

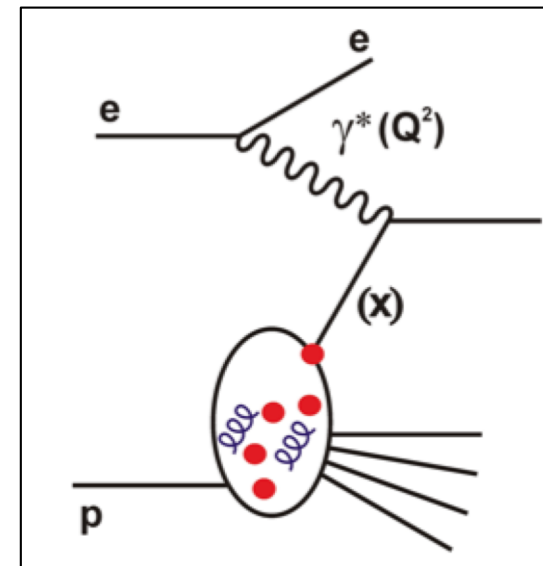
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# PDFs, QCD and small x physics in energy frontier DIS with the LHeC and FCC-eh

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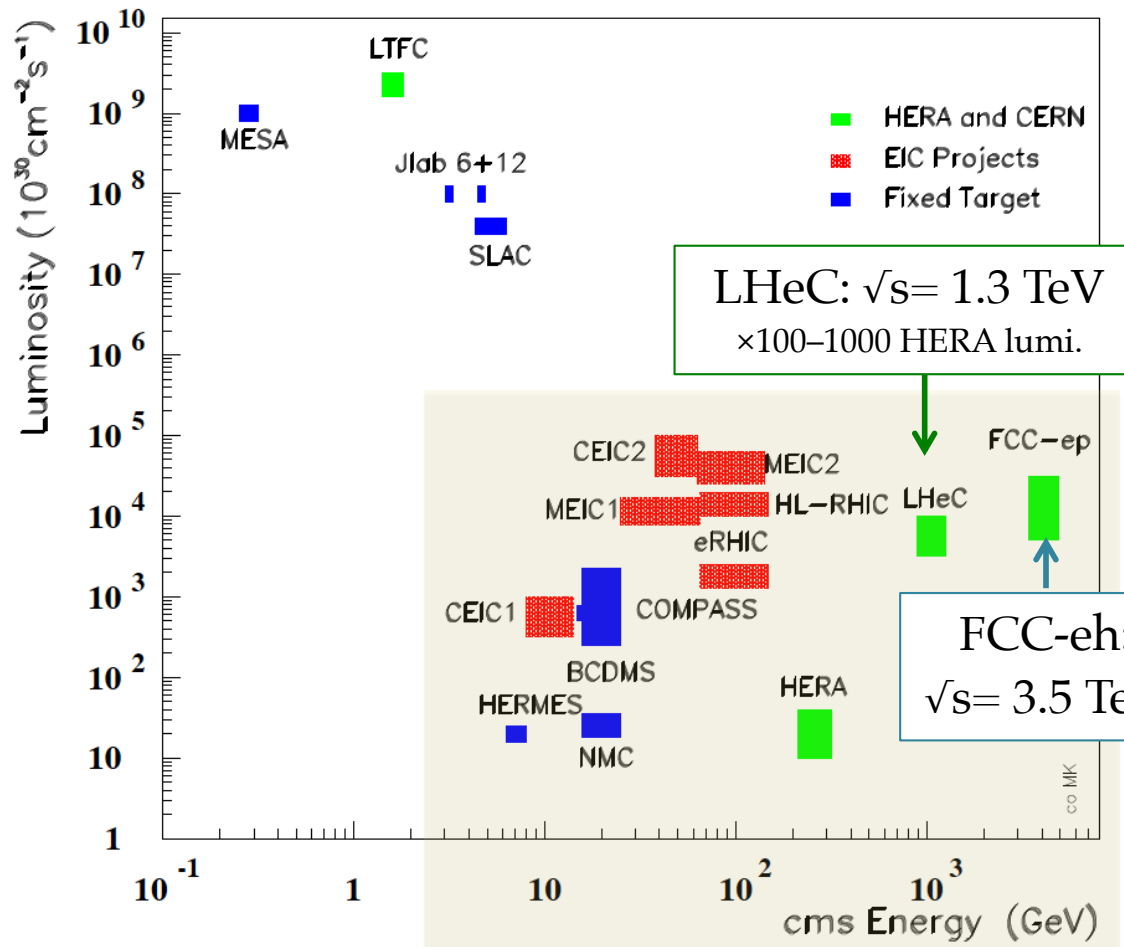
for the LHeC and FCC-eh study groups



special thanks to Max Klein, Uta Klein and Gavin Pownall

# LHeC and FCC-eh

Lepton-Proton Scattering Facilities



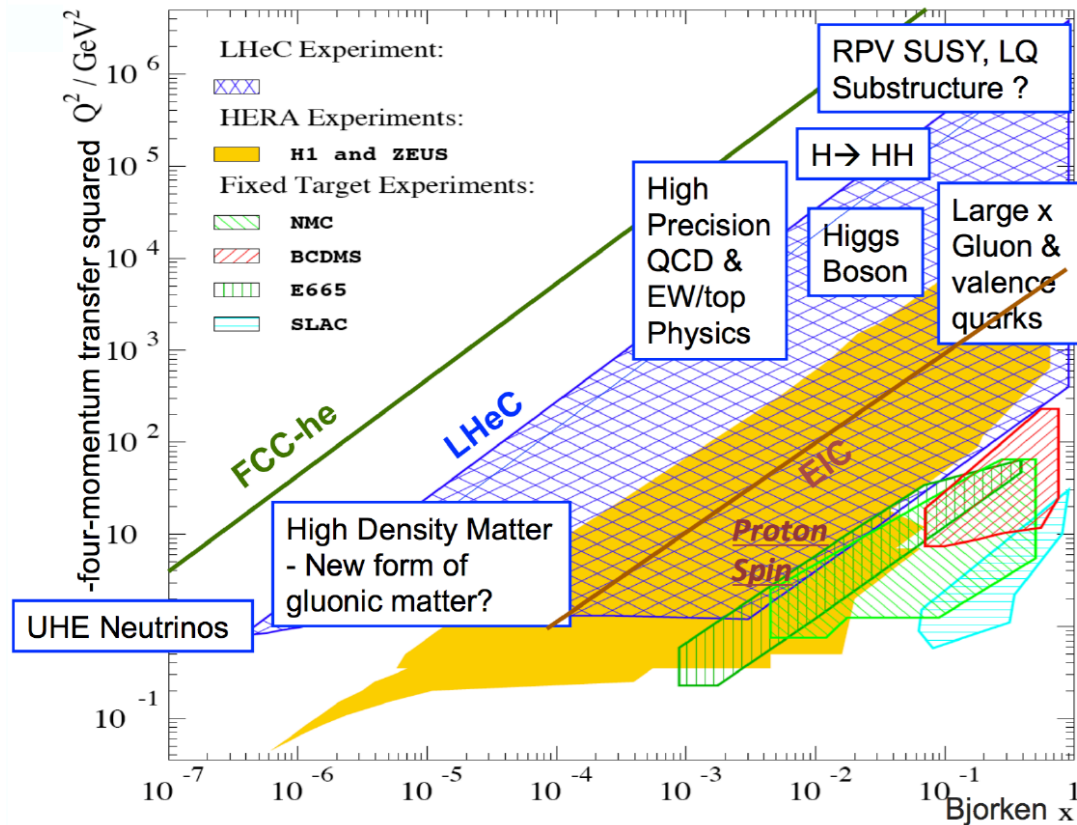
**HERA:** world's first and still only ep collider ( $\sqrt{s} \approx 300 \text{ GeV}$ )

**LHeC:** future ep (eA) collider, proposed to run concurrently with HL/HE-LHC; CDR arXiv:1206.2913 (complementary to LHC; extra discovery channels; Higgs; precision pdfs and  $\alpha_s$ )

**FCC-eh:** further future ep (eA) collider, integrated with FCC (further kinematic extension wrt **LHeC**)

**LHeC (FCC-eh)** complementary to, synchronous with, **HL-LHC (FCC)**

# kinematic coverage



## LHeC:

$Q^2$  to  $10^6$  GeV<sup>2</sup>,  $x$ :  $10^{-6} \rightarrow 1$

## FCC-eh:

$Q^2$  to  $10^7$  GeV<sup>2</sup>,  $x$ :  $10^{-7} \rightarrow 1$

( $\times 15/120$  extension in  $Q^2$ ,  $1/x$  reach vs HERA)

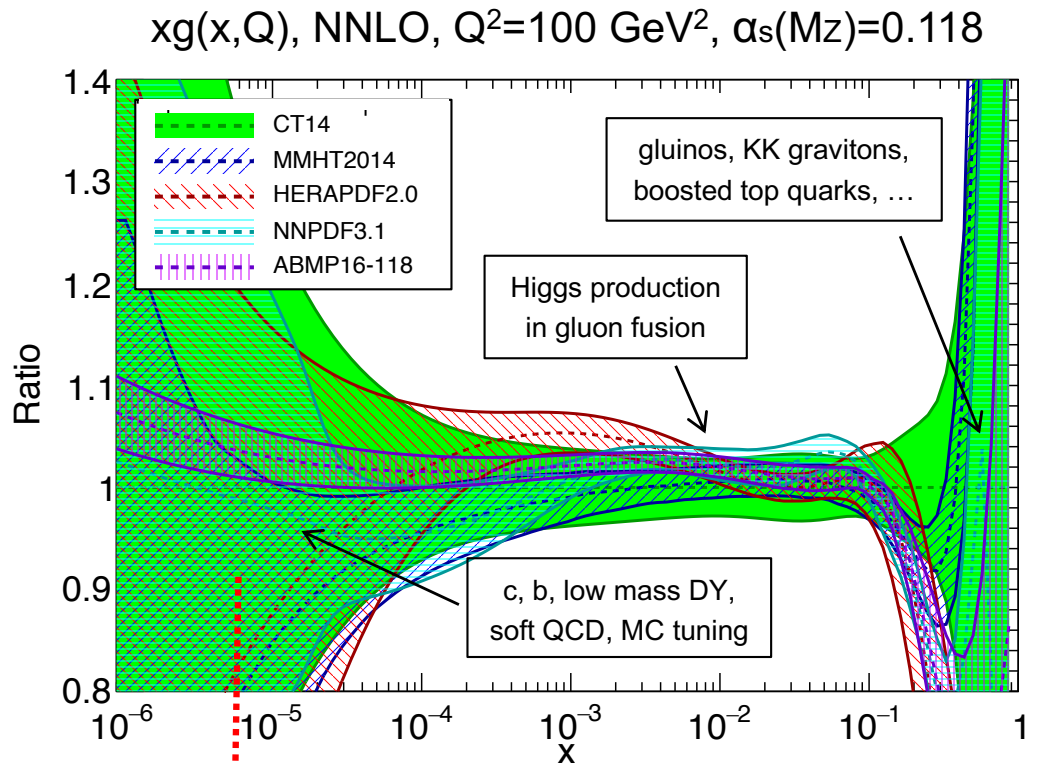
- **outline of this talk:**
- proton pdfs
- $\alpha_s$ , electroweak

- very rich physics programme; see also other talks in this workshop:

LHeC and FCC-eh machine (D Schulte); BSM (D Britzger); eA (Z Zhang); SM and BSM Higgs (C Zhang)

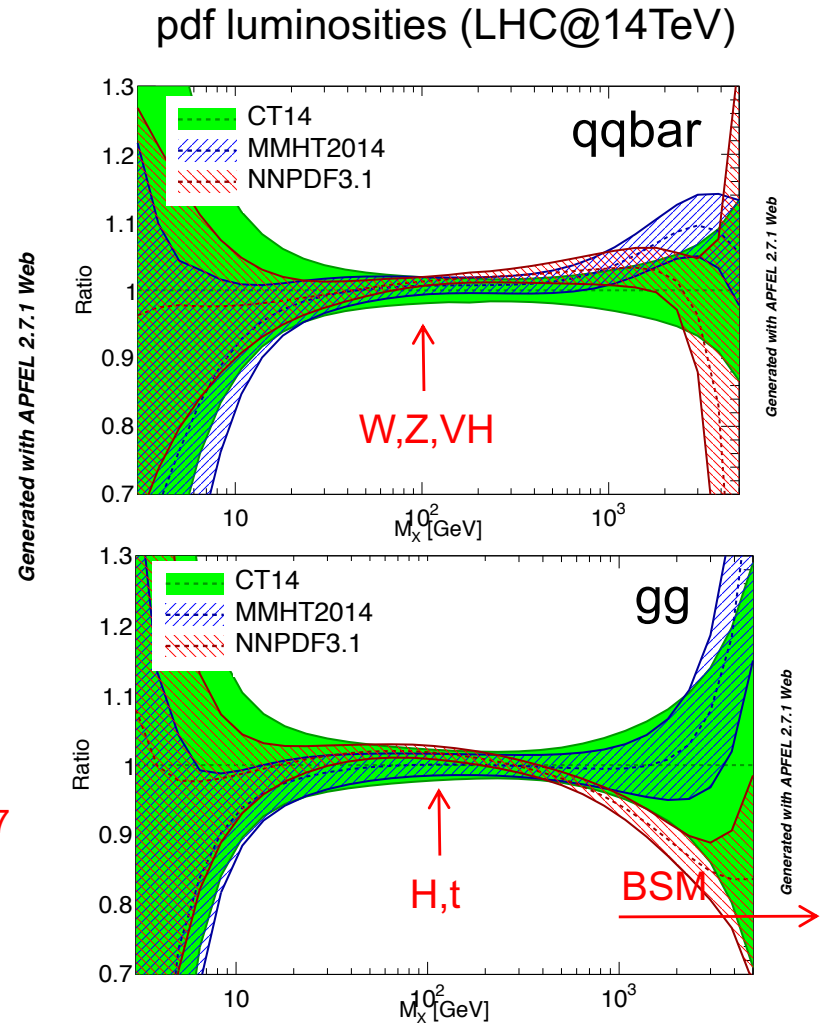
see also very fruitful LHeC and PERLE workshop, LAL-Orsay, 26 – 29 June 2018

