

# Artificial neural network modelling of GPDs

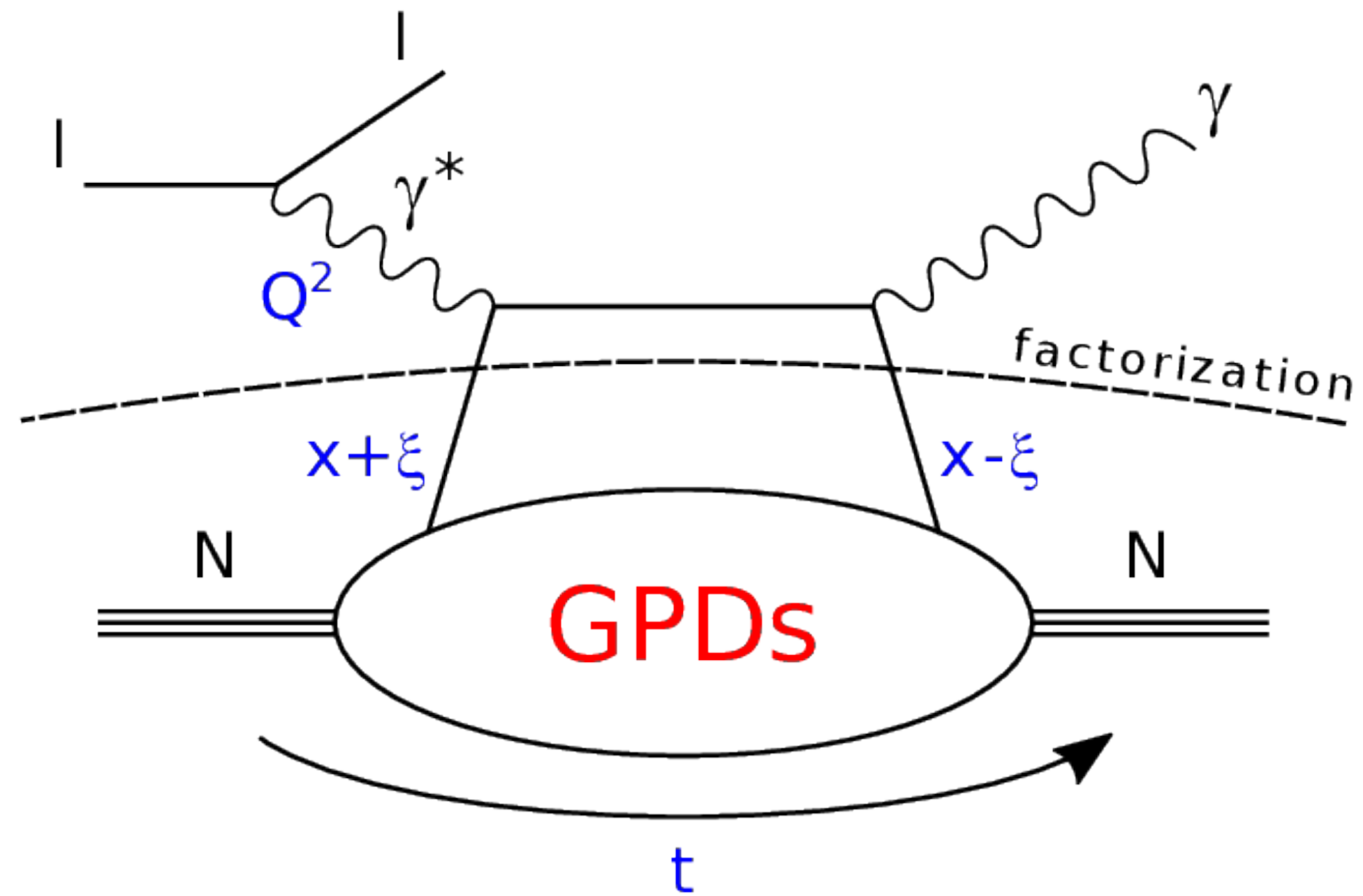


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## Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering (DVCS)



*factorisation for  $|t|/Q^2 \ll 1$*

Chiral-even GPDs:  
(helicity of parton conserved)

$H^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	$E^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	<i>for sum over parton helicities</i>
$\tilde{H}^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	$\tilde{E}^{q,g}(x, \xi, t)$	<i>for difference over parton helicities</i>
<i>nucleon helicity conserved</i>	<i>nucleon helicity changed</i>	

**Reduction to PDF:**

$$H(x, \xi = 0, t = 0) \equiv q(x)$$

**Polynomiality - non-trivial consequence of Lorentz invariance:**

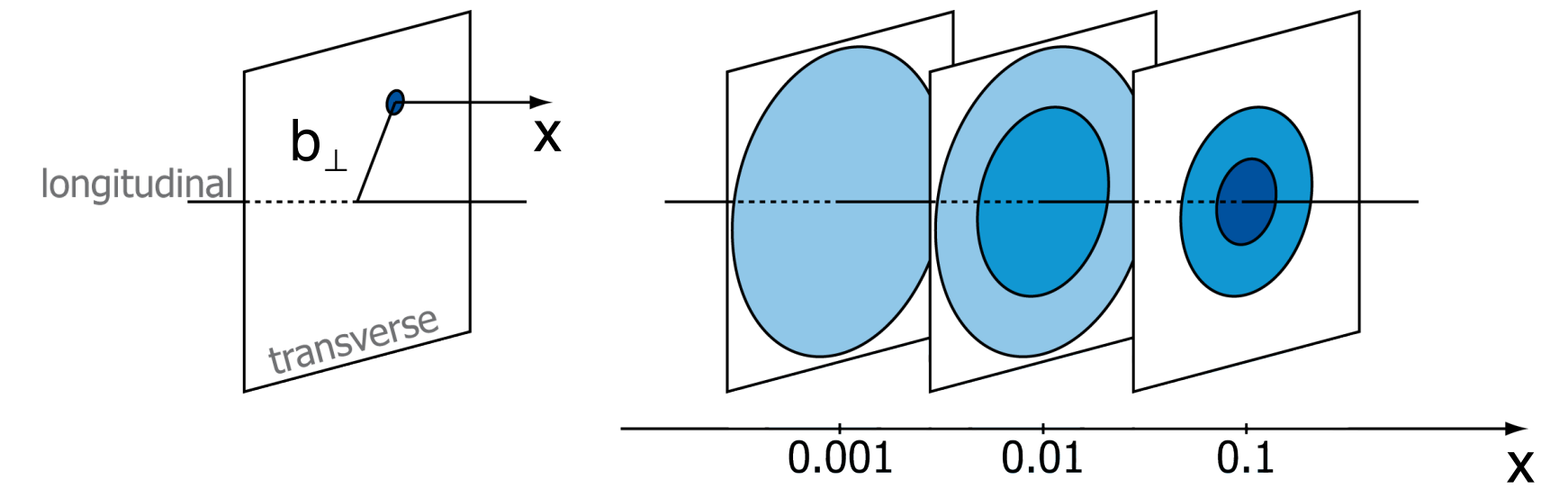
$$A_n(\xi, t) = \int_{-1}^1 dx x^n H(x, \xi, t) = \sum_{\substack{j=0 \\ \text{even}}}^n \xi^j A_{n,j}(t) + \text{mod}(n, 2) \xi^{n+1} A_{n,n+1}(t)$$

**Positivity bounds - positivity of norm in Hilbert space, e.g.:**

$$|H(x, \xi, t)| \leq \sqrt{q\left(\frac{x+\xi}{1+\xi}\right) q\left(\frac{x-\xi}{1-\xi}\right) \frac{1}{1-\xi^2}}$$

## Nucleon tomography:

$$q(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \Delta}{4\pi^2} e^{-i\mathbf{b}_\perp \cdot \Delta} H^q(x, 0, t = -\Delta^2)$$



## Energy momentum tensor in terms of form factors (OAM and mechanical forces):

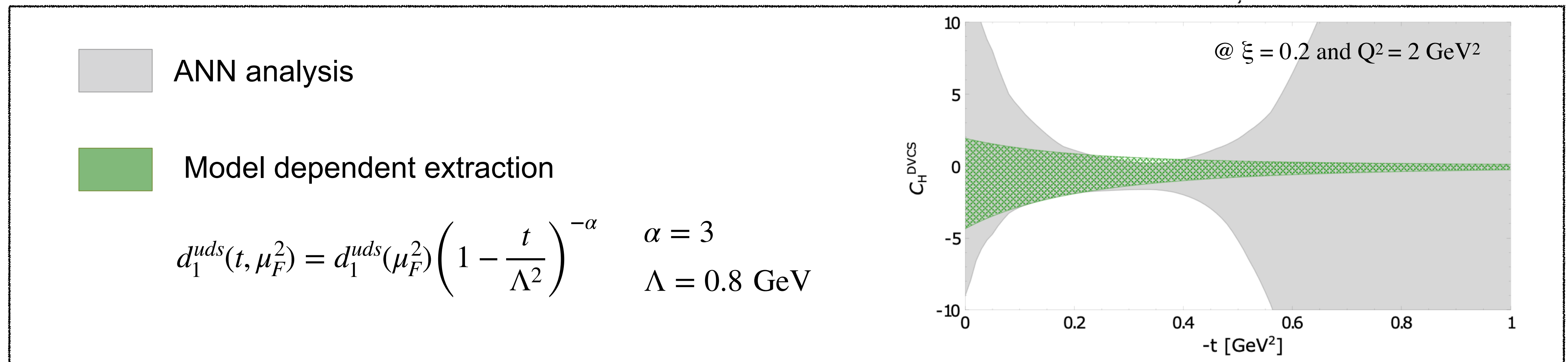
$$T^{\mu\nu} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Energy density } T^{00} & \text{Momentum density } T^{01} & T^{02} & T^{03} \\ T^{10} & T^{11} & T^{12} & T^{13} \\ T^{20} & T^{21} & T^{22} & T^{23} \\ T^{30} & T^{31} & T^{32} & T^{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Shear stress  
Normal stress

Energy flux      Momentum flux

$$\langle p', s' | \hat{T}^{\mu\nu} | p, s \rangle = \bar{u}(p', s') \left[ \frac{P^\mu P^\nu}{M} A(t) + \frac{\Delta^\mu \Delta^\nu - \eta^{\mu\nu} \Delta^2}{M} C(t) + M \eta^{\mu\nu} \bar{C}(t) + \frac{P^\mu i\sigma^{\nu\lambda} \Delta_\lambda}{4M} [A(t) + B(t) + D(t)] + \frac{P^\nu i\sigma^{\mu\lambda} \Delta_\lambda}{4M} [A(t) + B(t) - D(t)] \right] u(p, s)$$

- Despite a substantial progress in both measurement and description of exclusive processes, and in lattice-QCD the problem of the model dependency of GPDs is still poorly addressed.
- Exceptions:
  - probing nucleon tomography at low-xB
  - extraction of D-term (see: [Nature 570 \(2019\) 7759, E1](#), [EPJC 81 \(2021\) 4, 300 and below](#))



- No GPD models that could be considered non-parametric → no tools to study model dependency of the extraction of GPDs, nucleon tomography and orbital angular momentum



- This talk is based on: [EPJC 82 \(2022\) 3, 252](#)

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## Artificial neural network modelling of generalised parton distributions

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- Modelling in  $(x, \xi)$ -space will be presented
- Then, modelling in  $(\beta, \alpha)$ -space will be presented
- $t$ -dependance neglected, but can be easily added

**Polynomiality:**

$$\mathcal{A}_n(\xi) = \int_{-1}^1 dx x^n H(x, \xi) = \sum_{\substack{j=0 \\ \text{even}}}^n \xi^j A_{n,j} + \text{mod}(n, 2) \xi^{n+1} A_{n,n+1}$$

