

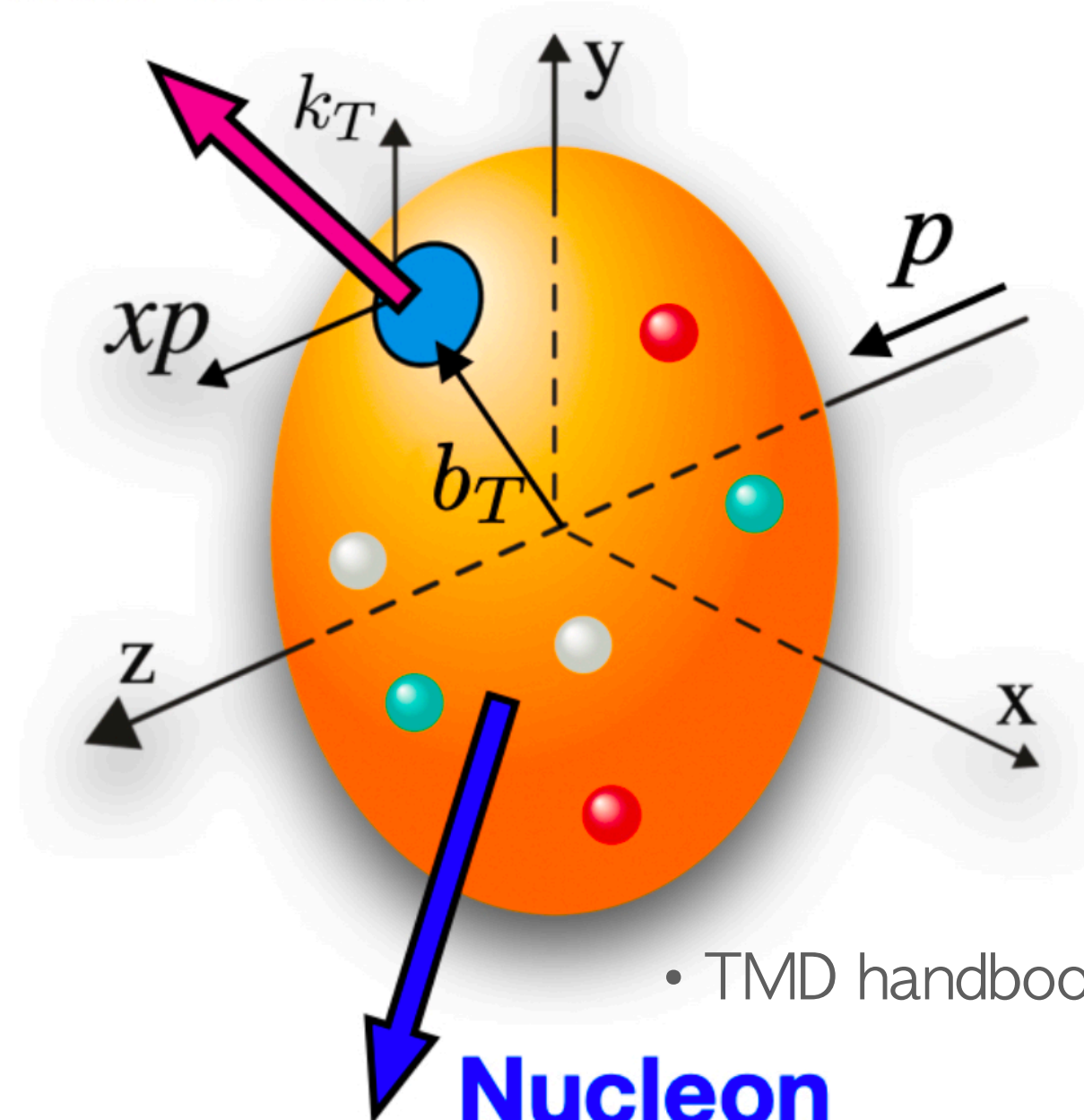
Non-perturbative Collins-Soper kernel from a Coulomb-gauge-fixed quasi-TMD

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2 Transverse-momentum-dependent distributions

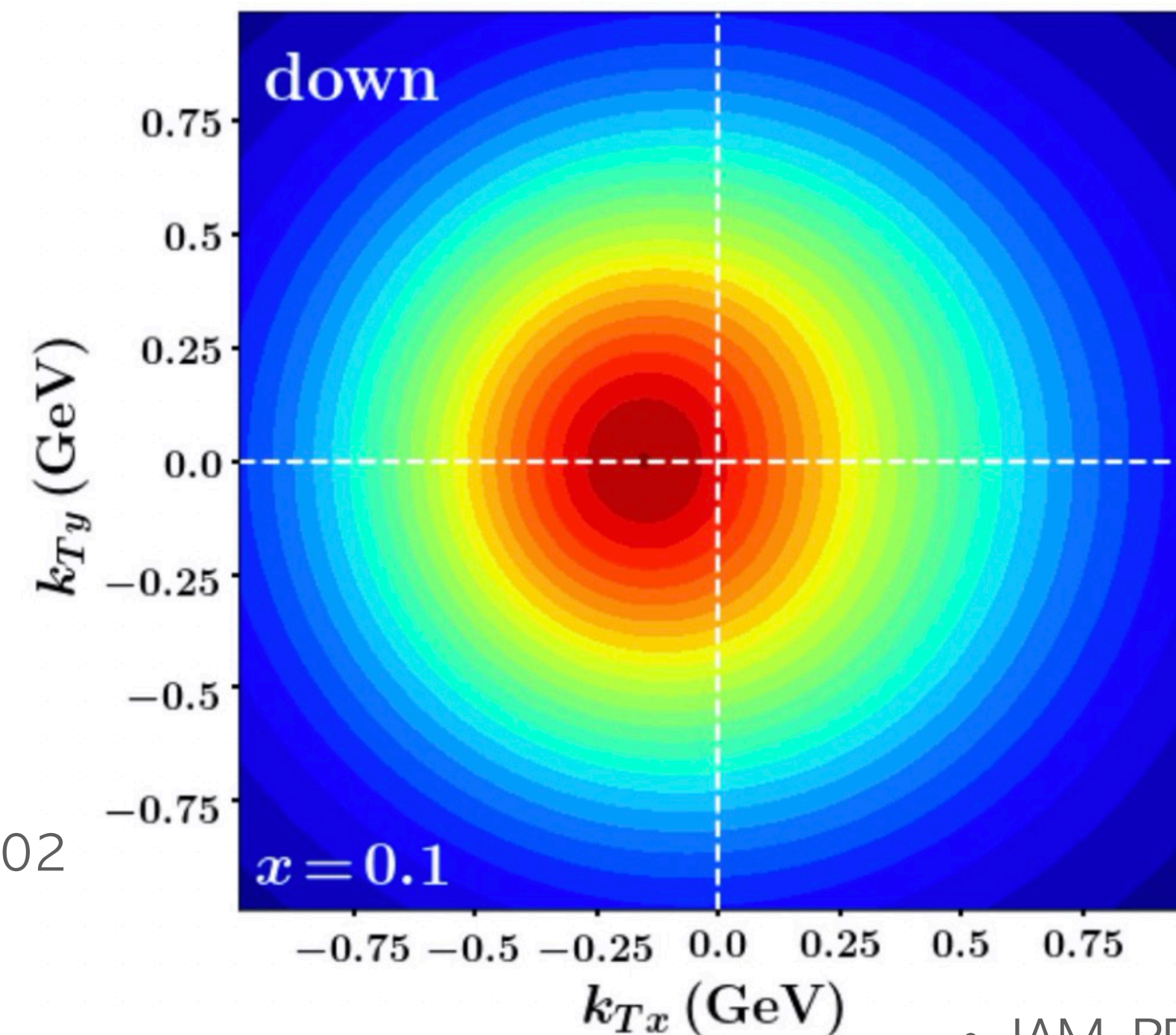
Quark Polarization $f(x, \vec{k}_T)$



• TMD handbook, arXiv:2304.03302

Nucleon Polarization

Quark Sivers function



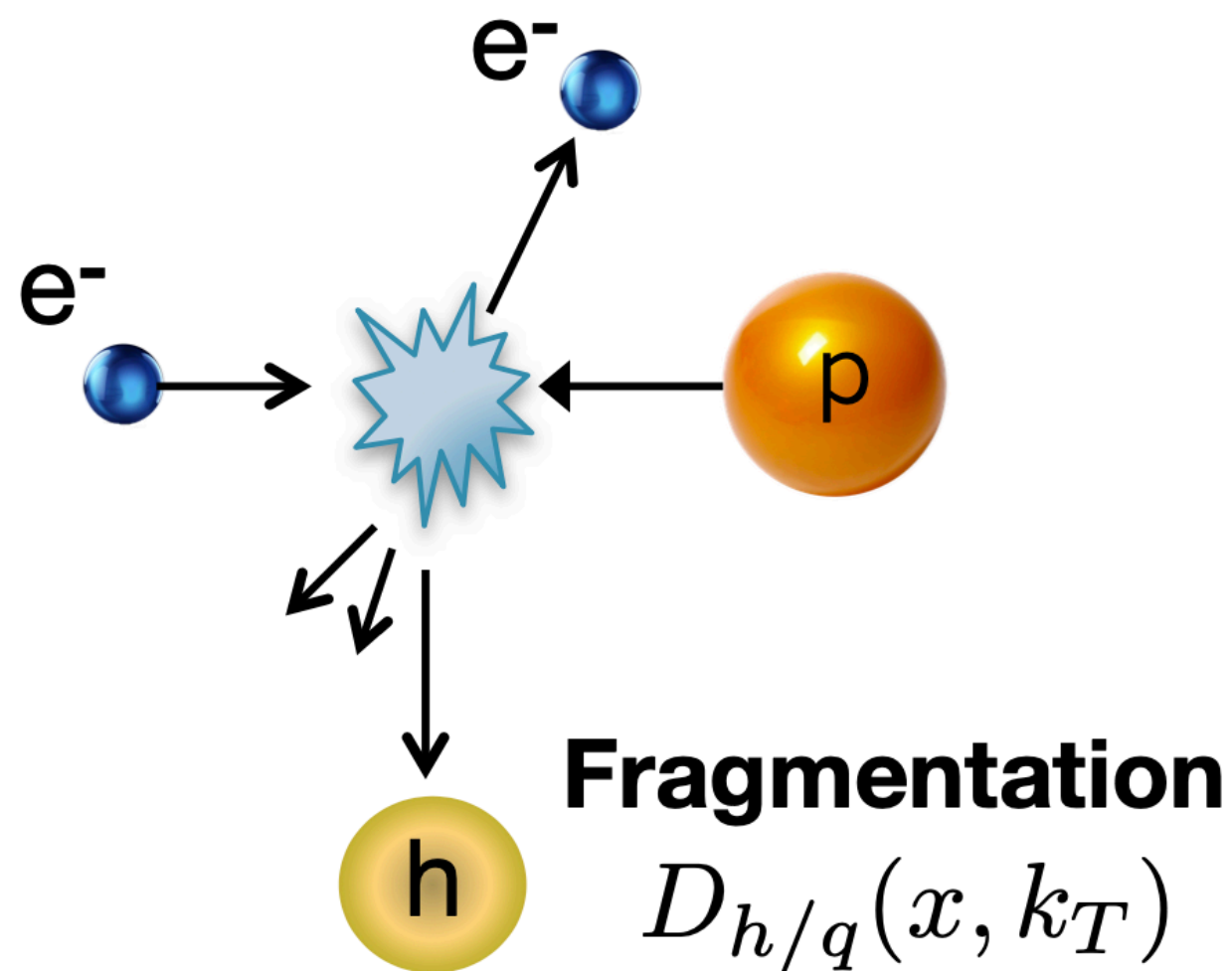
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- 3D image: longitudinal momentum fraction x and confined motion \vec{k}_T .
- Nucleon spin structure: Spin-orbit correlations.

TMDs from global analyses of experimental data

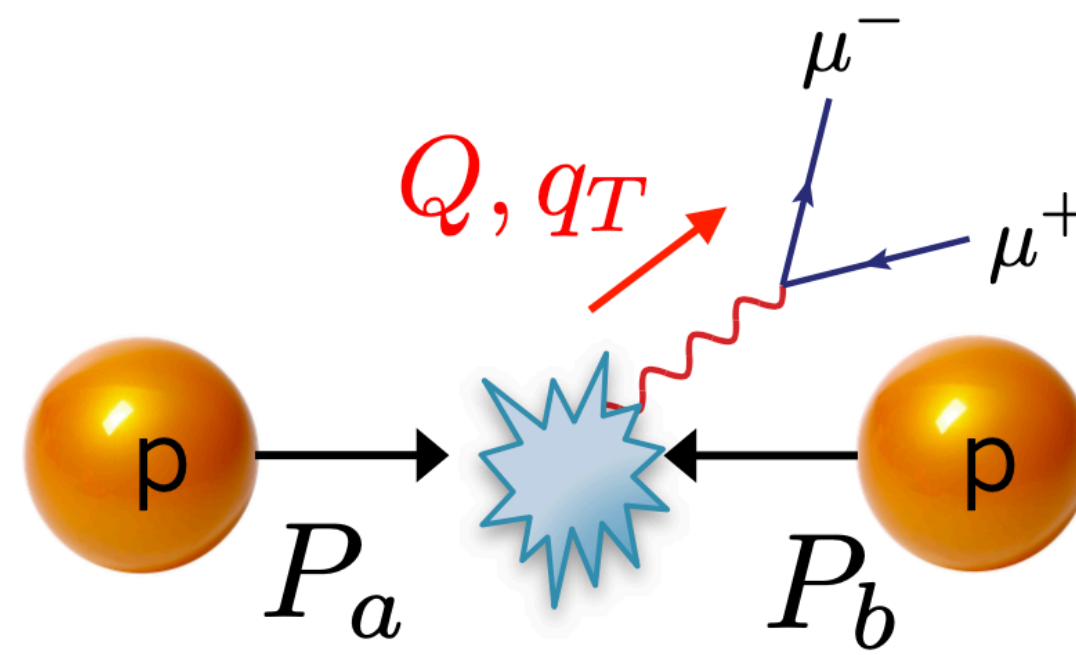
Semi-Inclusive DIS

$$\sigma \sim f_{q/P}(x, k_T) D_{h/q}(x, k_T)$$



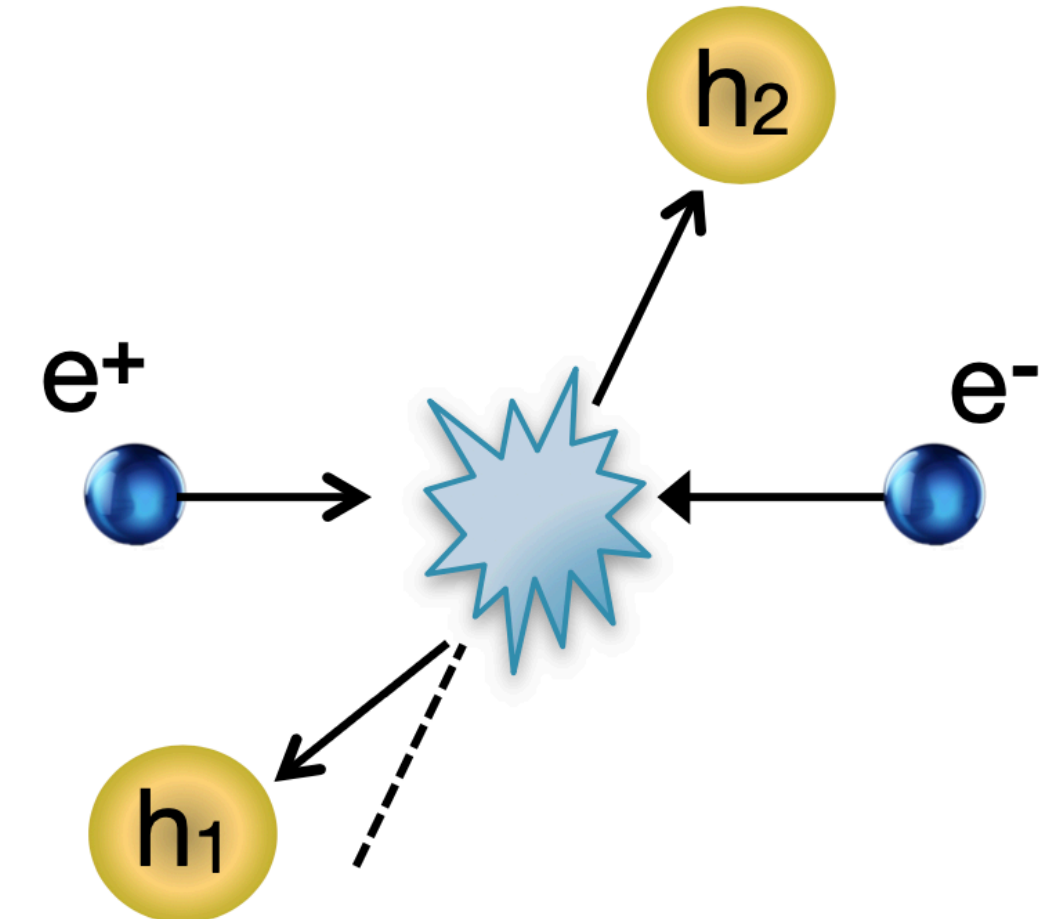
Drell-Yan

$$\sigma \sim f_{q/P}(x, k_T) f_{q/P}(x, k_T)$$



Dihadron in e^+e^-

$$\sigma \sim D_{h_1/q}(x, k_T) D_{h_2/q}(x, k_T)$$



$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{DY}}}{dQdYdq_T^2} = H(Q, \mu) \int d^2\vec{b}_T e^{i\vec{q}_T \cdot \vec{b}_T} f_q(x_a, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta_a) f_q(x_b, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta_b) \left[1 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2}\right)\right]$$

