

# **Theoretical overview of current status and future directions of spin studies**

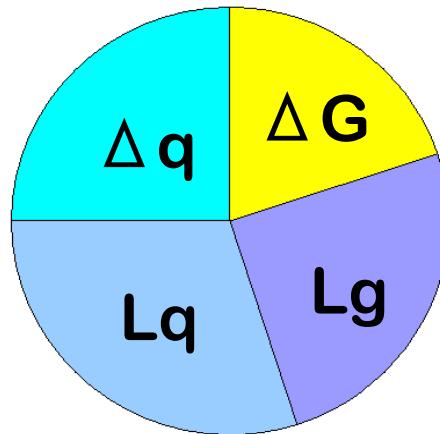
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# Outline of my talk

I will concentrate on two features of spin physics:

- ❑ Spin sum rule: the proton's spin budget?



- ❑ Spin as a tool to probe the hadron's partonic structure and QCD dynamics

# Challenges of strong interaction

- Hadron properties in terms of dynamics of quarks and gluons:

Hadron properties

Charge,  
Mass,  
**Spin,**  
Magnetic moment,  
...



QCD

Quarks  
Color,  
Flavor,  
Charge,  
Mass,  
Spin,  
...

+

Gluons  
Color,  
Spin,  
...

- Lattice QCD:

Could calculate all hadron properties in principle!

Has done an excellent job in reproducing the hadron mass spectrum

- But,

It does not reveal the space-time distribution of partons inside a hadron,  
details of interactions, reasons of confinement, ...

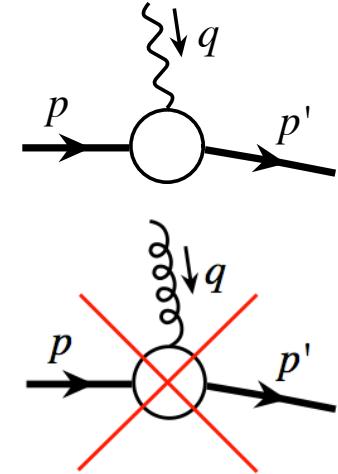
# Hadron properties – parton dynamics

## □ How color is distributed inside a hadron? (possible clue for color confinement, ...)

✧ Electric form factor → charge distribution

But, no color form factor!

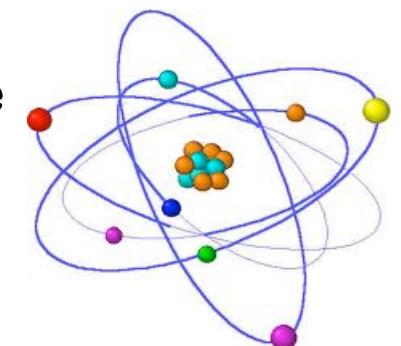
✧ Hadron is a color singlet, but, gluon carries color



## □ How partons and their interaction build up the hadron mass?

✧ Atom mass – heavy nucleus + light electrons  
– concentrated mass and “localized” charge source

No “localized” color source for light hadrons!

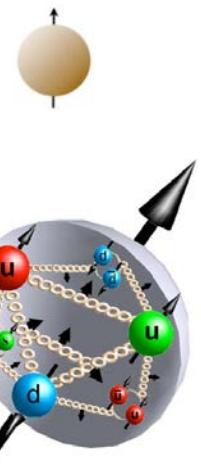


✧ Hadron mass < Energy scale to “see”  
localized partons (live long enough) - hard for pQCD approach

# Something special about spin

## □ Spin of an elementary particle:

An intrinsic quantum property of the particle



## □ Spin of a composite particle – like a proton:

Angular momentum when the particle is at rest

= Spin of elementary partons  
(intrinsic quantum effect)

+

Motion of the partons  
(dynamical – fundamental interaction)

## □ Proton's spin budget in QCD: Jaffe-Manohar, Ji, Chen et al, Wakamatsu, ...

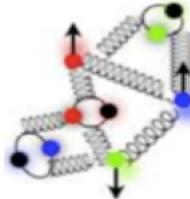
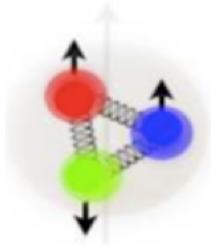
$$S(\mu) = \sum_f \langle P, S | \hat{J}_f^z(\mu) | P, S \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \equiv J_q(\mu) + J_g(\mu) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \Sigma_q + L_q + (\Delta G + L_g)$$

The decomposition is not unique! Only the total sum is physical!

# Spin as a hadron property

## □ Complexity of the proton state – scale dependence:

$$S(\mu) = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$\mu \Rightarrow \infty$$

Ji, 2005

## □ Asymptotic limit:

$$J_q(\mu \rightarrow \infty) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{3N_f}{16 + 3N_f} \sim \frac{1}{4} \quad J_g(\mu \rightarrow \infty) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{16}{16 + 3N_f} \sim \frac{1}{4}$$

## □ Spin sum rule – not unique!

$$S(\mu) = \frac{1}{2} \Sigma(\mu) + L_q(\mu) + \Delta G(\mu) + [J_g(\mu) - \Delta G(\mu)]$$

Intrinsic parton's spin:  $\Sigma(Q^2) = \sum [\Delta q(Q^2) + \Delta \bar{q}(Q^2)]$ ,  $\Delta G(Q^2)$

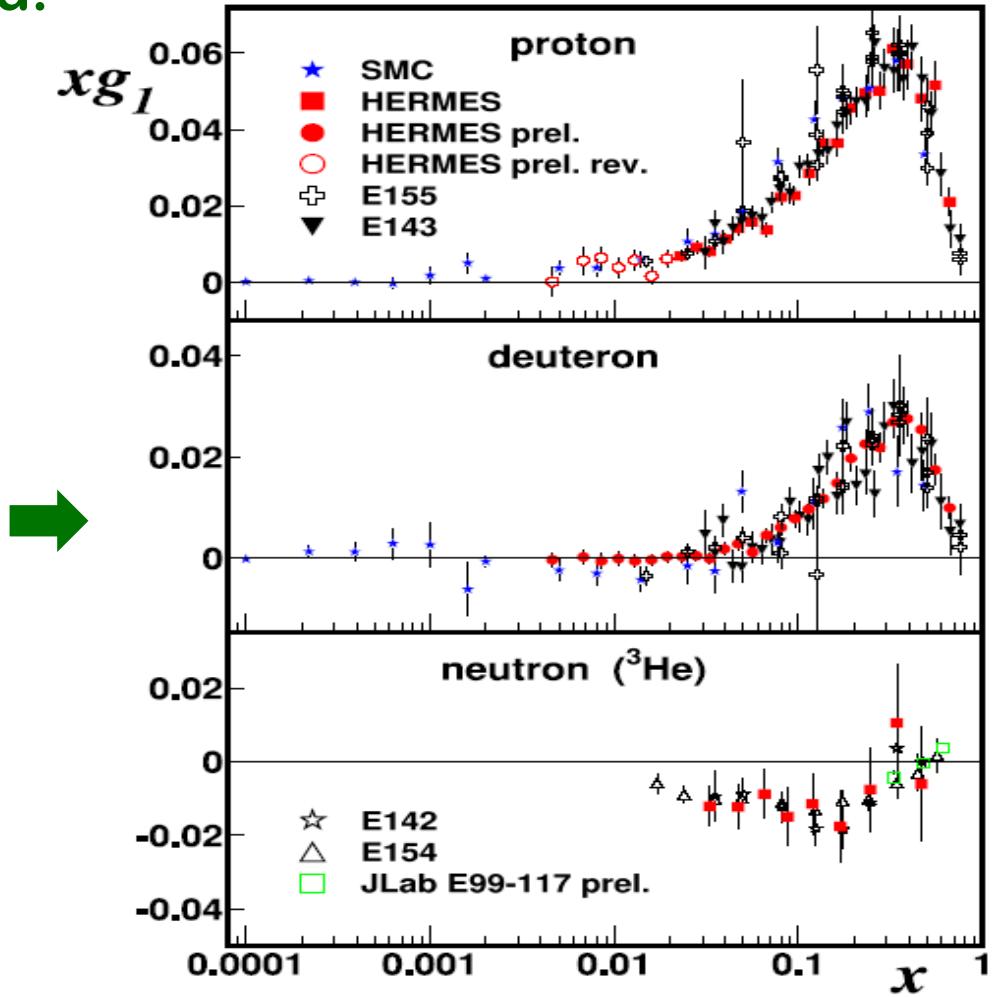
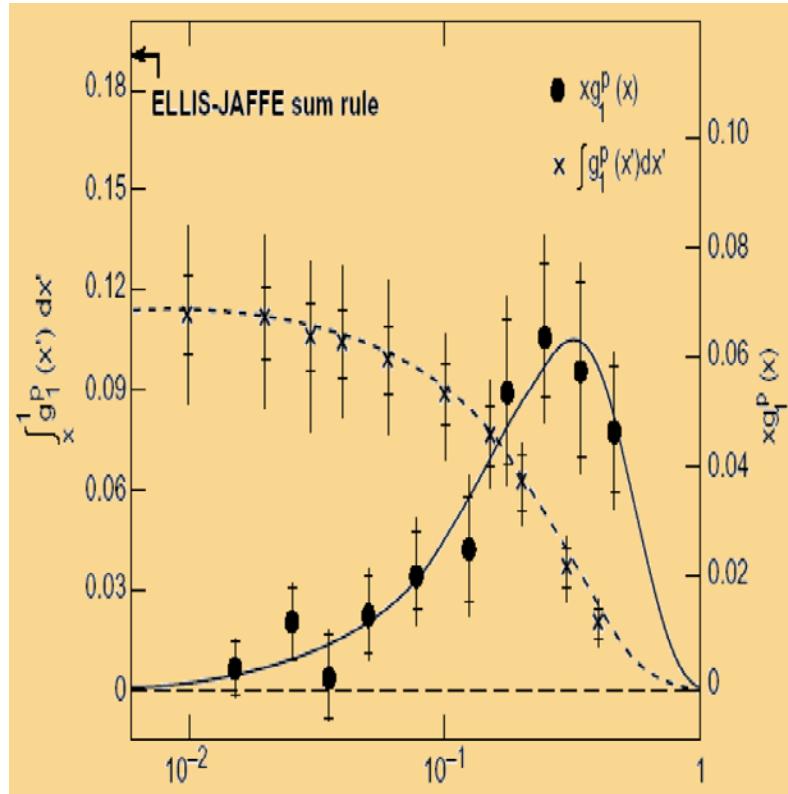
dynamical parton motion:  $L_q(Q^2)$ ,  $L_g(Q^2)$

## □ Spin decomposition – at different distance scales:

Learn QCD dynamics, not much details in partonic structure!

# Role of quark's spin – twenty years' effort

- The EMC's “Plot” is improved:



- But, the puzzle remains!

$$\Delta\Sigma(Q^2) = \sum_q [\Delta q(Q^2) + \Delta \bar{q}(Q^2)] \ll 1$$

Quark spin  $\sim 25\%$

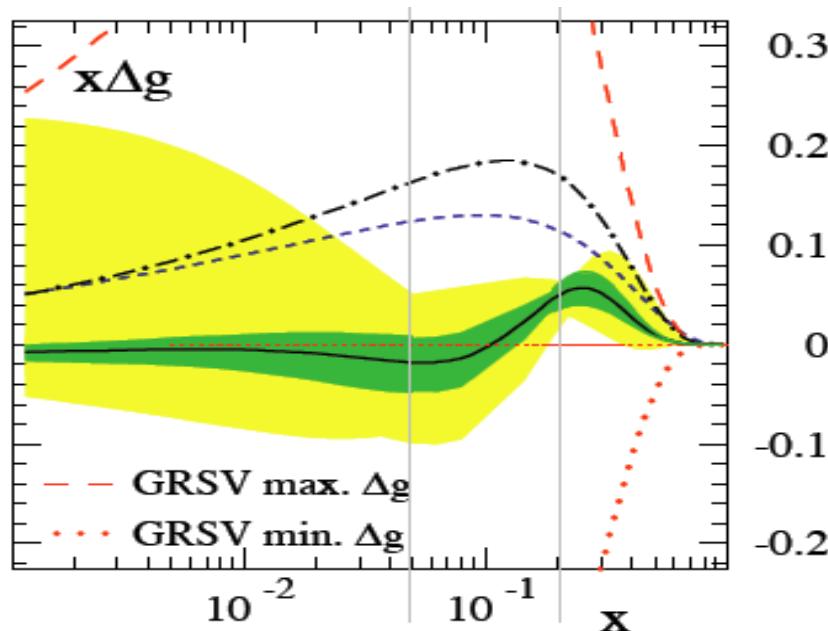
# Role of gluon's spin – RHIC's spin program

- Definition – in terms of a non-local operator! – small  $x$ ?

$$\Delta G = \int_0^1 dx \Delta G(x) = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{xp^+} \int \frac{dy^-}{2\pi} e^{ixp^+y^-} \langle p, s | F^{+\mu}(0) F^{+\nu}(y^-) | p, s \rangle (-i\epsilon_{\mu\nu})$$

- NLO QCD global fit - DSSV:

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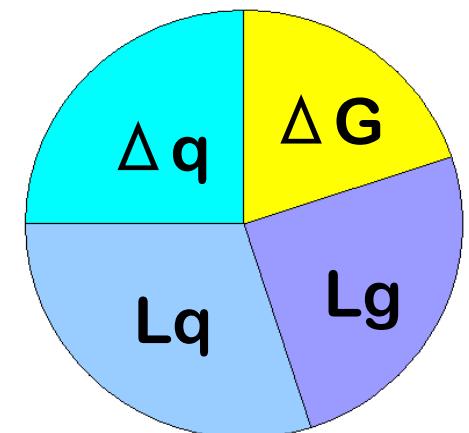


$$\Delta G \approx \int_{0.001}^1 dx \Delta G(x) = -0.084$$

Strong constraint on  $\Delta G$  from

$$0.05 \lesssim x \lesssim 0.2$$

Physics of the node?

