

# Three-dimensional structure at the EIC (I)

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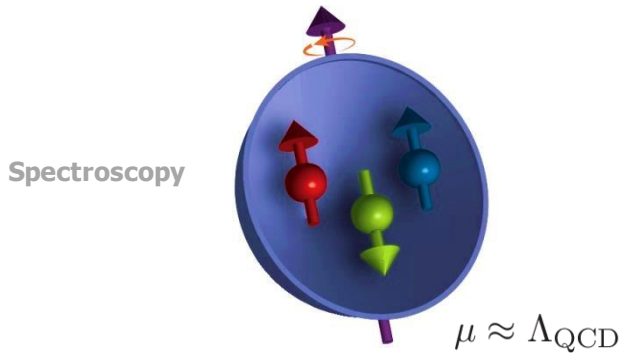
# Outline

- Lecture 1 : Spatial distributions
- Lecture 2 : Parton distributions
- Lecture 3 : Wigner distributions
- Tutorial

# Nucleon structure

## Non-relativistic picture

dominated by **constituents**



### Mass

$$M_N c^2 \sim \sum_Q M_Q c^2 + E_{\text{binding}}$$

$\sim 102\%$ 
 $\sim -2\%$

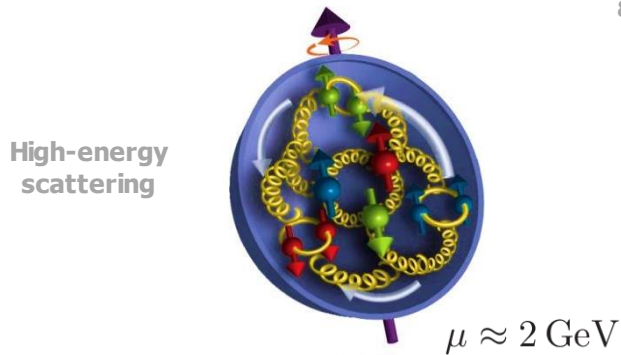
### Spin

$$J_z^N \sim \sum_Q S_z^Q$$

$\sim 100\%$

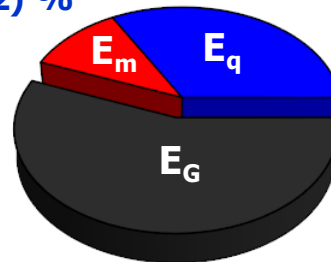
## Relativistic picture

dominated by **dynamics**



Quark mass & QCD condensate  
 $\sim 11(2)\%$

Quark kinetic+potential energies  
 $\sim 33(2)\%$

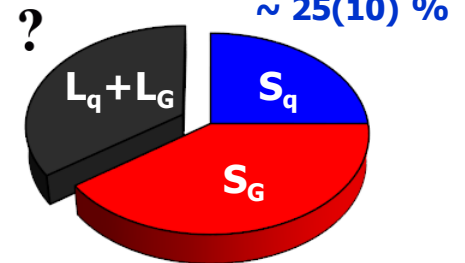


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Gluon kinetic+potential energies

Orbital angular momentum

Quark spin



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$\sim 25(10)\%$

$\sim 40(?)\%$

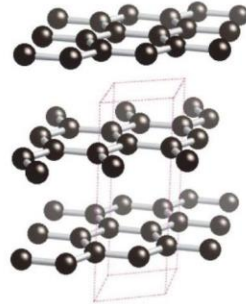
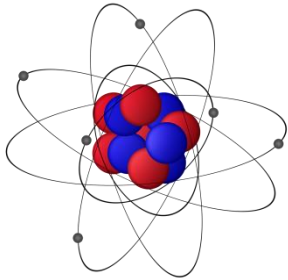
Gluon spin

**→ EIC !**

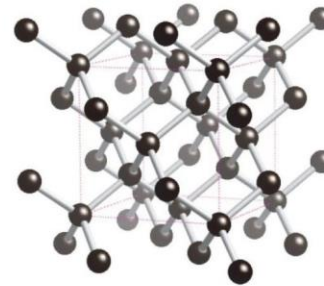
# Spatial structure

3D structure is fundamental to understand physical properties

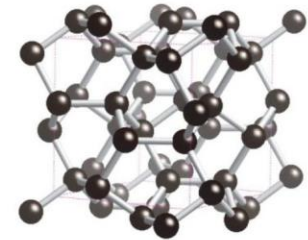
i.e. thermal, electrical, mechanical, ...



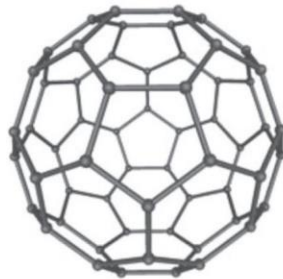
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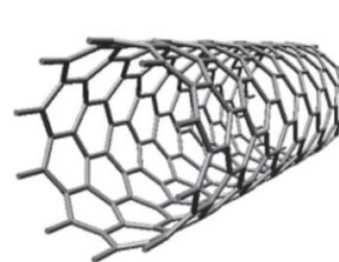
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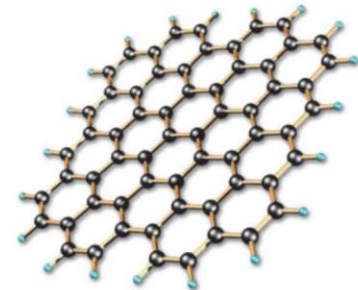
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fullerene



