Flavor-dependent antiquark distributions in the nucleons and nuclei

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Recent Parton Distribution Functions (PDFs)



Gottfried sum rule and NMC measurement

$$S_{G} = \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{x} \Big[F_{2}^{\mu p}(x) - F_{2}^{\mu n}(x) \Big] = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int_{0}^{1} dx \Big[\bar{u}(x) - \bar{d}(x) \Big] = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int_{0}^{1} dx \Big[\bar{u}(x) - \bar{d}(x) \Big] = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{if } \bar{u} = \bar{d} (Gottfried sum rule)$$

$$F_{2}^{\mu p}(x)_{\text{LO}} = x \Big[\frac{4}{9} \{ u(x) + \bar{u}(x) \} + \frac{1}{9} \{ d(x) + \bar{d}(x) \} + \frac{1}{9} \{ s(x) + \bar{s}(x) \} \Big] \\= x \Big[\frac{4}{9} \{ d(x) + \bar{d}(x) \} + \frac{1}{9} \{ u(x) + \bar{u}(x) \} + \frac{1}{9} \{ s(x) + \bar{s}(x) \} \Big] \\= \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{if } \bar{u} = \bar{d} \\(Gottfried sum rule)$$

$$\int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{x} \Big[F_{2}^{\mu p}(x)_{\text{LO}} - F_{2}^{\mu n}(x)_{\text{LO}} \Big] = \int_{0}^{1} dx \Big[\frac{1}{3} \{ u_{v}(x) + 2\bar{u}(x) \} - \frac{1}{3} \{ d_{v}(x) + 2\bar{d}(x) \} \Big] \\= \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int_{0}^{1} dx \Big[\bar{u}(x) - \bar{d}(x) \Big]$$

NMC measurement

PRL 66 (1991) 2712; PRD 50 (1994) R1 $\int_{0.004}^{0.8} \frac{dx}{x} \Big[F_2^{\mu p}(x) - F_2^{\mu n}(x) \Big] = 0.221 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.019$

> Extrapolating the NMC data, they obtained $S_G = 0.235 \pm 0.026$ 30% is missing! $\Rightarrow \overline{u} < \overline{d}$?

Experimental measurements before Fermilab Drell-Yan



$$S_{G} = \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{x} \Big[F_{2}^{\mu p}(x) - F_{2}^{\mu n}(x) \Big]$$

= $\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int_{0}^{1} dx \Big[\overline{u}(x) - \overline{d}(x) \Big]$
$$\int_{0.004}^{0.8} \frac{dx}{x} \Big[F_{2}^{\mu p}(x) - F_{2}^{\mu n}(x) \Big] = 0.221 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.019$$

 $S_G = 0.235 \pm 0.026$

NMC: small-*x* measurements

Integral in a measured x-region without x-extrapolation

Integral with x-extrapolation

Could the NMC result be explained by $\overline{u} = \overline{d}$?

$$S_{G}(x) = \frac{1}{3} \int_{x}^{1} dx' \left[u_{v}(x') - d_{v}(x') \right]$$

A significant contribution from the small-*x* region???



0.3 0.3 0.2 0.1 0.0

This idea ($\overline{u} = \overline{d}$) was ruled out by Fermilab E772/E866, NA51, and HERMES. CERN-NA51 Drell-Yan, PL B332 (1994) 244 $\frac{\bar{u}}{\bar{d}} = 0.51 \pm 0.04 (\text{stat.}) \pm 0.05 (\text{syst.}) \quad x = 0.18$ **Drell-Yan process**





$$\begin{split} d\sigma^{AB} &\propto \sum_{i} e_{i}^{2} \Big[q_{i}^{A}(x_{1},q^{2}) \overline{q}_{i}^{B}(x_{2},q^{2}) + \overline{q}_{i}^{A}(x_{1},q^{2}) q_{i}^{B}(x_{2},q^{2}) \Big] \qquad q^{2} = m_{\mu\mu}^{-2} \\ d\sigma^{pp} &\propto \frac{4}{9} \Big[u(x_{1}) \overline{u}(x_{2}) + \overline{u}(x_{1}) u(x_{2}) \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[d(x_{1}) \overline{d}(x_{2}) + \overline{d}(x_{1}) d(x_{2}) \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[s(x_{1}) \overline{s}(x_{2}) + \overline{s}(x_{1}) s(x_{2}) \Big] \\ d\sigma^{pn} &\propto \frac{4}{9} \Big[u(x_{1}) \overline{d}(x_{2}) + \overline{u}(x_{1}) d(x_{2}) \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[d(x_{1}) \overline{u}(x_{2}) + \overline{d}(x_{1}) u(x_{2}) \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[s(x_{1}) \overline{s}(x_{2}) + \overline{s}(x_{1}) s(x_{2}) \Big] \\ d\sigma^{pn} &\propto \frac{4}{9} \Big[u(x_{1}) \overline{d}(x_{2}) + \overline{u}(x_{1}) d(x_{2}) \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[d(x_{1}) \overline{u}(x_{2}) + \overline{d}(x_{1}) u(x_{2}) \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[s(x_{1}) \overline{s}(x_{2}) + \overline{s}(x_{1}) s(x_{2}) \Big] \\ At \text{ large } x_{F} &= x_{1} - x_{2} \ (x_{1} \rightarrow 1, x_{2} \rightarrow 0) \\ \overline{u}(x_{1}), \ \overline{d}(x_{1}), \ \overline{s}(x_{1}) \ll u(x_{1}), \ d(x_{1}) \rightarrow u_{v}(x_{1}), \ d_{v}(x_{1}) \\ d\sigma^{pp} - d\sigma^{pm} \ll \frac{4}{9} \Big[u_{v}(x_{1}) \Big\{ \overline{u}(x_{2}) - \overline{d}(x_{2}) \Big\} \Big] - \frac{1}{9} \Big[d_{v}(x_{1}) \Big\{ \overline{u}(x_{2}) - \overline{d}(x_{2}) \Big\} \Big] \\ d\sigma^{pp} - d\sigma^{pm} \ll \frac{4}{9} \Big[u_{v}(x_{1}) \Big\{ \overline{u}(x_{2}) + \overline{d}(x_{2}) \Big\} \Big] + \frac{1}{9} \Big[d_{v}(x_{1}) \Big\{ \overline{u}(x_{2}) + \overline{d}(x_{2}) \Big\} \Big] + \frac{2}{9} \Big[s(x_{1}) \overline{s}(x_{2}) \Big] \\ A_{DY} &= \frac{d\sigma^{pp} - d\sigma^{pm}}{d\sigma^{pp} + d\sigma^{pm}} \rightarrow \frac{4u_{v}(x_{1}) - d_{v}(x_{1}) \Big\{ \overline{u}(x_{2}) - \overline{d}(x_{2}) \Big\} \\ Roughly, \ \frac{2\sigma^{pd}}{\sigma^{pp}} \sim 1 + \frac{1}{2} \Big[\frac{\overline{d}(x_{2})}{\overline{u}(x_{2})} - 1 \Big] \text{ at large } x_{F} \end{aligned}$$

