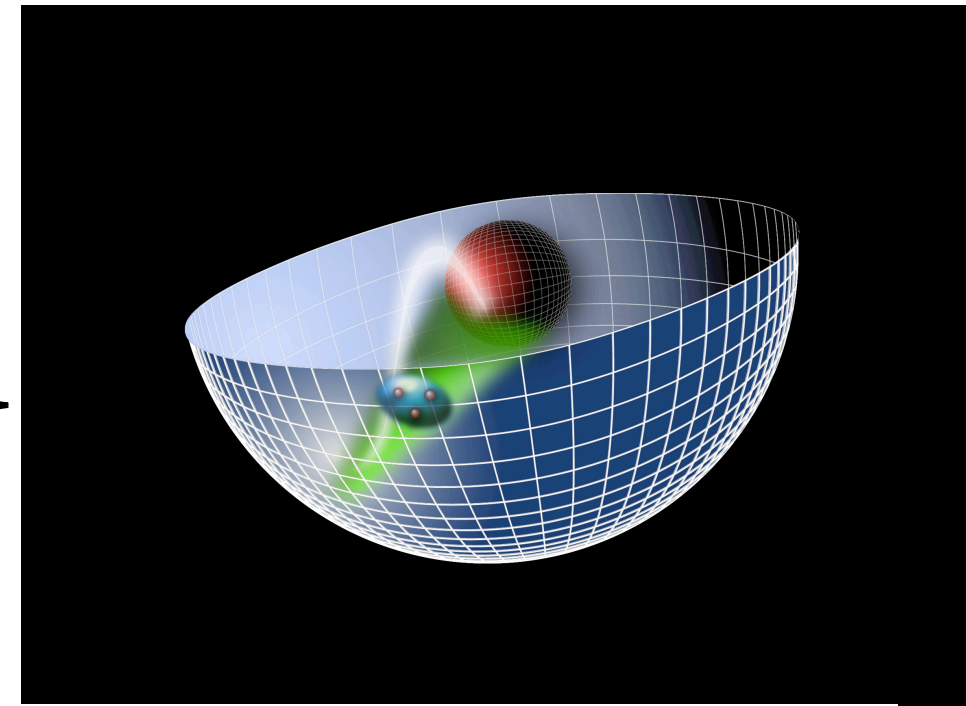
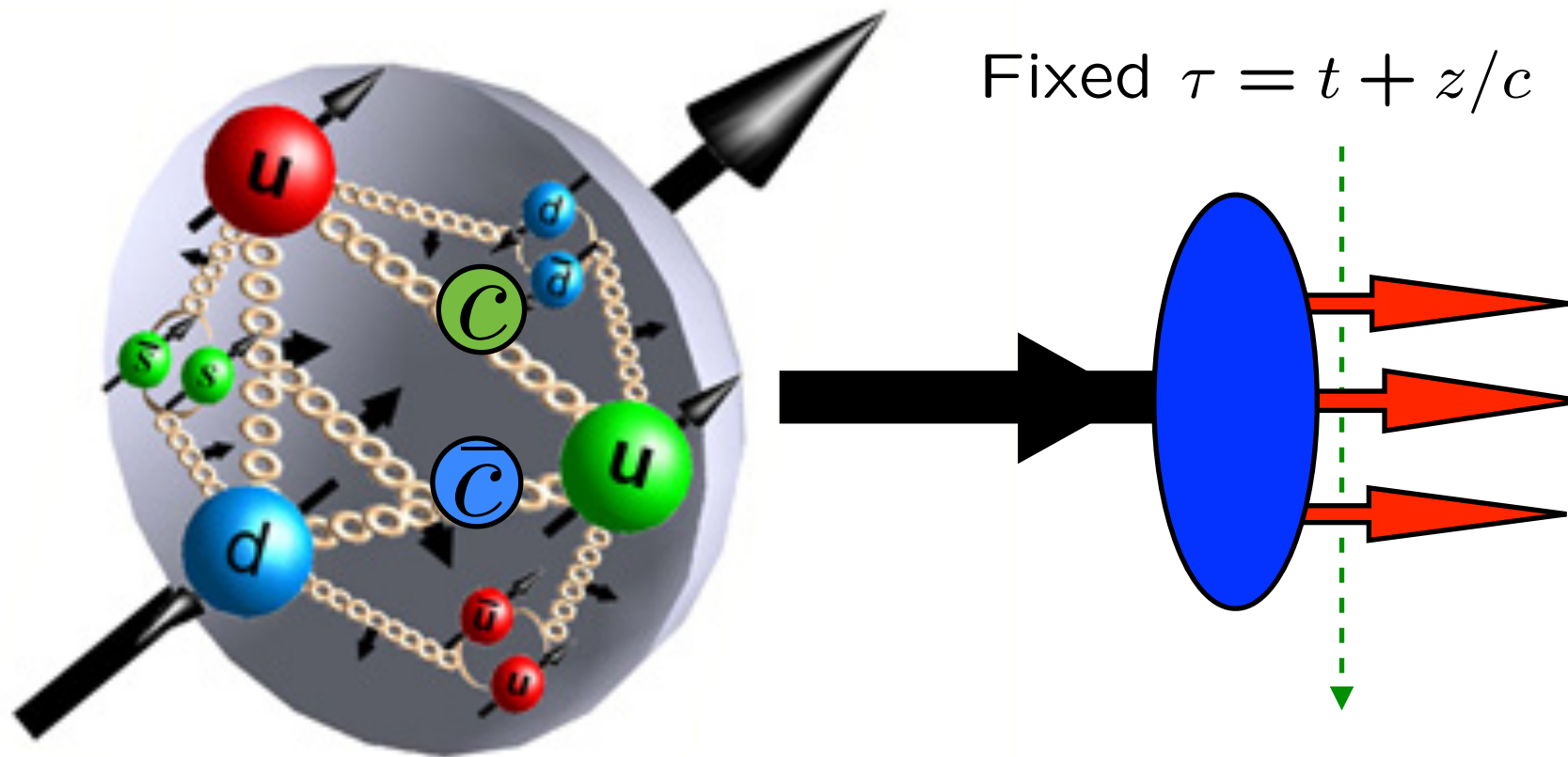


# Supersymmetric Features of Hadron Physics and Properties of Quantum Chromodynamics from Light-Front Holography and Superconformal Algebra

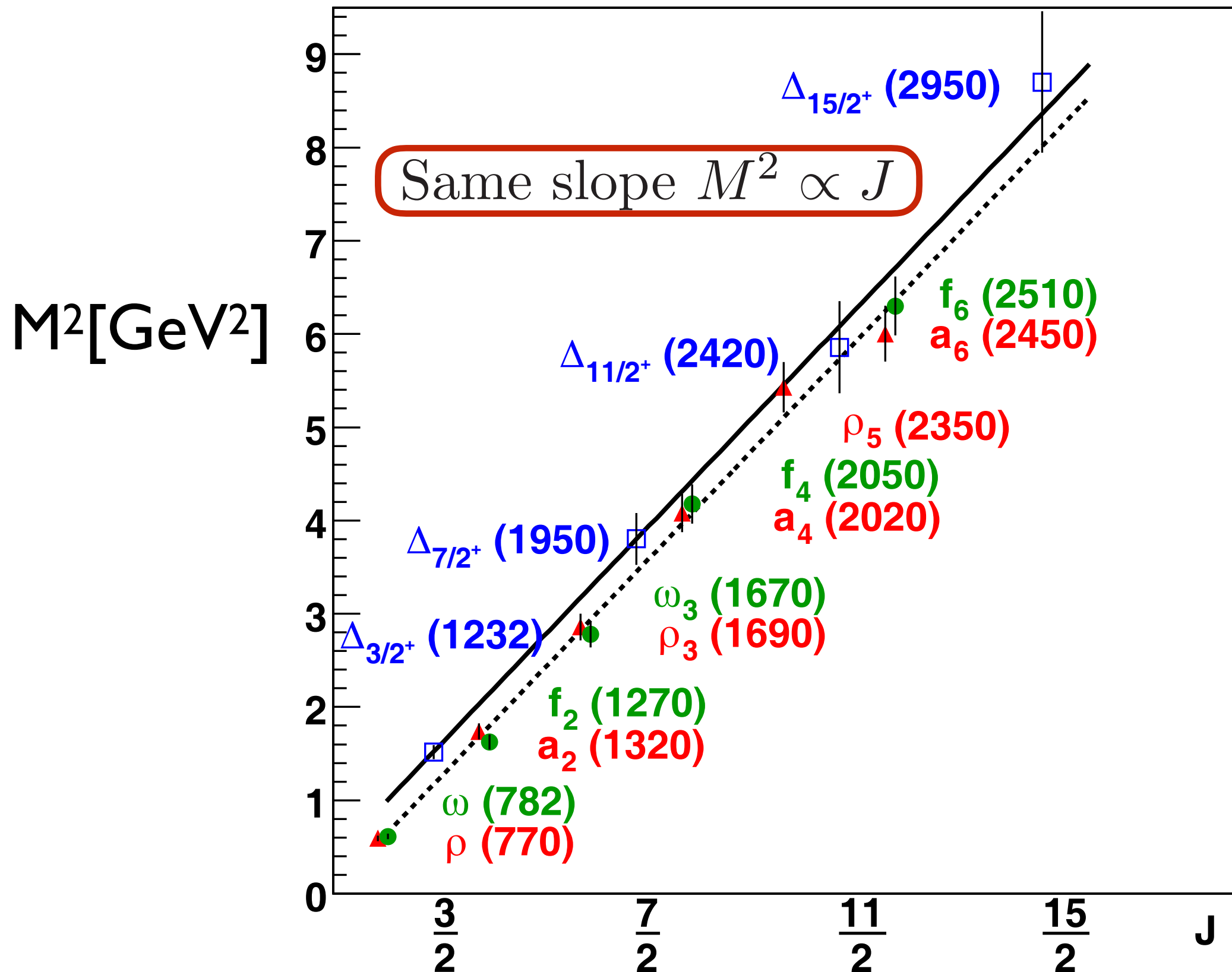


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The leading Regge trajectory:  $\Delta$  resonances with maximal  $J$  in a given mass range.  
Also shown is the Regge trajectory for mesons with  $J = L+S$ .

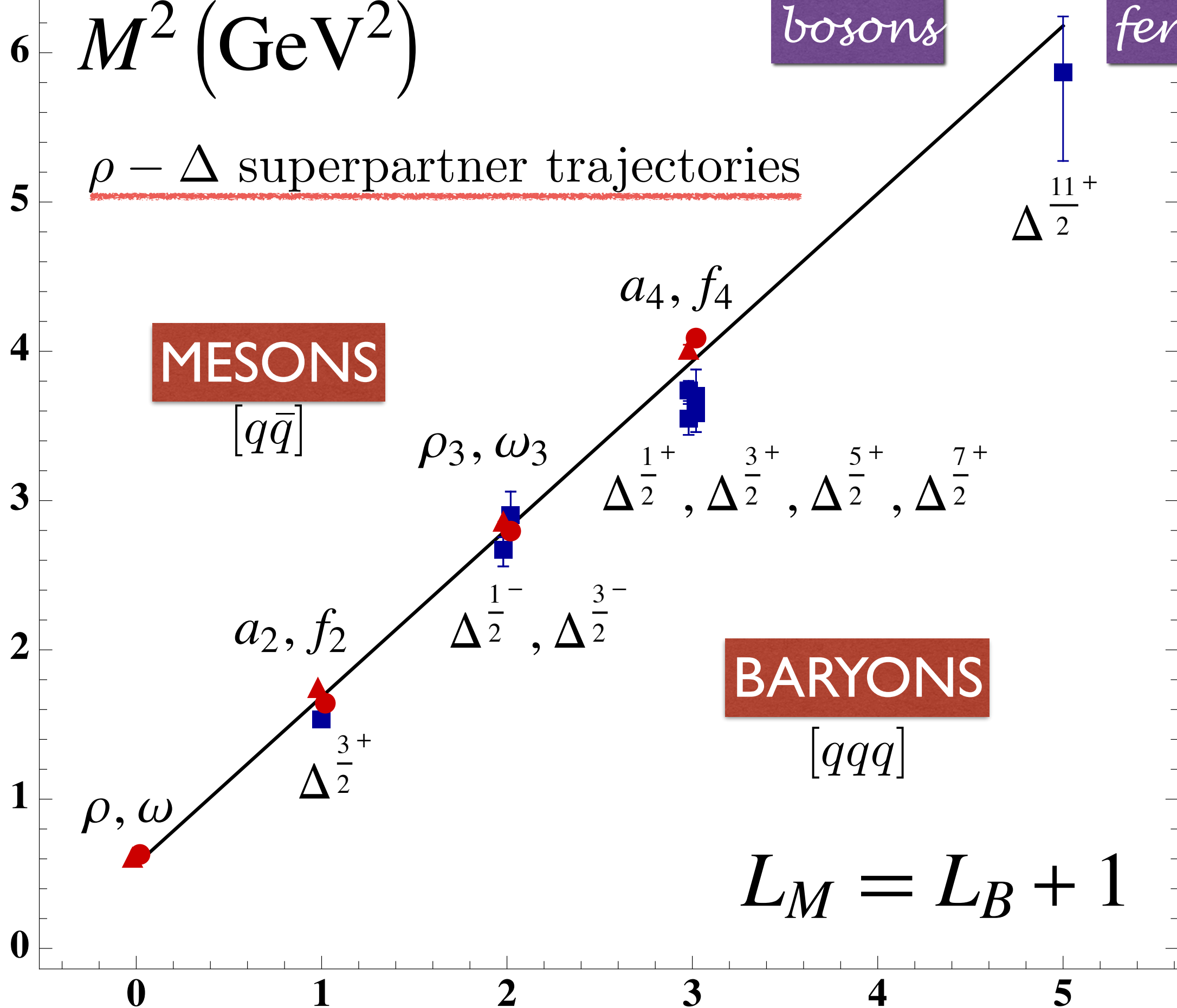


$M^2 \text{ (GeV}^2\text{)}$

bosons

fermions

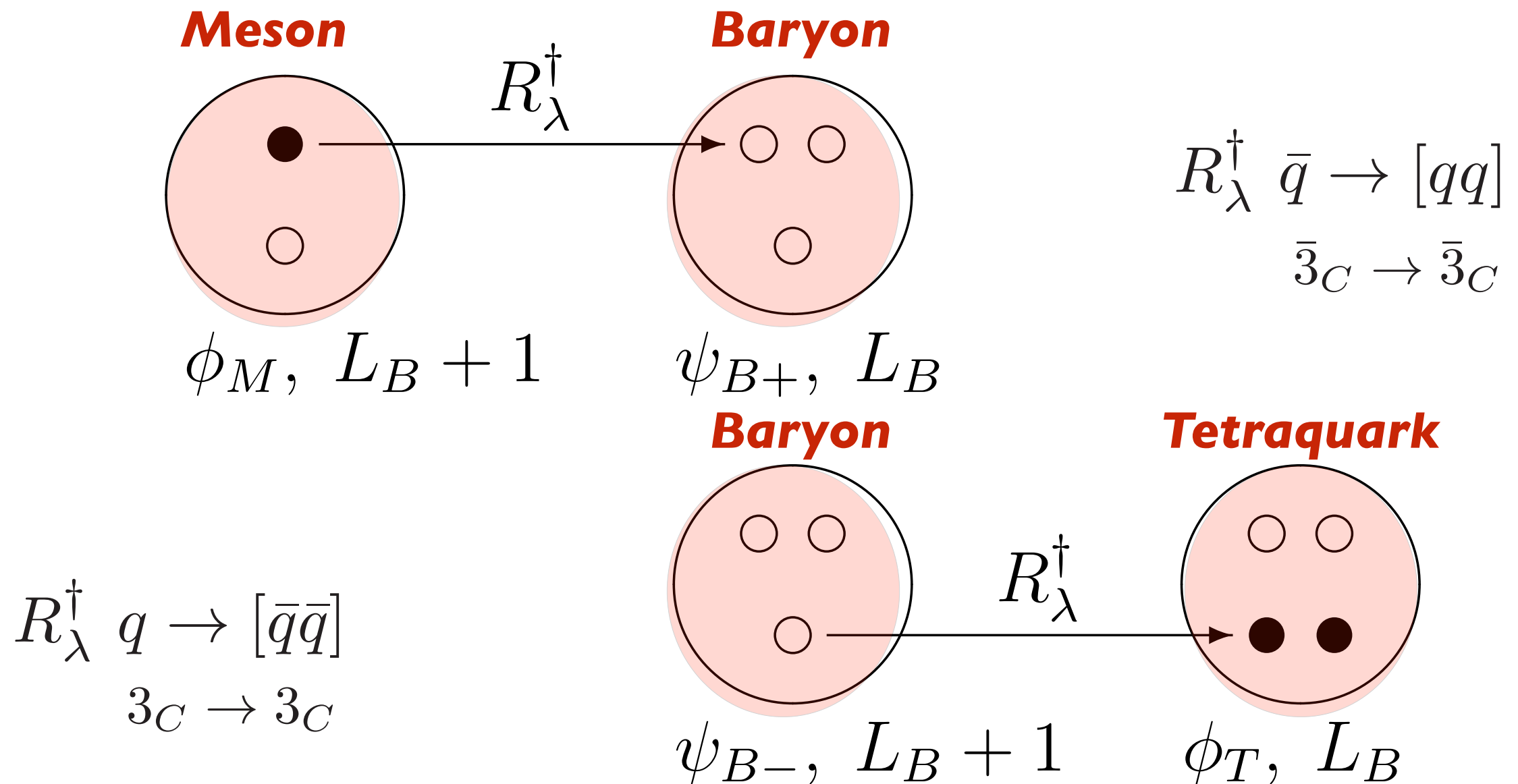
$\rho - \Delta$  superpartner trajectories



# Superconformal Algebra

## 2X2 Hadronic Multiplets: 4-Plet

Bosons, Fermions with Equal Mass!



Proton:  $|u[ud]\rangle$  Quark + Scalar Diquark  
 Equal Weight:  $L=0, L=1$



Meson			Baryon			Tetraquark		
$q$ -cont	$J^{P(C)}$	Name	$q$ -cont	$J^P$	Name	$q$ -cont	$J^{P(C)}$	Name
$\bar{q}q$	$0^{-+}$	$\pi(140)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{q}q$	$1^{+-}$	$h_1(1170)$	$[ud]q$	$(1/2)^+$	$N(940)$	$[ud][\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$0^{++}$	$\sigma(500)$
$\bar{q}q$	$2^{-+}$	$\pi_2(1670), \eta_2(1645)$	$[ud]q$	$(3/2)^-$	$N_{\frac{3}{2}}^-(1520)$	$[ud][\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$1^{-+}$	—
$\bar{q}q$	$1^{--}$	$\rho(770), \omega(780)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{q}q$	$2^{++}$	$a_2(1320), f_2(1270)$	$(qq)q$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Delta(1232)$	$(qq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$1^{++}$	$a_1(1260)$
							$1^{+-}$	$b_1(1235)$
$\bar{q}q$	$3^{--}$	$\rho_3(1690), \omega_3(1670)$	$(qq)q$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Delta_{\frac{3}{2}}^-(1700)$	$(qq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$2^{--}$	—
$\bar{q}q$	$4^{++}$	$a_4(2040), f_4(2050)$	$(qq)q$	$(7/2)^+$	$\Delta_{\frac{7}{2}}^+(1950)$	$(qq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$3^{++}$	—
$\bar{q}s$	$0^-$	$\bar{K}(495)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{q}s$	$1^+$	$\bar{K}_1(1270)$	$[ud]s$	$(1/2)^+$	$\Lambda(1115)$	$[ud][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$0^+$	$K_0^*(1430)$
$\bar{q}s$	$2^-$	$K_2(1770)$	$[ud]s$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Lambda(1520)$	$[ud][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^-$	—
$\bar{s}q$	$0^-$	$K(495)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}q$	$1^+$	$K_1(1270)$	$[sq]q$	$(1/2)^+$	$\Sigma(1190)$	$[sq][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$0^{++}$	$a_0(980)$ $f_0(980)$
$\bar{s}q$	$1^-$	$K^*(890)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}q$	$2^+$	$K_2^*(1430)$	$(sq)q$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Sigma(1385)$	$(sq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$1^+$	$K_1(1400)$
$\bar{s}q$	$3^-$	$K_3^*(1780)$	$(sq)q$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Sigma(1670)$	$(sq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$2^-$	—
$\bar{s}q$	$4^+$	$K_4^*(2045)$	$(sq)q$	$(7/2)^+$	$\Sigma(2030)$	$(sq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$3^+$	—
$\bar{s}s$	$0^{-+}$	$\eta(550), \eta'(958)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}s$	$1^{+-}$	$h_1(1380)$	$[sq]s$	$(1/2)^+$	$\Xi(1320)$	$[sq][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$0^{++}$	$f_0(1370)$ $a_0(1450)$
$\bar{s}s$	$2^{-+}$	$\eta_2(1870)$	$[sq]s$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Xi(1620)$	$[sq][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^{-+}$	—
$\bar{s}s$	$1^{--}$	$\Phi(1020)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}s$	$2^{++}$	$f_2'(1525)$	$(sq)s$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Xi^*(1530)$	$(sq)[\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^{++}$	$f_1(1420)$ $a_1(1420)$
$\bar{s}s$	$3^{--}$	$\Phi_3(1850)$	$(sq)s$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Xi(1820)$	$(sq)[\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$2^{--}$	—
$\bar{s}s$	$2^{++}$	$f_2(1640)$	$(ss)s$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Omega(1672)$	$(ss)[\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^+$	$K_1(1650)$

*Need a First Approximation to QCD*

*Comparable in simplicity to  
Schrödinger Theory in Atomic Physics*

**Relativistic, Frame-Independent, Color-Confining**

**Origin of hadronic mass scale**

*AdS/QCD  
Light-Front Holography  
Superconformal Algebra*

*No parameters except for quark masses*



## Light-Front Time

Each element of  
flash photograph  
illuminated  
at same LF time

$$\tau = t + z/c$$

**Causal, frame-independent**

*Evolve in LF time*

$$P^- = i \frac{d}{d\tau}$$

$$P^\pm = P^0 \pm P^z$$

*Eigenstate -- independent of  $\tau$*

$$\text{Eigenvalue } P^- = \frac{\mathcal{M}^2 + \vec{P}_\perp^2}{P^+}$$

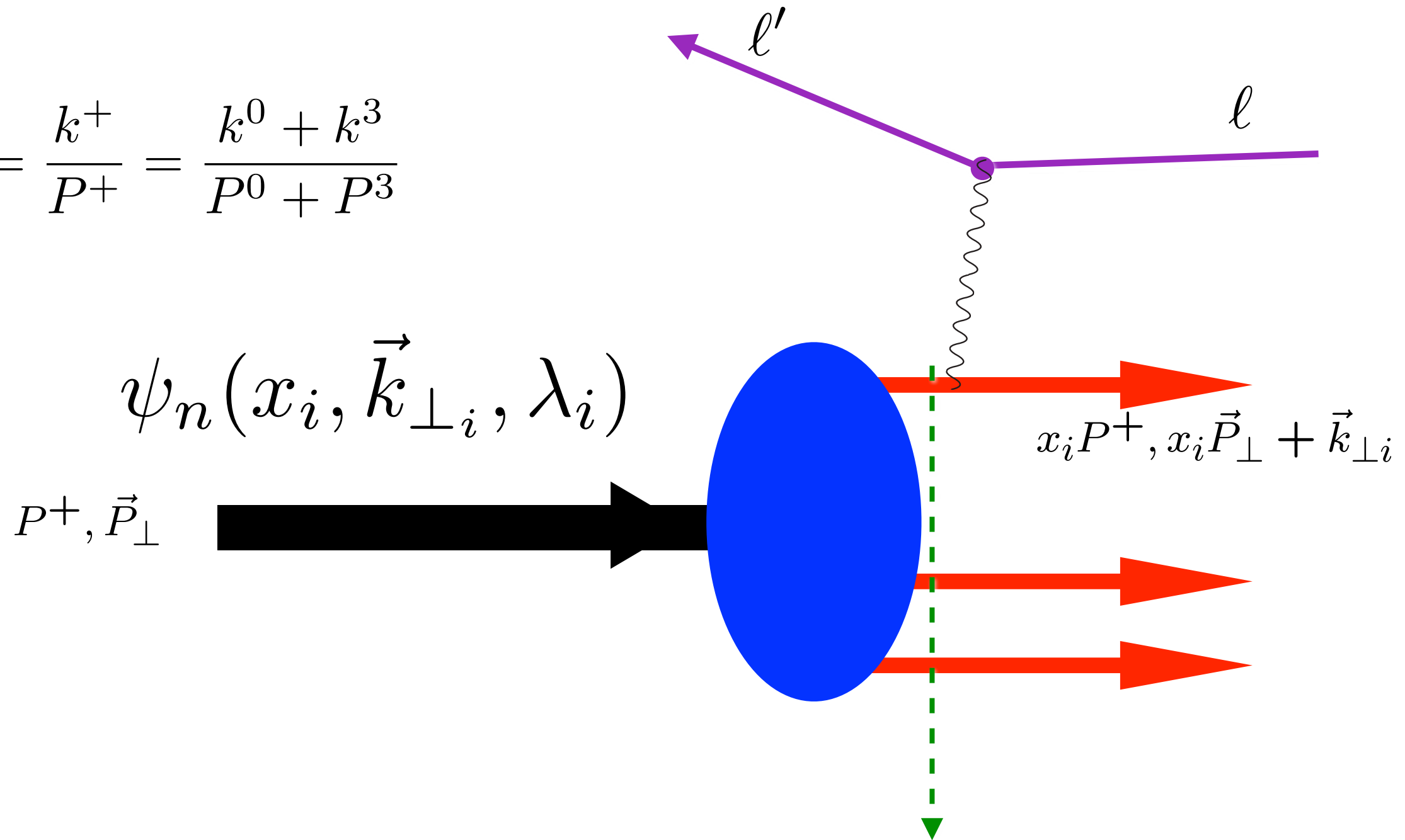
$$H_{LF} = P^\mu P_\mu = P^+ P^- - \vec{P}_\perp^2$$

$$H_{LF}^{QCD} |\Psi_h\rangle = \mathcal{M}_h^2 |\Psi_h\rangle$$



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$$x = \frac{k^+}{P^+} = \frac{k^0 + k^3}{P^0 + P^3}$$



***Measurements of hadron LF  
wavefunction are at fixed LF time***

***Like a flash photograph***

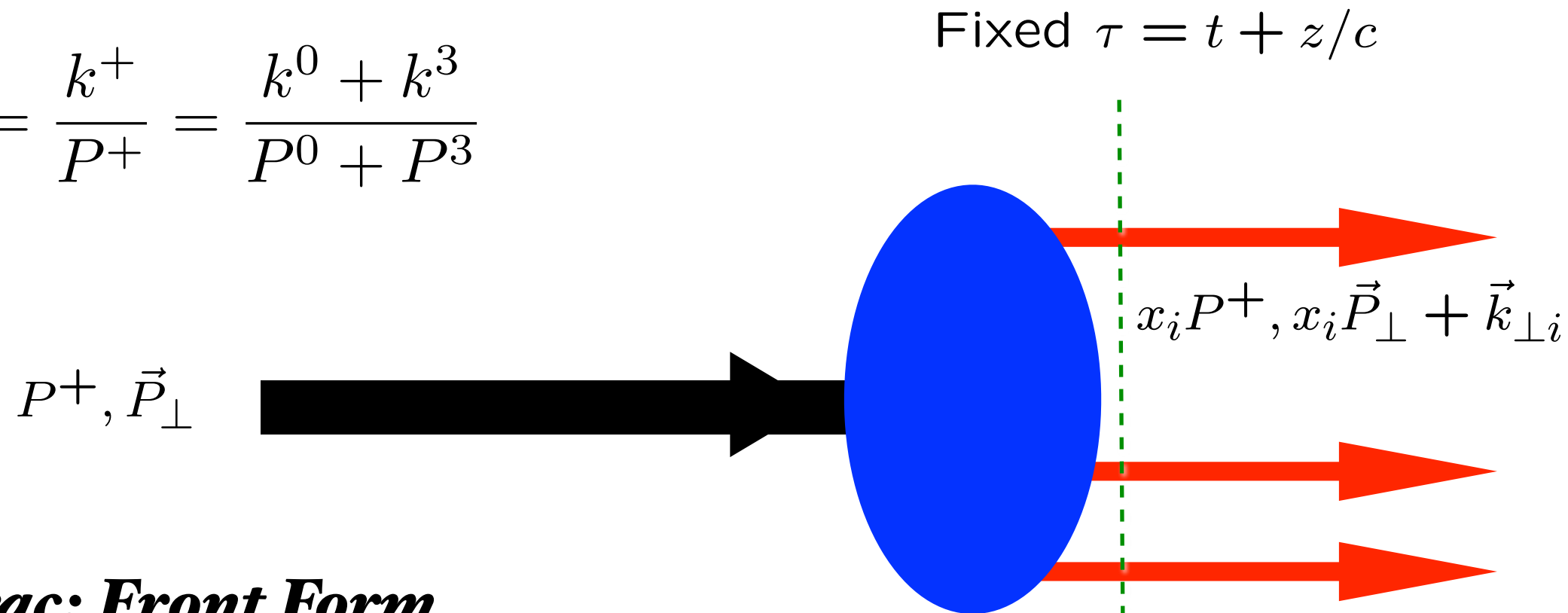
Fixed  $\tau = t + z/c$

$$x_{bj} = x = \frac{k^+}{P^+}$$



# Light-Front Wavefunctions: **rigorous** representation of composite systems in quantum field theory

$$x = \frac{k^+}{P^+} = \frac{k^0 + k^3}{P^0 + P^3}$$



***Dirac: Front Form***

$$\Psi_n(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i)$$

$$\sum_i^n x_i = 1$$

$$\sum_i^n \vec{k}_{\perp i} = \vec{0}_\perp$$

*Invariant under boosts! Independent of  $p^\mu$*

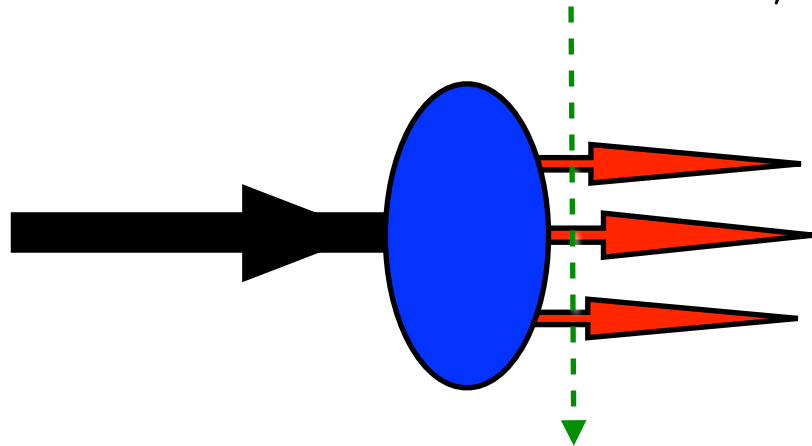
***Causal, Frame-independent, Simple Vacuum,  
Current Matrix Elements are overlap of LFWFS***

# Bound States in Relativistic Quantum Field Theory:

## *Light-Front Wavefunctions*

Dirac's Front Form: Fixed  $\tau = t + z/c$

Fixed  $\tau = t + z/c$



$$\psi(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i)$$

$$x = \frac{k^+}{P^+} = \frac{k^0 + k^3}{P^0 + P^3}$$

***Invariant under boosts. Independent of  $P^\mu$***

$$H_{LF}^{QCD} |\psi\rangle = M^2 |\psi\rangle$$

**Direct connection to QCD Lagrangian**

***Off-shell in invariant mass***

*Remarkable new insights from AdS/CFT, the duality between conformal field theory and Anti-de Sitter Space*



$$H_{LF}^{QCD} |\Psi_h\rangle = \mathcal{M}_h^2 |\Psi_h\rangle$$

$$|p, S_z\rangle = \sum_{n=3} \Psi_n(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i) |n; \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i\rangle$$

*sum over states with  $n=3, 4, \dots$  constituents*

The Light Front Fock State Wavefunctions

$$\Psi_n(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i)$$

are boost invariant; they are independent of the hadron's energy and momentum  $P^\mu$ .