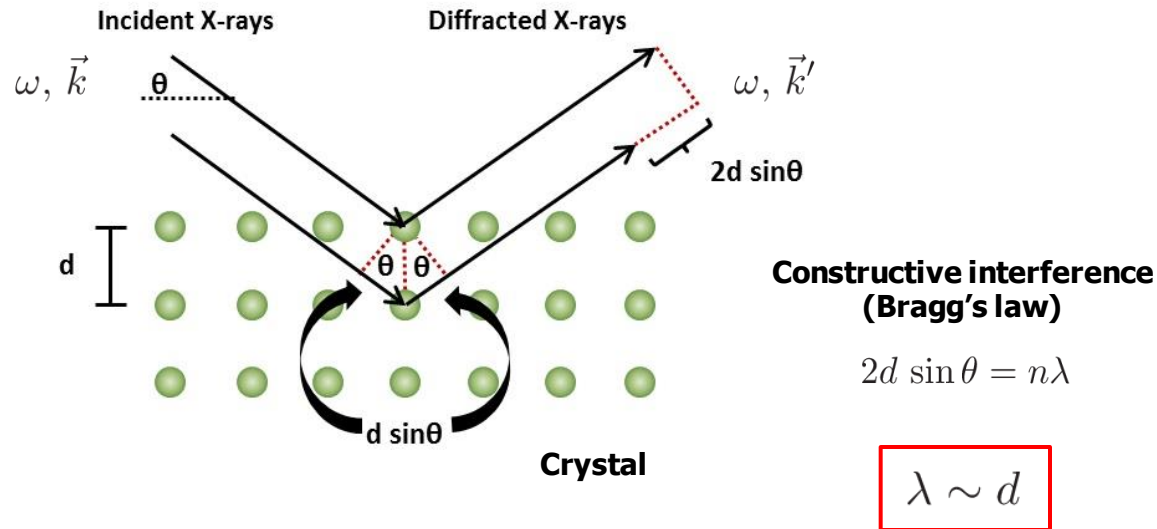
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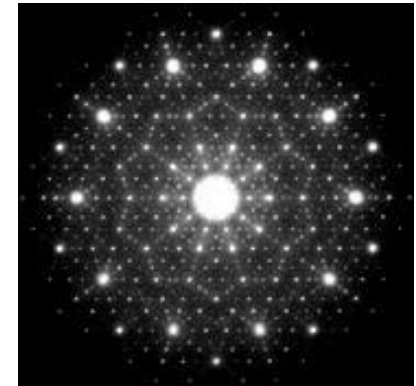
graphene

# Spatial distributions - Principles

## Example: X-ray diffraction



Diffraction pattern



$$\propto |A_{\text{scatt}}|^2$$

## Scattered amplitude

$$A_{\text{scatt}} \propto F(\vec{q}) = \int d^3r e^{i\vec{q} \cdot \vec{r}} \rho(\vec{r}) \quad \vec{q} = \vec{k} - \vec{k}'$$

Form factor                      Scatterer distribution

# Spatial distributions - Principles

**Crystals, atoms**

$$d \approx 10^{-10} \text{ m} \Rightarrow \hbar\omega \approx 10^4 \text{ eV}$$



**X-rays**

**Nuclei, nucleons**

$$d \approx 10^{-15} \text{ m} \Rightarrow \hbar\omega \approx 10^9 \text{ eV}$$

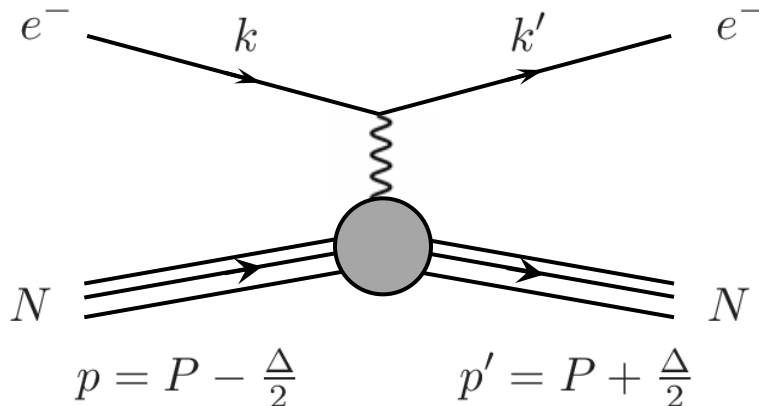


**High-energy  
electron beams**



**Large recoil for light nuclei!**

**Relativistic treatment**  
in Born approximation



$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} / \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \Big|_{\text{pointlike}} = [F(Q^2)]^2 \quad \text{Spin-0 target}$$

$$= \left\{ [G_E(Q^2)]^2 + \frac{\tau}{\epsilon} [G_M(Q^2)]^2 \right\} \frac{1}{1 + \tau} \quad \text{Spin-1/2 target}$$

