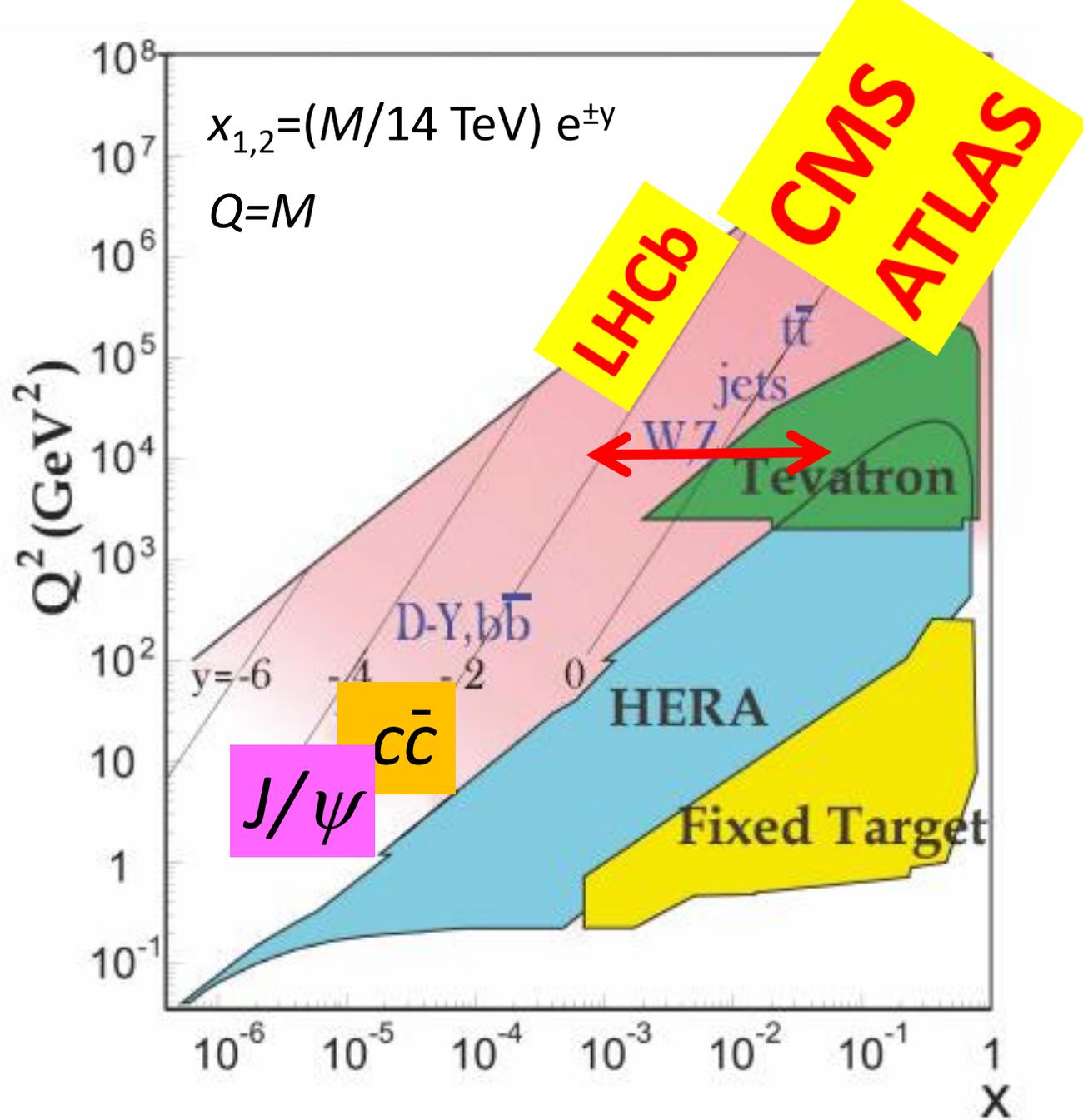
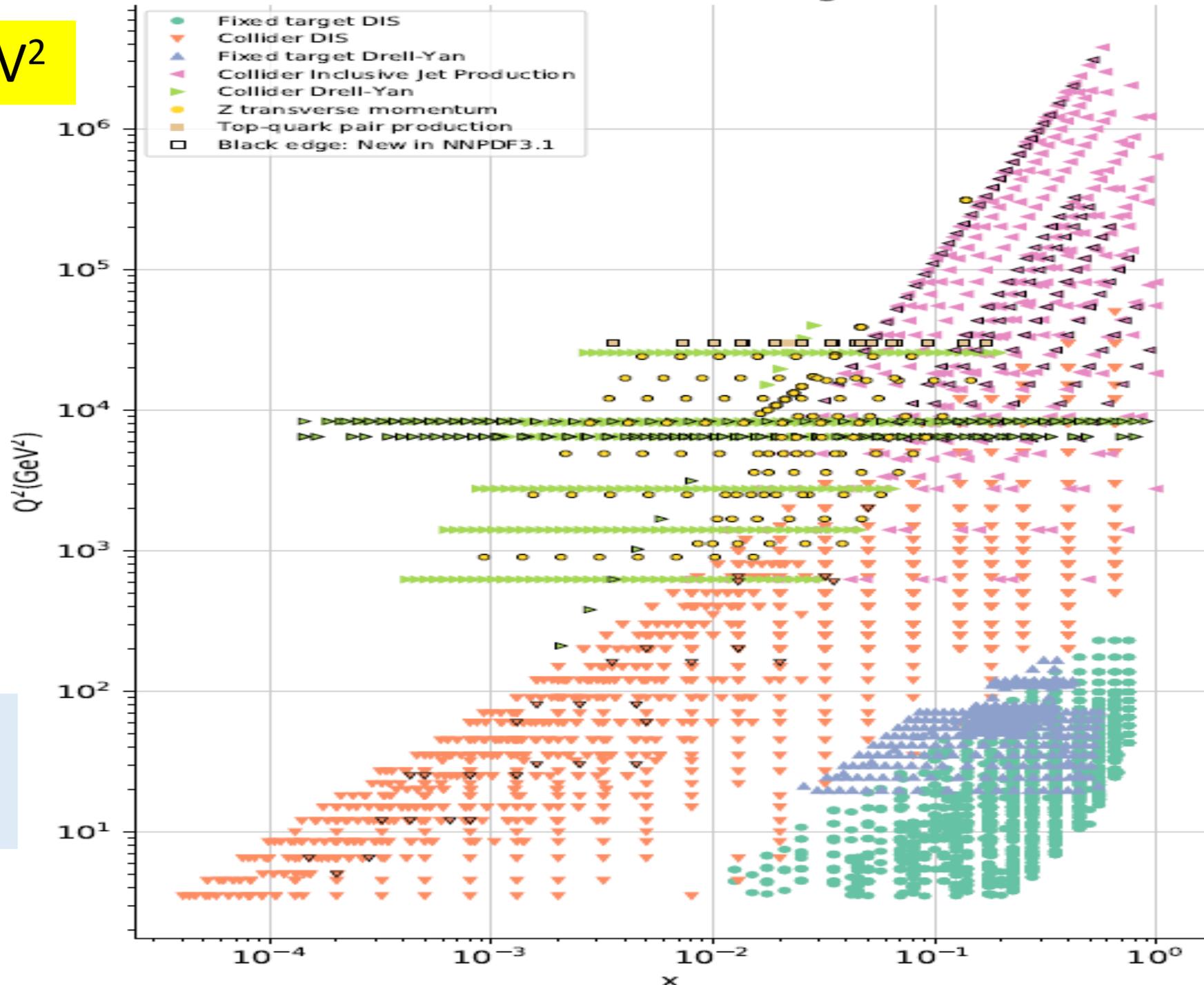


LHCb with  $2 < y < 4.5$   
 can probe down to  $x \sim 10^{-5}$



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



Data fitted  
by NNPDF3.1

$x$

# MMHT predictions and fit to new LHC data --- Thorne DIS2017

We now also fit to high rapidity  $W, Z$  data from LHCb at 7 and 8 TeV,  $W + c$  jets from CMS, which constrains strange quarks, high precision CMS data on  $W^{+,-}$  rapidity distributions which can also be interpreted as an asymmetry measurement, and also the final  $e$  asymmetry data from D0 (lepton, not  $W$  asymmetry).

	no. points	NLO $\chi_{pred}^2$	NLO $\chi_{new}^2$	NNLO $\chi_{pred}^2$	NNLO $\chi_{new}^2$
$\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ Tevatron +CMS+ATLAS	18	19.6	20.5	14.7	15.5
LHCb 7 TeV $W + Z$	33	50.1	45.4	46.5	42.9
LHCb 8 TeV $W + Z$	34	77.0	58.9	62.6	59.0
LHCb 8TeV $e$	17	37.4	33.4	30.3	28.9
CMS 8 TeV $W$	22	32.6	18.6	34.9	20.5
CMS 7 TeV $W + c$	10	8.5	10.0	8.7	8.0
D0 $e$ asymmetry	13	22.2	21.5	27.3	25.8
total	3738/3405	4375.9	4336.1	3741.5	3723.7

Predictions good, and no real tension with other data when refitting, i.e. changes in PDFs relatively small. Slightly ( $\sim 10$  units) better than previous report due to improvements (and one correction) in  $K$ -factors.

