

3D nucleon structure with CLAS12 at Jefferson Lab

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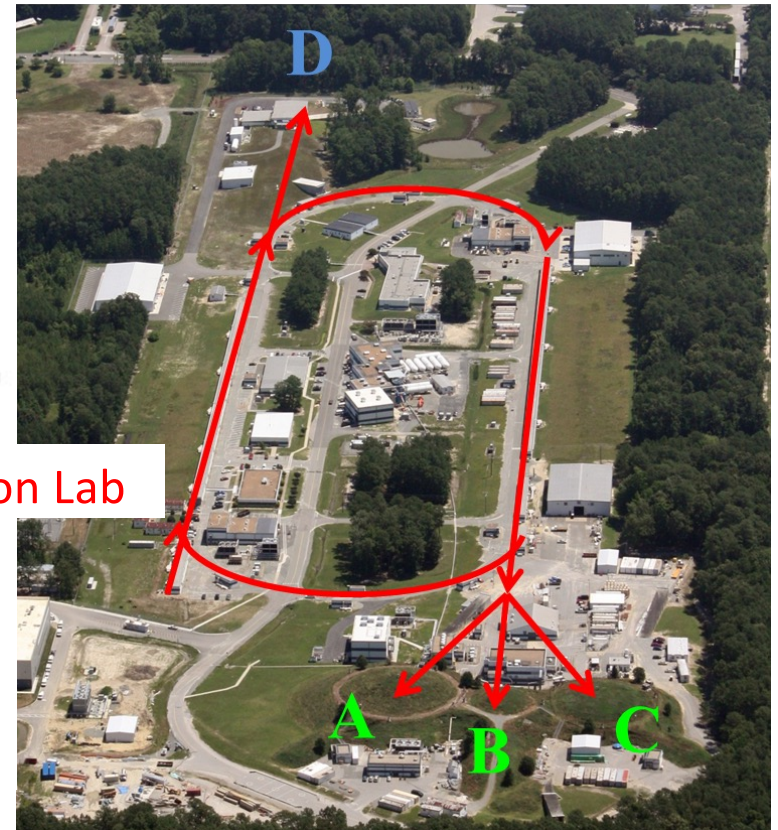
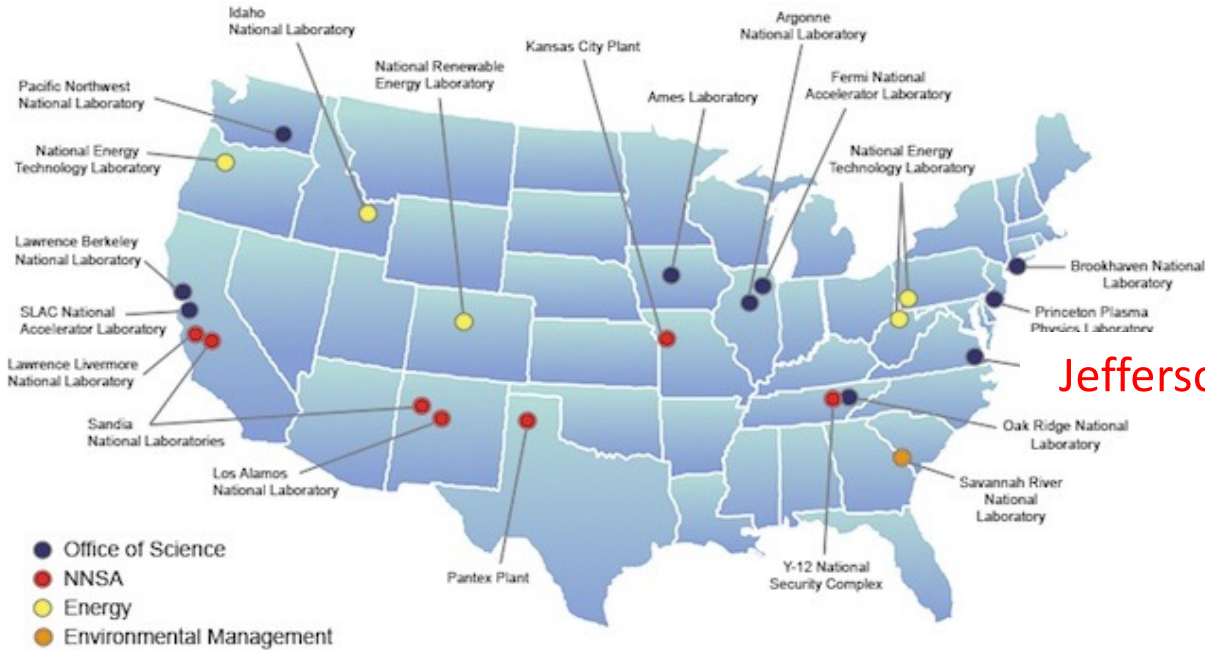
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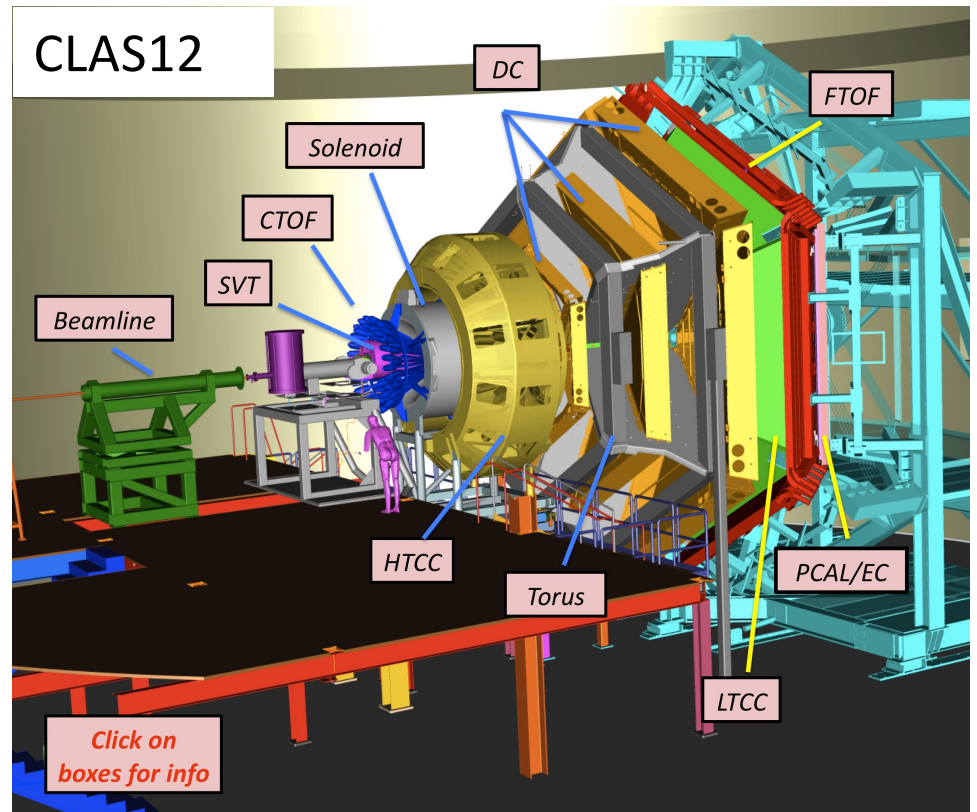
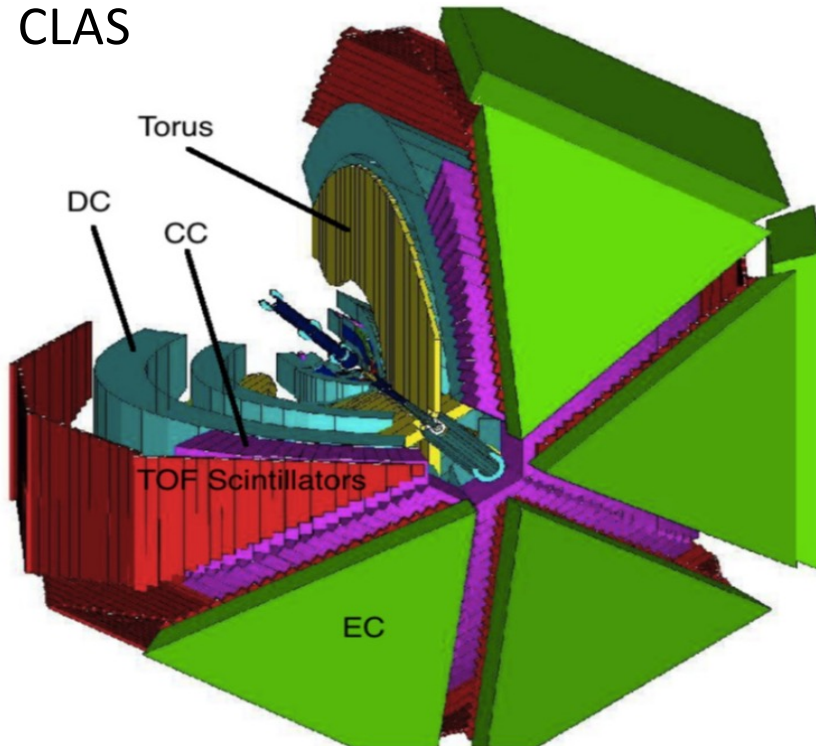


- **Newport News, Virginia (US east coast)**
- **1995 - 2012 6 GeV electron beam**
- **2018 - today 11 / 12 GeV electron beam / photon beam**

CLAS / CLAS12 in Hall B at Jefferson Lab

- 1995 – 2012, 6 GeV electron beam
- 2018 – today, 11 GeV electron beam

CLAS

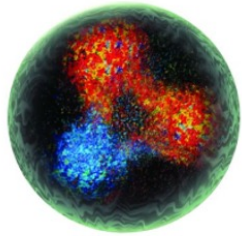


▶ $\mathcal{L} = 1 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

▶ Inclusive electron trigger (all reactions will be analyzed in parallel)

→ $I_{\text{max}} = 90 \mu\text{A}$, $\text{Pol}_{\text{max}} \sim 90\%$

3-Dimensional Imaging of Quarks and Gluons



*Wigner function:
full phase space parton
distribution of the nucleon*

$$\rho(x, \vec{k}_T, \vec{b}_T) \quad 5D$$

$$\int d^2 k_T$$

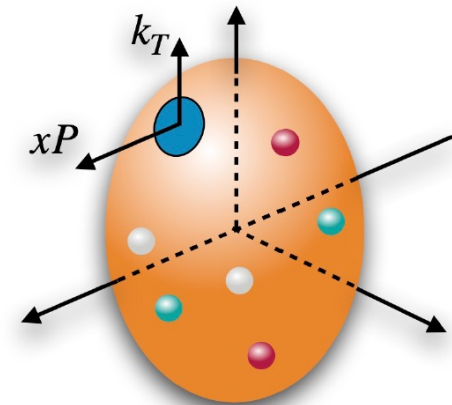
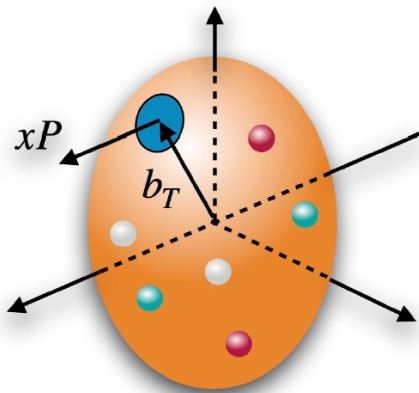
$$\int d^2 b_T$$

