

# Proton Structure from Basis Light-Front Quantization

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# Outline

- Basis Light-front Quantization
- Application to proton
  - Electromagnetic Form factor
  - Parton distribution function (PDF)
  - TMD PDF + GPD
- Conclusion and outlook

# Major Questions in Nuclear Physics

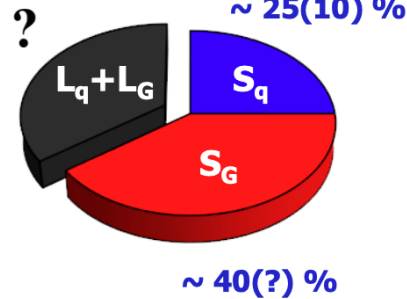
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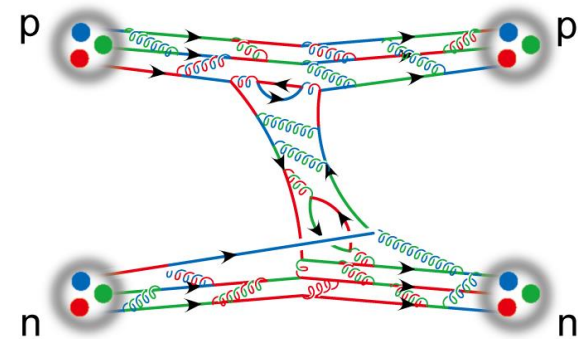
Spin puzzle

Ortibal angular momentum

$$\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$$

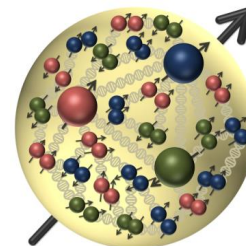


Nuclear force



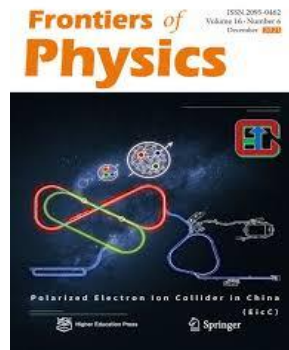
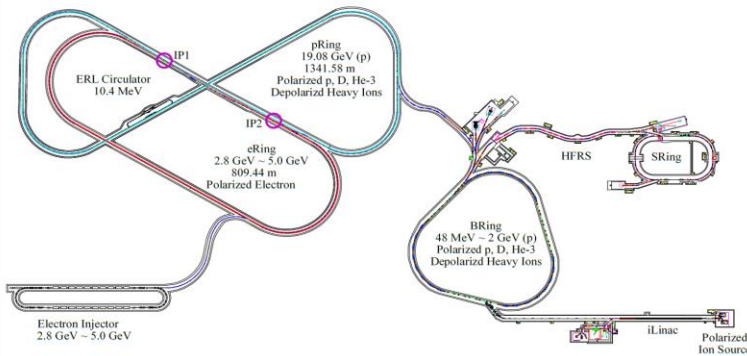
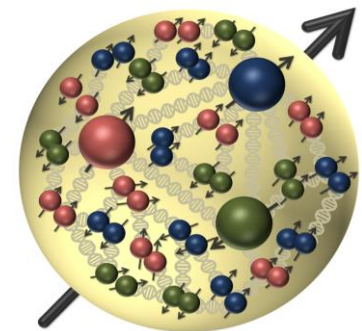
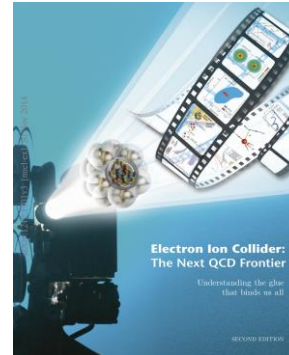
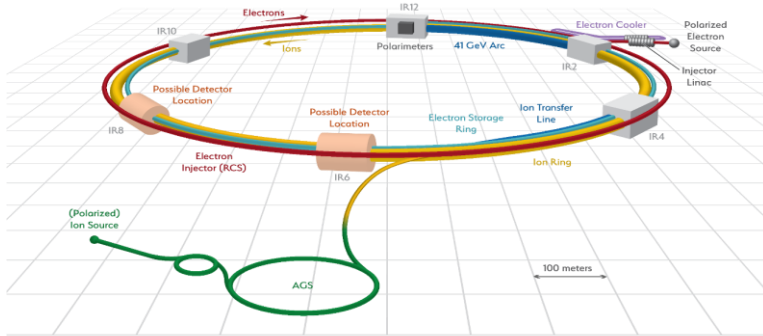
We need to know the structure of nucleon beyond 1D and how it emerges from QCD

$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = (\bar{\psi}_q(i\not{D} - m_q)\psi_q) - \frac{1}{4}G_{\mu\nu}^\alpha G_\alpha^{\mu\nu}$$



# Electron-Ion Colliders

- Electron-Ion colliders with large collision energy and high luminosity



- EIC in the US is under construction by BNL@New York
- EicC in China is been planned by IMPCAS@Huizhou

} Complimentarity

# Nonperturbative Approach to Proton Structure

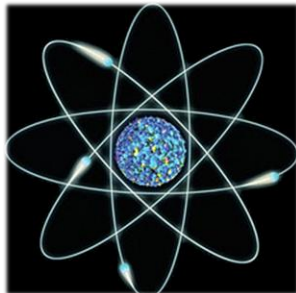
- Schrödinger equation universally describes bound-state structure

$$H|\psi\rangle = E|\psi\rangle$$



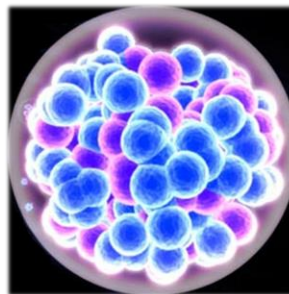
- Eigenstates  $|\psi\rangle$  encode full information of the system

Nonrelativistic



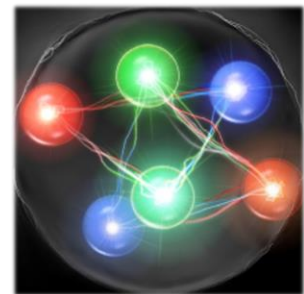
atom

Nonrelativistic



nucleus

Relativistic



nucleon

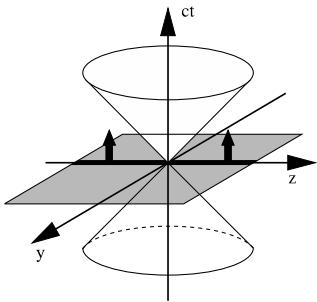
- Major challenges from **relativity**: frame dependence in wave function, particle number not conserving...

# Light-front Quantization

[Dirac, 1949]

Equal time quantization

$$t \circ x^0$$



$$x^1, x^2, x^3$$

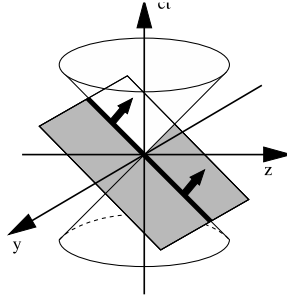
$$P^0, \vec{P}$$

$$i \frac{\rlap{-}/}{\rlap{/}t} |j(t)\rangle = H |j(t)\rangle$$

$$P^0 = \sqrt{m^2 + \vec{P}^2}$$

Light-front quantization

$$t \circ x^+ = x^0 + x^3$$



$$x^- = x^0 - x^3, \\ x^\perp = x^{1,2}$$

$$P^- = P^0 - P^3, \\ P^+ = P^0 + P^3, P^\perp = P^{1,2}$$

$$i \frac{\rlap{-}/}{\rlap{/}x^+} |j(x^+)\rangle = \frac{1}{2} P^- |j(x^+)\rangle$$

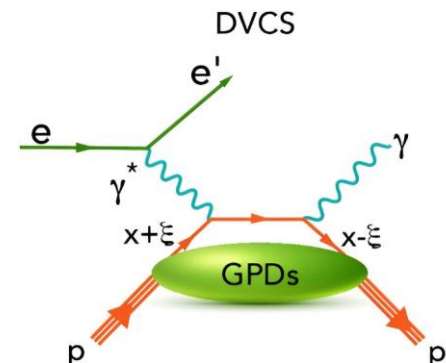
$$P^- = \frac{m^2 + P_\perp^2}{P^+}$$

Main advantage:

- Parton distribution functions are **defined** on the light front
- **Frame-independent** light-front wave functions
- ...

Eg., operator definition for GPD:

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(x, \Delta; Q^2) = \int \frac{dz^-}{8\pi} e^{ixP^+z^-/2} \langle P + \Delta, \Lambda | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^+ \psi(0) | P, \Lambda \rangle$$





# Publications on Nucleon

$$|P, \Lambda\rangle = |qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle + |qqq u\bar{u}\rangle + |qqq d\bar{d}\rangle + |qqq s\bar{s}\rangle + \dots$$

## ➤ Wave Functions:

[Chandan et al., Phys.Rev.D,102.016008] (2019)

[Xu et al., Phys.Rev.D,108 9, 094002] (2023)

## ➤ GPDs: [Xu et al., Phys.Rev.D,104.094036] (2021)

[Liu et al., Phys.Rev.D,105.094018] (2022)

[Zhang et al., Phys.Rev.D,109.034031] (2023)

[Kaur et al., Phys. Rev. D 109, 014015] (2024)

[Lin et al., Phys.Lett.B,847 138305] (2023)

[Liu et al., Phys.Lett.B,855.138809] (2024)

## ➤ TMDs: [Zhi Hu et al., Phys.Lett.B,833.137360] (2022)

[Zhimin Zhu et al., Phys.Rev.D,108.036009] (2023)

[Zhimin Zhu et al., 1404.13720 [hep-ph]] (2024)



# Light-front Hamiltonian

➤ QCD light-front Hamiltonian can be derived from QCD Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = \bar{\psi}(i\not{\partial} - m)\psi - \frac{1}{4}G_{\mu\nu}^\alpha G_\alpha^{\mu\nu} \quad \longrightarrow \quad P_{QCD}^- = H_K + H_I \quad A^+ = 0$$

$$H_K = \frac{1}{2} \int d^3x \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ \frac{(i\partial^\perp)^2 + m^2}{i\partial^+} \psi - \frac{1}{2} \int d^3x A_a^i (i\partial^\perp)^2 A_a^i$$

$$H_I = +g \int d^3x \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu A^\mu \psi$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} g^2 \int d^3x \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu A^\mu \frac{\gamma^+}{i\partial^+} \gamma_\nu A^\nu \psi$$

$$- ig^2 \int d^3x f^{abc} \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ T^c \psi \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} (i\partial^+ A_a^\mu A_{\mu b})$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} g^2 \int d^3x \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ T^a \psi \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ T^a \psi$$

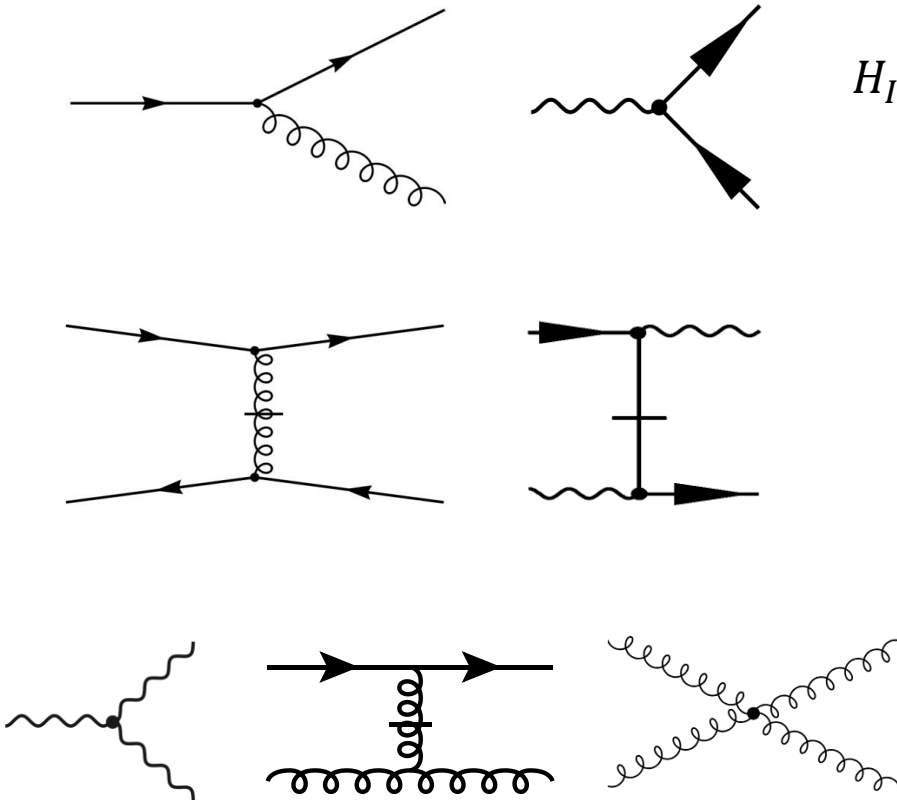
$$+ ig \int d^3x f^{abc} i\partial^\mu A^{\nu a} A_\mu^b A_\nu^c$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} g^2 \int d^3x f^{abc} f^{ade} i\partial^+ A_b^\mu A_{\mu c} \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} (i\partial^+ A_d^\nu A_{\nu e})$$

$$+ \frac{1}{4} g^2 \int d^3x f^{abc} f^{ade} A_b^\mu A_c^\nu A_{\mu d} A_{\nu e}.$$

$\psi$ : quark field operator

$A_\mu^a$ : gluon field operator



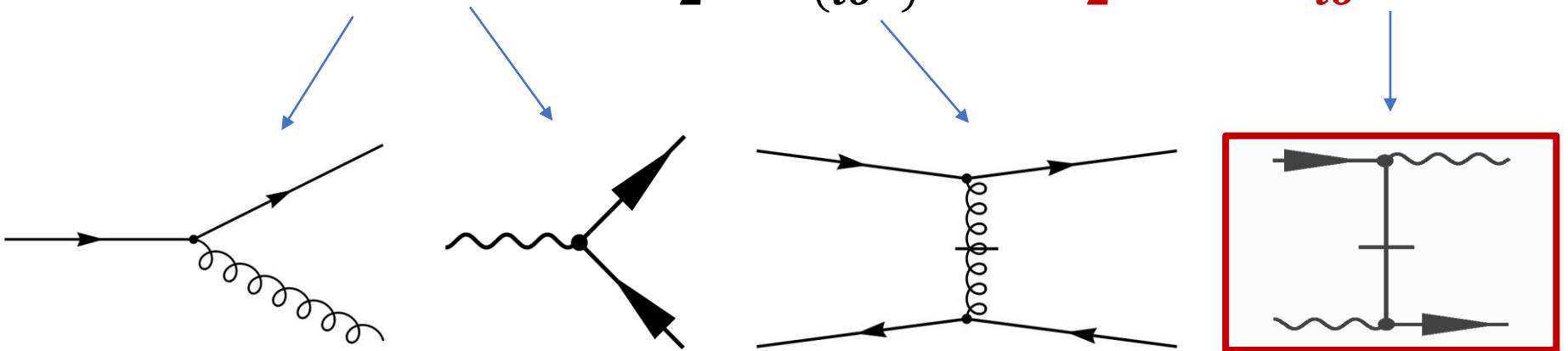
# First Step: Up to $|qqqq\bar{q}\rangle$

$$|P_{baryon}\rangle = \Psi_1|qqq\rangle + \Psi_2|qqqg\rangle + \Psi_{31}|qqq u\bar{u}\rangle + \Psi_{32}|qqq d\bar{d}\rangle + \Psi_{33}|qqq s\bar{s}\rangle$$

$$P^- = H_{K.E.} + H_{Interact}$$

$$H_{K.E.} = \sum_i \frac{p_i^2 + m_q^2}{p_i^+}$$

$$H_{Interact} = g\bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu T^a \psi A_\mu^a + \frac{g^2 C_F}{2} j^+ \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} j^+ + \frac{g^2 C_F}{2} \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu A_\mu \frac{\gamma^+}{i\partial^+} A_\nu \gamma^\nu \psi$$



# Fock Sector Decomposition

$$|P_{baryon}\rangle \rightarrow |qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle + |qqqu\bar{u}\rangle + |qqq d\bar{d}\rangle + |qqqs\bar{s}\rangle$$

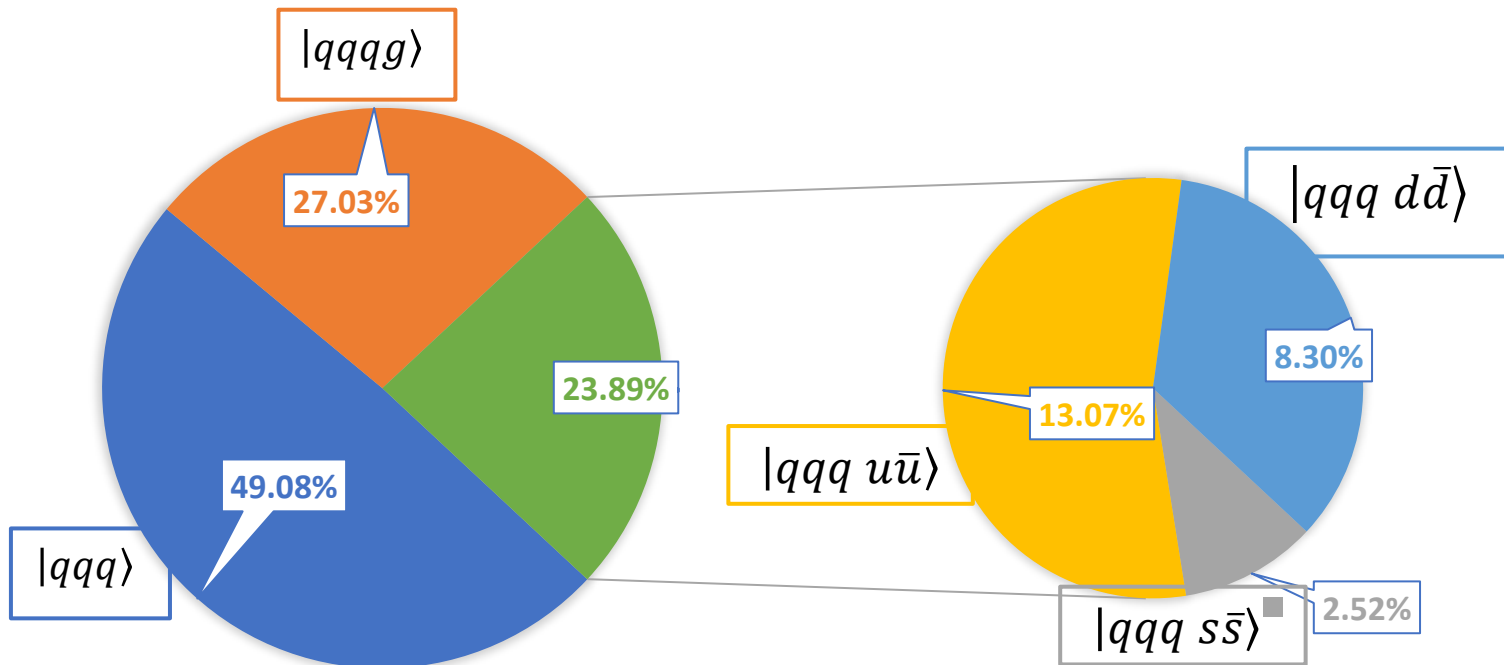
Parameter set:

Truncation parameter:  $N_{\max} = 7$  and  $K_{\max} = 16$

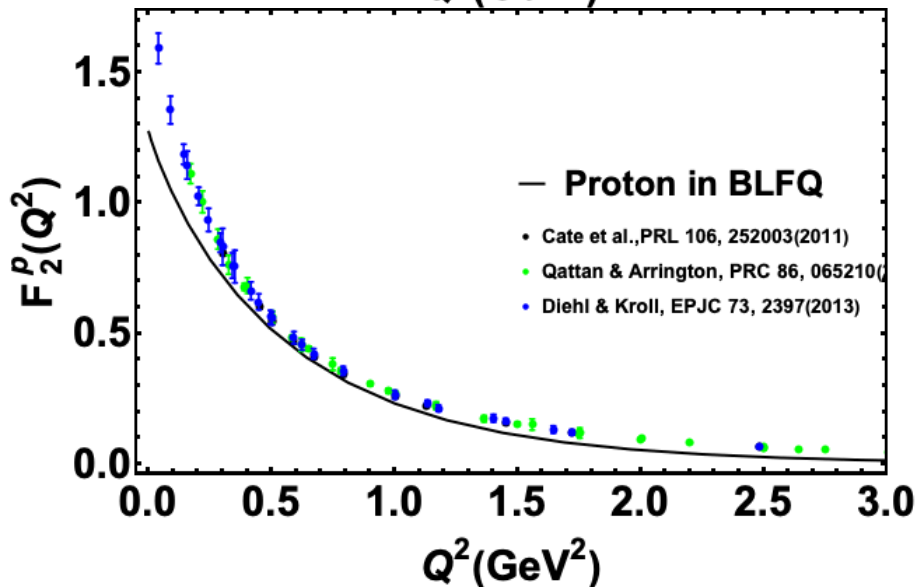
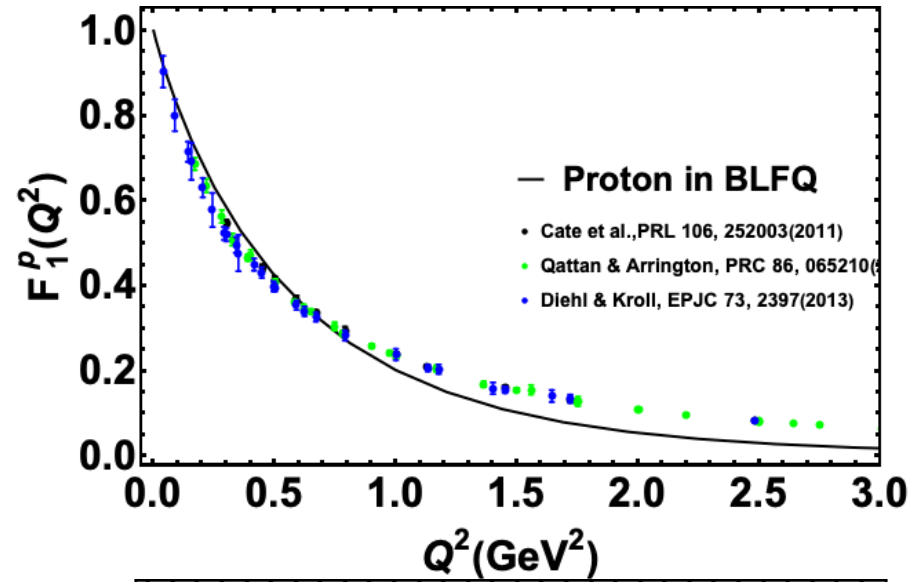
| $m_u$   | $m_d$   | $m_f$   | $g$ | $b$     | $b_{inst}$ |
|---------|---------|---------|-----|---------|------------|
| 1.0 GeV | 0.9 GeV | 5.8 GeV | 3.0 | 0.7 GeV | 2.8 GeV    |

In five quark Fock sector, we use current quark masses

$$\mu_0^2 = 0.22 \text{ GeV}^2$$



# Form Factor



$$\langle N(p') | J^\mu(0) | N(P) \rangle = \bar{u}(P') \left[ \gamma^\mu F_1(Q^2) + \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu}}{2M_P} q_\nu F_2(Q^2) \right] u(P)$$

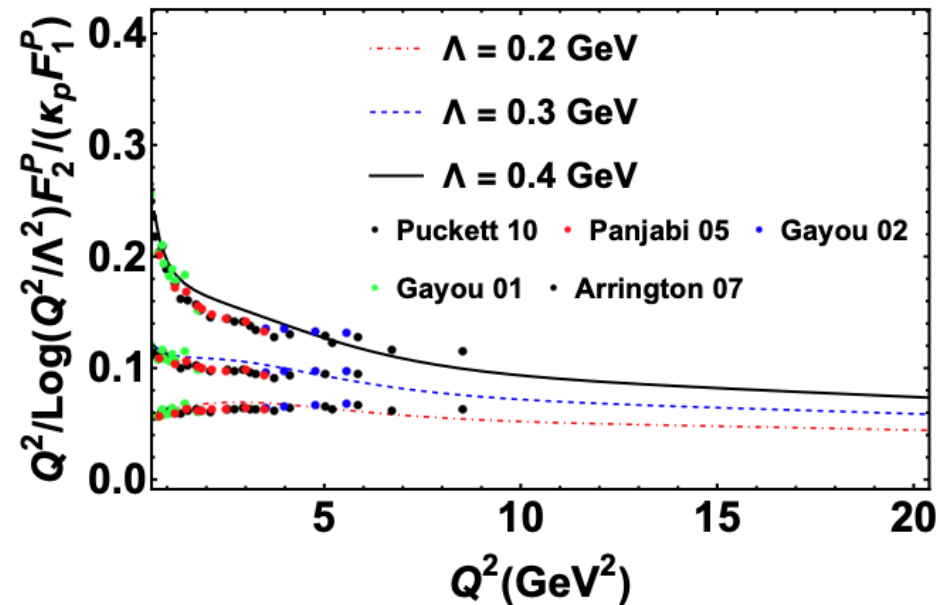
$$r_E = 0.786 \text{ fm}$$

$$r_E = 0.833 \pm 0.010 \text{ fm}$$

$$r_M = 0.775 \text{ fm}$$

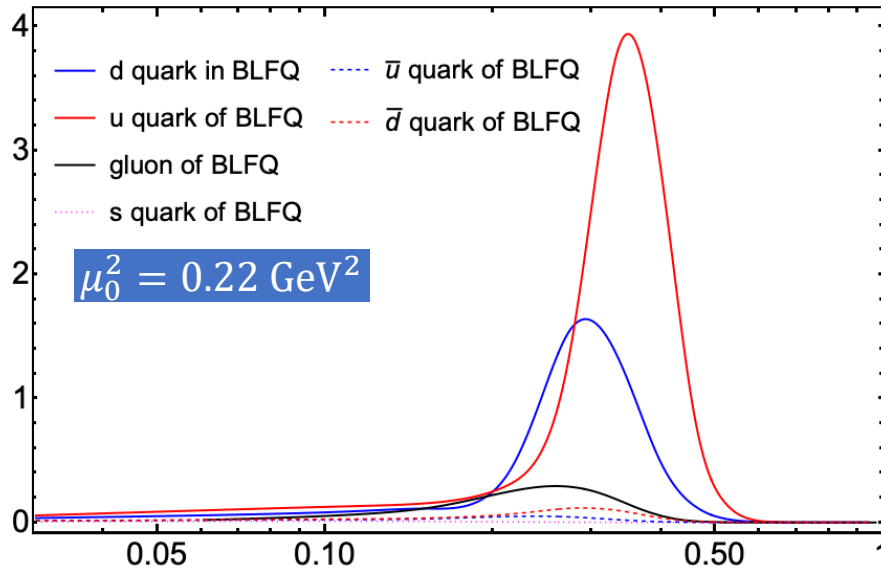
$$r_M = 0.851 \pm 0.026 \text{ fm}$$

[Particle Data Group]

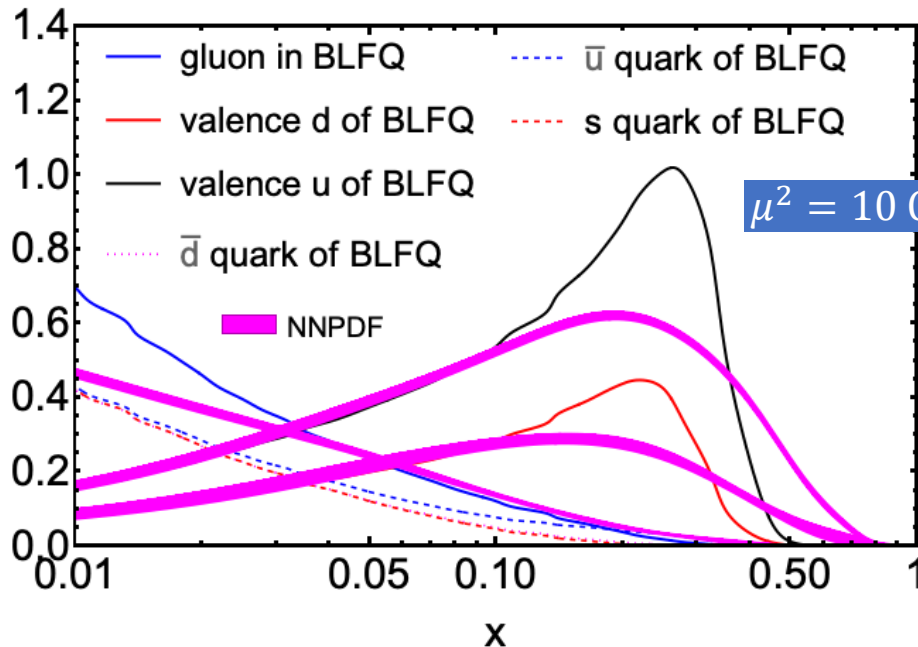
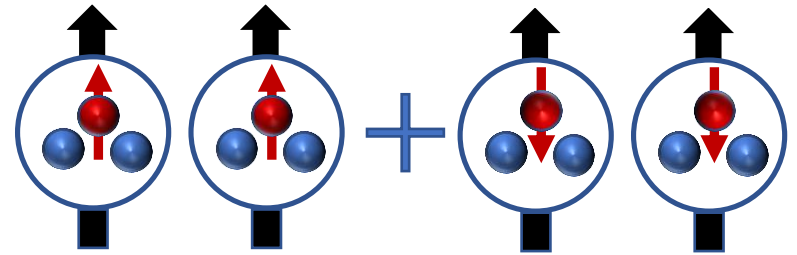


- Comparing to experimental data, BLFQ results show good agreement at small  $Q^2$
- BLFQ results almost satisfy Sudakov FF relation at large  $Q^2$

# Unpolarized PDF

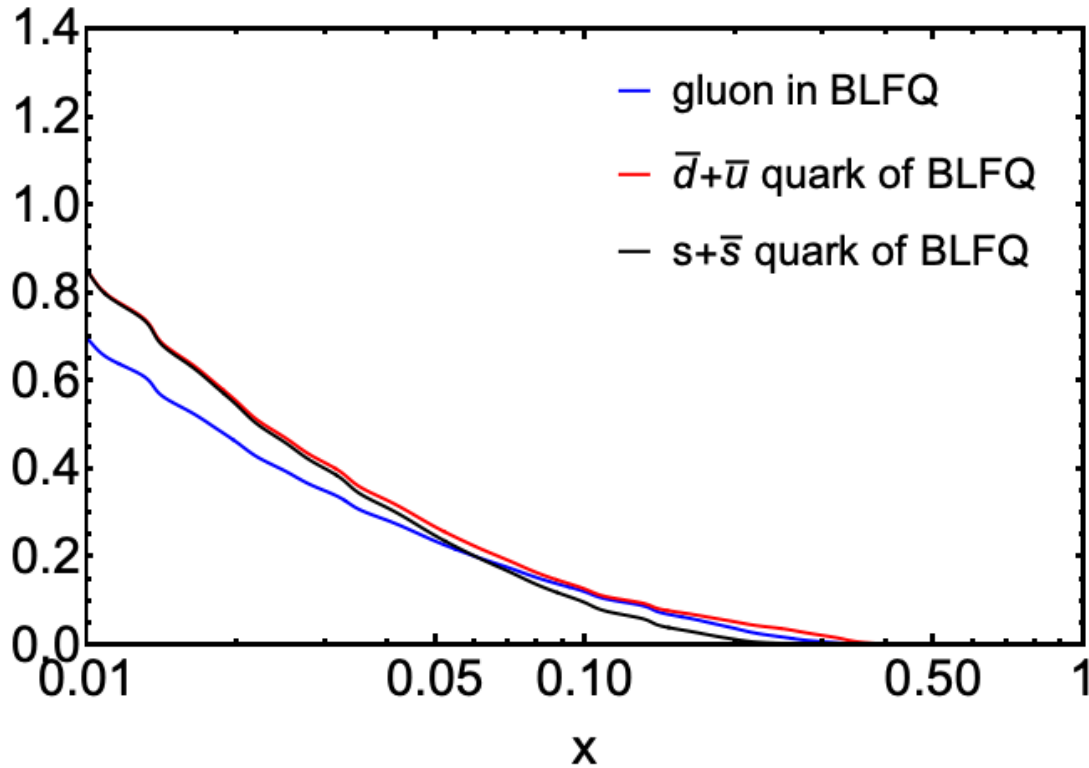


## Unpolarized PDFs:

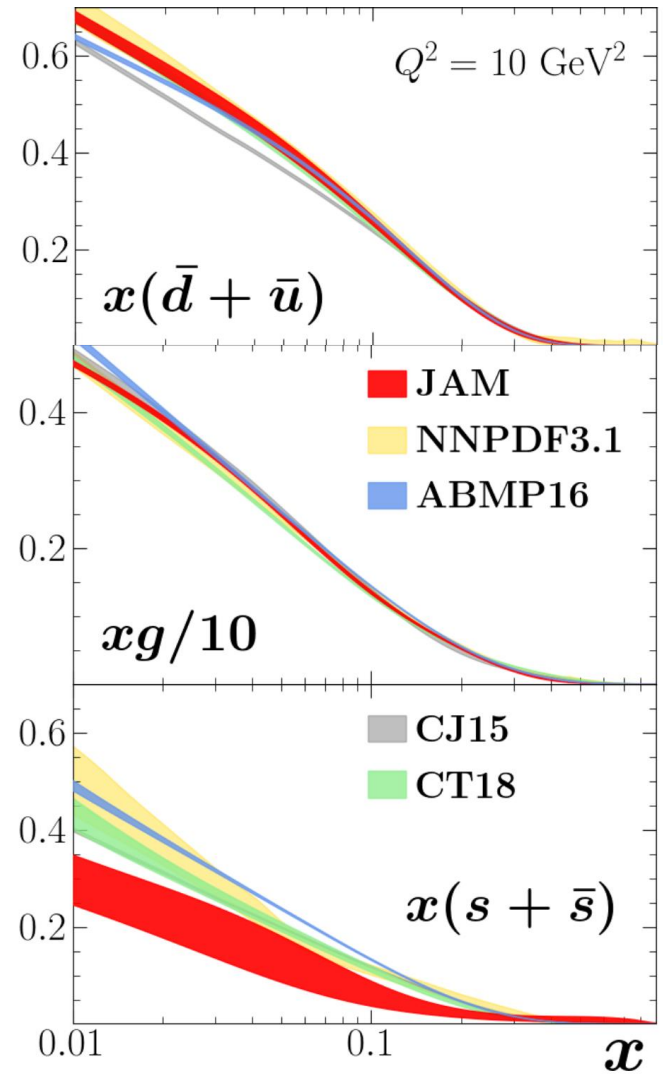


- Particle number density distribution
- Fitting the initial scale by comparing the second moment at experimental scale
- Qualitative agreement with global fitting

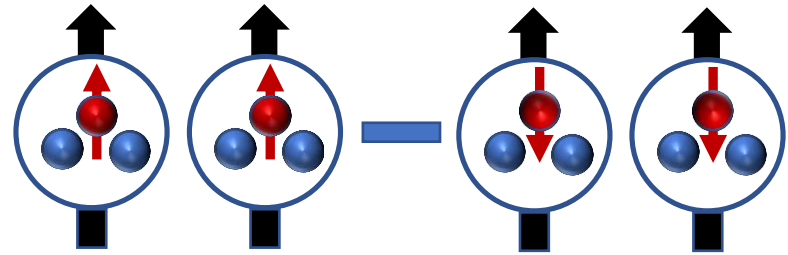
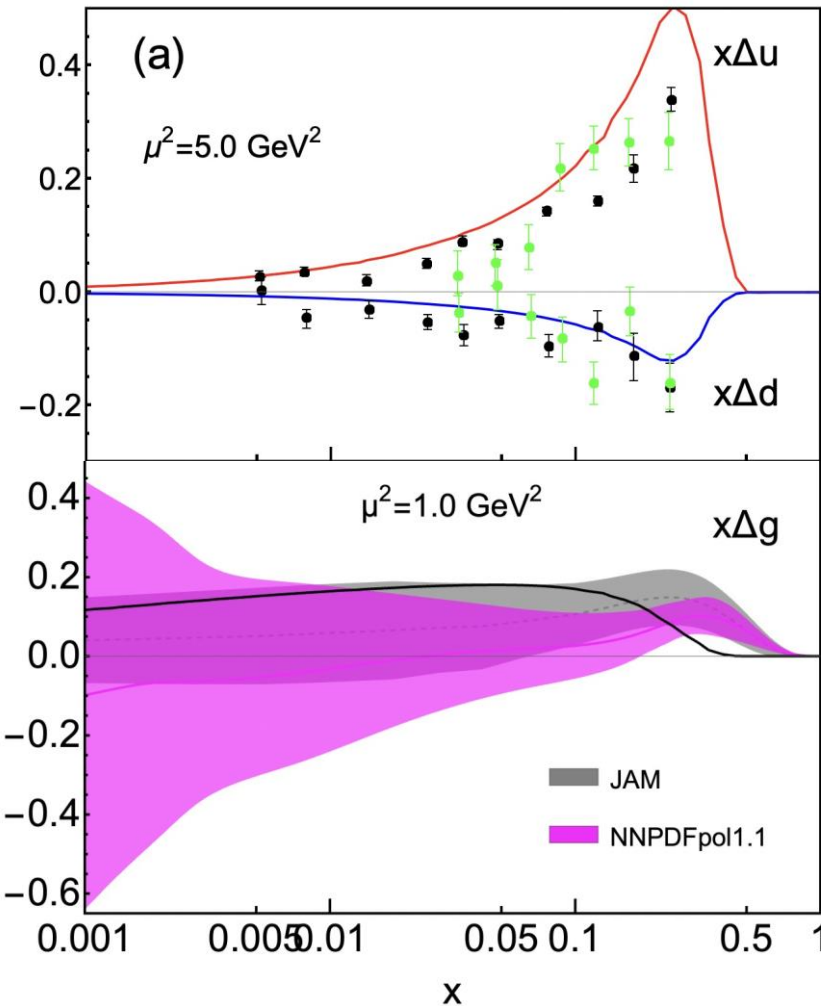
# Unpolarized PDF



- Gluon and sea quark distribution are calculated
- Qualitative trend with various global fitting results



# Helicity PDF



$$\mu^2 = 5 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_u = 0.86$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_d = -0.16$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_{u-d} = 1.02 \sim 1.27$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_{u+d} = 0.7 > 0.35$$

Extracted data

$$\Delta G = \int_{0.05}^{0.2} dx \Delta g(x) = 0.26 \sim \mathbf{0.251(47)(16)}$$

**NNPDF**

[COMPASS, Phys. Lett. B 693, 227 (2010) ]

[HERMES, Phys. Rev. D 71, 012003 (2005)]

[NNPDF, Phys. Rev. Lett. 118, 102001 (2017)]

- Helicity PDFs encode information on spin contributions from parton to hadron
- At  $x < 0.2$  region, helicity PDFs of u quark qualitatively agree with global fitting data
- Helicity PDF of d quark has a good agreement with global fitting results

# Helicity PDF

## ➤ Spin decomposition

[Jaffe and Manohar, (1990)]

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + \Delta G + L_q + L_g$$

$$\mu_0^2 = 0.22 \text{ GeV}^2$$

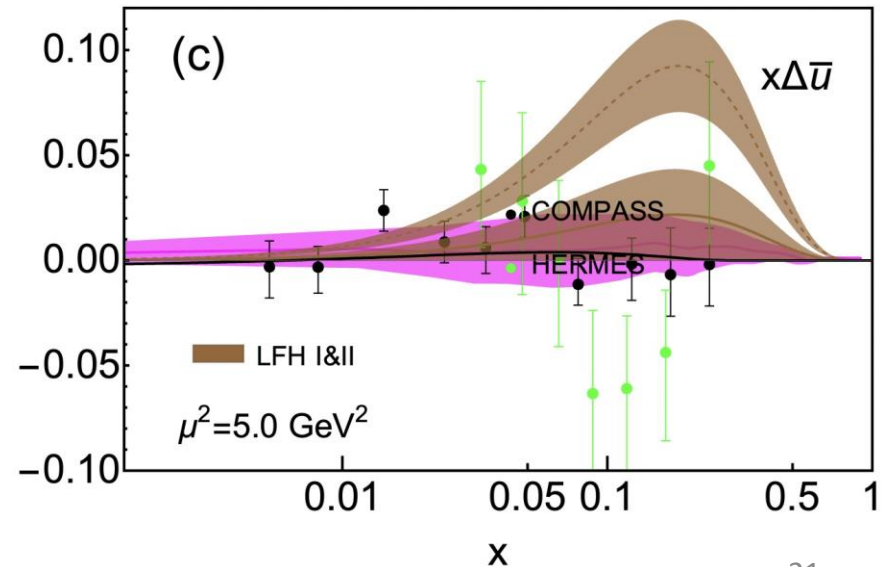
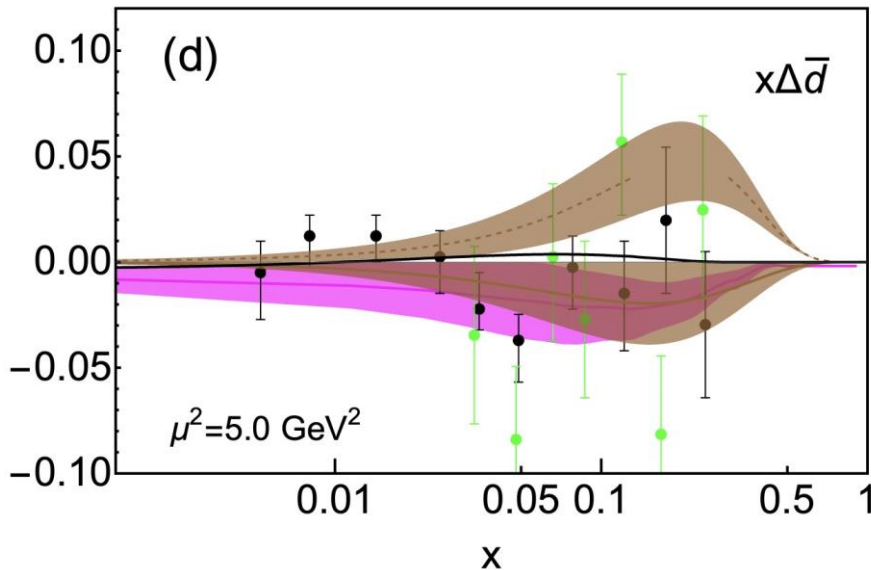
$$\Delta\Sigma_u = 0.86$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_{\bar{d}} = 0.008$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_d = -0.16$$