**Let us express GPD by:**

$$H^N(x, \xi) = \sum_{\substack{j=0 \\ \text{even}}}^N f_j(x) \xi^j$$

*only even j as there is no odd power of  $\xi$  in polynomiality expansion*

**Support:**

$$f_j(-1) = f_j(1) = 0$$

*we want GPDs to vanish at  $|x| = 1$*

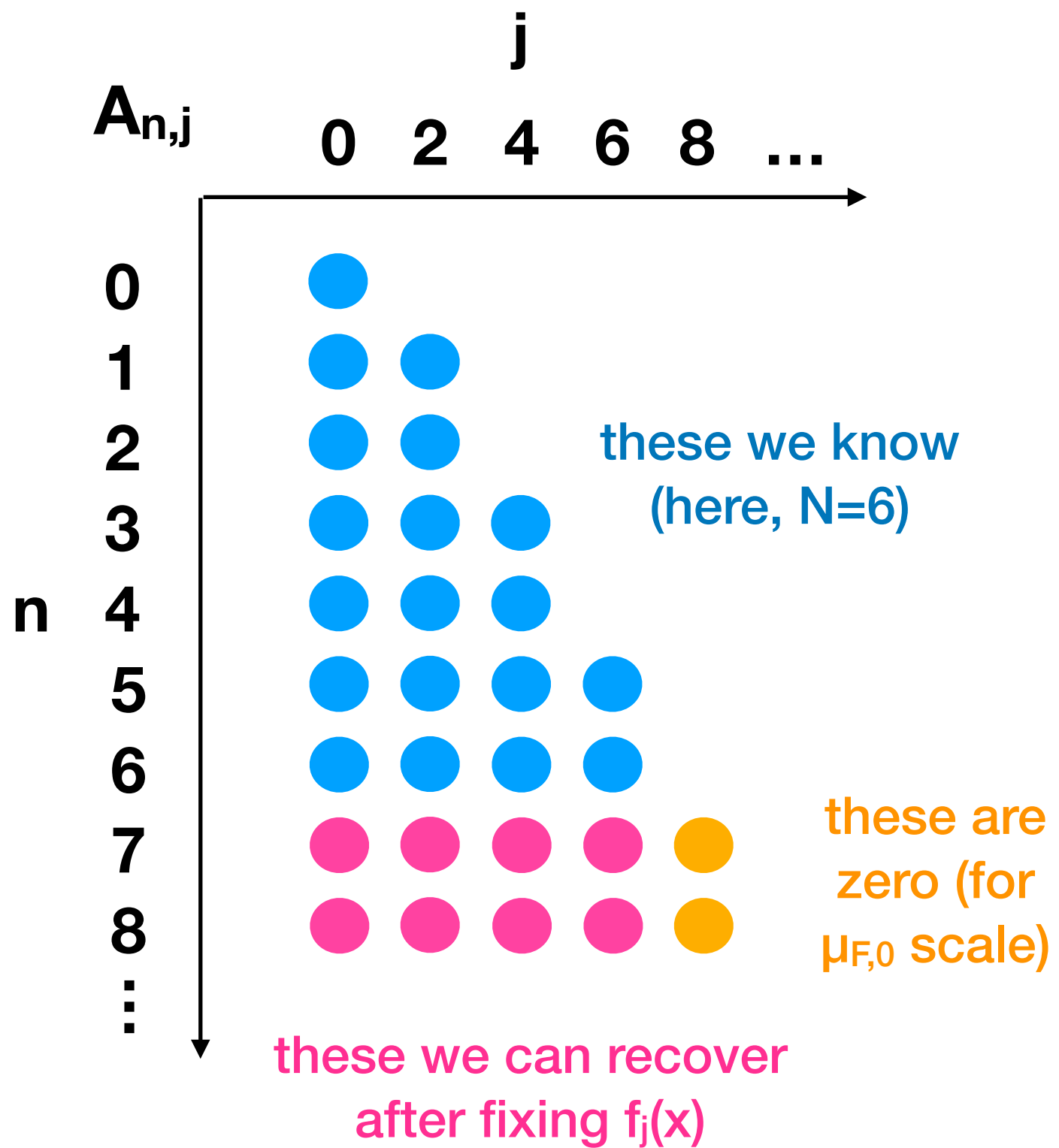
**Mellin coefficients:**

$$A_{n,j} = \int_{-1}^1 dx x^n f_j(x)$$

*choice of  $f_j(x)$  functional form is arbitrary*

**where e.g.:**

$$A_{0,2} = \int_{-1}^1 dx f_0(x) = 0$$



**Polynomial basis:** This basis leads to Dual Parameterisation → M. Polyakov, A. Shuvaev, hep-ph/0207153

Any attempt of describing GPDs by orthogonal polynomials will lead to this basis

$$f_j(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{N+2} w_{i,j} x^i$$

*GPD will be expressed by sum of monomials  $x^i \xi^j$*

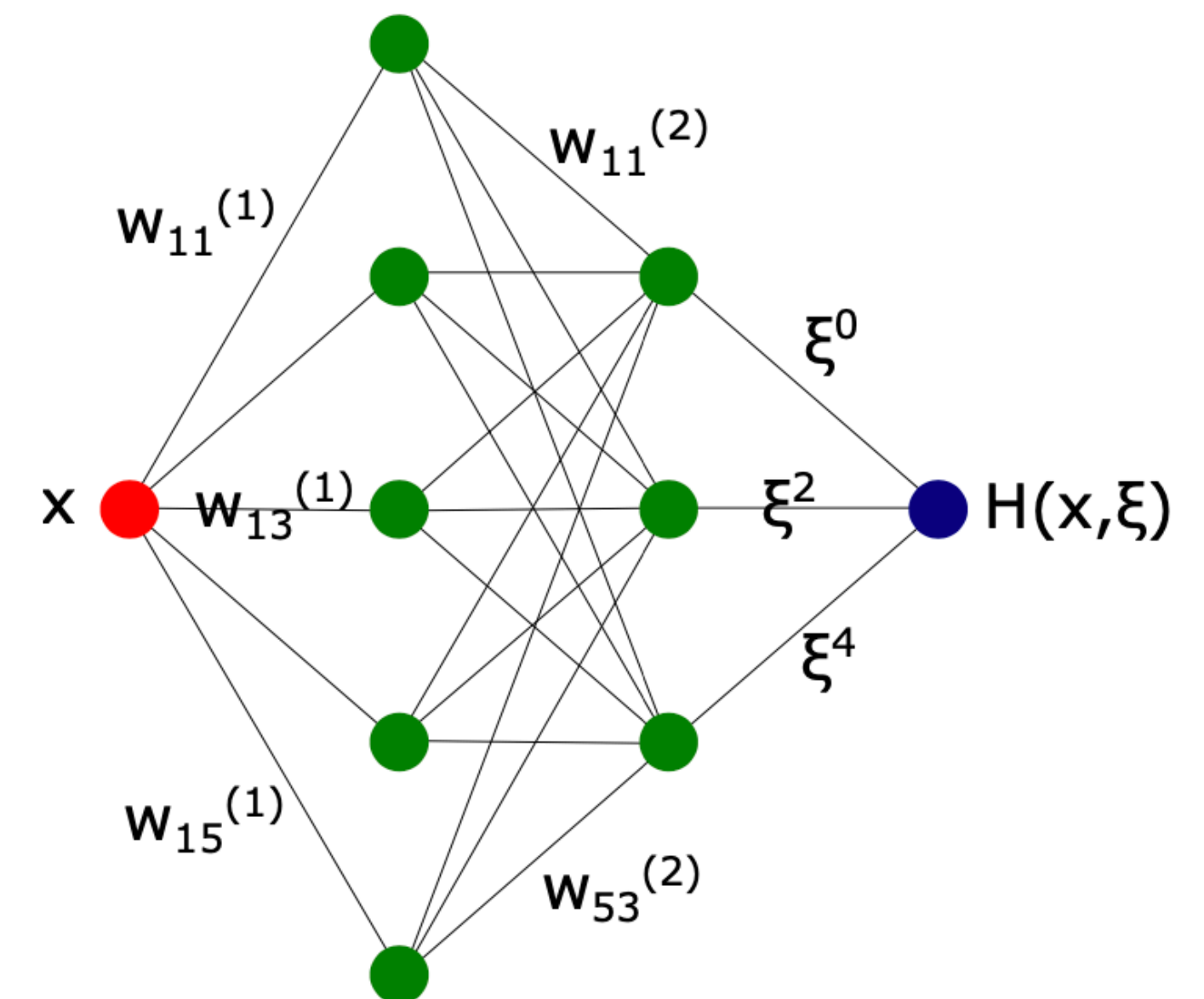
**ANN basis:**

New!

We can describe GPD by a single ANN

$$f_j(x) = \text{ANN}_j(x)$$

*GPD will be expressed by sum of ANNs multiplied by  $\xi^j$*





**Test model**  
(see e.g.: hep-ph/2110.06052):

$$H_\pi(x, \xi) =$$

$$\Theta(x - |\xi|) \frac{30(1-x)^2(x^2 - \xi^2)}{(1 - \xi^2)^2} +$$

$$\Theta(|\xi| - |x|) \frac{15(1-x)(\xi^2 - x^2)(x + 2x\xi + \xi^2)}{2\xi^3(1 + \xi)^2}$$