The light-cone momentum fractions

$$x_i = \frac{k_i^+}{p^+} = \frac{k_i^0 + k_i^z}{P^0 + P^z}$$

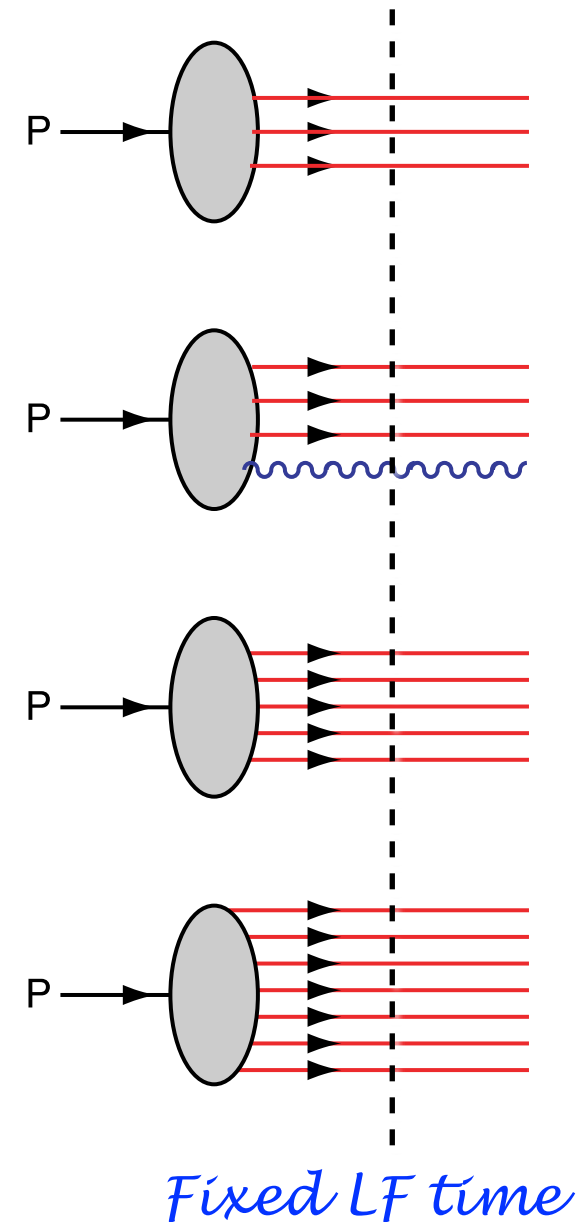
are boost invariant.

$$\sum_i^n k_i^+ = P^+, \quad \sum_i^n x_i = 1, \quad \sum_i^n \vec{k}_{\perp i} = \vec{0}^\perp.$$

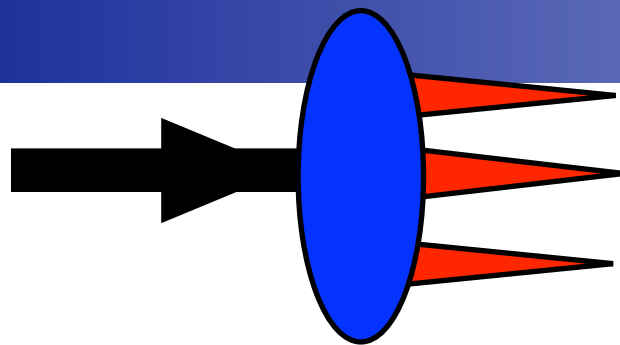
*Intrinsic heavy quarks*  
 **$s(x), c(x), b(x)$  at high  $x$  !**

$$\bar{s}(x) \neq s(x)$$

$$\bar{u}(x) \neq \bar{d}(x)$$



*Hidden Color*



$$\Psi_n(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i)$$

Light-Front Wavefunctions  
underly hadronic observables

*Lorce,  
Pasquini*

Momentum space  $\vec{k}_{\perp} \leftrightarrow \vec{z}_{\perp}$  Position space  
 $\vec{\Delta}_{\perp} \leftrightarrow \vec{b}_{\perp}$

Transverse density in  
momentum space

Transverse density in position  
space

TMDs

$$x, \vec{k}_{\perp}$$

TMFFs

$$\vec{k}_{\perp}, \vec{b}_{\perp}$$

GPDs

$$x, \vec{b}_{\perp}$$

TMSDs

$$\vec{k}_{\perp}$$

PDFs

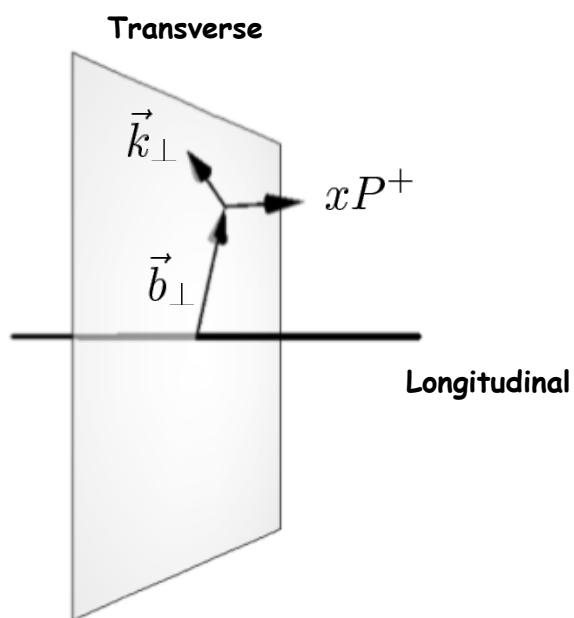
$$x,$$

FFs

$$\vec{b}_{\perp}$$

*DGLAP, ERBL Evolution  
Factorization Theorems*

Charges



*Sivers, T-odd from lensing*

$\rightarrow$   $\int d^2 b_{\perp}$   
 $\rightarrow$   $\int dx$   
 $\rightarrow$   $\int d^2 k_{\perp}$

# Advantages of the Dirac's Front Form for Hadron Physics

## Poincare' Invariant

### *Physics Independent of Observer's Motion*



- **Measurements are made at fixed  $\tau$**
- **Causality is automatic**
- **Structure Functions are squares of LFWFs**
- **Form Factors are overlap of LFWFs**
- **LFWFs are frame-independent: no boosts, no pancakes!**

**Penrose, Terrell, Weisskopf**

- **Same structure function measured at an e p collider and the proton rest frame**
- **No dependence of hadron structure on observer's frame**
- **LF Holography: Dual to AdS space**
- **LF Vacuum trivial -- no vacuum condensates!**
- **Profound implications for Cosmological Constant**

**Roberts, Shrock, Tandy, sjb**

# Light-Front Perturbation Theory for pQCD

$$T = H_I + H_I \frac{1}{\mathcal{M}_{initial}^2 - \mathcal{M}_{intermediate}^2 + i\epsilon} H_I + \dots$$

- “History”: Compute any subgraph only once since the LFPth numerator does not depend on the process — only the denominator changes!
- Wick Theorem applies, but few amplitudes since all  $k^+ > 0$ .
- $J_z$  Conservation at every vertex  $\left| \sum_{initial} S^z - \sum_{final} S_z \right| \leq n$  at order  $g^n$   
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- Unitarity is explicit
- Loop Integrals are 3-dimensional  $\int_0^1 dx \int d^2 k_\perp$
- hadronization: coalesce comoving quarks and gluons to hadrons using light-front wavefunctions  $\Psi_n(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i)$



$$H_{QED}$$

*QED atoms: positronium  
and muonium*

$$(H_0 + H_{int}) |\Psi\rangle = E |\Psi\rangle$$

*Coupled Fock states*

$$\left[-\frac{\Delta^2}{2m_{\text{red}}} + V_{\text{eff}}(\vec{S}, \vec{r})\right] \psi(\vec{r}) = E \psi(\vec{r})$$

*Effective two-particle equation*

**Includes Lamb Shift, quantum corrections**

$$\left[-\frac{1}{2m_{\text{red}}} \frac{d^2}{dr^2} + \frac{1}{2m_{\text{red}}} \frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{r^2} + V_{\text{eff}}(r, S, \ell)\right] \psi(r) = E \psi(r)$$

*Spherical Basis*  $r, \theta, \phi$

$$V_{eff} \rightarrow V_C(r) = -\frac{\alpha}{r}$$

*Semiclassical first approximation to QED*

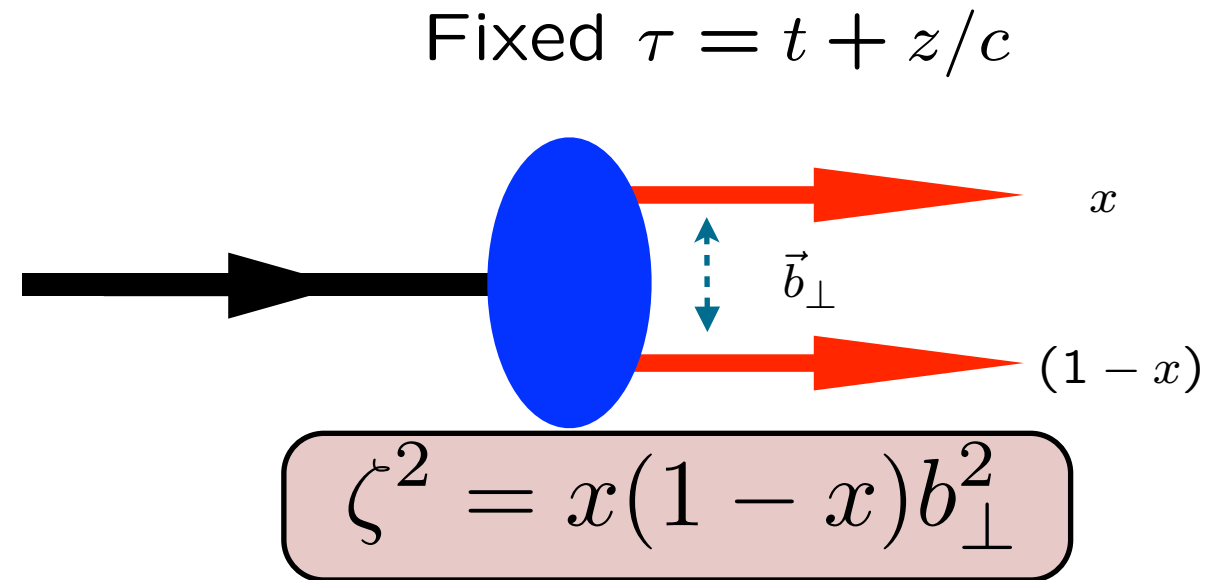
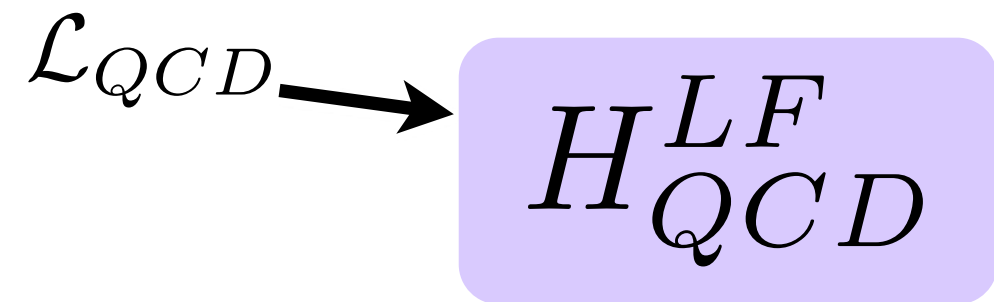


*Coulomb potential*

**Bohr Spectrum**

*Schrödinger Eq.*

# Light-Front QCD



$$(H_{LF}^0 + H_{LF}^I) |\Psi\rangle = M^2 |\Psi\rangle$$

*Coupled Fock states*

*Eliminate higher Fock states  
and retarded interactions*

$$\left[ \frac{\vec{k}_\perp^2 + m^2}{x(1-x)} + V_{\text{eff}}^{LF} \right] \psi_{LF}(x, \vec{k}_\perp) = M^2 \psi_{LF}(x, \vec{k}_\perp)$$

*Effective two-particle equation*

$$\left[ -\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} + \frac{1-4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + U(\zeta) \right] \psi(\zeta) = \mathcal{M}^2 \psi(\zeta)$$

*Azimuthal Basis*

$$\zeta, \phi$$

$$m_q = 0$$

**AdS/QCD:**

$$U(\zeta) = \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2 (L + S - 1)$$

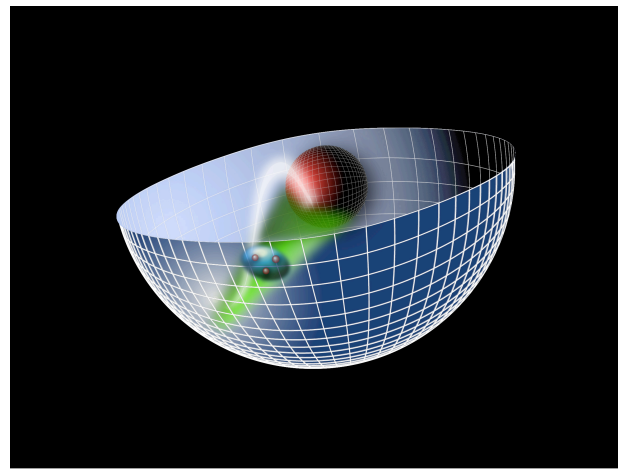
*Confining AdS/QCD  
potential!*

*Semiclassical first approximation to QCD*

*Sums an infinite # diagrams*

*AdS/QCD  
Soft-Wall Model*

$$e^{\varphi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2}$$



$$\zeta^2 = x(1-x)b_{\perp}^2$$

*Light-Front Holography*

$$\left[ -\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} - \frac{1-4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + U(\zeta) \right] \psi(\zeta) = M^2 \psi(\zeta)$$



***Light-Front Schrödinger Equation***

$$U(\zeta) = \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2 (L + S - 1)$$

*Single variable  $\zeta$*

***Confinement scale:***  $\kappa \simeq 0.5 \text{ GeV}$

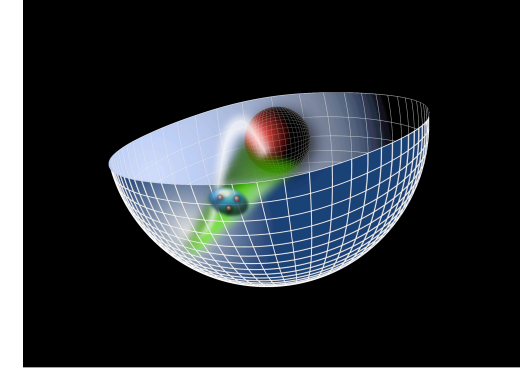
***Unique  
Confinement Potential!***

*Conformal Symmetry  
of the action*

- de Alfaro, Fubini, Furlan:
- Fubini, Rabinovici:

***Scale can appear in Hamiltonian and EQM  
without affecting conformal invariance of action!***

# AdS<sub>5</sub>



- Isomorphism of  $SO(4, 2)$  of conformal QCD with the group of isometries of AdS space

$$ds^2 = \frac{R^2}{z^2} (\eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu - dz^2),$$

*invariant measure*

$x^\mu \rightarrow \lambda x^\mu$ ,  $z \rightarrow \lambda z$ , maps scale transformations into the holographic coordinate  $z$ .

- AdS mode in  $z$  is the extension of the hadron wf into the fifth dimension.
- Different values of  $z$  correspond to different scales at which the hadron is examined.

$$x^2 \rightarrow \lambda^2 x^2, \quad z \rightarrow \lambda z.$$

$x^2 = x_\mu x^\mu$ : invariant separation between quarks

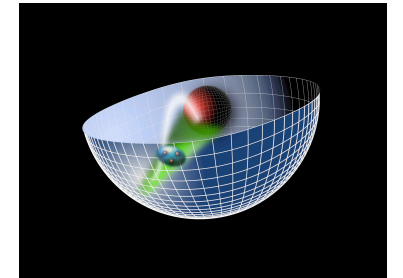
- The AdS boundary at  $z \rightarrow 0$  correspond to the  $Q \rightarrow \infty$ , UV zero separation limit.

## AdS/CFT



# Dilaton-Modified AdS/QCD

$$ds^2 = e^{\varphi(z)} \frac{R^2}{z^2} (\eta_{\mu\nu} x^\mu x^\nu - dz^2)$$



- **Soft-wall dilaton profile breaks conformal invariance**  $e^{\varphi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2}$
- **Color Confinement in z**
- **Introduces confinement scale  $\kappa$**
- **Uses  $AdS_5$  as template for conformal theory**

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$$e^{\varphi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2}$$

**Positive-sign dilaton**

• de Teramond, sjb

*AdS Soft-Wall Schrödinger Equation for bound state of two scalar constituents:*

$$\left[ -\frac{d^2}{dz^2} - \frac{1 - 4L^2}{4z^2} + U(z) \right] \Phi(z) = \mathcal{M}^2 \Phi(z)$$

$$U(z) = \kappa^4 z^2 + 2\kappa^2 (L + S - 1)$$

*Derived from variation of Action for Dilaton-Modified  $AdS_5$*

***Identical to Single-Variable Light-Front Bound State Equation in  $\zeta$ !***

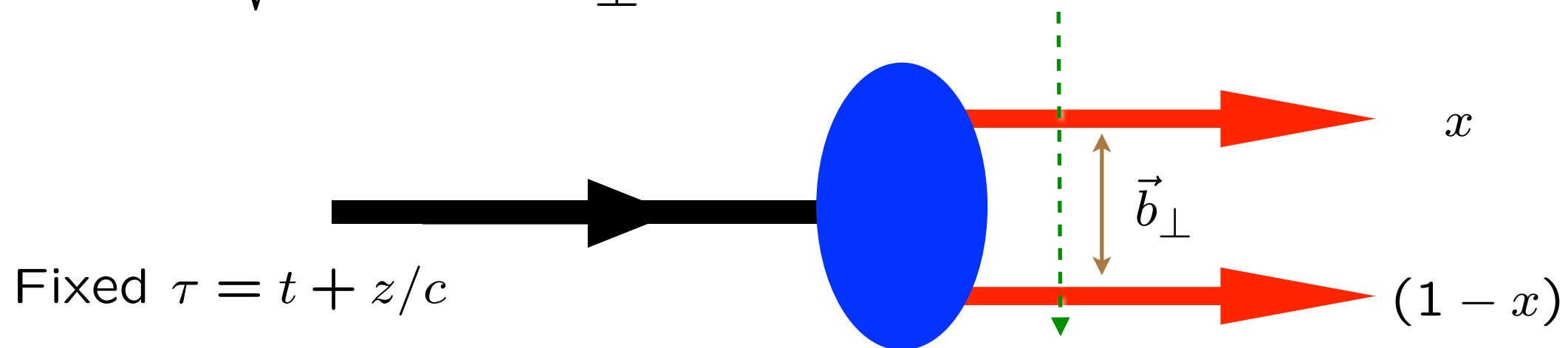
$$z \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad \zeta = \sqrt{x(1-x)} \vec{b}_\perp^2$$

$$LF(3+1) \longleftrightarrow AdS_5$$

# *Light-Front Holographic Dictionary*

$$\psi(x, \vec{b}_\perp) \longleftrightarrow \phi(z)$$

$$\zeta = \sqrt{x(1-x)} \vec{b}_\perp^2 \longleftrightarrow z$$



$$\psi(x, \zeta) = \sqrt{x(1-x)} \zeta^{-1/2} \phi(\zeta)$$

$$(\mu R)^2 = L^2 - (J - 2)^2$$

**Light-Front Holography:** Unique mapping derived from equality of LF and AdS formula for EM and gravitational current matrix elements and identical equations of motion

Massless pion!

## Meson Spectrum in Soft Wall Model

$$m_\pi = 0 \text{ if } m_q = 0$$

*Pion: Negative term for  $J=0$  cancels positive terms from LFKÉ and potential*



- Effective potential:  $U(\zeta^2) = \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2(J - 1)$

- LF WE

$$\left( -\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} - \frac{1 - 4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2(J - 1) \right) \phi_J(\zeta) = M^2 \phi_J(\zeta)$$

- Normalized eigenfunctions  $\langle \phi | \phi \rangle = \int d\zeta \phi^2(z)^2 = 1$

$$\phi_{n,L}(\zeta) = \kappa^{1+L} \sqrt{\frac{2n!}{(n+L)!}} \zeta^{1/2+L} e^{-\kappa^2 \zeta^2 / 2} L_n^L(\kappa^2 \zeta^2)$$

- Eigenvalues

$$\mathcal{M}_{n,J,L}^2 = 4\kappa^2 \left( n + \frac{J+L}{2} \right)$$

$$\vec{\zeta}^2 = \vec{b}_\perp^2 x(1-x)$$

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- $J = L + S, I = 1$  meson families

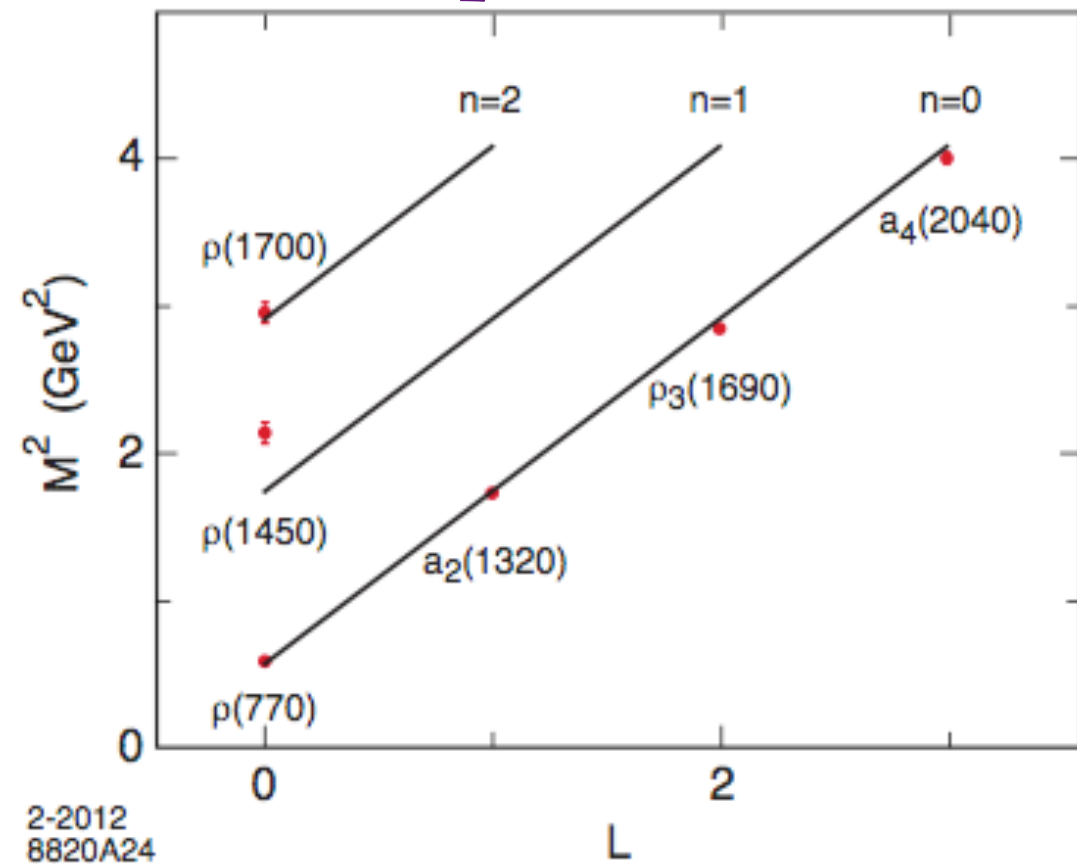
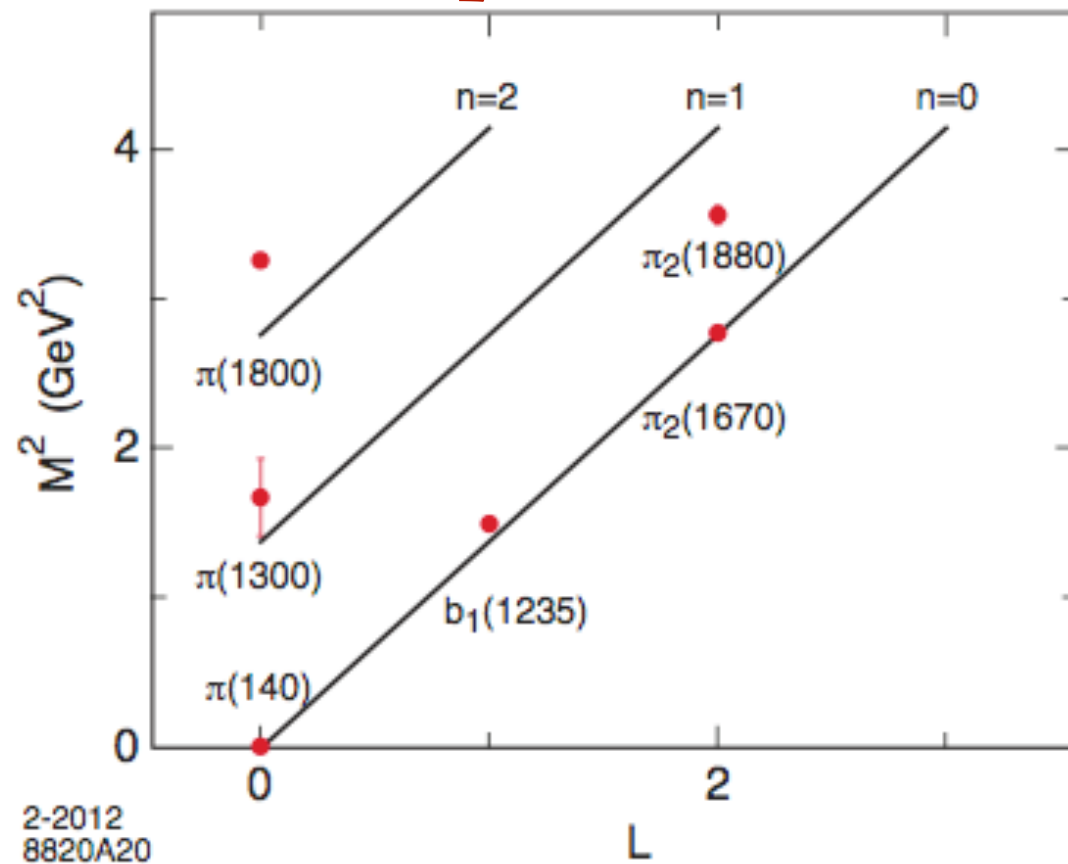
$$\mathcal{M}_{n,L,S}^2 = 4\kappa^2 (n + L + S/2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4\kappa^2 & \text{ for } \Delta n = 1 \\ 4\kappa^2 & \text{ for } \Delta L = 1 \\ 2\kappa^2 & \text{ for } \Delta S = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$m_q = 0$$

**Massless pion in Chiral Limit!**

**Same slope in  $n$  and  $L$ !**



$I=1$  orbital and radial excitations for the  $\pi$  ( $\kappa = 0.59$  GeV) and the  $\rho$ -meson families ( $\kappa = 0.54$  GeV)

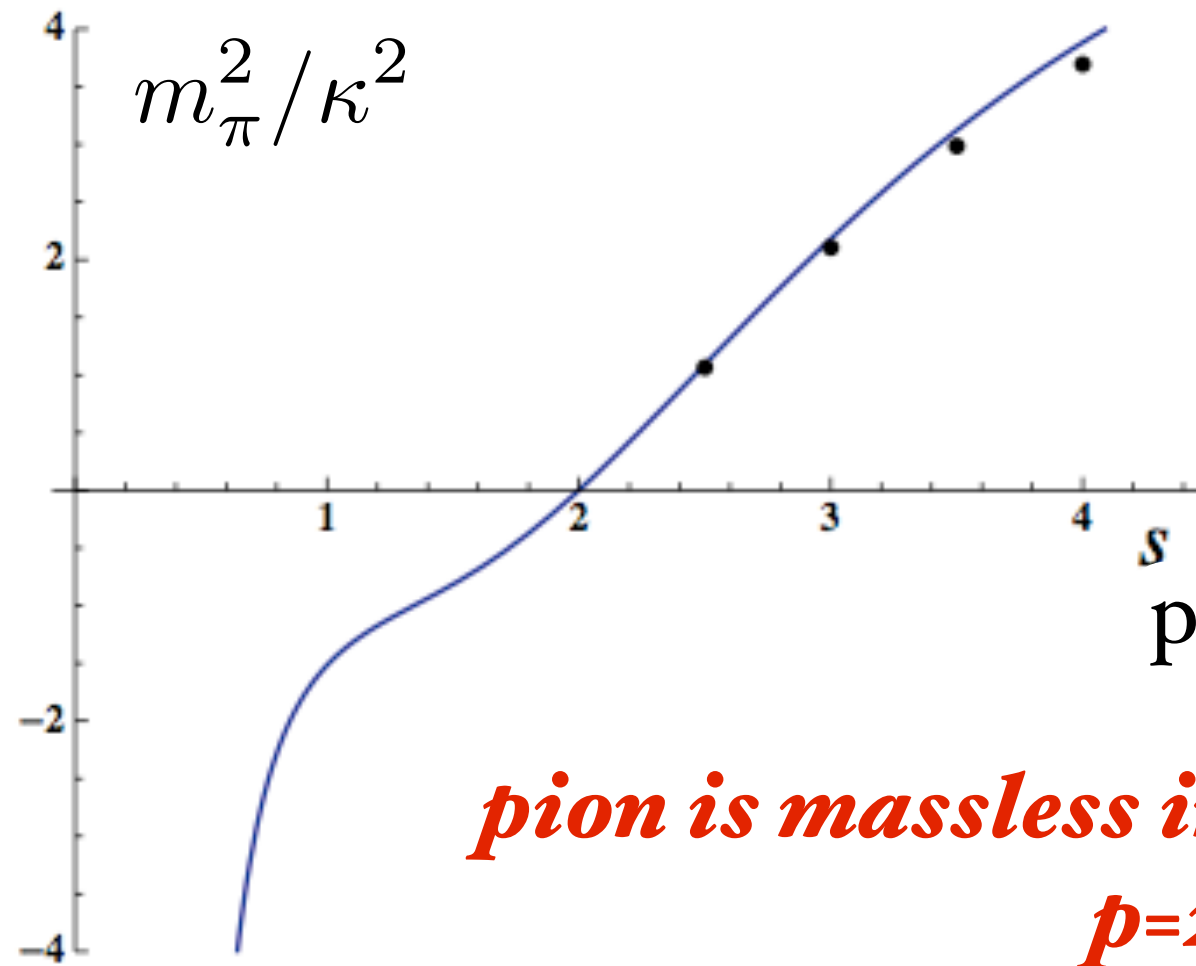
- Triplet splitting for the  $I = 1, L = 1, J = 0, 1, 2$ , vector meson  $a$ -states

$$\mathcal{M}_{a_2(1320)} > \mathcal{M}_{a_1(1260)} > \mathcal{M}_{a_0(980)}$$

**Mass ratio of the  $\rho$  and the  $a_1$  mesons: coincides with Weinberg sum rules**

# Uniqueness of Dilaton

$$\varphi_p(z) = \kappa^p z^p$$



$$e^{\varphi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2}$$

Quark separation  
increases with  $L$

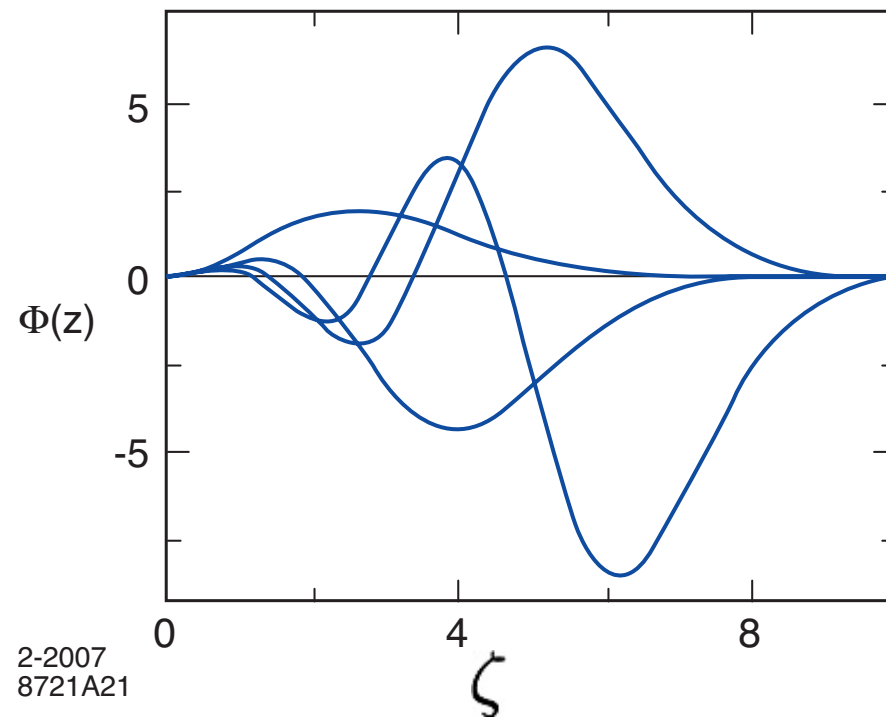
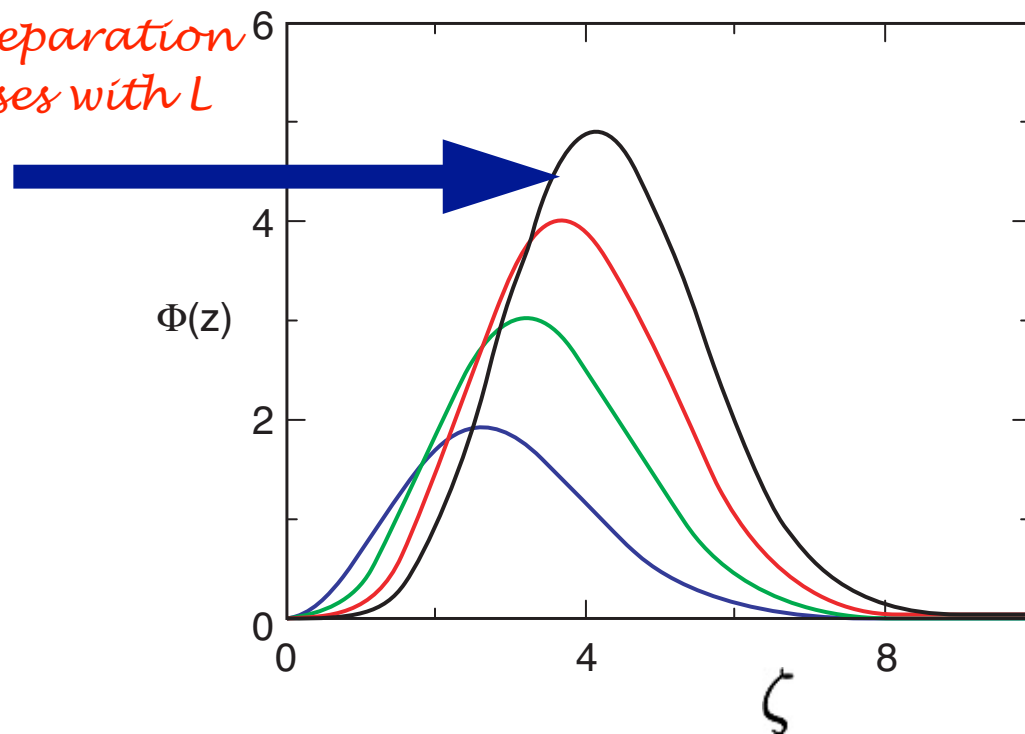
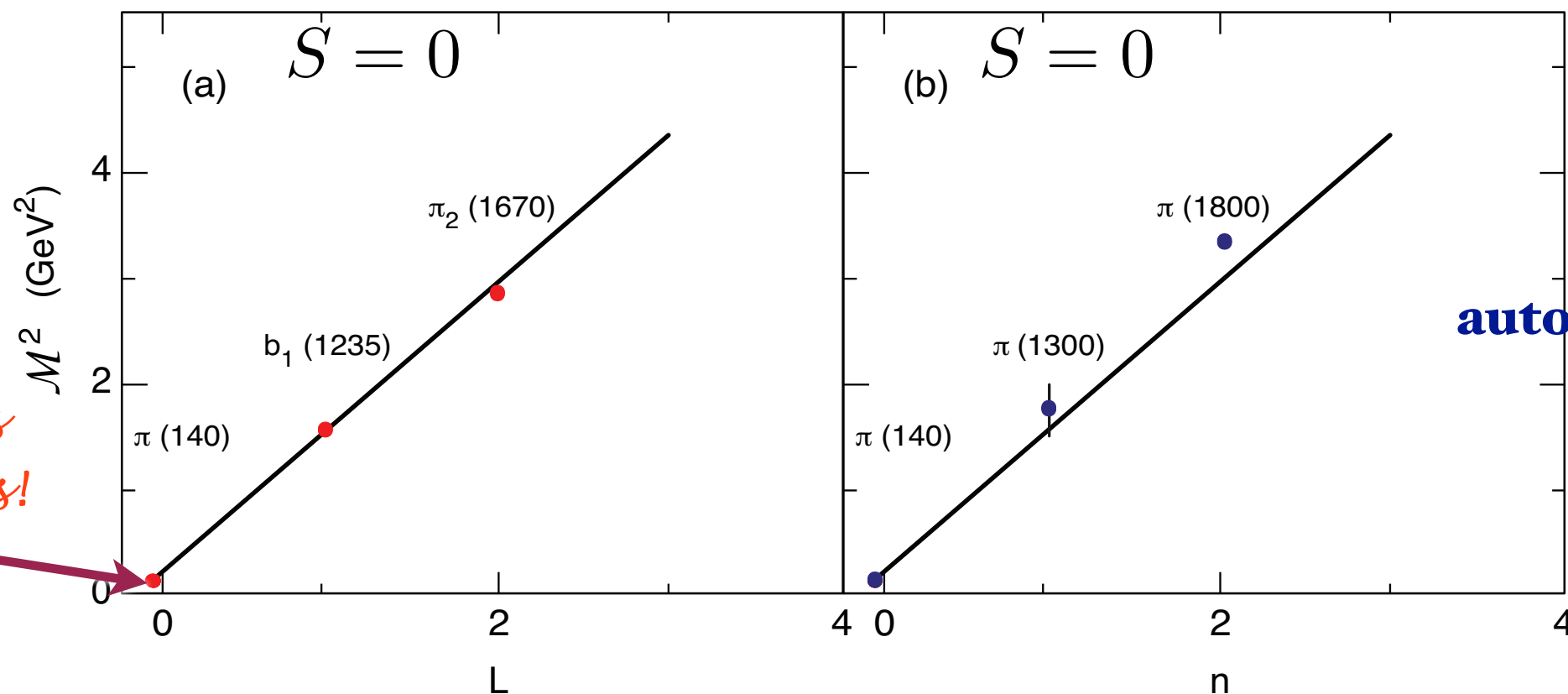


Fig: Orbital and radial AdS modes in the soft wall model for  $\kappa = 0.6$  GeV .

