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HADRON STRUCTURE FROM LQCD

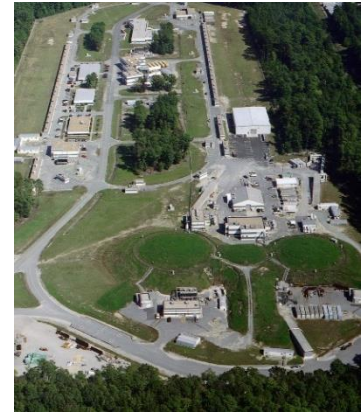


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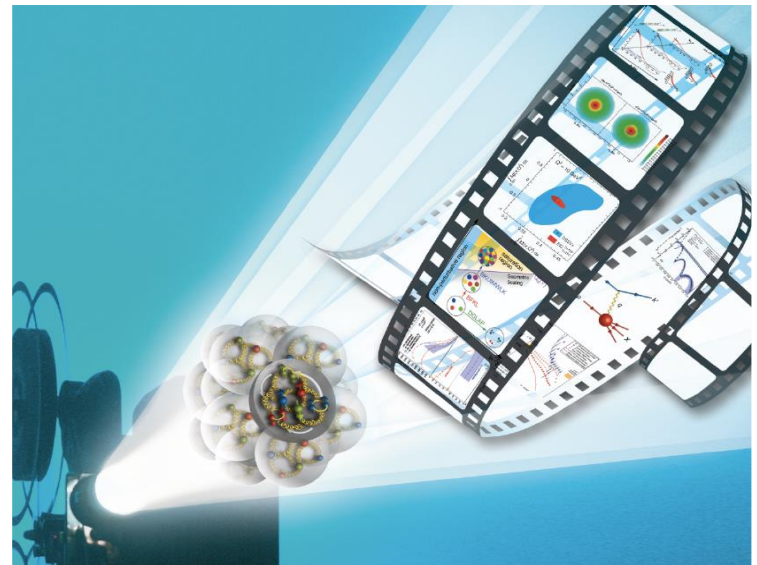


**Electron Ion Collider:
The Next QCD Frontier**

Imaging of the proton

*How are the **sea** quarks and gluons,
and their spins, distributed in space and
momentum inside the nucleon?*

EIC White Paper, 1212.1701



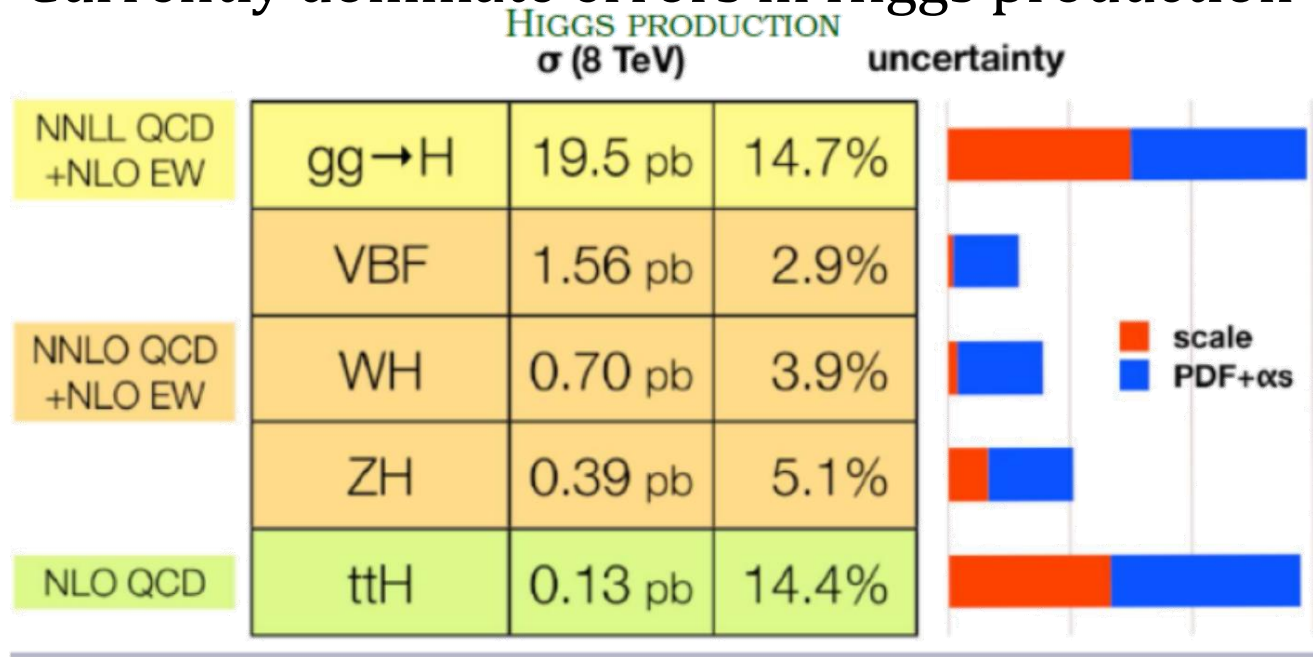
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§ Important inputs to discern new physics at LHC

↪ Currently dominate errors in Higgs production

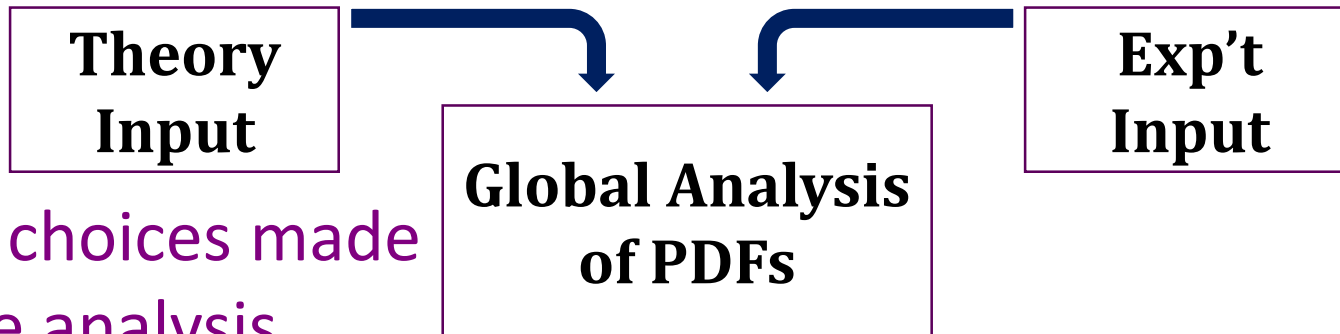


(J. Campbell, HCP2012)

Global Analysis

§ Experiments cover diverse kinematics of parton variables

⇒ Global analysis takes advantage of all data sets



§ Some choices made for the analysis

⇒ Choice of data sets and kinematic cuts

⇒ Strong coupling constant $\alpha_s(M_Z)$

⇒ How to parametrize the distribution

$$xf(x, \mu_0) = a_0 x^{a_1} (1 - x)^{a_2} P(x)$$

⇒ Assumptions imposed

SU(3) flavor symmetry, charge symmetry, strange and sea distributions

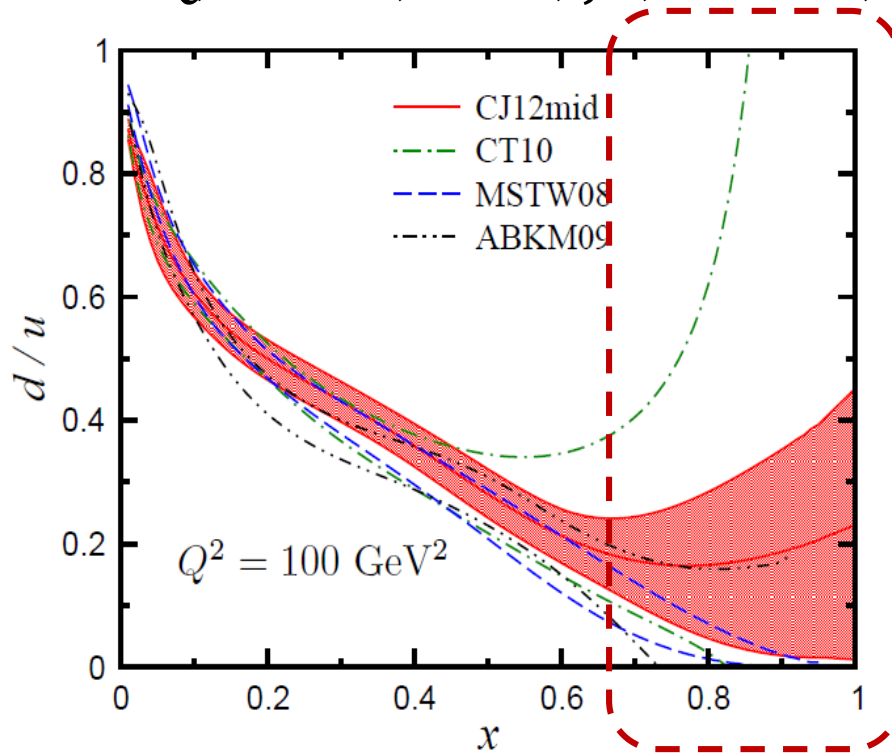
$$s = \bar{s} = \kappa(\bar{u} + \bar{d})$$

Global Analysis

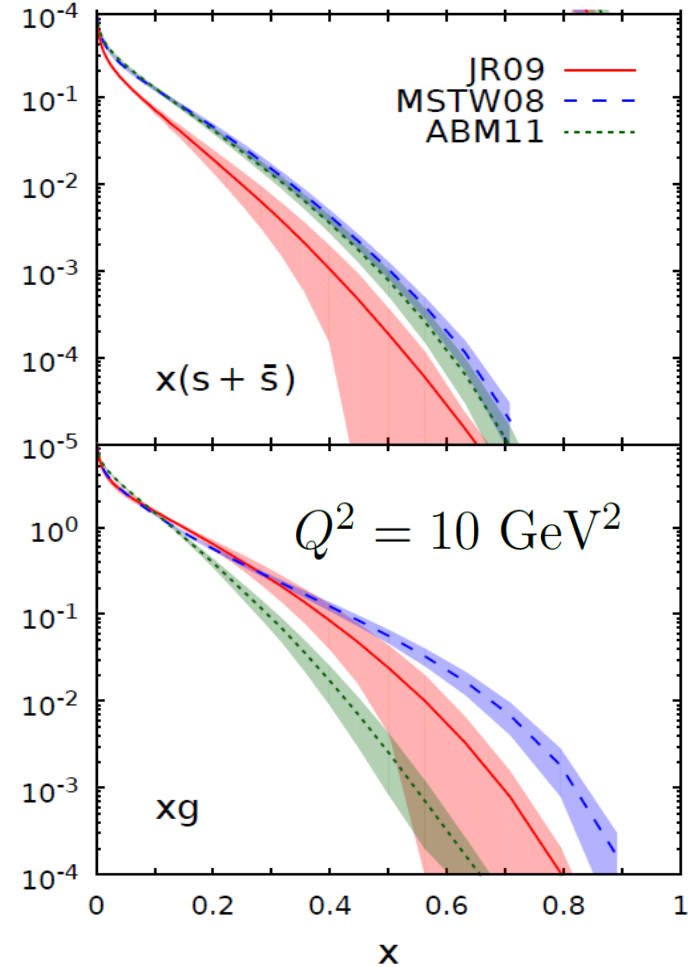
§ Discrepancies appear when data is scarce

§ Many groups have tackled the analysis

∞ CTEQ, MSTW, ABM, JR, NNPDF, etc.



Jimenez-Delgado, Melnitchouk, Owens,
J.Phys. G40 (2013) 09310

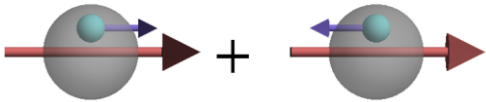


What can we do on the lattice?



