

# Transverse Momentum Dependent Helicity Distributions

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Transverse Nucleon Tomography Collaboration

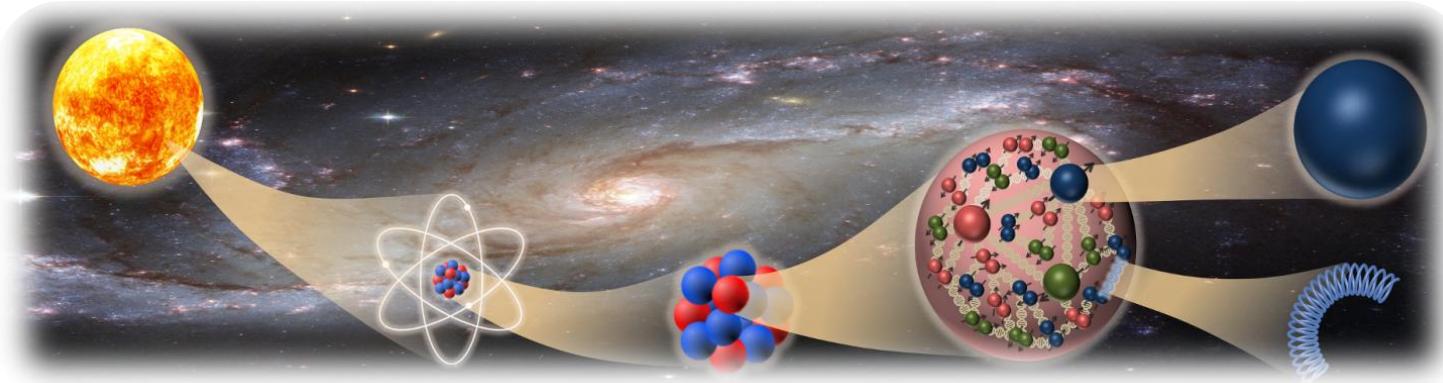
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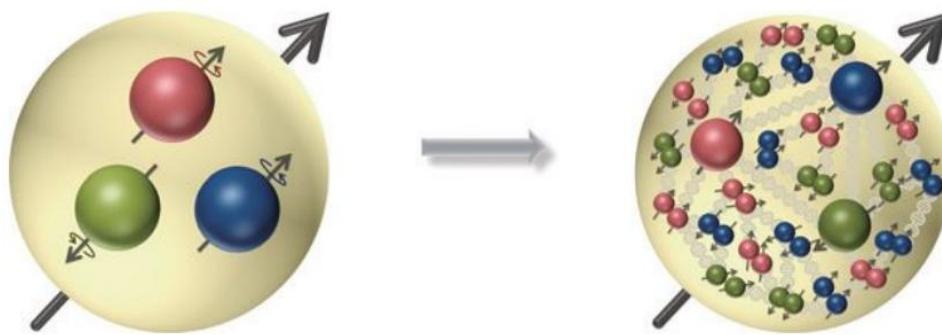
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# Introduction

Protons and neutrons are the primary constituents of visible matter in the universe.



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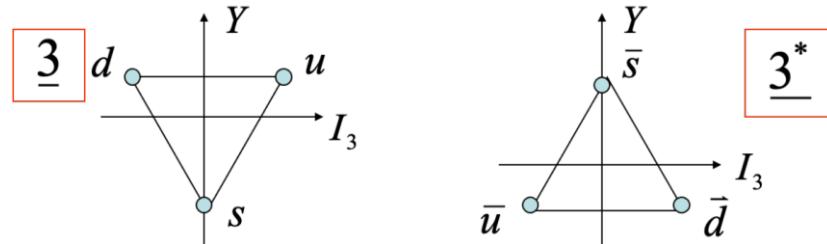


Spin

# Proton Spin Structure in Naïve Quark Model

Quark model: M. Gell-Mann, Phys. Lett. 8, 214 (1964);  
G. Zweig, CERN Report No. TH-401 (1964).

Color structure:



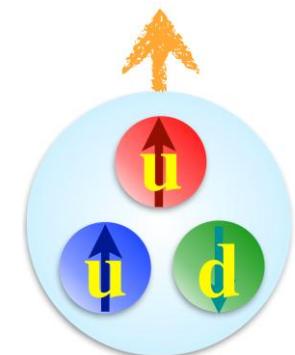
$$\underline{3} \times \underline{3}^* = \underline{8} + \boxed{\underline{1}} \longrightarrow \text{Ordinary mesons}$$

$$\underline{3} \times \underline{3} \times \underline{3} = \underline{10} + \underline{8} + \underline{8} + \boxed{\underline{1}} \longrightarrow \text{Ordinary baryons}$$

Proton wave function in spin flavor space

$$|p_\uparrow\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{18}} [2|u_\uparrow d_\downarrow u_\uparrow\rangle + 2|u_\uparrow u_\uparrow d_\downarrow\rangle + 2|d_\downarrow u_\uparrow u_\uparrow\rangle - |u_\uparrow u_\downarrow d_\uparrow\rangle - |u_\uparrow d_\uparrow u_\downarrow\rangle - |u_\downarrow d_\uparrow u_\uparrow\rangle - |d_\uparrow u_\downarrow u_\uparrow\rangle - |d_\uparrow u_\uparrow u_\downarrow\rangle - |u_\downarrow u_\uparrow d_\uparrow\rangle].$$

$$\Delta u = u_\uparrow - u_\downarrow = \frac{4}{3} \quad \Delta d = d_\uparrow - d_\downarrow = -\frac{1}{3}$$



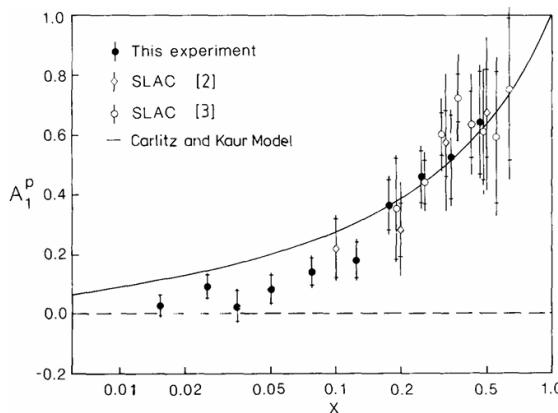
The spin of the proton comes entirely from the spin of the quarks!

# Proton Spin Structure

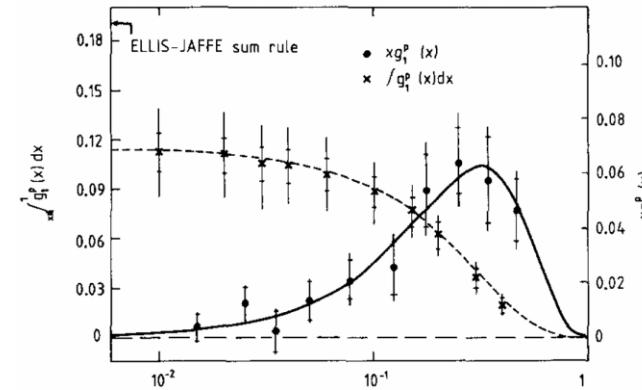
J. Ashman *et al.* (EMC) PLB 206, 364 (1988).

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Experimental data:

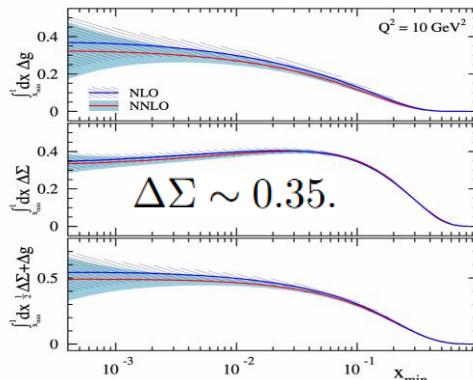
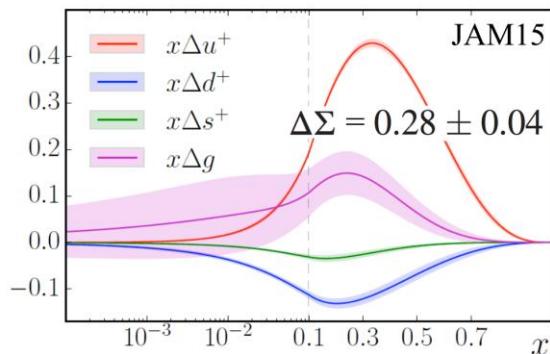


$$\Delta\Sigma = 0.114 \pm 0.012 \pm 0.026.$$



$$\Delta\Sigma = 0.126 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.015.$$

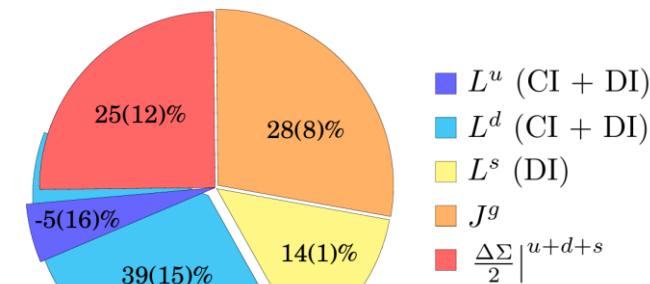
Global analysis:



JAM Collaboration, PR D 93, 074005 (2016).

I. Borsa *et al.* Phys.Rev.Lett. 133, 151901 (2024).

Lattice calculation:



$$\Delta\Sigma \sim 0.25 \pm 12.$$

$\chi$ QCD Collaboration, PR D 91, 014505 (2015).



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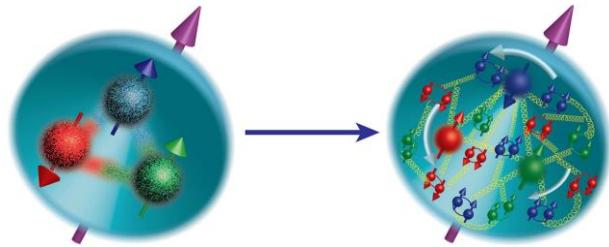
# Proton Spin Structure

## Spin decomposition:

$$J = \frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma + L_q + \Delta G + L_g,$$

R. Jaffe and A. Manohar, Nucl.Phys. B337 (1990) 509.

$$\Delta\Sigma = \Delta u + \Delta d \sim 0.3$$



**Melosh-Wigner rotation:** nucleon in its rest frame V.S. in infinite momentum frame

$$\text{spin state: } \begin{aligned} \chi_T^\uparrow &= w \left[ (k^+ + m) \chi_F^\uparrow - (k^1 + ik^2) \chi_F^\downarrow \right] & k^+ &= k^0 + k^3 & \text{E. P. Wigner, Annals Math. 40, 149 (1939);} \\ \chi_T^\downarrow &= w \left[ (k^+ + m) \chi_F^\downarrow + (k^1 - ik^2) \chi_F^\uparrow \right] & w &= [2k^+ (k^0 + m)]^{-1/2} & \text{H. J. Melosh, Phys. Rev. D 9, 1095 (1974).} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Quark polarization state: } \Delta q = \int d^3k \mathcal{M} [q^\uparrow(k) - q^\downarrow(k)] \quad \mathcal{M} = \frac{(k^+ + m)^2 - k_T^2}{2k^+(k^0 + m)}$$

B.-Q. Ma, J. Phys. G 17, L53-L58 (1991); B.-Q. Ma, Z.Phys. C 58, 479 (1993).

The Melosh-Wigner rotation predicts decreasing polarization with transverse momentum, and this prediction should be tested by data.

# Transverse Momentum Dependent PDFs

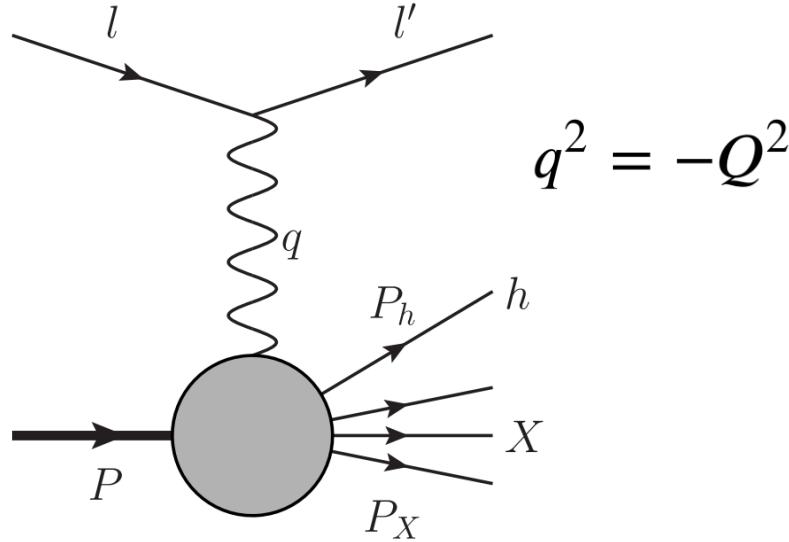
Definition:

$$\Phi_{ij}(x, p_T) = \int \frac{d\xi^- d^2 \xi_T}{(2\pi)^3} e^{ip \cdot \xi} \langle P | \bar{\psi}_j(0) \mathcal{U}_{(0,+\infty)}^{n_-} \mathcal{U}_{(+\infty, \xi)}^{n_-} \psi_i(\xi) | P \rangle \Big|_{\xi^+=0}$$

		Quark Polarization		
		Un-Polarized (U)	Longitudinally Polarized (L)	Transversely Polarized (T)
Nucleon Polarization	U	$f_1 = \bullet$ Unpolarized		$h_1^\perp = \bullet - \bullet$ Boer-Mulders
	L		$g_1 = \bullet \rightarrow - \bullet \rightarrow$ Helicity	$h_{1L}^\perp = \bullet \rightarrow - \bullet \rightarrow$ Worm-gear
	T	$f_{1T}^\perp = \bullet \uparrow - \bullet \downarrow$ Sivers	$g_{1T}^\perp = \bullet \uparrow - \bullet \uparrow$ Worm-gear	$h_1 = \bullet \uparrow - \bullet \uparrow$ Transversity $h_{1T}^\perp = \bullet \uparrow - \bullet \uparrow$ Pretzelosity

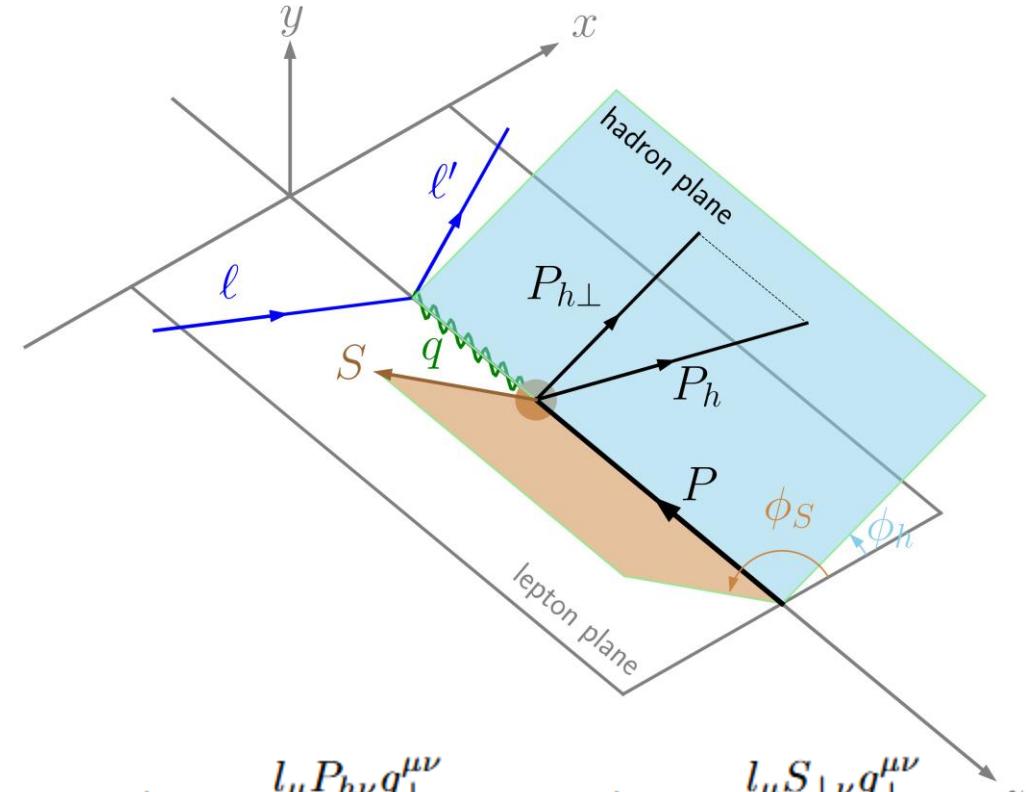
# Structure functions of SIDIS

SIDIS process:  $\ell(l) + N(P) \rightarrow \ell(l') + h(P_h) + X,$



$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2P \cdot q} \quad y = \frac{P \cdot q}{P \cdot l} \quad z = \frac{P \cdot P_h}{P \cdot q}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{2M_N x}{Q} \quad \varepsilon = \frac{1 - y - \frac{1}{4}\gamma^2 y^2}{1 - y + \frac{1}{2}y^2 + \frac{1}{4}\gamma^2 y^2}$$



$$\cos \phi_h = -\frac{l_\mu P_{h\nu} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{l_\perp P_{hT}}, \quad \cos \phi_S = -\frac{l_\mu S_{\perp\nu} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{l_\perp S_\perp},$$

$$\sin \phi_h = -\frac{l_\mu P_{h\nu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{l_\perp P_{hT}}, \quad \sin \phi_S = -\frac{l_\mu S_{\perp\nu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{l_\perp S_\perp},$$

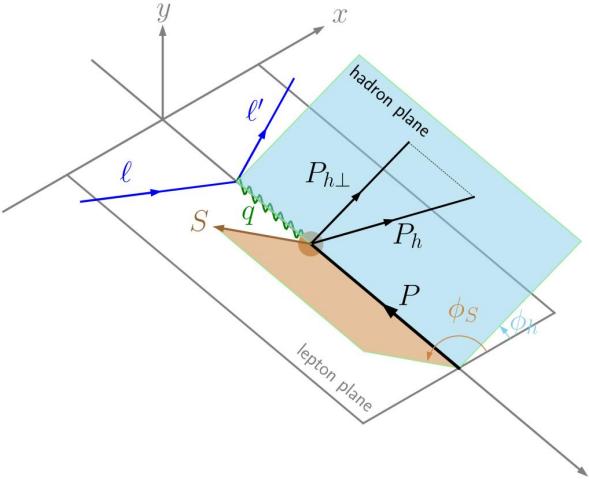
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$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_B dy dz dP_{hT}^2 d\phi_h d\phi_S} = \frac{\alpha^2}{x_B y Q^2} \frac{y^2}{2(1-\epsilon)} \left(1 + \frac{\gamma^2}{2x_B}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \times \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \epsilon F_{UU,L} + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos \phi_h} \cos \phi_h + \epsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \cos 2\phi_h + \lambda_e \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} F_{LU}^{\sin \phi_h} |\sin \phi_h \right. \\ & + S_L \left[ \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} F_{UL}^{\sin \phi_h} \sin \phi_h + \epsilon F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} \sin 2\phi_h \right] + \lambda_e S_L \left[ \sqrt{1-\epsilon^2} F_{LL} + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} F_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h} \cos \phi_h \right] \\ & + S_T \left[ \left( F_{UT,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)} + \epsilon F_{UT,L}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)} \right) \sin(\phi_h - \phi_S) + \epsilon F_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_S)} \sin(\phi_h + \phi_S) \right. \\ & + \epsilon F_{UT}^{\sin(3\phi_h - \phi_S)} \sin(3\phi_h - \phi_S) + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} F_{UT}^{\sin \phi_S} \sin \phi_S + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1+\epsilon)} F_{UT}^{\sin(2\phi_h - \phi_S)} \sin(2\phi_h - \phi_S) \left. \right] \\ & + \lambda_e S_T \left[ \sqrt{1-\epsilon^2} F_{LT}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_S)} \cos(\phi_h - \phi_S) \right. \\ & \left. + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} F_{LT}^{\cos \phi_S} \cos \phi_S + \sqrt{2\epsilon(1-\epsilon)} F_{LT}^{\cos(2\phi_h - \phi_S)} \cos(2\phi_h - \phi_S) \right] \} \end{aligned}$$



$$F_{AB,C}^m(x,z,P_{hT}^2,Q^2) \sim f \otimes D$$

*A*: lepton polarization

*B*: nucleon polarization

*C*: virtual photon polarization

*m*: angular modulation

18 structure functions

# Double Spin Asymmetry

Double spin asymmetry:

$$A_{LL}(\phi_h) = \frac{1}{|S_\perp| |\lambda_e|} \frac{[\mathrm{d}\sigma_{LL}(+,+) - \mathrm{d}\sigma_{LL}(-,+)]}{\mathrm{d}\sigma_{LL}(+,+) + \mathrm{d}\sigma_{LL}(-,+)} \\ = \sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} \frac{F_{LL}}{F_{UU,T}} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \cos \phi_h \frac{F_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h}}{F_{UU,T}}.$$



$$A_{LL} = \sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} \frac{F_{LL}}{F_{UU,T}}$$

$$A_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h} = \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \frac{F_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h}}{F_{UU,T}}$$