3D

Generalised Parton
Distributions (GPDs)

Transverse
Momentum
Distributions
(TMDs)

3D



Generalized Parton Distributions (GPDs)

$$W_{\Gamma}(\mathbf{r}, k) = \frac{1}{2M_N} \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\mathbf{q}\cdot\mathbf{r}} \left\langle \mathbf{q}/2 \left| \hat{\mathcal{W}}_{\Gamma}(0, k) \right| -\mathbf{q}/2 \right\rangle$$

S. Liuti et al., Phys. Rev. D 84, 034007 (2011) (GGL)

P. Kroll et al., Eur. Phys. J. A 47, 112 (2011) (GK)

Integrate over transverse
momentum space

Generalized Parton Distributions
(GPD)

3-D nucleon images in the
transverse coordinate and
longitudinal momentum space

quark pol.

| N/q | <i>U</i> | <i>L</i> | <i>T</i> |
|----------|----------|-------------|--------------------|
| <i>U</i> | <i>H</i> | | \bar{E}_T |
| <i>L</i> | | \tilde{H} | \tilde{E}_T |
| <i>T</i> | <i>E</i> | \tilde{E} | H_T, \tilde{H}_T |

nucleon pol.

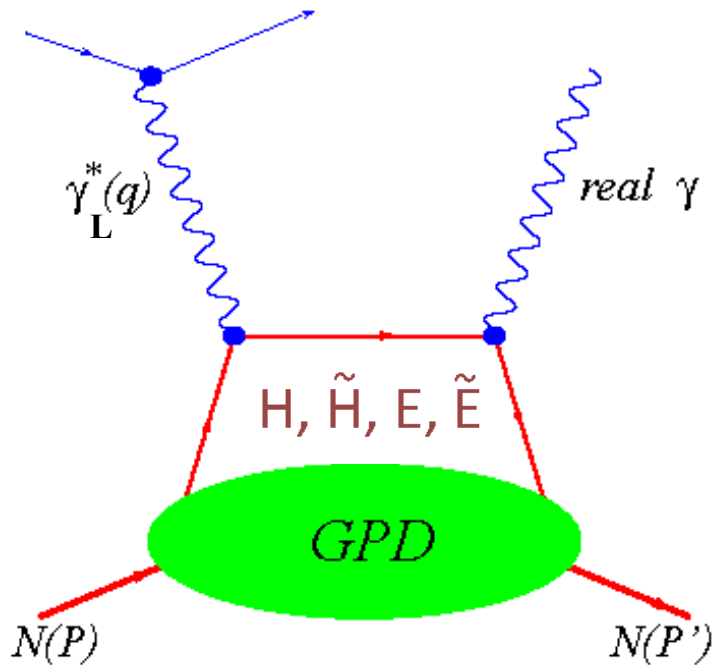
$$\bar{E}_T = 2\tilde{H}_T + E_T$$

Key Information from GPDs

- Multi-dimensional picture of the proton in $(1+2)D$
- Access to form factors of energy momentum tensor
 - Mechanical properties of the nucleon
 - Quark and gluon contribution to mass of the nucleon
- Sum rule for angular momentum

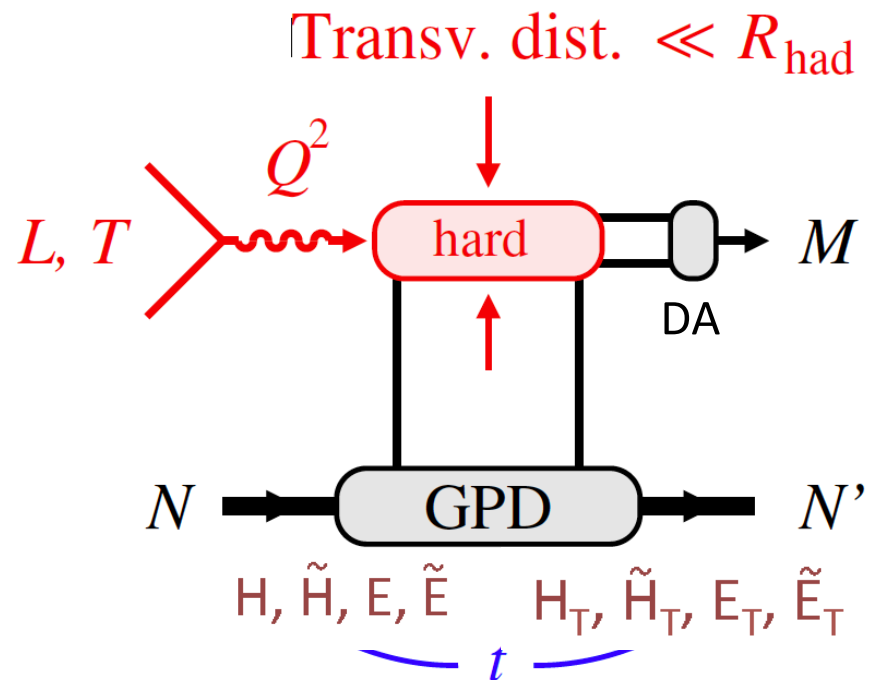
Study GPDs: Deeply Exclusive Processes

Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering (DVCS)



- + Clean process
- Only sensitive to chiral even GPDs

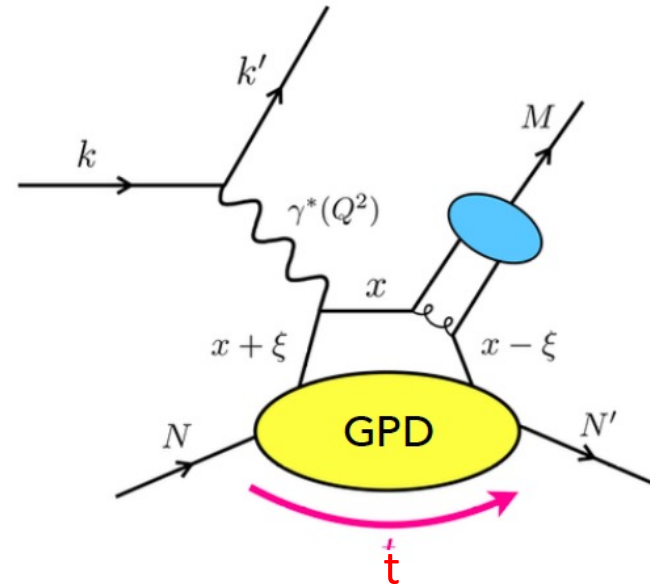
Deeply Virtual Meson Production (DVMP)



- + Access to transversity degrees of freedom described by chiral-odd GPDs
- Distribution Amplitude (DA) is involved as additional soft non pert. quantity

Deeply Virtual Meson Production

| | Meson | Flavor |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------|
| $\mathcal{H}_T, \bar{\mathcal{E}}_T$ | π^+ | $\Delta u - \Delta d$ |
| | π^0 | $2\Delta u + \Delta d$ |
| | η | $2\Delta u - \Delta d + 2\Delta s$ |
| \mathcal{H}, \mathcal{E} | ρ^+ | $u - d$ |
| | ρ^0 | $2u + d$ |
| | ω | $2u - d$ |
| | ϕ | g |



H_T is related to the protons tensor charge

$$\delta_T^{u,d} = \int dx H_T^{u,d}(x, \xi = 0, t = 0)$$

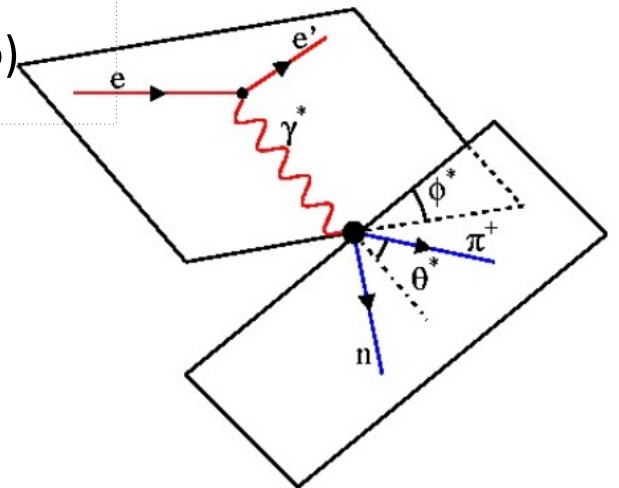
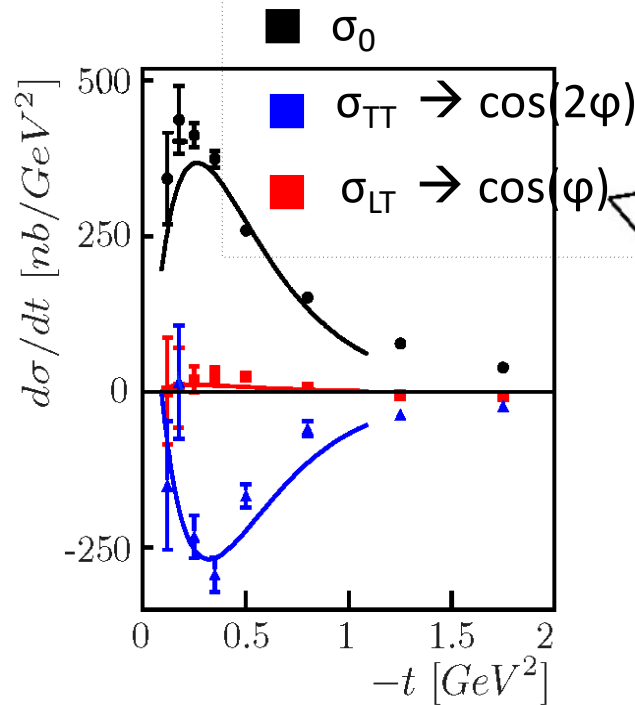
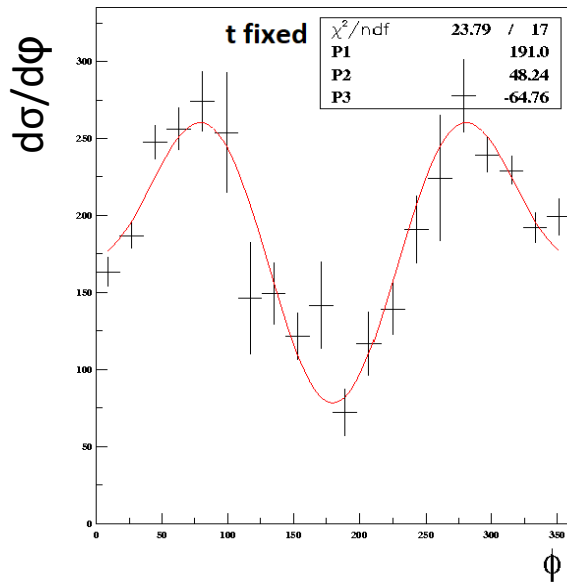
→ Absolute magnitude of transversely polarized valence quarks inside a transv. polarized nucleon

