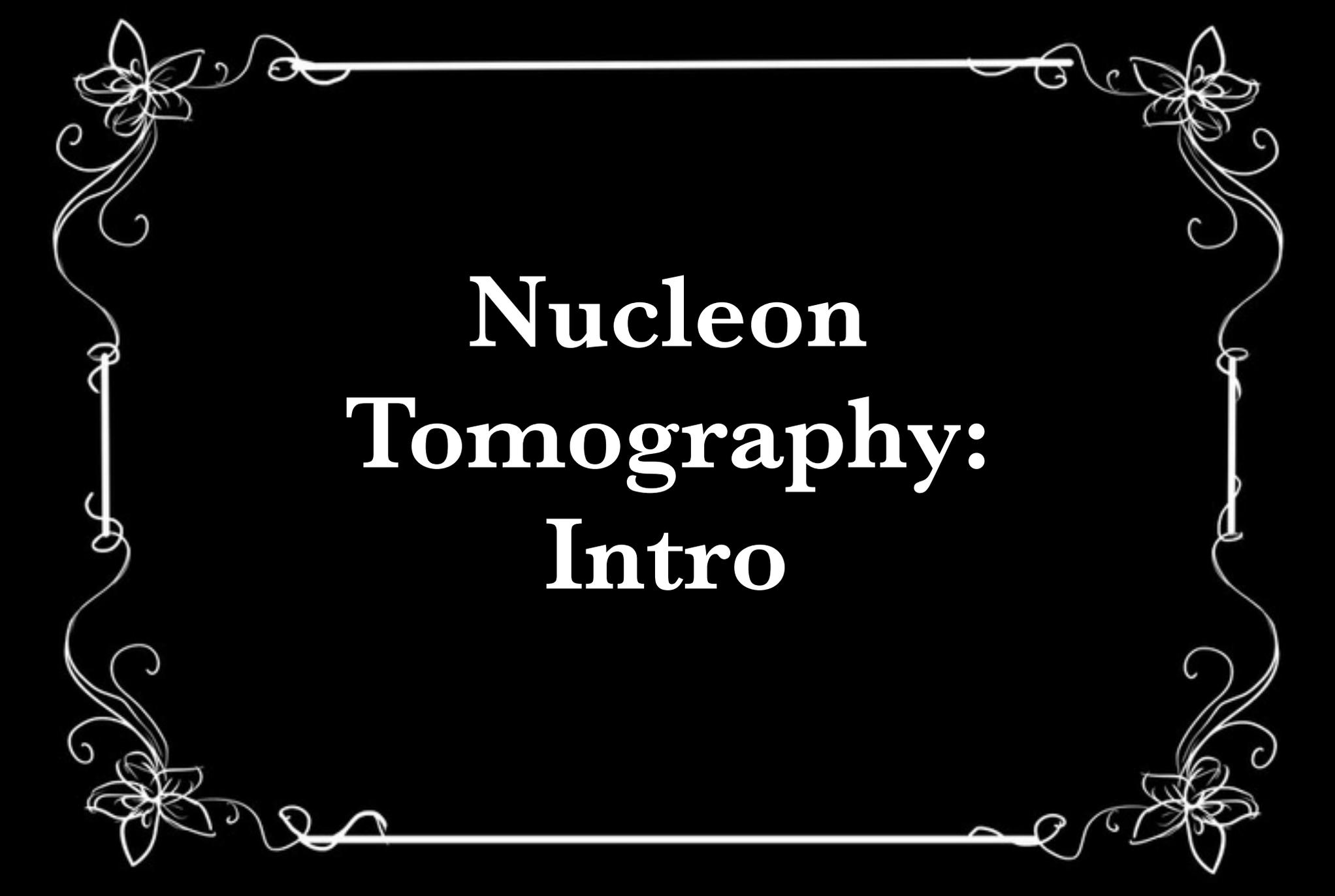


The Electron-Ion Collider and Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering with CLAS and CLAS12 at Jefferson Lab

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**Nucleon
Tomography:
Intro**

A constructivist view of the nucleon

Wigner distributions

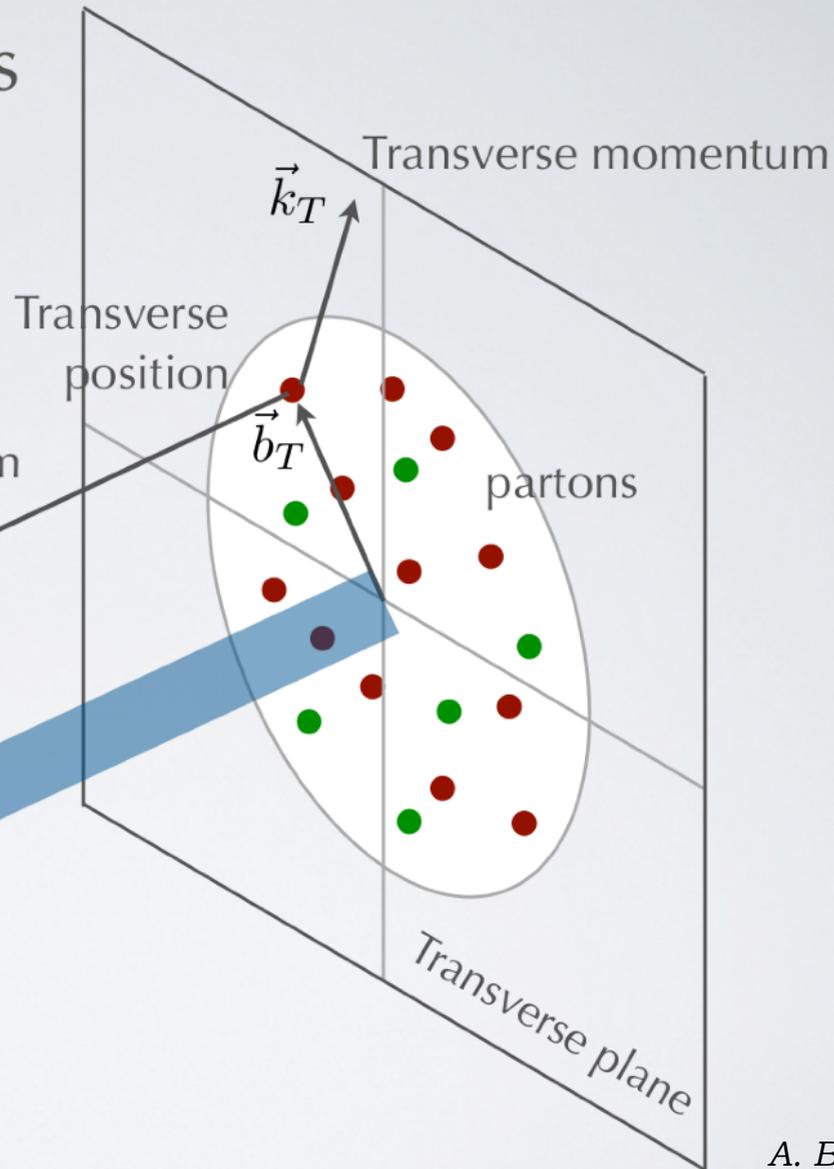
$$\rho(x, \vec{k}_T, \vec{b}_T)$$

intuitive relation to experimental observables

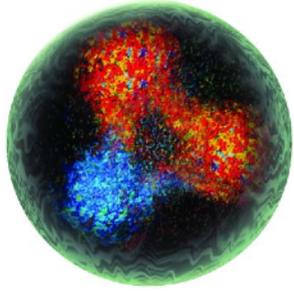
Longitudinal momentum

$$k^+ = xP^+$$

x : longitudinal momentum fraction carried by struck parton

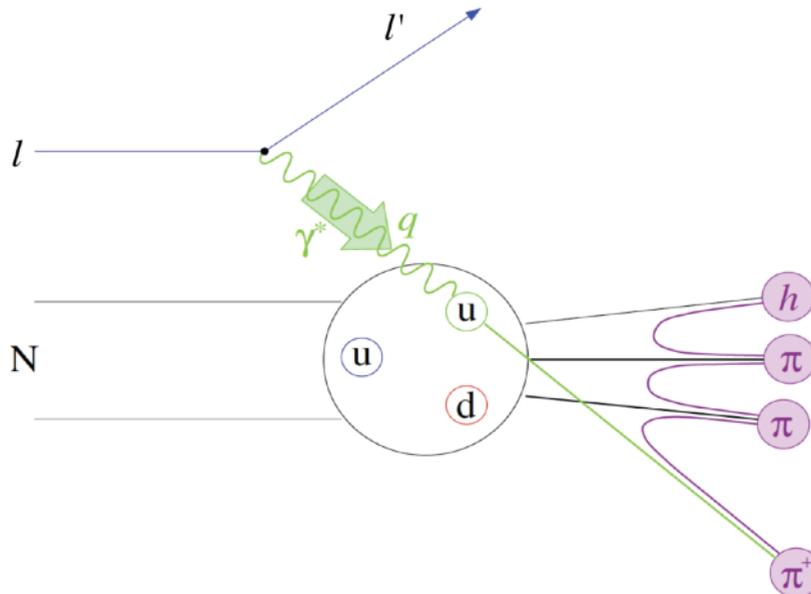


Images of the nucleon



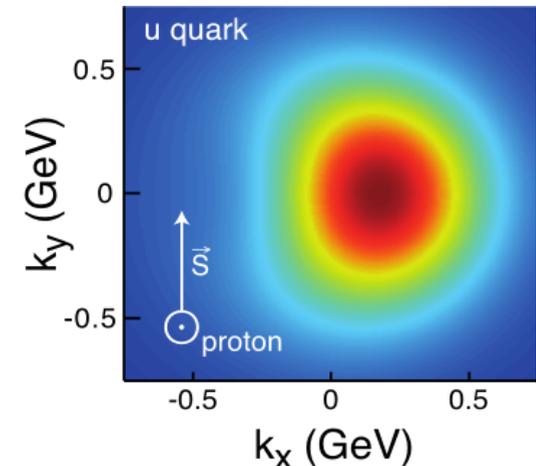
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full phase space parton
distribution of the nucleon*

* Semi-inclusive Deep Inelastic Scattering (SIDIS)



$$\int d^2 b_T$$

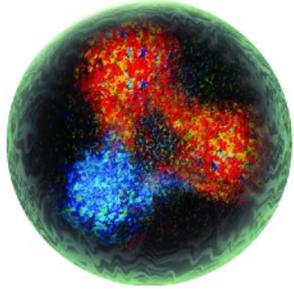
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Momentum
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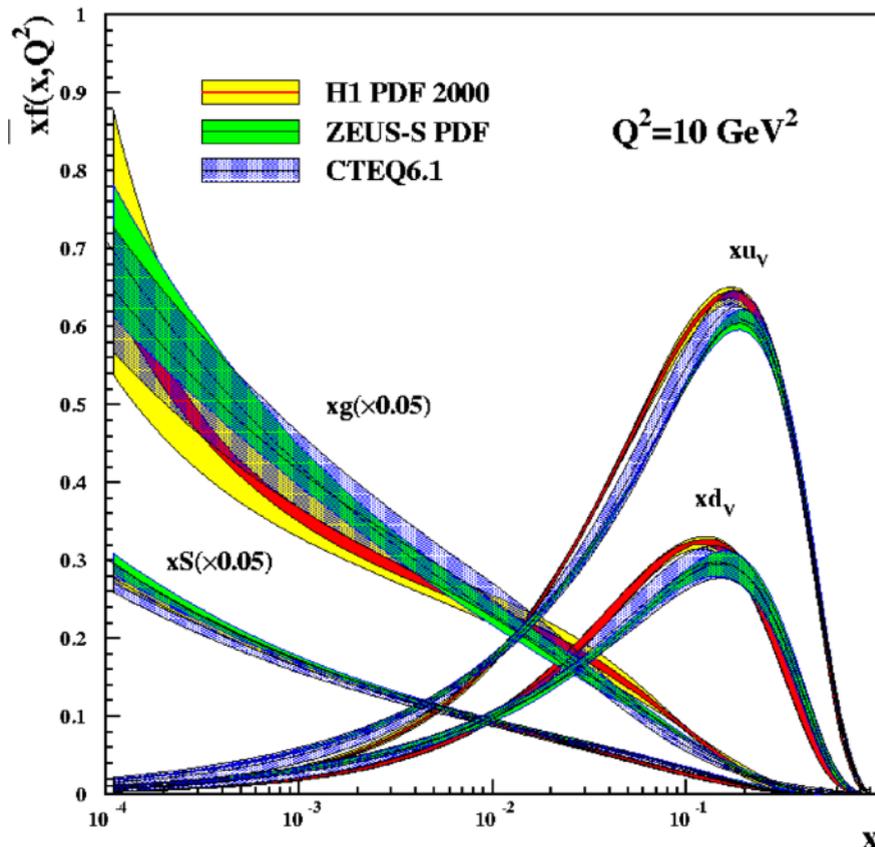
Sivers function: Alexei Prokudin, 2012

(using M. Anselmino et al., J. Phys. Conf. Ser. 295, 012062 (2011))

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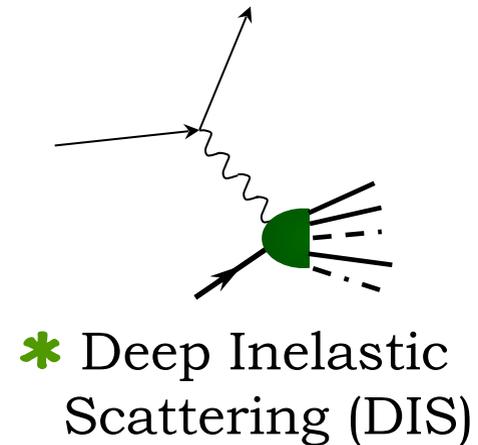


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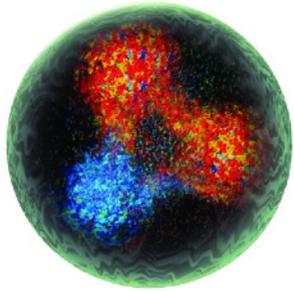
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Parton Distribution
Functions (PDFs)

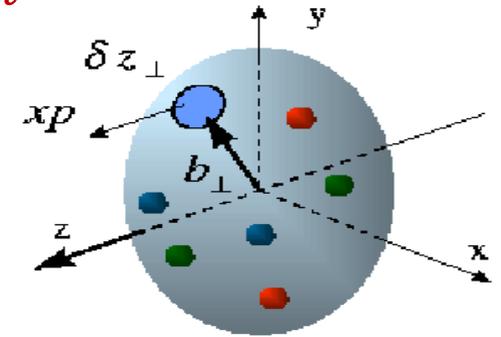


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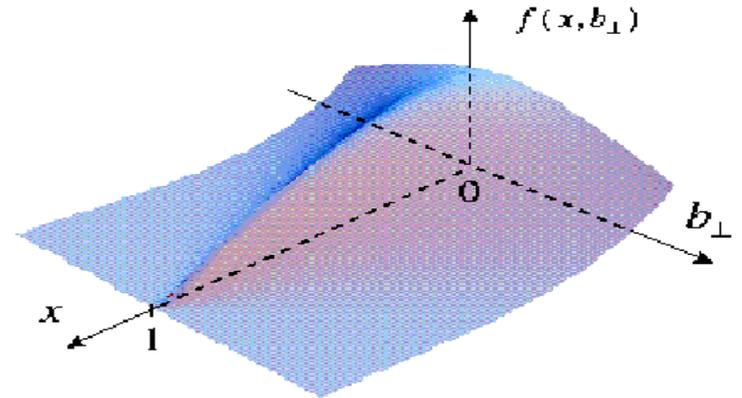
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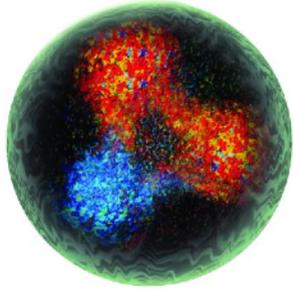
Generalised Parton Distributions (GPDs)

- relate, in the infinite momentum frame, transverse position of partons (b_{\perp}) to longitudinal momentum (x).



- * Deep exclusive reactions, e.g.: Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering, Deeply Virtual Meson production, ...

Images of the nucleon



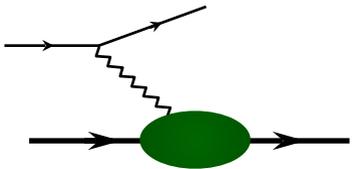
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$$\int d^2 k_T$$

Fourier Transform of electric Form
Factor: transverse charge density of a
nucleon

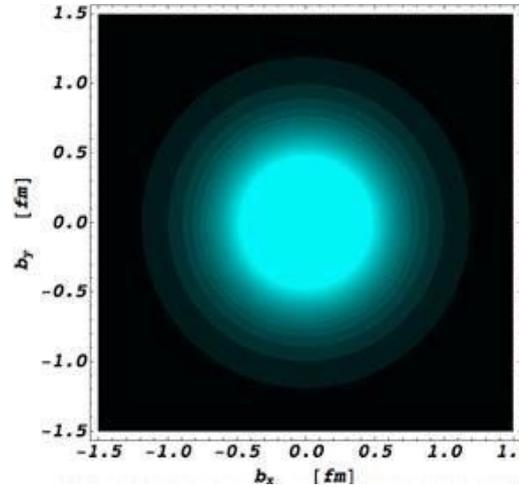
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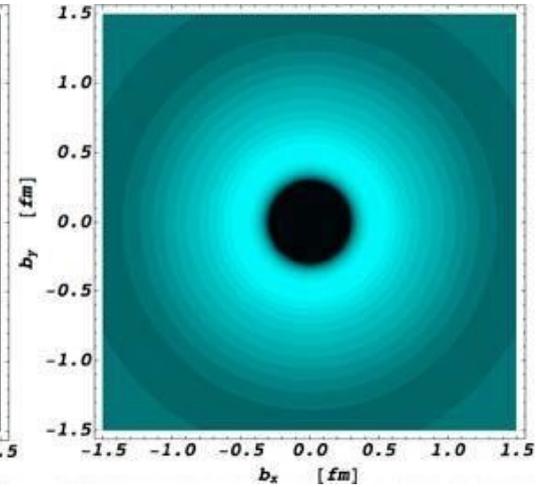


Elastic scattering

Form Factors
eg: G_E, G_M

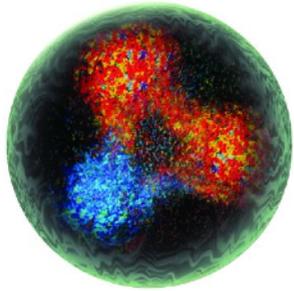


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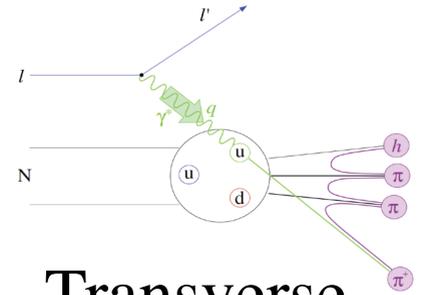


neutron

Images of the nucleon

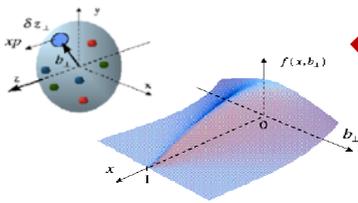


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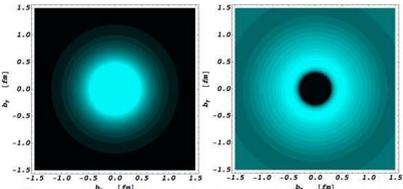
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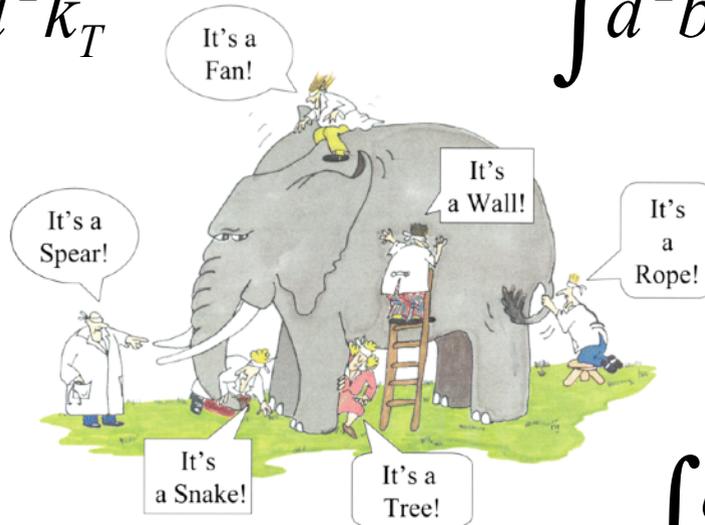
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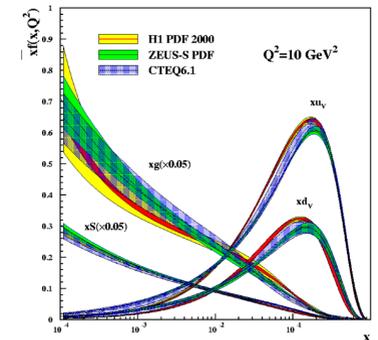
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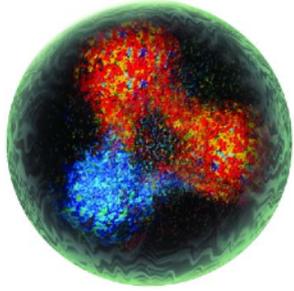
G. Renee Guzlas, artist.

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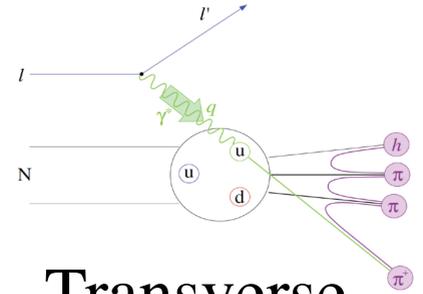
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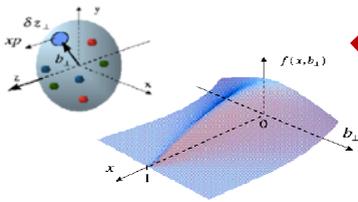


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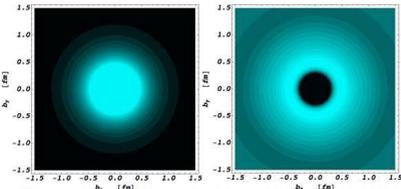
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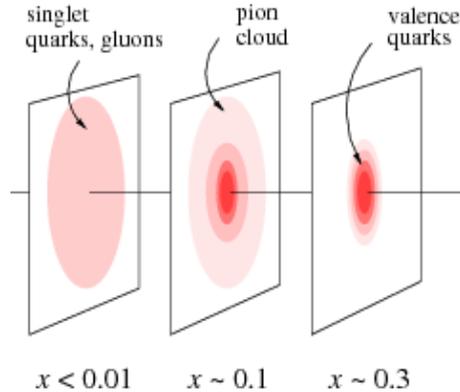


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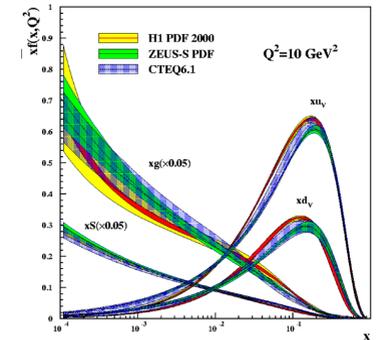
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Parton Distribution
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**DVCS — an
experimental
window on GPDs**

Experimental paths to GPDs

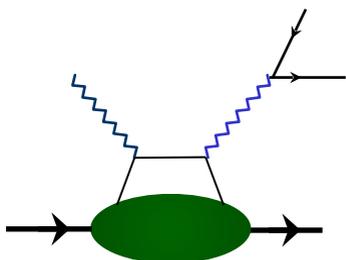


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Accessible in *exclusive* reactions, where all final state particles are detected.

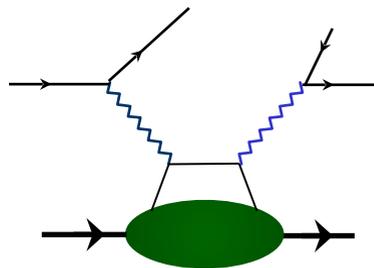
Trodden paths, or ones starting to be explored:

- * Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering (DVCS)
- * Deeply Virtual Meson Production (DVMP)
- * Time-like Compton Scattering (TCS)
- * Double DVCS



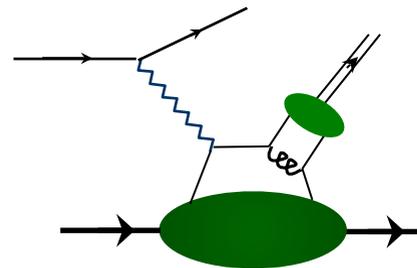
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*Virtual photon
time-like*

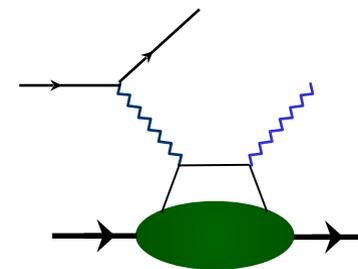


DDVCS

One time-like, one space-like virtual photon



DVMP

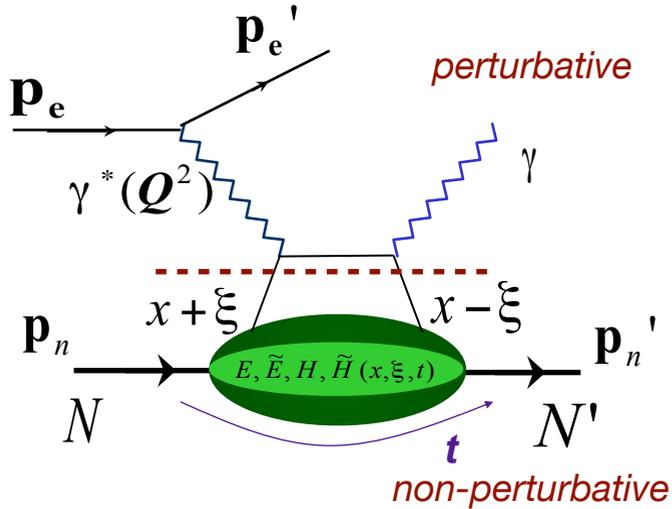


DVCS

*Virtual photon
space-like*

GPDs and DVCS

* **Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering:** golden channel for the extraction of GPDs.



* At high exchanged Q^2 and low t access to four chiral-even GPDs:

$$E^q, \tilde{E}^q, H^q, \tilde{H}^q(x, \xi, t)$$

* Can be related to PDFs:

$$H(x, 0, 0) = q(x) \quad \tilde{H}(x, 0, 0) = \Delta q(x)$$

and form factors:

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} H dx = F_1 \quad \int_{-1}^{+1} \tilde{H} dx = G_A$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} E dx = F_2 \quad \int_{-1}^{+1} \tilde{E} dx = G_P$$

$$Q^2 = -(\mathbf{p}_e - \mathbf{p}_{e'})^2 \quad t = (\mathbf{p}_n - \mathbf{p}_{n'})^2$$

$$\text{Bjorken variable: } x_B = \frac{Q^2}{2\mathbf{p}_n \cdot \mathbf{q}}$$

$x \pm \xi$ longitudinal momentum fractions of the struck parton

$$\xi \cong \frac{x_B}{2 - x_B}$$

* Small changes in nucleon transverse momentum allows mapping of transverse structure at large distances.

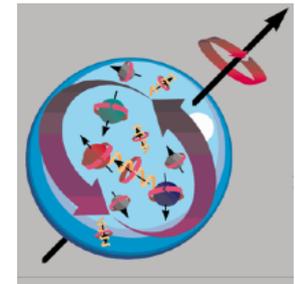
GPDs and nucleon spin

$$J_N = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} (\Sigma_q + L_q) + J_g$$

* Ji's relation: $J^q = \frac{1}{2} - J^g = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 x dx \left\{ H^q(x, \xi, 0) + E^q(x, \xi, 0) \right\}$

H accessible in DVCS off the proton, first experimental constraint on E , through neutron-DVCS:

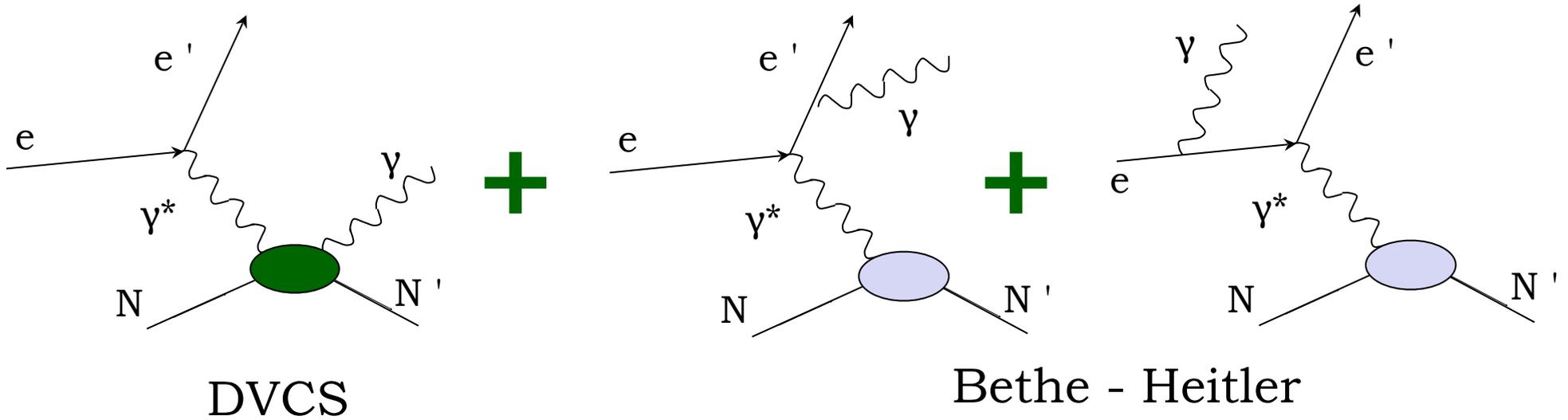
M. Mazouz et al, PRL 99 (2007) 242501



- * GPDs can provide insight into the orbital angular momentum contribution to nucleon spin: **the spin puzzle**.

Measuring DVCS

* Process measured in experiment:



$$d\sigma \propto |T_{DVCS}|^2 + |T_{BH}|^2 + T_{BH} T_{DVCS}^* + T_{DVCS} T_{BH}^*$$

Amplitude
parameterised in
terms of Compton
Form Factors

Amplitude calculable
from elastic Form
Factors and QED

Interference term

$$|T_{DVCS}|^2 \ll |T_{BH}|^2$$

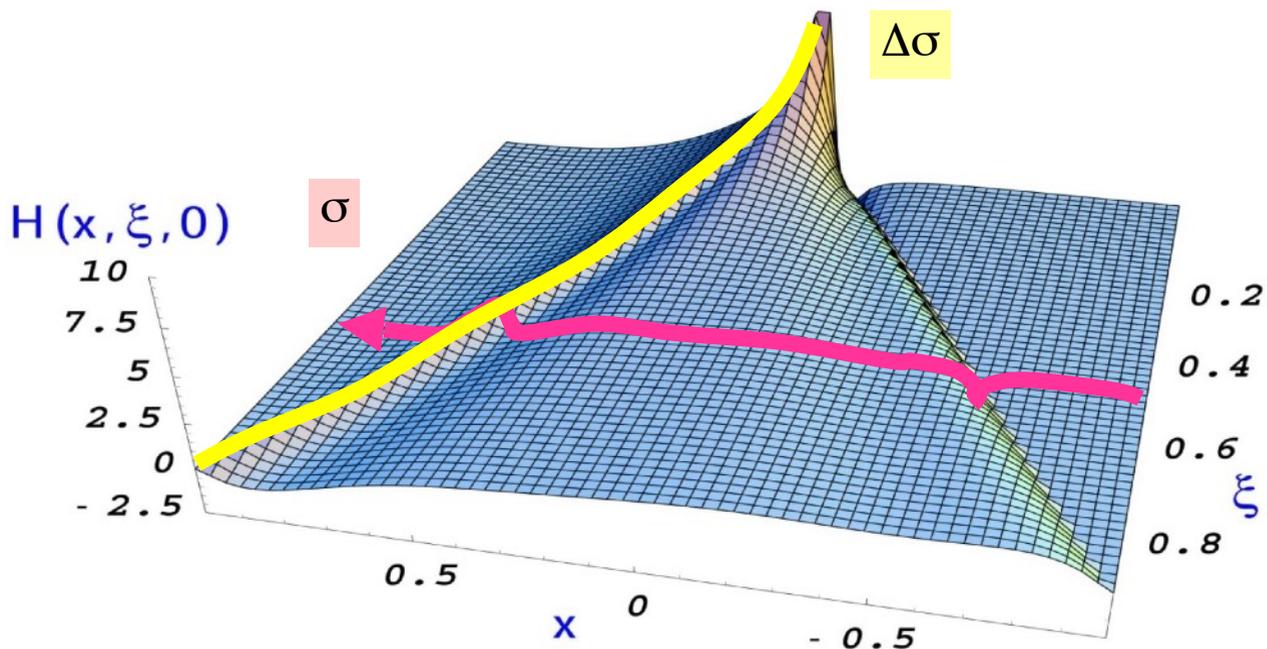
Compton Form Factors in DVCS

Experimentally accessible in DVCS cross-sections and spin asymmetries, eg:

$$A_{LU} = \frac{d\vec{\sigma} - d\bar{\sigma}}{d\vec{\sigma} + d\bar{\sigma}} = \frac{\Delta\sigma_{LU}}{d\vec{\sigma} + d\bar{\sigma}}$$

At leading twist, leading order:

$$T^{DVCS} \sim \int_{-1}^{+1} \frac{GPDs(x, \xi, t)}{x \pm \xi + i\varepsilon} dx + \dots \sim P \int_{-1}^{+1} \frac{GPDs(x, \xi, t)}{x \pm \xi} dx \pm i\pi GPDs(\pm\xi, \xi, t) + \dots$$



Only ξ and t are accessible experimentally!

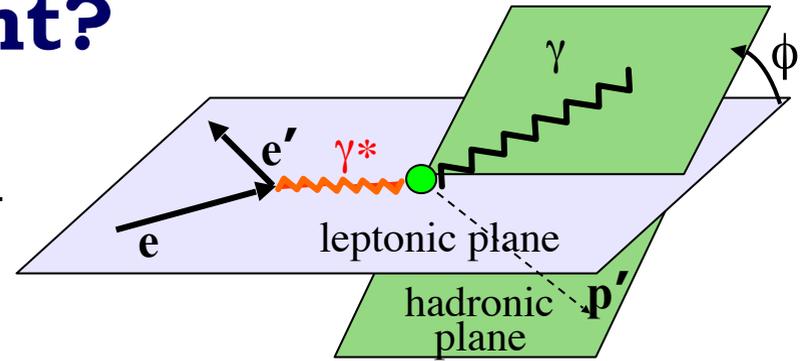
To get information on x need extensive measurements in Q^2 .

Need measurements off **proton** and **neutron** to get flavour separation of CFFs in DVCS.