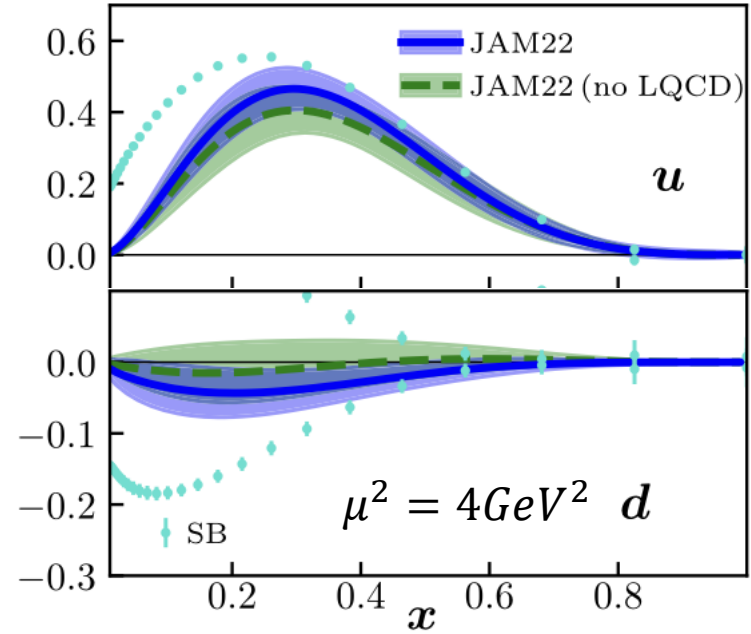
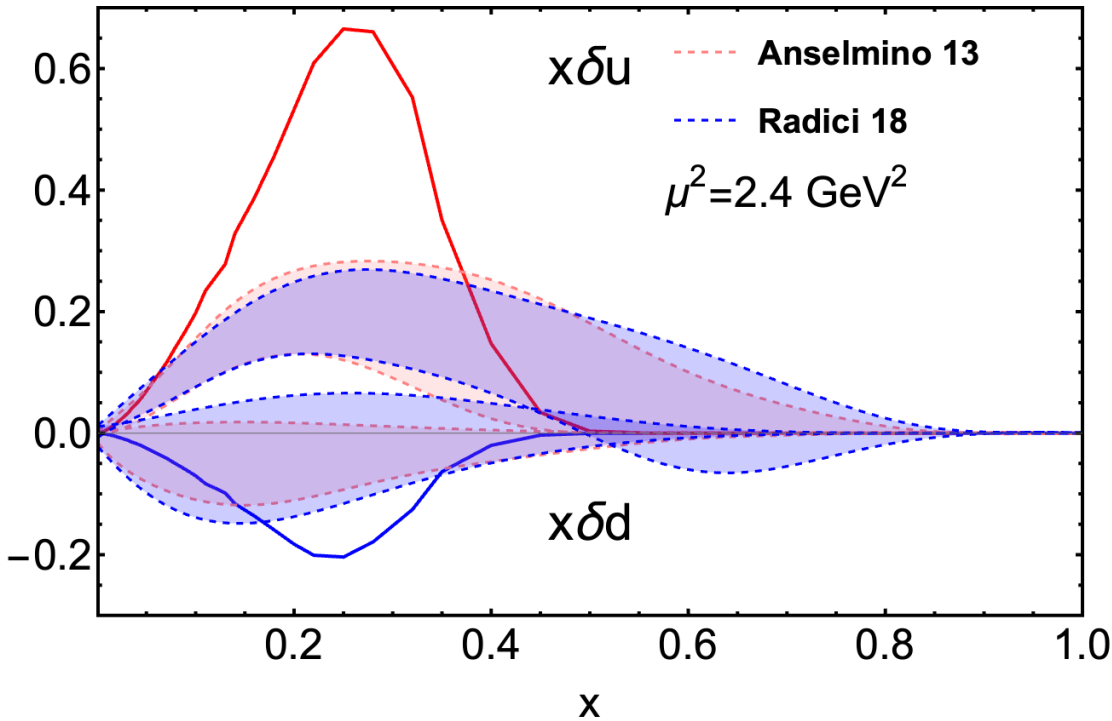
$$\Delta\Sigma_{\bar{u}} = 0.008$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_s = \Delta\Sigma_{\bar{s}} = 0.007$$



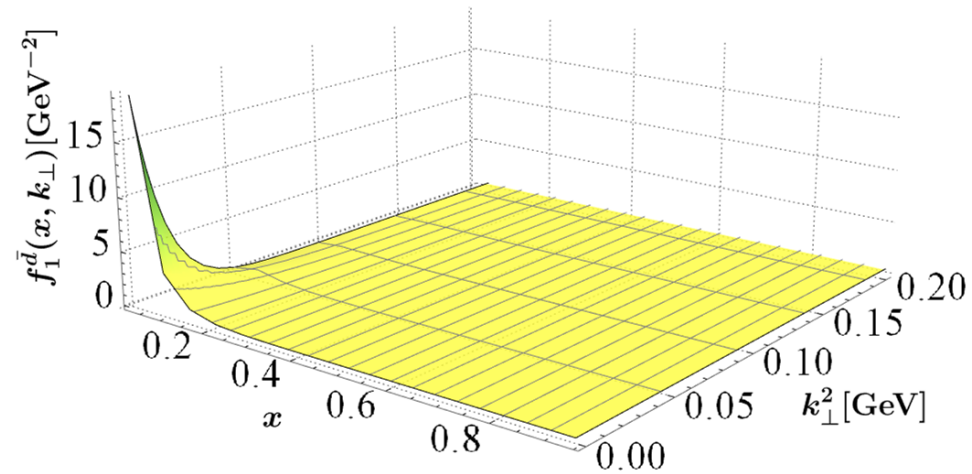
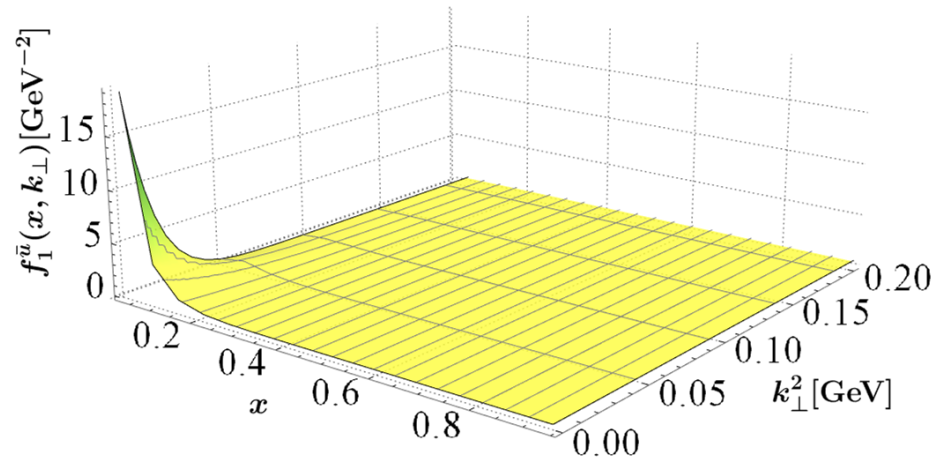
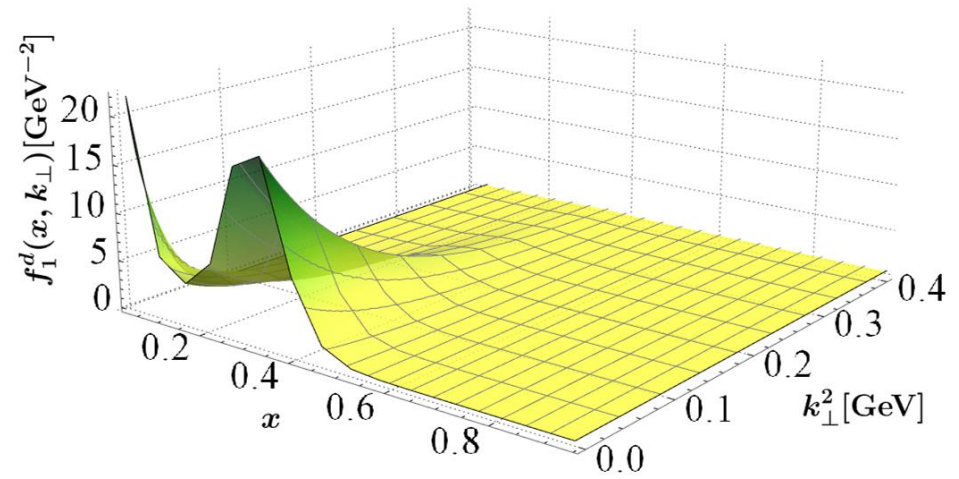
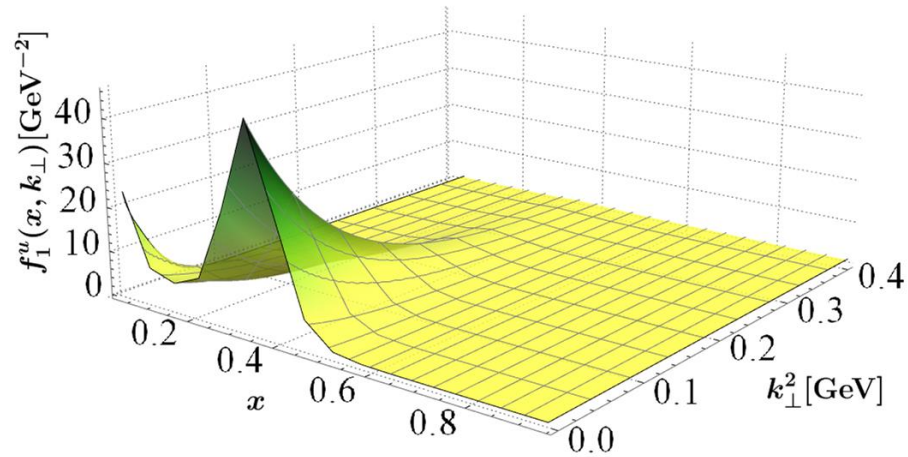


# Transversity PDF



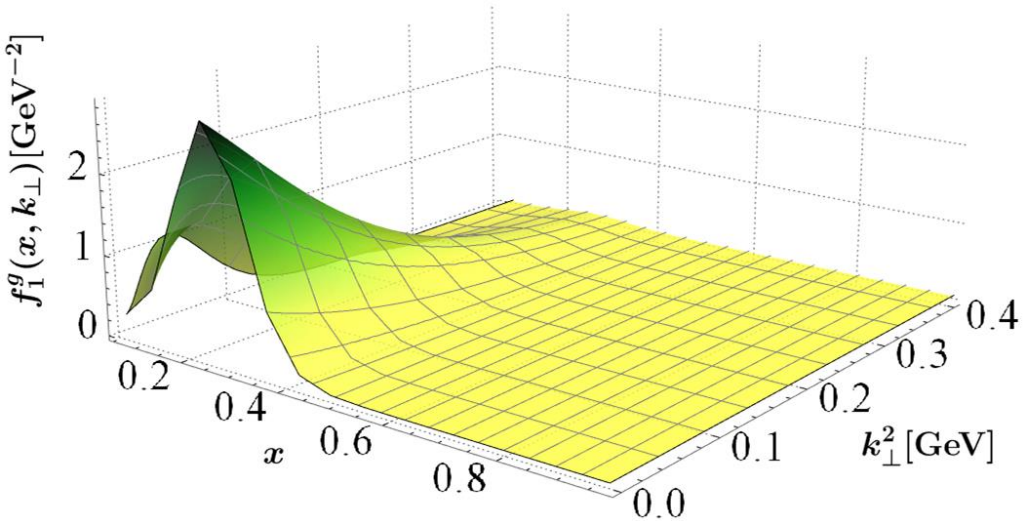
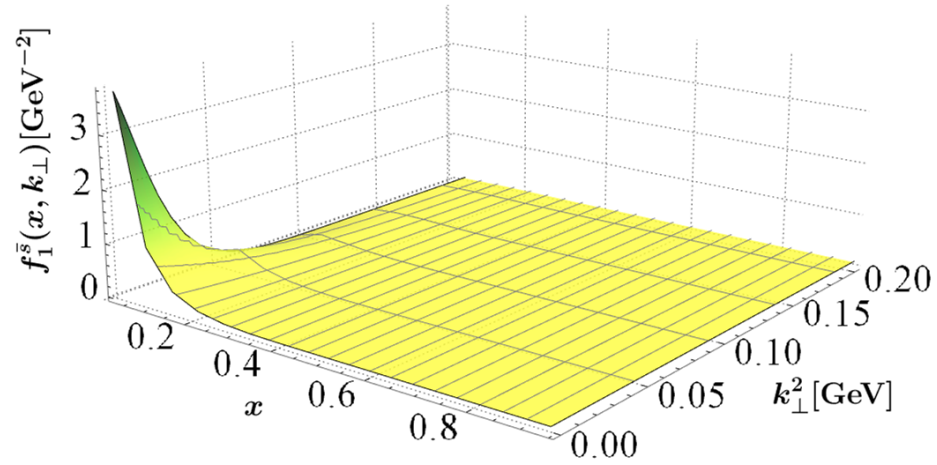
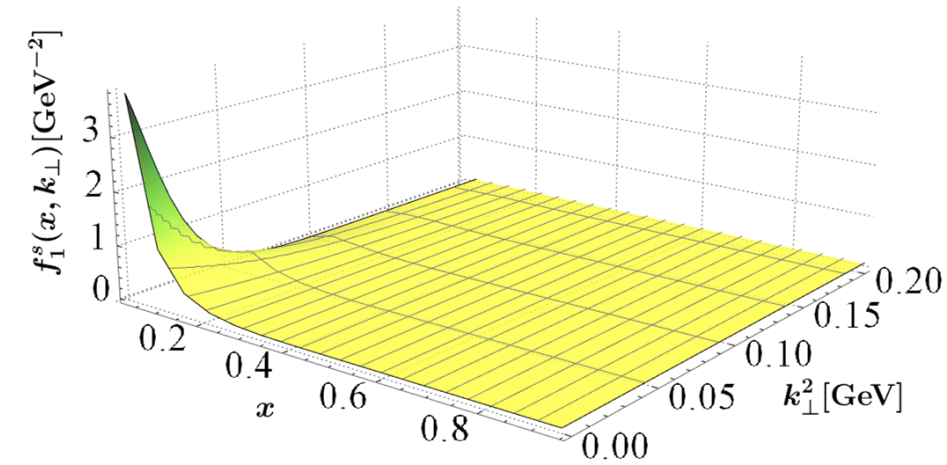
- BLFQ show approximately polarized symmetry between the transverse and longitudinal direction
- BLFQ results more close to the JAM data.
- Down quark's tensor charge agrees with the global fitting data
- Up quark's tensor charge is larger than global fitting data

# TMDs for Valence and Sea Quarks



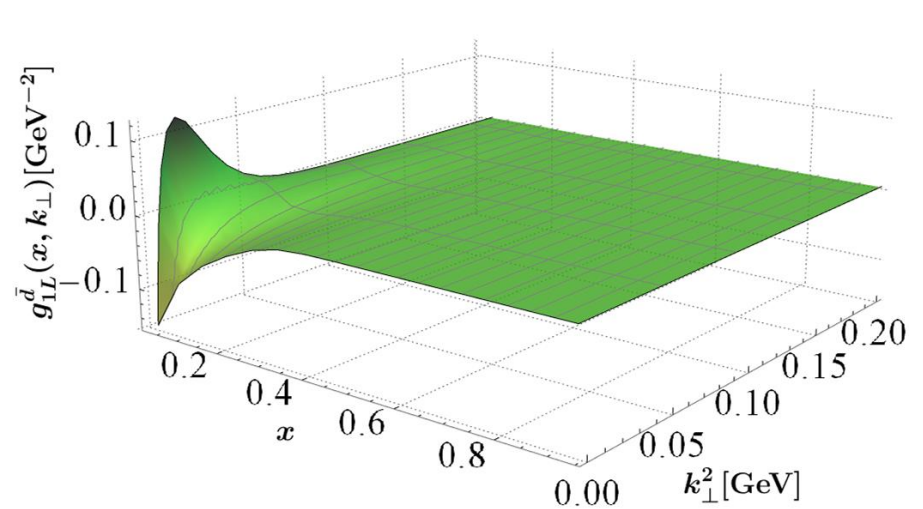
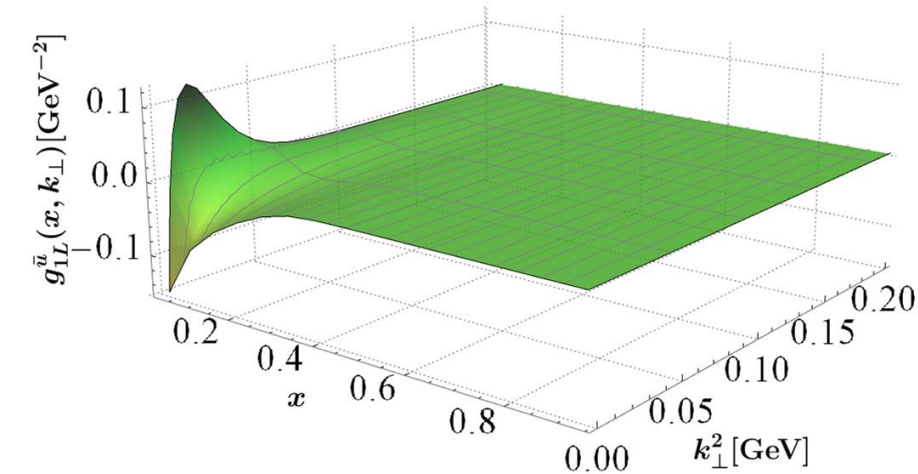
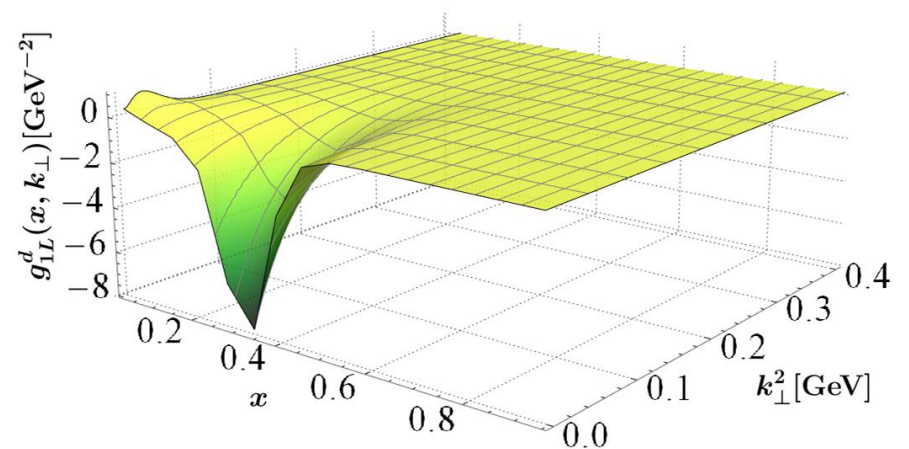
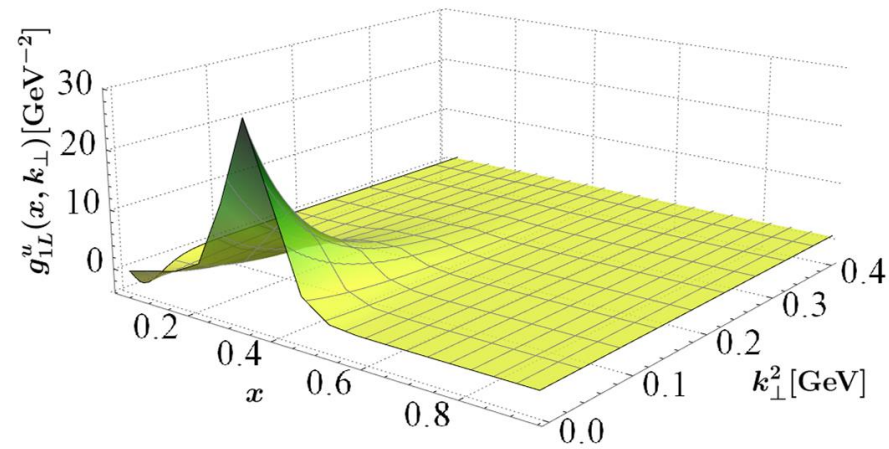
- T-even TMDs
- Gauge link ignored (=1)
- Small x behavior is contributed by  $|qqqq\bar{q}\rangle$

