NLO Corrections to Heavy Flavour Distributions in Polarized Deep-Inelastic Scattering

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Outline

[for a wide introduction see *Phys.Rev. D98 (2018) no.1, 014018* or *PoS DIS2018 (2018) 155*]

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- need improved charm tagging
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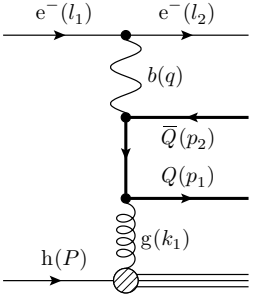

- $x = \frac{Q^2}{2q\cdot P}$ and $Q^2 = -q^2 = -(l_1 - l_2)^2$
- massless lepton/hadron $l_1^2 = 0 = P^2$
- parity conserving
  - unpolarized: F_1, F_2
  - polarized: g_1
- parity violating
  - unpolarized: F_3
  - polarized: g_4, g_5
- use cms of b^*h with $\vec{P} \sim \hat{z}$

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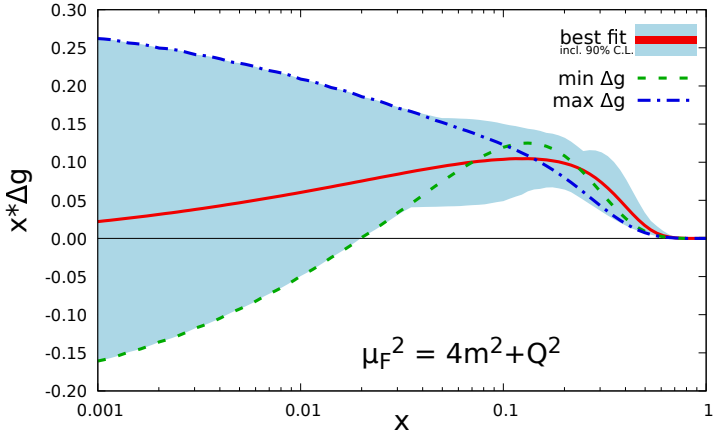
- structure function = $\int$ PDF $\otimes$ ME dPS

Distributions - PDF

- use $\bar{c}$-quark and DSSV2014[de Florian,Sassot,Stratmann,Vogelsang]



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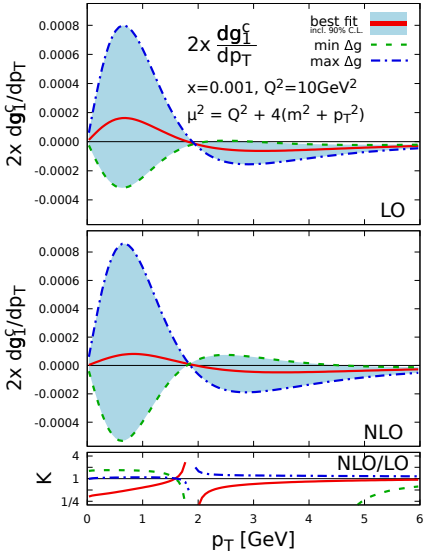

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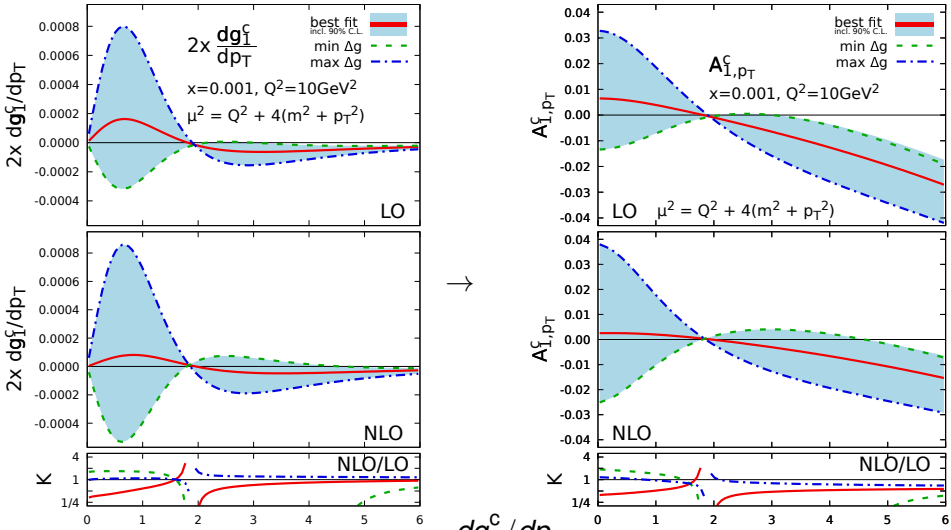