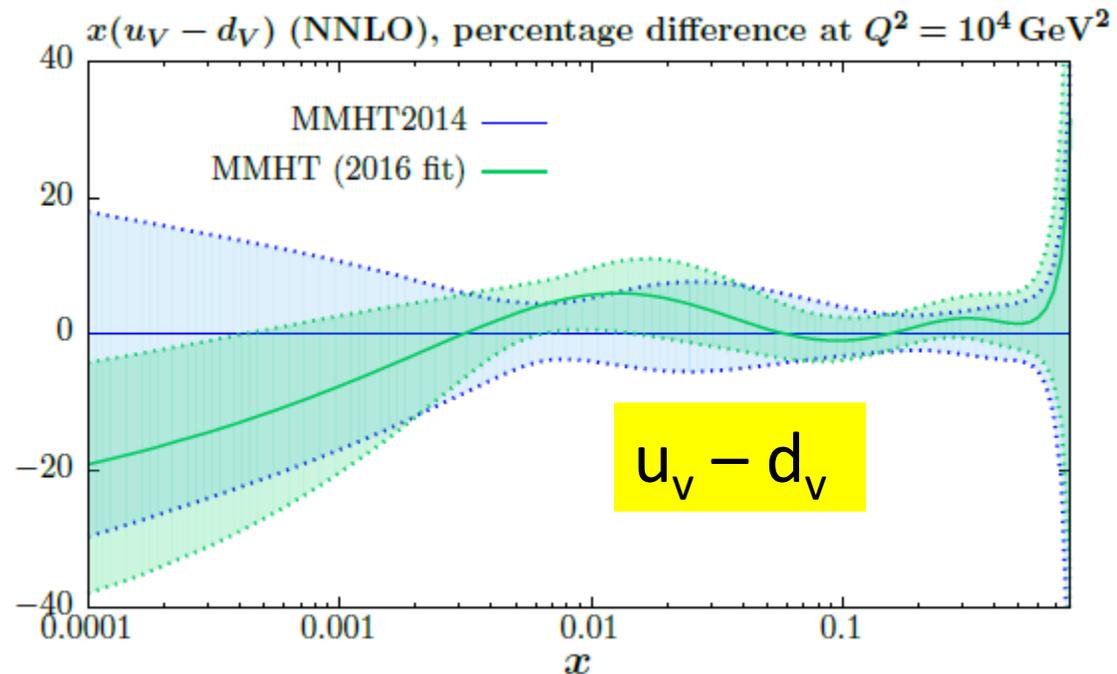
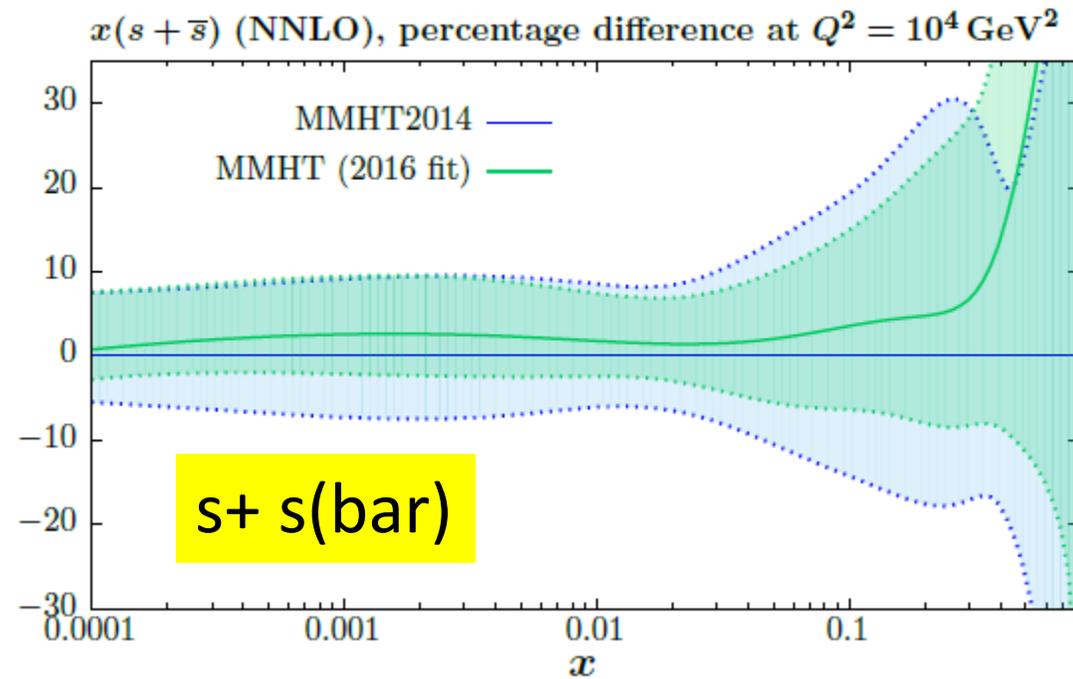
At NLO  $\Delta\chi^2 = 9$  for the remainder of the data and at NNLO  $\Delta\chi^2 = 8$ .

When couplings left free at NLO  $\alpha_S(M_Z^2)$  stays very close to 0.120 but at NNLO  $\alpha_S(M_Z^2)$  marginally above 0.118, higher than MMHT2014.

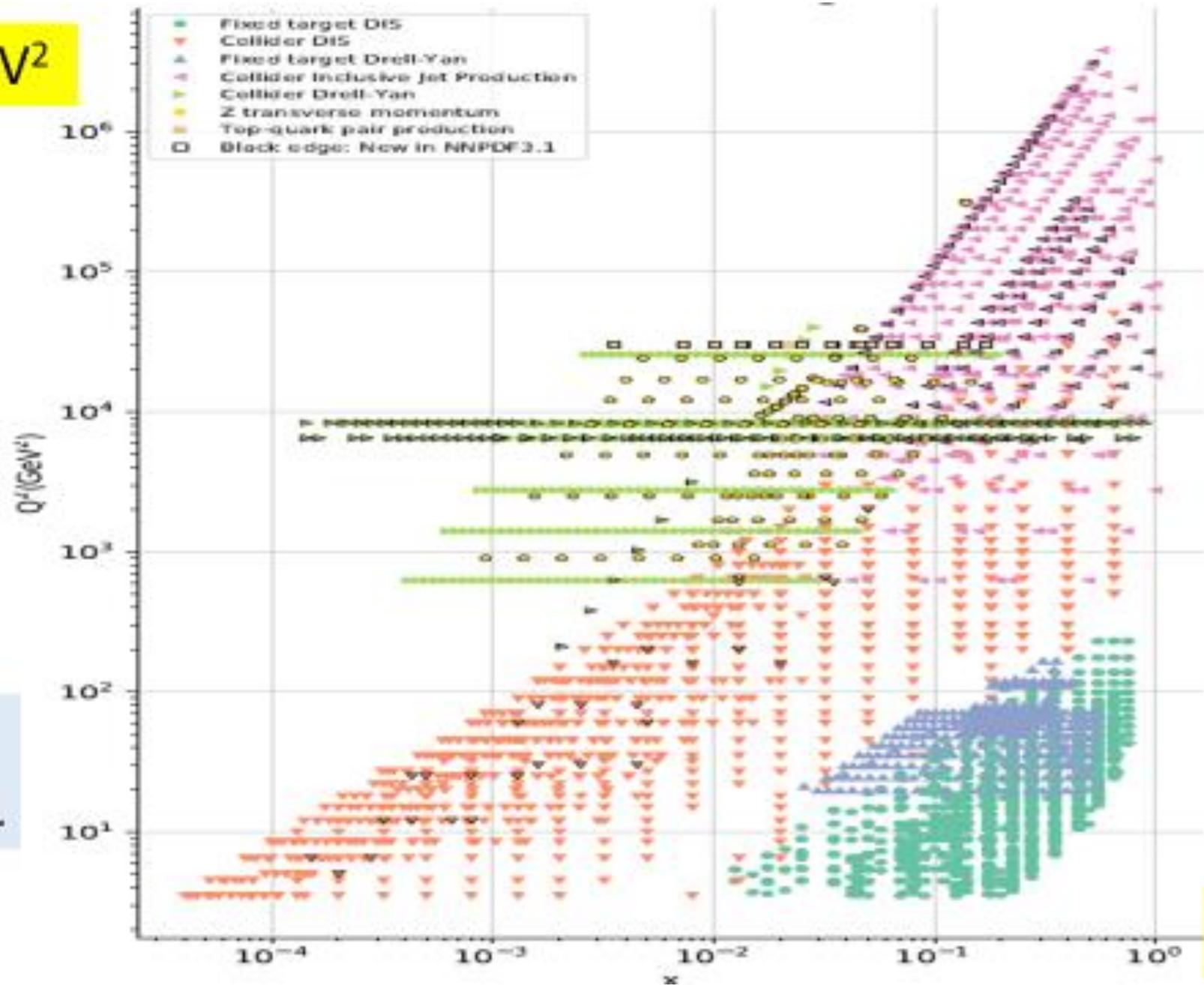
## Effect on PDFs

Large reduction in the  $s + \bar{s}$  uncertainty, but little change in central value. Due to  $W + c$  jets data.

A significant change in  $u_v - d_v$ , and reduction in the uncertainty, from (effective) CMS asymmetry data.