# TMDs for Sea Quarks and Gluon



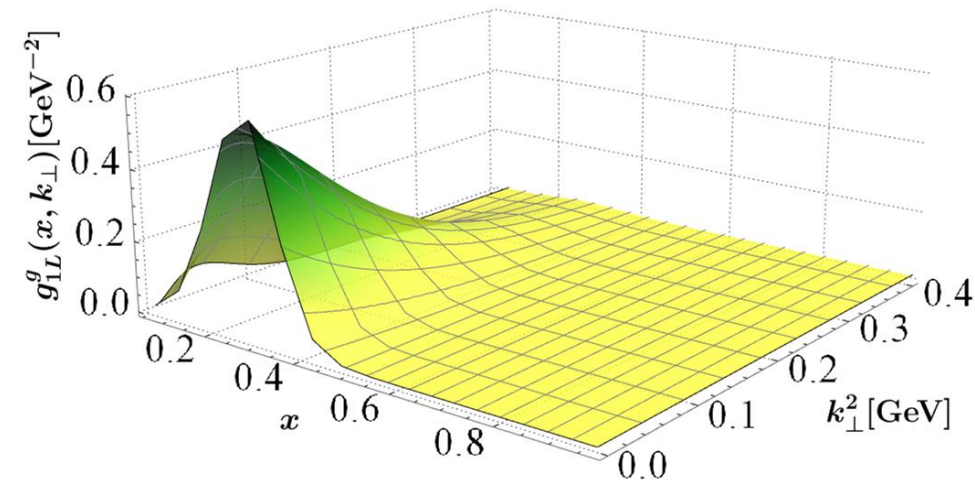
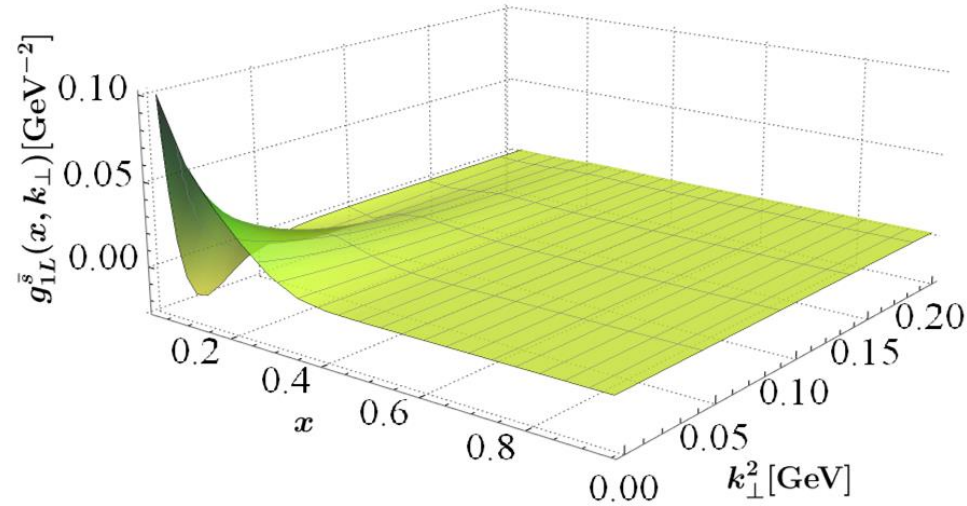
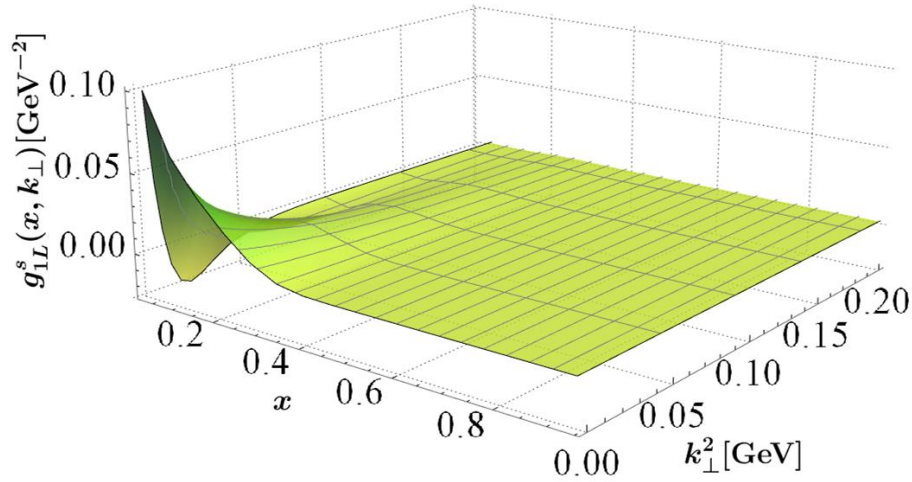
- Strange and anti-strange quarks are peaked in the small- $x$  region

# TMDs with Five Particle Fock Sector



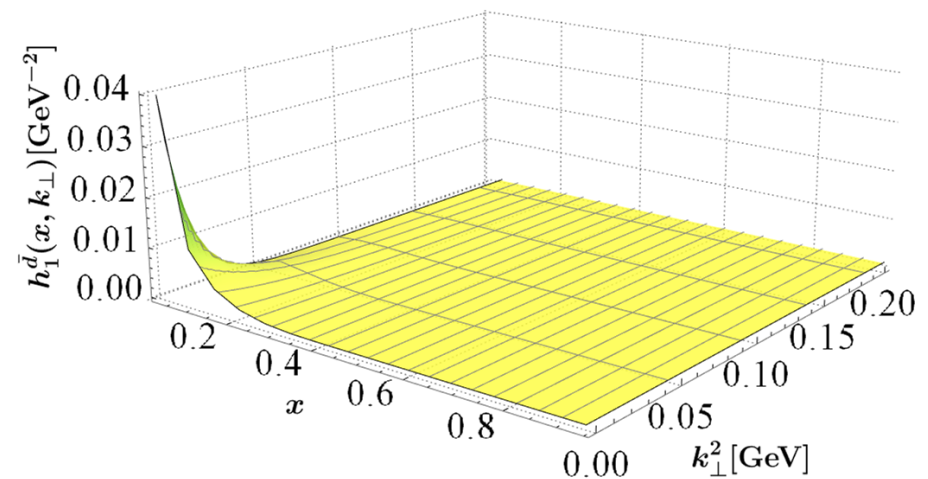
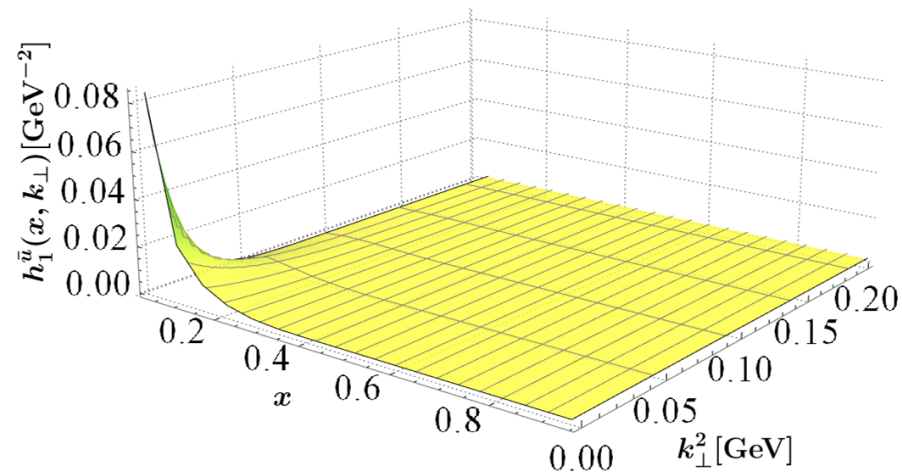
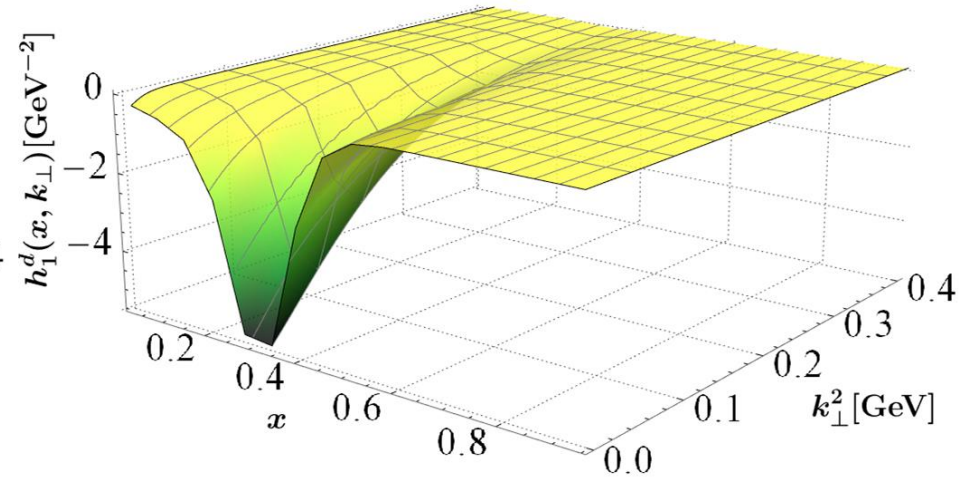
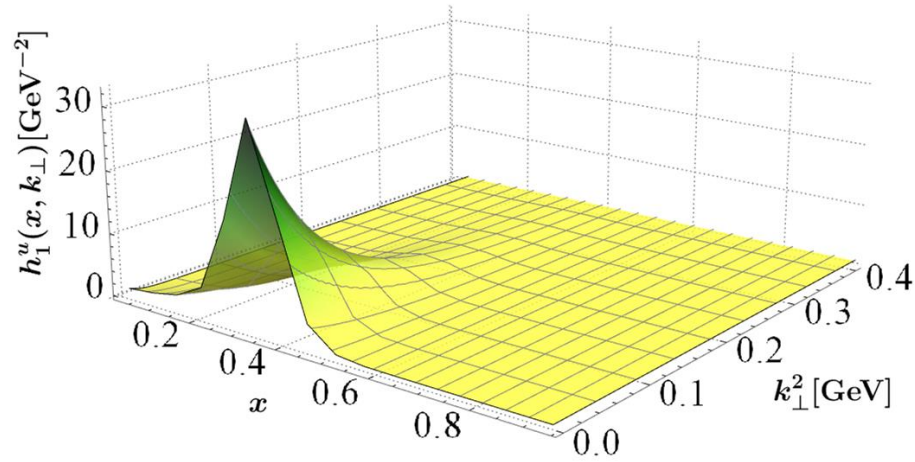
- Up and Down quarks have opposite sign
- Anti-up and anti-down quarks have the same sign

# TMDs with Five Particle Fock Sectors



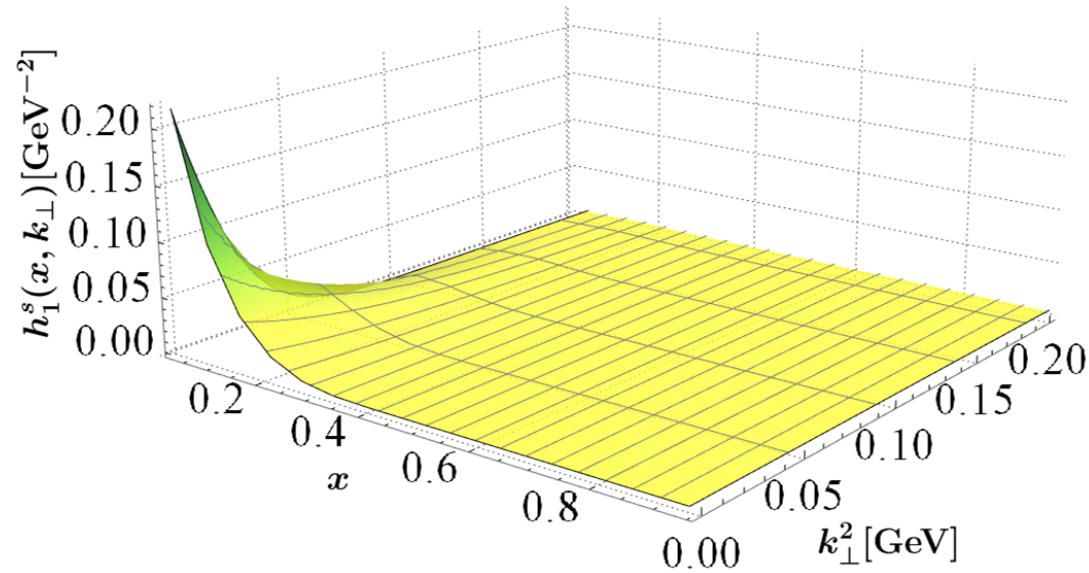
- Strange and anti-strange quark have the same distribution

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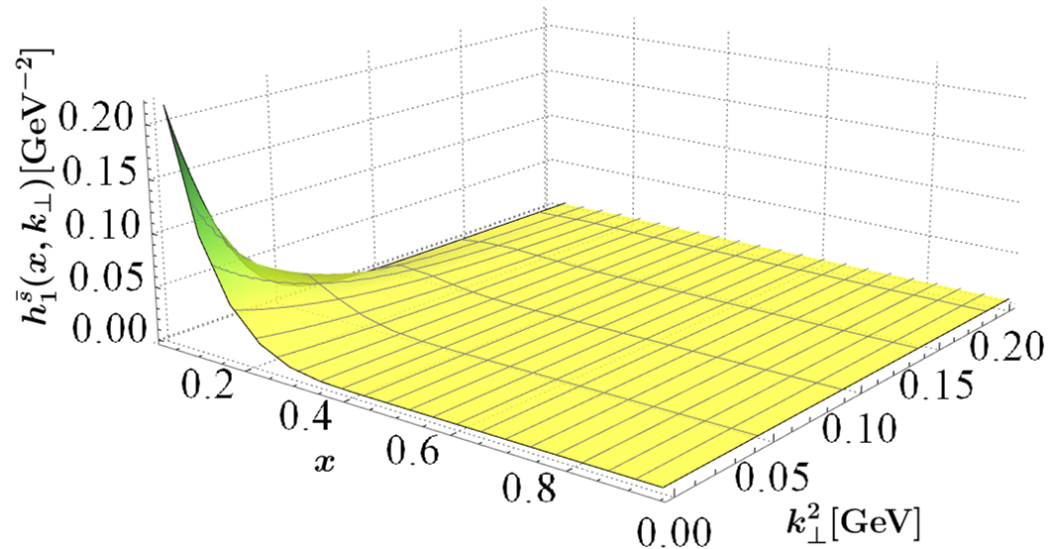
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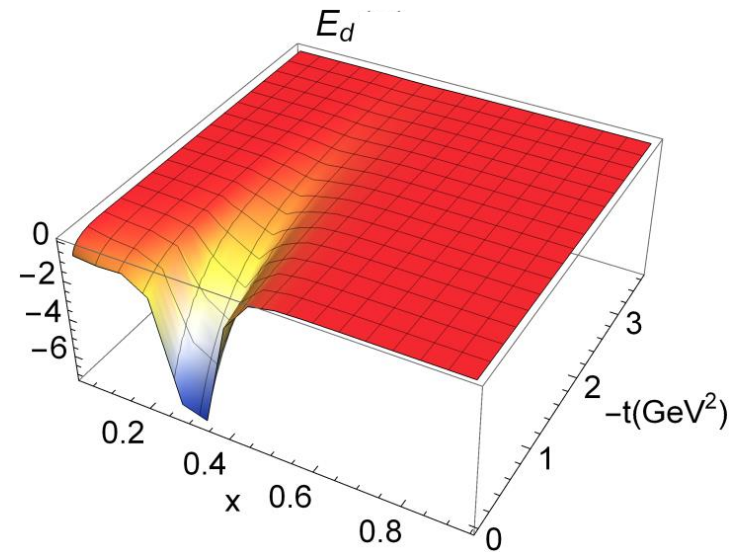
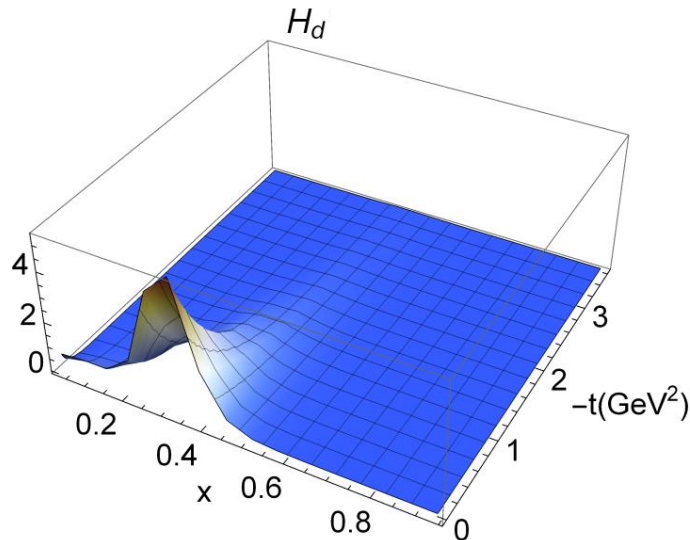
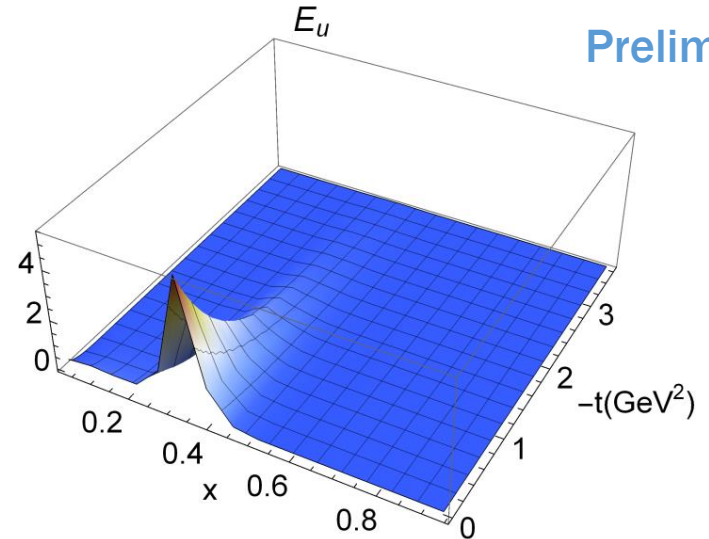
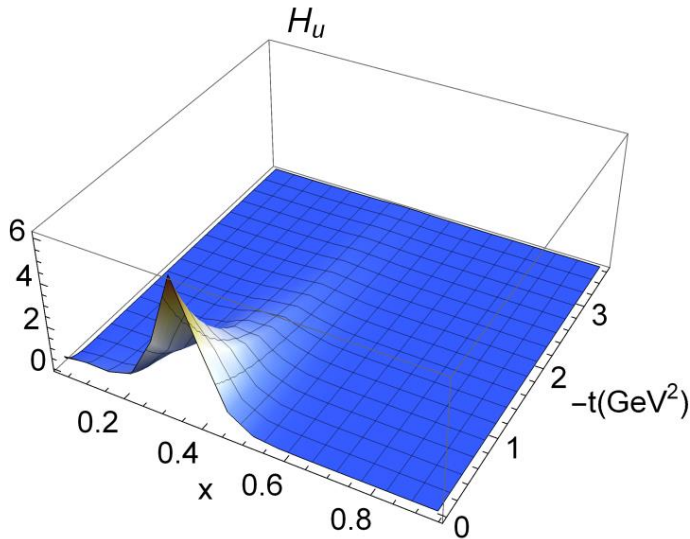
- There is no asymmetry between strange and anti-strange quark in the current Fock space truncation

