

# Parton Distribution Functions

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## Outline

- Unpolarized parton distributions
  - Flavor structures of the valence and sea quark contents of the nucleons and nuclei
- Transverse momentum dependent (TMD) distributions
  - Transversity and other novel TMDs

# Flavor and spin structures of the nucleons

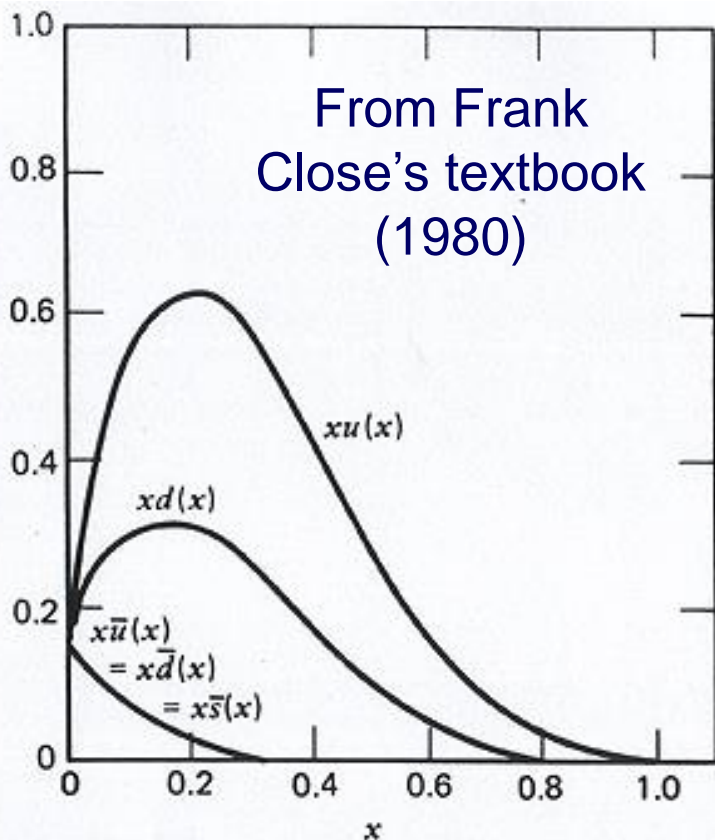
## Why is it interesting?

- 99.97% of the visible mass of the Universe is composed of protons and neutrons
- QCD at the confinement scale remains to be better understood
- The progress of lattice QCD calculations allow direct comparison between the experiments and theory
- They provide crucial inputs for describing hard processes in high energy collisions such as at LHC (p+p collider)

There was a time when nucleon was nice and simple.....

Flavor structure of the proton sea

$$\bar{u}(x) = \bar{d}(x) = \bar{s}(x) = s(x) \Rightarrow SU(3) \text{ symmetric sea}$$



Questions

- Is  $u_V(x) = 2d_V(x)$ ?
- Is  $\bar{u}(x) = \bar{d}(x)$ ?
- Is  $\bar{s}(x) = \bar{u}(x)$ ?
- Is  $\bar{s}(x) = s(x)$ ?
- Is  $u_p(x) = d_n(x)$ ?
- Is  $g_p(x) = g_n(x)$ ?

Actually, the nucleon is full of surprises !!

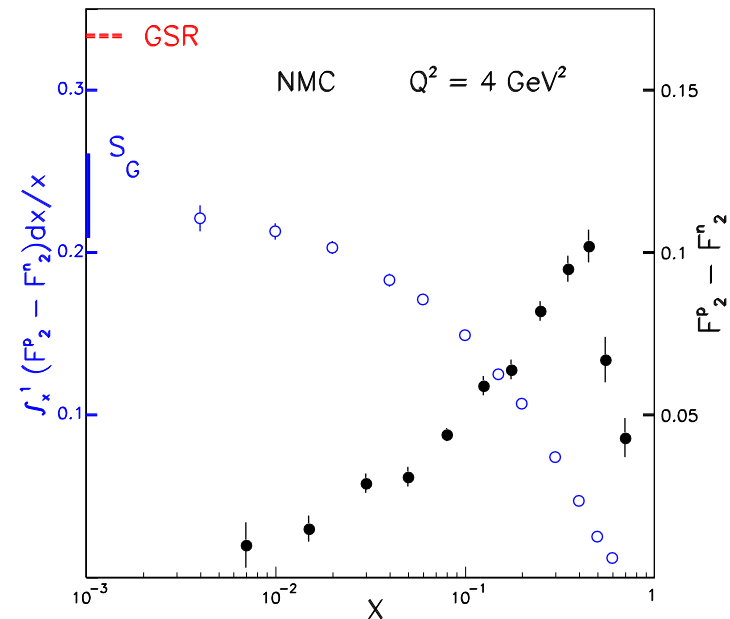
# Is $\bar{u} = \bar{d}$ in the Proton?



Expect  $\bar{d} = \bar{u}$  if sea quarks are produced in  $g \rightarrow q\bar{q}$

## The Gottfried Sum Rule

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_G &= \int_0^1 [(F_2^p(x) - F_2^n(x)) / x] dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int_0^1 (\bar{u}_p(x) - \bar{d}_p(x)) dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \quad (\text{if } \bar{u}_p = \bar{d}_p)
 \end{aligned}$$



New Muon Collaboration (NMC) obtains

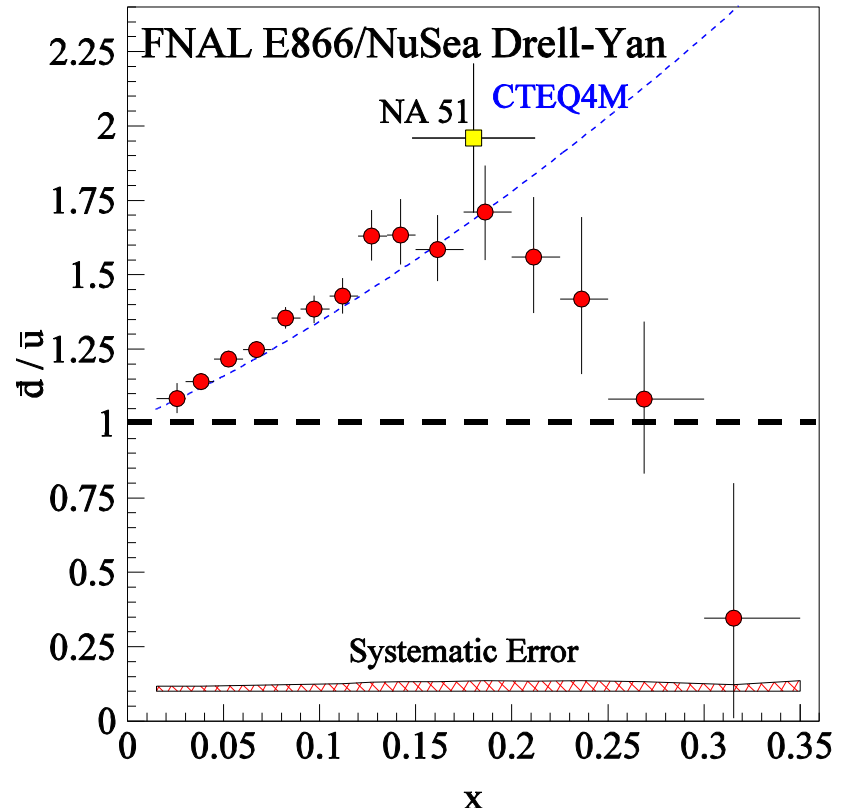
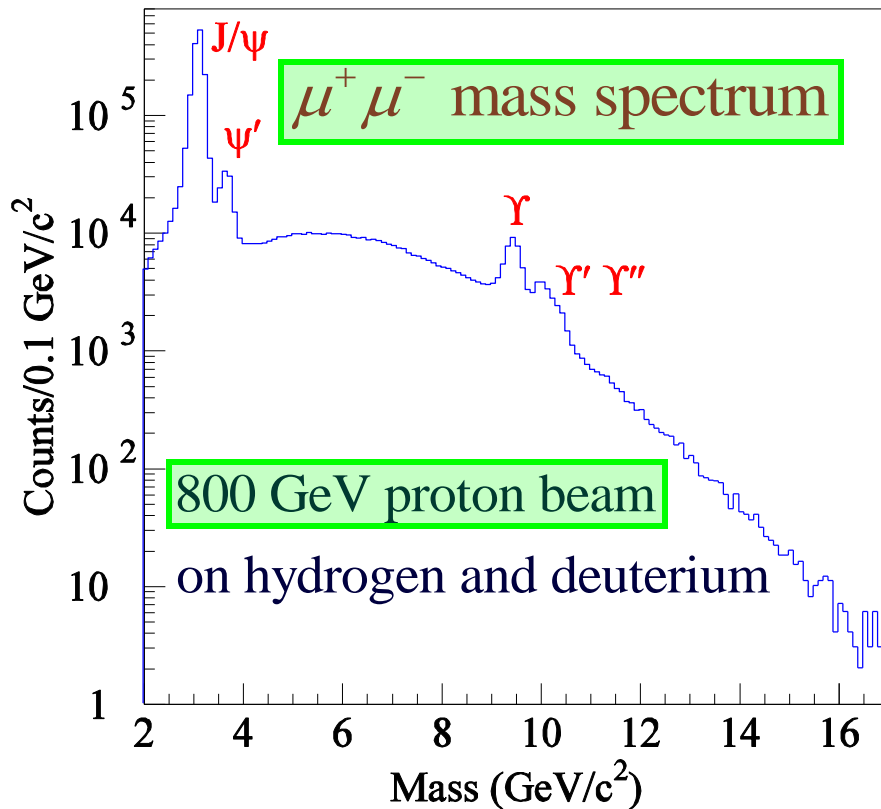
$$S_G = 0.235 \pm 0.026$$

( Significantly lower than 1/3 ! )

$\Rightarrow \bar{d} \neq \bar{u}$  ?

# $\bar{d} / \bar{u}$ flavor asymmetry from Drell-Yan

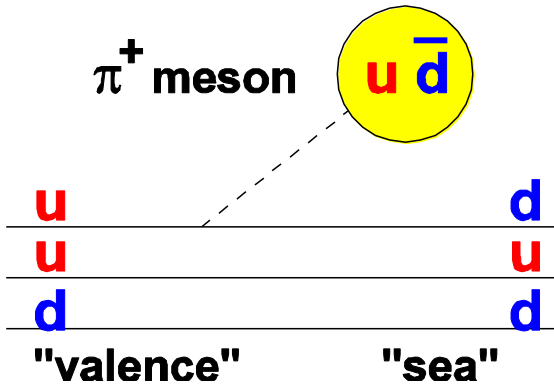
$$\left( \frac{d^2\sigma}{dx_1 dx_2} \right)_{D.Y.} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{9sx_1x_2} \sum_a e_a^2 [q_a(x_1)\bar{q}_a(x_2) + \bar{q}_a(x_1)q_a(x_2)]$$



Drell-Yan:  $\sigma^{pd} / 2\sigma^{pp} \approx \frac{1}{2} (1 + \bar{d}(x_2) / \bar{u}(x_2))$

# Some Theoretical Models for $\bar{d} / \bar{u}$ Asymmetry

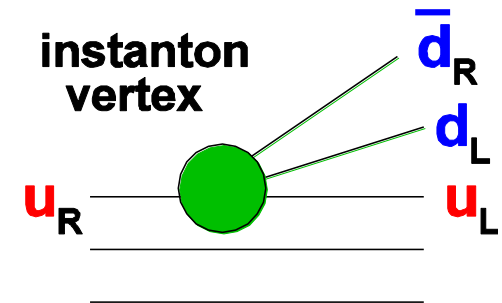
## Meson Cloud Models



## Chiral-Quark Soliton Model

- nucleon = chiral soliton
- expand in  $1/N_c$
- Quark degrees of freedom in a pion mean-field

