

# Pion and Kaon structure using Drell-Yan pair production at the M2 beam line at CERN

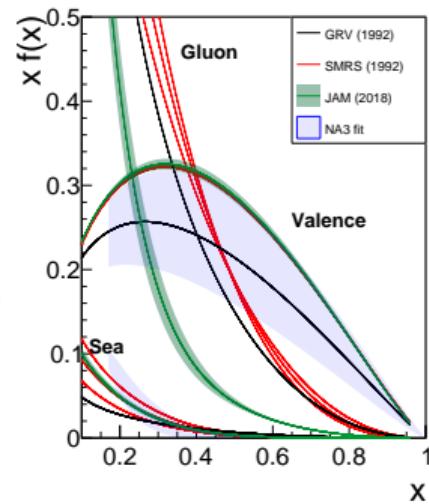
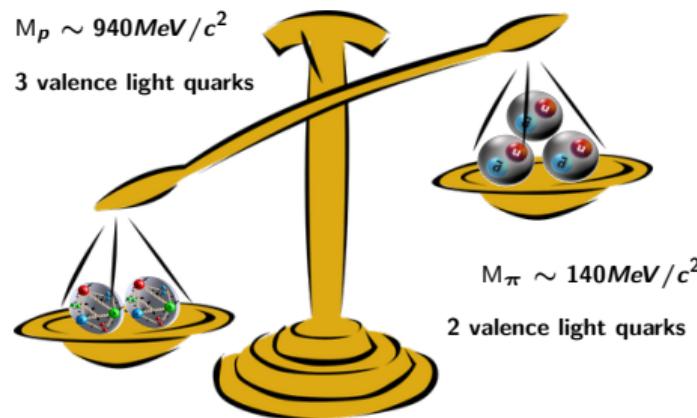
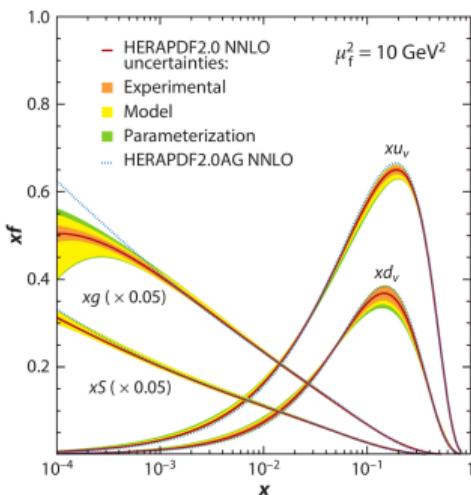
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## How to explain the origin of the mass of composite hadrons?



Knowledge of the nucleon and the pion PDFs  
is fundamental to understand the hadrons mass budget.  
Let us study their structure!

# Focus on pion structure

Different results among different groups

Using the same data for **GRV** and **SMRS**:

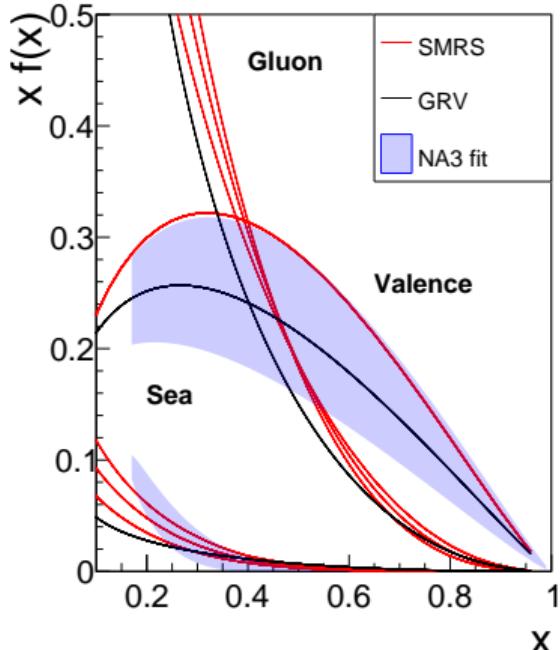
- $\pi^-$  DY data from NA10 & E615  
→ valence
- Prompt photon prod.: WA70 & NA24  
→ gluon

