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How can the photon-like heavy quarkonium $V \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$ transition falsify our predictions ?

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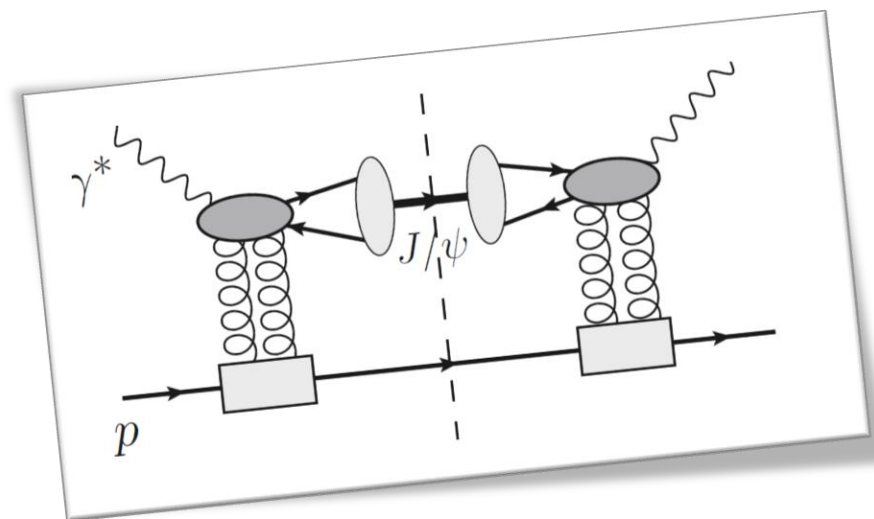
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- Motivation & introduction
- VM Wave function
- VM production
- Vertex problem
- Various scenarios
- Numerical results
- Conclusions



Based on:

- Eur.Phys.J.C 80 (2020) 2, 92; arXiv:1909.12770

Why to be interested in VM?

- **Vector Mesons (VM)** are used as a probe for example in **heavy-ion collisions**
- Mostly **1S** states of heavy quarkonia are used J/ψ and Υ
- The **size** of heavy quarkonia is relatively **small**

But do we use the correct wave functions?

- Many publication uses the so called **boosted-Gaussian light cone wave function**
 - Uses **photon-like vertex**
 - Consider the **HO $Q\bar{Q}$ potential**

1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, c\bar{c}$	0	$J/\psi(1S)$	3.0969
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, b\bar{b}$	0	$\Upsilon(1S)$	9.46030
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 1/2, u\bar{c}, \bar{u}c$	0	D^*	2.00685
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 1/2, d\bar{c}, \bar{d}c$	± 1	D^*	2.01026
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, c\bar{s}, \bar{c}s$	± 1	$D_s^{*\pm}$??
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 1/2, d\bar{b}, \bar{d}b$	0	B^*	5.32465
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 1/2, u\bar{b}, \bar{u}b$	± 1	B^*	??
1^3D_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, b\bar{s}, \bar{b}s$	0	B_s^*	5.4154
1^3D_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, c\bar{c}$	0	$\psi(3770)$	3.77313
2^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, c\bar{s}, \bar{c}s$	± 1	$D_{s1}^*(2700)^\pm$	2.7083
2^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, c\bar{c}$	0	$\psi(2S)$	3.686097
3^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, b\bar{b}$	0	$\Upsilon(2S)$	10.02326
4^3S_1	1^{--}	$I = 0, b\bar{b}$	0	$\Upsilon(3S)$	10.3552
...	...	$I = 0, b\bar{b}$	0	$\Upsilon(4S)$	10.5794

VM wave function cookbook I

- 1) Go to the **rest frame** of the quark-antiquark $Q\bar{Q}$ system
- 2) Solve the **Schrödinger equation** (SE)

The potential in SE corresponds to the potential between both quark and antiquark
- 3) **Boost it** to the light cone (LC) frame
- 4) **Use it** for example within the color dipole framework

But how is it with the radial and spin-orbital part?