Structure functions:

$$F_{UU,T} = \mathcal{C}[f_1 D_1],$$

$$F_{LL} = \mathcal{C}[g_{1L} D_1],$$

$$F_{LL}^{\cos \phi} = \frac{2M}{Q} \mathcal{C} \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot p_T}{M_h} \left( x e_L H_1^\perp - \frac{M_h}{M} g_{1L} \frac{\tilde{D}^\perp}{z} \right) - \right.$$

$$\left. \frac{\hat{h} \cdot k_T}{M} \left( x g_L^\perp D_1 + \frac{M_h}{M} h_{1L}^\perp \frac{\tilde{E}}{z} \right) \right]$$

$$\approx -\frac{2M}{Q} \mathcal{C} \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot k_T}{M} (g_{1L} D_1) \right]$$



$$x g_L^\perp = x \tilde{g}_L^\perp + g_{1L} + \frac{m}{M_N} h_{1L}^\perp \approx g_{1L}.$$

TMD PDF:

$$f_1(x, k_T)$$

$$g_{1L}(x, k_T)$$

TMD FF:

$$D_1(x, p_T)$$

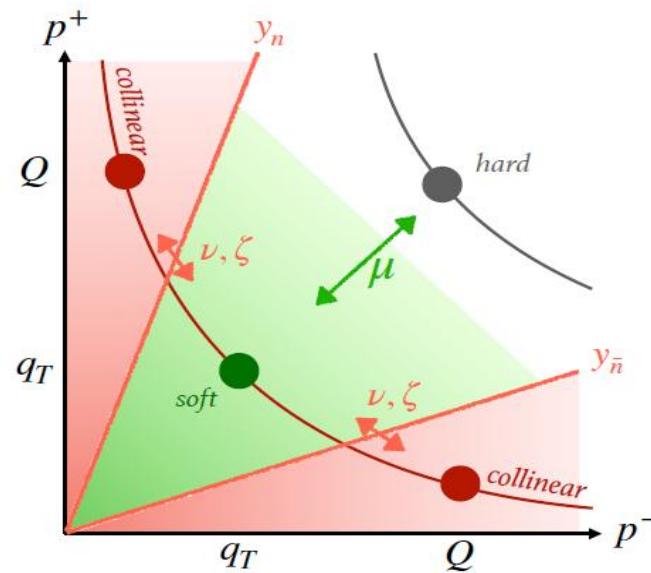


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# Energy Evolution

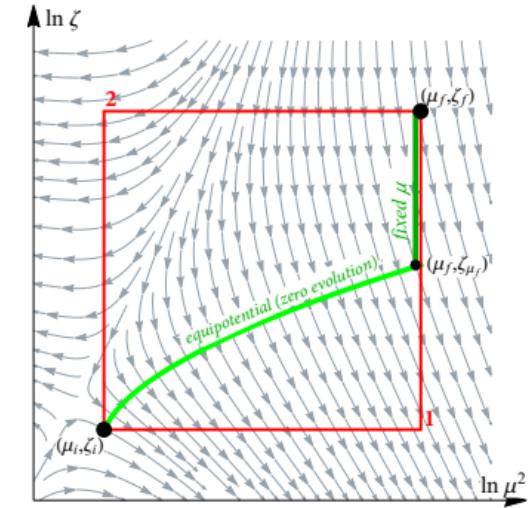
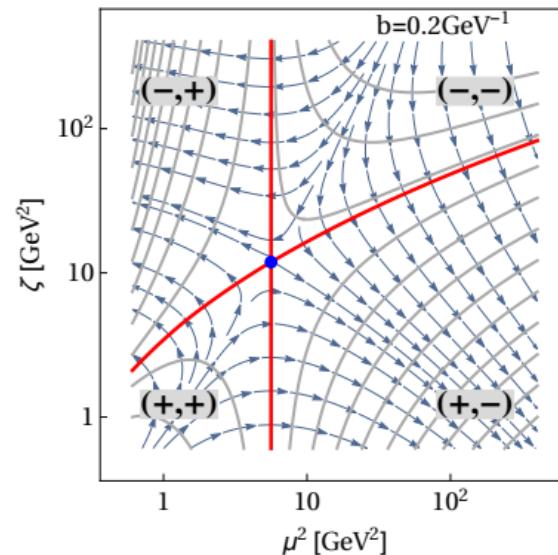
Evolution equation:

$$\begin{aligned}\mu \frac{d\mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)}{d\mu} &= \gamma_\mu(\mu, \zeta) \mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta) \\ \zeta \frac{d\mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)}{d\zeta} &= -\mathcal{D}(\mu, b_T) \mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)\end{aligned}$$



R. Boussarie, *et al.* TMD Handbook, arXiv:2304.03302

$\zeta$ -prescription evolution path:



$$R[b_T; (\mu_i, \zeta_i) \rightarrow (Q, Q^2)] = \left[ \frac{Q^2}{\zeta \mu(Q, b_T)} \right]^{-\mathcal{D}(Q, b_T)}$$

I. Scimemi and A. Vladimirov, J. High Energy Phys. 06 (2020) 137  
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# Parametrization

## Unpolarized TMDs: SV19 Model

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**Optimal TMD  
PDF&FF  
at saddle point**

$$f_{1;f \leftarrow h}(x, b_T) = \sum_{f'} \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} C_{f \leftarrow f'}(y, b_T, \mu_{\text{OPE}}) f_{1,f' \leftarrow h}\left(\frac{x}{y}, \mu_{\text{OPE}}\right) f_{\text{NP}}(x, b_T),$$

$$D_{1;f \rightarrow h}(z, b_T) = \frac{1}{z^2} \sum_{f'} \int_z^1 \frac{dy}{y} y^2 \mathbb{C}_{f \leftarrow f'}(y, b_T, \mu_{\text{OPE}}) d_{1,f' \rightarrow h}\left(\frac{z}{y}, \mu_{\text{OPE}}\right) D_{\text{NP}}(z, b_T),$$

**Collinear unpolarized PDF input,  
NNPDF3.1**

**Collinear unpolarized FF input,  
DSS**

**Parametrization for Non-perturbative functions:**

$$f_{\text{NP}}(x, b_T) = \exp\left(-\frac{\lambda_1(1-x) + \lambda_2x + x(1-x)\lambda_5}{\sqrt{1+\lambda_3x^{\lambda_4}b_T^2}} b_T^2\right),$$

$$D_{\text{NP}}(x, b_T) = \exp\left(-\frac{\eta_1 z + \eta_2(1-z)b_T^2}{\sqrt{1+\eta_3(b_T/z)^2}} \cdot \frac{b_T^2}{z^2}\right) \left(1 + \eta_4 \frac{b_T^2}{z^2}\right).$$

**Operator product expand energy scale:**

$$\mu_{\text{OPE}}^{\text{PDF}} = \frac{2e^{-\gamma_E}}{b_T} + 2\text{GeV},$$

$$\mu_{\text{OPE}}^{\text{FF}} = \frac{2e^{-\gamma_E} z}{b_T} + 2\text{GeV},$$

**Unpolarized TMDs at final energy scale:**

$$f_1(x, b_T; Q, Q^2) = R(b_T, Q) f_1(x, b_T), \quad D_1(x, b_T; Q, Q^2) = R(b_T, Q) D_1(x, b_T)$$

# Parametrization

TMD helicity distribution:

**Parametrization for TMD helicity distribution at saddle point:**

$$g_{1L}^f(x, b_T) = \sum_{f'} \int_x^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} \Delta C_{f \leftarrow f'}(\xi, b_T, \mu_{\text{OPE}}) \times g_{1L}^{f'}\left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \mu_{\text{OPE}}\right) g_{\text{NP}}(x, b_T).$$

**Modified collinear helicity distribution input,**  
left  $\alpha, \beta, \varepsilon$  as free parameters to be fitted:

$$g_{1L}^f(x, \mu_{\text{OPE}}) = N_f \frac{(1-x)^{\alpha_f} x^{\beta_f} (1+\varepsilon_f x)}{n(\alpha_f, \beta_f, \varepsilon_f)} g_1^f(x, \mu_{\text{OPE}})$$

The x –shape modification can be removed by setting  $\alpha, \beta, \varepsilon = 0$ .

The  $n(\alpha, \beta, \varepsilon)$  factor is introduced to the correlation between normalization and the shape.

$$g_{\text{NP}}(x, b_T) = \exp \left[ -\frac{\lambda_1(1-x) + \lambda_2 x + x(1-x)\lambda_5}{\sqrt{1+\lambda_3 x^{\lambda_4} b_T^2}} b_T^2 \right]$$

We take the same form of non-perturbative function as SV19 model takes for  $f_1$ .

**TMD helicity distribution at final energy scale:**

$$g_{1L}(x, b_T; Q, Q^2) = R(b_T, Q) g_{1L}(x, b_T)$$

Collinear helicity distribution input,  
**NNPDFpol1.1**

# World data

TABLE VI. World SIDIS data that reported by HERMES and CLAS, and figures in parenthesis represent numbers of data points satisfy  $\delta < 0.5$ .  $\delta = \frac{P_h}{zQ}$

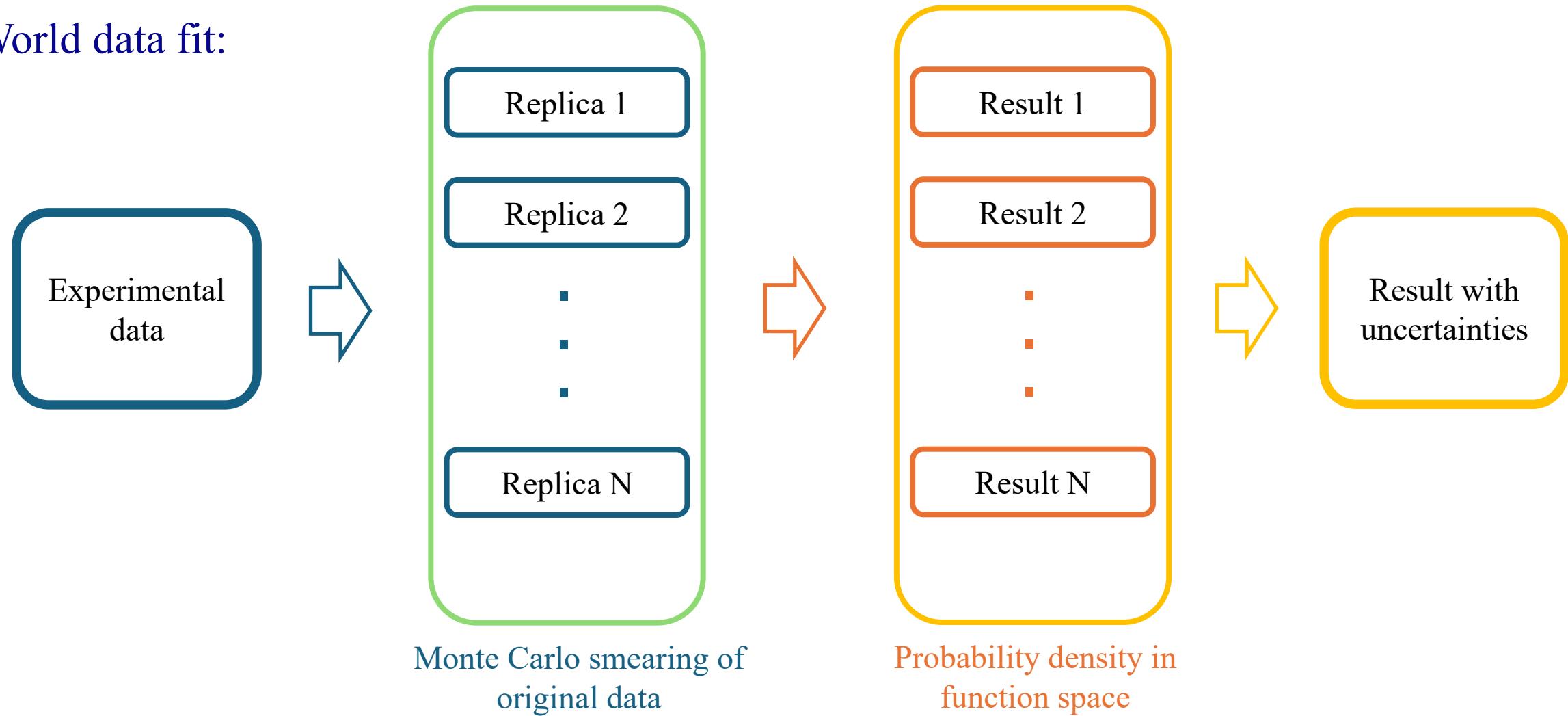
Data set	Run	Hadron beam	Lepton beam	point number	Process	Measurement
HERMES	1996-2000	H <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV e $\pm$	80,30(42,10)	$e^\pm p \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^+ X$	$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$
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HERMES	1996-2000	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV e $\pm$	80,30(41,10)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^+ X$	$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$
HERMES	1996-2000	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV e $\pm$	80,30(40,9)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^- X$	$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$
HERMES	1996-2000	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV e $\pm$	79,30(40,10)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm K^+ X$	$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$
HERMES	1996-2000	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV e $\pm$	80,30(39,9)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm K^- X$	$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$
CLAS	2009	<sup>14</sup> NH <sub>3</sub>	6 GeV e $-$	21,21(9,9)	$e^- p \rightarrow e^- \pi^0 X$	$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$
Total				498,201(253,69)		$A_{LL}, A_{LL}^{\cos \phi}$

HERMES, Phys. Rev. D 99, 112001 (2019),  
 CLAS, Phys. Lett. B 782, 662 (2018).

$$A_{LL}(\phi_h) = A_{LL} + \cos \phi_h A_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h}$$

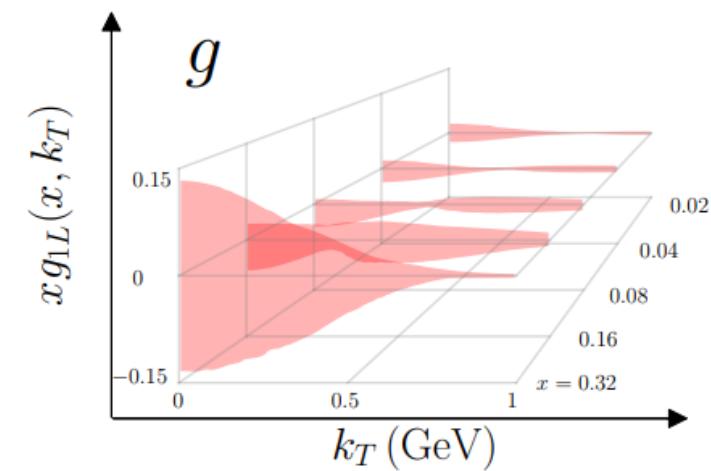
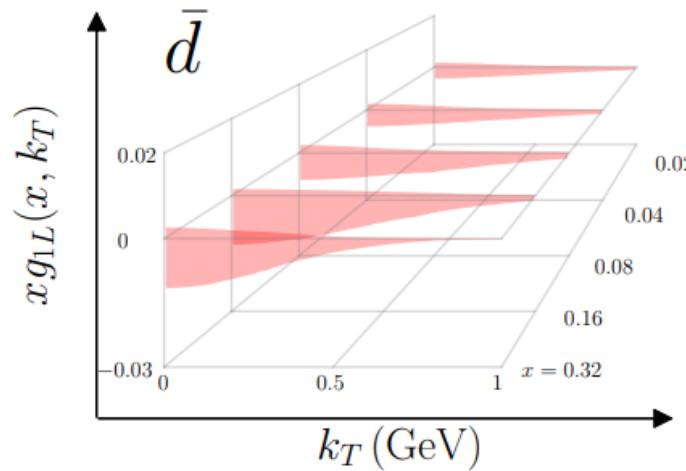
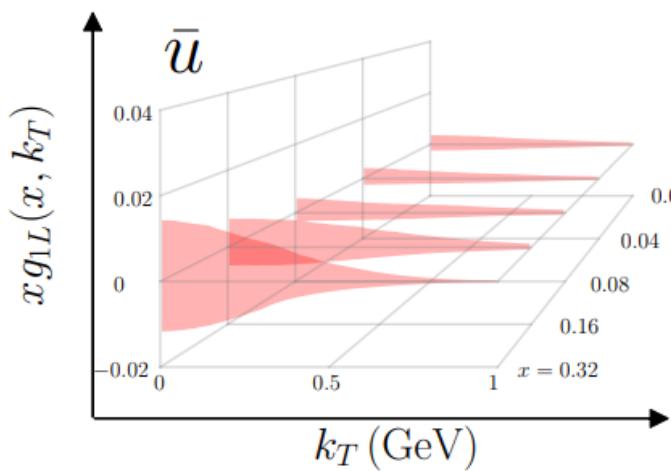
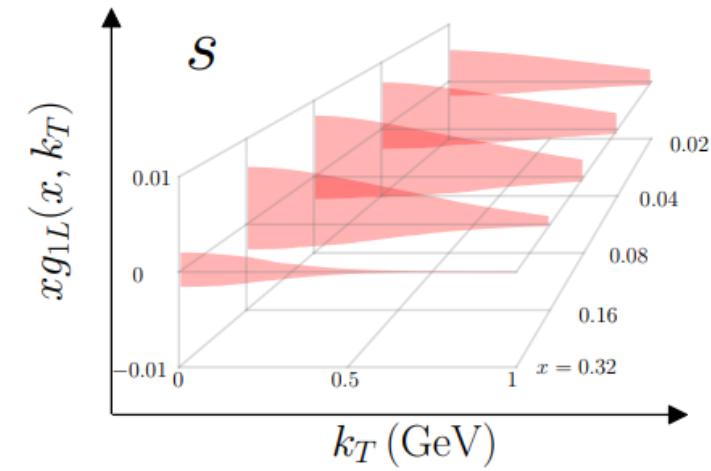
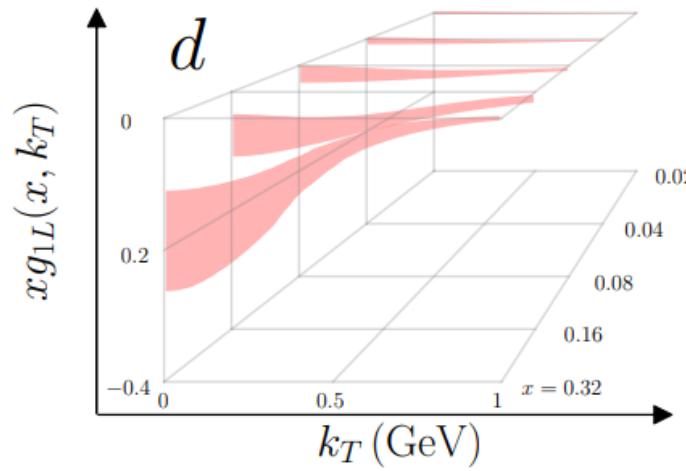
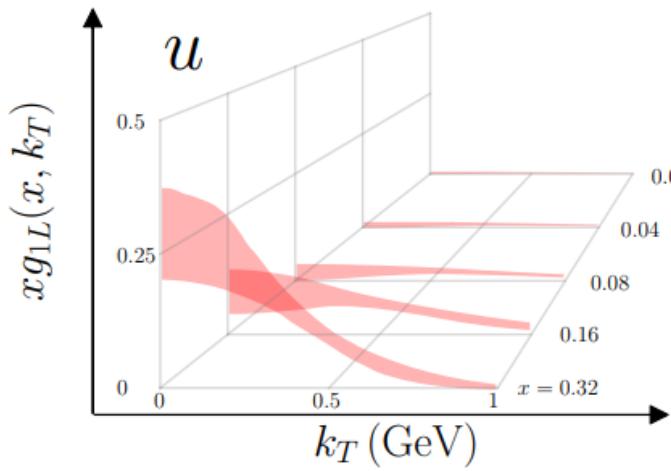
# Fit Procedure

World data fit:



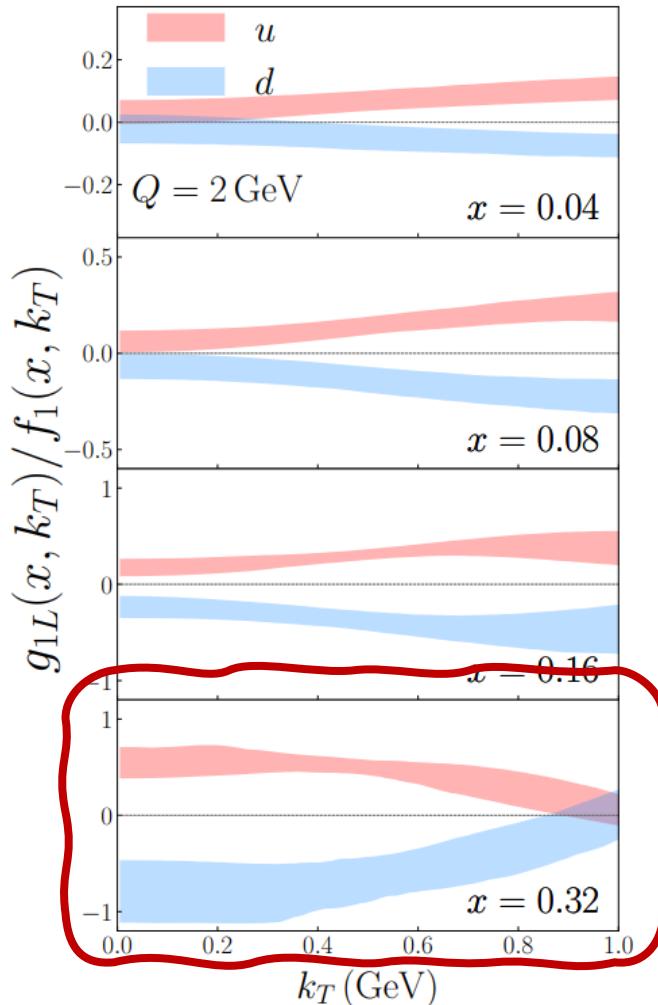
# Results

Result of 3D helicity distributions



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Polarization of up quark and down quark:



$$g_{1L}(x, k_T^2) = q_\uparrow(x, k_T^2) - q_\downarrow(x, k_T^2)$$

quantifies the net density difference between quarks with spin parallel and antiparallel to the spin of a polarized proton.

