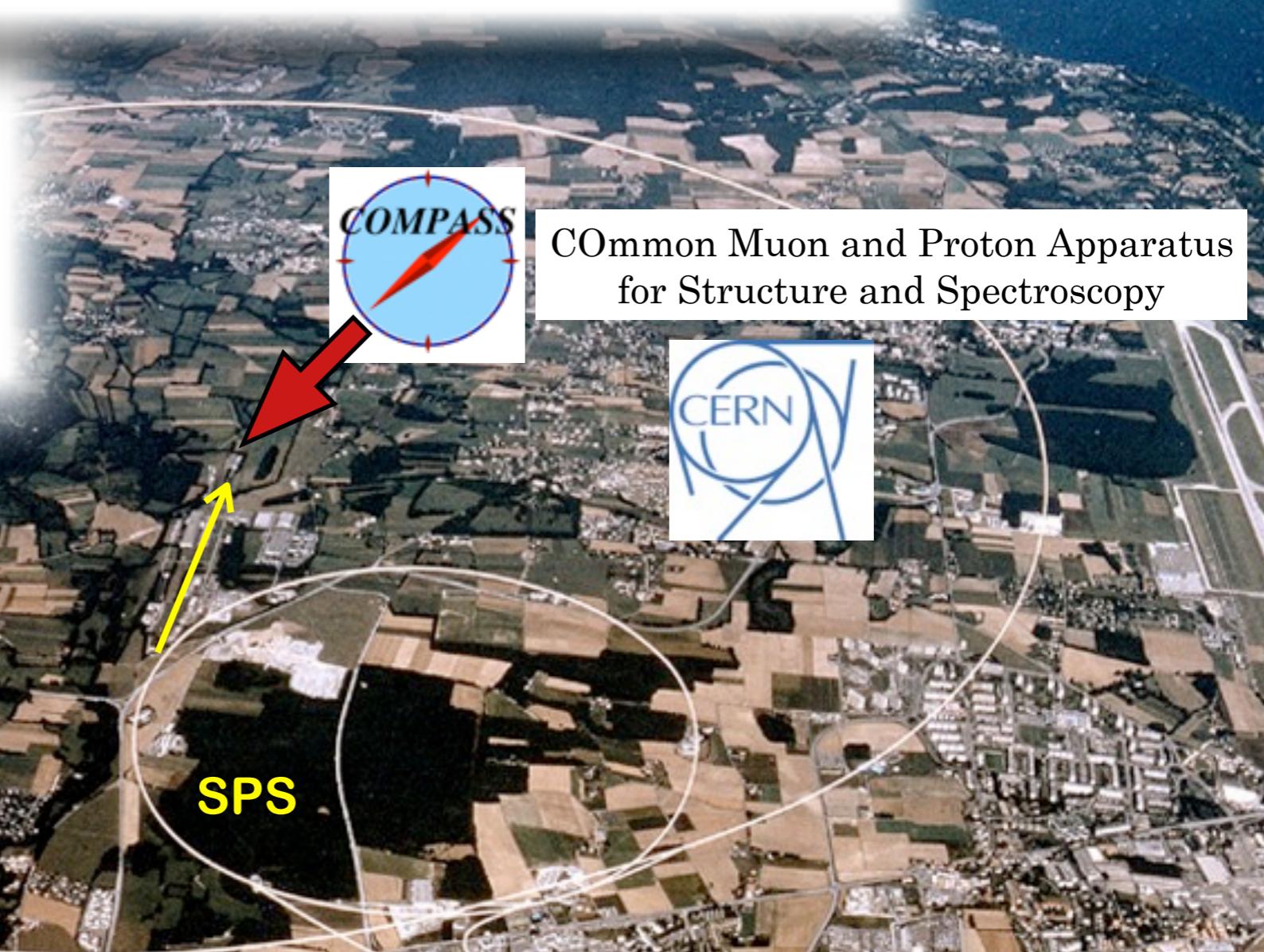


# Drell-Yan measurements at COMPASS

- Intro
- The experiment
- Spin-dependent measurements
- Spin-independent measurements



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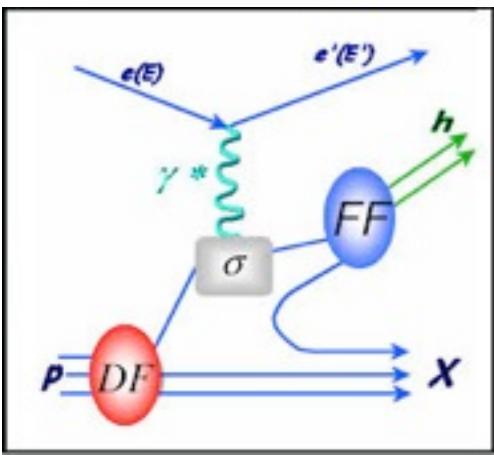
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*Emerging Spin and Transverse Momentum  
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# Probing the partonic structure of hadrons

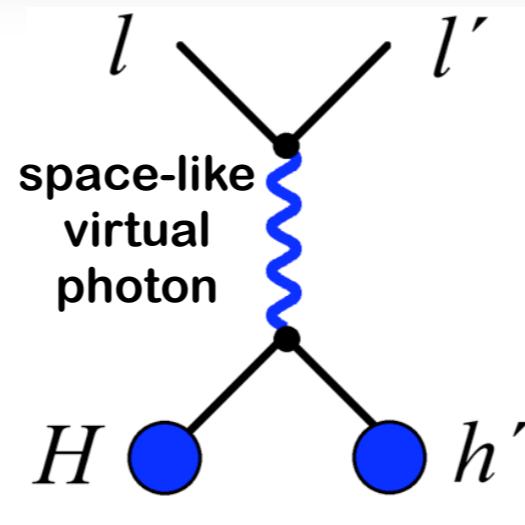


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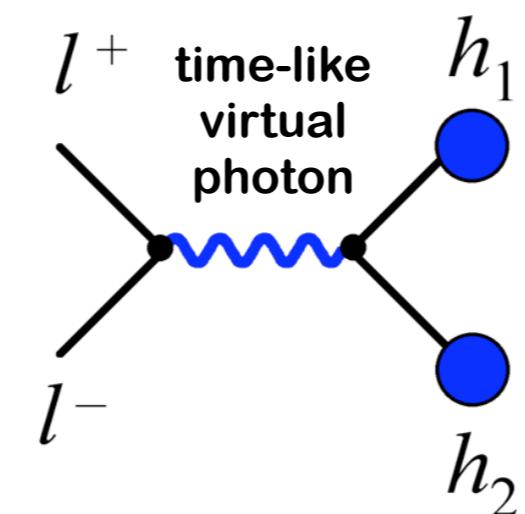
Probe  
universality

Assumption:  
factorization applies  
Caveat: might break  
down @high-x



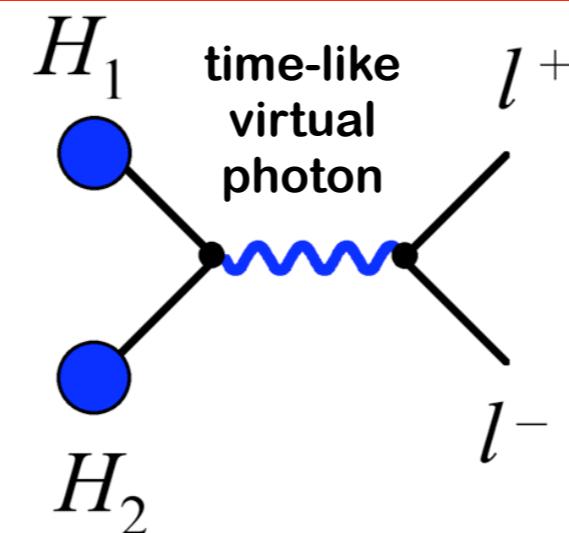
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**Drell-Yan  
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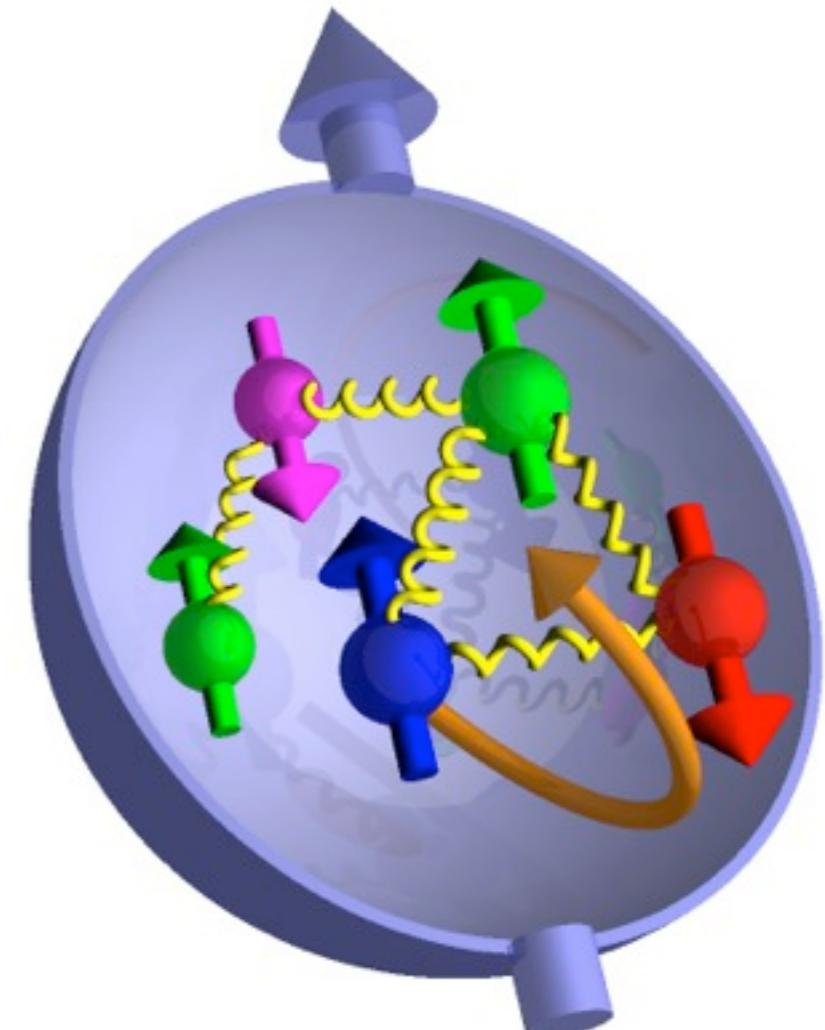
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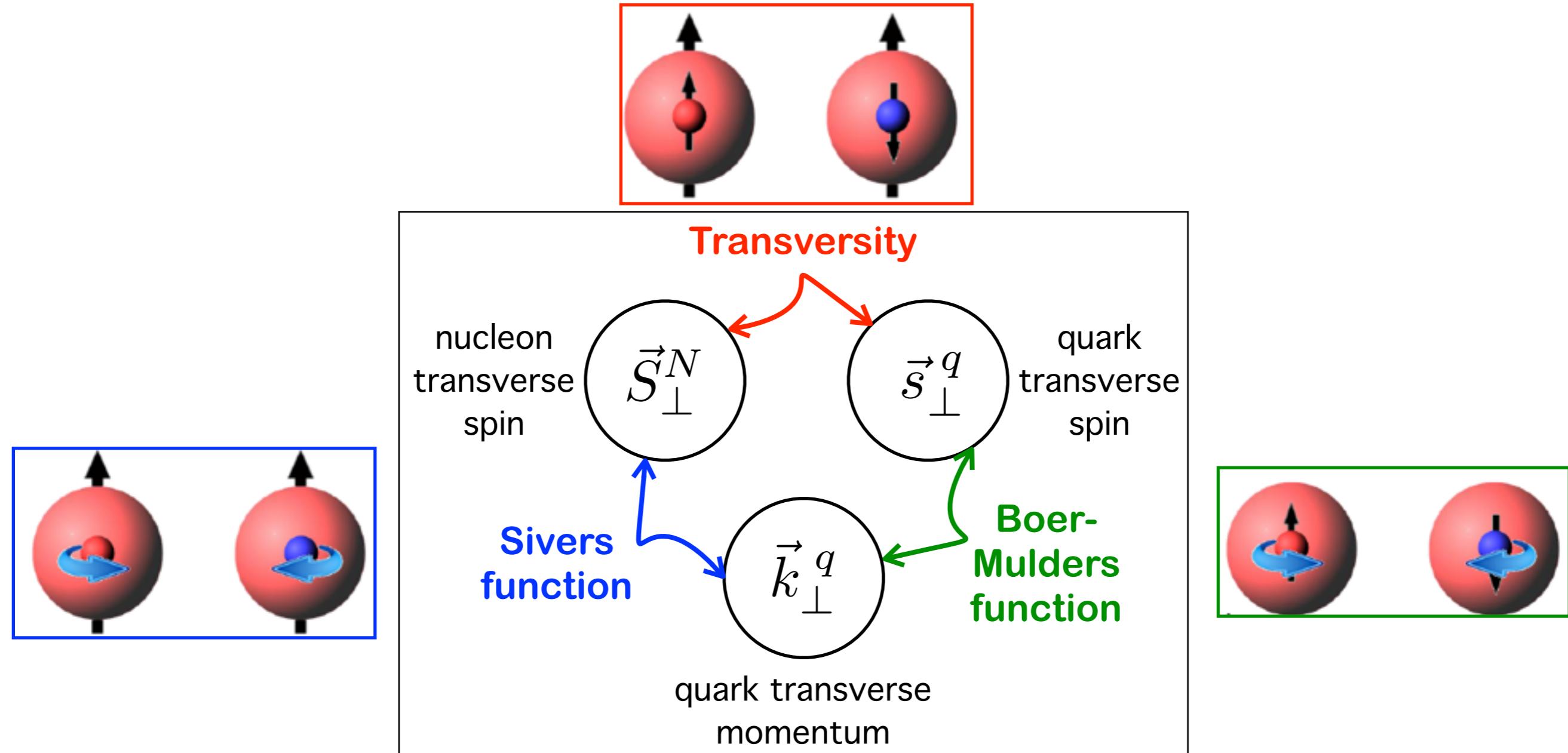
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**TMDs:** Transverse-  
Momentum dependent  
PDFs

**GPDs:** Generalized  
Parton Distributions

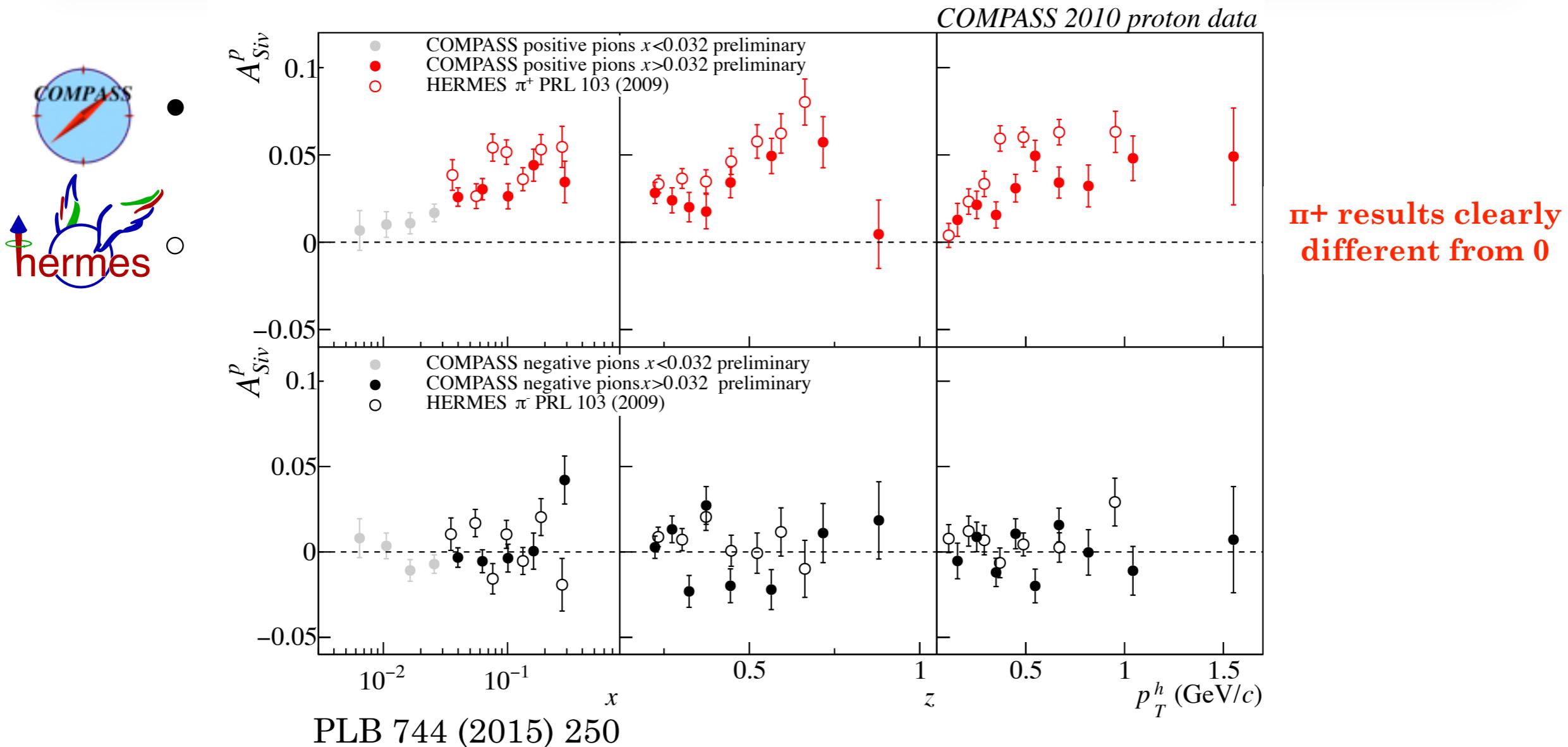


# TMDs in Drell-Yan - the “missing spin program”



**Test fundamental predictions by measuring TMDs in Drell Yan.**

# Sivers and Boer-Mulders measured in SIDIS



Universality: these naïve time-reversal-odd TMDs are expected to have the **same magnitude** but **opposite sign** in Drell Yan.

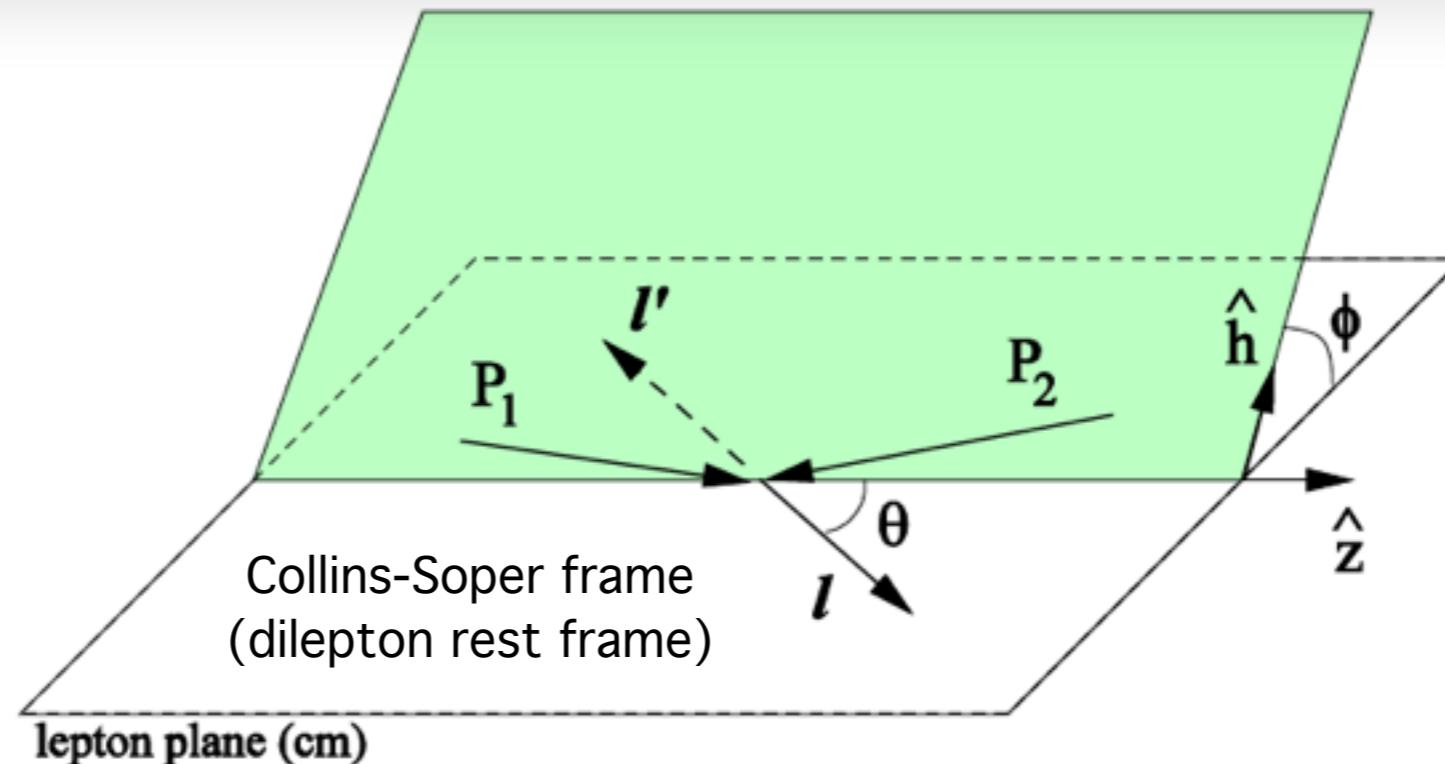
**Drell Yan:** QCD gluon gauge link (Wilson line) in initial state vs.  
**SIDIS:** final-state interactions.