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



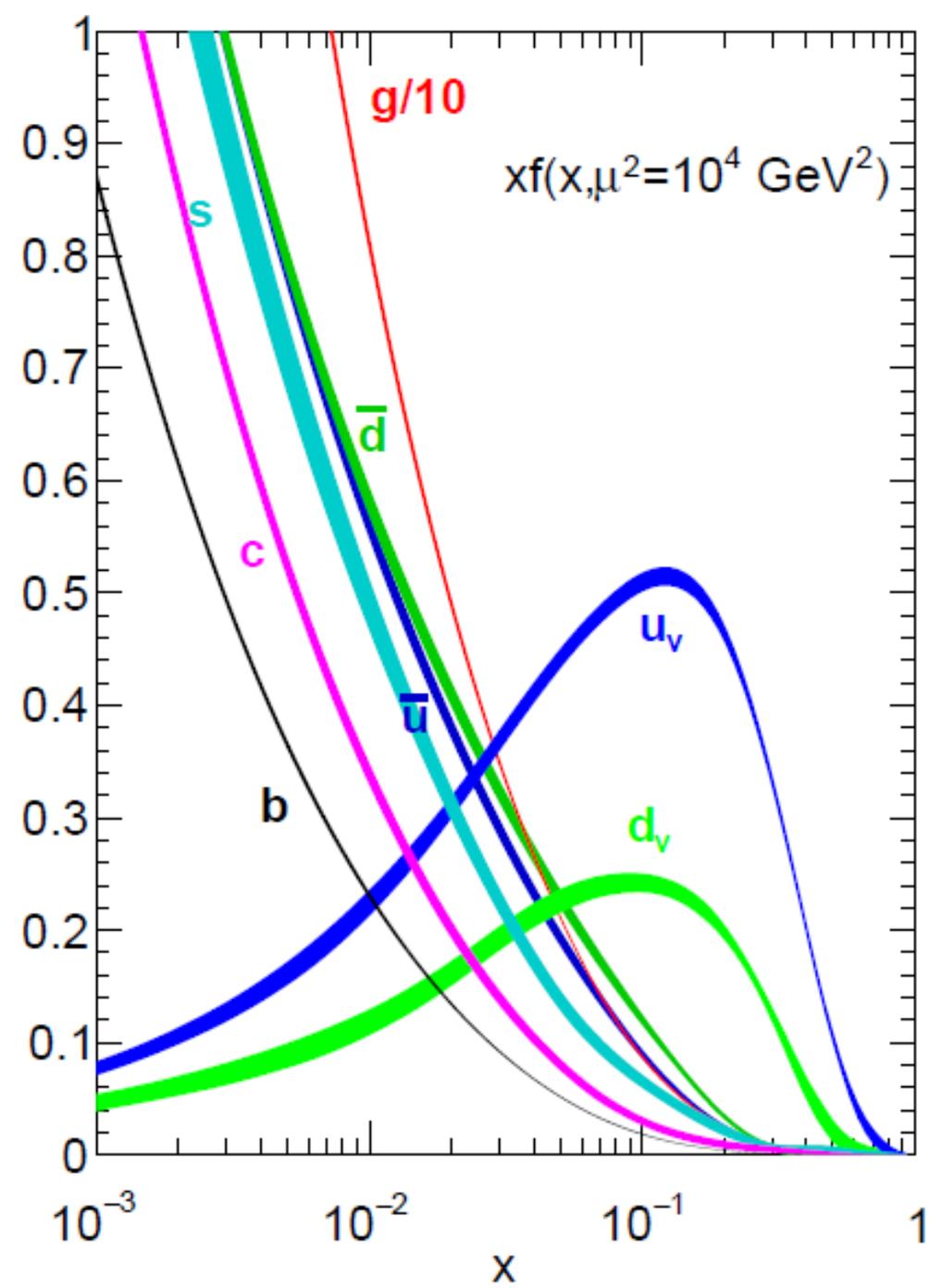
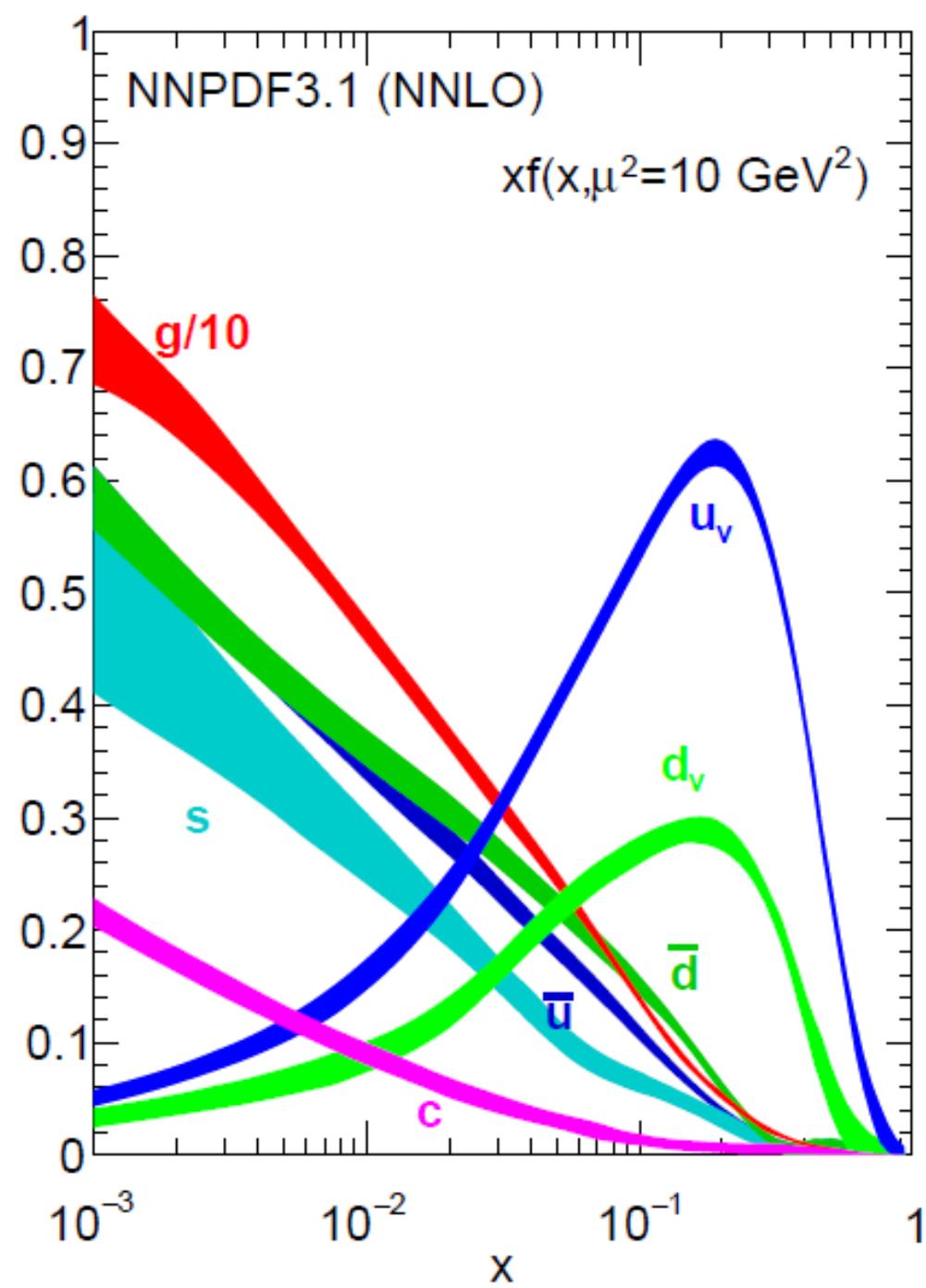
Data fitted  
By NNPDF3.1

X

NNPDF3.1 1706.00428

Include in the fit all LHC data at 7, 8 TeV  
 $W, Z, tt(\bar{t}),$  jets.....

Parametrize **charm PDF** and no longer assume  
that it is perturbatively fixed by  $gg \rightarrow cc(\bar{c})$



**gluon** best determined parton (except for  $x < 10^{-3}$  at low scales)

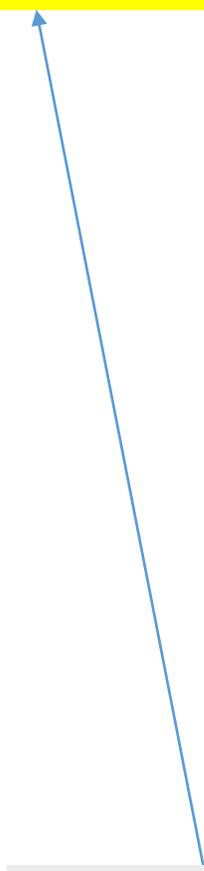
HERA down to  $10^{-3}$

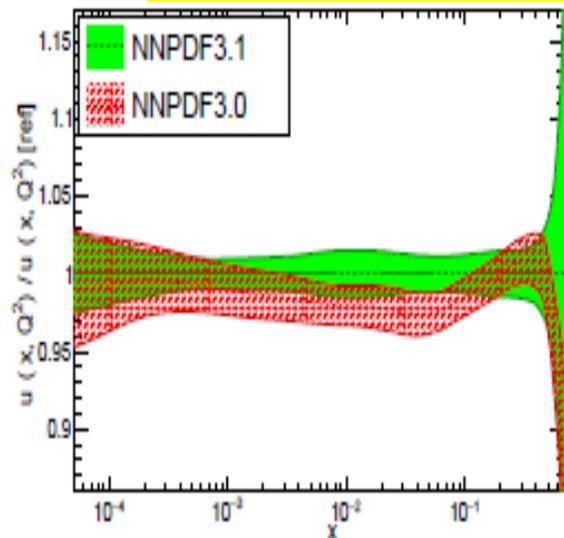
Z( $p_T$ ) at LHC  $10^{-3}$  -  $10^{-1}$

double dist. low mass D-Y at LHC  $10^{-3}$  -  $10^{-1}$

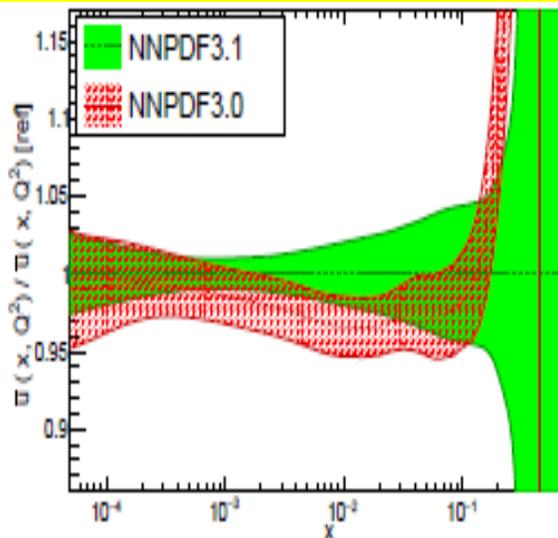
tt(bar) + jets at LHC up to  $x \sim 0.5$