\bar{E}_T is related to the protons anomalous tensor magnetic moment

$$k_T^{u,d} = \int dx \bar{E}_T^{u,d}(x, \xi = 0, t = 0)$$

Differential Cross Section of DVMP (π^0)

$$\frac{d^4\sigma}{dQ^2 dx_B d\phi dt} \propto \sigma_T + \epsilon\sigma_L + \epsilon\sigma_{TT} \cdot \cos(2\phi) + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} \cdot \sigma_{LT} \cdot \cos(\phi)$$



CLAS collaboration. I Bedlinskiy et al. Phys.Rev.Lett. 109 (2012) 112001

$$\sigma_{TT} \propto \frac{t'}{Q^4} |\bar{E}_T|^2$$

$$\sigma_{LT} \propto \frac{\sqrt{-t'}}{Q^4} \xi \sqrt{1-\xi^2} \text{Re} \left[\langle H_T \rangle^* \langle \tilde{E} \rangle \right]$$

Pseudoscalar meson electroproduction with CLAS12

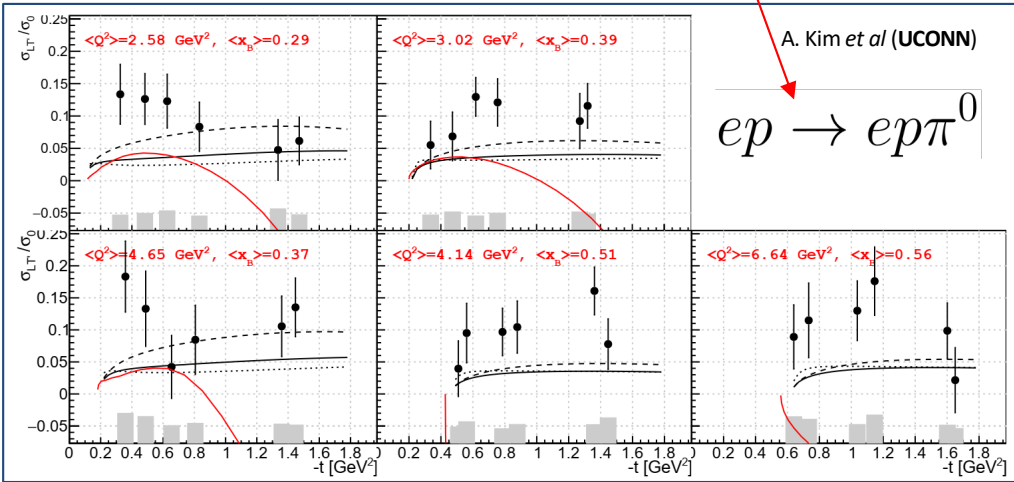
$$\frac{d^4\sigma}{dQ^2 dx_B d\phi dt} \propto \sigma_T + \epsilon\sigma_L + \epsilon\sigma_{TT} \cdot \cos(2\phi) + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} \cdot \sigma_{LT} \cdot \cos(\phi) + P_b \cdot \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} \cdot \sigma_{LT'} \cdot \sin(\phi)$$

$$\sigma_{LT'} = \xi \sqrt{1 - \xi^2} \frac{\sqrt{-t'}}{2m} \times \text{Im} \left[\langle H_T \rangle^* \langle \tilde{E} \rangle + \langle \tilde{E}_T \rangle^* \langle \tilde{H} \rangle \right]$$

E=10.6 GeV

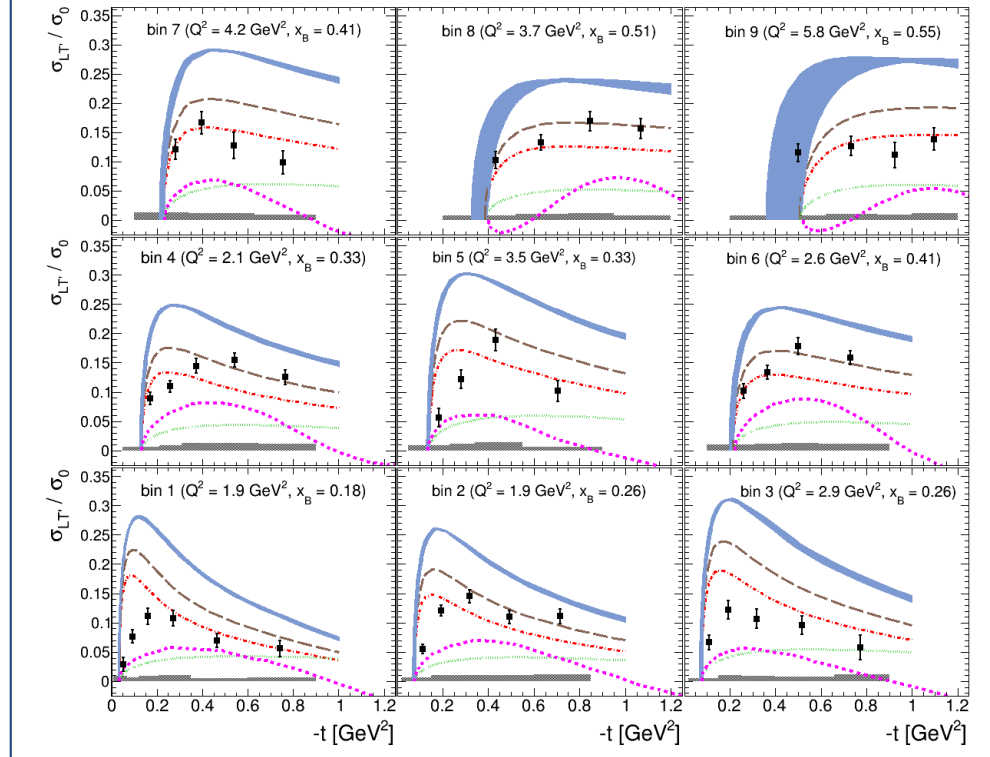
$ep \rightarrow en\pi^+$

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$ep \rightarrow ep\pi^0$



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— GK model
..... JML model

\tilde{E}_T is related to the proton's
anomalous tensor magnetic moment.

H_T is related to the proton's tensor charge.

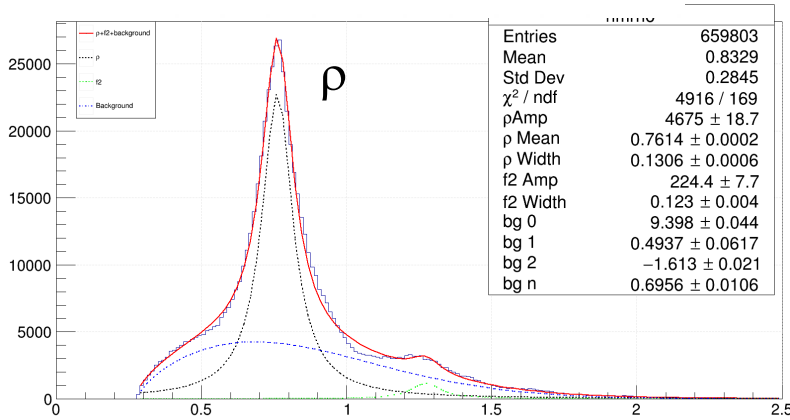
$$\kappa_T^u = \int dx \tilde{E}_T^u(x, \xi, t=0) \quad \delta_T^u = \int dx H_T^u(x, \xi, t=0)$$

$$\kappa_T^d = \int dx \tilde{E}_T^d(x, \xi, t=0) \quad \delta_T^d = \int dx H_T^d(x, \xi, t=0)$$

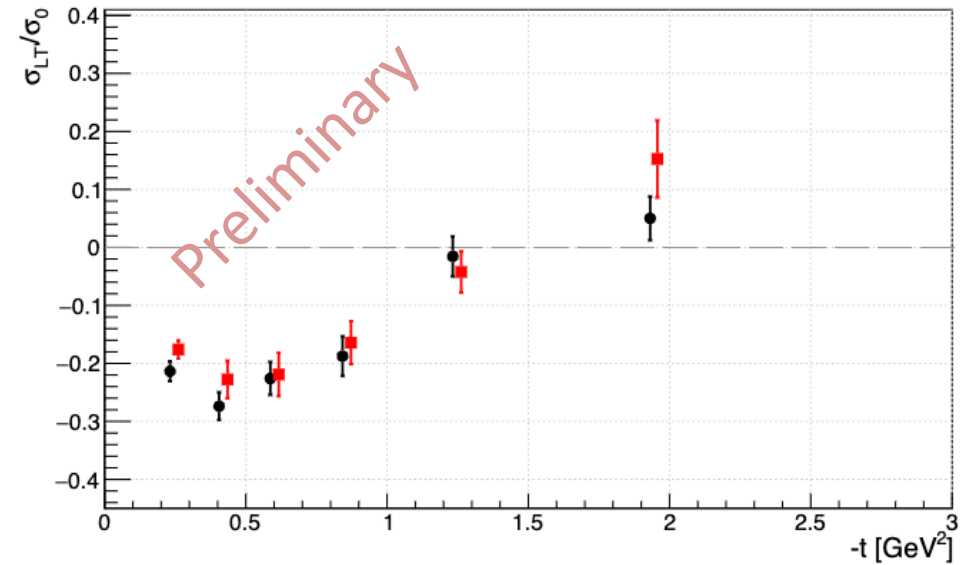
Exclusive ρ/ω production with CLAS12, $ep \rightarrow ep(\rho/\omega)$

$$\sigma_{LT'} \sim r_{00}^8 \sim \text{Im} \left[\langle H_T \rangle^* \langle E \rangle + \langle \bar{E}_T \rangle^* \langle H \rangle \right]$$

