

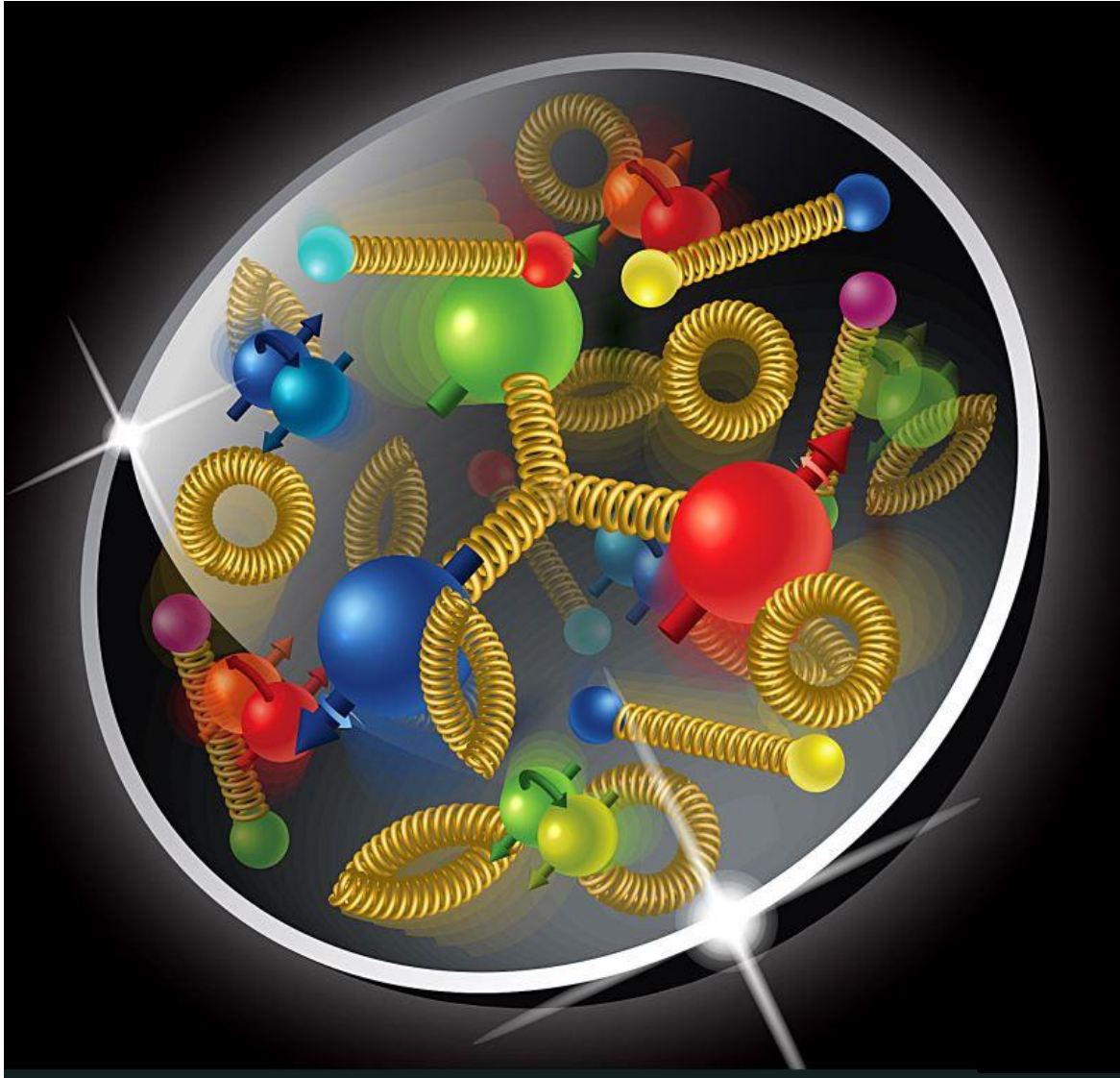
Hadron structure via Generalized Parton Distributions



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Introduction

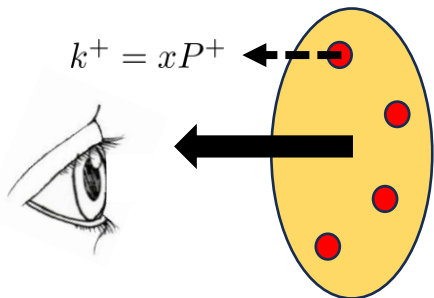


Unveil “cosmic” interior of nucleons

Nucleons are complicated dynamical systems of quarks & gluons (partons)



Non-perturbative functions in QCD

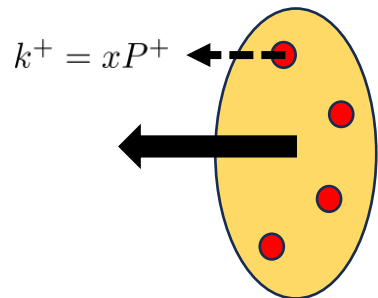


Parton Distribution Functions

PDFs (x)



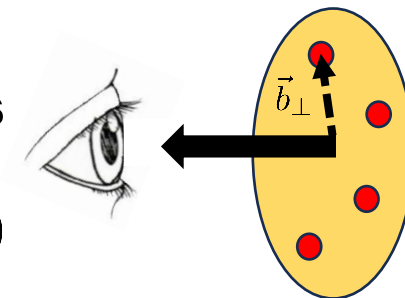
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PDFs (x)

Form Factors

FFs (Δ)



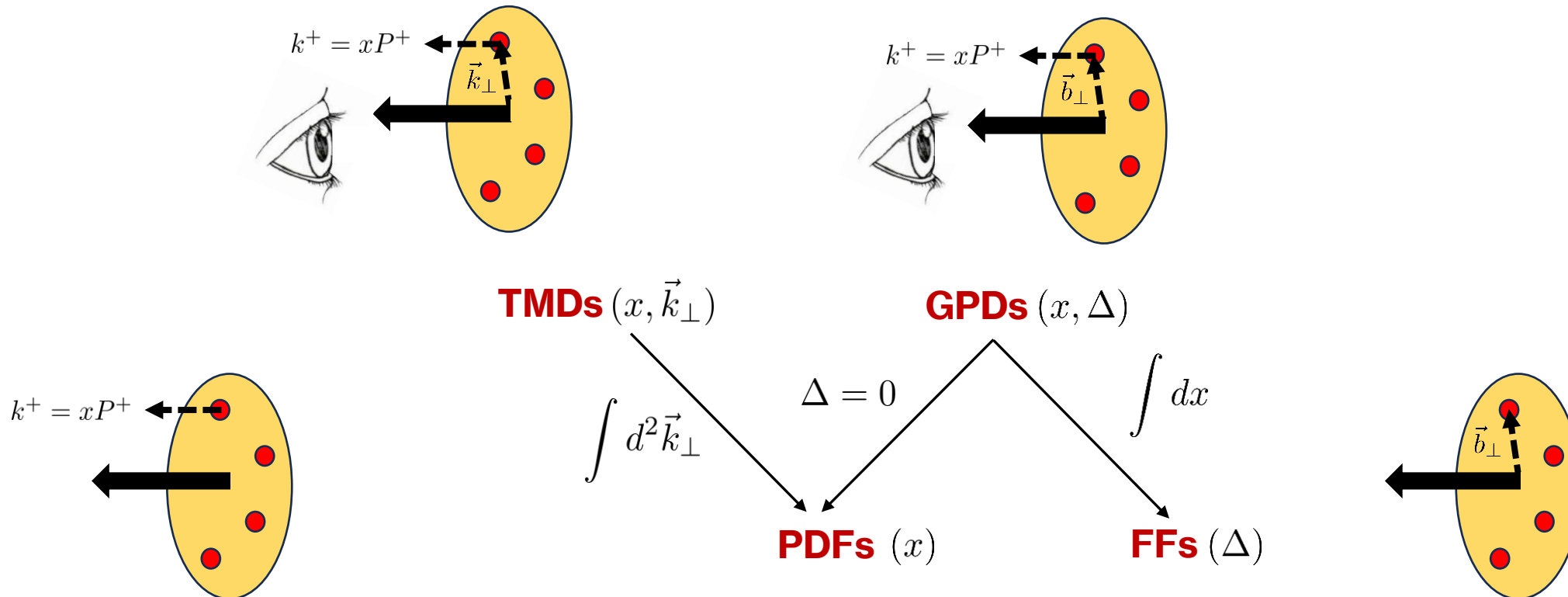


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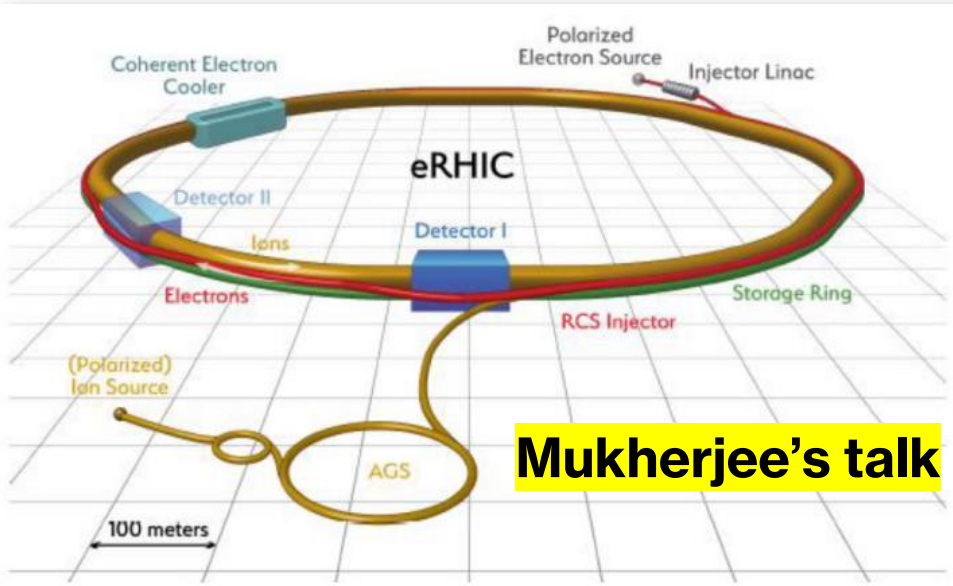
Transverse Momentum-dependent Distributions

