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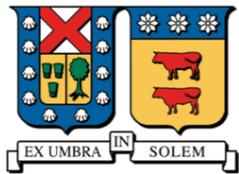
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## Pion multiplicities from CLAS at Jefferson Lab

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# QCD and Hadronization

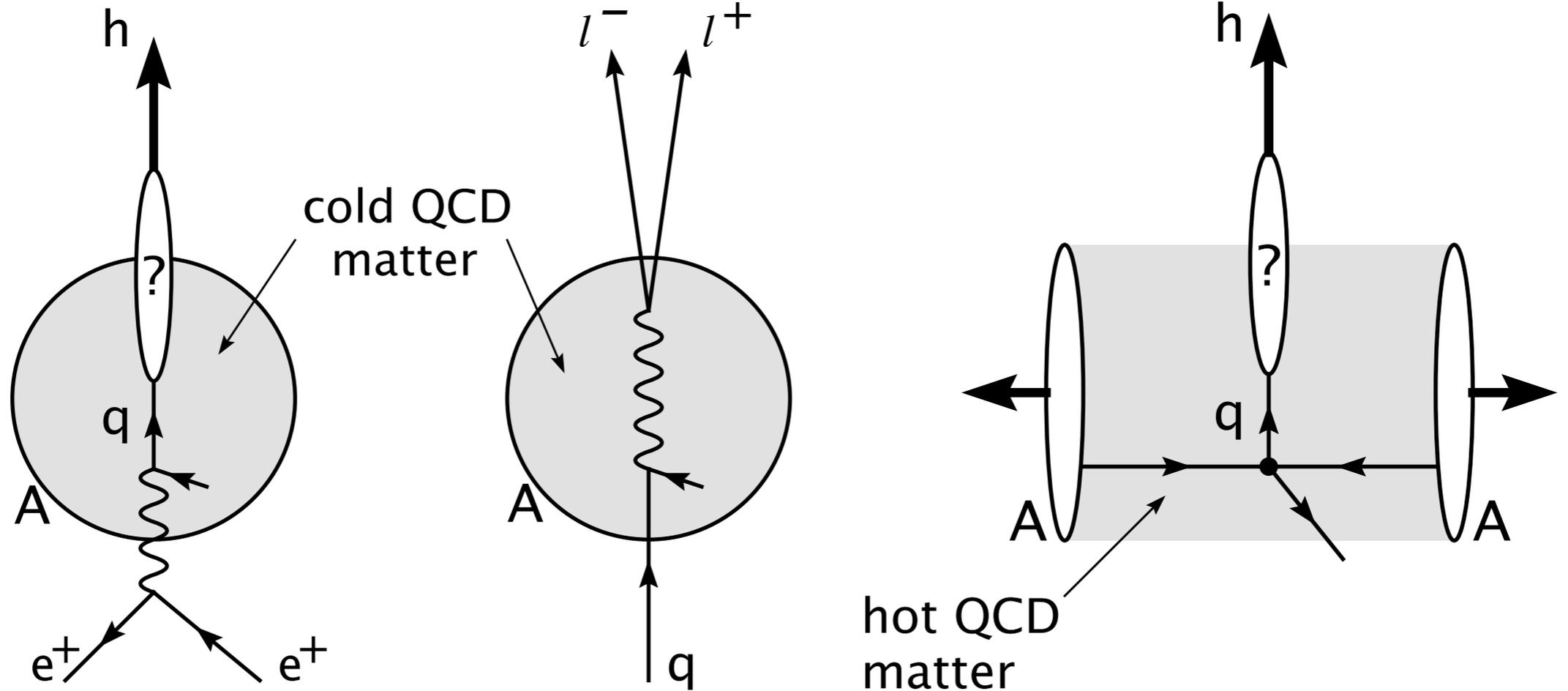
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How all the color from initial parton is neutralized into colorless hadrons?  
>> Dynamical enforcement of confinement <<

**Goal:** study dynamics of parton propagation in QCD  
explore hadron formation mechanisms  
characteristic timescales of these processes

**How:** embed the process in nuclei with known properties  
and use the nuclei of varying size as a spatial ruler

# Parton propagation in three processes



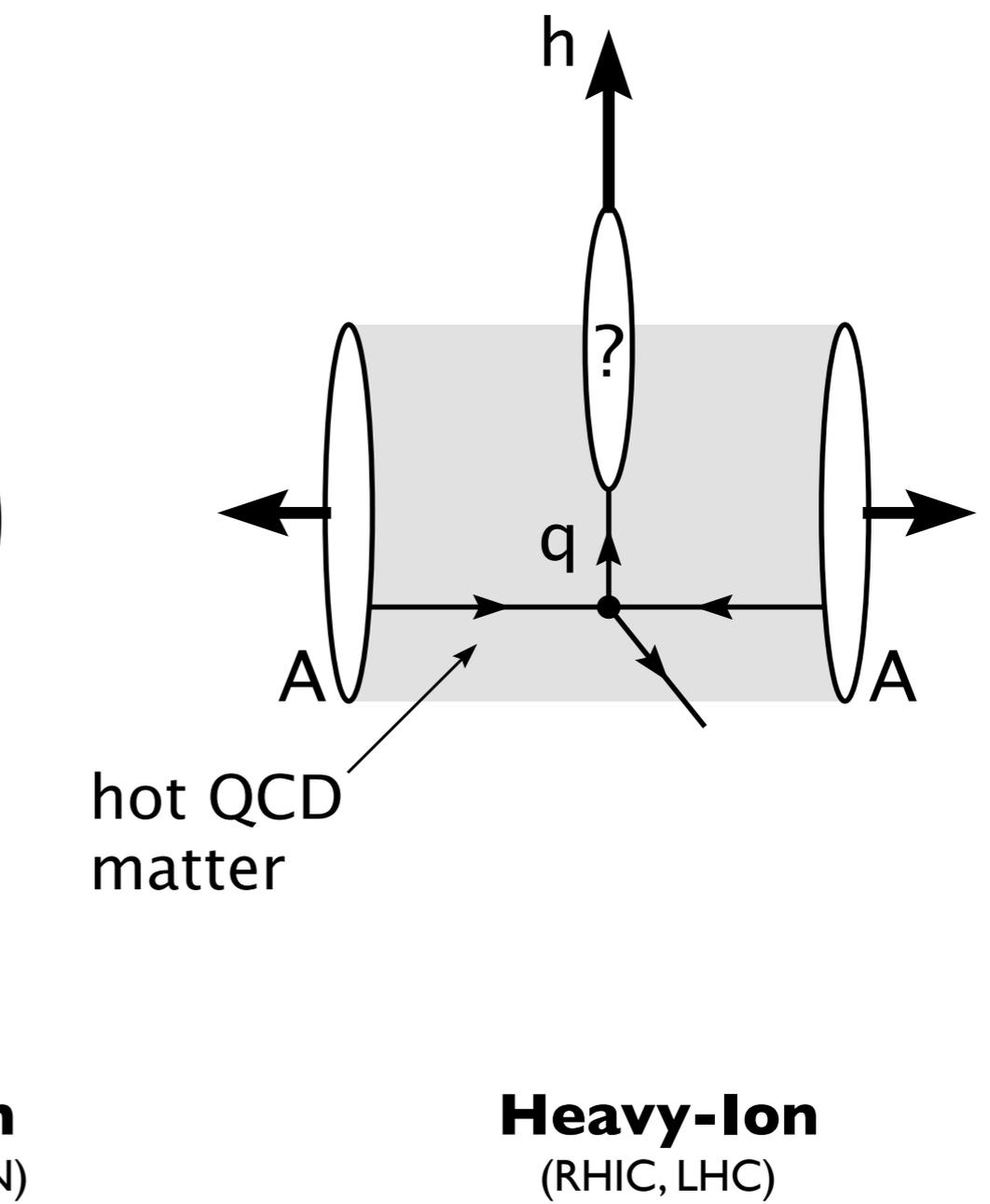
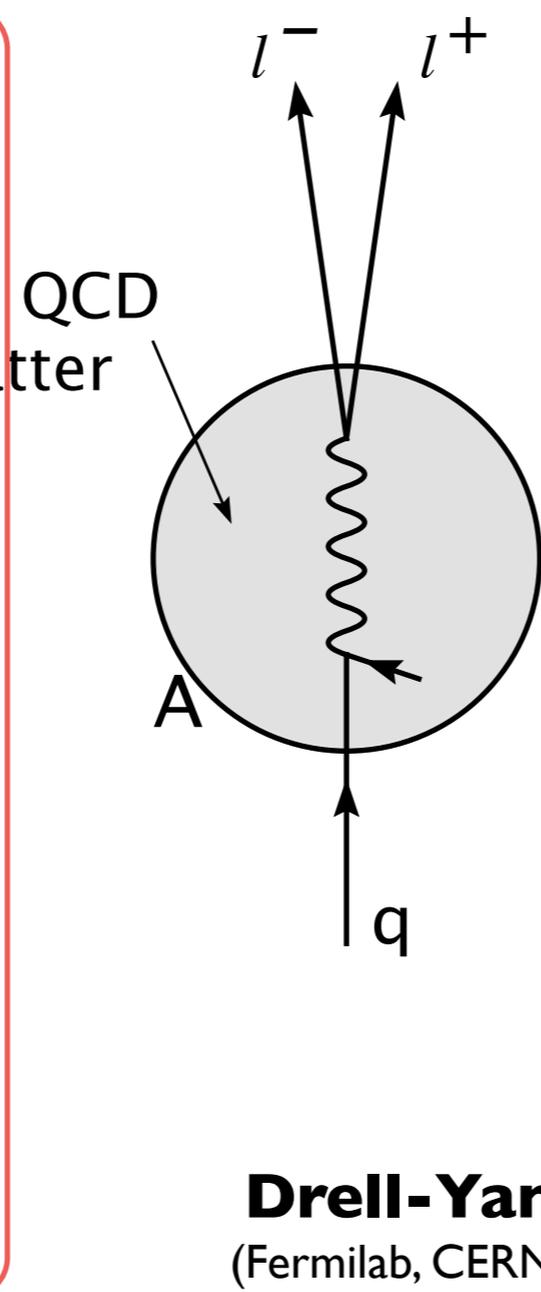
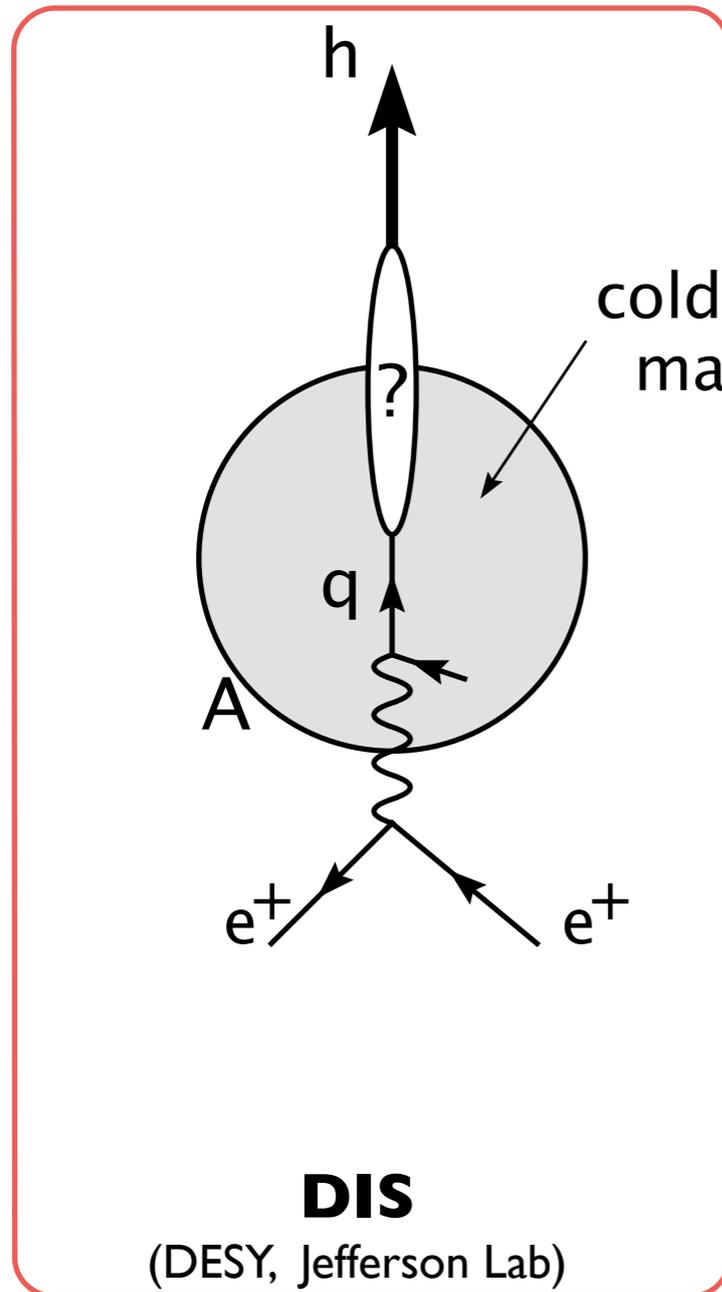
**DIS**  
(DESY, Jefferson Lab)

