

Spin Physics Program in Jefferson Lab Hall C

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Hall C Spin Structure Program

- Spin Structure Functions at 6 GeV:
 - Inclusive measurements
 - SSF's in the Nucleon Resonances Region - *RSS*
 - Proton SSF at high Bjorken x - SANE
 - Precision Deuteron spin structure - g_1^d/F_1^d
 - Semi-inclusive measurements
 - Flavor Decomposition of Nucleon Spin - SemiSANE
- Real Polarized Photons:
 - Polarized Compton Scattering
- Current four experiments rated A or A-
- Future: Spin Structure Functions with 12 GeV upgrade

RSS - Resonances Spin Structure

Precision Measurement of the Nucleon Spin Structure Functions in the Region of the Nucleon Resonances

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- Measure *proton* and *deuteron* spin asymmetries $A_1(W, Q^2)$ and $A_2(W, Q^2)$ at $Q^2 \approx 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2$ and $0.8 \leq W \leq 1.91 \text{ GeV}$
- Study W dependence, onset of polarized local duality, twist-3 effects, using inclusive polarized scattering

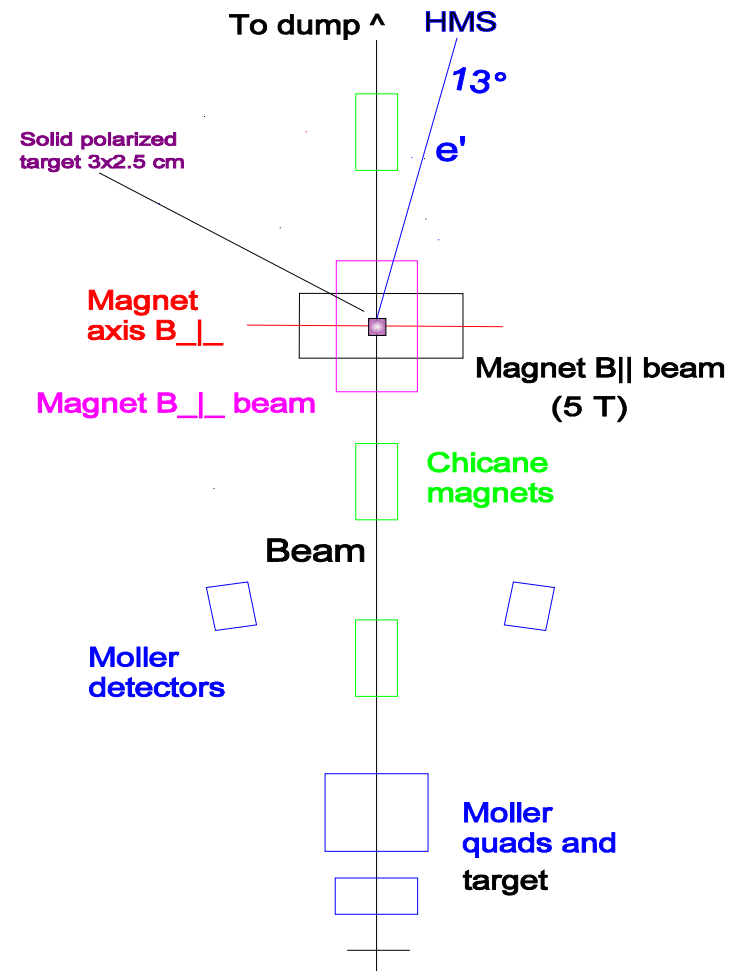
Resonances SSF Experiments

Lab	Experiment	Target	Q^2 [GeV/c] ²	Measured quantity
SLAC	E143 (E80)	NH ₃ p(rotons) & d (euterons)	0.5 1.3	A
JLab	Hall A 94-010	³ He	0.1 to 0.9 (6 values)	A , A _⊥
	CLAS eg1a-b	NH ₃ p & d	0.2 to 5 (over 12 values)	A
	Hall C RSS	NH ₃ p & d	1.3	A , A _⊥
	Hall A 01-012	³ He	~1. to ~4.	A , A _⊥

- *RSS* is only complete spin structure experiment in the resonances:
 - proton and neutron (from deuteron)
 - parallel and perpendicular asymmetries

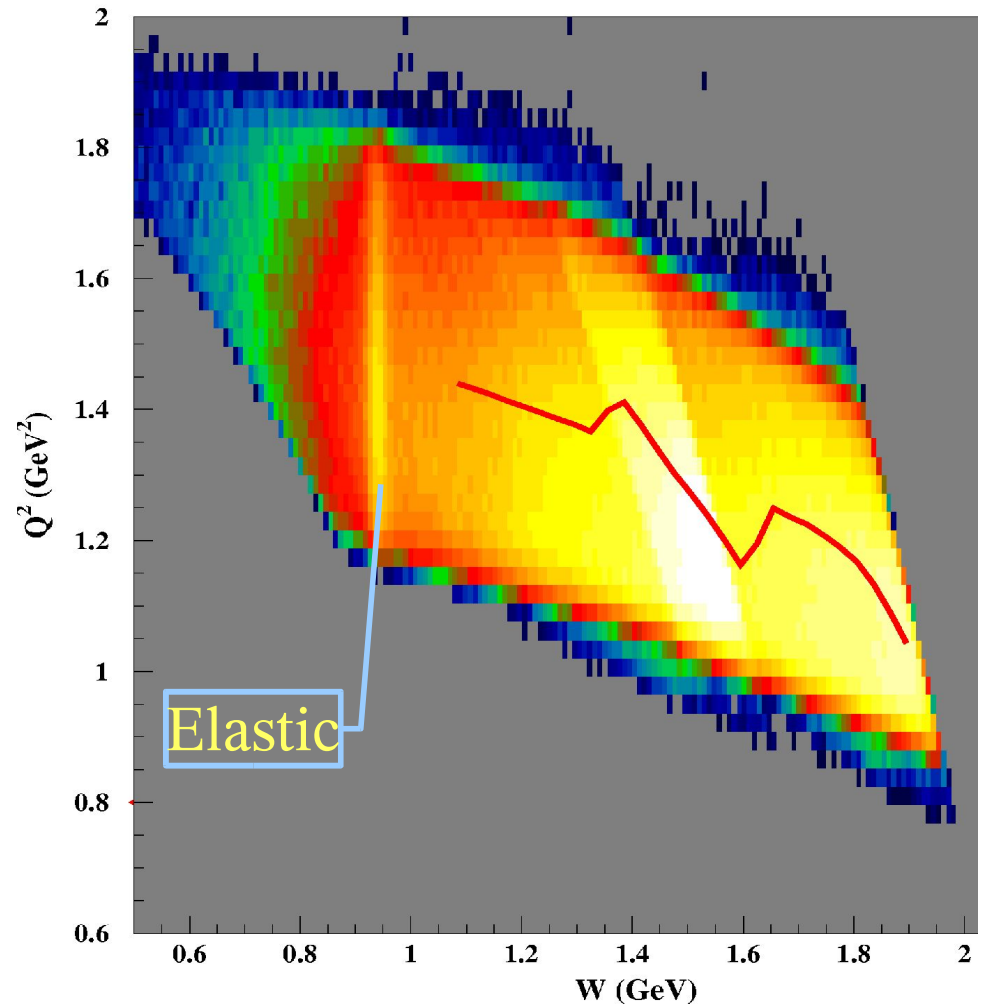
RSS Technique

- Equipment: TJNAF Hall C
 - CEBAF polarized electron beam
 - 2 cm diameter raster at target
 - $I = 85\text{-}150\text{ nA}$
 - Target: polarized ammonia NH_3 , ND_3 .
 - Luminosity $\sim 10^{35}\text{ s}^{-1}\text{ cm}^{-2}$
 - HMS electron detector
- Data run: Jan.-Feb. 2002
 - 160 M proton triggers
 - 350 M deuteron triggers



RSS Kinematics

- Beam energy 5.755 GeV
- HMS angle 13.15°
- HMS central momenta:
 - 4.71 GeV/c
 - 4.08 GeV/c
- Final state mass range:
 - $0.8 \text{ GeV} \leq W \leq 2.0 \text{ GeV}$
- $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 1.28 \text{ [GeV/c]}^2$



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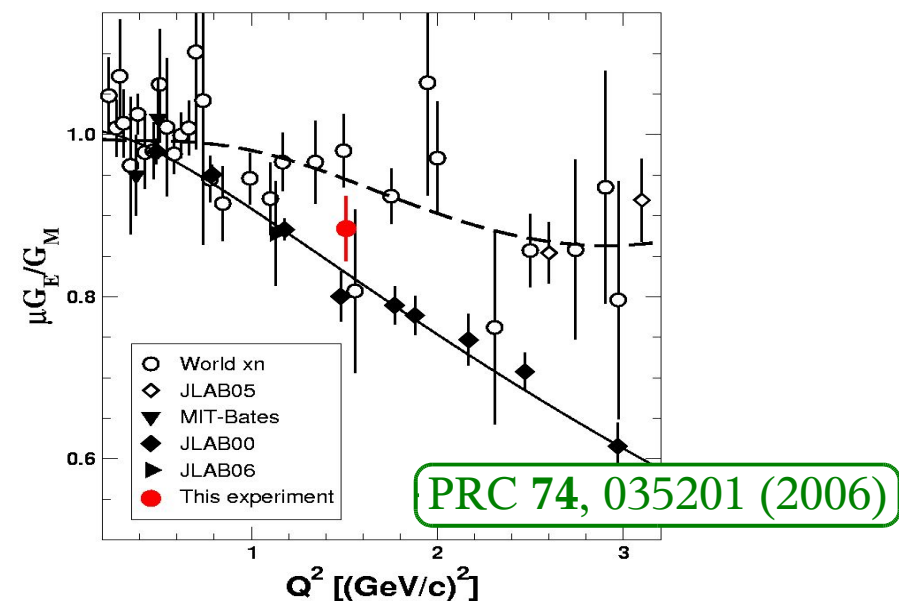
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- P_b , P_t = beam, target polarizations
- f = dilution from N, He and others
- C_N , C_D = polarized nucleons in $^{15,14}\text{N}$
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	<i>Polarization</i> [%]	
	A_{\parallel}	A_{\perp}
Moller - Beam	71	66
NMR - NH ₃	70 ± 1.7	
NMR - ND ₃	20 ± 1	

<i>Proton Elastic</i>	G_E/G_M Sensitivity	<i>Use</i>
A_{\parallel}	Low	$P_b P_t$
A_{\perp}	High	G_E/G_M