*Same slope in  $n$  and  $L$ !*

*Soft Wall  
Model*

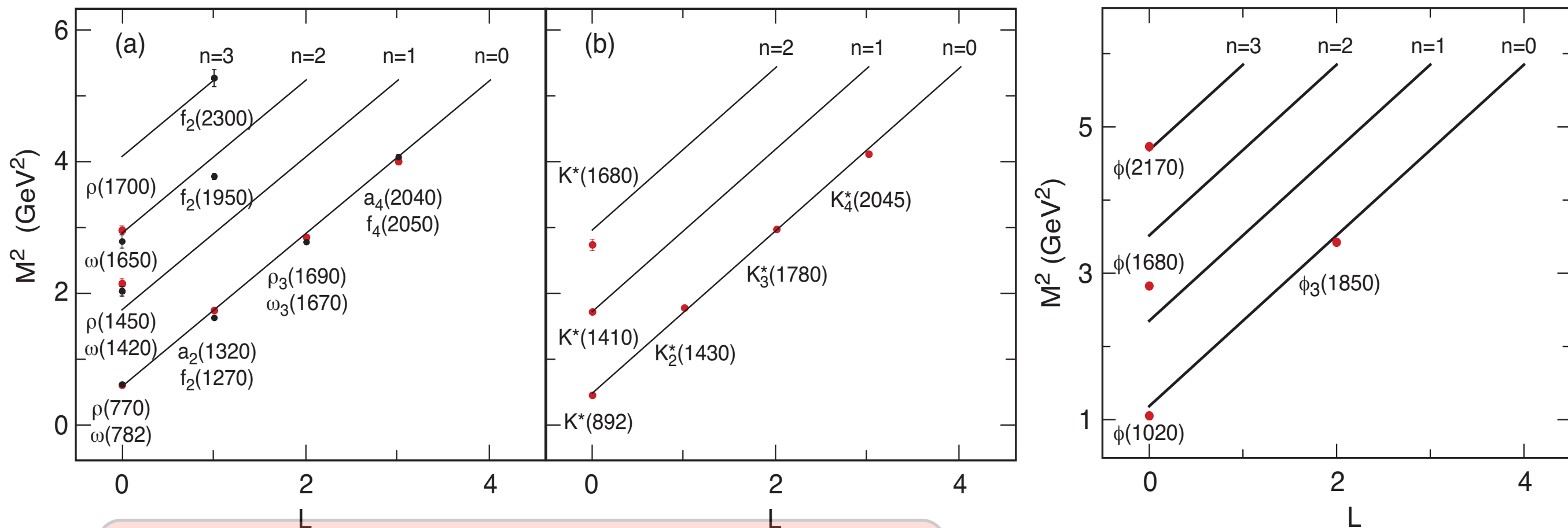
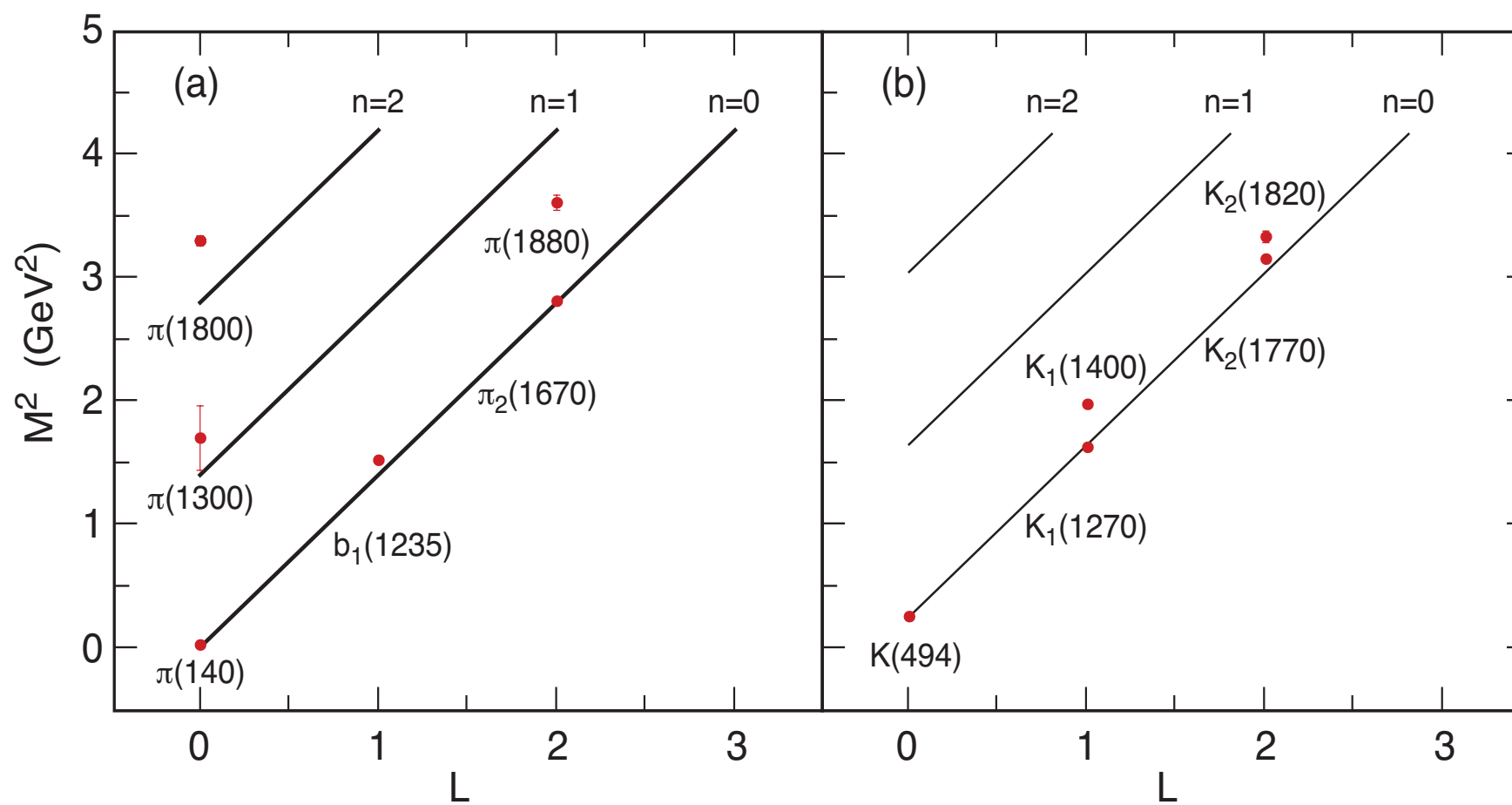


*Pion has  
zero mass!*

**Pion mass  
automatically zero!**

$$m_q = 0$$

Light meson orbital (a) and radial (b) spectrum for  $\kappa = 0.6$  GeV.



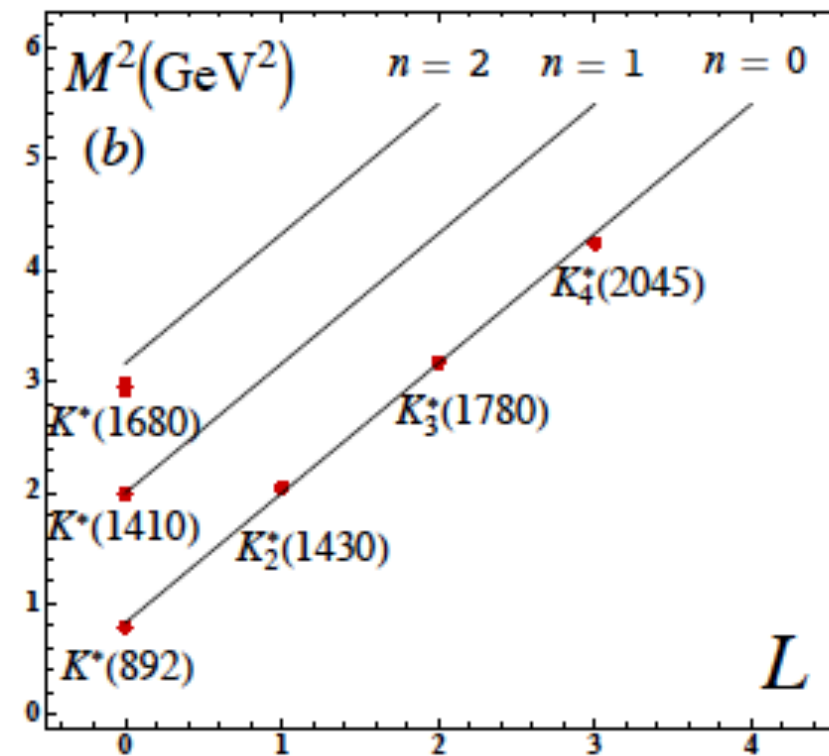
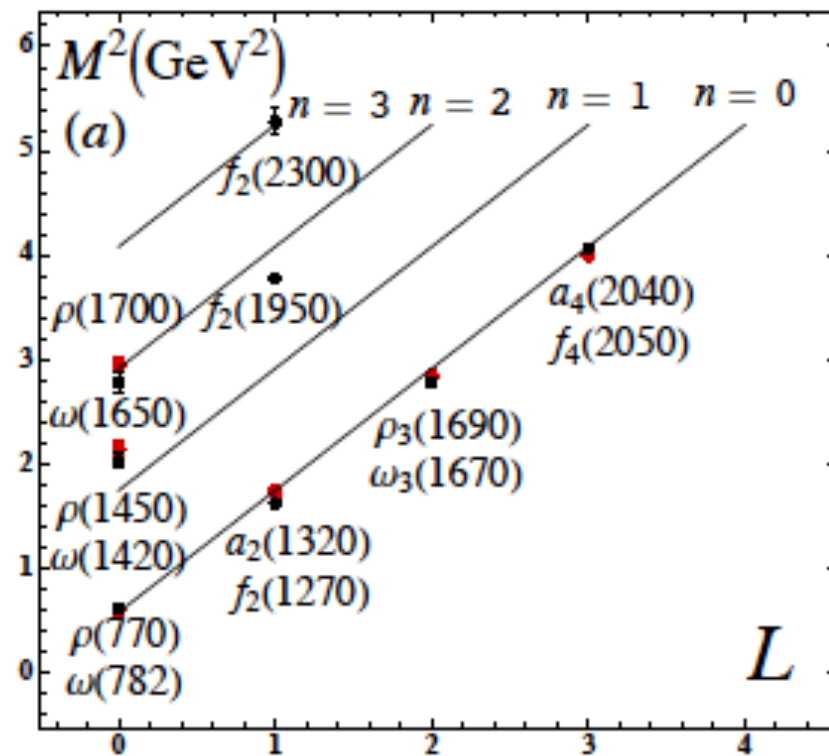
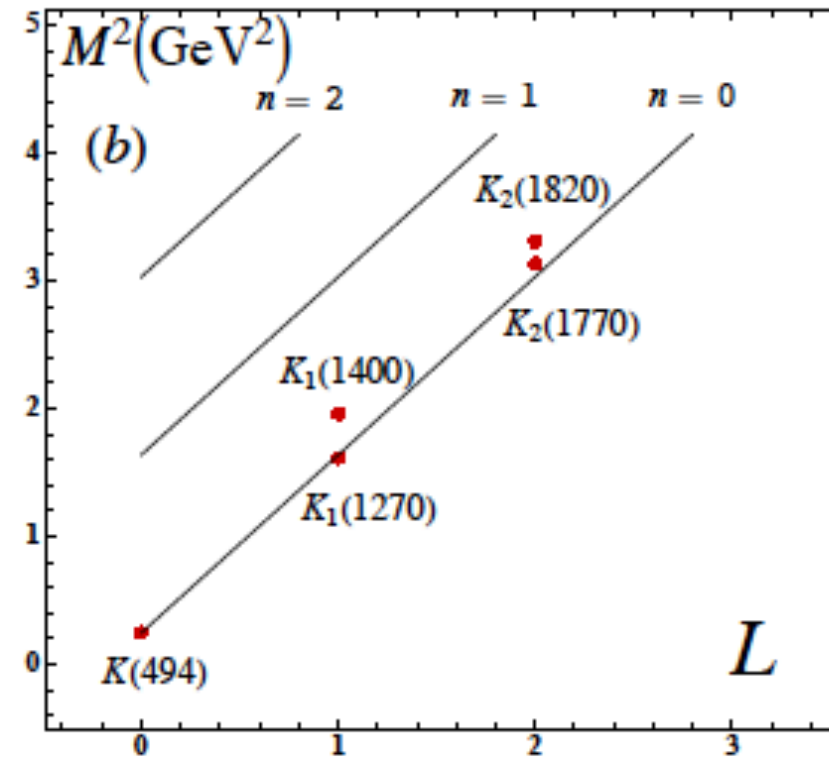
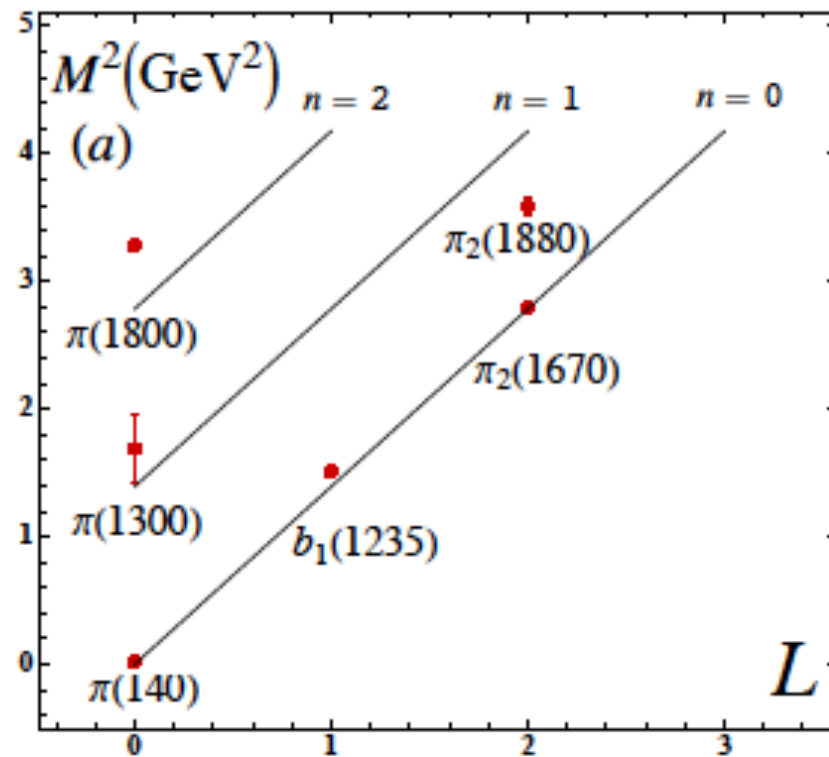
$$M^2(n, L, S) = 4\kappa^2(n + L + S/2)$$

*Equal Slope in  $n$  and  $L$*



$$M^2 = M_0^2 + \left\langle X \left| \frac{m_q^2}{x} \right| X \right\rangle + \left\langle X \left| \frac{m_{\bar{q}}^2}{1-x} \right| X \right\rangle$$

from LF Higgs mechanism



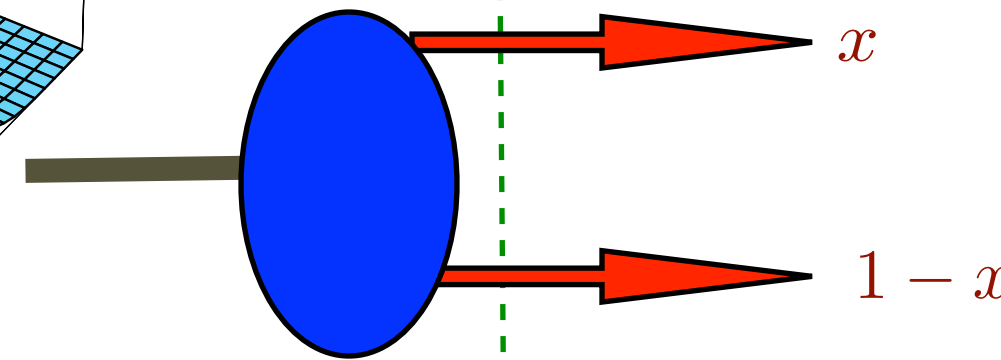
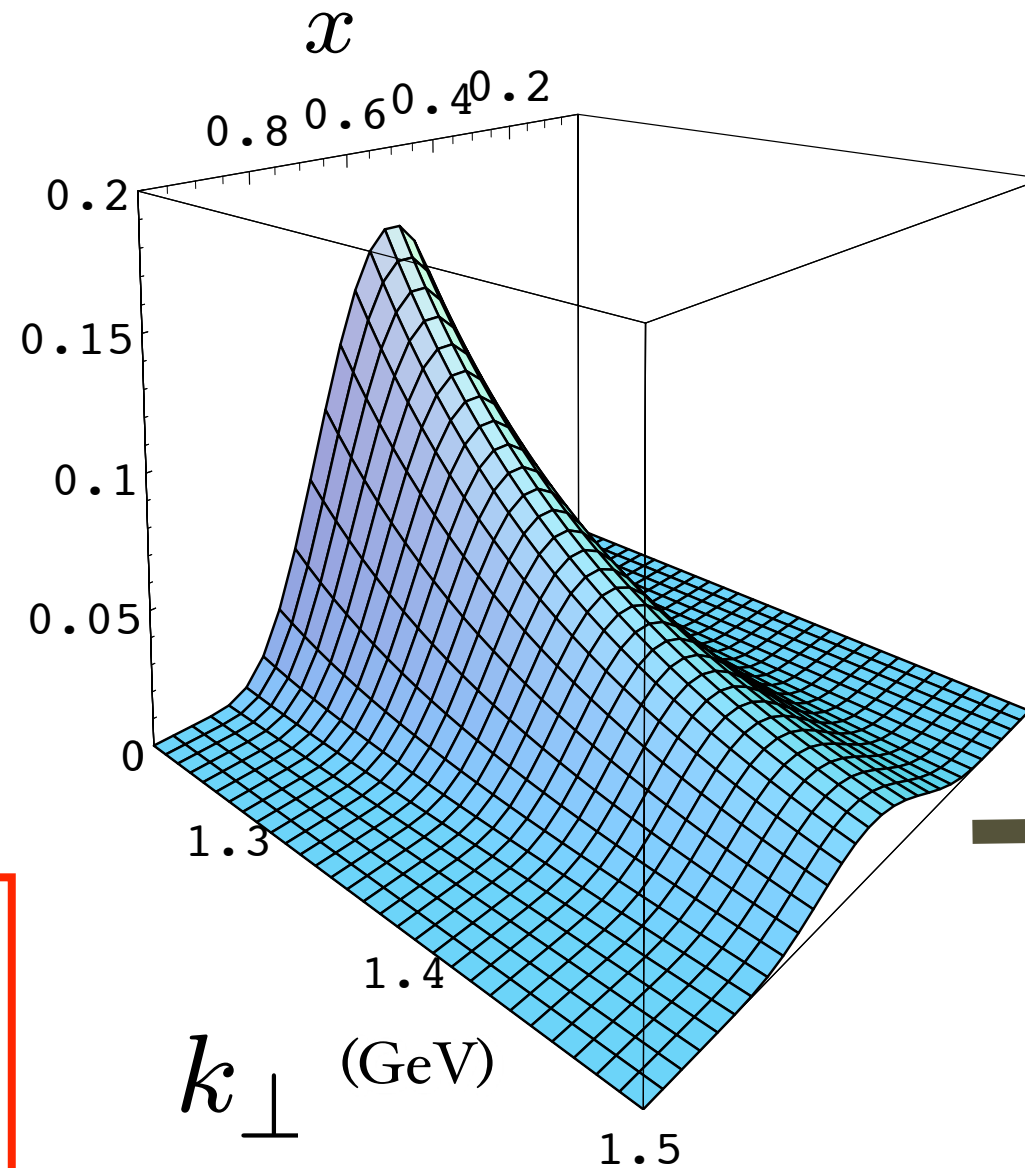
# Prediction from AdS/QCD: Meson LFWF

$$e^{\varphi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z}$$

**de Teramond,  
Cao, sjb**

**“Soft Wall”  
model**

$$\psi_M(x, k_\perp^2)$$



massless quarks

**Note coupling**

$$k_\perp^2, x$$

$$\psi_M(x, k_\perp) = \frac{4\pi}{\kappa \sqrt{x(1-x)}} e^{-\frac{k_\perp^2}{2\kappa^2 x(1-x)}}$$

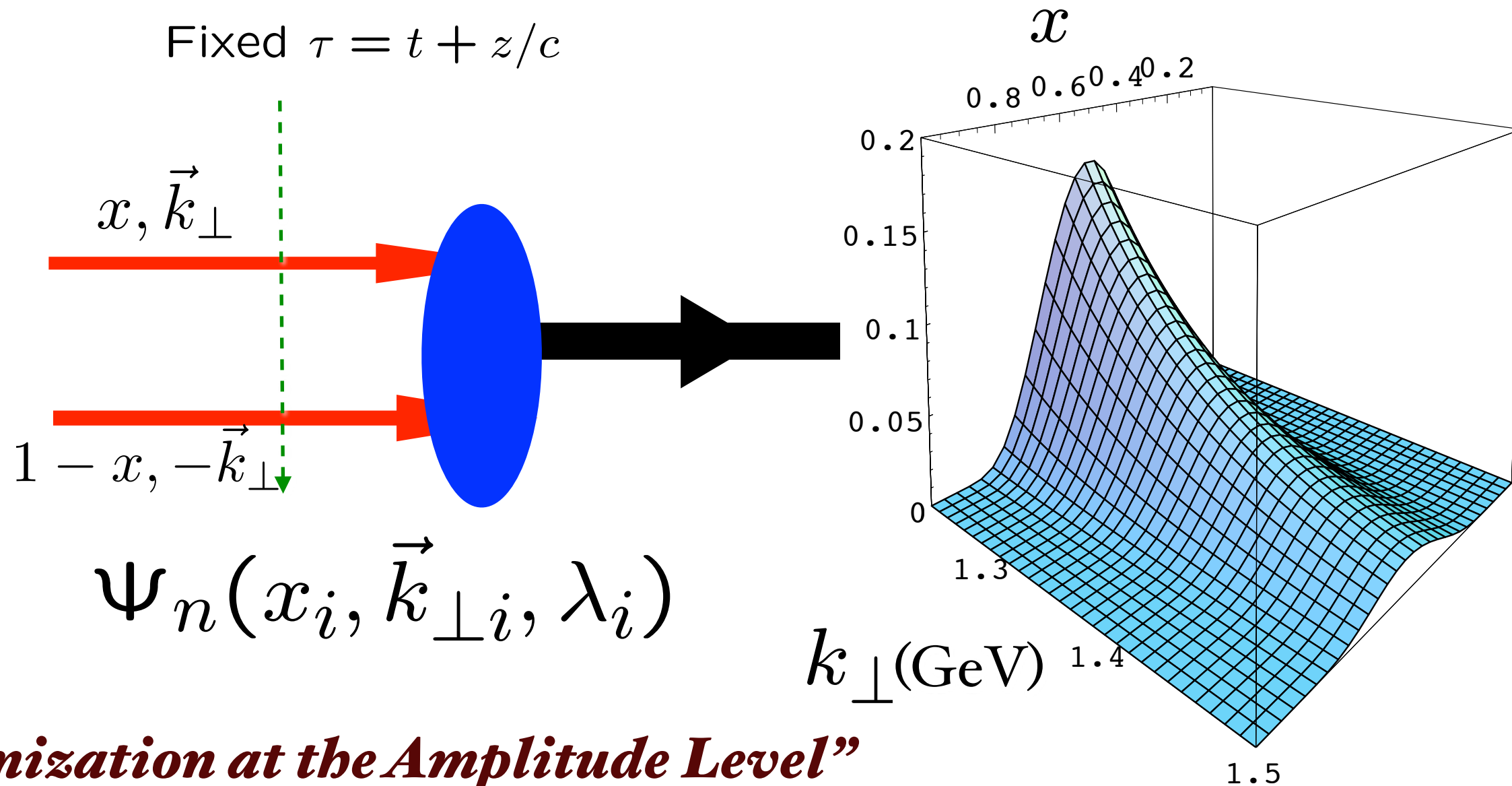
$$\phi_\pi(x) = \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}\pi} f_\pi \sqrt{x(1-x)}$$

$$f_\pi = \sqrt{P_{q\bar{q}}} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} \kappa = 92.4 \text{ MeV}$$

**Same as DSE!** **C. D. Roberts et al.**

*Provides Connection of Confinement to Hadron Structure*

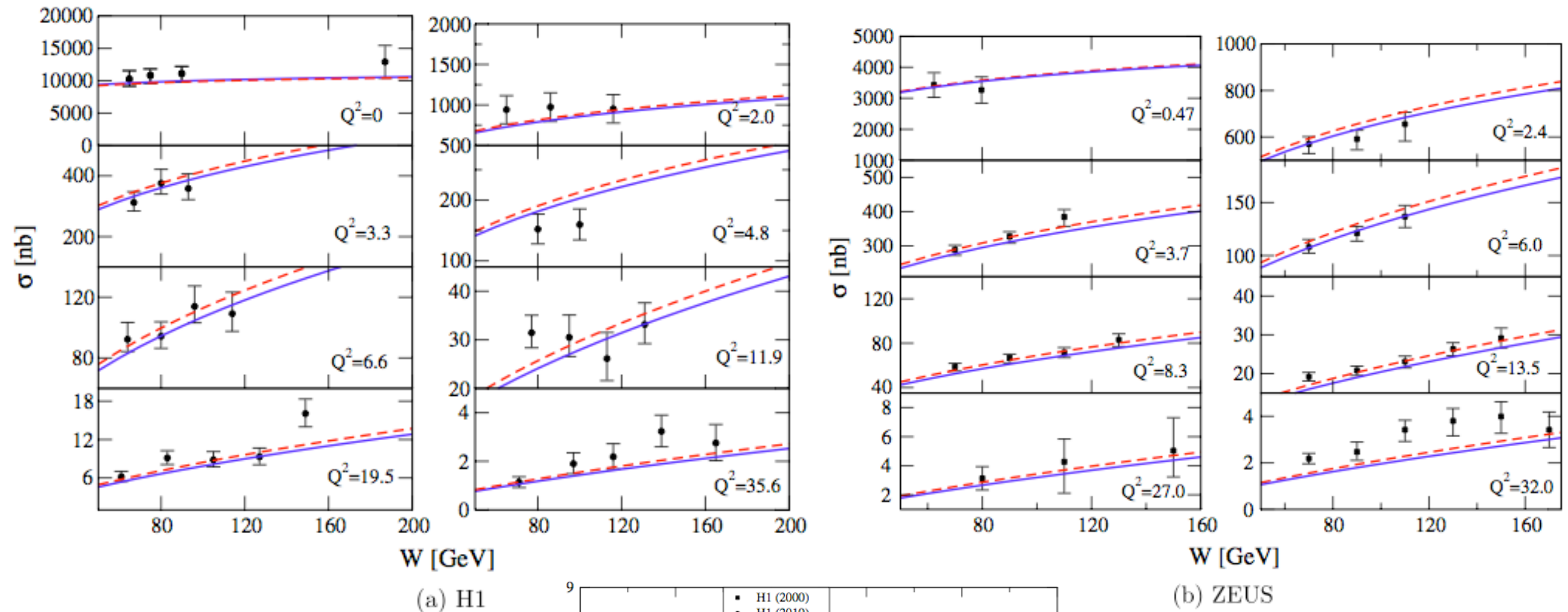
- *Light Front Wavefunctions:*  $\Psi_n(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i)$   
off-shell in  $P^-$  and invariant mass  $\mathcal{M}_{q\bar{q}}^2$



***“Hadronization at the Amplitude Level”***

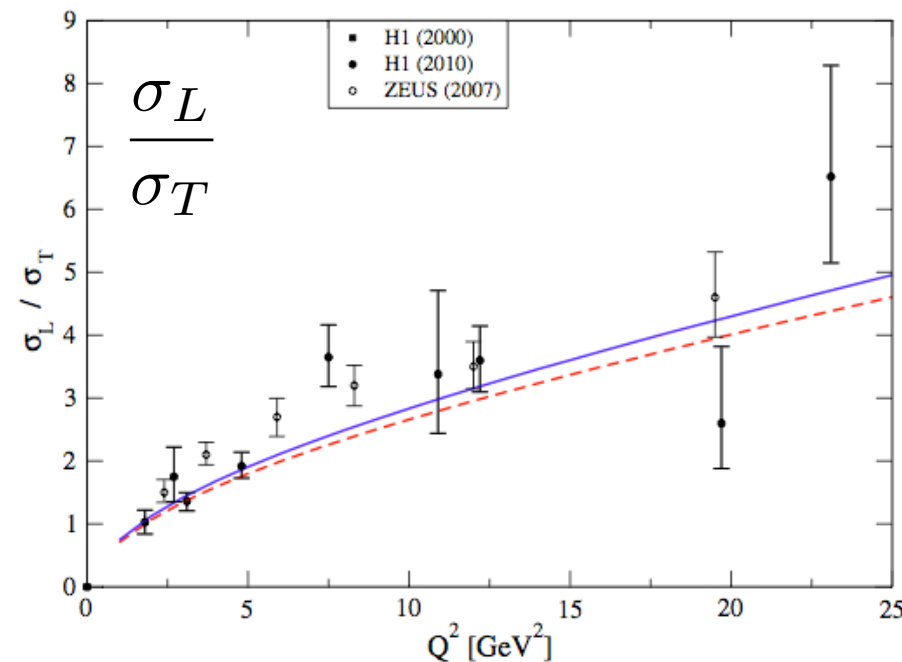
**Boost-invariant LFWF connects confined quarks and gluons to hadrons**

# AdS/QCD Holographic Wave Function for the $\rho$ Meson and Diffractive $\rho$ Meson Electroproduction



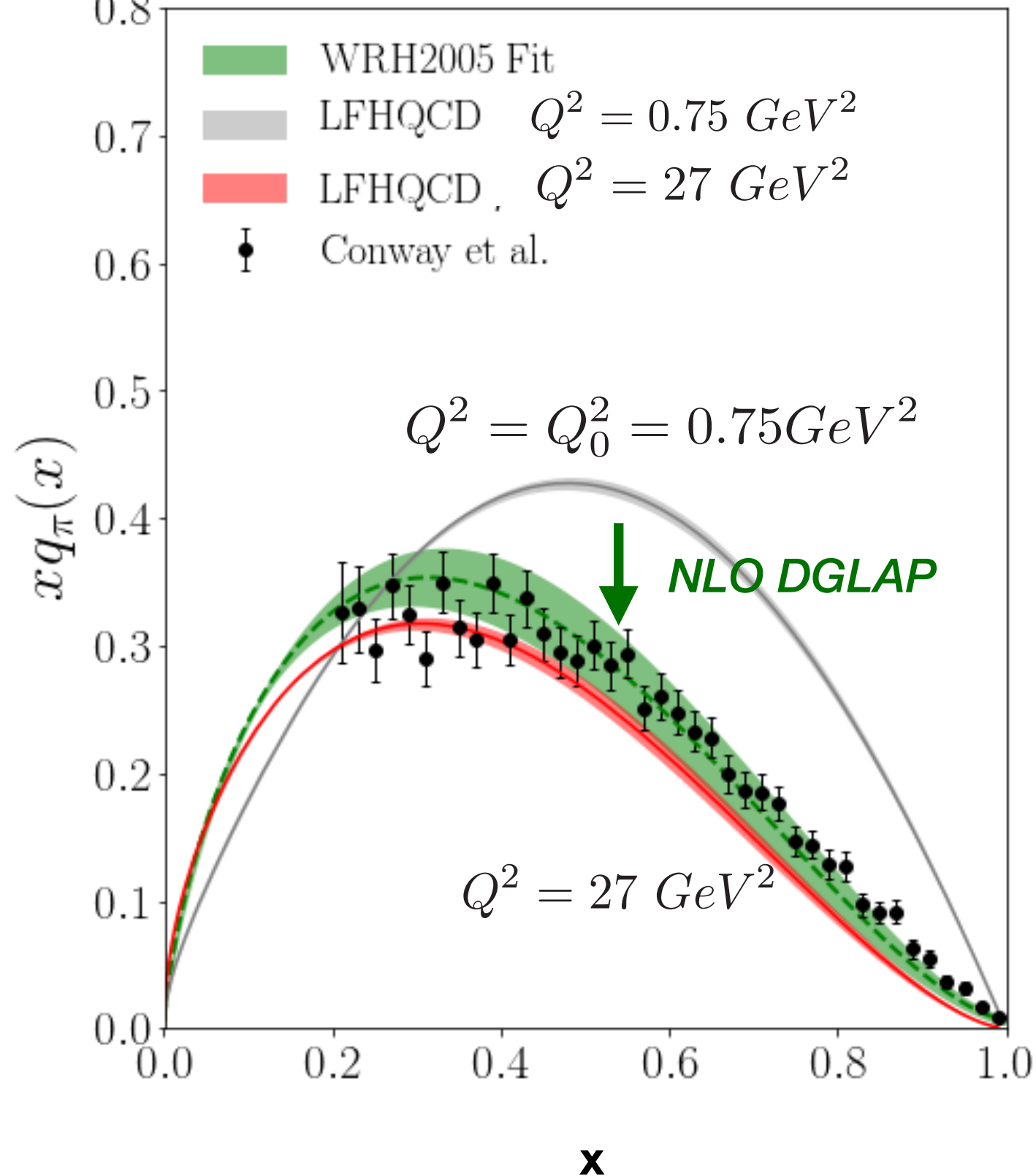
**J. R. Forshaw,  
R. Sandapen**

$$\gamma^* p \rightarrow \rho^0 p'$$



$$\psi_M(x, k_\perp) = \frac{4\pi}{\kappa \sqrt{x(1-x)}} e^{-\frac{k_\perp^2}{2\kappa^2 x(1-x)}}$$





*T. Liu,  
G. de Tèramond,  
G. Dosch, A. Deur,  
R.S. Sufian, sjb  
(preliminary)*

$$q_\pi(x, Q^2 < Q_0^2) = \int d^2 \vec{k}_\perp |\psi_\pi(x, \vec{k}_\perp)|^2$$

$$\psi_M(x, k_\perp) = \frac{4\pi}{\kappa \sqrt{x(1-x)}} e^{-\frac{k_\perp^2}{2\kappa^2 x(1-x)}}$$

**“No parameters”**

**Start DGLAP evolution at transition scale  $Q_0^2$**



# QCD Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = -\frac{1}{4} \text{Tr}(G^{\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu}) + \sum_{f=1}^{n_f} i\bar{\Psi}_f D_\mu \gamma^\mu \Psi_f + \sum_{f=1}^{n_f} \cancel{m_f} \bar{\Psi}_f \Psi_f$$

$$iD^\mu = i\partial^\mu - gA^\mu \quad G^{\mu\nu} = \partial^\mu A^\nu - \partial^\nu A^\mu - g[A^\mu, A^\nu]$$

**Classical Chiral Lagrangian is Conformally Invariant**

**Where does the QCD Mass Scale come from?**

**QCD does not know what MeV units mean!  
Only Ratios of Masses Determined**

- **de Alfaro, Fubini, Furlan:** *Scale can appear in Hamiltonian and EQM without affecting conformal invariance of action!*

***Unique confinement potential!***

● **de Alfaro, Fubini, Furlan** (*dAFF*)

$$G|\psi(\tau)\rangle = i\frac{\partial}{\partial\tau}|\psi(\tau)\rangle$$

$$G = uH + vD + wK$$

**New term**

$$G = H_\tau = \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + \frac{g}{x^2} + \frac{4uw - v^2}{4}x^2\right)$$

