# Overview of Spin Physics Program at JLab

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- The Standard Model of subatomic physics
- How does nucleon spin study fit in
- Inclusive spin physics program at JLab
  - +low Q<sup>2</sup> spin physics and results from the past year
  - high x spin physics and upcoming experiments
- Summary and outlook



#### The Beauty of Physics - From Leptons and Quarks to the Cosmos



# The Standard Model



(1) the elementary fermions - quarks and leptons

(2) the symmetries + gauge invariance

- (3) the origin of masses

#### **Standard Model of Elementary Particles**





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#### Success of QCD - but only in the perturbative regime



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Success and Challenges - Hadronic Structure Study and QCD

- DIS established the existence of quarks
- QCD can successfully explain asymptotic freedom, and perturbative calculations explain well the Q<sup>2</sup>-evolution of structure functions
- But we do not know or understand:
  - > how confinement arises from QCD Lagrangian, quantitatively this is a serious problem, are quarks even real?
  - > the mechanism of chiral symmetry breaking
  - > the nature of the QCD vacuum and to explain it theoretically (the strong CP problem?)
  - > how to calculate/predict the value of form factors or structure functions



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- We do not yet know how to explain nonperturbative phenomena → We should boldly claim that we are still missing 1/6 of the Standard Model!



# Nucleon Spin Structure from Polarized Inclusive DIS

Scattering cross section is spin-dependent



in QPM and the infinite momentum frame:

$$g_{1}(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum e_{i}^{2} [q_{i}^{\uparrow}(x) - q_{i}^{\downarrow}(x)] = \frac{1}{2} \sum e_{i}^{2} [\Delta q_{i}(x)]$$

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# How does Nucleon Spin Physics Contribute to QCD/Strong Interaction Study? - Theoretical Aspect

- To understand the compositeness how do partons form the nucleon spin? the proton spin crisis/puzzle
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focus of this talk



## (Some) Moments and Sum Rules

- Quark spin contribution to the nucleon spin:  $\sum_{f} \Delta q_{f}$
- Bjorken Sum Rule: (current algebra, isospin symmetry)

$$\int (g_1^p - g_1^n) dx = \frac{1}{6} g_A \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha_s(Q^2)}{\pi} + ... \right) + \text{non-pertubative corrections (higher twist)}$$

GDH Sum Rule (real photon):  
(unitarity)  

$$\int_{v_{th}}^{\infty} (\sigma^{1/2} - \sigma^{3/2}) \frac{dv}{v} = -\frac{2\alpha\pi^{2}\kappa^{2}}{M^{2}}$$

GDH Sum Rule (virtual photon): spin dependent DDVCS amplitude

$$\frac{16\,\alpha\,\pi^2}{Q^2} \int_0^1 g_1 dx = 2\,\alpha\,\pi^2 S_1 \quad \longrightarrow \quad -\frac{2\,\alpha\,\pi^2\,\kappa^2}{M^2}$$

low-to-intermediate Q<sup>2</sup>: chiral PT, OPE



#### Higher Moments - Spin Polarizabilities

Generalized forward spin polarizability:

$$\gamma_{0} = \frac{16 \alpha M^{2}}{\pi Q^{6}} \int_{0}^{x_{0}} x^{2} \left[ g_{1} - \frac{4 M^{2}}{Q^{2}} x^{2} g_{2} \right] dx$$

Longitudinal-Transverse polarizability:

$$\delta_{\rm LT} = \frac{16 \,\alpha \, M^2}{\pi \, Q^6} \int_0^{x_0} x^2 \big[ g_1 + g_2 \big] dx$$

• Twist-3 term  $d_2$ :

$$d_{2}(Q^{2}) = \int_{0}^{1} x^{2} \Big[ 2g_{1}(x,Q^{2}) + 3g_{2}(x,Q^{2}) \Big] dx = 3 \int_{0}^{1} x^{2} \Big[ g_{2}(x,Q^{2}) - g_{2}^{WW}(x,Q^{2}) \Big] dx$$

Calculations exist or possible from lattice QCD, Dyson-Schwinger Equations, or Chiral PT



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JLab's focus is high precision and low to intermediate Q<sup>2</sup> values