**Electric  
form factor**

**Magnetic  
form factor**

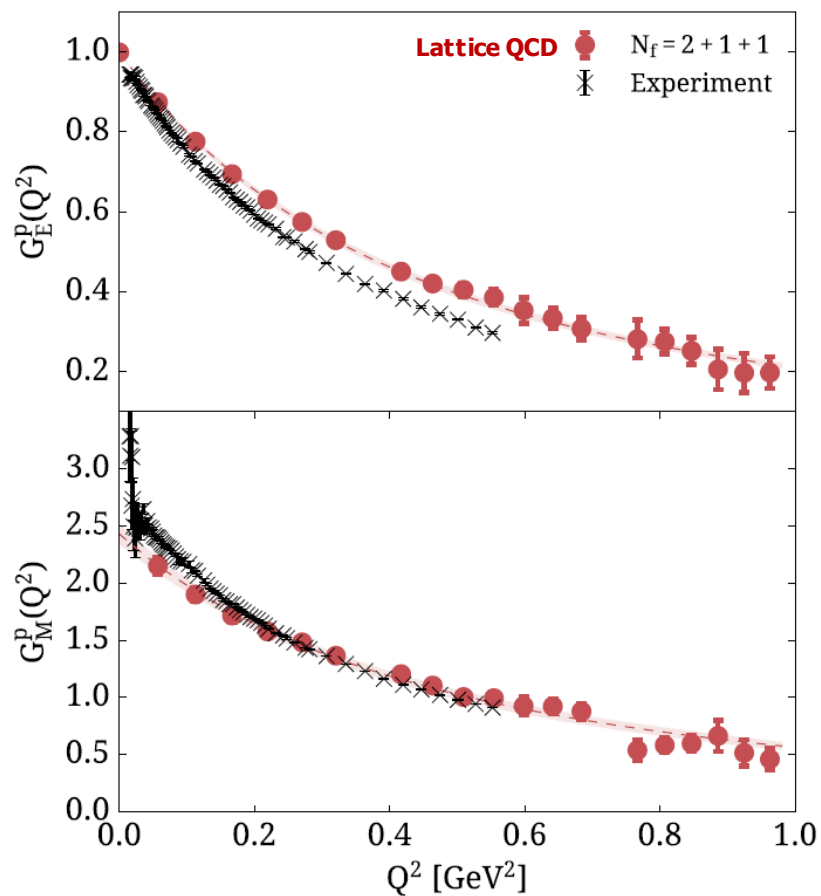
$$Q^2 = -\Delta^2$$

$$\tau = Q^2 / 4M_N^2$$

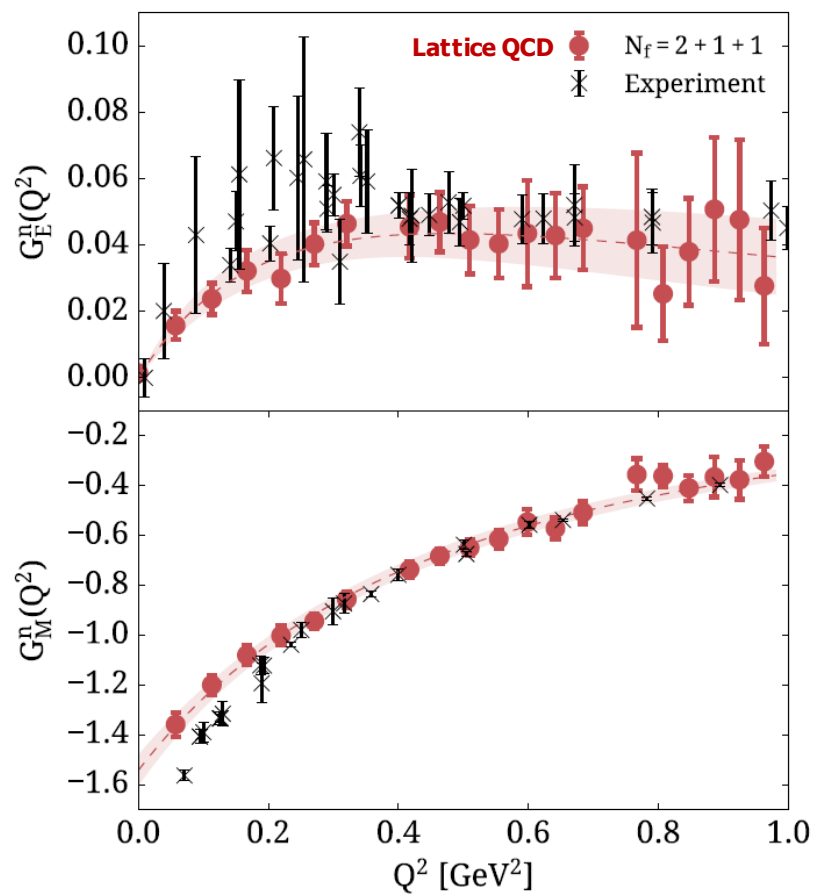
$$\epsilon = (1 + 2(1 + \tau) \tan^2 \frac{\theta_e}{2})^{-1}$$

# Nucleon electromagnetic form factors

## Proton



## Neutron



# Spatial distributions - Formalism

## Expectation value

$$\langle \psi | j^\mu(\vec{r}) | \psi \rangle = \int \frac{d^3 P}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d^3 \Delta}{(2\pi)^3} \tilde{\psi}^*(\vec{P} + \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2}) \tilde{\psi}(\vec{P} - \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2}) \langle \vec{P} + \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} | j^\mu(\vec{r}) | \vec{P} - \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} \rangle$$

**Normalization**  $\langle \vec{p}' | \vec{p} \rangle = (2\pi)^3 \delta^{(3)}(\vec{p}' - \vec{p})$

**Wave packet**  $\tilde{\psi}(\vec{p}) = \langle \vec{p} | \psi \rangle$

**Probabilistic interpretation**  $\tilde{\psi}(\vec{P} \pm \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2}) \approx \tilde{\psi}(\vec{P})$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \psi | j^\mu(\vec{r}) | \psi \rangle &\approx \int \frac{d^3 P}{(2\pi)^3} |\tilde{\psi}(\vec{P})|^2 \underbrace{\mathcal{J}_{\vec{P}}^\mu(\vec{r})}_{\text{Internal distribution}} \\ &= \int \frac{d^3 \Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{r}} \langle \vec{P} + \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} | j^\mu(\vec{0}) | \vec{P} - \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

**Validity domain**  $1/D \ll |\vec{\Delta}| \ll |\delta \vec{p}| \ll P^0$

**Hydrogen**  $M_H D_H \approx 10^5$

**Nucleon**  $M_N D_N \approx 4$  

**Rest frame**  $|\vec{P}| = 0 \Rightarrow P^0 \approx M$

**Infinite momentum frame**  $|\vec{P}| \gg M \Rightarrow P^0 \gg M$



# Spatial distributions - Formalism

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## Phase-space approach

$$\langle \psi | j^\mu(\vec{r}) | \psi \rangle = \int \frac{d^3 P}{(2\pi)^3} d^3 R \rho_\psi(\vec{R}, \vec{P}) \langle j^\mu \rangle_{\vec{R}, \vec{P}}(\vec{r})$$

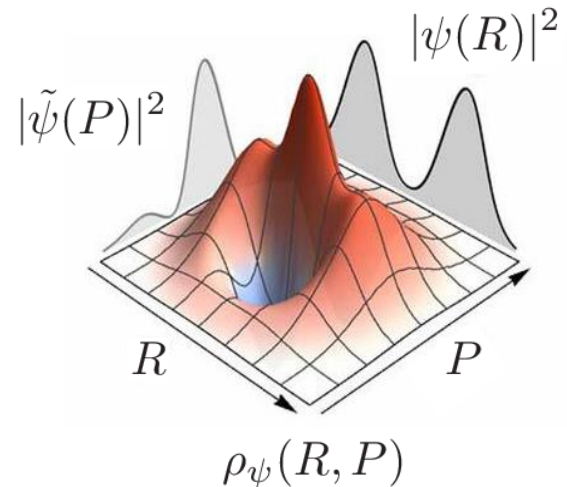
**Nucleon Wigner distribution**

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_\psi(\vec{R}, \vec{P}) &= \int d^3 z e^{-i\vec{P}\cdot\vec{z}} \psi^*(\vec{R} - \frac{\vec{z}}{2}) \psi(\vec{R} + \frac{\vec{z}}{2}) \\ &= \int \frac{d^3 q}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-iq\cdot\vec{R}} \tilde{\psi}^*(\vec{P} + \frac{\vec{q}}{2}) \tilde{\psi}(\vec{P} - \frac{\vec{q}}{2}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\psi(\vec{r}) = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{r}} \tilde{\psi}(\vec{p})$$