Invariant Mass: $\pi^+ + \pi^-$

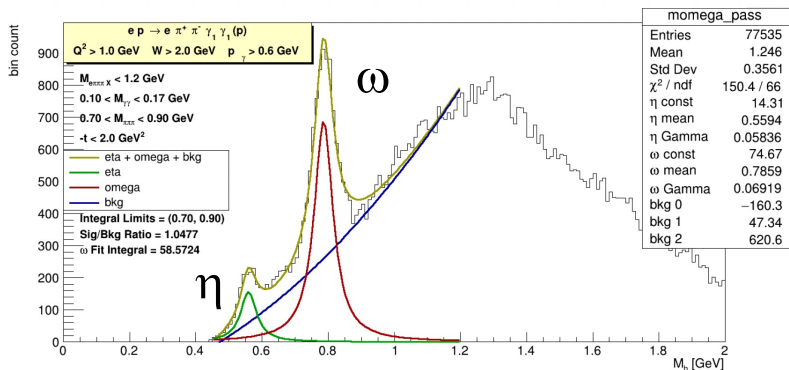


$ep \rightarrow ep\rho$

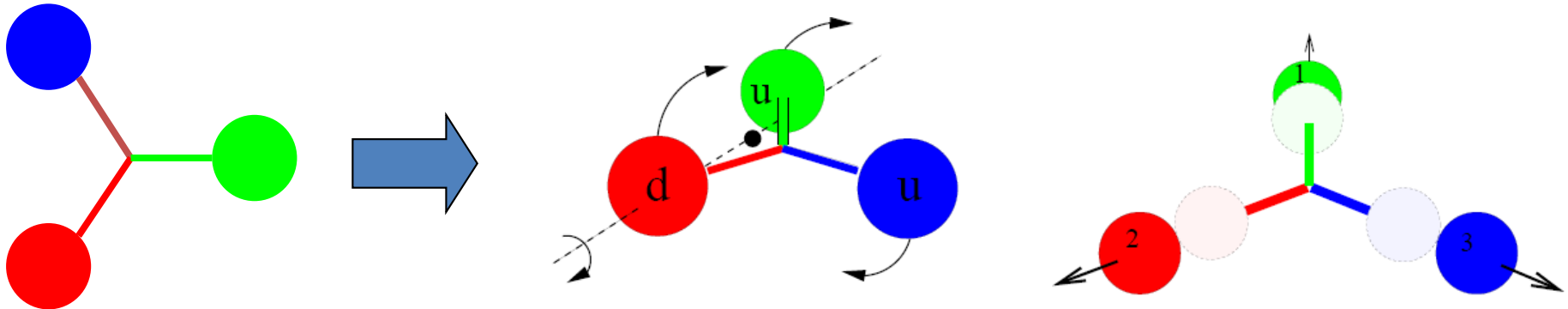


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Invariant Mass: $\pi^+ + \pi^- + \pi^0$



From the ground state nucleon to resonances



How does the excitation affect the 3D structure of the Nucleon?

→ Pressure distributions, tensor charge, ... of resonances?

Traditional way: Study of transition form factors (**2D picture** of transv. position)

3D picture of the excitation process: Encoded in **transition GPDs**

Simplest case: $N \rightarrow \Delta$ transition → **16 transition GPDs**

P. Kroll and K. Passek-Kumericki, *Phys. Rev. D* 107, 054009 (2023).

K. Semenov, M. Vanderhaeghen, arXiv:2303.00119 (2023).

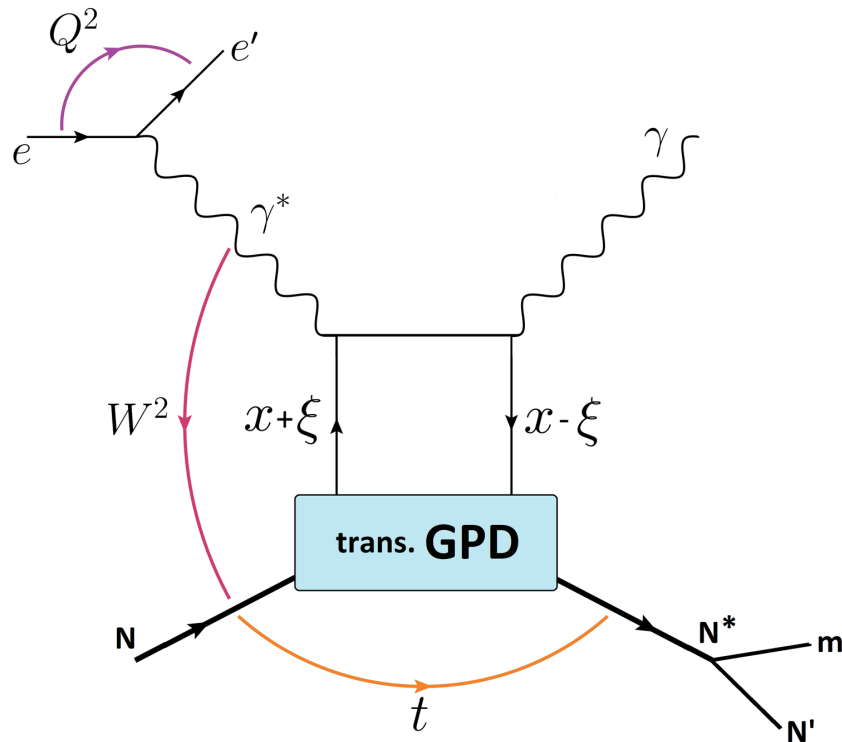
• **8 helicity non-flip transition GPDs (twist 2)**

- Related to the Jones-Scardon and Adler EM FF for the $N \rightarrow \Delta$ transition

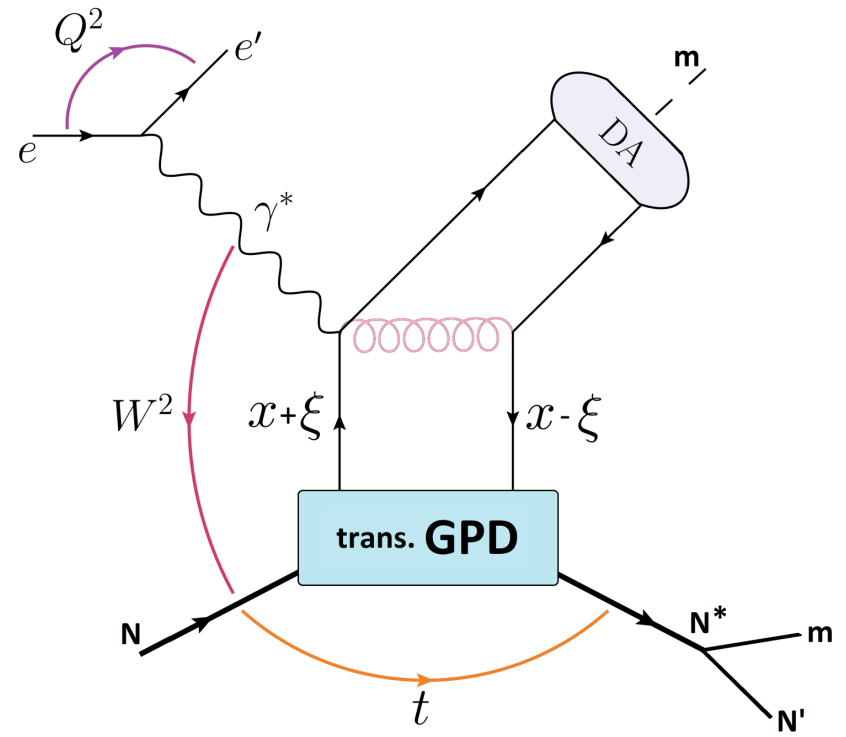
• **8 helicity flip transition GPDs (transversity)**

Transition GPDs

non-diagonal DVCS



non-diagonal DVMP

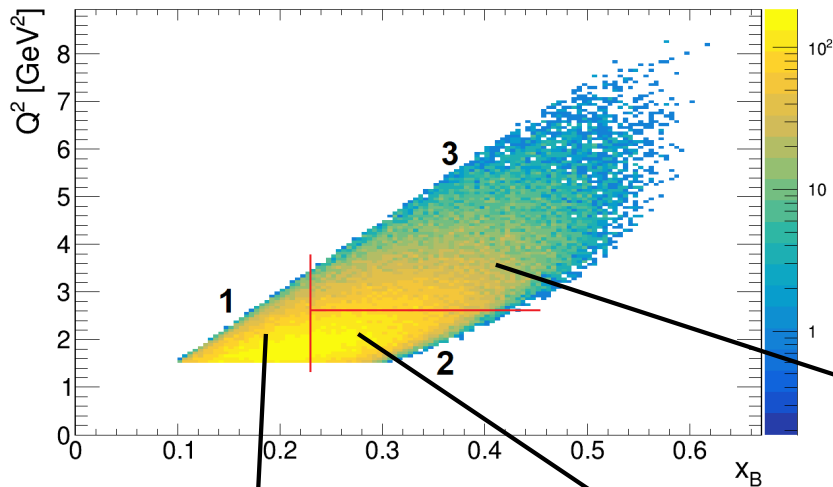


factorization expected for: $-t/Q^2$ small, $Q^2 > M_{N^*}^2$ x_B fixed

N- \rightarrow $\Delta(1232)$ transition GPDs: 8 twist-2 GPDs: 4 unpolarized, 4 polarized. [K. Semenov, M. Vanderhaeghen, arXiv:2303.00119 \(2023\)](https://arxiv.org/abs/2303.00119)

