

Determination of ε_K using lattice QCD inputs

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ε_K and \hat{B}_K, V_{cb} I

- Definition of ε_K

$$\varepsilon_K = \frac{A[K_L \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0}]}{A[K_S \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0}]}$$

- Relation between ε_K and \hat{B}_K in standard model.

$$\varepsilon_K = \exp(i\phi_\varepsilon) \sqrt{2} \sin(\phi_\varepsilon) [C_\varepsilon X_{\text{SD}} \hat{B}_K + \frac{\xi_0}{\sqrt{2}} + \xi_{\text{LD}}] \\ + \mathcal{O}(\omega\varepsilon') + \mathcal{O}(\xi_0 \Gamma_2/\Gamma_1)$$

$$X_{\text{SD}} = \text{Im}\lambda_t \left[\text{Re}\lambda_c \eta_{cc} S_0(x_c) - \text{Re}\lambda_t \eta_{tt} S_0(x_t) \right. \\ \left. - (\text{Re}\lambda_c - \text{Re}\lambda_t) \eta_{ct} S_0(x_c, x_t) \right]$$

ε_K and \hat{B}_K, V_{cb} II

$$\lambda_i = V_{is}^* V_{id}, \quad x_i = m_i^2 / M_W^2, \quad C_\varepsilon = \frac{G_F^2 F_K^2 m_K M_W^2}{6\sqrt{2} \pi^2 \Delta M_K}$$

$$\frac{\xi_0}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\text{Im} A_0}{\text{Re} A_0} \approx -5\%$$

$\xi_{\text{LD}} = \text{Long Distance Effect} \approx 2\% \rightarrow \text{a systematic error.}$

- Inami-Lim functions:

$$S_0(x_i) = x_i \left[\frac{1}{4} + \frac{9}{4(1-x_i)} - \frac{3}{2(1-x_i)^2} - \frac{3x_i^2 \ln x_i}{(1-x_i)^3} \right],$$

$$S_0(x_i, x_j) = \left\{ \frac{x_i x_j}{x_i - x_j} \left[\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{2(1-x_i)} - \frac{3}{4(1-x_i)^2} \right] \ln x_i \right. \\ \left. - (i \leftrightarrow j) \right\} - \frac{3x_i x_j}{4(1-x_i)(1-x_j)}$$

ε_K and \hat{B}_K, V_{cb} III

$$S_0(x_t) \longrightarrow + 70\%$$

$$S_0(x_c, x_t) \longrightarrow + 44\%$$

$$S_0(x_c) \longrightarrow - 14\%$$

- Dominant contribution ($\approx 70\%$) comes with $|V_{cb}|^4$.

$$\text{Im}\lambda_t \cdot \text{Re}\lambda_t = \bar{\eta}\lambda^2 |V_{cb}|^4 (1 - \bar{\rho})$$

$$\text{Re}\lambda_c = -\lambda \left(1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2}\right) + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^5)$$

$$\text{Re}\lambda_t = -\left(1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2}\right) A^2 \lambda^5 (1 - \bar{\rho}) + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^7)$$

$$\text{Im}\lambda_t = \eta A^2 \lambda^5 + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^7)$$

ε_K and \hat{B}_K, V_{cb} IV

- Definition of B_K in standard model.

$$B_K = \frac{\langle \bar{K}_0 | [\bar{s}\gamma_\mu(1 - \gamma_5)d] [\bar{s}\gamma_\mu(1 - \gamma_5)d] | K_0 \rangle}{\frac{8}{3} \langle \bar{K}_0 | \bar{s}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5d | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \bar{s}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5d | K_0 \rangle}$$

$$\hat{B}_K = C(\mu)B_K(\mu), \quad C(\mu) = \alpha_s(\mu)^{-\frac{\gamma_0}{2b_0}} [1 + \alpha_s(\mu)J_3]$$

- Experiment:

$$\varepsilon_K = (2.228 \pm 0.011) \times 10^{-3} \times e^{i\phi_\varepsilon}$$

$$\phi_\varepsilon = 43.52(5)^\circ$$

Wolfenstein Parameters

Input Parameters for Angle-Only-Fit (AOF)

- ε_K , \hat{B}_K , and $|V_{cb}|$ are used as inputs to determine the UT angles in the global fit of UTfit and CKMfitter.
- Instead, we can use angle-only-fit result for the UT apex $(\bar{\rho}, \bar{\eta})$.
- Then, we can take λ independently from

$$|V_{us}| = \lambda + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^7),$$

which comes from K_{l3} and $K_{\mu 2}$.