## Quasi-probabilistic interpretation

$$\begin{aligned} \int d^3 R \rho_\psi(\vec{R}, \vec{P}) &= |\tilde{\psi}(\vec{P})|^2 \\ \int \frac{d^3 P}{(2\pi)^3} \rho_\psi(\vec{R}, \vec{P}) &= |\psi(\vec{R})|^2 \end{aligned}$$



# Spatial distributions - Formalism

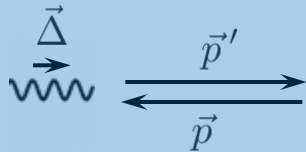
**Internal distribution** (for a state localized in phase-space)

$$\langle j^\mu \rangle_{\vec{R}, \vec{P}}(\vec{r}) = \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta} \cdot (\vec{r} - \vec{R})} \langle \vec{P} + \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} | j^\mu(0) | \vec{P} - \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} \rangle$$

**NB:**  $\mathcal{J}_{\vec{P}}^\mu(\vec{r}) = \langle j^\mu \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{P}}(\vec{r})$

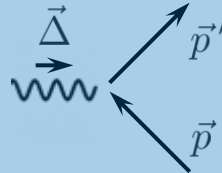
**Elastic frames**  $\Delta^0 = \frac{\vec{P} \cdot \vec{\Delta}}{P^0} \stackrel{!}{=} 0$  (no energy transfer  $\rightarrow$  same initial and final boost factor)

$$|\vec{P}| = 0$$

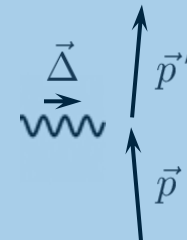


**Breit (or brick-wall or rest) frame**

$$|\vec{P}| \neq 0$$



$$|\vec{P}| \gg M$$

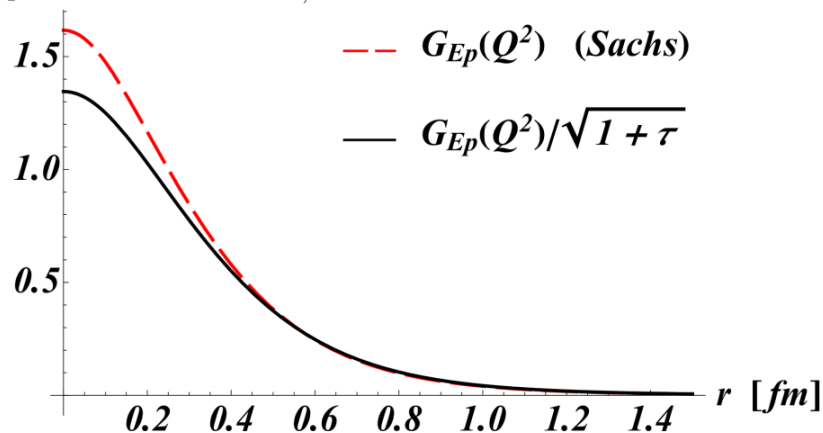


**Infinite-momentum Frame (IMF)**

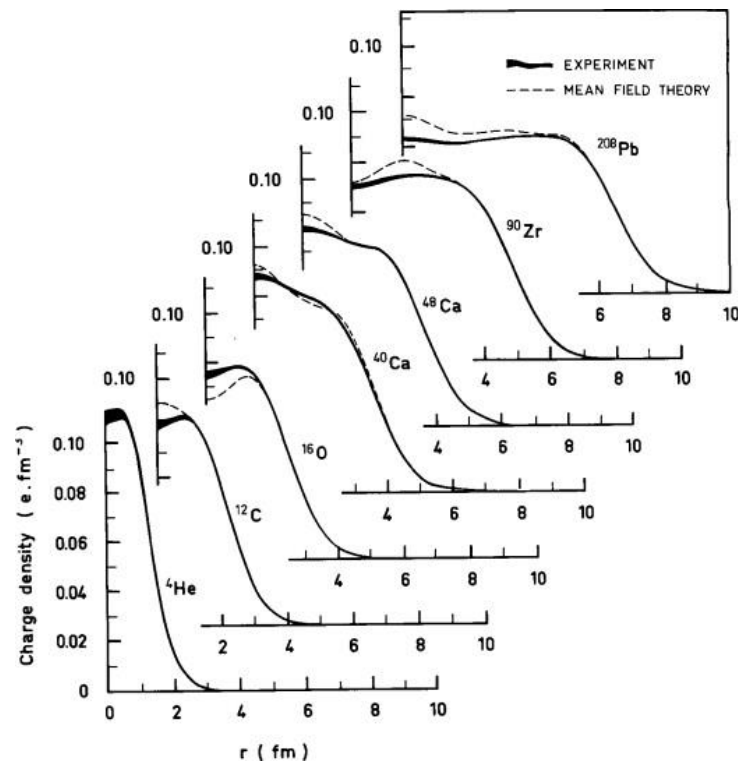
# Nucleon charge distributions (3D Breit frame)