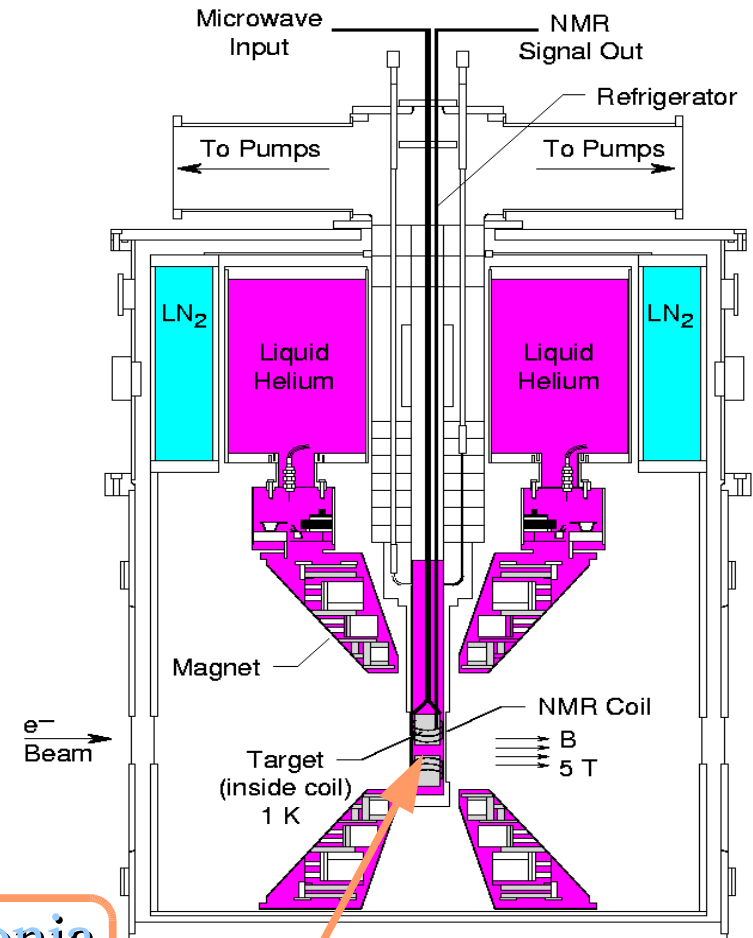


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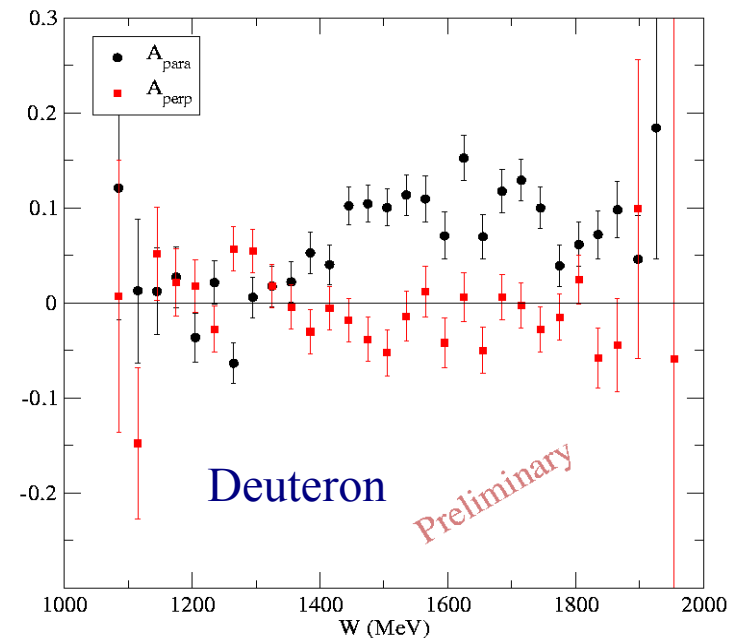
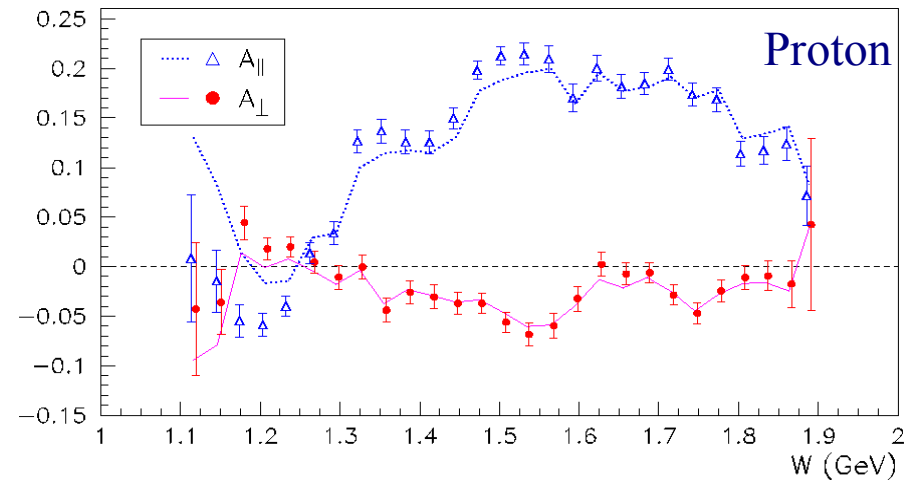
Ammonia
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Spin Asymmetries A_1, A_2

- Combine A_{\parallel}, A_{\perp} to get virtual Compton absorption asymmetries:

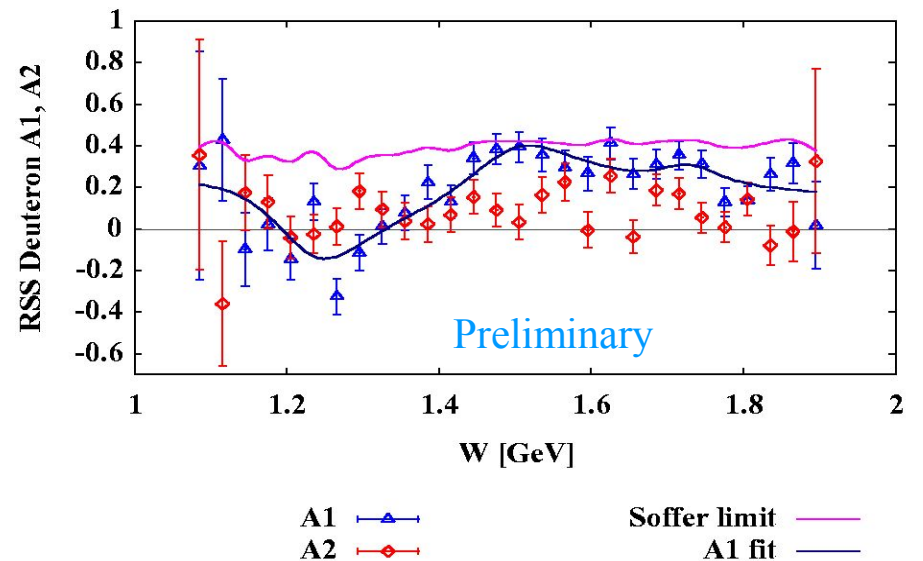
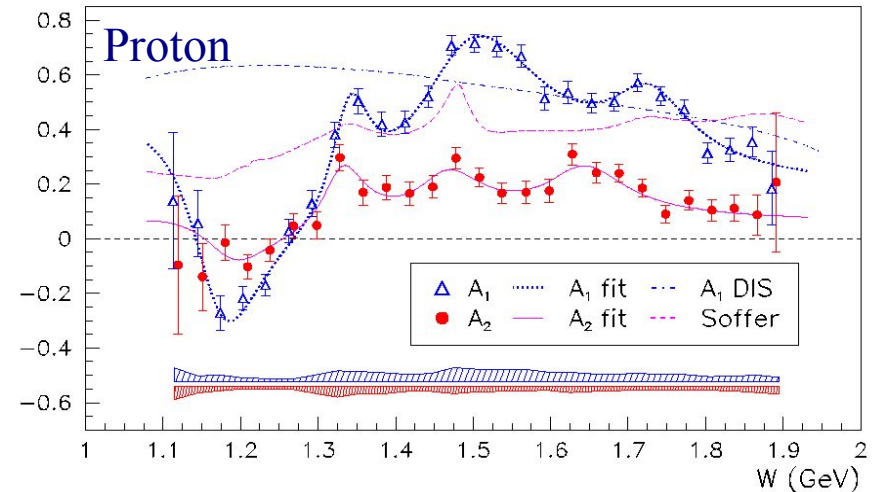
$$A_1 = \frac{1}{(E + E')D'} \left((E - E' \cos \theta) A_{\parallel} - \frac{E' \sin \theta}{\cos \phi} A_{\perp} \right)$$

$$A_2 = \frac{\sqrt{Q^2}}{2ED'} \left(A_{\parallel} + \frac{E - E' \cos \theta}{E' \sin \theta \cos \phi} A_{\perp} \right)$$

- A_1, A_2 have minimal model dependence
 - $D'(E, E', \theta, R)$ is function only of kinematics and $R = \sigma_L / \sigma_T$
 - Proton R, F_1 from E. Christy's fit to Hall C $e-p$ data
 - Deuteron R, F_1 from P. Bosted's fit to world data

Spin Asymmetry results

- A_1, A_2 for proton, deuteron in resonances are unique:
 - RSS is only experiment that can separate A_1, A_2
- Proton final results
 - PRL **98**, 132003 (2007)
- Deuteron, neutron
 - in preparation



Proton Spin Structure Functions

- Use unpolarized F_1

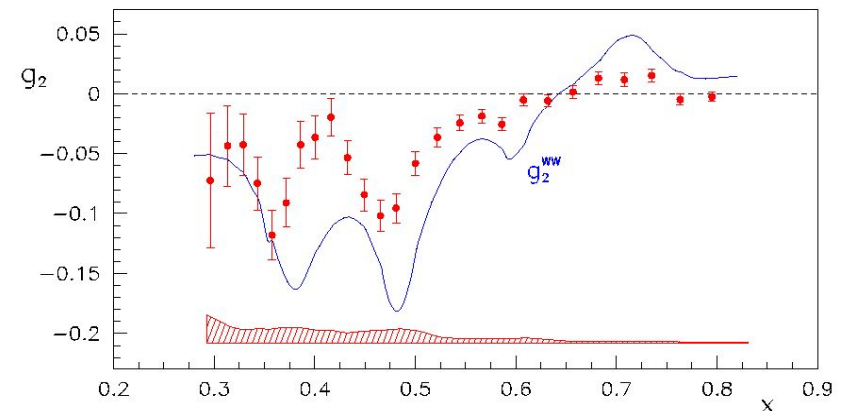
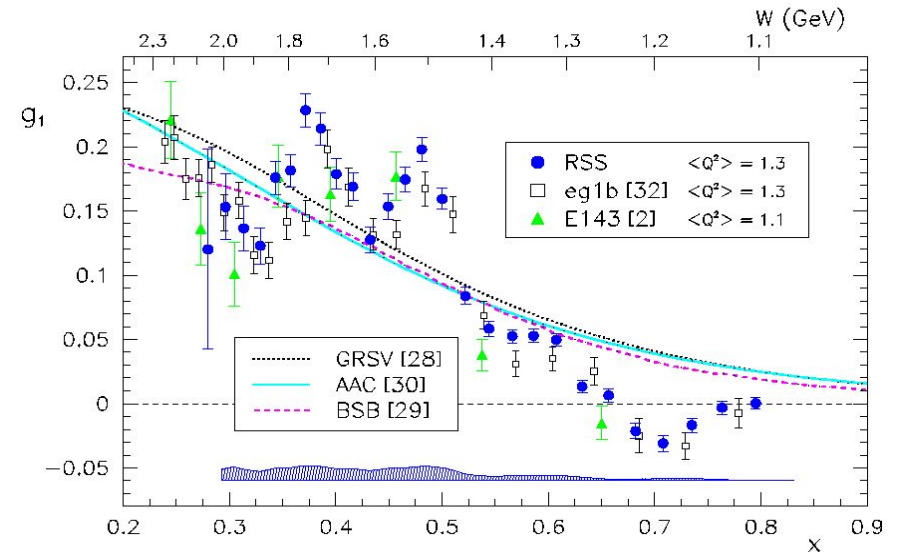
$$g_1 = \frac{F_1}{1 + \gamma^2} (A_1 + \gamma A_2)$$

$$g_2 = \frac{F_1}{1 + \gamma^2} \left(\frac{A_2}{\gamma} - A_1 \right); \quad \gamma = \frac{2xM}{\sqrt{Q^2}}$$