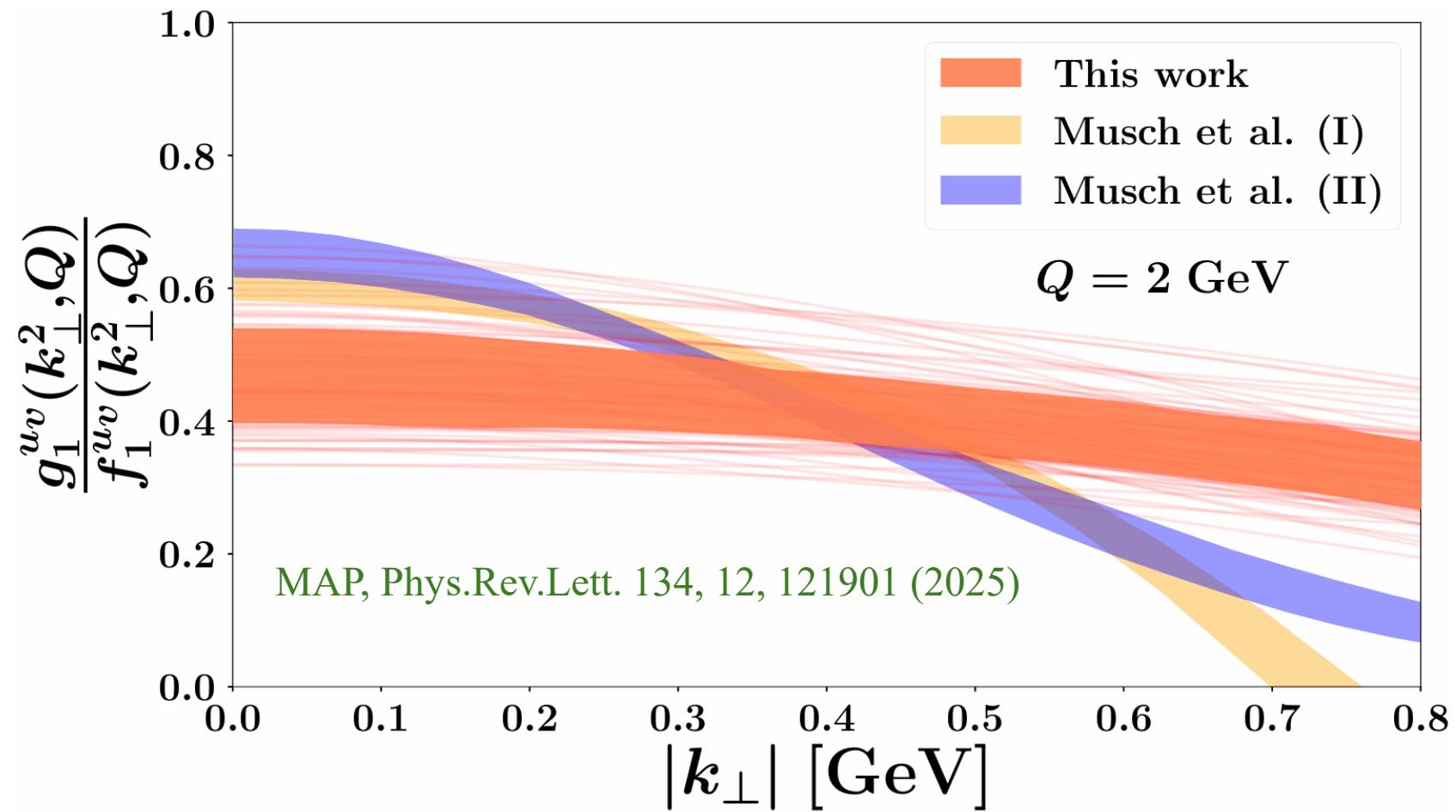
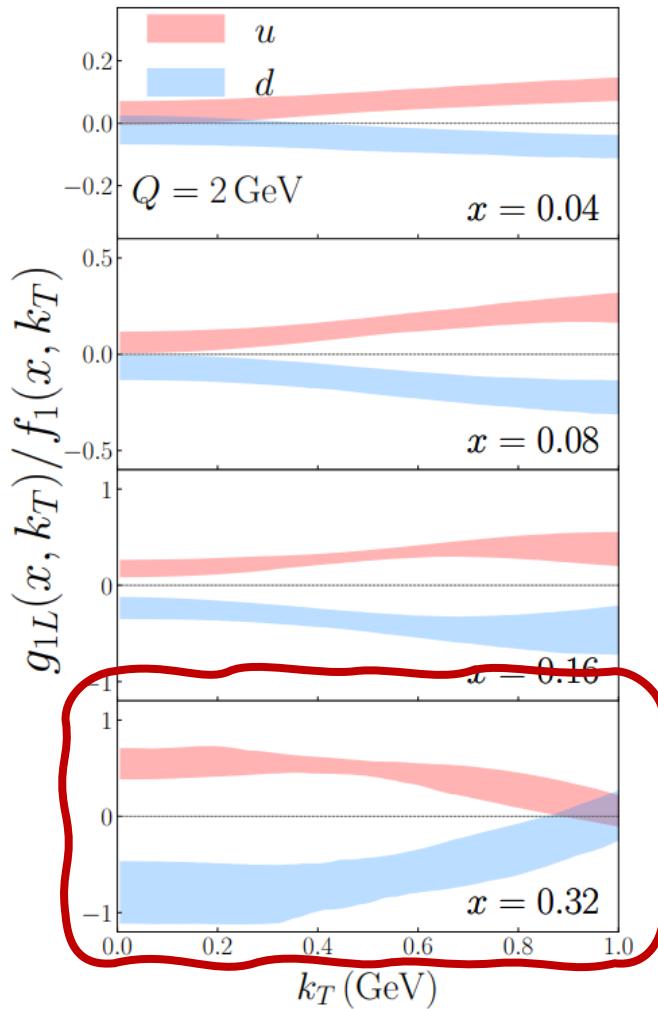
$$\frac{g_{1L}(x, k_T^2)}{f_1(x, k_T^2)} = \frac{q_\uparrow(x, k_T^2) - q_\downarrow(x, k_T^2)}{q_\uparrow(x, k_T^2) + q_\downarrow(x, k_T^2)}$$

quantifies the polarization rate of quarks.

- In the relative large region, where valence quark dominate, the polarizations decrease with increasing transverse momentum, **consistent with the prediction of Melosh-Wigner rotation effect**.

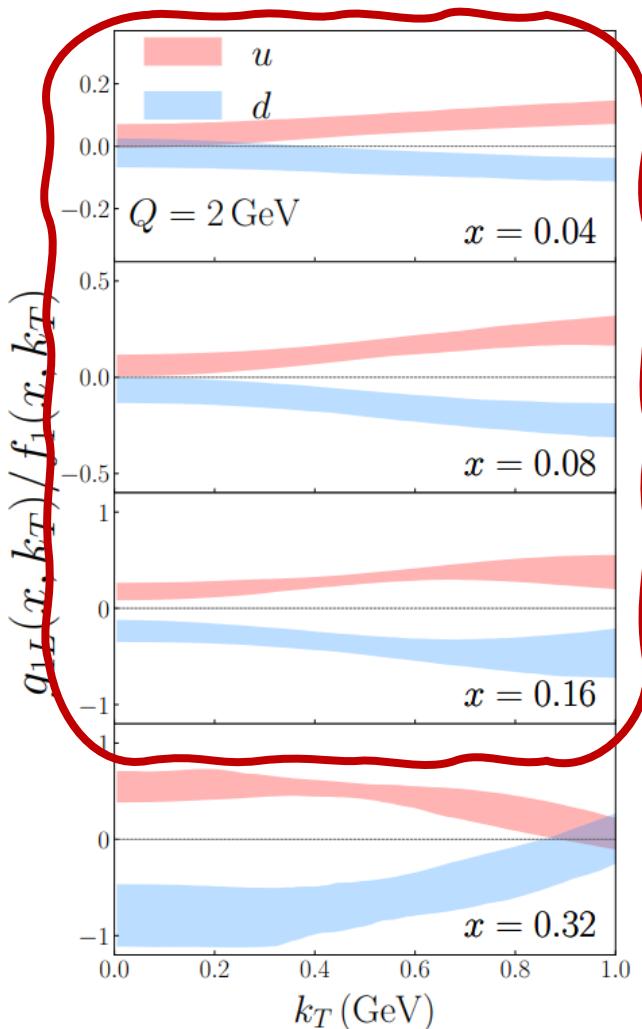
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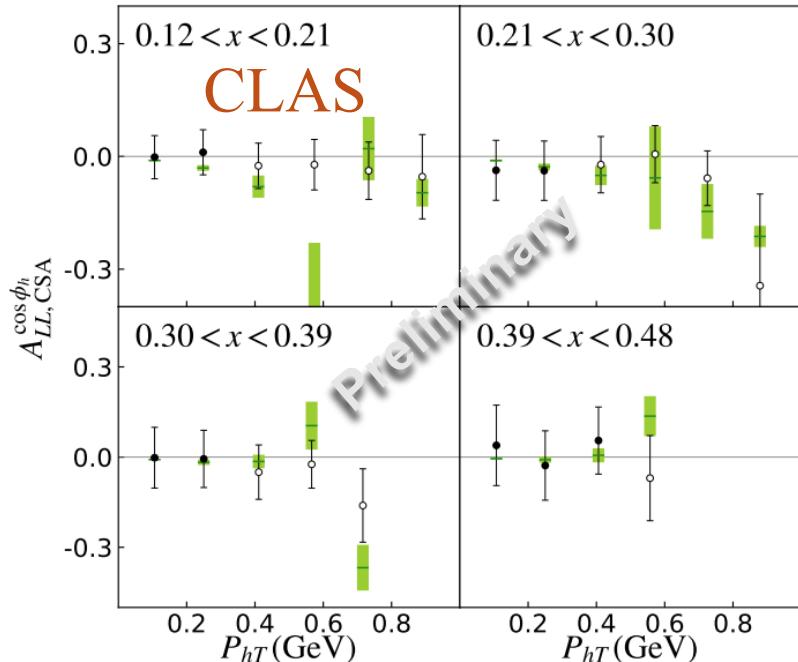
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- At lower  $x$  region, where sea quarks and gluon dominate, we observe slightly increasing polarization, which imply the rich dynamics of QCD.

# Exploration of Azimuthal Modulation

$$F_{LL}^{\cos \phi} = \frac{2M}{Q} \mathcal{C} \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot p_T}{M_h} \left( xe_L H_1^\perp - \frac{M_h}{M} g_{1L} \frac{\tilde{D}^\perp}{z} \right) - \frac{\hat{h} \cdot k_T}{M} \left( x g_L^\perp D_1 + \frac{M_h}{M} h_{1L}^\perp \frac{\tilde{E}}{z} \right) \right] \approx -\frac{2M}{Q} \mathcal{C} \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot k_T}{M} (g_{1L} D_1) \right]$$

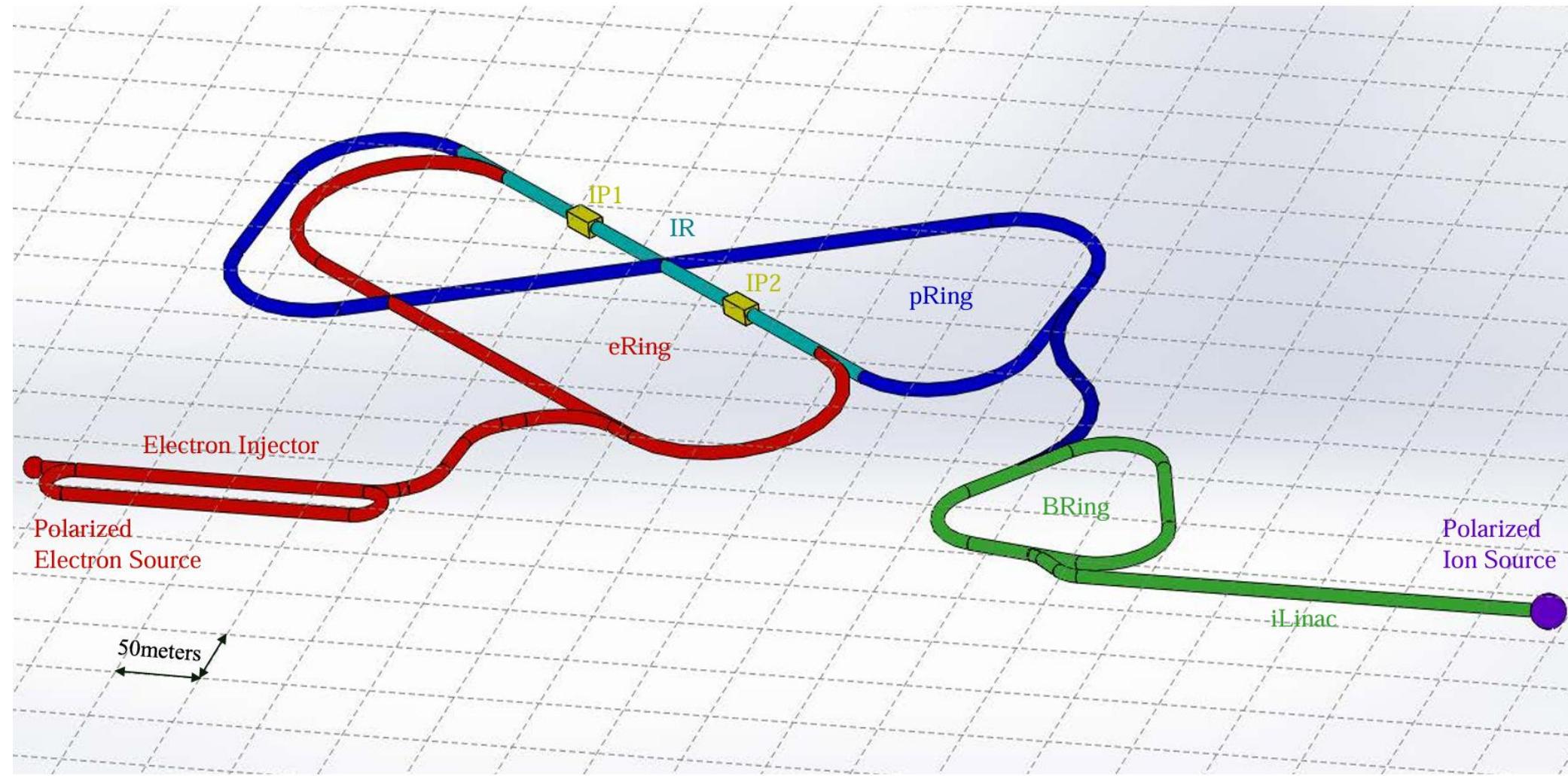


$$A_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h} = \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \frac{F_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h}}{F_{UU,T}}$$

Data set	Target	Beam	Data points	Process	$\chi^2/N$
HERMES	H <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV $e^\pm$	30(10)	$e^\pm p \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^+ X$	0.62
HERMES	H <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV $e^\pm$	30(11)	$e^\pm p \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^- X$	0.74
HERMES	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV $e^\pm$	30(10)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^+ X$	0.81
HERMES	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV $e^\pm$	30(9)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm \pi^- X$	1.03
HERMES	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV $e^\pm$	30(10)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm K^+ X$	0.96
HERMES	D <sub>2</sub>	27.6 GeV $e^\pm$	30(10)	$e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm K^- X$	0.58
CLAS	<sup>14</sup> NH <sub>3</sub>	6.7 GeV $e^-$	21(9)	$e^- p \rightarrow e^- \pi^0 X$	0.11
Total			201(69)		0.70

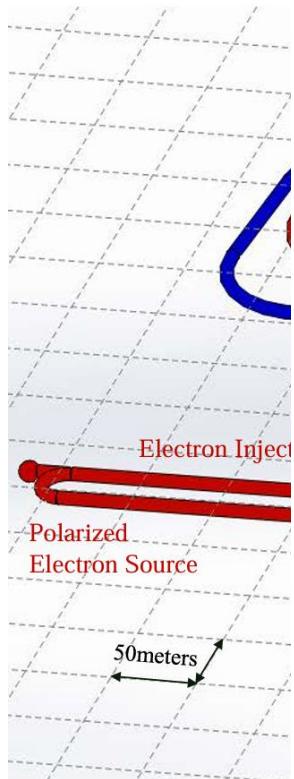
The TMD helicity extracted can also explain the  $\cos \phi_h$  modulation of the DSA measurement of the SIDIS.