## Instantons



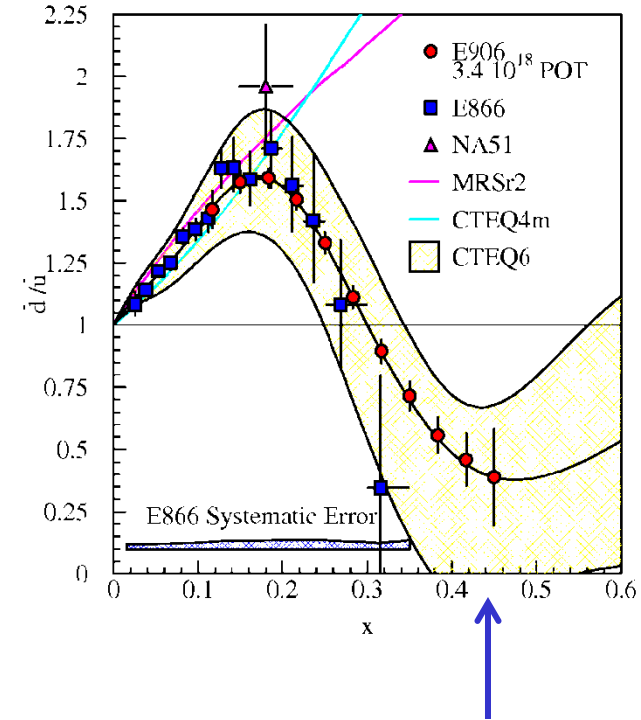
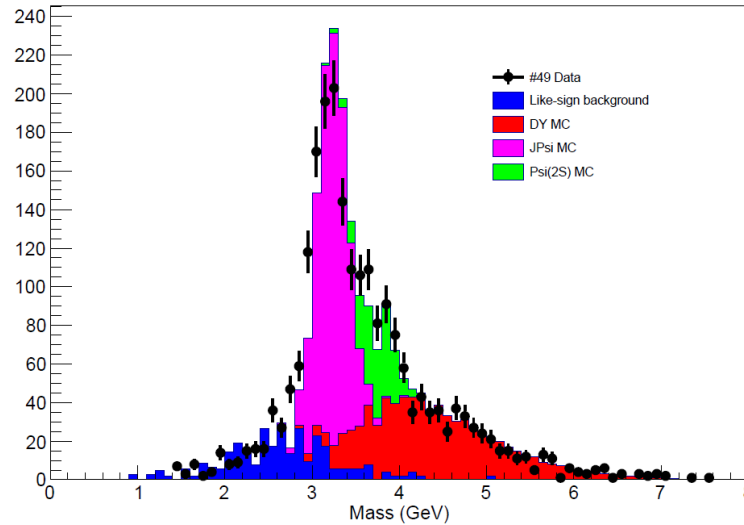
Meson cloud has significant contributions to sea-quark distributions

These models also have specific predictions on

- Asymmetry between  $s(x)$  and  $\bar{s}(x)$
- Asymmetry between  $\Delta\bar{u}(x)$  and  $\Delta\bar{d}(x)$

# Is there a sign-reversal for $\bar{d}(x) - \bar{u}(x)$ at large $x$ ?

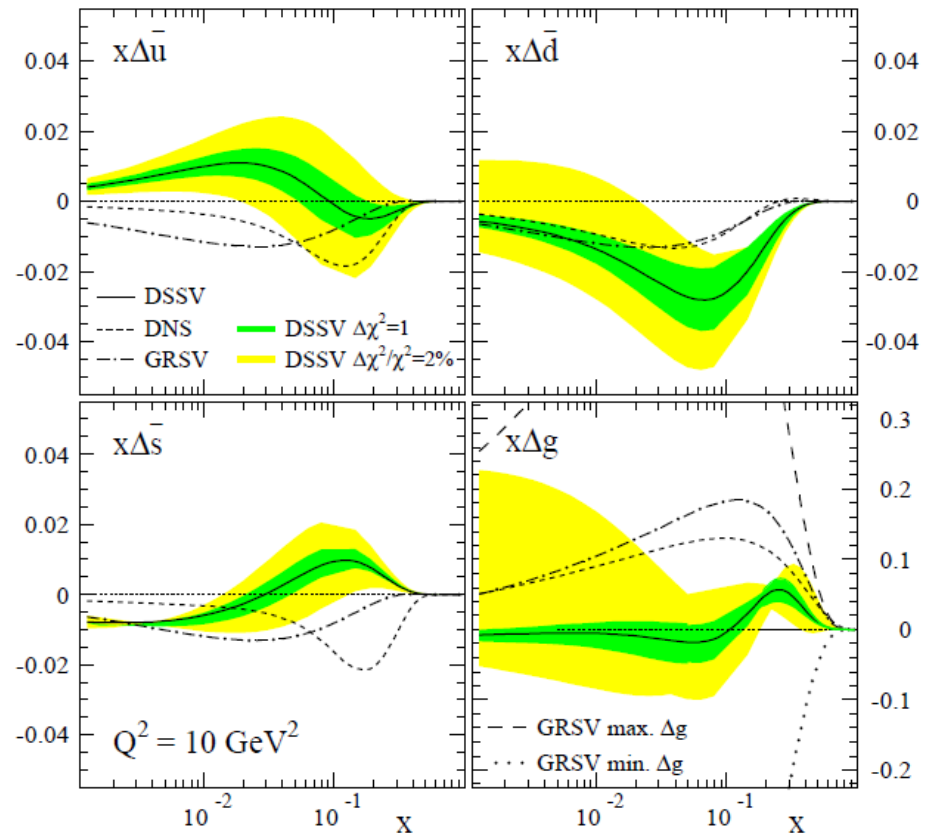
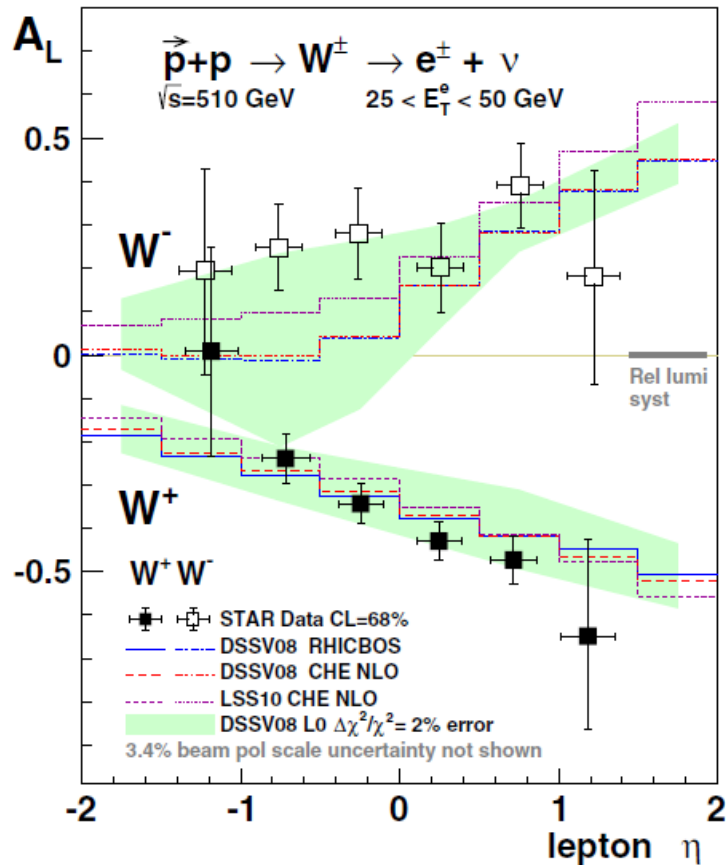
SeaQuest Experiment ( Unpolarized Drell-Yan using 120 GeV proton beam)



- Main goals:
- 1) Measure  $\bar{d} / \bar{u}$  flavor asymmetry up to  $x \sim 0.45$
  - 2) Measure EMC effect of antiquarks up to  $x \sim 0.45$

# Is the sea-quark polarization flavor symmetric?

W production at RHIC clearly shows  $\Delta\bar{u}(x) / \Delta\bar{d}(x)$  asymmetry



Data show  $\Delta\bar{u}(x) > 0$  and  $\Delta\bar{d}(x) < 0$  in agreement with chiral soliton model



# Ratios of $d(x) / u(x)$ at large $x$ ?

$$|p\rangle \uparrow = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} u \uparrow (ud)_{S=0, S_Z=0} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{18}} u \uparrow (ud)_{S=1, S_Z=0} - \frac{1}{3} u \downarrow (ud)_{S=1, S_Z=1} \\ - \frac{1}{3} d \uparrow (uu)_{S=1, S_Z=0} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} d \downarrow (uu)_{S=1, S_Z=1}$$

1) SU(6) symmetry

$$\left( \frac{d}{u} = \frac{1}{2} \right) \quad \frac{F_2^n}{F_2^p} = \frac{2}{3}$$

2) Dominance of  $S = 0$  diquark configurations (Close, Carlitz)

Ignoring terms with  $S = 1$  diquarks, then

$$\left( \frac{d}{u} = 0 \right) \quad \frac{F_2^n}{F_2^p} = \frac{1}{4}$$

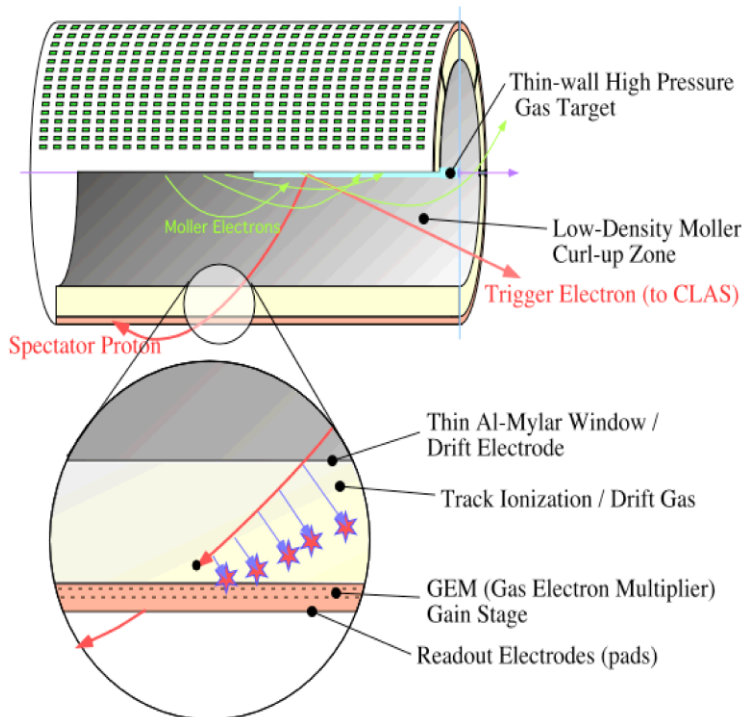
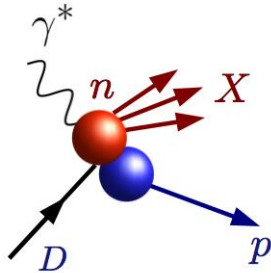
2) Dominance of  $S_Z = 0$  diquark configurations (Farrar, Jackson)

Ignoring terms with  $S_Z = 1$  diquarks, then

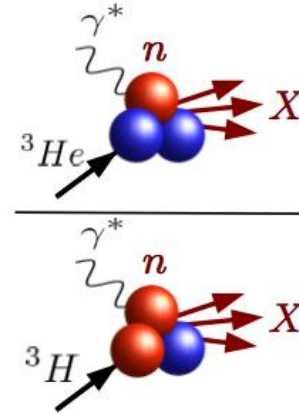
$$\left( \frac{d}{u} = \frac{1}{5} \right) \quad \frac{F_2^n}{F_2^p} = \frac{3}{7}$$

# How to make a precise measurement of $d(x) / u(x)$ ?

## 1) “spectator tagging” (BONUS experiment)



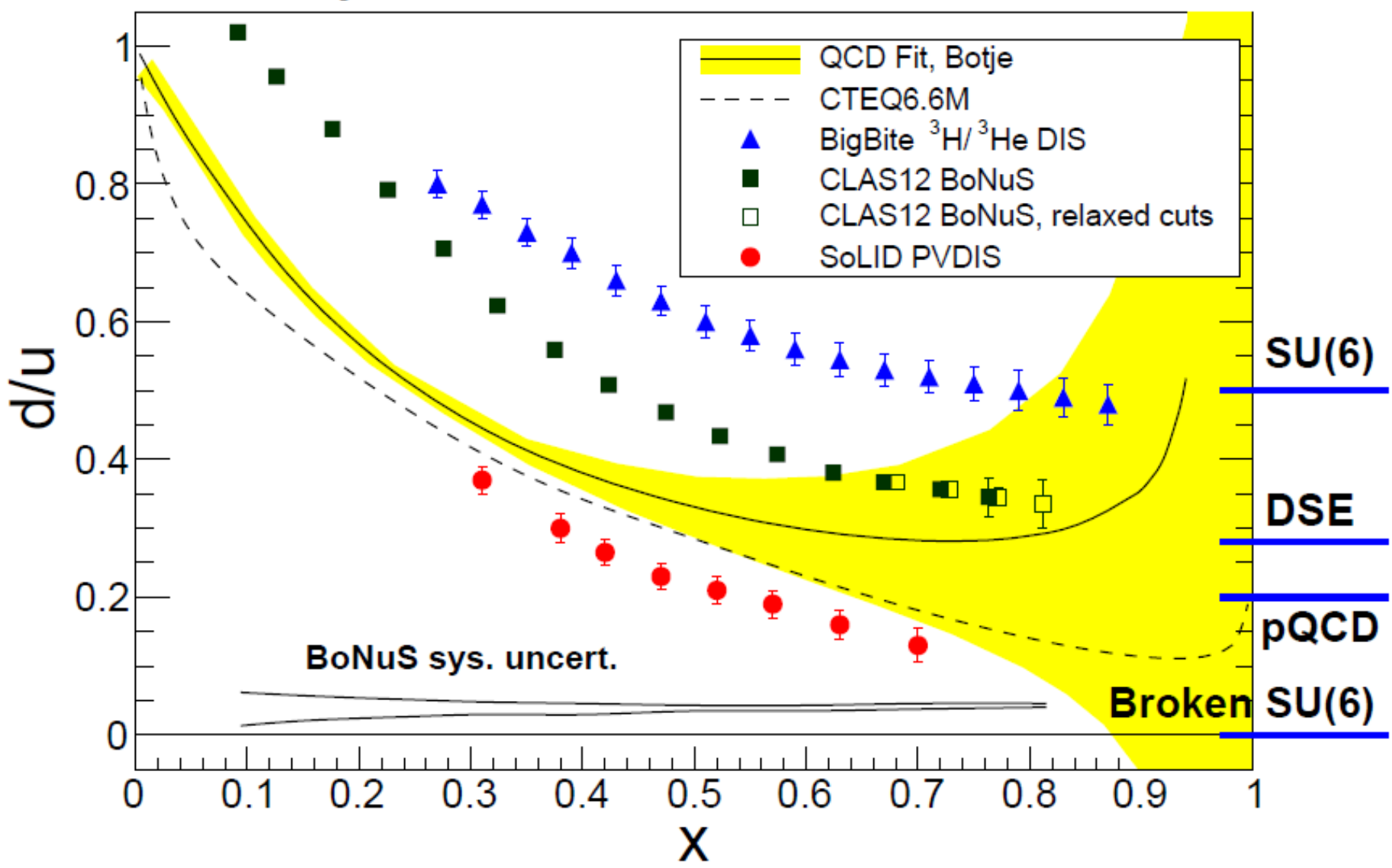
## 2) “Super ratio ${}^3\text{He}/{}^3\text{H}$ ” (Marathon experiment)



