

Photo shows my house on the south end of the Big Island of Hawaii where much of the analysis

SPIN ASYMMETRIES IN ELECTRON SCATTERING USING CLAS AT JEFFERSON LAB

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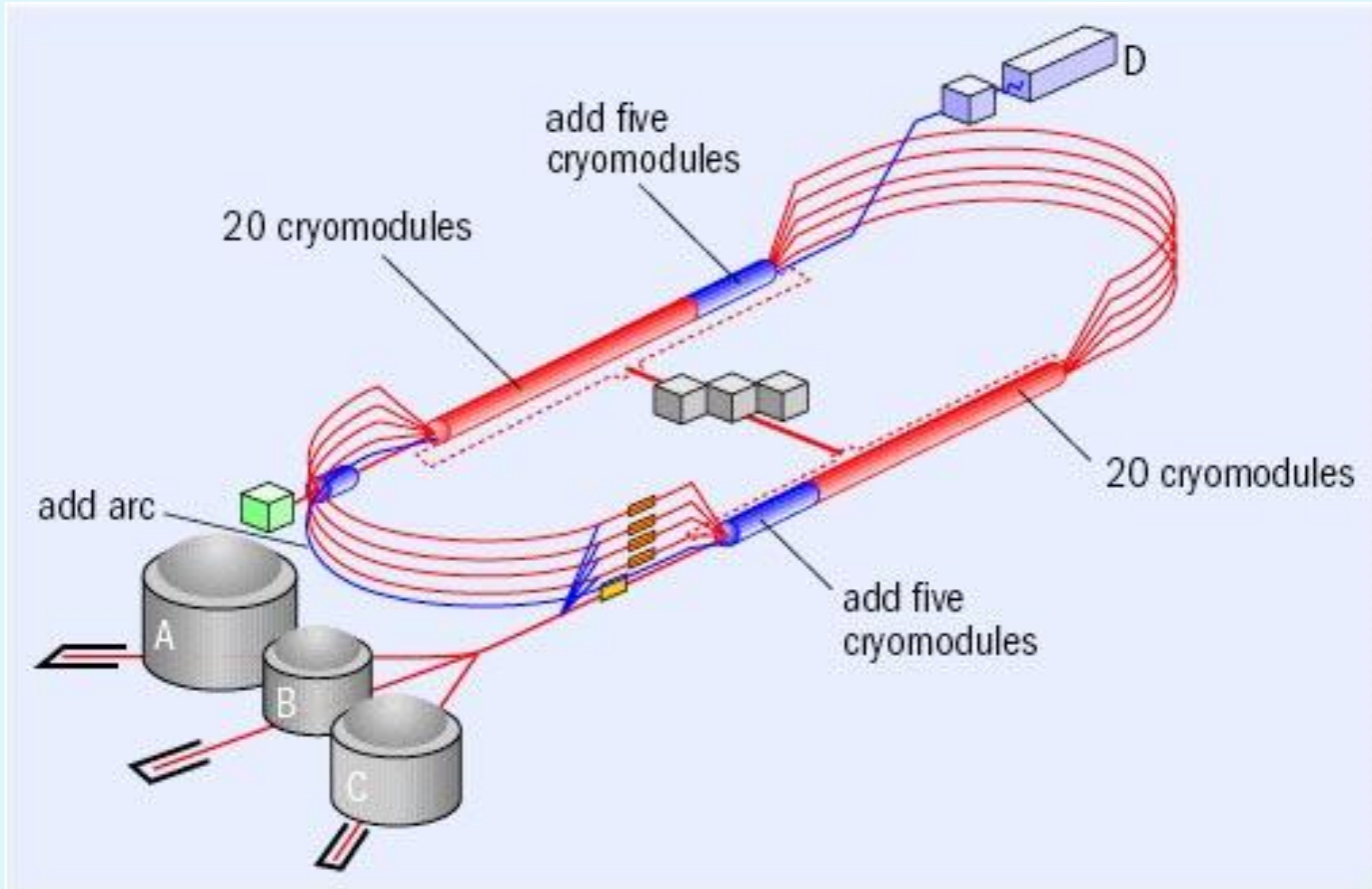
OUTLINE
EXPERIMENTAL OVERVIEW
NEW VERY PRECISE RESULTS g_1^p and g_1^d
PRELIMINARY P_t DEPENDENCE SIDIS
EXCLUSIVE PION ELECTROPRODUCTION



CEBAF AT JEFFERSON LAB

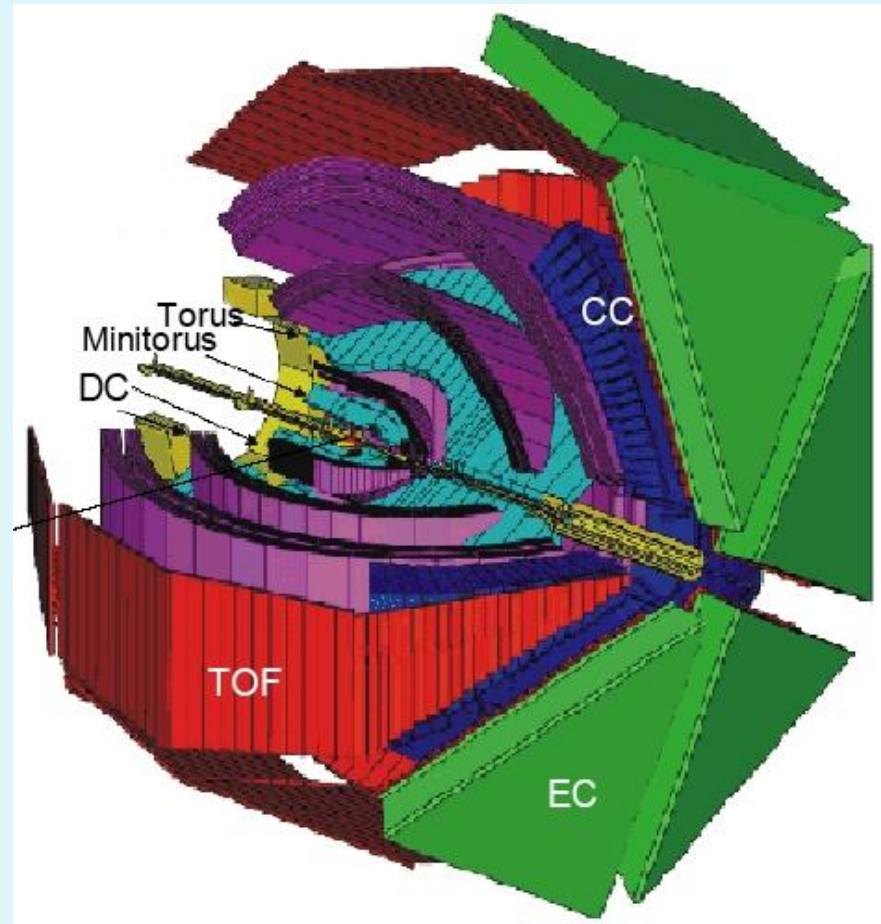
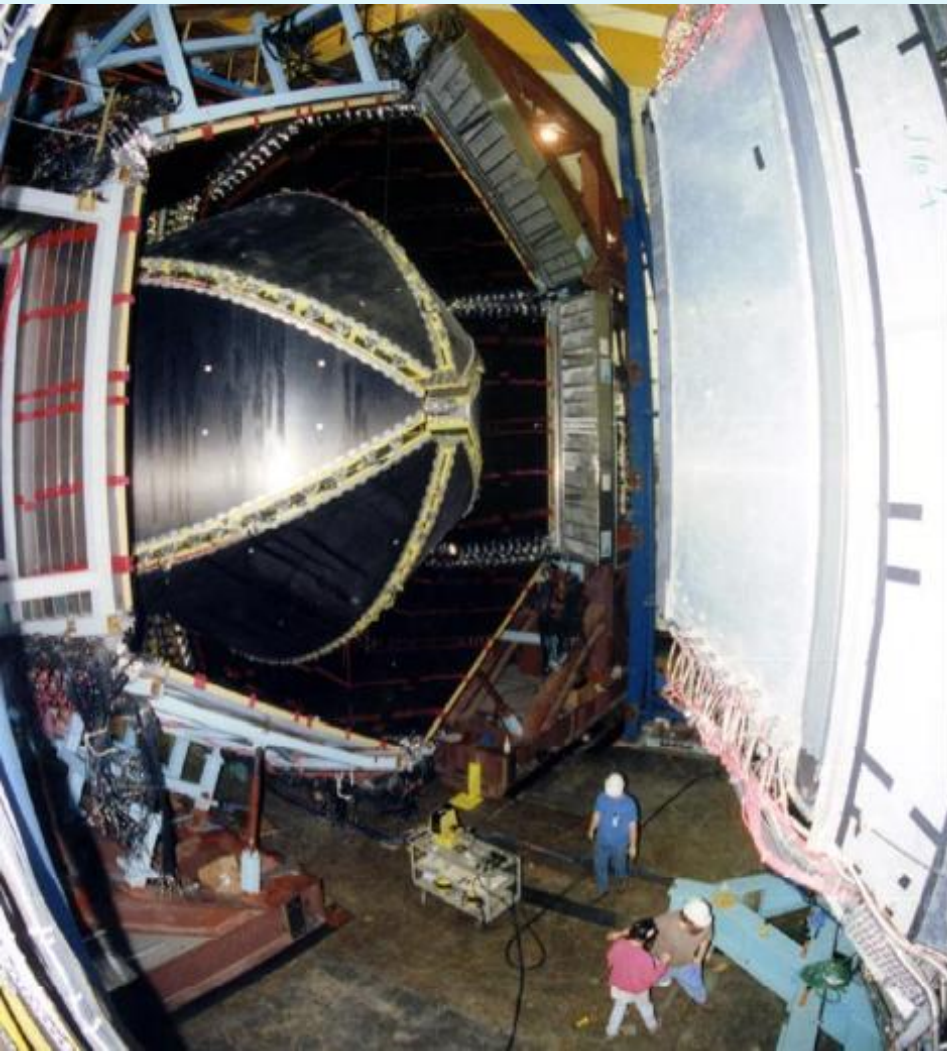
ELECTRON ENERGIES 1 TO 6 GEV

LONGITUDINAL POLARIZATION 70% TO 85%

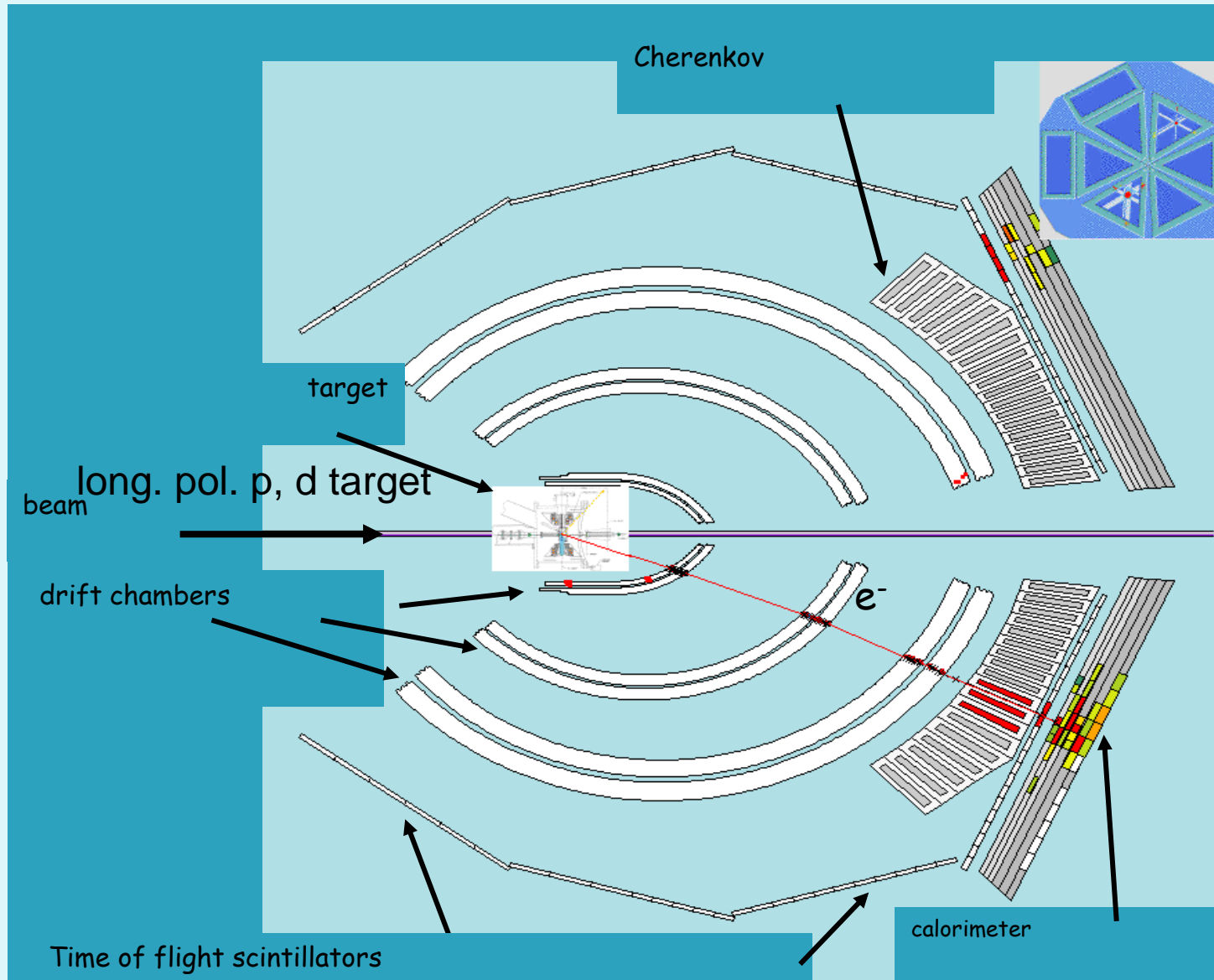


CLAS DETECTOR

In Hall B at Jefferson Lab



$p(e, e')X$ EVENT IN CLAS



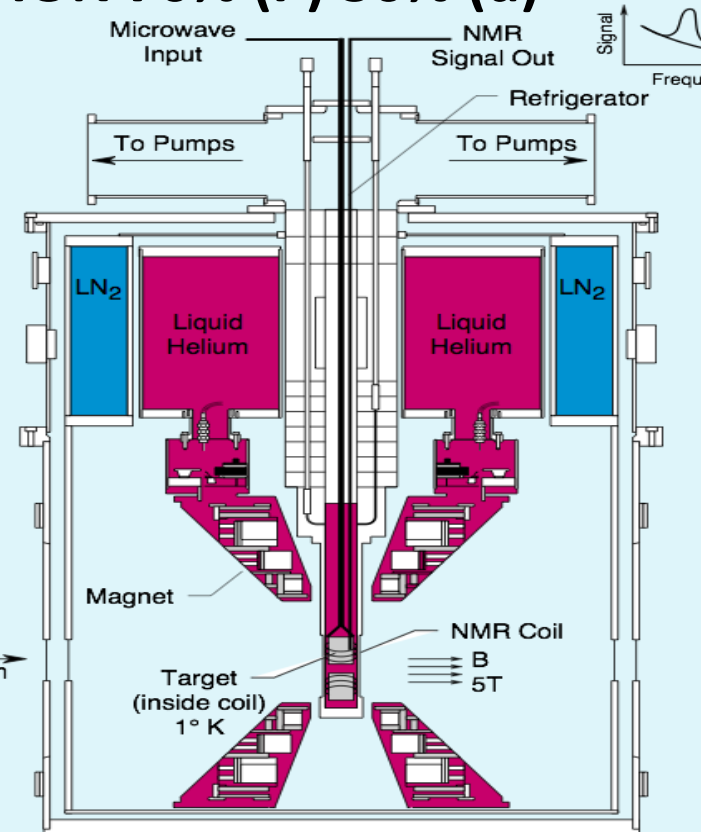
LONGITUDINALLY POLARIZED PROTON, DEUTERON TARGETS

- 5 TESLA MAGNETIC FIELD

- AMMONIA TARGETS (NH_3 , ND_3)

- 1 K LIQUID HELIUM

- POLARIZATION 70% (p) 30% (d)

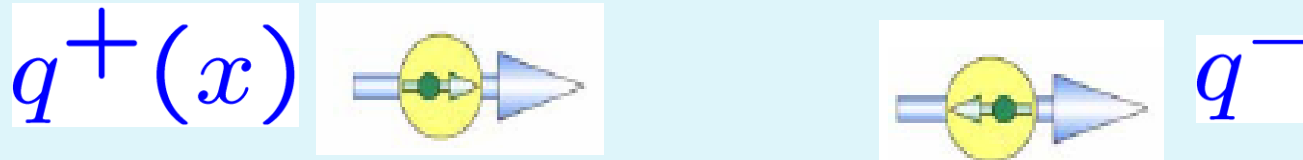


Purple beads are ammonia (NH_3);
only the protons are polarized, the
nitrogen makes for (big) background

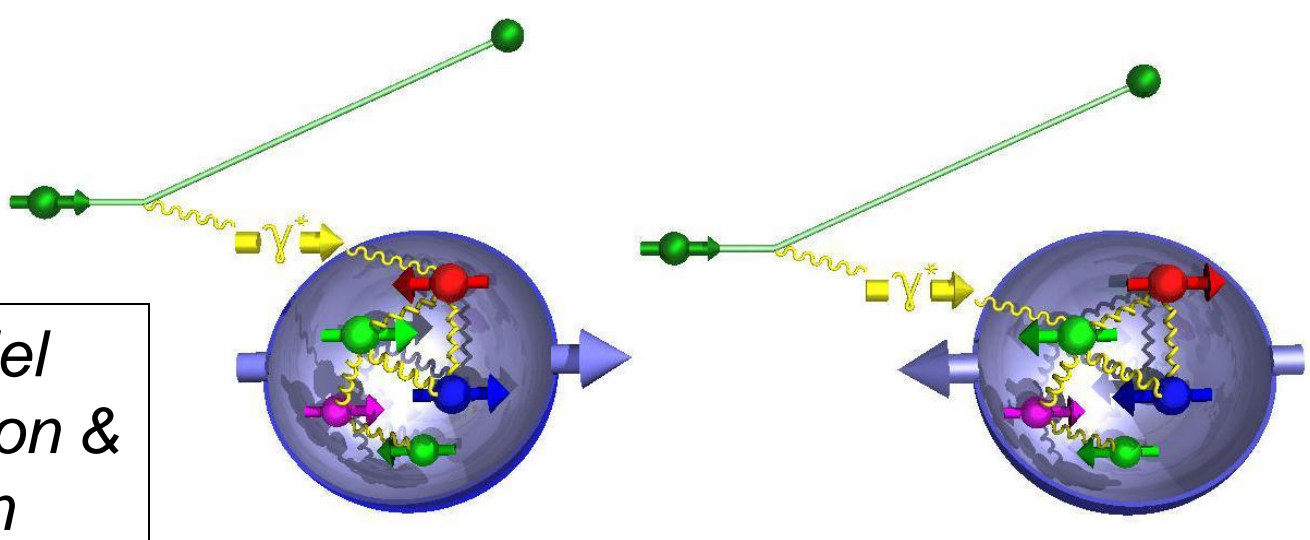


Polarization of quarks

Quarks have spin, which can be aligned or anti-aligned with proton spin



Experiment: compare:



*Parallel
electron &
proton
spins*

*Anti-parallel
electron &
proton
spins*

EG1-DVCS experiment

5.9 GeV polarized electrons



**Run in 2009: 4 months on NH₃
1.5 months on ND₃**

**Many improvements
compared to 2001: equivalent
to 30x more events**

INCLUSIVE g_1/F_1 DETERMINATION

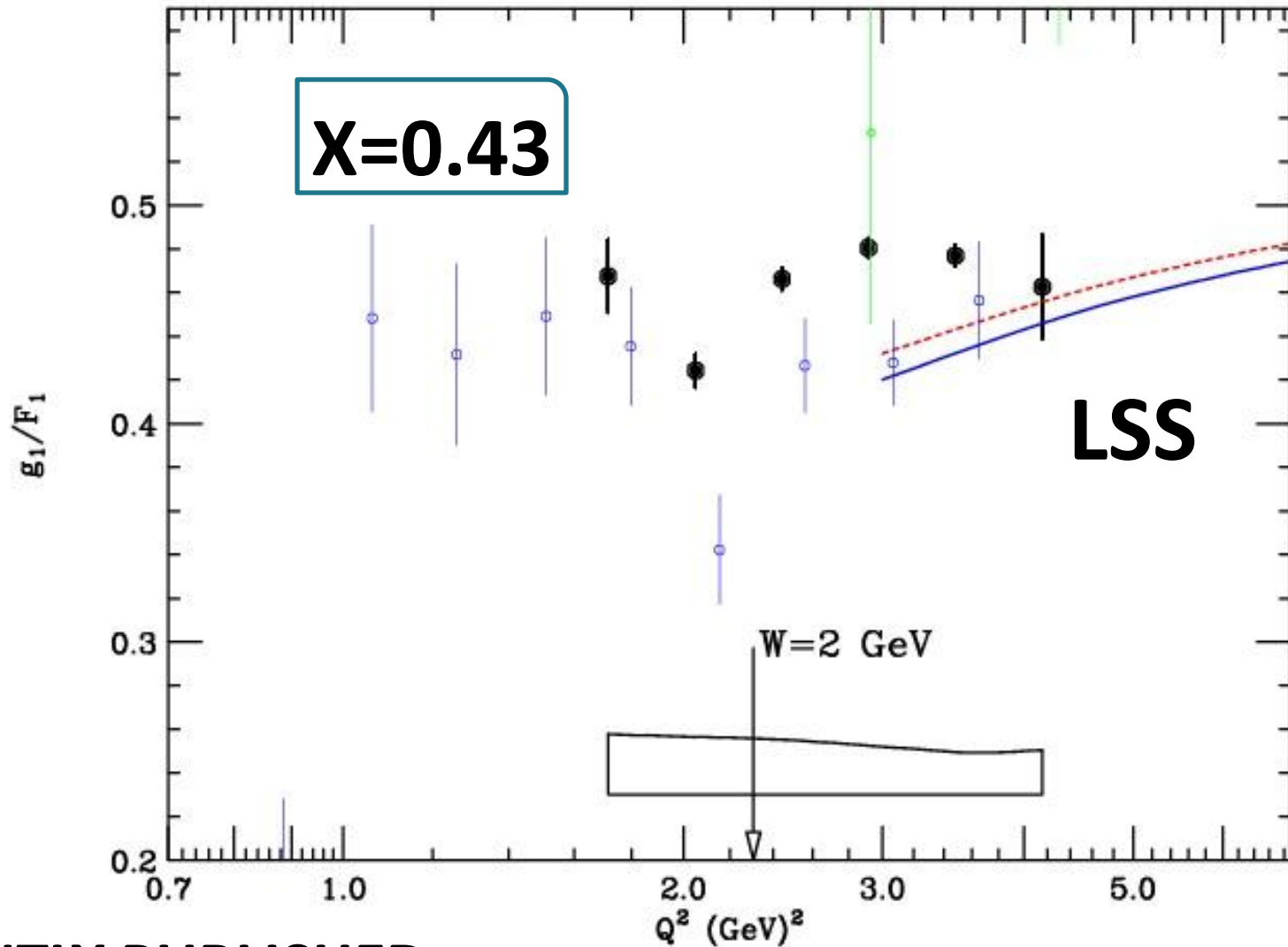
$$\frac{g_1}{F_1} \approx \frac{1}{P_B P_T f D_{LL}(y)} \frac{N^{+-} - N^{++}}{N^{+-} + N^{++}}$$

- **Beam polarization P_B about 0.8**
- **Target polarization 0.7 (p), 0.3 (d)**
- **Dilution factor f about 0.2**
- **Depolarization factor $D_{LL}(y)$ about 0.3**
- **Number count N measured in billions**

ADDITIONAL CORRECTIONS g_1/F_1

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- **RADIATIVE CORRECTIONS**
- **RADIATIVE DILUTION**
- **PAIR-SYMMETRIC BACKGROUND**
- **POLARIZATION OF NITROGEN**
- **CONTRIBUTION FROM g_2**
- **ACCIDENTAL CONTAMINATION OF ND_3 TARGET WITH 10% NH_3**

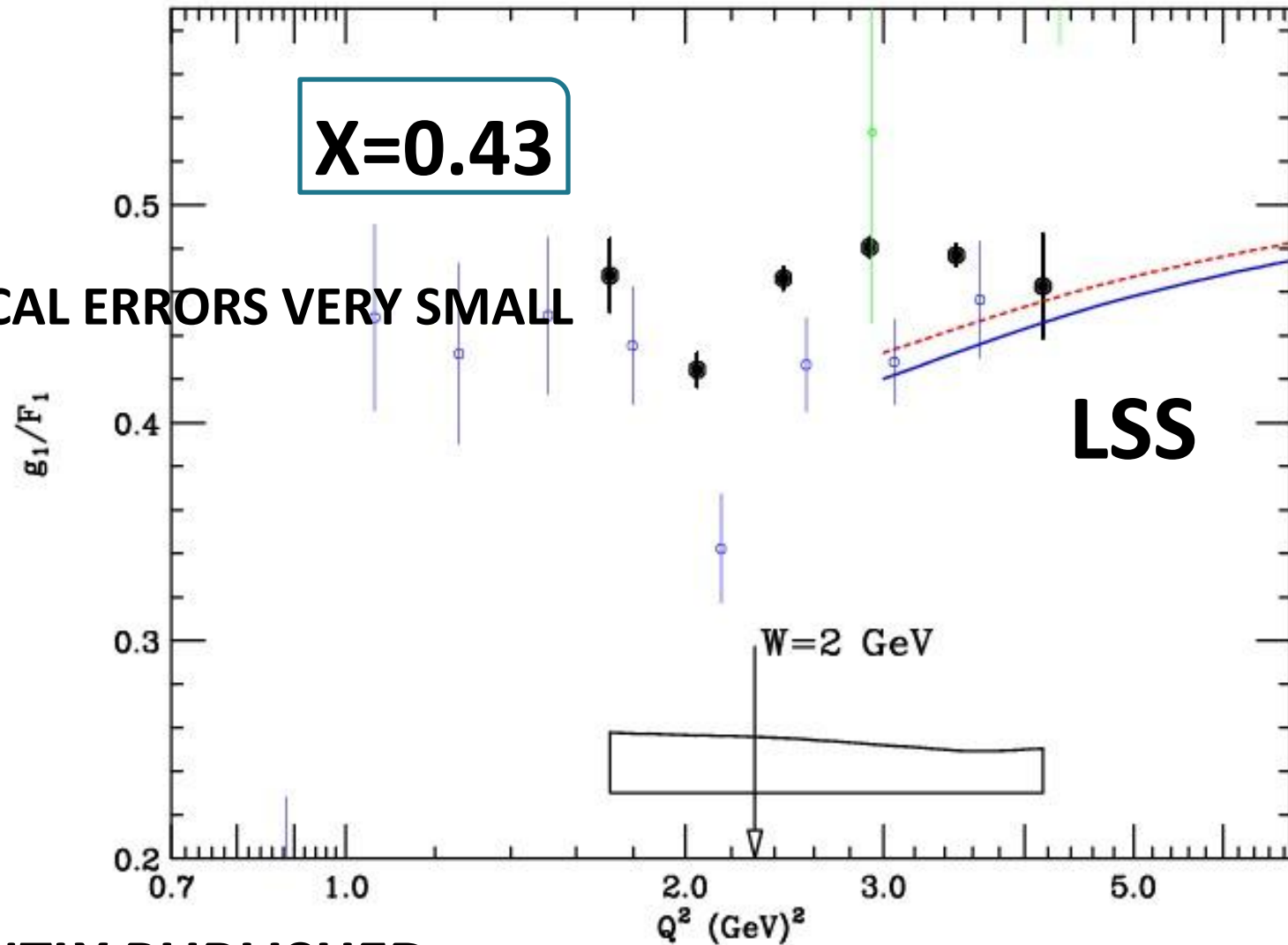
EG1-DVCS PROTON g_1/F_1



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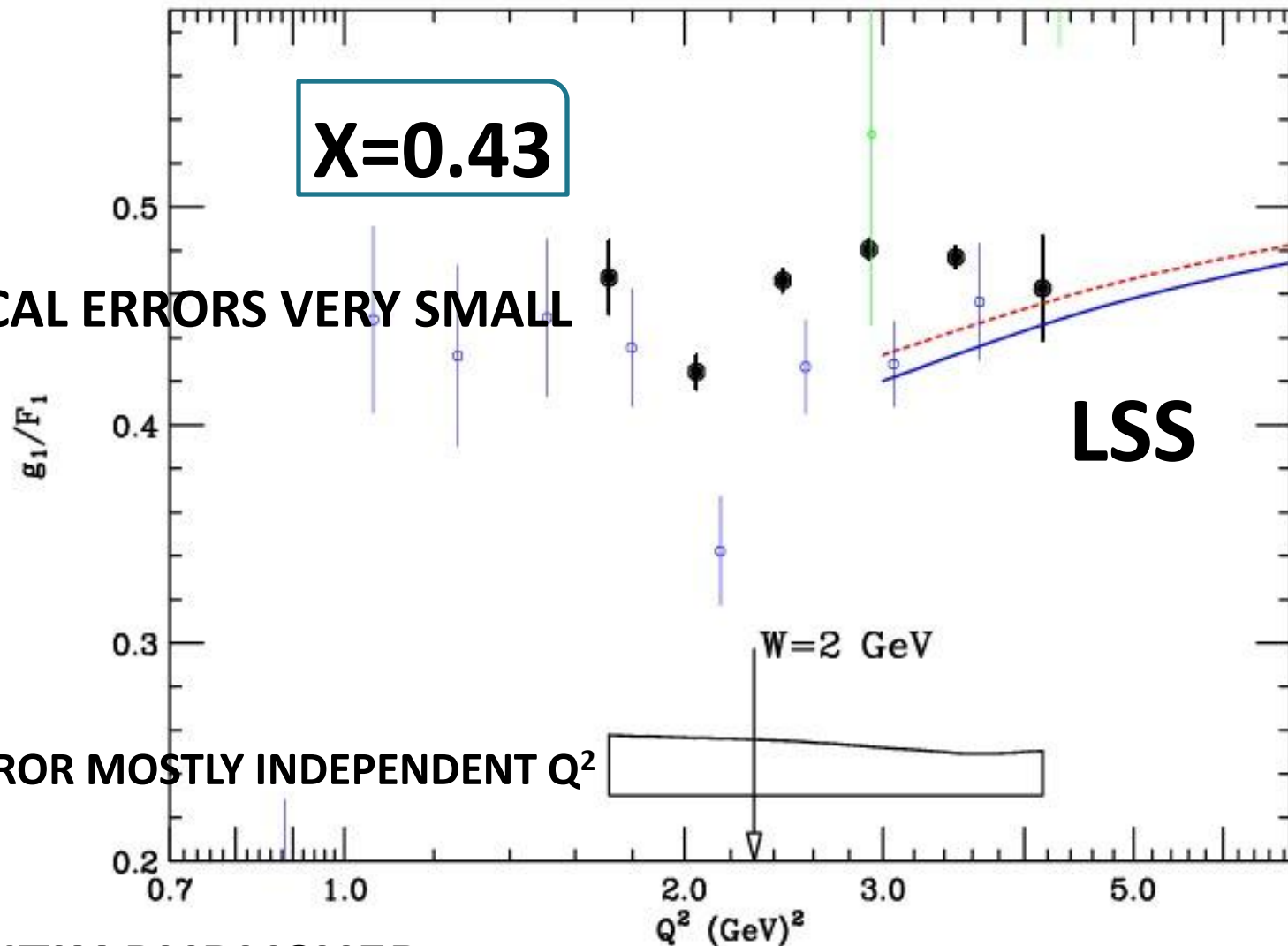
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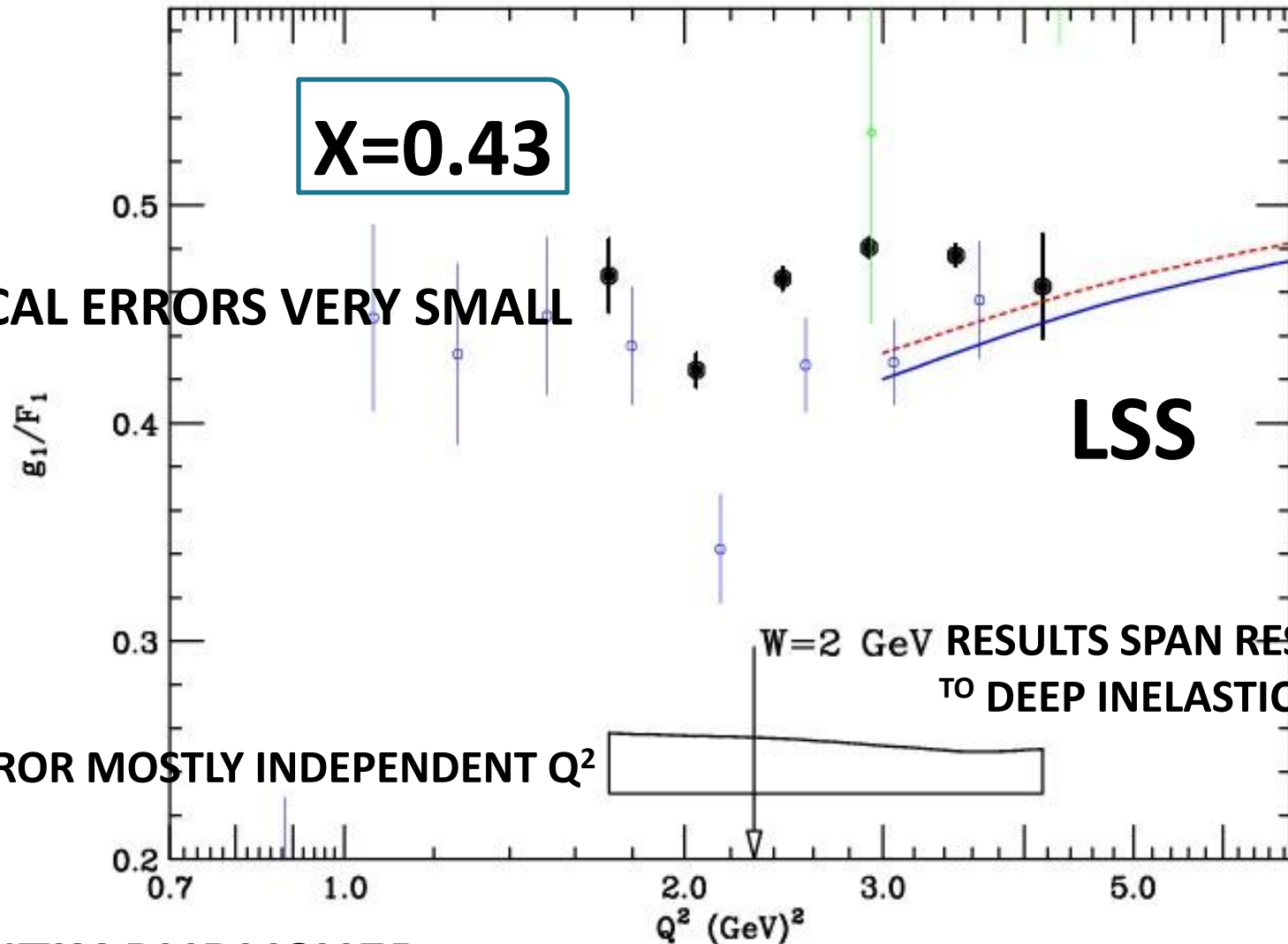
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SYST. ERROR MOSTLY INDEPENDENT Q^2