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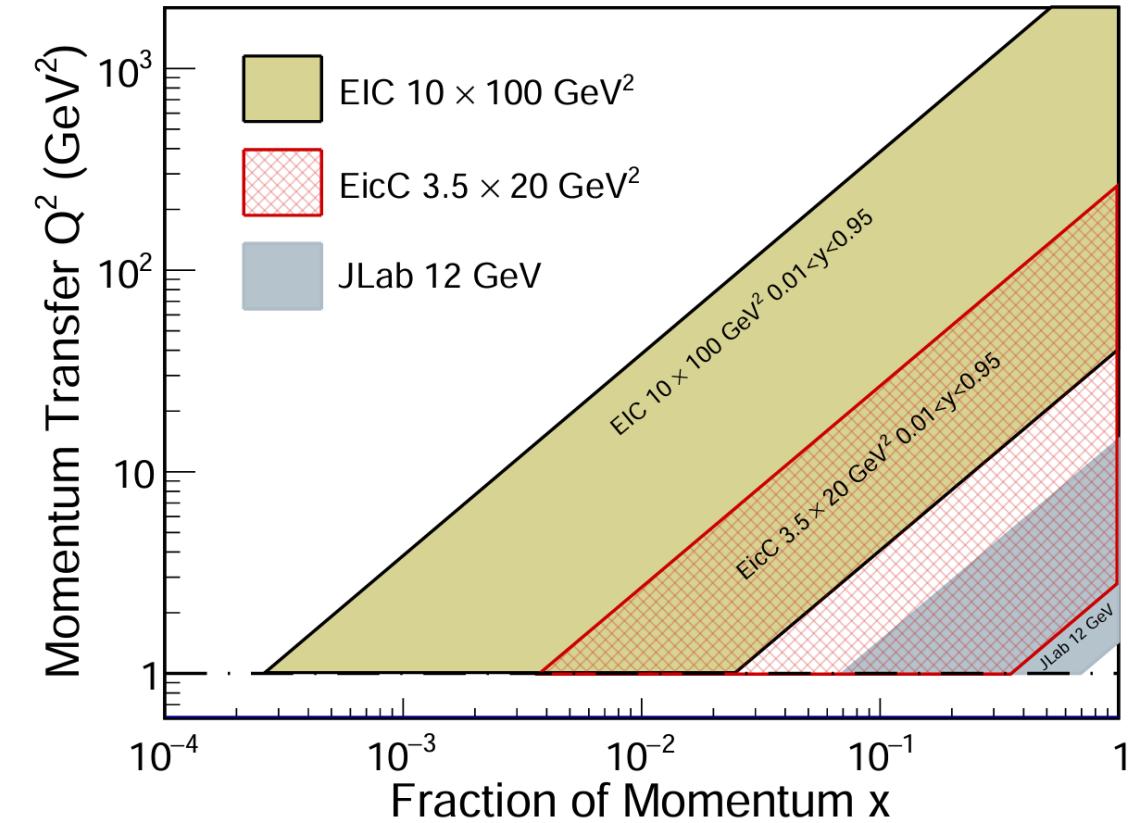
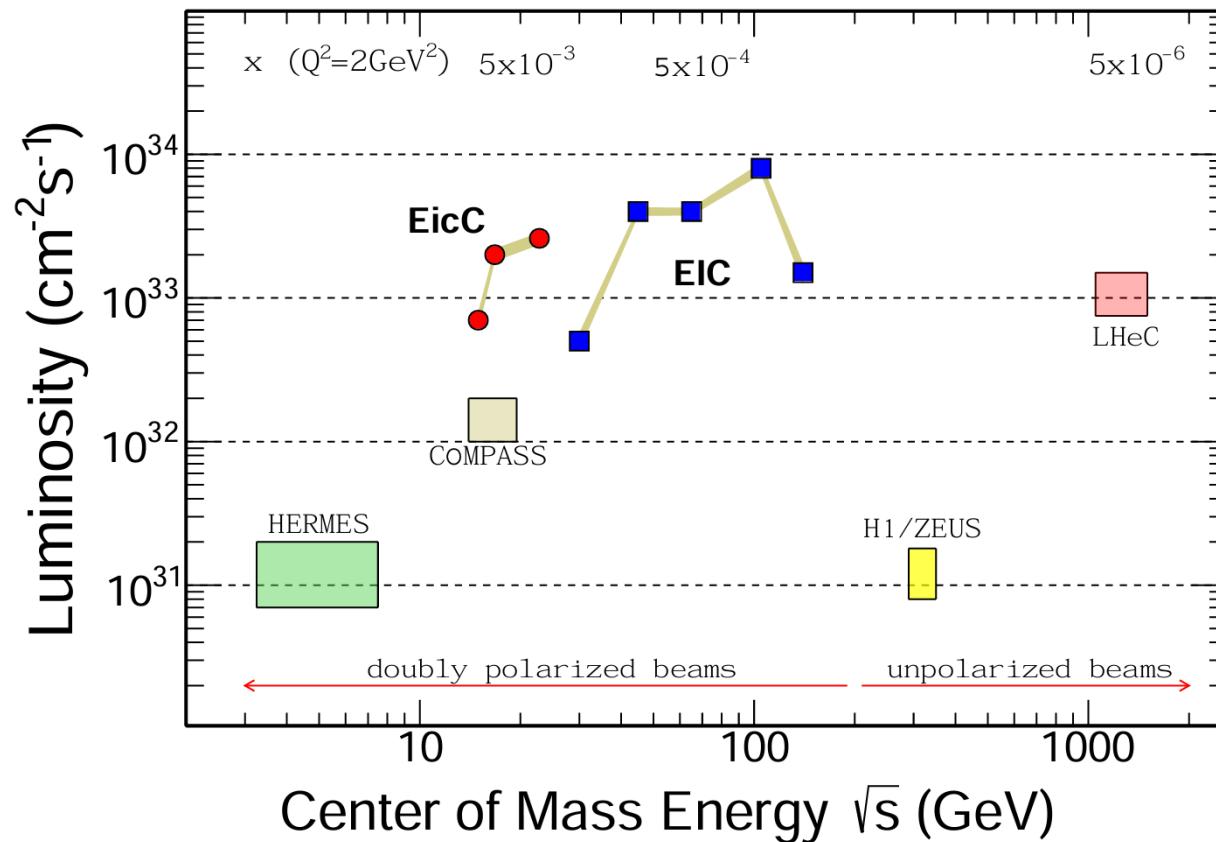


**Table 1.1:** Available particles and their corresponding energy, polarization, luminosity and integrated luminosity.

Particle	Momentum (GeV/c/u)	CM energy (GeV/u)	Average Po- larization	Luminosity at the nucleon level (cm <sup>-2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Integrated luminosity (fb <sup>-1</sup> )
e	3.5		80%		
p	20	16.76	70%	$2.00 \times 10^{33}$	50.5
d	12.90	13.48	Yes	$8.48 \times 10^{32}$	21.4
<sup>3</sup> He <sup>++</sup>	17.21	15.55	Yes	$6.29 \times 10^{32}$	15.9
<sup>7</sup> Li <sup>3+</sup>	11.05	12.48	No	$9.75 \times 10^{32}$	24.6
<sup>12</sup> C <sup>6+</sup>	12.90	13.48	No	$8.35 \times 10^{32}$	21.1
<sup>40</sup> Ca <sup>20+</sup>	12.90	13.48	No	$8.35 \times 10^{32}$	21.1
<sup>197</sup> Au <sup>79+</sup>	10.35	12.09	No	$9.37 \times 10^{32}$	23.6
<sup>208</sup> Pb <sup>82+</sup>	10.17	11.98	No	$9.22 \times 10^{32}$	23.3
<sup>238</sup> U <sup>92+</sup>	9.98	11.87	No	$8.92 \times 10^{32}$	22.5

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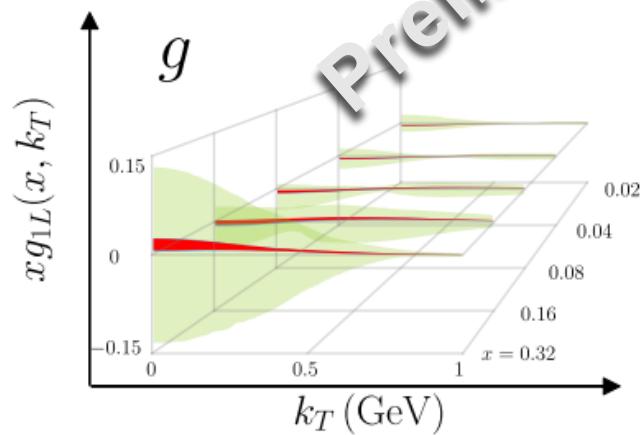
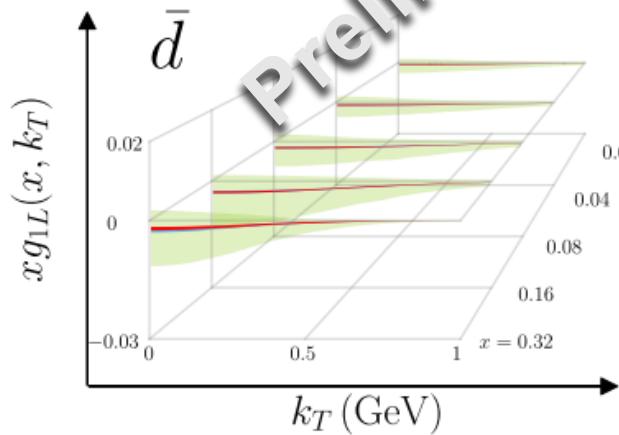
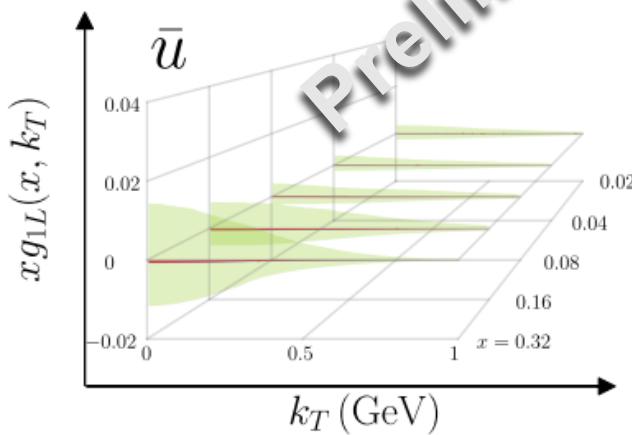
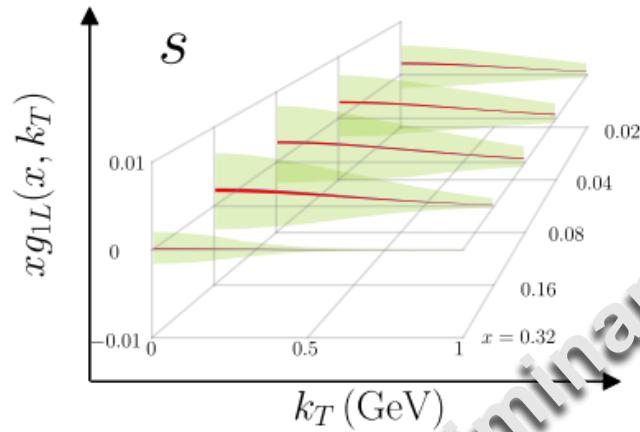
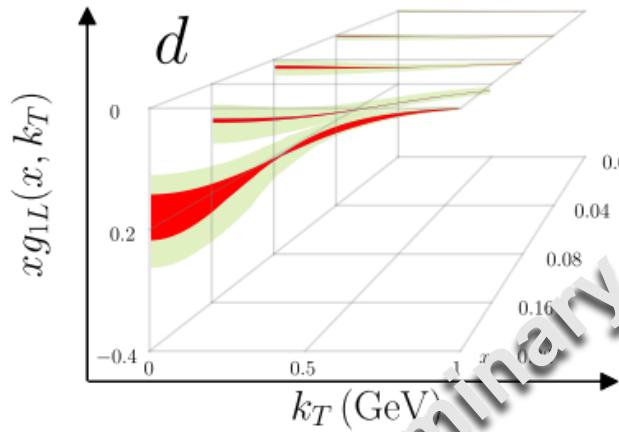
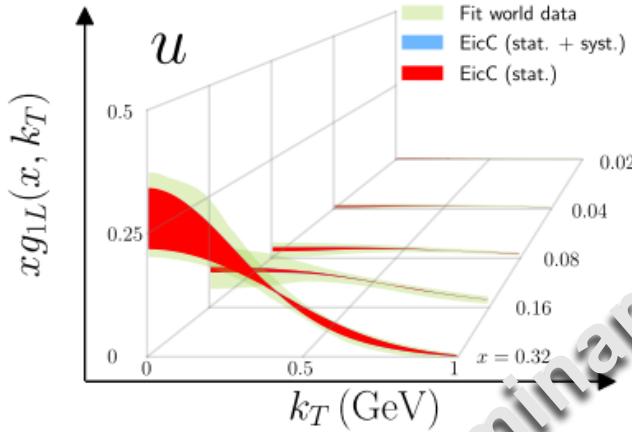
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# EicC Projection Results

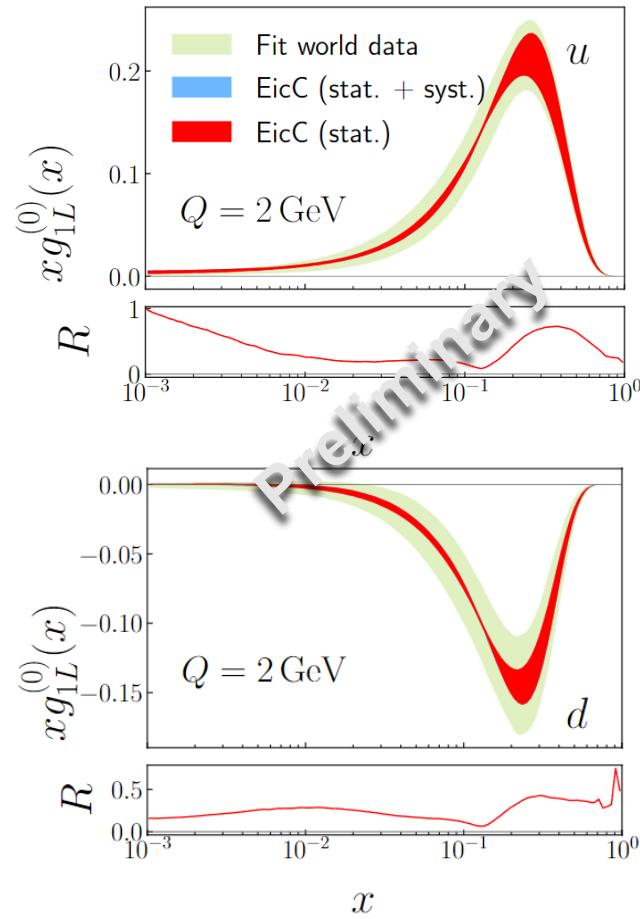
Result of 3D helicity distributions:



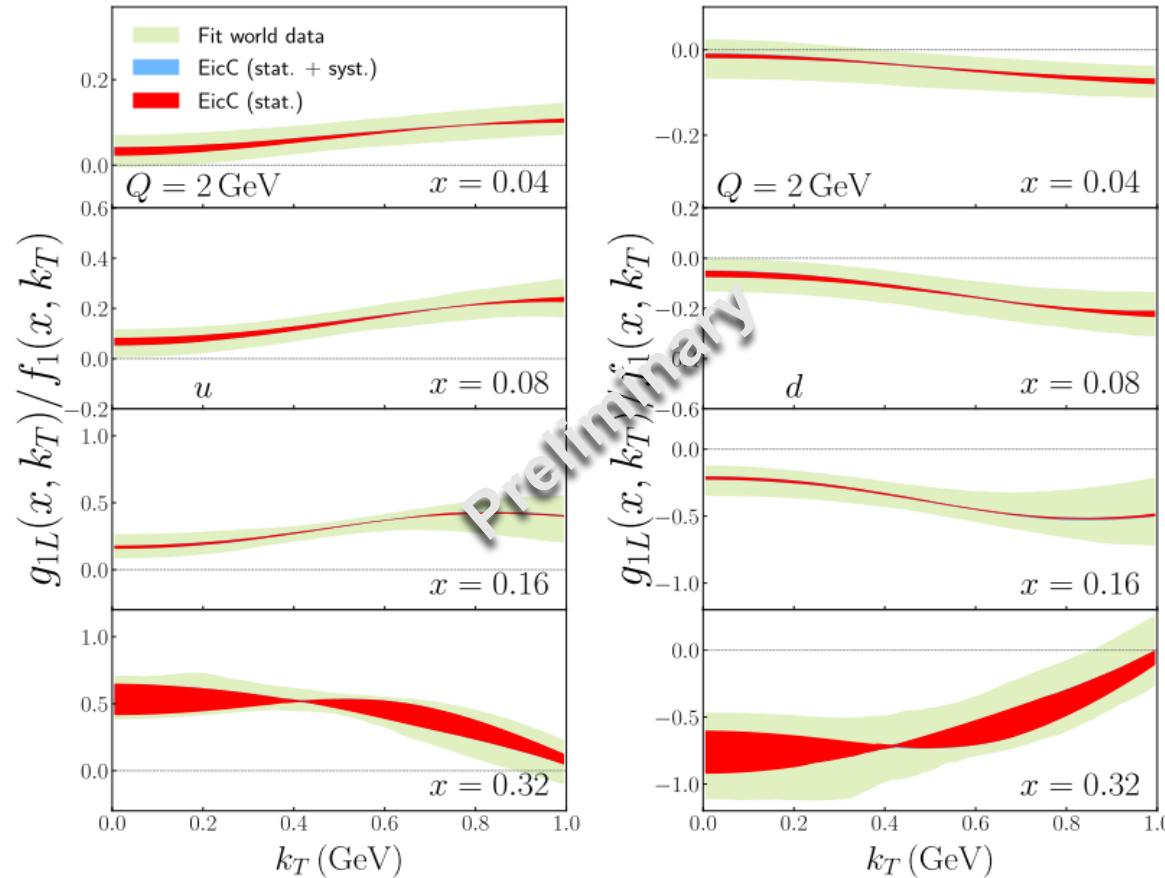
The proposed EicC will enhance the precision of sea quark and gluon helicity distributions.

# EicC Projection Results

Result of zeroth moment



Result of parton polarization:



The proposed EicC will enhance the precision of helicity distribution especially among the range  $x \sim 0.01 - 0.5$

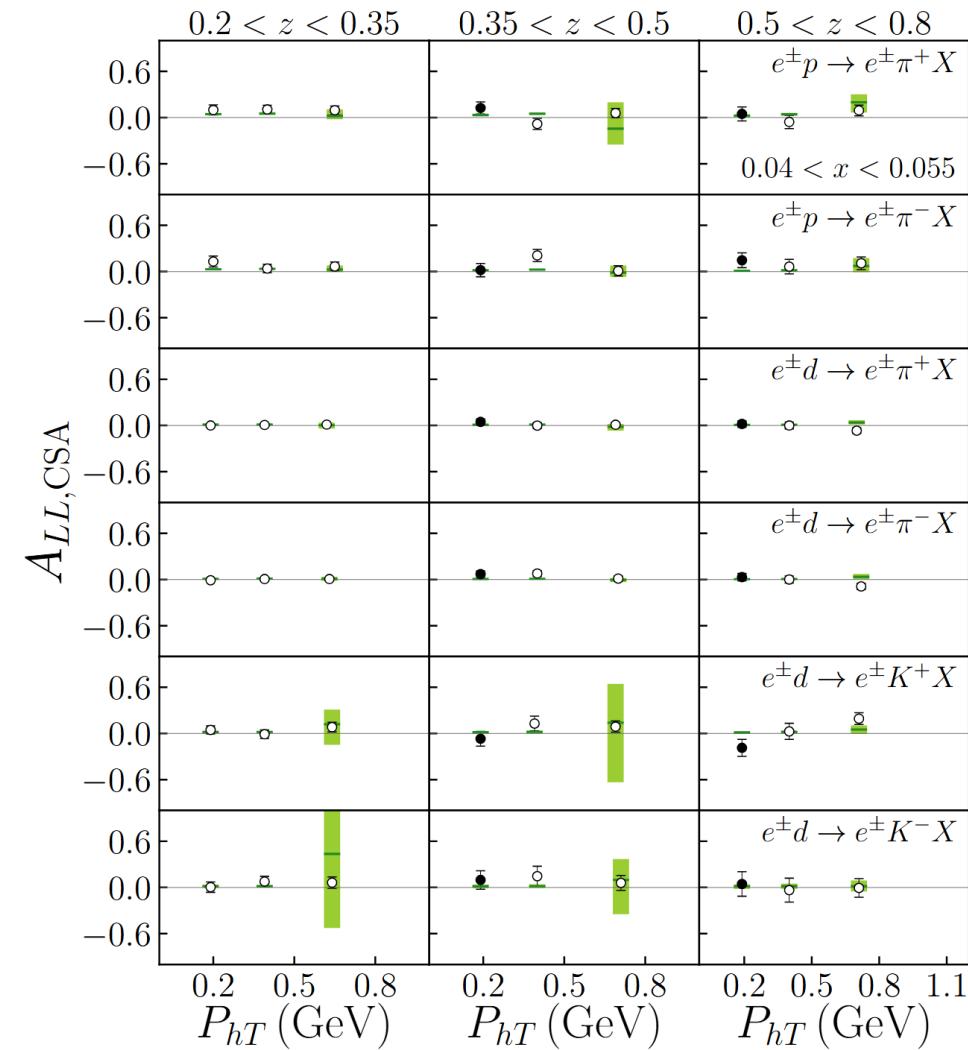
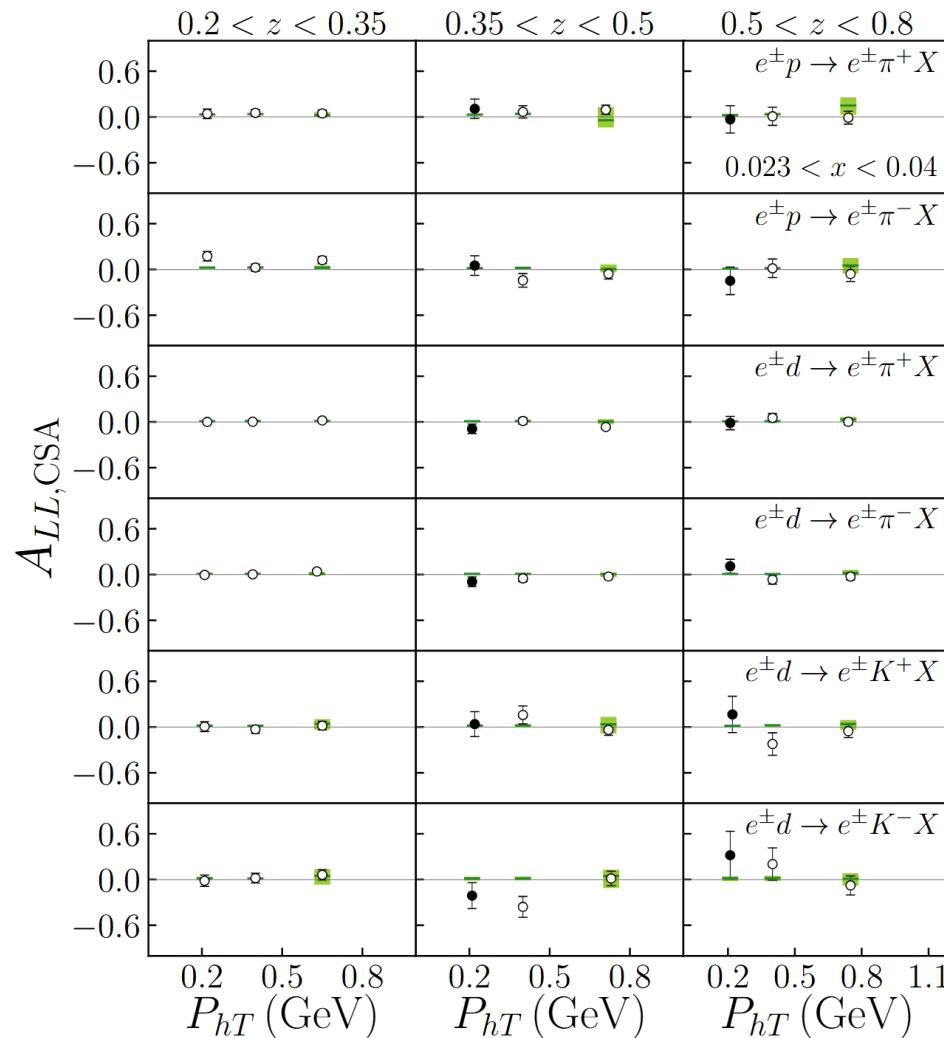
# Summary

- We extracted the TMD helicity functions with error bands from SIDIS data;
- Around the peak of  $x$  dependence, the polarization is concentrated on the low  $k_T$  region, which is consistent with Melosh Wigner rotation;
- At lower  $x$  region, we observe slightly increasing polarization, which imply the rich dynamics of QCD;
- Helicity distribution extracted can also explain  $\cos\phi_h$  modulation data without including them;
- The proposed EicC will enhance the precision of three-dimensional helicity distribution, especially among the range  $x \sim 0.01-0.5$ .