**Drell-Yan**  
(Fermilab, CERN)

**Heavy-Ion**  
(RHIC, LHC)

Accardi, Arleo, Brooks, d'Enterria, Muccifora Riv.Nuovo Cim.032:439553,2010 [arXiv:0907.3534]

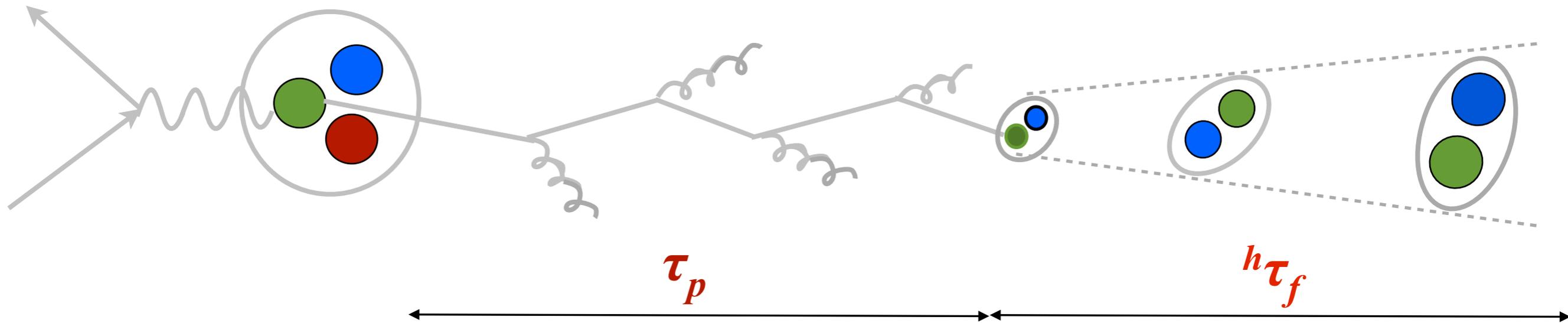
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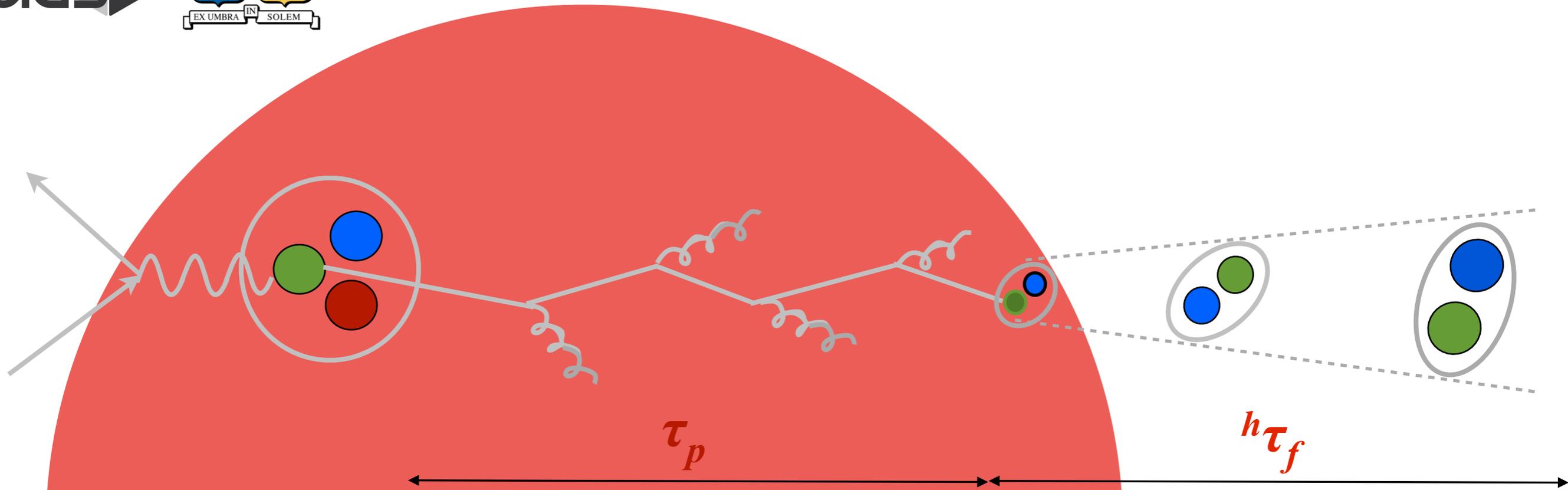
# Deep Inelastic Scattering: vacuum

Hadronization is the process by which energetic  $q$  and  $g$  evolve into hadrons



- **Quark propagation  $\tau_p$** : in hard hadronic processes, energetic partons can be temporarily liberated from hadrons; distribution of the color charge over an extended volume.
- **Hadron formation  $h\tau_f$** : color charge is neutralized into color singlet hadrons.

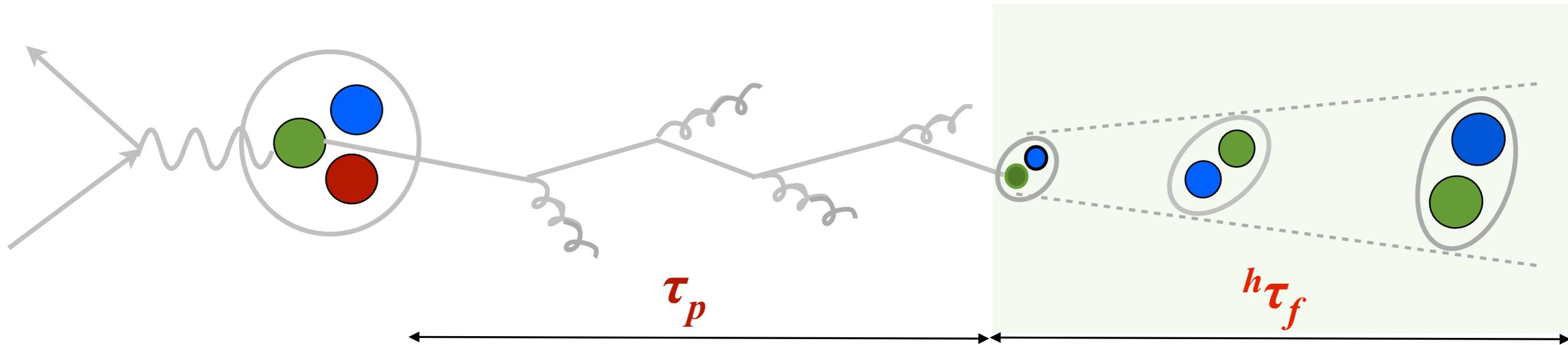
# Deep Inelastic Scattering: medium



Nuclear medium acts as a ruler

- partonic multiple scattering
- medium-stimulated gluon emission
- quark energy loss
- additional prehadron interaction

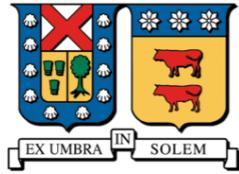
# Observable: hadronic multiplicity ratio



Connects to hadronic phase:

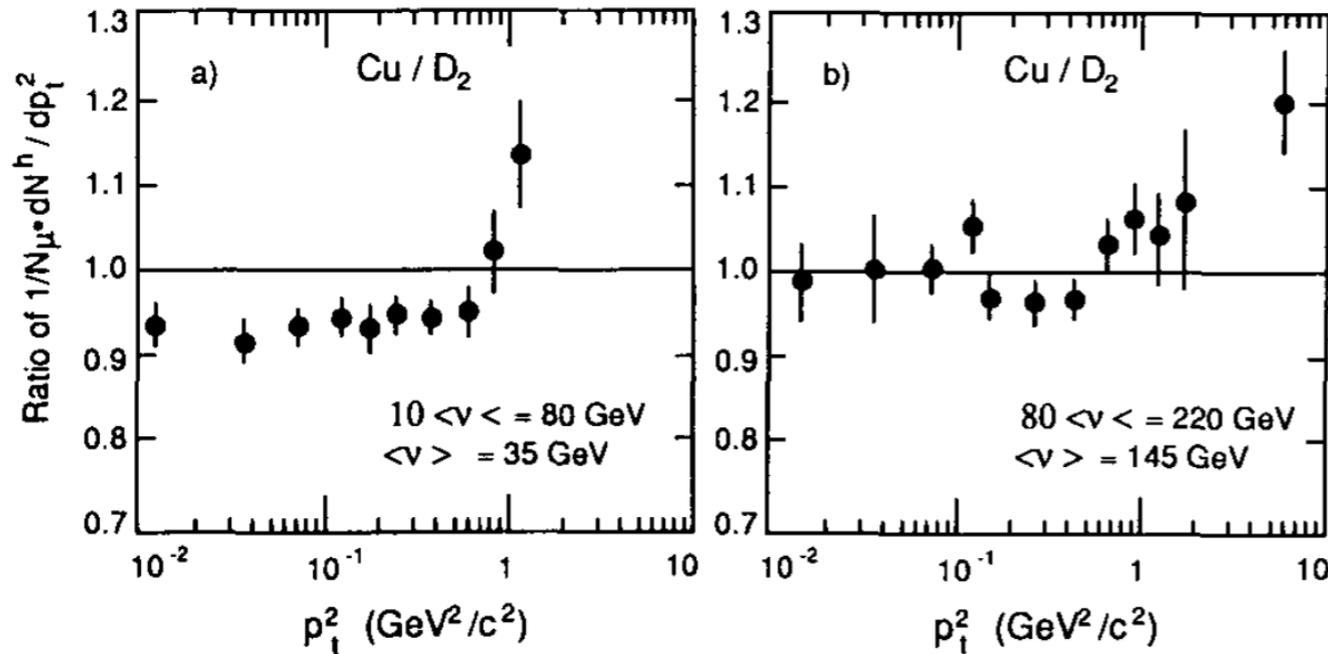
- how long it takes to form full hadron?
- space-time description of hadronization

$$R_A^h(\nu, Q^2, z, p_T) = \frac{N_h(\nu, Q^2, z, p_T) \Big|_{\text{DIS}} \Big|_A}{N_e(\nu, Q^2) \Big|_{\text{DIS}} \Big|_D}$$



# Early results

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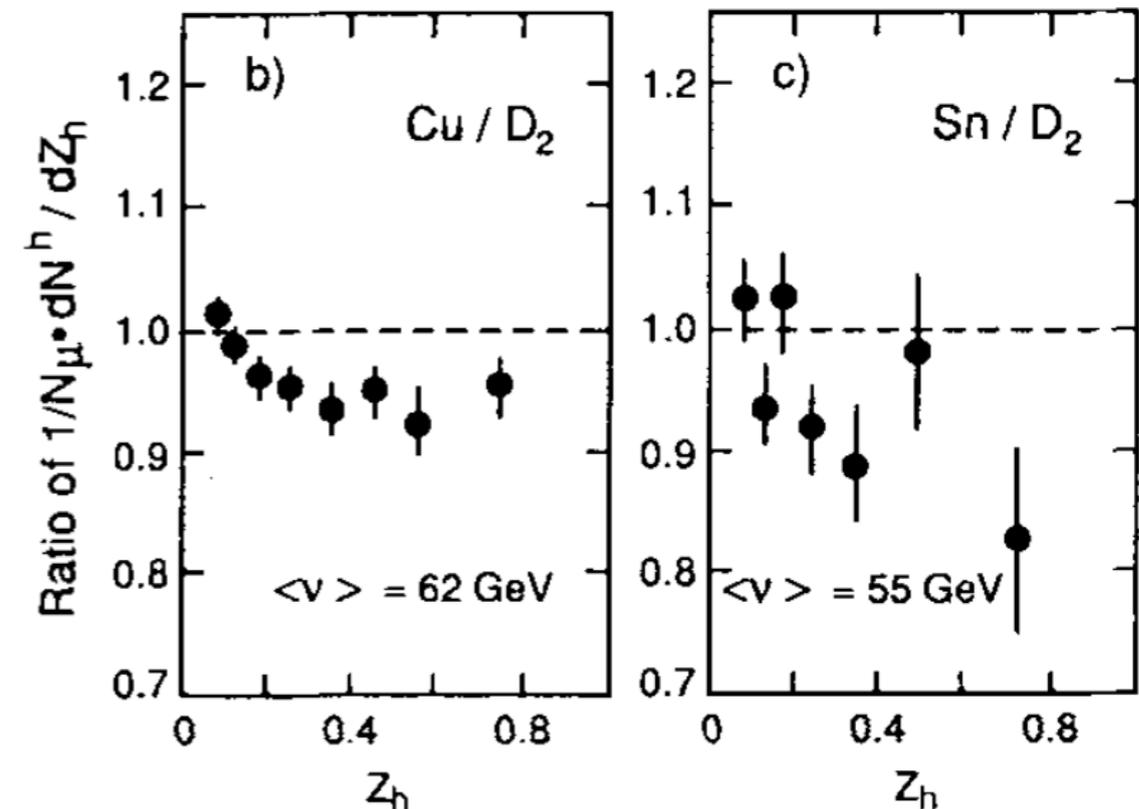
J. Ashman *et al.* Comparison of forward hadrons produced in muon interactions on nuclear targets and deuterium. *Z.Phys.*, vol. C52 (1991)