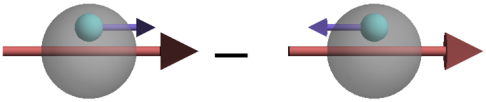
PDFs on the Lattice

§ Lattice calculations rely on operator product expansion,
only provide moments


Quark density/unpolarized

$$\langle x^n \rangle_q = \int_{-1}^1 dx x^n q(x)$$

most well known


Helicity

$$\langle x^n \rangle_{\Delta q} = \int_{-1}^1 dx x^n \Delta q(x)$$

longitudinally polarized



$$\langle x^n \rangle_{\delta q} = \int_{-1}^1 dx x^n \delta q(x)$$

Transversity

transversely polarized

very poorly known

§ True distribution can only be recovered with **all** moments



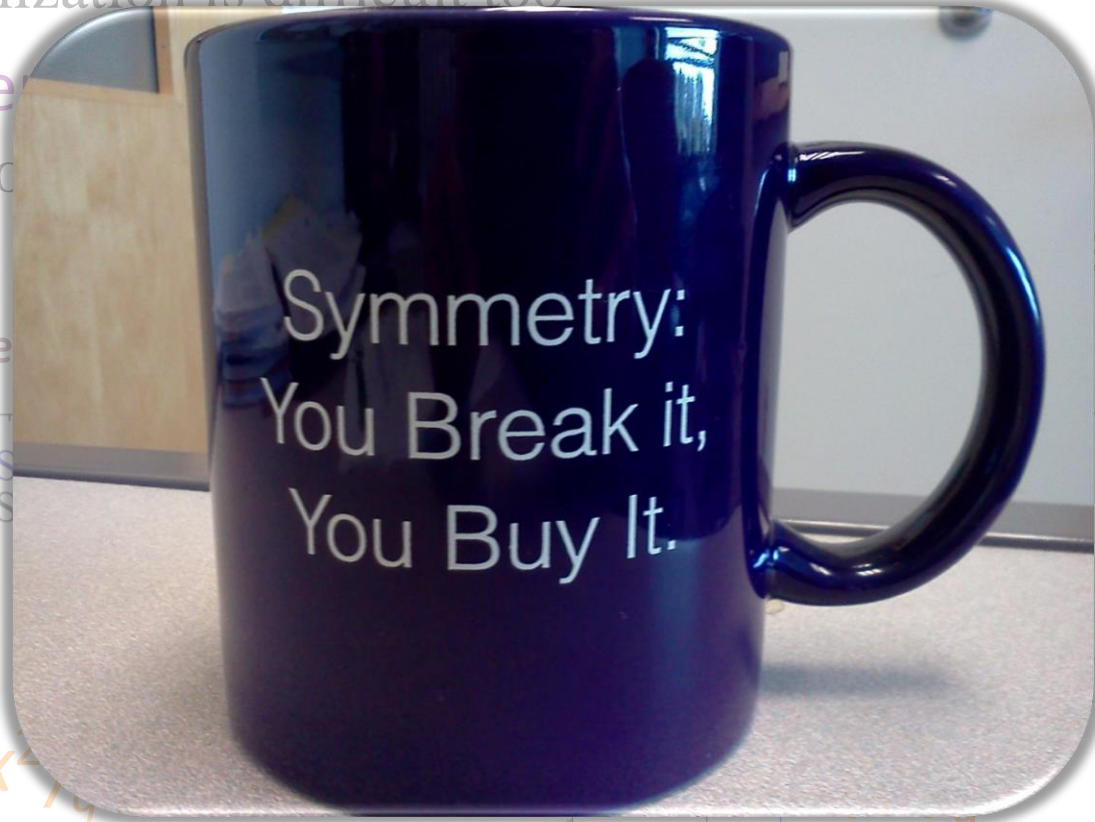
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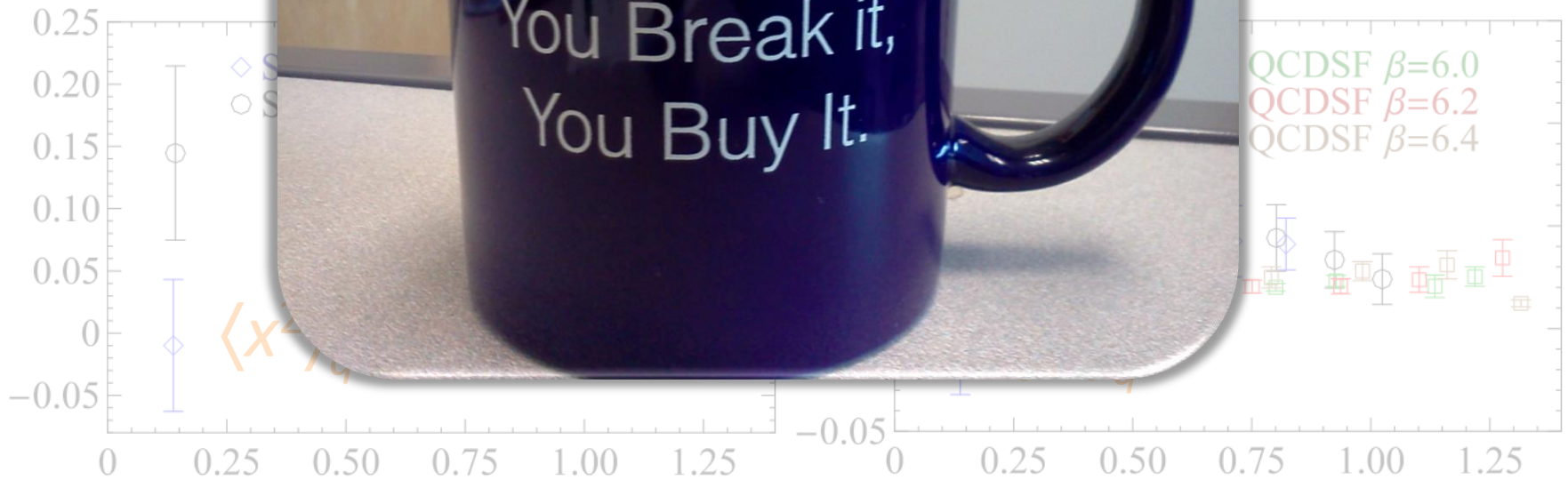
§ Relative error

↪ Calculation



Dolgov et al
Göckeler et al

(SAM):
clover



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§ Relative error grows in higher moments

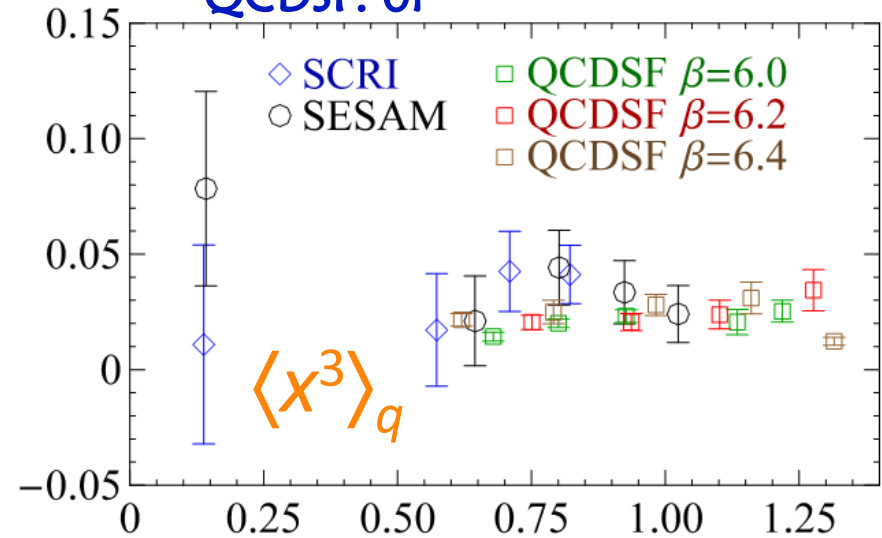
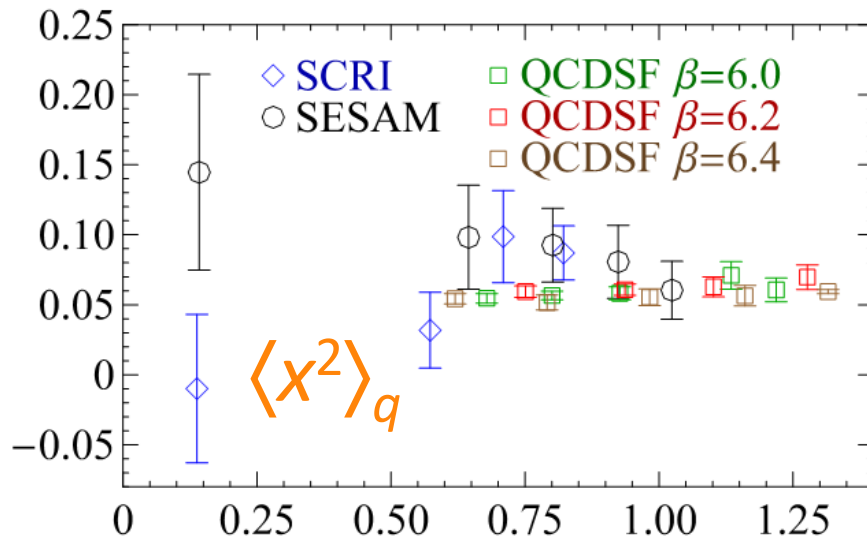
↪ Calculation would be costly and difficult

Dolgov et al. PRD66, 034506 (2002)

Göckeler et al. PRD71, 114511 (2005)

LHPC (SCRI, SESAM):
2f, Wilson and clover

QCDSF: 0f



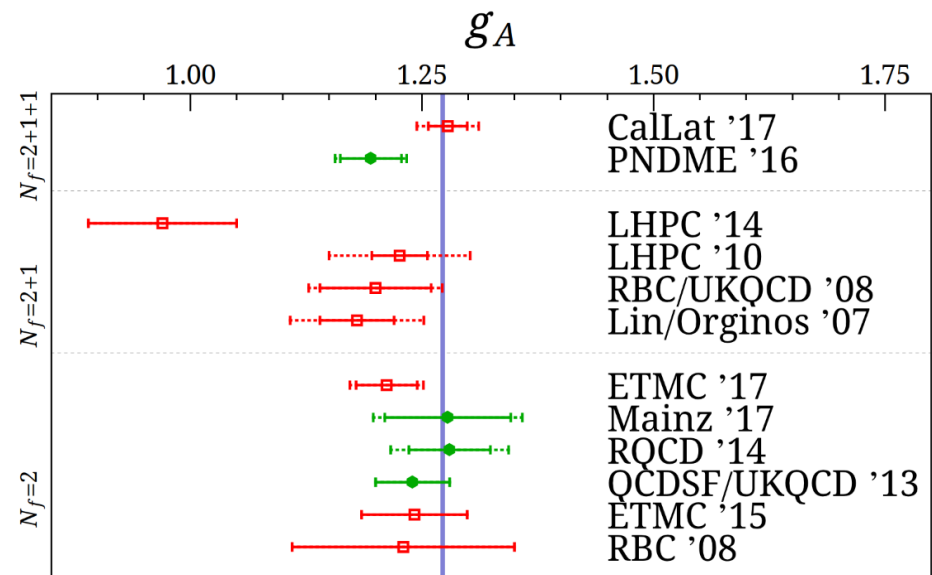
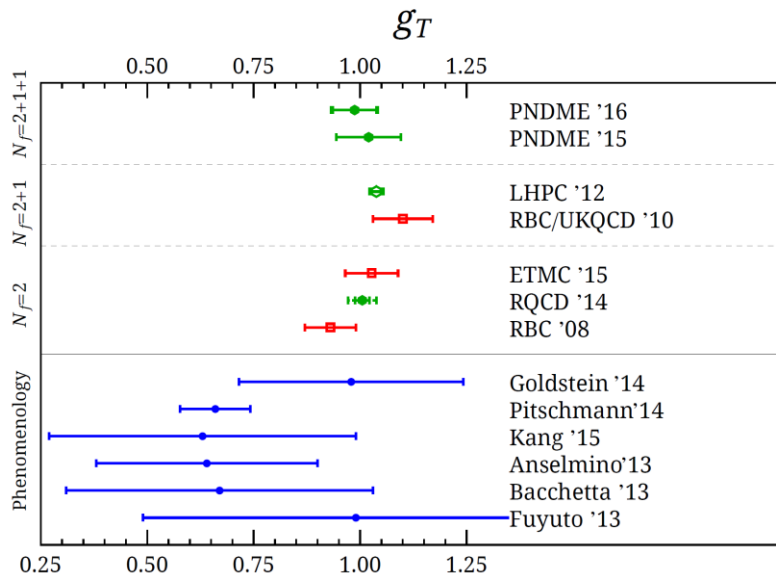
State-of-the-Art Moments

§ FLAG rating system

PNDME, 1506.06411; 1606.07049

§ New: excited-state rating

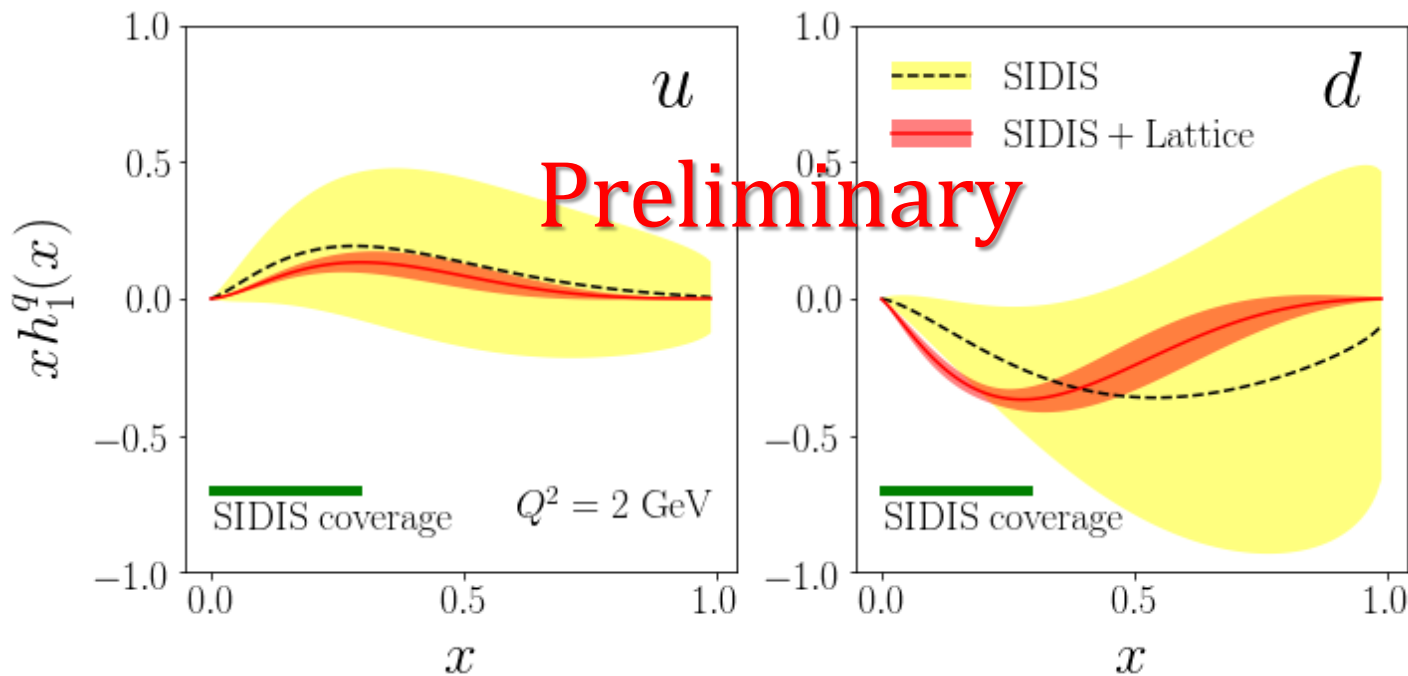
Collaboration	Ref.	publication status	N_f	chiral extrapolation	continuum extrapolation	finite volume	excited state	renormalization	g_T
PNDME'15	This work	P	2+1+1	★	★	★	★	★	1.020(76) ^a
ETMC'13	[30]	C	2+1+1	■	○	○	■	★	1.11(3) ^b
LHPC'12	[28]	A	2+1	★	○	★	○	★	1.037(20) ^c
RBC/UKQCD'10	[29]	A	2+1	○	■	★	★	★	1.10(7) ^d
RQCD'14	[31]	P	2	★	★	★	○	★	1.005(17)(29) ^e
ETMC'13	[30]	C	2	★	■	○	■	○	1.114(46) ^f
RBC'08	[32]	P	2	■	■	★	■	★	0.93(6) ^g



State-of-the-Art Moments

§ Improved transversity distribution with LQCD g_T

- ↻ Global analysis with 12 extrapolation forms, gives $g_T = 1.058$
- ↻ Use to constrain the global analysis fits SIDIS π^\pm production data from proton and deuteron targets



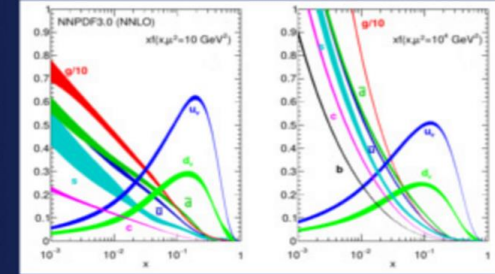
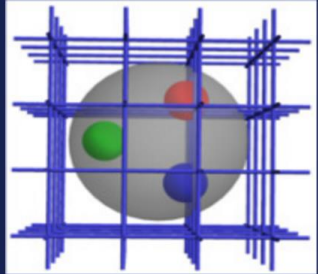
Lin, Melnitchouk, Prokudin, Sato, In preparation

State-of-the-Art Moments

FLAG-like rating system

Community averaging quantities

White paper in progress with representatives from each collaboration



Parton Distributions and Lattice Calculations in the LHC era
(PDFLattice 2017)

22-24 March 2017, Oxford, UK

§ Precision moments can be useful to improve PDFs!