Thank you!

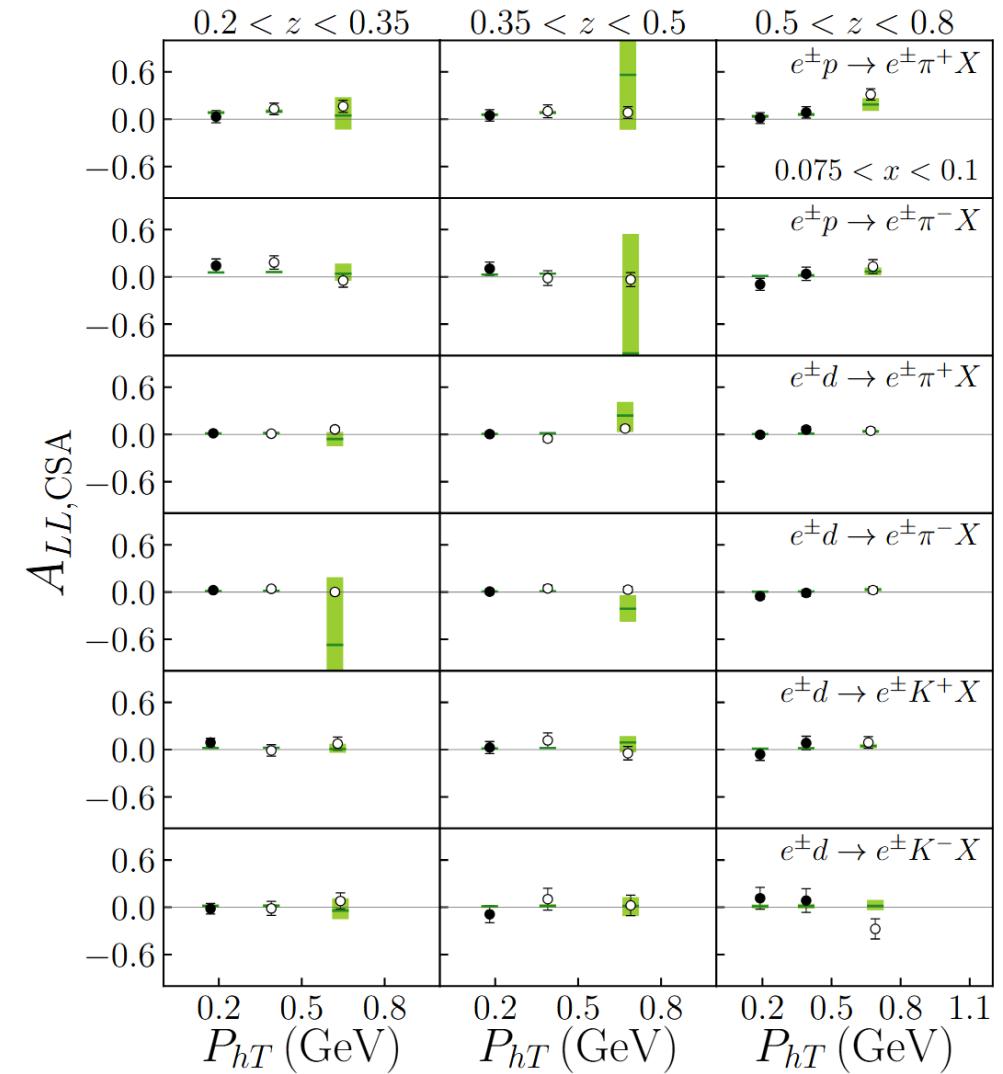
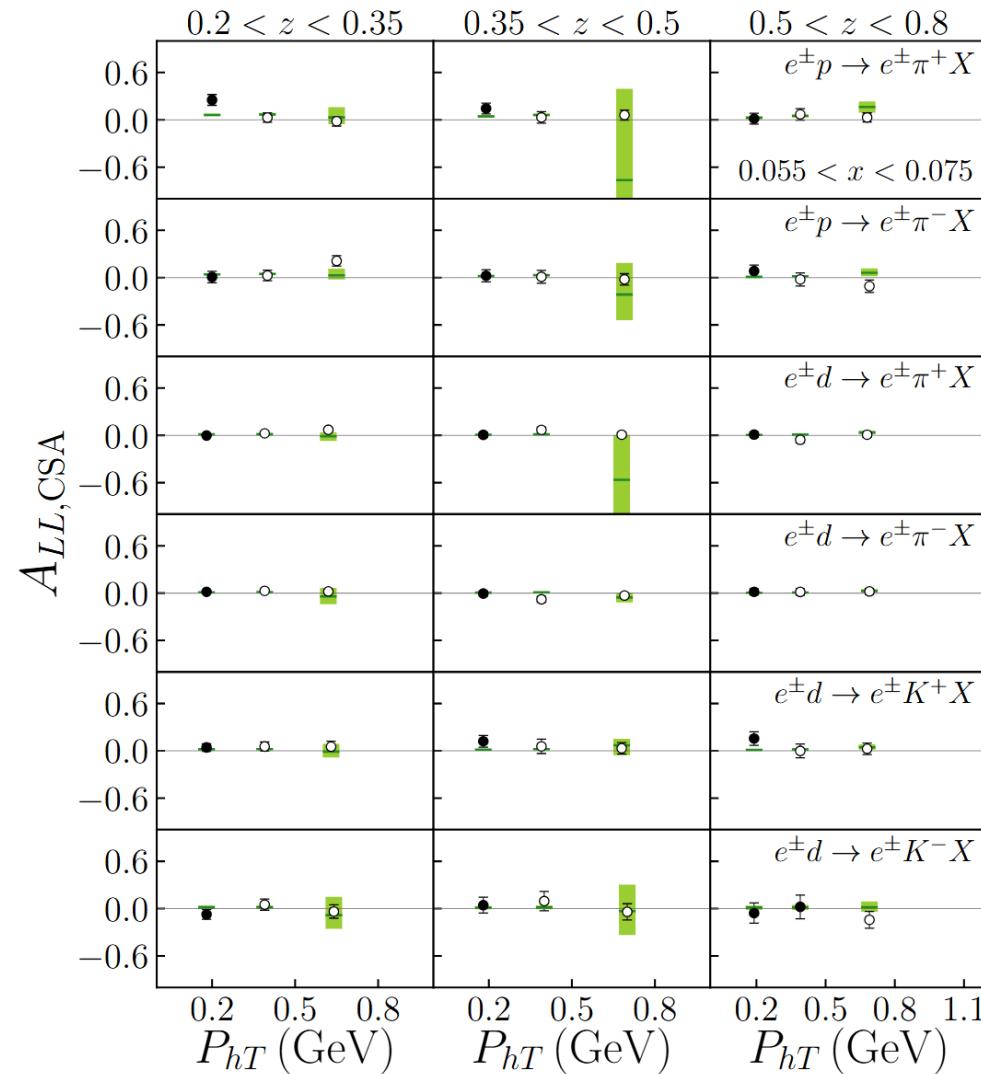
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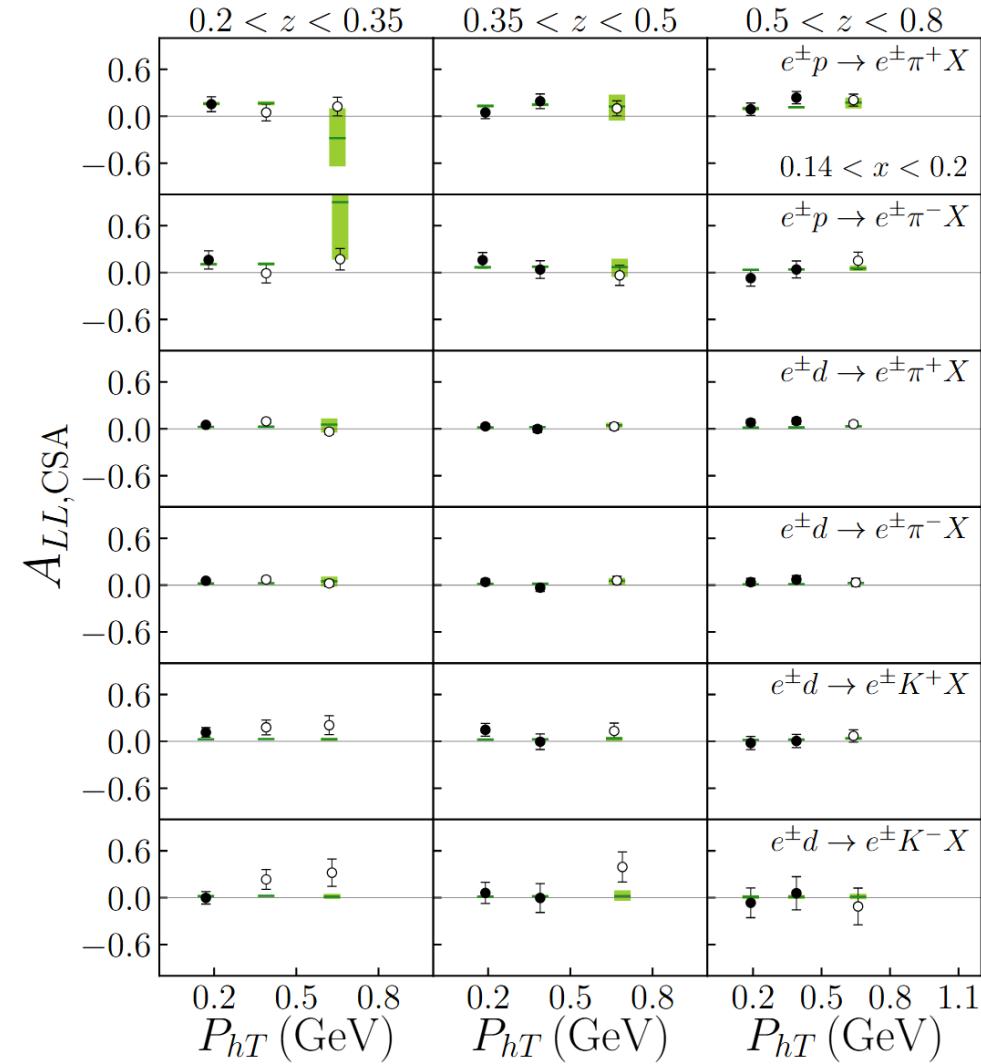
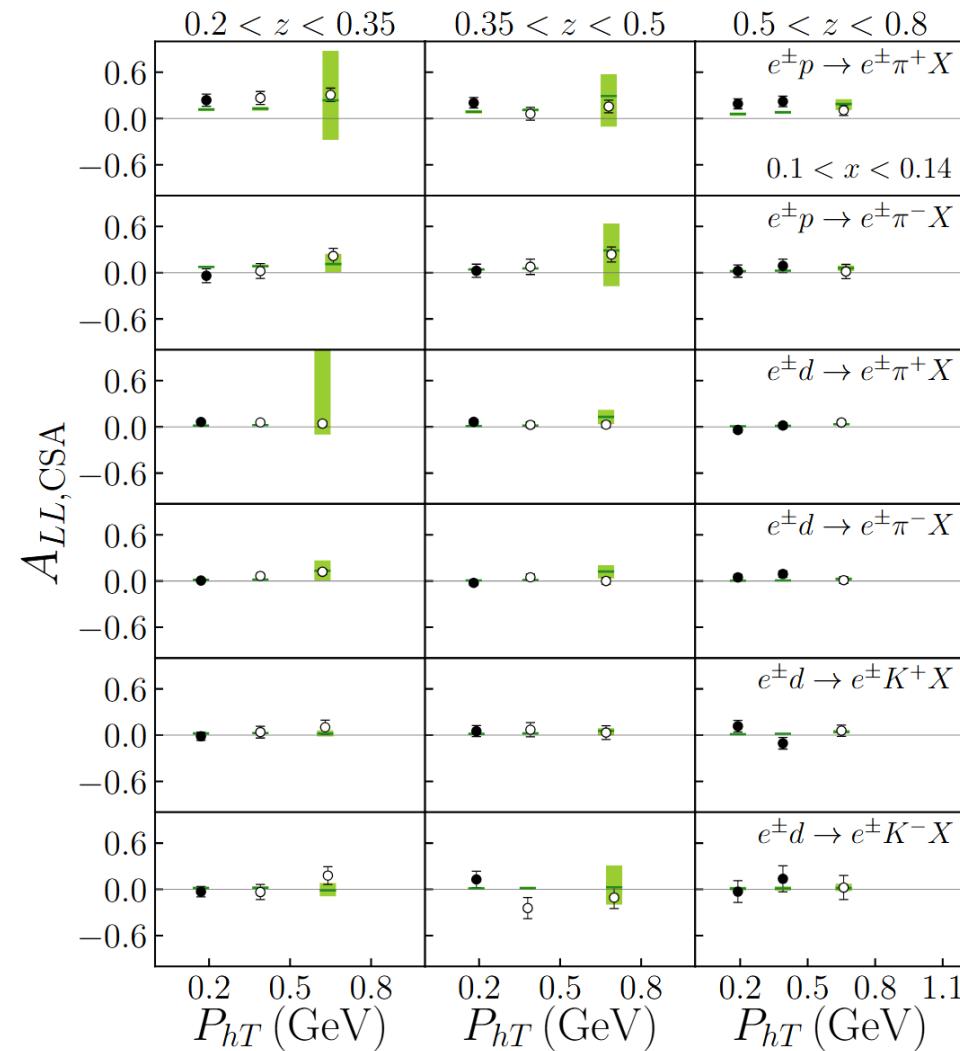
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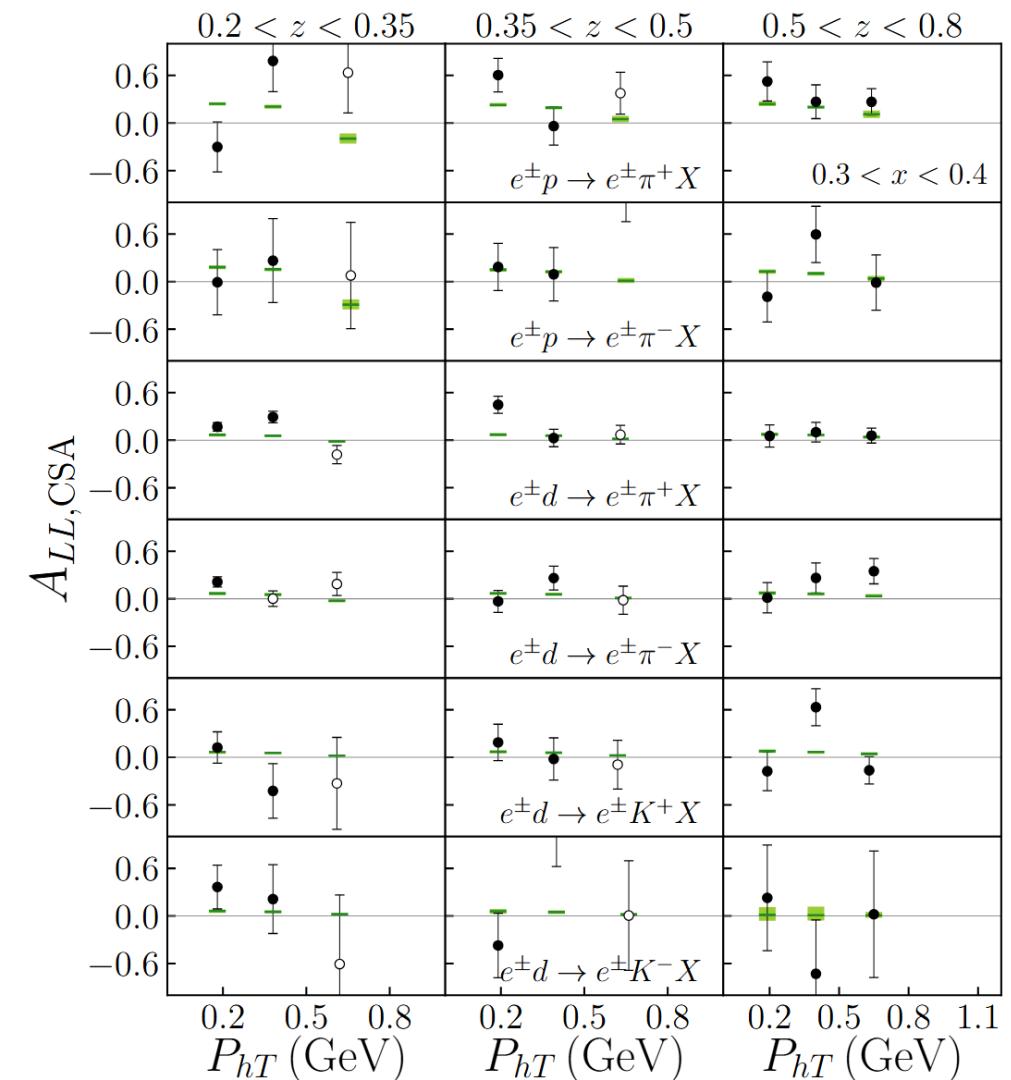
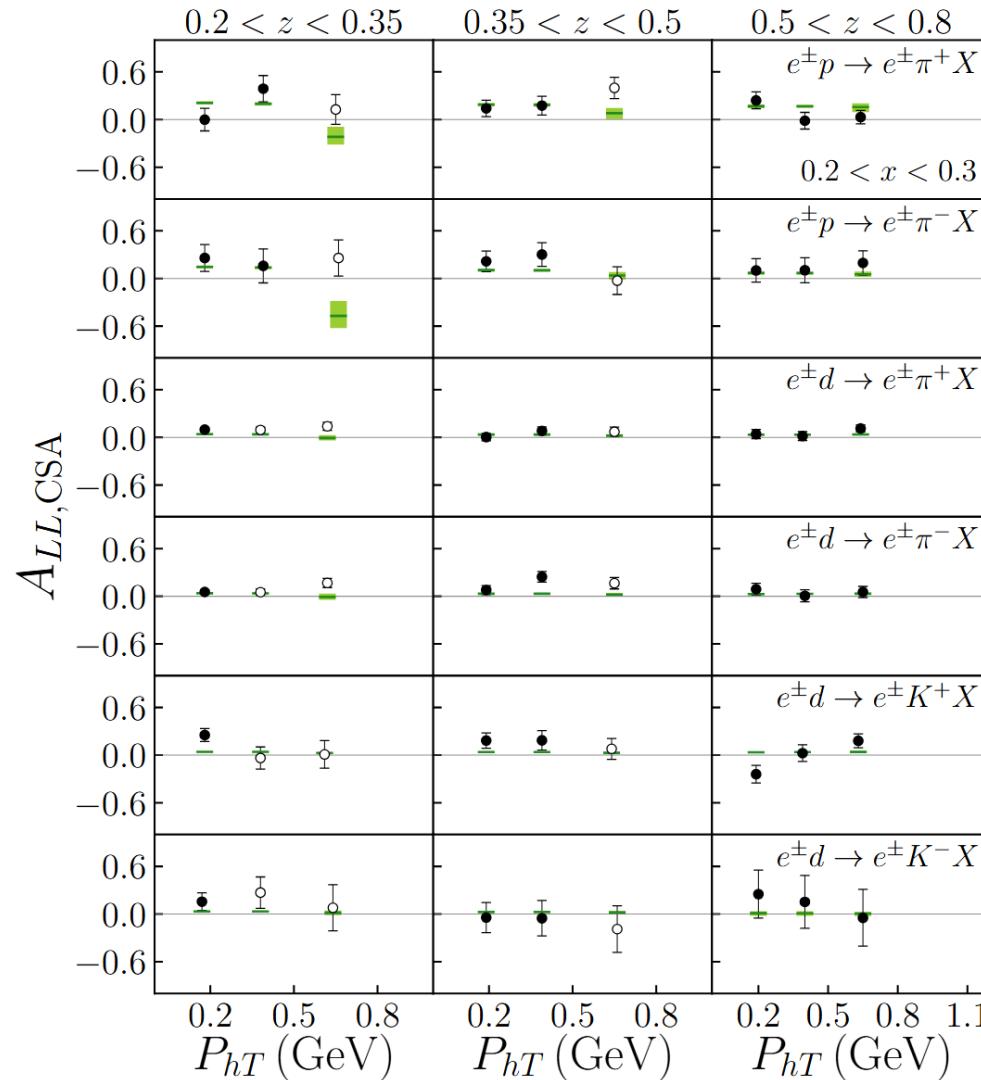
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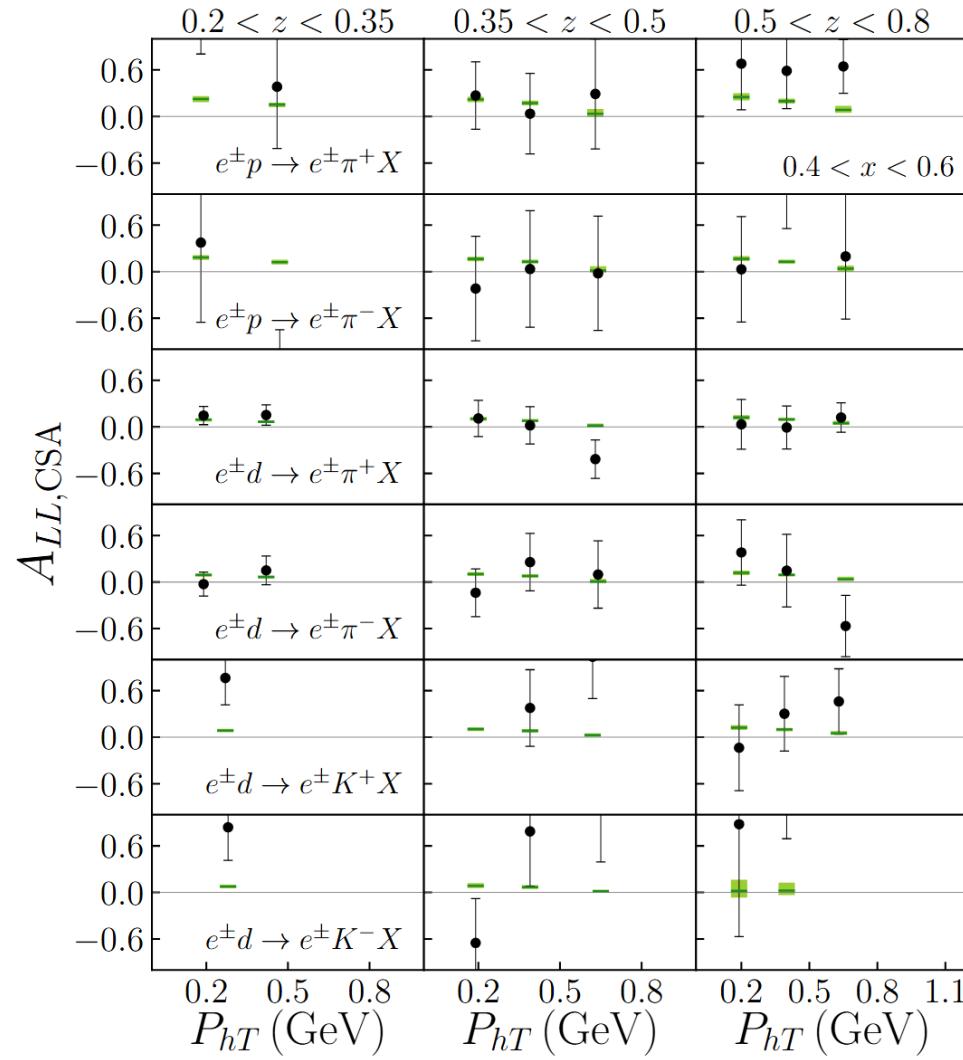
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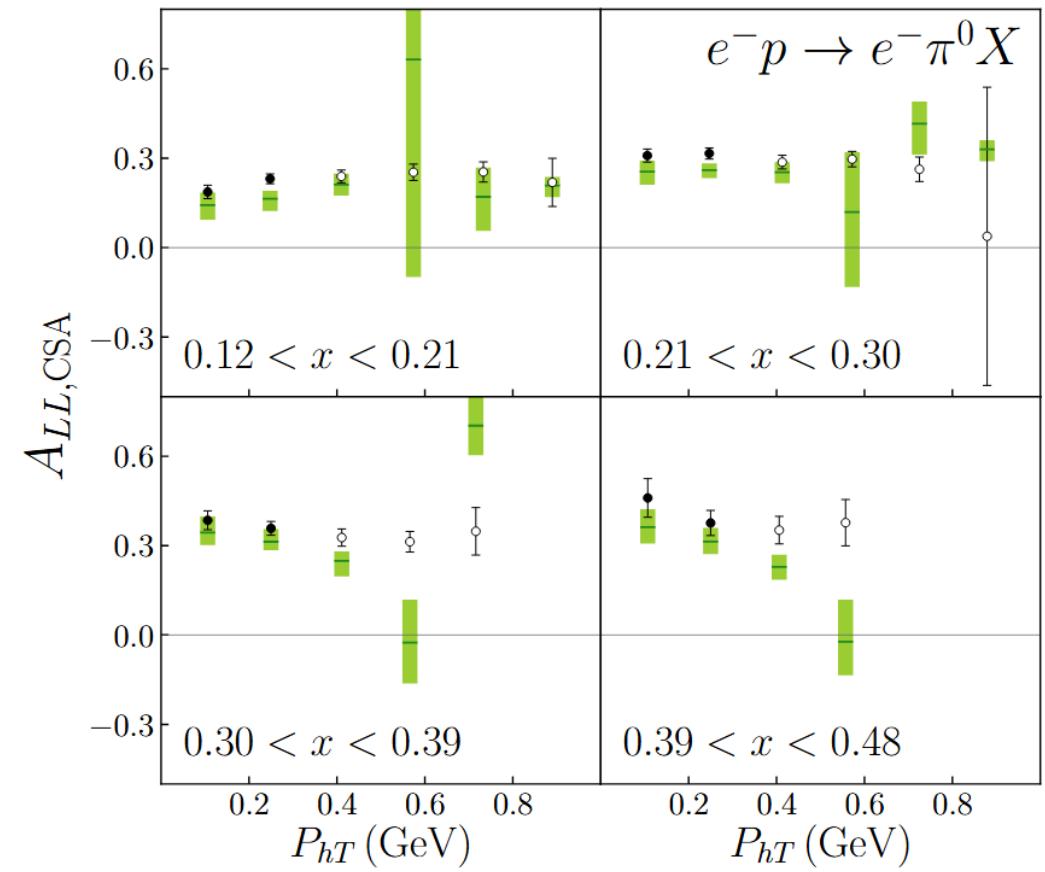