Drell-Yan and semi-inclusive DIS

(E866) E. A. Hawker et al., PRL 80 (1998) 3715; R. S. Towell et al., PR D 64 (2001) 052002. (HERMES) K. Ackerstaff et al., PRL 81, (1998) 5519.

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0.2

0.25

0.3

GRV98

Fermilab E866, NA51, HERMES data



[From PRD 64 (2001) 052002]



$\overline{u}/\overline{d}$ asymmetry

- unpolarized: established
- polarized: not well unknown

semi-inclusive (HERMES) + RHIC W production + ...

theory

- (1) perturbative QCD
- (2) nonperturbative

meson clouds, chiral soliton, Pauli exclusion, ...

 $\Delta \overline{u} / \Delta \overline{d}$ and $\Delta \overline{u}_T / \Delta \overline{d}_T$ could be an appropriate quantities for testing nonperturbative models.

Perturbative QCD contribution to \overline{u} / d

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial(\ln Q^2)} q^{\pm}(x,Q^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} P_{q^{\pm}}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) q^{\pm}(y,Q^2) \quad (\texttt{+ gluon term})$$

$$\int q^{\pm} = q \pm \overline{q}, \quad P_{q^{\pm}} = P_{qq} \pm P_{q\overline{q}} \qquad \overline{q} = (q^+ - q^-)/2$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial(\ln Q^2)} \left[\overline{u}(x,Q^2) - \overline{d}(x,Q^2)\right] = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} \left[P_{qq}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) \{\overline{u}(y,Q^2) - \overline{d}(y,Q^2)\} + P_{\overline{q}q}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) \{u(y,Q^2) - d(y,Q^2)\}\right]$$

$$P_{\overline{q}q} = 0 \quad \text{in LO}$$

$$\neq 0 \quad \text{in NLO}$$

$$(\overline{u}-\overline{d})_{pQCD} \ll (\overline{u}-\overline{d})_{nonperturbative}$$

Of course, it depends on the initial scale for the evolution.

 $\overline{u}/\overline{d}$ could be an appropriate quantity for testing nonperturbative aspects.

Nonperturbative mechanisms for the $\Delta \overline{u}_T / \Delta \overline{d}_T$ asymmetry

Virtual meson cloudsPauli exclusion principle

Pauli exclusion principle (unpolarized)

 $2 (spin) \times 3 (color) = 6 states$

2 of 6 states are occupied for u-quark
1 of 6 for d-quark

4 u-quarks and 5 d-quarks can be accommodated.

naive counting estimate: $\overline{u} / \overline{d} = 4 / 5$

Meson clouds ⇔ Drell-Yan data

P. E. Reimer, talks at J-PARC and Riken workshops (2008)





Flavor dependence of antiquark distributions



Our theoretical studies

$\overline{u} / \overline{d}$ asymmetry

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See also similar works by

Alberg, Miller, Peng, and workshop participants, ...

Cross section for $e + p \rightarrow e' + X$

l'

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$$X \quad d\sigma = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{(k \cdot p)^2 - m^2 M_N^2}} \\ \times \sum_{pol} \sum_X (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (k + p - k' - p_X) |M|^2 \frac{d^3 k'}{(2\pi)^3 2E'} \\ N \quad M = e \,\overline{u}(k', \lambda') \gamma_\mu \, u(k, \lambda) \frac{g^{\mu\nu}}{q^2} \langle X| e J_\nu^{em}(0)| p, \lambda_N \rangle$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dE'_{\ell}d\Omega'_{\ell}} = \frac{E'_{e}}{E_{e}} \frac{\alpha^{2}}{(Q^{2})^{2}} L^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu\nu}$$
Lepton tensor: $L^{\mu\nu} = \sum_{\lambda,\lambda'} \left[\overline{u}(k',\lambda') \gamma^{\mu} u(k,\lambda) \right]^{*} \left[\overline{u}(k',\lambda') \gamma^{\nu} u(k,\lambda) \right]$

$$= 2 \left[k^{\mu} k^{\nu} + k^{\nu} k^{\nu} - (k \cdot k' - m^{2}) g^{\mu\nu} \right]$$
Hadron tensor: $W_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{4\pi M_{N}} \sum_{\lambda_{N}}^{-} \sum_{X} (2\pi)^{4} \delta^{4} (p+q-p_{X}) \langle p,\lambda_{N} | J_{\mu}^{em}(0) | X \rangle \langle X | J_{\nu}^{em}(0) | p,\lambda_{N} \rangle$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi M_{N}} \sum_{\lambda_{N}}^{-} \int d^{4}\xi \ e^{iq\cdot\xi} \langle p,\lambda_{N} | \left[J_{\mu}^{em}(\xi), J_{\nu}^{em}(0) \right] | p,\lambda_{N} \rangle$$



Flavor asymmetric antiquark distributions

 $\Rightarrow \text{ Nonperturbative QCD mechanisms (mesonic effects, ...)}$ Consider the distributions $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$, $\frac{\overline{u} + \overline{d}}{2} - \overline{s}$.