↪ Inputs as constraint in global analysis, like g_A

§ Whitepaper will

↪ Address precision needed for moments and their impacts

↪ Encourage more precision moment calculations in LQCD

Lin et al, In preparation

A Promising New Direction

Large-Momentum Effective Theory (LaMET)

X. Ji, PRL. 111, 262002 (2013)



Lattice Parton Physics Project (LP³)

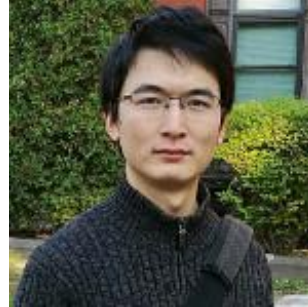
<https://www.pa.msu.edu/~hwlin/LP3/>



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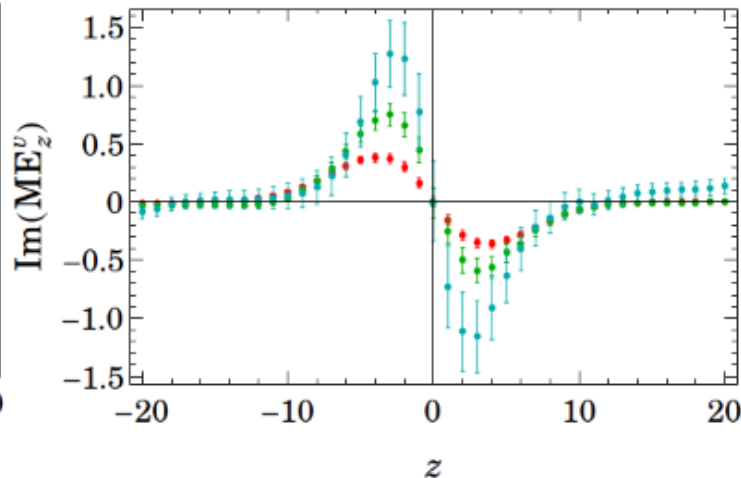
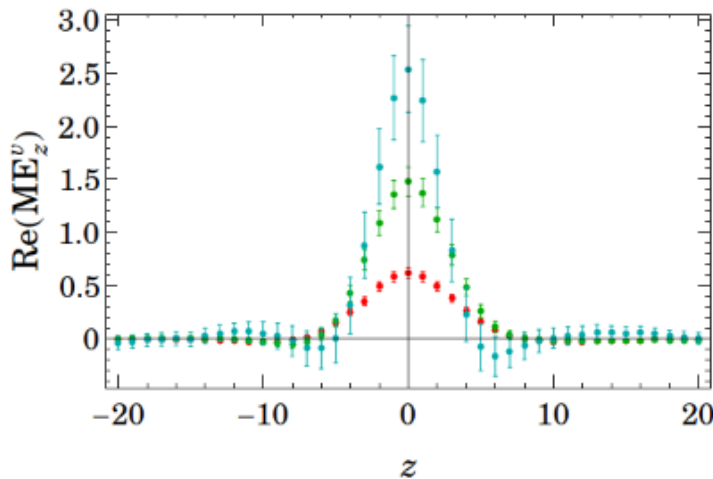
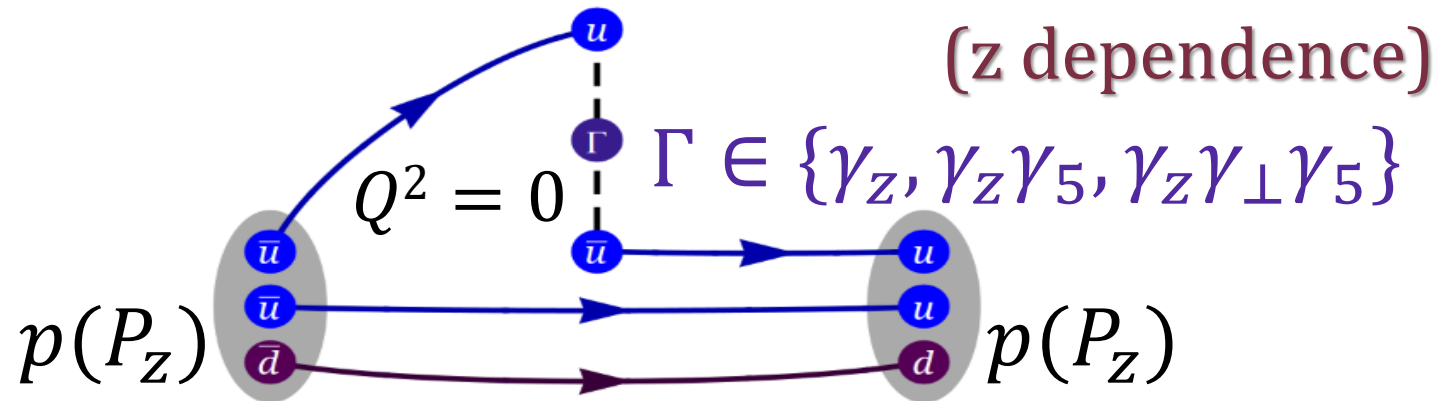


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A New Direction

Large-Momentum Effective Theory for PDFs X. Ji, PRL. 111, 262002 (2013)

1) Calculate nucleon matrix elements on the lattice



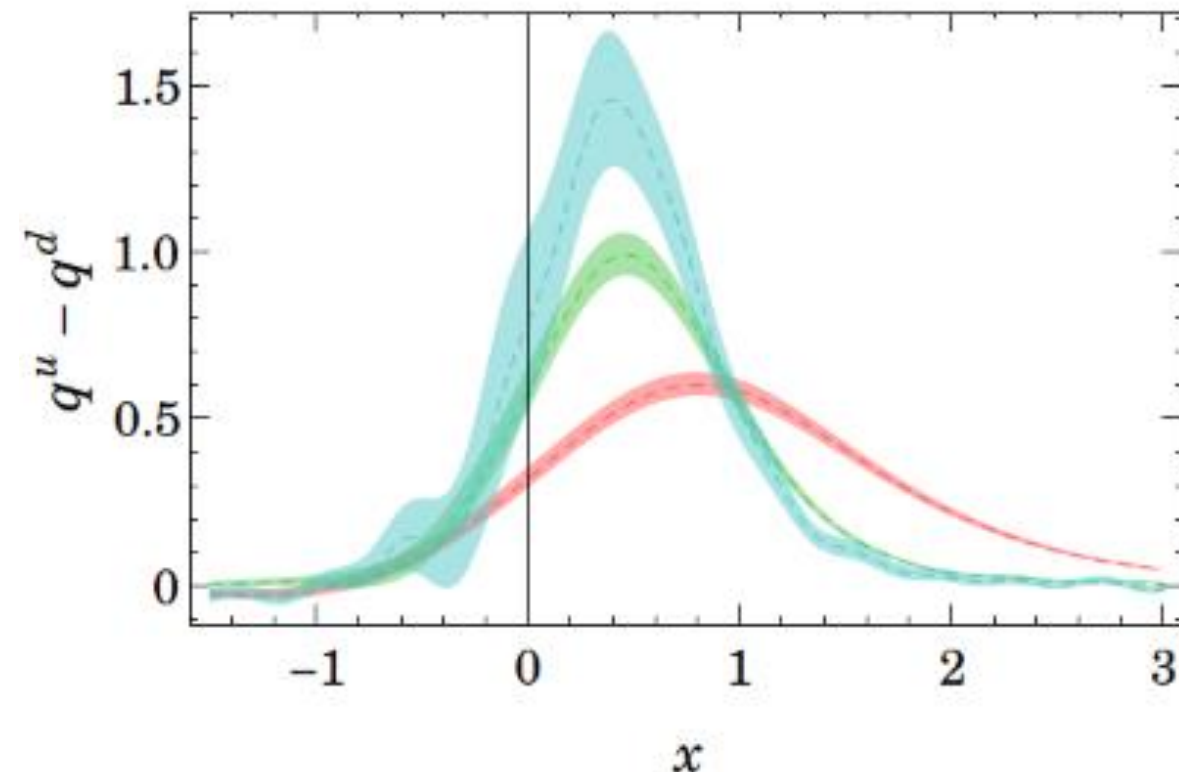
$P_z \in \{0.43, 0.86, 1.29\}$ GeV

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2) Compute quasi-distribution via

$$\tilde{q}(x, \mu, P_z) = \int \frac{dz}{4\pi} e^{-izk_z} \left\langle P \left| \bar{\psi}(z) \Gamma \exp\left(-ig \int_0^z dz' A_z(z')\right) \psi(0) \right| P \right\rangle$$



Uncorrected bare lattice results

$$x = k_z / P_z$$

Distribution should be sharper as P_z increases
Artifacts due to finite P_z on the lattice

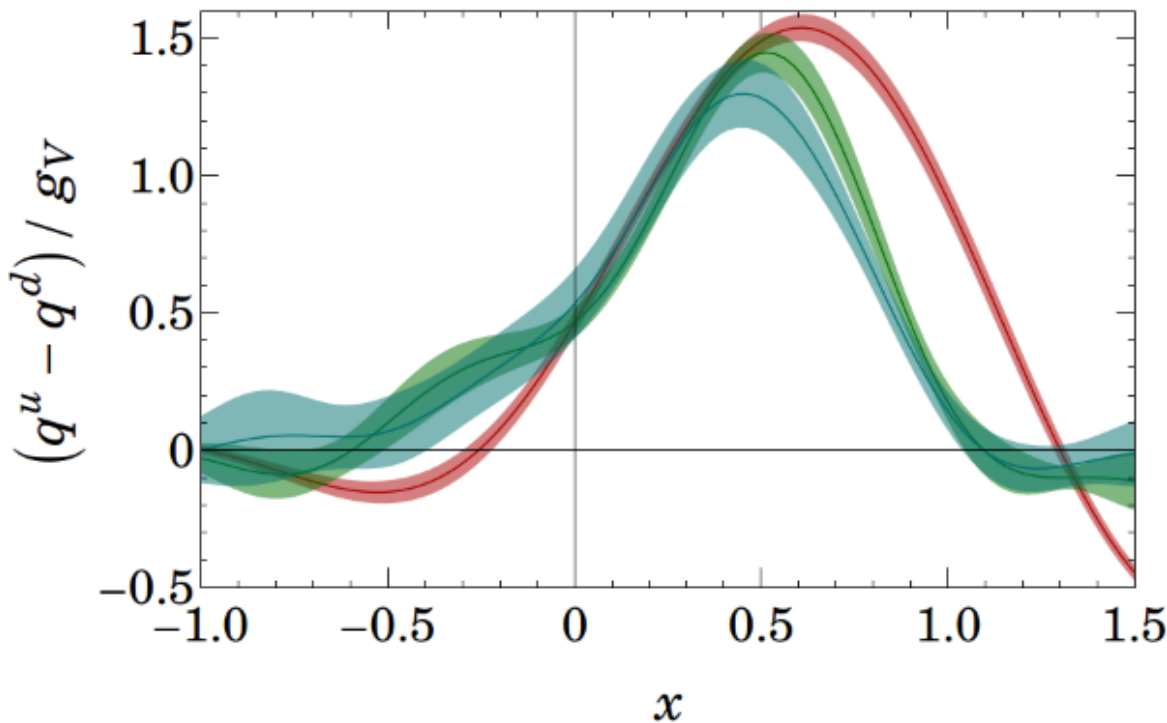
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3) Recover true distribution (take $P_Z \rightarrow \infty$ limit)

$$\tilde{q}(x, \mu, P_Z) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dy}{|y|} Z\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{\mu}{P_Z}\right) \mathbf{q}(y, \mu) + \mathcal{O}(M_N^2/P_Z^2) + \dots$$

X. Xiong et al., 1310.7471; J.-W. Chen et al, 1603.06664



Removing $\mathcal{O}(M_N^n/P_Z^n)$ errors + $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$