*Retains conformal invariance of action despite mass scale!*

$$4uw - v^2 = \kappa^4 = [M]^4$$

*Identical to LF Hamiltonian with unique potential and dilaton!*

$$\left[-\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} + \frac{1 - 4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + U(\zeta)\right]\psi(\zeta) = \mathcal{M}^2\psi(\zeta)$$

$$U(\zeta) = \kappa^4\zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2(L + S - 1)$$

● **Dosch, de Teramond, sjb**

# ***dAFF: New Time Variable***

$$\tau = \frac{2}{\sqrt{4uw - v^2}} \arctan \left( \frac{2tw + v}{\sqrt{4uw - v^2}} \right),$$

- **Identify with difference of LF time  $\Delta x^+ / P^+$  between constituents**
- **Finite range**
- **Measure in Double-Parton Processes**

*Retains conformal invariance of action despite mass scale!*

Superconformal Quantum Mechanics

$$\{\psi, \psi^+\} = 1 \quad B = \frac{1}{2}[\psi^+, \psi] = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_3$$

$$\psi = \frac{1}{2}(\sigma_1 - i\sigma_2), \quad \psi^+ = \frac{1}{2}(\sigma_1 + i\sigma_2)$$

$$Q = \psi^+[-\partial_x + \frac{f}{x}], \quad Q^+ = \psi[\partial_x + \frac{f}{x}], \quad S = \psi^+ x, \quad S^+ = \psi x$$

$$\{Q, Q^+\} = 2H, \quad \{S, S^+\} = 2K$$

$$\{Q, S^+\} = f - B + 2iD, \quad \{Q^+, S\} = f - B - 2iD$$

generates conformal algebra

$$[H, D] = iH, \quad [H, K] = 2iD, \quad [K, D] = -iK$$

$$Q \simeq \sqrt{H}, \quad S \simeq \sqrt{K}$$

# Superconformal Quantum Mechanics

***Baryon Equation***  $Q \simeq \sqrt{H}, \quad S \simeq \sqrt{K}$

Consider  $R_w = Q + wS;$   $w$ : dimensions of mass squared

$$G = \{R_w, R_w^+\} = 2H + 2w^2K + 2wfI - 2wB \quad 2B = \sigma_3$$

Retains Conformal Invariance of Action

***Fubini and Rabinovici***

*New Extended Hamiltonian  $G$  is diagonal:*

$$G_{11} = \left( -\partial_x^2 + w^2x^2 + 2wf - w + \frac{4(f + \frac{1}{2})^2 - 1}{4x^2} \right)$$

$$G_{22} = \left( -\partial_x^2 + w^2x^2 + 2wf + w + \frac{4(f - \frac{1}{2})^2 - 1}{4x^2} \right)$$

Identify  $f - \frac{1}{2} = L_B$  ,  $w = \kappa^2$

Eigenvalue of  $G$ :  $M^2(n, L) = 4\kappa^2(n + L_B + 1)$



$$\left( -\partial_{\zeta}^2 + \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2(L_B + 1) + \frac{4L_B^2 - 1}{4\zeta^2} \right) \psi_J^+ = M^2 \psi_J^+ \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{4L_B^2 - 1}{4\zeta^2}} \right\}$$

$$\left( -\partial_{\zeta}^2 + \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2 L_B + \frac{4(L_B + 1)^2 - 1}{4\zeta^2} \right) \psi_J^- = M^2 \psi_J^- \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{4(L_B + 1)^2 - 1}{4\zeta^2}} \right\}$$

$$M^2(n, L_B) = 4\kappa^2(n + L_B + 1) \quad \mathbf{S=1/2, P=+}$$

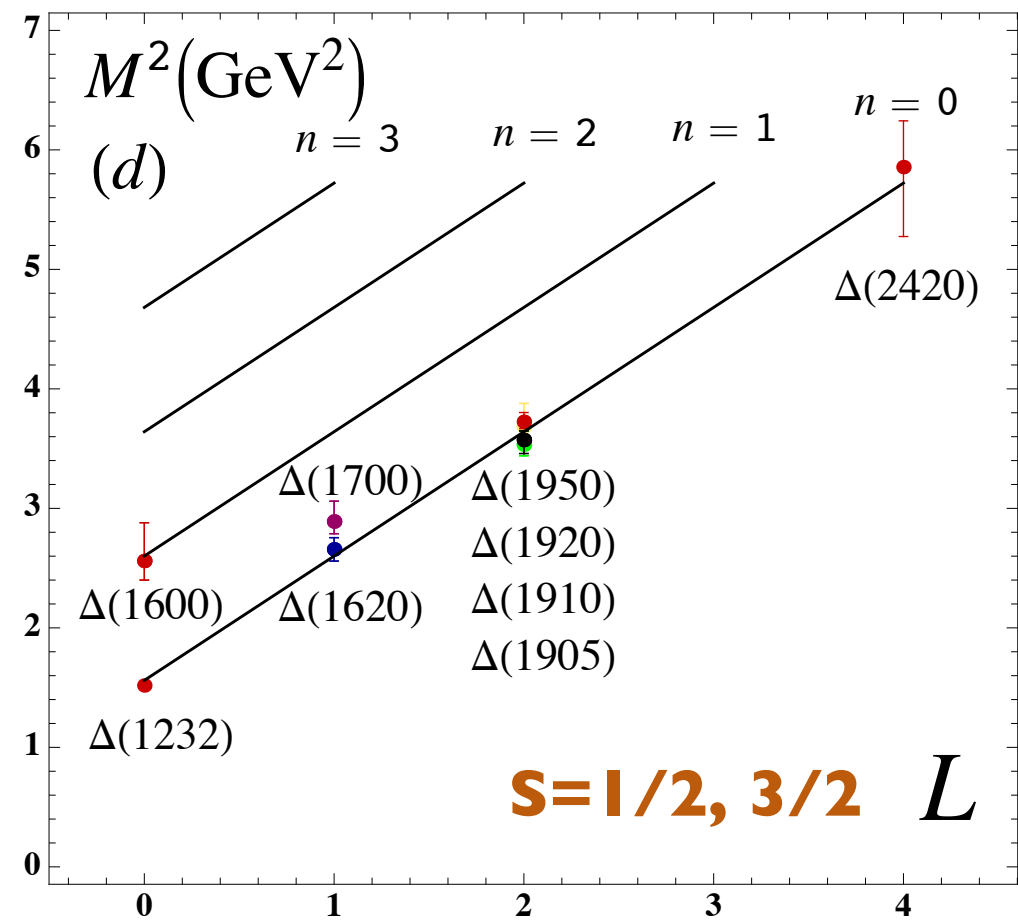
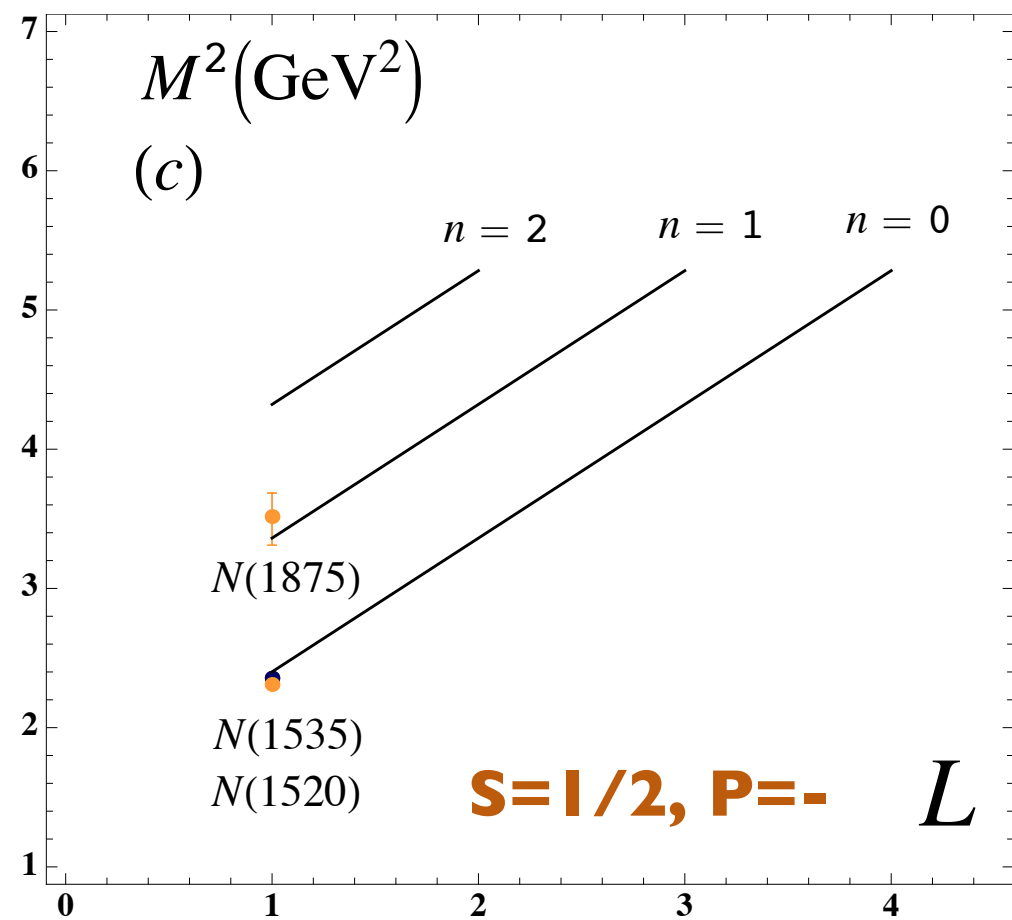
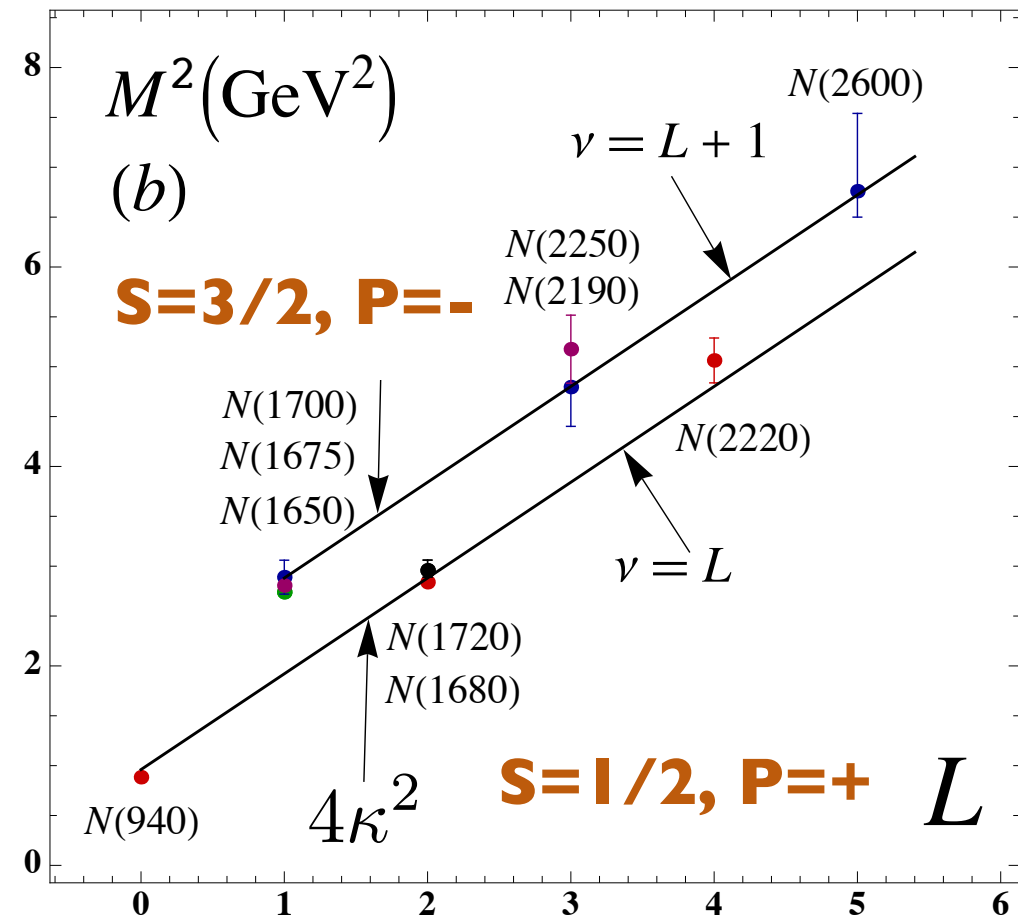
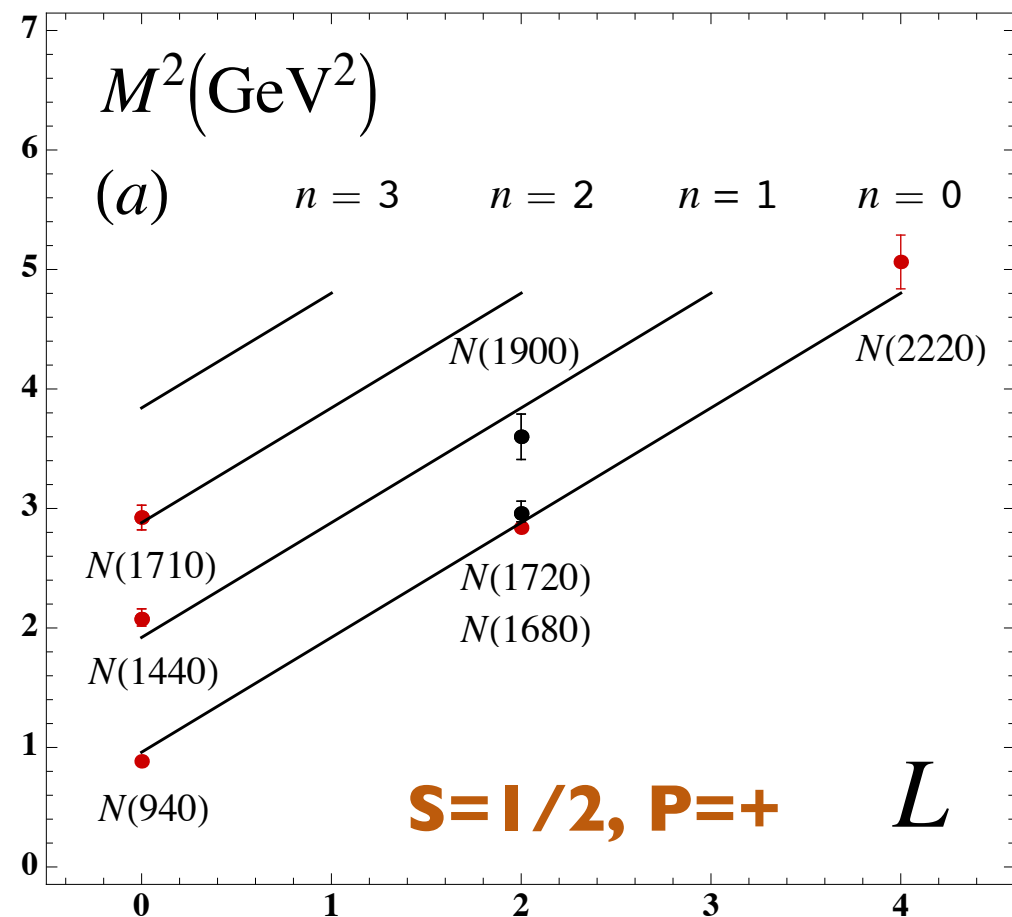
## Meson Equation

$$\left( -\partial_{\zeta}^2 + \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2(J - 1) + \frac{4L_M^2 - 1}{4\zeta^2} \right) \phi_J = M^2 \phi_J$$

$$M^2(n, L_M) = 4\kappa^2(n + L_M) \quad \mathbf{S=0, P=+}$$

*Same  $\kappa$ !*

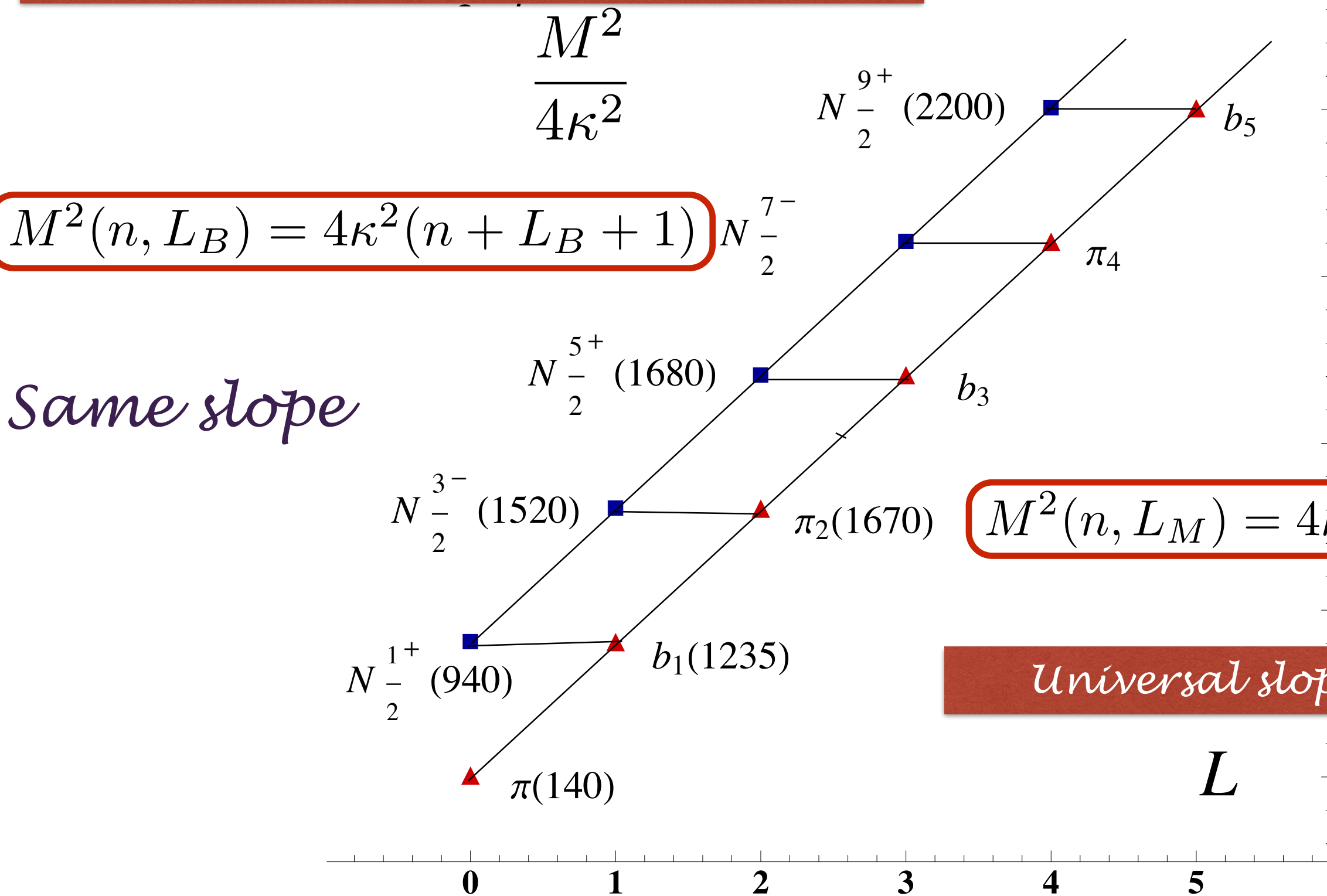
**$S=0, I=I$  Meson is superpartner of  $S=1/2, I=I$  Baryon**  
**Meson-Baryon Degeneracy for  $L_M=L_B+1$**



# Superconformal Quantum Mechanics

## Light-Front Holography

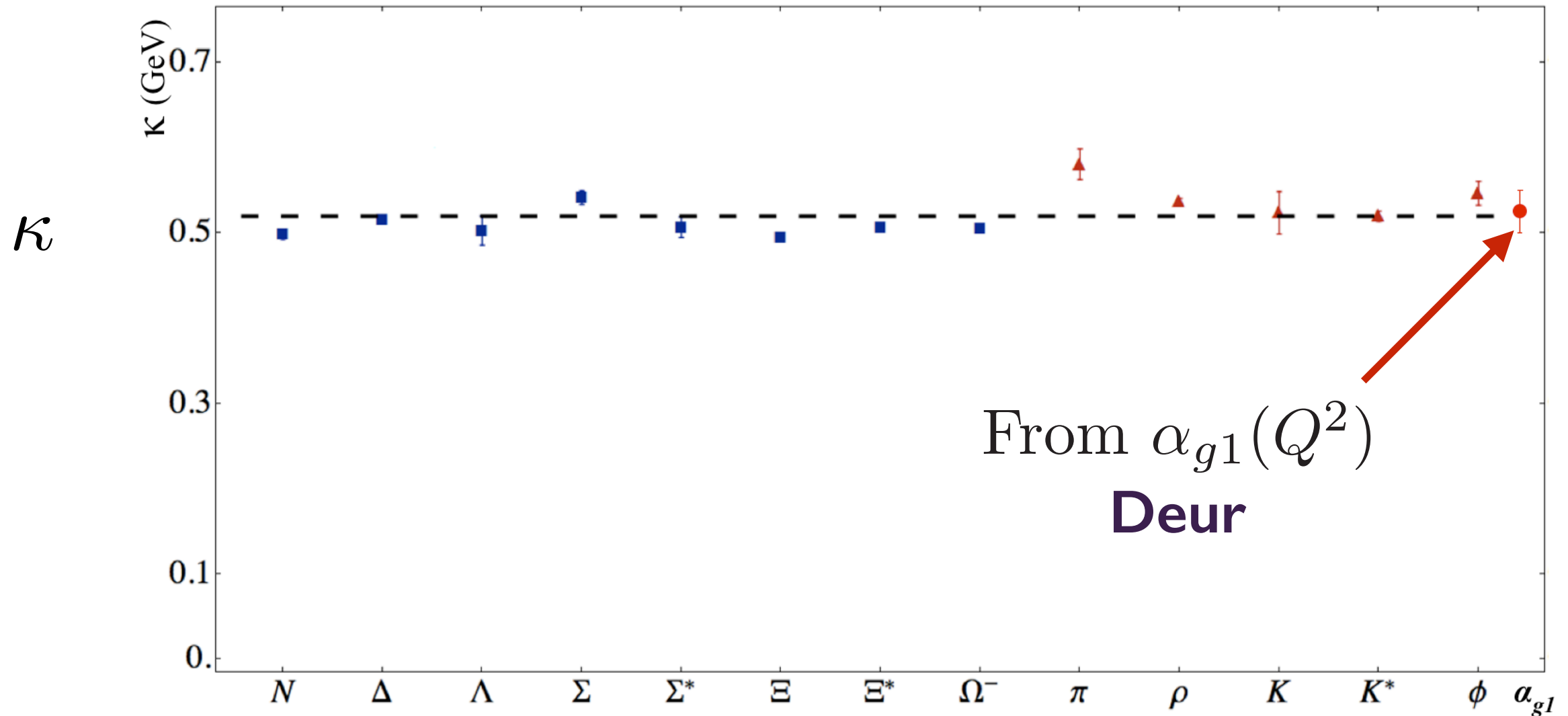
*de Tèramond, Dosch, Lorce, sjb*



$$\frac{M_{meson}^2}{M_{nucleon}^2} = \frac{n + L_M}{n + L_B + 1}$$

**Meson-Baryon  
Mass Degeneracy  
for  $L_M = L_B + 1$**

$$m_u = m_d = 46 \text{ MeV}, m_s = 357 \text{ MeV}$$

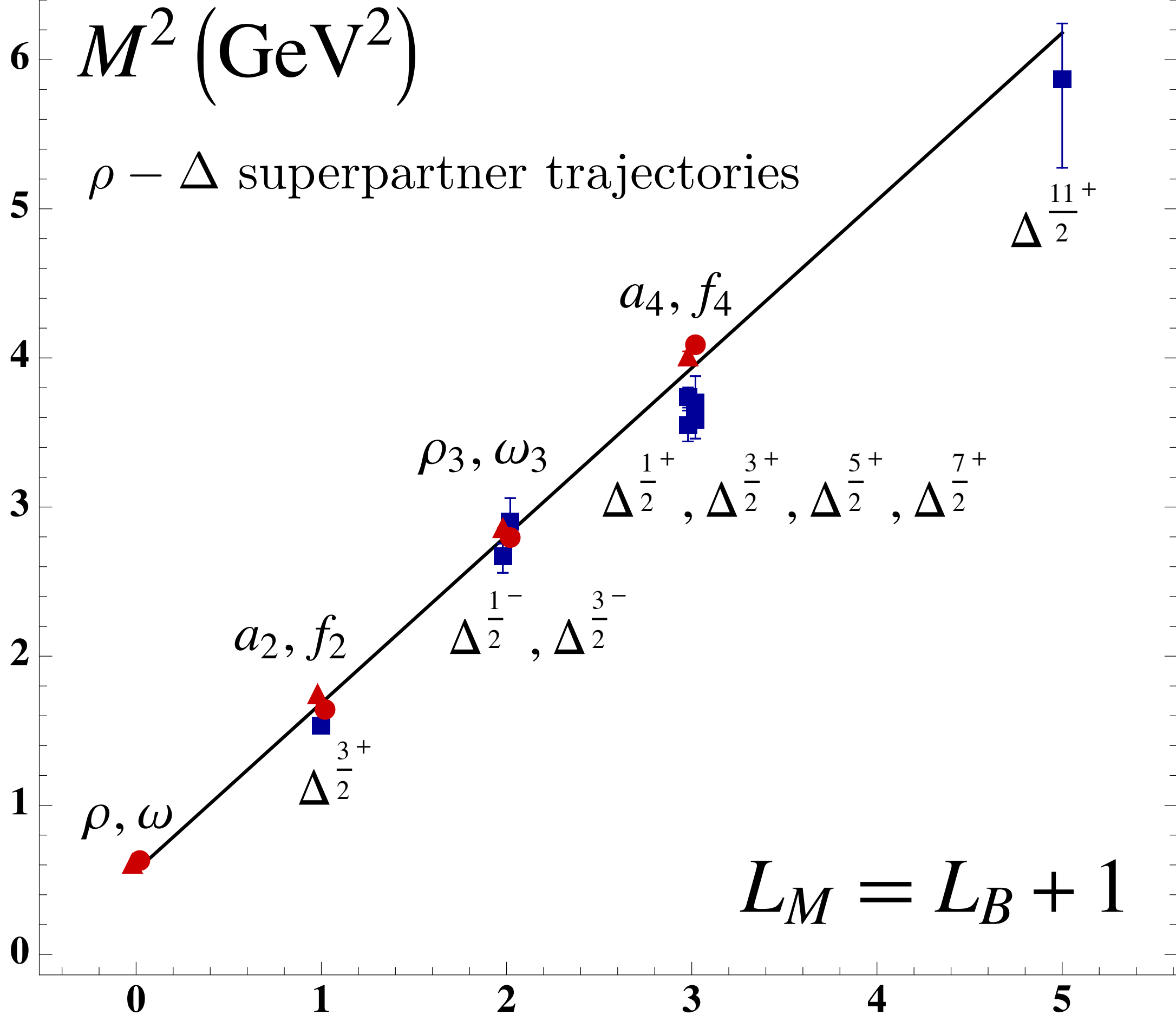


**Fit to the slope of Regge trajectories,  
including radial excitations**

**Same Regge Slope for Meson, Baryons:  
Supersymmetric feature of hadron physics**

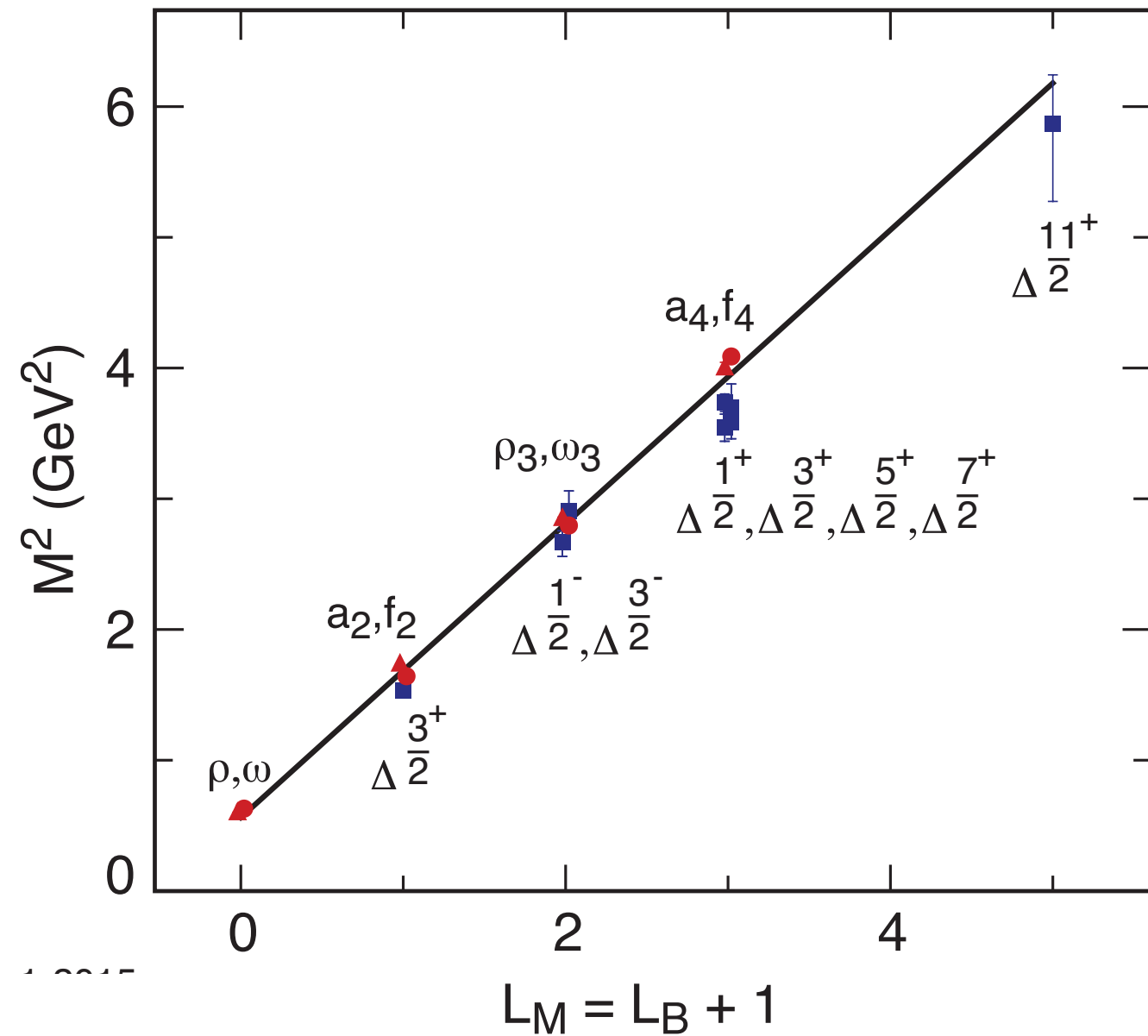
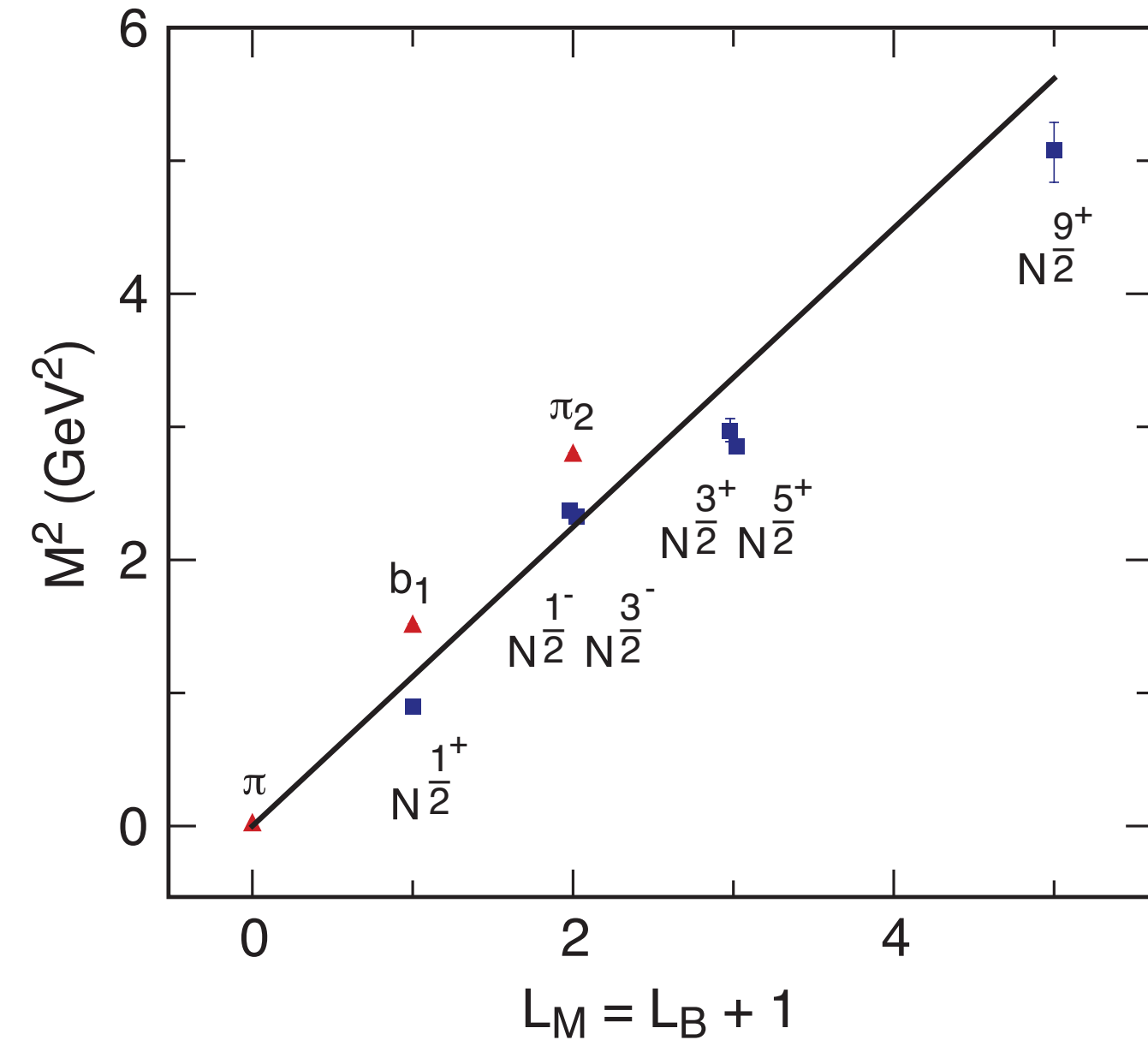
$M^2 \text{ (GeV}^2\text{)}$