VM wave function cookbook II

- In case of VM, we **can factorize** the **radial** and **spin-orbital** part
- In most cases, the **spin-orbital part is omitted** (only effect in normalization)
- If we use the potential of the **harmonic oscillator (HO)**, we can solve it analytically, and we get commonly used **Gaussian LC wave function** (assuming the same spin and polarization structure as the photon)

H. G. Dosch, T. Gousset, G. Kulzinger and H. J. Pirner, Phys. Rev. D 55 (1997) 2602.

J. R. Forshaw, R. Sandapen and G. Shaw, Phys. Rev. D 69 (2004) 094013.

J. Nemchik, N. N. Nikolaev and B. G. Zakharov, Phys. Lett. B 341 (1994) 228.

J. Nemchik, N. N. Nikolaev, E. Predazzi and B. G. Zakharov, Z. Phys. C 75 (1997) 71.

VM wave function - radial part

- The $Q\bar{Q}$ rest frame \Rightarrow Schrödinger equation

$$\left(-\frac{\Delta}{2\mu} + V(\tilde{r}) \right) \Psi_{nlm}(\vec{\tilde{r}}) = E_{nl} \Psi_{nlm}(\vec{\tilde{r}}), \quad \mu = \frac{m_Q}{2},$$

$$\Psi_{nlm}(\vec{\tilde{r}}) = \psi_{nl}(\tilde{r}) Y_{lm}(\theta, \varphi)$$

- $V_{Q\bar{Q}}(r)$ - potentials:

$$\int |\psi(\tilde{r})|^2 d^3\tilde{r} = 1.$$

- Harmonic oscillator (HO)
- Cornell potential (COR)
- Logarithmic potential (LOG)
- Buchmüller–Tye (BT)
- Power-law (POW)

For references and more details see *Eur.Phys.J. C79 (2019) no.6, 495*;
[arXiv:1901.02664](https://arxiv.org/abs/1901.02664)

Melosh spin rotation

- **H.J. Melosh** found a **relation between** of the spin-orbital part in the $Q\bar{Q}$ rest frame and the LC frame

H.J. Melosh, Phys. Rev. D 9, 1095 (1974)

J. Hufner, Y.P. Ivanov, B.Z. Kopeliovich, A.V. Tarasov, Phys. Rev. D 62, 094022 (2000)

$$\Psi_V^{(\mu, \bar{\mu})}(z, \vec{p}_T) = U^{(\mu, \bar{\mu})}(z, \vec{p}_T) \Psi_V(z, p_T)$$

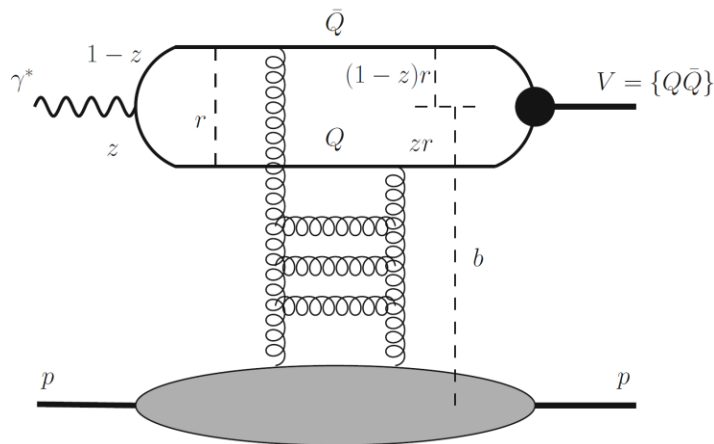
$$U^{(\mu, \bar{\mu})}(z, \vec{p}_T) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \xi_Q^{\mu\dagger} \vec{\sigma} \vec{e}_V \tilde{\xi}_{\bar{Q}}^{\bar{\mu}}, \quad \tilde{\xi}_{\bar{Q}}^{\bar{\mu}} = i\sigma_y \xi_{\bar{Q}}^{\bar{\mu}*},$$