J/ $\psi$ , cc(bar)  
at LHCb

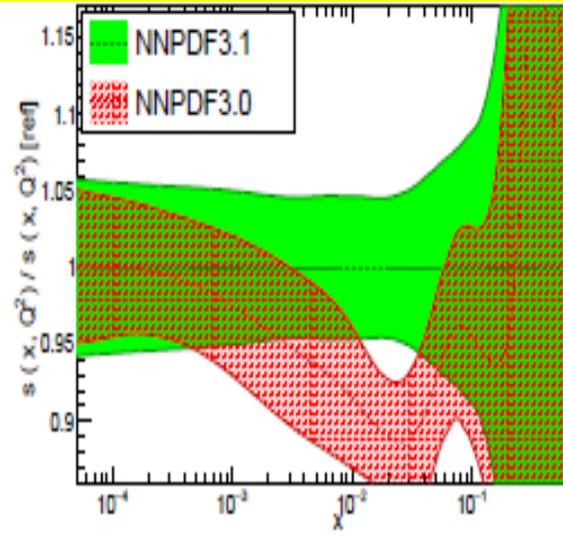


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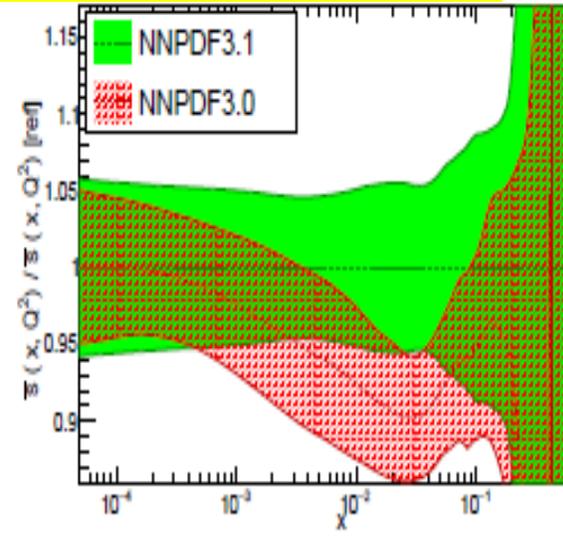
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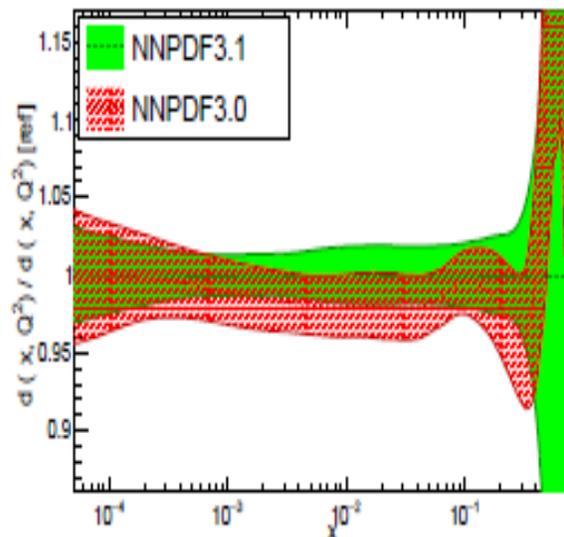
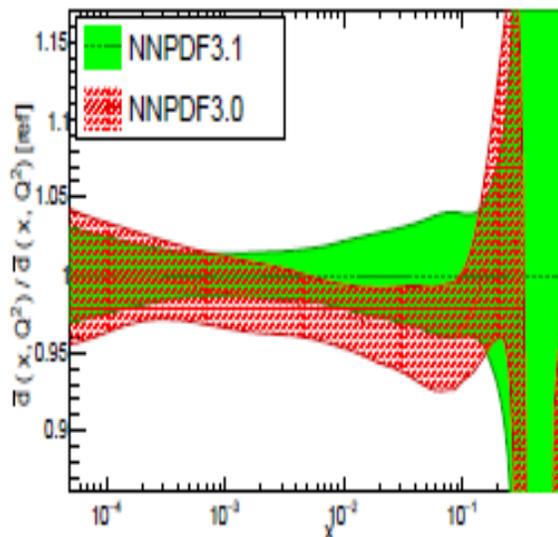
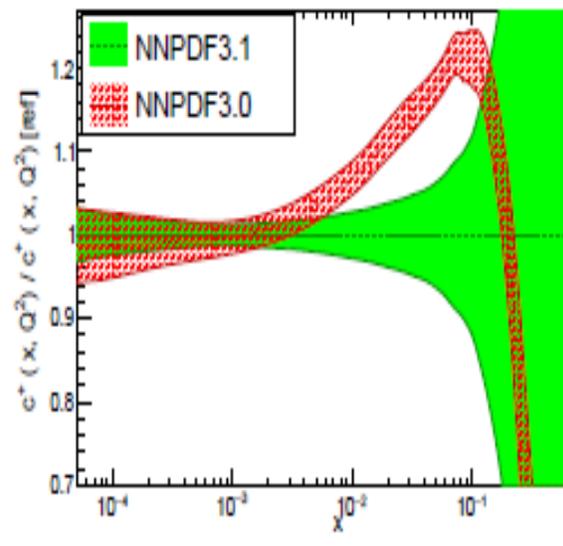
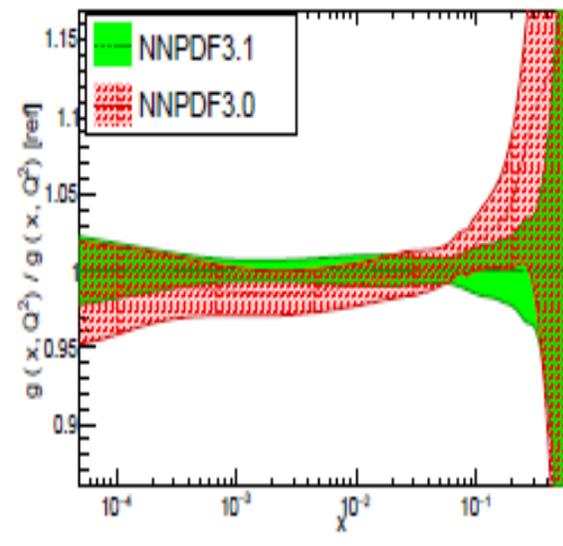
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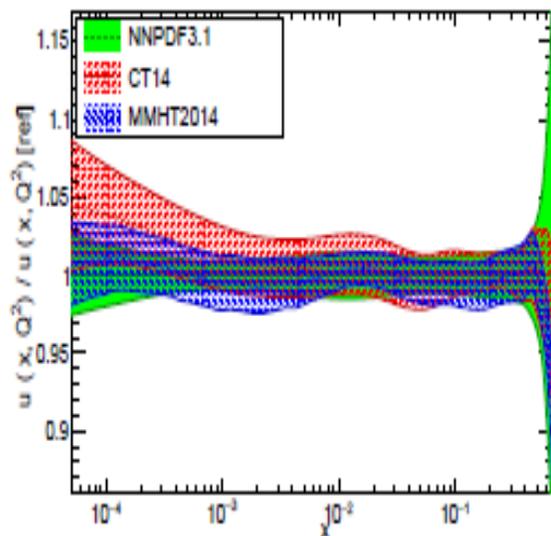
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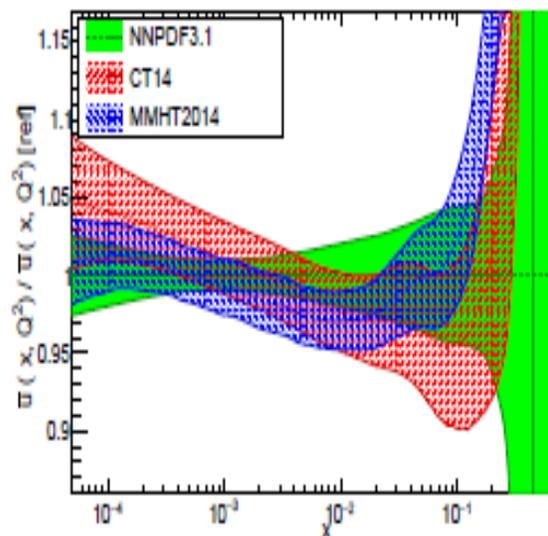
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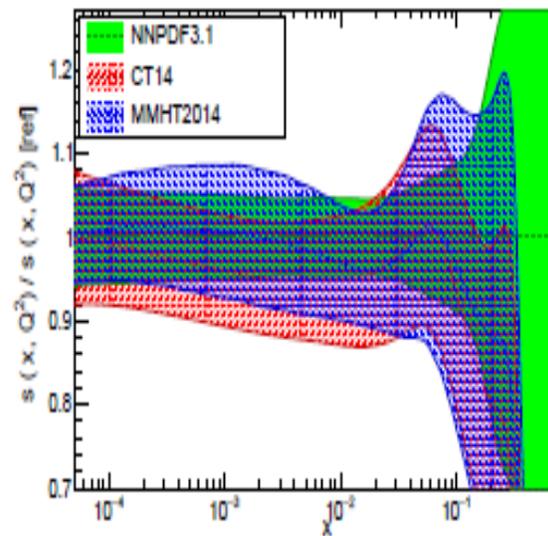
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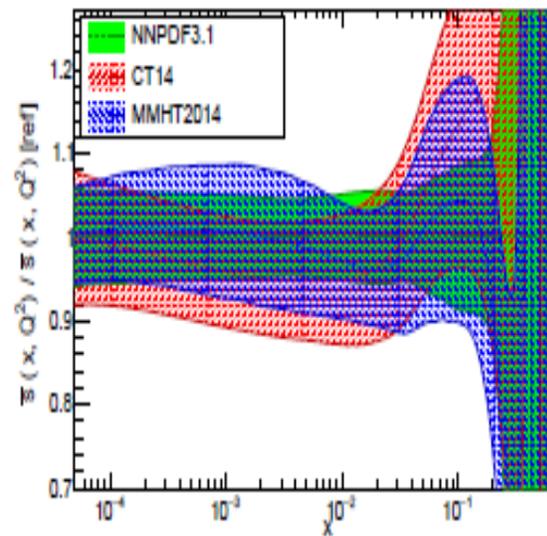
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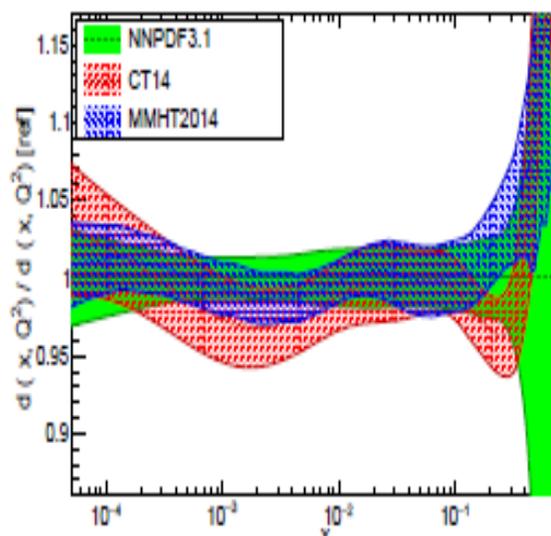
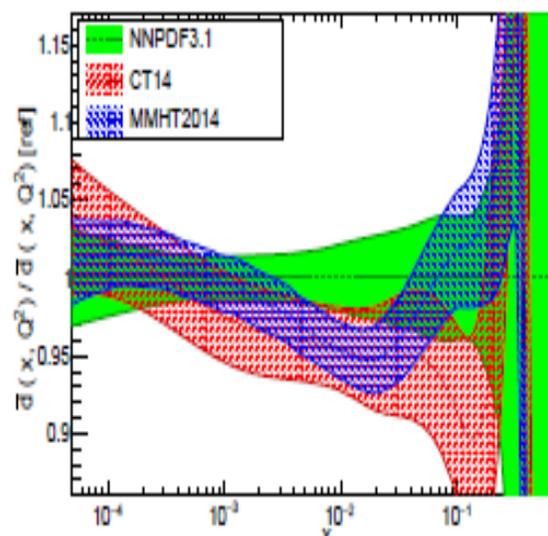
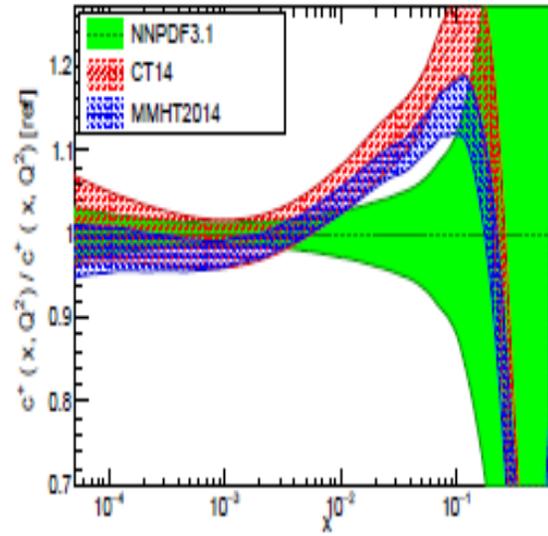
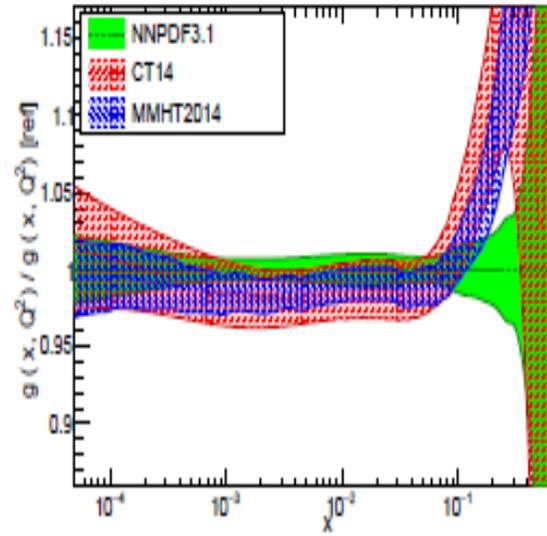
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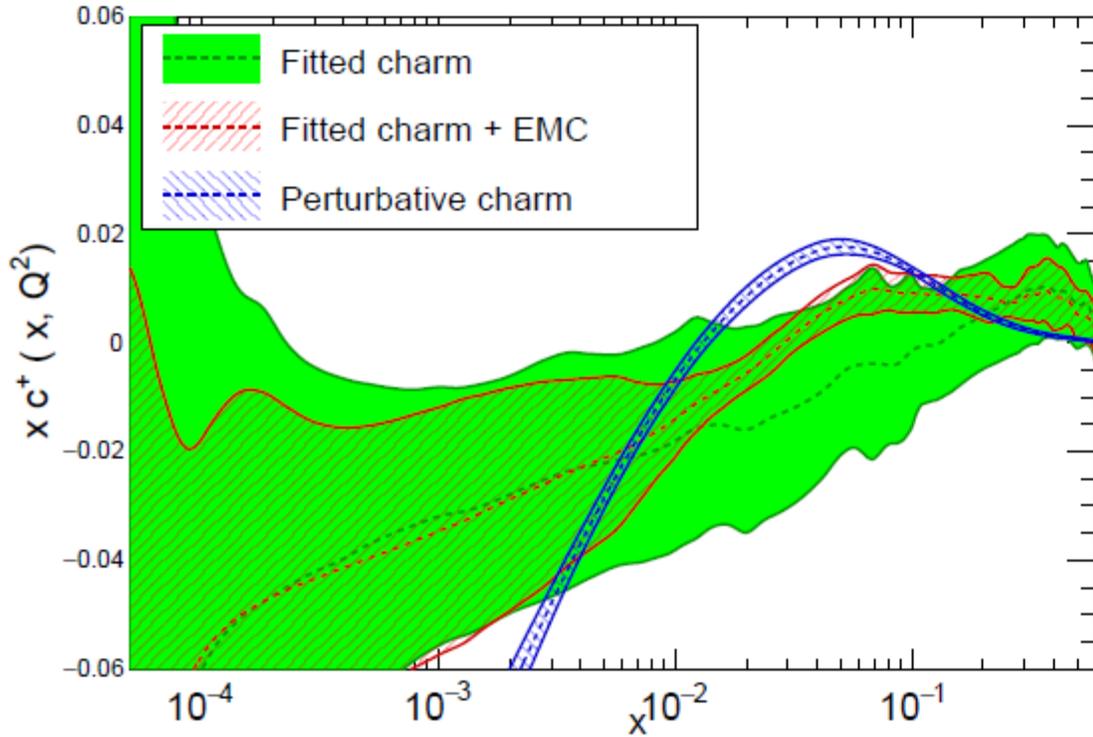
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$x c(x, Q)$