– Extract  $F_2^n / F_2^p$  from ratio of measured  ${}^3\text{He}/{}^3\text{H}$  structure functions

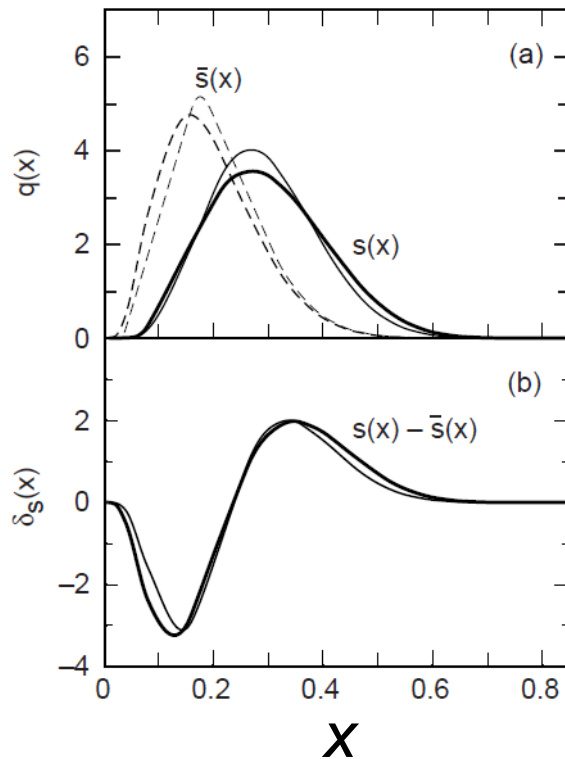
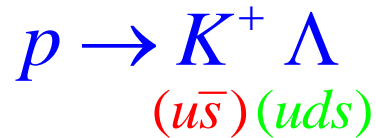
$$\frac{F_2^n}{F_2^p} = \frac{2\mathcal{R} - F_2^{3\text{He}} / F_2^{3\text{H}}}{2F_2^{3\text{He}} / F_2^{3\text{H}} - \mathcal{R}}$$

# Projected 12 GeV d/u Extractions



# Is $s(x) = \bar{s}(x)$ ?

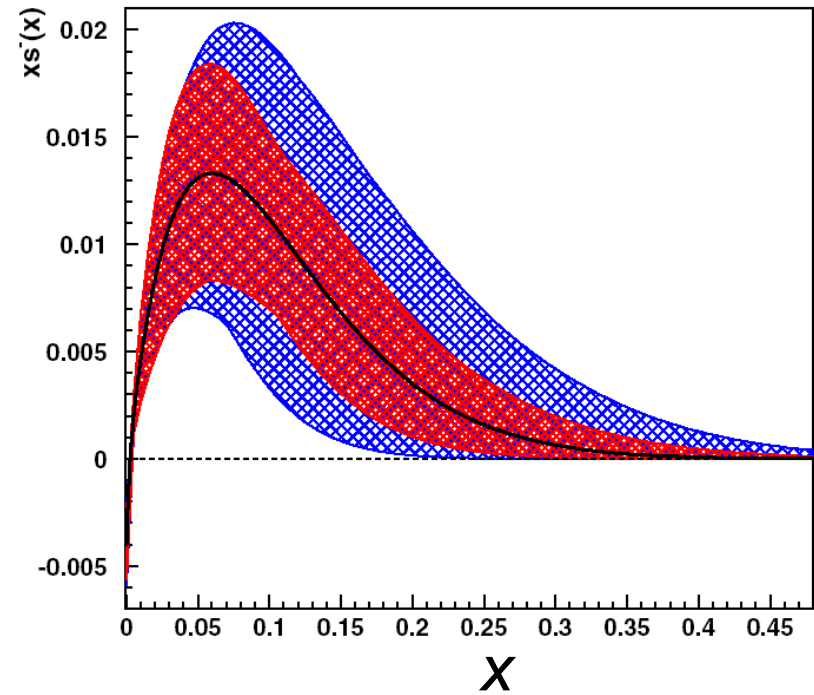
## Meson cloud model



Thomas / Brodsky and Ma

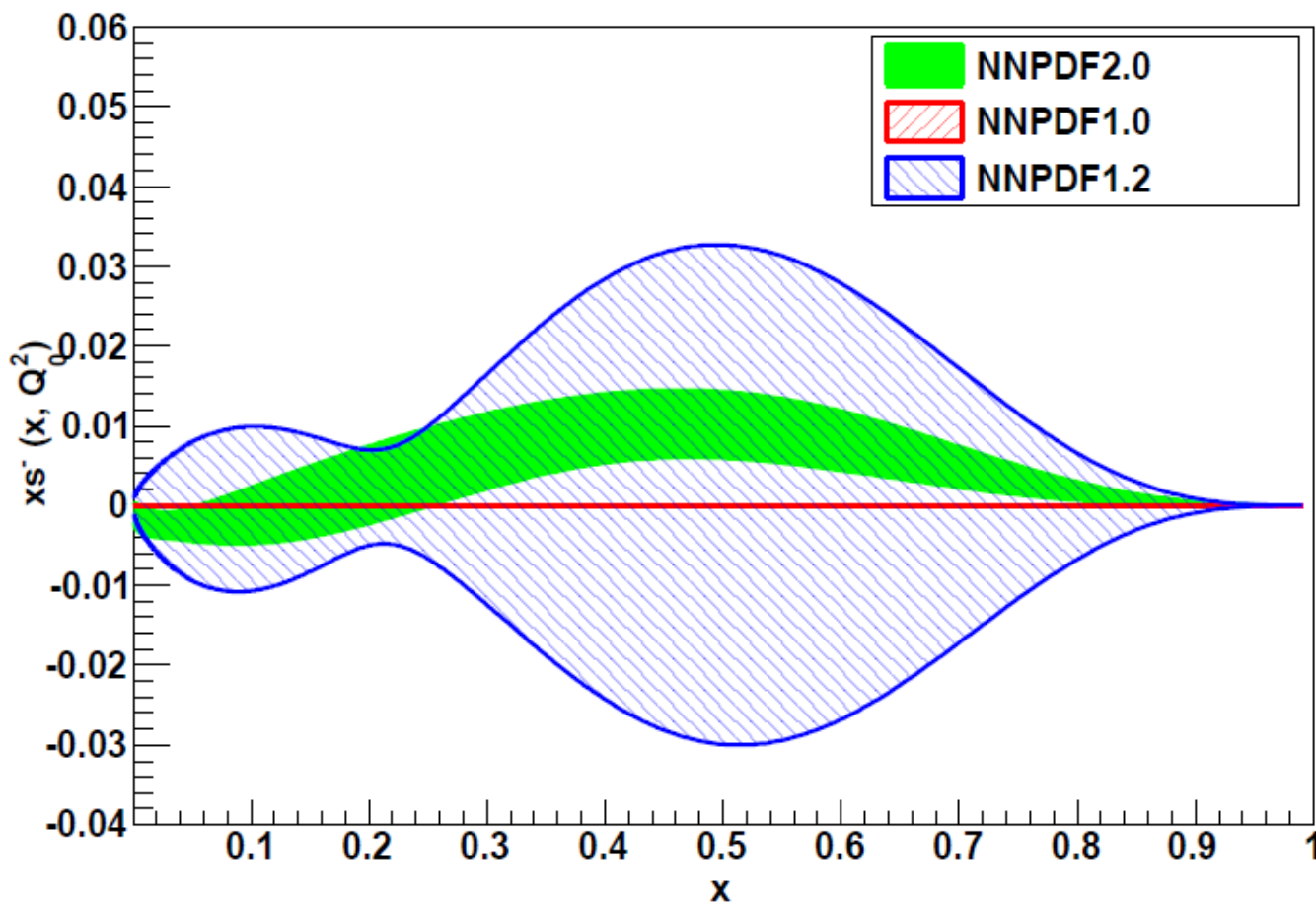
## Analysis of neutrino DIS data

$$x(s - \bar{s})$$



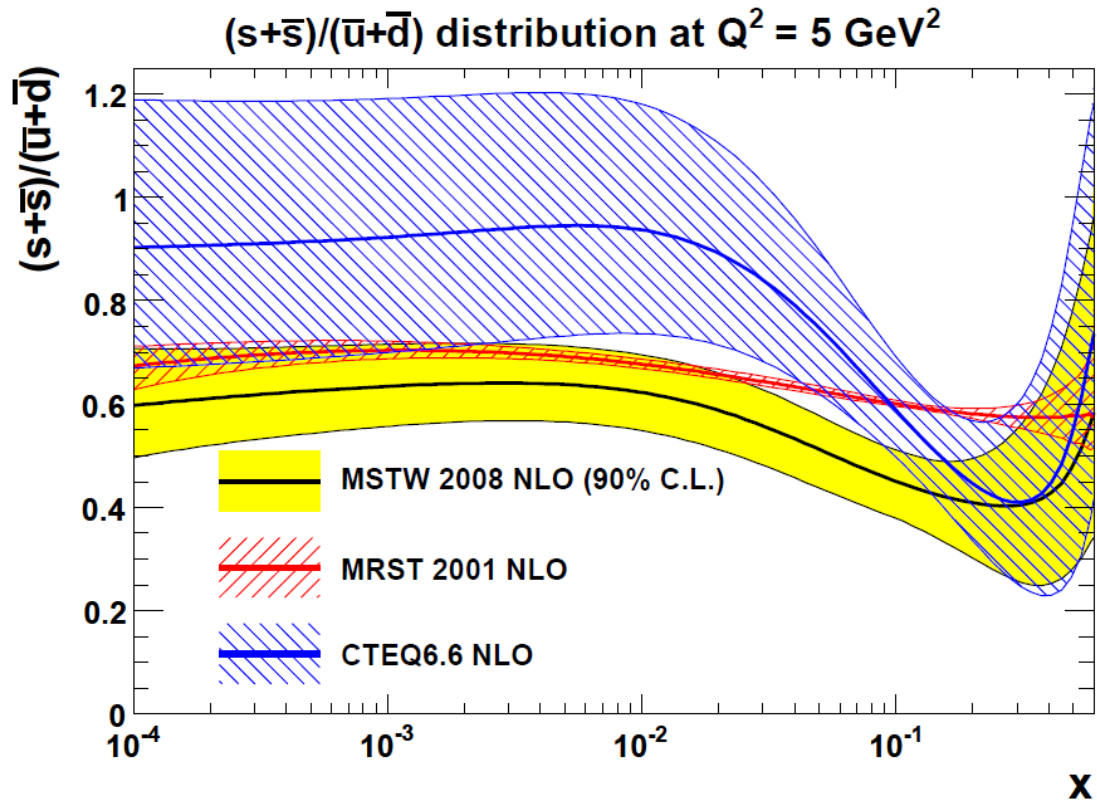
NuTeV, PRL 99 (2007) 192001

# $s(x) - \bar{s}(x)$ from NNPDF global fits



NNPDF2.0 analysis includes fixed-target  
Drell-Yan and Tevatron W and Z data

What is the  $x$ -dependence of  $[s(x) + \bar{s}(x)] / [\bar{u}(x) + \bar{d}(x)]$ ?

