

# ***Exclusive diffraction at HERA***

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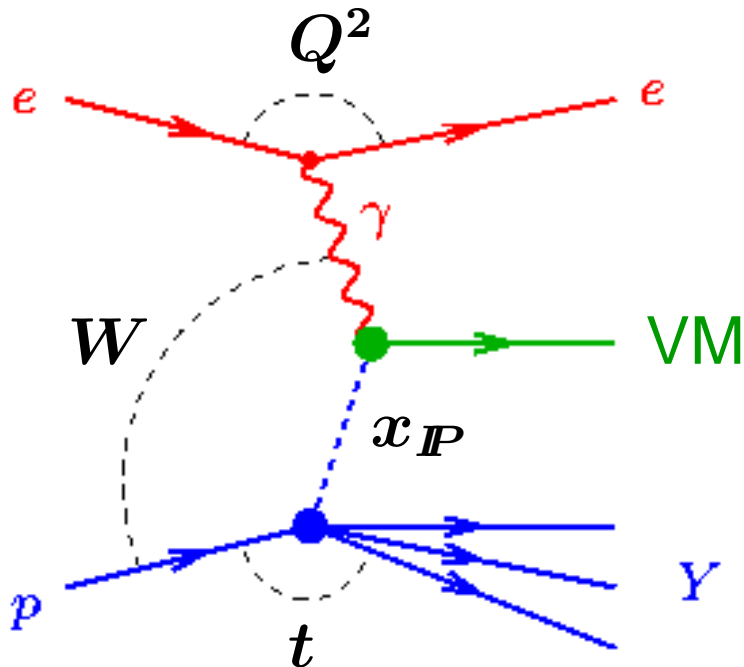
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# Diffractive Vector Meson Production and DVCS

$$e + p \rightarrow e + VM (= \rho, \phi, J/\psi, \dots, \text{or } \gamma) + Y (\text{or } p)$$



- $Q^2$  Photon Virtuality  
Photoproduction:  $Q^2 \sim 0$
- $W$   $\gamma p$  CMS energy
- $t$  4-momentum transfer squared
- $x_{\mathbb{P}}$  Momentum fraction of the colour singlet exchange

## Regge Theory

= Soft  $\mathbb{P}$ omeron exchange

$$\sigma \propto \left(\frac{W}{W_0}\right)^{4(\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t)-1)}$$

$$\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t) = 1.08 + 0.25 t \text{ (DL)}$$

Light VM at low  $Q^2$  and low  $|t|$  Requires hard scale:  $Q^2, t$  or  $m_q$

$\implies$  Investigate transition between soft and hard regimes

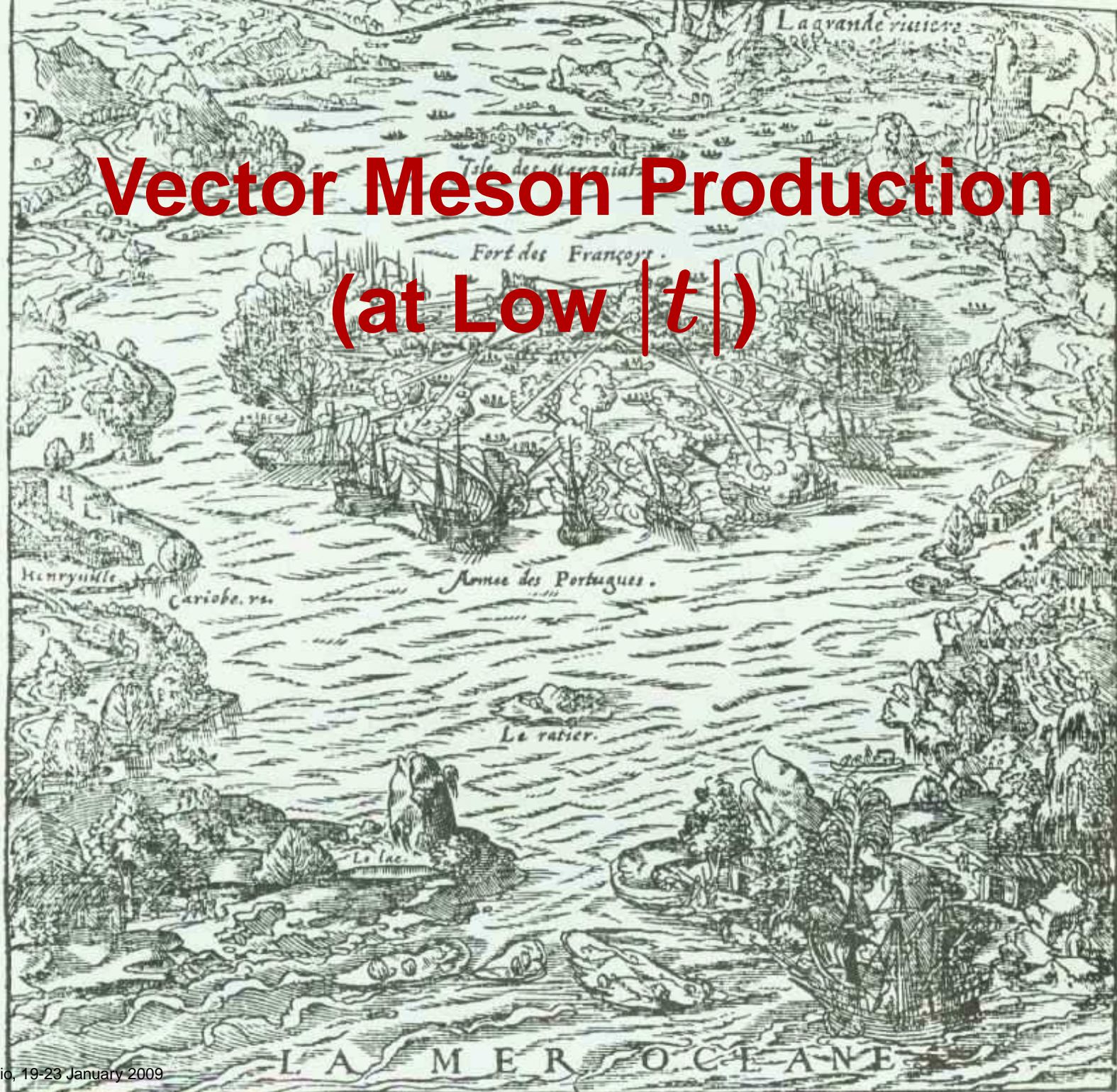
## pQCD Models

Exchange of  $\geq 2$  gluons

$$\sigma \propto (xG(x, Q^2))^2$$

Steep rise of  $xG(x, Q^2)$

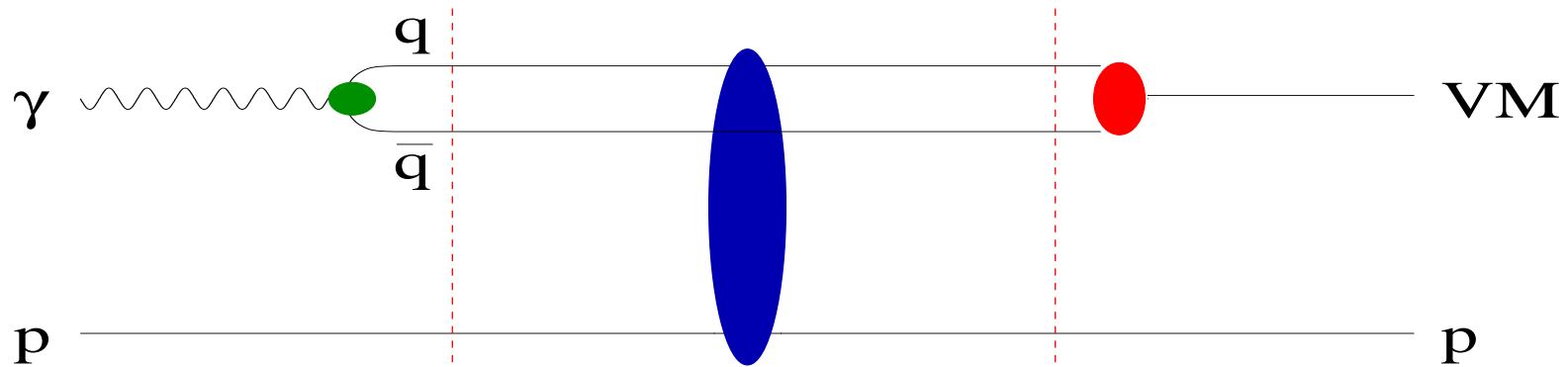
# Vector Meson Production (at Low $|t|$ )



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# VM theory: Dipole approach and $k_T$ factorisation

In proton rest frame at large energy, for  $\mathcal{A}_L$  (large  $\mu^2 = Q^2$  or  $m_q^2$ ):



$$t_c \sim \frac{1}{2m_p x} \gg t_I \sim \frac{1}{\Delta E_I} \ll t_f \sim 1 \text{ fm} \frac{E}{m}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\gamma^{(*)}p \rightarrow Vp} = \Psi_{q\bar{q}}^\gamma \otimes \sigma_{q\bar{q}-p} \otimes \Psi_{q\bar{q}}^{VM}$$

- Scanning radius is expected to decrease with increasing  $Q_z^2$  or  $M_V$   
 $\Rightarrow$  "universal scale":  $\mu^2 = z(1-z)(Q^2 + M_V^2)$
- For  $\mathcal{A}_L$  (large  $Q^2$  or  $m_q$ ):  $z \simeq 1/2 \Rightarrow \mu^2 \simeq (Q^2 + M_V^2)/4$
- For light quarks,  $\mathcal{A}_T$ : contrib. from end points  $z = 0, 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \mu^2$  can be small even for large  $Q^2 \Rightarrow$  soft contributions

# VM theory: Dipole approach and $k_T$ factorisation

## Dipole approach - Saturation :

Shown here: C.Marquet, R.Peschanski, G.Soyez  
[hep-ph/0702171]

- $\sigma_{q\bar{q}-p}$  extracted from fits to inclusive data ( $F_2$ ) with geometric scaling.
- Fits may include VM data as well (see later) and QCD evolution at high  $Q^2$ .

## $k_T$ factorisation - BFKL pomeron:

Shown here: I.Ivanov, N.Nikolaev, A.Savin  
[hep-ph/0501034]

- Conjugate approach to dipole one in " $k_T$  space".
- $\sigma_{q\bar{q}-p}$  computed from  $k_T$ -unintegrated gluon pdf  $\mathcal{F}(x, \vec{\kappa})$ :

$$\sigma_{q\bar{q}-p} = 4\pi/3 \int d^2\vec{\kappa}/\kappa^4 \mathcal{F}(x, \vec{\kappa}) \alpha_s(\mu^2) [1 - \exp(i\vec{\kappa}\vec{r})]$$

N.B: for small dipole,

$$\sigma_{q\bar{q}-p} \simeq \pi^2/3 r^2 \alpha_s(\mu^2) G(x, \mu^2) \quad \text{with } \mu^2 = A/(z(1-z)Q^2 + m_q^2); \quad A = 9 - 10$$

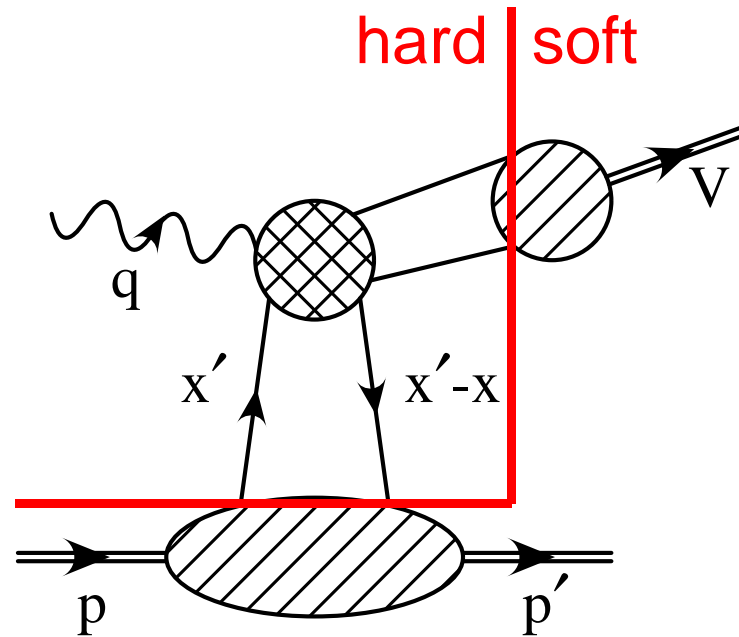
$$\longrightarrow \sigma_T \propto (Q^2 + M_V^2)^{-4} [\alpha_s(\mu^2) G(x, \mu^2)]^2$$

$$\longrightarrow \sigma_L \propto Q^2/M_V^2 (Q^2 + M_V^2)^{-4} [\alpha_s(\mu^2) G(x, \mu^2)]^2$$

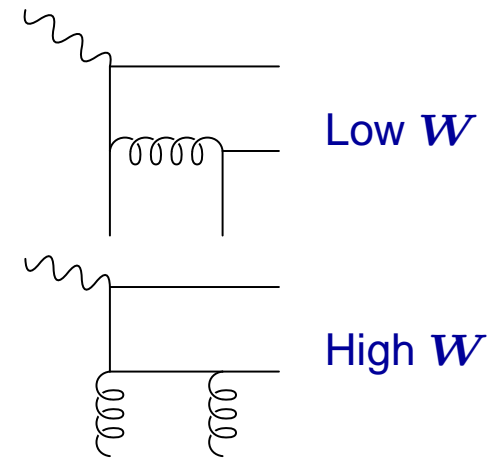
# VM theory: Collinear factorisation

QCD factorisation theorem valid for leading power of  $Q$  in DIS:

Collins, Frankfurt and Strikman [hep-ph/9611433]



Typical LO diagrams for  $H_{ij}$ :



$$\mathcal{A}_{\gamma^{(*)}p \rightarrow Vp} = \sum_{i,j} \int_0^1 dz \int dx' f_{i/p}(x', x' - x, t, \mu) H_{ij}(Q^2 x'/x, Q^2, z, \mu) \Psi_j^V(z, \mu)$$

where  $f_{i/p}$ : non-forward PDF ( $x' \neq x' - x$ ,  $t$  dependant)  $\rightarrow$  GPD's  
 $H_{ij}$ : hard scattering m.a. ;  $\Psi_j^V$ : VM wave fct

Theorem is proven for  $\gamma_L$  ; extended/assumed for  $\gamma_T$  in many models

Shown here: S.Goloskokov and P.Kroll

[hep-ph/07083569]

# VM theory: Main features / expectations

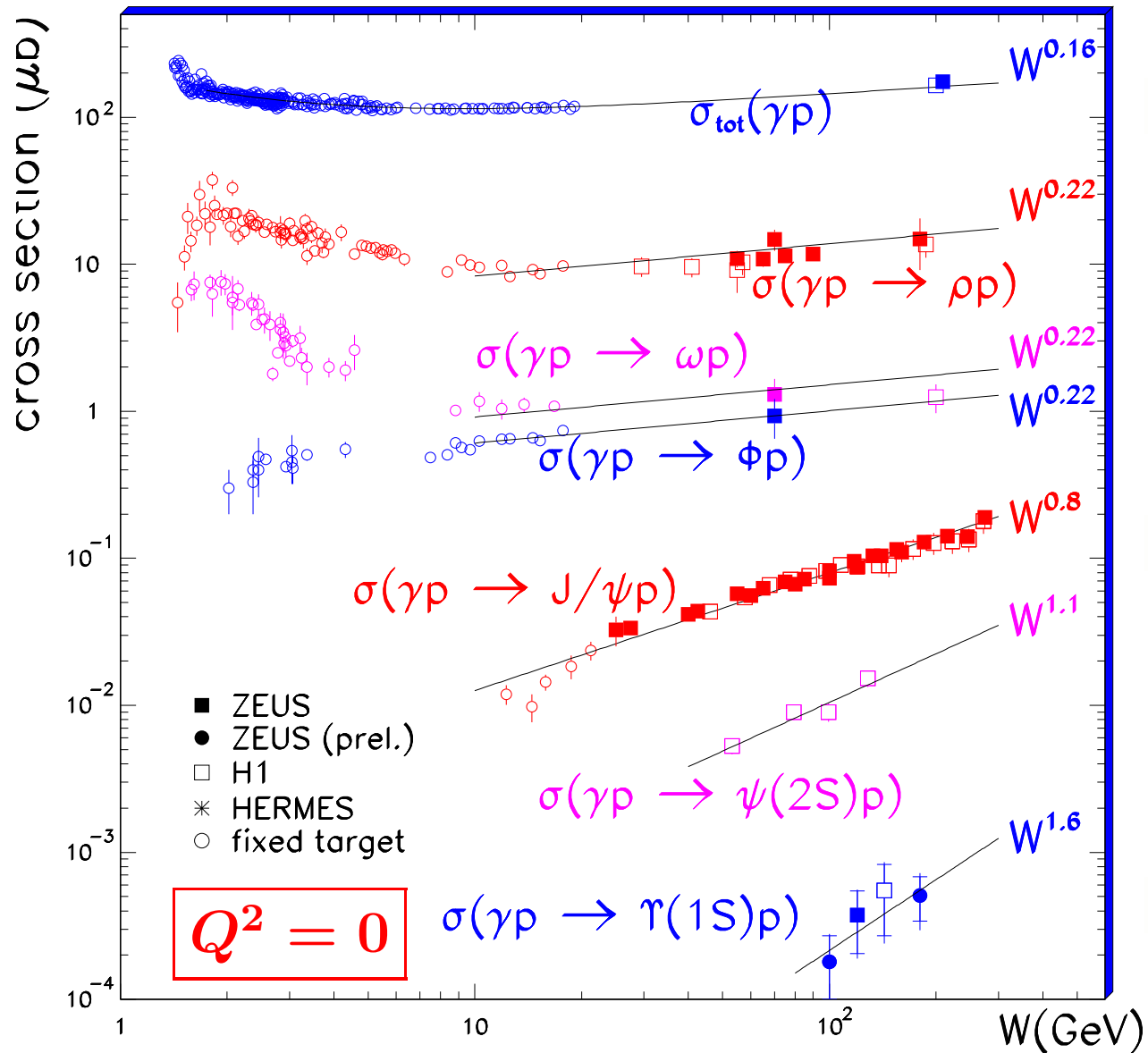
$\sigma(Q^2)$ :  $\sigma_L \propto Q^{-6}$ ;  $\sigma_T \propto Q^{-8}$  **but** modified by gluon pdf  $Q^2$  depend., quark Fermi motion and virtuality,  $\alpha_s(Q^2)$ , higher order.  
→ Naive  $R = \sigma_L/\sigma_T \propto Q^2/M_V^2$  also modified.

