

Nucleon with One Dynamical Gluon

in

Basis Light-Front Quantization

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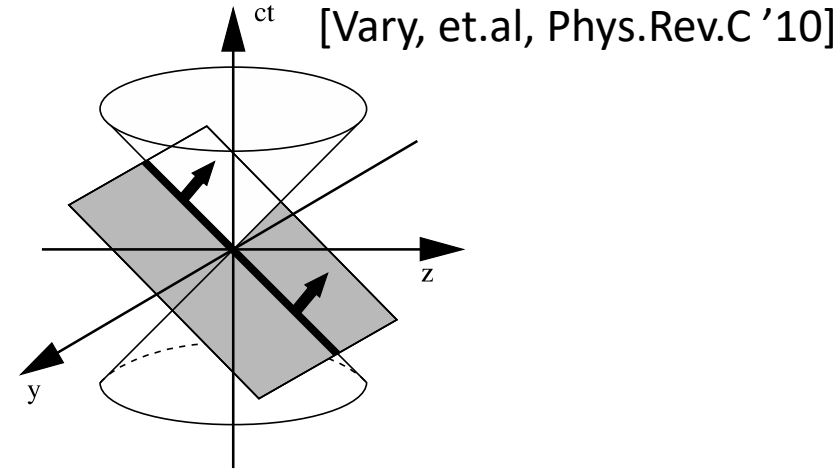
Outline

- **Basis Light-Front Quantization (BLFQ)**
- Nucleon Structure in BLFQ
 - Nucleon Structure with leading Fock Sector
 - Nucleon Structure with One Dynamical Gluon
- Conclusion

Basis Light-Front Quantization

- Solve the time-independent Schrödinger Equation:

$$P^- |\beta\rangle = P_\beta^- |\beta\rangle$$



- P^- : Light-Front Hamiltonian;
- $|\beta\rangle$: Eigenstates;
- P_β^- : Eigenvalues for eigenstates.

- Quantum numbers of basis states in BLFQ:

I. Longitudinal direction

— discrete longitudinal momentum (labeled by \mathbf{k}): $P^+ = \frac{2\pi}{L} k$

II. Transverse direction

— 2-dimensional harmonic oscillator (labeled by \mathbf{n} , \mathbf{m}) Truncation: $\begin{cases} N_{\max} \\ K_{\max} \end{cases}$

$$\Phi_{n,m}^b(p_\perp) = \frac{1}{b\sqrt{\pi}} \sqrt{\frac{n!}{(n+|m|)!}} e^{-\frac{p^2}{2b^2}} e^{-im\phi} \left(\frac{p}{b}\right)^{|m|} L_n^{|m|}\left(\frac{p^2}{b^2}\right)$$

Prof. Xingbo Zhao's Talk
At Firday noon, QCD AB II

Light-Front Hamiltonian

$$P^- = H_{K.E.} + H_{trans} + H_{longi} + H_{Interact}$$

$$H_{K.E.} = \sum_i \frac{p_i^2 + m_q^2}{p_i^+}$$

$$H_{trans} \sim \kappa_T^4 r^2 \quad \text{-- Brodsky, Teramond arXiv: 1203.4025}$$

$$H_{longi} \sim - \sum_{ij} \kappa_L^4 \partial_{x_i} (x_i x_j \partial_{x_j}) \quad \text{---Y Li, X Zhao, P Maris, J Vary, PLB 758(2016)}$$

$$|P_{baryon}\rangle = |qqq\rangle + |qqqg\rangle + |qqq q\bar{q}\rangle + \dots$$

- Only include first Fock sector

$$H_{Interact} = - \frac{C_F 4\pi\alpha_s}{Q^2} \sum_{i,j(i<j)} \bar{u}_{s'_i}(k'_i) \gamma^\mu u_{s_i}(k_i) \bar{u}_{s'_j}(k'_j) \gamma_\mu u_{s_j}(k_j)$$

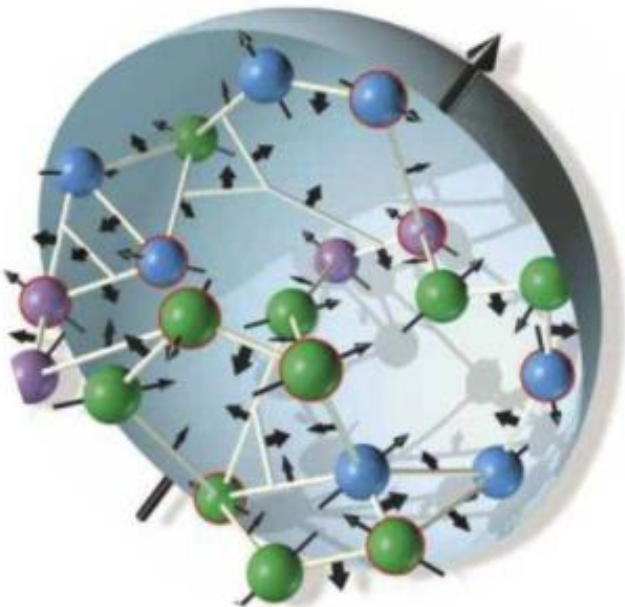
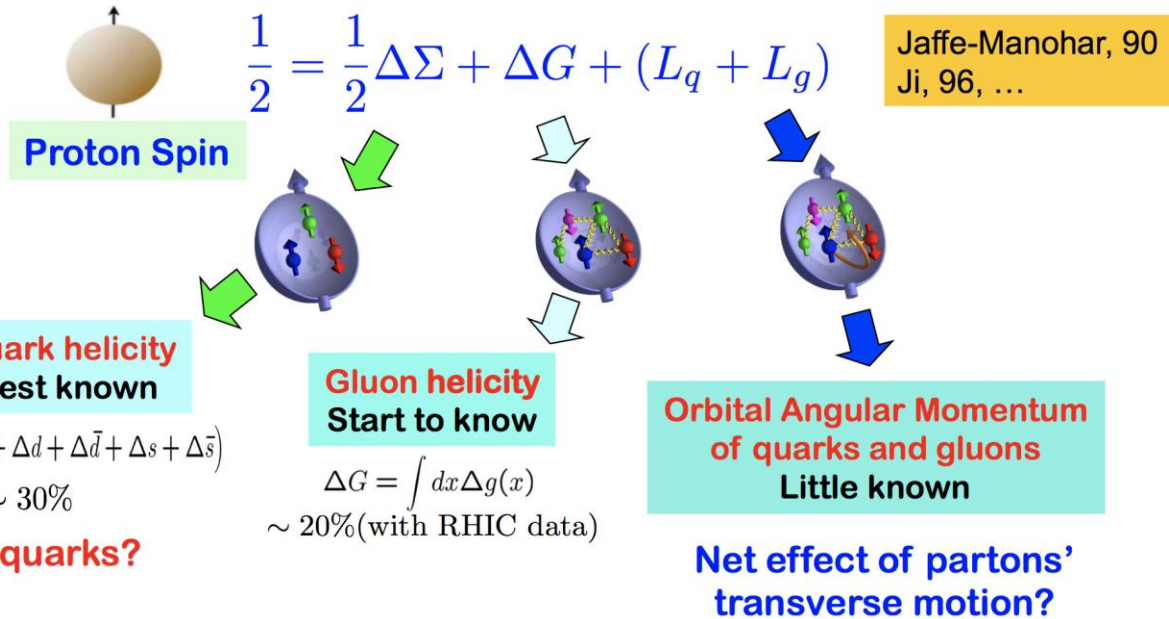
- Include the first and second Fock sector

$$H_{Interact} = H_{Vertex} + H_{inst} = g \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu T^a \psi A_\mu^a + \frac{g^2 C_F}{2} j^+ \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} j^+$$

Angular Momentum Distributions

- Spin decomposition

Jaffe-Manohar Decomposition



In the quark model $\Delta\Sigma = 1$

The spin decomposition can be measured by polarized DIS

- Ji decomposition:

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_{Ji}^q + J_g$$

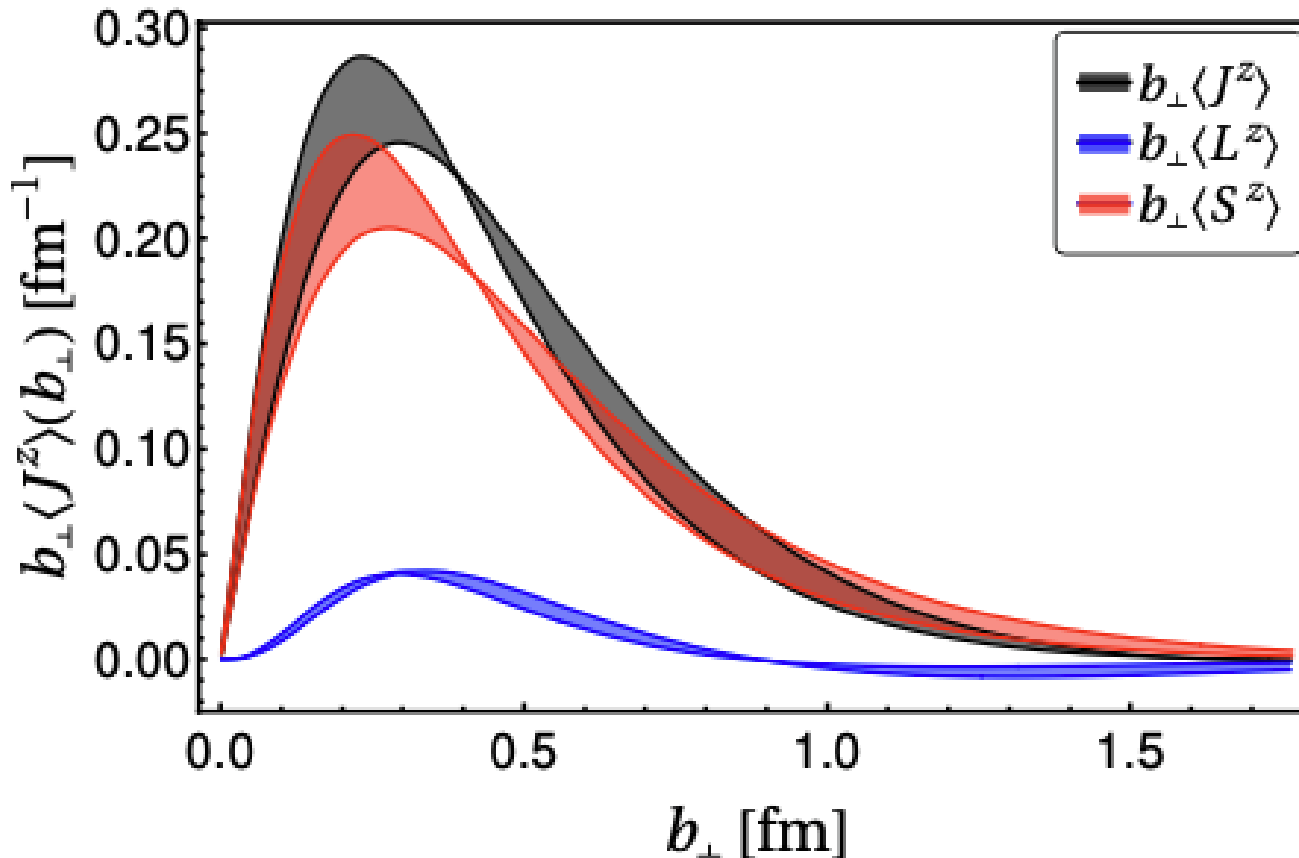
Angular Momentum Distributions

- Total angular momentum density:

[In preparation, Ping Yi, Siqi Xu, C. Mondal *et al.*]

$$\langle J^z \rangle(b_\perp) = \langle L^z \rangle(b_\perp) + \langle S^z \rangle(b_\perp)$$

$$\langle L^z \rangle(b_\perp) = -i\epsilon^{3jk} \int \frac{d^2\vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \vec{b}_\perp} \frac{\partial \langle T^{+k} \rangle}{\partial \Delta_\perp^j}, \quad \langle S^z \rangle(b_\perp) = \frac{s^z}{2} \int \frac{d^2\vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \vec{b}_\perp} G_A(-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2)$$



$$\Delta\Sigma_q \approx 0.92$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_u \approx 1.18$$

$$\Delta\Sigma_d \approx -0.26$$

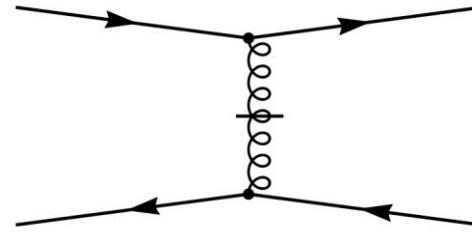
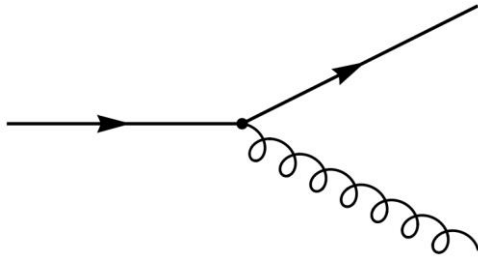
Quark Helicity > 90%