# proton pdfs today



current data only above  $x=5 \cdot 10^{-5}$ , and below  $x=0.6-0.7$

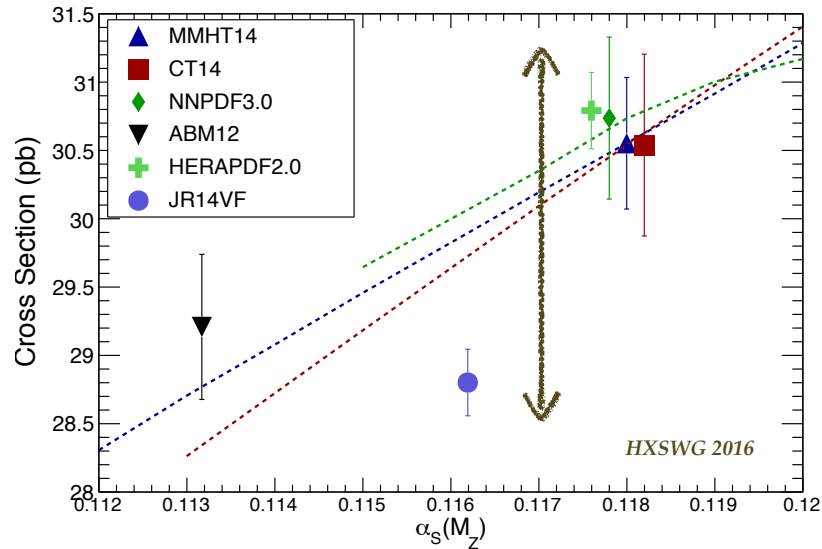
pdfs poorly known at large and small  $x$   
higher precision needed also for H, W, t



# pdfs today

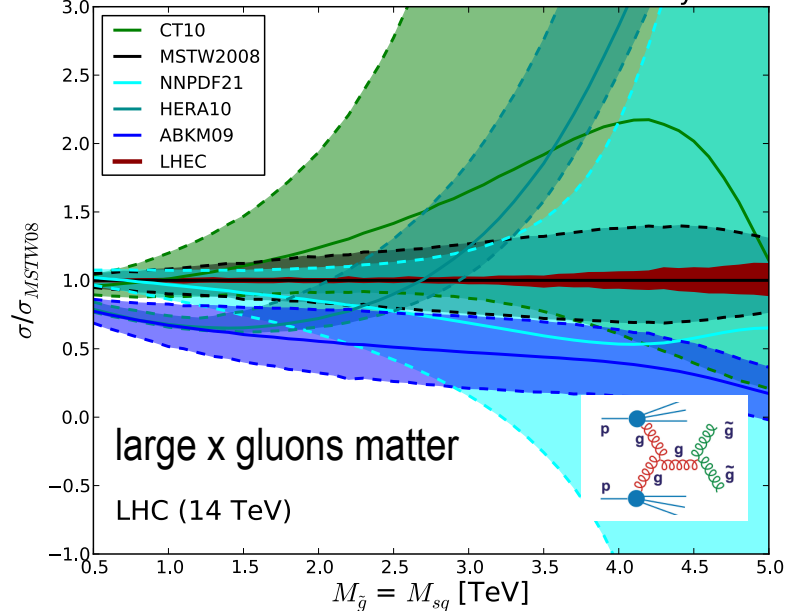
ATLAS 2017

Gluon-Fusion Higgs production, LHC 13 TeV

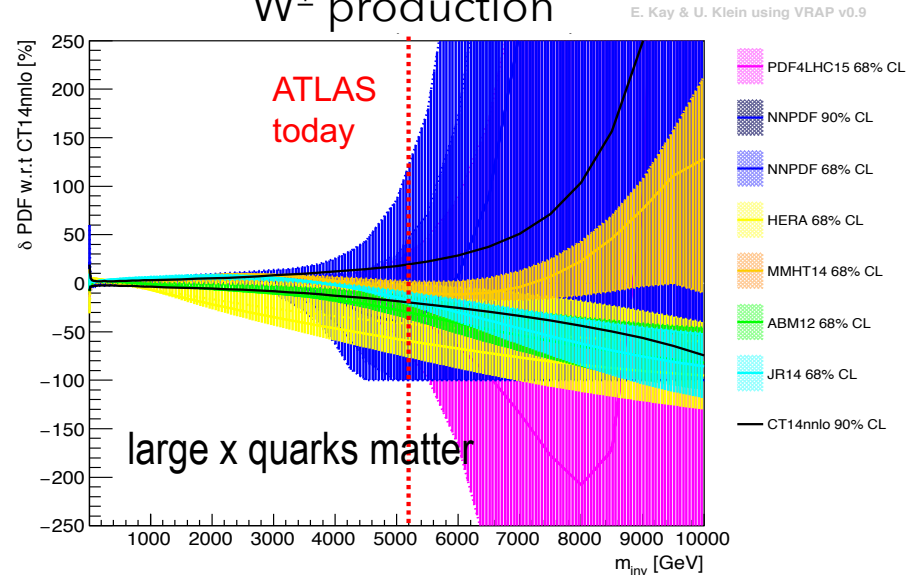


Channel	$m_{W^+} - m_{W^-}$ [MeV]	Stat. Unc.	Muon Unc.	Elec. Unc.	Recoil Unc.	Bckg. Unc.	QCD Unc.	EW Unc.	PDF Unc.	Total Unc.
$W \rightarrow e\nu$	-29.7	17.5	0.0	4.9	0.9	5.4	0.5	0.0	24.1	30.7
$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$	-28.6	16.3	11.7	0.0	1.1	5.0	0.4	0.0	26.0	33.2
Combined	-29.2	12.8	3.3	4.1	1.0	4.5	0.4	0.0	23.9	28.0

Gluino Pair Production PDF Uncertainty



$W^\pm$  production



Mw

Higgs

BSM

...

with higher luminosity and energy machines on horizon,  
will need **transformation** in precision

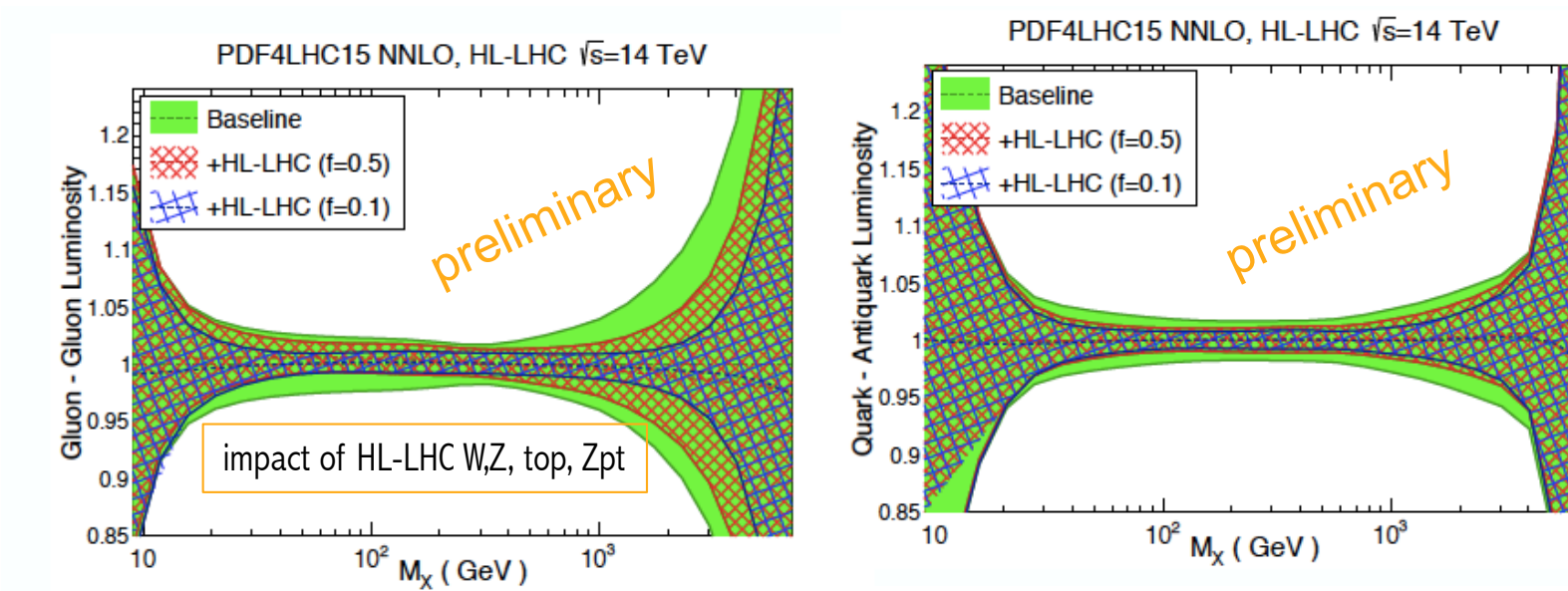
# HL-LHC 'ultimate' pdf projections

LHC measurements are providing useful pdf constraints (EG. see previous talk); should certainly be exploited; and currently we have nothing else ...

**is there a NEED for future ep collider for pdfs?**

will we improve the precision of pdfs sufficiently using LHC data?

HL-LHC ultimate pdf projection studies ongoing:

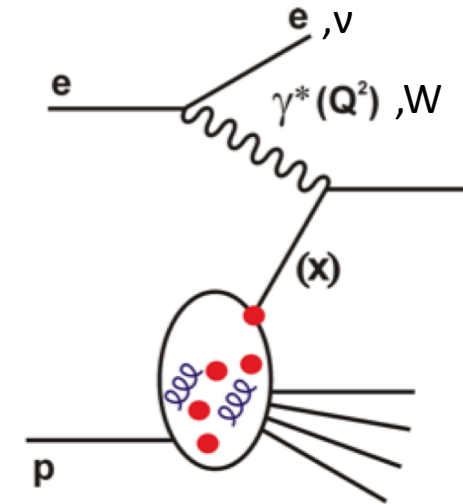


(L Harland-Lang, HL/HE-LHC WS, CERN, June 2018)

# LHeC and FCC-eh pdf programme

NC/CC	Ee [GeV]	Ep [TeV]	P(e)	charge	lumi. [fb <sup>-1</sup> ]
NC	60 (60)	7 (50)	-0.8	-1	1000
CC	60 (60)	7 (50)	-0.8	-1	1000
NC	60 (60)	7 (50)	+0.8	-1	300
CC	60 (60)	7 (50)	+0.8	-1	300
NC	60 (60)	7 (50)	0	+1	100
CC	60 (60)	7 (50)	0	+1	100
NC	60 (20)	1 (7)	0	-1	100
CC	60 (20)	1 (7)	0	-1	100

LHeC (FCC-eh) simulated NC and CC inclusive



simulation: M Klein

QCD analysis: V Radescu, G Pownall

**+NEW:** additional LHeC simulation with 1/10th integrated luminosity (no low energy data)

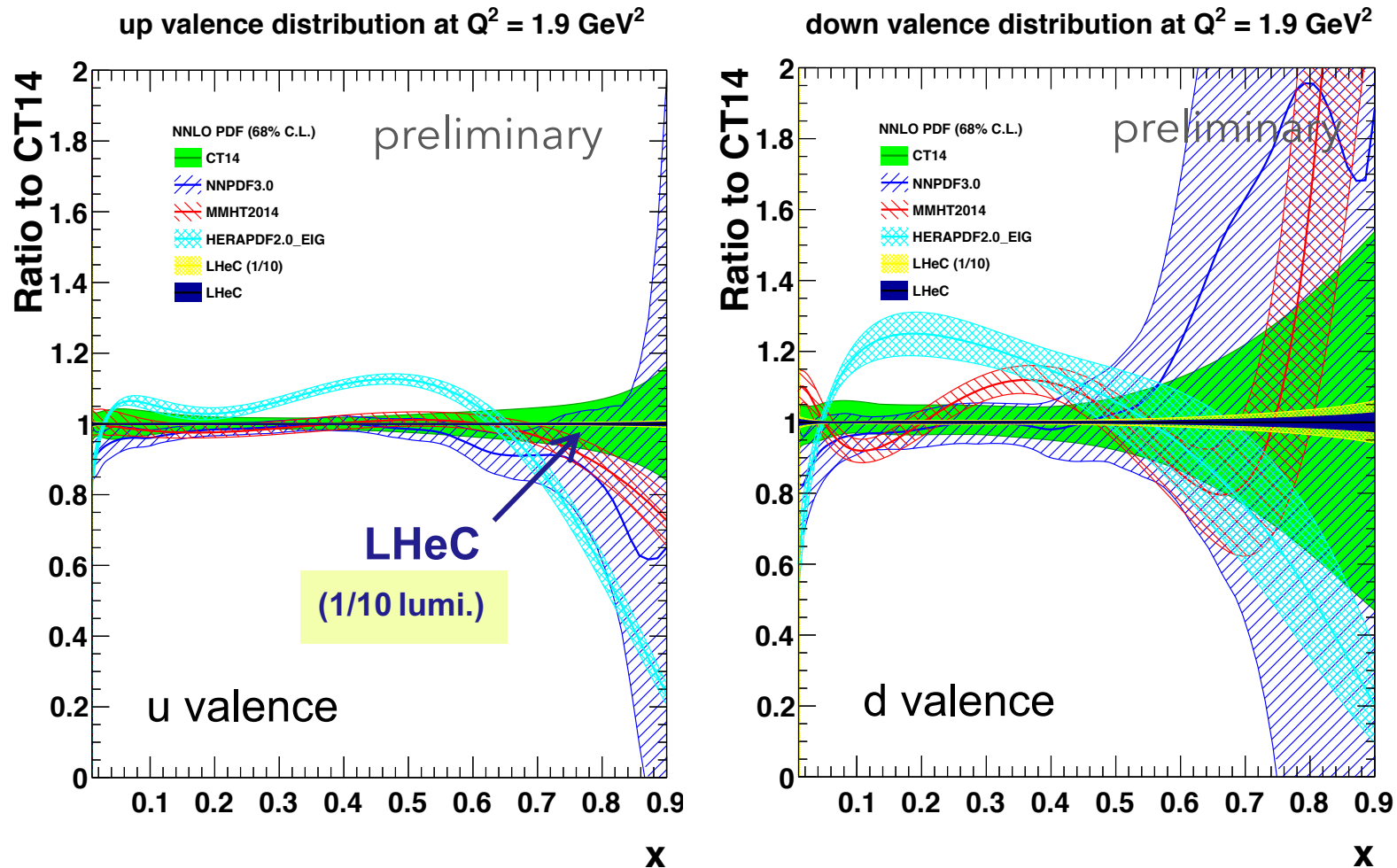
**LHeC (FCC-eh) goals:** completely resolve all **proton pdfs**, and  **$\alpha_s$**  to permille precision  
**ubar, uv, dbar, dv, s, c, b, t, xg** and  **$\alpha_s$**

no higher twist, no nuclear corr., free of sym. assumptions, factorization proven, N3LO (on the way)