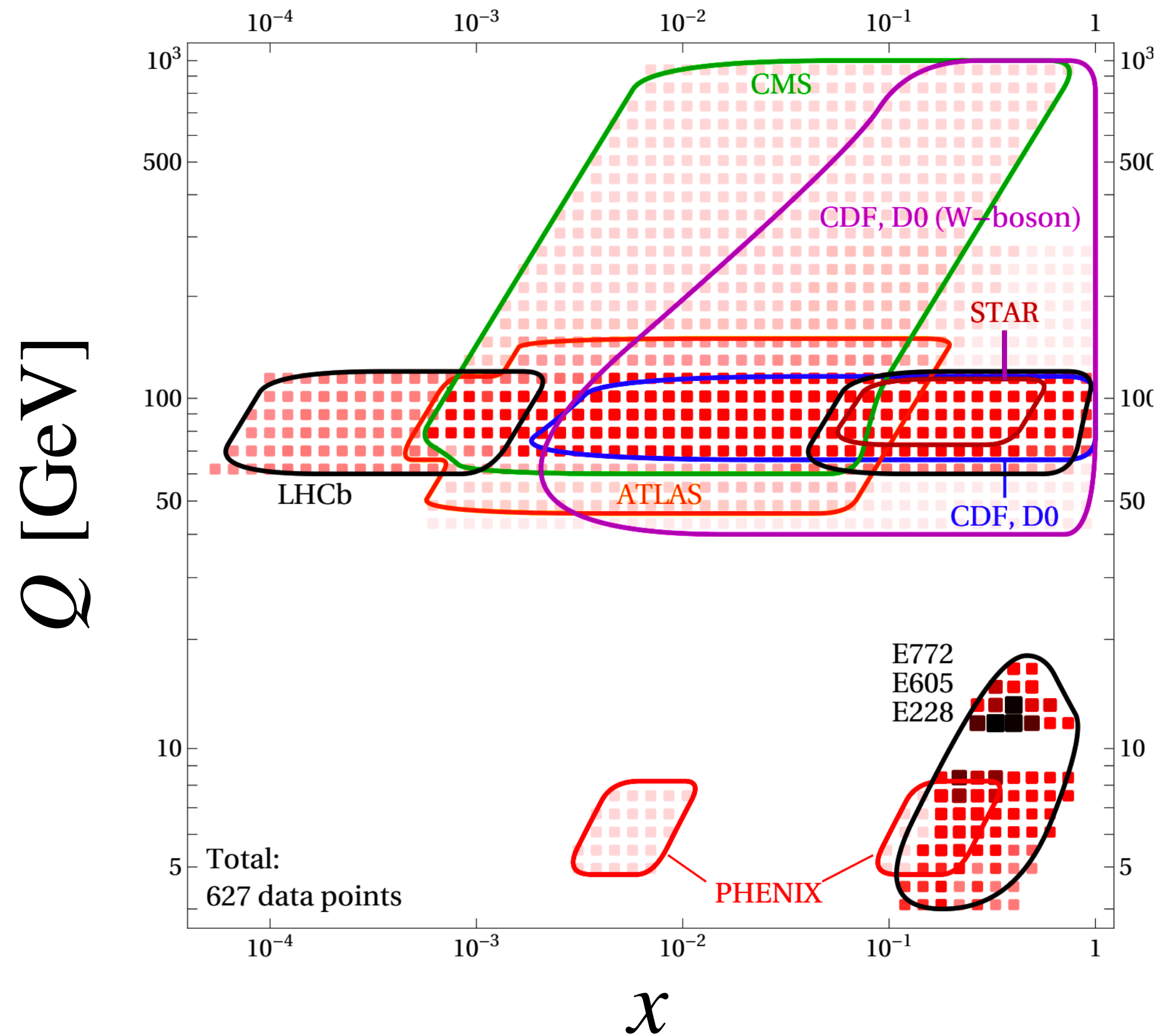
Perturbative hard
kernels

Nonperturbative
TMDs

$$q_T^2 \ll Q^2$$

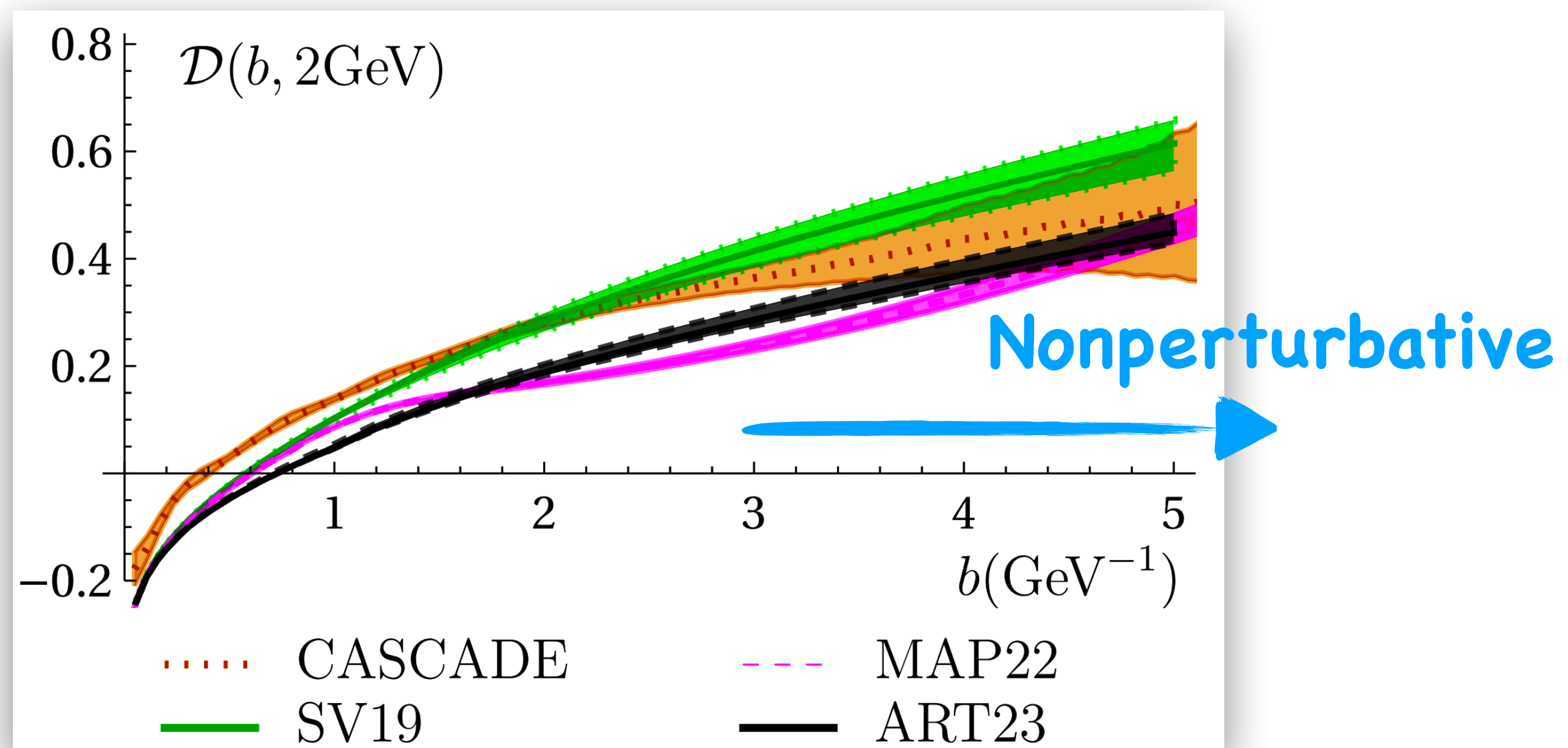
TMDs from global analyses of experimental data

- Relate TMDs at different energy scales

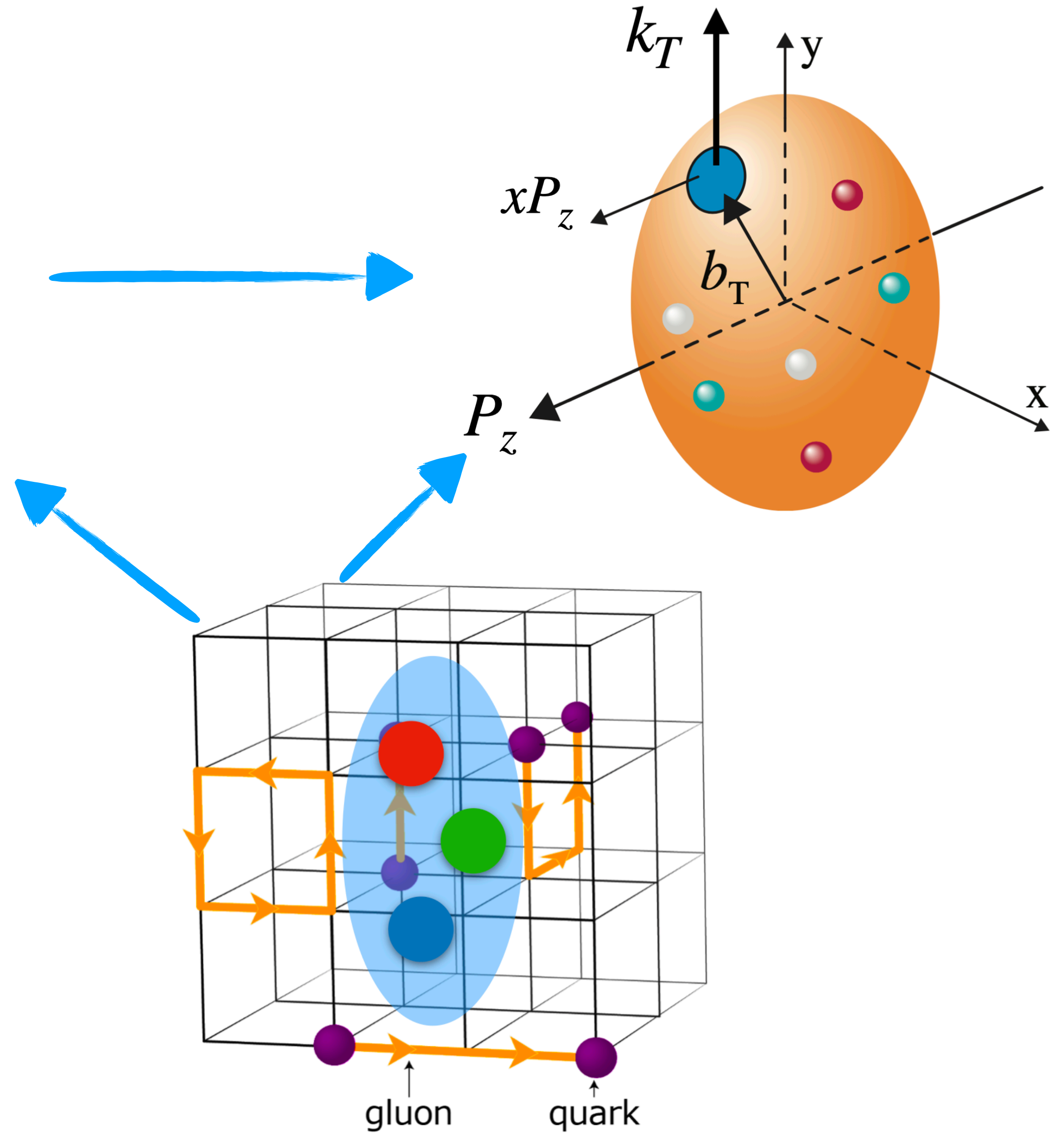
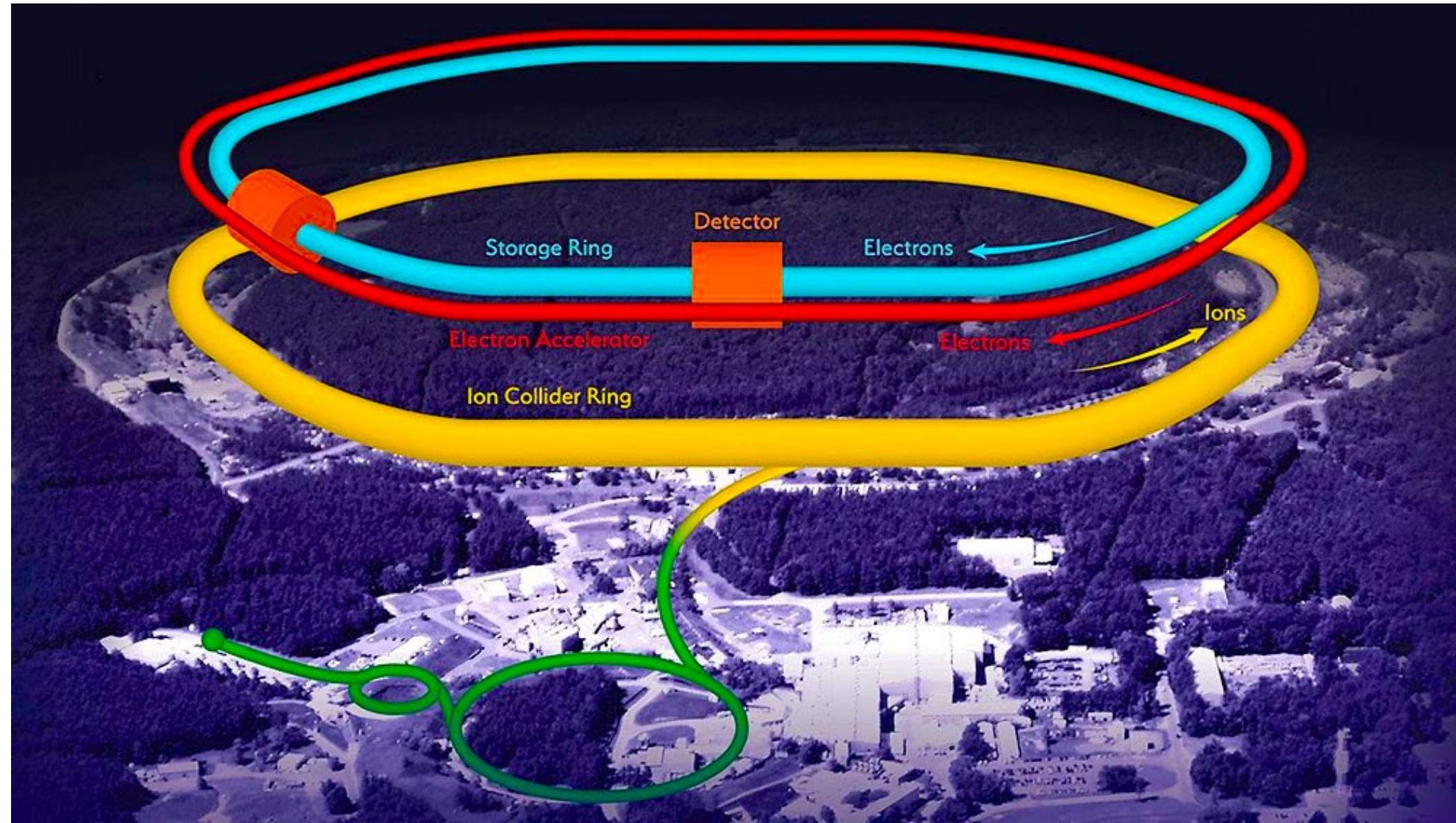


$$\left. \begin{aligned} \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \ln f_q(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta) &= \gamma_\mu^q(\mu, \zeta) \\ \zeta \frac{d}{d\zeta} \ln f_q(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta) &= \gamma_\zeta^q(\mu, b_T) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Collins-Soper kernel