## Proton

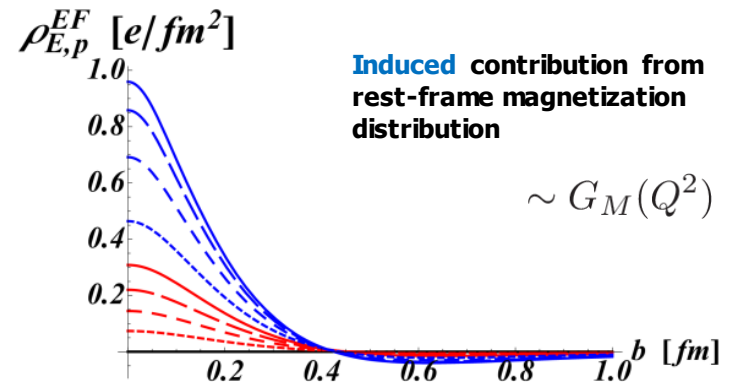
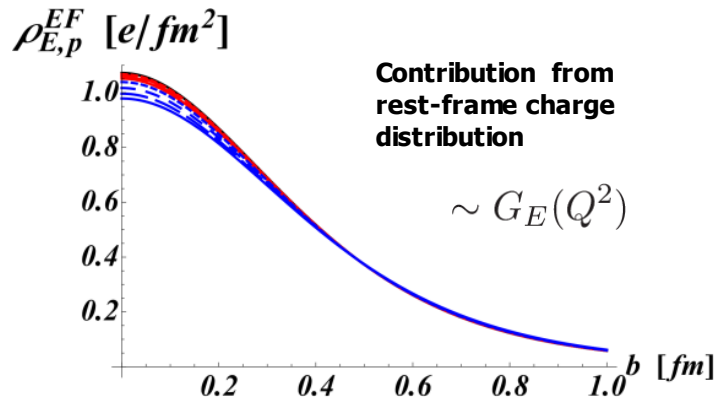
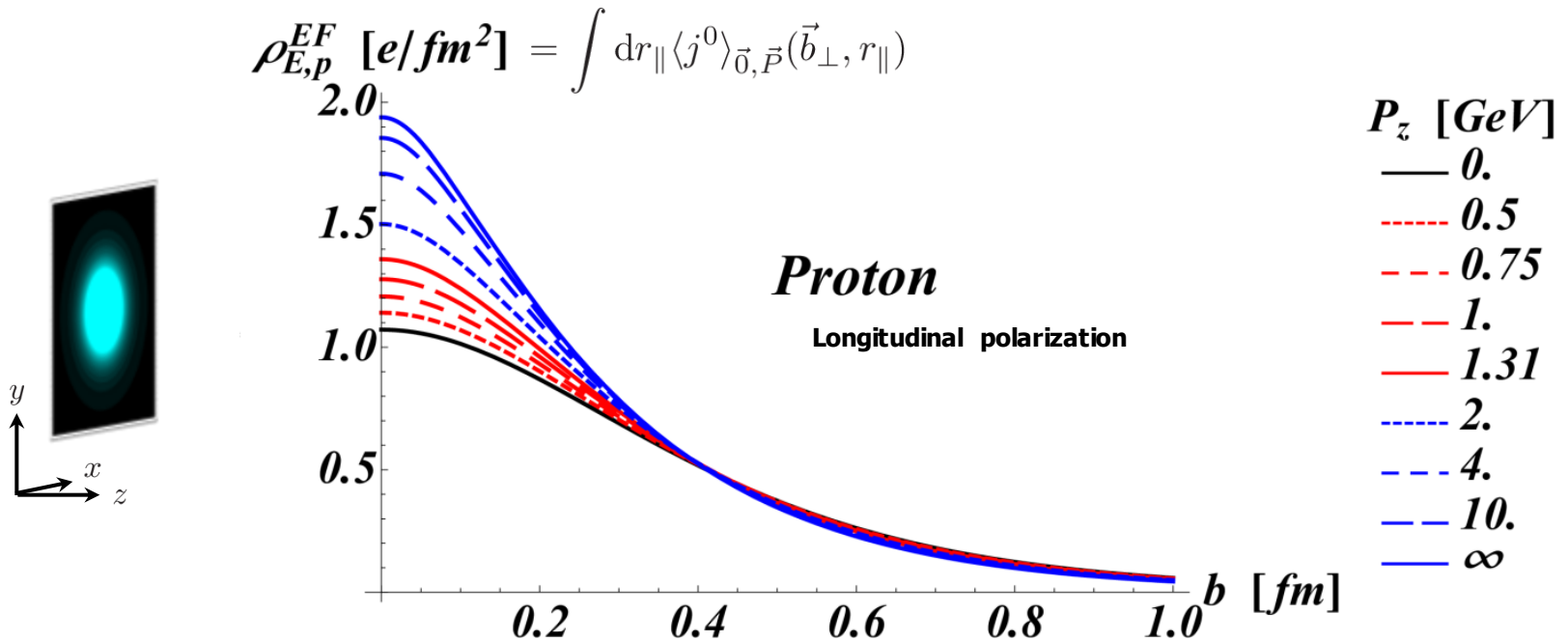
$$\rho_{E,p}^{BF} [e/fm^3] = \langle j^0 \rangle_{\vec{0},\vec{0}}(\vec{r})$$