Perturbative QCD effects should be flavor symmetric for \overline{u} , \overline{d} , \overline{s} .

Then, $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$, $\frac{\overline{u} + \overline{d}}{2} - \overline{s}$ = created by non-perturbative mechanism(s) \Rightarrow One of candidates is the contribution from mesons.



(from E866 web page)



First, we investigate $\frac{\overline{u} + \overline{d}}{2} - \overline{s}$ for testing our model and fixing a parameter

• Pion structure function

Measurements of pion Drell-Yan (NA3, NA10, E615): $\frac{x(\overline{u}+d)}{2} - x\overline{s} = \frac{1}{2}xV_{\pi}$

• π NN form factor

$$F_{\pi NN}^{(1)}(t) = \frac{1}{1 - t / (\Lambda_1)^2}, \quad F_{\pi NN}^{(2)}(t) = \frac{1}{\left[1 - t / (\Lambda_1)^2\right]^2}, \quad F_{\pi NN}^{(0)}(t) = e^{-(-t)/(\Lambda_0)^2}$$

Relation among the cutoff parameters

- e.g. if related by
- $F_{\pi NN}^{(1)}(t_0) = F_{\pi NN}^{(2)}(t_0) = F_{\pi NN}^{(0)}(t_0) = 0.4$ $\Rightarrow \Lambda_1 = 0.62\Lambda_2 = 0.78\Lambda_0$



Fix $\pi NN/\pi N\Delta$ cutoff parameter Λ_2 by $\frac{\overline{u} + \overline{d}}{2} - \overline{s}$ (then predict $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$)



 $\frac{x(\overline{u} + \overline{d})}{2} - x\overline{s} \implies \Lambda_2 \approx 1 \text{ GeV} \ (\Lambda_1 \approx 0.6 \sim 0.7 \text{ GeV: soft form factor})$

u/d asymmetry

$$S_{G} = \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx}{x} \Big[F_{2}^{\mu p}(x) - F_{2}^{\mu n}(x) \Big] = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int_{0}^{1} dx \Big[\overline{u}(x) - \overline{d}(x) \Big]$$

(NMC: $S_{G} = 0.235 \pm 0.026$)

Gottfried sum

Effects of "meson-clouds"









Pionic contributions to $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$

$$\Delta S_G \equiv \frac{2}{3} \int_0^1 dx \Big[\overline{u}(x) - \overline{d}(x) \Big]$$





Summary on the unpolarized $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$

Meson-cloud model

It can explain the order of magnitude of the Gottfried-sum-rule violation by NMC.

In addition to $p \rightarrow \pi N$, $p \rightarrow \pi \Delta$ should be included in the calculation.

In addition to π , other mesons should be considered.

It becomes a successful model in explaining $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$, $\frac{\overline{u} + \overline{d}}{2} - \overline{s}$.

Nuclear $\overline{u} / \overline{d}$ asymmetry

Reference:

SK, PL B 342 (1995) 339.

Introduction to nuclear $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$

Nuclear PDFs

 $f_i^A(x) = w_i(x,A,Z) \frac{1}{A} \Big[Z f_i^p(x) + (A-Z) f_i^n(x) \Big], \quad A-Z = N$ $p = \text{proton}, \ n = \text{neutron}, \ w_i(x,A,Z) = \text{nuclear modification}$ $\overline{u}^A(x) = w_{\overline{u}}(x,A,Z) \frac{1}{A} \Big[Z \overline{u}^p(x) + (A-Z) \overline{u}^n(x) \Big] = w_{\overline{u}}(x,A,Z) \frac{1}{A} \Big[Z \overline{u}(x) + (A-Z) \overline{d}(x) \Big]$ $\overline{d}^A(x) = w_{\overline{d}}(x,A,Z) \frac{1}{A} \Big[Z \overline{d}^p(x) + (A-Z) \overline{d}^n(x) \Big] = w_{\overline{d}}(x,A,Z) \frac{1}{A} \Big[Z \overline{d}(x) + (A-Z) \overline{u}(x) \Big]$ If $w_{\overline{u}} = w_{\overline{d}} \equiv w_{\overline{q}}$, $\overline{u}^A(x) - \overline{d}^A(x) = -\varepsilon \ w_{\overline{q}}(x,A,Z) \Big[\overline{u}(x) - \overline{d}(x) \Big]$ Neutron excess $\varepsilon \equiv \frac{N-Z}{N+Z}$ $\overline{u}^{0000} = \frac{184}{2} W_{u_0}$

 $\mathcal{E} = 0$ (isoscalar), =1 (neutron matter) = 0.071 (${}_{26}^{56}Fe_{30}$), 0.196 (${}_{74}^{184}W_{110}$)

 \overline{u} excess over \overline{d} ($\overline{u} > \overline{d}$) because of the neutron excess even if there is no nuclear modification.



Possible nuclear modification of $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$ (namely $w_{\overline{a}} \neq 1$)

Average nucleon separation in a nucleus ~2 fm

Average longitudinal nucleon separation in a Lorentz contracted nucleus:

$$L = (2 \text{ fm}) \frac{M_A}{P_A} = (2 \text{ fm}) \frac{m_N}{p_N}$$

F. E. Close, J.-W. Qiu, R.G. Roberts,
Phys. Rev. D40 (1989) 2820.

Longitudinal locarization size of a parton with momentum xp_N : $\Delta L = \frac{1}{xp_N}$

At small x, the parton localization size exceeds the average nucleon separation:

$$\Delta L > L \implies \frac{1}{xp_N} > (2 \text{ fm}) \frac{m_N}{p_N} \implies x < \frac{1}{(2 \text{ fm})m_N} = \frac{200 \text{ fm} \cdot \text{MeV}}{(2 \text{ fm})(1000 \text{ MeV})} = 0.1$$

Then, partons from different nucleons could interact with each other (parton recombination).