Independently, **NA3**:  $\pi^-/\pi^+$  DY data  
→ valence-sea

**Not enough data to directly constrain all PDFs**

GRV: M. Gluck et al, Z.Phys.C 53 (1992) 651-655

SMRS: P.J. Sutton et al, Phys.Rev.D 45 (1992) 2349–2359

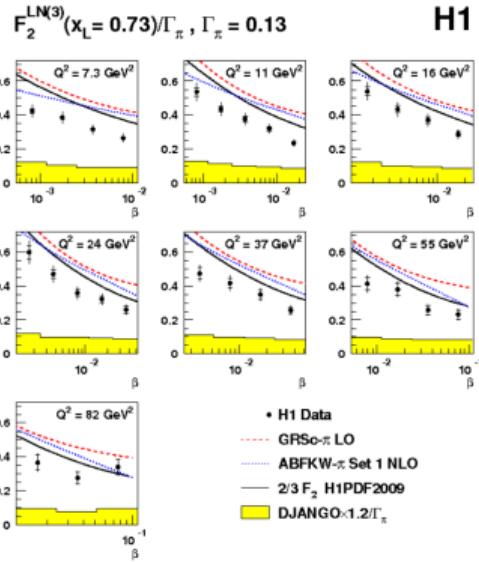


"Sea" means contribution per quark, i.e.  $\sum_q f_q(x)/6$

# How to access the sea

## DIS with di-jet and leading neutron

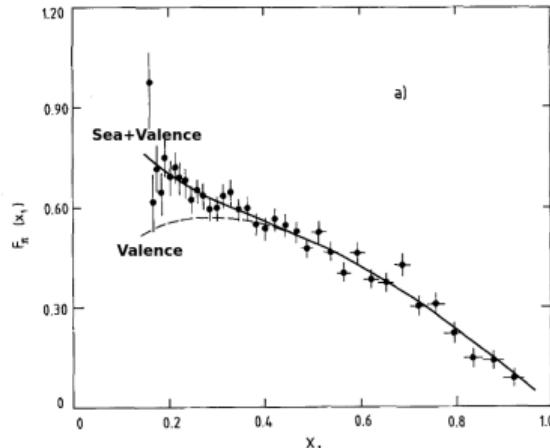
Aaron et al. Eur. Phys. J. C68, 2010



- Wide x coverage
- Estimation of pion flux introduces a strong model dependence

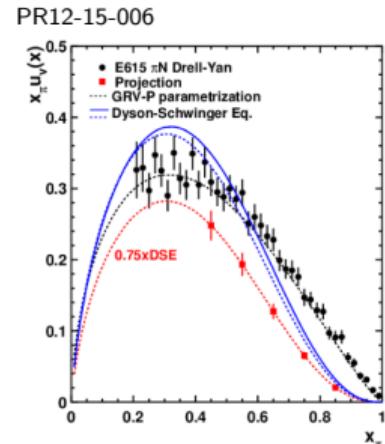
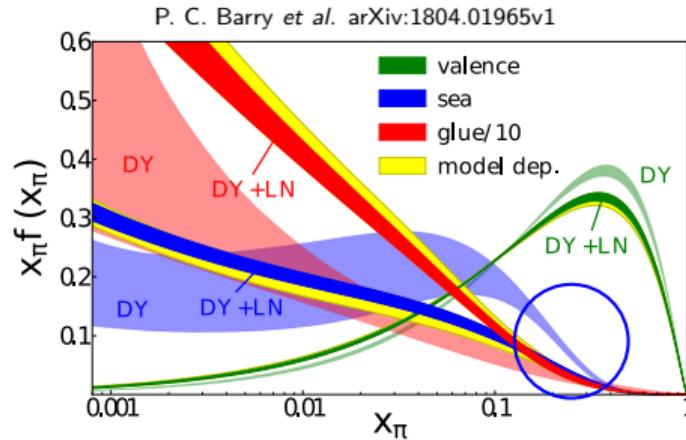
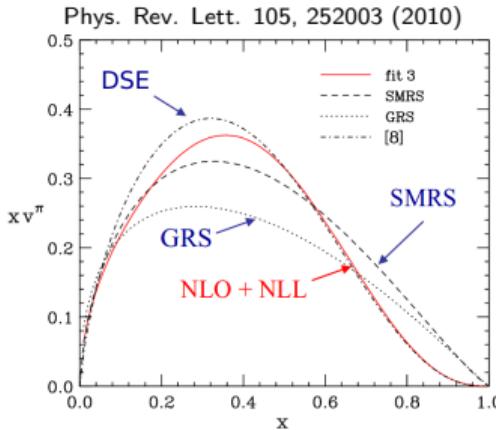
## Drell-Yan NA3

Badier et al., Z. Phys. C18, 1983



- Limited statistics:
  - 4.7k  $\pi^-$ -event (shown)
  - 1.7k  $\pi^+$ -event
- Heavy nuclear target (Pt)

# Renewed interest in pion structure

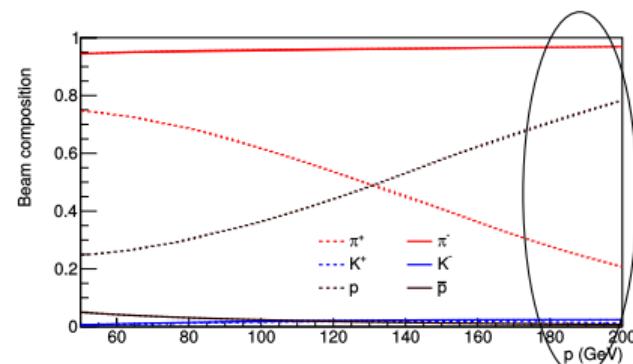


- Agreement between DSE and fit to E615 data at NLO+NLL
- First extraction of PDFs with Hera data (DIS with leading neutron)
- Foreseen measurement of Tagged DIS at JLab and at EIC

Aim for direct data in the circled area

# Opportunity at the CERN M2 beamline

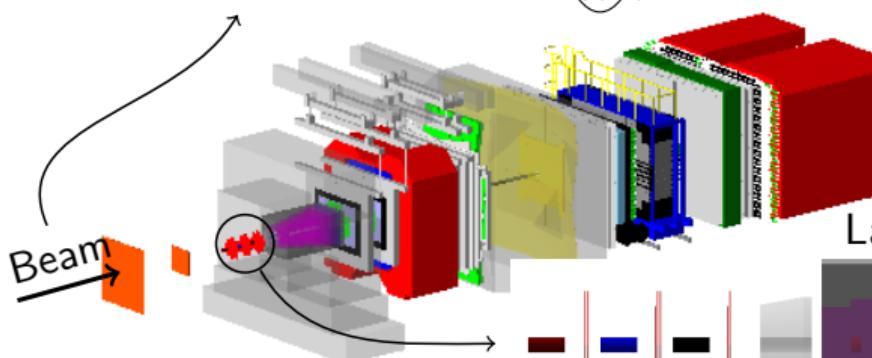
High energy and intensity pion beams



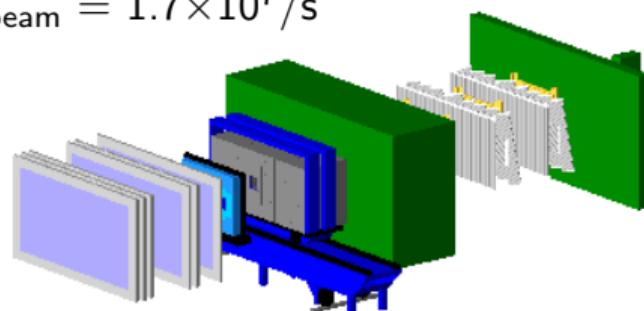
Example @ 190 GeV:

$$I_{\pi^-} \sim I_{\text{beam}} = 7.0 \times 10^7 / \text{s}$$

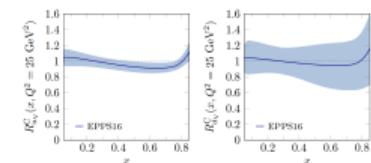
$$I_{\pi^+} \sim 25\% I_{\text{beam}} = 1.7 \times 10^7 / \text{s}$$



