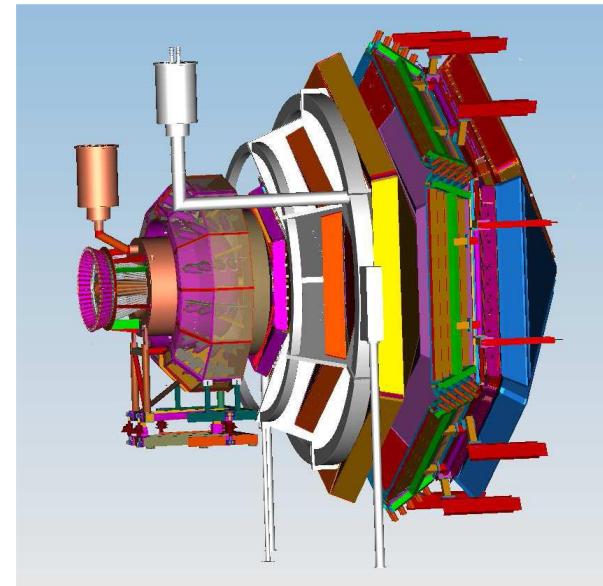
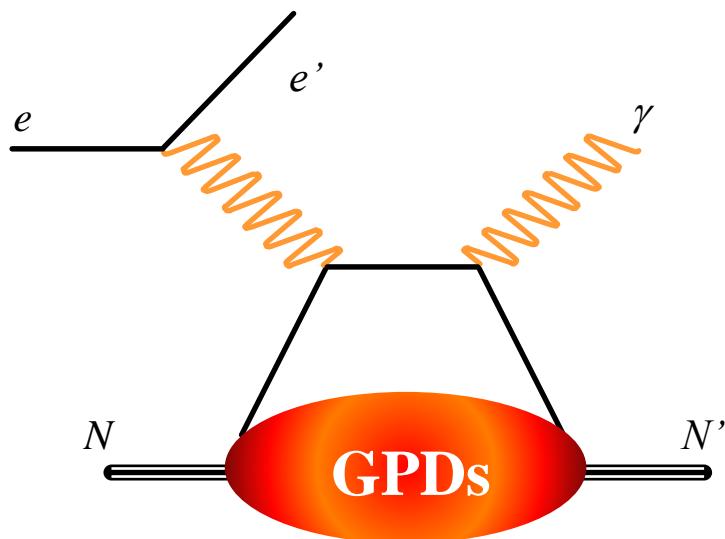


# DVCS and DVMP: results from CLAS and the experimental program of CLAS12

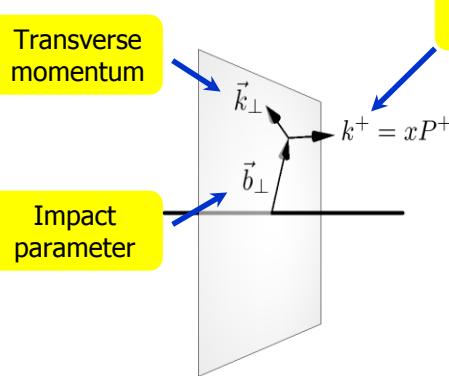


- Accessing GPDs via DVCS and DVMP
- Recent results from Jefferson Lab
  - What we have learned
  - The JLab 12 GeV upgrade
  - Upcoming CLAS12 experiments

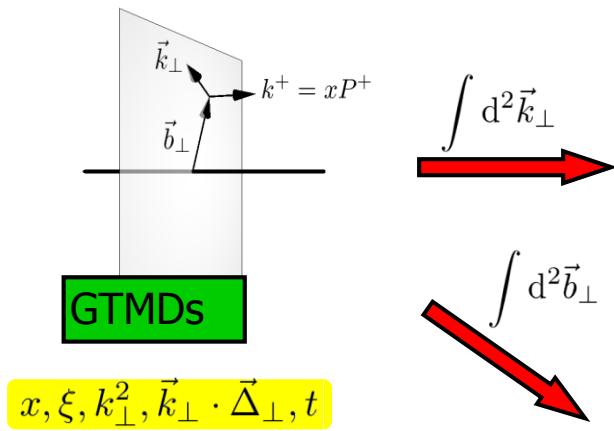
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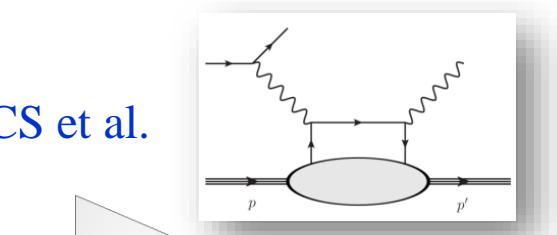
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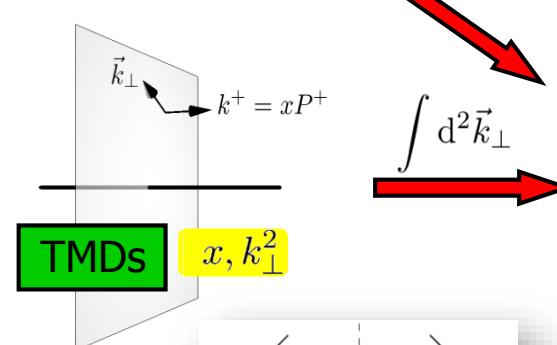
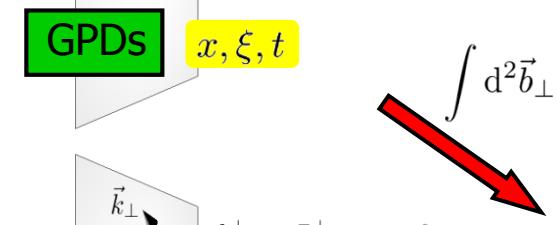
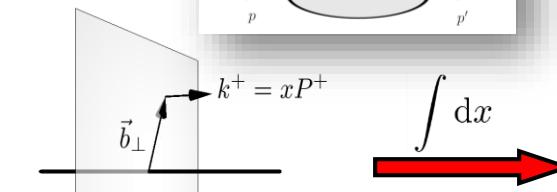
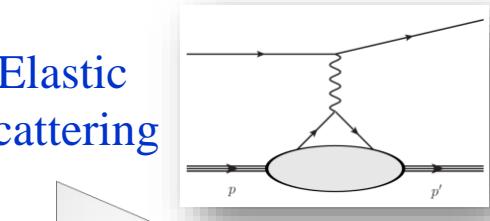
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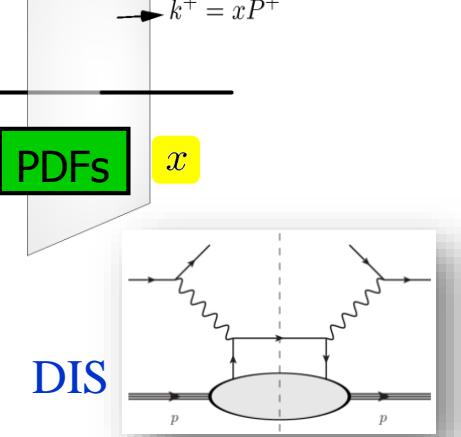
A complete picture of  
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the measurement of all these  
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Elastic  
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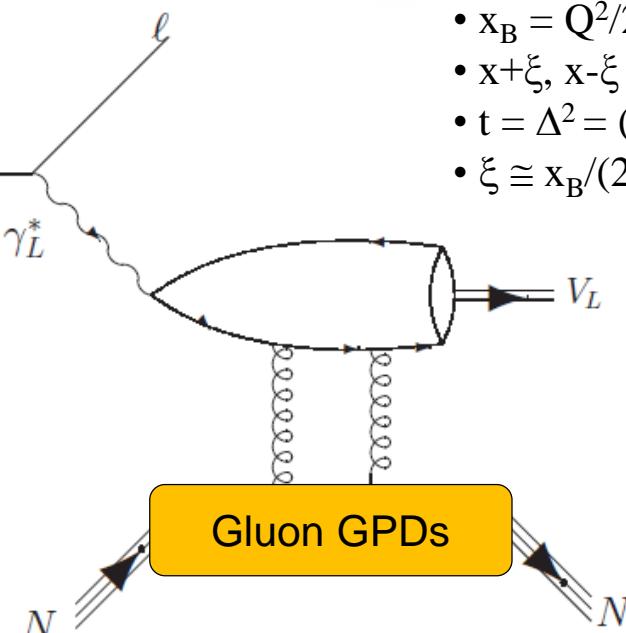
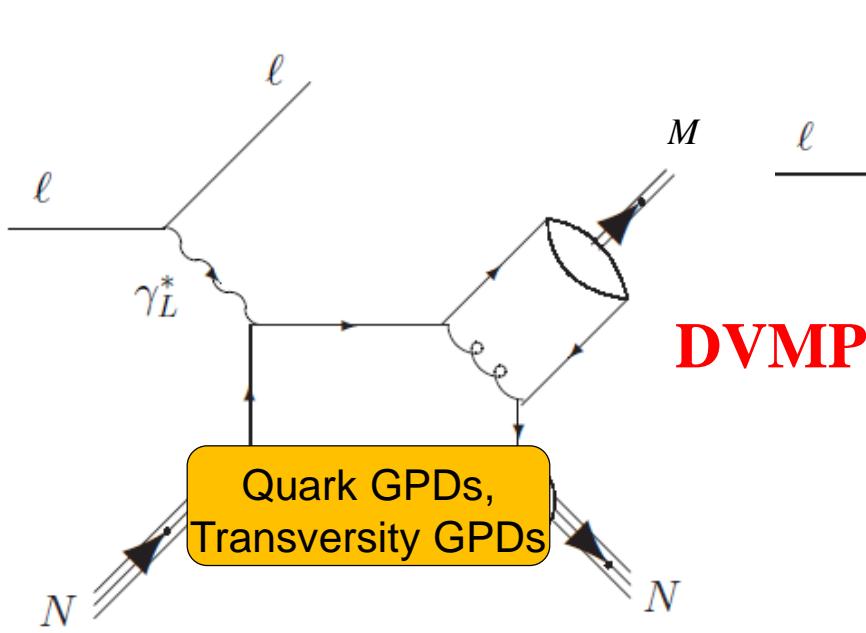
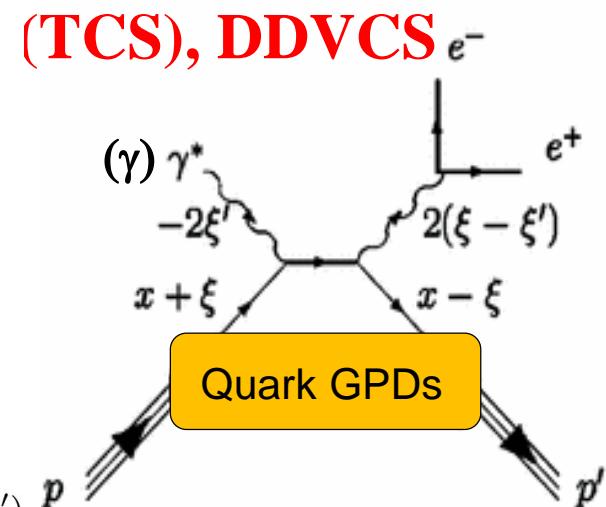
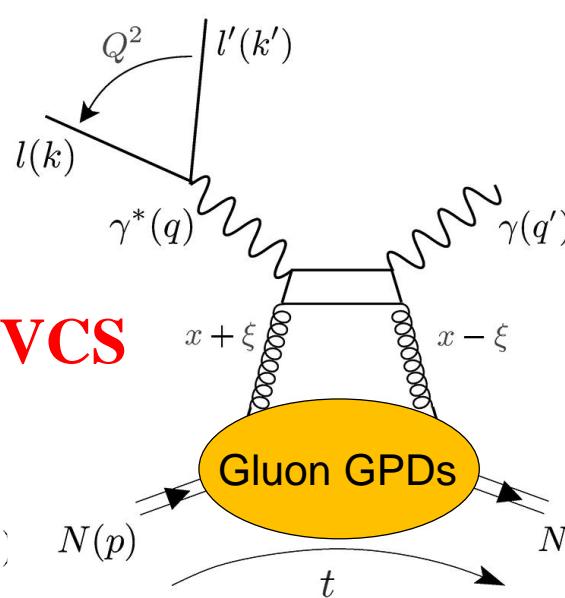
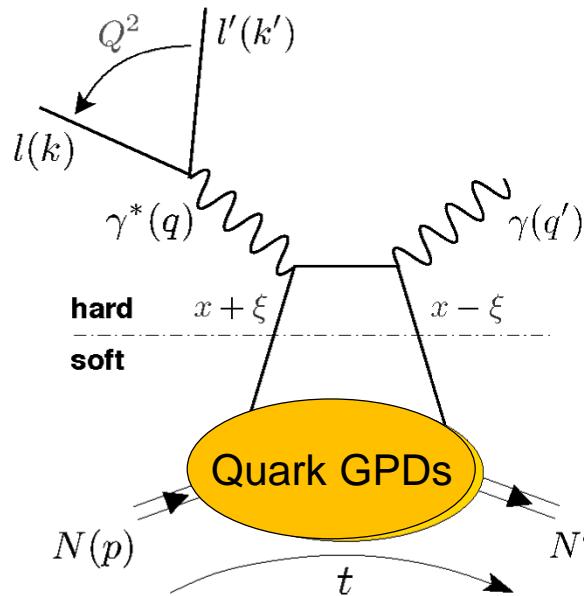


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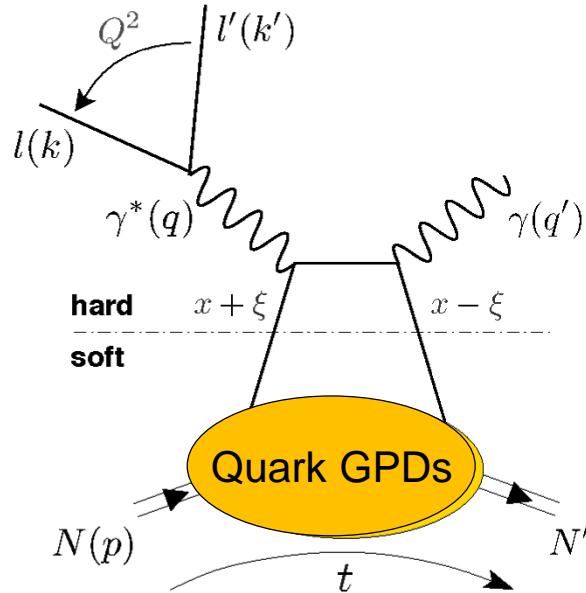
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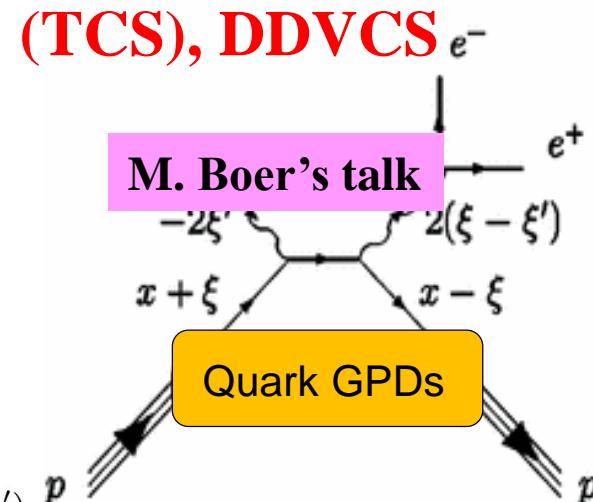
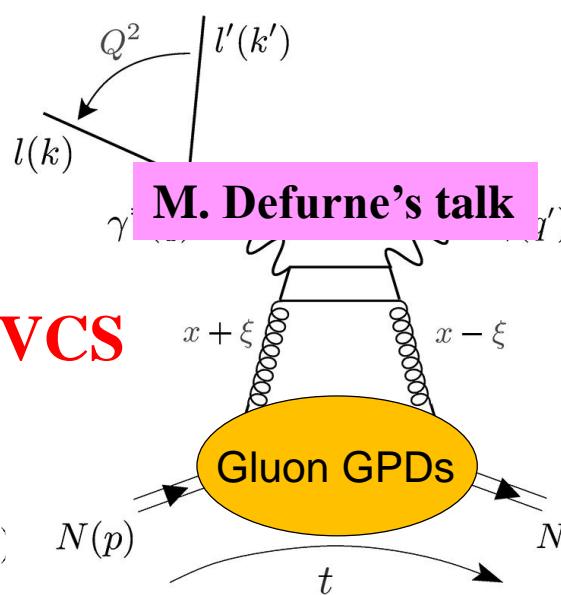


- $Q^2 = -(k-k')^2$
- $x_B = Q^2/2Mv$   $v = E_e - E_{e'}$
- $x + \xi, x - \xi$  long. mom. fract.
- $t = \Delta^2 = (p-p')^2$
- $\xi \equiv x_B/(2-x_B)$

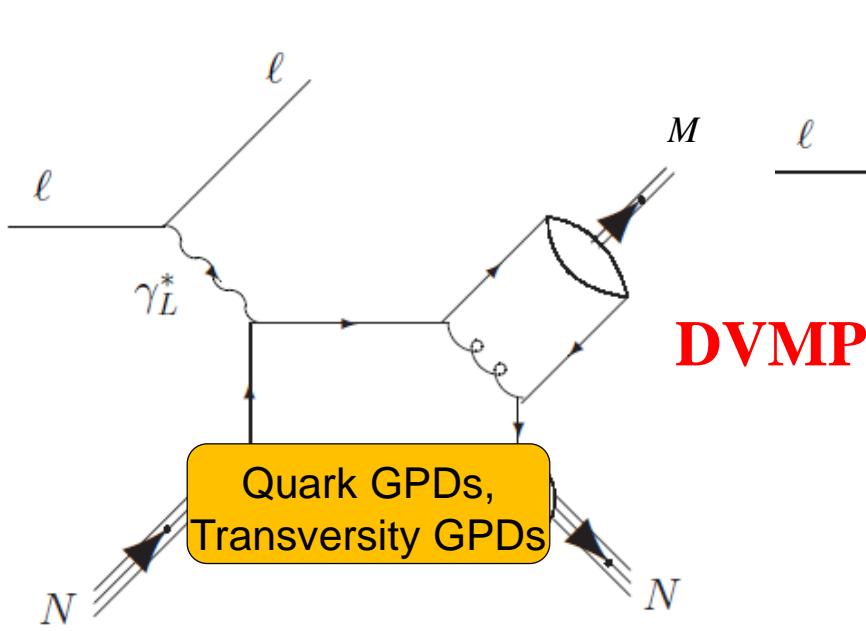
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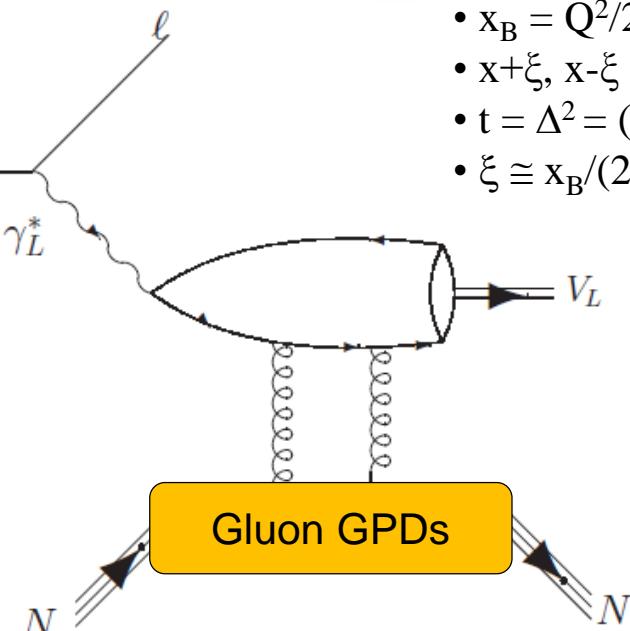
**DVCS**



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- $t = \Delta^2 = (p-p')^2$
- $\xi \cong x_B/(2-x_B)$



**DVMP**



# Properties and “virtues” of GPDs

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \int H(x, \xi, t) dx = F_1(t) \quad \forall \xi \\ \int E(x, \xi, t) dx = F_2(t) \quad \forall \xi \\ \int \tilde{H}(x, \xi, t) dx = G_A(t) \quad \forall \xi \\ \int \tilde{E}(x, \xi, t) dx = G_P(t) \quad \forall \xi \end{array} \right\} \text{Link with FFs}$$

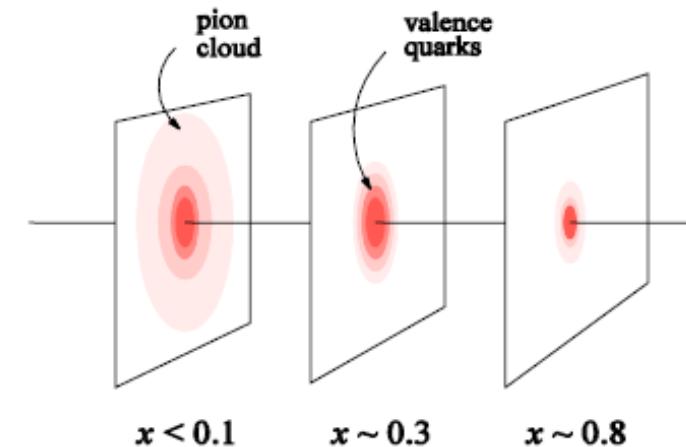
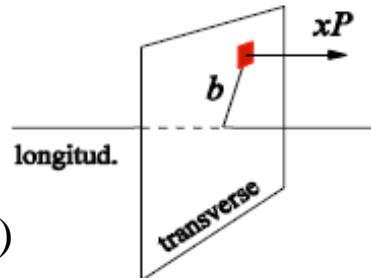
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} H(x, 0, 0) = q(x) \\ \tilde{H}(x, 0, 0) = \Delta q(x) \end{array} \right\} \text{Forward limit: PDFs (not for E, } \tilde{E} \text{)}$$

## Nucleon tomography

$$q(x, b_\perp) = \int_0^\infty \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i \Delta_\perp b_\perp} H(x, 0, -\Delta_\perp^2)$$

$$\Delta q(x, b_\perp) = \int_0^\infty \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i \Delta_\perp b_\perp} \tilde{H}(x, 0, -\Delta_\perp^2)$$

M. Burkardt, PRD 62, 71503 (2000)



## Quark angular momentum (Ji's sum rule)

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 x dx (H(x, \xi, t=0) + E(x, \xi, t=0)) = J = \frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma + \Delta L$$

X. Ji, Phy.Rev.Lett.78,610(1997)

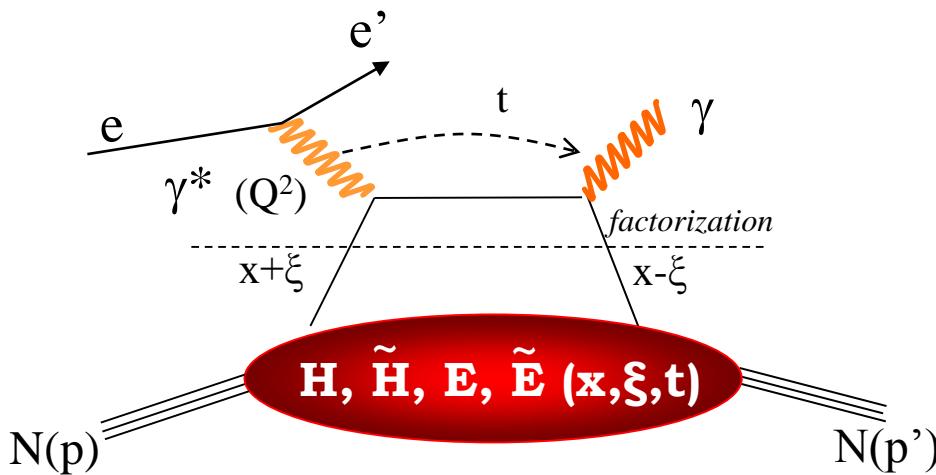
$$\text{Nucleon spin: } \frac{1}{2} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma + \Delta L}_{\mathbf{J}} + \Delta G$$

Intrinsic spin of the quarks  $\Delta \Sigma \approx 25\%$

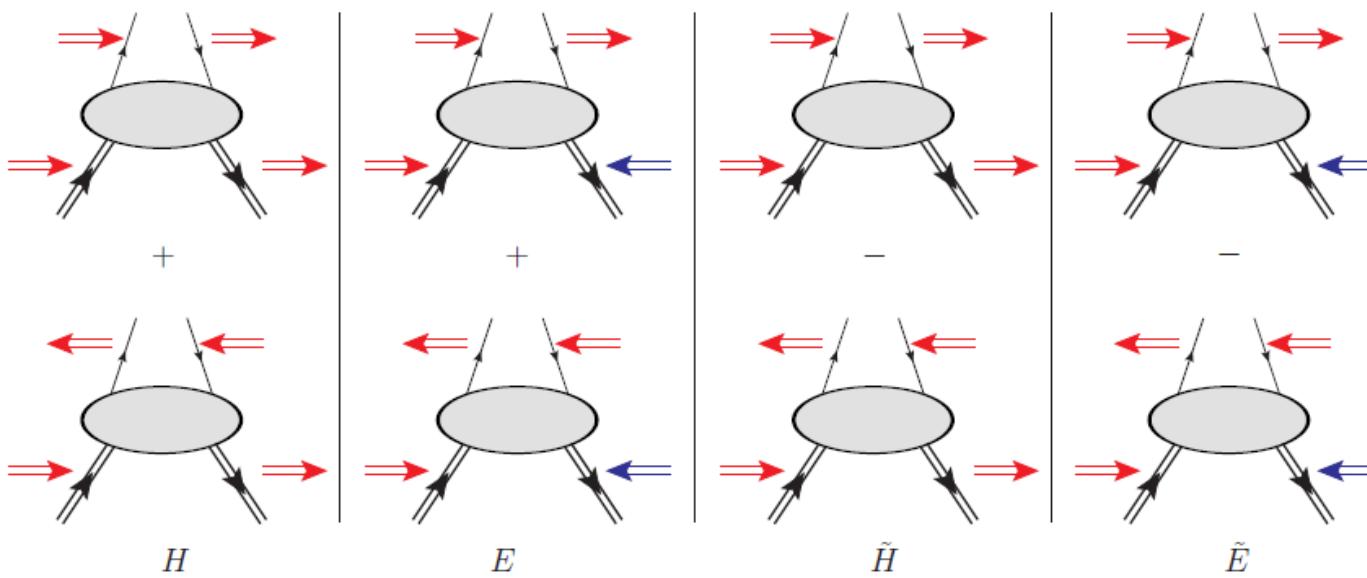
Intrinsic spin on the gluons  $\Delta G \approx 0$  (?)