Due to *d* excess over *u* in a neutron-excess nucleus, more \overline{d} quarks are lost than \overline{u} in the recombination process.



Nuclear modification of $\overline{u} - \overline{d}$ in the recombination model

 $\overline{u}(x) = \overline{d}(x) \text{ in the nucleon}$ $\overline{u}(x) \neq \overline{d}(x)$

Finite $\overline{u}^{A}(x) - \overline{d}^{A}(x)$ even if $\overline{u}(x) - \overline{d}(x) = 0$.

We discussed only the recombincation, but there could be other interesting mechanism(s) for creating $\overline{u}^{A}(x) - \overline{d}^{A}(x) \neq 0$.



Without nuclear modification $\overline{u}^{A}(x) - \overline{d}^{A}(x) = -\varepsilon \left[\overline{u}(x) - \overline{d}(x)\right]$ $\varepsilon = \frac{N - Z}{N + Z}$

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0.001



Reference: SK and M. Miyama, Phys. Rev. D65 (2002) 034012

Meson-cloud model

unpolarized: e.g. $\pi^+(u\overline{d})$ \overline{d} excess over \overline{u} : $\overline{u} - \overline{d} < 0$ ρ contribution to $\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}$

$$\left[\Delta \overline{q}(x,Q^2)\right]_{MNB} = \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} \Delta f_{MNB}(y) \Delta \overline{q}_M(x/y,Q^2)$$

erized: e.g. $Q^+(y\overline{d}) \rightarrow \Delta \overline{d}$ excess: $\Delta \overline{y} - \Delta \overline{d} < 0$

polarized: e.g. $\rho^{\top}(ud) \Rightarrow \Delta d$ excess: $\Delta u - \Delta d$ S V

$\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}$ distribution

naive quark model: $\rho^+(u\overline{d}), \ \rho^0((u\overline{u}-d\overline{d})/\sqrt{2}), \ \rho^-(\overline{u}d)$

$$\begin{split} \left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho NB} &= \Delta f_{\rho^+ pn} \otimes \left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho^+} + \Delta f_{\rho^0 pp} \otimes \left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho^0} \\ &+ \Delta f_{\rho^+ p\Delta^0} \otimes \left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho^+} + \Delta f_{\rho^0 p\Delta^+} \otimes \left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho^0} \\ &+ \Delta f_{\rho^- p\Delta^{++}} \otimes \left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho^-} \end{split}$$

charge symmetry in ρ : $\Delta \overline{u}_{\rho^-}^{val} = \Delta \overline{d}_{\rho^+}^{val} = 2\Delta \overline{u}_{\rho^0}^{val} = 2\Delta \overline{d}_{\rho^0}^{val} = \Delta v_{\rho}$

$$\left[\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}\right]_{\rho NB} = \left(-2\Delta f_{\rho NN} + \frac{2}{3}\Delta f_{\rho N\Delta}\right) \otimes \Delta v_{\rho}$$

$\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d}$ distributions



Flavor symmetric antiquark distributions



A. Airapetian et al. (HERMES), PRL. 92 (2004) 012005; PRD 71 (2005) 012003.

At this stage, the data are consistent with $\Delta \overline{u} = \Delta \overline{d}$.



Our studies in S. Kumano and M. Miyama, Phys. Rev. D65 (2002) 034012

Flavor symmetric antiquark distributions, COMPASS 2010

M. G. Alekseev *et al.* (COMPASS), Phys. Lett. B693 (2010) 227.



W Production



 $A_L^{W^+} = \frac{\Delta u(x_a)\overline{d}(x_b) - \Delta \overline{d}(x_a)u(x_b)}{u(x_a)\overline{d}(x_b) + \overline{d}(x_a)u(x_b)}$

W production data are useful for determining $\Delta q / q$ and $\Delta \overline{q} / q$, especially the polarized antiquark distributions.



NNPDFpol 14 $x(\Delta \overline{u} - \Delta \overline{d})$ Nocera 14 $Q^2 = 10 \text{ GeV}^2$ ---- MC $(\pi - \rho)$ ---- PB (ansatz) —MC (ρ) -----CQSM NNPDFpol1.1 ----MC (π-σ) ---- ST DSSV08 $\Delta \chi^2 = 1$ 1 1 1 1 10⁻² 10-1 1 Х

J. Rojo (NNPDF), QCD-N'16

Antiquark flavor asymmetries in Drell-Yan processes (especially in transversity)

Polarized proton-deuteron Drell-Yan SK and M. Miyama, Phys. Lett. B479 (2000) 149. **Proton-deuteron Drell-Yan for** $\Delta_T \overline{u} - \Delta_T d$ $\Delta_{(T)} = \Delta$ or Δ_T

$$R_{pd} = \frac{\Delta_{(T)} \sigma^{pd}}{2\Delta_{(T)} \sigma^{pp}} = \frac{\sum_{a} e_{a}^{2} \left[\Delta_{(T)} q_{a}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} \overline{q}_{a}^{d}(x_{2}) + \Delta_{(T)} \overline{q}_{a}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} q_{a}^{d}(x_{2}) \right]}{2\sum_{a} e_{a}^{2} \left[\Delta_{(T)} q_{a}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} \overline{q}_{a}(x_{2}) + \Delta_{(T)} \overline{q}_{a}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} q_{a}(x_{2}) \right]}$$