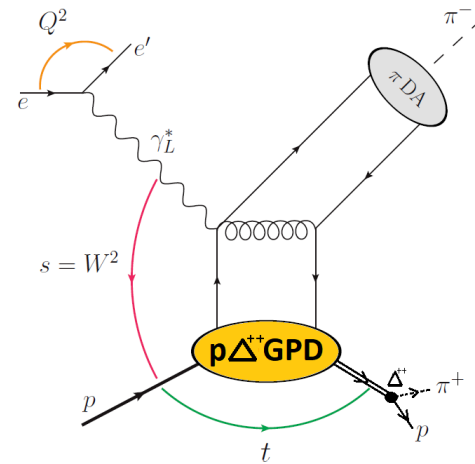
$N \rightarrow \Delta^{++}$ GPDs

$ep \rightarrow e\Delta^{++}\pi^- \rightarrow ep\pi^+\pi^-$



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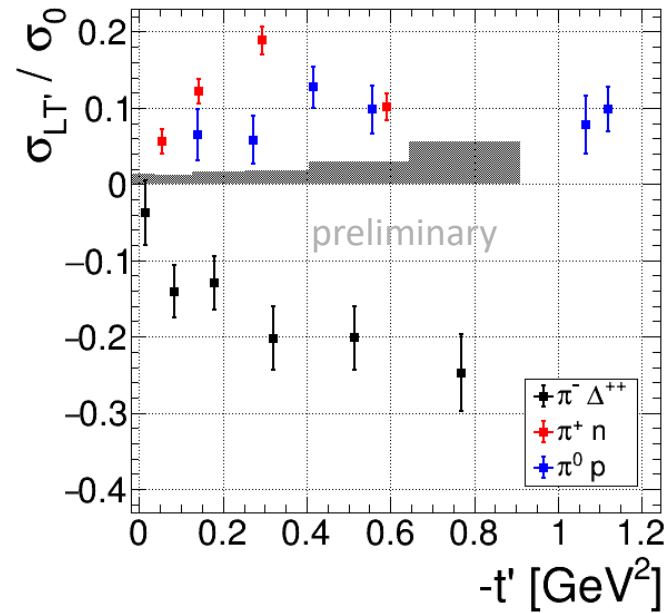
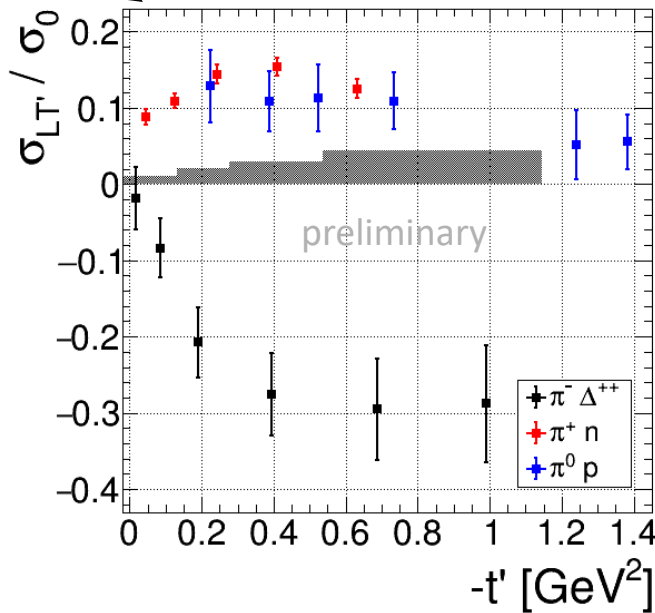
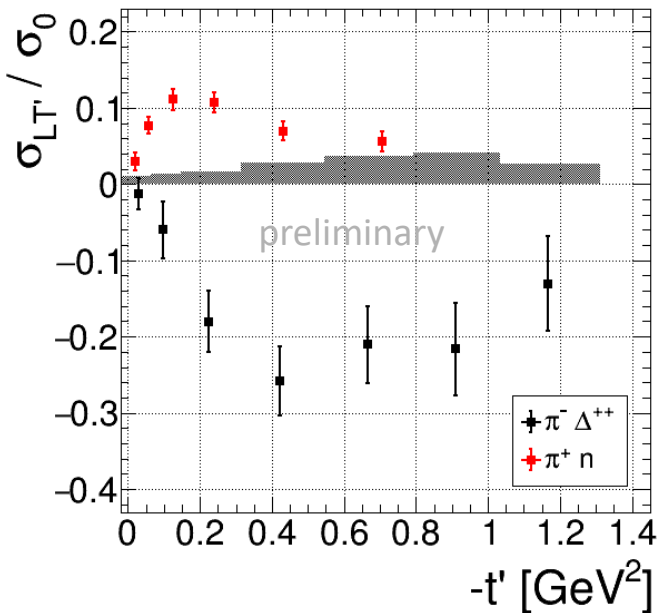
Provides access to
 p - Δ transition GPDs



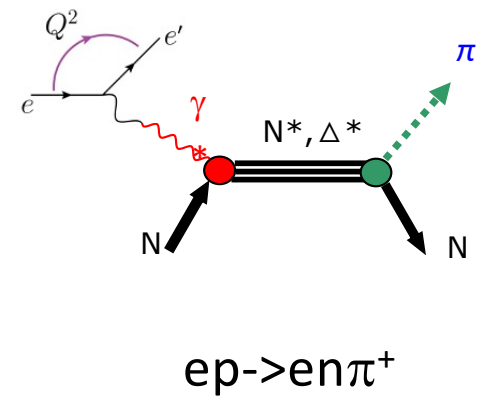
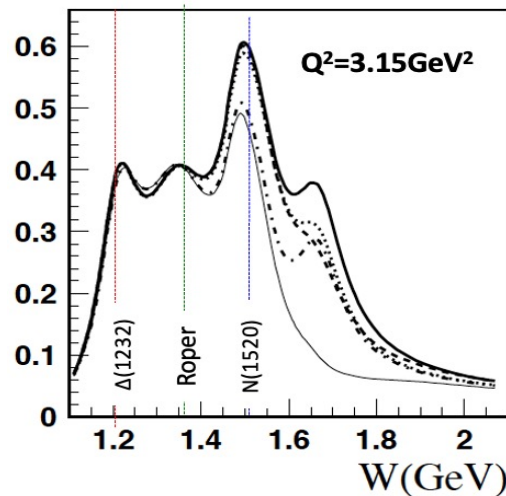
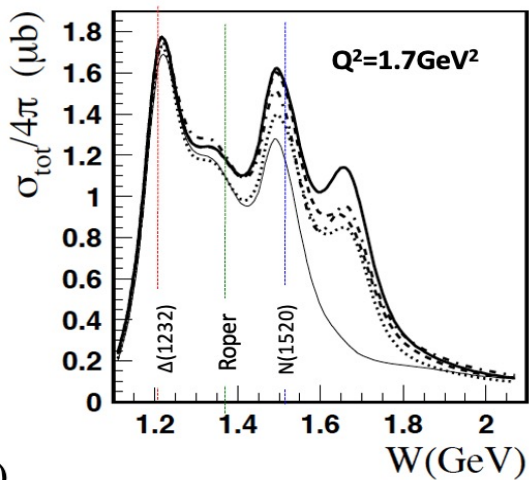
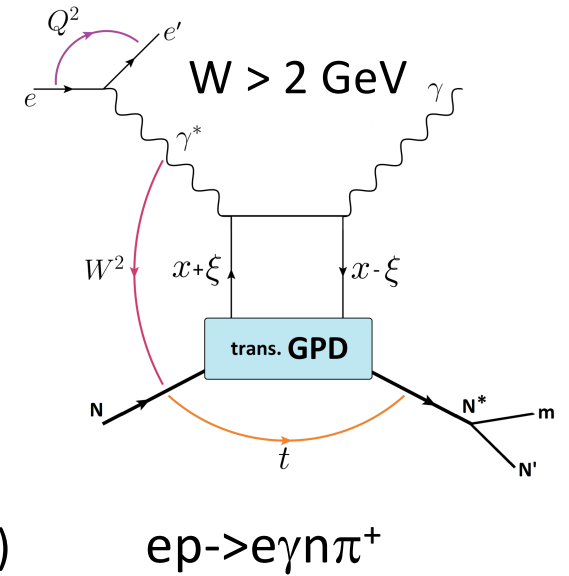
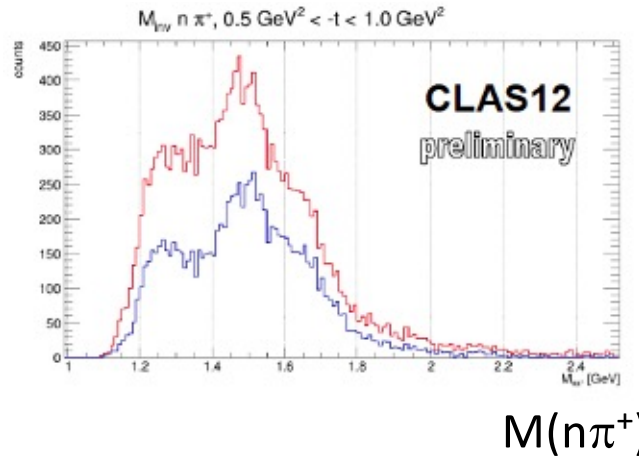
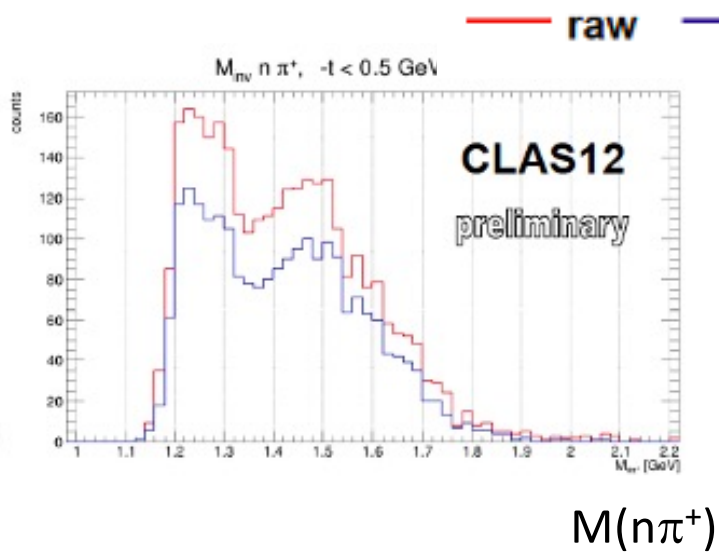
bin 1 ($\langle Q^2 \rangle = 1.95 \text{ GeV}^2$, $\langle x_B \rangle = 0.19$)

bin 2 ($\langle Q^2 \rangle = 2.11 \text{ GeV}^2$, $\langle x_B \rangle = 0.28$)

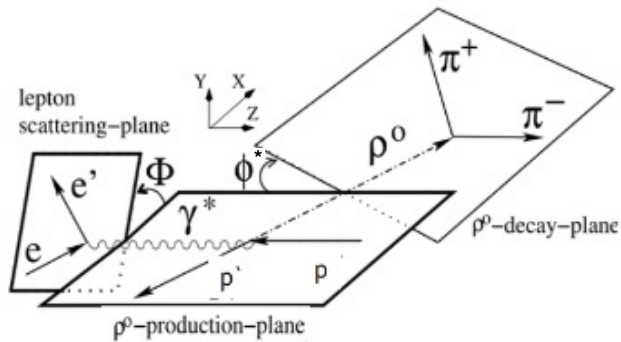
bin 3 ($\langle Q^2 \rangle = 3.38 \text{ GeV}^2$, $\langle x_B \rangle = 0.34$)



Non Diagonal DVCS $ep \rightarrow en\pi^+\gamma$



Electron Scattering Binning Scheme



Resonance Region

DIS Region

Inclusive Scattering

Q^2, W

Q^2, x_B

Exclusive Process ($\gamma, \pi, \rho, \phi, \dots$)

$Q^2, W, \cos\theta, \Phi$

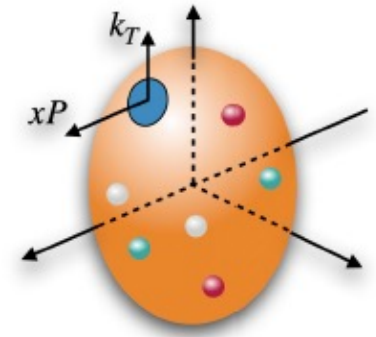
$Q^2, x_B, -t, \Phi$

Off-diagonal DVCS or DVMP

$Q^2, x_B, -t, \Phi, M_{\pi N}, \cos\theta^*, \phi^*$

Key Information from TMDs

- Complete momentum spectrum of single particle
- Transverse momentum size as function of x (3D map) at different Q^2
- Spin-Spin and Spin-Orbit Correlations of partons
- Information on parton orbital angular momentum (no direct model-independent relation)