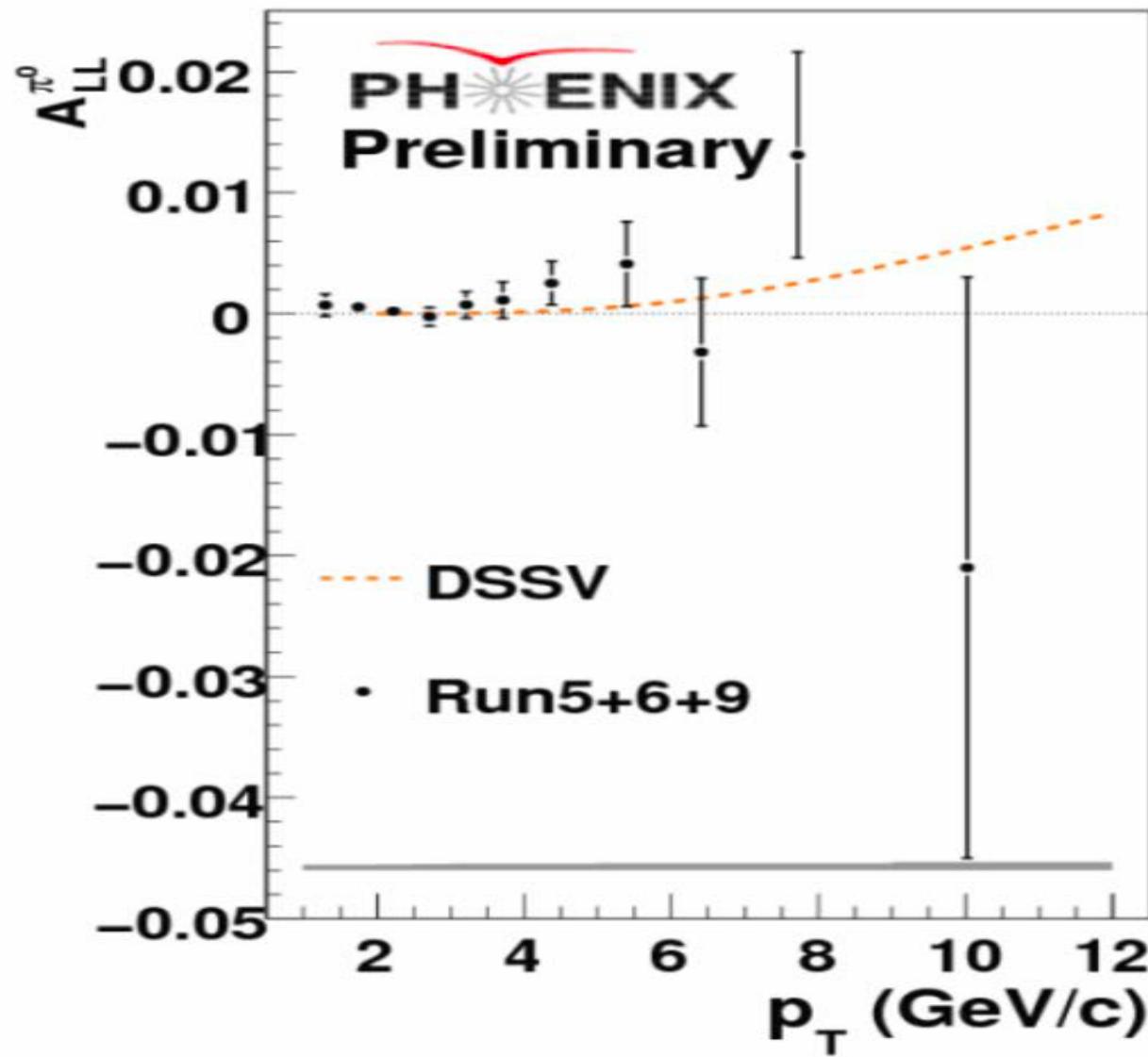


- Proton's spin budget:

Quark spin  $\sim 25\%$ , Gluon spin  $\sim 0\%$

# New PHENIX data – Run 9

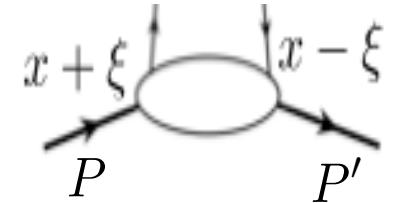
- Combine data from Run 5, 6, and 9:



# Contribution from parton's orbital motion

## □ Generalized parton distributions (GPDs) - quark:

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_q(x, \xi, t, \mu^2) &= \int \frac{d\lambda}{2\pi} e^{-ix\lambda} \langle P' | \bar{\psi}_q(\lambda/2) \frac{\gamma \cdot n}{2P \cdot n} \psi_q(-\lambda/2) | P \rangle \\
 &\equiv H_q(x, \xi, t, \mu^2) [\bar{\mathcal{U}}(P') \gamma^\mu \mathcal{U}(P)] \frac{n_\mu}{2P \cdot n} \\
 &+ E_q(x, \xi, t, \mu^2) \left[ \bar{\mathcal{U}}(P') \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu}(P' - P)_\nu}{2M} \mathcal{U}(P) \right] \frac{n_\mu}{2P \cdot n}
 \end{aligned}$$

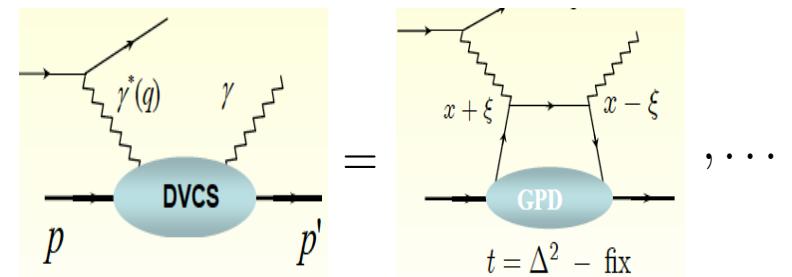


**with**  $\xi = (P' - P) \cdot n / 2$  and  $t = (P' - P)^2 \Rightarrow -\Delta_\perp^2$  if  $\xi \rightarrow 0$

## □ Net quark's orbital motion:

Ji, PRL78, 1997

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_q &= \frac{1}{2} \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \int dx x [H_q(x, \xi, t) + E_q(x, \xi, t)] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \Delta q + L_q
 \end{aligned}$$



## □ Similarly, for gluon GPDs

C. Weiss' talk on exclusive process tomorrow

Need to measure the exclusive processes – DIS is ideal  
(no factorization for hadronic diffractive processes!)

# Contribution from parton's orbital motion

- Moments of GPDs on lattice:

Negele et al

$$\langle J_q^i \rangle = S^i \int dx [H_q(x, 0, 0) + E_q(x, 0, 0)] x$$

- Ji's relation:

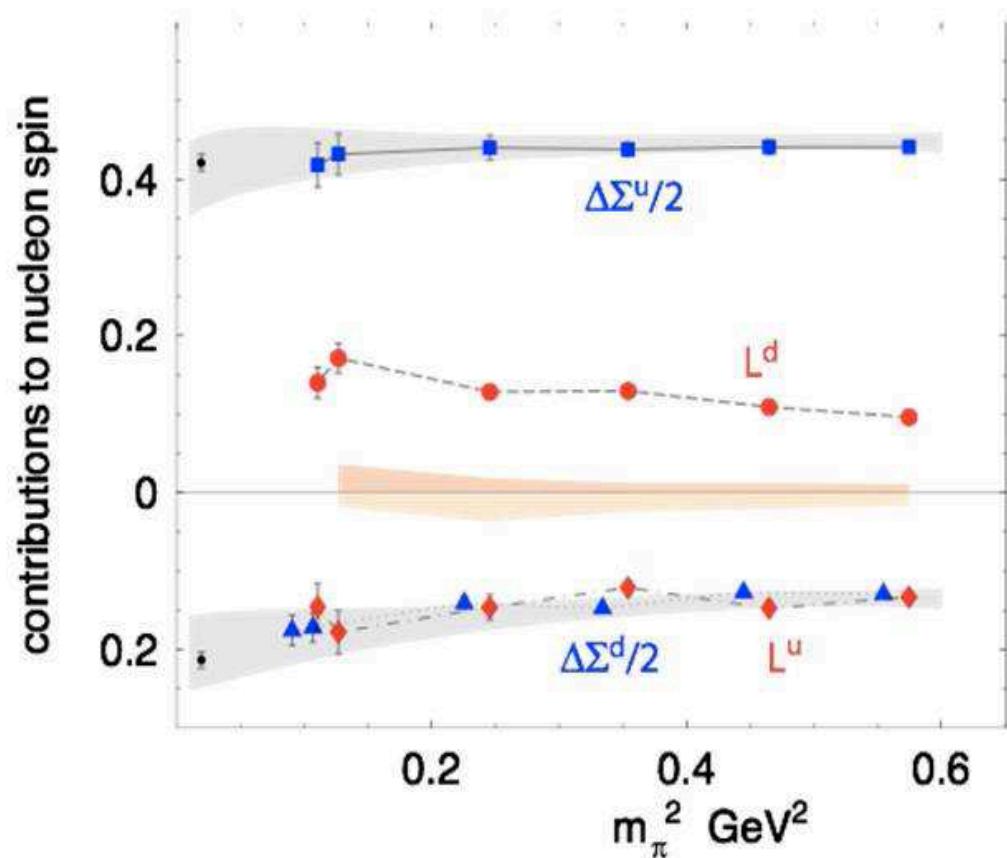
$$L_q^z = J_q^z - \frac{1}{2} \Delta q$$

- Both  $L_u$  and  $L_d$  large:

But,  $L_u + L_d \sim 0$

- Role of disconnected diagram – cloud?

EIC is an ideal place  
to measure GPDs – DVCS  
– energy and luminosity



# Challenges in determining the sum rule

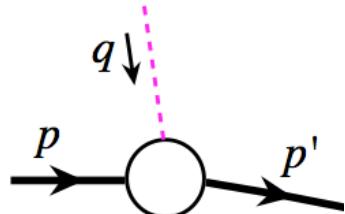
## □ “Proper” definition:

$$S(\mu) = \frac{1}{2} \Sigma(\mu) + L_q(\mu) + \Delta G(\mu) + [J_g(\mu) - \Delta G(\mu)]$$

- ✧ Confinement – No free quarks and gluons – only the “sum” is physical
- ✧ A good or meaningful decomposition:

Every term is connected to the physically measurable quantities with controllable approximation

## □ Exclusive processes – GPDs:



- ✧ Exchange a “vacuum” quantum number  
Any partonic combination with a “vacuum” quantum number can contribute  
 $q\bar{q}, q(g)^n\bar{q}, gg, g(g)^n g, \dots$
- ✧ Both real and imaginary part of amplitude contribute

Require a large  $Q^2$  – “localized” probe, and a large range of  $Q^2, \dots$

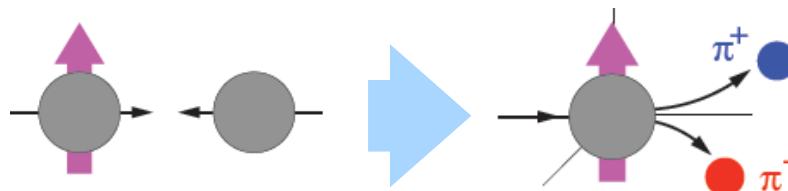
# Spin as a powerful tool

- The sum rule, such as the proton's spin budget, is interesting and important
- BUT, the  $x$ - and  $k_T$ -dependence of the distributions (the motion of a parton), and the correlation of multiple partons inside a hadron are even more interesting, more rich in dynamics
  - ✧ Transverse momentum dependent (TMD) distributions
  - 3-D motion of partons
  - ✧ Multi-parton correlation functions
  - Measurement of quantum interference
- Spin helps to separate and extract these information
  - Power of various spin asymmetries