Corrected distributions from the largest 2 P_Z show signs of convergence

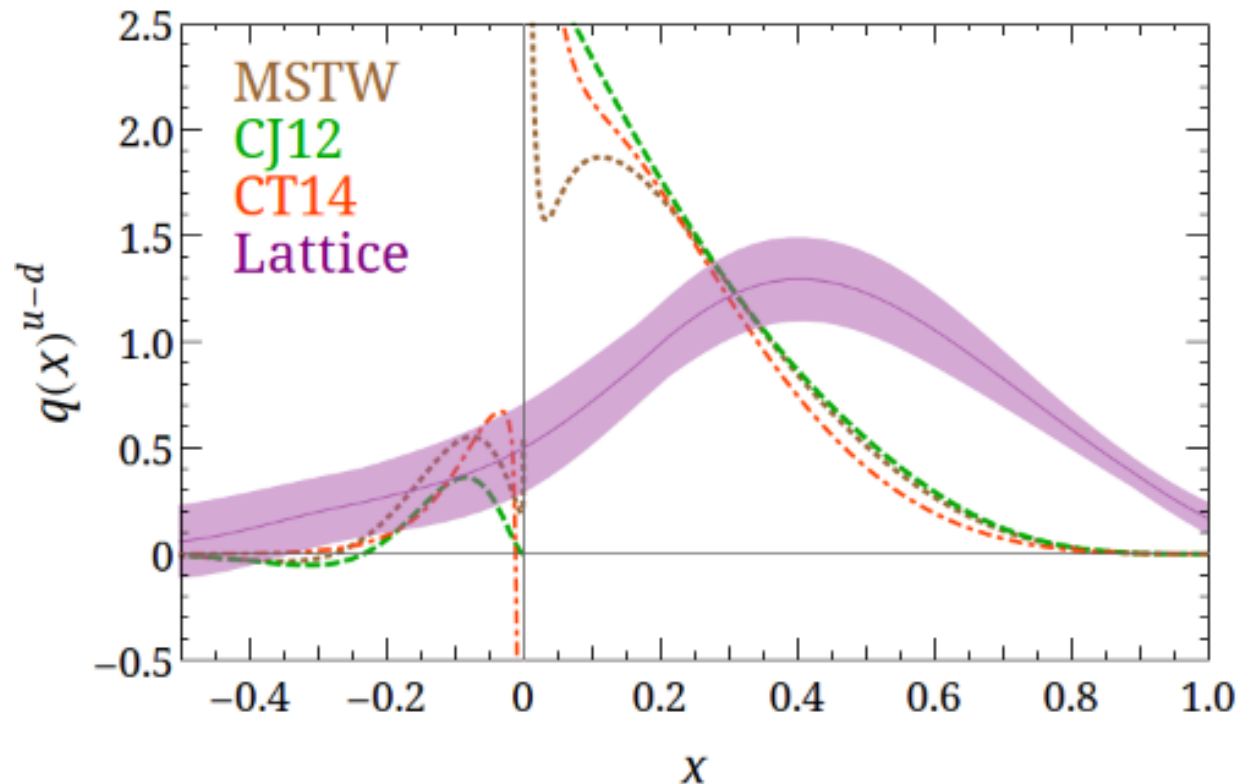
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4) Remove the leading high-twist effect ($\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2/P_Z^2$)

∞ $N_f = 2+1+1$ clover/HISQ lattices (MILC)

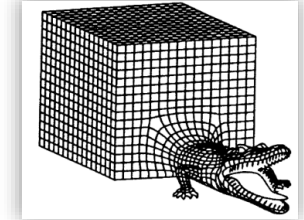
$M_\pi \approx 310$ MeV, $a \approx 0.12$ fm ($M_\pi L \approx 4.5$), $O(10^3)$ measurements



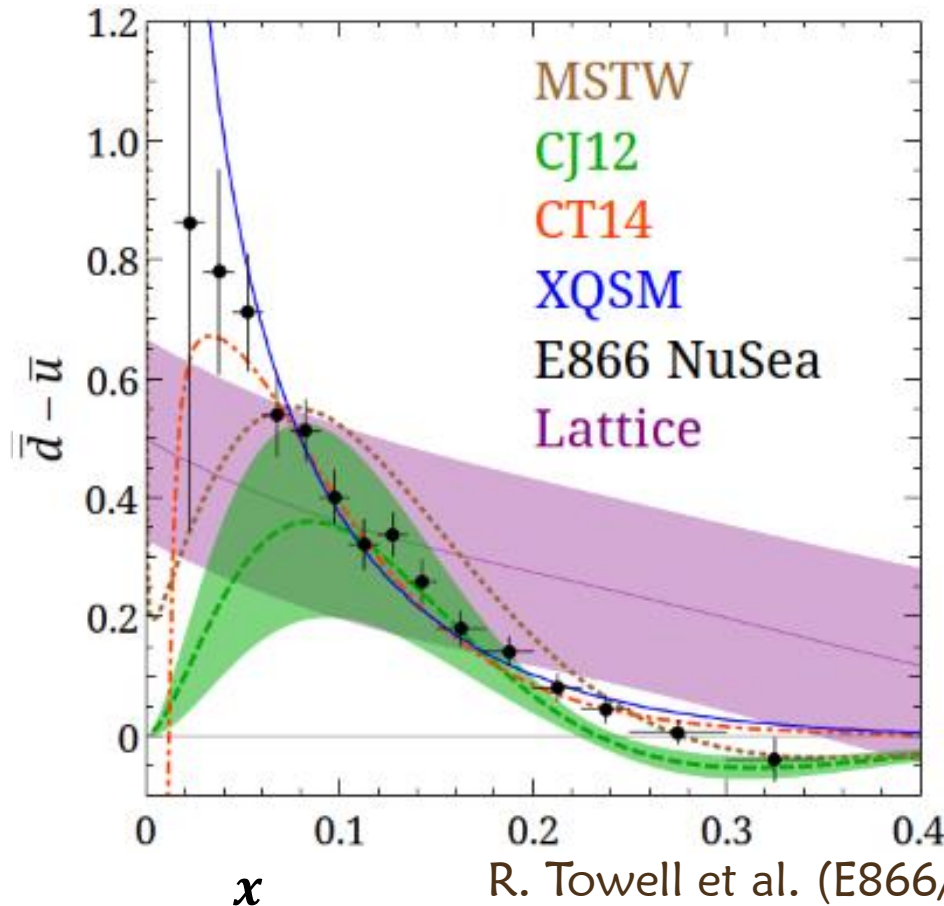
Sea Flavor Asymmetry

§ First time in LQCD history to study antiquark distribution!

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HWL et al. 1402.1462



$$\bar{q}(x) = -q(-x)$$

Lost resolution in
small- x region

Future improvement:
larger lattice volume

$$\int dx (\bar{u}(x) - \bar{d}(x)) \approx -0.16(7)$$

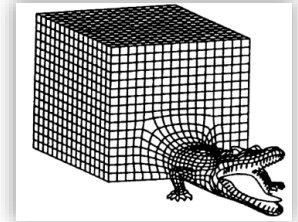
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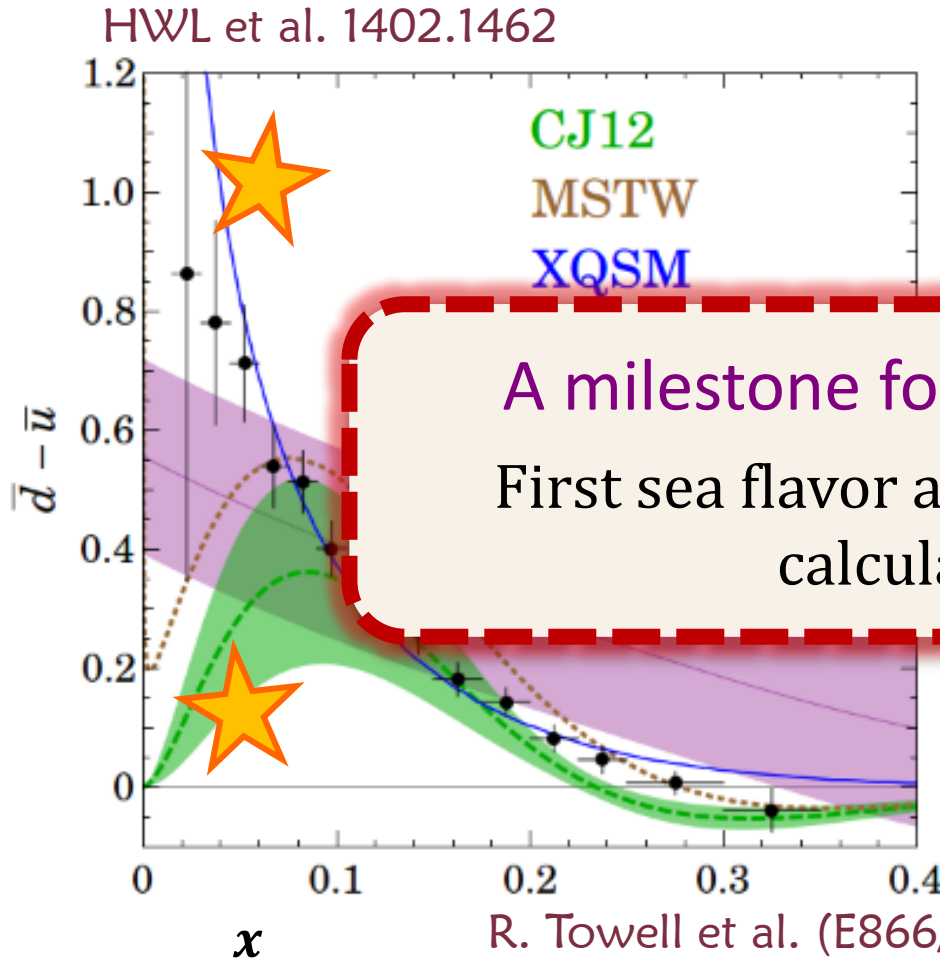
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A milestone for lattice QCD!
First sea flavor asymmetry ever calculated!

moment:
volume

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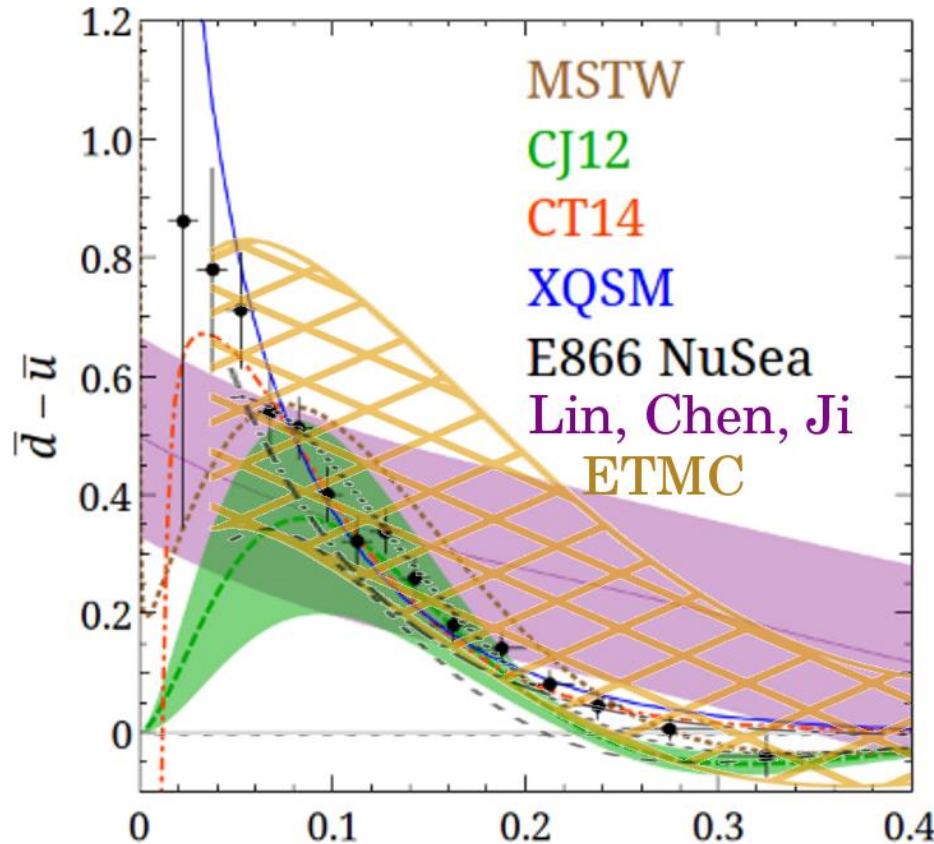
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Sea Flavor Asymmetry

§ Lattice exploratory study

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HWL et al 1402.1462



Compared with E866

Too good to be true?

Lost resolution in
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Similar results repeated
by ETMC,
at $M_\pi \approx 373 \text{ MeV}$

ETMC, 1504.07455

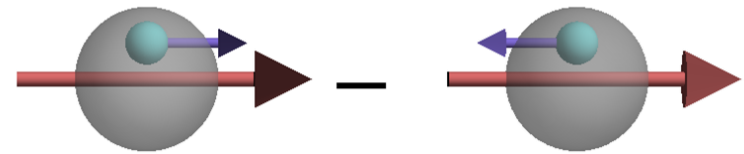
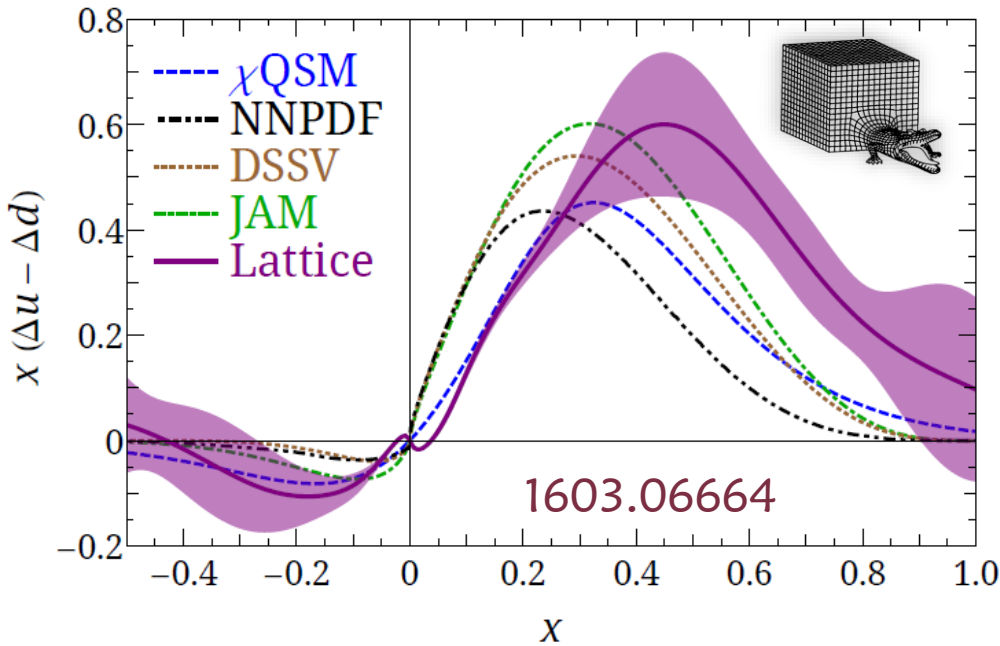
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Helicity Distribution

§ Exploratory study $\approx M_\pi \approx 310 \text{ MeV}$



Removing
 $O(M_N^n/P_z^n) + O(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2/P_z^2)$
 errors