$\rho - \Delta$  superpartner trajectories





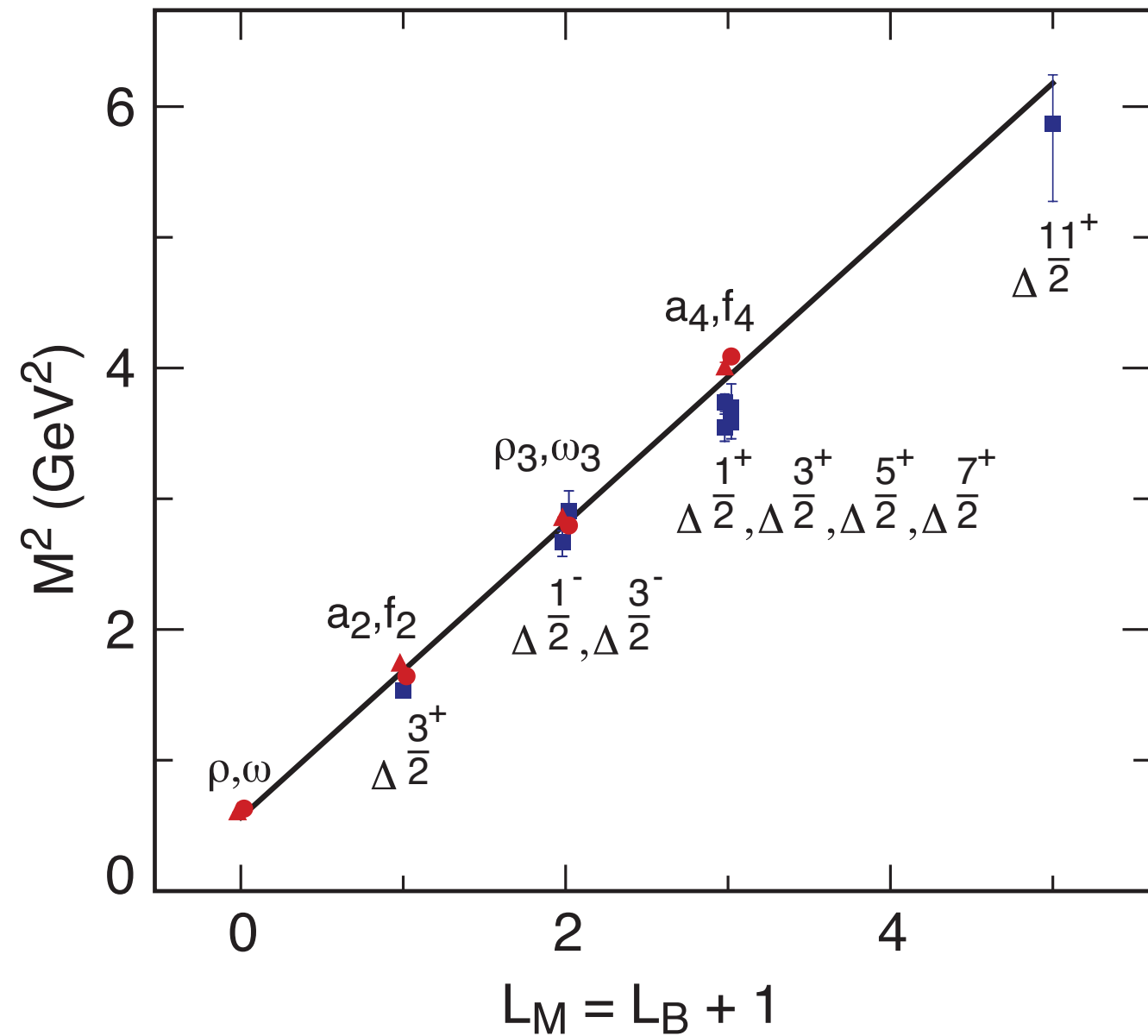
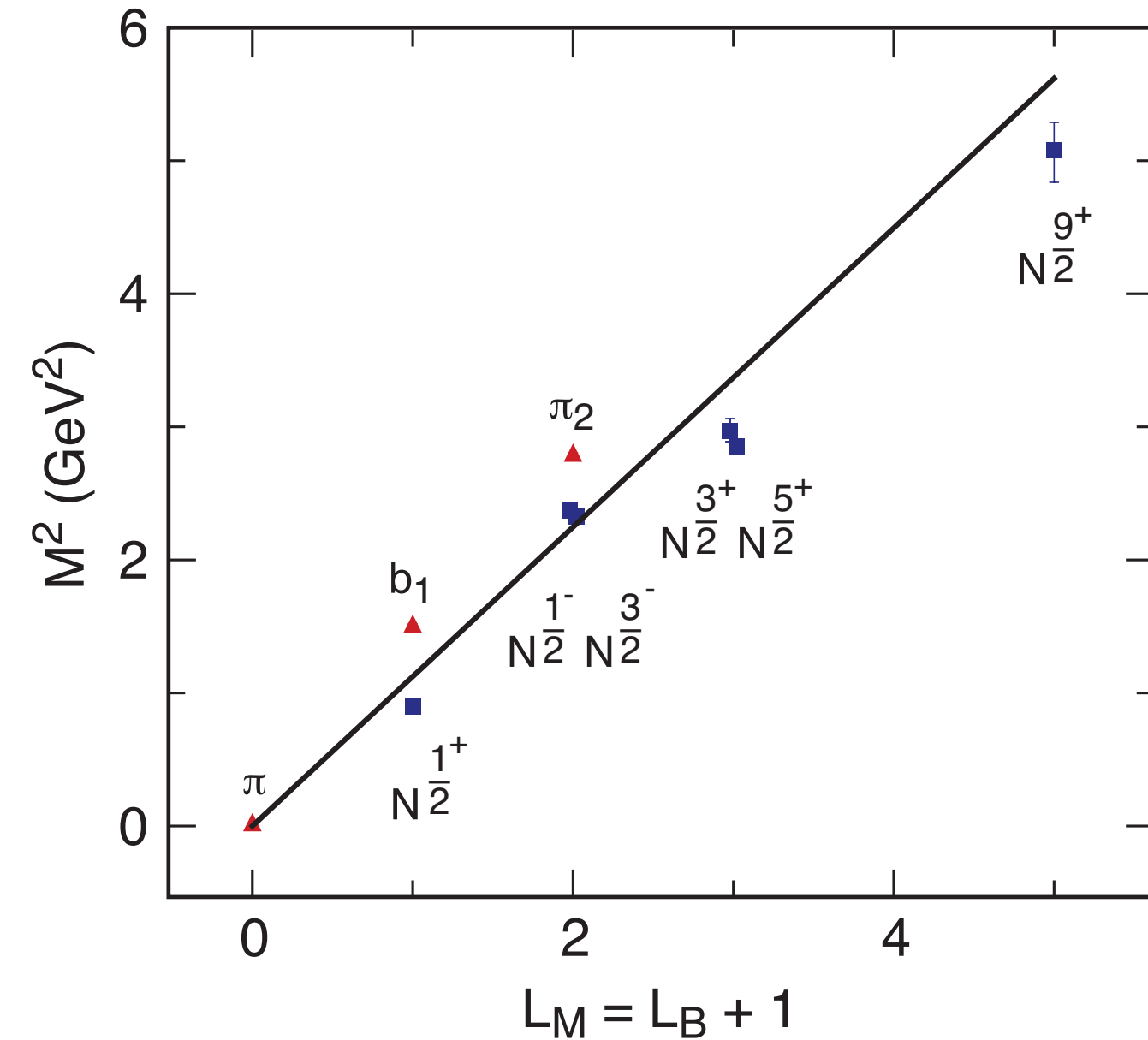
*Solid line:  $\kappa = 0.53 \text{ GeV}$*



**Superconformal meson-nucleon partners**

*de Tèramond, Dosch, sjb*

*Solid line:  $\kappa = 0.53 \text{ GeV}$*



**Superconformal meson-nucleon partners**

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# Universal Hadronic Features

- **Universal quark light-front kinetic energy**

$$\Delta\mathcal{M}_{LFKE}^2 = \kappa^2(1 + 2n + L)$$

**Equal:  
Virial  
Theorem!**

- **Universal quark light-front potential energy**

$$\Delta\mathcal{M}_{LFPE}^2 = \kappa^2(1 + 2n + L)$$

- **Universal Constant Term**

$$\mathcal{M}_{spin}^2 = 2\kappa^2(S + L - 1 + 2n_{diquark})$$

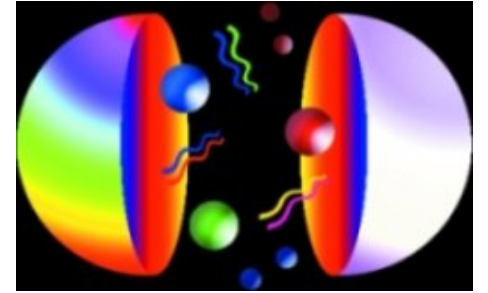
$$M^2 = \Delta\mathcal{M}_{LFKE}^2 + \Delta\mathcal{M}_{LFPE}^2 + \Delta\mathcal{M}_{spin}^2$$

$$+ \left\langle \sum_i \frac{m_i^2}{x_i} \right\rangle$$

# Fermionic Modes and Baryon Spectrum

[Hard wall model: GdT and S. J. Brodsky, PRL **94**, 201601 (2005)]

[Soft wall model: GdT and S. J. Brodsky, (2005), arXiv:1001.5193]



From Nick Evans

- Nucleon LF modes

$$\psi_+(\zeta)_{n,L} = \kappa^{2+L} \sqrt{\frac{2n!}{(n+L)!}} \zeta^{3/2+L} e^{-\kappa^2 \zeta^2 / 2} L_n^{L+1}(\kappa^2 \zeta^2)$$

$$\psi_-(\zeta)_{n,L} = \kappa^{3+L} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+L+2}} \sqrt{\frac{2n!}{(n+L)!}} \zeta^{5/2+L} e^{-\kappa^2 \zeta^2 / 2} L_n^{L+2}(\kappa^2 \zeta^2)$$

- Normalization

$$\int_0^\infty d\zeta \int_0^1 dx \psi_+^2(\zeta^2, x) = \int_0^\infty d\zeta \int_0^1 dx \psi_-^2(\zeta^2, x) = \frac{1}{2}$$

*Quark Chiral  
Symmetry of  
Eigenstate!*

- Eigenvalues

$$\mathcal{M}_{n,L,S=1/2}^2 = 4\kappa^2 (n + L + 1)$$

- “Chiral partners”

$$\frac{\mathcal{M}_{N(1535)}}{\mathcal{M}_{N(940)}} = \sqrt{2}$$

**Nucleon: Equal Probability for L=0,1**

# Features of Supersymmetric Equations

- $J = L + S$  baryon simultaneously satisfies both equations of  $G$  with  $L$ ,  $L+1$  with same mass eigenvalue
- $J^z = L^z + 1/2 = (L^z + 1) - 1/2 \quad S^z = \pm 1/2$
- Proton spin carried by quark  $L^z$

$$\langle J^z \rangle = \frac{1}{2} (S_q^z = \frac{1}{2}, L^z = 0) + \frac{1}{2} (S_q^z = -\frac{1}{2}, L^z = 1) = \langle L^z \rangle = \frac{1}{2}$$

- Mass-degenerate meson “superpartner” with  $L_M = L_B + 1$ . *“Shifted meson-baryon Duality”*

Mesons and baryons have same  $\kappa$  !

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Supersymmetric Features of QCD  
from LF Holography

Stan Brodsky





# Chiral Features of Soft-Wall AdS/QCD Model

- **Boost Invariant**
- **Trivial LF vacuum! No vacuum condensate, but consistent with GMOR**
- **Massless Pion**
- **Hadron Eigenstates (even the pion) have LF Fock components of different  $L^z$**
- **Proton: equal probability**  $S^z = +1/2, L^z = 0; S^z = -1/2, L^z = +1$   
 $J^z = +1/2 : < L^z > = 1/2, < S_q^z > = 0$
- **Self-Dual Massive Eigenstates: Proton is its own chiral partner.**
- **Label State by minimum L as in Atomic Physics**
- **Minimum L dominates at short distances**
- **AdS/QCD Dictionary: Match to Interpolating Operator Twist at  $z=0$ .**

*No mass-degenerate parity partners!*

## Space-Like Dirac Proton Form Factor

- Consider the spin non-flip form factors

$$F_+(Q^2) = g_+ \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) |\psi_+(\zeta)|^2,$$

$$F_-(Q^2) = g_- \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) |\psi_-(\zeta)|^2,$$

where the effective charges  $g_+$  and  $g_-$  are determined from the spin-flavor structure of the theory.

- Choose the struck quark to have  $S^z = +1/2$ . The two AdS solutions  $\psi_+(\zeta)$  and  $\psi_-(\zeta)$  correspond to nucleons with  $J^z = +1/2$  and  $-1/2$ .
- For  $SU(6)$  spin-flavor symmetry

$$F_1^p(Q^2) = \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) |\psi_+(\zeta)|^2,$$

$$F_1^n(Q^2) = -\frac{1}{3} \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) [|\psi_+(\zeta)|^2 - |\psi_-(\zeta)|^2],$$

where  $F_1^p(0) = 1$ ,  $F_1^n(0) = 0$ .

- Compute Dirac proton form factor using SU(6) flavor symmetry

$$F_1^p(Q^2) = R^4 \int \frac{dz}{z^4} V(Q, z) \Psi_+^2(z)$$

- Nucleon AdS wave function

$$\Psi_+(z) = \frac{\kappa^{2+L}}{R^2} \sqrt{\frac{2n!}{(n+L)!}} z^{7/2+L} L_n^{L+1}(\kappa^2 z^2) e^{-\kappa^2 z^2/2}$$

- Normalization  $(F_1^p(0) = 1, \quad V(Q=0, z) = 1)$

$$R^4 \int \frac{dz}{z^4} \Psi_+^2(z) = 1$$

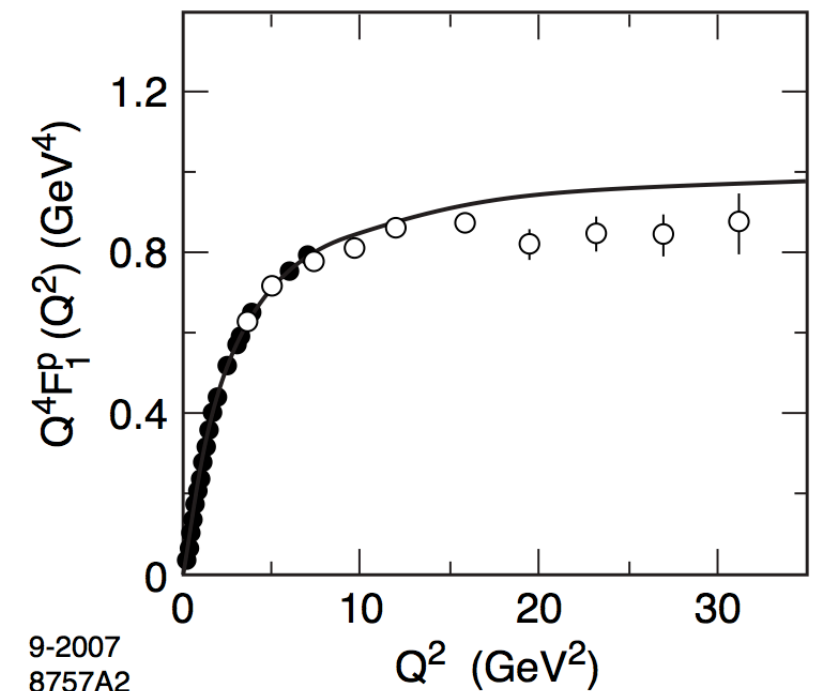
- Bulk-to-boundary propagator [Grigoryan and Radyushkin (2007)]

$$V(Q, z) = \kappa^2 z^2 \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{(1-x)^2} x^{\frac{Q^2}{4\kappa^2}} e^{-\kappa^2 z^2 x/(1-x)}$$

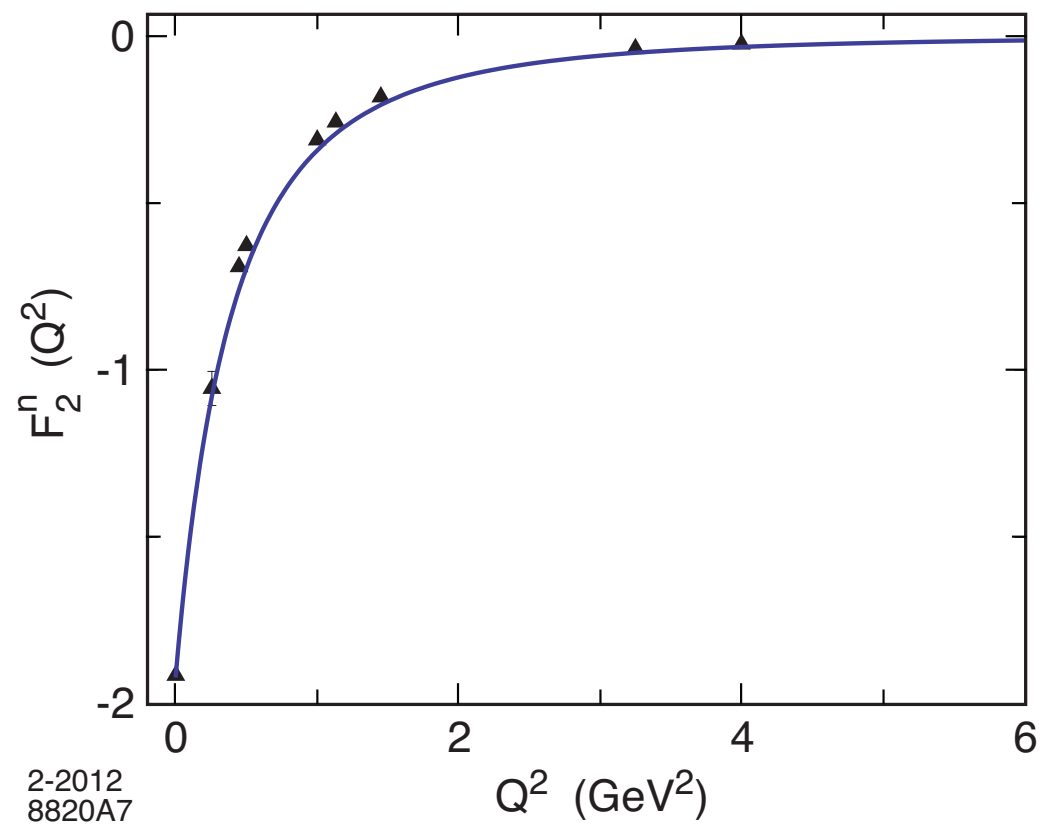
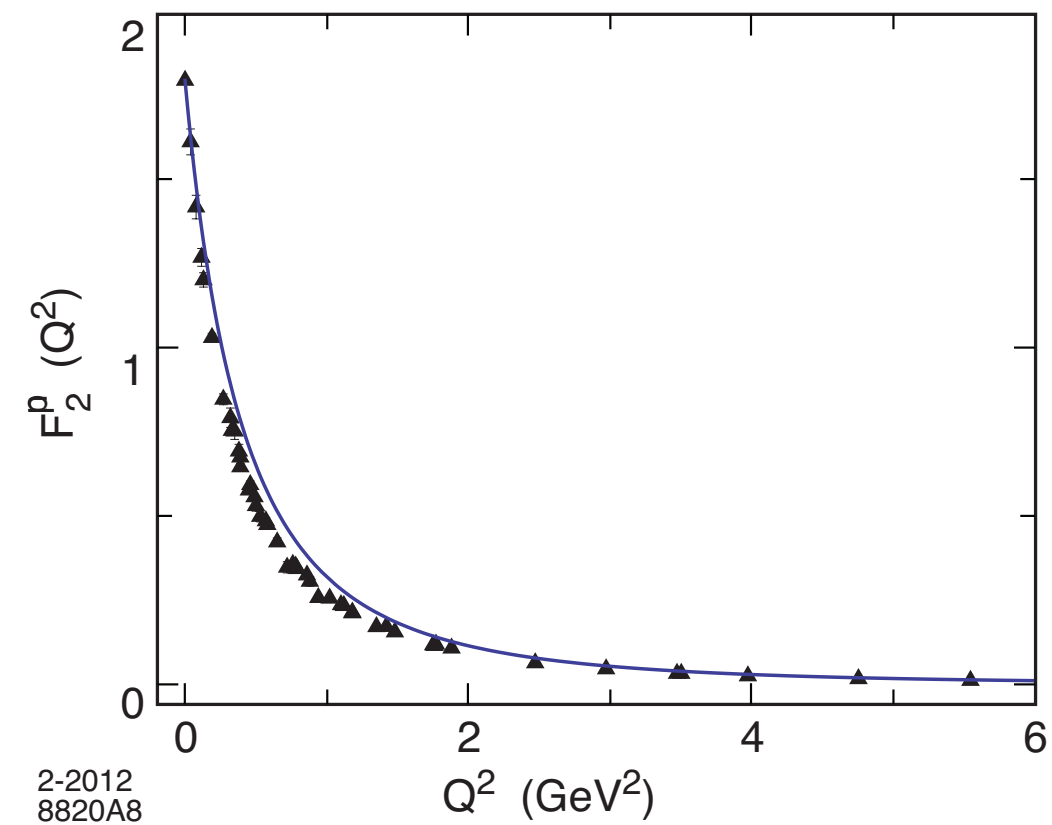
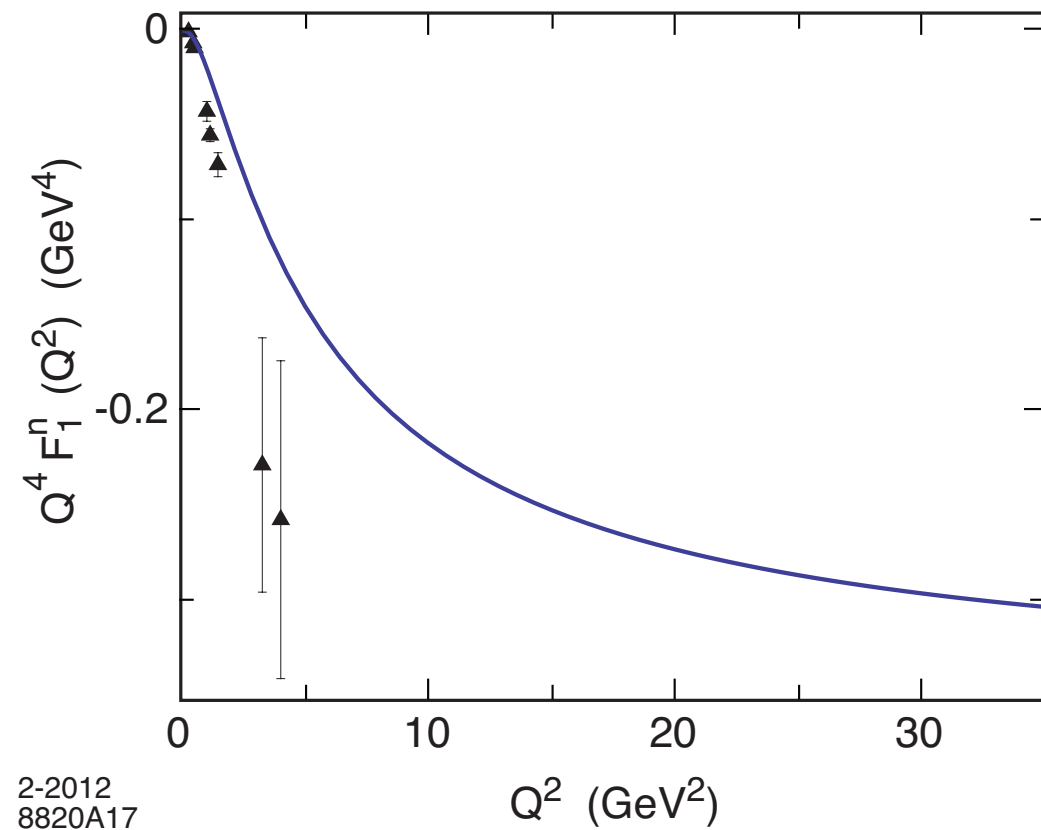
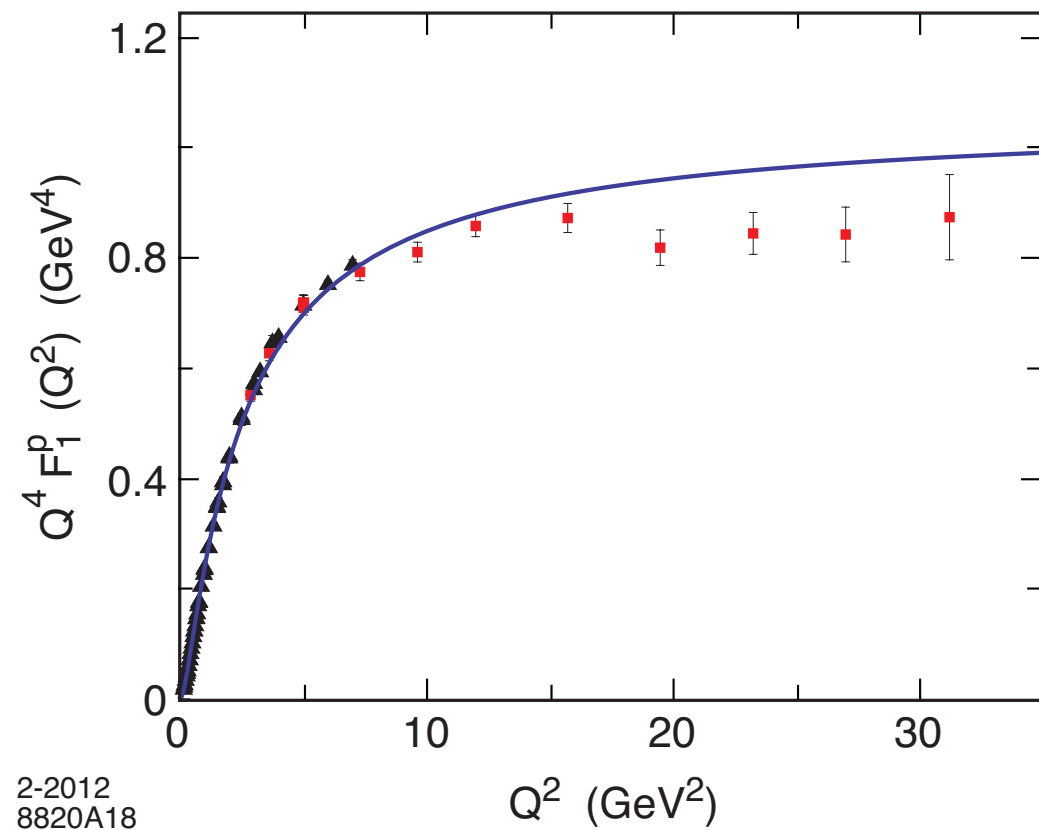
- Find

$$F_1^p(Q^2) = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_\rho^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_{\rho'}^2}\right)}$$

with  $\mathcal{M}_{\rho_n}^2 \rightarrow 4\kappa^2(n + 1/2)$



Using  $SU(6)$  flavor symmetry and normalization to static quantities



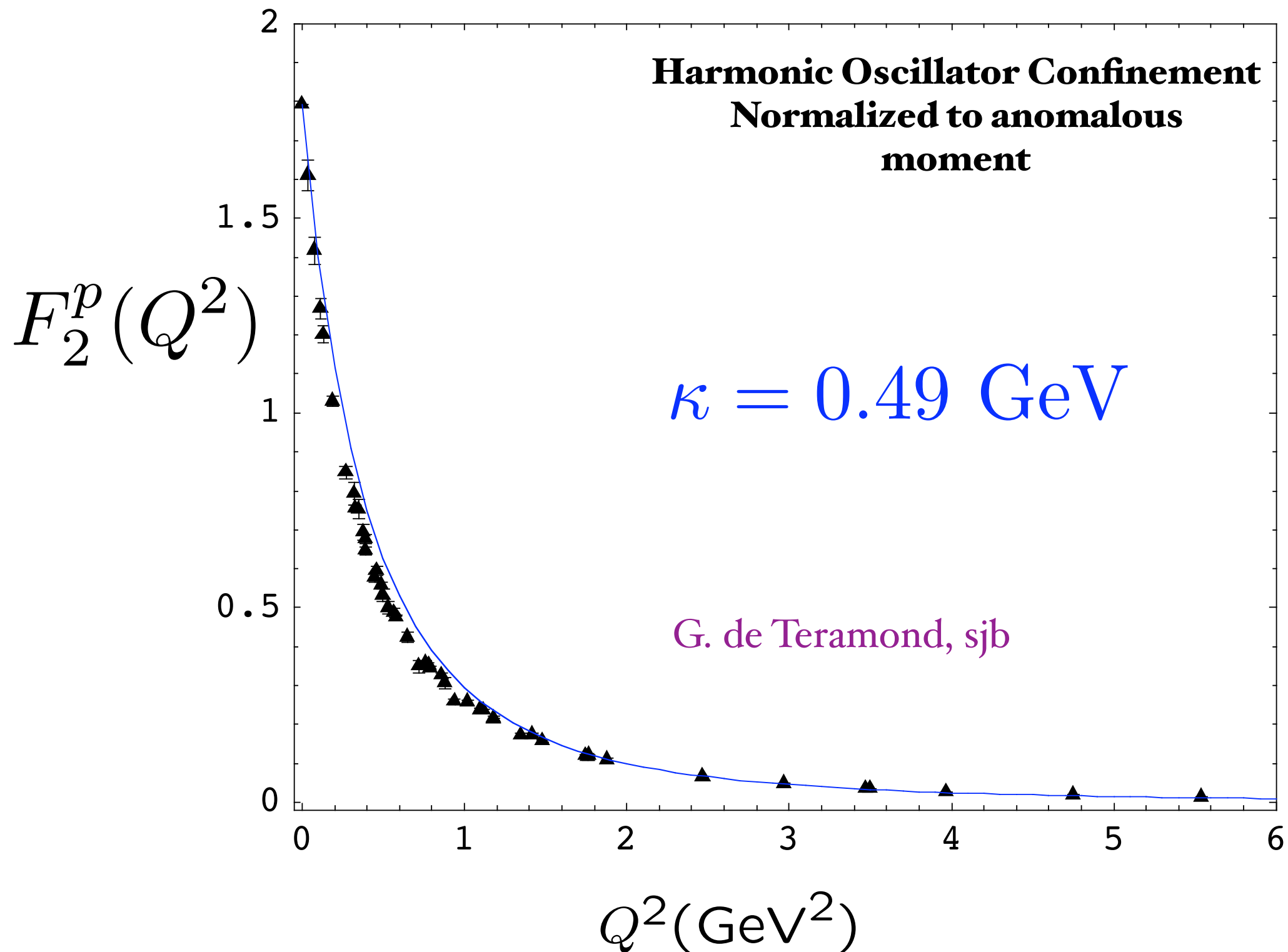
# Spacelike Pauli Form Factor

From overlap of  $L = 1$  and  $L = 0$  LFWFs

**Harmonic Oscillator Confinement**  
**Normalized to anomalous**  
**moment**

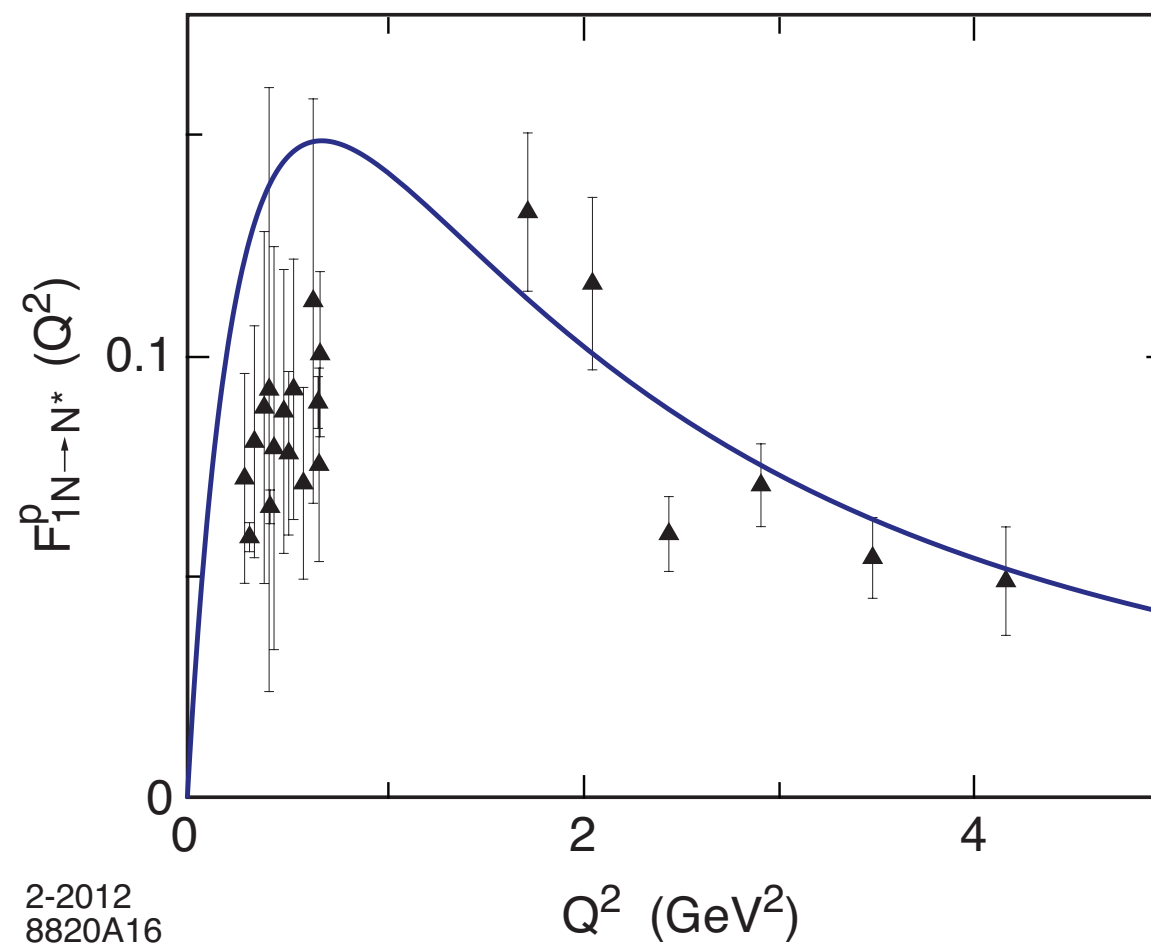
$$\kappa = 0.49 \text{ GeV}$$

G. de Teramond, sjb



## Nucleon Transition Form Factors

$$F_{1N \rightarrow N^*}^p(Q^2) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \frac{\frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_\rho^2}}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_\rho^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_{\rho'}^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_{\rho''}^2}\right)}.$$



Proton transition form factor to the first radial excited state. Data from JLab



# Nucleon Transition Form Factors

- Compute spin non-flip EM transition  $N(940) \rightarrow N^*(1440)$ :  $\Psi_+^{n=0,L=0} \rightarrow \Psi_+^{n=1,L=0}$
- Transition form factor

$$F_1^p_{N \rightarrow N^*}(Q^2) = R^4 \int \frac{dz}{z^4} \Psi_+^{n=1,L=0}(z) V(Q, z) \Psi_+^{n=0,L=0}(z)$$

- Orthonormality of Laguerre functions  $(F_1^p_{N \rightarrow N^*}(0) = 0, \quad V(Q=0, z) = 1)$

$$R^4 \int \frac{dz}{z^4} \Psi_+^{n',L}(z) \Psi_+^{n,L}(z) = \delta_{n,n'}$$

- Find

$$F_1^p_{N \rightarrow N^*}(Q^2) = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \frac{\frac{Q^2}{M_P^2}}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_\rho^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_{\rho'}^2}\right) \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\mathcal{M}_{\rho''}^2}\right)}$$