# Parton's transverse motion

## □ Transverse single spin asymmetry (SSA):

$$A(p_A, s_\uparrow) + B(p_B) \rightarrow \pi(p) + X$$

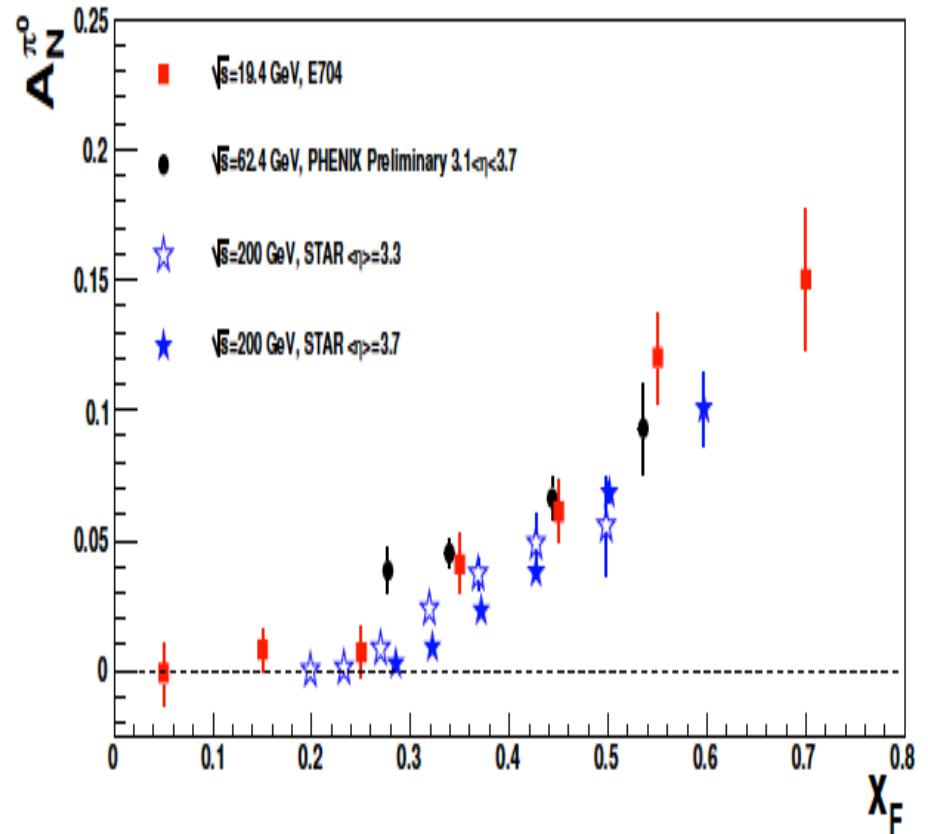


$$A(\ell, \vec{s}) \equiv \frac{\Delta\sigma(\ell, \vec{s})}{\sigma(\ell)} = \frac{\sigma(\ell, \vec{s}) - \sigma(\ell, -\vec{s})}{\sigma(\ell, \vec{s}) + \sigma(\ell, -\vec{s})}$$

## □ Vanish without parton's transverse motion:



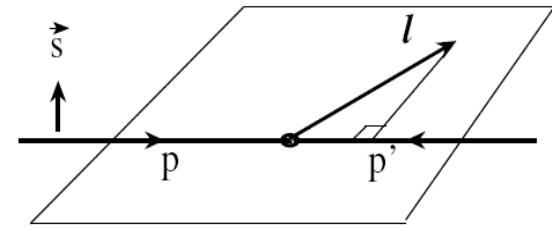
A direct probe for parton's transverse motion,  
Spin-orbital correlation, QCD quantum interference



# SSA in collinear parton model

- SSA corresponds to a naively T-odd triple product:

$$A_N \propto i \vec{s}_p \cdot (\vec{p} \times \vec{\ell}) \Rightarrow i \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} p_\mu s_\nu \ell_\alpha p'_\beta$$

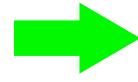


Novanish  $A_N$  requires a phase, enough vectors to fix a scattering plan, and a spin flip at the partonic scattering

- Leading power in QCD:

Kane, Pumplin, Repko, PRL, 1978

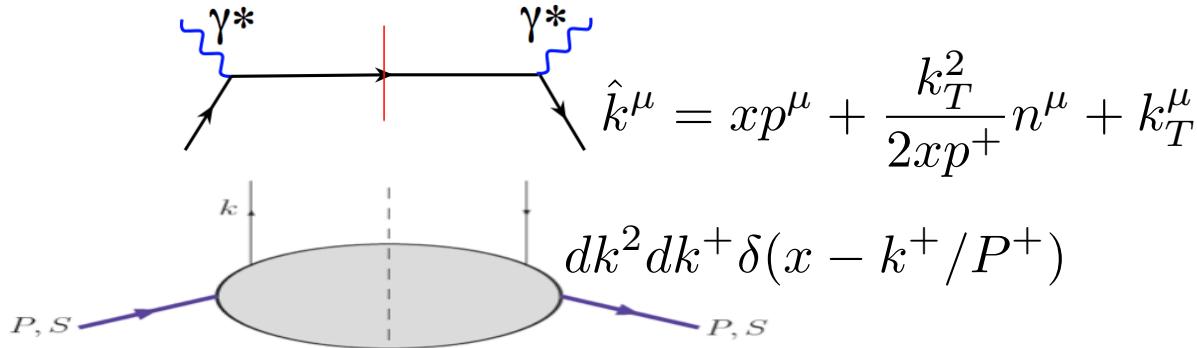
$$\sigma_{AB}(p_T, \vec{s}) \propto \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{Feynman diagram with two gluons from A and two gluons to B} \\ + \quad \text{Feynman diagram with one gluon from A and three gluons to B} \\ + \dots \end{array} \right| = \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{Feynman diagram with two gluons from A and two gluons to B} \\ = \quad \text{Feynman diagram with a box of gluons and a quark-gluon vertex} \end{array} \right| \propto \alpha_s \frac{m_q}{p_T}$$



$A_N$  connects to parton's transverse motion!

# TMD parton distributions

## □ Quark TMD distributions:



$$\begin{aligned}\Phi(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ f_1 \not{h}_+ + f_{1T}^\perp \frac{\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \gamma^\mu n_+^\nu k_\perp^\rho S_T^\sigma}{M} + \left( S_L (g_{1L}) + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp \cdot \mathbf{S}_T}{M} g_{1T}^\perp \right) \gamma^5 \not{h}_+ \right. \\ &+ \left( h_{1T} (i\sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma^5 n_+^\mu S_T^\nu) + \left( S_L (h_{1L}^\perp) + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp \cdot \mathbf{S}_T}{M} h_{1T}^\perp \right) \frac{i\sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma^5 n_+^\mu k_\perp^\nu}{M} \right. \\ &\left. \left. + h_1^\perp \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu} k_\perp^\mu n_+^\nu}{M} \right] \right]\end{aligned}$$

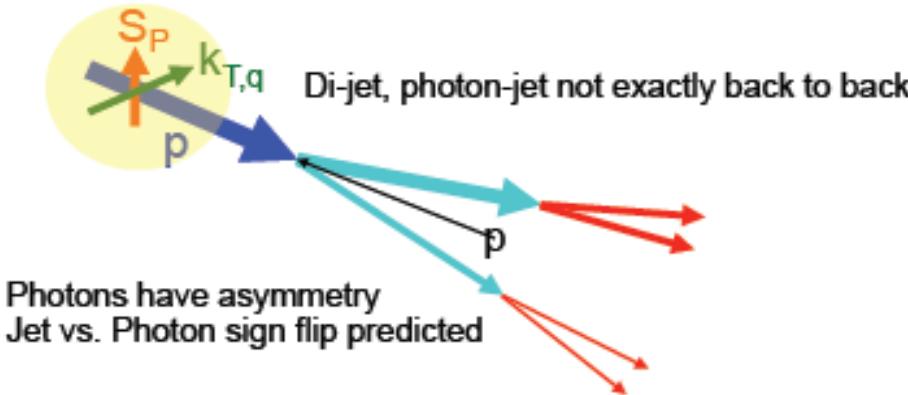
Total 8 TMD quark distributions

## □ Gluon TMD distributions, ...

Production of quarkonium, two-photon, ...

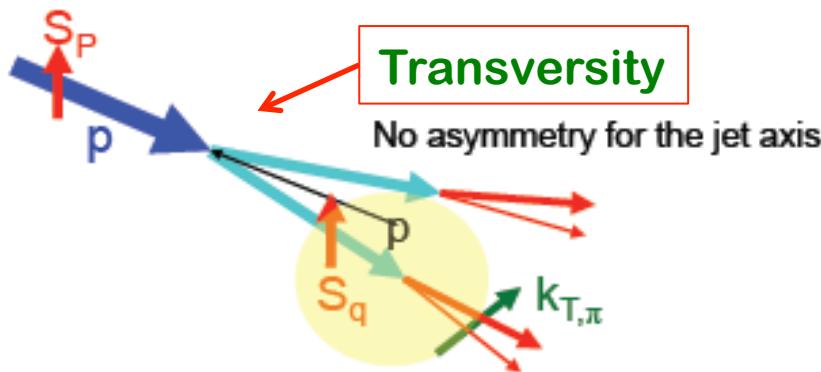
# Measure TMD's

## □ Sivers' effect – Sivers' function:



Hadron spin influences parton's transverse motion

## □ Collin's effect – Collin's function:



Parton's transverse spin affects its hadronization

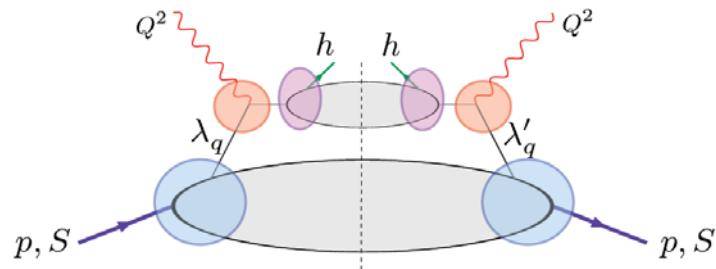
Separation of different effects?

## □ Need TMD factorization to quantify parton transverse motion!

Two-scale problem in QCD:  $Q_1 \gg Q_2 \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$

# SIDIS is ideal for studying TMDs

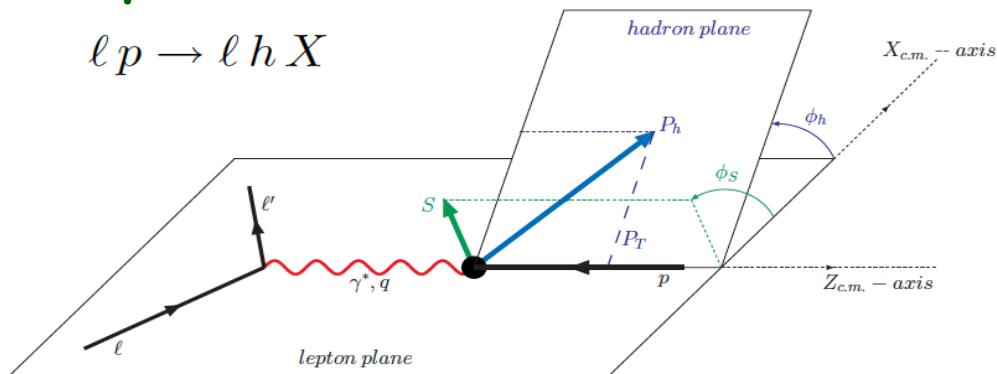
- SIDIS has the natural kinematics for TMD factorization:



$$\ell(s_e) + p(s_p) \rightarrow \ell + h(s_h) + X$$

Natural event structure:  
high  $Q$  and low  $p_T$  jet (or hadron)

- Separation of various TMD contribution by angular projection:



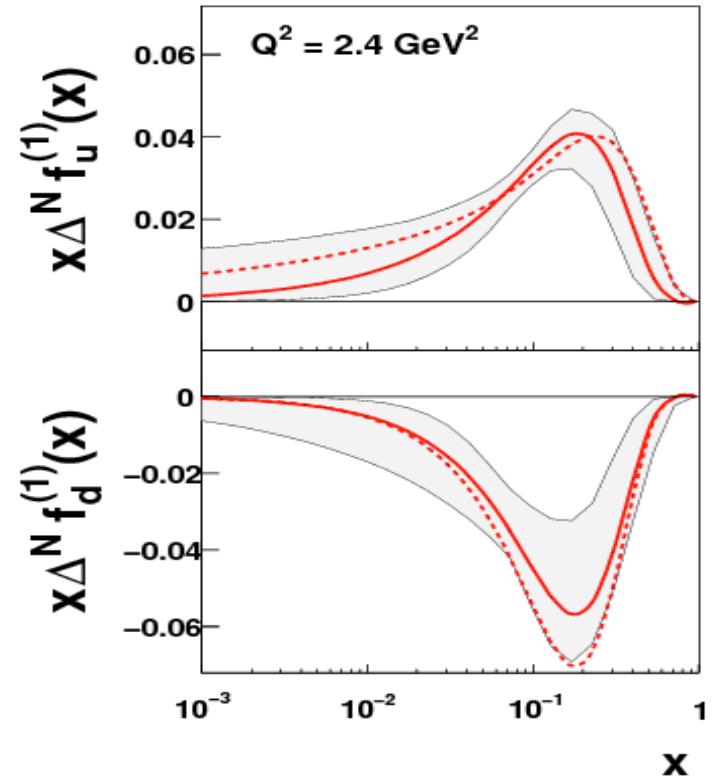
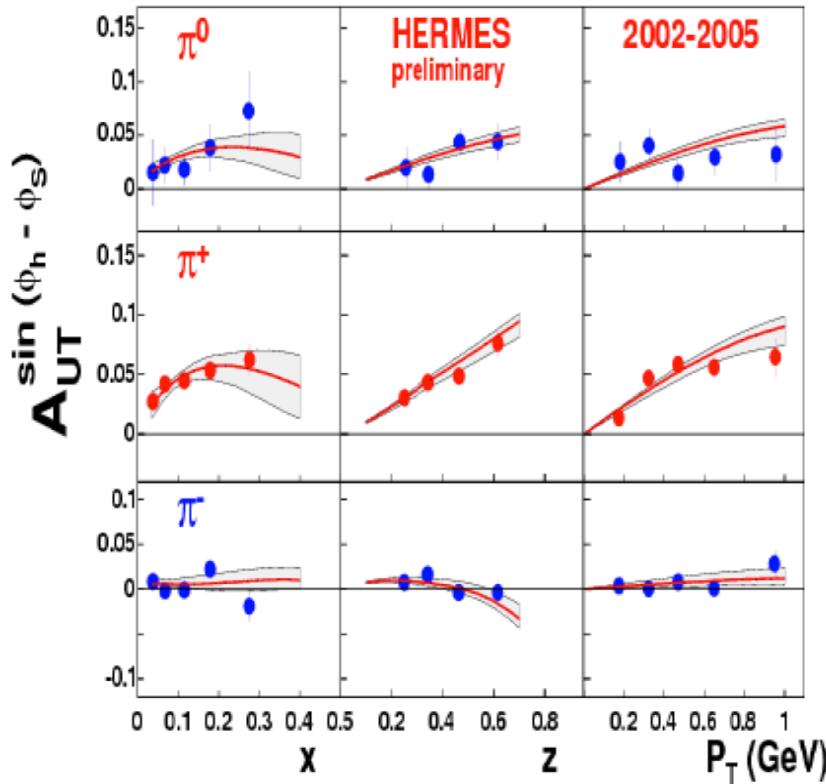
Lepton plane vs hadron plane

$$\begin{aligned} A_{UT}(\varphi_h^l, \varphi_S^l) &= \frac{1}{P} \frac{N^\uparrow - N^\downarrow}{N^\uparrow + N^\downarrow} \\ &= A_{UT}^{Collins} \sin(\phi_h + \phi_S) + A_{UT}^{Sivers} \sin(\phi_h - \phi_S) \quad \xrightarrow{\text{blue arrow}} \\ &+ A_{UT}^{Pretzelosity} \sin(3\phi_h - \phi_S) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A_{UT}^{Collins} &\propto \langle \sin(\phi_h + \phi_S) \rangle_{UT} \propto h_1 \otimes H_1^\perp \\ A_{UT}^{Sivers} &\propto \langle \sin(\phi_h - \phi_S) \rangle_{UT} \propto f_{1T}^\perp \otimes D_1 \\ A_{UT}^{Pretzelosity} &\propto \langle \sin(3\phi_h - \phi_S) \rangle_{UT} \propto h_{1T}^\perp \otimes H_1^\perp \end{aligned}$$

# Our knowledge of TMDs

## □ Sivers function from SIDIS:



EIC can do much better job in extracting TMDs

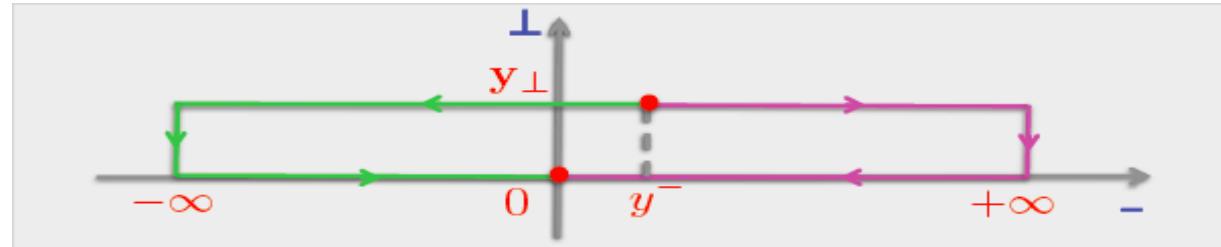
## □ NO TMD factorization for hadron production in p+p collisions!

Collins and Qiu, 2007, Vogelsang and Yuan, 2007, Mulders and Rogers, 2010, ...

# Critical test of TMD factorization

## □ TMD distributions with non-local gauge links:

$$f_{q/h^\dagger}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \vec{S}) = \int \frac{dy^- d^2 y_\perp}{(2\pi)^3} e^{ixp^+ y^- - i\mathbf{k}_\perp \cdot \mathbf{y}_\perp} \langle p, \vec{S} | \bar{\psi}(0^-, \mathbf{0}_\perp) \text{ Gauge link } \frac{\gamma^+}{2} \psi(y^-, \mathbf{y}_\perp) | p, \vec{S} \rangle$$



- For a fixed spin state:

$$f_{q/h^\dagger}^{\text{SIDIS}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \vec{S}) \neq f_{q/h^\dagger}^{\text{DY}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \vec{S})$$

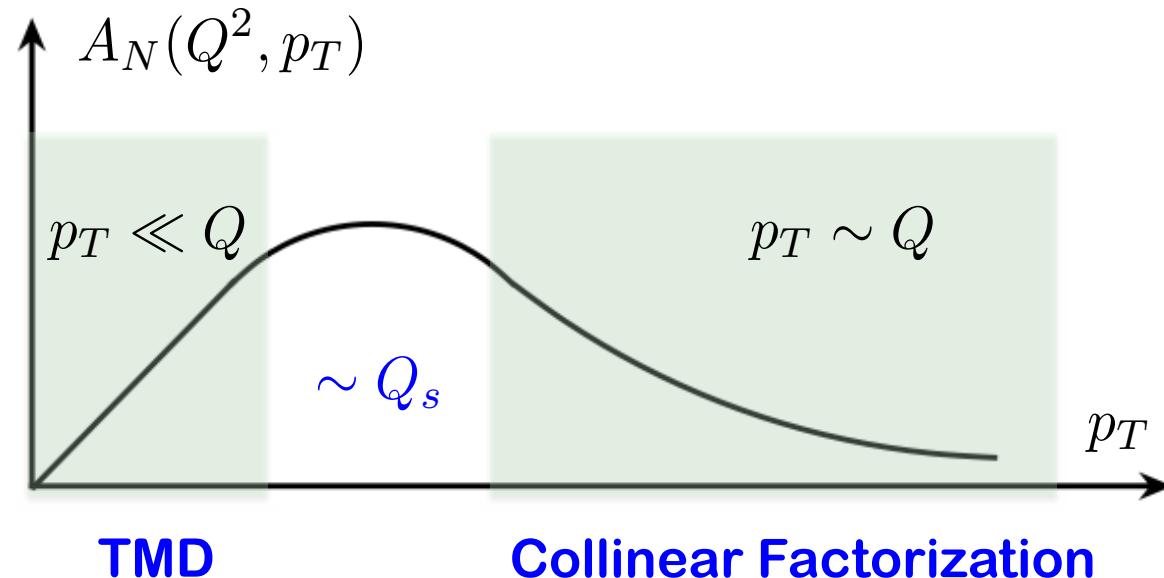
## □ Parity + Time-reversal invariance:

→  $f_{q/h^\dagger}^{\text{Sivers}}(x, k_\perp)^{\text{SIDIS}} = -f_{q/h^\dagger}^{\text{Sivers}}(x, k_\perp)^{\text{DY}}$

It is a critical test of TMD factorization approach

# Transition from low $p_T$ to high $p_T$

- Two-scale becomes one-scale:



- TMD factorization to collinear factorization:

Ji, Qiu, Vogelsang, Yuan,  
Koike, Vogelsang, Yuan

Two approaches are consistent in the overlap region:

$$\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll p_T \ll Q$$

$A_N$  finite – requires correlation of multiple collinear partons

New opportunities!

# Collinear factorization for SSA

## □ Collinear factorization beyond leading power:

$$\sigma(Q, \vec{s}) \propto \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{Feynman diagram 1} \\ + \\ \text{Feynman diagram 2} \\ + \dots \end{array} \right| \left| 2 \left( \frac{\langle k_{\perp} \rangle}{Q} \right)^n - \text{Expansion} \right|$$

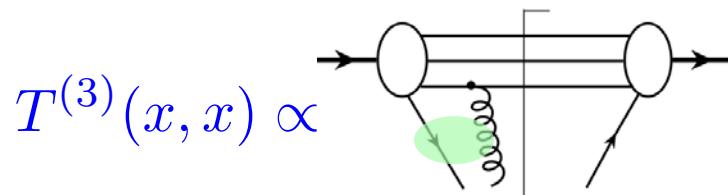
$$\sigma(Q, s_T) = H_0 \otimes f_2 \otimes f_2 + (1/Q) H_1 \otimes f_2 \otimes f_3 + \mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$$

Too large to compete!
Three-parton correlation

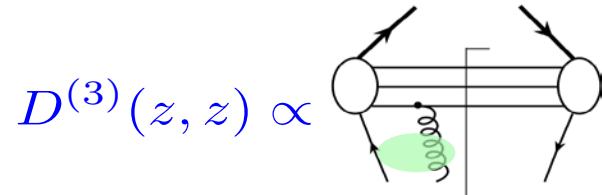
## □ Single transverse spin asymmetry:

Efremov, Teryaev, 82;  
Qiu, Sterman, 91, etc.

$$\Delta\sigma(s_T) \propto T^{(3)}(x, x) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_T \otimes D(z) + \delta q(x) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_D \otimes D^{(3)}(z, z) + \dots$$



Qiu, Sterman, 1991, ...

