

# Spin of the nucleon: Experimental Overview

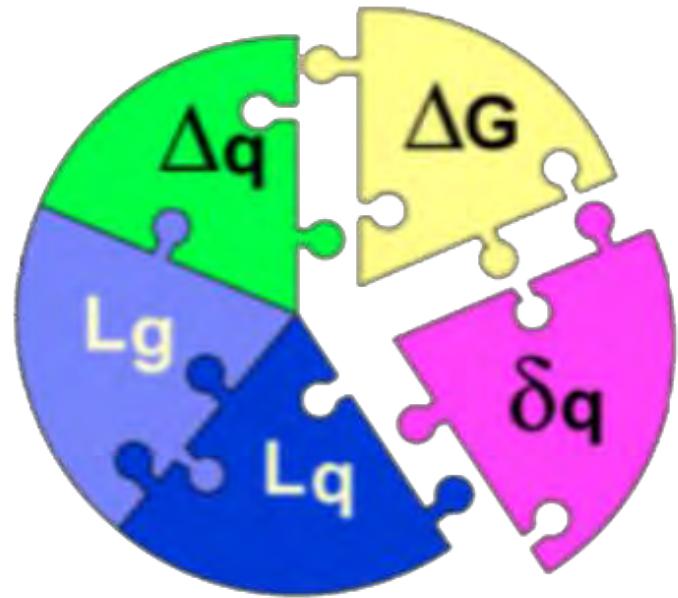


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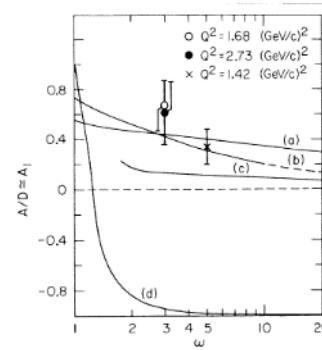
# Outline

- Introduction
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- TMDs
- GPDs
- Outlook



# Introduction

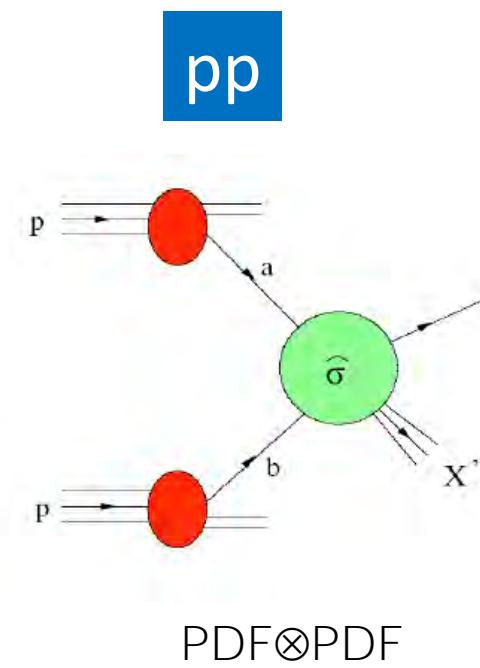
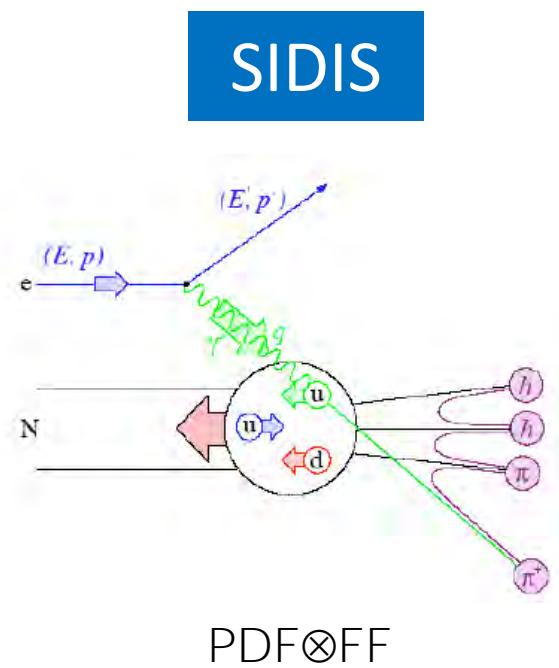
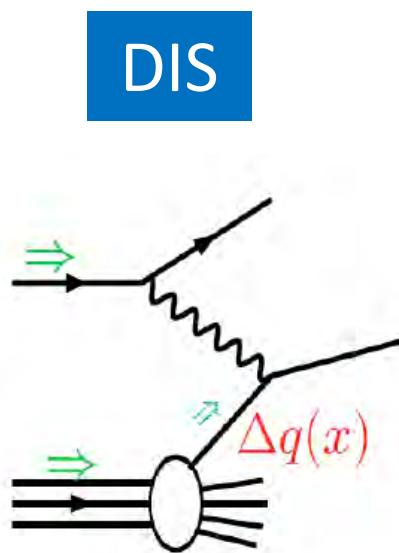
- Nucleon spin structure measurements are not easy
- The start: 1971 approval of Yale-SLAC experiment E80, data 1976
- After more than 4 decades we learned a lot ...  
**... and new questions arose.**
- From collinear to TMD and 3D structure of the nucleon



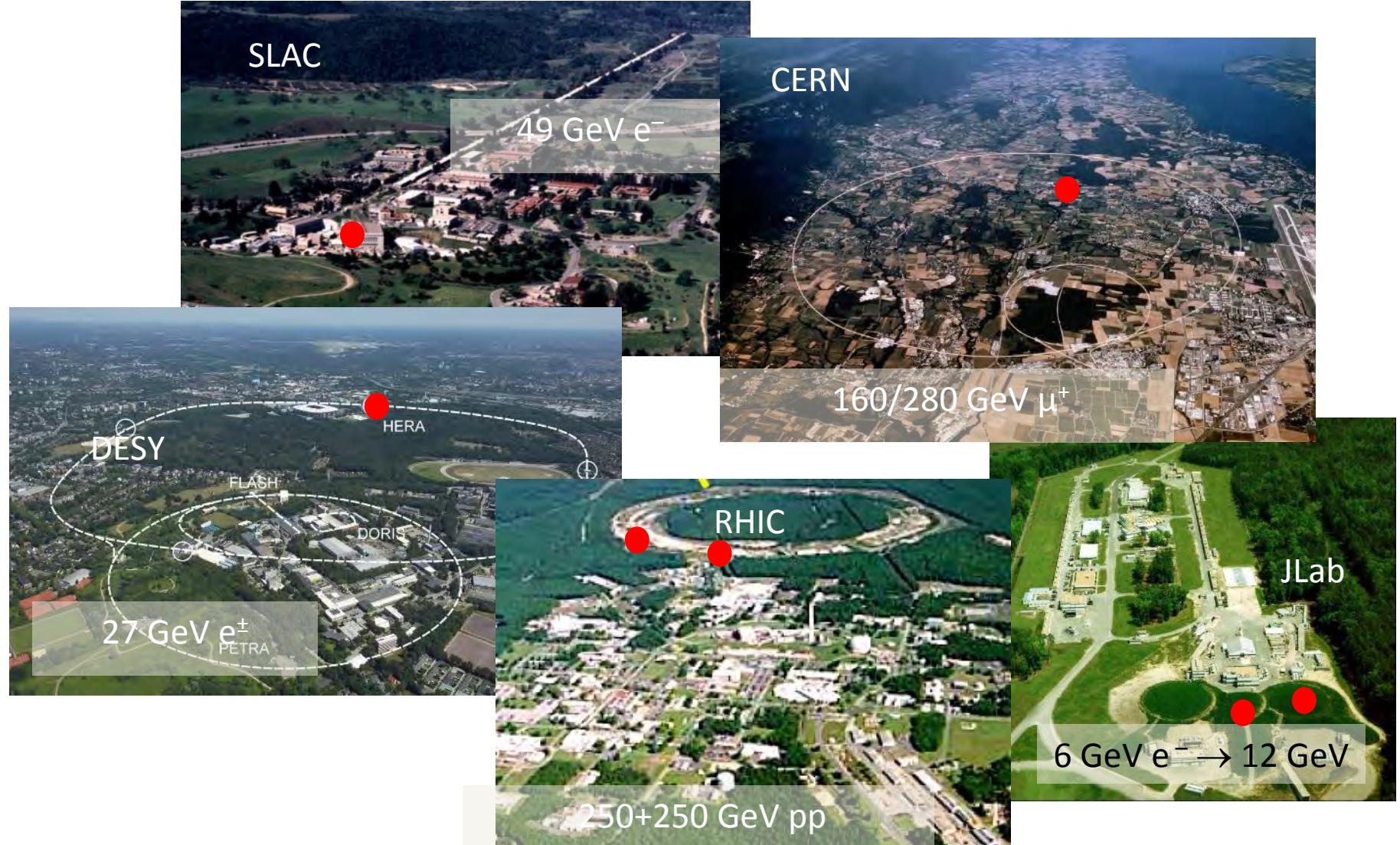
# Tools to study the partonic nucleon structure

Factorisation of hard interaction and nonperturbative nucleon structure/fragmentation:

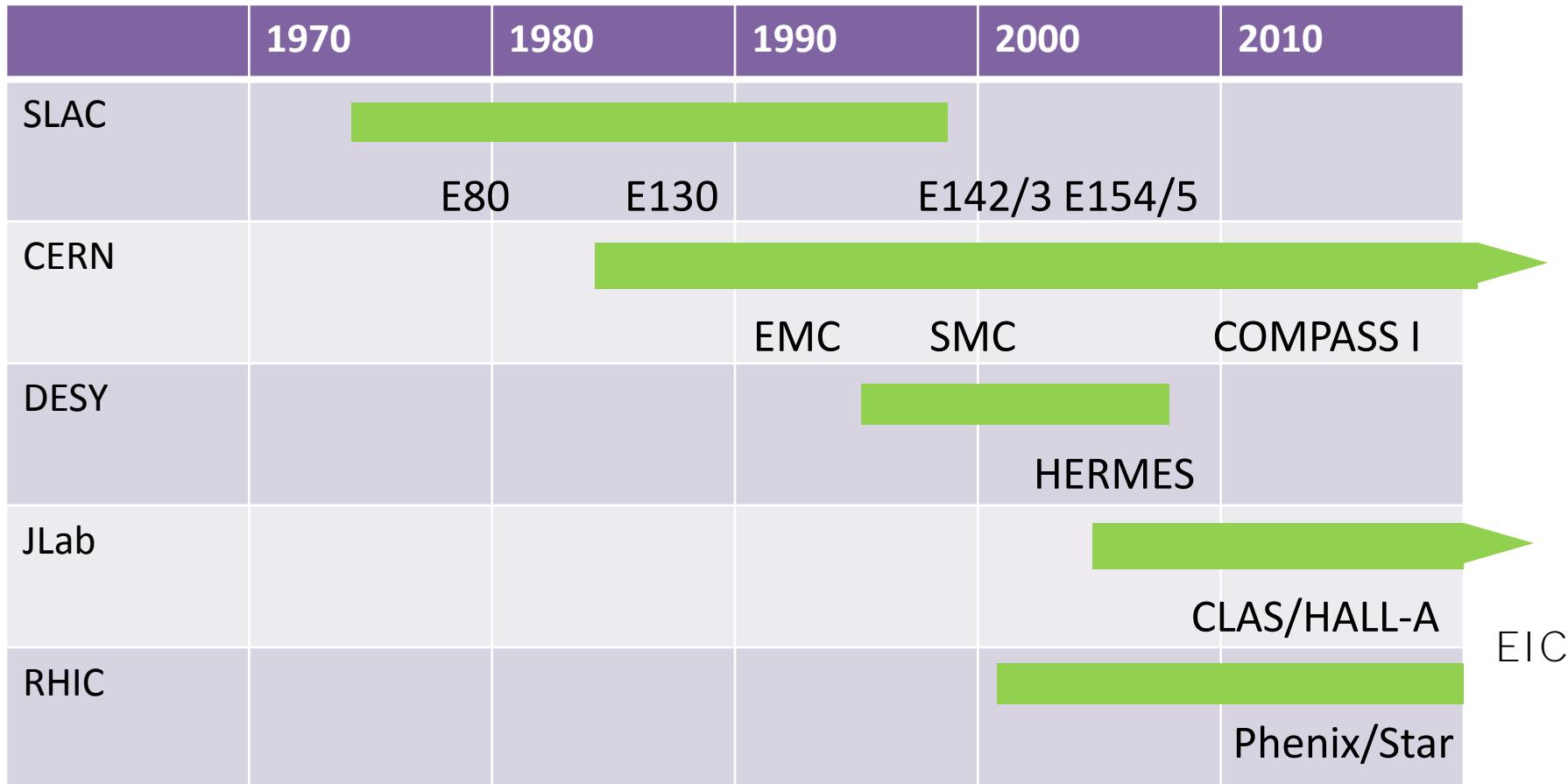
- PDF parton distribution functions
- FF fragmentation functions



# Laboratories



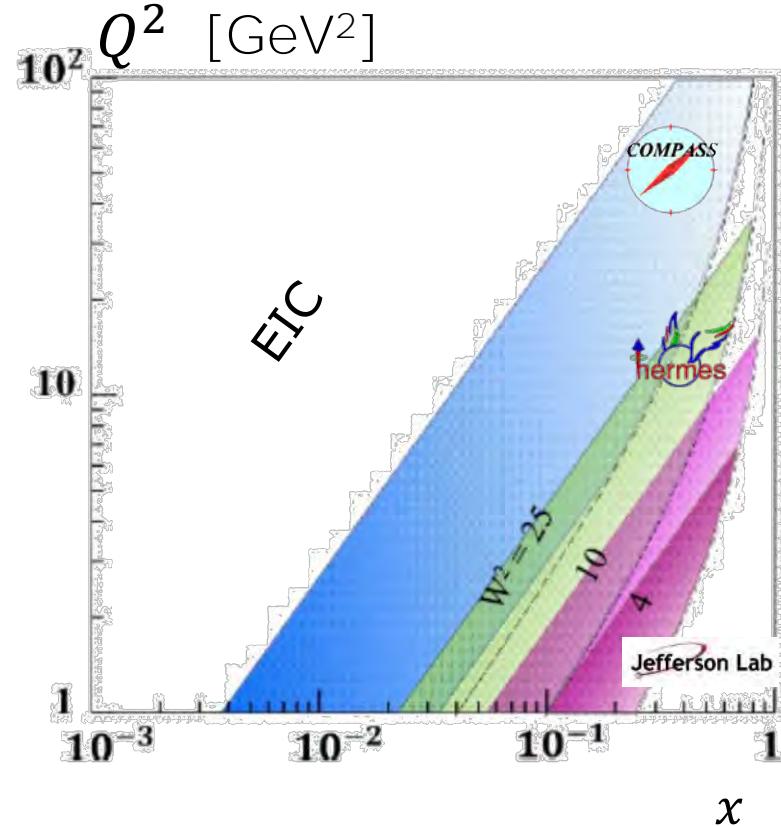
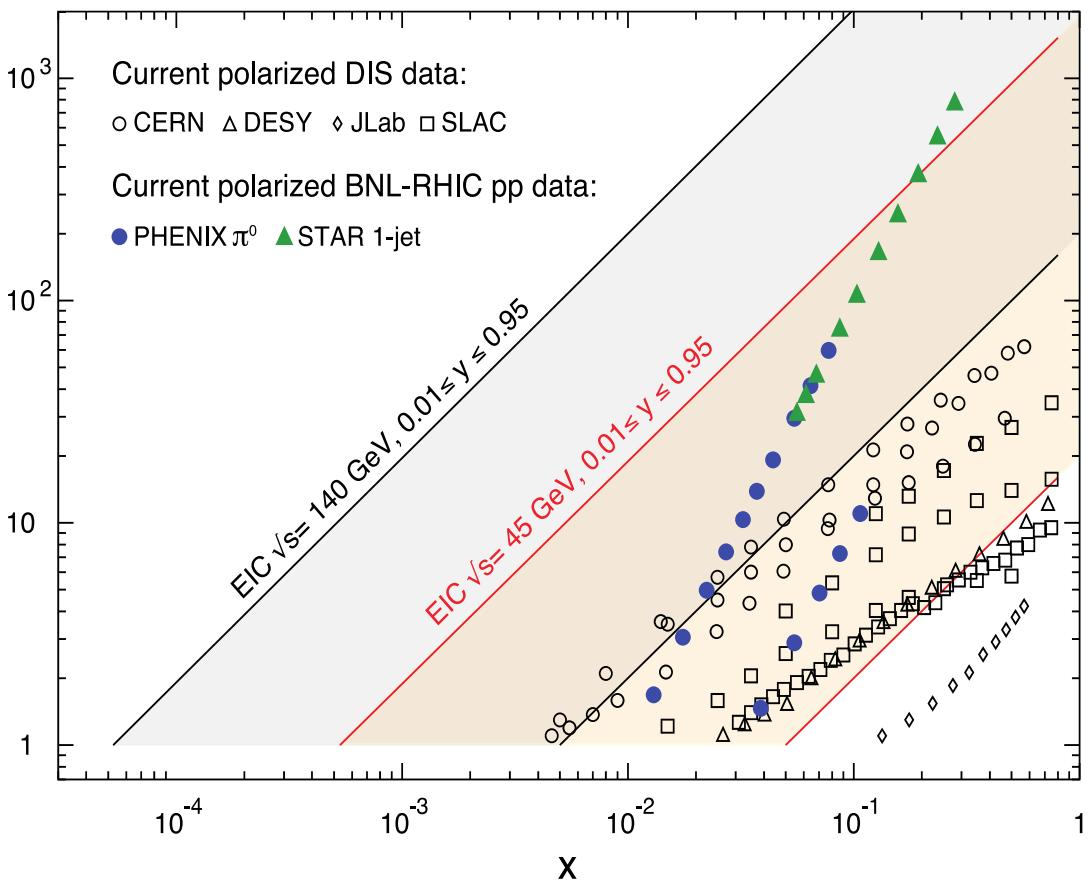
# Global effort: Pol. DIS/pp



- A worldwide effort since decades

# Kinematic reach

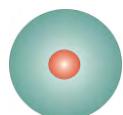
- similar  $x$  ranges as in DIS and  $pp$
- much higher  $Q^2$  in  $pp$  (RHIC: 250 + 250 GeV)



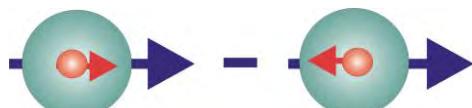
# Structure: Parton Distribution Functions

Three twist-2 PDFs

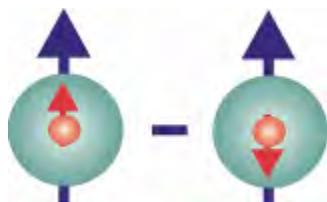
$$q(x)$$
$$f_1^q(x)$$



$$\Delta q(x)$$
$$g_1^q(x)$$



$$\Delta_T q(x)$$
$$h_1^q(x)$$



## unpolarised PDF

quark/gluon with momentum  $xP$  in a nucleon

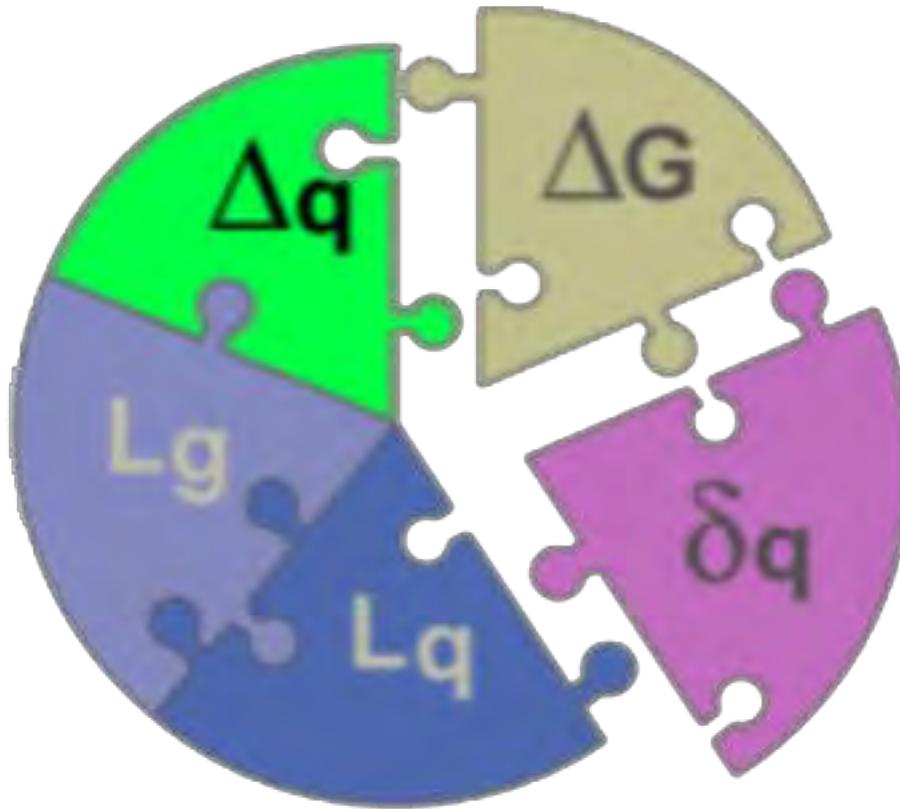
## helicity PDF

quark/gluon with spin parallel to the nucleon spin in a longitudinally polarised nucleon

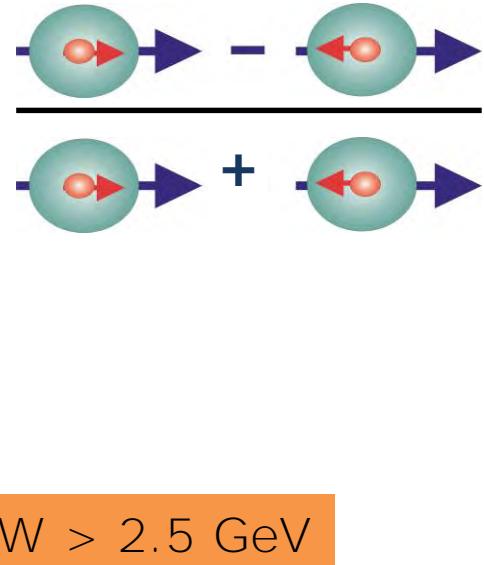
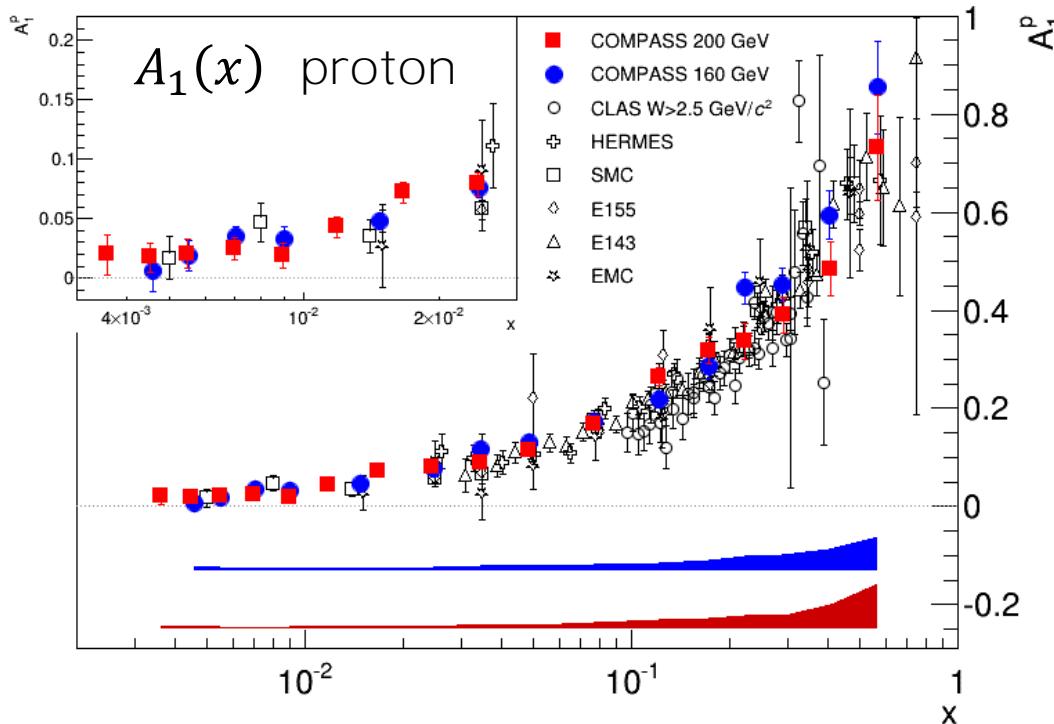
## transversity PDF

quark with spin parallel to the nucleon spin in a transversely polarised nucleon

# Quark polarisation



# World data on proton $A_1$ spin asymmetry

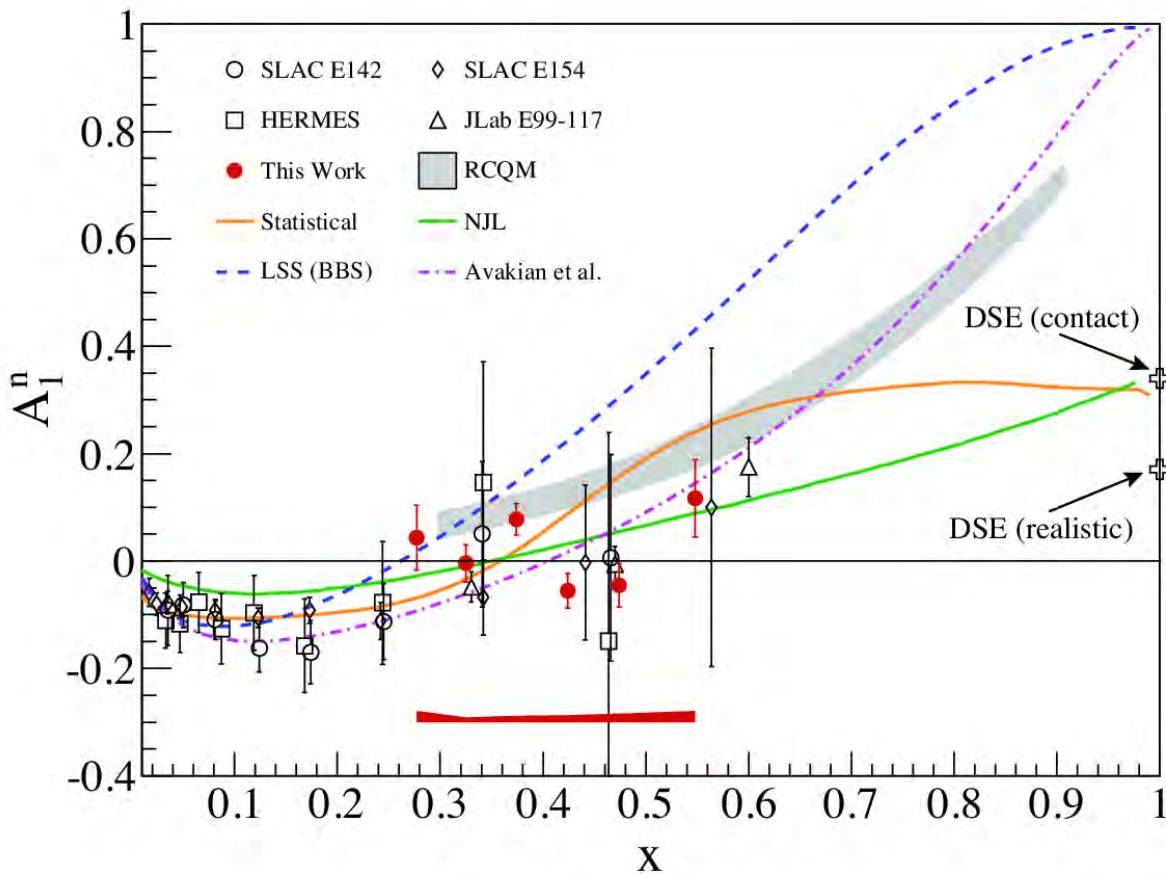


$$A_1(x, Q^2) = \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 \Delta q(x, Q^2)}{\sum_q e_q^2 q(x, Q^2)} = \frac{g_1(x, Q^2)}{F_1(x, Q^2)}$$