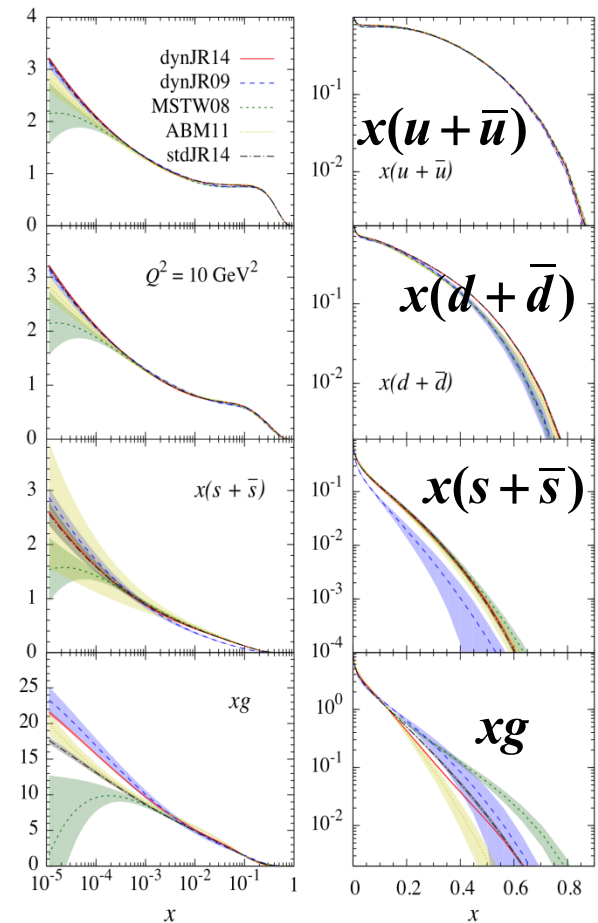
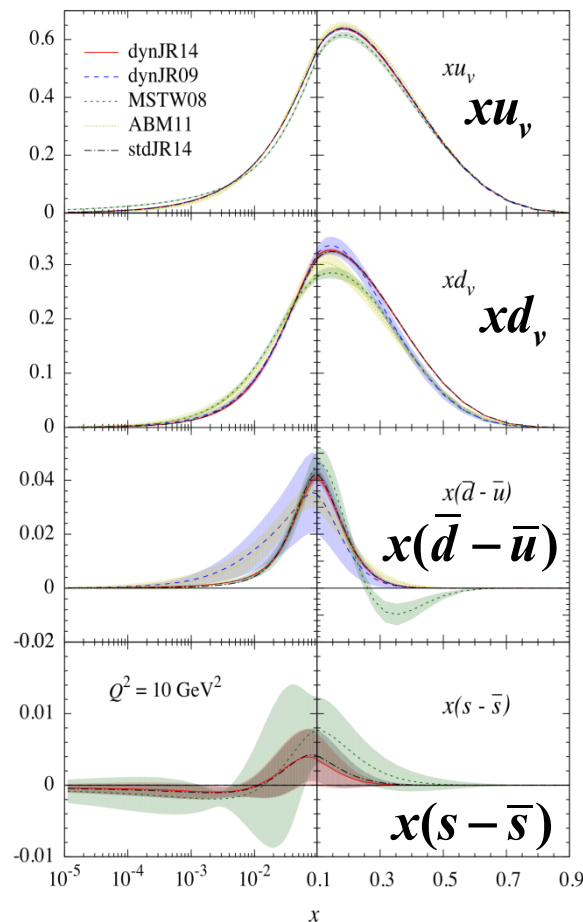


- CTEQ6.6 suggests an SU(3) symmetric sea at small  $x$ ?
- A strong  $x$  – dependence for the  $[s(x) + \bar{s}(x)] / [\bar{u}(x) + \bar{d}(x)]$  ratio?
- New kaon semi-inclusive DIS data at JLab 12 GeV and at EIC will be crucial

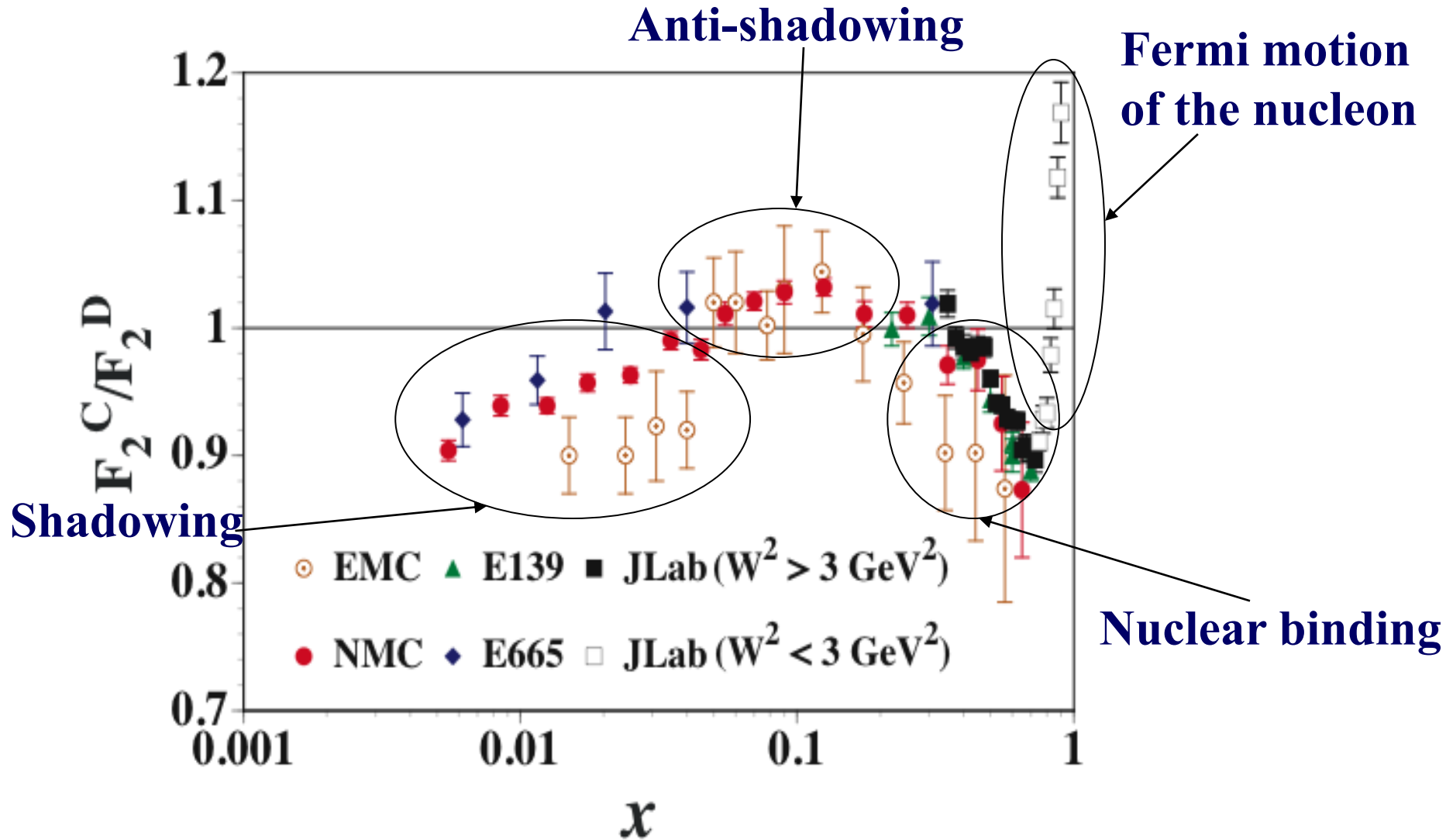
# Proton parton distributions from JR14

P. Jimenez-Delgado, E. Reya, PRD 89 (2014) 074049

	NDP
HERA $\sigma$ [39]	621
H1 $F_2$ [41]	63
H1 $F_L$ [41]	63
HERA $\sigma^c$ [40]	52
SLAC p [16]	504
SLAC d [16]	517
BCDMS p [18]	351
BCDMS d [19]	254
NMC p, d [17]	516
NMC d/p [44]	177
E665 p, d [21]	106
JLab p [43]	91
JLab d [43]	91
BCDMS $F_2$ [42]	10
BCDMS $F_L$ [42]	10
SLAC 140x $F_2$ [42]	2
SLAC 140x $F_L$ [42]	2
dimuon [30,31]	180
E605 [29]	136
E866 pp [46]	138
E866 pd [46]	159
E866 pd/pp [47]	39
CDF jet [48]	64
D0 jet [49]	96
ZEUS jet [50]	30
H1 jet [51]	24
total	4296/4030



# Nuclear Modifications of Structure Function $F_2$



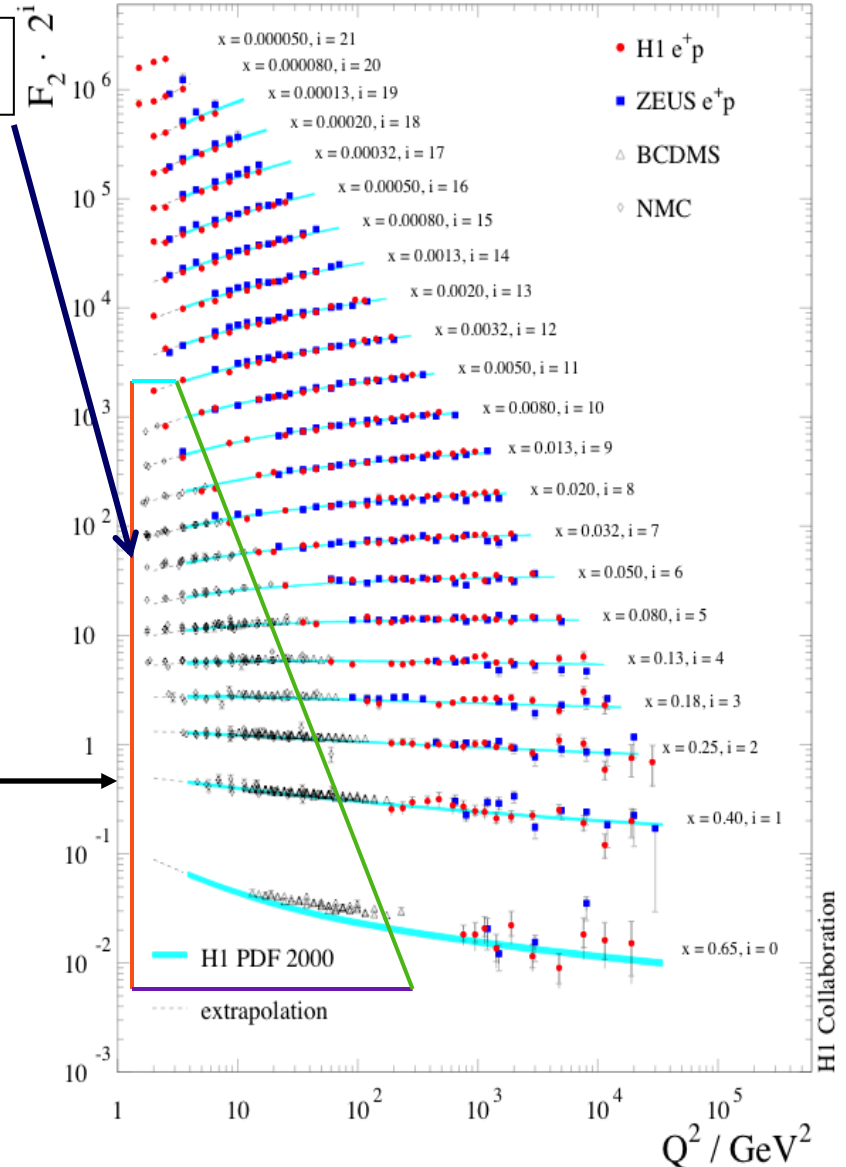
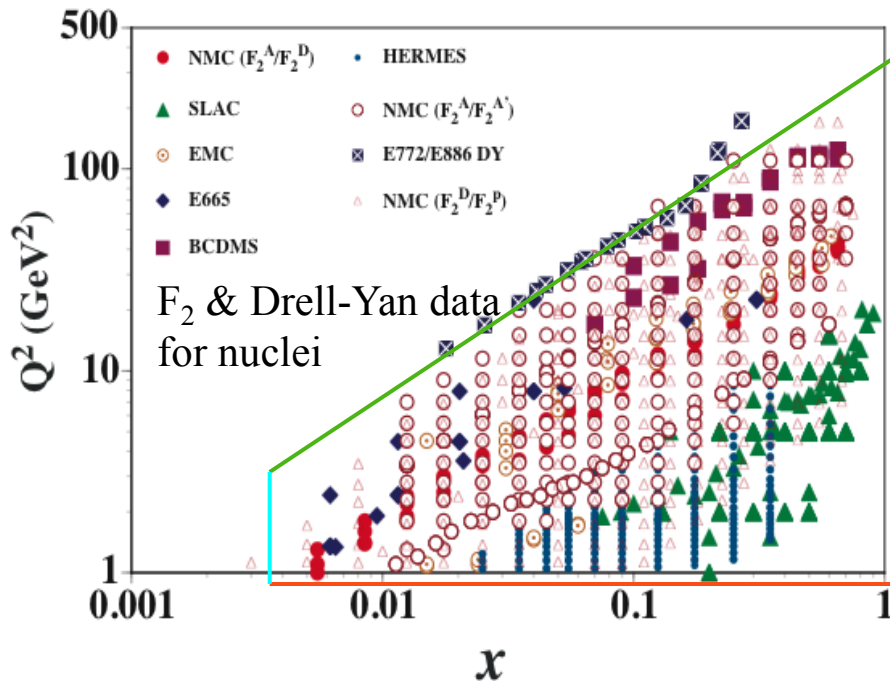
Connection with SRC? Flavor-dependent EMC effect?