Orbital angular momentum of the quarks  $\Delta L$  ?

# Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering and quark GPDs



« Handbag » factorization valid  
in the **Bjorken regime**:  
**high  $Q^2$ ,  $v$  (fixed  $x_B$ ),  $t \ll Q^2$**



conserve nucleon spin

Vector:  $H (x, \xi, t)$  Axial-Vector:  $\tilde{H} (x, \xi, t)$

flip nucleon spin

Tensor:  $E (x, \xi, t)$  Pseudoscalar:  $\tilde{E} (x, \xi, t)$

# Accessing GPDs through DVCS

DVCS allows access to 4 complex GPDs-related quantities: **Compton Form Factors ( $\xi, t$ )**

$$T^{DVCS} \sim P \int_{-1}^{+1} \frac{GPDs(x, \xi, t)}{x \pm \xi} dx \pm i\pi GPDs(\pm \xi, \xi, t) + \dots$$

**Only  $\xi$  and  $t$  are accessible experimentally**

$$Re \mathcal{H}_q = e_q^2 P \int_0^{+1} \left( H^q(x, \xi, t) - H^q(-x, \xi, t) \right) \left[ \frac{1}{\xi - x} + \frac{1}{\xi + x} \right] dx$$

$$Im \mathcal{H}_q = \pi e_q^2 [H^q(\xi, \xi, t) - H^q(-\xi, \xi, t)]$$

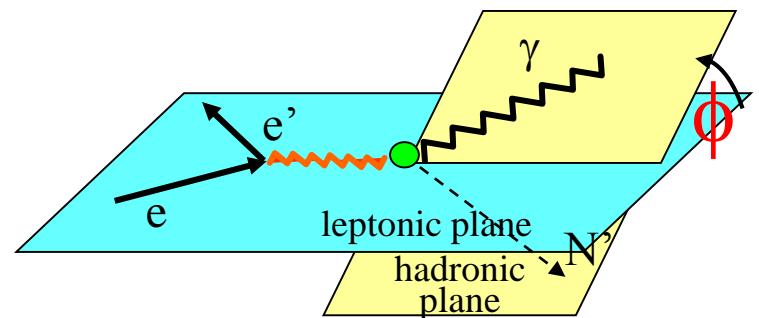
$$\sigma(eN \rightarrow eN\gamma) = \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{DVCS} \\ \text{Bethe-Heitler (BH)} \end{array} \right|^2$$

BH is calculable  
(electromagnetic FFs)

$$\sigma \sim |T^{DVCS} + T^{BH}|^2 \rightarrow \text{Re}(CFFs) \quad (\text{also DSA})$$

$$\Delta\sigma = \sigma^+ - \sigma^- \propto I(DVCS \cdot BH) \rightarrow \text{Im}(CFFs)$$

$$A = \frac{\Delta\sigma}{2\sigma} \propto \frac{I(DVCS \cdot BH)}{|BH|^2 + |DVCS|^2 + I}$$



# Sensitivity to CFFs of DVCS spin observables

$$A_{LU(UL)} = \frac{\sigma^+ - \sigma^-}{\sigma^+ + \sigma^-} \propto \frac{s_{1,unp(UL)}^I \sin \phi}{c_{0,unp}^{BH} + c_{0,unp}^I + (c_{1,unp}^{BH} + c_{1,unp}^I) \cos \phi}$$

$$A_{LL} = \frac{\sigma^{++} + \sigma^{+-} - \sigma^{+-} - \sigma^{+-}}{\sigma^{++} + \sigma^{+-} + \sigma^{+-} + \sigma^{+-}} \propto \frac{c_{0,LP}^{BH} + c_{0,LP}^I + (c_{1,LP}^{BH} + c_{1,LP}^I) \cos \phi}{c_{0,unp}^{BH} + c_{0,unp}^I + (c_{1,unp}^{BH} + c_{1,unp}^I) \cos \phi}$$

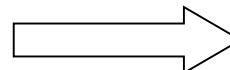
Twist-2  
approximation  
(-t << Q<sup>2</sup>)

$$(\xi = x_B/(2-x_B) \quad k = -t/4M^2)$$

Proton      Neutron

Polarized beam, unpolarized target:

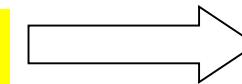
$$s_{1,unp}^I \sim \text{Im}\{F_1 \mathcal{H} + \xi(F_1+F_2) \tilde{\mathcal{H}} - kF_2 \tilde{\mathcal{E}}\}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Im}\{\mathcal{H}_p, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_p, \mathcal{E}_p\} \\ \text{Im}\{\mathcal{H}_n, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_n, \mathcal{E}_n\} \end{aligned}$$

Unpolarized beam, longitudinal target:

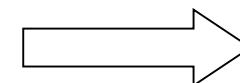
$$s_{1,UL}^I \sim \text{Im}\{F_1 \mathcal{H} + \xi(F_1+F_2)(\mathcal{H} + x_B/2\mathcal{E}) - \xi k F_2 \tilde{\mathcal{E}} + \dots\}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Im}\{\mathcal{H}_p, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_p\} \\ \text{Im}\{\mathcal{H}_n, \mathcal{E}_n\} \end{aligned}$$

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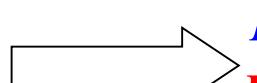
$$c_{1,LP}^I \sim \text{Re}\{F_1 \mathcal{H} + \xi(F_1+F_2)(\tilde{\mathcal{H}} + x_B/2\mathcal{E}) \dots\}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Re}\{\mathcal{H}_p, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_p\} \\ \text{Re}\{\mathcal{H}_n, \mathcal{E}_n\} \end{aligned}$$

Unpolarized beam, transverse target:

$$\Delta\sigma_{UT} \sim \sin(\phi_s - \phi) \text{Im}\{k(F_2 \mathcal{H} - F_1 \mathcal{E}) + \dots\}$$

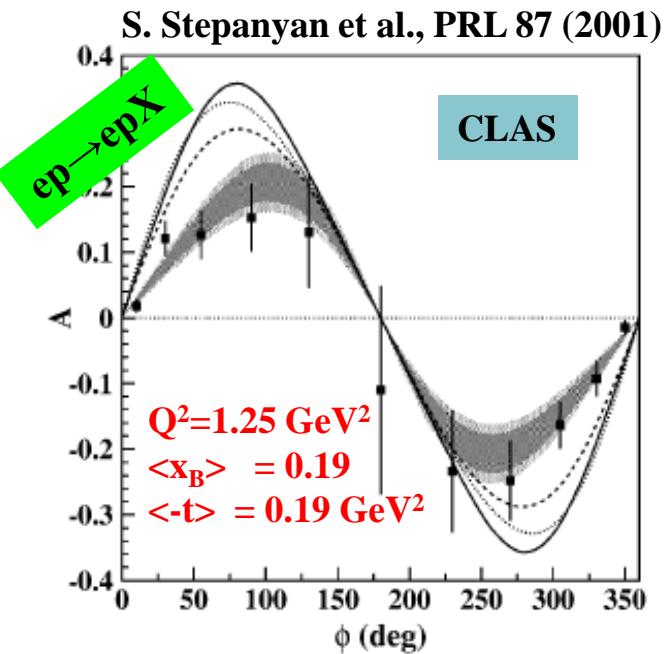
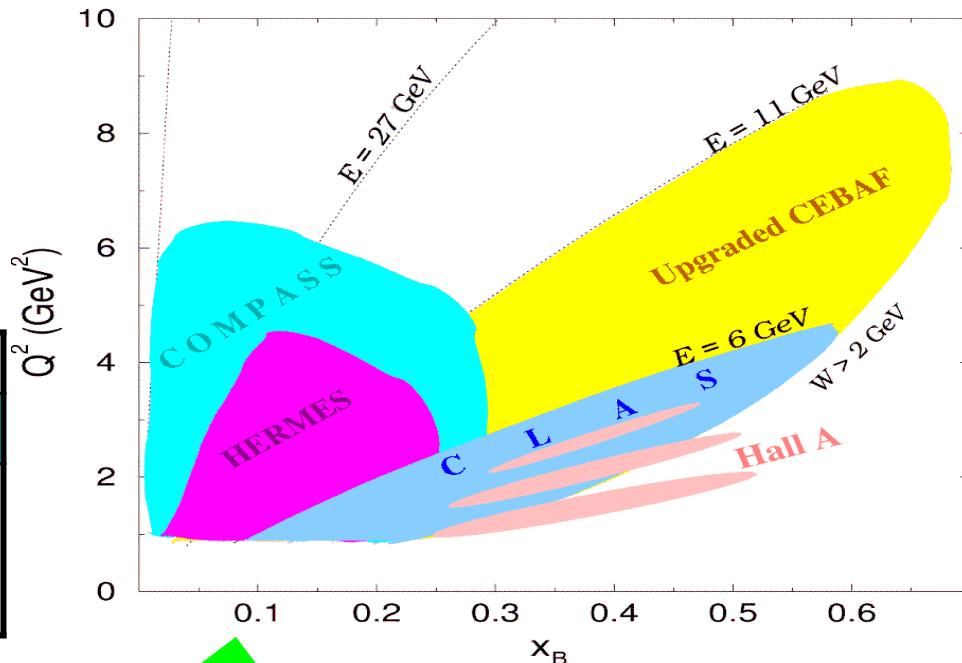


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# DVCS experiments worldwide

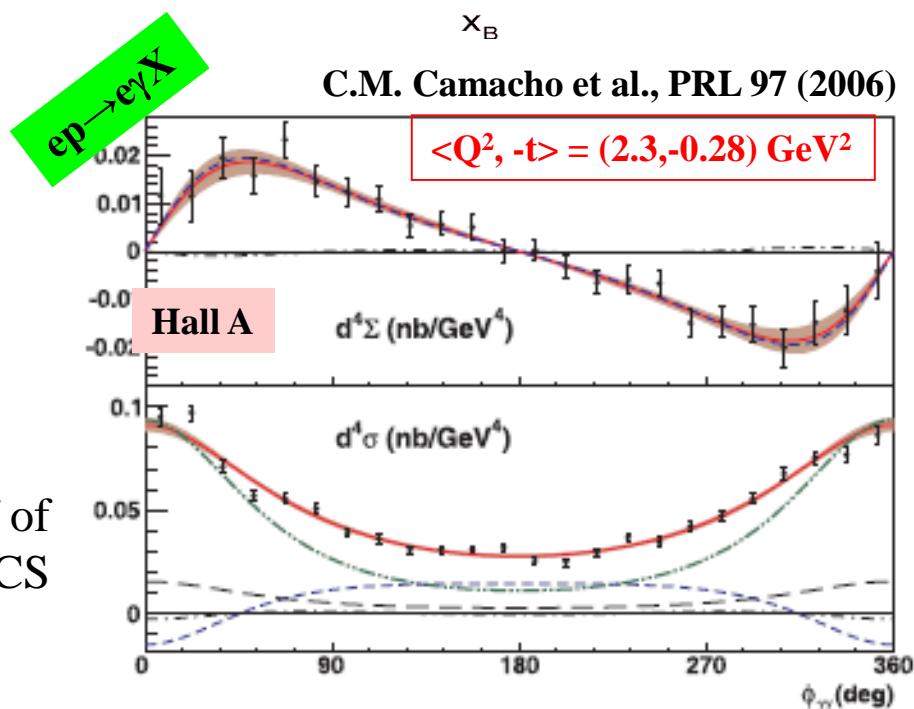
JLAB	
Hall A	CLAS (Hall B)
p,n-DVCS (Bpol.) CS	p-DVCS BSA,ITSA,DSA,CS

DESY		CERN
HERMES	H1/ZEUS	COMPASS
p-DVCS BSA,BCA, tTSA,ITSA,DSA	p-DVCS CS,BCA	p-DVCS CS,BSA,BCA, tTSA,ITSA,DSA

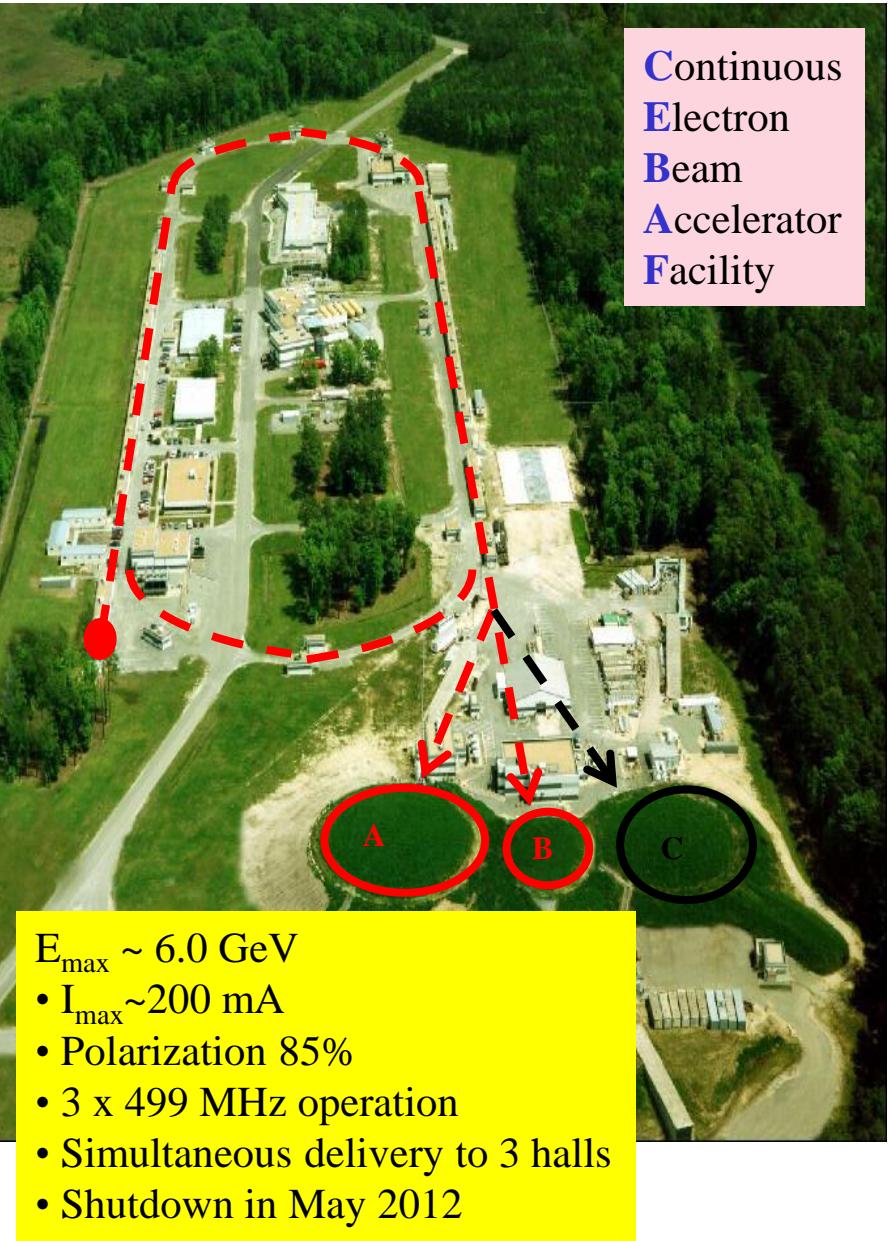


CLAS: first observation of DVCS-BH interference

Hall A: proof of scaling for DVCS



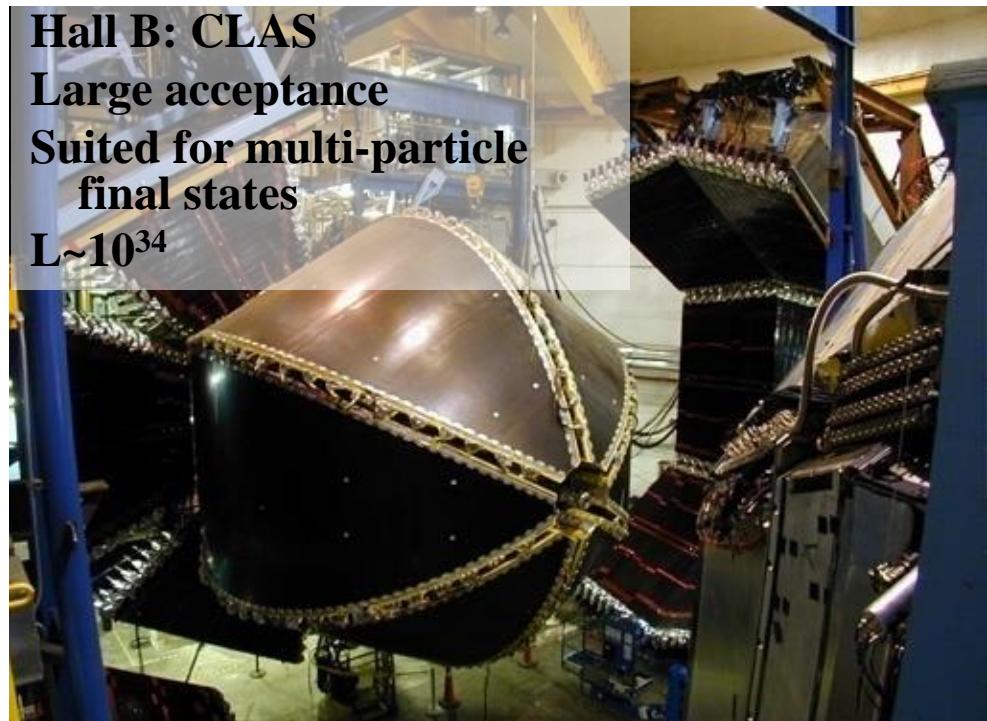
# JLab@6 GeV



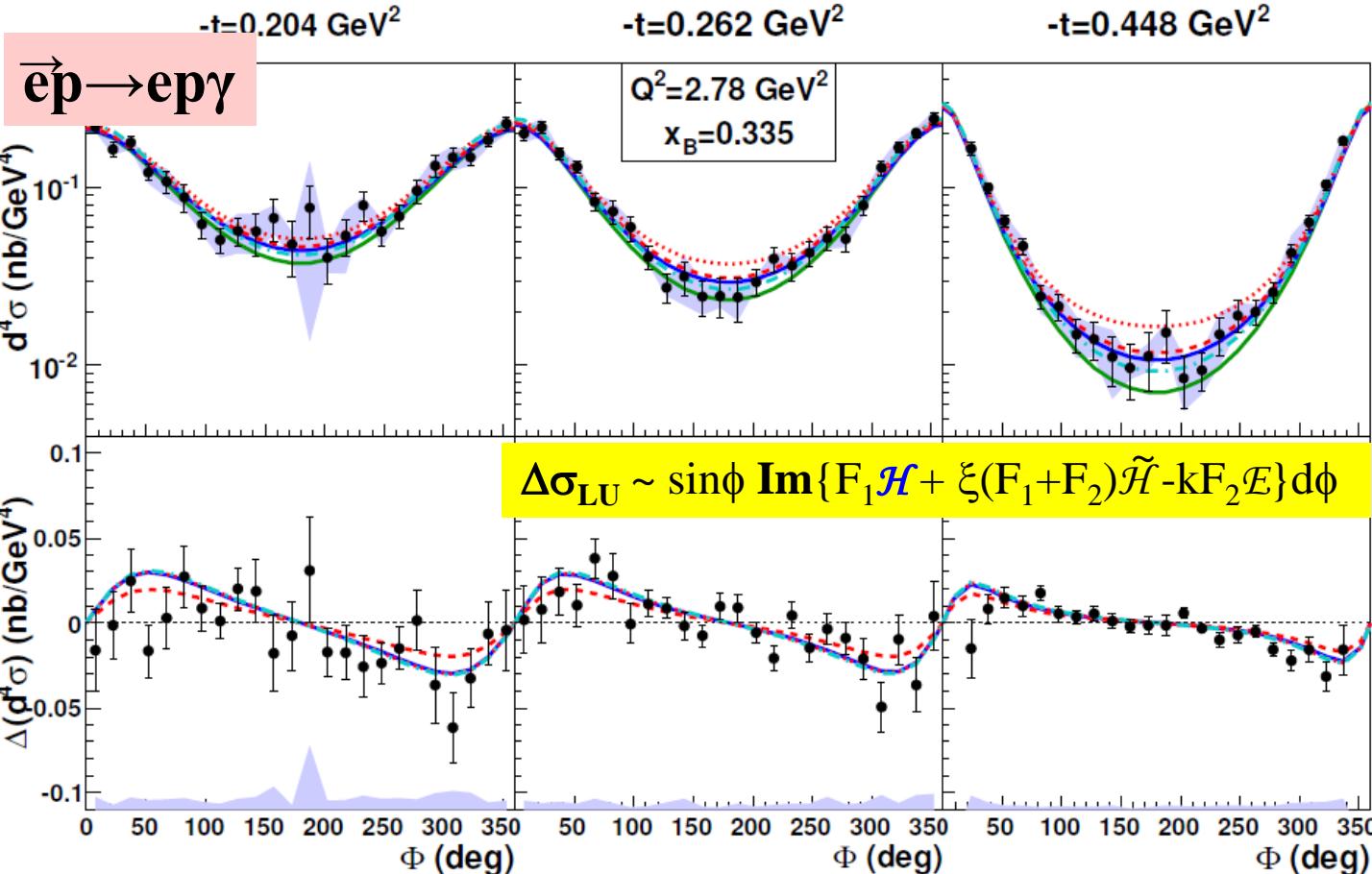
Continuous  
Electron  
Beam  
Accelerator  
Facility



Hall B: CLAS  
Large acceptance  
Suited for multi-particle  
final states  
 $L \sim 10^{34}$



# CLAS: unpolarized and beam-polarized cross sections



H.S. Jo et al., PRL  
115, 212003 (2015)