No Gluon contribution

Light-Front QCD Hamiltonian

$$|P_{baryon}\rangle = \psi_1|qqq\rangle + \psi_2|qqqg\rangle$$

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$$N_{\max} = 9, K = 16.5$$

Higher Fock Sector effect

Remove Soft Gluon effect

m_u	m_d	κ	m_g	m_{int}	b_{inst}	b	g
0.30 GeV	0.25 GeV	0.54 GeV	0.50 GeV	1.80 GeV	3.00 GeV	0.70 GeV	2.40

Different Mass
Asymmetry of u and d

UV Cutoff
In Instantaneous term

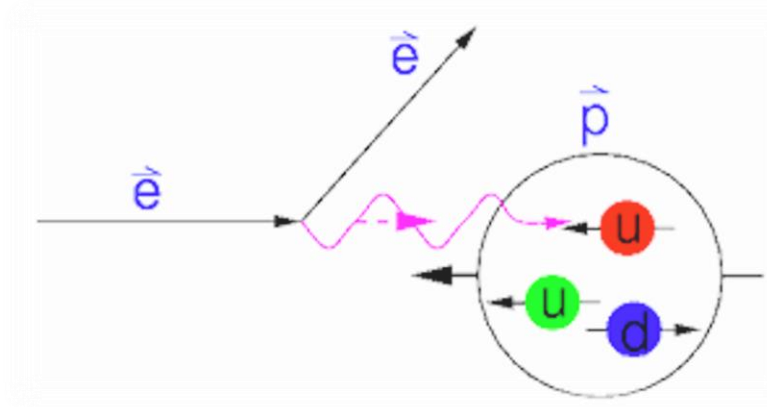
Electromagnetic Form Factor

- Elastic scattering of proton

[R. Hofstadter, Nobel Prize 1961]

$$e(p) + h(P) \rightarrow e(p') + h(P')$$

- Elastic electron scattering established the extended nature of the proton (proton radius).

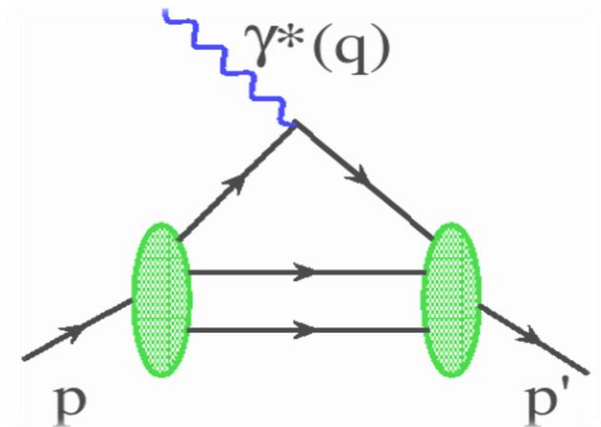


The Fourier transformation of these form factors provide spatial distributions (*charge and magnetization distributions*).

$$\langle N(p') | J^\mu(0) | N(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma^\mu \underbrace{F_1(q^2)}_{\text{Dirac Form Factor}} + \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu}}{2m_N} q_\nu \underbrace{F_2(q^2)}_{\text{Pauli Form Factor}} \right] u(p)$$

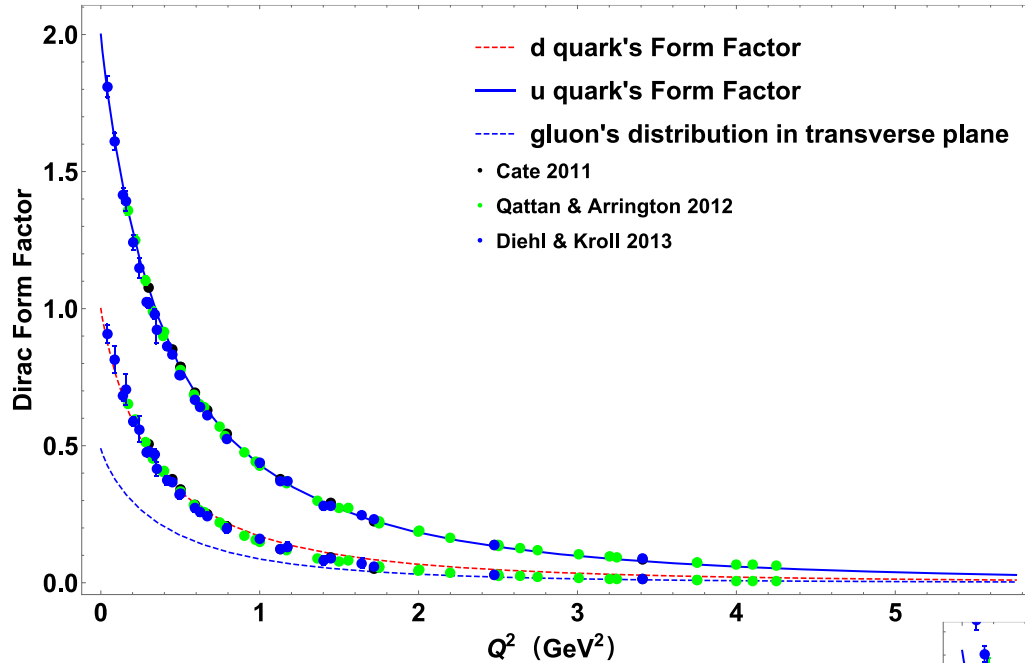
Dirac Form Factor

Pauli Form Factor



Form Factor with Dynamical Gluon

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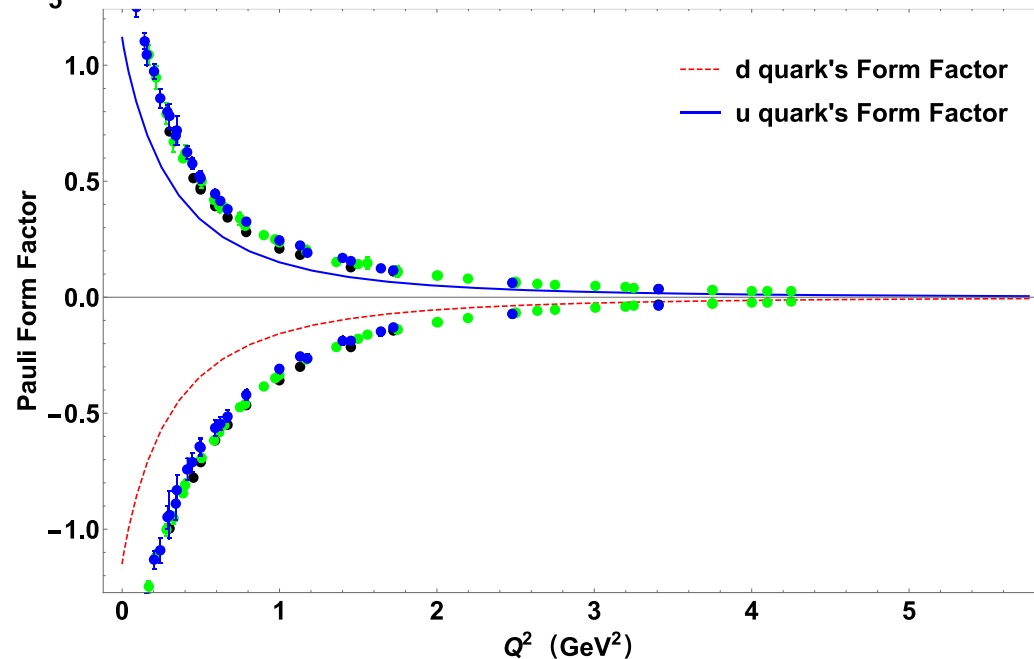


Including the One Dynamical Gluon Fock Sector, the valence quark distributions are almost same with effective interaction results

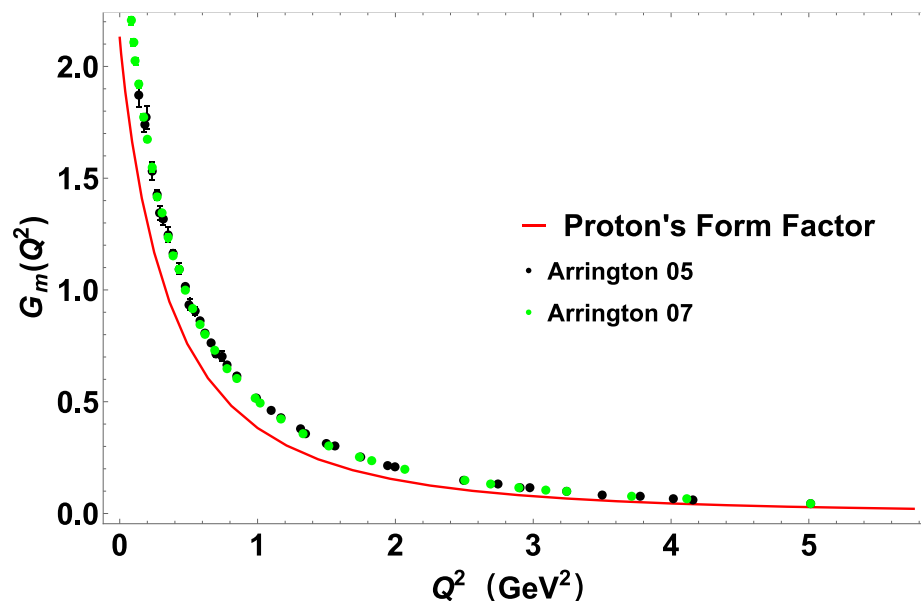
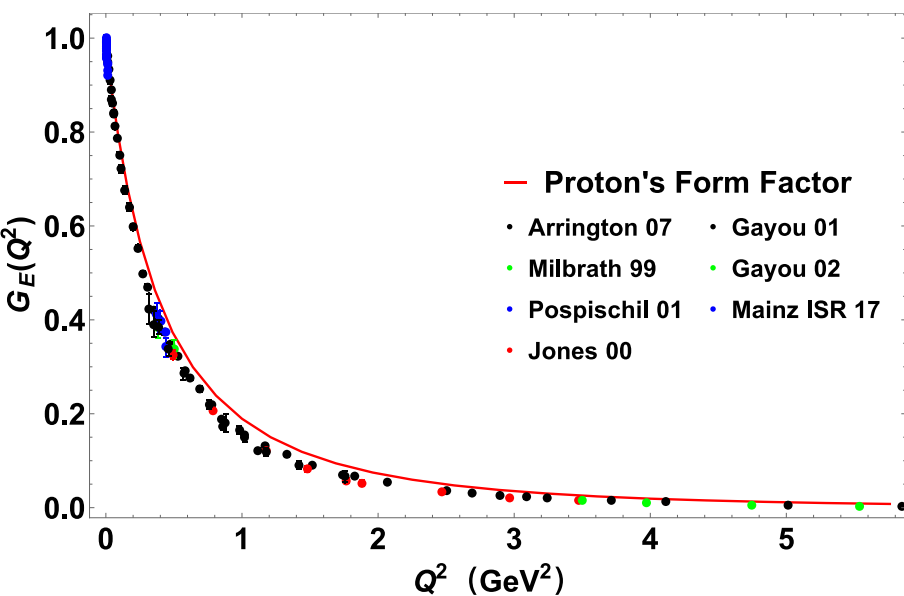
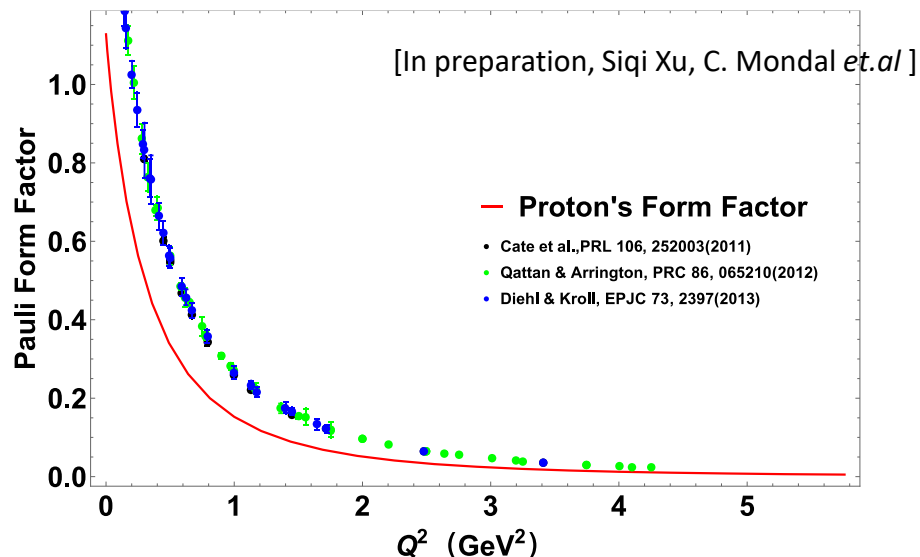
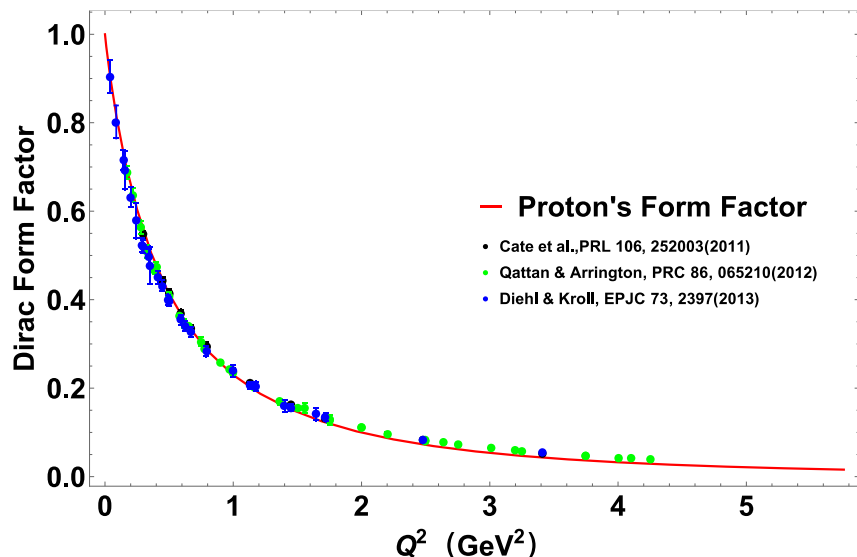
the gluon distributions are always smaller than the d quarks distributions.

