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# Imaging Hadrons using Lattice QCD

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Exploring Hadrons with Electromagnetic Probes:  
Structure, Excitations, Interactions

# Introduction

- Measures of Hadron Structure and Lattice QCD
- 1-D hadron Structure - Parton Distribution Functions and Form Factors
- 3-D Measures: (Moments of)
  - Generalized Parton Distributions
  - TMDs
- New Developments in LQCD: LaMET, Quasi-distributions, Pseudo-Distributions
- Summary

# Measures of Hadron Structure

5D

Wigner distributions

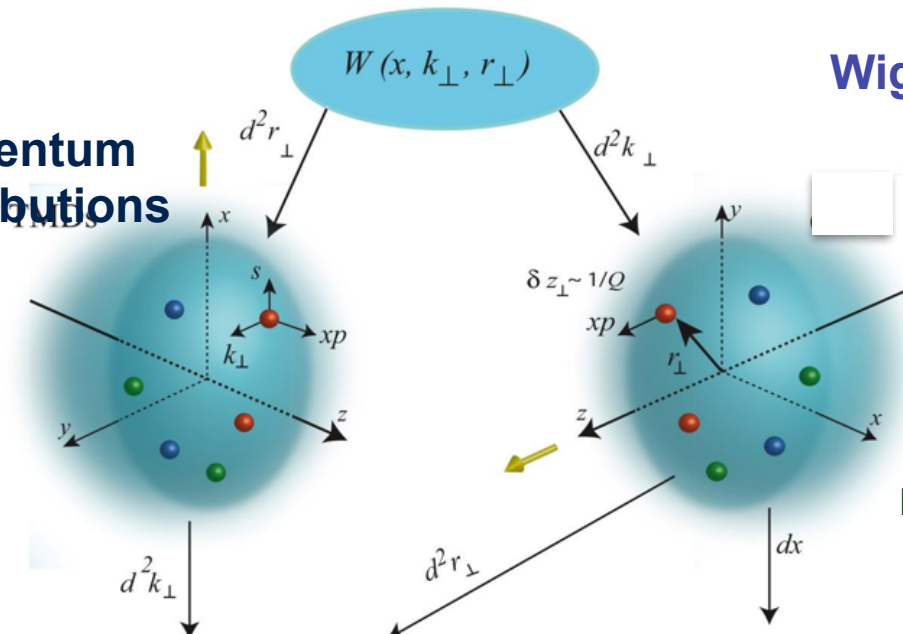
Transverse Momentum  
Dependent Distributions  
(TMDs)

Generalized Parton  
Distributions (GPDs)

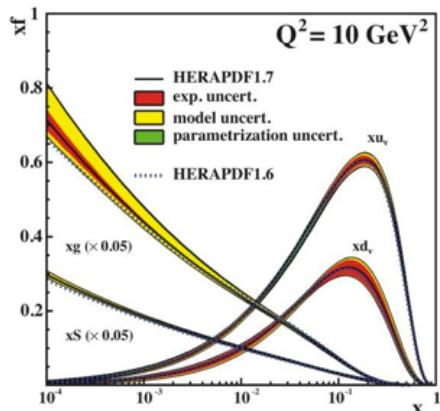
3D

Bjorken-x and  
transverse  
momentum

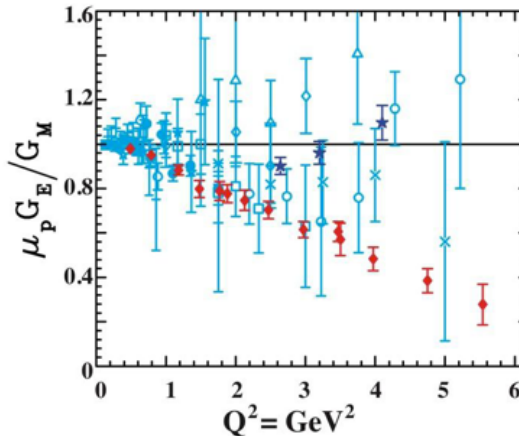
Bjorken-x and impact parameter



Parton Distribution Functions



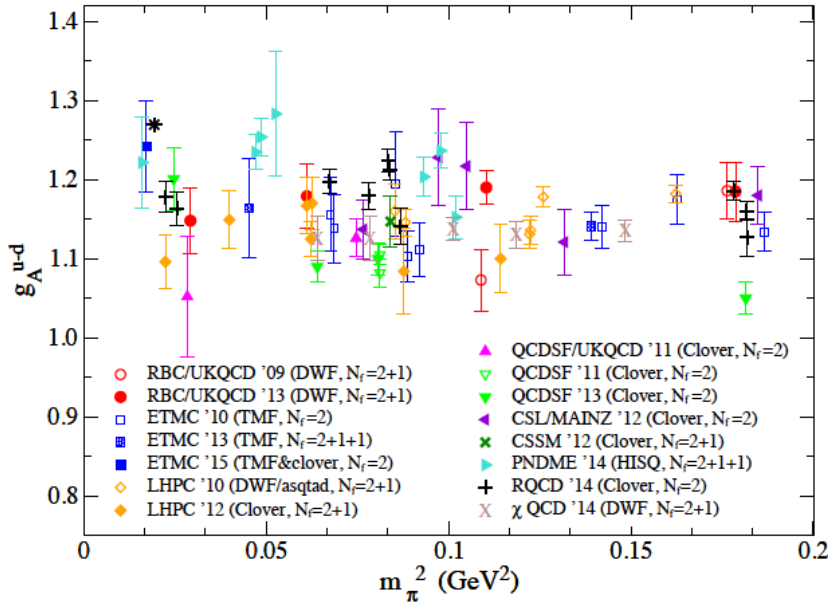
Form Factors



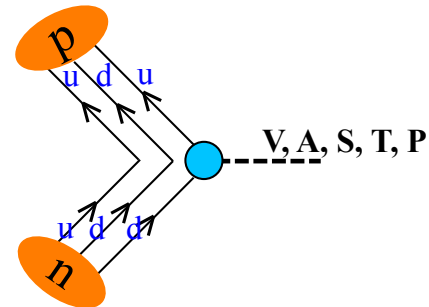
1D

# 1D Structure - Charges and Precision

M Constantinou, arXiv:1511.00214



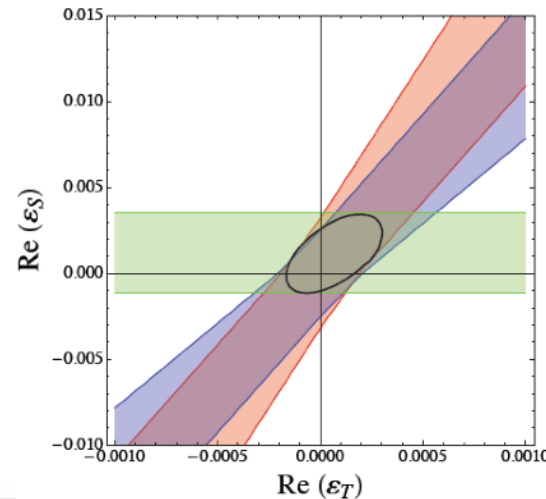
e.g. novel interactions probed in ultra-cold neutron decay



$$H_{eff} \supset G_F \left[ \varepsilon_S \bar{u}d \times \bar{e}(1-\gamma_5)v_e + \varepsilon_T \bar{u}\sigma_{\mu\nu}d \times \bar{e}\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1-\gamma_5)v_e \right]$$

$$g_S = Z_S \langle p | \bar{u}d | n \rangle \quad g_T = Z_T \langle p | \bar{u}\sigma_{\mu\nu}d | n \rangle$$

- Governs beta-decay rate
- Important for proton-proton fusion rate in solar models
- Benchmark for lattice QCD calculations of hadron structure