**Polynomial basis**

**ANN basis - sigmoid**

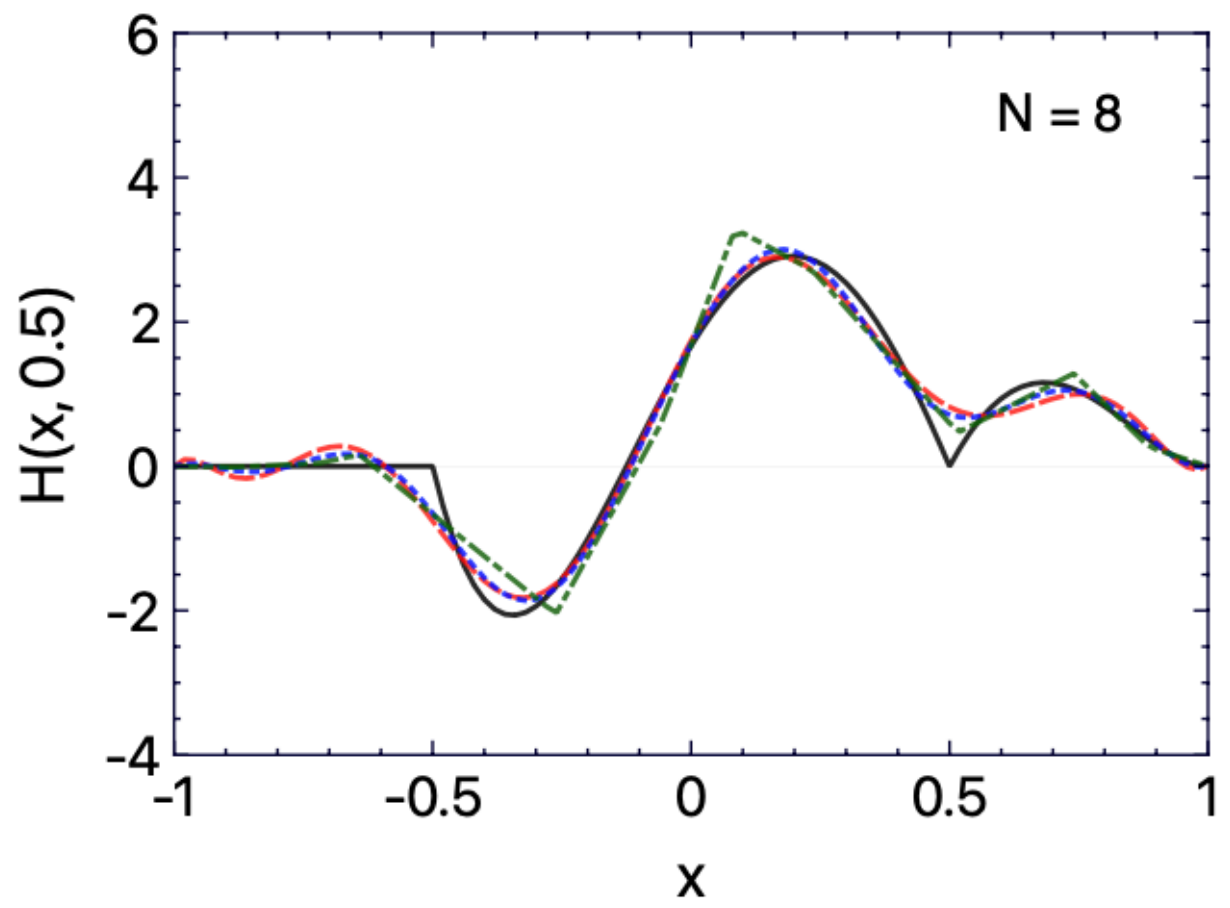
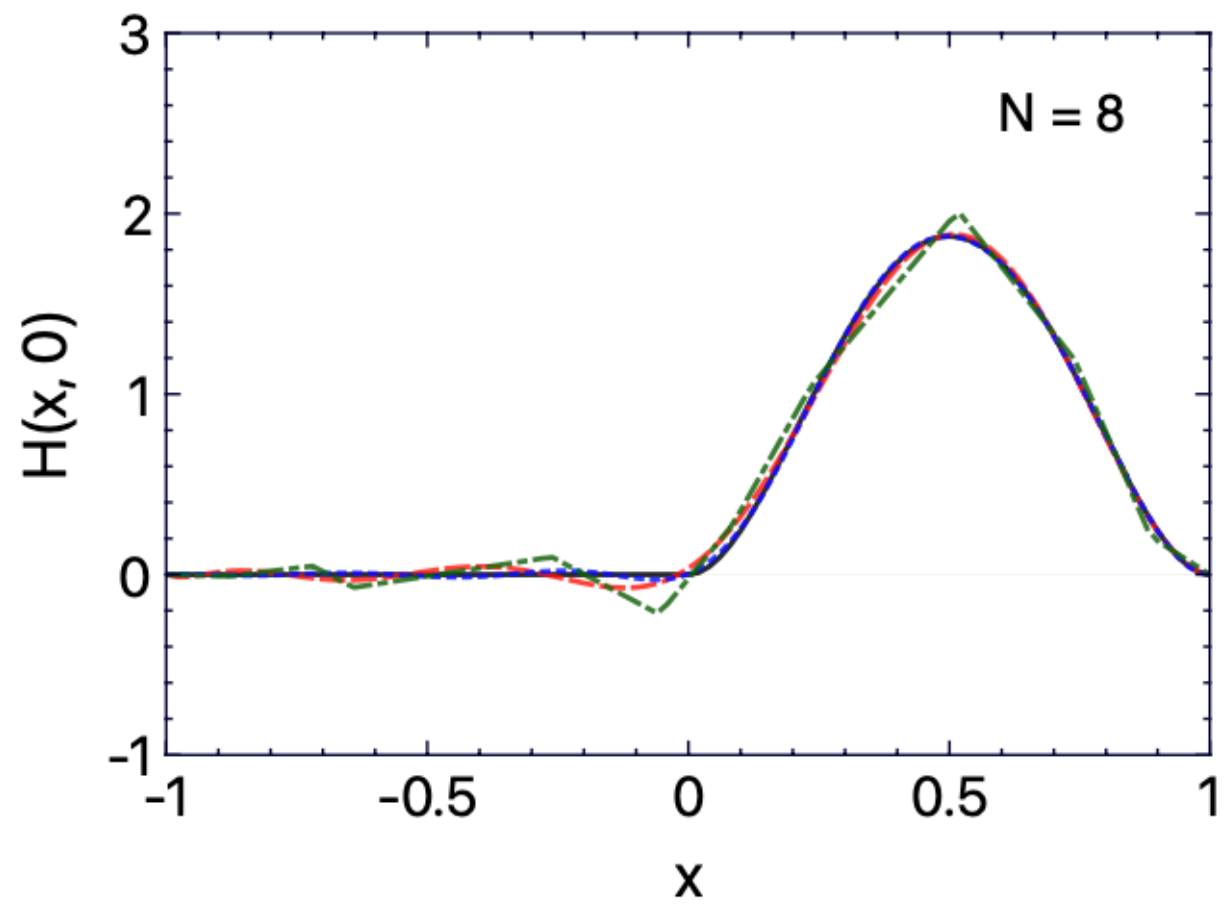
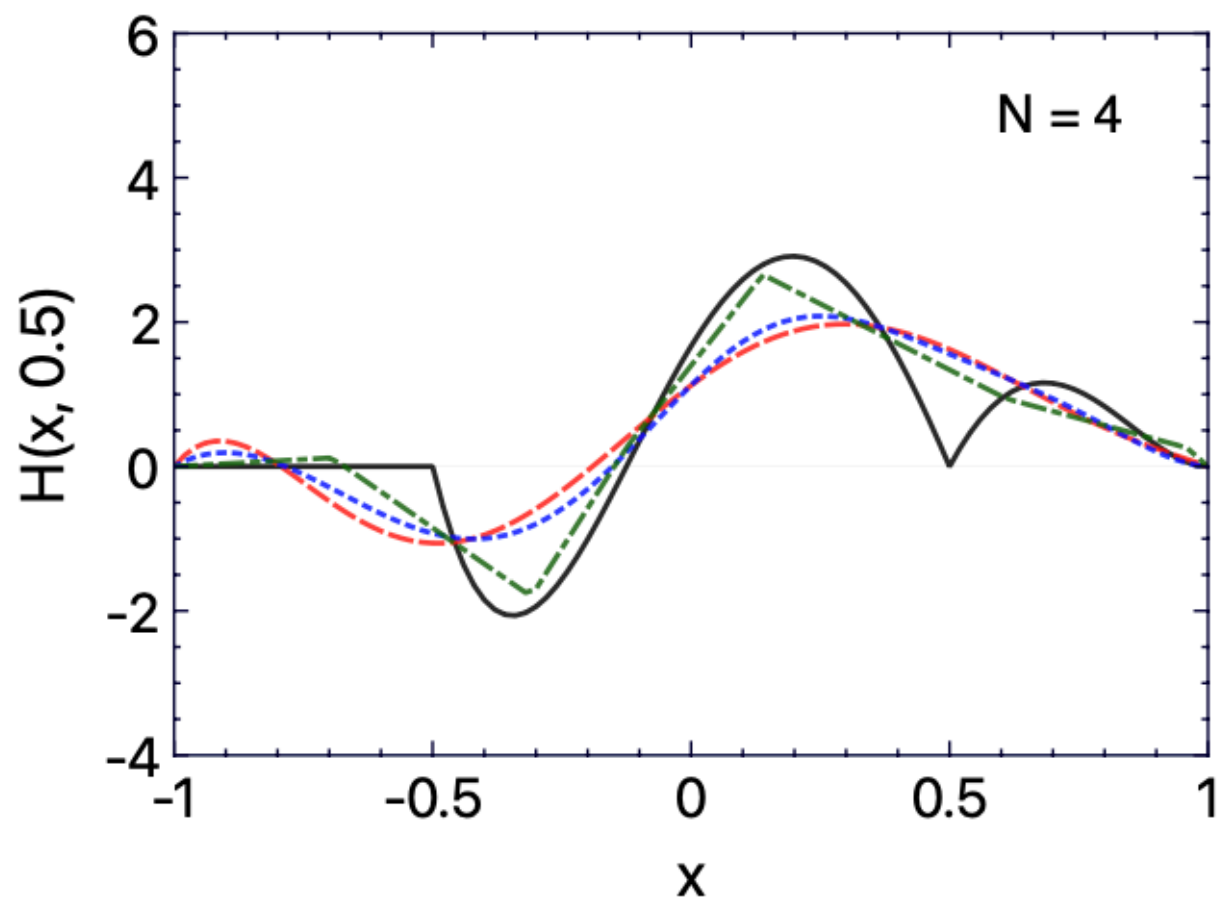
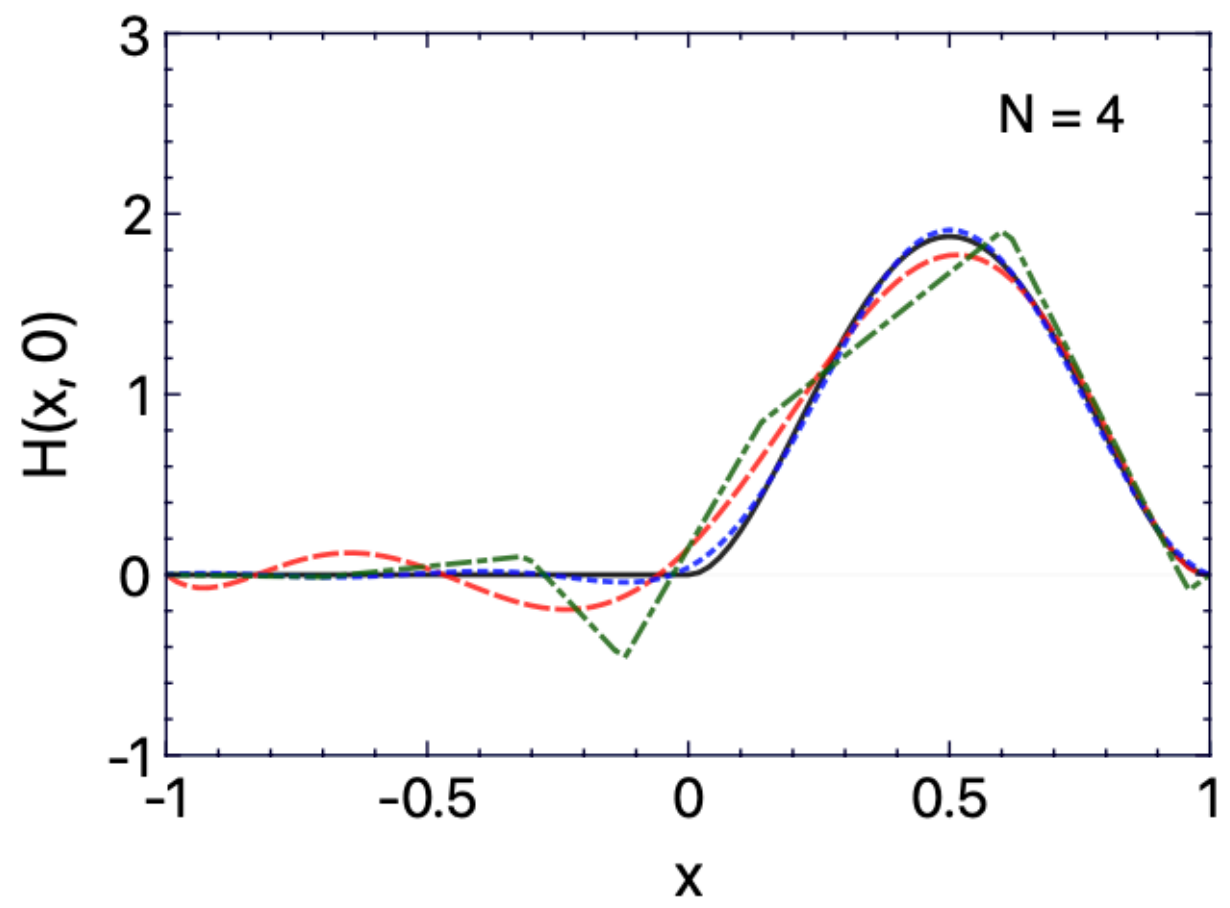
$$\varphi_k^{(2)}(\cdot) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-(\cdot))}$$

**ANN basis - ReLU**

$$\varphi_k^{(2)}(\cdot) = (\cdot) \Theta(\cdot)$$

$\xi = 0$

$\xi = 0.5$



*Note:*

- positivity not enforced here
- few extensions of this modelling possible, see the next slide

**Basic:**

$$H(x, \xi) = \sum_{\substack{j=0 \\ \text{even}}}^N f_j(x) \xi^j$$

**With explicit PDF:**

$$H(x, \xi) = q(x) + \sum_{\substack{j=2 \\ \text{even}}}^N f_j(x) \xi^j$$

**Vanishing at  $x=\xi$ :**

$$H(x, \xi) = (x^2 - \xi^2) \sum_{\substack{j=0 \\ \text{even}}}^N f_j(x) \xi^j$$

**With D-term:**

$$H(x, \xi) = D_{\text{term}}(x/\xi) + \sum_{\substack{j=0 \\ \text{even}}}^N f_j(x) \xi^j$$