# Angular dependence of the Drell-Yan cross section

“no spin”  
(spin integrated)

“Naive Drell-Yan” in collinear  
( $k_T=0$ )  $q\bar{q}$  annihilation:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \propto 1 + \cos^2 \theta$$



$(1+\cos^2\theta)$  “naive DY”+  $k_T$  + higher  $O(\alpha_S)$ :

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \propto 1 + \lambda \cos^2 \theta + \mu \sin(2\theta) \cos \phi + \frac{\nu}{2} \sin^2 \theta \cos(2\phi)$$

$$1 - \lambda = 2\nu$$

Boer-Mulders (BM)  
modulation

Lam-Tung relation

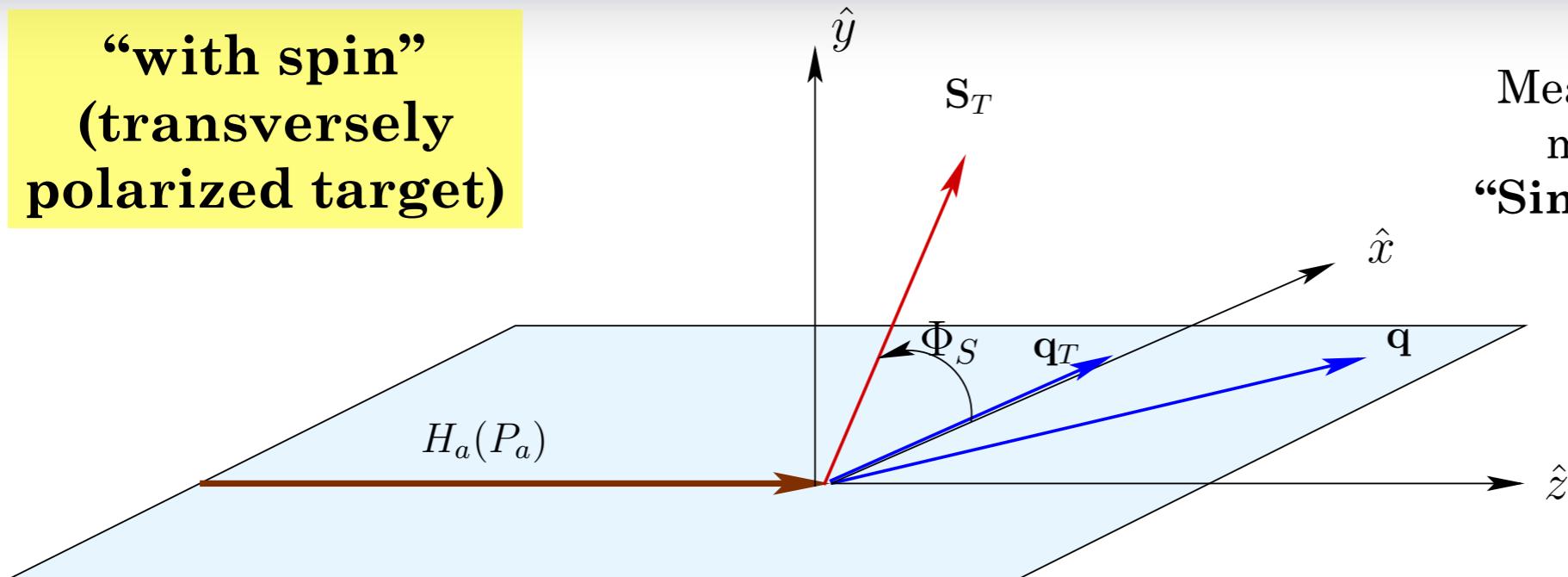
C.S. Lam and W.K. Tung, PRD 18 (1978) 2447

*Basic derivation from  
structure-function  
formalism*



# Angular dependence of the Drell-Yan cross section

“with spin”  
 (transversely  
 polarized target)



Measure magnitude of azimuthal  
 modulations in cross section:  
 “Single-Spin Asymmetries” SSA

beam      target  
**Drell-Yan**      DF  $\otimes$  DF

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\sigma(\pi^- p^\uparrow \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- X) = & 1 + \boxed{\bar{h}_1^\perp} \otimes \boxed{h_1^\perp} \cos(2\phi) \\
 & + |S_T| \boxed{\bar{f}_1} \otimes \boxed{\bar{f}_{1T}^\perp} \sin \phi_S \\
 & + |S_T| \boxed{\bar{h}_1^\perp} \otimes \boxed{h_{1T}^\perp} \sin(2\phi + \phi_S) \\
 & + |S_T| \boxed{\bar{h}_1^\perp} \otimes \boxed{h_1} \sin(2\phi - \phi_S)
 \end{aligned}$$

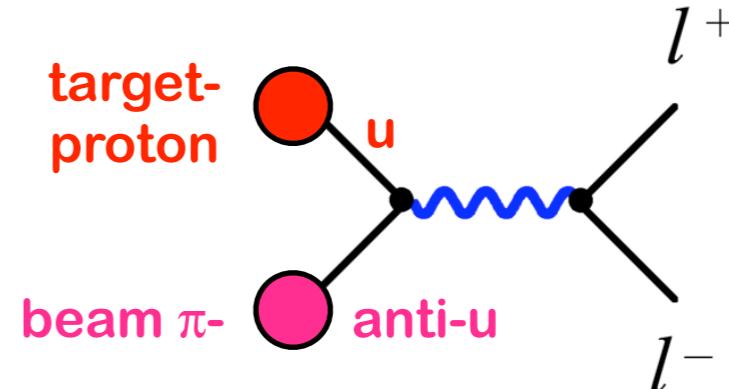
beam      target  
(BM)  $\otimes$  (BM)  
(f<sub>1</sub>)  $\otimes$  (Sivers)  
(BM)  $\otimes$  (Pretzelosity)  
(BM)  $\otimes$  (Transversity)

# Why a meson beam?

Drell-Yan

$$\text{DF} \otimes \text{DF}$$

$$\sigma^{\text{DY}} \propto f_{\bar{u}|\pi} \otimes f_{u|p}$$



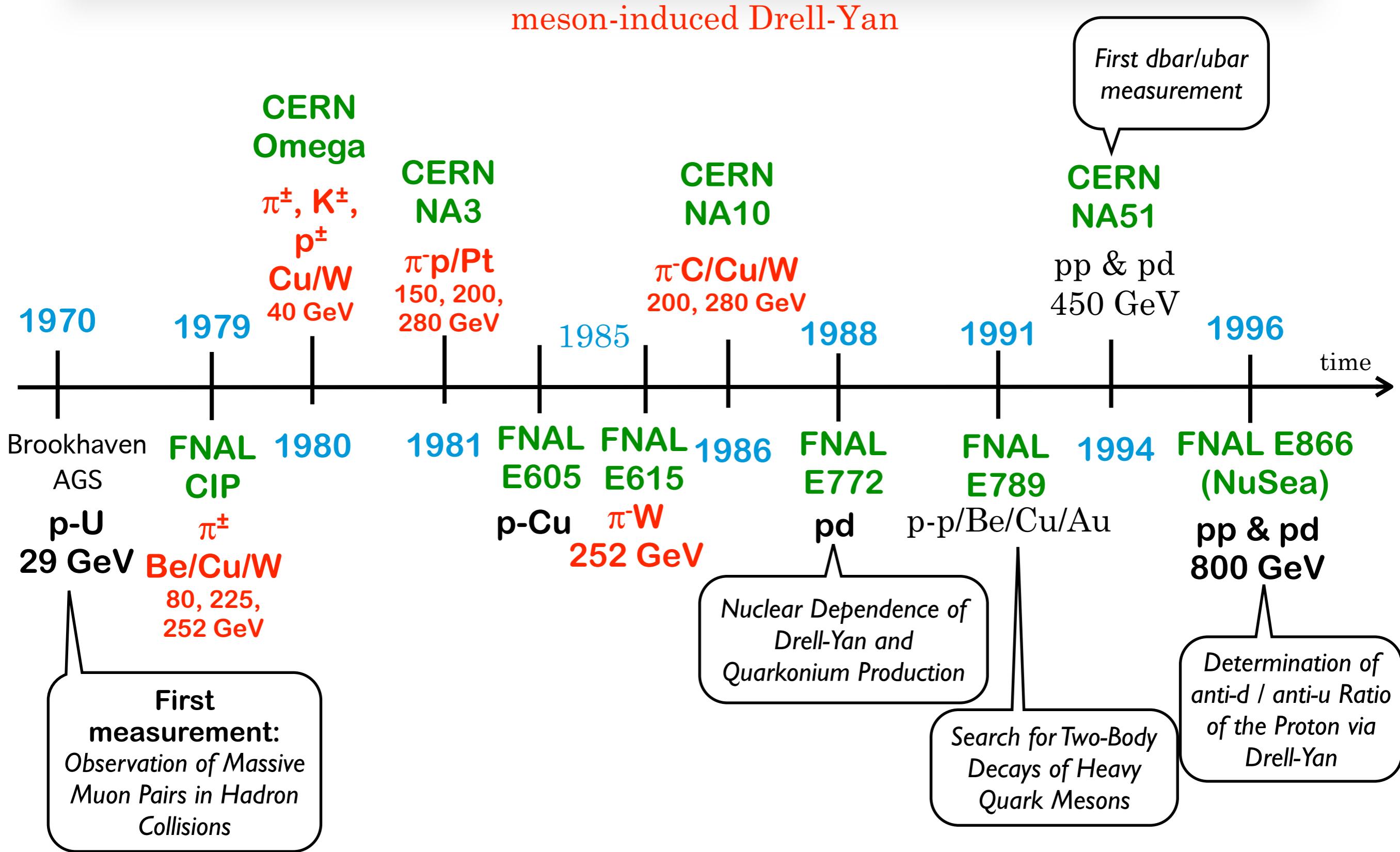
- **Flavor sensitive:** meson is specific qqbar compound
  - pi-minus on proton: selectively probes u-quark Sivers distribution of the proton
  - no cancellation effects by opposite-sign u- and d-quark Sivers contributions
- Creation of **large-mass di-lepton from valence quarks:** large x  
Proton-induced DY generates di-lepton from sea-quark object with small x.
- Mesons as alternative probe to **test meson structure** → and **nuclear models** (not accessible in DIS)

pion	proton
$(\text{BM})_\pi$	$\otimes (\text{BM})_p$
$(f_1)_\pi$	$\otimes (\text{Sivers})_p$
$(\text{BM})_\pi$	$\otimes (\text{Pretzelosity})_p$
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See also: W.-C. Chang and D. Dutta, arXiv:1306.3971,



# Selected Drell-Yan experiments of the past

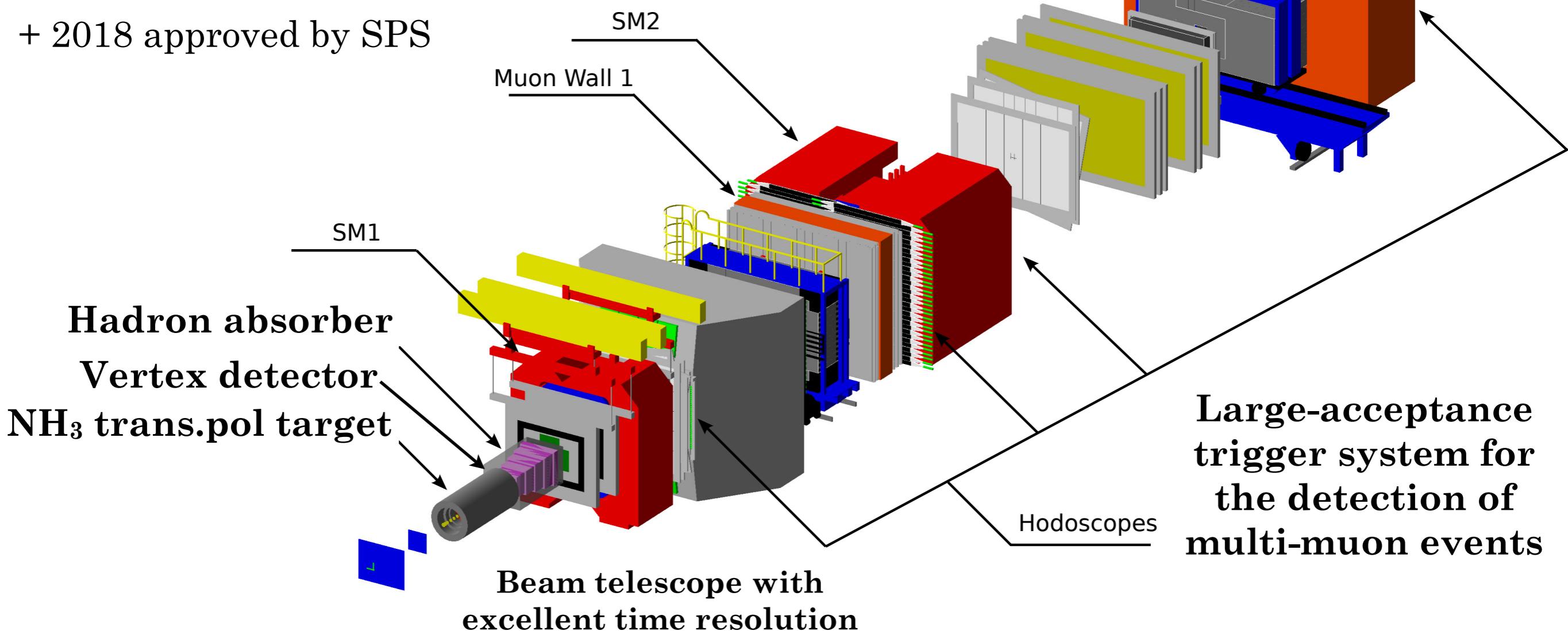


# COMPASS Drell-Yan runs

- 2008: test run
- 2014: pilot run (unpolarized)

**- 2015: main run  
(transversely polarized NH<sub>3</sub> target)**

+ 2018 approved by SPS



**190 GeV negative hadron beam ( $\pi/K/p$  97/2/1%)**  
(from 400 GeV SPS protons onto conversion target)  
**Beam intensity 2015:  $10^8$  particles / sec**

**2-stage spectrometer:**  
“LAS”:  $35 \text{ mrad} < \theta_\mu < 180 \text{ mrad}$   
“SAS”:  $18 \text{ mrad} < \theta_\mu < 35 \text{ mrad}$   
~350 tracking planes



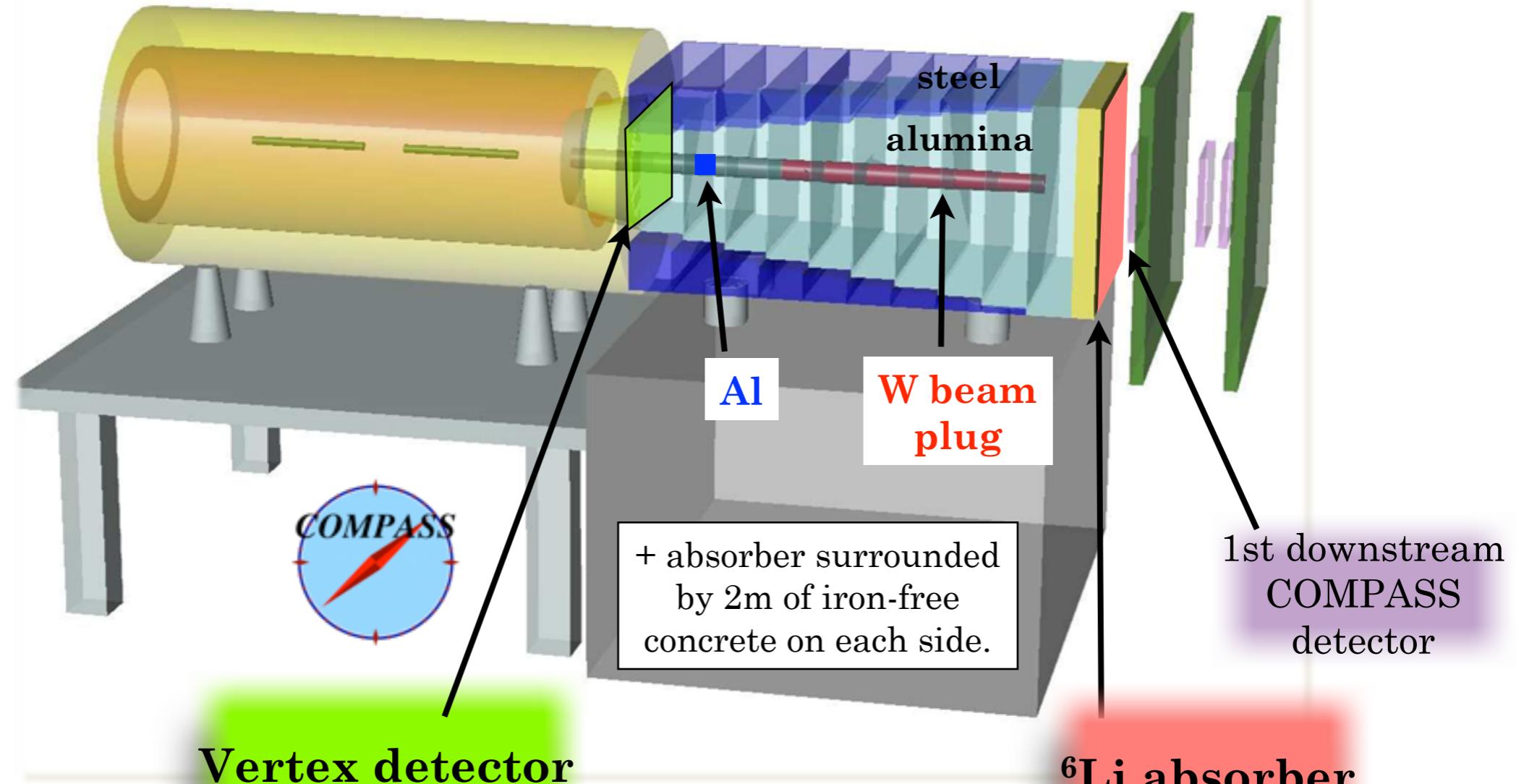
# Transversely polarized NH<sub>3</sub> target

# & Hadron absorber

1. Long. pol.: DNP & 2.5T solenoid

2. Trans. pol: 0.6T dipole

Ammonia beads immersed into liquid helium;  
dilution factor=0.22



to improve resolution of  
- mass & angle of virtual photon  
- vertex position.

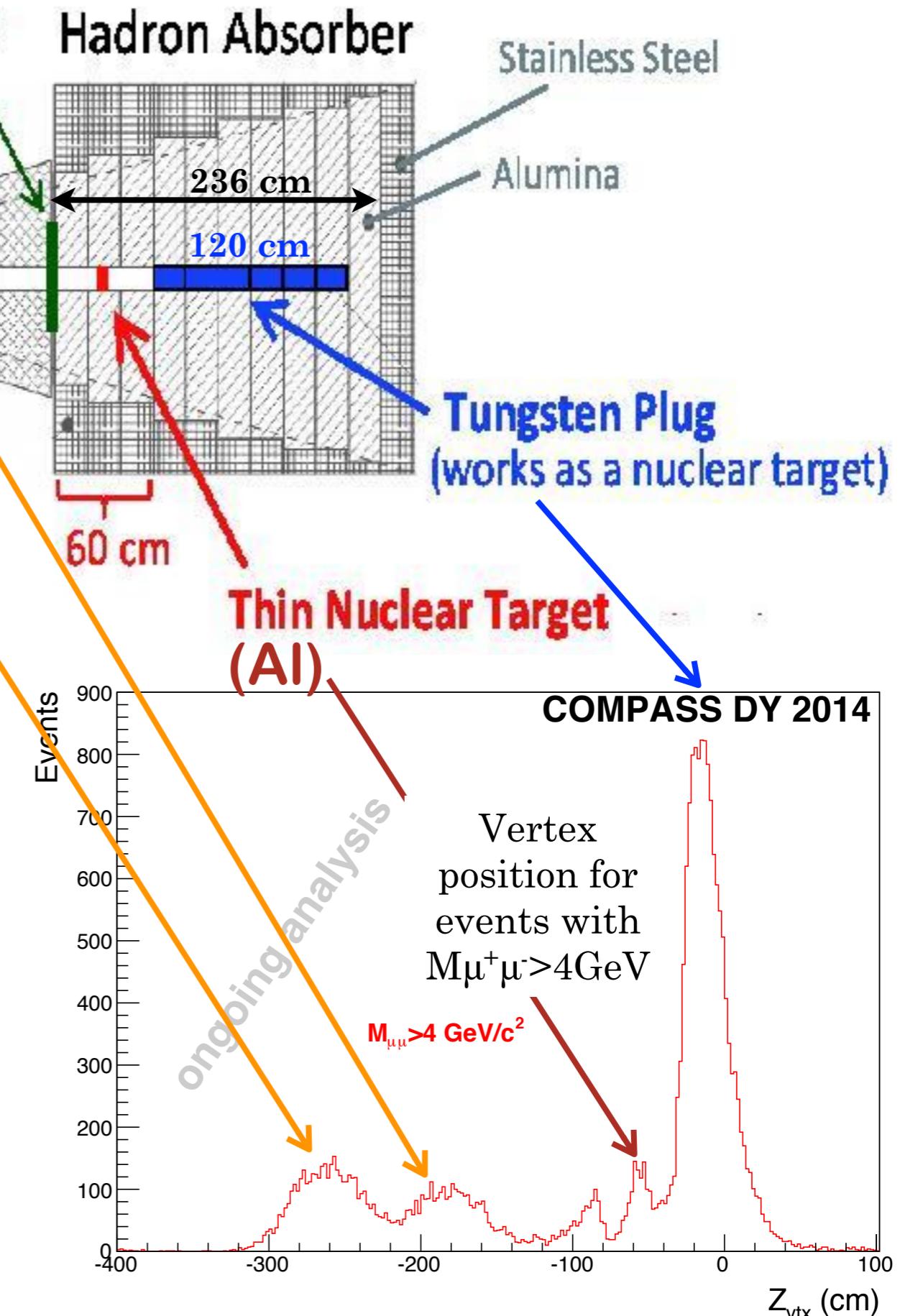
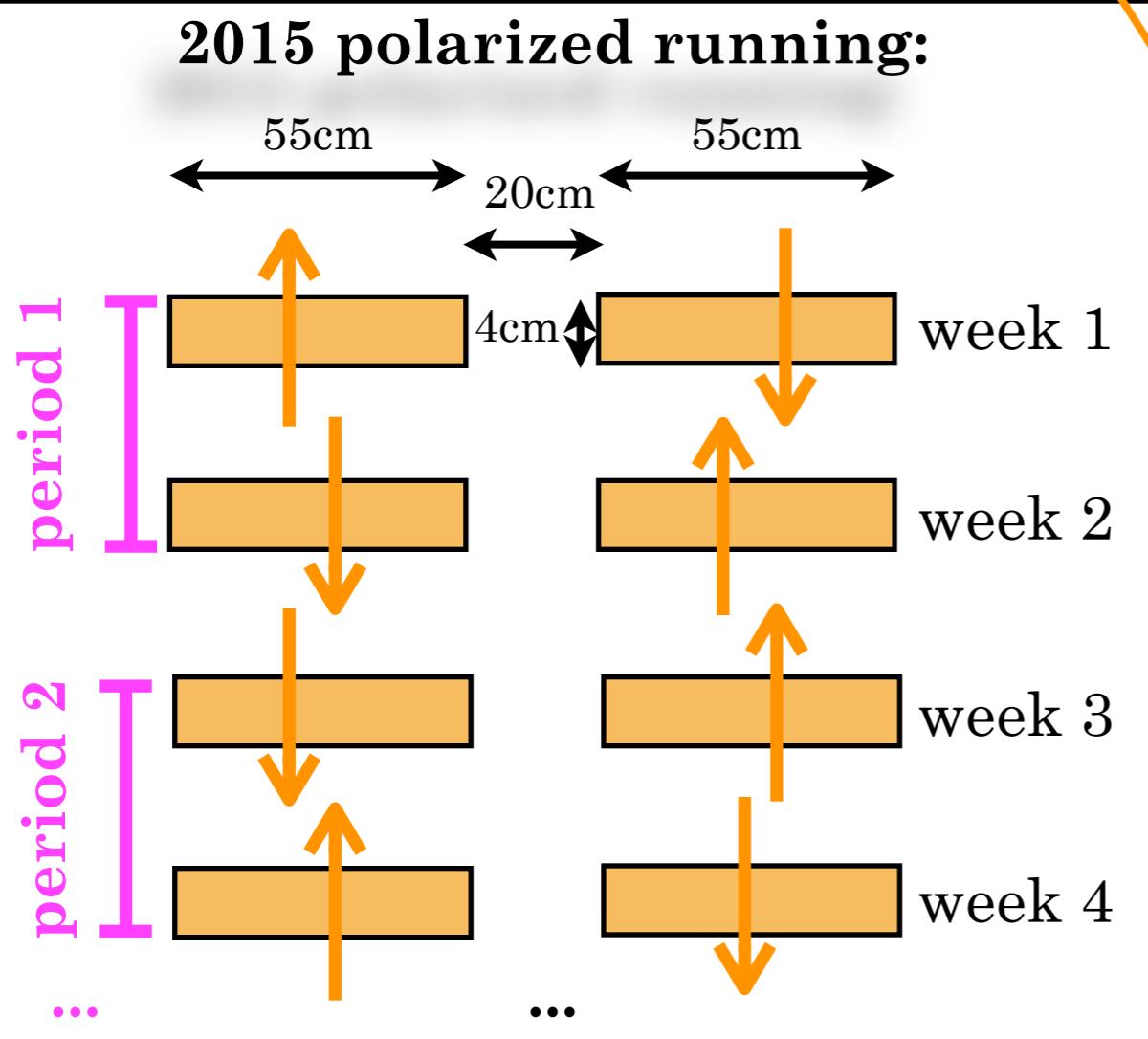
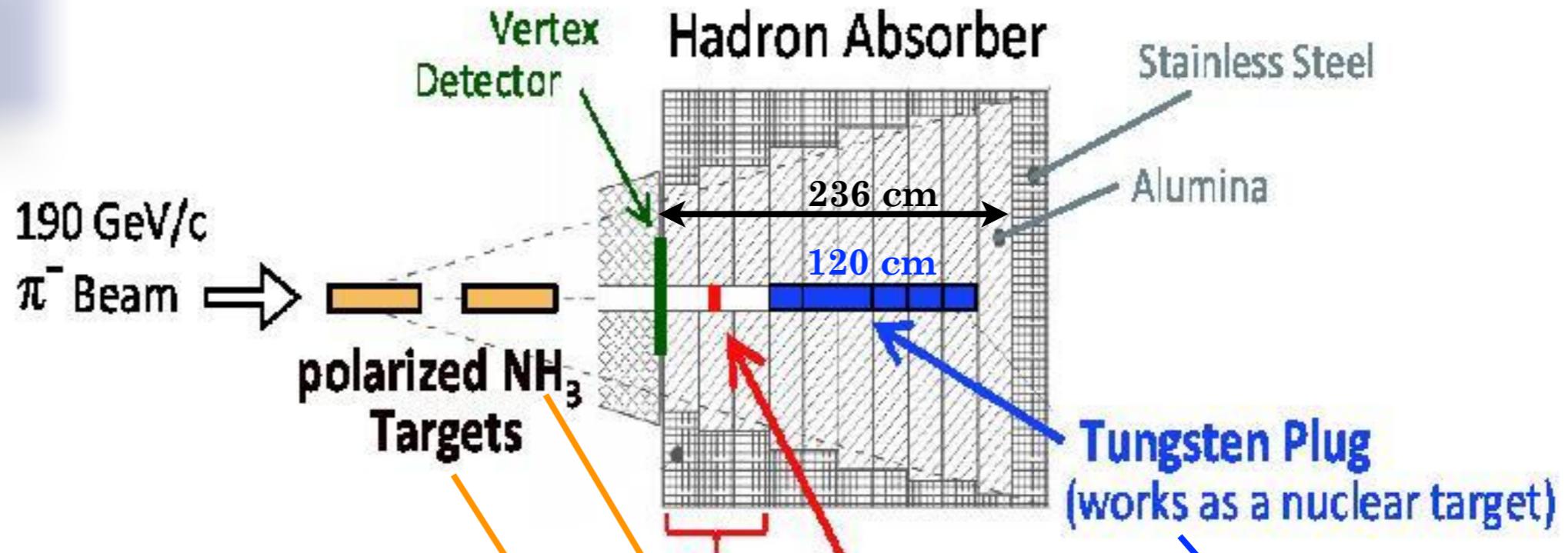
To minimize multiple scattering of muons and to maximize stopping power for hadrons.