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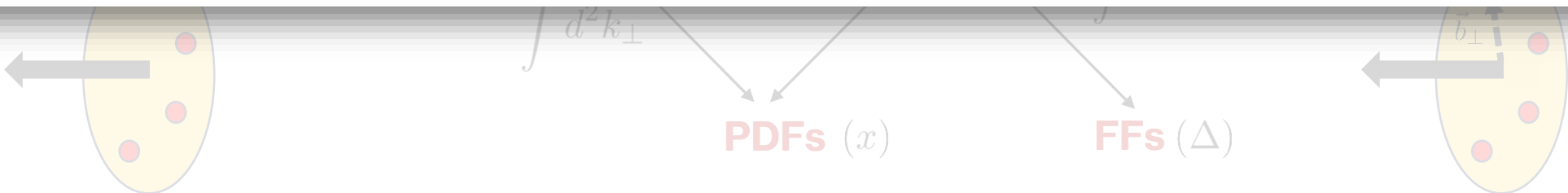
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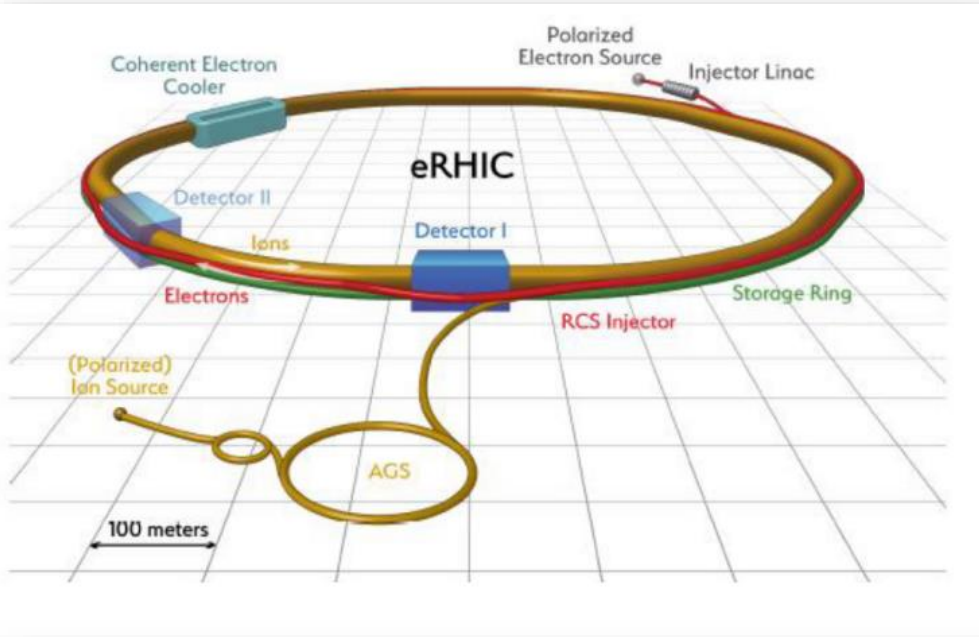
Mukherjee's talk



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Lattice calculations can serve as a valuable complement to the ongoing efforts at the EIC

Outline

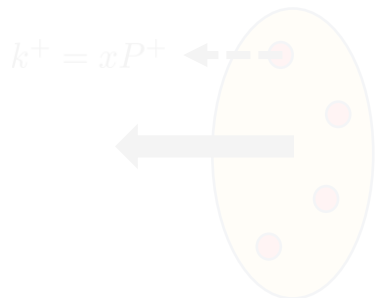
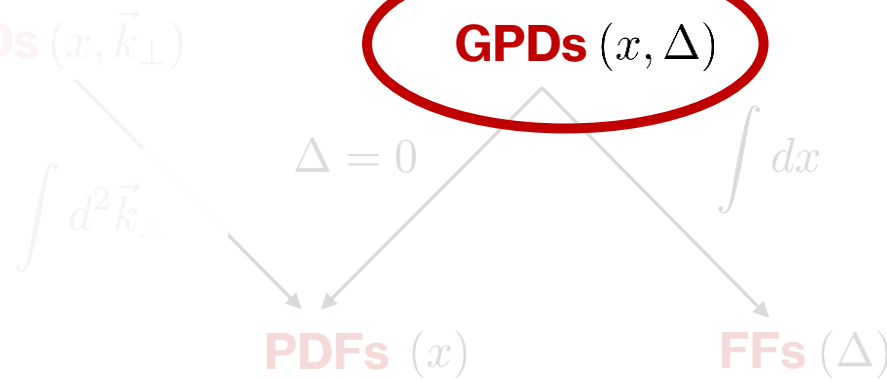
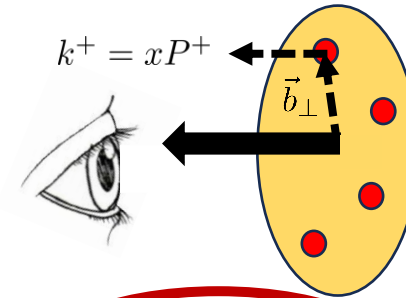


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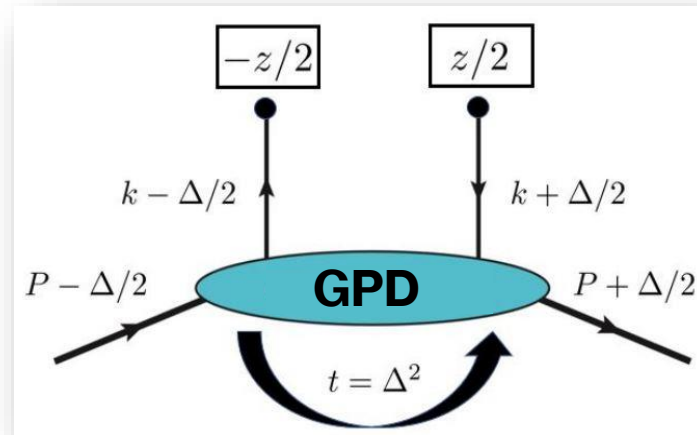
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- **Lattice results of GPDs**

- **Summary**



What are Generalized Parton Distributions?



GPD correlator for quarks: Graphical representation

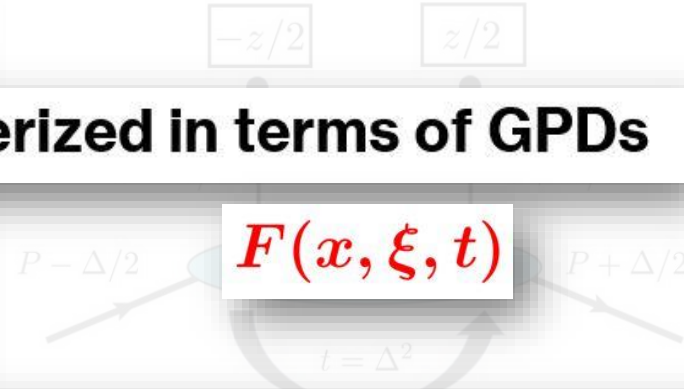
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What are Generalized Parton Distributions?



Correlator parameterized in terms of GPDs



x : “average” longitudinal momentum fraction carried by parton

ξ : skewness parameter; longitudinal momentum transfer to nucleon

t : momentum transfer squared

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Example:

At twist 2 there are 8 GPDs

$$F(x, \xi, t)$$

Twist-2 GPDs

| Γ | γ^+ | $\gamma^+ \gamma_5$ | $i\sigma^{+j} \gamma_5$ |
|----------|------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Pol. | | | |
| U | H | | E_T |
| L | | \tilde{H} | \tilde{E}_T |
| T | E | \tilde{E} | $H_T \tilde{H}_T$ |

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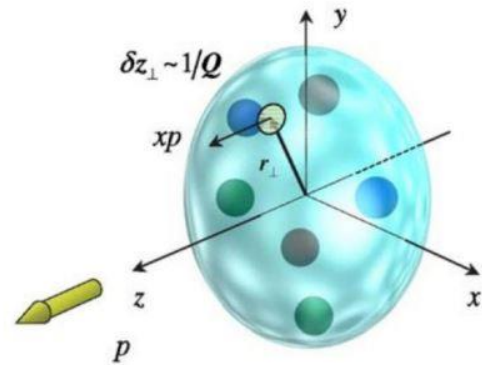
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IMPACT PARAMETER SPACE INTERPRETATION FOR GENERALIZED PARTON DISTRIBUTIONS

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3D quark/gluon dist.

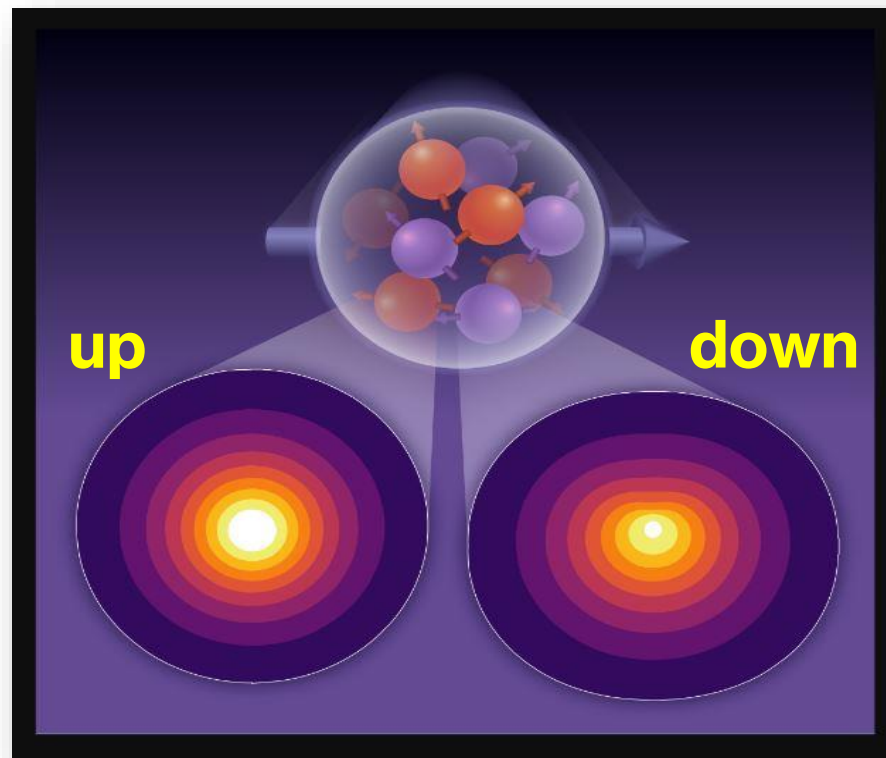
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Lattice QCD results of impact-parameter distributions:



Differential distribution of up versus down quarks inside protons

(Temple/BNL/ANL)

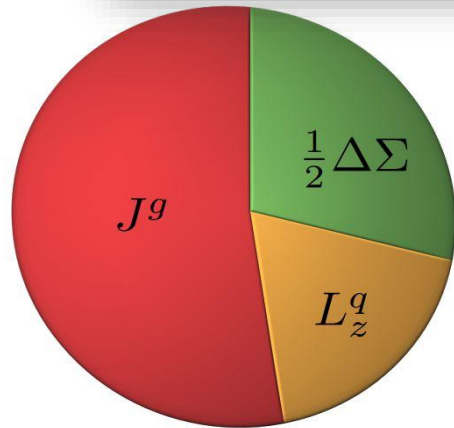


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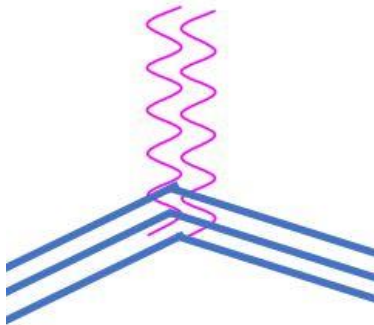


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Gravitational Form Factors characterize the EMT in the context of proton scattering with a graviton



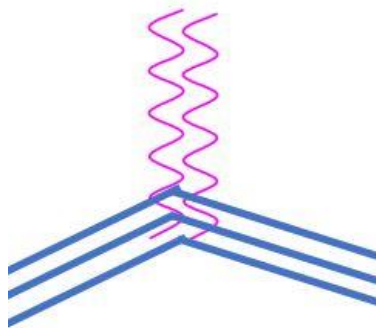
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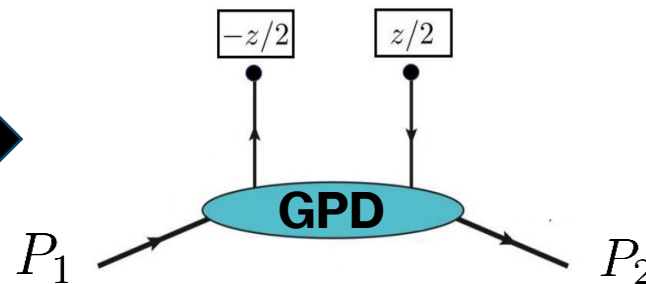
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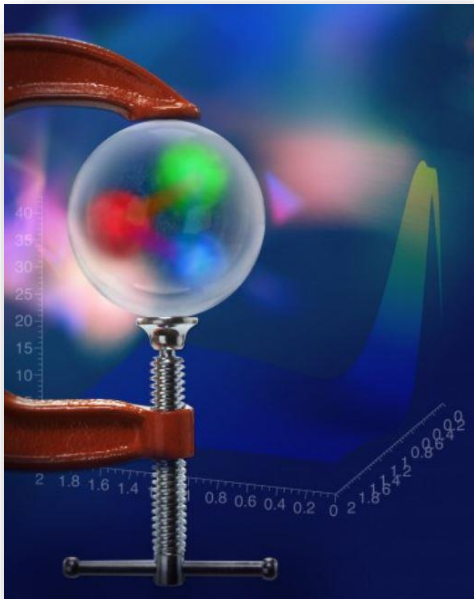
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The pressure distribution inside the proton

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QUARKS FEEL THE PRESSURE IN THE PROTON



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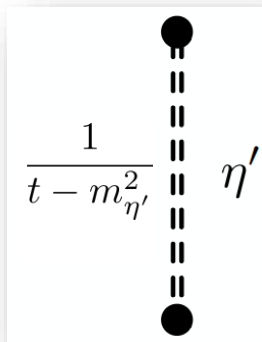
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Chiral and trace anomalies in Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering:
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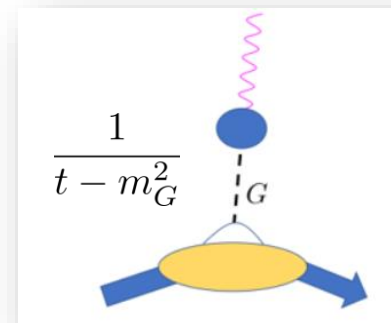
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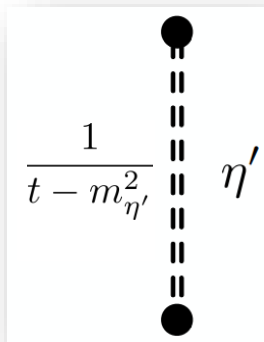
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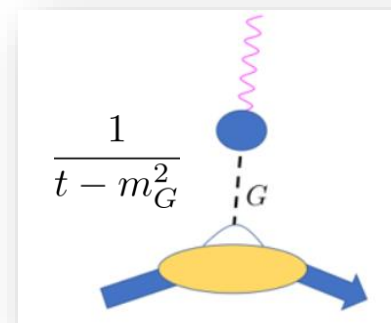
Novel avenue of GPD research

**Profound physical implication of anomaly poles:
Touches questions on mass generations, Chiral symmetry breaking, ...**



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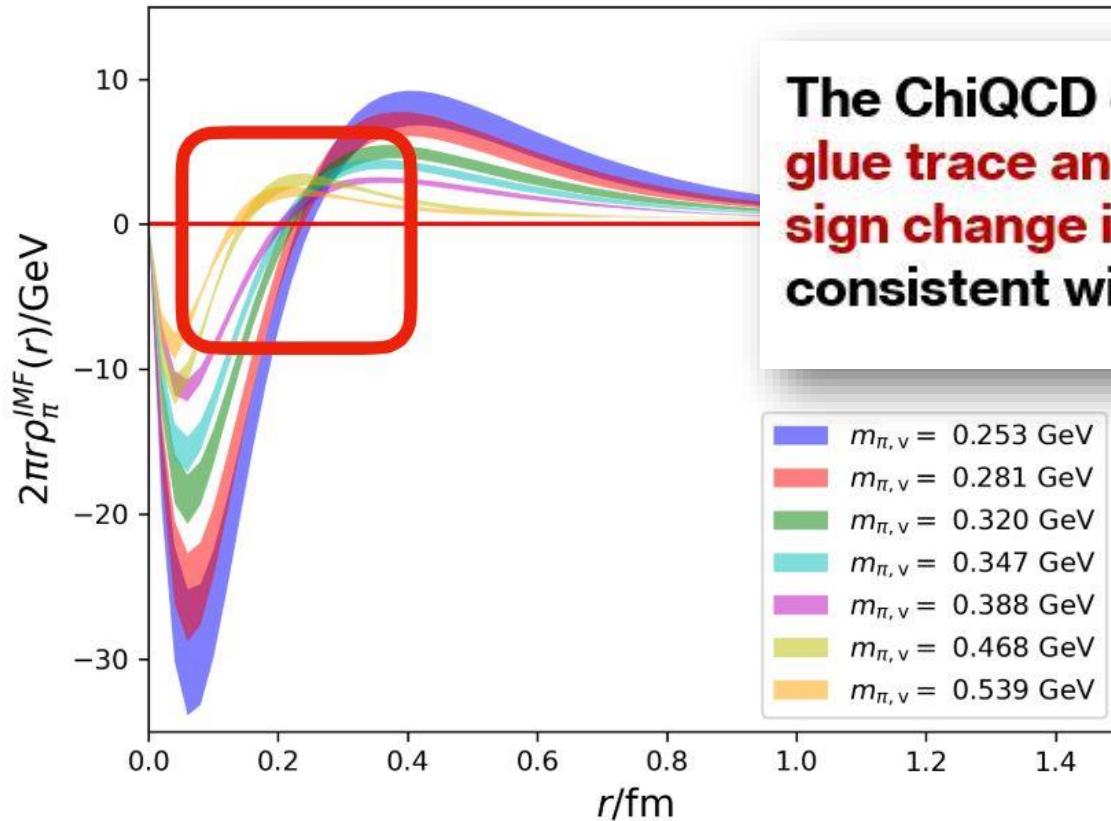
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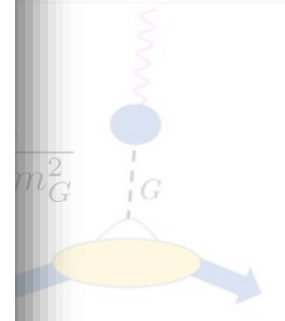
Trace anomaly spatial distribution of the pion



B. Wang, et al, Phys.Rev.D 109 (2024) 9, 094504



The ChiQCD collaboration finds that for the pion the **glue trace anomaly form factor** shows a **sign change in the small- r region**, consistent with predictions from chiral perturbation theory