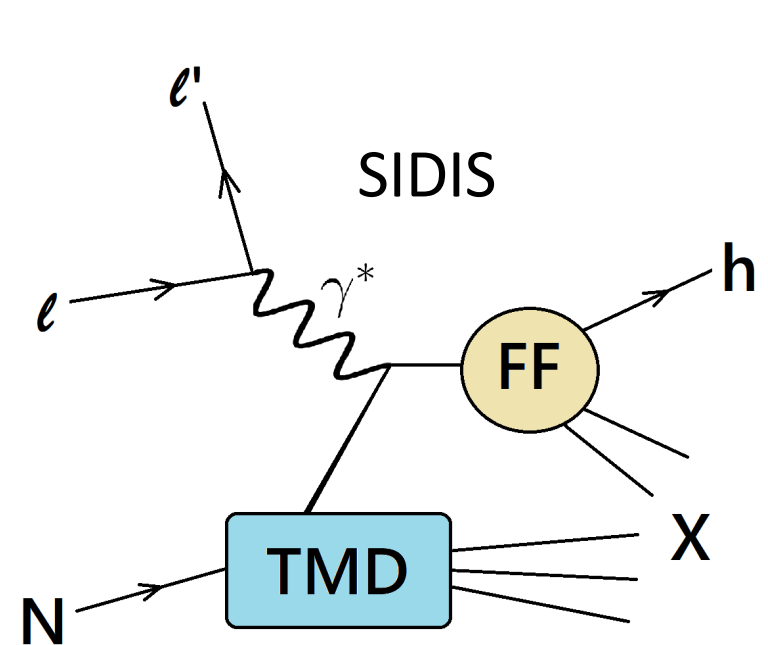


8 Leading TMDs

| | | quark pol. | | |
|--------------|---|------------|----------|-----------------|
| | | U | L | T |
| nucleon pol. | U | f_1 | | h_1^L |
| | L | | g_1 | h_{1L}^L |
| | T | f_{1T}^L | g_{1T} | h_1, h_{1T}^L |

Sivers

Boer-Mulder



TMDs in **black** survive integration over transverse momentum and reduce to the PDFs

TMDs in **blue** and **red** vanish if there is no quark orbital angular momentum

TMDs in **red** are time-reversal odd

SIDIS with a Longitudinally Polarized Beam and an Unpolarized Target

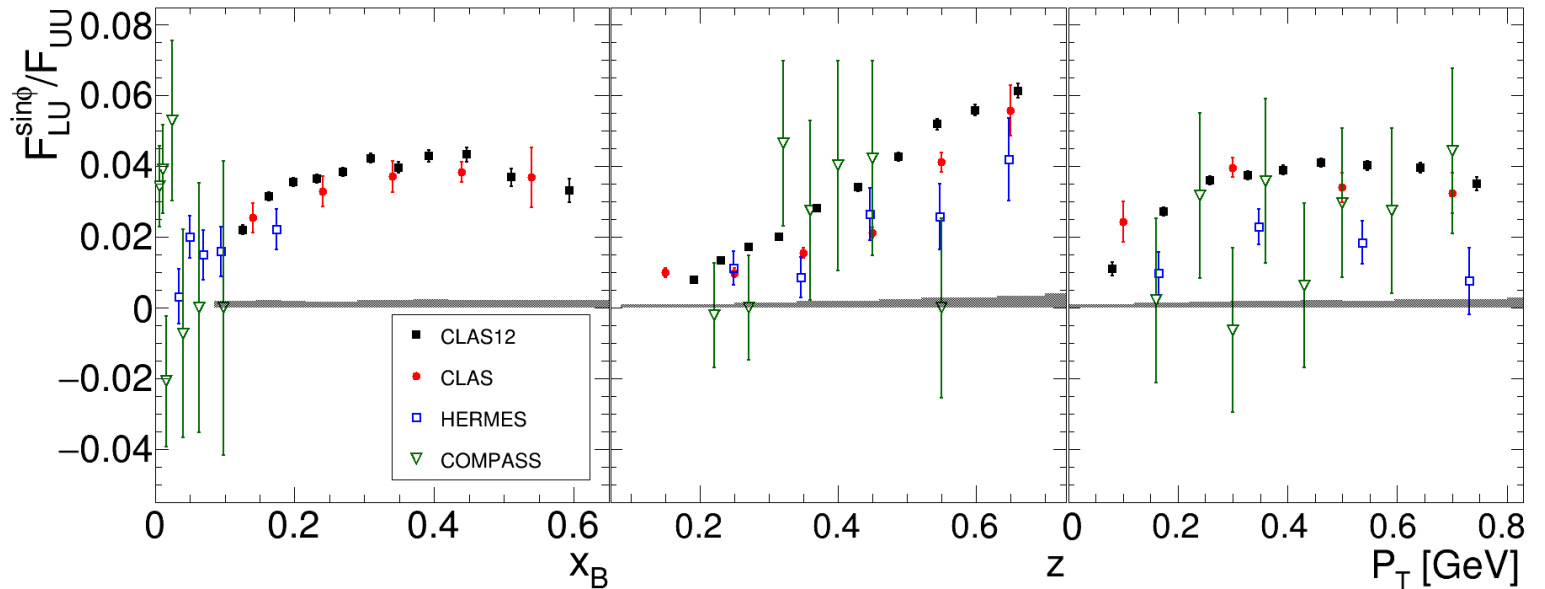
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx dQ^2 dz dP_{h\perp}^2 d\phi_h} \sim F_{UU,T} + \epsilon F_{UU,L} + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} \cos\phi_h F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} + \epsilon \cos 2\phi_h F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} + \lambda_e \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} \sin\phi_h F_{LU}^{\sin\phi_h}$$

$$F_{LU}^{\sin\phi} = \frac{2M}{Q} \mathcal{C} \left(-\frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{k}_T}{M_h} \left(x e H_1^\perp + \frac{M_h}{M} f_1 \frac{\tilde{G}^\perp}{z} \right) + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_T}{M} \left(x g^\perp D_1 + \frac{M_h}{M} h_1^\perp \frac{\tilde{E}}{z} \right) \right)$$

twist-3 pdf Collins FF unpolarized dist. function twist-3 FF twist-3 t-odd dist. function Boer-Mulders twist-3 FF

→ TMDs and Fragmentation functions

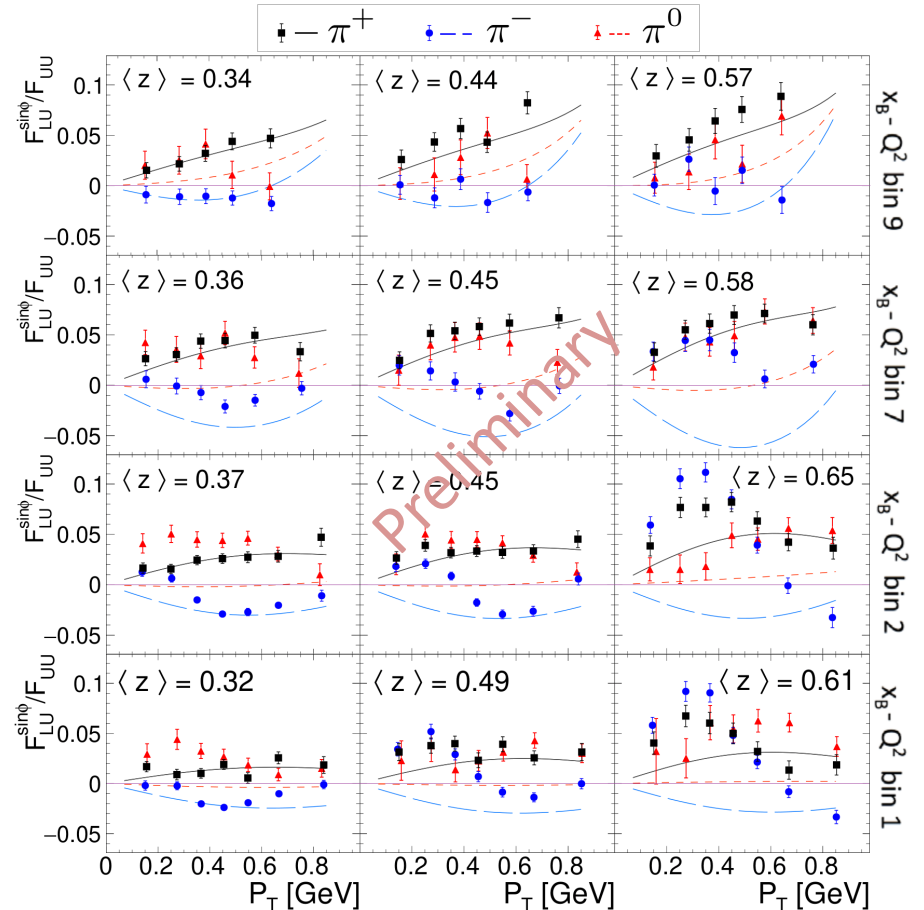
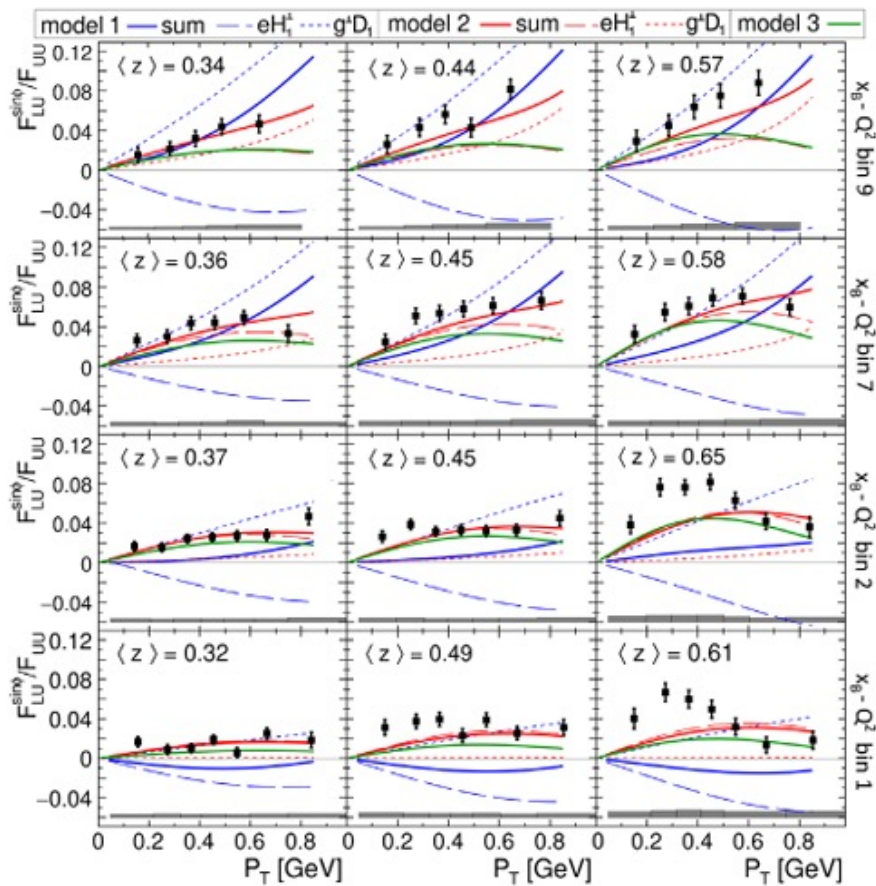
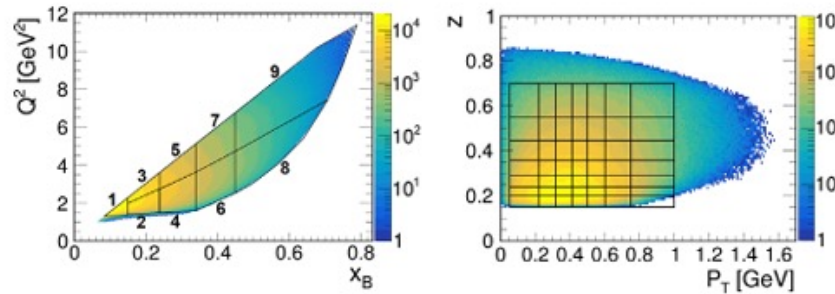
$e\pi^+\chi$