- High precision, high resolution measurement

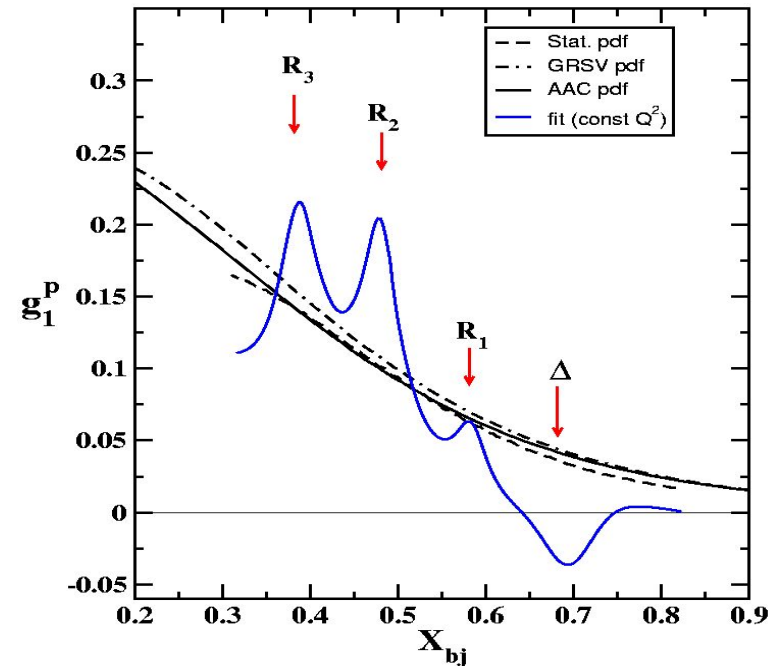
- First world data for g_2^p in the resonances
- Clear higher-twist in g_2^p

$$\bar{g}_2(x, Q^2) = g_2(x, Q^2) - g_2^{WW}(g_1(x, Q^2))$$



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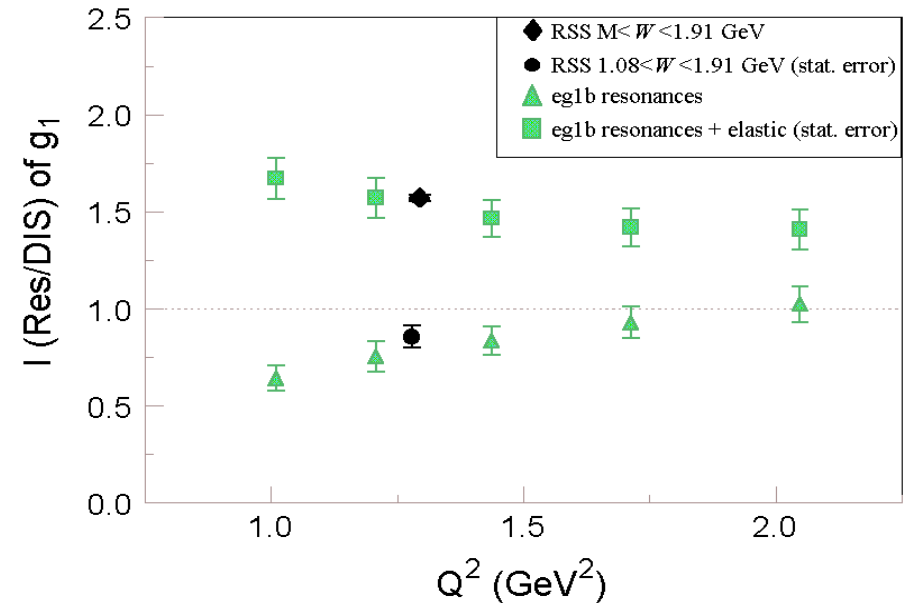


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R3	1.68	1.81	0.79	0.06 0.04
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- Only *approximate* Global Duality in *RSS*
 - Large x resummations increase discrepancy by 1.3 (S. Liuti *et al.*)

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- Polarized global duality seems to work above $Q^2 \approx 1.8 \text{ GeV}^2$

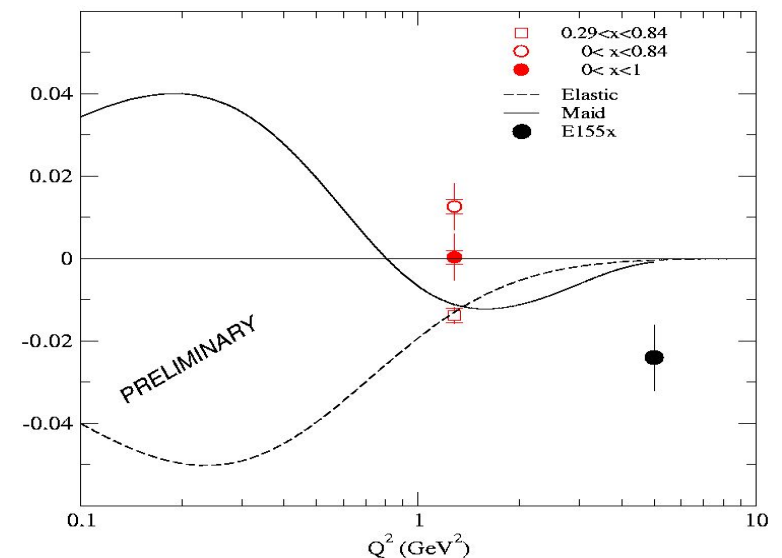
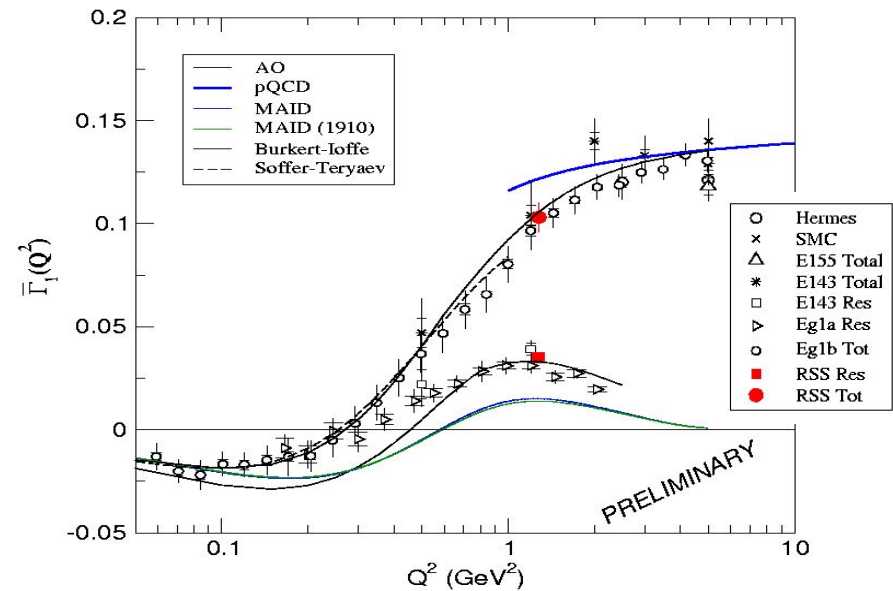
Sum Rules (Proton)

- First moment of g_1 (extended GDH or Ellis-Jaffe sum rule)

$$\begin{aligned}\overline{\Gamma}_1(Q^2) &= \int_0^{1-el} g_1(x, Q^2) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{36} ((a_8 + 3a_3) C_{NS} + 4a_0 C_S)\end{aligned}$$

- First moment of g_2 (Burkhardt-Cottingham)

$$\Gamma_2(Q^2) = \int_0^1 g_2(x, Q^2) dx = 0$$



Twist-3 in g_2^p

- Third moment of g_2 is related by the OPE to twist-3 matrix element d_2 representing q - g correlations

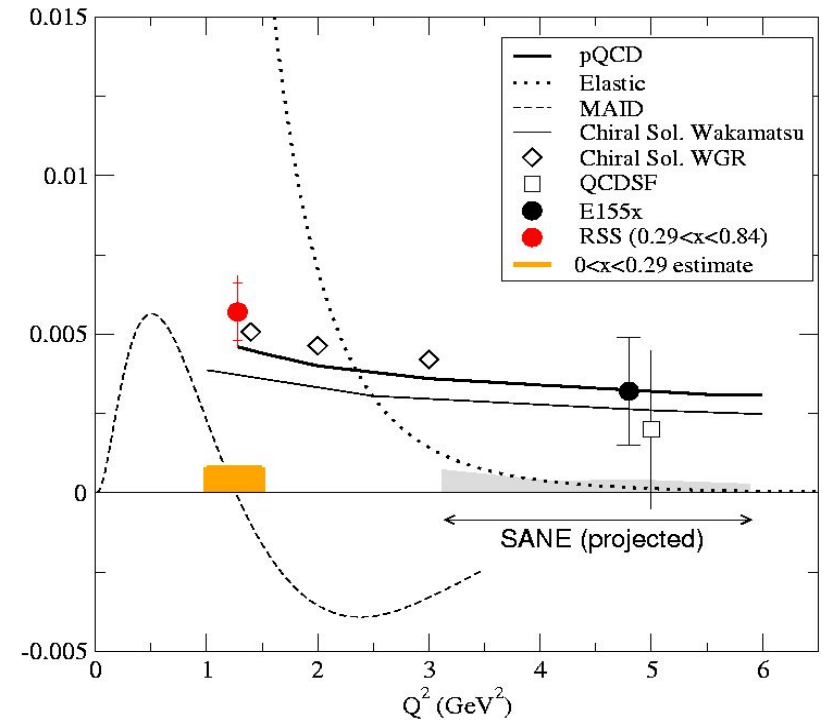
$$d_2^{\text{Cornwall-Norton}}(Q^2) = 3 \int_0^1 x^2 \overline{g_2}(x, Q^2) dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x^2 (2g_1(x, Q^2) + 3g_2(x, Q^2)) dx$$