Segmented Carbon target:



COMPASS-like apparatus  
Large acceptance:  $8\text{mrad} < \theta < 160\text{mrad}$



# Pion Sea-Valence separation in Drell-Yan

With  $\pi^+$  and  $\pi^-$  beam with an isoscalar target:

$$\sigma(\pi^+ d) \propto \frac{4}{9} [u^\pi \cdot (\bar{u}_s^p + \bar{d}_s^p)] + \frac{4}{9} [\bar{u}_s^\pi \cdot (u^p + d^p)] + \frac{1}{9} [\bar{d}^\pi \cdot (d^p + u^p)] + \frac{1}{9} [d_s^\pi \cdot (\bar{d}_s^p + \bar{u}_s^p)]$$

$$\sigma(\pi^- d) \propto \frac{4}{9} [u_s^\pi \cdot (\bar{u}_s^p + \bar{d}_s^p)] + \frac{4}{9} [\bar{u}^\pi \cdot (u^p + d^p)] + \frac{1}{9} [\bar{d}_s^\pi \cdot (d^p + u^p)] + \frac{1}{9} [d^\pi \cdot (\bar{d}_s^p + \bar{u}_s^p)]$$

- Assumption:

- Charge conjugation and  $SU(2)_f$  for valence:  $u_v^{\pi^+} = \bar{u}_v^{\pi^-} = \bar{d}_v^{\pi^+} = d_v^{\pi^+}$
- Charge conjugation and  $SU(3)_f$  for sea:

$$u_s^{\pi^+} = \bar{u}_s^{\pi^-} = u_s^{\pi^-} = \bar{u}_s^{\pi^+} = \bar{d}_s^{\pi^+} = d_s^{\pi^+} = \bar{d}_s^{\pi^-} = d_s^{\pi^-} = s_s^{\pi^+} = s_s^{\pi^-} = \bar{s}_s^{\pi^+} = \bar{s}_s^{\pi^-}$$

- Two linear combination

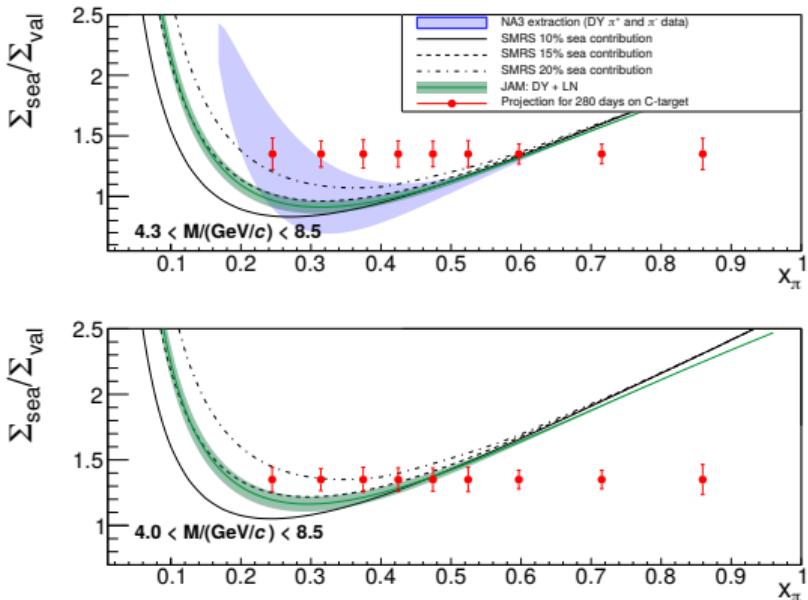
- Only valence sensitive:  $\Sigma_v^{\pi D} = -\sigma^{\pi^+ D} + \sigma^{\pi^- D} \propto \frac{1}{3} u_v^\pi (u_v^p + d_v^p)$
- Sea sensitive  $\Sigma_s^{\pi D} = 4\sigma^{\pi^+ D} - \sigma^{\pi^- D}$

# Pion induced Drell-Yan statistics for 2 years

Experiment	Target type	Beam energy (GeV)	Beam type	Beam intensity (part/sec)	DY mass (GeV/c <sup>2</sup> )	DY events
E615	20cm <b>W</b>	252	$\pi^+$ $\pi^-$	$17.6 \times 10^7$ $18.6 \times 10^7$	4.05 – 8.55	5,000 30,000
NA3	30cm H <sub>2</sub>	200	$\pi^+$ $\pi^-$	$2.0 \times 10^7$ $3.0 \times 10^7$	4.1 – 8.5	40 121
	6cm <b>Pt</b>	200	$\pi^+$ $\pi^-$	$2.0 \times 10^7$ $3.0 \times 10^7$	4.2 – 8.5	1,767 4,961
NA10	120cm D <sub>2</sub>	286	$\pi^-$	$65 \times 10^7$	4.2 – 8.5	7,800
		140			4.35 – 8.5	3,200
COMPASS 2015 COMPASS 2018	12cm W	286	$\pi^-$	$65 \times 10^7$	4.2 – 8.5	49,600
		140			4.35 – 8.5	29,300
COMPASS 2015 COMPASS 2018	110cm NH <sub>3</sub>	190	$\pi^-$	$7.0 \times 10^7$	4.3 – 8.5	35,000 45,000
This exp	100cm <b>C</b>	190	$\pi^+$	$1.7 \times 10^7$	4.3 – 8.5 3.8 – 8.5	23,000 37,000
		190	$\pi^-$	$6.8 \times 10^7$	4.3 – 8.5 3.8 – 8.5	22,000 34,000
24cm W	190	$\pi^+$	$0.2 \times 10^7$	4.3 – 8.5 3.8 – 8.5	7,000 11,000	
	190	$\pi^-$	$1.0 \times 10^7$	4.3 – 8.5 3.8 – 8.5	6,000 9,000	