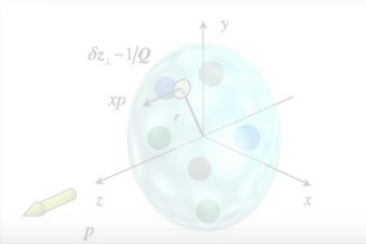
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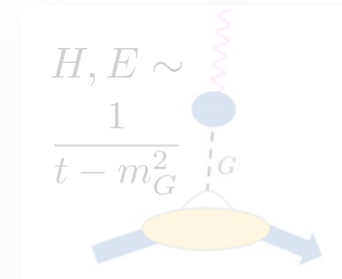
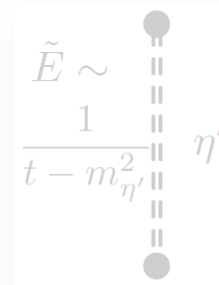
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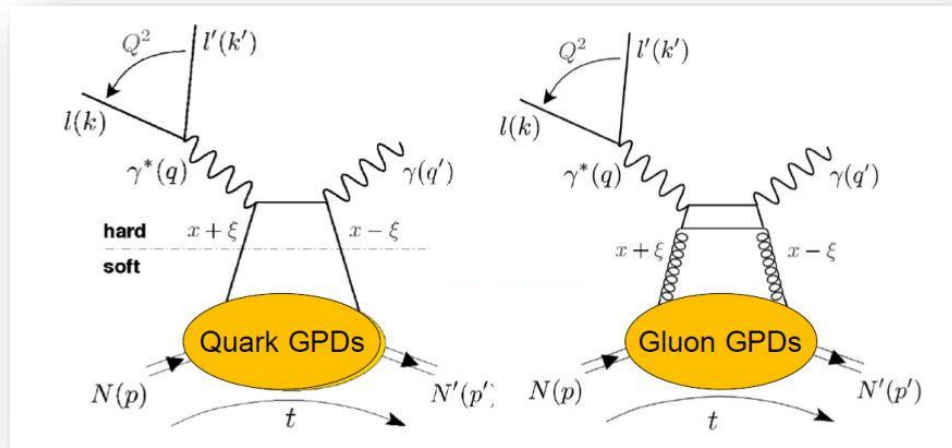
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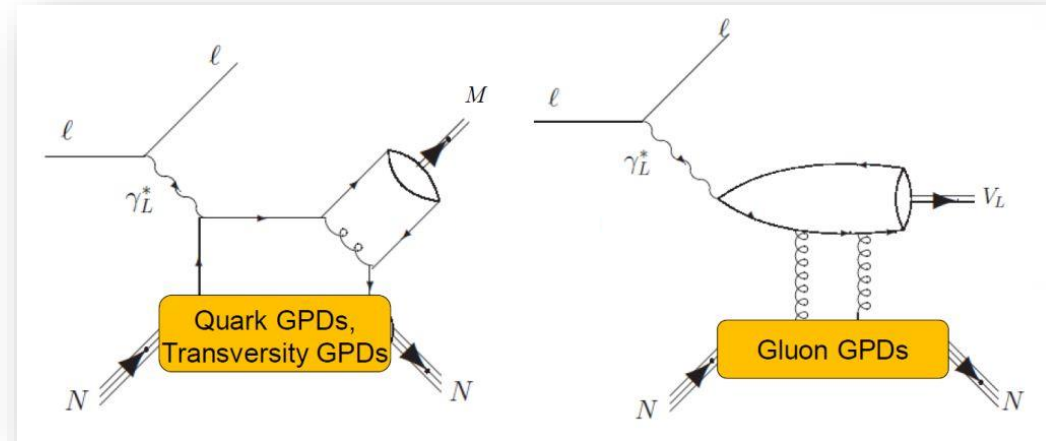


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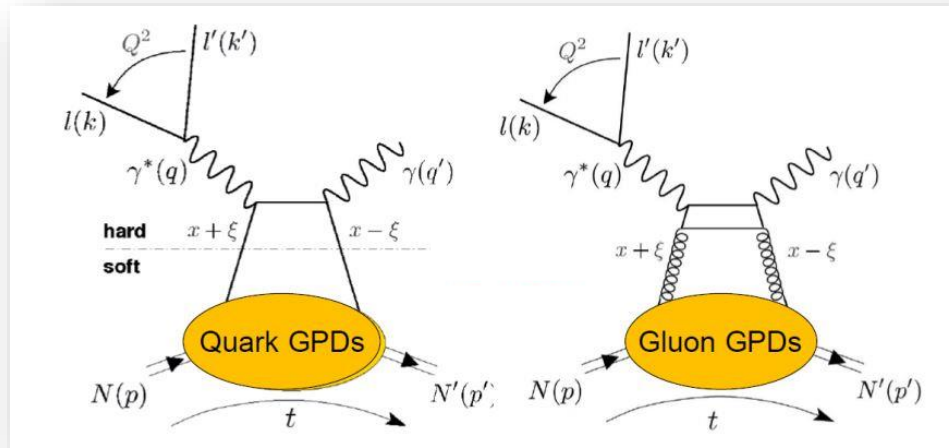
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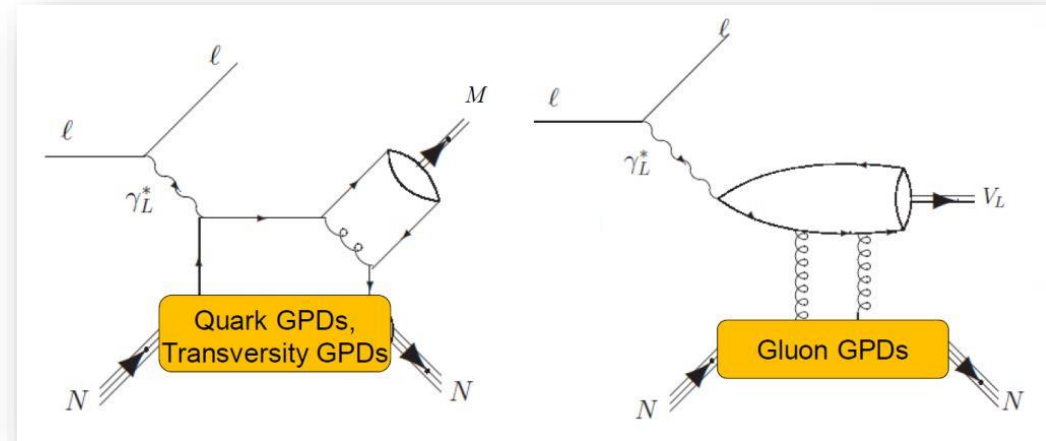


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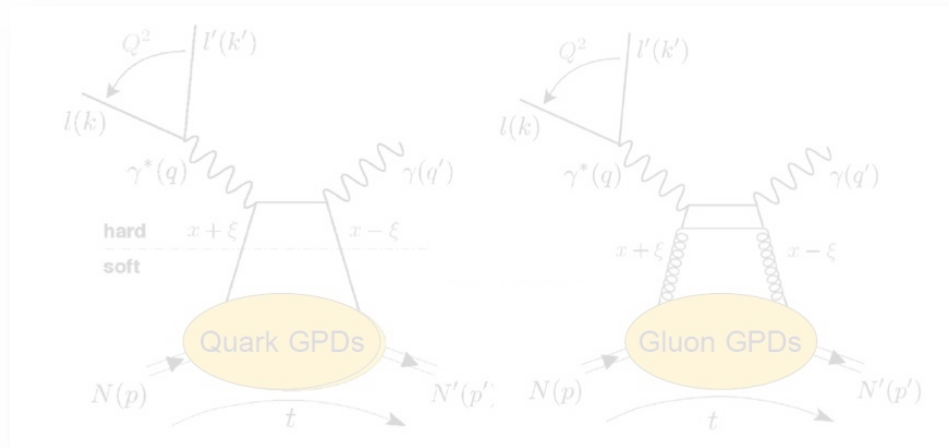
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Complementarity: Lattice results can be integrated into global analysis of experimental data



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Exclusive production of a pair of high transverse momentum photons in pion-nucleon collisions for extracting generalized parton distributions

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We require complementary measurements of the GPDs using Lattice QCD

In recent years, significant breakthroughs have been made in our ability to access the **x-dependence of GPDs**

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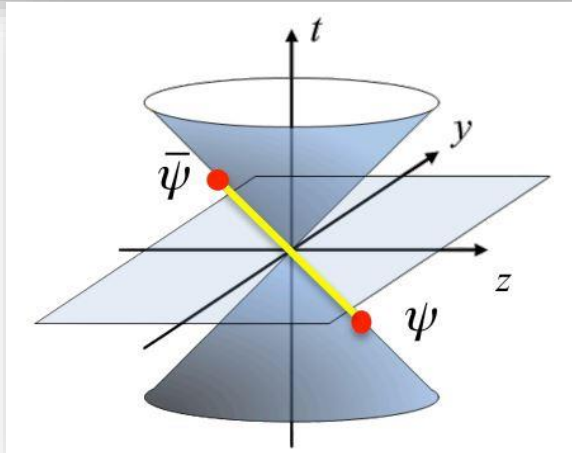


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Parton Physics on Euclidean Lattice

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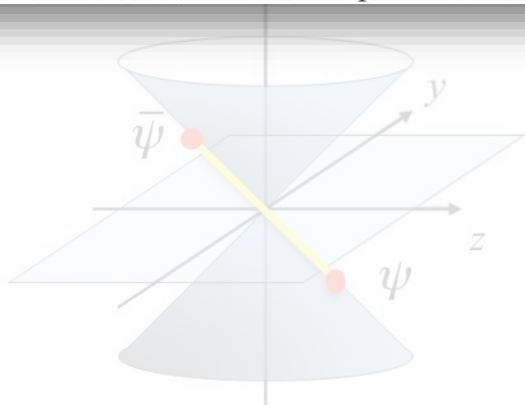
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Abstract

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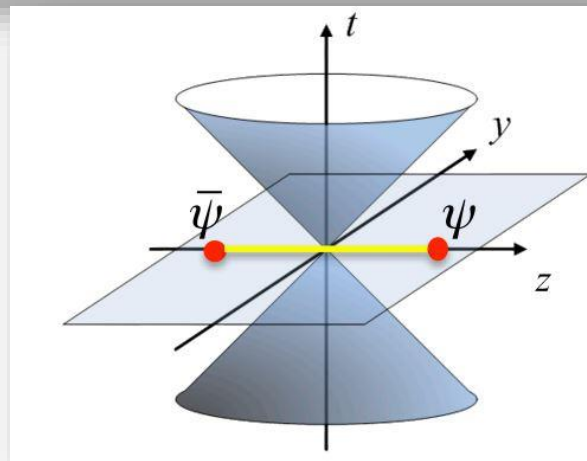


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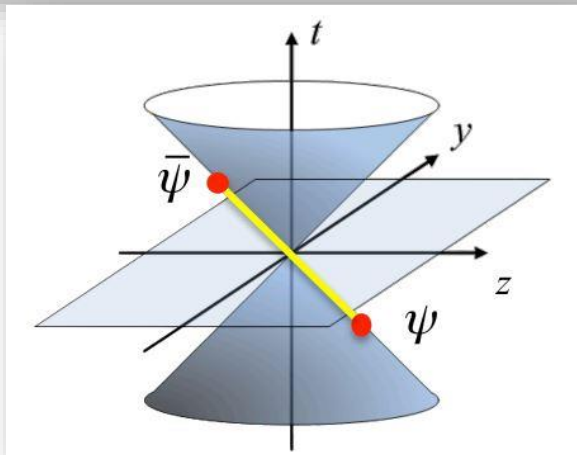