\approx We see polarized “sea asymmetry” $\int dx (\Delta\bar{u}(x) - \Delta\bar{d}(x)) \approx 0.14(9)$

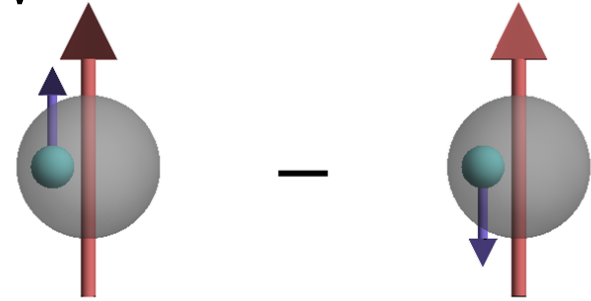
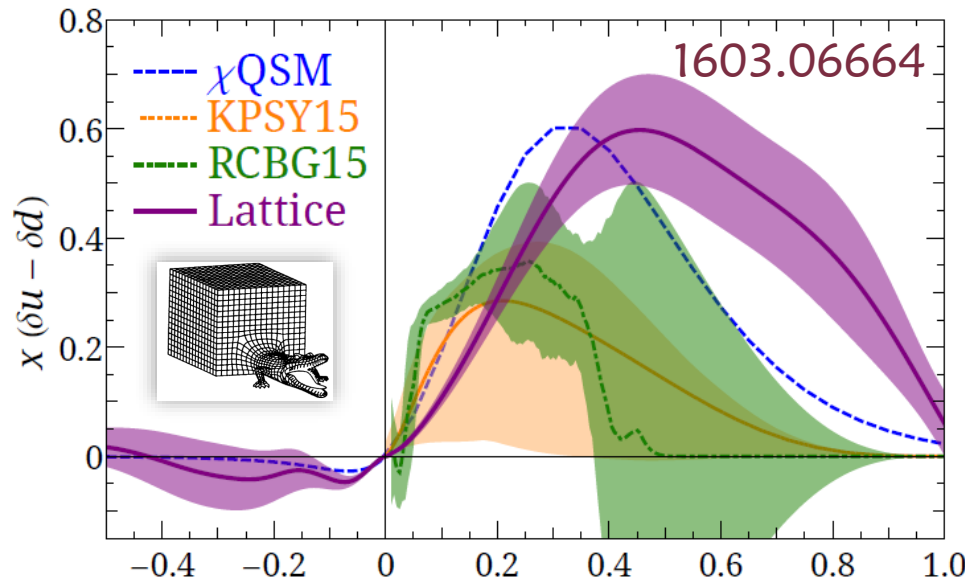
\approx Both STAR and PHENIX at RHIC see $\Delta\bar{u} > \Delta\bar{d}$

1404.6880 and 1504.07451

\approx Other experiments, Fermilab DY exp'ts (E1027/E1039), future EIC

Transversity Distribution

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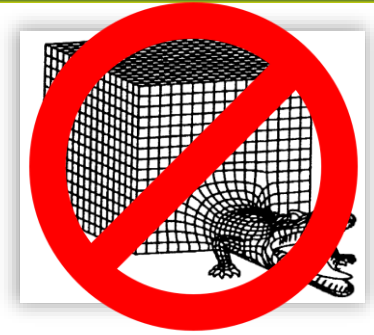
$$\delta\bar{q}(x) = -\delta q(-x)^x \quad 1505.05589; 1503.03495$$

\ni We found sea asymmetry of $\int dx (\delta\bar{u}(x) - \delta\bar{d}(x)) \approx -0.10(8)$

\ni Chiral quark-soliton model $\int dx (\delta\bar{u}(x) - \delta\bar{d}(x)) \approx -0.082$

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

\ni SoLID at JLab, Drell-Yan exp't at FNAL (E1027+E1039), EIC, ...



Missing Ingredient: Renormalization (and Updates)

Recent progress:

1705.00246, 1705.11193, 1706.00265, 1706.01295,
1706.05373, 1706.08962, 1707.03107, 1707.07152,
1708.02458, 1708.05301 ...

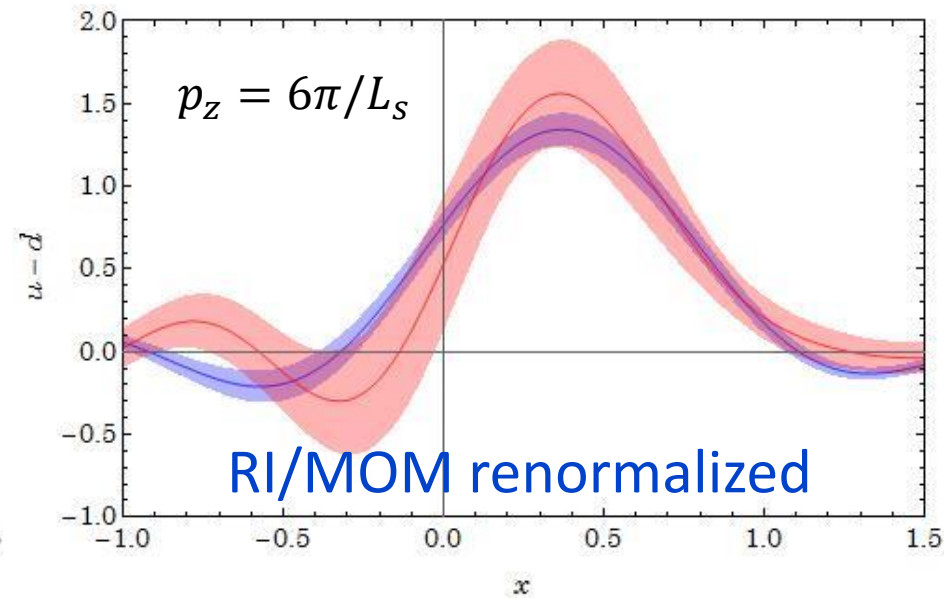
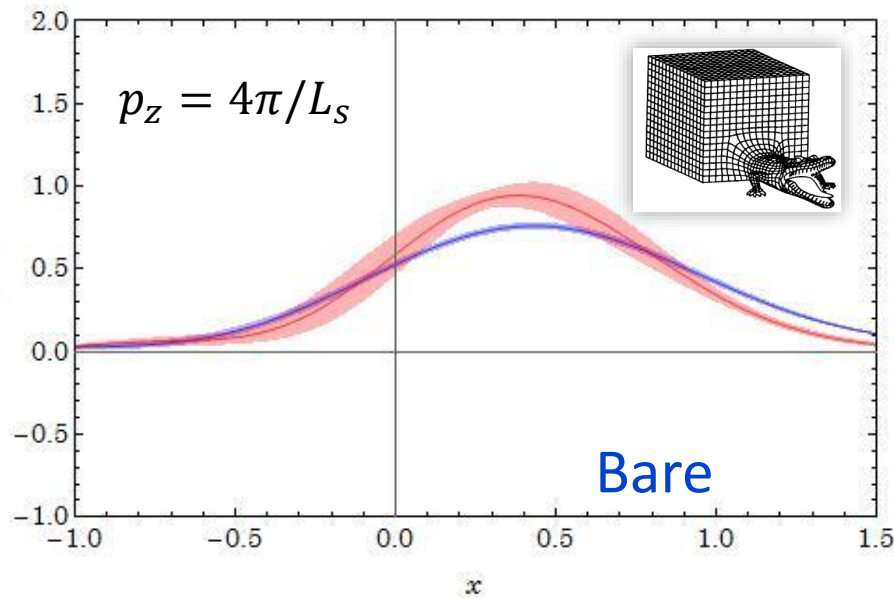


Renormalization

§ Effect on quasi-PDFs

$$\tilde{q}_R(x, P_z, \mu_R) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dz}{2\pi} e^{ixP_z z} \tilde{h}_R(z, P_z, \mu_R)$$

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Plot by Jianhui Zhang

§ Avoid mixing using different op for quark distribution

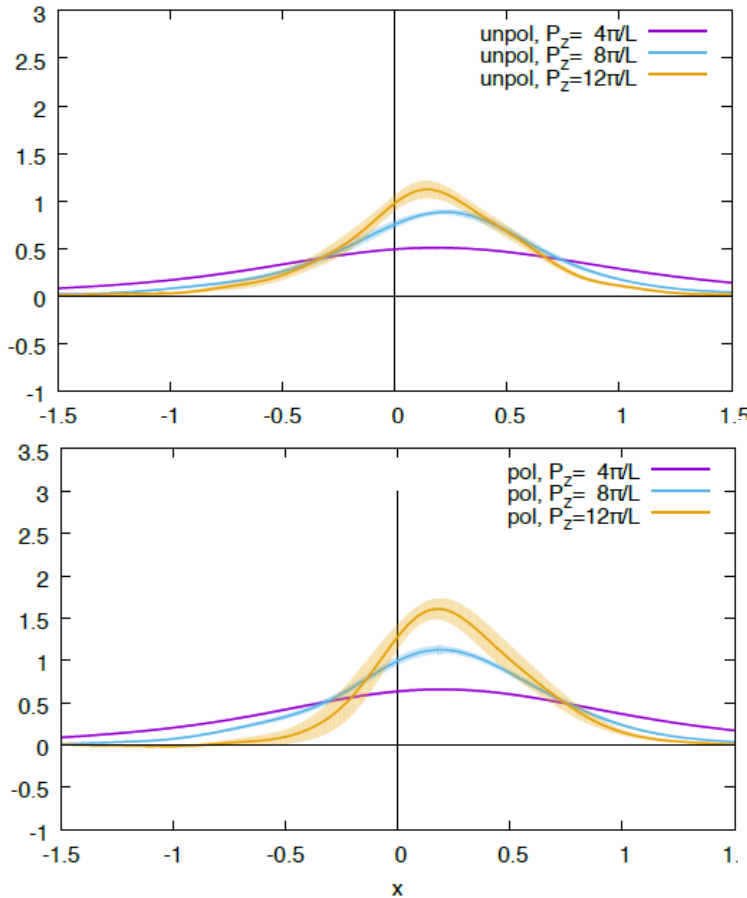
$$\tilde{h}_R = Z_V h_{\gamma_t}$$

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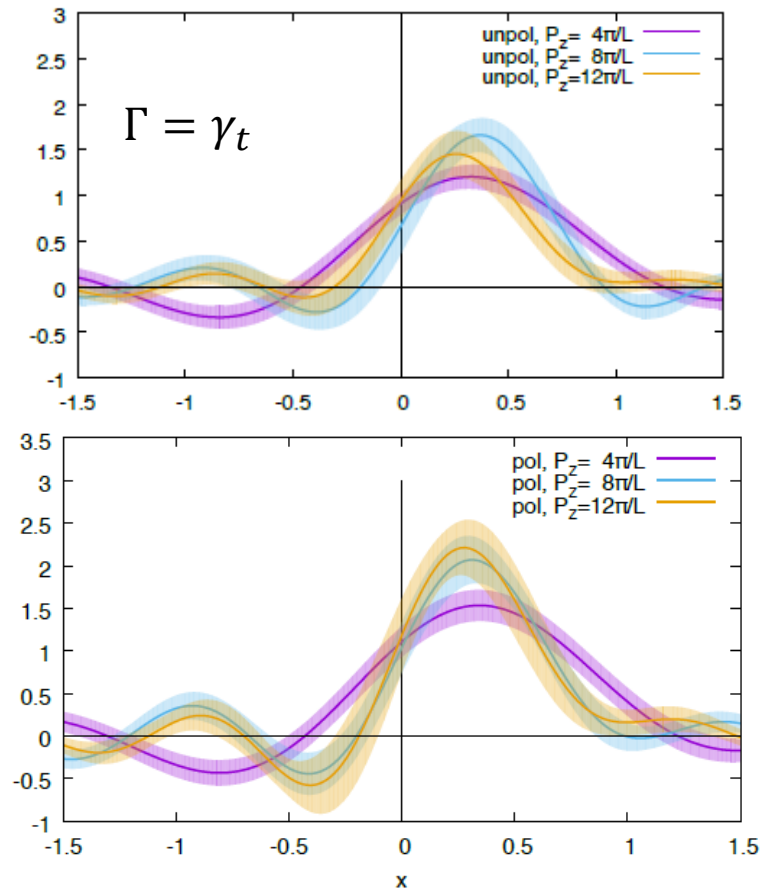
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RI/MOM renormalized