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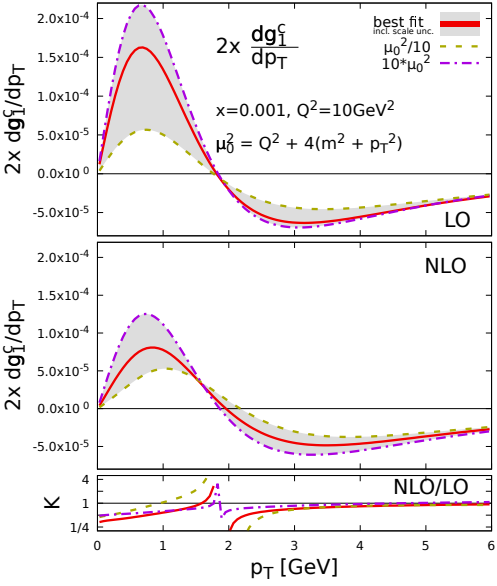

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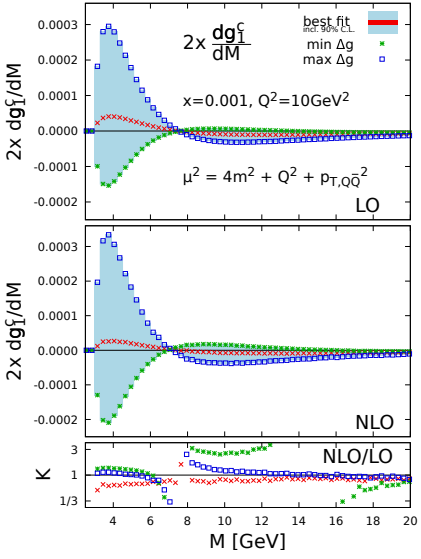

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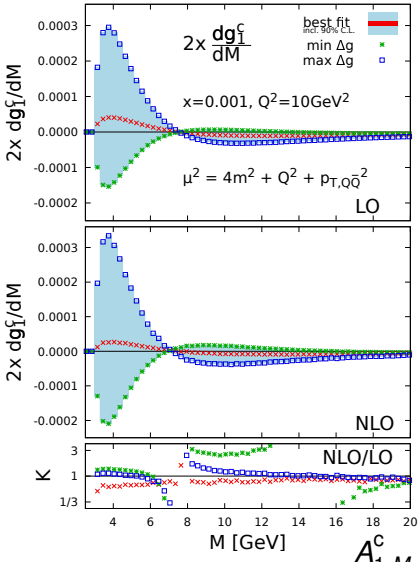

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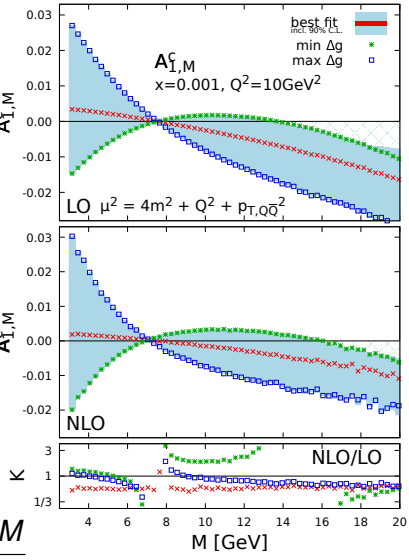