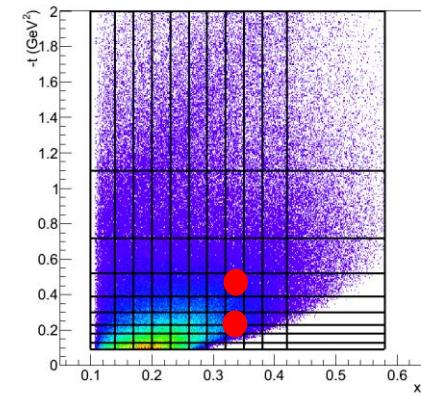
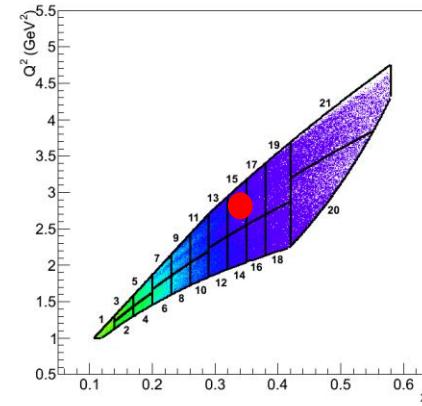
- Largest kinematic ever covered
- Two observables extracted

— BH    — VGG  
··· KM10    --- KM10a

KM10 model fits Hall A  
2006 data using  
« anomalous »  $\bar{H}$

- Data taken in 2005, e1-dvcs
- Beam energy  $\sim 5.75 \text{ GeV}$
- Beam polarization  $\sim 80\%$
- Target  $\text{LH}_2$
- **Inner Calorimeter (IC)**

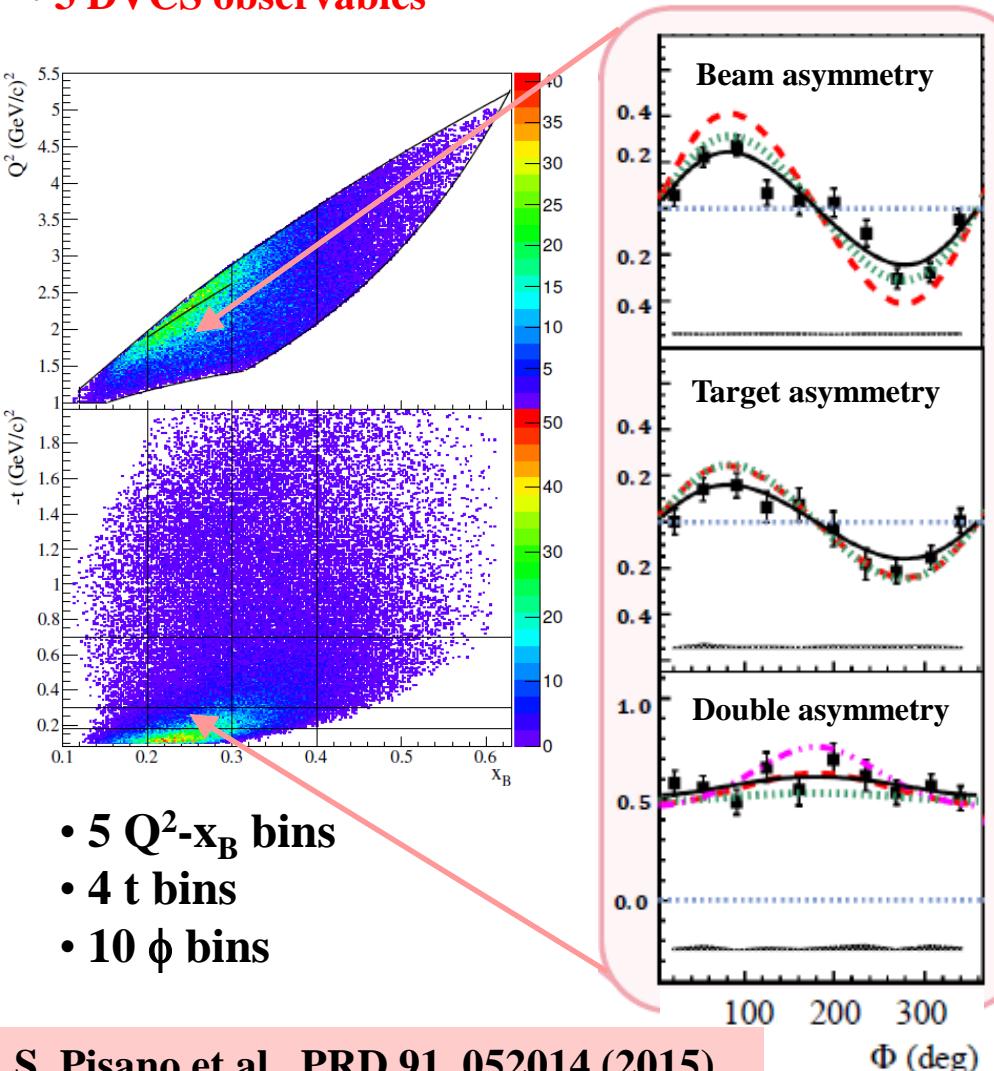
21  $Q^2$ - $x_B$  bins, 9  $t$  bins, 24  $\phi$  bins



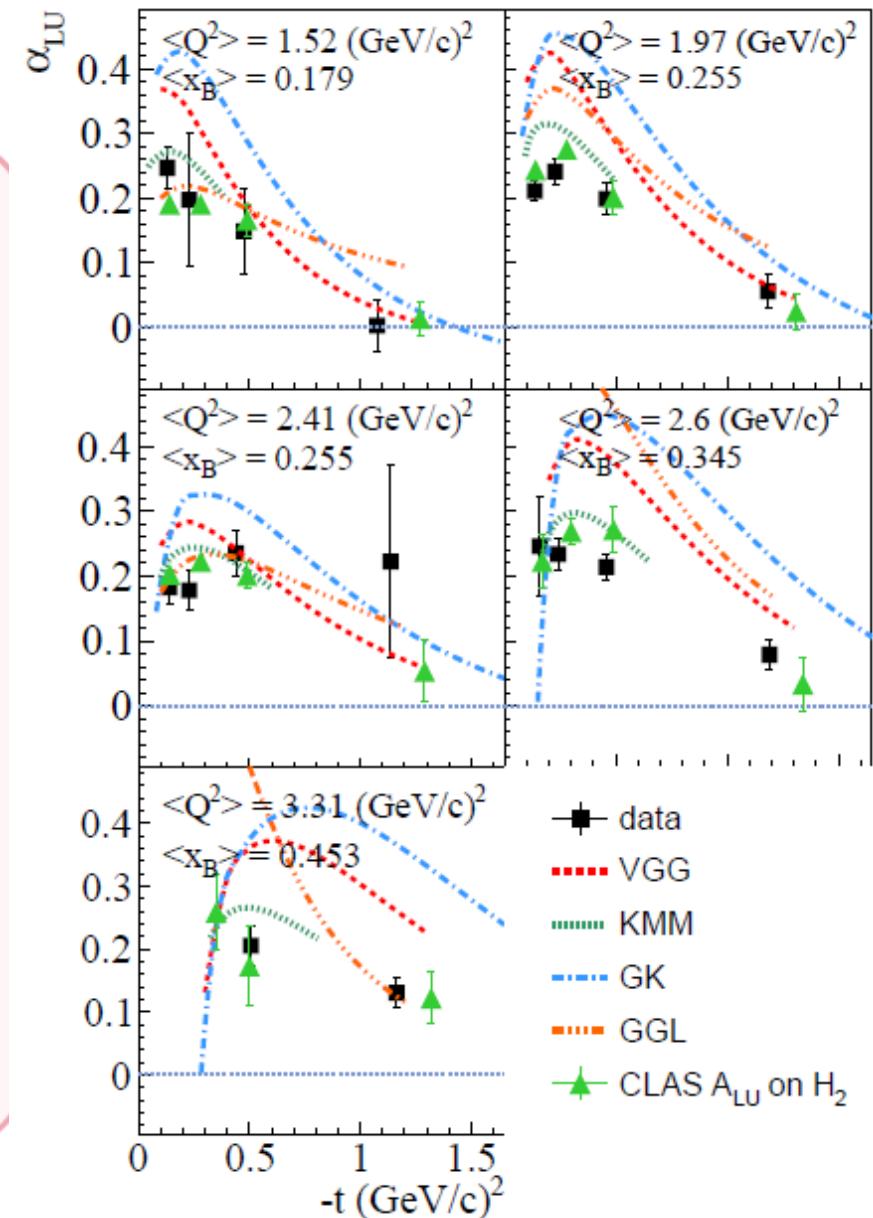
# CLAS: DVCS on longitudinally polarized target

$\vec{e}\vec{p} \rightarrow e\gamma$

- Data taken in 2009, eg1-dvcs
- Beam energy  $\sim 5.9$  GeV
- CLAS + IC to detect forward photons
- Target: longitudinally polarized NH<sub>3</sub> ( $P \sim 80\%$ )
- **3 DVCS observables**



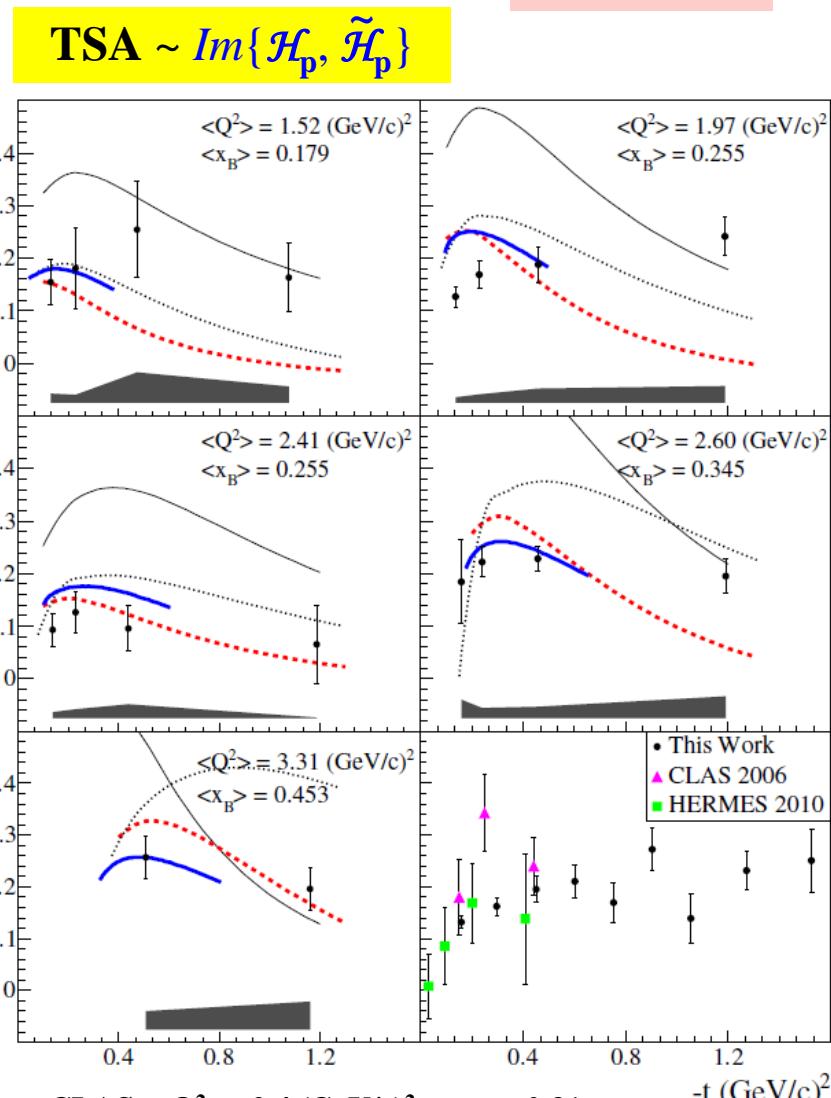
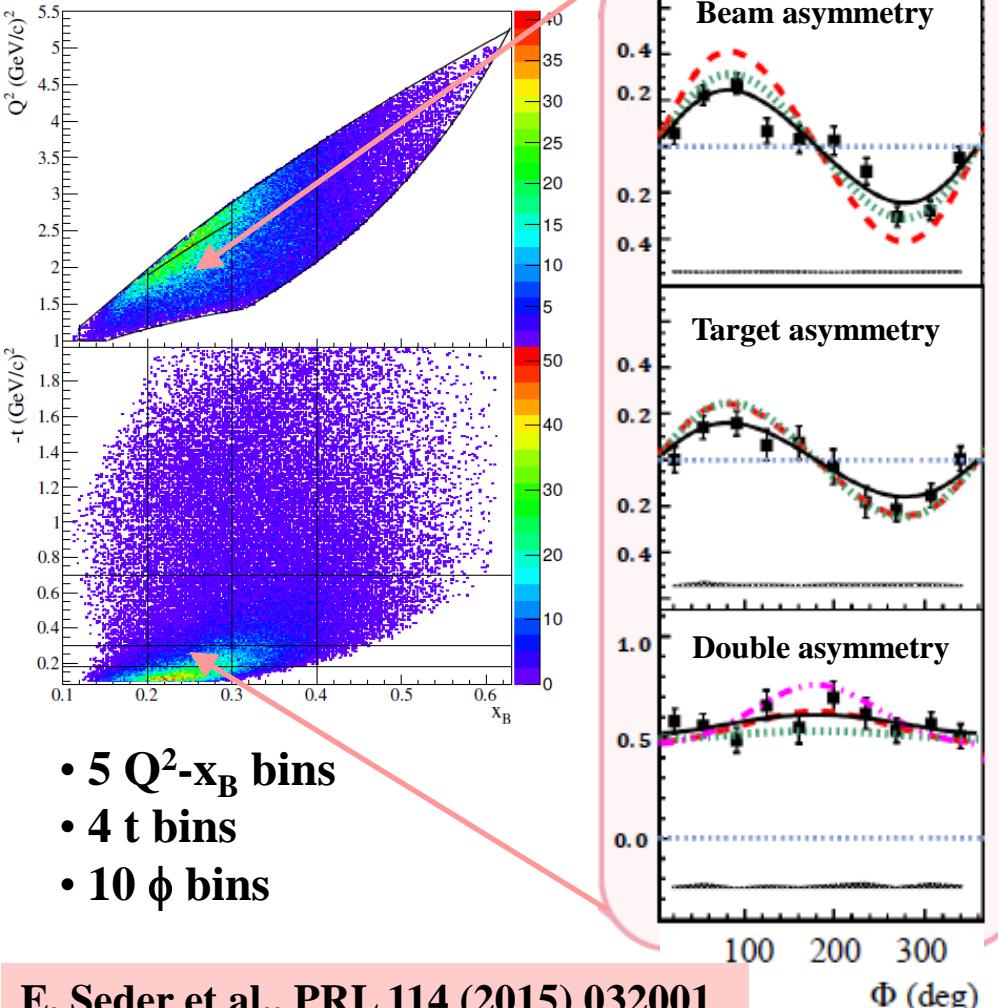
$$\text{BSA} \sim \text{Im}\{\mathcal{H}_p\}$$



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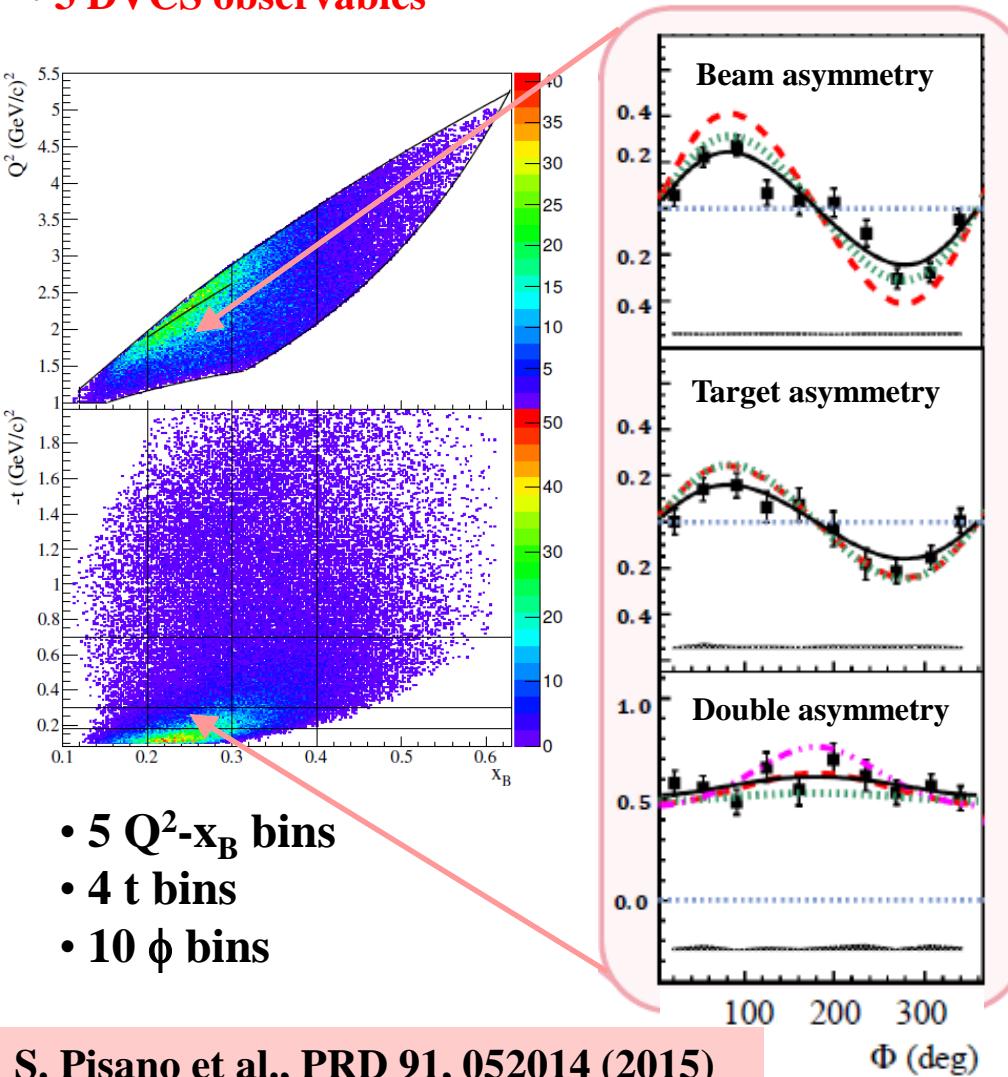


- Improved statistics x10 at low  $-t$
- Extended kinematic coverage

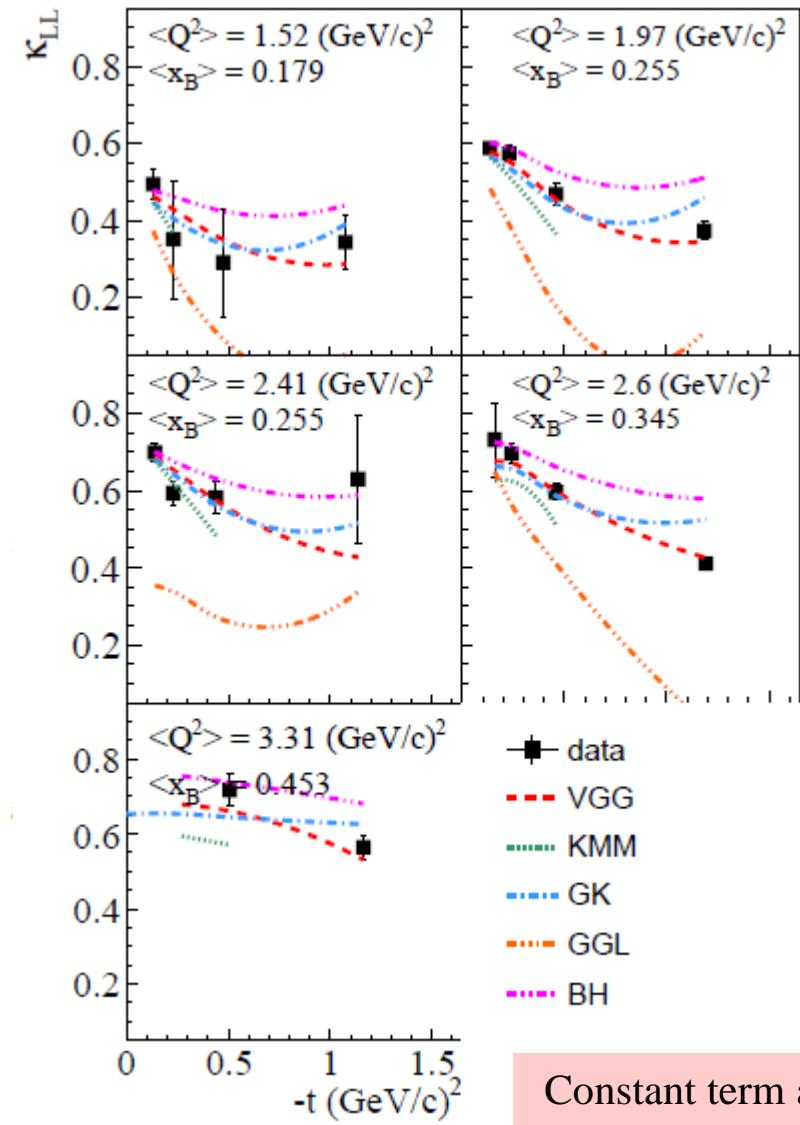
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$$\text{DSA} \sim \text{Re}\{\mathcal{H}_p, \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_p\}$$

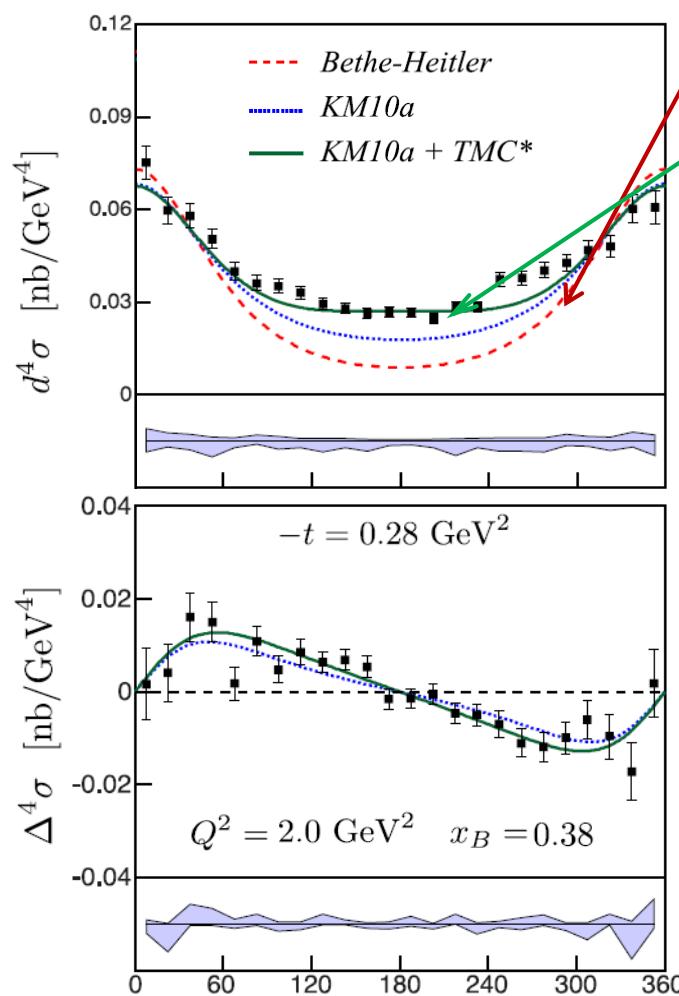


Constant term and  $\cos\phi$  term are dominated by BH

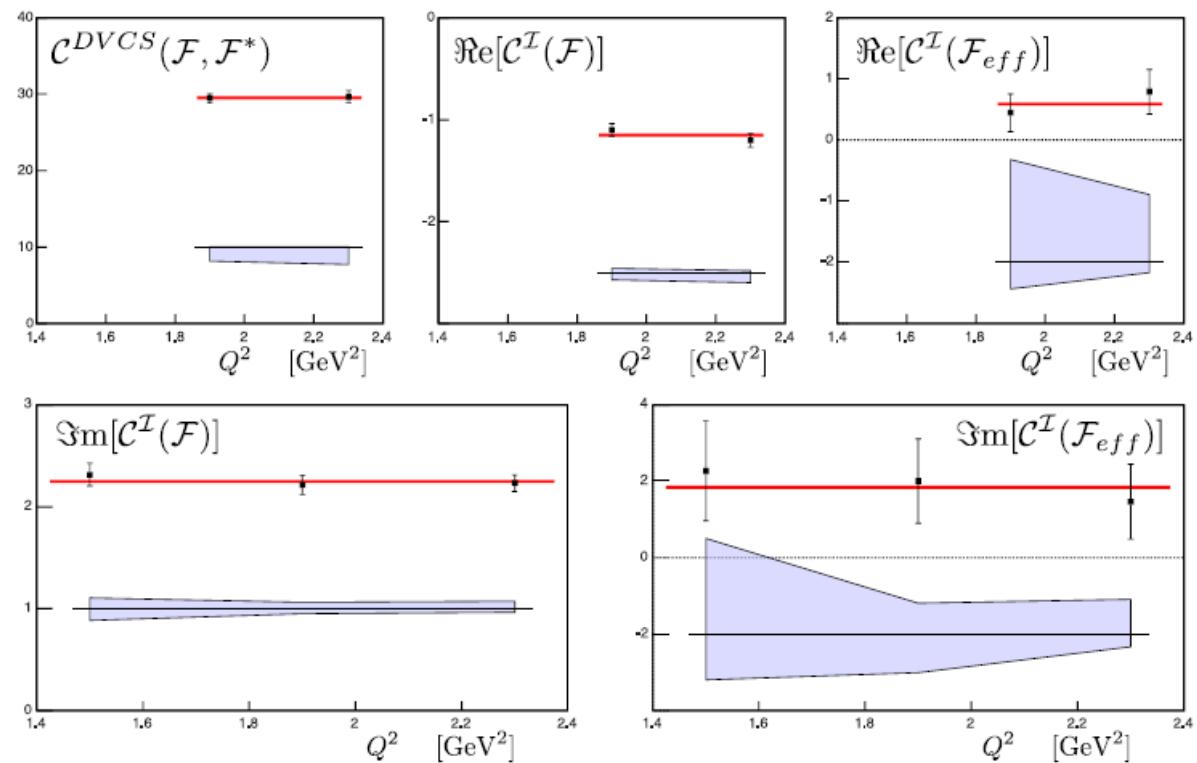
# DVCS on the proton in Hall A

$\vec{e}p \rightarrow e\gamma(p)$

M. Defurne et. al., PRC 92, 055202 (2015)



- Significant deviation from Bethe-Heitler
- Both  $I(\text{BH}\cdot\text{DVCS})$  and DVCS<sup>2</sup> contribute to the cross section
- Twist-4 corrections (TMC) may be necessary to describe the data