## **${}^6\text{Li}$ absorber**

to prevent flooding of very upstream detectors with charged particles from capture of spallation neutrons ( $\Rightarrow \gamma \Rightarrow e^+e^-$ ).



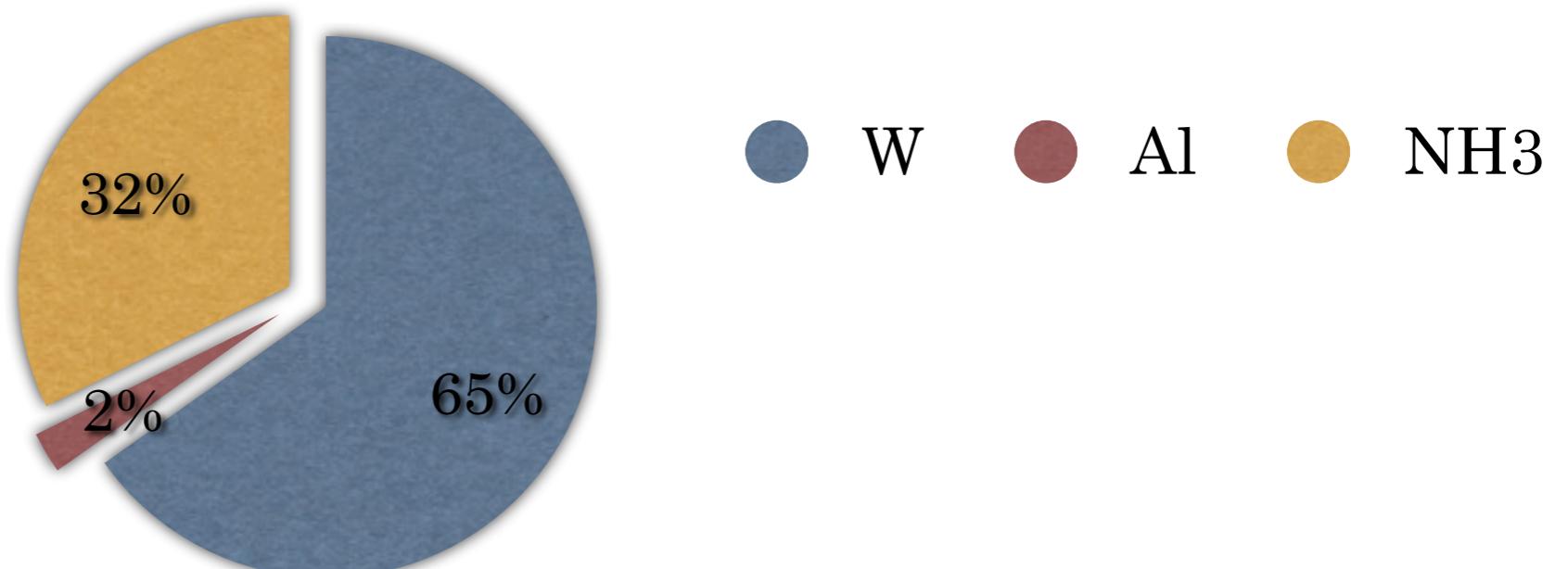
# Targets



# Existing COMPASS Drell-Yan data

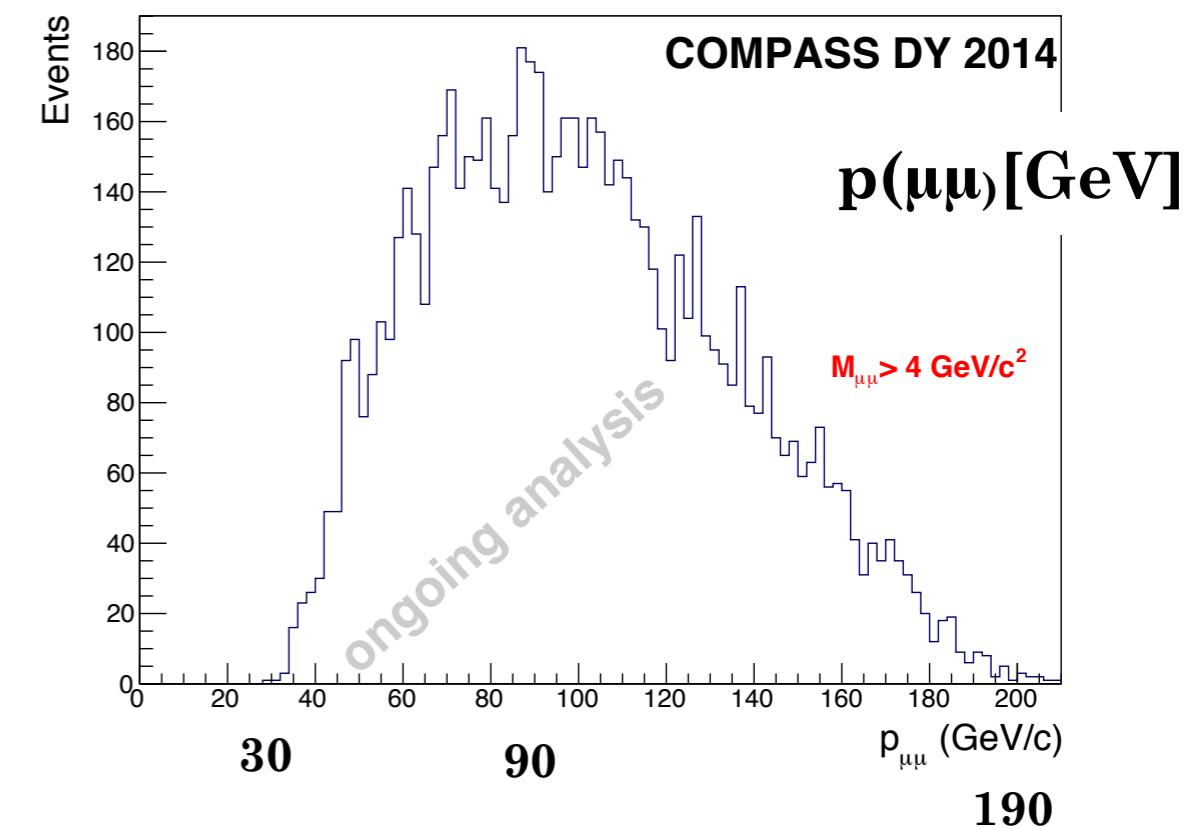
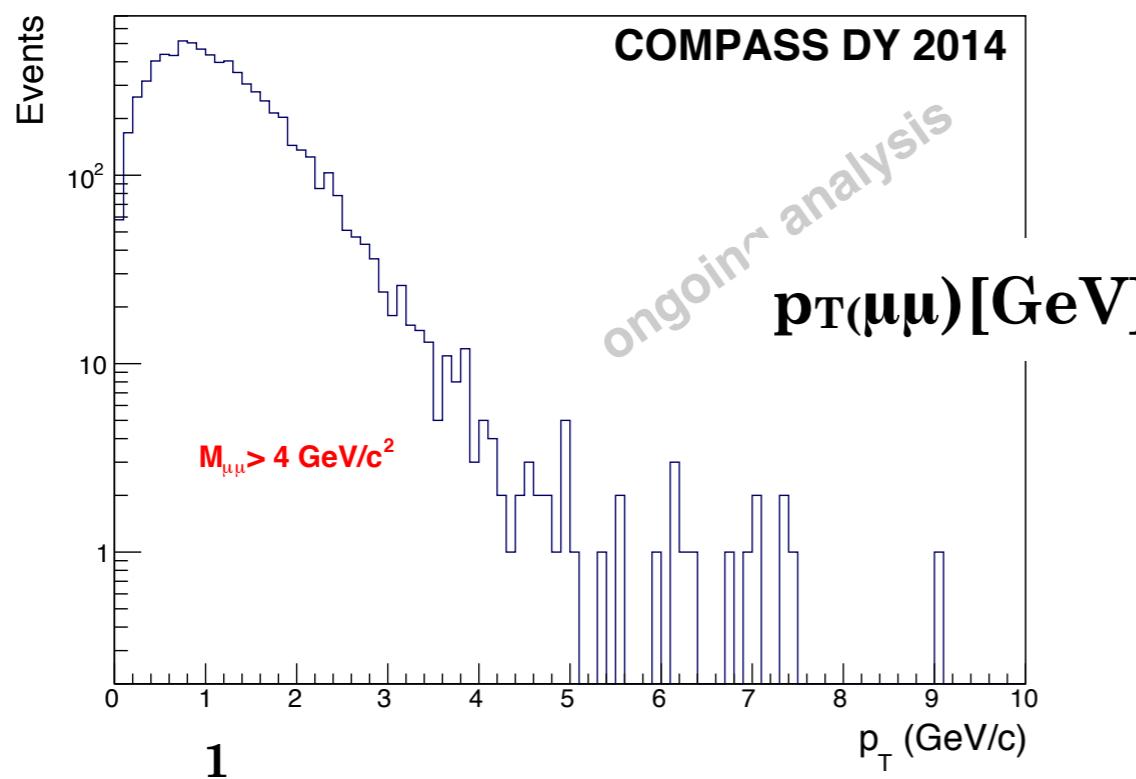
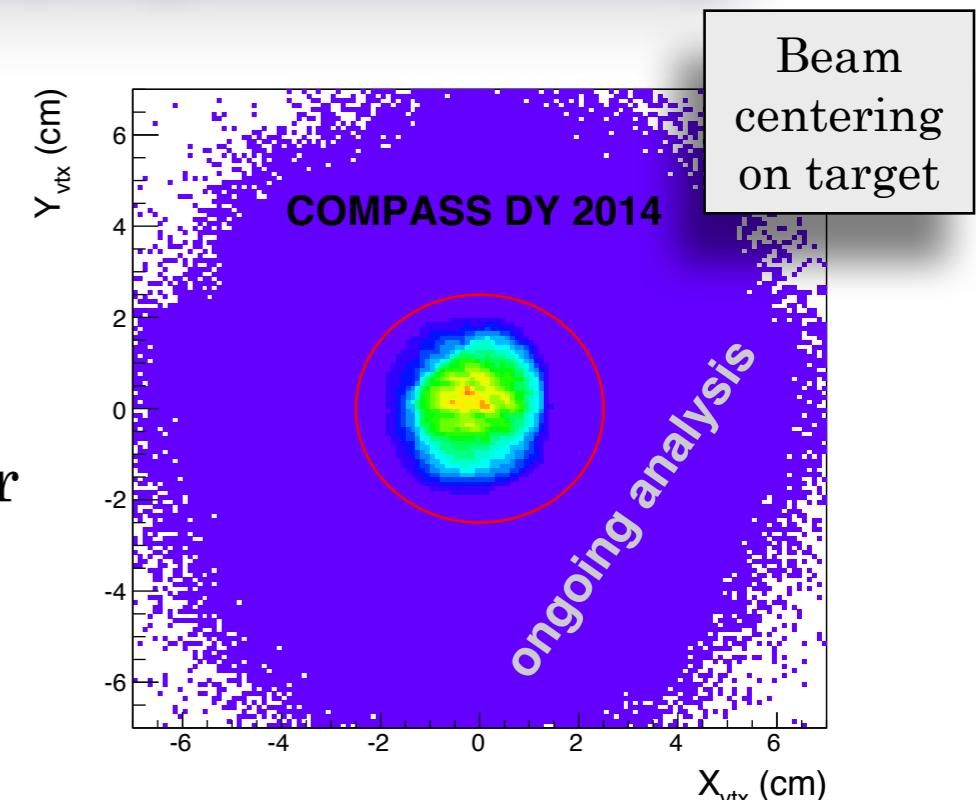
- 2014: **unpolarized proton** (mass 1), **unpolarized aluminum** (mass 27), **unpolarized tungsten** (mass  $\sim 183$ )  $\longrightarrow$  *preliminary distributions shown today*
- 2015: **transversely polarized proton**, **unpolarized aluminum**, **unpolarized tungsten**
- Scatter off different targets and record data at the same time.

*Events with oppositely charged di-muon events ( $M\mu^+\mu^- > 4\text{GeV}$ ):*



# 2014 data (DY pilot run) - preliminary

- ~ 2 weeks of stable data taking
- Average beam intensity:  $7.3 \times 10^7$  particles /s (up to nominal  $10^8$ /s)
- No target polarization, no (usage of) vertex detector
- Statistics ( $\text{NH}_3 \text{M}\mu^+\mu^- > 4\text{GeV}$ ): ~7k di-muon events (~9% of 2015 data); ~200k J/ $\psi$ .



