h_v, \mathcal{L}_{\xi q}^{(1)}\}$$

Translating $A_{\perp hc}^{\text{em}}$ to $A_{\perp c}^{\text{em}}$ will generate an additional λ factor.

- Factorizable SCET_{II} operator scale as λ^6

$$O_{\text{LP}} = \bar{q}_s \frac{\not{n}}{2} A_{\perp c}^{\text{em}} \frac{1}{i\bar{n} \cdot \partial} \gamma_\nu (1 - \gamma_5) h_v$$

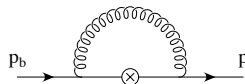


QCD to SCET_I: hard function

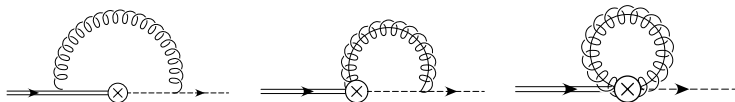
From QCD to SCET_I

$$\bar{u}(1 + \gamma_5)\gamma_\nu b \Rightarrow \int d\hat{s} \tilde{C}(\hat{s}) [(\bar{\xi}_{hc} W_{hc})(sn)(1 + \gamma_5)\gamma_\nu h_v]$$

QCD diagram at NLO



SCET_I diagrams at NLO



$\tilde{C}$ at NNLO

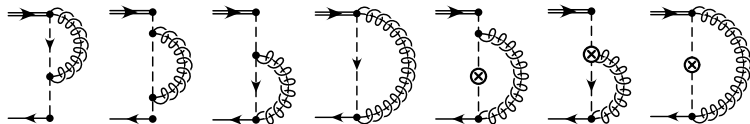
[Bonciani and Ferroglia 08'; Asatrian, Greub and Pecjak 08'; Beneke, Huber and Li 08'; Bell 08']

SCET_I to SCET_{II}: jet function

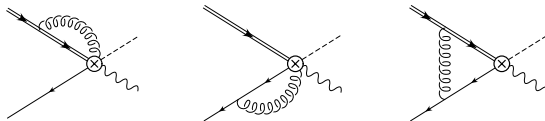
From SCET_I to SCET_{II}

$$T\{(\bar{\xi}_{hc} W_{hc})(1 + \gamma_5)\gamma_\nu h_v, \mathcal{L}_{\xi q}^{(1)}\} \Rightarrow \int \frac{d\omega}{\omega} J(\omega) [(\bar{q}_s Y_s)(t\bar{n}) \frac{\not{n}}{2} \not{A}_{\perp c}^{\text{em}} \gamma_\nu (1 - \gamma_5) Y_s^\dagger h_v]_{\text{FT}}$$

SCET_I diagrams at NLO



SCET_{II} diagrams at NLO



Jet function at NNLO: same as $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ [Liu and Neubert 20']

$B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$ form factors at NNLO

$$F_{V/A, \text{LP}} = \frac{Q_u m_B}{n \cdot p} \tilde{f}_B(\mu) C(n \cdot p, m_b, \mu) \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} J(n \cdot p \omega, \mu) \phi_B^+(\omega, \mu)$$

Factorization scale $\mu \rightarrow$ hard-collinear scale

Large Logs

- $\ln(m_b/\mu)$, $\ln(n \cdot p/\mu)$ from C and $\tilde{f}_B$
- $\ln(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/\mu)$ from ϕ_B^+ (two-loop γ [Braun, Ji and Manashov 19'])

Numerical result [Galda and Neubert 20']

$$I_{\text{NLO}} = \frac{1}{\lambda_B} [0.731 + 0.035 \sigma_2 - 0.003 \sigma_3 + \dots],$$
$$I_{\text{NNLO}} = \frac{1}{\lambda_B} \left[0.664^{+0.026}_{-0.040} + 4.36^{+0.17}_{-0.46} \cdot 10^{-2} \sigma_2 + 0.35^{+2.97}_{-1.99} \cdot 10^{-3} \sigma_3 + \dots \right],$$

NNLO result is about 10% smaller than the NLO result.

Subleading power corrections

- New phenomena will appear

$$F_{V/A} = \underbrace{\frac{Q_u m_B}{2E_\gamma} R(E_\gamma)}_{\text{LP}} + \left[\xi(E_\gamma) \pm \left(\frac{Q_b m_B f_B}{2E_\gamma m_b} + \frac{Q_u m_B f_B}{(2E_\gamma)^2} \right) \right]$$

- Local symmetry breaking terms [Beneke and Rohrwild 11']
- End-point singularity: [Liu and Neubert 19'; Beneke et. al. 20']
- Renormalon ambiguity
- Generalized LCDA [Qin, Shen Wang and Wang 22']
- Power corrections are numerically important in B decays

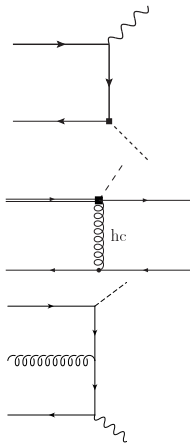
$$\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/m_b \sim \alpha_s(\mu)/\pi$$

$$\text{NLP@LO} \sim \text{LP@NLO}, \quad \text{NNLP@LO} \sim \text{NLP@NLO} \sim \text{LP@NNLO}$$

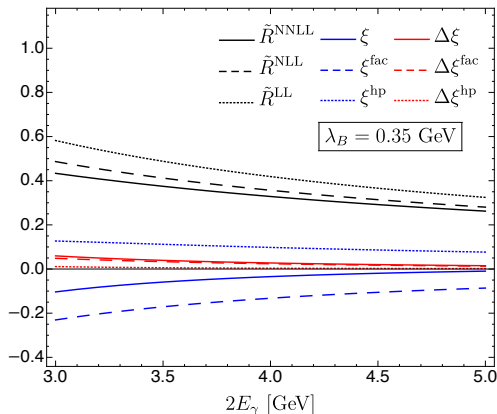
Subleading power corrections

NLP SCET_{II} operators scale as λ^8 [Beneke, König Ji and YBW Ongoing]

- Power suppressed operators
 - Local SCET_{II} operator $\bar{q}_s A_{\perp c}^{\text{em}} h_v$
 - SCET_I operators $\bar{\xi}_{hc} A_{\perp hc} h_v$:
hadronic structure of the photon
- LP operator with power suppressed Lagrangian



NLP numerical results



$$F_{V/A} = \tilde{R} + \xi \pm \Delta\xi$$

$\tilde{R}$: LP

ξ : symmetry conserving

$\Delta\xi$: symmetry breaking

ξ^{hp} , $\Delta\xi^{hp}$:
hadronic photon

[Cui, Shen, Wang and YBW 23']

NLP contributions bring about $\mathcal{O}(20\%)$ correction

Summary

- * $B^- \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$ form factors F_V and F_A at LP
 - Hard function: QCD to SCET_I
 - Jet function: SCET_I to SCET_{II}
- * Subleading power corrections: numerical results

Thank you!