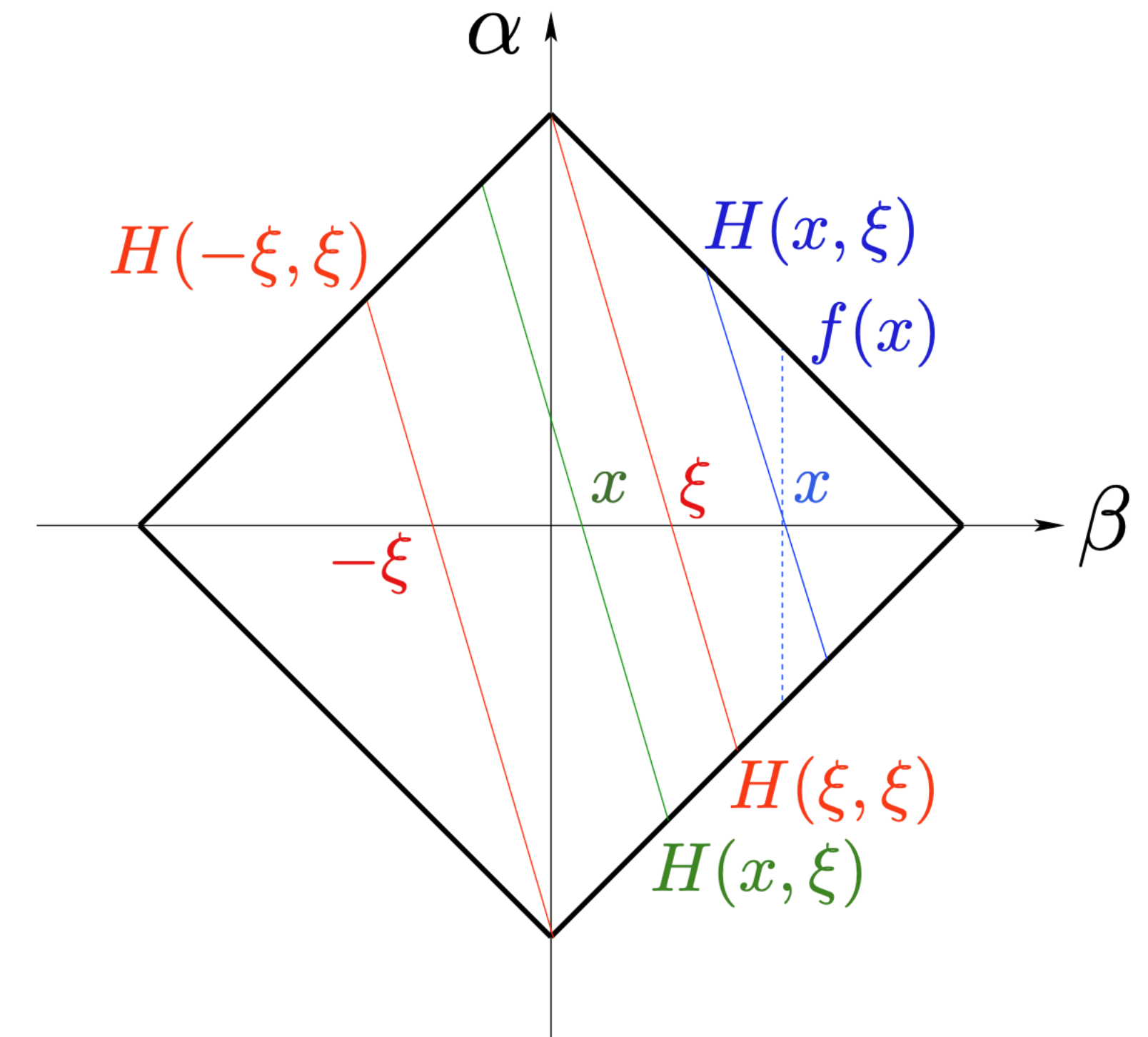
**Double distribution:**

$$H(x, \xi, t) = \int d\Omega F(\beta, \alpha, t)$$

**where:**

$$d\Omega = d\beta d\alpha \delta(x - \beta - \alpha\xi)$$

$$|\alpha| + |\beta| \leq 1$$



from PRD83, 076006, 2011

**Double distribution:**

$$(1 - x^2)F_C(\beta, \alpha) + (x^2 - \xi^2)F_S(\beta, \alpha) + \xi F_D(\beta, \alpha)$$

**Classical term:**

$$F_C(\beta, \alpha) = f(\beta)h_C(\beta, \alpha)\frac{1}{1 - \beta^2}$$

$$f(\beta) = \text{sgn}(\beta)q(|\beta|)$$

$$h_C(\beta, \alpha) = \frac{\text{ANN}_C(|\beta|, \alpha)}{\int_{-1+|\beta|}^{1-|\beta|} d\alpha \text{ANN}_C(|\beta|, \alpha)}$$

**Shadow term:**

$$F_S(\beta, \alpha) = f(\beta)h_S(\beta, \alpha)$$

$$f(\beta) = \text{sgn}(\beta)q(|\beta|)$$

$$h_S(\beta, \alpha)/N_S = \frac{\text{ANN}_S(|\beta|, \alpha)}{\int_{-1+|\beta|}^{1-|\beta|} d\alpha \text{ANN}_S(|\beta|, \alpha)} \cdot \frac{\text{ANN}_{S'}(|\beta|, \alpha)}{\int_{-1+|\beta|}^{1-|\beta|} d\alpha \text{ANN}_{S'}(|\beta|, \alpha)}$$

$$\text{ANN}_{S'}(|\beta|, \alpha) \equiv \text{ANN}_C(|\beta|, \alpha)$$

**D-term:**

$$F_D(\beta, \alpha) = \delta(\beta)D(\alpha)$$

$$D(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha^2) \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ \text{odd}}} d_i C_i^{3/2}(\alpha)$$

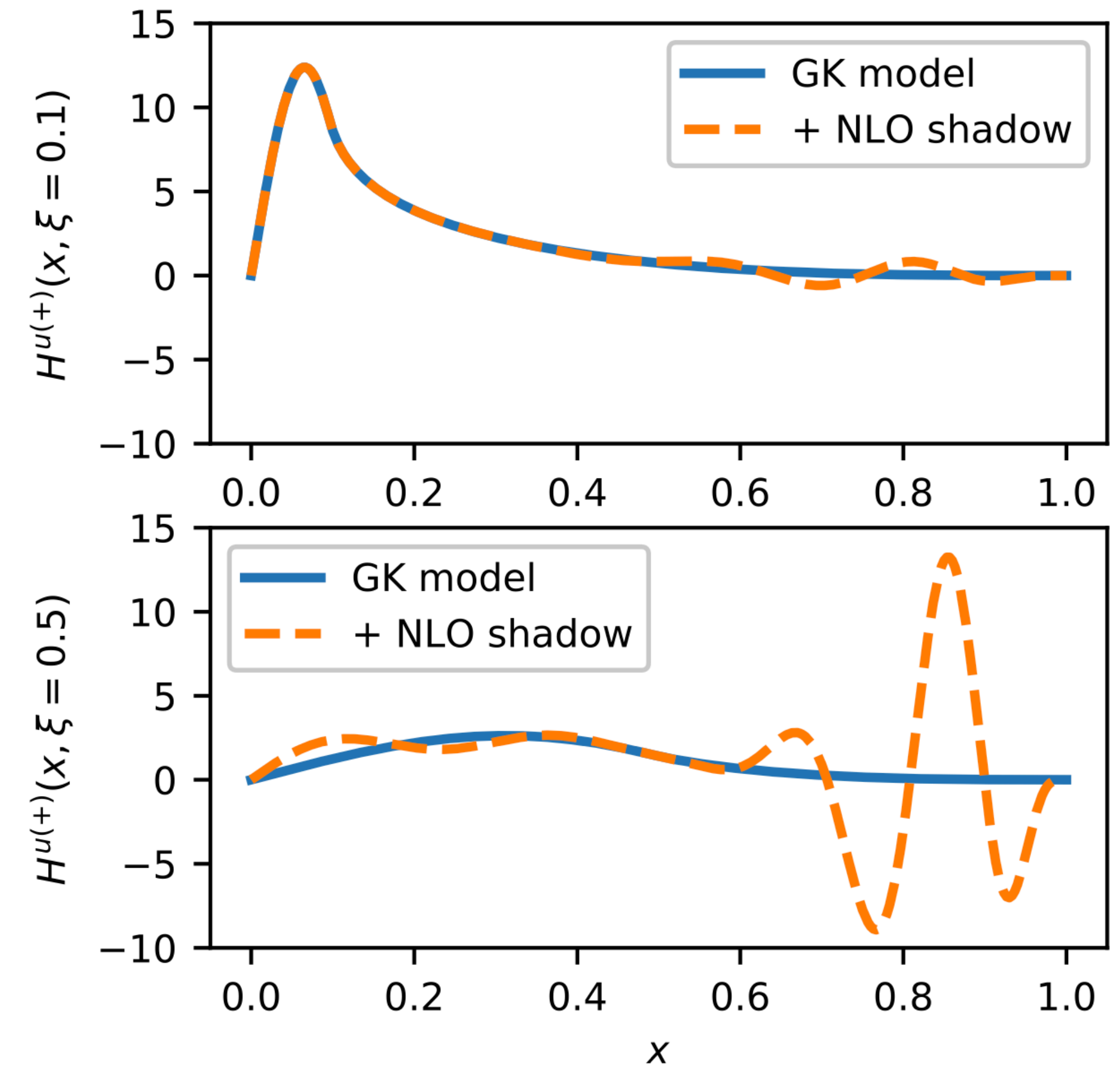
Shadow term is closely related to the so-called **shadow GPDs**

Shadow GPDs have considerable size and:

- at the initial scale do not contribute to both PDFs and CFFs
- at some other scale they contribute negligibly

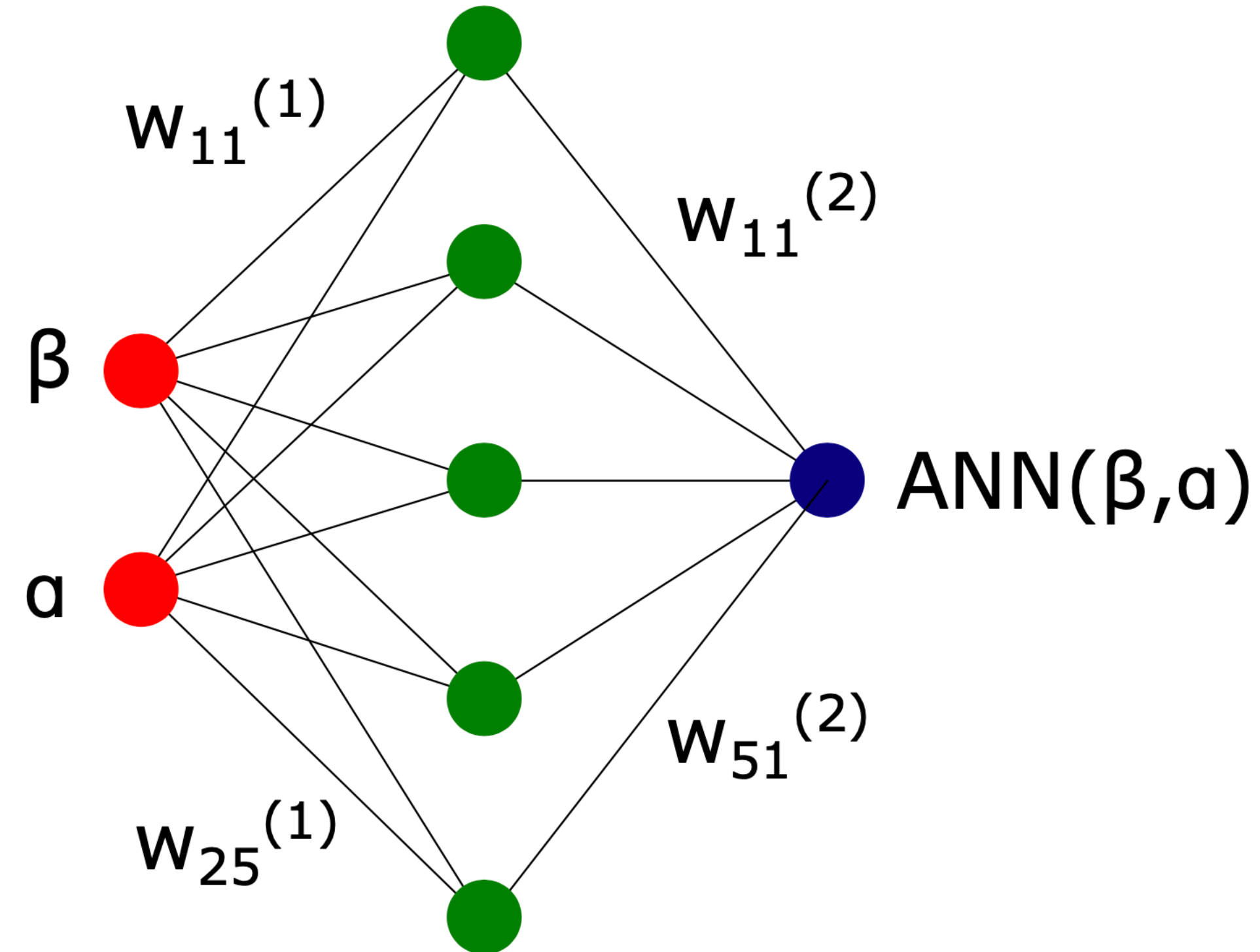
making the deconvolution of CFFs ill-posed