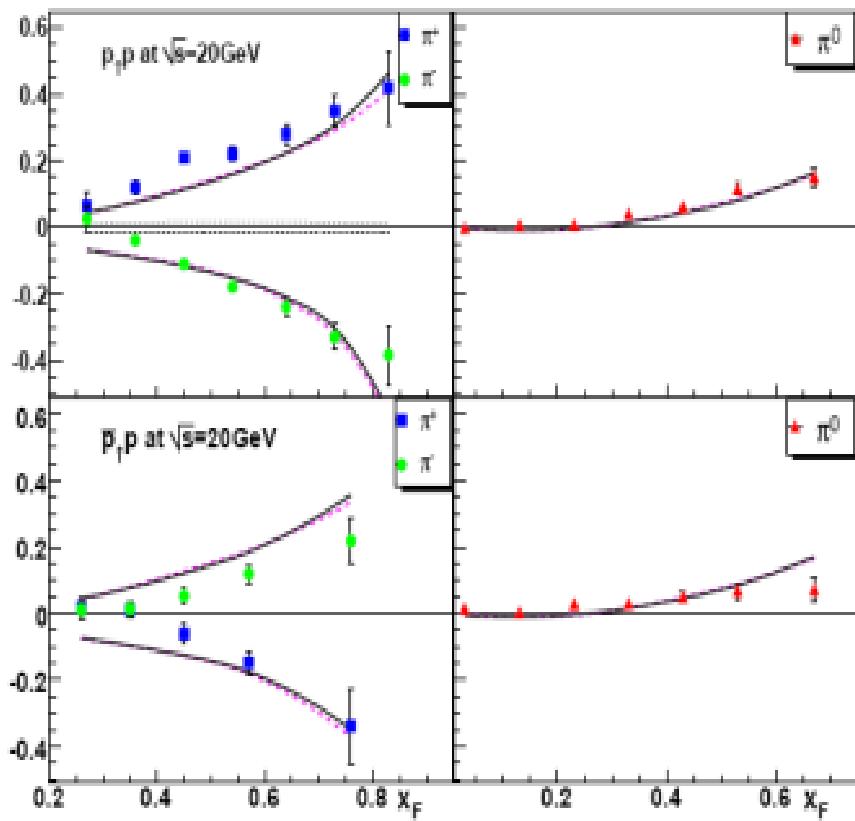


Kang, Yuan, Zhou, 2010

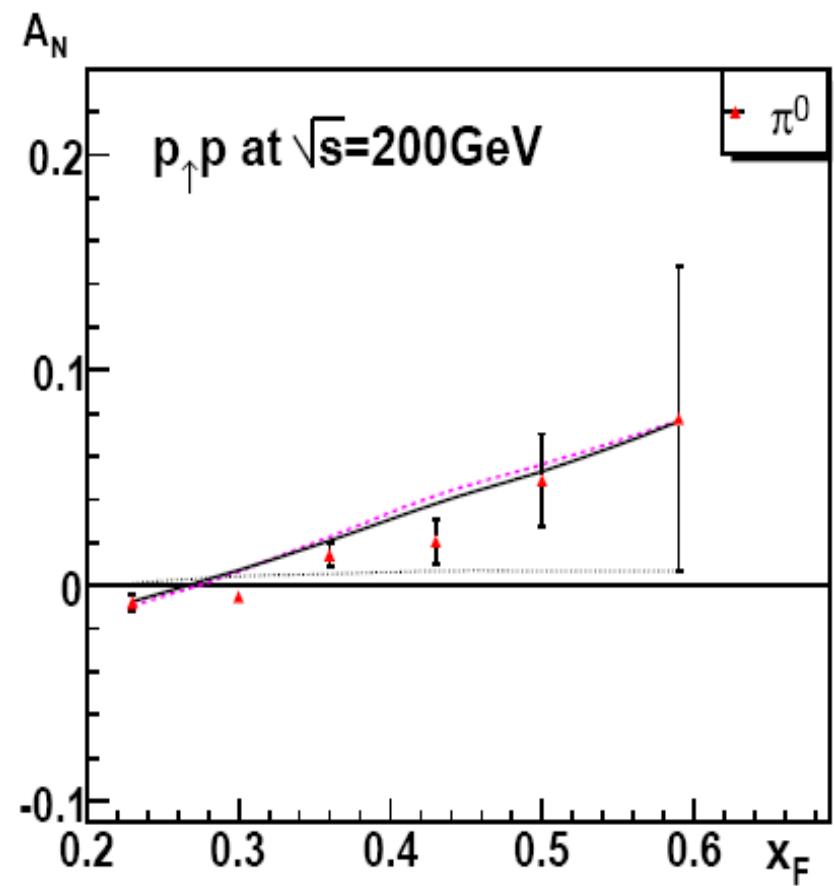
Integrated information on parton's transverse motion!

# $A_N$ from LO quark-gluon correlation

(FermiLab E704)



(RHIC STAR)



Kouvaris, Qiu, Vogelsang, Yuan, 2006

Nonvanish twist-3 function → Nonvanish transverse motion

# Role of color magnetic force

## □ Two-sets Twist-3 correlation functions:

No probability interpretation!

$$\tilde{T}_{q,F} = \int \frac{dy_1^- dy_2^-}{(2\pi)^2} e^{ixP^+y_1^-} e^{ix_2P^+y_2^-} \langle P, s_T | \bar{\psi}_q(0) \frac{\gamma^+}{2} [\epsilon^{s_T \sigma n \bar{n}} F_\sigma^+(y_2^-)] \psi_q(y_1^-) | P, s_T \rangle$$

$$\tilde{T}_{G,F}^{(f,d)} = \int \frac{dy_1^- dy_2^-}{(2\pi)^2} e^{ixP^+y_1^-} e^{ix_2P^+y_2^-} \frac{1}{P^+} \langle P, s_T | F^{+\rho}(0) [\epsilon^{s_T \sigma n \bar{n}} F_\sigma^+(y_2^-)] F^{+\lambda}(y_1^-) | P, s_T \rangle (-g_{\rho\lambda})$$

$$\tilde{T}_{\Delta q,F} = \int \frac{dy_1^- dy_2^-}{(2\pi)^2} e^{ixP^+y_1^-} e^{ix_2P^+y_2^-} \langle P, s_T | \bar{\psi}_q(0) \frac{\gamma^+ \gamma^5}{2} [i s_T^\sigma F_\sigma^+(y_2^-)] \psi_q(y_1^-) | P, s_T \rangle$$

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Role of color magnetic force!

## □ Twist-2 distributions:

▪ Unpolarized PDFs:

$$q(x) \propto \langle P | \bar{\psi}_q(0) \frac{\gamma^+}{2} \psi_q(y) | P \rangle$$

$$G(x) \propto \langle P | F^{+\mu}(0) F^{+\nu}(y) | P \rangle (-g_{\mu\nu})$$

$$\Delta q(x) \propto \langle P, S_\parallel | \bar{\psi}_q(0) \frac{\gamma^+ \gamma^5}{2} \psi_q(y) | P, S_\parallel \rangle$$

$$\Delta G(x) \propto \langle P, S_\parallel | F^{+\mu}(0) F^{+\nu}(y) | P, S_\parallel \rangle (i \epsilon_{\perp\mu\nu})$$

## □ Twist-3 fragmentation functions:

See Kang, Yuan, Zhou, 2010, Kang 2010

# Predictive power of TMD and CO approach

## ❑ Universality of the nonperturbative functions

The sign change of Sivers function is a critical test for TMD approach

## ❑ Ability to calculate and control the high order contribution

Factorization naturally introduces the factorization scale dependence

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{\text{phy}}(Q, \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) &\approx \sum_f \hat{\sigma}_f(Q, \mu) \otimes \phi_f(\mu, \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) \\ \rightarrow \frac{d}{d\mu} \sigma_{\text{phy}}(Q, \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Scaling violation of nonperturbative functions

NLO contribution is critical!

Major theory effort in studying the scale-dependence  
of TMDs and twist-3 correlation functions

Boer, ...

# Early surprise: a sign “mismatch”

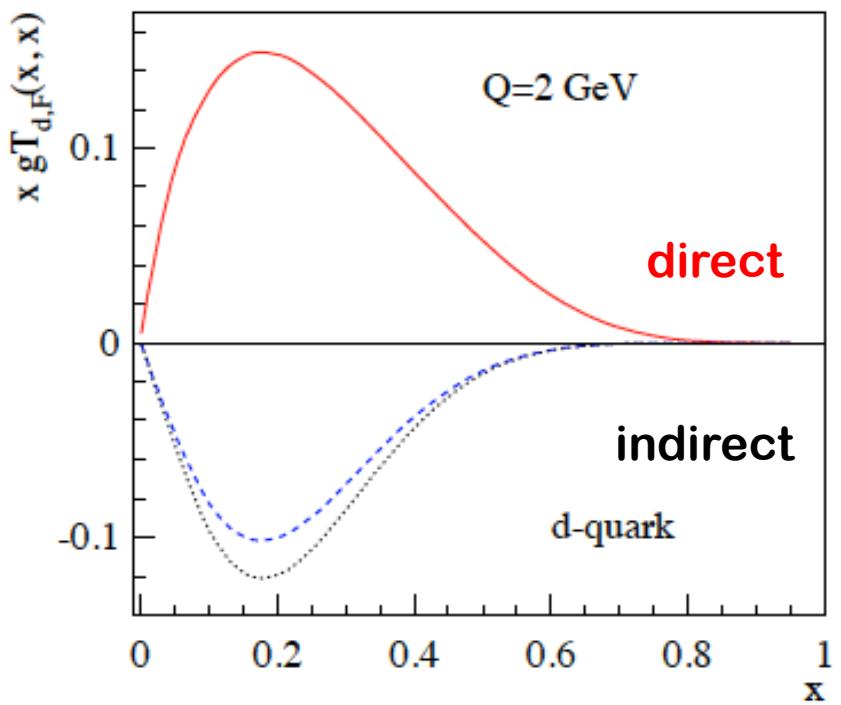
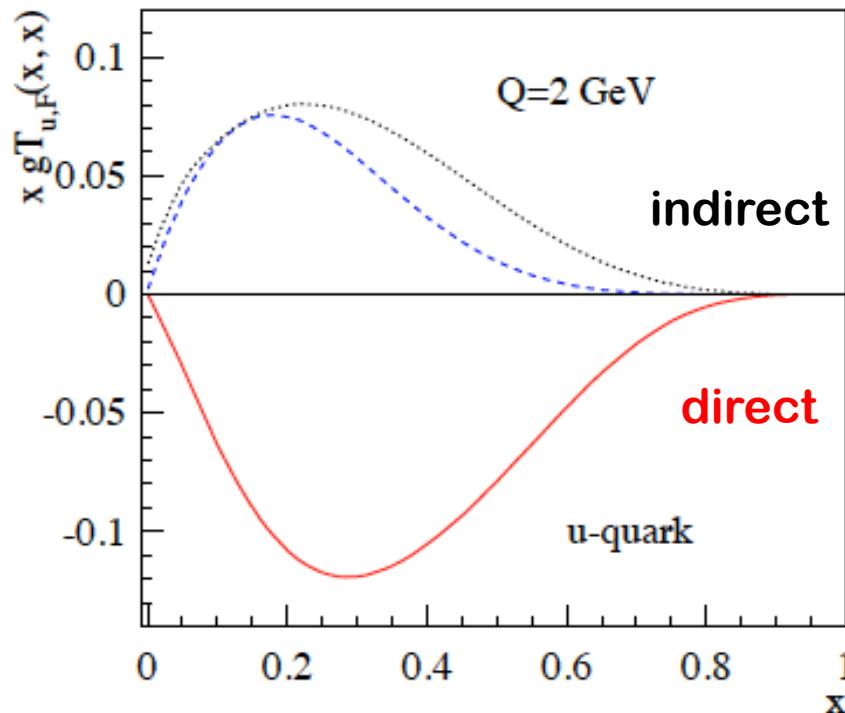
Kang, Qiu, Vogelsang, Yuan, 2011

## □ Sivers function and twist-3 correlation:

$$gT_{q,F}(x, x) = - \int d^2 k_\perp \frac{|k_\perp|^2}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp q}(x, k_\perp^2) |_{\text{SIDIS}} + \text{UVCT}$$

## □ “direct” and “indirect” twist-3 correlation functions:

Calculate  $T_{q,F}(x, x)$  by using the measured Sivers functions



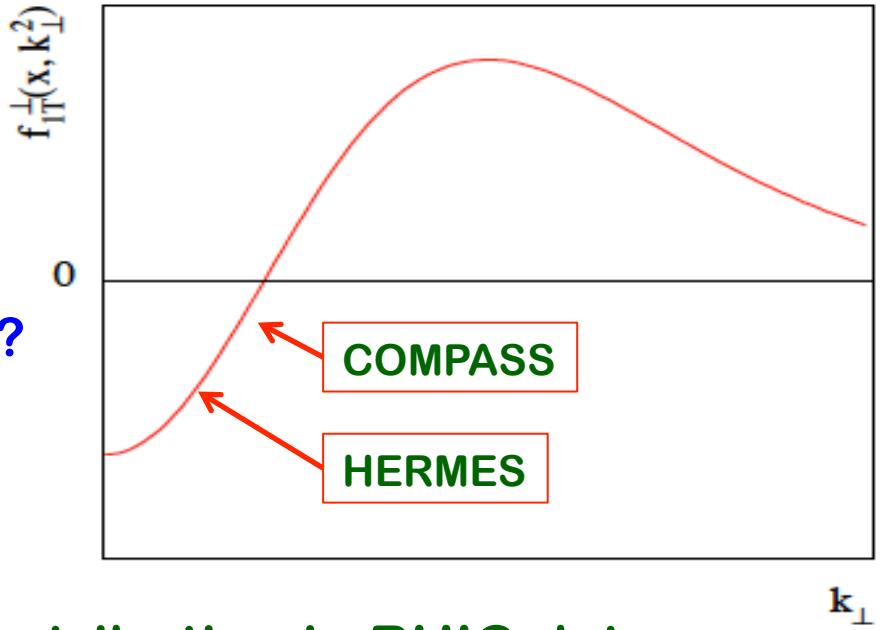
# Possible interpretations

Kang, Qiu, Vogelsang, Yuan, 2011

## □ A node in $k_T$ -distribution:

- ❖ Like the DSSV's  $\Delta G(x)$
- ❖ HERMES vs COMPASS
- ❖ Physics behind the sign change?

EIC can measure TMDs  
for a wide range of  $k_T$



## □ Large twist-3 fragmentation contribution in RHIC data:

If Sivers-type initial-state effect is much smaller than fragmentation effect and two effects have an opposite sign

Can be tested by  $A_N$  of single jet or direct photon at RHIC

## □ A node in $x$ -dependence of Sivers or twist-3 distributions

Physics behind the node if there is any

Boer, ...

# Scaling violation of twist-3 correlations

## □ Evolution equation is a consequence of factorization:

**Factorization:**  $\Delta\sigma(Q, s_T) = (1/Q)H_1(Q/\mu_F, \alpha_s) \otimes f_2(\mu_F) \otimes f_3(\mu_F)$

**DGLAP for  $f_2$ :**  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \ln(\mu_F)} f_2(\mu_F) = P_2 \otimes f_2(\mu_F)$

**Evolution for  $f_3$ :**  $\frac{\partial}{\partial \ln(\mu_F)} f_3 = \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial \ln(\mu_F)} H_1^{(1)} - P_2^{(1)} \right) \otimes f_3$

## □ Evolution kernel is process independent:

✧ Calculate directly from the variation of process independent twist-3 distributions

Kang, Qiu, 2009  
Yuan, Zhou, 2009

✧ Extract from the scale dependence of the NLO hard part of any physical process

Vogelsang, Yuan, 2009

✧ Renormalization of the twist-3 operators

Braun et al, 2009

# Scaling violation for twist-3 correlations

## □ Evolution kernels – “DGLAP”:

Kang, Qiu, 2009  
Yuan, Zhou, 2009  
Braun et al, 2009

Leading order evolution kernels for all channels have been derived!