Use of lighter and isoscalar target as compared to past experiments

# Projection Pions (2 years)



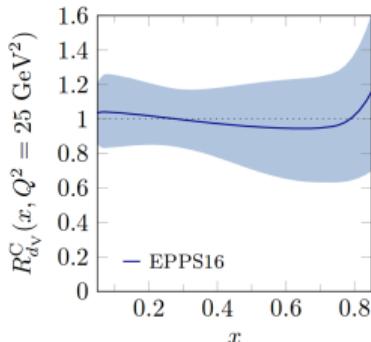
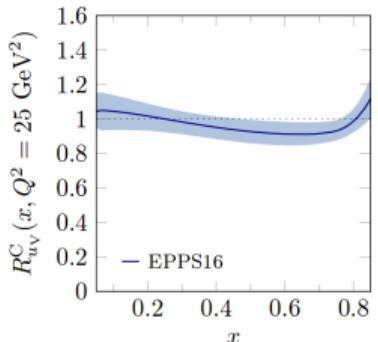
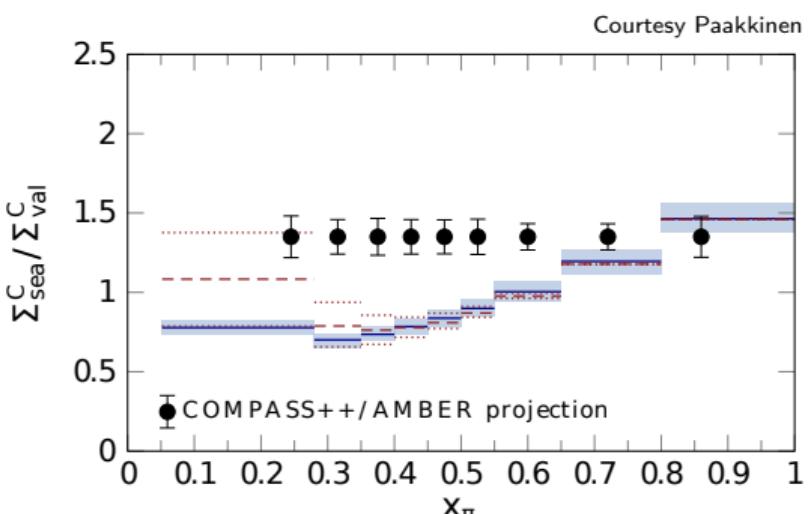
Two mass ranges:

- Safe range: background free top
- Extended with improved mass resolution → vertex detector
- Aim at the first precise direct measurement of the pion sea contribution
- Collect around a **factor 10 more statistics** than presently available

$$\Sigma_{val} = \sigma^{\pi^- C} - \sigma^{\pi^+ C}: \text{only valence-valence}$$
$$\Sigma_{sea} = 4\sigma^{\pi^+ C} - \sigma^{\pi^- C}: \text{no valence-valence}$$

# Impact of carbon target on the measurement

Carbon target is not free of nuclear effects:



However:

- $\pi$ -PDF uncertainties are dominant in the region of interest
- nPDF mostly contributing in  $x_\pi > 0.5$

SMRS: red dashed or dotted lines

EPPS16: blue shaded band

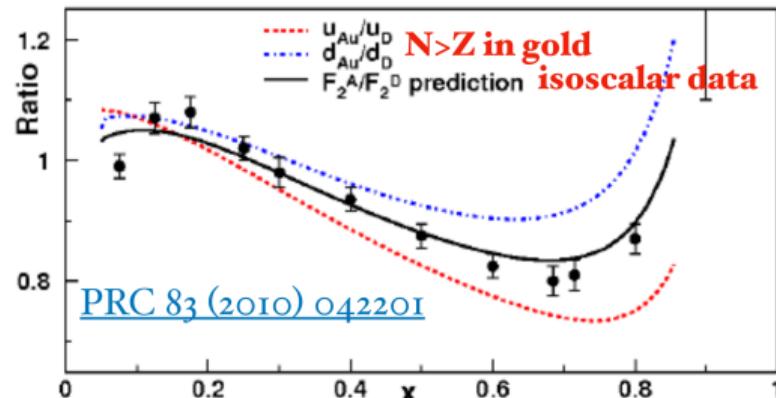
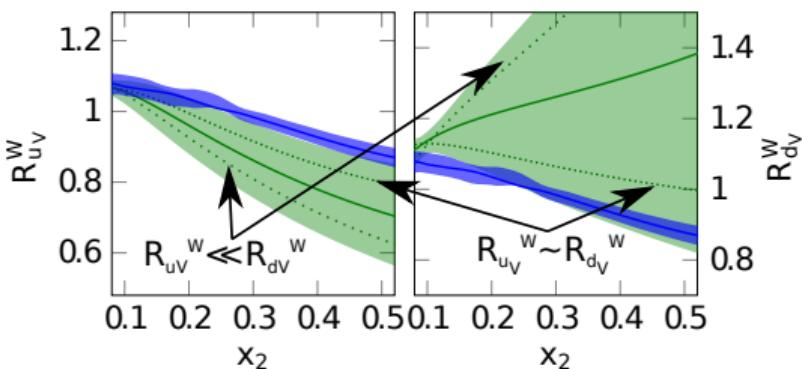
# Nuclear dependence studies

Flavour dependent EMC effect:

Unlike DIS,  $\pi$ -induced Drell-Yan process tags the **quark flavour**

nCTEQ15: unconstrained flavour dependence

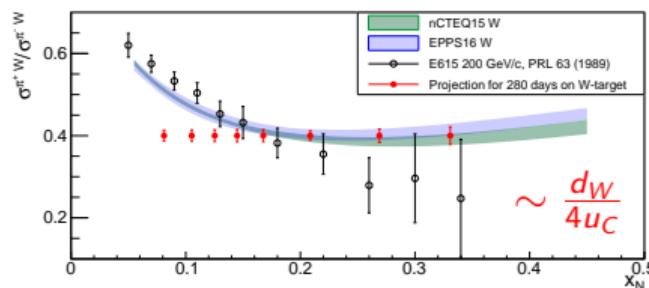
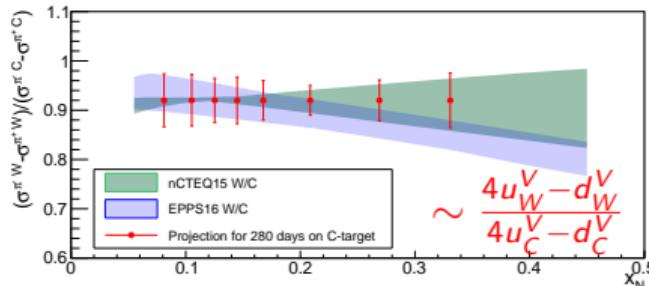
EPS09: no flavour dependence