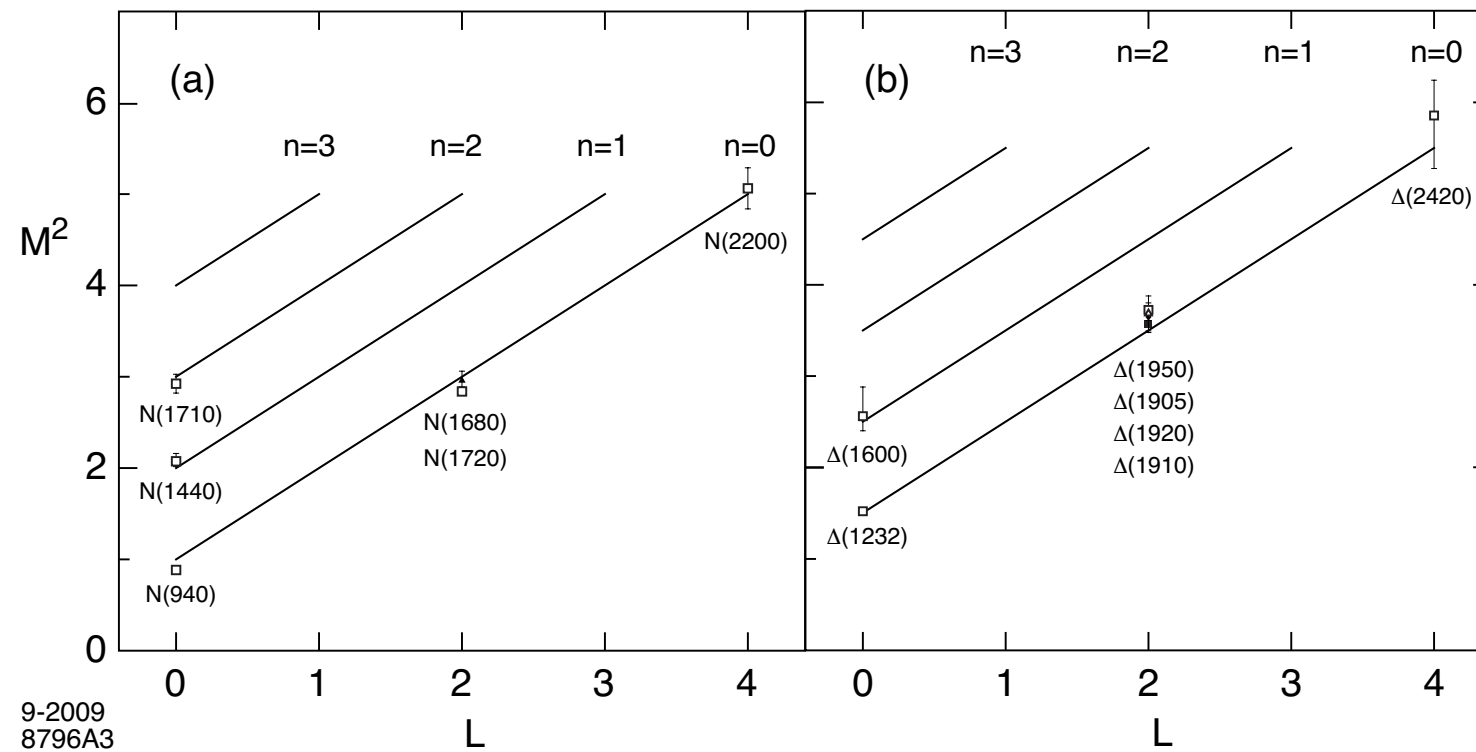
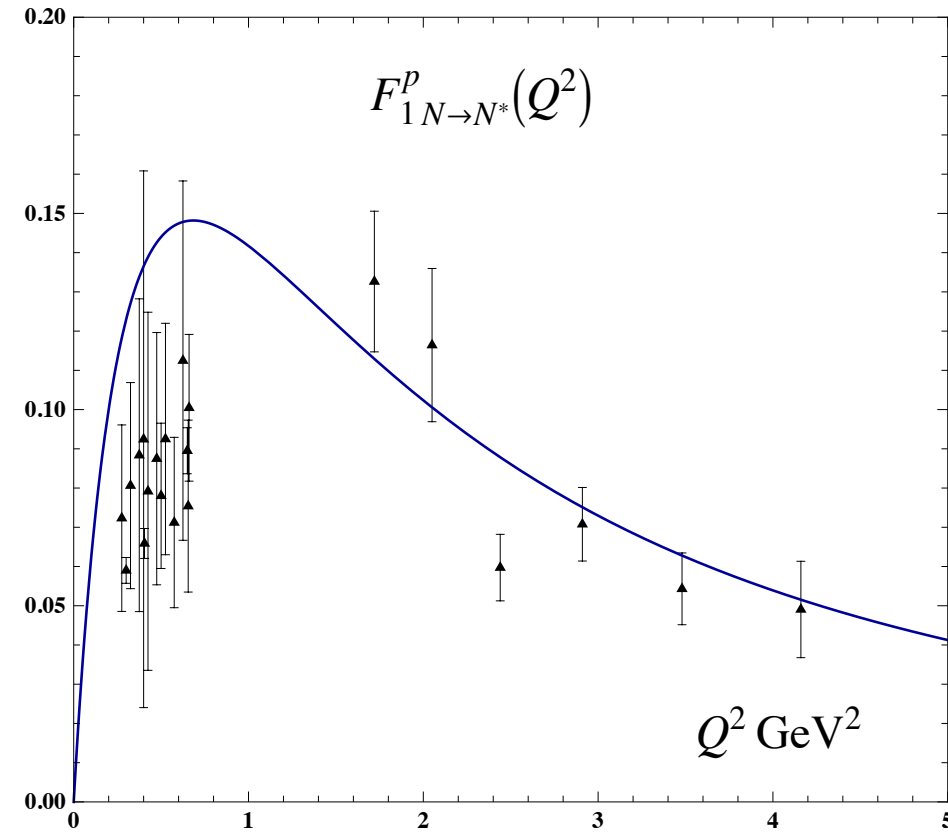
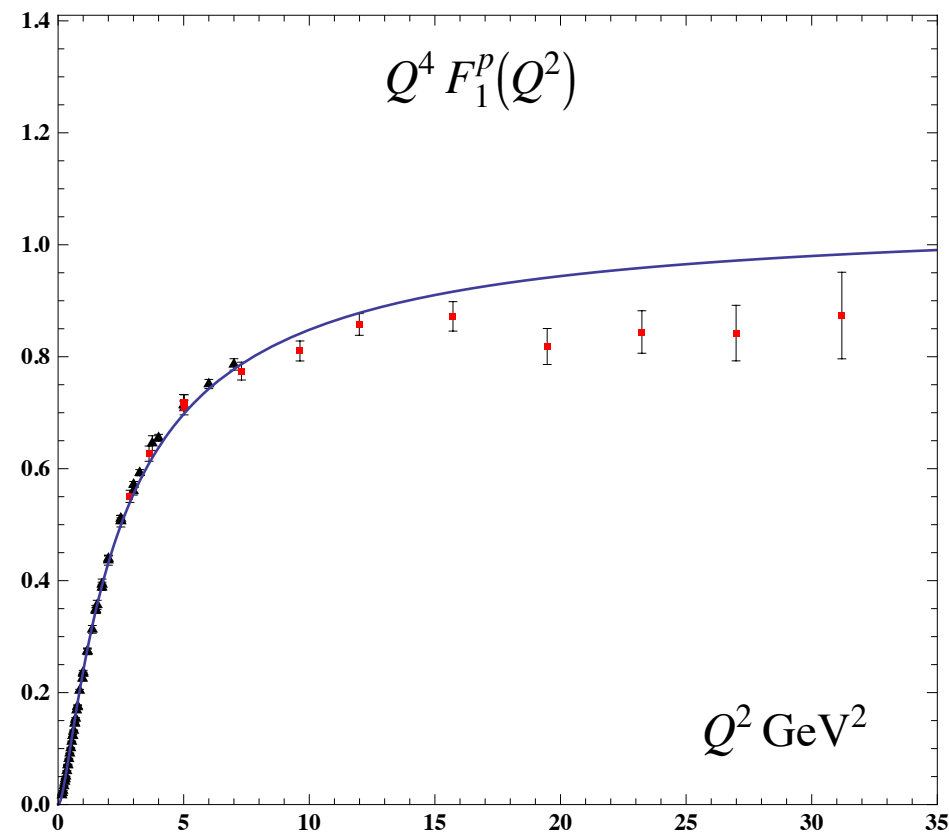
with  $\mathcal{M}_{\rho_n}^2 \rightarrow 4\kappa^2(n + 1/2)$

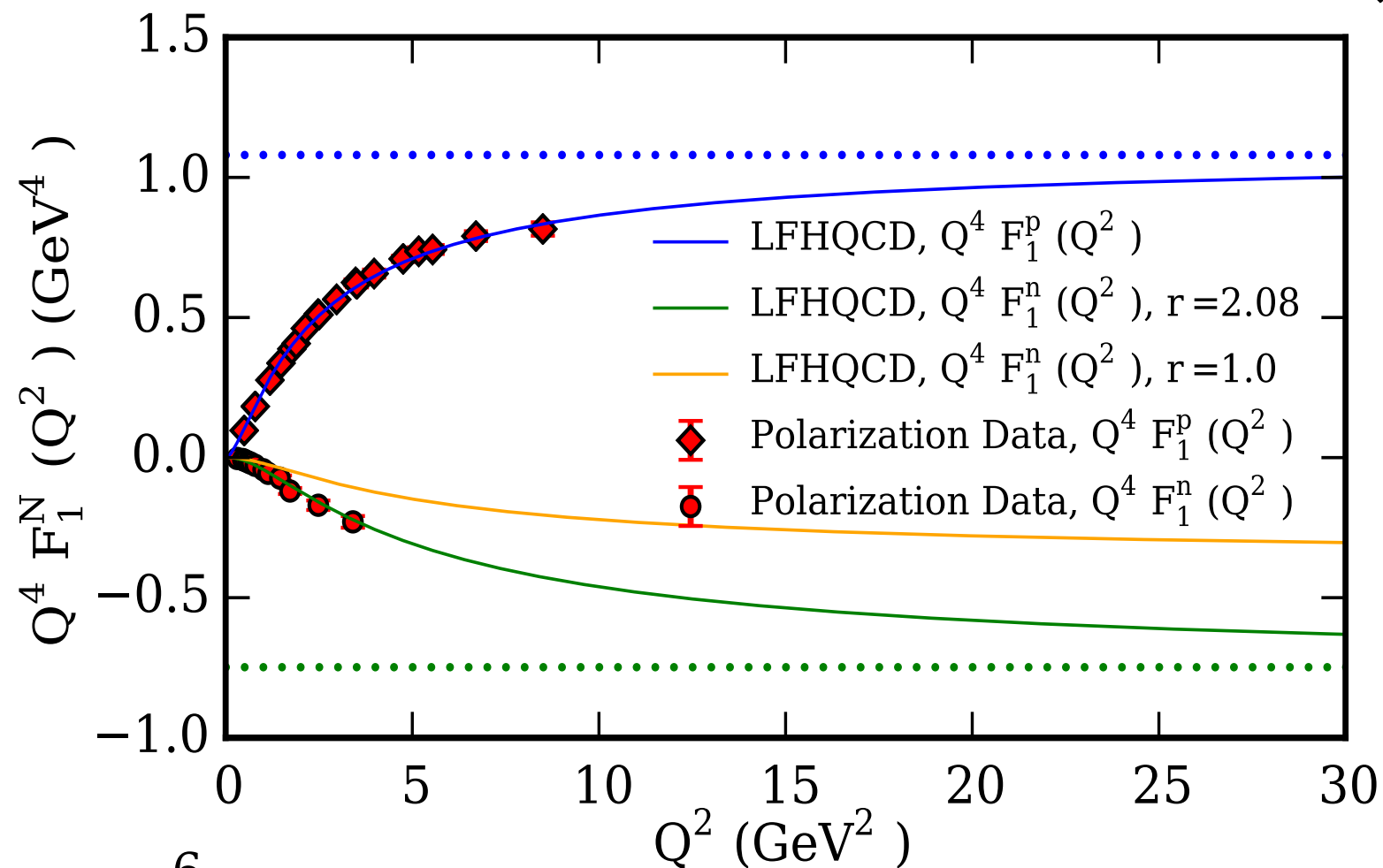
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*Consistent with counting rule, twist 3*

# Excited Baryons in Holographic QCD

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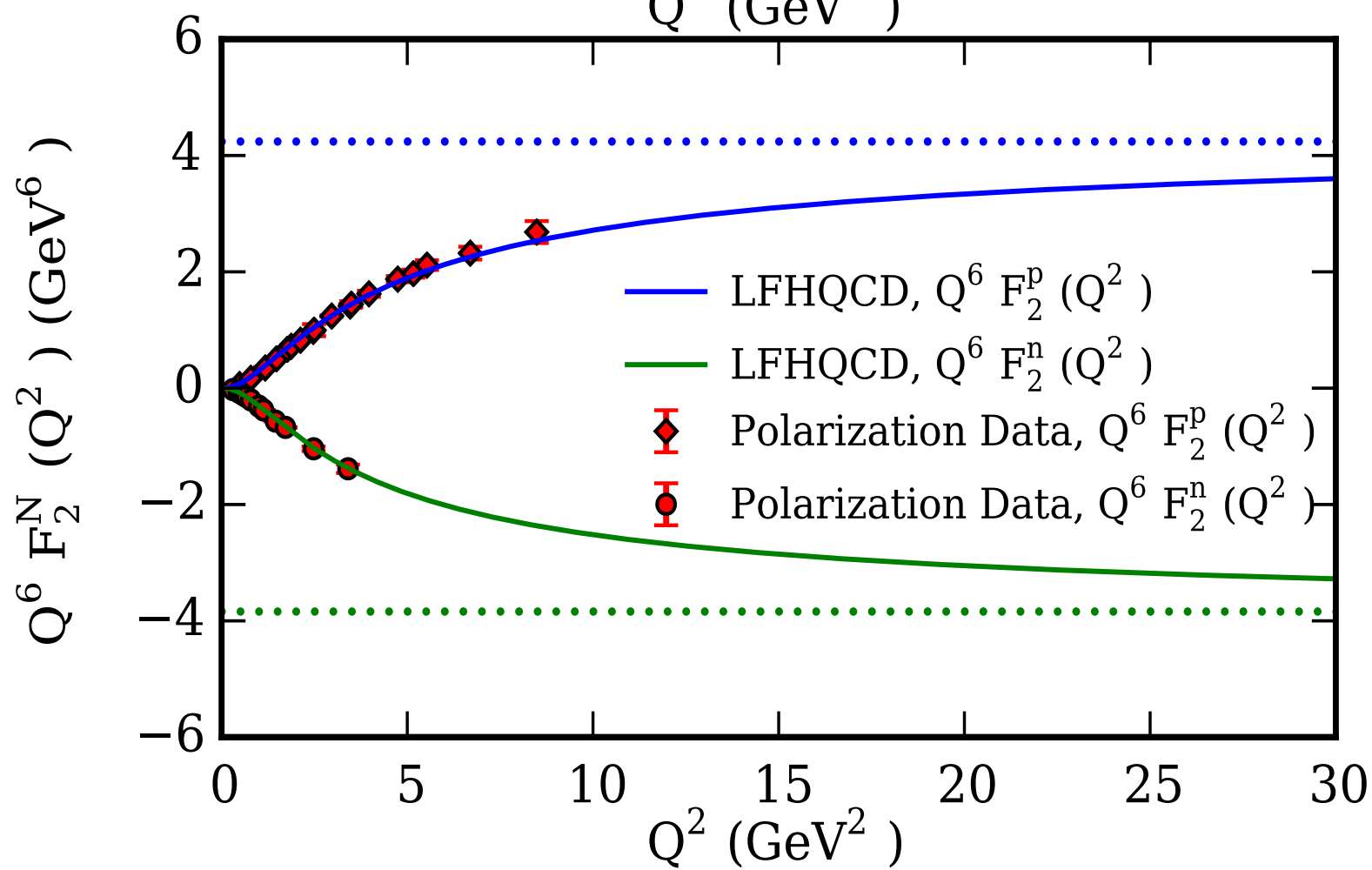




$$Q^4 F_1^p(Q^2)$$

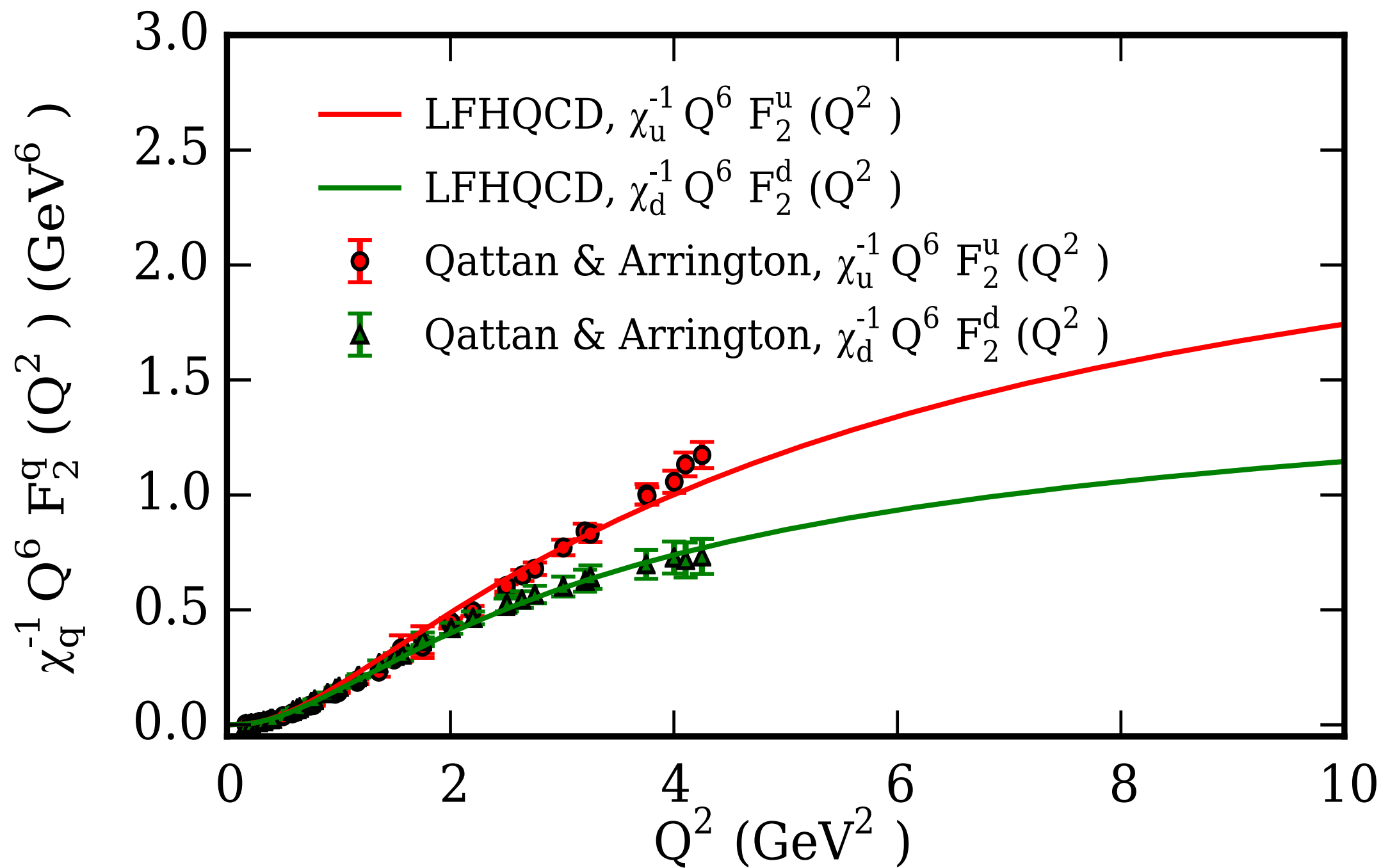
$$Q^4 F_1^n(Q^2)$$

*Includes  
5-quark  
Fock states*



$$Q^6 F_2^p(Q^2)$$

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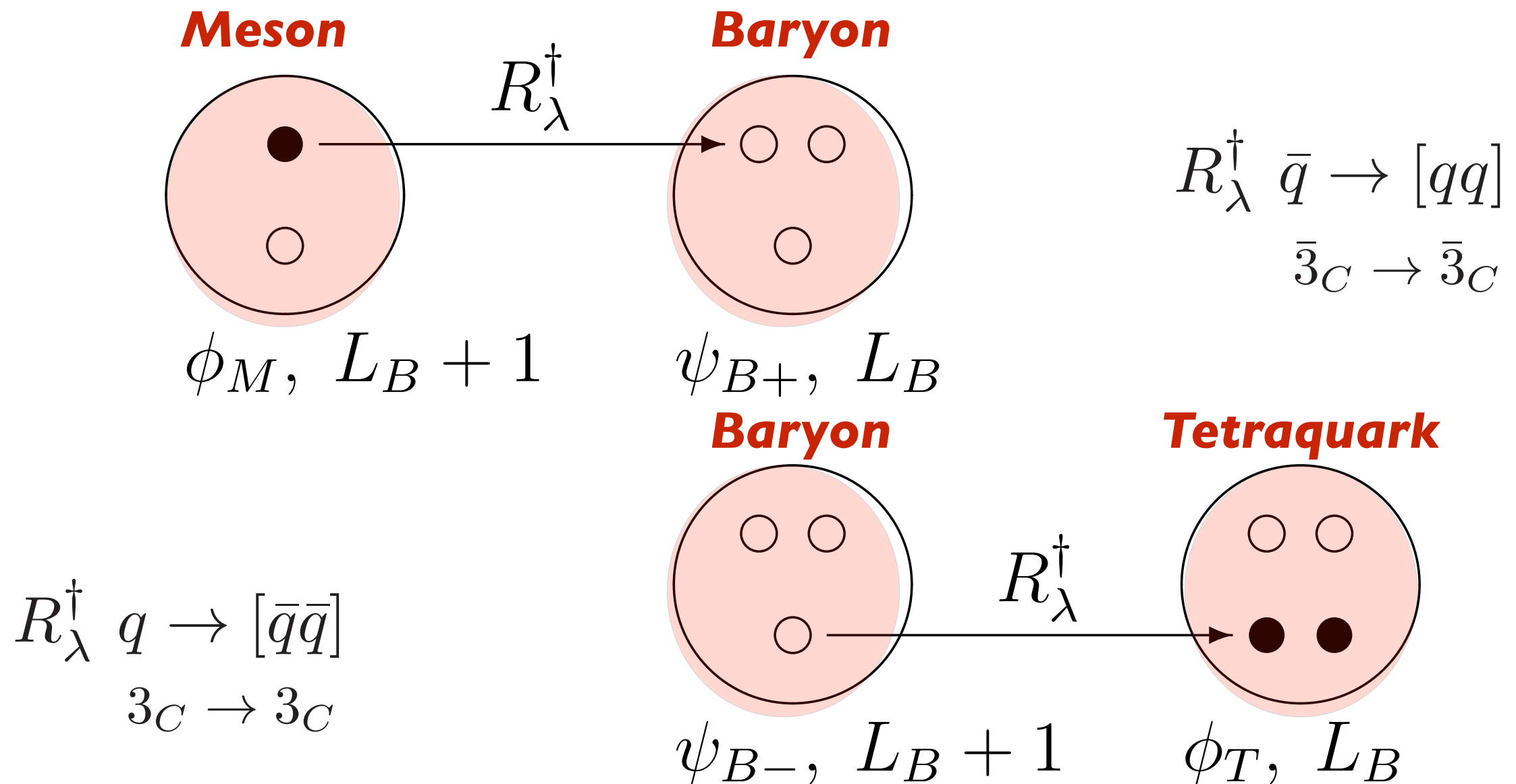
*Flavor Dependence of  $Q^6 F_2(Q^2)$*

Sufian, de Teramond, Deur, Dosch, sjb

# Superconformal Algebra

## 2X2 Hadronic Multiplets

Bosons, Fermions with Equal Mass!



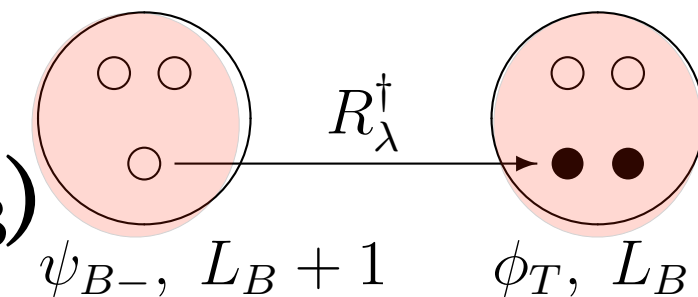
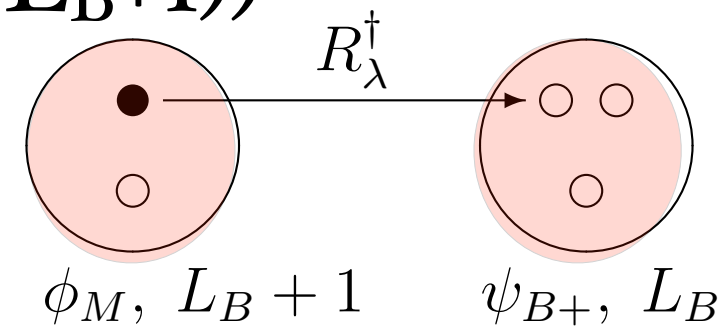
Proton:  $|u[ud]\rangle$  Quark + Scalar Diquark  
 Equal Weight:  $L=0, L=1$

# Superconformal Algebra

## 2X2 Hadronic Multiplets

$$\begin{pmatrix} \phi_M(L_M = L_B + 1) & \psi_{B-}(L_B + 1) \\ \psi_{B+}(L_B) & \phi_T(L_T = L_B) \end{pmatrix}$$

- quark-antiquark meson ( $L_M = L_B + 1$ )
- quark-diquark baryon ( $L_B$ )
- quark-diquark baryon ( $L_B + 1$ )
- diquark-antidiquark tetraquark ( $L_T = L_B$ )
- Universal Regge slopes  $\lambda = \kappa^2$



Same Twist!

$$M_H^2/\lambda = \underbrace{(2n + L_H + 1)}_{\text{kinetic}} + \underbrace{(2n + L_H + 1)}_{\text{potential}} + \underbrace{2(L_H + s) + 2\chi}_{\text{contribution from AdS and superconformal algebra}} + \left\langle \sum_i \frac{m_i^2}{x_i} \right\rangle$$

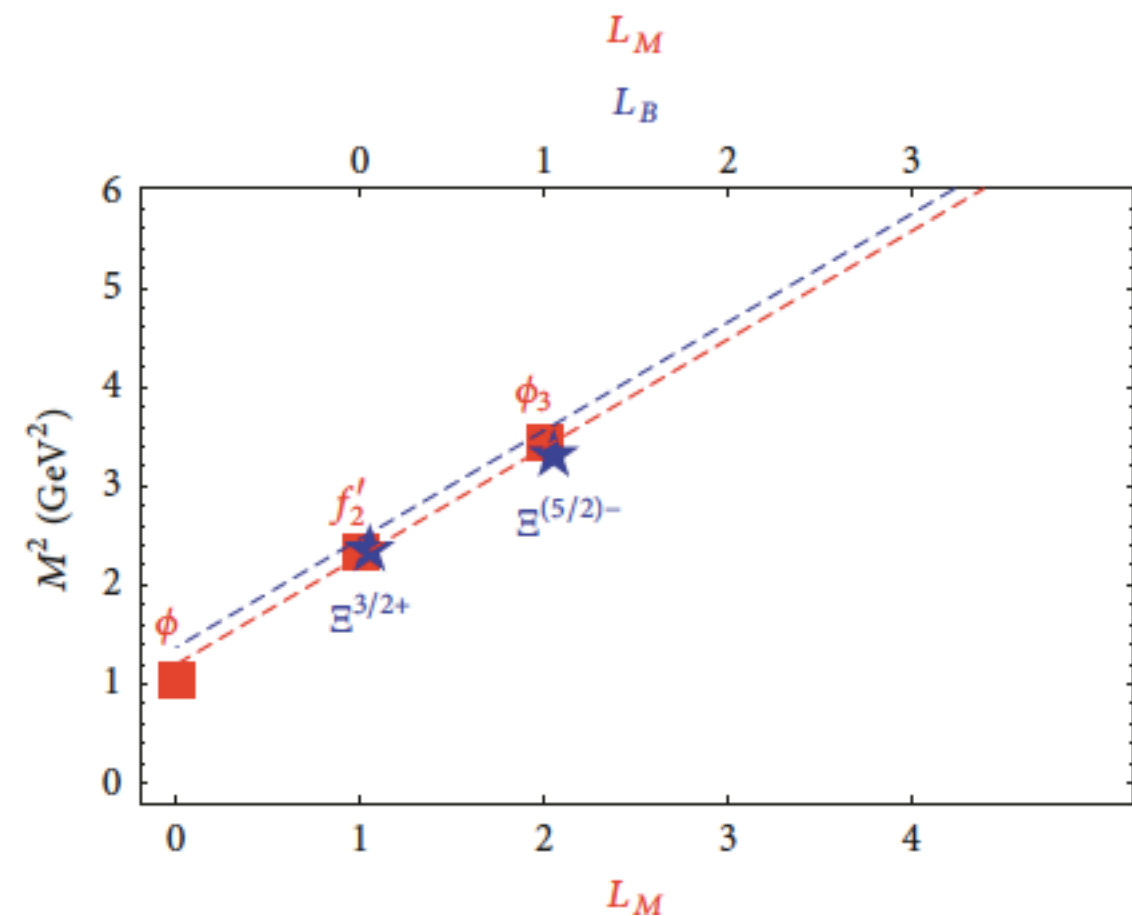
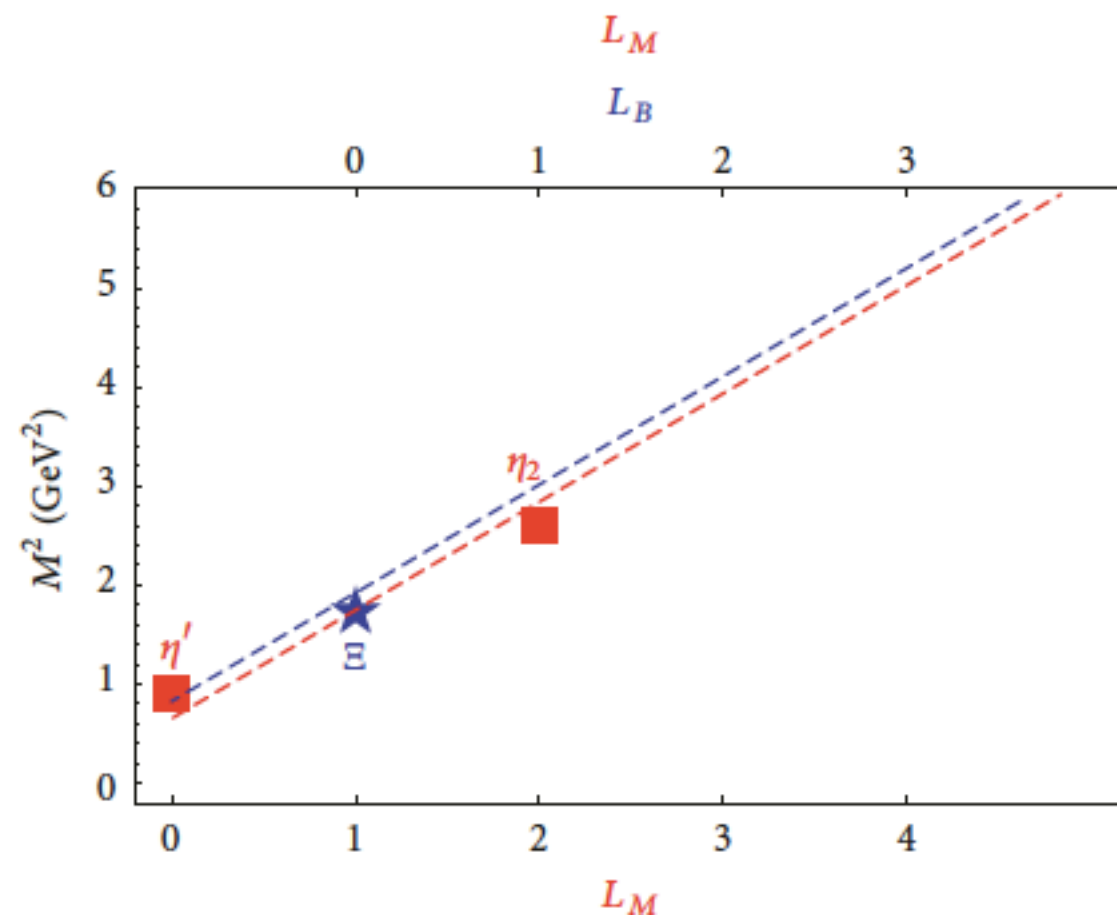
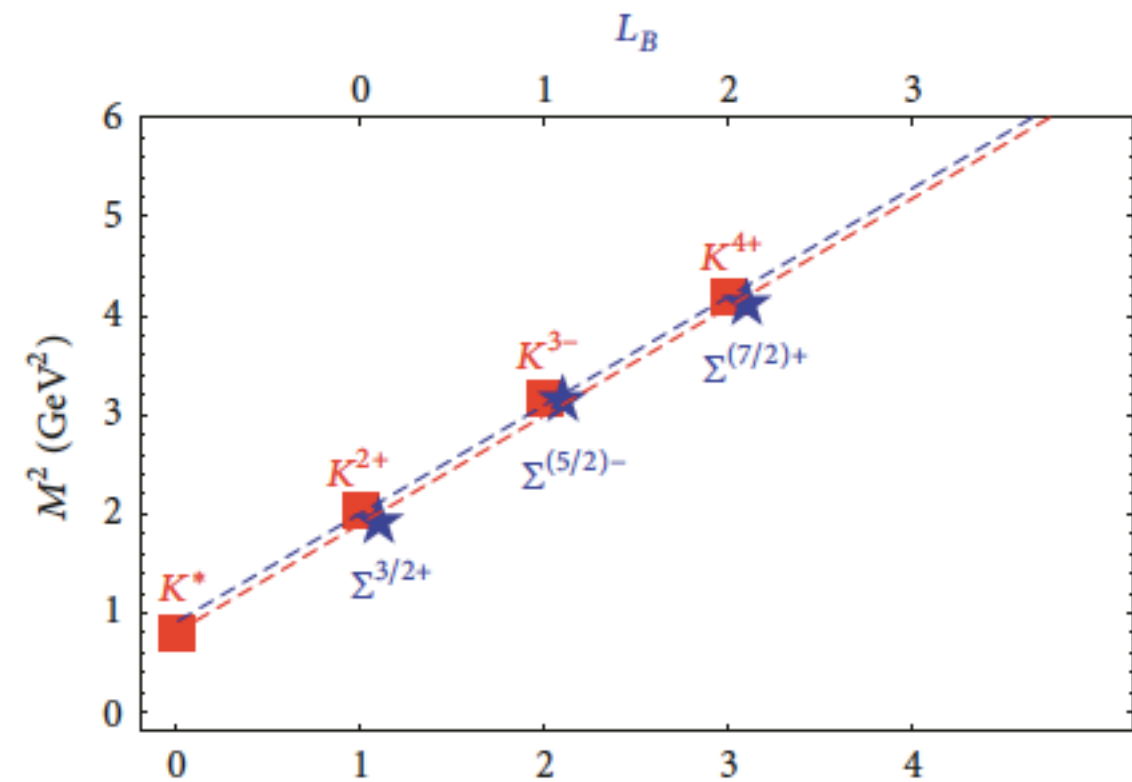
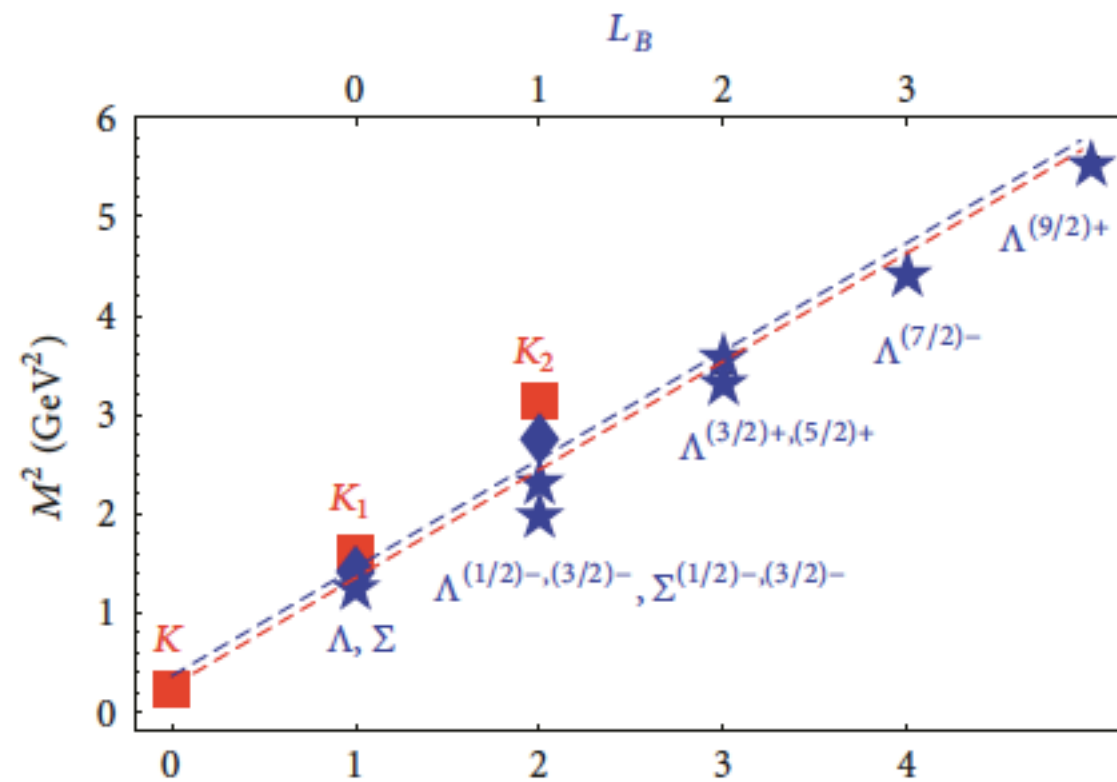
$$\chi(\text{mesons}) = -1$$