5 Determination of TMDs



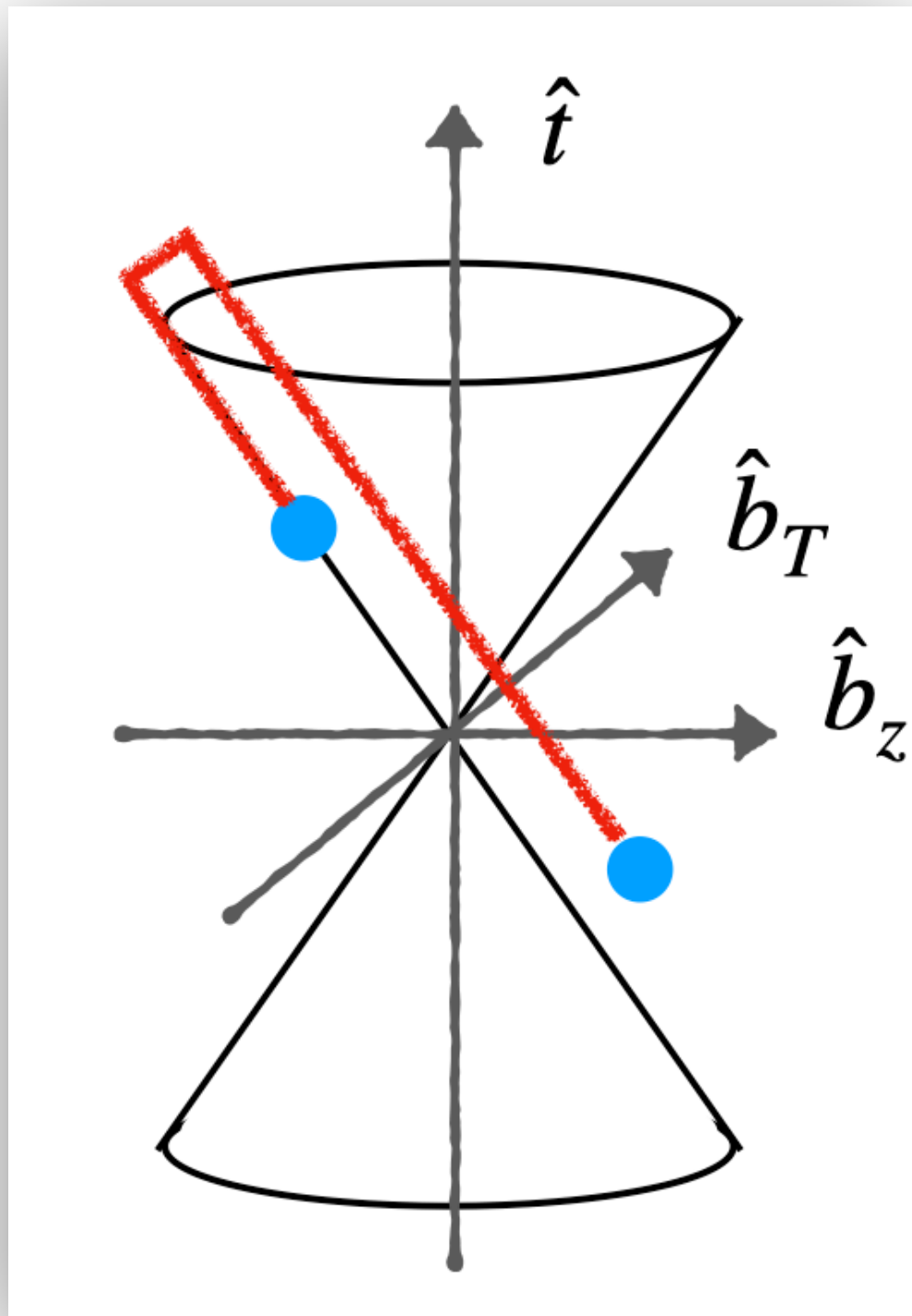
- Global analysis of experimental data.
- Complementary knowledge from lattice QCD is essential.

6 The definition of TMDs

Beam function

$$f_q(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} Z_{UV}(\epsilon, \mu, \zeta) \lim_{\tau \rightarrow 0} \frac{B_q(x, \vec{b}_T, \epsilon, \tau, \zeta)}{\sqrt{S_q(\vec{b}_T, \epsilon, \tau)}} \text{ Soft function}$$

UV regulator
Rapidity regulator



$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(\frac{b^+}{2}, b_{\perp}) \Gamma W_{\square^+} \psi(-\frac{b^+}{2}, 0) | P \rangle$$



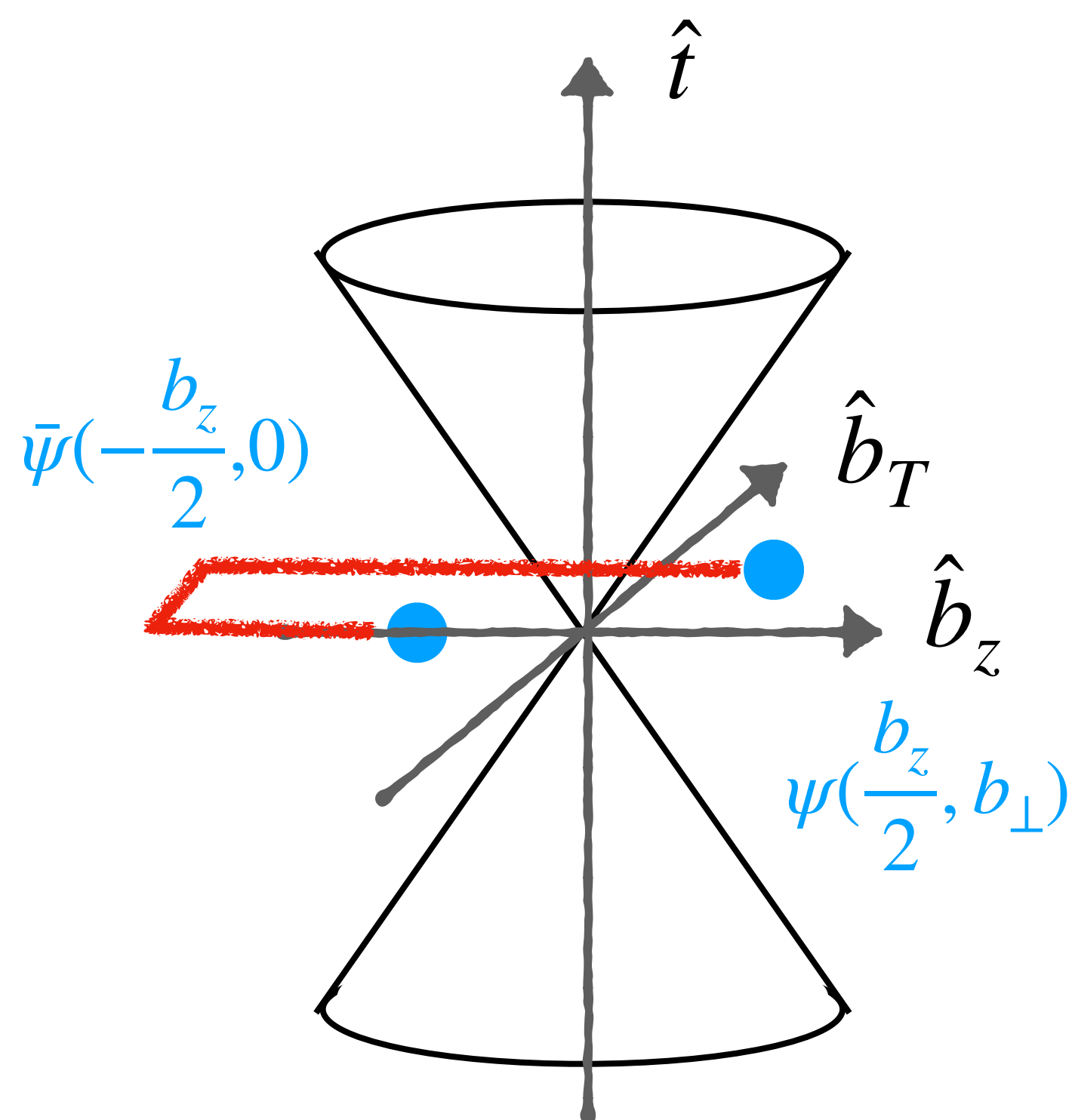
Light-cone correlations: forbidden on Euclidean lattice

TMDs from lattice: quasi TMDs

Quasi-TMDs from equal-time correlators:

- Computable from Lattice QCD.

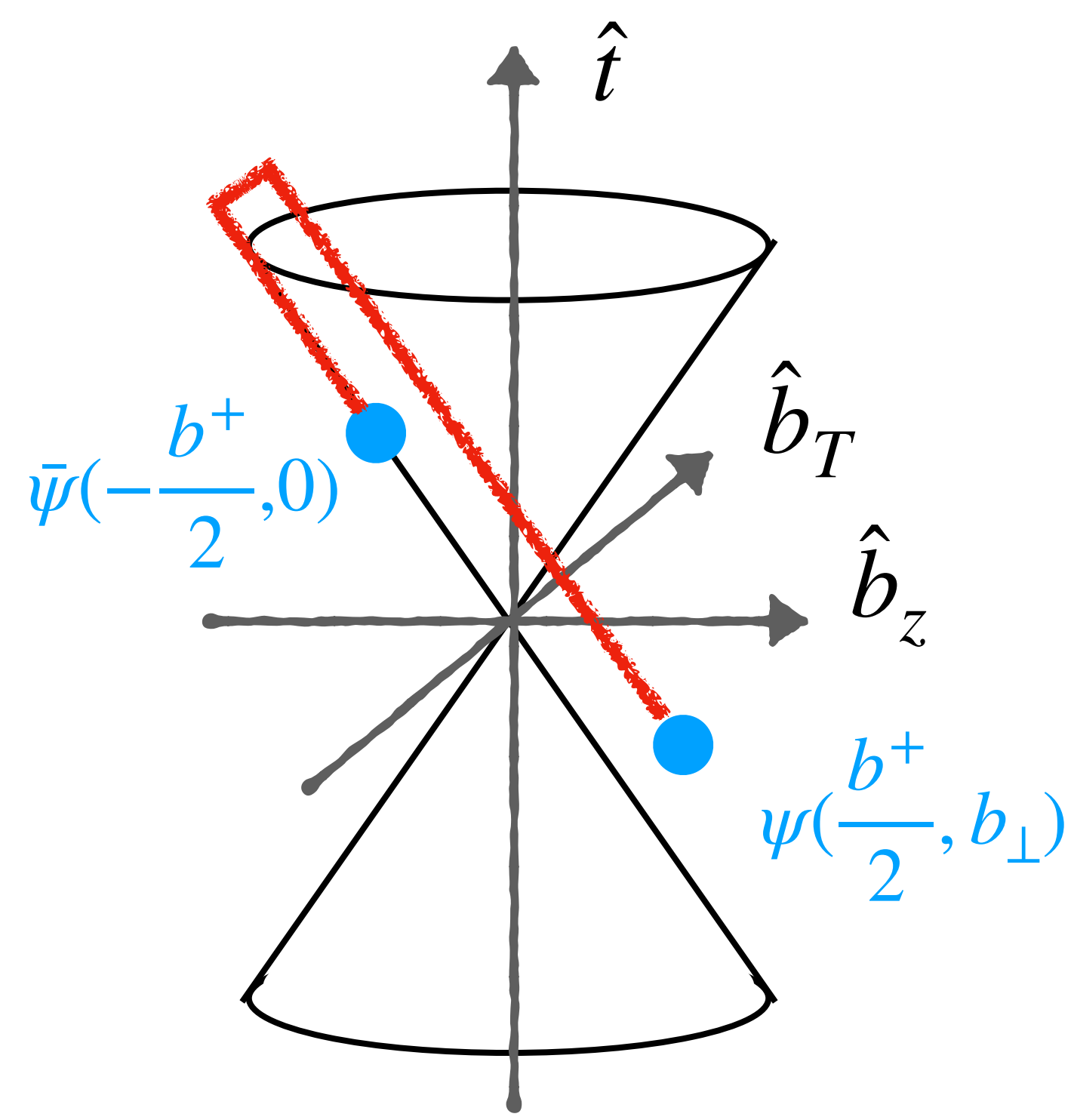
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- X. Ji et al., Phys.Rev.D 103 (2021) 7, 074005
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Quasi TMD

$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(\frac{b_z}{2}, b_{\perp}) \Gamma W_{\square_z} \psi(-\frac{b_z}{2}, 0) | P \rangle$$

$P_z \rightarrow \infty$



Light-cone TMD

$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(\frac{b^+}{2}, b_{\perp}) \Gamma W_{\square^+} \psi(-\frac{b^+}{2}, 0) | P \rangle$$

8 Large P_z expansion and perturbative matching

Quasi TMDs

Collins-Soper kernel

$$\frac{\tilde{\phi}(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, P_z)}{\sqrt{S_r(\vec{b}_T, \mu)}} = C(\mu, xP_z) e^{\frac{1}{2}\gamma_\zeta(\mu, b_T) \ln \frac{(2xP_z)^2}{\zeta}} f(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta) \left\{ 1 + \mathcal{O}\left[\frac{1}{(xP_z b_T)^2}, \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2}{(xP_z)^2}\right] \right\}$$

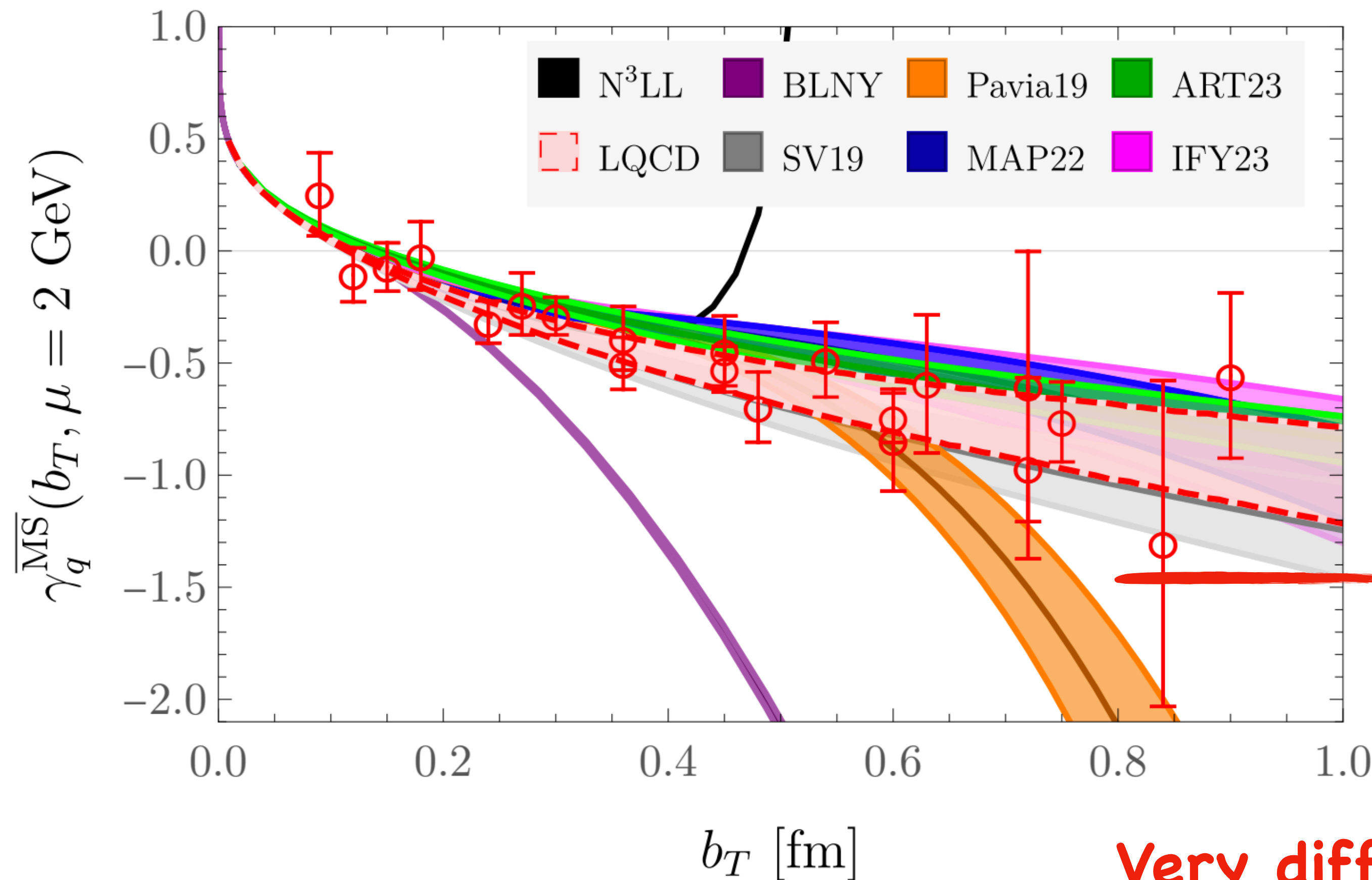
Physical TMD

$$P_z < a^{-1}$$

- Have same IR physics as light-cone TMDs: large momentum expansion.
- Quasi TMDs differ from the light-cone TMDs (Collins scheme) by order of P_z (or rapidity y_B) $\rightarrow \infty$ and a (or ϵ) $\rightarrow 0$ limit, inducing a **perturbative matching** $C(\mu, xP_z)$.