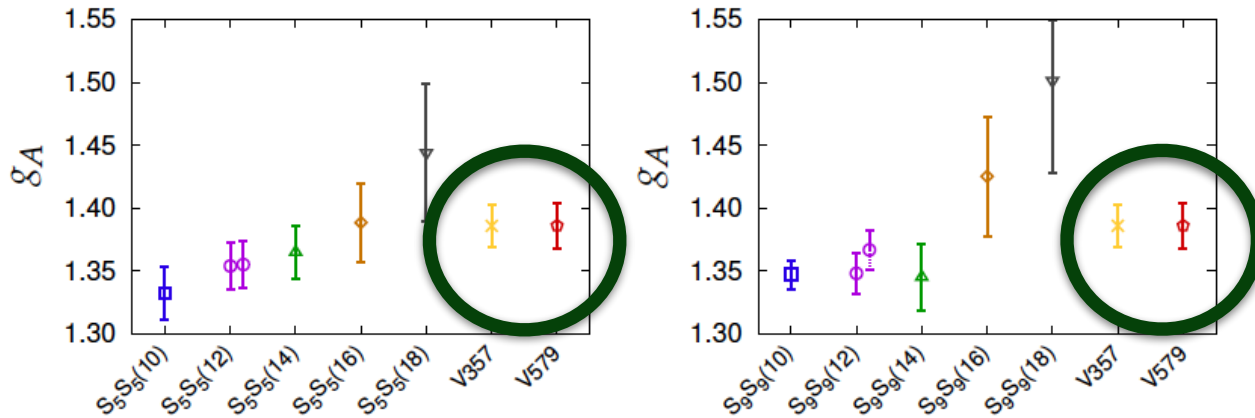
R Gupta, 2014

# Systematic Uncertainties

Yoon et al., Phys. Rev. D 93, 114506 (2016)

Failure to isolating **ground state** leads to important systematic uncertainty.

Variational Method



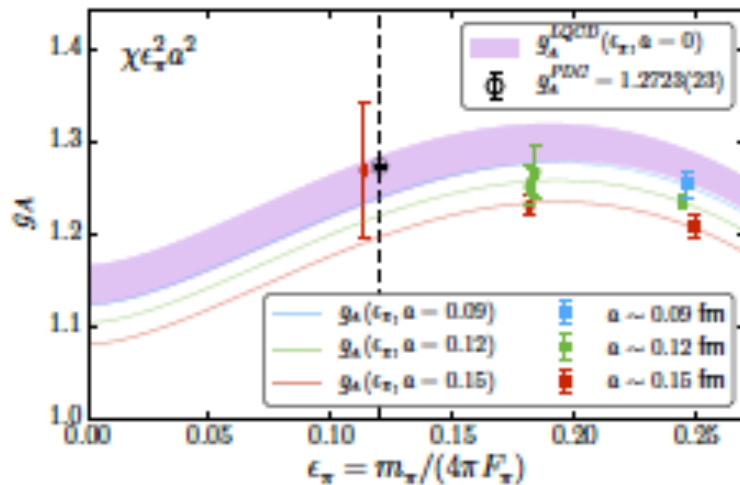
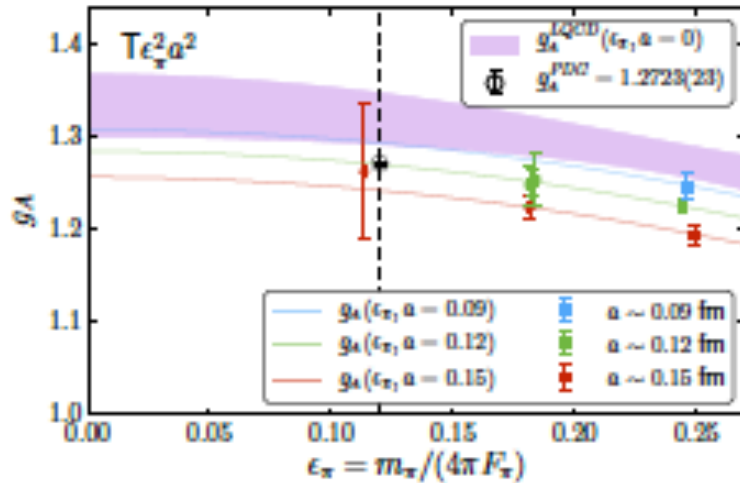
Yoon et al., Phys. Rev. D 95, 074508 (2017)

ID	Lattice Theory	$a$ fm	$M_\pi$ (MeV)	$g_A^{u-d}$	$g_S^{u-d}$	$g_T^{u-d}$	$g_V^{u-d}$
$a127m285$	2+1 clover-on-clover	0.127(2)	285(6)	1.249(28)	0.89(5)	1.023(21)	1.014(28)
$a12m310$	2+1+1 clover-on-HISQ	0.121(1)	310(3)	1.229(14)	0.84(4)	1.055(36)	0.969(22)
$a094m280$	2+1 clover-on-clover	0.094(1)	278(3)	1.208(33)	0.99(9)	0.973(36)	0.998(26)
$a09m310$	2+1+1 clover-on-HISQ	0.089(1)	313(3)	1.231(33)	0.84(10)	1.024(42)	0.975(33)
$a091m170$	2+1 clover-on-clover	0.091(1)	166(2)	1.210(19)	0.86(9)	0.996(23)	1.012(21)
$a09m220$	2+1+1 clover-on-HISQ	0.087(1)	226(2)	1.249(35)	0.80(12)	1.039(36)	0.969(32)
$a09m130$	2+1+1 clover-on-HISQ	0.087(1)	138(1)	1.230(29)	0.90(11)	0.975(38)	0.971(32)

Consistency between different actions

Matrix Elements of 1st excited state?

# Feynman-Hellman Method



Berkowitz et al, arXiv:1704.01114

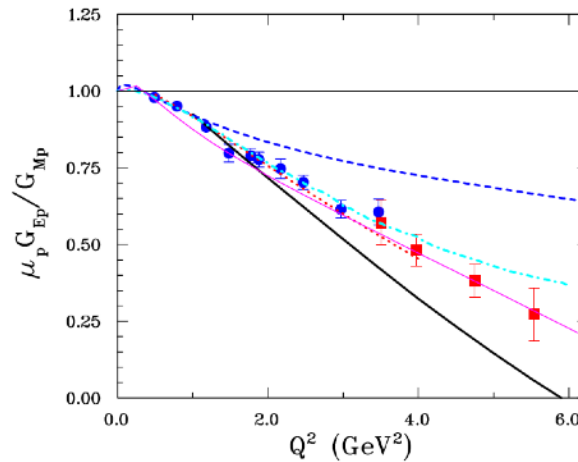
Calculation using Feynman-Hellman Theory