neglect nuclear effects in the deuteron
assume isospin symmetry

$$x_F = x_1 - x_2$$

• $x_F \rightarrow +1$ region

$$R_{pd}(x_{F} \to 1) = \frac{\sum_{a} e_{a}^{2} \left[\Delta_{(T)} q_{\nu,a}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} \overline{q}_{a}^{d}(x_{2}) \right]}{2 \sum_{a} e_{a}^{2} \left[\Delta_{(T)} q_{\nu,a}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} \overline{q}_{a}(x_{2}) \right]}$$
$$= 1 - \frac{\left[4 \Delta_{(T)} u_{\nu}(x_{1}) - \Delta_{(T)} d_{\nu}(x_{1}) \right] \left[\Delta_{(T)} \overline{u}(x_{2}) - \Delta_{(T)} \overline{d}(x_{2}) \right]}{8 \Delta_{(T)} u_{\nu}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} \overline{u}(x_{2}) + 2 \Delta_{(T)} d_{\nu}(x_{1}) \Delta_{(T)} \overline{d}(x_{2})}$$

suppose
$$\Delta_{(T)}u_{\nu}(x \to 1) \gg \Delta_{(T)}d_{\nu}(x \to 1)$$

 $R_{pd}(x_{F} \to 1) = 1 - \left[\frac{\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}(x_{2}) - \Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}(x_{2})}{2\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}(x_{2})}\right]_{x_{2} \to 0}$
 $\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u} = \Delta_{(T)}\overline{d} \implies R_{pd}(x_{F} \to 1) = 1$
 $= \frac{1}{2}\left[1 + \frac{\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}(x_{2})}{\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}(x_{2})}\right]_{x_{2} \to 0}$
if $\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}, \Delta_{(T)}\overline{d} < 0, \quad |\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}| < |\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}| \implies R_{pd}(x_{F} \to 1) > 1$
 $|\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}| > |\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}| \implies R_{pd}(x_{F} \to 1) < 1$
• $x_{F} \to -1$ region

$$R_{pd}(x_{F} \rightarrow 1) = \frac{\left[4\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}(x_{1}) + \Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}(x_{1})\right]\left[\Delta_{(T)}u_{v}(x_{2}) + \Delta_{(T)}d_{v}(x_{2})\right]}{8\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}(x_{1})\Delta_{(T)}u_{v}(x_{2}) + 2\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}(x_{1})\Delta_{(T)}d_{v}(x_{2})}$$
suppose $\Delta_{(T)}u_{v}(x \rightarrow 1) \gg \Delta_{(T)}d_{v}(x \rightarrow 1)$

$$R_{pd}(x_{F} \rightarrow -1) = \frac{1}{2}\left[1 + \frac{\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}(x_{1})}{4\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}(x_{1})}\right]_{x_{1}\rightarrow 0}$$

$$\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u} = \Delta_{(T)}\overline{d} \implies R_{pd}(x_{F} \rightarrow -1) = \frac{5}{8} = 0.625$$
if $\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}, \Delta_{(T)}\overline{d} < 0, \ \left|\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}\right| < \left|\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}\right| \implies R_{pd}(x_{F} \rightarrow -1) > 0.625$

$$\left|\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}\right| > \left|\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}\right| \implies R_{pd}(x_{F} \rightarrow -1) < 0.625$$

Numerical analysis

$$r_{\overline{q}} \equiv \frac{\Delta_{(T)}\overline{u}}{\Delta_{(T)}\overline{d}} = 0.7, 1.0, \text{ or } 1.3 \text{ at } Q^2 = 1 \text{ GeV}^2$$

polarized PDFs: LSS-99 at $Q^2 = 1 \text{ GeV}^2$

 $M_{\mu\mu} = 5 \text{ GeV}, \quad \sqrt{s} = 50 \text{ GeV}$ $Q^{2} = 1 \text{ GeV}^{2} \quad \text{evolution} \Rightarrow Q^{2} = M_{\mu\mu}^{2}$ $\Rightarrow \quad \text{calculate } R_{pd} \equiv \frac{\Delta_{(T)}\sigma^{pd}}{2\Delta_{(T)}\sigma^{pd}}$ $\text{assume } \Delta_{T}q(x) = \Delta q(x)$ $\text{at } Q^{2} = 1 \text{ GeV}^{2}$



Tensor-polarized structure functions for spin-1 deuteron

S. Kumano and Qin-Tao Song, Phys. Rev. D 94 (2016) 054022. → Song's talk on Oct.12
W. Cosyn, Yu-Bing Dong, S. Kumano, and M. Sargsian, Phys. Rev. D 95 (2017) 074036.



Electron scattering from a spin-1 hadron

P. Hoodbhoy, R. L. Jaffe, and A. Manohar, NP B312 (1989) 571. [L. L. Frankfurt and M. I. Strikman, NP A405 (1983) 557.]

$$W_{\mu\nu} = -F_1 g_{\mu\nu} + F_2 \frac{p_{\mu} p_{\nu}}{\nu} + g_1 \frac{i}{\nu} \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} q^{\lambda} s^{\sigma} + g_2 \frac{i}{\nu^2} \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} q^{\lambda} \left(p \cdot q s^{\sigma} - s \cdot q p^{\sigma} \right) \qquad \text{spin-1/2, spin-1}$$
$$- \frac{b_1 r_{\mu\nu}}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \frac{b_2 \left(s_{\mu\nu} + t_{\mu\nu} + u_{\mu\nu} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{b_3 \left(s_{\mu\nu} - u_{\mu\nu} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{b_4 \left(s_{\mu\nu} - t_{\mu\nu} \right)}{2} \qquad \text{spin-1 only}$$

Note: Obvious factors from $q^{\mu}W_{\mu\nu} = q^{\nu}W_{\mu\nu} = 0$ are not explicitly written.