The Collins-Soper kernel from quasi-TMDs

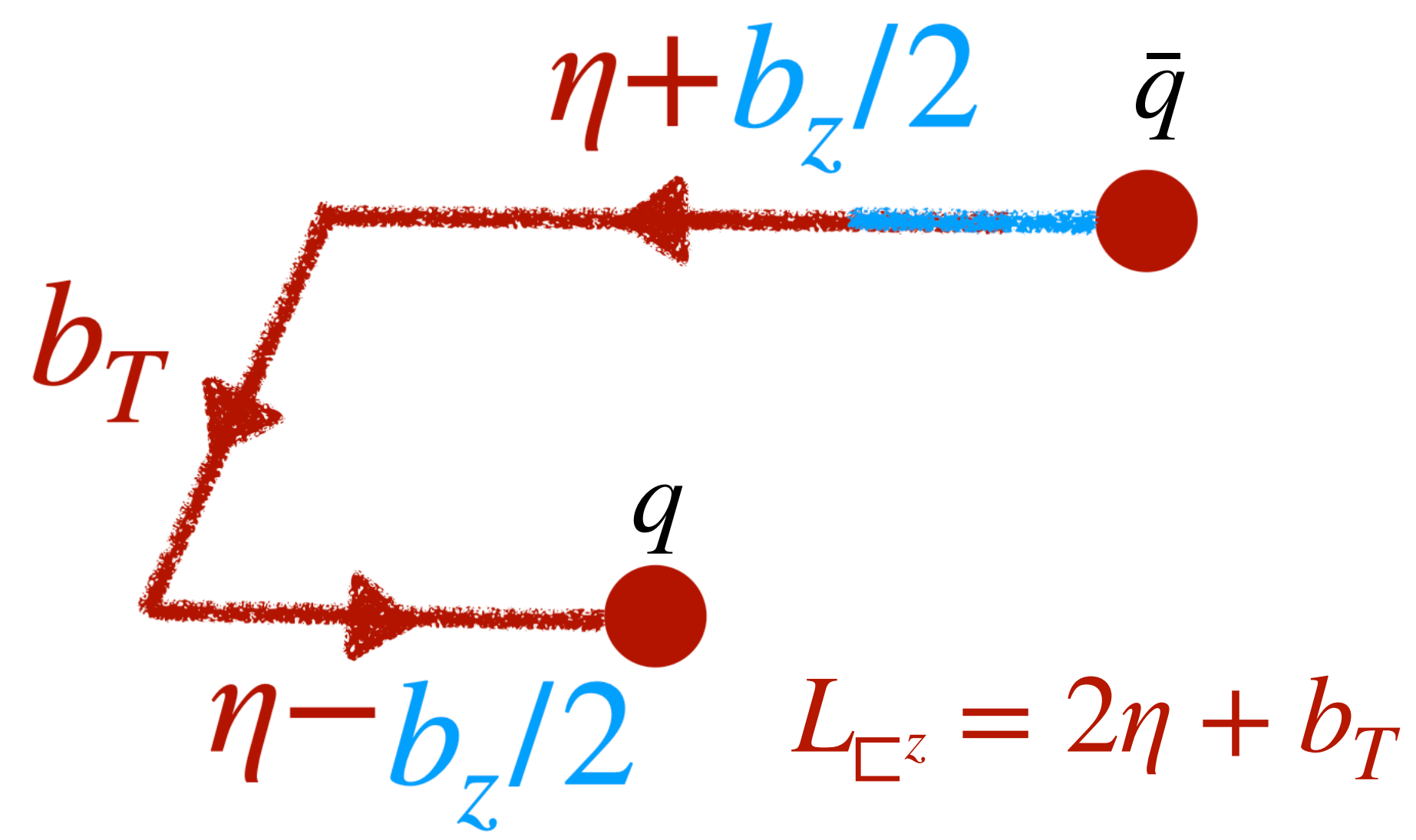
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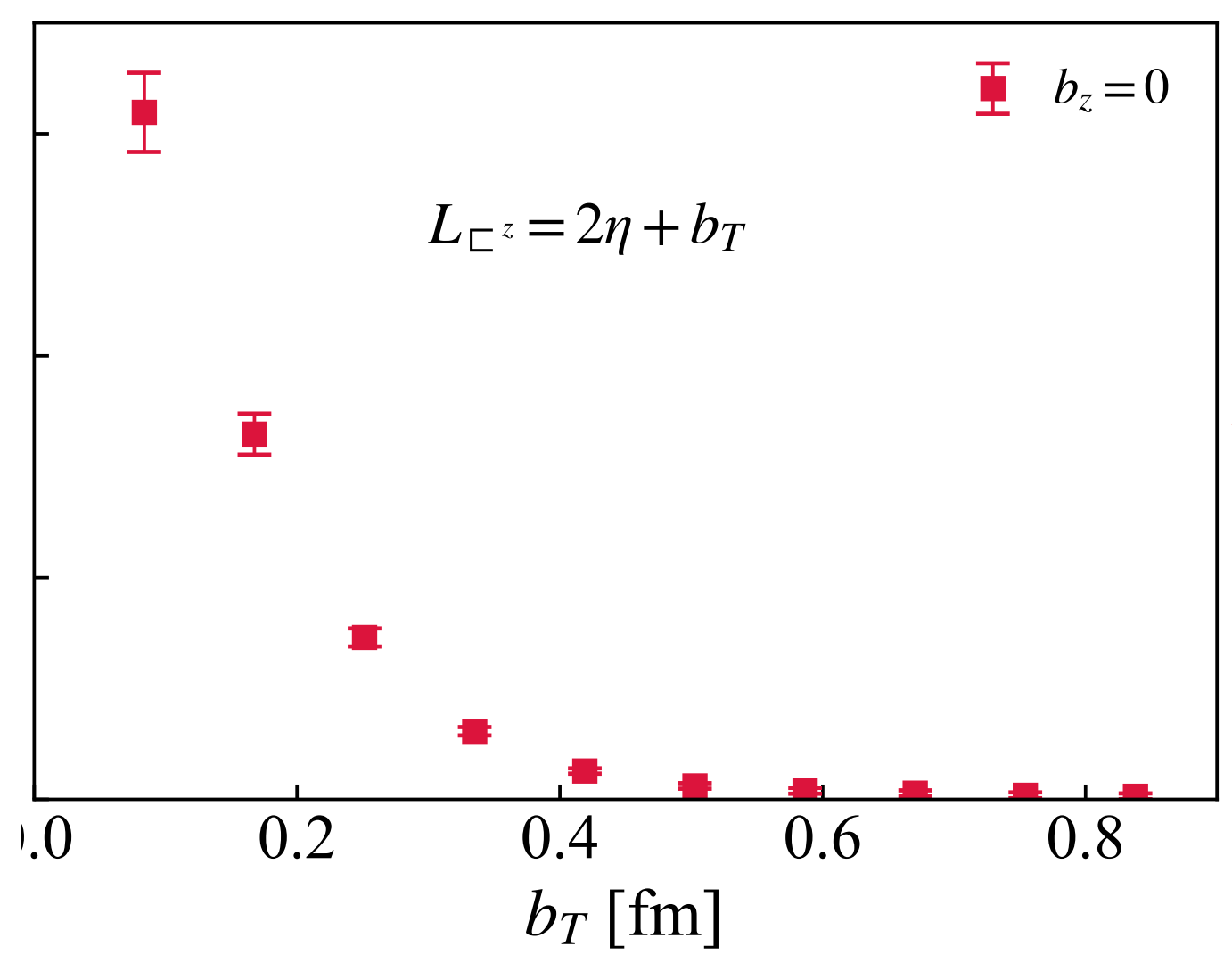
- Significant progress has been reported recently.
- Can lattice QCD push further with good precision?

Very difficult: errors grow rapidly!

10 Difficulties in the conventional quasi-TMDs

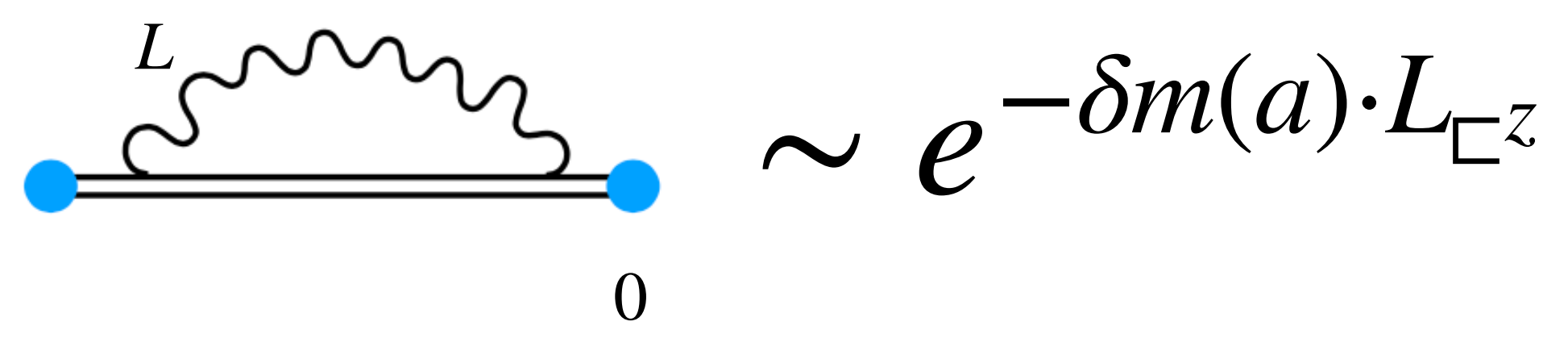


Bare matrix elements



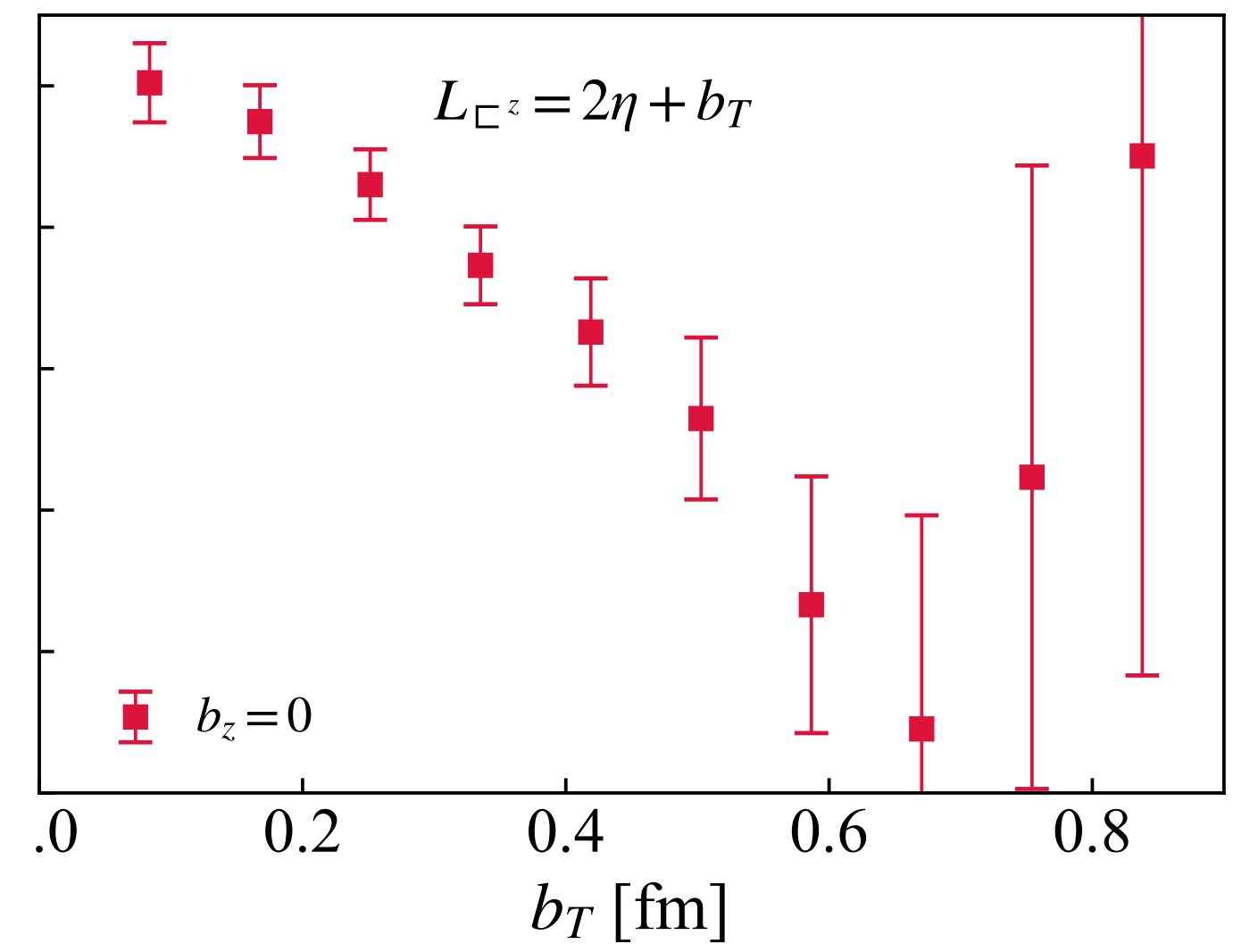
$\times e^{\delta m(a) \cdot L_{\square z}}$

- Exponential decaying signal and complicated renormalization due to the Wilson line artifacts.



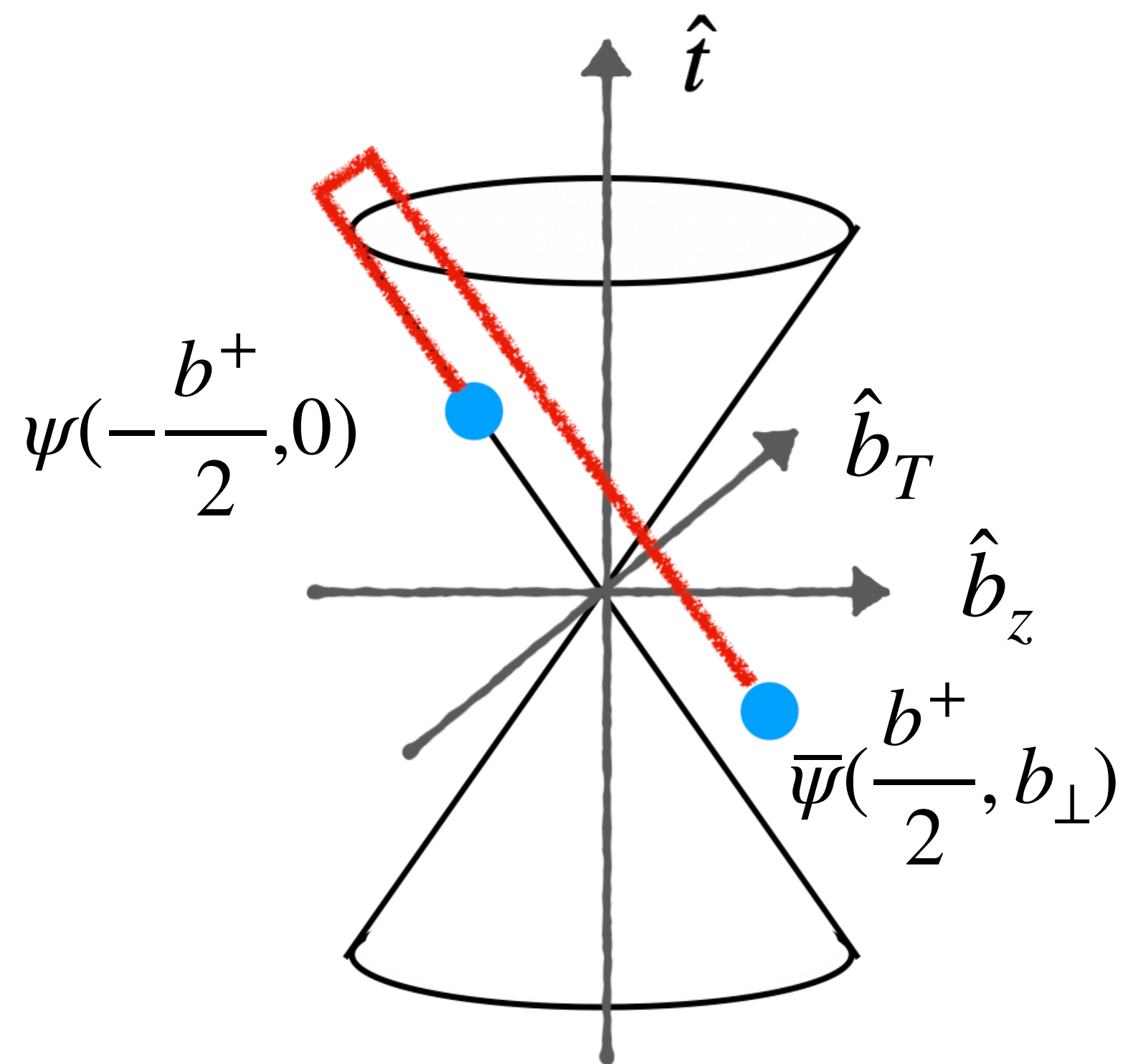
Linear divergence from Wilson line self energy