**NB, fit studies do not yet include simulated s, c, b, t or FL data**

all work in progress

# valence quarks from LHeC

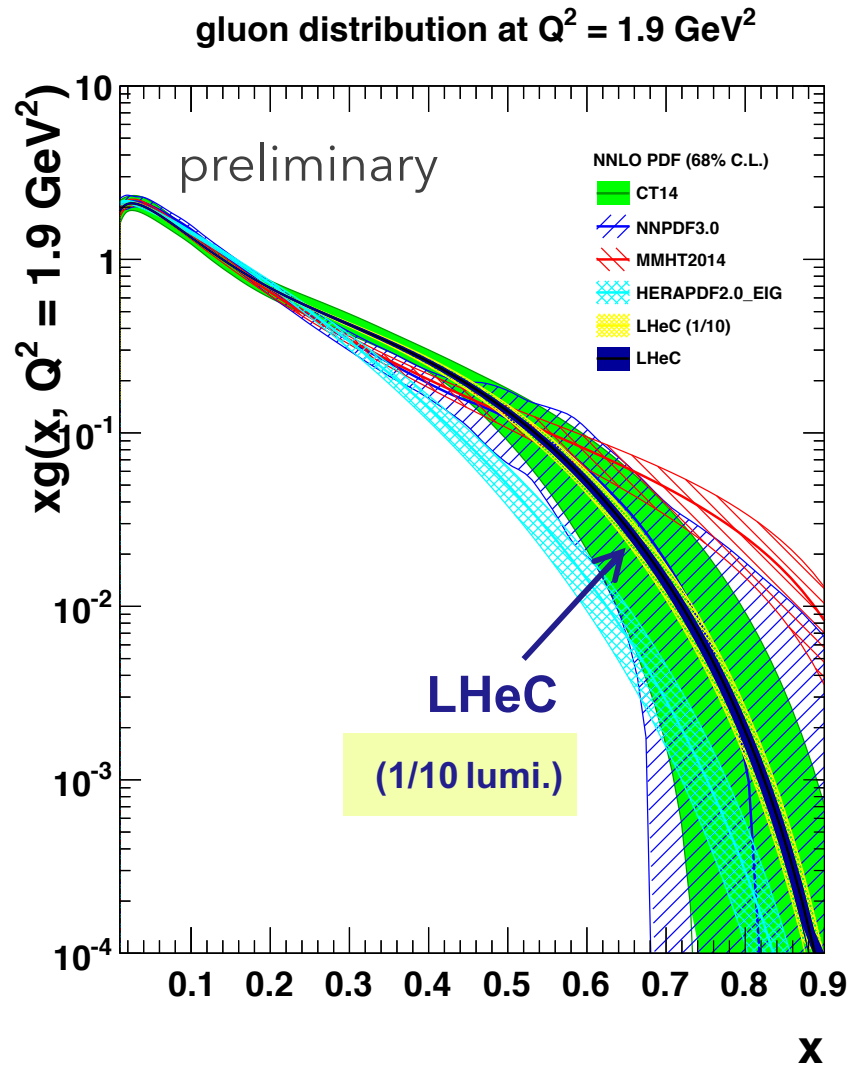


precision determination, free from higher twist corrections and nuclear uncertainties

large x crucial for searches; relevant for DY,  $M_W$ ; resolve mystery of d/u at large x; ...



# gluon at large x



gluon at large  $x$  is small and currently very poorly known;  
**crucial for new physics searches**

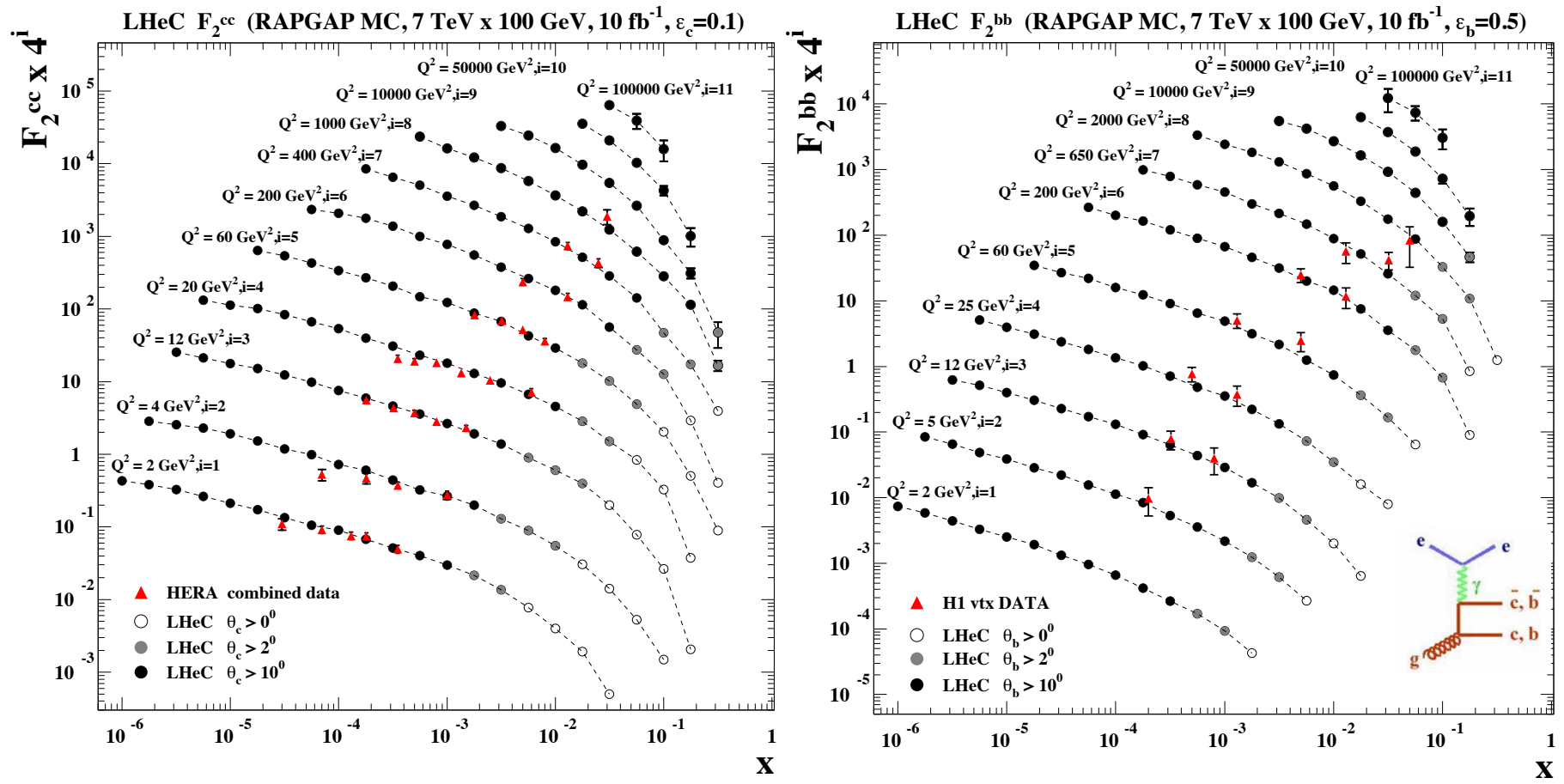
**LHeC** sensitivity at large  $x$  comes as part of overall package

- high luminosity ( $\times 100\text{--}1000$  HERA);
- fully constrained quark pdfs; low  $x$ ;
- momentum sum rule

gluon and sea intimately related

**LHeC** can disentangle sea from valence quarks at large  $x$ , with precision measurements of **CC** and **NC**  $F_2^{\nu Z}$ ,  $xF_3^{\nu Z}$

# c, b quarks

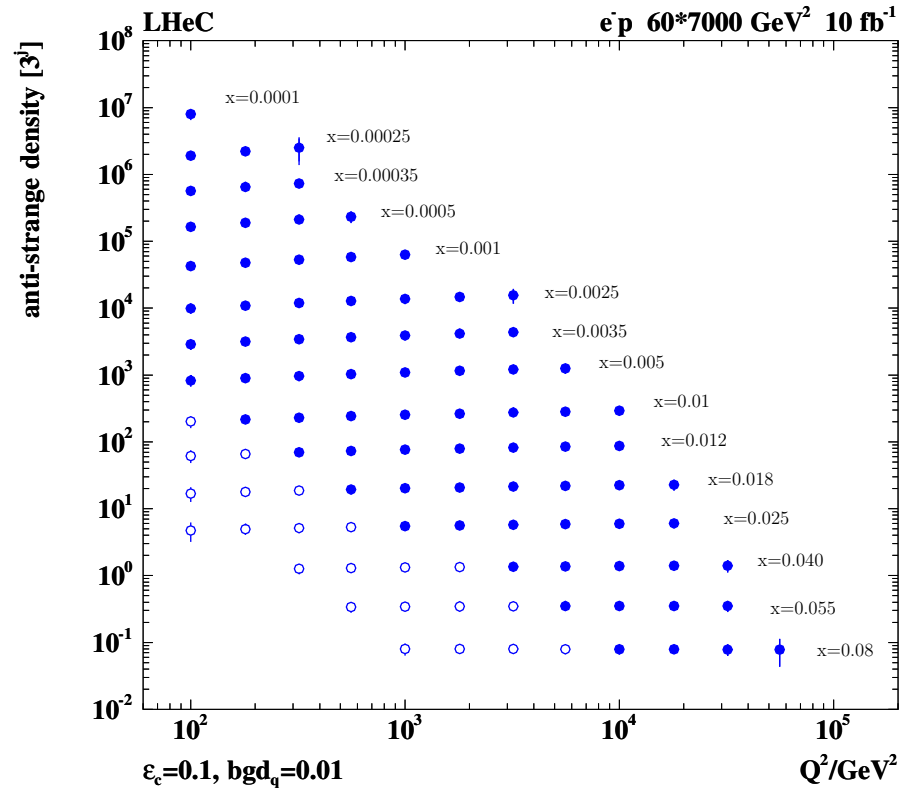
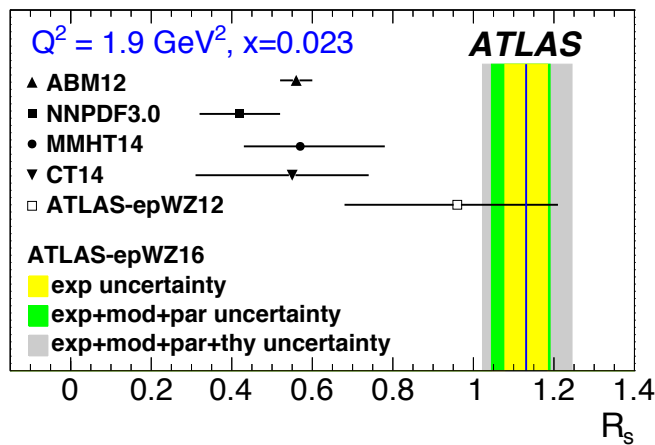
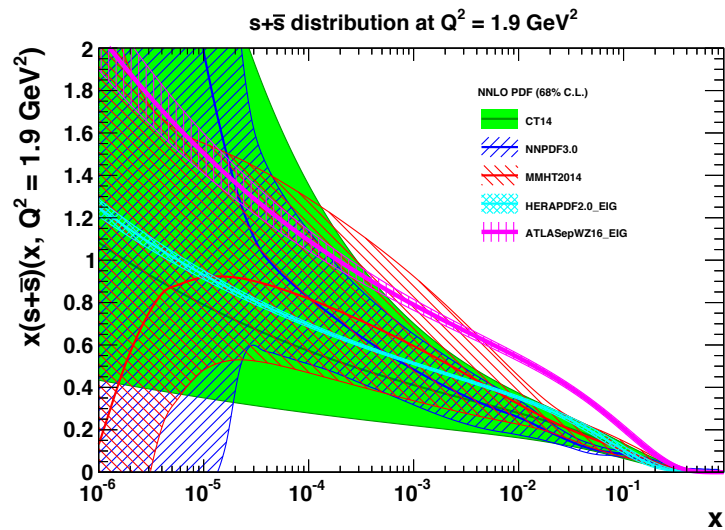


**LHeC: enormously extended range and much improved precision c.f. HERA**

- $\delta M_c = 60$  (HERA) to 3 MeV: impacts on  $\alpha_s$ , regulates ratio of charm to light, crucial for precision t, H
- MSSM: Higgs produced dominantly via  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow A$

# strange

strange pdf poorly known; suppressed cf. other light quarks? strange valence?



**LHeC:** direct sensitivity to strange via  $W+s \rightarrow c$   
( $x, Q^2$ ) mapping of (anti) strange quark for first time

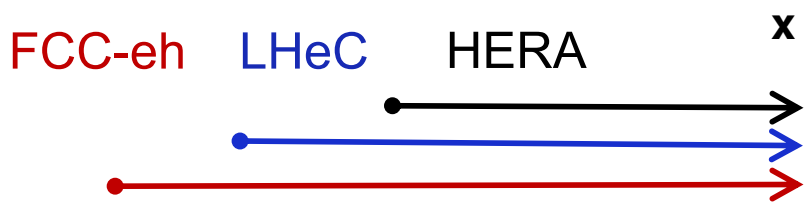
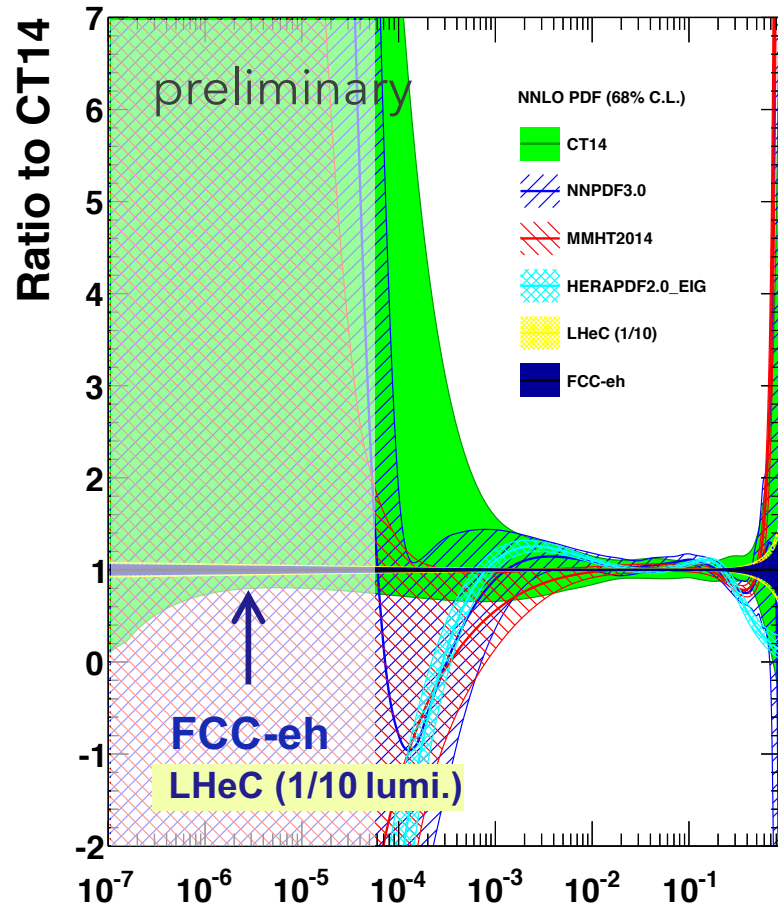
also top pdf via CC DIS becomes possible!