$$R = - \left. \frac{F_1(Q^2)}{Q^2} \right|_{Q^2=0} = \begin{cases} 0.375 \text{ fm} & \text{u quark} \\ 0.341 \text{ fm} & \text{d quark} \\ 0.368 \text{ fm} & \text{gluon} \end{cases}$$

R is a variable related to the radii of particle distribution



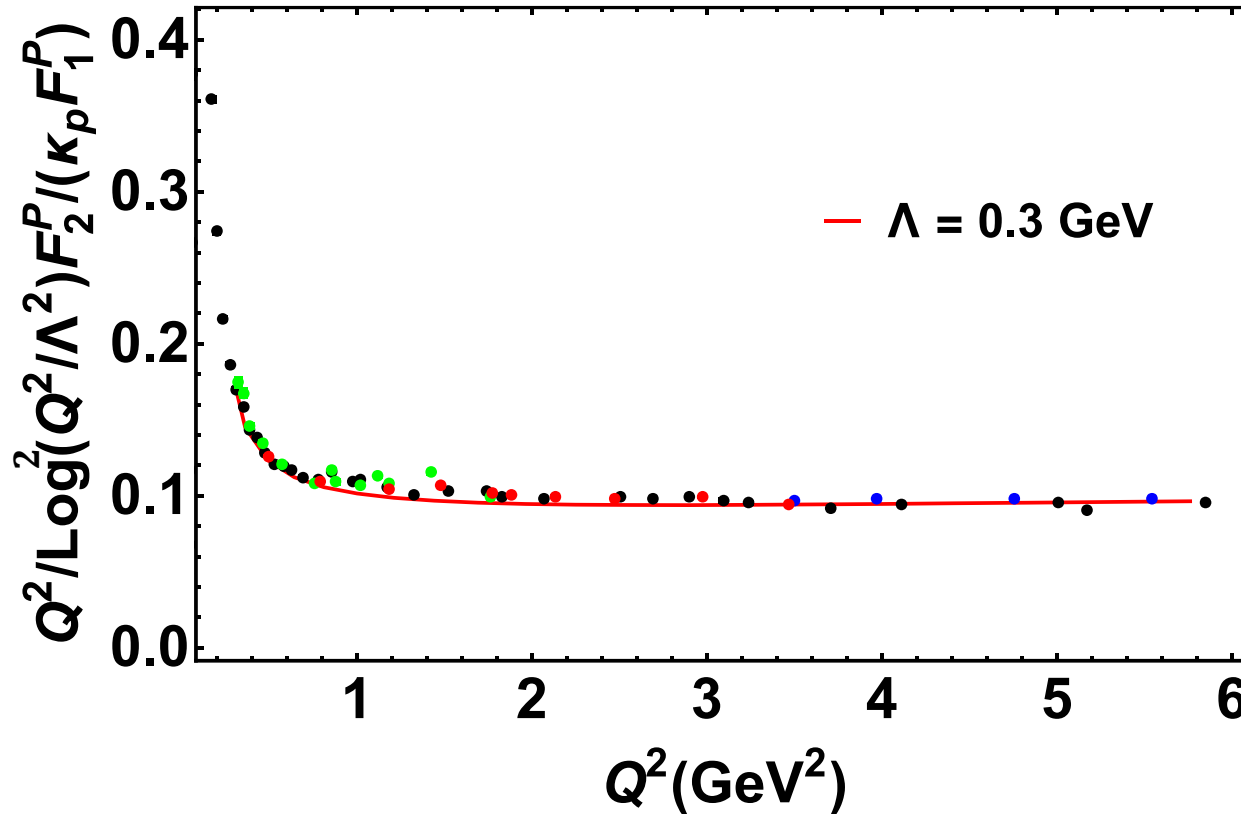
Form Factor with Dynamical Gluon



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Form Factor with Dynamical Gluon

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At $Q^2 \gg m^2 = 0.09 \text{ GeV}^2$, we find our Form Factor ratio is proportional to $\log^2(Q^2/\Lambda)/Q^2$.

In our calculation, we use the quark mass around 0.3 GeV, and fix the proton mass around 0.94 GeV

Nucleon Observable

- Nucleon radii and magnetic moment [In preparation, Siqi Xu, C. Mondal *et al.*]

Quantity	BLFQ (no gluon) ^c	BLFQ (gluon)	Measurement ^a	Lattice ^b
μ_p	2.443 ± 0.027	2.228	2.79	2.43(9)
r_E^P [fm]	0.802 ± 0.04	0.847	0.833 ± 0.01	0.742(13)
r_M^P [fm]	0.834 ± 0.029	0.88	0.851 ± 0.026	0.710(26)

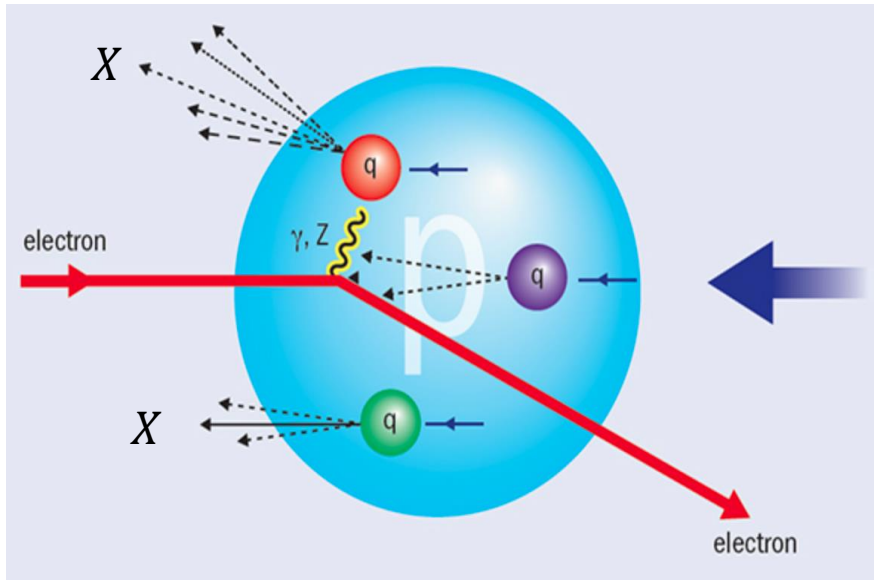
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Parton Distribution Functions (PDF)

- **Deep Inelastic Scattering (SLAC 1968)**



$$e(p) + h(P) = e'(p') + X(P')$$

✧ **Localized probe:**

$$Q^2 = -(p - p')^2 \gg 1 \text{ fm}^{-2}$$

$$\frac{1}{Q} \ll 1 \text{ fm}$$

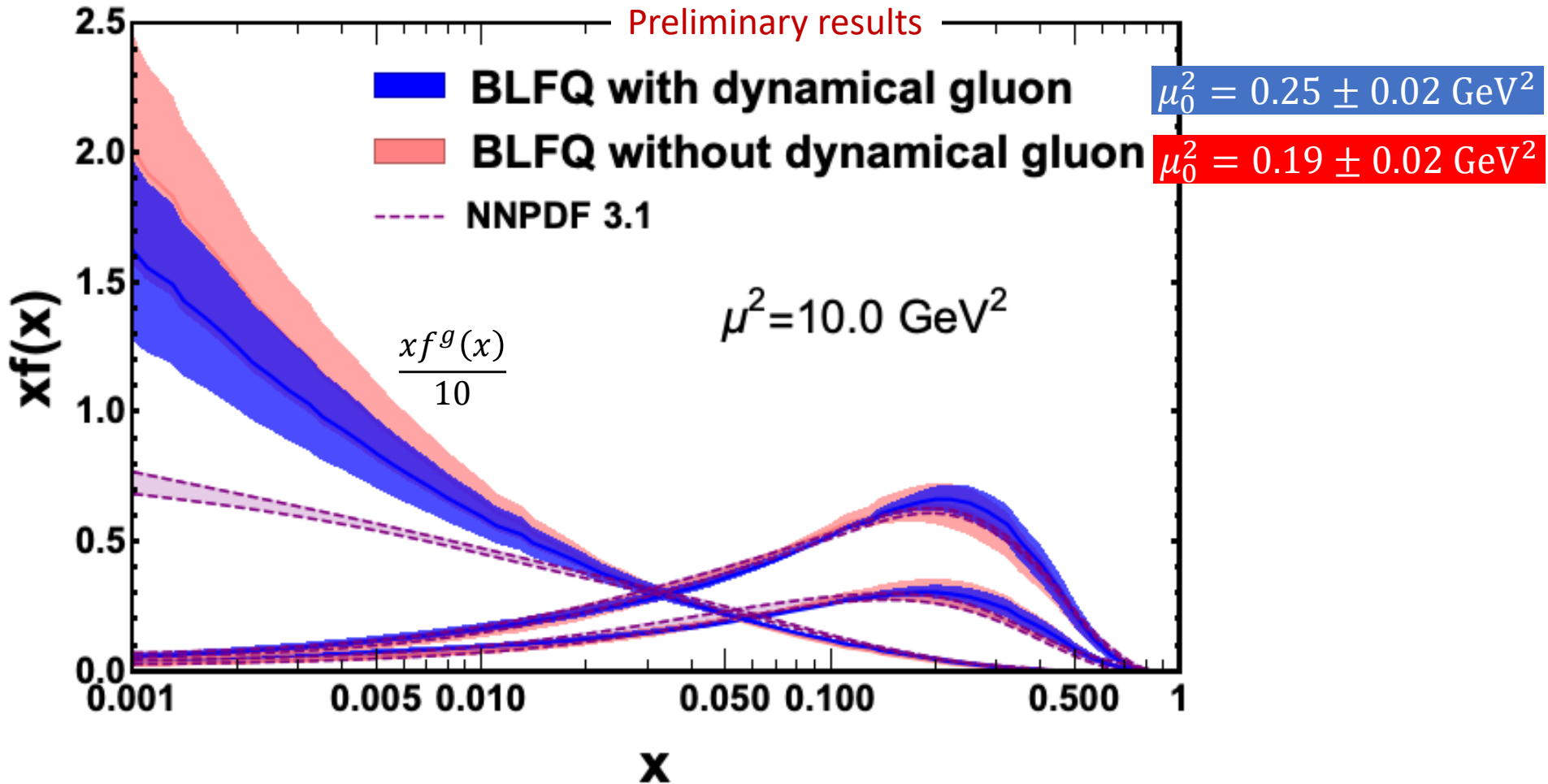
Discovery of spin $\frac{1}{2}$ quarks and partonic structure

- **Parton distribution functions (PDFs)** are extracted from DIS processes.