Renormalized matrix elements



11 Overcoming difficulties

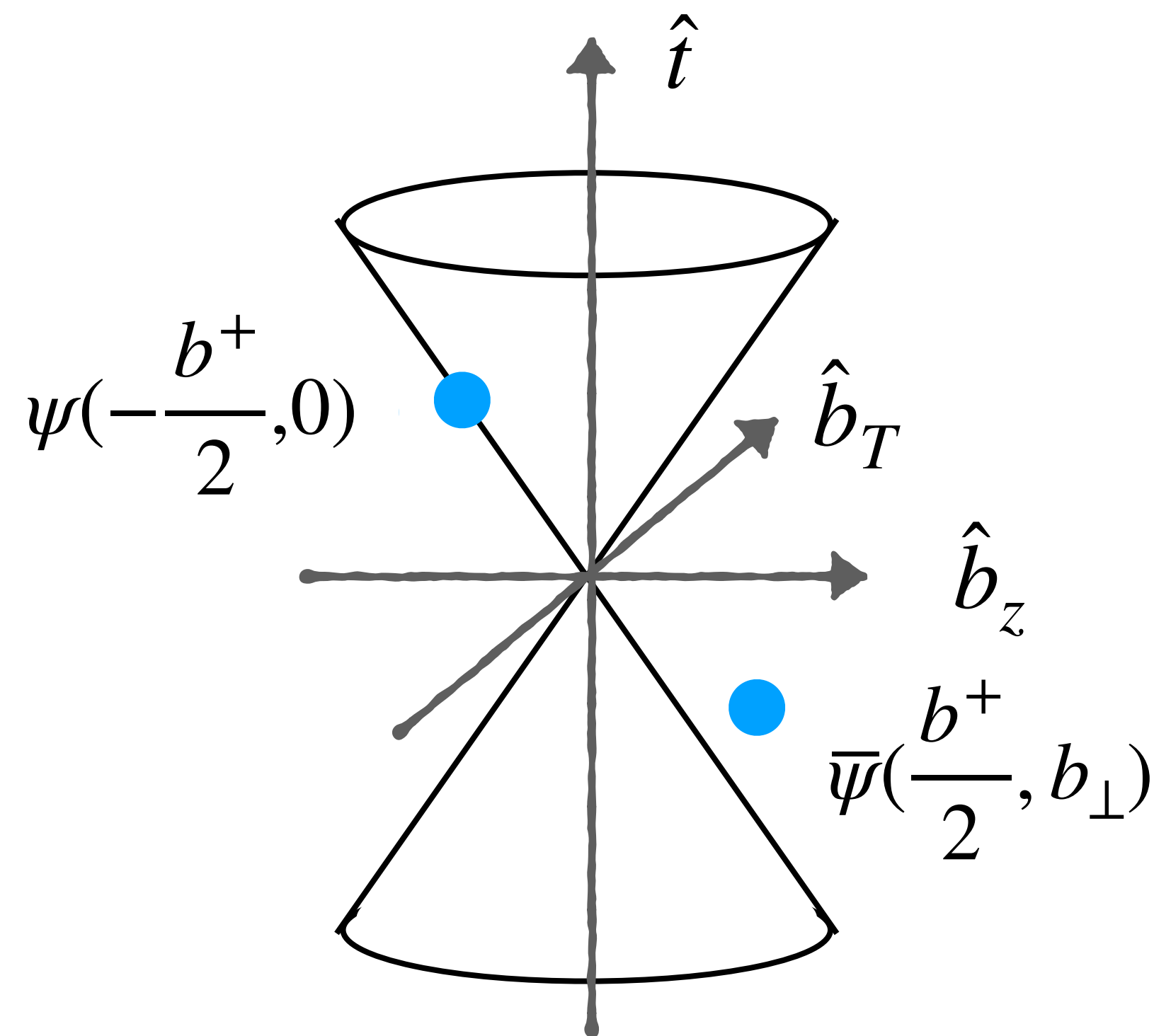
Light-cone TMD



$$\bar{\psi}(\frac{b^+}{2}, b_\perp) \Gamma W_{\square^+} \psi(-\frac{b^+}{2}, 0)$$

Equivalent
=

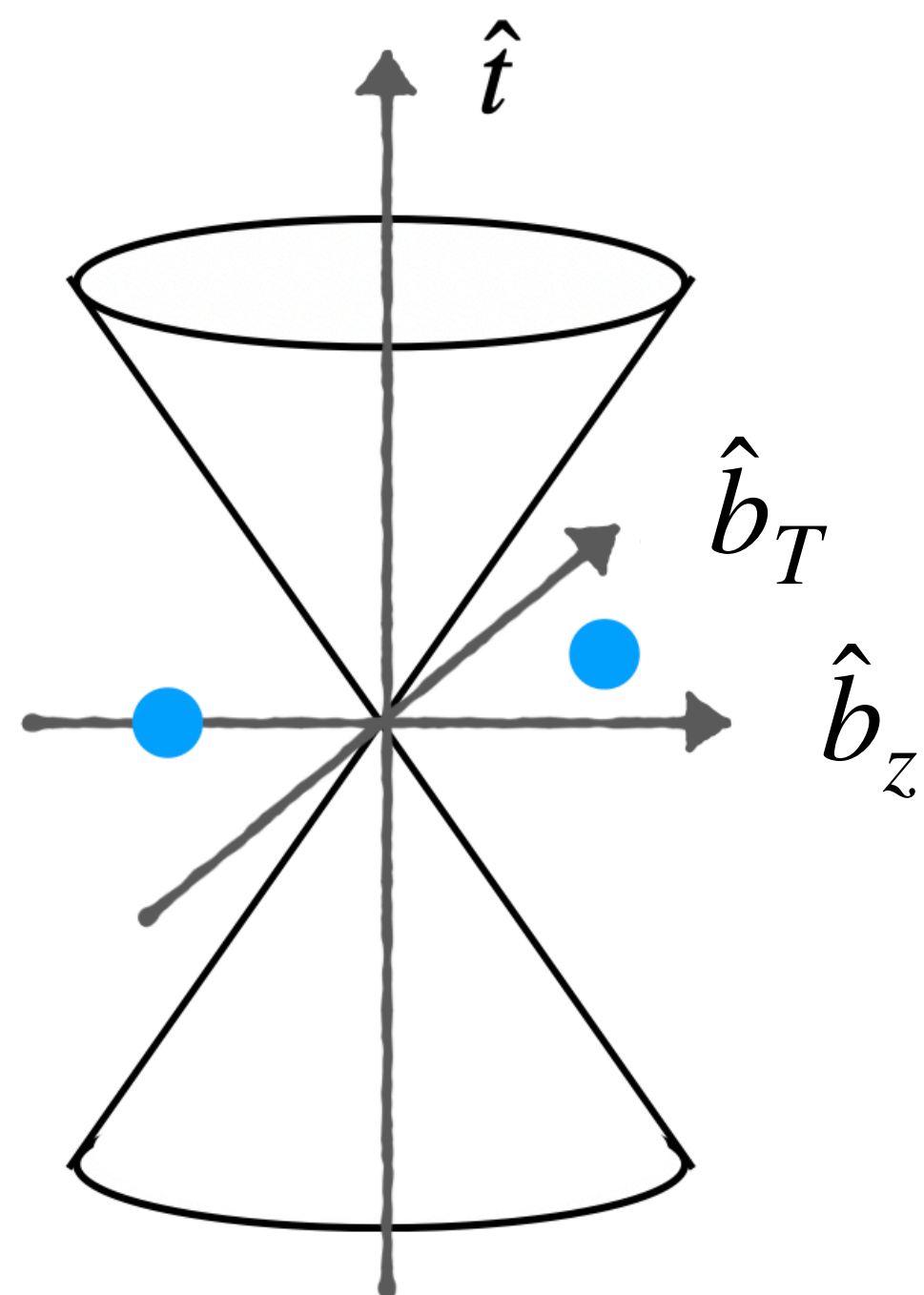
TMD in light gauge
 $A^+ = 0$



$$\bar{\psi}(\frac{b^+}{2}, b_\perp) \Gamma \psi(-\frac{b^+}{2}, 0) |_{A^+=0}$$

12 Overcoming difficulties: Coulomb-gauge qTMDs

Quasi-TMD in
physical gauge

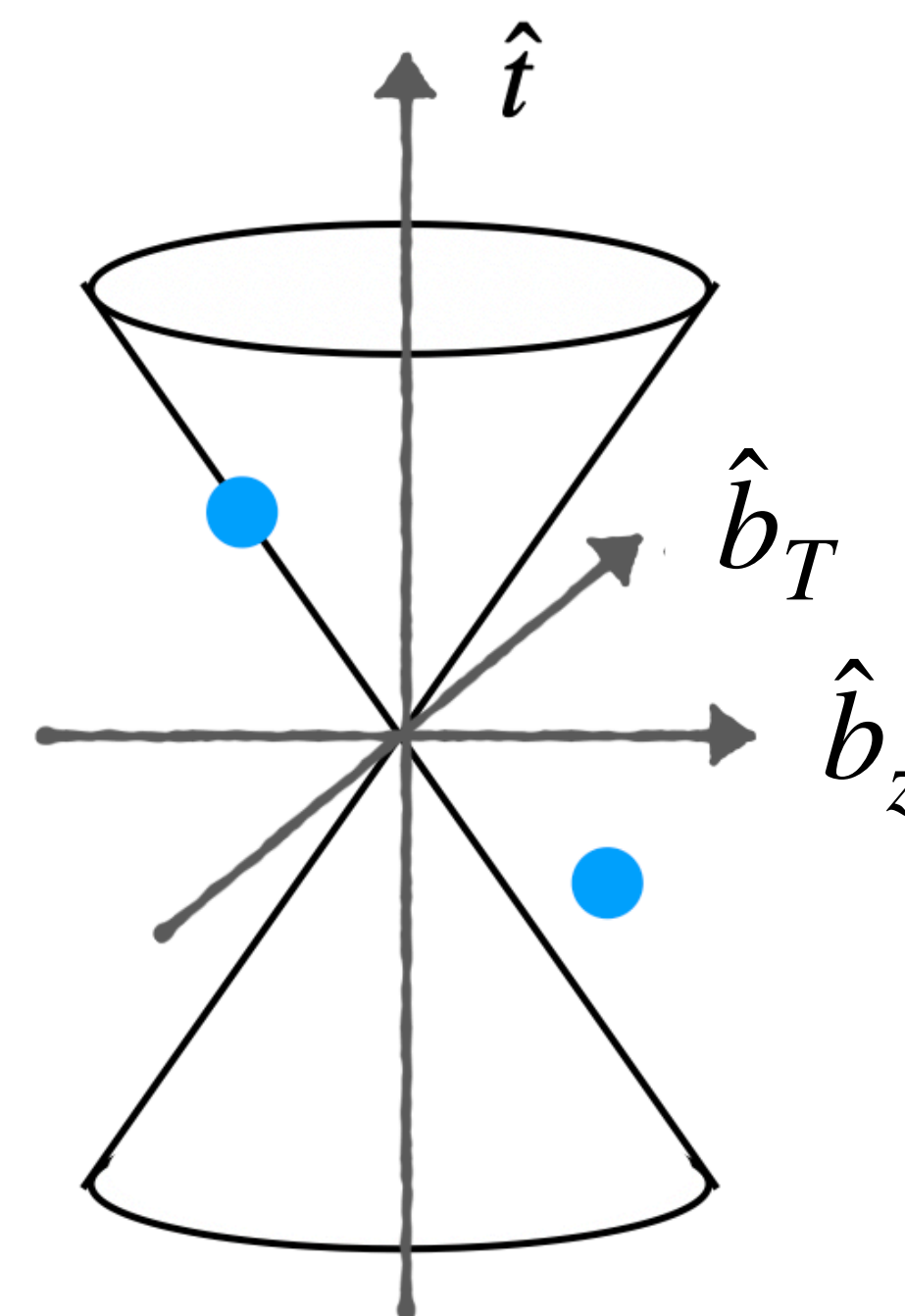


$$\bar{\psi}\left(\frac{b^z}{2}, b_{\perp}\right) \Gamma \psi\left(-\frac{b^z}{2}, 0\right) \Big|_{\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A} = 0}$$

$P_z \rightarrow \infty$
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TMD in **light**
gauge $A^+ = 0$



$$\bar{\psi}\left(\frac{b^+}{2}, b_{\perp}\right) \Gamma \psi\left(-\frac{b^+}{2}, 0\right) \Big|_{A^+ = 0}$$

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13 CG quasi distribution without Wilson lines

► $P \rightarrow \infty$ limit boost

- The quark field in the Coulomb gauge

$$\psi_C(z) = U_C(z)\psi(z)$$

satisfying,

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \left[U_C \vec{A} U_C^{-1} + \frac{i}{g} U_C \vec{\nabla} U_C^{-1} \right] = 0$$

order by order in g , the solution:

$$U_C = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ig)^n}{n!} \omega_n$$

$$\omega_1 = -\frac{1}{\nabla^2} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A},$$

$$\omega_2 = \frac{1}{\nabla^2} \left(\vec{\nabla} \cdot (\omega_1^\dagger \vec{\nabla} \omega_1) - [\vec{\nabla} \omega_1, \vec{A}] \right)$$

...

$$-\frac{1}{\nabla^2} \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A} = i \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} e^{-ik \cdot z} \frac{1}{k_z^2 + k_\perp^2} [k_z A_z(k) + k_\perp A_\perp(k)]$$

$$\approx i \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} e^{-ik \cdot z} \frac{k^+}{(k^+)^2 + \epsilon^2} A^+(k)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\int_{-\infty^-}^{z^-} + \int_{+\infty^-}^{z^-} \right] d\eta^- A^+ \equiv \frac{1}{\partial_{\text{P.V.}}^+} A^+(z)$$

Principle value prescription (P.V.) averaging over past and future.