$\sigma(W)$ : ● For  $\sigma_L$  at high  $Q^2$  and heavy VM, hard (universal)  $W$  depend. expected from  $1/x$  hard gluon pdf evolution.  
● For light VM, delayed approach to hard pQCD regime ( $\sigma_T$ ).

$d\sigma/dt$ :  $\propto \exp(-b|t|)$  for low  $|t|$ , where  $b = b_{q\bar{q}} \otimes b_{\mathbf{P}} \otimes b_p$   
● Expect common  $b$  for  $\sigma_L$  at high  $Q^2$  and heavy VM.  
→ Naive universality of  $b$  vs.  $\mu^2 = 1/4(Q^2 + M_V^2)$   
● Larger dipole in  $\sigma_T$  than in  $\sigma_L$  → expect  $b_T > b_L$   
→ Delayed universality of  $b$  vs.  $\mu^2$

Helicity amplitudes: see later

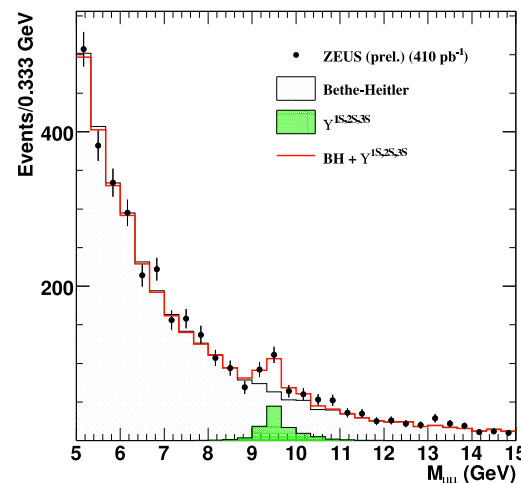
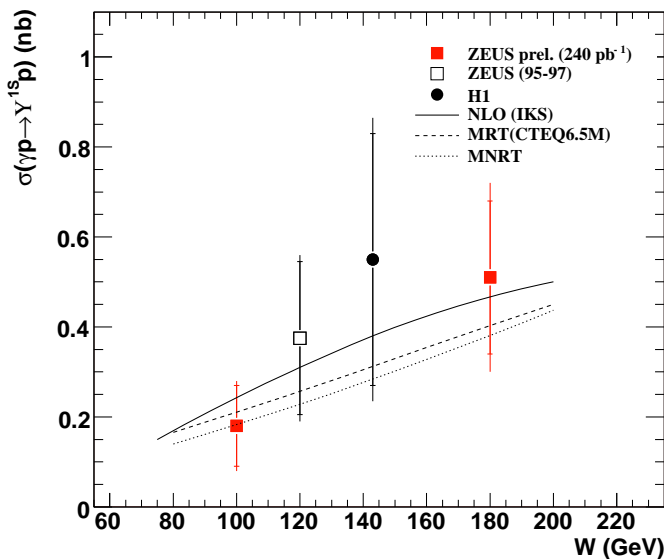
# Soft to hard transition: mass



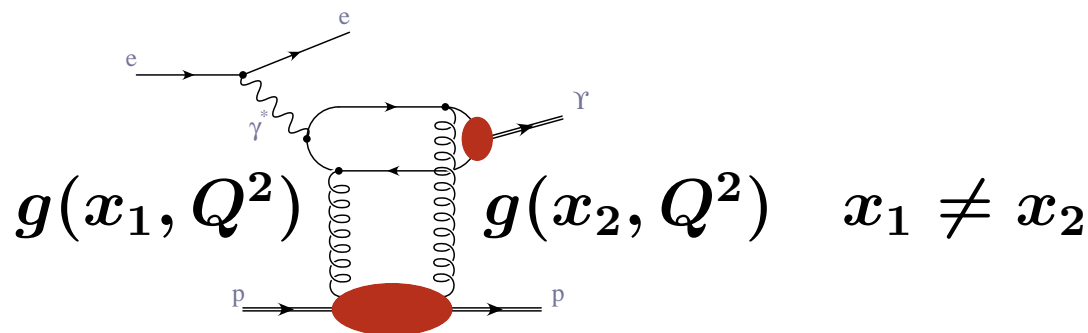
- Low mass ( $\rho, \phi, \omega$ ;  $M_V^2 \simeq 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ):  
no pert. scale  
→ weak energy dep. (soft regime)
- High mass ( $J/\psi, \psi$ ): pert. scale  
→ strong energy dep. (hard regime)
- Large mass ( $\Upsilon$ ) important skewing effect



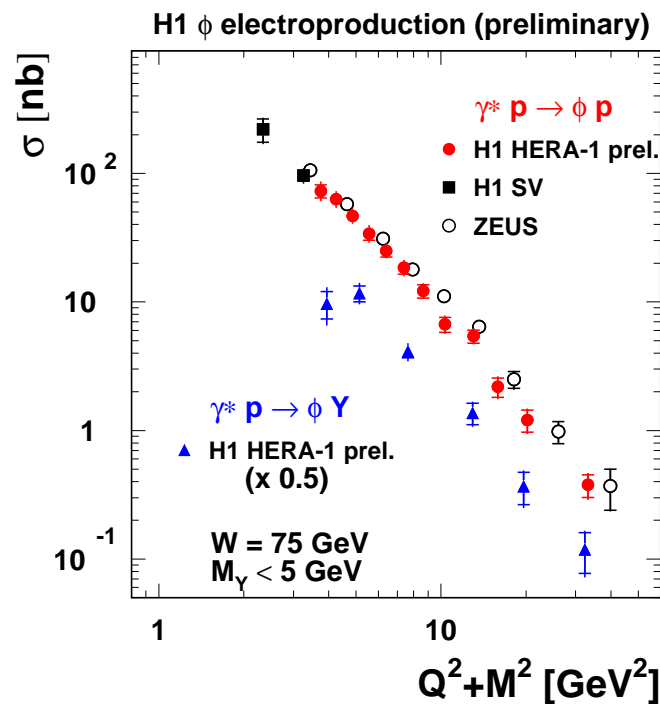
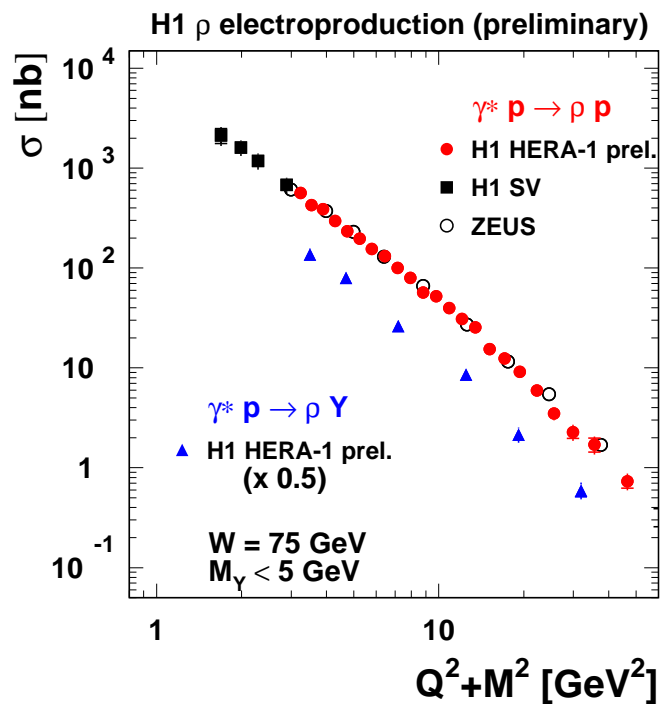
# Upsilon Photoproduction : New ZEUS result



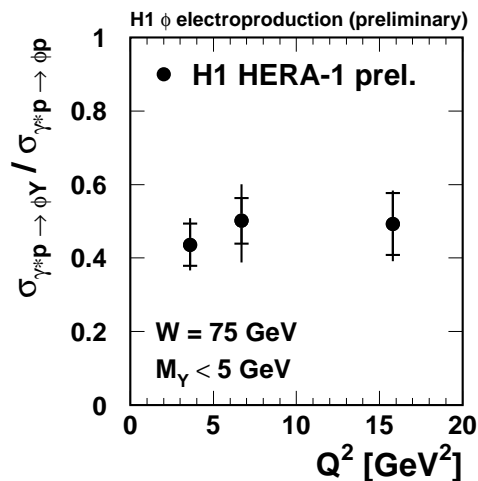
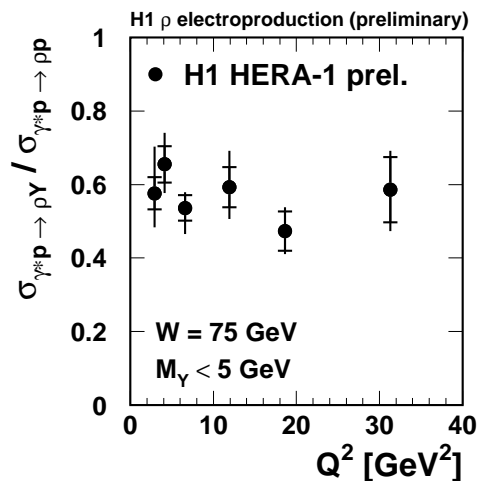
ZEUS (HERA I+II):  $104 \pm 21$  events candidates  
 In agreement with NLO predictions including skewing and real part of the amplitude



# Light VM Cross-sections : $Q^2$ dependence

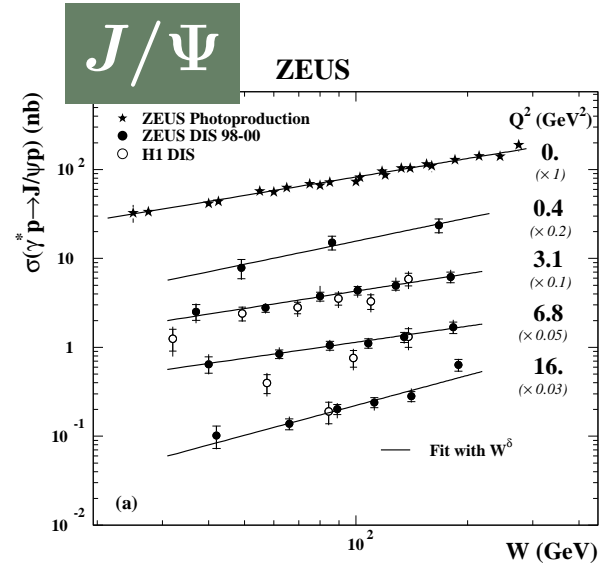
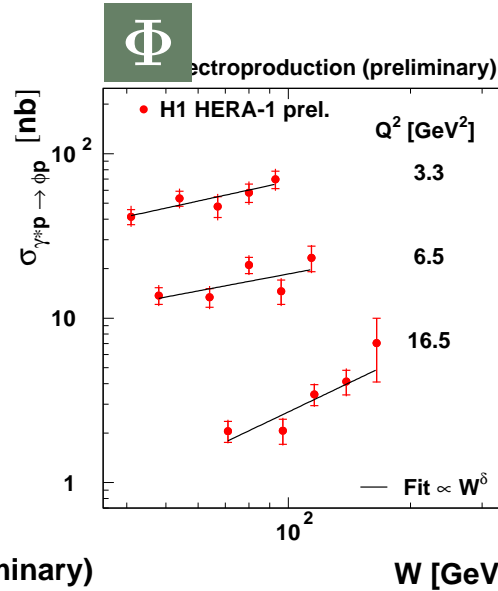
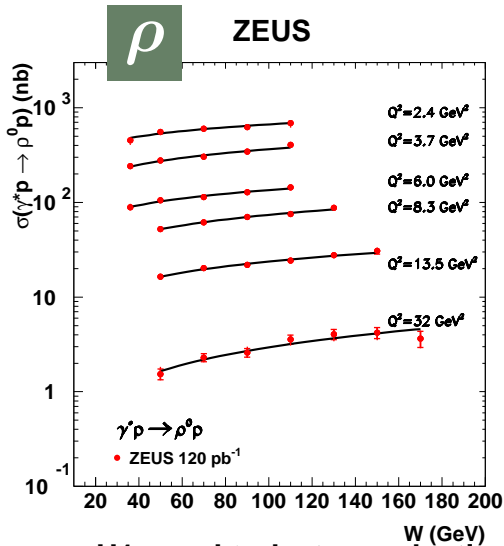


- High precision for elastic cross-sections



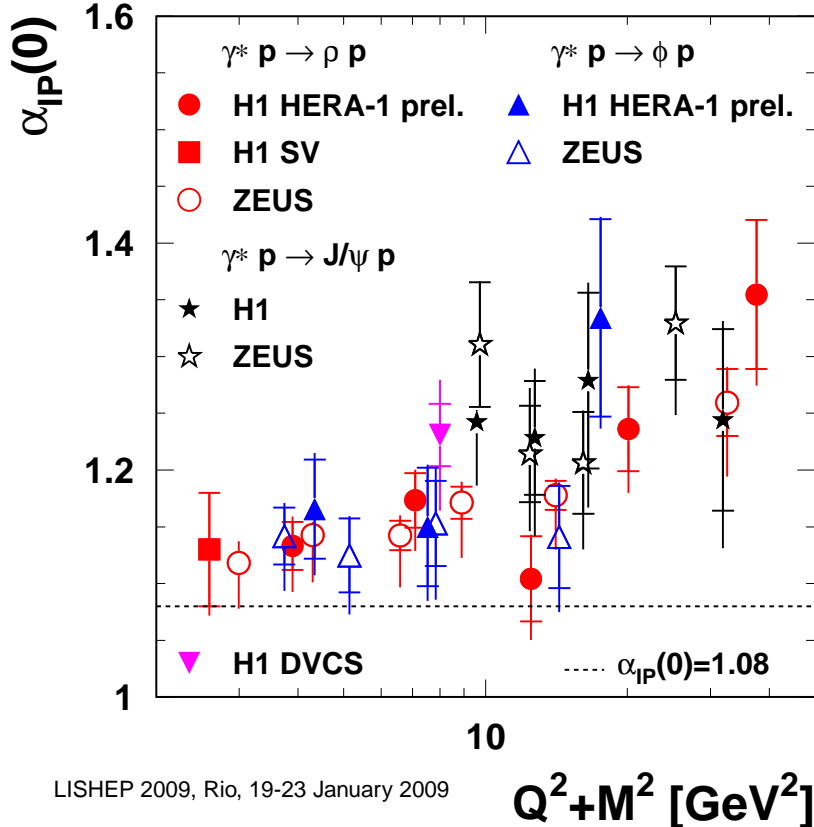
- First  $\phi$  p-diss. cross-section
- p.diss/el: no  $Q^2$  dep.  
*i.e.* vertex factorisation