$$\xi_Q^\mu = R(z, \vec{p}_T) \chi_Q^\mu, \quad \xi_{\bar{Q}}^{\bar{\mu}} = R(1 - z, -\vec{p}_T) \chi_{\bar{Q}}^{\bar{\mu}},$$

$$R(z, \vec{p}_T) = \frac{m_Q + zM_V - i(\vec{\sigma} \times \vec{n})\vec{p}_T}{\sqrt{(m_Q + zM_V)^2 + p_T^2}}$$

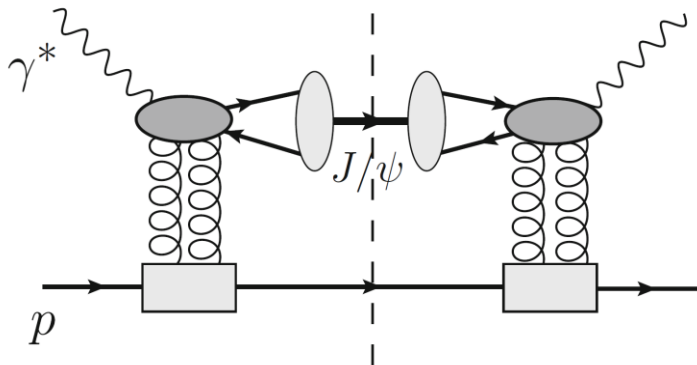
Exclusive quarkonia electroproduction

- We study the effects of the **Melosh spin rotation** in **diffractive electroproduction**



$$\text{Im} \mathcal{A}_{T,L}^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p}(x, Q^2) = \int_0^1 dz \int d^2 r \Sigma_{T,L} \times (z, \vec{r}; Q^2) \sigma_{q\bar{q}}(x, r),$$

$$\Sigma_{T,L}(z, \vec{r}; Q^2) = \int \frac{d^2 p_T}{2\pi} e^{-i\vec{p}_T \vec{r}} \Psi_V(z, p_T) \times \sum_{\mu, \bar{\mu}} U^{\dagger(\mu, \bar{\mu})}(z, \vec{p}_T) \Psi_{\gamma_{T,L}^*}^{(\mu, \bar{\mu})}(r, z; Q^2).$$



$$\sigma^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p}(x, Q^2) = \sigma_T^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} + \tilde{\varepsilon} \sigma_L^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} = \frac{1}{16\pi B} \left(\left| \mathcal{A}_T^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} \right|^2 + \tilde{\varepsilon} \left| \mathcal{A}_L^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} \right|^2 \right)$$

VM LC Wave function

$\Phi_V \approx N \chi_Q^\dagger R^\dagger(z, p_T) \hat{O}_{T,L} R^*(1-z, -p_T) \chi_Q \psi_V(p_T, z)$

Some constants \uparrow N $Q\bar{Q} \rightarrow V$ vertex \uparrow R^\dagger radial wave function \uparrow ψ_V

Melosh spin rotation \downarrow $\hat{O}_{T,L}$

Vertex option:

- Massive photon-like:*

$$\hat{O}_T = m_q \vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{e} + i(1-2z)(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{n})(\vec{e} \cdot \vec{V}_r) + (\vec{n} \times \vec{e}) \cdot \vec{V}_r$$

- S-wave-only-like:* $\hat{O}_T = \vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{e}$

Spin rotation matrix

- No rotation:* $R = \hat{1}$

- Melosh spin rotation:* $R = \frac{m_q + zM_V - i(\vec{\sigma} \times \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{p}_T}{\sqrt{(m_q + zM_V)^2 + p_T^2}}$

