

DIS 2009

XVII International Workshop on Deep-Inelastic Scattering and Related Subjects

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Welcome

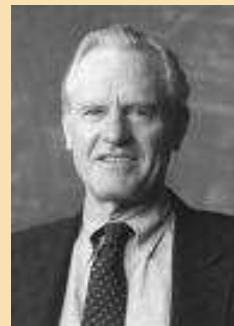
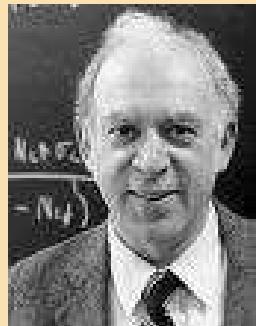
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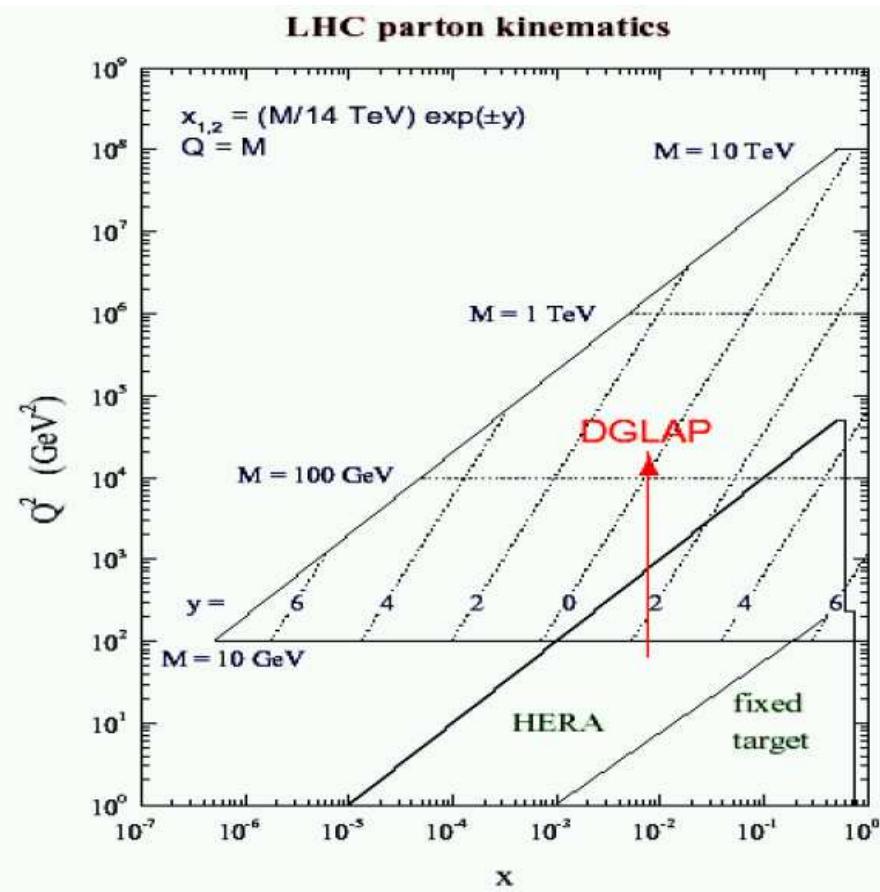
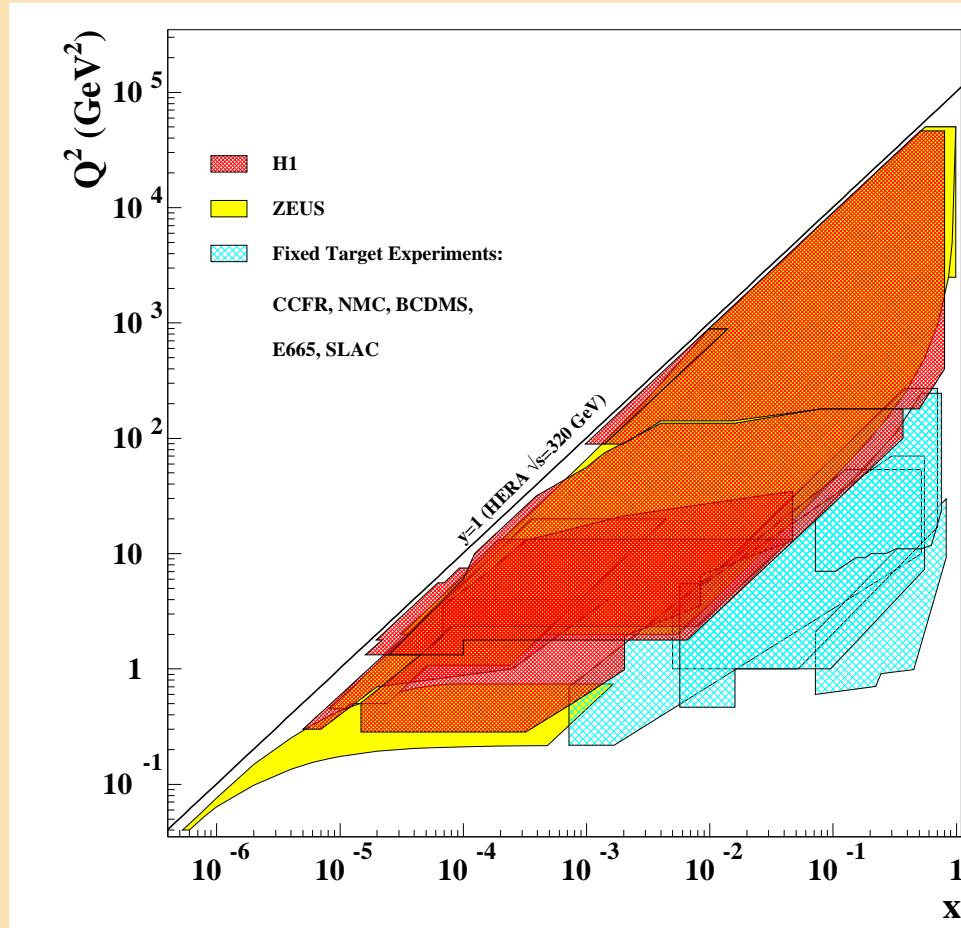
Deep inelastic scattering

