

ISSUES and PROSPECTS  
IN NEUTRINO NUCLEUS SCATTERING

by

E. A. PASCHOS  
University of Dortmund  
at  
Fermilab (Visitor)

PN12/Nov. 2004

COLLABORATIONS:

- i) Ingo Schiebin, J-Y. Yu, EAP  
Pion Rescattering in Nuclei • hep-ph 0408148  
with M. Sakuda • Phy. Rev. 69 (2004) 034013
- ii) Olga Lalakulich, EAP • In preparation  
(in preparation)

## INTRODUCTION

Close relation between neutrino and electron reactions

For NEUTRINOS :

- Oscillations parameters
- CP-Violation on leptonic sector
- Majorana - Dirac Particles

INTERESTED on interactions with

NUCLEONS and NUCLEI - SEPARATELY

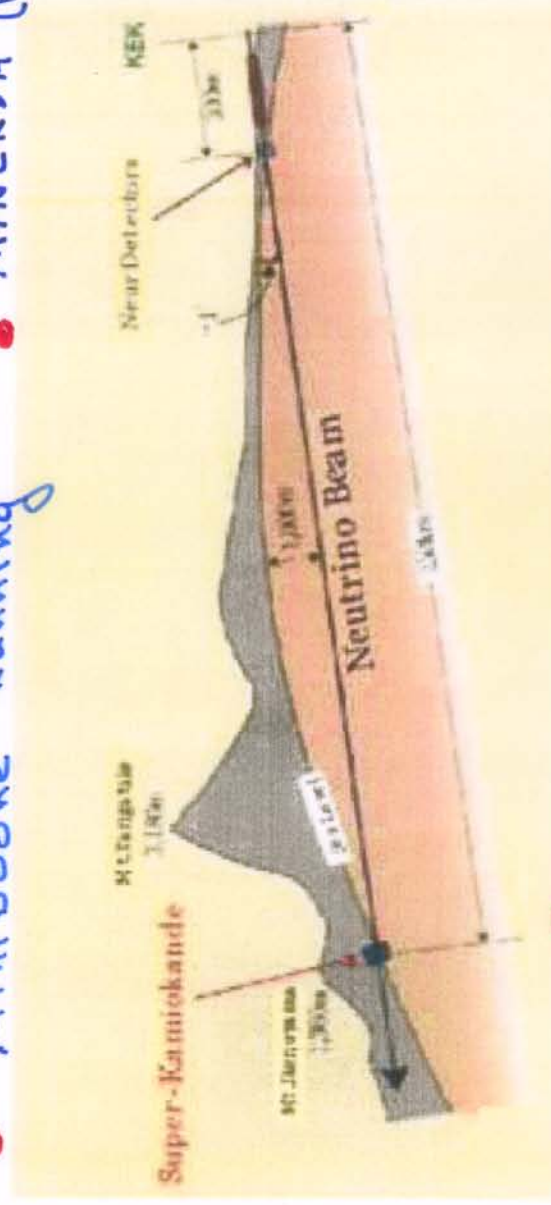
Understanding nuclei is not a luxury but a necessity since targets are nuclei:  $C_{12}$ ,  $O_{16}$ , ...,  $Fe$ , ...

## CONTENTS

1. ISSUES IN NEUTRINO INTERACTIONS
2. NATURE OF THE EXPERIMENTS
3. PROBLEMS IN NEUTRINO REACTIONS
4. NUCLEAR EFFECTS
5. TRANSPORT PROBLEM (Absorption, CEX, ...)
6. COHERENT SCATTERING
7. SUMMARY

# Long baseline experiments

- T2K (Tokai to Kamioka)  $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 0.7$  GeV (planned)
- K2K (KEK to Kamioka)  $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 1$  GeV (operating)
- MINOS (Fermilab to Soudan)  $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 3$  GeV
- CNGS (CERN to GranSasso)  $\langle E_\nu \rangle \sim 17$  GeV (under construction)
- *Mini boone Running* ● MINERVA (proposed)



[neutrino.kek.jp/news/](http://neutrino.kek.jp/news/)

2004.06.10/index-e.html

Precision Measurements of neutrino Interactions. This could be done, perhaps, in terrestrial experiments with accelerator neutrino beams.

- $\nu_\mu$  - Disappearance

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_\mu) = 1 - \sin^2 \theta_{13} \cos^2 \theta_{23} \sin^2 \left( \frac{1.27 \Delta m_{23}^2 L}{E_\nu} \right) + \dots$$

- $\nu_e$  - Appearance

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) = \sin^2 \theta_{23} \sin^2 2\theta_{13} \sin^2 \left( \frac{1.27 \Delta m_{23}^2 L}{E_\nu} \right)$$

Several reasons demand precise knowledge of neutrino hadron cross section in the few GeV region.



Leptogenesis requires

$$Y_B = \frac{n_B}{n_s} = (\underline{\text{Sph.}}) \cdot D \cdot \epsilon$$

D: Dilution Factor ;  $(\underline{\text{Sph.}}) \approx \frac{1}{3}$

$\epsilon$ : CP Violation in Lepton Sector

In models  $\tilde{m}_D = m_D U_R$

and  $\epsilon \propto \text{Im} [ (\tilde{m}_D^\dagger \tilde{m}_D)_{ij}^2 ] \frac{1}{[\tilde{m}_D^\dagger \tilde{m}_D]_{ii}}$

$$\sqrt{x} \left\{ \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{M_j}{M_1}\right)^2} + 1 - (1+x) \ln\left(\frac{1+x}{x}\right) \right\}$$

with  $x = \frac{M_j}{M_1}$   $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{(Vertex)} \\ \text{Fukugita-Yanagita} \end{array} \right\} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Self-energy} \\ \text{Flanz, EAP, Sarkar} \end{array} \right\}$

**IMPORTANT TO ESTABLISH**

CP-Violation in Leptonic Sector

$$A_{CP} = \frac{P - \bar{P}}{P + \bar{P}} = \frac{P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) - \bar{P}(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e)}{P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) + \bar{P}(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e)}$$

$$\approx \frac{\Delta m_{12}^2 L}{E} \frac{\sin 2\theta_{12}}{\sin \theta_{13}} \sin \delta$$

# Near/far detector cancellations of xsec

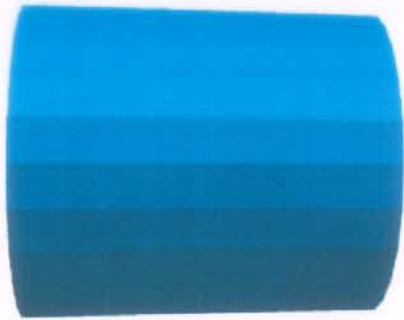
K<sub>2</sub>K errors SK

Number:

$N_1$  Events

$$N_2 = a \cdot N_1 \cdot \text{Ratio}(2/1)$$

Flux



Detector 1



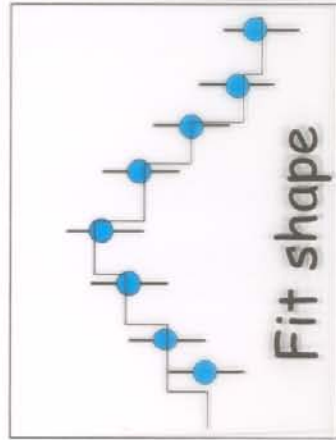
Detector 2

Function of Flux, X-sec, eff.