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(x, Q^2) = \int \frac{dz^-}{8\pi} e^{ixP^+z^-/2} \langle P, \Lambda | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^+ \psi(0) | P, \Lambda \rangle$$

PDFs encode the distribution of longitudinal momentum and polarization carried by the constituents

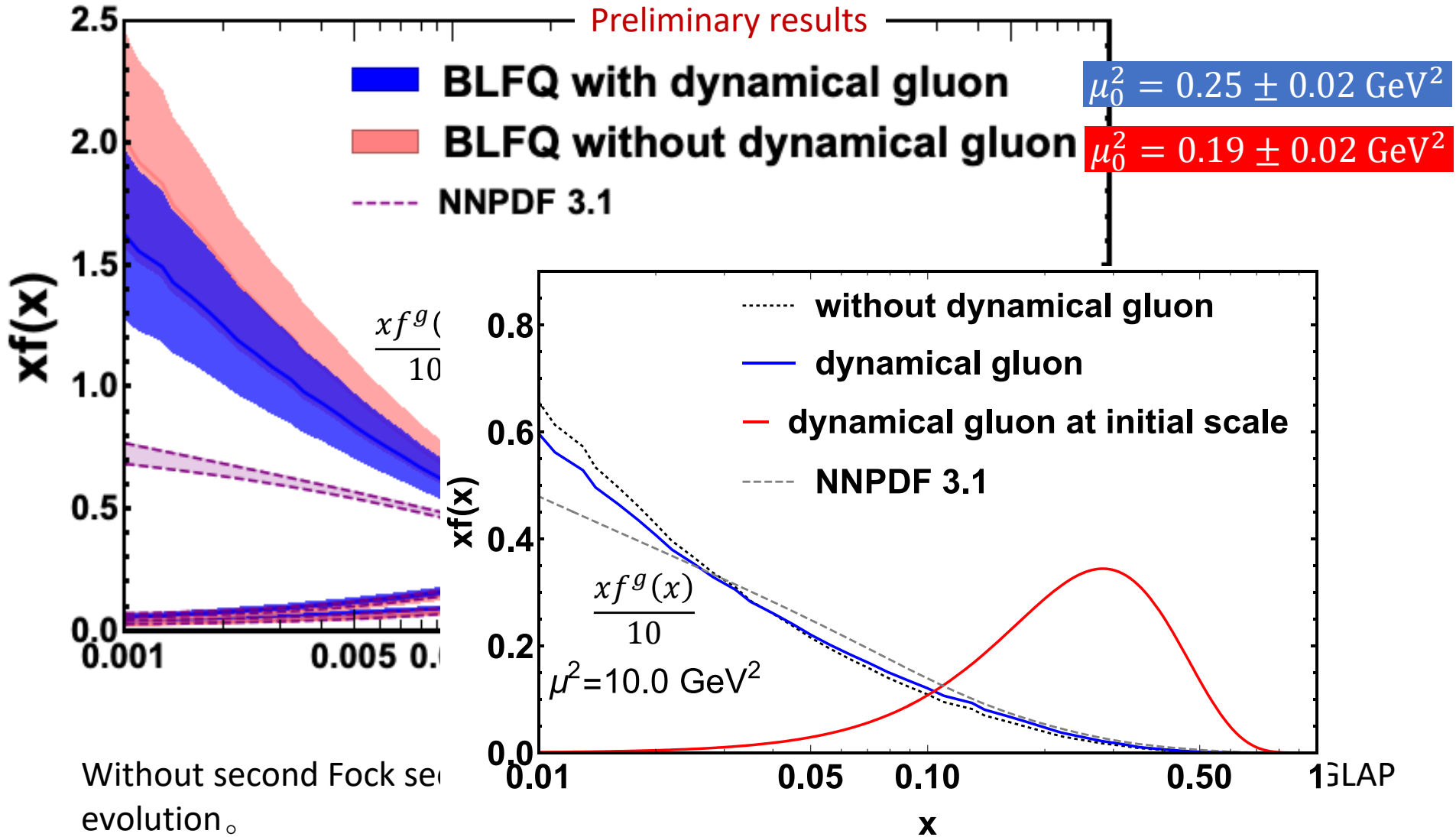
Unpolarized Parton Distribution Functions



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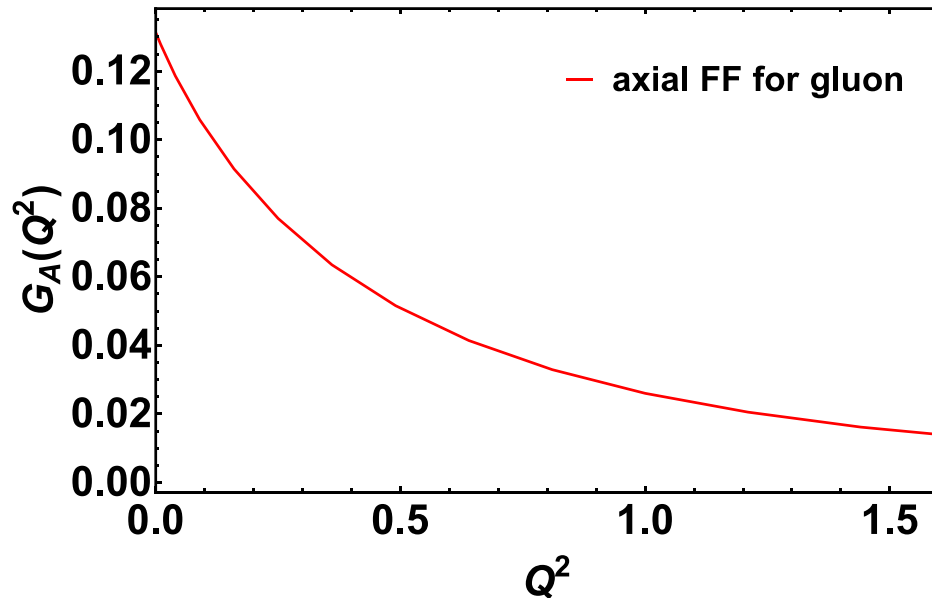
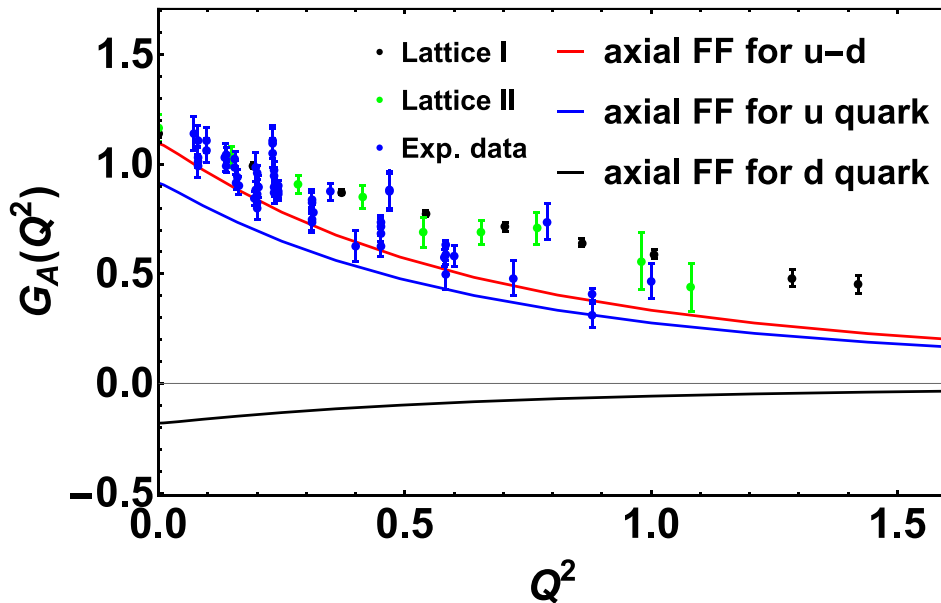
Axial Form Factor of The Proton

- Provide information on spin-isospin distributions

$$\langle N(p') | A_\mu^a | N(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma_\mu G_A(t) + \frac{(p' - p)_\mu}{2m} G_P(t) \right] \gamma_5 \frac{\tau^a}{2} u(p) \quad A_\mu^a = \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 T^a q$$

Including the dynamic gluon, the u quark's contribution is suppressed and closer to the experimental data results.

$$\Delta\Sigma_q \approx 0.7 \quad \Delta\Sigma_u \approx 0.86 \quad \Delta\Sigma_d \approx 0.16 \quad \Delta G \approx 0.13 < 0.2 \quad (\text{COMPASS})$$



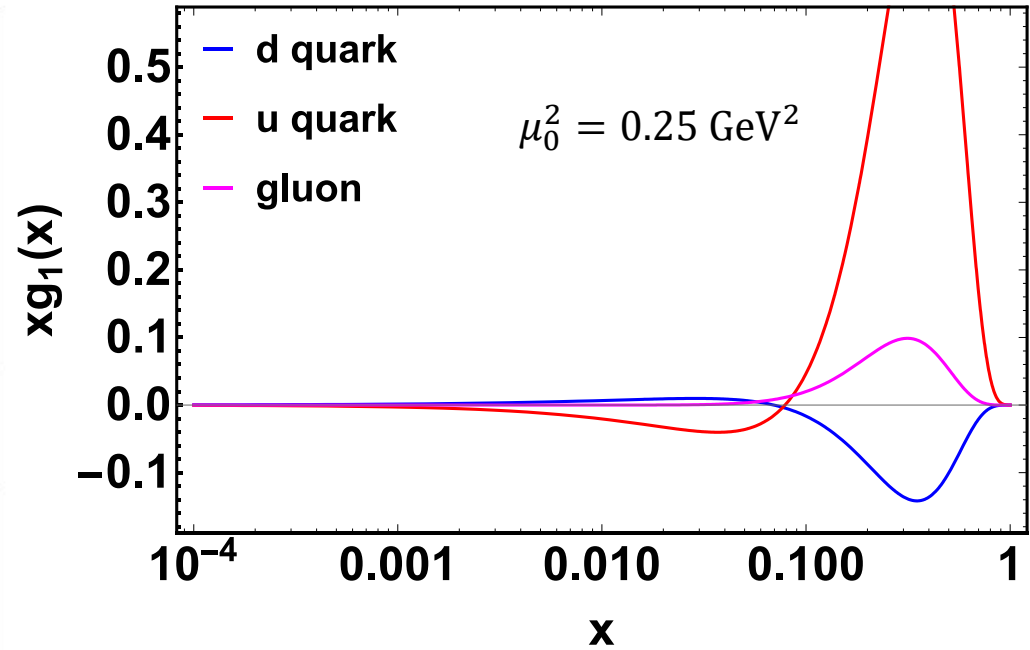
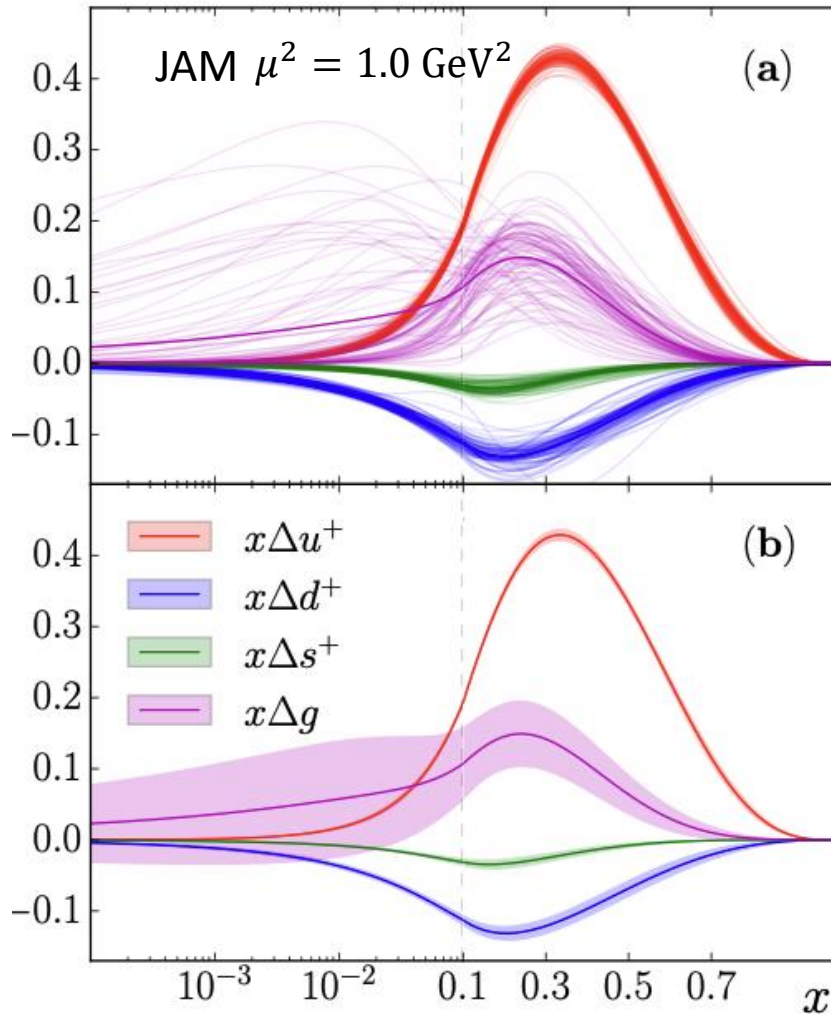
Prediction of Other Approach