- XVII International Workshop on Deep-Inelastic Scattering and Related Subjects
→ 2009: 40th anniversary of the SLAC-MIT experiment (1969)
- First deep-inelastic scattering experiment:
 - observation of scaling at medium x
 - first confirmation of point-like constituents within the proton
 - first models to explain structure of proton: Bjorken and Feynman
 - Nobel prize to experimentalists Friedman, Kendall and Taylor



Present and future of DIS

- Since 1969, DIS data from HERA and fixed-target experiments provided a wealth of knowledge on the structure of the proton



- Well in the way to have the precision needed to understand LHC physics

Physics sessions

- **Introductory plenary sessions:**
→ today until 7pm in Auditorium
- **Parallel sessions:**
→ Monday from 9am till 7pm
→ Tuesday from 9am till 7pm
→ Wednesday from 9am till 1pm
→ detailed agenda and rooms provided in welcome pack
- **Thursday from 9am till 6.45pm in Auditorium:**
→ Working-group summaries
→ Conference summary
→ Final remarks and closing of the conference

Social events

- Welcome reception:
→ today at 7pm in the Foyer of the First Floor
- Conference dinner:
→ Tuesday at 9pm in "Restaurant Pedro Larumbe"
→ After-dinner speech: David Saxon
"Yesterday's sensation: tomorrow's calibration"
- Visit to the Prado Museum:
→ Wednesday starting 4pm, organised in 12 groups
→ please, arrive 15 minutes before the starting time of your group
- Conference photo:
→ Monday at 1.15pm
→ please, gather in the main entrance after sessions finish
- See welcome pack for more detailed information

Further information

- **Coffee breaks:**
→ Foyer of the First Floor
- **Lunches:**
→ not provided; list of nearby restaurants in welcome pack
- **Speakers room:**
→ five rooms are for speakers and attendants to the conference to use:
→ Sala Anticis in Second Floor
- **Wireless:**
→ available in the Auditorium, parallel-session rooms and in Sala Anticis



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