New results from 2009 data: see M. Defurne's talk

# Extraction of Compton Form Factors from DVCS observables

GPDs cannot directly be extracted from DVCS observables, one can access Compton Form Factors:

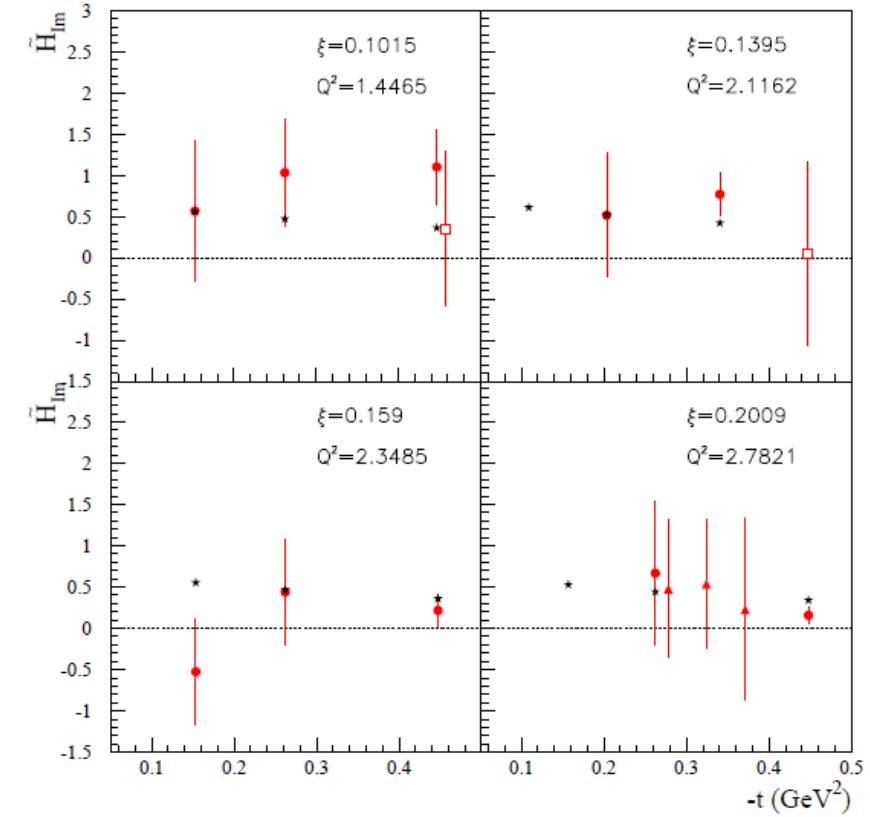
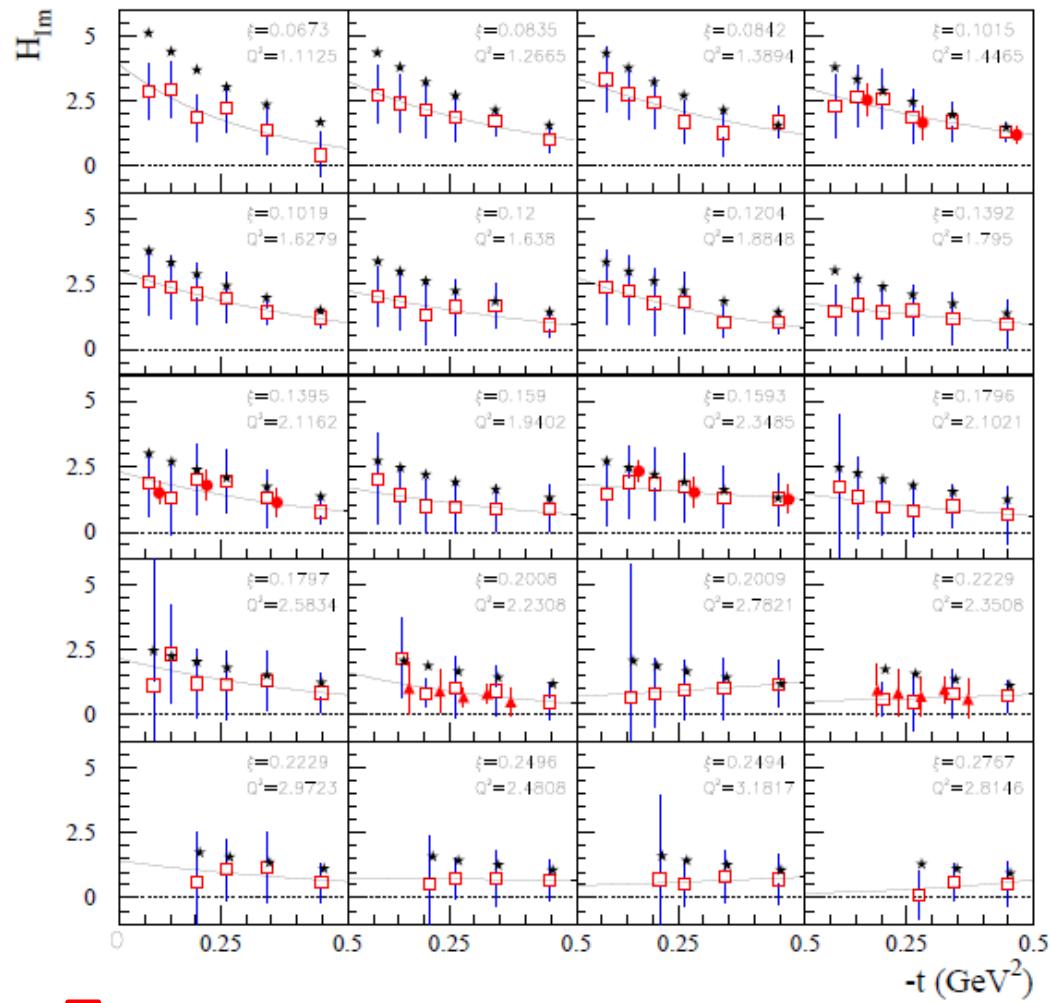
8 CFF

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Re}(\mathcal{H}) = P \int_0^1 dx [H(x, \xi, t) - H(-x, \xi, t)] C^+(x, \xi) \\ \text{Re}(E) = P \int_0^1 dx [E(x, \xi, t) - E(-x, \xi, t)] C^+(x, \xi) \\ \text{Re}(\tilde{\mathcal{H}}) = P \int_0^1 dx [\tilde{H}(x, \xi, t) + \tilde{H}(-x, \xi, t)] C^-(x, \xi) \\ \text{Re}(\tilde{E}) = P \int_0^1 dx [\tilde{E}(x, \xi, t) + \tilde{E}(-x, \xi, t)] C^-(x, \xi) \\ \text{Im}(\mathcal{H}) = H(\xi, \xi, t) - H(-\xi, \xi, t) \\ \text{Im}(E) = E(\xi, \xi, t) - E(-\xi, \xi, t) \\ \text{Im}(\tilde{\mathcal{H}}) = \tilde{H}(\xi, \xi, t) - \tilde{H}(-\xi, \xi, t) \\ \text{Im}(\tilde{E}) = \tilde{E}(\xi, \xi, t) - \tilde{E}(-\xi, \xi, t) \end{array} \right.$$

with  $C^\pm(x, \xi) = \frac{1}{x - \xi} \pm \frac{1}{x + \xi}$

M. Guidal: **Model-independent fit**, at fixed  $Q^2$ ,  $x_B$  and  $t$  of DVCS observables  
8 parameters (the CFFs), loosely bound (+/- 5 x VGG prediction)  
*M. Guidal, Eur. Phys. J. A 37 (2008) 319 & many other papers...*

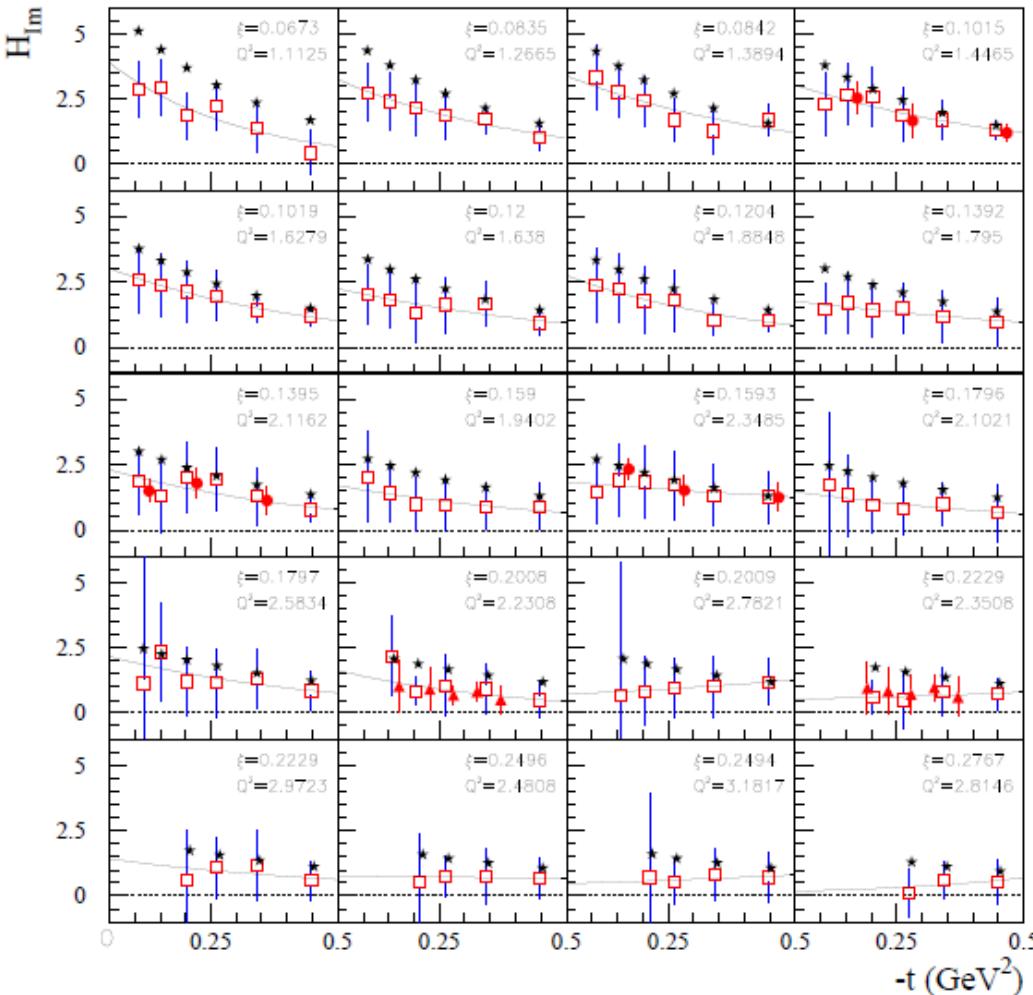
# Results for $H_{Im}$ and $\tilde{H}_{Im}$ from the fits of JLab 2015 data



$H_{Im}$  has steeper t-slope than  $\tilde{H}_{Im}$ : the axial charge ( $\sim \Delta u - \Delta d$ ) is more “concentrated” than the electric charge

R. Dupré, M. Guidal, S.Niccolai,  
M. Vanderhaegen, arXiv: 1704.07330

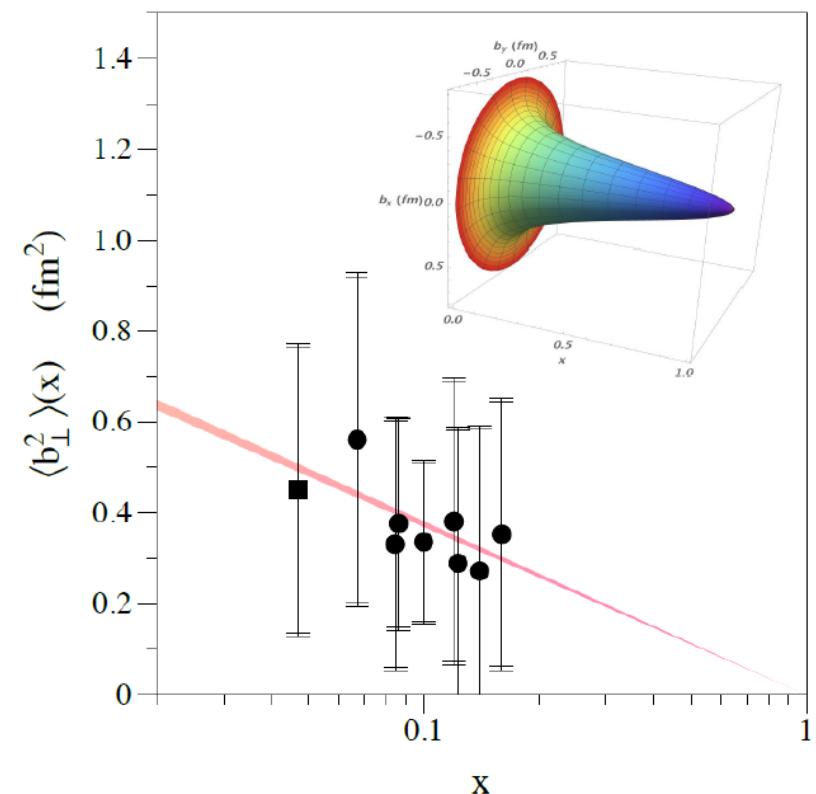
# From CFFs to proton tomography



$$\mathcal{H}_{Im}(\xi, t) = A(\xi)e^{B(\xi)t}$$

$$A(\xi) = a_A(1 - \xi)/\xi \quad a_A = 0.36 \pm 0.06$$

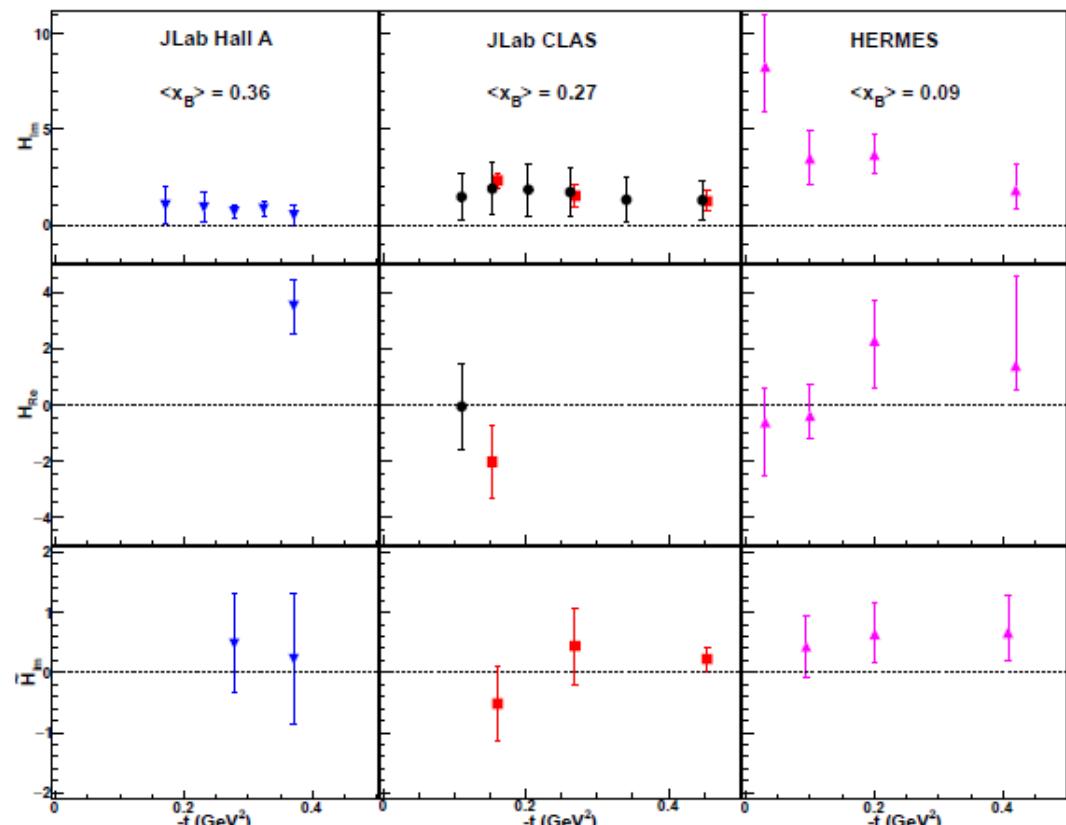
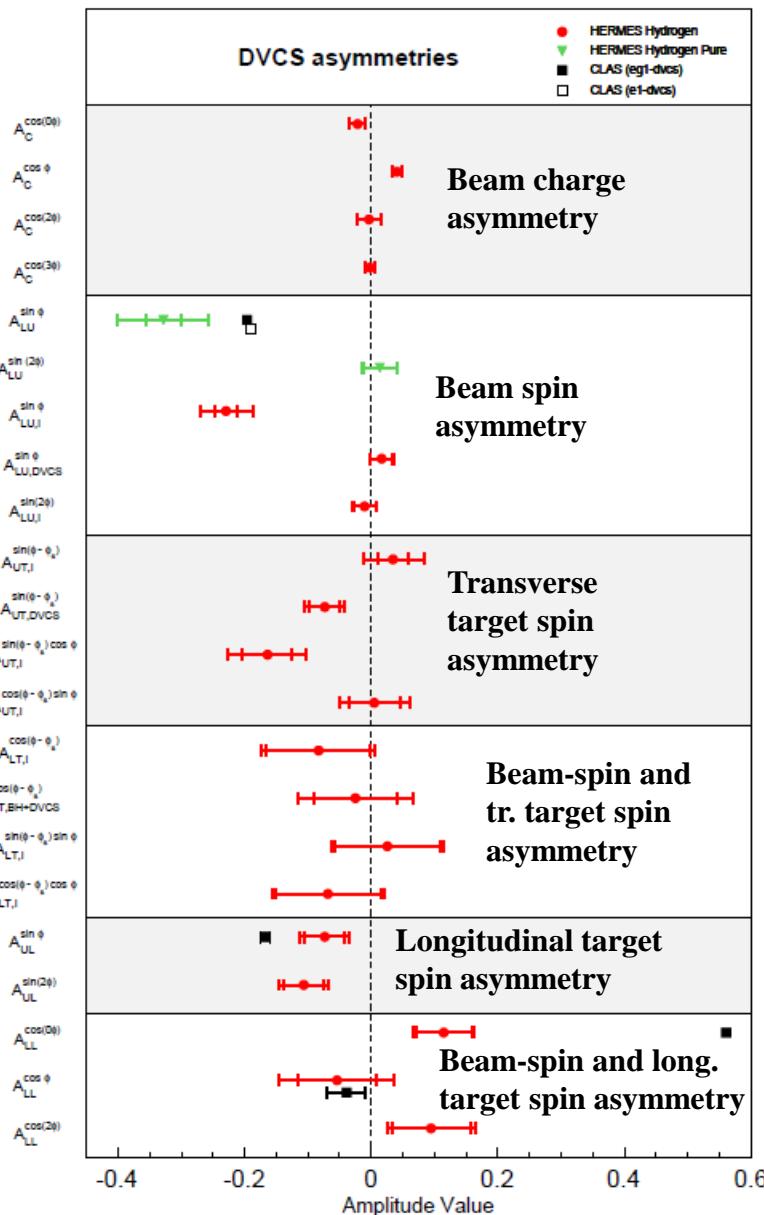
$$B(\xi) = a_B \ln(1/\xi) \quad a_B = 1.07 \pm 0.26 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$



« Integrated » radius from elastic form factor  $F_1$ :

$$\langle b_\perp^2 \rangle = 0.43 \pm 0.01 \text{ fm}^2$$

# Summary of proton-DVCS spin observables and GPDs extraction



Hall A (2015)

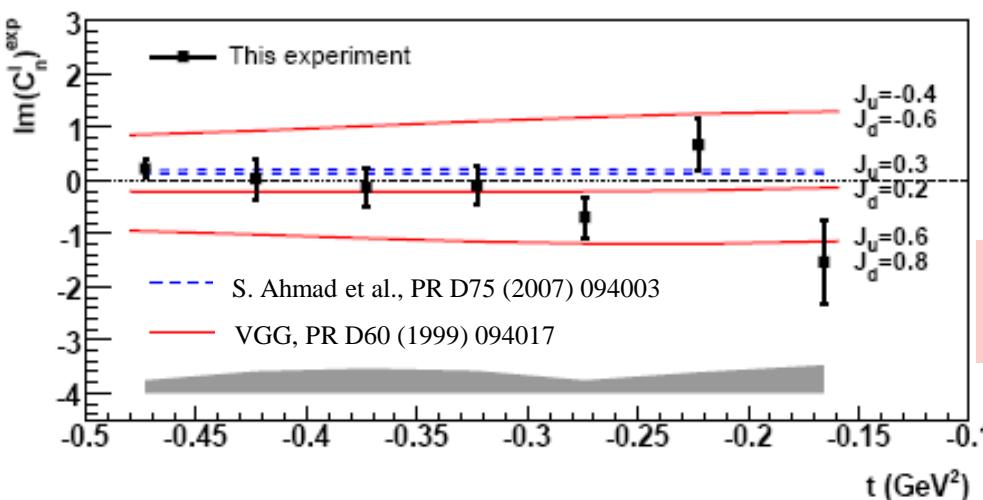
CLAS C.S.  
CLAS C.S.  
+TSA+DSA

HERMES

Beam Charge  
Asymmetry: strong  
constraint for  $H_{Re}$

# DVCS on the neutron in Hall A

M. Mazouz et al., PRL 99 (2007) 242501



Proton and neutron GPDs (and CFFs) are  
linear combinations of quark GPDs

$$\mathcal{H}_p(\xi, t) = \frac{4}{9} \mathcal{H}_u(\xi, t) + \frac{1}{9} \mathcal{H}_d(\xi, t)$$