 $v = p \cdot q, \ \kappa = 1 + M^2 Q^2 / v^2, \ E^2 = -M^2, \ s^{\sigma} = -\frac{i}{M^2} \varepsilon^{\sigma \alpha \beta \tau} E^*_{\alpha} E_{\beta} p_{\tau}$

 $r_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{\nu^2} \left(q \cdot E^* q \cdot E - \frac{1}{3} \nu^2 \kappa \right) g_{\mu\nu} , \quad s_{\mu\nu} = \frac{2}{\nu^2} \left(q \cdot E^* q \cdot E - \frac{1}{3} \nu^2 \kappa \right) \frac{p_{\mu} p_{\nu}}{\nu}$

 $t_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2\nu^2} \left(q \cdot E^* p_{\mu} E_{\nu} + q \cdot E^* p_{\nu} E_{\mu} + q \cdot E p_{\mu} E_{\nu}^* + q \cdot E p_{\nu} E_{\mu}^* - \frac{4}{3} \nu p_{\mu} p_{\nu} \right)$

 $u_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{\nu} \left(E_{\mu}^{*} E_{\nu} + E_{\nu}^{*} E_{\mu} + \frac{2}{3} M^{2} g_{\mu\nu} - \frac{2}{3} p_{\mu} p_{\nu} \right)$

$$E^{\mu} =$$
 polarization vector

 b_1, \dots, b_4 tems are defined so that they vanish by spin average.

 b_1 , b_2 tems are defined to satisfy $2xb_1 = b_2$ in the Bjorken scaling limit.

$$2xb_1 = b_2$$
 in the scaling limit ~ $O(1)$
 $b_3, b_4 =$ twist-4 ~ $\frac{M^2}{Q^2}$

Structure Functions	$F_{1} \propto \langle d\sigma \rangle$ $f_{1} \propto \langle d\sigma \rangle$ $g_{1} \propto d\sigma (\uparrow, +1) - d\sigma (\uparrow, -1)$ $F_{1} \propto d\sigma (\downarrow, +1) - d\sigma (\uparrow, -1)$
note: $\sigma(0) - \frac{\sigma}{\sigma}$	$b_{1} \propto d\sigma(0) - \frac{d\sigma(+1) + d\sigma(-1)}{2}$ $\sum_{\sigma(+1) + \sigma(-1)} = 3\langle \sigma \rangle - \frac{3}{2} [\sigma(+1) + \sigma(-1)]$
Parton Model	$F_{1} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i} e_{i}^{2} \left(q_{i} + \bar{q}_{i} \right) \qquad q_{i} = \frac{1}{3} \left(q_{i}^{+1} + q_{i}^{0} + q_{i}^{-1} \right)$
	$g_1 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i e_i^2 \left(\Delta q_i + \Delta \overline{q}_i \right) \qquad \Delta q_i = q_{i\uparrow}^{+1} - q_{i\downarrow}^{+1}$
$\Big[q^{H}_{\uparrow}(x,Q^{2})\Big]$	$ \begin{bmatrix} b_1 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i e_i^2 \left(\delta_T q_i + \delta_T \bar{q}_i \right) & \delta_T q_i = q_i^0 - \frac{q_i^{+1} + q_i^{-1}}{2} \end{bmatrix} $

Standard convolution approach

Convolution model:
$$A_{hH,hH}(x) = \int \frac{dy}{y} \sum_{s} f_{s}^{H}(y) \hat{A}_{hs,hs}(x/y) = \sum_{s} f_{s}^{H}(y) \otimes \hat{A}_{hs,hs}(y)$$

 $A_{hH,h'H'} = \varepsilon_{h}^{*\mu} W_{\mu\nu}^{H'H} \varepsilon_{h}^{*}, \quad b_{1} = A_{*0,*0} - \frac{A_{++,++} + A_{+-,+-}}{2}, \qquad \gamma^{*} W_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{\pi} \operatorname{Im} T_{\mu\nu}, \qquad \hat{A}_{+\uparrow,+\uparrow} = F_{1} - g_{1}, \quad \hat{A}_{+\downarrow,+\downarrow} = F_{1} + g_{1}$
Momentum distribution: $f^{H}(y) = \int d^{3}p |\phi^{H}(\vec{p})|^{2} \delta\left(y - \frac{E + p_{z}}{M}\right)$
 $f^{H}(y) = f_{\uparrow}^{H}(y) + f_{\downarrow}^{H}(y)$
D-state admixture: $\phi^{H}(\vec{p}) = \phi_{t=0}^{H}(\vec{p}) + \phi_{t=2}^{H}(\vec{p})$
 $b_{1}(x) = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dy}{y} \sum_{i=p,n} \left[f^{0}(y) - \frac{f^{+}(y) + f^{-}(y)}{2} \right] F_{1}(x/y) = \int \frac{dy}{y} \delta f_{T}(y) F_{1}(x/y)$
 $\delta_{T}f(y) = \int d^{3}py \left[-\frac{3}{4\sqrt{2\pi}} \phi_{0}(p)\phi_{2}(p) + |\phi_{2}(p)|^{2} \frac{3}{16\pi} \right] (3\cos^{2}\theta - 1)\delta\left(y - \frac{p \cdot q}{Mv}\right)$
Standard model of the deuteron
 $S + D$ waves

Comparison with HERMES measurements



Summary I Nucleon spin Nucleon spin crisis!? Na Model **Orbital angular momenta ? Sea-quarks and gluons?** We have shown in this work "old" standard model that the standard deuteron model **Tensor structure** does not work!? \rightarrow new hadron physics?! **Tensør-structure crisis!? b**₁ experiment ≠b₁"standard model" $b_1 = 0$ standard model $b_1 \neq 0$

JLab PAC-38 (Aug. 22-26, 2011) proposal, PR12-11-110



Experimental possibility at Fermilab

E1039

Polarized fixed-target experiments at the Main Injector



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Drell-Yan experiment with a polarized proton target

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Tensor-polarized PDFs with errors



still large errors, need experimental improvement → JLab, EIC, ...

experimental measurement for antiquark distributions → Fermilab, ...