	Experiment	Ref.	Target	Analysis	$W \; ({\rm GeV})$	$x_{Bj}$	$Q^2 ~({\rm GeV^2})$
	E80 (SLAC)	[101]	р	$A_1$	2.1  to  2.6	0.2 to 0.33	1.4  to  2.7
n	E130 (SLAC)	[102]	р	$A_1$	2.1  to  4.0	0.1 to 0.5	1.0 to 4.1
	EMC (CERN)	[103]	р	$A_1$	5.9 to 15.2	$1.5 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.47$	3.5 to 29.5
	SMC (CERN)	[250]	p, d	$A_1$	7.7 to 16.1	$10^{-4}$ to 0.482	0.02 to $57$
	E142 (SLAC)	[244]	<sup>3</sup> He	$A_1, A_2$	2.7  to  5.5	$3.6 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.47$	1.1 to 5.5
	E143 (SLAC)	[245]	p, d	$A_1, A_2$	1.1  to  6.4	$3.1 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.75$	0.45 to 9.5
	E154 (SLAC)	[246, 247]	<sup>3</sup> He	$A_1, A_2$	3.5  to  8.4	$1.7 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.57$	1.2 to 15.0
	E155/x (SLAC)	[248, 249]	p, d	$A_1, A_2$	3.5  to  9.0	$1.5 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.75$	1.2 to 34.7
	HERMES (DESY)	[253, 254]	p, <sup>3</sup> He	$A_1$	2.1  to  6.2	$2.1 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.85$	0.8 to 20
	E94010 (JLab)	[256]	<sup>3</sup> He	$g_1, g_2$	1.0 to 2.4	$1.9 \times 10^{-2}$ to 1.0	0.019 to 1.2
	EG1a (JLab)	[257]	p, d	$A_1$	1.0  to  2.1	$5.9 \times 10^{-2}$ to 1.0	0.15 to 1.8
	RSS (JLab)	[258, 259]	p, d	$A_1, A_2$	1.0 to 1.9	0.3 to 1.0	0.8 to 1.4
5	COMPASS	[251]	p, d	$A_1$	7.0 to 15.5	$4.6 \times 10^{-3}$ to $0.6$	1.1 to 62.1
	(CERN) DIS						
	COMPASS	[280]	p, d	$A_1$	5.2  to  19.1	$4 \times 10^{-5}$ to $4 \times 10^{-2}$	0.001 to 1.
	(CERN) low- $Q^2$						
	EG1b (JLab)	[260, 261,	p, d	$A_1$	1.0 to 3.1	$2.5 \times 10^{-2}$ to 1.0	0.05 to $4.2$
		262, 263]					
	E99-117 (JLab)	[264]	<sup>3</sup> He	$A_1, A_2$	2.0  to  2.5	0.33 to 0.60	2.7  to  4.8
	E99-107 (JLab)	[265]	<sup>3</sup> He	$g_1,  g_2$	2.0  to  2.5	0.16 to 0.20	0.57 to $1.34$
	E01-012 (JLab)	[266, 267]	<sup>3</sup> He	$g_1, g_2$	1.0 to 1.8	0.33 to 1.0	1.2 to 3.3
	E97-110 (JLab)	[268]	<sup>3</sup> He	$g_1, g_2$	1.0 to 2.6	$2.8 \times 10^{-3}$ to 1.0	0.006 to $0.3$
	EG4 (JLab)	[269]	p, n	$g_1$	1.0  to  2.4	$7.0 \times 10^{-3}$ to 1.0	0.003 to $0.84$
	SANE (JLab)	[271]	р	$A_1, A_2$	1.4  to  2.8	0.3 to 0.85	2.5 to 6.5
	EG1dvcs (JLab)	[270]	р	$A_1$	1.0 to 3.1	$6.9 \times 10^{-2}$ to $0.63$	0.61  to  5.8
	E06-014 (JLab)	[272, 273]	<sup>3</sup> He	$g_1, g_2$	1.0 to 2.9	0.25 to 1.0	1.9 to 6.9
	E06-010/011	[278]	$^{3}\mathrm{He}$	single	2.4 to $2.9$	0.16 to $0.35$	1.4  to  2.7
	(JLab)			spin asy.			
	E07-013 (JLab)	[72]	$^{3}\mathrm{He}$	single	1.7  to  2.9	0.16 to $0.65$	1.1 to 4.0
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_	E08-027 (JLab)	[309]	р	$g_1,  g_2$	1. to $2.1$	$3.0 \times 10^{-3}$ to 1.0	0.02 to $0.4$

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(Recently Published and Preliminary) Results on Moments of Structure Functions in the low to intermediate Q<sup>2</sup> region



#### Existing data (proton) – up to 2017



Fersch et al. PRC 96 065208 (2017)

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#### Existing data (neutron) – up to 2017



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#### New deuteron results from EG4 (Hall B)



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#### E97-110 preliminary neutron(<sup>3</sup>He) results on $\int g_1 dx$



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New proton results from Hall A –  $g_2^p$  at low Q<sup>2</sup> Figur

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#### New proton (preliminary) results from EG4



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#### Test of Chiral Perturbation Theory