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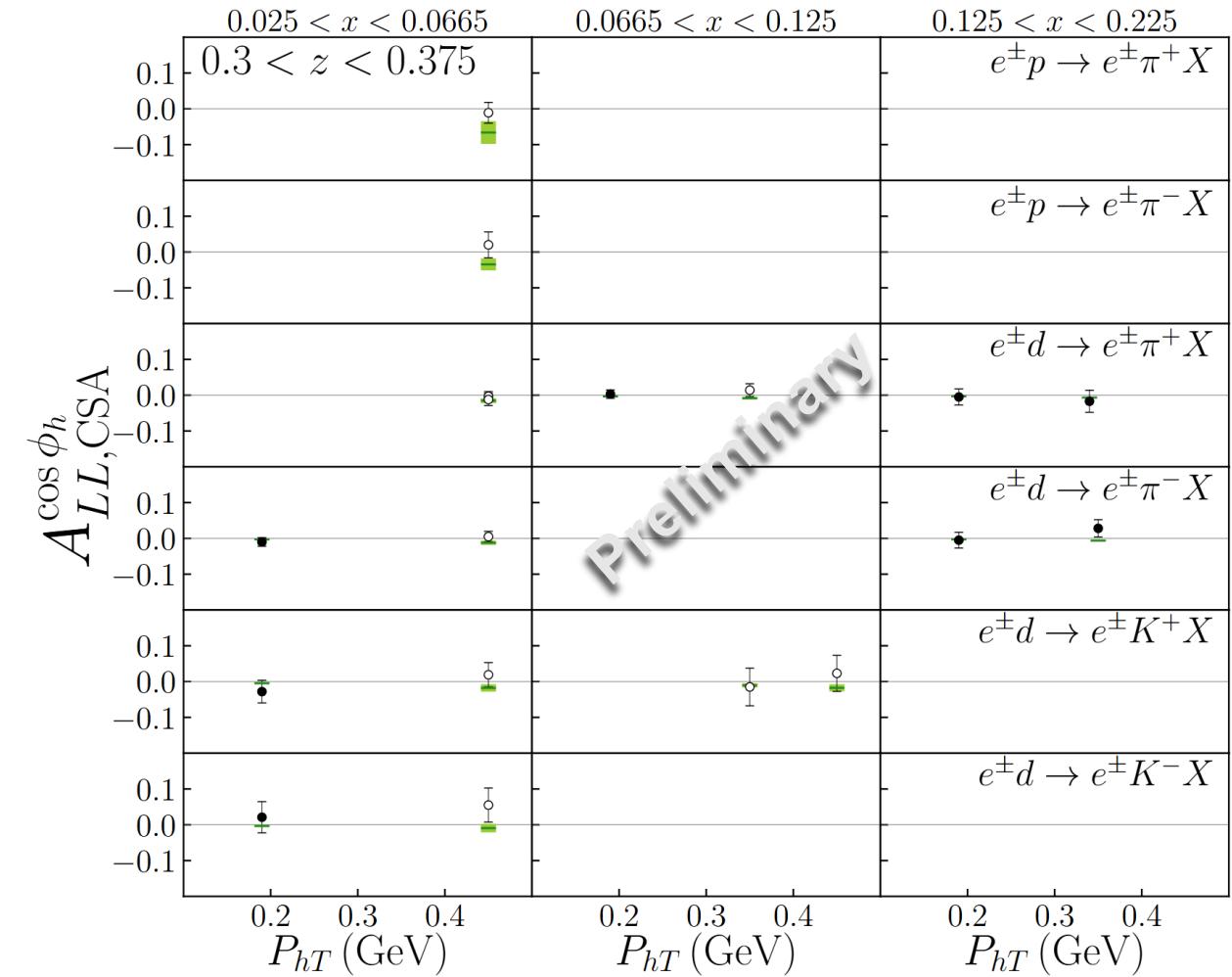
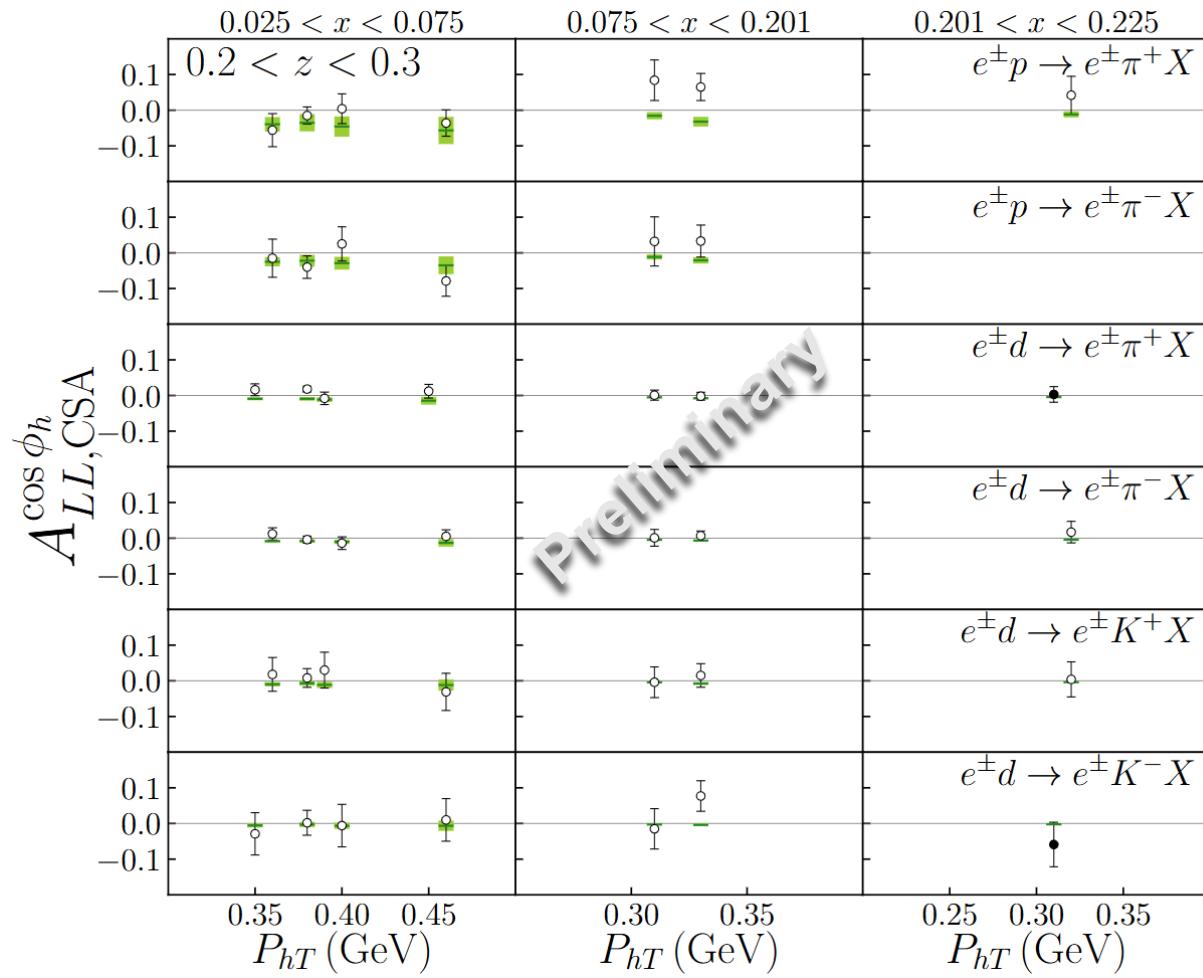