- Increase of multiplicity ratio at high  $p_T^2$
- Attenuation at high  $z$

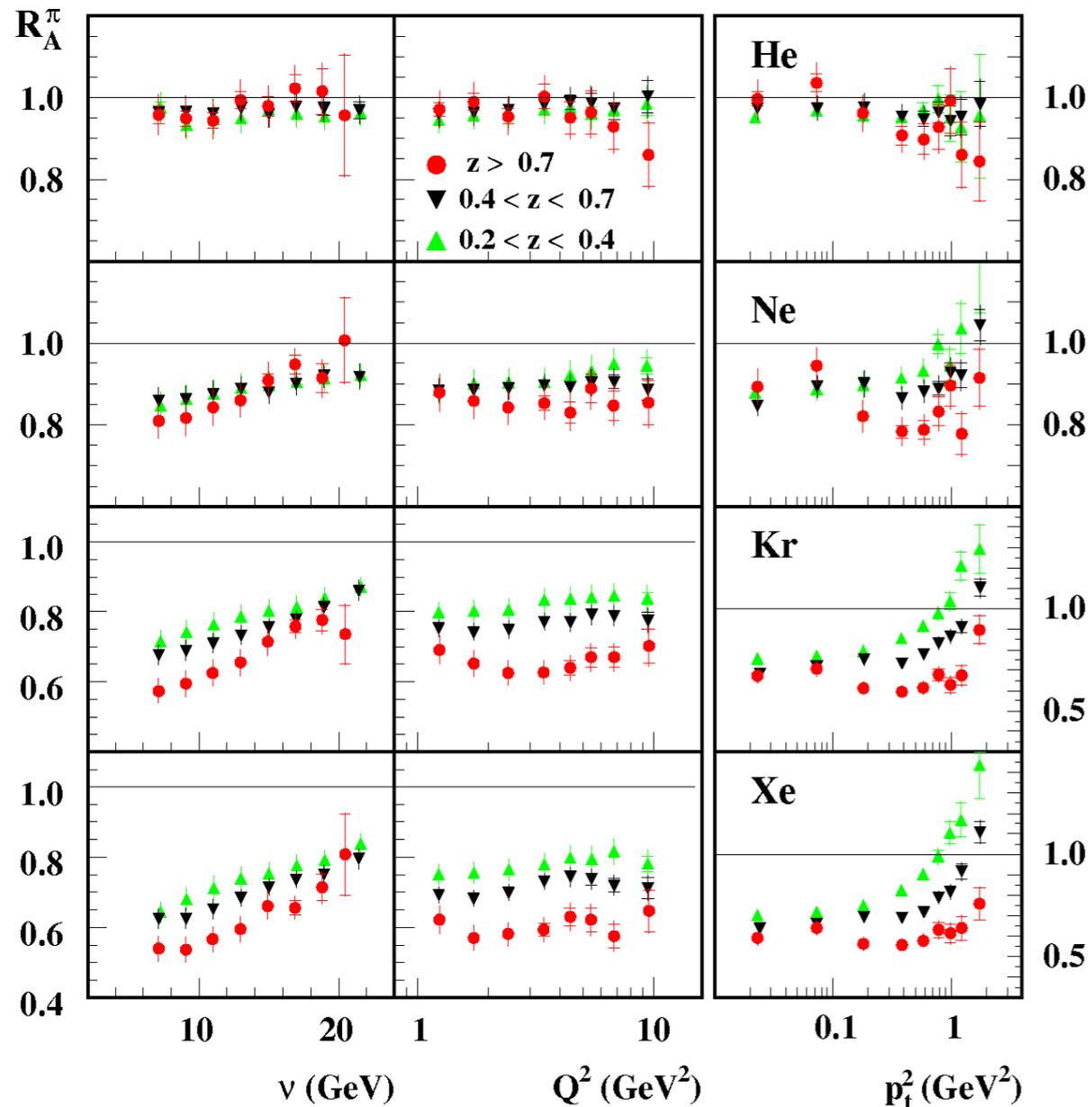
## Hadronization data from the EMC

Muon beam: 100 to 280 GeV

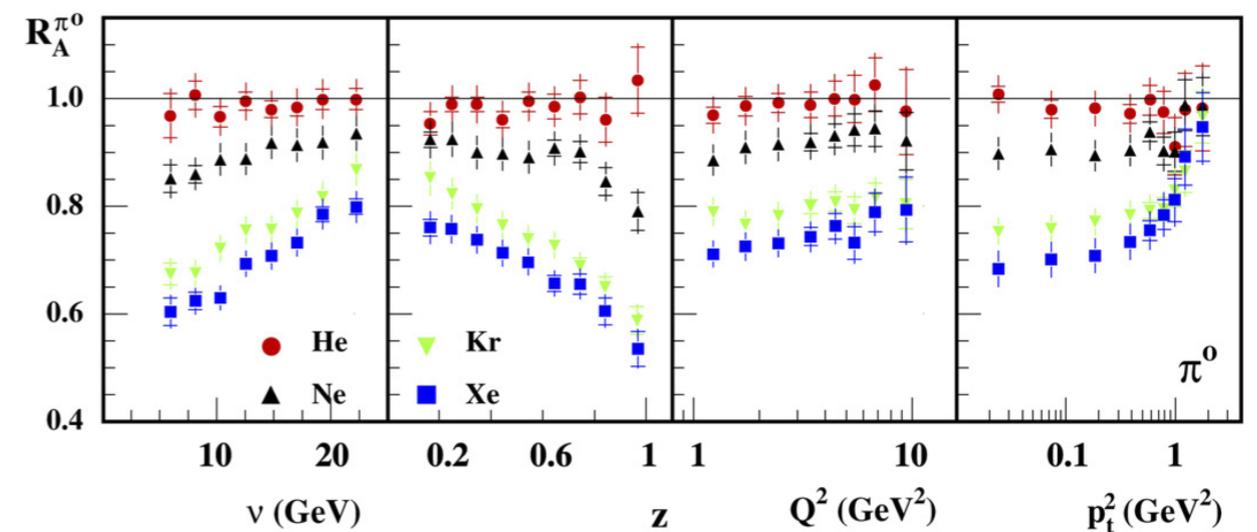
Targets: D, C, Cu, Sn



Multiplicity ratios for charged pions in various  $z$  bins



Multiplicity ratios for neutral pions in  $v, z, Q^2, p_T^2$  bins

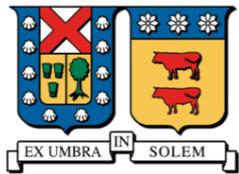


Electron beam: 27 GeV  
Targets: He, Ne, Kr, Xe

- $\pi^\pm, \pi^0, K^\pm, p, \bar{p}$  multiplicities
- 2D multiplicities for  $\pi^\pm$
- 1D multiplicities for  $\pi^0$

A. Airapetian *et al.* *Hadronization in semi-inclusive deep inelastic scattering on nuclei.* Nucl.Phys., vol. B780 (2007)

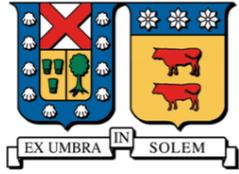
Quantitative agreement with EMC results



# Glimpse on available models

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Falter <i>et al.</i> (GiBUU)	[Falter 2004] [Gallmeister 2005] [Gallmeister 2008]	Pure hadron/prehadron absorption	Extensive comparison with HERMES & EMC	None
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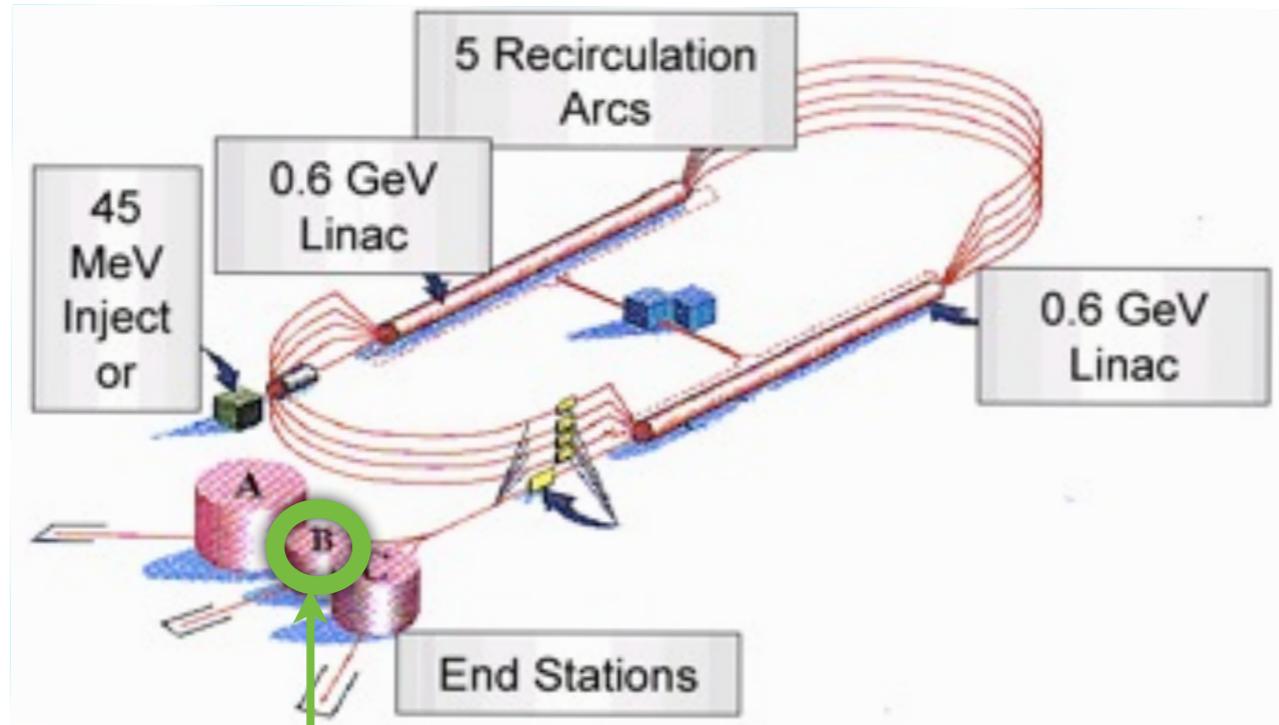
## Need higher precision data!



# Experiment

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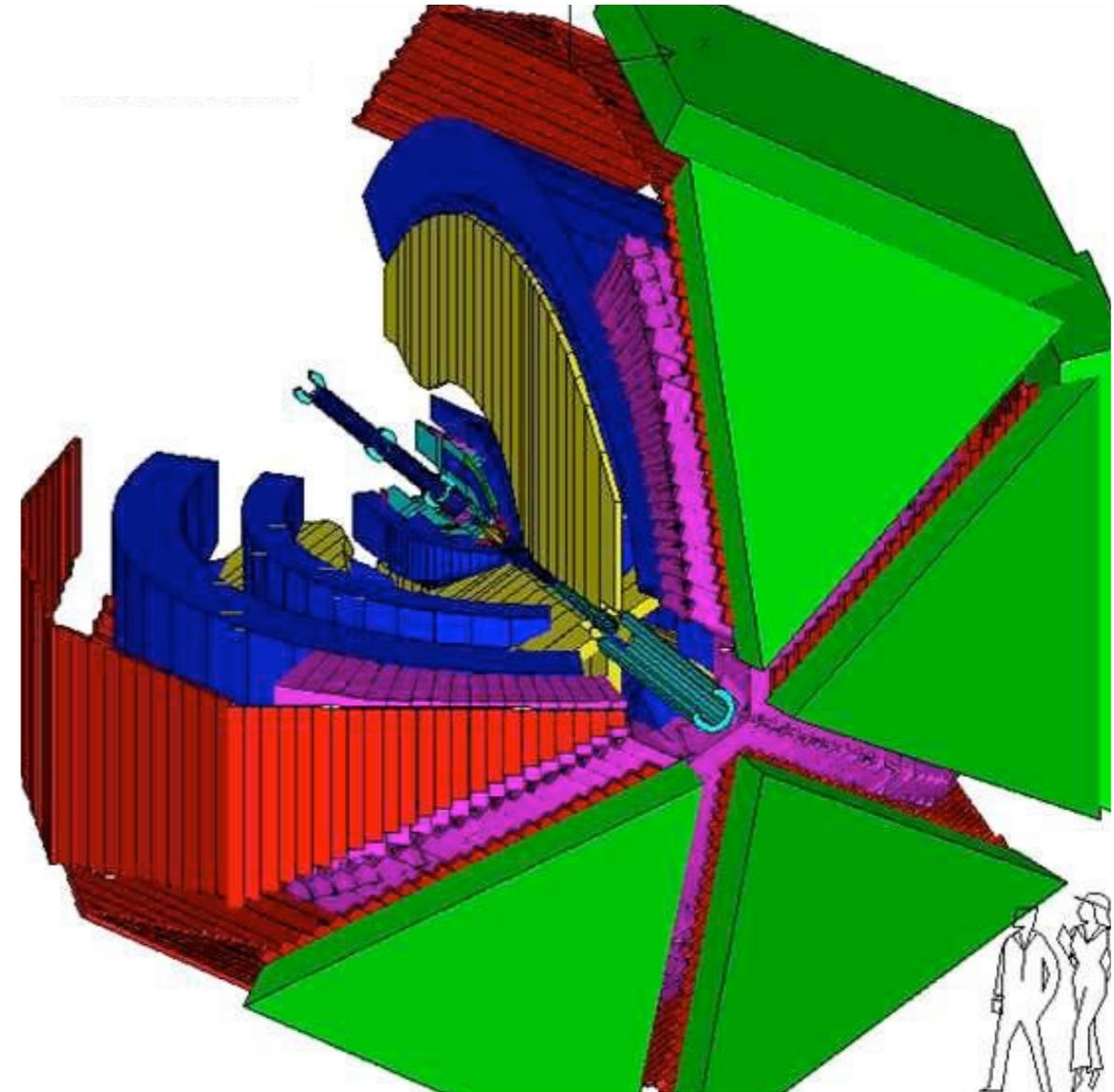
# CEBAF and CLAS @ 6 GEV