- Use $|V_{cb}|$ instead of A .

$$|V_{cb}| = A\lambda^2 + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^7)$$

λ	0.22537(61)	[1] CKMfitter
	0.2255(6)	[1] UTfit
	0.2253(8)	[1] $ V_{us} $ (AOF)
$\bar{\rho}$	0.117(21)	[1] CKMfitter
	0.124(24)	[1] UTfit
	0.139(29)	[2] UTfit (AOF)
$\bar{\eta}$	0.353(13)	[1] CKMfitter
	0.354(15)	[1] UTfit
	0.337(16)	[2] UTfit (AOF)

Input Parameters of B_K , V_{cb} and others

B_K

\hat{B}_K	0.7661(99)	[3] FLAG
	0.7379(47)(365)	[4] SWME

V_{cb}

$V_{cb} \times 10^{-3}$	42.21(78)	[5] Incl.
	39.04(49)(53)(19)	[6] Excl.

Others

G_F	$1.1663787(6) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$	[1]
M_W	80.385(15) GeV	[1]
$m_c(m_c)$	1.275(25) GeV	[1]
$m_t(m_t)$	163.3(2.7) GeV	[7]
η_{cc}	1.72(27)	[8]
η_{tt}	0.5765(65)	[9]
η_{ct}	0.496(47)	[10]
θ	$43.52(5)^\circ$	[1]
m_{K^0}	497.614(24) MeV	[1]
ΔM_K	$3.484(6) \times 10^{-12} \text{ MeV}$	[1]
F_K	156.2(7) MeV	[1]

ξ_0

Input Parameters

$$\xi_0 = \frac{\text{Im}A_0}{\text{Re}A_0}$$

ξ_0	$-1.63(19)(20) \times 10^{-4}$	[11]
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- RBC-UKQCD collaboration performs lattice calculation of $\text{Im}A_2$. From this result, ξ_0 can be obtained by the relation

$$\text{Re}\left(\frac{\varepsilon'_K}{\varepsilon_K}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}|\varepsilon_K|} \omega \left(\frac{\text{Im}A_2}{\text{Re}A_2} - \xi_0 \right).$$

Other inputs ω , ε_K and $\varepsilon'_K/\varepsilon_K$ are taken from the experimental values.

- Here, we choose an approximation of $\cos(\phi_{\varepsilon'} - \phi_\varepsilon) \approx 1$.
- $\phi_\varepsilon = 43.52(5)$, $\phi_{\varepsilon'} = 42.3(1.5)$

ξ_{LD}

Input Parameters

- Definition of ξ_{LD}

$$\xi_{LD} = \frac{m'_{LD}}{\sqrt{2}\Delta M_K}$$

$$m'_{LD} = -\text{Im} \left[\mathcal{P} \sum_C \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_w | C \rangle \langle C | H_w | K^0 \rangle}{m_{K^0} - E_C} \right]$$

- We incorporate the contribution of ξ_{LD} as follows.