[Alexandre Deur *et al* 2019 *Rep. Prog. Phys.* **82** 076201]

Reference	Q^2 (GeV ²)	$\Delta\Sigma$	Remarks
[109]	—	0.75 ± 0.05	Relativistic quark model
[106]	—	0.60	Quark parton model
[113]	10.7	0.14 ± 0.23	EMC
[109]	10.7	0.01 ± 0.29	EMC (Jaffe-Manohar analysis)
[414]	—	0.30	Skyrme model
[415]	—	0.09	Instanton model
[271]	10	0.28 ± 0.16	SMC
[255]	—	0.41 ± 0.05	Global analysis
[268]	3	0.33 ± 0.06	E143
[32]	10	0.31 ± 0.07	BBS
[416]	—	0.37	χ quark model
[299]	1	0.5 ± 0.1	Global fit
[123]	4	0.168	GRSV 1995
[267]	2	0.39 ± 0.11	E142
[256]	5	0.20 ± 0.08	E154
[302]	4	0.342	LSS 1997
[417]	—	0.4	Relativistic quark model
[300]	1	0.45 ± 0.10	ABFR 1998
[309]	5	0.26 ± 0.02	AAC 2000
[257]	5	0.23 ± 0.07	E155
[316]	5	0.197	StandardGRSV2000
		0.273	SU(3)_f breaking
[336]	4	0.282	Stat. model
[304]	1	0.21 ± 0.10	LSS 2001
[301]	4	0.198	ABFR 2001
[418]	5	0.16 ± 0.08	Global analysis
[375]	4	0.298	BB 2002
[310]	5	0.213 ± 0.138	AAC 2003
[367]	5	0.35 ± 0.08	Neutron (³He) data (section 6.9.1)
[282]	5	0.169 ± 0.084	Proton data (section 6.9.1)
[419]	—	0.366	χ Quark soliton model
[124, 420]	∞	0.33	Chiral quark soliton model. $n_f = 6$
[311]	5	0.26 ± 0.09	AAC 2006
[274]	5	0.330 ± 0.039	HERMES Glob. fit
[272]	10	0.35 ± 0.06	COMPASS
[312]	5	0.245 ± 0.06	AAC 2008

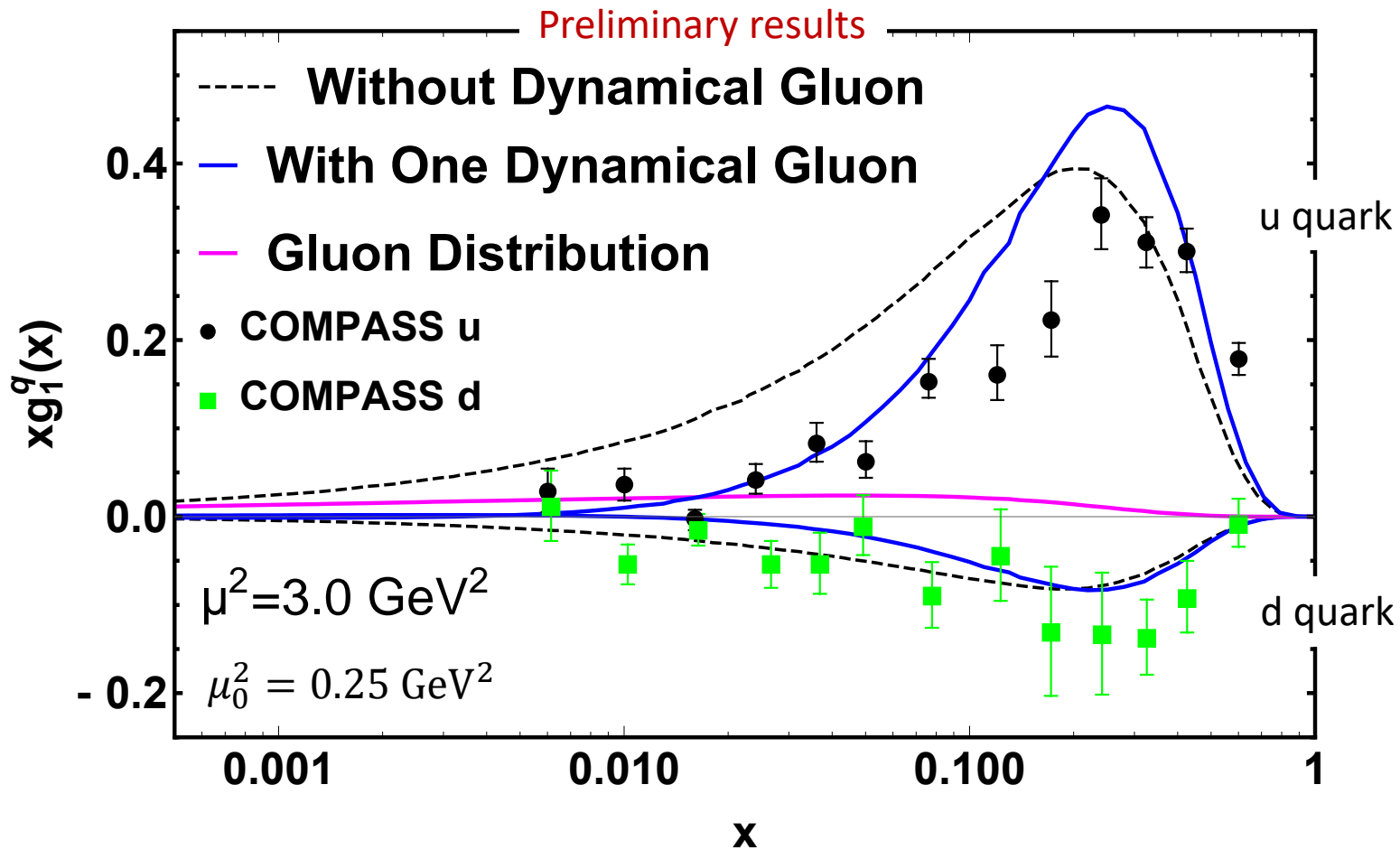
Helicity Parton Distribution Functions

Preliminary results



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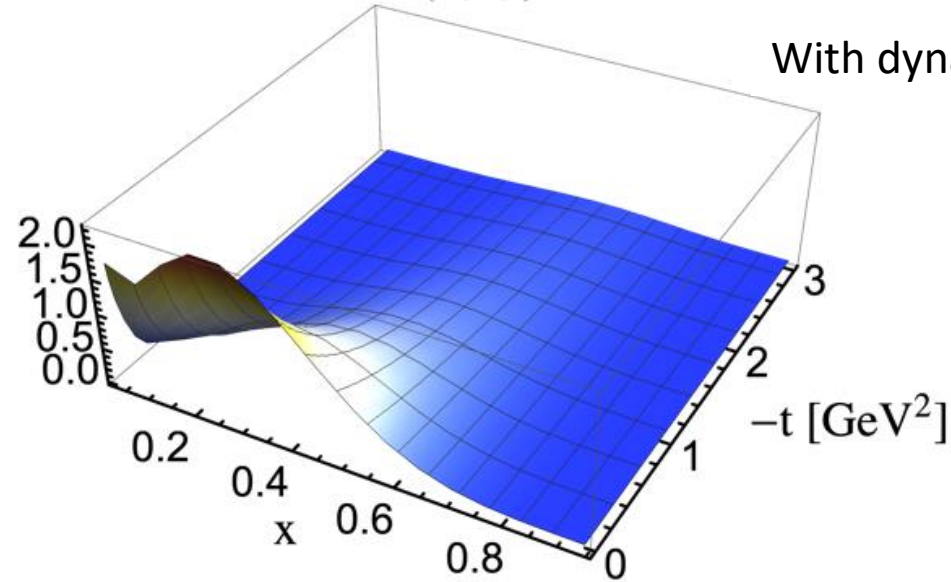


- Without second Fock sector $|qqqg\rangle$, the gluon is generated dynamically from the DGLAP evolution.
- Including the One Dynamical Gluon Fock Sector, the valence quark distributions at small x region and x larger than 0.5 region are improved.

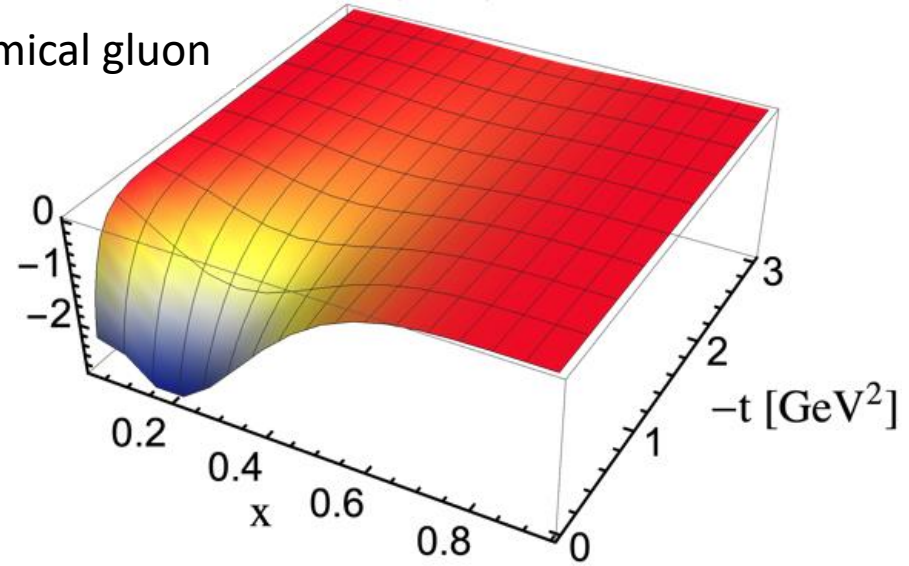
Generalized Parton Distribution Functions (GPD)