- At low Q^2 Nachtmann moments probe clean dynamic higher twists

$$d_2^{\text{Nachtm.}}(Q^2) = \int_0^1 \xi^2 \left(2 \frac{\xi}{x} g_1 + 3 \left(1 - \frac{\xi^2 M^2}{2Q^2} \right) g_2 \right) dx$$

S. Matsuda and T. Uematsu, NP B168 (1980) 181



RSS measured ($0.29 < x < 0.84$)

$$d_2^{\text{C-N}}(1.3 \text{ GeV}^2) = 0.0057 \pm 0.0011$$

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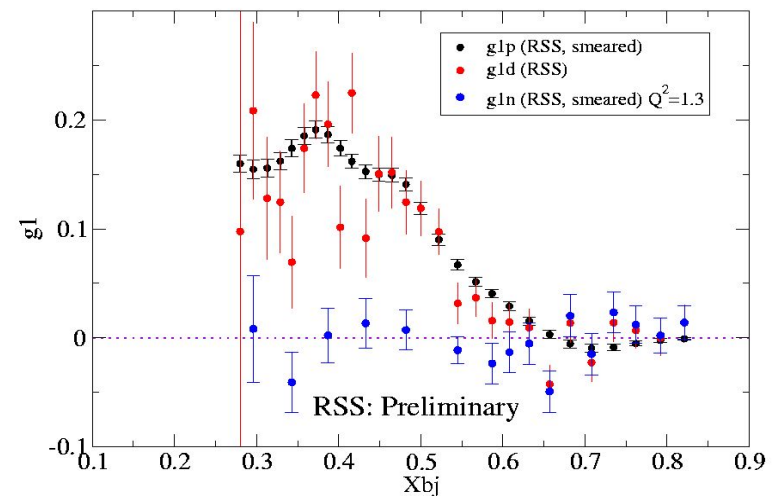
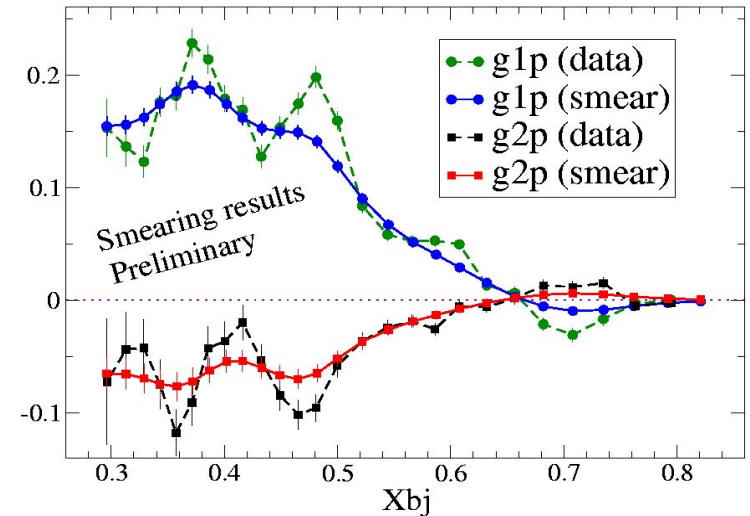
$$d_2^{\text{Nachtmann}} = 0.0036 \pm 0.0006$$

(preliminary)

Neutron Spin Structure

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- Bodek-Ritchie version of Atwood-West smearing
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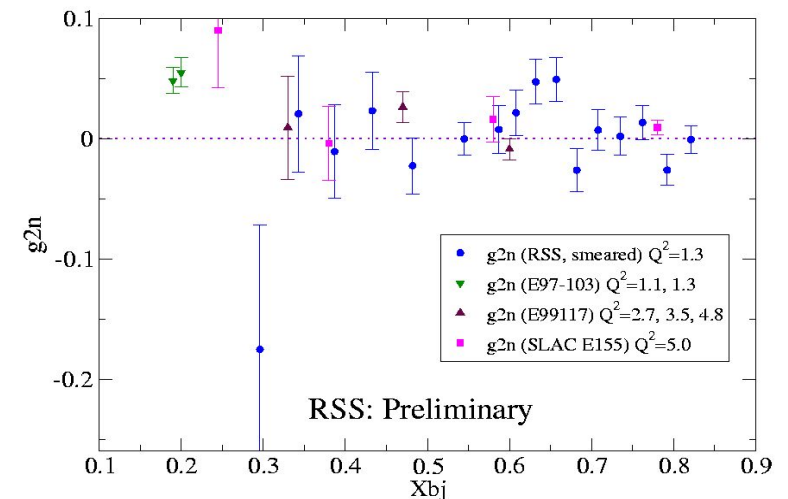
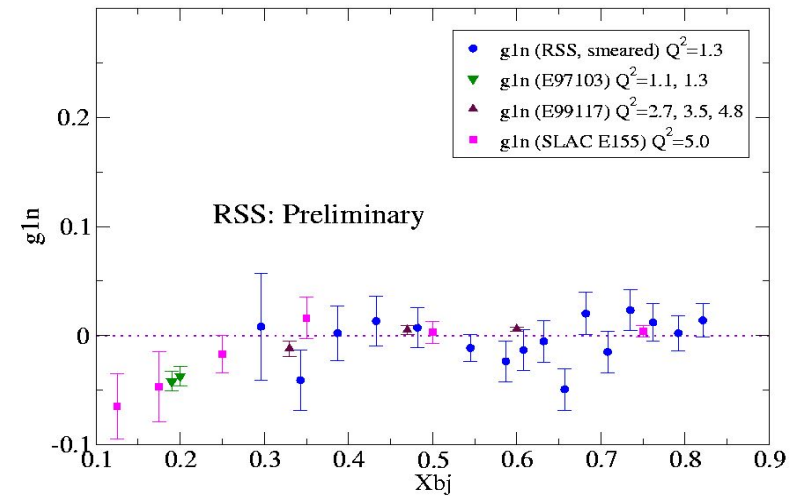
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Outlook

- Two publications, two more in preparation:
 - Deuteron and neutron spin structure
 - Complete set of sum rules for both nucleons:
 - first moment of g_1 : extended GDH and Ellis-Jaffe
 - first moment of g_2 : Burkhardt-Cottingham
 - third moments of g_2 : twist-3
 - combined p and n first moments
 - non-singlet: Bjorken
 - singlet: deuteron
 - combined p and n $g_{1,2}$ second moment:
 - Efremov-Leader-Teryaev (valence quarks)

Credits

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- JLab Target group

SANE

Spin Asymmetries on the Nucleon Experiment (TJNAF E07-003)

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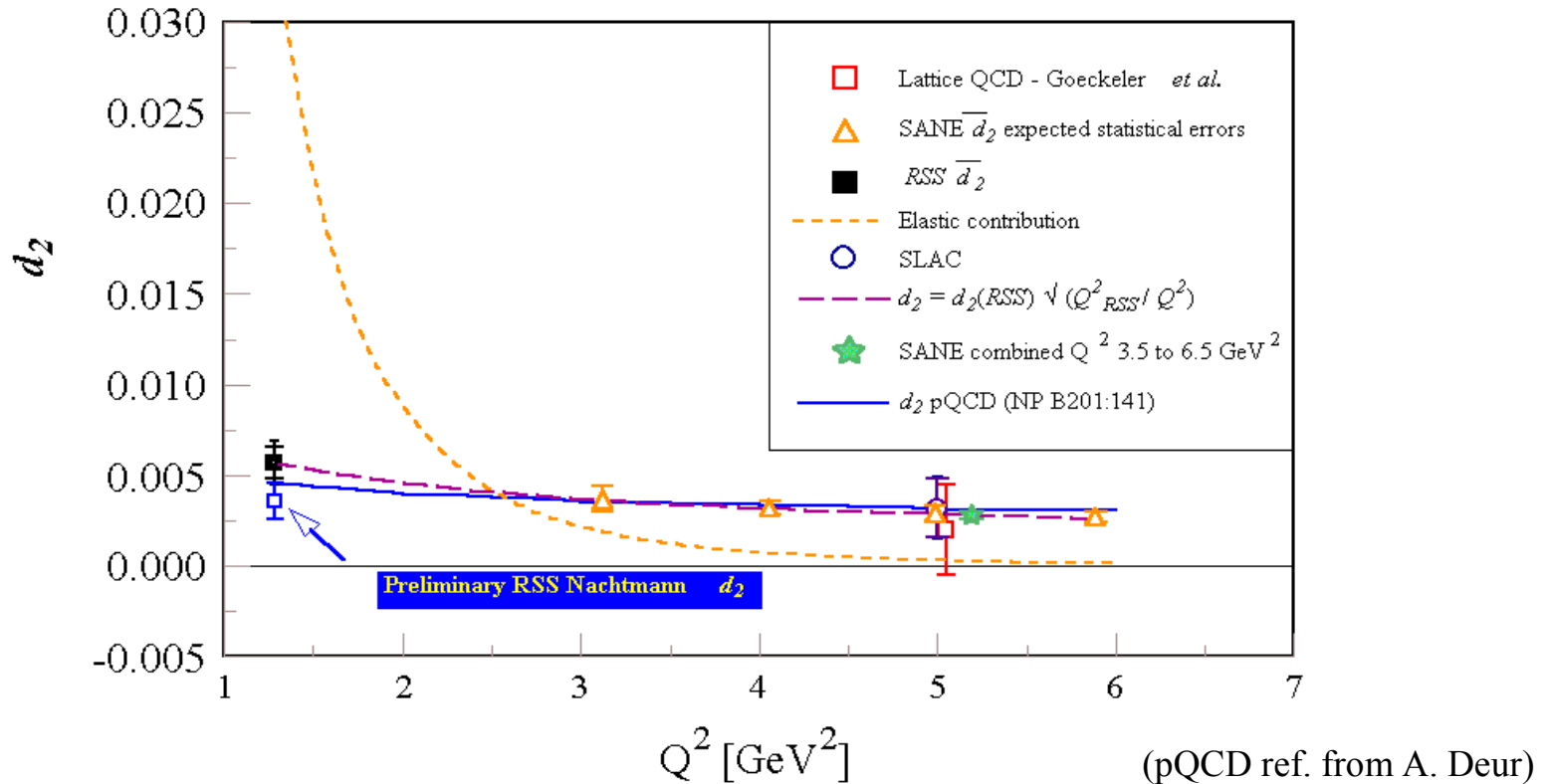
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- Measure **proton** spin structure function $g_2(x, Q^2)$ and spin asymmetry $A_1(x, Q^2)$ for $2.5 \leq Q^2 \leq 6.5 \text{ GeV}^2$ and $0.3 \leq x \leq 0.8$
- **SANE meets DOE 2011 Milestone for Proton Spin Structure**