ATLAS<sup>†</sup> see large strange fraction at mean  $x \sim 0.01$

<sup>†</sup>ATLAS arXiv:1203.4051, confirmed with high stats in 1612.03016; and by global fitters EG. NNPDF 1706.00428, MMHT 1708.00047

# gluon at small x

gluon distribution at  $Q^2 = 1.9 \text{ GeV}^2$



no current data much below  $x=5 \times 10^{-5}$

**LHeC** provides single, precise and unambiguous dataset down to  $x=10^{-6}$

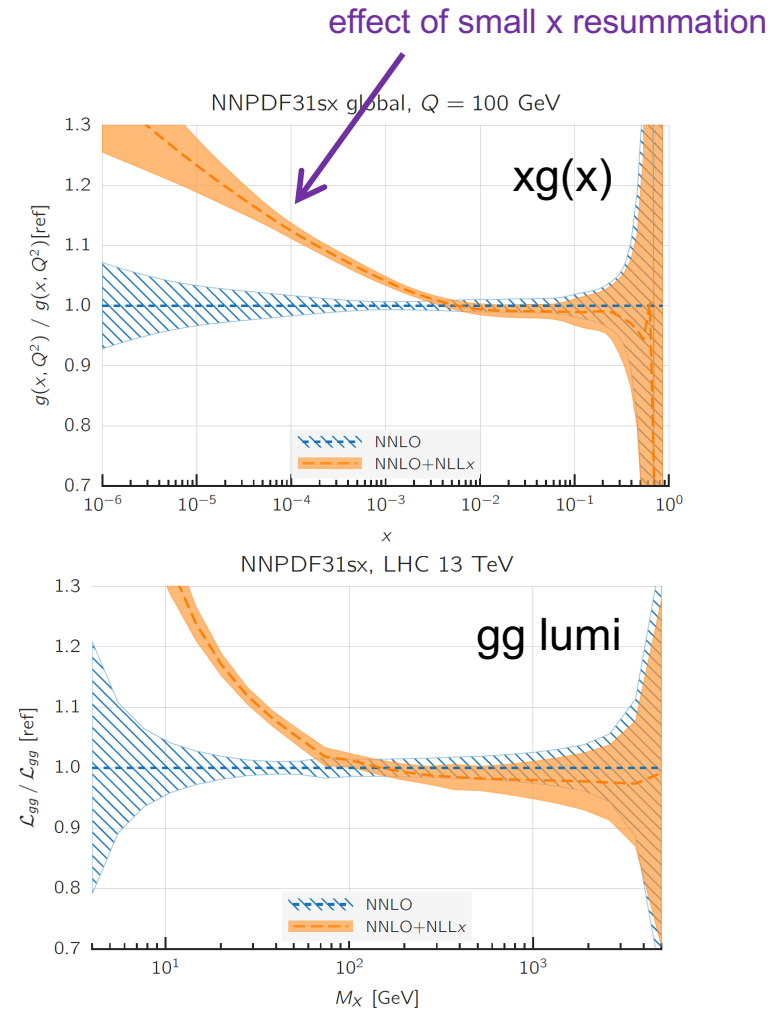
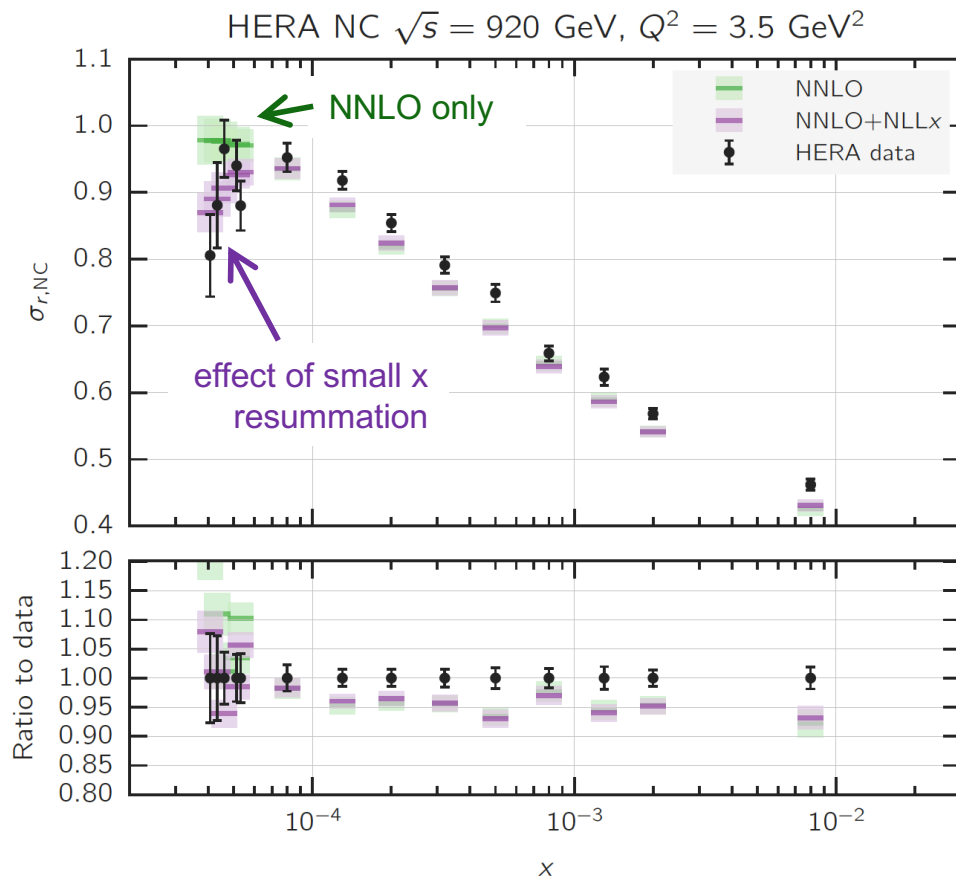
**FCC-eh** probes to even smaller  $x=10^{-7}$

explore low x QCD:

DGLAP vs BFKL; non-linear evolution;  
gluon saturation; implications  
for ultra high energy neutrino cross sections

# gluon at small x

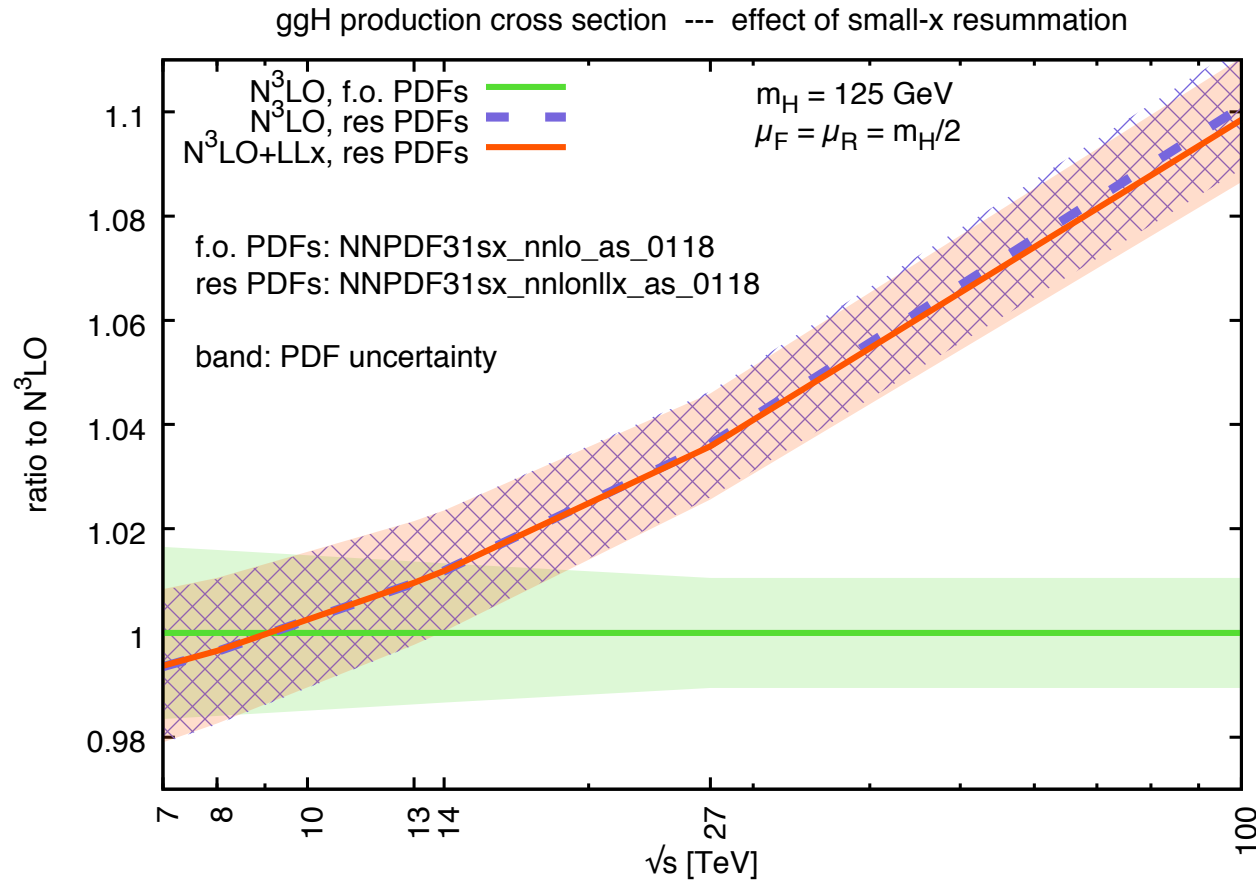
R. Ball et al, arXiv:1710.05935



- recent evidence for onset of BFKL dynamics in HERA inclusive data
- **impact for LHC and most certainly at ultra low x values probed at FCC**

(see also xFitter study, arXiv:1802.00064)

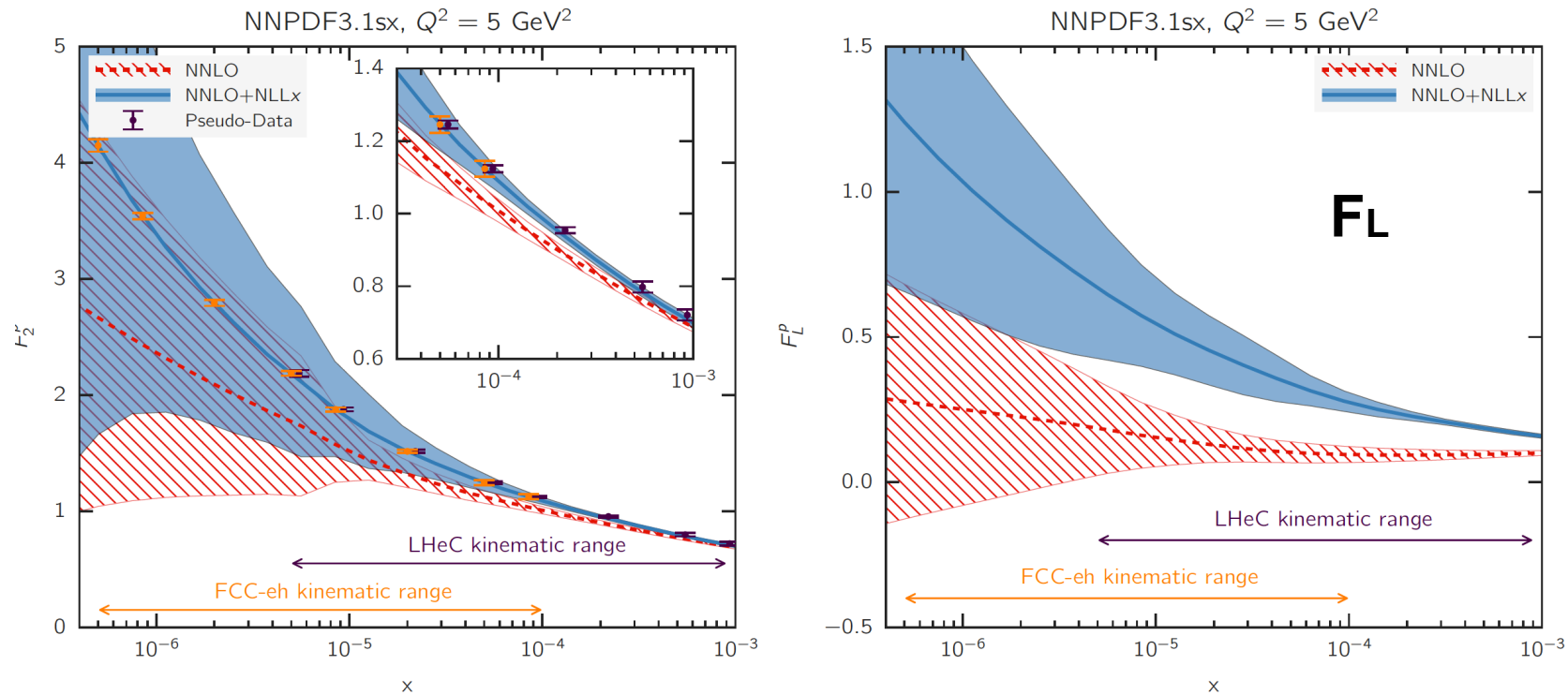
# gluon at small x



effect of small x resummation on ggH cross section for LHC, HE-LHC, FCC  
impact on other EW observables could be of similar size

# gluon at small x

arXiv:1710.05935



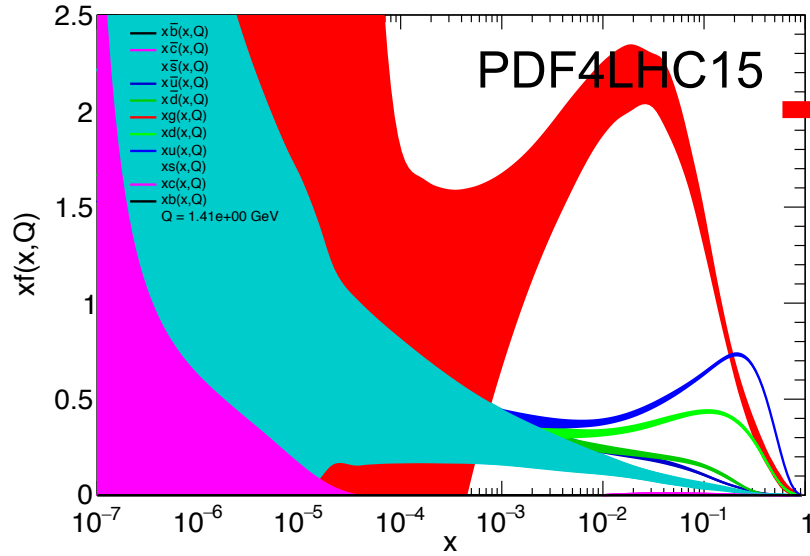
$F_2$  and  $F_L$  predictions for simulated kinematics of **LHeC** and **FCC-eh**

**ep simulated data very precise** – significant constraining power to discriminate between theoretical scenarios of small  $x$  dynamics