Which DVCS experiment?

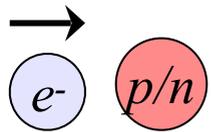
Real parts of CFFs accessible in cross-sections, beam-charge and double polarisation asymmetries,

imaginary parts of CFFs in single-spin asymmetries.



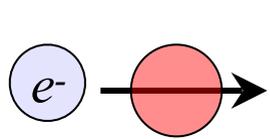
Beam, target polarisation

For example:



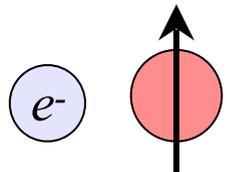
$$\Delta\sigma_{LU} \sim \sin\phi \Im(F_1 H + \xi G_M \tilde{H} - \frac{t}{4M^2} F_2 E) d\phi$$

Proton	Neutron
$\text{Im}\{H_p, \tilde{H}_p, E_p\}$	$\text{Im}\{H_n, H_n, E_n\}$



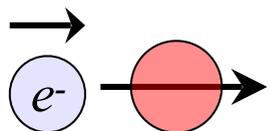
$$\Delta\sigma_{UL} \sim \sin\phi \Im(F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi G_M (H + \frac{x_B}{2} E) - \xi \frac{t}{4M^2} F_2 \tilde{E} + \dots) d\phi$$

$\text{Im}\{H_p, \tilde{H}_p\}$	$\text{Im}\{H_n, E_n, \tilde{E}_n\}$
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$$\Delta\sigma_{UT} \sim \cos\phi \Im(\frac{t}{4M^2} (F_2 H - F_1 E) + \dots) d\phi$$

$\text{Im}\{H_p, E_p\}$	$\text{Im}\{H_n\}$
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$$\Delta\sigma_{LL} \sim (A + B \cos\phi) \Re(F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi G_M (H + \frac{x_B}{2} E) + \dots) d\phi$$

$\text{Re}\{H_p, \tilde{H}_p\}$	$\text{Re}\{H_n, E_n, \tilde{E}_n\}$
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**Jefferson Lab -
Hall B**

CLAS @ Jefferson Lab: 6 GeV era

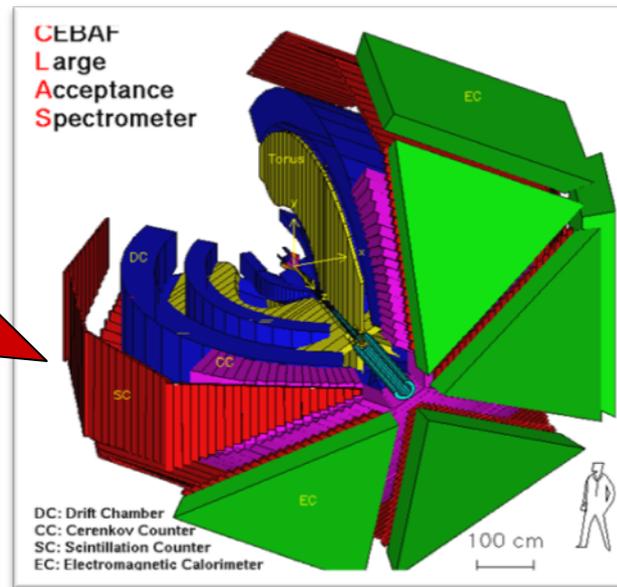
CEBAF: Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility:

- * Duty cycle: $\sim 100\%$
- * Electron polarisation up to $\sim 85\%$
- * Energy up to ~ 6 GeV



CLAS (CEBAF Large Acceptance Spectrometer) in Hall B:

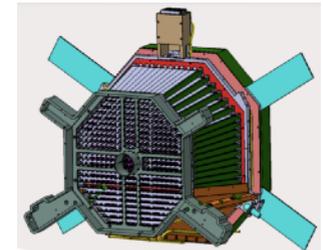
- Drift chambers
- Toroidal magnetic field
- Cerenkov Counters
- Scintillator Time of Flight
- Electromagnetic Calorimeters



+ a forward-angle Inner Calorimeter:



Extremely large angular coverage

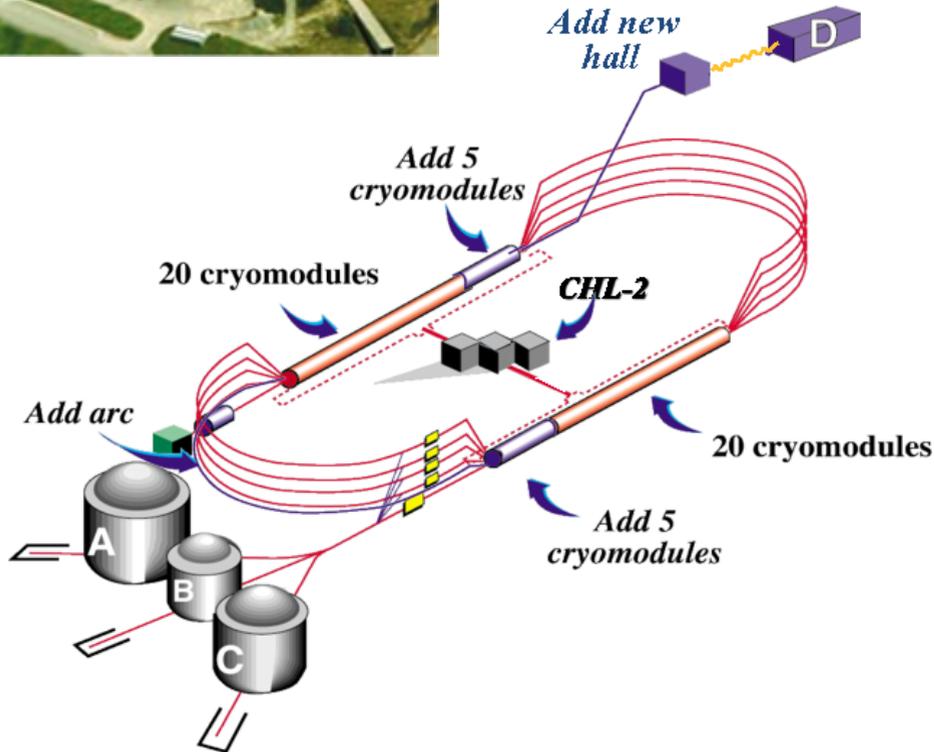


6 GeV
era



JLab @ 12 GeV

- * Energy up to 11 GeV (Halls A, B, C), 12 GeV Hall D
- * Energy spread $\delta E/E_e \sim 10^{-4}$
- * Electron polarisation up to ~80%, measured to 3%
- * Beam size at target < 0.4 mm



12 GeV
era



CLAS12

Design luminosity

$$L \sim 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

High luminosity & large acceptance:

Concurrent measurement of **exclusive**, **semi-inclusive**, and **inclusive** processes

Acceptance for photons and electrons:

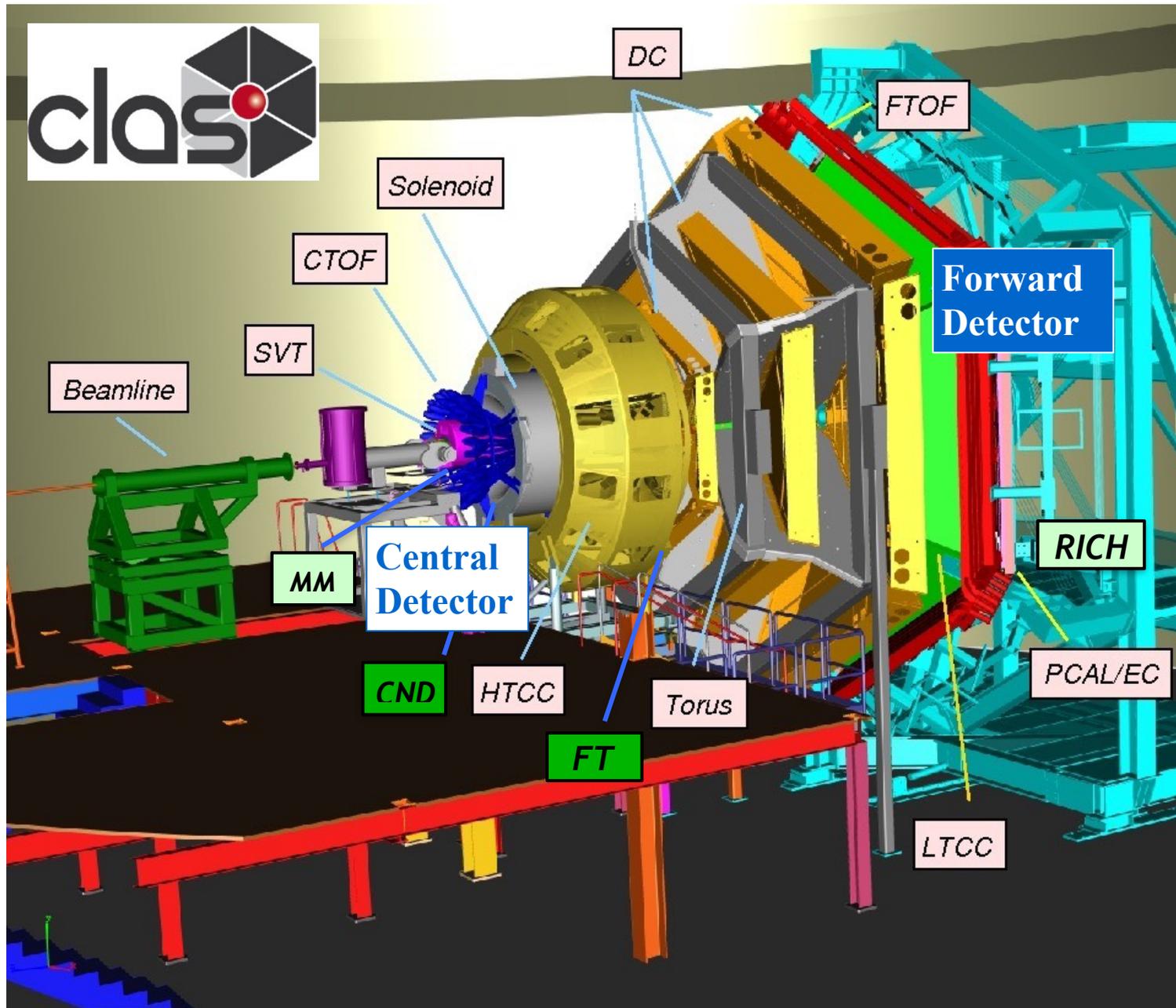
$$\bullet 2.5^\circ < \theta < 125^\circ$$

Acceptance for all charged particles:

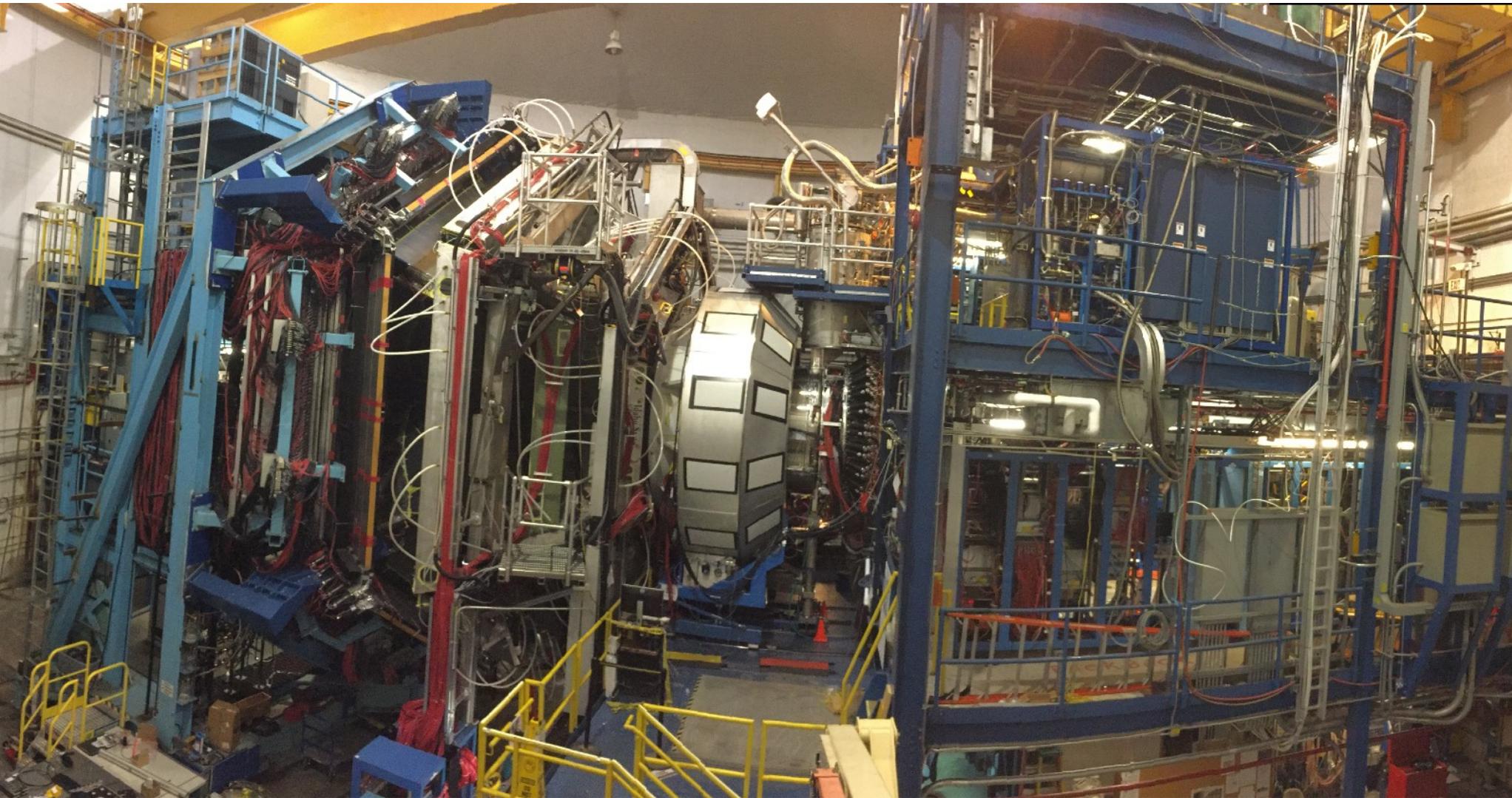
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Acceptance for neutrons:

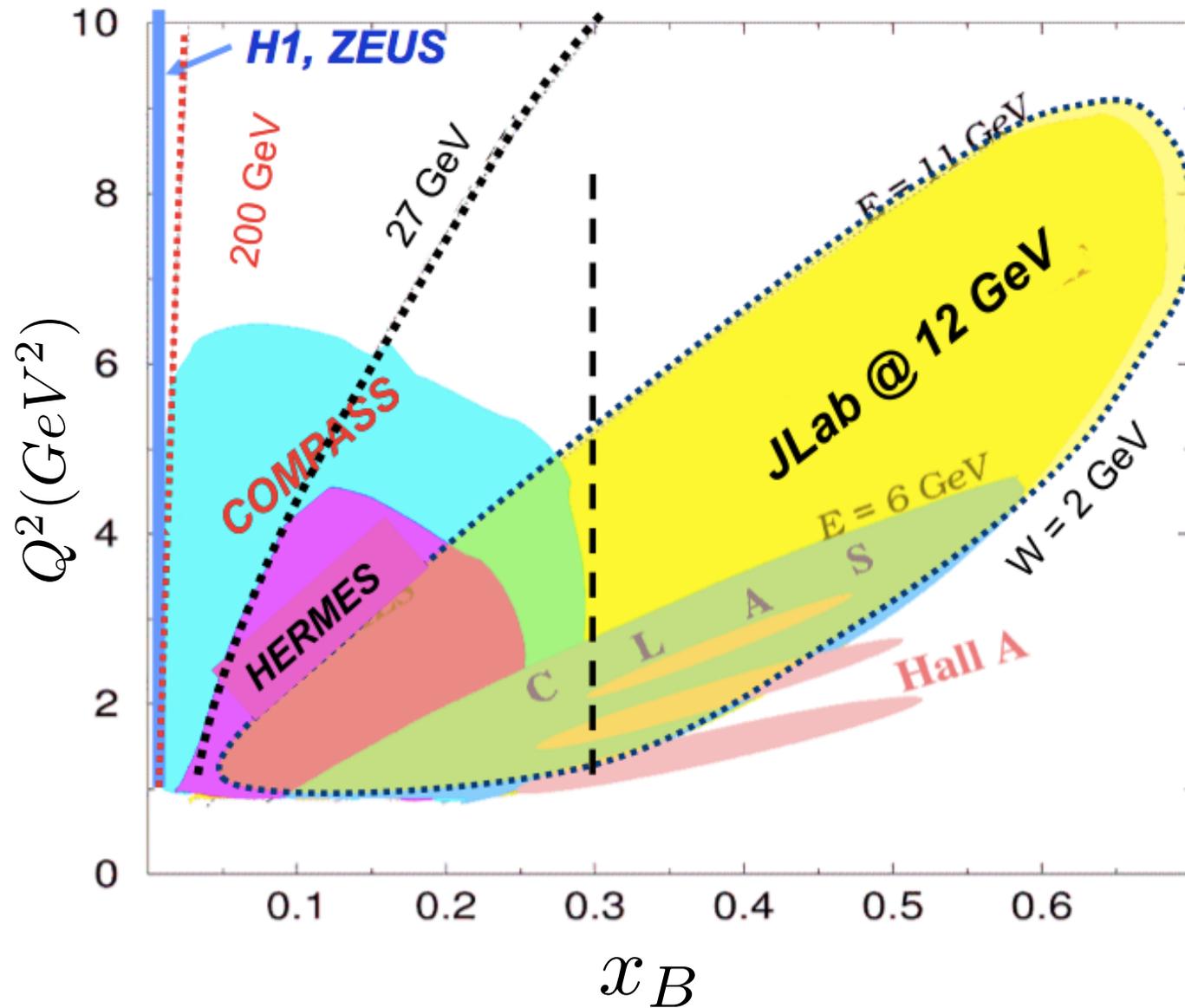
$$\bullet 5^\circ < \theta < 120^\circ$$

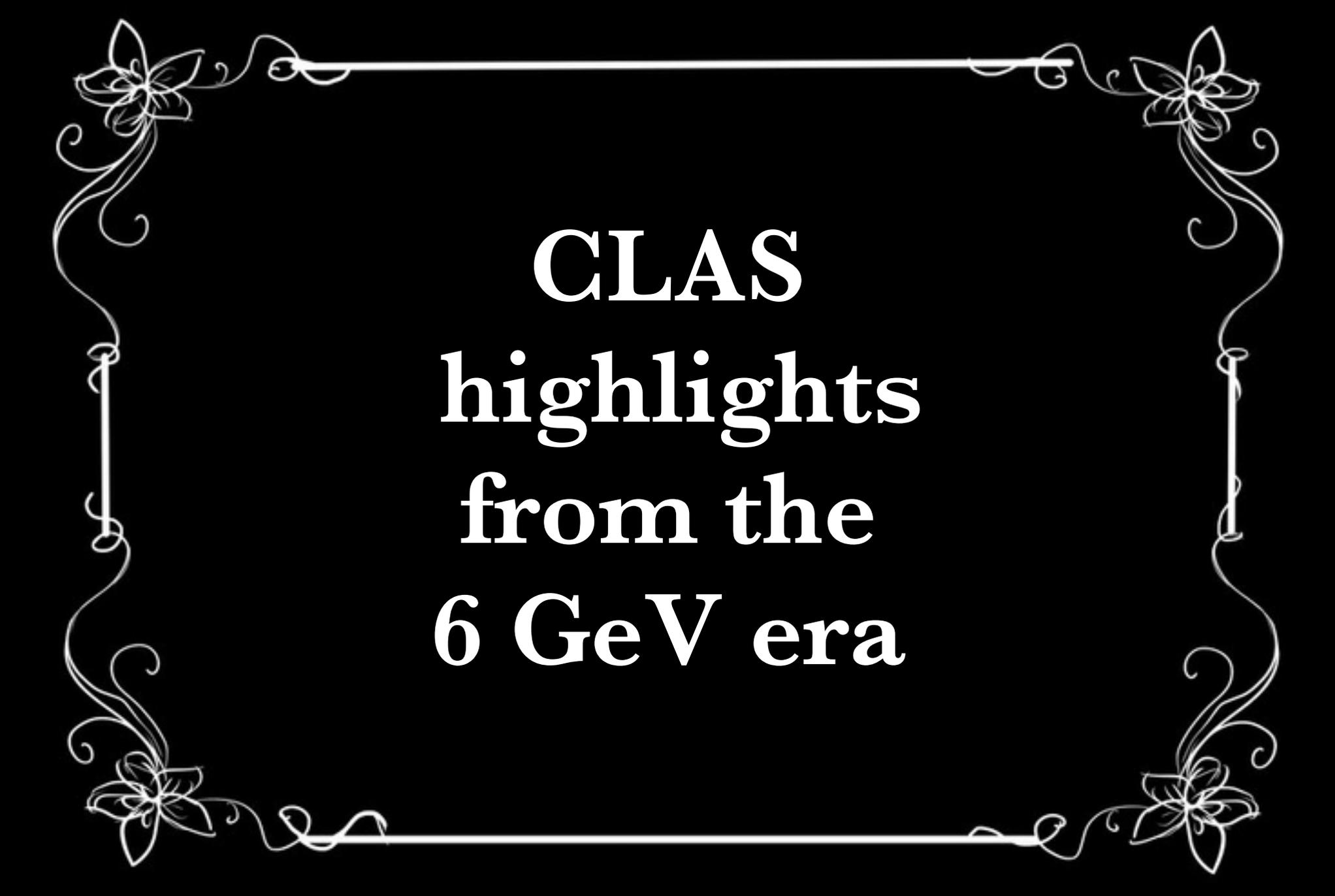


CLAS12 assembled



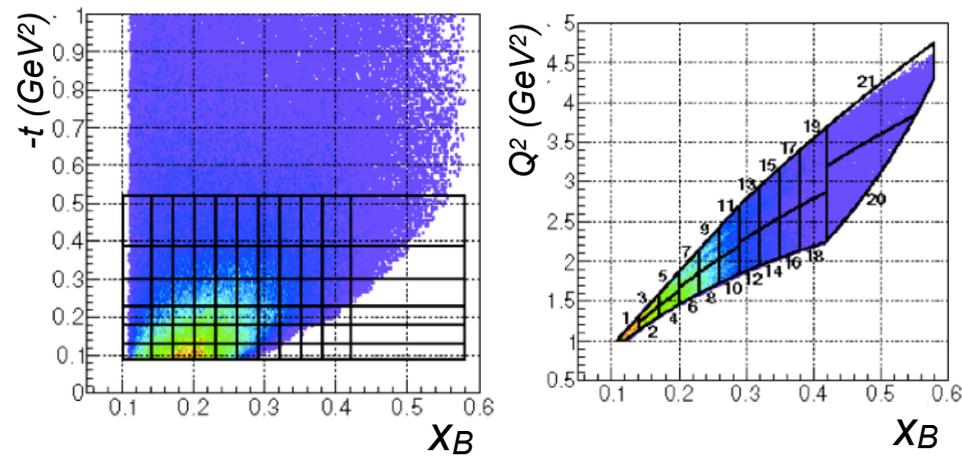
JLab @ 12 GeV





CLAS
highlights
from the
6 GeV era

CLAS unpolarised cross-sections

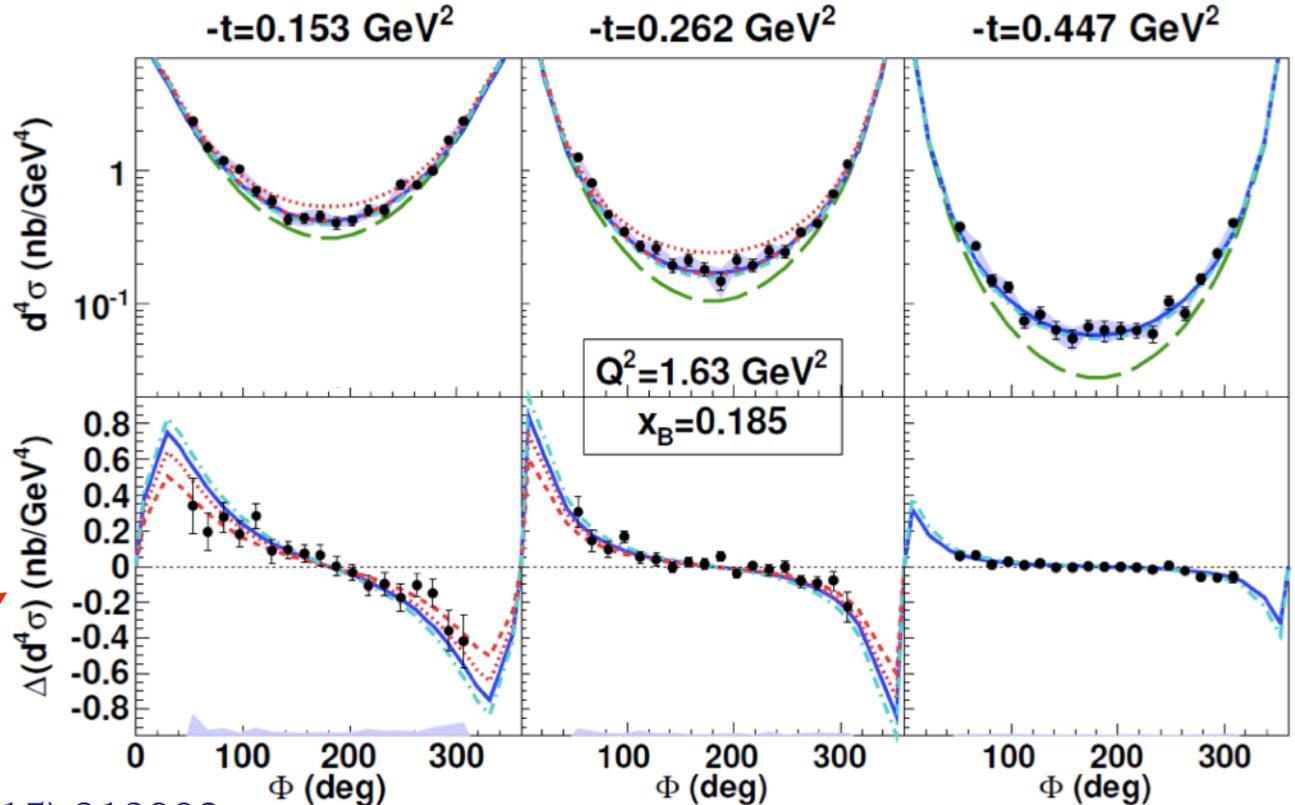


- BH only
- VGG (Vanderhaeghen, Guichon, Guidal) - H only
- - - KM10 (Kumericki, Mueller) includes strong \tilde{H}
- - - KM10a (sets \tilde{H} to zero)
- - - KMS (Kroll, Moutarde, Sabatié, tuned on low x_B meson-production data)

- * Widest phase space coverage in valence quark region: CFF constraints.
- * Dominance of GPD H in unpolarised cross-section.

$$\frac{d^4\sigma_{ep\rightarrow ep\gamma}}{dQ^2 dx_B dt d\Phi}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{d^4\vec{\sigma}_{ep\rightarrow ep\gamma}}{dQ^2 dx_B dt d\Phi} - \frac{d^4\overleftarrow{\sigma}_{ep\rightarrow ep\gamma}}{dQ^2 dx_B dt d\Phi} \right)$$



Towards tomography of the proton

CLAS

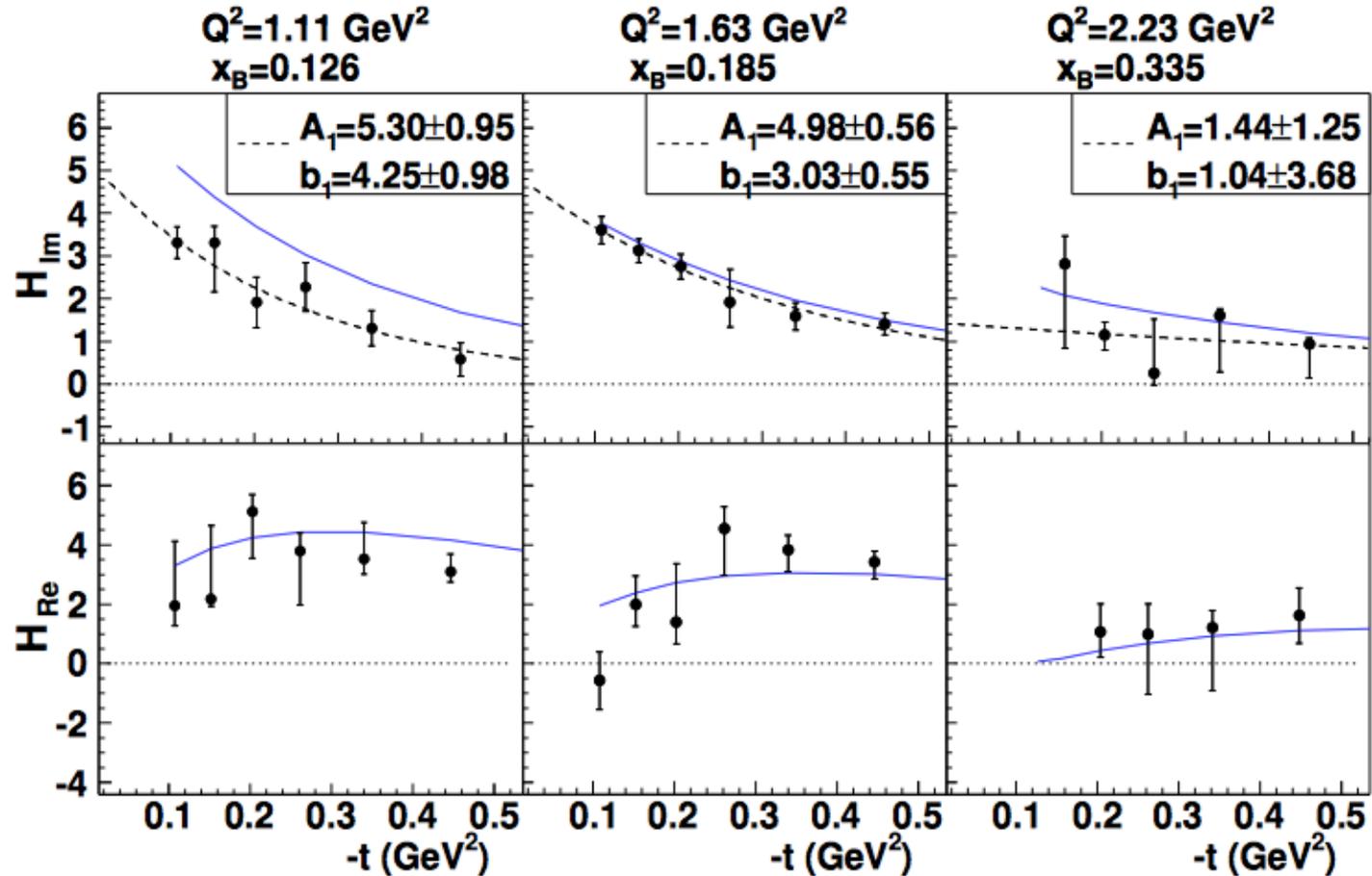
- * CFFs extracted in a VGG fit (local fit: constraint 5 times the predicted value)
- * Imaginary part of CFF: $F_{Im}(\xi, t) = F(\xi, \xi, t) \mp F(-\xi, \xi, t)$

— VGG prediction
 - - - Ae^{bt}

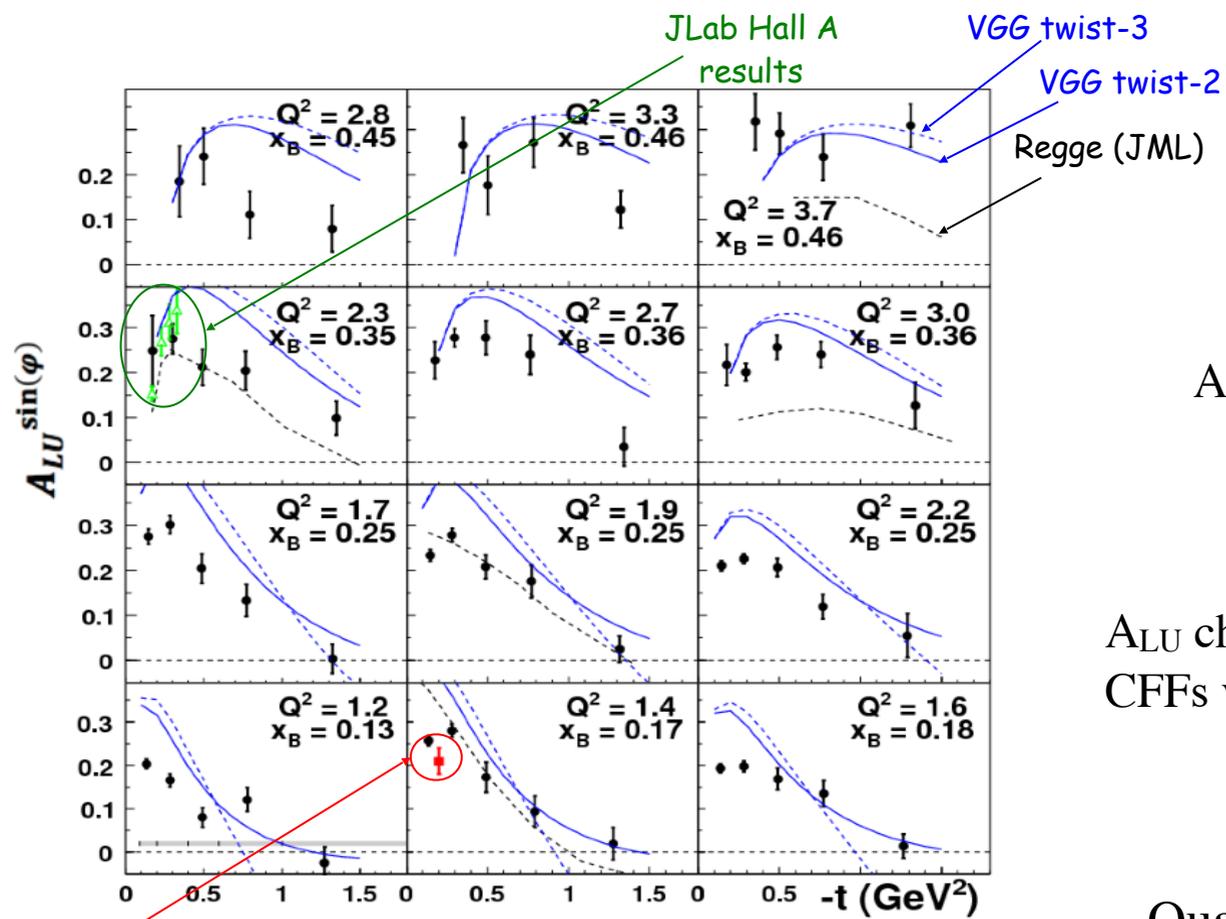
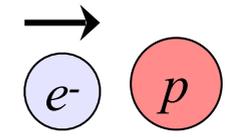
- * H_{Im} slope in t becomes flatter at higher x_B



Valence quarks at centre, sea quarks spread out towards the periphery.