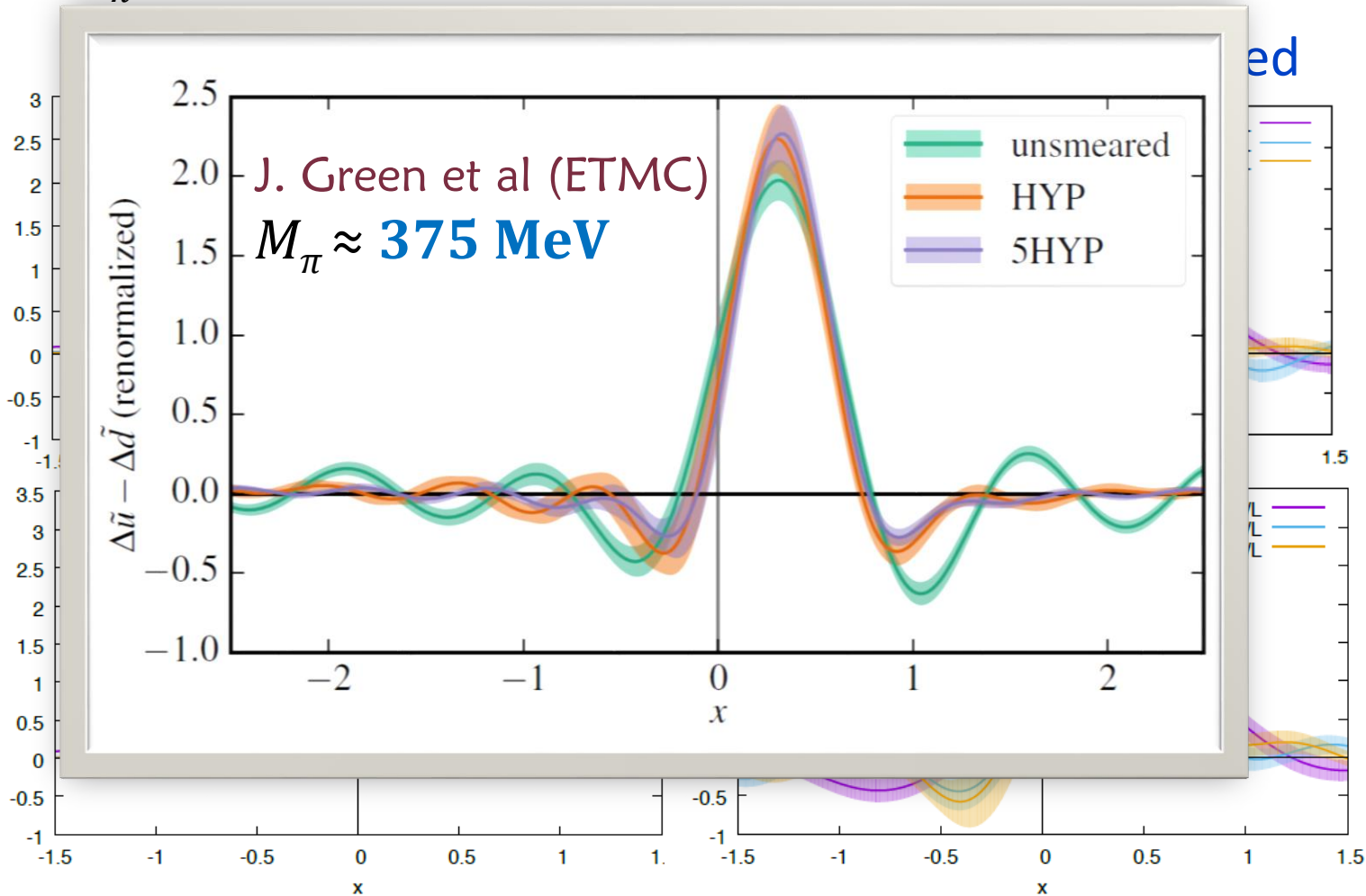


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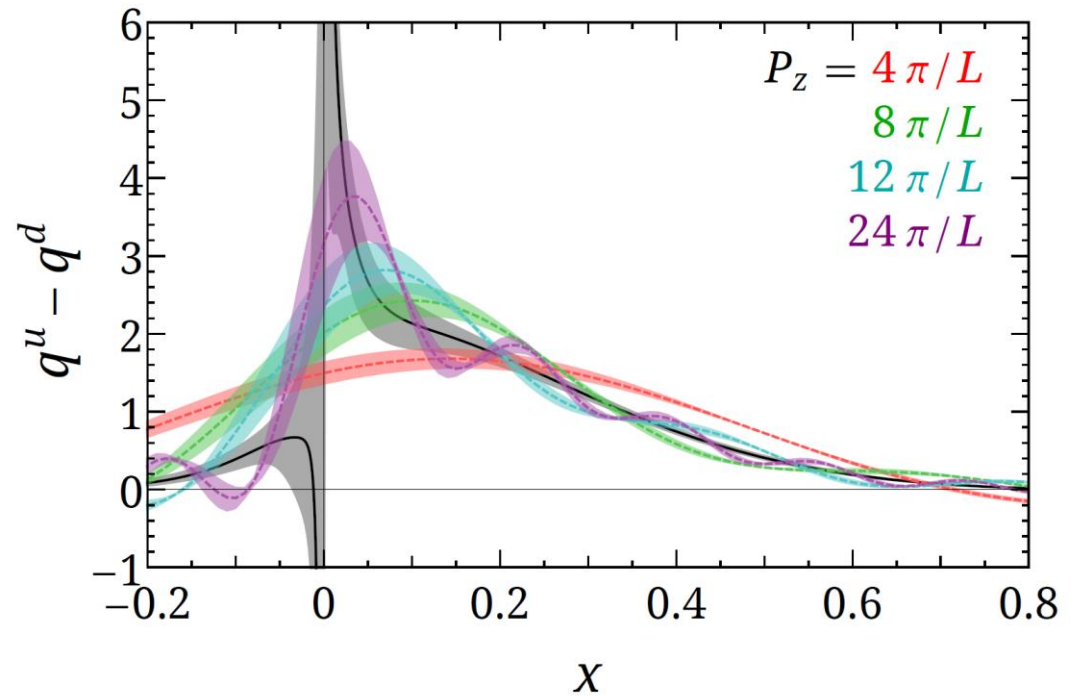
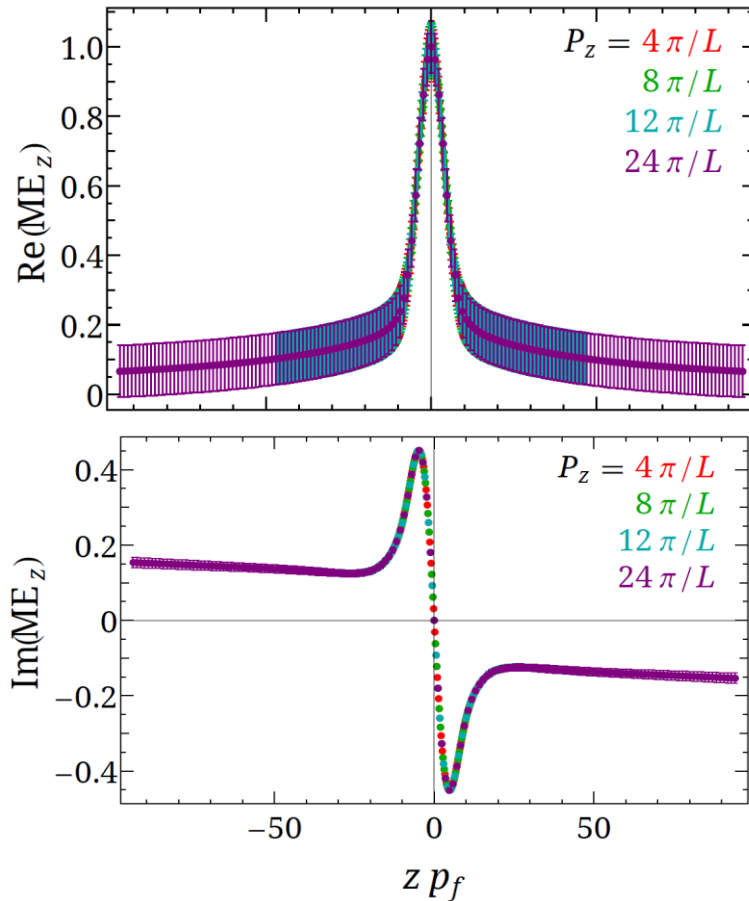


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Physical Pion Mass

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§ Simple exercise with CT14 PDF 1506.07443



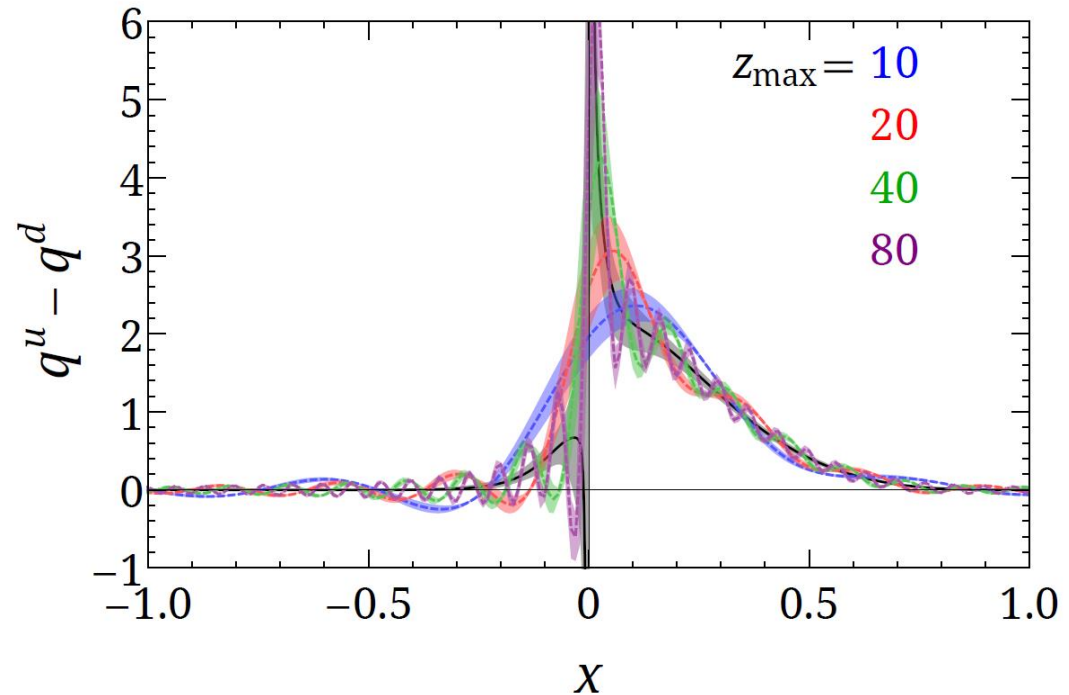
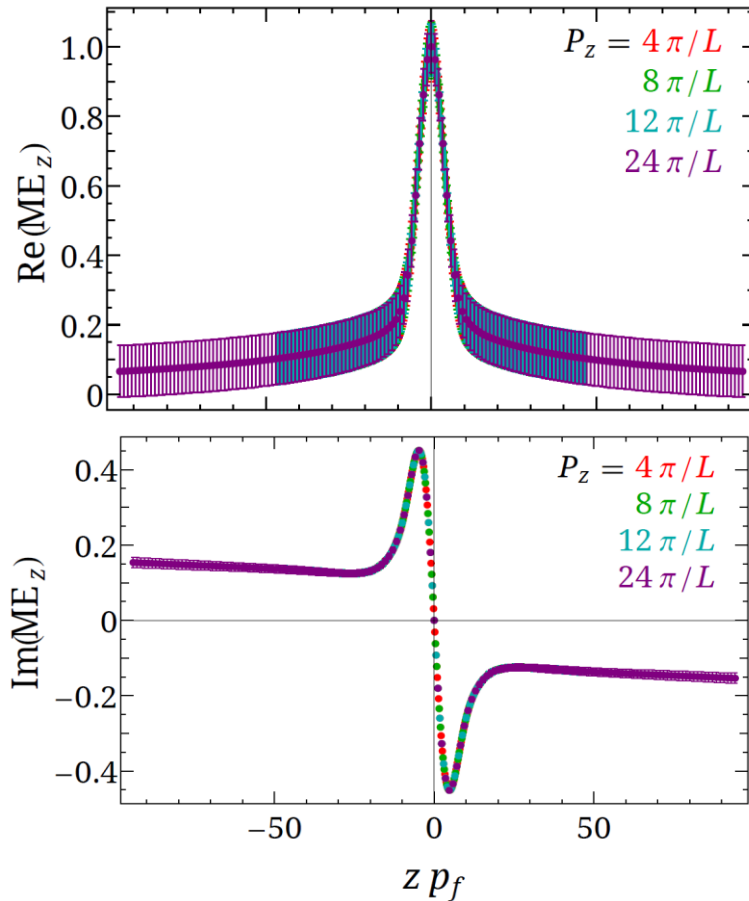
1708.05301 (LP3)

Fixed $L_z = 32$

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Fixed $P_z = 24\pi/L$

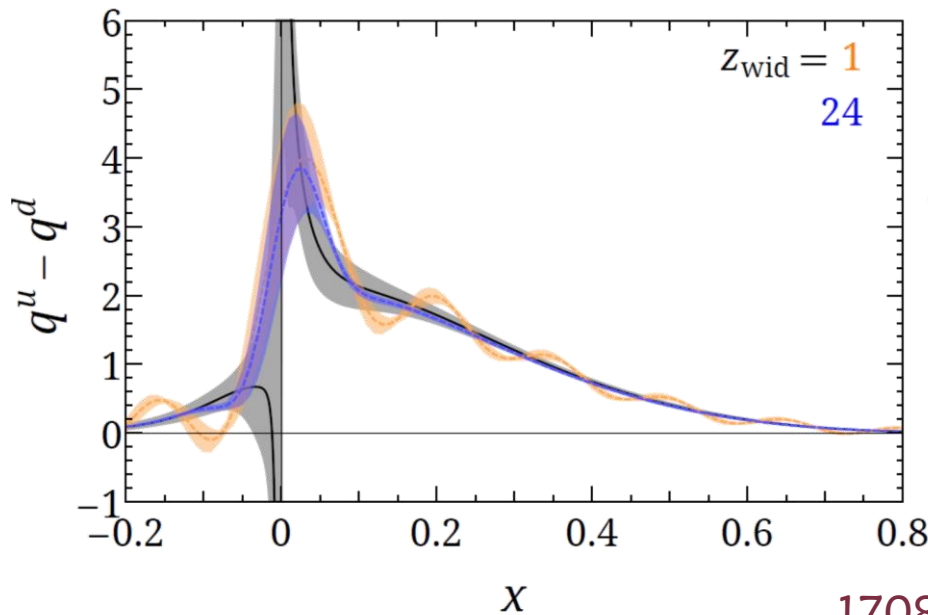
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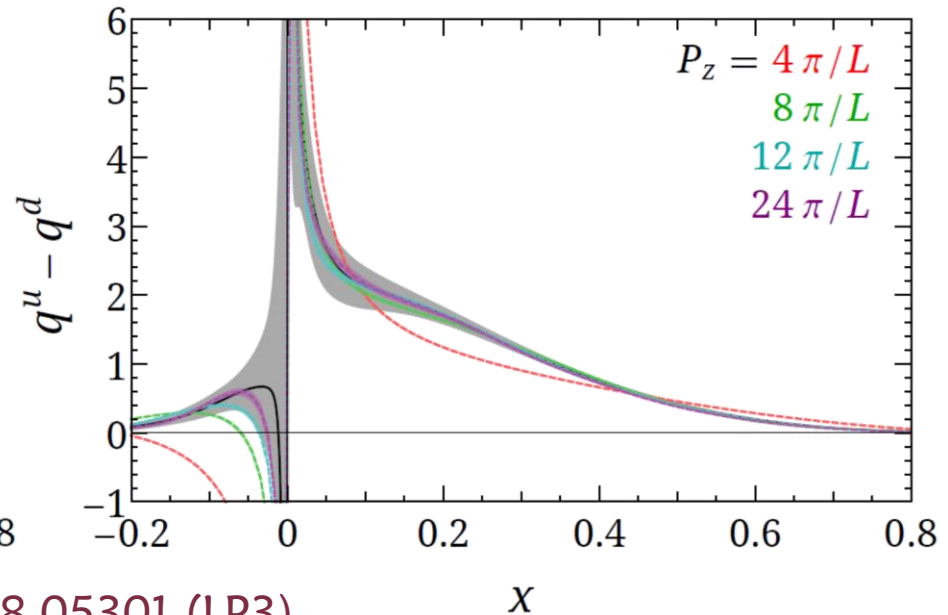
Filter approach