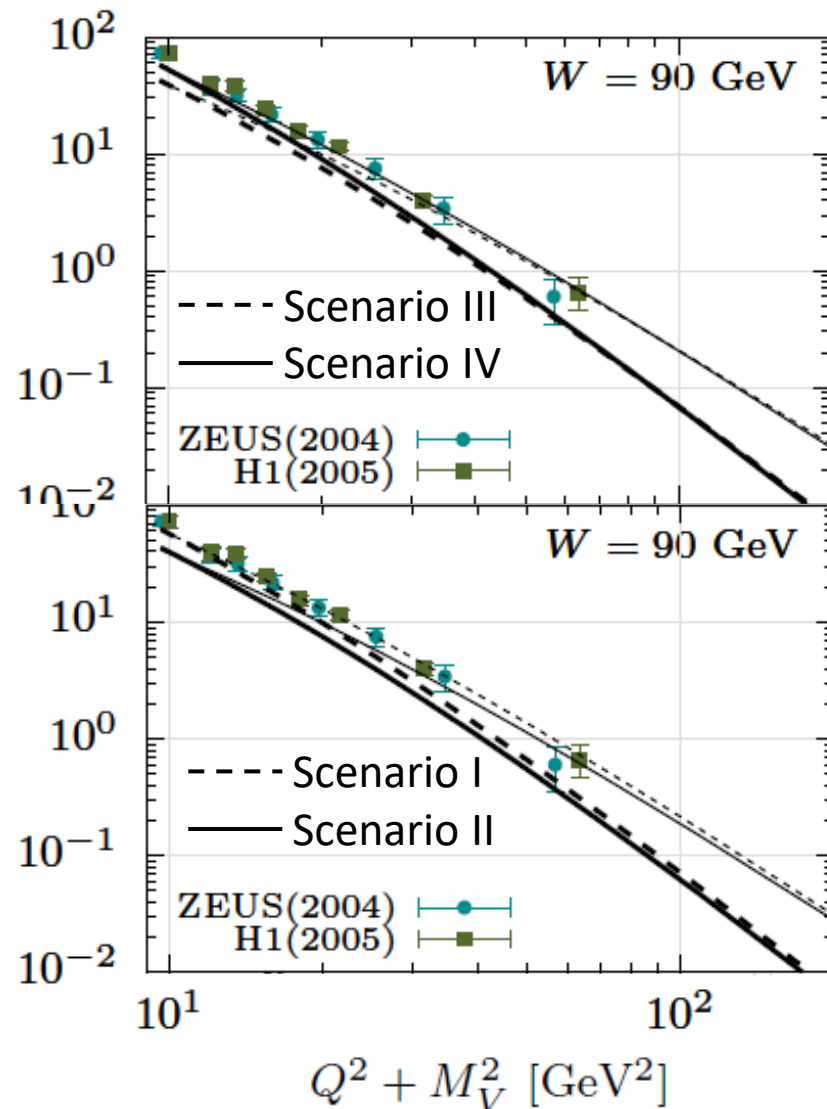
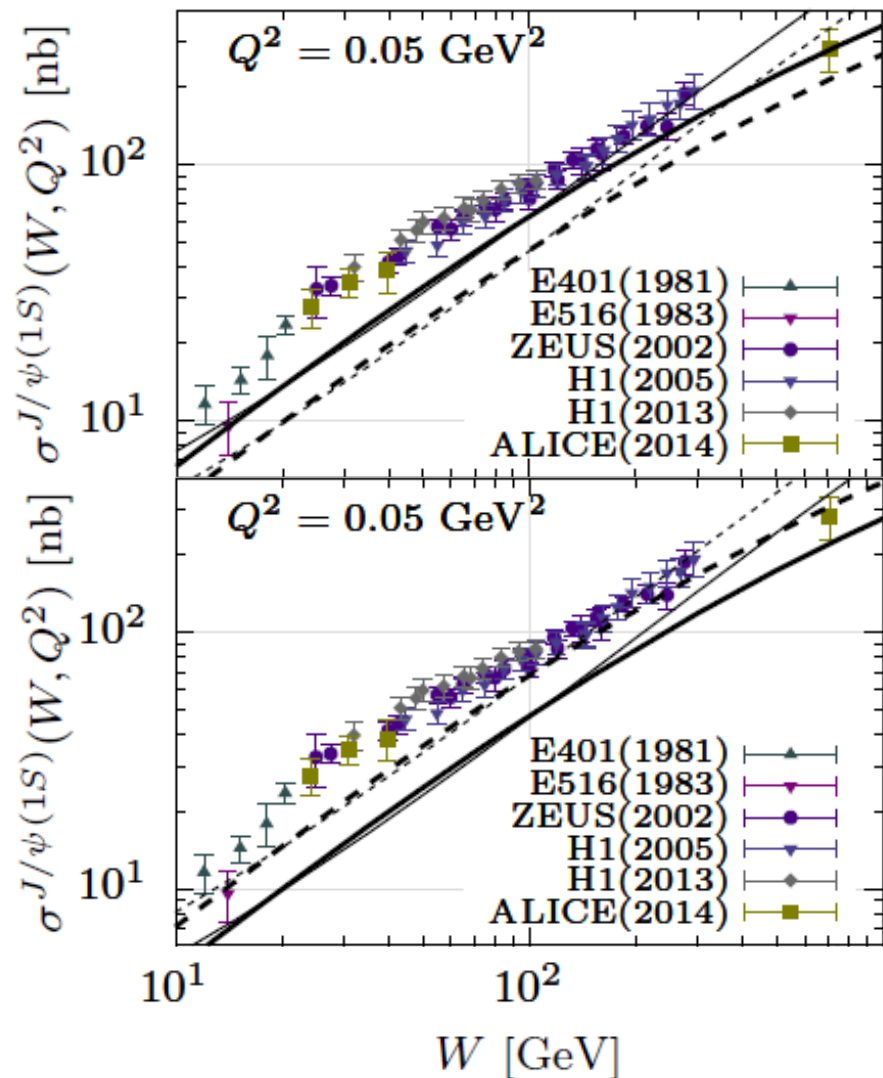
Massive phon-like vertex