Beam-spin Asymmetry (A_{LU})



Follows first CLAS measurement:
 S. Stepanyan *et al* (CLAS), **PRL 87**
 (2001) 182002

A_{LU} from fit to asymmetry:

$$A_i = \frac{\alpha_i \sin \phi}{1 + \beta_i \cos \phi}$$

A_{LU} characterised by imaginary parts of
 CFFs via: $F_1 H + \xi G_M \tilde{H} - \frac{t}{4M^2} E$

Qualitative agreement with models,
 constraints on fit parameters.

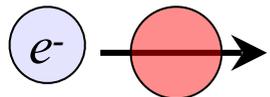
Previous CLAS
 results

VGG model: Vanderhaeghen, Guichon, Guidal

F.-X. Girod *et al* (CLAS), **PRL 100** (2008) 162002.

CLAS

Target-spin Asymmetry (A_{UL})



Follows first CLAS measurement:

S. Chen *et al* (CLAS),
PRL 97 (2006) 072002

A_{UL} from fit to asymmetry:

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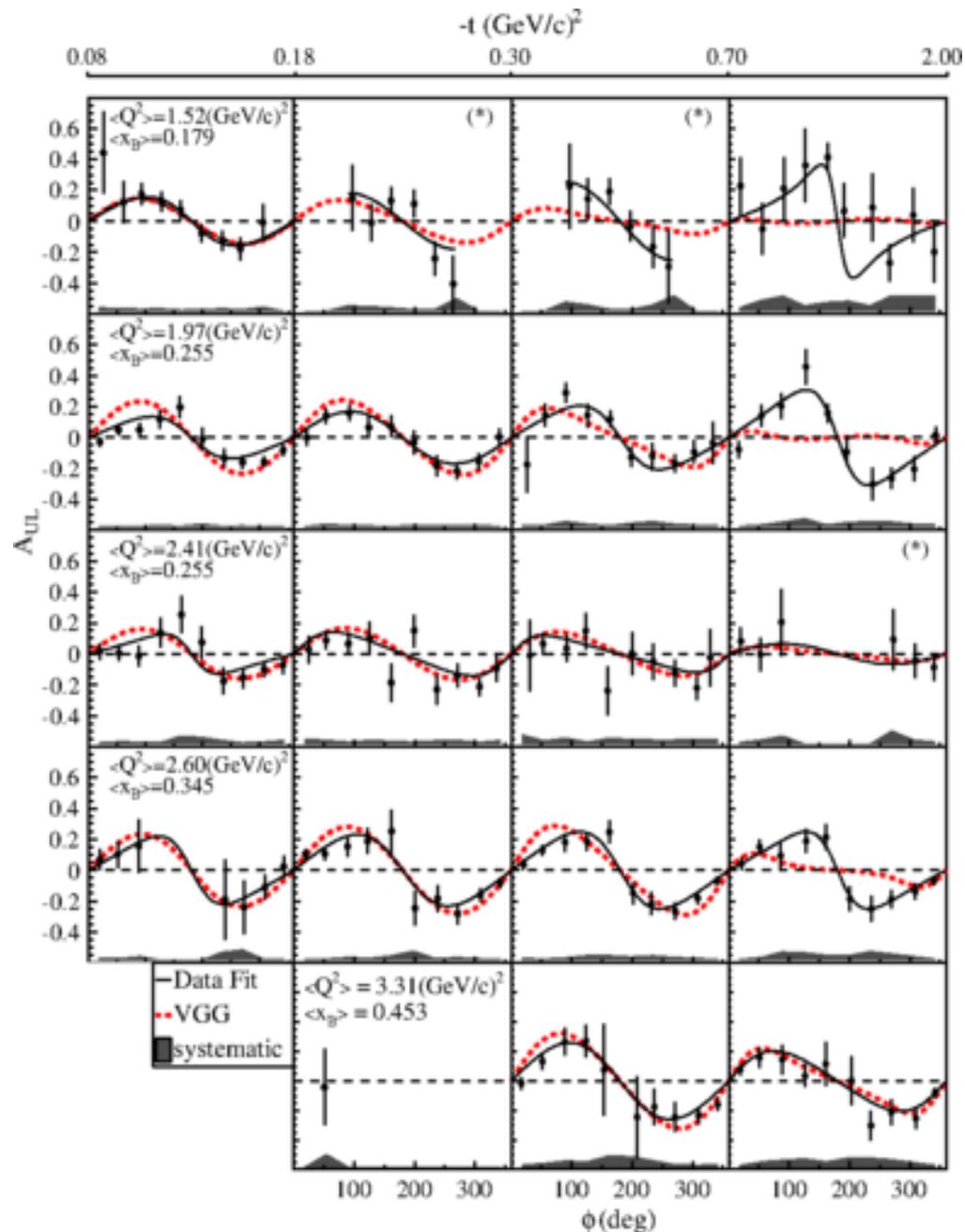
A_{UL} characterised by imaginary parts of CFFs
via:

$$F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi G_M \left(H + \frac{x_B}{2} E \right) - \frac{\xi t}{4M^2} F_2 \tilde{E} + \dots$$

High statistics, large kinematic coverage,
strong constraints on fits, simultaneous fit
with BSA and DSA from the same dataset.

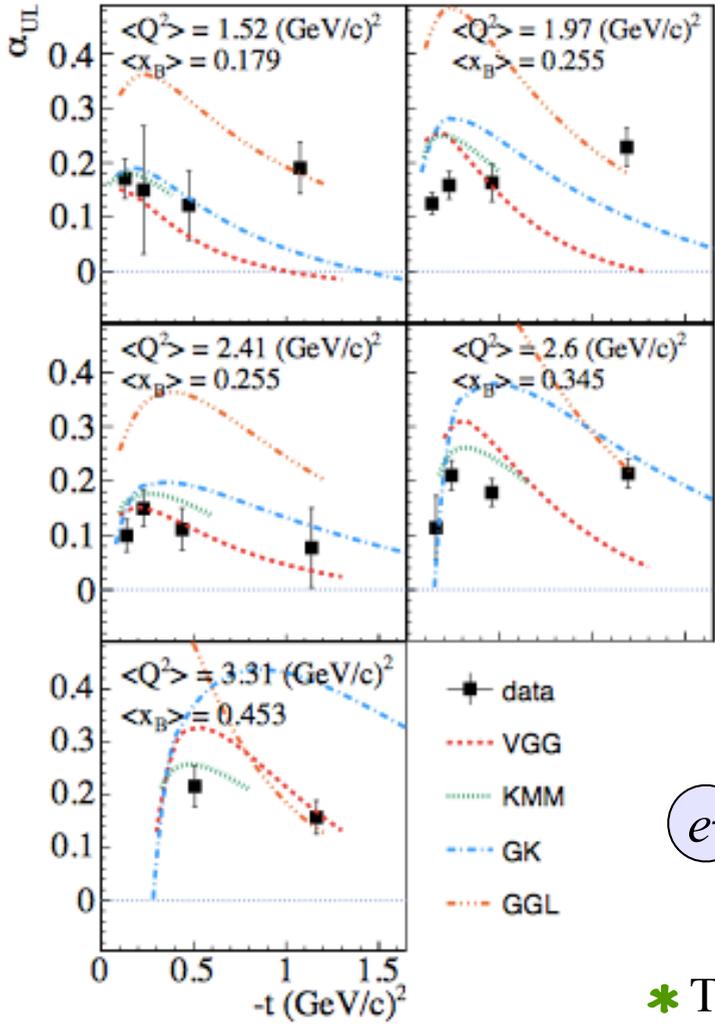
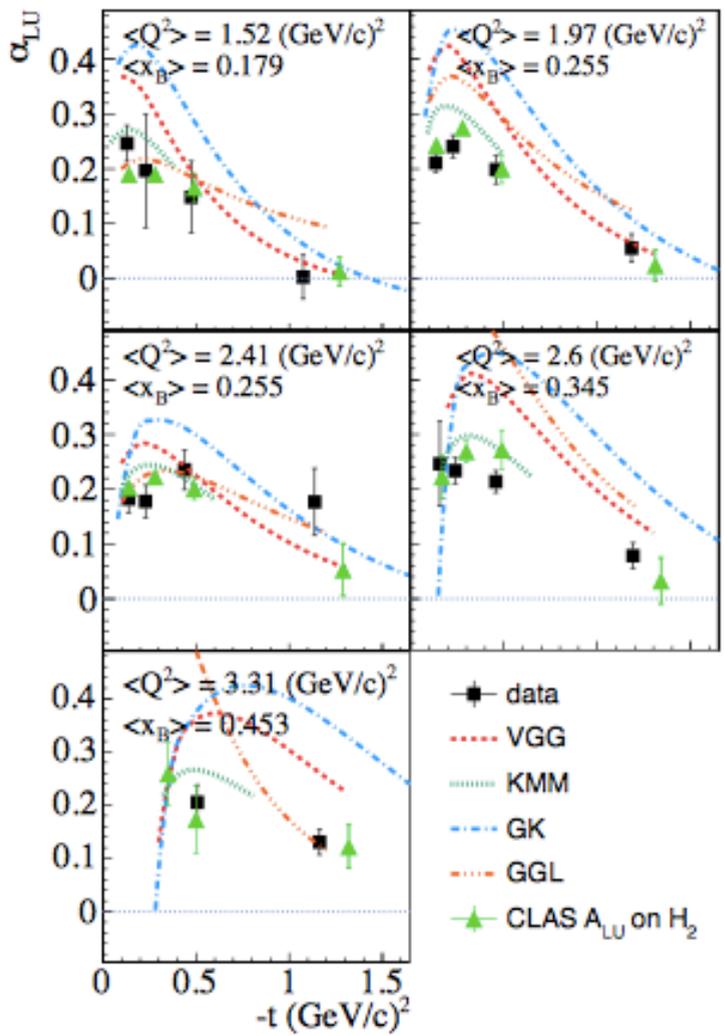
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Beam- and target-spin asymmetries

CLAS



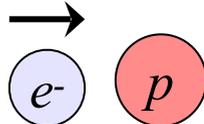
$$A = \frac{\alpha \sin \phi}{1 + \beta \cos \phi}$$

GGL: Goldstein, Gonzalez, Liuti

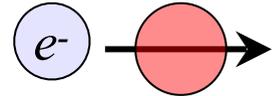
GK: Kroll, Moutarde, Sabatié

KMM: Kumericki, Mueller, Murray

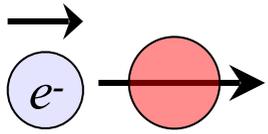
VGG: Vanderhaeghen, Guichon, Guidal



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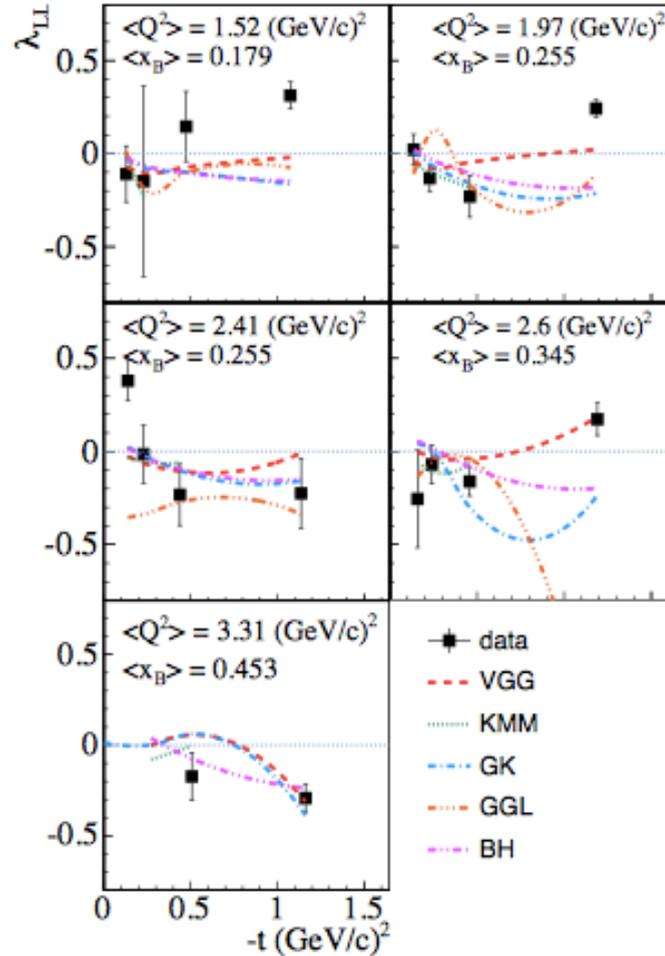
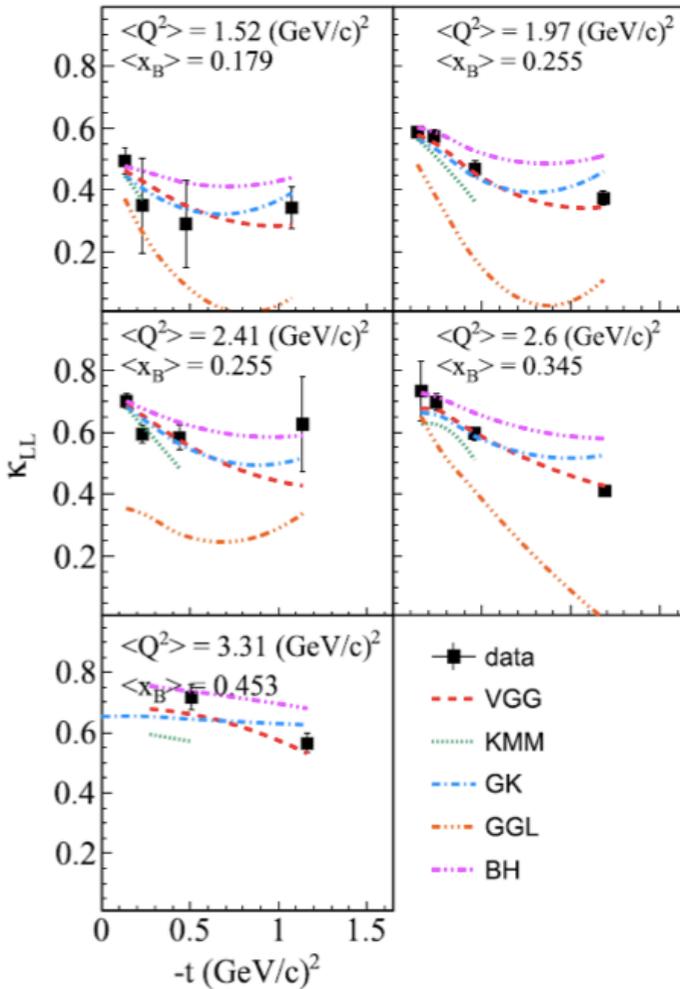


* TSA shows a flatter distribution in t than BSA.



Double-spin Asymmetry (A_{LL})

CLAS



A_{LL} from fit to asymmetry:

$$\frac{\kappa_{LL} + \lambda_{LL} \cos \phi}{1 + \beta \cos \phi}$$

A_{LL} characterised by real parts of CFFs via:

$$F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi G_M \left(H + \frac{x_B}{2} E \right) + \dots$$

- * Fit parameters extracted from a simultaneous fit to BSA, TSA and DSA.
- * Constant term dominates and is almost entirely BH.

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CFF extraction from three spin asymmetries at common kinematics.

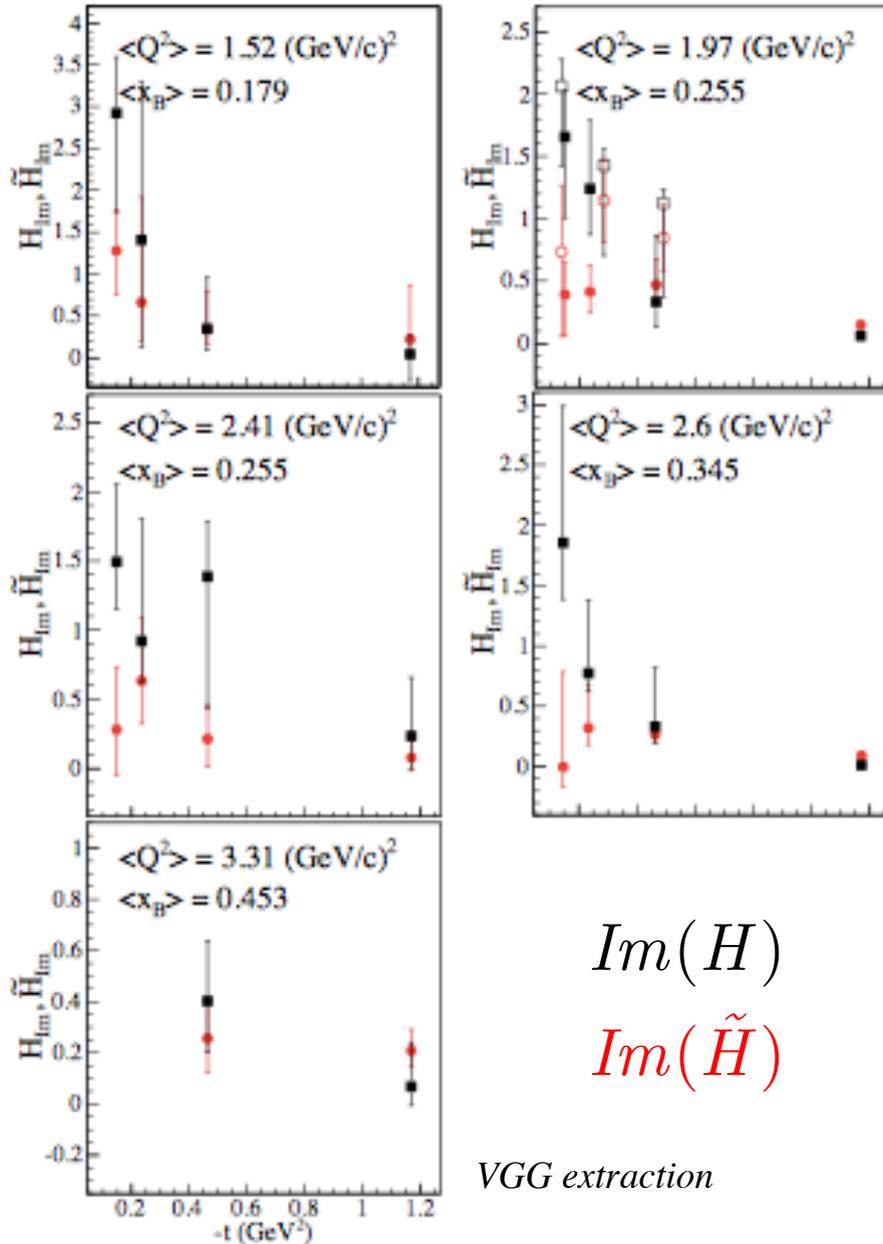
What can we learn from the asymmetries?

Answers hinge on a global analysis of all available data.

- * Information on relative distributions of quark momenta (PDFs) and quark helicity, $\Delta q(x)$.

$$H(x, 0, 0) = q(x) \quad \tilde{H}(x, 0, 0) = \Delta q(x)$$

- * Indications that axial charge is more concentrated than electromagnetic charge.



VGG extraction

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} H dx = F_1$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \tilde{H} dx = G_A$$

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Towards nucleon tomography

Quasi model-independent extraction of CFFs based on a local fit:

- * Set 8 CFFs as free parameters to fit, at each (x_B, t) point, the available observables.
- * Limits imposed within +/- 5 times the VGG model predictions (Vanderhaeghen-Guichon-Guidal).
- * Leading-twist DVCS amplitude parametrisation based on Double Distributions.

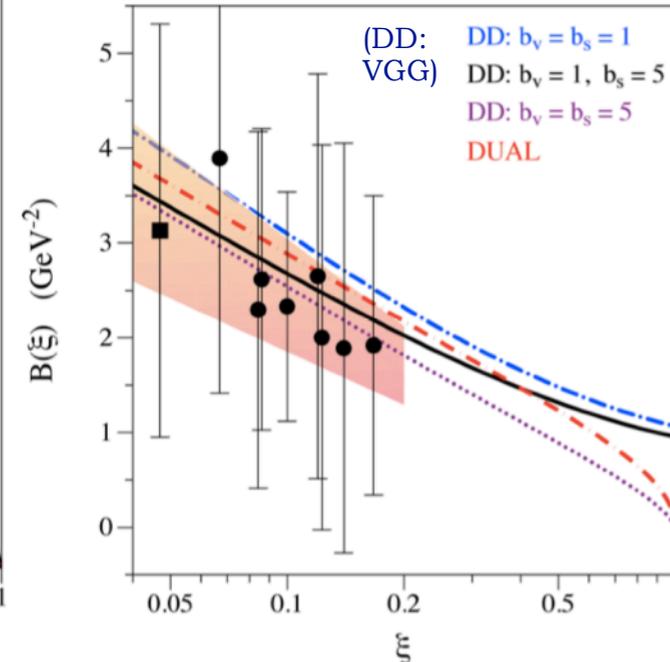
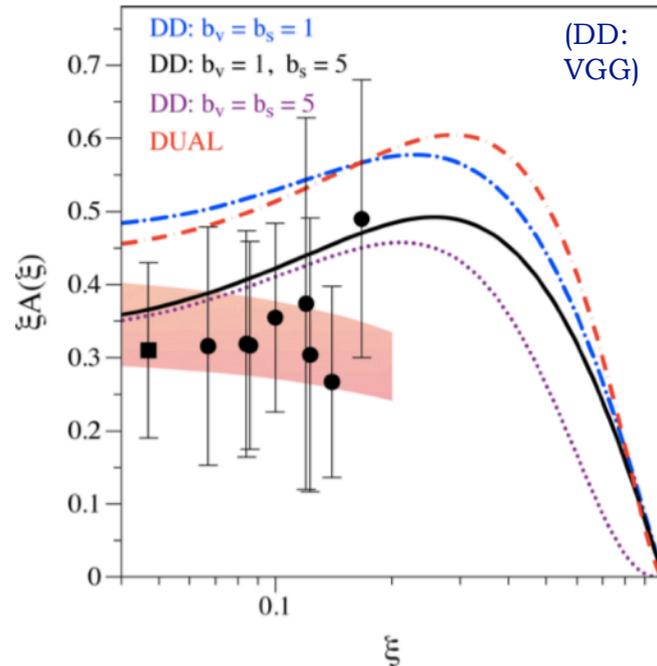
The best constraints in fits to CLAS data were obtained on H_{Im} .

Parametrise its dependence on t :

$$H_{Im}(\xi, t) = A(\xi)e^{B(\xi)t}$$

Relates to quark density

Inverse relation to spatial distribution



Towards nucleon tomography

Relating the impact parameter to helicity-averaged transverse charge distribution:

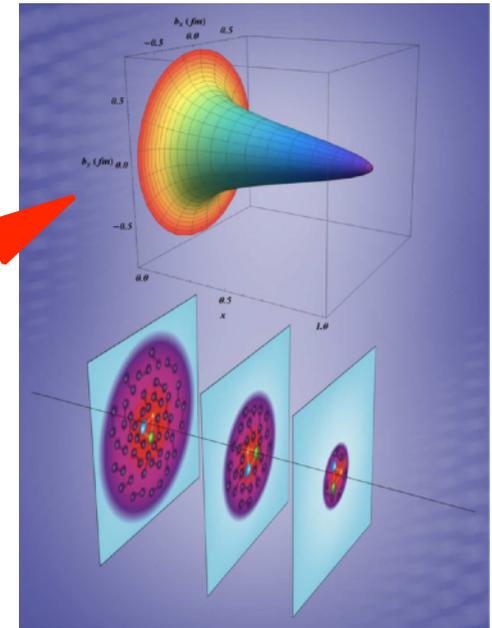
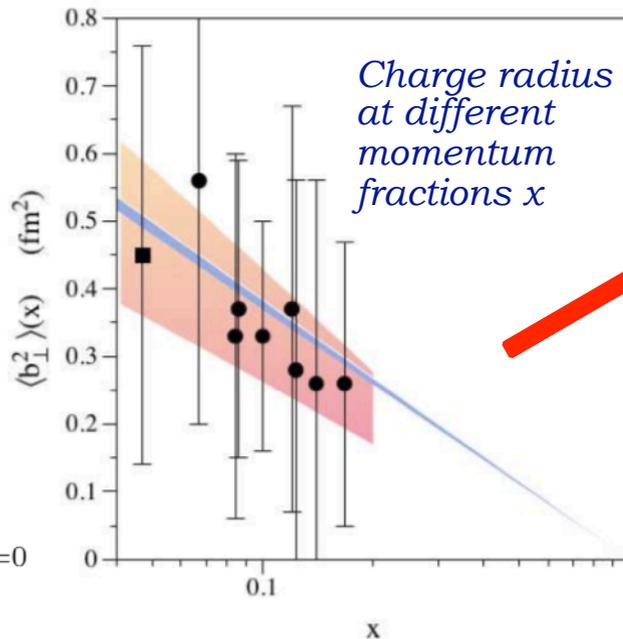
$$\rho^q(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\mathbf{b}_\perp \cdot \Delta_\perp} H_-^q(x, 0, -\Delta_\perp^2)$$

Transverse four-momentum transfer to nucleon

$$H_-^q(x, 0, t) \equiv H^q(x, 0, t) + H^q(-x, 0, t)$$

Assuming leading-twist and exponential dependence of GPD on t , using models to extrapolate to the zero skewness point $\xi = 0$ and assuming similar behaviour for u and d quarks there:

$$\langle b_\perp^2 \rangle^q(x) = -4 \frac{\partial}{\partial \Delta_\perp^2} \ln H_-^q(x, 0, -\Delta_\perp^2) \Big|_{\Delta_\perp=0}$$



Tentative hints of 3D distributions are emerging.

Imaging pressure within the nucleon

* GPDs provide indirect access to mechanical properties of the nucleon (encoded in the gravitational form factors, GFFs, of the energy-momentum tensor).

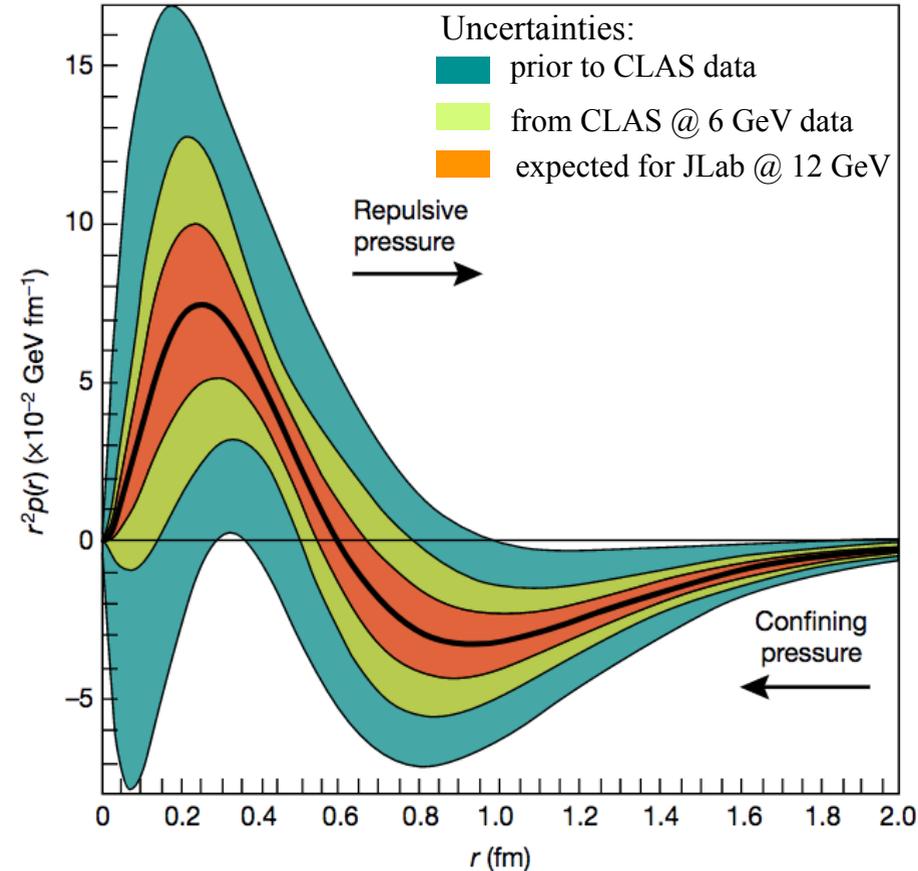
* Three scalar GFFs, functions of t : encode pressure and shear forces ($d_1(t)$), mass ($M_2(t)$) and angular momentum distributions ($J(t)$).

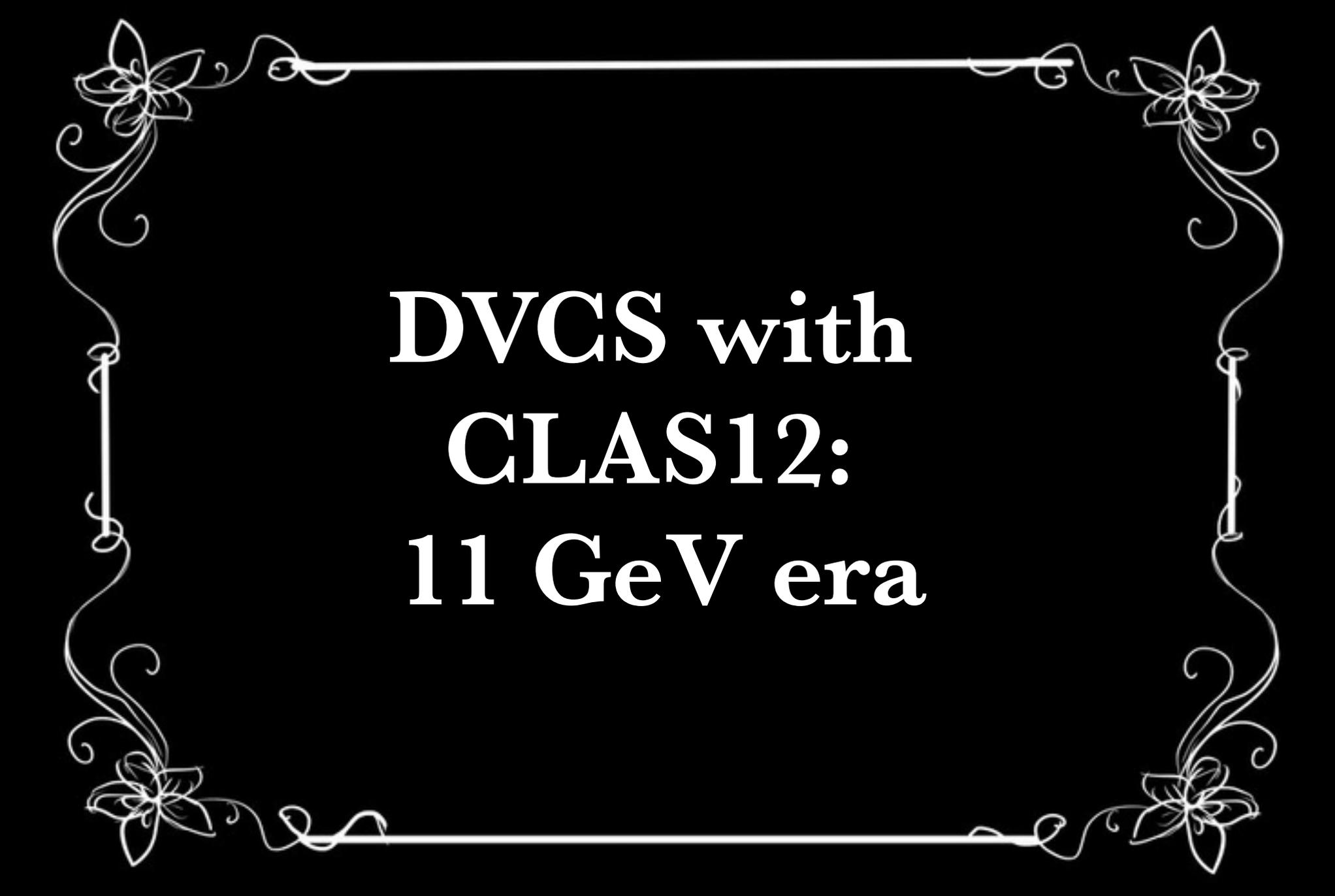
* Can be related to GPDs via sum rules:

$$\int x [H(x, \xi, t) + E(x, \xi, t)] dx = 2J(t)$$

$$\int x H(x, \xi, t) dx = M_2(t) + \frac{4}{5} \xi^2 d_1(t)$$

* Possibility of extracting pressure distributions! More data needed.





**DVCS with
CLAS12:
11 GeV era**

Proton DVCS @ 11 GeV



Experiment E12-06-119

F. Sabatié et al.

$$P_{\text{beam}} = 85\%$$

$$L = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$$

$$1 < Q^2 < 10 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$0.1 < x_B < 0.65$$

$$-t_{\text{min}} < -t < 2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$$

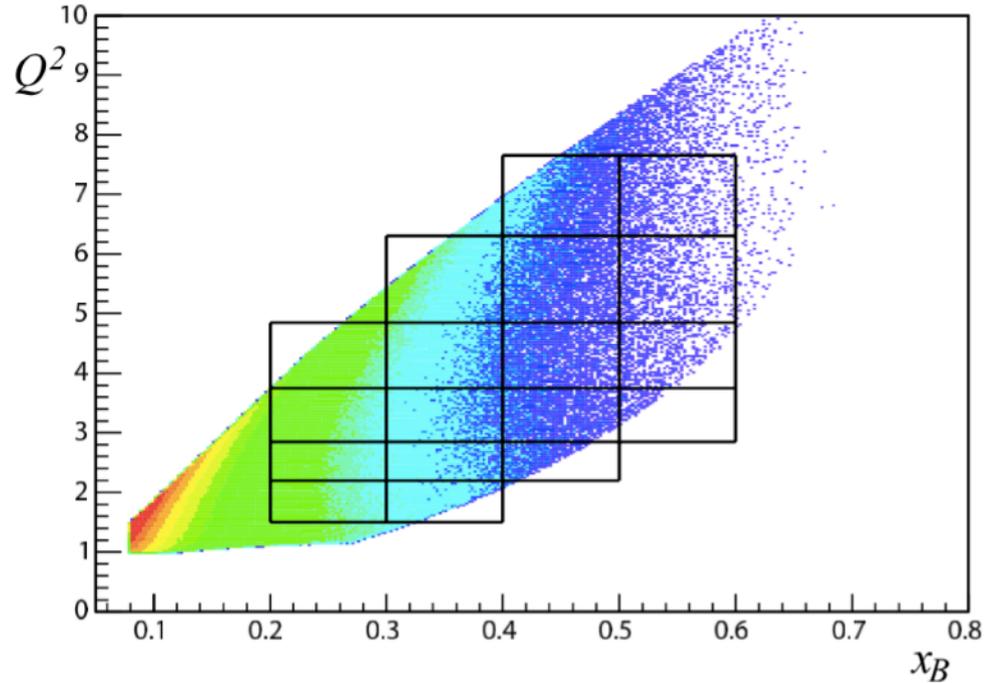
*Kinematics similar for all proton DVCS
@ 11 GeV with CLAS12 experiments*

Unpolarised liquid H₂ target:

- Statistical error: 1% - 10% on $\sin\varphi$ moments
- Systematic uncertainties: ~ 6 - 8%

A_{LU} characterised by imaginary parts of
CFFs via:

$$F_1 H + \xi G_M \tilde{H} - \frac{t}{4M^2} E \longrightarrow \text{Im}(H_p)$$



First experiment with CLAS12

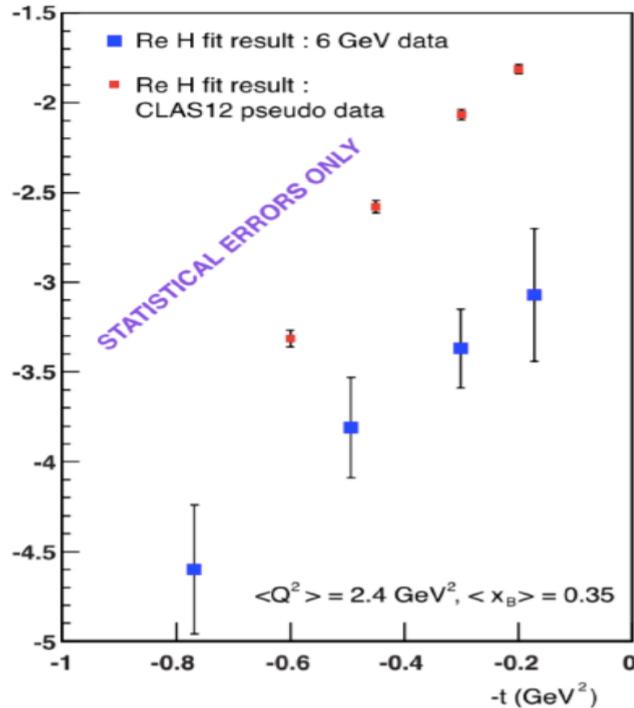
Started this February!