SANE Physics

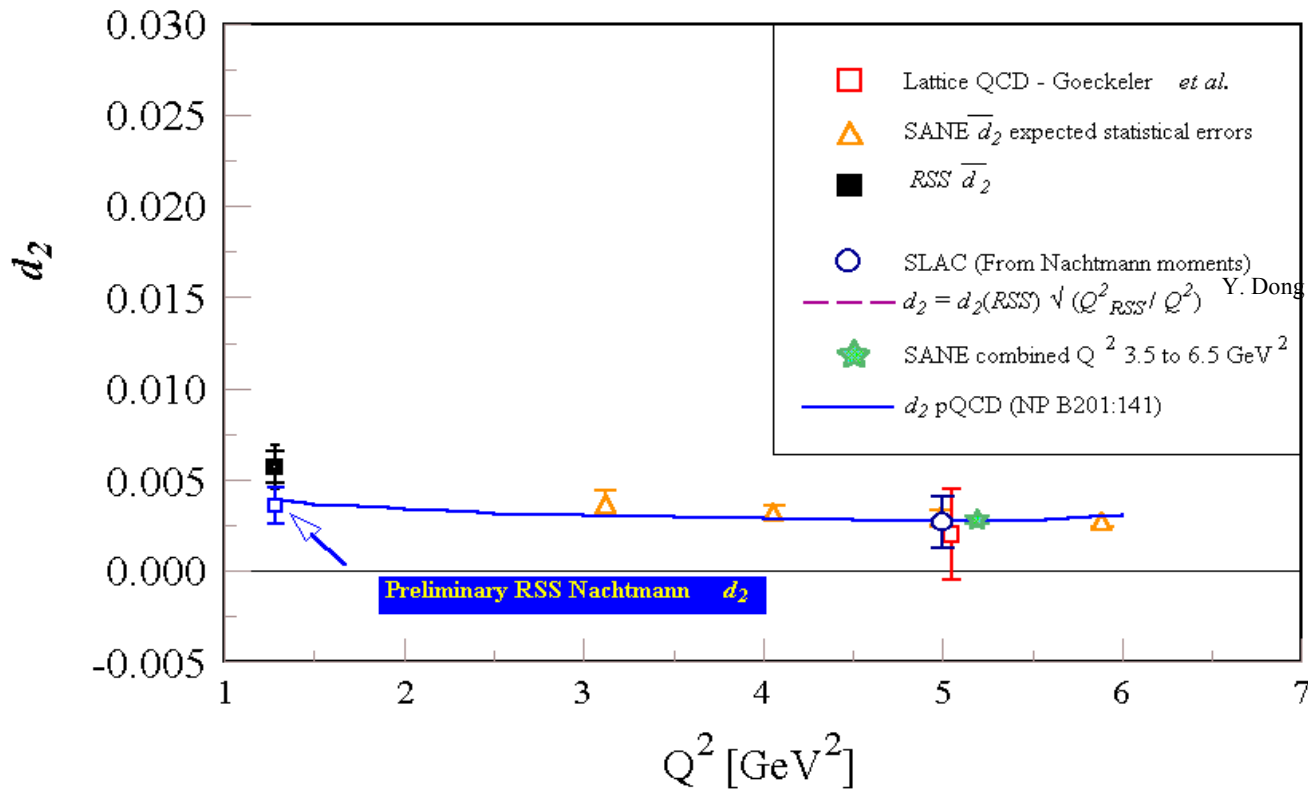
- Goal is to learn all we can about proton SSF's from an inclusive double polarization measurement:
 - twist-3 effects from moments of g_2 and g_1
 - comparisons with Lattice QCD, QCD sum rules, bag models, chiral quarks
 - Study x dependence (test nucleon models) and Q^2 dependence (evolution)
 - Exploration of "high" x region: A_1 's approach to $x = 1$
 - Test polarized local duality for final state mass $W > 1.4$ GeV
- Method:
 - Measure inclusive spin asymmetries for two orientations of target spin relative to beam helicity (anti-parallel and near-perpendicular)
 - Detect electrons with novel large solid angle electron telescope **BETA**

SANE Expected Results



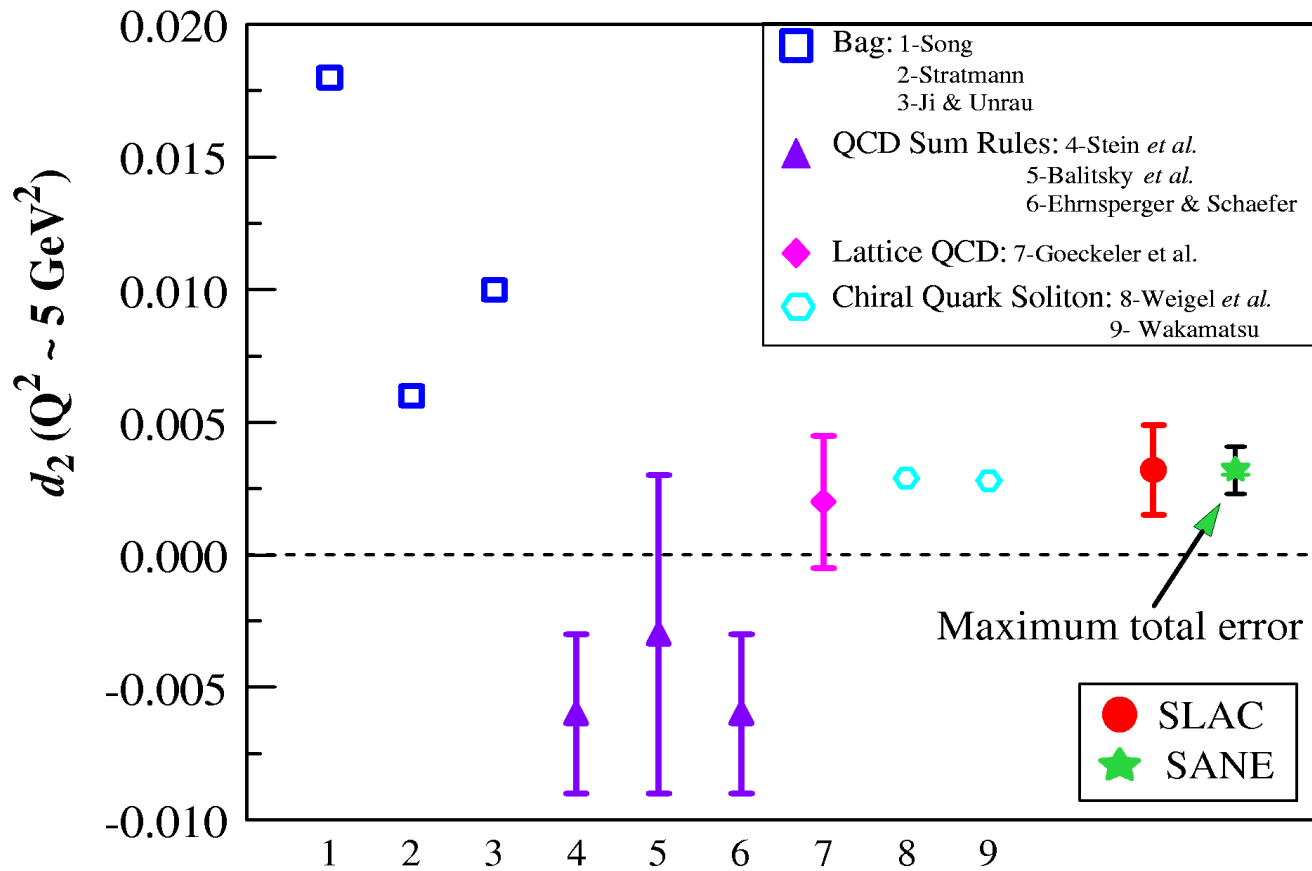
- SANE expected errors for $\overline{d}_2 = \int_{x_{\min}}^{x_{\max}} x^2 (2g_1 + 3g_2) dx$
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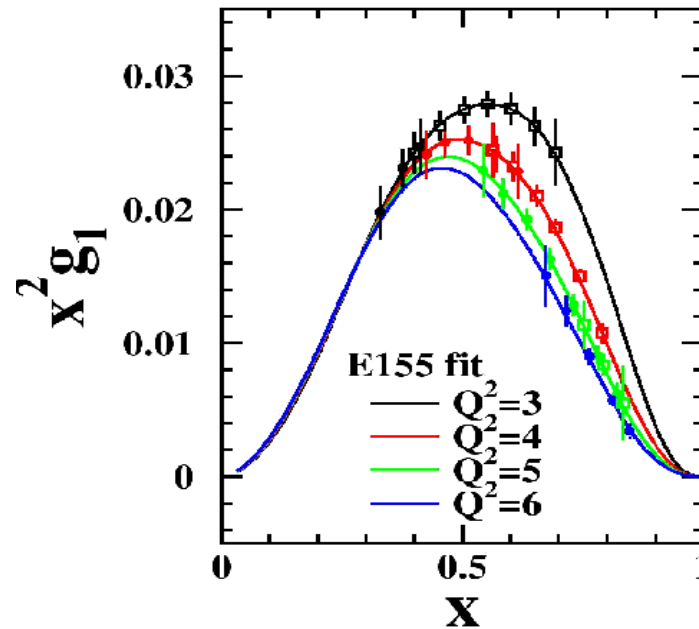
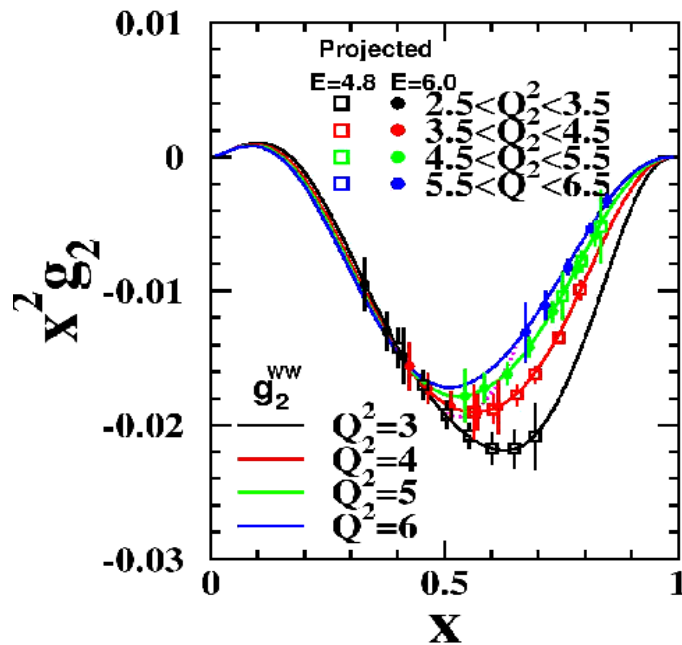