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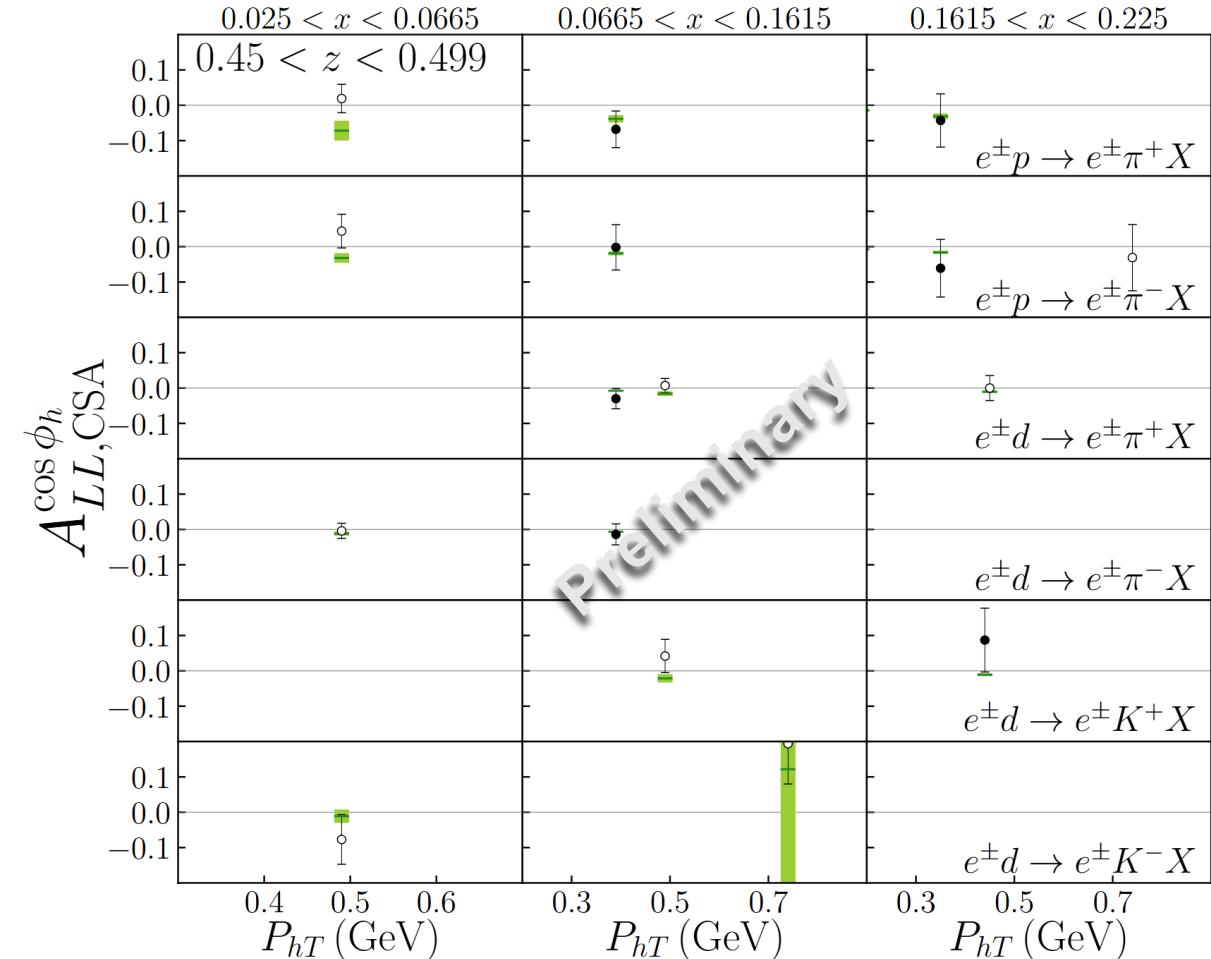
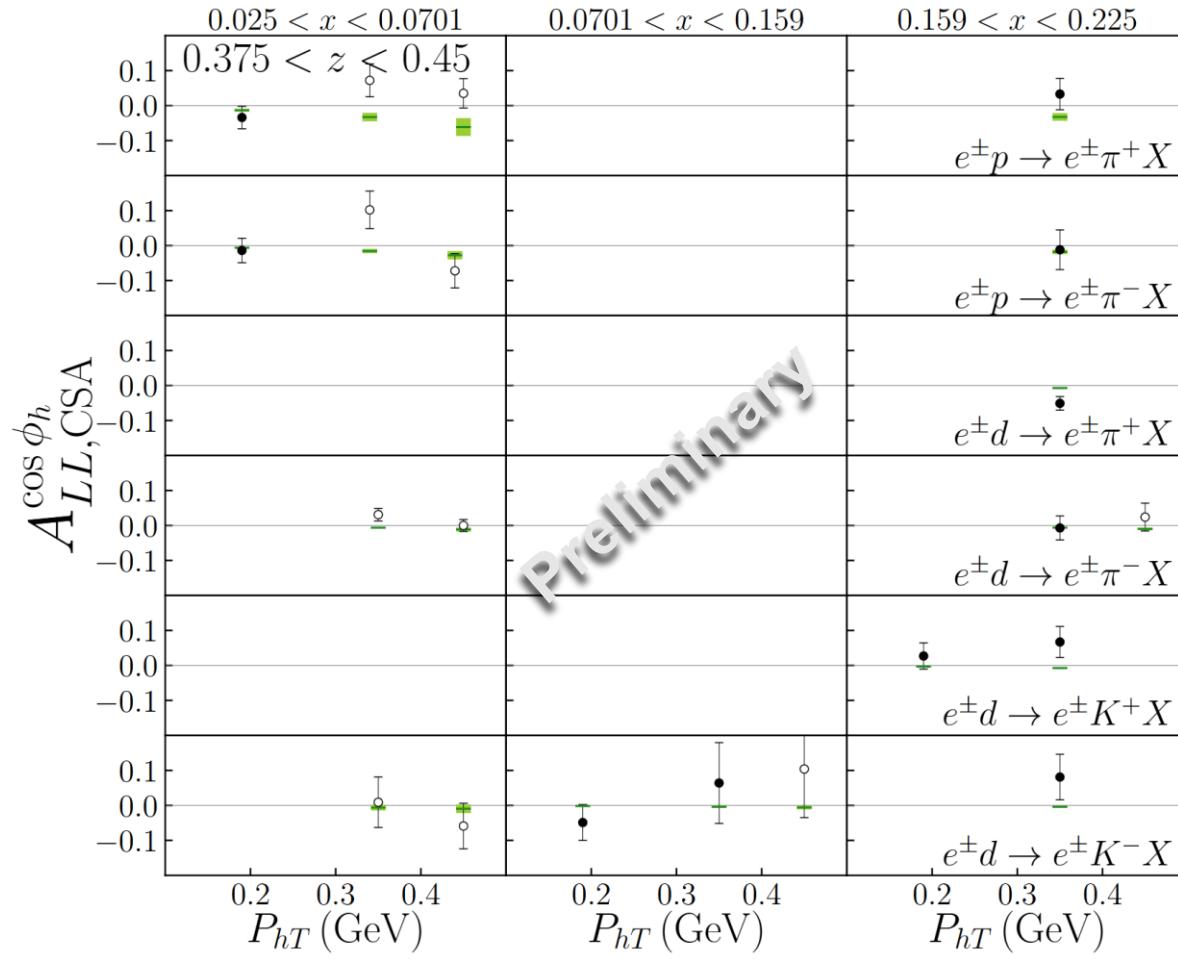
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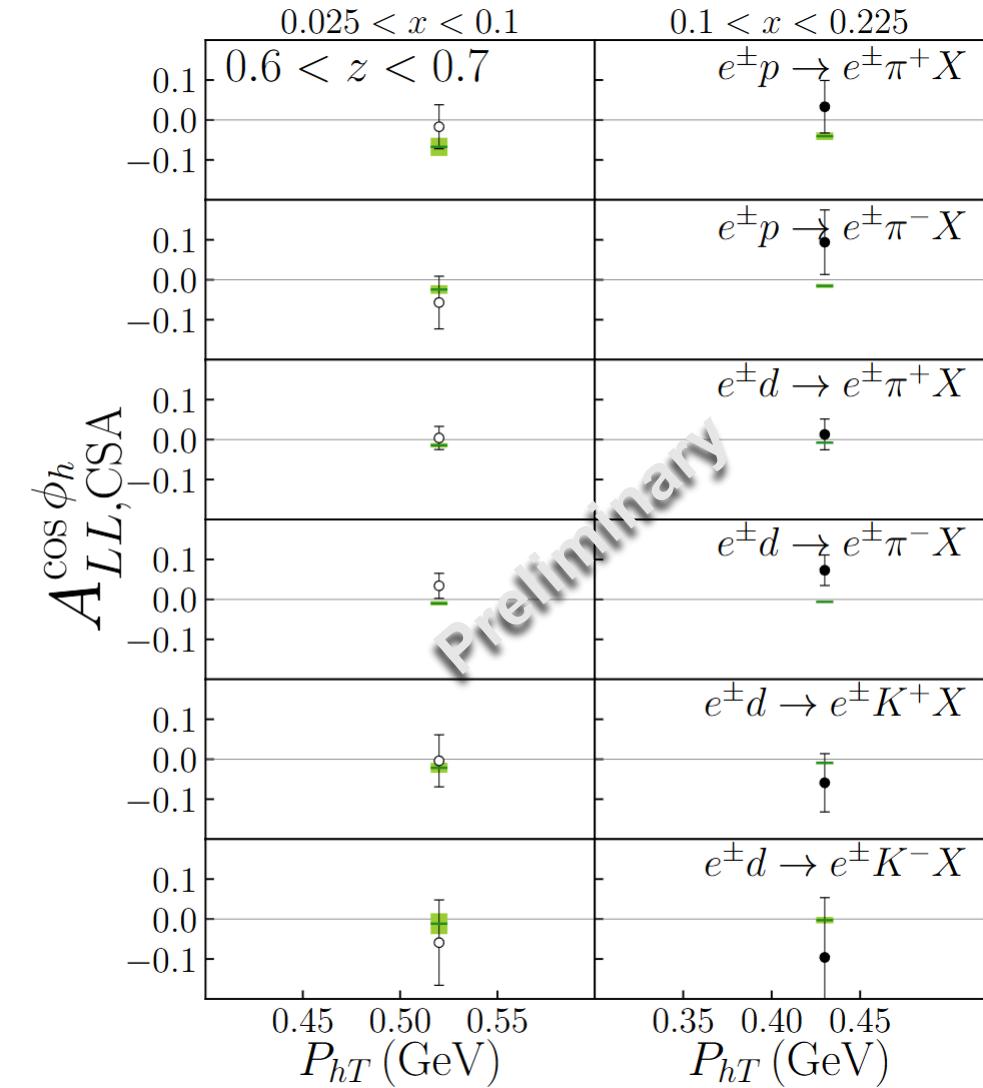
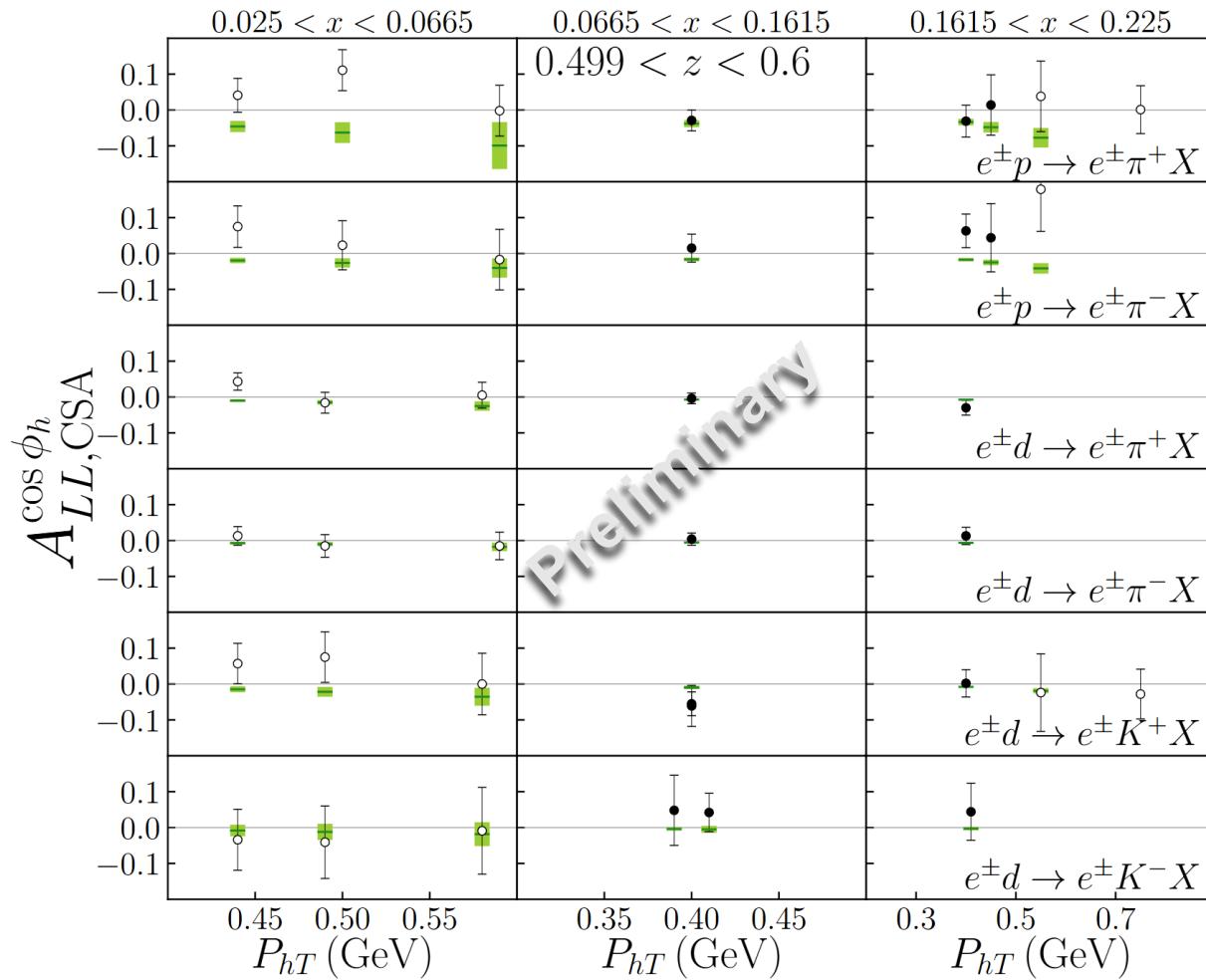
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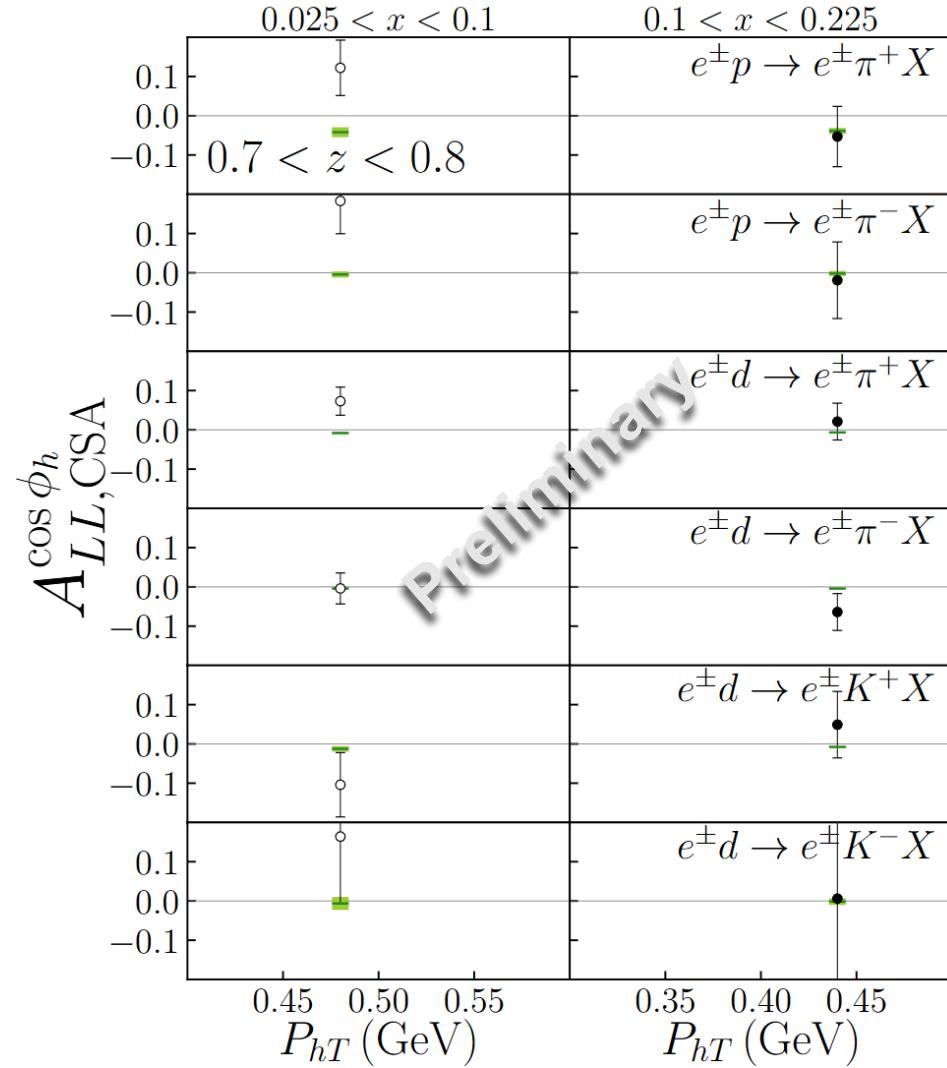
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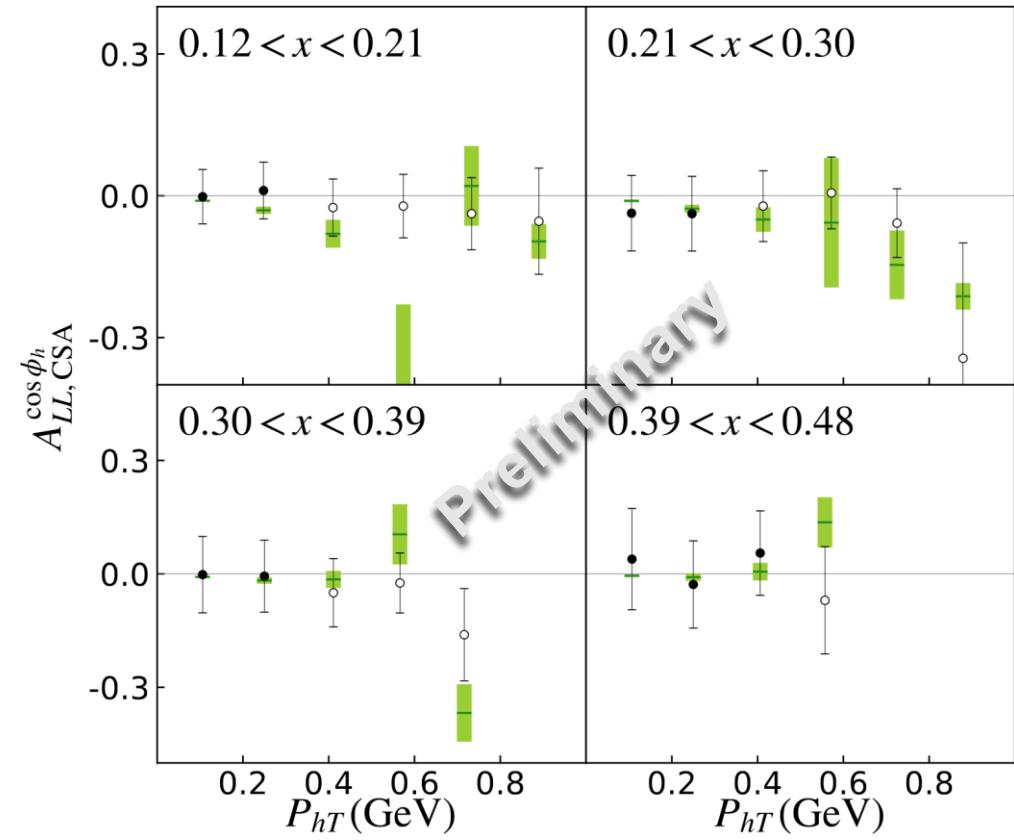


# Backup——Comparison with Data: $\cos\phi_h$ Modulation

HERMES:



CLAS:



# Backup——Energy Evolution

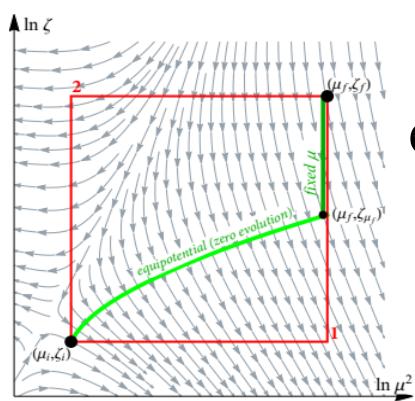
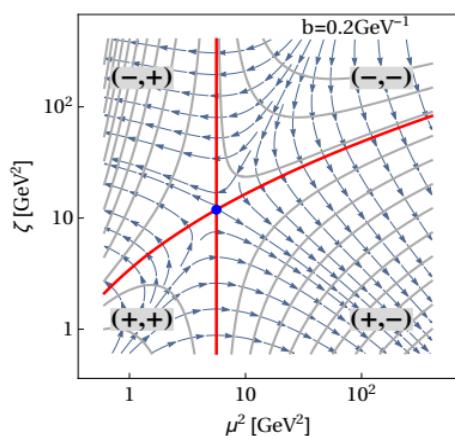
Evolution equation:

$$\mu \frac{d\mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)}{d\mu} = \gamma_\mu(\mu, \zeta) \mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)$$

$$\zeta \frac{d\mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)}{d\zeta} = -\mathcal{D}(\mu, b_T) \mathcal{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)$$

$$F(x, b; \mu_f, \zeta_f) = \exp \left[ \int_P \left( \gamma_F(\mu, \zeta) \frac{d\mu}{\mu} - \mathcal{D}(\mu, b) \frac{d\zeta}{\zeta} \right) \right] F(x, b; \mu_i, \zeta_i)$$

$\zeta$ -prescription:



Saddle point:  $\mathcal{D}(\mu_0, b) = 0, \quad \gamma_F(\mu_0, \zeta_\mu(\mu_0, b)) = 0$

equipotential lines:

$$\frac{d \ln \zeta_\mu(\mu, b)}{d \ln \mu^2} = \frac{\gamma_F(\mu, \zeta_\mu(\mu, b))}{2\mathcal{D}(\mu, b)}$$

$$R[b_T; (\mu_i, \zeta_i) \rightarrow (Q, Q^2)] = \left[ \frac{Q^2}{\zeta_\mu(Q, b_T)} \right]^{-\mathcal{D}(Q, b_T)}$$

# Backup—— $\chi^2$ and Correlative Uncertainties

$\chi^2$  form:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{\text{sets}} \sum_{i,j} (t_i - a_i) V_{ij}^{-1} (t_j - a_j),$$

Covariance matrix:  $V_{ij} = \delta_{ij} (\sigma_i^{\text{uncor.}})^2 + \sigma_i^{\text{cor.}} \sigma_j^{\text{cor.}}$ ,

Correlative uncertainties:  $\sigma_i^{\text{cor.}} = at_i$ .