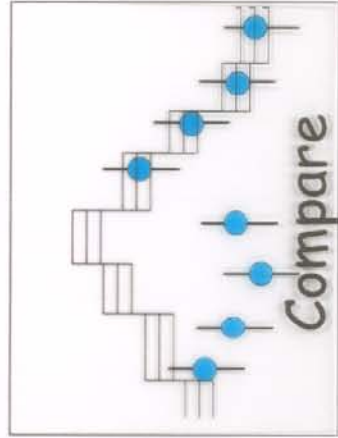
\*cancels for identical detectors\*

Shape:

E. A. P.  
D. P. Roy  
T. Y. Yu



E<sub>f</sub>



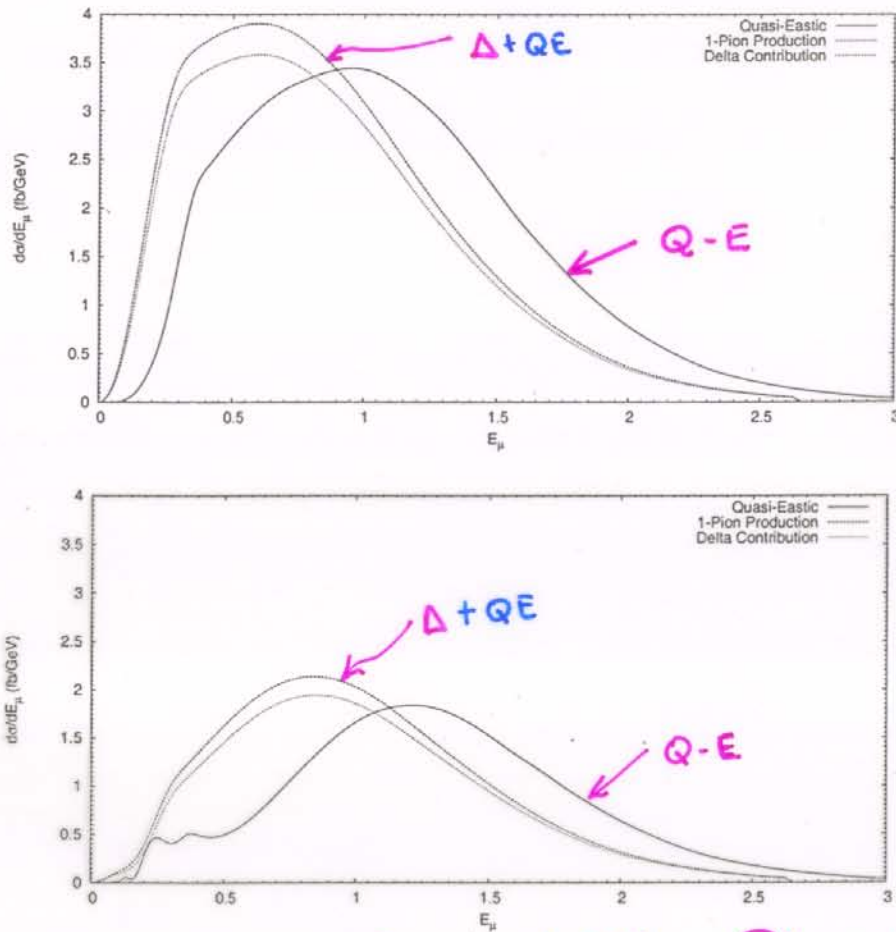
E<sub>f</sub>

Fitting errors correspond to an uncertainty on prediction.



hep-ph/0207202

form factors for the vector and axial currents. The vector form factor is a modified dipole, while the axial one is a dipole [10]. For the  $P_{11}$  and  $S_{11}$  resonances we use the form factors from [11].



E.P., D.P. Roy, I. Schiebin and J. Yu Phys. Lett B 574 (2003) 239

Figure 2: Exact predictions of the muon energy spectra for the (a) Nearby and (b) SK detectors of the K2K experiment. The Quasi-Elastic and the 1-Pion production cross-sections are shown along with the  $\Delta$  contribution to the latter.



# KAMLAND

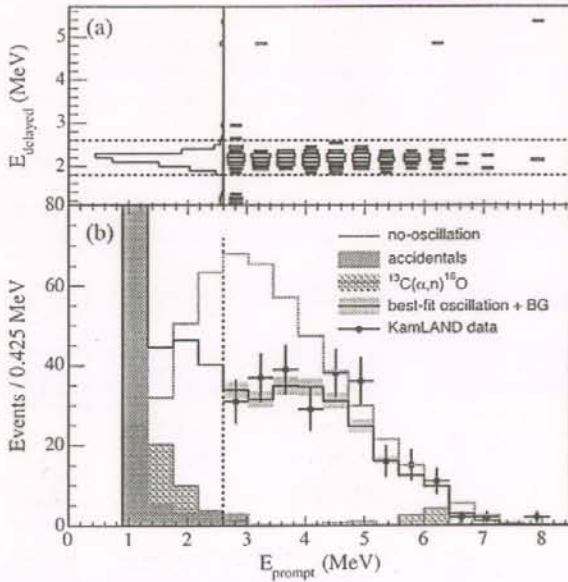


FIG. 2: (a) The correlation between the prompt and delayed event energies after cuts. The three events with  $E_{\text{delayed}} \sim 5$  MeV are consistent with neutron capture on carbon. (b) Prompt event energy spectrum of  $\bar{\nu}_e$  candidate events with associated background spectra.

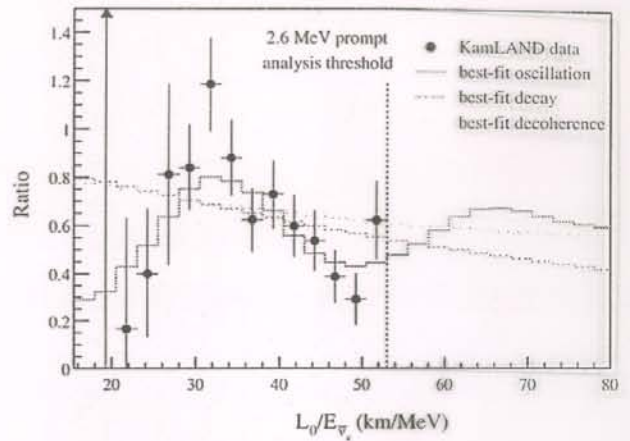


FIG. 3: Ratio of the observed  $\bar{\nu}_e$  spectrum to the expectation for no-oscillation versus  $L_0/E$ . The curves show the expectation for the best-fit oscillation, best-fit decay and best-fit decoherence models taking into account the individual time-dependent flux variations of all reactors and detector effects. The data points and models are plotted with  $L_0=180$  km, as if all anti-neutrinos detected in KamLAND were due to a single reactor at this distance.

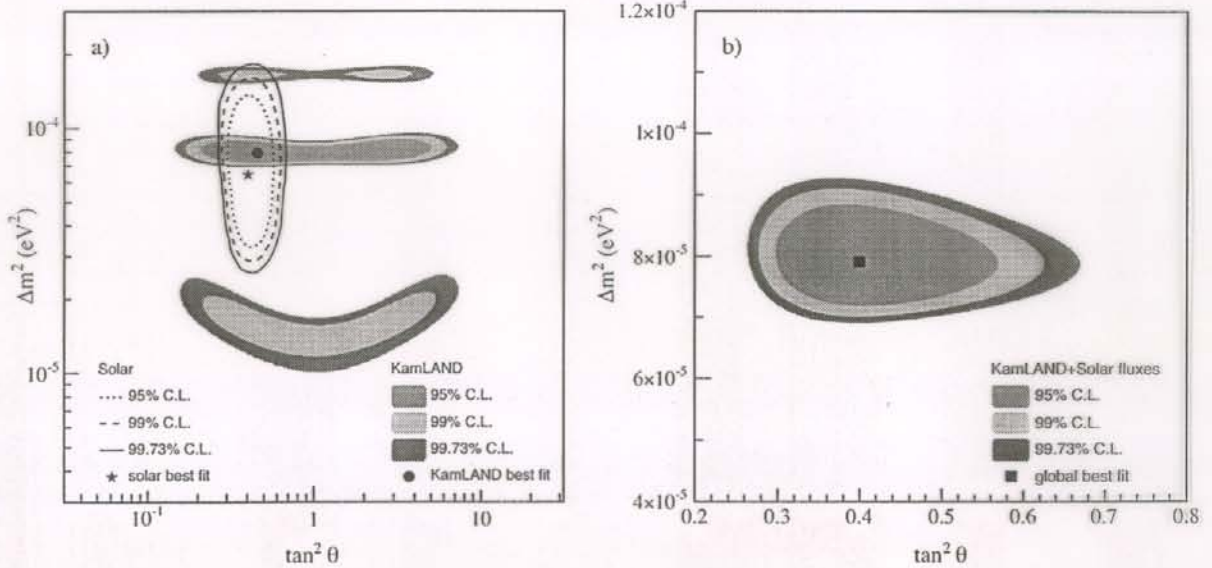


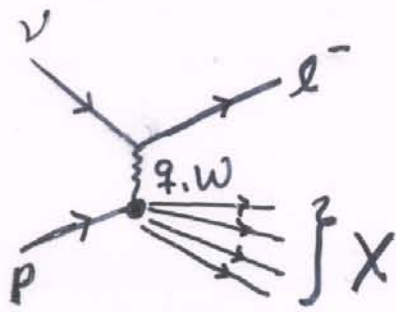
FIG. 4: (a) Neutrino oscillation parameter allowed region from KamLAND anti-neutrino data (shaded regions) and solar neutrino experiments (lines) [12]. (b) Result of a combined two-neutrino oscillation analysis of KamLAND and the observed solar neutrino fluxes under the assumption of CPT invariance. The fit gives  $\Delta m^2 = 7.9^{+0.6}_{-0.5} \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$  and  $\tan^2 \theta = 0.40^{+0.10}_{-0.07}$  including the allowed 1-sigma parameter range.