# Existing Nuclear Data are limited in $Q^2$ and $x$

region of existing nuclear data

EIC and p-A collision will explore new region

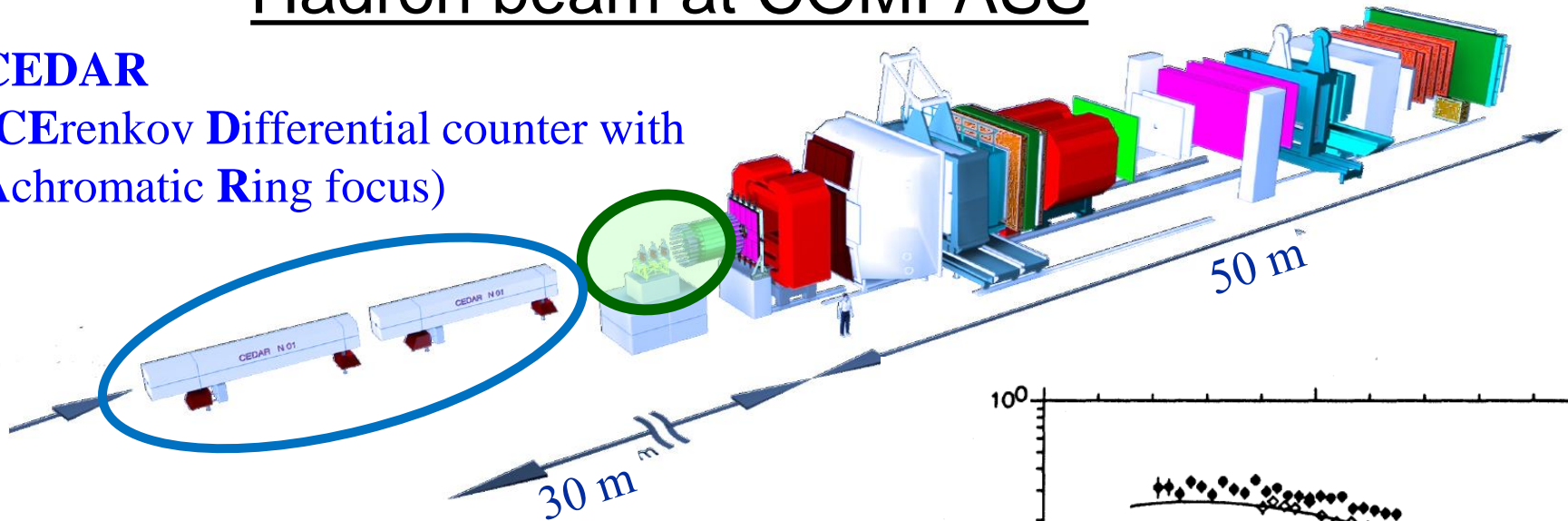


# Measure Meson PDF with Drell-Yan Process

## Hadron beam at COMPASS

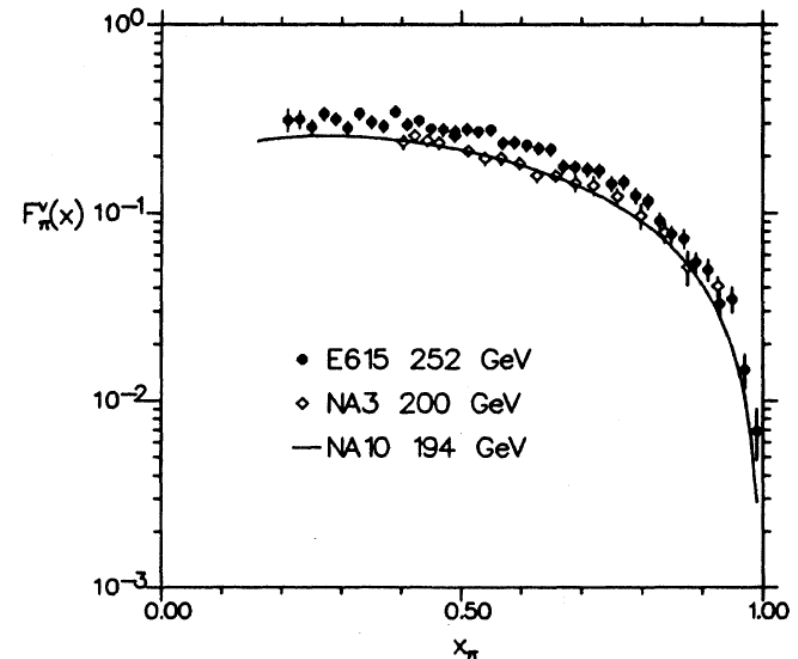
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(CErenkov **D**ifferential counter with  
Achromatic **R**ing focus)

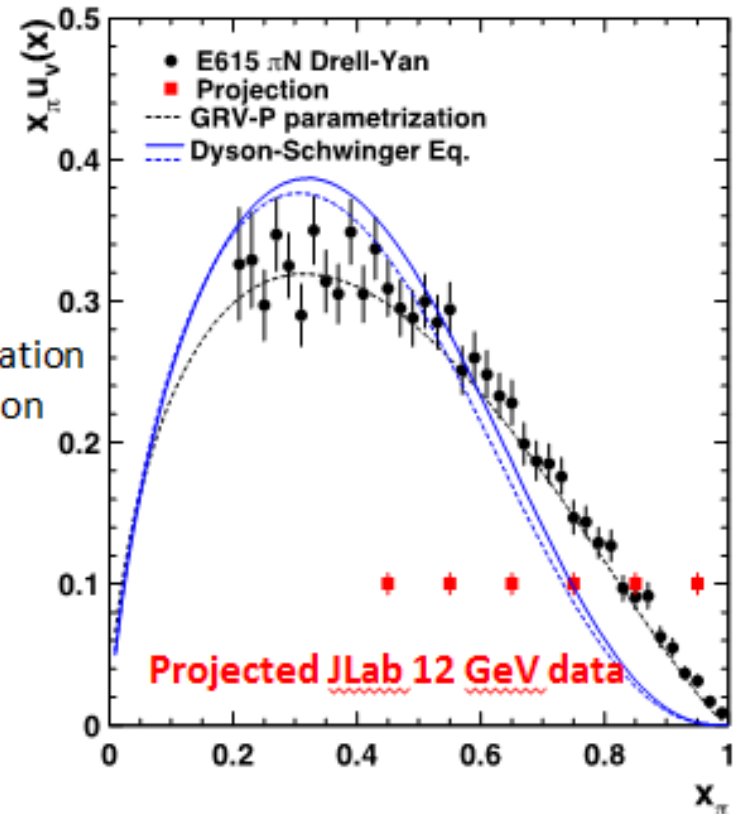
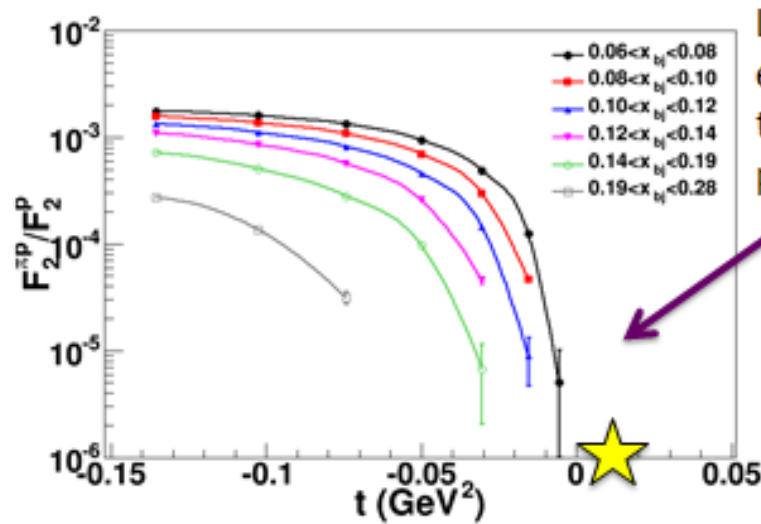
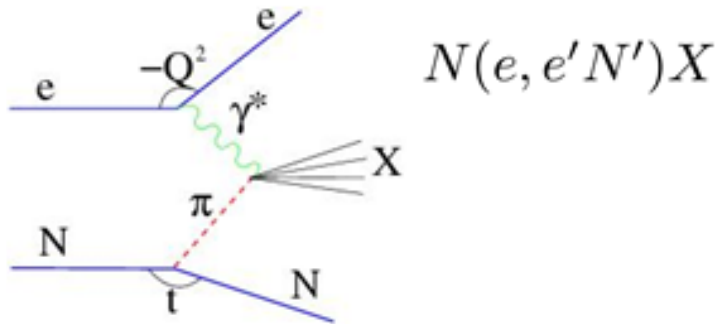


Projected D-Y events in 140 days

	NH <sub>3</sub>	Al (7cm)	W
$\pi^-$ beam	285,000	55,100	549,000
$K^-$ beam	3,570	710	7,570
$\bar{p}$ beam	2,570	450	3,640



# DIS from the Pion Cloud with Nucleon Tagging?



# Transverse structures of the nucleons

## Why is it interesting?

- Transverse degrees of freedom offer new insights on the nucleon structure
- TMDs provide stringent tests for various nucleon models
- The progress of lattice QCD calculations allow direct comparison with the experiments
- Novel parton distributions are accessible by experiments using lepton as well as hadron beams

# Three parton distributions describing transverse momentum and/or transverse spin

Three transverse quantities:

1) Nucleon transverse spin

$$\vec{S}_{\perp}^N$$

2) Quark transverse spin

$$\vec{s}_{\perp}^q$$

3) Quark transverse momentum

$$\vec{k}_{\perp}^q$$

⇒ Three different correlations

## 1) Transversity

$$h_{1T} = \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \bullet \\ \downarrow \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \circ \\ \downarrow \end{array}$$

Correlation between  $\vec{s}_{\perp}^q$  and  $\vec{S}_{\perp}^N$

## 2) Sivers function

$$f_{1T}^{\perp} = \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \bullet \\ \downarrow \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ \bullet \\ \uparrow \end{array}$$

Correlation between  $\vec{S}_{\perp}^N$  and  $\vec{k}_{\perp}^q$

## 3) Boer-Mulders function

$$h_1^{\perp} = \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \circ \\ \downarrow \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ \circ \\ \uparrow \end{array}$$

Correlation between  $\vec{s}_{\perp}^q$  and  $\vec{k}_{\perp}^q$

# Transversity and TMD PDFs are probed in Semi-Inclusive DIS

$$d^6\sigma = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 sx}{Q^4} \times$$

<p><b>Boer-Mulders</b></p> <p><math>f_1 =</math> </p> <p><math>h_1^\perp =</math> </p>	$\{ [1 + (1-y)^2] \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 f_1^q(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) + (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}^{2q,\bar{q}}}{4z^2 M_N M_h} \cos(2\phi_h^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_1^{\perp(1)q}(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2) -  S_L  (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}^2}{4z^2 M_N M_h} \sin(2\phi_h^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_{1L}^{\perp(1)q}(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2) +  S_T  (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}}{zM_h} \sin(\phi_h^l + \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_1^q(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2) +  S_T  (1-y + \frac{1}{2}y^2) \frac{P_{h\perp}}{zM_N} \sin(\phi_h^l - \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 f_{1T}^{\perp(1)q}(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) +  S_T  (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}^3}{6z^3 M_N^2 M_h} \sin(3\phi_h^l - \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_{1T}^{\perp(2)q}(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2) + \lambda_e  S_L  y(1 - \frac{1}{2}y) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 g_1^q(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) + \lambda_e  S_T  y(1 - \frac{1}{2}y) \frac{P_{h\perp}}{zM_N} \cos(\phi_h^l - \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 g_{1T}^{(1)q}(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) \}$	<p>Unpolarized</p>
<p><b>Transversity</b></p> <p><math>h_{1T}^\perp =</math> </p>	$-  S_L  (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}^2}{4z^2 M_N M_h} \sin(2\phi_h^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_{1L}^{\perp(1)q}(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2) +  S_T  (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}}{zM_h} \sin(\phi_h^l + \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_1^q(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2) +  S_T  (1-y + \frac{1}{2}y^2) \frac{P_{h\perp}}{zM_N} \sin(\phi_h^l - \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 f_{1T}^{\perp(1)q}(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) +  S_T  (1-y) \frac{P_{h\perp}^3}{6z^3 M_N^2 M_h} \sin(3\phi_h^l - \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 h_{1T}^{\perp(2)q}(x) H_1^{\perp q}(z, P_{h\perp}^2)$	<p>Polarized target</p>
<p><b>Sivers</b></p> <p><math>f_{1T}^\perp =</math> </p> <p><math>h_{1T}^\perp =</math> </p>	$+ \lambda_e  S_L  y(1 - \frac{1}{2}y) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 g_1^q(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) + \lambda_e  S_T  y(1 - \frac{1}{2}y) \frac{P_{h\perp}}{zM_N} \cos(\phi_h^l - \phi_S^l) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 g_{1T}^{(1)q}(x) D_1^q(z, P_{h\perp}^2) \}$	<p>Polarized beam and target</p>