Hall B CLAS

CLAS EG2 experimental conditions:

- Electron beam 5.014 GeV
- Targets  $^2\text{H}$ ,  $^{12}\text{C}$ ,  $^{56}\text{Fe}$ ,  $^{207}\text{Pb}$  (Al, Sn)
- Luminosity  $2 \cdot 10^{34} \text{ 1}/(\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$



N. A. Mecking *et al.*, *The CEBAF large acceptance spectrometer (CLAS)*, Nucl. Inst. and Meth. A 503, 513 (2003).

# State of the art radiative corrections for the processes on *nuclear targets*

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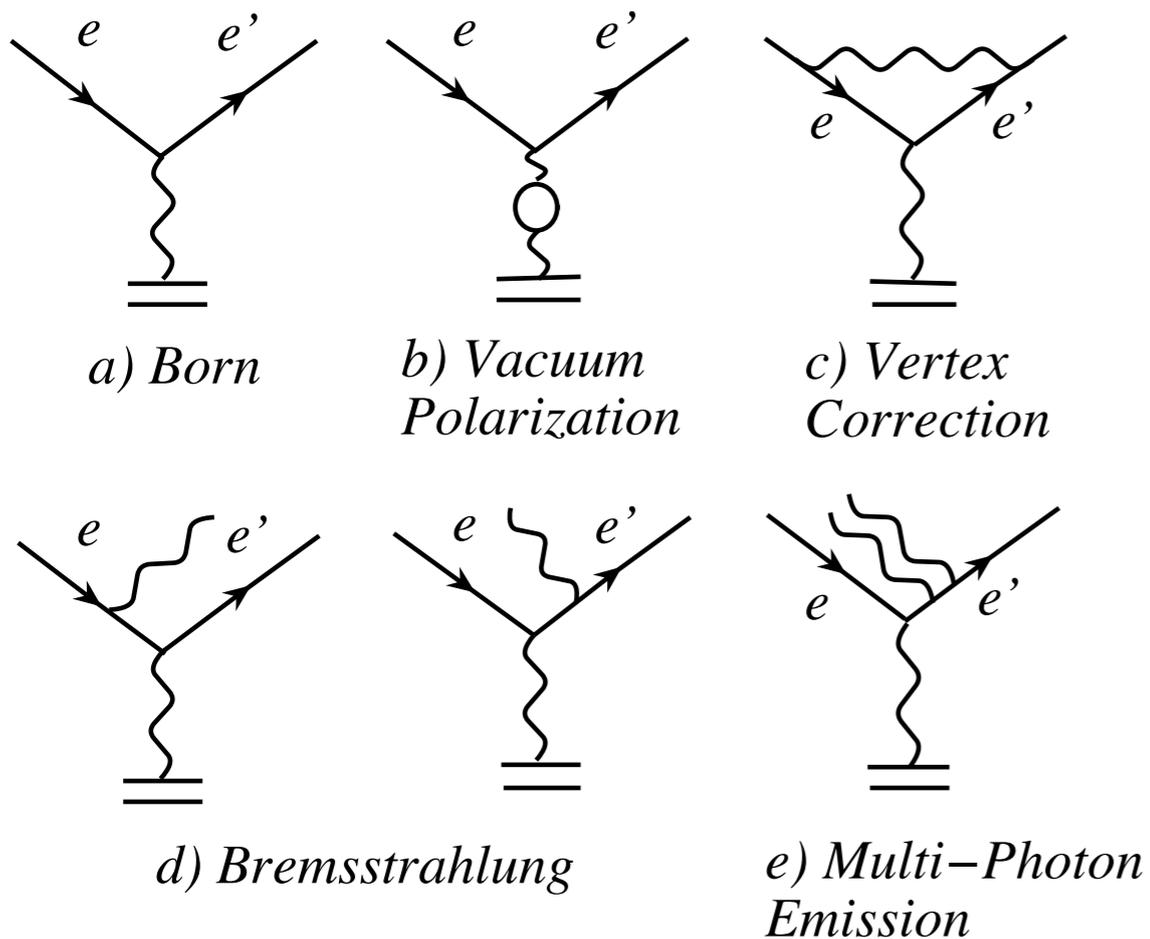
# Inclusive $e^-$ radiative corrections ( $eA \rightarrow e'X$ )



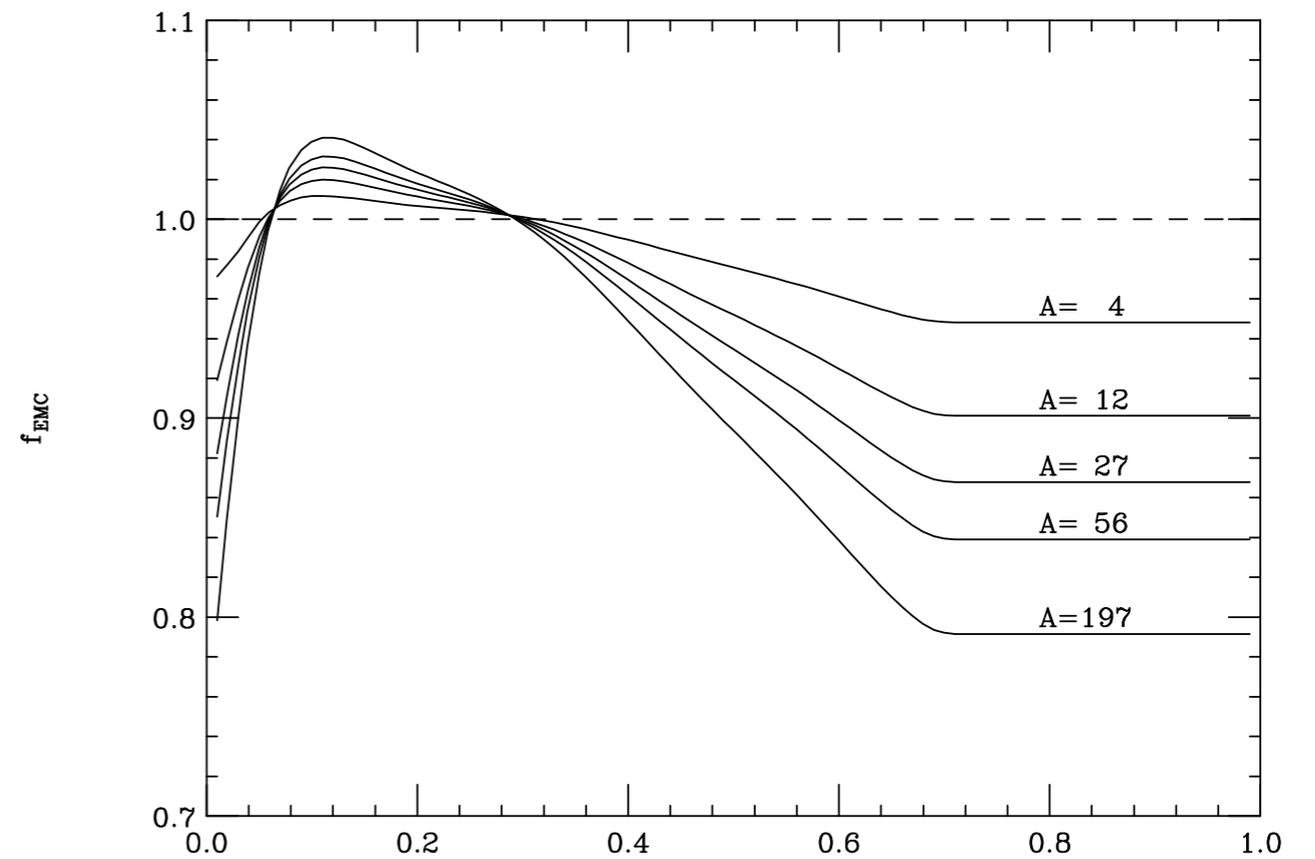
Formalism: Mo&Tsai (SLAC Pub-0848, 1971)

Code EXTERNALS provided by D.Gaskell

First order QED RC to Born c.s.



$A$ -dependence of structure functions is based on parametrization of world data

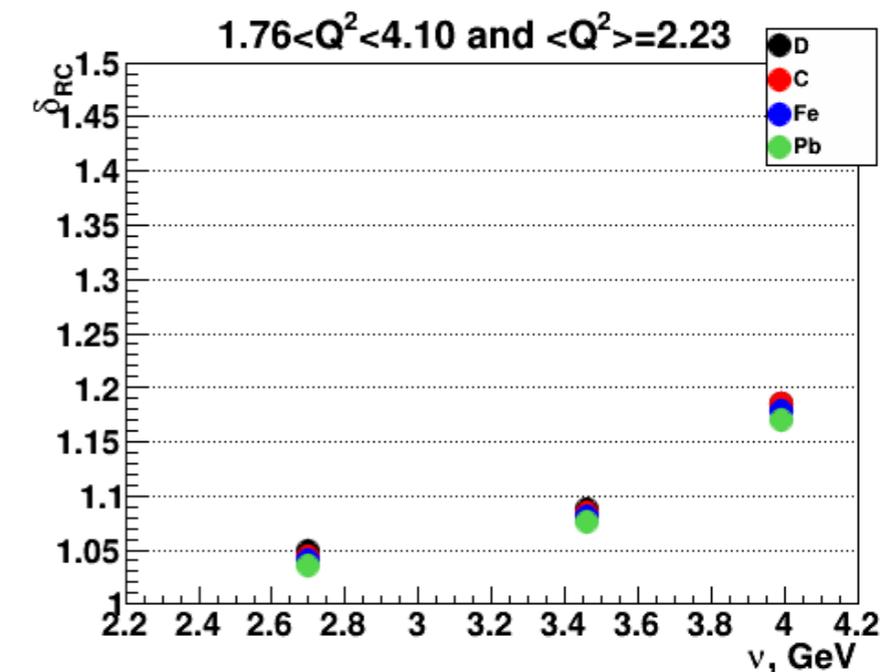
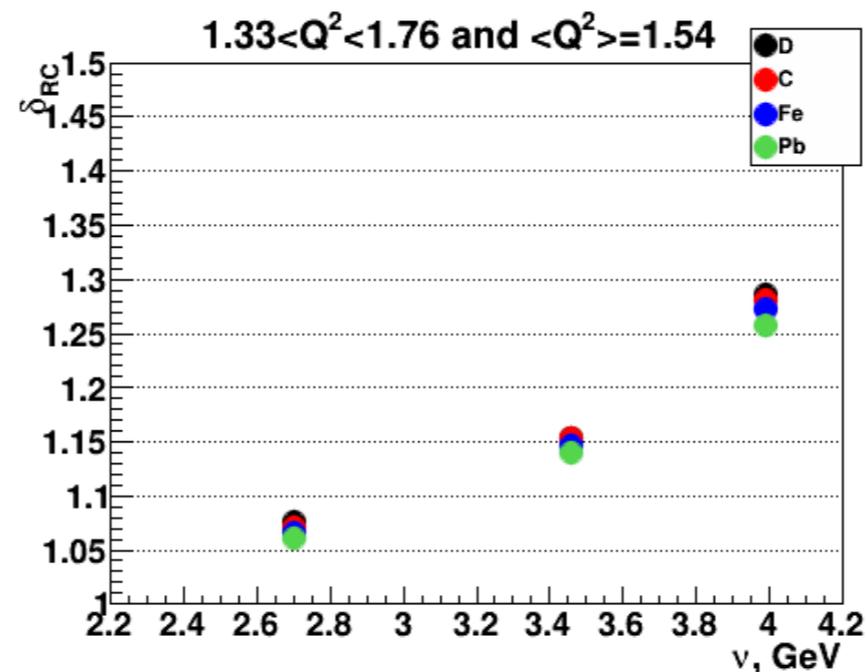
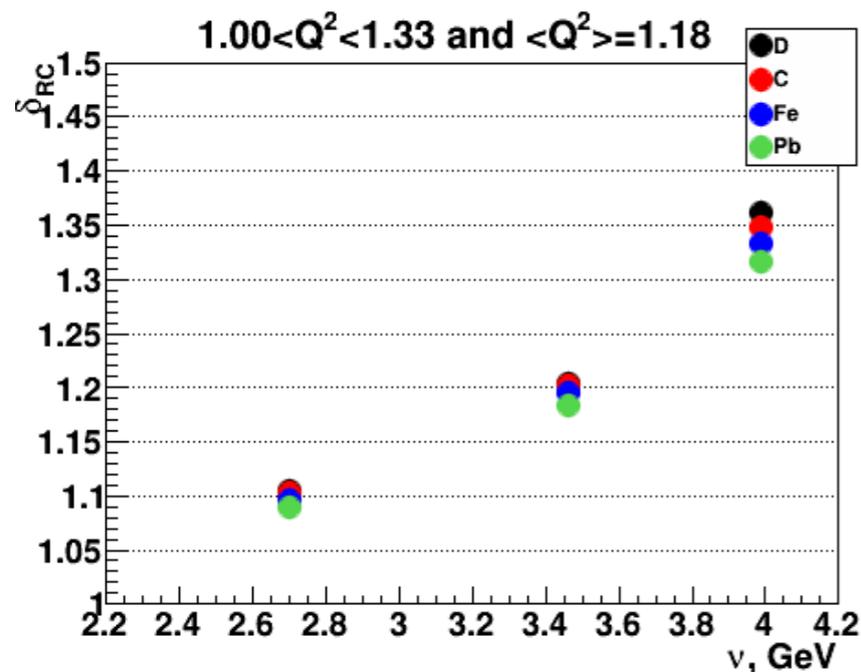