$$\Delta m_{21}^2 = 7.9^{+0.6}_{-0.5} \times 10^{-5} \text{ eV}^2$$

with 0.2% uncertainty in theory



# Neutrino nucleon reactions



## a) Deep inelastic scattering

$$CC: \nu N \rightarrow l^- X$$

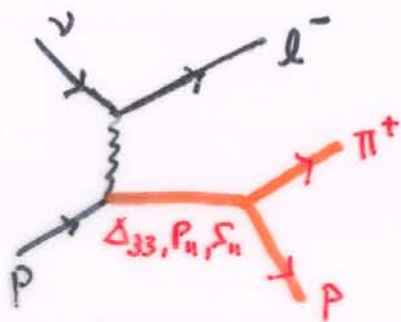
$$NC: \nu N \rightarrow \nu X$$

N: Nucleon

l:  $\mu, \tau$  lepton

X: the system of the outgoing hadrons

Nuclear  
Effects at  
 $0.4 < X$  play  
a role



## b) Resonance production ( $\Delta_{33}, P_{11}, S_{11}$ )

$$CC: \nu p \rightarrow l^- p \pi^+$$

$$\nu n \rightarrow l^- n \pi^+$$

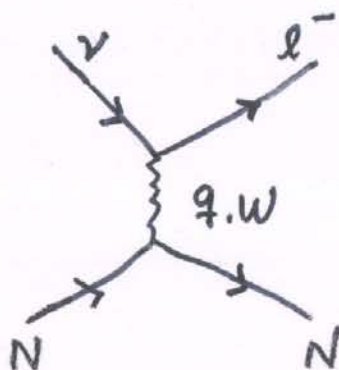
$$\nu n \rightarrow l^- p \pi^0$$

$$NC: \nu p \rightarrow \nu p \pi^0, \nu p \rightarrow \nu n \pi^+$$

$$\nu n \rightarrow \nu n \pi^0, \nu n \rightarrow \nu p \pi^-$$

$P_{11} (1440)$

$S_{11} (1535)$



## c) Quasi-elastic scattering

$$CC: \nu N \rightarrow l^- N$$

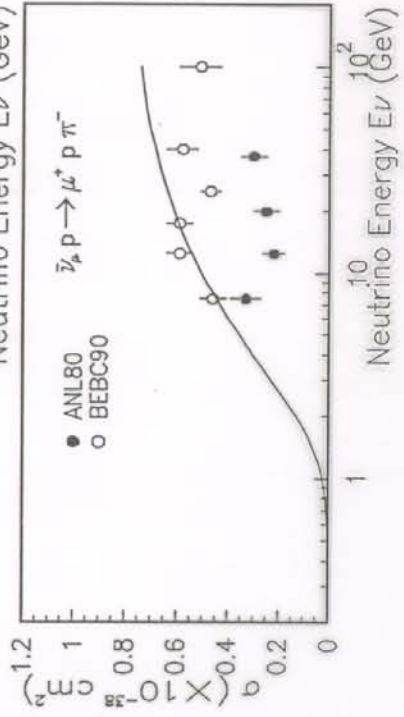
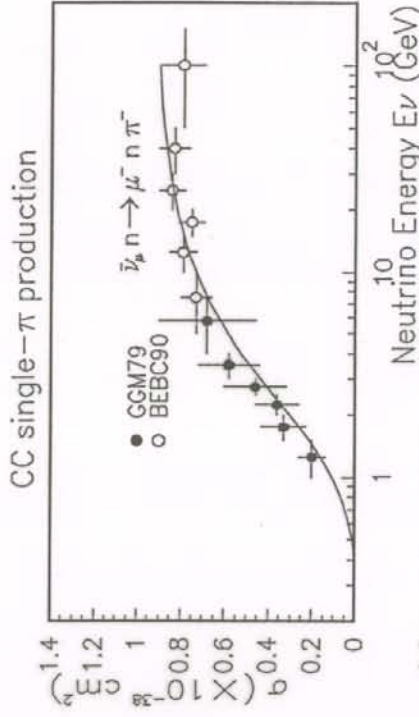
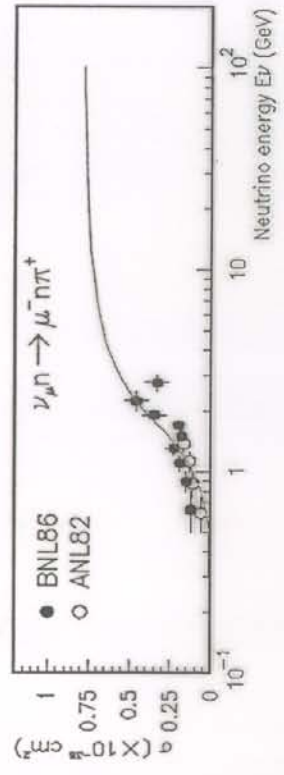
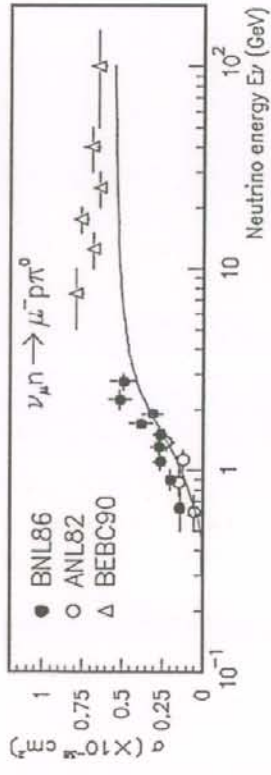
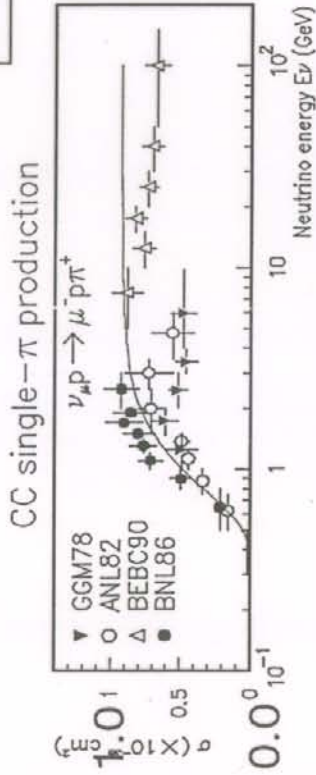
$$NC: \nu N \rightarrow \nu N$$

COHERENT SCATTERING IN NUCLEI

(DIFFRACTIVE)