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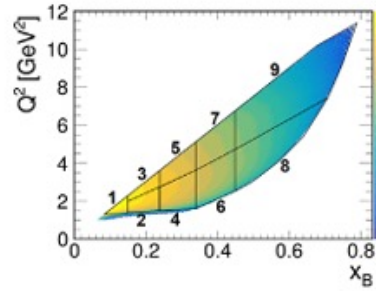
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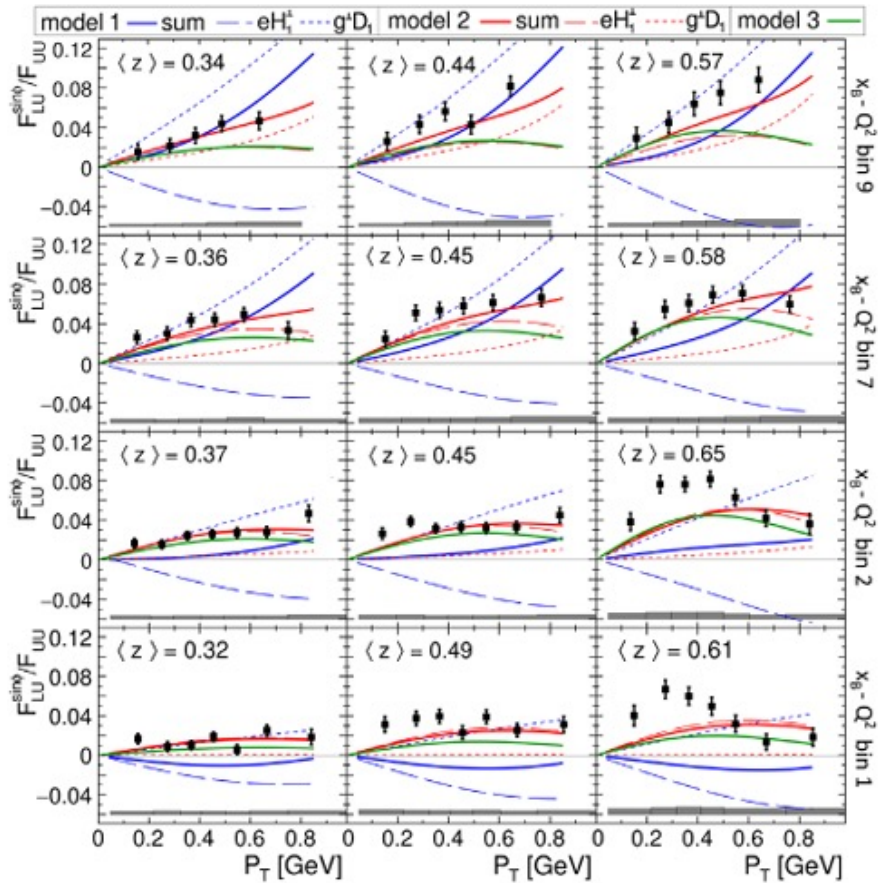
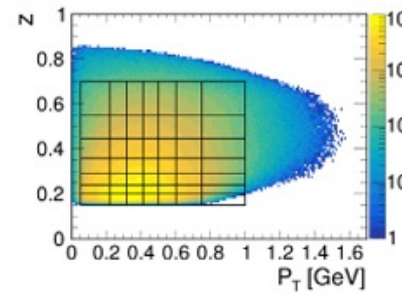
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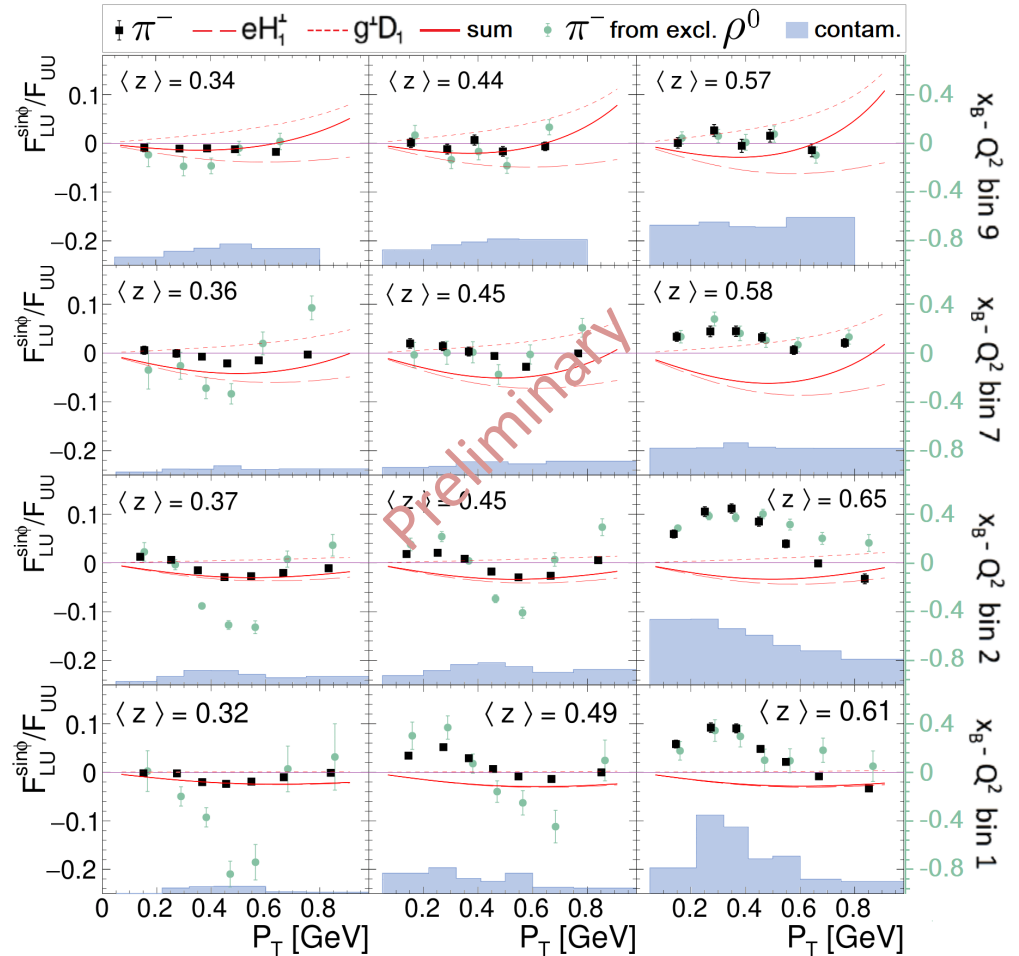
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SIDIS Cross-Section and Boer-Mulders

The lepton-hadron Unpolarized SIDIS Cross-Section:

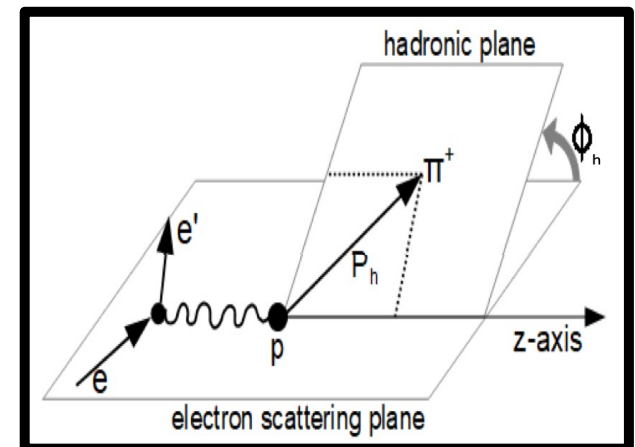
$$\frac{d^5\sigma}{dx dQ^2 dz d\phi_h dP_{h\perp}^2} = \underbrace{\frac{2\pi\alpha^2}{xyQ^2} \frac{y^2}{2(1-\epsilon)} \left(1 + \frac{\gamma^2}{2x}\right) (F_{UU,T} + \epsilon F_{UU,L})}_{A_0} \left\{ 1 + \underbrace{\frac{\sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h}}{(F_{UU,T} + \epsilon F_{UU,L})}}_{A_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h}} \cos\phi_h + \underbrace{\frac{\epsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h}}{(F_{UU,T} + \epsilon F_{UU,L})}}_{A_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h}} \cos 2\phi_h \right\}$$

The Boer-Mulders and Cahn effects are present in the Structure Functions:

$$\text{leading twist } F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \propto C \left[\frac{2(\hat{P}_{h\perp} \cdot \vec{k}_T)(\hat{P}_{h\perp} \cdot \vec{p}_T) - \vec{k}_T \cdot \vec{p}_T}{MM_h} h_1^\perp H_1^\perp + \dots \right]$$