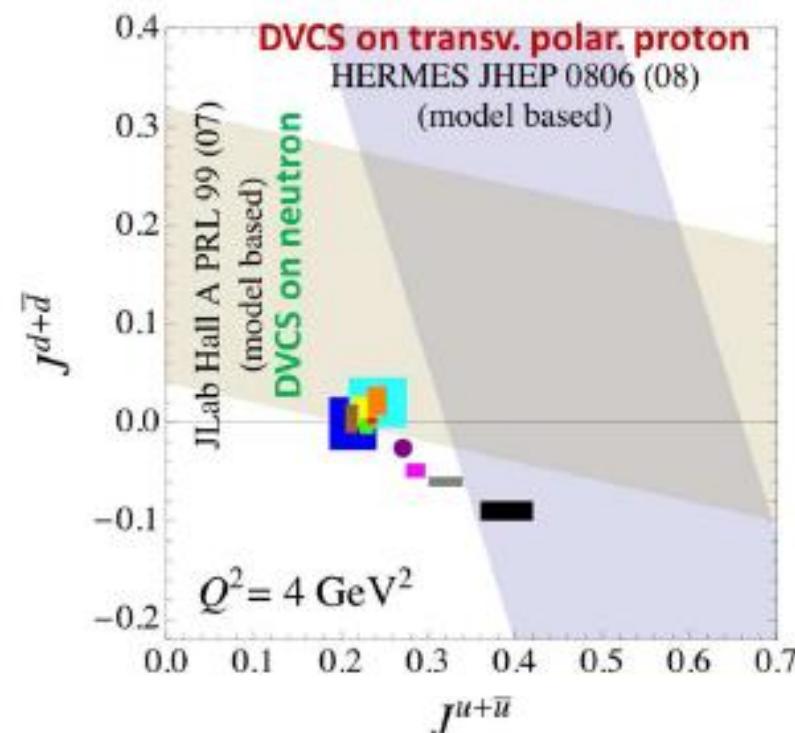
$$\mathcal{H}_n(\xi, t) = \frac{1}{9} \mathcal{H}_u(\xi, t) + \frac{4}{9} \mathcal{H}_d(\xi, t)$$

A combined analysis of DVCS observables for proton and neutron targets is necessary to perform a quark-flavor separation of the GPDs

$$\Delta\sigma_{LU} \sim \sin\phi \operatorname{Im}\{F_1 \mathcal{H} + \xi(F_1 + F_2) \tilde{\mathcal{H}} - k F_2 E\}$$

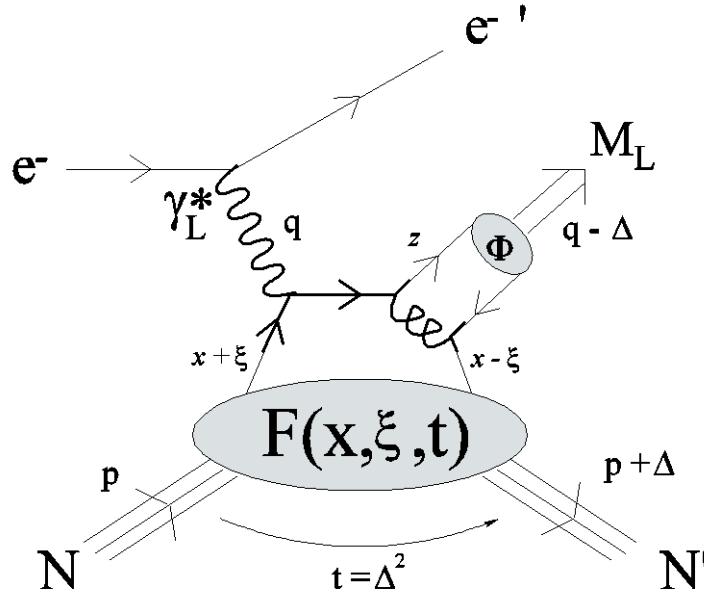
$$\frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 x dx (H(x, \xi, t=0) + E(x, \xi, t=0)) = J$$

- E03-106: First-time measurement of  $\Delta\sigma_{LU}$  for nDVCS, model-dependent extraction of  $J_u, J_d$



- E08-025: Beam-energy « Rosenbluth » separation of nDVCS CS using an LD2 target

# Deeply virtual meson production and GPDs



Different mesons → different sensitivity to GPDs

$$\begin{array}{c} H \\ E \\ \downarrow \\ \tilde{H} \\ \tilde{E} \end{array}$$

**Vector** mesons  
( $\rho, \omega, \phi$ )

**Pseudoscalar**  
mesons ( $\pi, \eta$ )

$\pi^0$	$2\Delta u + \Delta d$
$\eta$	$2\Delta u - \Delta d$
$\rho^0$	$2u + d$
$\omega$	$2u - d$
$\rho^+$	$u - d$

Factorization proven only for  
**longitudinally polarized** virtual photons

quark flavor decomposition  
accessible via meson production

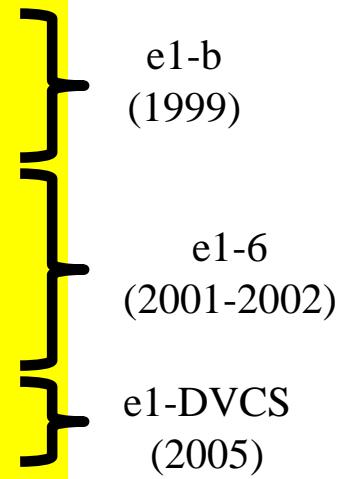
$$\mathcal{A}_L = -\frac{2ie}{9} \left( \int_0^1 dz \frac{\Phi(z)}{z} \right) \frac{4\pi\alpha_s(Q^2)}{Q} \int_{-1}^{+1} dx \left\{ \left[ \frac{1}{x - \xi + i\epsilon} + \frac{1}{x + \xi - i\epsilon} \right] F(x, \xi, t) \right\}$$

Complications: effective scale in the hard scattering process, meson distribution amplitude

# Deeply virtual meson production at CLAS

**Vector mesons:** exclusive  $\rho^0$ ,  $\omega$ ,  $\phi$  and  $\rho^+$  electroproduction on the proton with CLAS

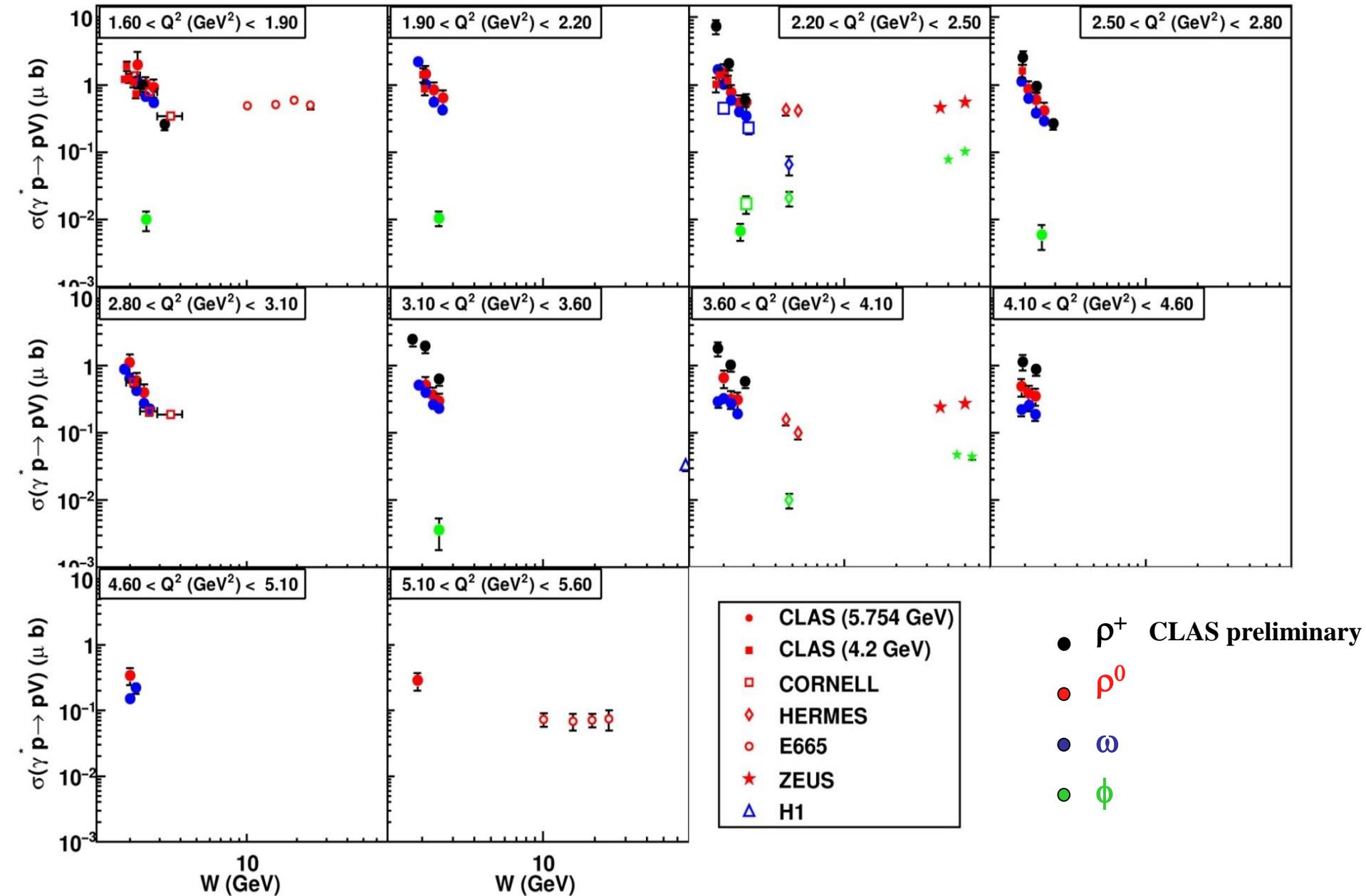
- K. Lukashin *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 63, 065205, 2001 ( $\phi$ @4.2 GeV)  
C. Hadjidakis *et al.*, Phys. Lett. B 605, 256-264, 2005 ( $\rho^0$ @4.2 GeV)
- L. Morand *et al.*, Eur. Phys. J. A 24, 445-458, 2005 ( $\omega$ @5.75GeV)  
J. Santoro *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 78, 025210, 2008 ( $\phi$ @5.75 GeV)  
S. Morrow *et al.*, Eur. Phys. J. A 39, 5-31, 2009 ( $\rho^0$ @5.75GeV)  
A. Fradi, Orsay Univ. PhD thesis ( $\rho^+$ @5.75 GeV)



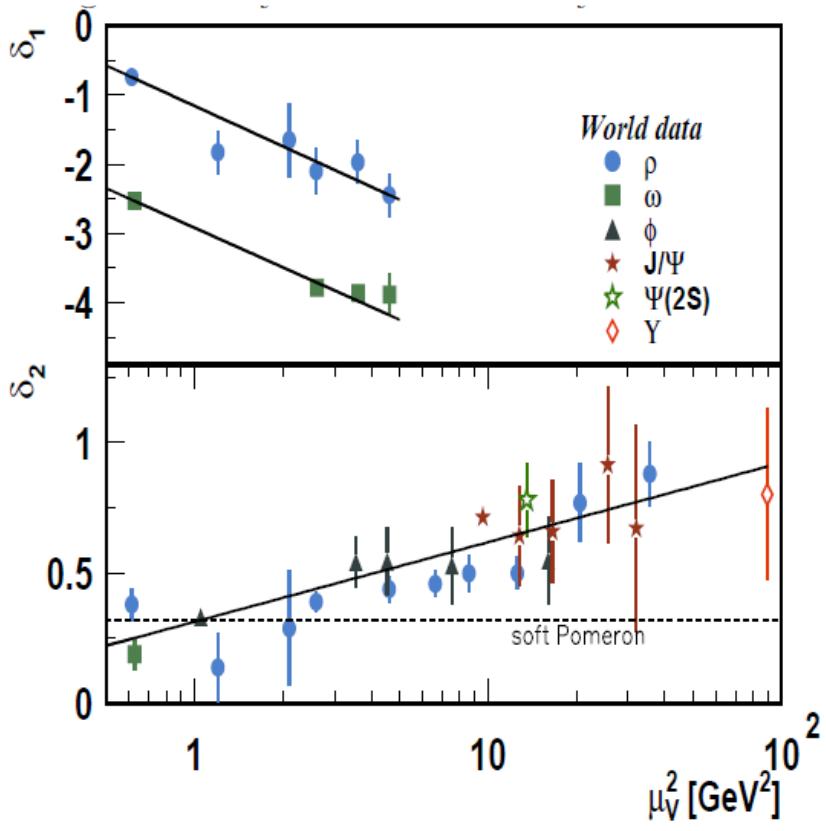
**Pseudoscalar mesons:** exclusive  $\pi^0$  and  $\eta$  electroproduction on the proton with CLAS

- R. De Masi *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 77, 042201(R), 2008 ( $\pi^0$ @5.75GeV)  
K. Park *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 77, 015208, 2008 ( $\pi^+$ @5.75 GeV)  
I. Bedlinskiy *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. 109 (2012) 112001; Phys. Rev. C 90, 039901 (2014) ( $\pi^0$ @5.75GeV)  
I. Bedlinskiy *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 95, 035202 (2017) ( $\eta$ @5.75GeV)

# Comparison between vector mesons ( $\sigma$ )

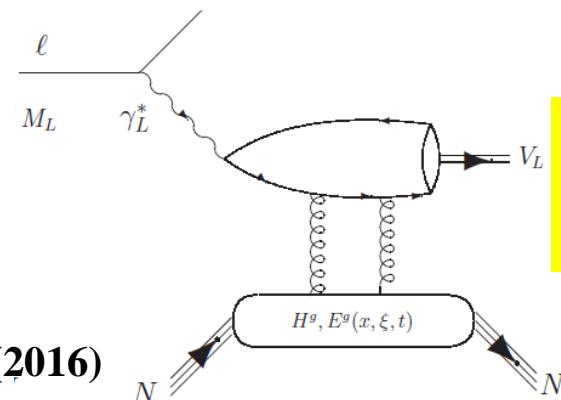
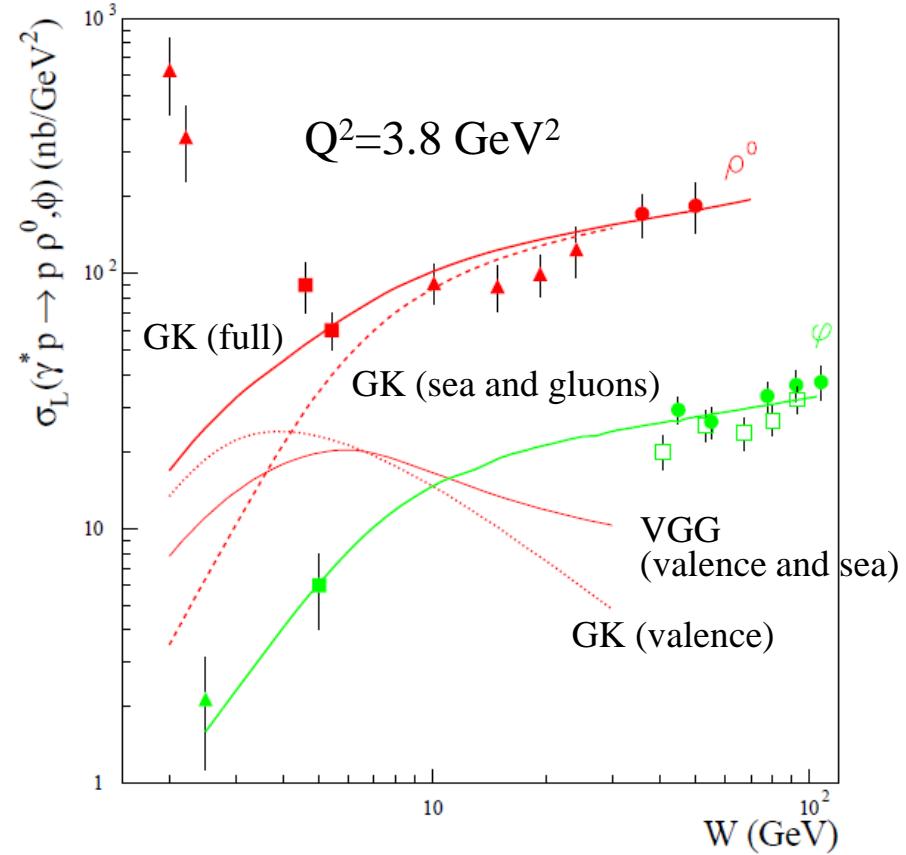


# Comparison between vector mesons ( $\sigma$ , $\sigma_L$ )



$$\sigma_V(W, \mu_V^2) = a_1 W^{\delta_1(\mu_V^2)} + a_2 W^{\delta_2(\mu_V^2)}$$

$$\mu_V^2 = Q^2 + M_V^2$$



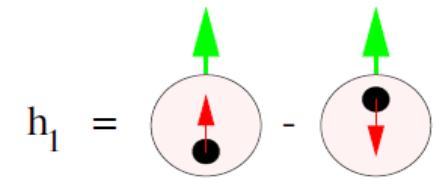
The GPD models fail to reproduce  $\sigma_L$  at low  $W$  for  $\rho^0$

# Chiral-odd GPDs

- 4 chiral-odd GPDs (parton helicity flip)
- Difficult to access (helicity flip processes are suppressed)
- Chiral-odd GPDs are very **little constrained**
- Anomalous tensor magnetic moment:  

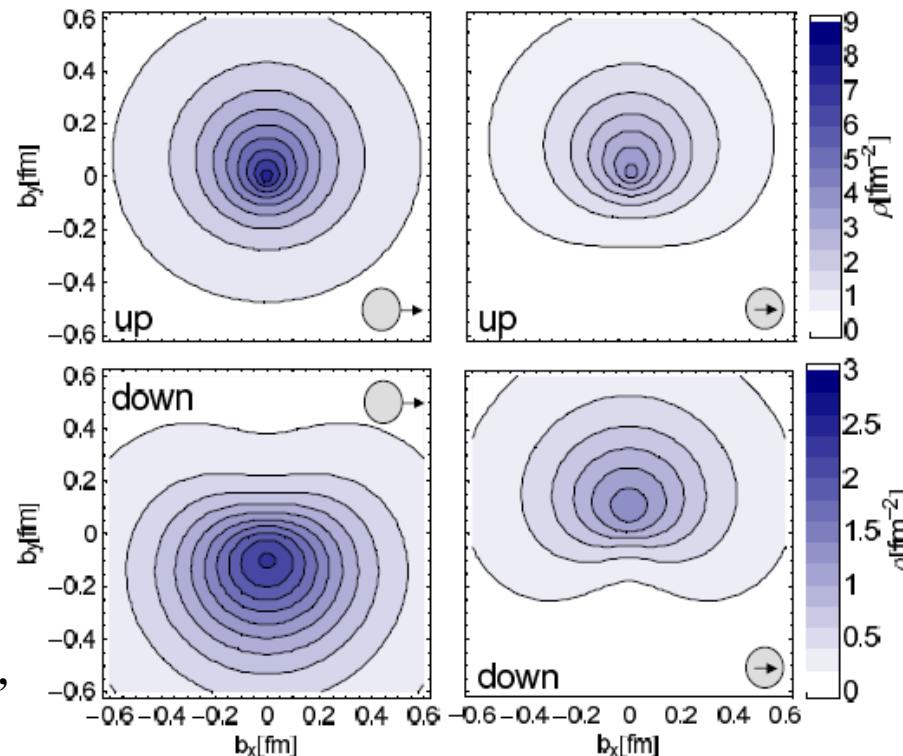
$$\kappa_T = \int_{-1}^{+1} dx \bar{E}_T(x, \xi, t=0) \quad \bar{E}_T = 2\tilde{H}_T + E_T$$
- Link to the **transversity** distribution:  $H_T^q(x, 0, 0) = h_1^q(x)$

$$H_T, \tilde{H}_T, E_T, \tilde{E}_T$$



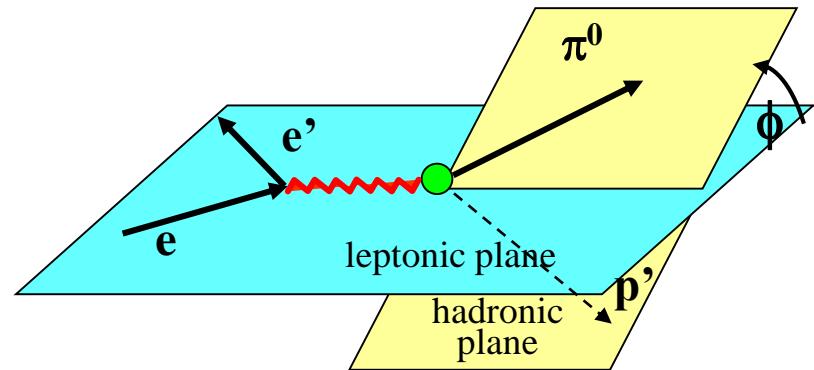
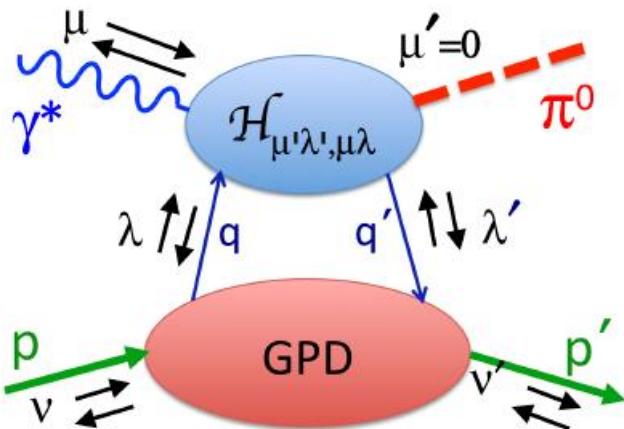
## Transverse Densities for u and d quarks in the nucleon

Distributions of  
unpolarized  
quarks in a  
transversely  
polarized nucleon,  
linked to  $E$



Distribution of  
transversely  
polarized  
quarks in an  
unpolarized  
nucleon,  
linked to  $\bar{E}_T$

# Exclusive $\pi^0$ electroproduction



$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2 dx_B d\phi dt} = \Gamma(Q^2, x_B) \frac{1}{2\pi} (\sigma_T + \varepsilon \sigma_L + \varepsilon \cos 2\phi \sigma_{TT} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \cos \phi \sigma_{LT})$$

**Leading twist:**  $\sigma_L = \frac{4\pi\alpha_e}{k'Q^6} \left[ (1 - \xi^2) |\langle \tilde{H} \rangle|^2 - 2\xi^2 \operatorname{Re}(\langle \tilde{H} \rangle^* \langle \tilde{E} \rangle) - \frac{t'}{4m^2} \xi^2 |\langle \tilde{E} \rangle|^2 \right]$

**$\sigma_L$  is suppressed:**  $\tilde{H}^\pi = \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} [2\tilde{H}^u + \tilde{H}^d]$

Generalized Compton Form Factors  
 $\langle \tilde{H} \rangle = \sum_\lambda \int_{-1}^1 dx M(x, \xi, Q^2, \lambda) \tilde{H}(x, \xi, t)$

$$\sigma_T = \frac{4\pi\alpha_e}{2\kappa} \frac{\mu_\pi^2}{Q^4} \left[ (1 - \xi^2) |\langle HT \rangle|^2 - \frac{t'}{8m^2} |\langle \bar{E}_T \rangle|^2 \right]$$

$$\sigma_{TT} = \frac{4\pi\alpha_e}{2\kappa} \frac{\mu_\pi^2}{Q^4} \frac{t'}{8m^2} |\langle \bar{E}_T \rangle|^2$$

- Transversity GPD models:**
- Goloskokov-Kroll
  - Liuti-Goldstein
  - $\sigma_L \ll \sigma_T$

# CLAS results

I. Bedlinskiy et al.,  
Phys. Rev. Lett. 109  
(2012) 112001; Phys.  
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(2014)