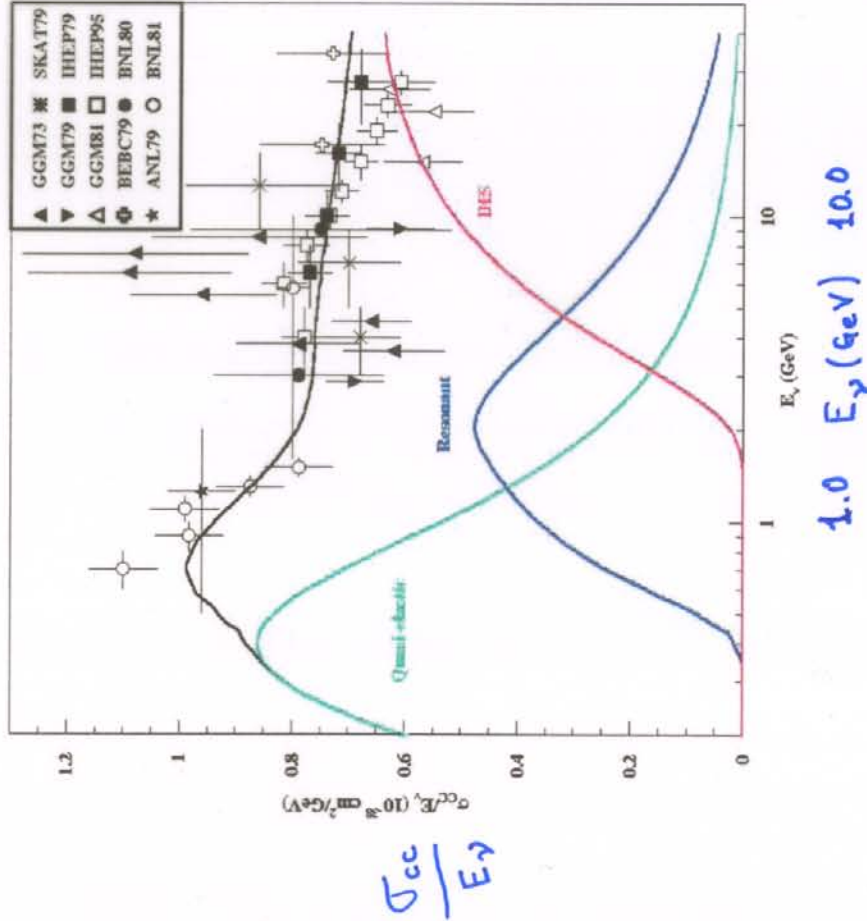
# Single Pion Production Cross Section

Prediction = Rein-Sehgal  $M_A=1.2 \text{ GeV}/c^2$



$1 \times 10^{-38}$   
( $\text{cm}^2$ )

# The total cross section



$$\sigma_{tot} = \sigma_{QE} + \sigma_{RES} + \sigma_{DIS}$$

1) quasi-elastic (QE)



2) one-pion-production  $\equiv$

resonance production (RES)



3) deep inelastic scattering (DIS)





# How many form factors do we need for N-R vertex

Form factors for  $P_{33}(1232)$  ( $J^P = \frac{3}{2}^+$ )

C.H. Llewellyn Smith, Phys. Rep. 3 (1972) 261

$$\langle \Delta | V^\nu | N \rangle = \bar{\psi}_\lambda^{(R)} \left[ \frac{C_3^V}{m_N} (\not{A} g^{\lambda\nu} - q^\lambda \gamma^\nu) + \frac{C_4^V}{m_N^2} (q \cdot p g^{\lambda\nu} - q^\lambda p^\nu) \right]$$

Working hypothesis:

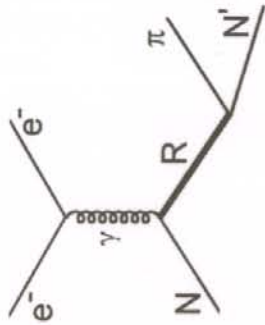
$$+ \frac{C_5^V}{m_N^2} (q \cdot p' g^{\lambda\nu} - q^\lambda p'^\nu) + C_6^V g^{\lambda\nu} \left] \gamma_5 u_{(N)}$$

$$\langle \Delta | A^\nu | N \rangle = \bar{\psi}_\lambda \left[ \frac{C_3^A}{m_N} (\not{A} g^{\lambda\nu} - q^\lambda \gamma^\nu) + \frac{C_4^A}{m_N^2} (q \cdot p g^{\lambda\nu} - q^\lambda p^\nu) + C_5^A g^{\lambda\nu} + \frac{C_6^A}{m_N^2} q^\lambda q^\nu \right] u_{(N)}$$

Can any of them be theoretically fixed?

$$\text{CVC} \implies C_6^V = 0, \quad \text{PCAC} \implies C_5^A = 1.2, \quad C_6^A = m_N^2 \frac{C_5^A}{m_\pi^2 - Q^2}$$

# Vector form factors



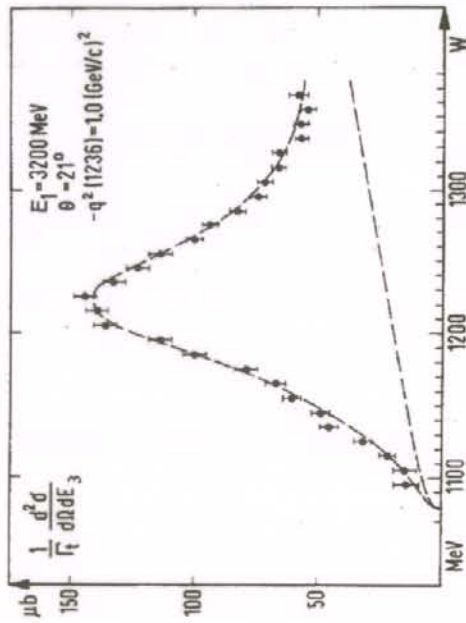
reveal themselves in **electro-** (and neutrino-) production

Magnetic multipole dominance lead to

$$C_3^V(0) = 2.05, \quad C_4^V(0) = -\frac{m_N}{W} C_3^V, \quad C_5^V = 0$$

S. Galster et. al, Phys. Rev. D 5 (1972) 519, the curve is

the phenomenological fit by the authors



$$\frac{d\sigma_{em, I=1}}{dq^2 dW} = \frac{8}{3} \frac{\pi^2}{G_F^2} \frac{\alpha^2}{q^4} \frac{dV^2}{dq^2 dW}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{2}{3} : \rho\pi^0 \\ \frac{1}{3} : \eta\pi^+ \\ \frac{1}{3} : \rho\pi^- \\ \frac{2}{3} : \eta\pi^0 \end{array} \right.$$

Ratios are not satisfied: Background, Isospin  $\frac{1}{2}$   
Sept.30, DESY 2004

As  $Q^2$  increases, the form factors fall down steeper than dipole (that is the case for the nucleon) representing the larger size of the resonance states because of the mesonic cloud, surrounding them.

$$C^V(Q^2) = \frac{C^V(0)}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_V^2}\right)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \frac{Q^2}{4M_V^2}} \quad \text{vector mass } M_V = 0.84 \text{ GeV.}$$