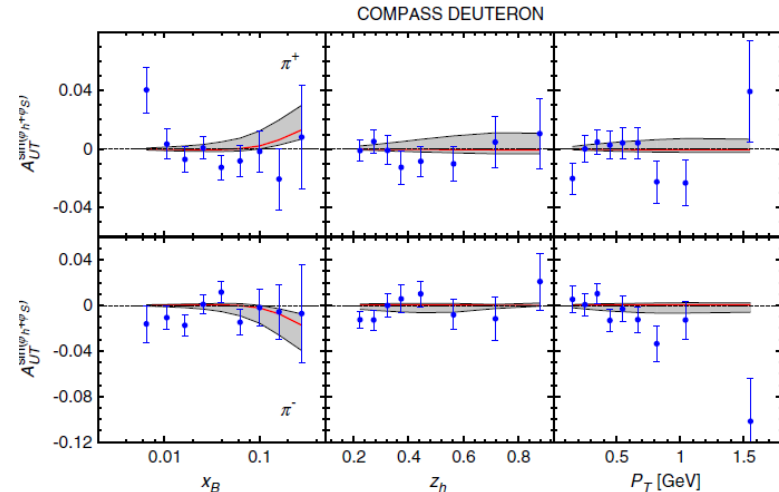
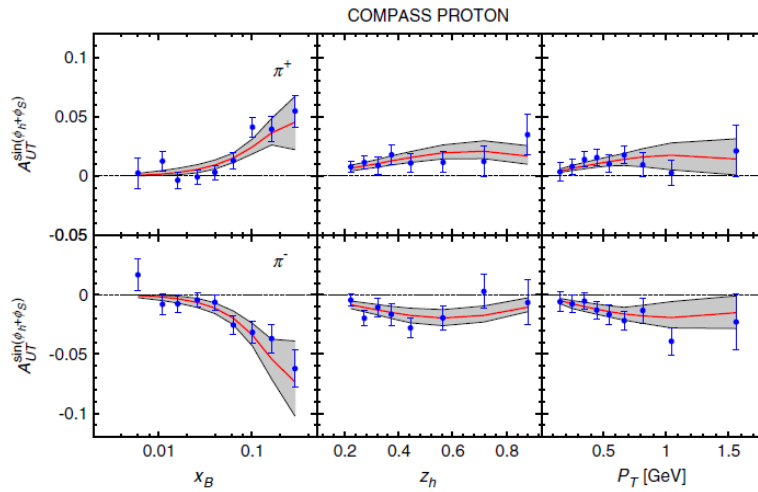
$S_L$  and  $S_T$ : Target Polarizations;  $\lambda_e$ : Beam Polarization

# Extraction of Transversity and Collins fragmentation function from SIDIS and Belle data

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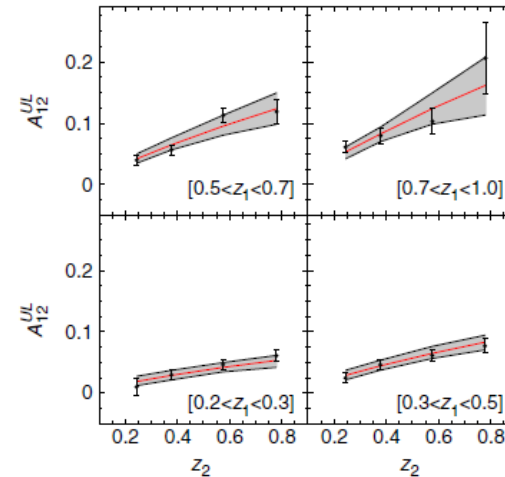
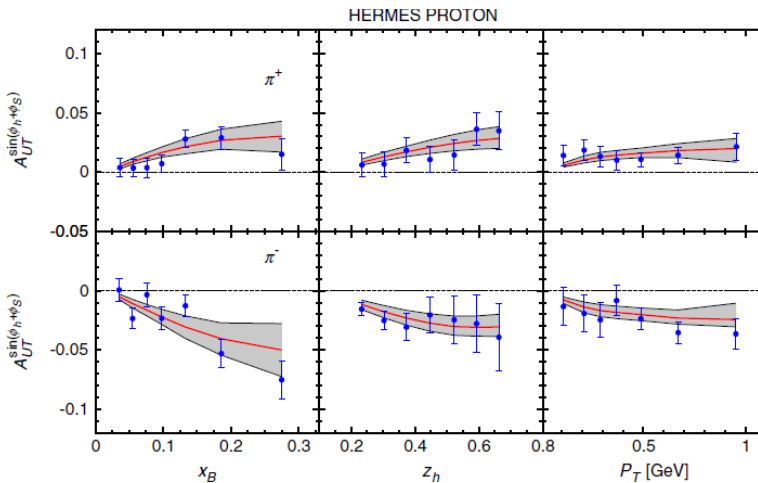
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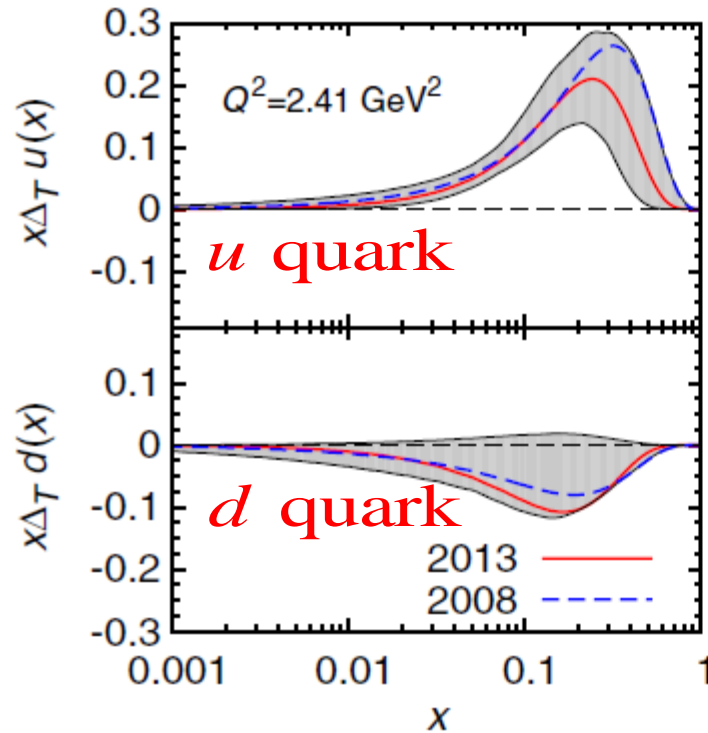


Belle  
 $e^+e^-$

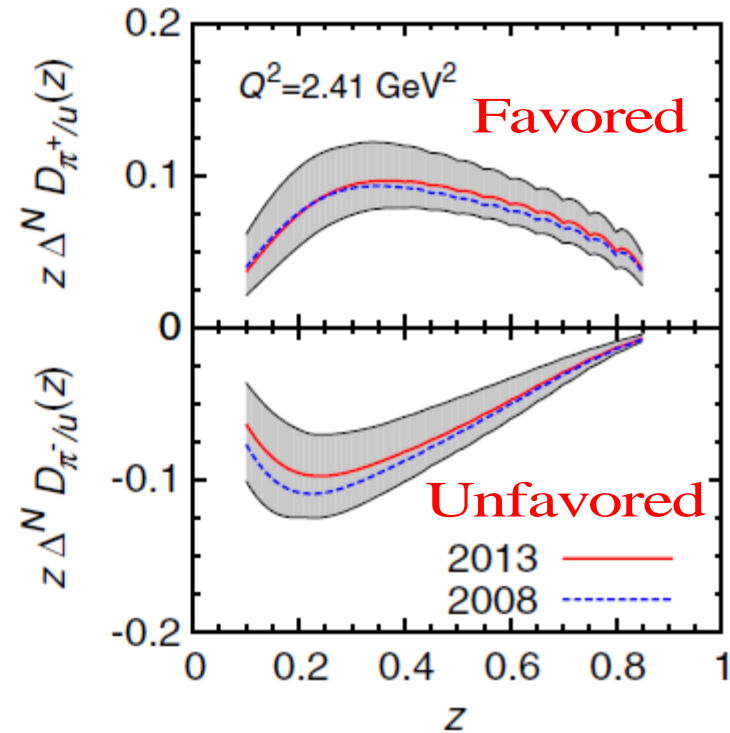
# Extraction of Transversity and Collins fragmentation function from SIDIS and Belle data

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## Transversity



## Collins pion FF





# Extraction of nucleon tensor charge

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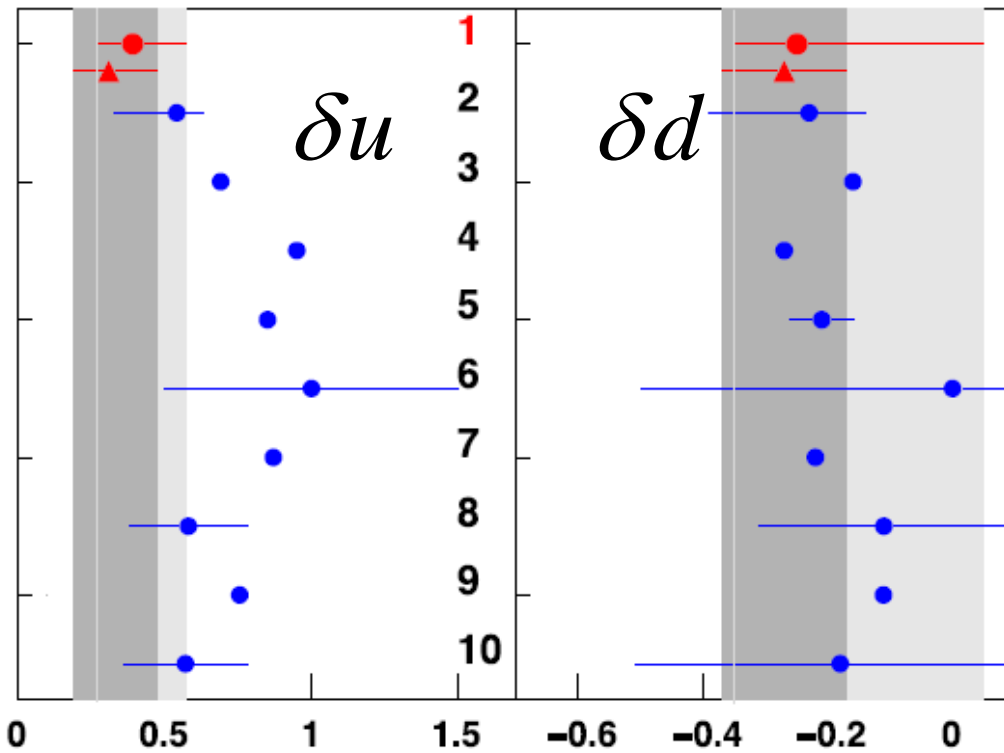
●  $\delta u = 0.39^{+0.18}_{-0.12}$

●  $\delta d = -0.25^{+0.30}_{-0.10}$

▲  $\delta u = 0.31^{+0.16}_{-0.12}$

▲  $\delta d = -0.27^{+0.10}_{-0.10}$

$$\delta q = \int_0^1 [h_1^q(x) - h_1^{\bar{q}}(x)] dx$$



1 : Extractions from global fits (using two different Collins FF parameterizations)

2-10: Predictions from various models (including LQCD)

- Tensor charges are smaller than axial charge
- Difference between data and theory could be partly caused by neglecting sea transversity in the extraction?