$\sigma_T + \epsilon \sigma_L$

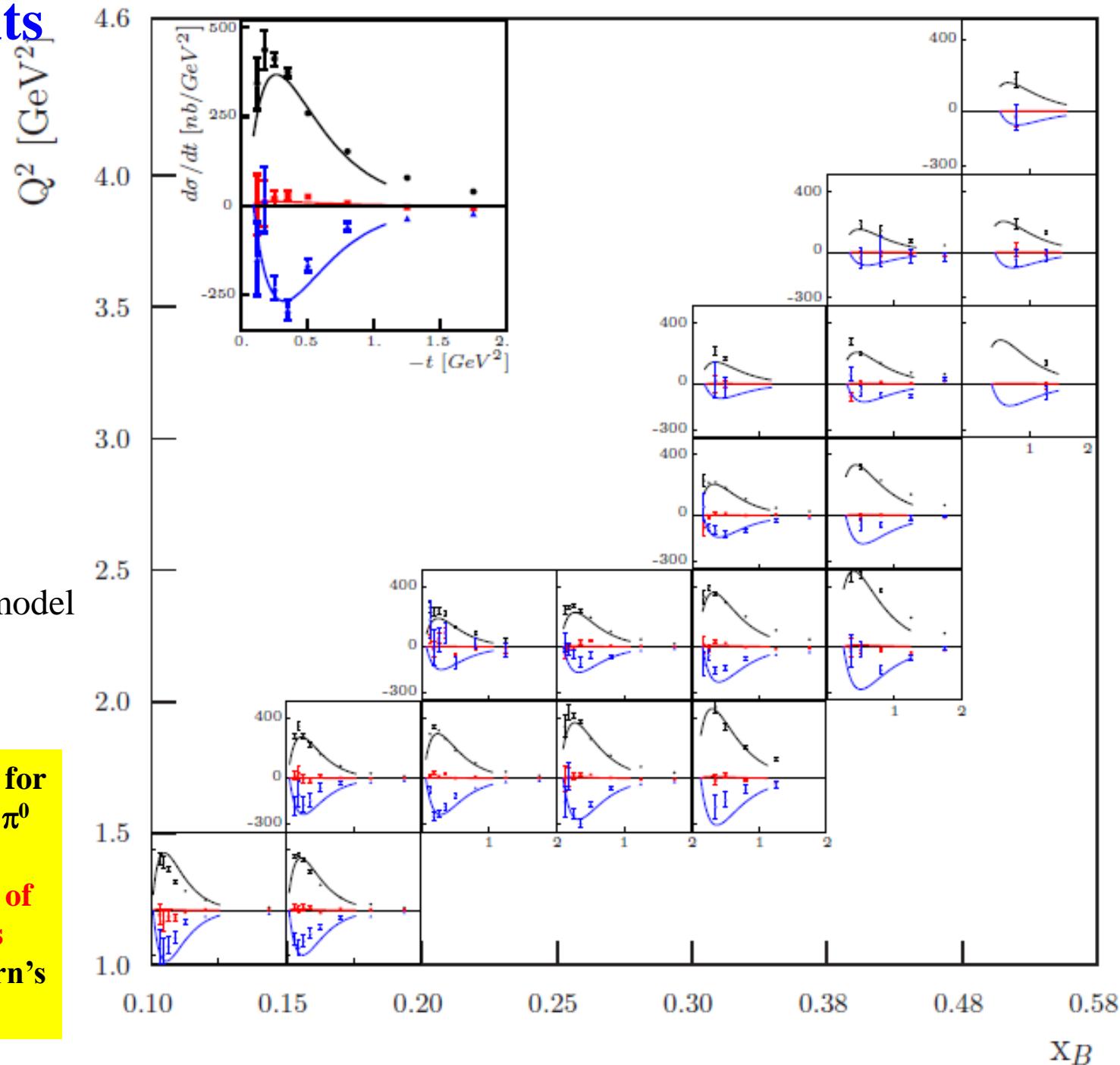
$\sigma_{LT}$

$\sigma_{TT}$

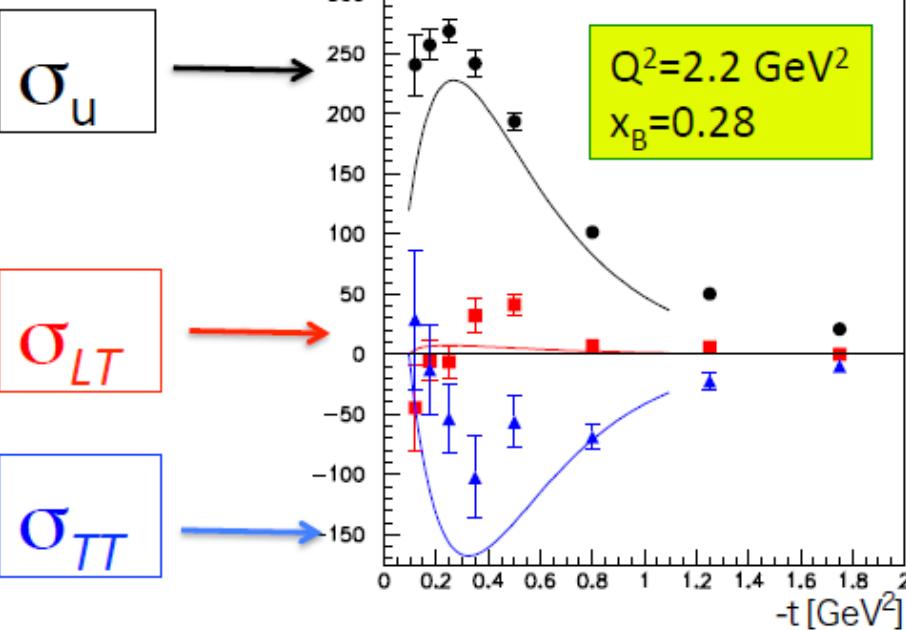
Goloskokov-Kroll model  
Transversity GPDs

Recent Hall A results for  
proton and neutron  $\pi^0$   
electroproduction  
→ flavor separation of  
transversity GPDs

(M. Defurne's, T. Horn's  
talks)

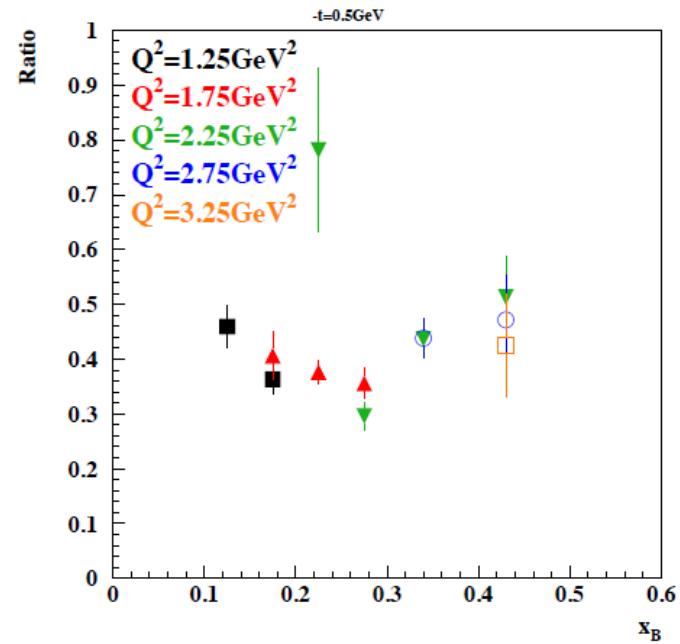
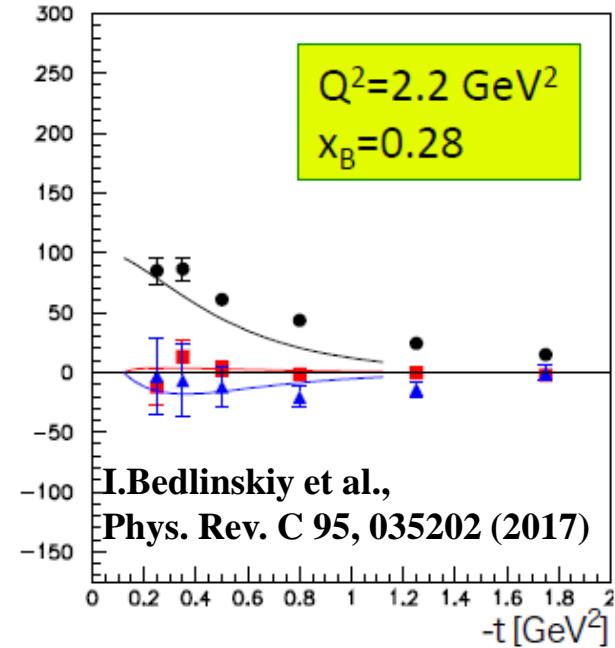


# Comparison $\pi^0/\eta$



- Very little dependence on  $x_B$  and  $Q^2$
- Chiral-odd GPD models predict this ratio to be  $\sim 1/3$  at CLAS kinematics
- Chiral-even GPD models predict this ratio to be around 1 (at low  $-t$ )

Potentially one can perform **flavor separation of transversity GPDs** combining  $\pi^0$  and  $\eta$

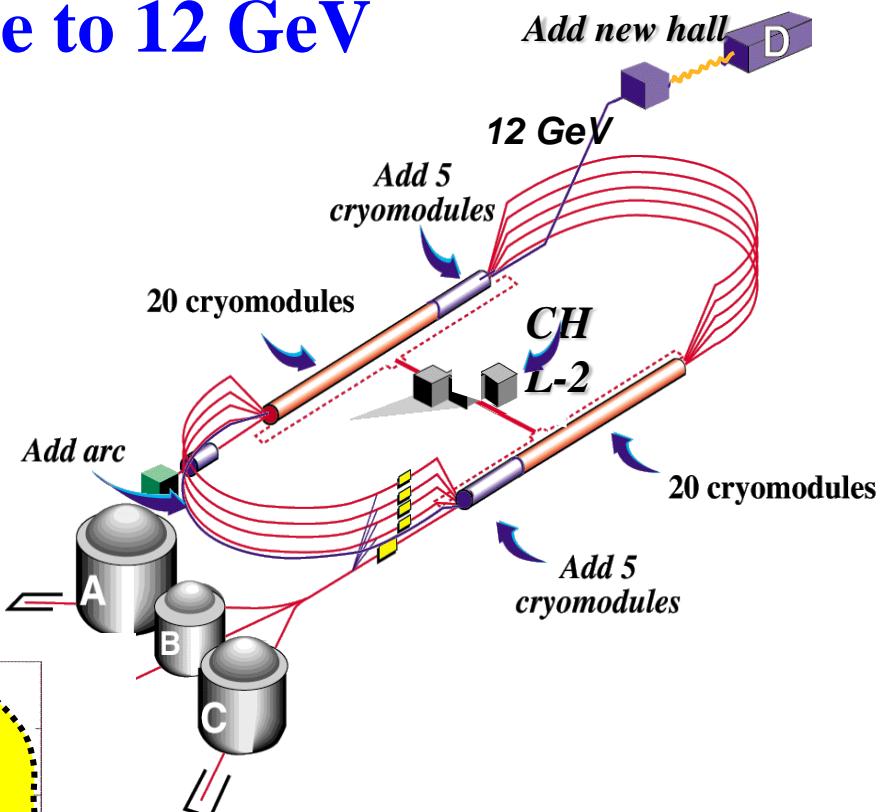
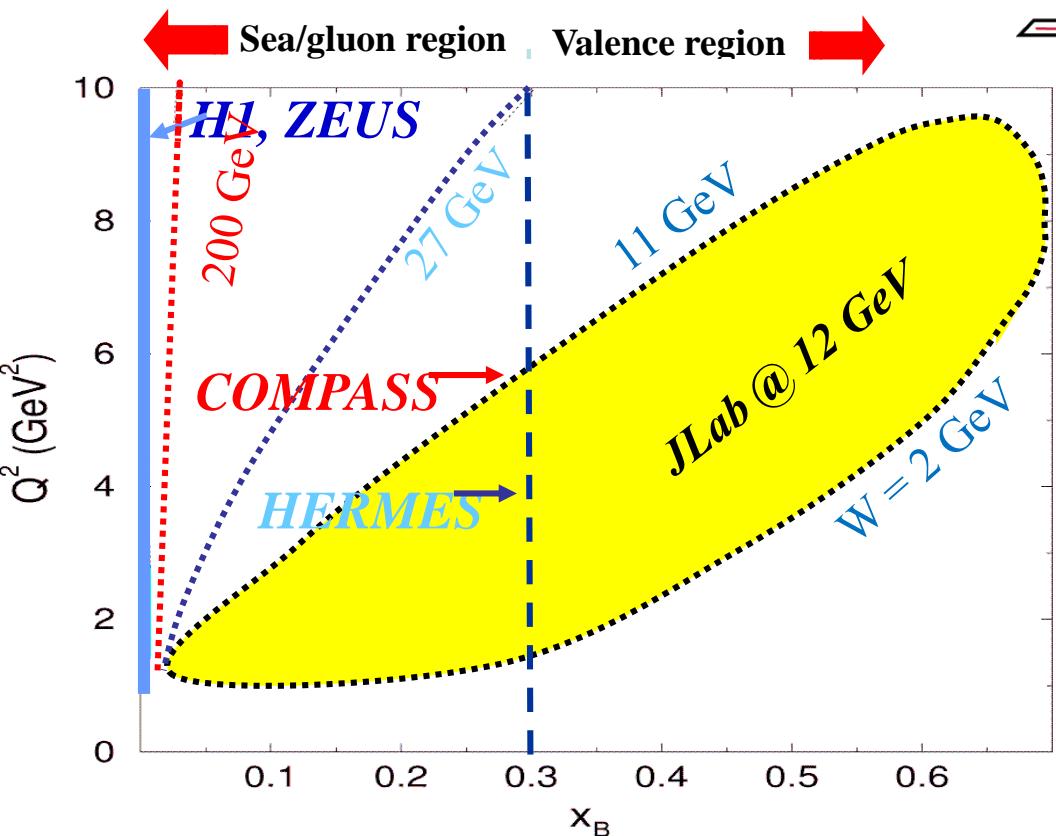


# JLab upgrade to 12 GeV

E = 2.2, 4.4, 6.6, 8.8, 11 GeV  
for the Halls A, B, C

Beam polarization > 80%

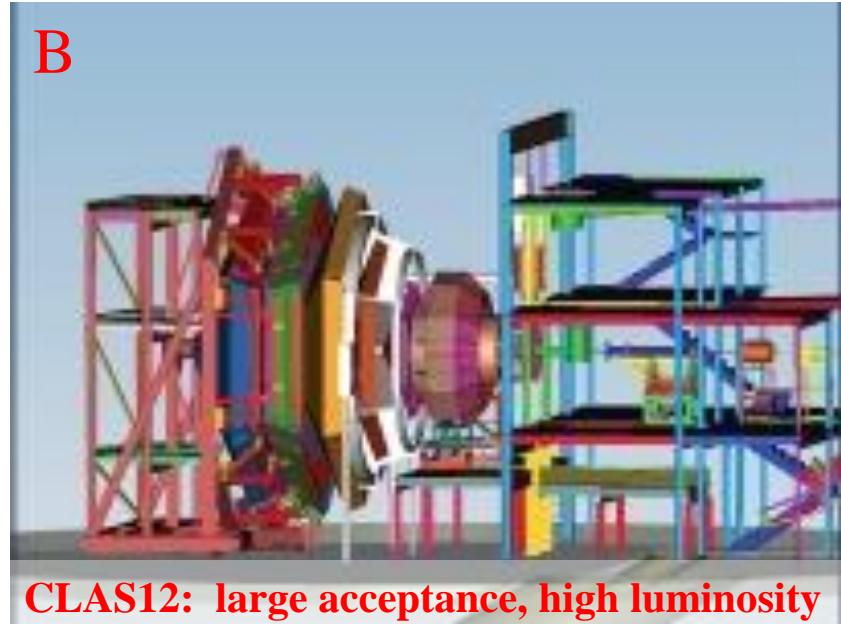
Upgrade completed in 2014



Study of high  $x_B$  domain requires high luminosity

The 12-GeV upgrade is well matched to studies in the valence-quark regime

# New capabilities in Halls A, B & C



GPDs experiments at 11 GeV have been approved for each of these **three halls**.

**Complementary programs:**

- different kinematic coverage
- different precisions/resolutions
- focus on different observables

**M. Defurne and T. Horn will present Halls A and C**

# Hall B@12 GeV: CLAS12

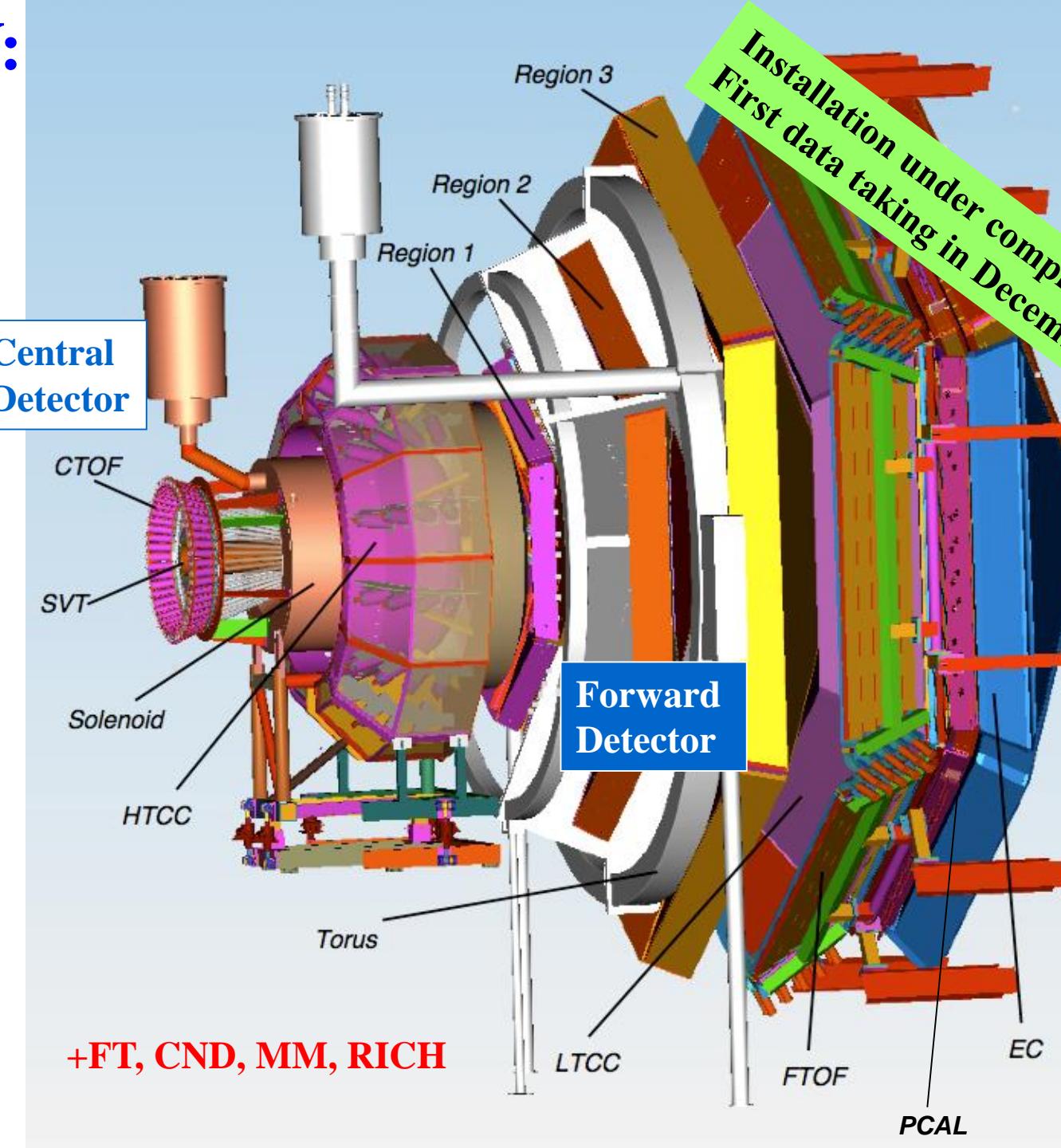
Design luminosity  
 $L \sim 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

Acceptance for charged particles:  
• Central (CD),  $40^\circ < \theta < 135^\circ$   
• Forward (FD),  $5^\circ < \theta < 40^\circ$

Acceptance for photons:  
• Forward tagger T  $2^\circ < \theta < 5^\circ$   
• EC,  $5^\circ < \theta < 40^\circ$

High luminosity & large acceptance:

Concurrent measurement of deeply virtual **exclusive**, **semi-inclusive**, and **inclusive** processes



+FT, CND, MM, RICH

# DVCS BSA and TSA with CLAS12 & 11 GeV beam

**85 days of beam time**

$P_{beam} = 85\%$

$L = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

Statistical error: 1% to 10% on  $\sin\phi$  moments

Systematic uncertainties: ~6-8%

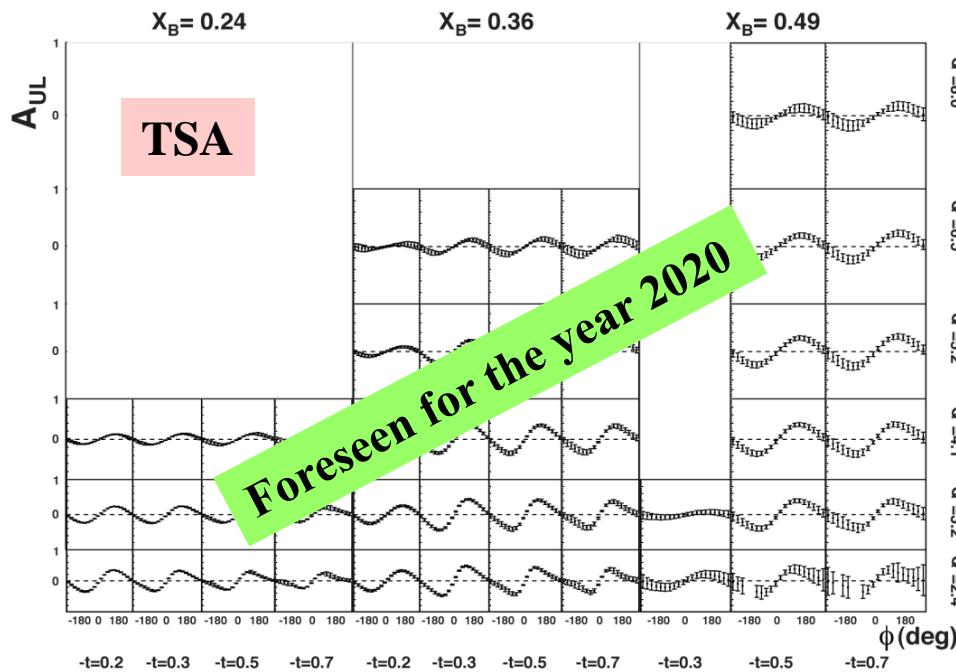
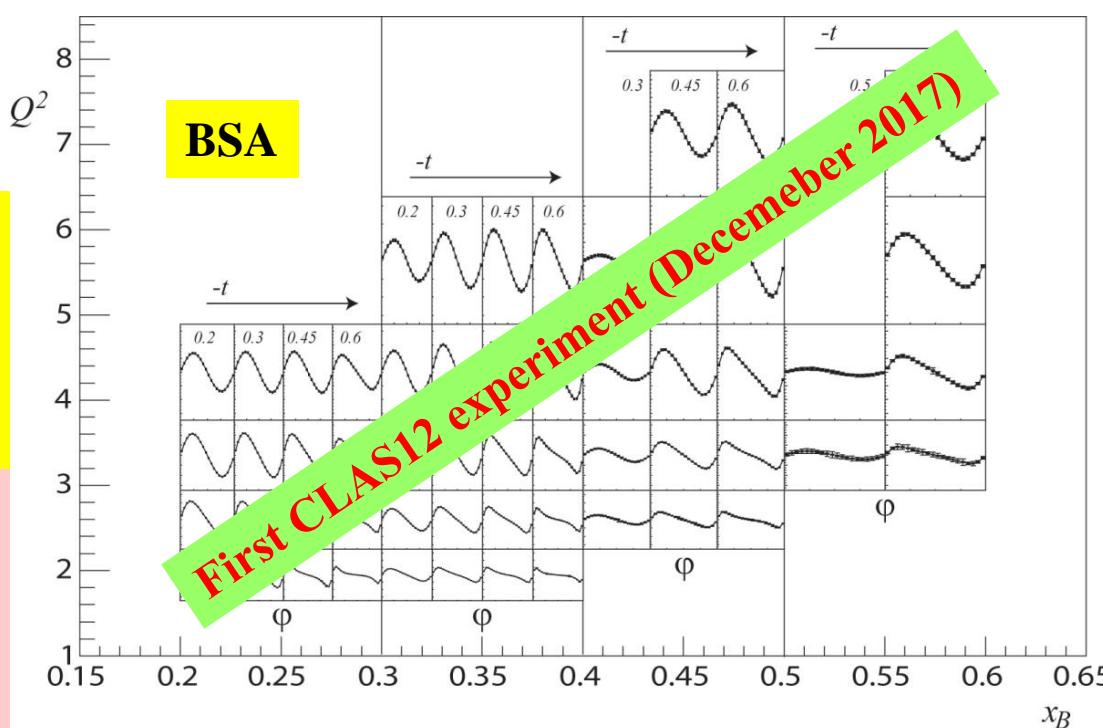
**120 days of beam time**