New data from **Jefferson Laboratory**: the contribution of the electric

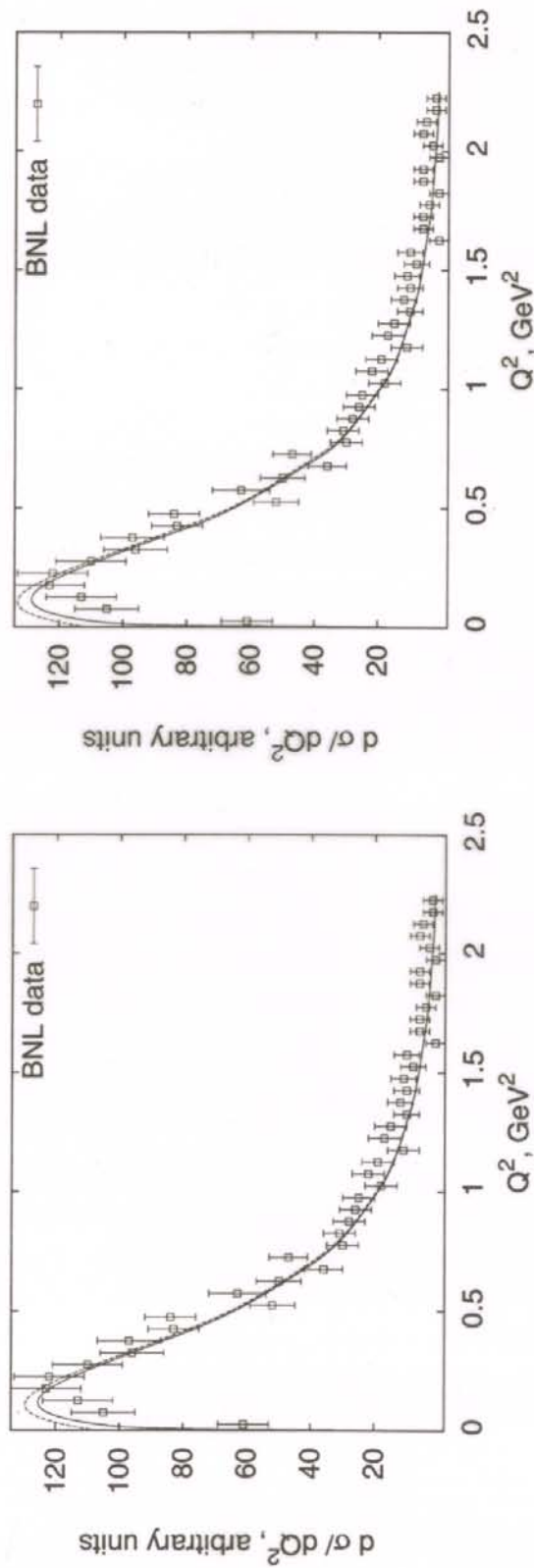
multipole  $E2 \sim -2.5\%$ , of scalar multipole  $Q2 \sim -5\%$  - faster  $Q^2$ -dep. than  $M_{1+}$

K. Joo et al. (CLAS) PRL 88 (2002) 122001

V. Burkert EPJ Status of N\* Program at JEFF Lab



# BNL data on the $d\sigma/dQ^2$ .



The cross section for the running width  $\Gamma \sim p^3(\pi)$  (left figure) and  $\Gamma \sim p^1(\pi)$  (right figure). The full lines are for the case  $m_\mu = 0.105$  GeV, the dashed lines are for the approximation  $m_\mu = 0$ .

# Isospin-1/2 resonances, spin-1/2

$$P_{11}(1440) (J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle P_{11} | V^\nu | N \rangle &= \bar{u}^{(P_{11})} \left[ g_1^V \gamma^\nu + \frac{i}{M_P + m_N} \left[ g_2^V \sigma^{\nu\lambda} q_\lambda + g_3^V q^\nu \right] \right] \gamma_5 u_{(N)} \\ \langle P_{11} | A^\nu | N \rangle &= \bar{u}^{(P_{11})} \left[ g_1^A \gamma^\nu + \frac{i}{M_P + m_N} \left[ g_2^A \sigma^{\nu\lambda} q_\lambda + g_3^A q^\nu \right] \right] u_{(N)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{CVC: } g_1^V = g_3^V = 0$$

$$\text{CP invariance: } g_2^A = 0$$

$$\text{PCAC: } g_3^A = g_1^A \frac{f_\pi}{Q^2}, \quad g_1^A = \frac{g_{\pi NR} f_\pi}{M_R + m_N}$$

$S_{11}(1535) (J^P = \frac{1}{2}^-)$  (the similar formular)

**Result:** for spin-1/2 resonances one has **1 vector** and **1 axial** (theoretically fixed from PCAC) form factors for each resonance

# Factorization

• Reactions

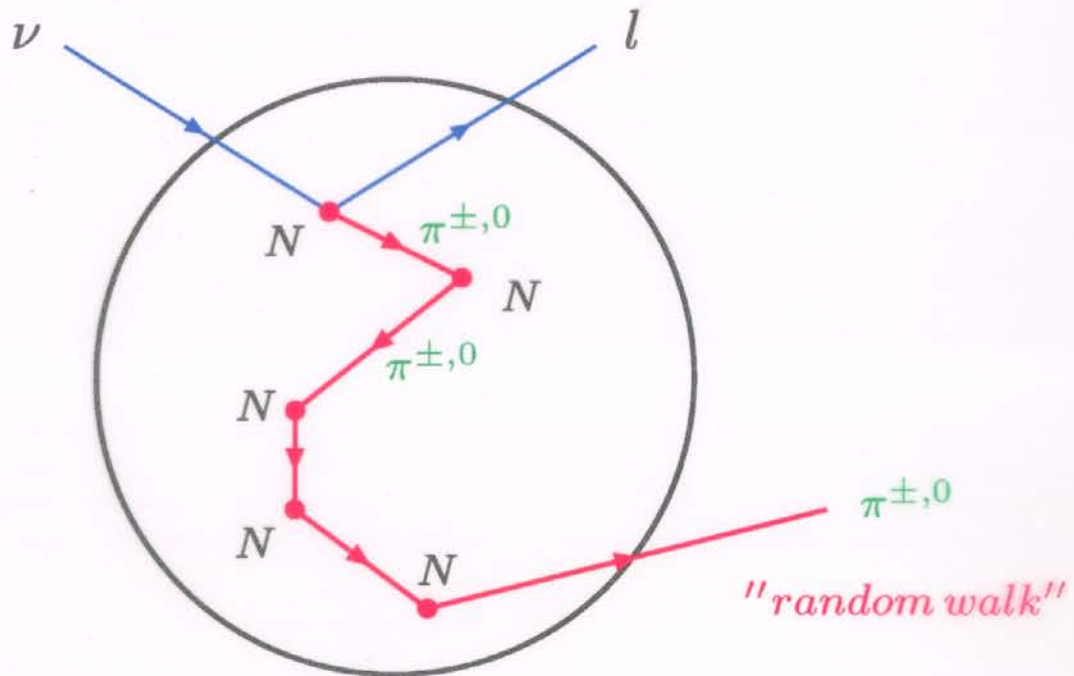
$$e + T \rightarrow e' + T' + \pi^{+,0,-}$$

$$\nu + T \rightarrow l + T' + \pi^{\pm,0}$$

-  $T$ : nuclear target ( ${}_8O^{16}$ ,  ${}_{18}Ar^{40}$ ,  ${}_{26}Fe^{56}$ )

-  $T'$ : final nuclear state

• Two step process



Step 1.

1. single pion production in  $\nu N$  scattering

→ Pauli Principle, Fermi motion

2. multiple scattering of pions

→ Charge exchange, absorption, Pauli Principle

• step 2 is described by the charge exchange matrix  $M$

- only depends on properties of the target

→ charge density profile  $\rho(r)$

• basic assumption: two steps independent → predictive power



## The charge exchange matrix $M$

- Differential cross sections for leptonic pion production on **free nucleon targets**  $\rightarrow$  cross sections on **nuclear targets**:

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \frac{d\sigma(ZT^A; \pi^+)}{dQ^2 dW} \\ \frac{d\sigma(ZT^A; \pi^0)}{dQ^2 dW} \\ \frac{d\sigma(ZT^A; \pi^-)}{dQ^2 dW} \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{nuclear target}} = M \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \frac{d\sigma(N_T; \pi^+)}{dQ^2 dW} \\ \frac{d\sigma(N_T; \pi^0)}{dQ^2 dW} \\ \frac{d\sigma(N_T; \pi^-)}{dQ^2 dW} \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{free nucleon}}$$

where

$$\frac{d\sigma(N_T; \pm 0)}{dQ^2 dW} = Z \frac{d\sigma(p; \pm 0)}{dQ^2 dW} + (A - Z) \frac{d\sigma(n; \pm 0)}{dQ^2 dW}$$

- charge exchange matrix  $M$  for isoscalar targets  
( $M = M^T$ ,  $\sum_j M_{ij} = A_p$ ,  $M_{+0} = M_{-0} \rightarrow 3$  param.  $A_p, d, c$ )

$$M = A_p \begin{pmatrix} 1 - c - d & d & c \\ d & 1 - 2d & d \\ c & d & 1 - c - d \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{structure} \\ \text{dictated} \\ \text{by} \\ \text{charge-symmetry} \end{array}$$

- Factorization assumption (two step process)  $\rightarrow$  **predictive power**
- $\Rightarrow$   $M(T; Q^2, W)$  (i.e.  $A_p, d, c$ ) to be **measured experimentally**  
neutrino-prod., electro-prod.  $\rightarrow$  Test of Factorization
- $\Rightarrow$  ... to be **predicted theoretically**  $\rightarrow$  for example ANP model [1]

[1] Adler, Nussinov, Paschos, Phys. Rev. **D9**, 2125 (1974)

$$A_p(Q^2, W) = f_1(1, W) g(Q^2, W)$$

In the general case

$$\frac{\sum_{k=0,\pm} \frac{d\sigma(^2T_A, \pi^k)}{dQ^2 dW}}{\sum_{j=0,+,-} \frac{d\sigma(N_T, \pi^j)}{dQ^2 dW}} =: A_p(Q^2, W)$$

IN MODEL CALCULATION

$$A_p = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \bar{L} \rho_0 \sigma_{abs}(W)$$

$\bar{L}$  is the density profile = 1.9R

$$R = 1.83 \text{ fm}, \rho_0 = 0.14 \text{ fm}^{-3}$$

For  $^8O_{16}$

STEP 2: Solve PROPAGATION of  $\Delta^2$ 's,  $\pi^k$ 's, ...