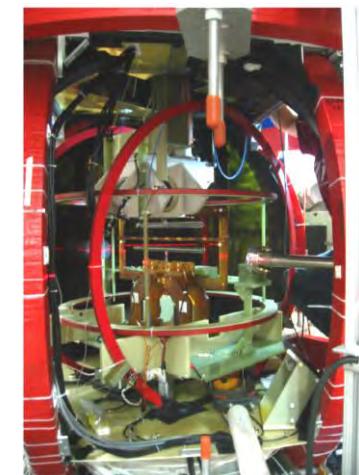
# Hall A: precise $A_1^n$ data



- Consistent with zero-crossing around  $x = 0.5$



$^3\text{He}$  gas target



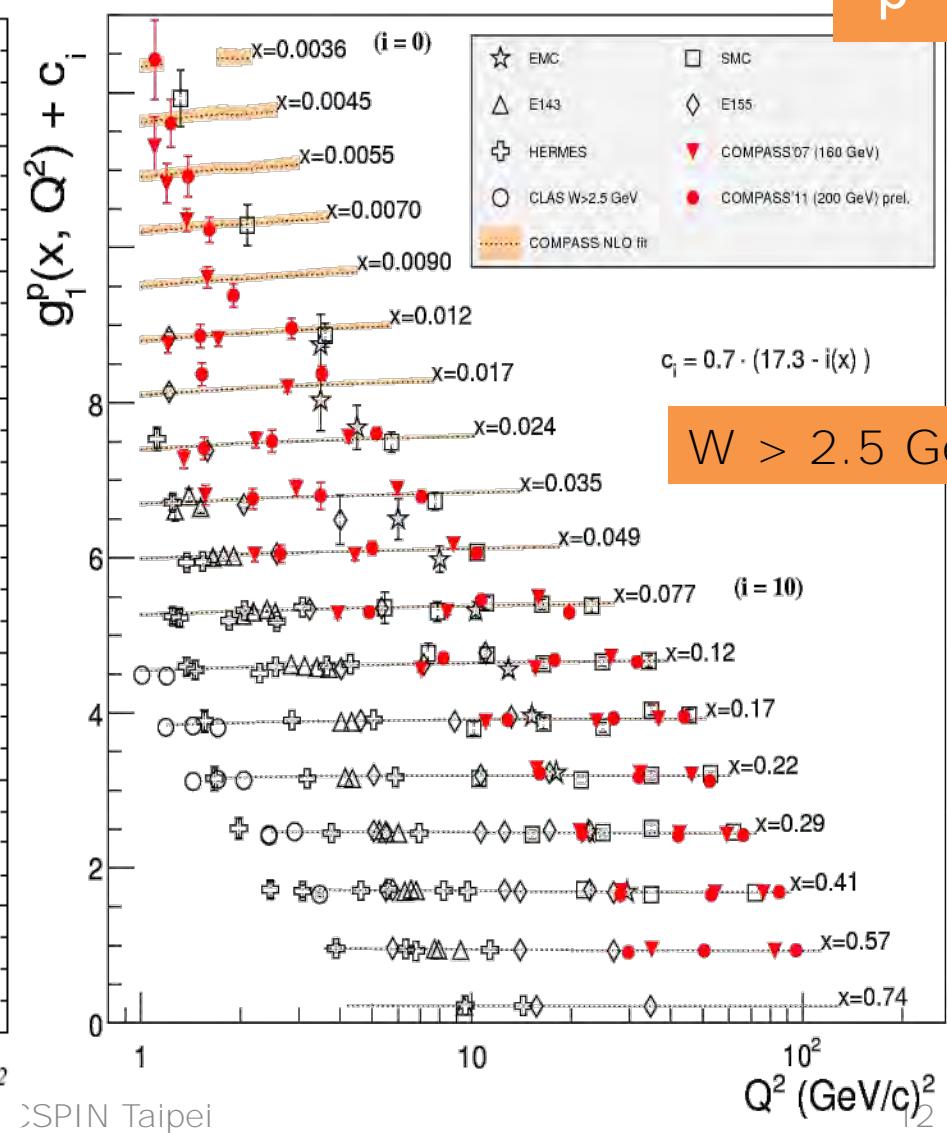
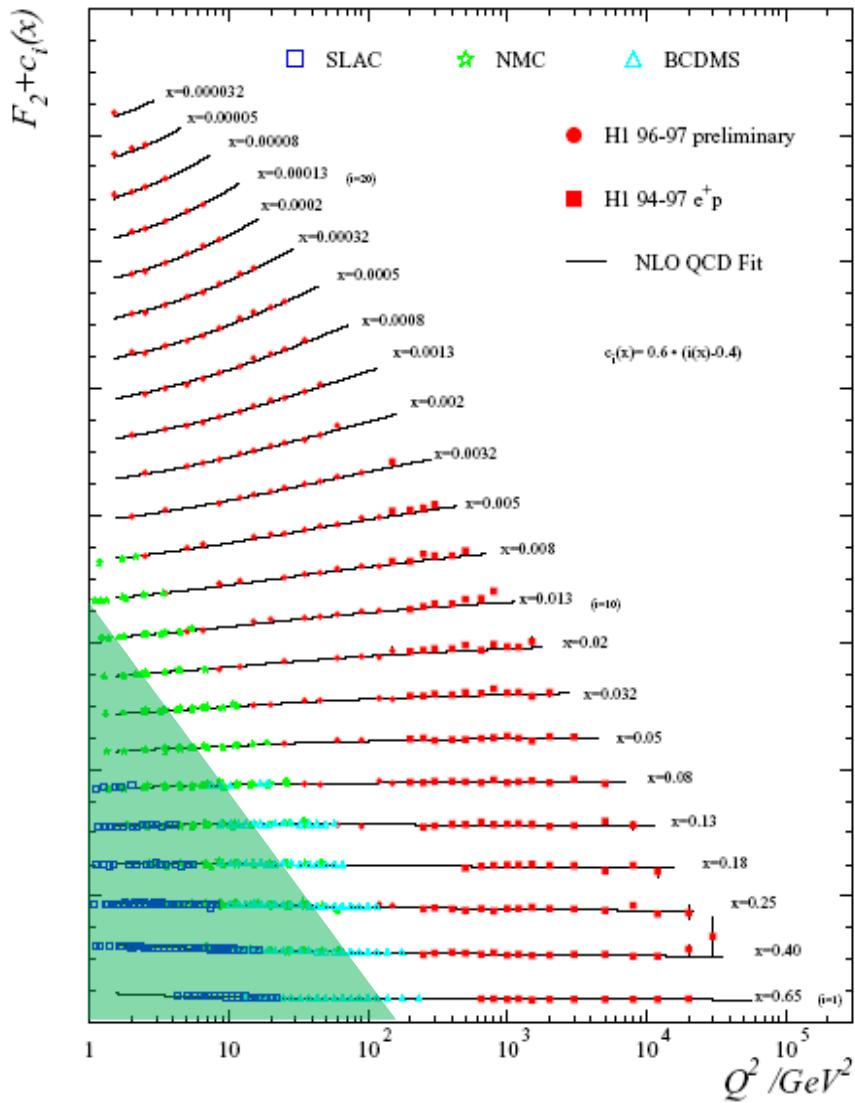
$F_2(x, Q^2)$



$g_1(x, Q^2)$



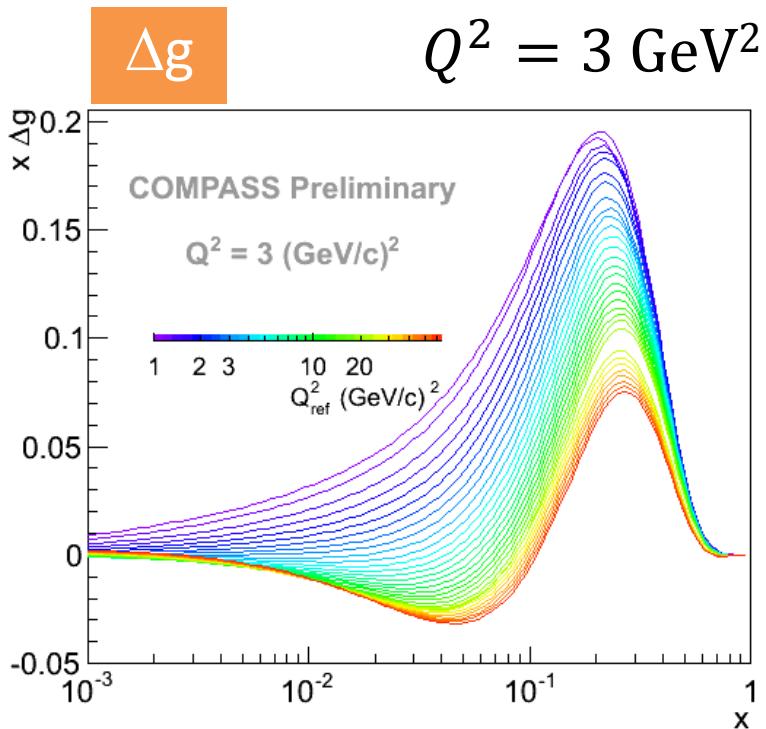
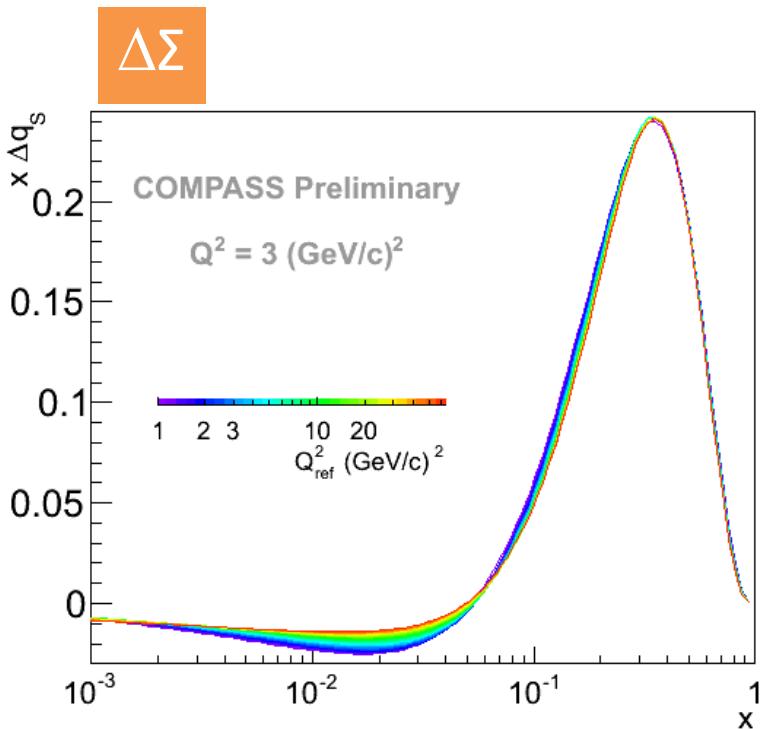
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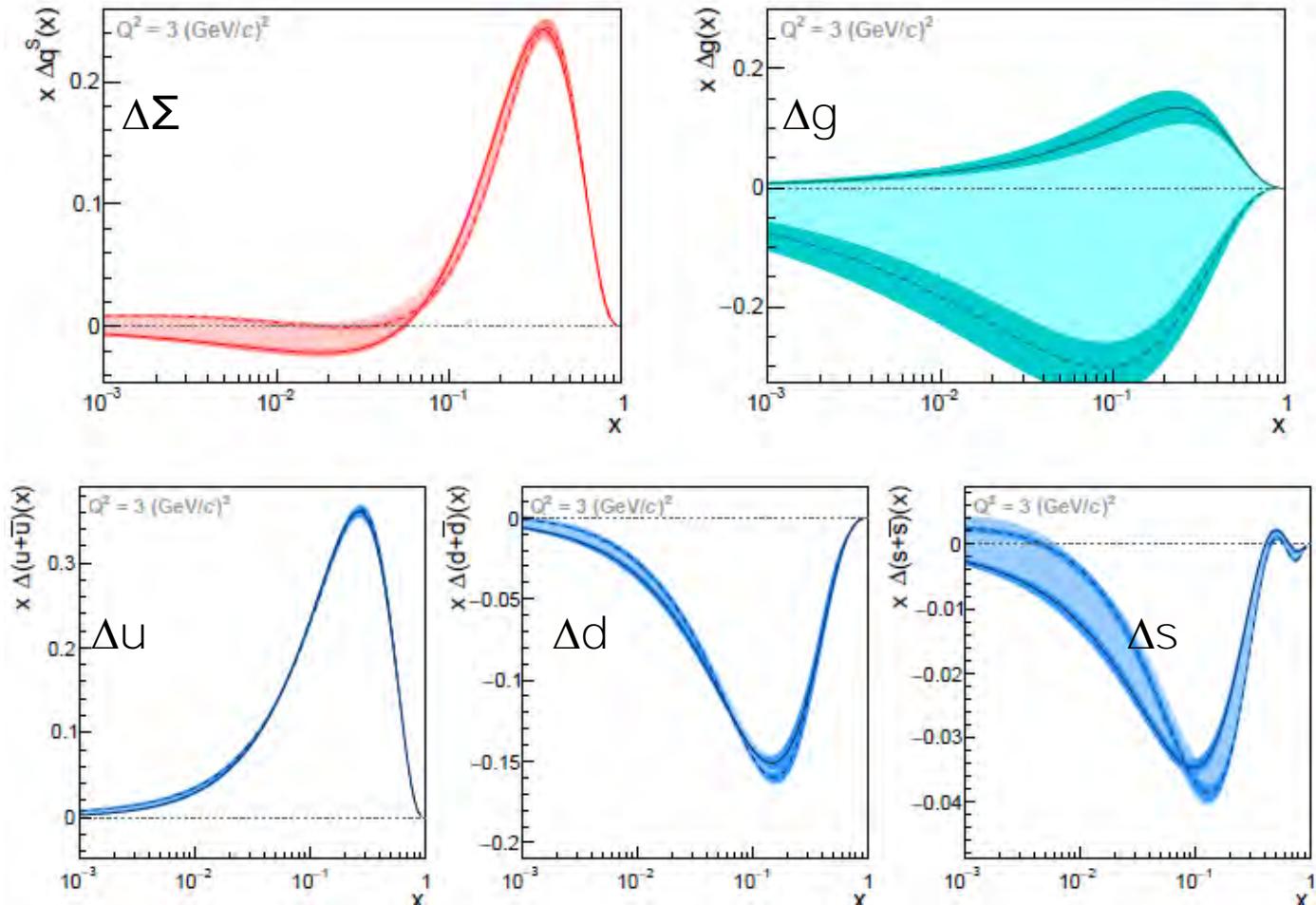
# NLO QCD fit to world DIS data



- study of PDF shapes,  $Q_{\text{ref}}^2$  dependence



# NLO QCD fit to world DIS data



$$Q^2 = 3 \text{ GeV}^2$$

integrals:

$$0.27 \leq \Delta\Sigma \leq 0.39$$

$$-1.6 \leq \Delta g \leq 0.5$$

$$0.82 \leq \Delta u \leq 0.85$$

$$-0.45 \leq \Delta d \leq -0.42$$

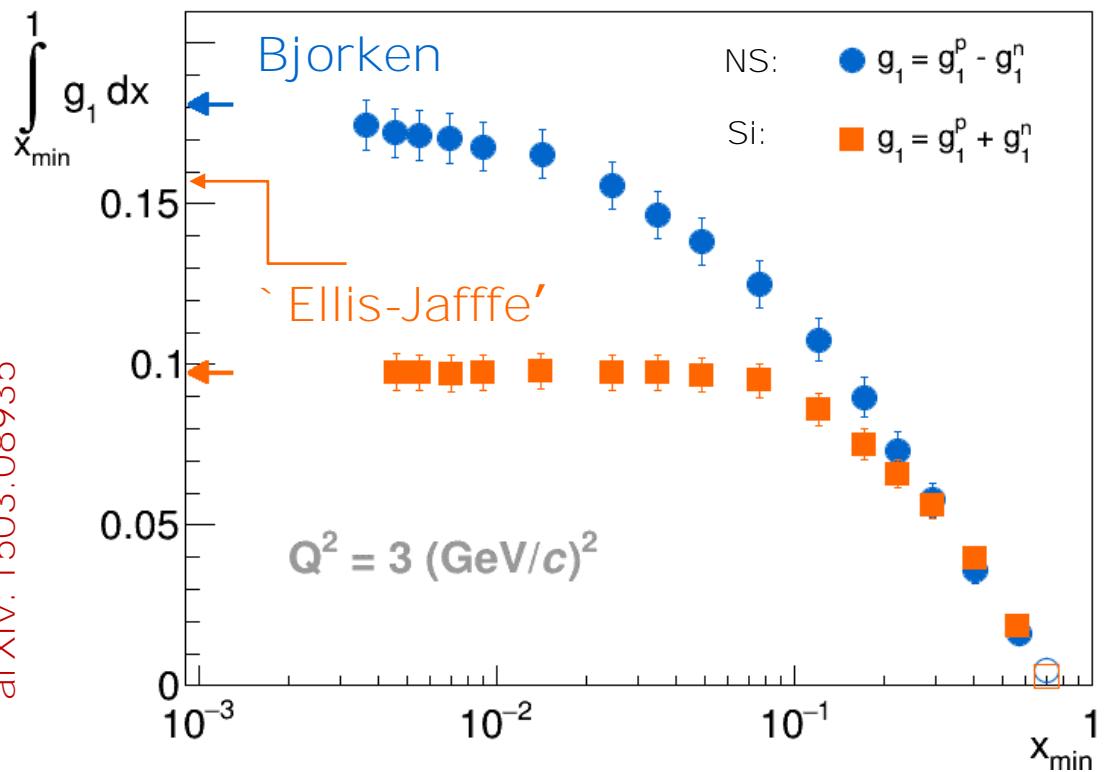
$$-0.11 \leq \Delta s \leq -0.08$$

using different functional shapes and  $Q_0^2$

- come back to World data fits incl. SIDIS and pp later

# Sum rules

arXiv:1503.08935



$$\Gamma_1^{NS}(Q^2) = \frac{1}{6} \left| \frac{g_A}{g_V} \right| c_1^{NS}(Q^2)$$

Bjorken sum rule  
verified to 9%

- BJ SR major contribution from small  $x$
- EJ SR no contribution at small  $x$

COMPASS data only:  $|g_A/g_V| = 1.22 \pm 0.05 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.10 \text{ (syst.)}$   
 from neutron  $\beta$  decay:  $|g_A/g_V| = 1.2723 \pm 0.0023$

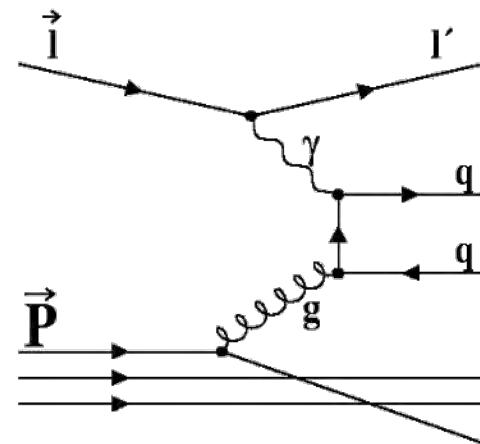
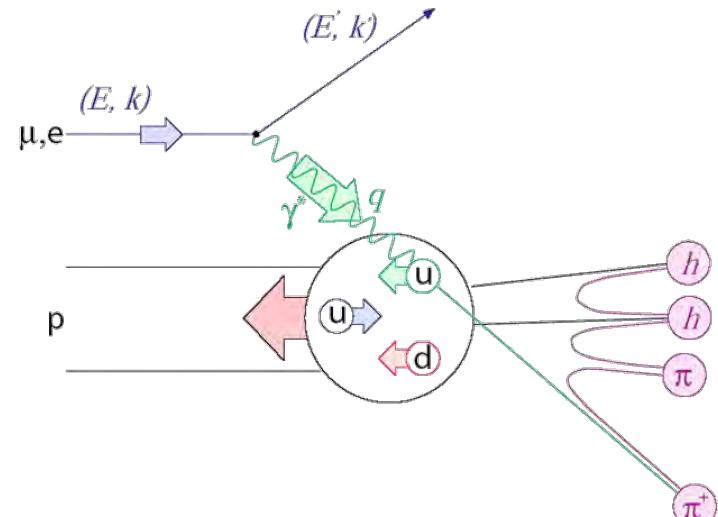
# Semi-inclusive DIS results

- additional hadron observed in FS

$$A_1^h = \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 g_1^q(x, Q^2) D_{1q}^h(z, Q^2)}{\sum_q e_q^2 f_1^q(x, Q^2) D_{1q}^h(z, Q^2)}$$

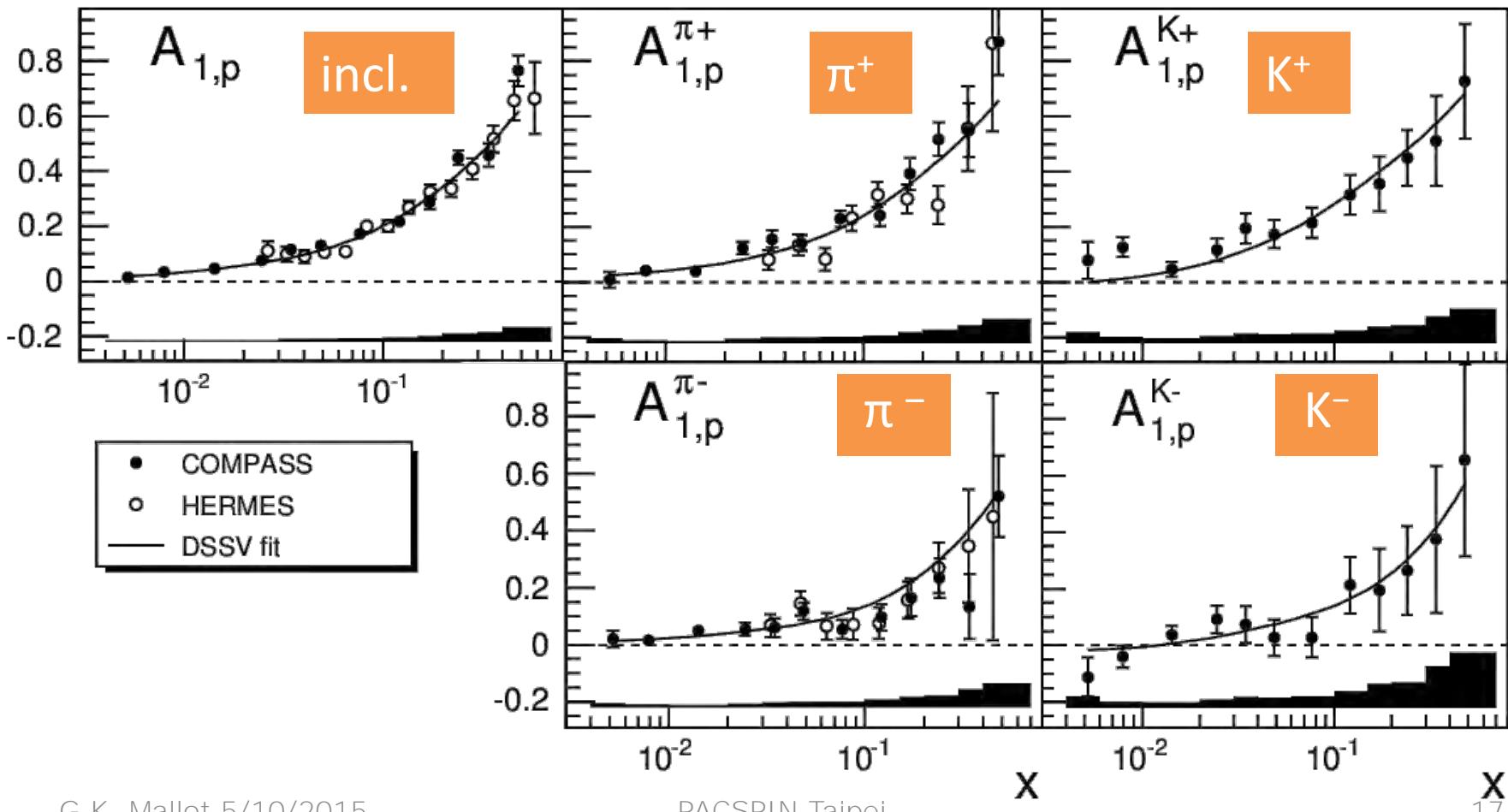
- gives access to flavour information via the fragmentation functions  $D$   
 $z = E_h/\nu$

- photon-gluon fusion gives access to the gluon polarisation
- particularly interesting open charm production via  $c\bar{c}$



# Incl. & semi-incl. $A_1$

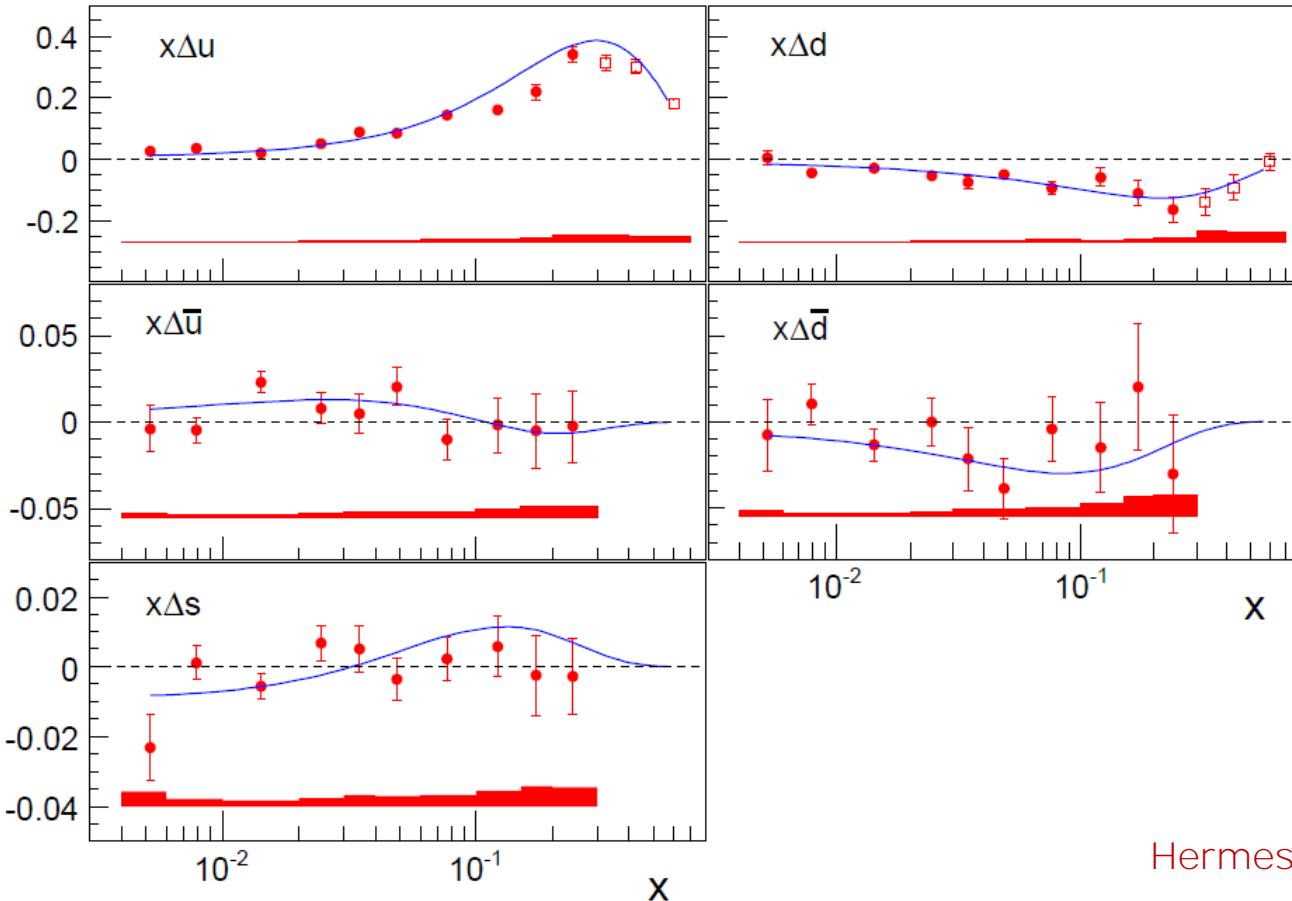
- Compass and Hermes data for proton
- similar data for deuteron



# The role of quark flavours

LO analysis of 5p+5d asymmetries, DSS FF  
 Line: NLO DSSV not including these data