Proton DVCS @ 11 GeV

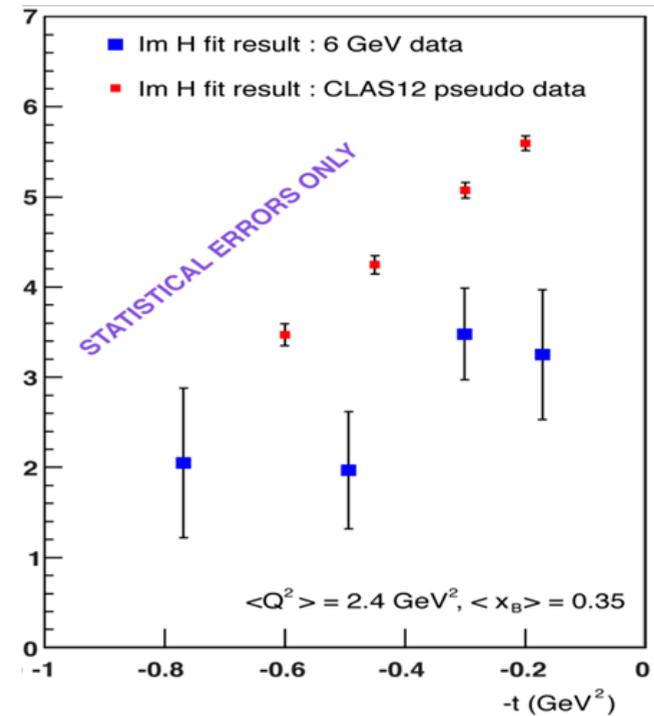


Impact of CLAS12 unpolarised target proton-DVCS data on the extraction of $\text{Re}(H)$ and $\text{Im}(H)$.

Re(H)



Im(H)



(CLAS 6 GeV extraction H. Moutarde)

DVCS at lower energies with CLAS12

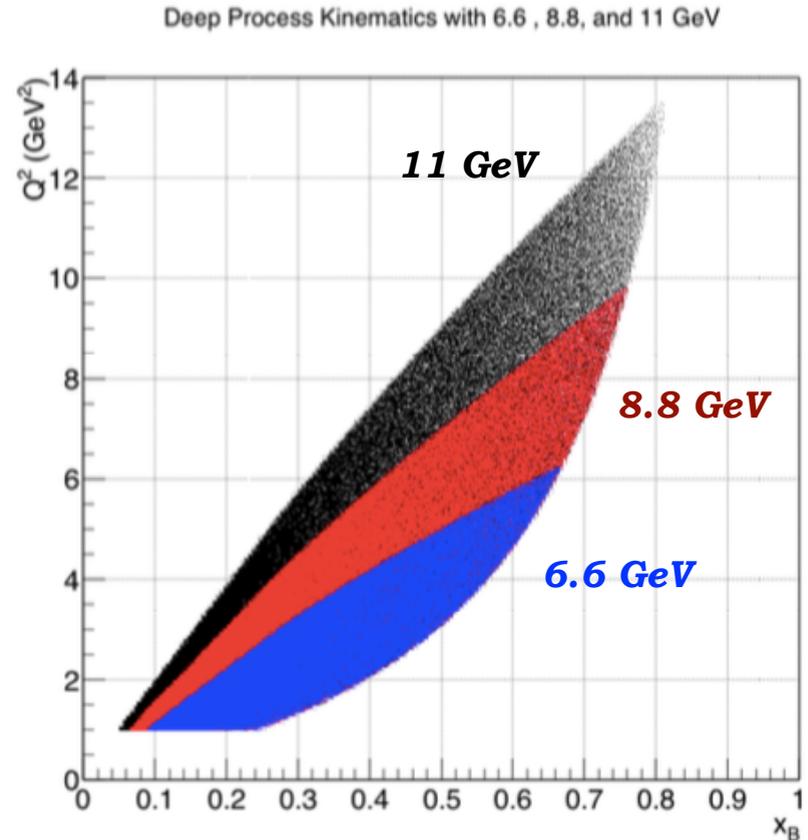


Experiment E12-16-010B

F.-X. Girod et al.

Unpolarised liquid H₂ target:

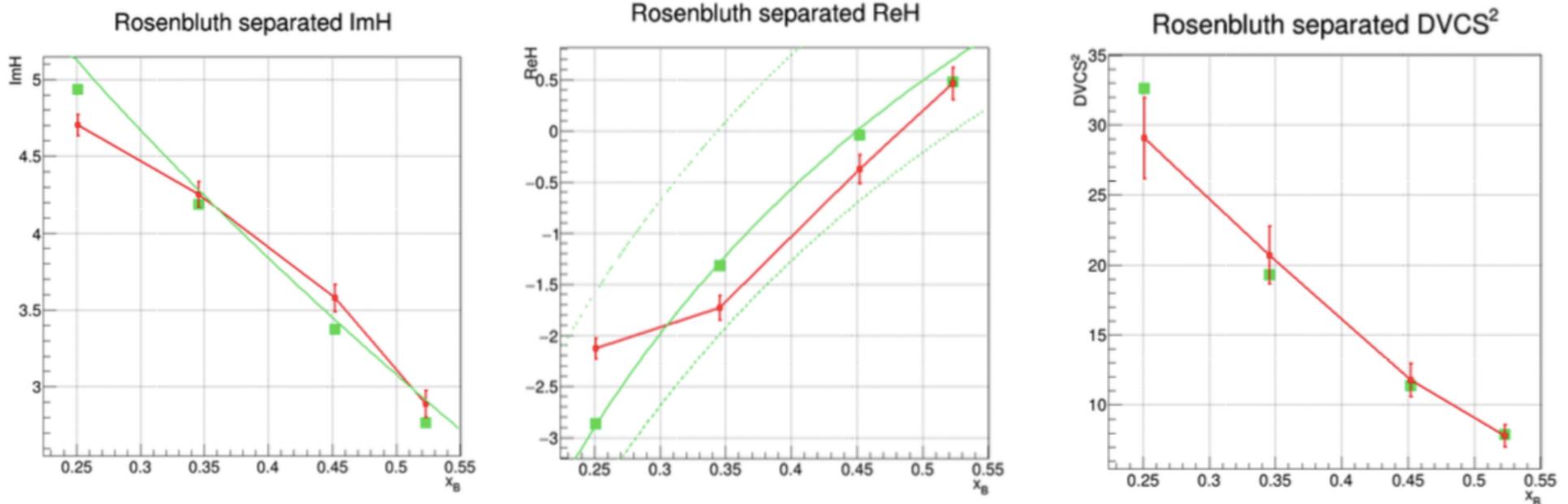
- Beam energies: 6.6, 8.8 GeV
- Simultaneous fit to beam-spin and total cross-sections.
- * Rosenbluth separation of interference and $|T_{DVCS}|^2$ terms in the cross-section
- * Scaling tests of the extracted CFFs
- * Model-dependent determination of the D-term in the Dispersion Relation between *Re* and *Im* parts of CFFs: sensitivity to Gravitational Form Factors.



Compare with measurements from Halls A and C: cross-check model and systematic uncertainties.

DVCS at lower energies with CLAS12

Projected extraction of CFFs (red) compared to generated values (green). Three curves on the $Re(H)$ show three different scenarios for the D-term.



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CLAS12

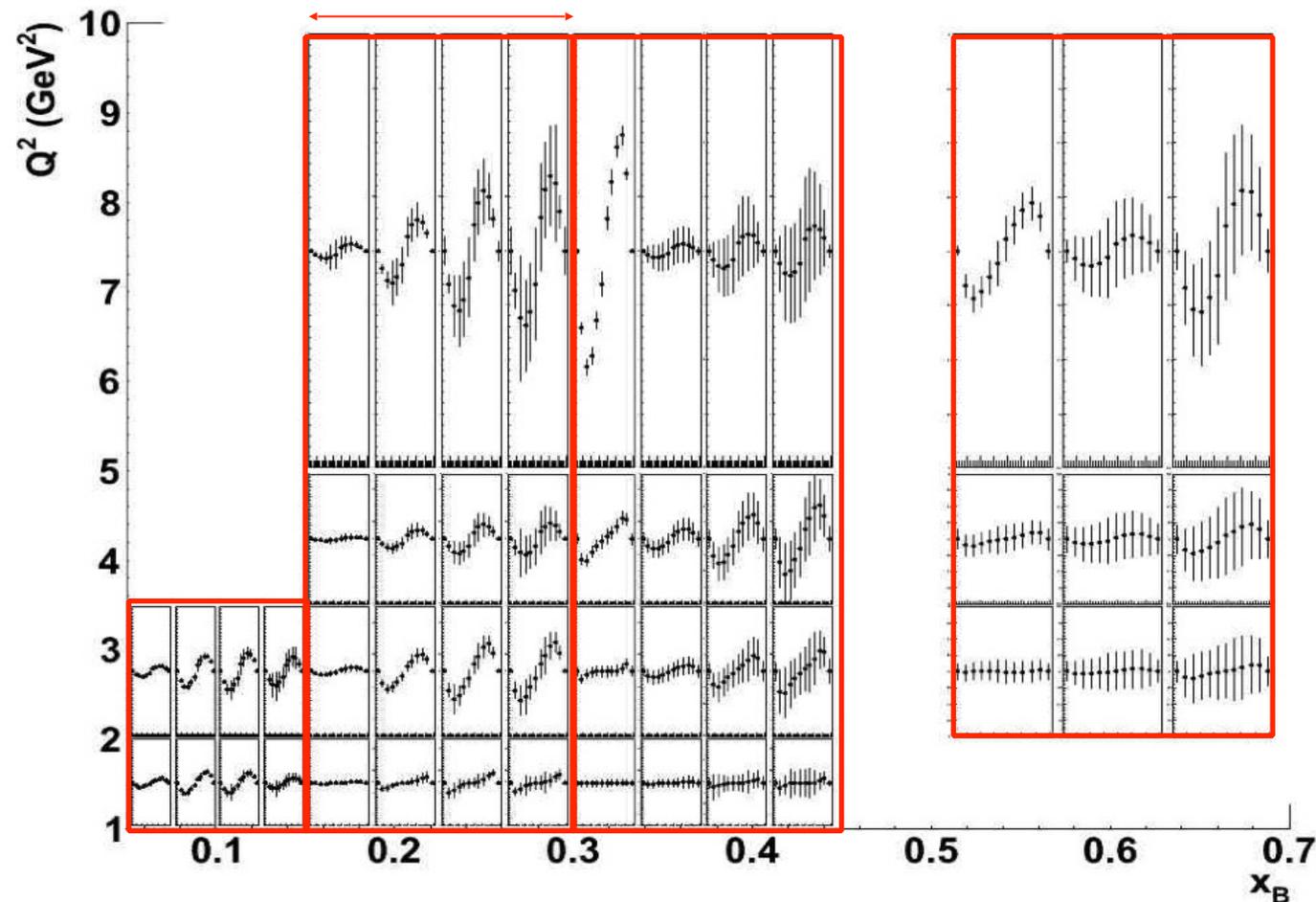
Neutron DVCS @ 11 GeV

Experiment E12-11-003

S. Niccolai, D. Sokhan et al.

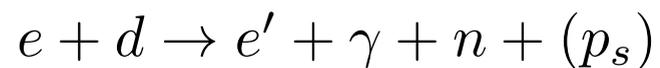
$$\Delta\sigma_{\text{LU}} \sim \sin\phi \operatorname{Im} \{ F_1 H + \xi(F_1 + F_2) \tilde{H} - k F_2 E \} d\phi$$

0 $-t$ 1.2 Simulated statistical sample:

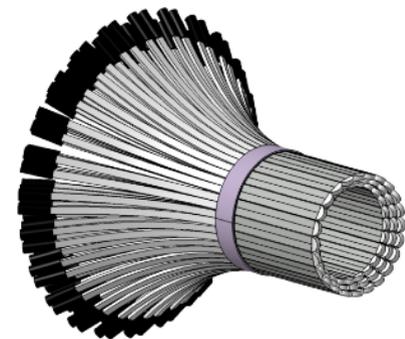


$\operatorname{Im}(E_n)$ dominates.

$$L = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}/\text{nucleon}$$

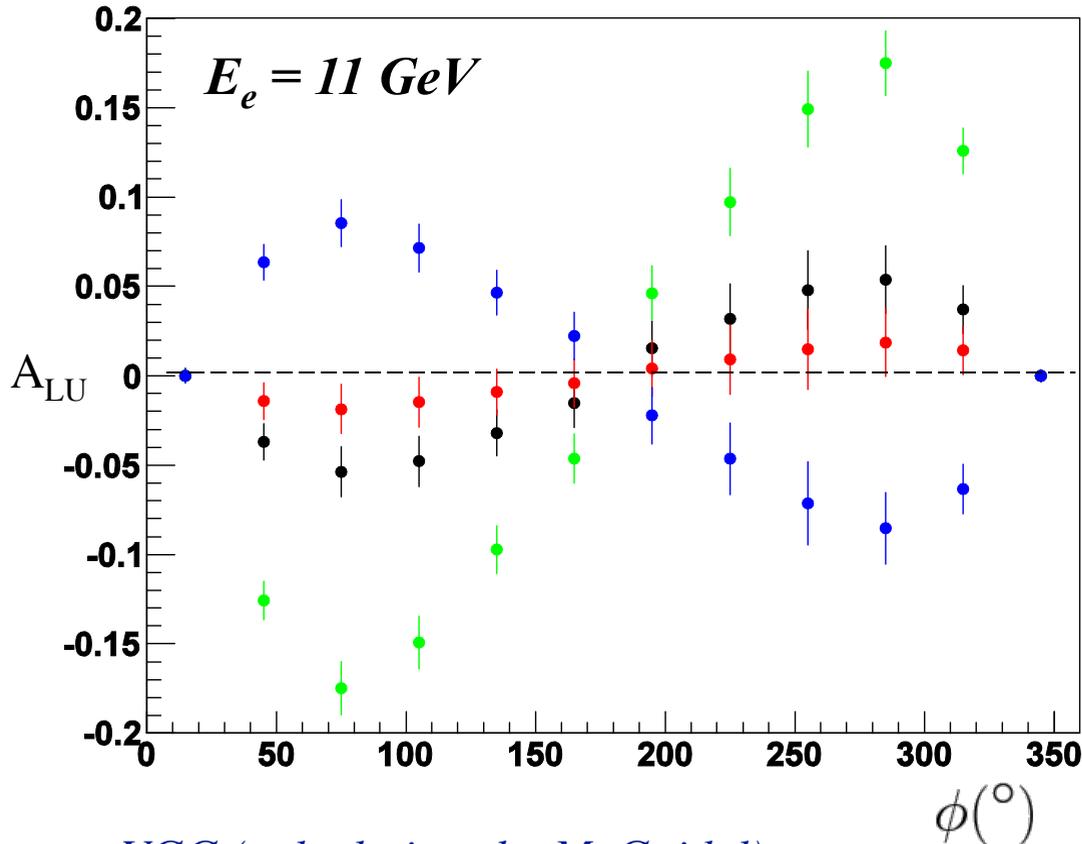


CLAS12 +
Forward Tagger +
Neutron Detector



Scheduled: 2019

Beam-spin asymmetry in neutron DVCS @ 11 GeV



$$\begin{array}{ll} J_u = 0.3, J_d = -0.1 & J_u = 0.3, J_d = 0.1 \\ J_u = 0.1, J_d = 0.1 & J_u = 0.3, J_d = 0.3 \end{array}$$

* At 11 GeV, beam spin asymmetry (A_{LU}) in neutron DVCS is **very** sensitive to J_u, J_d

* Wide coverage needed!

Fixed kinematics: $x_B = 0.17$ $Q^2 = 2 \text{ GeV}^2$ $t = -0.4 \text{ GeV}^2$



Proton DVCS with a longitudinally polarised target

Experiment E12-06-119

F. Sabatié et al.

AUL characterised by imaginary parts of CFFs

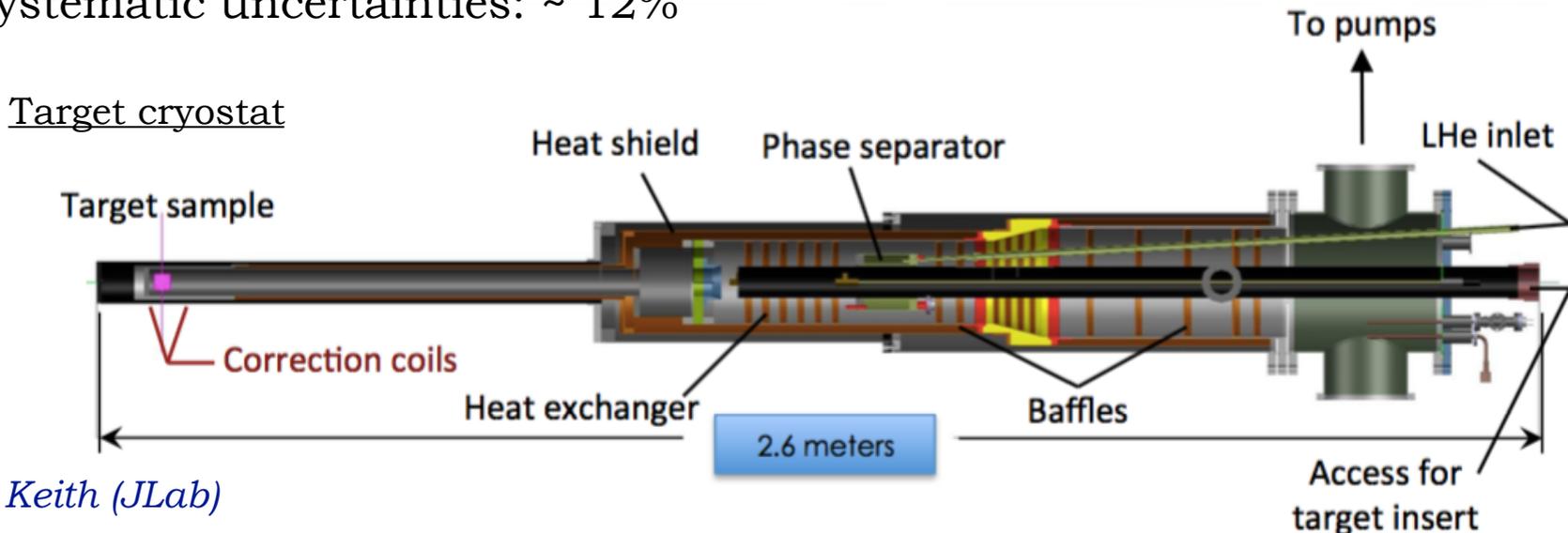
via:
$$F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi G_M \left(H + \frac{x_B}{2} E \right) - \frac{\xi t}{4M^2} F_2 \tilde{E} + \dots$$

Longitudinally polarised NH₃ target:

- Dynamic Nuclear Polarisation (DNP) of target material, cooled to 1K in a *He* evaporation cryostat.
- P_{proton} > 80%
- Statistical error: 2% - 15% on sinφ moments
- Systematic uncertainties: ~ 12%

→ $Im(\tilde{H}_p)$

Tentative schedule: 2020



C. Keith (JLab)

Neutron DVCS with a longitudinally polarised target

Experiment E12-06-109A.

S. Niccolai, D. Sokhan et al.

Longitudinally polarised ND₃ target:

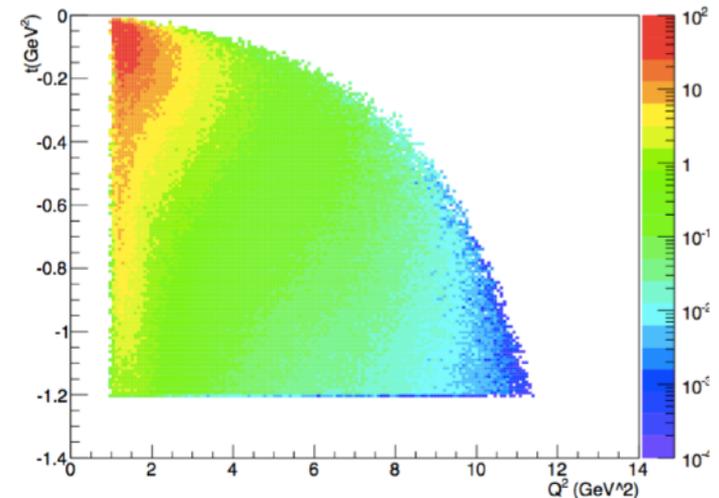
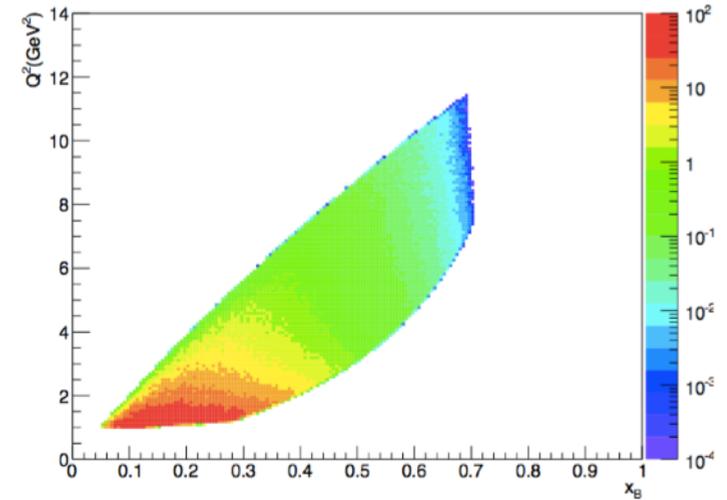
- Dynamic Nuclear Polarisation (DNP) of target material in a cryostat shared with the NH₃ target.
- P_{deuteron} up to 50%
- Systematic uncertainties: ~ 12%

AUL characterised by imaginary parts of CFFs via:

$$F_1 \tilde{H} + \xi G_M \left(H + \frac{x_B}{2} E \right) - \frac{\xi t}{4M^2} F_2 \tilde{E} + \dots$$

$$\longrightarrow \text{Im}(H_n)$$

In combination with pDVCS, will allow flavour-separation of the H_q CFFs.



Tentative schedule: 2020

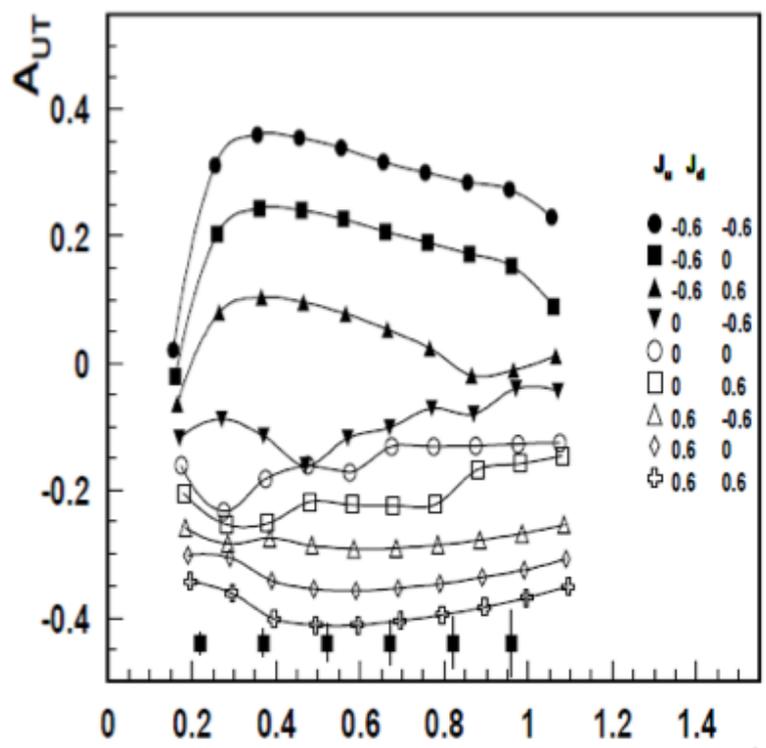
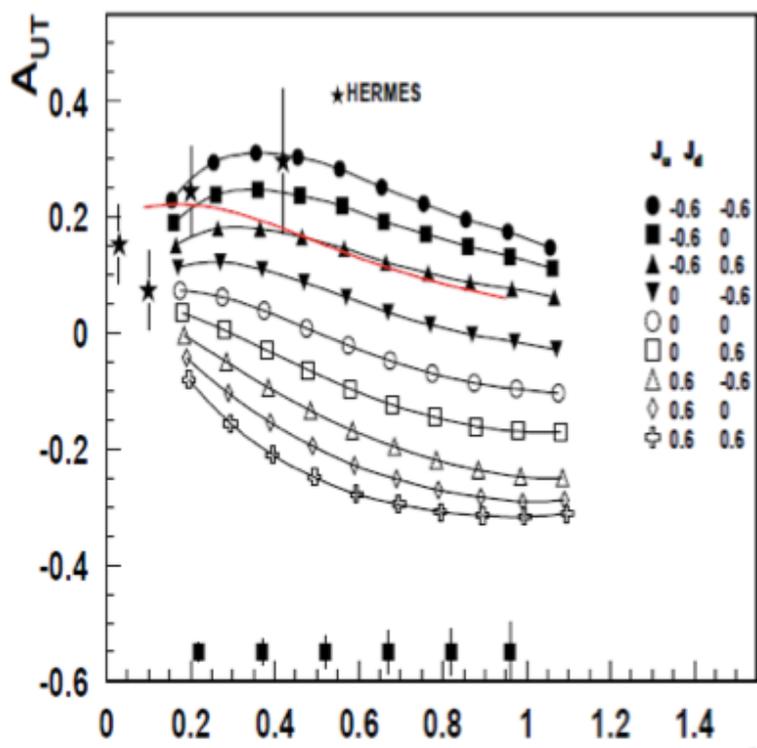


Proton DVCS with transversely polarised target at CLAS12

C12-12-010: with transversely polarised HD target (conditionally approved).

L. Elouardhiri et al.

$\Delta\sigma_{UT} \sim \cos\phi \text{Im}\{k(F_2H - F_1E) + \dots\}d\phi$ Sensitivity to ***Im(E)*** for the proton.



VGG extraction
(M. Guidal)

$\langle x \rangle = 0.2, \langle Q^2 \rangle = 2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$

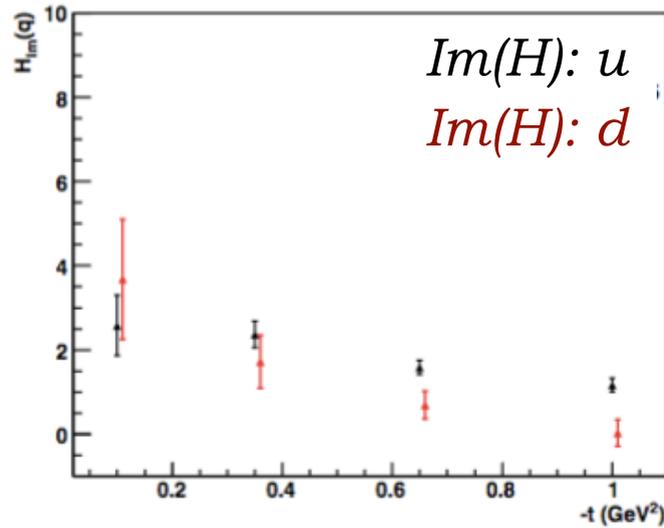
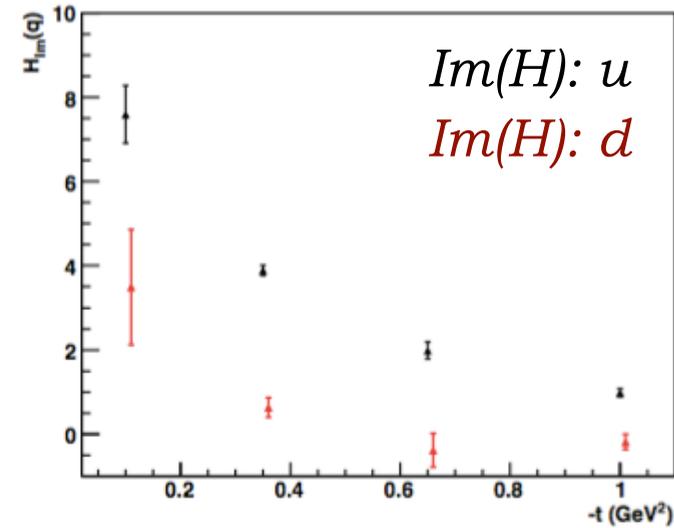
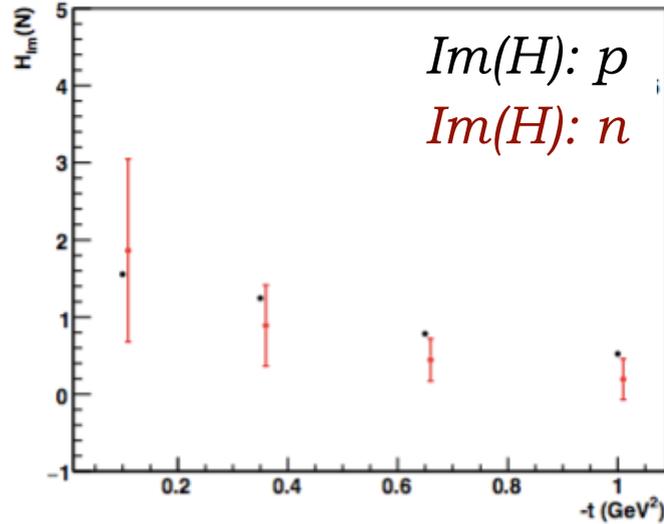
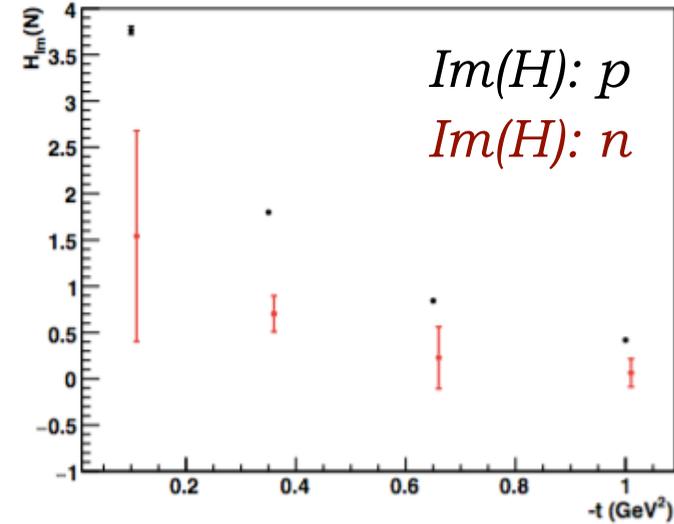
$\langle x \rangle = 0.33, \langle Q^2 \rangle = 2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$

Projected sensitivities to $Im(H)$ CFF



$Q^2 = 2.6 \text{ GeV}^2, x_B = 0.23$

$Q^2 = 5.9 \text{ GeV}^2, x_B = 0.35$



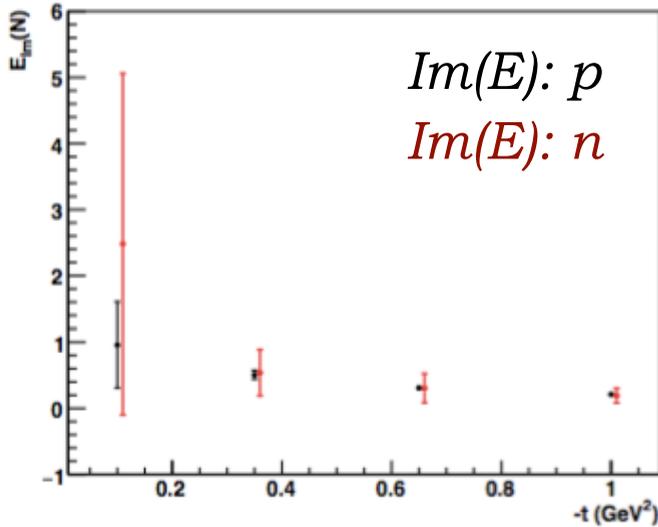
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VGG fit (M. Guidal)

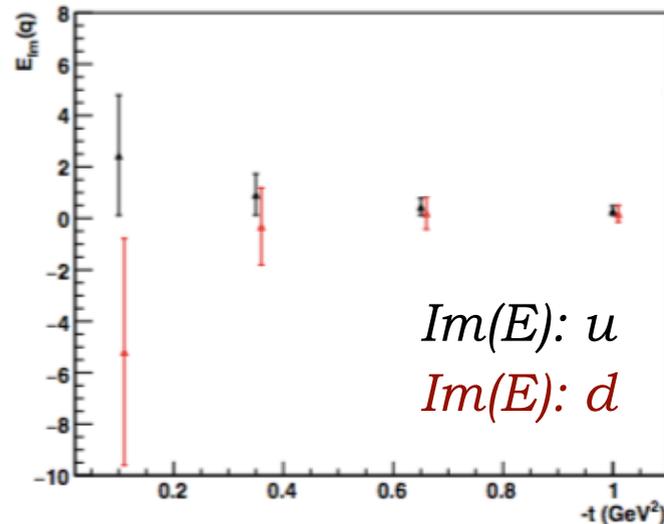
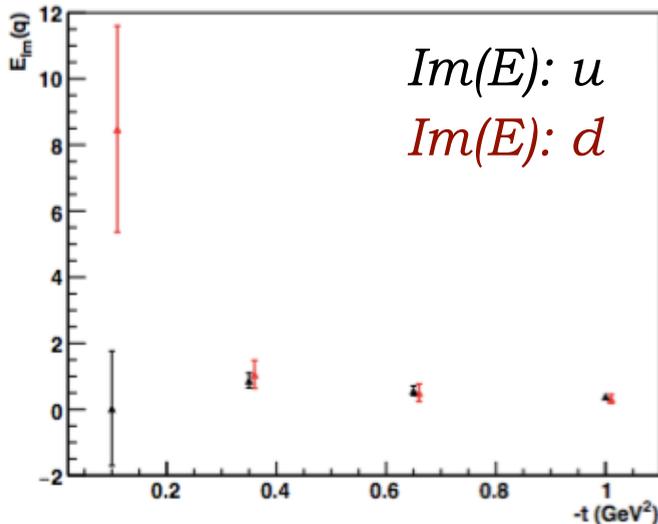
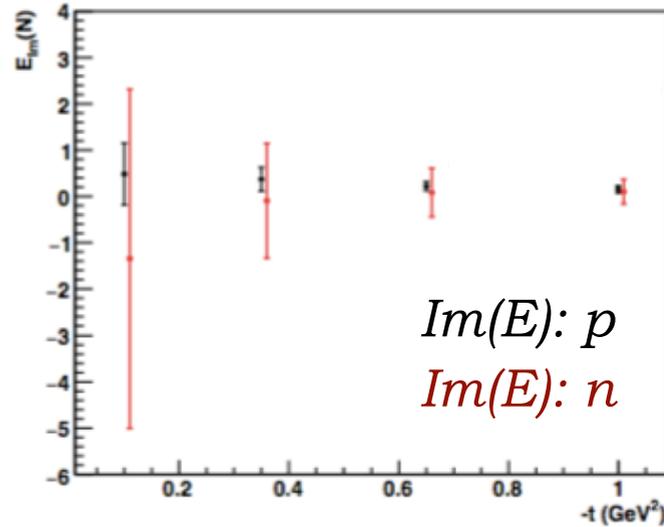
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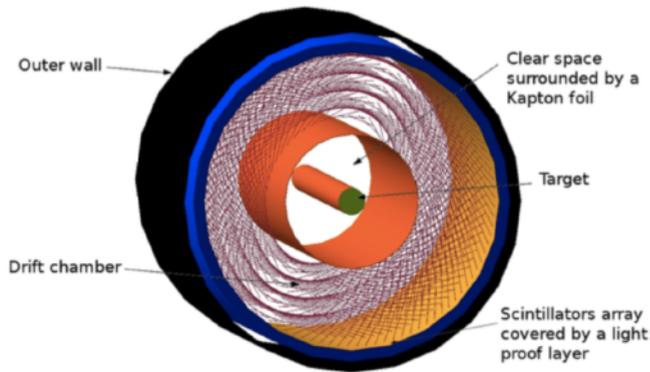
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DVCS on ^4He : CLAS12 with ALERT

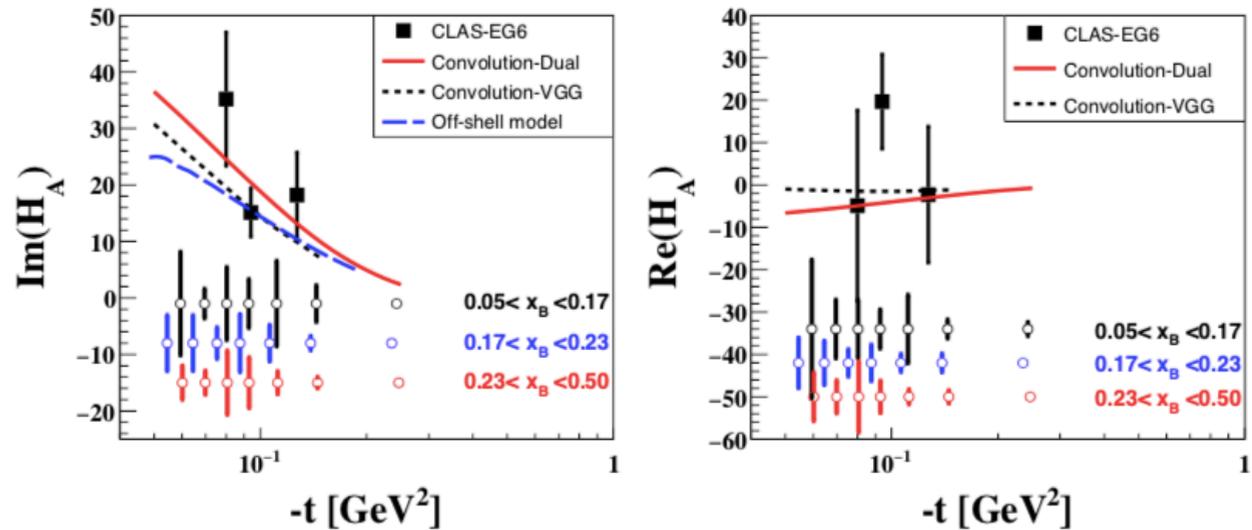
Experiment E12-17-012: Measurement of BSA in coherent DVCS from a ^4He target: partonic structure of nuclei.
Z.-E. Meziani et al.