This methods has similarities between particle-hole (Oset, Salcedo, Strottman Mosel et al., Marteau) and stochastic propagation

IS THERE RELATION ?

$$A_p(Q^2, W) = g(Q^2, W) \cdot f(\lambda=1, W)$$

$g(Q^2, W)$  is the Pauli suppression factor

$f(\lambda=1, W)$  is the transport function

for equal populations of  $\pi^+, \pi^0, \pi^-$

$$M(\rho_{0.16}) = A_p \begin{pmatrix} 0.79 & 0.16 & 0.05 \\ 0.16 & 0.68 & 0.16 \\ 0.05 & 0.16 & 0.79 \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$A_p = 0.77$$

Matrix and parameters defined for  $W$  <sup>invariant mass</sup>  
over the  $\Delta$  resonance region

STEP 1: Extract parameters from electroprod.  
or neutrino-production

S



# Random Walk Problem

PROBABILITY OF GOING FROM  $x$  TO  $y$

and interact. at  $y$ : 
$$e^{+k(x-y)} k dy$$

with  $k(y) = p(y) \sigma_{tot}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \sigma_t(\pi^+) \\ \sigma_t(\pi^0) \\ \sigma_t(\pi^-) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \sigma_{abs} + \begin{pmatrix} 5/9 & 4/9 & 0 \\ 4/9 & 4/9 & 1/9 \\ 0 & 1/9 & 5/9 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \sigma_{\pi^+}$$

Transmission is a matrix problem on the population  $\begin{pmatrix} N_{\pi^+} \\ N_{\pi^0} \\ N_{\pi^-} \end{pmatrix}$

Find Eigenvalues and Eigenfunctions

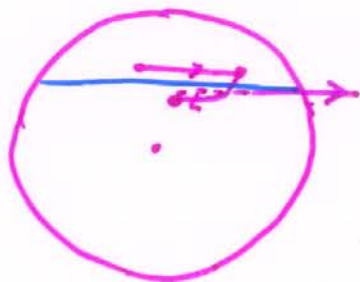
$$f_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_1 = 1$$

$$f_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_2 = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$f_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_3 = \frac{1}{2}$$

Each eigenfunction has its own transport probability  $f(\lambda, w)$  — given by solution of random walk solution (analytic or numerical)

## Picture of Model



Two results from Neutrino Reactions

$$R^\nu = \frac{\sigma(\nu + T \rightarrow \nu + T' + \pi^0)}{\sigma(\nu + T \rightarrow T'' + T''' + \pi^0)} \quad \text{Decreases}$$

For  $(R^\nu)$   $\overset{\text{theory without corr.}}{=} 0.44 \rightarrow \overset{\text{with corr.}}{=} 0.29$   $(R^\nu)_{\text{exp}} = 0.17 \pm 0.06$

CC:  $\left(\frac{\pi^+ + \pi^-}{\pi^0}\right) = 4.5$  Theory reduced to  $\uparrow 2.5$  by corrections

TABLE V. Cross sections for electroproduction of pions. The errors contain a systematic and normalization error of 3%.  $E_1=3200$  MeV,  $\theta=21^\circ$ ,  $q^2(1236)=-1.0$  (GeV/c) $^2$ ,  $\epsilon(1236)=0.89$ .

$E_3$ (MeV)	$K$ (MeV)	$W$ (MeV)	$\frac{1}{\Gamma_1} \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\Omega_e dE_3}$ ( $\mu\text{b}$ )		
			$e+p \rightarrow e + \begin{cases} p+\pi^0 \\ n+\pi^+ \end{cases}$	$e+p \rightarrow e+p+\pi^0$	$e+p \rightarrow e+n+\pi^+$
2470	171	1096	15.2±3	1.5±1.5	13.7±6
2460	183	1106	16.3±3	5.4±5	10.9±6
2450	195	1116	22.2±3	13.0±5	9.2±6
2440	208	1127	32.7±3	15.3±5	17.4±6
2430	220	1137	45.5±3	19.1±5	26.4±6
2420	232	1147	49.0±3	27.5±5	21.5±6
2410	246	1157	60.1±4	29.8±5	30.3±6
2400	257	1167	67.7±4	35.2±5	32.5±6
2390	269	1177	79.4±4	42.9±5	36.5±6
2380	281	1186	100.4±4	53.9±6	46.5±7
2370	293	1196	114.4±4	63.9±6	50.5±7
2360	306	1206	136.5±5	80.7±6	55.8±8
2350	318	1215	140.0±5	81.5±6	58.5±8
2340	331	1225	144.7±5	86.4±7	58.3±9
2330	343	1234	133.0±5	90.2±7	42.8±9
2320	355	1243	123.7±5	70.0±7	53.7±9
2310	367	1252	114.4±4	76.5±6	37.9±7
2300	380	1262	101.5±4	57.0±6	44.5±7
2290	392	1271	94.5±4	57.0±6	37.5±7
2280	404	1280	82.9±3	47.4±5	35.5±6
2270	417	1289	74.7±3	44.7±5	30.0±6
2260	429	1298	72.3±3	44.7±5	27.6±6
2250	440	1306	66.5±3	37.1±5	29.4±6
2240	453	1315	66.5±3	39.3±5	27.2±6
2230	465	1324	57.2±3	36.0±5	21.2±6
2220	478	1333	57.2±3	38.2±5	19.0±6
2210	490	1341	53.7±3	30.6±5	23.1±6
2200	502	1350	58.3±3	45.9±5	12.4±6

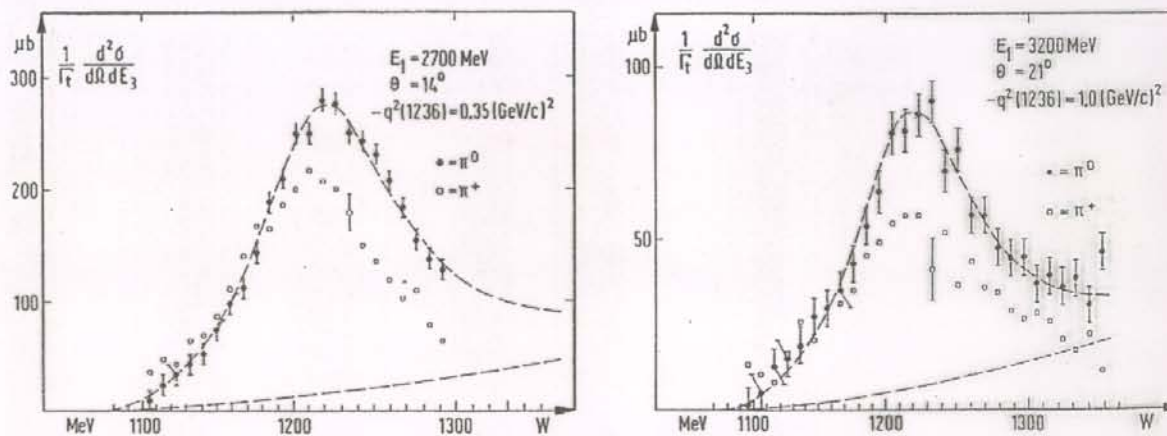
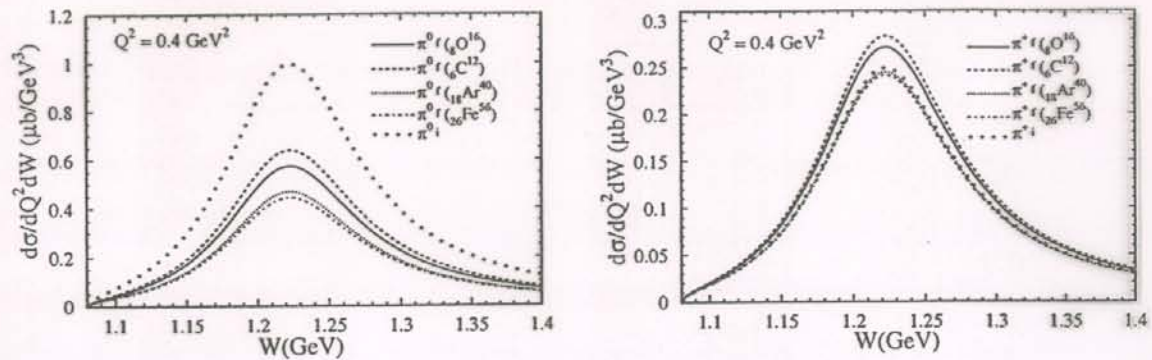