$$H^d(x,0,t)$$

With dynamical gluon

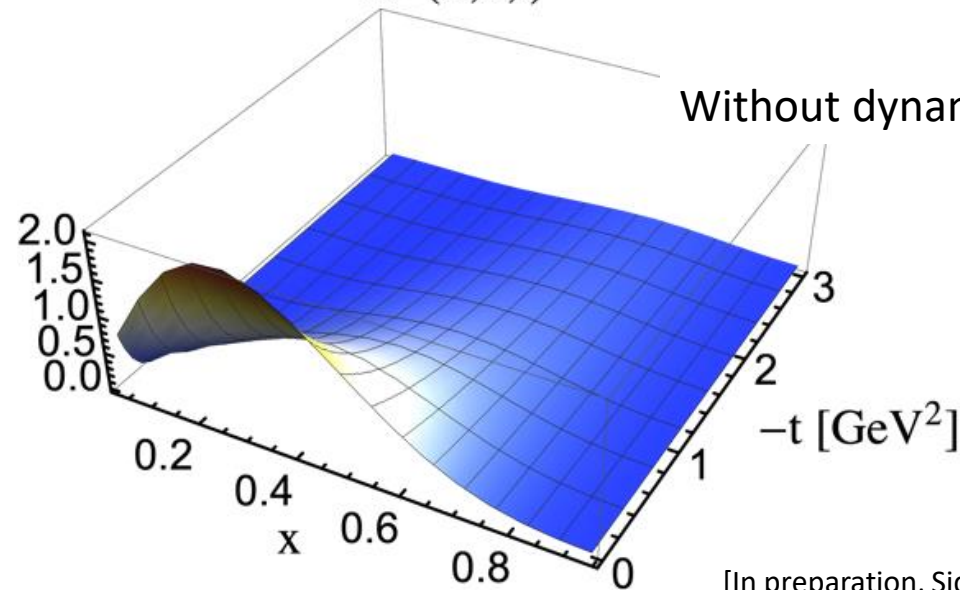


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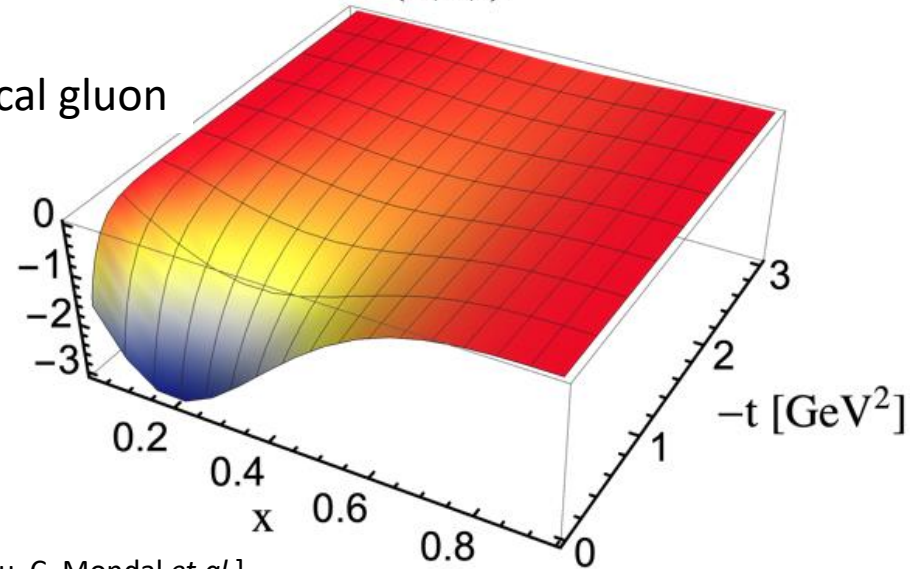


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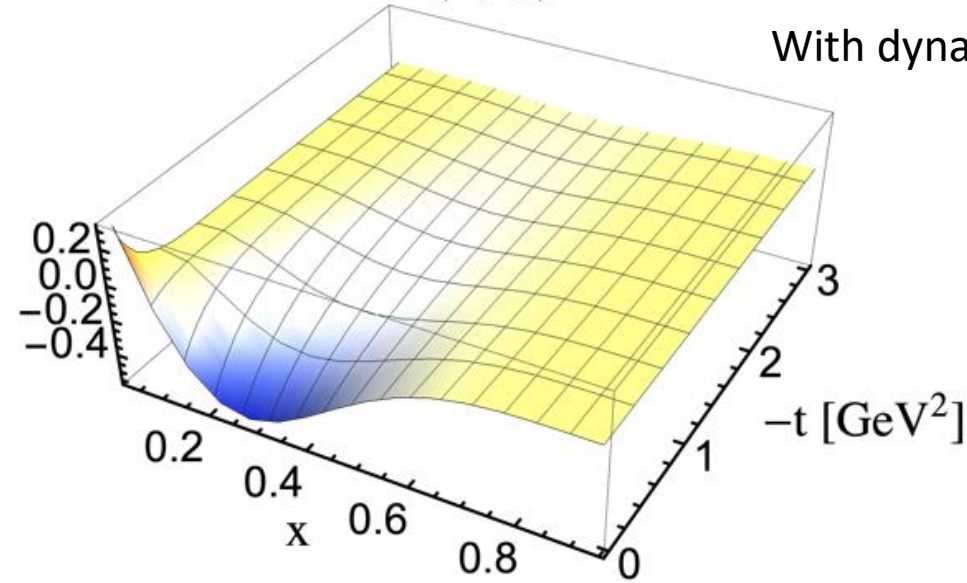
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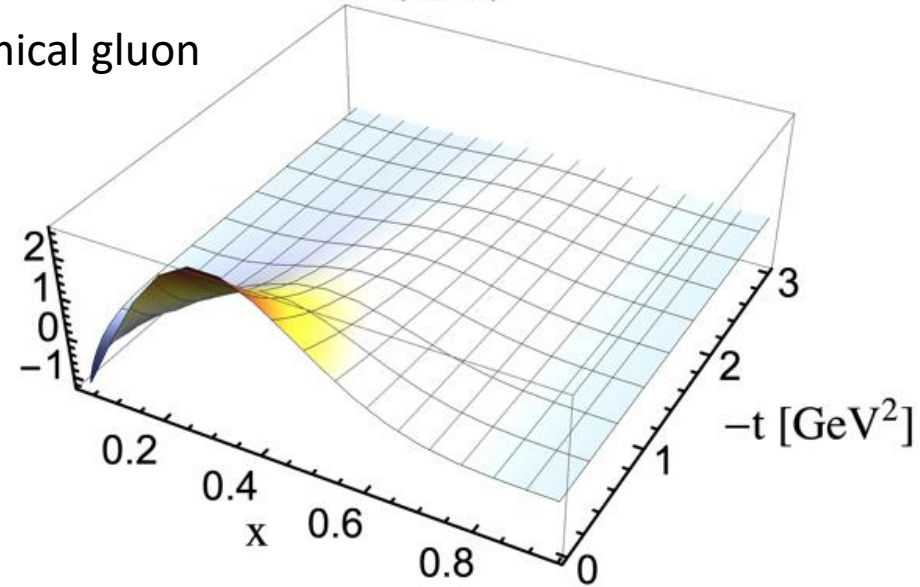
Generalized Parton Distribution Functions (GPD)

$$\tilde{H}^d(x,0,t)$$

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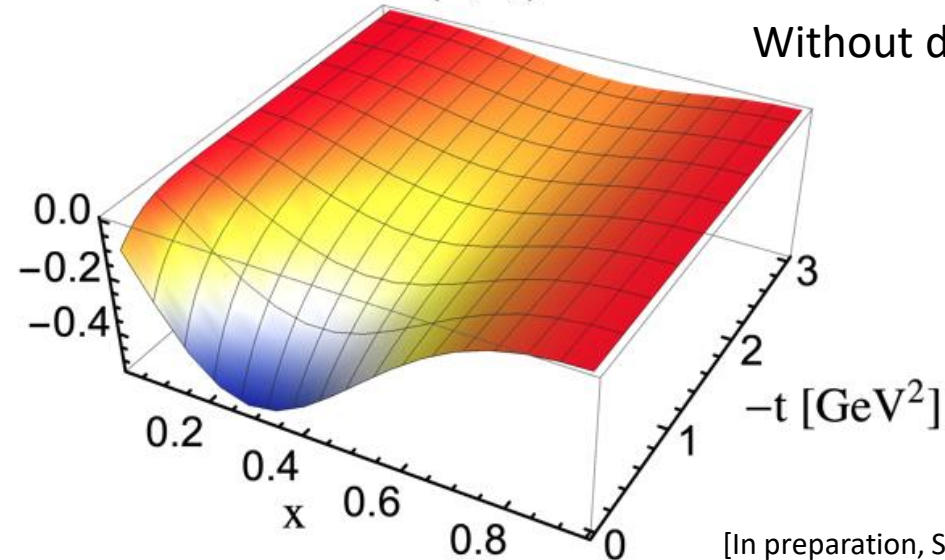


$$\tilde{H}^u(x,0,t)$$

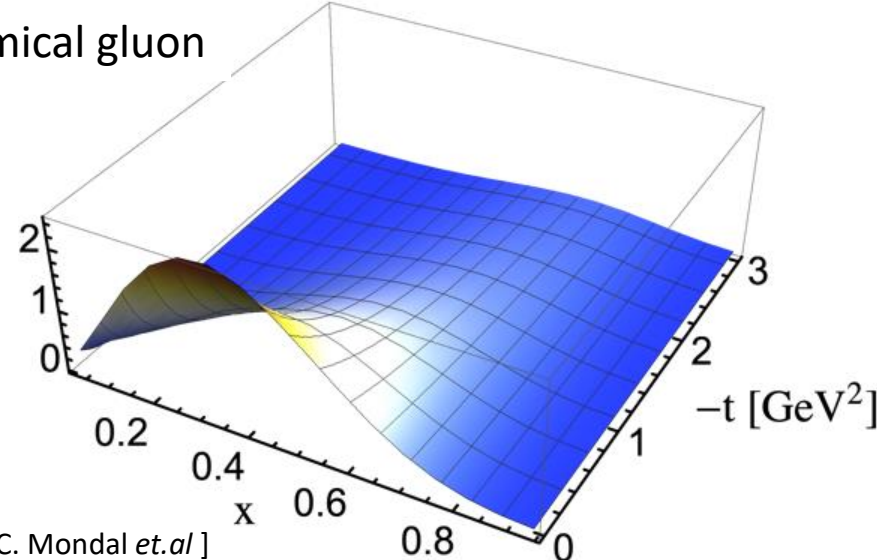


$$\tilde{H}^d(x,0,t)$$

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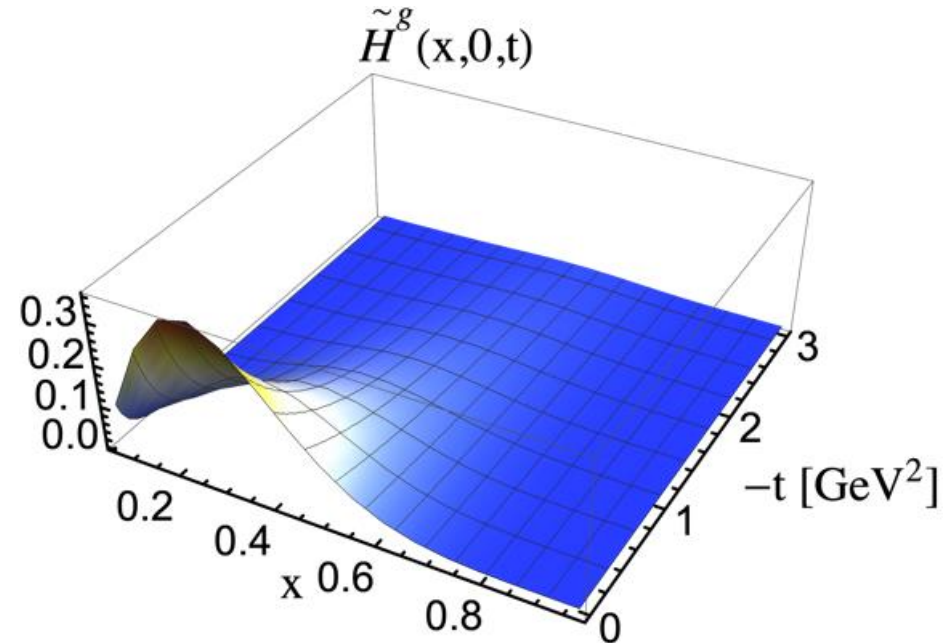
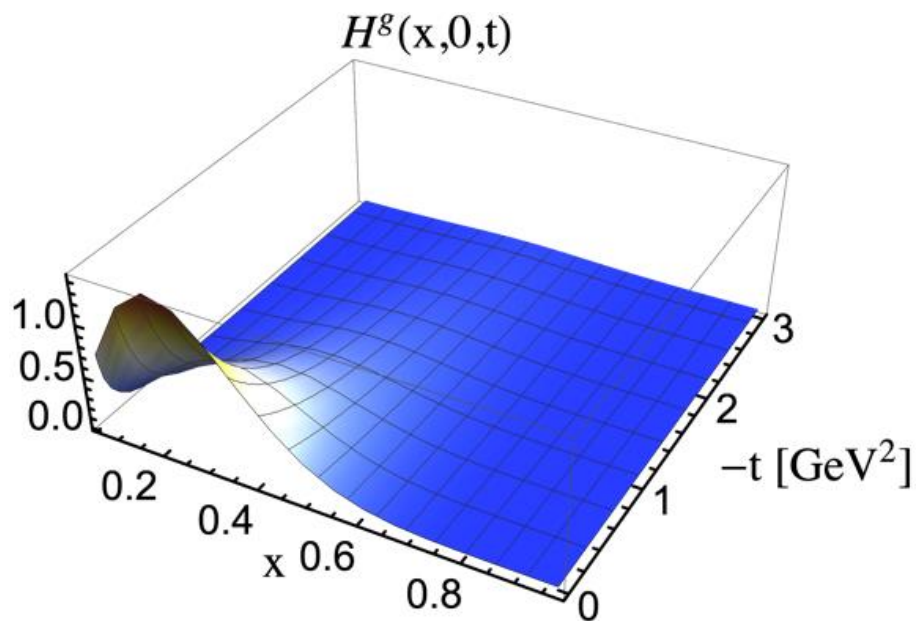