* Spin 0 target, so at leading twist only one chiral-even GPD: \mathbf{H}_A .

11 GeV beam, 80% polarised.
Gas target straw @ 3 atm
 $L = 6 \times 10^{34}$ nucleon $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
with 1000 nA beam.

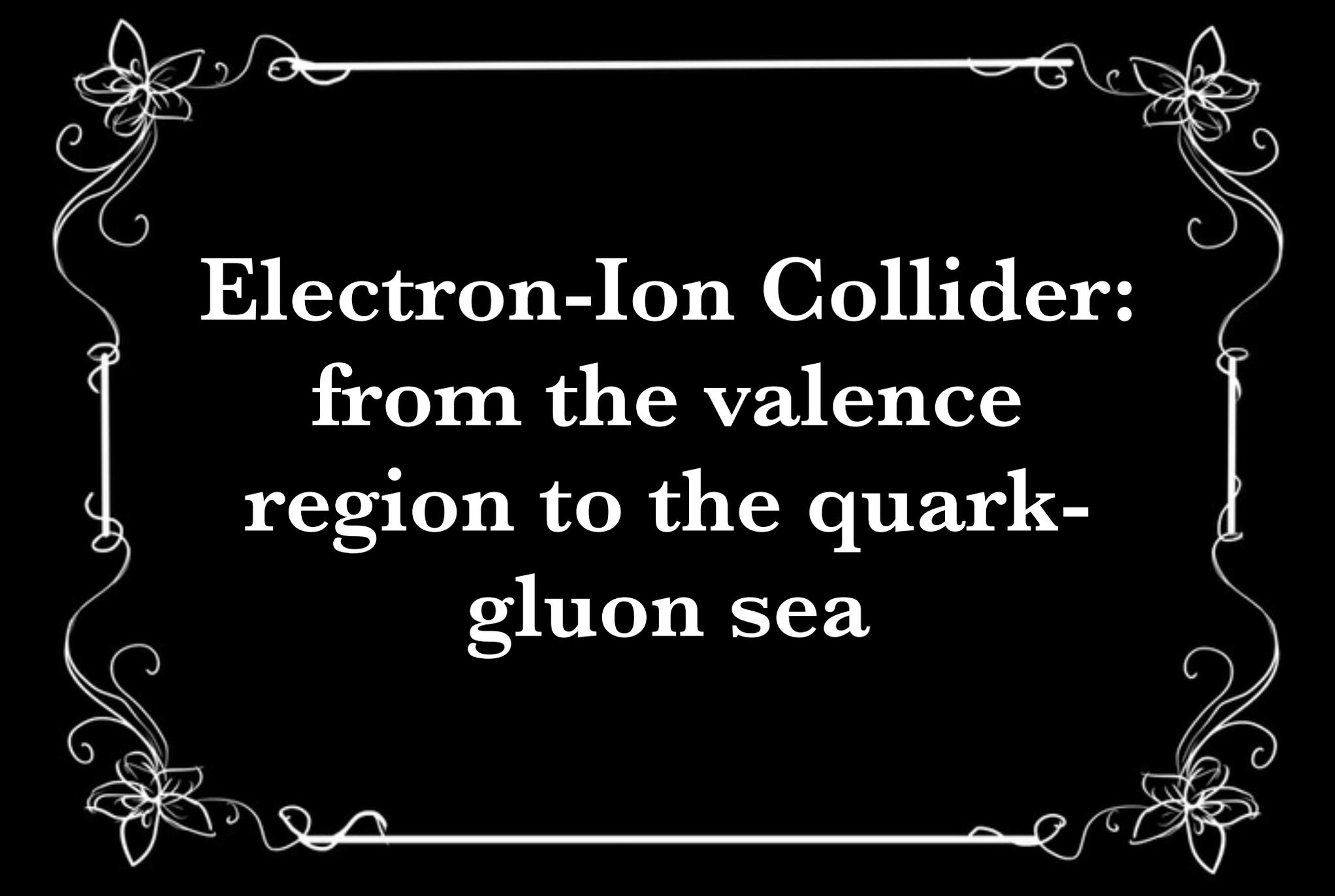


CLAS12 + ALERT: central recoil detector



Experiment E12-17-012B
W. Armstrong et al.

Incoherent, spectator-tagged DVCS on ^4He and d .

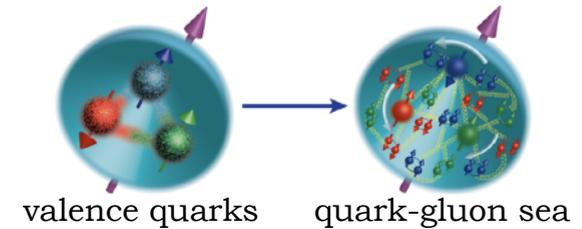


**Electron-Ion Collider:
from the valence
region to the quark-
gluon sea**

Motivations for the Electron-Ion Collider

- * The only facility designed entirely for the study of hadron physics:
 - What is the origin of nucleon mass? How is it generated from the almost massless quarks and massless gluons?
 - What is the quark-gluon origin of the nuclear force?
 - How do hadrons and nuclei emerge from quarks and gluons? What is the nature of confinement?

- * 3D tomography of the nucleon: spacial and momentum distributions of partons from the valence quark region to the quark-gluon sea.



- * Nucleon spin puzzle: decomposition of nucleon spin — contribution of gluons.

$$J_q = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_q + J_g$$

- * Structure functions for nucleons and nuclei, effect of nuclear medium on the propagation of a colour charge (hadronisation): insight into the EMC effect.

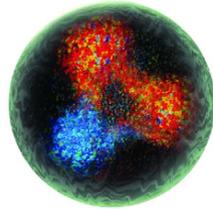
- * Search for gluon saturation: a new form of matter.

The list is NOT exhaustive...

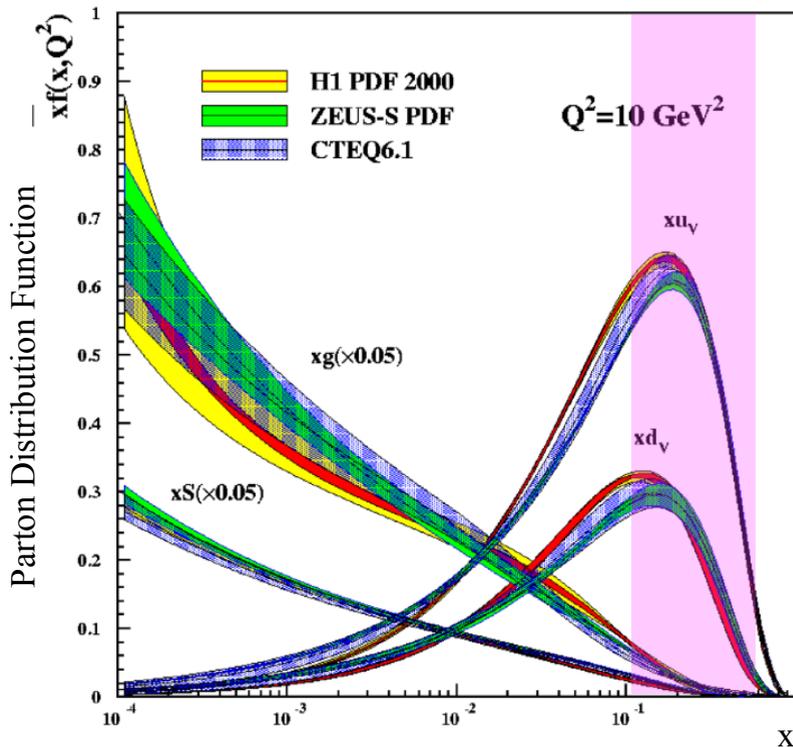
Nucleon at different scales

Valence quarks

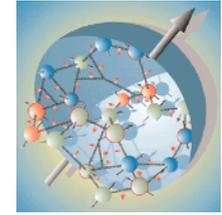
Jefferson Lab: fixed-target
electron scattering



$$0.1 < x_B < 0.7$$

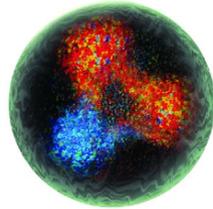


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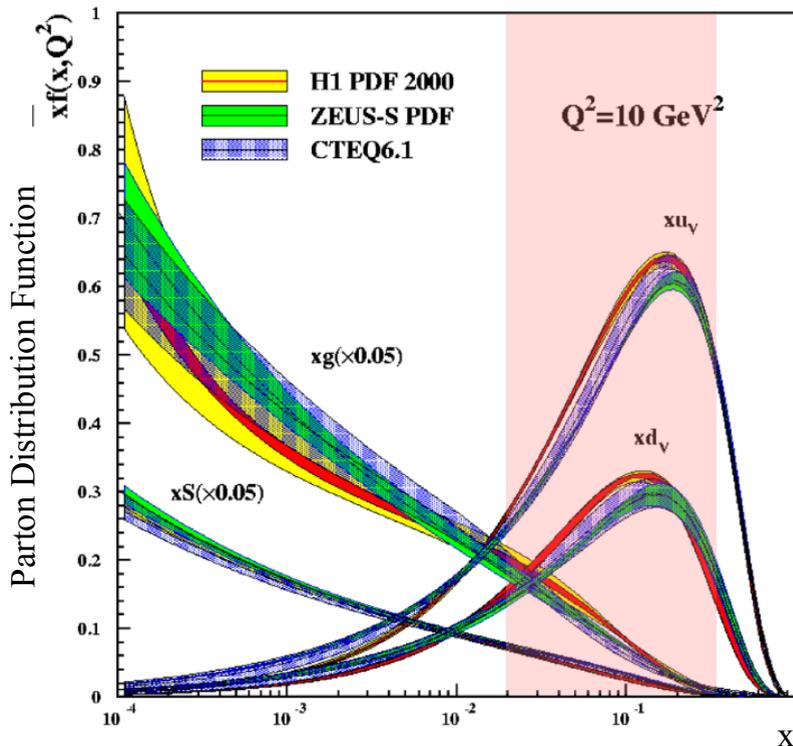
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Sea quarks

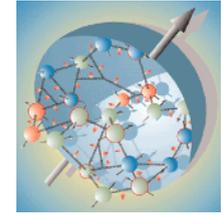


HERMES: fixed gas-target
electron/positron scattering

$$0.02 < x_B < 0.3$$

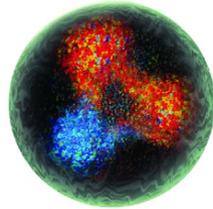


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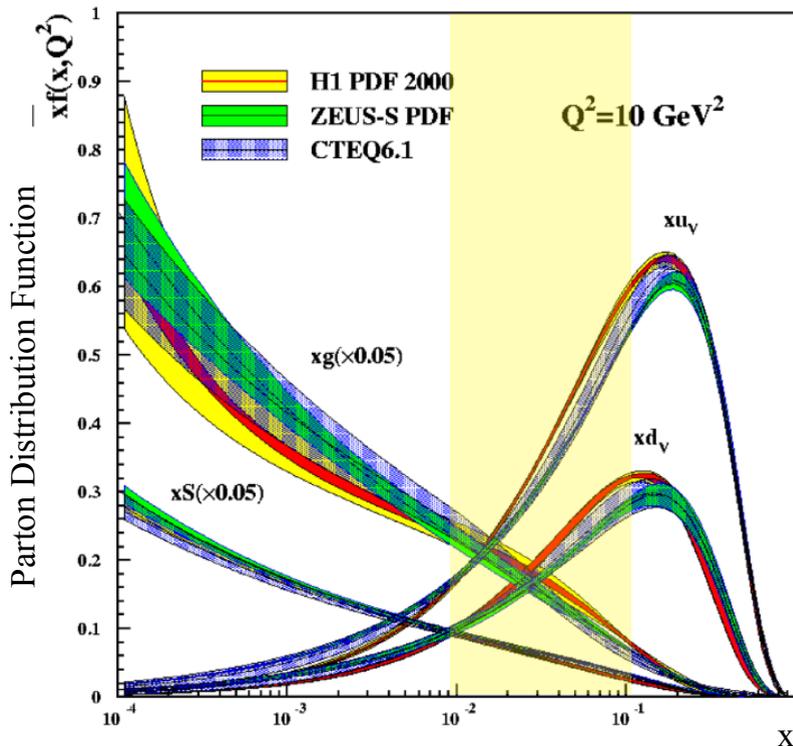
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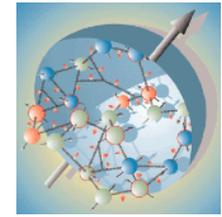


COMPASS: fixed-target
muon scattering

$$0.01 < x_B < 0.1$$

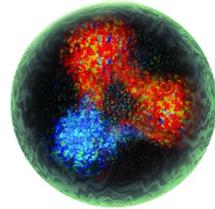


Nucleon at different scales



Valence quarks

Jefferson Lab: fixed-target electron scattering



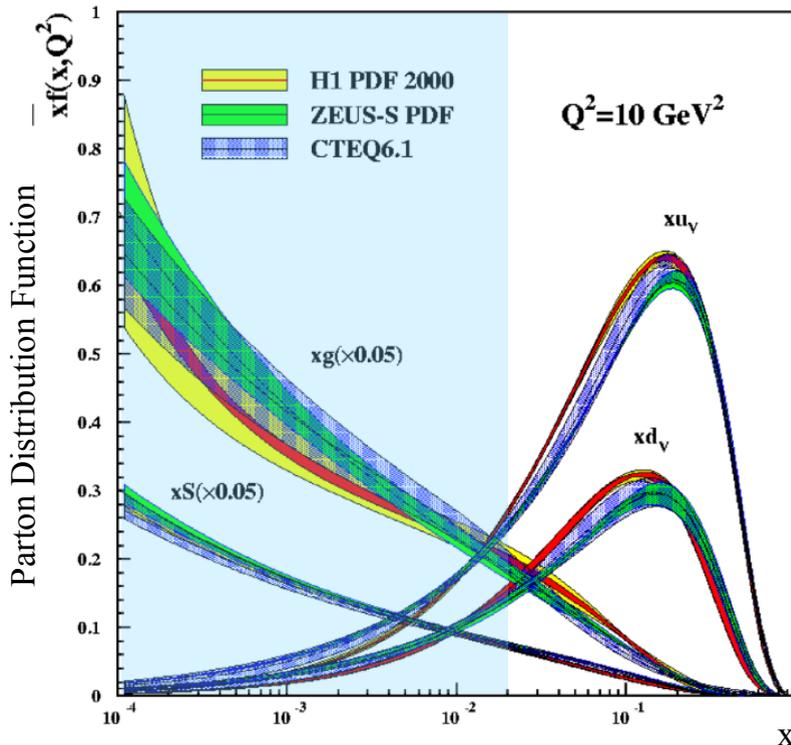
$$0.1 < x_B < 0.7$$

Sea quarks



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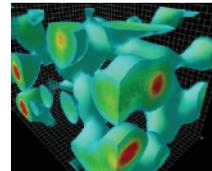
COMPASS: fixed-target muon scattering

$$0.01 < x_B < 0.1$$

The glue

ZEUS/H1: electron/positron-proton collider

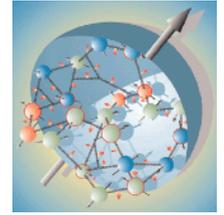
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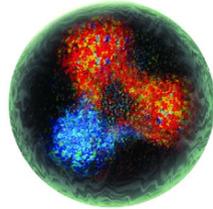


Nucleon at different scales



Valence quarks

Jefferson Lab: fixed-target electron scattering



$$0.1 < x_B < 0.7$$

Sea quarks



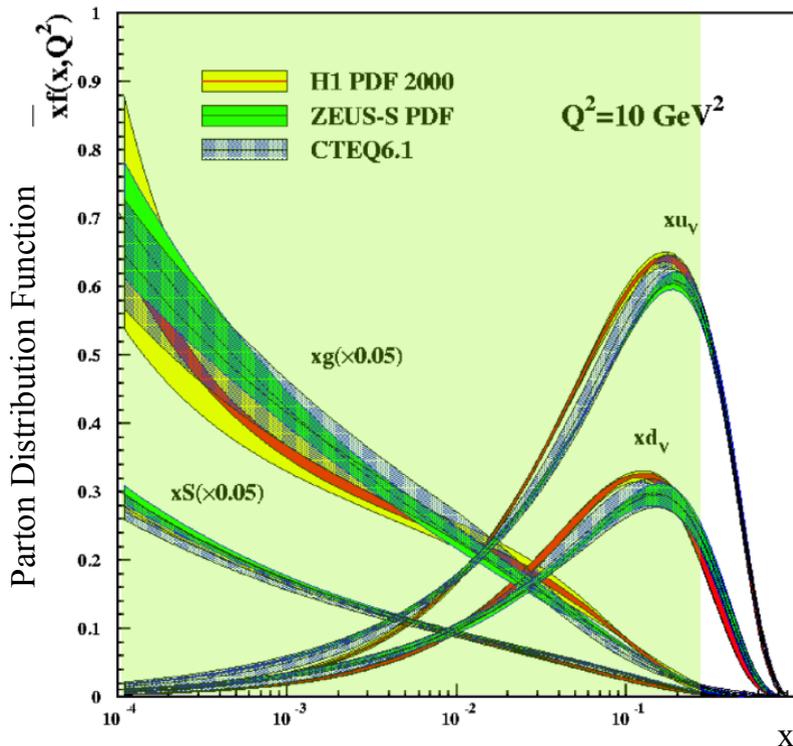
HERMES: fixed gas-target electron/positron scattering

$$0.02 < x_B < 0.3$$



COMPASS: fixed-target muon scattering

$$0.01 < x_B < 0.1$$



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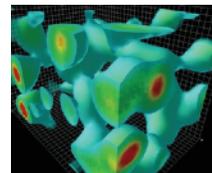
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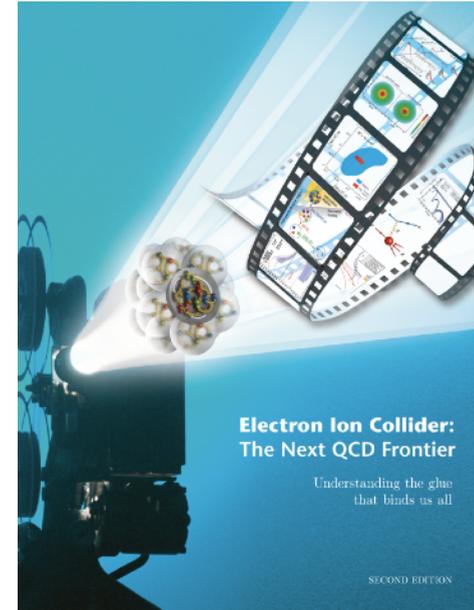
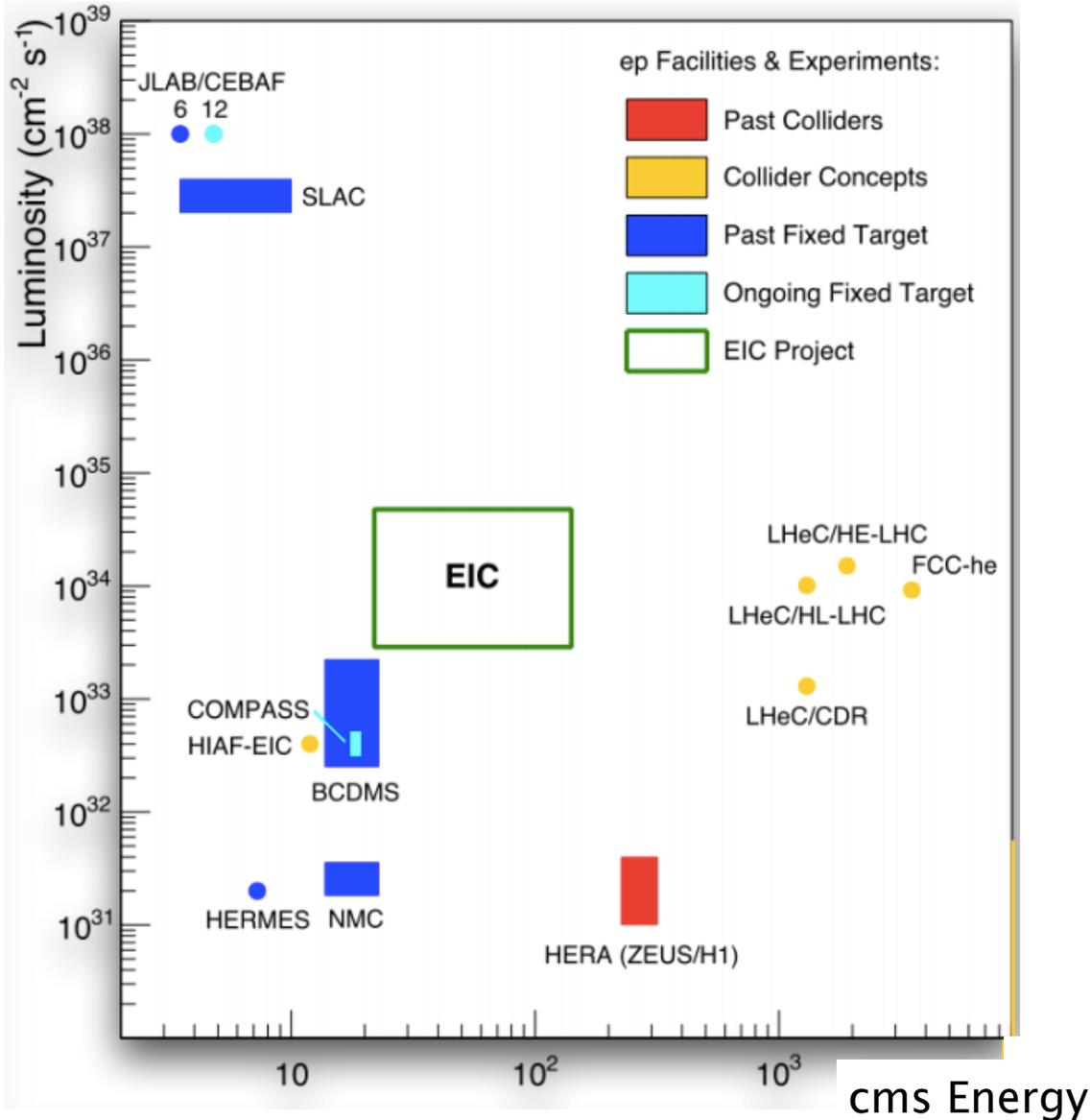
EIC: $10^{-4} < x_B < 0.3$



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Luminosity 100 - 1000 times that of HERA

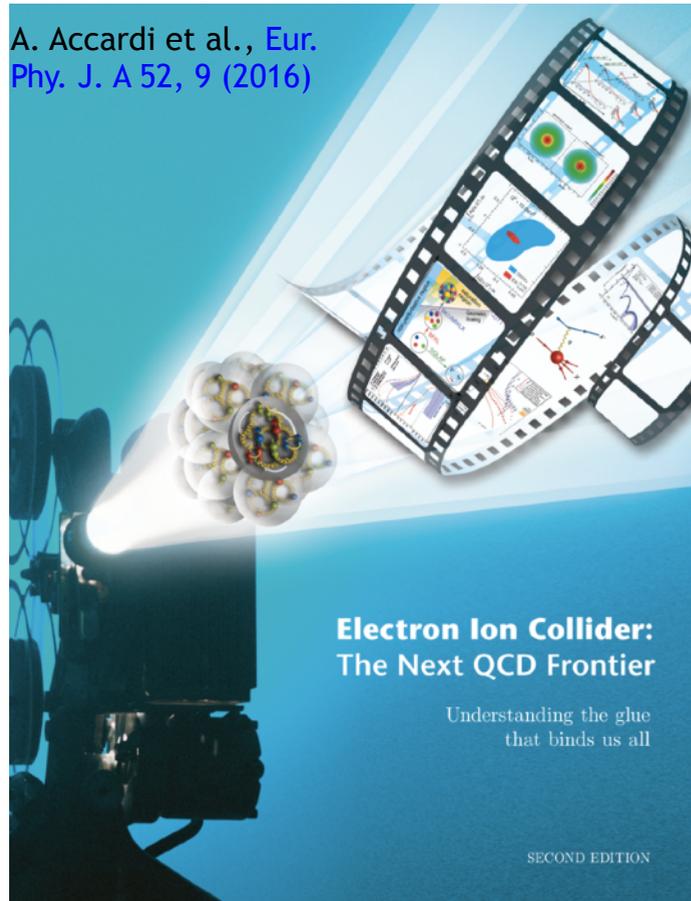
EIC in context



*2012 EIC White Paper,
Eur. Phys. J. A 52, 9 (2016)*

*EIC box includes different
baseline designs*

Electron-Ion Collider in the making



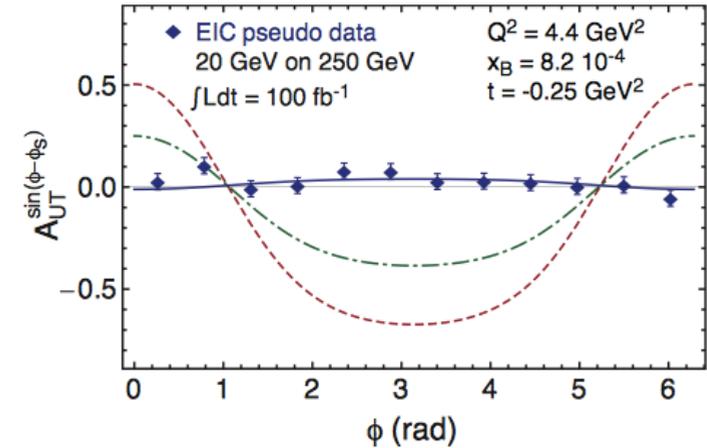
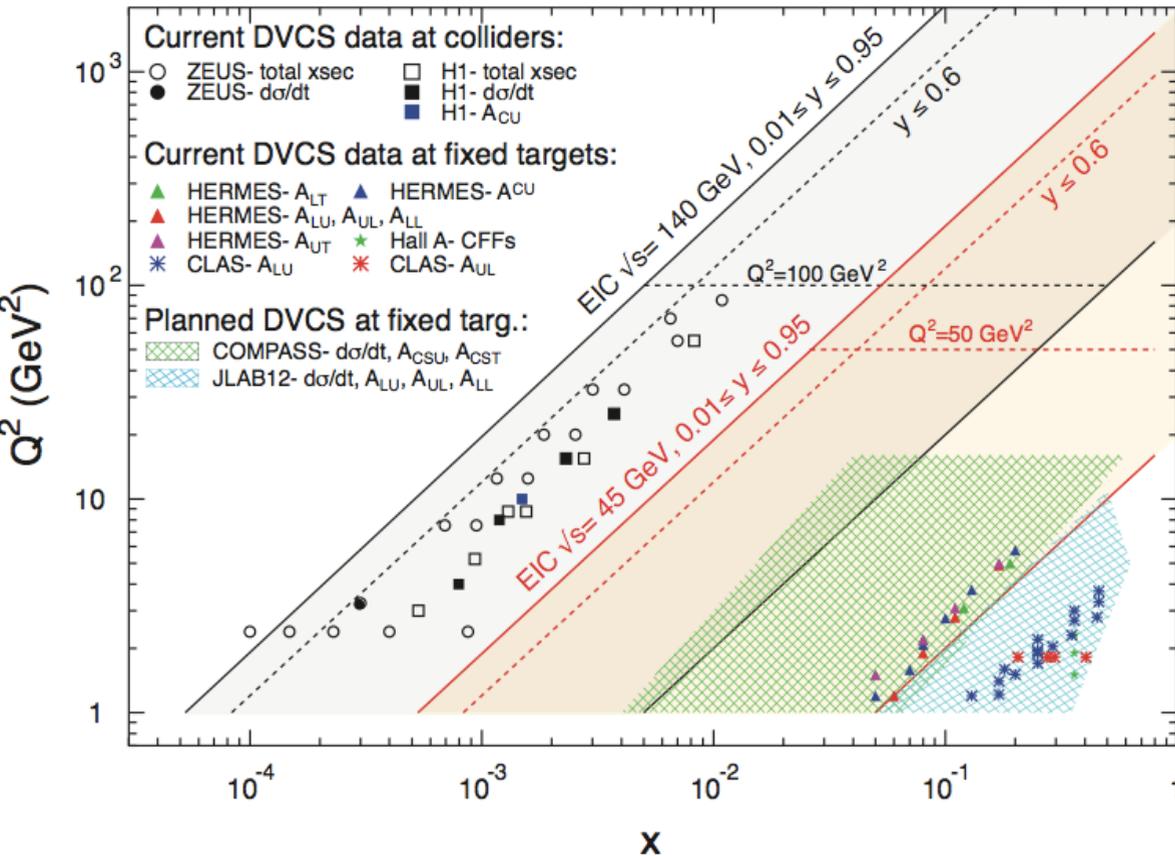
- *2007 Nuclear Physics Long Range Plan: “The EIC is embodying the vision of reaching the next QCD frontier”*
- *2012 EIC White Paper, Eur. Phys. J. A 52, 9 (2016)*
- *2015 Nuclear Physics Long Range Plan:”high-energy, high-luminosity polarised EIC as the highest priority for new facility construction following completion of FRIB”*
- *2017-18 National Academies of Science (NAS) Review: “the science questions that an [EIC] would answer are central to completing our understanding of atomic nuclei”*
*“An EIC can **uniquely** address three profound questions about nucleons ... and how they are assembled to form the nuclei of atoms:*
 - *How does the **mass** of the nucleon arise?*
 - *How does the **spin** of the nucleon arise?*
 - *What are the **emergent properties of dense systems of gluons?**”*

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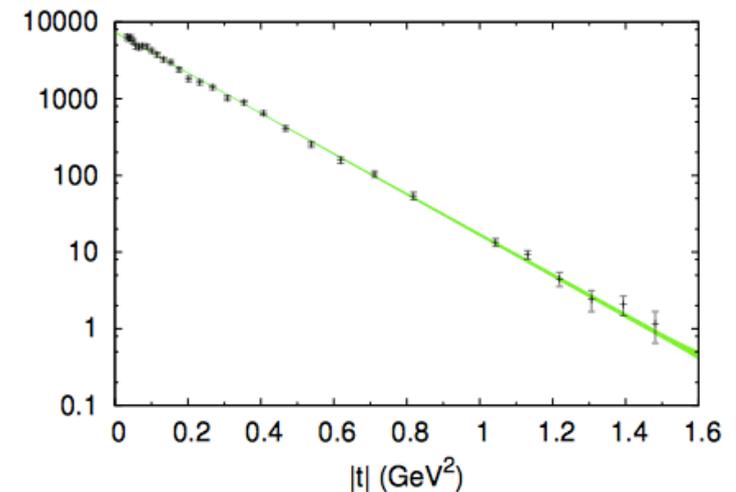
Nucleon tomography: imaging quarks