We found such GPDs for both LO and NLO





## Our ANNs:

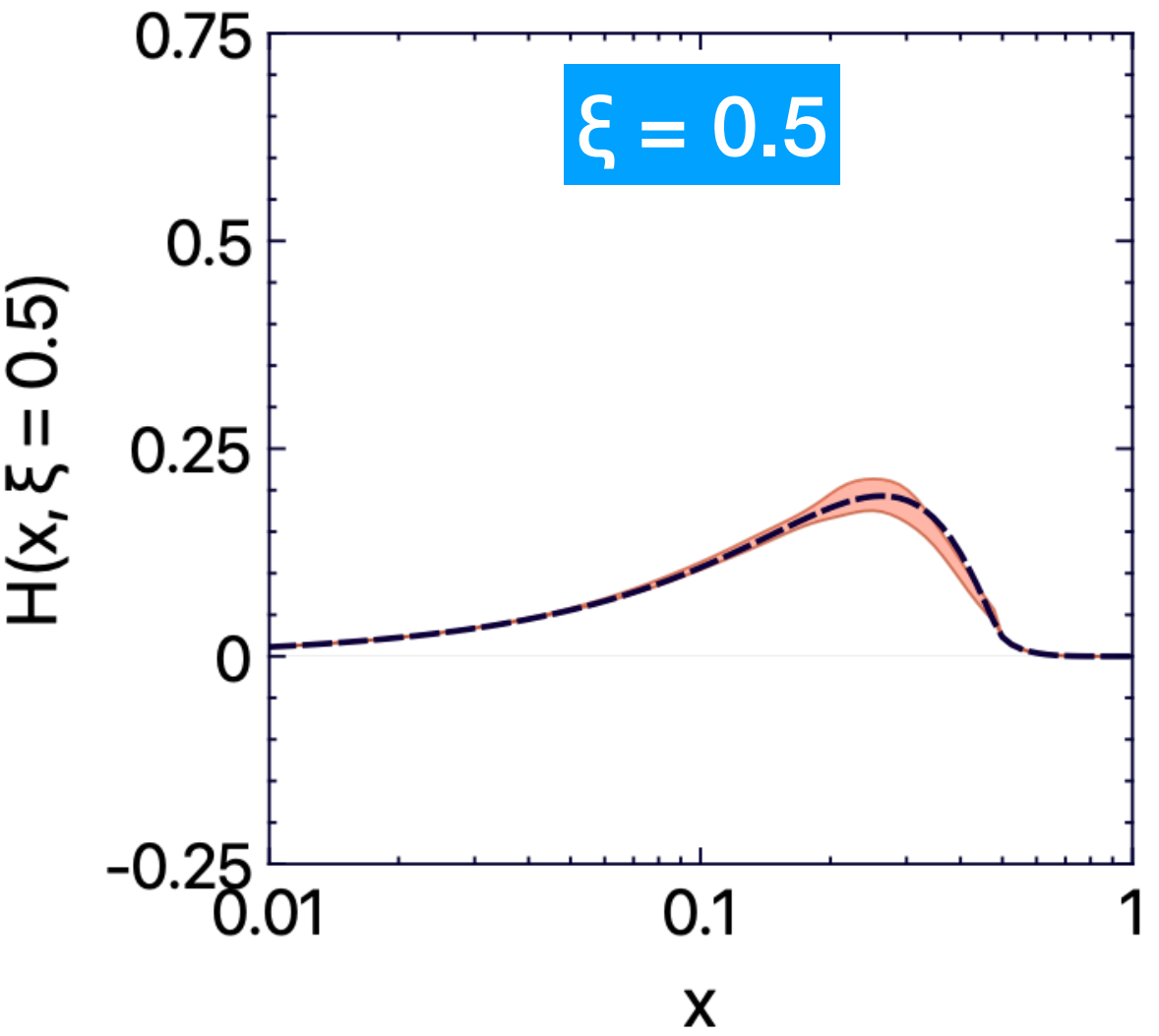
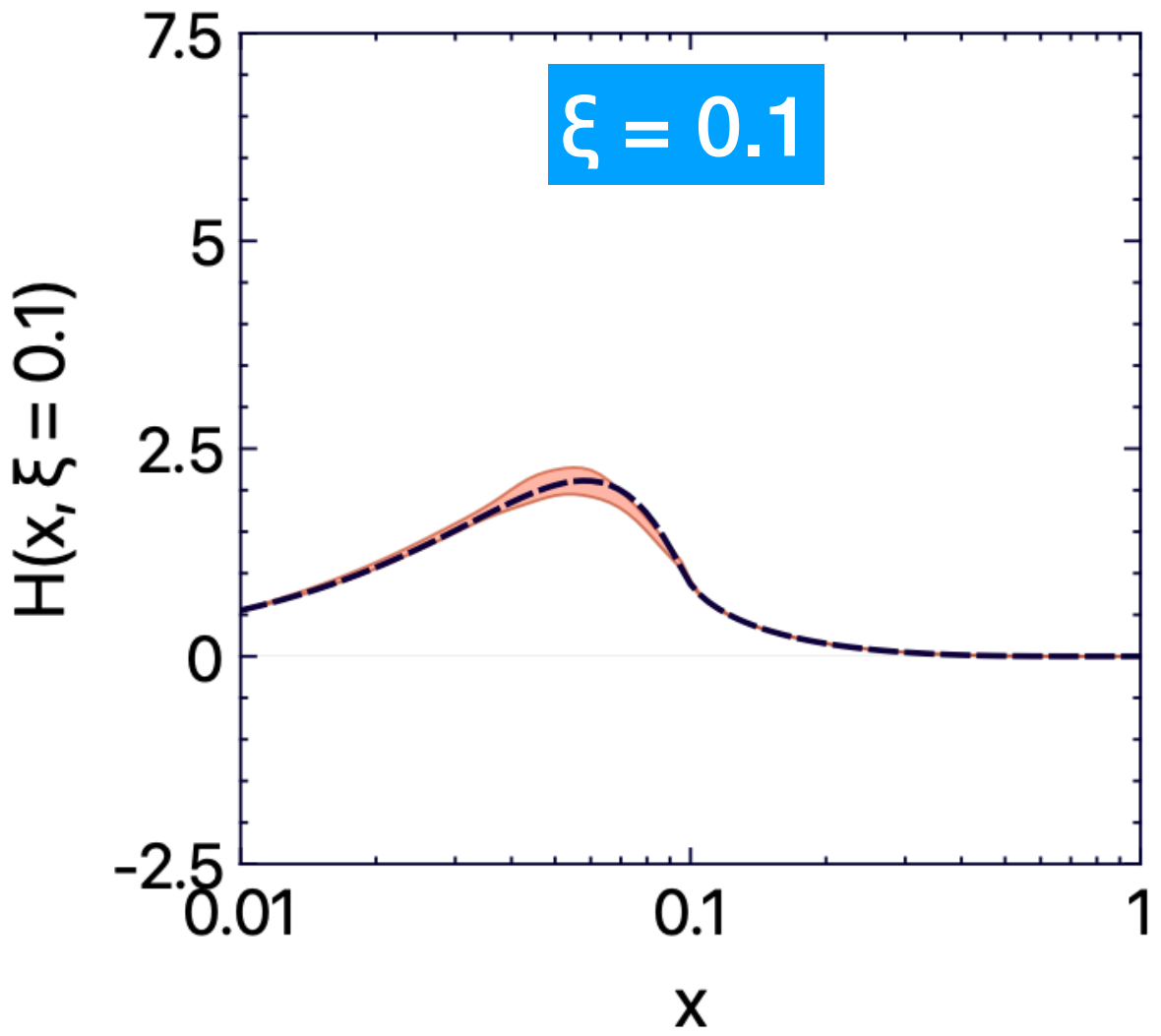
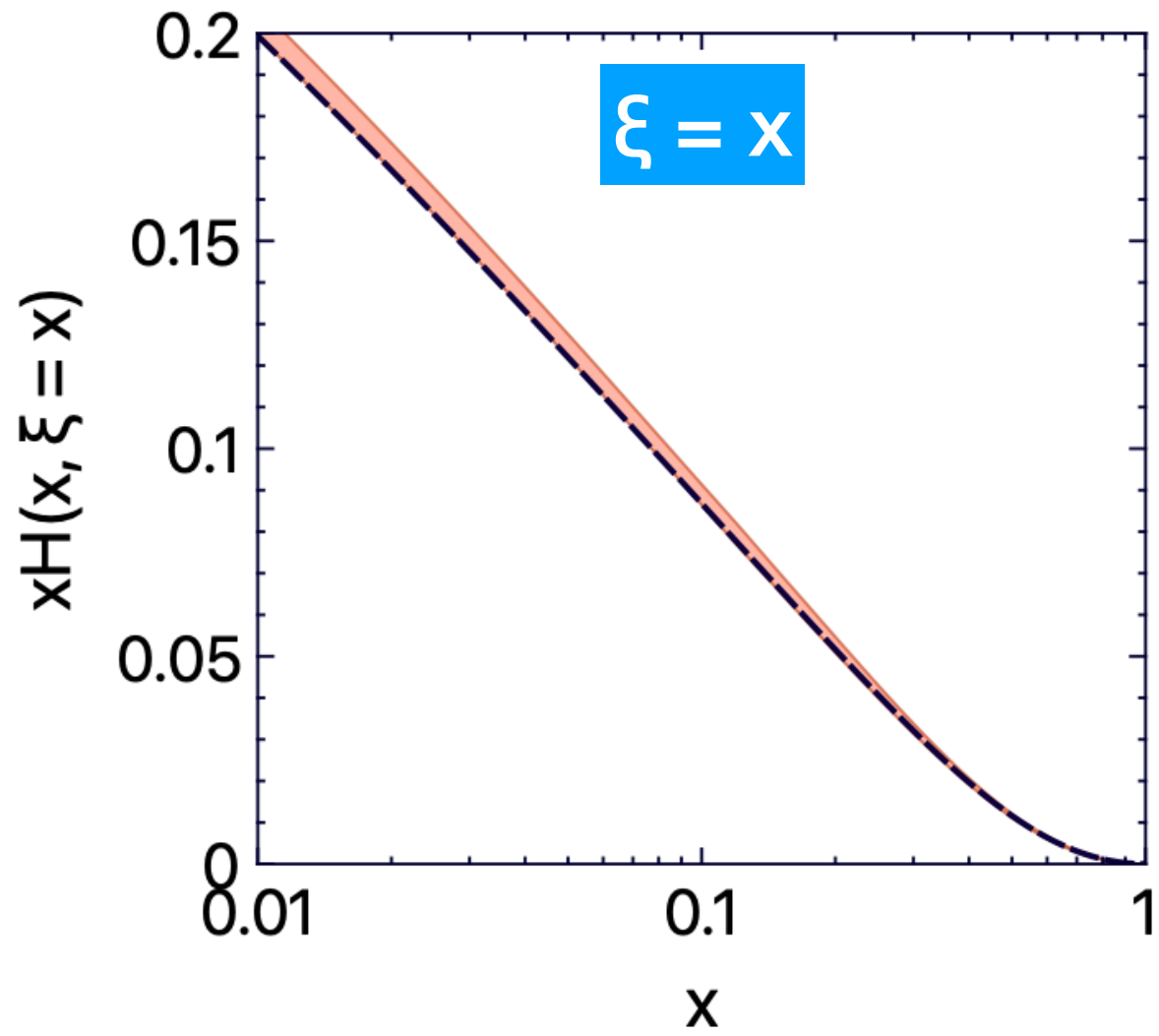