$$H = H_0 + \lambda H_\lambda$$

$$\frac{\partial E_n}{\partial \lambda} = \langle n | H_\lambda | n \rangle$$

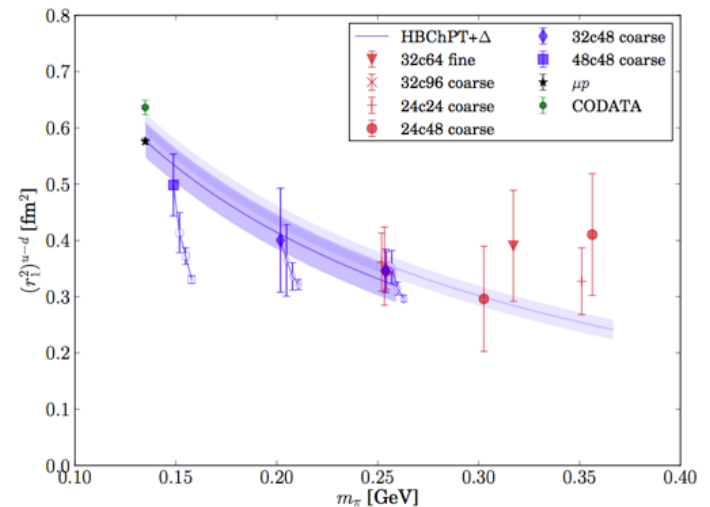
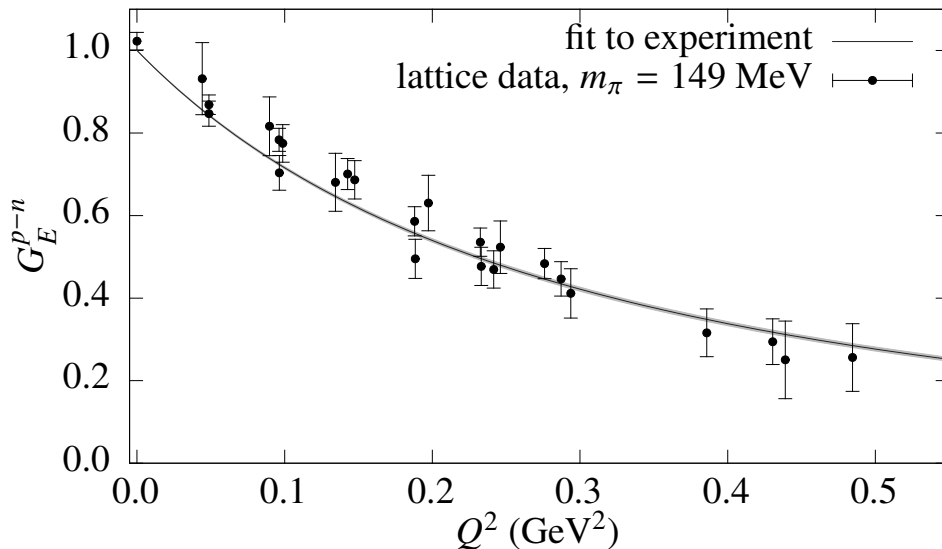
Reduces to calculation of energy-shift of two-point functions **but** repeat the calculation for each operator

# 1D Structure: EM Form Factors

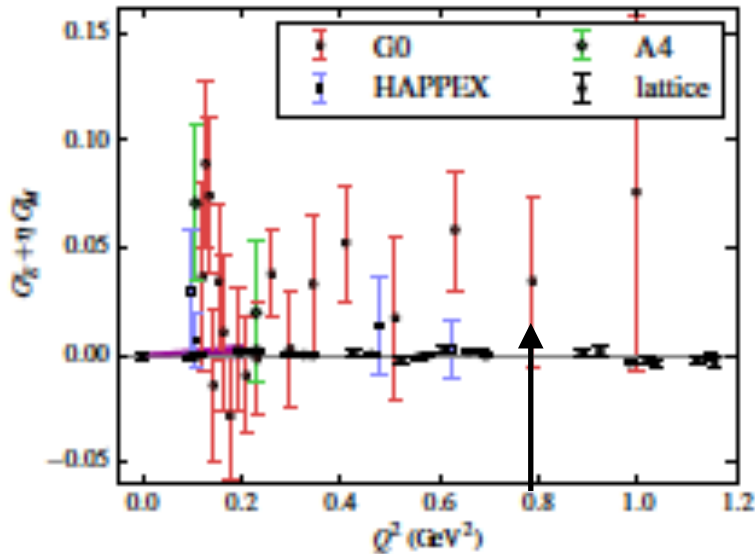


Large  $Q^2$  behavior: Hall C at JLab to 15 GeV<sup>2</sup>

Green et al (LHPC), Phys. Rev. D 90, 074507 (2014)



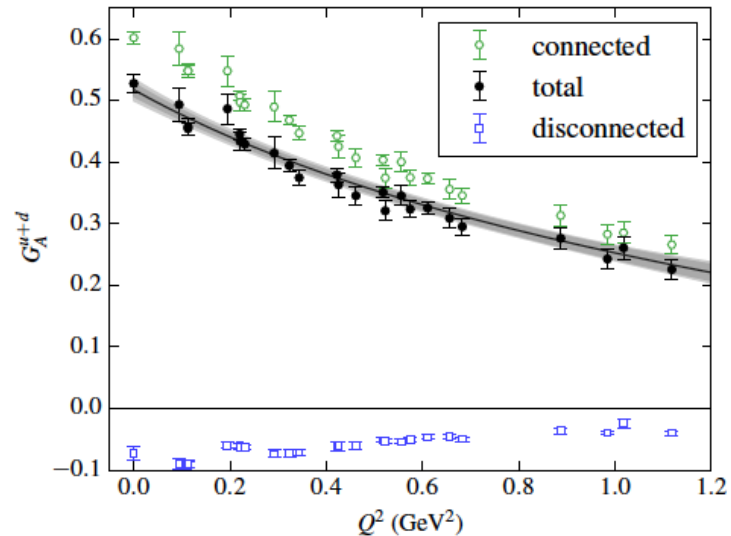
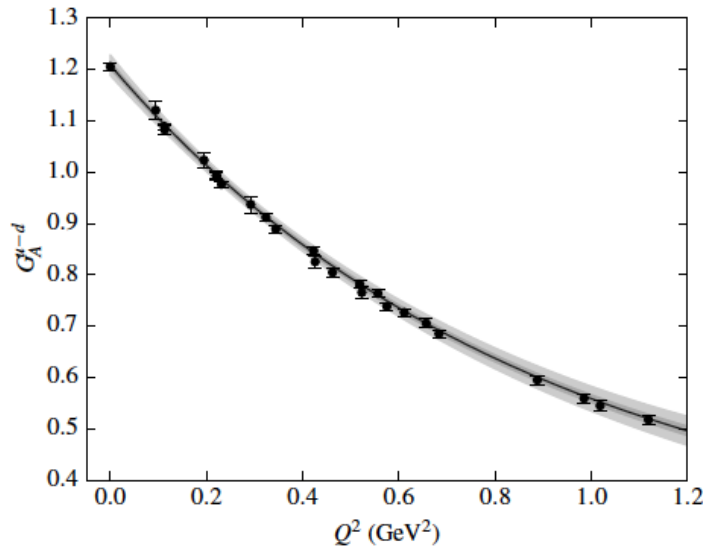
# Sea Quark Contributions



J. Green, K. Orginos et al., Phys. Rev. D 92, 031501 (2015); Phys. Rev. D 95, 114502 (2017)

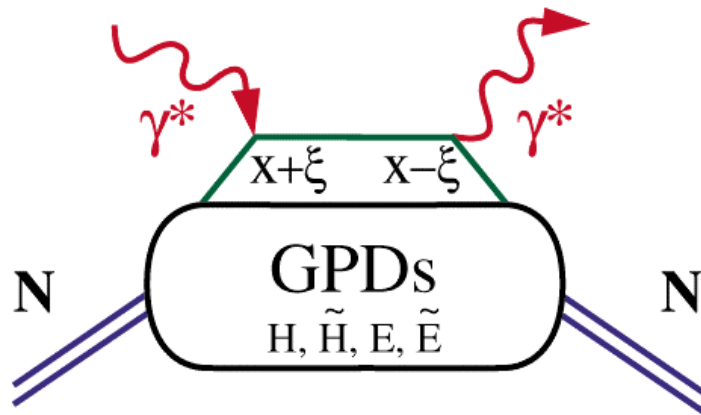
Using *Hierarchical Probing* - A. Stathopoulos, J. Laeuchli, K. Orginos (2013)

Combination *measured* in expt





# Generalized Parton Distributions



D. Muller *et al* (1994), X. Ji, Radyushkin (1996)

$$\bar{u}(P') \left( \gamma^+ H(x, \xi, t) + i \frac{\sigma^{\tau n} \Delta_k}{2m} E(x, \xi, t) \right) u(P) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\omega^-}{4\pi} e^{-i\xi P^+ \omega^-} \langle P' | T \bar{\psi}(0, \omega^-, O_T) W(\omega^-, 0) \gamma^+ \frac{\lambda^a}{2} \psi(0) | P \rangle$$