* Quark GPDs through DVCS

DVCS kinematic reach at the EIC:

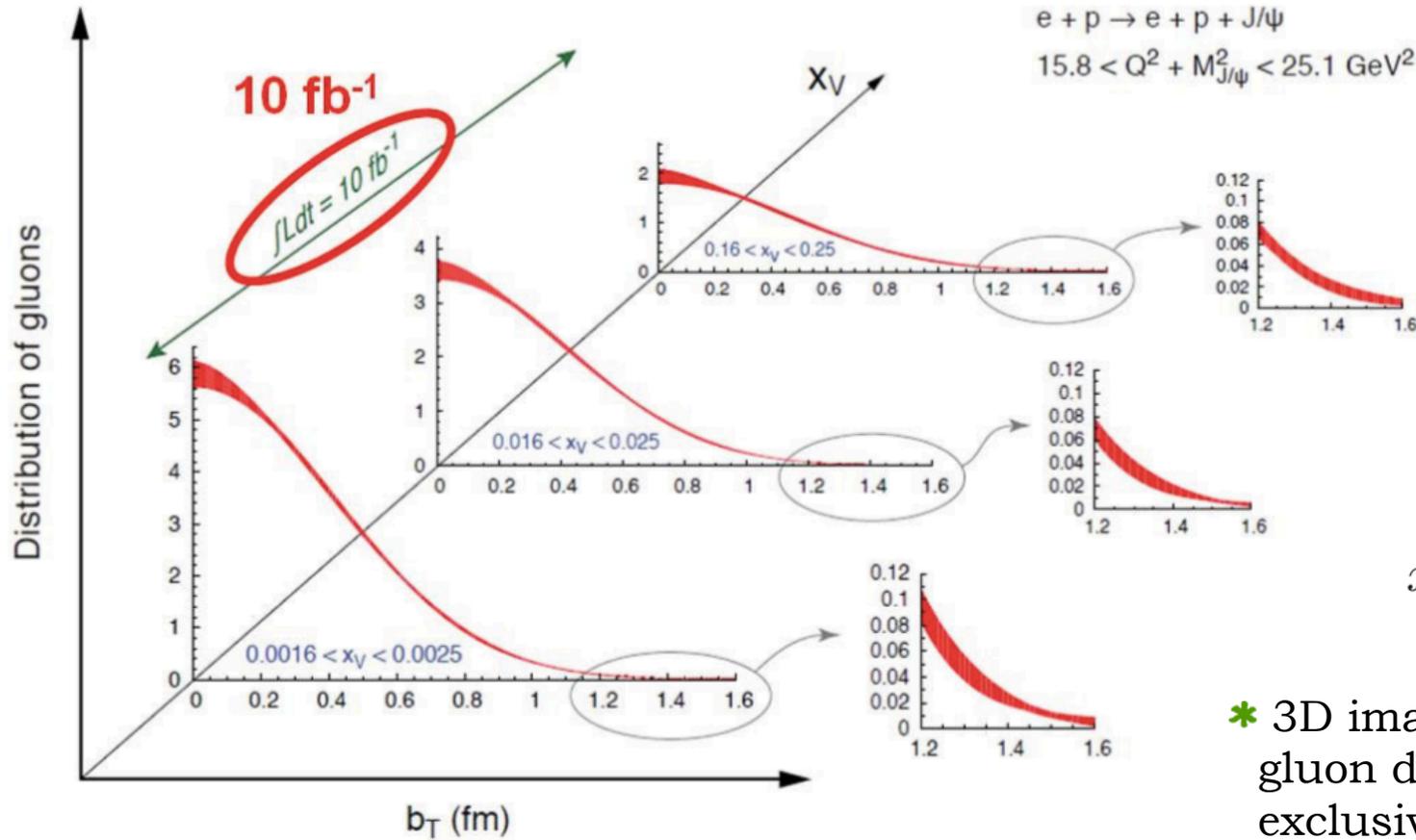


* Scan in t enables transverse position mapping. Expected accuracy:



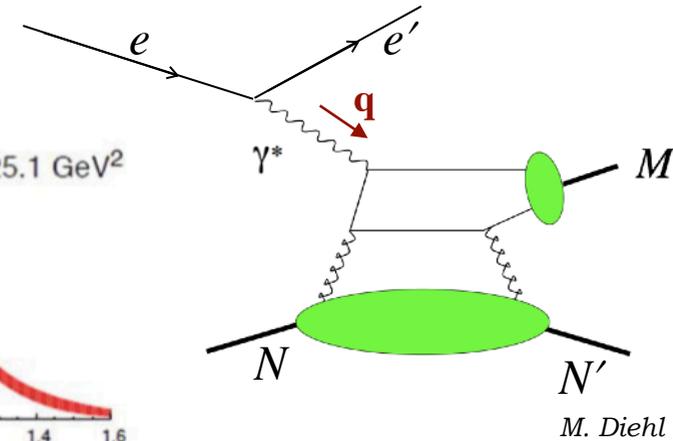
Nucleon tomography: imaging glue

- * Gluon GPDs can be accessed through deeply virtual meson production (DVMP), eg: J/ψ
- * Access to spatial distributions of gluons at different longitudinal momentum fractions:



$$e + p \rightarrow e + p + J/\psi$$

$$15.8 < Q^2 + M_{J/\psi}^2 < 25.1 \text{ GeV}^2$$



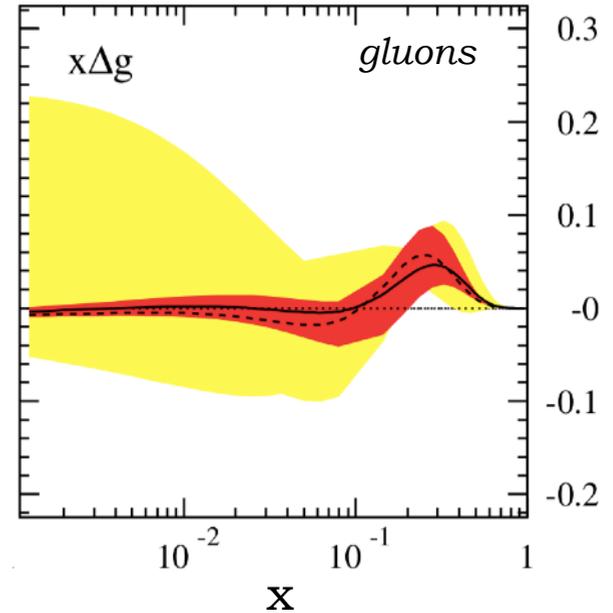
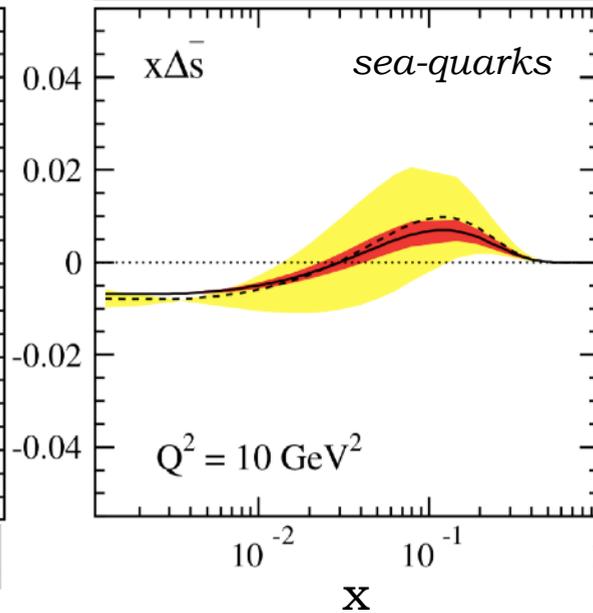
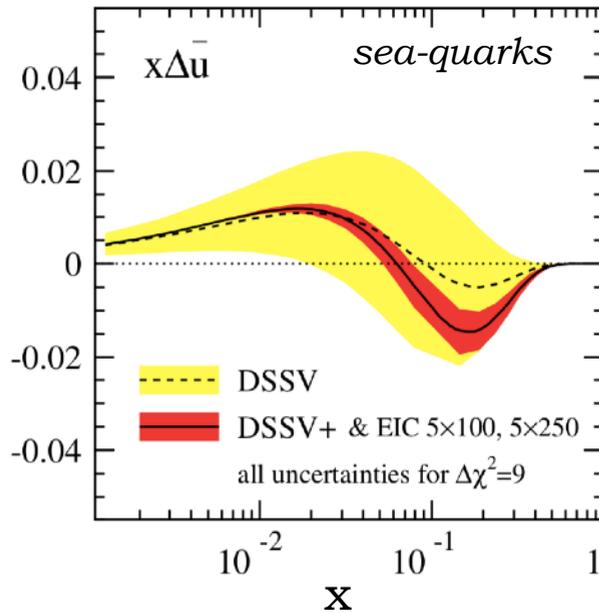
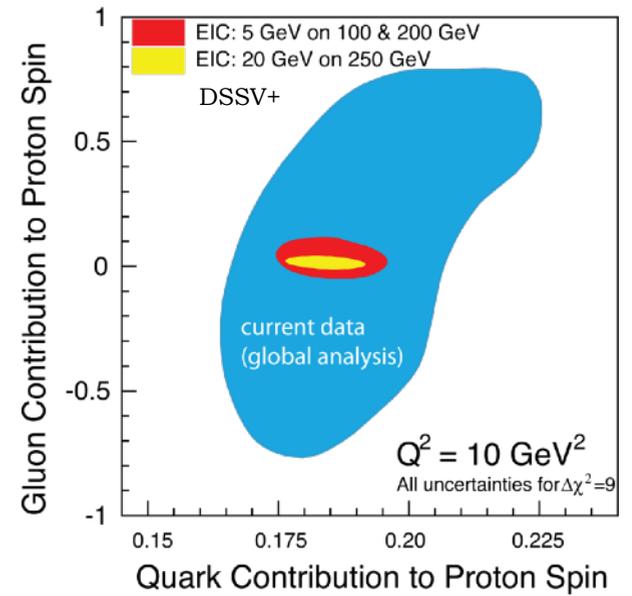
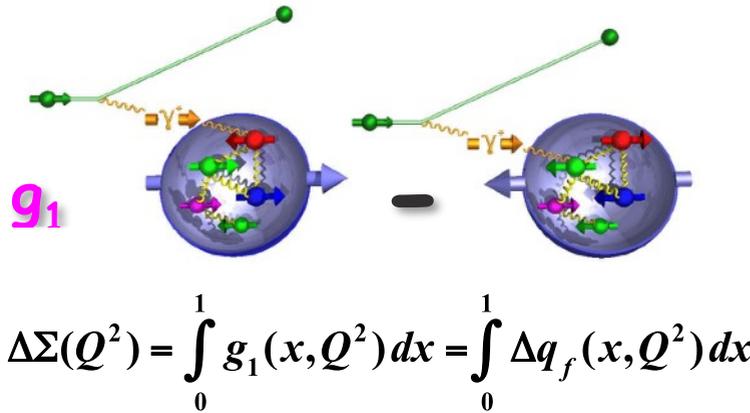
Gluon momentum fraction related to:

$$x_V = x_B \left(1 + \frac{M_{J/\psi}^2}{Q^2} \right)$$

- * 3D images of sea quark and gluon distributions from exclusive reactions: DVCS and DVMP.

Gluon spin

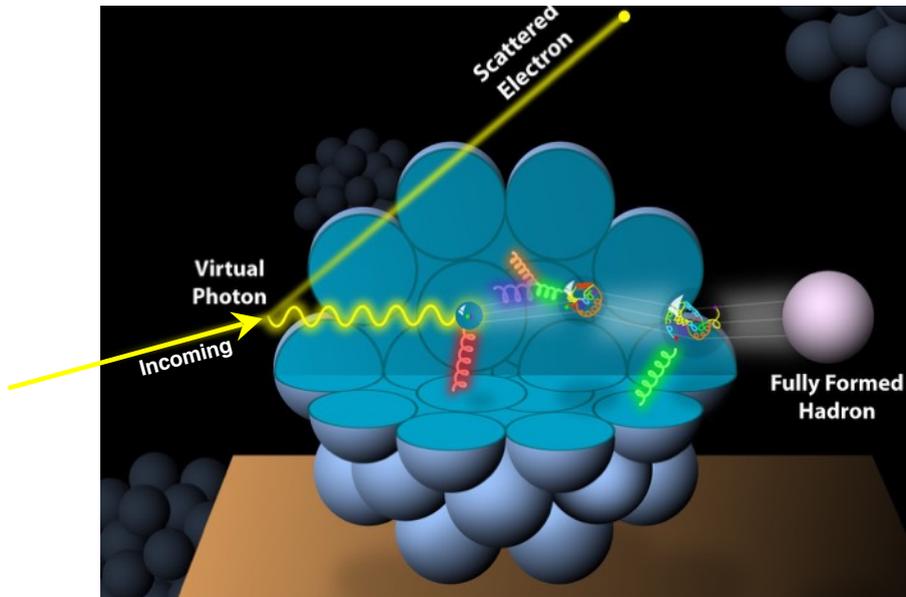
* DIS and SIDIS will contribute extremely precise measurements of the helicity distributions of sea-quarks and gluons.



E. Aschenauer *et al.*,
Phys. Rev. D 86, 054020 (2012)

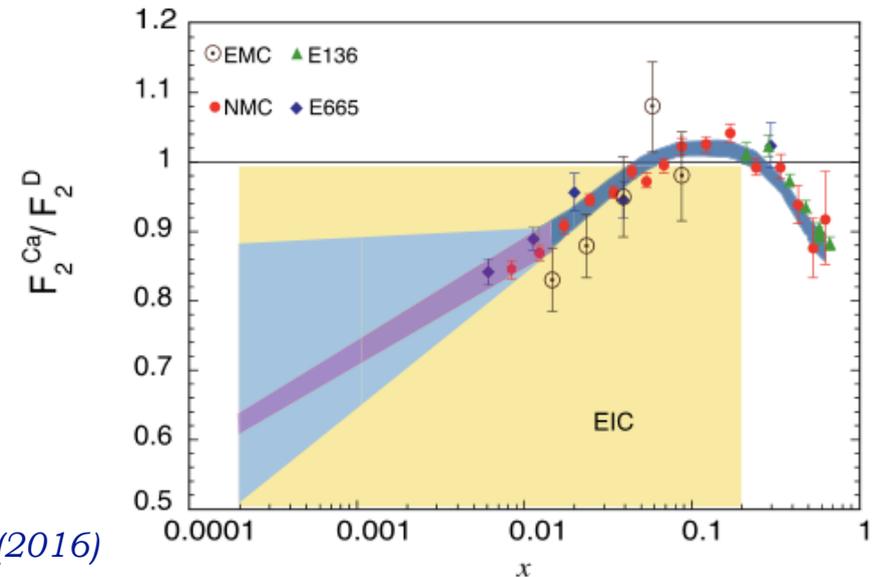
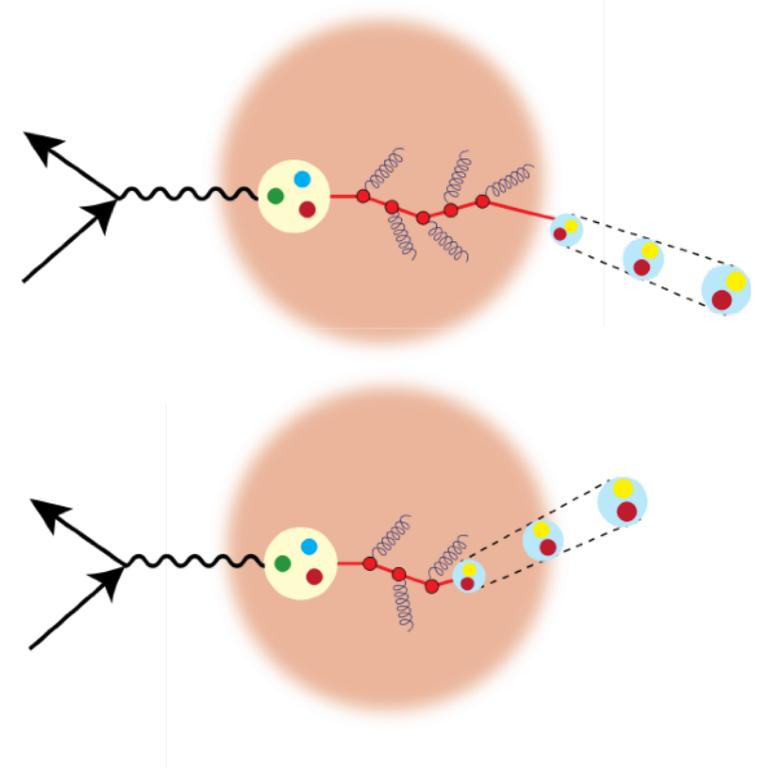
DSSV: D. de Florian, R. Sassot, M. Stratmann, W. Vogelsang,
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Hadronisation



Courtesy of E. Aschenauer

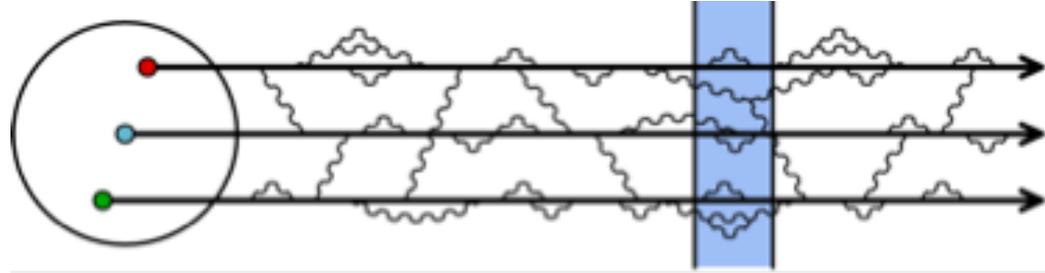
- * How does the nuclear environment affect the distributions of quarks and gluons and their interactions inside nuclei?
- * How does nuclear matter respond to fast moving color charge passing through it?
- * Are there differences for light and heavy quarks?



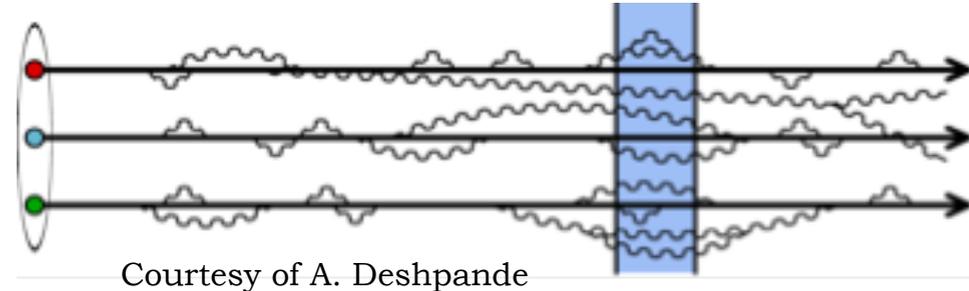
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Runaway glue

- * Nucleon probed at low Q^2 , high x .



- * Nucleon probed at large Q^2 , low x .



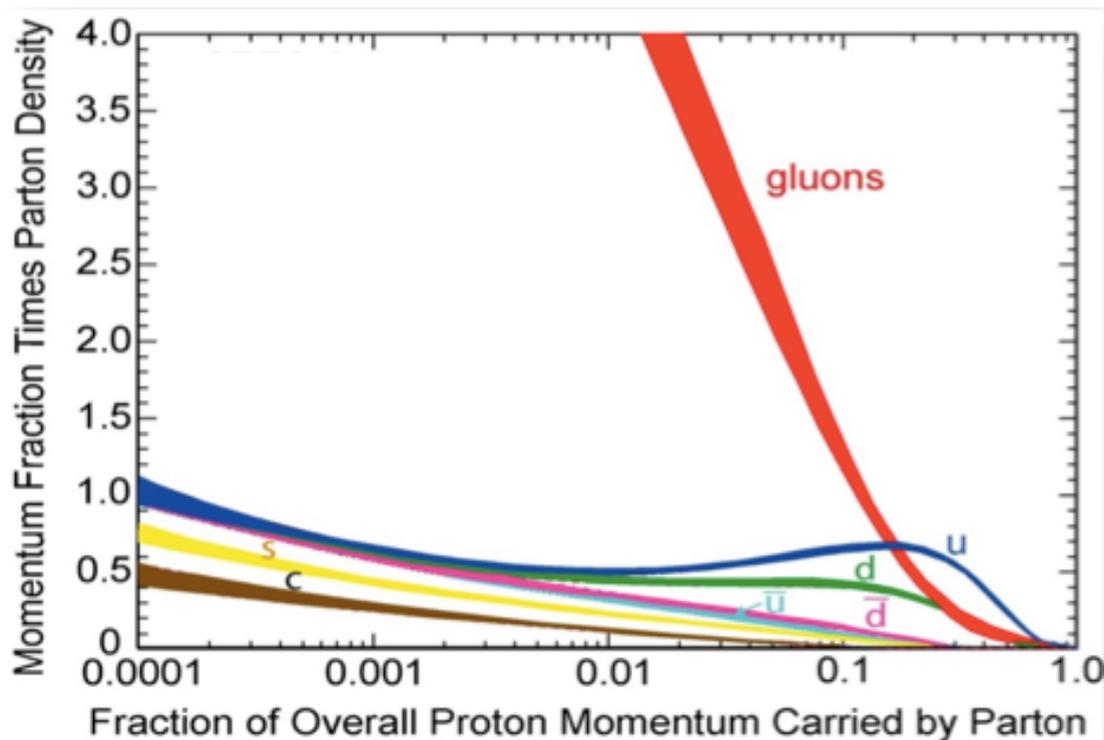
Courtesy of A. Deshpande

- * Gluons are charged under colour: can generate (and absorb) other gluons.
- * Nucleon probed at high energies, time dilation of strong interaction processes: gluons appear to live longer, emitting more and more gluons. Runaway growth! Runaway growth?

Saturation of gluon density

* Runaway growth of glue at low-x:

“...A small color charge in isolation builds up a big color thundercloud...”

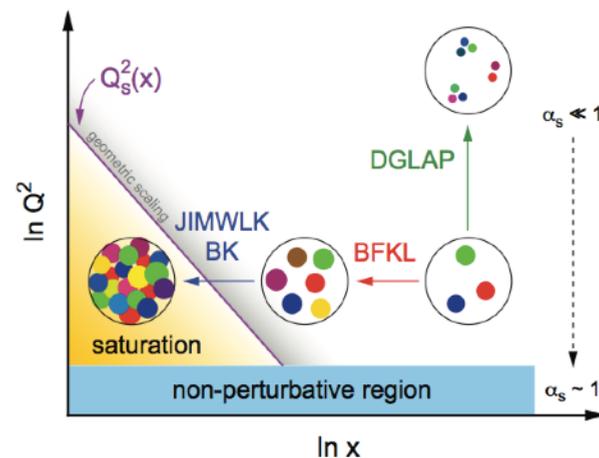


*F. Wilczek, in “Origin of Mass”
Nobel Prize, 2004*

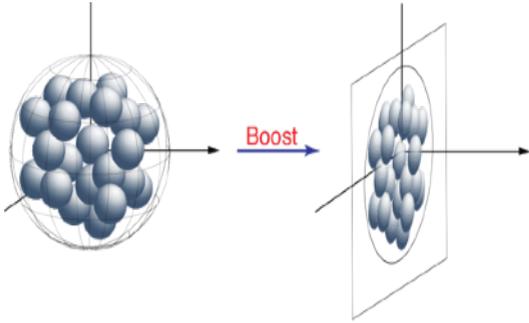
But somewhere it must saturate...

rate of  = rate of 

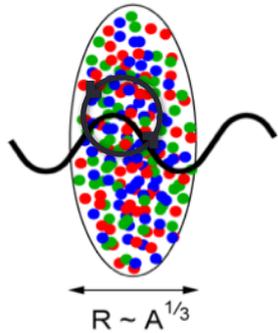
Recombination of gluons leads to saturation of gluon densities. Possible effective theory: **Colour Glass Condensate**.



Can we reach saturation at EIC?



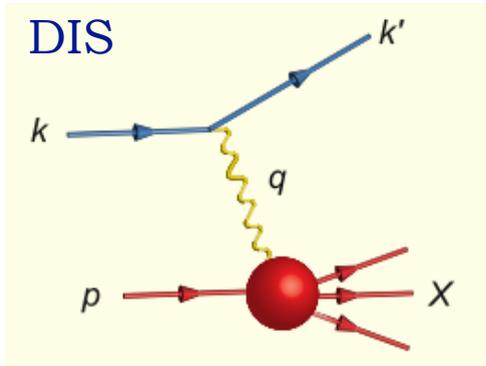
Saturation regime would be accessible at much lower energy in e - A collisions than e - p . You do not need a TeV collider!



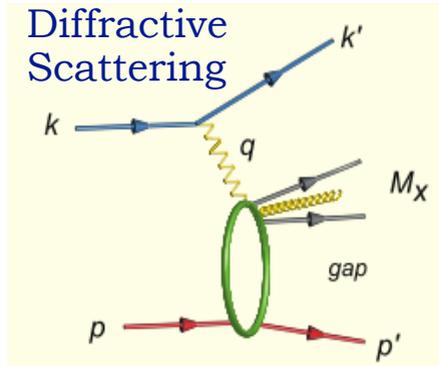
$$(Q_s^A)^2 \approx cQ_0^2 \left[\frac{A}{x} \right]^{1/3}$$

saturation scale

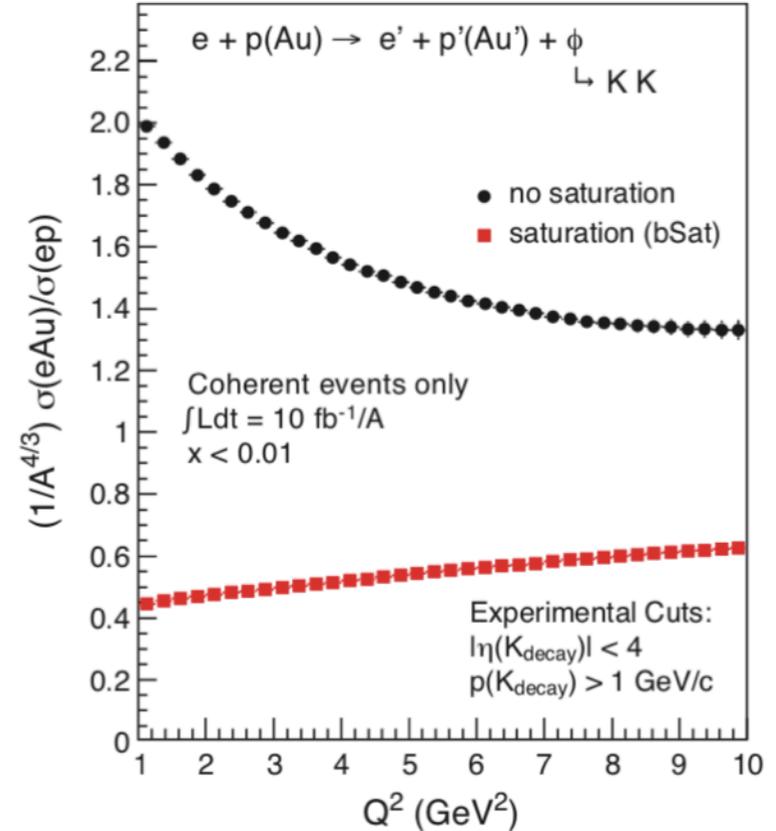
A powerful signature is diffractive cross-sections:



Saw ~10% diffractive events at HERA.



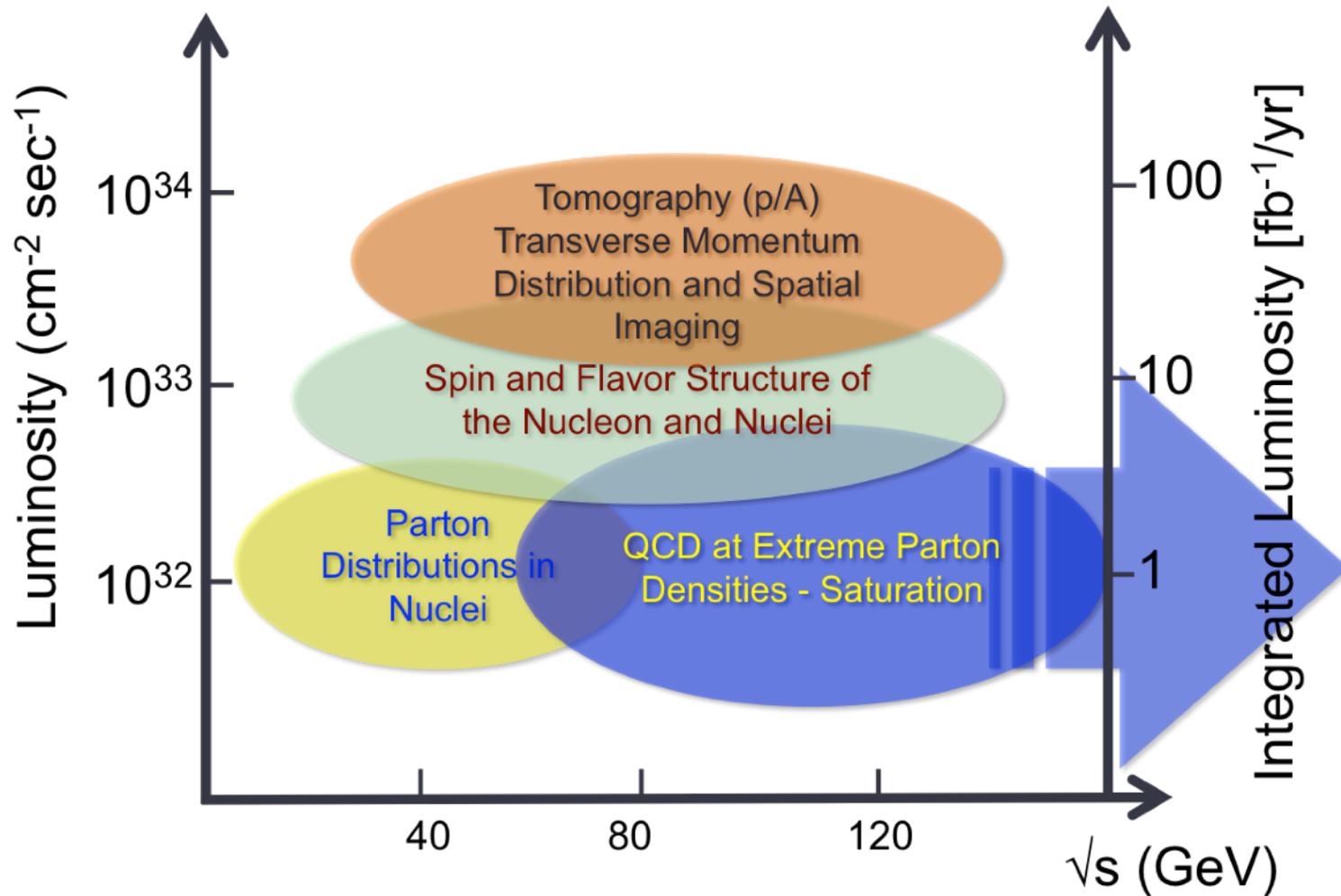
$$\sigma_{\text{diff}} \propto [g(x, Q^2)]^2$$



What do we want from the machine?

- * Parton imaging in 3D: high luminosity, $10^{33} - 34 \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ and above.
- * Wide coverage of phase space from low to high x and up to high Q^2 : variable centre of mass energy.
- * Spin structure: high polarisation of electrons (0.8) and light nuclei (0.7).
- * Studies of hadronisation, search for saturation at high gluon densities: a wide range of ion species up to the heaviest elements (p \rightarrow U).
- * Flavour tagging: large acceptance detectors with good PID capabilities.