## Requirements:

- symmetric w.r.t.  $\alpha$
- symmetric w.r.t.  $\beta$
- vanishes at  $|\alpha| + |\beta| = 1$

## Activation function:

$$\left( \varphi_i \left( w_i^\beta |\beta| + w_i^\alpha \alpha / (1 - |\beta|) + b_i \right) - \varphi_i \left( w_i^\beta |\beta| + w_i^\alpha + b_i \right) \right) + (w^\alpha \rightarrow -w^\alpha)$$



**Conditions:**

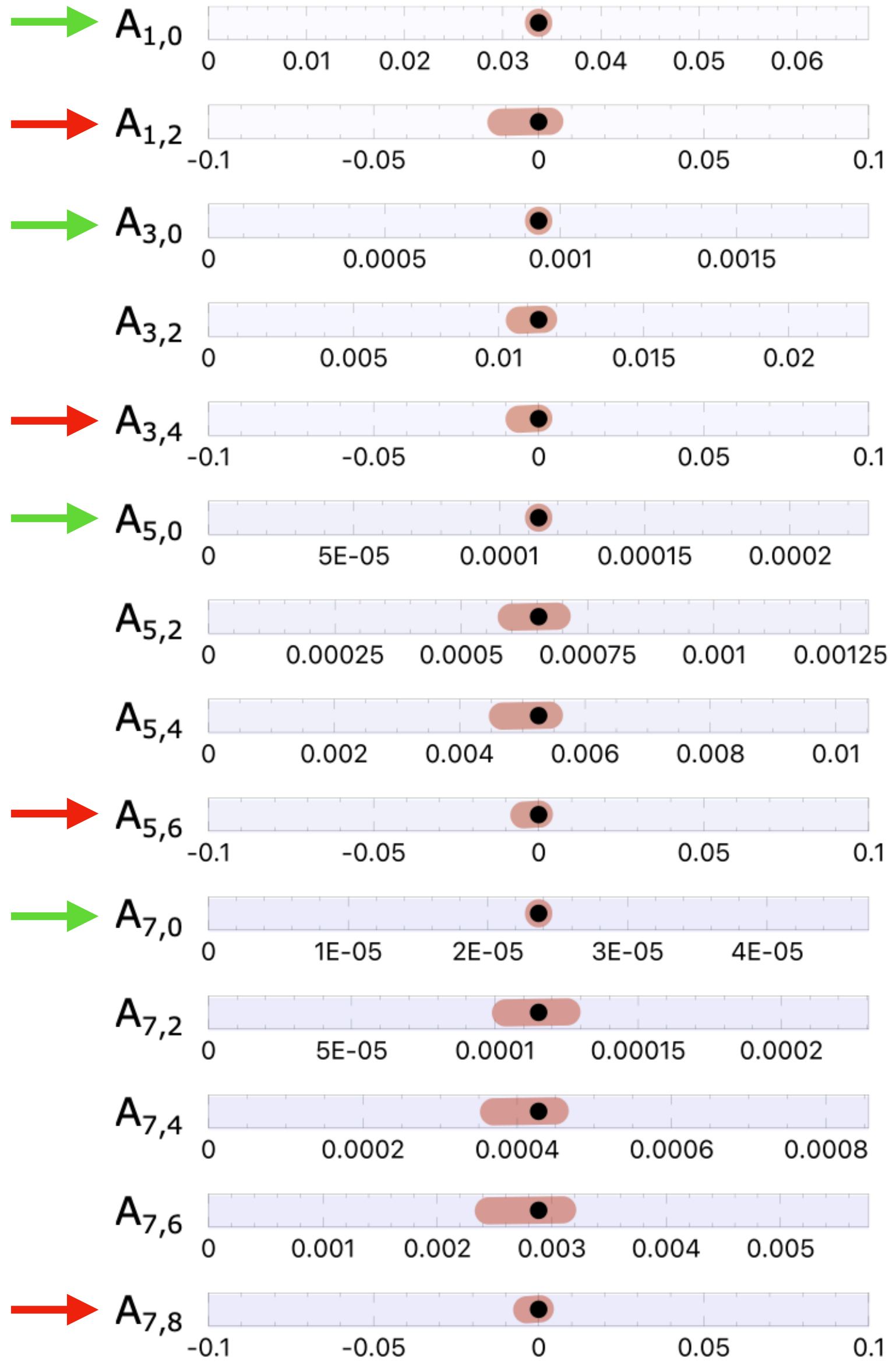
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- Positivity not forced

**Technical detail of the analysis:**

- Minimisation with genetic algorithm
- Replication for estimation of model uncertainties
- “Local” detection of outliers
- Dropout algorithm for regularisation

GK  
 ANN model  
**68% CL**  
 $F_C + F_S + F_D$

# Demonstration of results



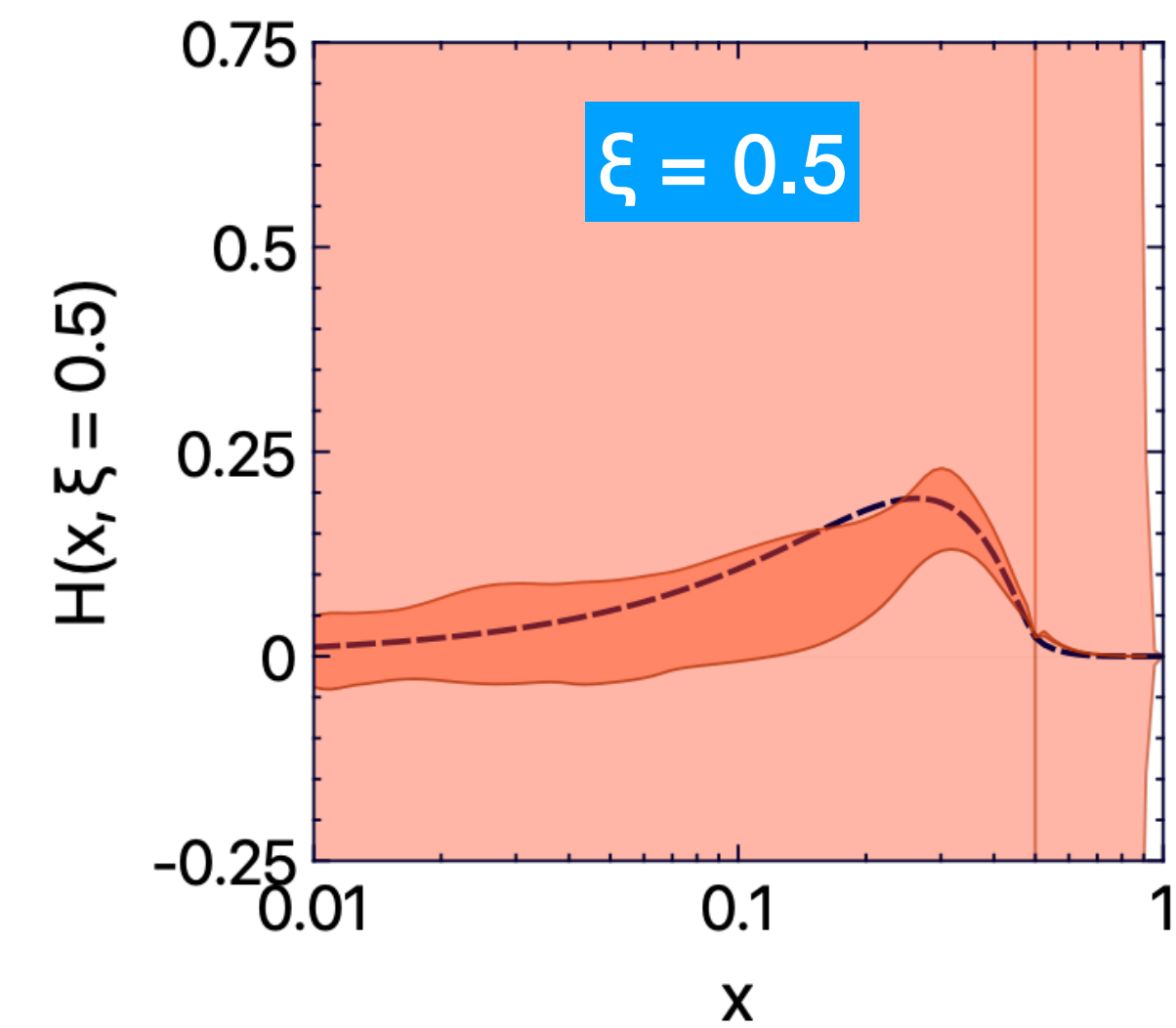
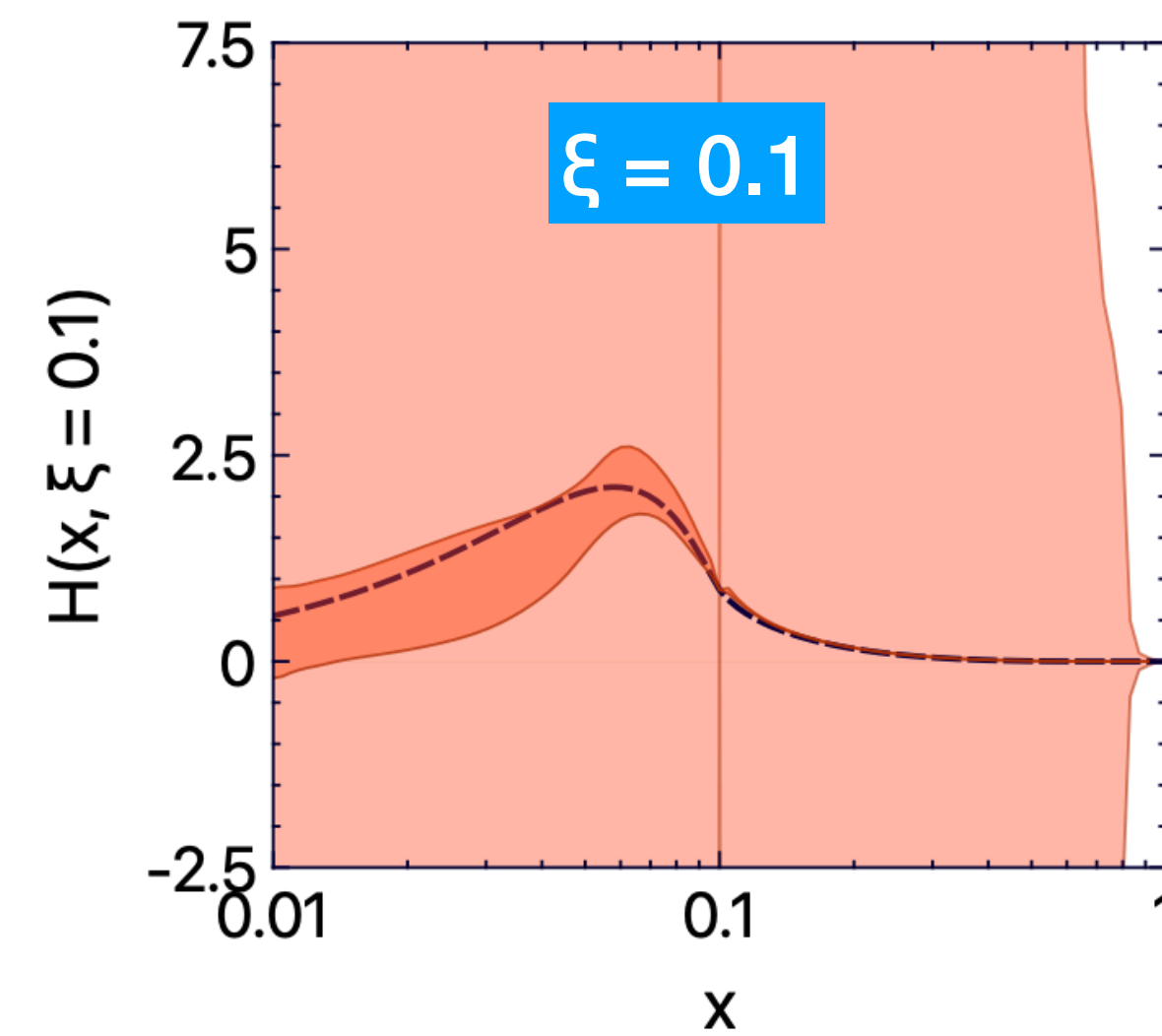
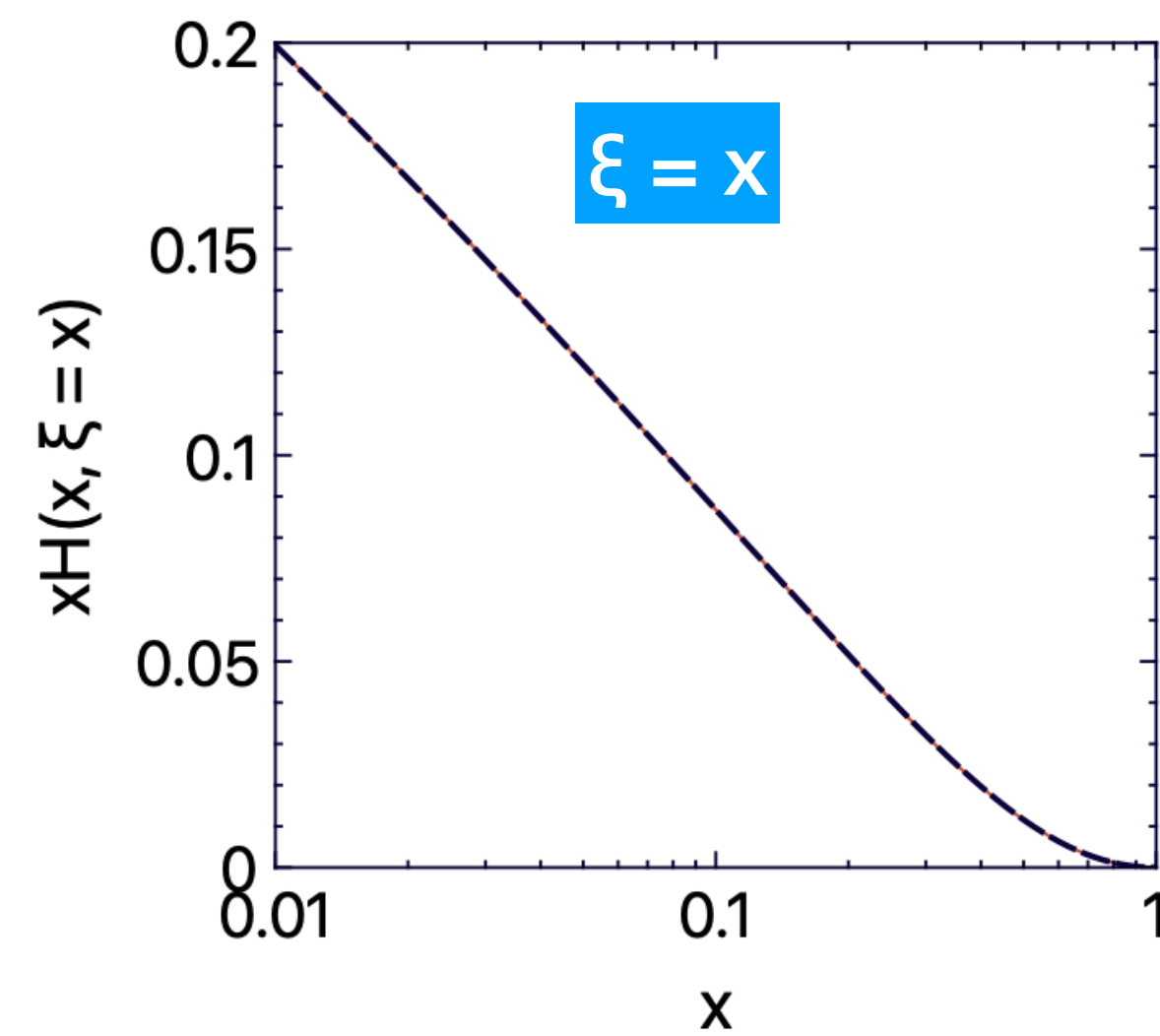
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**Mellin mom. coefficients:**  
 → related to PDF  
 → related to D-term