Energy loss:

- Multiple scattering of incoming quark in large nuclei
- No energy loss in the final state
- Comparison between DY and  $J/\psi$  complementary information

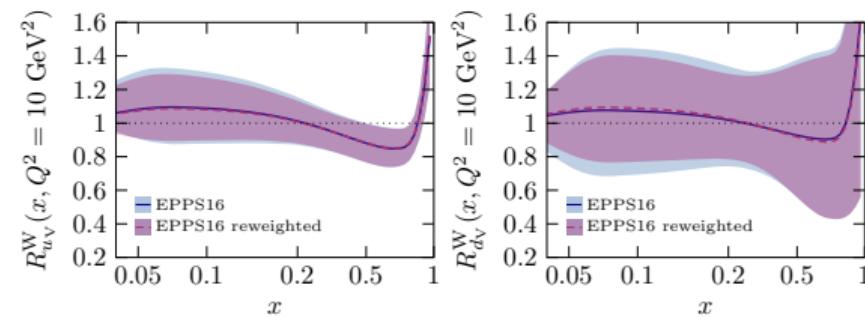
## Applicability of DY $\pi A$ measurements in global fit validated Paakkinen et al. PLB 768 (2017) 7



Parallel to pion structure measurement

	eDIS	$\nu$ DIS	DY pA	RHIC	LHC	DY $\pi A$
nCTEQ15	✓		✓	✓	✓	
EPPS16	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Reduction of  $d_W^V$  uncertainties by 15% @  $x \sim 0.1$



Courtesy Paakkinen

# What do we know about kaon structure?

Sole measurement from NA3

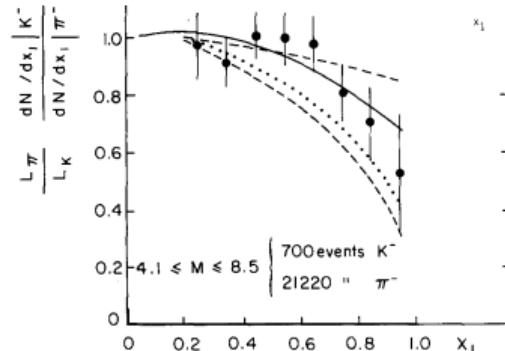
J. Badier *et al.*, PLB93 354 (1984)

- Limited statistics: 700 events with  $K^-$
- Sensitivity to  $SU(3)_f$  breaking
- Mostly only model predictions

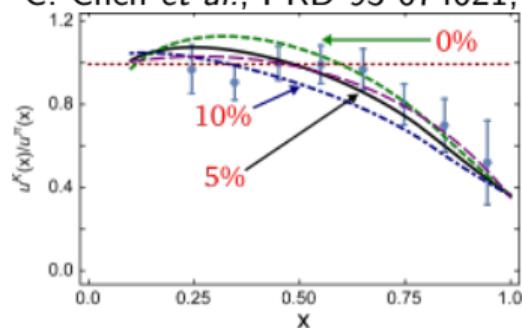
Interesting observation: At hadronic scale gluons carry only 5% of K's momentum vs  $\sim 30\%$  in  $\pi$

- Scarce data on  $u$ -valence
- No measurements on gluons
- No measurements on sea quarks

## How to improve the situation?



C. Chen *et al.*, PRD 93 074021, 2016



# Unique opportunities with RF separated beam

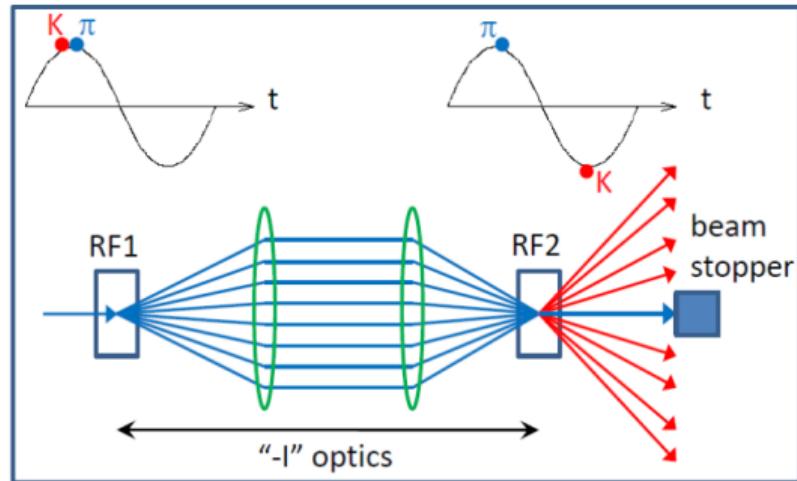
- Deflection with 2 cavities
- Relative phase = 0 → dump
- Deflection of wanted particle given by  
$$\Delta\phi \approx \frac{\pi f L}{c} \frac{m_w^2 - m_u^2}{p^2}$$

To keep good separation:

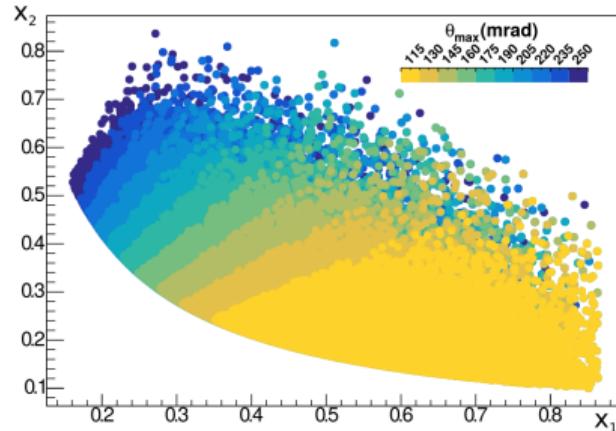
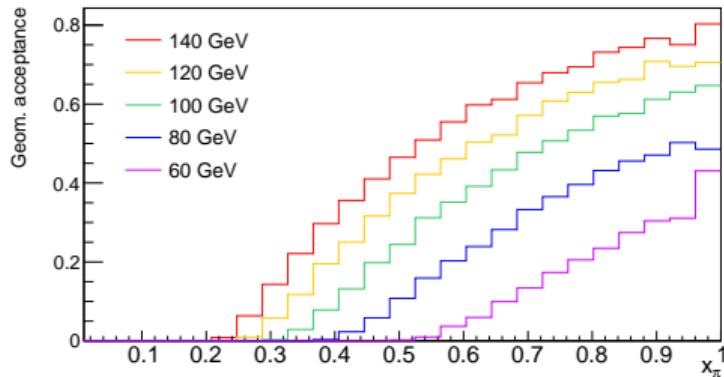
$L$  should increase as  $p^2$  for a given  $f \rightarrow$  limits the beam momentum