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➤ Generalized Parton Distribution Functions For Gluon



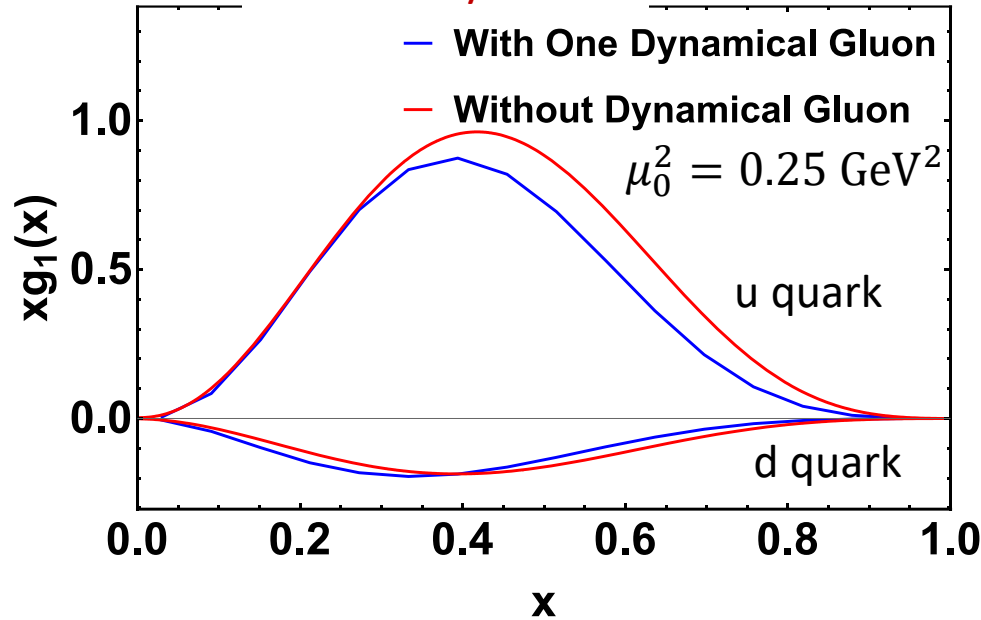
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Transversity Parton Distribution Functions

[In preparation, Siqi Xu, C. Mondal *et al.*]

[Phys. Rev. D87, 094019(2013)]

Preliminary results



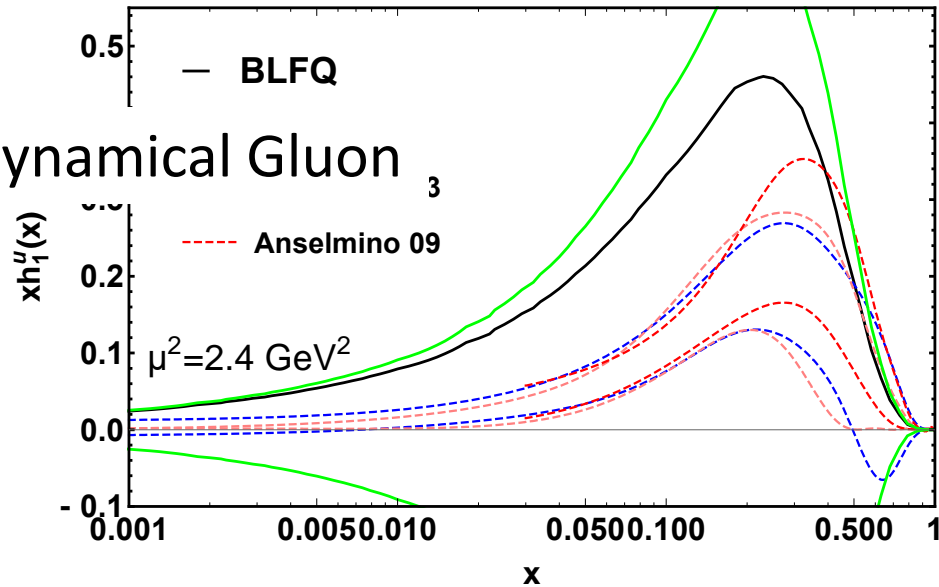
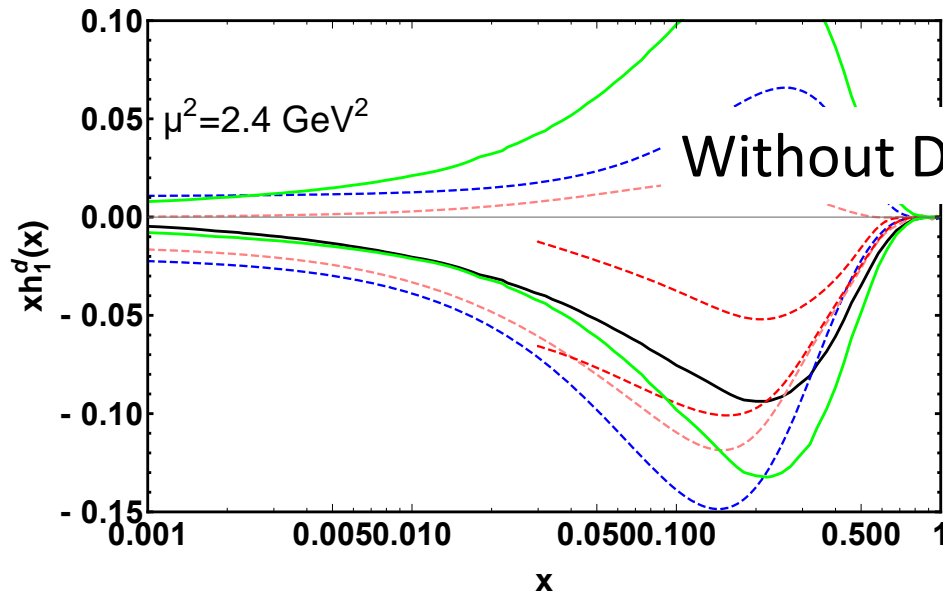
We are still working on the calculation of the gluon transversity PDF.

Due to the gluon distribution, we can't evolve the PDF from initial scale to experimental scale.

$$g_T^u = 0.55, g_T^d = -0.29 \quad \text{dynamical Gluon}$$

$$g_T^u = 0.94, g_T^d = -0.20 \quad \text{no dynamical Gluon}$$

$$g_T^u = 0.39_{-0.12}^{+0.18}, g_T^d = -0.25_{-0.10}^{+0.30} \quad \text{Extracted}$$



Conclusion

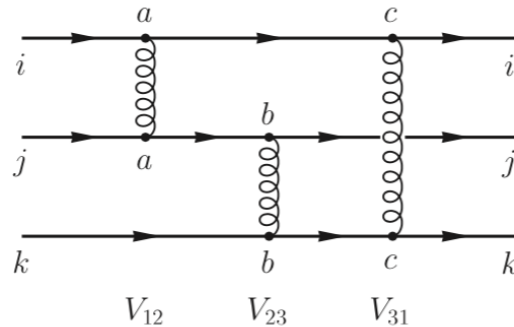
- Light-front Hamiltonian approach: mass spectrum and structure.
- Investigate the structure of the nucleon from the eigenstates of effective Hamiltonians and one dynamical gluon effective Hamiltonians.
- Wavefunctions lead to a good description of various observables such as electromagnetic form factors, PDFs, GPDs, etc.
- While including higher Fock Sectors, the effective interaction is replaced by the QCD vertex function and the gluon distribution can be explored.
- Including the one dynamical gluon Fock Sector, the Axial Form Factor of u quark is suppressed, and the d quark's Axial FF is almost same with only the leading Fock sector case.
- As we include the gluon contribution at initial scale, the gluon distributions are closer to the NNPDF results.

Thank you

Effective Hamiltonian

$$|P_{baryon}\rangle = \psi_1 |qqq\rangle$$

$$H_{Interact} = -\frac{C_F 4\pi\alpha_s}{Q^2} \sum_{i,j(i<j)} \bar{u}_{s'_i}(k'_i) \gamma^\mu u_{s_i}(k_i) \bar{u}_{s'_j}(k'_j) \gamma_\mu u_{s_j}(k_j)$$



$$N_{\max} = 10, K = 16.5$$

$m_{q/k}$	$m_{q/g}$	κ	α_s
0.3 GeV	0.2 GeV	0.34 GeV	1.1 ± 0.1

Note: In our calculation, we fix the basis scale b equal to 0.6 GeV

Nucleon Radii and Axial Charges

- The magnetic moment of the proton and neutron

Quantity	BLFQ	Measurement ^a	Lattice
μ_p	2.443 ± 0.027	2.79	2.43(9)
μ_n	-1.405 ± 0.026	-1.91	-1.54(6)

- The radii of the proton and neutron

Quantity	BLFQ	Measurement	Lattice
r_E^p [fm]	$0.802^{+0.042}_{-0.040}$	0.833 ± 0.010	0.742(13)
r_M^p [fm]	$0.834^{+0.029}_{-0.029}$	0.851 ± 0.026	0.710(26)
$\langle r_E^2 \rangle^n$ [fm ²]	-0.033 ± 0.198	-0.1161 ± 0.0022	-0.074(16)
r_M^n [fm]	$0.861^{+0.021}_{-0.019}$	$0.864^{+0.009}_{-0.008}$	0.716(29)

- The axial charge and axial radius

Quantity	BLFQ	Extracted data	Lattice
g_A^u	1.16 ± 0.04	0.82 ± 0.07	0.830(26)
g_A^d	-0.248 ± 0.027	-0.45 ± 0.07	-0.386(16)
g_A^{u-d}	1.41 ± 0.06	1.2723 ± 0.0023	1.237(74)
$\sqrt{\langle r_A^2 \rangle}$ fm	$0.680^{+0.070}_{-0.073}$	0.667 ± 0.12	0.512(34)

The Quark Tensor Charge in The Proton

Quantity	BLFQ	Extracted data	Lattice
g_T^u	$0.94^{+0.06}_{-0.15}$	$0.39^{+0.18}_{-0.12}$	0.784(28)
g_T^d	$-0.20^{+0.02}_{-0.04}$	$-0.25^{+0.30}_{-0.10}$	-0.204(11)
$\langle x \rangle_T^{u-d}$	$0.229^{+0.019}_{-0.048}$	—	0.203(24)

- The first moment of the transversity PDF

$$g_T^q = \int dx h_1^q(x, \mu^2). \quad \mu^2 = 2.4 \text{ GeV}^2$$

The BLFQ predicts the tensor charges for the down quark in good agreement with the global QCD analysis