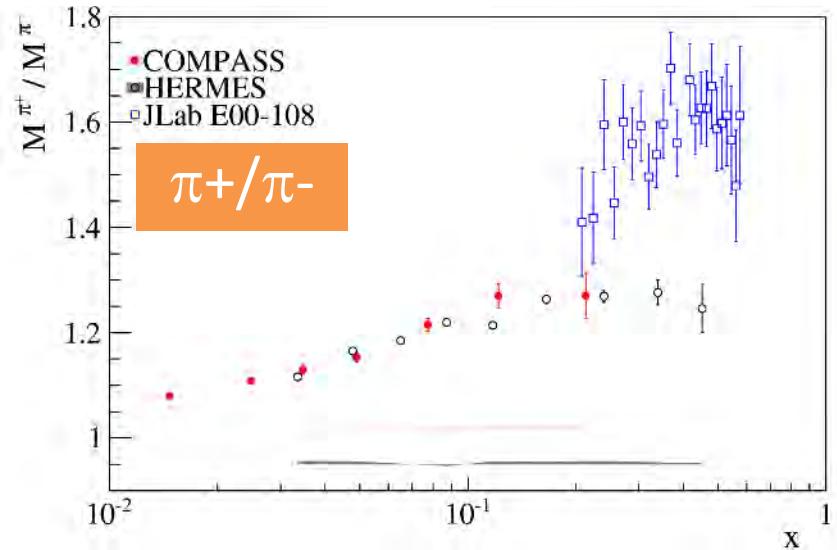
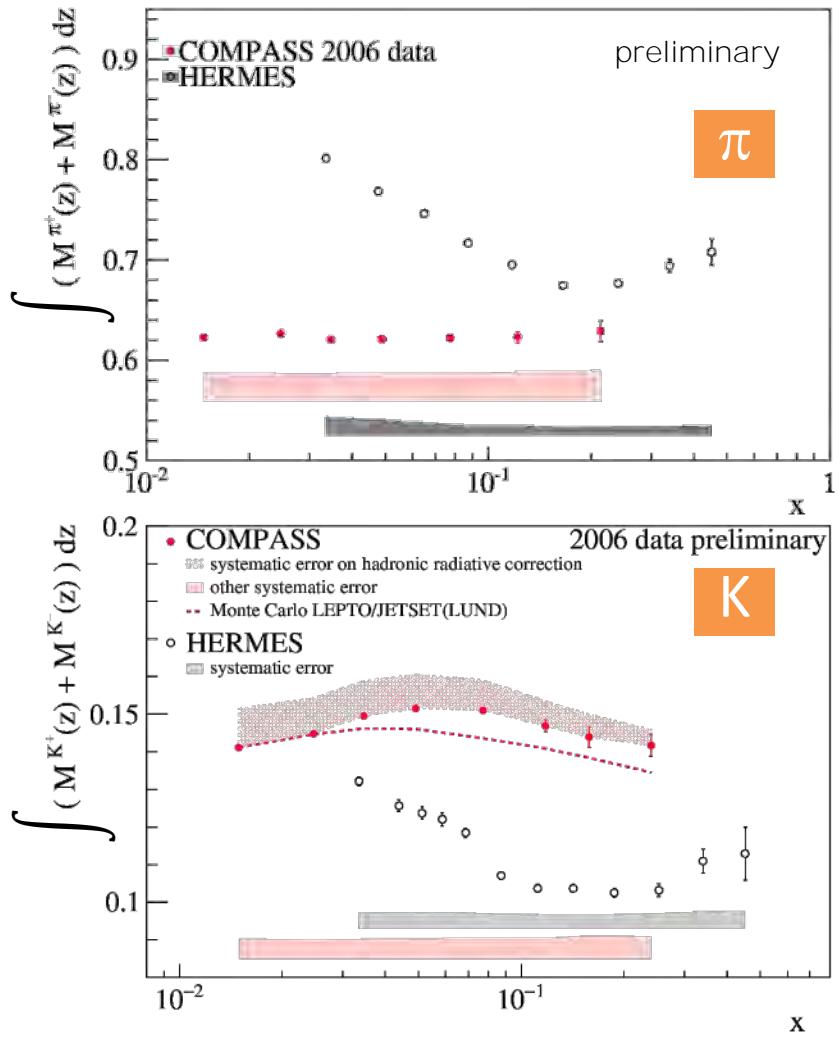
5-flavour fit,  
 assuming  $\Delta s = \bar{\Delta} s$



PLB693 (2010) 227

Hermes: PRD 71 (2005) 012003

# pion and kaon multiplicities (unpol)

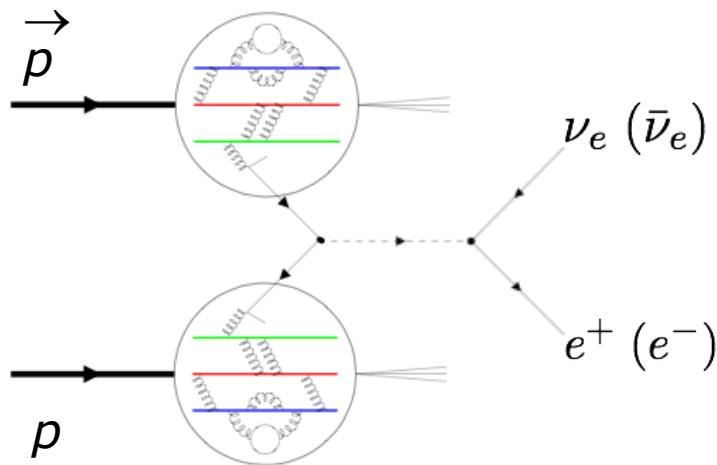


- $\frac{dM^h(x, y, z)}{dz} = \frac{1}{N^{DIS}(x, y)} \frac{dN^h(x, y, z)}{dz}$
- deuteron data, int. over  $z$ ,  $p_T$ ,  $Q^2$
- large discrepancies in multiplicities
- ratio  $\pi^+/\pi^-$  ok,  $K^+/K^-$  differ  $\sim 20\%$
- Compass data being finalized
- impact on FF  $\rightarrow$  strange quark PDF

Hermes K: PRD 89 (2014) 097101;  $\pi$ : PRD 87 (2013) 074029

# W production & antiquark polarisation

- $\vec{p}\bar{p}$  collisions at 250 GeV+ 250 GeV
- $u_L \bar{d}_R \rightarrow W^+$  and  $\bar{u}_R d_L \rightarrow W^-$
- parity-violating long. SSA:  $A_L = \frac{\sigma^+ - \sigma^-}{\sigma^+ + \sigma^-}$
- sensitive to antiquark polarisation

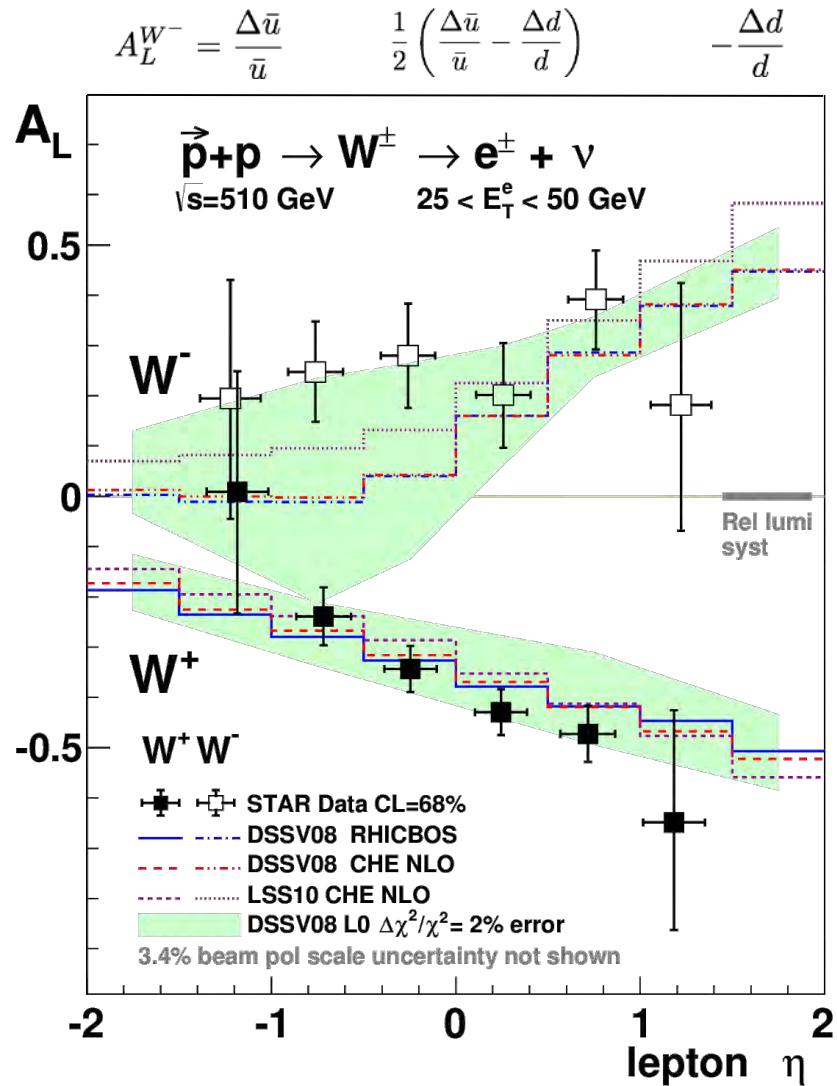


signature: high  $p_T$  lepton  
$$\eta_e = -\ln \left[ \tan \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right) \right]$$

# W production in $pp$



- run 11+12,  $|\eta_e| < 1.2$
- $A_L$  larger than expect. for  $W^- @ \eta < 0$
- indication for a sizable, positive up antiquark polarization
- $0.05 < x < 0.2$



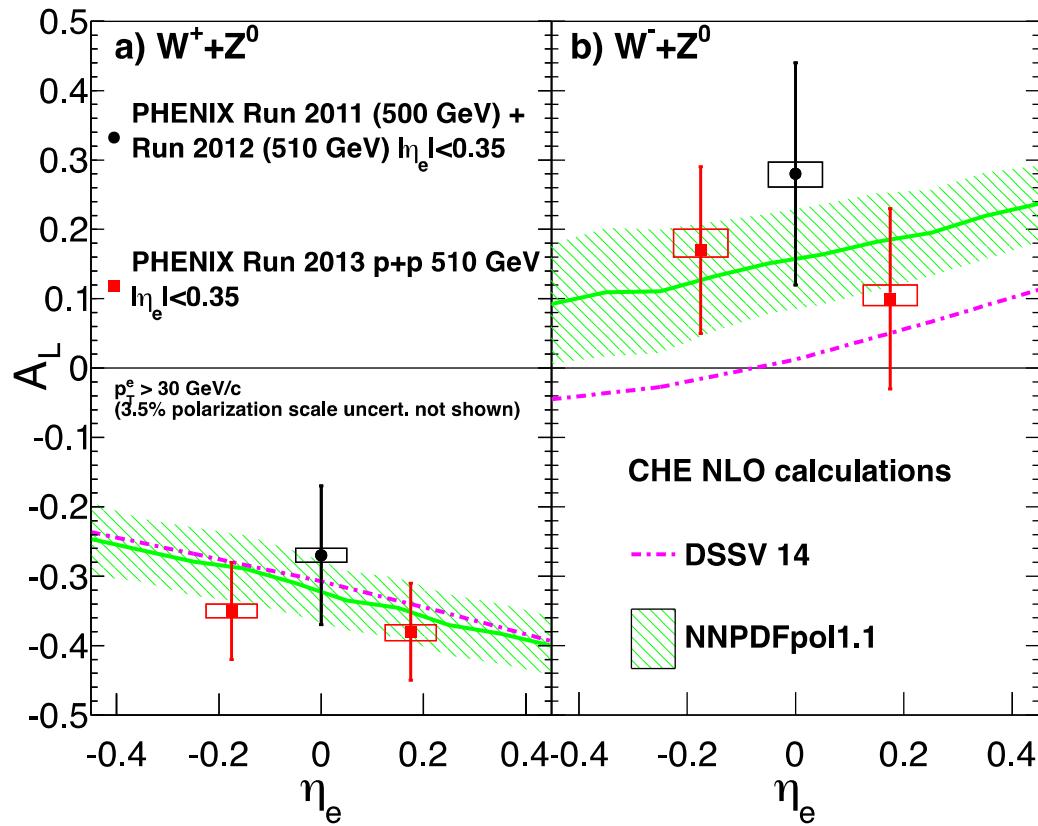
# W production in $pp$



- Run 12+13,  $|\eta| < 0.35$
- also larger  $A_L$  for  $W^-$  wrt to DSSV14
- recent NNPDF1.1 includes RHIC W data

NNPDF: NPB 887 (2014) 276

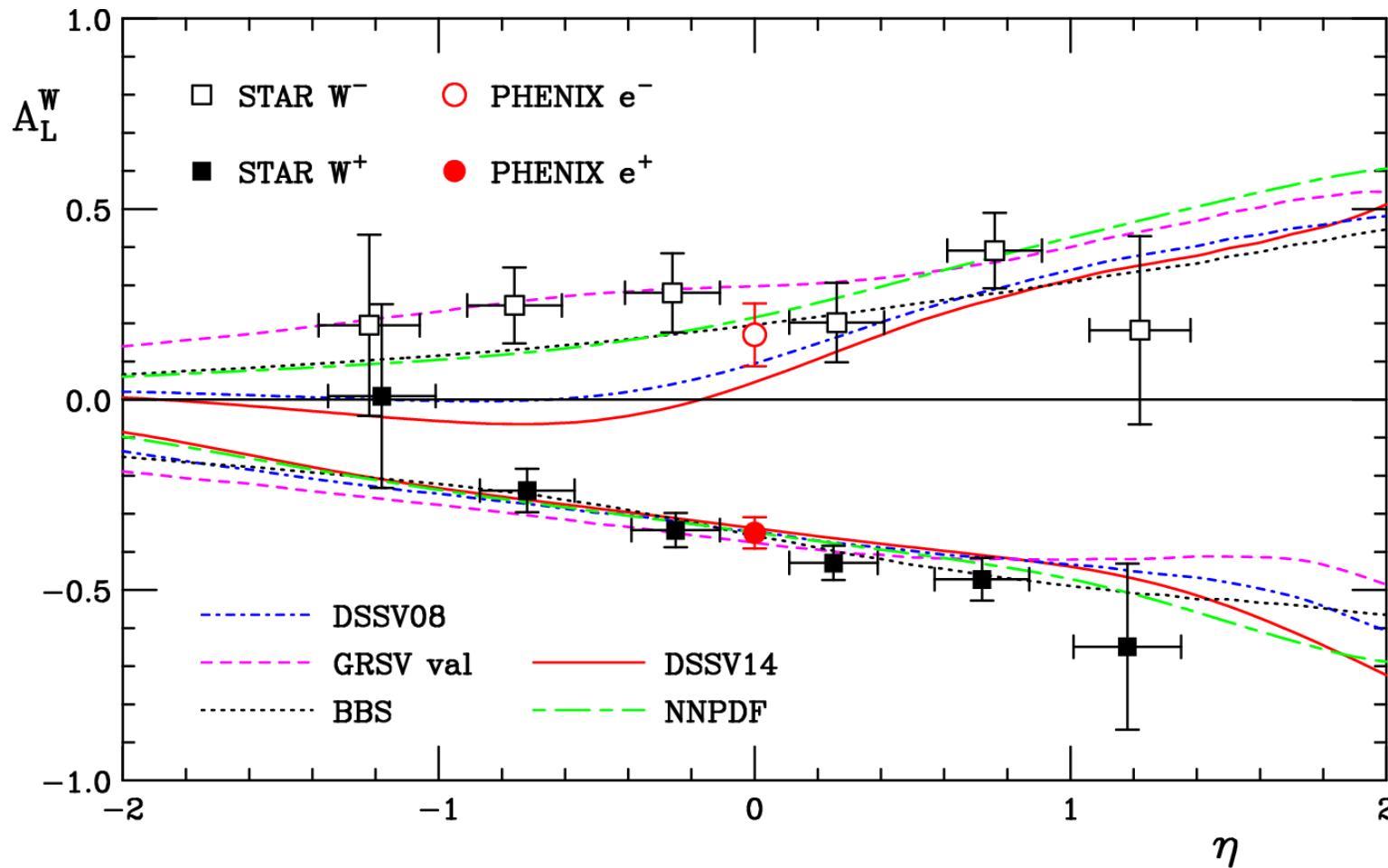
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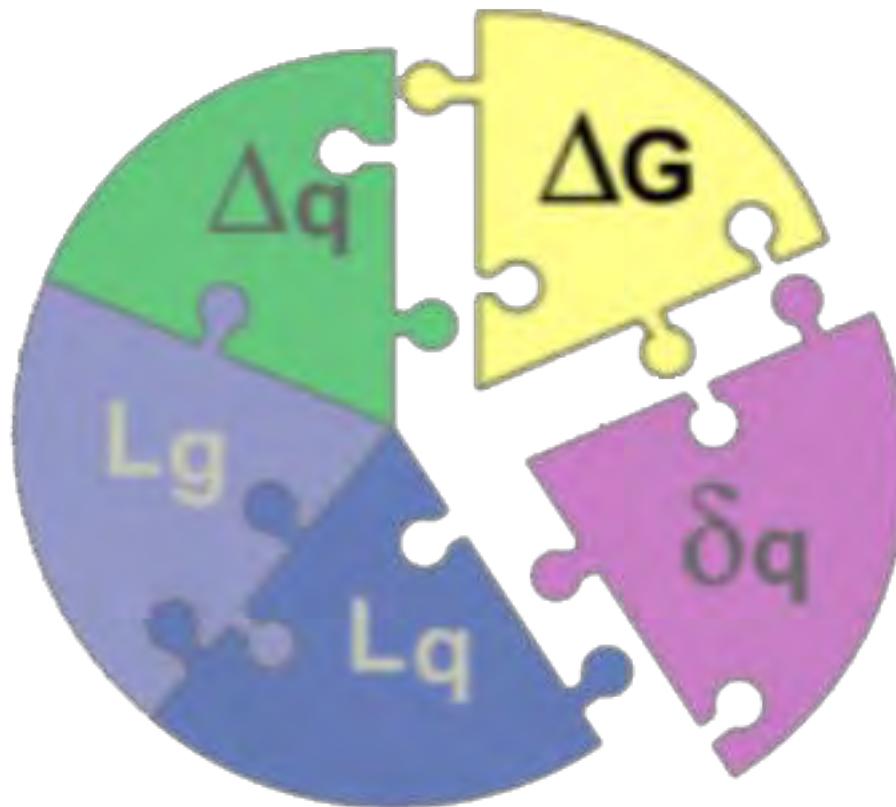
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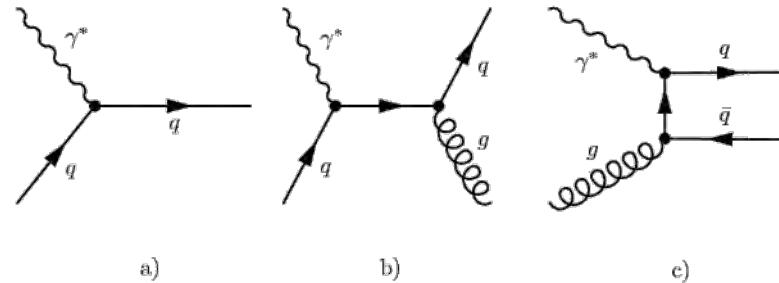
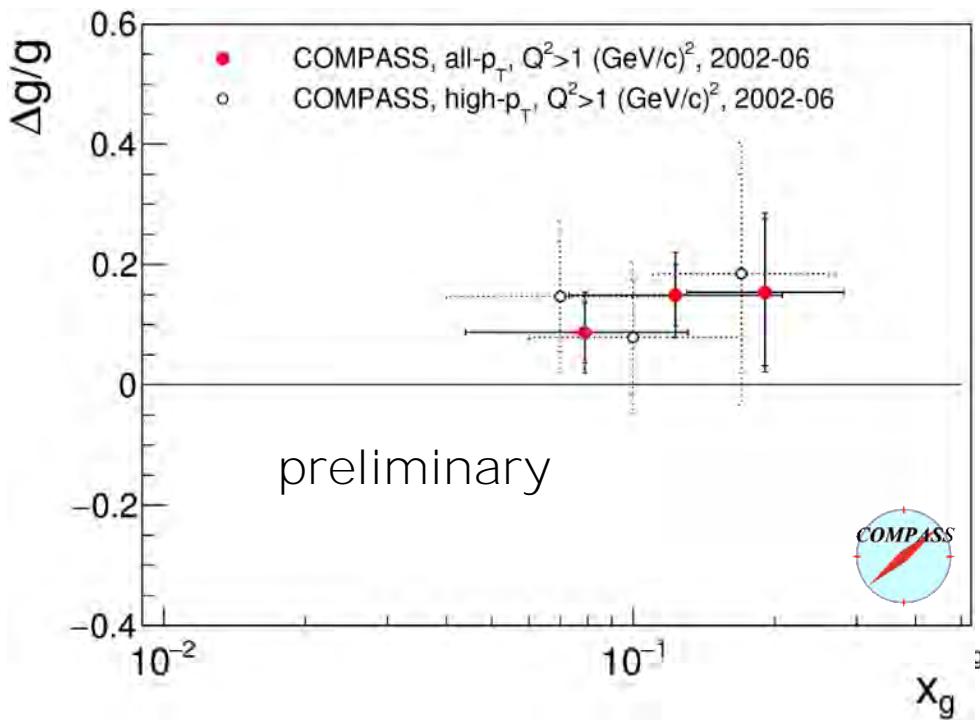
Ringer, Vogelsang: arXiv: 1503.07052



# Gluon polarisation



# $\Delta g/g$ from PGF (DIS, LO)



- $Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2$

- $\Delta g(x)$  small, maybe positive around  $x \cong 0.1$ , caveat: LO
- no clear  $x$  dependence

# $\Delta g/g$ from single hadron (NLO)

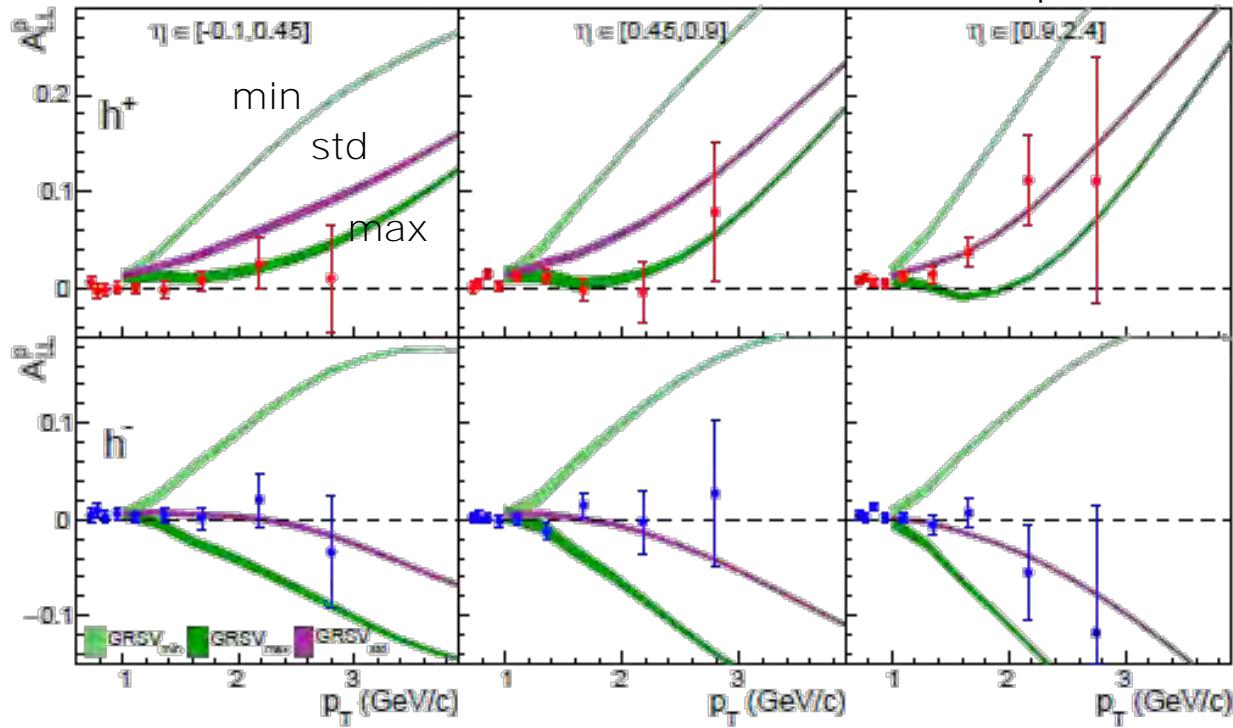


- quasi-real photoproduction of single hadrons, à la RHIC  $\pi^0$  prod.
- calc. by group of Vogelsang, agreement for unpolarised case
- caveat: NNL resummation **missing for polarised case**

$$\eta_{cms} = -\ln\left(\tan\frac{\theta}{2}\right) - \frac{1}{2}\ln\left(\frac{2E}{M}\right)$$

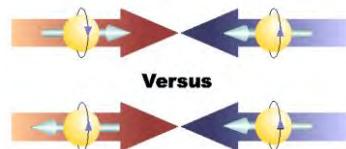
proton

- 3 bins of pseudorapidity  $\eta$
- FF important, using DSS (2015), agree best with meas. multiplicities
- data prefer **positive** gluon polarisation as suggested by recent RHIC data

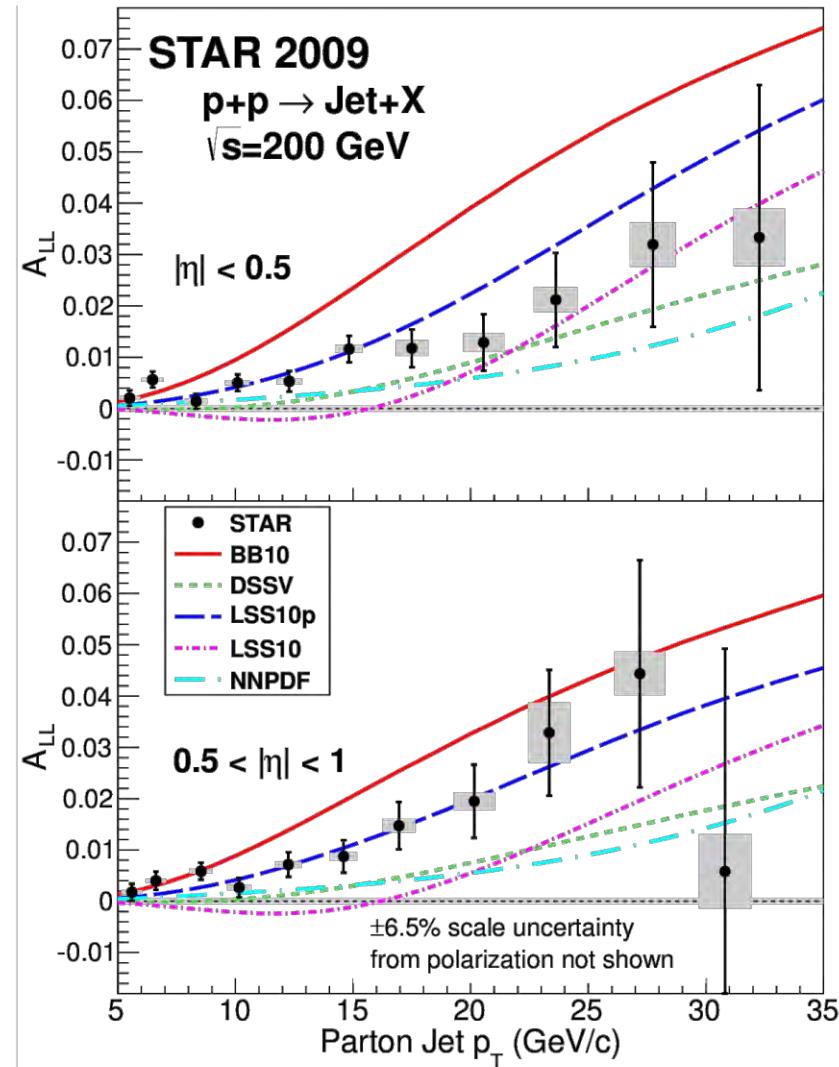


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# STAR single jet asymmetry $A_{LL}$