Initial expectations before further R&D:

~ 80 GeV Kaon beam  
~ 110 GeV Anti-proton beam



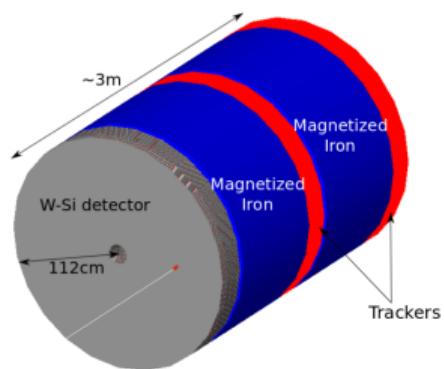
# Opportunities for hardware development



Necessity to compress the apparatus  
to keep an acceptance  $\sim 40\%$   
→ rethink the concept of DY absorber:

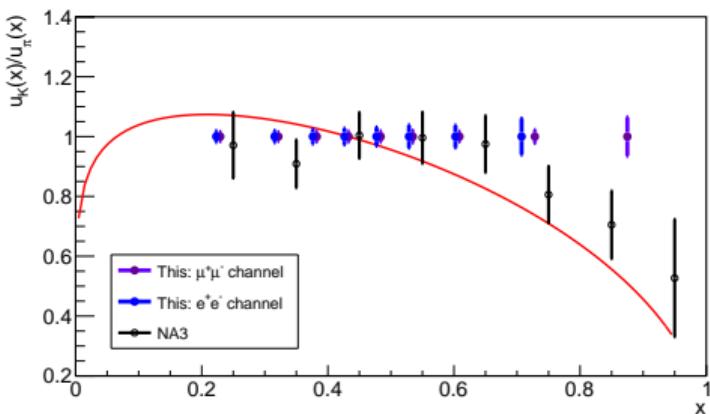
- Tracking with magnetic field
- Good resolution for vertexing
- Capability to collect  $e^+e^-$  DY pairs

*R&D necessary*



# Projections for Kaon structure

140 days with  $2 \times 10^7 \text{ s}^{-1}$  100 GeV  $K^-$  beam:

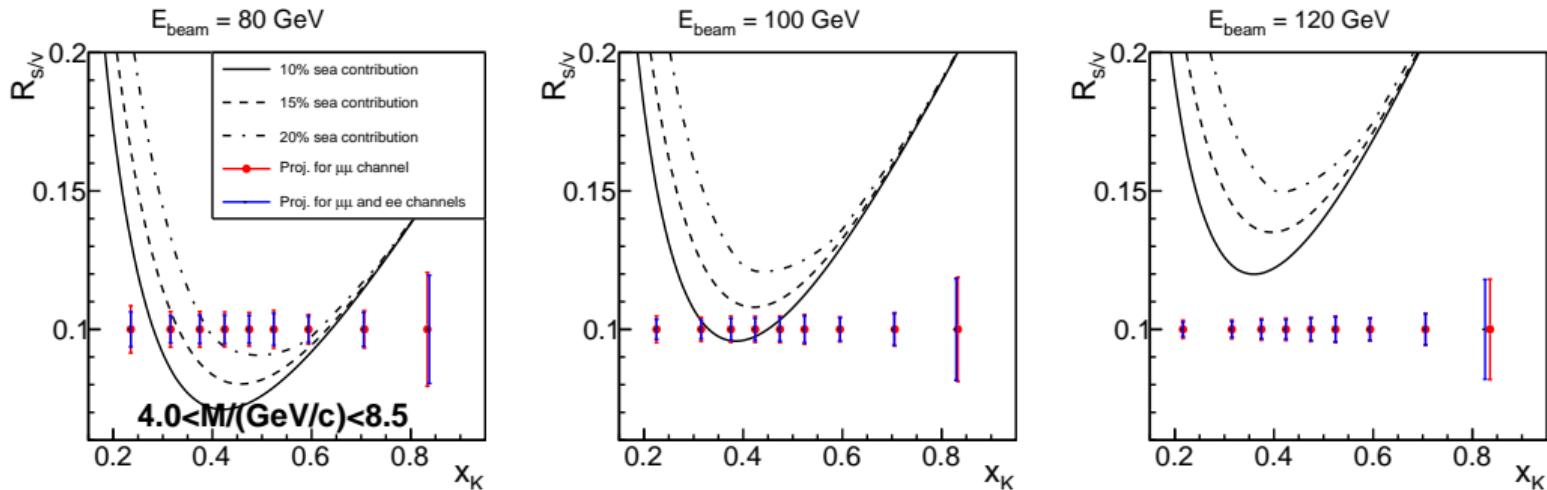


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NA3	6 cm Pt	$K^-$		200	4.2 – 8.5	700
This exp.	100 cm C	$K^-$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	80	4.0 – 8.5	25,000
		$K^-$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	100	4.0 – 8.5	40,000
		$K^-$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	120	4.0 – 8.5	54,000
	100 cm C	$K^+$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	80	4.0 – 8.5	2,800
		$K^+$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	100	4.0 – 8.5	5,200
		$K^+$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	120	4.0 – 8.5	8,000
This exp.	100 cm C	$\pi^-$	$4.8 \times 10^7$	80	4.0 – 8.5	65,500
		$\pi^-$	$4.8 \times 10^7$	100	4.0 – 8.5	95,500
		$\pi^-$	$4.8 \times 10^7$	120	4.0 – 8.5	123,600