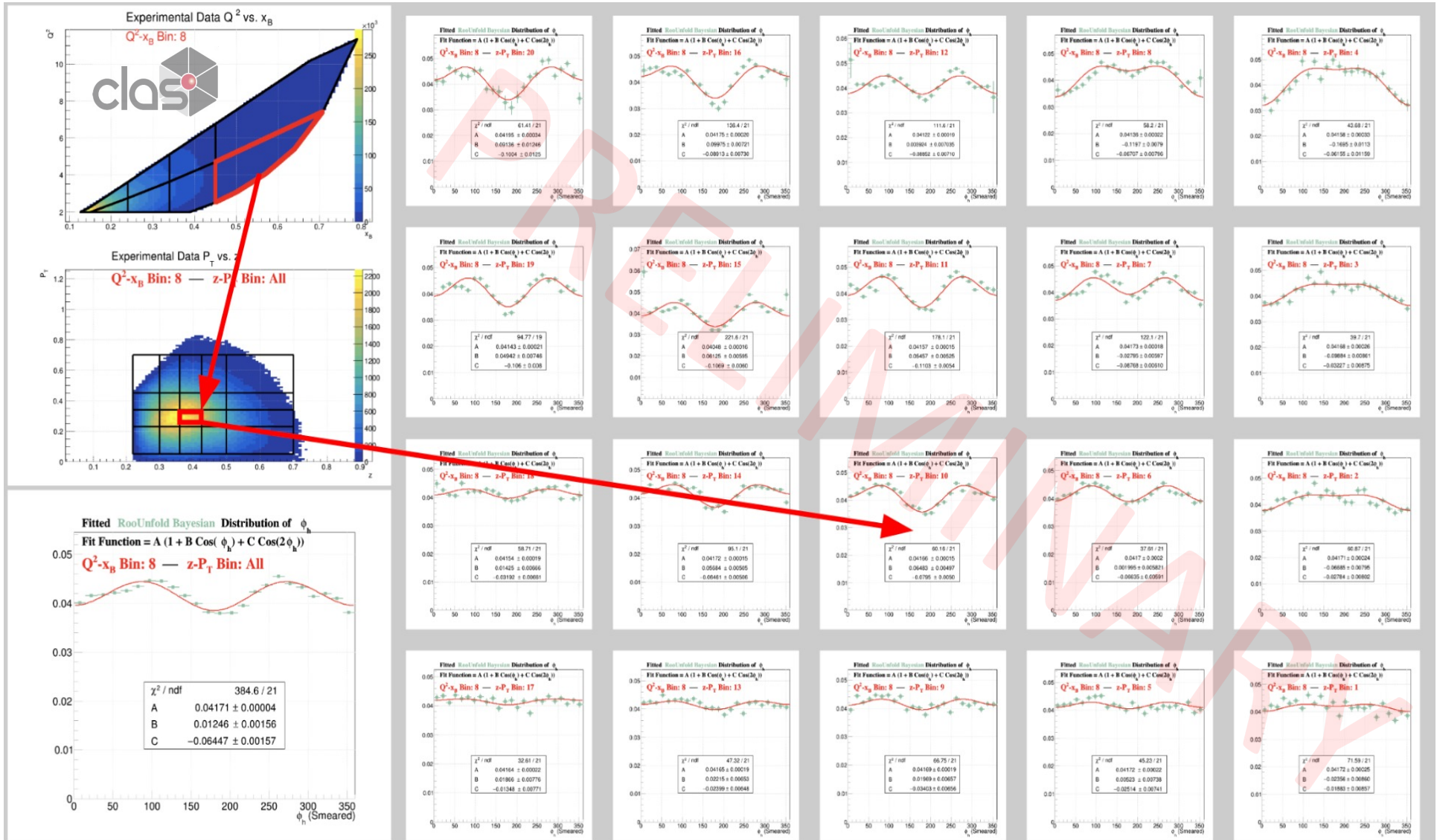
$$\text{next to leading twist } F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} \propto \frac{2M}{Q} C \left[\frac{\hat{P}_{h\perp} \cdot \vec{k}_T}{M_h} x h H_1^\perp - \frac{\hat{P}_{h\perp} \cdot \vec{p}_T}{M} f_1 D_1 + \dots \right]$$

BOER-MULDERS EFFECT (blue arrow pointing to the first term in the leading twist equation)
 CAHN EFFECT (red arrow pointing to the second term in the leading twist equation)
 Interaction dependent terms neglected (black arrow pointing to the ellipsis in the next to leading twist equation)

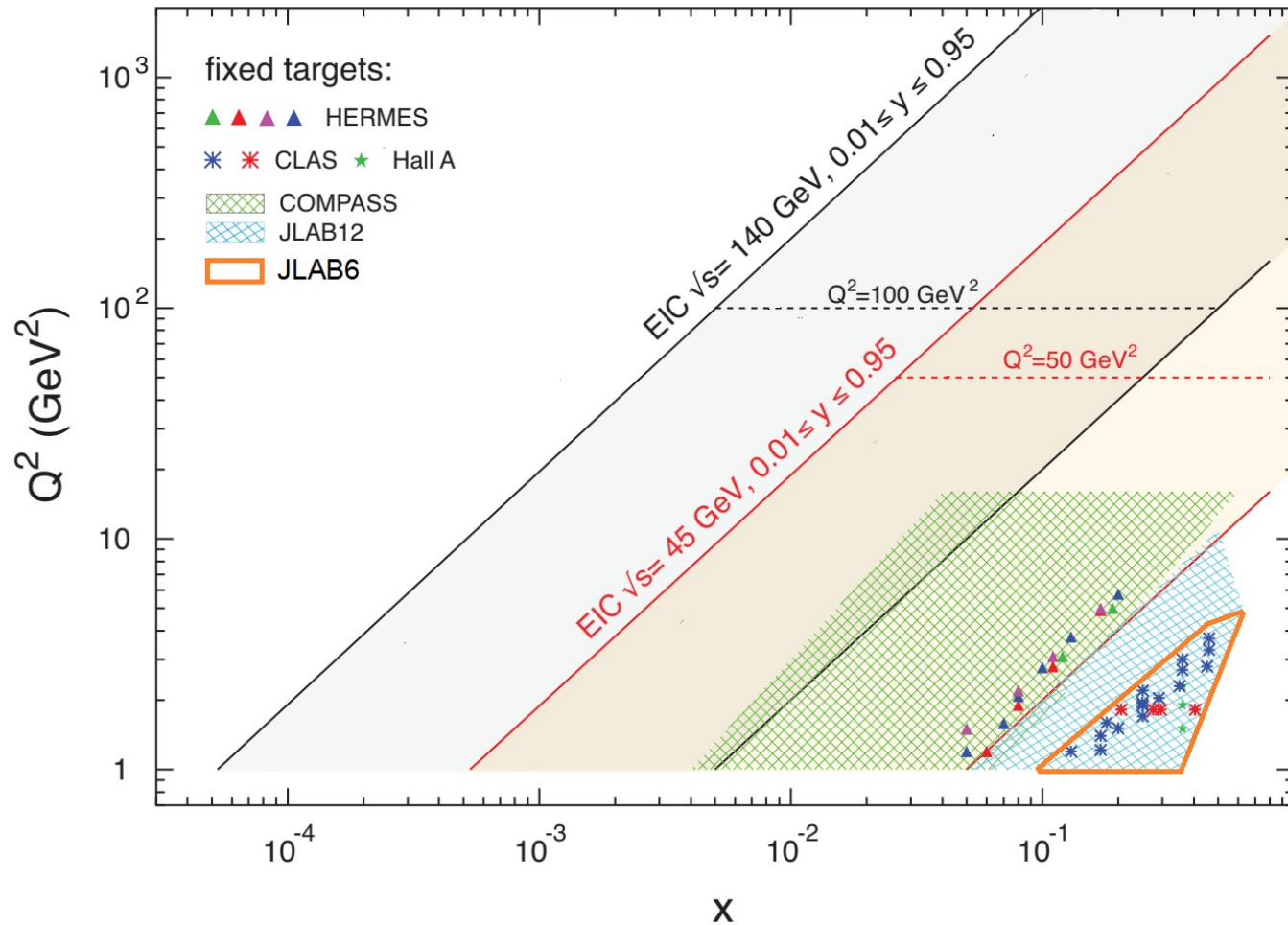


Example of Unfolding Procedure (5-fold)

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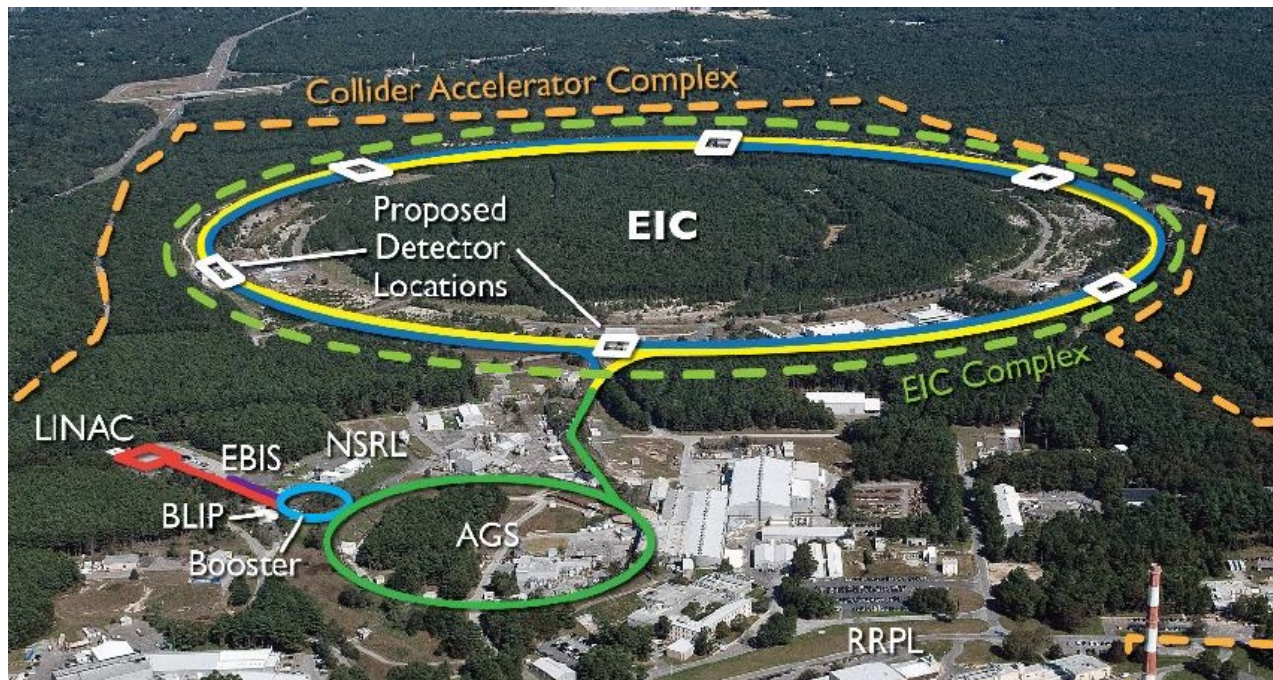


From CLAS to JLAB to COMPASS to EIC



➔ DVMP/SIDIS at JLab 12 GeV / COMPASS and EIC

Electron Ion Collider at BNL



For e-N collisions at the EIC:

- ✓ Polarized beams: e, p, d/³He
- ✓ e beam 5-10(20) GeV
- ✓ Luminosity $L_{ep} \sim 10^{33-34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{sec}^{-1}$
100-1000 times HERA
- ✓ 20-100 (140) GeV Variable CoM

For e-A collisions at the EIC:

- ✓ Wide range in nuclei
- ✓ Luminosity per nucleon same as e-p
- ✓ Variable center of mass energy

World's first

Polarized electron-proton/light ion
and electron-Nucleus collider

Conclusion and Outlook

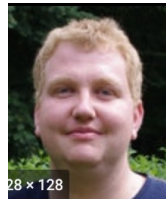
- GPDs and TMDs provide a unifying framework to study the 3-D quark and gluon structure of the nucleon
- 3-D imaging of nucleons uncovers the rich dynamics of QCD.
- CLAS12 allows high precision measurements of TMDs and GPDs with large kinematic coverages in the valence quark regime!
- The COMPASS, J-PARC, PANDA, EIC and other experiments will allow us a full picture of the 3D structure of the nucleon.

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