- Vertex: $m_q \vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{e} + i(1 - 2z)(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{n})(\vec{e} \cdot \vec{\nabla}_r) + (\vec{n} \times \vec{e}) \cdot \vec{\nabla}_r$
- Performed in **light-front** (LF) frame
- Is rather **postulated than computed** from the first principles
- The results is ***D*-wave admixture in the $Q\bar{Q}$ rest frame** (the derivative terms represent *D*-Wave)
 - the relative weight of these contributions **cannot be justified by any reasonable nonrelativistic $Q\bar{Q}$ potential model**

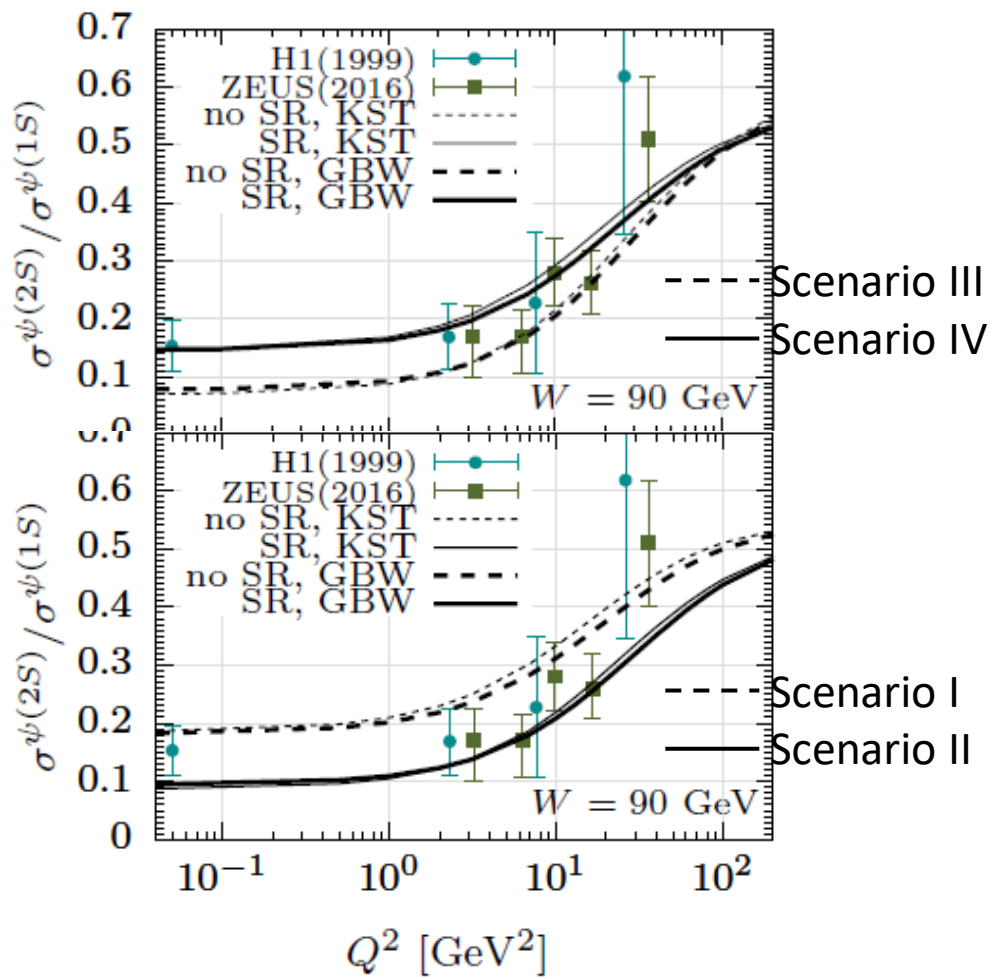
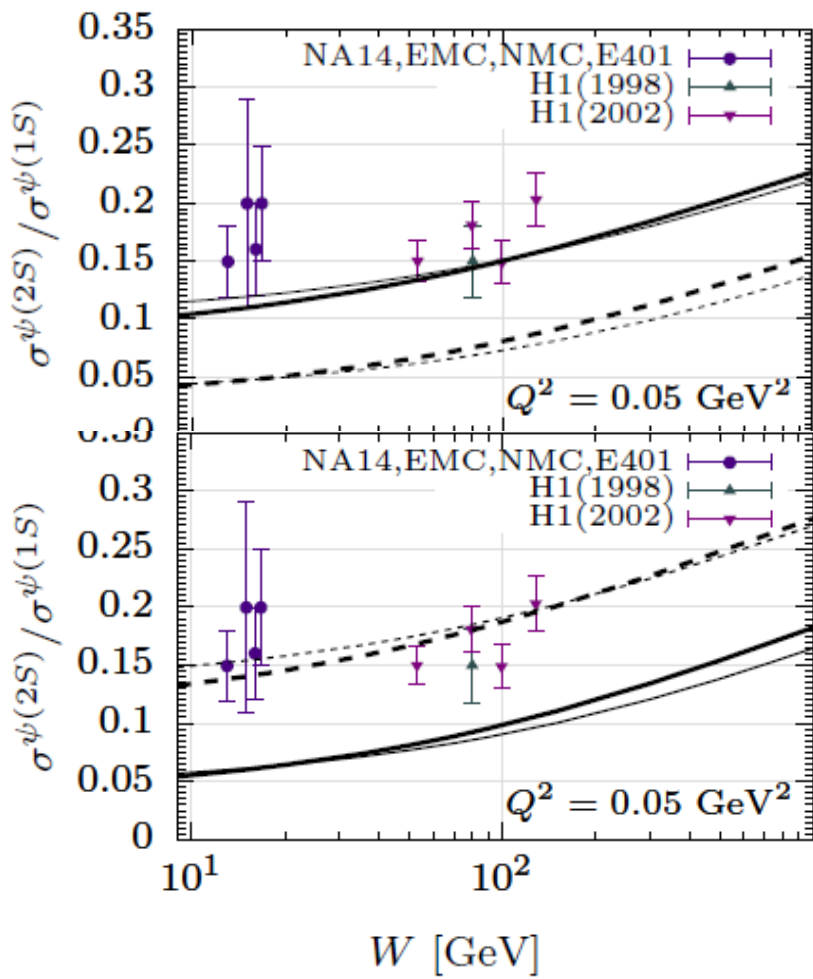
Scenarios