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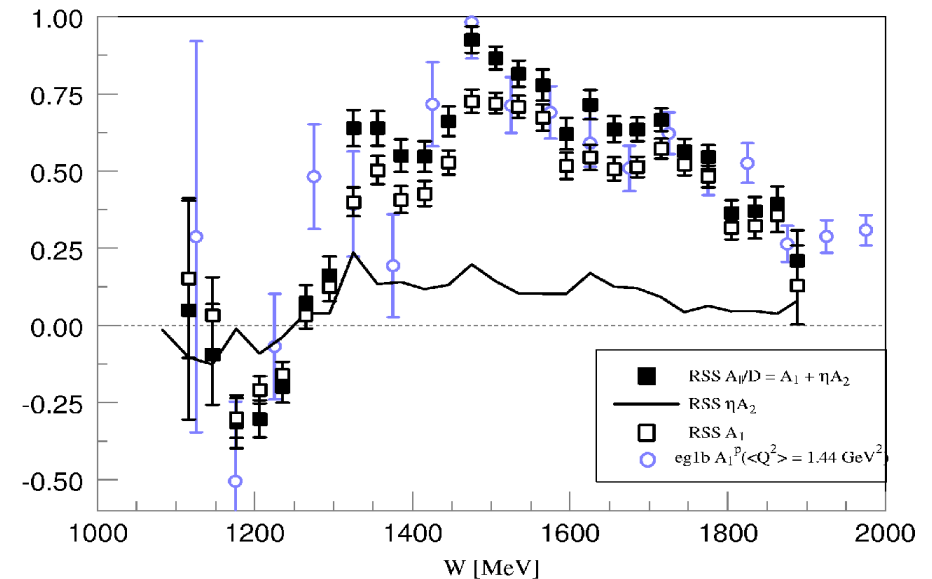
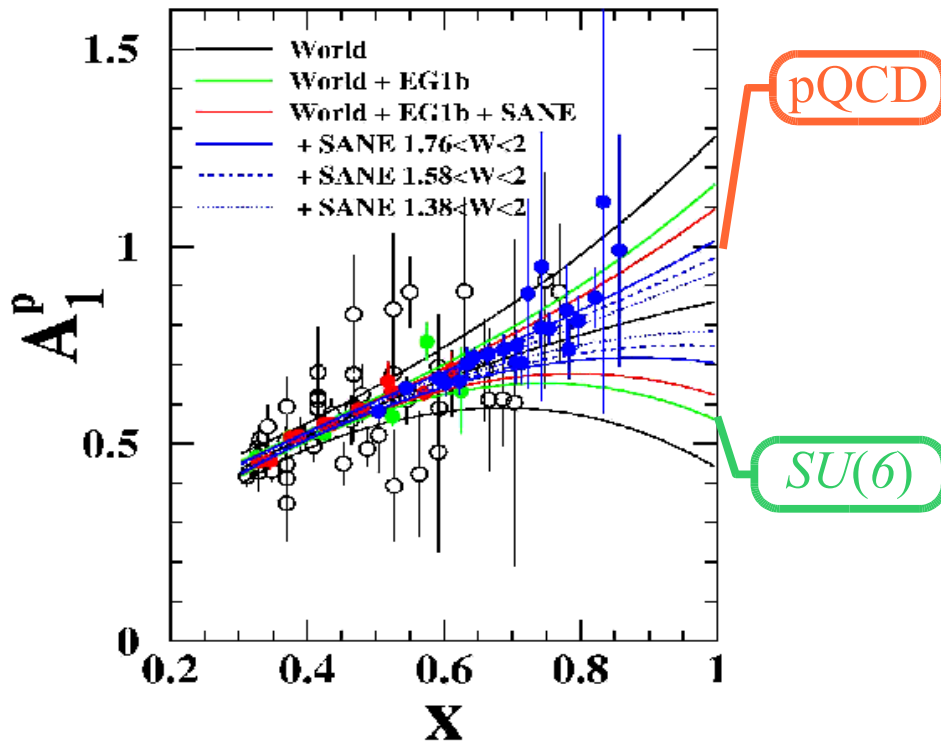


SANE Expected Results (II)



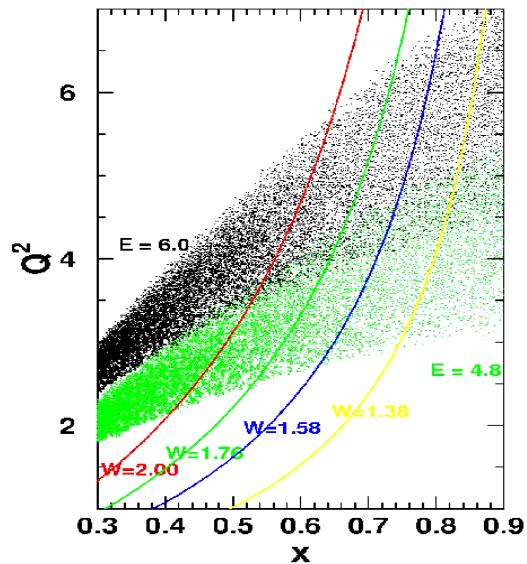
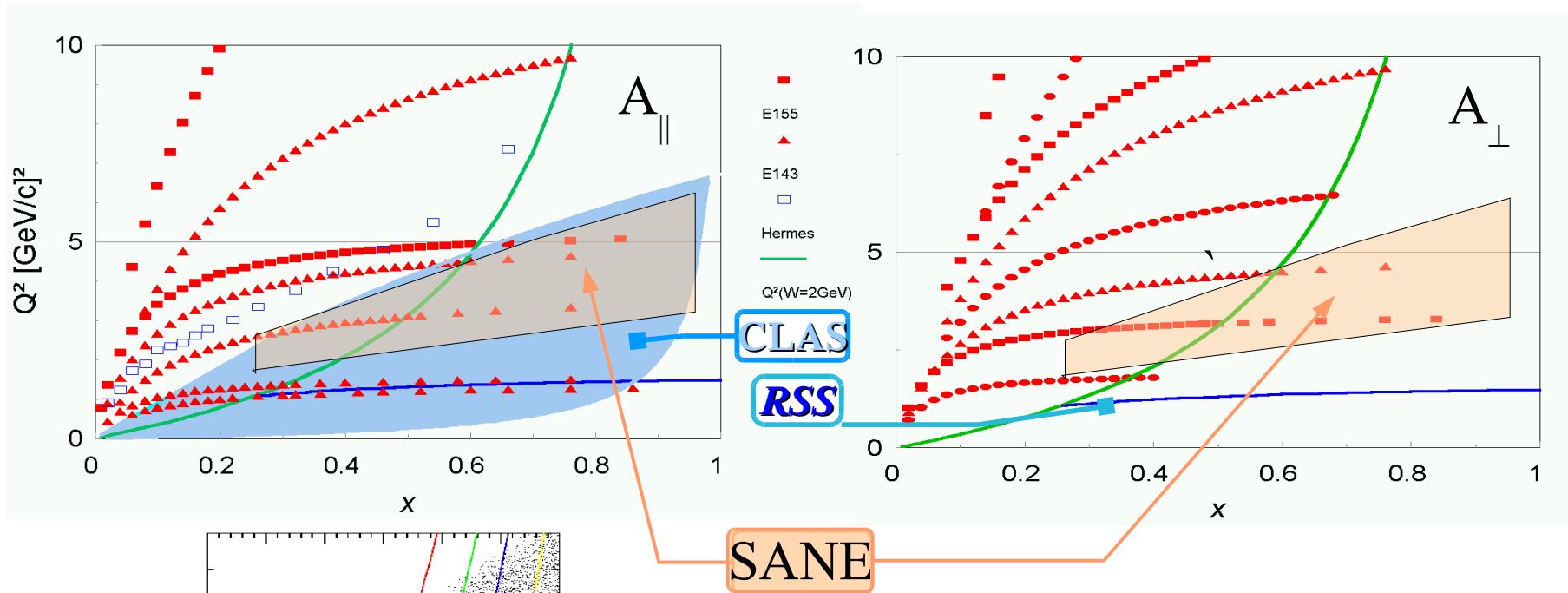
- x dependence at constant Q^2 and Q^2 dependence at fixed x (illustrative binning)
- data are concentrated in the region most sensitive to $x^2 g_{2,1}$
 - (estimates based on 75% beam and target polarization and 85 nA beam current)

SANE Expected Results (III)



- Constrain extrapolations of A_1^p to $x = 1$ within ± 0.1 (using duality)
- Both A_{\parallel} and A_{\perp} are required to get accurate, model-free A_1 : $A_2 > 0$
- SANE's measured A_2 will contribute to improve world's A_1 data set

World data on A_{\parallel} , A_{\perp} and SANE kinematics



- Two beam energies: **6 GeV**, **4.8 GeV**
- Very good high x coverage with detector at 40°

SANE Layout

BETA (40°)

BigCal

Lucite Hodoscope

Gas Cherenkov

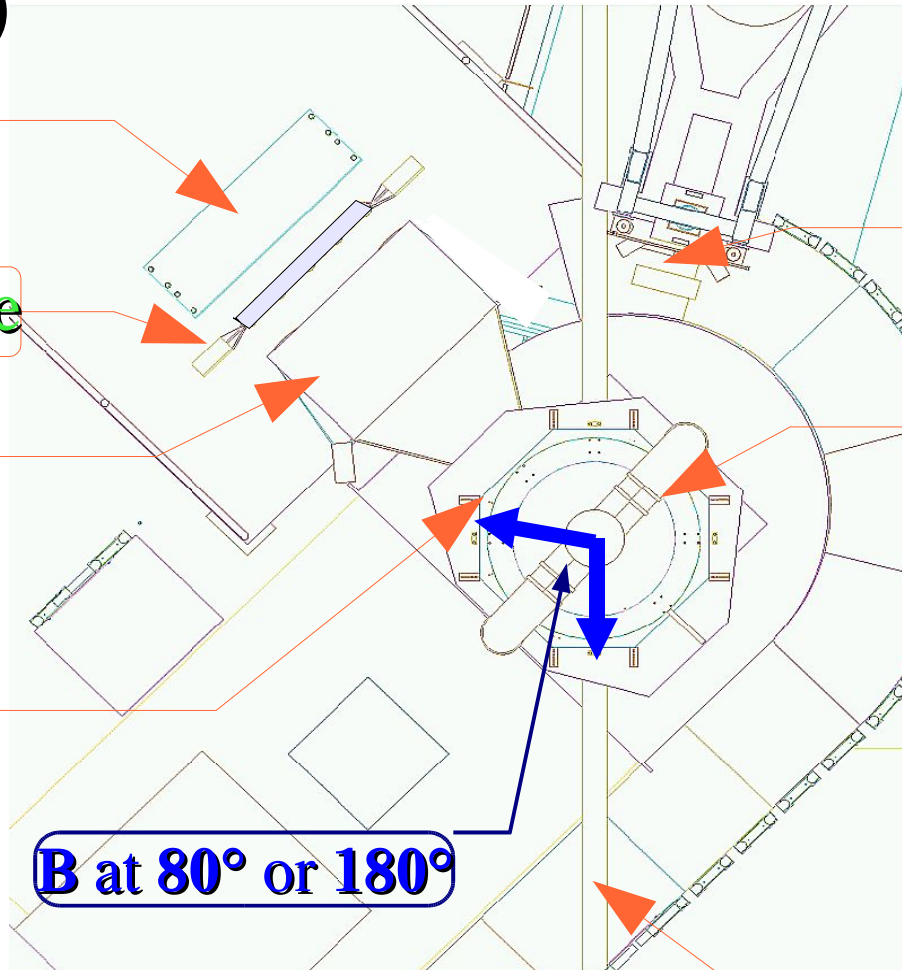
Forward
Hodoscope

B at 80° or 180°

HMS (13° - 48°)
calibrations, backgd.