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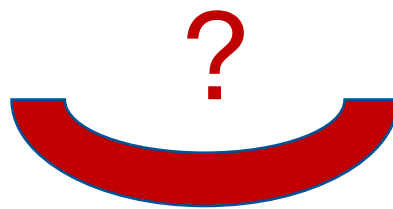
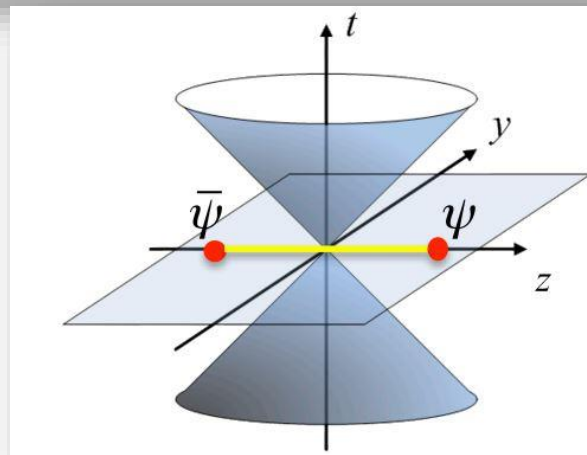


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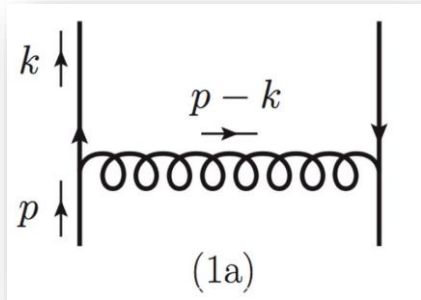
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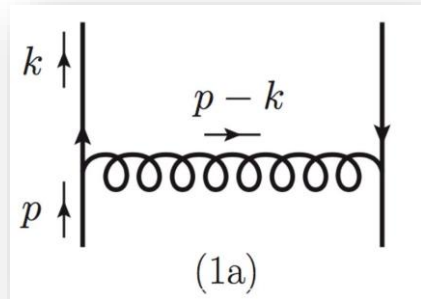
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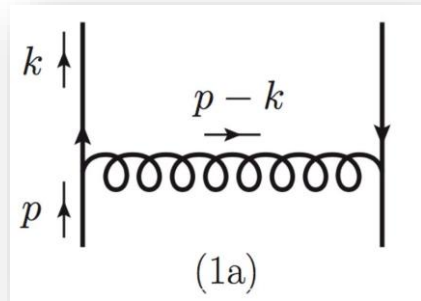
Quasi PDF:

$$f_1(x, p^3) = \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi} \begin{cases} (1-x) \ln \frac{x}{x-1} + 1 & x > 1 \\ (1-x) \ln \frac{4(1-x)p_3^2}{m_g^2} + x & 0 < x < 1 \\ (1-x) \ln \frac{x-1}{x} - 1 & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

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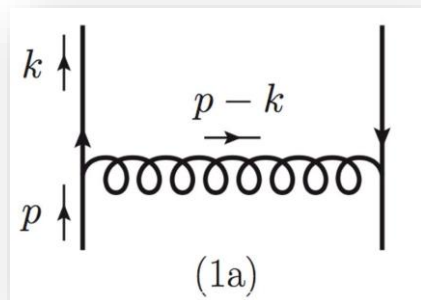
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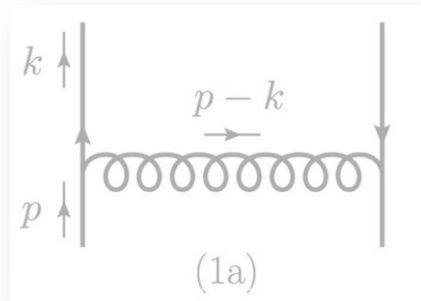
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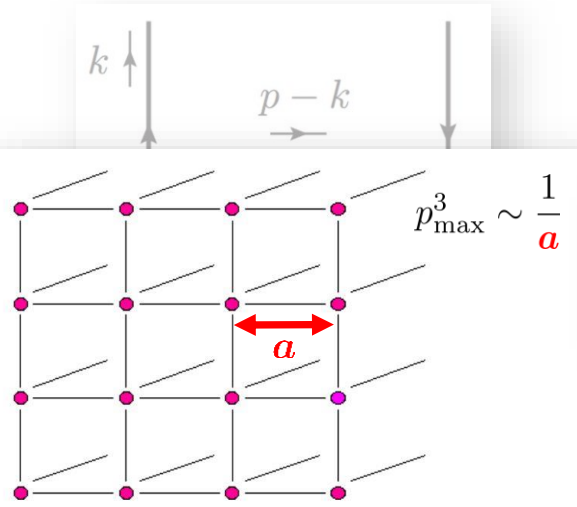
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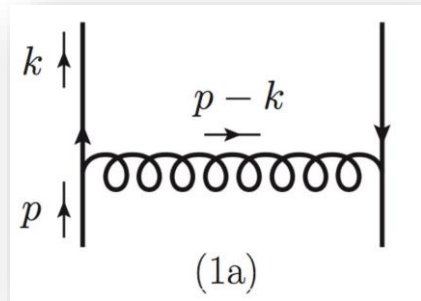
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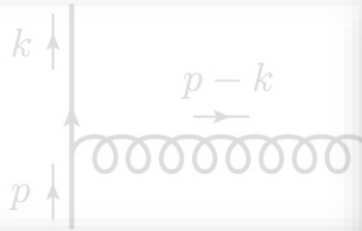
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Calculating Parton Distributions in Lattice QCD

Matching formula: (PDF) **Matching coefficient**



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Xiong, Ji, Zhang, Zhao/ Stewart, Zhao/ Izubuchi, Ji, Jin, Stewart, Zhao ...

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GPD matching known up to one-loop order (non-singlet & singlet)

References: (not exhaustive)

Connecting Euclidean to light-cone correlations: From flavor nonsinglet in forward kinematics to flavor singlet in non-forward kinematics

One-Loop Matching for Generalized Parton Distributions

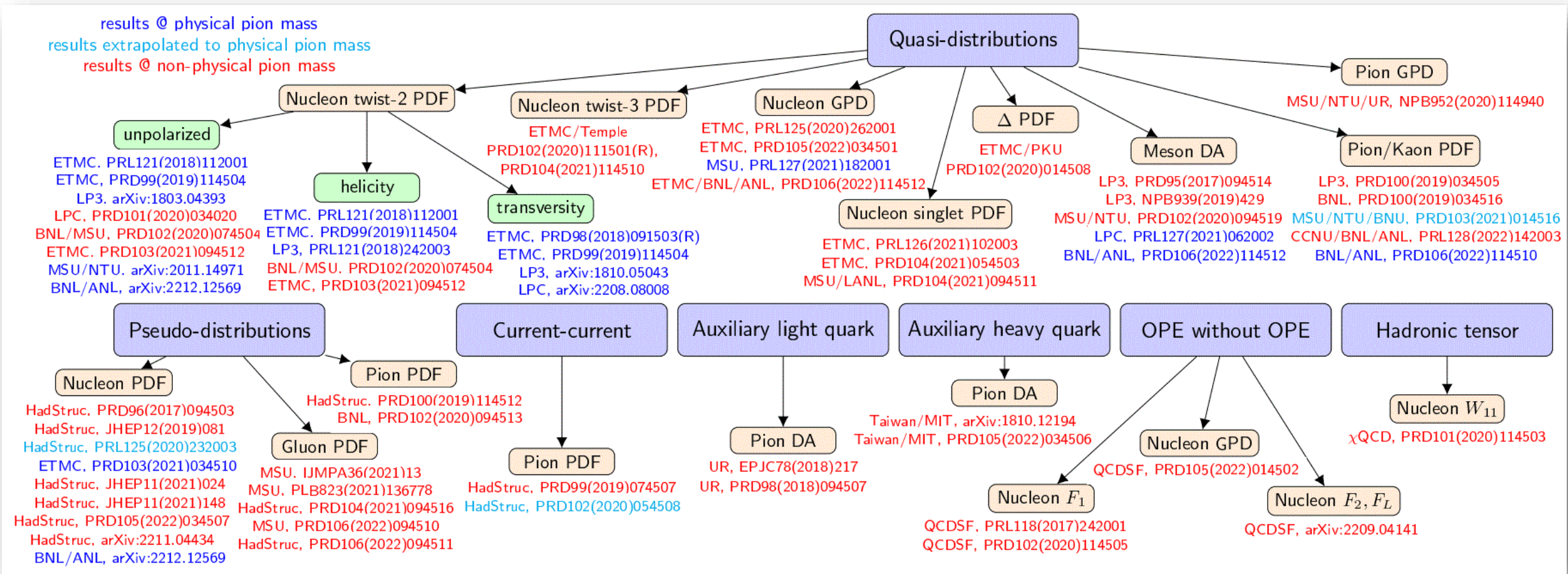
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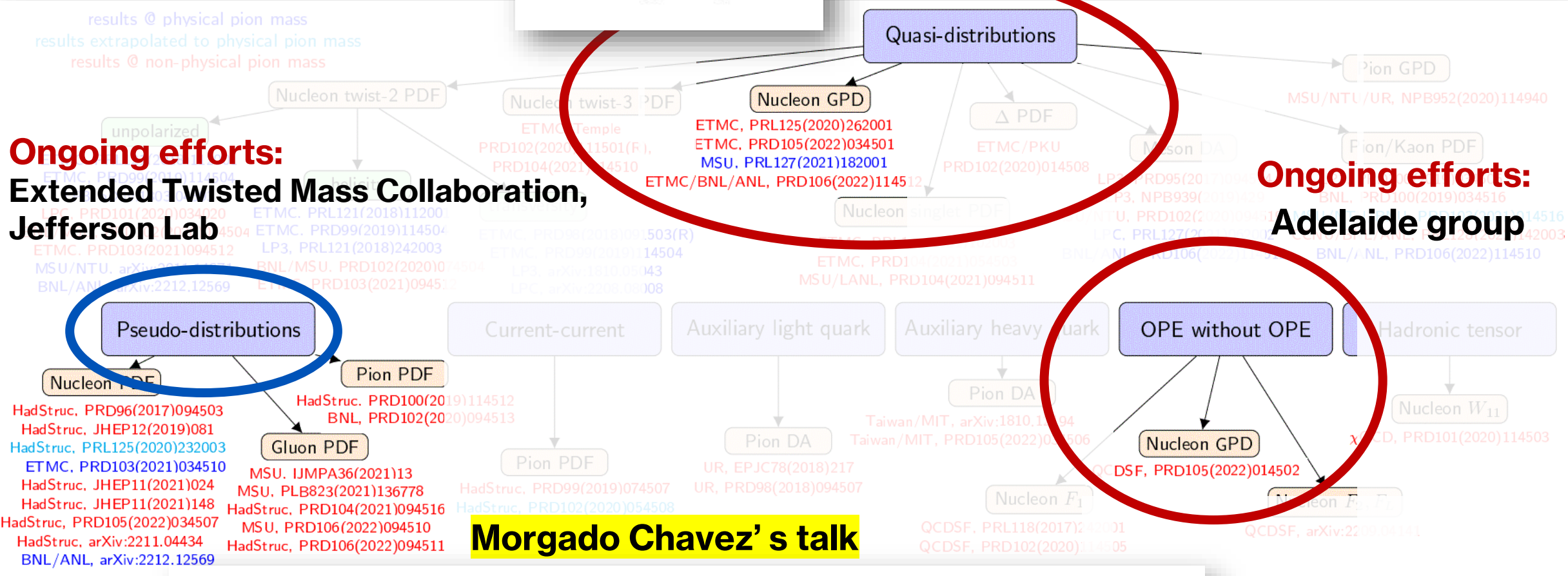
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This talk