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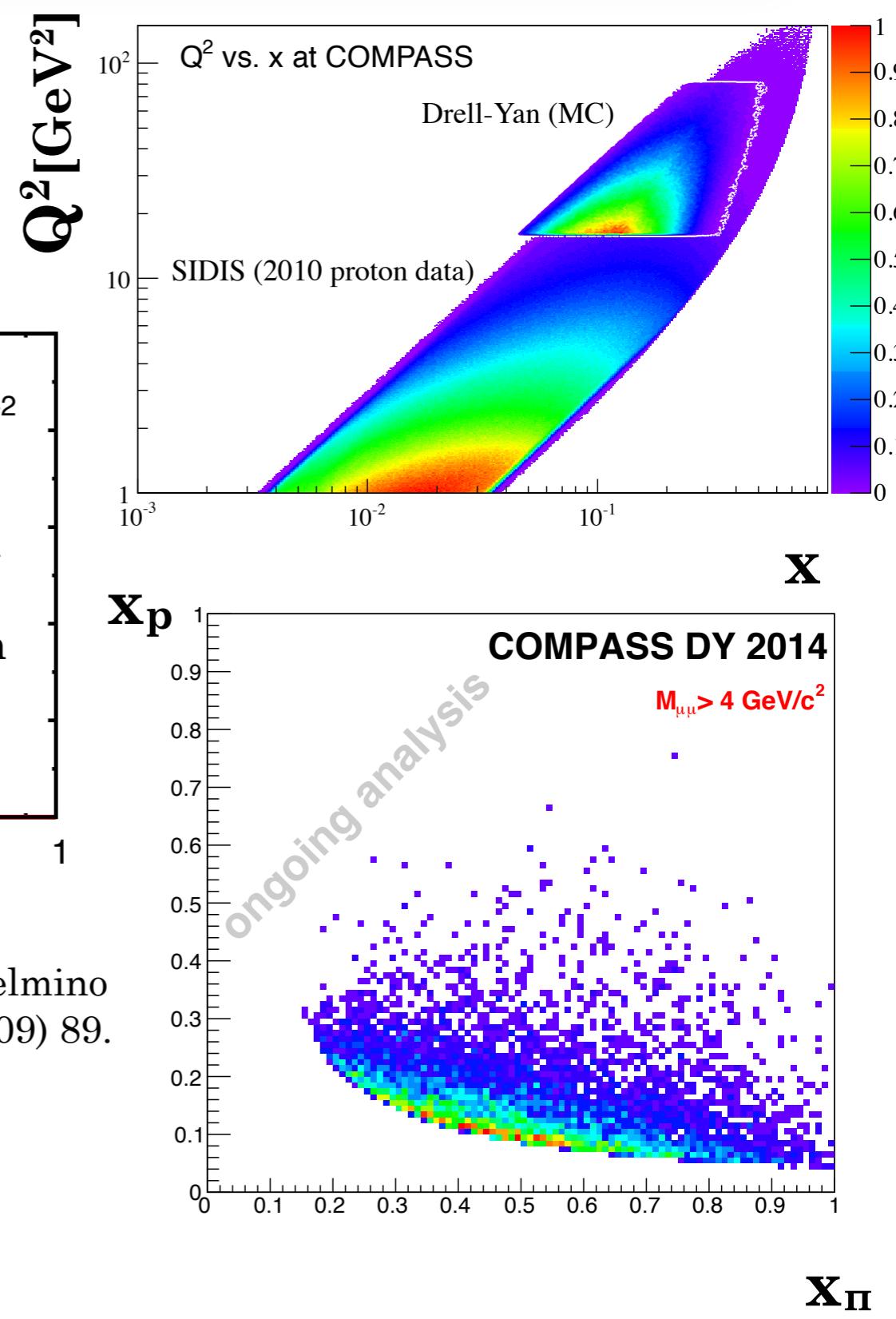
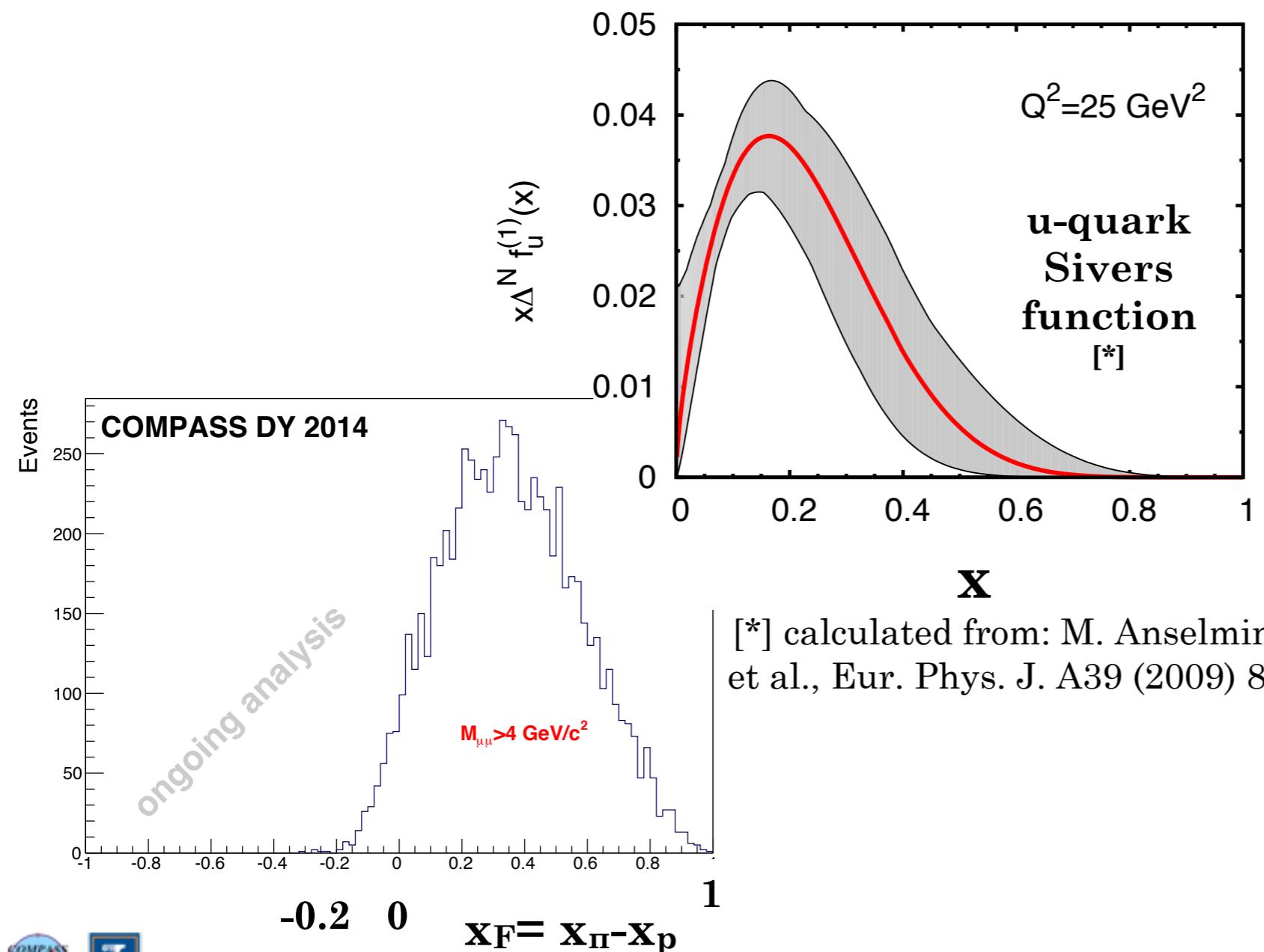
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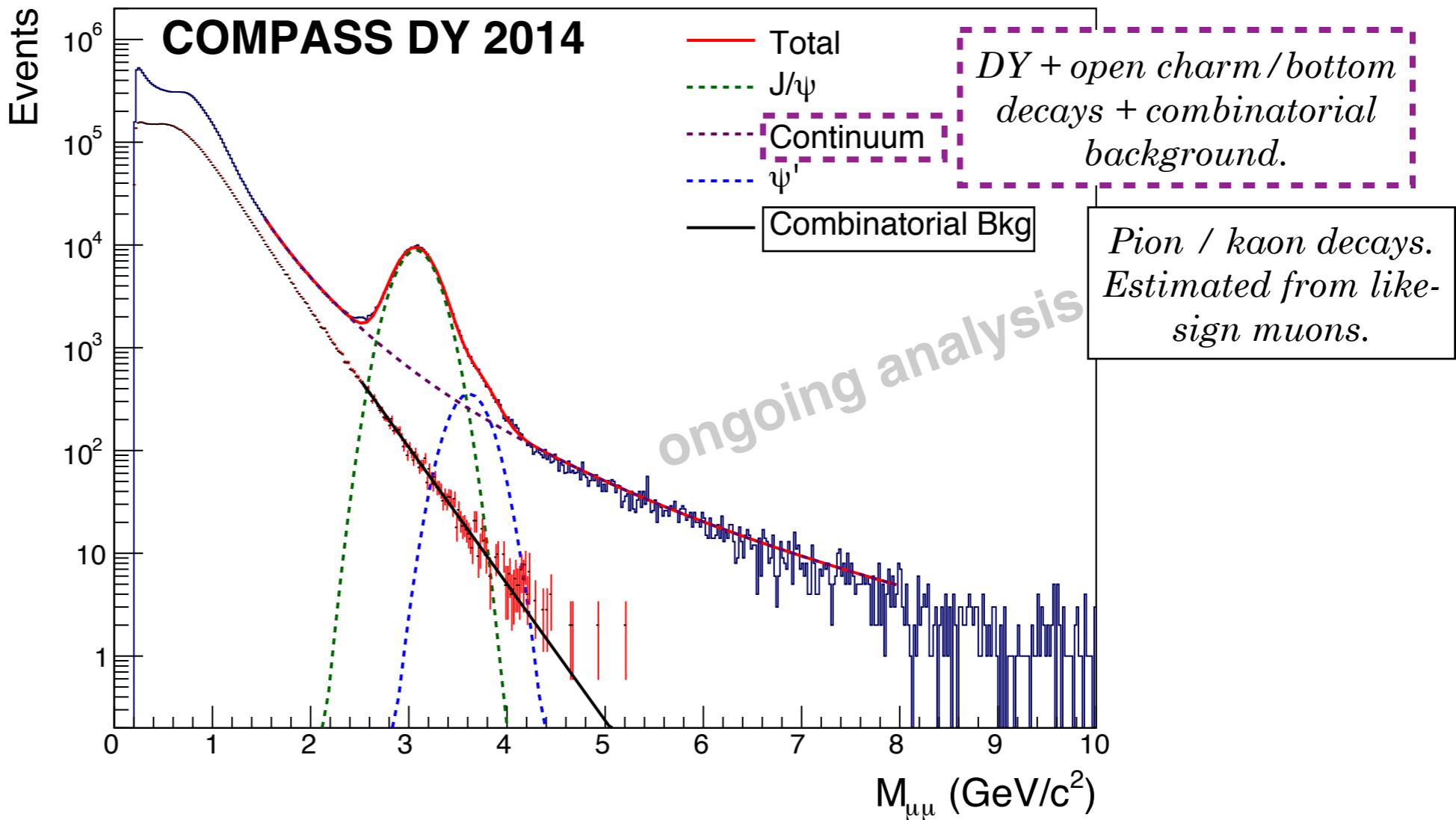
RBRC Transverse Spin workshop, BNL, February 2016

# Phase space of COMPASS Drell-Yan data

- Unique possibility of measuring SIDIS and Drell-Yan observables **at the same facility**.
- $\pi^-$  on proton probes **valence-quark region**
  - ➡ Sivers function of large magnitude.



# Di-muon kinematics

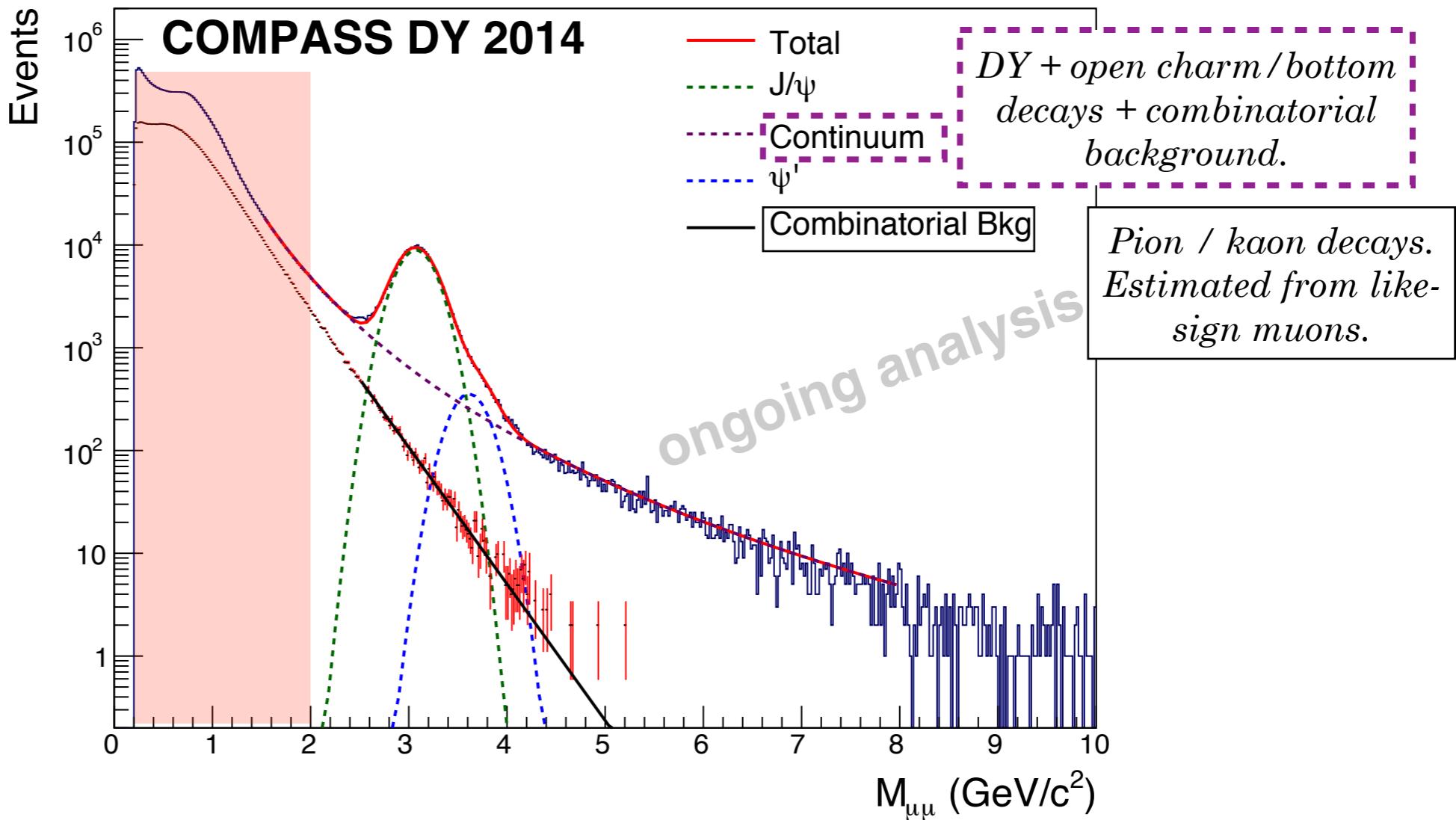


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$Q^2$ [GeV <sup>2</sup> ]	1-4	4-6.25	6.25-16	16-81
Region	“DY low mass”	“DY medium mass”	“DY J/ $\psi$ ”	“J/ $\psi$ ”
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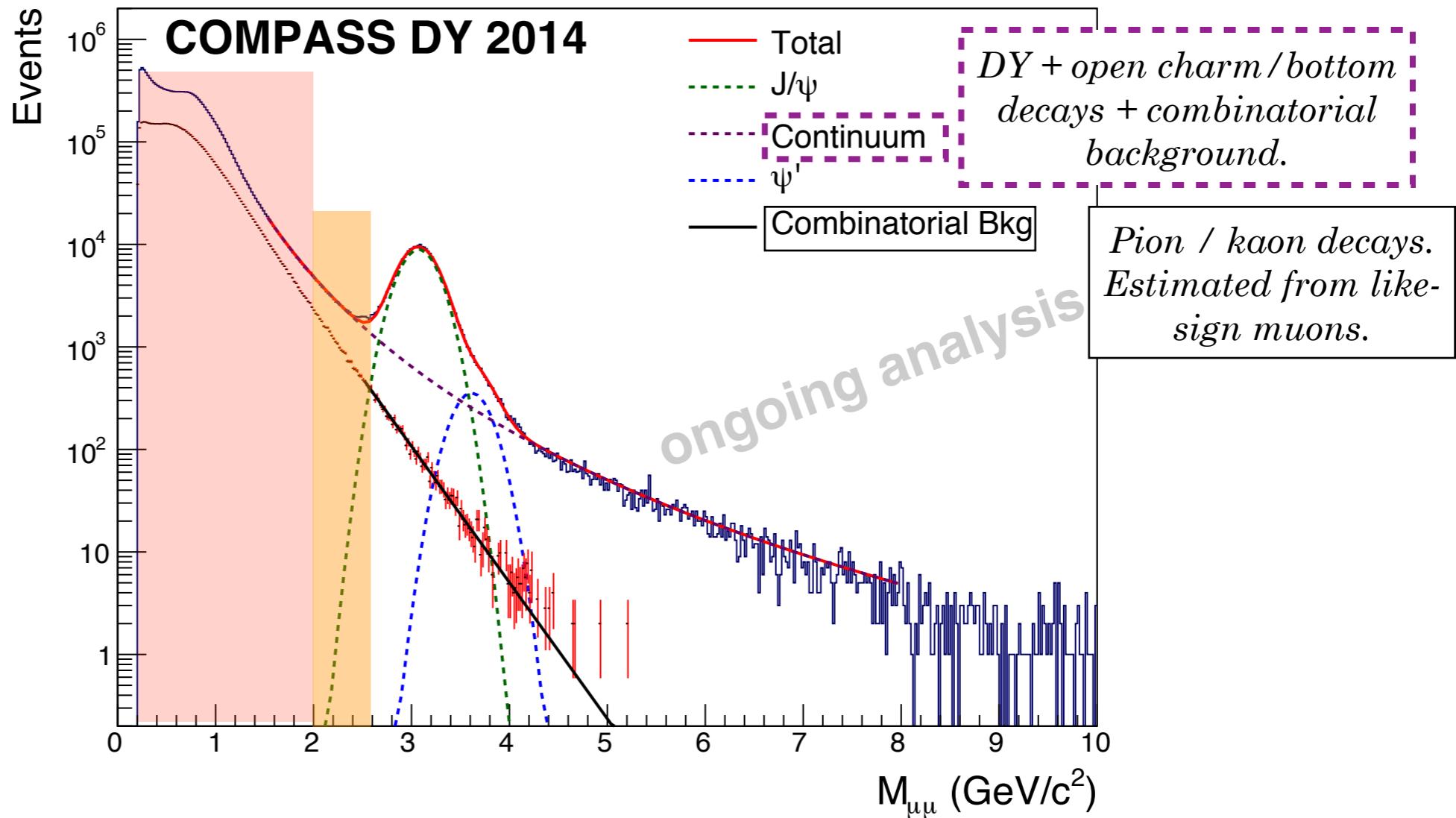


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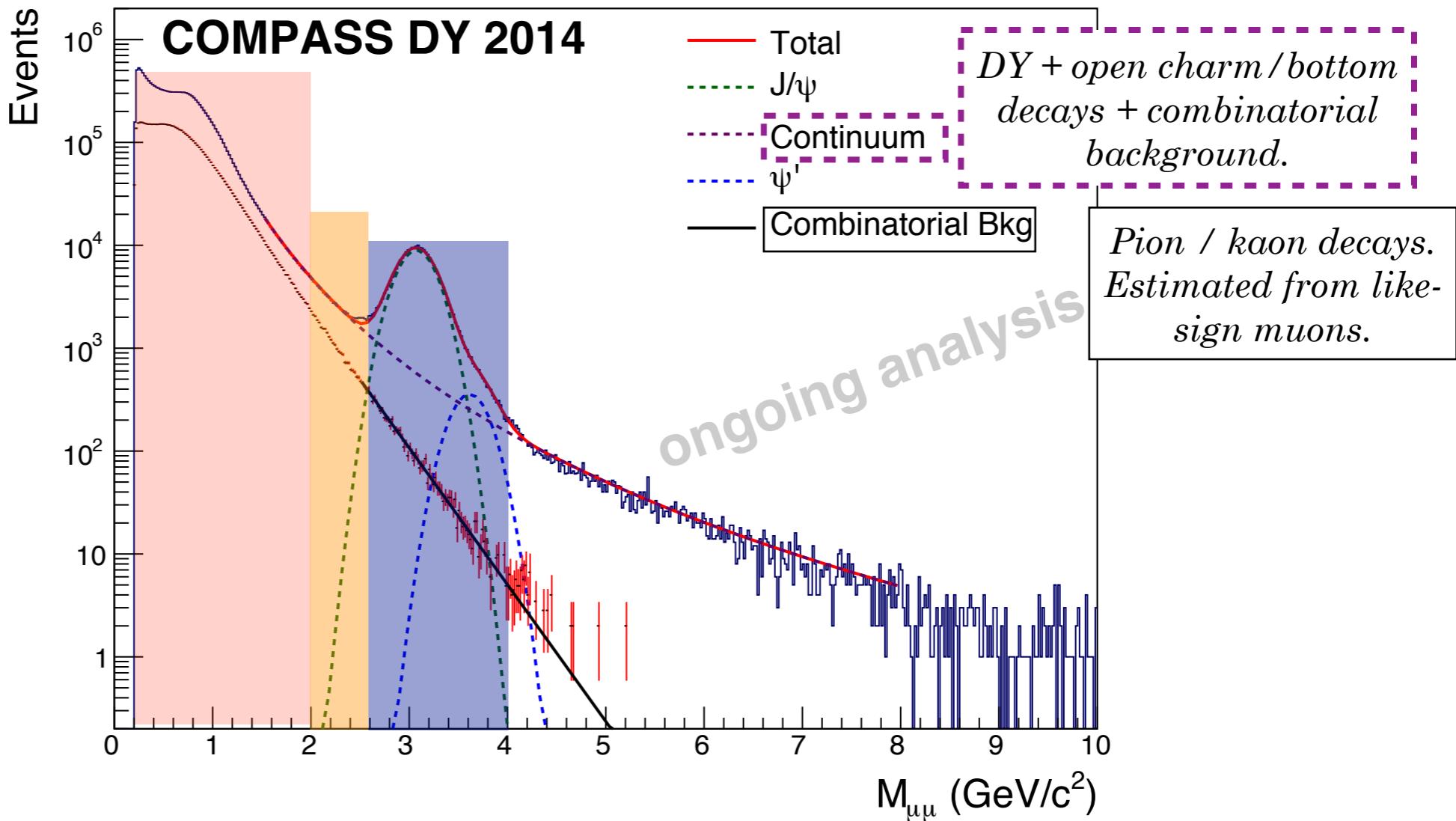


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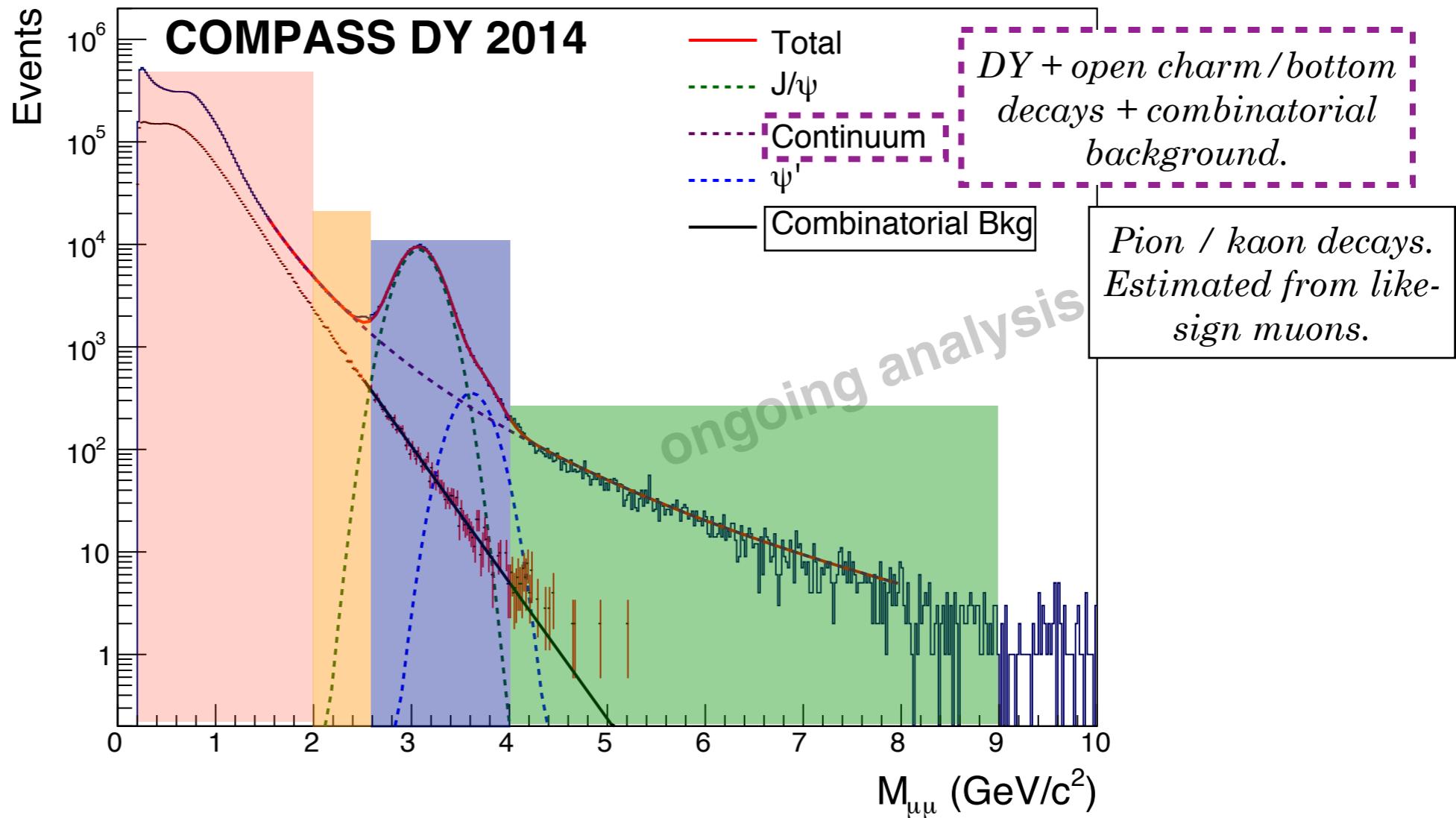