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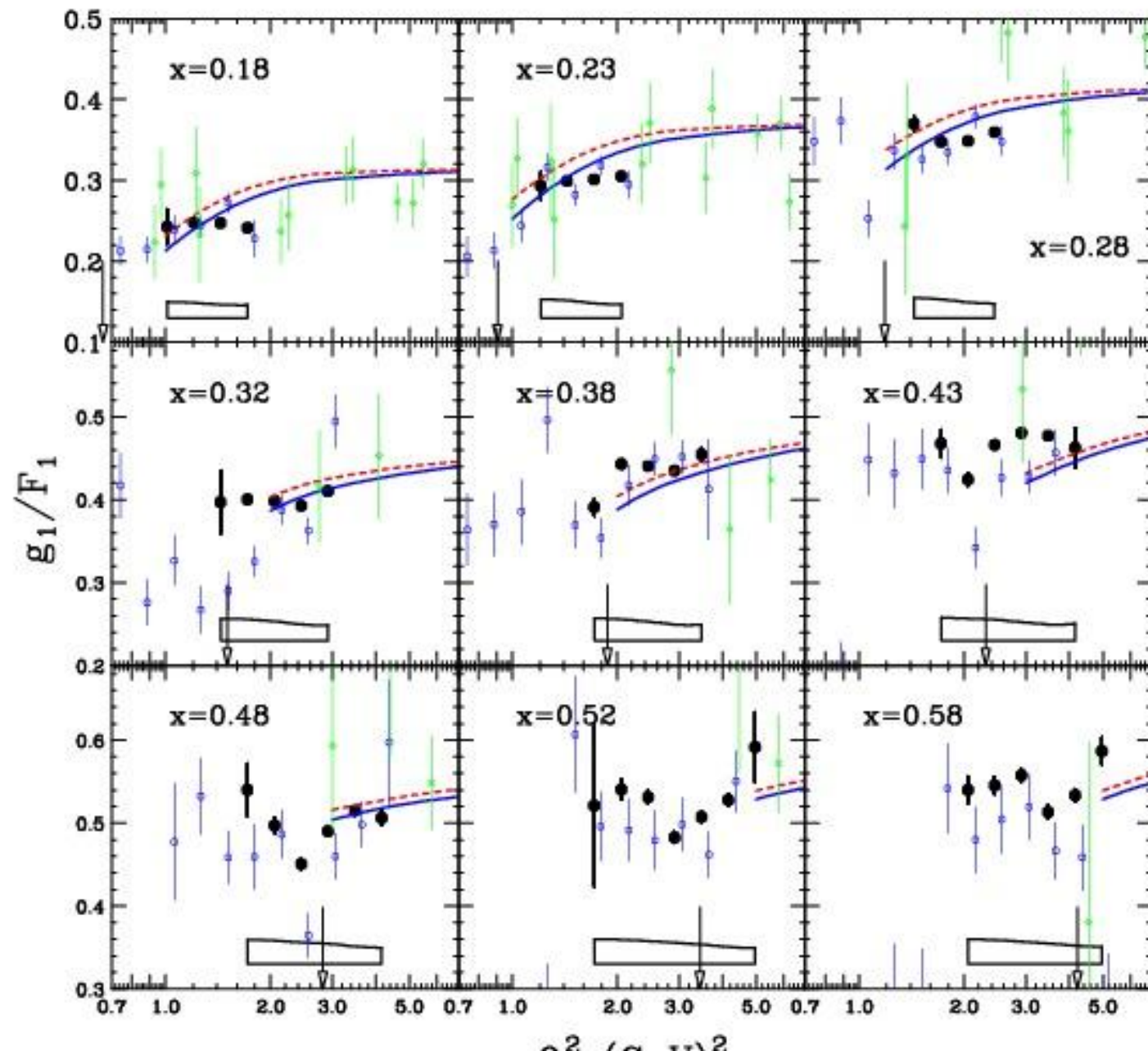
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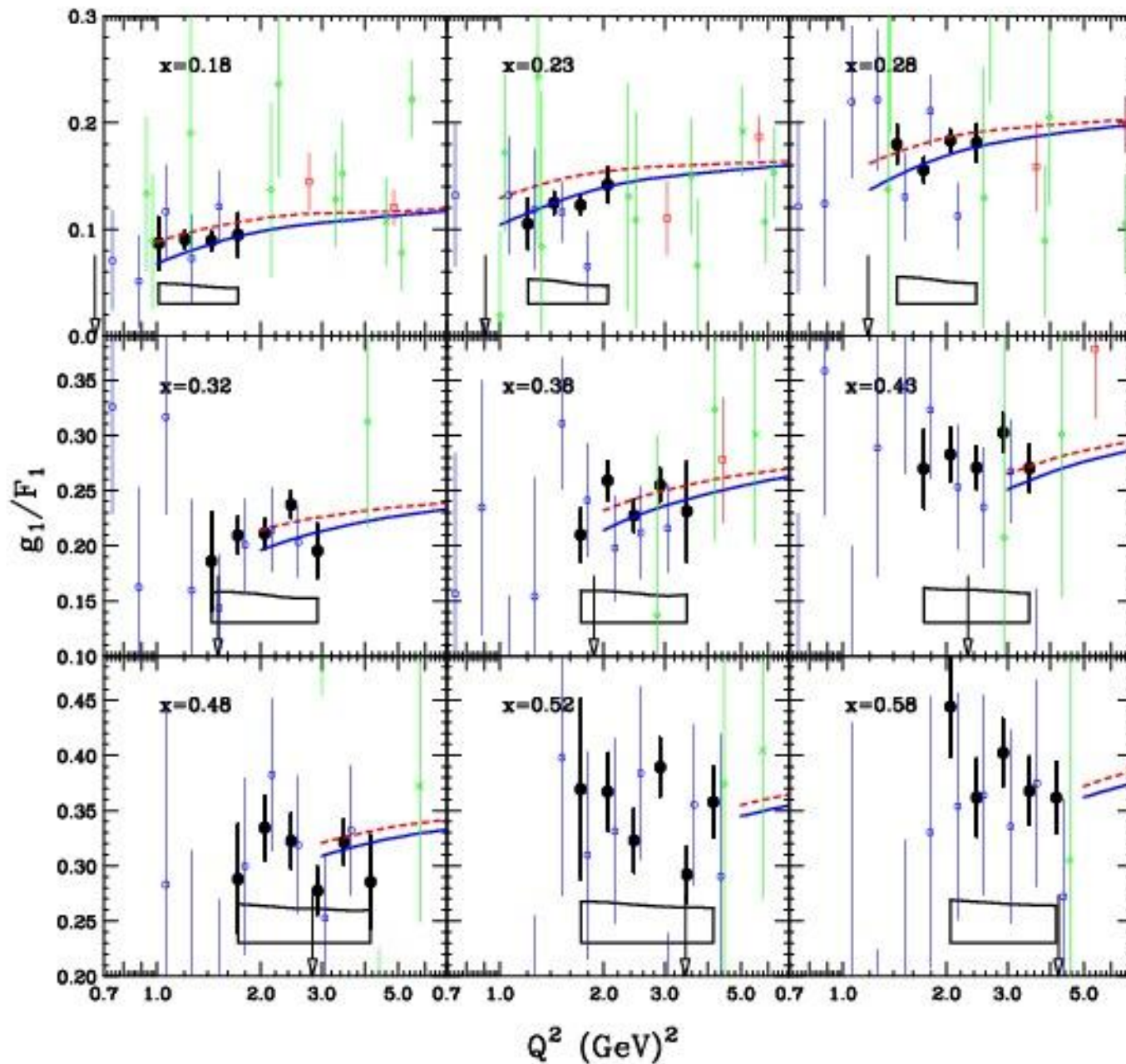
EG1-DVCS PROTON g_1/F_1



$0.15 < X < 0.6$

$1 < Q^2 < 5 \text{ GeV}^2$

EG1-DVCS DEUTERON g_1/F_1



LSS FIT USING EG1-DVCS NEW RESULTS

“We have stressed that, in principle, the inclusive DIS data uniquely determine the strange quark polarization. Our new analysis of the inclusive world data, including for the first time the **extremely accurate JLab CLAS data on the proton and deuteron** spin structure functions and the recently published COMPASS proton data, despite allowing, in the parametrization, for a possible sign change, has confirmed the previous claim, namely, that the inclusive data **yield significantly negative values for the strange quark polarization**. The fundamental difference between the SIDIS and DIS analysis is the necessity in SIDIS to use information on the fragmentation functions, which are largely determined from multiplicity measurements.”

Leader, Siderov, and Staminov 1410:1657 (October 2014)

Moments of spin structure functions

$$\Gamma_1(Q^2) = \int_0^1 g_1(x, Q^2) dx$$

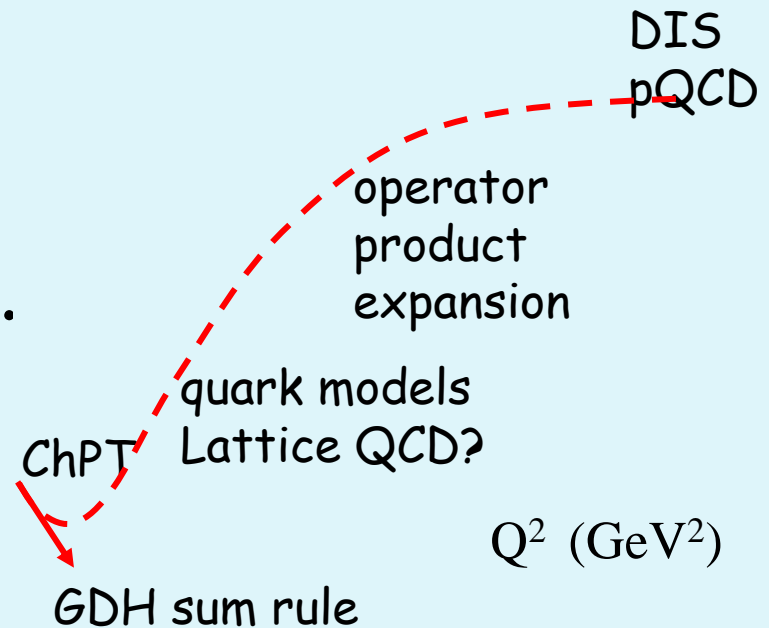
Bjorken Sum Rule:

$$G_1^p - G_1^n = \frac{g_A}{6} + \text{QCD corr.}$$

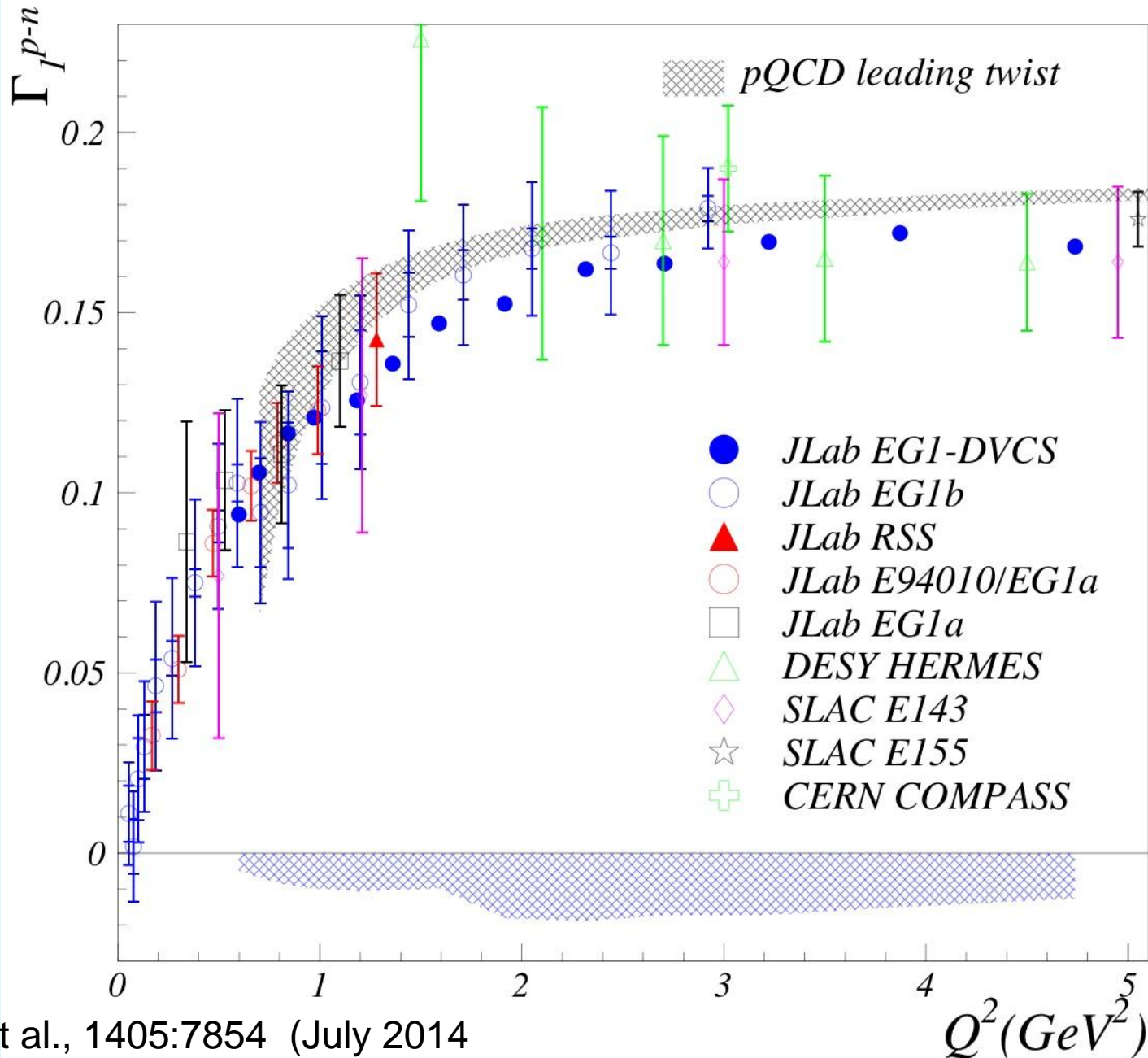
GDH Sum Rule:

$$G_1(Q^2 \rightarrow 0) \rightarrow -\frac{Q^2}{2M^2} \frac{k^2}{4}$$

Γ_1



BJORKEN SUM RULE



EG4 EXPERIMENT

Scattering of 1 to 3 GeV polarized electrons off polarized NH_3 , ND_3

Took data in 2004

Small scattering angles (6 to 20 degrees) to focus on low Q^2 region

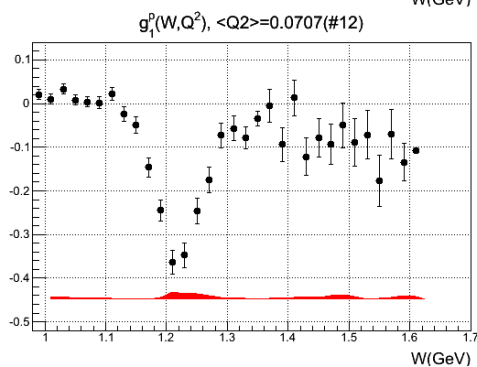
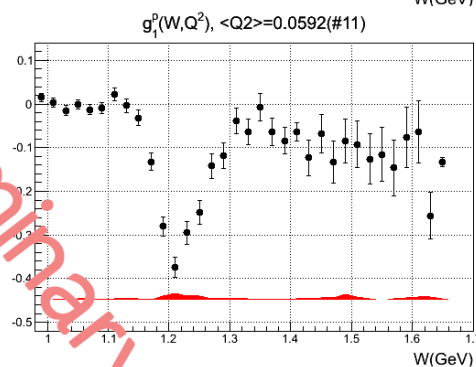
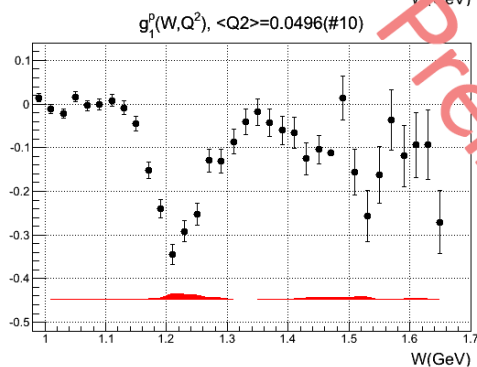
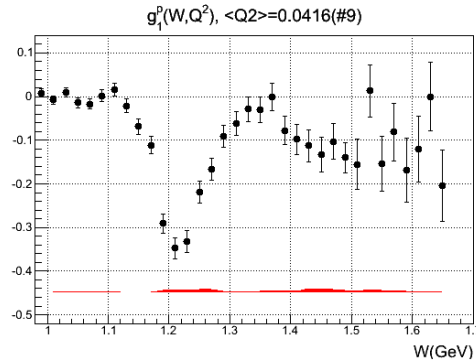
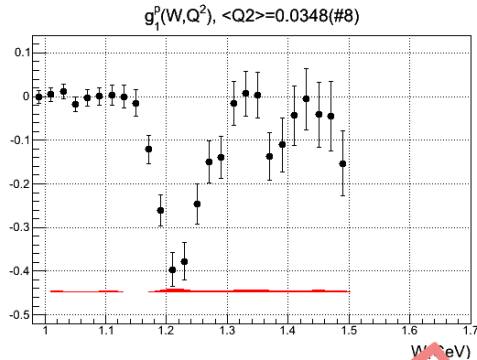
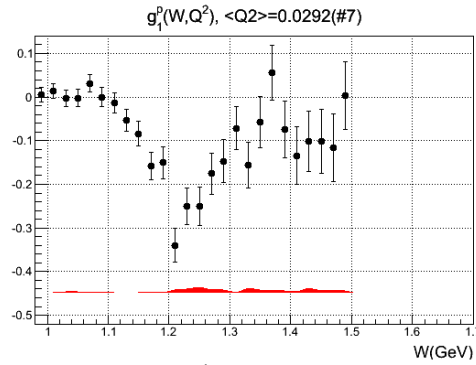
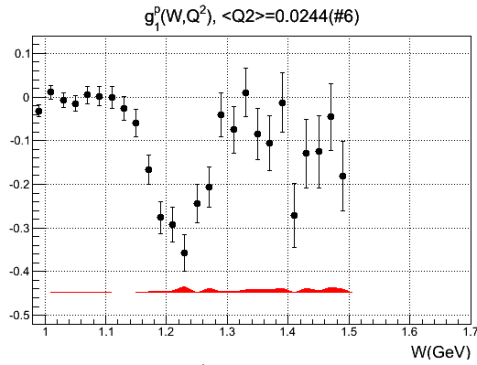
EG4 g_1 PROTON

g_1 AS
FUNCTION OF
W IN 7 OF 20 Q^2

BINS.

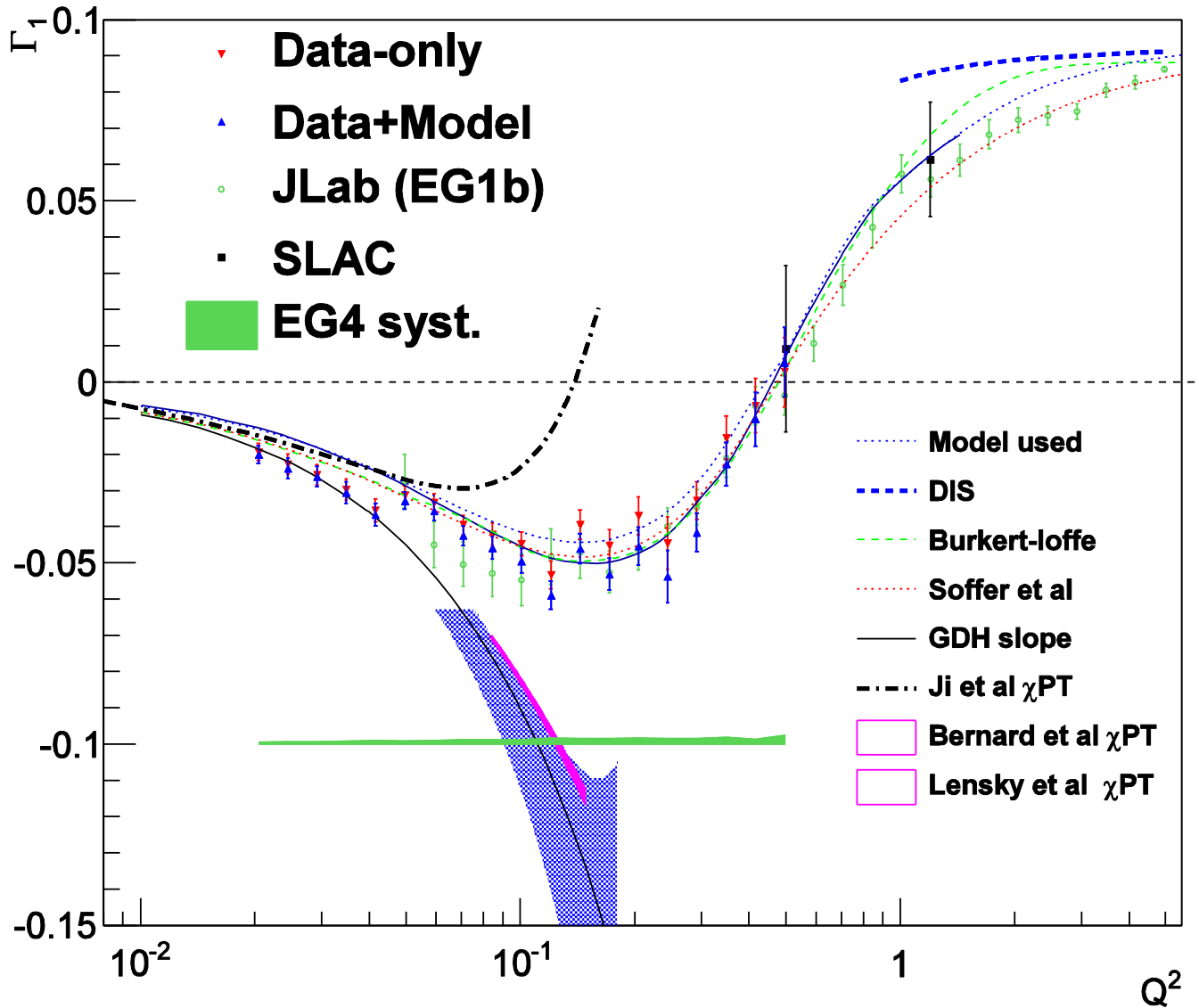
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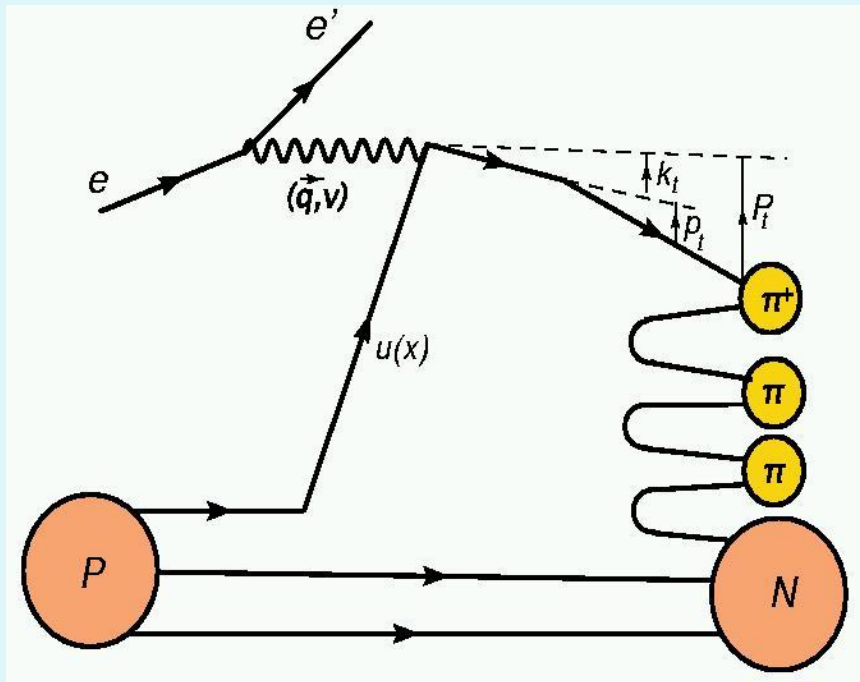