Path-ordered integral

$$\frac{\omega_n}{n!} \rightarrow \left(\dots \left(\frac{1}{\partial_{\text{P.V.}}^+} \left(\left(\frac{1}{\partial_{\text{P.V.}}^+} A^+ \right) A^+ \right) A^+ \right) \dots A^+ \right)$$

$$U_C \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \exp \left[-ig \int_{z^-}^{\mp \infty^-} dz A^+(z) \right] \equiv W(z^-, \mp \infty^-)$$

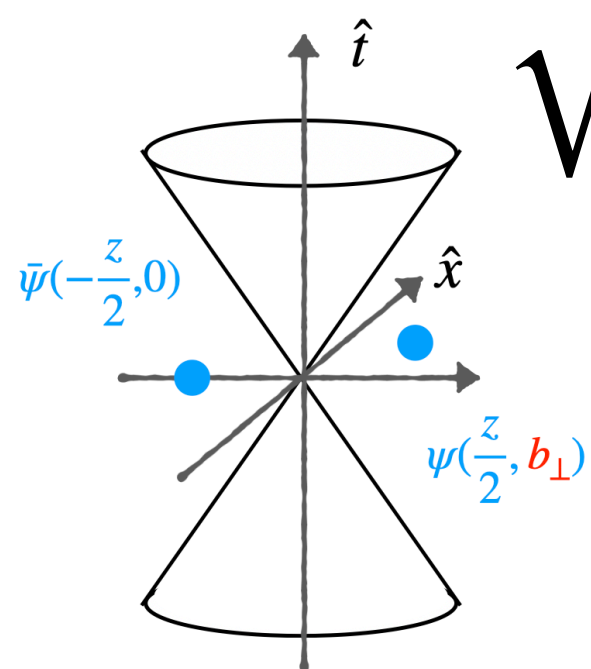
Infinite light-cone Wilson link

CG quasi-TMDs without Wilson lines

Quasi TMDs in CG

Physical TMD

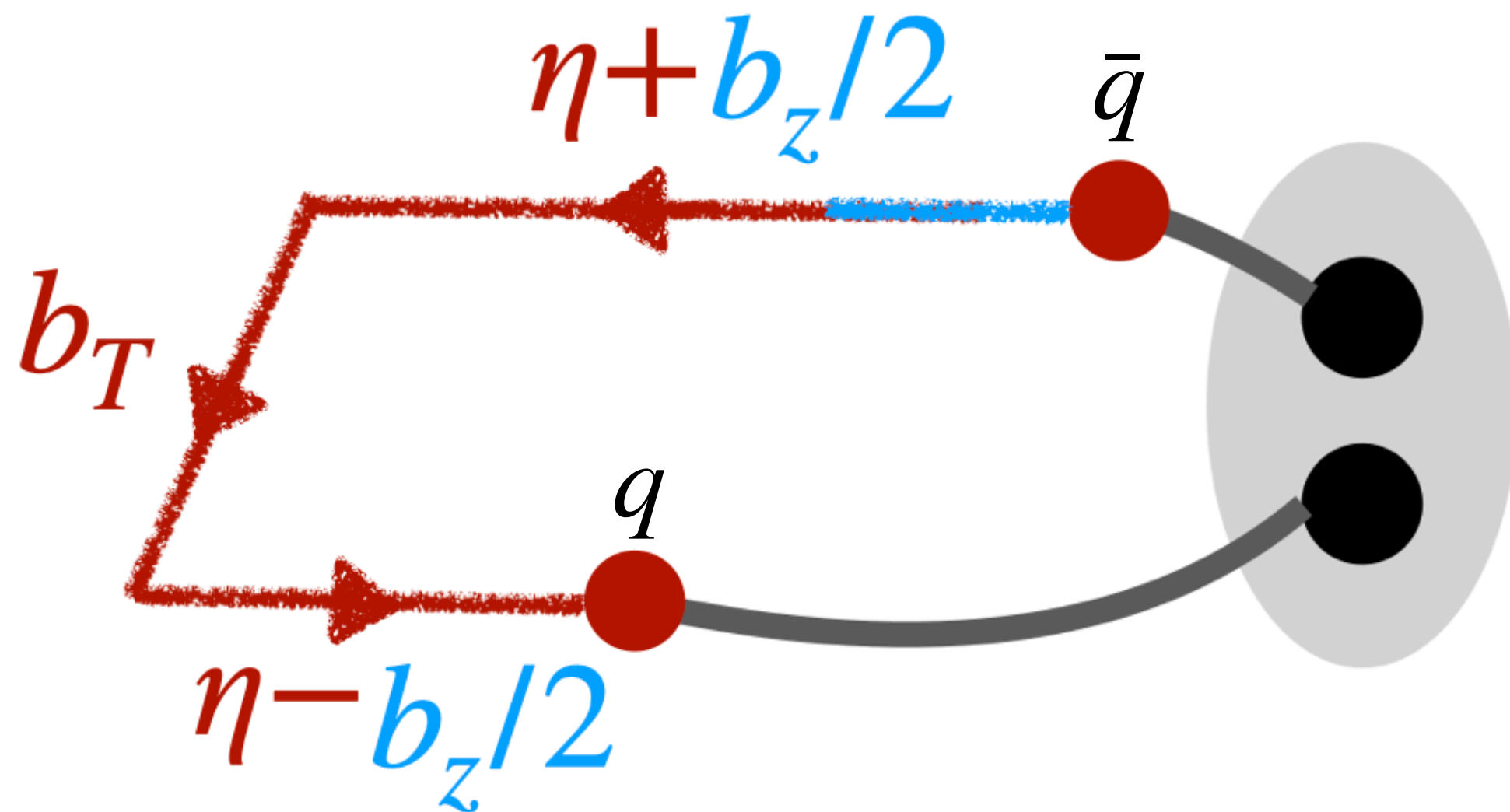
$$\frac{\tilde{f}_C(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, P_z)}{\sqrt{S_C(\vec{b}_T, \mu)}} = C(\mu, xP_z) e^{\frac{1}{2}\gamma_\zeta(\mu, b_T) \ln \frac{(2xP_z)^2}{\zeta}} f(x, \vec{b}_T, \mu, \zeta) \left\{ 1 + \mathcal{O}\left[\frac{1}{(xP_z b_T)^2}, \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2}{(xP_z)^2}\right] \right\}$$



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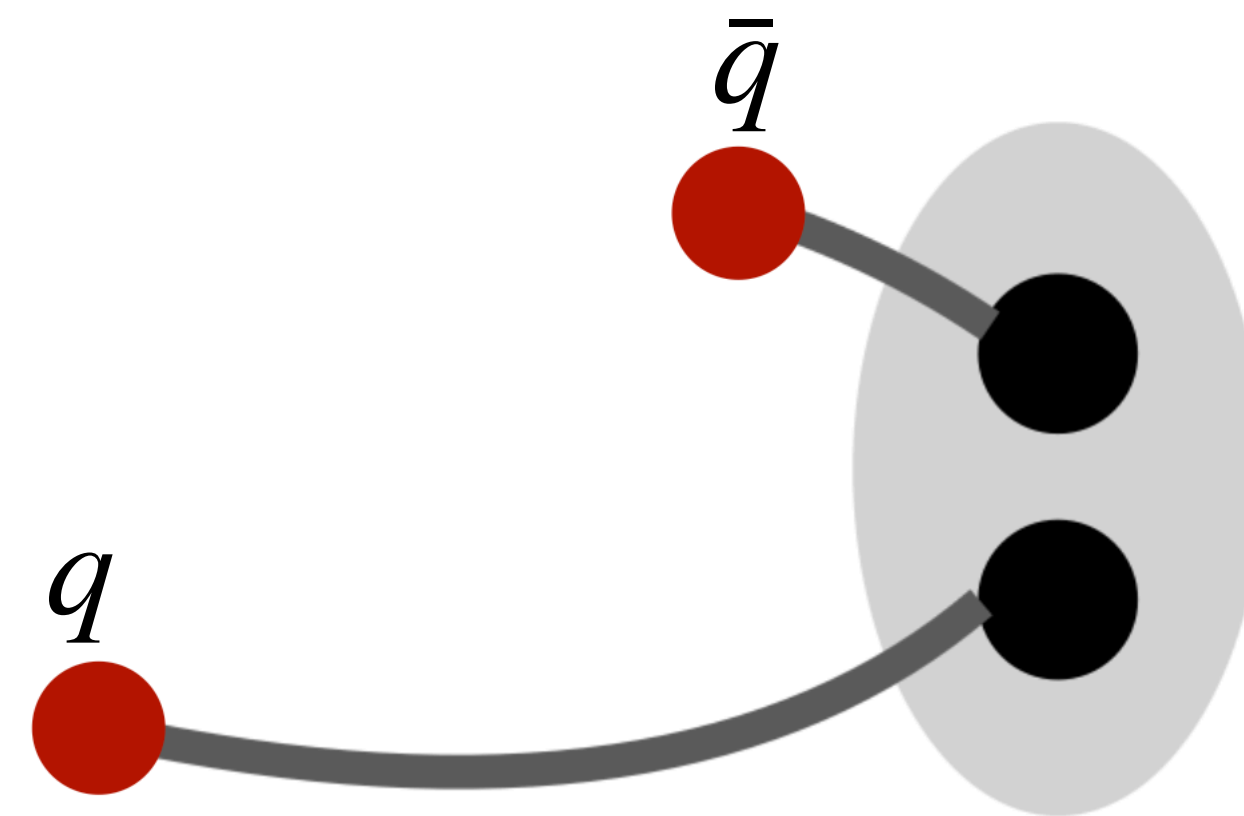
- The **same form of factorization formula** as the conventional gauge invariant (GI) method (verified through SCET), with different perturbative and power corrections.
- **Can the CG quasi-TMDs avoid the complexity from Wilson line?**

Quasi-TMDs in the Coulomb gauge



$$\langle \Omega | \bar{\psi}(\frac{b_z}{2}, b_{\perp}) \Gamma W_{\square} \psi(-\frac{b_z}{2}, 0) | \pi^+, P_z \rangle$$

Gauge-invariant (GI)
quasi-TMDWF

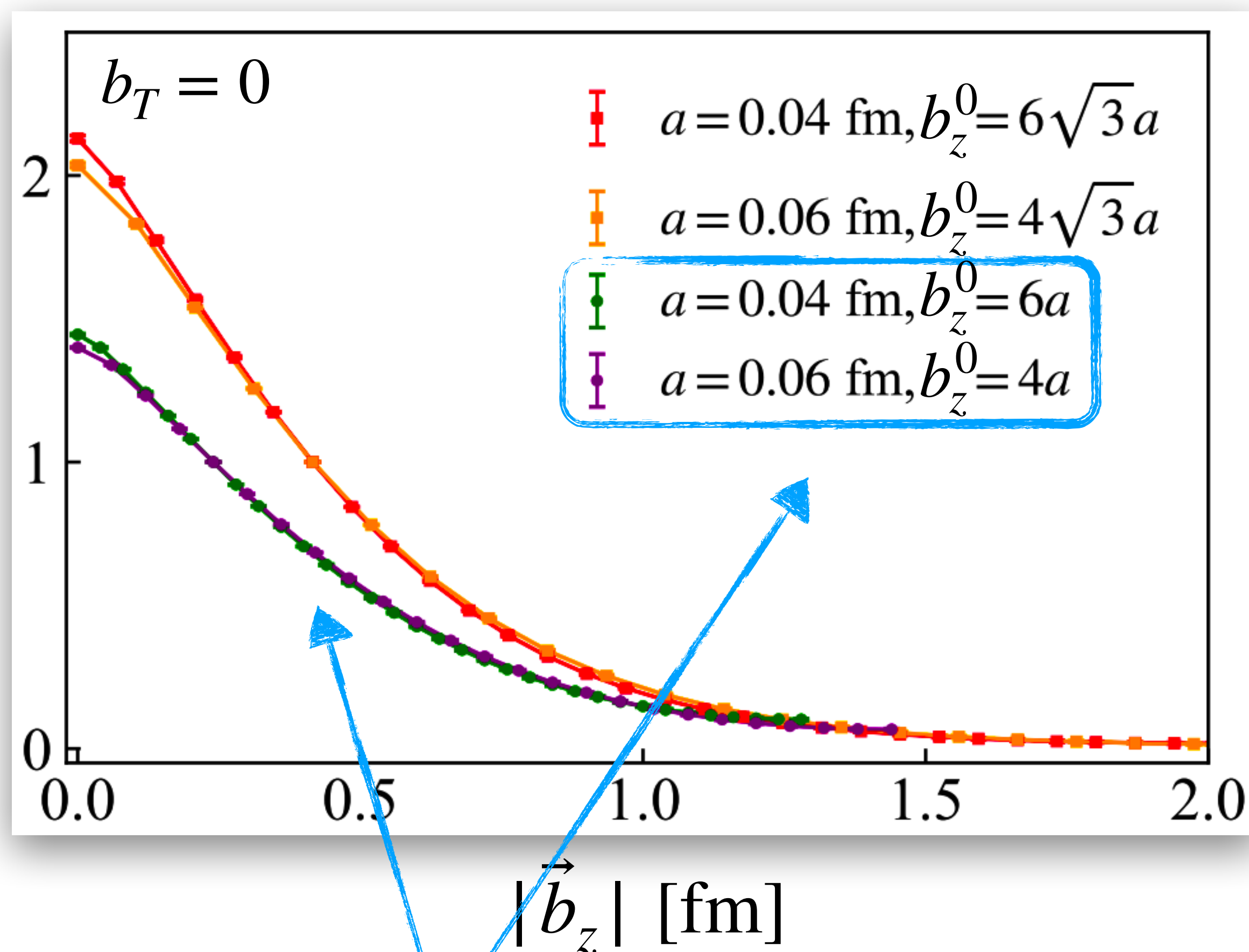


$$\langle \Omega | \bar{\psi}(\frac{b_z}{2}, b_{\perp}) \Gamma \psi(-\frac{b_z}{2}, 0) | \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A} = 0 | \pi^+, P_z \rangle$$

Coulomb gauge (CG)
quasi-TMDWF

16 CG quasi-TMDs: simplified renormalization

Renormalized matrix elements



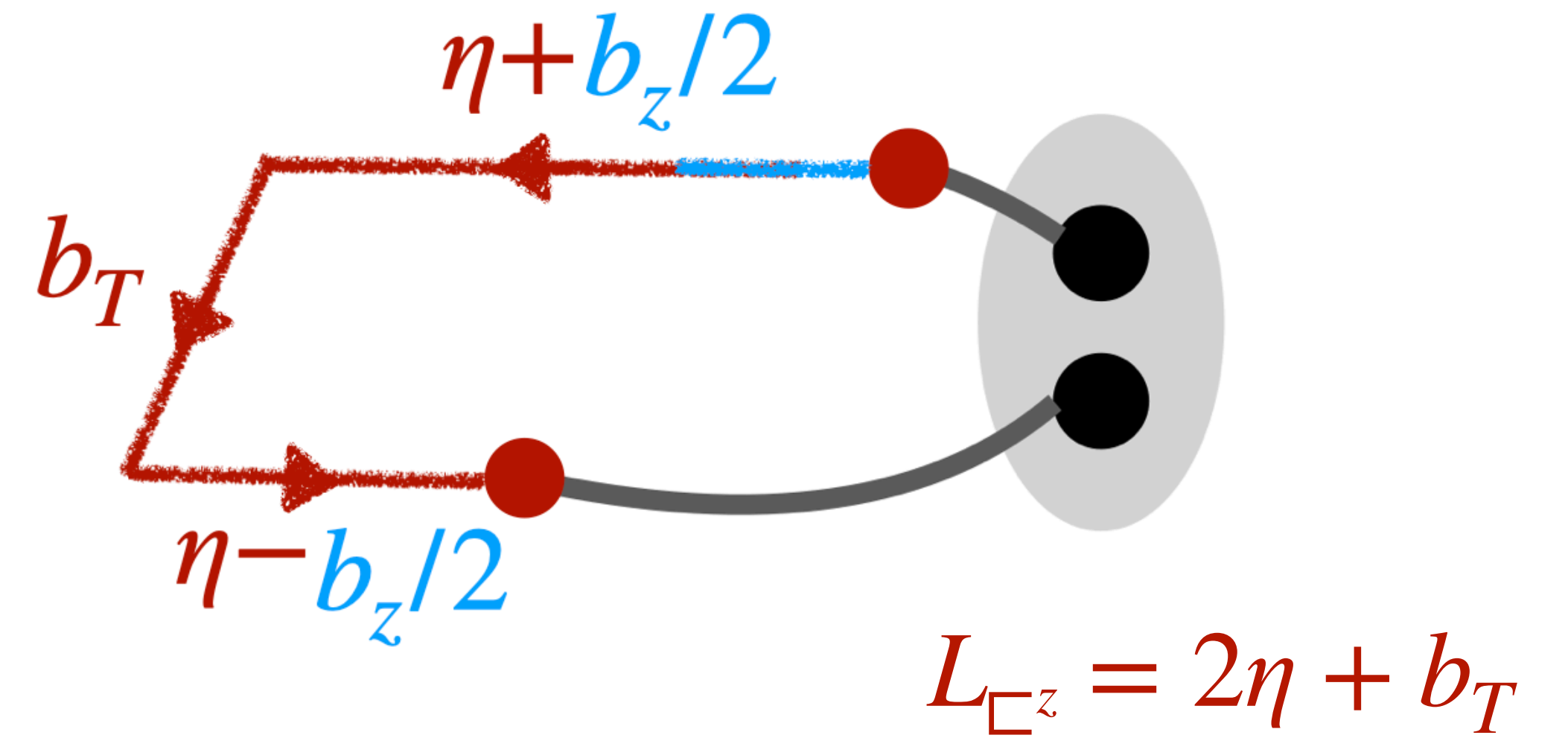
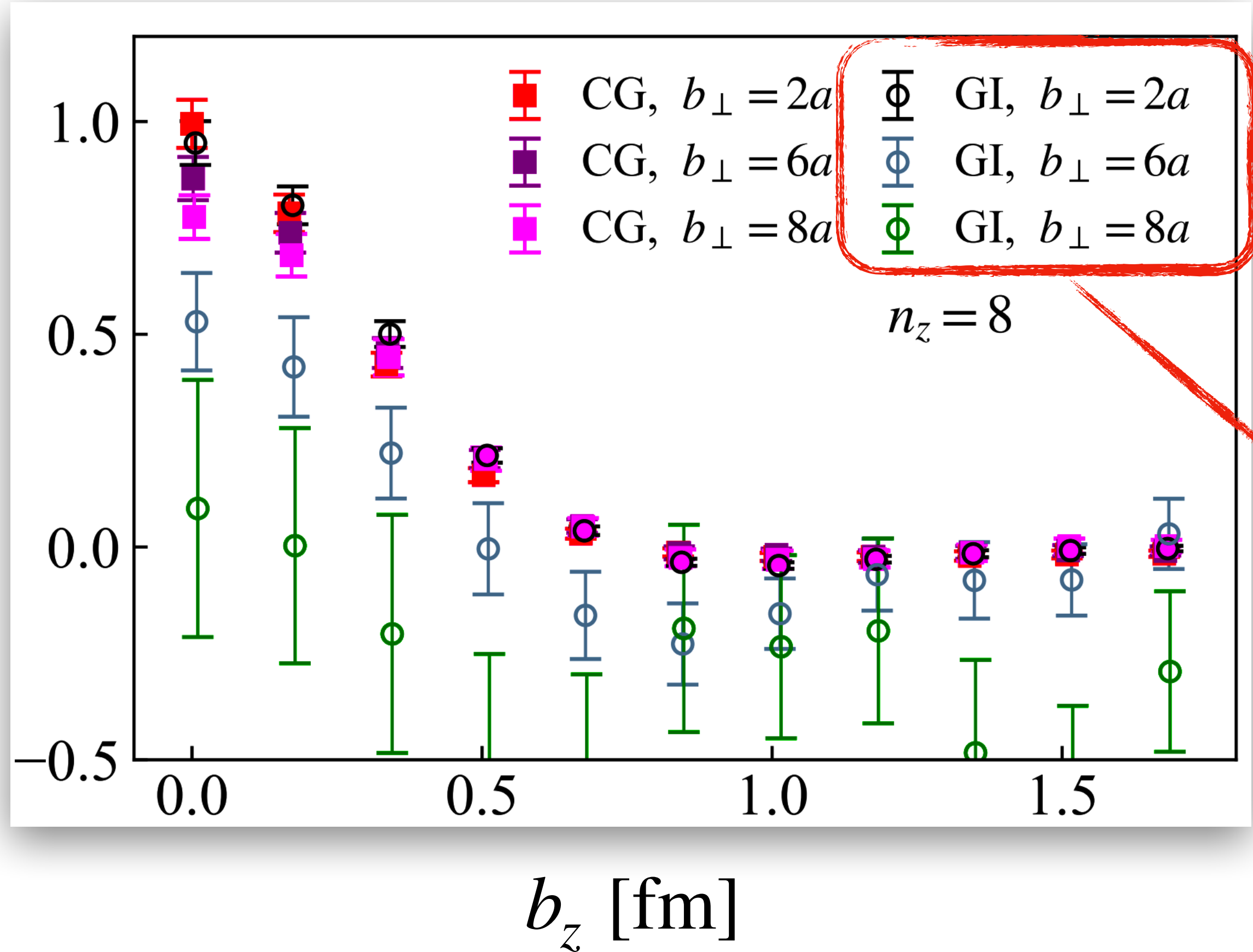
Two lattice spacings:
excellent continuum limit!