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial T_{q,F}(x, x, \mu_F)}{\partial \ln \mu_F^2} = & \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_x^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} \left\{ P_{qq}(z) T_{q,F}(\xi, \xi, \mu_F) \right. \\ & + \frac{C_A}{2} \left[ \frac{1+z^2}{1-z} [T_{q,F}(\xi, x, \mu_F) - T_{q,F}(\xi, \xi, \mu_F)] + z T_{q,F}(\xi, x, \mu_F) \right] + \frac{C_A}{2} \left[ T_{\Delta q,F}(x, \xi, \mu_F) \right] \\ & \left. + P_{qg}(z) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \left[ T_{G,F}^{(d)}(\xi, \xi, \mu_F) + T_{G,F}^{(f)}(\xi, \xi, \mu_F) \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

- ✧ All kernels are infrared safe
- ✧ Diagonal contribution is the same as that of DGLAP
- ✧ Quark and antiquark evolve differently – caused by tri-gluon

## □ What are urgently needed:

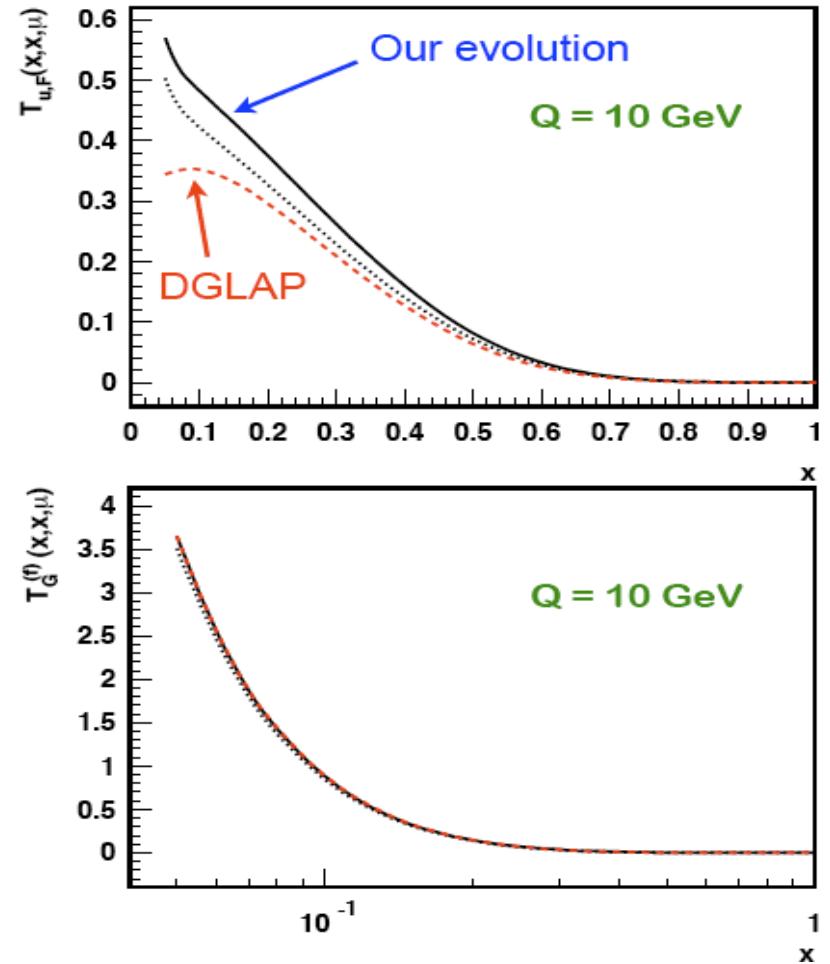
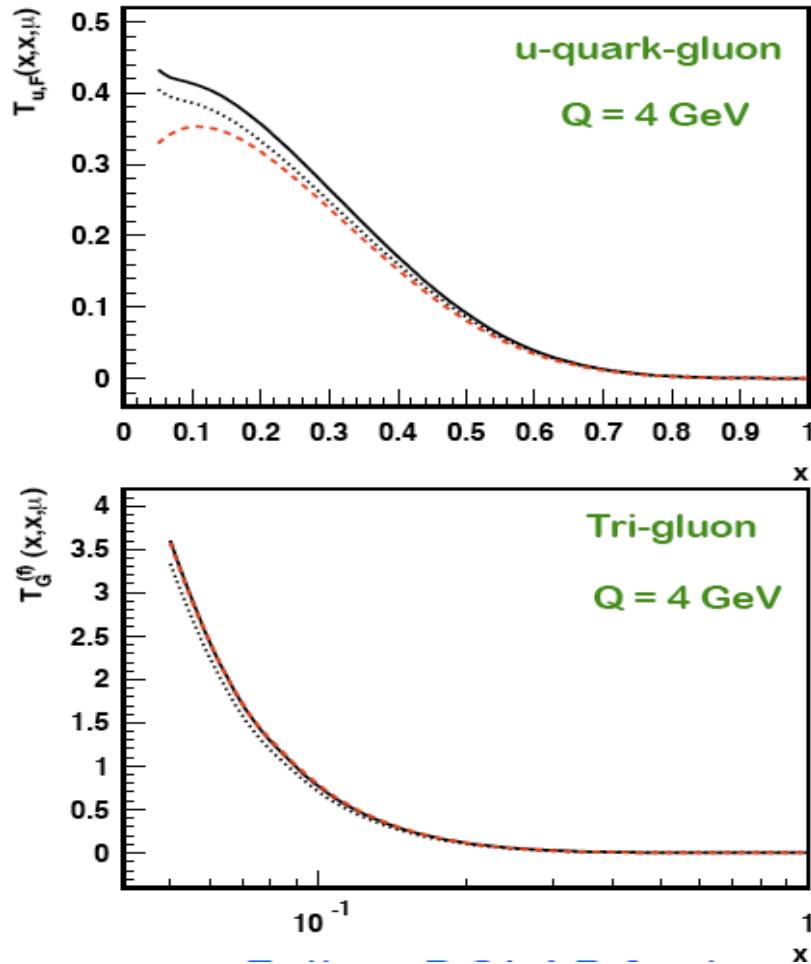
NLO partonic contributions to SSA of all measureable observables!

## □ A completely new domain to test QCD!

Vogelsang, Yuan, 2009

From paton's transverse motion to direct QCD quantum interference

# Scale dependence



- ❖ Follow DGLAP at large  $x$
- ❖ Large deviation at low  $x$  (stronger correlation)

We have all the tools to do NLO calculations, but, need man power!

# Propose new observables for ep collisions

□ **Process:**  $e(\ell) + h(p) \rightarrow \text{jet}(p_j)(\text{or } \pi, \dots) + X$

Kang, Metz, Qiu, Zhou, 2011

Lepton-hadron scattering without measuring the scattered lepton

Single hard scale:  $p_{jT}$  in lepton-hadron frame

□ **Complement to SIDIS:**  $e(\ell) + h(p) \rightarrow e'(\ell') + \text{jet}(p_j)(\text{or } \pi, \dots) + X$

Two scales:  $Q, p_{jT}$  in virtual-photon-hadron frame

□ **Key difference in theory treatment:**

Collinear factorization for  $e(\ell) + h(p) \rightarrow \text{jet}(p_j)(\text{or } \pi, \dots) + X$

TMD factorization for  $e(\ell) + h(p) \rightarrow e'(\ell') + \text{jet}(p_j)(\text{or } \pi, \dots) + X$

Test the consistency between TMD and Twist-3 to SSA

in the same experimental setting

Jlab, Compass, Future EIC, ...

# Analytical formulae

Kang, Metz, Qiu, Zhou, 2011

## □ Factorization is valid:

Same as hadron-hadron collision to jet + X

$$\frac{d\sigma^{lh \rightarrow \text{jet}(P_J)X}}{dP_{JT}dy} \approx \sum_{ab} \int dx f_1^{a/l}(x, \mu) \int dx' f_1^{b/h}(x', \mu) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}^{ab \rightarrow \text{Jet}(P_J)X}}{dP_{JT}dy}(x, x', P_{JT}, y, \mu)$$
$$a = l, \gamma, q, \bar{q}, g$$
$$b = q, \bar{q}, g$$

## □ Leading order results:

$$\begin{aligned} P_J^0 \frac{d^3\sigma}{d^3P_J} &= \frac{\alpha_{em}^2}{s} \sum_a \frac{e_a^2}{(s+t)x} \left\{ f_1^a(x) H_{UU} + \lambda_l \lambda_p g_1^a(x) H_{LL} \right. \\ &\quad + 2\pi M \varepsilon_T^{ij} S_T^i P_{JT}^j \left[ T_F^a(x, x) - x \frac{d}{dx} T_F^a(x, x) \right] \frac{\hat{s}}{\hat{t}\hat{u}} H_{UU} \\ &\quad \left. + \lambda_l 2M \vec{S}_T \cdot \vec{P}_{JT} \left[ \left( \tilde{g}^a(x) - x \frac{d}{dx} \tilde{g}^a(x) \right) \frac{\hat{s}}{\hat{t}\hat{u}} H_{LL} + x g_T^a(x) \frac{2}{\hat{t}} \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$\lambda_l, \lambda_p$  : Lepton, hadron helicity, respectively

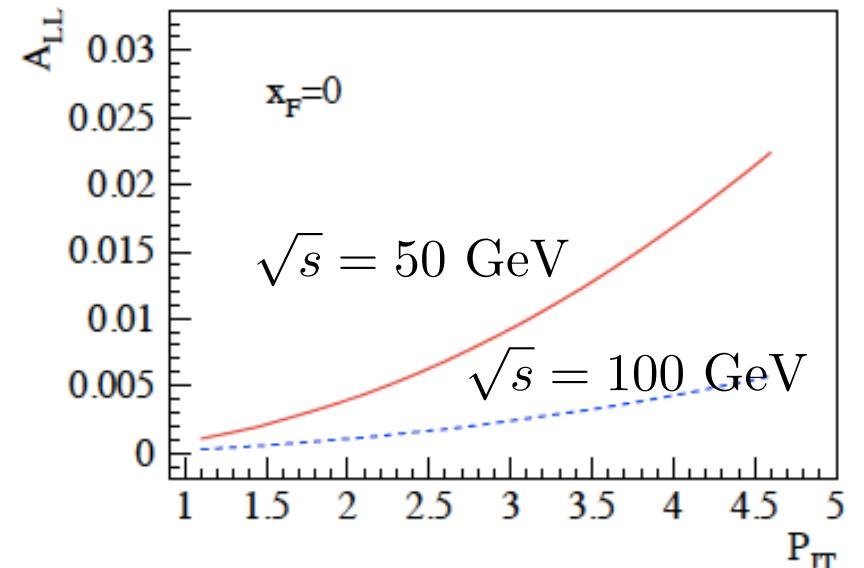
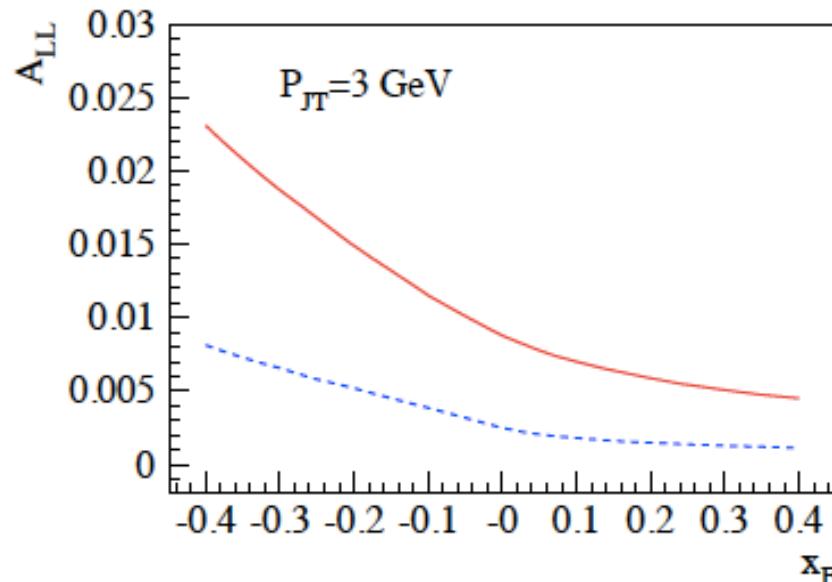
$\vec{S}_T$  : Hadron's transverse spin vector

# Numerical results

## □ Asymmetries:

$$A_{LL} = \frac{\sigma_{LL}}{\sigma_{UU}}, \quad A_{UT} = \frac{\sigma_{UT}}{\sigma_{UU}}, \quad A_{LT} = \frac{\sigma_{LT}}{\sigma_{UU}}$$