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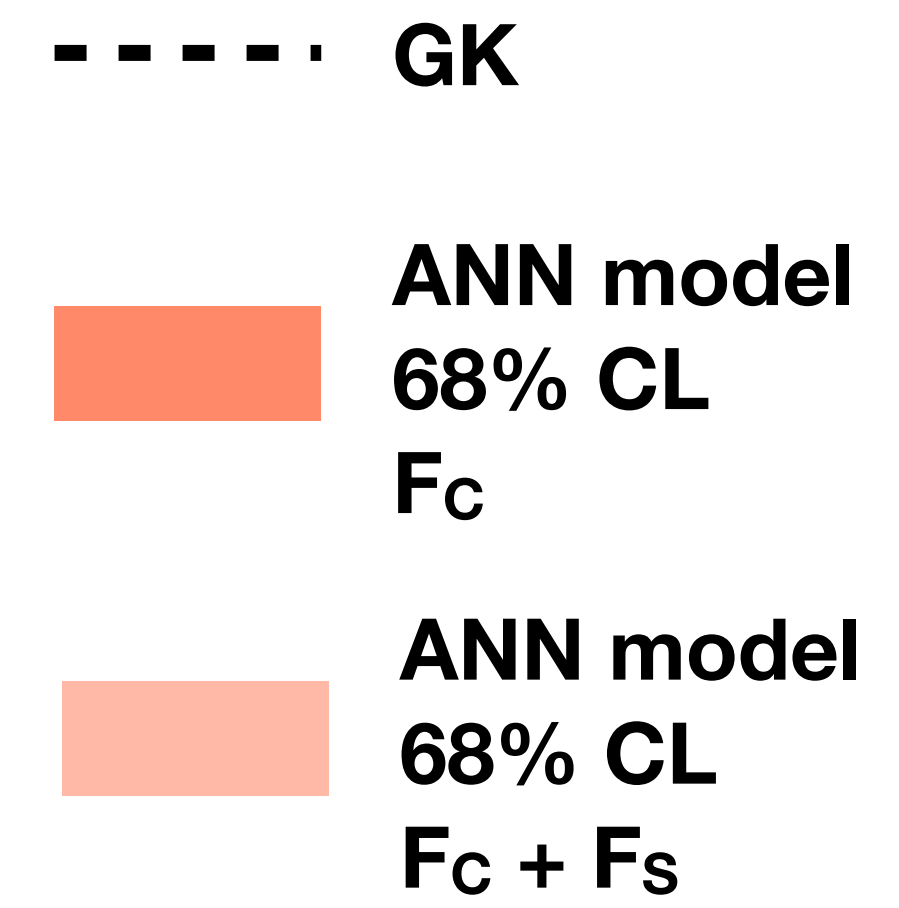
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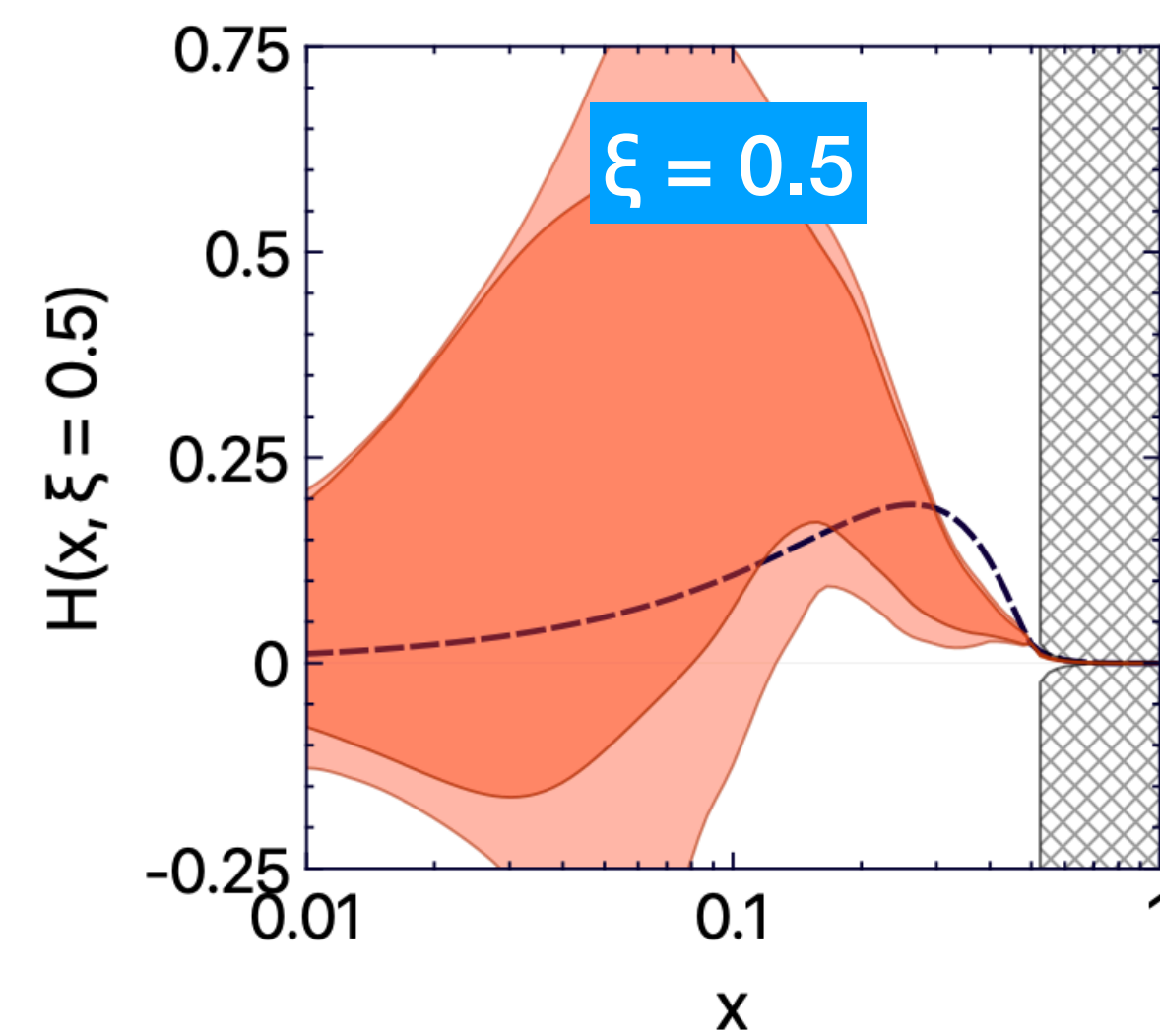
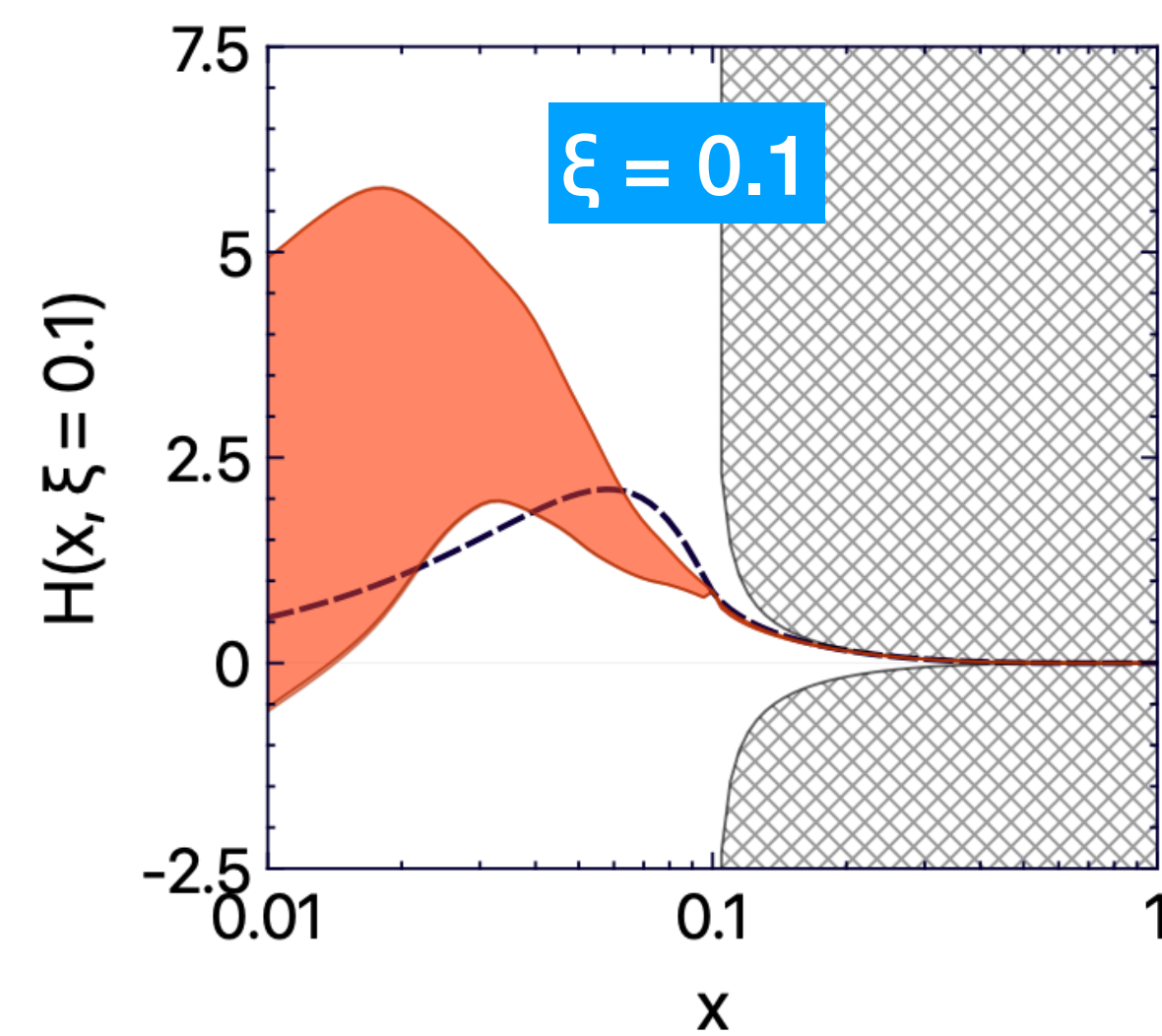
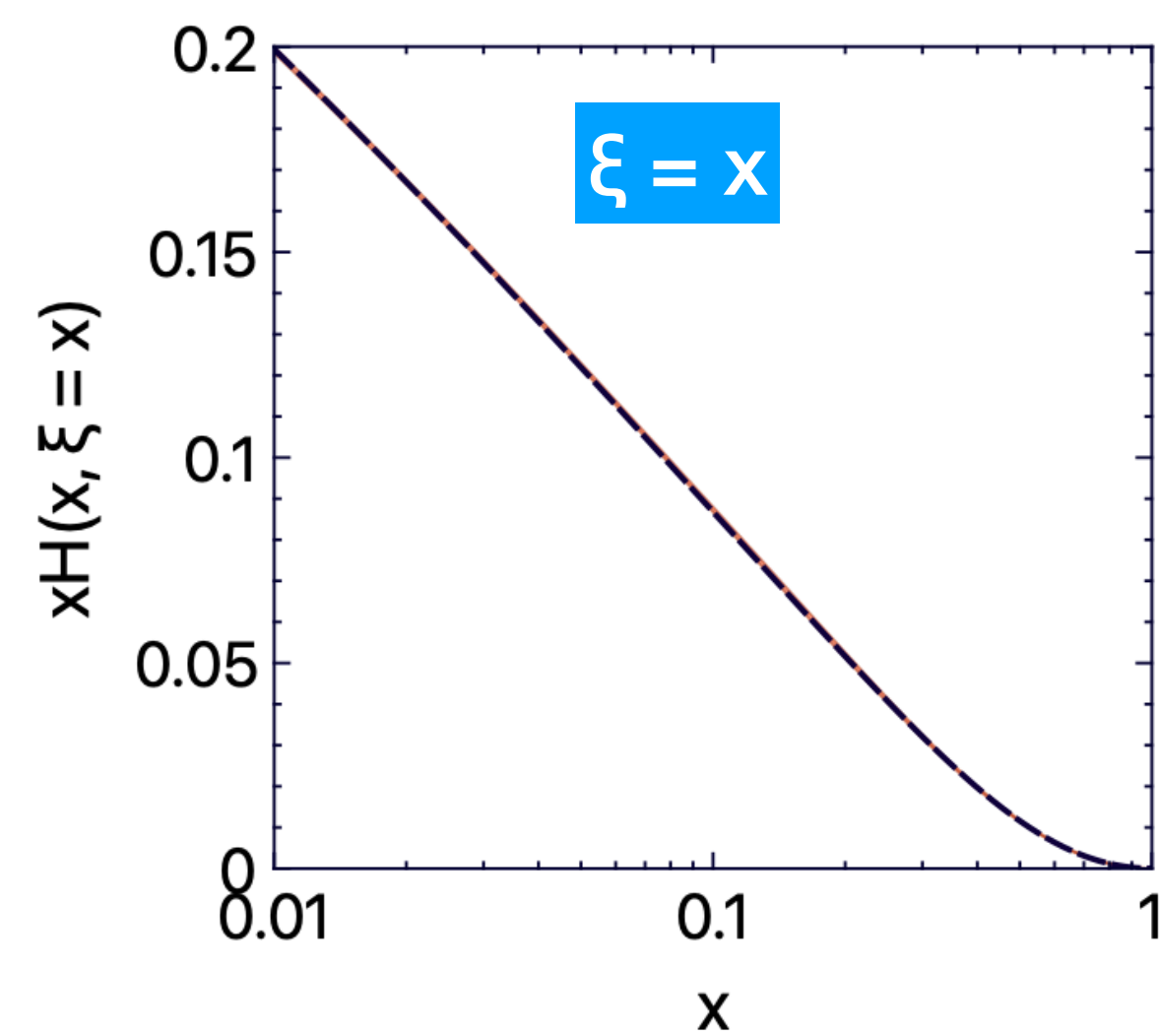