- Light-cone distributions not accessible in Euclidean-space QCD

$$\int_{-1}^1 dx x^{n-1} \begin{bmatrix} H(x, \xi, t) \\ E(x, \xi, t) \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{k=0}^{(n-1)/2} (2\xi)^{2k} \begin{bmatrix} A_{n,2k}(t) \\ B_{n,2k}(t) \end{bmatrix} \pm \delta_{n,\text{even}} (2\xi)^n C_n(t)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\mathcal{O}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_n} = i^{n-1} \bar{\psi} \gamma^{\{\mu_1} D^{\mu_2} \dots D^{\mu_n\}} \frac{\lambda^a}{2} \psi$$

# Parametrizations of GPDs

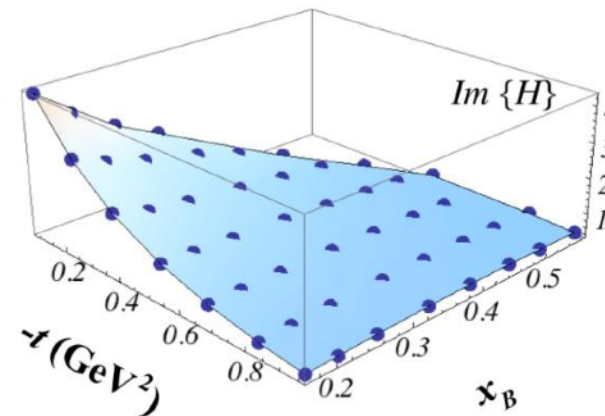
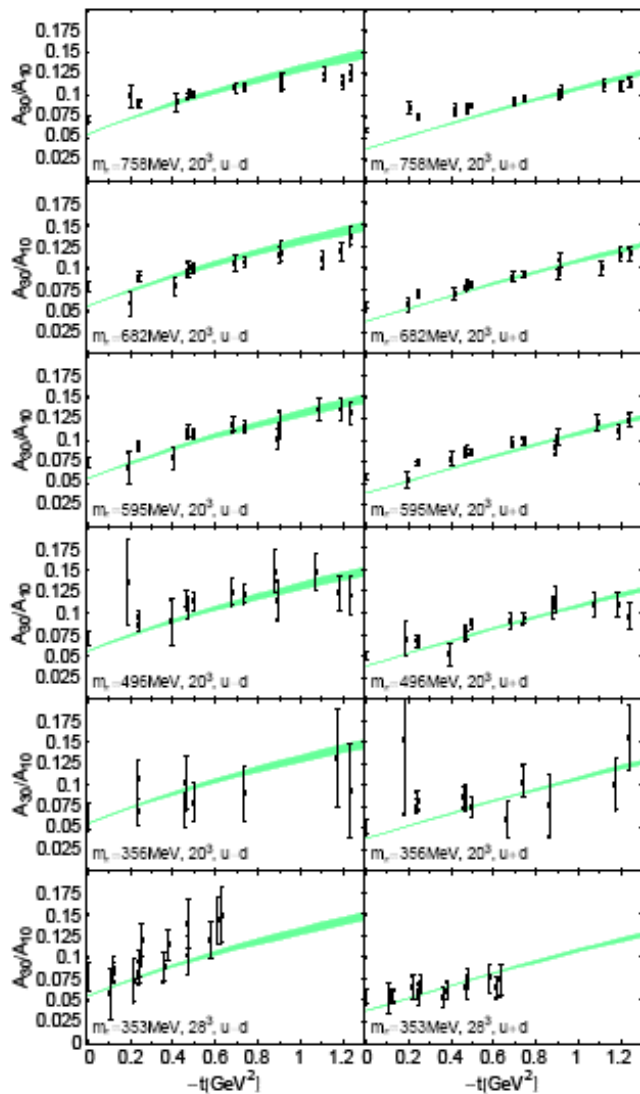
LHPC, Haegler et al., Phys. Rev. D  
77, 094502 (2008);  
Phys.Rev.D82:094502,2010

Provide phenomenological guidance for  
GPD's

– *CTEQ, Nucleon Form Factors, Regge*

Comparison with *Diehl et al,*  
[hep-ph/0408173](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/0408173)

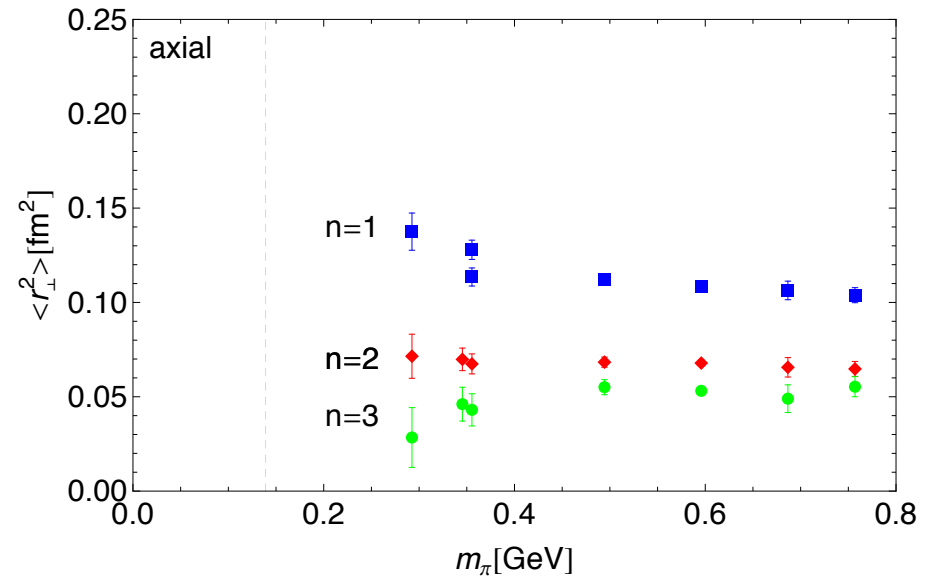
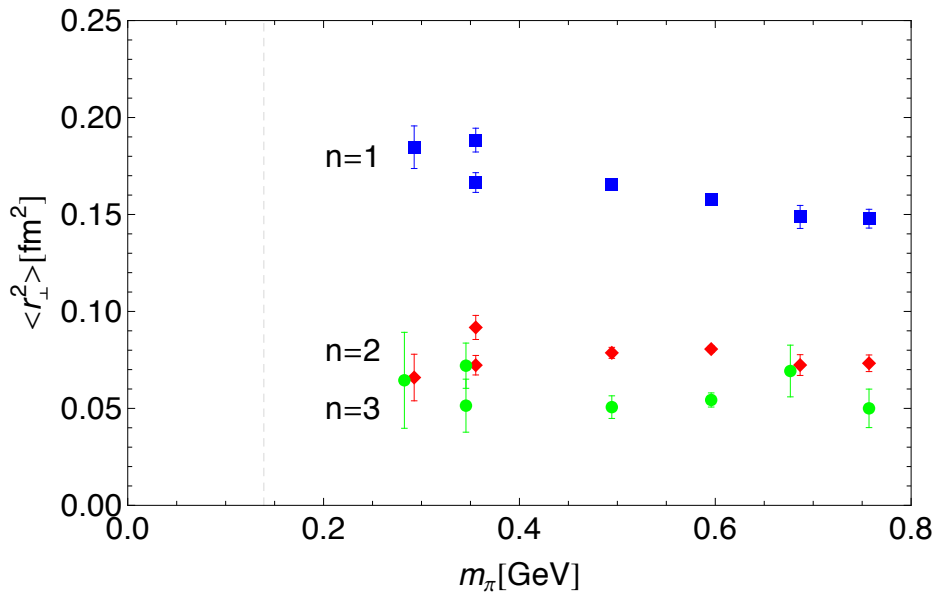
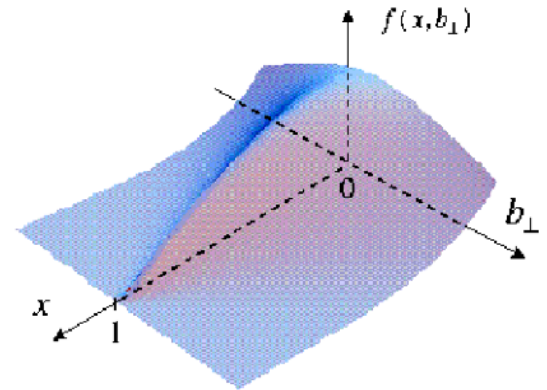
**Important Role for LQCD**