# Soft to hard transition: $Q^2$



H1  $\rho$  and  $\phi$  electroproduction (preliminary)

W [GeV]



$$\alpha_{IP}(0) = 1 + \delta/4 + \alpha'_{IP}/\langle |t| \rangle$$

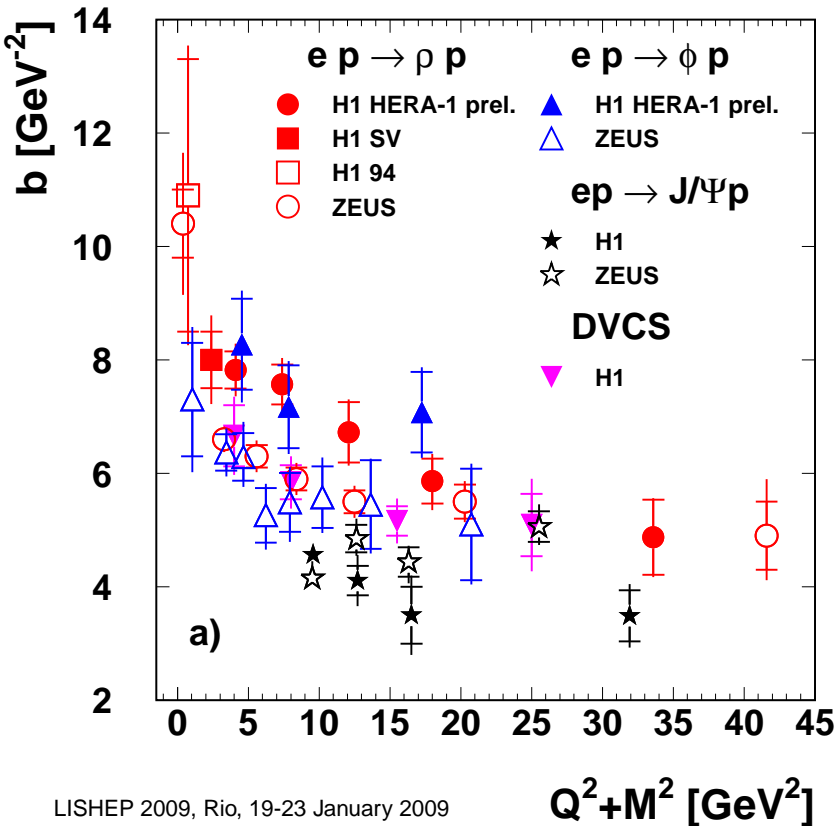
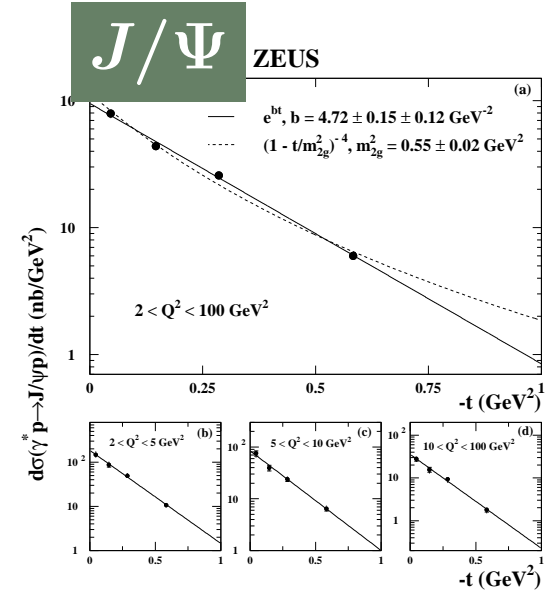
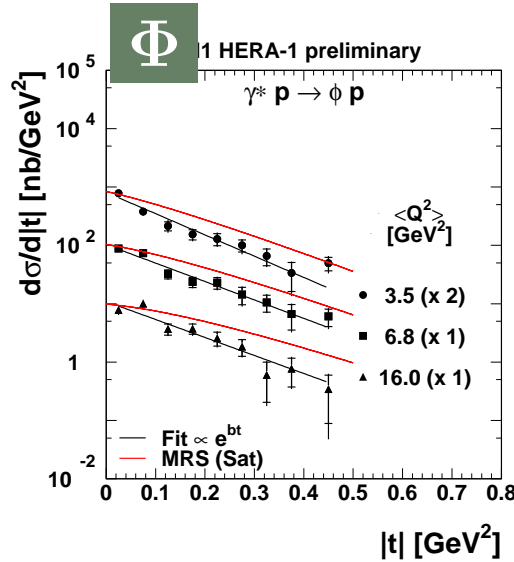
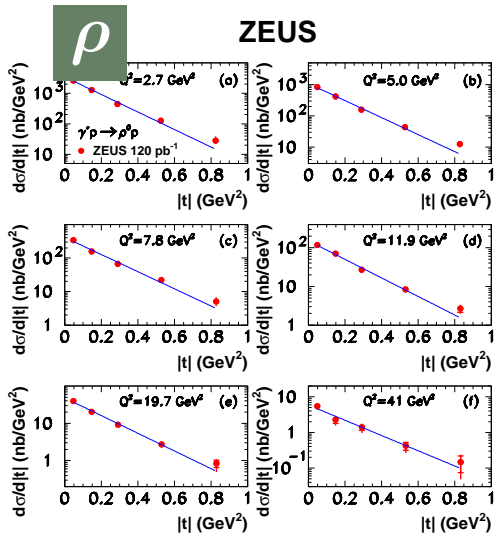
$$\alpha'_{IP} = 0 - 0.25 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

- Common hardening of  $\alpha_{IP}(0)$  with  $Q^2 + M^2$  for all VM and DVCS

$\Rightarrow$  Transition from soft to hard regime with  $Q^2 + M^2$

- Soft contributions (in  $\sigma_L$  ?) up to  $Q^2 \sim 20 \text{ GeV}^2$  for  $\rho$  and  $\phi$

# *t* dependences: Universality and hard diffraction



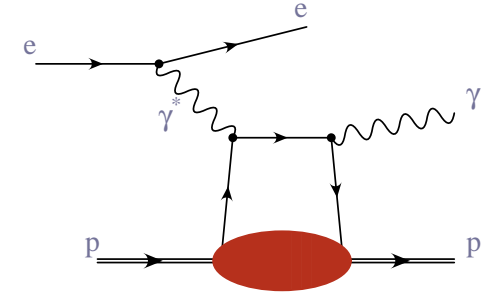
fit  $e^{-b|t|}$ :  $b = b_p \otimes b_{q\bar{q}} \otimes b_{\mathbb{P}}$   
 $\rightarrow b \propto q\bar{q}$  dipole size

- $b_\rho$  and  $b_\phi$  decrease  $Q^2 + M^2$
- Common value with  $J/\psi$  for  $Q^2 + M^2 > 20 \text{ GeV}^2$
- Large dipole for light VM at low  $Q^2$

$\Rightarrow$  Transition from soft to hard regime with  $Q^2 + M^2$

# Note on the scale and universality

DVCS is like DIS (at LO):



Photon interacts directly with a resolved quark

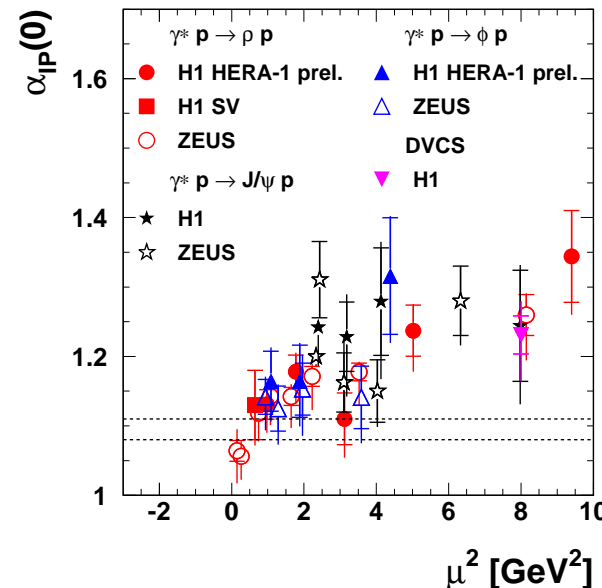
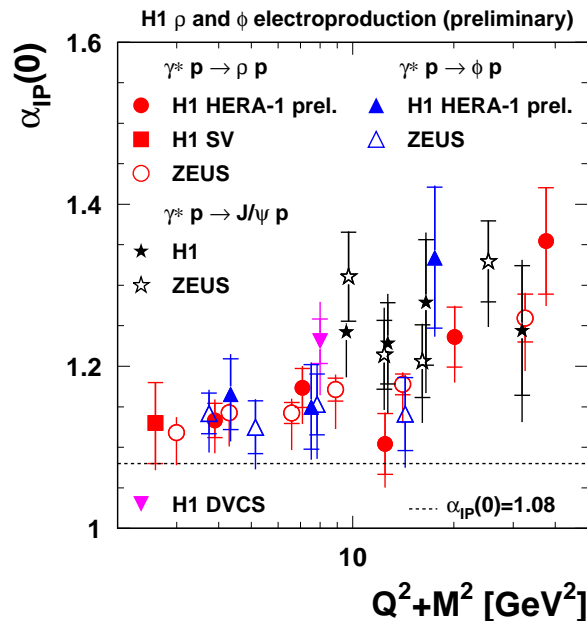
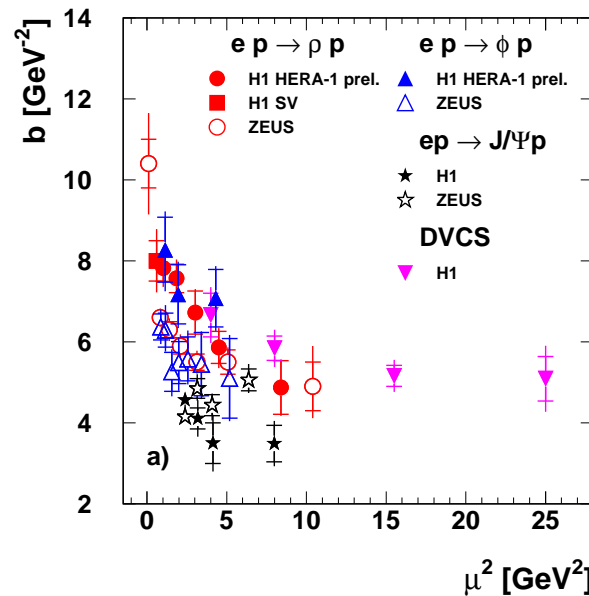
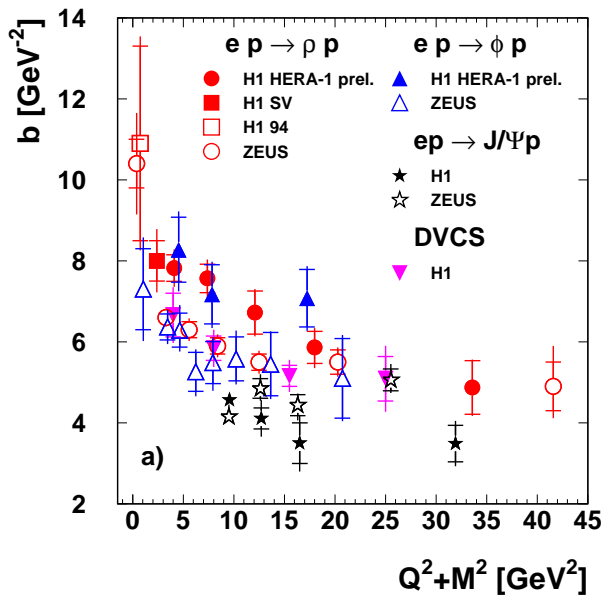
→ Hard scales are:

for DVCS:  $\mu^2 = Q^2$

for VM:  $\mu^2 = \frac{Q^2 + M^2}{4}$

→ Universality vs  $\mu^2$ :

Soft/hard transition around  $\mu^2 \sim 5 \text{ GeV}^2$

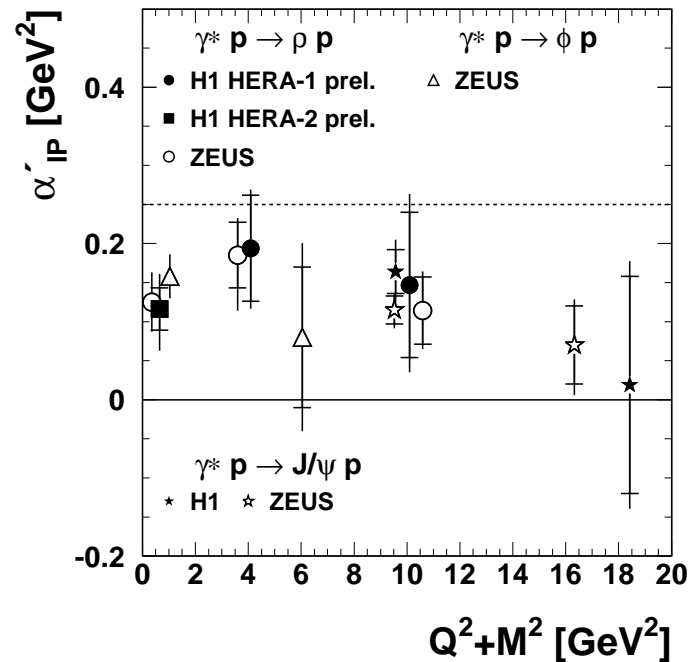
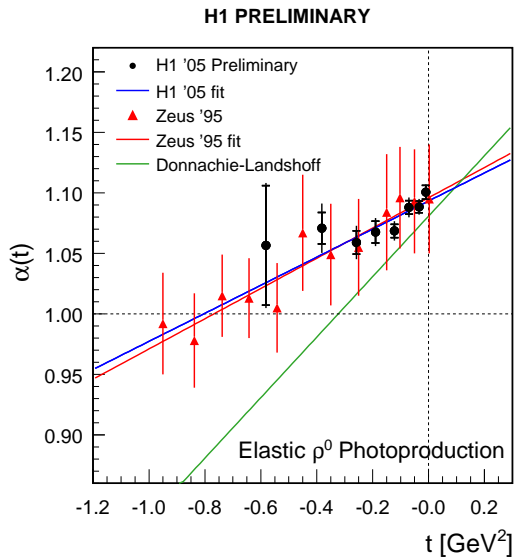
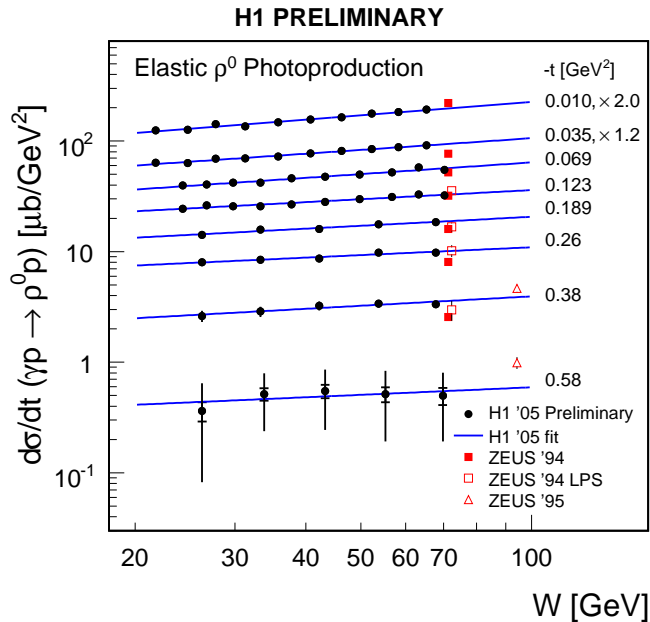


# Shrinkage : $\alpha'_{\mathbb{P}}$ measurements

H1  $\rho$  photoproduction measurements:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt}(W) \propto e^{b_0 t} W^{4(\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t)-1)}$$