Preliminary

Preliminary EG4 DEUTERON INTEGRAL Γ_1



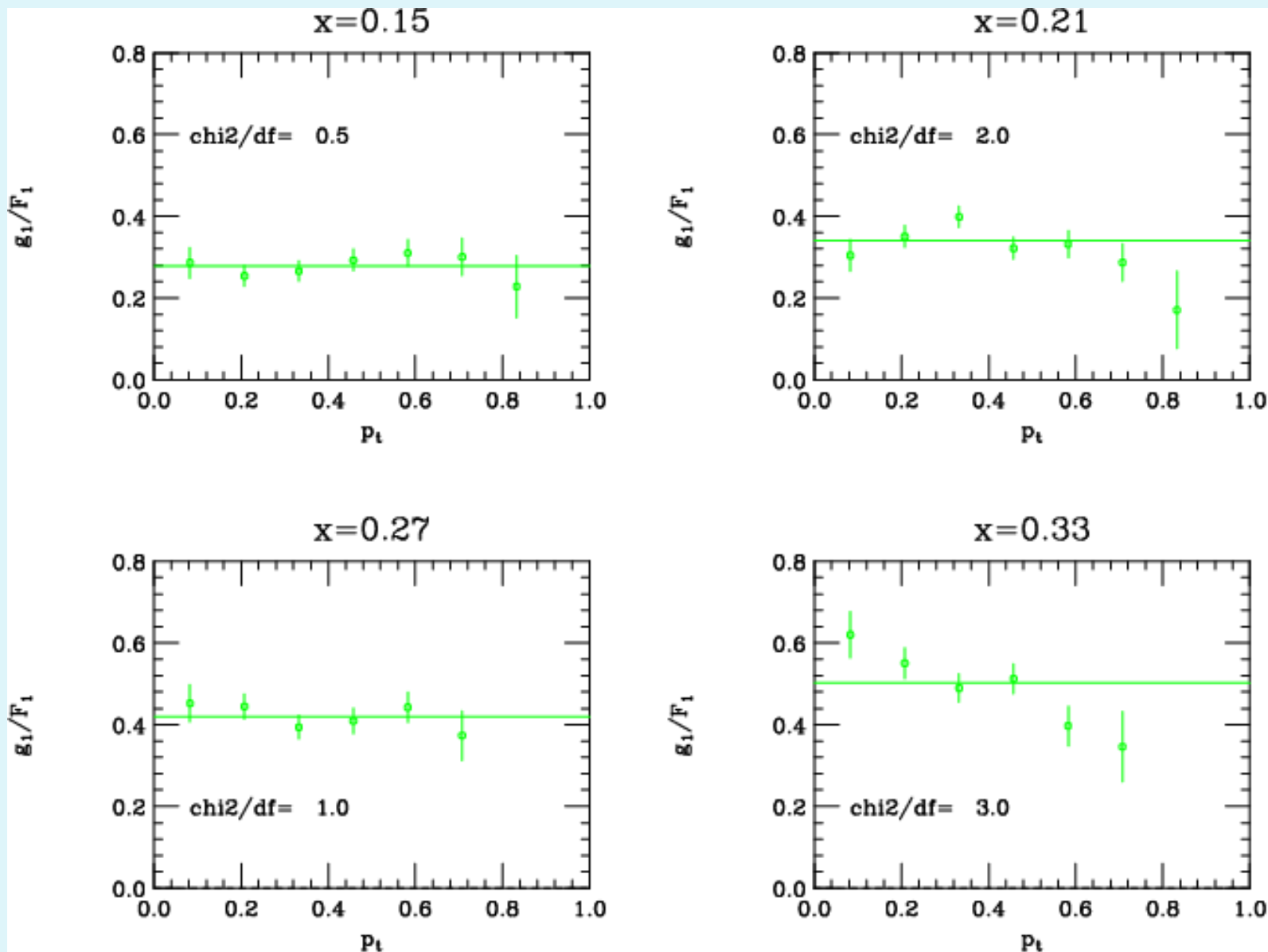
One Level deeper: k_T -dependent SIDIS



Assume P_t of observed pion is 3D vector sum of quark k_t and a fragmentation that generates extra vector p_t .

Does ratio g_1/F_1 depend p_T ?

Very preliminary results for π^0 for g_1/F_1 versus p_T from eg1-dvcs



Results consistent with no p_T dependence

SIDIS STILL PRELIMINARY

**QED RADIATIVE CORRECTION CAN BE
LARGE AT HIGH PT.**

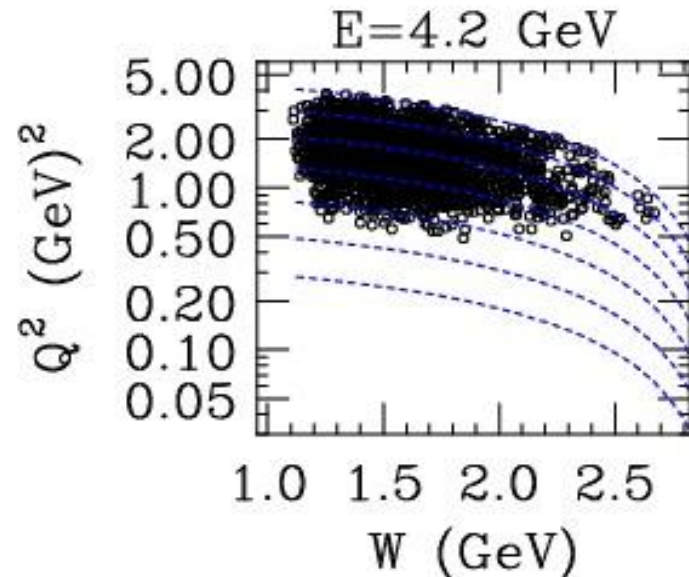
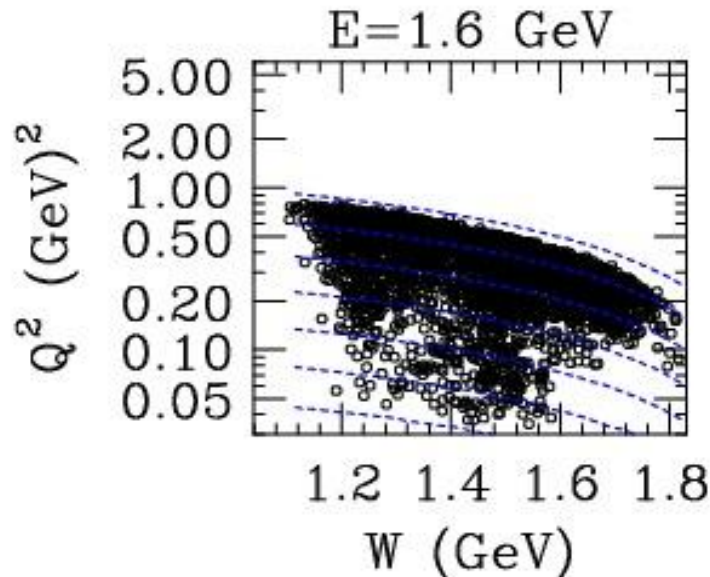
**NEED RELIABLE FITS TO CROSS
SECTIONS AND ASYMMETRIES
FROM SINGLE PION
AND DOUBLE PION
ELECTROPRODUCTION**

**EMBARK ON PROJECT TO ANALYZE
LARGE BODY DATA FROM 00 AND 2009**

NEW RESULTS EG1B (2000) AND EG1-DVCS (2009)

- 4 BEAM ENERGIES (1.6, 2.5, 4.2, 6 GEV)
- 40 BINS IN W FROM 1.1 TO 3.0 GEV (OR $0.1 < X < 1$)
- 10 BINS IN Q^2 FROM 0.05 TO 5 GeV^2
- 10 BINS IN $\text{COS}(\theta^*)$ FROM -0.4 TO 1 (OR $-1 < t < 0 \text{ GEV}^2$)
- 12 BINS IN ϕ^* FROM 0 TO 360 DEGREES

CAN'T SHOW ALL IN 2 MINUTES!



BEAM-TARGET SPIN ASYMMETRY

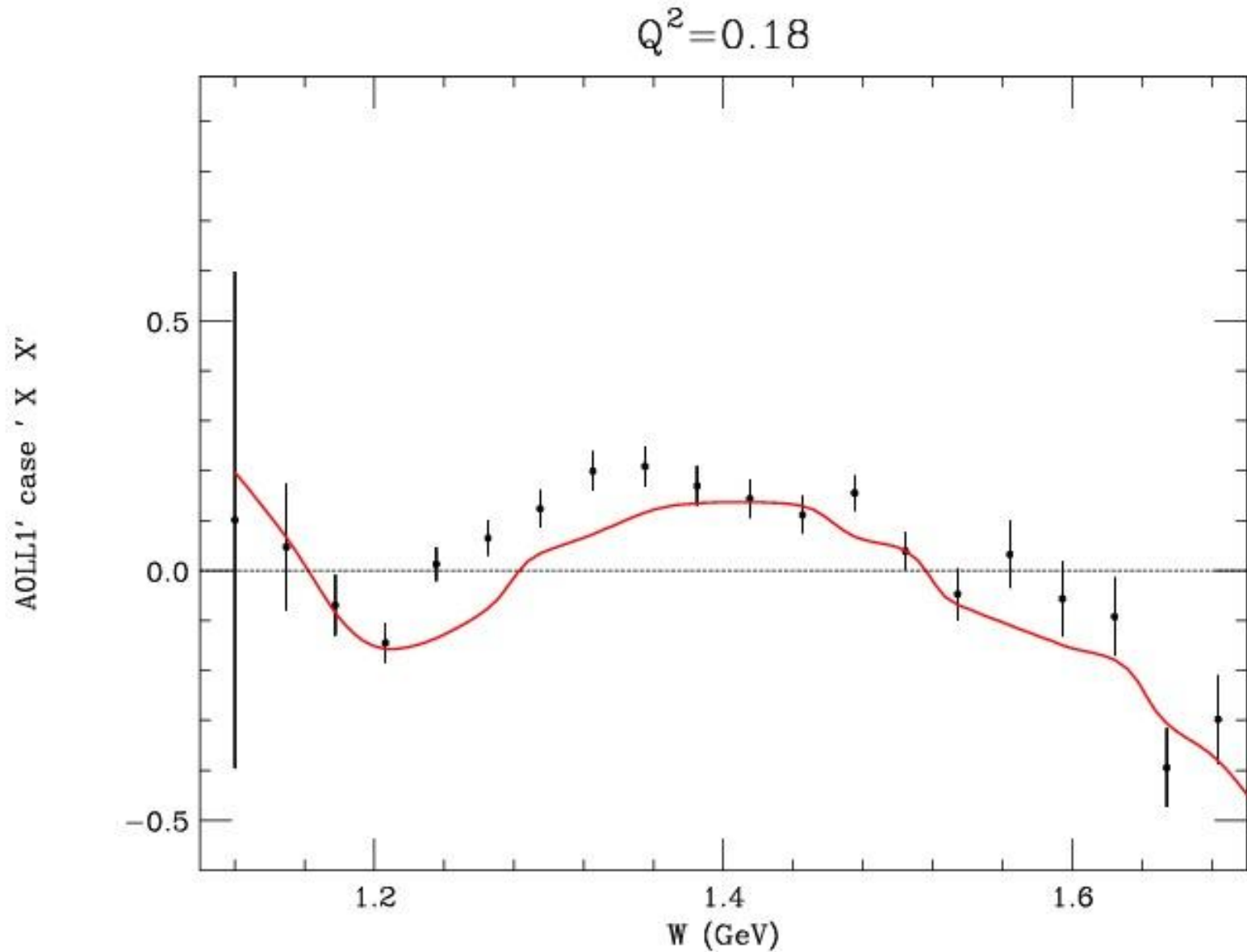
$$A_{LL}(W, Q^2, \cos(\theta^*), \phi^*) = \frac{1}{P_B P_T f} \frac{N^{+-} - N^{++}}{N^{+-} + N^{++}}$$

- **Leading term independent of ϕ^***
- **Related to g_1/F_1**
- **Related to $A_{1/2} - A_{3/2}$**

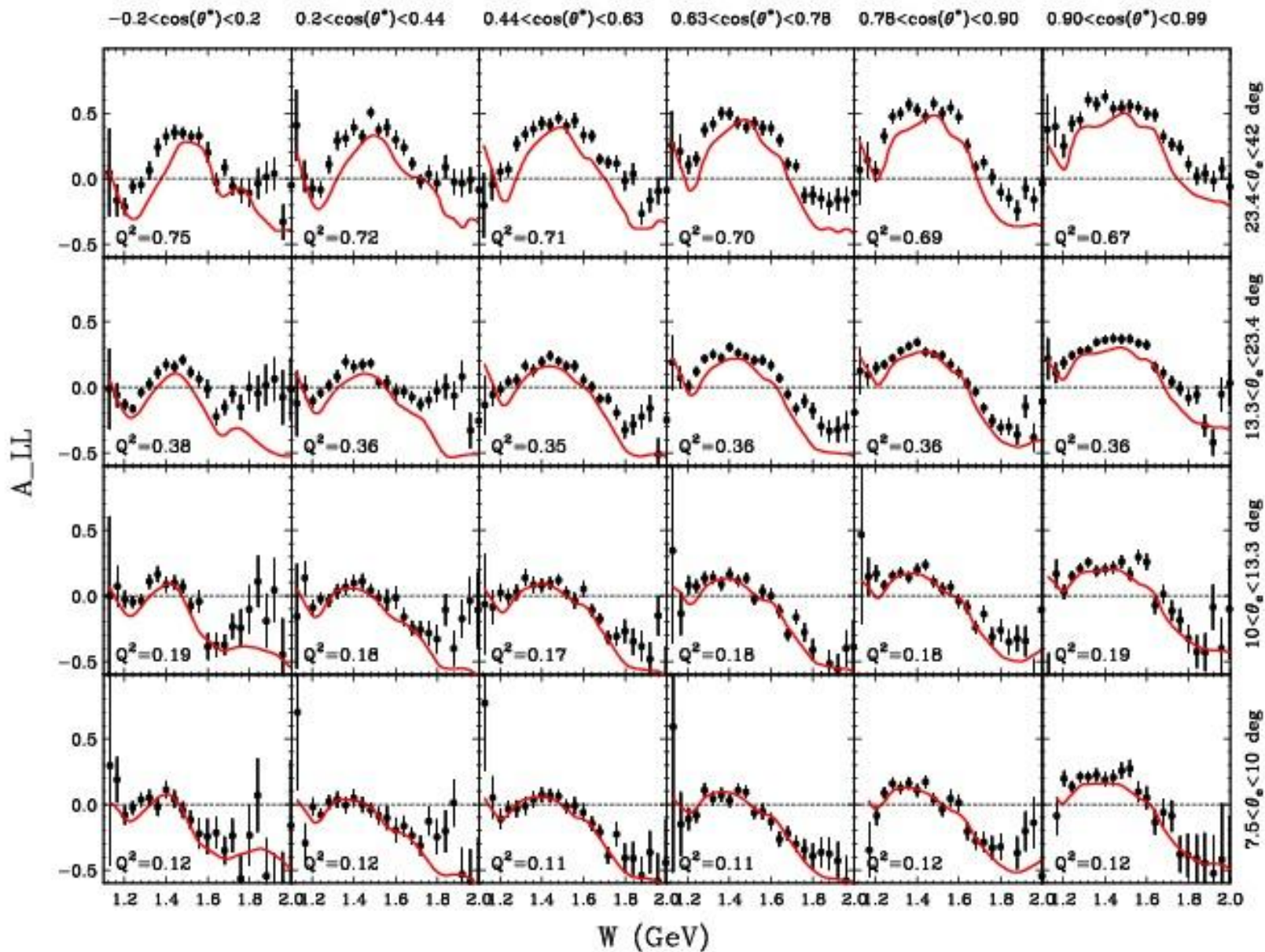
**ALL RESULTS ARE
PRELIMINARY**

**RED CURVES ON PLOTS ARE UNITARY ISOBAR
FIT TO PREVIOUS WORLD DATA: MAID 2007**

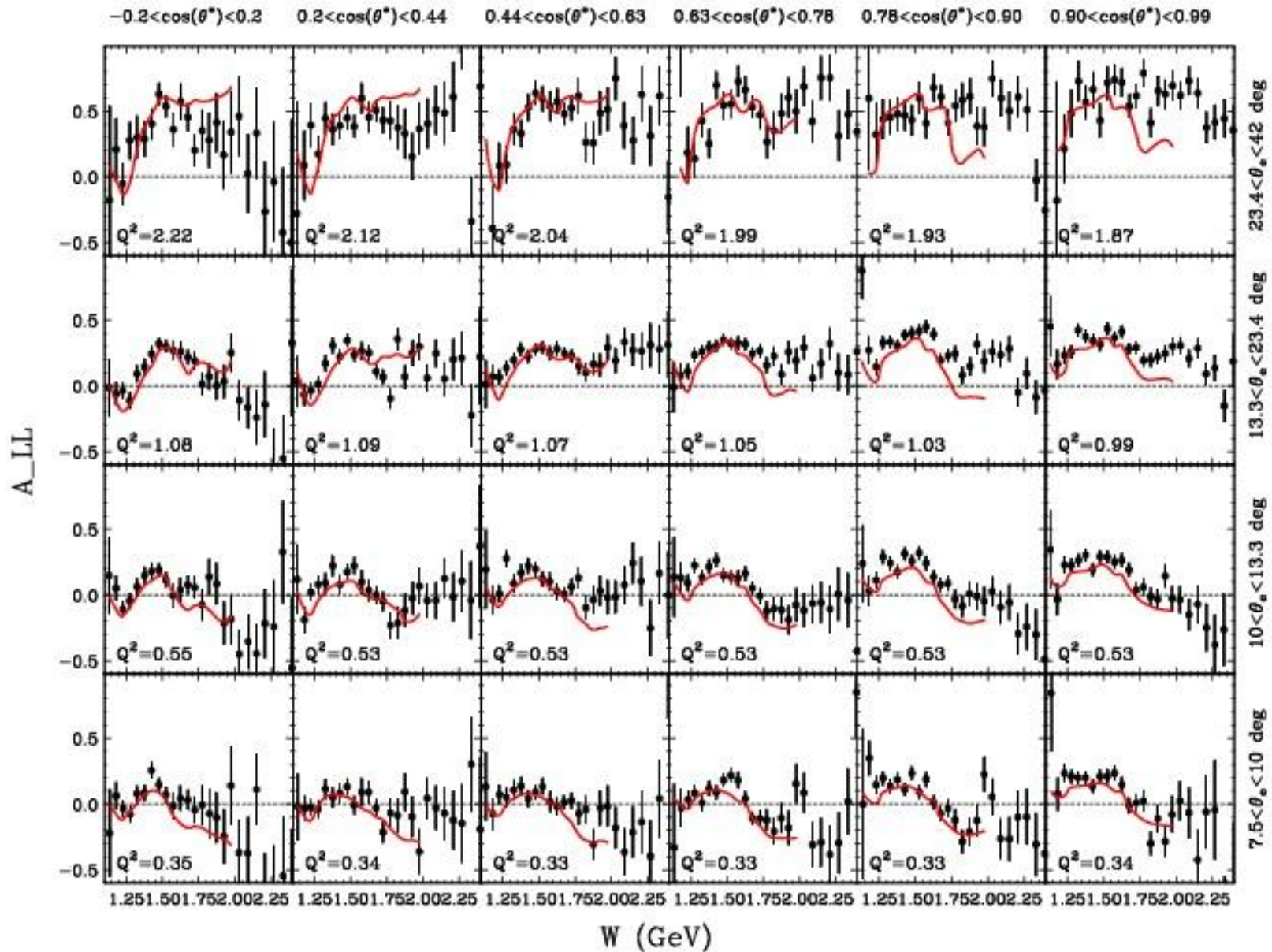
A_{LL} ϕ -average $E=1.6$ GeV $ep \rightarrow e n \pi^+$