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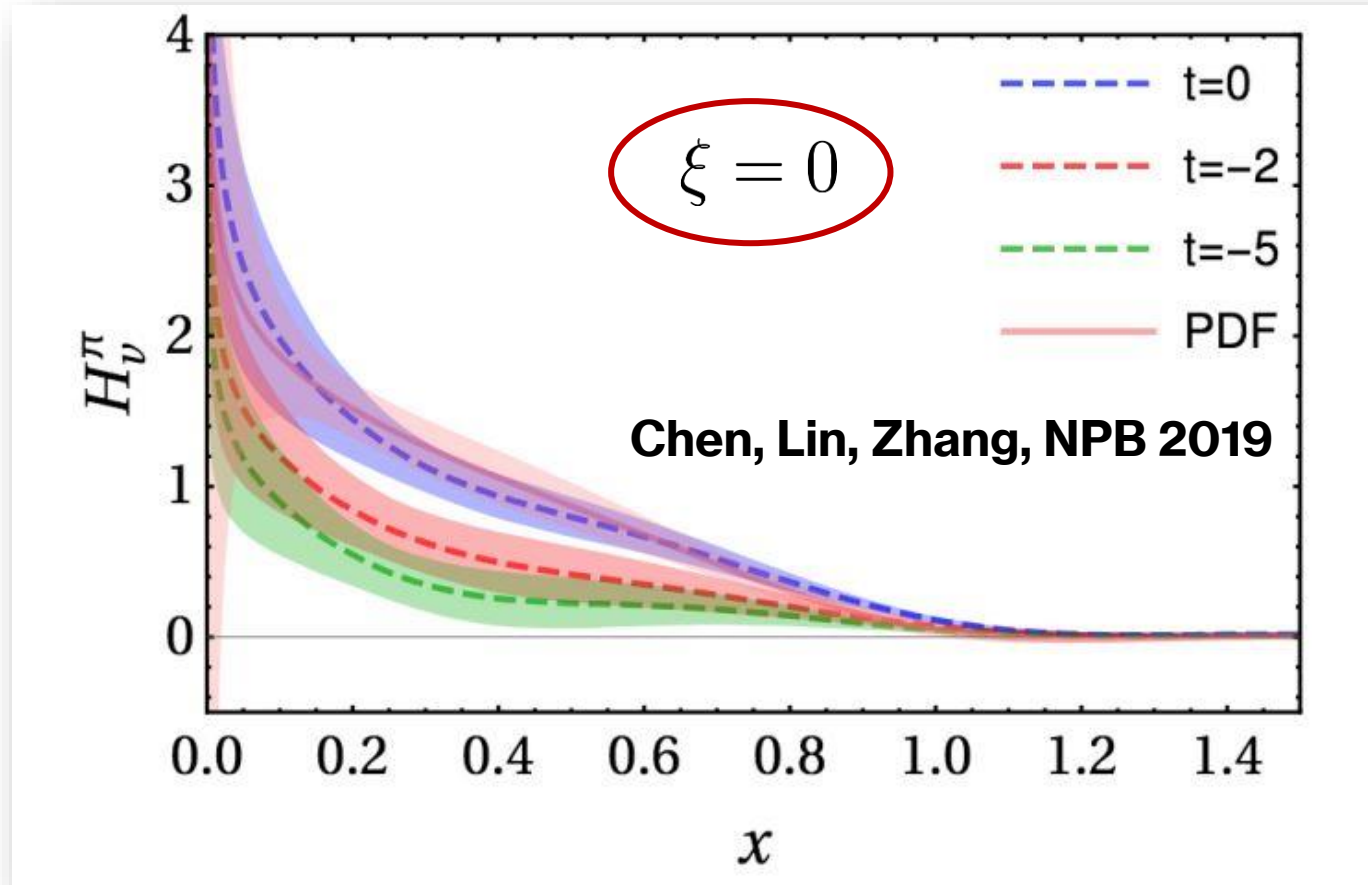


Forward-limit generalized parton distributions of the η_c -meson

First Lattice QCD results of the x-dependent GPDs



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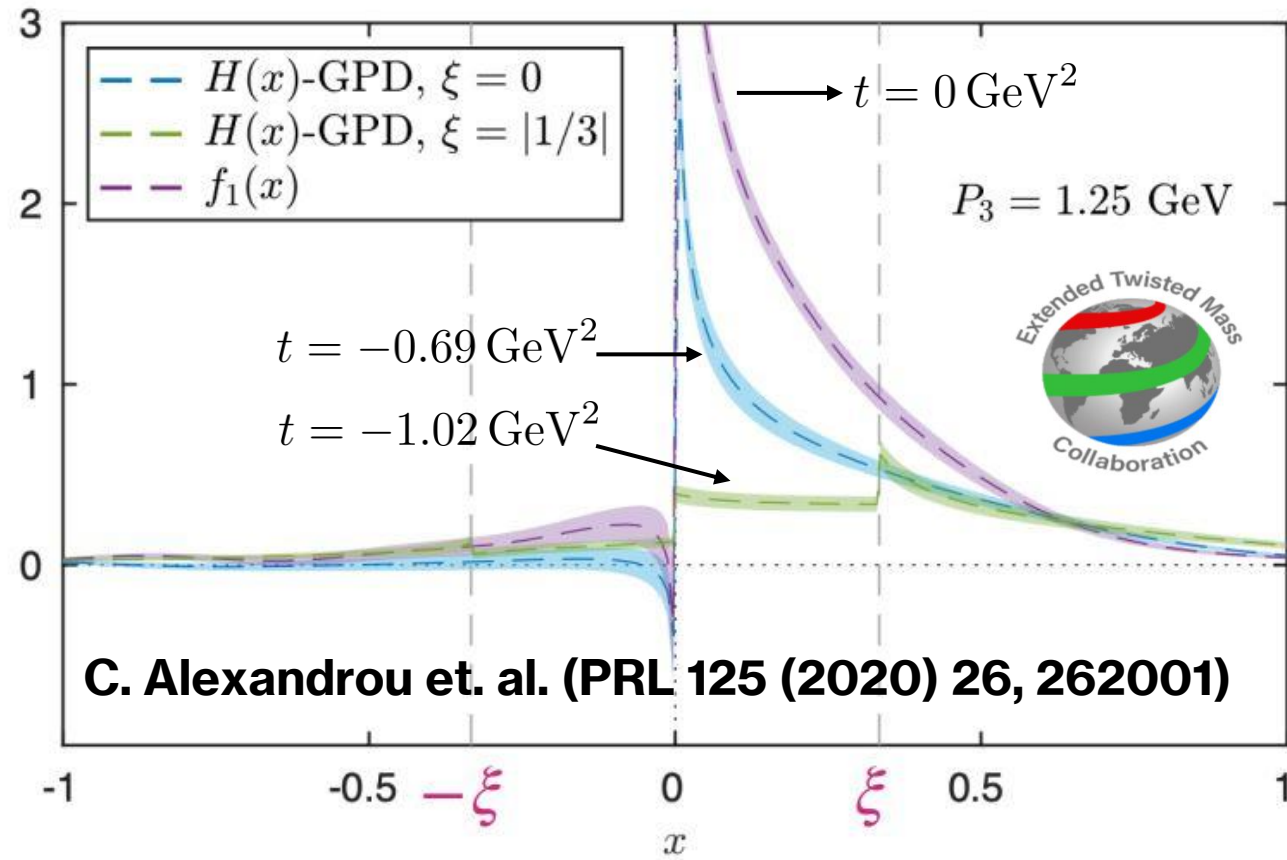


As t increases, the distribution flattens

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Proton:



ERBL/DGLAP: Qualitative differences

As $x \rightarrow 1$, qualitative behavior in agreement with power counting analysis

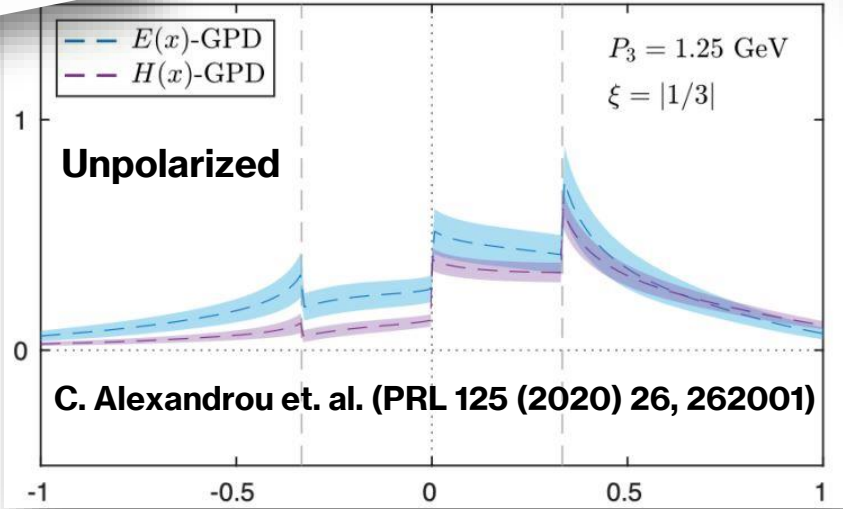
(F. Yuan, 0311288)