1. Study  $W$  depend. in bins of  $t$ :  
 $\rightarrow$  Fit:  $W^\delta \rightarrow \alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t) = 1 + \delta/4$
2. Study  $\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t)$  trajectories:  
 $\rightarrow$  Fit:  $\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t) = \alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(0) + \alpha'_{\mathbb{P}} t$

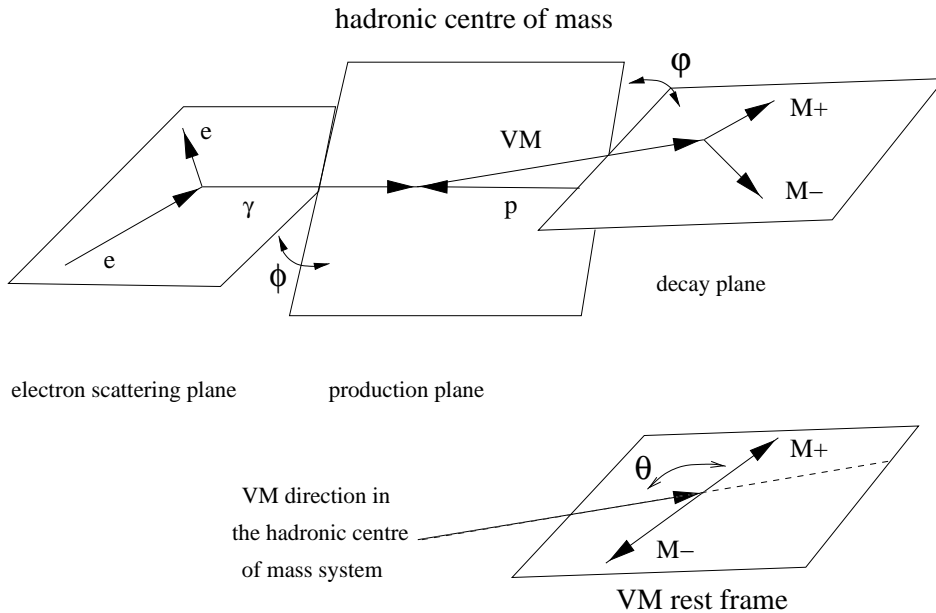


$\Rightarrow$  For all VM,  $\alpha'_{\mathbb{P}}$  smaller than 0.25 (DL,  $p\bar{p}$ )  
 (cf BFKL, multiple  $\mathbb{P}$  exchange)

# SPIN DENSITY MATRIX ELEMENTS

$$\theta^*, \Phi, \varphi \iff 15 \text{ SDMEs} : r_{kl}^{ij} \propto T_{\lambda'_\rho \lambda'_\gamma} T_{\lambda_\rho \lambda_\gamma}$$

$T_{\lambda_\rho \lambda_\gamma}$  : helicity amplitudes



No helicity flip:  $T_{00} : \gamma_L \rightarrow \rho_L$

$T_{11} : \gamma_T \rightarrow \rho_T$

Single flip:  $T_{01} : \gamma_T \rightarrow \rho_L$

$T_{10} : \gamma_L \rightarrow \rho_T$

Double flip:  $T_{1-1} : \gamma_T \rightarrow \rho_T$

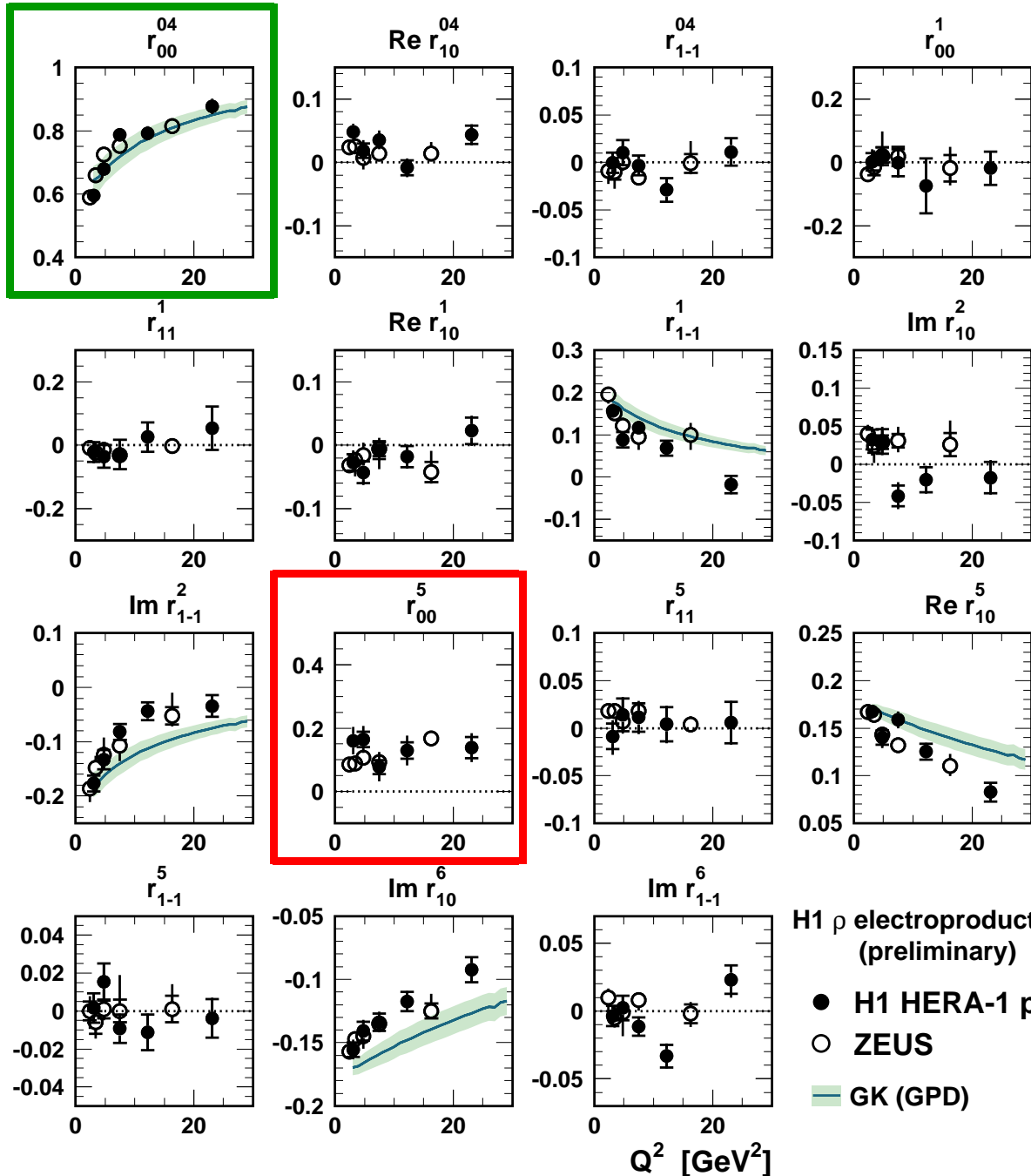
$s$ -Channel Helicity Conservation (SCHC):  $T_{01} = T_{10} = T_{1-1} = 0$

**pQCD models:**

- SCHC violation ( single flip  $\propto \sqrt{|t|}$ , double  $\propto |t|$  )
- Hierarchy:  $|T_{00}| > |T_{11}| > |T_{01}| > |T_{10}| > |T_{1-1}|$

D. Yu Ivanov and R. Kirschner  
[hep-ph/9807324]

# $\rho$ Polarisation - SDMEs vs. $Q^2$



- $r_{00}^{04}$  increases with  $Q^2$
- ↔ similar effects for  $r_{1-1}^1$ ,  $\text{Im } r_{1-1}^2$ ,  $\text{Re } r_{10}^5$  and  $\text{Im } r_{10}^6$  (in SCHC)
- ↔ Fair description by GK (GPD) model

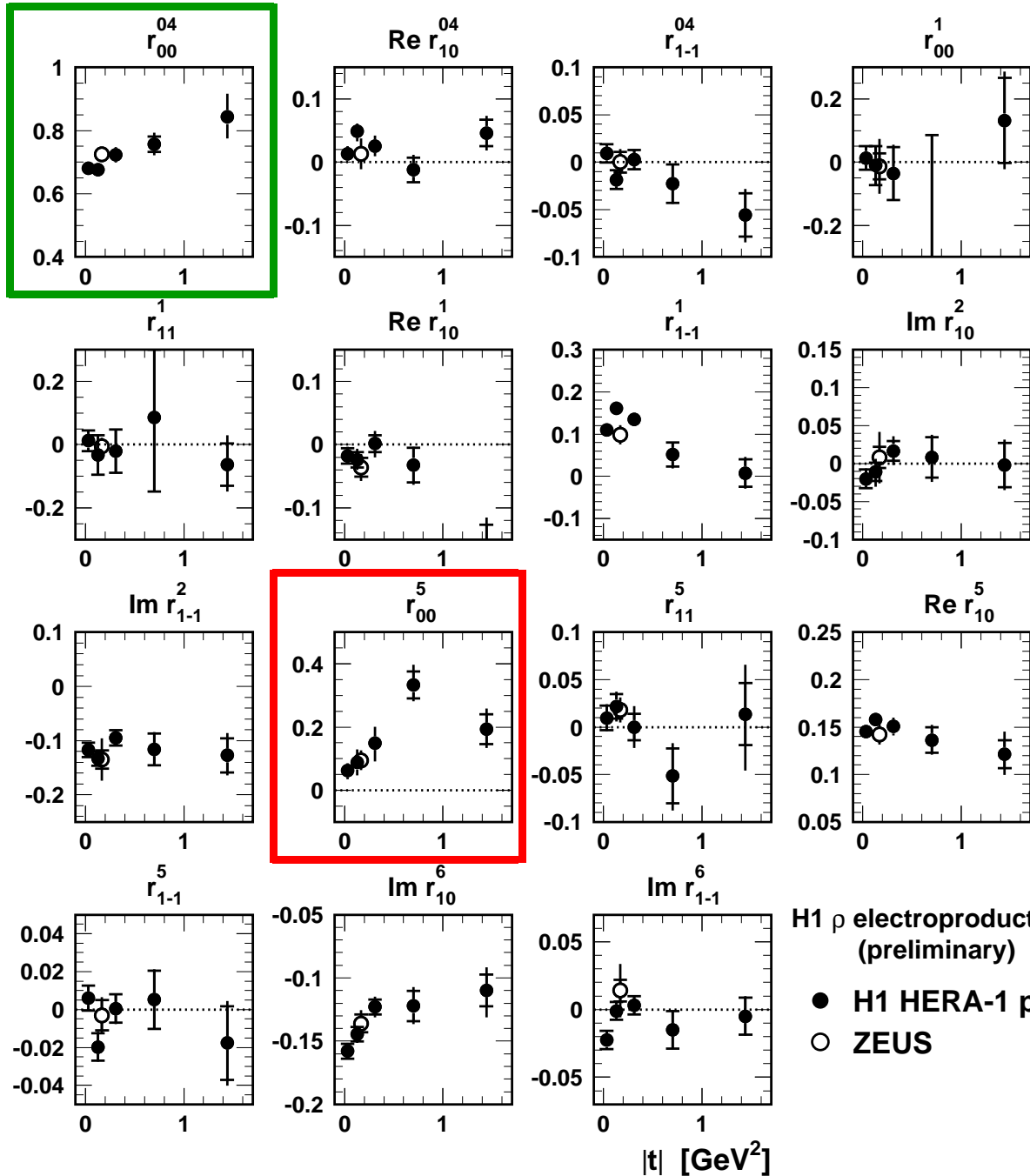
- $r_{00}^5$  violates SCHC
- Other SDME  $\simeq 0$

H1  $\rho$  electroproduction (preliminary)

- H1 HERA-1 prel.
- ZEUS
- GK (GPD)



# $\rho$ Polarisation - SDMEs vs. $|t|$



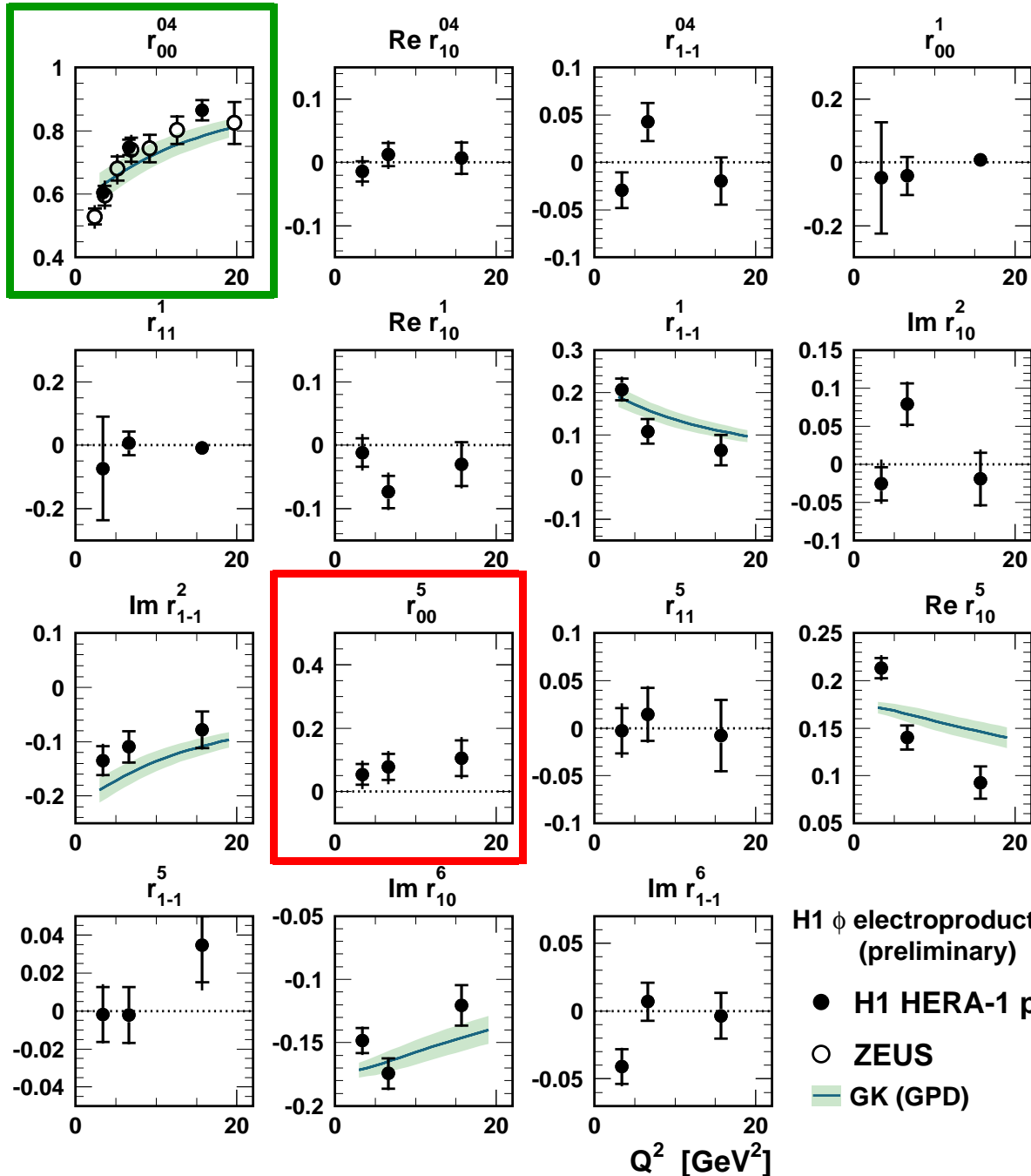
●  $r_{00}^5$  increases with  $|t|$   
 ↔ SCHC violation increases with  $|t|$

●  $r_{00}^{04}$  increases with  $|t|$   
 ↔ similar effects for  $r_{1-1}^1$ ,  $\text{Im } r_{1-1}^2$ ,  $\text{Re } r_{10}^5$  and  $\text{Im } r_{10}^6$  (in SCHC)

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 ○ ZEUS

# $\phi$ Polarisation - SDMEs vs. $Q^2$



●  $r_{00}^{04}$  increases with  $Q^2$   
 $\leftrightarrow$  Fair description by GK (GPD) model