## Nuclei

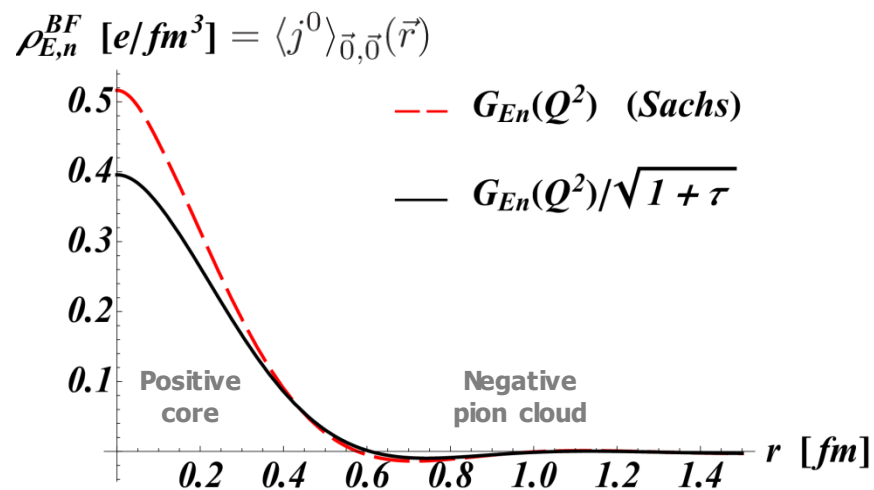


# Nucleon charge distributions (2D elastic frame)



# Nucleon charge distributions (3D Breit frame)

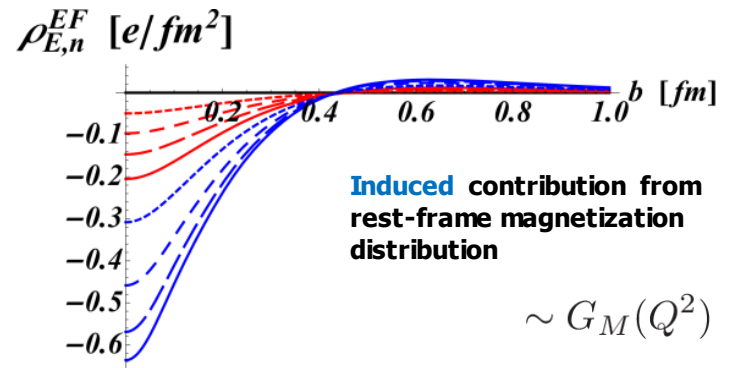
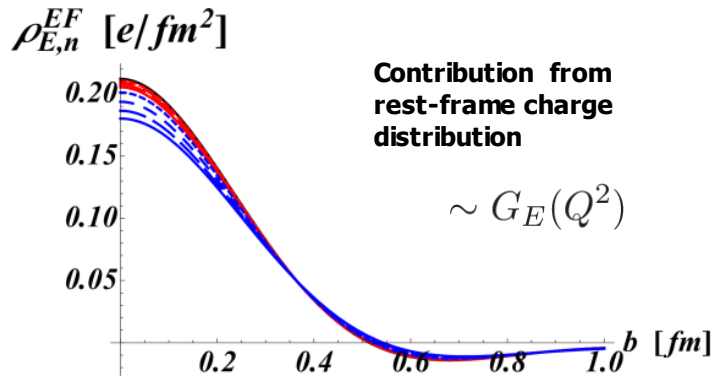
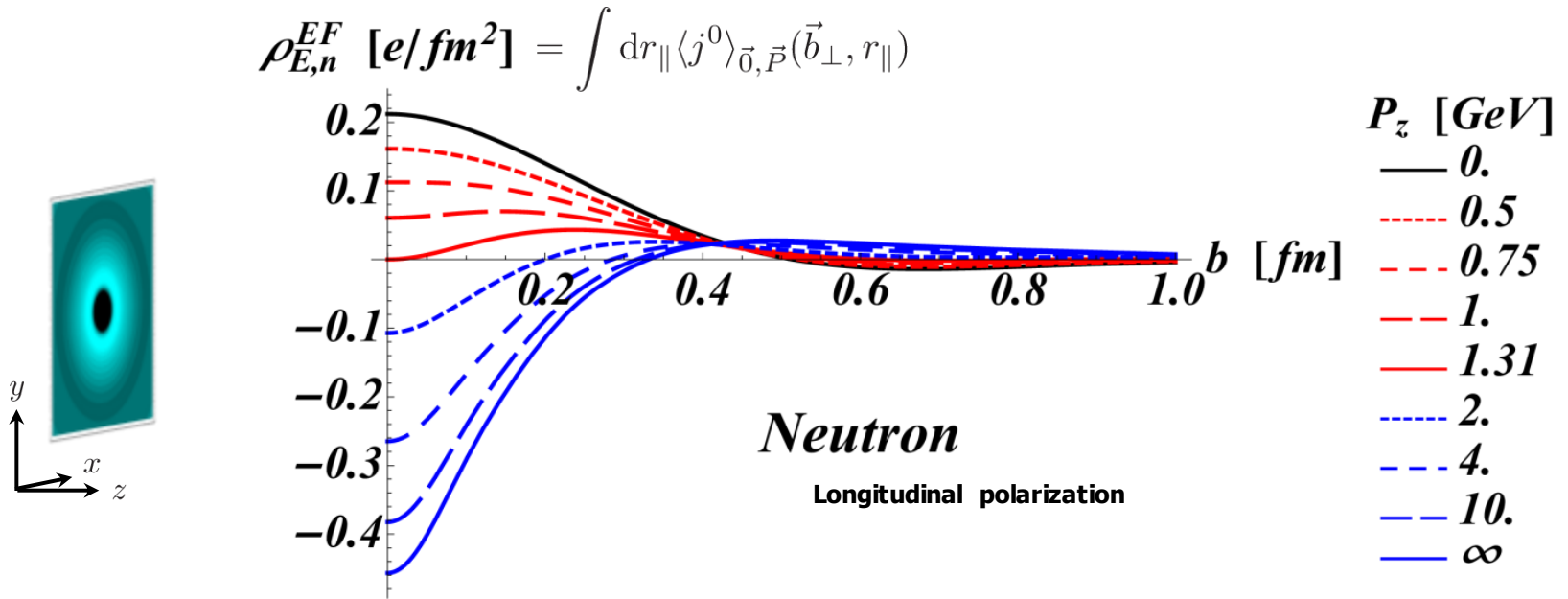
## Neutron



## Proton-pion fluctuation



# Nucleon charge distributions (2D elastic frame)



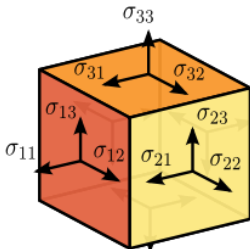
# Energy-momentum tensor

Instead of charge current, we can look at **four-momentum** current

$$T^{\mu\nu} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Energy density} & \text{Momentum density} & & \\ T^{00} & T^{01} & T^{02} & T^{03} \\ \text{Energy flux} & \text{Momentum flux} & & \\ T^{10} & T^{11} & T^{12} & T^{13} \\ T^{20} & T^{21} & T^{22} & T^{23} \\ T^{30} & T^{31} & T^{32} & T^{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Energy density      Momentum density  
Energy flux      Momentum flux

Shear stress  
Normal stress (pressure)