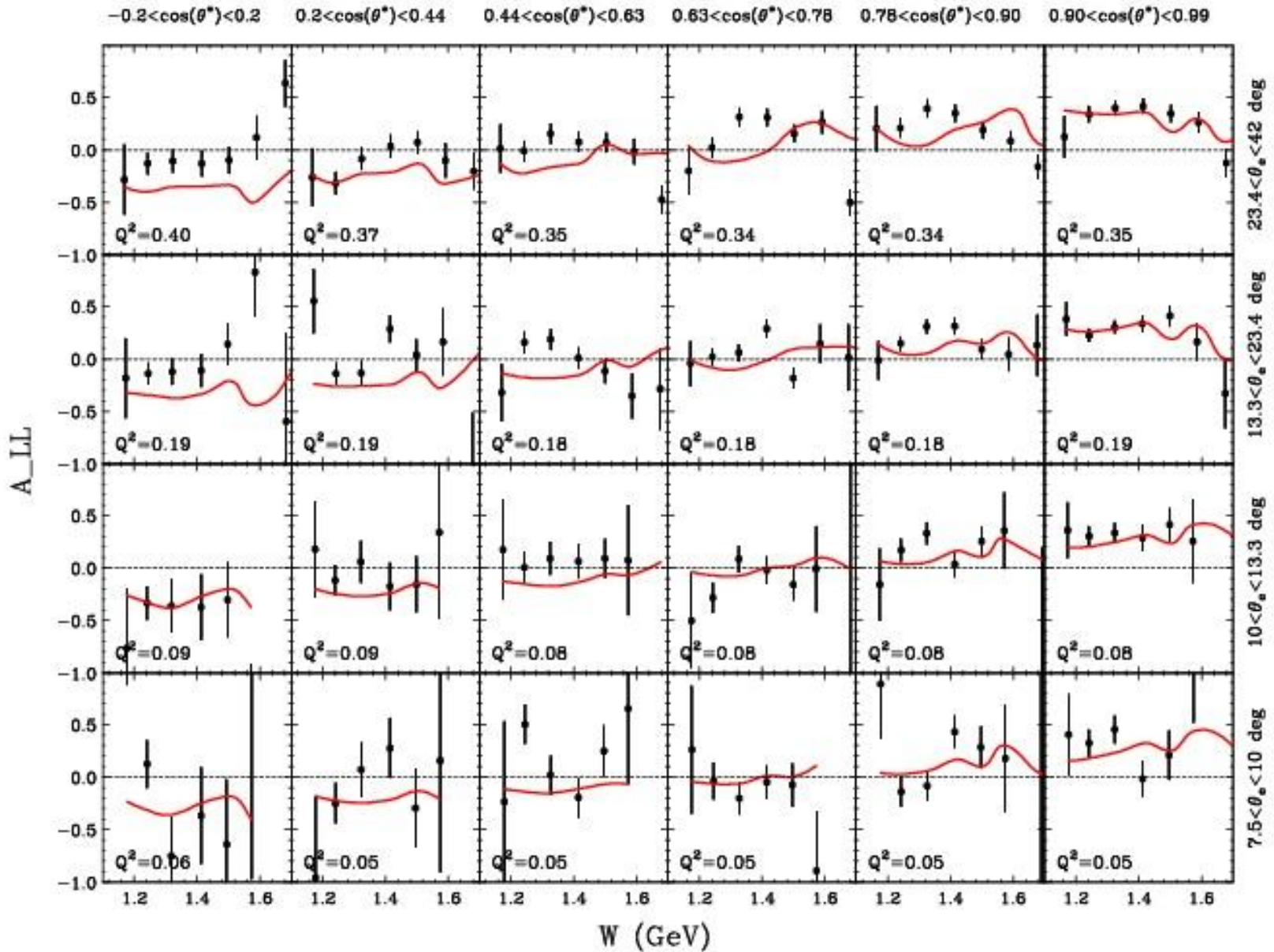
A_{LL} ϕ -average $E=2.5$ GeV $ep \rightarrow e n \pi^+$



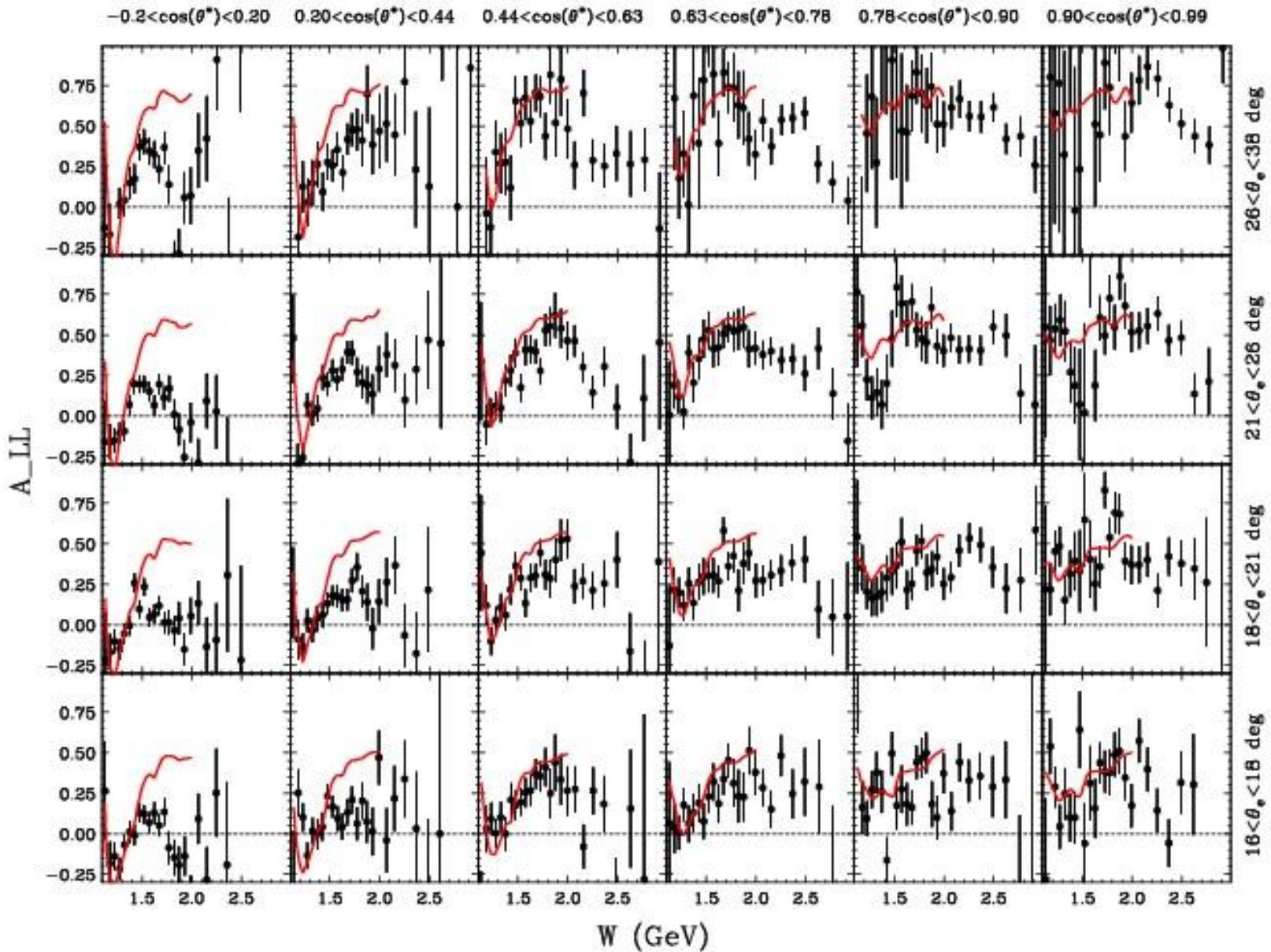
A_{LL} ϕ -average $E=4.2$ GeV $ep \rightarrow e n \pi^+$



A_{LL} ϕ -average $E=1.6$ GeV $en \rightarrow e p \pi^-$



A_{LL} ϕ -average $E=5.7$ GeV $ep \rightarrow e p \pi^0$

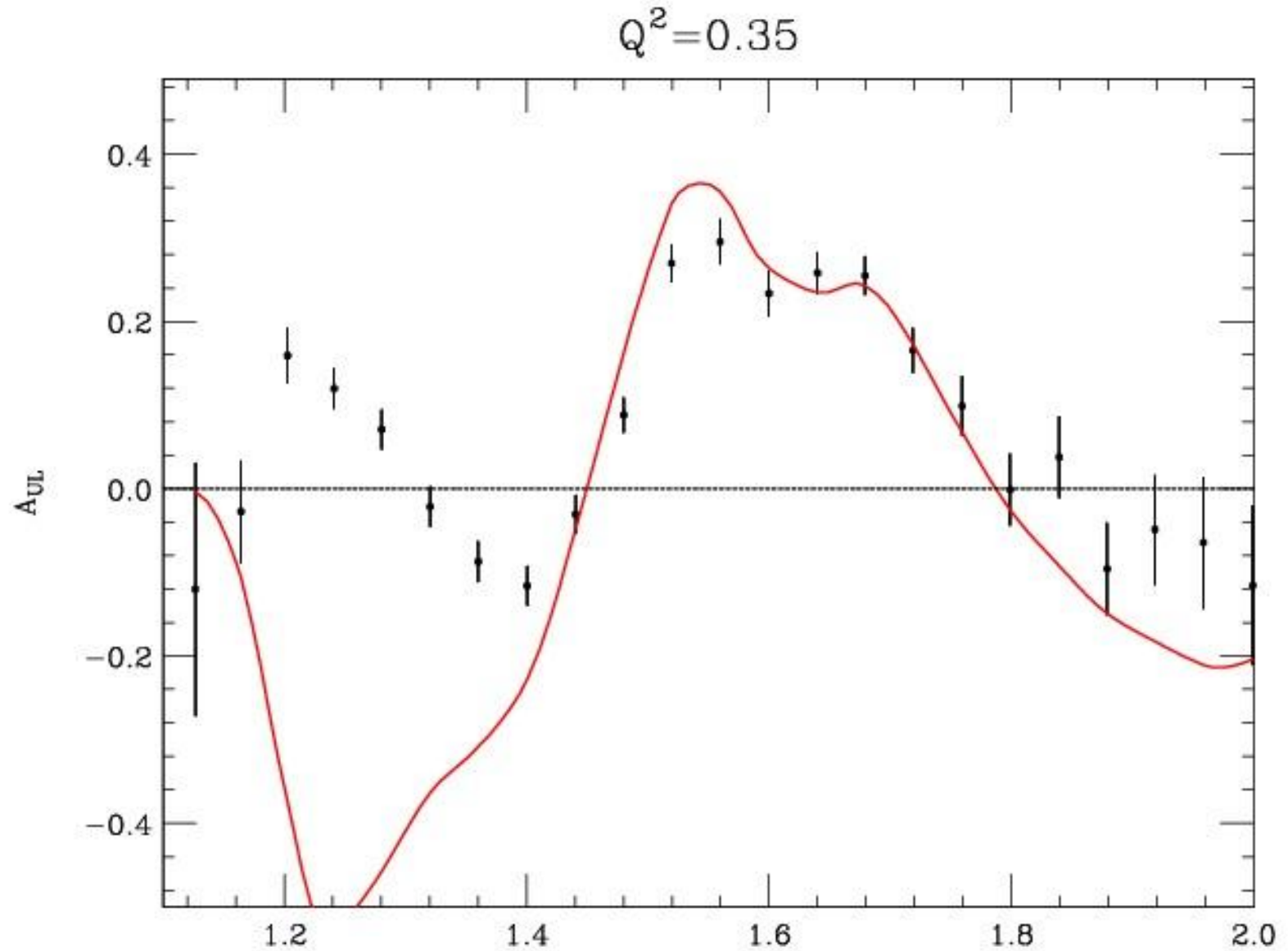


TARGET SPIN ASYMMETRY

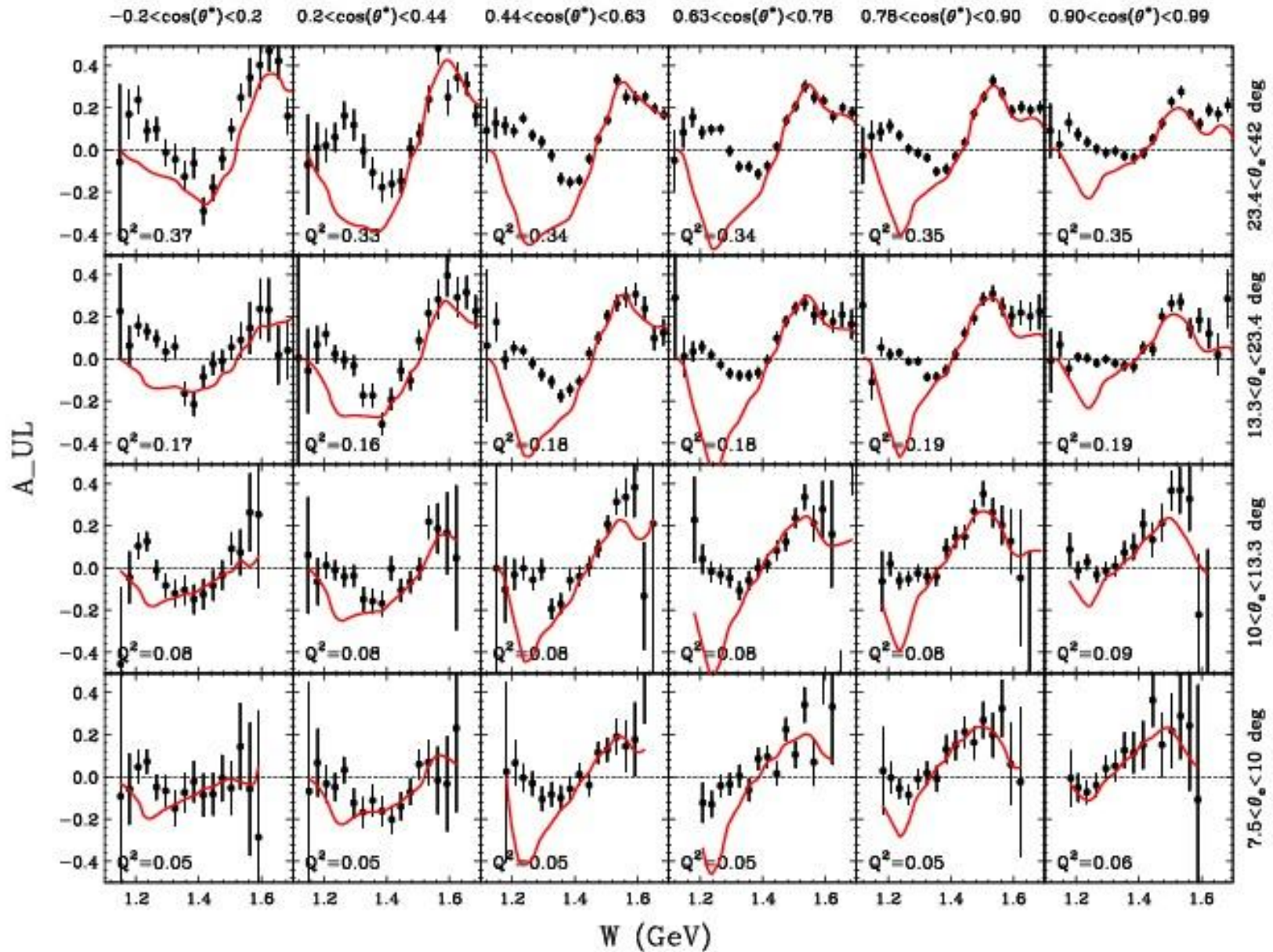
$$A_{UL}(W, Q^2, \cos(\theta^*), \phi^*) = \frac{1}{P_T f} \frac{N^{+-} - N^{++}}{N^{+-} + N^{++}}$$

- **Leading terms: $\sin(\phi^*)$ and $\sin(2\phi^*)$**
- **Related to L-T and T-T interference and higher twist contributions**