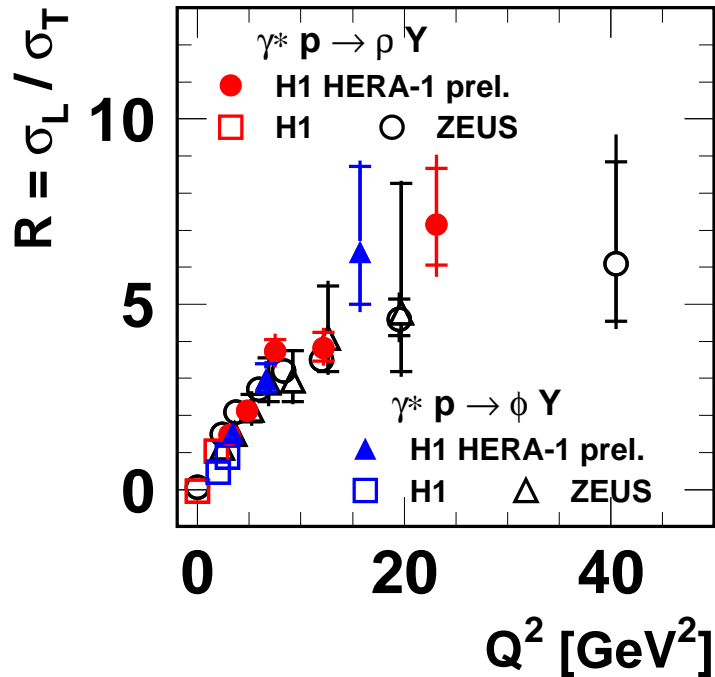
●  $r_{00}^5$  violates SCHC  
 But larger error than for  $\rho$

● Other SDME  $\simeq 0$

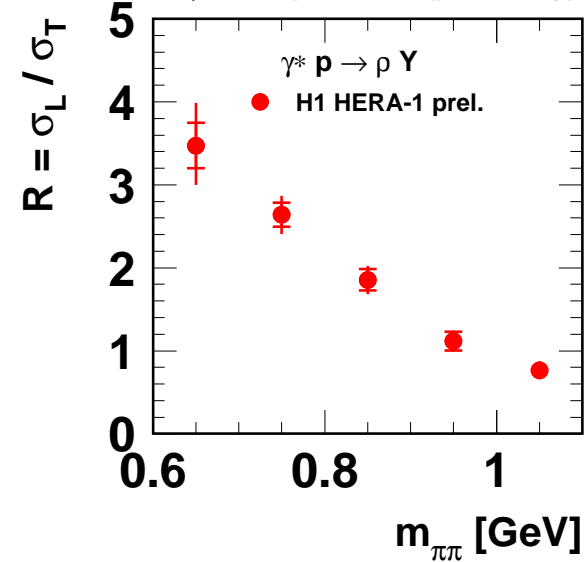
# $\rho$ and $\phi$ Polarisation - $R = \sigma_L / \sigma_T$

$$R_{SCHC} = \frac{1}{\epsilon} \frac{r_{00}^{04}}{1 - \epsilon r_{00}^{04}} = \frac{|T_{00}|^2}{|T_{11}|^2}$$

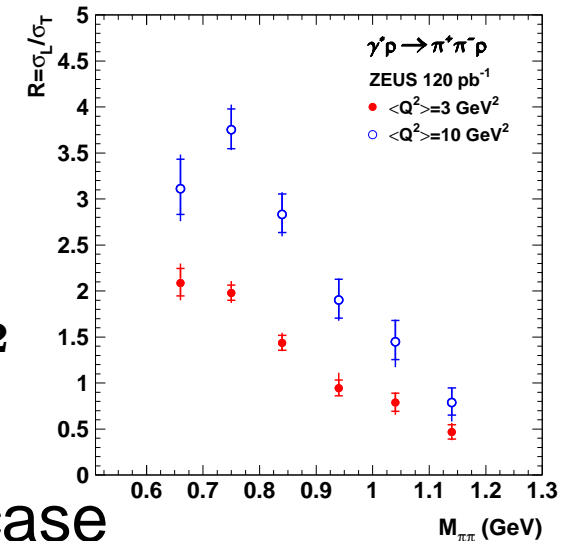
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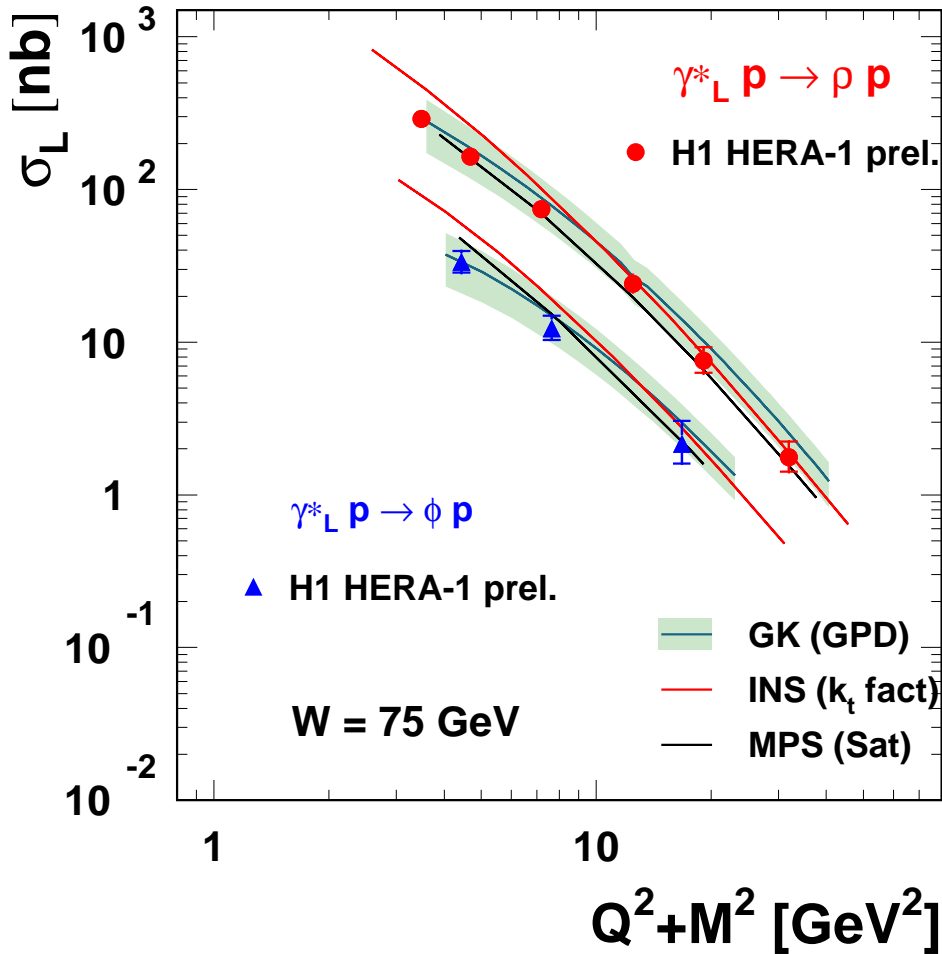


- Naive  $R \propto Q^2 / M^2$  - modified at high  $Q^2$
- Similar  $R$  for  $\phi$  and  $\rho$
- Strong invariant mass dependence in  $\rho$  case

# $\rho$ and $\phi$ Polarisation - Cross-sections

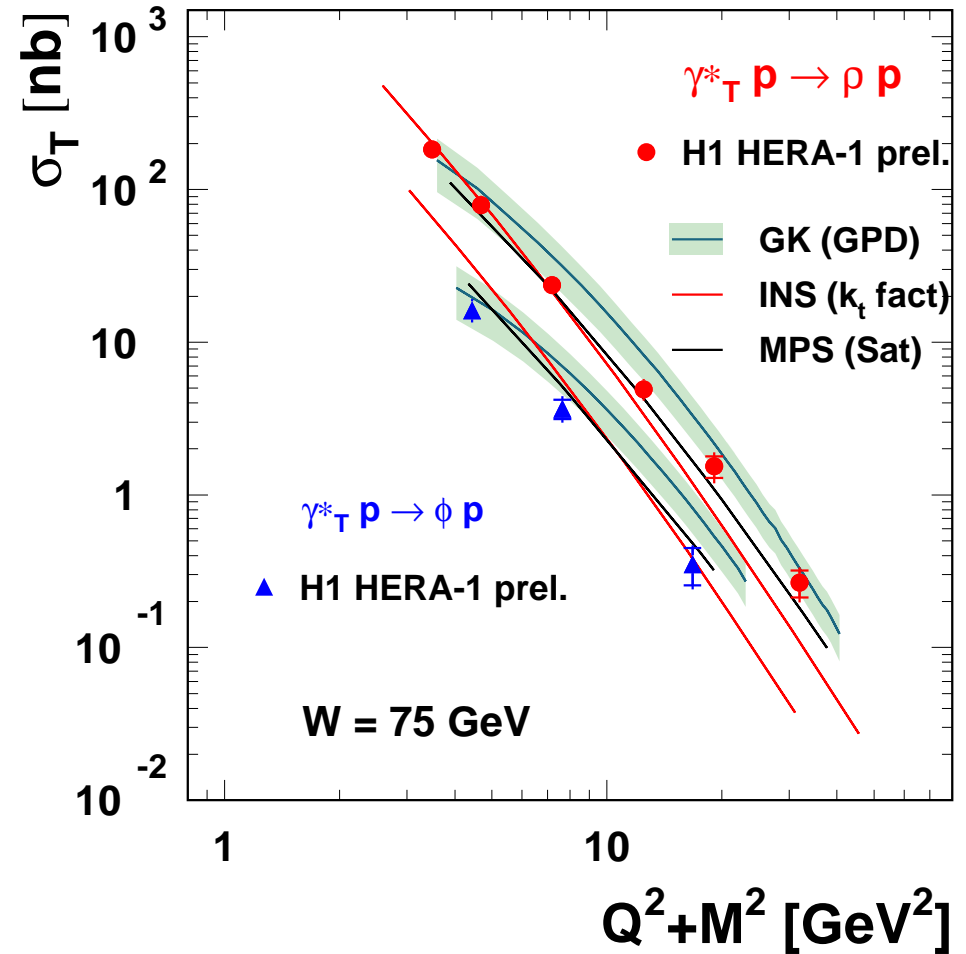
## Longitudinal

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## Transverse

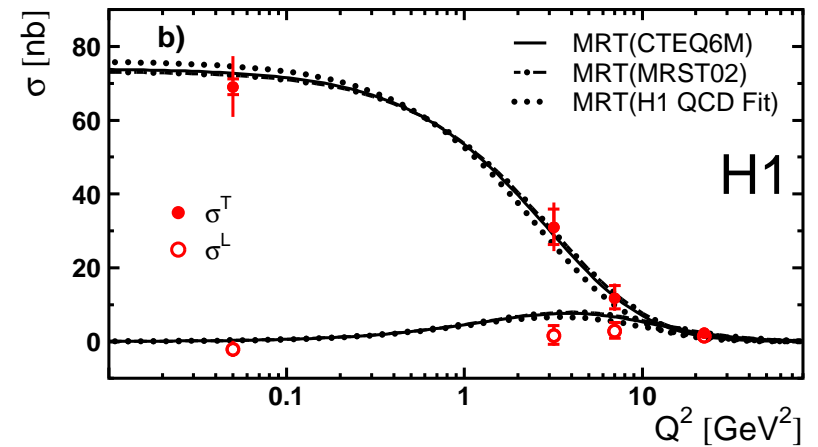
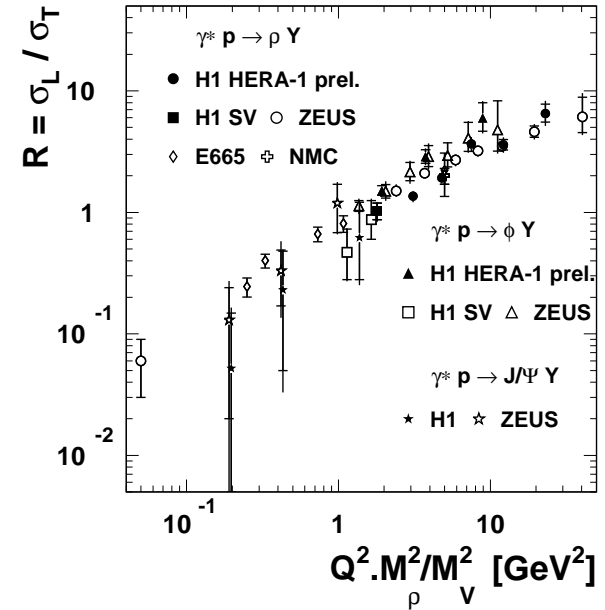
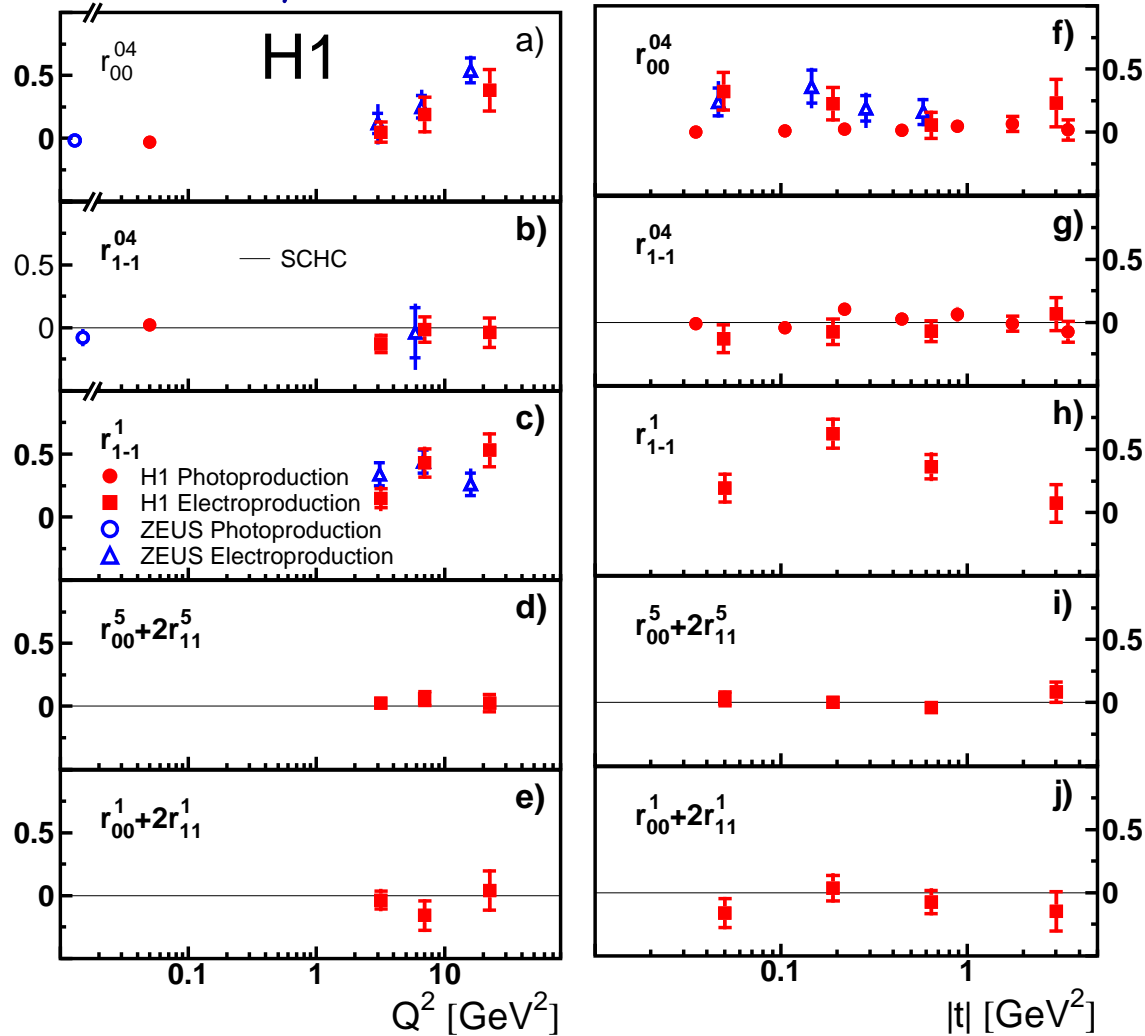
H1  $\rho$  and  $\phi$  electroproduction (preliminary)



- Different  $Q^2 + M^2$  dependences of  $\sigma_L$  and  $\sigma_T$  ( $\sigma_L = 0$  at  $Q^2 = 0$ )
- Best description of  $\sigma_L$  by GK (GPD) model;  $\sigma_T$  not described

# $J/\psi$ Polarisation

## $J/\psi$ SDME vs $Q^2$ and $t$ :



- $J/\psi$  SDME compatible with SCHC: non-relativistic WF
- Common behaviour of  $R$  for all VM vs.  $Q^2 M_\rho^2 / M_{VM}^2$
- $J/\psi$  mostly transverse

# Polarisation - Retrieving Amplitude ratios

Assume purely imaginary amplitudes  $\longrightarrow$  phase =  $\pm 1$  !