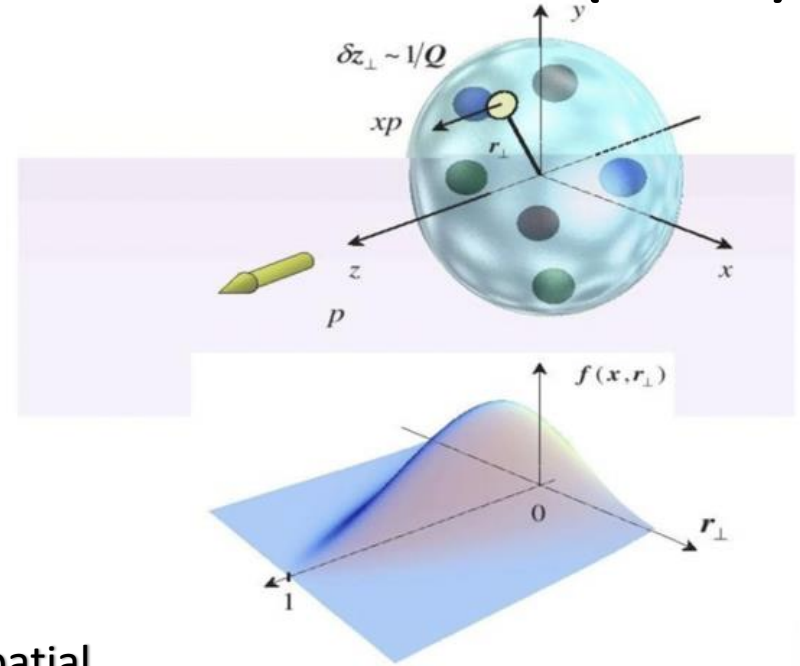
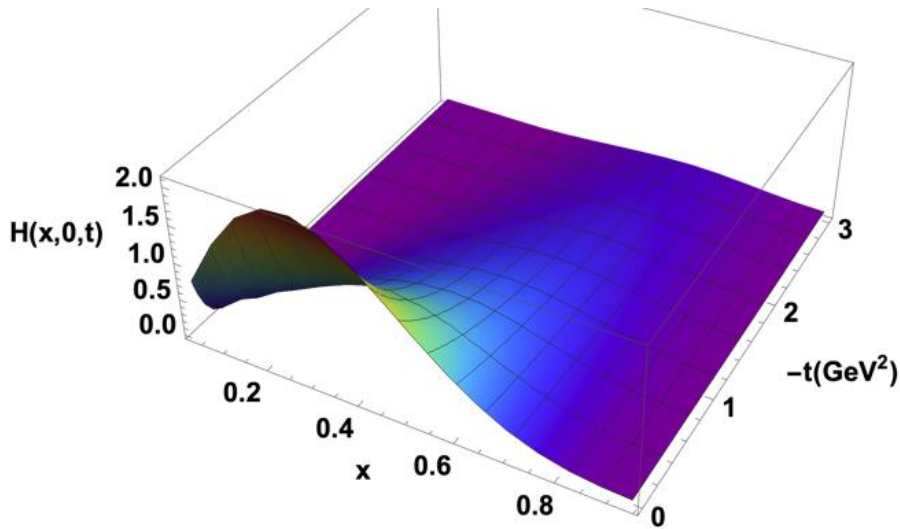
- The second moment of the transversity PDF

$$\langle x \rangle_T^{u-d} = \int dx x (h_1^u(x, \mu^2) - h_1^d(x, \mu^2)), \quad \mu^2 = 2.4 \text{ GeV}^2$$

The BLFQ prediction for $\langle x \rangle_T^{u-d}$ agrees reasonably well with the lattice data.

Generalized Parton Distribution Functions (GPD)

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Encode the information about three dimensional spatial structure the spin and orbital angular momentum

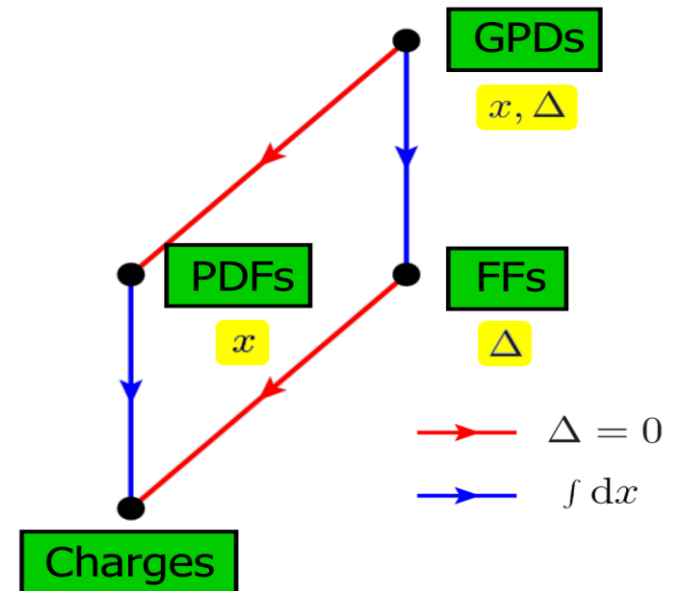
With increasing momentum transfer (t), the peaks of distributions shift to larger x ;

$$t = \Delta^2, x = \frac{k^+}{p^+}, \zeta = \frac{\Delta^+}{p^+} = 0 \quad b_{\perp} \xrightarrow{FT} \Delta_{\perp}$$

Impact parameter distribution (b_{\perp}):

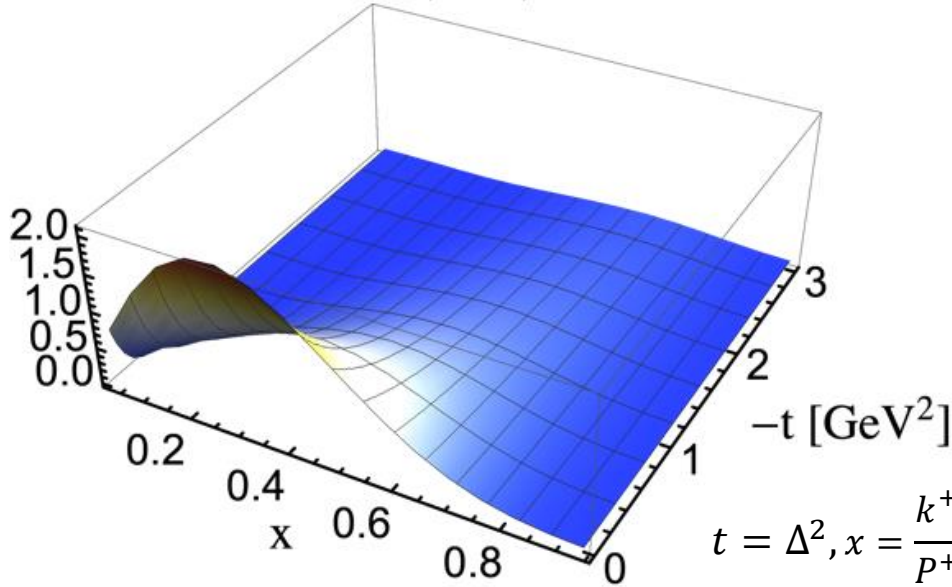
$$\langle b_{\perp}^2 \rangle^q(x) = -4 \frac{\partial}{\partial \vec{q}_{\perp}^2} \ln H^q(x, 0, -\vec{q}_{\perp}^2) \Big|_{\vec{q}_{\perp}=0}$$

$$\langle b_{\perp}^2 \rangle(x) = 2e_u \langle b_{\perp}^2 \rangle^u(x) + e_d \langle b_{\perp}^2 \rangle^d(x)$$

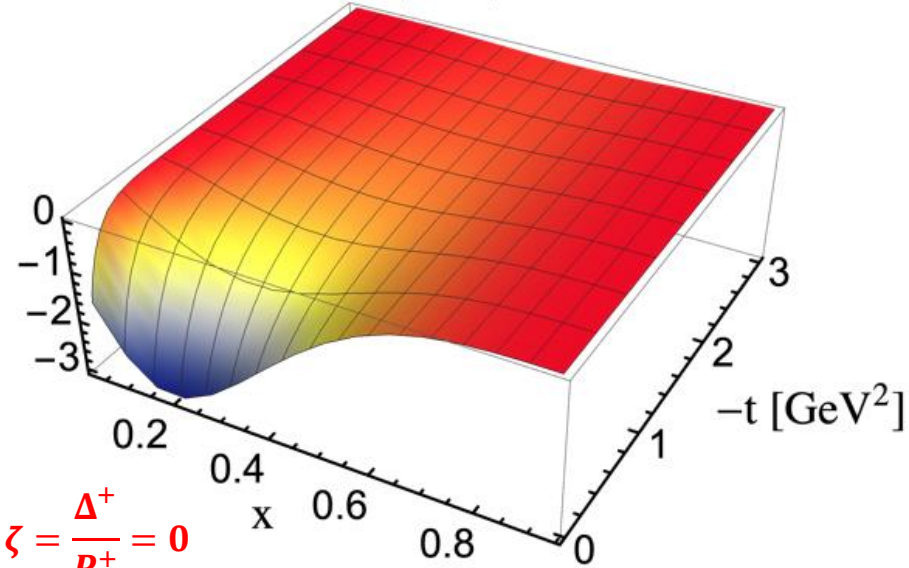


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$$H^d(x,0,t)$$



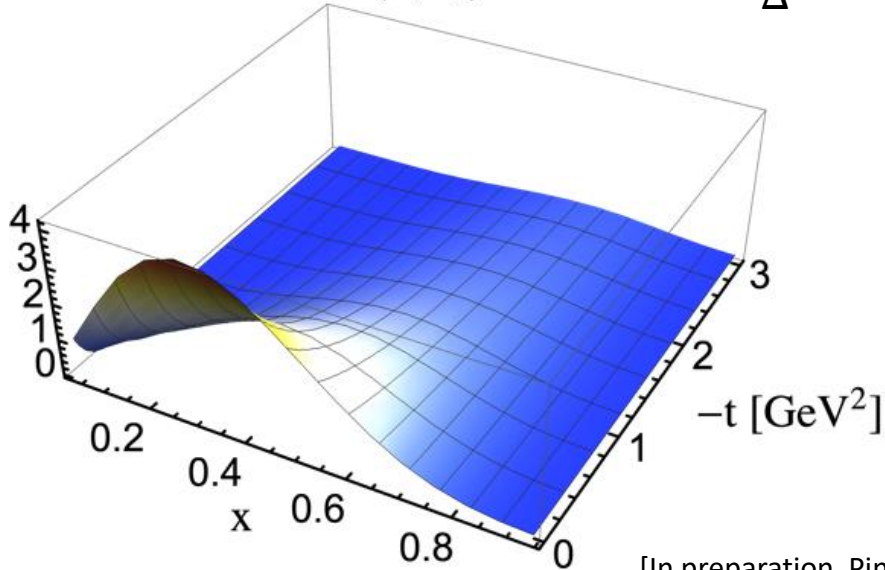
$$E^d(x,0,t)$$



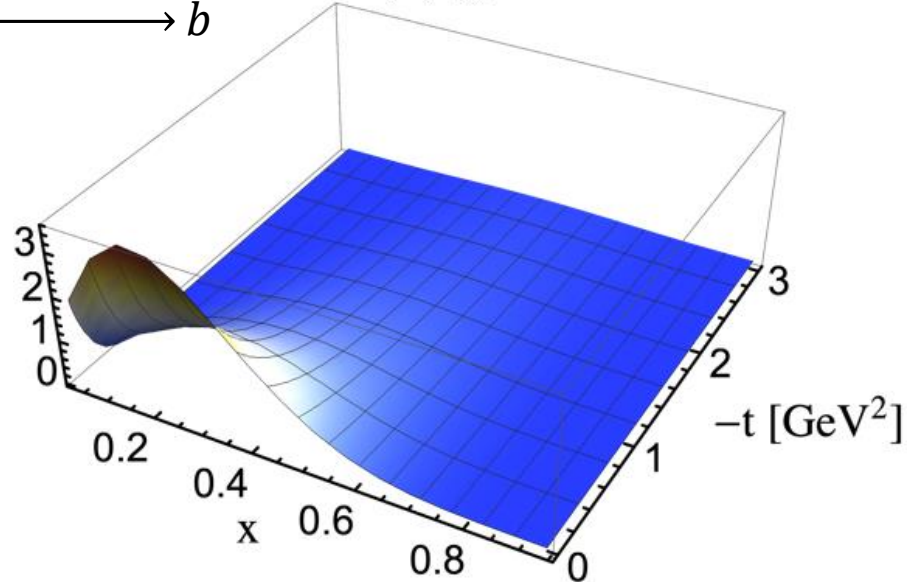
$$t = \Delta^2, x = \frac{k^+}{p^+}, \zeta = \frac{\Delta^+}{p^+} = 0$$

$$\Delta \xrightarrow{\text{Fourier Transform}} b$$

$$H^u(x,0,t)$$



$$E^u(x,0,t)$$



Angular Momentum Distributions

- Total angular momentum density:

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$$\langle J^Z \rangle(b_\perp) = \langle L^Z \rangle(b_\perp) + \langle S^Z \rangle(b_\perp)$$

$$\langle L^Z \rangle(b_\perp) = -i\epsilon^{3jk} \int \frac{d^2\vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \vec{b}_\perp} \frac{\partial \langle T^{+k} \rangle}{\partial \Delta_\perp^j} \quad , \quad \langle S^Z \rangle(b_\perp) = \frac{s^Z}{2} \int \frac{d^2\vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \vec{b}_\perp} G_A(-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2)$$

- Belinfante-improved tensors

$$\langle J^Z \rangle(b_\perp) = \langle J_{Bel}^Z \rangle(b_\perp) + \langle M^Z \rangle(b_\perp)$$

$$T_{Bel}^{\mu\nu}(x) = T^{\mu\nu}(x) + \partial_\lambda G^{\lambda\mu\nu}(x),$$

$$J_{Bel}^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) = J^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) + \partial_\lambda [x^\alpha G^{\lambda\mu\beta}(x) - x^\beta G^{\lambda\mu\alpha}(x)] ,$$

Quark Helicity > 90%