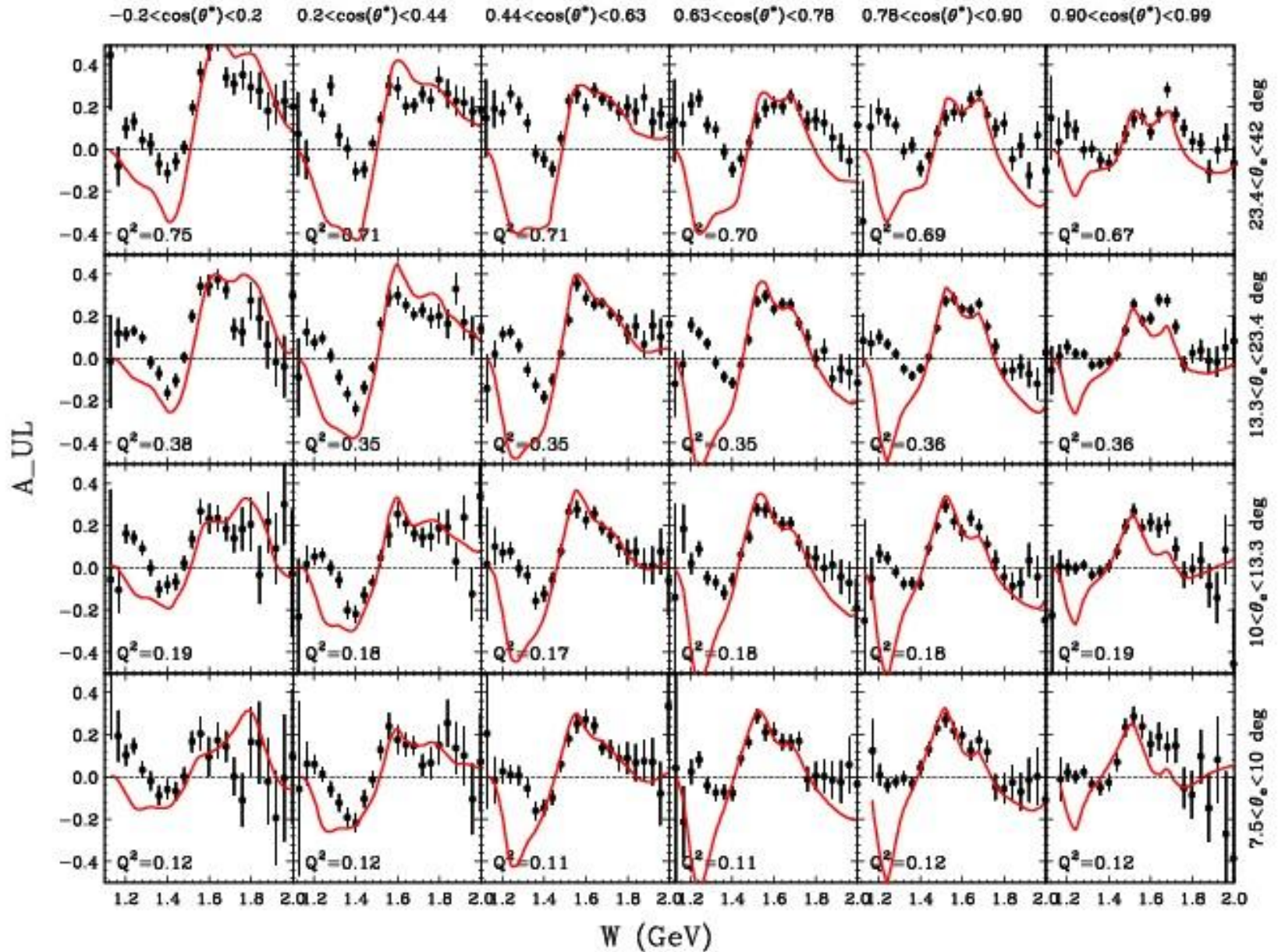
$A_{UL} \sin(\phi)$ -moment $E=1.6 \text{ GeV}$ $ep \rightarrow e n \pi^+$



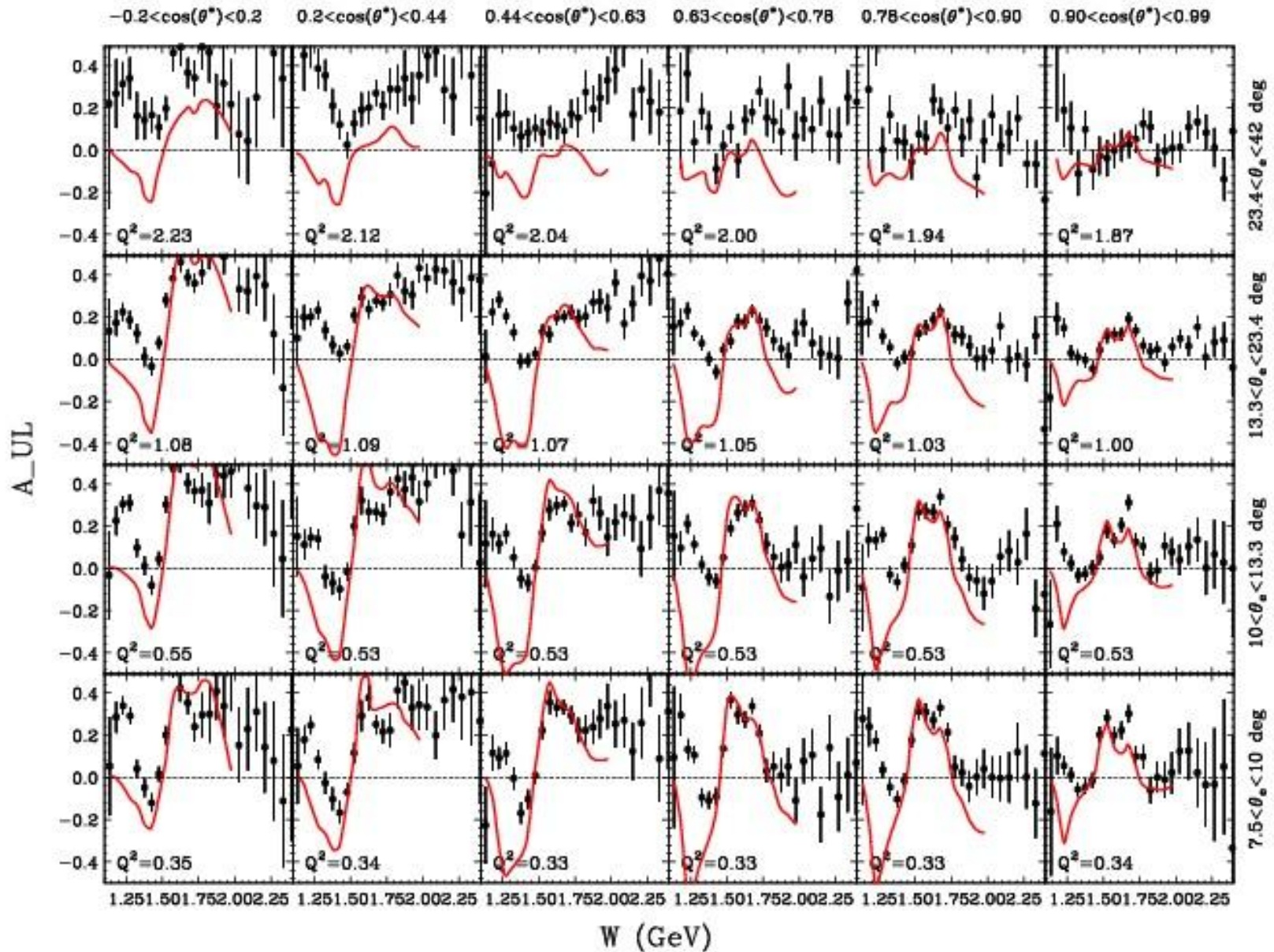
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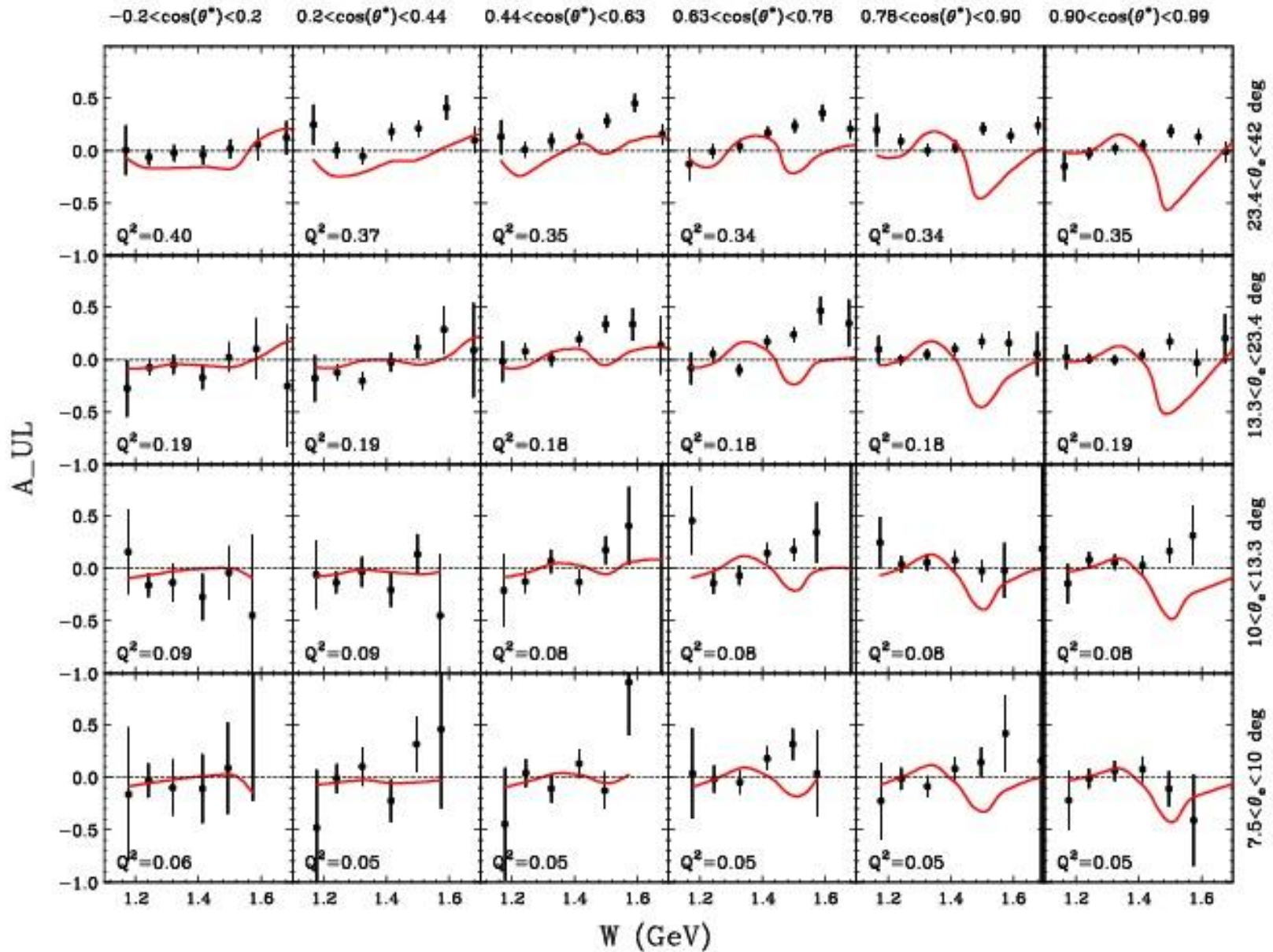
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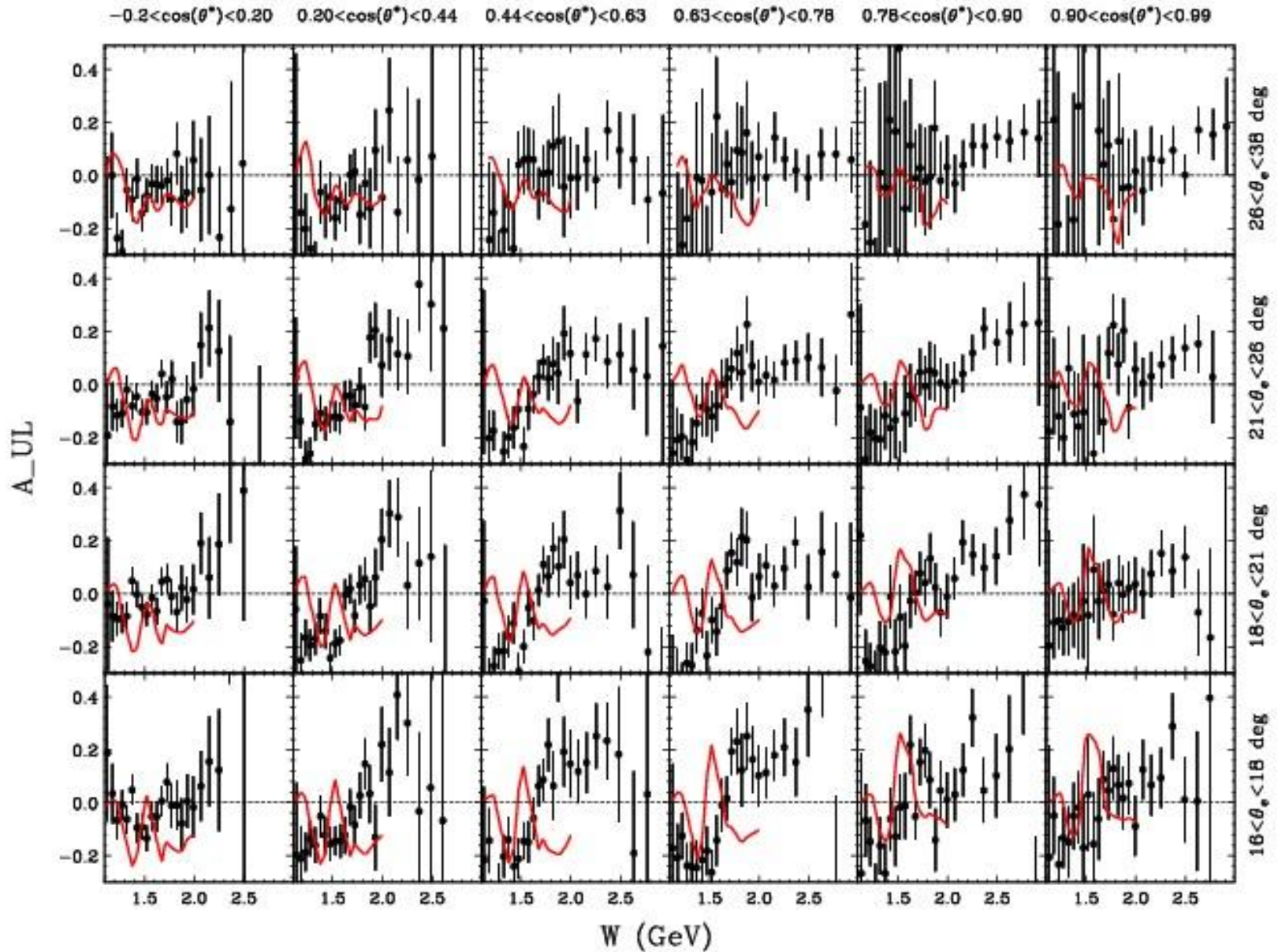
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$A_{UL} \sin(\phi)$ -moment $E=1.6 \text{ GeV}$ $e n \rightarrow e p \pi^-$



$A_{UL} \sin(\phi)$ -moment $E=5.7$ GeV $e p \rightarrow e p \pi^0$

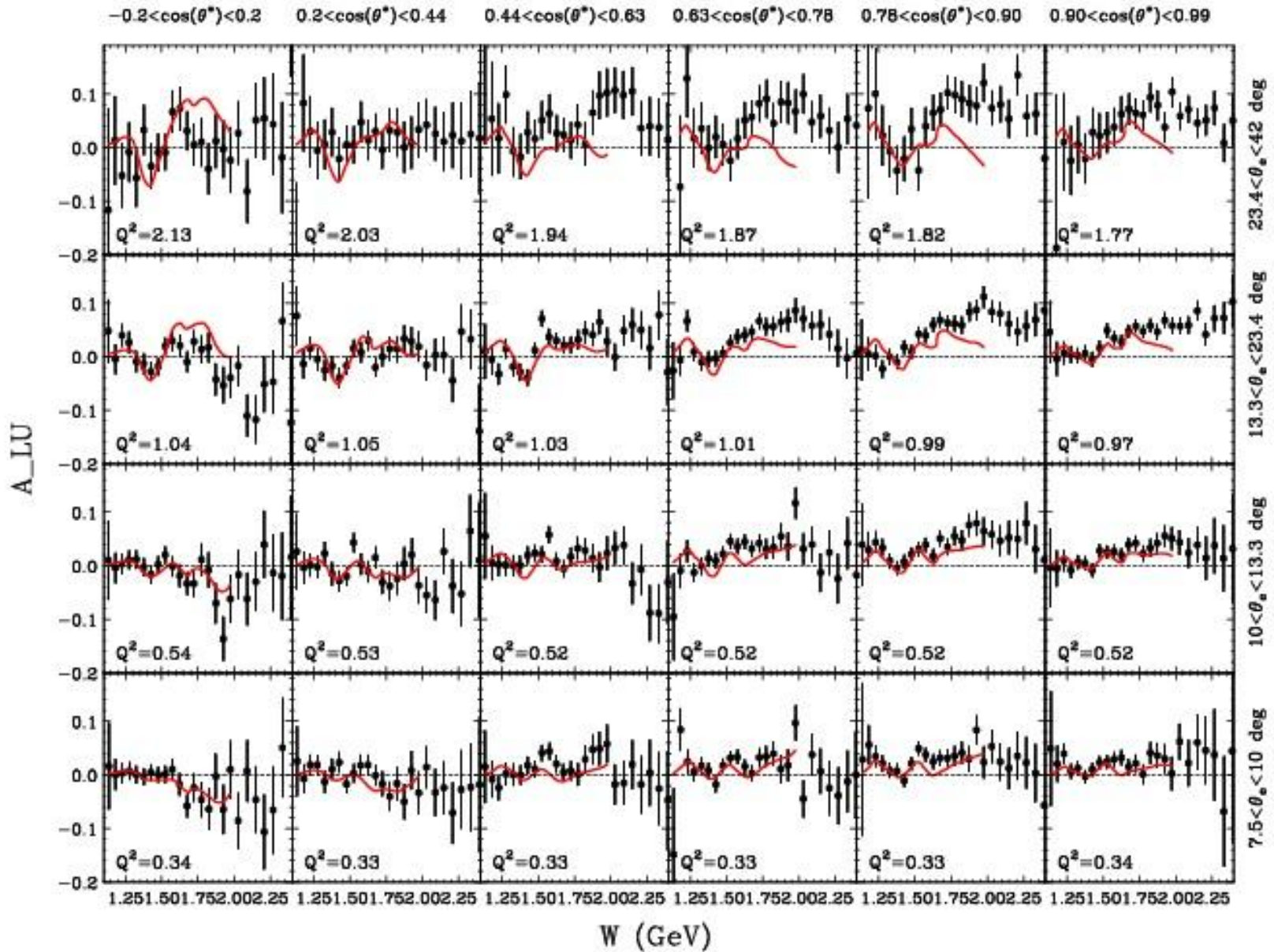


BEAM SPIN ASYMMETRY

$$A_{LU}(W, Q^2, \cos(\theta^*), \phi^*) = \frac{1}{P_B f} \frac{N^{+-} - N^{++}}{N^{+-} + N^{++}}$$

- **Leading term: $\sin(\phi)$**
- **Related to L-T interference and higher twist contributions**

$A_{LU} \sin(\phi)$ -moment $E=4.2$ GeV $ep \rightarrow e n \pi^+$



SUMMARY of EXCLUSIVE PION

- LOTS new data! (about 50,000 points)
- Three reactions for flavor dependence
- Three spin asymmetries
- Should help determine Q^2 dependence for resonant form factors and phases
- Should help study of GPDs using $W > 2$ GeV results