What will we be able to do?



year = 10^7 sec

The two proposed sites

World's first polarized electron-proton/light ion and electron-Nucleus collider:

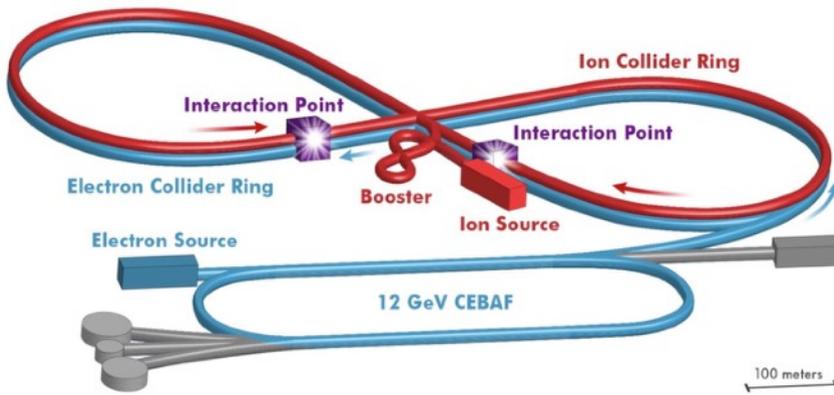
- * Polarized beams: e, p, d/³He
- * Wide range of nuclei
- * 20 - 100 (upgradable to 140) GeV variable CoM
- * Polarisation ~ 70%

Two proposals:

- * **JLEIC**: 3 - 10 GeV e⁻, up to 100 GeV/u ions, Luminosity $L \sim 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- * **eRHIC**: 5 - 18 GeV e⁻/e⁺, 50-275 GeV (p) and <100 GeV/u ions, $L \sim 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

JLEIC @ Jefferson Lab

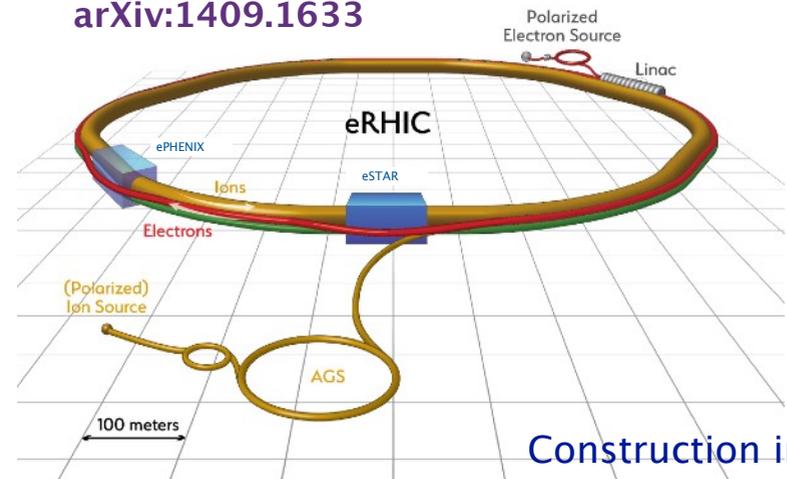
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eRHIC @ Brookhaven National Lab

arXiv:1409.1633

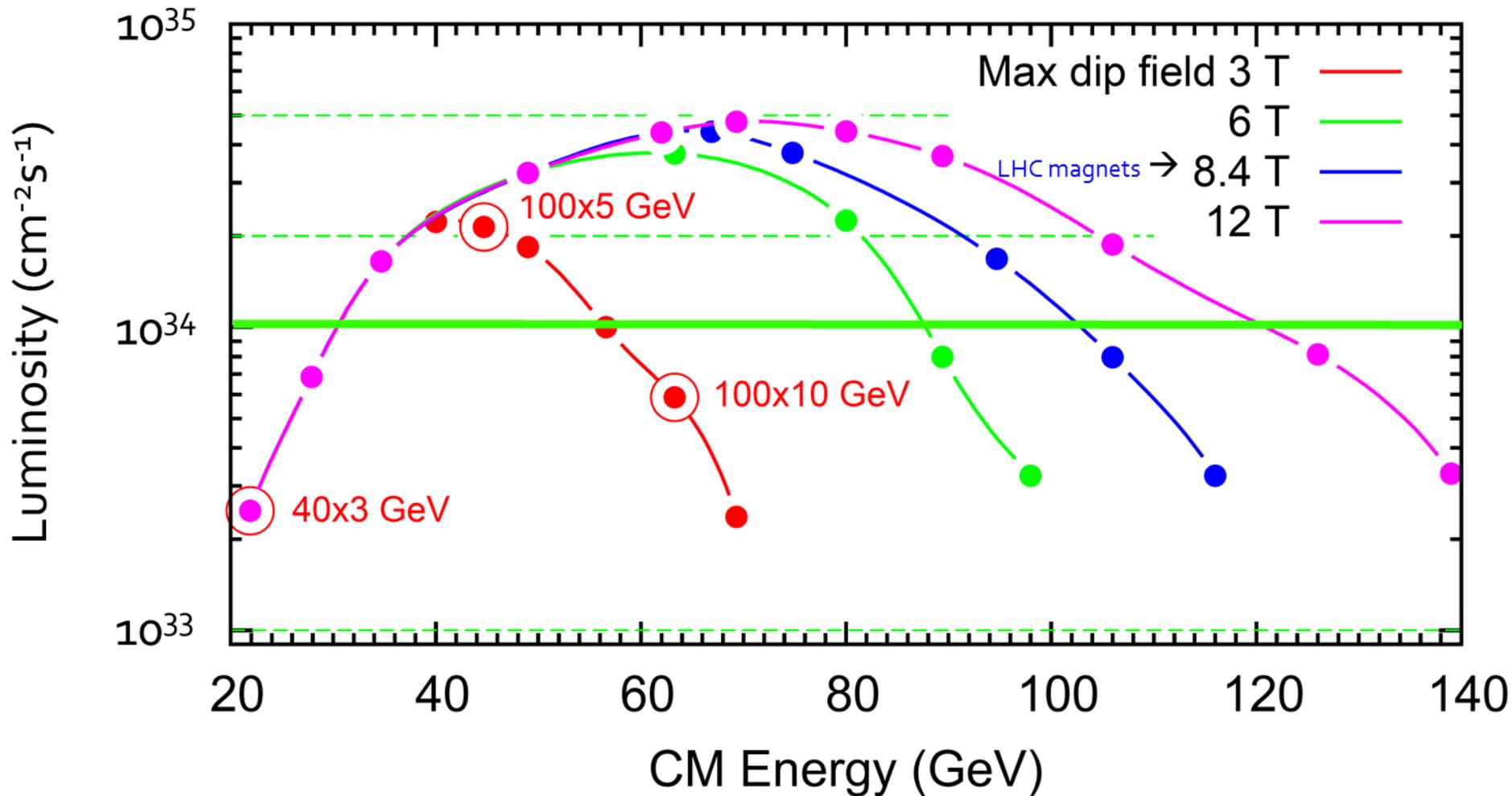
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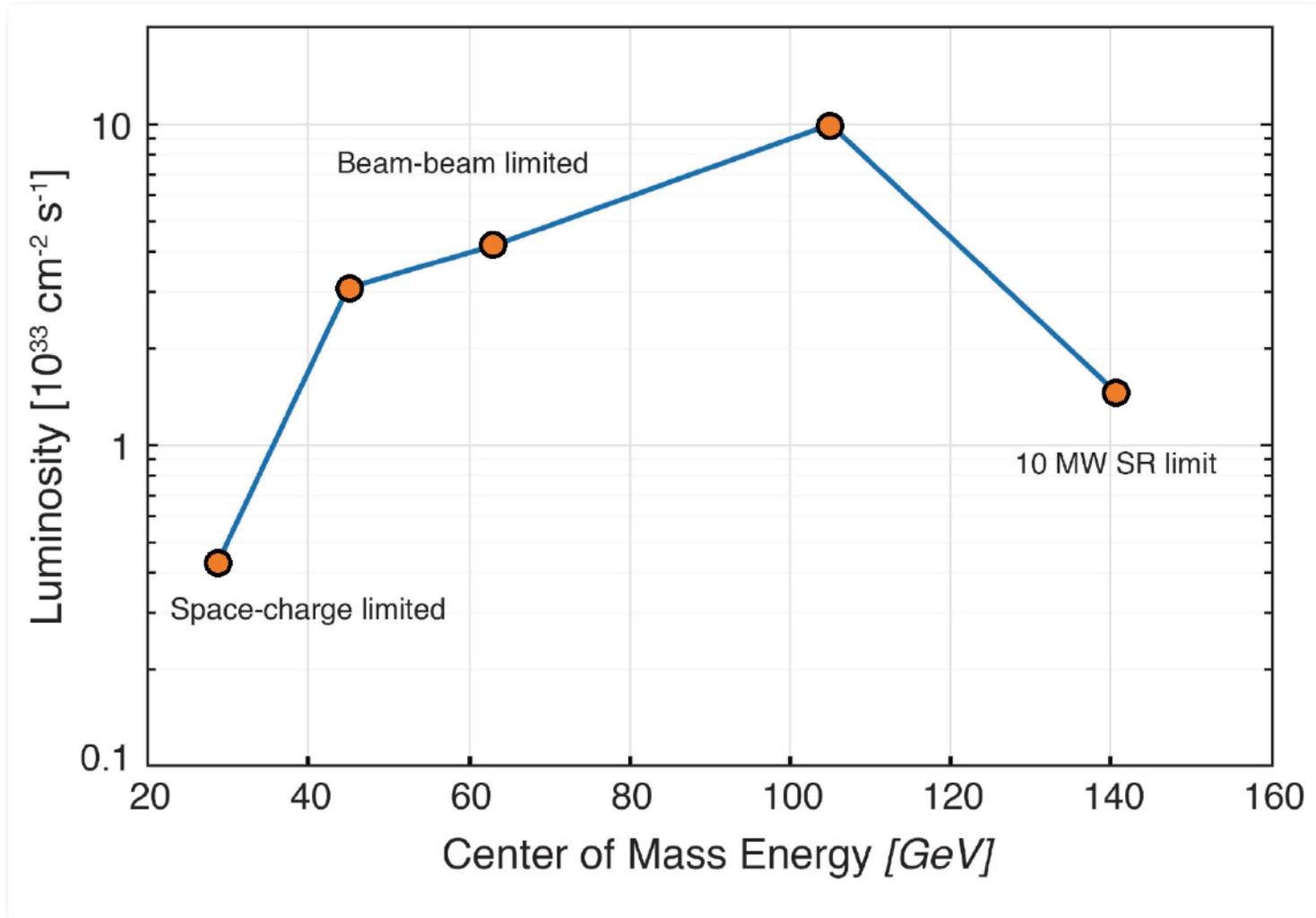
Construction in 2020s

Design in flux: physics case evolving, machine and detector design developing.

JLEIC Reach



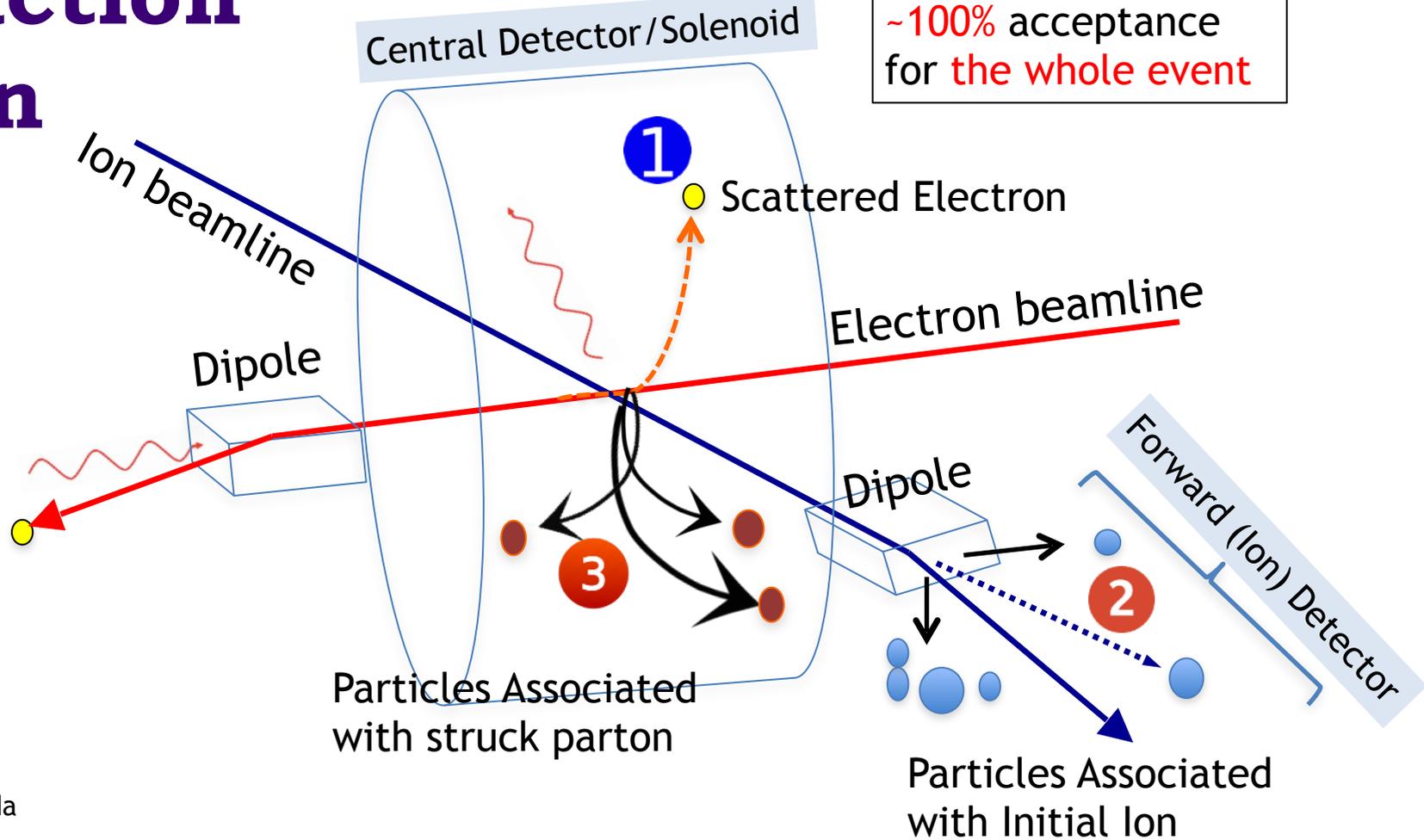
eRHIC Reach



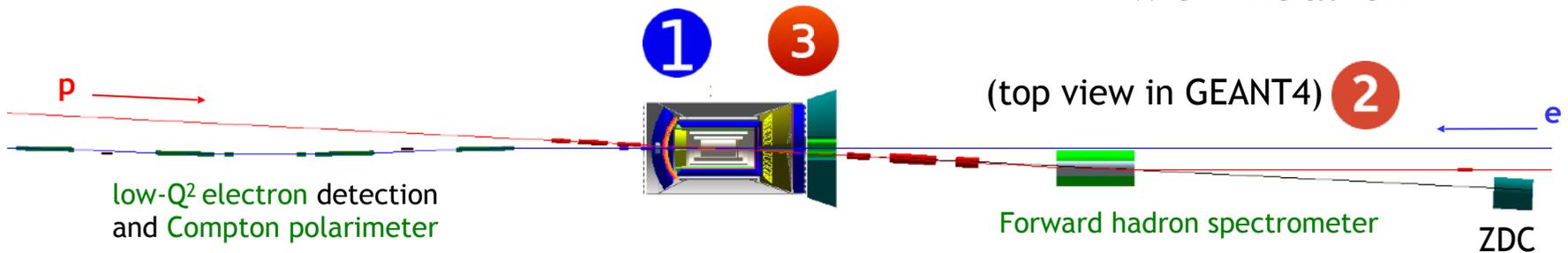
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Interaction Region

Possible to get ~100% acceptance for the whole event

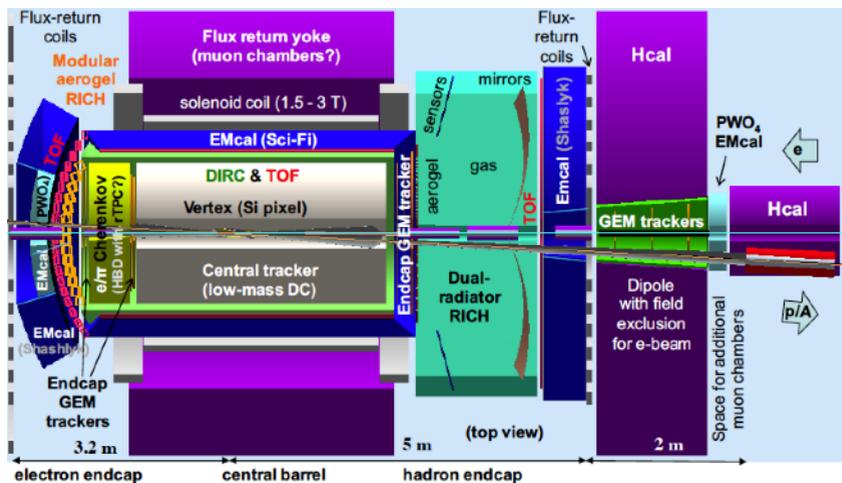


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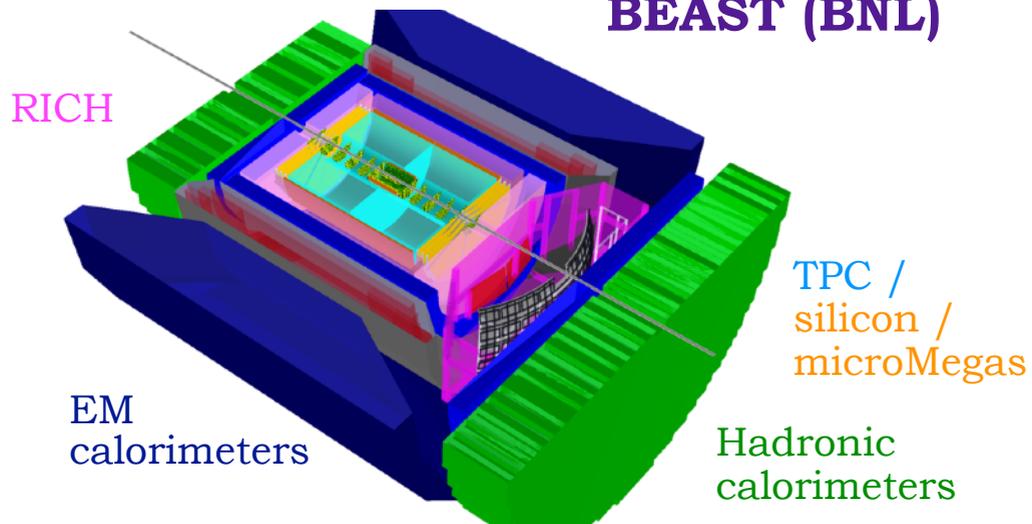


Main detector designs

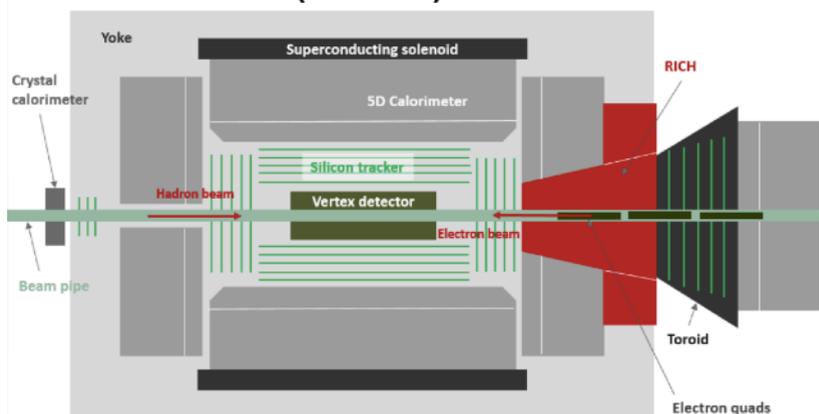
JLEIC detector (JLab)



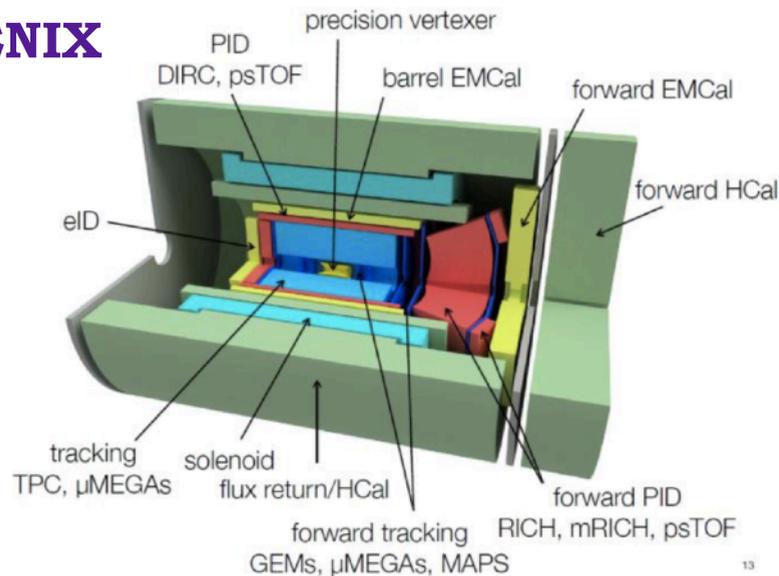
BEAST (BNL)



TOPside (Argonne)



ePHENIX (BNL)



The EIC Users Group

821 members, 173 Institutes, 30 Countries

475 experimentalists, 162 theorists, 142 accelerator-physicists, 42 other



To conclude

- * Success of the initial DVCS programme using **CLAS at Jefferson Lab with 6 GeV beams** — measurements of the cross-section, beam- target- and double-spin asymmetries in proton DVCS, constraints on CFF fits, first steps towards nucleon tomography and pressure distributions within nucleons.
- * JLab 12 GeV upgrade: 11 GeV to Hall B with **CLAS12**, opens a new region of phase space — high luminosity, high precision. **DVCS measurements** are a flagship part of the new programme, approved proposals aimed at greatly constraining CFF fits in a global analysis:
 - extraction of H and E from proton and neutron DVCS,
 - flavour separation of CFFs,
 - separation of pure DVCS amplitude from the interference term,
 - measurements at higher precision and statistics,
 - sensitivity to higher-twist contributions.
- * The EIC will be the first electron-ion collider providing polarised electrons and light ions, and unpolarised heavy ions. Two possible sites: JLab and BNL.
- * Combing a large variable centre-of-mass energy reach and an extremely high luminosity, it will allow measurements of very low cross-section processes from the valence quark region to the quark-gluon sea.
- * NAS Review report (July 2018) is extremely positive — expect CD0 stage (establishing mission need) ~ 2019, construction in the 2020s.



Thank you!



**Back-up
and sundry**

The DVCS/BH amplitude

$$\mathcal{T}^2 = |\mathcal{T}_{\text{BH}}|^2 + |\mathcal{T}_{\text{DVCS}}|^2 + \mathcal{I} \quad \leftarrow \text{Interference term for DVCS/BH}$$

$$|\mathcal{T}_{\text{BH}}|^2 = \frac{e^6}{x_B^2 y^2 (1 + \epsilon^2)^2 t \mathcal{P}_1(\phi) \mathcal{P}_2(\phi)} \left[c_0^{\text{BH}} + \sum_{n=1}^2 c_n^{\text{BH}} \cos n\phi + s_1^{\text{BH}} \sin \phi \right]$$

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$$\mathcal{I} = \frac{e^6}{x_B y^3 t \mathcal{P}_1(\phi) \mathcal{P}_2(\phi)} \left\{ c_0^{\mathcal{I}} + \sum_{n=1}^3 [c_n^{\mathcal{I}} \cos n\phi + s_n^{\mathcal{I}} \sin n\phi] \right\}$$

Intermediate lepton propagators

Coefficients depending on Compton Form Factors

From asymmetries to CFFs

At leading twist, beam-spin asymmetry (BSA) can be expressed as:

$$A_{\text{LU}}(\phi) \sim \frac{s_{1,\text{unp}}^{\mathcal{I}} \sin \phi}{c_{0,\text{unp}}^{\text{BH}} + (c_{1,\text{unp}}^{\text{BH}} + c_{1,\text{unp}}^{\mathcal{I}} + \dots) \cos \phi \dots} \quad \text{higher-twist terms...}$$

The leading coefficient is related to the imaginary part of the Compton Form Factors:

$$s_{1,\text{unp}}^{\mathcal{I}} \propto \Im[F_1 \mathcal{H} + \xi(F_1 + F_2) \tilde{\mathcal{H}} - \frac{t}{4M^2} F_2 \mathcal{E}]$$

F_1, F_2 : Dirac,
Pauli form factors

At CLAS kinematics, this dominates

Likewise, for the target-spin asymmetry (TSA):

$$A_{\text{UL}}(\phi) \sim \frac{s_{1,\text{LP}}^{\mathcal{I}} \sin \phi}{c_{0,\text{unp}}^{\text{BH}} + (c_{1,\text{unp}}^{\text{BH}} + c_{1,\text{unp}}^{\mathcal{I}} + \dots) \cos \phi + \dots}$$

$$s_{1,\text{LP}} \propto \Im[F_1 \tilde{\mathcal{H}} + \xi(F_1 + F_2) (\mathcal{H} + \frac{x_B}{2} \mathcal{E}) - \xi(\frac{x_B}{2} F_1 + \frac{t}{4M^2} F_2) \tilde{\mathcal{E}}]$$

* Obtain coefficients from fitting the phi-dependence of the asymmetry:

$$A_i = \frac{\alpha_i \sin \phi}{1 + \beta_i \cos \phi}$$

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At CLAS kinematics, these CFFs dominate

Double-spin asymmetry

At leading twist, double-spin asymmetry (DSA) can be expressed as:

$$A_{LL}(\phi) \sim \frac{c_{0,LP}^{BH} + c_{0,LP}^{\mathcal{I}} + (c_{1,LP}^{BH} + c_{1,LP}^{\mathcal{I}}) \cos \phi}{c_{0,unp}^{BH} + (c_{1,unp}^{BH} + c_{1,unp}^{\mathcal{I}} + \dots) \cos \phi \dots}$$

$$c_{0,LP}^{\mathcal{I}}, c_{1,LP}^{\mathcal{I}} \propto \Re[F_1 \hat{\mathcal{H}} + \xi(F_1 + F_2)(\mathcal{H} + \frac{x_B}{2} \mathcal{E}) - \xi(\frac{x_B}{2} F_1 + \frac{t}{4M^2} F_2) \tilde{\mathcal{E}}]$$

At CLAS kinematics, leading-twist dominance of these CFFs

* Fit function for the phi-dependence of the asymmetry: $\frac{\kappa_{LL} + \lambda_{LL} \cos \phi}{1 + \beta \cos \phi}$

Shares denominator with BSA and TSA!

If measurements at same kinematics, can do a simultaneous fit.

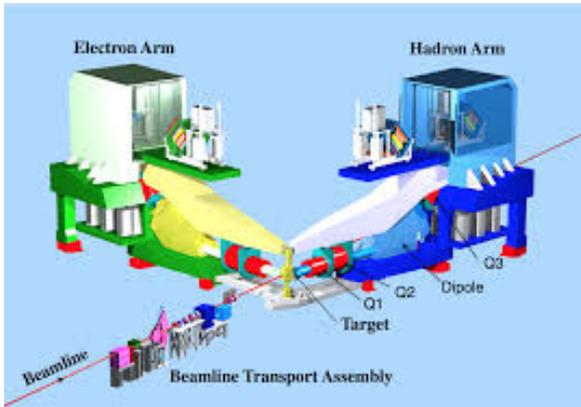
Jefferson Lab: 6 GeV era

CEBAF: Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility.

- * Energy up to ~ 6 GeV
- * Energy resolution $\delta E/E_e \sim 10^{-5}$
- * Longitudinal electron polarisation up to $\sim 85\%$

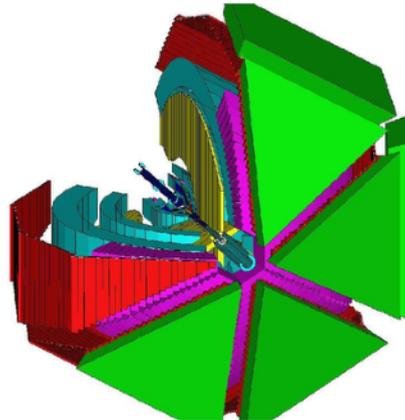


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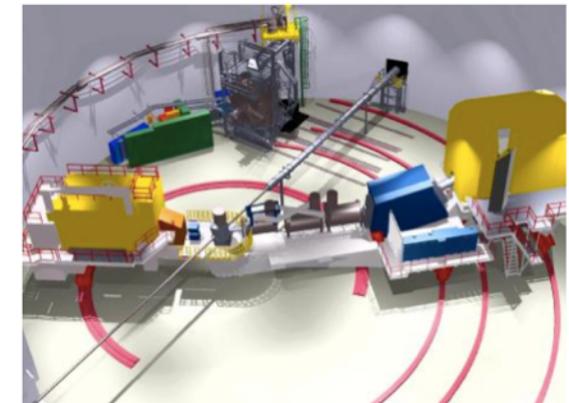
- * High resolution ($\delta p/p = 10^{-4}$) spectrometers, very high luminosity.

Hall B: CLAS



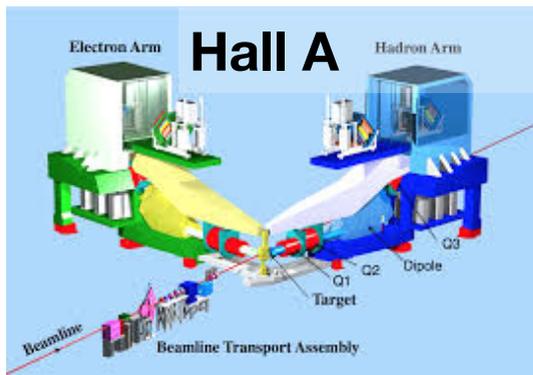
- * Very large acceptance, detector array for multi-particle final states.

Hall C:

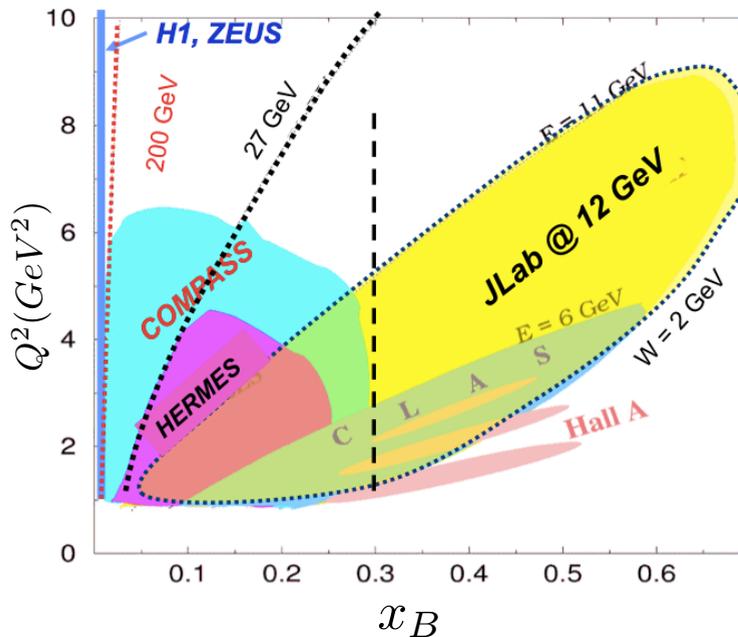


- * Two movable spectrometer arms, well-defined acceptance, high luminosity

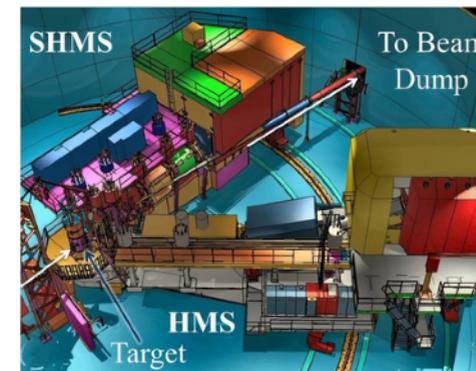
JLab @ 12 GeV



High resolution ($\delta p/p = 10^{-4}$) spectrometers, very high luminosity, large installation experiments.



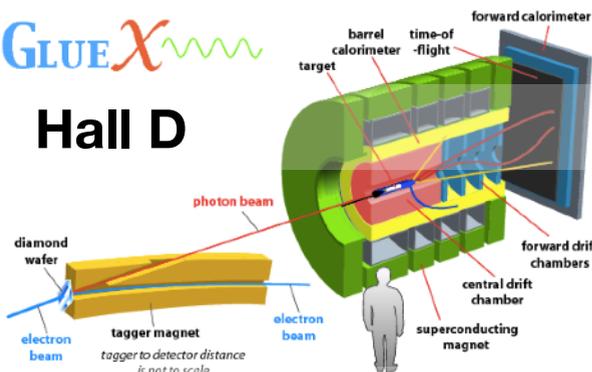
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Two movable high momentum spectrometers, well-defined acceptance, very high luminosity.

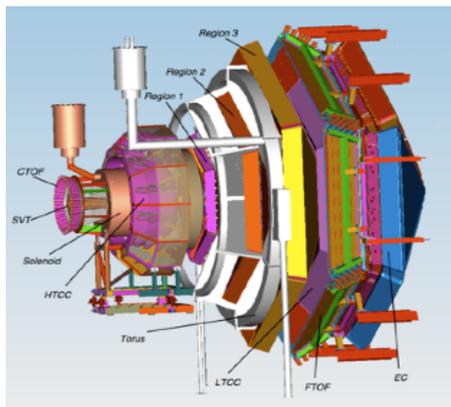
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Hall D



9 GeV tagged polarised photons, full acceptance

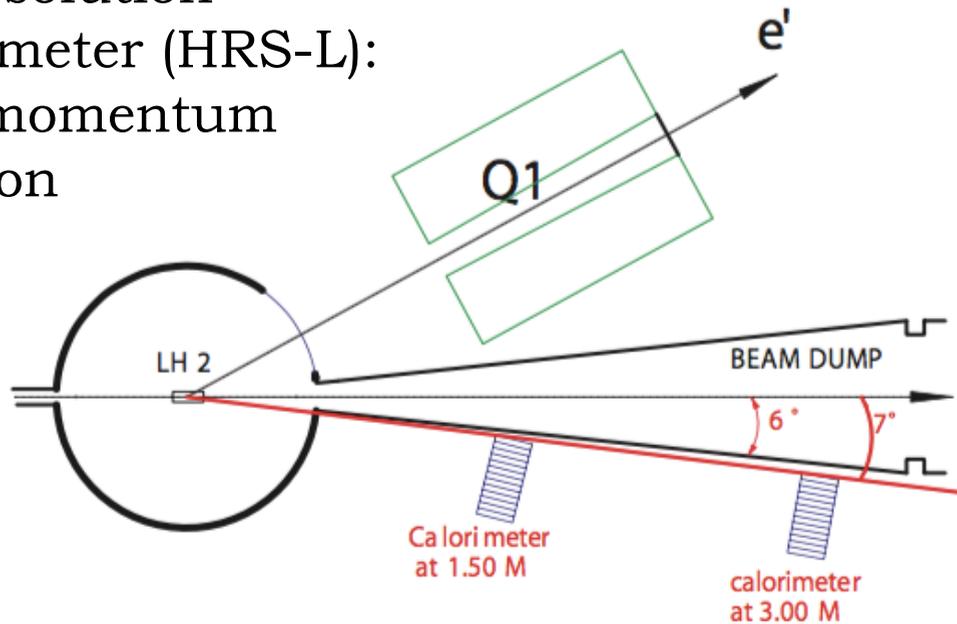
Hall B: CLAS12



Very large acceptance, high luminosity.

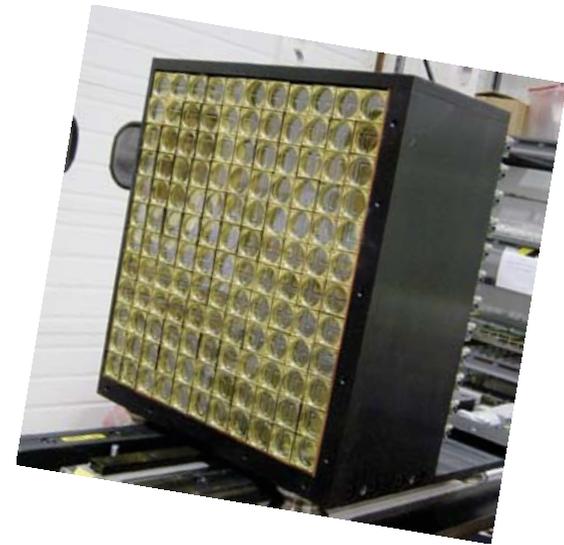
DVCS in Hall A @ 11 GeV

Detect electron in the Left
High Resolution
Spectrometer (HRS-L):
0.01% momentum
resolution



Detect photon in
 PbF_2 calorimeter:
< 3% energy
resolution

Reconstruct recoiling proton through
missing mass.