- Strange and anti-strange quark have the same distribution



# GPDs for Valence Quarks

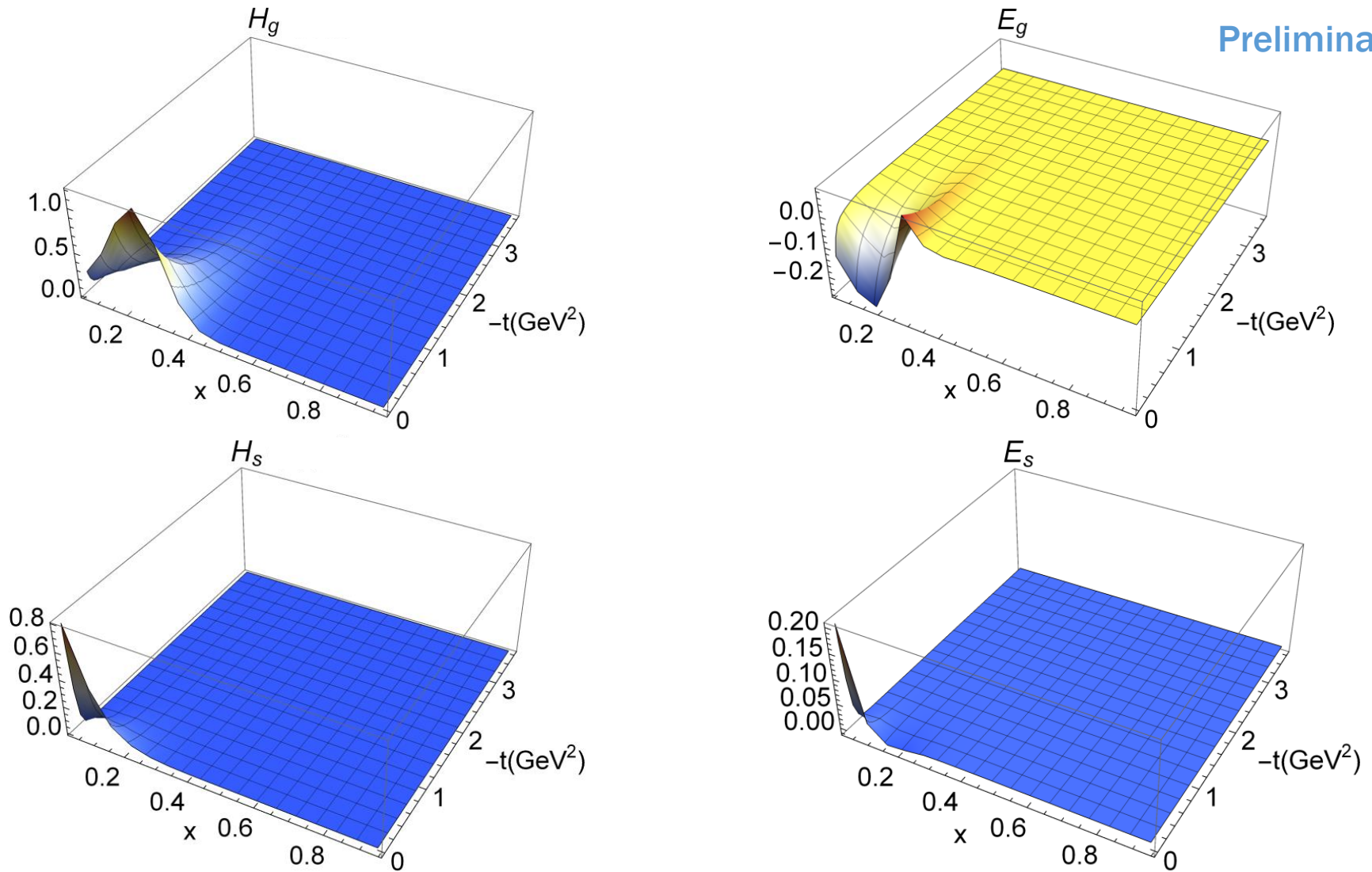
Preliminary



- $u$  and  $d$  quark GPDs (contributions from all Fock sectors)
- $E_u$  has positive distribution while  $E_d$  is negative, consistent with Dirac FF



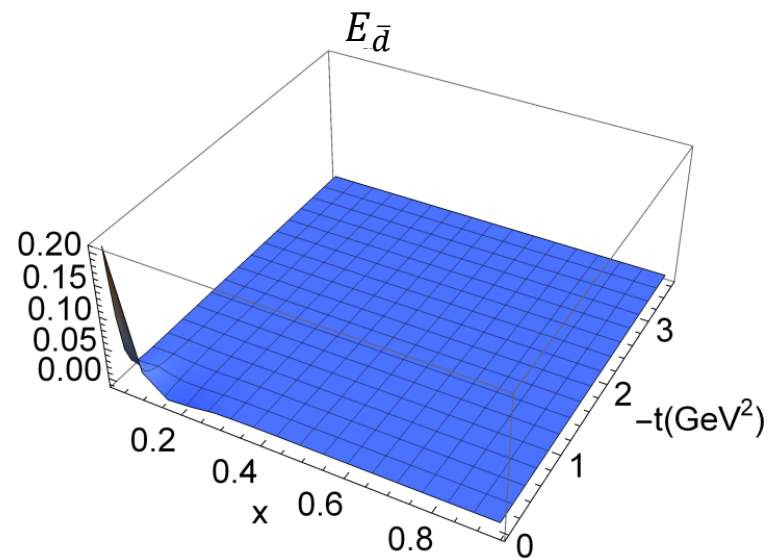
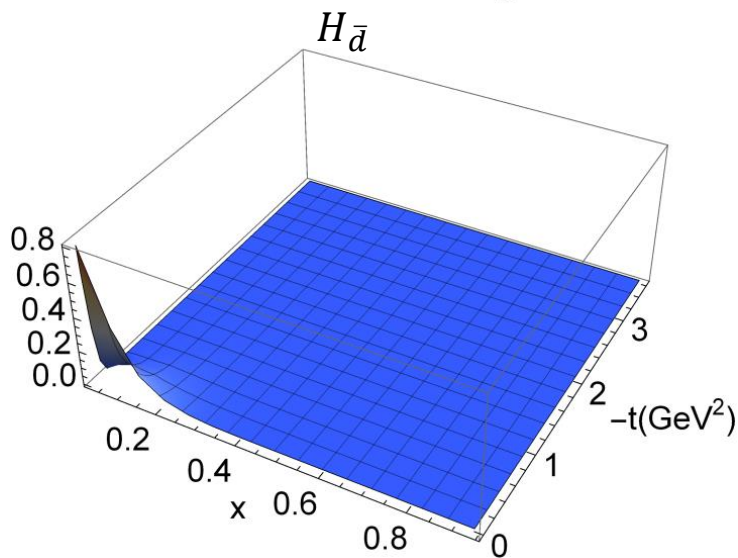
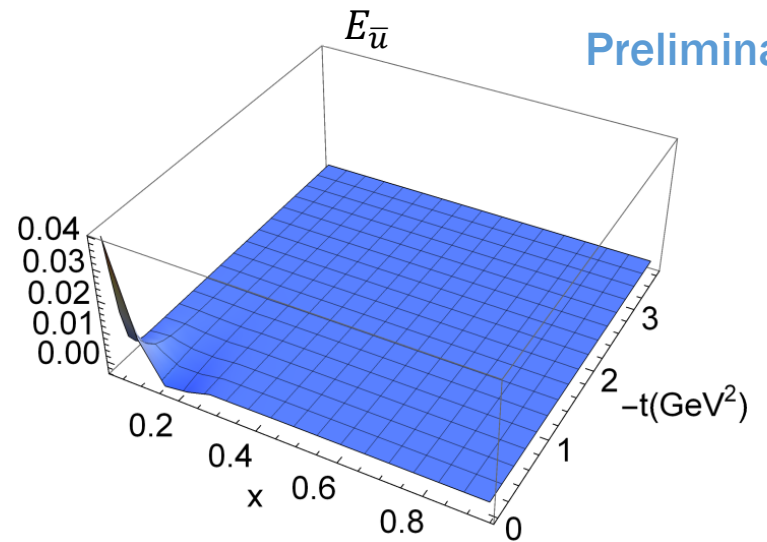
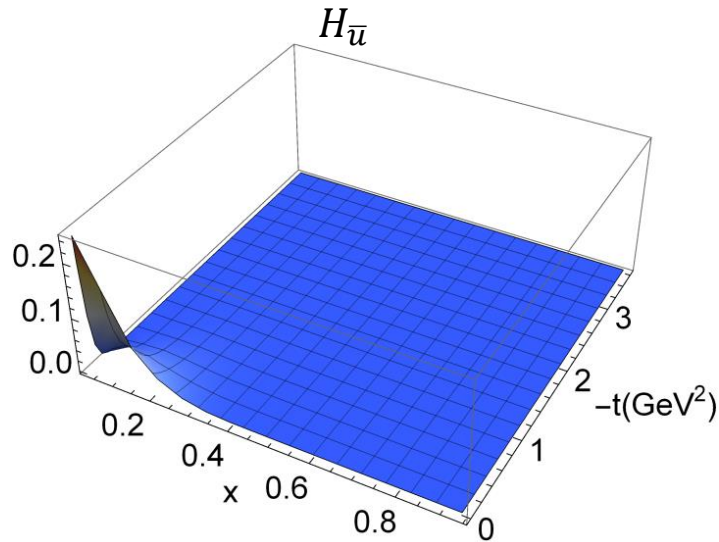
# GPDs for Gluon and Sea Quarks



- Gluon and  $s$  quark GPDs
- $E_s$  mainly contributes at small  $x$  region

# GPDs for Sea Quarks

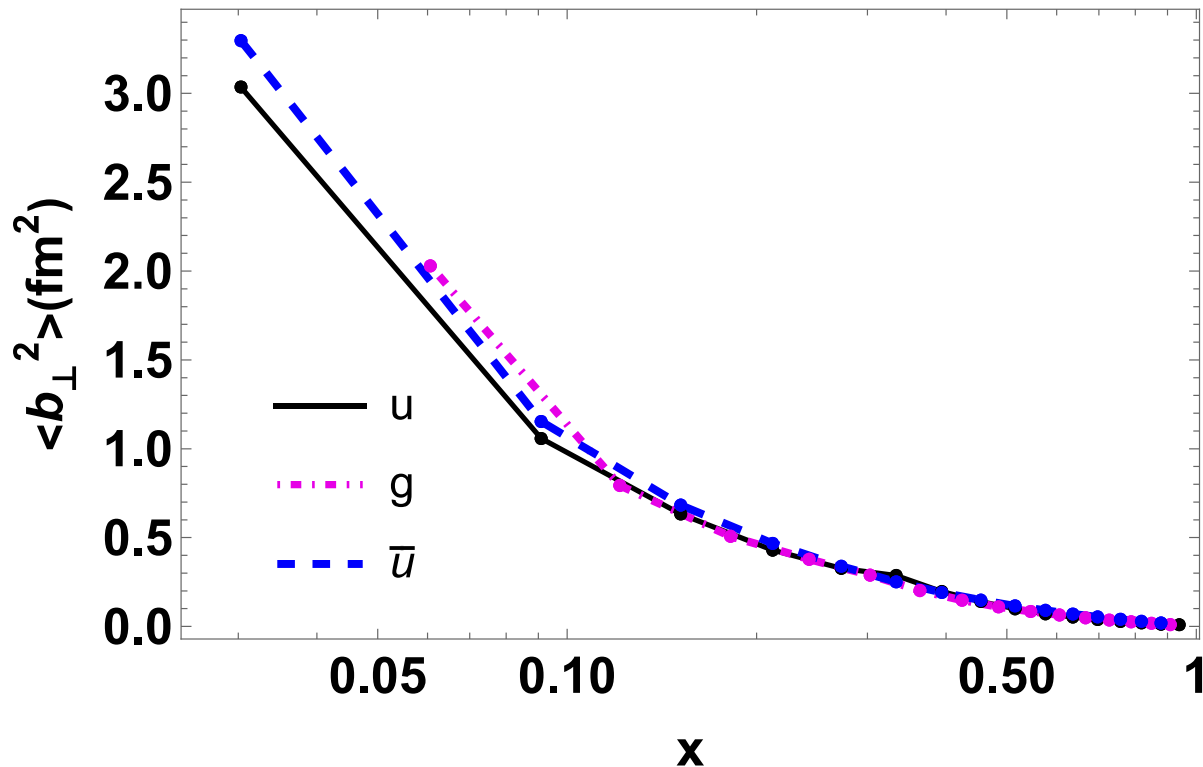
Preliminary



- $\bar{u}$  and  $\bar{d}$  GPDs are concentrated in small- $x$  region
- $\bar{u}$  and  $\bar{d}$  GPD  $E$  have small negative region around  $x \sim 0.2$

# Transverse Radius

$$\langle b_{\perp}^2 \rangle^{q/g}(x) = \frac{\int d^2 b_{\perp} (b_{\perp})^2 \mathcal{H}(x, 0, b_{\perp})}{\int d^2 b_{\perp} \mathcal{H}(x, 0, b_{\perp})}$$



- Valence quarks occupy core region
- Gluon radius > sea quark radius > valence quark radius
- As  $x \rightarrow 1$ , nucleon behaves like point particle

# Conclusion

- Basis Light-front Quantization:
  - Nonperturbative approach to quantum field theory in Hamiltonian formalism
  - Full relativistic effects included
  - Access to 3D structure of hadrons: FFs, PDFs, GPDs, TMDs...
  - Access to parton correlation / higher twist distributions
- Clean input from QCD interactions
  - Correct overall behavior in both longitudinal and transverse directions
  - Almost correct spin structure
  - Insufficient large-x component (possibly due to missing confinement)

# OutLook

- First principles calculation of proton structure
  - Full QCD light-front Hamiltonian implemented
  - More higher Fock sectors included
- Excited nucleon states/mesons/light nuclei
- Reaction dynamics through time-dependent light-front Schrödinger equation

Thanks you



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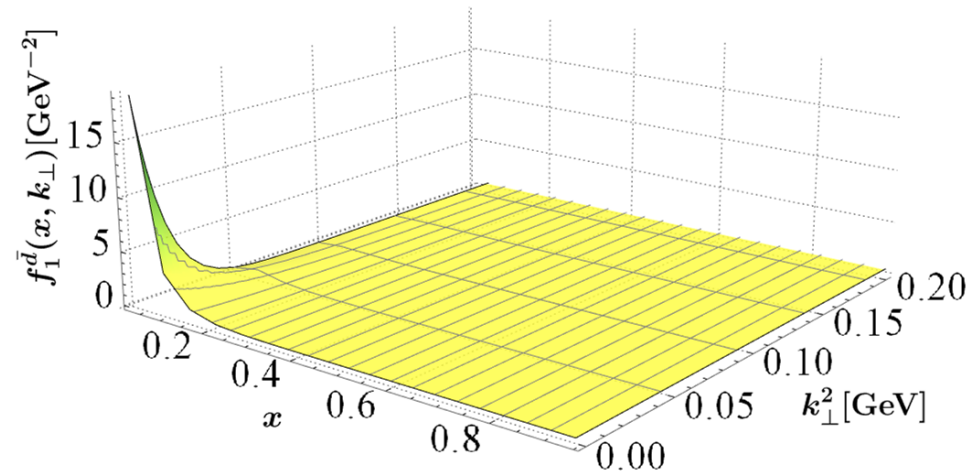
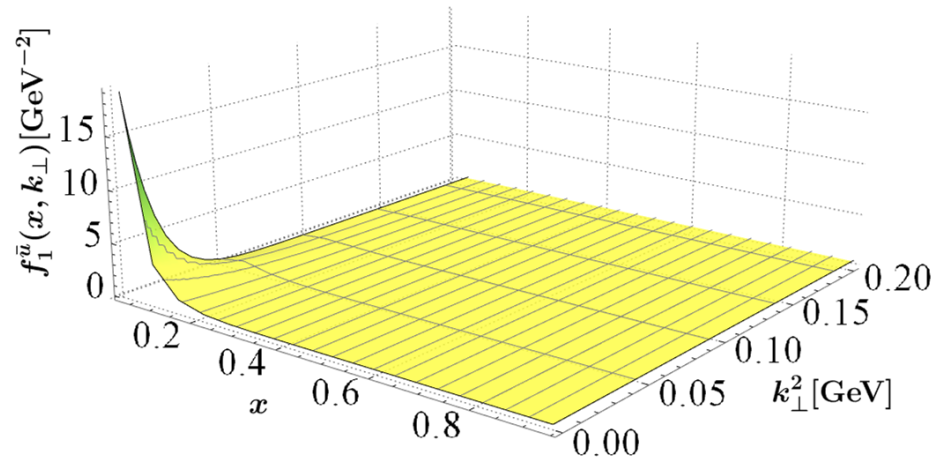
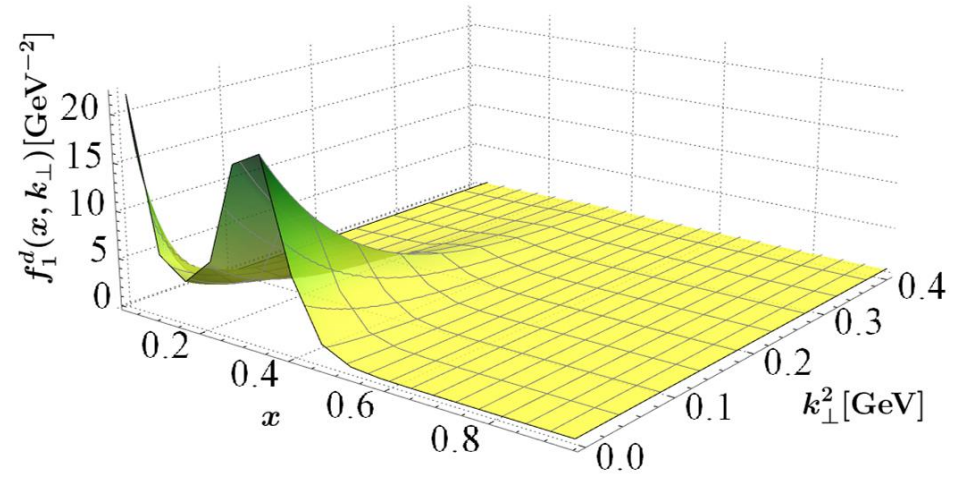
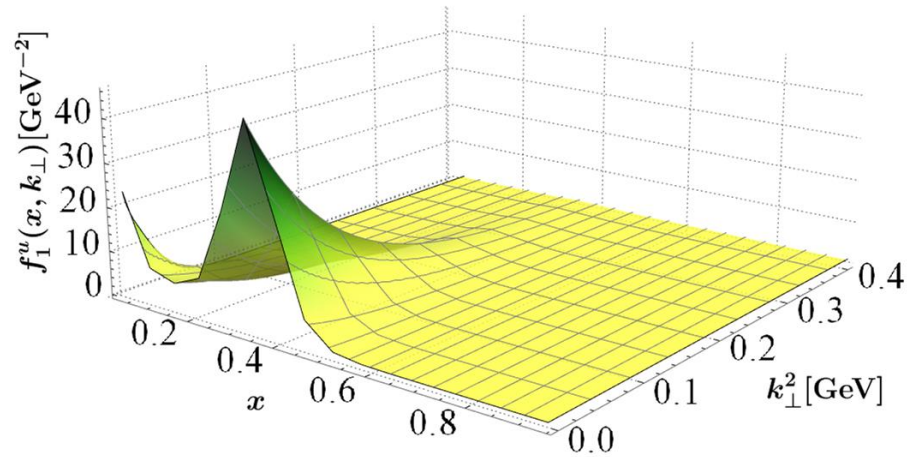
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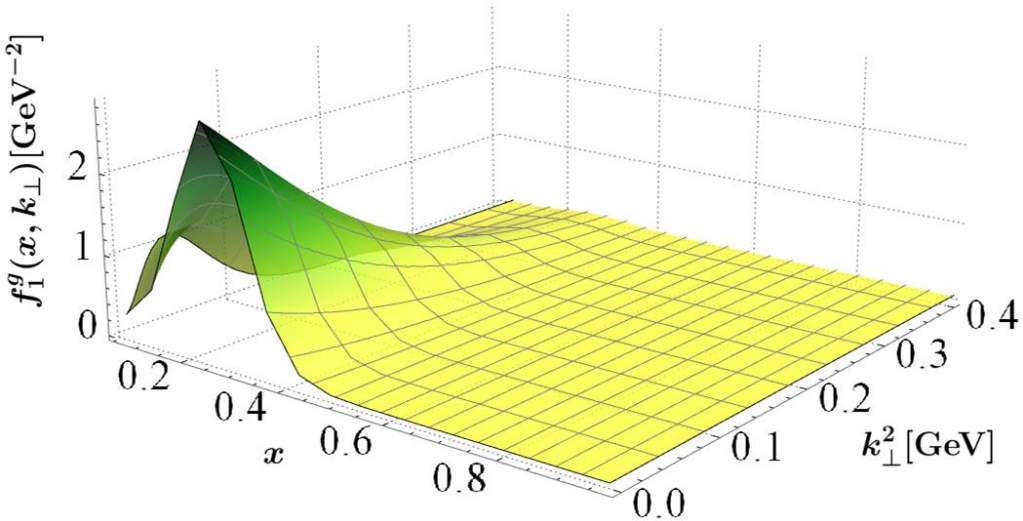
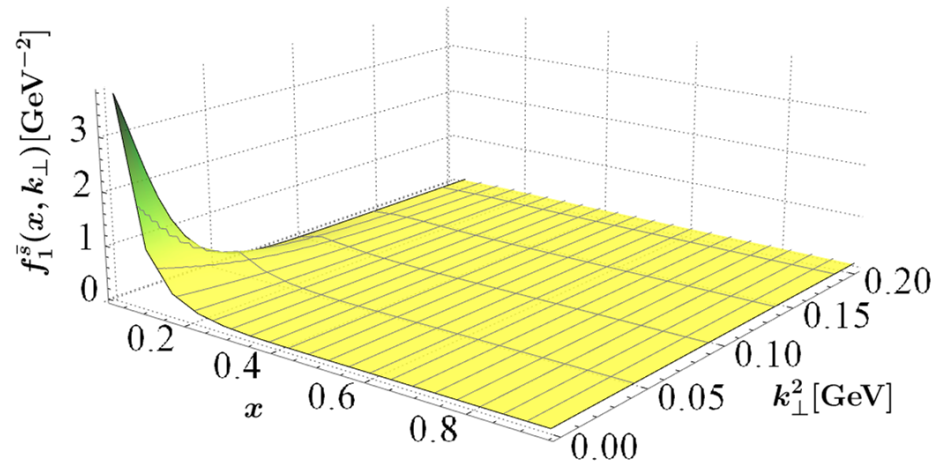
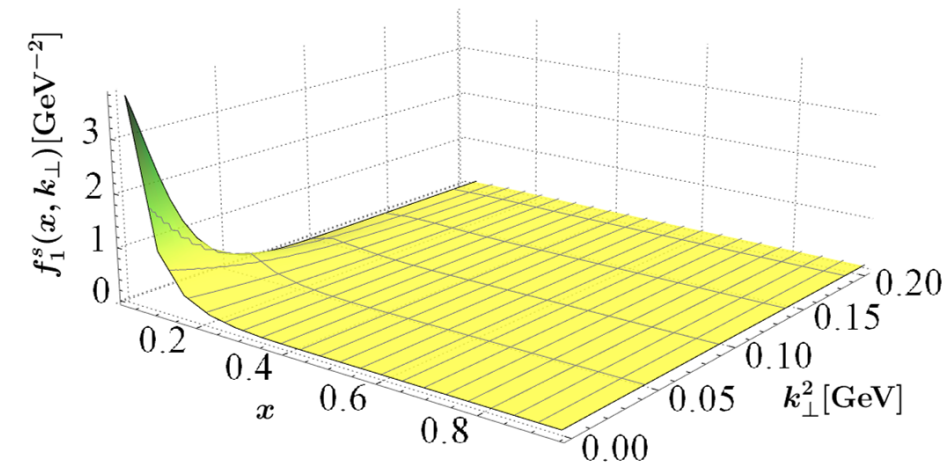
# TMDs for Valence and Sea Quarks



