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## Analysis of world polarized DIS & SIDIS data with small- $x$ , Large $N_c$ & $N_f$ helicity evolution

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In order to solve the proton spin problem, the small- $x$  asymptotics of the helicity parton distribution functions (hPDFs) need to be understood. New theory has been developed for the small- $x$  evolution of these hPDFs, able to extrapolate the small- $x$  behaviour of the quark and gluon hPDFs. At large  $N_c$  &  $N_f$ , these evolution equations close and are amenable to numerical computation. In this talk we will present the phenomenological analysis of this theory by describing the world data on the  $g_1$  and  $g_1^h$  structure functions within the JAM global analysis framework. Beyond this, we investigate the qualitative behaviour of the quark and gluon hPDFs and the challenges involved with measuring them.

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