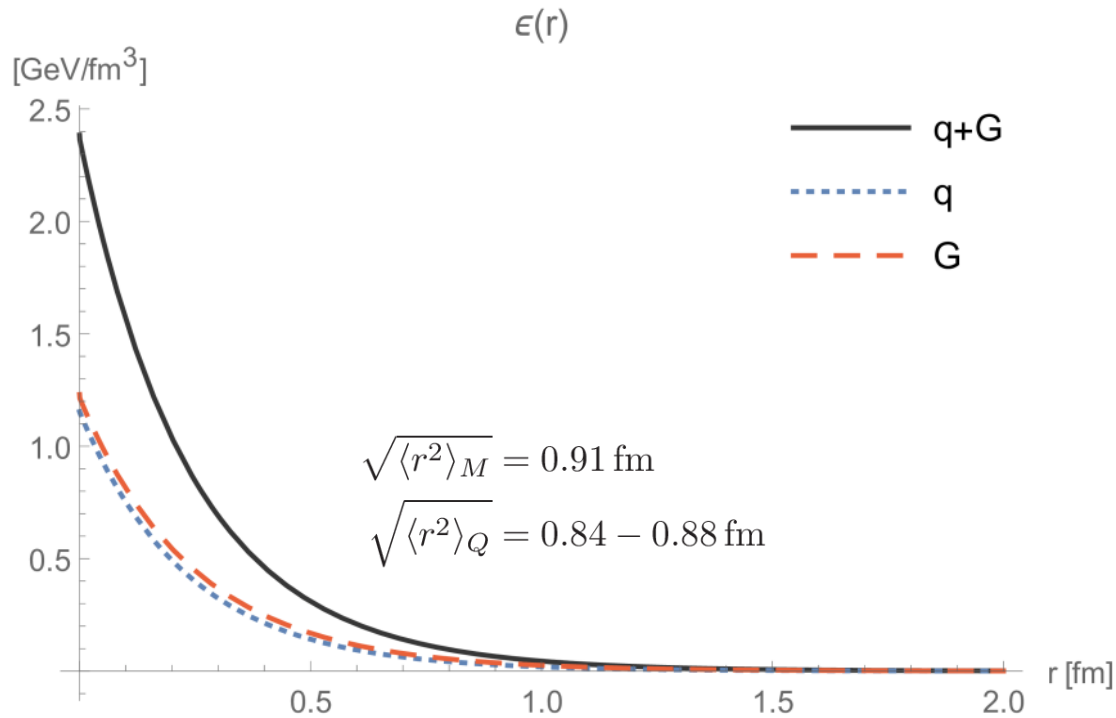


**Four-momentum operator**

$$P_a^\mu = \int d^3r T_a^{0\mu}(r) \quad a = q, g$$

# Energy distribution (3D Breit frame)

$$\langle T^{00} \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{0}}(\vec{r}) = \int \frac{d^3 \Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{r}} \langle \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} | T^{00}(0) | -\frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} \rangle$$



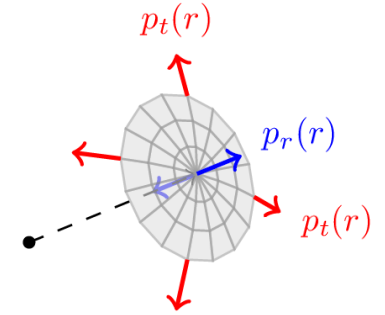
**Multipole model for the gravitational form factors**

$$F(t) = \frac{F(0)}{(1 + t/\Lambda^2)^n}$$



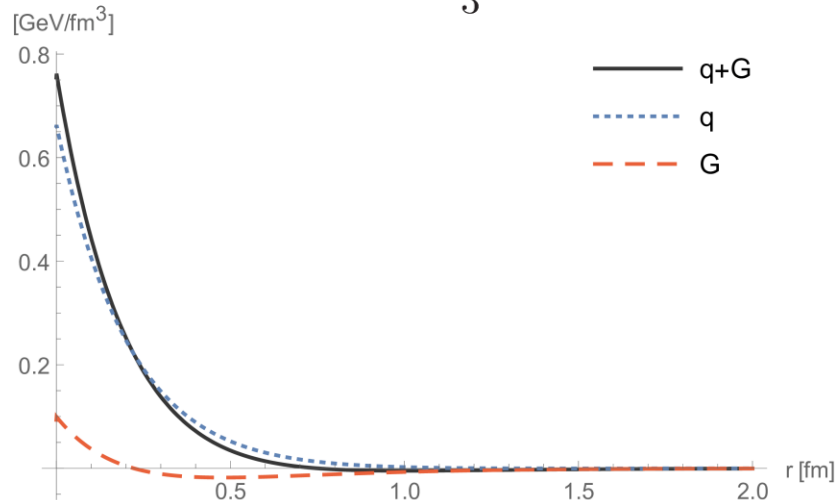
# Pressure distributions (3D Breit frame)

$$\langle T^{ij} \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{0}}(\vec{r}) = \int \frac{d^3 \Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{r}} \langle \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} | T^{ij}(0) | -\frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2} \rangle$$



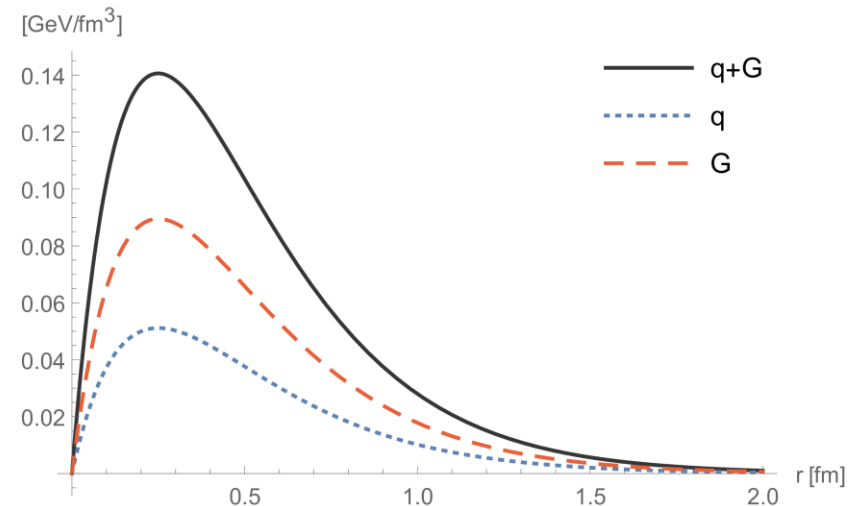
## Isotropic pressure

$$p(r) = \frac{p_r(r) + 2p_t(r)}{3}$$



## Pressure anisotropy

$$s(r) = p_r(r) - p_t(r)$$

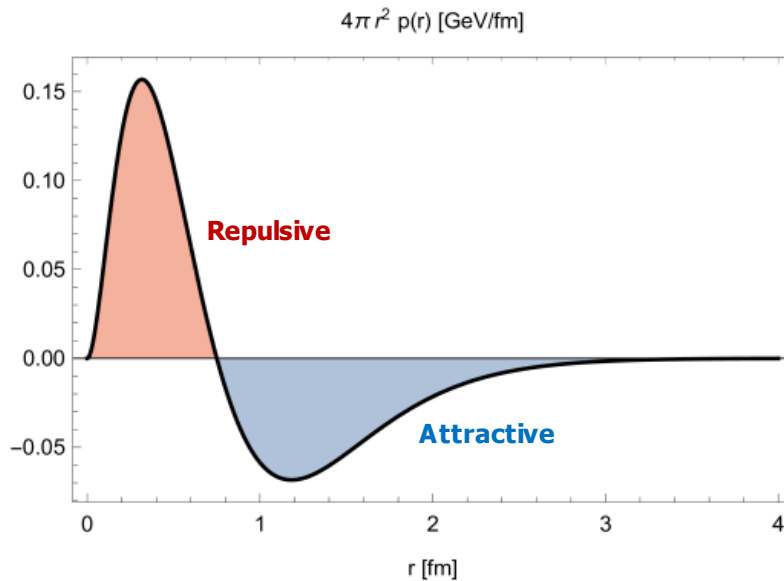


# Mechanical equilibrium

$$\nabla^i \langle T^{ij} \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{0}}(\vec{r}) = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dp_r(r)}{dr} = -\frac{2s(r)}{r}$$