P.Bosted, V.Mamyan "Empirical fit to electron-nucleus scattering" arXiv:1203.2262v2

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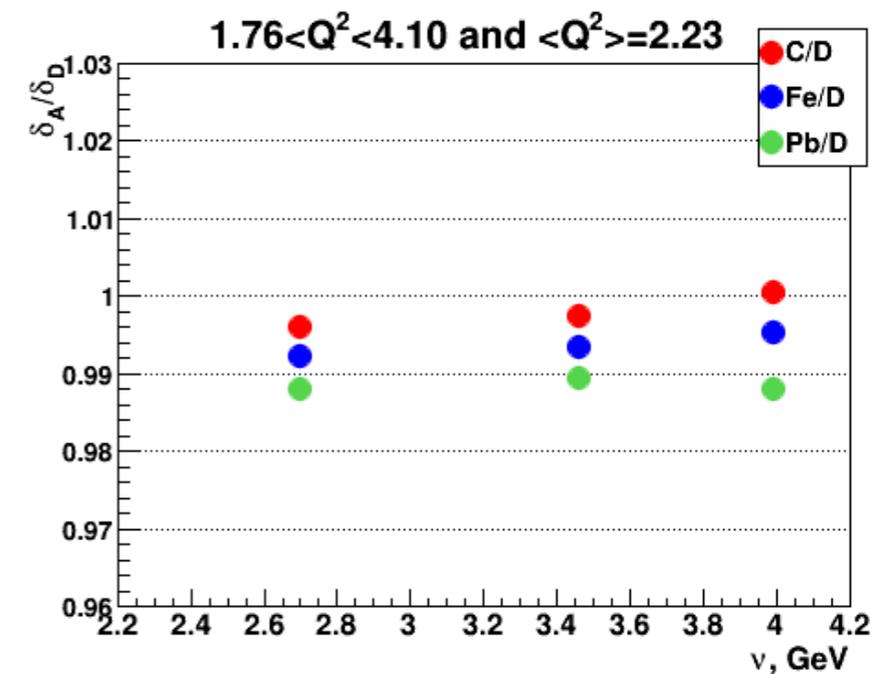
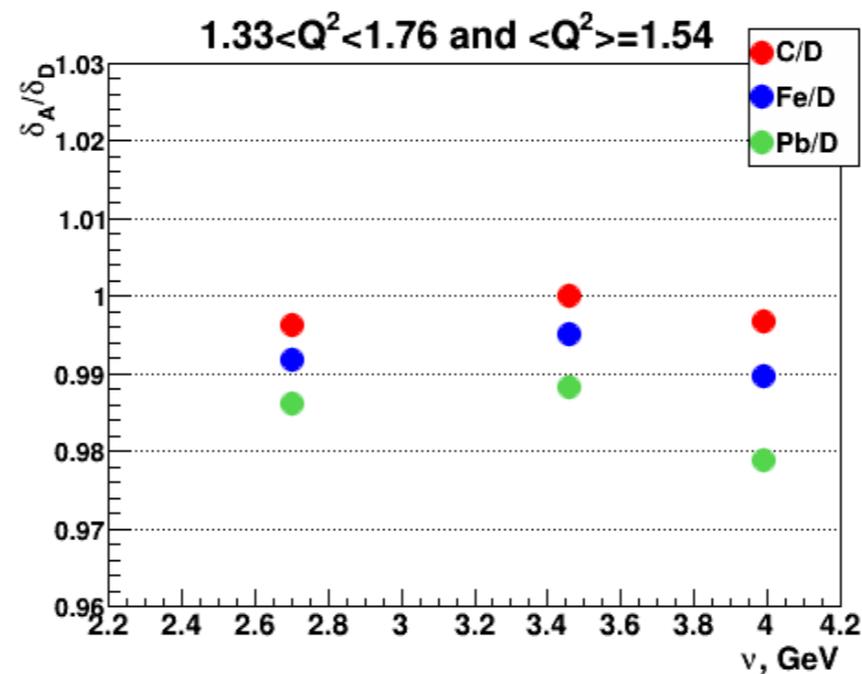
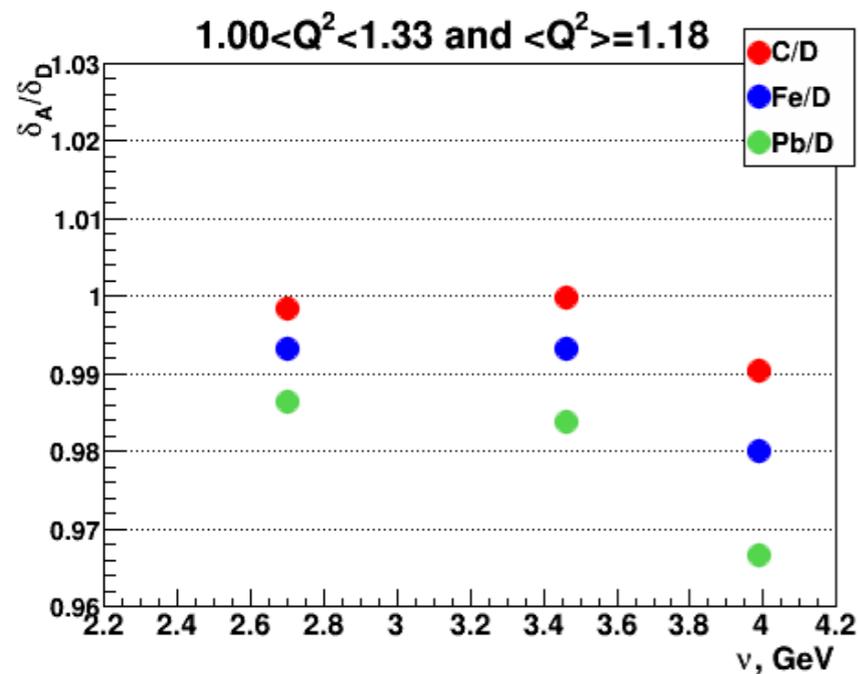
Radiative factor  $\delta_{RC} = \sigma_{Rad} / \sigma_{Born}$



# Inclusive $e^-$ radiative corrections ( $eA \rightarrow e'X$ )



Ratio of RC factors  $\delta_{RC}$  on A to D: up to 3.5% correction



# Coulomb corrections

( $eA \rightarrow e'X$ )

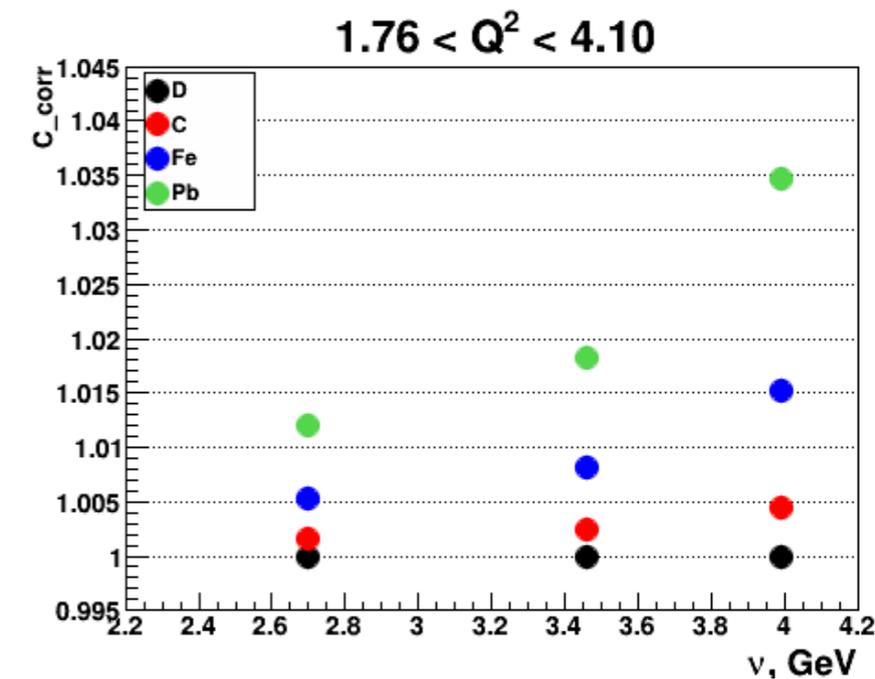
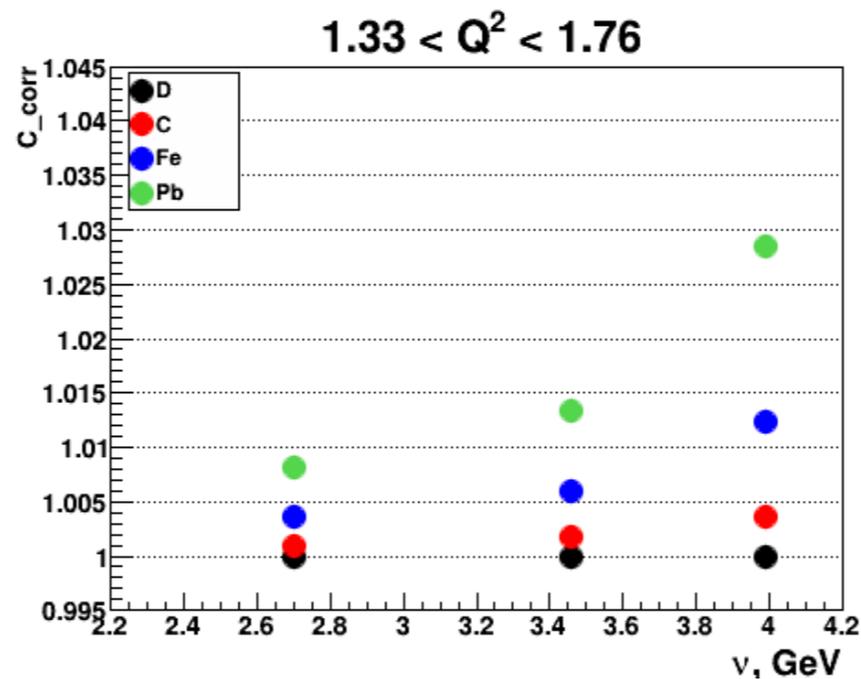
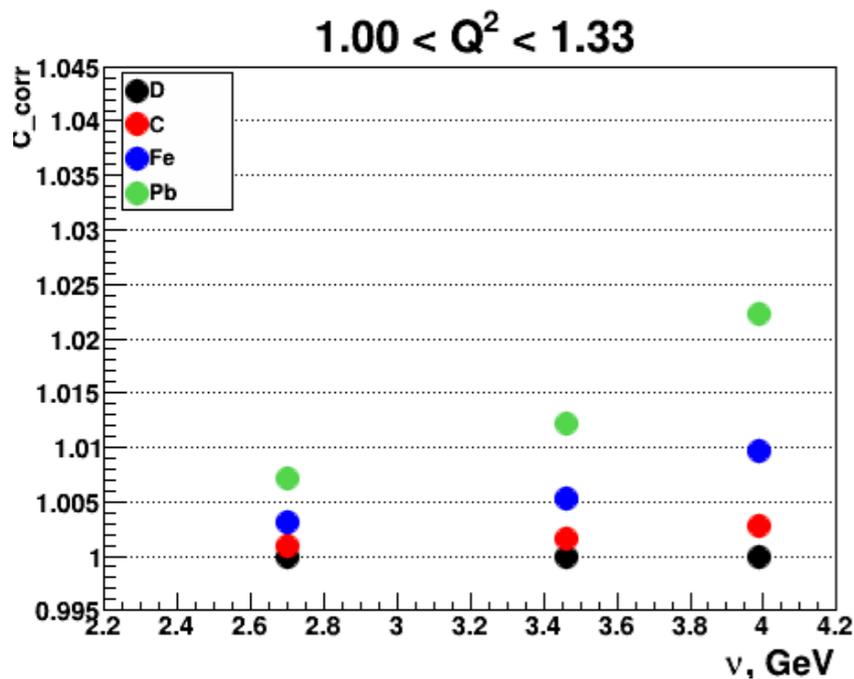
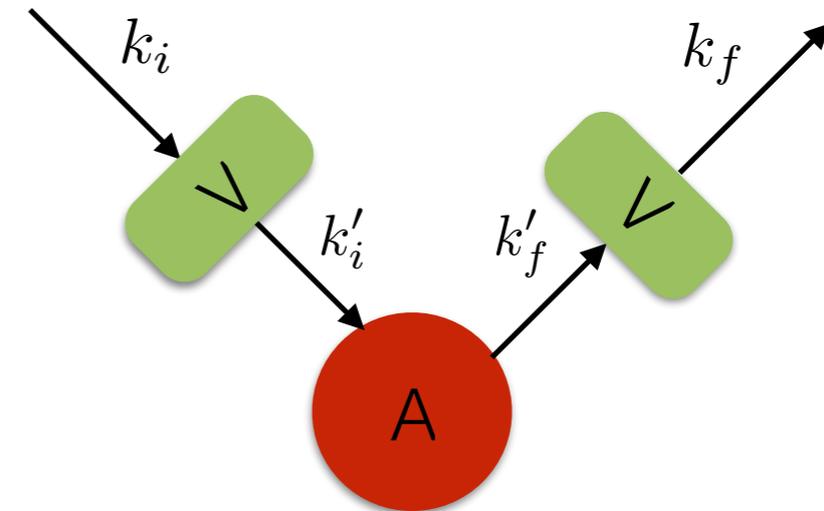