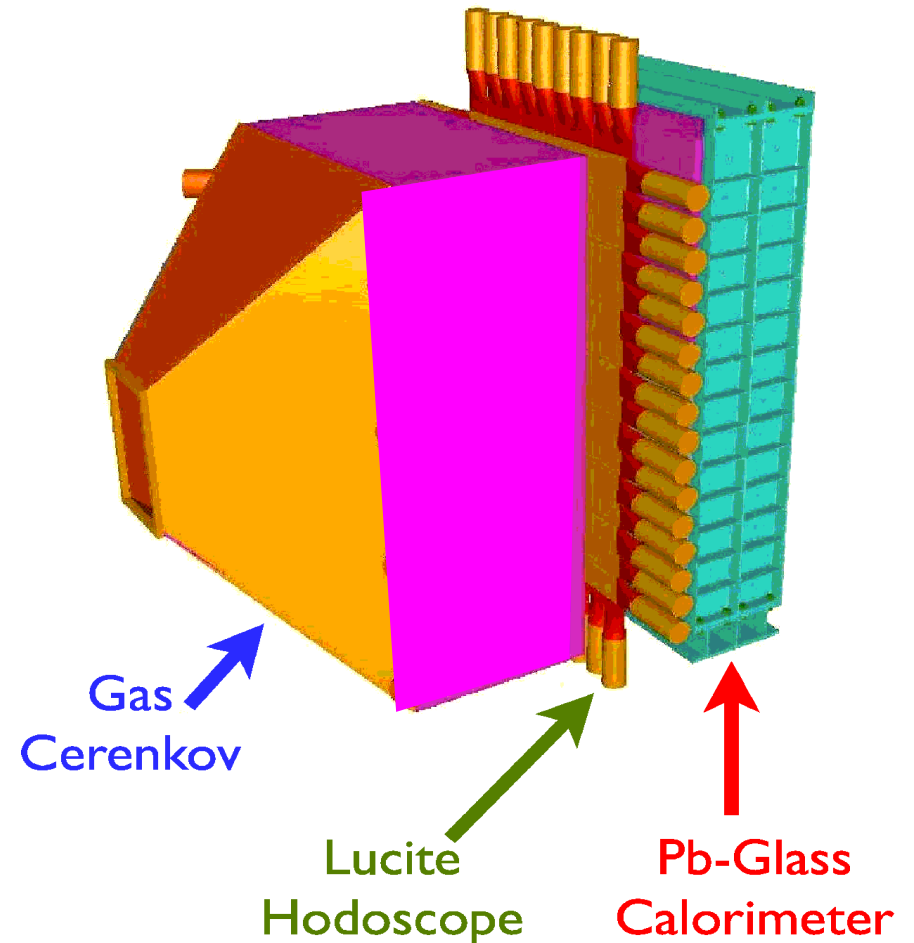
Polarized Target

Beam Line



Big Electron Telescope Array - BETA

- **BigCal** lead glass calorimeter: main detector, being built for *GEp-III*.
- **Gas Cherenkov**: additional pion rejection
- Tracking **Lucite hodoscope**
- Tracking fiber-on-scintillator **forward hodoscope**
- BETA's characteristics
 - Effective solid angle = 0.194 sr
 - Energy resolution $5\%/\sqrt{E(\text{GeV})}$
 - 1000:1 pion rejection
 - vertex resolution ~ 5 mm
 - angular resolution ~ 1 mr
- Target field sweeps low E' **background**



(Artist view of Reference design)

Beam Time

PAC31 "A" rating

	Energy	θ_N	Time (h)
Calibration	2.4	off, 0, 180	47
Production	4.8	180	70
	4.8	80	130
	6.0	80	200
	6.0	180	100
Systematics	Packing Fraction		20
	Mollers		21
	Total beam time		588
Overhead	Anneals		62
	Energy Change		48
	Target Rotation		48
	Stick Changes		48
	Total Overhead		206
Commissioning	14 calendar days		
Total	70 calendar days		

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SANE Status

- Thirteen collaboration meetings since 11/2003, latest on 3/31/2006
- Submitted Beam Request on 9/14/06
- Hall C schedule: SANE tentatively to start in 7/2008
- Readiness review in July 2007

SUMMARY

Steady progress over 3+ years

SANE is pioneering spin physics with large non-magnetic detectors

A High Precision Measurement of the Deuteron Spin Structure Function g_1^d/F_1^d

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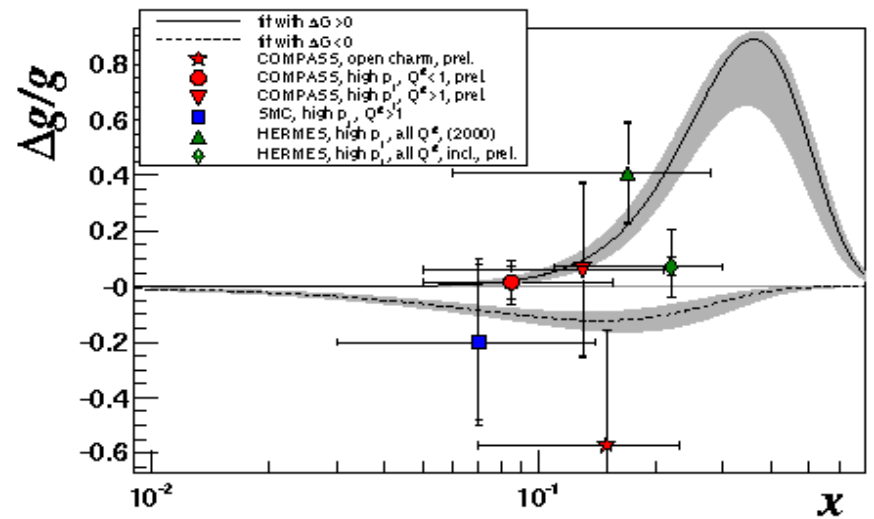
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- Make definitive measurement of **deuteron** spin structure function $g_1^d/F_1^d(x, Q^2)$ in DIS kinematics with a 6 GeV beam
- Goal is to provide anchor points to NLO pQCD with higher twist corrections fit to extract the gluon polarization $\Delta g(x)$
- Also, test nuclear effects on spin structure with ND_3 and ${}^6\text{LiD}$ targets

Method and Sample of Expected Results

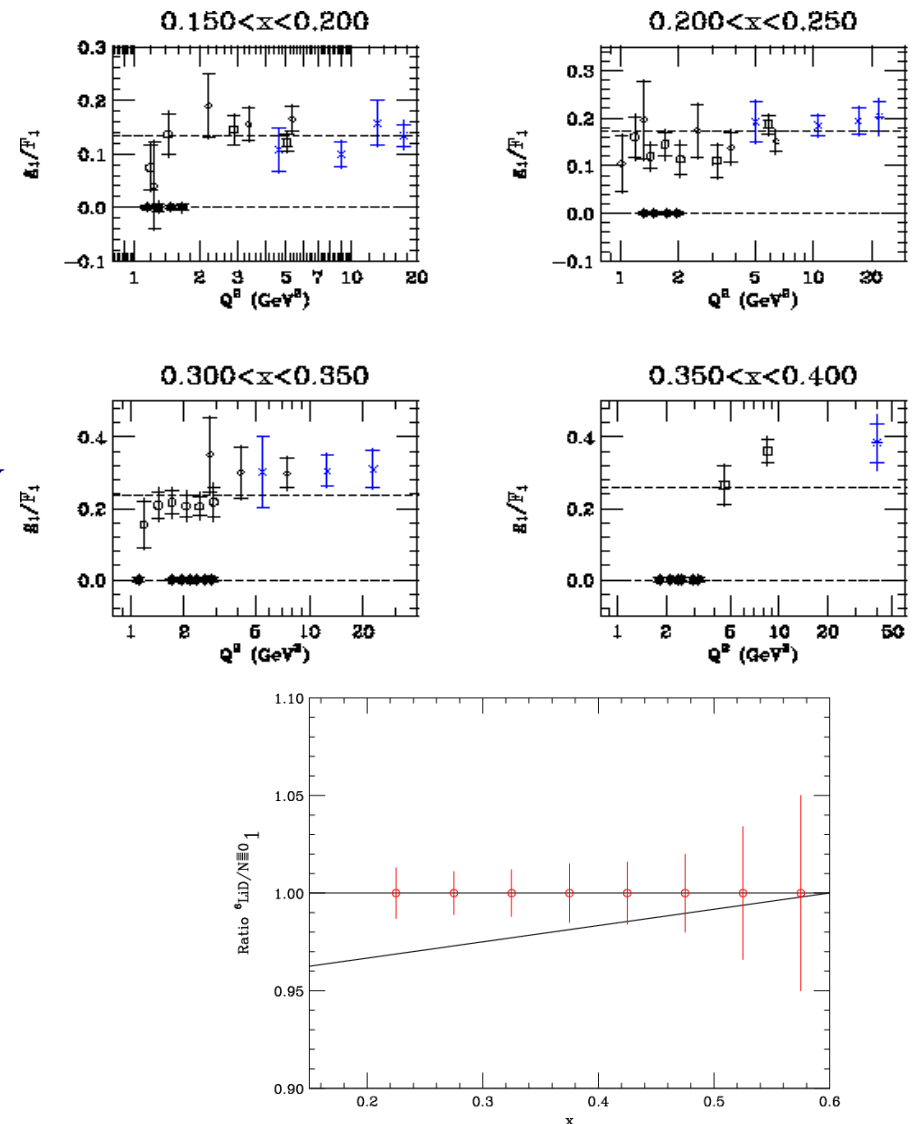
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SemiSANE