$\longrightarrow$  Extract  $|T_{11}|/|T_{00}|$ ,  $|T_{01}|/|T_{00}|$ ,  $|T_{10}|/|T_{00}|$  and  $|T_{-11}|/|T_{00}|$  from fit to the 15 SDMEs:

$$\begin{aligned}
 r_{00}^{04} &= B (\varepsilon + \beta^2) \\
 \text{Re } r_{10}^{04} &= B/2 (2\varepsilon\delta + \beta\alpha - \beta\eta) \\
 r_{1-1}^{04} &= B (\alpha\eta - \varepsilon\delta^2) \\
 r_{00}^1 &= -B \beta^2 \\
 r_{11}^1 &= B \alpha\eta \\
 \text{Re } r_{10}^1 &= B/2 \beta(\eta - \alpha) \\
 r_{1-1}^1 &= B/2 (\alpha^2 + \eta^2) \\
 \text{Im } r_{10}^2 &= B/2 \beta(\alpha + \eta) \\
 \text{Im } r_{1-\Gamma}^2 &= B/2 (\eta^2 - \alpha^2) \\
 r_{00}^5 &= \sqrt{2} B \beta \\
 r_{11}^5 &= B/\sqrt{2} \delta(\alpha - \eta) \\
 \text{Re } r_{10}^5 &= B/(2\sqrt{2}) (2\beta\delta + \alpha - \eta) \\
 r_{1-1}^5 &= B/\sqrt{2} \delta(\eta - \alpha) \\
 \text{Im } r_{10}^6 &= -B/(2\sqrt{2}) (\alpha + \eta) \\
 \text{Im } r_{1-\Gamma}^6 &= B/\sqrt{2} \delta(\alpha + \eta)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \alpha &= |T_{11}|/|T_{00}| \\
 \beta &= |T_{01}|/|T_{00}| \\
 \delta &= |T_{10}|/|T_{00}| \\
 \eta &= |T_{-11}|/|T_{00}|
 \end{aligned}$$

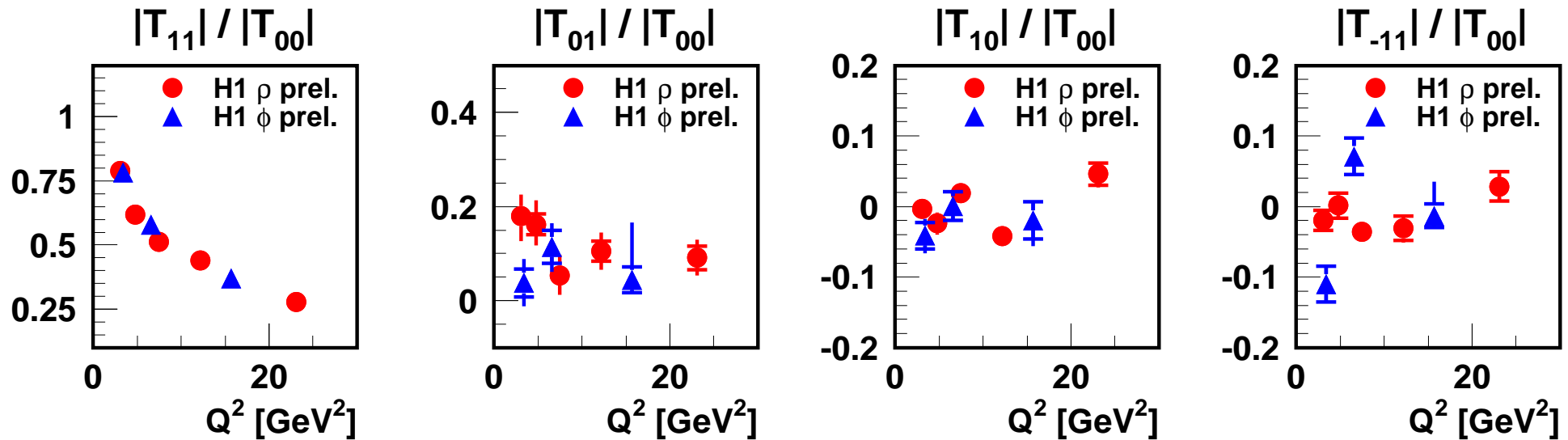
$$\begin{aligned}
 B &= \frac{1}{N_T + \varepsilon N_L} = \frac{R}{1 + \varepsilon R} \\
 N_T &= \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \eta^2 \\
 N_L &= 1 + 2\delta^2
 \end{aligned}$$

# Polarisation - Amplitude ratios vs. $Q^2$

pQCD (IK):

- $T_{11}/T_{00} \propto \frac{M}{Q} \frac{1+\gamma}{\gamma}$
- $T_{10}/T_{00} \propto -\frac{M \sqrt{|t|}}{Q^2} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\gamma}$
- $T_{01}/T_{00} \propto \frac{\sqrt{|t|}}{Q} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}\gamma}$

$\gamma$  : gluon anomalous dim.



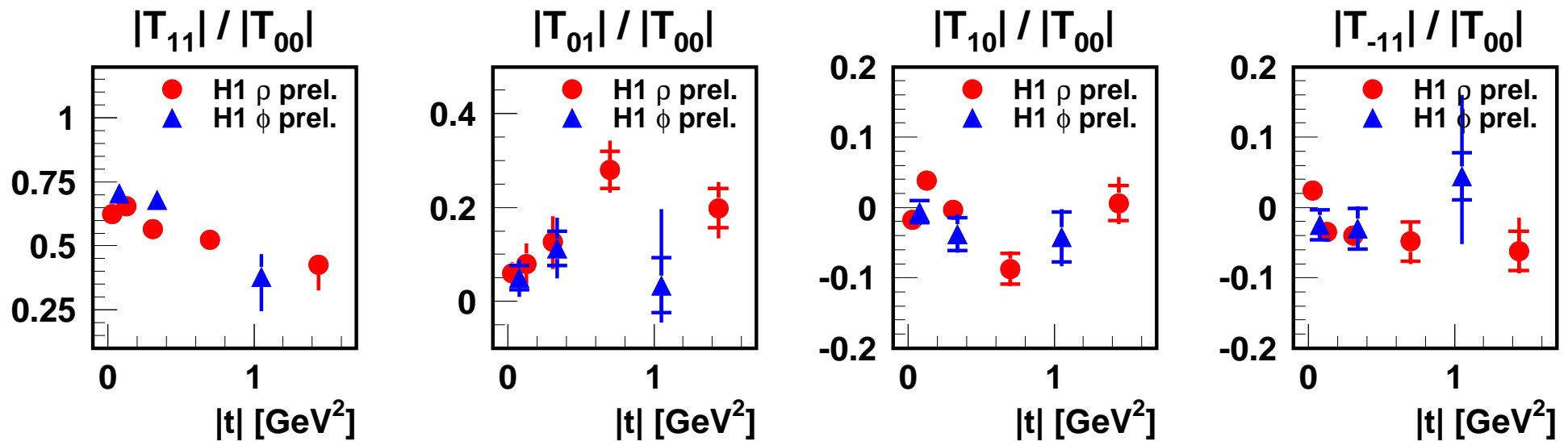
- $T_{11}/T_{00}$  decreases with  $Q^2 \leftrightarrow \sigma_L/\sigma_T$  increases with  $Q^2$
- $T_{01}/T_{00} > 0 \leftrightarrow$  SCHC violation
- $T_{10}/T_{00}$  and  $T_{-11}/T_{00}$  are small  
 $\Rightarrow |T_{00}| > |T_{11}| > |T_{01}| > |T_{10}|, |T_{-11}| \leftrightarrow$  hierarchy observed

# Polarisation - Amplitude ratios vs. $|t|$

pQCD (IK):

- $T_{11}/T_{00} \propto \frac{M}{Q} \frac{1+\gamma}{\gamma}$
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- $T_{01}/T_{00} \propto \frac{\sqrt{|t|}}{Q} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}\gamma}$

$\gamma$  : gluon anomalous dim.



- $T_{11}/T_{00}$  decreases with  $|t|$
- $T_{01}/T_{00}$  increases with  $|t| \leftrightarrow$  SCHC violation increases with  $|t|$
- $T_{10}/T_{00}$  and  $T_{-11}/T_{00}$  are small but some  $|t|$  dependence
- $T_{11}/T_{00}$  decrease compensated by  $T_{01}/T_{00}$  increase



PLAN DE LA BAYE ET DE LA VILLE  
DE RIO JANEIRO

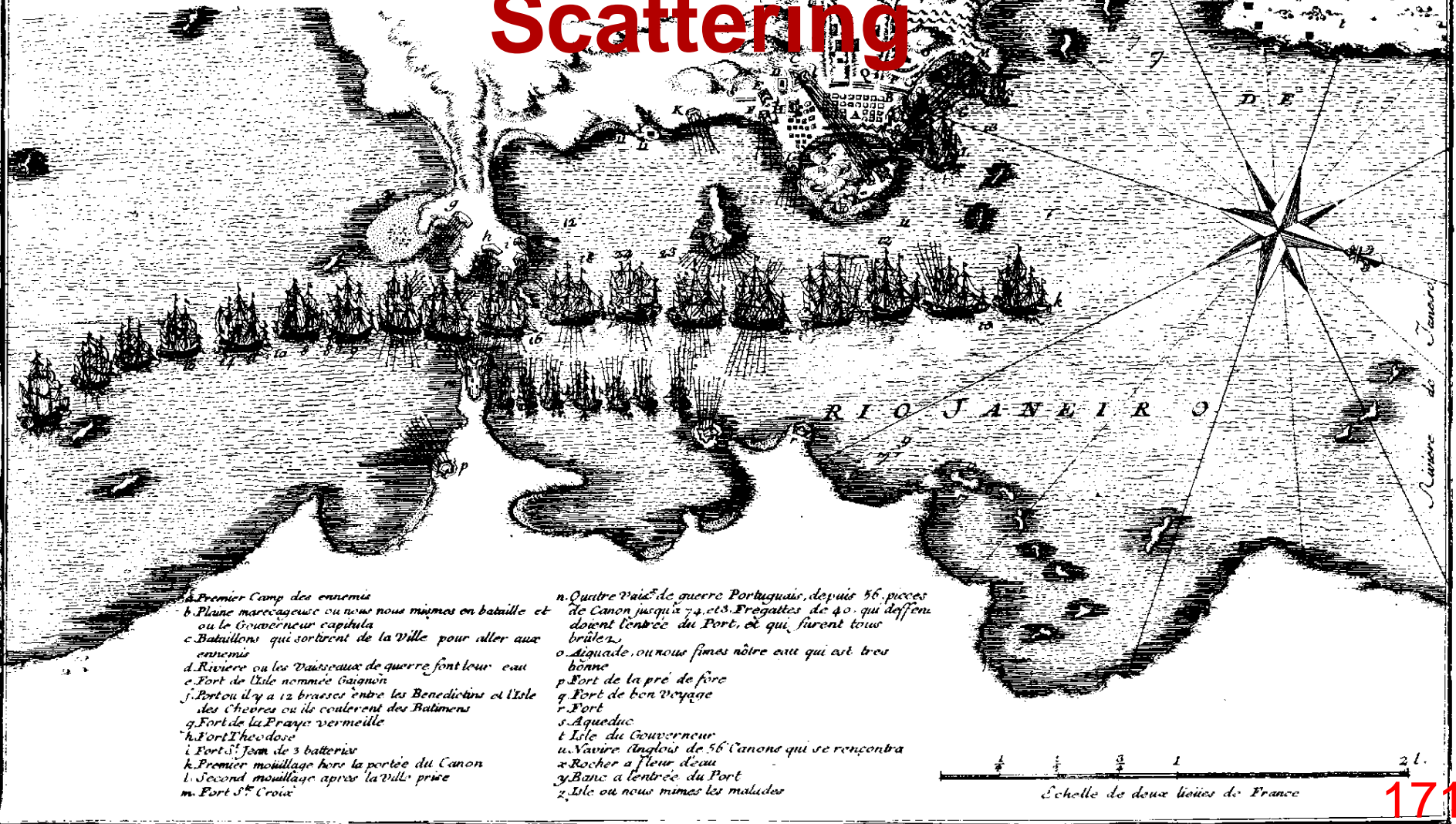
prise par l'Escadre Commandée par M<sup>r</sup>. Duguay Trouin,  
et armée par des particuliers de S<sup>t</sup> Malo en 1711.

Il y avait dans la Baye 35 gros Navires  
marchands qui furent tous pris ou  
brûlés

- A. La Ville et de 18 et 3 Mortiers
- B. Les Benedictins ou il y a un fort K. Batterie imparfaite
- C. Fort S. Sebastien
- D. La vieille Paroisse
- E. Fort S. Jacques
- F. Fort S. Alouxy
- G. Fort de la Misericorde
- H. Les Jesuites
- I. L'Isle de Cabras ou des Chevrres

- Q. Retranchemens au tour de la Ville ou il y a 60 Canons
- R. Second débarquement pour l'at-
- S. Poste qui n'est ni occupé ni
- T. Maison de l'Escadre ou M<sup>r</sup>. Duguay prit son camp
- V. Endroit ou nous fimes la descente
- X. Aquade qu'on appelle la Quarique

# Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering



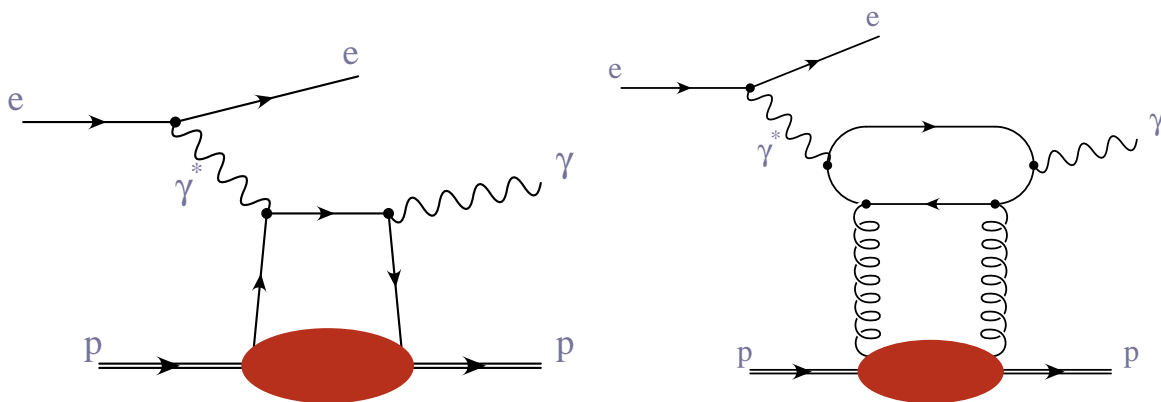
- a. Premier Camp des ennemis
- b. Plaine marécageuse ou nous nous mimes en bataille et ou le Gouverneur capitula
- c. Bataillons qui sortirent de la Ville pour aller aux ennemis
- d. Riviere ou les Vaisseaux de guerre font leur eau
- e. Fort de l'Isle nommée Gaignon
- f. Port ou il y a 12 brasses entre les Benedictins et l'Isle des Chevrres ou ils coulerent des Batimens
- g. Fort de la Praye vermeille
- h. Fort Theodose
- i. Fort S. Jean de 3 batteries
- k. Premier mouillage hors la portée du Canon
- l. Second mouillage apris la Ville prise
- m. Fort S<sup>t</sup> Croix

- n. Quatre Vaic<sup>s</sup> de guerre Portugais, depuis 56. pieces de Canon jusqu'à 74. et 3. Fregattes de 40. qui deffent dont l'entrée du Port, et qui furent tous brûlés.
- o. Aquade, ou nous fimes nôtre eau qui est tres bonne
- p. Port de la pré de fore
- q. Port de bon voyage
- r. Fort
- s. Aqueduc
- t. Isle du Gouverneur
- u. Navire Anglois de 56 Canons qui se rencontra
- x. Rocher a fleur d'eau
- y. Banc a l'entrée du Port
- z. Isle ou nous mimes les malades