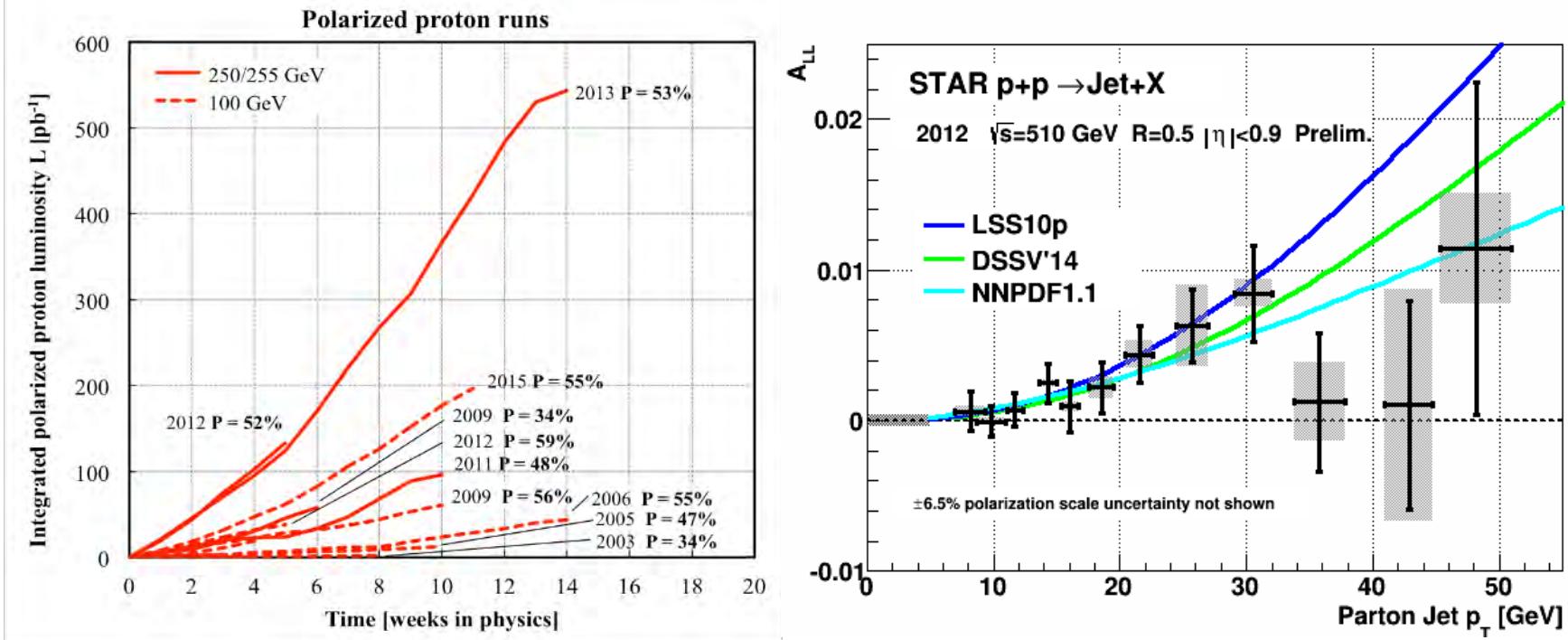


- $p p \rightarrow \text{jet} + X$
- @  $\sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$
- 2009 data, mid rapidity
- $A_{LL} \propto \Delta g$
- $A_{LL}$  in good agreement with LSSp (pos.  $\Delta g$ )



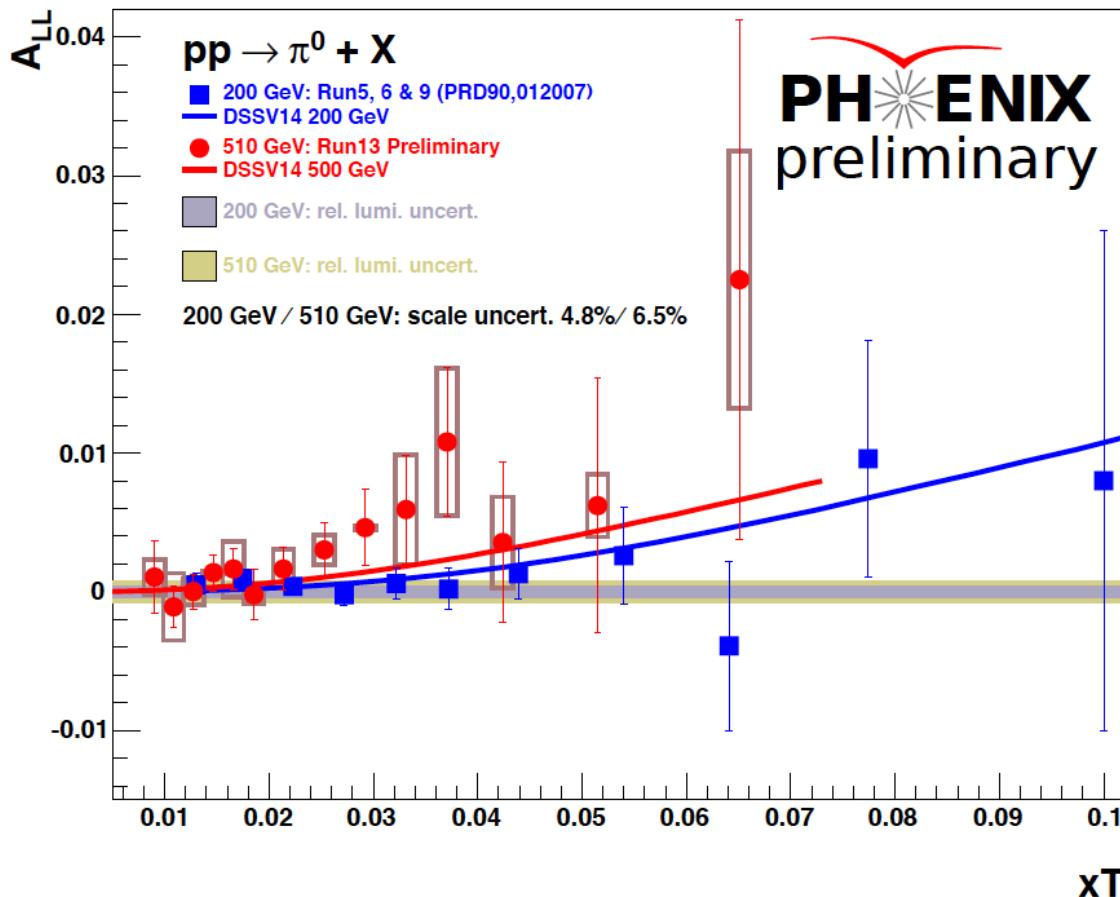
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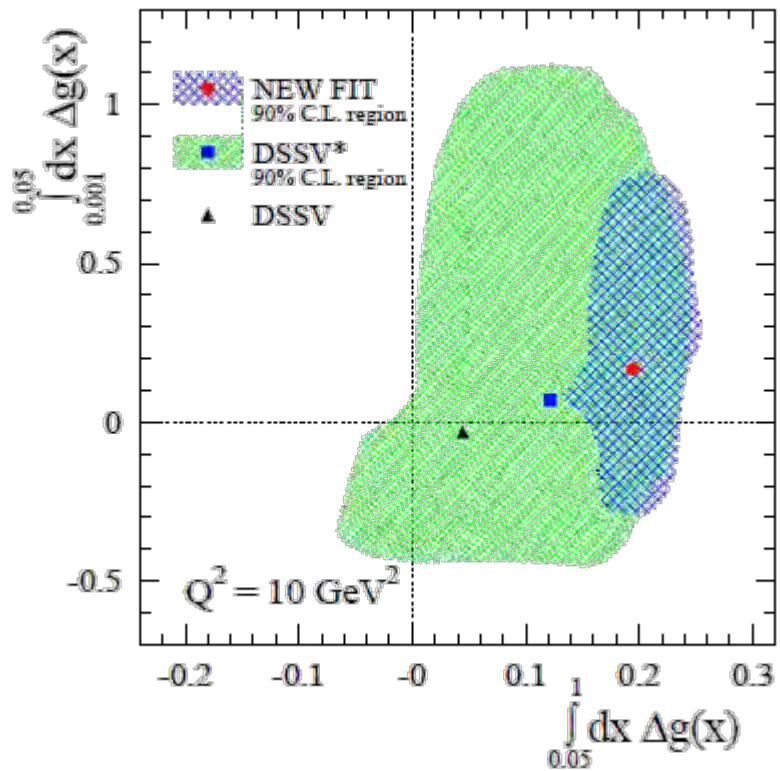
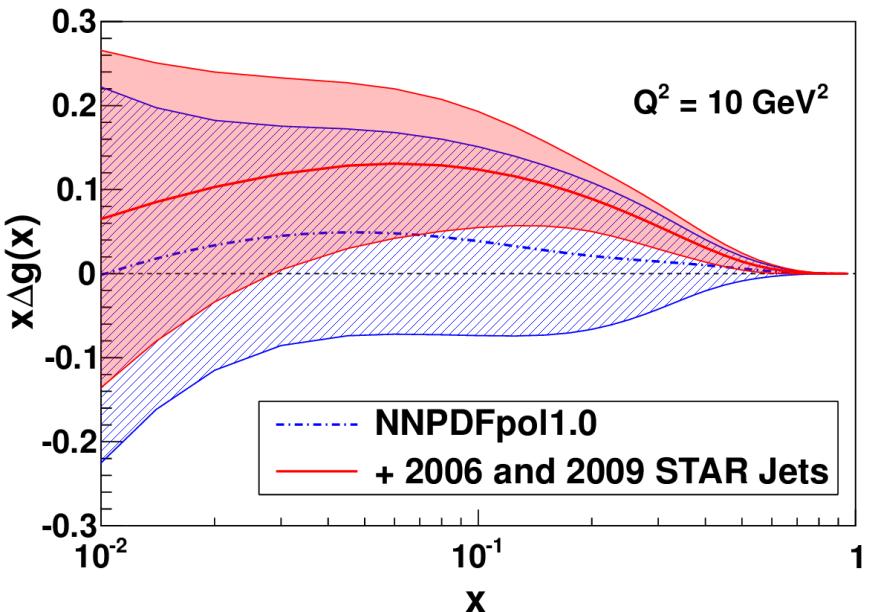


- prelim. 2012 data,  $\sqrt{s} = 510$  GeV
- agree with 2009 data and LSS10p and DSSV14
- DSSV14 includes 2009 data

# Inclusive neutral pion production



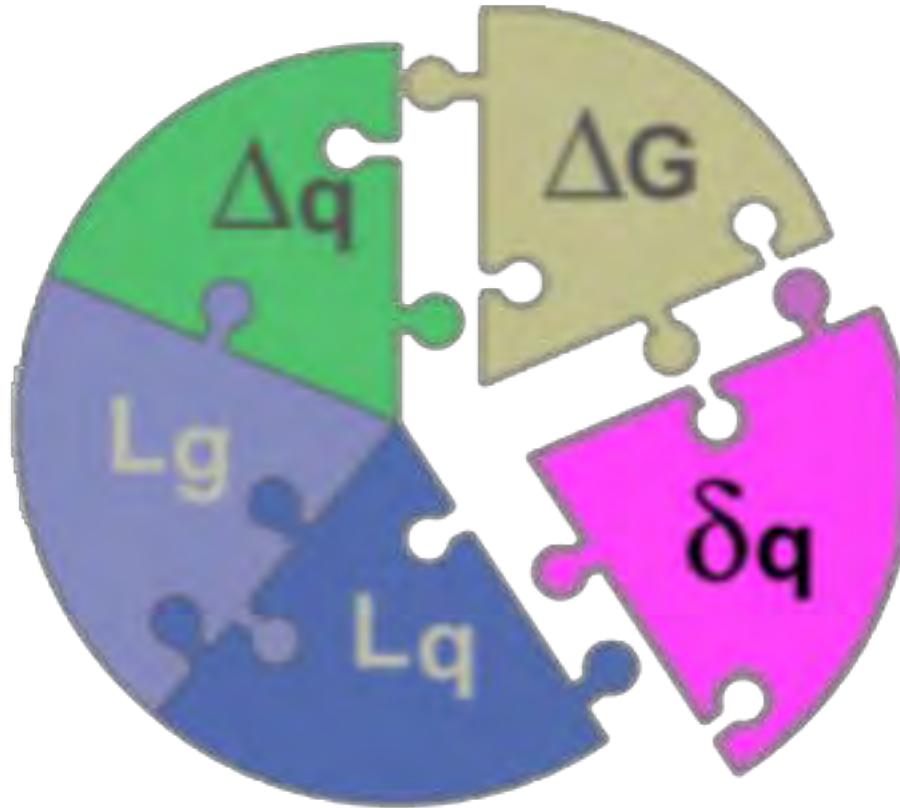
# Impact of Star jet data



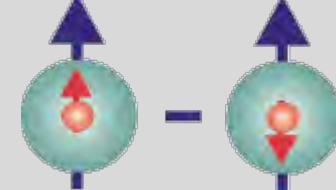
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- big impact on pol. gluon distribution
- $\int_{0.05}^1 \Delta g(x) dx \simeq 0.20$
- need data at small  $x$

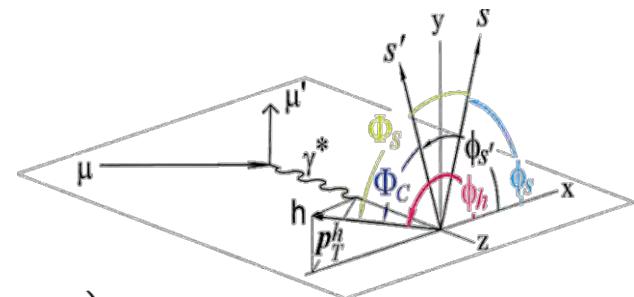
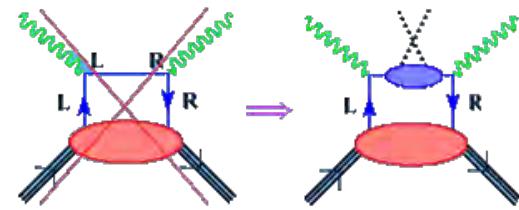
# Transversity



# Transversity $h_1$



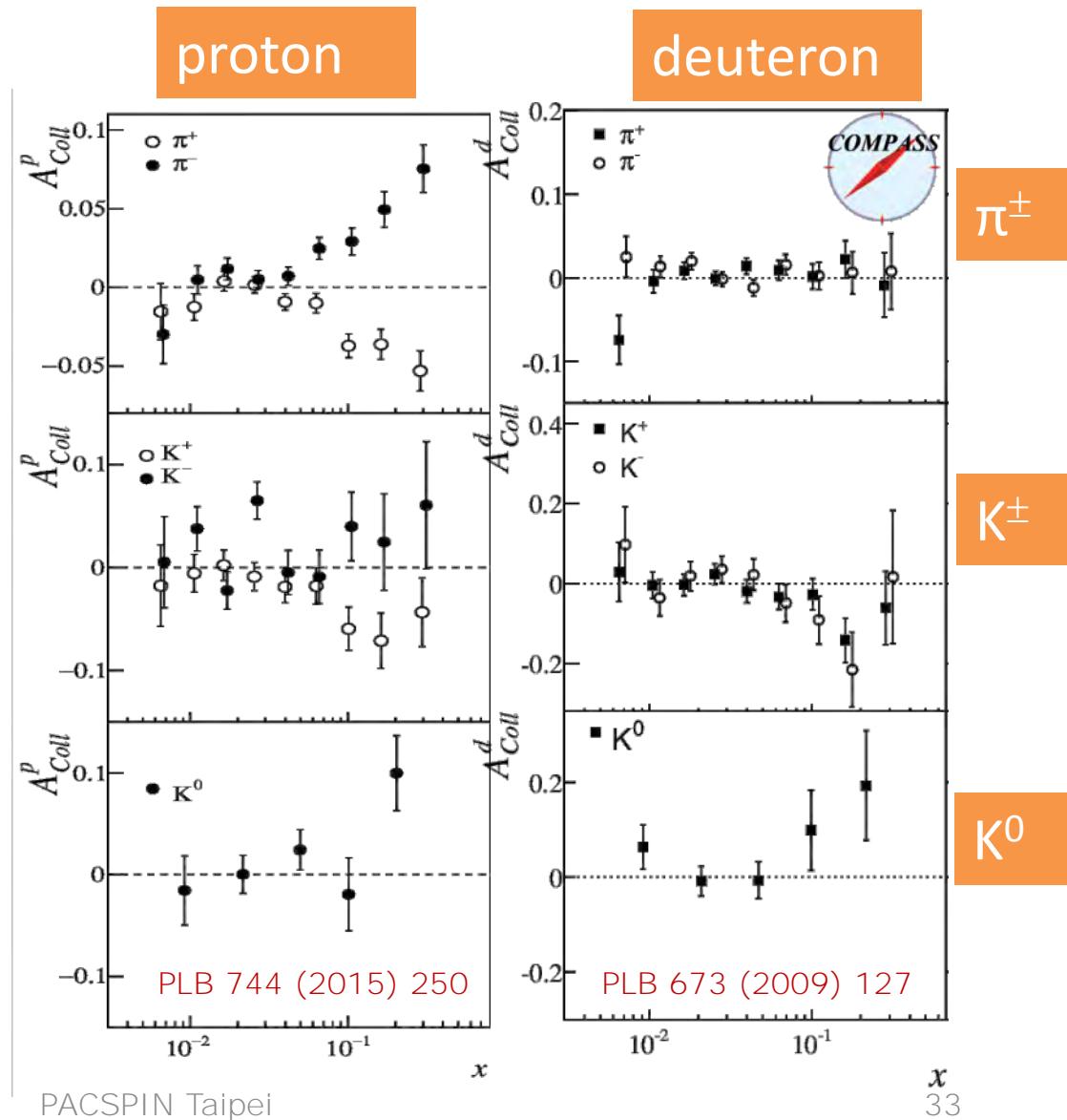
- chiral-odd  $\rightarrow$  vanishes in DIS  $\rightarrow$  SIDIS
  - leads to azimuthal modulation in the Collins angle  $\phi_C = \phi_h + \phi_s - \pi$   
( $-\pi$  used by COMPASS)
  - amplitude
- $$A_{\text{Coll}}^h \propto \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 h_1^q(x) \otimes H_1^{\perp h/q}(z, p_T)}{\sum_q e_q^2 f_1^q(x) D^{h/q}(z)}$$
- Collins fragmentation function  $H_1^\perp(z, p_T)$  from  $e^+e^-$
  - convolution ( $\otimes$ ) over intrinsic transverse momentum  $k_T$



# Collins asymmetry for proton & deuteron

- first proton data from Hermes  
PRL 94 (2005) 012002
  - sizable for proton
  - mirror symmetry  $\pi^+$  and  $\pi^-$
  - small for deuteron

PRL 94 (2005) 012002

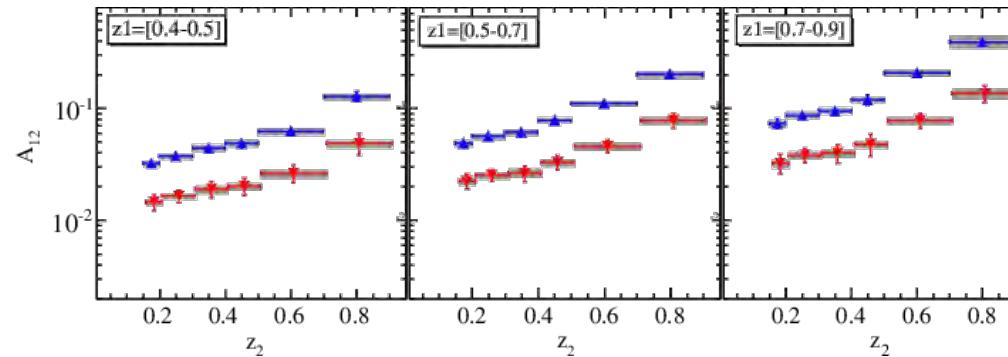
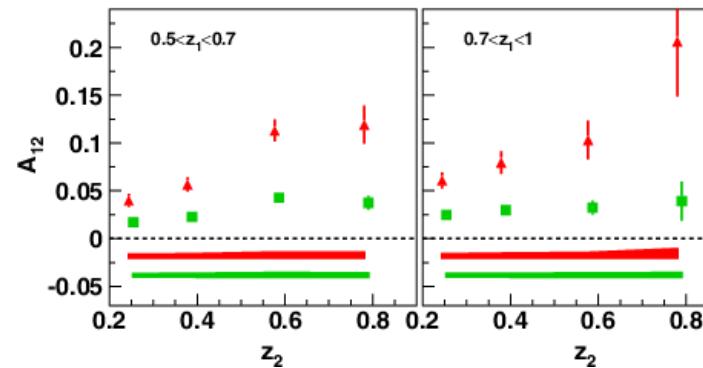
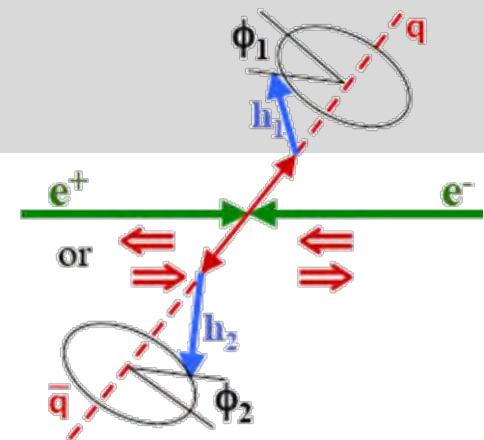


# Collins FF from $e^+e^-$

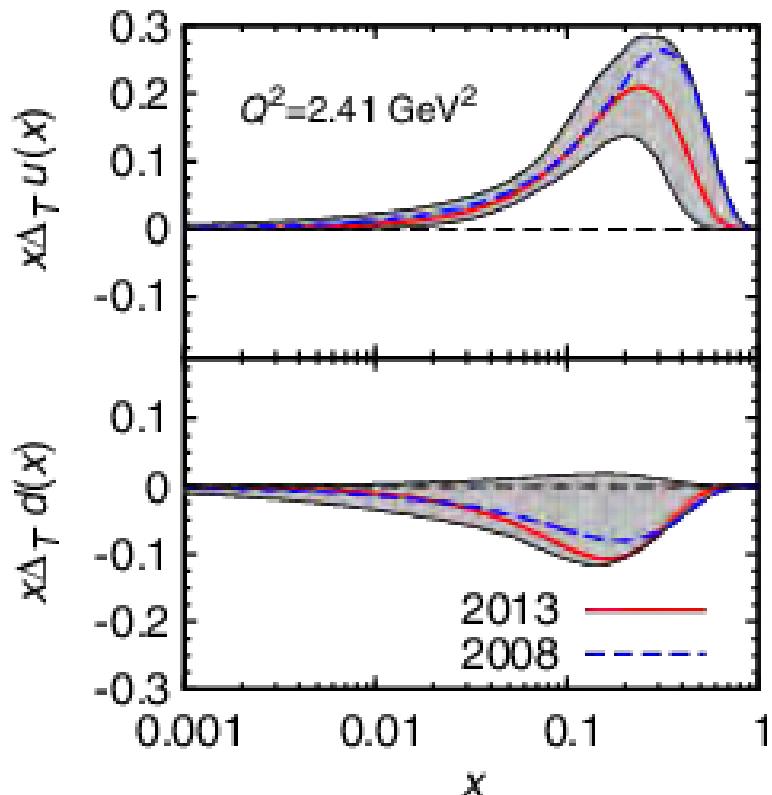
- $\propto H_1^\perp \otimes H_1^\perp$
- Belle, Babar, BESIII

Belle: PRD 90 (2012) 052003  
 Babar: PRD 90 (2014) 052003  
 BESIII: arXiv: 1507.06824

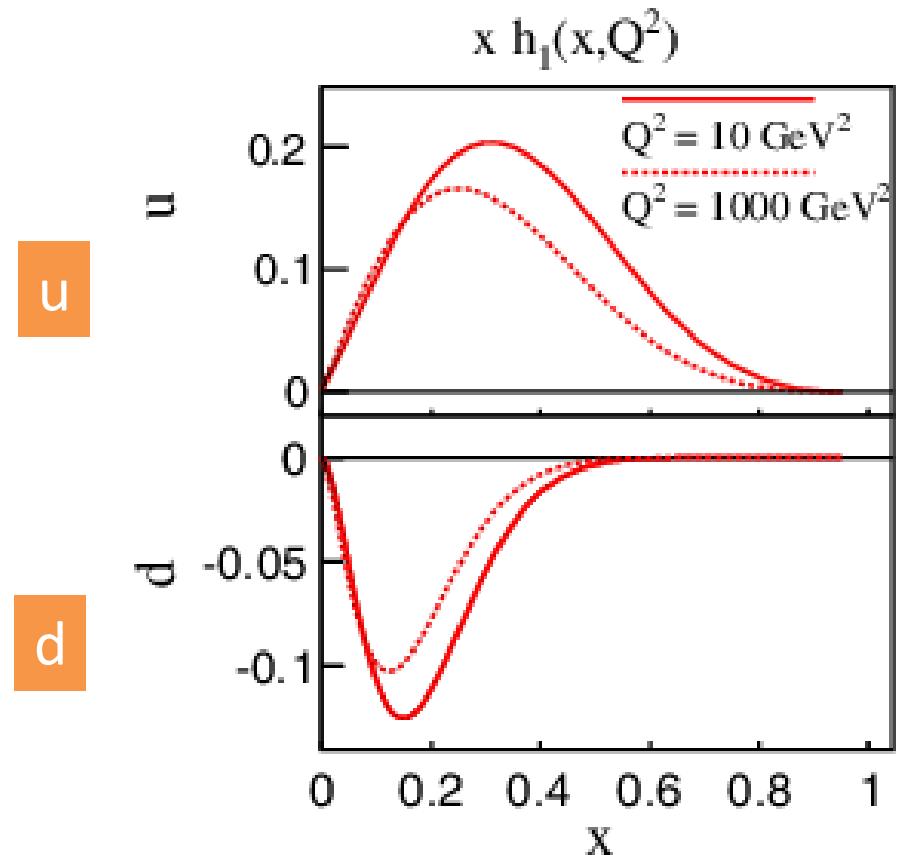
- clear signals



# Determination of $h_1$ from SIDIS & $e^+e^-$



Anselmino et al.,  
PRD 87 (2013) 094019



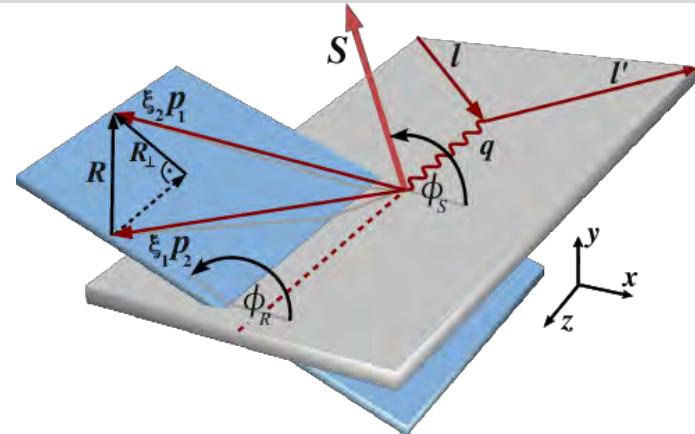
Kang et al.,  
PRD 91 (2015) 071501(R)

# Transversity from dihadron asymmetries

- Transversity couples to IFF  $H_1^\star$
- leads to azimuthal modulation in the dihadron angle angle  $\phi_{RS} = \phi_R + \phi_S - \pi$
- amplitude product of PDF and IFF, no convolution

$$A_{RS} \propto \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 h_1^q(x) H_1^\star(z, M_h^2)}{\sum_q e_q^2 f_1^q(x) D^{h/q}(z, M_h^2)}$$