Flavor Decomposition of Nucleon Spin

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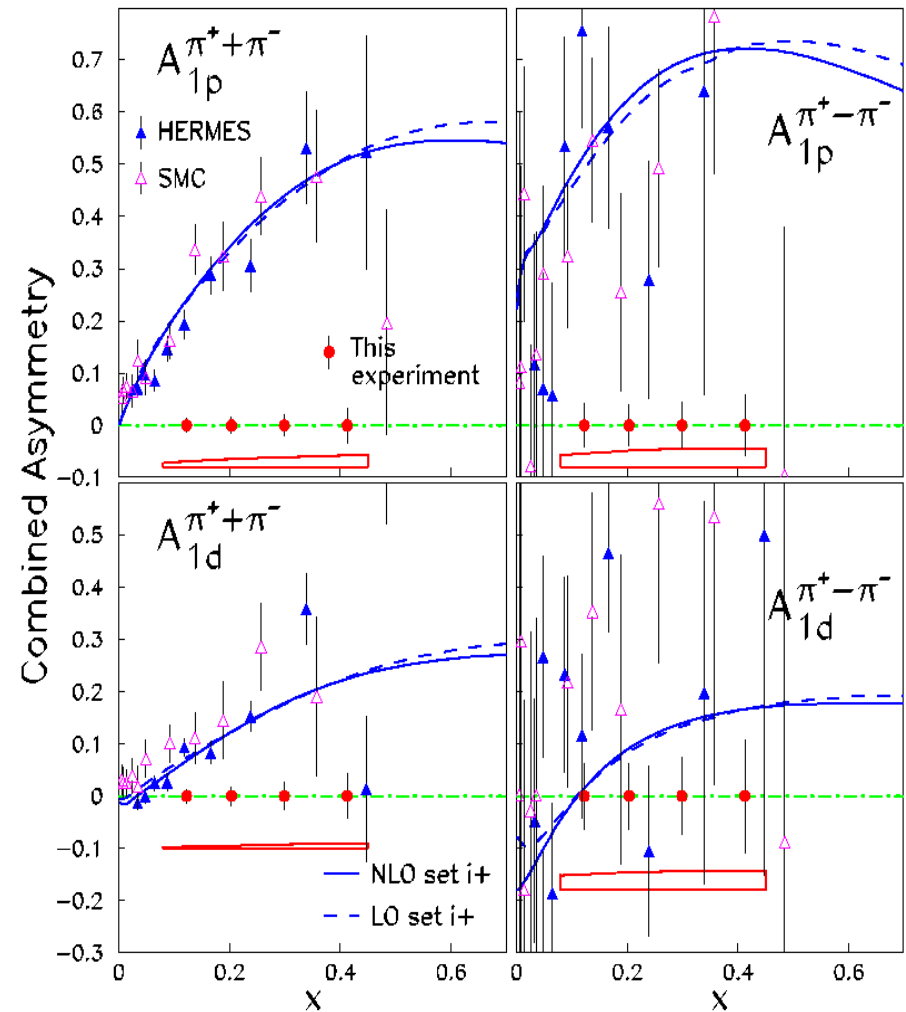
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- Measure **proton** and **deuteron** semi-inclusive spin asymmetries in polarized DIS reactions $p(e,e'h)$ and $d(e,e'h)$: **Semi-SANE**
 - $h = \pi^{+,-}, K^{+,-}$, $1.2 \leq Q^2 \leq 3.2 \text{ GeV}^2$, $0.12 \leq x \leq 0.43$, for hadrons with $0.5 \leq z \leq 0.7$
 - Extract the Δu , Δd , Δs , and anti-quark spin components
- Detect electrons with BigCal at 30° and hadrons with HMS

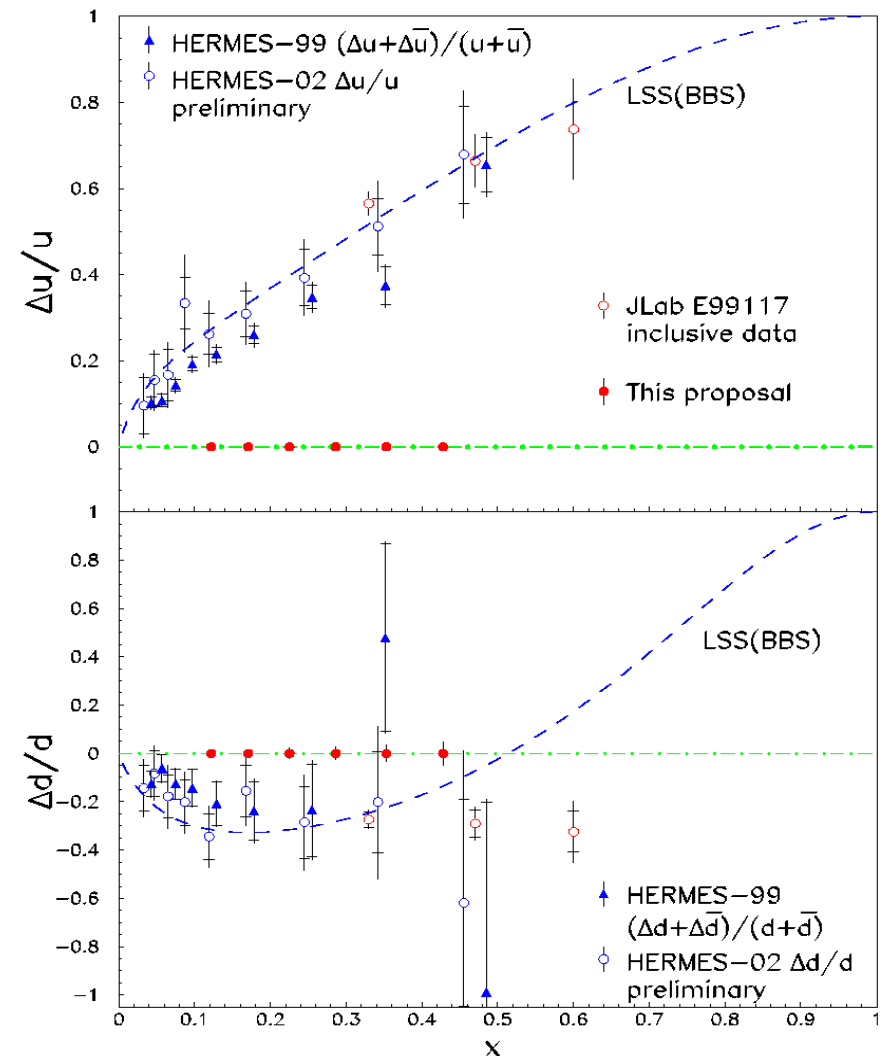
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 - combine with inclusive data to probe polarized light sea flavor asymmetry
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- Expected results for the u and d flavor asymmetries several times more precise than current world data
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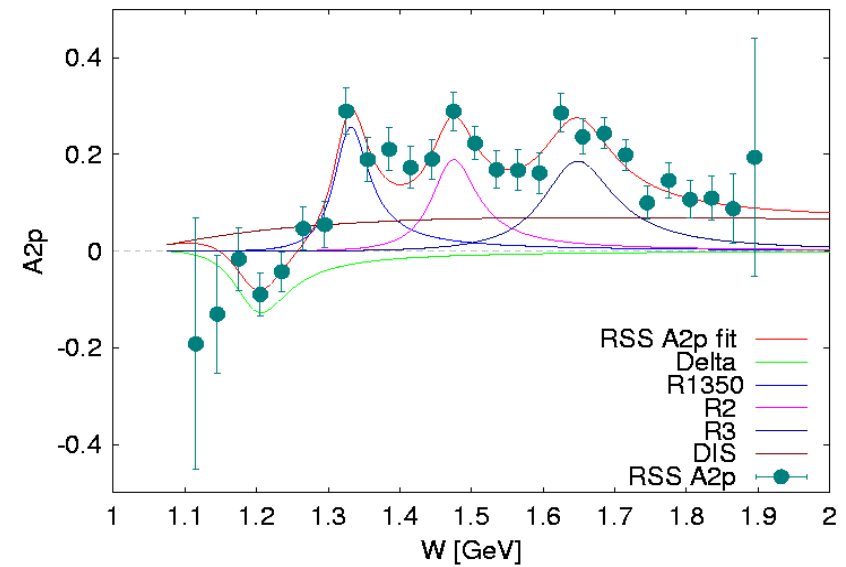
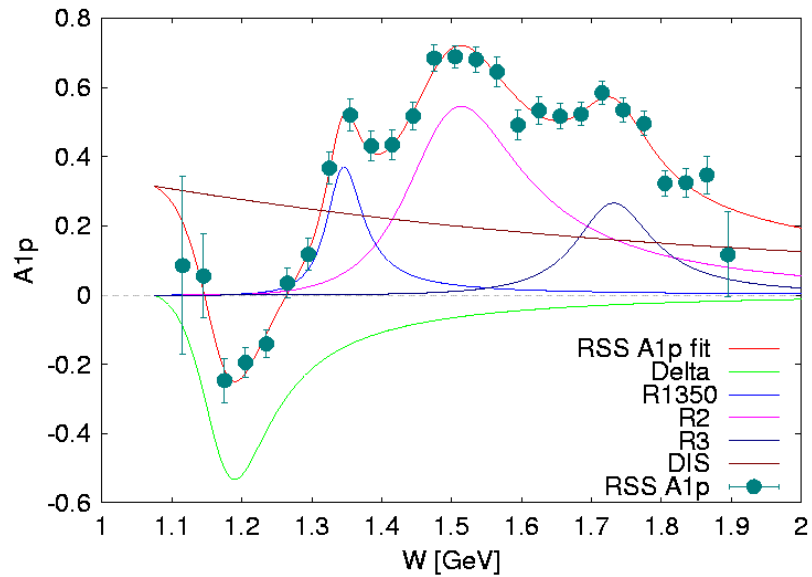


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RSS Fit to the SA's



- Four Breit-Wigner resonance shapes plus DIS background
- Fit A_1 and A_2 independently
- Reduced $\chi^2 = 1.2 - 1.4$ for 12 d.o.f.

Beyond Inclusive Scattering

- Eight quark distribution functions:
 - k_{\perp} independent (leading twist)
 - F_1, g_1 : inclusive
 - δ : transversity (h_T)
 - k_{\perp} dependent
 - $g_T = g_1 + g_2$: inclusive, mixed twist
 - $h_{1L}^{\perp}, h_{1T}^{\perp}$: semi-inclusive, T -even
 - $f_{1T}^{\perp}, h_1^{\perp}$: semi-inclusive, T -odd
 - Spin Dependent Fragmentation: Semi-Inclusive Leptoproduction
 - Detect hadron (π, K, \dots)-lepton in coincidence
 - Semi-inclusive Asymmetry
- $$A_1^h(x, z, Q^2) = \frac{\sum e_f^2 \Delta q_f(x, Q^2) D_f^h(z, Q^2)}{\sum_{z=E_h/\nu} e_f^2 q_f(x, Q^2) D_f^h(z, Q^2)}$$
- Spin Dependent Exclusive Scattering: Generalized Parton Distributions