$$\chi(\text{baryons, tetraquarks}) = +1$$

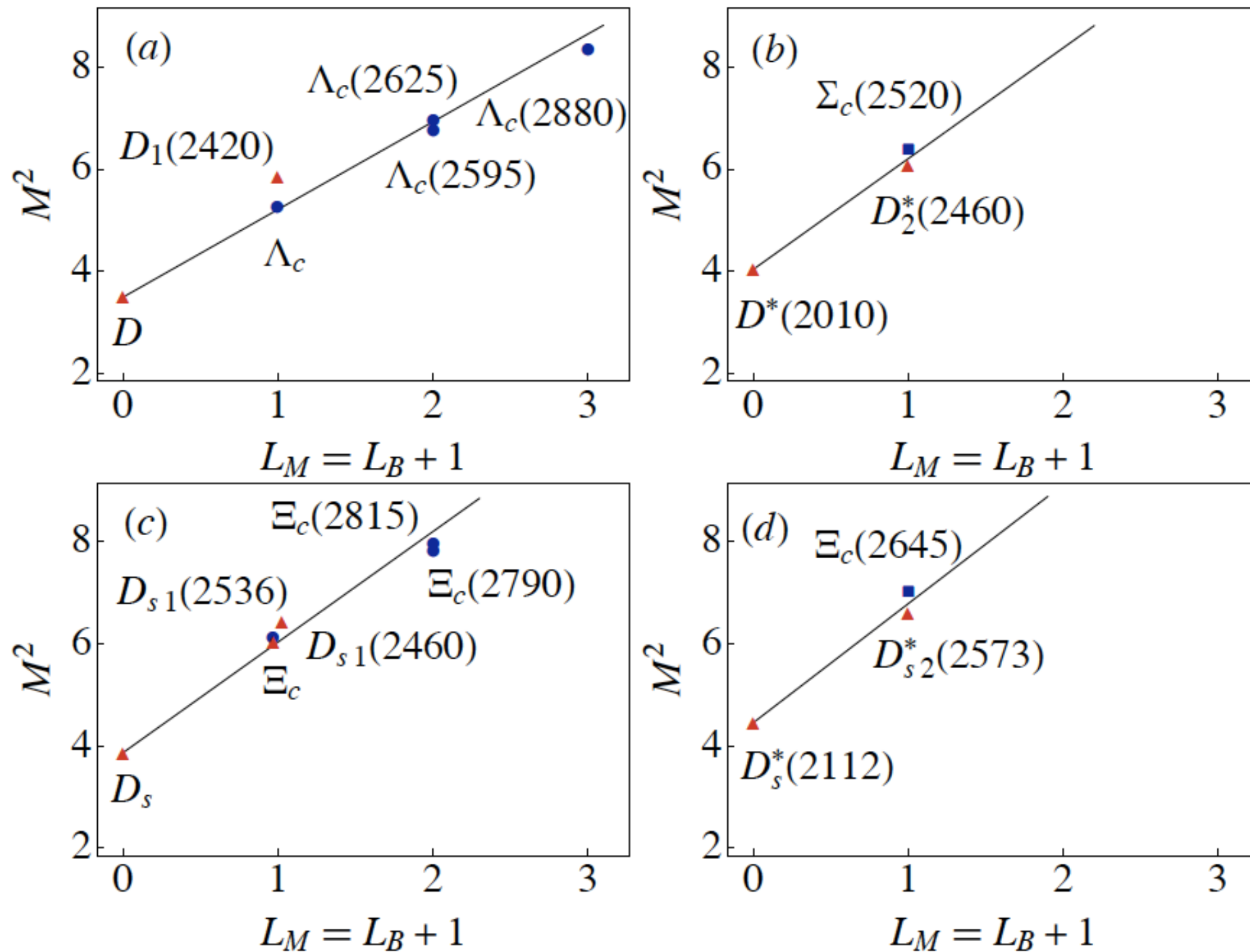


Meson			Baryon			Tetraquark		
$q$ -cont	$J^{P(C)}$	Name	$q$ -cont	$J^P$	Name	$q$ -cont	$J^{P(C)}$	Name
$\bar{q}q$	$0^{-+}$	$\pi(140)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{q}q$	$1^{+-}$	$h_1(1170)$	$[ud]q$	$(1/2)^+$	$N(940)$	$[ud][\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$0^{++}$	$\sigma(500)$
$\bar{q}q$	$2^{-+}$	$\pi_2(1670), \eta_2(1645)$	$[ud]q$	$(3/2)^-$	$N_{\frac{3}{2}}^-(1520)$	$[ud][\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$1^{-+}$	—
$\bar{q}q$	$1^{--}$	$\rho(770), \omega(780)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{q}q$	$2^{++}$	$a_2(1320), f_2(1270)$	$(qq)q$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Delta(1232)$	$(qq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$1^{++}$	$a_1(1260)$
							$1^{+-}$	$b_1(1235)$
$\bar{q}q$	$3^{--}$	$\rho_3(1690), \omega_3(1670)$	$(qq)q$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Delta_{\frac{3}{2}}^-(1700)$	$(qq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$2^{--}$	—
$\bar{q}q$	$4^{++}$	$a_4(2040), f_4(2050)$	$(qq)q$	$(7/2)^+$	$\Delta_{\frac{7}{2}}^+(1950)$	$(qq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$3^{++}$	—
$\bar{q}s$	$0^-$	$\bar{K}(495)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{q}s$	$1^+$	$\bar{K}_1(1270)$	$[ud]s$	$(1/2)^+$	$\Lambda(1115)$	$[ud][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$0^+$	$K_0^*(1430)$
$\bar{q}s$	$2^-$	$K_2(1770)$	$[ud]s$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Lambda(1520)$	$[ud][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^-$	—
$\bar{s}q$	$0^-$	$K(495)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}q$	$1^+$	$K_1(1270)$	$[sq]q$	$(1/2)^+$	$\Sigma(1190)$	$[sq][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$0^{++}$	$a_0(980)$ $f_0(980)$
$\bar{s}q$	$1^-$	$K^*(890)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}q$	$2^+$	$K_2^*(1430)$	$(sq)q$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Sigma(1385)$	$(sq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$1^+$	$K_1(1400)$
$\bar{s}q$	$3^-$	$K_3^*(1780)$	$(sq)q$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Sigma(1670)$	$(sq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$2^-$	—
$\bar{s}q$	$4^+$	$K_4^*(2045)$	$(sq)q$	$(7/2)^+$	$\Sigma(2030)$	$(sq)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]$	$3^+$	—
$\bar{s}s$	$0^{-+}$	$\eta(550), \eta'(958)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}s$	$1^{+-}$	$h_1(1380)$	$[sq]s$	$(1/2)^+$	$\Xi(1320)$	$[sq][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$0^{++}$	$f_0(1370)$ $a_0(1450)$
$\bar{s}s$	$2^{-+}$	$\eta_2(1870)$	$[sq]s$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Xi(1620)$	$[sq][\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^{-+}$	—
$\bar{s}s$	$1^{--}$	$\Phi(1020)$	—	—	—	—	—	—
$\bar{s}s$	$2^{++}$	$f_2'(1525)$	$(sq)s$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Xi^*(1530)$	$(sq)[\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^{++}$	$f_1(1420)$ $a_1(1420)$
$\bar{s}s$	$3^{--}$	$\Phi_3(1850)$	$(sq)s$	$(3/2)^-$	$\Xi(1820)$	$(sq)[\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$2^{--}$	—
$\bar{s}s$	$2^{++}$	$f_2(1640)$	$(ss)s$	$(3/2)^+$	$\Omega(1672)$	$(ss)[\bar{s}\bar{q}]$	$1^+$	$K_1(1650)$

# Supersymmetry across the light and heavy-light spectrum

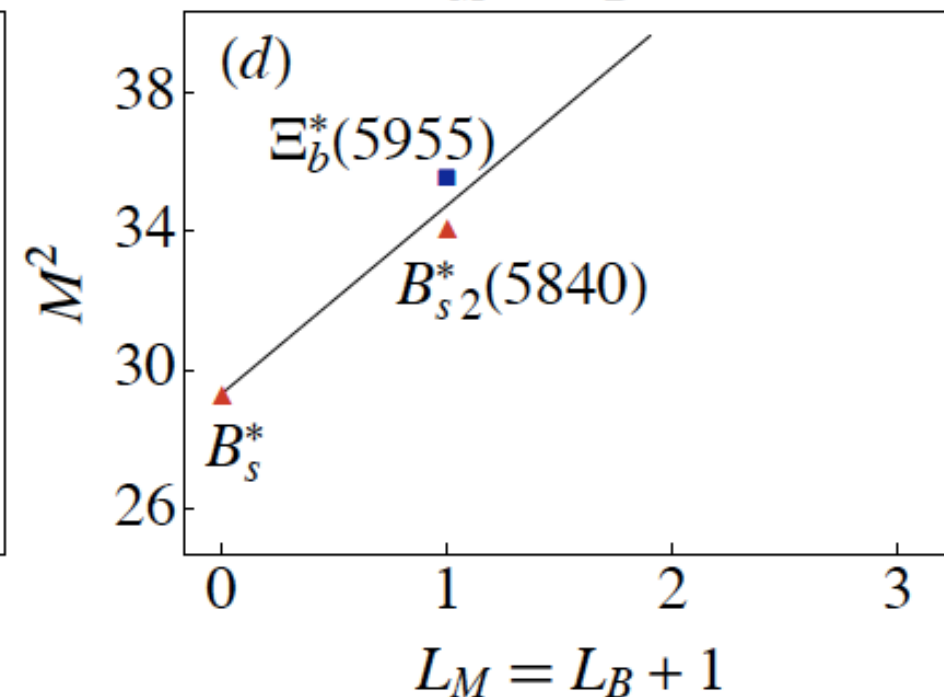
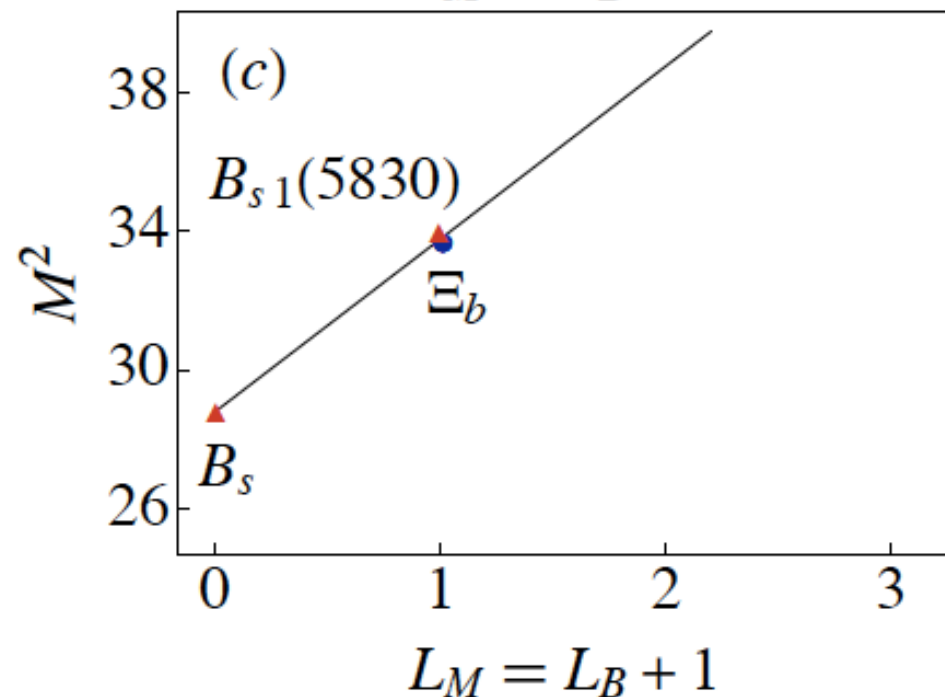
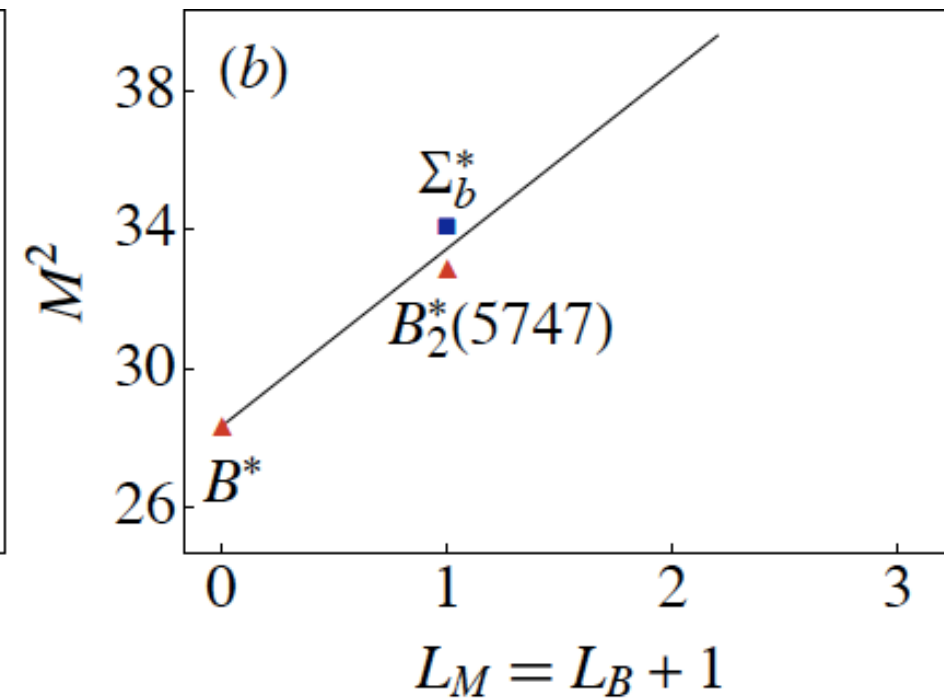
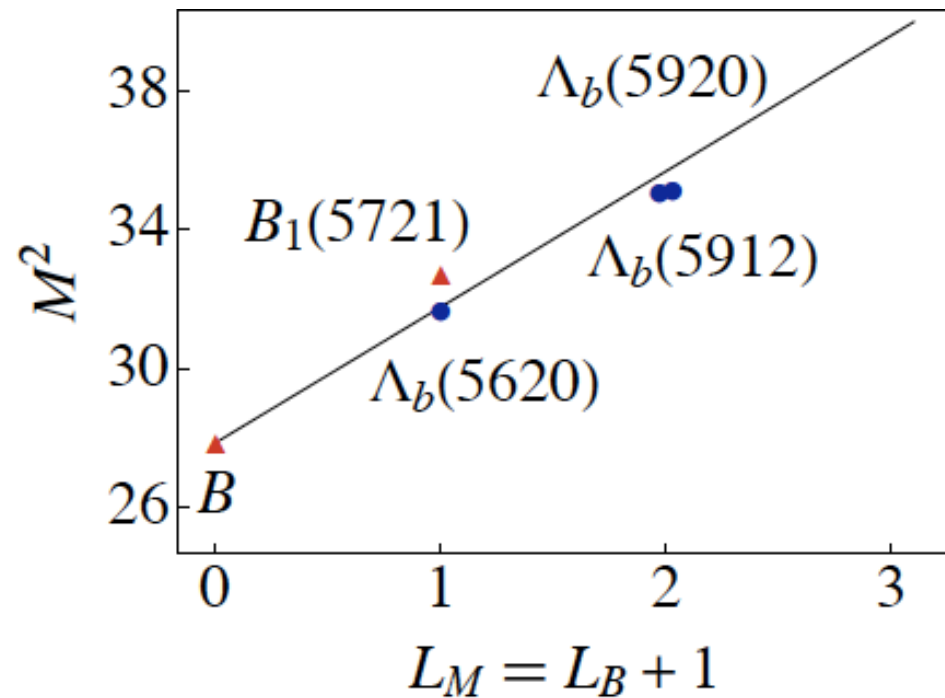


# Supersymmetry across the light and heavy-light spectrum



**Heavy charm quark mass does not break supersymmetry**

# Supersymmetry across the light and heavy-light spectrum



Heavy bottom quark mass does not break supersymmetry

## New World of Tetraquarks

$$3_C \times 3_C = \bar{3}_C + 6_C$$

*Bound!*

- Diquark: Color-Confined Constituents: Color  $\bar{3}_C$
- Diquark-Antidiquark bound states  $\bar{3}_C \times 3_C = 1_C$

$$\sigma(TN) \simeq 2\sigma(pN) - \sigma(\pi N)$$

$$2[\sigma(\{qq\}N) + \sigma(qN)] - [\sigma(qN) + \sigma(\bar{q}N)] = [\sigma(\{qq\}N) + \sigma(\{qq\}N)]$$

Candidates  $f_0(980)I = 0, J^P = 0^+$ , partner of proton

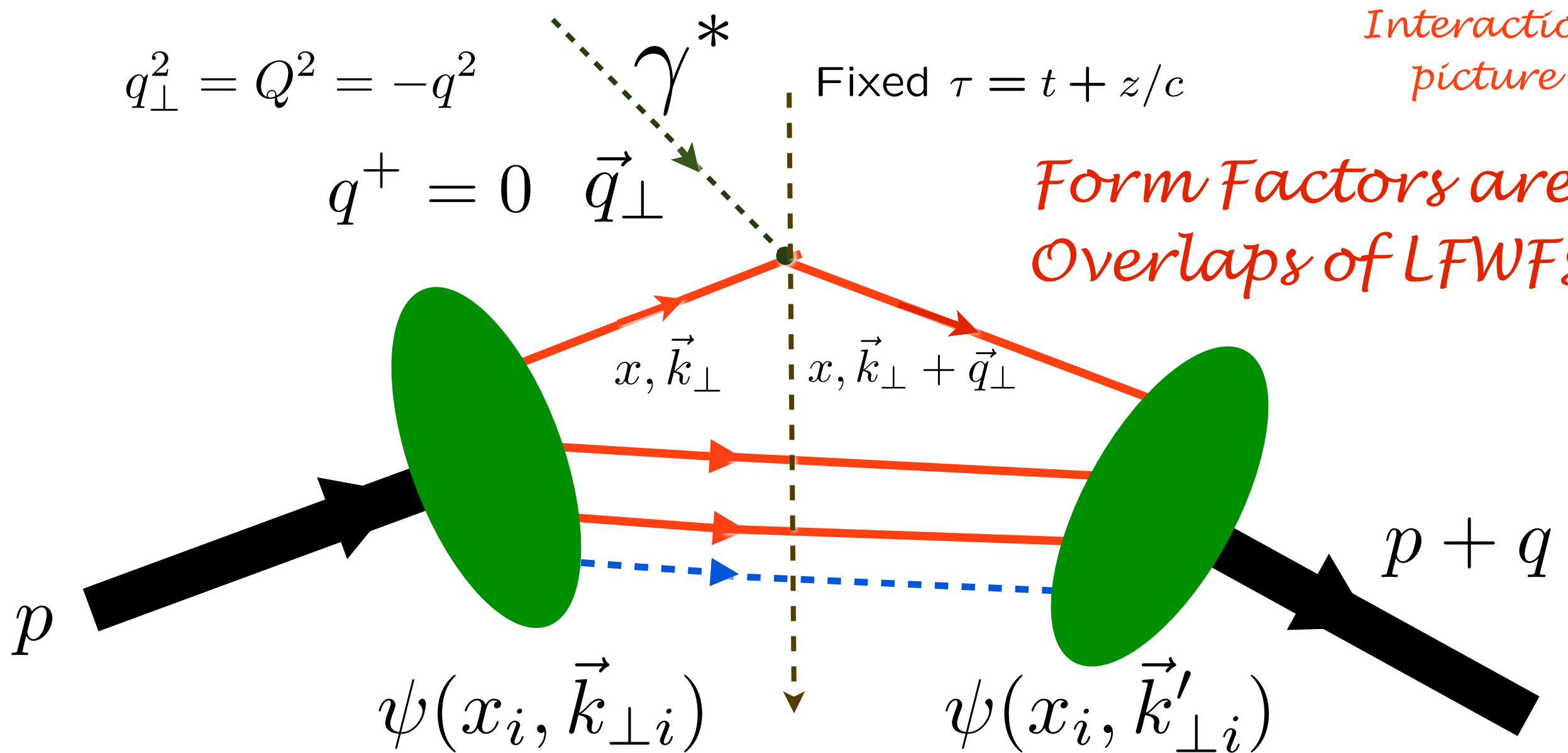
$a_1(1260)I = 0, J^P = 1^+$ , partner of  $\Delta(1233)$

Test twist=4, power-law fall-off of form factors

$$\langle p + q | j^+(0) | p \rangle = 2p^+ F(q^2)$$

Front Form

Interaction picture



*struck*  $\vec{k}'_{\perp i} = \vec{k}_{\perp i} + (1 - x_i) \vec{q}_{\perp}$

*spectators*  $\vec{k}'_{\perp i} = \vec{k}_{\perp i} - x_i \vec{q}_{\perp}$

**Drell & Yan, West**  
**Exact LF formula!**

Drell, sjb



# Exact LF Formula for Pauli Form Factor

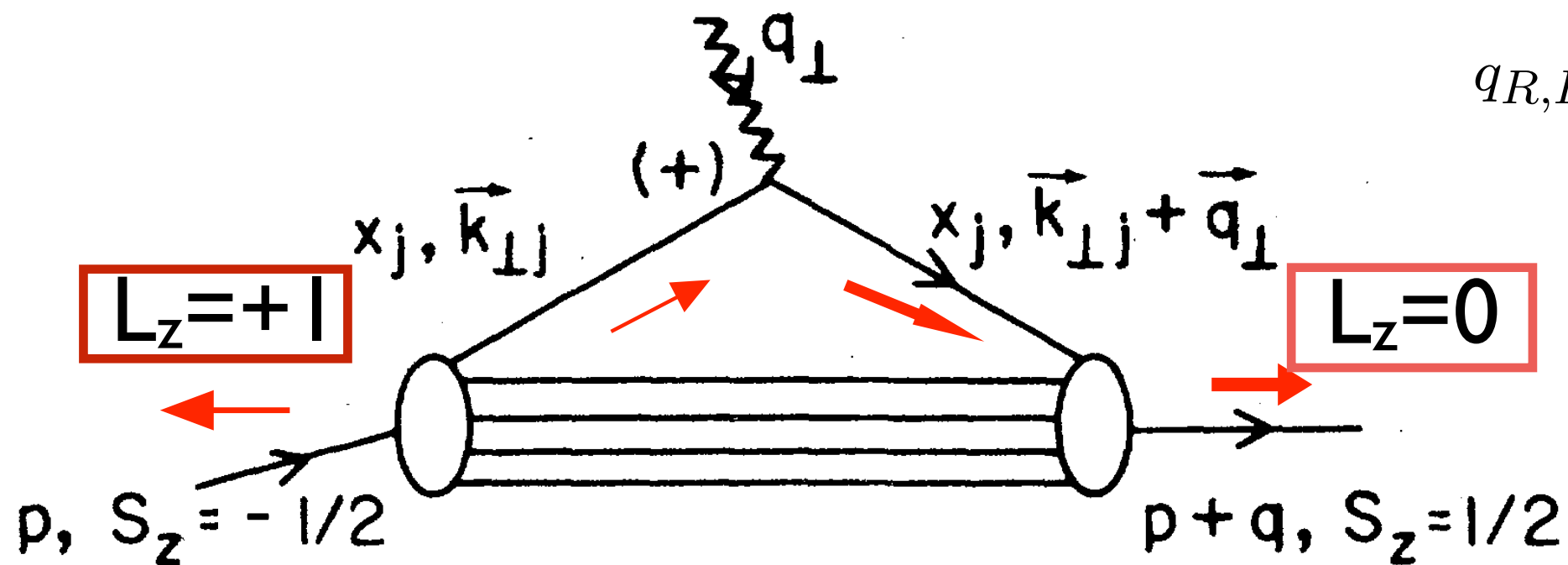
$$\frac{F_2(q^2)}{2M} = \sum_a \int [dx] [d^2\mathbf{k}_\perp] \sum_j e_j \frac{1}{2} \times \quad \text{Drell, sjb}$$

$$\left[ -\frac{1}{q^L} \psi_a^{\uparrow*}(x_i, \mathbf{k}'_{\perp i}, \lambda_i) \psi_a^{\downarrow}(x_i, \mathbf{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i) + \frac{1}{q^R} \psi_a^{\downarrow*}(x_i, \mathbf{k}'_{\perp i}, \lambda_i) \psi_a^{\uparrow}(x_i, \mathbf{k}_{\perp i}, \lambda_i) \right]$$

$$\mathbf{k}'_{\perp i} = \mathbf{k}_{\perp i} - x_i \mathbf{q}_\perp$$

$$\mathbf{k}'_{\perp j} = \mathbf{k}_{\perp j} + (1 - x_j) \mathbf{q}_\perp$$

$$q_{R,L} = q^x \pm i q^y$$



Must have  $\Delta \ell_z = \pm 1$  to have nonzero  $F_2(q^2)$

Nonzero Proton Anomalous Moment -->  
Nonzero orbital quark angular momentum

*Single-spin asymmetries*

**Leading Twist  
Sivers Effect**

**Hwang,  
Schmidt, sjb**

**Collins, Burkardt, Ji,  
Yuan. Pasquini, ...**

*QCD S- and P-  
Coulomb Phases  
--Wilson Line*

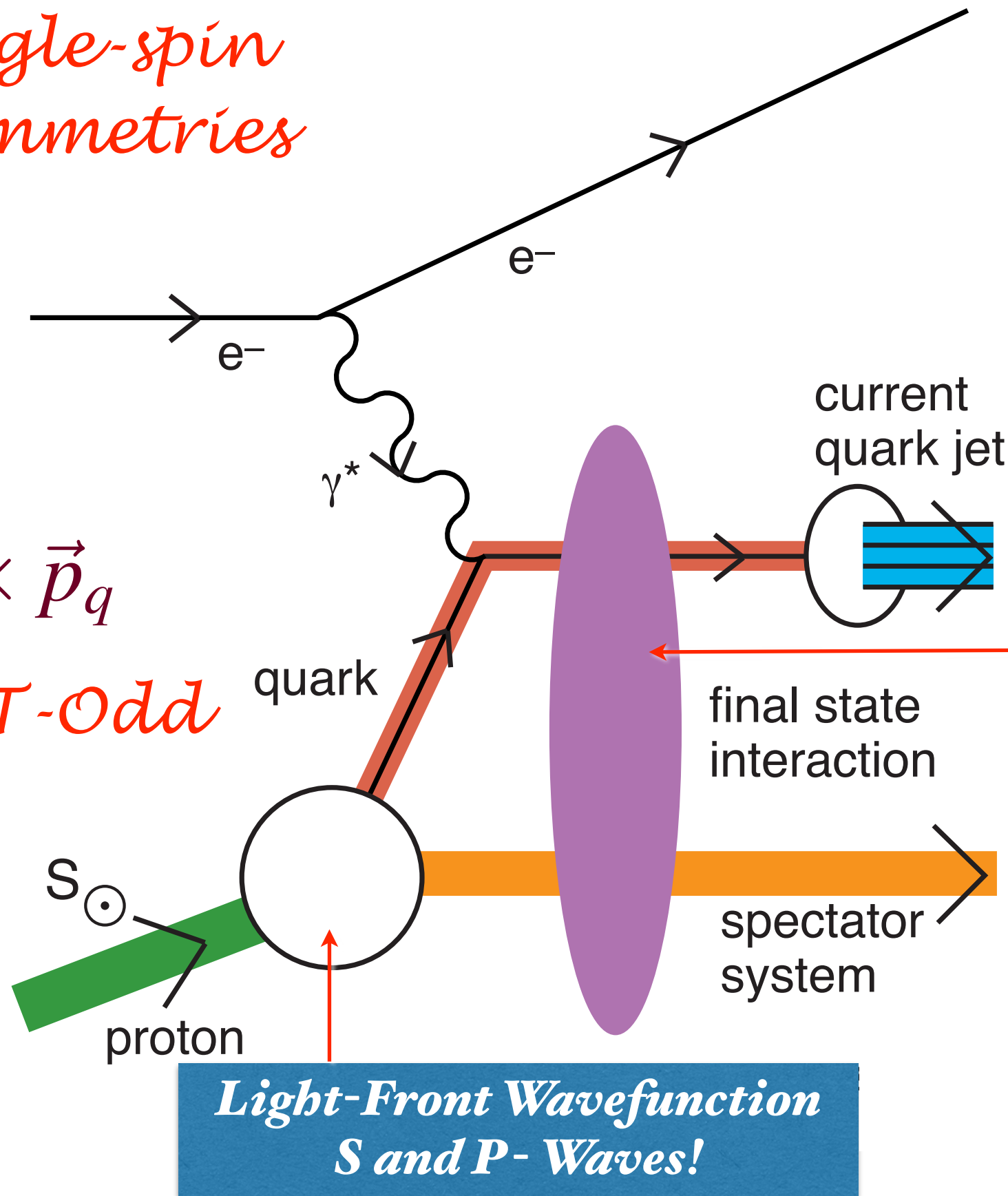
**“Lensing Effect”**

*Leading-Twist  
Rescattering  
Violates pQCD  
Factorization!*

$$i \vec{S}_p \cdot \vec{q} \times \vec{p}_q$$

*Pseudo- T-Odd*

**“Lensing”  
involves soft  
scales**



*Sign reversal in DY!*

# Underlying Principles

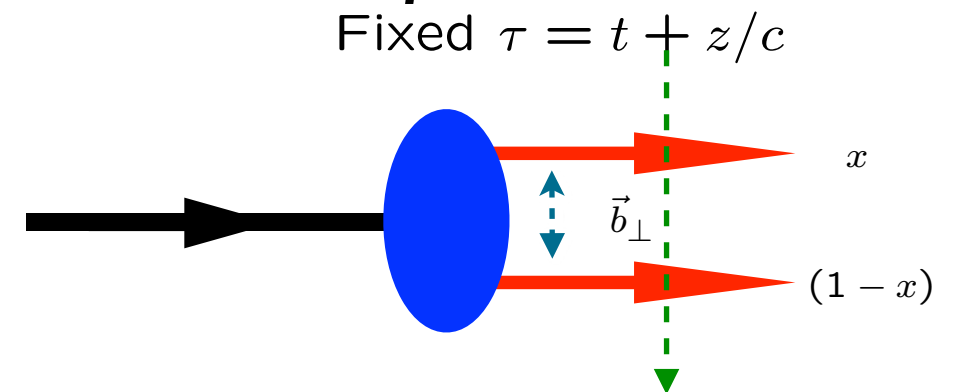
- **Poincaré Invariance: Independent of the observer's Lorentz frame**

- **Quantization at Fixed Light-Front Time  $\tau$**

- **Causality: Information within causal horizon**

- **Light-Front Holography:  $AdS_5 = LF (3+1)$**

$$z \leftrightarrow \zeta \text{ where } \zeta^2 = b_{\perp}^2 x(1-x)$$



$$\zeta^2 = x(1-x)b_{\perp}^2$$

- **Single fundamental hadronic mass scale  $\kappa$ : but retains the Conformal Invariance of the Action (dAFF)!**

- **Unique color-confining LF Potential!  $U(\zeta^2) = \kappa^4 \zeta^2$**

- **Superconformal Algebra: Mass Degenerate 4-Plet:**

$$\text{Meson } q\bar{q} \leftrightarrow \text{Baryon } q[qq] \leftrightarrow \text{Tetraquark } [qq][\bar{q}\bar{q}]$$

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# Running Coupling from Modified AdS/QCD

Deur, de Teramond, sjb

- Consider five-dim gauge fields propagating in  $\text{AdS}_5$  space in dilaton background  $\varphi(z) = \kappa^2 z^2$

$$e^{\phi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2} \quad S = -\frac{1}{4} \int d^4x dz \sqrt{g} e^{\varphi(z)} \frac{1}{g_5^2} G^2$$

- Flow equation

$$\frac{1}{g_5^2(z)} = e^{\varphi(z)} \frac{1}{g_5^2(0)} \quad \text{or} \quad g_5^2(z) = e^{-\kappa^2 z^2} g_5^2(0)$$

where the coupling  $g_5(z)$  incorporates the non-conformal dynamics of confinement

- YM coupling  $\alpha_s(\zeta) = g_{YM}^2(\zeta)/4\pi$  is the five dim coupling up to a factor:  $g_5(z) \rightarrow g_{YM}(\zeta)$
- Coupling measured at momentum scale  $Q$

$$\alpha_s^{AdS}(Q) \sim \int_0^\infty \zeta d\zeta J_0(\zeta Q) \alpha_s^{AdS}(\zeta)$$