# Charge Radius of GFFs

Lattice results consistent with narrowing of transverse size with increasing  $x$

*Flattening of GFFs with increasing  $n$*



# Orbital Angular Momentum

- Total orbital angular momentum carried by quarks small
- Orbital angular momentum carried by individual quark flavours substantial.

$$J^q = 1/2 (A_{20}^q(t=0) + B_{20}^q(t=0))$$

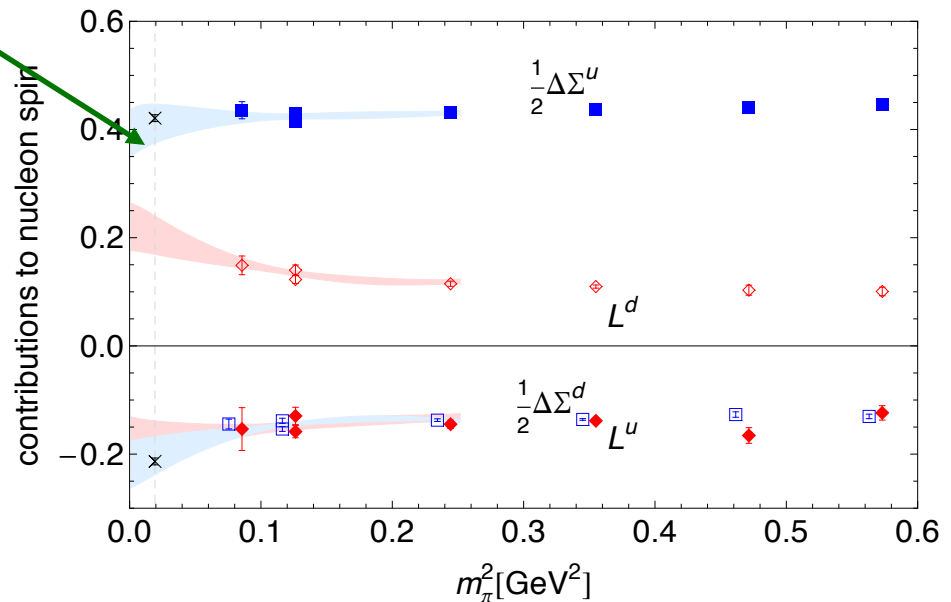
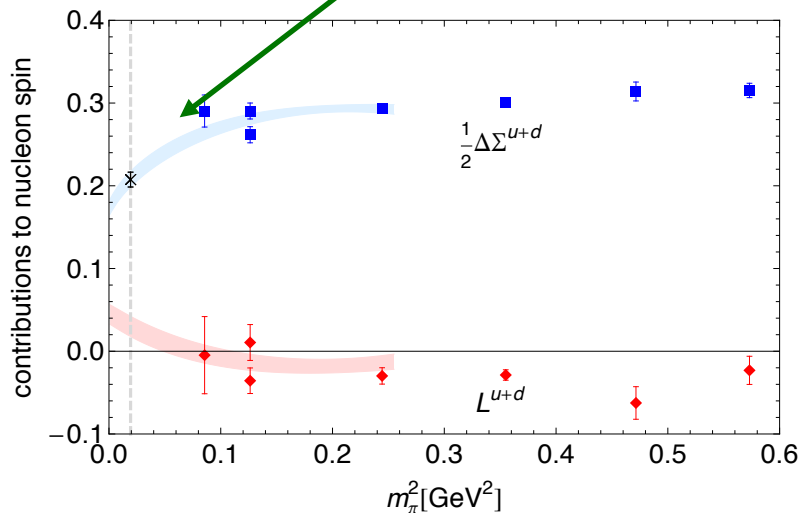
$$\Delta\Sigma^q/2 = \tilde{A}_{10}^q(t=0)/2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}\Delta\Sigma^{u+d} + L^{u+d} + J^g$$

Mathur et al., *Phys.Rev. D62 (2000) 114504*

LHPC, Haegler et al.,  
*Phys. Rev. D 77, 094502 (2008); arXiv.1001.3620*

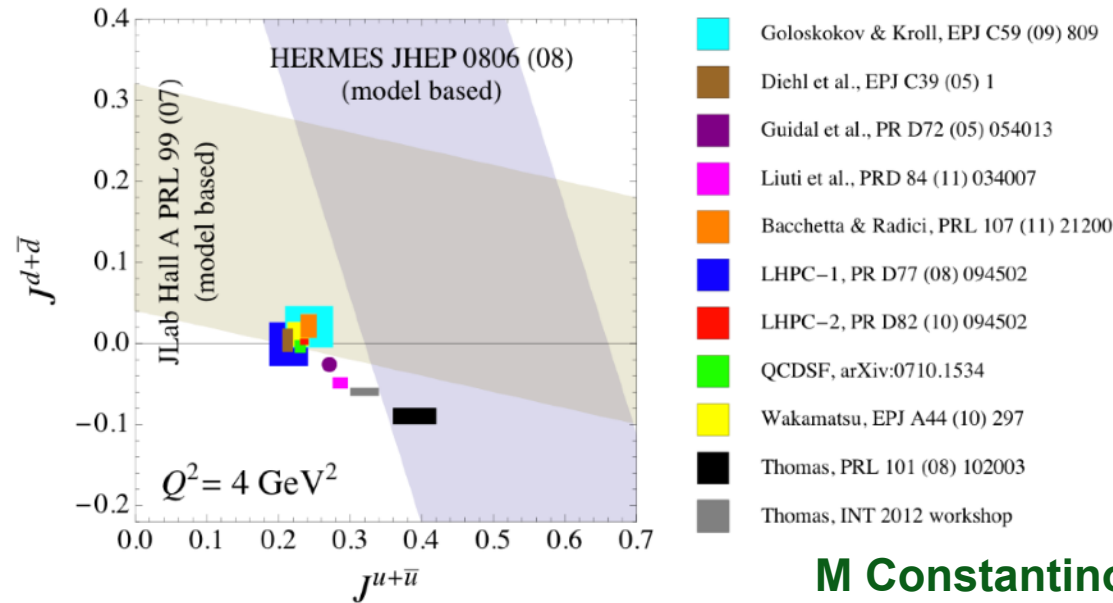
HERMES, PRD75 (2007)



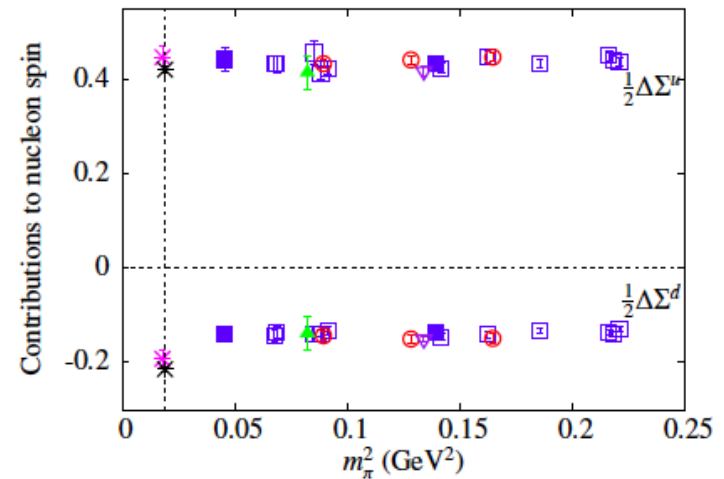
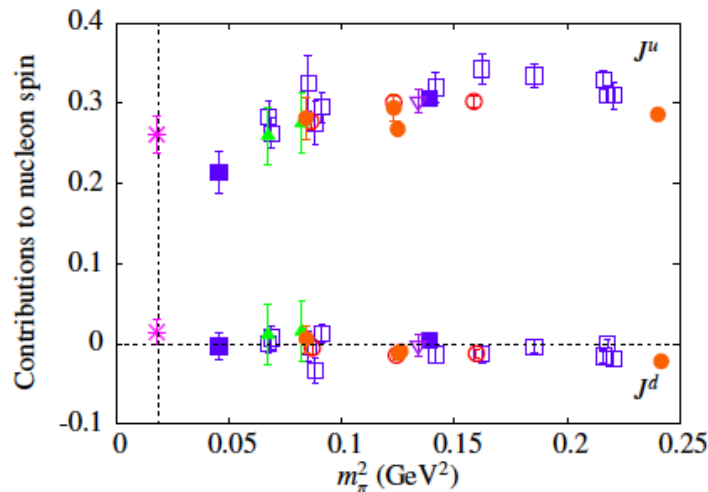
*Disconnected contributions neglected.*