Q² evolution

 $Q^{2} = 2.5 \text{ GeV}^{2}$ $\rightarrow 30 \text{ GeV}^{2}$



Tensor-polarized spin asymmetry

$$\boldsymbol{A}_{\boldsymbol{Q}} = \frac{\sum_{a} e_{a}^{2} \left[\boldsymbol{q}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{A} \right) \boldsymbol{\delta}_{T} \overline{\boldsymbol{q}}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{B} \right) + \overline{\boldsymbol{q}}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{A} \right) \boldsymbol{\delta}_{T} \boldsymbol{q}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{B} \right) \right]}{\sum_{a} e_{a}^{2} \left[\boldsymbol{q}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{A} \right) \overline{\boldsymbol{q}}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{B} \right) + \overline{\boldsymbol{q}}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{A} \right) \boldsymbol{q}_{a} \left(\boldsymbol{x}_{B} \right) \right]}$$



S. Kumano and Qin-Tao Song, Phys. Rev. D94 (2016) 054022.



ILC-N (Fixed target option) for hadron physics?

ILC TDR (Technical Design Report)

https://www.linearcollider.org/ILC/Publications/Technical-Design-Report



Summary on tensor structure

Spin-1 structure functions of the deuteron

- new spin structure
- tensor structure in quark-gluon degrees of freedom
- new exotic signature in hadron-nuclear physics?
- experiments: Jlab (approved), Fermilab, ..., EIC, ILC, ...
- ILC/EIC → appropriate to study tensor-polarized antiquark distributions at small-x, Q² evolution of b₁





new exotic mechanism?

Strange-quark distribution



Structure functions in parton model for neutrino-nucleon scattering

 $F_2 = 2 \times F_1$ $F_2^{vp} = 2 x (d + s + \overline{u} + \overline{c})$ $F_{3}^{vp} + F_{3}^{\bar{v}p} = 2(u_{v} + d_{v}) + 2(s - \bar{s}) + 2(c - \bar{c})$ $F_2^{\bar{v}p} = 2 \times (u + c + \bar{d} + \bar{s})$ valence-quark distributions $F_2^{vn} = 2 x (u + s + \overline{d} + \overline{c})$ $F_{3}^{\nu(p+n)/2} - F_{3}^{\bar{\nu}(p+n)/2} = 2(s+\bar{s}) - 2(c+\bar{c})$ $F_2^{\bar{v}n} = 2 x (d + c + \bar{u} + \bar{s})$ $xF_3^{vp} = 2 x (d + s - \overline{u} - \overline{c})$ $xF_3^{\bar{v}p} = 2 x (u + c - \bar{d} - \bar{s})$ $xF_3^{vn} = 2 x (u + s - \overline{d} - \overline{c})$ $xF_3^{\bar{v}n} = 2 x (d + c - \bar{u} - \bar{s})$ s (d) μ^{-} also $v p \rightarrow \mu^{-} \mu^{+} X$ for finding $2 \bar{s} / (\bar{u} + \bar{d})$

s (d)



HERMES semi-inclusive measurement

Huge Fe target (690 ton) Issue: nuclear corrections



Neutral network

NNPDF (R. D. Ball et al.), JHEP 04 (2015) 040



Figure 54. The strangeness ratio r_s eq. (5.2), at NNLO sets with $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118$ plotted vs. x at $Q^2 = 2 \text{ GeV}^2$ (left) and $Q^2 = 10^4 \text{ GeV}^2$ (right) for the default NNPDF3.0 PDF set compared to set obtained excluding from the fitted dataset either neutrino data, or W+c, or both neutrino and W+c data. and a fit with neither of the two datasets.

$$r_s(x,Q^2) = \frac{s(x,Q^2) + \bar{s}(x,Q^2)}{\bar{d}(x,Q^2) + \bar{u}(x,Q^2)}$$

Strange-quark distribution with LHC measurements

S. Alekhin *et al.*, PRD 91 (2015) 094002.

Neutrino: $s + W \rightarrow c$ LHC: $g + s \rightarrow W + c$



$s - \overline{s}$ asymmetry

Neutrino-Nucleon Scattering: charged current (CC)

Neutrino-induced opposite-sign dimuon events have been used for determining the strange-quark distribution.



Inconsistent with the strange distribution by HERMES?

Motivations for $s(x) - \overline{s}(x)$

- Nucleon does not have net strangeness: $\int_0^1 dx [s(x) \overline{s}(x)] = 0.$ However, it does not mean $s(x) = \overline{s}(x)$. \rightarrow could be $s(x) \neq \overline{s}(x)$
- If s and \overline{s} are created perturbatively, they should be equal $s(x) = \overline{s}(x)$.
- Hadron models predict the asymmetry: $s(x) \neq \overline{s}(x)$.

 $p(uud) \rightarrow KY \ [K^+(u\overline{s})\Lambda(uds), \ K^+(u\overline{s})\Sigma^0(uds), \ K^0(d\overline{s})\Sigma^+(uus), \cdots]$



• The asymmetry could be important for NuTeV anomaly.



 $-0.005 < \delta(\sin^2 \theta_W) < +0.001$

of the order of the NuTeV deviation → could not be "anomalous"

S - S

MSTW (2009)

$$Q_0^2 = 1 \text{ GeV}$$

$$x[s(x) - \overline{s}(x)] = A_x^{\delta_-} (1 - x)^{\eta_-} (1 - x / x_0)$$

CTEQ (2007)

H.-L. Lai et al., JHEP 04 (2007) 089.

$$Q_0^2 = (1.3)^2 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$s_-(x,Q_0^2) = s_+(x,Q_0^2) \frac{2}{\pi} \tan^{-1} \left[cx^a \left(1 - \frac{x}{b} \right) e^{dx + ex^2} \right]$$

$$s_+(x,Q_0^2) = A_0 x^{A_1} (1-x)^{A_2} P_+(x), \quad P_+(x) = e^{A_3 \sqrt{x} + A_4 x + A_5 x^2}$$





Neural network

NNPDF (R. D. Ball et al.), NPB 823 (2009) 195



NuTeV $sin^2\theta_W$ anomaly

Nuclear modification difference between u_v and d_v : S. Kumano, PR D66 (2002) 111301; M. Hirai, SK, T.-H. Nagai, PR D71 (2005) 113007.