$\pi$  data taken simultaneously from beam impurity

Enlarge world data statistics by a factor 30  
Determine  $u_K/u_\pi$  within a few percent

# Projections for valence/sea separation for Kaons

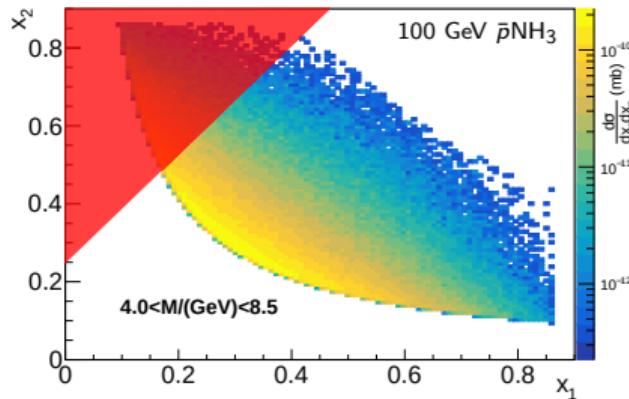


- **First measurement of sea in kaons:**  $R_{s/v} = \frac{\sigma^{K^+} c}{\sigma^{K^-} c - \sigma^{K^+} c}$
- Requires an additional year with  $K^+$  beam to complement the former  $K^-$  data
- Assuming the intensity for  $K^+$  and  $K^-$ :  $2 \times 10^7 s^{-1}$

Gluon contribution addressed by prompt photon and  $J/\psi$  production → see C. Naïm

# Anti-proton with a RF separated beam

Possibility to study valence proton TMD PDFs with a polarised NH<sub>3</sub> target



- No dependence upon  $\pi$ -PDF
- Access to large  $x$  value from the projectile
- Access Boer-Mulders function via:
  - $A_{UU}^{\cos(2\phi)} \propto h_{1,h}^{\perp q} \otimes h_{1,p}^{\perp q}$
  - $A_{UT}^{\sin(2\phi - \phi_S)} \propto h_{1,h}^{\perp q} \otimes h_{1,p}^q$

Experiment	Target type	Beam type	Beam intensity (part/sec)	Beam energy (GeV)	DY mass (GeV/c <sup>2</sup> )	DY events $\mu^+ \mu^-$	DY events $e^+ e^-$
This exp.	110cm NH <sub>3</sub>	$\bar{p}$	$3.5 \times 10^7$	100	4.0 – 8.5	28,000	21,000
				120	4.0 – 8.5	40,000	27,300
				140	4.0 – 8.5	52,000	32,500

## Near term future: Current beams

- Precise determination of **pion structure** and valuable inputs for nuclear effects

## Long term future: RF-separated beams

- **Unprecedented** studies of **Kaon structure**
- **Unique** opportunity to study **proton valence TMD PDFs** in a model free way

→ see also O. Denisov, C. Naïm and A. Maltsev

# BACKUP

# A new QCD facility

- Letter of Intent

arXiv:1808.00848

DY, Spectroscopy, muon-p  
elastics scattering, ...

- A web page

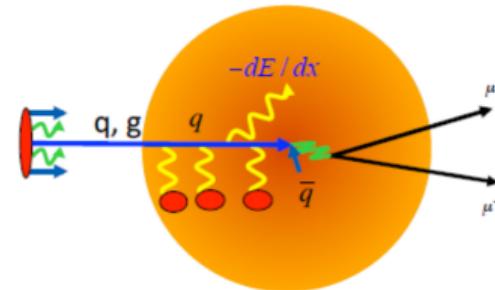
The screenshot shows a browser window with the URL <https://mql-m2.web.cern.ch/workshops>. The page is titled "Workshops | A new QCD facility". It features the CERN logo and the tagline "A new QCD facility at the M2 beam line of the CERN SPS". Navigation links include HOME, DOCUMENTS, WORKSHOPS (which is underlined), TIMELINES, and I AM INTERESTED. A sign-in link and a search bar are also present. The main content section is titled "Workshops" and lists four events:

- MiniWorkshop on A New QCD Facility at the SPS (CERN) after 2021**  
20. 6. 2018 - CERN  
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/737176/>
- PBC Working Group Meeting**  
13. 6. 2018 - 14. 6. 2018, CERN  
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/706741/>
- IWHSS'18 Workshop**  
19. 3. 2018 - 21. 3. 2018, Bonn, Germany  
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/658983/>
- PBC annual workshop**  
21. 11. 2017 - 22. 11. 2017, CERN

New ideas and collaborators are welcome  
Proposal available

## Parton energy loss:

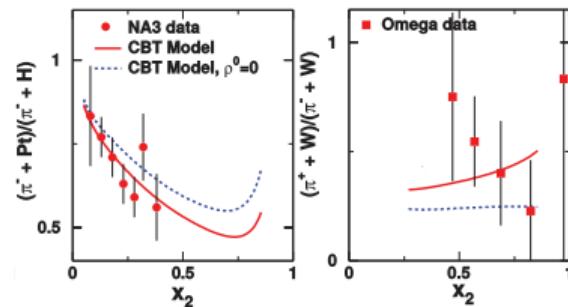
- Multiple scattering of incoming quark in large nuclei
- No energy loss in the final state
- Fixed target regime especially suited
- Comparison between DY and  $J/\psi$  complementary information



## Flavour dependent EMC effect:

Iso-vector  $\rho^0$  mean field generated in  $N \neq Z$  nuclei can modify nucleon's  $u$  and  $d$  PDF differently

- NA3  $\pi$  on Pt favours flavour dependence
- Omega  $\pi$  on W not conclusive
- Meson induced Drell-Yan process tags flavours