- Small  $x$  behavior is contributed by  $|qqqq\bar{q}\rangle$

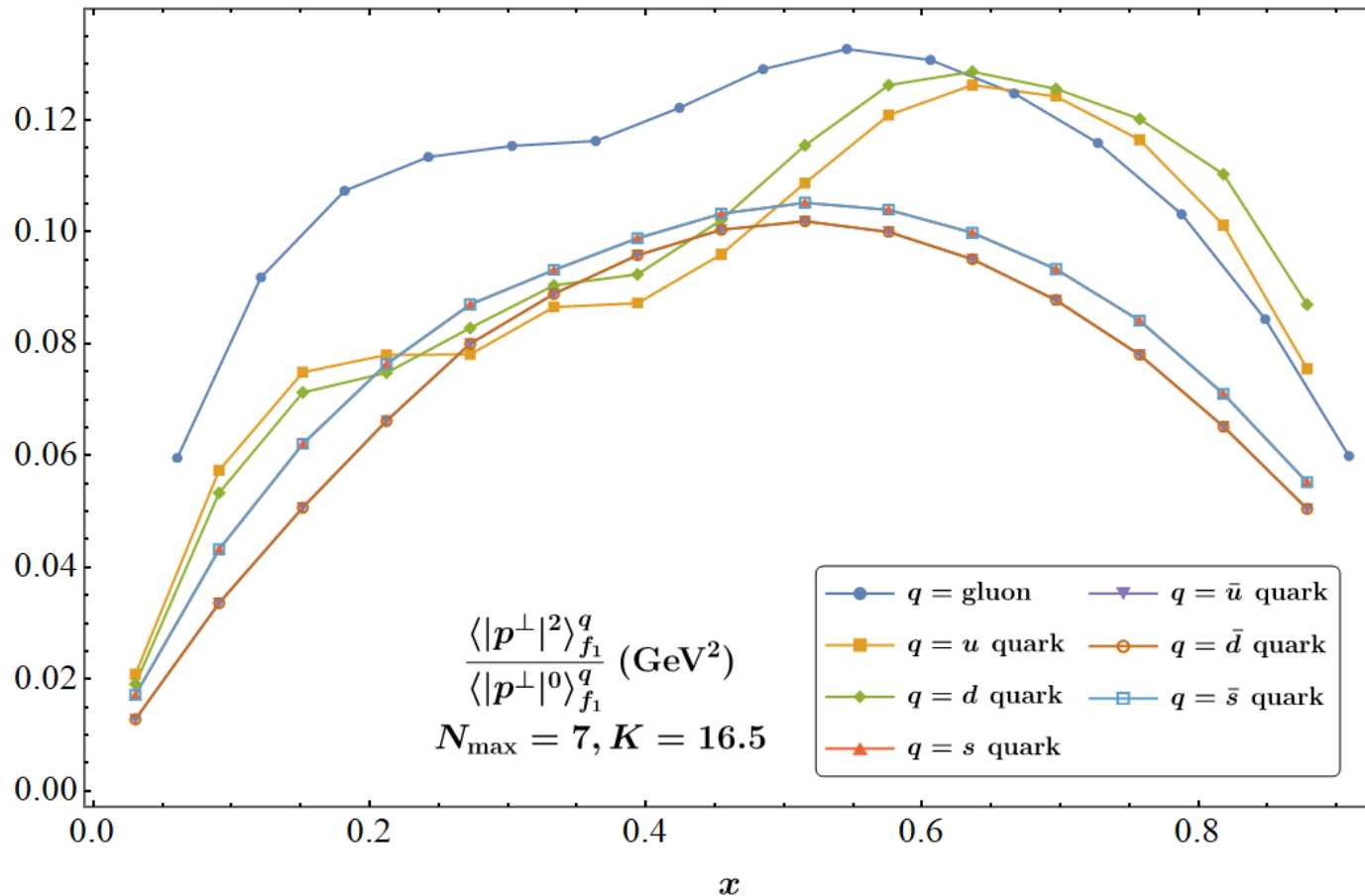


# TMDs for Sea Quarks and Gluon



- Strange and anti-strange quarks are peaked in the small- $x$  region

# Average Transverse Momentum Distribution



- Total contributions from  $|qqq\rangle + |qqq g\rangle + |qqqq\bar{q}\rangle$
- In small-x region, average transverse momentum of gluon is larger than quark
- In large-x region, gluon distribution is almost same with quark distributions

# Publications on Nucleon GPDs

$$|P, \Lambda\rangle = |qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle + |qqq u\bar{u}\rangle + |qqq d\bar{d}\rangle + |qqq s\bar{s}\rangle + \dots$$

## ➤ $|qqq\rangle$ :

[Xu et al., Phys.Rev.D,104.094036] (2021)

[Liu et al., Phys.Rev.D,105.094018] (2022)

[Zhang et al., arXiv:2312.00667 [hep-th]] (2023)

[Kaur et al., Phys. Rev. D 109, 014015] (2024)

## ➤ $|qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle$ :

[Xu et al., Phys.Rev.D,108 9, 094002] (2023)

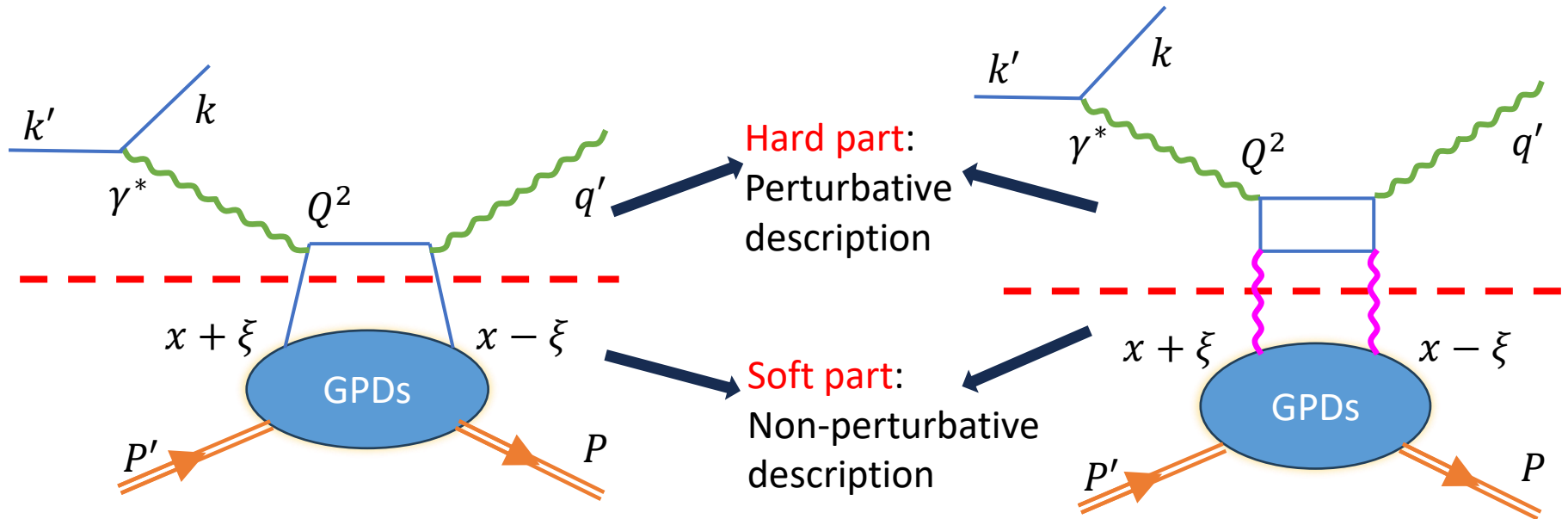
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## ➤ $|qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle + |qqqq\bar{q}\rangle$ :

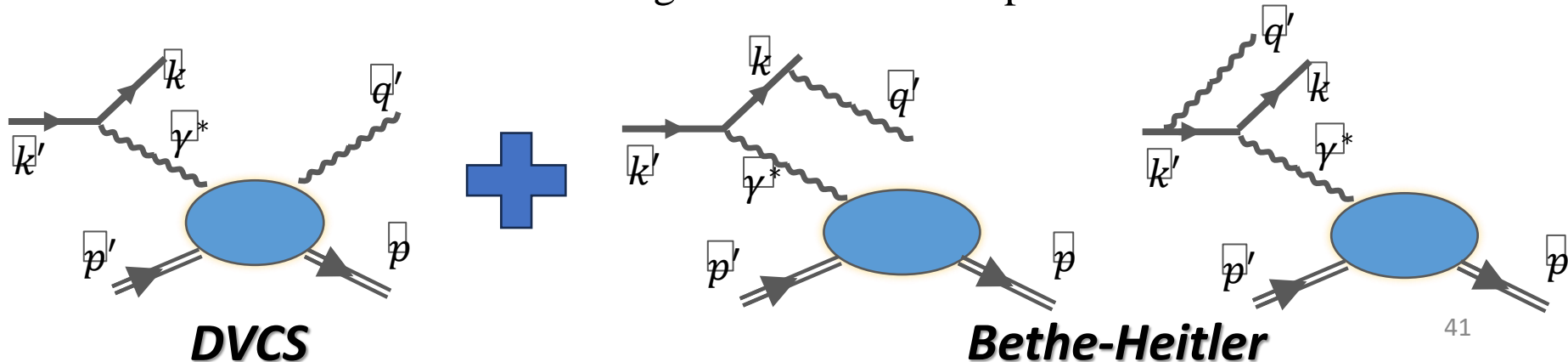
Work in progress

# Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

- The deeply virtual Compton scattering describes the process:  $e + p \rightarrow e + p + \gamma$

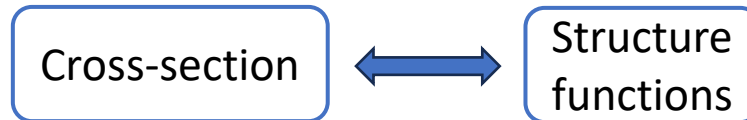


- The DVCS cross-section is distinguishable with BH process:



# GPDs and Compton Form Factors

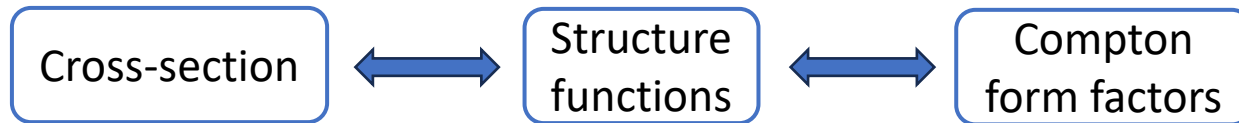
$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d^5 \sigma_{\text{DVCS}}}{dx_B j dQ^2 d|t| d\phi d\phi_S} &= \Gamma |T_{\text{DVCS}}|^2 \\
 &= \frac{\Gamma}{Q^2(1-\epsilon)} \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \epsilon F_{UU,L} + \epsilon \cos 2\phi F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi} + \sqrt{\epsilon(\epsilon+1)} \cos \phi F_{UU}^{\cos \phi} + (2h) \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} \sin \phi F_{LU}^{\sin \phi} \right. \\
 &\quad + (2\Lambda) \left[ \sqrt{\epsilon(\epsilon+1)} \sin \phi F_{UL}^{\sin \phi} + \epsilon \sin 2\phi F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi} + (2h) \left( \sqrt{1-\epsilon^2} F_{LL} + 2\sqrt{\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} \cos \phi F_{LL}^{\cos \phi} \right) \right] \\
 &\quad + (2\Lambda_T) \left[ \sin(\phi - \phi_S) (F_{UT,T}^{\sin(\phi-\phi_S)} + \epsilon F_{UT,L}^{\sin(\phi-\phi_S)}) + \epsilon \sin(\phi + \phi_S) F_{UT}^{\sin(\phi+\phi_S)} + \epsilon \sin(3\phi - \phi_S) F_{UT}^{\sin(3\phi-\phi_S)} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} (\sin \phi_S F_{UT}^{\sin \phi_S} + \sin(2\phi - \phi_S) F_{UT}^{\sin(2\phi-\phi_S)}) \right] \\
 &\quad + (2h)(2\Lambda_T) \left[ \sqrt{1-\epsilon^2} \cos(\phi - \phi_S) F_{LT}^{\cos(\phi-\phi_S)} + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} \cos \phi_S F_{LT}^{\cos \phi_S} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} \cos(2\phi - \phi_S) F_{LT}^{\cos(2\phi-\phi_S)} \right] \left. \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$



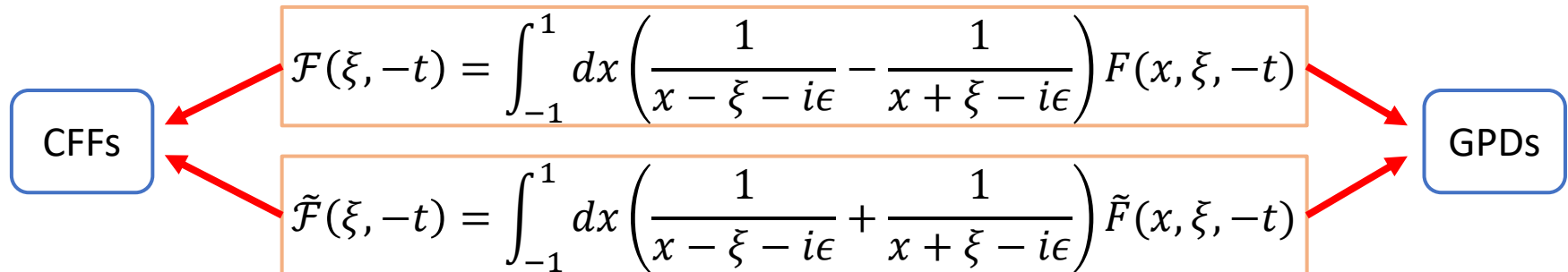
# GPDs and Compton Form Factors

## ➤ Cross sections to Compton form factors

$$|T|^2 = |T_{BH} + T_{DVCS}|^2 = |T_{BH}|^2 + |T_{DVCS}|^2 + T_{BH}^* T_{DVCS} + T_{DVCS}^* T_{BH}$$



## ➤ GPDs to Compton form factors



- Compton form factors are integrations of GPDs over  $x$
- It is challenging to extract GPDs from CFFs
- Exploring GPDs from theory is interesting

# Semi-Inclusive DIS

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx dy dz d\psi d^2 p_{h\perp}} = \frac{\alpha_{em}^2}{xyQ^2} \left(1 + \frac{\gamma^2}{2x}\right) \left(\mathcal{F}_{UU} + \lambda_l \mathcal{F}_{LU} + \lambda \mathcal{F}_{UL} + \lambda_l \lambda \mathcal{F}_{LL} + S_\perp \mathcal{F}_{UT} + \lambda_l S_\perp \mathcal{F}_{LT}\right),$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{UU} = \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left(F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos \phi_h} \cos \phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \cos 2\phi_h\right),$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{UL} = \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left(\sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UL}^{\sin \phi_h} \sin \phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} \sin 2\phi_h\right),$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{LU} = \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LU}^{\sin \phi_h} \sin \phi_h,$$

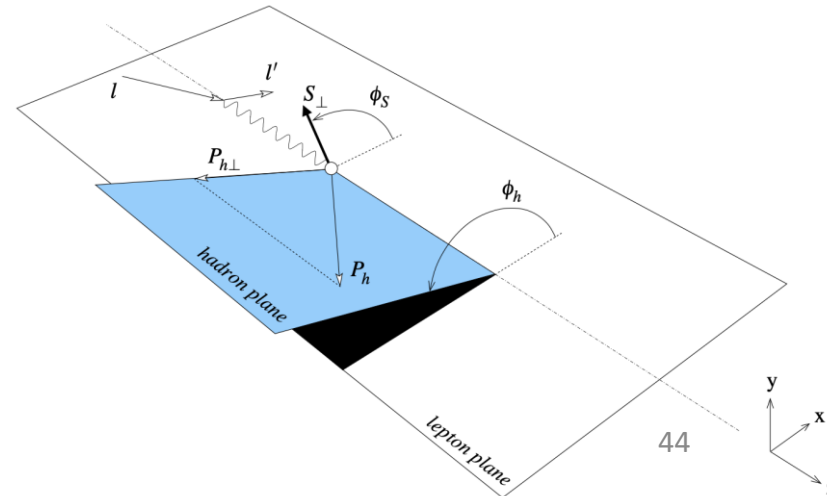
$$\mathcal{F}_{LL} = \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left(\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} F_{LL} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h} \cos \phi_h\right),$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{UT} = \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left[ \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UT}^{\sin \phi_S} \sin \phi_S + (F_{UT,T}^{\sin(\phi_h-\phi_S)} + \varepsilon F_{UT,L}^{\sin(\phi_h-\phi_S)}) \sin(\phi_h - \phi_S) \right. \\ \left. + \varepsilon F_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h+\phi_S)} \sin(\phi_h + \phi_S) + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UT}^{\sin(2\phi_h-\phi_S)} \sin(2\phi_h - \phi_S) + \varepsilon F_{UT}^{\sin(3\phi_h-\phi_S)} \sin(3\phi_h - \phi_S) \right],$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{LT} = \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left[ \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LT}^{\cos \phi_S} \cos \phi_S + \sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} F_{LT}^{\cos(\phi_h-\phi_S)} \cos(\phi_h - \phi_S) \right. \\ \left. + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LT}^{\cos(2\phi_h-\phi_S)} \cos(2\phi_h - \phi_S) \right],$$

$$\varepsilon = \frac{1 - y - \frac{1}{4}\gamma^2 y^2}{1 - y + \frac{1}{2}y^2 + \frac{1}{4}\gamma^2 y^2},$$