$$\xi_{LD} = (0 \pm 1.6)\% \quad \leftarrow \text{Ref. [12]}$$

ε_K : FLAG \hat{B}_K , AOF of $(\bar{\rho}, \bar{\eta})$, V_{us}

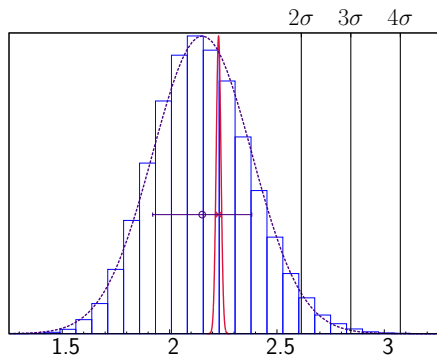


Figure: Inclusive V_{cb}

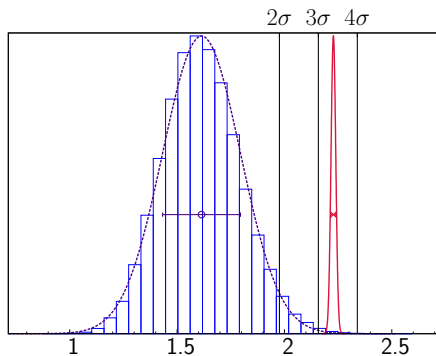


Figure: Exclusive V_{cb}

- With exclusive V_{cb} , it shows 3.4σ tension.

$$\varepsilon_K^{Exp} = 2.228(11) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\varepsilon_K^{SM} = 1.61(18) \times 10^{-3}$$

ε_K : SWME \hat{B}_K , AOF of $(\bar{\rho}, \bar{\eta})$, V_{us}

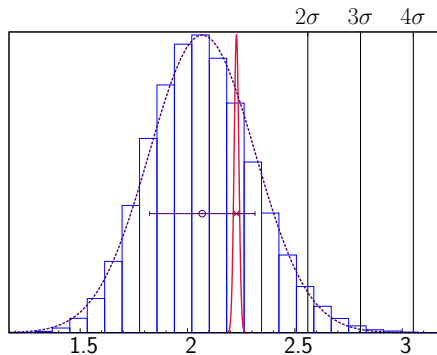


Figure: Inclusive V_{cb}

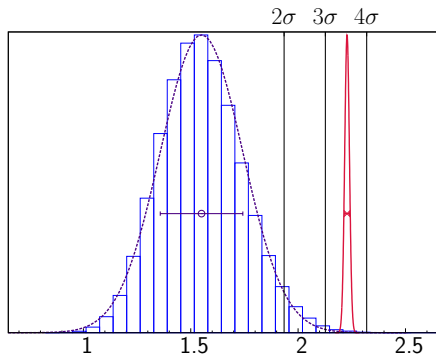


Figure: Exclusive V_{cb}

- With exclusive V_{cb} , it shows 3.5σ tension.

$$\varepsilon_K^{Exp} = 2.228(11) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\varepsilon_K^{SM} = 1.55(19) \times 10^{-3}$$

Current Status of ε_K

- FLAG: (in units of 1.0×10^{-3} , AOF)

$$\varepsilon_K = 1.61 \pm 0.18 \quad \text{for Exclusive } V_{cb} \text{ (Lattice QCD)}$$

$$\varepsilon_K = 2.15 \pm 0.23 \quad \text{for Inclusive } V_{cb} \text{ (QCD Sum Rule)}$$

- Experiments:

$$\varepsilon_K = 2.228 \pm 0.011$$

- Hence, we observe 3.4σ difference between the SM theory (Lattice QCD) and experiments.
- What does this mean? \rightarrow Breakdown of SM ?

Error Budget of Exclusive ε_K

cause	error (%)	memo
V_{cb}	39.3	Exclusive (FNAL/MILC)
$\bar{\eta}$	20.4	AOF
η_{ct}	16.9	$c-t$ Box
η_{cc}	7.1	$c-c$ Box
$\bar{\rho}$	5.4	AOF
m_t	2.4	
ξ_0	2.2	$\text{Im}(A_0)/\text{Re}(A_0)$
ξ_{LD}	2.0	Long-distance
\hat{B}_K	1.5	FLAG
m_c	1.0	Charm quark mass
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots

Conclusion and Future Outlook

- 1 Lattice determination of ε_K from the standard model with the exclusive V_{cb} channel shows **3.4 σ tension** compared with the experiment.
- 2 However, in the inclusive V_{cb} channel determined from the QCD sum rules, we observe no tension.
- 3 The dominant systematic error in ε_K comes from V_{cb} in the exclusive channel.
- 4 Hence, it becomes crucial to reduce the theoretical error of V_{cb} down to $\approx 0.5\%$ level: \longleftrightarrow the OK action.
- 5 **Thank God very much for your help!!!**

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