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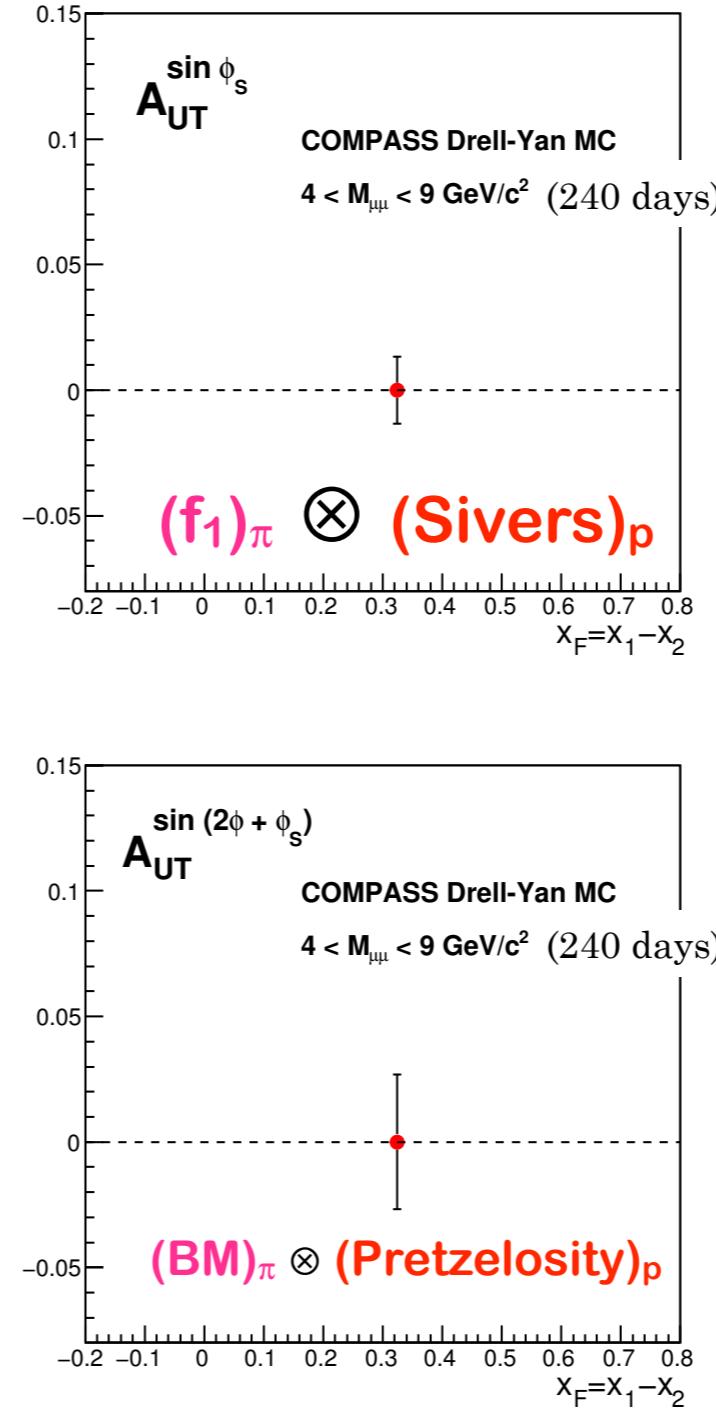


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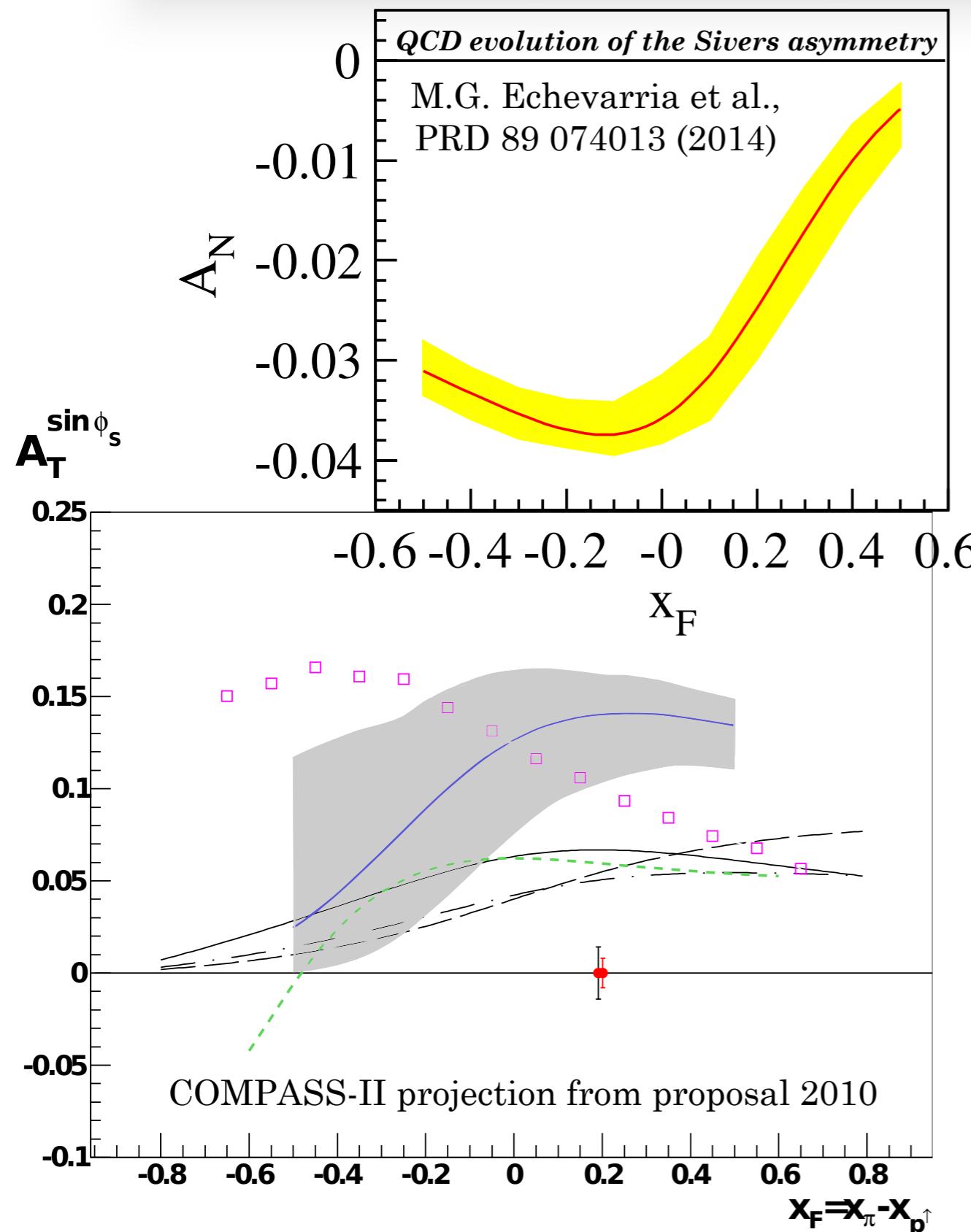
# COMPASS DY projections (proton)

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 \end{aligned}$$

beam      target  
pion      proton

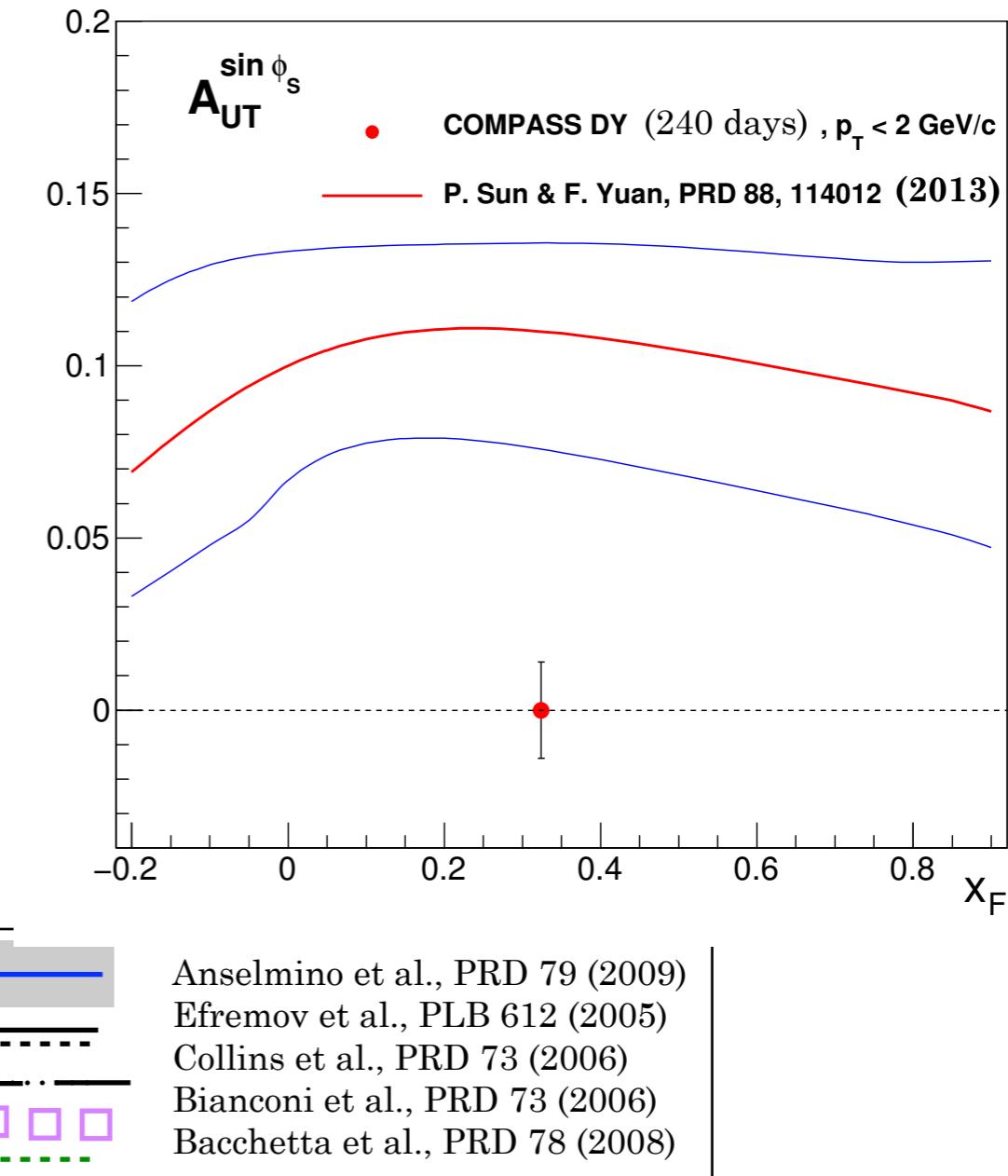


# Sivers amplitude: predictions for COMPASS DY



3-15% in absolute size.

*Transverse momentum dependent evolution: Matching SIDIS processes to Drell-Yan and W/Z boson production*



# COMPASS polarized 2015 data - a first glance

- 4.5 months of physics data taking,  $\sim 116$  days
- Transverse target polarization  $\sim 80\%$
- Beam intensity  $\sim 10^8$  particles / second
- $\sim 740$  TB of recorded data
- $\sim 80,000$  Drell-Yan events with  $M > 4\text{GeV}$  and transversely polarized target
- $\Rightarrow$  expected statistical uncertainty of the Sivers amplitude  $\delta A \approx 2.8\%$

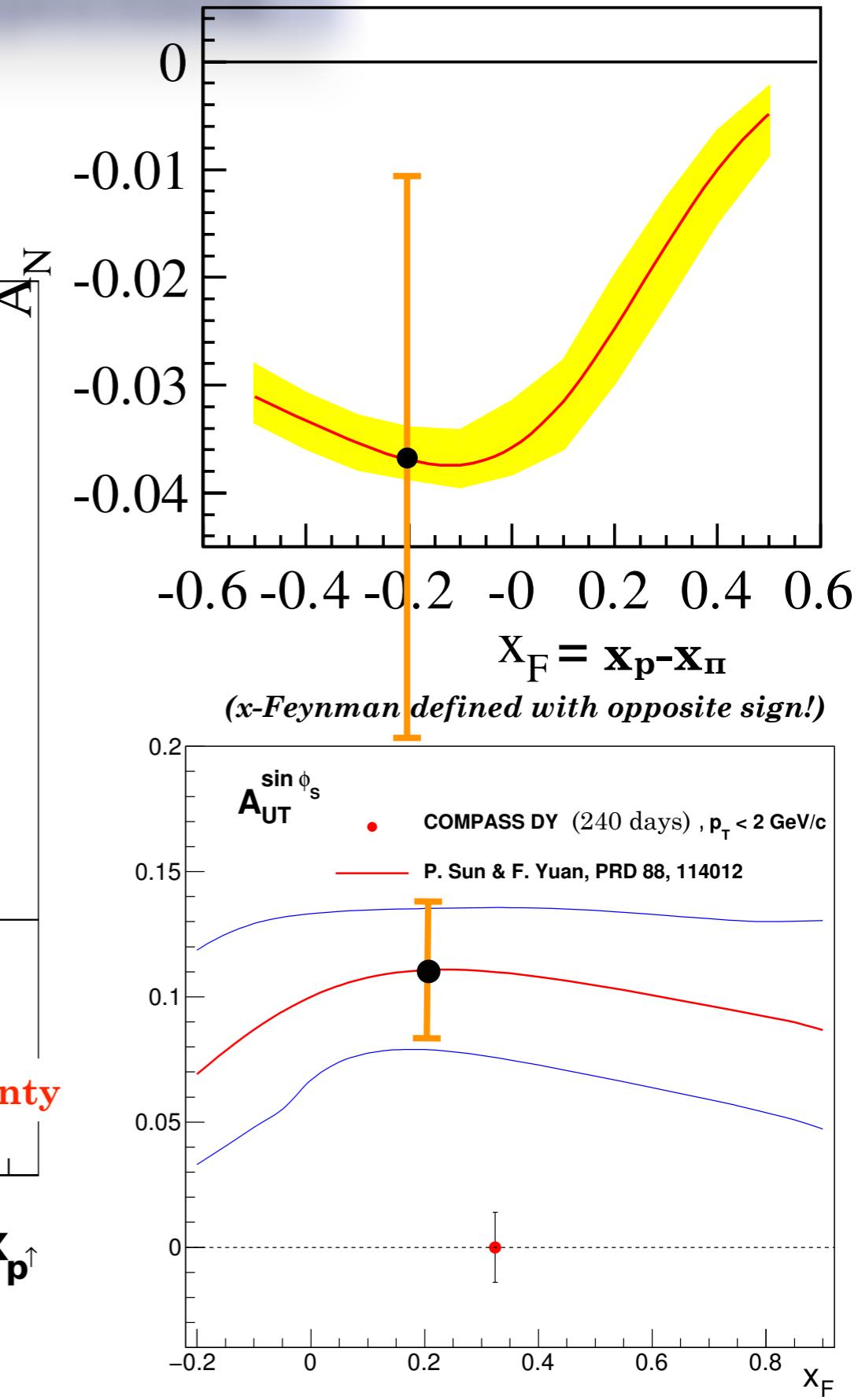
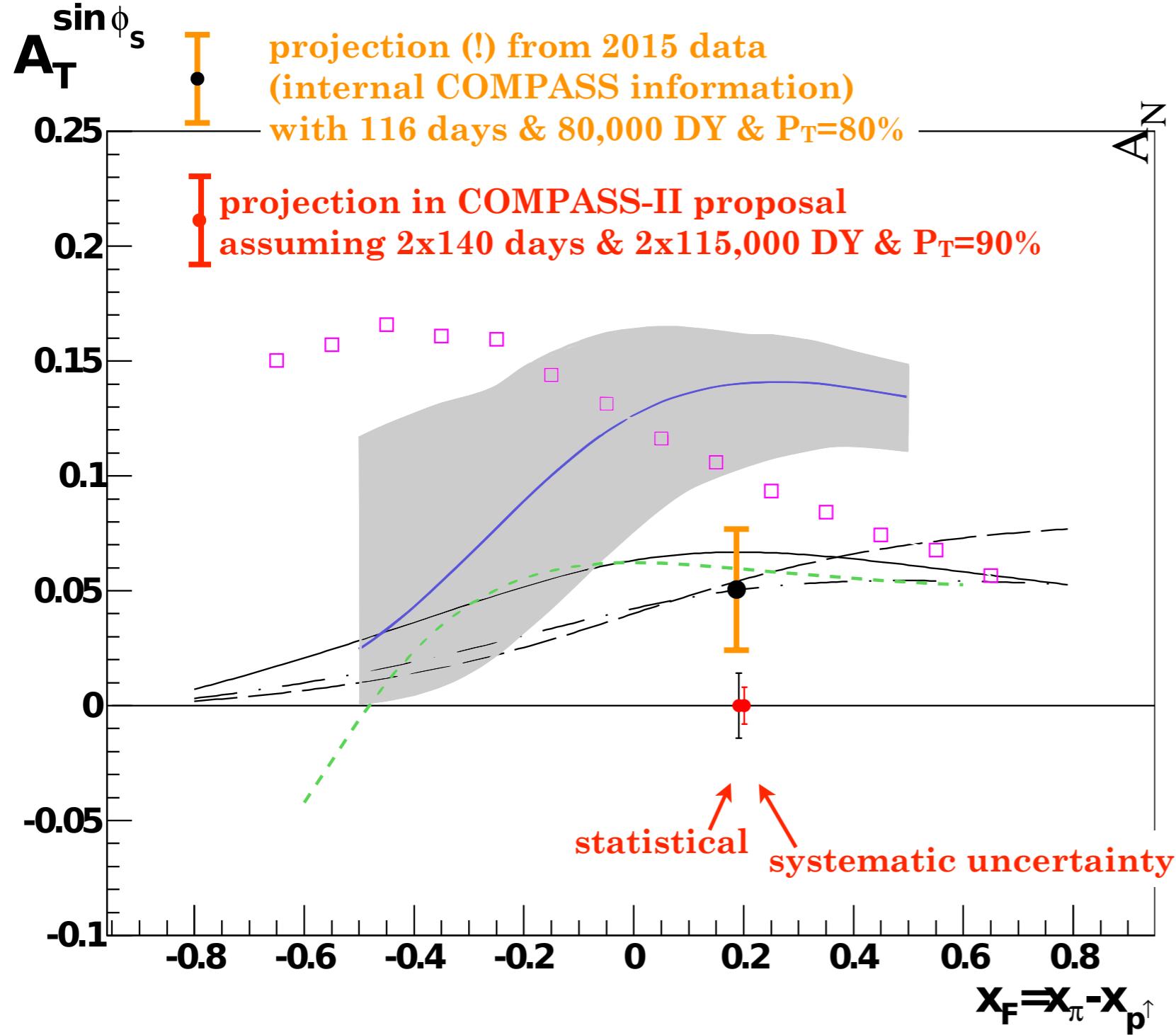


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# Sivers amplitude: projection

From di-muon events with  $M > 4\text{ GeV}$ .



# What about the unpolarized data?

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \propto 1 + \lambda \cos^2 \theta + \mu \sin(2\theta) \cos \phi + \boxed{\frac{\nu}{2} \sin^2 \theta \cos(2\phi)}$$

$$1 - \lambda = 2\nu$$

Lam-Tung relation

Boer and Mulders 1998: distribution function of the unpolarized nucleon with intrinsic  $k_T$  dependence.

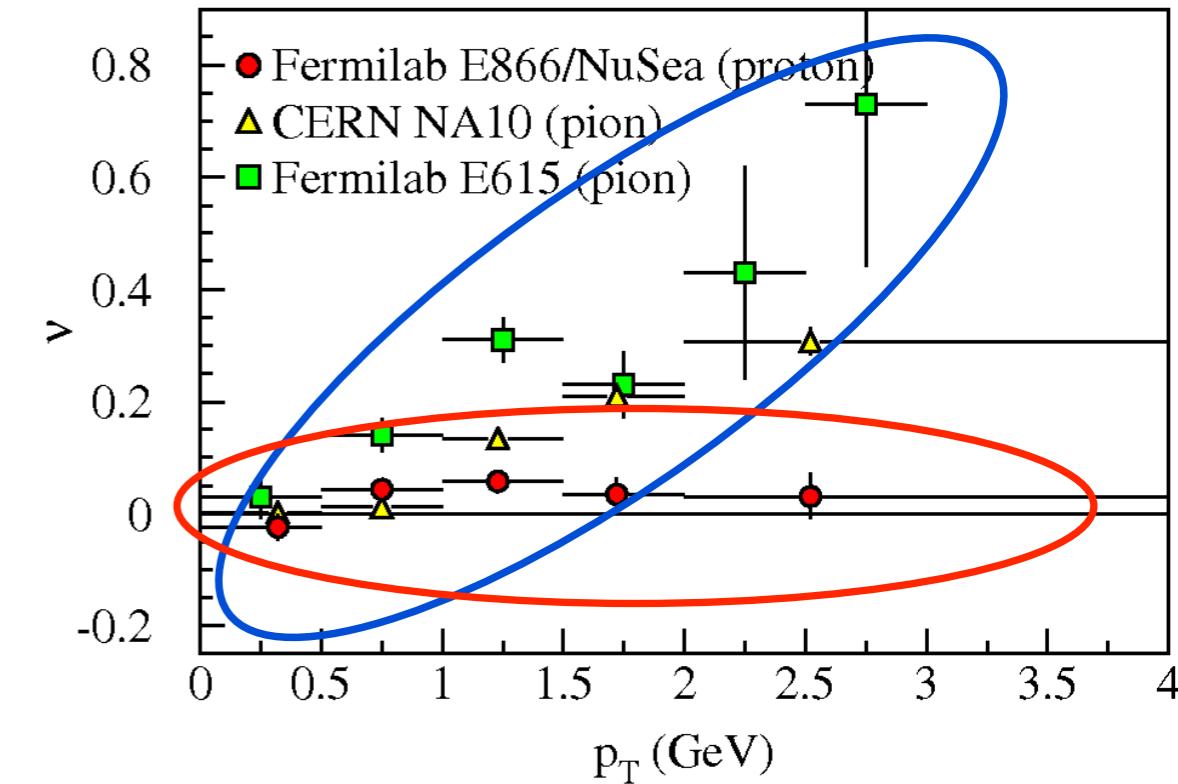
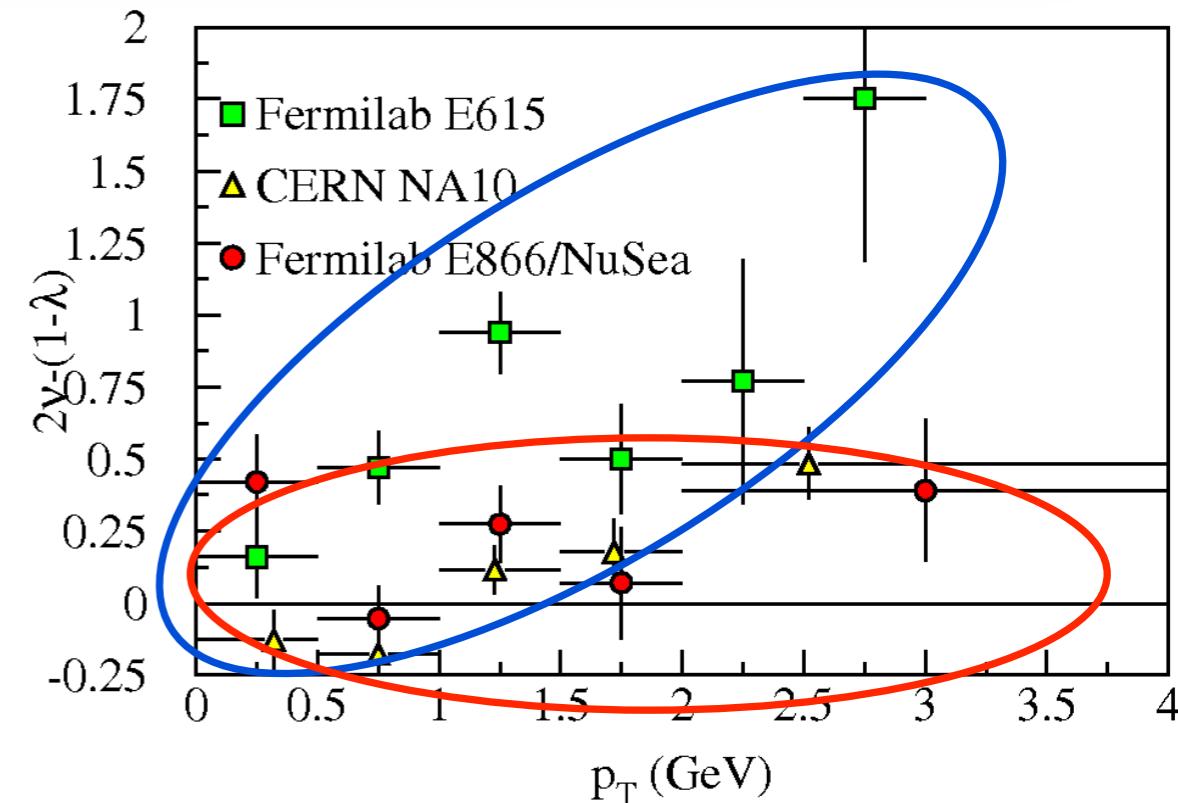
- Describes correlation between  
**quark transverse spin and momentum.**
- Induces  $\cos(2\Phi)$  modulation of the DY cross section.