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# Origin of Nucleon Spin - II



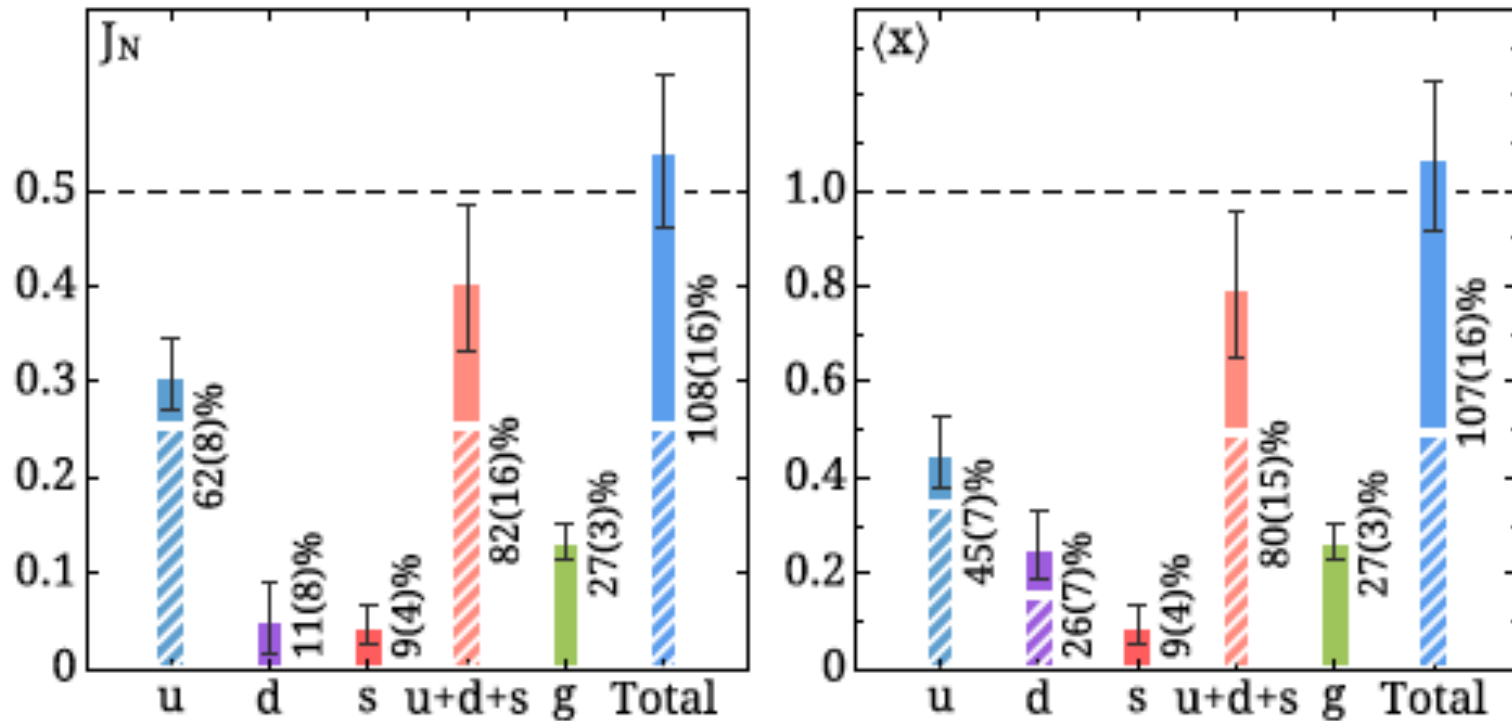
M Constantinou, arXiv:1511.00214



# Spin and Momentum Decomposition

Gluonic observables “statistically challenging”

Twisted-Mass Fermions: C.Alexandrou et al, arXiv:1706.02973

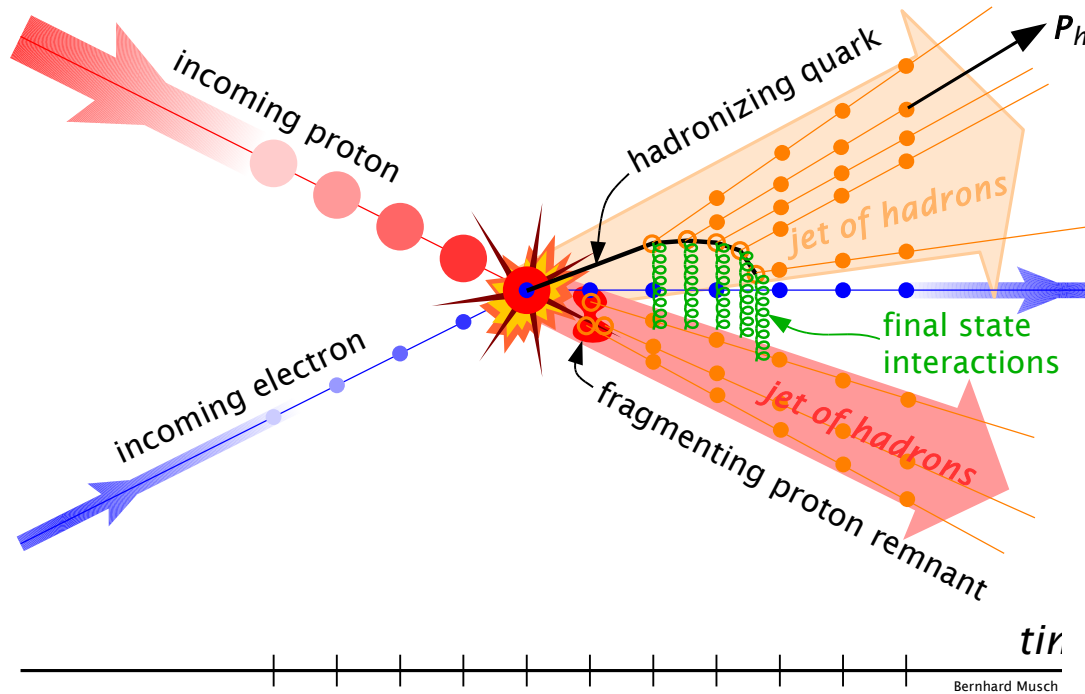


→ Momentum and Spin Sum Rules Satisfied

# Transverse momentum distributions (TMDs)

**from experiment, e.g., SIDIS** (semi-inclusive deep inelastic scattering) + DY

HERMES, COMPASS, JLab 12 GeV, RHIC-spin, EIC, DY



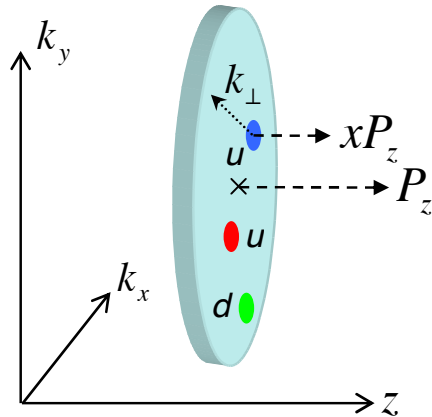
Slide: B. Musch

$q \backslash N$	$U$	$L$	$T$
$U$	$f_1$		$h_1^\perp$ ← Boer-Mulders
$L$		$g_1$	$h_{1L}^\perp$
$T$	$f_{1T}^\perp$ ← Sivers	$g_{1T}$	$h_1$ $h_{1T}^\perp$