$P_{beam} = 85\%$ ,  $P_{target} = 80\%$

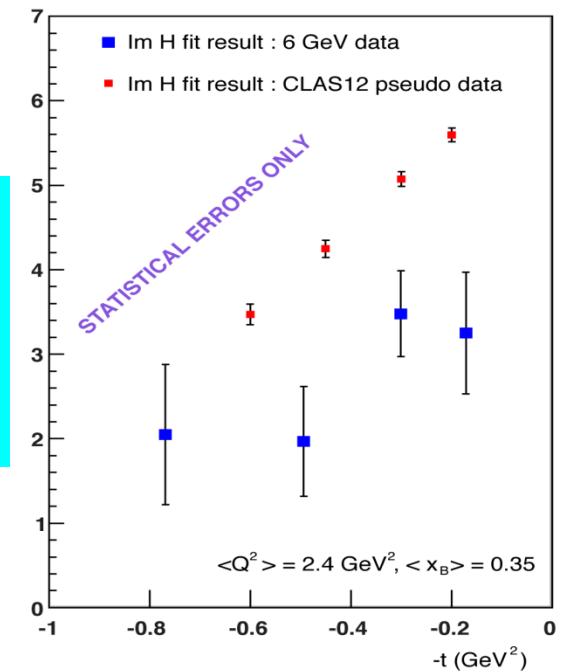
$L = 2.10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

Statistical error: 2% to 15% on  $\sin\phi$  moments

Systematic uncertainties: ~6-8%



**Impact of  
CLAS12  
DVCS-BSA  
data  
on  
CFF fit**



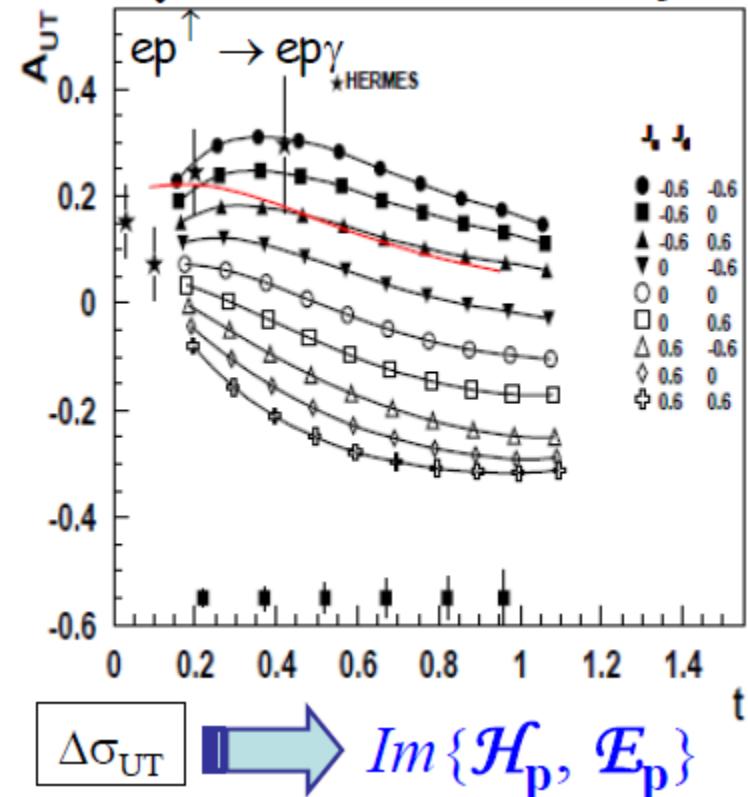
# CLAS12: p-DVCS *transverse* target-spin asymmetry

100 days of beam time

Beam pol. = 80% ; target pol. (HDIce) = 60% ; Luminosity =  $5 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

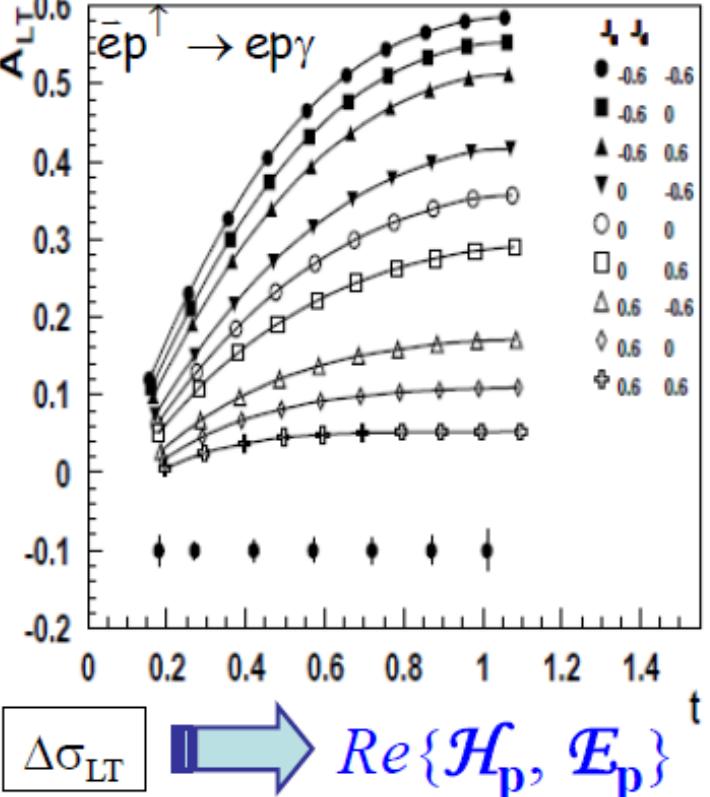
$1 < Q^2 < 10 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $0.06 < x_B < 0.66$ ,  $-t_{\min} < -t < 1.5 \text{ GeV}^2$

Projections for  $Q^2=2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $x_B = 0.2$



Transverse-target  
spin asymmetry  
for p-DVCS is  
**highly sensitive**  
to the **u-quark  
contributions** to  
proton spin.

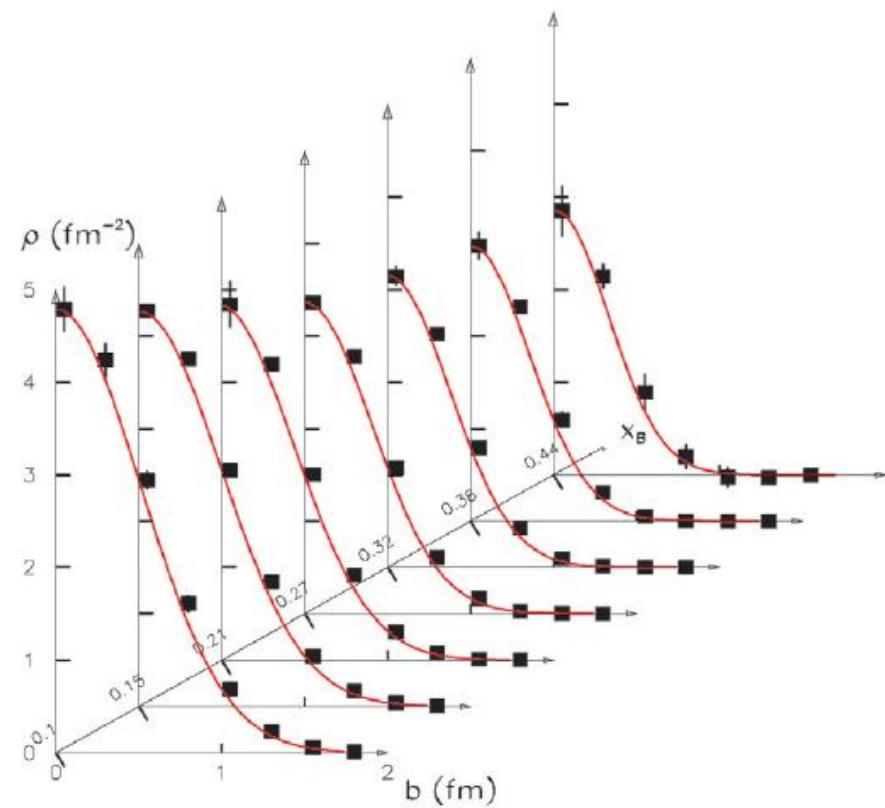
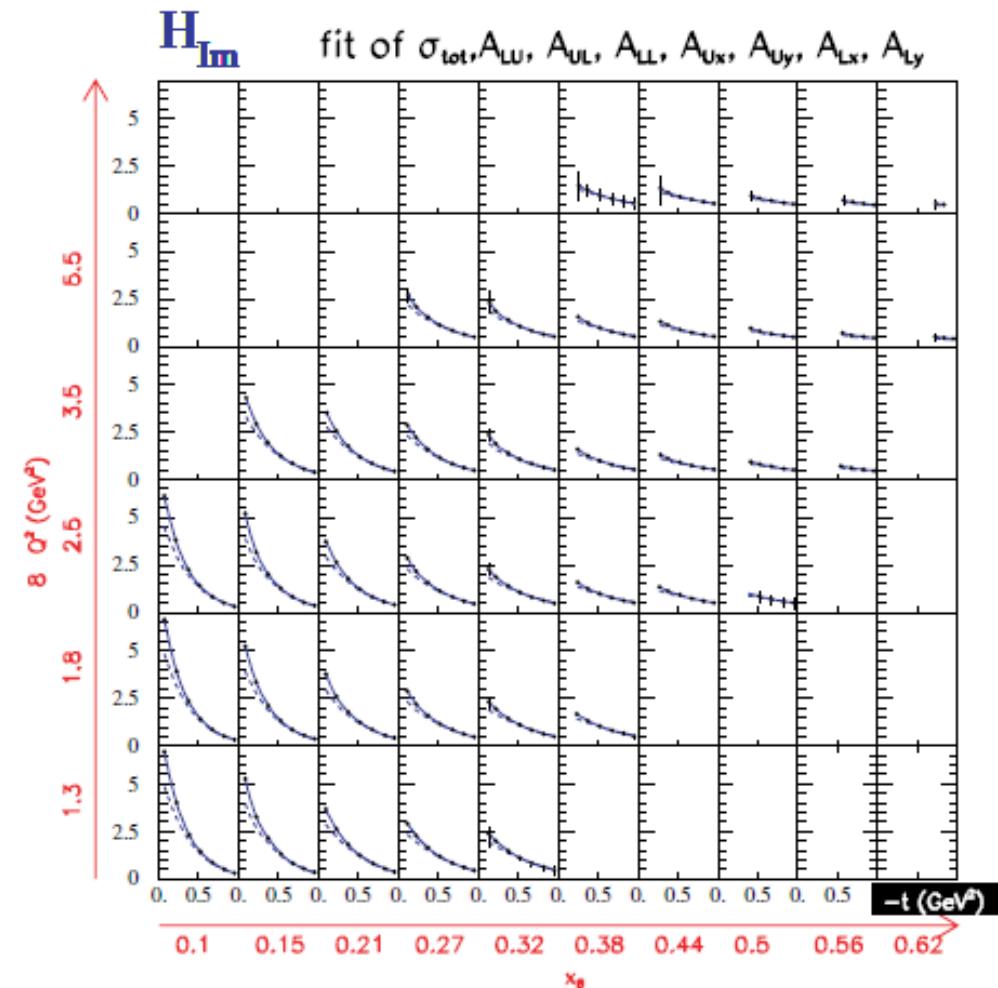
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JLab PAC:  
high-impact  
experiment

*Proposal conditionally approved by PAC39  
Tests on HDIce target are ongoing*

# From CFFs to spatial densities



Projections for CLAS12

(M. Guidal, H. Moutarde, M. Vanderhaegen,  
Rept.Prog.Phys. 76 (2013) 066202)

# E12-11-003: BSA for DVCS *on the neutron* with CLAS12

$$(H, E)_u(\xi, \xi, t) = \frac{9}{15} [4(H, E)_p(\xi, \xi, t) - (H, E)_n(\xi, \xi, t)]$$

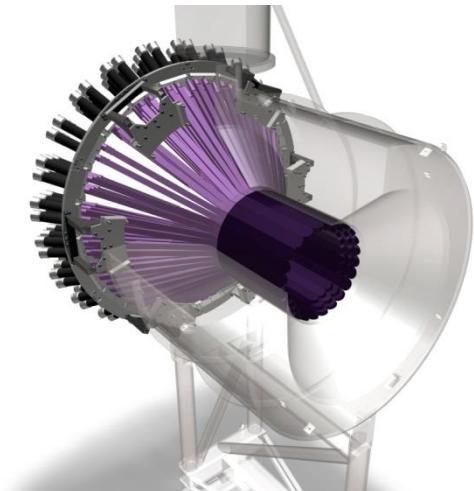
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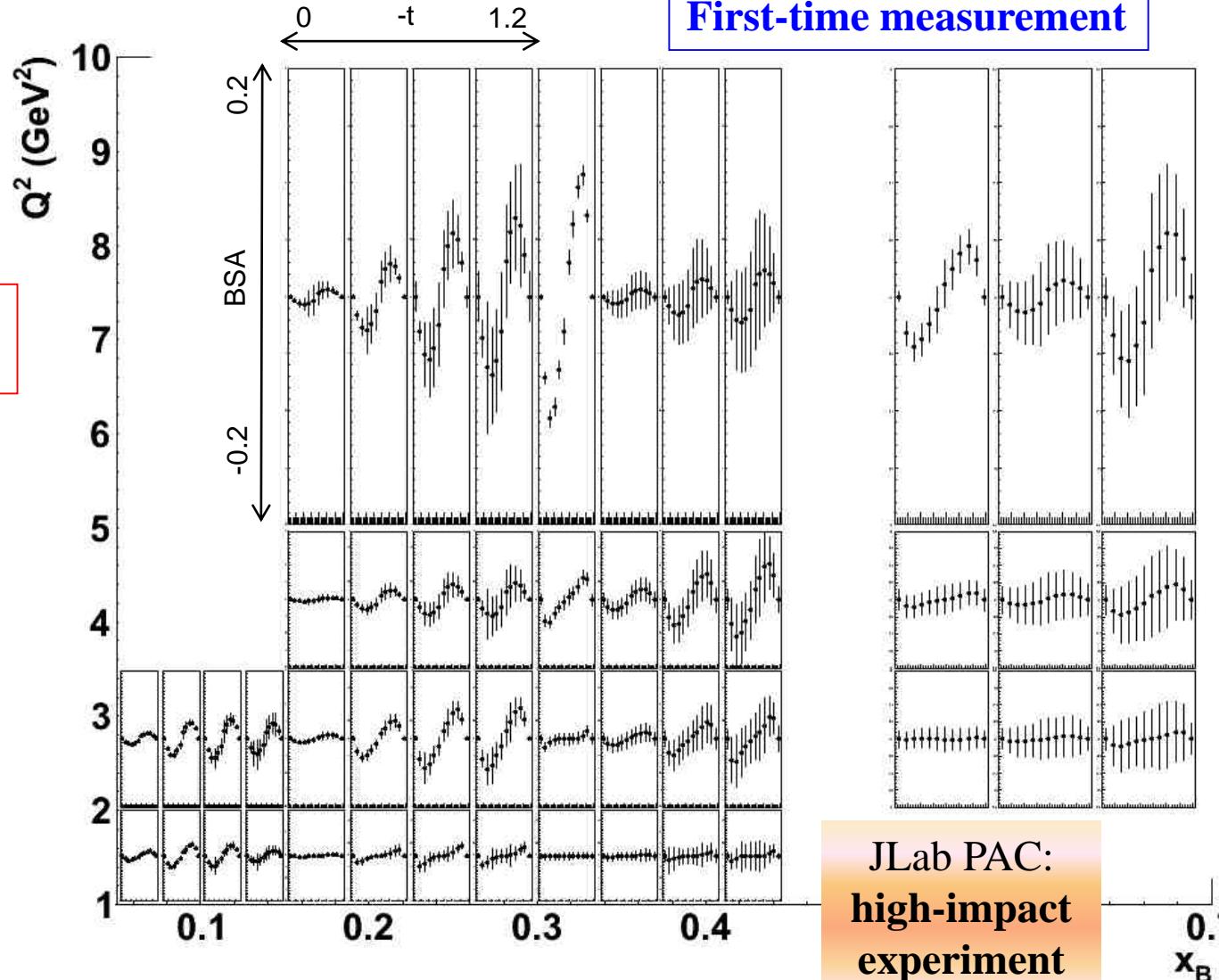
The most sensitive observable to the GPD **E**

$ed \rightarrow e(p)n\gamma$   
CLAS12 +  
Forward Calorimeter +  
Neutron Detector

80 days of data taking  
 $L = 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}/\text{nucleon}$



Installation in 3 weeks  
(IPN Orsay)



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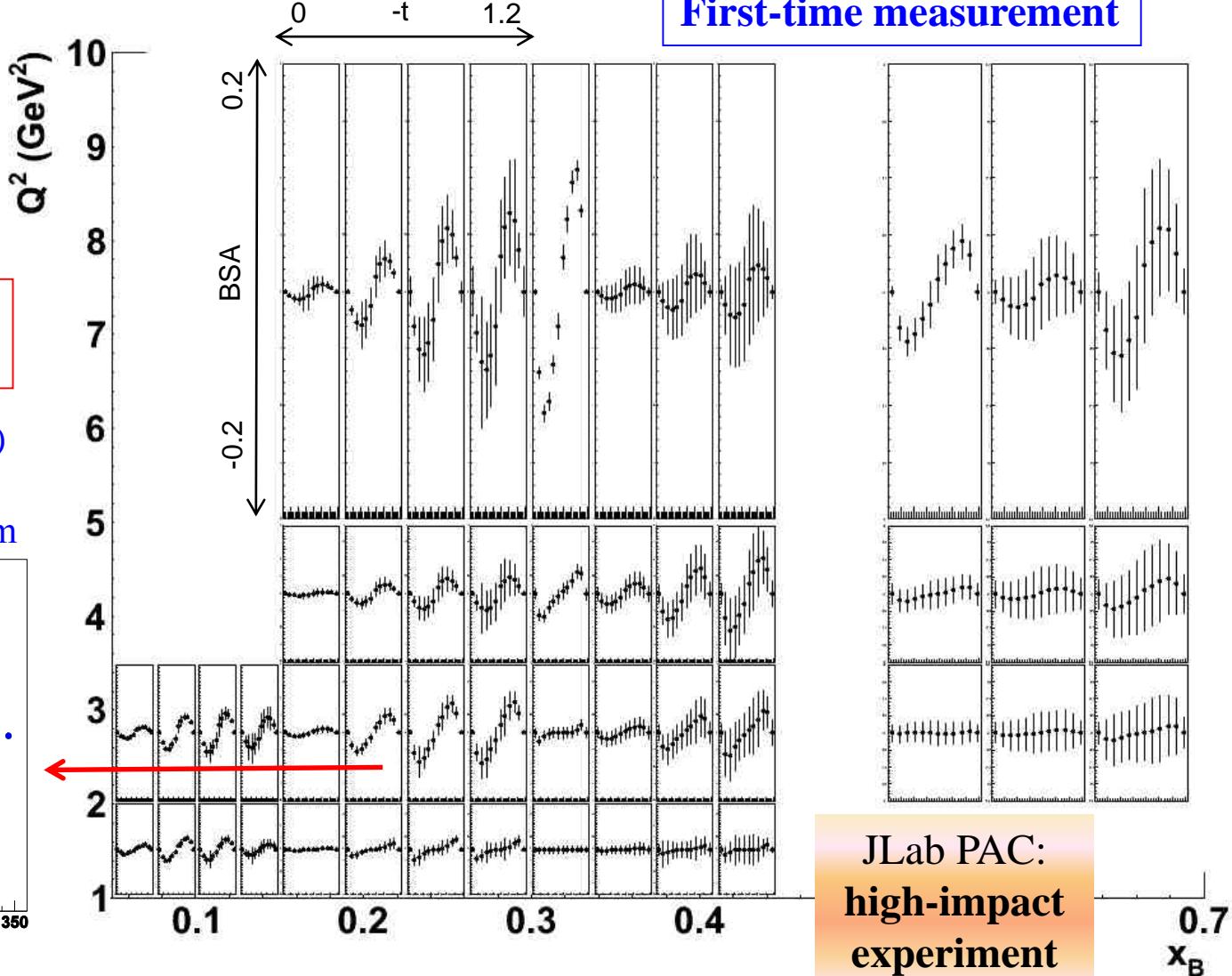
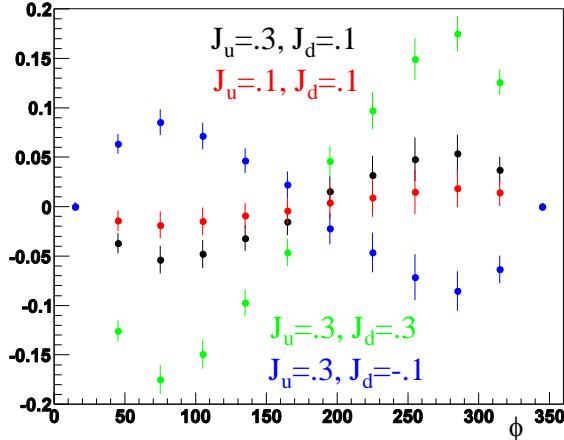
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Model predictions (VGG)  
for different values of  
quarks' angular momentum



JLab PAC:  
high-impact  
experiment

0.7  
 $x_B$

# E12-06-109a: nDVCS, target-spin asymmetry

$$\sigma_A = \frac{1}{P_t} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{(1 - P_t \cdot A)^2}}{\sqrt{N}}$$

$$\Delta\sigma_{UL} \sim \sin\phi \operatorname{Im}\{F_1 \tilde{\mathcal{H}} + \xi(F_1 + F_2)(\mathcal{H} + x_B/2E) - \xi k F_2 \tilde{E} + \dots\}$$

$L = 3/20 \cdot 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$   
 Time = 50 days  
 $P_t = 0.4$

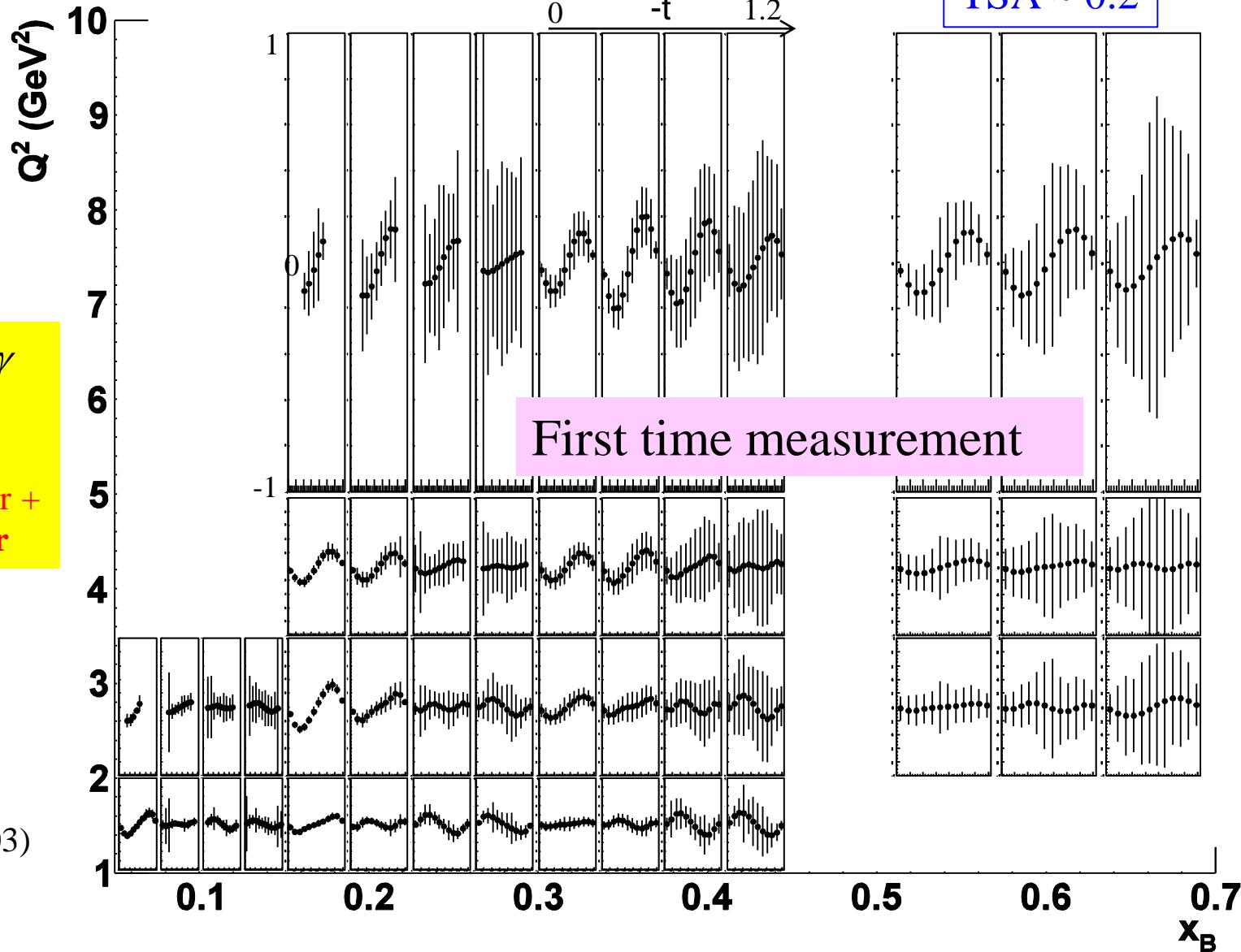
$eND_3 \rightarrow e(p)n\gamma$

CLAS12 +

Long. pol. target

Forward Calorimeter +  
 Neutron Detector

- 4 bins in  $Q^2$
- 4 bins in  $-t$
- 4 bins in  $x_B$
- 12 bins in  $\phi$   
 (Same as E12-11-003)