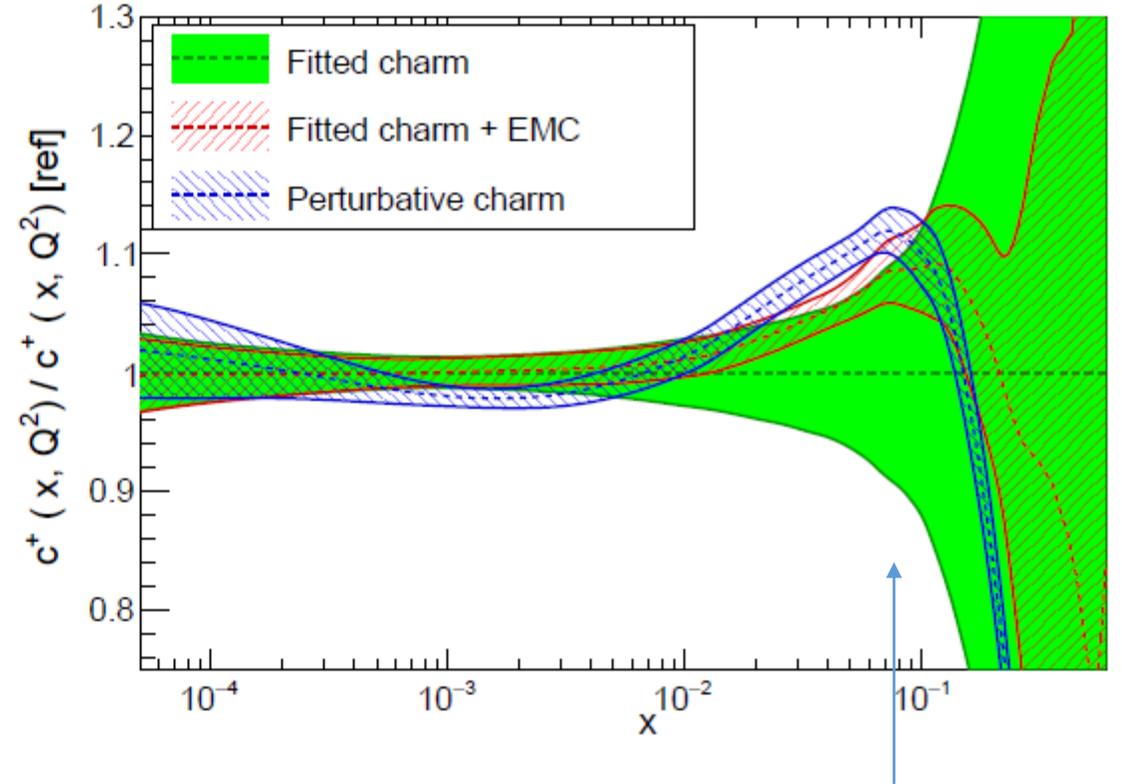
$Q=1.51 \text{ GeV}$

NNPDF3.1 NNLO,  $Q=1.51 \text{ GeV}$



$Q = M_Z$

NNPDF3.1 NNLO,  $Q = M_Z$



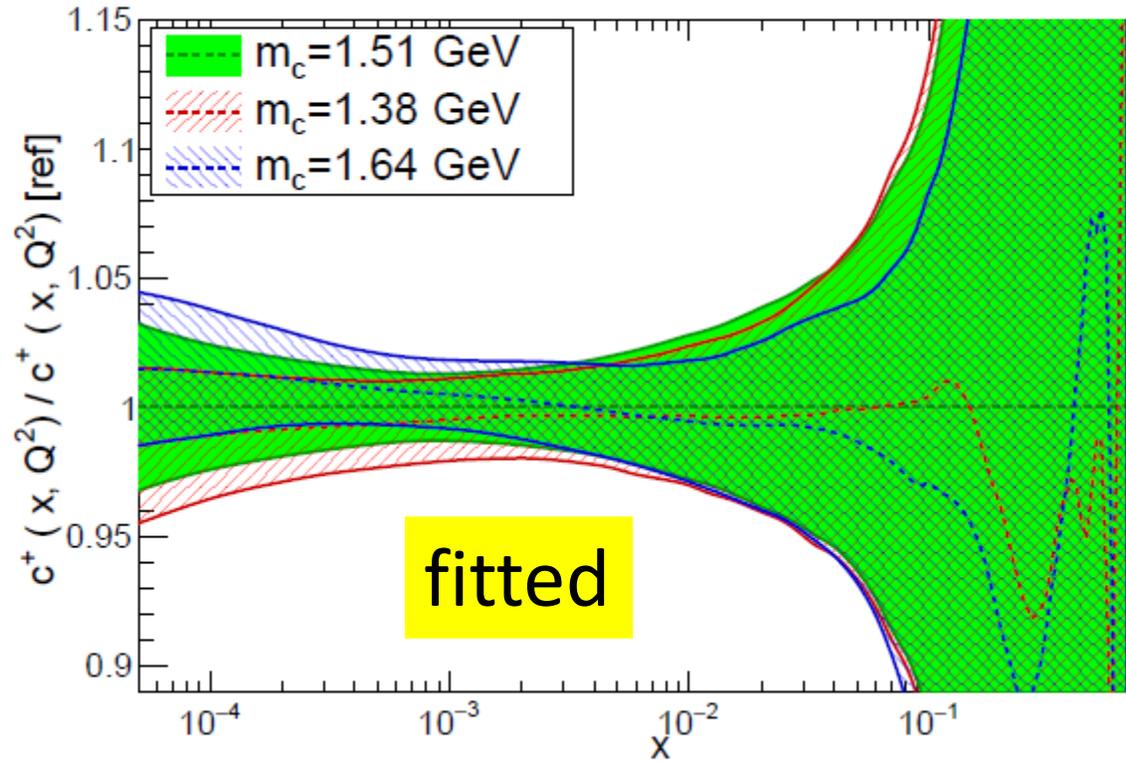
intrinsic = fitted – perturbative ?

negative

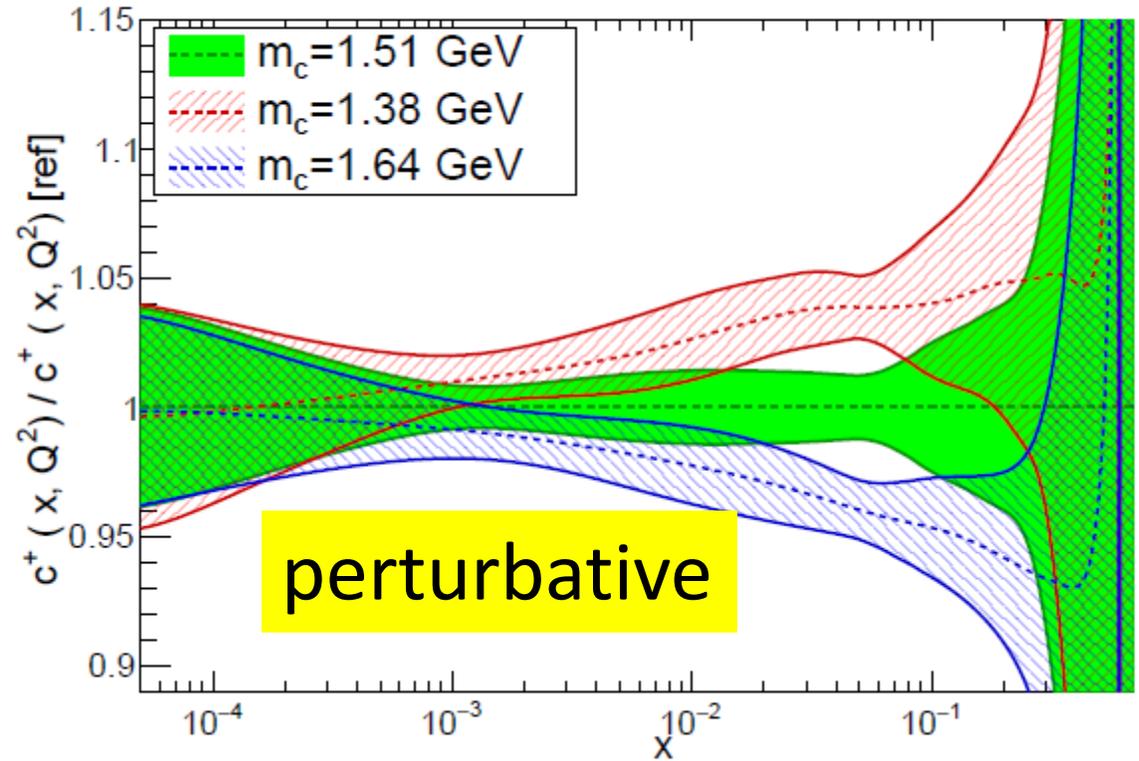
Claim fraction of charm  $\text{mom}^n \text{ compt.} = 0.16 \pm 0.14 \%$