- Solution

$$\alpha_s^{AdS}(Q^2) = \alpha_s^{AdS}(0) e^{-Q^2/4\kappa^2}.$$

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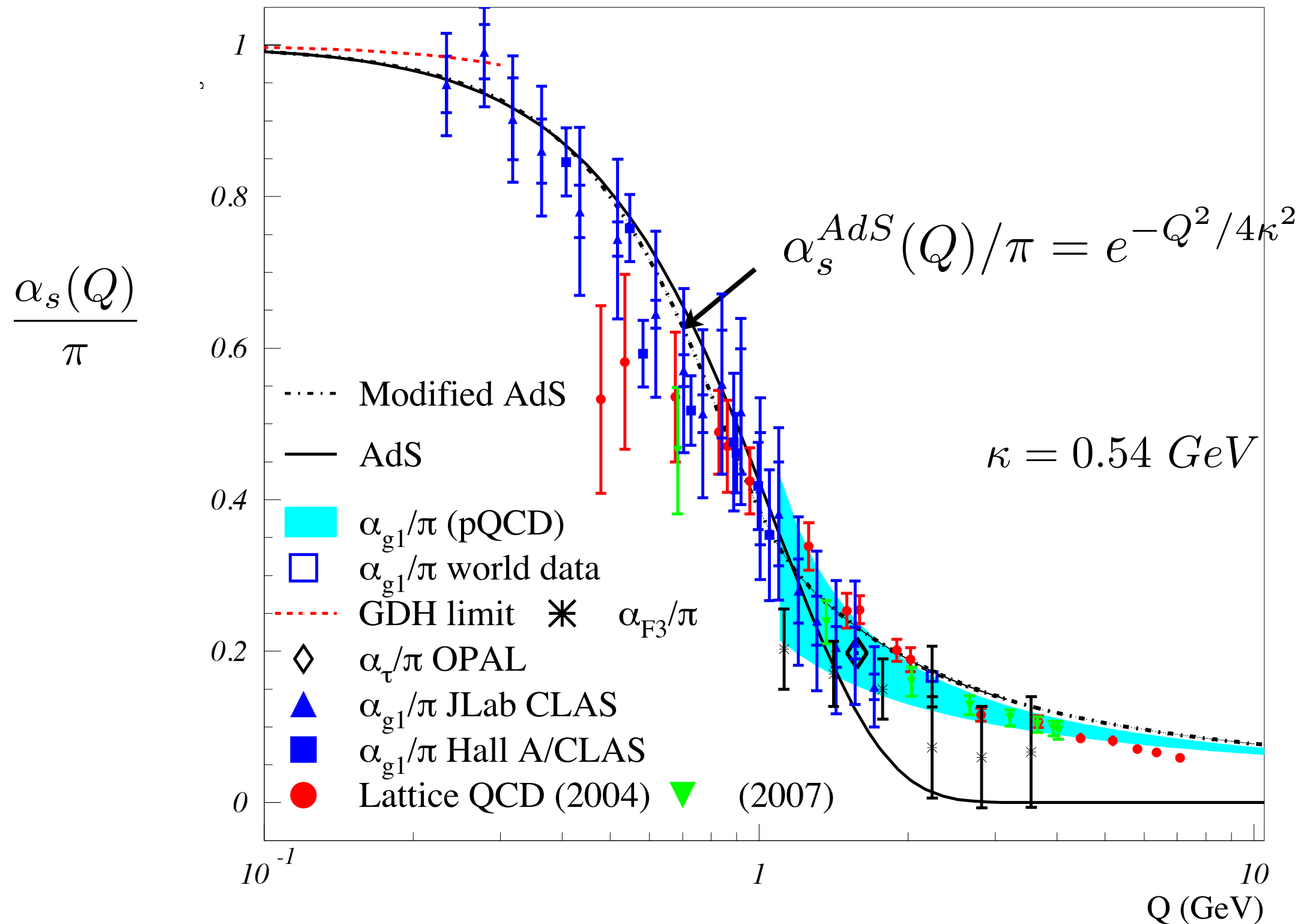
Bjorken sum rule defines effective charge

$$\alpha_{g1}(Q^2)$$

$$\int_0^1 dx [g_1^{ep}(x, Q^2) - g_1^{en}(x, Q^2)] \equiv \frac{g_a}{6} \left[ 1 - \frac{\alpha_{g1}(Q^2)}{\pi} \right]$$

- ***Can be used as standard QCD coupling***
- ***Well measured***
- ***Asymptotic freedom at large  $Q^2$***
- ***Computable at large  $Q^2$  in any pQCD scheme***
- ***Universal  $\beta_0, \beta_1$***

# Analytic, defined at all scales, IR Fixed Point



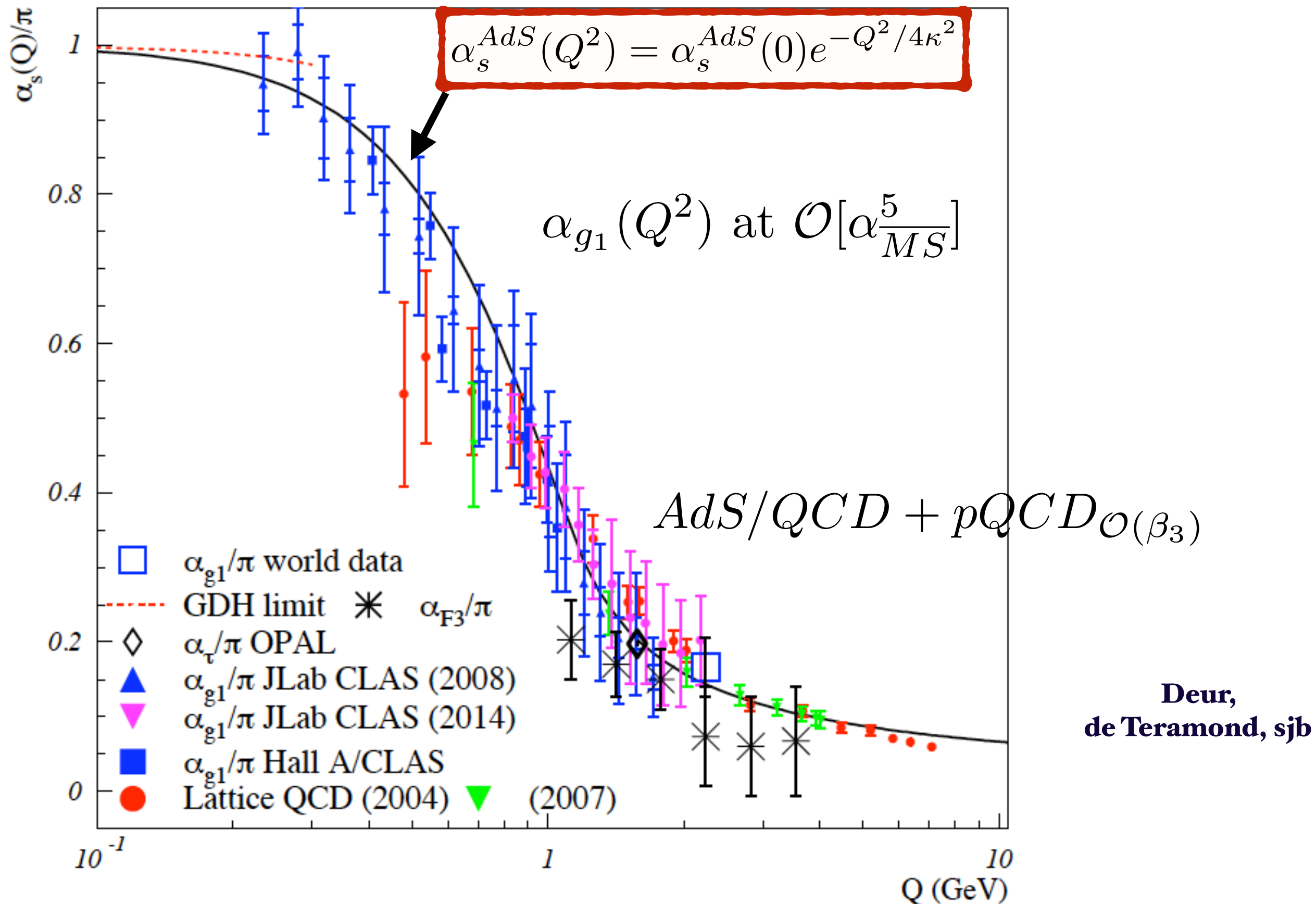
**AdS/QCD dilaton captures the higher twist corrections to effective charges for  $Q < 1 \text{ GeV}$**

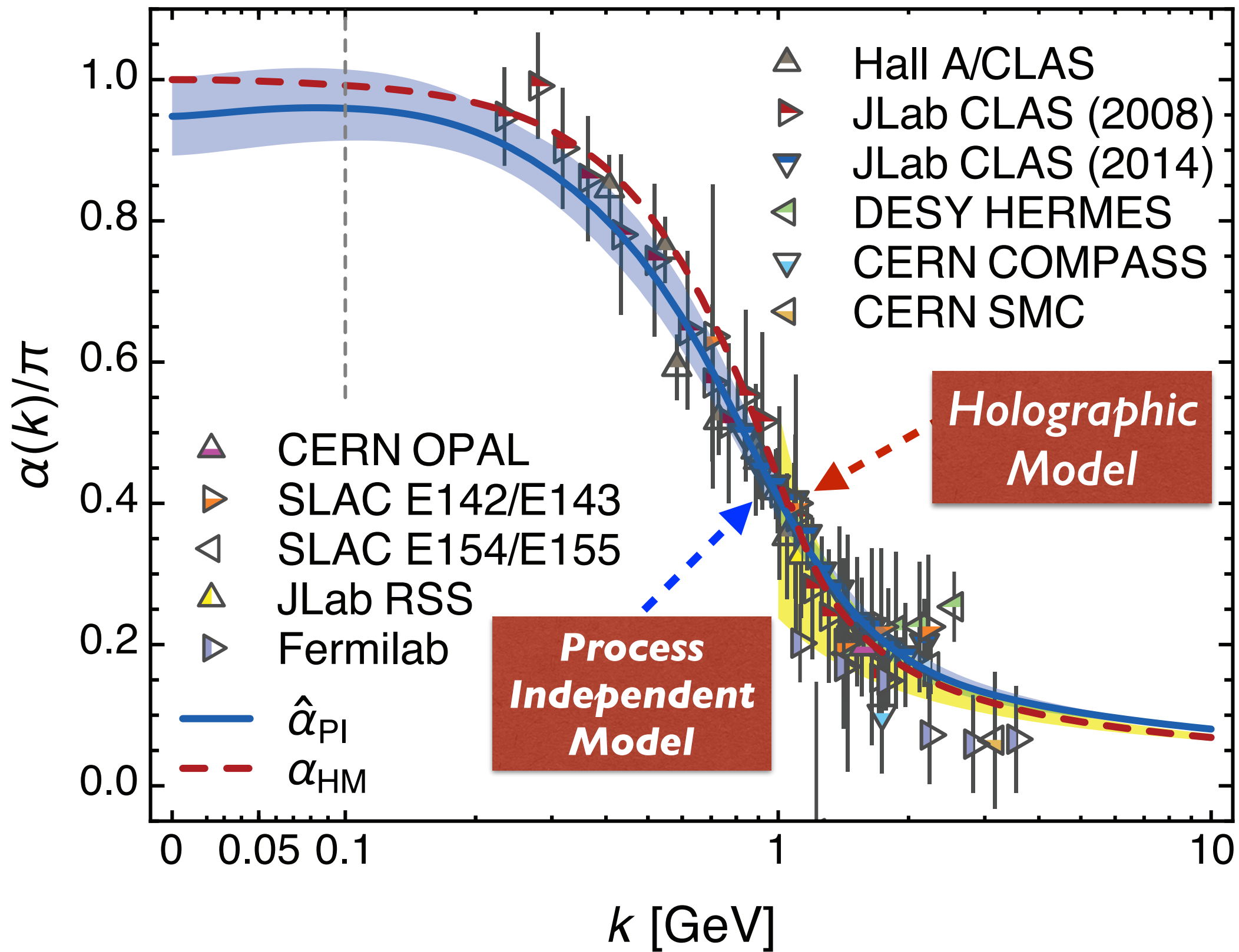
$$e^\varphi = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2}$$

**Deur, de Teramond, sjb**



$$\Lambda_{\overline{MS}} = 0.5983\kappa = 0.5983\frac{m_\rho}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.4231m_\rho = 0.328 \text{ GeV}$$





Process-independent strong running coupling

$$m_\rho = \sqrt{2}\kappa$$

$$m_p = 2\kappa$$

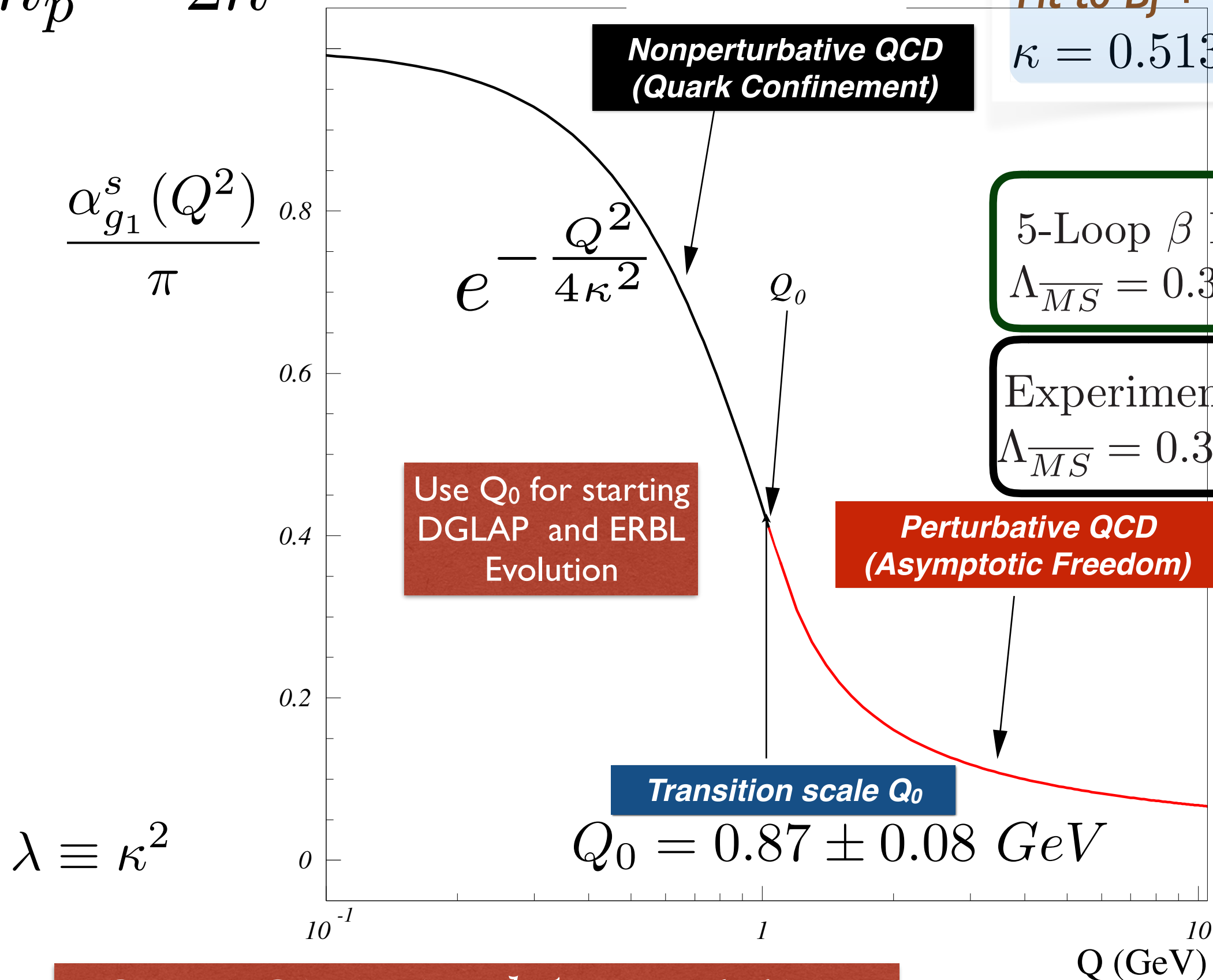
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# All-Scale QCD Coupling

Fit to Bj + DHG Sum Rules:  
 $\kappa = 0.513 \pm 0.007 \text{ GeV}$

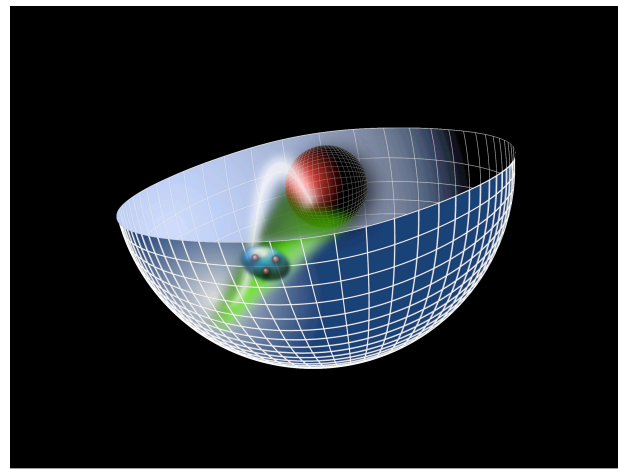
5-Loop  $\beta$  Prediction:  
 $\Lambda_{\overline{MS}} = 0.339 \pm 0.019 \text{ GeV}$

Experiment:  
 $\Lambda_{\overline{MS}} = 0.332 \pm 0.017 \text{ GeV}$



*AdS/QCD  
Soft-Wall Model*

$$e^{\varphi(z)} = e^{+\kappa^2 z^2}$$



$$\zeta^2 = x(1-x)b_{\perp}^2$$

*Light-Front Holography*

$$\left[ -\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} - \frac{1-4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + U(\zeta) \right] \psi(\zeta) = M^2 \psi(\zeta)$$



***Light-Front Schrödinger Equation***

$$U(\zeta) = \kappa^4 \zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2 (L + S - 1)$$

*Single variable  $\zeta$*

***Confinement scale:***

$$\kappa \simeq 0.5 \text{ GeV}$$

***Unique  
Confinement Potential!***

*Conformal Symmetry  
of the action*

● **de Alfaro, Fubini, Furlan:**

● **Fubini, Rabinovici**

**Scale can appear in Hamiltonian and EQM  
without affecting conformal invariance of action!**

# *Connection to the Linear Instant-Form Potential*

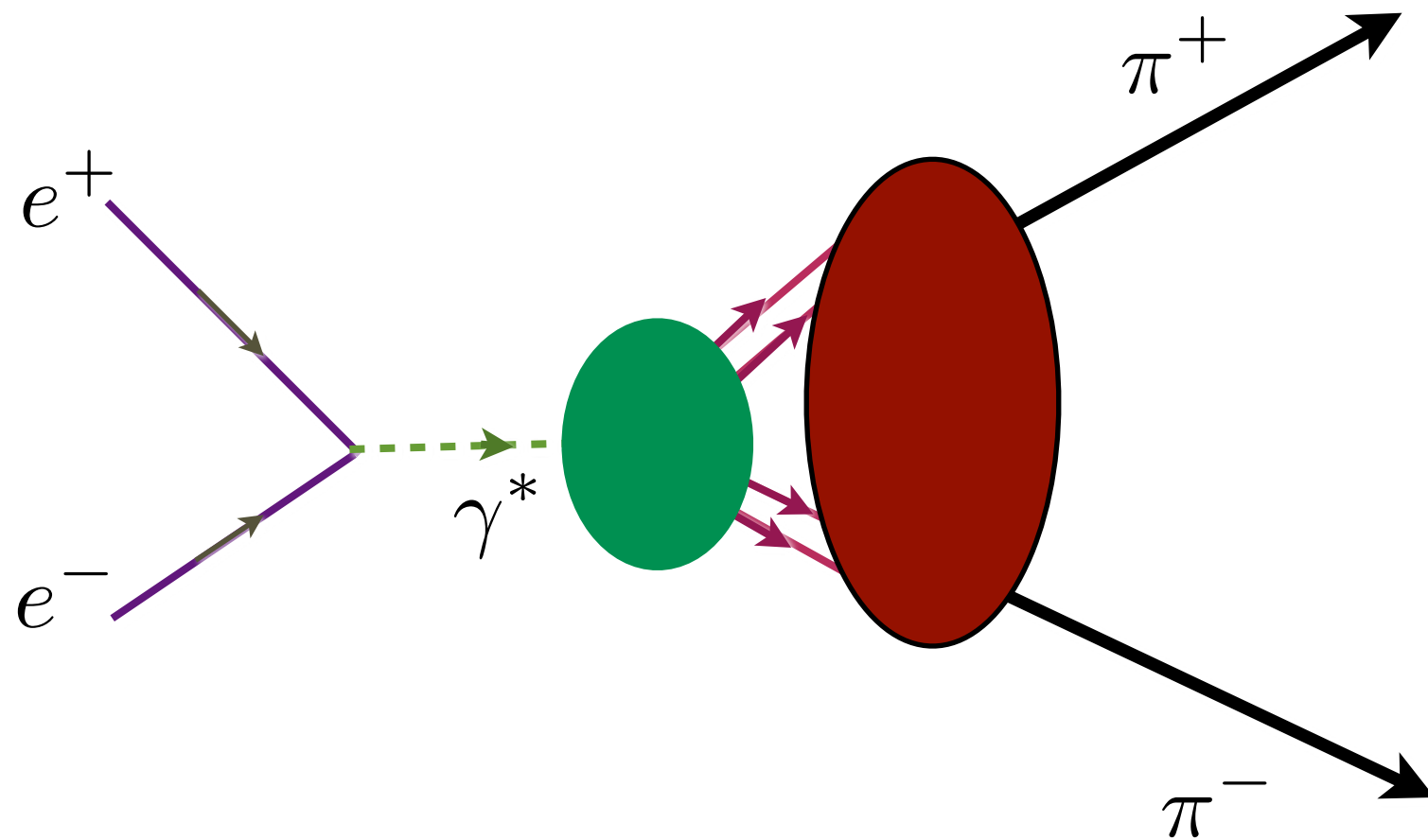
Linear instant nonrelativistic form  $V(r) = Cr$  for heavy quarks



Harmonic Oscillator  $U(\zeta) = \kappa^4 \zeta^2$  LF Potential for relativistic light quarks

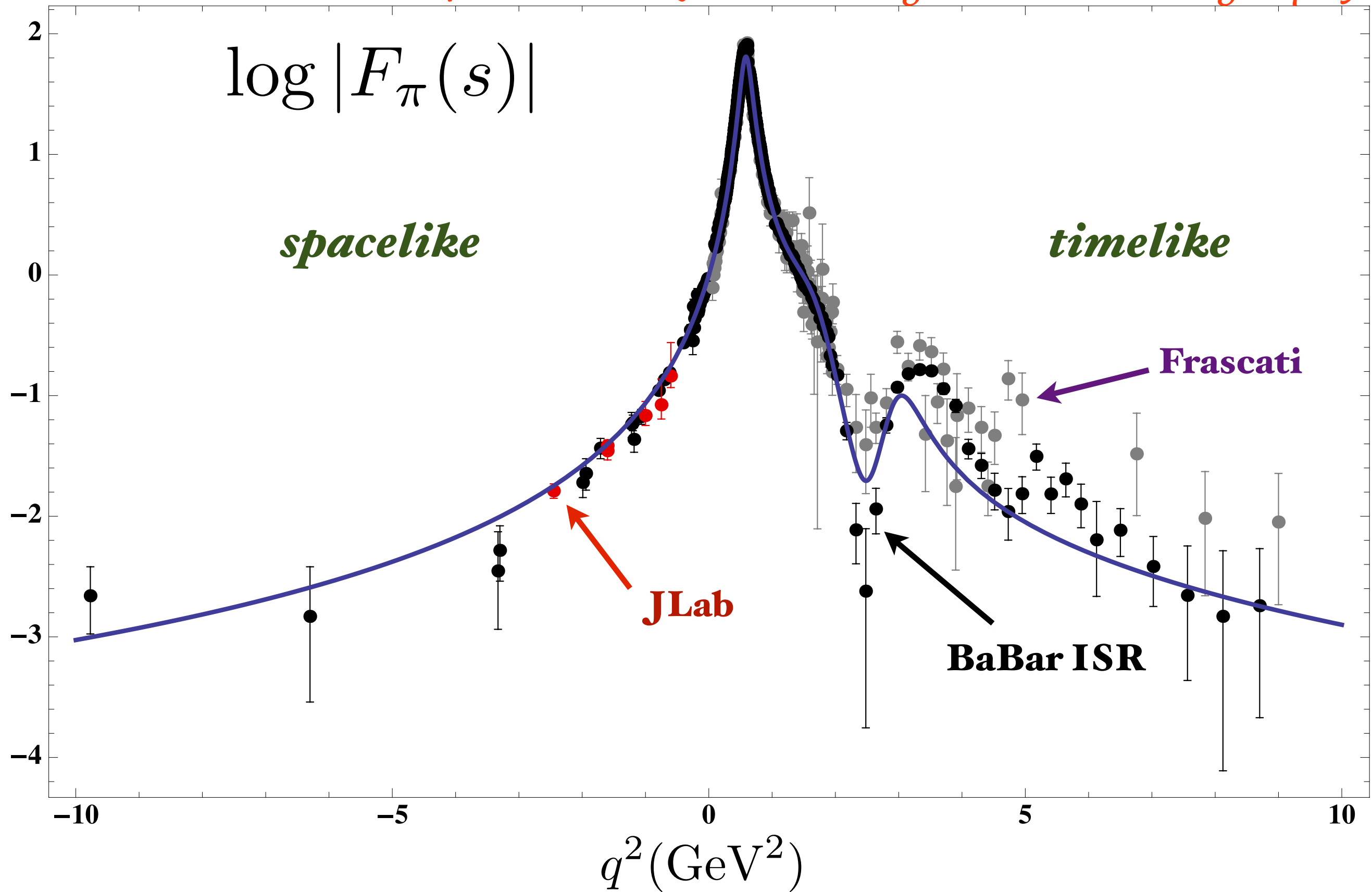
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*Dressed soft-wall current brings in higher Fock states and more vector meson poles*





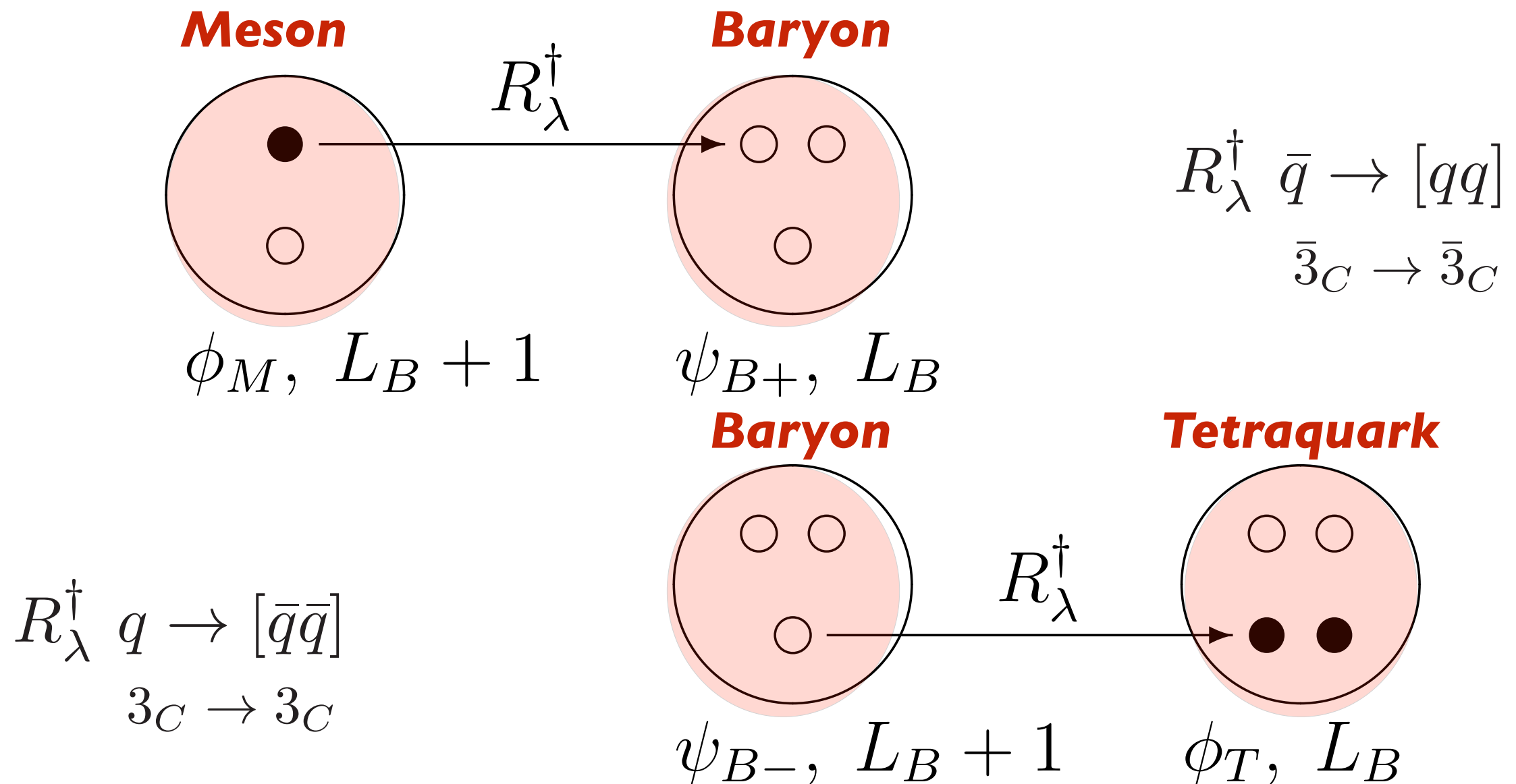
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- **Causality:** Information within causal horizon: *Front Form*
- **Gauge Invariance:** Physical predictions of gauge theories must be independent of the choice of gauge
- **Scheme-Independence:** Physical predictions of renormalizable theories must be independent of the choice of the renormalization scheme — *Principle of Maximum Conformality (PMC)*
- **Mass-Scale Invariance:** *Conformal Invariance of the Action (DAFF)*

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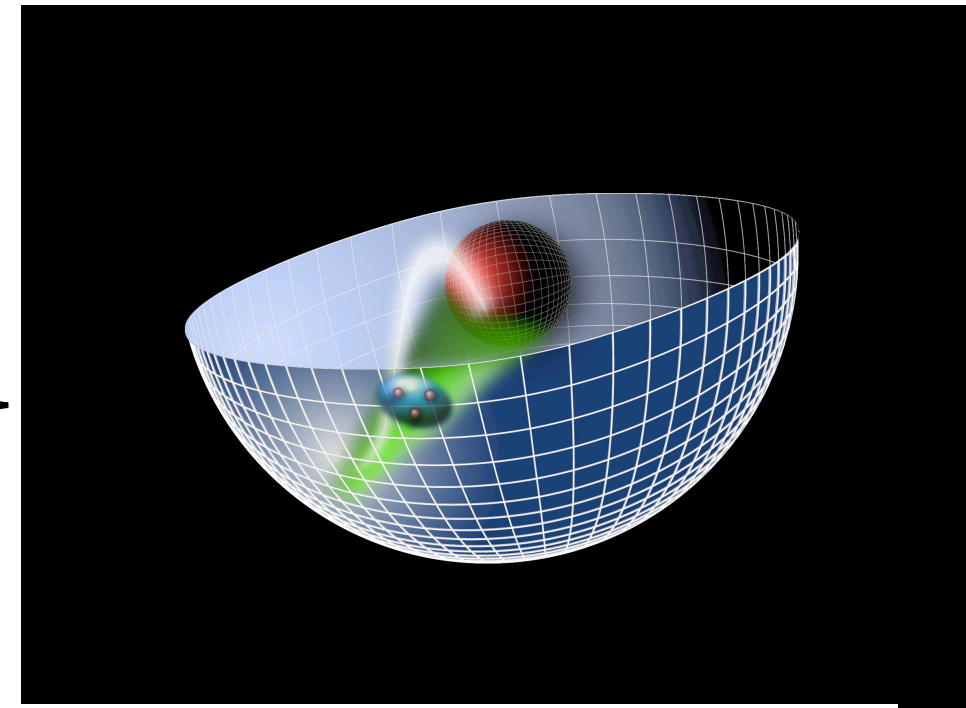
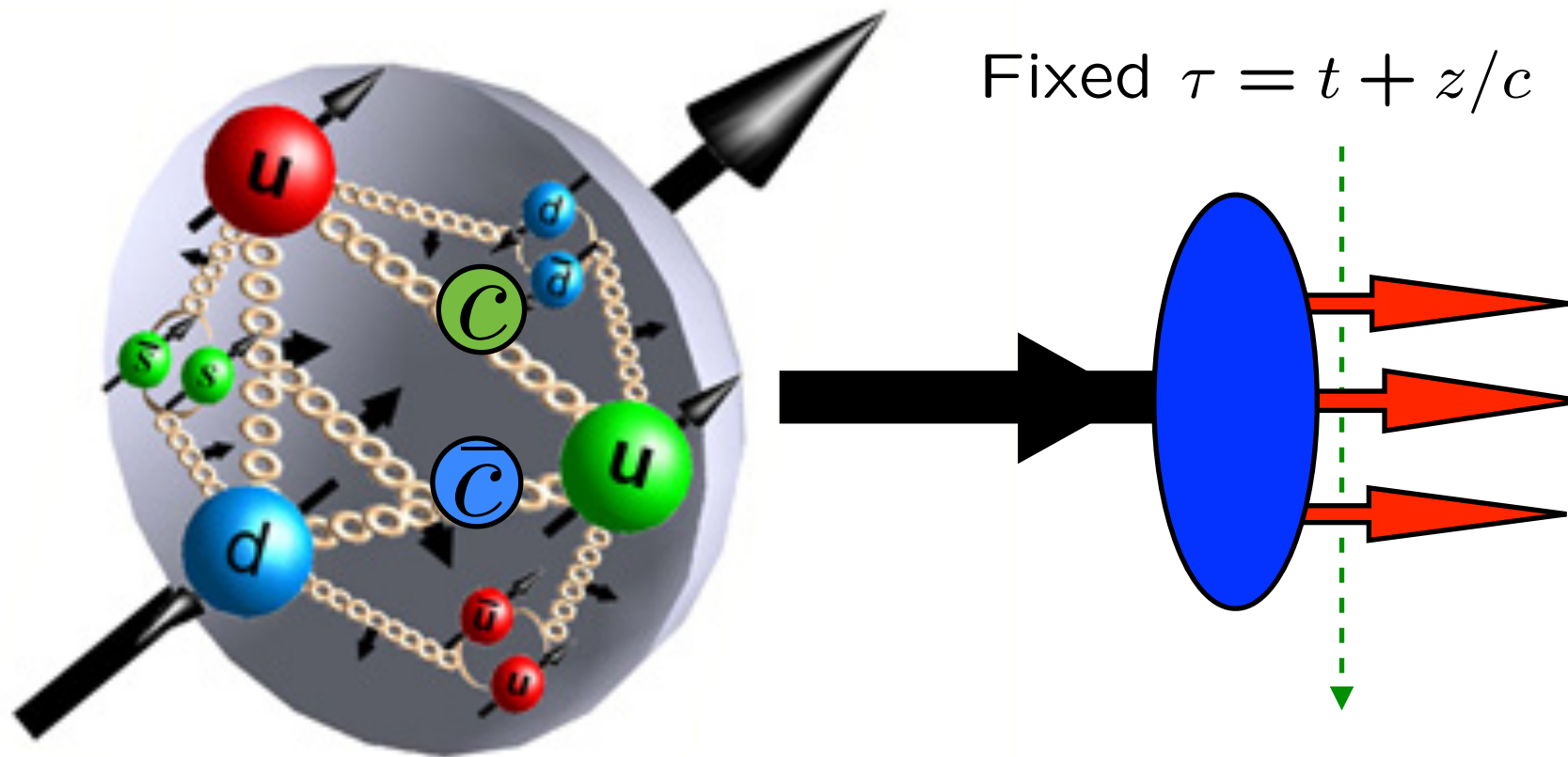
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