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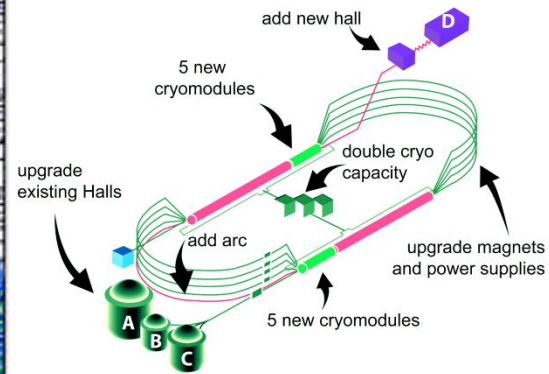
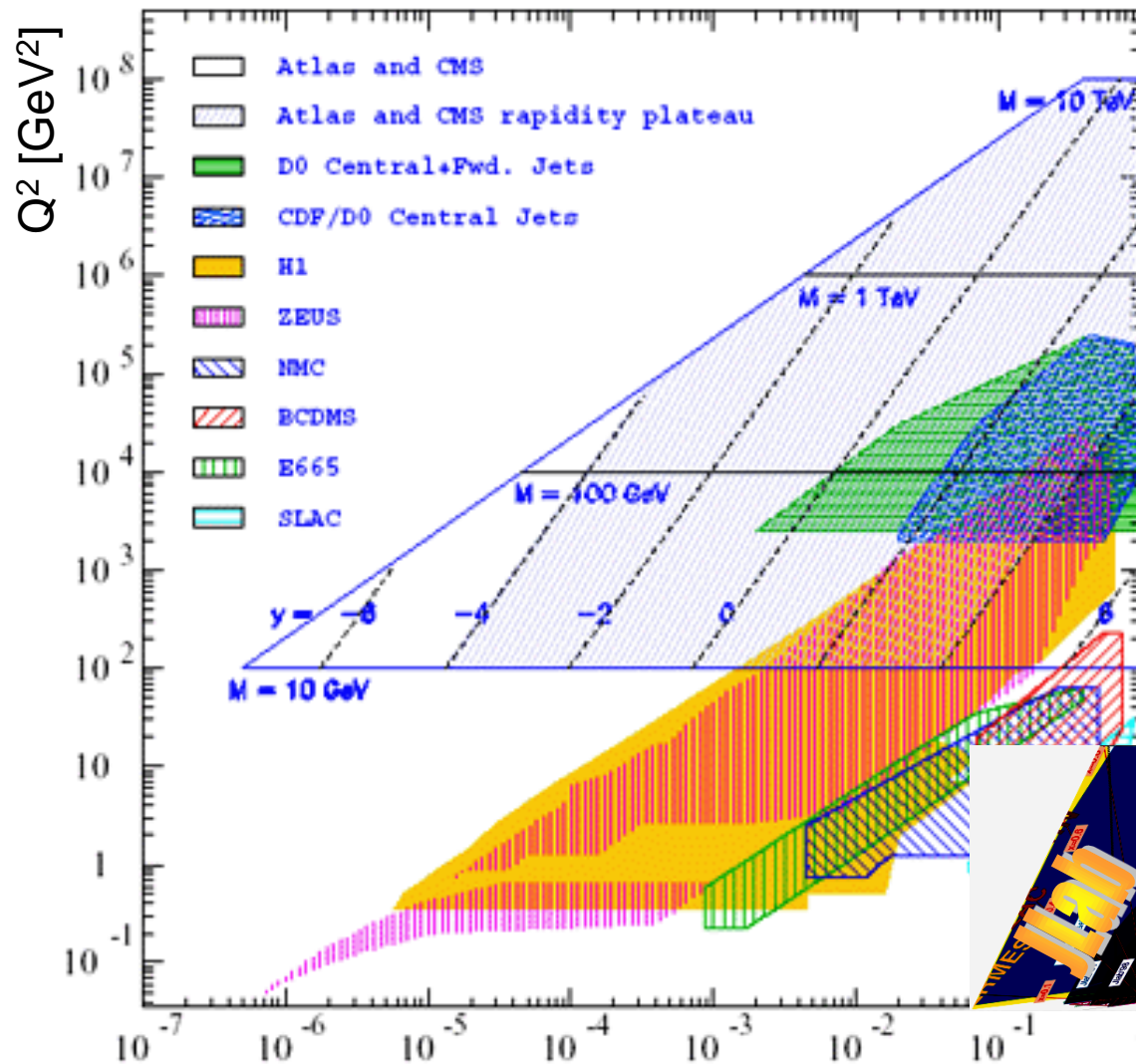
- Andrey Kim (π^0 analysis 6 GeV)
- Josh Pierce (π^+ analysis 4.2 GeV)
- Sharon Creccia (π^- analysis 1.6-4.2 GeV)
- CLAS Collaboration

SUMMARY OF TALK

- New very precise g_1^p g_1^d published, show very weak Q^2 -dependence g_1/F_1
- Preliminary low- Q^2 g_1^p g_1^d , agreement
- Preliminary SIDIS: g_1/F_1 independent
- Huge body of new precise pion electroproduction data spanning N^* and DIS



Jefferson Lab in Perspective



JLab DIS

Future: 12 GeV

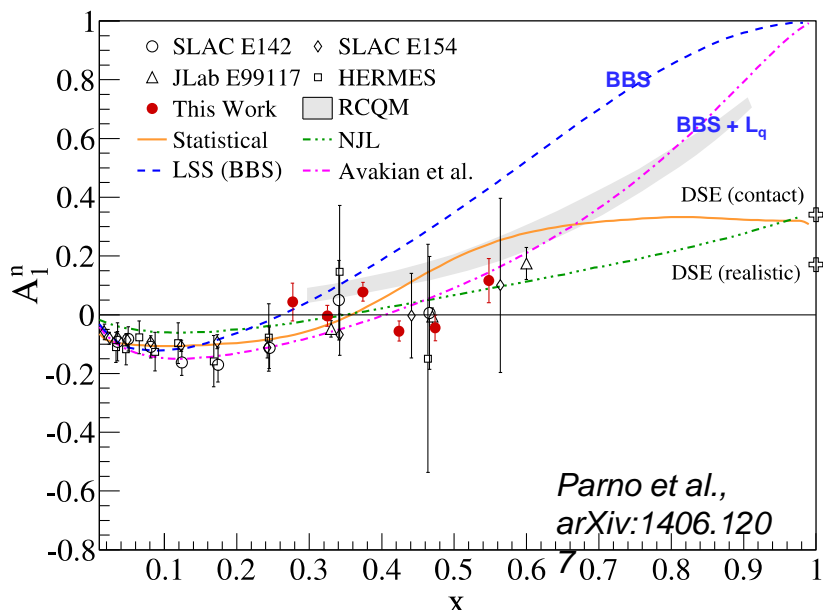
$Q^2 = 1 \dots 13 \text{ GeV}^2$

$x = 0.06 \dots 0.8$

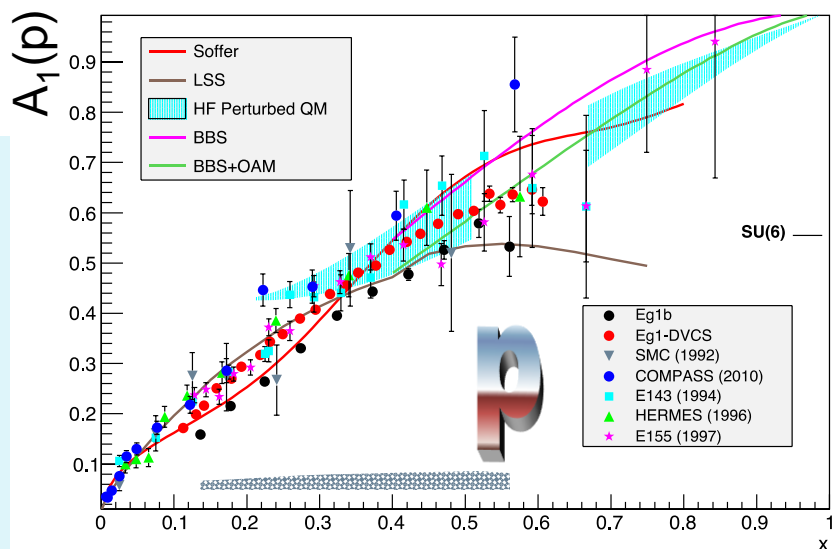
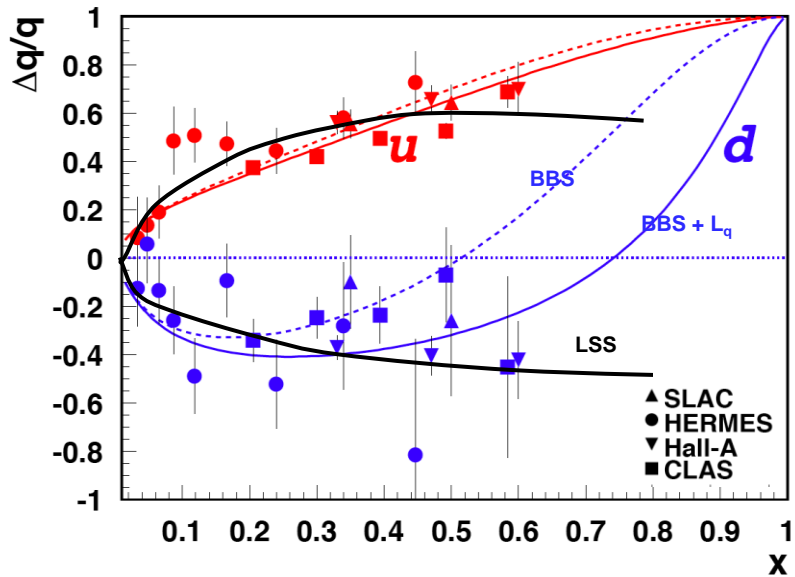
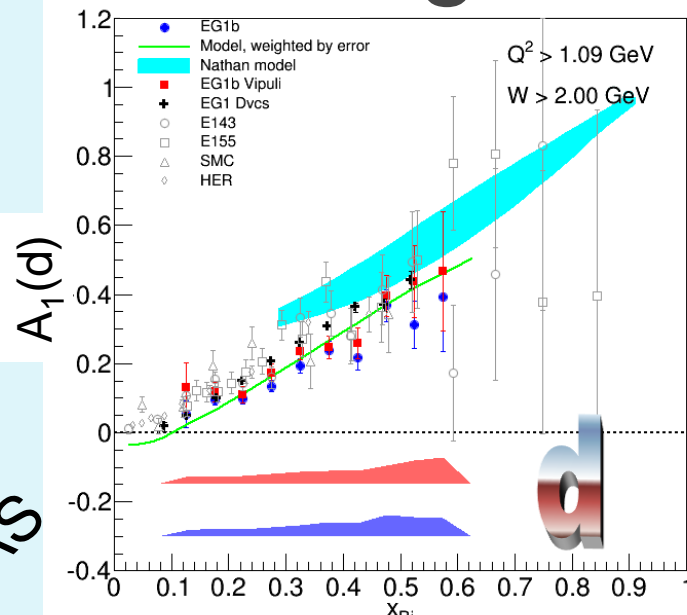
$W = 0.94 \dots 4 \text{ GeV}$

Spin structure functions at large x

Hall A

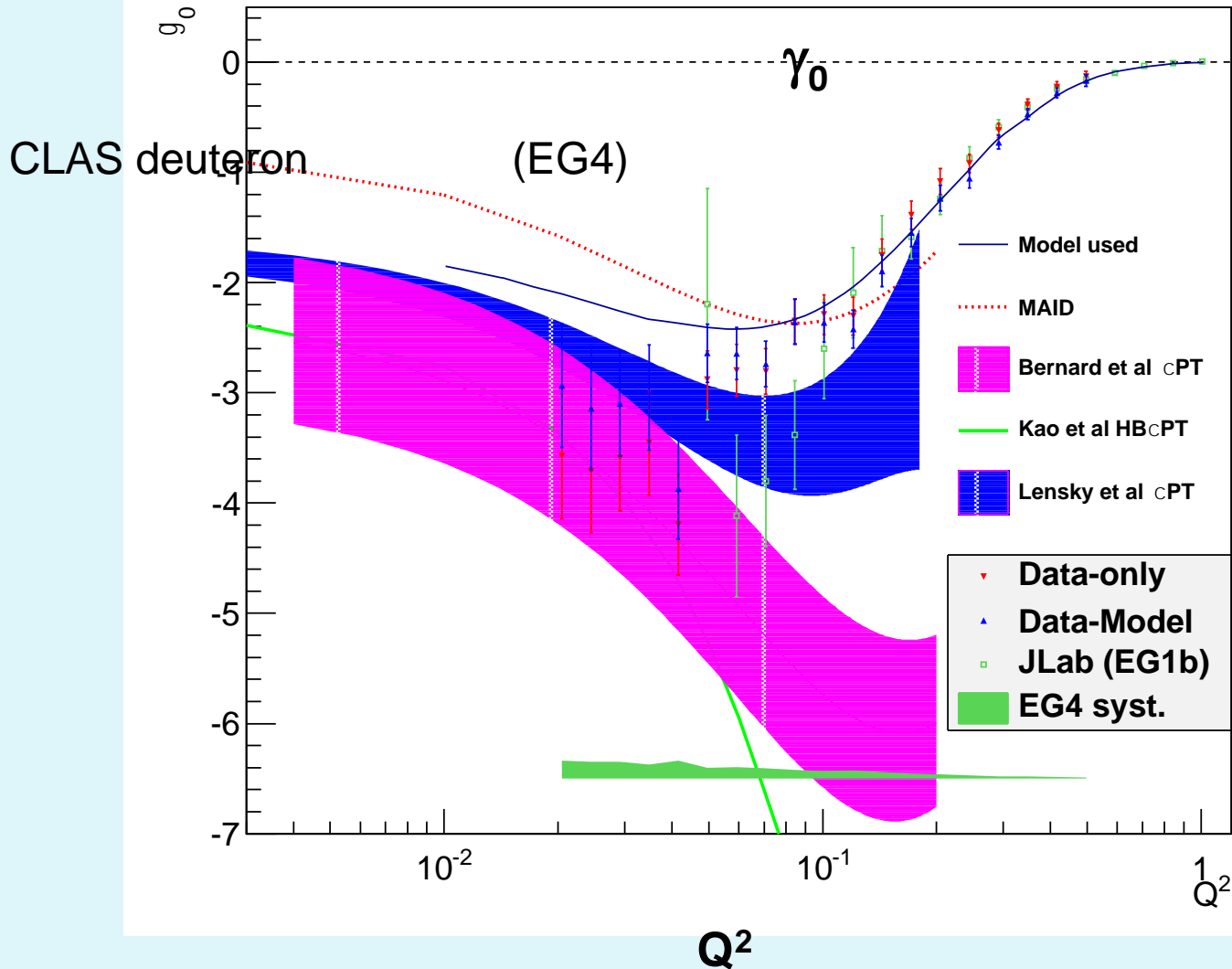


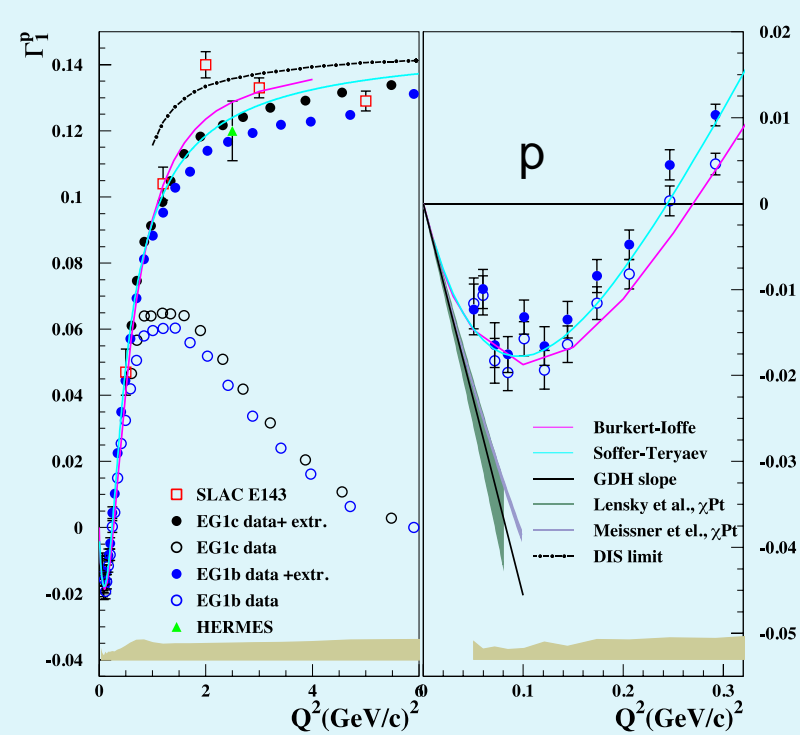
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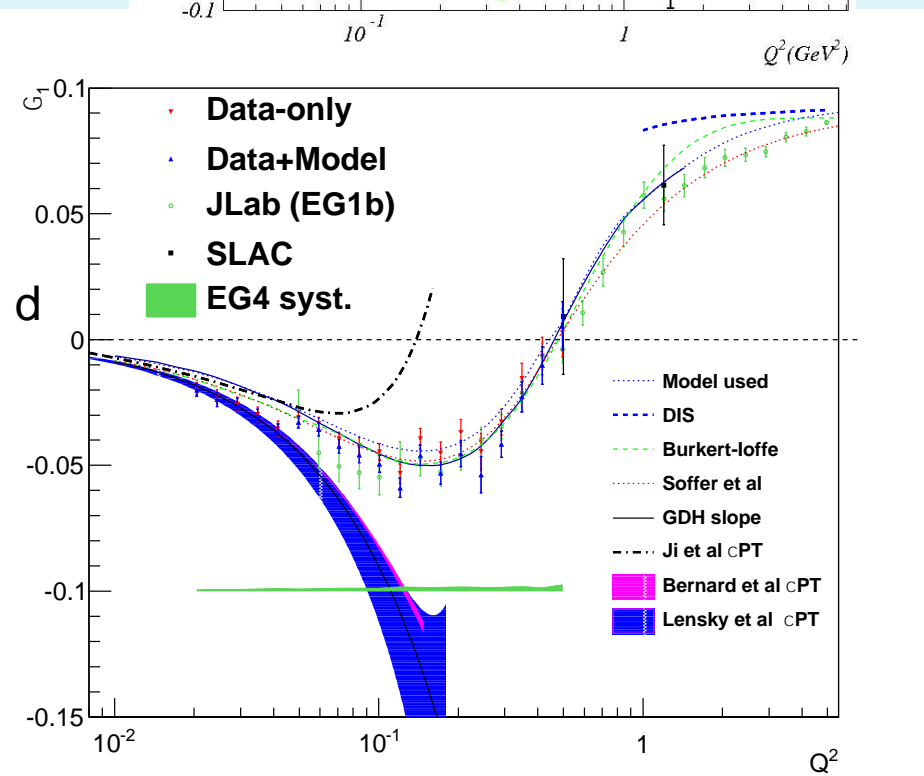
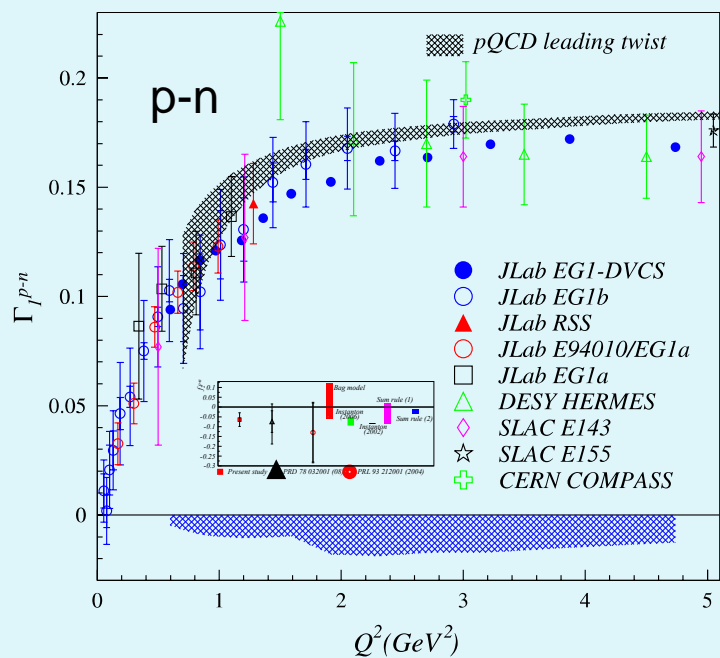
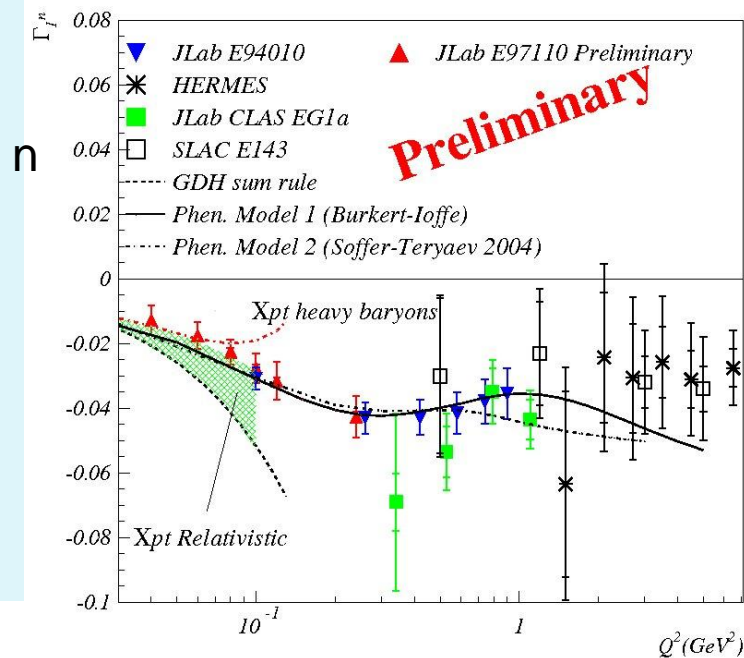
Spin Polarizabilities