# charm at $Q^2=10^4$ GeV

NNPDF3.1 NNLO fitted charm,  $Q = 100$  GeV



NNPDF3.1 NNLO perturbative charm,  $Q = 100$  GeV



## strangeness

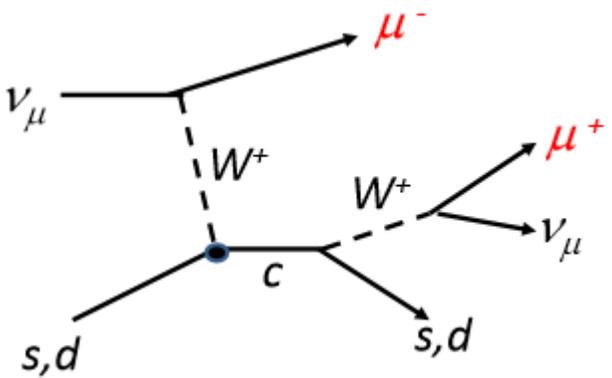
$$K_s(Q^2) = \frac{\int_0^1 dx x (s(x, Q^2) + \bar{s}(x, Q^2))}{\int_0^1 dx x (\bar{u}(x, Q^2) + \bar{d}(x, Q^2))}$$

Global PDF fitter's often found  $K_s \sim 0.5$

High precision ATLAS W,Z data challenge this result  
---- their data suggested  $K_s \sim 1$       1612.03016

MMHT +  
ATLAS W, Z data

Large increase in  $s + \bar{s}$  and decrease in uncertainty.  
Correlation with fit to dimuon data (lower branching ratio) leads to increase at high  $x$ .

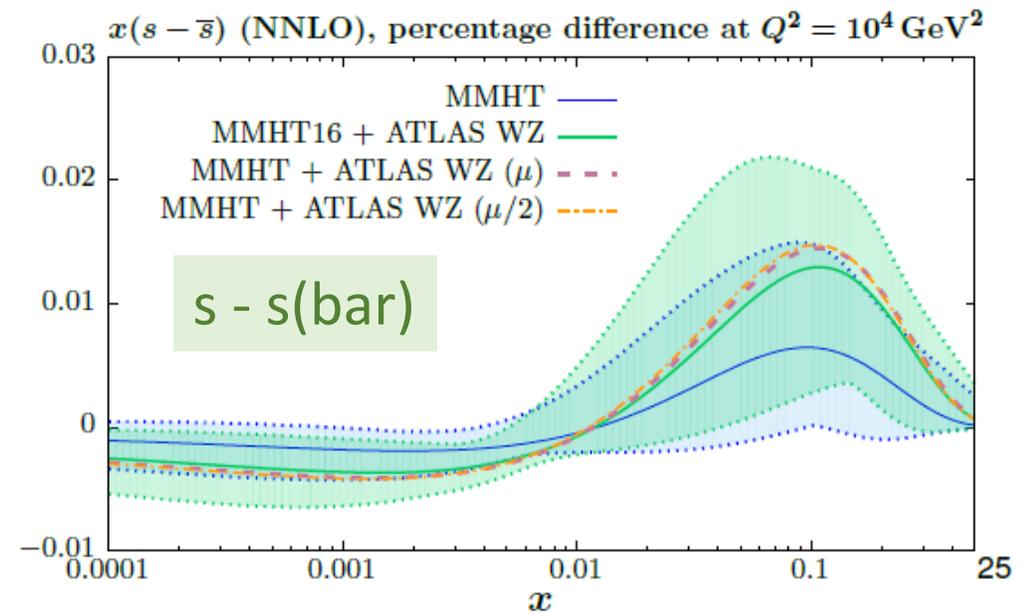
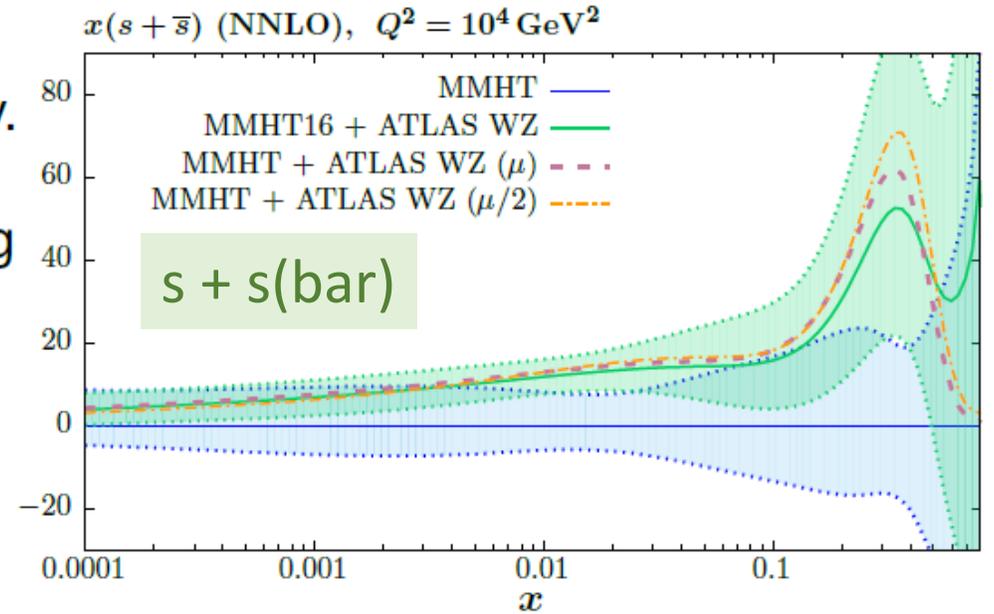


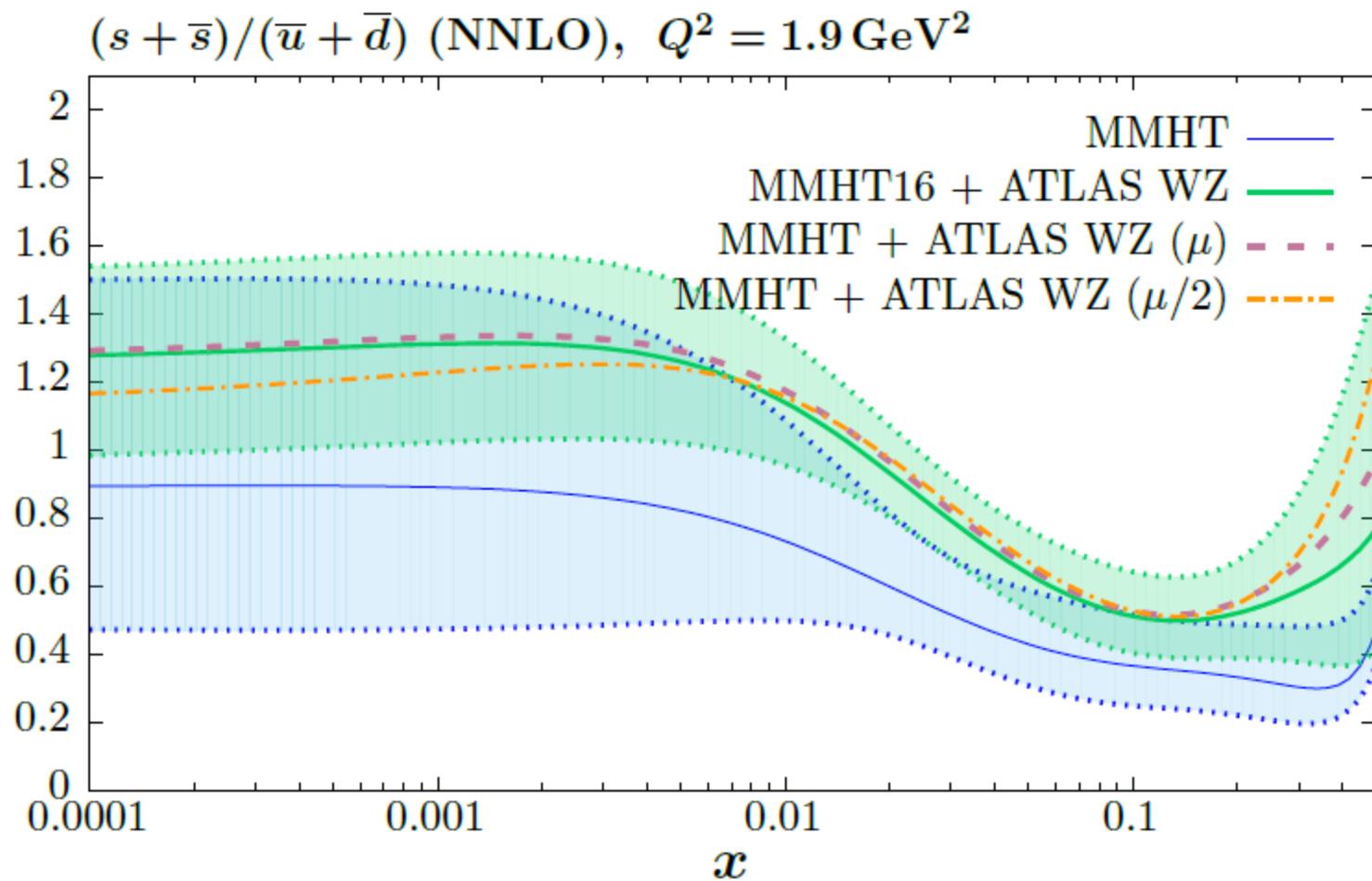
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Larger for  $x > 0.1$  due to significant down quark contribution in this region despite Cabibbo suppression.

There is impact on  $s - \bar{s}$  uncertainty, from the change in branching ratio.

$B(D \rightarrow \mu) = (0.085-0.091) \pm 15\%$





Ratio of  $(s + \bar{s})$  to  $\bar{u} + \bar{d}$ , i.e.  $R_s$  at  $Q^2 = 1.9 \text{ GeV}^2$ .

At  $x = 0.023$   $R_s \sim 0.83 \pm 0.15$ . Compare to ATLAS with  $R_s = 1.13^{+0.08}_{-0.13}$

$R_s$  exceeds unity at lower  $x$ , but essentially an extrapolation. Comfortably consistent with unity.