# Lam-Tung in proton- and pion-induced DY

$$1 - \lambda = 2\nu$$

- Proton-induced Drell-Yan (E866)
  - consistent with LT-relation
  - no  $\cos(2\Phi)$  dependence
  - no  $p_T$  dependence
- Pion-induced Drell-Yan (NA10, E615)
  - violates LT-relation  
(independent of nucleus - no nuclear effect)
  - large  $\cos(2\Phi)$  dependence
  - strong with  $p_T$
- One candidate to explain LT violation:  
**BM function**
- Pionic DY probes BM (valence), target=proton  
Protonic DY probes BM (sea), target=proton  
 $BM(\text{sea}) \ll BM(\text{valence})$
- study of spin-orbit correlations



see also: P. E. Reimer, arXiv:0704.3621

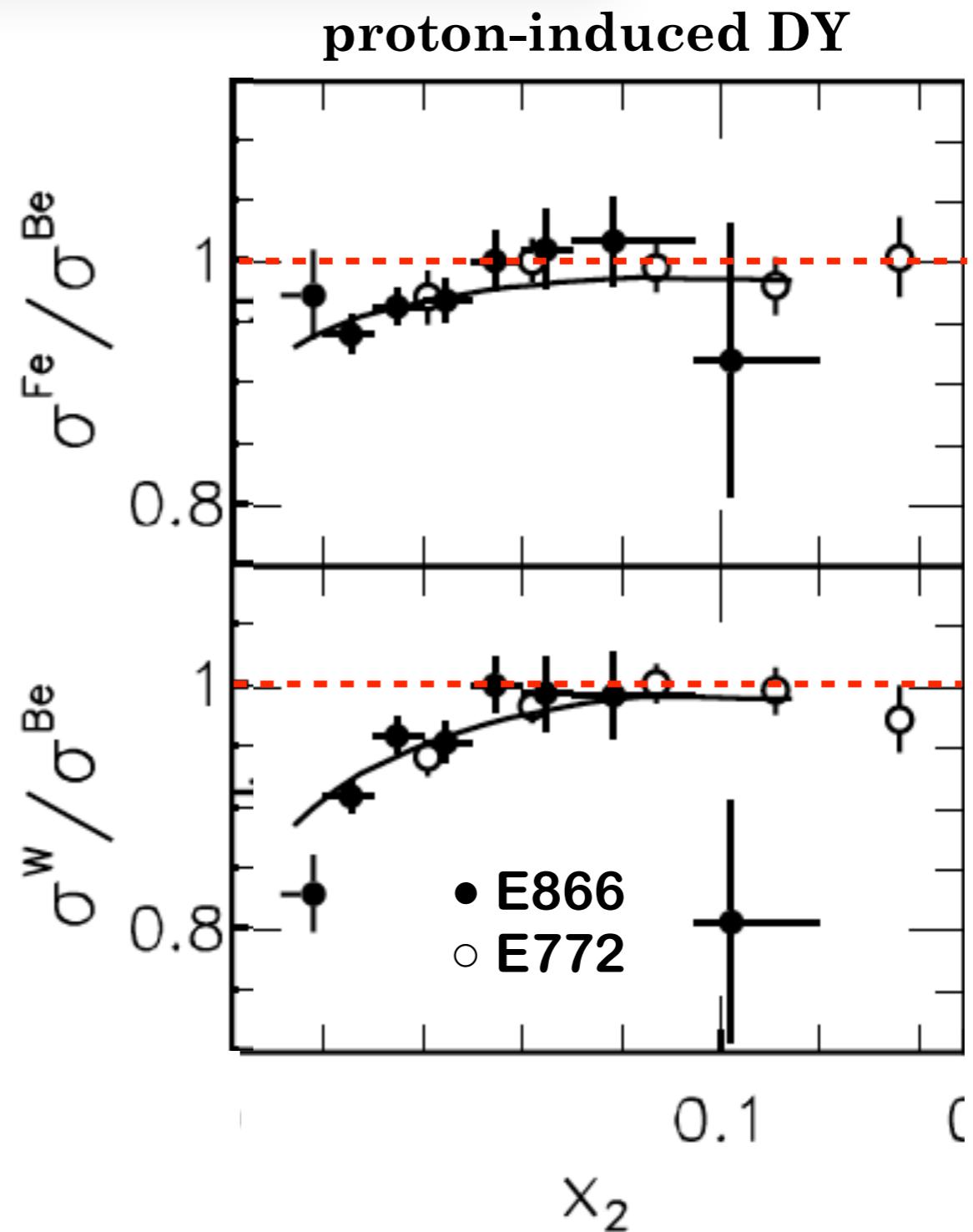


# EMC effect in Drell Yan

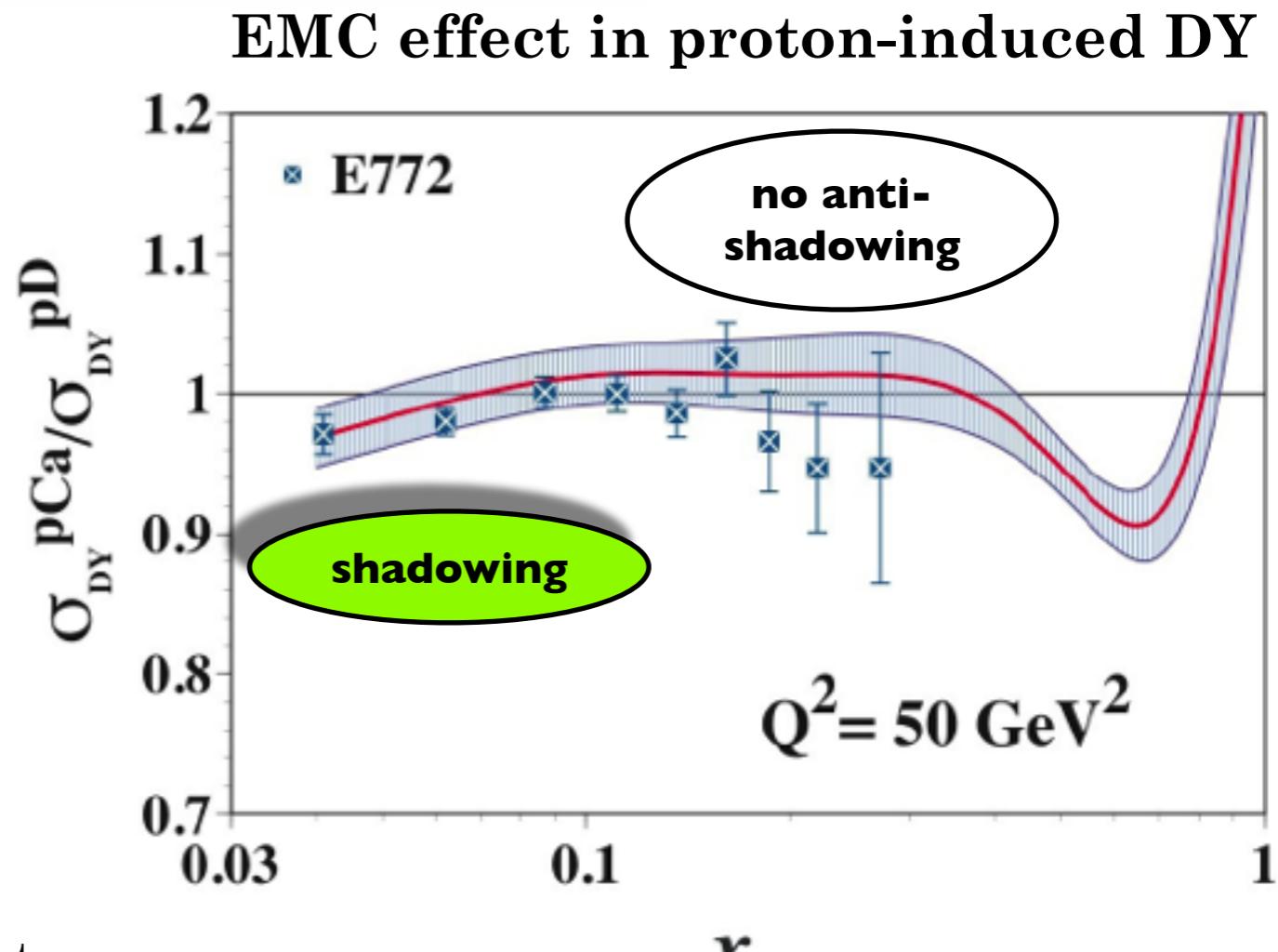
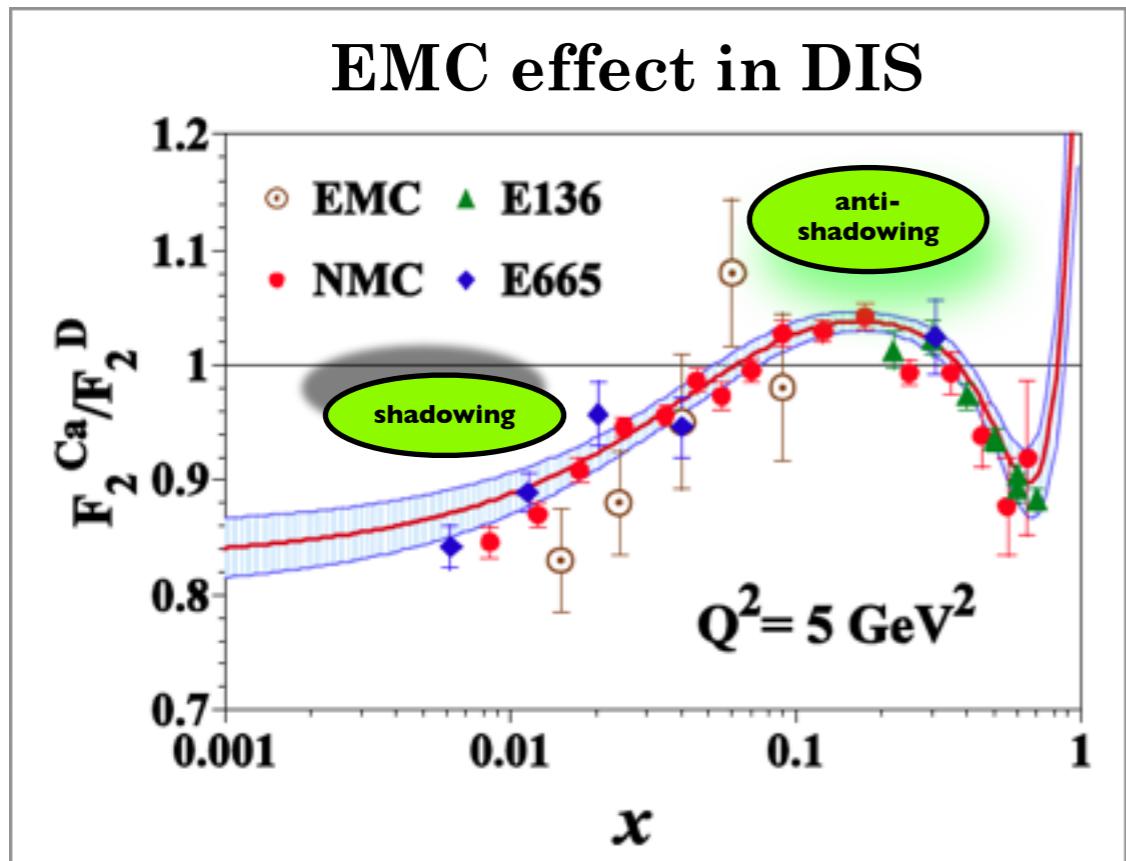
$$\frac{\sigma^{pA}}{\sigma^{pd}} \approx \frac{\bar{u}_A(x)}{\bar{u}_N(x)}$$

Modification of quark distributions in the nuclear medium

E772: PRL 64 (1990) 2479  
E866: PRL 83 (1999) 2304



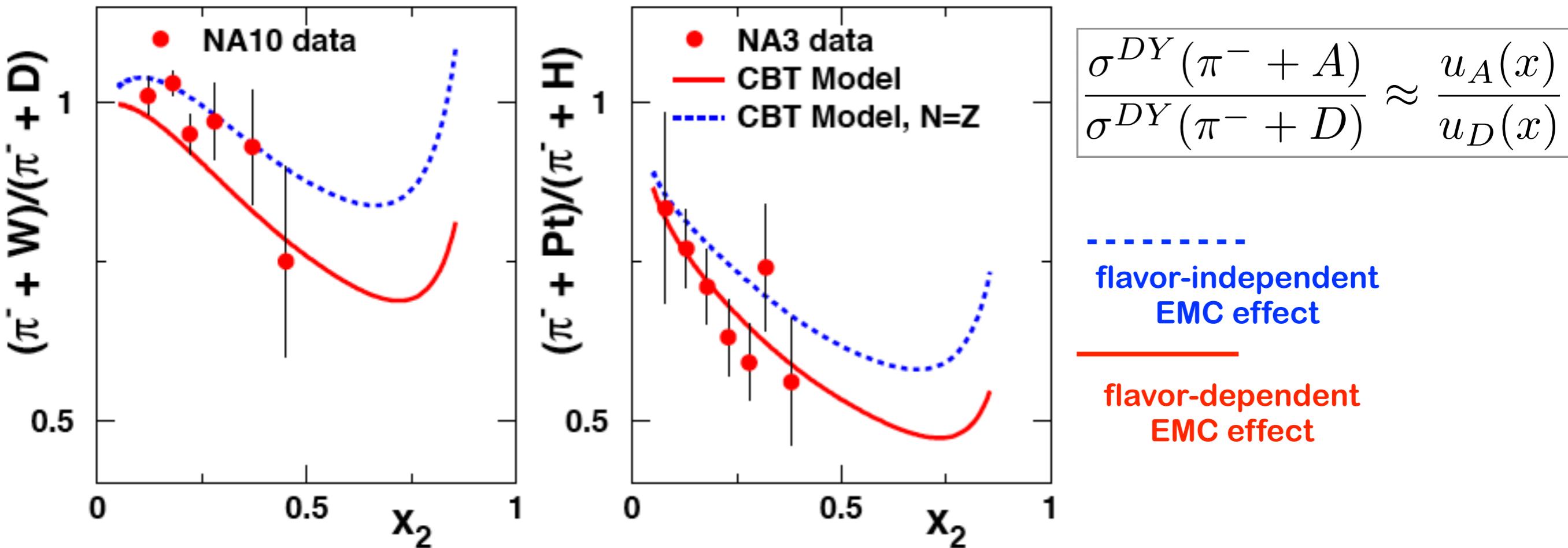
# EMC effect in Drell Yan



- EMC effect: many models with different input physics. DIS data sufficient as probe?
- DY: no excess pions! Traditional meson-exchange model?
- Contemporary models: large effects for anti-quarks as  $x$  increases.

# Flavor-dependent EMC effect in pion-induced DY

- Flavor-dependent modification of quark distributions in the nuclear medium?
- Distinguish between different nuclear models
- **Cloet, Bentz, Thomas (CBT) model:**  
isovector mean field in a  $N \neq Z$  nucleus affects u- and d-quarks differently



Dutta, Peng, Cloet, Gaskell, arXiv:1007.3916

$$\frac{\sigma^{DY}(\pi^+ + A)}{\sigma^{DY}(\pi^- + A)} \approx \frac{d_A(x)}{4u_A(x)}$$



# Summary: Drell-Yan at COMPASS

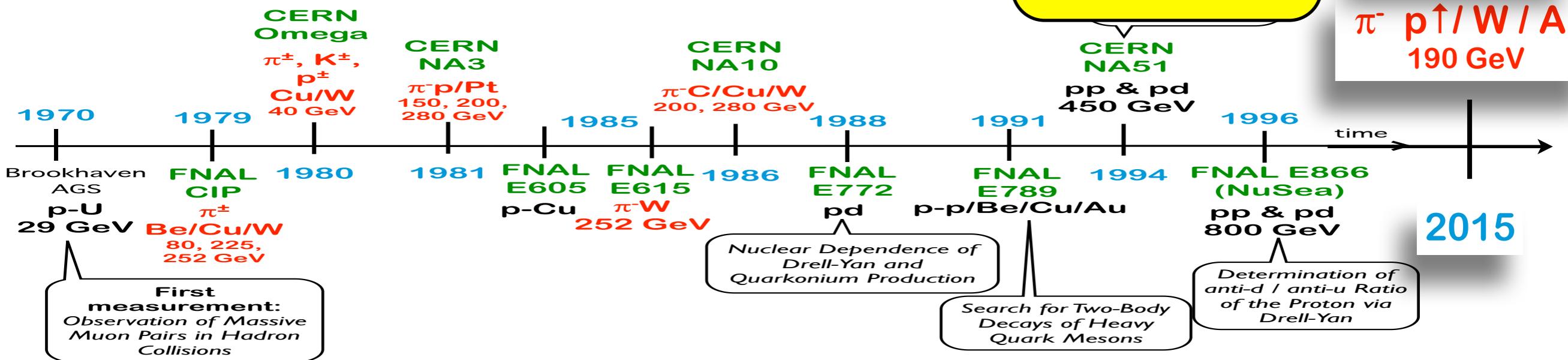


First  
“polarized” DY

First meson-induced DY  
since 29 years

CERN  
COMPASS

$\pi^- p \uparrow / W / Al$   
190 GeV



- Measure modulations of TMDs in Drell Yan.  
Sivers, Boer-Mulders: sign switch in Drell-Yan vs. SIDIS?
- Confirmation of violation of Lam-Tung relation in pionic DY?
- Flavor-dependence of EMC effect? Nuclear dependence of BM TMD?
- Outlook:  
- 2nd year of Drell-Yan @COMPASS beyond 2017 is planned.

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COMPASS-II 2010 proposal recommended by SPSC and approved by the Research Board for a first period of 3 years including 1 year for **Drell-Yan**.  
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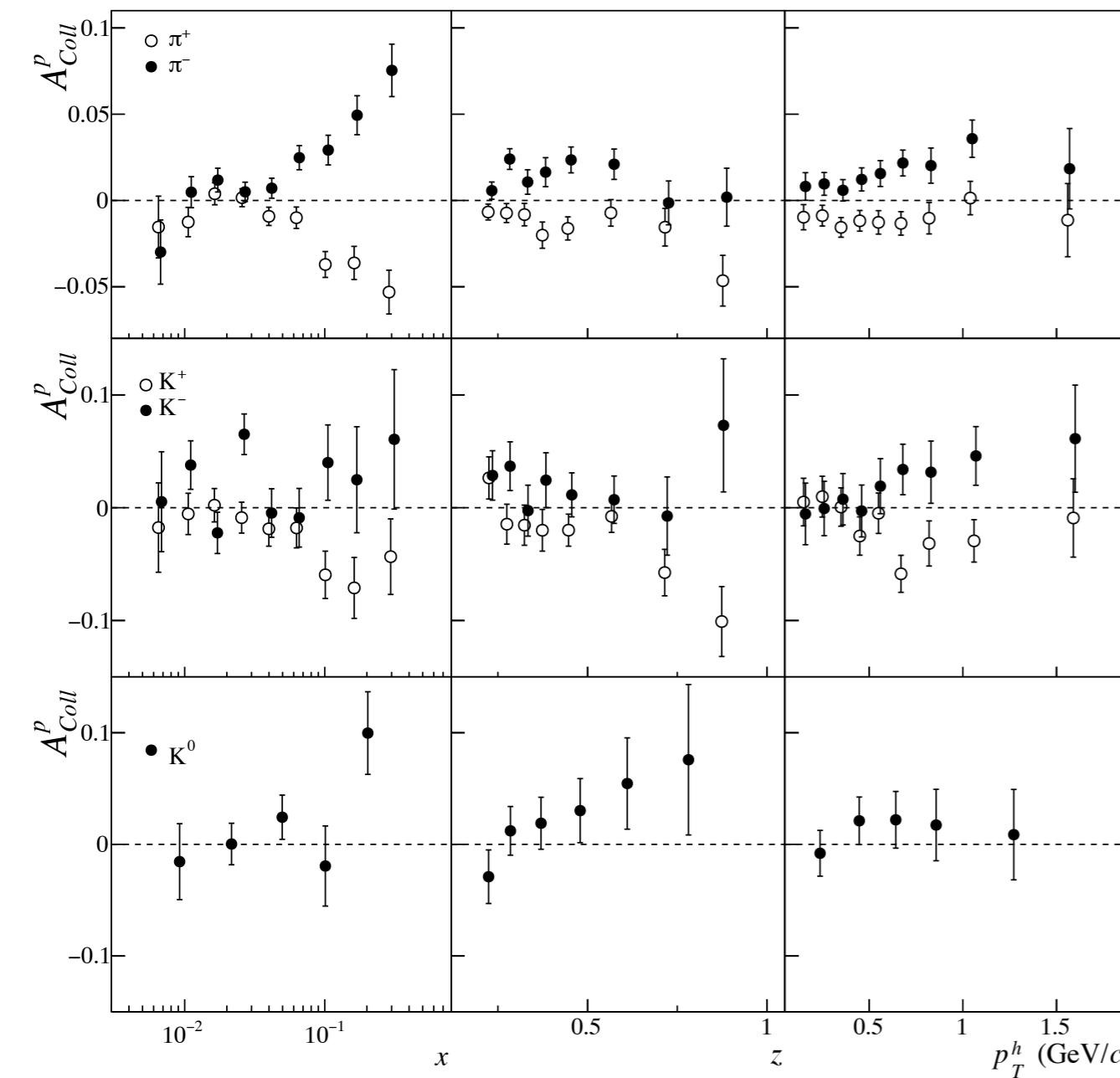