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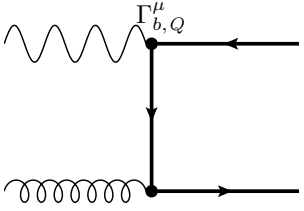
Neutral Current - Full Neutral Current DIS

define coupling of vector boson $b(q)$ to fermion f: $-ie\Gamma^{\mu}_{b,f}$ with

$$\Gamma^{\mu}_{b,f} = g^{V}_{b,f}\Gamma^{\mu}_{V} + g^{A}_{b,f}\Gamma^{\mu}_{A} = g^{V}_{b,f}\gamma^{\mu} + g^{A}_{b,f}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma^{5}, \quad b \in \{\gamma, Z\}, f \in \{\ell, q, Q\}$$

decompose partonic coefficient functions by vector/axial-vector currents:



$$B^{VV}_{F_1}, B^{VV}_{F_2}, B^{VV}_{g_1}$$
$$B^{VA}_{F_3}, B^{VA}_{g_4}, B^{VA}_{g_5}$$
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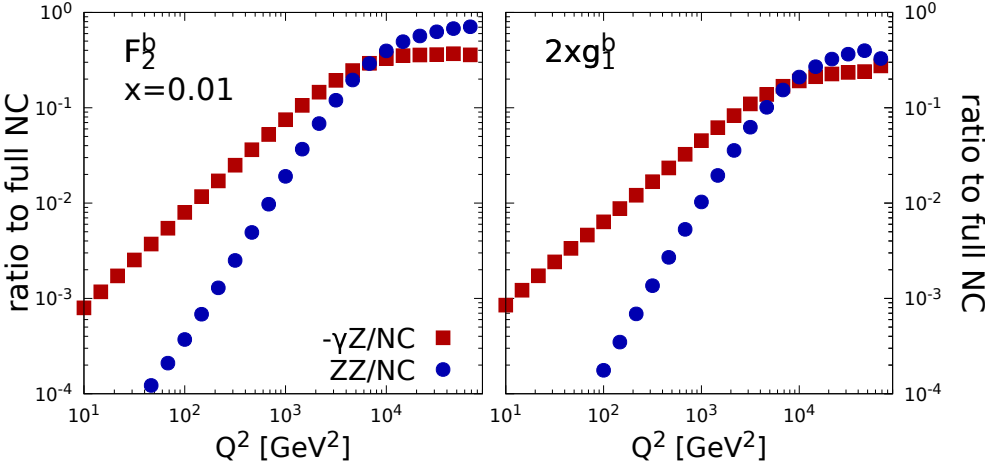
now: change to $\overline{\text{b}}$-quark and use NNPDF sets[NNPDF Collaboration]

Neutral Current - Fully Inclusive Structure Functions



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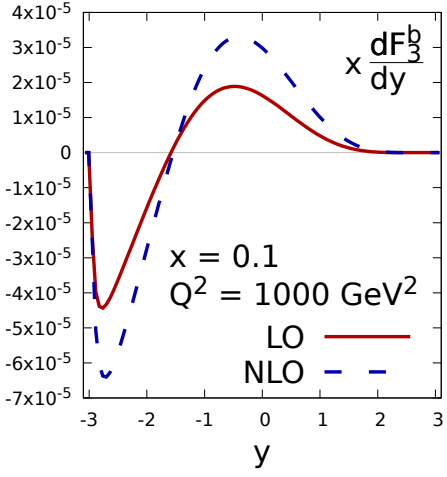

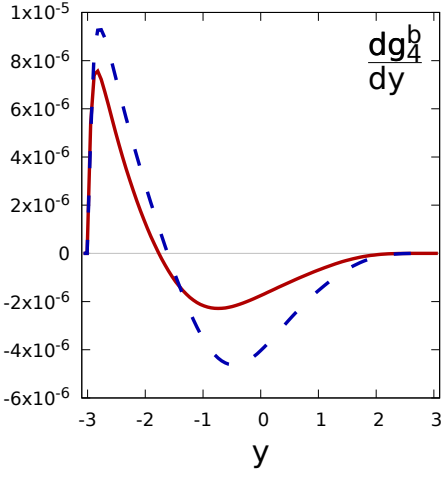

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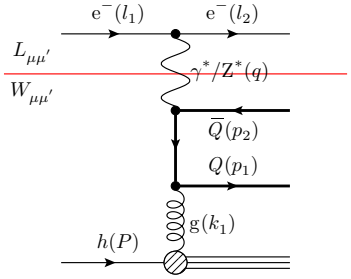