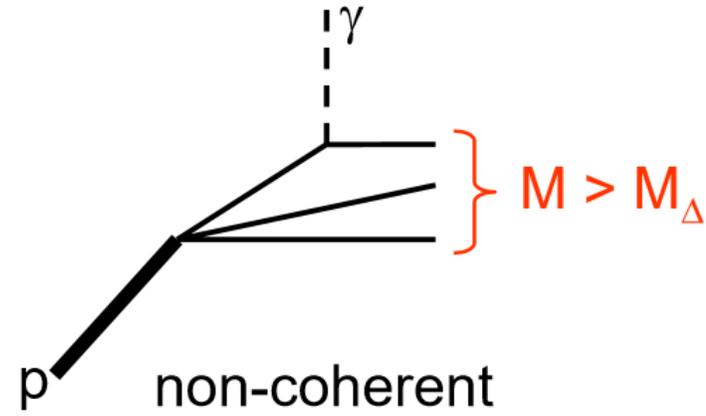
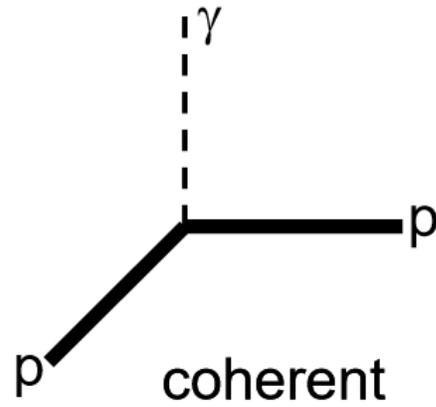
# Photon PDF

$$\frac{\partial \gamma(x, Q^2)}{\partial \log Q^2} = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} \left( P_{\gamma\gamma} \otimes \gamma + \sum_1 e_i^2 P_{\gamma q} \otimes q_i \right)$$

Choice of input: MRST(1995) used photon emission off valence quarks

$$\gamma^p(x, Q_0^2) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \int \frac{dz}{z} \left[ \frac{4}{9} \log \left( \frac{Q_0^2}{m_u^2} \right) u_0 \left( \frac{x}{z} \right) + \frac{1}{9} \log \left( \frac{Q_0^2}{m_d^2} \right) d_0 \left( \frac{x}{z} \right) \right] \frac{1 + (1-z)^2}{z}$$

$$\gamma^N(x, Q_0^2) = \gamma_{\text{coh}}^N + \gamma_{\text{incoh}}^N$$

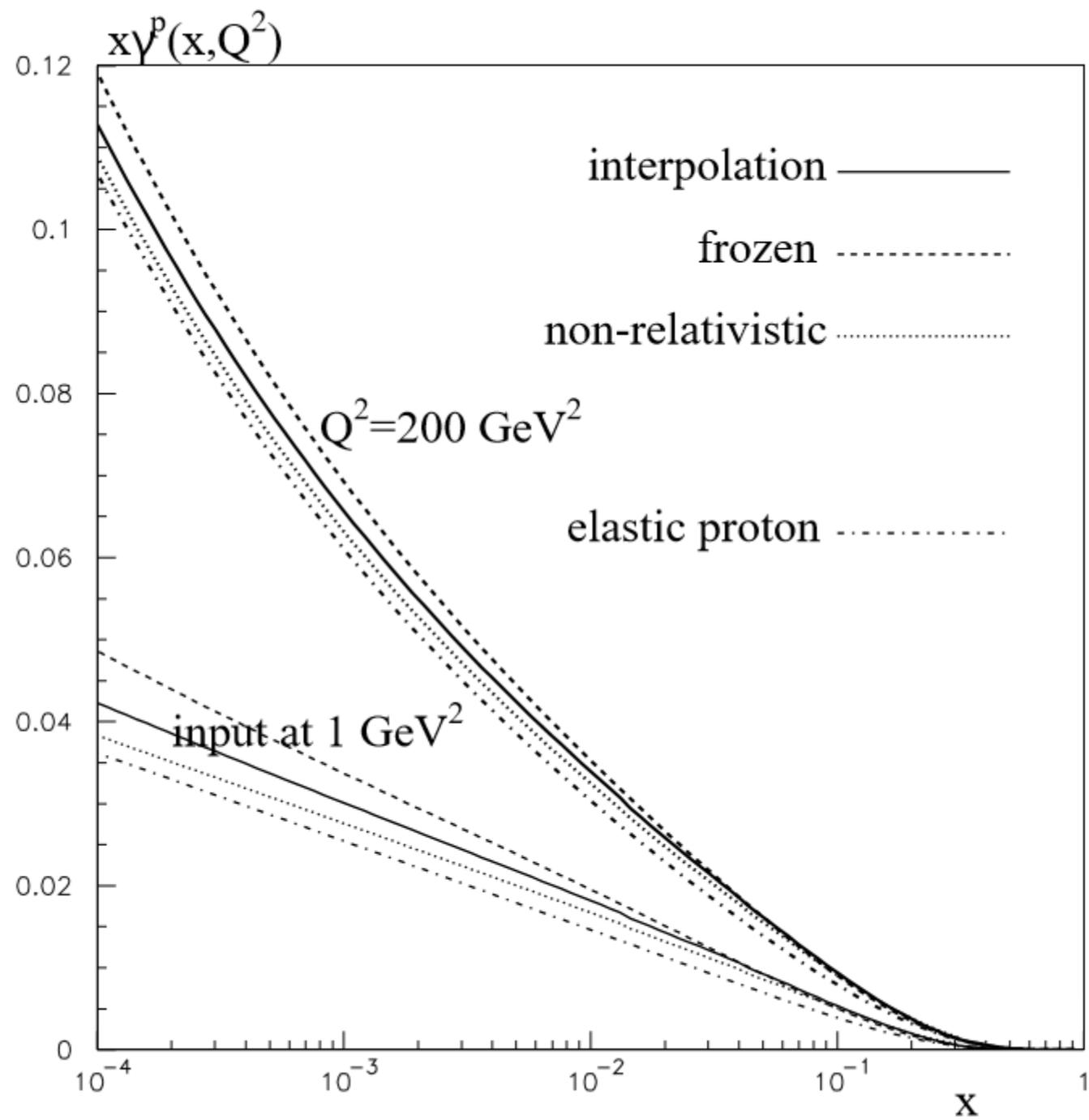


$$\gamma_{\text{coh}}^p(x, Q_0^2) = \frac{\alpha^{\text{QED}}}{2\pi} \frac{[1 + (1-x)^2]}{x} \int_0^{|t| < Q_0^2} dq_t^2 \frac{q_t^2}{(q_t^2 + x^2 m_p^2)^2} F_1^2(t)$$

known &  
dominant

$$\gamma_{\text{incoh}}^p(x, Q_0^2) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \int_x^1 \frac{dz}{z} \left[ \frac{4}{9} u_0\left(\frac{x}{z}\right) + \frac{1}{9} d_0\left(\frac{x}{z}\right) \right] \frac{1 + (1-z)^2}{z} \int_{|t_{\text{min}}|}^{Q_0^2} \frac{dt}{t - m_q^2} (1 - F_1^2(t))$$

1406.2118



## Inclusive jet production at NNLO

NNLO formalism just available after many years work by Glover et al.

However, choice of factorization scale a problem. Ambiguous.

Have up to 4 jets in final state. Moreover jet cone size.

Each devours many days of computing.

There is a way to fix the scale (1702.01663) but data collection not set up to implement it.

# $b\bar{b}$ production at NLO at fac<sup>n</sup> scale $\mu_f$

1610.06034

$\mu_f$  dep. of  $C^{(1)}$  occurs, -- need to subtract part of NLO diag generated by LO evolution

$$\sigma^{(0)}(\mu_f) + \sigma^{(1)}(\mu_f) = \alpha_s^2 \left[ \text{PDF}(\mu_f) \otimes C^{(0)} \otimes \text{PDF}(\mu_f) + \text{PDF}(\mu_f) \otimes \alpha_s C^{(1)}(\mu_f) \otimes \text{PDF}(\mu_f) \right]$$

Free to evaluate LO term at diff. scale  $\mu_F$  since it can be compensated by changes in  $C^{(1)}$

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LO DGLAP evolution

The idea is to use known NLO coeff fn  $C^{(1)}(\mu_f)$  to choose  $\mu_F$  so that  $C_{\text{rem}}^{(1)}(\mu_F)$  is a minimum

$$C_{\text{rem}}^{(1)}(\mu_F) = C^{(1)}(\mu_f) - \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \ln \left( \frac{\mu_F^2}{\mu_f^2} \right) (P_{\text{left}} \otimes C^{(0)} + C^{(0)} \otimes P_{\text{right}})$$

full NLO coeff.fn

part moved to LO PDFs

change due to compensation

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change due to compensation

That is,  $\mu_F$  is fixed so that the residual NLO coeff.  $f^n$  excludes  $\alpha_s \log \mu_F^2 \log(1/x)$  contrib<sup>ns</sup> moving them to the LO PDFs where they are resummed to all orders by DGLAP evolution

The residual fac<sup>n</sup> scale,  $\mu_f$ , dependence is optimized (reduced) for low  $x$ . Note that  $C_{\text{rem}}^{(1)}(\mu_F)$  does not depend on  $\mu_f$  --- the  $\mu_f$  dependence occurs only in the PDFs in the NLO correction