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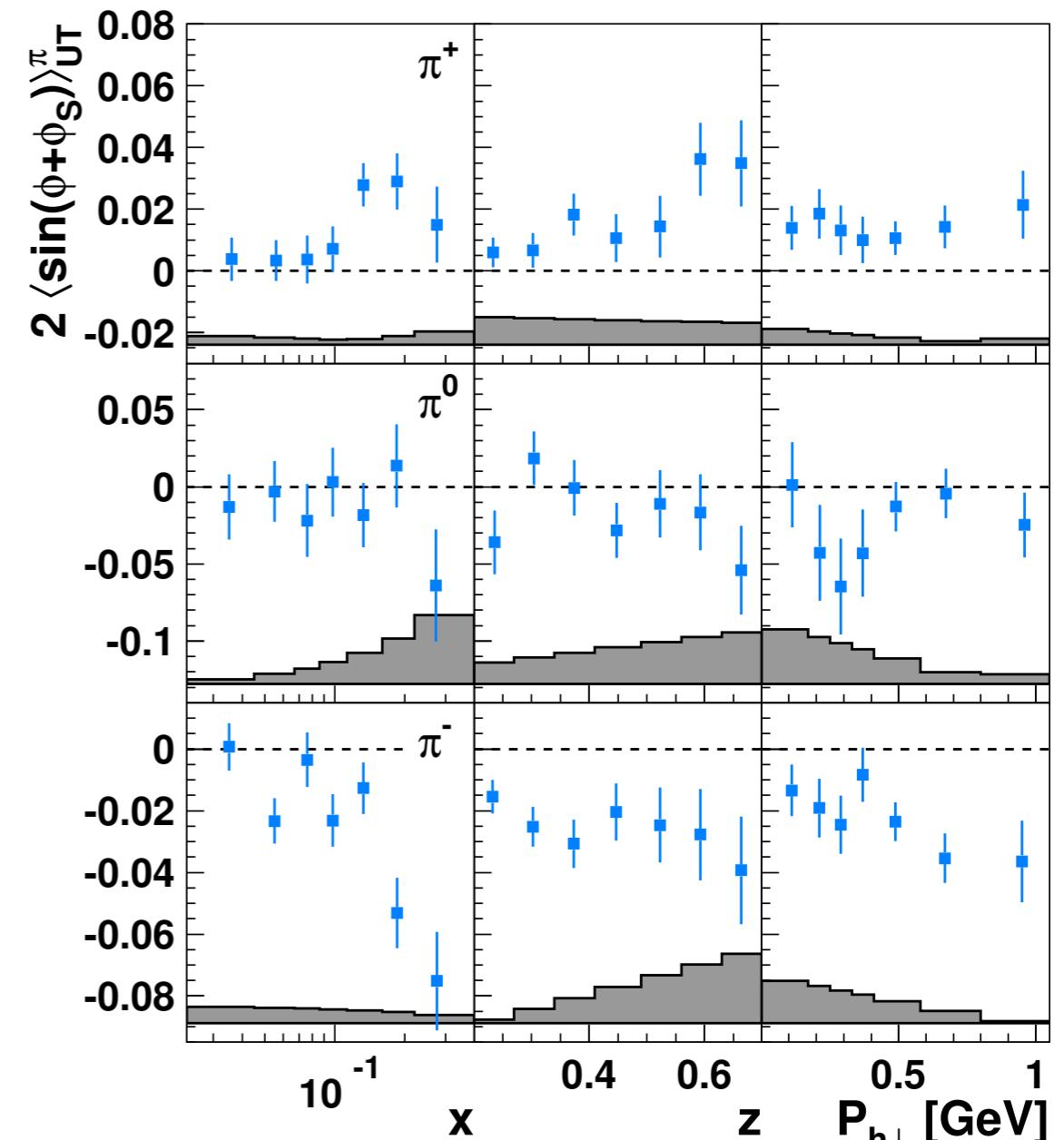
# Collins amplitudes in SIDIS

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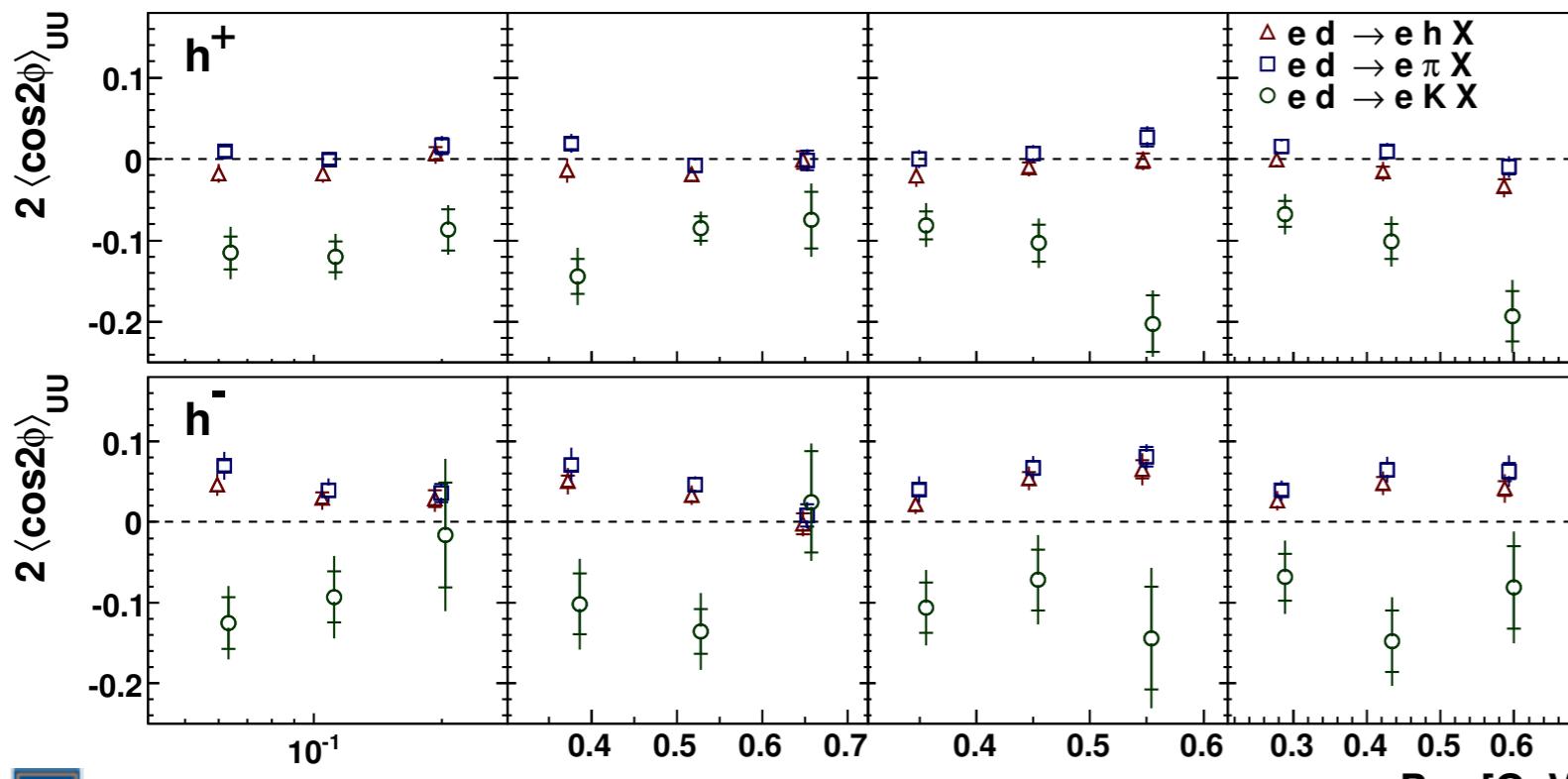
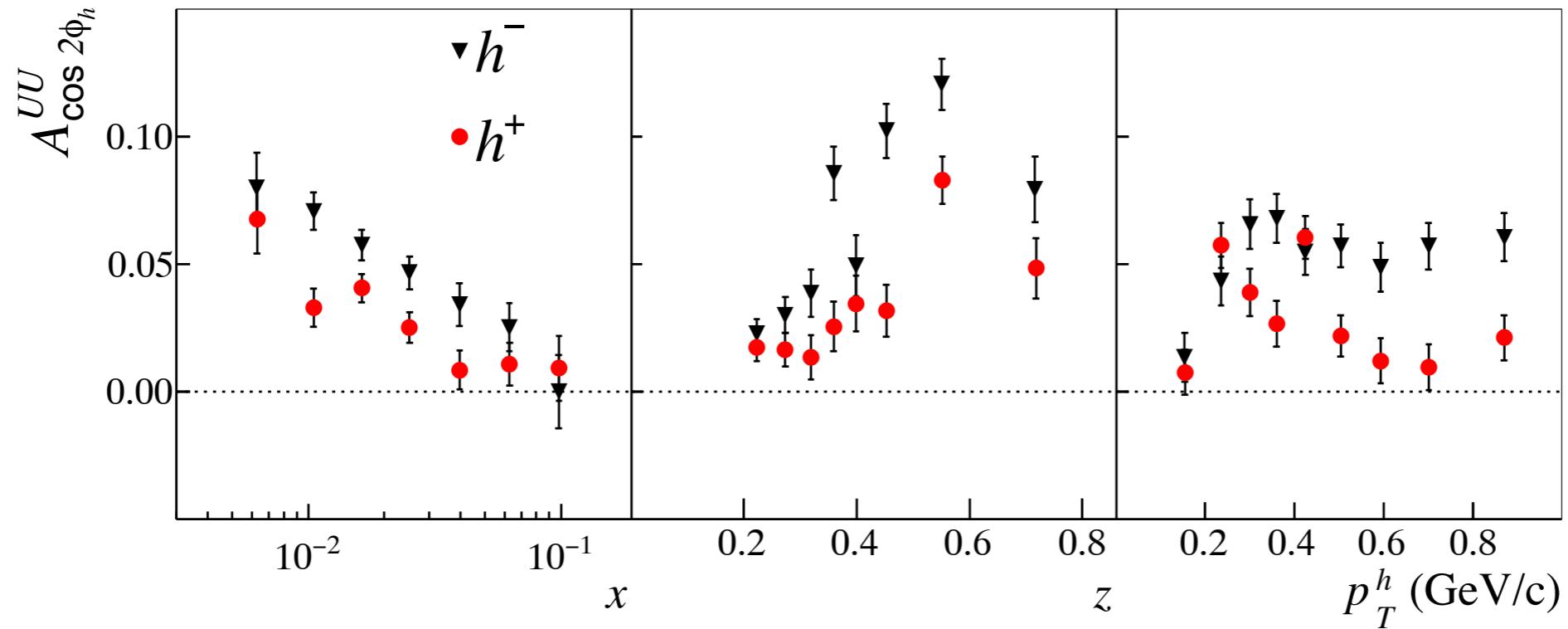
HERMES



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# $\cos(2\phi)$ amplitudes (BM)

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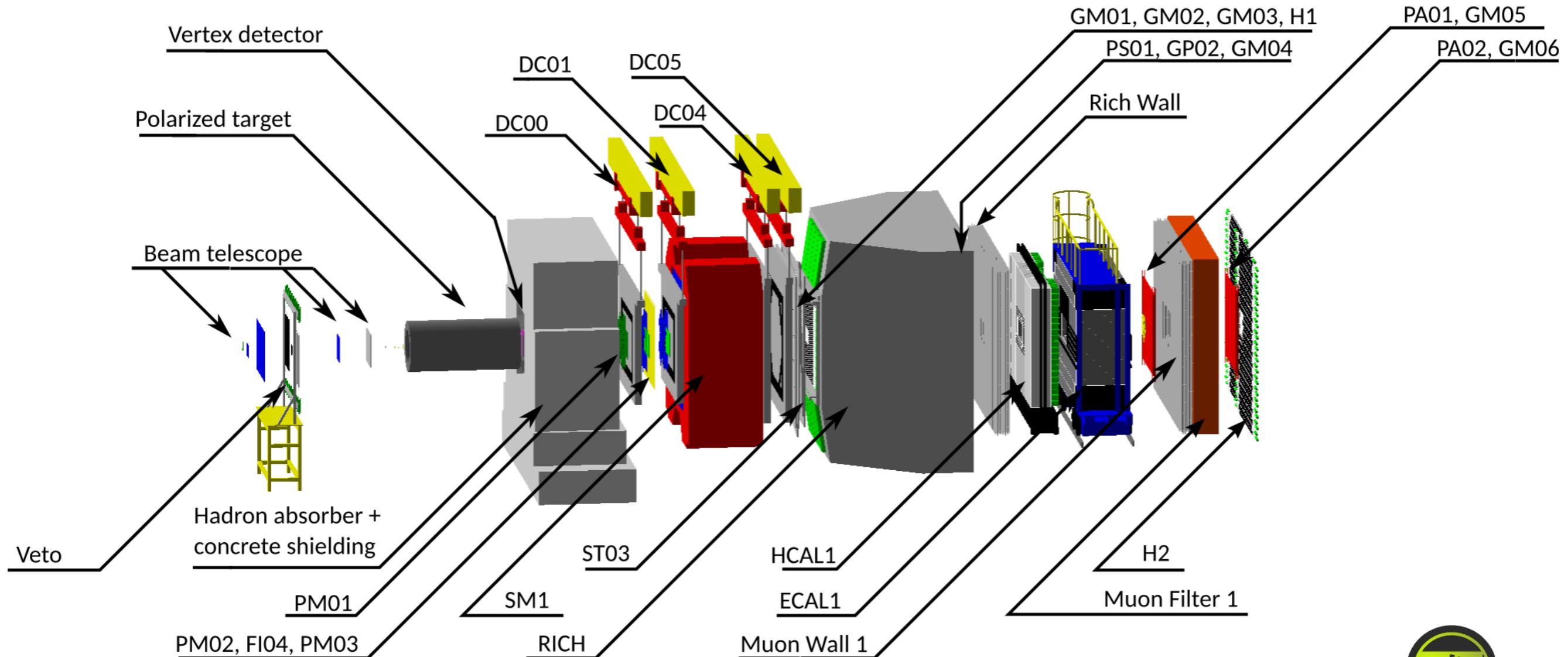


HERMES (deuteron)  
Results on proton very similar.  
PRD 87 (2013) 012010

*Red HERMES points vs. COMPASS???*  
 $h^+$ :  $H=$ slightly negative,  $C=$ up to +0.05  
 $h^-$ :  $H=+0.05$ ,  $C=+0.05$

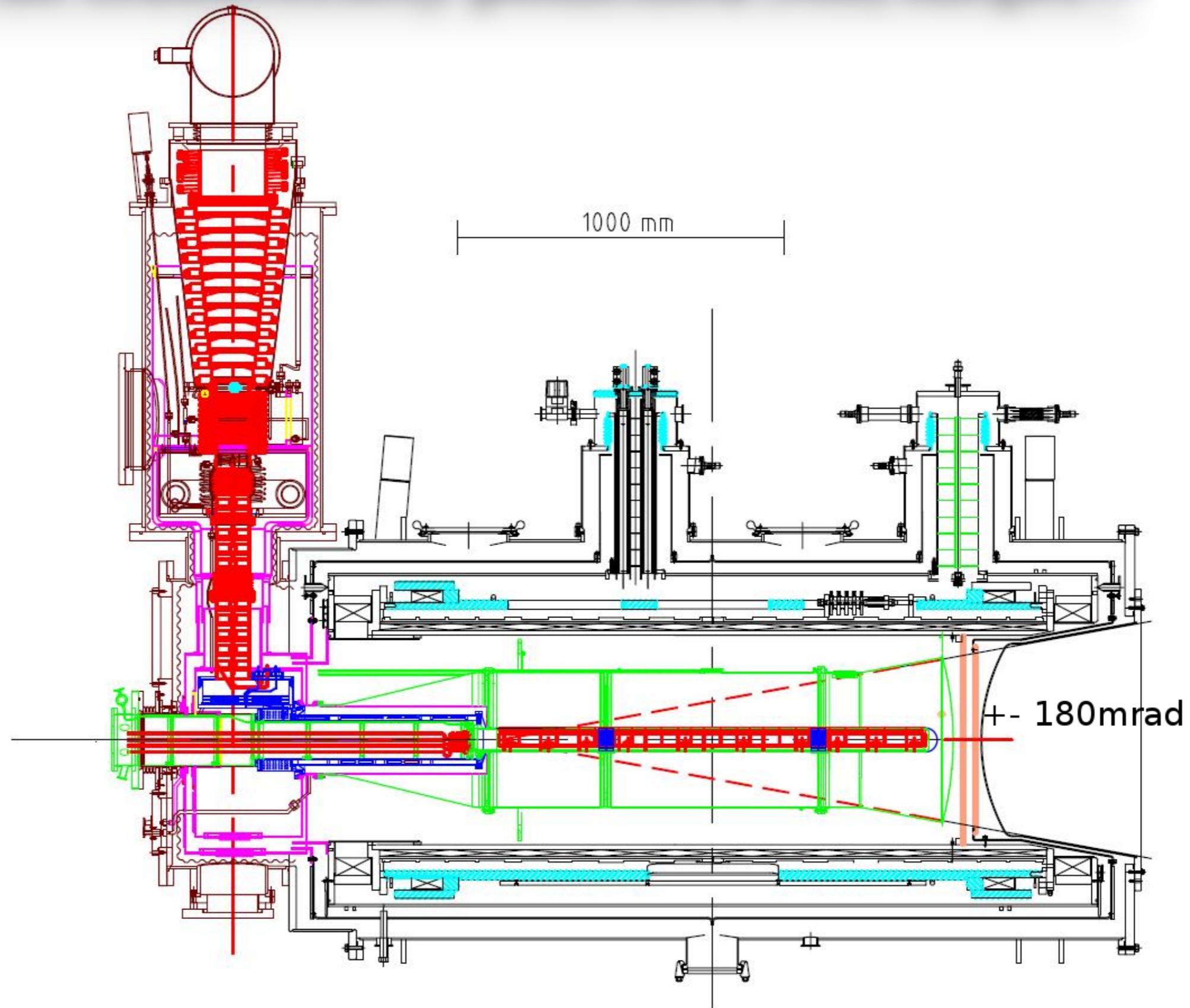


# COMPASS Large Angle Spectrometer 2015

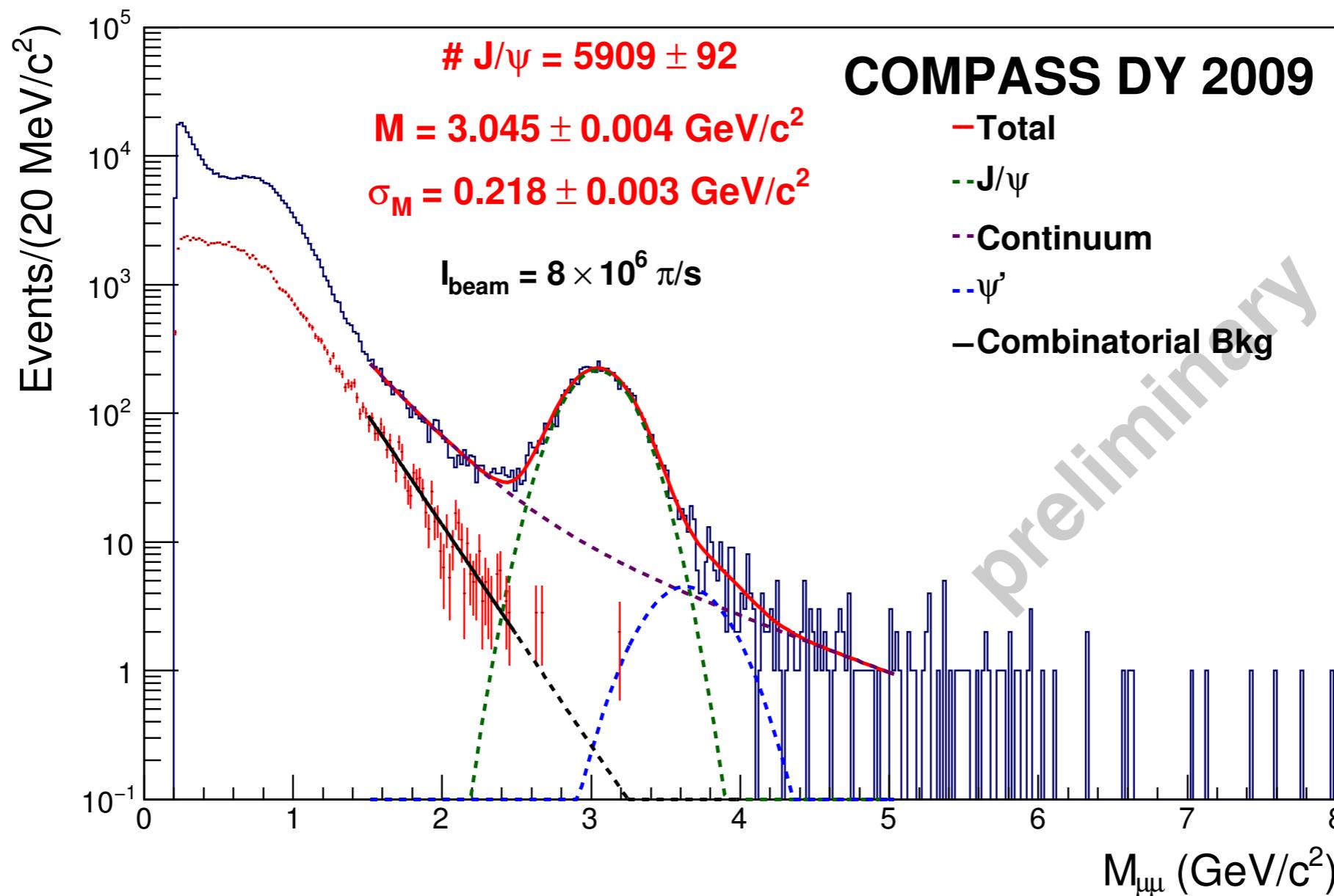


DY SETUP 2015  
LAS

# The transversely polarized NH<sub>3</sub> target



# COMPASS beam test 2009



Beam test 2009: 190 GeV π<sup>-</sup>  
beam on 2x 40cm-CH<sub>2</sub> cells



# 2014 data: technical release (2015)

**Disclaimer: all plots in this talk containing  
COMPASS 2014 data (DY pilot run) are preliminary.**

## Selection criteria for muon pairs:

1. All opposite dimuons pairs with a primary vertex.
2. Dimuon trigger (Middle+LAST or Outer+LAST or LAST+LAST).
3.  $\theta_{\mu^-} > 12$  mrad or  $p_{\mu^-} < 100$  GeV/c, to reject pairs with the negative muon coming from the pion beam decay.
4.  $-350 < Z_{vtx} < -145$  cm, to select vertices in the ammonia target cells.
5.  $r_{vtx} < 2.5$  cm, to select vertices within the radius  $\pm 0.5$  cm of the ammonia cells.
6.  $Z_{last} > 1500$  cm, to select muons with the last measured point after MF1.
7.  $Z_{first} < 300$  cm, to select muons with the first measured point before SM1.
8.  $t_{\mu}$  defined, muons with time defined.
9.  $|t_{\mu 1} - t_{\mu 2}| < 15$  ns, time difference between the two muons lower than 15 ns.
10. Trigger validation, requiring that the selected muons are in the geometrical acceptance of the hodoscopes of the corresponding fired trigger.
11. Image cut, requiring that the pair would be geometrical accepted if their muons have the opposite charge. This cut is a requirement to estimate the combinatorial background.