$a$  is the overall correlative uncertainty factor comes from dilution factors and overall uncertainties of polarization of target and lepton beams.

$$a = \sqrt{\sum_i a_i^2}$$

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Data set      Process      Target      Data points      polarization overall uncertainties      Dilution factor overall uncertainties

HERMES       $e^\pm p \rightarrow e^\pm hX$       H<sub>2</sub>      160      6.6%      0

HERMES       $e^\pm d \rightarrow e^\pm hX$       D<sub>2</sub>      317      5.7%      1.7%

CLAS       $e^- p \rightarrow e^- \pi^0 X$       <sup>14</sup>NH<sub>3</sub>      21      4.5%      5.8%

Total                498

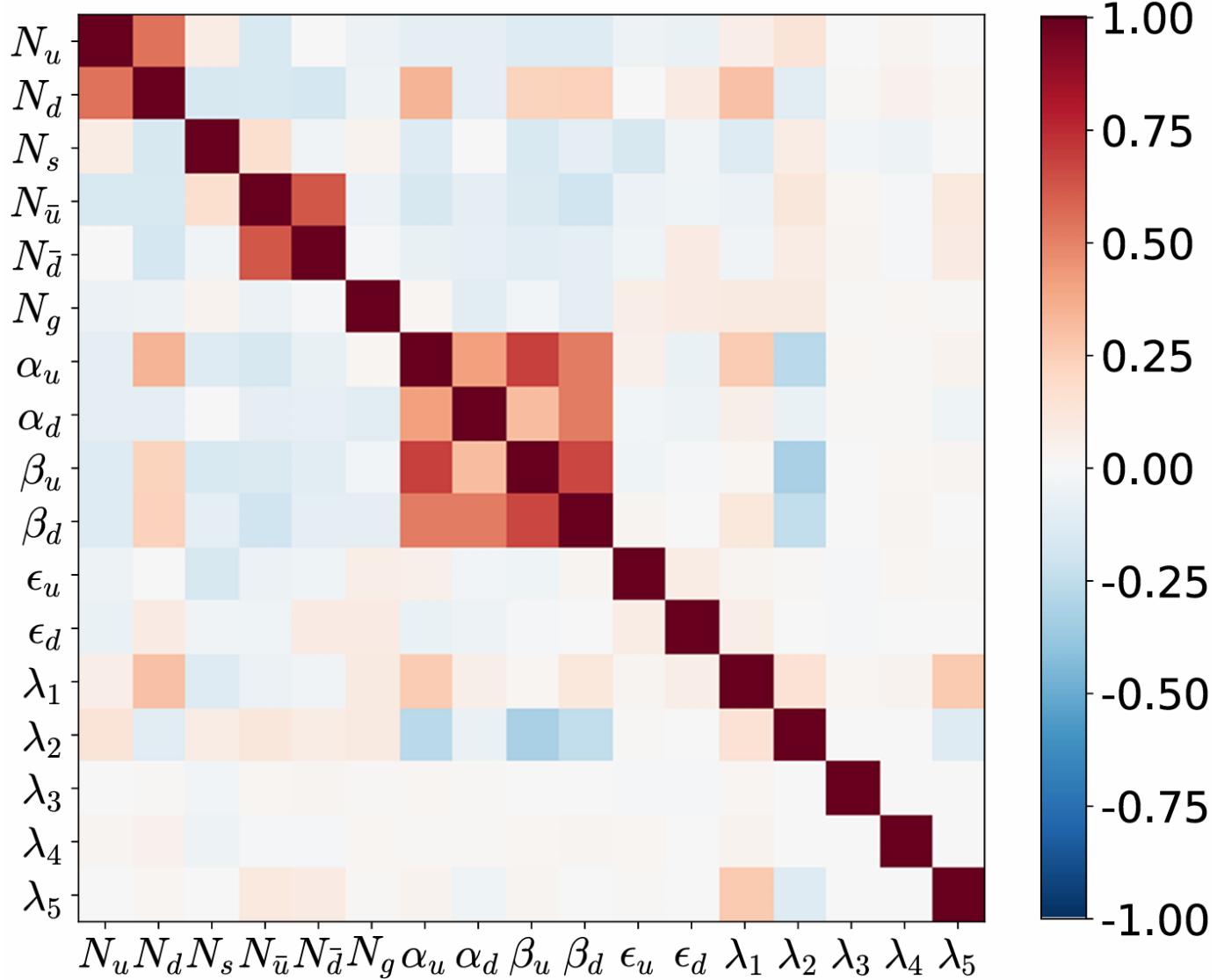
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# Backup——Parameters Results

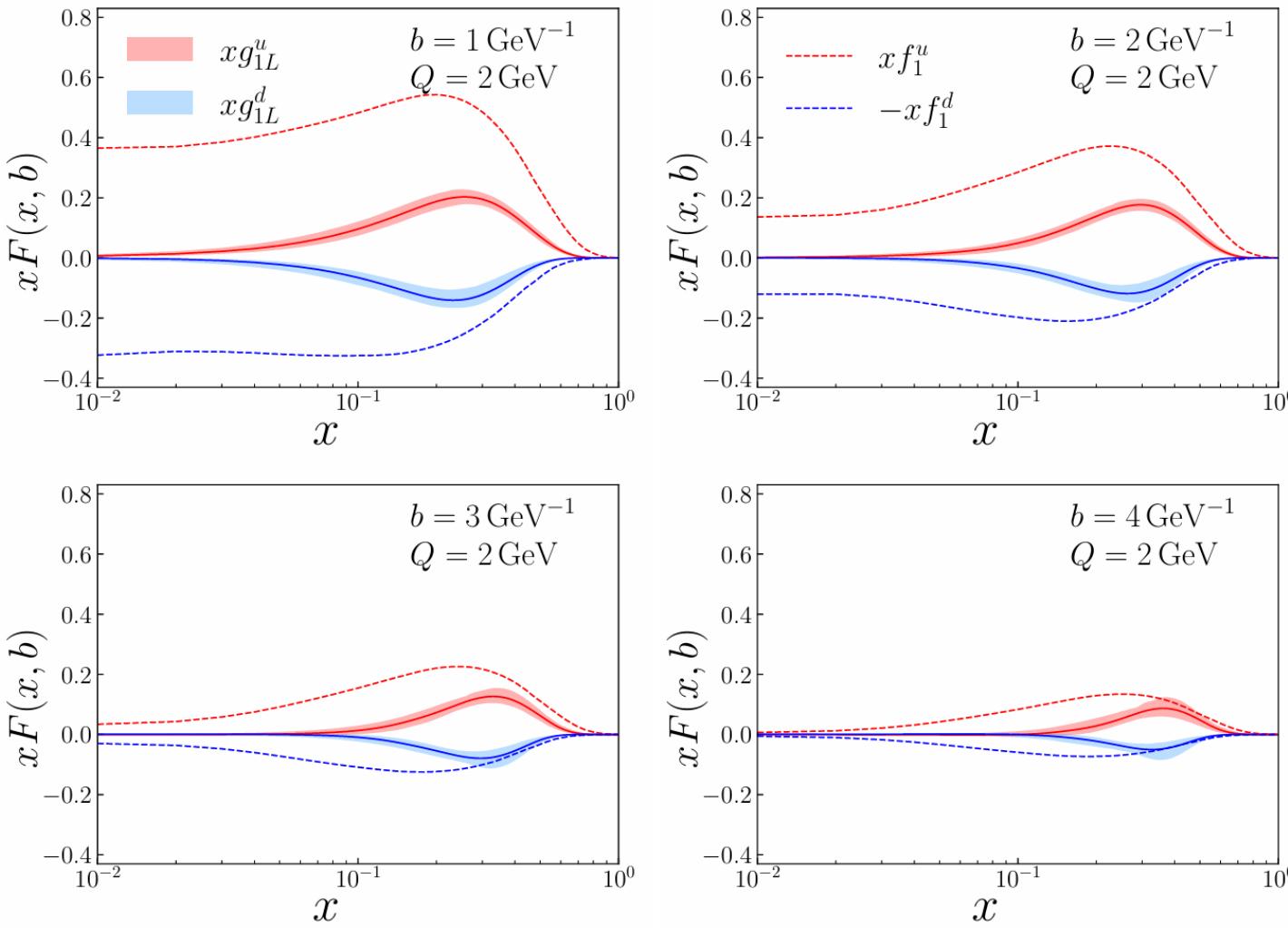
World data fit:

Parameter	Value	Parameter	Value
$N_u$	$0.0223^{+0.0029}_{-0.0024}$	$N_{\bar{u}}$	$-0.008^{+0.092}_{-0.035}$
$N_d$	$0.0353^{+0.0051}_{-0.0088}$	$N_{\bar{d}}$	$0.006^{+0.032}_{-0.011}$
$N_s$	$-0.022^{+0.043}_{-0.043}$	$N_g$	$0.0220^{+0.0081}_{-0.0706}$
$\alpha_u$	$2.78^{+0.45}_{-0.72}$	$\alpha_d$	$4.28^{+0.38}_{-0.76}$
$\beta_u$	$0.145^{+0.041}_{-0.194}$	$\beta_d$	$1.16^{+0.14}_{-0.40}$
$\epsilon_u$	$7.4^{+2.3}_{-4.5}$	$\epsilon_d$	$-0.59^{+0.18}_{-0.20}$
$\lambda_1$	$0.240^{+0.062}_{-0.134}$	$\lambda_2$	$0.39^{+0.13}_{-0.33}$
$\lambda_3$	$0.92^{+12.17}_{-0.92}$	$\lambda_4$	$7.50^{+2.29}_{-0.78}$
$\lambda_5$	$-1.11^{+0.87}_{-0.50}$		

# Backup——Parameters Correlation



# Backup——Positivity Bound



Positivity bound:  
 $|g_{1L}(x, k_T)| < f_1(x, k_T)$ .

The positivity bound comes from probabilistic interpretation of parton distribution, however, *should not* be imposed during fitting procedure, which will result in results with bias.

We examine our result and no bound breaking is observed with the consideration of uncertainties.

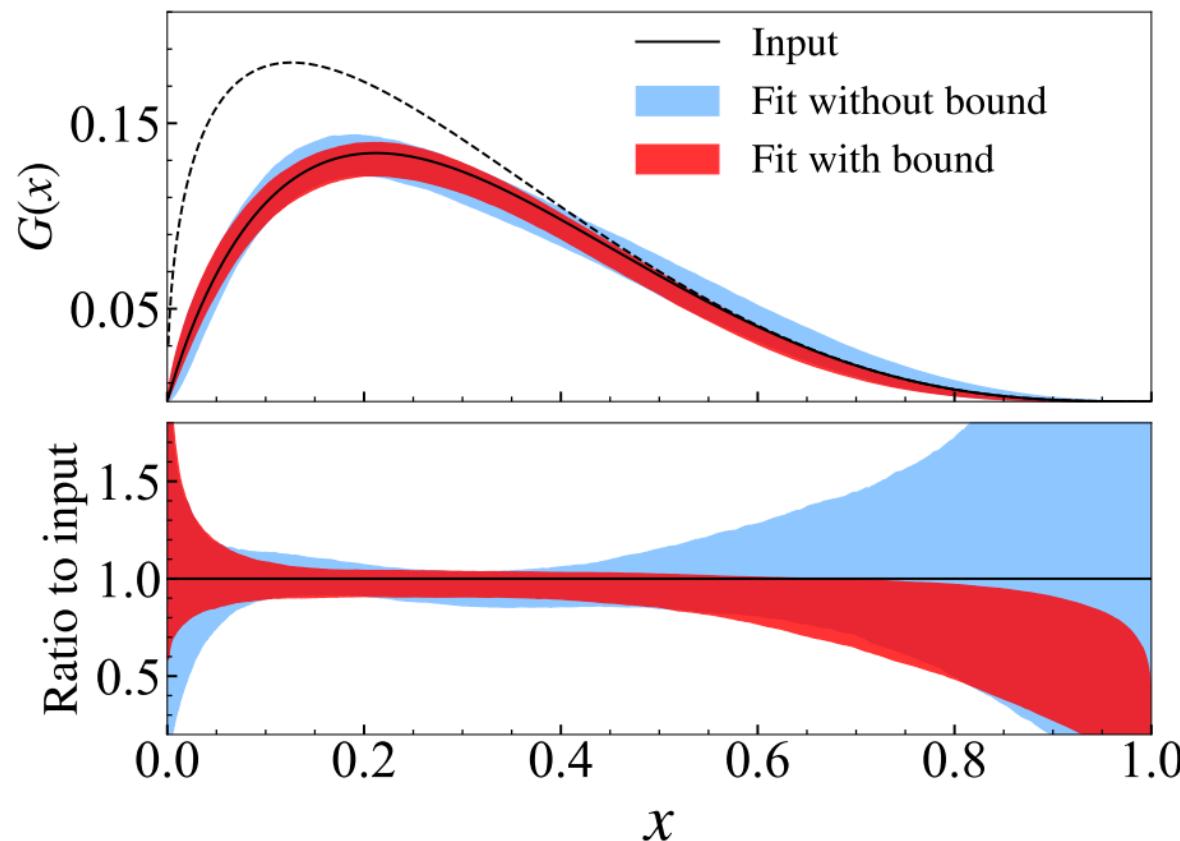
# Backup——Positivity Bound: Toy Model Test

Toy model set:

$$F(x) = x^{0.5}(1-x)^3(1-\sqrt{x}+x),$$

$$G(x) = 2x(1-x)^3(1-\sqrt{x}+0.5x),$$

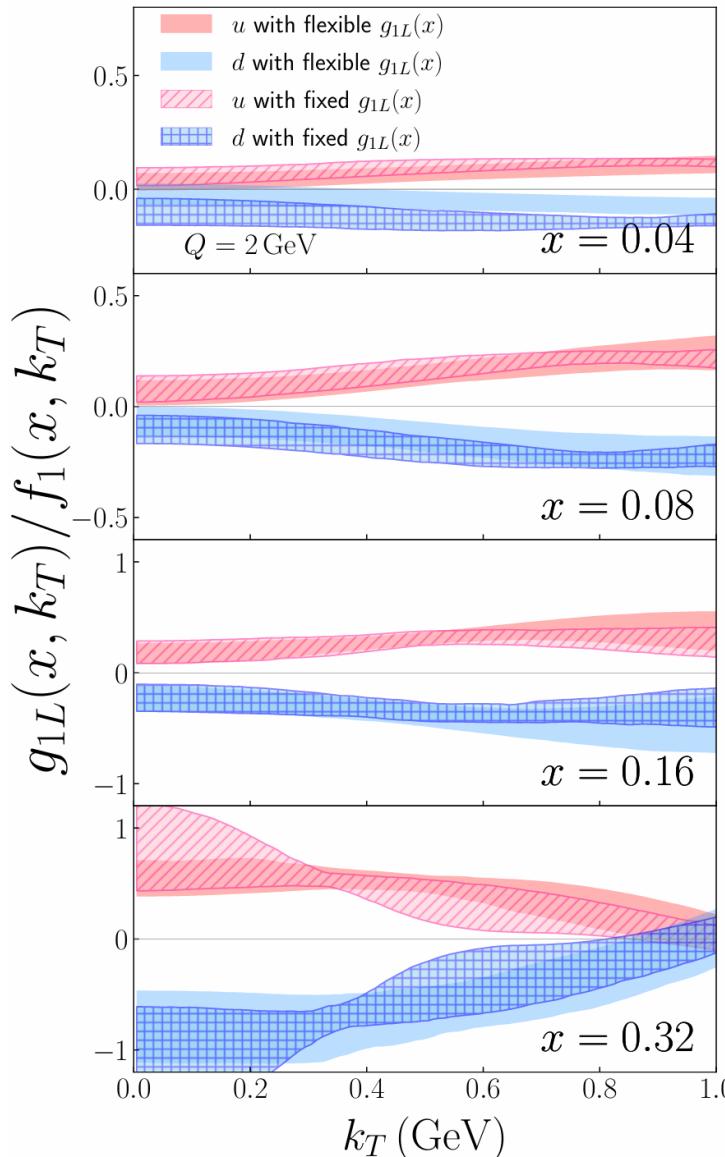
$$G(x) < F(x)$$



We generate asymmetry  $G(x)/F(x)$  in 15 bins as pseudo-data, with a background disturbance  $B(x)$ . We compare the extracted  $G(x)$  from the pseudo-data with and without the application of the positive constraint.

**It was found that imposing the bound during the fitting procedure introduced a bias.**

# Backup——Fit with Fixed $x$ dependent



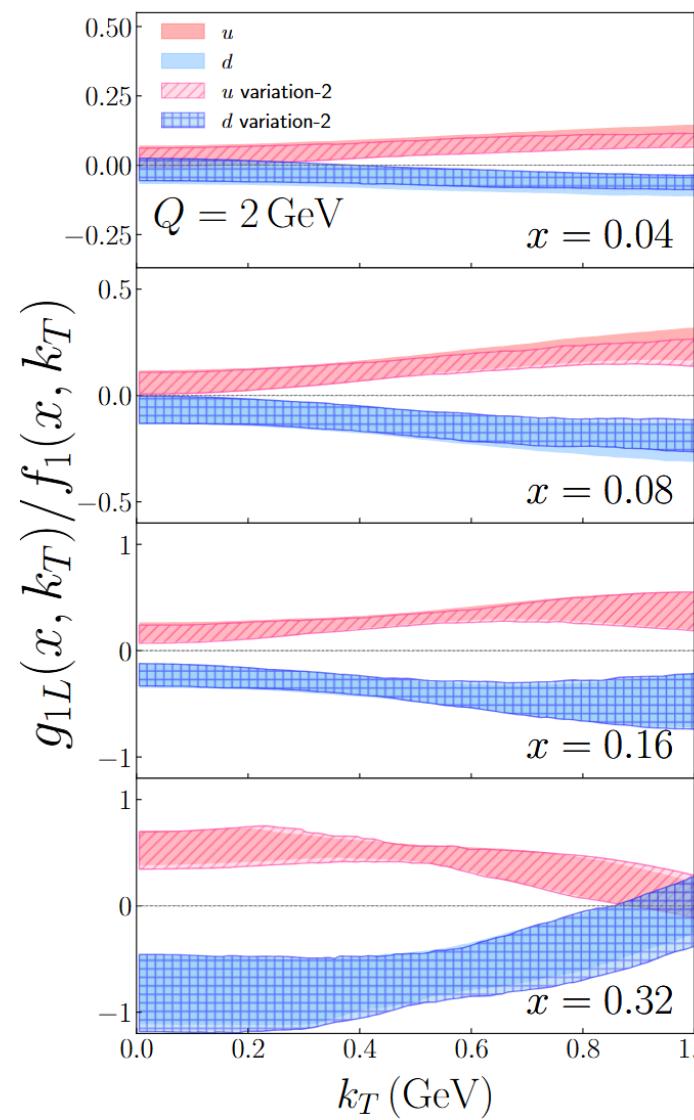
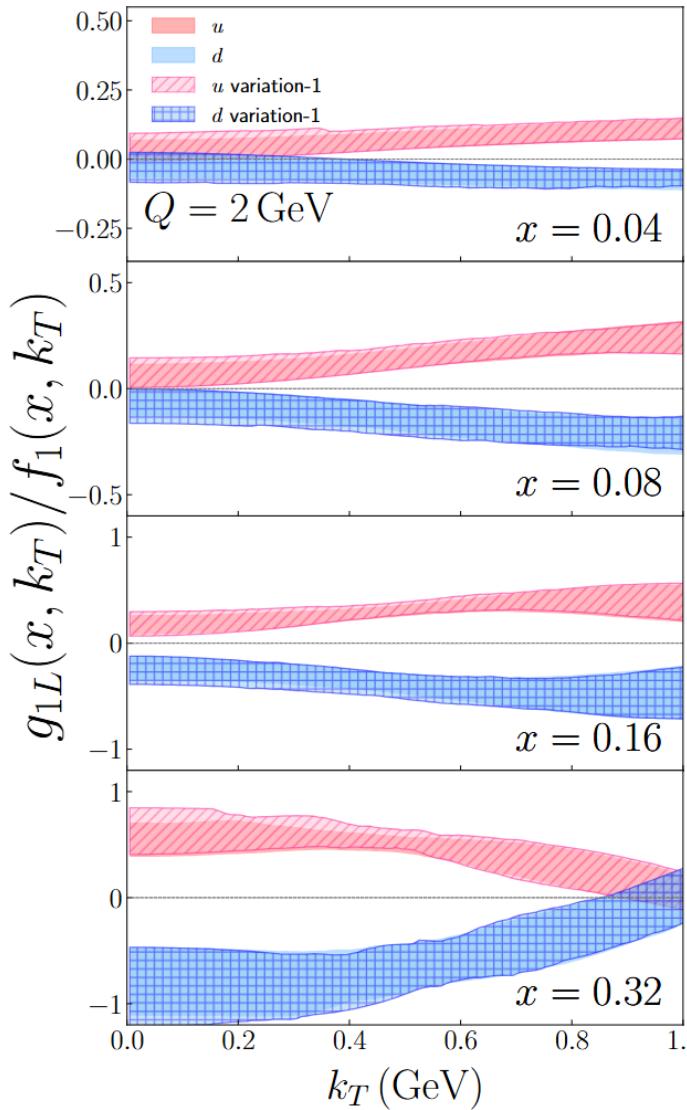
The collinear helicity distribution input with  $x$ -shape modification:

$$g_{1L}^f(x, \mu_{\text{OPE}}) = N_f \frac{(1-x)^{\alpha_f} x^{\beta_f} (1+\varepsilon_f x)}{n(\alpha_f, \beta_f, \varepsilon_f)} g_1^f(x, \mu_{\text{OPE}})$$

By setting  $\alpha, \beta, \varepsilon = 0$ , one can remove  $x$ -shape modification.

The results show consistency within current uncertainties.

# Backup—Fit with variation of TMD FFs



We vary the DSS FF input to a larger value as variation 1 and to a smaller value as variation 2.

It turns out that the quark polarizations

$$\frac{g_{1L}(x, k_T^2)}{f_1(x, k_T^2)} = \frac{q_\uparrow(x, k_T^2) - q_\downarrow(x, k_T^2)}{q_\uparrow(x, k_T^2) + q_\downarrow(x, k_T^2)}$$

are *not sensitive* to the FF input.