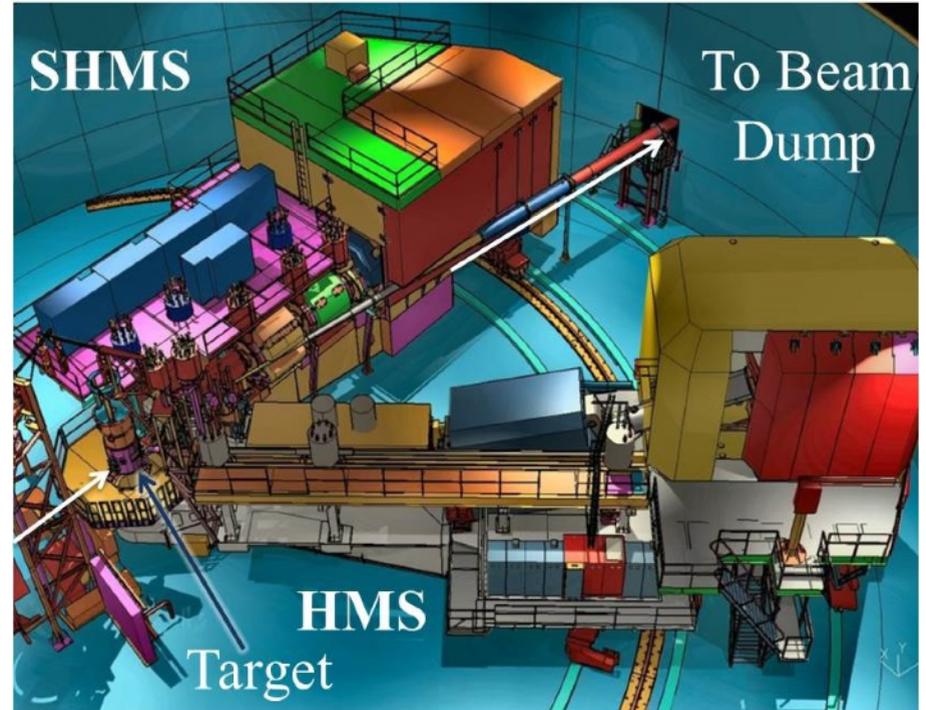
DVCS in Hall C @ 11 GeV

Detect electron with (Super) High Momentum Spectrometer, (S)HMS.

Detect photon in PbWO_4 calorimeter.

Sweeping magnet to reduce backgrounds in calorimeter.

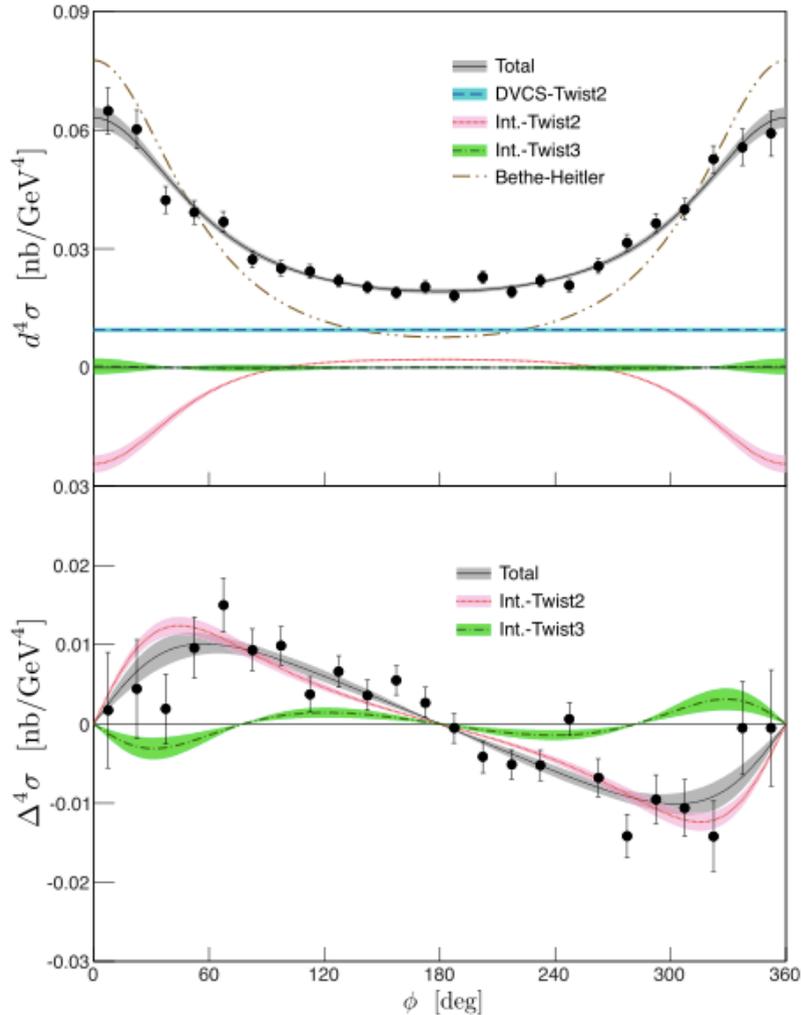
Reconstruct recoiling proton through missing mass.



First DVCS cross-sections in valence region

Hall A

* Hall A, ran in 2004, high precision, narrow kinematic range. Q^2 : 1.5 - 2.3 GeV^2 , $x_B = 0.36$.

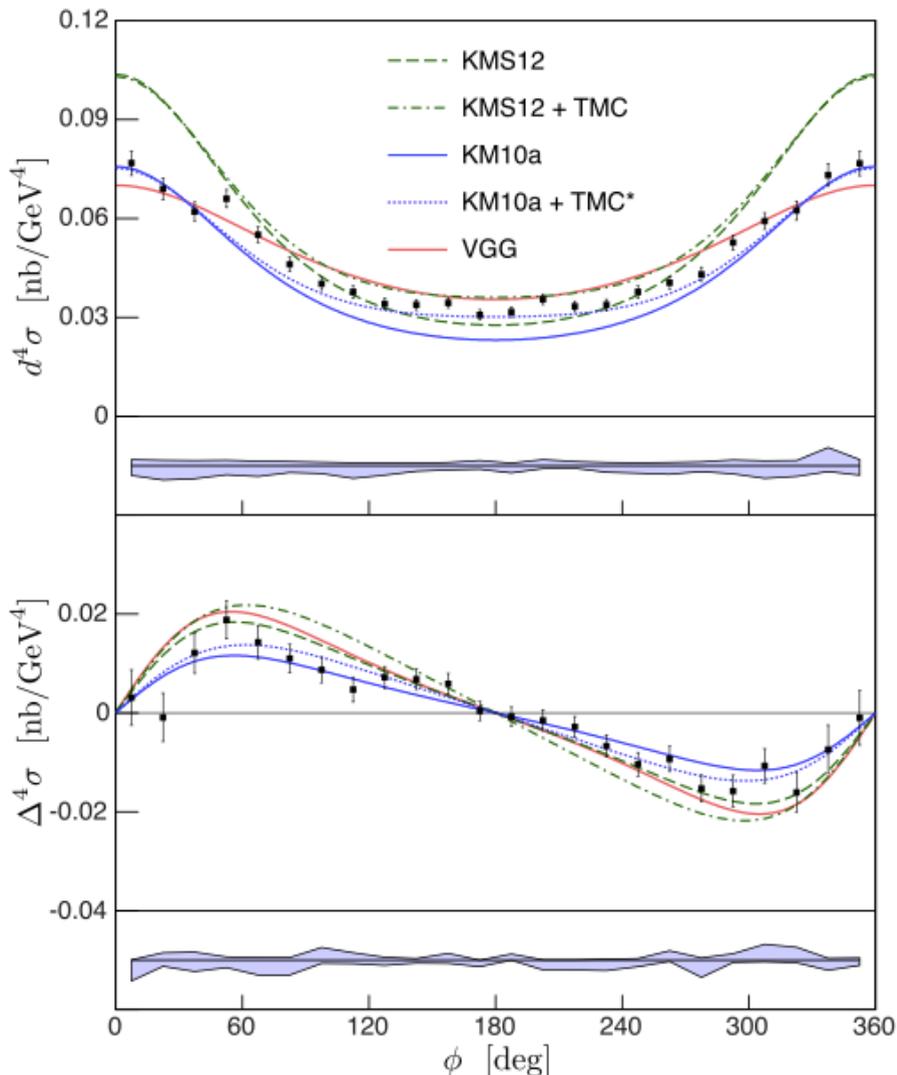


$x_B = 0.36, Q^2 = 2.3 \text{ GeV}^2, -t = 0.32 \text{ GeV}^2$

- * CFFs show scaling in DVCS: leading twist (twist-2) dominance at this moderate Q^2 .
- * Strong deviation of DVCS cross-section from BH: extraction of $|T_{DVCS}|^2$ amplitude as well as interference terms.
- * Separation of real part of the twist-2 interference term and the $|T_{DVCS}|^2$ amplitude is very sensitive to relative cross-sections at $\phi = 0^\circ$ and $\phi = 180^\circ$.

First DVCS cross-sections in valence region

Hall A



$$x_B = 0.36, Q^2 = 1.9 \text{ GeV}^2, -t = 0.32 \text{ GeV}^2$$

- * High precision of the data: sensitivity to subtle differences in model predictions.

VGG model: Vanderhaeghen, Guichon, Guidal

KMS model: Kroll, Moutarde, Sabatié

KM model: Kumericki, Mueller

TMC: kinematic twist-4 target-mass and finite- t corrections, calculated for proton DVCS and estimated for KMS12.

- * KMS parameters tuned on very low x_B meson-production data: not adapted to valence quarks.



TMC*: TMC extracted from the KMS12 model and applied to KM10a.

- * TMC improve agreement for KM10a model, especially at $\phi = 180^\circ$. Higher-twist effects?

The devil is in the detail...

Here comes the twist...

* Twist: powers of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{Q^2}}$ in the DVCS amplitude. Leading-twist (LT) is twist-2.

* Order: introduces powers of α_s

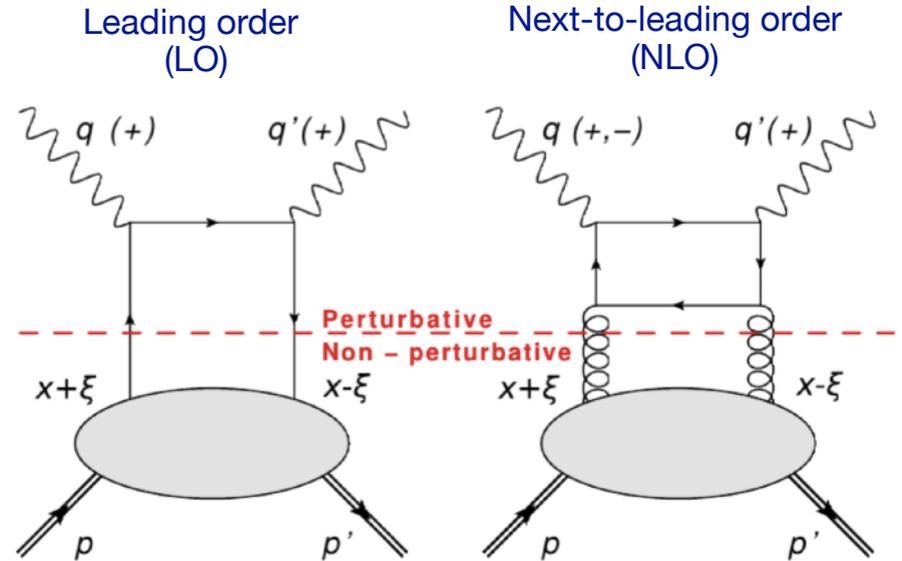
* LO requires $Q^2 \gg M^2$ (M : target mass)

Bold assumption for JLab 6 GeV kinematics!

* CFFs can be classified according to real and virtual photon helicity:

\mathcal{F}_{++}
↖ helicity of real produced photon
↙ helicity of virtual incoming photon

- Helicity-conserved CFFs — \mathcal{F}_{++}
- Helicity-flip (transverse) — \mathcal{F}_{-+}
- Longitudinal to transverse flip — \mathcal{F}_{0+}



* CFFs contributing to the scattering amplitude:

- LT in LO: only \mathcal{F}_{++}
- LT in NLO: both \mathcal{F}_{++} and \mathcal{F}_{-+}
- Twist-3: \mathcal{F}_{0+}

Here comes the twist...

* At finite Q^2 and non-zero t there's ambiguity in defining the light-cone axis:

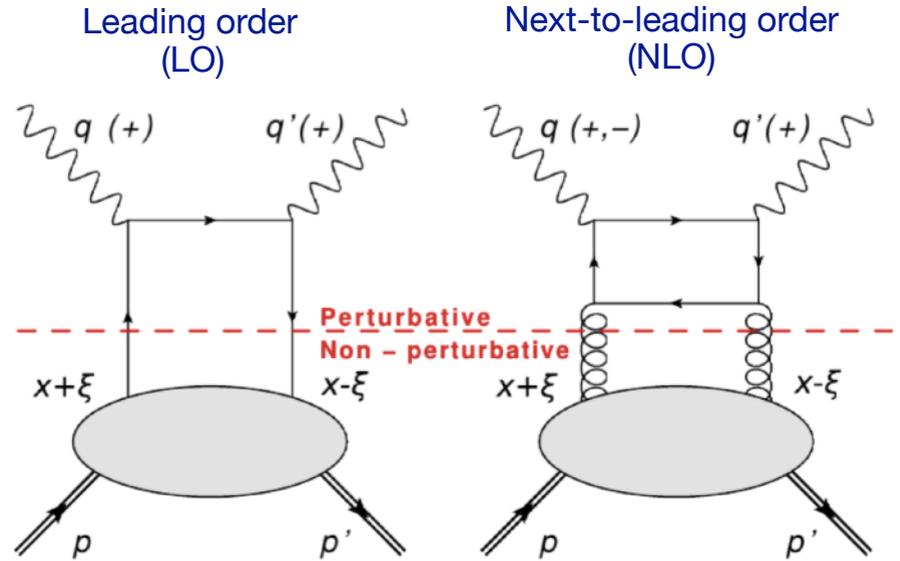
- Traditional GPD phenomenology uses the Belitsky convention, in plane of q and P :
A. Belitsky *et al*, **Nucl. Phys. B878** (2014), 214
- New, Braun definition using q and q' :
more natural.
V. Braun *et al*, **Phys. Rev. D89** (2014), 074022

Reformulating CFFs in this frame absorbs most kinematic power corrections (TMC):

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}_{++} &= \mathbb{F}_{++} + \frac{\chi}{2} [\mathbb{F}_{++} + \mathbb{F}_{-+}] - \chi_0 \mathbb{F}_{0+} \\ \mathcal{F}_{-+} &= \mathbb{F}_{-+} + \frac{\chi}{2} [\mathbb{F}_{++} + \mathbb{F}_{-+}] - \chi_0 \mathbb{F}_{0+} \\ \mathcal{F}_{0+} &= -(1 + \chi) \mathbb{F}_{0+} + \chi_0 [\mathbb{F}_{++} + \mathbb{F}_{-+}] \end{aligned}$$

Belitsky
CFFs

Braun CFFs



Assuming LO and LT in the Braun frame leaves higher-twist, higher-order contributions in the Belitsky frame, scaled by kinematic factors χ and χ_0 .

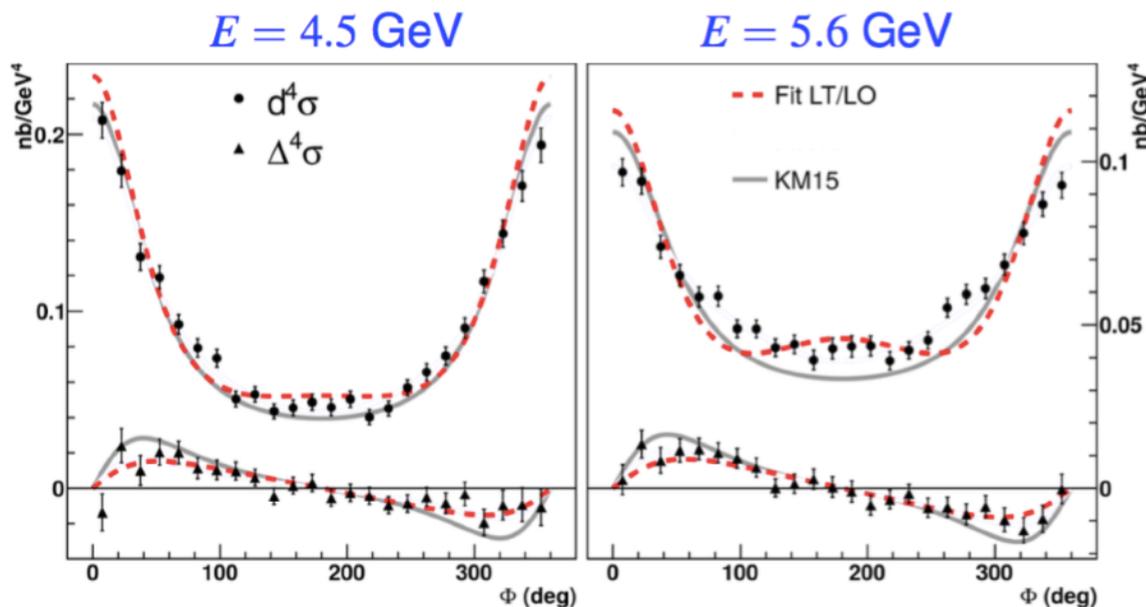
Non-negligible at the Q^2 and x_B of the Hall A cross-section measurement!

Hints of higher twist or higher orders

- * Strong deviation of the measured cross-section from Bethe-Heitler: a beam-energy scan can be used to identify pure DVCS and interference terms in a Rosenbluth-like separation, and to look for higher-twist effects.



E07-007: Hall A experiment to measure helicity-dependent and -independent cross-sections at two beam energies and constant x_B and t .

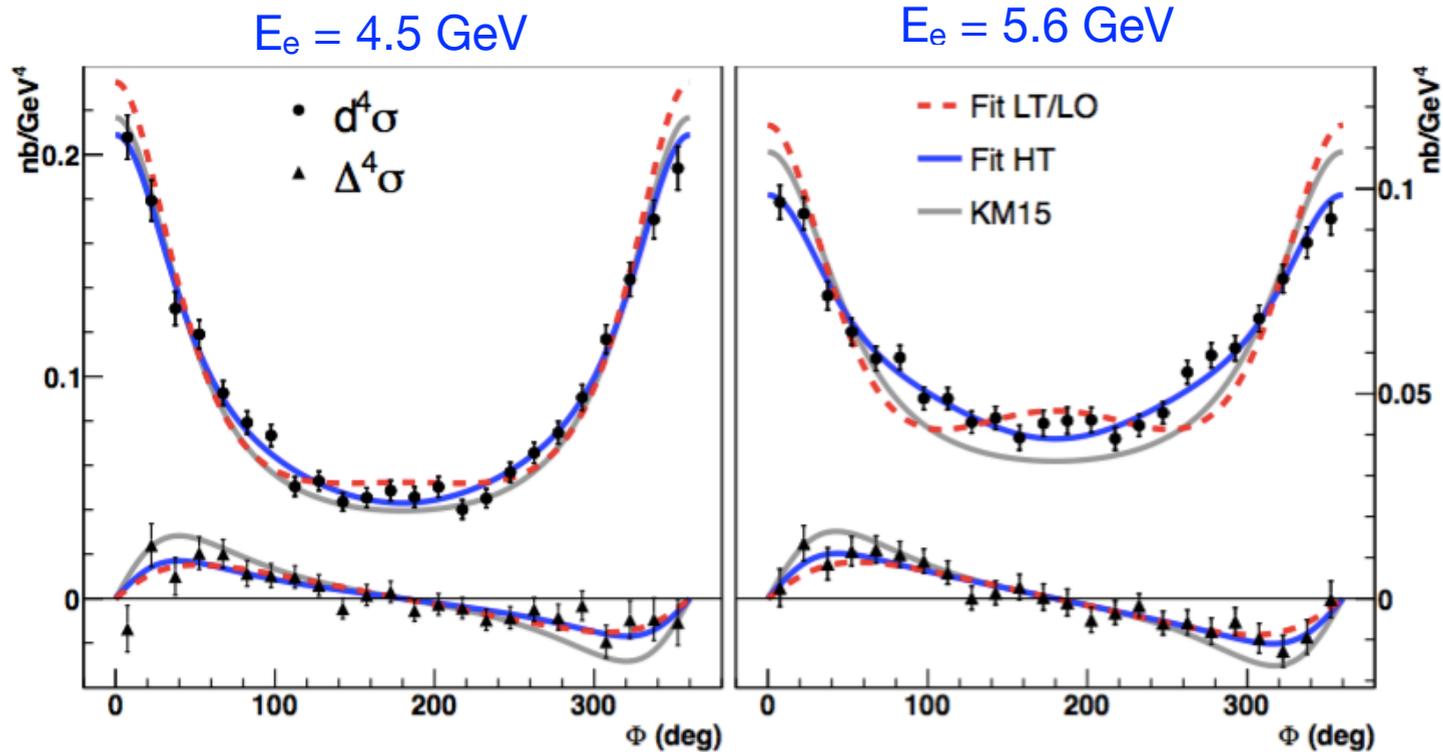


- * Simultaneous fit to cross-sections at both energies and three values of Q^2 using only leading twist and leading order (LT/LO) do not describe the cross-sections fully: **higher twist/order effects?**

Using Braun's decomposition, \mathbb{H}_{-+} and \mathbb{H}_{0+} can't be neglected.

Hints of higher twist or higher orders

- * Including either higher order or higher twist effects (HT) improves the match with data:



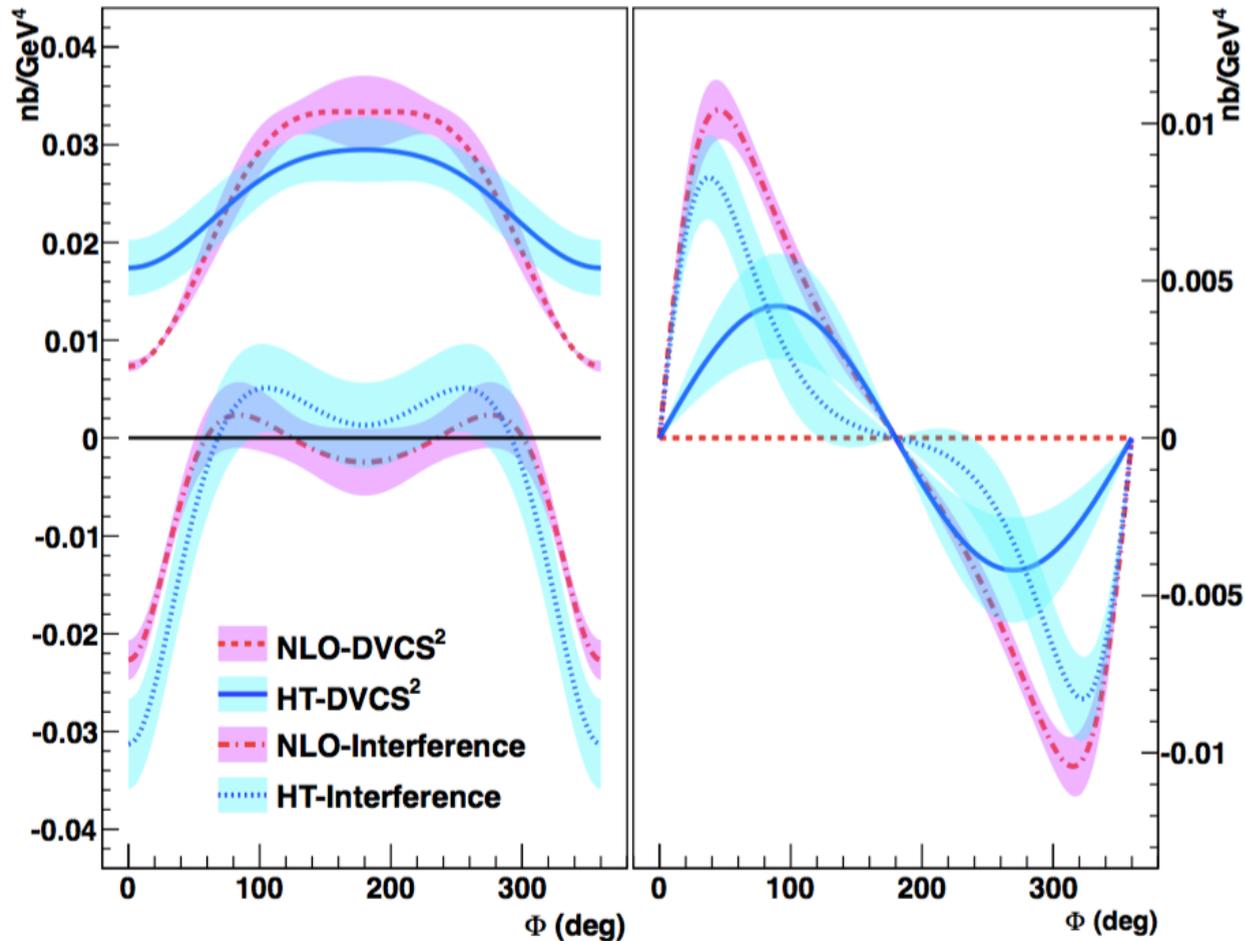
Higher-order and / or higher-twist terms are important! A glimpse of gluons.

Wider range of beam energy needed to identify the dominant effect \longrightarrow **JLab at 11 GeV.**

Rosenbluth separation of DVCS² and BH-DVCS terms

Hall A

- * Generalised Rosenbluth separation of the DVCS² and the BH-DVCS interference terms in the cross-section is possible but NLO and/or higher-twist required.



- * Significant differences between pure DVCS and interference contributions.
- * Helicity-dependent cross-section has a sizeable DVCS² contribution in the higher-twist scenario.
- * Separation of HT and NLO effects requires scans across wider ranges of Q^2 and beam energy: JLab12!

DVCS Cross-sections: Halls A and C

Experiments:

E12-06-114 (Hall A, 100 days),

E12-13-010 (Hall C, 53 days)

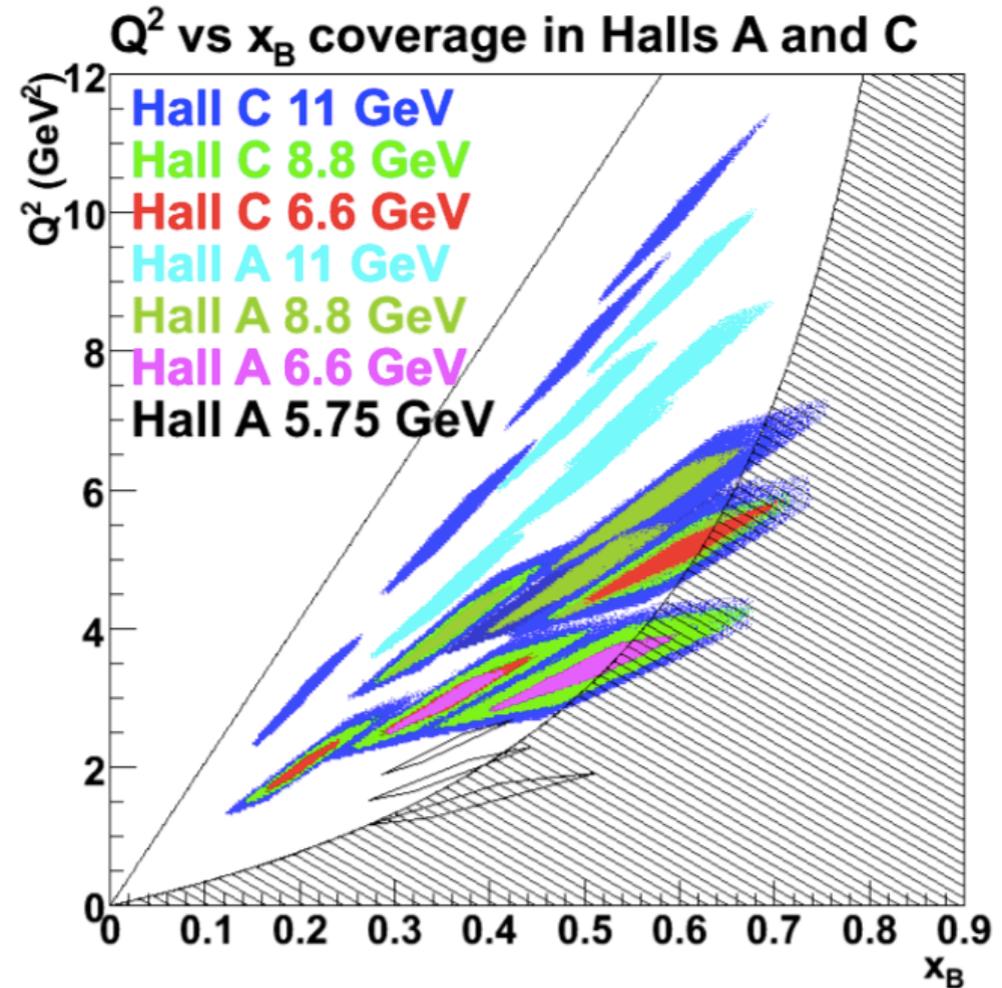
*C. Muñoz Camacho et al.,
C. Hyde et al.*

Unpolarised liquid H₂ target:

- Beam energies: 6.6, 8.8, 11 GeV
- Scans of Q^2 at fixed x_B .
- Hall A: aim for absolute cross-sections with 4% relative precision.

* Azimuthal, energy and helicity dependencies of cross-section to separate $|T_{DVCS}|^2$ and interference contributions in a wide kinematic coverage.

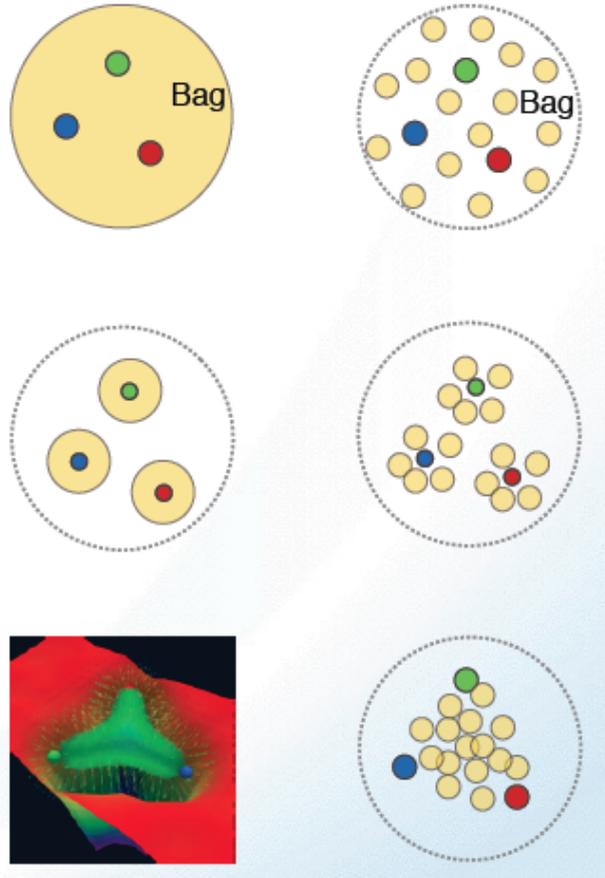
* Separate *Re* and *Im* parts of the DVCS amplitude.



Hall A started taking data last spring!

Interpretations of the nucleon

What do spatial distributions tell us?



Bag Model: Gluon field distribution is wider than the fast moving quarks.

Gluon radius > Charge Radius

Constituent Quark Model: Gluons and sea quarks hide inside massive quarks.

Gluon radius ~ Charge Radius

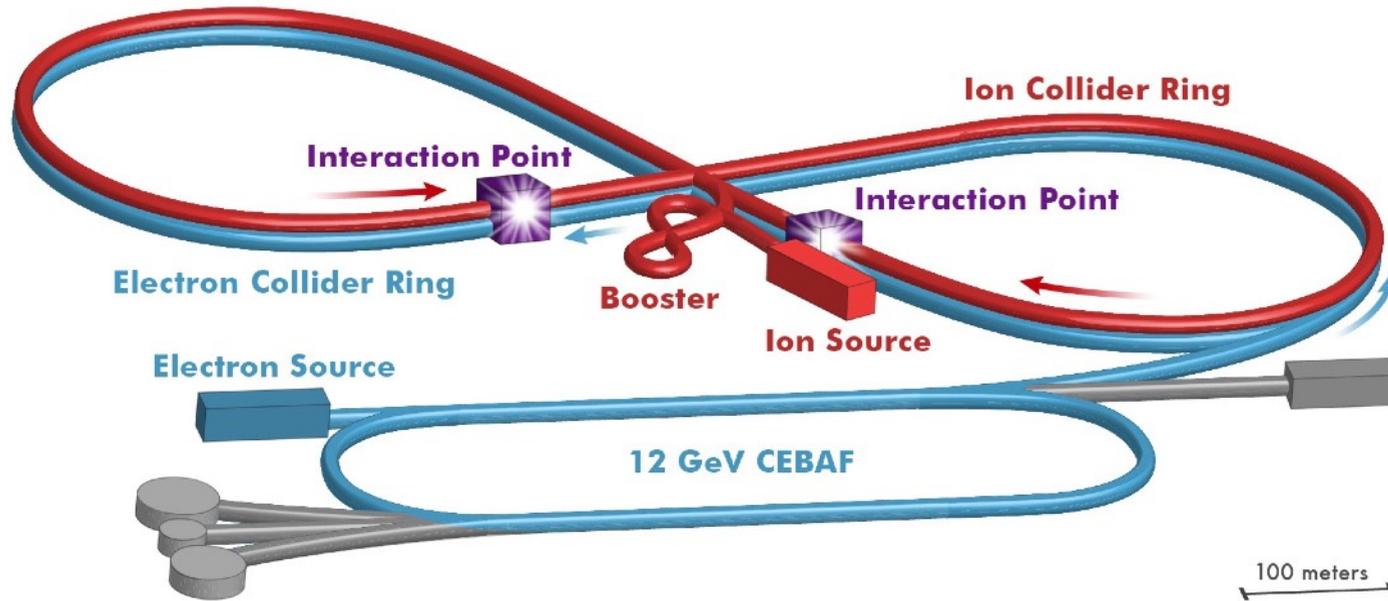
Lattice Gauge theory (with slow moving quarks), gluons more concentrated inside the quarks:

Gluon radius < Charge Radius

Courtesy of A. Deshpande

**Need transverse images of the quarks
and gluons in confinement**

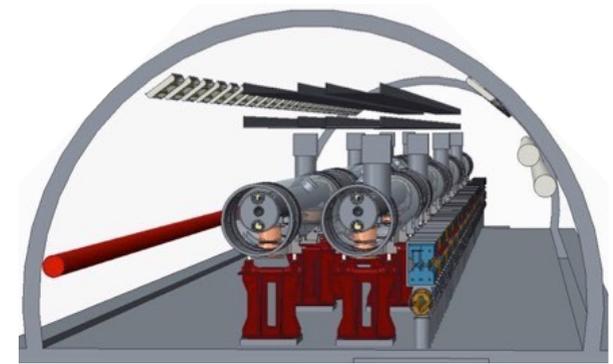
JLEIC



- * Use CEBAF as full-energy injector (polarisation $\sim 85\%$). Addition of an ion source, booster, and a figure-of-8 collider ring for electrons and ions.
- * High luminosity reached through small beam size (small emittance through cooling and low bunch charge with high repetition).
- * High polarisation through figure-of-8 design (net spin precession is zero, spin controlled with small magnets)

eRHIC

- * Exploit current 275 GeV proton collider by adding a 5-18 GeV electron storage ring in the same tunnel.
- * High luminosity requires novel technologies of hadron cooling — currently most promising is micro-bunched electron-beam cooling with 2 plasma amplification stages.



- * 29 - 141 GeV CoM energies

- * Polarised electron source and 400 MeV SLAC-type injector LINAC, 10 nA.

- * Harmonic spin matching for higher polarisation (~80%).

- * Highest risk in the design: hadron cooling for high luminosity (factor of ~3).