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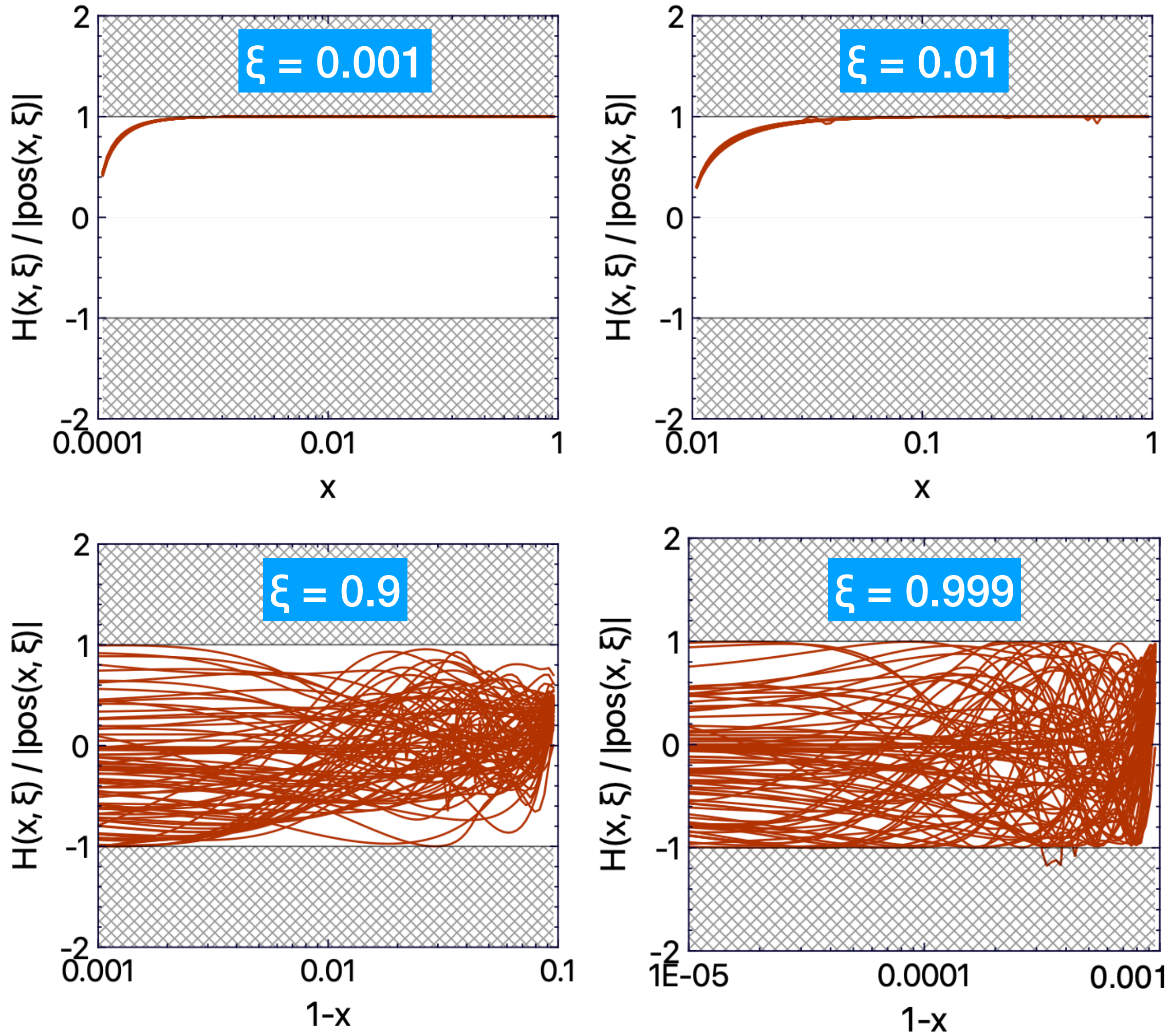
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- Positivity **forced**

GK  
 single replica  
 Excluded by positivity

- PARTONS - open-source framework to study GPDs  
→ <http://partons.cea.fr>
- Come with number of available physics developments implemented
- Written in C++, also available via virtual machines (VirtualBox) and containers (Docker)
- Addition of new developments as easy as possible
- Developed to support effort of GPD community,  
can be used by both theorists and experimentalists
- **v4 version of PARTONS is now available!**



- Novel MC generator called EpIC released  
→ <https://pawelsznajder.github.io/epic>
- EpIC is based on PARTONS
- EpIC is characterised by:
  - flexible architecture that utilises a modular programming paradigm
  - a variety of modelling options, including radiative corrections
  - multichannel capability (now: DVCS, TCS,  $DV\pi^0P$ , diphoton)
- This is the new tool to be use in the precision era commenced by the new generation of experiments
- **v1.1.0 version of EpIC is now available!**



- For the first time, we propose modelling GPDs based on ANNs  
→ new, nontrivial and timely analysis
  - Our modelling fulfils all theory-driven constraints (including positivity)  
→ subject not touched enough in the current literature
  - Can easily accommodate lattice-QCD results  
→ important to include new sources of GPD information
- see Michael's talk on Tuesday
- These is the new tool to address the long-standing problem of model dependency of GPDs