← time-reversal odd

**final state interactions!**  
 explain large asymmetries otherwise forbidden!  
**signature of QCD!**

# TMDs in Lattice QCD



B. Musch, PhD Thesis; Haegler, Musch, Negele, Schafer arXiv:0908.1283

Introduce Momentum-space correlators

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_\Gamma &= \int d(n \cdot k) \int \frac{d^4 l}{2(2\pi)^4} e^{-ik \cdot l} \tilde{\Phi}_\Gamma(l; P, S) \\ &= \int d(n \cdot k) \int \frac{d^4 l}{2(2\pi)^4} e^{-ik \cdot l} \langle P, S | \bar{q}(l) \Gamma \mathcal{U} q(0) | P, S \rangle\end{aligned}$$

continuum

$$\mathcal{U} \equiv \mathcal{P} \exp \left( -ig \int_0^\ell d\xi^\mu A_\mu(\xi) \right)$$

along path from 0 to  $\ell$



**SIDIS:** path runs to infinity



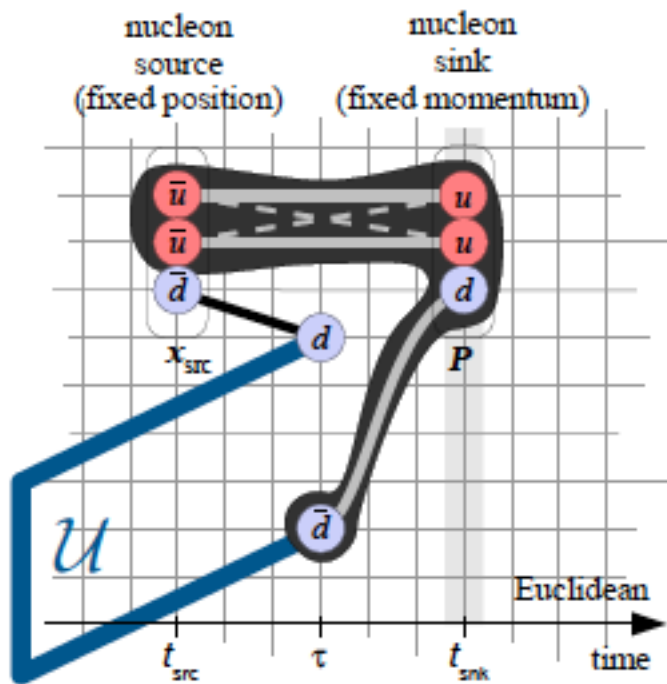
**Lattice:** equal time slice

Choice of path - retain gauge invariance

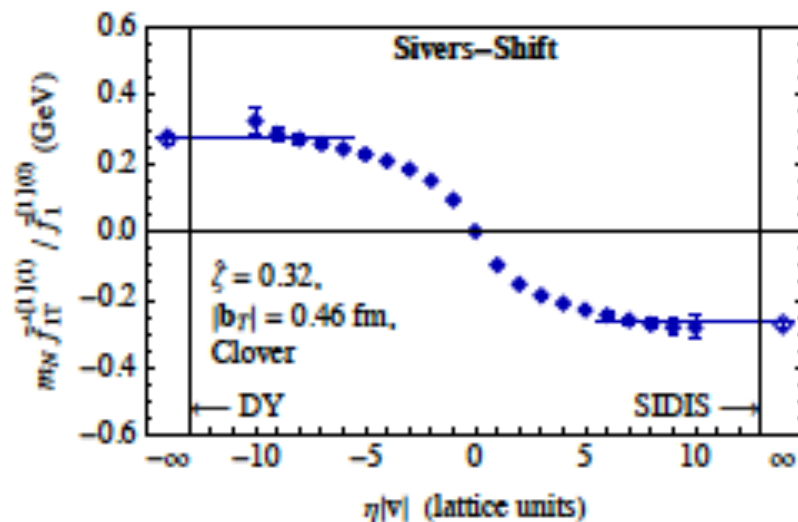
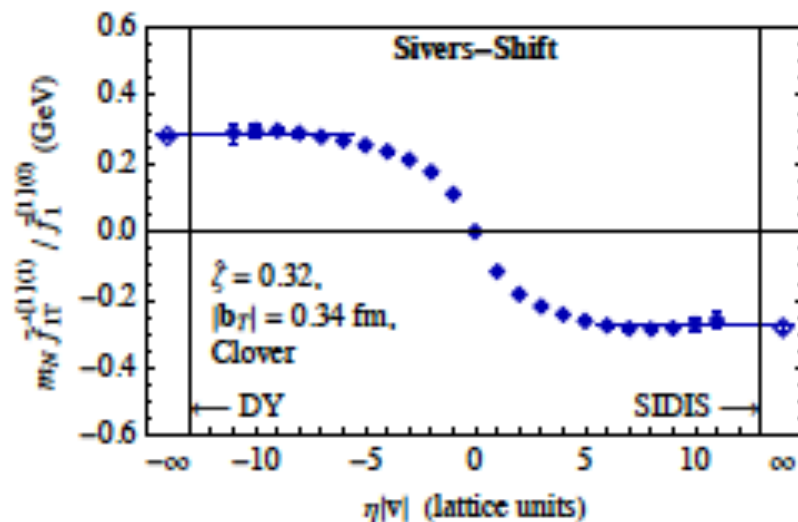


# Transverse momentum distributions (TMDs)

## Lattice QCD



B. Musch et al., Phys.Rev. D85 (2012) 094510;  
M. Engelhardt, Lattice 2014  
Yoon et al, arXiv:1706.03606



# Two Challenges....

- Euclidean lattice precludes the calculation of light-cone correlation functions
  - So... ..Use *Operator-Product-Expansion* to formulate in terms of *Mellin Moments* with respect to *Bjorken x*.

$$q(x, \mu) = \int \frac{d\xi^-}{4\pi} e^{-ix\xi^- P^+} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(\xi^-) \gamma^+ e^{-ig \int_0^{\xi^-} d\eta^- A^+(\eta^-)} \psi(0) | P \rangle$$

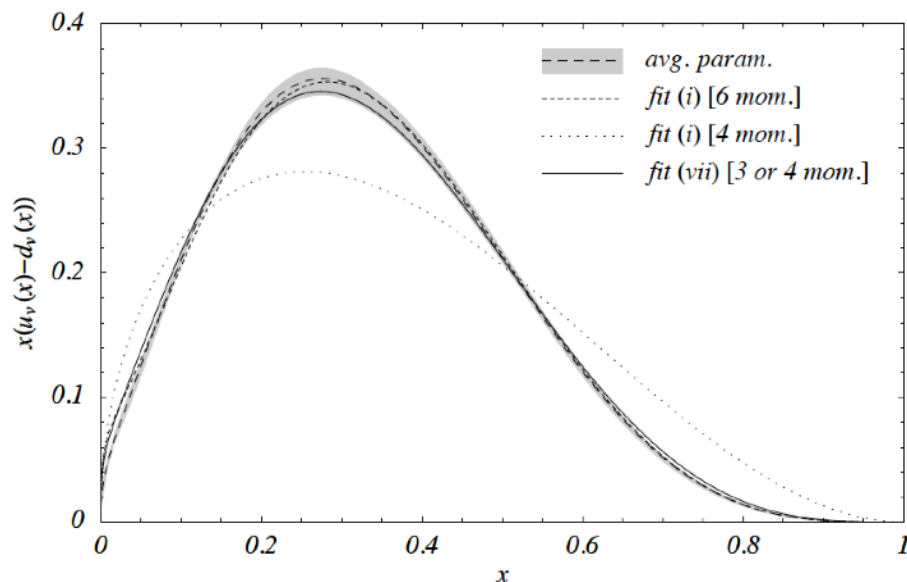


$$\langle P | \bar{\psi} \gamma_{\mu_1} (\gamma_5) D_{\mu_2} \dots D_{\mu_n} \psi | P \rangle \rightarrow P_{\mu_1} \dots P_{\mu_n} a^{(n)}$$

- *Generalized Parton Distributions (off-forward): GPDs*
  - *Quark Distribution Amplitudes in exclusive processes: PDAs*
  - *(Transverse-Momentum-Dependent Distributions): TMDs*
- Discretisation, and hence reduced symmetry of the lattice, introduces power-divergent mixing for  $N > 3$  moment.