(The image cut “symmetrizes” the acceptance with respect to the muon charge.)



# Future Drell-Yan experiments

- Programs for future Drell-Yan measurements:
  - nucleon-nucleon at
    - SeaQuest (Fermilab)
    - RHIC (Brookhaven)
    - J-PARC (KEK)
    - IHEP (Protvino)
    - JINR (Dubna)
  - anti(p)-nucleon at
    - FAIR (GSI)
  - pion-nucleon at
    - COMPASS (CERN)  
*Only existing meson plan!*
- Past measurements exclusively considered the unpolarized cross section, future ones also aim for polarization measurements.
  - transversely polarized DY: spin-dependent TMDs
  - longitudinally polarized DY: quark helicity



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# Spin-orbit correlations from Drell-Yan?

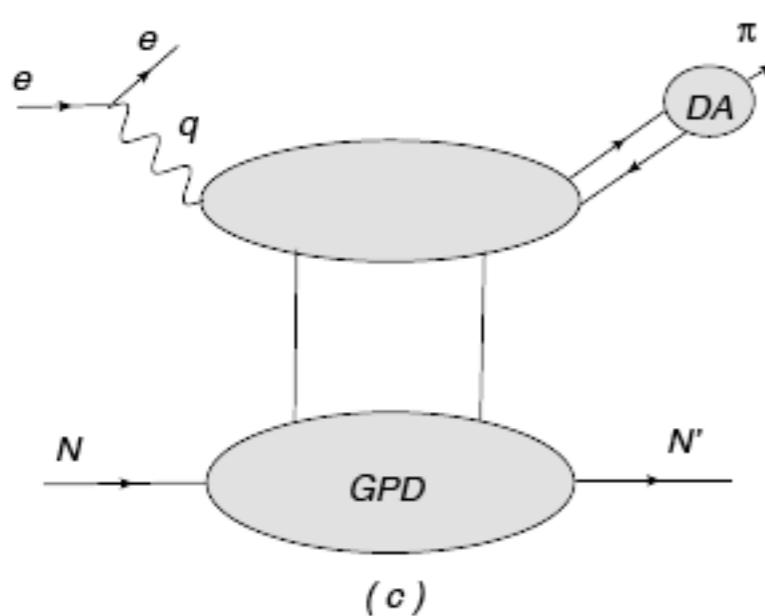
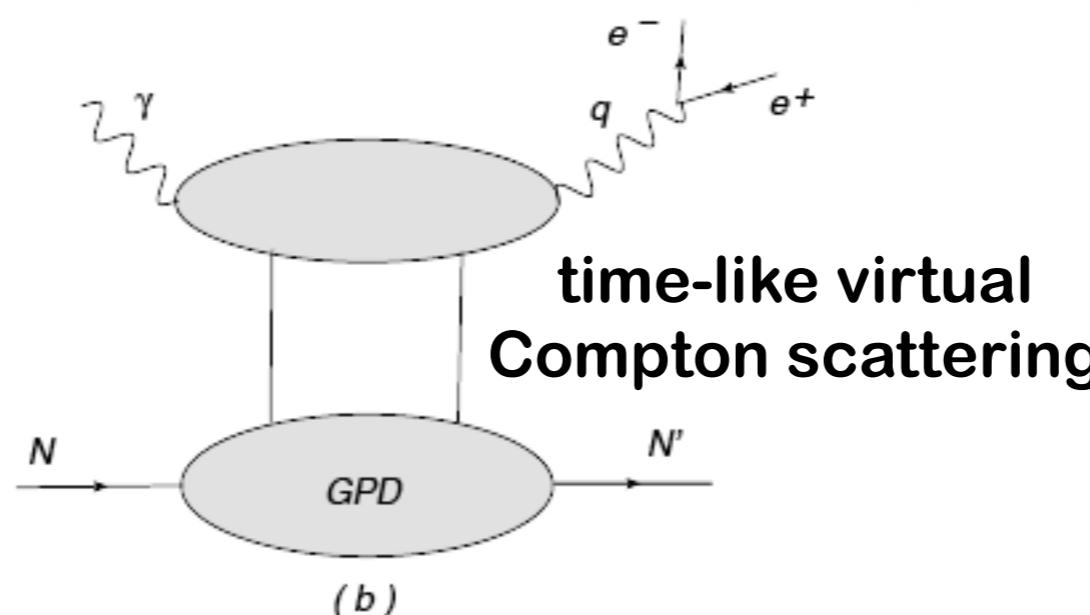
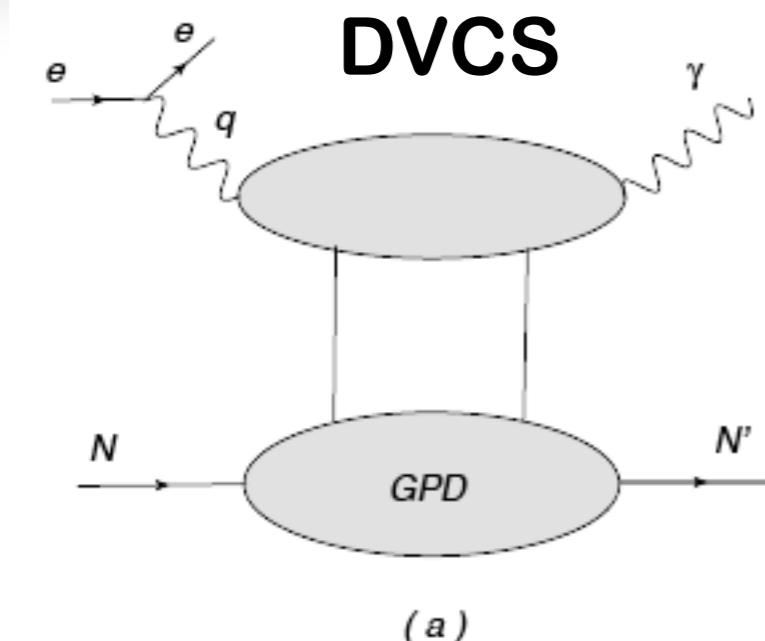
- Boer and Mulders 1998: distribution function of the unpolarized nucleon with intrinsic  $k_T$  dependence.
  - Describes correlation between quark transverse spin and momentum.
  - Induces  $\cos(2\Phi)$  modulation of the DY cross section.
- Other theoretical interpretations:
  - QCD higher-twist effect causes change of virtual-photon polarization from transversely ( $\lambda=1$ ) to longitudinally ( $\lambda=-1$ ) polarized for  $x_\pi \rightarrow 1$ ?
    - Data taken at different  $\sqrt{s}$ : pion: 11 GeV and 16 GeV; proton: 39 GeV.
    - Such effect should be seen in E906/SeaQuest data.
  - Spin correlations between annihilating quark and anti-quark?
  - Glauber gluons, QCD instantons, ...

More measurements in wider kinematic range, and kaon/anti-proton beams will help to differentiate the interpretations.



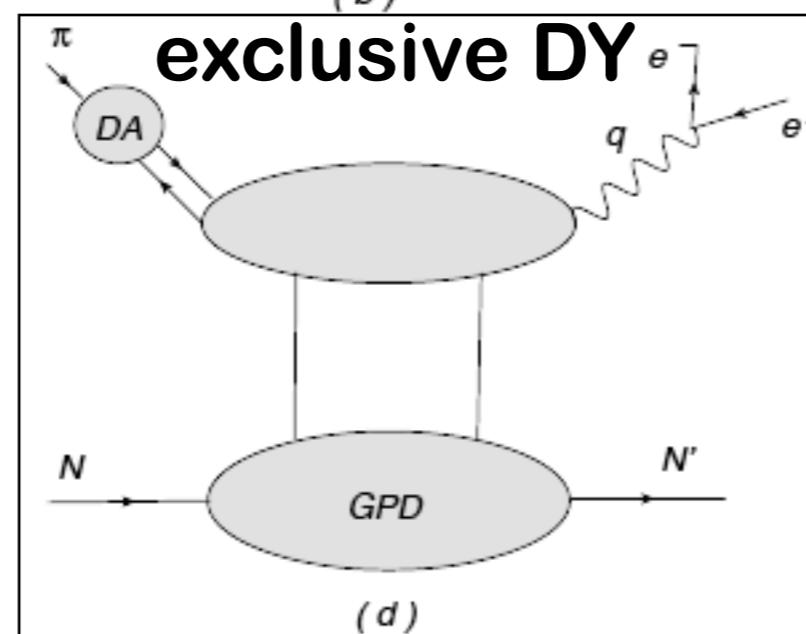
# Pion-induced exclusive Drell-Yan

$$\pi^- N \rightarrow N' \mu^-\mu^+$$



**hard exclusive pion production (DVMP)**

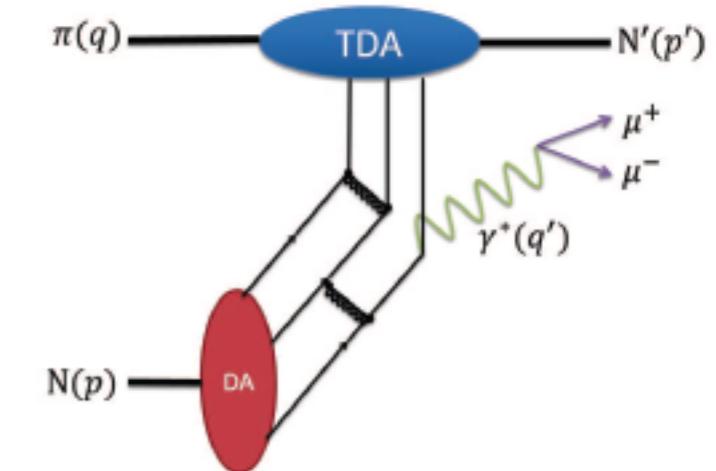
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Preferred @lower beam energy to enhance exclusive cross section

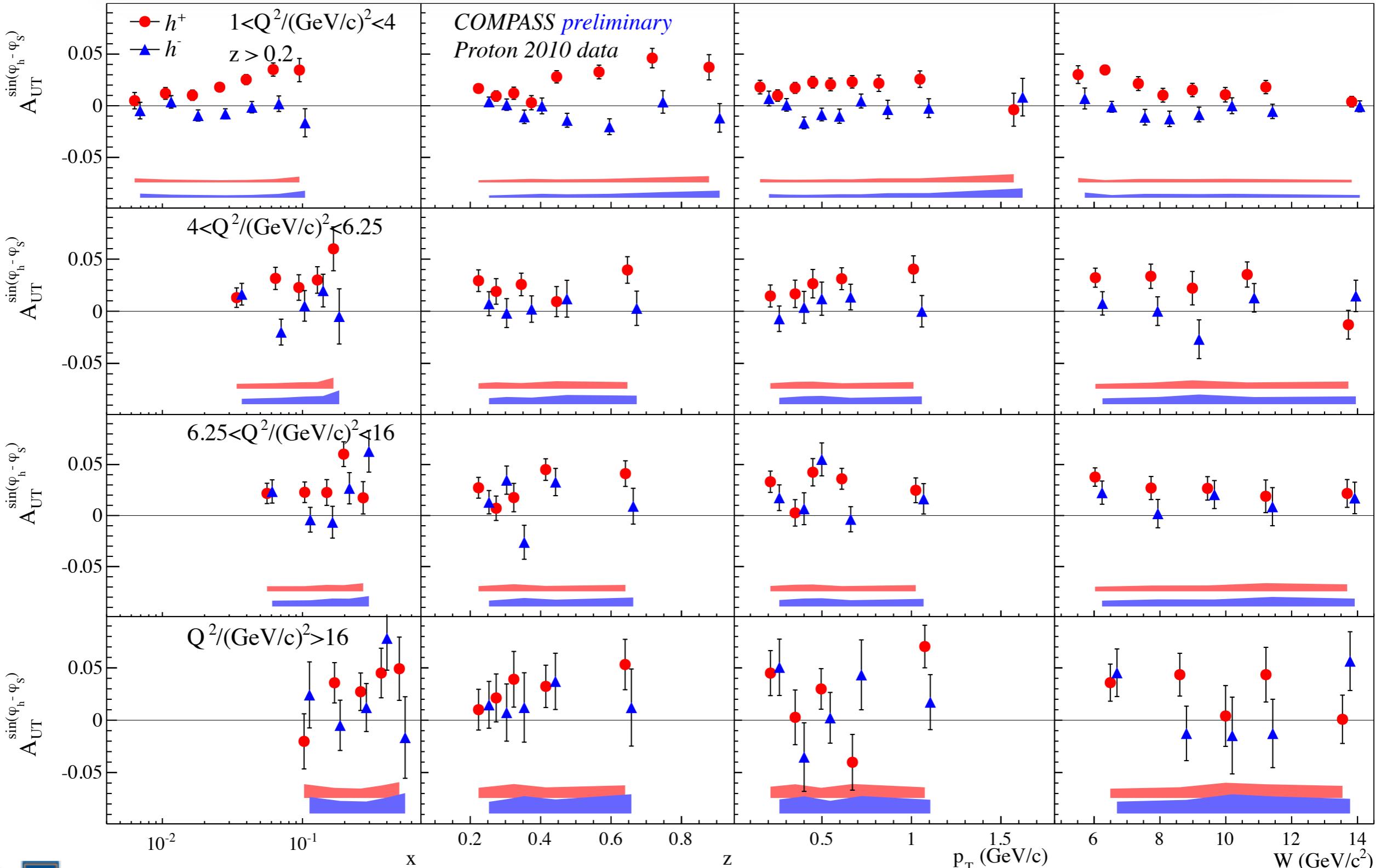
**time-like**

Priv. Comm. Peter Kroll (2015): cross sections for exclusive DY at COMPASS are expected to be a factor of 1000 smaller than at J-Parc.



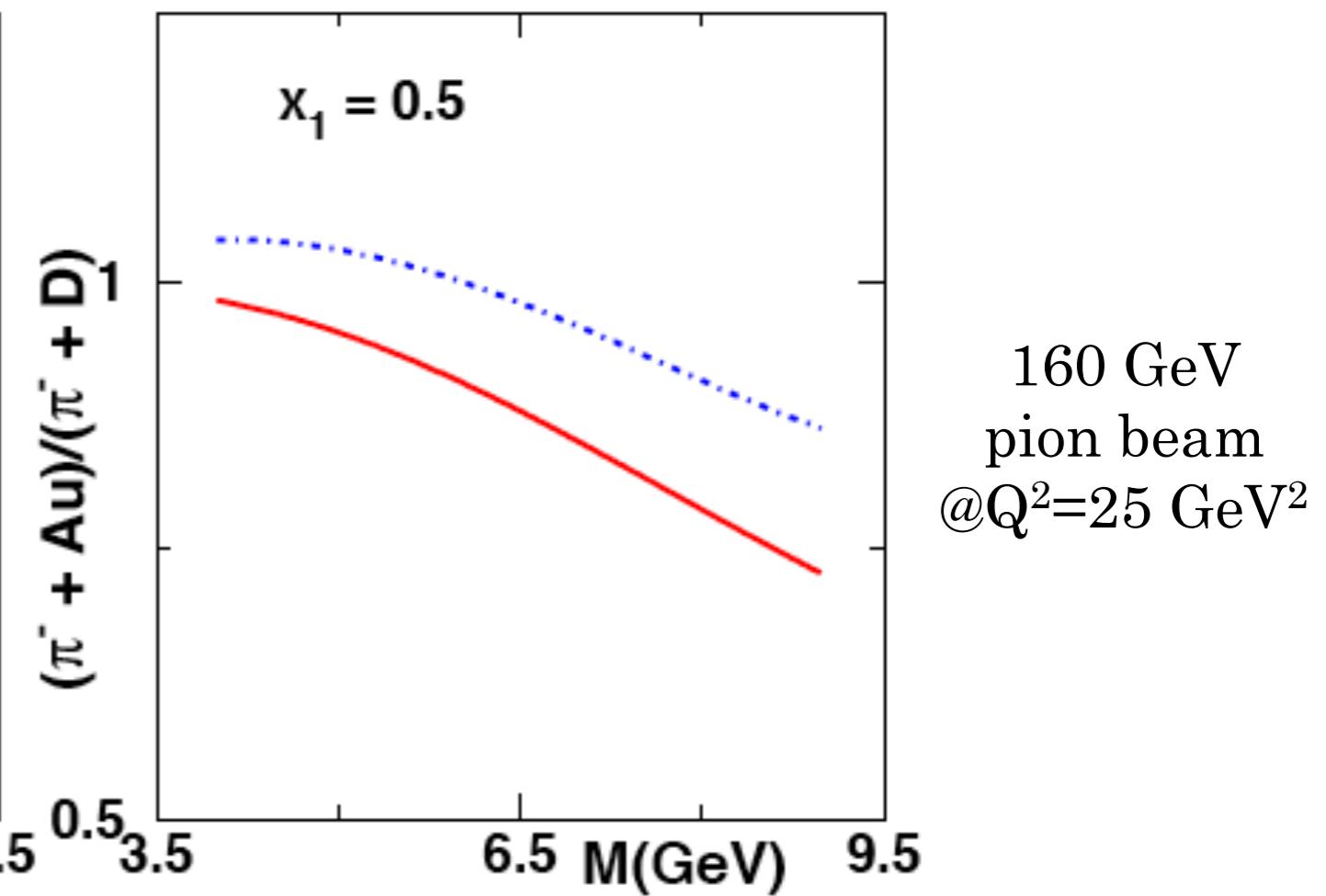
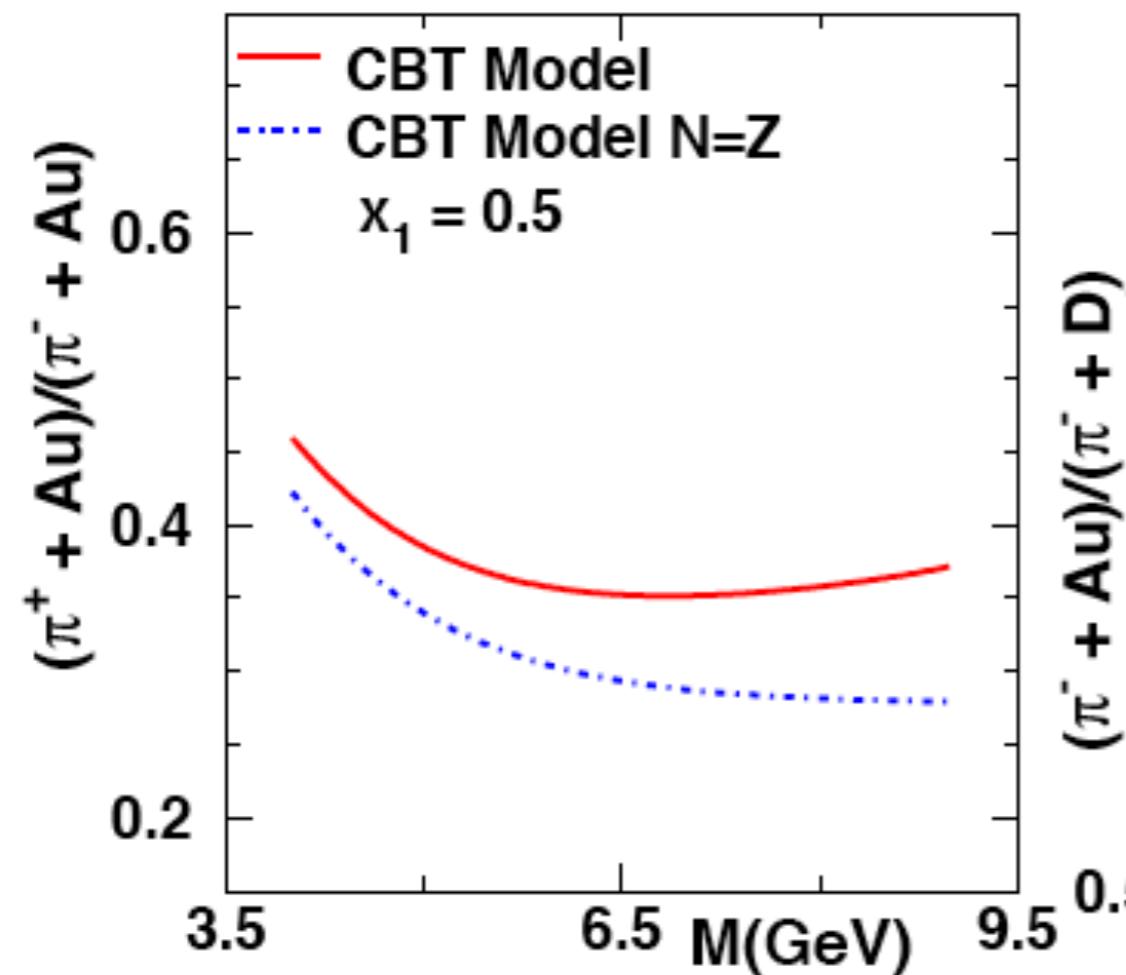
@larger momentum transfer to the target: involves TDA = nucleon-to-pion Transition Distribution Amplitude

# SIDIS Sivers in DY kinematic region



# Flavor-dependent EMC effect in pion-induced DY

$$\frac{\sigma^{DY}(\pi^+ + A)}{\sigma^{DY}(\pi^- + A)} \approx \frac{d_A(x)}{4u_A(x)} \quad \frac{\sigma^{DY}(\pi^- + A)}{\sigma^{DY}(\pi^- + D)} \approx \frac{u_A(x)}{u_D(x)}$$



Important new information from COMPASS-II Drell-Yan data with pion beams

# A new drift chamber for COMPASS



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