- **No linear divergence:** the renormalization is an overall constant.

$$[\bar{\psi}(-\frac{\vec{b}}{2})\Gamma\psi(\frac{\vec{b}}{2})]_B = Z_\psi(a)[\bar{\psi}(-\frac{\vec{b}}{2})\Gamma\psi(\frac{\vec{b}}{2})]_R$$

17 CG quasi-TMDs: enhanced long-range precision

Renormalized matrix elements



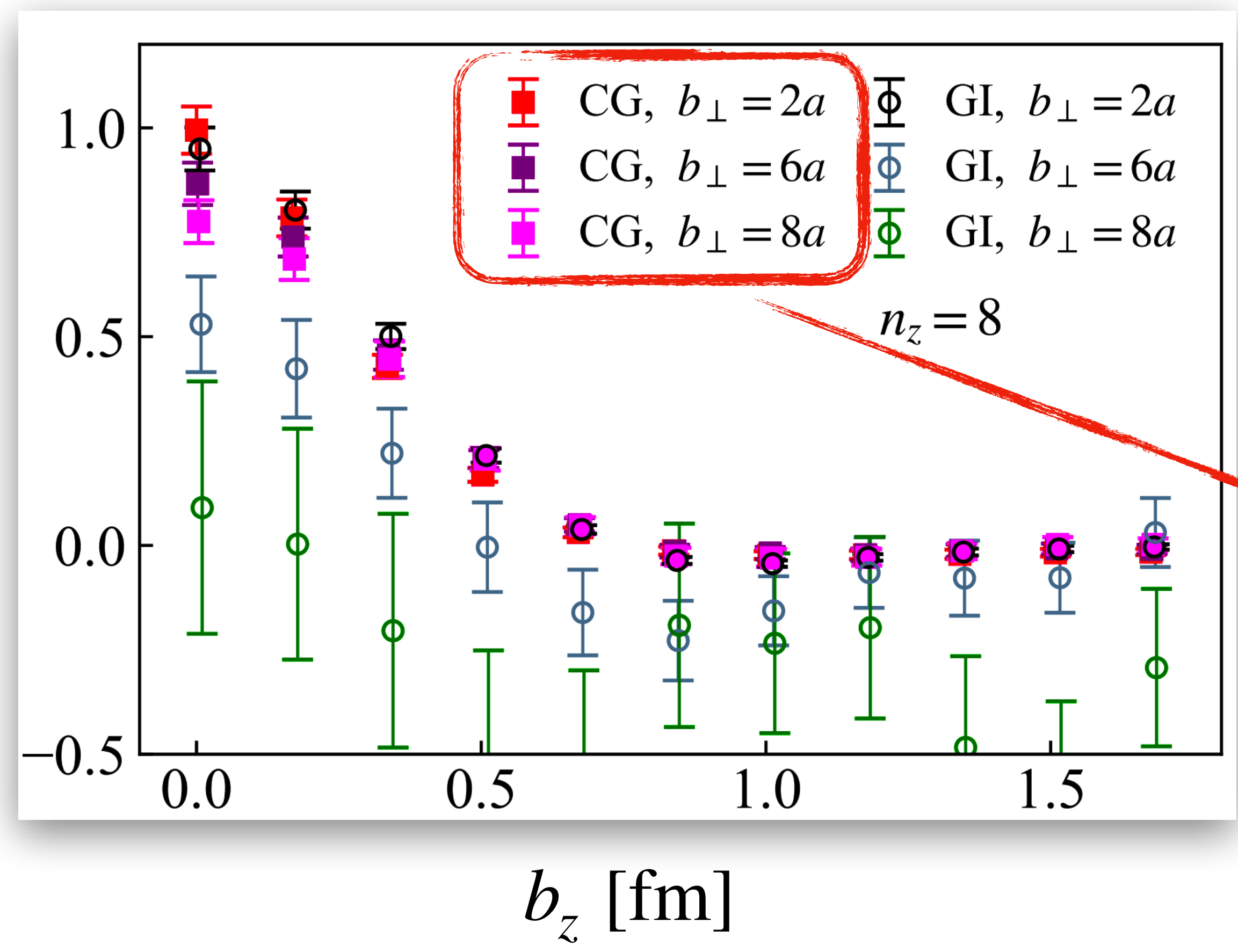
$b_T: 2a \rightarrow 6a \rightarrow 8a$

- GI shows rapid signal decay.

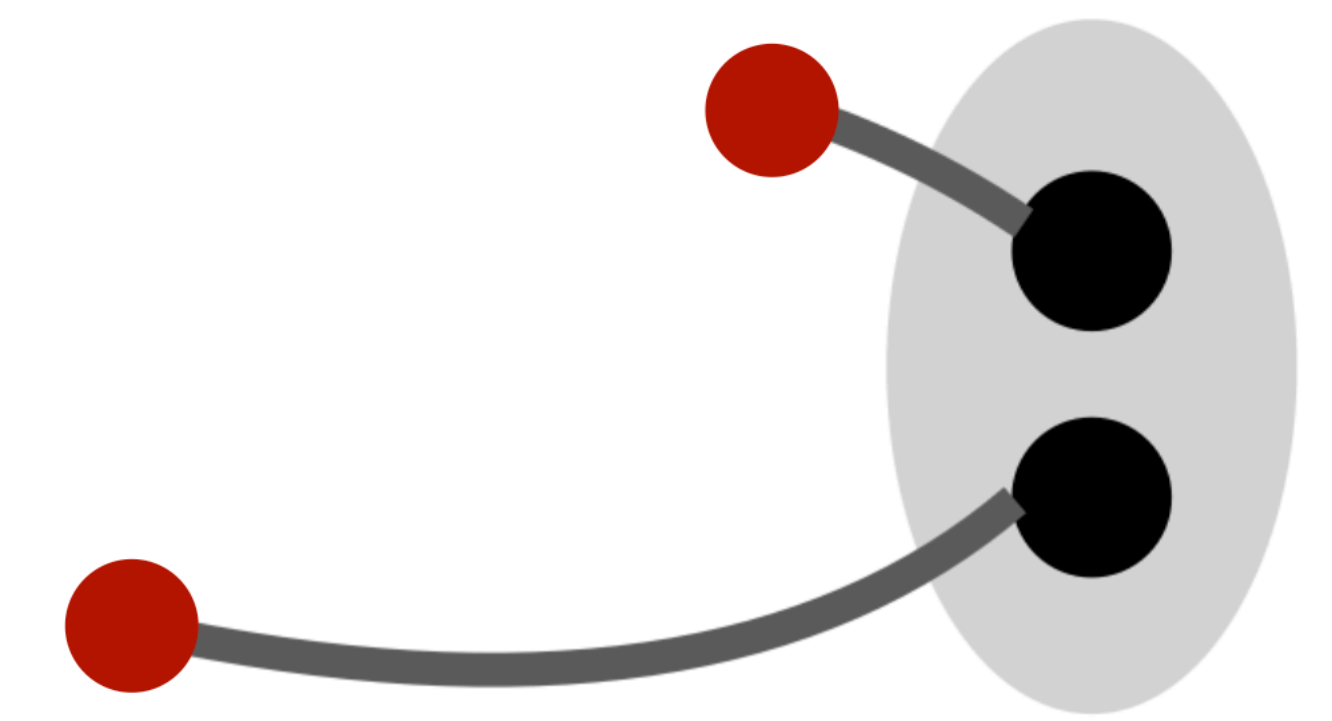
Domain wall fermion, physical quark masses
 $64^3 \times 128$, $a = 0.084$ fm

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Renormalized matrix elements



- $b_T: 2a \rightarrow 6a \rightarrow 8a$
- CG shows much slower signal decay compared to the GI cases.



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 $64^3 \times 128$, $a = 0.084$ fm

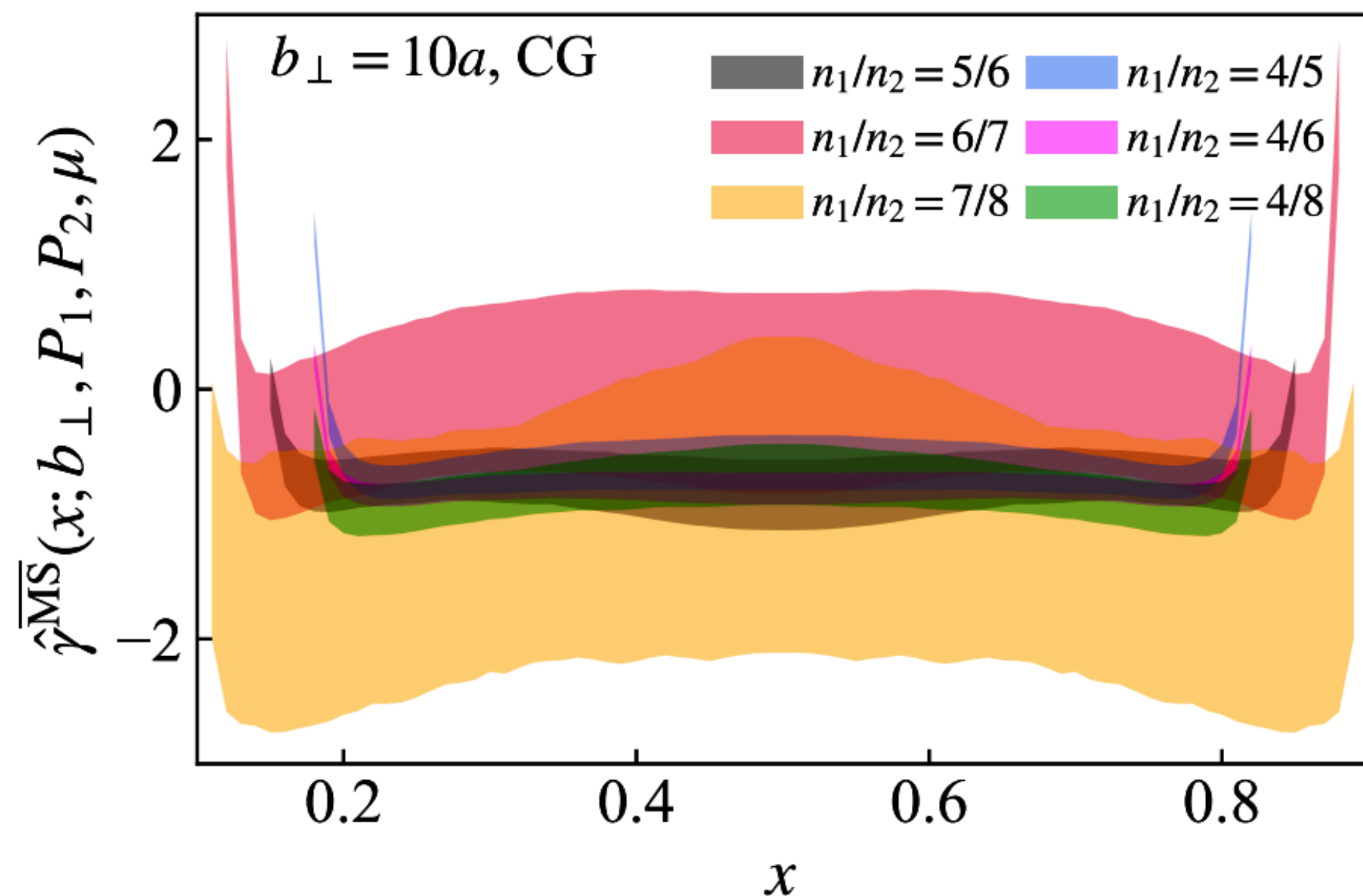
The Collins-Soper kernel from CG quasi-TMDWF

Perturbative correction

$$\gamma^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(b_{\perp}, \mu) = \frac{1}{\ln(P_2/P_1)} \ln \left[\frac{\tilde{\phi}(x, b_{\perp}, P_2, \mu)}{\tilde{\phi}(x, b_{\perp}, P_1, \mu)} \right] + \delta\gamma^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(x, \mu, P_1, P_2) + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2}{(xP_z)^2}, \frac{1}{(b_{\perp}(xP_z))^2} \right)$$

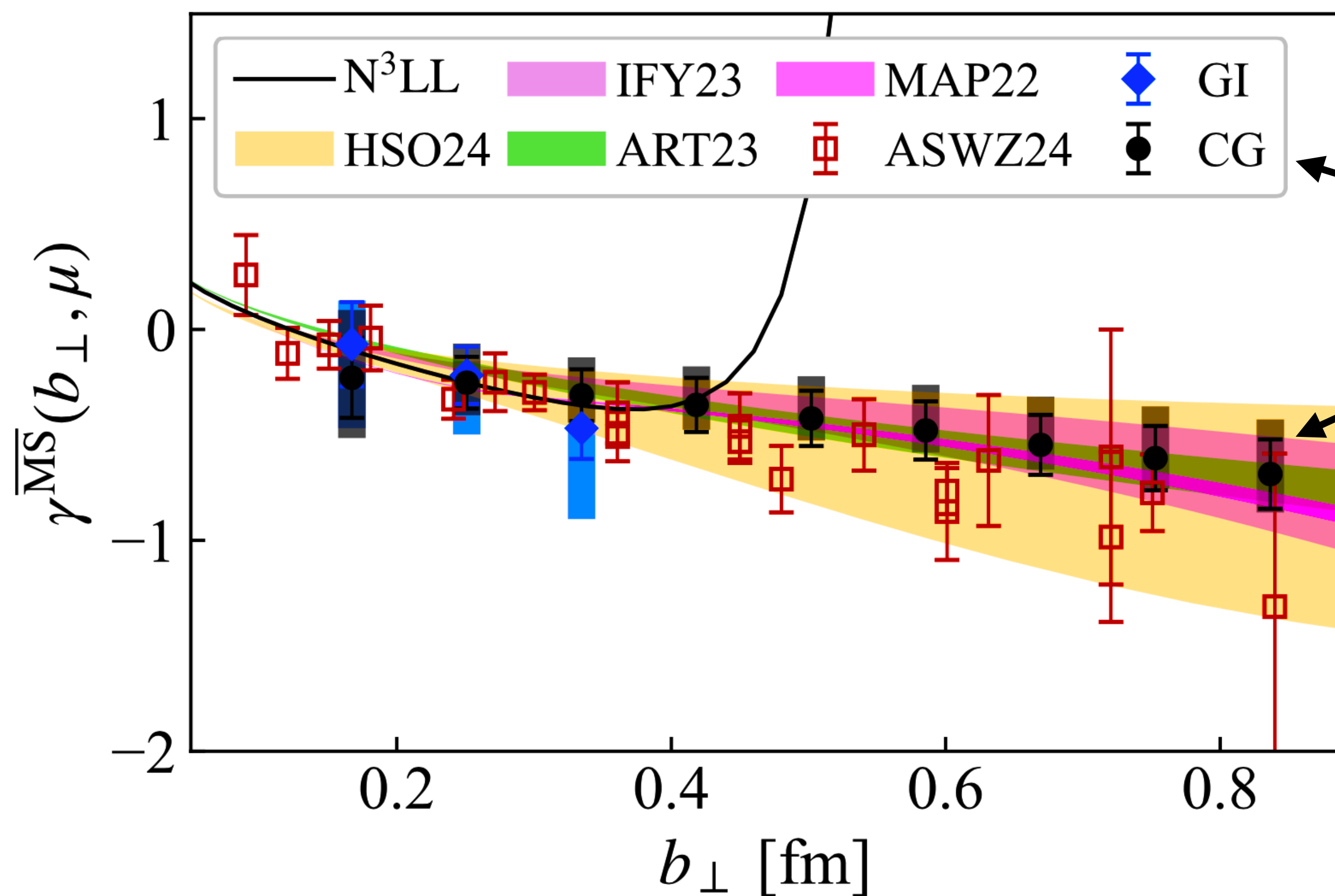
Evolution of quasi-TMDWFs: $P_1 \rightarrow P_2$

$a = 0.084$ fm, $P_z = n_z \cdot 0.23$ GeV



- The CS kernel $\gamma^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(b_{\perp}, \mu)$ is **independent (universal) of P_z and x** , up to higher-order and power corrections.