# E12-06-109a: nDVCS, double spin asymmetry

$$\sigma_A = \frac{1}{P_b P_t} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{(1 - P_b P_t \cdot A)^2}}{\sqrt{N}}$$

$$\Delta\sigma_{LL} \sim (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}\cos\phi) \operatorname{Re}\{F_1 \tilde{\mathcal{H}} + \xi(F_1 + F_2)(\mathcal{H} + x_B/2\mathcal{E}) - \xi k F_2 \tilde{\mathcal{E}} + \dots\}$$

DSA up to 0.8

$L = 3/20 \cdot 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$   
 Time = 50 days  
 $P_t = 0.4; P_b = 0.85$

$eND_3 \rightarrow e(p)n\gamma$

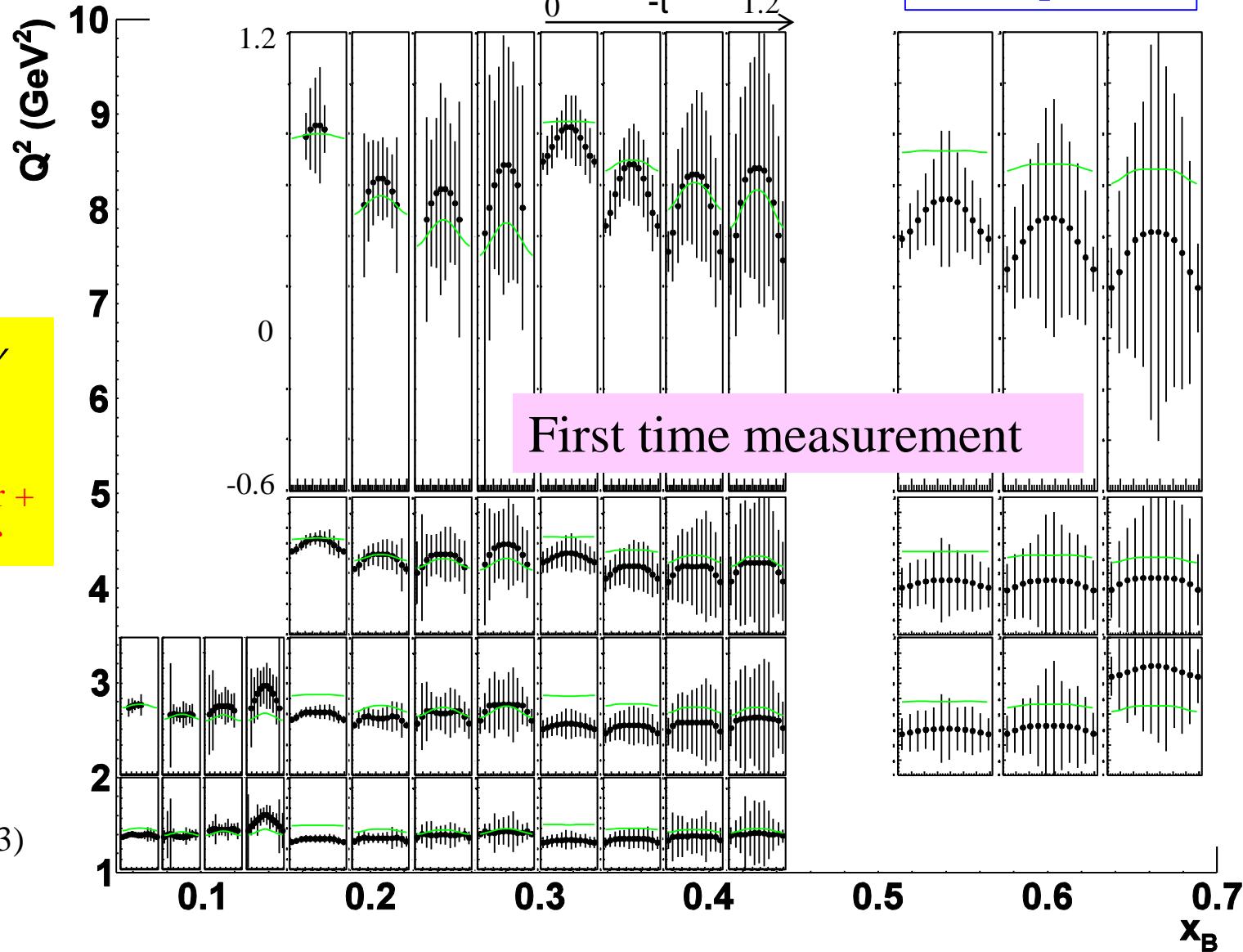
CLAS12 +

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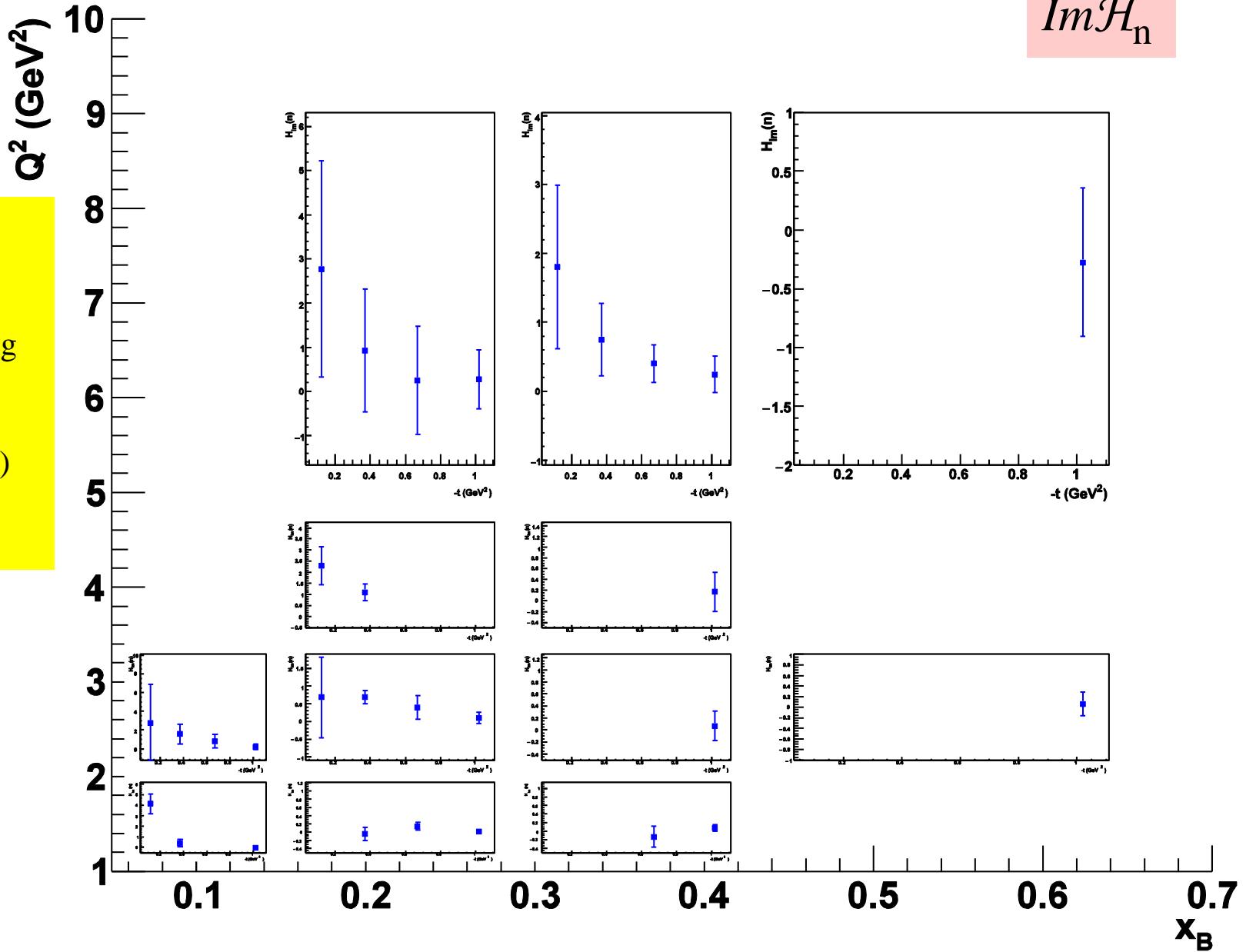
Green curves:  
 Bethe-Heitler



# Combined analysis of all nDVCS CLAS12 projections

Extraction of neutron CFFs using M. Guidal's fitting code. Fit of TSA, DSA (E12-06-109a) and BSA (E12-11-003)

$Im\mathcal{H}_n$



# DVCS on the nucleon: past, present, future

Observable (target)	Target	Sensitivity to CFFs	Completed experiments	12-GeV experiments
$\Delta\sigma_{beam}(p)$	Unpolarized hydrogen	$\Im m \mathcal{H}_p$	Hall A, CLAS	Hall A, CLAS12, Hall C
BSA(p)	Unpolarized hydrogen	$\Im m \mathcal{H}_p$	HERMES, CLAS	CLAS12
TSA(p)	Long. pol. NH <sub>3</sub>	$\Im m \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_p, \Im m \mathcal{H}_p,$	HERMES, CLAS	CLAS12
DSA(p)	Long. pol. NH <sub>3</sub>	$\Re e \tilde{\mathcal{H}}_p, \Re e \mathcal{H}_p$	HERMES, CLAS	CLAS12
tTSA(p)	Transv. pol. protons	$\Im m \mathcal{H}_p, \Im m \mathcal{E}_p$	HERMES	CLAS12
$\Delta\sigma_{beam}(n)$	Unpolarized deuterium	$\Im m \mathcal{E}_n$	Hall A	
BSA(n)	Unpolarized deuterium	$\Im m \mathcal{E}_n$		CLAS12
TSA(n)	Long. pol. ND <sub>3</sub>	$\Im m \mathcal{H}_n$		CLAS12
DSA(n)	Long. pol. ND <sub>3</sub>	$\Re e \mathcal{H}_n$		CLAS12

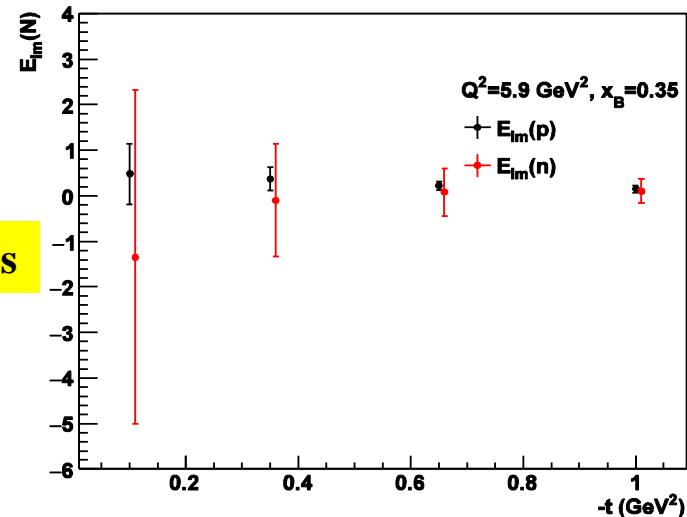
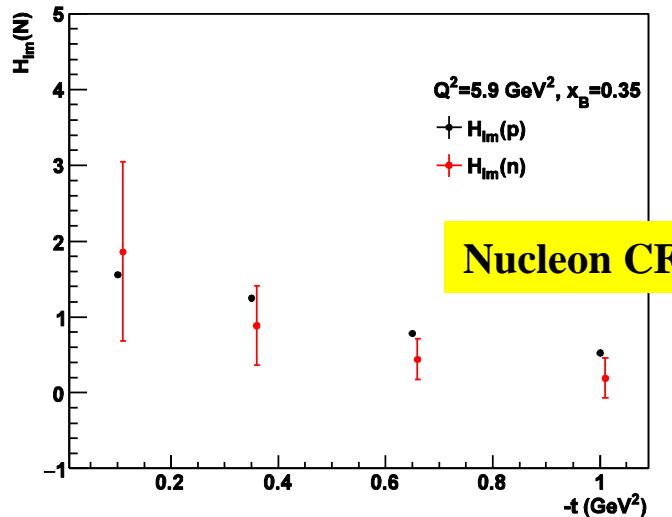
+ Timelike Compton Scattering @ CLAS12, DDVCS (SOLID? CLAS12?)...

# CLAS12: projections for flavor separation ( $Im\mathcal{H}$ , $Im\mathcal{E}$ )

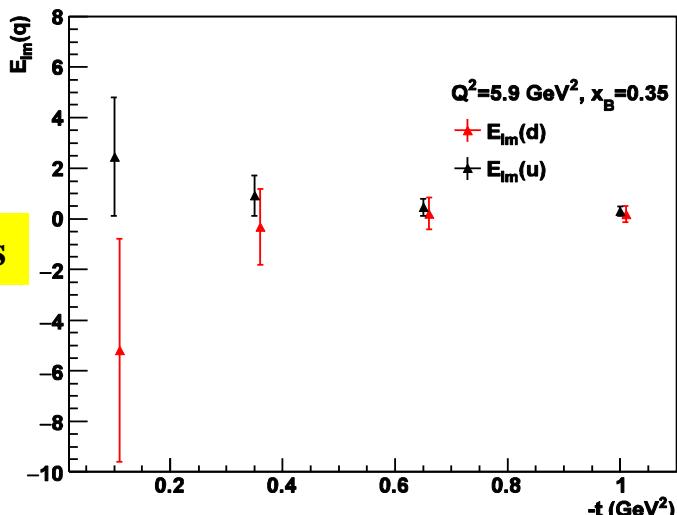
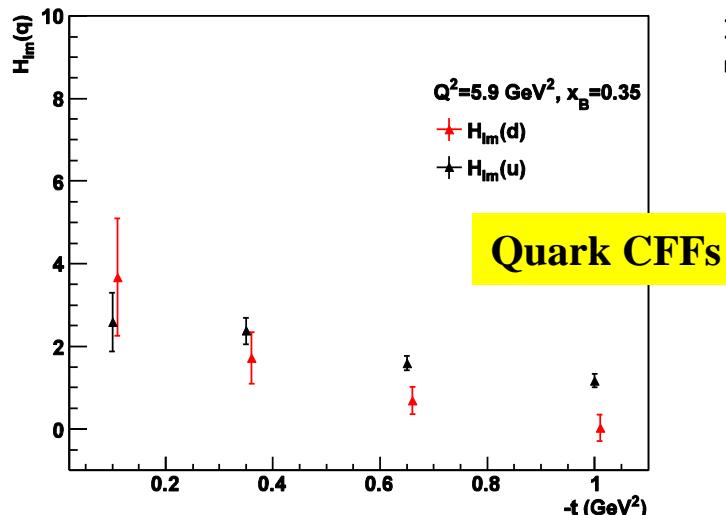
$$(H, E)_u(\xi, \xi, t) = \frac{9}{15} [4(H, E)_p(\xi, \xi, t) - (H, E)_n(\xi, \xi, t)]$$

$$(H, E)_d(\xi, \xi, t) = \frac{9}{15} [4(H, E)_n(\xi, \xi, t) - (H, E)_p(\xi, \xi, t)]$$

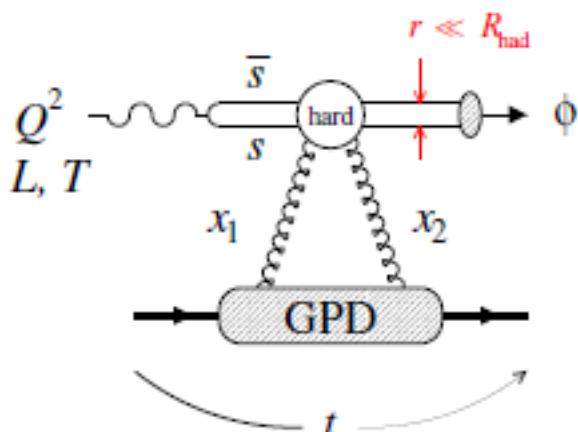
$$\frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 x dx (H^q(x, \xi, t=0) + E^q(x, \xi, t=0)) = J^q$$



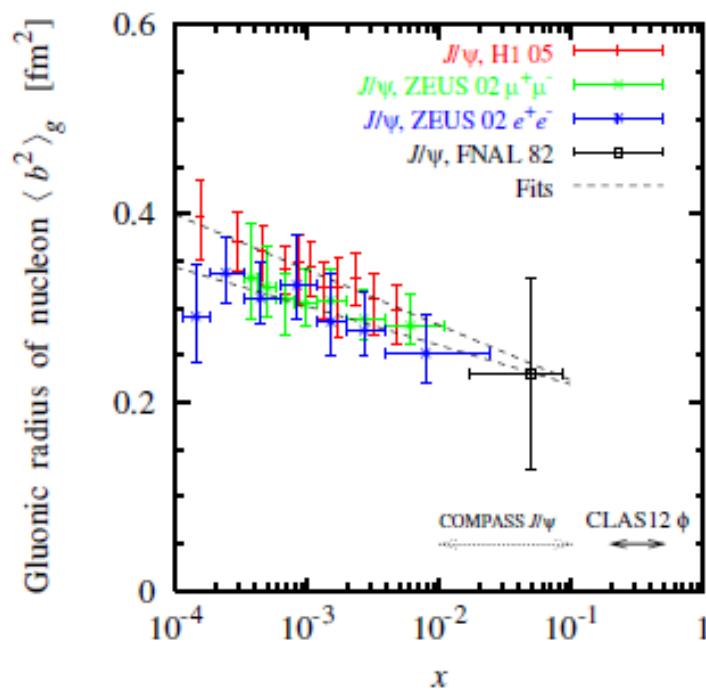
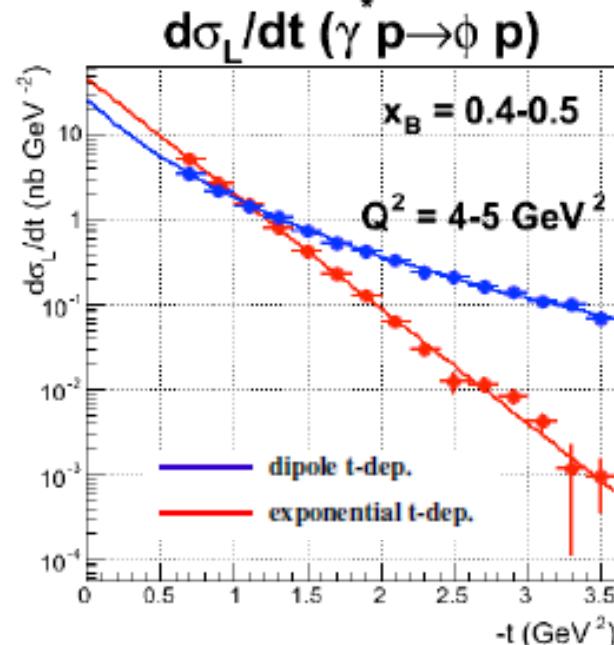
Fits done to all the projected observables for pDVCS (BSA, lTSA, lDSA, tTSA, CS, DCS) and nDVCS (BSA, lTSA, lDSA) of the CLAS12 program



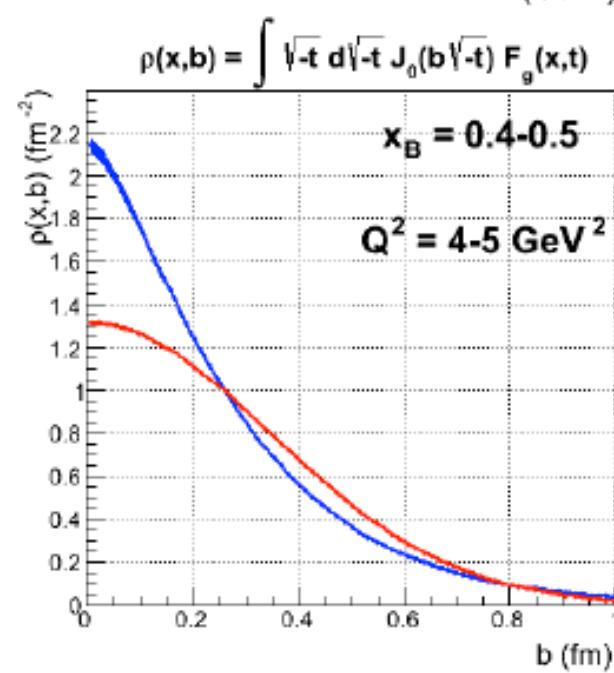
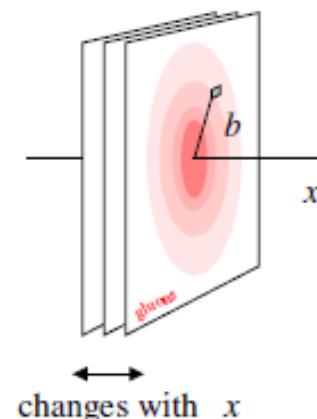
# DVMP @ CLAS12: exclusive $\phi$ electroproduction



- Differential c.s.  $\rightarrow$  extraction of **structure functions**
- **L-T separation** from  $\phi \rightarrow \text{KK}$  decay distributions
- $t$  dependence of  $d\sigma_L/dt$



**Transverse distribution of gluons in the proton**



# Conclusions

- GPDs are a unique tool to explore the **internal dynamics of the nucleon**:
  - **3D** quark/gluon **imaging** of the nucleon
  - **orbital angular** momentum carried by quarks
- Their extraction from experimental data is **very difficult**:
  - there are **4 GPDs for each quark flavor**
  - they depend on **3 variables**, only two ( $\xi$ ,  $t$ ) experimentally accessible via DVCS
- ✓ Recently-developed fitting methods allow to **extract CFFs from DVCS observables**. Need to measure several **p-DVCS** and **n-DVCS observables** over a **wide phase space**
- ✓ A wealth of **new results** on various DVCS observables is coming from recent **CLAS and Hall-A experiments** (on the proton, deuterium and  $^4\text{He}$  targets)
- ✓ First **tomographic interpretations** of the quarks in the **proton** from DVCS:
  - ✓ **valence quarks** are concentrated in its **center**, **sea quarks** at its **perifery**
  - ✓ **axial charge** more concentrated than the **electric** one
- ✓ Things are more complicate for **DVMP**: unexplained low- $W$  behavior for light vector mesons, **transversity GPDs** dominance for pseudo-scalars
- The 12-GeV-upgraded JLab is **the only facility** to perform GPD experiments **in the valence region**, for  $Q^2$  up to 11 GeV
- DVCS and DVMP experiments on both **proton** and **neutron** (pol. and unpol.) are planned for **3 of the 4 Halls at JLab@12 GeV**: **quarks' spatial densities, flavor separation, quarks' orbital angular momentum, gluon densities,...**