## Physical understanding of optimal scale

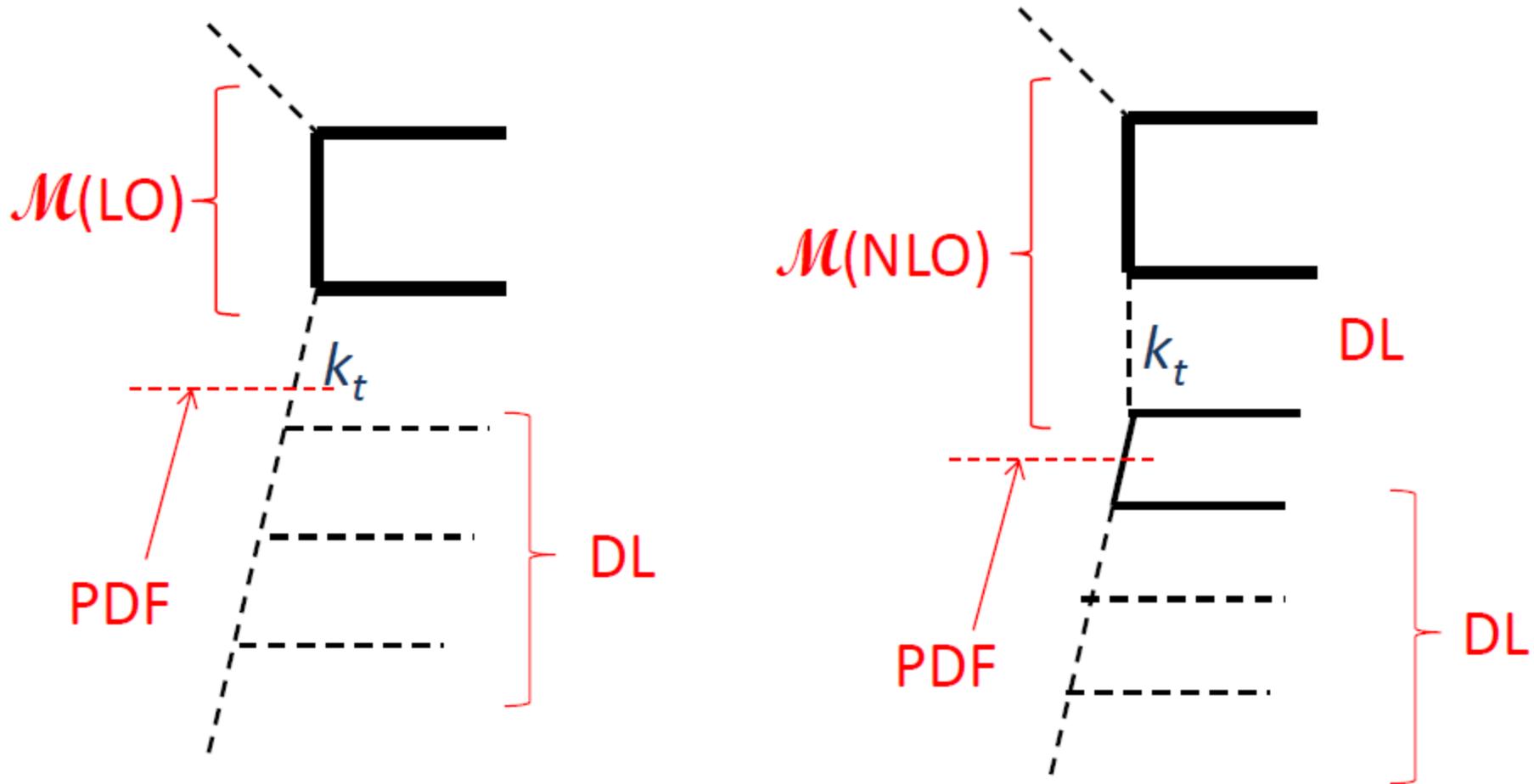
The log integration  $\int \frac{dk^2}{k^2}$  over incoming parton virtuality  $k^2$ , hidden in DGLAP, does not extend to  $\infty$ , and is limited by **off-shell** matrix element  $\mathcal{M}^{\text{LO}}(k^2)$

Optimal choice of  $\mu_F$  is such that value of DGLAP integral up to  $\mu_F$  equals the value of the **convergent** integral :

$$\int_{Q_0^2}^{\infty} \frac{dk^2}{k^2} |\mathcal{M}^{\text{LO}}(k^2)|^2 = \int_{Q_0^2}^{\mu_F^2} \frac{dk^2}{k^2} |\mathcal{M}^{\text{LO}}(k^2 = 0)|^2 = |\mathcal{M}^{\text{LO}}(k^2 = 0)|^2 \ln \frac{\mu_F^2}{Q_0^2}$$

**So part of NLO correction**, which has same DGLAP structure, is moved to the LO term --- this minimizes the NLO correction

# Physical understanding continued



Double Log (DL) integral in NLO matrix elem. is the same as in the gluon cell below the LO matrix elem.

# Now consider jet production

Summary of NLO  $b\bar{b}$  prod. to determine optimal fac. scale  $\mu_F$

$$\sigma^{(0)}(\mu_f) + \sigma^{(1)}(\mu_f) = \alpha_s^2 [\text{PDF}(\mu_F) \otimes C^{(0)} \otimes \text{PDF}(\mu_F) + \text{PDF}(\mu_f) \otimes \alpha_s C_{\text{rem}}^{(1)}(\mu_F) \otimes \text{PDF}(\mu_f)]$$

↑ LO term
small residual NLO correction

$$\alpha_s^2 \text{PDF}(\mu_f) \otimes \left( C^{(0)} + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \ln \left( \frac{\mu_F^2}{\mu_f^2} \right) (P_{\text{left}} \otimes C^{(0)} + C^{(0)} \otimes P_{\text{right}}) \right) \otimes \text{PDF}(\mu_f)$$

$P$ 's are LO DGLAP splitting fns.

# Generalise to jet production – but now three scales $\mu_-, \mu_+, \mu_D$

$$\left[ \alpha_s^2 \text{PDF}(\mu_-) \otimes \left( C^{(0)} + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{\mu_F^2}{\mu_-^2} \right) P_{\text{left}} \otimes C^{(0)} + \ln \left( \frac{\mu_F^2}{\mu_+^2} \right) C^{(0)} \otimes P_{\text{right}} \right] \right) \otimes \text{PDF}(\mu_+) \right] \otimes \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \ln \left( \frac{\mu_F^2}{\mu_D^2} \right) P_D \right) \otimes D(z, \mu_D) + \dots C_{\text{rem}}^{(1)}(\mu_-, \mu_+, \mu_D) \dots$$

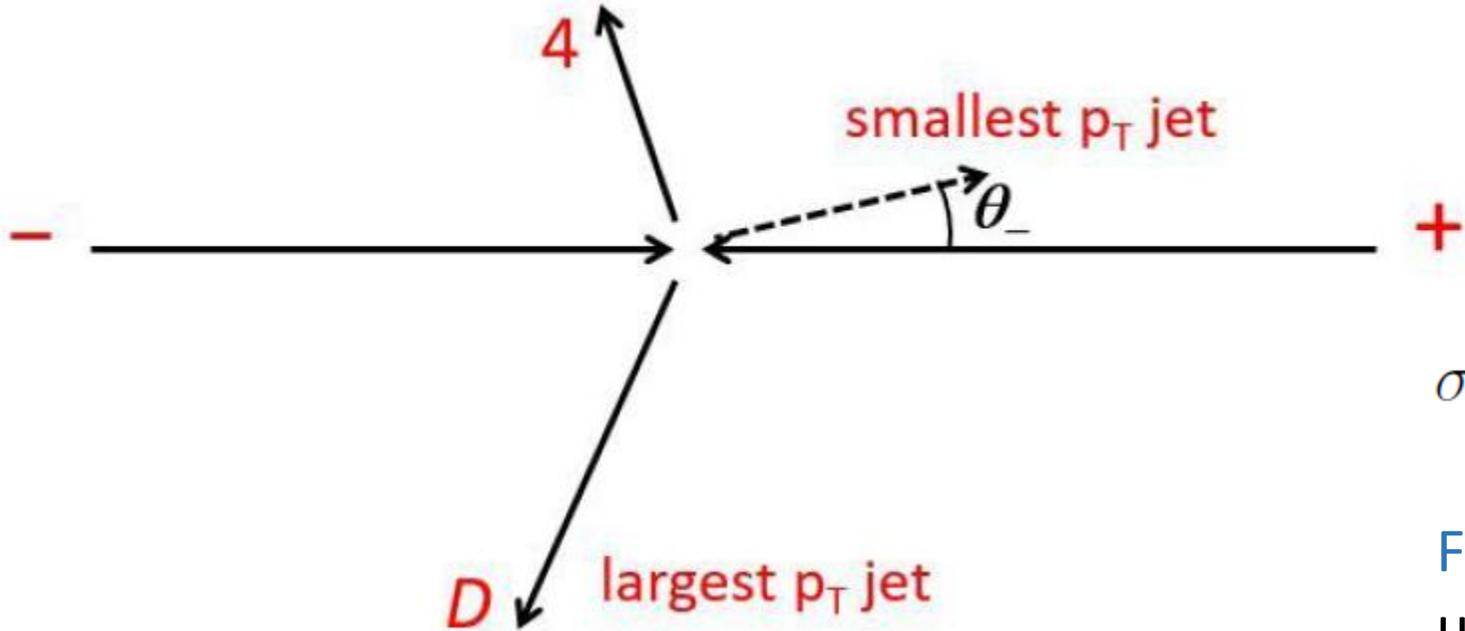
LO term
jet frag. fn.
small residual NLO correction

The optimum value of  $\mu_D$  is driven by the jet cone size  $\Delta R$

Since DGLAP evolution is written in terms of collinear factorization --- it is most convenient to order the contributions to the **jet process in terms of angles**.

To obtain the optimal LO description we study the  $2 \rightarrow 3$  NLO subprocess.

First calculate the angles  $\theta_i$  of the 4 partons relative to lowest  $p_T$  outgoing parton



Next, divide  $\sigma_{2 \rightarrow 3}$  into 4 parts corresponding to the smallest  $\theta_i$ 's

$$\sigma_{j=+,-,D,4}^{\text{NLO}} = \sigma_{2 \rightarrow 3} \prod_{i \neq j} \Theta(\theta_i - \theta_j)$$

Finally, determine **3 optimal scales  $\mu_j$**  using 3 coupled eqs. each of the form :

$j=+,-,D$

$$\sigma_j^{\text{NLO}}(\mu_0) = |\mathcal{M}^{\text{LO}}(k^2 = 0)|^2 \otimes \text{PDF}_{i \neq j}(\mu_0) \otimes D_{i \neq j}(\mu_0) \otimes \text{PDF}_j(\mu_0) \otimes P^{\text{real}}(z) \ln \frac{\mu_j^2}{\mu_0^2}$$

( $\mu_0$  is a low dummy scale. Iterate with  $\mu_0$  replaced by new  $\mu_j$  in turn)

see boxed eq.  
3 slides previous

$\hat{P}_{LO}^+$  means sp.fn  
acts on PDF( $\mu_+$ )

That is, the 3 optimal scales are fixed to make residual NLO coefficient function as small as possible ; namely

$$C_{\text{rem}}^{(1)}(\mu_-, \mu_+, \mu_D) = C^{(1)}(\mu_f) - \sum_{j=+,-,D} C^{(0)} \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \ln \left( \frac{\mu_j^2}{\mu_f^2} \right) \hat{P}_{LO}^j ,$$

NLO coeff.fn                      part moved to LO PDFs,  $D$  fn.

by absorbing (and resumming) in the LO term as much as possible of the NLO correction. In this way the dependence on the residual factorization scale,  $\mu_f$ , is reduced to a minimum.

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The procedure can be extended in a straightforward way to NNLO.

We fix the scales in the NLO correction by dividing up the real  $2 \rightarrow 4$  NNLO contribution into 5 parts in terms of angles. Only three parts, those collinear to the +, - and  $D$  directions, are relevant.

# Power Corrections

Tendency to overshoot HERA neutral current data at highest  $y$  and low  $x$  and  $Q^2$

Phenomenology:  $F_L \rightarrow F_L (1 + a/Q^2)$        $a = 4.3 \text{ GeV}^2$

$F_2$  does not seem to need correction

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Physical origin of corrections:

1. Absorptive corrections
2. Confinement
3.  $Q_0$  cut to avoid double counting in Coeff. Fns