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Derivative approach

$$q(x) = \int_{-z_{\text{max}}}^{+z_{\text{max}}} dz \frac{-P_z e^{ixP_z z}}{2\pi i P_z x} h'(z)$$



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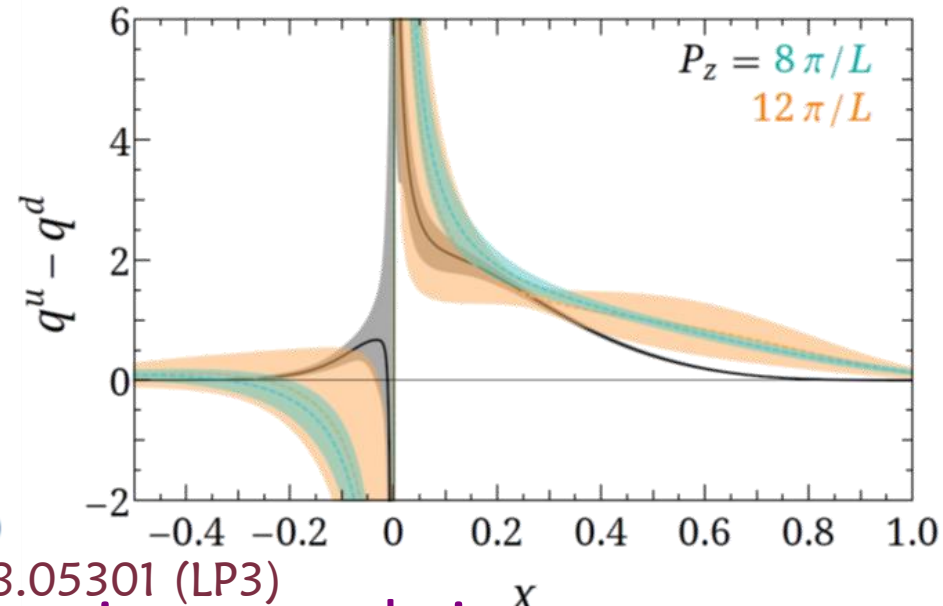
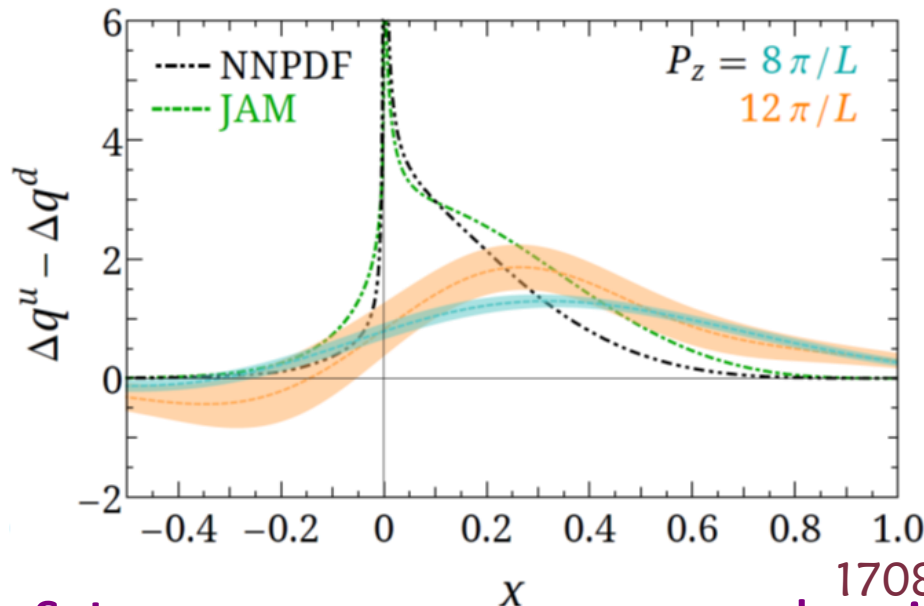
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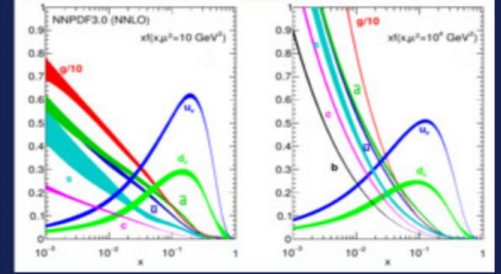
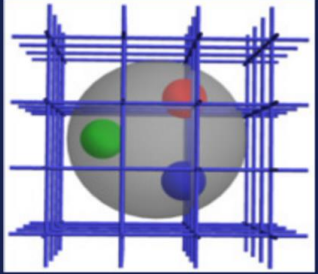
Derivative approach

$$q(x) = \int_{-z_{\text{max}}}^{+z_{\text{max}}} dz \frac{-P_z}{2\pi} \frac{e^{ixP_z z}}{iP_z x} h'(z)$$



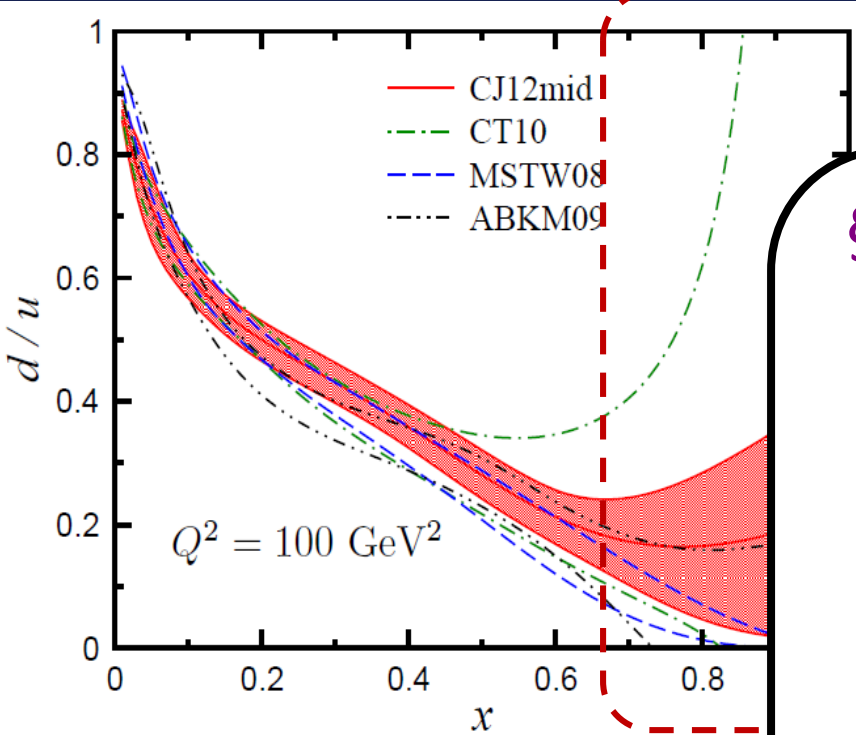
§ Larger momentum production is currently in progress

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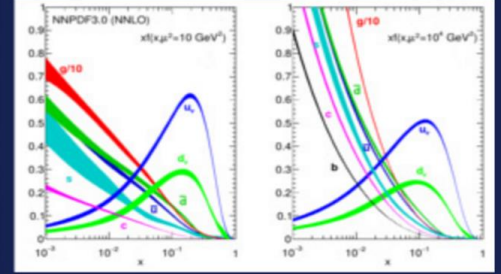
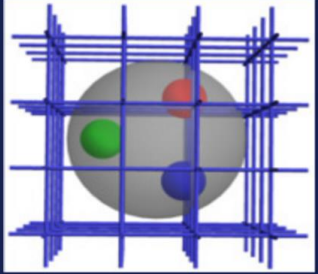
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§ A first joint workshop with global-fitting community to address key LQCD inputs

- ⌘ <http://www.physics.ox.ac.uk/confs/PDFlattice2017>
- ⌘ Whitepaper study the needed precision of lattice PDFs in the large- x region

Jimenez-Delgado, Melnitchouk, O...
J.Phys. G40 (2013) 09310



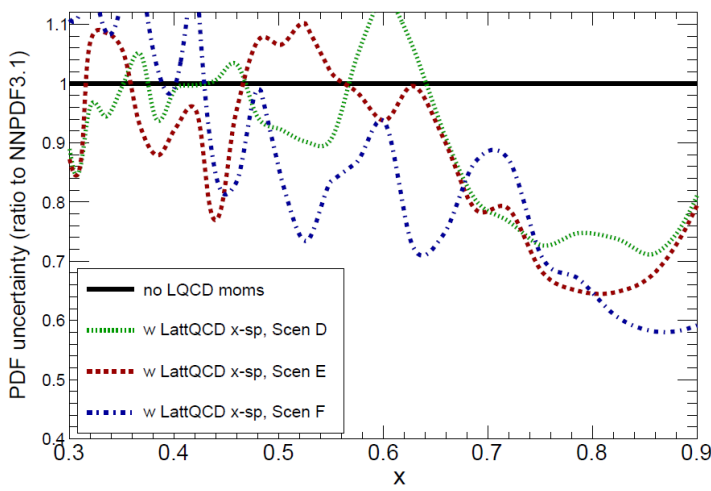
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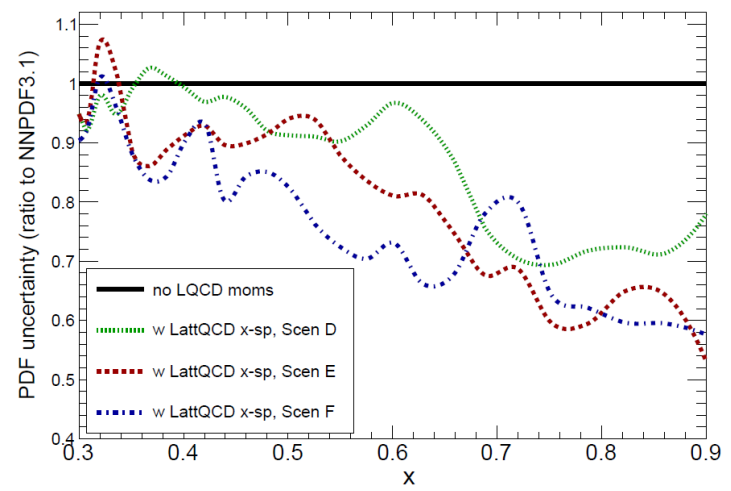
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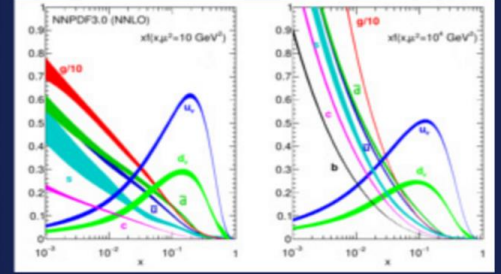
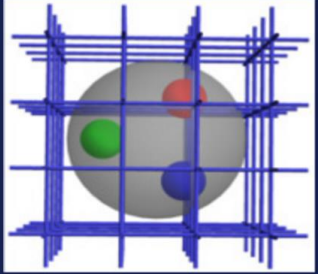


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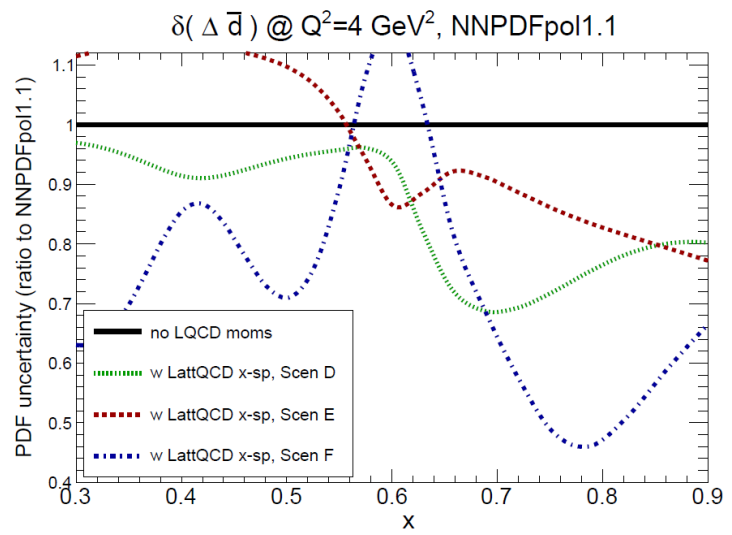
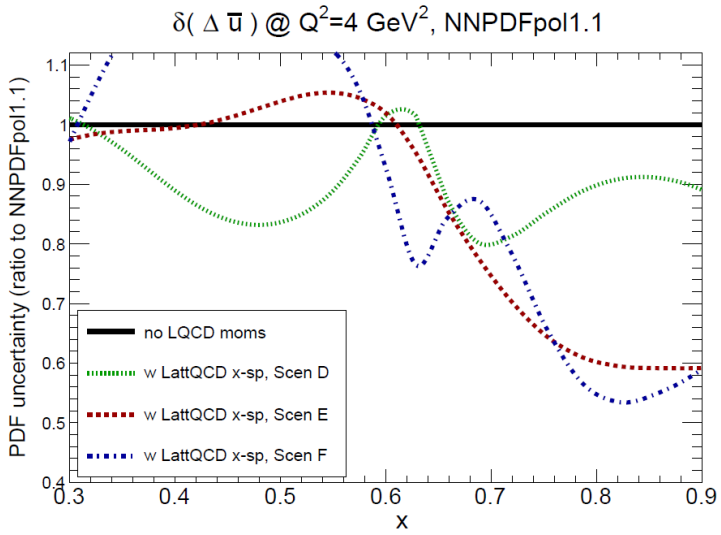
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Summary & Outlook

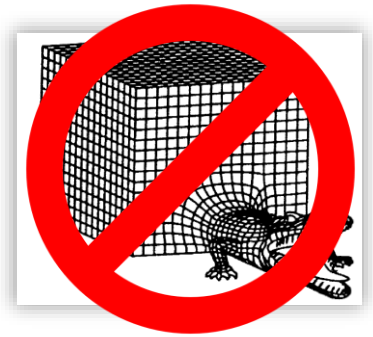
Exciting time for studying structure on the lattice

§ Overcoming longstanding obstacle to full x -distribution

- ∞ Most importantly, this can be done with today's computers
- ∞ First lattice approach to study sea asymmetry
- ∞ First look into PDA 1702.00008

§ Moving on to remove the systematics of earlier study

- ∞ Working on **renormalization**, statistics (all-mode averaging?), larger momentum boost, finer lattice spacing, ...
- ∞ Long-term future for lattice hadronic physics



§ Small- x physics for EIC

- ∞ Combined analysis with precision moments



A NEW HOPE

It is a period of war and economic uncertainty.