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2P \cdot q} \quad y = \frac{P \cdot q}{P \cdot l} \quad z = \frac{P \cdot P_h}{P \cdot q} \quad \gamma = \frac{2Mx}{Q}$$



# Spin Asymmetry

➤ **Sivers Asymmetry:** 
$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)} = \langle \sin(\phi_h - \phi_S) \rangle_{UT}$$

$$= \frac{F_{UT,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)} + \varepsilon F_{UT,L}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)}}{2(F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L})},$$

➤ **Collins Asymmetry:** 
$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_S)} = \langle \sin(\phi_h + \phi_S) \rangle_{UT}$$

$$= \frac{\varepsilon F_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_S)}}{2(F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L})}.$$

➤ **Structure functions:**

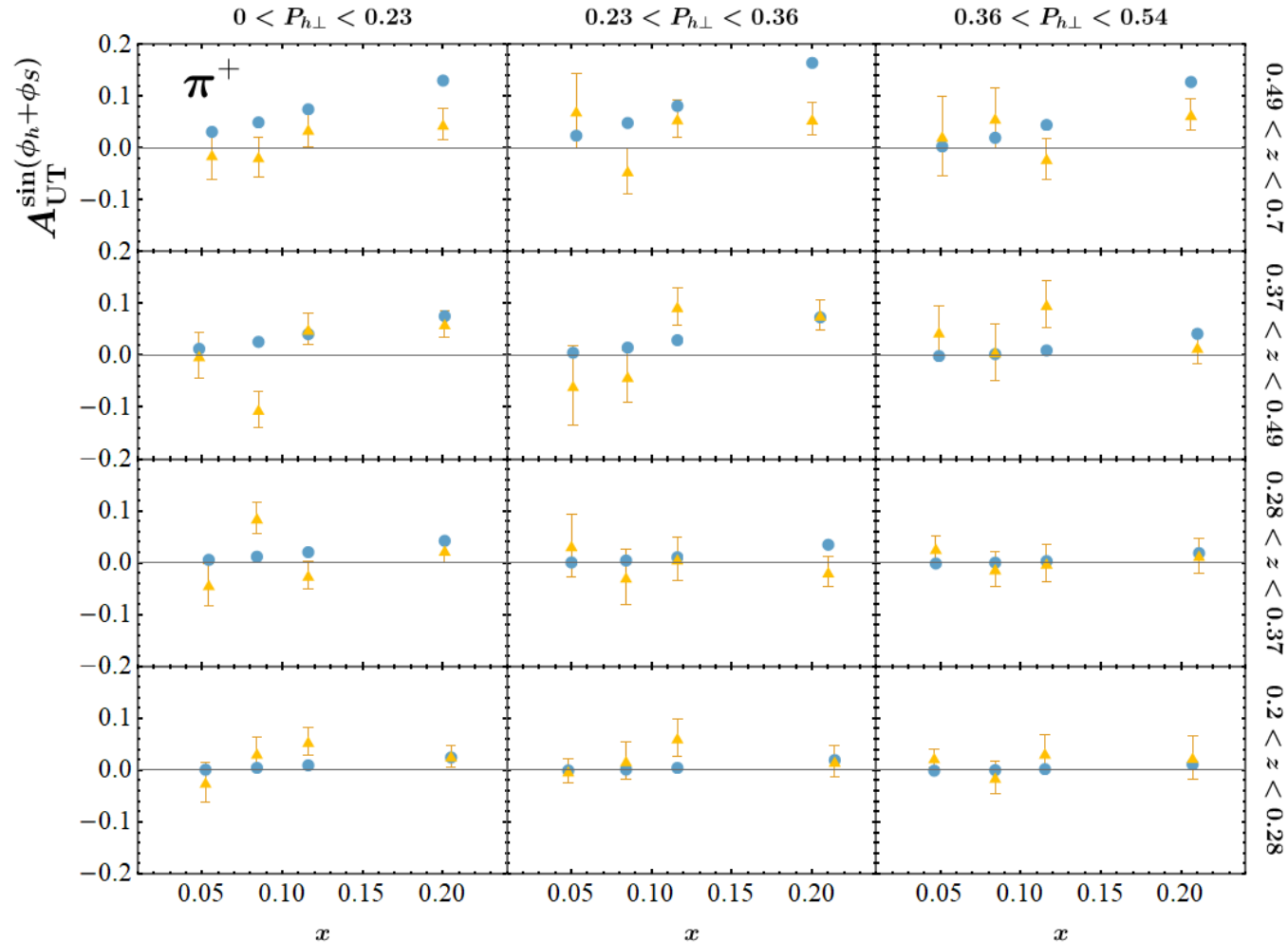
$$F_{UU,T} = \mathcal{C}[f_1 D_1] \quad F_{UT,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)} = \mathcal{C}\left[-\frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_T}{M} f_{1T}^\perp D_1\right] \quad F_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_S)} = \mathcal{C}\left[-\frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{k}_T}{M_h} h_1 H_1^\perp\right]$$

$$F_{UU,L} = 0, \quad F_{UT,L}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)} = 0,$$

$$\mathcal{C}[w f D] = x \sum_a e_a^2 \int d^2 \mathbf{p}_T d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{p}_T - \mathbf{k}_T - \mathbf{P}_{h\perp}/z) w(\mathbf{p}_T, \mathbf{k}_T) f^a(x, p_T^2) D^a(z, k_T^2),$$



# Spin Asymmetry



experiment data is HERMES 2020

$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_s)} \propto \frac{\mathcal{C}[\omega_3 h_1 H_1^\perp]}{\mathcal{C}[f_1 D_1]}$$

$$\omega_3 = -\frac{\hat{h} \cdot \vec{k}_T}{M}$$

$M$  is the mass of nucleon  
 $M_h$  is the mass of Hadron

# Light-Front Hamiltonian

$$|P_{baryon}\rangle = \Psi_1 |qqq\rangle + \Psi_2 |qqqg\rangle$$

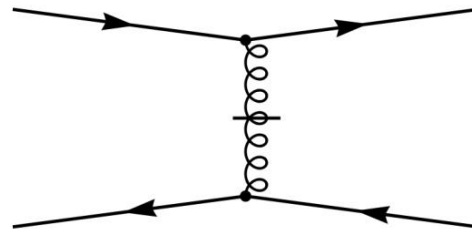
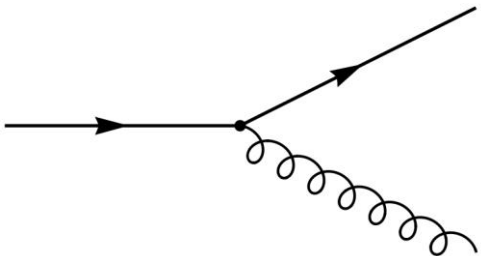
$$P^- = H_{K.E.} + H_{trans} + H_{longi} + H_{Interact}$$

$$H_{K.E.} = \sum_i \frac{p_i^2 + m_q^2}{p_i^+}$$

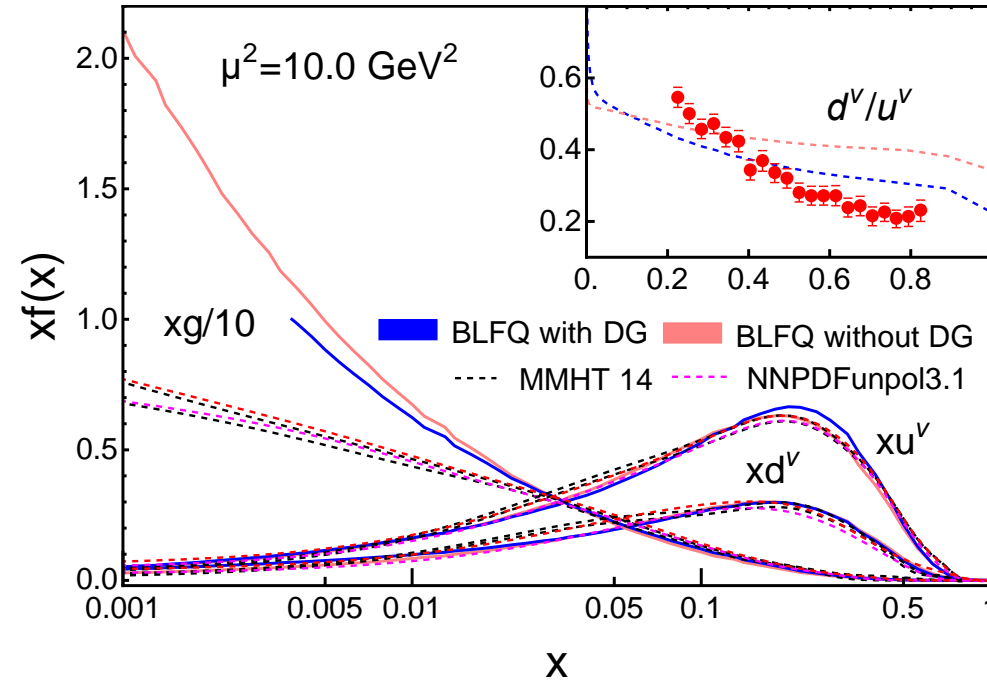
$$H_{trans} \sim \kappa_T^4 r^2 \quad \text{-- Brodsky, Teramond arXiv: 1203.4025}$$

$$H_{longi} \sim - \sum_{ij} \kappa_L^4 \partial_{x_i} (x_i x_j \partial_{x_j}) \quad \text{---Y Li, X Zhao, P Maris, J Vary, PLB 758(2016)}$$

$$H_{Interact} = H_{Vertex} + H_{inst} = g \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu T^a \psi A_\mu^a + \frac{g^2 C_F}{2} j^+ \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} j^+$$



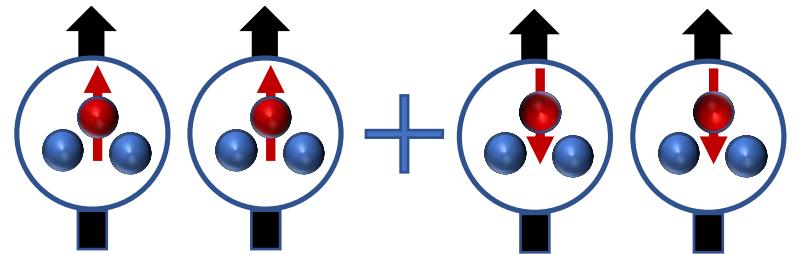
# Unpolarized Parton Distribution Functions



$$\mu_0^2 = 0.24 \pm 0.01 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$\mu_0^2 = 0.19 \pm 0.02 \text{ GeV}^2$$

## Unpolarized PDFs:



- Interpret as particle number density distribution
- The data points are extracted from MARATHON data

Including the One Dynamical Gluon Fock Sector, the gluon distribution is closer to the global fit.

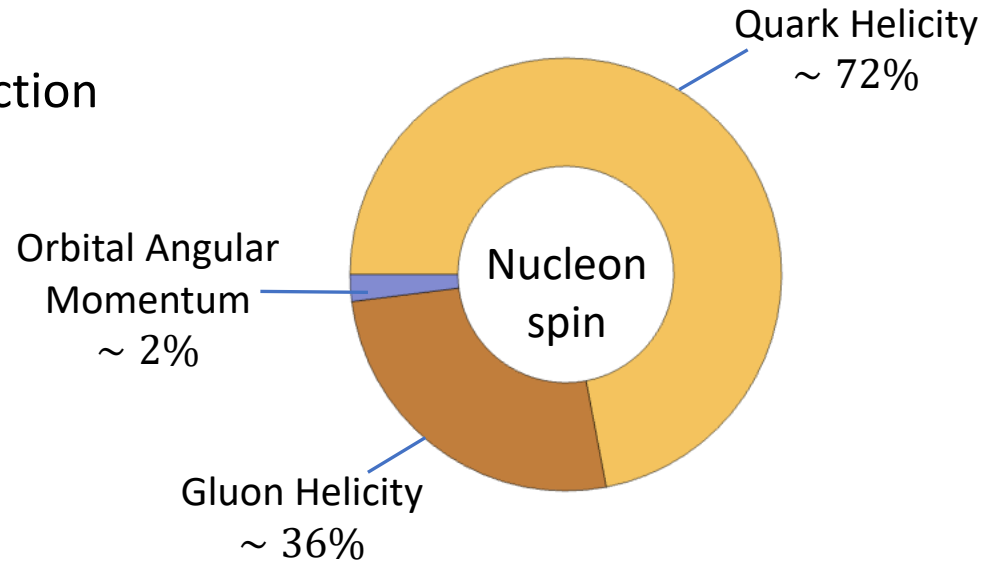
# Nucleon Spin with BLFQ

- Obtain observables from wave function

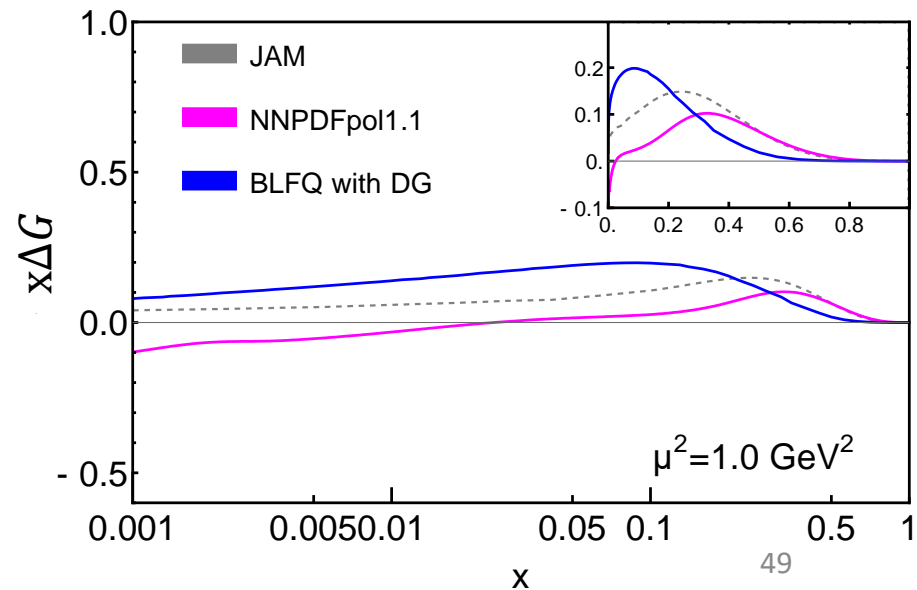
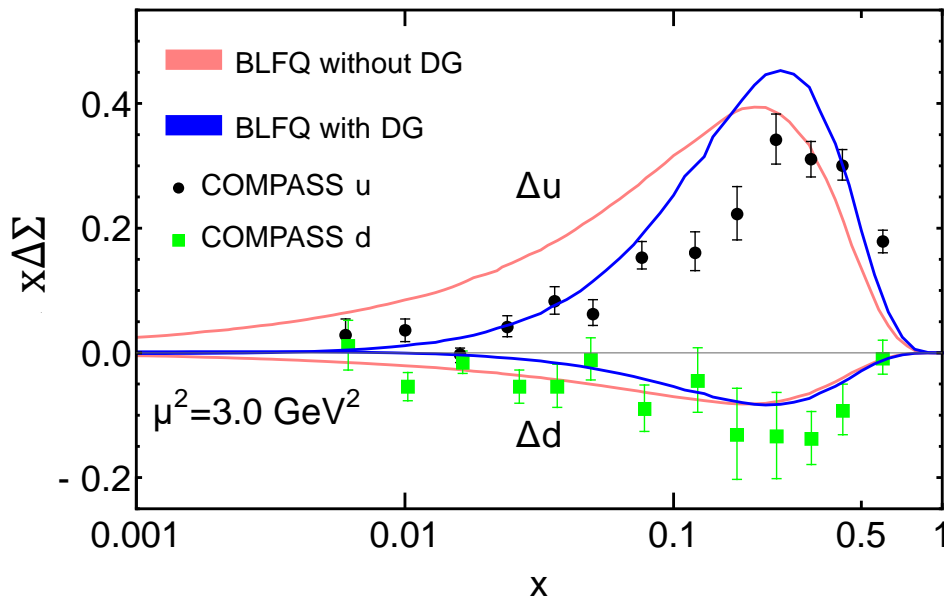
$$O \equiv \langle \beta', \Lambda' | \hat{O} | \beta, \Lambda \rangle$$

- Spin decomposition in BLFQ

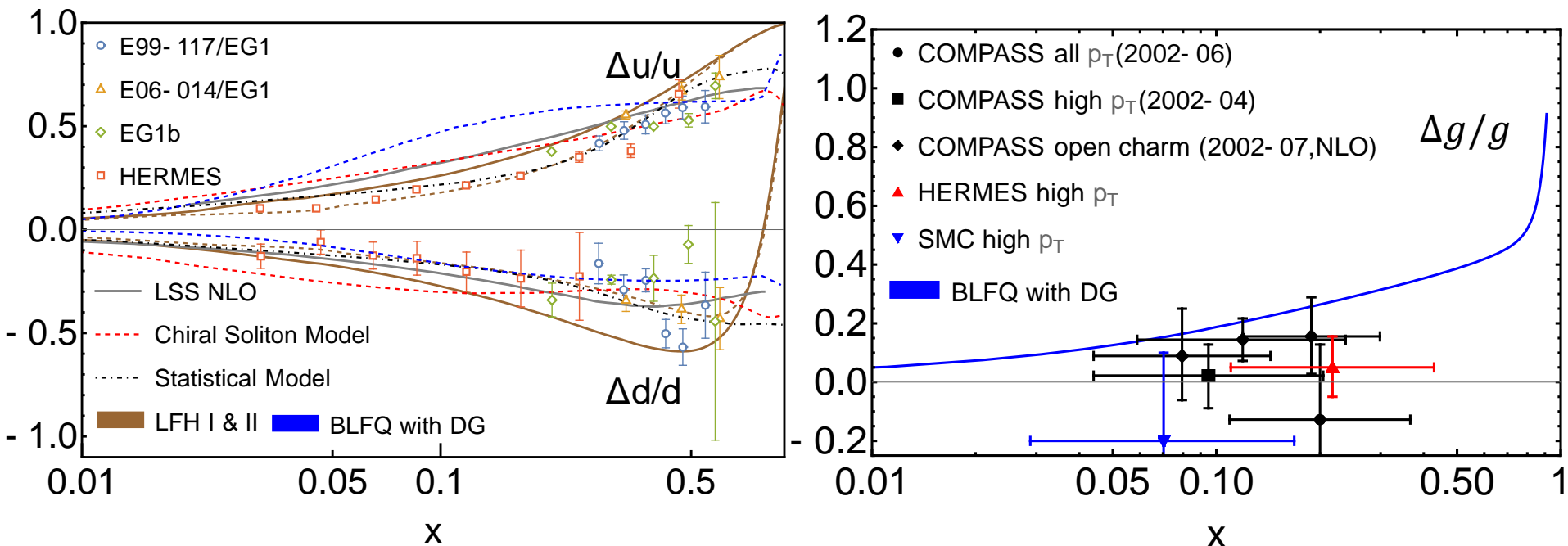
$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + \Delta G + L_q + L_g$$



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# Helicity Parton Distribution Functions