Deep Inelastic Scattering:

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$$d\sigma \sim L^{\mu\mu'} W_{\mu\mu'} \text{ with } \hat{P}_\mu = P_\mu - \frac{P \cdot q}{q^2} q_\mu$$

$$W_{\mu\mu'} = \left(-g_{\mu\mu'} + \frac{q_\mu q_{\mu'}}{q^2}\right) F_1 + \frac{\hat{P}_\mu \hat{P}_{\mu'}}{P \cdot q} F_2 - i\varepsilon_{\mu\mu'\alpha\beta} \frac{q^\alpha P^\beta}{2P \cdot q} F_3$$
$$+ i\varepsilon_{\mu\mu'\alpha\beta} \frac{q^\alpha S^\beta}{P \cdot q} g_1 + \frac{S \cdot q}{P \cdot q} \left[\frac{\hat{P}_\mu \hat{P}_{\mu'}}{P \cdot q} g_4 + \left(-g_{\mu\mu'} + \frac{q_\mu q_{\mu'}}{q^2}\right) g_5\right]$$

[PDG]

Backup - HVBM vs. Larin

$$\{\gamma_5, \gamma_\mu\} = 0 \qquad \gamma_5 = \frac{i}{4!}\varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\gamma^\mu\gamma^\nu\gamma^\rho\gamma^\sigma$$

t'Hooft-Veltman-Breitenlohner-Maison:

$$\begin{aligned} \{\gamma_5, \gamma_\mu\} &= 0 & \mu &= 0,1,2,3 \\ [\gamma_5, \gamma_\mu] &= 0 & &\text{otherwise} \end{aligned}$$

Larin:

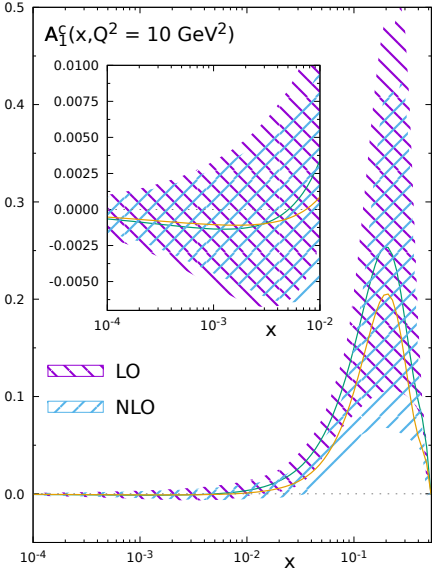
$$\gamma_\mu\gamma_5 = \frac{i}{6}\varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\gamma^\nu\gamma^\rho\gamma^\sigma$$

$$\varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} = \begin{vmatrix} \delta_\mu^\alpha & \cdots \\ \vdots & \ddots \end{vmatrix} = f(D)$$

Moch,Vermaseren,Vogt:

$$\text{tr}\left[\gamma_{\nu_1}\cdots\gamma_\mu\gamma_5\right] := g, \varepsilon, \ldots$$

Backup - Fully Inclusive Asymmetry



- $A_1^c(x, Q^2) = \frac{g_1^c(x,Q^2)}{F_1^c(x,Q^2)}$
- error band are only due to DSSV uncertainties (no correlations!)
- sign unconstrained
- need measurement of $\mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$
- NLO $\lessapprox$ LO

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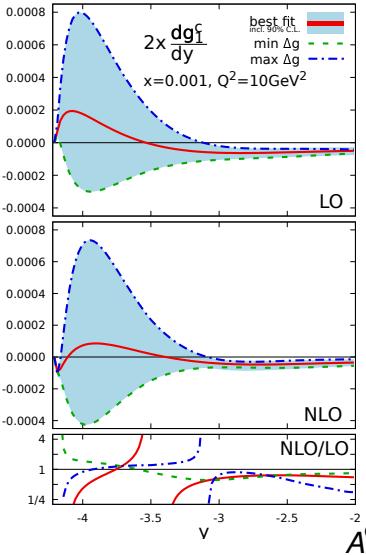