# Higher Moments of Parton Distributions

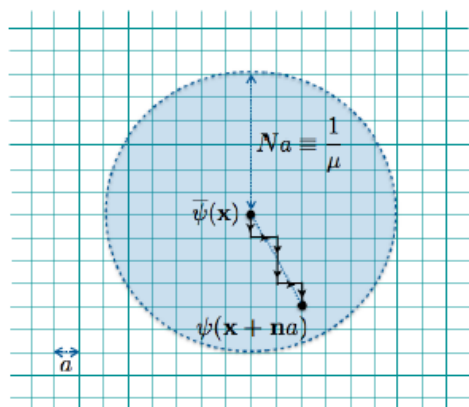
$$x(u_v(x) - d_v(x)) = ax^b(1-x)^c(1 + \epsilon\sqrt{x} + \gamma x)$$



## IsoVector Distribution

Need to constrain parameters from phenomenology.

Detmold, Melnitchouk, Thomas  
Eur.Phys.J.direct C3:1-15,2001



Use **improved, extended operators** to reduce power-divergent mixing. c.f. restoration of rotational symmetry for interpolating operators in spectroscopy

Davoudi and Savage, PRD86, 054505 (2012)

# Quasi Distributions

- A solution, **LaMET** (Large Momentum Effective Theory) was proposed by X.Ji  
**X. Ji, Phys. Rev. Lett. 110 (2013) 262002**

$$q(x, \mu^2, P^z) = \int \frac{dz}{4\pi} e^{izk^z} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^z e^{-ig \int_0^z dz' A^z(z')} \psi(0) | P \rangle + \mathcal{O}((\Lambda^2 / (P^z)^2), M^2 / (P^z)^2)$$

- Quasi distributions approach light-cone distributions in limit of large  $P^z$

$$q(x, \mu^2, P^z) = \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} Z\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{\mu}{P^z}\right) q(y, \mu^2) + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda^2 / (P^z)^2, M^2 / (P^z)^2)$$

**Y-Q Ma and J-W Qiu, arXiv:1404.6860**

- Matching and evolution of quasi- and light-cone distributions

Carlson, Freid, arXiv:1702.05775

Isikawa et al., arXiv:1609.02018

Monahan and Orginos, arXiv:1612.01584

Orginos, Radyushkin, et al arXiv:1706.05373 (Pseudo Distributions)

Briceno, Hansen, Monahan, arXiv:1703.06072 (Euclidean Signature)

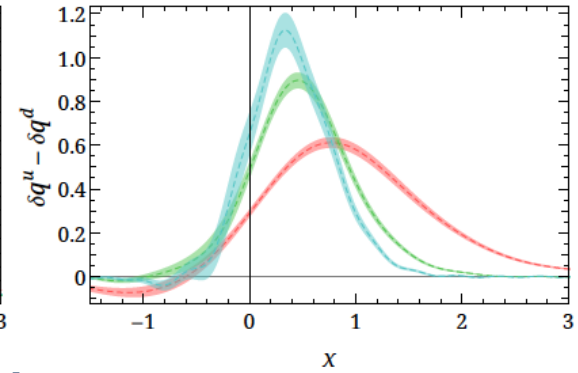
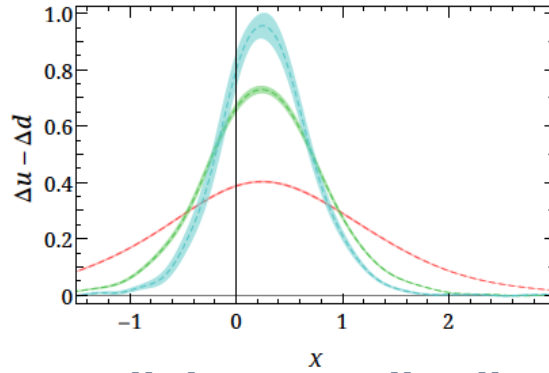
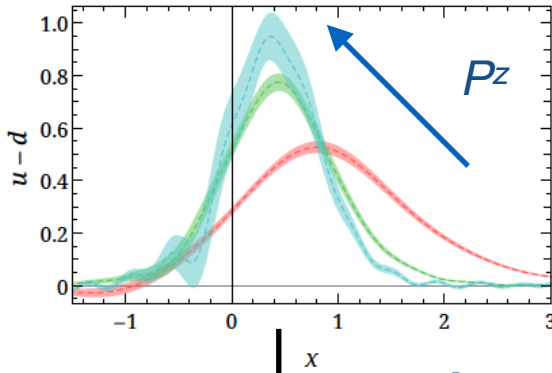
- Direct lattice calculation of hadronic tensor

**K.F. Liu and S.J.Dong, PRL72, 1790 (1994); arXiv:1703.04690**

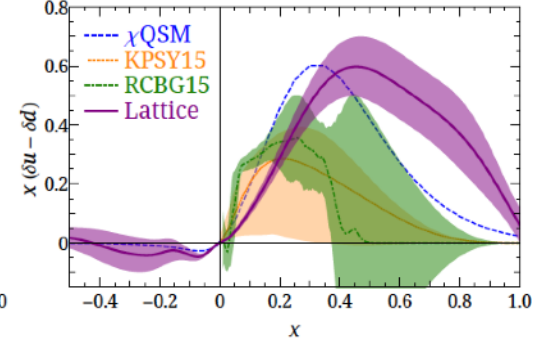
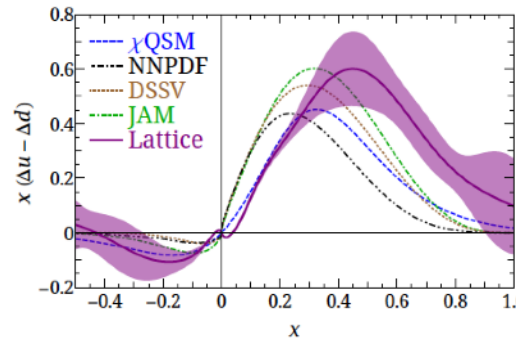
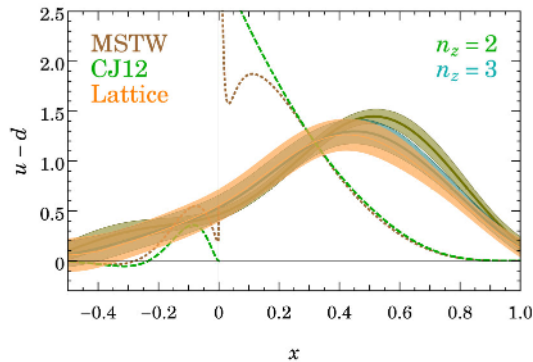
# PDFs

H-W Lin, arXiv:1612.09366

Iso-vector quasi distributions



Iso-vector light-cone distributions



Alexandrou et al., arXiv:1610.03689

# SUMMARY

- Lattice Calculations now have controlled uncertainties for certain key benchmark quantities, and can confront experiment.
  - Ji's sum rule
  - TMDs
  - Narrowing of hadron with increasing  $x$
- Near Frontiers
  - sea quark and *gluonic* contributions to hadron structure.
  - Direct calculations of Bjorken- $x$  dependence
- Capitalizing on Expt + LQCD + Phenomenology