$\Delta u = 0.787$

$\Delta d = -0.319$

# Recent progress in LQCD suggests the possibility to calculate the $x$ -dependence of parton distributions

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## Parton Physics on a Euclidean Lattice

Xiangdong Ji<sup>1,2</sup>

### Transversity Distribution

#### § Exploratory study

∞ We found  $\delta\bar{u} < \delta\bar{d}$  with large sea asymmetry

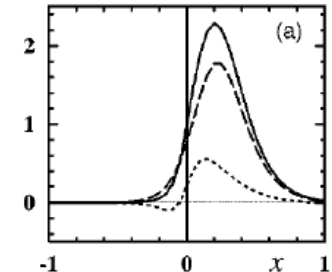
∞ Chiral quark-soliton model

$$\int dx \frac{\delta\bar{u}(x) - \delta\bar{d}(x)}{g_T} \approx -0.320 \quad (18)$$

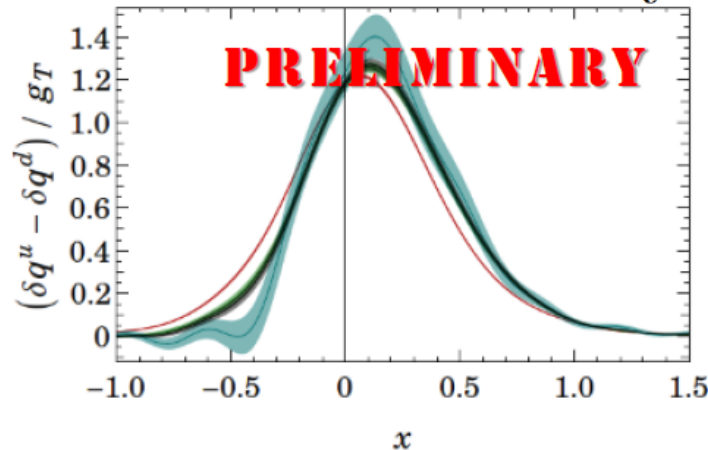
$$\int dx (\delta\bar{u}(x) - \delta\bar{d}(x)) \approx -0.082$$

B. Dressler et al.,  
hep-ph/9809487

CQS model



P. Schweitzer et al.  
PRD 64, 034013 (2001)



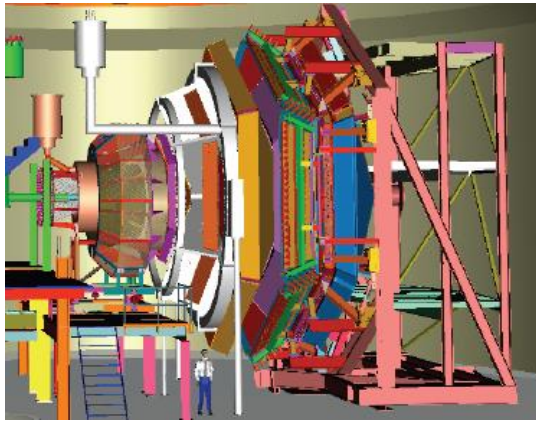
Predicts large sea-quark transversity!<sup>26</sup>

### Bjorken- $x$ Dependence of Nucleon PDFs on the Lattice

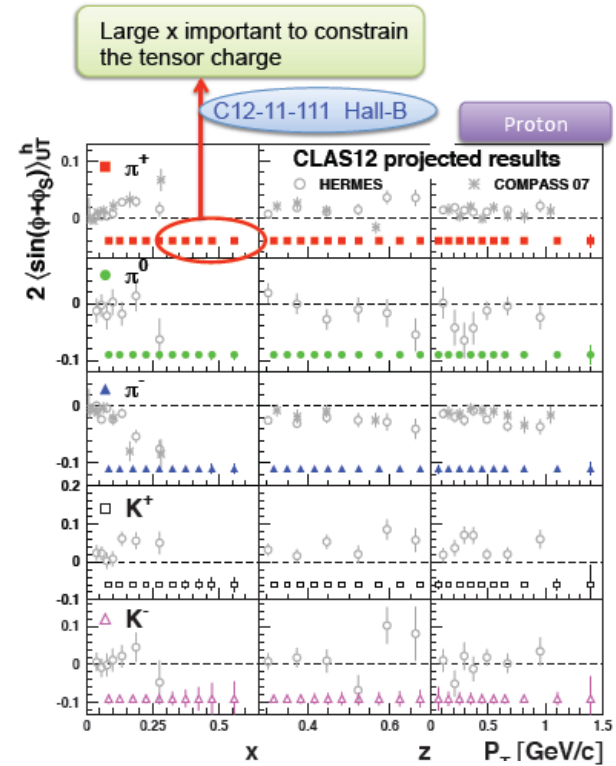
Huey-Wen Lin  
University of Washington

The  $x$ -dependence of the quark and antiquark transversity distributions can be calculated (not just their moments)

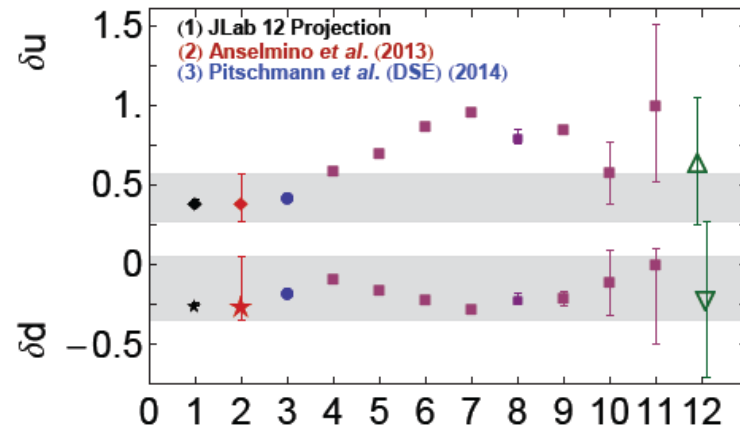
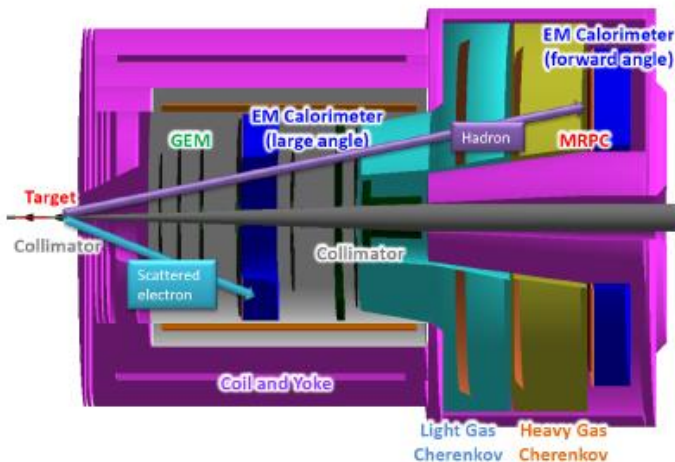
# Transversity at Jlab 12-GeV



Hall-B

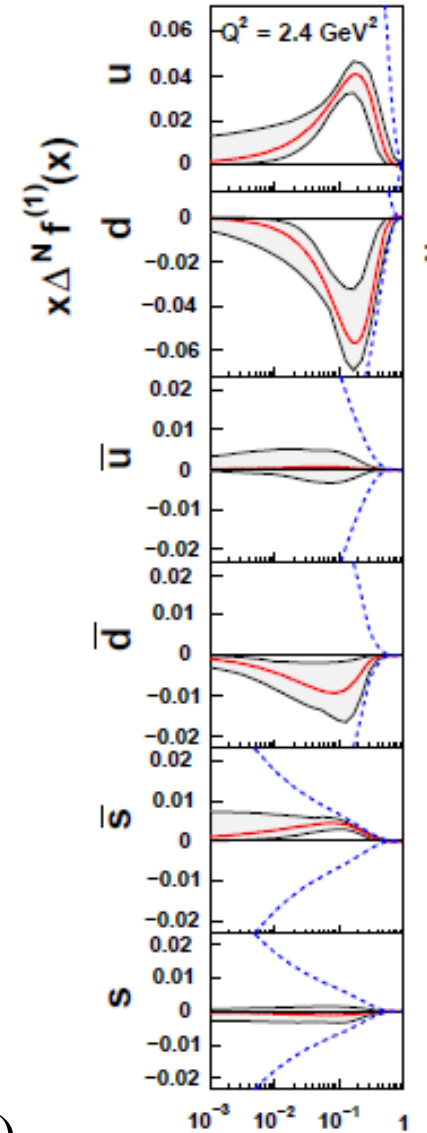
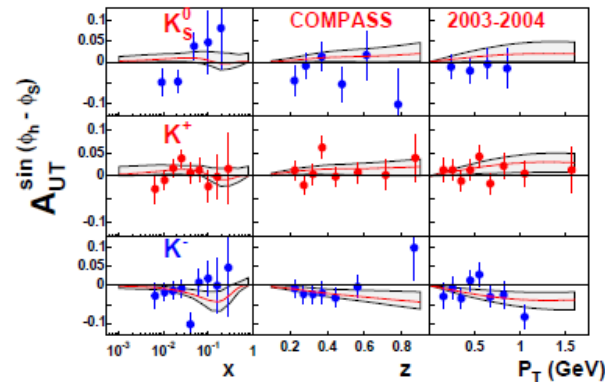
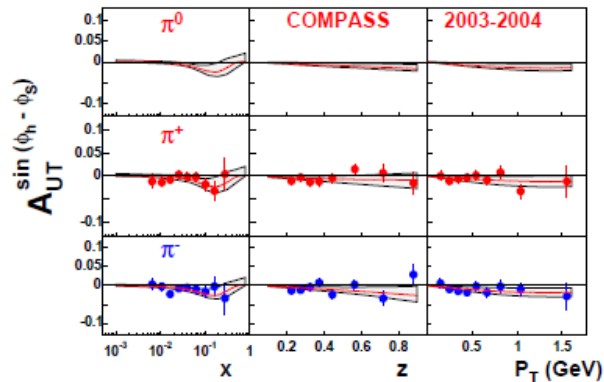
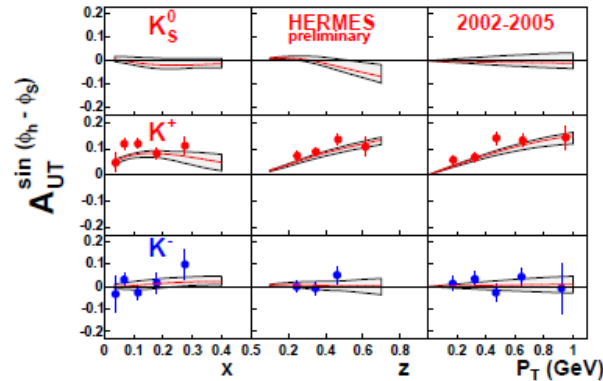
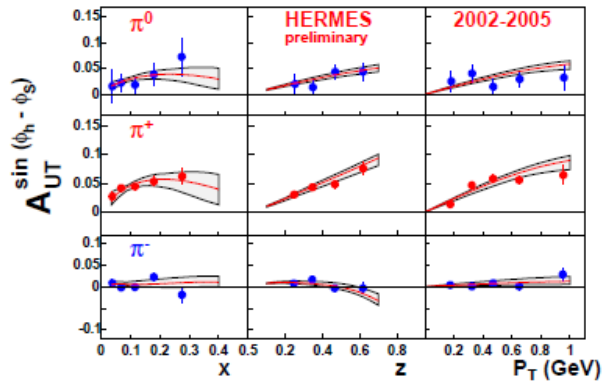


Extensive SIDIS program with SoliD in Hall-A



# Extraction of Sivers function from SIDIS data

Torino group, Anselmino et al.,  
Eur. Phys. J. A39 (2009) 89

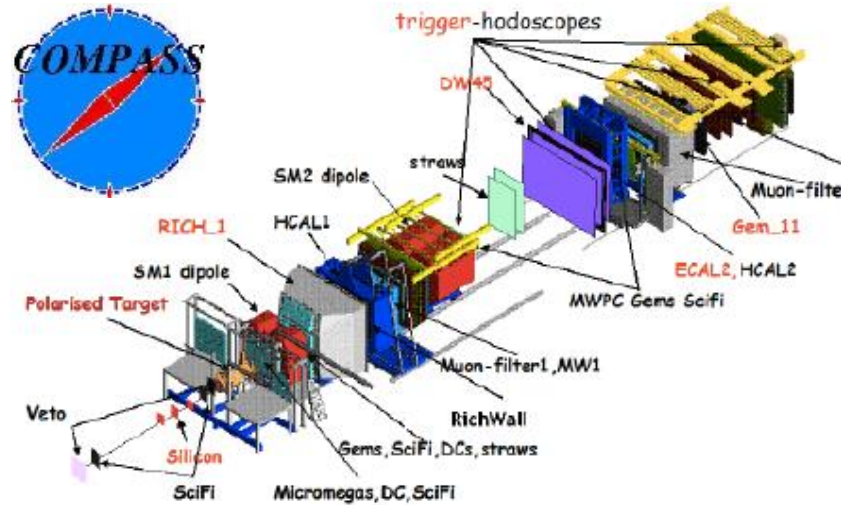


- $u$  – and  $d$  - quark Sivers functions have opposite signs
- Sea-quark Sivers functions are non-zero (from  $K^+$  data)