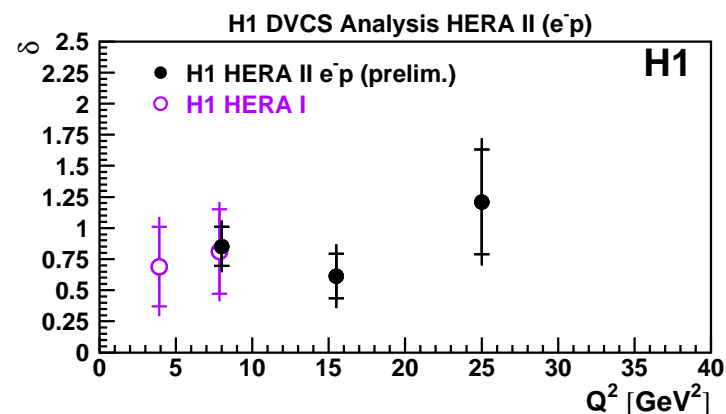
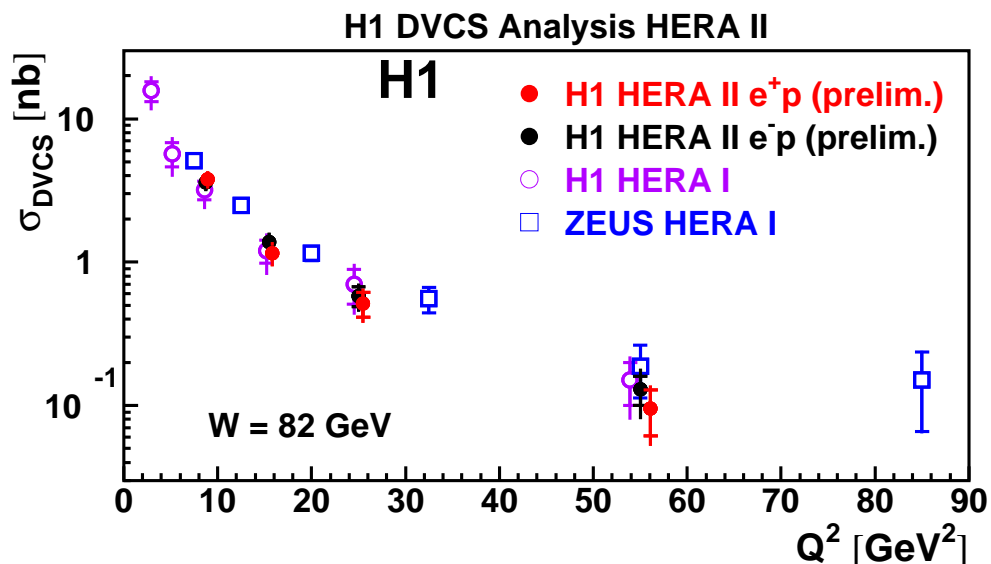
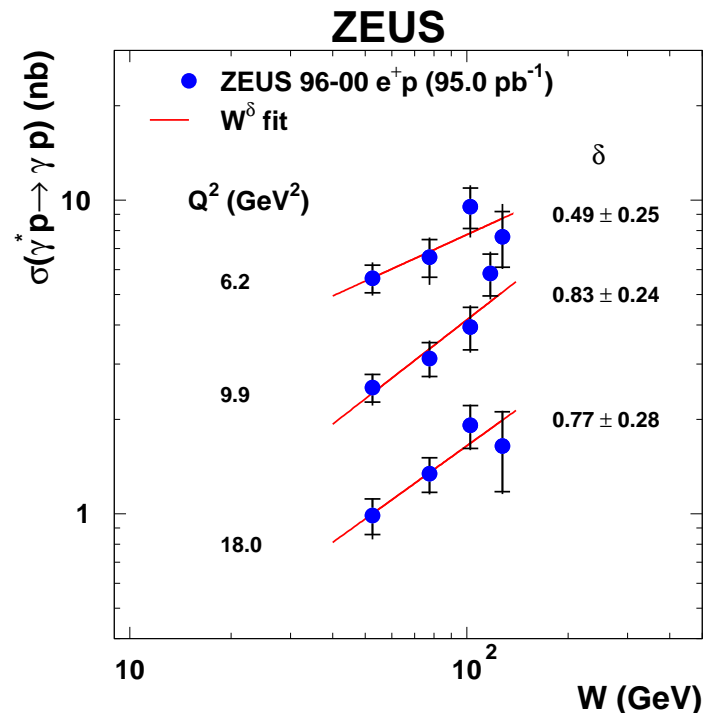
Echelle de deux lieues de France

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# Deep Virtual Compton Scattering



- fully calculable in pQCD
- Access to the full QCD amplitude
- Constrain gluon GPDs



$W$  dependence indicates a hard regime (similar to  $J/\Psi$ )

# DVCS: $t$ slope and Beam Charge Asymmetry

H1 measurement based on 291  $pb^{-1}$  of HERA II data ( $e^+$  and  $e^-$ ).

- $t$  slope as a function of  $Q^2$

$$b(Q^2) = A (1 - B \log(Q^2/2))$$

$A$  and  $B$  fitted to:

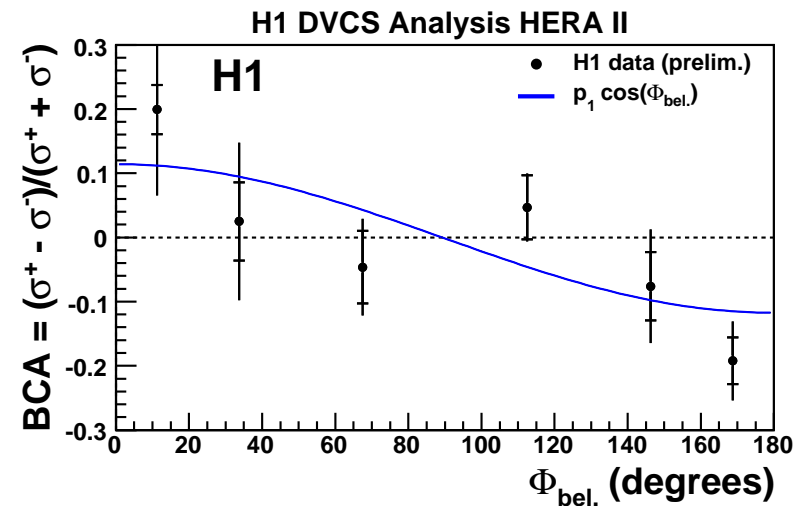
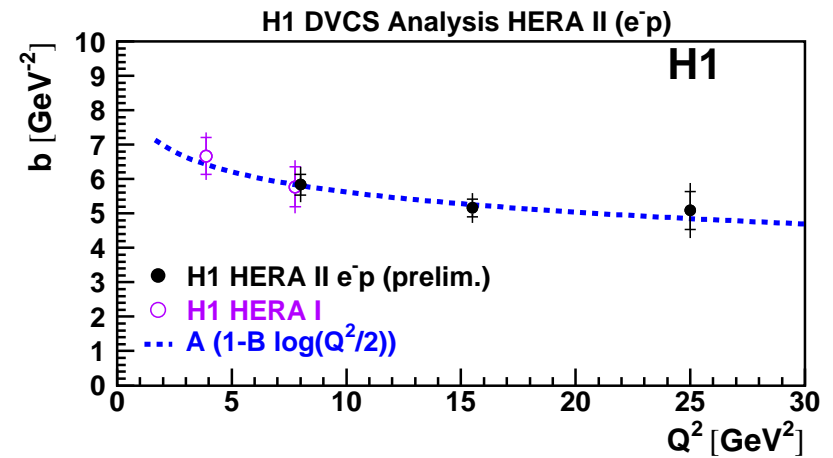
$$A = 6.98 \pm 0.54 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

$$B = 0.12 \pm 0.03.$$

⇒ Similar behaviour with VM using the scale  $Q^2 + M_{VM}^2$

- First DVCS BCA measured at HERA.

$$BCA \equiv \frac{\sigma(e^+p) - \sigma(e^-p)}{\sigma(e^+p) + \sigma(e^-p)} \sim p_1 \cos(\Phi)$$



# DVCS: QCD interpretation

- correct  $Q^2$  dependence of the propagator and of  $b$  in the cross section:

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{DVCS} Q^4 b(Q^2)}{(1 + \rho^2)}}$$

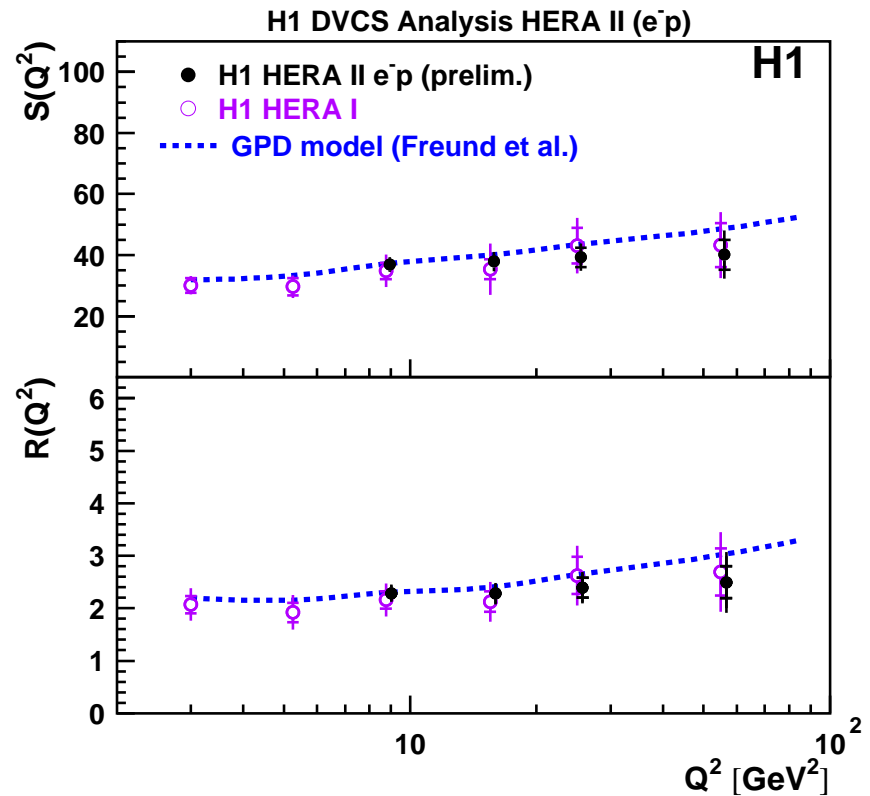
- **skewing** factor: around 2

$$R = \frac{\mathcal{I}m A(\gamma^* p \rightarrow \gamma p)}{\mathcal{I}m A(\gamma^* p \rightarrow \gamma^* p)}$$

$$= \frac{4 \sqrt{\pi \sigma_{DVCS} b(Q^2)}}{\sigma_T(\gamma^* p \rightarrow X) \sqrt{(1 + \rho^2)}}$$

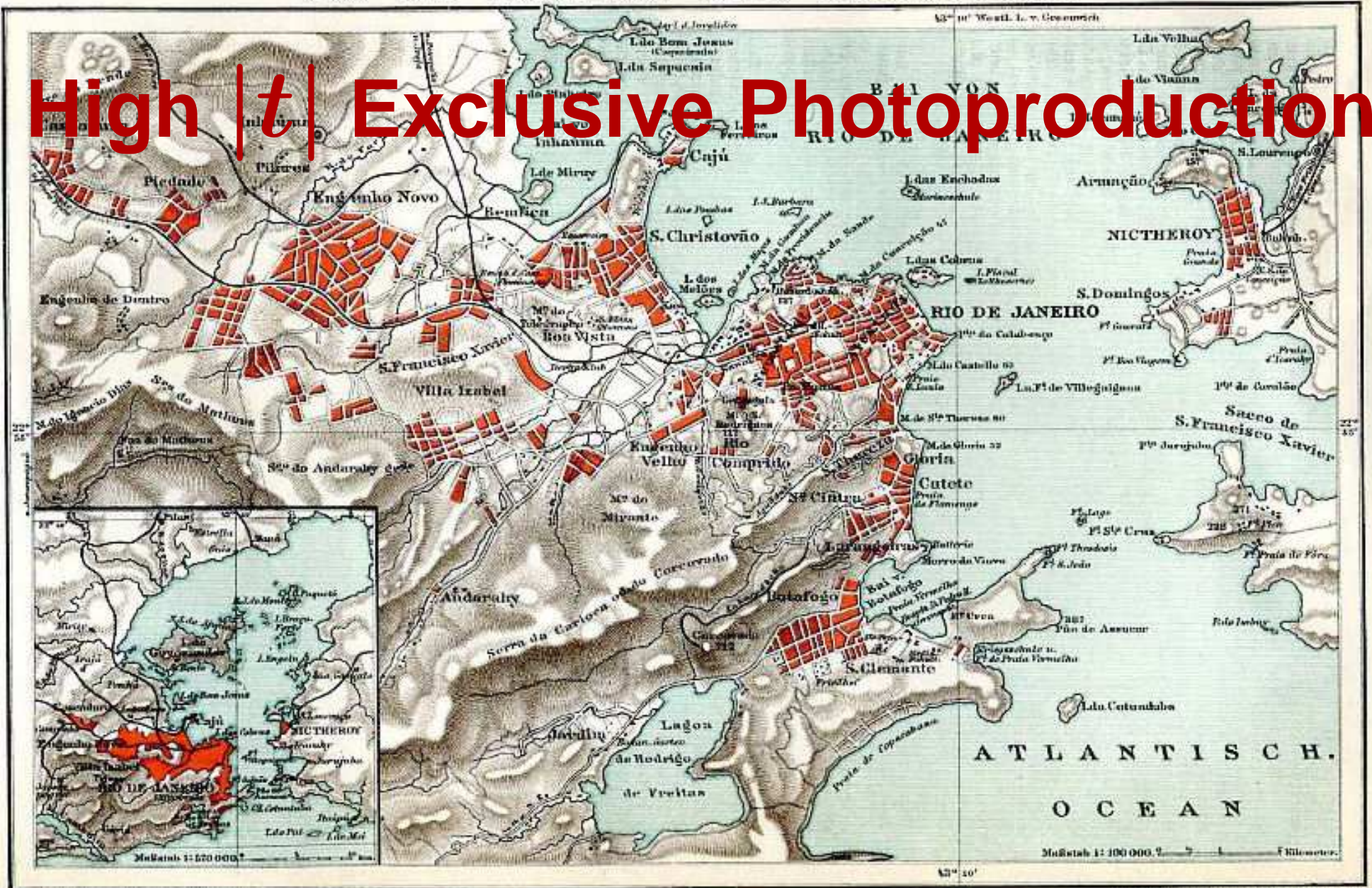
⇒ important skewing factor

⇒  $Q^2$  evolution close to the one of DIS (pure DGLAP)



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High |t| Exclusive Photoproduction



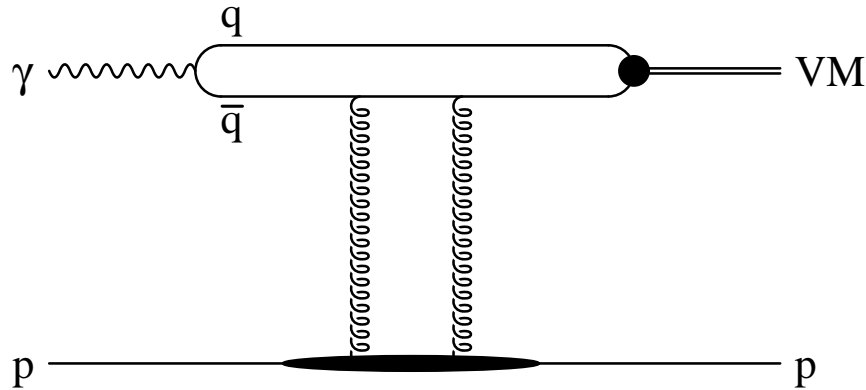
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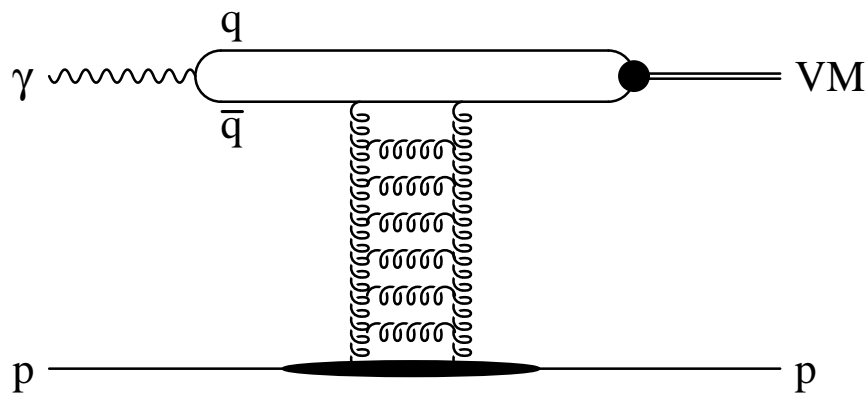
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# High $|t|$ Exclusive Photoproduction: Introduction