Ref.	$\Gamma_1^p$	$\Gamma_1^n$	$\Gamma_1^{p-n}$	$\Gamma_1^{p+n}$	$\gamma_0^p$	$\gamma_0^n$	$\gamma_0^{p-n}$	$\gamma_0^{p+n}$	$\delta^n_{LT}$	$d_2^n$
Ji 1999 [194, 196]	X	X	A	X	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bernard 2002 [192, 193]	X	Χ	Α	X	X	Α	X	X	X	X
Kao 2002 [197]	-	-	-	-	X	Α	X	X	X	X
Bernard 2012 [198]	X	X	A	X	X	Α	X	X	X	-
Lensky 2014 [199]	X	Α	A	A	Α	X	X	X	$\sim \mathbf{A}$	Α

A = good agreement between chPT prediction and data X = not that well

(Data guiding chPT calculations)

Table credit: A. Deur, S.J. Brodsky, G.F. de Teramond, review article in progress



# Upcoming Experiments

The A1n and d2n experiments are scheduled to run in Fall 2019, using the polarized 3He target in Hall C.

Similar proton measurements will be carried out in Hall B (CLAS12), using an upgraded NH3/ND3 target. It will likely run in or after 2020.



# Nucleon (spin) Structure at High $x_{Bj}$

We need structure function measurements for which QCD can make absolute predictions!

#### The far valence domain (x>0.5)

involve only valence quarks



- is the only domain where QCD (and many other models) can make absolute predictions for (the ratio of) structure functions
- The ratio of structure functions at x→ 1 provide unambiguous, scale invariant, non-perturbative features of QCD"



# Predictions for A<sub>1</sub> and $\Delta q/q$ at large X $|p^{\uparrow}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |u^{\uparrow}(ud)_{00}\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{18}} |u^{\uparrow}(ud)_{10}\rangle - \frac{1}{3} |u^{\downarrow}(ud)_{11}\rangle$ $-\frac{1}{3} |d^{\uparrow}(uu)_{10}\rangle - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} |d^{\downarrow}(uu)_{11}\rangle$

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SU(6) = SU3 flavor + SU2 spin	2/3	1/2	2/3	-1/3	0	5/9
Valence Quark + Hyperfine	1/4	0	1	-1/3	1	1
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# Predictions for $A_1$ and $\Delta q/q$ at large x



hyperfine interaction: the two  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} | u^{\uparrow}(ud) |_{\text{quarks in the spectator di quark prefer to form a S=0 to}$ a S=1 state. - based on nucleon-Delta

mass plitting, etc. – but the breaking of SU(6) may not be that big.

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#### The 6 GeV Hall A Measurement (21 PAC days, 2001) (ŭ+u)/(ŭ+u∆ ° , , Ъ (6)(6) This work(<sup>3</sup>He) (3)3 *)*(4) (4) E142 0 (1) SU(6) E154 (2) CQM Δ. 0.5 pQCD does HERMES (3) LSS(BBS) Ô (4) **BBS** not apply ! (7) (5) Bag (8) Model 0 (6) Duality (7) LSS 2001 (Þ+b)/(b∆+b∆ (1)This work (8) Statistic (2/ HERMES [106,107] (9) al Model 0.5 (9) Chiral Soliton 0 -0.5 L 02 0.4 0.6 0.8 (4) (1)(3) -0.5(Deutron data not shown: E143, E155, SMC) 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8Ω X X. Zheng et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 92, 012004 (1)CQM (2)LSS(BBS):pQCD+HHC (2004); Phys. Rev. C 70, 065207 (2004) (3) Statistical Model (4) LSS 2001

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### Reaching Deeper Valence Quarks Region with 12 GeV

A<sub>1</sub><sup>n</sup> Kinematics

CLAS12 Kinematics





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# Extracting $\Delta q/q$ from both proton and neutron (<sup>3</sup>He) data



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# Summary and Outlook

- Understanding confinement and non-perturbative nature of strong interaction is the most significant unresolved challenge within the Standard Model
- Nucleon spin structure study provide crucial information to the study of strong interaction and QCD, from low energy (non-perturbative) to high energy (perturbative) regime, and the transition in between.
- Recent experiments at Jefferson Lab have added a plethora of data, in particular the proton and the neutron spin structure functions and their moments at very low Q<sup>2</sup> values. These provide important check (and guidance) for chiral perturbation theory calculations.
- Spin asymmetries at large x provide a powerful test of models. The polarization of the down quark,  $\Delta d/d$ , will tell us whether the nucleon's behavior at high x is perturbative in nature. The upcoming (2019-2020)  $A_1$  experiments in Hall C (neutron) and in Hall B/CLAS12 (proton and deuteron) will venture into a deeper valence quark region. Stay tuned!

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