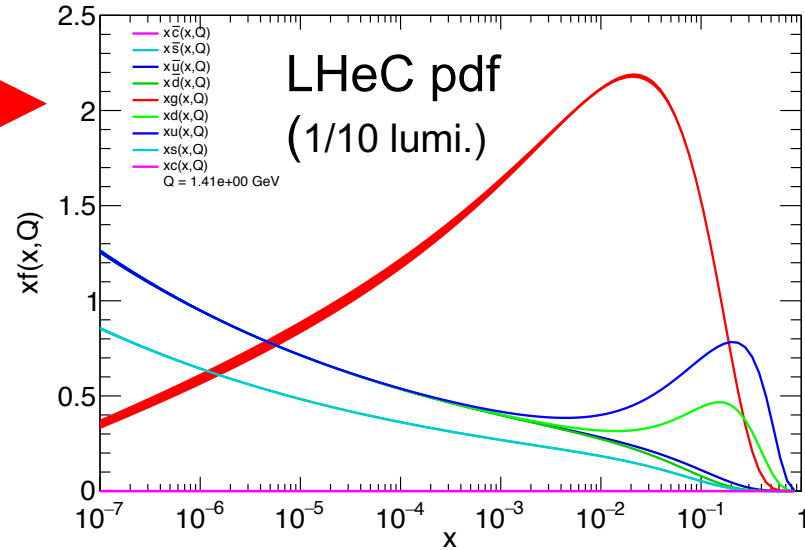
**measurement of  $F_L$  has a critical role to play**

# summary of LHeC pdfs

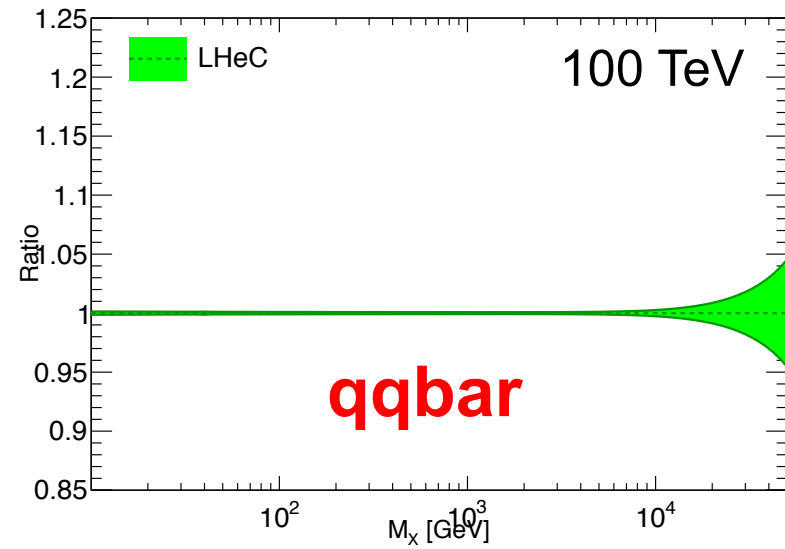
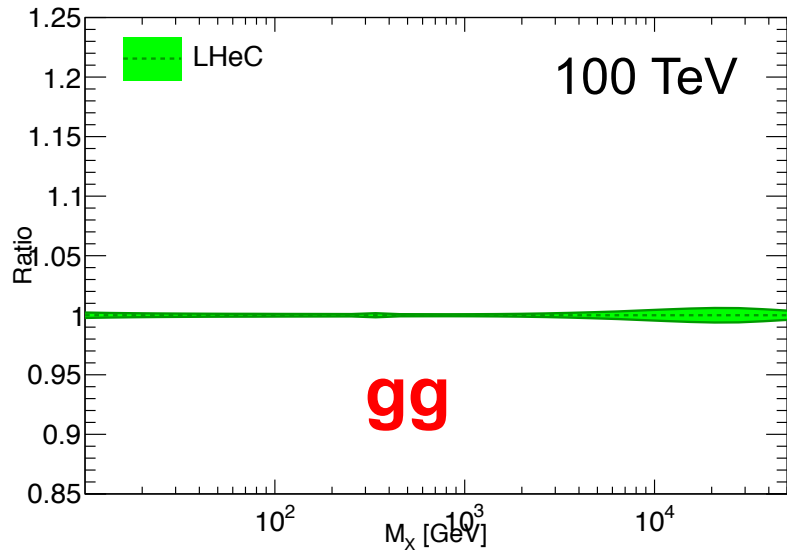
preliminary



Gluon-Gluon, luminosity

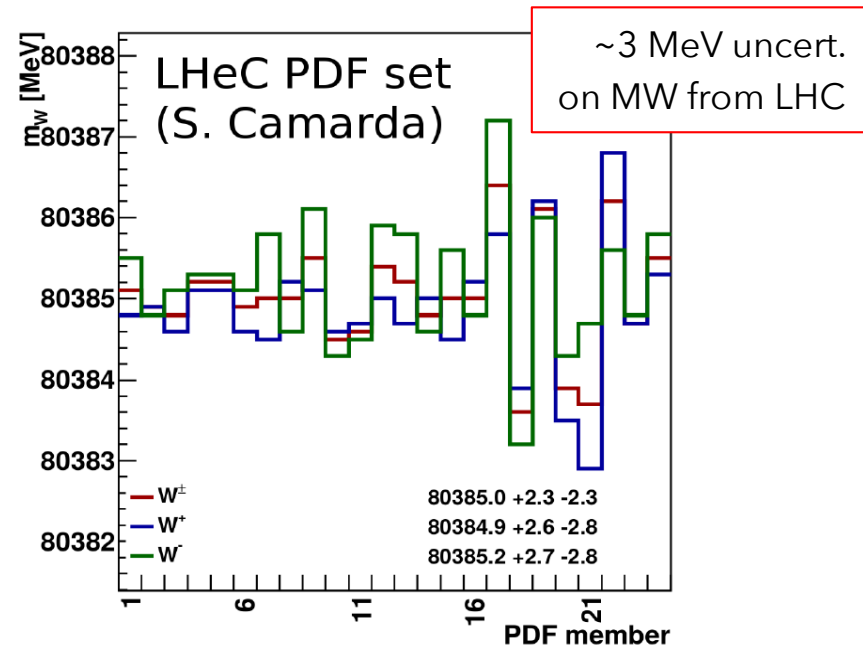
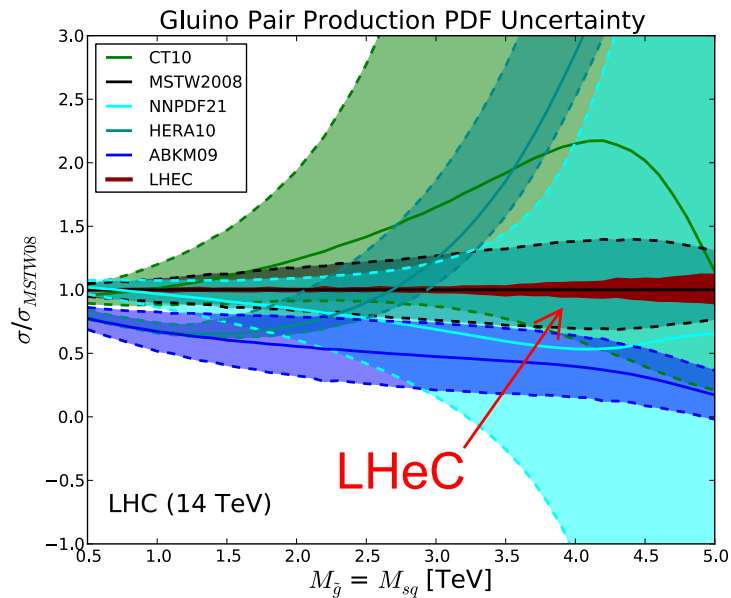
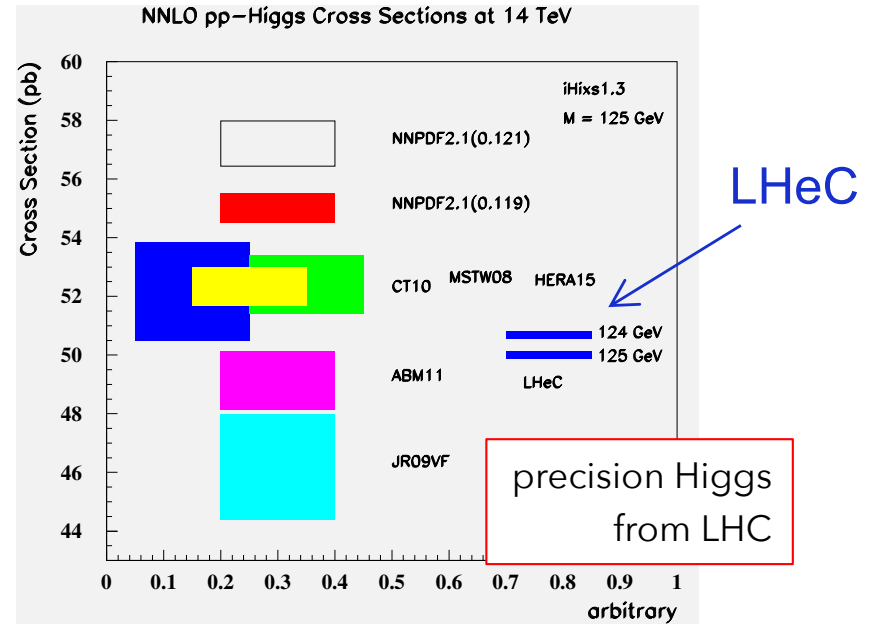
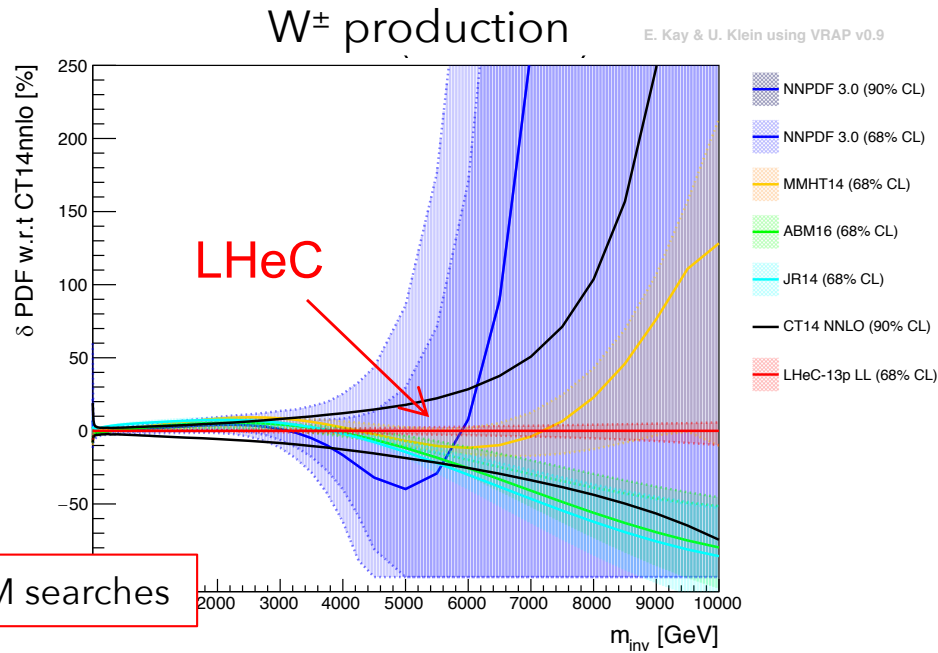


Quark-Antiquark, luminosity





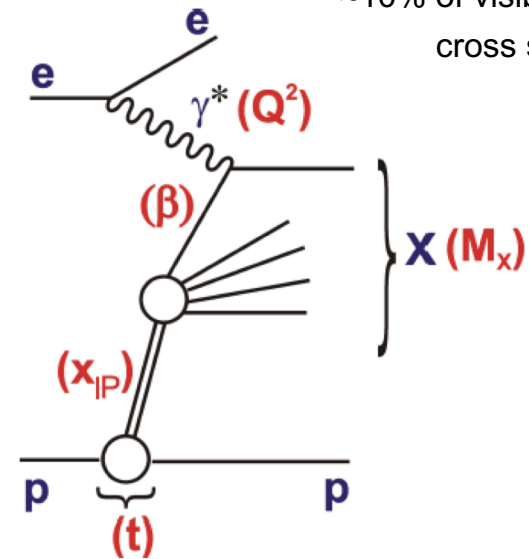
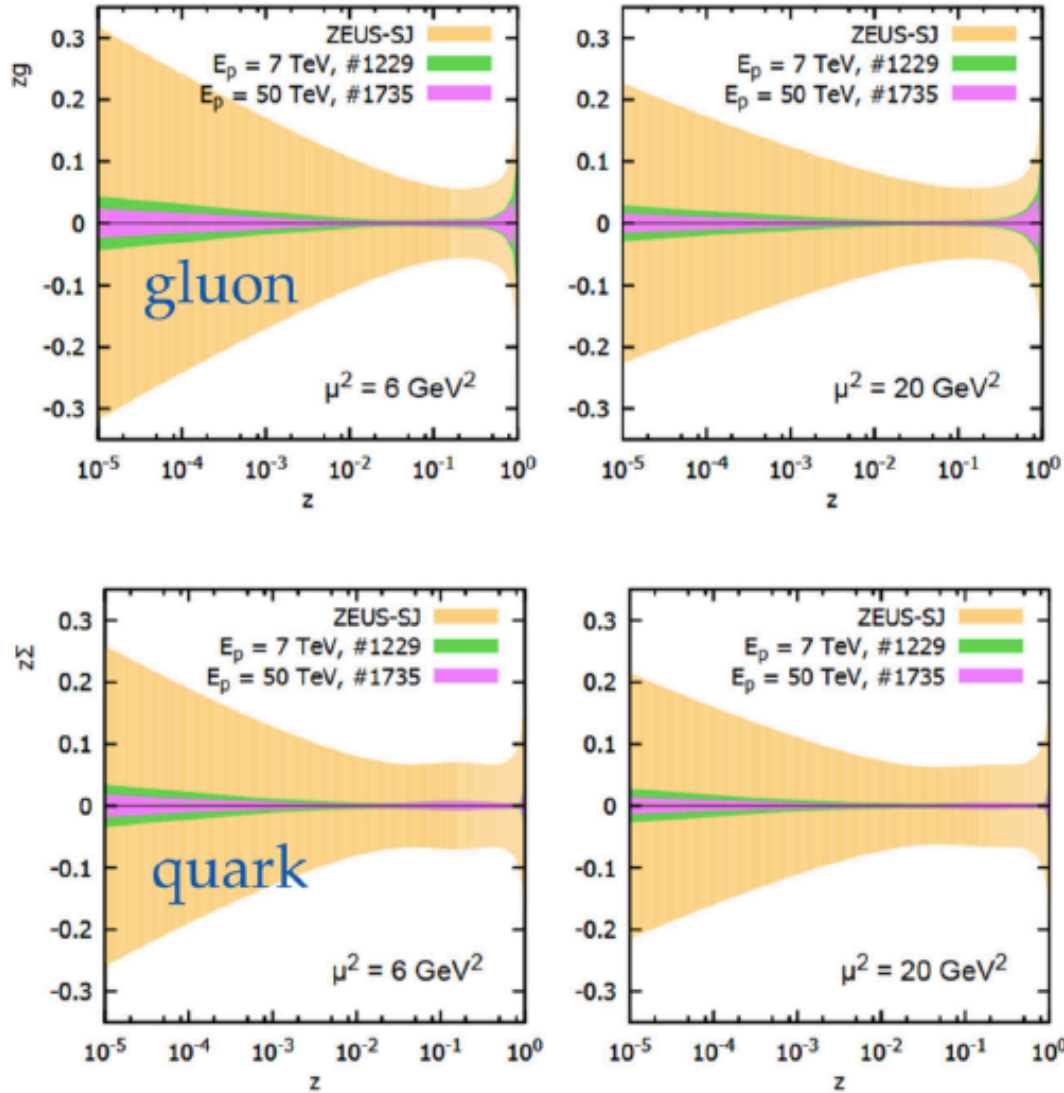
# example impact for LHC