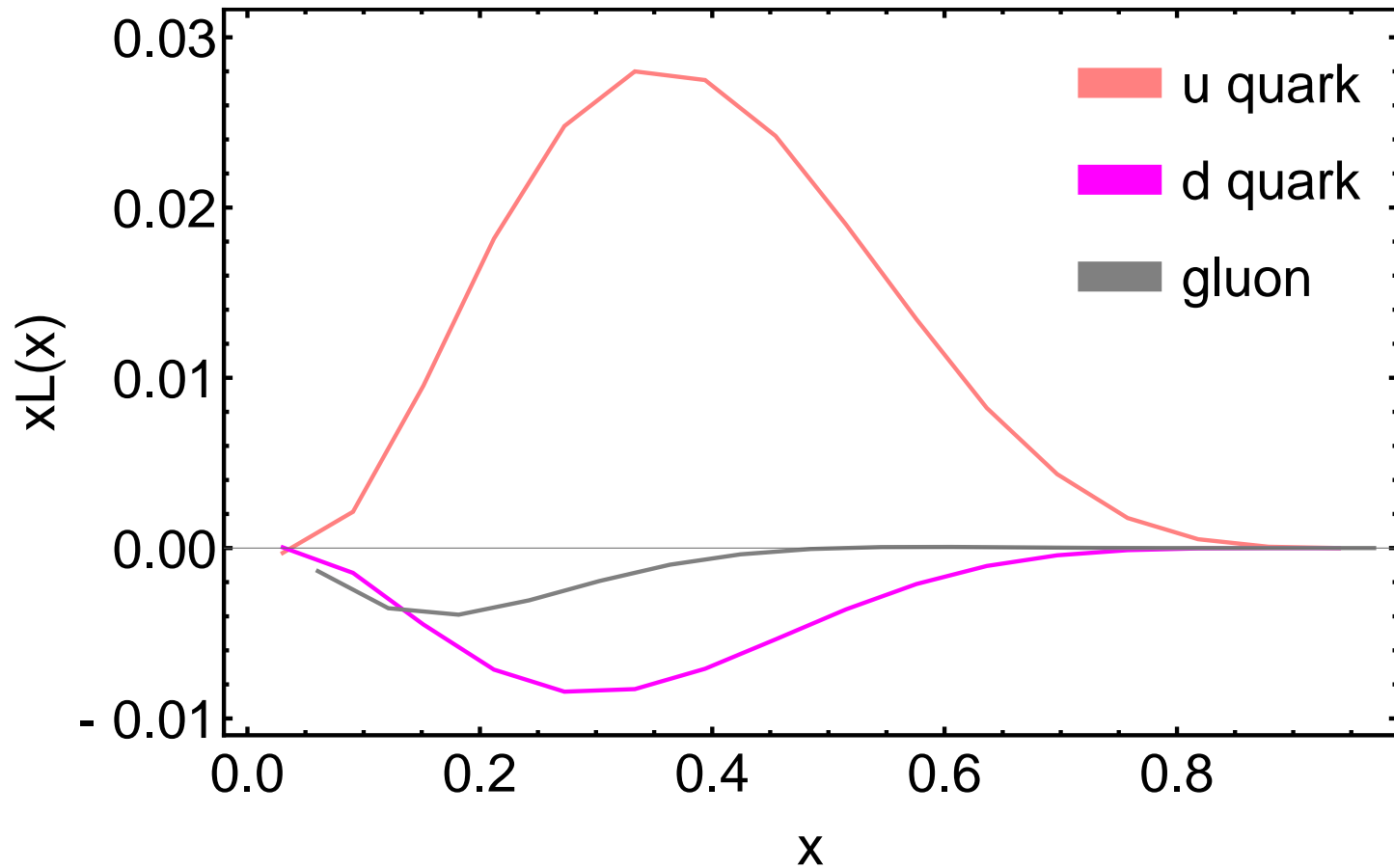


- $\Delta G = \int_0^1 dx \Delta g(x) = 0.131 \pm 0.003$ , is sizeable to the proton spin.

- PHENIX Collaboration:  $\Delta G^{[0.02,0.3]} = 0.2 \pm 0.1$  PRL 103 (2009) 012003

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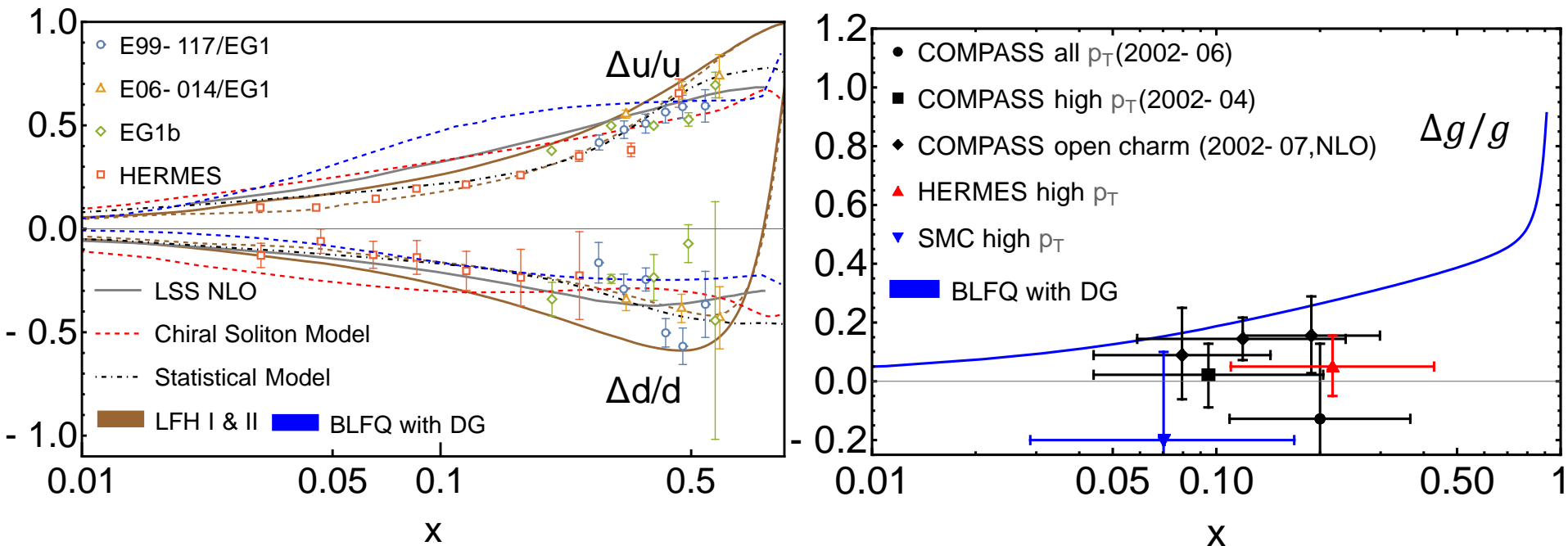
# Orbital angular momentum distributions



Canonical:  $\ell_d = -0.0114 \pm 0.0004$     $\ell_u = 0.0327 \pm 0.0013$     $\ell_g = -0.0065 \pm 0.0005$

At the LC gauge :  $\frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma = 0.359 \pm 0.002$     $\Delta G = 0.131 \pm 0.003$

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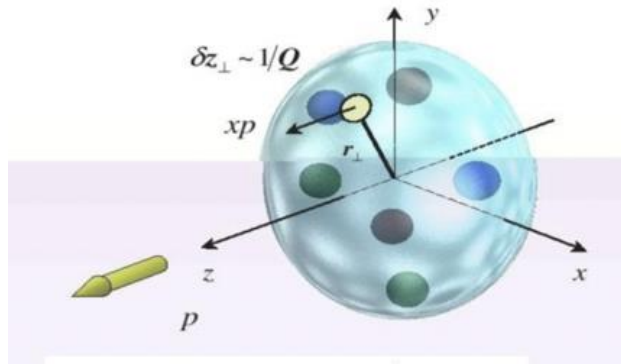
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# 3-Dimension Structure of Nucleon

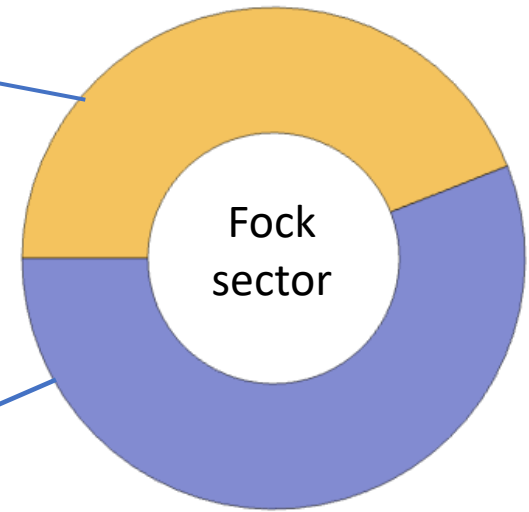
➤ Obtain observables from wave function

$$O \equiv \langle \beta | \hat{O} | \beta \rangle \quad |\beta_{\text{nucleon}}\rangle = |qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle$$



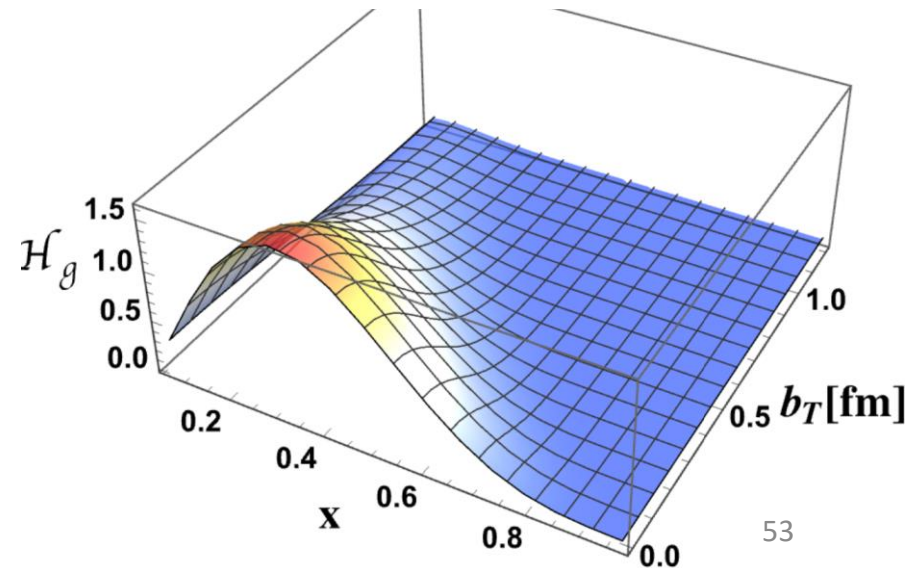
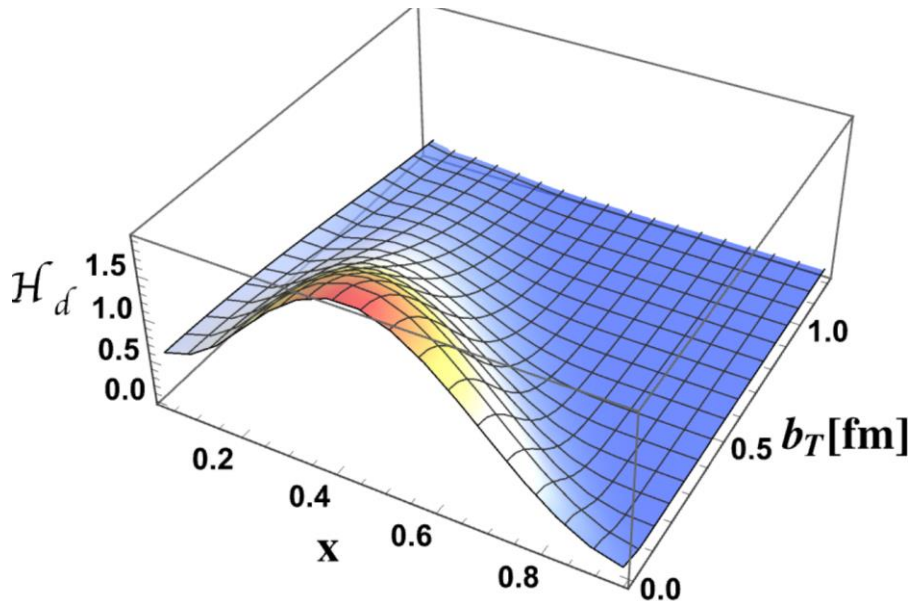
Leading Fock sector  
 $|qqq\rangle \sim 44\%$

Next leading Fock sector  
 $|qqqg\rangle \sim 56\%$



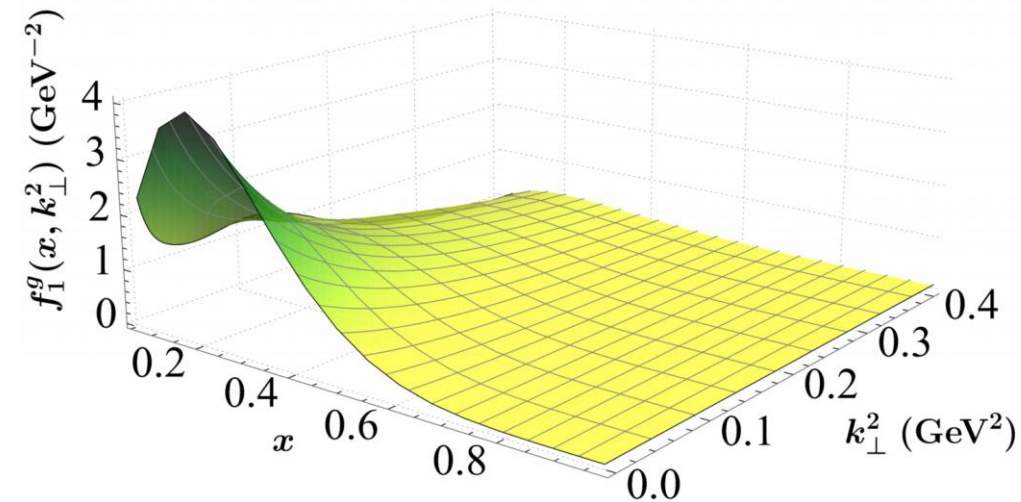
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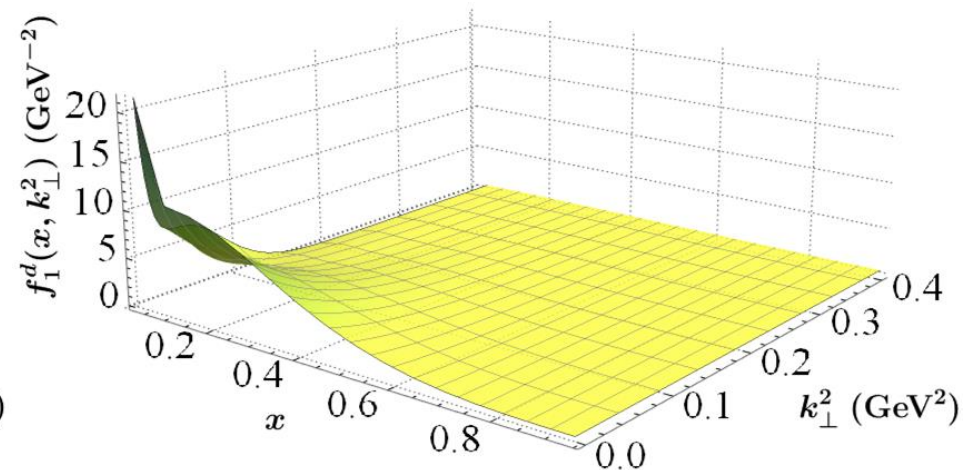
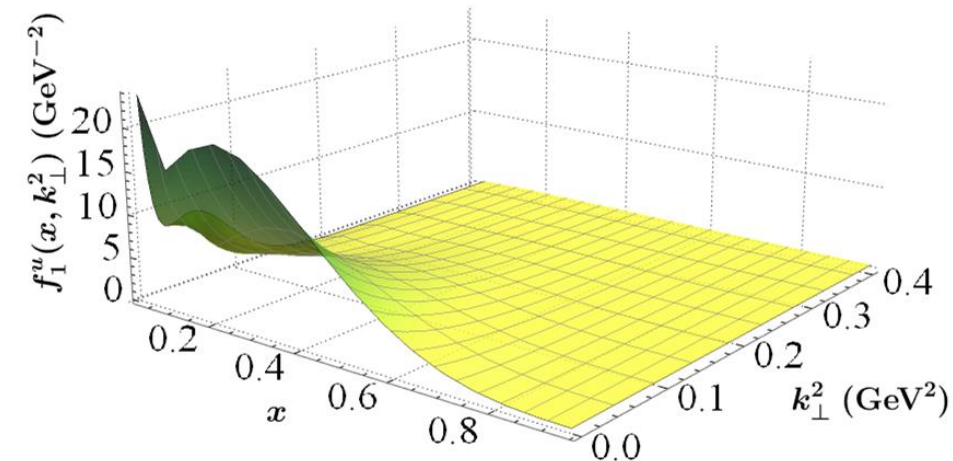




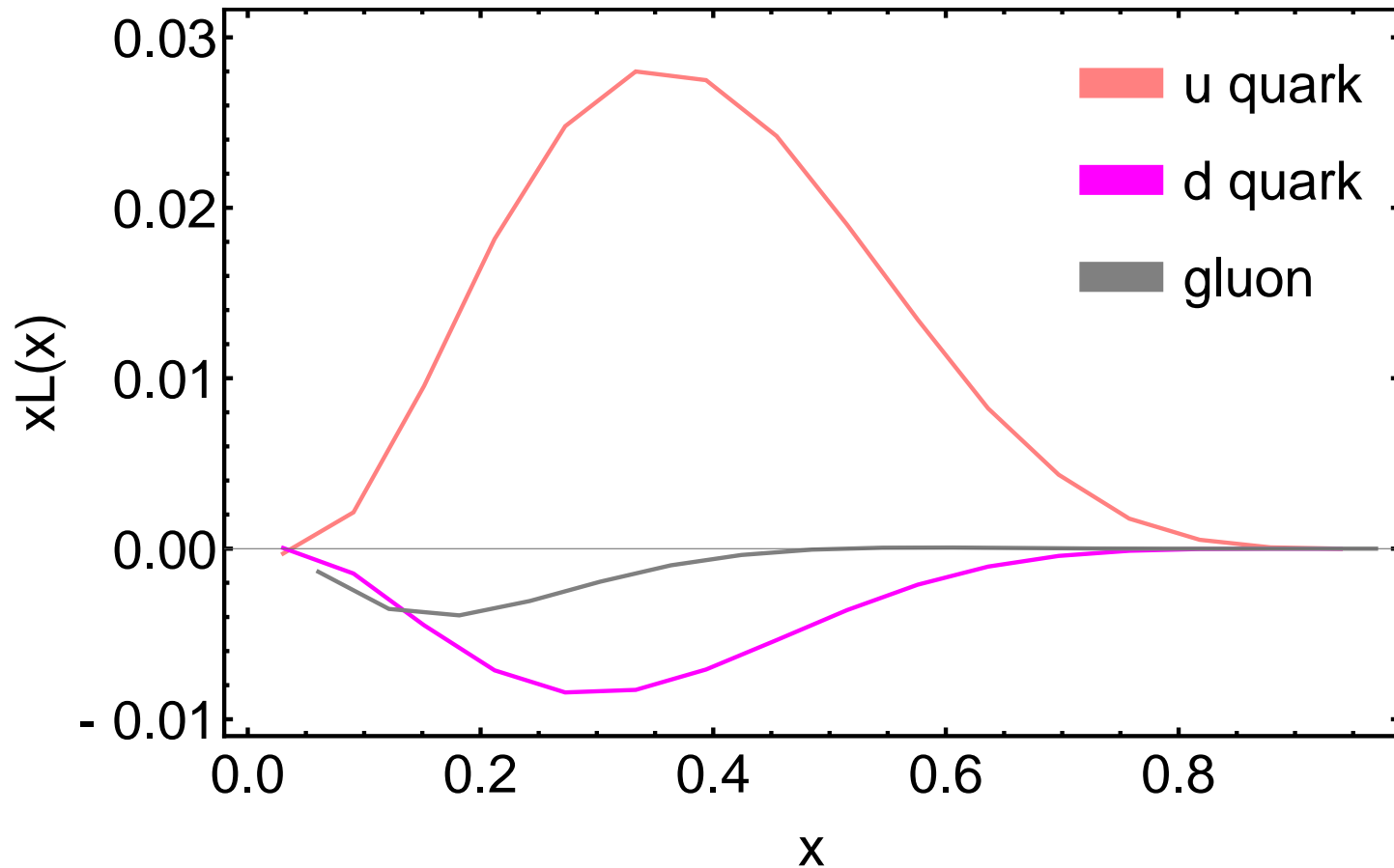
# TMDs with One Dynamical Gluon



- Including  $|qqq\rangle + |qqq g\rangle$  Fock sector, we calculate the gluon distribution in the proton
- Small  $x$  behaviour: higher Fock sector



# Orbital angular momentum distributions



Canonical:  $\ell_d = -0.0114 \pm 0.0004$   $\ell_u = 0.0327 \pm 0.0013$   $\ell_g = -0.0065 \pm 0.0005$

At the LC gauge :  $\frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma = 0.359 \pm 0.002$   $\Delta G = 0.131 \pm 0.003$