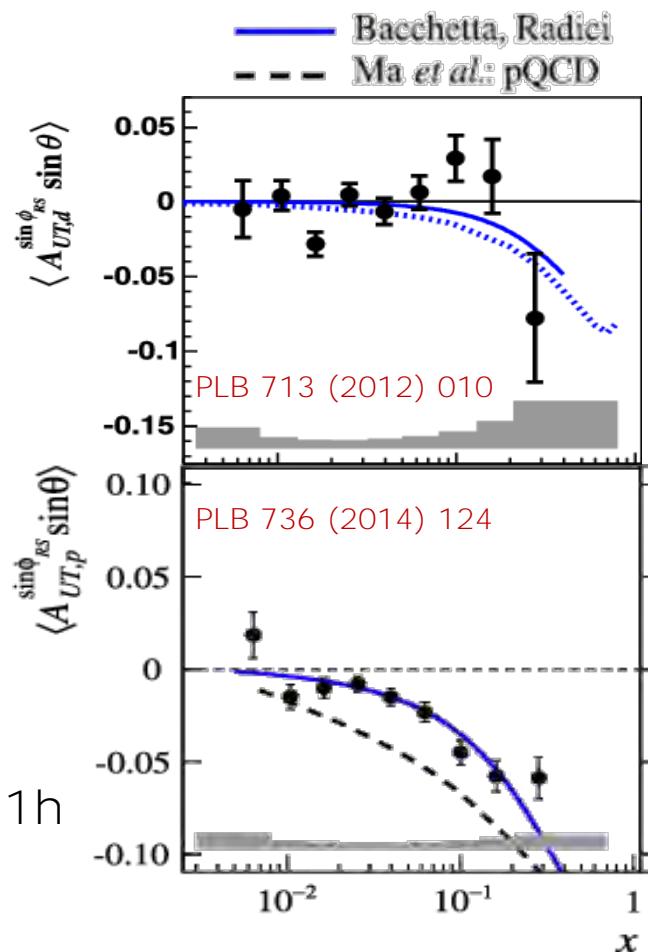
- IFF  $H_1^\star(z, M_h^2)$  from  $e^+e^-$  as for  $H_1^\perp$



# 2h asymmetries

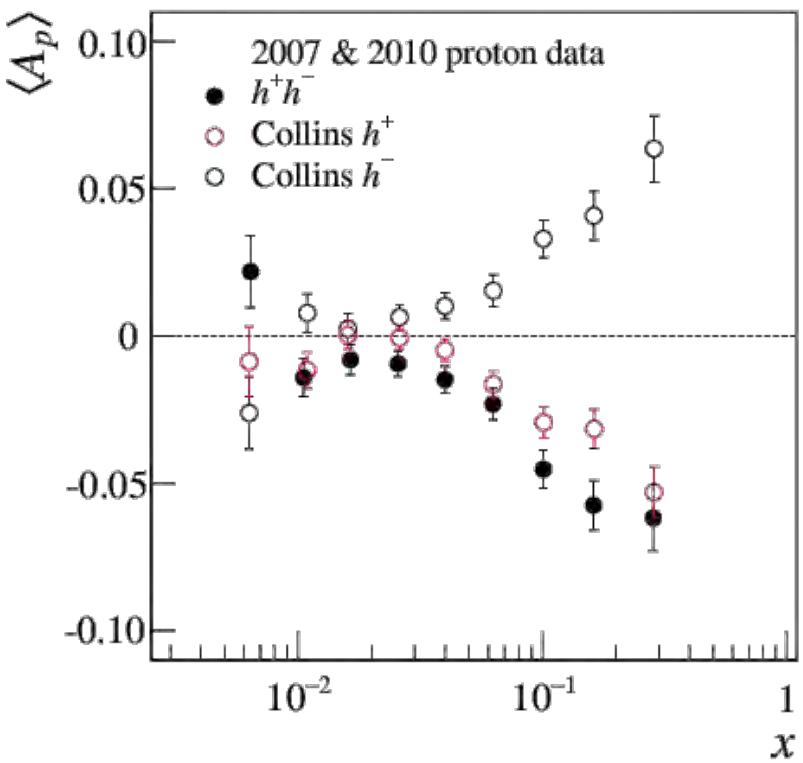
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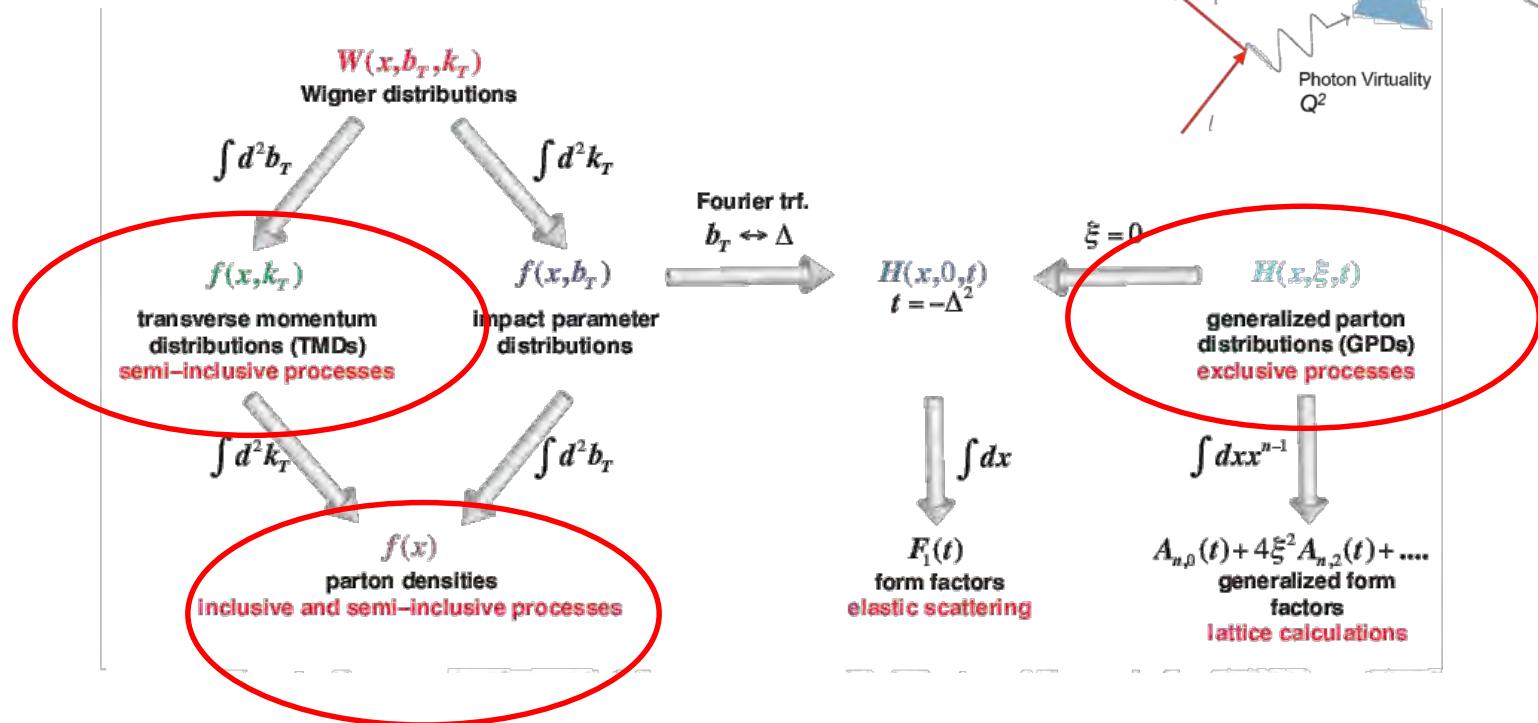
similar to 1h



- for a recent determ. of  $h_1$  see e.g. Radici *et al.* JHEP 1505, 123
- common physics mechanism of 1h and 2h asym.?

# Three dimensional structure of the nucleon

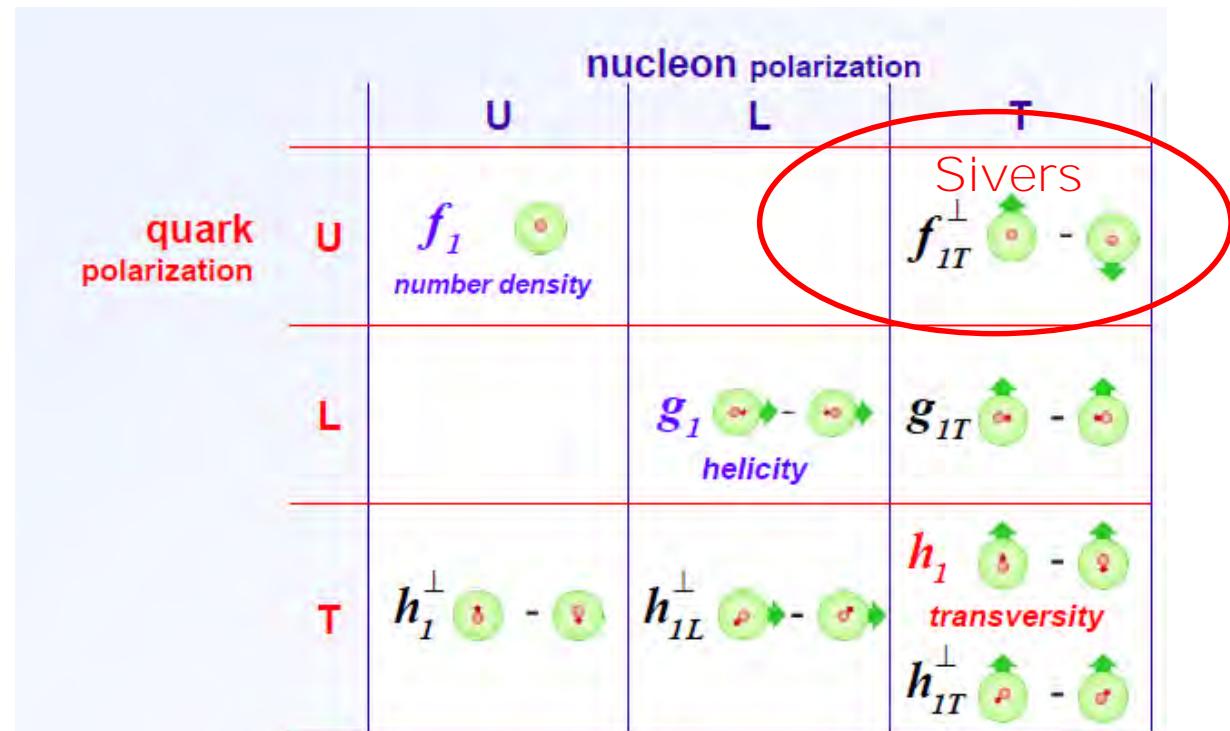
- $x$  longitudinal momentum fraction
- $k_T$  intrinsic transverse momentum
- $b_T$  impact parameter



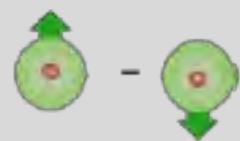
from EIC white paper arXiv: 1212.1701

# TMD parton distributions

- 8 kinematics for the search for momentum dependent PDFs at leading twist
- Azimuthal asymmetries with different angular modulations in  $\Phi_h$  and  $\Phi_s$

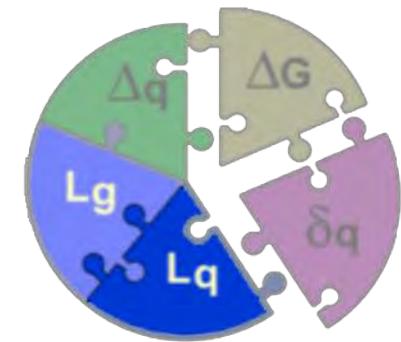


# Sivers TMD

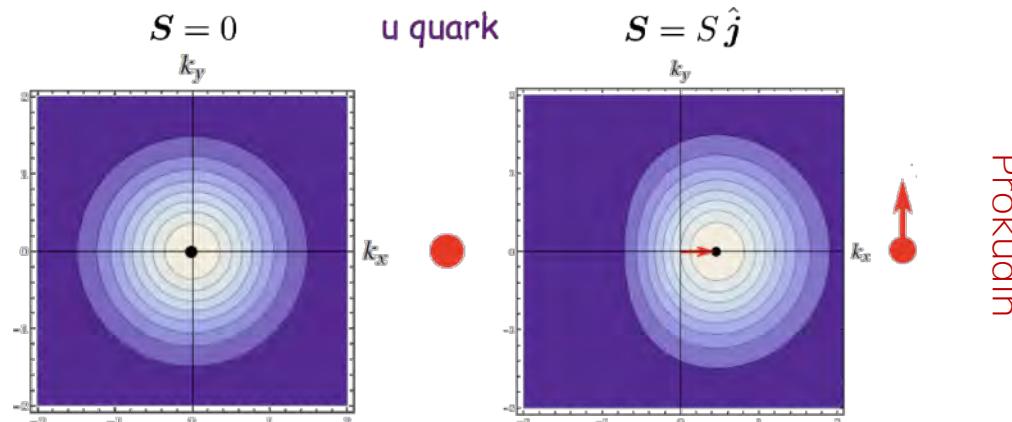


- azim. asym. in  $\phi_{Siv} = \phi_h - \phi_s$

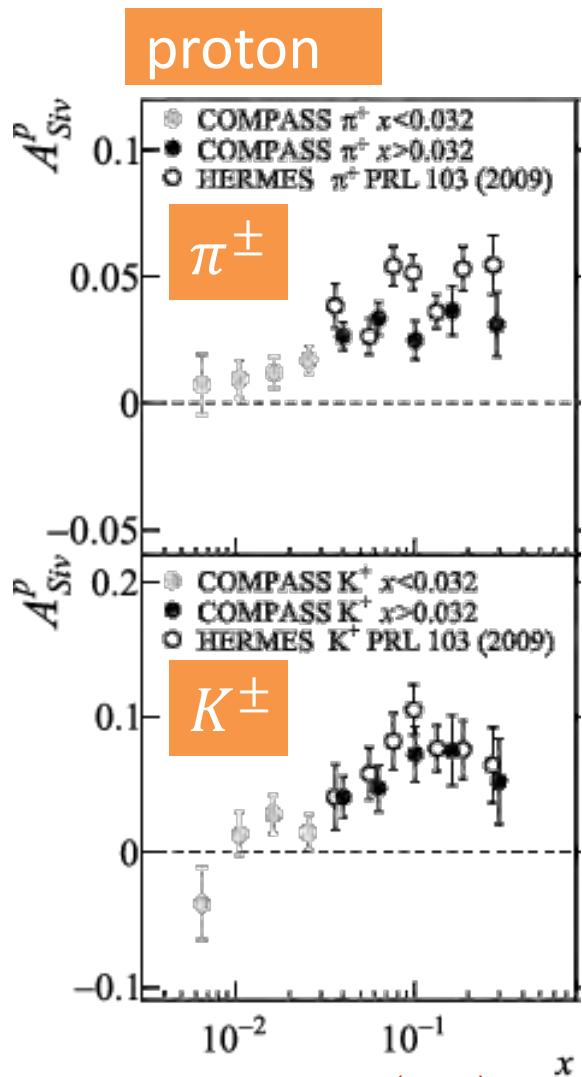
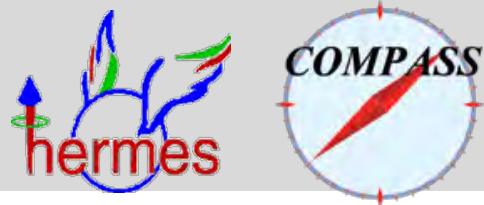
$$A_{Siv}^h \propto \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 f_{1T}^{\perp,q}(x, k_T) \otimes D_1^{h/q}(z, p_T)}{\sum_q e_q^2 f_1^q(x, k_T) \otimes D_1^{h/q}(z, p_T)}$$



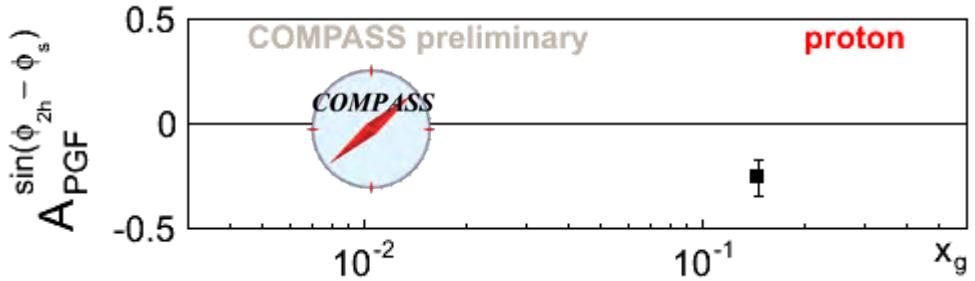
- if non-zero  $\rightarrow$  orbital angular momentum
- induces distortions in the PDF of polarized nucleons



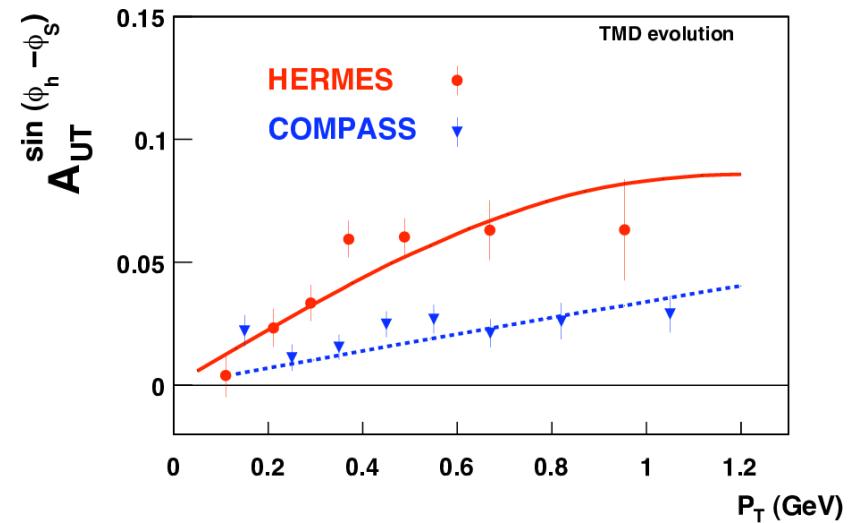
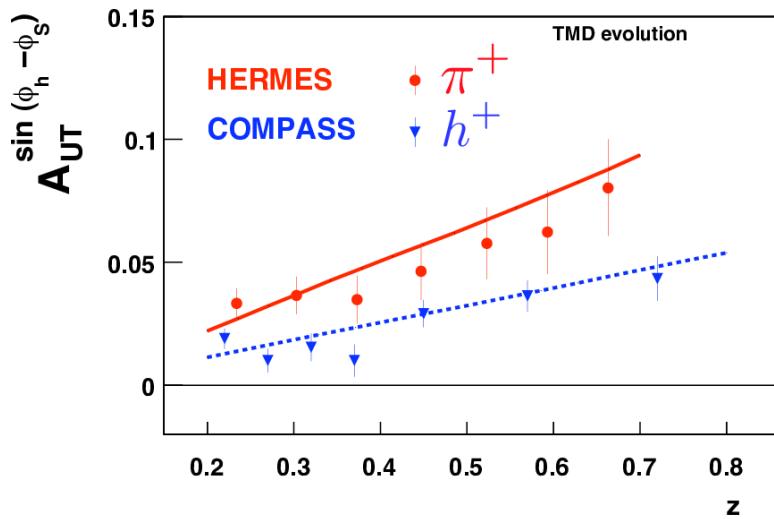
# Sivers asymmetry



- sizable for proton
- Hermes vs Compass: some  $Q^2$  evolution
- small for deuteron
- gluon: indication from 2h



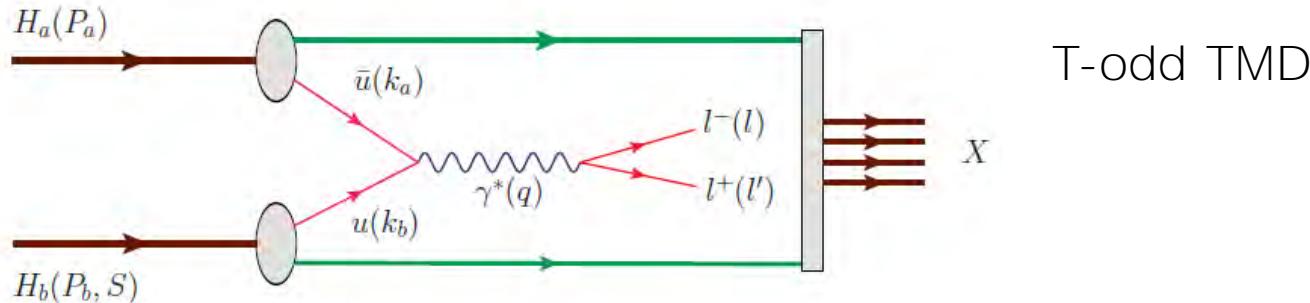
# TMD $Q^2$ evolution (Sivers proton)



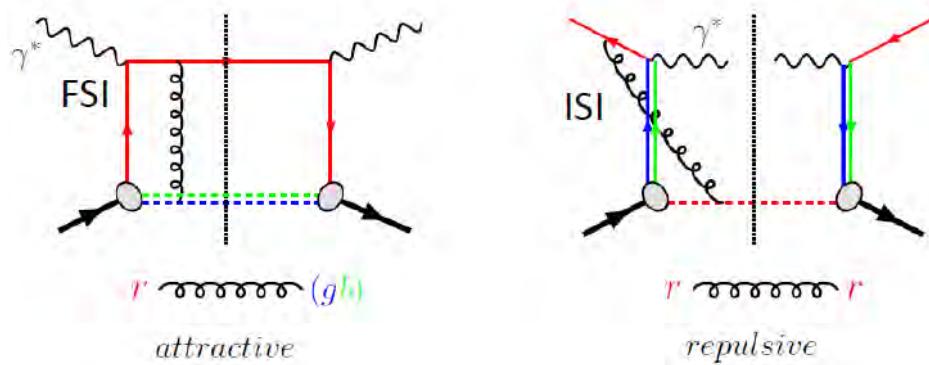
Aybat, Prokudin, Rogers, PRL 108 (2012) 242003

- Torino fit to **Hermes data** at  $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 2.4 \text{ GeV}^2$  evolved to  $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 3.8 \text{ GeV}^2$  of the **Compass 2010 data**
- Quite rapid decrease of asymmetry with  $Q^2$

# Restricted universality in SIDIS and pol. DY



T-odd TMD



'gauge link changes sign  
for T-odd TMD', restricted  
universality of T-odd TMDs

J.C. Collins, PLB536 (2002) 43

$$f_{1T}^\perp \Big|_{\text{DIS}} = - f_{1T}^\perp \Big|_{\text{DY}}$$

Sivers

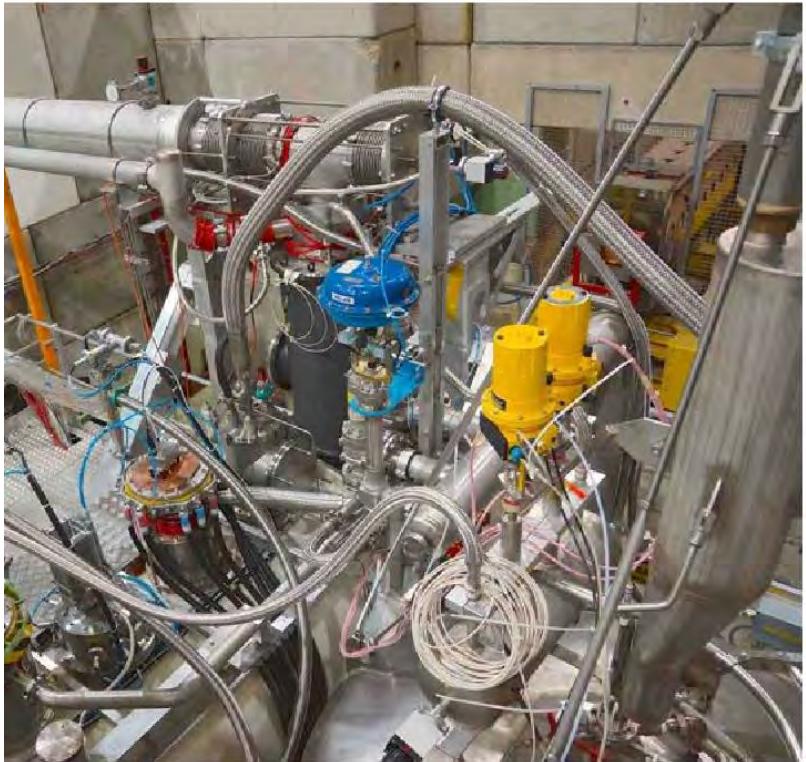
$$h_1^\perp \Big|_{\text{DY}} = - h_1^\perp \Big|_{\text{DIS}}$$

Boer-Mulders

- important prediction, needs to be verified

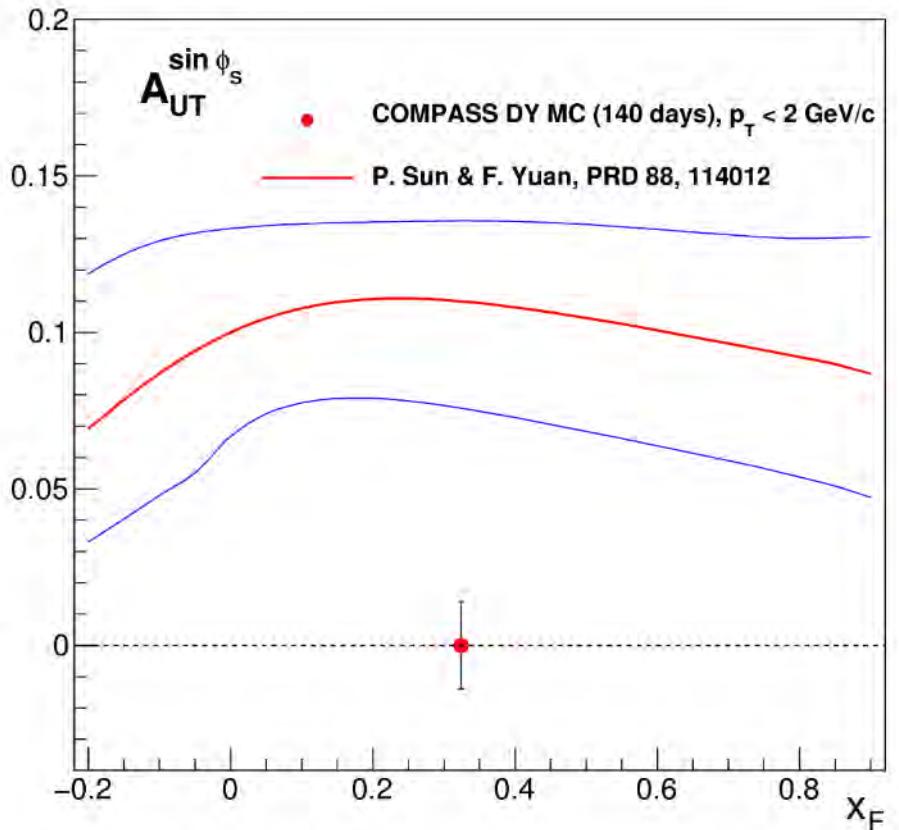
# COMPASS polarized DY

- running now!



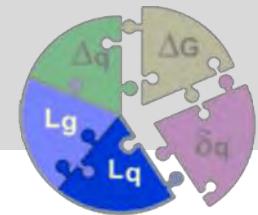
- Fermilab, RHIC, ...