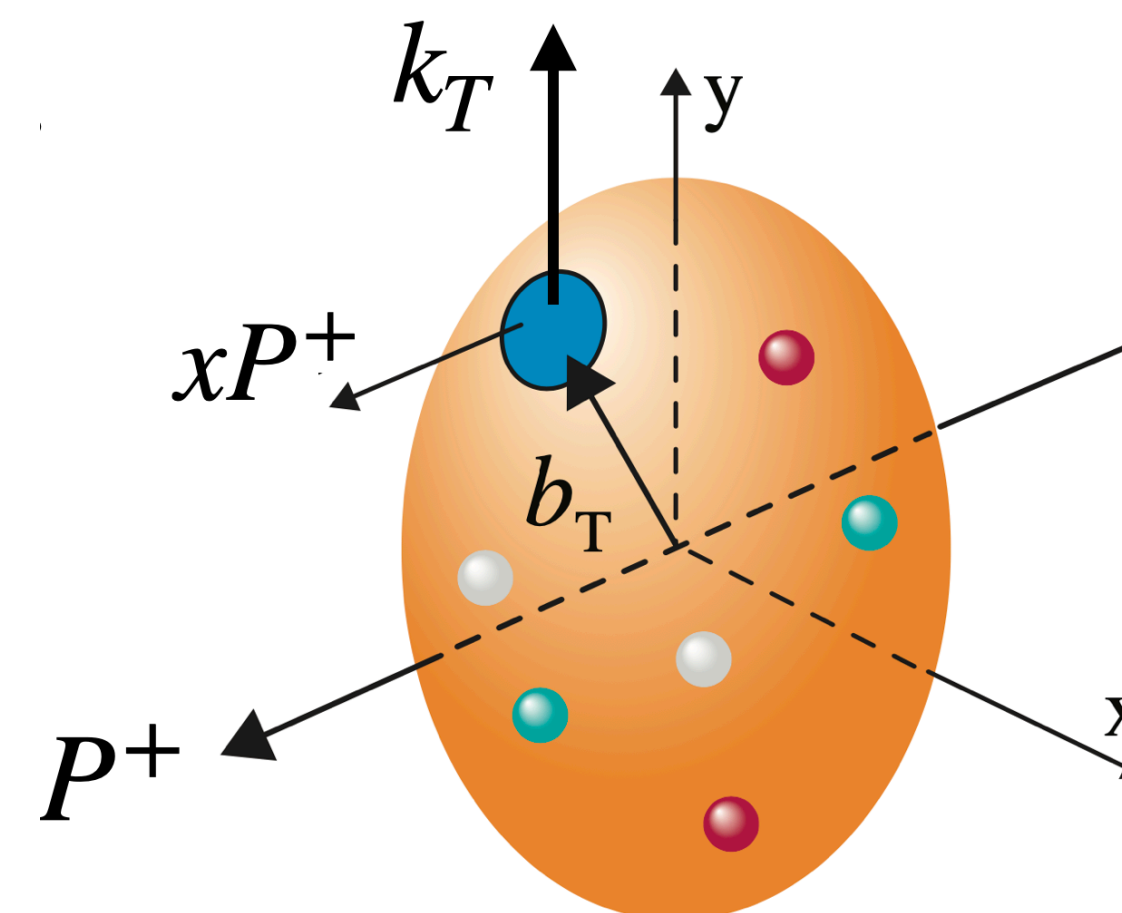
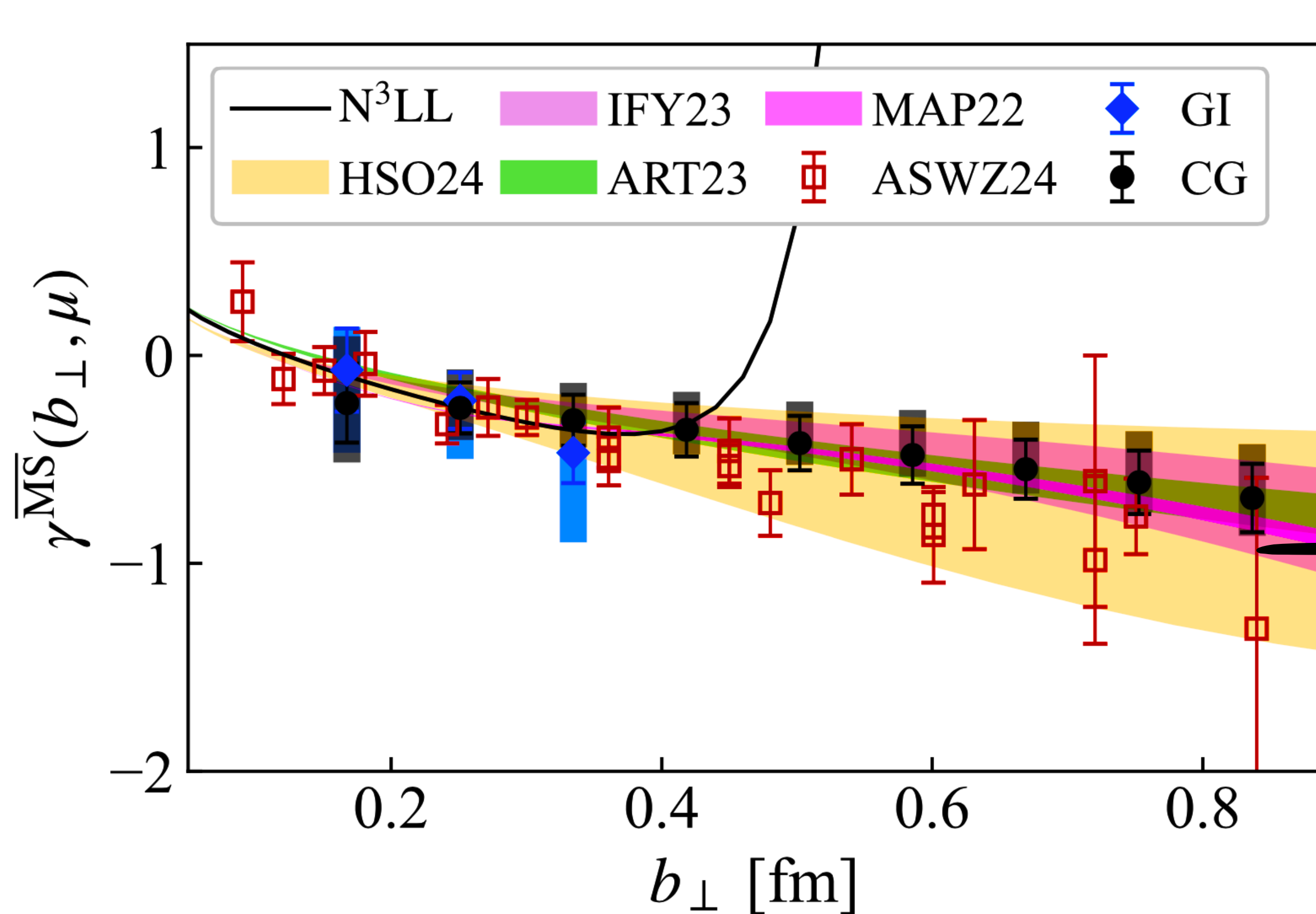
Nonperturbative Collins-Soper kernel



- First-principle determination with no model dependence.
- Consistent with most recent global fits and lattice results from GI operators.
- Showing a near-linear dependence on b_T .

Domain wall fermion, physical quark masses
 $64^3 \times 128$, $a = 0.084$ fm

Nonperturbative Collins-Soper kernel



- CG approach greatly improve the efficiency/precision: broader use in the nonperturbative regime of TMDs.

Summary

- The TMDs can be extracted from quasi-TMD correlators. The novel CG quasi-TMDs have several advantages with an emphasize of the enhanced long-range precision.
- We computed the quasi-TMD wave functions in the CG using a chiral lattice discretization at the physical pion mass. The extracted non-perturbative CS kernel appears to be consistent with recent parametrization of experimental data.
- The CG methods could have broader use in the future particularly in the precision calculation of non-perturbative regime of TMD physics, including the gluons and the Wigner distributions.

Thanks for your attention!

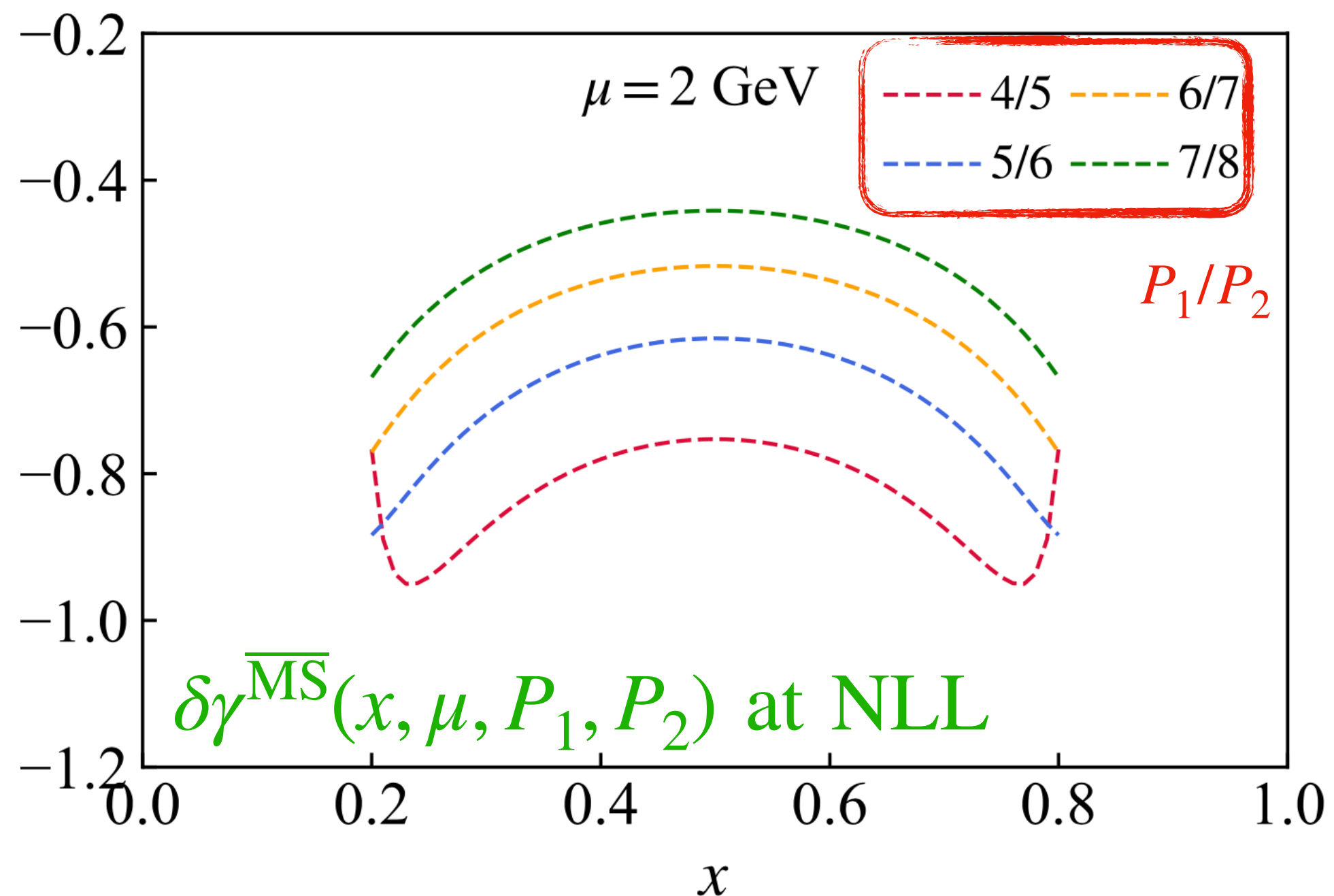
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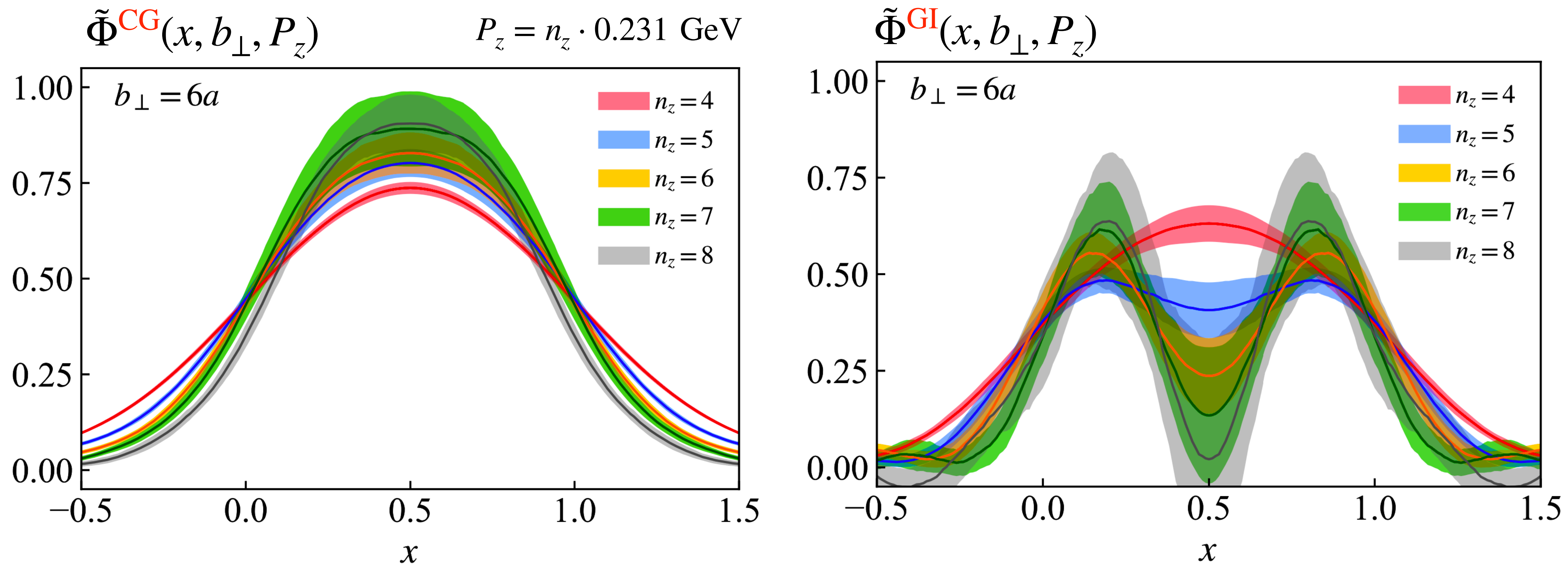
Ratio of quasi-TMDWFs



- The CS kernel $\gamma^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(b_{\perp}, \mu)$ is **independent (universal) of P_z and x** , up to higher-order and power corrections.

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Quasi-TMD wave functions after F.T.



- The CG quasi-TMD wave functions are more stable and show better signal.