$sin^2 \theta_W$ anomaly

Others: $\sin^2\theta_W = 1 - m_W^2/m_Z^2 = 0.2227 \pm 0.0004$

NuTeV: $\sin^2\theta_W = 0.2277 \pm 0.0013 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.0009 \text{ (syst)}$

G. P. Zeller et al., PRL 88 (2002) 091802; 90 (2003) 239902(E)

Paschos-Wolfenstein (PW) relation

NuTeV target: 56 Fe (Z = 26, N = 30) not isoscalar nucleus $R^{-} = \frac{\sigma_{NC}^{\nu N} - \sigma_{NC}^{\nu N}}{\sigma_{CC}^{\nu N} - \sigma_{CC}^{\nu N}} = \frac{1}{2} - \sin^{2}\theta_{W}$ N = isoscalar nucleon

 \rightarrow nuclear effects should be carefully taken into account

Charged current (CC) cross sections for vA and $\overline{v}A$:

$$\frac{d\sigma_{CC}^{vA}}{dx \, dy} = \sigma_0 x \left[d^A(x) + s^A(x) + \{ \bar{u}^A(x) + \bar{c}^A(x) \} (1-y)^2 \right]$$

where $\sigma_0 = G_F^2 s / \pi$
$$\frac{d\sigma_{CC}^{\bar{v}A}}{dx \, dy} = \sigma_0 x \left[\bar{d}^A(x) + \bar{s}^A(x) + \{ u^A(x) + c^A(x) \} (1-y)^2 \right]$$

Neutral current (NC):

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma_{NC}^{vA}}{dx \, dy} &= \sigma_0 \, x \, [\, \{u_L^2 + u_R^2 \, (1 - y)^2\} \{ u^A(x) + c^A(x) \\ &+ \{u_R^2 + u_L^2 \, (1 - y)^2\} \{ \bar{u}^A(x) + \bar{c}^A(x) \} \\ &+ \{ d_L^2 + d_R^2 \, (1 - y)^2\} \{ d^A(x) + s^A(x) \} \\ &+ \{ d_R^2 + d_L^2 \, (1 - y)^2\} \{ \bar{d}^A(x) + \bar{s}^A(x) \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma_{NC}^{\bar{v}A}}{dx \, dy} = \frac{d\sigma_{NC}^{vA}}{dx \, dy} (L \leftrightarrow R)$$
$$u_L = +\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3} \sin \theta_W^2, \ u_R = -\frac{2}{3} \sin \theta_W^2$$
$$d_L = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \sin \theta_W^2, \ u_R = +\frac{1}{3} \sin \theta_W^2$$

$$R_{A}^{-} = \frac{\sigma_{NC}^{vA}/dxdy - \sigma_{VC}^{\overline{v}A}/dxdy}{\sigma_{CC}^{vA}/dxdy} = \frac{\left\{1 - (1 - y)^{2}\right\} \left[(u_{L}^{2} - u_{R}^{2}) \left\{u_{V}^{4}(x) + e_{V}^{4}(x)\right\} + (d_{L}^{2} - d_{R}^{2}) \left\{d_{V}^{4}(x) + s_{V}^{4}(x)\right\} \right]}{q_{V}^{A} \equiv q^{A} - \overline{q}^{A}}$$
(1) Difference between nuclear modifications of u_{V} and u_{V} : $\varepsilon_{v}(x) = \frac{w_{d_{v}}(x) - w_{u_{v}}(x)}{w_{d_{v}}(x) + w_{u_{v}}(x)}$
Nuclear effects are in the weight functions: $w_{u_{v}}$ and $w_{d_{v}}$

$$u_{V}^{A}(x) = w_{u_{v}}(x) \frac{Z u_{v}(x) + N d_{v}(x)}{A}, \quad d_{v}^{A}(x) = w_{d_{v}}(x) \frac{Z d_{v}(x) + N u_{v}(x)}{A}$$
(2) Neutron excess: $\varepsilon_{n}(x) = \frac{N - Z}{A} \frac{u_{V}(x) - d_{V}(x)}{u_{V}(x) + d_{V}(x)}$
(3) Strange, Charm: $\varepsilon_{s}(x), \quad \varepsilon_{c}(x) = \frac{2 s_{V}^{A}(x) \text{ or } 2 c_{V}^{A}(x)}{(w_{uv}(x) + w_{dv}(x)](u_{V}(x) + d_{V}(x)]}$

$$R_{\overline{A}} = \frac{(\frac{1}{2} - \sin^{2}\theta_{W}) \{1 + \varepsilon_{v}(x) \varepsilon_{n}(x)\} + \frac{1}{3}\sin^{2}\theta_{W} \{\varepsilon_{v}(x) + \varepsilon_{n}(x)\}}{1 - (1 - y)^{2}} \{\varepsilon_{v}(x) + \varepsilon_{n}(x)\} + \frac{2\{\varepsilon_{s}(x) - (1 - y)^{2} \varepsilon_{c}(x)\}}{1 - (1 - y)^{2}}$$

Expand in ε_v , ε_n , ε_s , $\varepsilon_c \ll 1$ $R_A^- = \frac{1}{2} - \sin^2 \theta_W + O(\varepsilon_v) + O(\varepsilon_n) + O(\varepsilon_s) + O(\varepsilon_c)$ S. Kumano, PRD 66 (2002) 111301.





M. Hirai, SK, T.-H. Nagai, PR D71 (2005) 113007.

Summary

Flavor dependence of the antiquark distributions is a good quantity to test nonperturbative aspects of the nucleons and nuclei.

E906 Drell-Yan

x dependence of ubar/dbar at *x*=0.3-0.4 seems to agree with theories. However, the results are different from E866.

Polarized PDFs: Aubar/Adbar

Now, experimental measurements are becoming clear.

Nuclear PDFs: ubar/bar

Fermilab Drell-Yan in progress, new developments are expected! There is only one (or a few?) theoretical work.

Tensor-polarized PDFs

JLab experiment starts soon in 2019, Fermilab under consideration May be exciting new hadron physics!?

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