# diffractive pdfs

HERA: diffractive processes constitute  $\approx 10\%$  of visible DIS cross section

$Q^2_{\min} \approx 5 \text{ GeV}^2$



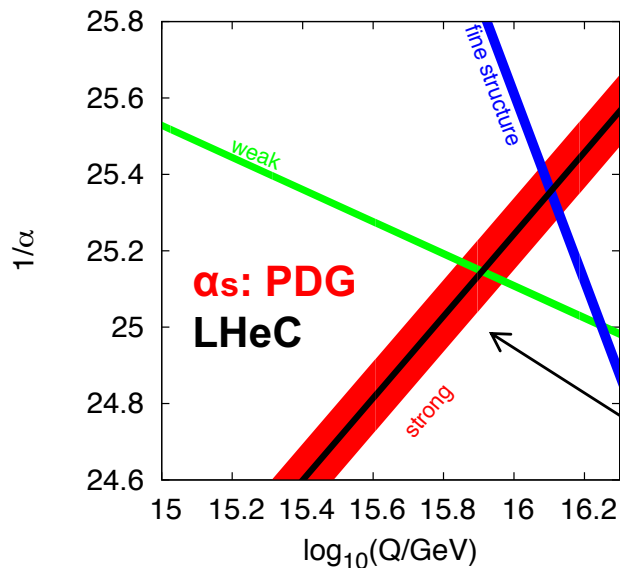
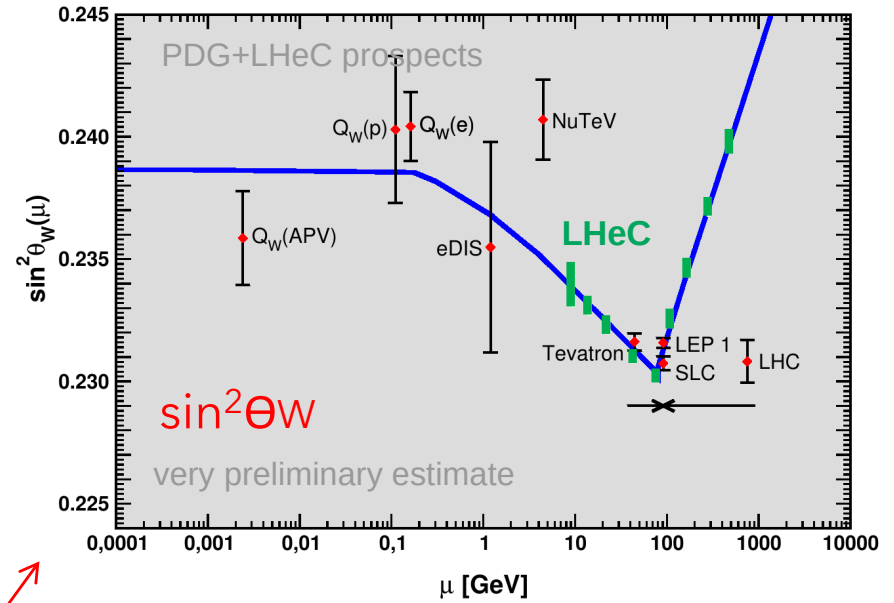
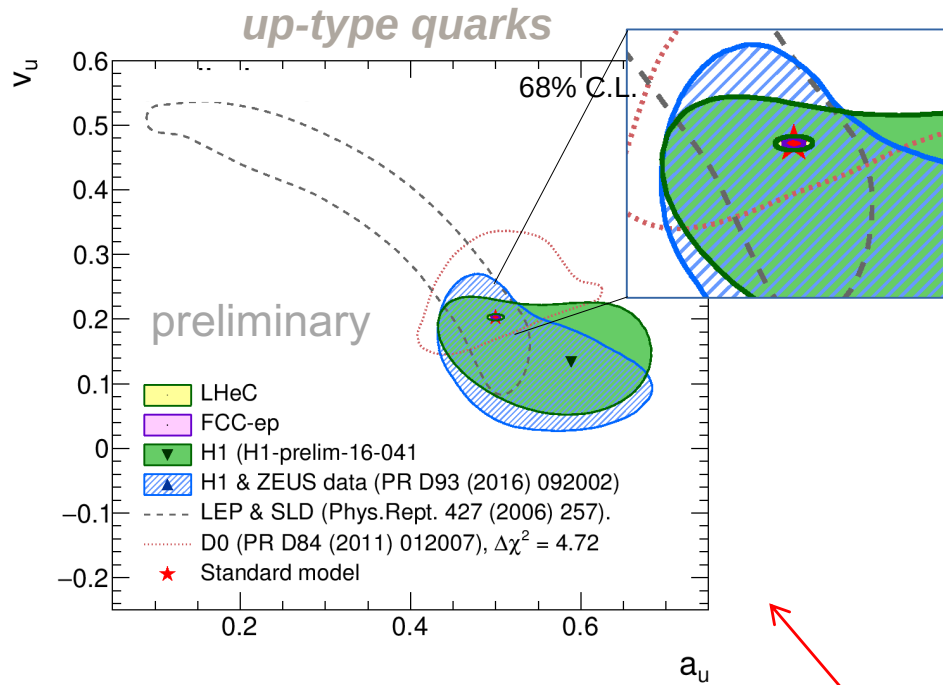
**simulation:** extrapol. from ZEUS-SJ;  
5% Gaussian noise (syst.) assumed

**precision increased by about  $\times 10$  (20) at LHeC (FCC-eh)**

diffractive dijets could provide further gluon info.

top quark PS also accessible

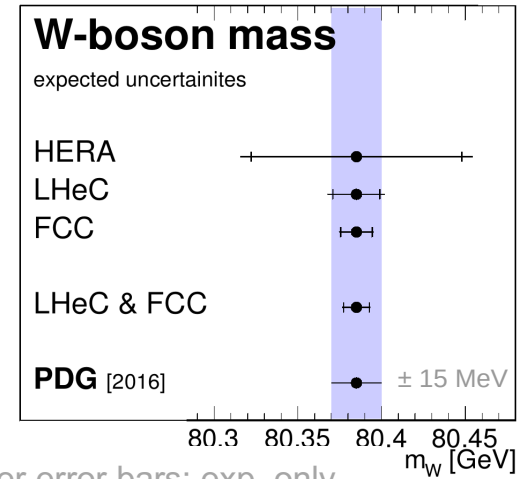
# electroweak physics, and $\alpha_s$



## simultaneous pdf and EW fits

extraordinarily precise determinations of EW  
params.: **NC vector** and **axial-vector**  
**light quark couplings,  $M_Z$ ,  $M_W$  and**  
 **$\sin^2\theta_W$**

$\alpha_s$  to permille precision!



inner error bars: exp. only  
outer: exp.+pdf

# summary

**much of LHC and FCC programme is or will become pdf or  $\alpha_s$  limited**

LHC pdf-constraining measurements available; widely exploited in modern pdf fits

**nevertheless, pp constrains, it does not precisely determine pdfs**

**electron-hadron colliders essential for future of high energy physics**

LHC-eh and FCC-eh go beyond HERA in energy, luminosity (and eA)

unprecedented kinematic reach;

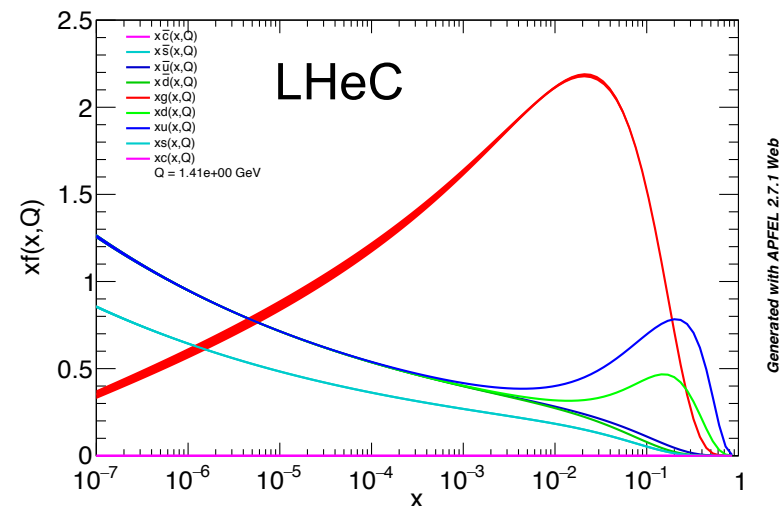
accesses scales sensitive to BSM and Higgs;

**precision electroweak;**

**precise determination of all pdfs,**

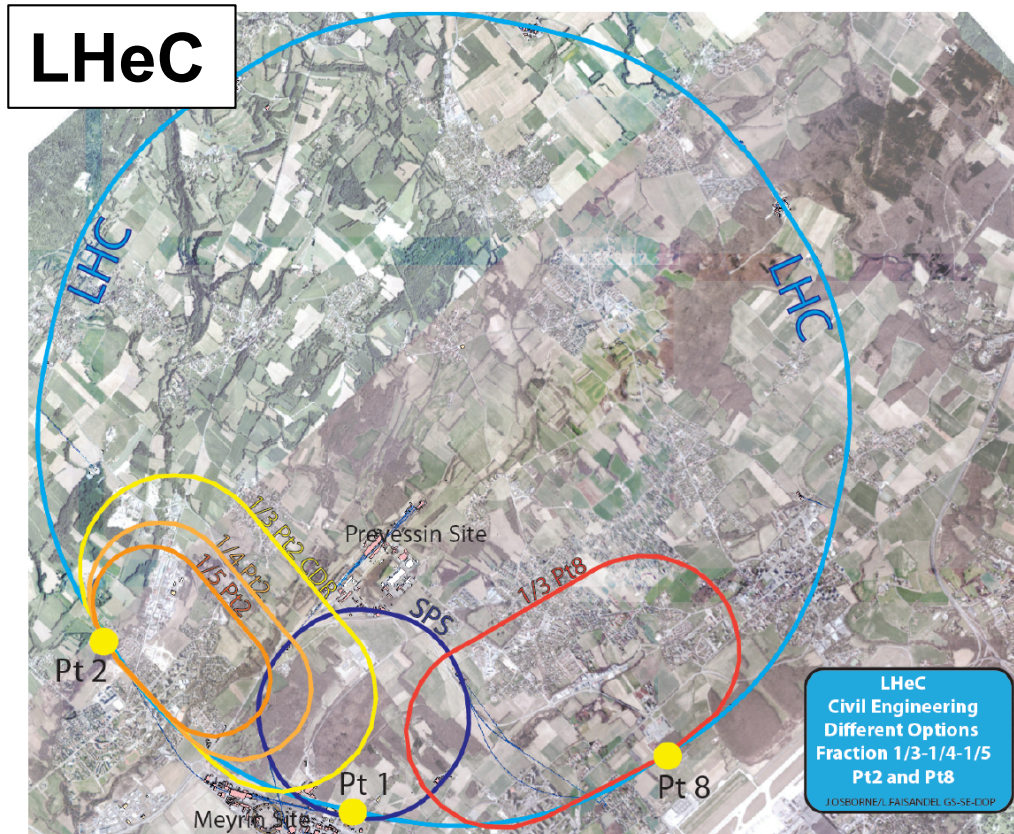
**and  $\alpha_s$  to permille precision**

more work ongoing...



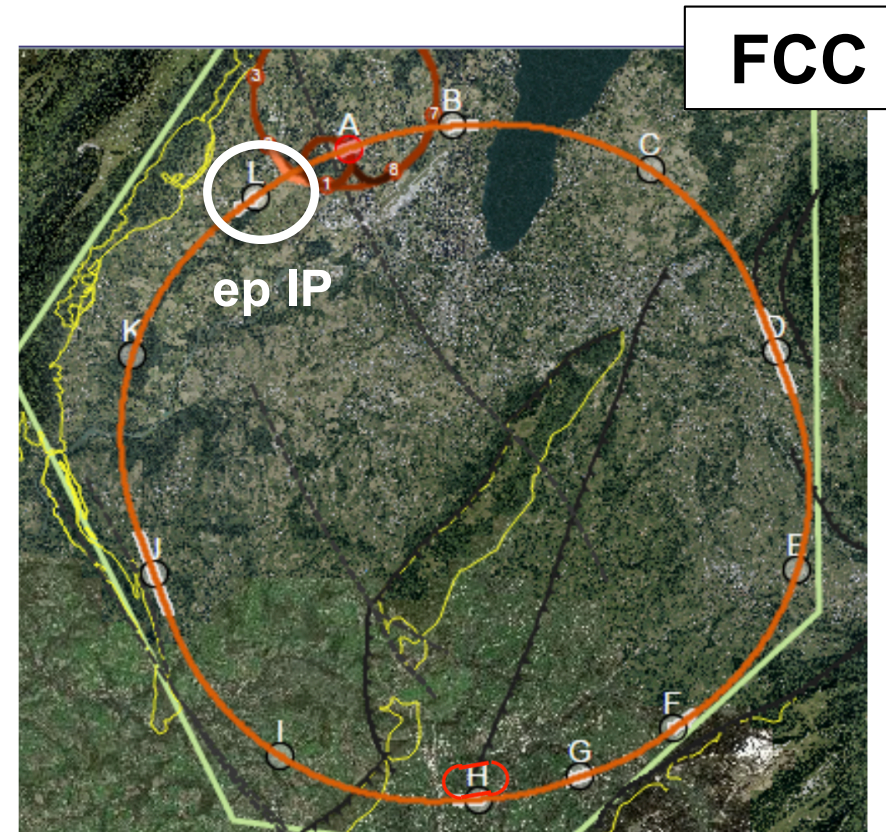
extras

# LHeC and FCC-eh



(M Klein, Rencontre du Vietnam, Sept 2017)