Twist-2 GPDs

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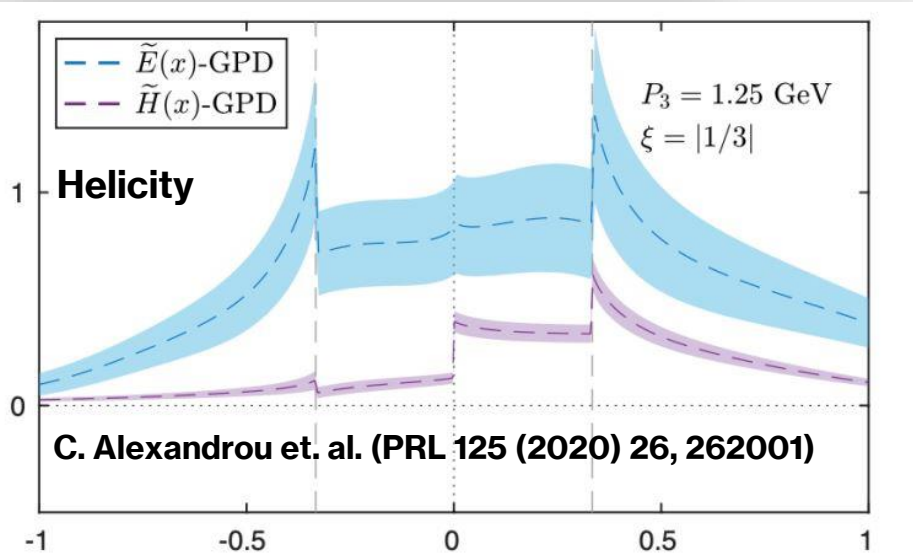
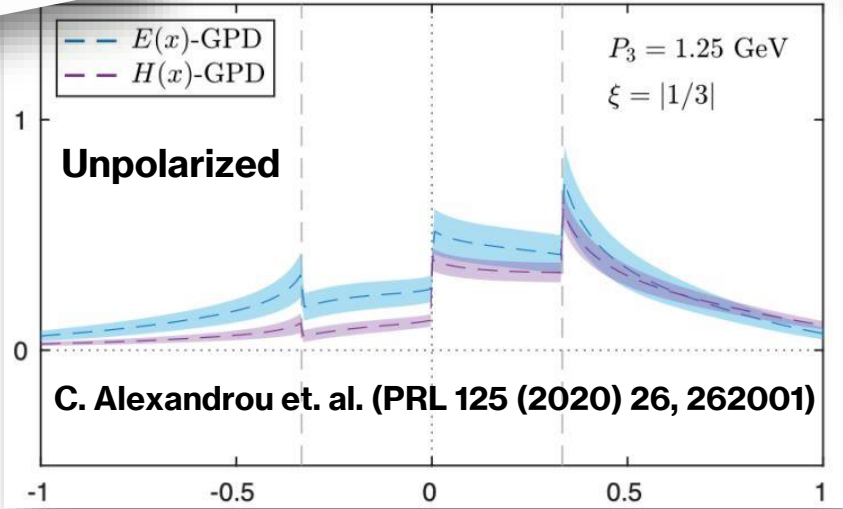
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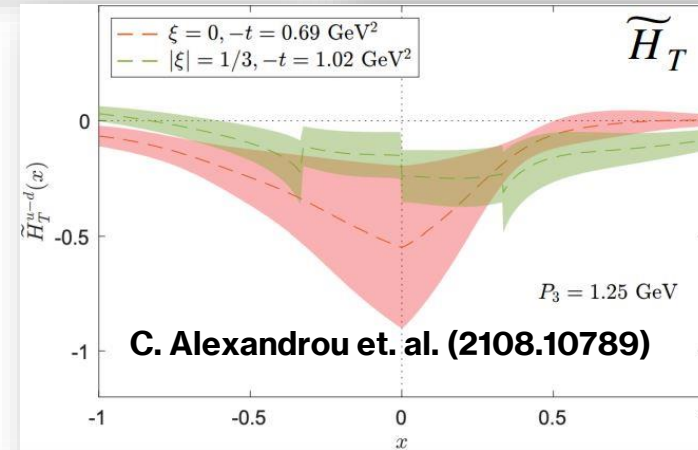
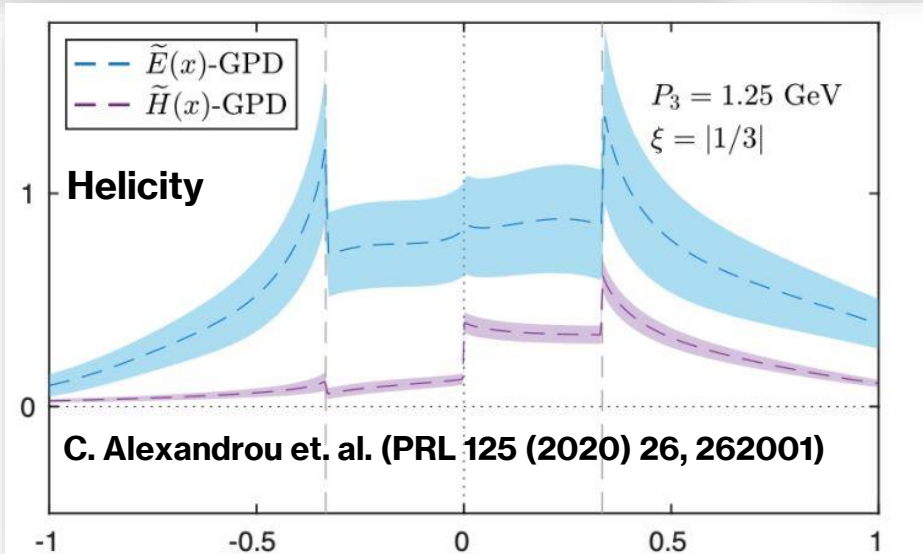
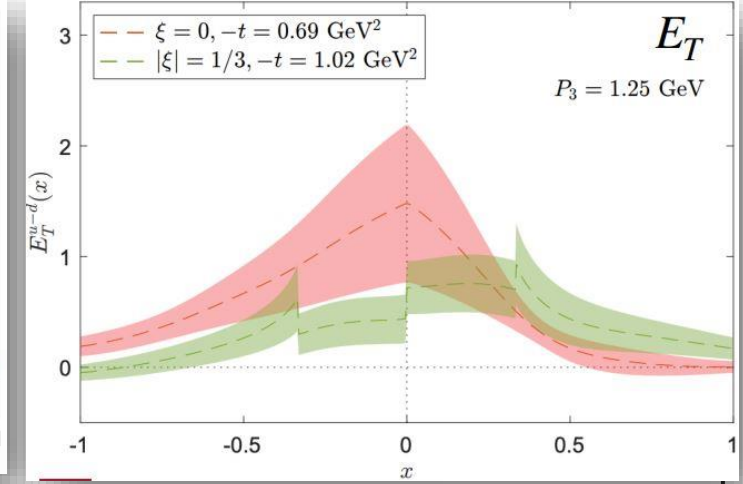
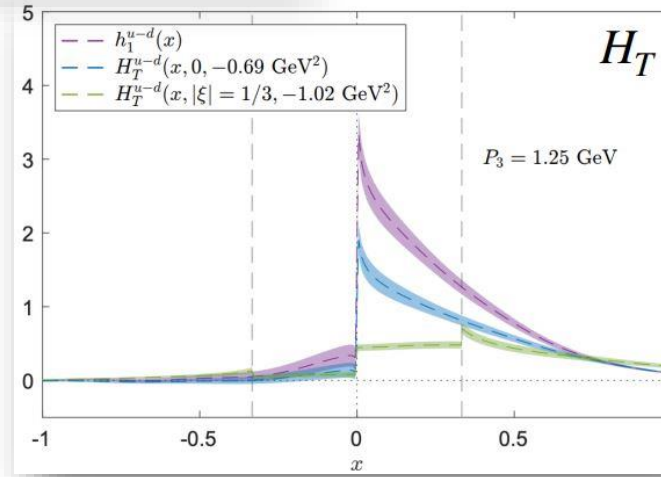
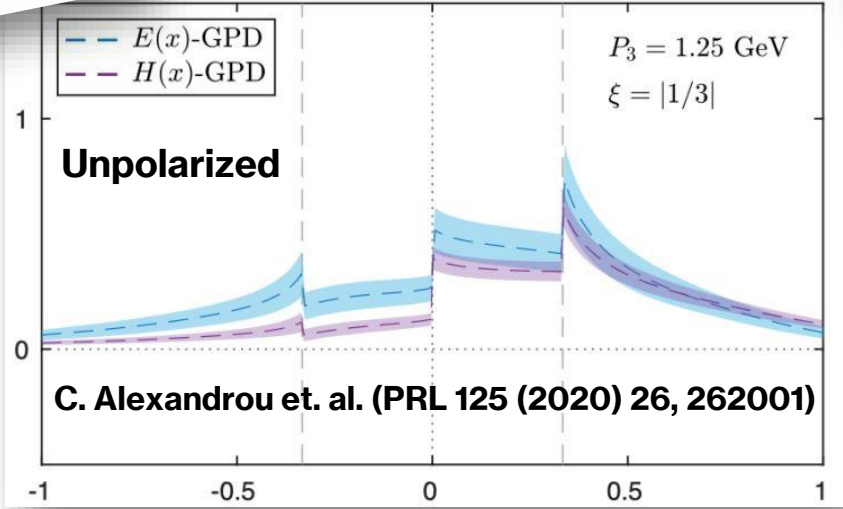
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Proton:



GPD \tilde{E}_T is small/zero within uncertainties (not shown)

First exploration of twist-3 GPDs



Why twist 3?