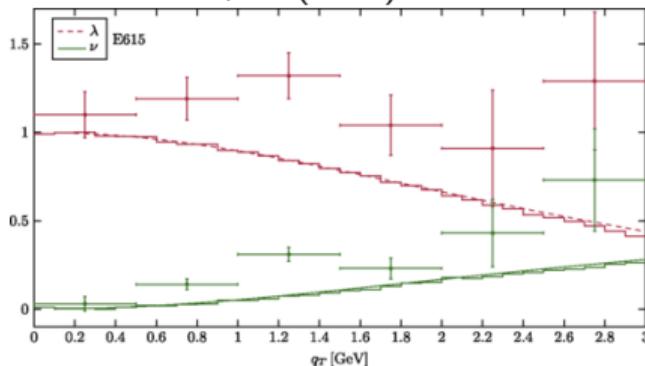
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		$K^-$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	100	4.0 – 8.5	40,000	17,700
		$K^-$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	120	4.0 – 8.5	54,000	20,700
This exp.	100 cm C						
		$K^+$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	80	4.0 – 8.5	2,800	1,300
		$K^+$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	100	4.0 – 8.5	5,200	2,000
		$K^+$	$2.1 \times 10^7$	120	4.0 – 8.5	8,000	2,400
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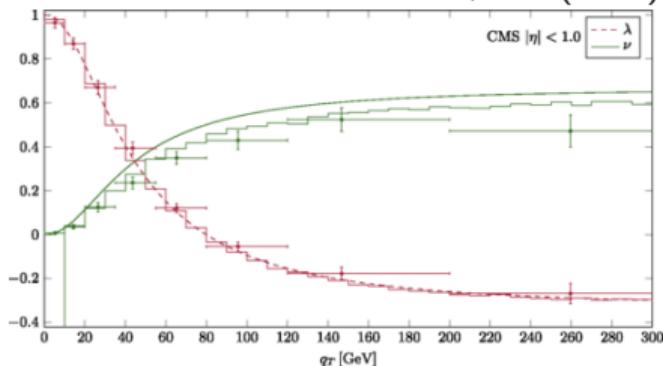
Achievable statistics of the new experiment, assuming  $2 \times 140$  days of data taking with equal time sharing between the two beam charges. For comparison, the collected statistics from NA3 is also shown.

# QCD radiative effects vs Boer-Mulders effects

E615 PRD 39, 92 (1989)



CMS PLB 750, 154 (2015)



Recent evidence in terms of QCD: radiative effects describe well data at large  $q_T$

J.-C. Peng *et al.* PLB 758, 384 (2016)

M. Lambertsen and W. Vogelsang PRD93, 114013 (2016)

- Boer Mulders expected at low  $q_T \rightarrow$  fixed target regime
- To single out Boer Mulders effects very precise data are necessary

# Synergy DY vs SIDIS

DY:				SIDIS:			
$A_{UU}^{\cos(2\phi)}$	$\propto h_{1,h}^{\perp q}$	$\otimes$	$h_{1,p}^{\perp q}$	Boer-Mulders	$A_{UU}^{\cos(2\phi_h)}$	$\propto h_{1,p}^{\perp q}$	$\otimes$
$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_s)}$	$\propto f_{1,h}^q$	$\otimes$	$f_{1T,p}^{\perp q}$	Sivers	$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_s)}$	$\propto f_{1T,p}^{\perp q}$	$\otimes$
$A_{UT}^{\sin(2\phi - \phi_s)}$	$\propto h_{1,h}^{\perp q}$	$\otimes$	$h_{1,p}^q$	Transversity	$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_s)}$	$\propto h_{1,p}^q$	$\otimes$
$A_{UT}^{\sin(2\phi + \phi_s)}$	$\propto h_{1,h}^{\perp q}$	$\otimes$	$h_{1T,p}^{\perp q}$	Pretzelosity	$A_{UT}^{\sin(3\phi_h - \phi_s)}$	$\propto h_{1T,p}^{\perp q}$	$\otimes$

TMD PDFs are **universal** but  
 final state interaction (SIDIS) vs. initial state interaction (DY)  
 → **Sign flip** for naive T-odd TMD PDFs

$$\begin{aligned} f_{1T}^{\perp q} |_{\text{SIDIS}} &= -f_{1T}^{\perp q} |_{\text{DY}} \\ h_1^{\perp q} |_{\text{SIDIS}} &= -h_1^{\perp q} |_{\text{DY}} \end{aligned}$$

Crucial test of **TMD framework in QCD**  
 addressed by COMPASS

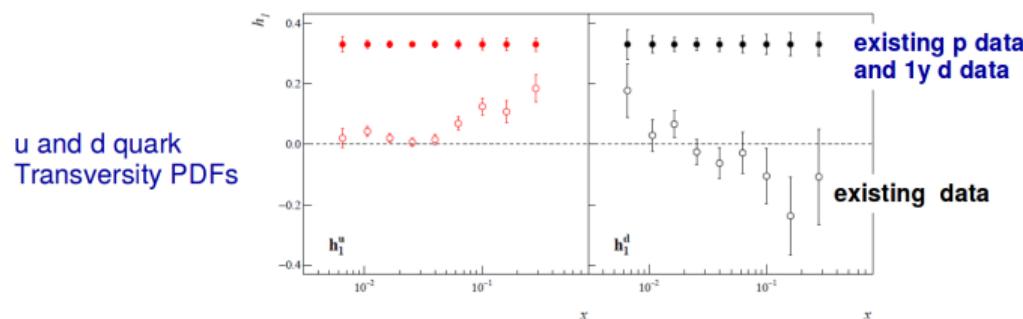
We propose to address the question again with:

- Anti-proton beam and polarised target
- Extra constraints on proton Boer-Mulders function

# Anti-proton beam: Synergy DY and SIDIS

Additional insight with  $\bar{p}$  on Boer Mulders (private exchange with Andreas Metz)

- Transversity modulation less affected by QCD radiative effects
- Smooth matching between TMD approach and QCD
- Extract transversity from SIDIS  $A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_s)} \propto h_{1,p}^q \otimes H_{1q}^{\perp h}$  measurements



- Use DY measured  $A^{\sin(2\phi - \phi_s)} \propto h_{1,h}^{\perp q} \otimes h_{1,p}^q$  and SIDIS transversity knowledge

Obtain Boer-Mulders  $h_1^{\perp q}$  for proton and meson with antiproton and meson beams

Complementary to SIDIS, where Cahn effects can be difficult to disentangle from Boer-Mulders effects