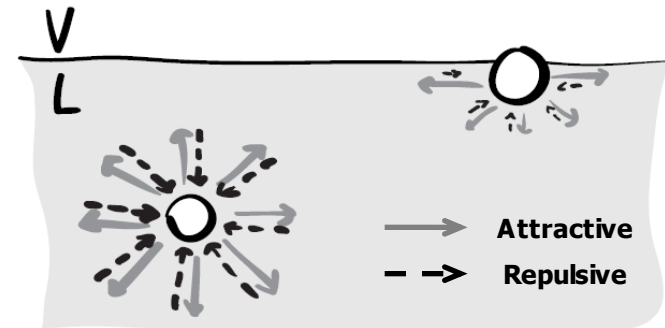
**von Laue relation**

$$\int_0^\infty dr r^2 p(r) = 0$$



**Surface tension**

$$\gamma = \int dr s(r)$$

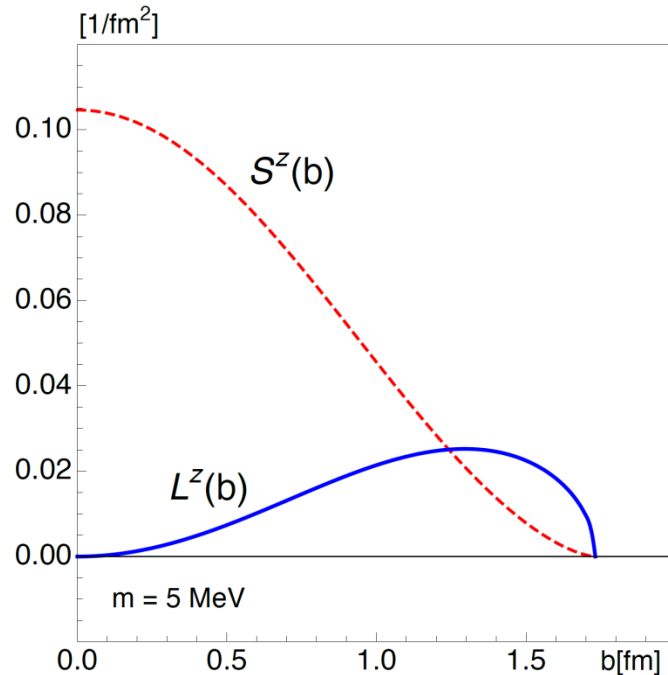


# Angular momentum distributions

## Orbital vs intrinsic

$$L^i(\vec{r}) = \epsilon^{ijk} r^j \langle T^{0k} \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{0}}(\vec{r})$$

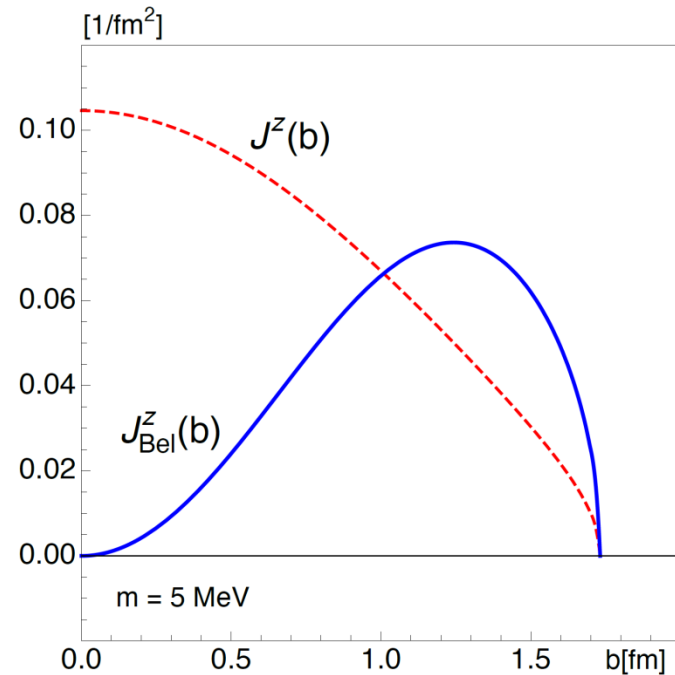
$$S^i(\vec{r}) = \langle \bar{\psi} \gamma^i \gamma_5 \psi \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{0}}(\vec{r})$$



## Kinetic vs Belinfante

$$J^i(\vec{r}) = L^i(\vec{r}) + S^i(\vec{r})$$

$$J_{\text{Bel}}^i(\vec{r}) = \epsilon^{ijk} r^j \langle \frac{1}{2}(T^{0k} + T^{k0}) \rangle_{\vec{0}, \vec{0}}(\vec{r})$$

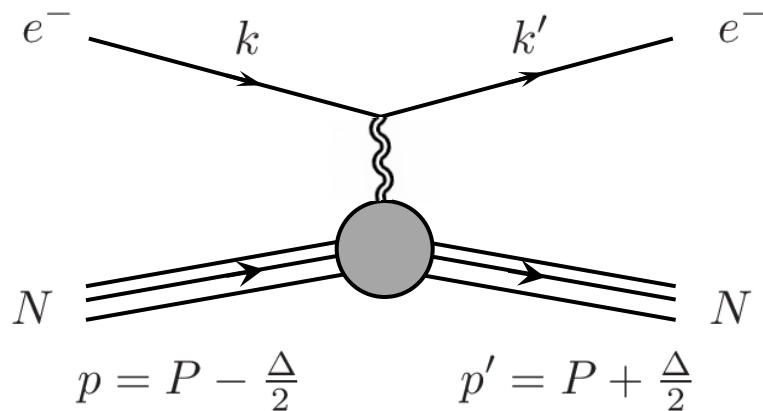


Large- $N_c$  bag model

# How to access gravitational form factors ?

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## Graviton exchange



**Waaaaaayyy too weak in practice**

**⇒ see next episode !**

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