LO: 2 gluon exchange



LLA: Gluon ladder



DGLAP Evolution ( $|t| < M_{VM}^2$ ):

**Strong**  $k_T$  ordering along ladder

$$\rightarrow d\sigma/dt \sim e^{bt}$$

$\rightarrow$  No increase of  $d\sigma/dt$  with  $W$

BFKL Evolution ( $|t| > M_{VM}^2$ ):

- $p_T$  fully transferred from  $p$  to  $q\bar{q}$

- high  $W \rightarrow$  small  $x_{Bj}$

**No**  $k_T$  ordering in ladder

$$\rightarrow d\sigma/dt \sim |t|^{-n}; n = 3 - 4$$

$\rightarrow$  Increase of  $d\sigma/dt$  with  $W$

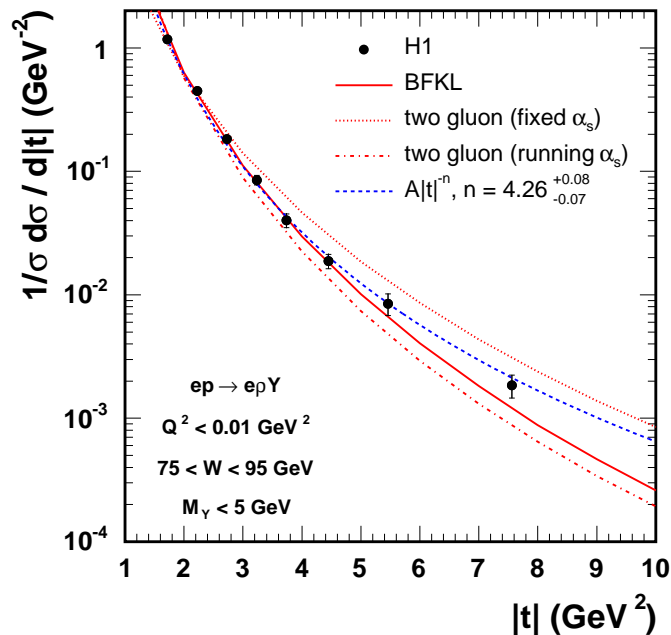
$\rightarrow$  Little shrinkage

$\rightarrow$  VM: SCHC expected

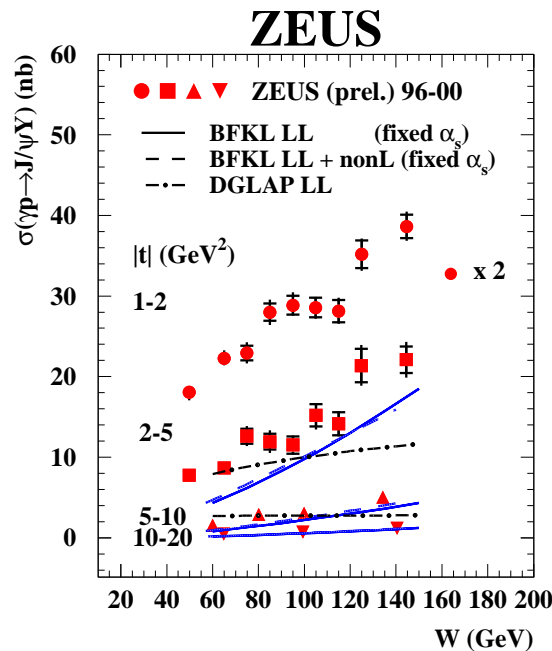
Models: Forshaw et al.

# High $|t|$ : Vector Meson Cross-Sections

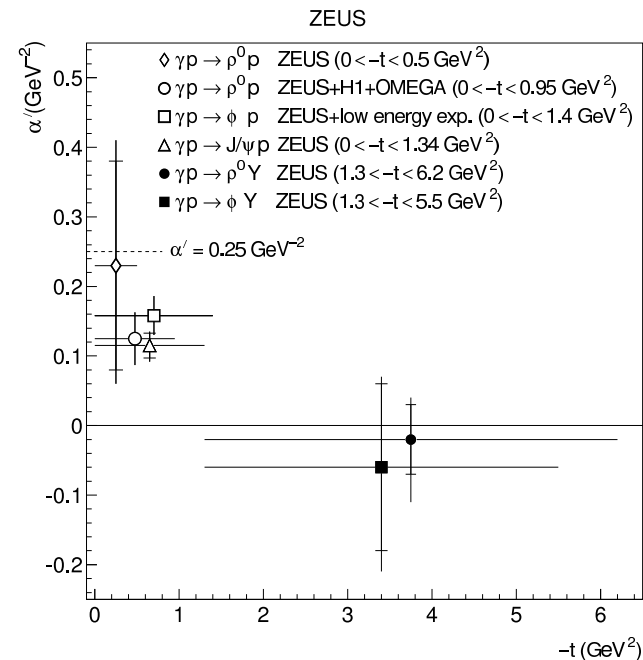
$\rho$  vs  $t$



$J/\psi$  vs  $W$



$\alpha'$  vs  $t$



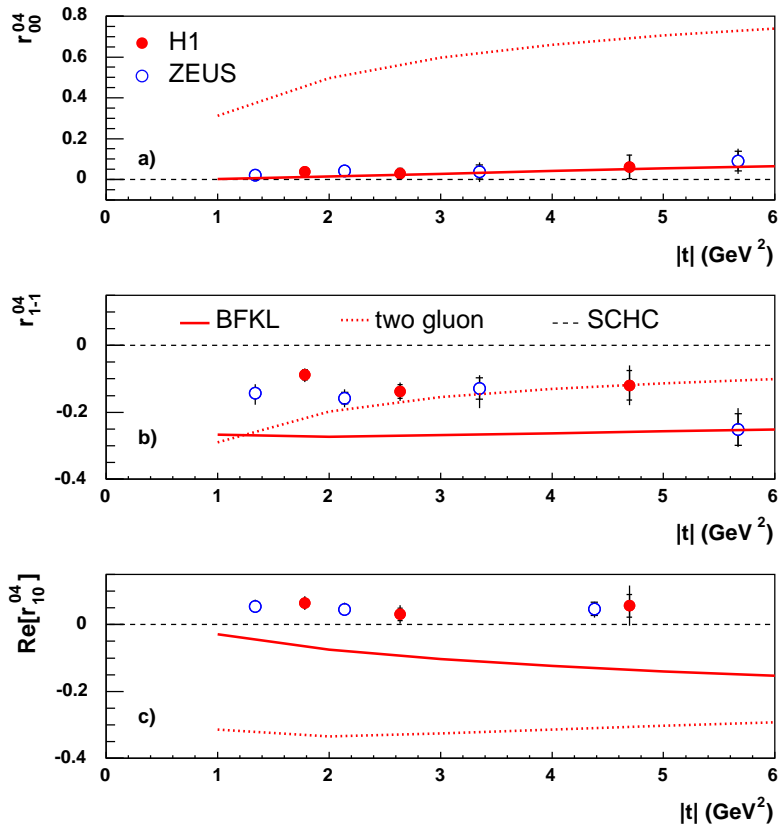
- Data follow  $|t|^{-n}$
- BFKL describes data
- 2-gluon (DGLAP-like) fails

- Hardening of  $W$  depend. with  $|t|$
- BFKL reproduces rise with  $W$
- DGLAP fails at high  $|t|$

- $\alpha'$  decreases with  $|t|$
- No shrinkage as expected for BFKL

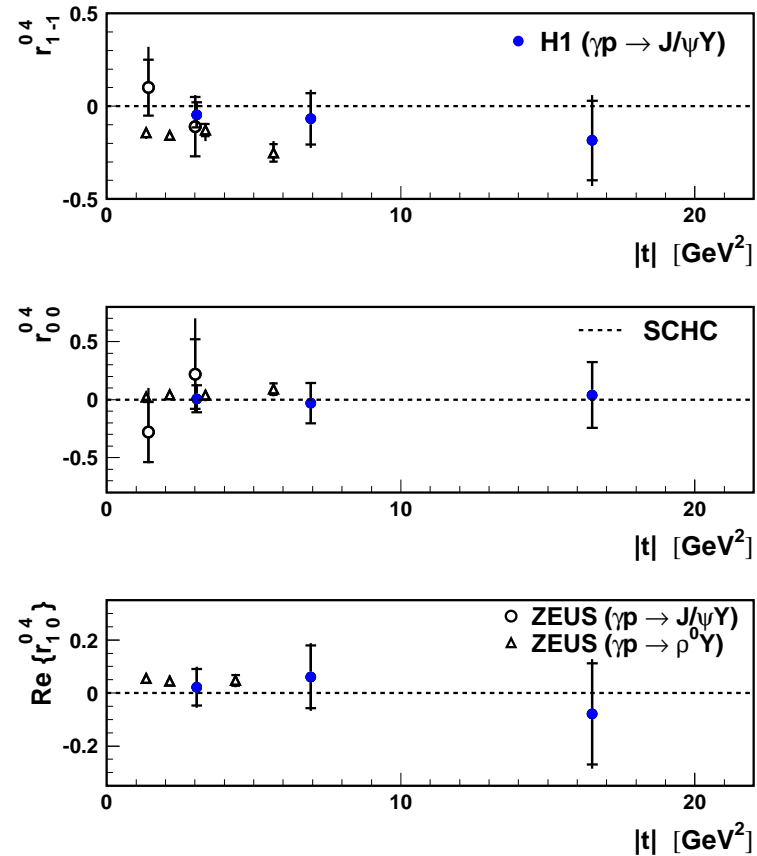
# High $|t|$ : Vector Meson Polarisation

$\rho$



- $\rho$  data: SCHC violation for  $r_{1-1}^{04}$  and  $\text{Re}[r_{10}^{04}]$
- Two-gluon and BFKL models are unable to describe data

$J/\psi$

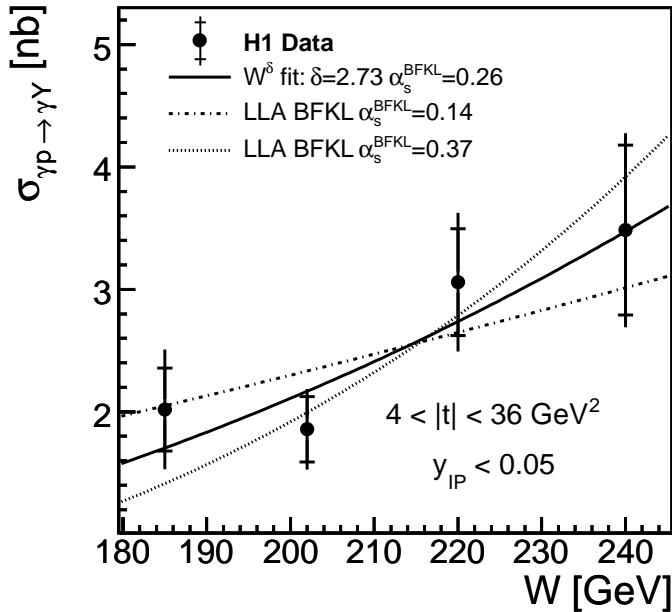


- $J/\psi$  data: SCHC holds
- non-relativistic WF is OK  
i.e. equal long. momentum sharing between  $q$  and  $\bar{q}$

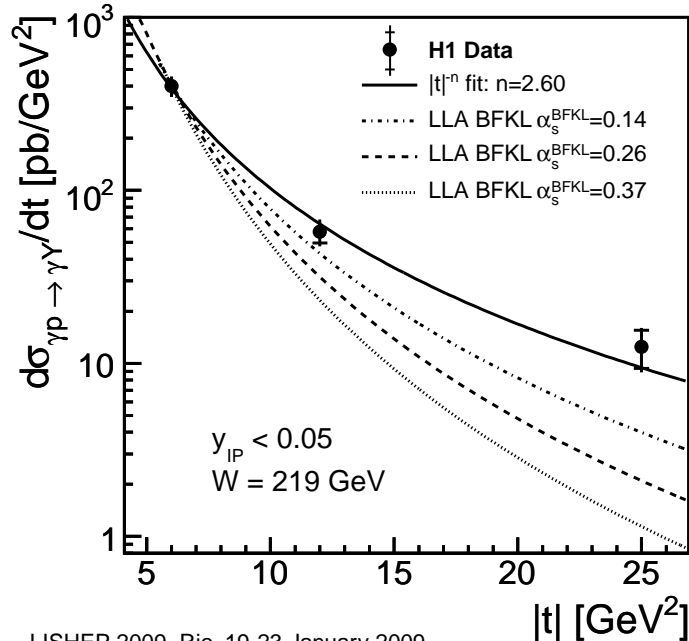


# High $|t|$ : Diffractive High $P_T$ Photons

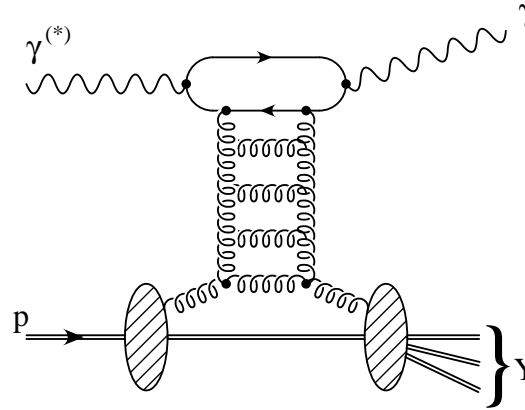
H1 Diffractive Scattering of  $\gamma$  at large  $|t|$



H1 Diffractive Scattering of  $\gamma$  at large  $|t|$



## First measurement of high $P_T$ photons



H1 99-00 Data:  $46 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

$$Q^2 < 0.01 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$175 < W < 247 \text{ GeV}$$

$$4 < |t| < 36 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$y_P \simeq e^{-\Delta\eta} < 0.05$$

$$E_\gamma > 8 \text{ GeV}$$

## Strong $W$ dependence:

- $W^\delta$  fit  $\rightarrow \delta = 2.73 \pm 1.02^{+0.56}_{-0.78}$   
 $\rightarrow \alpha_s^{\text{BFKL}} = 0.26 \pm 0.10^{+0.05}_{-0.07} \ll J/\psi: \alpha_s \sim 0.18$
- LLA BFKL (with  $\alpha_s = 0.26$ ) prediction describe the  $W$  dependence

## $t$ dependence:

- $|t|^{-n}$  fit  $\rightarrow n = 2.60 \pm 0.19^{+0.03}_{-0.08}$
- LLA BFKL too steep for  $t$  dependence

# CONCLUSIONS

Important progresses in precision of VM measurements and understanding of the underlying dynamics for  $\rho$ ,  $\phi$ ,  $J/\psi$  and  $\Upsilon$ :

- Transition from soft to hard regime around  $\mu^2 = \frac{Q^2 + M^2}{4} = 5 \text{ GeV}^2$ .  
observed in measurements of  $\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(0)$  and  $b$ -slopes.
- Possible soft component in  $\sigma_L$  up to "high"  $Q^2$  for light VM.
- Shrinkage:  $\alpha'_{\mathbb{P}}$  smaller than 0.25 for all VM.
- Polarisation properties measured as a function of  $Q^2$  and  $|t|$ :
  - polarised cross-section and amplitude ratios have been extracted
  - $\sigma_L/\sigma_T$  increases with  $Q^2$  and decreases with  $\rho$  invariant mass
  - significant violation of SCHC for light VM, effect increasing with  $|t|$

- DVCS:**
- $W$  dependence indicates hard regime
  - Significant skewing factor measured  $\rightarrow$  GPD
  - First Beam Charge Assymetry measured

- High  $|t|$ :**
- High  $|t|$  VM data are showing BFKL like behaviours
  - High  $P_T$  photons measurement roughly agree with BFKL