Predictions vary strongly, e.g.



$$x_F = x_\pi - x_p$$

# Generalized PDF's

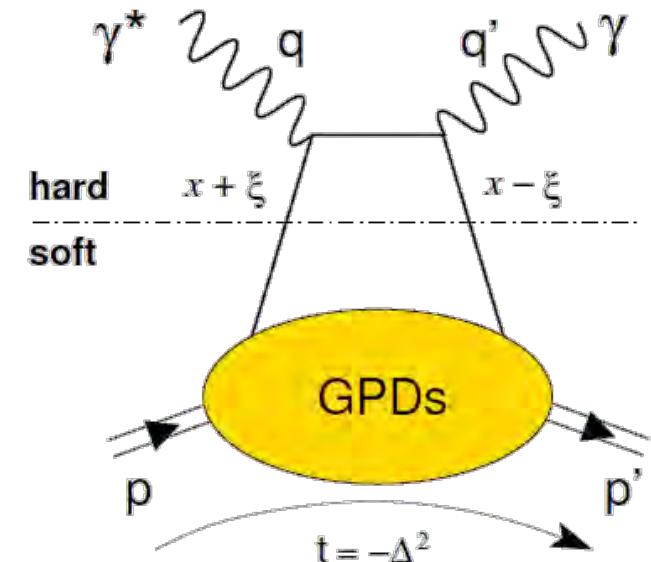


- Correlating **transverse spatial** and **longitudinal momentum** degrees of freedom
- PDFs and elastic FF as limiting cases
- $H, \tilde{H} \rightarrow f_1, g_1$  for  $\xi \rightarrow 0$ ;
- no such limiting cases for  $E, \tilde{E}$
- $H(E)$  for nucleon helicity (non)conservation

$H(x, \xi, t, Q^2); \quad Q^2$  large,  $t$  small

$H^f, E^f, \tilde{H}^f, \tilde{E}^f$  with  $f = q, g$

DVCS



**Ji's sum rule for total orbital momentum:**

$$J^f(Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \int_{-1}^1 dx x \left[ H^f(x, \xi, t, Q^2) + E^f(x, \xi, t, Q^2) \right]$$

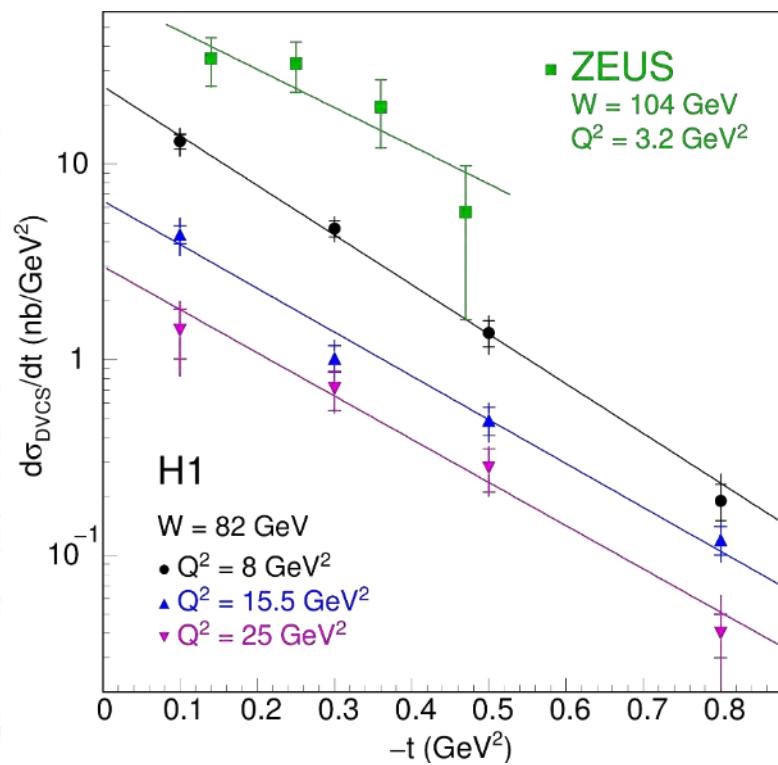
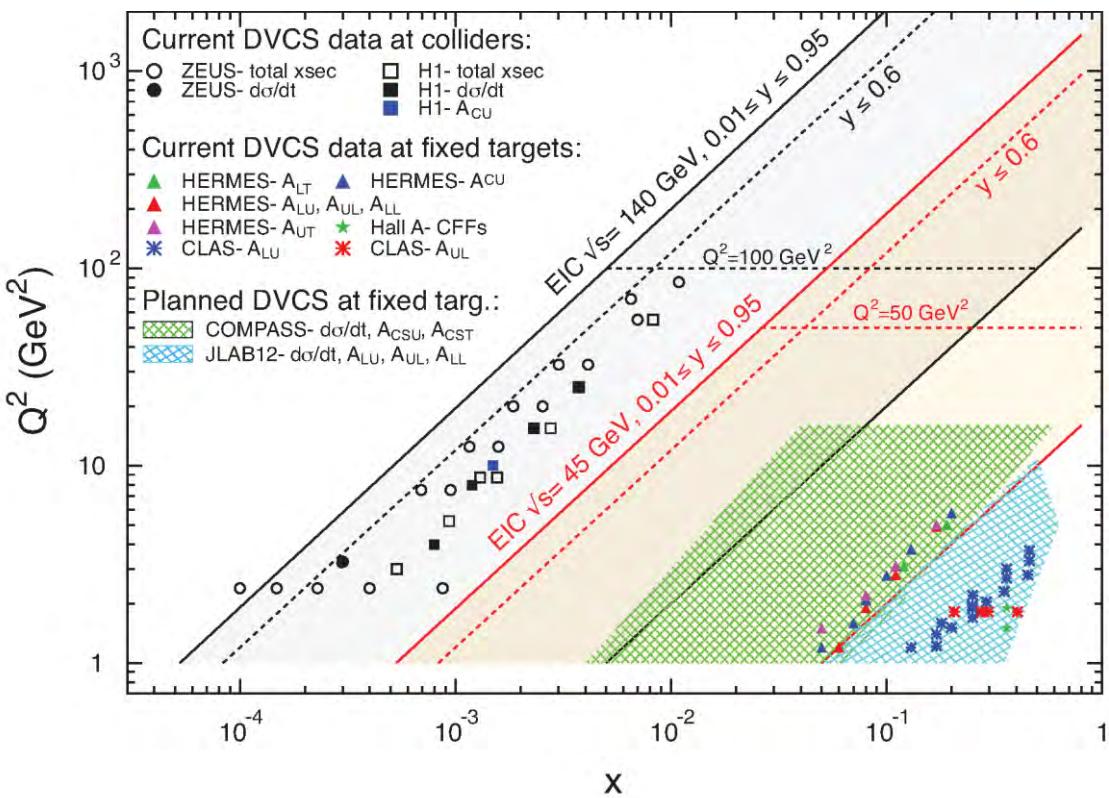
X.-D. Ji, PRL 78 (1997) 610

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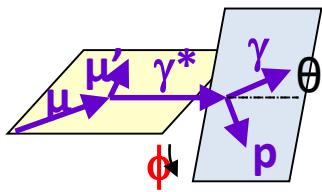
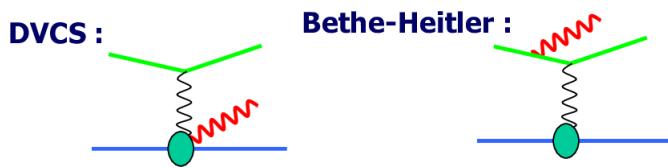
- cannot be measured directly and not everywhere
- need global fits to many diff. measurements
- measure small excl. cross sections, much more difficult than incl./semi-incl.
- DVCS
  - cleanest interpretation
  - interference Bethe-Heitler
- HEMP (vect. & ps.scalar)
  - additional information on flavour and glue

$$\begin{aligned}H_{\rho^0} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{2}{3} H^u + \frac{1}{3} H^d + \frac{3}{8} H^g \right) \\H_\omega &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{2}{3} H^u - \frac{1}{3} H^d + \frac{1}{8} H^g \right) \\H_\phi &= -\frac{1}{3} H^s - \frac{1}{8} H^g\end{aligned}$$

# DVCS: experimental kinematic ranges



# Deeply virtual Compton scattering

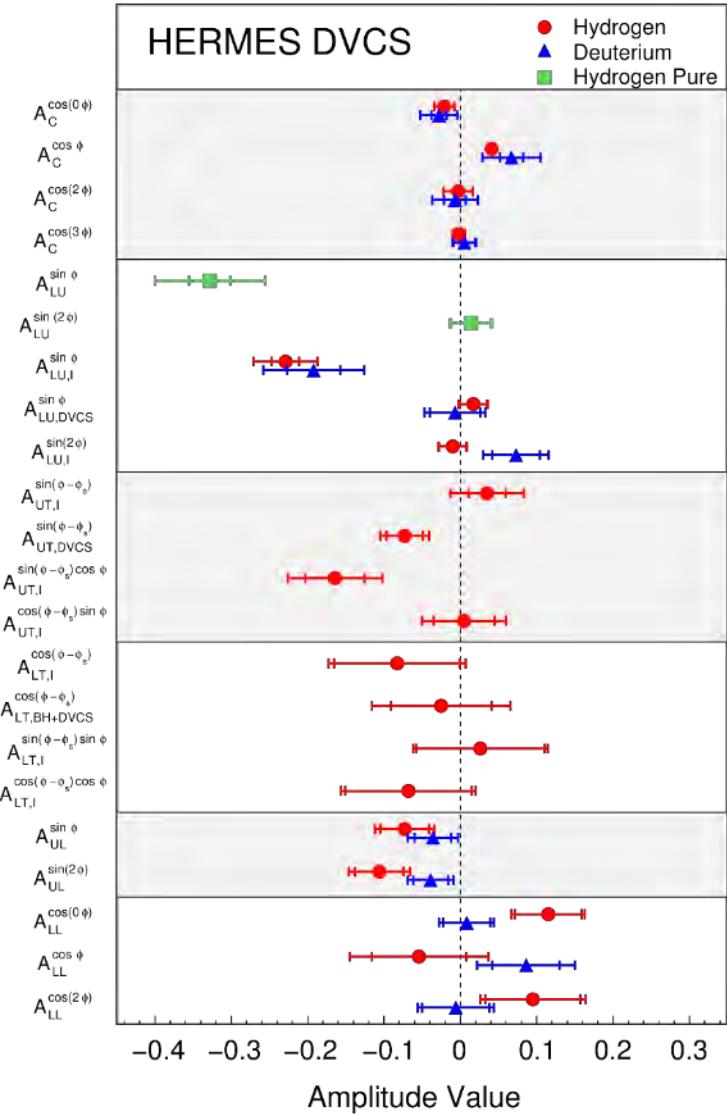


- cross-section depend on lepton charge and pol., and on target pol.
- contributions with different azimuthal dependence from:

BH      interference      DVCS

$$d\sigma(\ell p \rightarrow \ell \gamma p) \sim$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & d\sigma_{UU}^{BH} + e_\ell d\sigma_{UU}^I + d\sigma_{UU}^{DVCS} \\
 & + P_\ell S_L d\sigma_{LL}^{BH} + e_\ell P_\ell S_L d\sigma_{LL}^I + P_\ell S_L d\sigma_{LL}^{DVCS} \\
 & + P_\ell S_T d\sigma_{LT}^{BH} + e_\ell P_\ell S_T d\sigma_{LT}^I + P_\ell S_T d\sigma_{LT}^{DVCS} \\
 & + e_\ell P_\ell d\sigma_{LU}^I + P_\ell d\sigma_{LU}^{DVCS} \\
 & + e_\ell S_L d\sigma_{UL}^I + S_L d\sigma_{UL}^{DVCS} \\
 & + e_\ell S_T d\sigma_{UT}^I + S_T d\sigma_{UT}^{DVCS}
 \end{aligned}$$

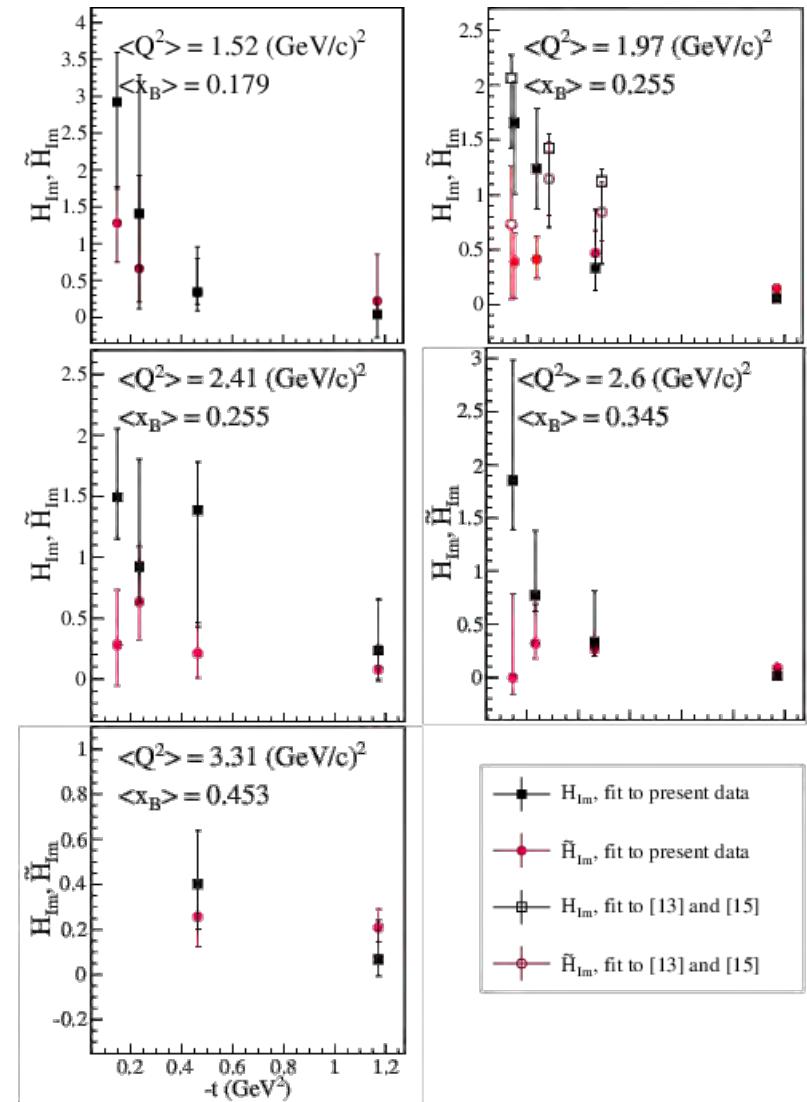


# DVCS @ CLAS

- 2015 CLAS NH<sub>3</sub> proton data
- 164 four-dimensional bins in  $Q^2$ ,  $x_B$ ,  $-t$ ,  $\phi$
- TSA, BSA, DSA
- determine the imaginary part of CFF  $H_{Im}$  and  $\tilde{H}_{Im}$  of GPDs  $\mathcal{H}$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{H}}$
- most sensitive to  $\tilde{H}_{Im}$

$$F_{Im}(\xi, t) = -\frac{1}{\pi} \Im m \mathcal{F}(\xi, t) = [F(\xi, \xi, t) \mp F(-\xi, \xi, t)]$$

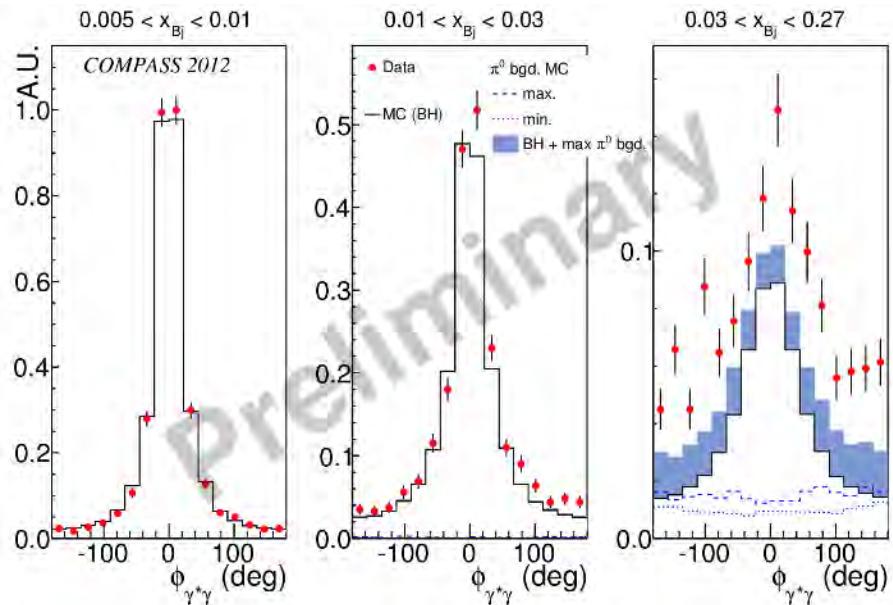
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# COMPASS GPD, SIDIS



- GPD data 2016–2017
- liquid hydrogen target
- 160 GeV muon beam
- CAMERA recoil detector



# Outlook

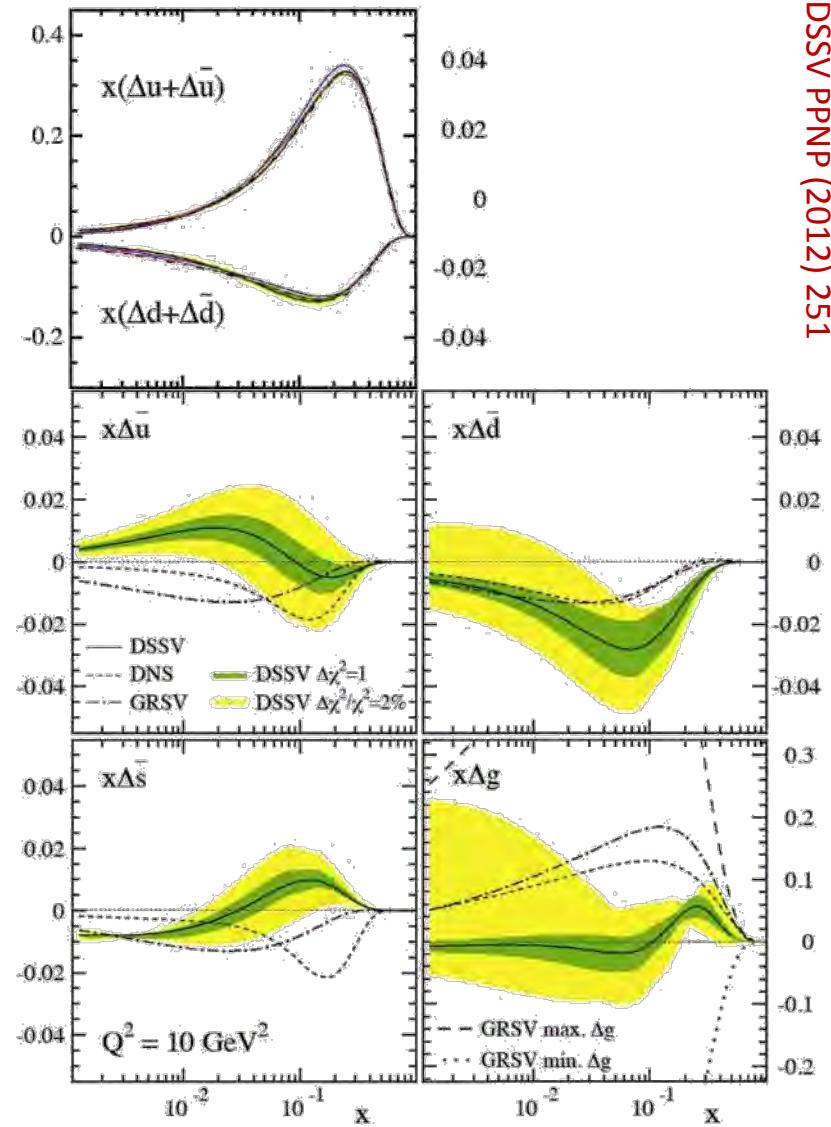
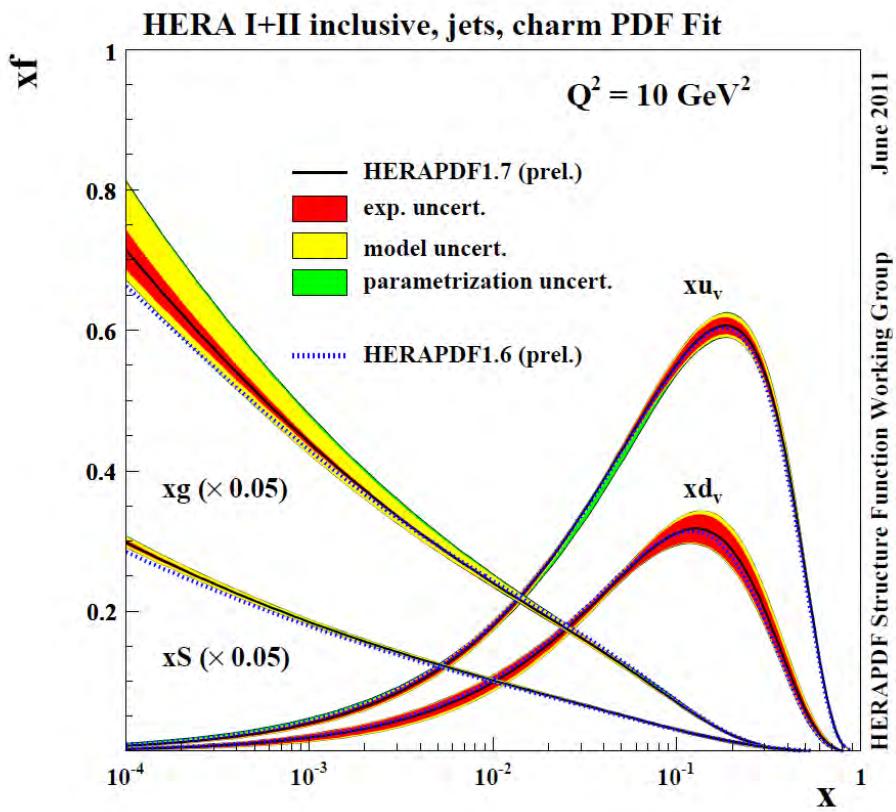
- a wealth of new data
- gluon polarisation likely to be positive at  $x \approx 0.2$ , need low  $x_g$  data
- Multicities and FF to be clarified, in particular for kaons/strange quarks, impact PDF determination
- TMD show: there is orbital angular momentum
- measure the sign change of T-odd TMDs in DY!
- new data coming up JLab 6/12, COMPASS, JPARC and eventually EIC





# Status of PDFs: global analyses (DSSV)

unpolarised

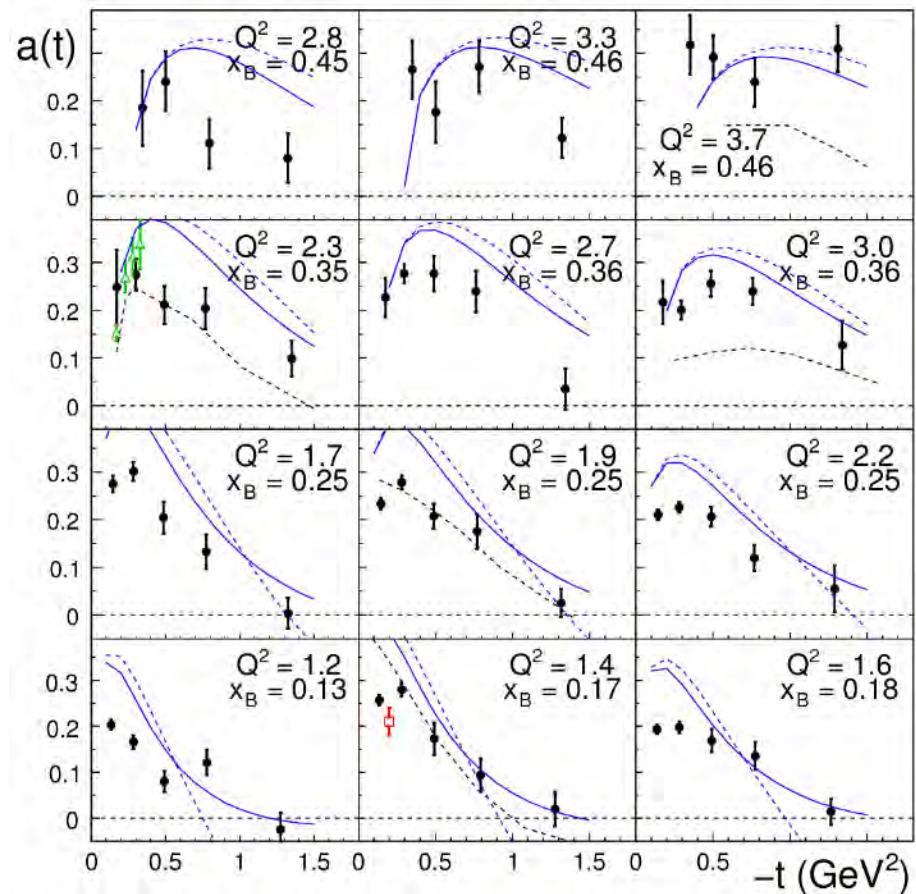


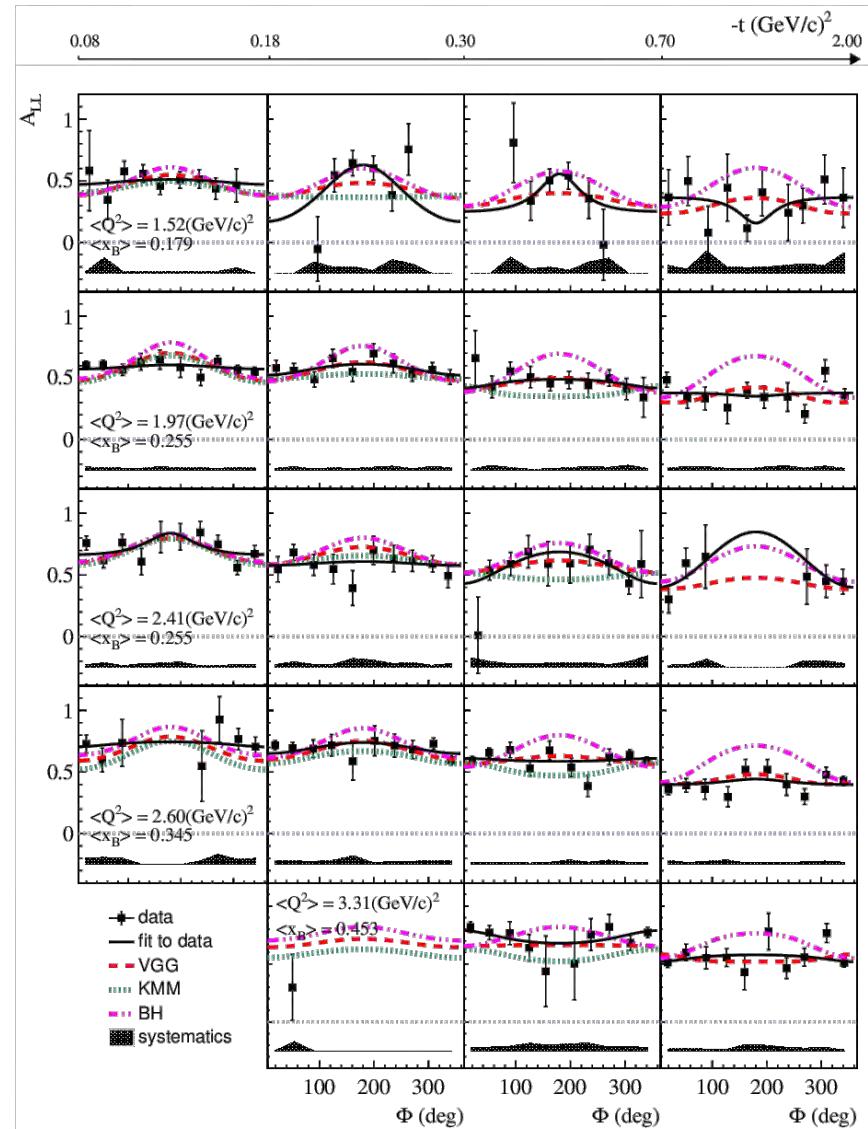
# Deeply virtual Compton scattering

- leading lepton-spin asym. amplitude  $A_{\text{LU}}^{\sin \phi}$  differential in  $t$ ,  $x$ ,  $Q^2$