Formalism: Effective Momentum Approximation (*Aste et al*)

Code EXTERNALS provided by D.Gaskell

$$C_{\text{corr}} \sim \sigma_{\text{Born\_QE}} / \sigma_{\text{Coulomb}}$$

$C_{\text{corr}}$  is up to 3.5%



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# RC to SIDIS process $(eA \rightarrow e'\pi^0 X)$



Formalism: convolution of leptonic and hadronic tensors (I.Akushevich et al)  
Code: modified version of original HAPRAD (HAPRAD\_cpp)

$$\sigma_{SIDIS} = \sigma_{SIDIS}(\mathcal{H}_1, \mathcal{H}_2, \mathcal{H}_3, \mathcal{H}_4)$$

$$\mathcal{H}_1 = \sum_q e^2 f_q D_q \mathcal{G}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_2 \approx \mathcal{H}_1$$

$$\mathcal{H}_3 = f(x, Q^2, z) |_{\cos(\phi)} \sum_q e^2 f_q D_q \mathcal{G}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_4 = f(x, Q^2, z) |_{\cos(2\phi)} \sum_q e^2 f_q D_q \mathcal{G}$$

$$\mathcal{G} = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma} \cdot \exp -\frac{(p_T - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

**A-dependence is accounted in structure functions based on the fits to our data**

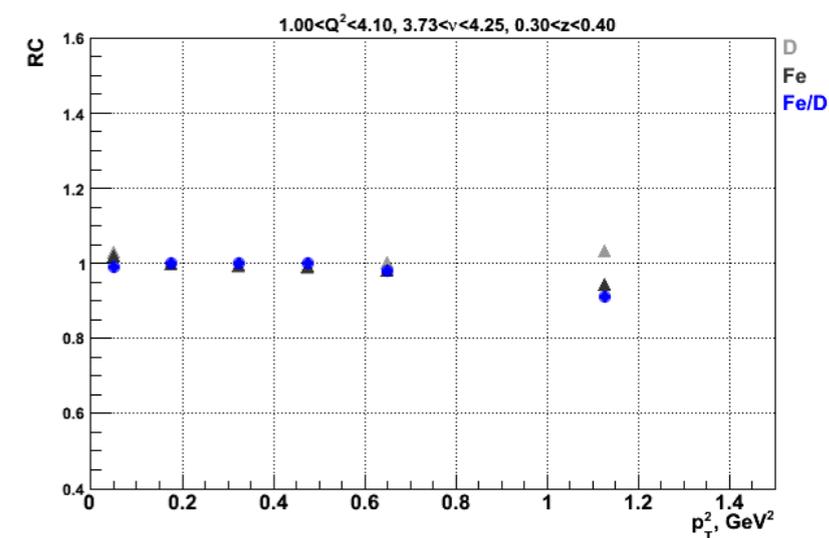
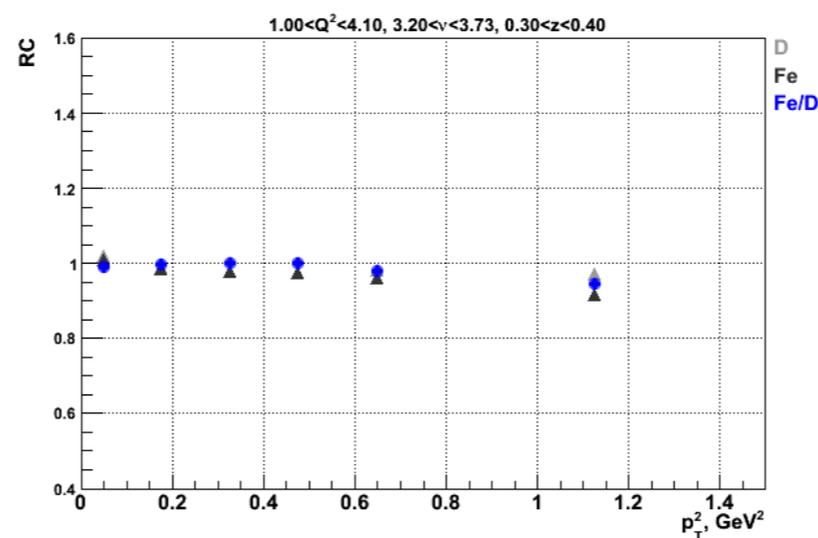
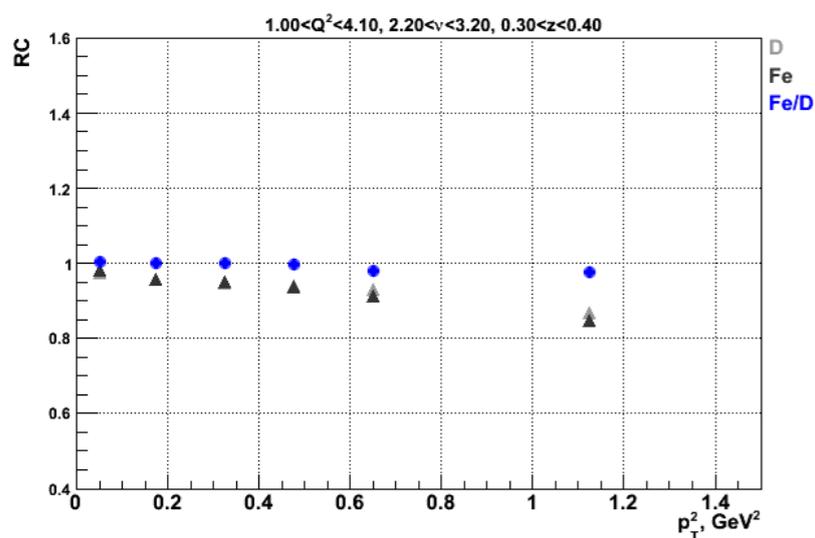
**$\varphi$ -dependence of  $\sigma_{SIDIS}$**

**$\mathcal{G}$  is hadron transverse momentum distribution**

# RC to SIDIS process $(eA \rightarrow e'\pi X)$



Radiative factor  $\delta_{RC} = \sigma_{Rad} / \sigma_{Born}$  and its ratio Fe/D: up to 10% correction



A slice in the kinematics on the example of  $\pi^0$

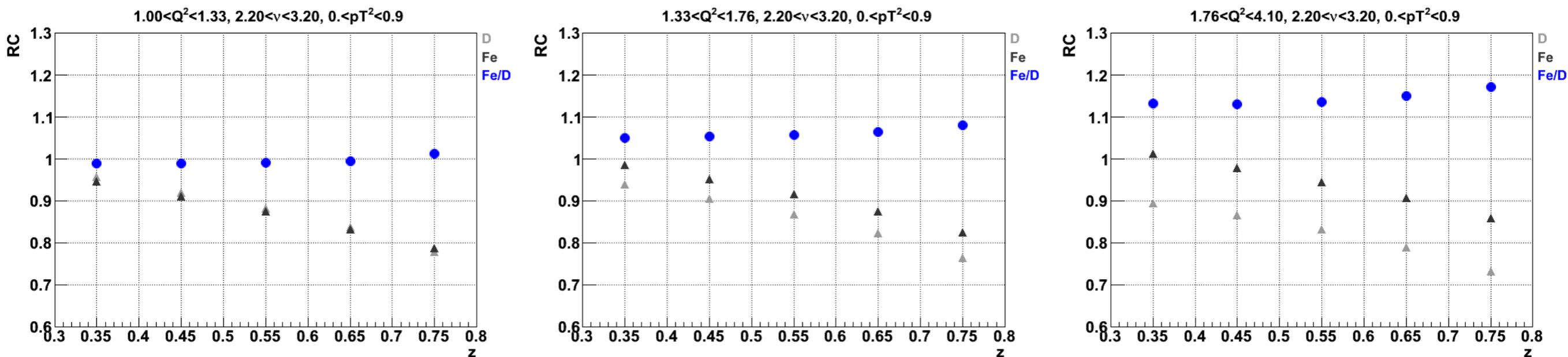
# RC to exclusive process $(eA \rightarrow e'\pi A)$



Formalism: convolution of leptonic and hadronic tensors (I. Akushevich et al)

Code: HAPRAD\_cpp with MAID parametrization for  $\pi^\pm$  and CLAS data for  $\pi^0$

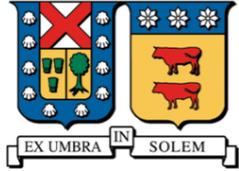
Total RC factor  $\delta_{RC} = \delta_{INCL} + \delta_{EXCL}$  on the example of  $\pi^0$   
In ratio Fe/D correction is up to 18%