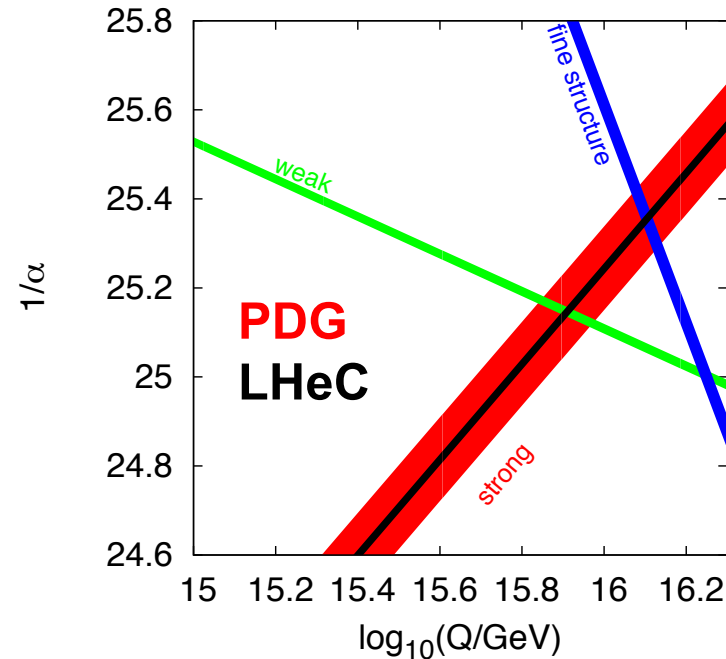
**LHeC and FCC-eh**  
energy recovery LINAC  
e-beam: 60 GeV  
 $L_{int} \rightarrow 1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$



**LHeC (FCC-eh)** complementary to, synchronous with, **HL-LHC (FCC)**

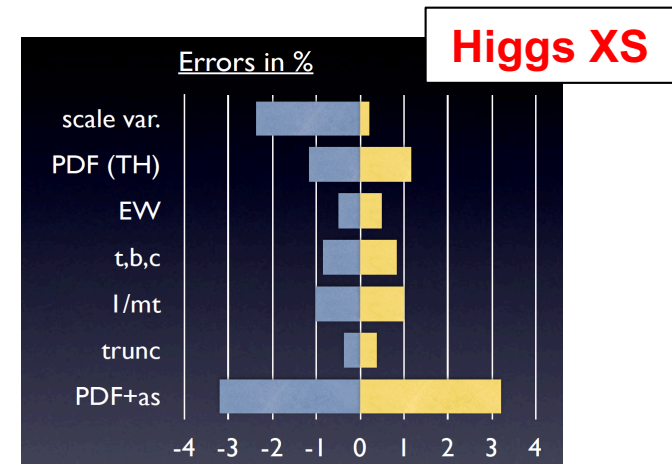
# strong coupling $\alpha_s$ from LHeC

- $\alpha_s$  is least known coupling constant  
precise  $\alpha_s$  needed to constrain GUT scenarios;  
for cross section predictions, including H; ...
- measurements not all consistent
- what is true central value and uncertainty?
- $\alpha_s(\text{DIS})$  smaller than world average?
- **LHeC: permille precision** from QCD fit of inclusive NC and CC DIS ( $\alpha_s(\text{DIS-jets})$ )?
- can challenge lattice QCD



case	cut [ $Q^2$ in $\text{GeV}^2$ ]	relative precision in %
HERA only (14p)	$Q^2 > 3.5$	1.94
HERA+jets (14p)	$Q^2 > 3.5$	0.82
LHeC only (14p)	$Q^2 > 3.5$	0.15
LHeC only (10p)	$Q^2 > 3.5$	0.17
LHeC only (14p)	$Q^2 > 20$	0.25
LHeC+HERA (10p)	$Q^2 > 3.5$	0.11
LHeC+HERA (10p)	$Q^2 > 7.0$	0.20
LHeC+HERA (10p)	$Q^2 > 10.$	0.26

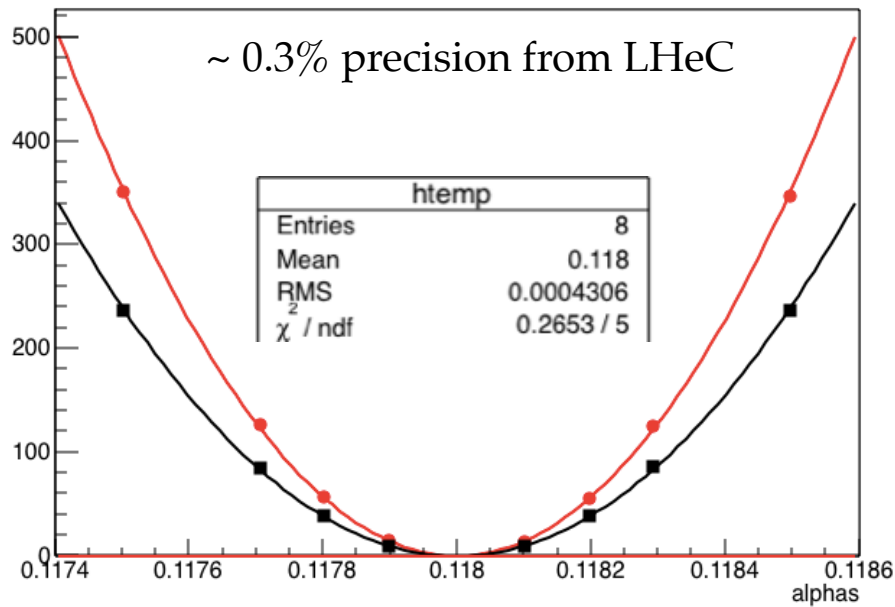
(LHeC: NC+CC incl.; total exp. uncer.; independent of BCDMS)



(G. Zanderighi, Moriond16;  
from C. Anastasiou et al, arXiv:1602.00695)

# strong coupling from LHeC

PDF+ $\alpha_s$  fit using LHeC simulated data

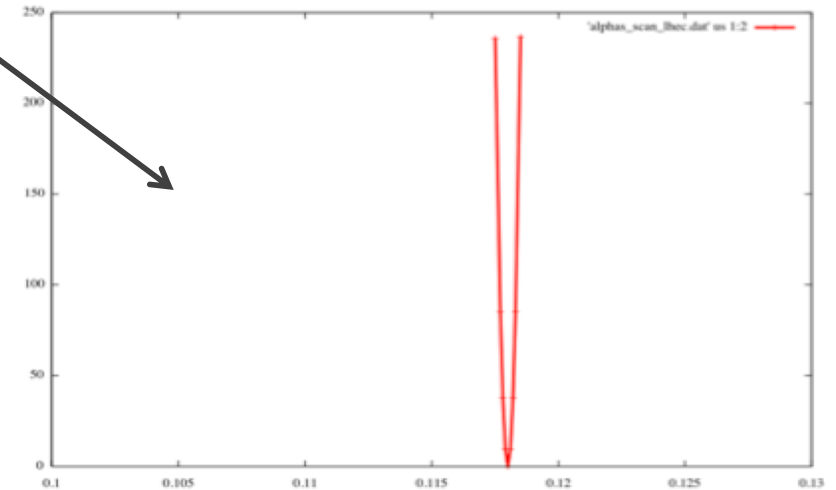
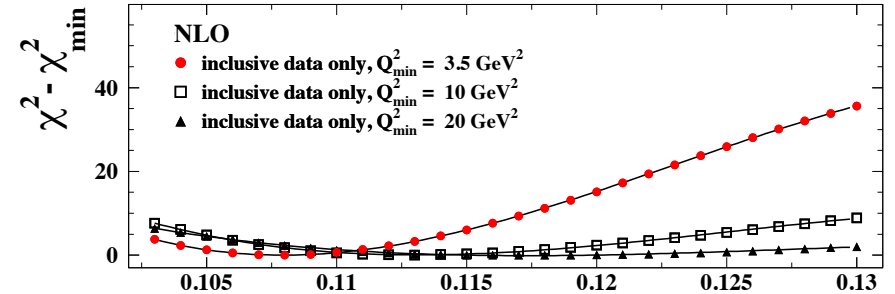
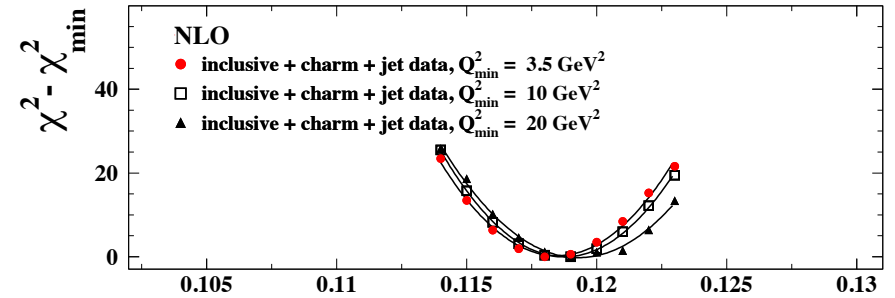


(M Klein, V Radescu)

— NC,CC  
— NC,CC+F2c

LHeC could resolve a > 30-year old puzzle:  
 $\alpha_s$  consistent in inclusive DIS, versus jets?

H1 and ZEUS





Method	Current $\delta\alpha_s(m_Z^2)/\alpha_s(m_Z^2)$ uncertainty (theory & experiment state-of-the-art)	Future $\delta\alpha_s(m_Z^2)/\alpha_s(m_Z^2)$ uncertainty (theory & experiment progress)
lattice	$\approx 1\%$ (latt. stats/spacing, N <sup>3</sup> LO pQCD)	$\approx 0.1\%$ ( $\sim 10$ yrs) (improved computing power, N <sup>4</sup> LO pQCD)
$\pi$ decay factor	$1.5\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 0.05\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.5\%$ (N <sup>3</sup> LO RGOPT)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 0.05\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1\%$ (few yrs) (N <sup>4</sup> LO RGOPT, explicit $m_{u,d,s}$ )
$\tau$ decays	$1.4\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1.4\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2\%$ (N <sup>3</sup> LO CIPT vs. FOPT)	$0.7\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 0.7\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1\%$ (+B-factories), $<1\%$ (FCC-ee) (N <sup>4</sup> LO, $\sim 10$ yrs. Improved spectral function data)
$Q\bar{Q}$ decays	$4\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 4\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 6\%$ (NLO only. $\Upsilon$ only)	$1.4\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1.4\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2\%$ (few yrs) (NNLO. More precise LDME and $R_\gamma^{\text{exp}}$ )
soft FFs	$1.8\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 0.7\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2\%$ (NNLO* only (+NNLL), npQCD small)	$0.7\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 0.7\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1\%$ ( $\sim 2$ yrs), $<1\%$ (FCC-ee) (NNLO+NNLL. More precise $e^+e^-$ data: 90–350 GeV)
hard FFs	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 5\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 5\%$ (NLO only. LEP data only)	$0.7\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 2\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2\%$ (+B-factories), $<1\%$ (FCC-ee) (NNLO. More precise $e^+e^-$ data)
global PDF fits	$1.5\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.7\%$ (Diff. NNLO PDF fits. DIS+DY data)	$0.7\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 0.7\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1\%$ (few yrs), $0.15\%$ (LHeC/FCC-eh) (N <sup>3</sup> LO. Full DIS+hadronic data fit)
jets in $e^\pm p$ , $\gamma$ -p	$2\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1.5\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2.5\%$ (NNLO* only)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.5\%$ (few yrs), $<1\%$ (FCC-eh) (NNLO. Combined DIS + (extra?) $\gamma$ -p data)
$F_2^\gamma$ in $\gamma$ - $\gamma$	$3.5\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 3\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 4.5\%$ (NLO only)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 2\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2\%$ ( $\sim 2$ yrs), $<1\%$ (FCC-ee) (NNLO. More precise new $F_2^\gamma$ data)
$e^+e^-$ evt shapes	$(1.5-4)\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx (1.5-4)\%$ (NNLO+N <sup>(3)</sup> LL, npQCD significant)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.5\%$ (+B-factories), $<1\%$ (FCC-ee) (NNLO+N <sup>3</sup> LL. Improved npQCD via $\sqrt{s}$ -dep. New data)
jets in $e^+e^-$	$(2-5)\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx (2-5)\%$ (NNLO+NLL, npQCD moderate)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.5\%$ (few yrs), $<1\%$ (FCC-ee) (NNLO+NNLL. Improved npQCD. New high- $\sqrt{s}$ data)
W decays	$0.7\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 37\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 37\%$ (N <sup>3</sup> LO, npQCD small. Low-stats data)	$(0.7-0.1)\%_{\text{th}} \oplus (10-0.1)\%_{\text{exp}} \approx (10-0.15)\%$ (LHC,FCC-ee) (N <sup>4</sup> LO, $\sim 10$ yrs. High-stats/precise W data)
Z decays	$0.7\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 2.4\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2.5\%$ (N <sup>3</sup> LO, npQCD small)	$0.1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus (0.5-0.1)\%_{\text{exp}} \approx (0.5-0.15)\%$ (ILC,FCC-ee) (N <sup>4</sup> LO, $\sim 10$ yrs. High-stats/precise Z data)
jets in p-p, p- $\bar{p}$	$3.5\%_{\text{th}} \oplus (2-3)\%_{\text{exp}} \approx (4-5)\%$ (NLO only. Combined exp. observables)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.5\%$ (Tevatron+LHC, $\sim 2$ yrs) (NNLO. Multiple datasets+observables)
$t\bar{t}$ in p-p, p- $\bar{p}$	$1.5\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 2\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 2.5\%$ (NNLO+NNLL. CMS only)	$1\%_{\text{th}} \oplus 1\%_{\text{exp}} \approx 1.5\%$ (Tevatron+LHC, $\sim 2$ yrs) (Improved $m_{\text{top}}^{\text{pole}}$ & PDFs. Multiple datasets)