CLAS 

PRL 100 (2008) 162002



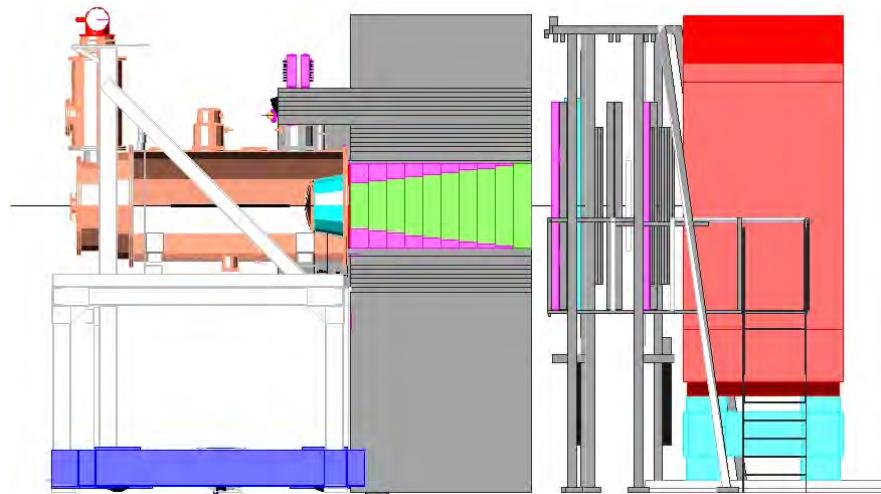
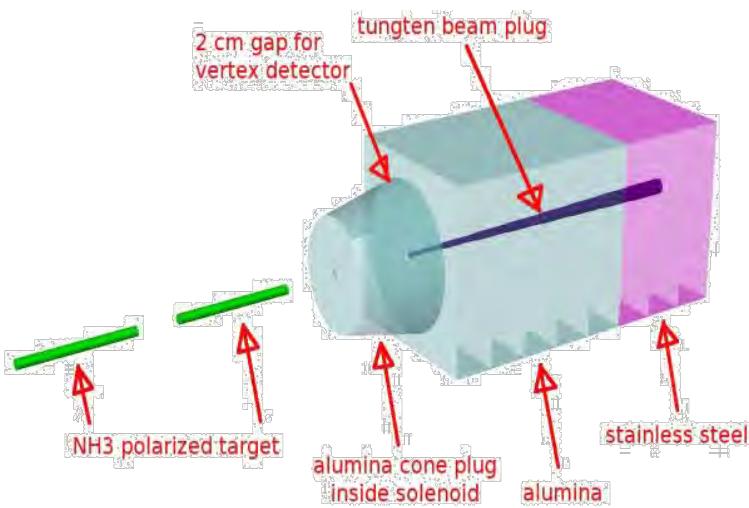






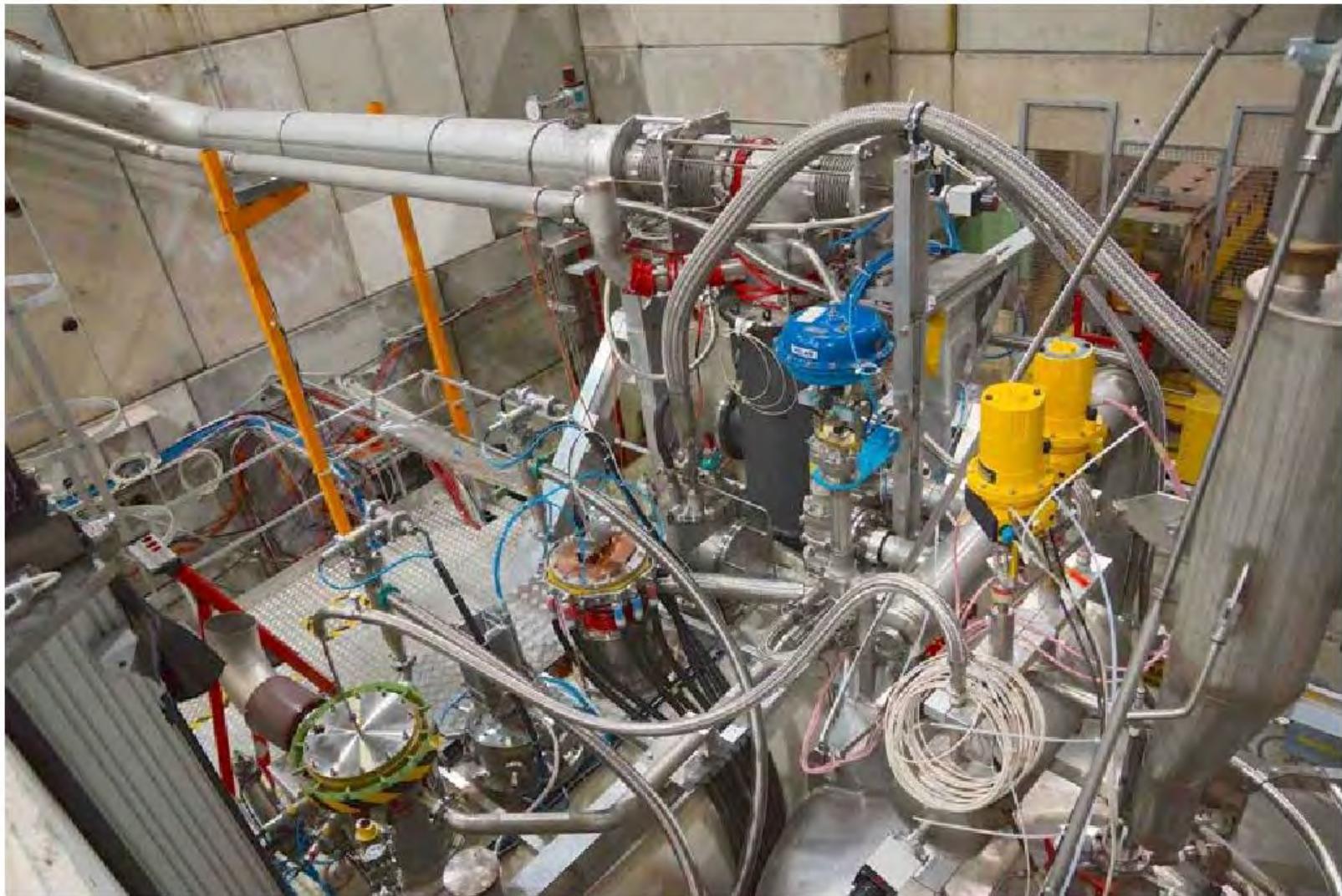
# COMPASS-II Polarised Drell-Yan

- First ever polarized Drell-Yan experiment
- 190 GeV/c  $\pi^-$  beam on transv. pol. proton target
- Access to transversity , the T-odd Sivers and Boer-Mulders TMDs

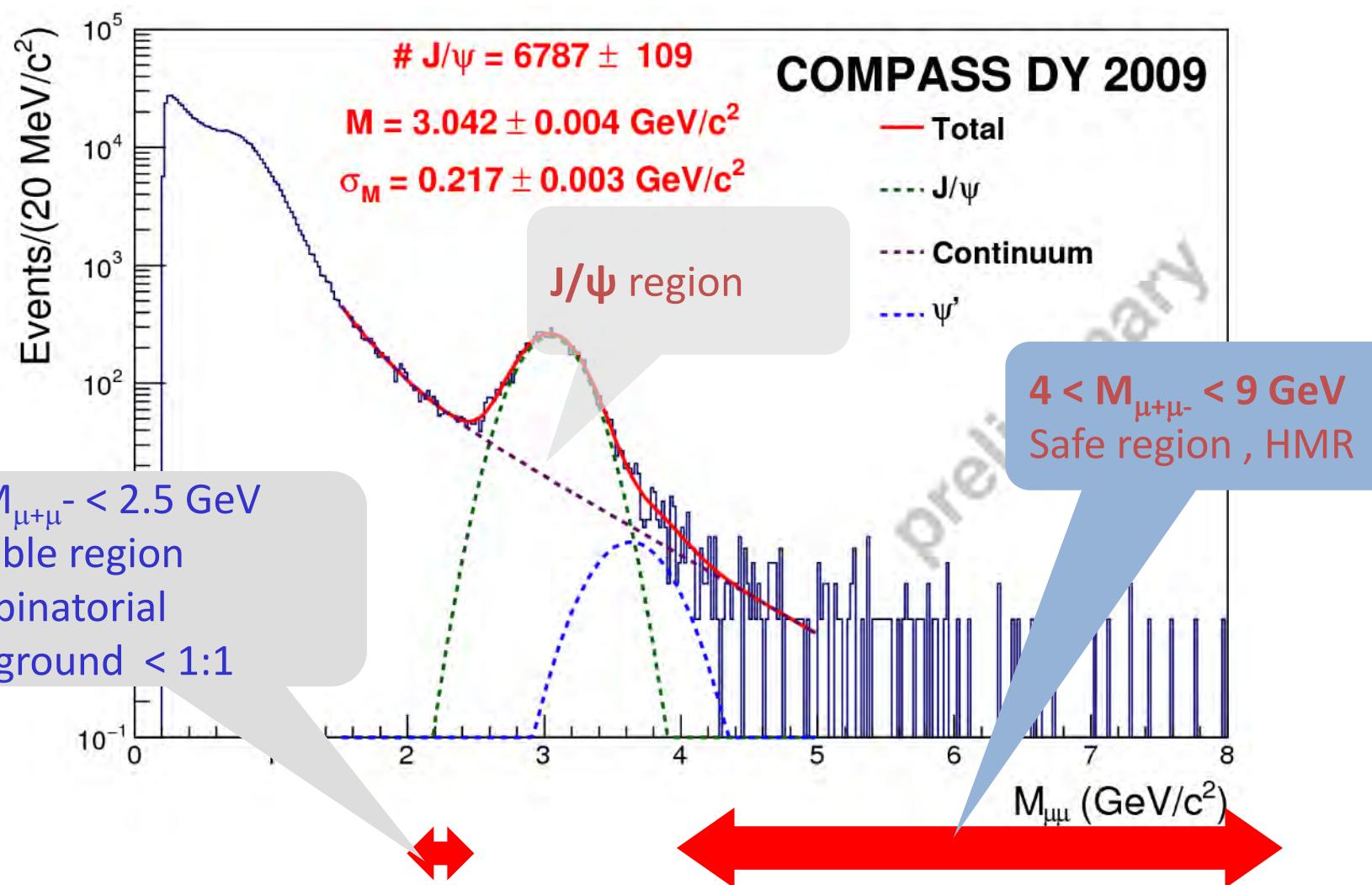


# 2015 run: polarised target

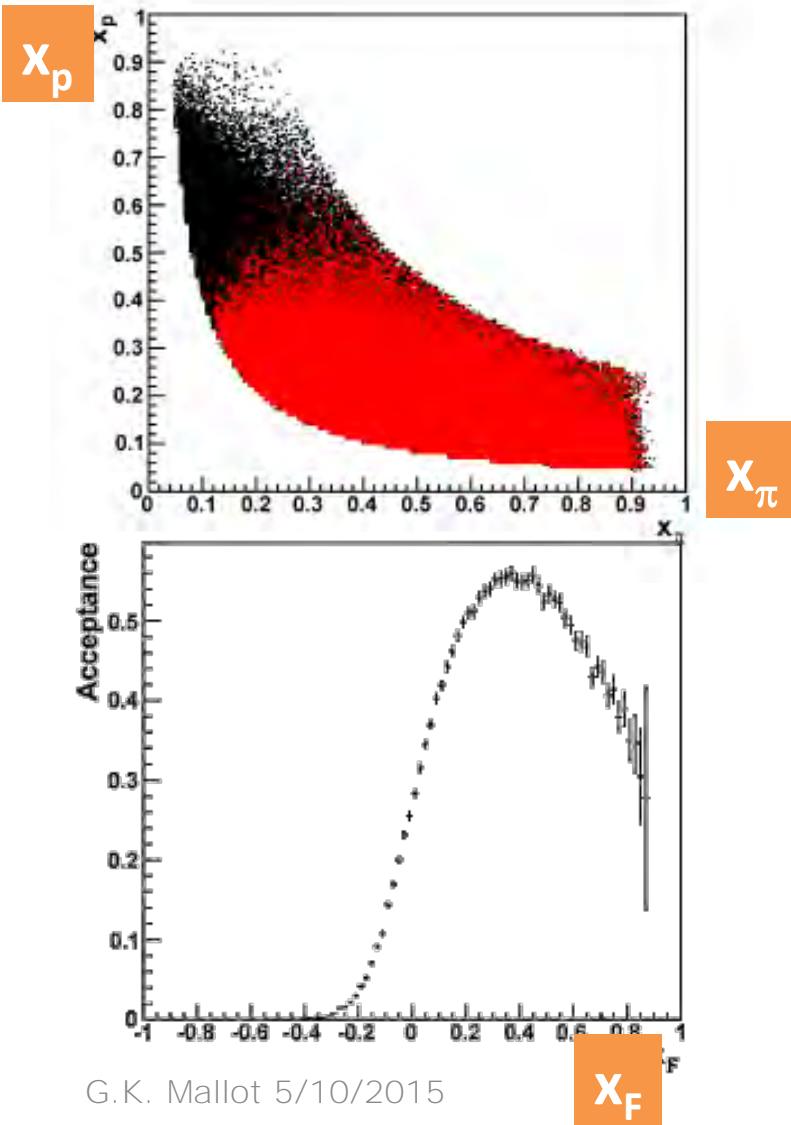
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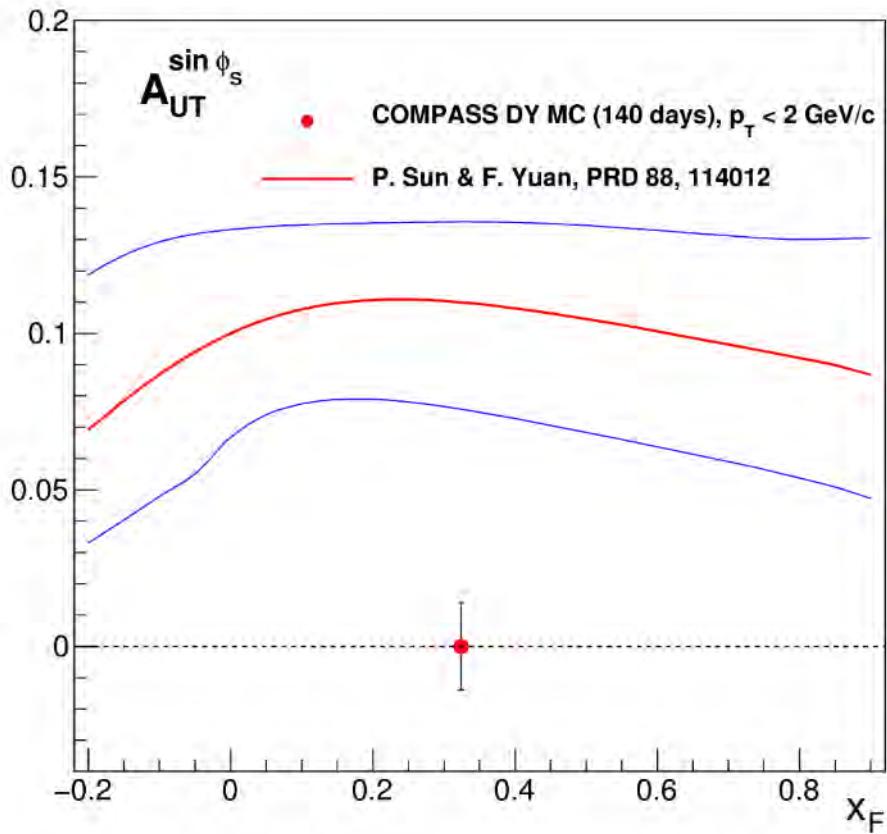
# Drell–Yan muon pair mass regions



# COMPASS polarized DY, projections HMR

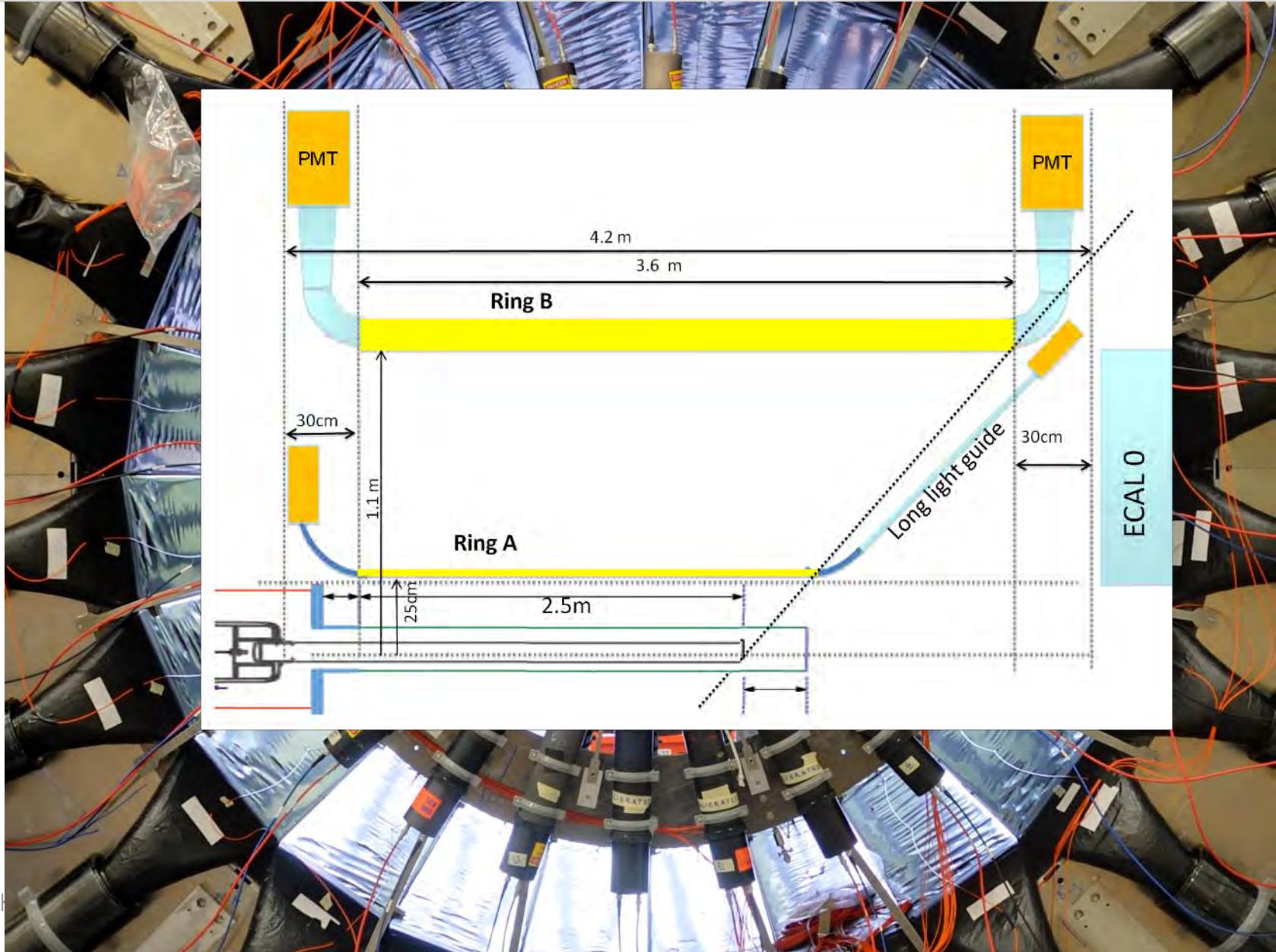


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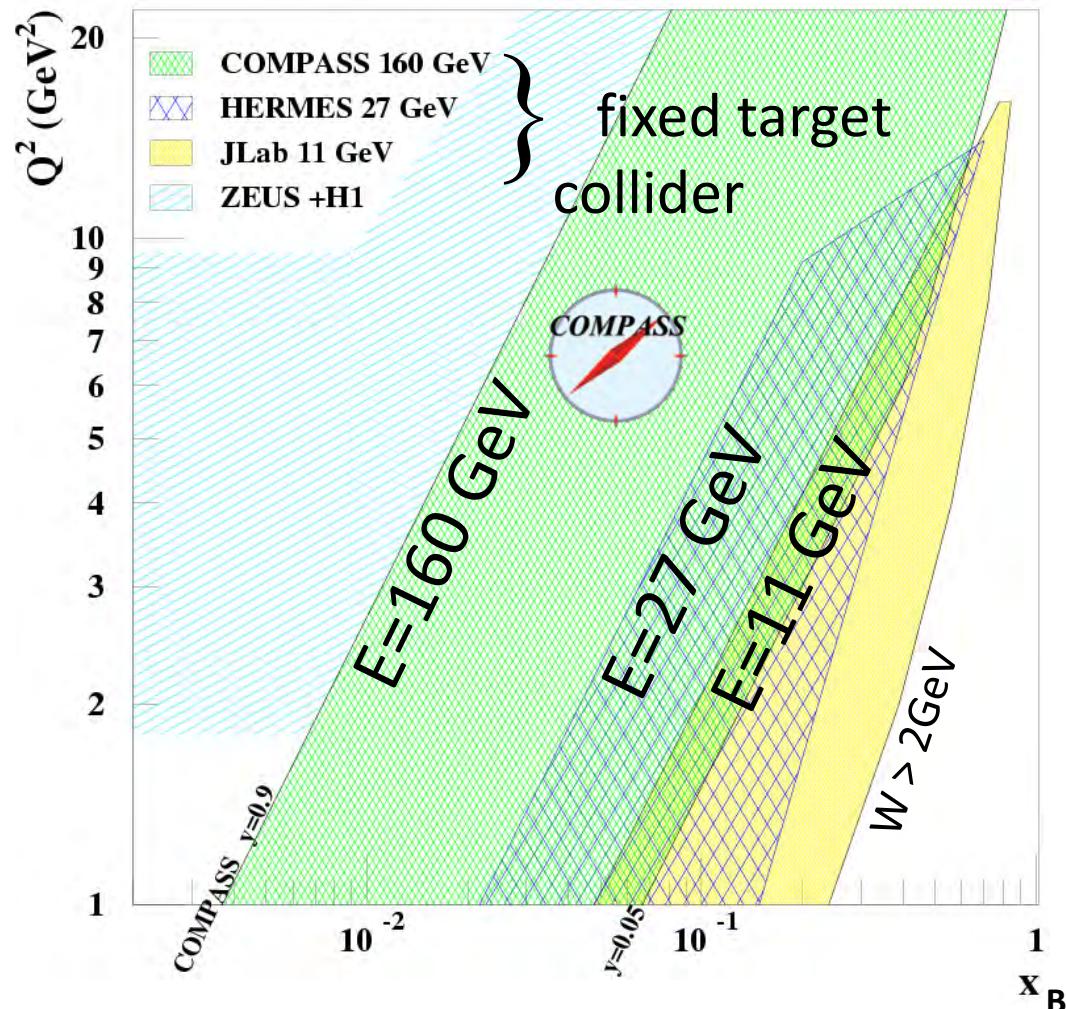
$$x_F = x_\pi - x_p$$

# Camera detector for exclusivity



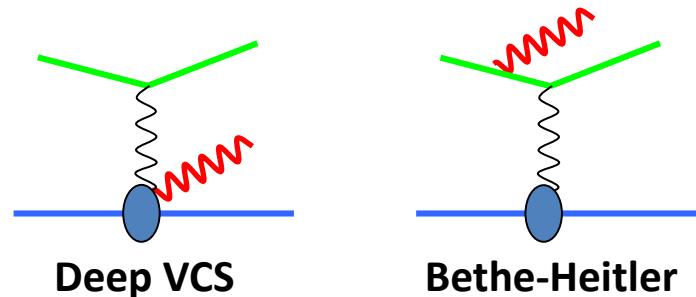
# DVCS

- DVCS is the cleanest process to determine GPDs
- need a world-wide effort
- global analysis over large kinematic range mandatory
- COMPASS-II: bridges HERA to JLAB 11 GeV kinematics



# DVCS–Bethe-Heitler interference $I$

- DVCS can be separated from BH and constrain the GPD  $H$  e.g. using different charge & spin ( $e_\mu$  &  $\mathbf{P}_\mu$ ) cross section combinations of the  $\mu$  beam
- Note:  $\mu^\pm$  beams have opposite polarisation at COMPASS



$$d\sigma^{\mu p \rightarrow \mu p \gamma} = d\sigma^{\text{BH}} + d\sigma_0^{\text{DVCS}} + P_\mu d\Delta\sigma^{\text{DVCS}} + e_\mu \text{Re } I + P_\mu e_\mu \text{Im } I$$

Charge & Spin sum and difference:

$$\mathcal{S} = d\sigma^{\leftarrow^+} + d\sigma^{\leftarrow^-} = 2(d\sigma^{\text{BH}} + d\sigma_0^{\text{DVCS}} + \text{Im } I)$$

$$\mathcal{D} = d\sigma^{\leftarrow^+} - d\sigma^{\leftarrow^-} = 2(d\sigma_0^{\text{DVCS}} + \text{Re } I)$$

$\text{Im } I$  and  $\text{Re } I$  related to

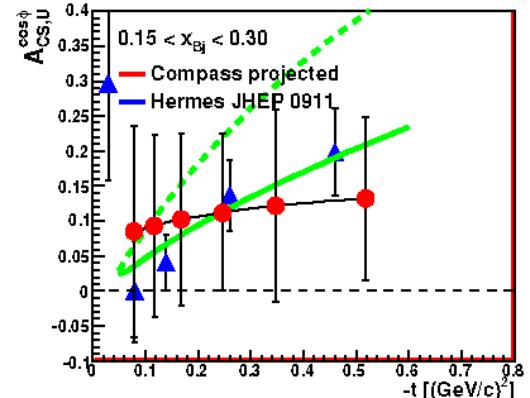
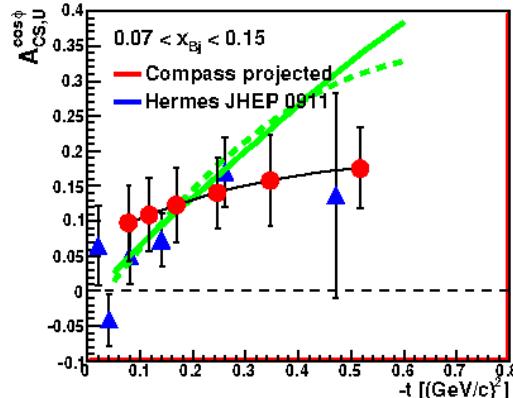
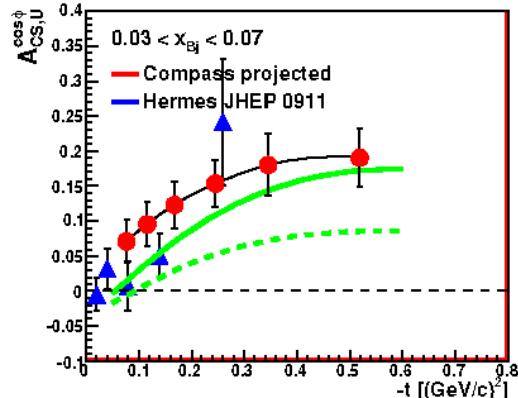
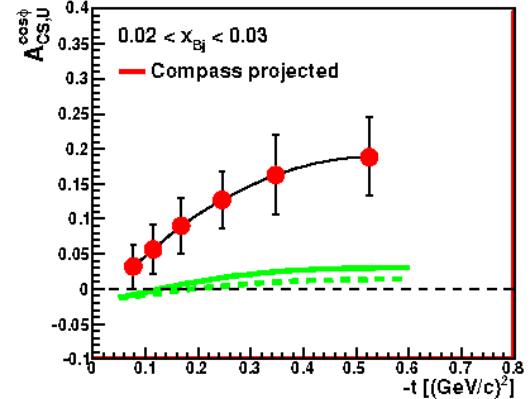
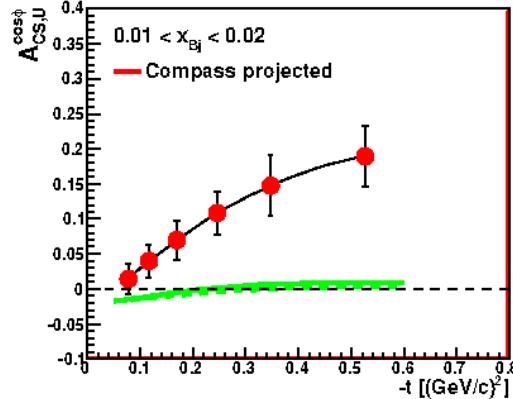
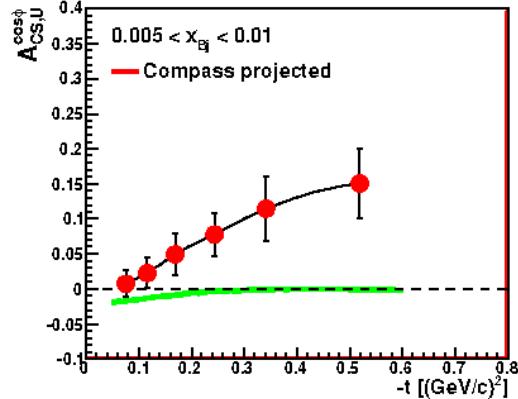
$$H(x = \xi, \xi, t)$$

$$\mathcal{P} \int dx H(x, \xi, t)/(x - \xi)$$

# Projection for beam charge-and-spin asym.

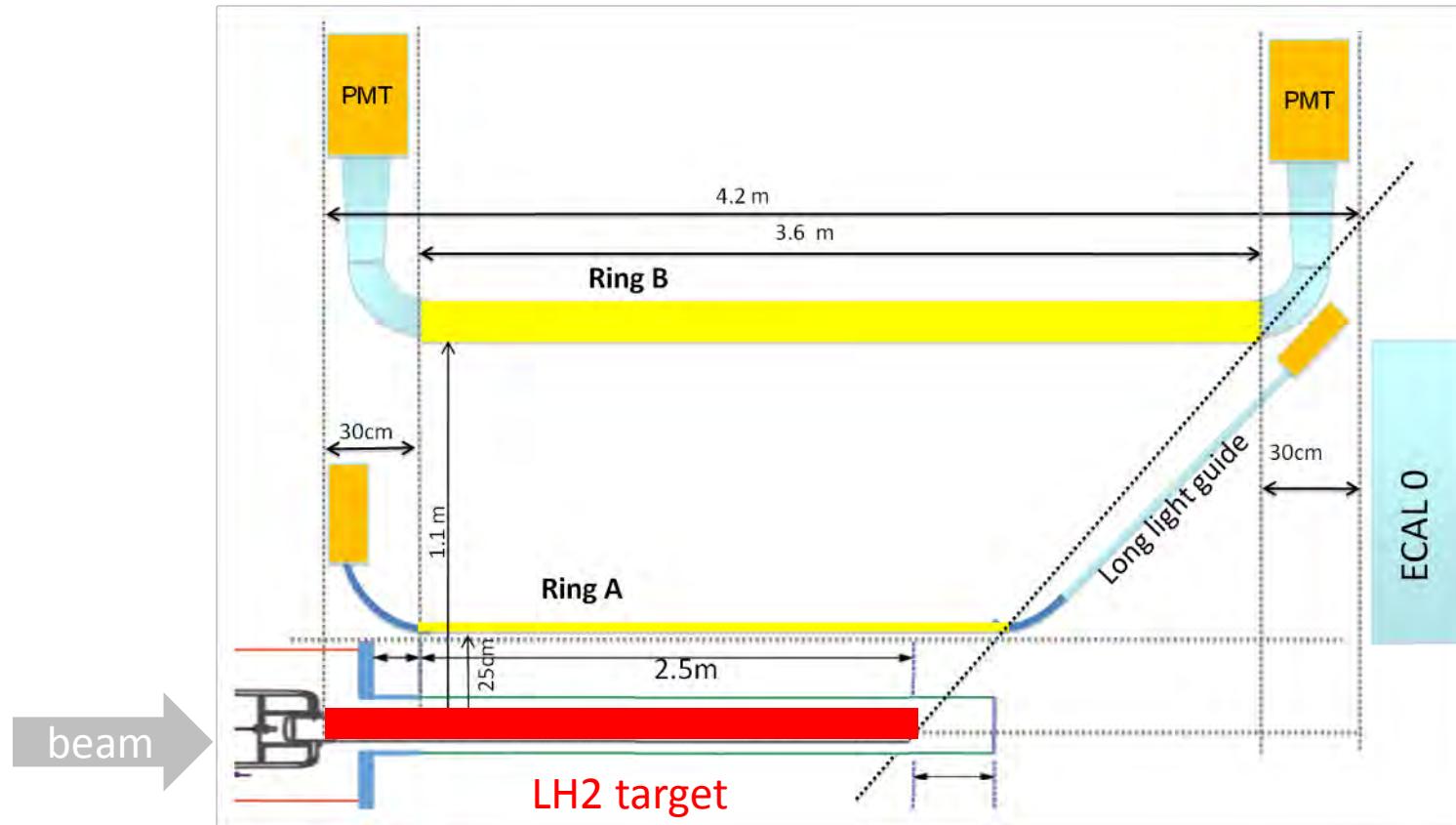
Amplitude of  $\cos \phi$  modulation of

$$A_{CS,U}^{\cos\phi} \equiv \frac{d\sigma^+ - d\sigma^-}{d\sigma^+ + d\sigma^-} = \frac{D_{CS,U}}{S_{CS,U}}$$