# Results

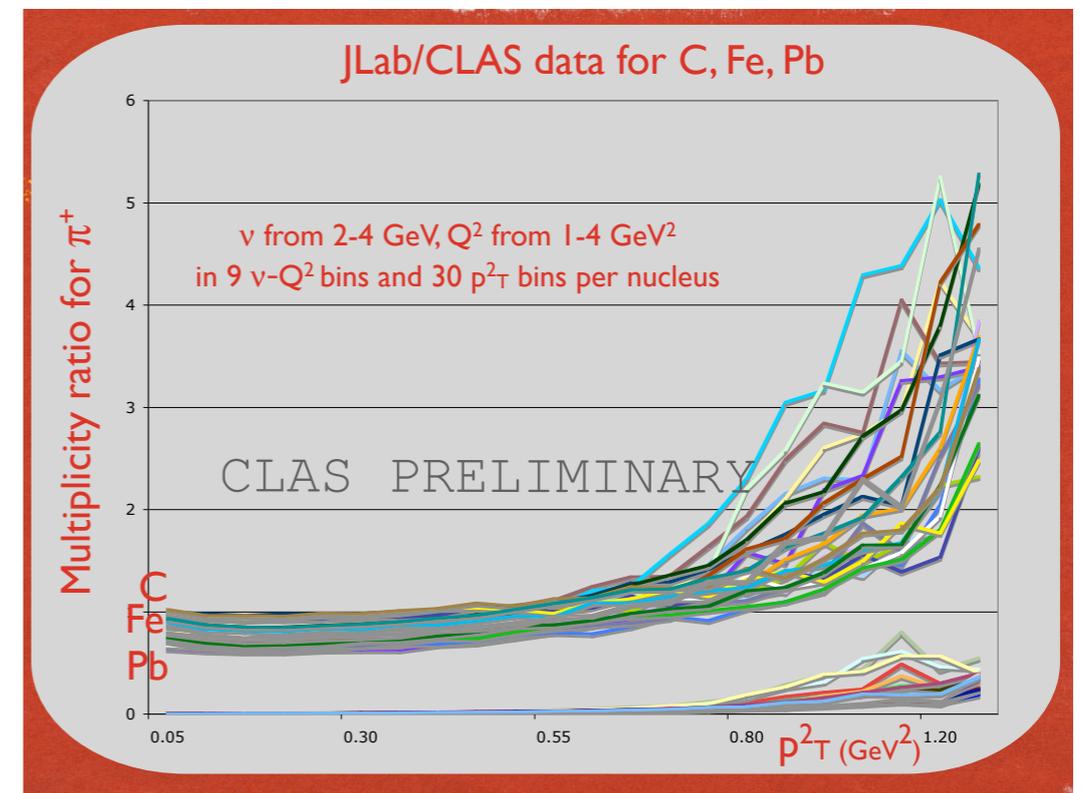
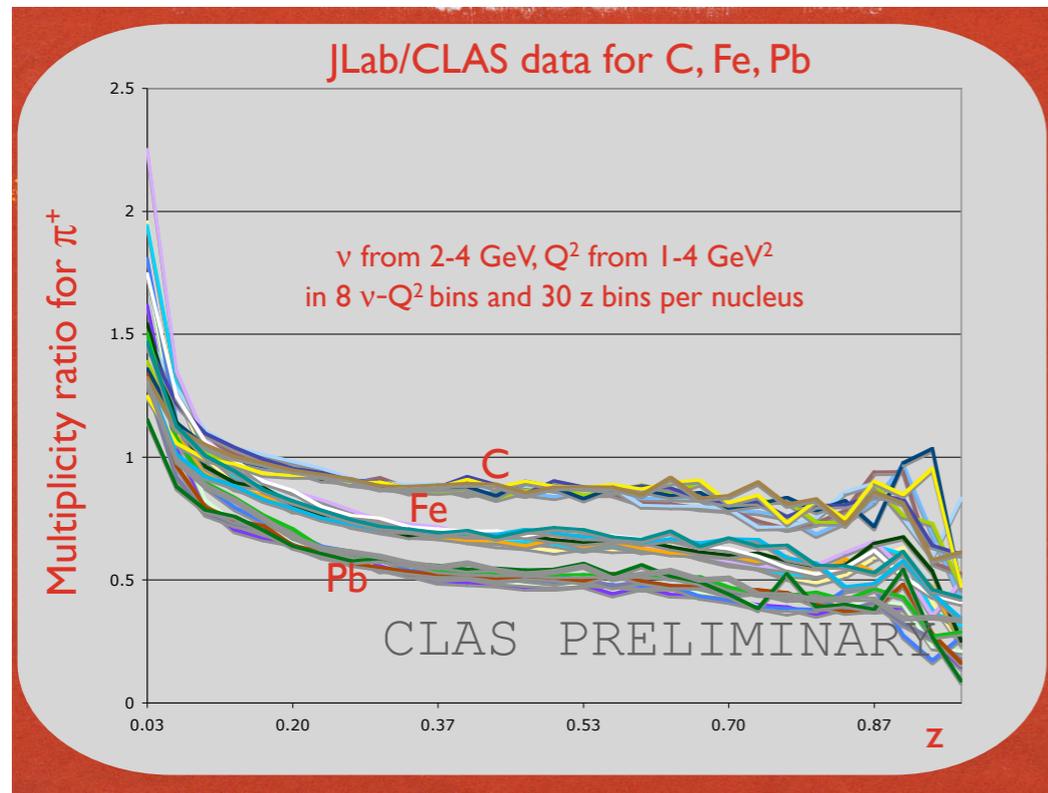
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# 3D $\pi^+$ Multiplicities on $^{12}\text{C}$ , $^{56}\text{Fe}$ , $^{207}\text{Pb}$ to D

$R_{\pi^+}$  in  $(Q^2, \nu, z)$  integrated over  $p_T^2$

$R_{\pi^+}$  in  $(Q^2, \nu, p_T^2)$  integrated over  $z$



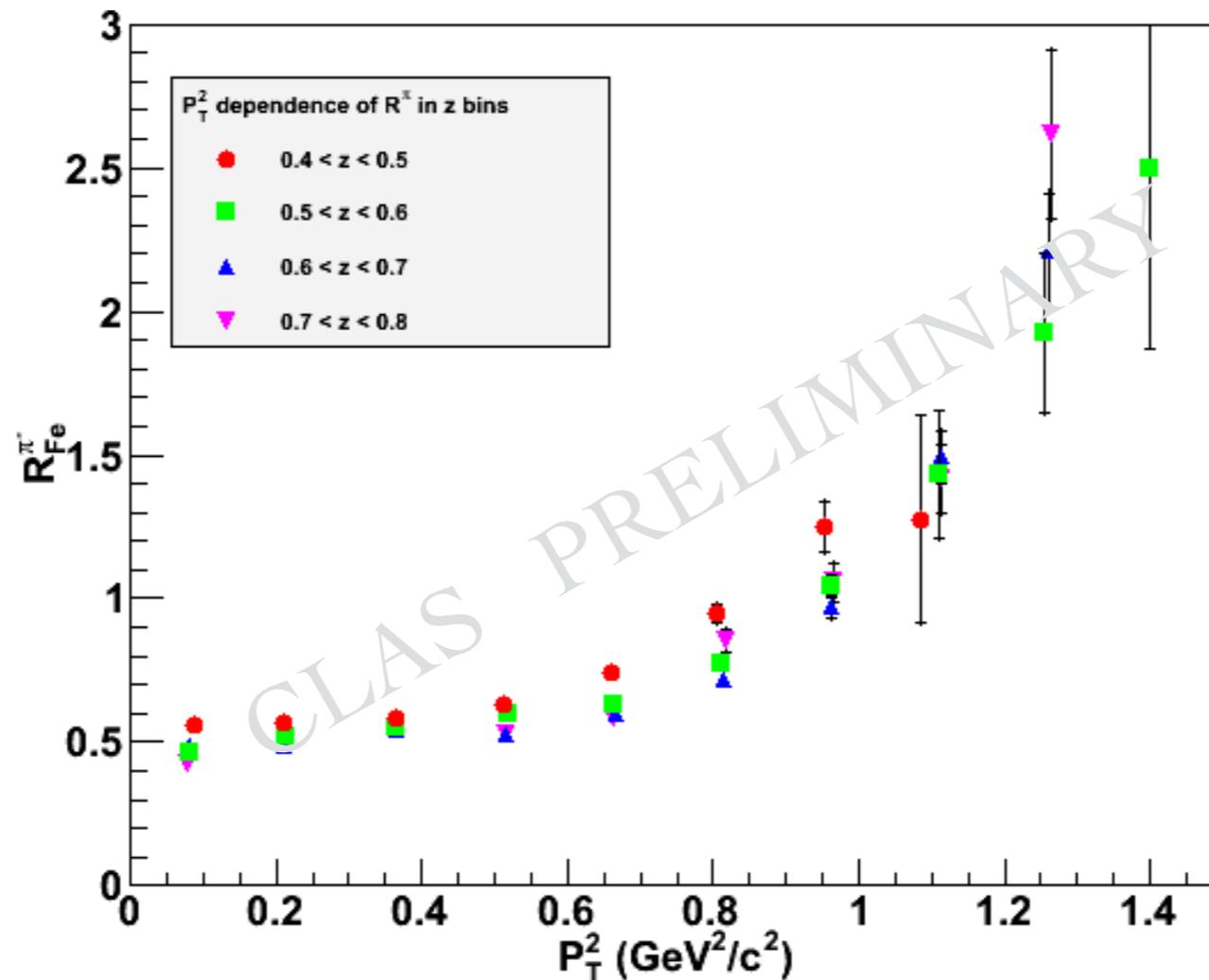
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- Attenuation depends on nuclear size
- Increase of hadrons at low  $z$ , attenuation at high  $z$
- Bears resemblance to Cronin effect at high  $p_T^2$
- Quantitative behavior compatible with Hermes



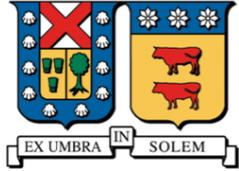
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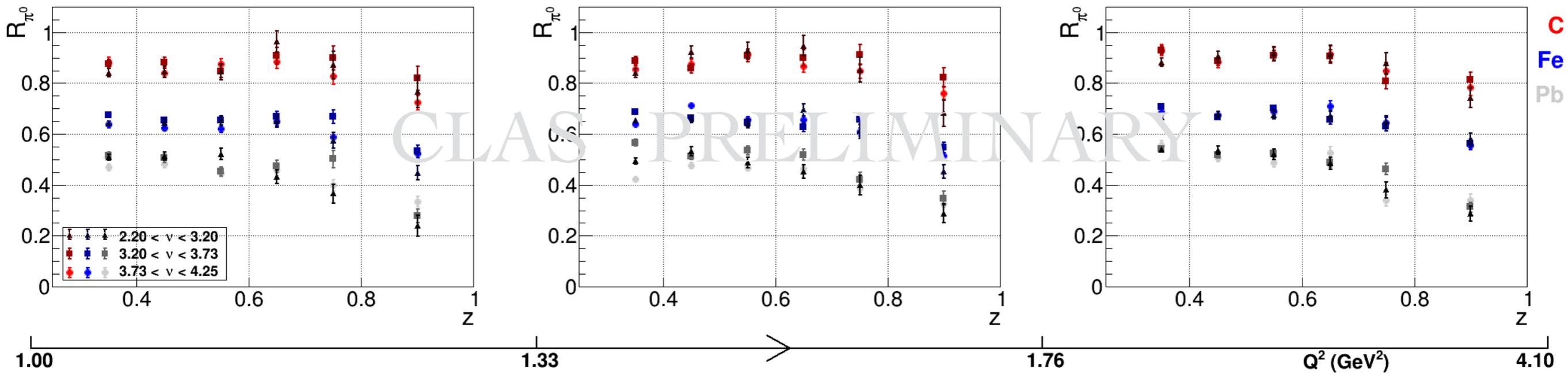
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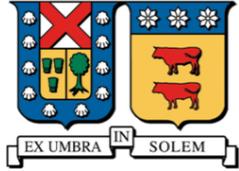
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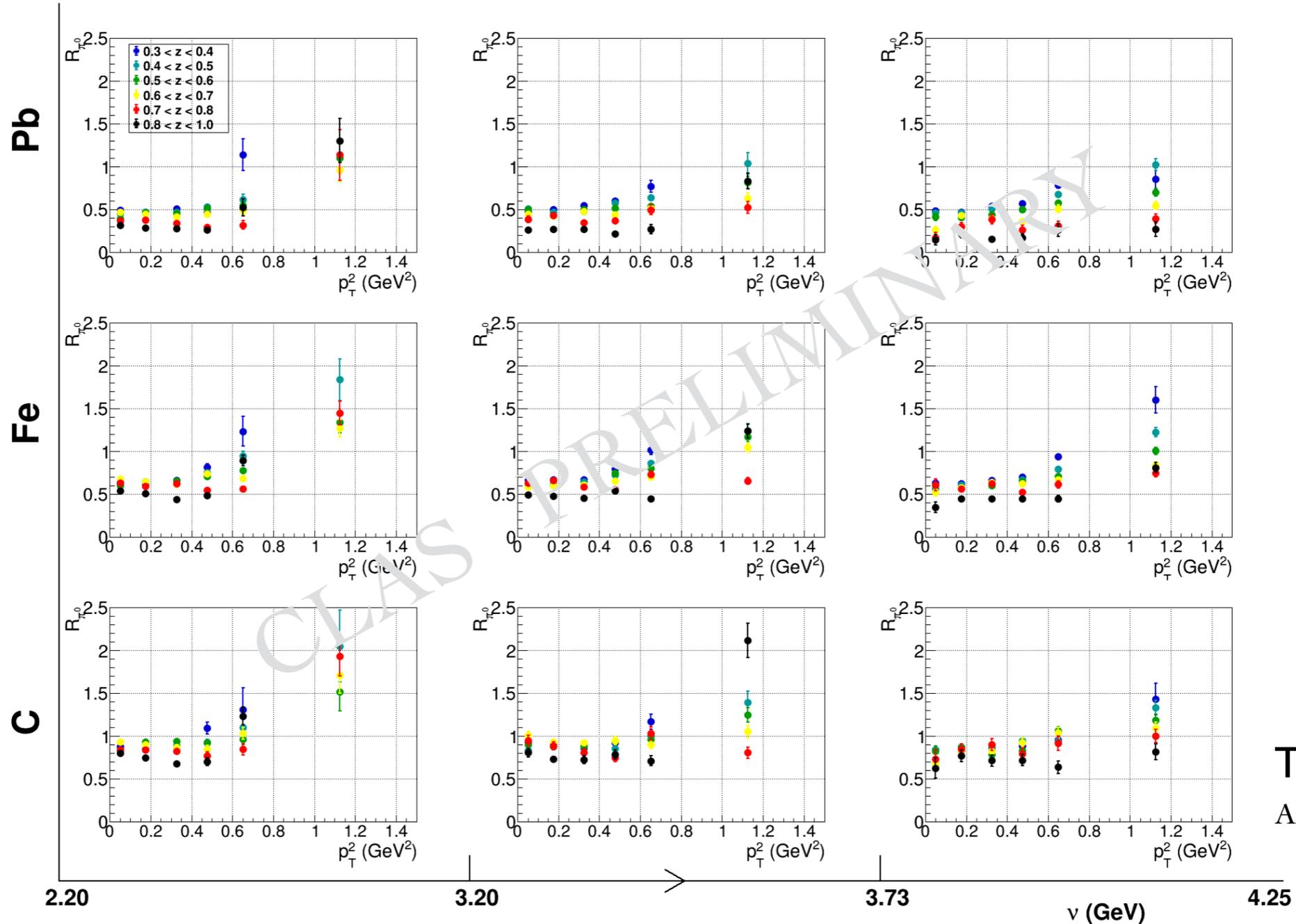
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$R_{\pi^0}$  in  $(\nu, z, p_T^2)$  integrated over  $Q^2$