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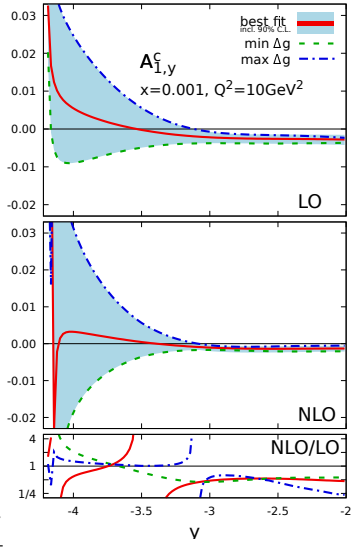
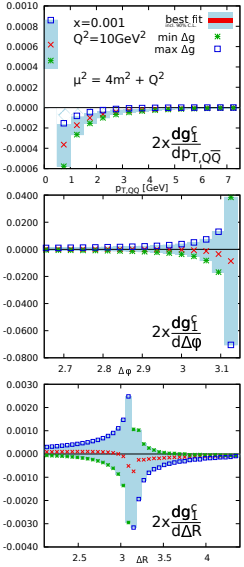


$$A^c_{1,y} = \frac{dg^c_1/dy}{dF^c_1/dy}$$

Backup - Distributions - Monte Carlo



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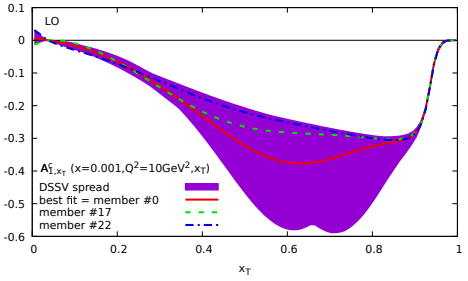
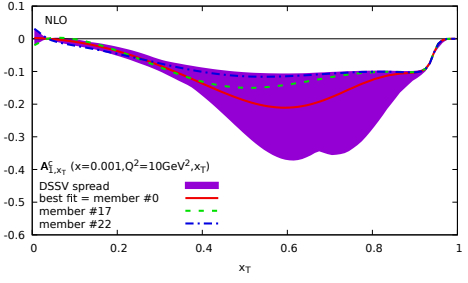
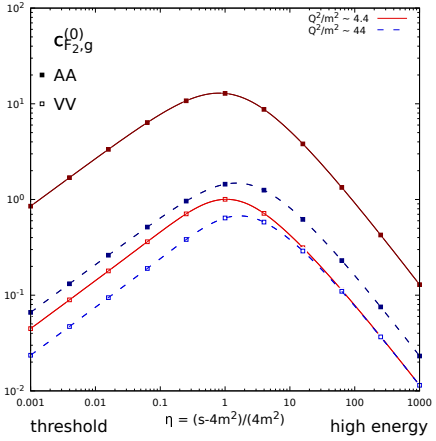




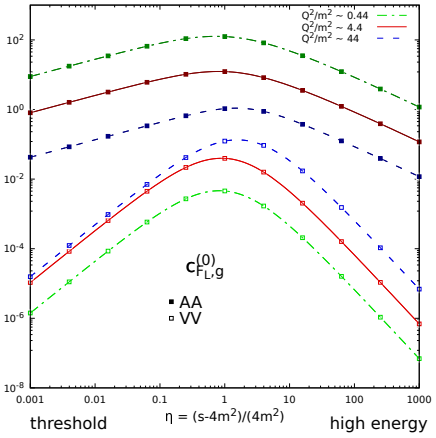
Backup - NC Partonic Gluon Channel

$$F_2^{\mathrm{NC}} \sim \left(\frac{Q^2}{M_Z^2+Q^2}\right)^2 F_2^Z$$



$$\lim_{Q^2\to 0} c^{(0)}_{F_2,\mathrm{AA,g}} \sim \frac{m^2}{Q^2}$$

$$F_L = F_2 - 2xF_1$$



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