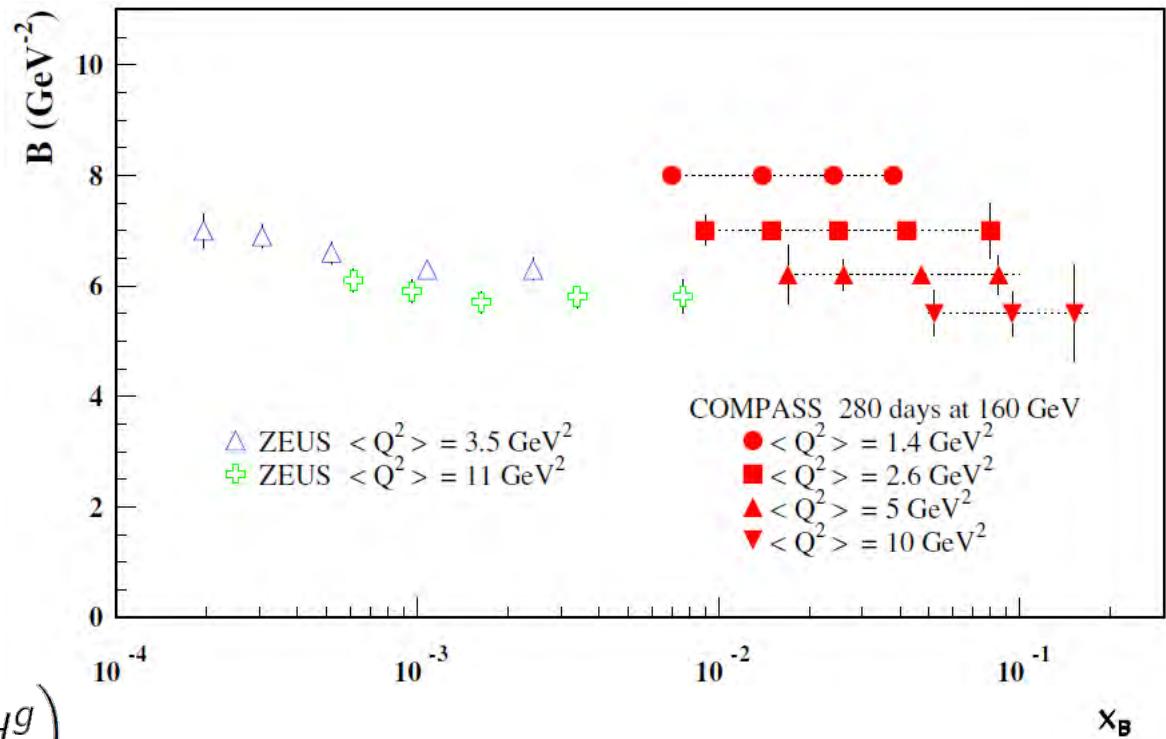
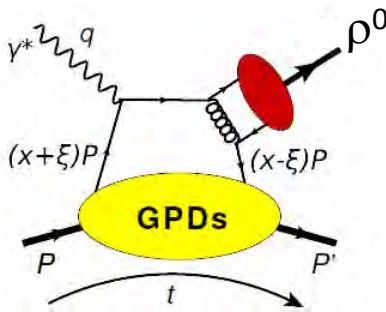


— fits by Kumericki, Mueller

# Geometry target region



# $t$ -slope for $\rho^0$ production



also  $\phi$ ,  $\omega$ , ..

$$H_{\rho^0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{2}{3} H^u + \frac{1}{3} H^d + \frac{3}{8} H^g \right)$$

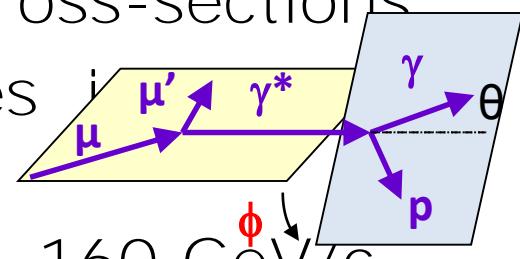
$$H_{\omega} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{2}{3} H^u - \frac{1}{3} H^d + \frac{1}{8} H^g \right)$$

$$H_{\phi} = -\frac{1}{3} H^s - \frac{1}{8} H^g$$

# COMPASS II proj. data

- Example: Charge & spin asym
- Cancelation of several experimental uncertainties
- Easier to measure than absolute cross-sections
- Asymmetries, sums and differences  
 $6x_B \times 4 Q^2$  bins as function of  $\phi$
- Simulation for 2 years data taking, 160 GeV/c and a 2.5 m long liquid H<sub>2</sub> target
- LO:

$$\mathcal{A} = \frac{d\sigma^{\leftarrow} - d\sigma^{\rightarrow}}{d\sigma^{\leftarrow} + d\sigma^{\rightarrow}} = \frac{\mathcal{D}}{\mathcal{S}}$$



$\mathcal{S}$  :  $\text{Im } I$ ,  $\sin \phi$  dependence,  $H(x = \xi, \xi, t)$

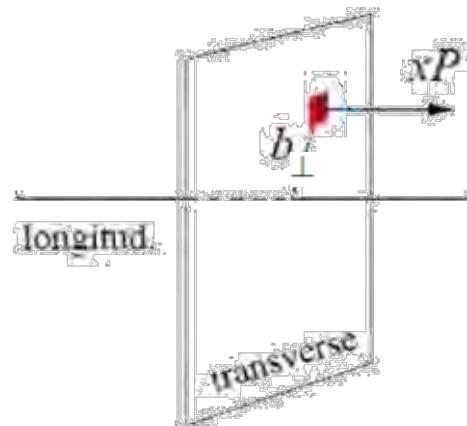
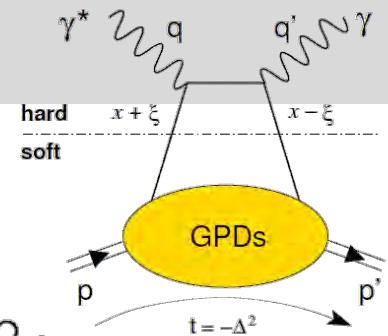
$\mathcal{D}$  :  $\text{Re } I$ ,  $\cos \phi$  dependence,  $\mathcal{P} \int dx H(x, \xi, t)/(x - \xi)$

# 'Tomography'

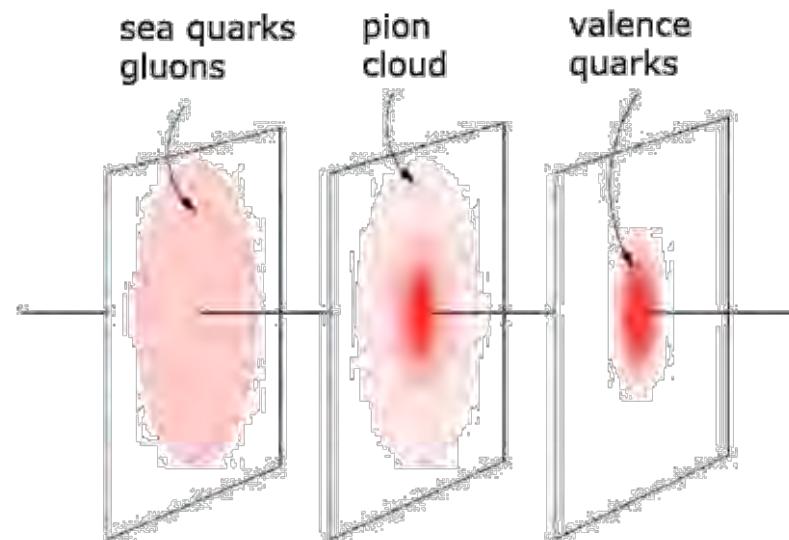
- $\xi=0 \rightarrow t = -\Delta_T^2$ , no long. mom. transfer

$$q^f(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} \exp(-i \Delta_\perp \cdot \mathbf{b}_\perp) H^f(x, 0, -\Delta_\perp^2)$$

- Transverse size as function of longitudinal momentum fraction



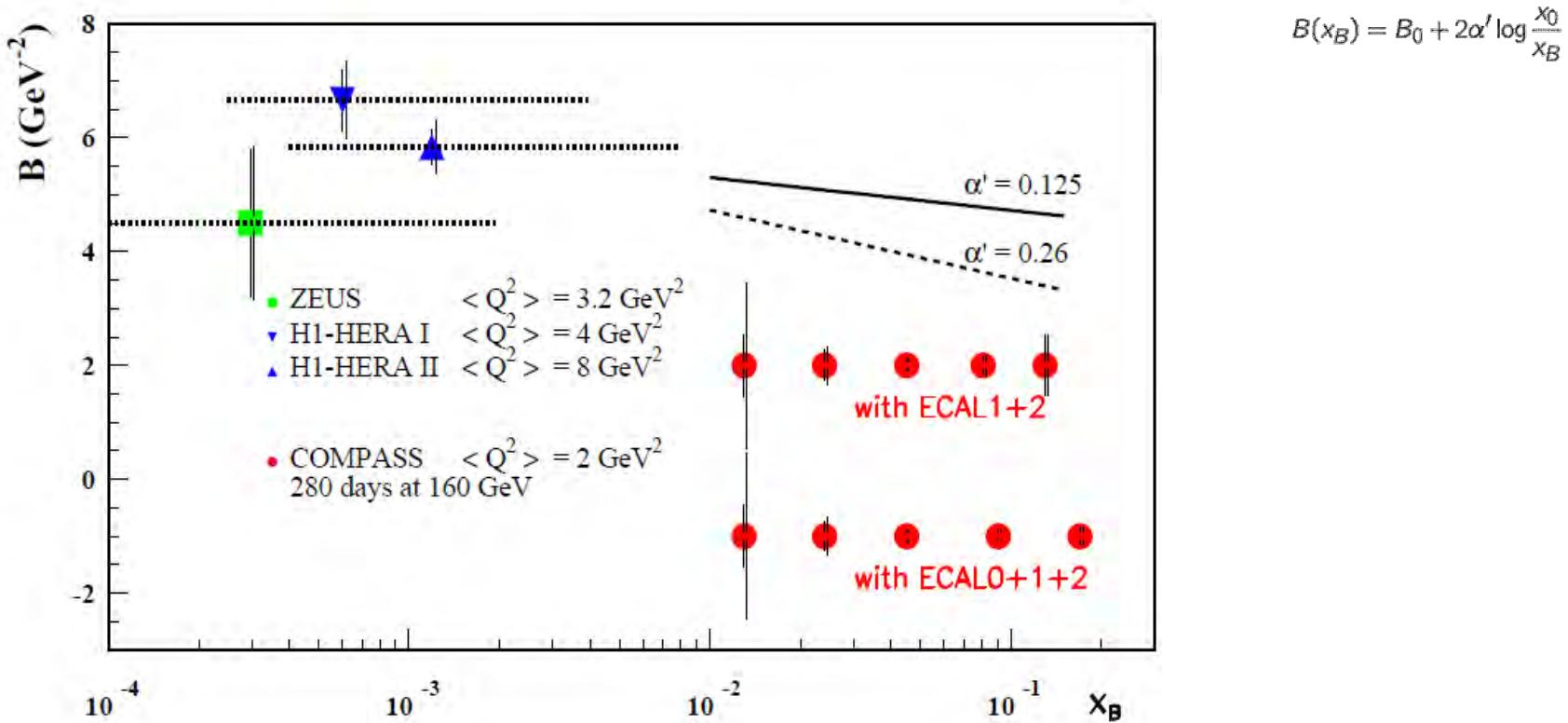
(a)



(b)  $x \sim 0.003$   $x \sim 0.03$   $x \sim 0.3$

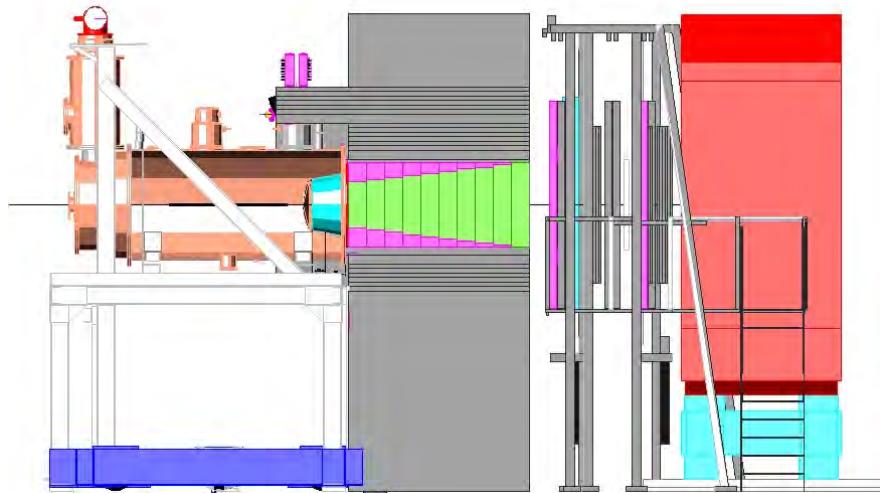
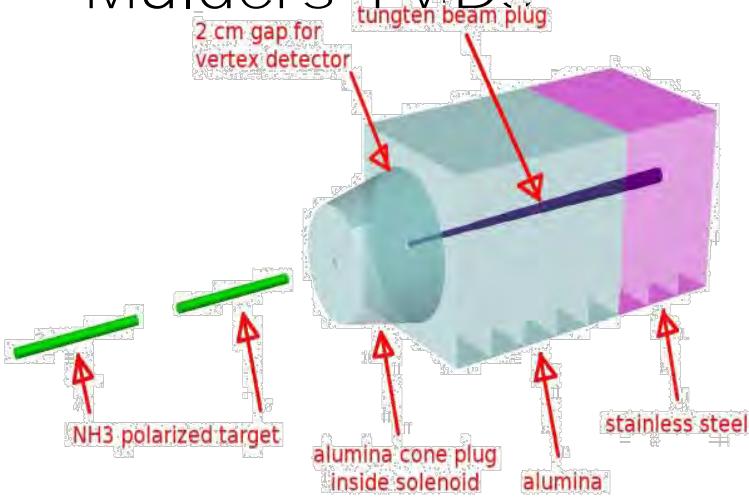
# projected $t$ -slope

- COMPASS-II projection, 2 years of data taking •
- $x_B$  region unique to COMPASS
- transition from HERA → HERMES/JLab

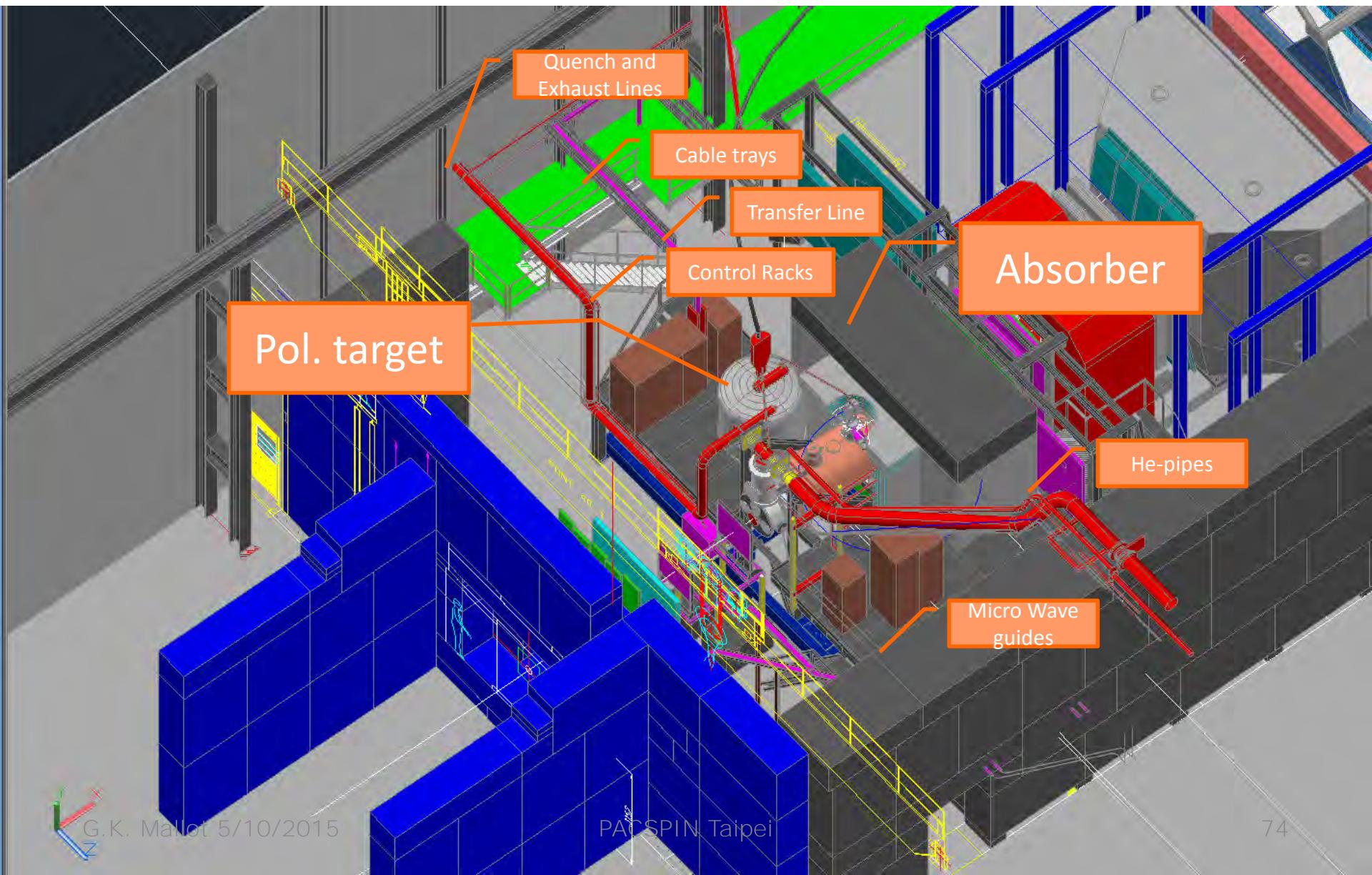


# COMPASS-II Polarised Drell-Yan

- COMPASS-II: 190 GeV/c  $\pi^-$  beam on transversely pol. proton target
- $\pi^-$  valence u-antiquark **picks nucleon's u quark** in valence region (u-quark dominance)
- Access to transversity , the T-odd Sivers and Boer-Mulders TMDs

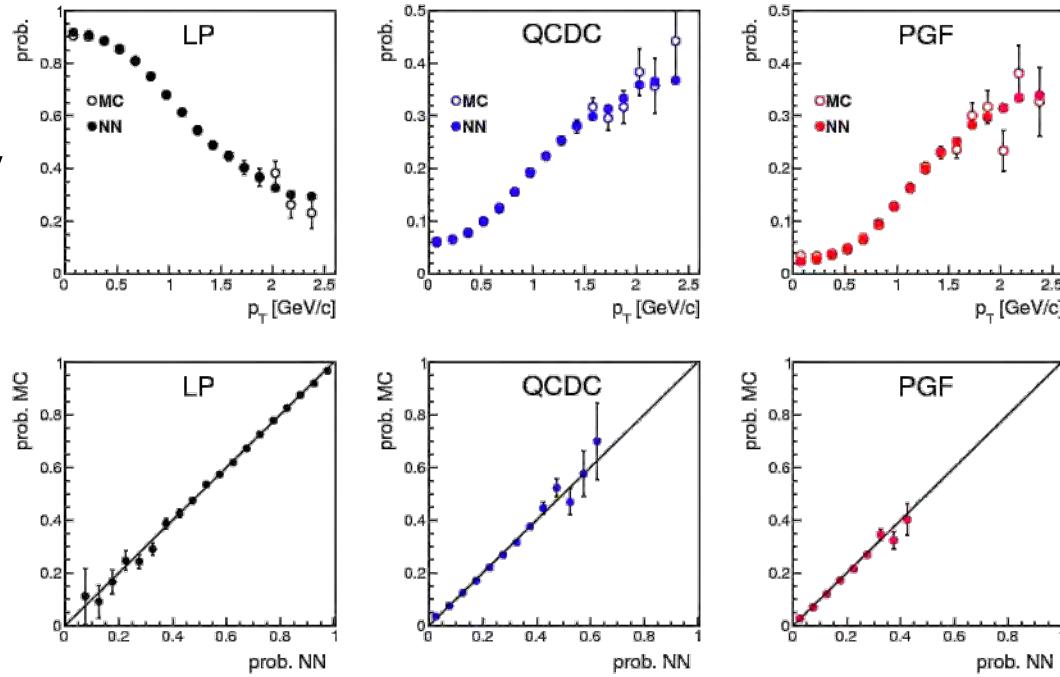
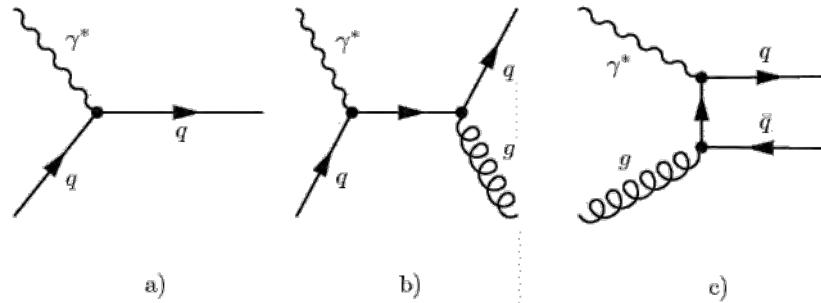


# Target region for DY

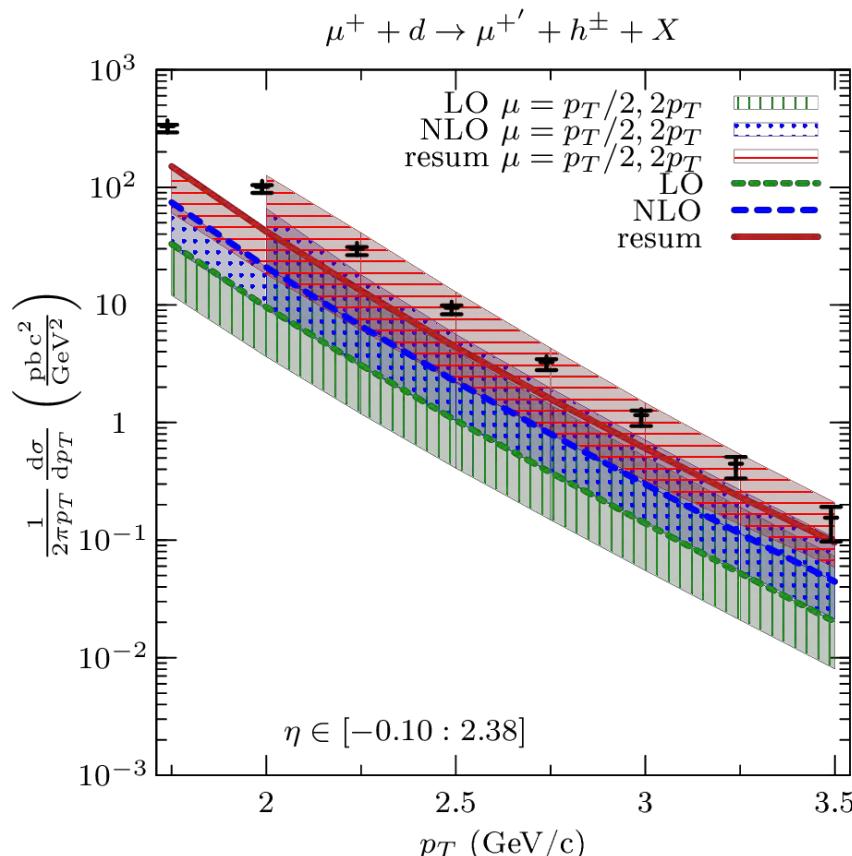


# Gluon polarisation from PGF (LO)

- LO reanalysis of 2002-2004, 2006 deuteron data
- $Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2$
- novel method using events with any  $p_T$  and NN weights
- simultaneous determ. of leading order asym. reduces syst. uncertainty
- determination of  $\Delta g(x)$  in 3 x ranges



# Spin independent cross-section



- semi-inclusive single hadron production
- COMPASS kinematics
- good agreement with NLL resummation

⇒ cross-section asymmetries can be used to determine the gluon polarisation

⇒ need NLL resummation for polarised case

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