## □ Double spin asymmetries – very small:

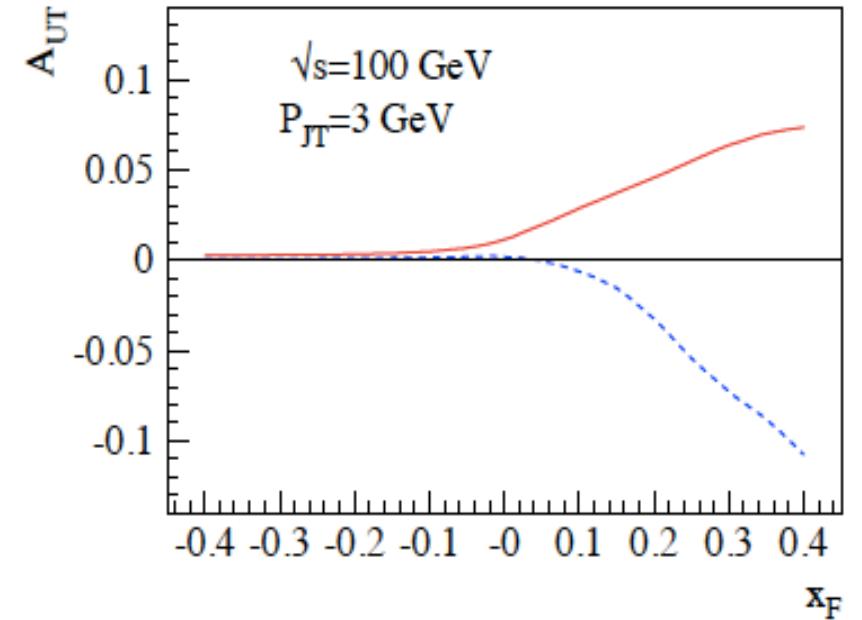
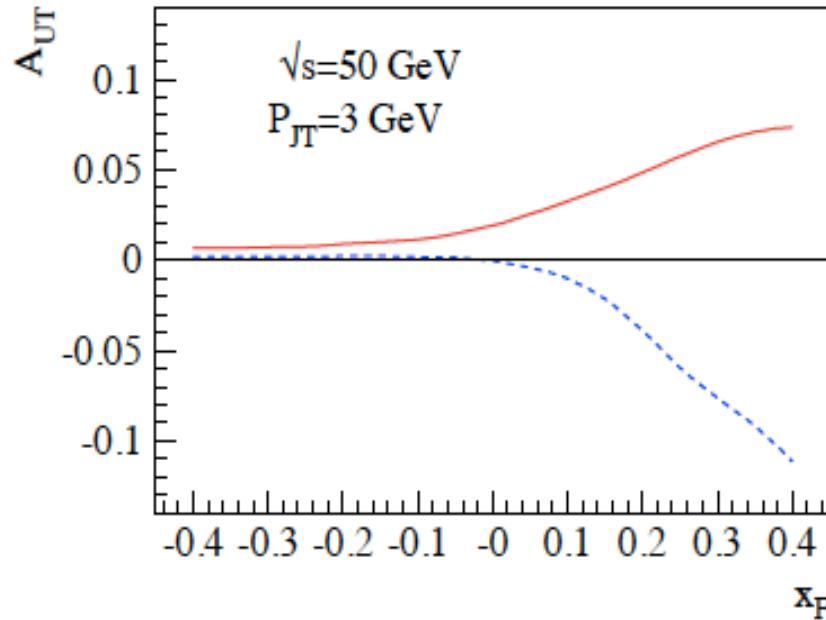


Wandzura-Wilczek approximation:

$$g_T(x) \approx \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} g_1(y) \quad \tilde{g}(x) \approx x \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} g_1(y) \quad \rightarrow \quad A_{LT} \sim 0.001$$

# Good probe of Sivers function

- Independent check of the “sign mismatch”:



Red line:  $T_F(x, \mu)$  extracted from fitting SSA in hadronic collisions

Blue line:  $\pi T_F(x, x) = - \int d^2 k_T \frac{\vec{k}_T^2}{2M^2} f_{1T}^\perp(x, \vec{k}_T^2) \Big|_{DIS}$  Sivers function

Excellent test for the mechanism of SSA  
possibly at Jlab, surely at future EIC

# More on future directions

- RHIC spin, JLab at 12 GeV, possibly at Compass, ...
- Future EIC:
  - a dedicated QCD machine for the visible matter

Yellow book on EIC physics from INT workshop is available:  
arXiv: submit/0295324 [nucl-th]
- Physics opportunities at EIC:
  - ❖ Inclusive DIS – Spin,  $F_L$ , ...
  - ❖ SIDIS – TMDs, spin-orbital correlations,
  - ❖ One jet or particle inclusive – multiparton quantum correlation, ...
  - ❖ GPDs – parton spatial distributions
  - ❖ ...
- More spin physics opportunities at low energy hadron machines around the world

# Golden PDF measurements at EIC

Science Deliverable	Basic Measurement	Uniqueness Feasibility Relevance	Requirements
spin structure at small $x$ contribution of $\Delta g$ , $\Delta \Sigma$ to spin sum rule	inclusive DIS	✓ 	need to reach $x=10^{-4}$ large $x, Q^2$ coverage about $10\text{fb}^{-1}$
full flavor separation in large $x, Q^2$ range strangeness, $s(x)-\bar{s}(x)$ polarized sea	semi-inclusive DIS	✓ 	very similar to DIS excellent particle ID improved FFs (Belle, LHC, ...)
electroweak probes of proton structure flavor separation electroweak parameters	inclusive DIS at high $Q^2$	✓  some unp. results from HERA	20x250 to 30x325 positron beam? polarized ${}^3\text{He}$ beam?

Stratmann's talk to EICAC review, also in INT Yellow Book

# The “money” plot – inclusive DIS

## □ Precision of $\Delta g(x, Q^2)$ :

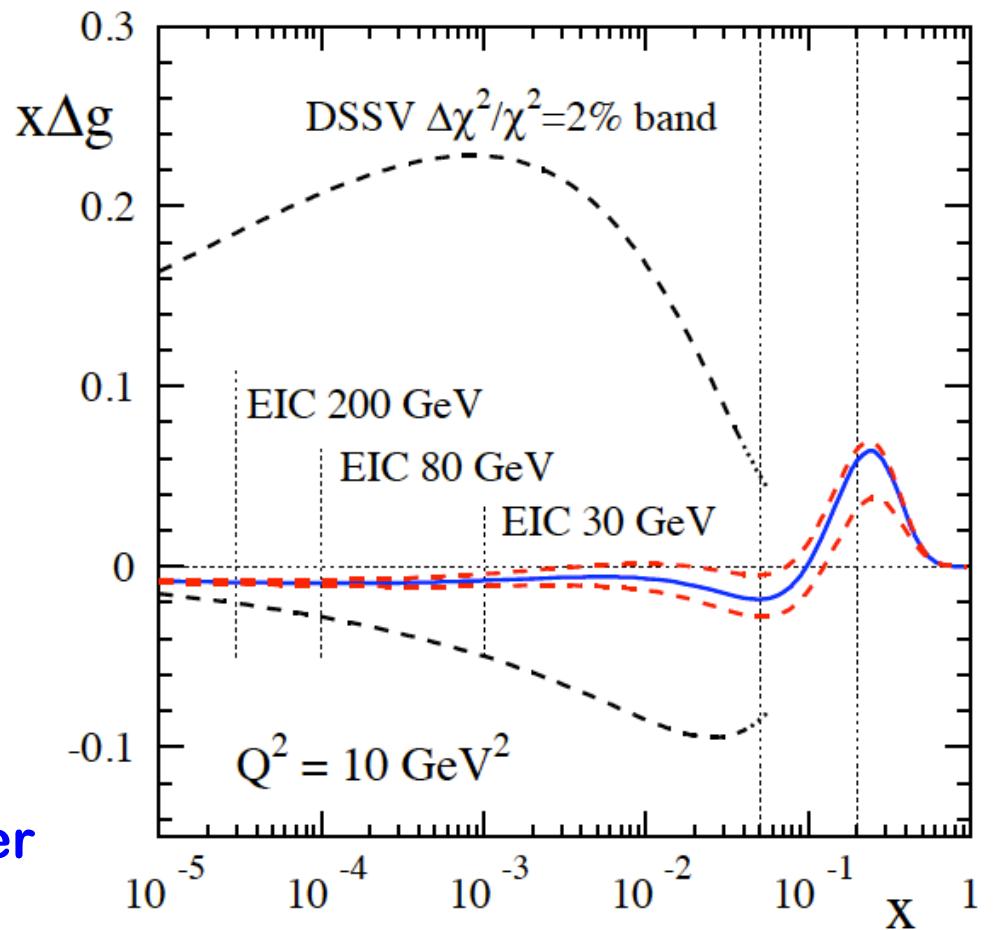
$$\frac{dg_1}{d \ln Q^2} \propto \Delta g(x, Q^2)$$

Expectation:

$$\int_0^1 dx \Delta g(x, Q^2) \text{ to 10% level?}$$

## □ Questions for theorists:

- ✧ Physics behind the node?
- ✧ Factorization at small-x?
- ✧ Dominance of leading power when it is so small?
- ✧ ...



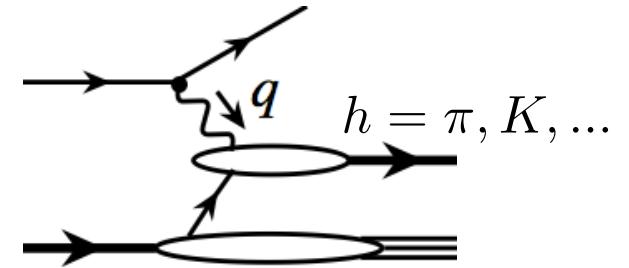
# Quark flavor separation – SIDIS

- Integrate over final-state hadron's transverse momentum:

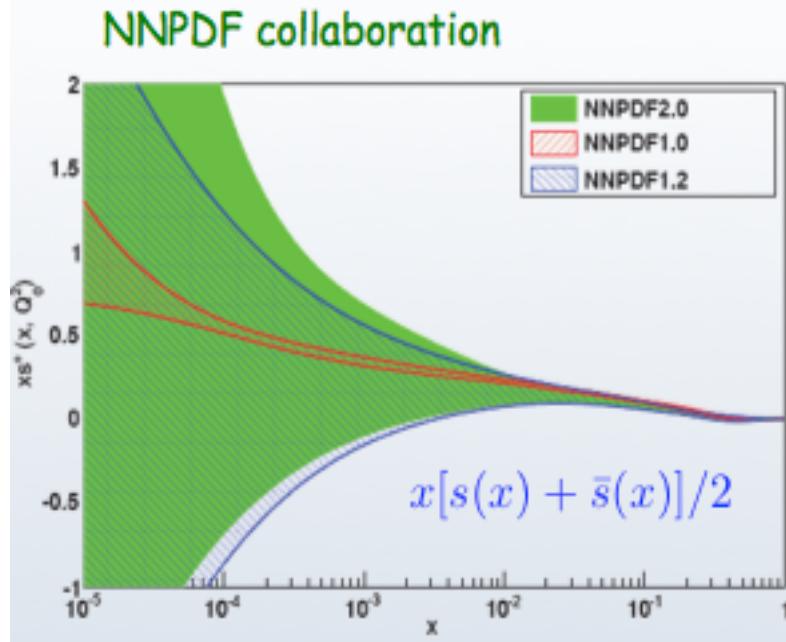
One hard scale – collinear factorization

$$h = \pi, K, \dots$$

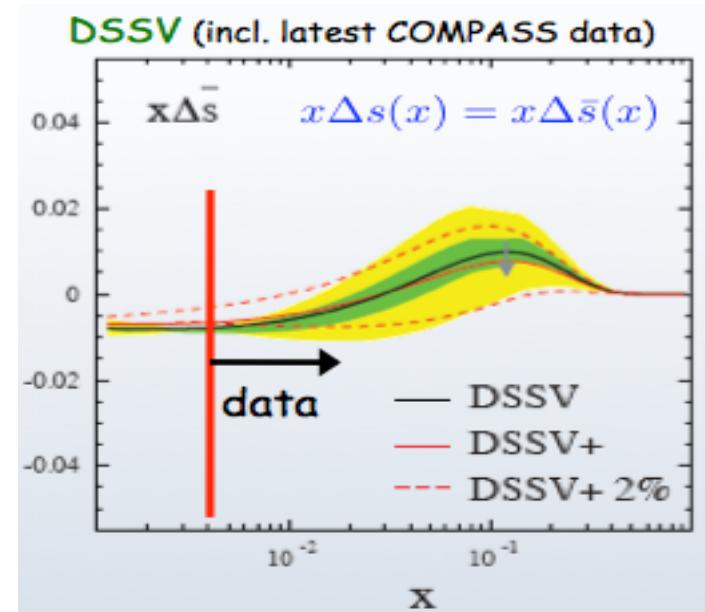
Separation of parton flavors



- Strangeness distributions:



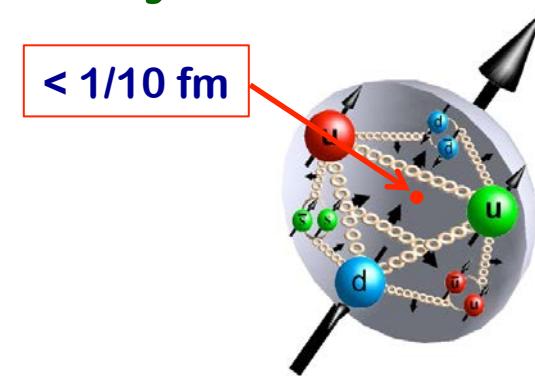
NuTeV anomaly on  $\sin^2 \theta_W$



Tension with the 1st moment

# Summary

- QCD factorization/calculation have been very successful in interpreting HEP scattering data
- What about the hadron structure?  
**Not much!**
- Scattering with a polarized hadron beam opens up many new ways to test QCD and to study hadron structure:  
    TMDs, GPDs, quark-gluon correlations, ...  
    EIC is the future for spin physics
- The challenge for theorists is to identify new, measurable, and factorizable observables that carry rich information on hadron's partonic structure

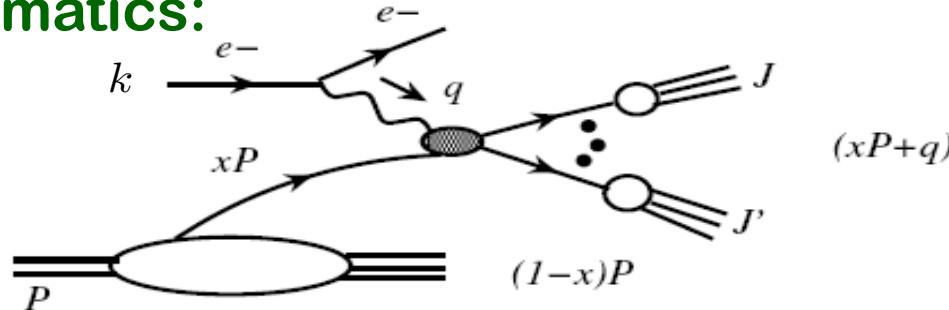


**Thank you!**

# Backup slices

# EIC Kinematics

## □ DIS kinematics:



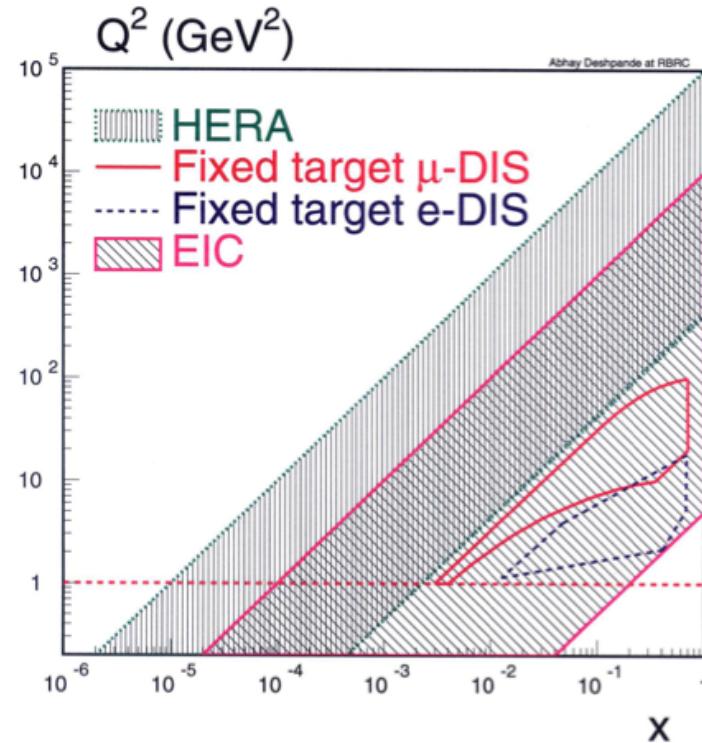
$$Q^2 = -q^2 = x_B y S$$

$$x_B = \frac{Q^2}{2p \cdot q}$$

$$y = \frac{p \cdot q}{p \cdot k}$$

$$S = (p + k)^2$$

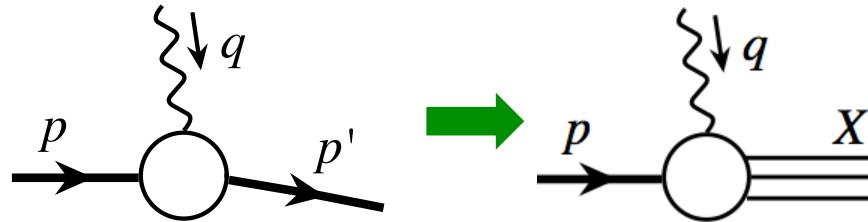
## □ EIC (eRHIC – ELIC) basic parameters:



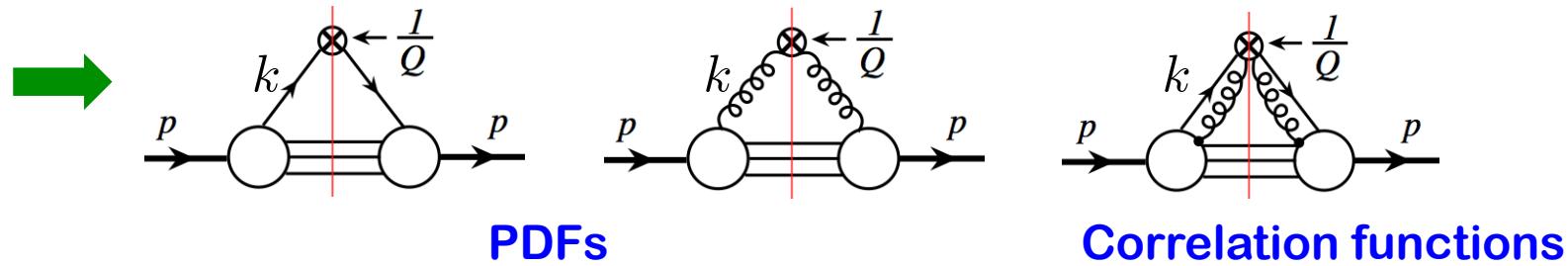
- ❖  $E_e = 10$  GeV (5-30 GeV available)
- ❖  $E_p = 250$  GeV (50-325 GeV available)
- ❖  $\sqrt{S} = 100$  GeV (30-200 GeV available)
- ❖ “localized” probe:  $Q^2 \gtrsim 1$  GeV
- ❖  $x_{\min} \sim 10^{-4}$
- ❖ Luminosity  $\sim 100 \times$  HERA
- ❖ Polarization, heavy ion beam, ...

# EIC advantages

## □ Inclusive DIS – Spin:



## Forward scattering matrix elements:

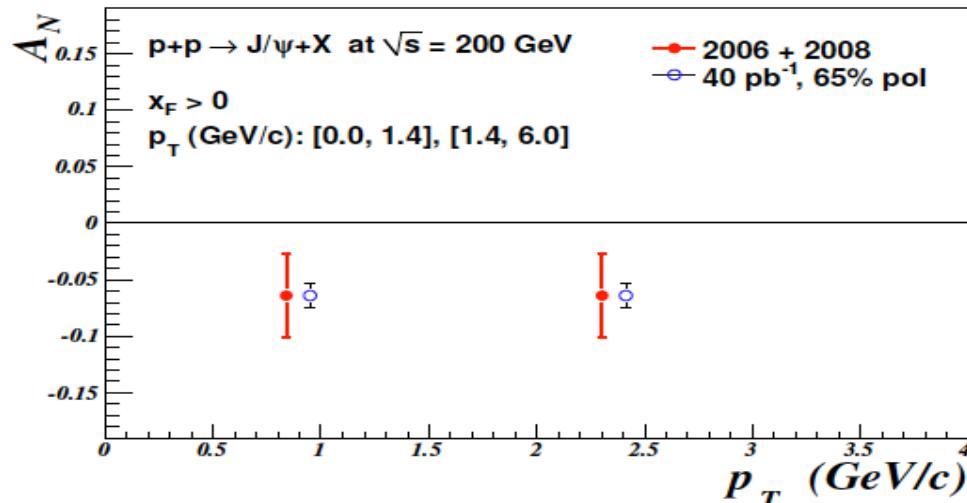


## □ SIDIS – Best place to measure TMDs:

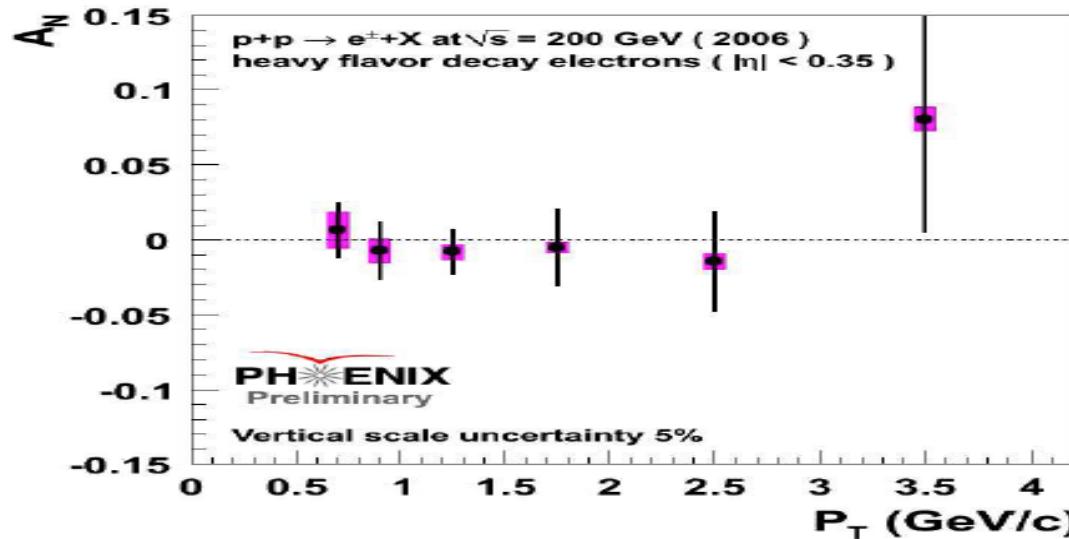
- ✧ TMD Factorization
- ✧ Naturally two very different scales:  $Q, p_T$
- ✧ Well-defined lepton-plane and hadron-plane – separation of TMDs

# First hint of tri-gluon correlation

## □ PHENIX data on J/psi:



## □ PHENIX data on open charm:



## Collinear factorization:

- ❖ tri-gluon correlation
  - direct quantum interference

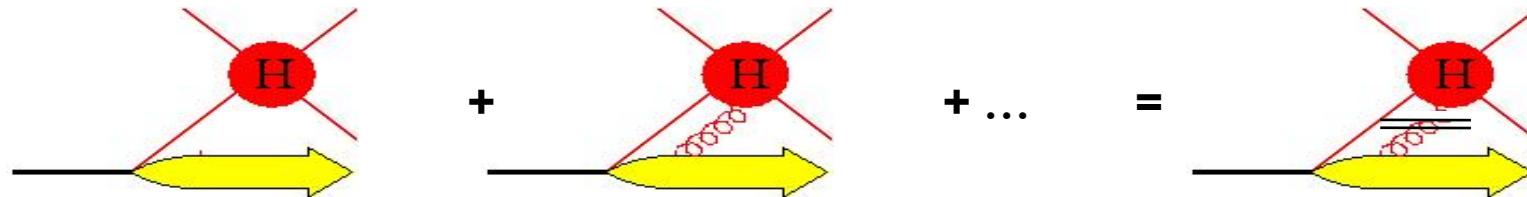
## Challenges:

- ❖ J/psi production mechanism
- ❖ Initial- vs final-state effect
- ❖ Connection to Gluon Sivers function

Collins, Qiu, Vogelsang,  
Yuan, Rogers, Mulder, ...

# Color flow and gauge links

## □ Gauge link – QCD phase:



- ◊ Summation of leading power gluon field contribution produces the gauge link:

$$\Phi_n(\infty, y^-) = \mathcal{P} \exp \left( -ig \int_{y^-}^{\infty} d\lambda n \cdot A(\lambda n) \right)$$

- ◊ Gauge invariant PDFs:

$$\phi(x, p, s) = \int \frac{dy^-}{2\pi} e^{ixp^+ y^-} \langle p, s | \overline{\psi}(0)_j \hat{\Gamma}_{ji} \Phi_n^\dagger(\infty, 0) \Phi_n(\infty, y^-) \psi_i(y^-) | p, s \rangle$$

- ◊ Collinear PDFs:

“Localized” operator with size  $\sim 1/xp \sim 1/Q$   
“localized” color flow

- ◊ Gauge link should be process dependent – color flow!