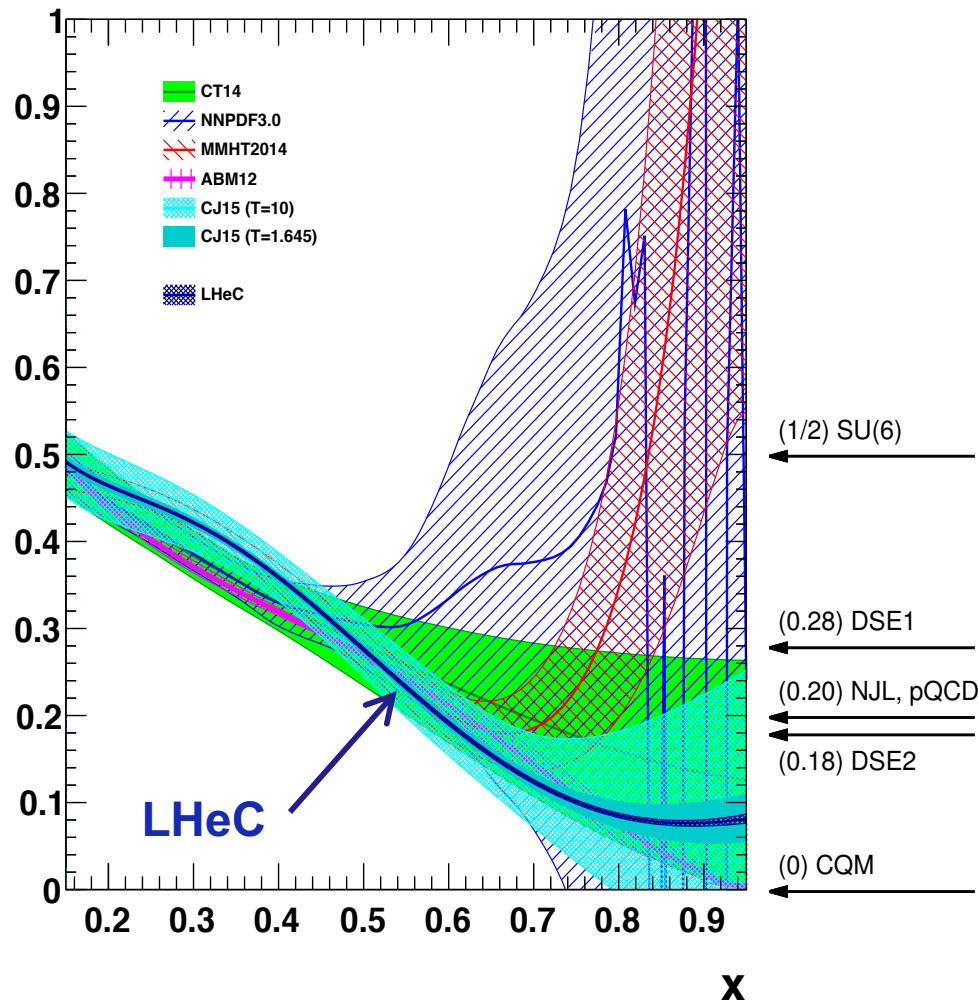
lattice QCD

ep: per mille level  
(LHeC/FCC-eh combined  
with HERA)

ee: order per mille  
with an FCC-ee

# d/u at large x

dv/uv distribution at  $Q^2 = 10 \text{ GeV}^2$



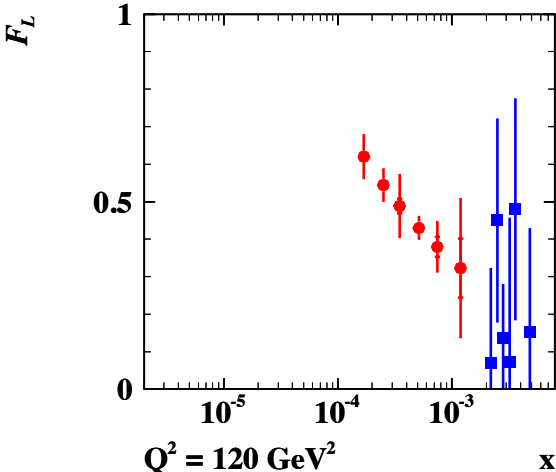
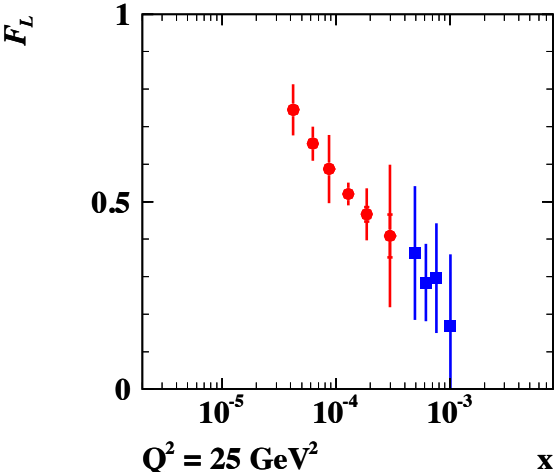
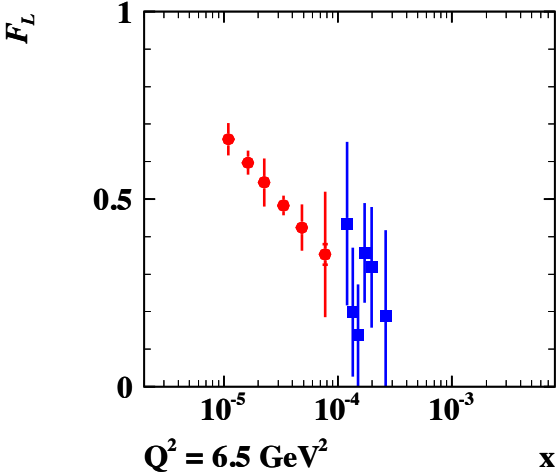
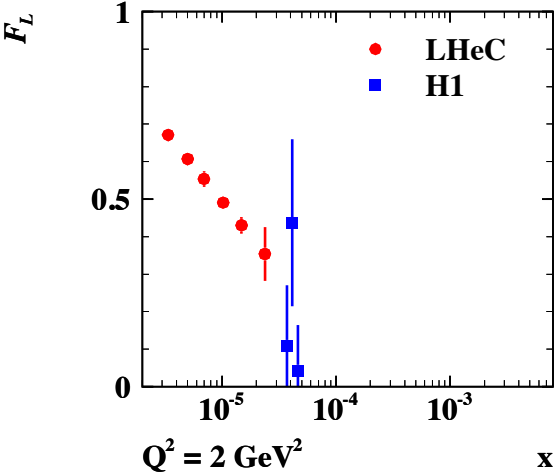
## d/u essentially unknown at large x

no predictive power from current pdfs; conflicting theory pictures;  
data inconclusive, large nuclear uncersts.

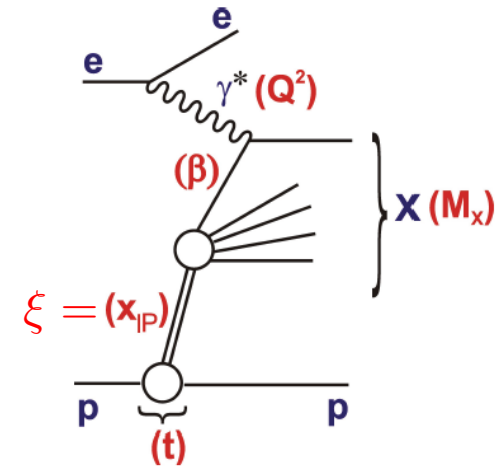
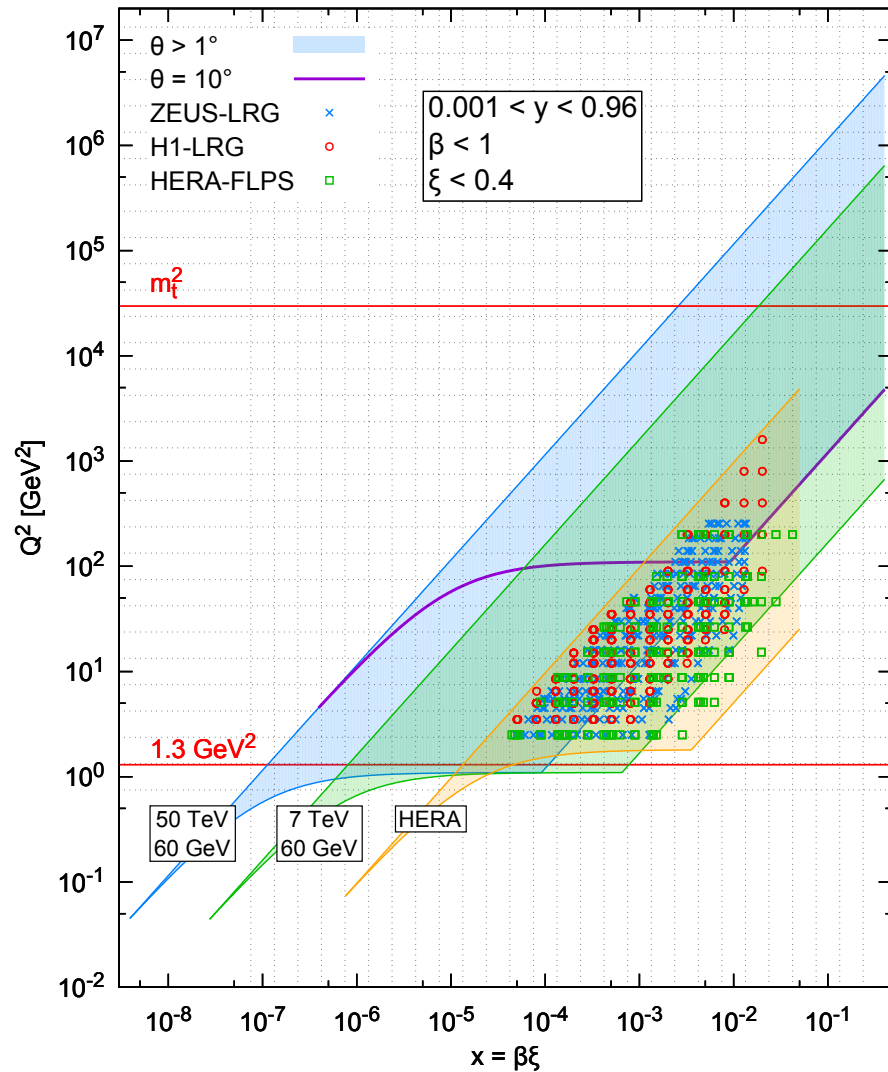
with precision ep(n) data to v. large x  
no nuclear corrections; relax assumptions

## resolve long-standing mystery of d/u ratio at large x

# FL at the LHeC



# diffractive pdfs

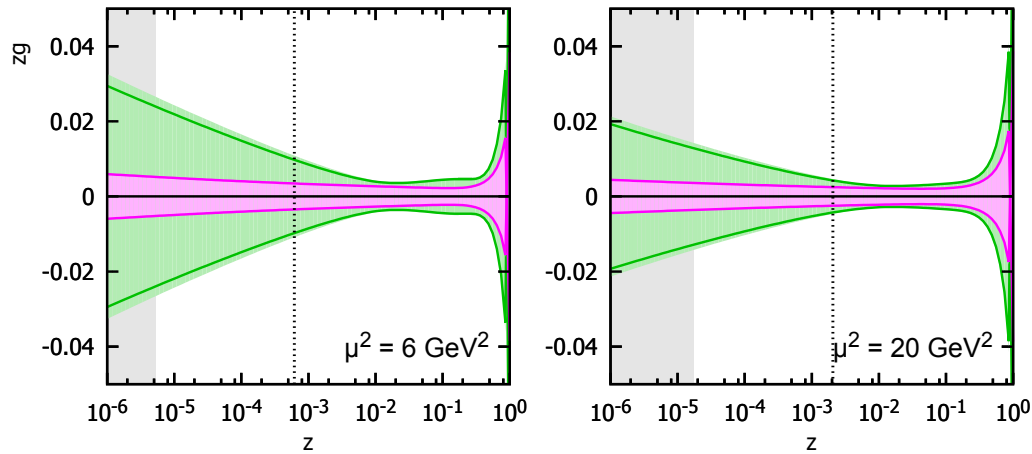


$E_e = 60 \text{ GeV}$

- $E_p = 7 \text{ TeV}$  vs. HERA
  - $x_{\min}$  down by factor  $\sim 20$
  - $Q_{\max}^2$  up by factor  $\sim 100$
- $E_p = 50 \text{ TeV}$  vs. 7 TeV
  - $x_{\min}$  down by factor  $\sim 10$
  - $Q_{\max}^2$  up by factor  $\sim 10$

# dpdfs: top contribution

Gluon DPDF error bands from the 5% simulations  
 $E_p = 50 \text{ TeV}$

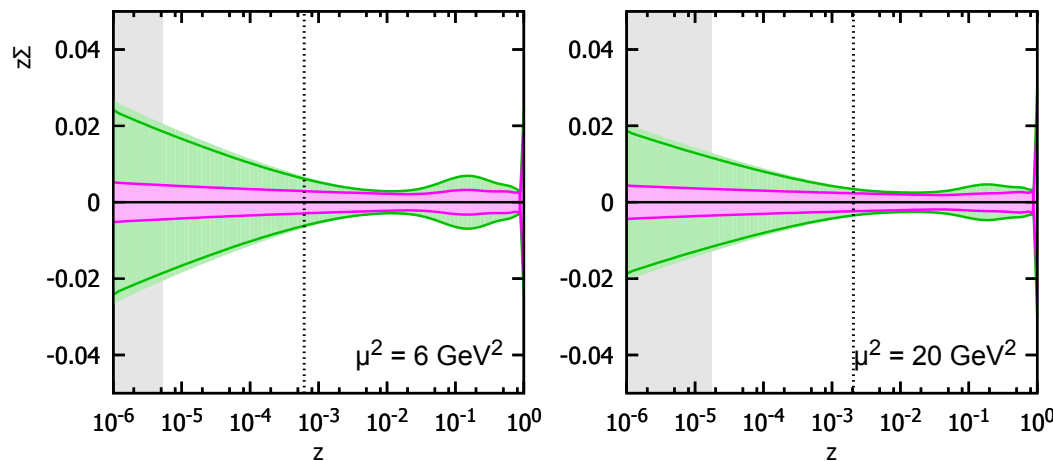


#1735, no top,  $Q_{\min}^2 = 4.2 \text{ GeV}^2$  █  
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top quark phase space region  
 does not have a big effect on  
 the dpdf extraction

Quark DPDF error bands from the 5% simulations  
 $E_p = 50 \text{ TeV}$



# LHC pdf prospects

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## Summary: where can we improve in future?

- **W,Z and Drell-Yan distributions** – sensitivity to valence quarks, strangeness, photon PDF  
ATLAS peak W,Z data has already reached systematic uncertainties of  $\sim 0.5\%$ , experimental improvement unlikely and this is already challenging NNLO calculations  
The reach to lower  $x$  at 13,14,27TeV brings more theoretical challenges- need for  $\ln(1/x)$  resummation- see arXIV:1710.05935  
Off-peak Drell-Yan can still improve BUT low-mass brings the same low- $x$  challenges.  
This also affects the LHCb data  
And high-mass requires good understanding of the NLO-EW corrections and photon PDF
- **Inclusive, di-jet and tri-jet distributions**-----sensitivity to gluon  
Already challenging theoretical understanding -NNLO is needed but scale choice is still an issue
- **Top-antitop distributions** –sensitivity to gluon  
NNLO calculations already required, data can also improve (data consistency?)

**Combinations of types of data and different beam energies** –accounting for their correlations- can help

For all of these below: precision of the data can improve

- **W,Z +jets** -----sensitivity to gluon- so far limited, can improve
- **W,Z/ $\gamma$  +heavy flavour** -sensitivity to strangeness and intrinsic charm- can improve
- **Direct photon**-----sensitivity to gluon—studies needed

**... likely to bring incremental rather than dramatic improvements;**

more concrete studies underway in context of ongoing HL/HE-LHC workshop