FIG. 5. Same as Fig. 4, except the  $p\pi^0$  and  $n\pi^+$  channels are separated.





**Figure 2:** Double differential cross sections per nucleon for single-pion electroproduction for different target materials.  $W$ -spectra for  $\pi^0$  and  $\pi^+$  production are shown for  $Q^2 = 0.4 \text{ GeV}^2$  using an electron energy  $E_e = 2.7 \text{ GeV}$ . The pion rescattering corrections have been calculated in the double-averaging approximation (2.6) using the ANP matrices in (2.7) and App. A. For comparison, the free nucleon cross section (2.3) is shown.

GENERAL RULE: In a lepton nucleus interaction the pions which have the same charge as the current are reduced by 30-40%, and for the pions with different charge there is a slight increase.

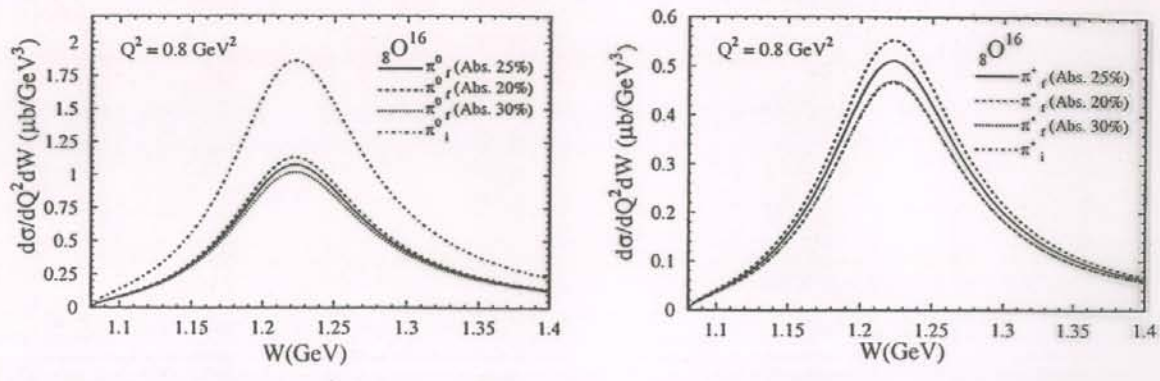
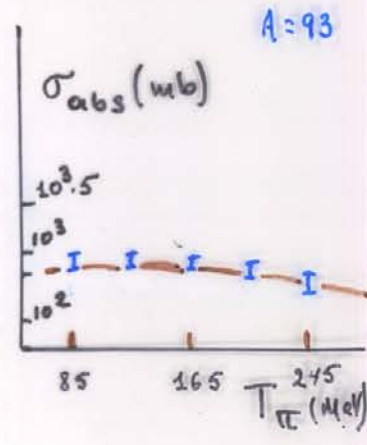
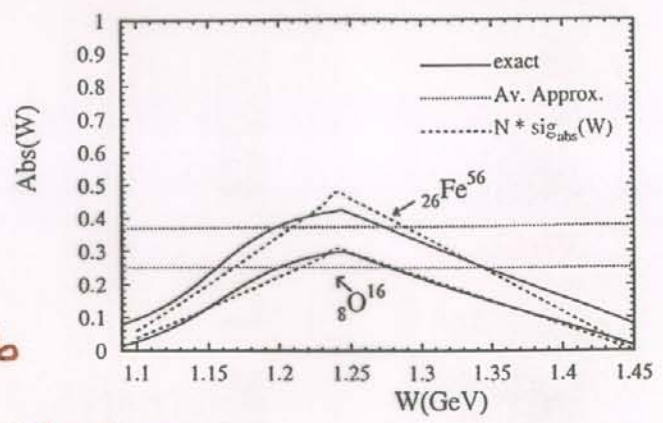


Figure 3: Double differential cross sections per nucleon for single-pion electroproduction for oxygen with 20% (dashed line), 25% (solid line) and 30% (dotted line) pion absorption. Furthermore,  $Q^2 = 0.8 \text{ GeV}^2$  and  $E_e = 2.7 \text{ GeV}$ .

From E.A.P., I. Schiebin, Yu (in preparation)



$\sigma_{abs} = 10 \text{ to } 20 \text{ mb}$

Oset et al. PL B 165 (85) 13.  
Mosek U. et al.

Figure 4: The fraction of absorbed pions,  $Abs(Q^2, W)$ , in dependence of  $W$  for oxygen and iron targets for  $Q^2 = 0.3 \text{ GeV}^2$ . Also shown is the cross section  $\sigma_{abs}(W)$  (model B) multiplied by free normalization factors (dashed lines). The dotted lines are the result for  $Abs(Q^2, W)$  in the averaging approximation.

$$\sigma_{abs} = 24 \cdot A^{0.8} \text{ (mb)}$$

# COHERENT SCATTERING

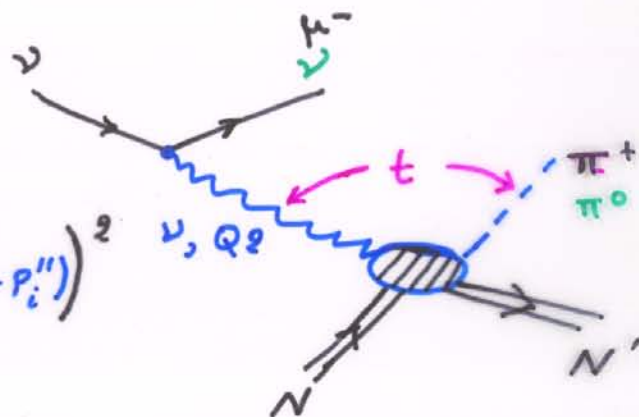
(Diffractive )

Rein + Sehgal

Many neutrino experiments have observed a peak at  $|t| < 0.05 \text{ GeV}^2$ .  
It is produced by exchange of light mesons plus coherence.

$$t = (q - p_\pi)^2$$

$$\approx \left( \sum_{\pi, p} p_i^+ \right)^2 - \left( \sum_i (E_i - p_i^0) \right)^2$$



Reaction

DOES THIS REACTION TAKE PLACE  
IN ELECTROPRODUCTION ?