- We study several scenarios because n
- Scenario I:
 - **Photon-like** $V \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$
- Scenario II:
 - **Photon-like** $V \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$ + **Melosh** spin rotation
- Scenario III:
 - **Pure S-wave** $V \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$
- Scenario IV:
 - **Pure S-wave** $V \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$ + **Melosh** spin rotation
- Scenarios III+IV in details:
 - Eur.Phys.J. C79 (2019) no.2, 154; arXiv:1812.03001
 - Eur.Phys.J. C79 (2019) no.6, 495; arXiv:1901.02664

J/ψ production

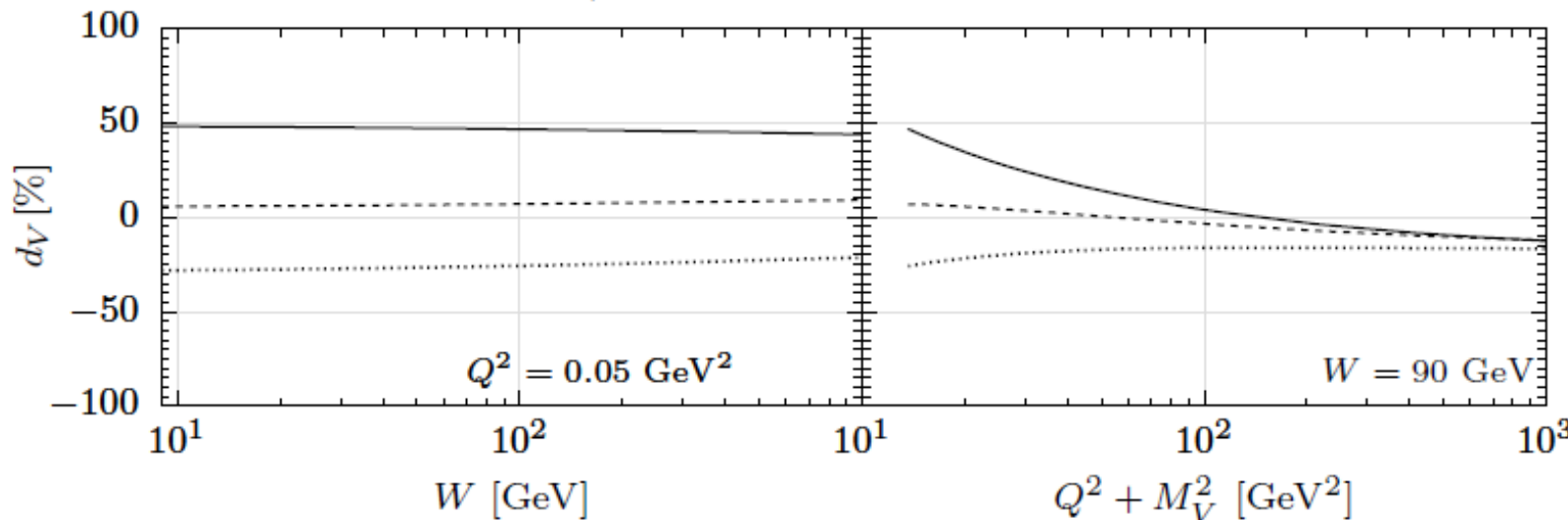


$\psi' / J/\psi$ production

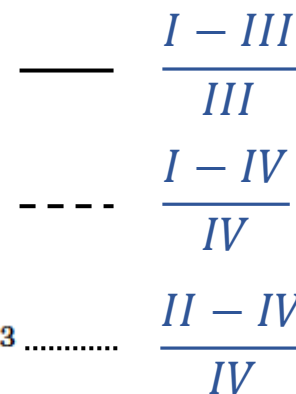


Relative impact