Turmoil has engulfed the galactic republics.

Basic truths at foundation of the human civilization are disputed by the dark forces of the evil empire.

A small group of QCD Knights from United Federation of Physicists has gathered in a remote location on the third planet of a star called Sol on the inner edge of the Orion-Cygnus arm of the galaxy.

The QCD Knights are the only ones who can tame the power of the Strong Force, responsible for holding atomic nuclei together, for giving mass and shape to matter in the Universe.

They carry secret plans to build the most powerful

Backup Slides



Renormalization

§ Long-link operator

$$O_{\Gamma}(z) = \bar{\psi}(z)\Gamma W_z(z, 0)\psi(0)$$

§ Vector operator mixing with scalar ones

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$$\begin{pmatrix} O_{\gamma_z}^R(z) \\ O_{\mathbb{I}}^R(z) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Z_{VV}(z) & Z_{VS}(z) \\ Z_{SV}(z) & Z_{SS}(z) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} O_{\gamma_z}(z) \\ O_{\mathbb{I}}(z) \end{pmatrix}$$

§ RI/MOM renormalization scheme 1706.01295 (LP3)

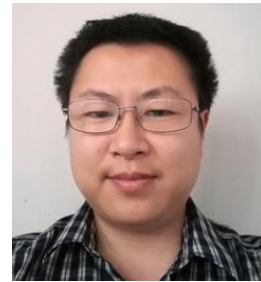
$$\mathfrak{R} Z^{-1} =$$

$$\frac{1}{12e^{-ip_z z}} \begin{pmatrix} \text{Tr}[\tilde{\Gamma}\Lambda(p, z, \gamma_z)] & \text{Tr}[\tilde{\Gamma}\Lambda(p, z, \mathbb{I})] \\ \text{Tr}[\Lambda(p, z, \gamma_z)] & \text{Tr}[\Lambda(p, z, \mathbb{I})] \end{pmatrix}_{p^2=\mu_R^2, p_z=P_z}$$

$$\Lambda(p, z, \Gamma) = S(p)^{-1} \left\langle \sum_w S^\dagger(p, w + zn)\Gamma W_z(w + zn)S(p, w) \right\rangle S(p)^{-1}$$

projected with $\tilde{\Gamma} = \not{p}/p_z$

\mathfrak{R} Test case: $a \approx 0.12$ fm, $M_\pi \approx 310$ MeV, clover/HISQ



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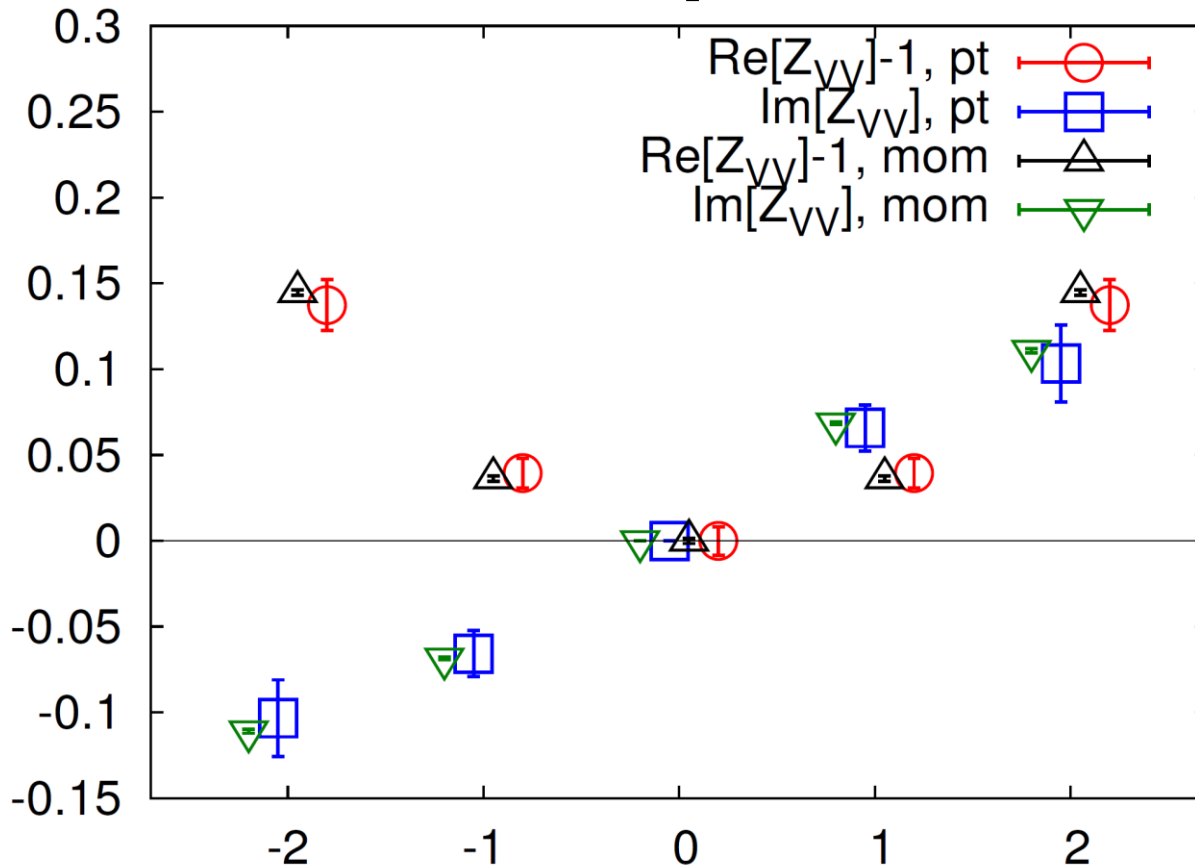


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Renormalization

§ RI/MOM renormalization scheme

Momentum source vs point source for $|z| \leq 2$



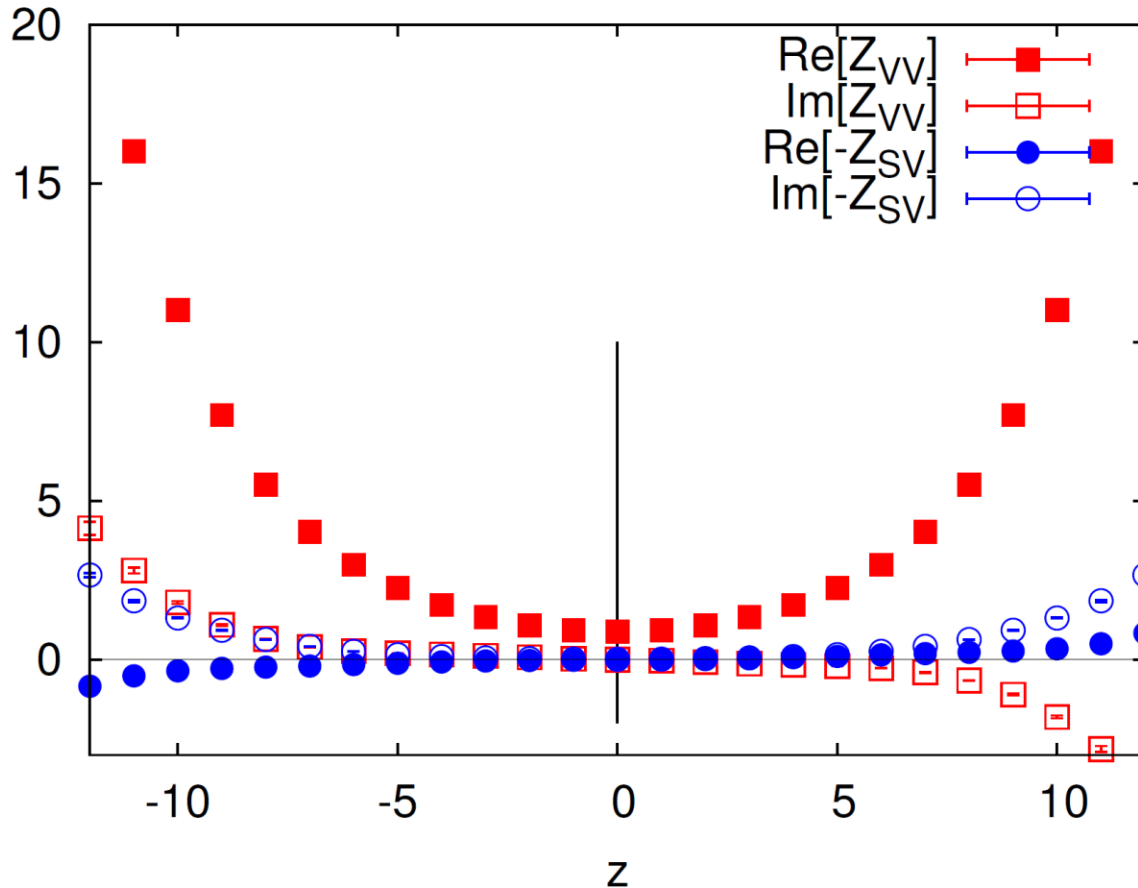
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$$p_z = 6\pi/L_s$$
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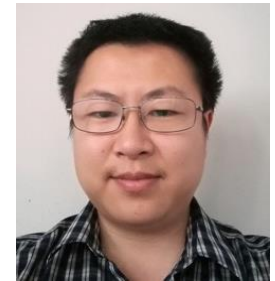


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$$h_R = Z_{VV} h_{\gamma_Z} + Z_{SV} h_{\mathbb{I}}$$

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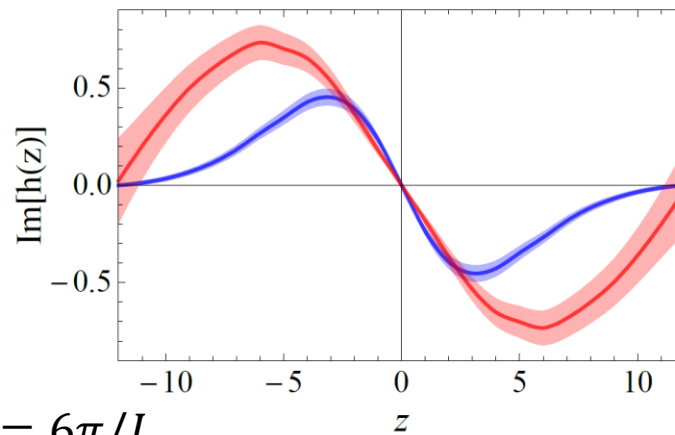
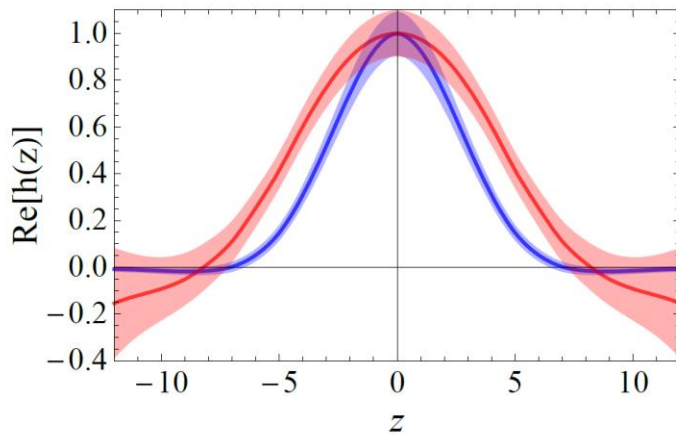
Renormalization

§ Effect on nucleon matrix elements as function of z

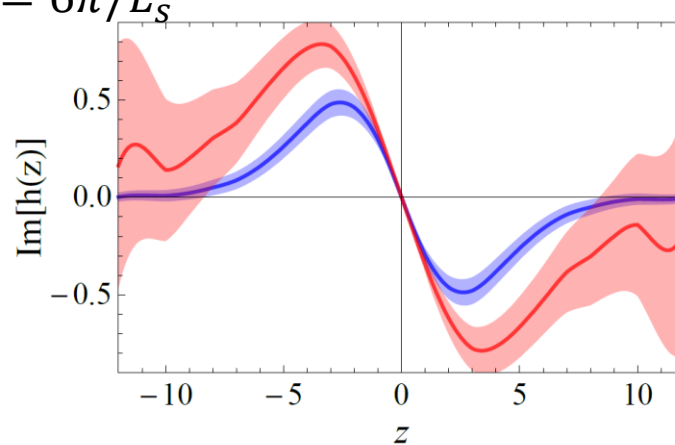
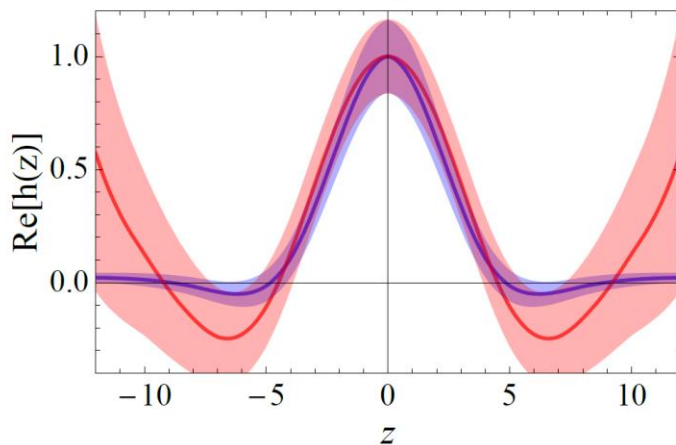
$$\ni h_R \approx Z_{VV} h_{\gamma Z}$$

$$M_\pi \approx 310 \text{ MeV}, a \approx 0.12 \text{ fm}$$

$$p_z = 4\pi/L_s$$



$$p_z = 6\pi/L_s$$



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