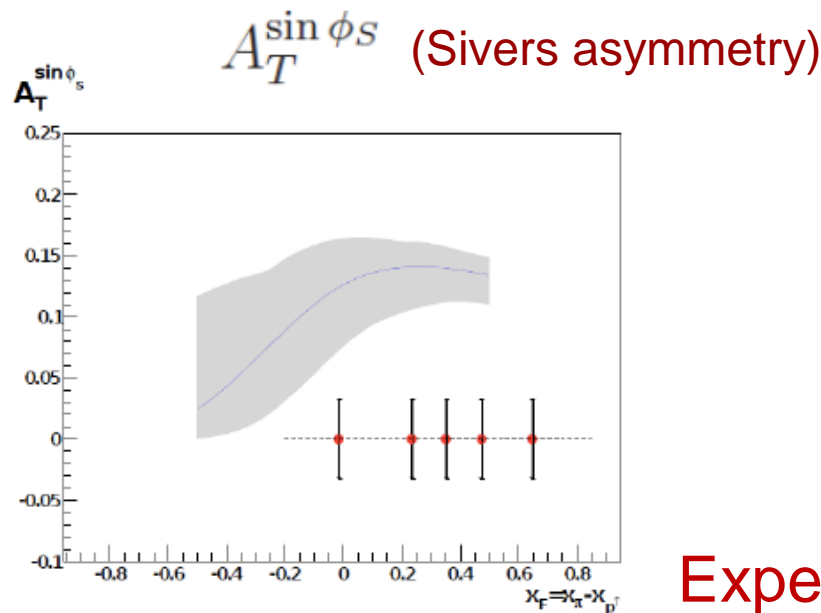
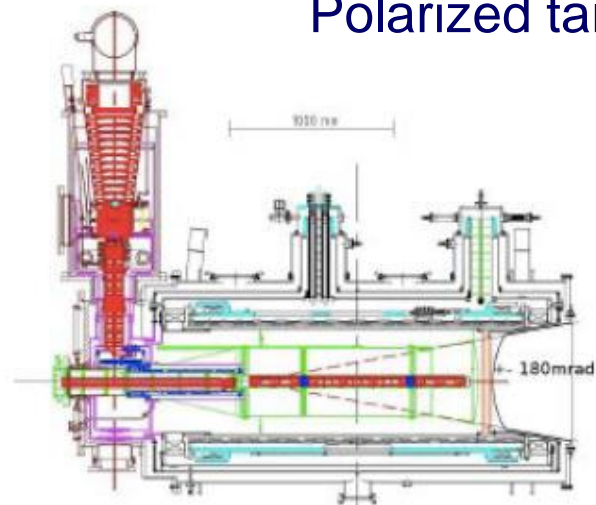
# Outstanding questions on Sivers function

- Does Sivers function change sign between DIS and Drell-Yan?
- Sign and magnitude of the sea-quark Sivers functions?
- $Q^2$ -evolution of the Sivers function?

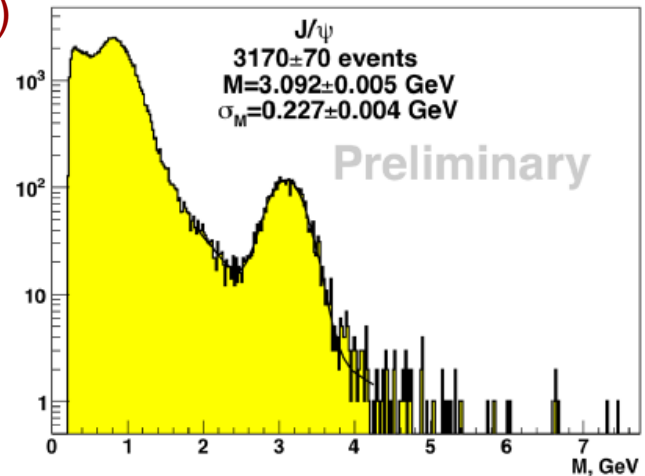
# Polarized Drell-Yan with 190 GeV/c pion beam



Polarized target



COMPASS DY beam test 2009

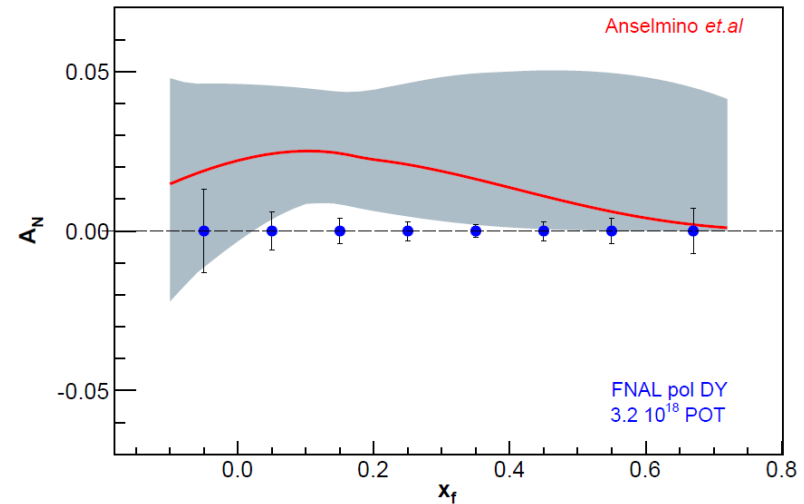
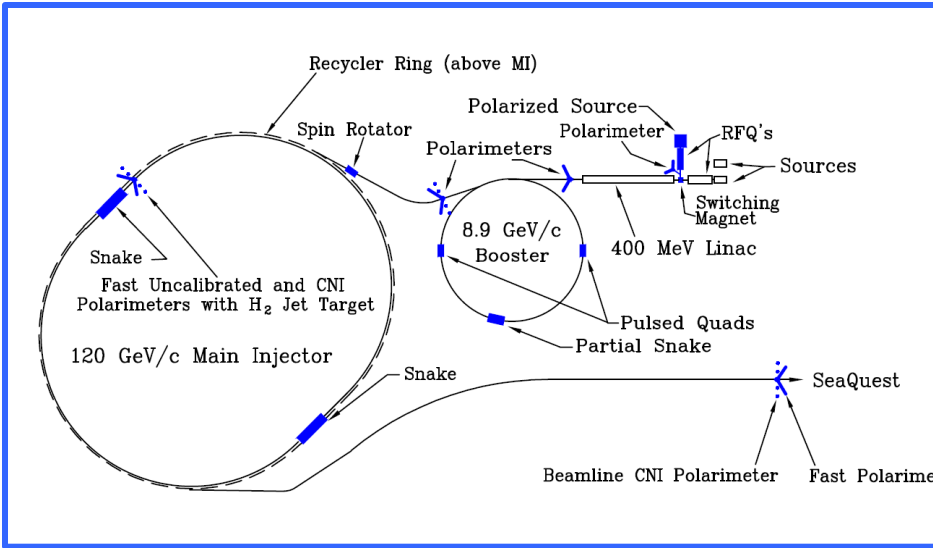


Expect data-taking in 2014-2015

# Proposal to measure Sivers in polarized Drell-Yan at Fermilab

Proposal (P-1027) ( Polarized Drell-Yan with polarized proton beam)

(W. Lorenzon, P. Reimer, et al.)



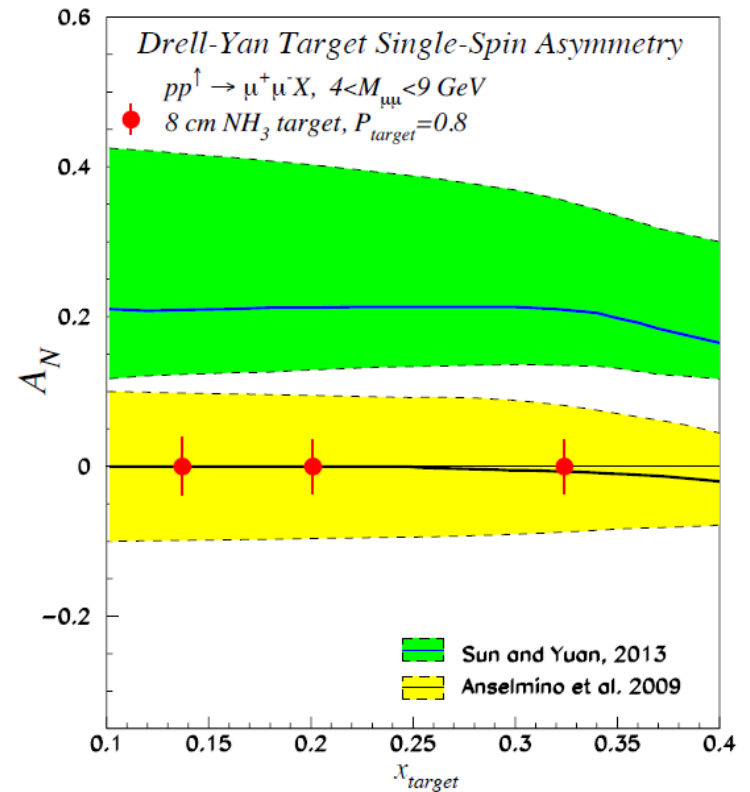
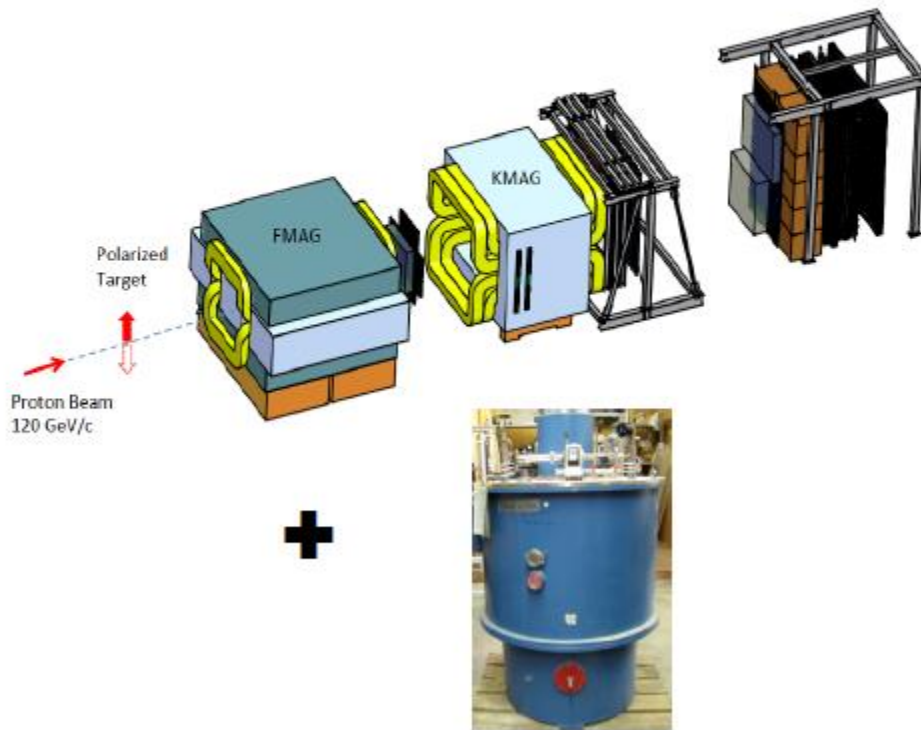
- Main goals:
- 1) Accelerate polarized proton beam at the Main Injector
  - 2) Test "sign-change" of T-odd Sivers function in Drell-Yan

- Propose using the existing dimuon spectrometer
- Possibility of polarized target is also being considered

# Another proposal to measure sea-quark Sivers in polarized Drell-Yan at Fermilab

## P-1039 Collaboration:

Co-Spokespersons: A. Klein, X. Jiang  
Los Alamos National Laboratory



Statistics shown for one calendar year of running :  
 $\mathcal{L} = 1.4 \cdot 10^{43} / \text{cm}^2 \leftrightarrow \text{POT} = 2.1 \cdot 10^{18}$

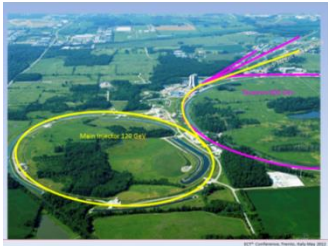
**Request for two calendar years of beam time**



# Global interest in polarized Drell-Yan measurements

- Fermilab (proton beam, unpolarized, polarized beam/target possible)
- COMPASS (pion beam, polarized target)
- FAIR (polarized antiproton beam)
- RHIC (polarized proton beam)
- J-PARC (proton beam, polarized beam possible)
- JINR NICA (proton beam)

## Fermilab



## COMPASS



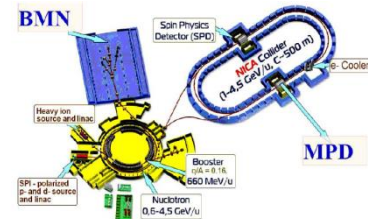
## RHIC



## J-PARC



## NICA



# Summary

- Significant progress has been made in measuring and understanding the flavor and momentum dependencies of parton distributions in the nucleon.
- Exciting physics opportunities await us with existing and future electron and hadron facilities to further advance our knowledge on hadron structure and QCD.