1. Observation of peak
2.  $E_\nu$  - Dependence
3. A - Dep., :  $A^2, A^{2/3}, \dots$  ?
- 4.



$$\frac{d\sigma_{NS}}{d\Omega}(E_\gamma^*, \Theta_\pi^*) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{q^*}{k^*} |\mathcal{F}_2(E_\gamma^*, \Theta_\pi^*)|^2 \sin^2(\Theta_\pi^*), \quad (2)$$

B. Krusche et al. (Mainz)

Coherent  $\pi^0$  photoproduction  
from Atomic Nuclei

PL 526B (2002) 287

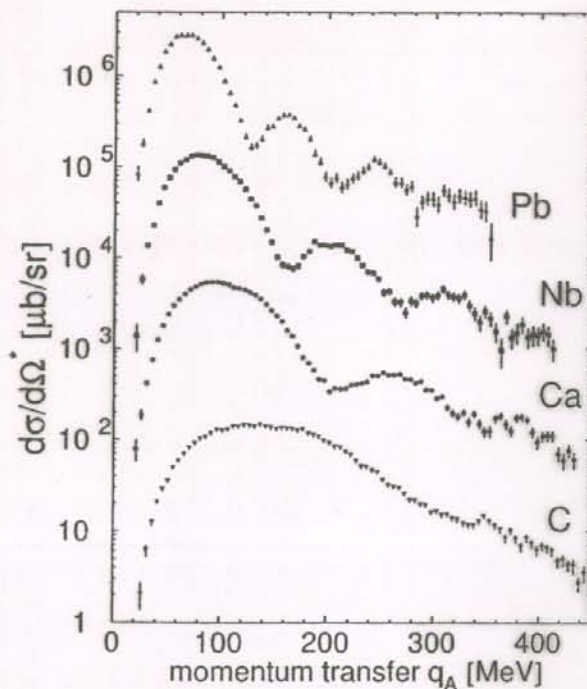


Fig. 2. Differential cross sections for  $A(\gamma, \pi^0)A$  averaged over incident photon energies from 200–290 MeV as function of the momentum transfer. The scale corresponds to the carbon data, the

$$R_{PWIA} = \left( \frac{d\sigma_{exp}}{d\Omega} \right) / \left[ \frac{s}{m_N^2} A^2 \left( \frac{d\sigma_{NS}}{d\Omega} \right) \right] \\ = F^2(q_A) \left( \frac{d\sigma_{exp}}{d\Omega} \right) / \left( \frac{d\sigma_{PWIA}}{d\Omega} \right) \quad (3)$$

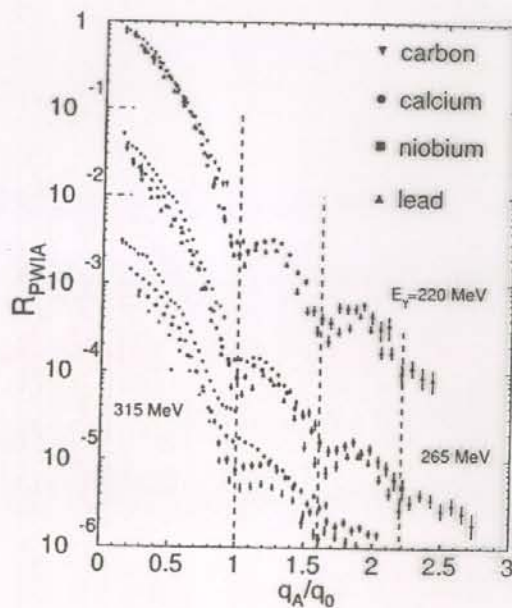
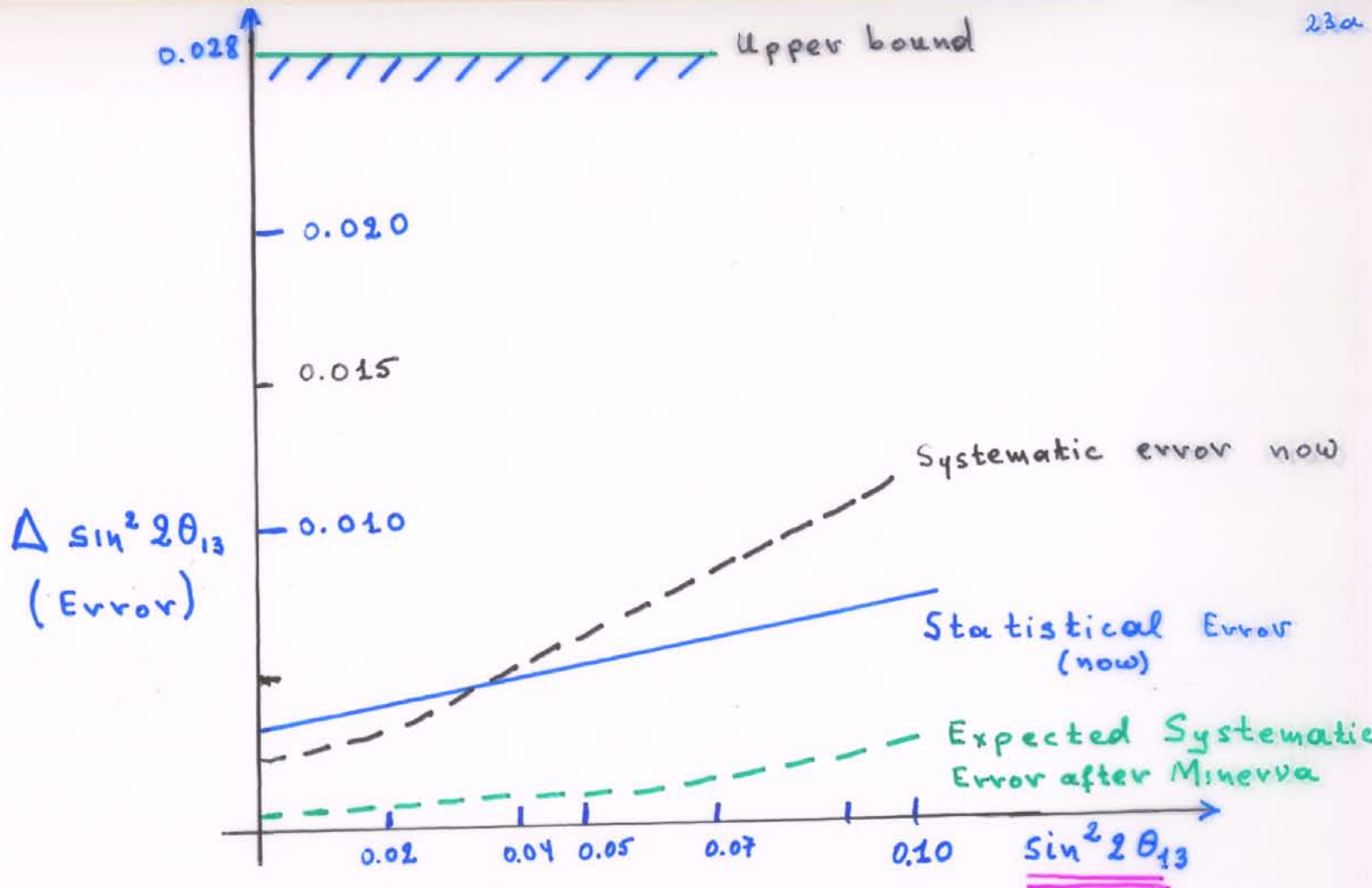


Fig. 3. Ratio  $R_{PWIA}$  (see Eq. (3)) as function of  $q_A/q_0$  where  $q_0$  is the momentum transfer at the first minimum of the form factor. The scale corresponds to the 220 MeV data, the 265, 315 MeV data are scaled down by factors 10, 100.

$q_0$  - position of 1<sup>st</sup> minimum  
For 220 MeV  $A^2$ -depo



IMPORTANCE (IMPACT) OF  
BETTER ACCURACY

## SUMMARY

1. Structure of Form Factors for  $\Delta$  at 5% level
2. Form factors for higher resonances
3. Nuclear corrections: Ratios  $\pi^+:\pi^0:\pi^-$ ,  $\sigma_{abs}(W), \dots$
4. Connections to other approaches:
  - Nuclear correlations (particle-hole)
  - QCD (Color transparency) <sup>Martean</sup> ??? )
  - particle-hole excitation  $\Leftrightarrow \sigma_{abs}(W)$
5. GROWTH OF INCOHERENT BACKGROUND TO BECOME DIS.
6. COHERENT SCATTERING (Diffractive Scatt.)
7. Estimates of theoretical uncertainties for  $\theta_{13}, \sin\delta, \dots$