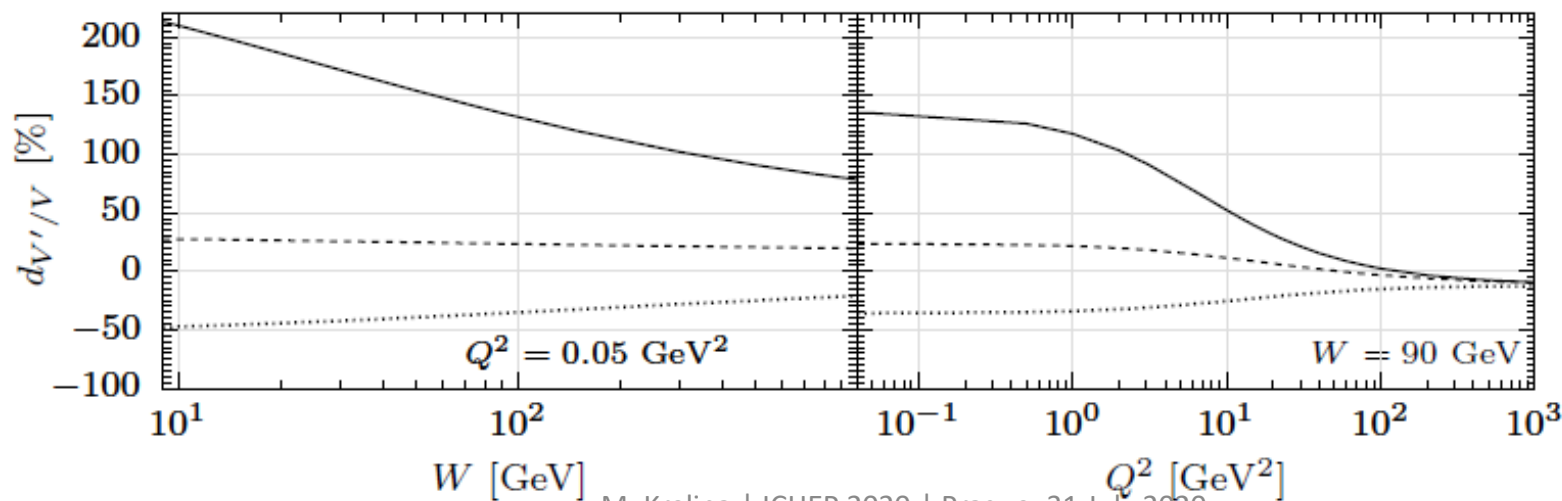
J/ψ , Buchmuller-Tye potential, GBW



Scenarios:



$\psi(2S)$ -to- J/ψ , Buchmuller-Tye potential, GBW



Conclusions

- **Photon-like vertex** more **difficult to justify**
 - Besides **S-Wave** contains also **D-Wave**
- The interplaying **D-wave and spin rotation effects** is **strongly correlated** with a structure of the quarkonium vertex
- The **correlation D-wave and spin effects** is stronger for the **radially-excited states** than in production of **ground state $1S$** quarkonia **due to a nodal structure** of corresponding radial wave functions
- We are awaiting **more precise data on VM production** especially from **EIC** where the photoproduction is a very clear probe

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