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Analysis under review



# Summary

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- The microscopic information on space-time dynamics of hadronization can be accessed via DIS using nuclear medium as an analyzer.
- Propagation time of quasifree quark can be related to its transverse momentum broadening and formation time of final state hadron is related to hadronic multiplicity ratio.
- CLAS high luminosity data on  $^2\text{H}$ ,  $^{12}\text{C}$ ,  $^{56}\text{Fe}$ ,  $^{207}\text{Pb}$
- Extraction of multidimensional multiplicities and momentum broadening
- State-of-the art radiative corrections for processes in heavy target
- Analysis under review
- Future program with CLAS12 (E12-06-117) will provide by far the best experimental access to medium-stimulated parton energy loss and enable extraction of 4D multiplicities for a large spectrum of hadrons.

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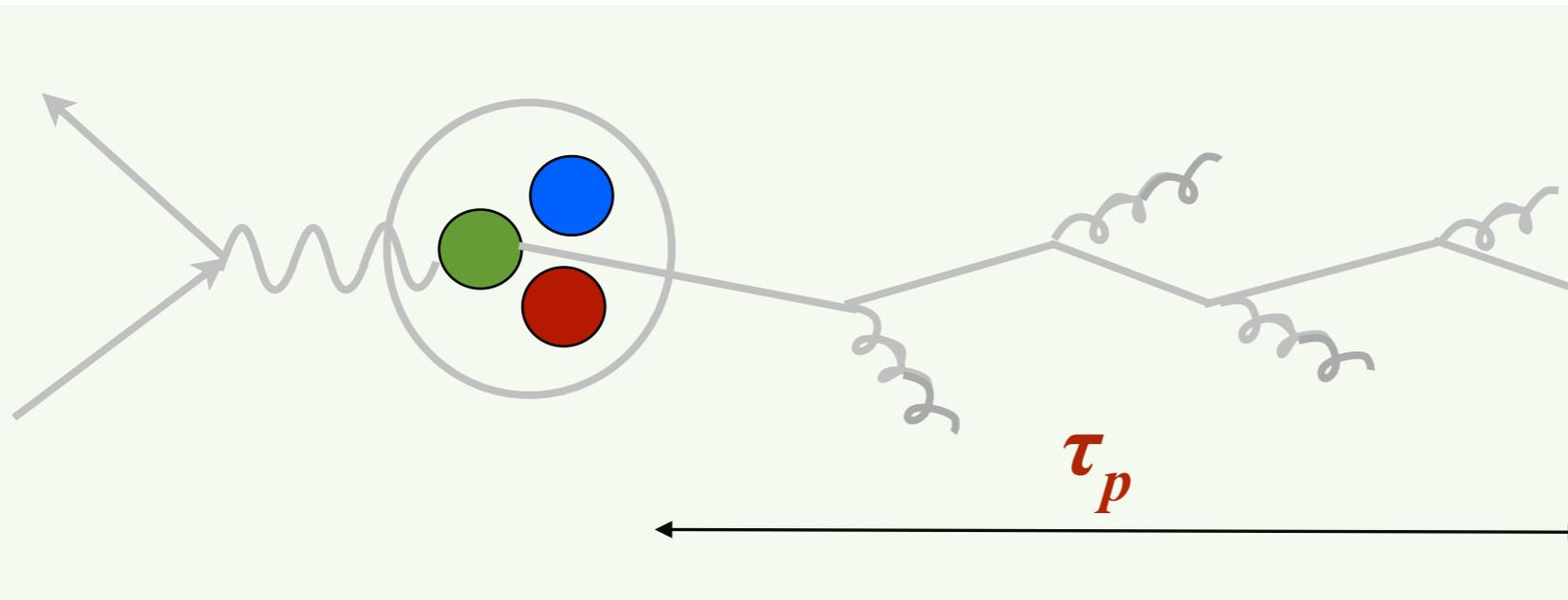
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# Transverse momentum broadening

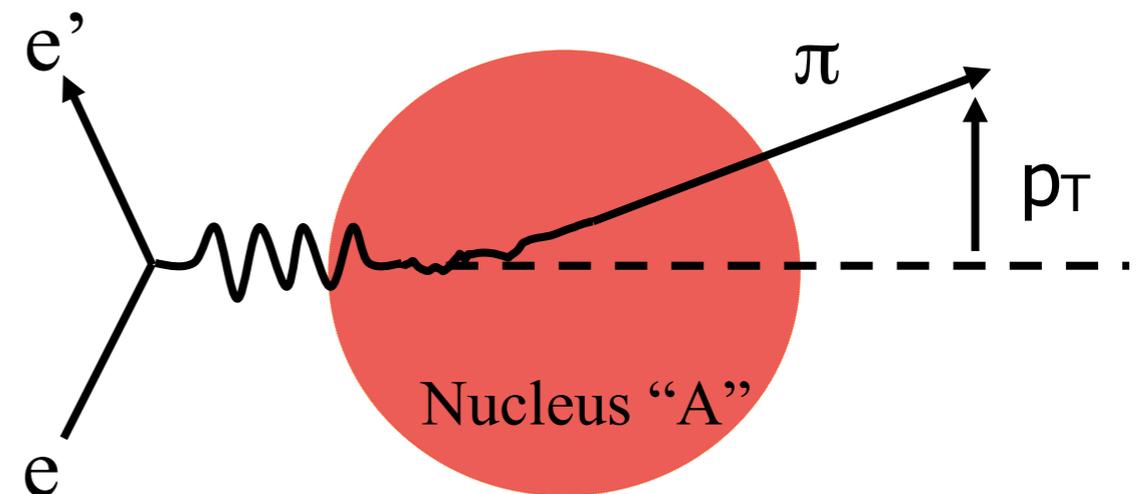


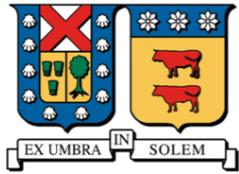
Transverse momentum broadening

$$\Delta p_T^2 = \langle p_T^2 \rangle_A - \langle p_T^2 \rangle_D$$

Connects to partonic phase

- in-medium scattering
- quark energy loss
- access to production time  $\tau_p$

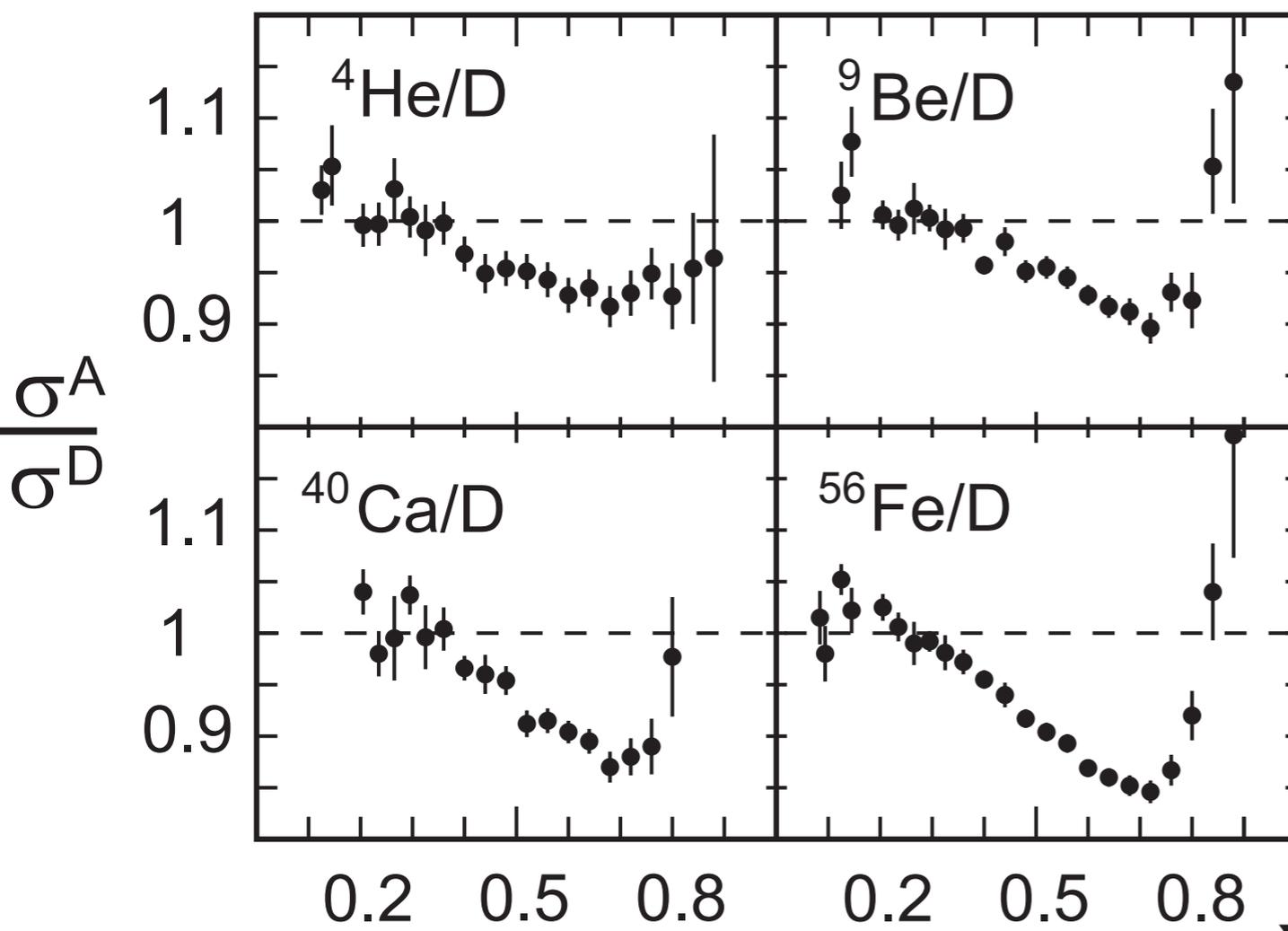




# Quarks in nuclei: EMC effect

**EMC effect (1983)**: structure function  $F_2$  is modified when nucleons are embedded in a nucleus (from measurement  $F_2^{\text{Fe}} / F_2^{\text{D}}$ )

The ratio  $\sigma^A / \sigma^{\text{D}}$  as a function of  $x$  for various nuclei



**SLAC E139 (1994)** confirmed EMC effect on wide range of  $A$

Reduction of per-nucleon cross section  $\sigma^A$  compared to 'free' one  $\sigma^{\text{D}}$

Universal  $x$ -dependence for all nuclear targets

J. Gomez et al. (SLAC-E139), Phys. Rev. D 49 (1994) 4348

# HERMES @DESY and CLAS @Jefferson Lab

- HERMES has higher beam energy (27 GeV and 12 GeV, vs. 5 GeV)
- HERMES can identify a wider range of particle species
- CLAS has higher luminosity ( $10^{34}/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$ , ~factor 100)
  - Can do 3 and 4-fold differential binning (vs. 1-D or 2-D for HERMES)
  - Access to higher  $Q^2$  (good statistics for 4 GeV<sup>2</sup>) and higher  $p_T^2$
- CLAS can use solid targets – Access to heaviest nuclei (<sup>207</sup>Pb vs. <sup>131</sup>Xe)

	$\nu$ (GeV)	$Q^2$ (GeV <sup>2</sup> )	$Z$	$p_T^2$ (GeV <sup>2</sup> )
CLAS	2.2 - 4.2	1.0 - 4.1	0,3 - 1.0	0 - 1.5
HERMES	7 - 23	1.0 - 10	0.2 - 1.0	0 - 1.1