Sensitive Test of Chiral Perturbation Theory calculations

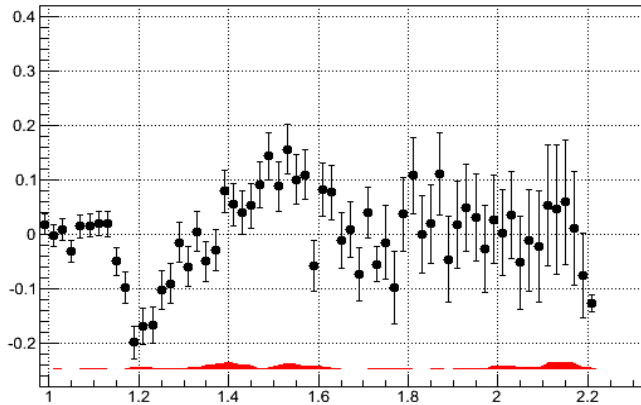




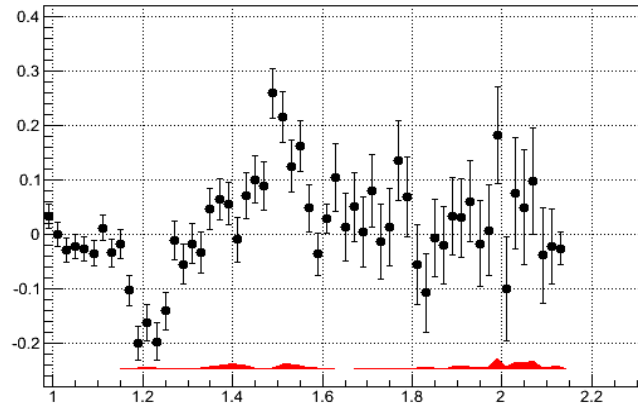
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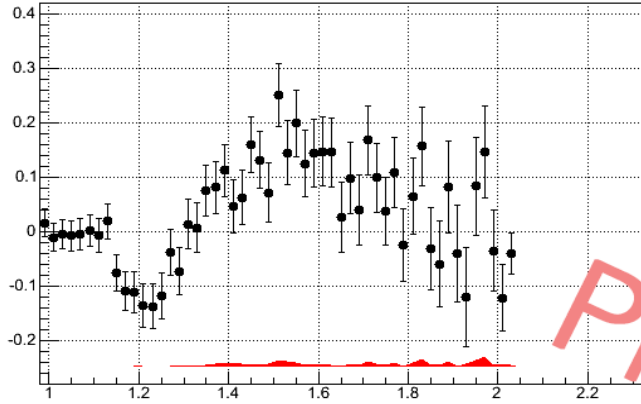
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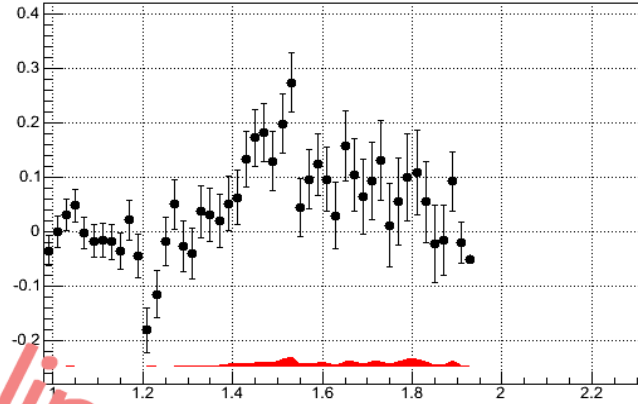
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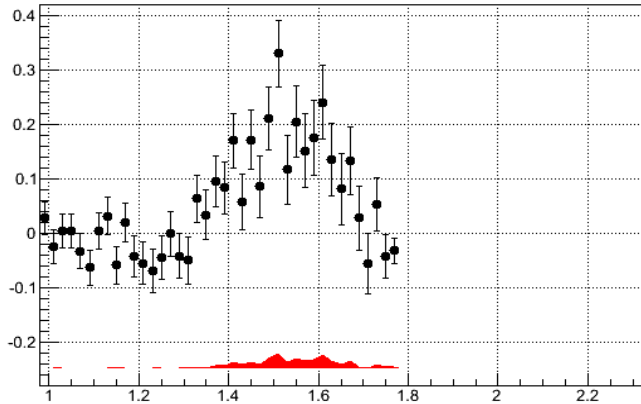
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$g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.4960 (\#23)$

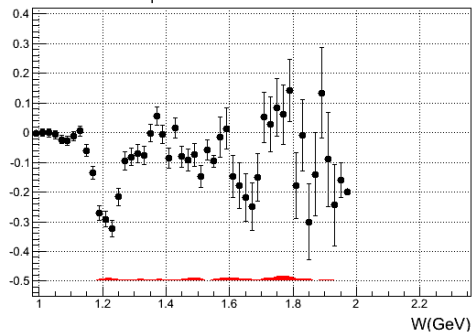
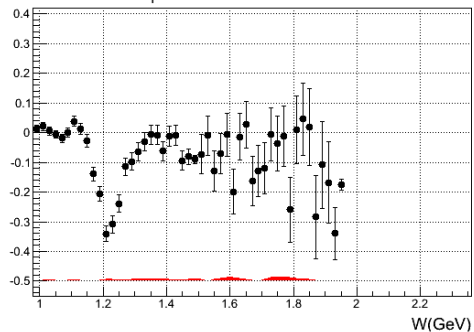
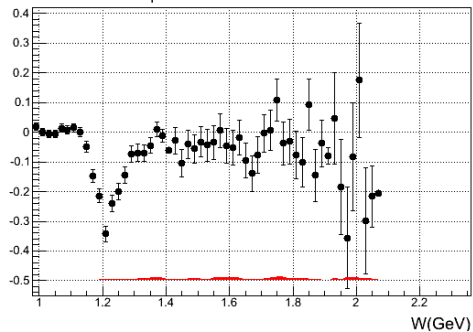
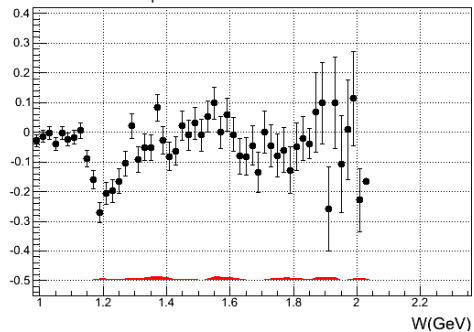
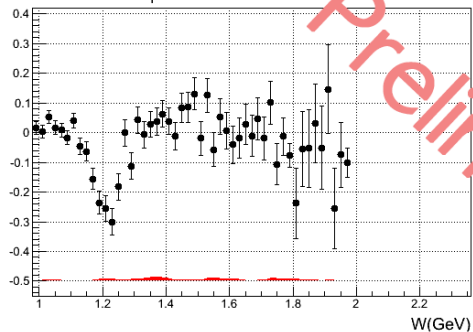
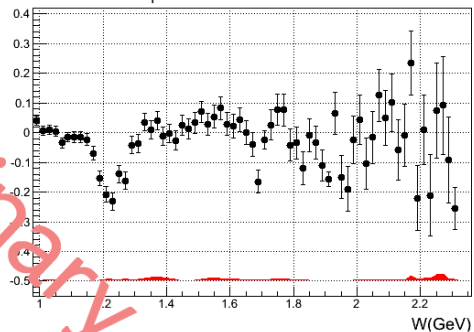
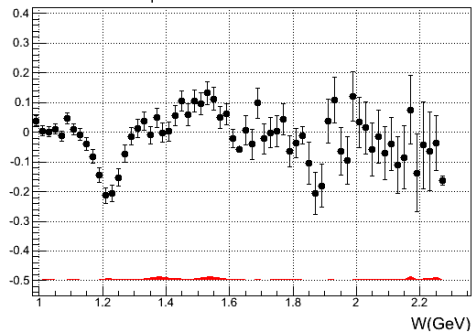


$g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.5920 (\#24)$



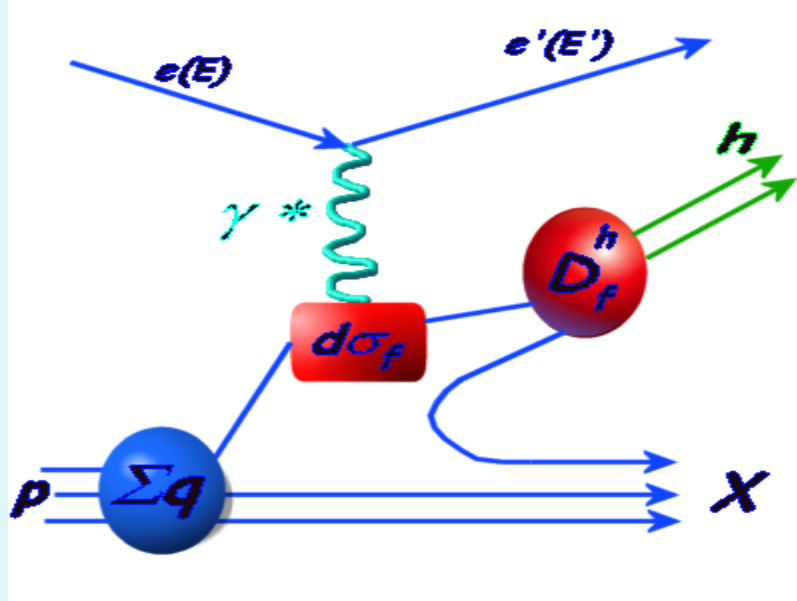
Preliminary

EG4 g_1 proton

$g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.0844 (\#13)$  $g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.1010 (\#14)$  $g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.1200 (\#15)$  $g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.1440 (\#16)$  $g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.1710 (\#17)$  $g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.2050 (\#18)$  $g_1^p(W, Q^2), \langle Q^2 \rangle = 0.2440 (\#19)$ 

EG4 g_1 proton

SIDIS - LO Picture



Leading-order
Picture: hit one
Quark

(e, e')

$$M_x^2 = W^2 = M^2 + Q^2 (1/x - 1)$$

(For M_m small, \vec{p}_m collinear with $\vec{\gamma}$, and $Q^2/v^2 \ll 1$)

(e, e', m)

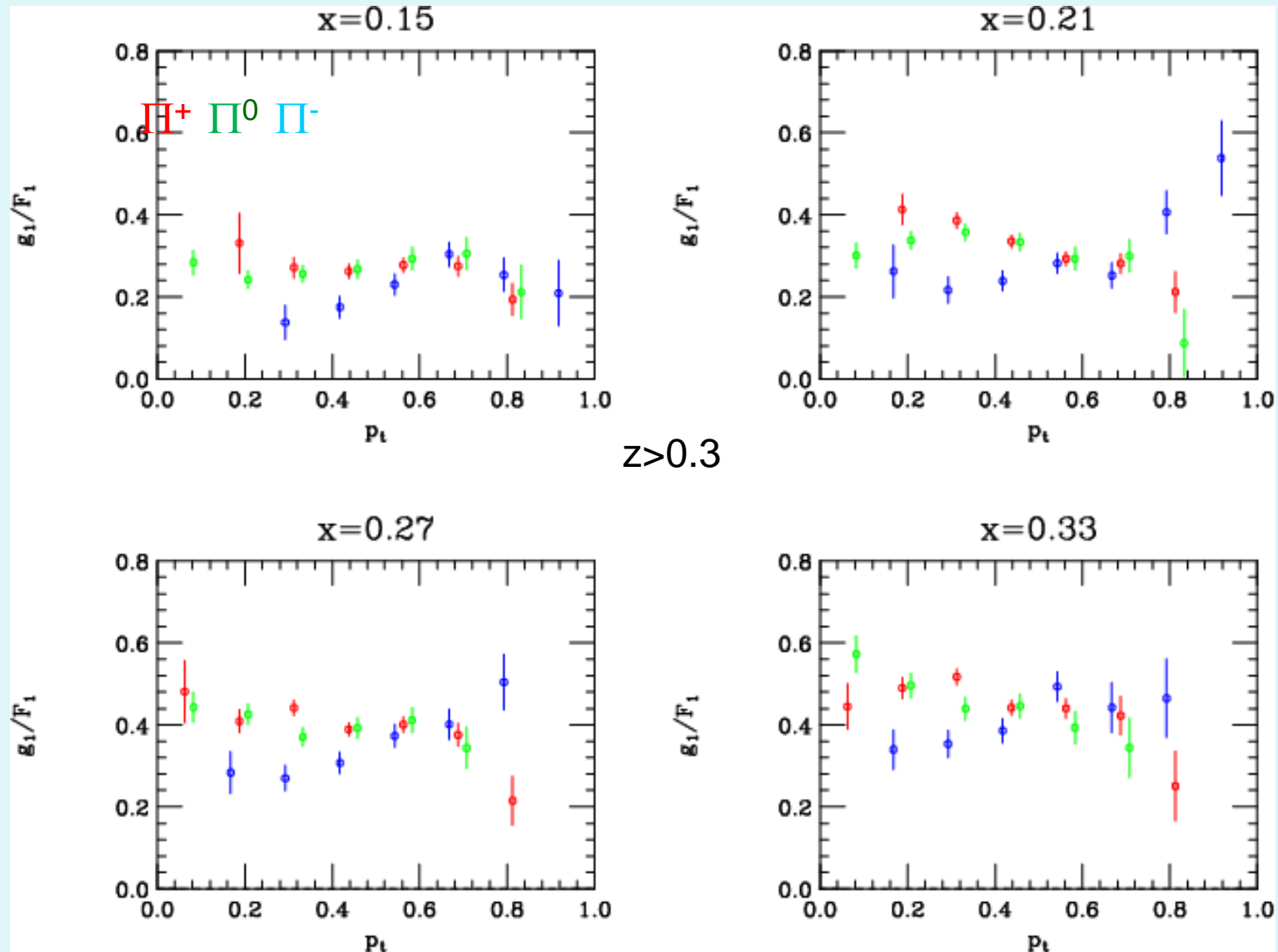
$$M_x^2 = W'^2 = M^2 + Q^2 (1/x - 1)(1 - z)$$

Want large Q^2 to keep M_x big

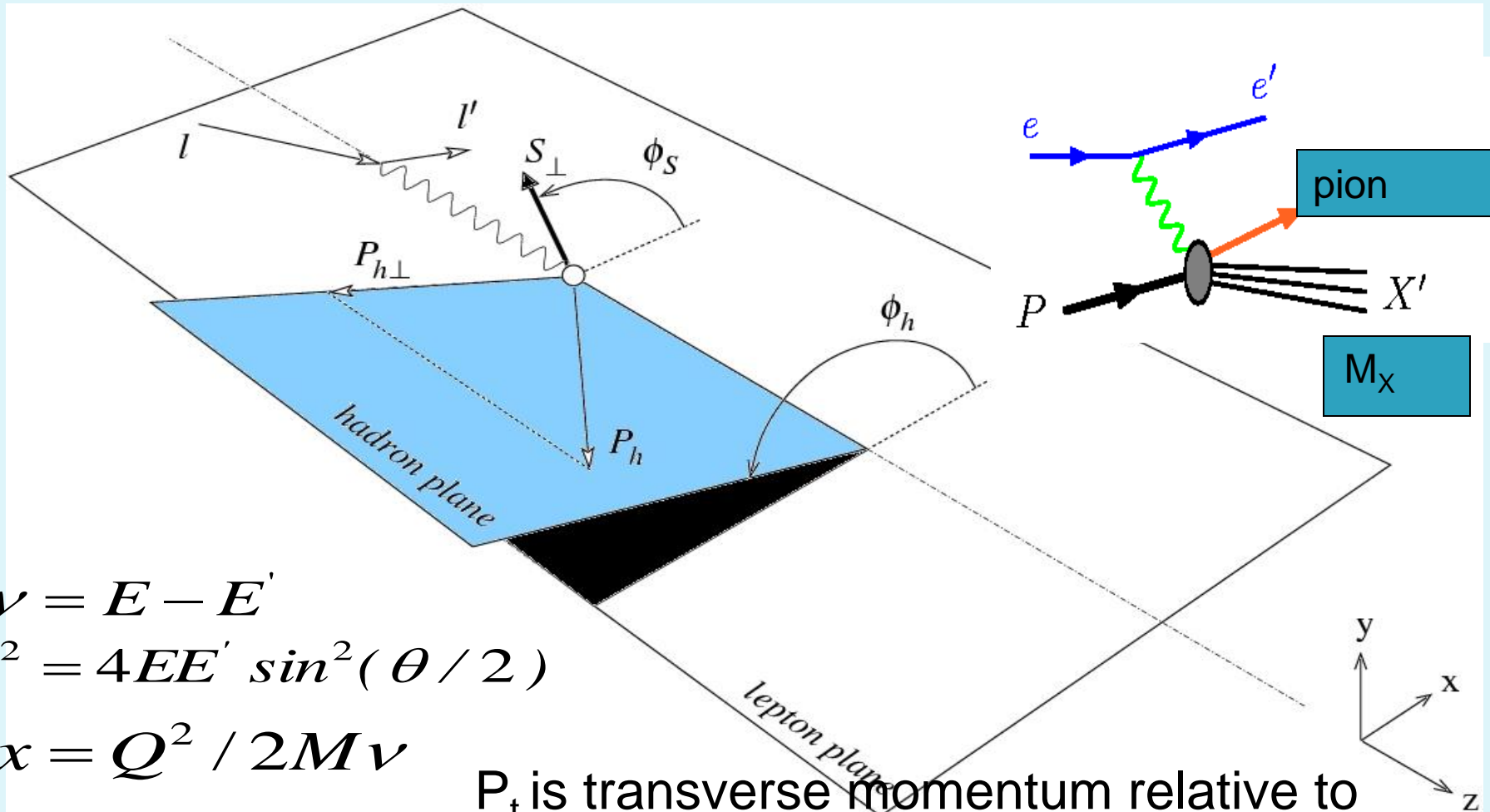
$$z = E_m/v$$

ONE LEVEL DEEPER: SIDIS

Very Preliminary results from eg1-dvcs



SIDIS kinematic plane and relevant variables



$$\nu = E - E'$$

$$Q^2 = 4EE' \sin^2(\theta/2)$$

$$x = Q^2 / 2M\nu$$

$$y = \nu / E$$

$$z = E_h / \nu$$

P_t is transverse momentum relative to virtual photon

$M_x^2 = M^2 + Q^2(1/x - 1)$ is invariant mass of total hadronic final state