- **As sizeable as twist 2**
- **Contain information about quark-gluon-quark correlations inside hadrons ...**

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[D. Kiptily and M. Polyakov, Eur. Phys. J. C37 (2004) 105, arXiv:hep-ph/0212372]

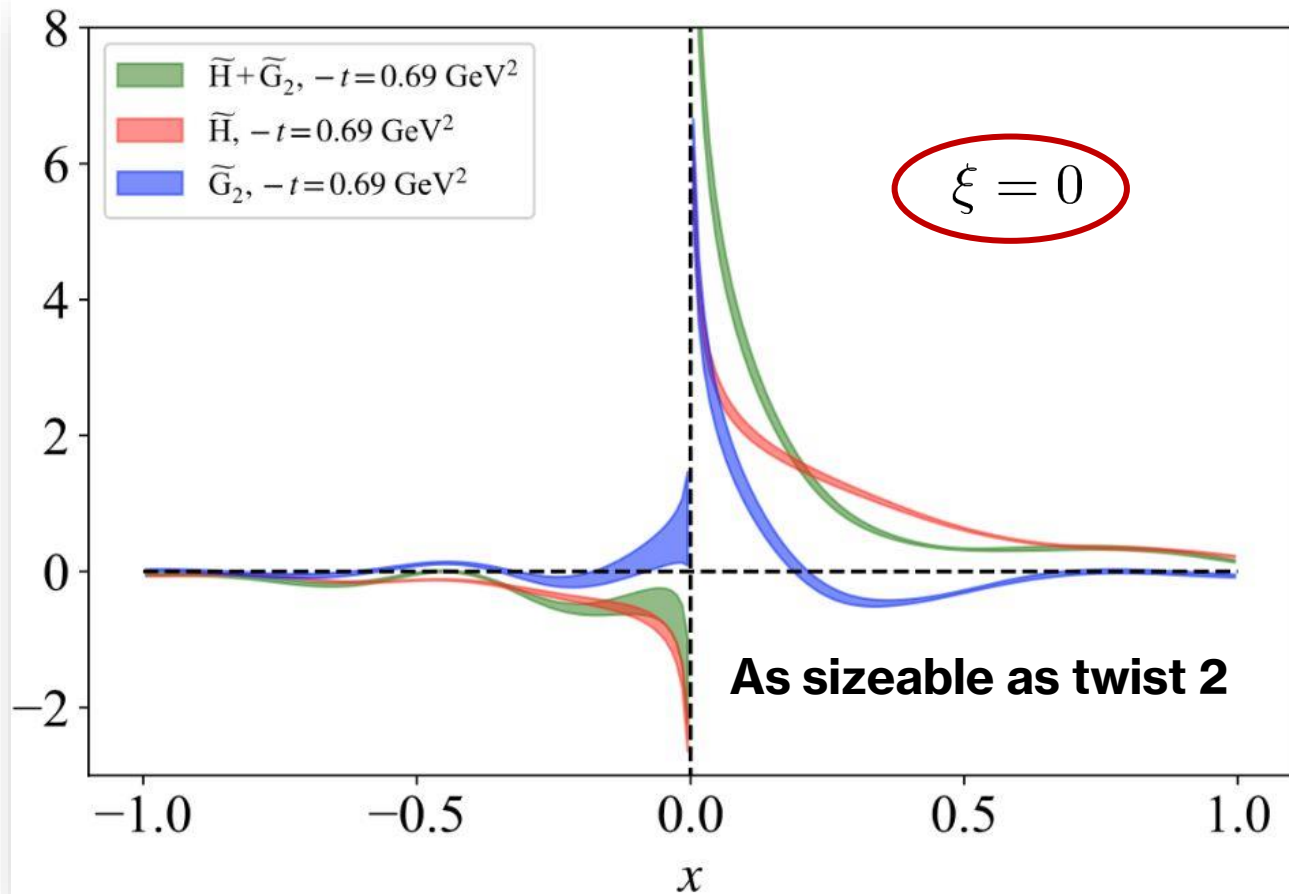
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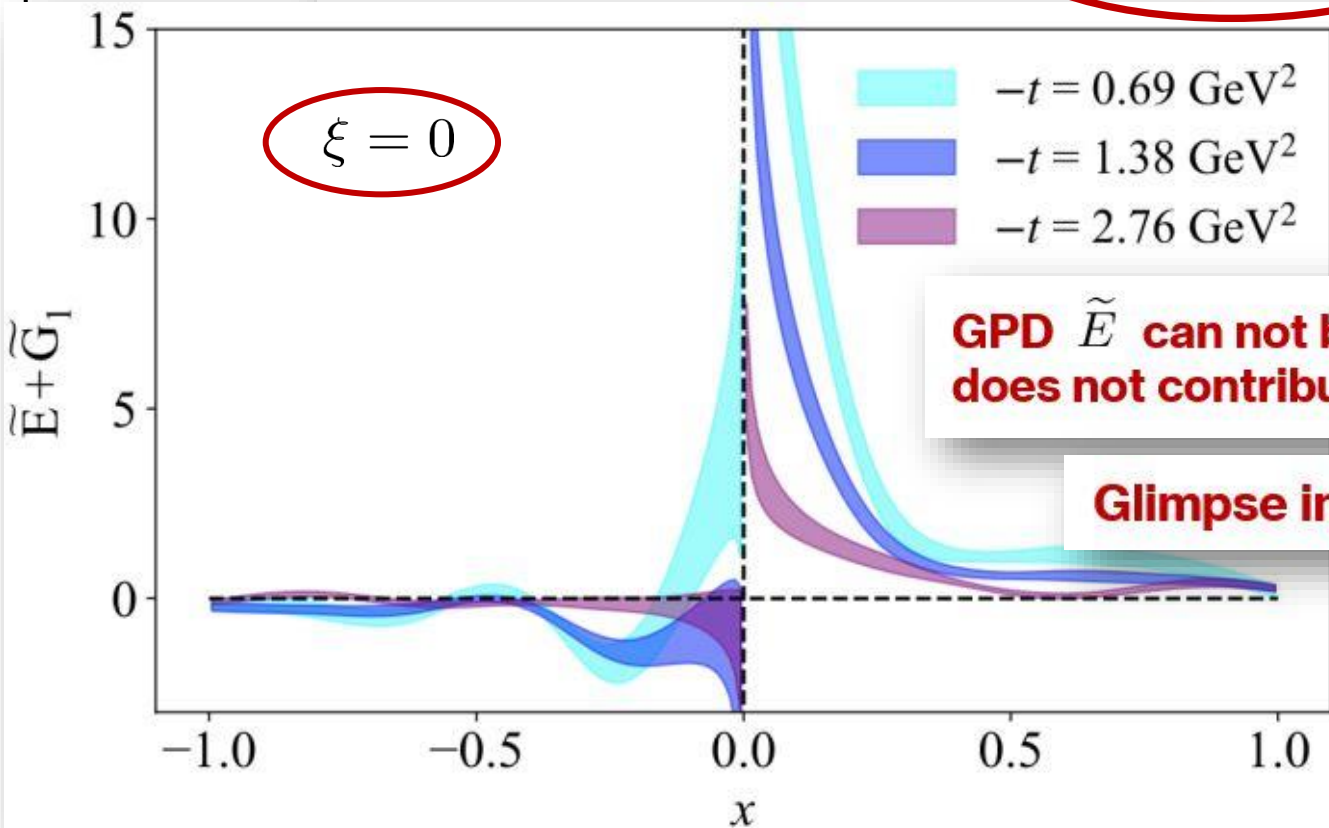
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GPD \tilde{E} can not be accessed at zero skewness because it simply does not contribute to the matrix element at this point

Glimpse into GPD \tilde{E} through twist 3 at zero skewness

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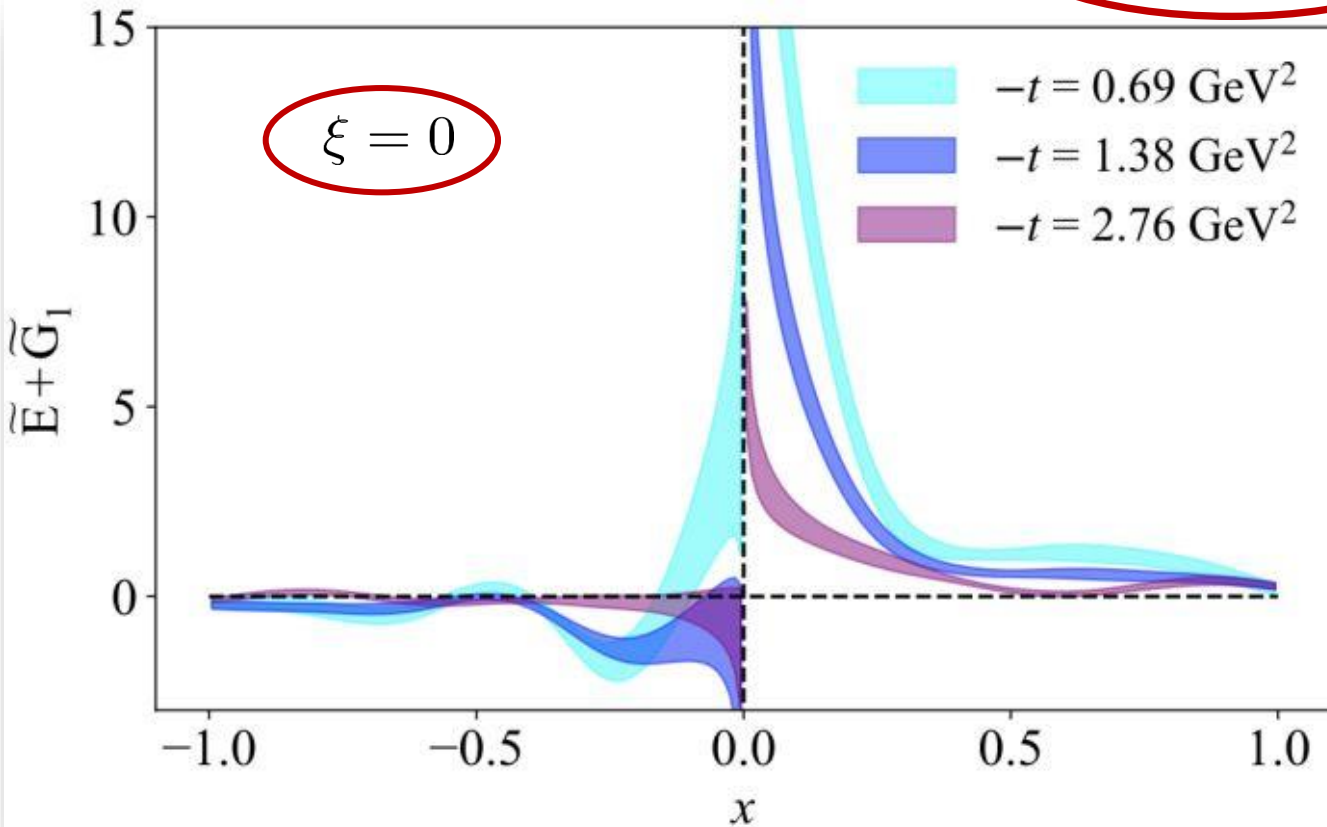
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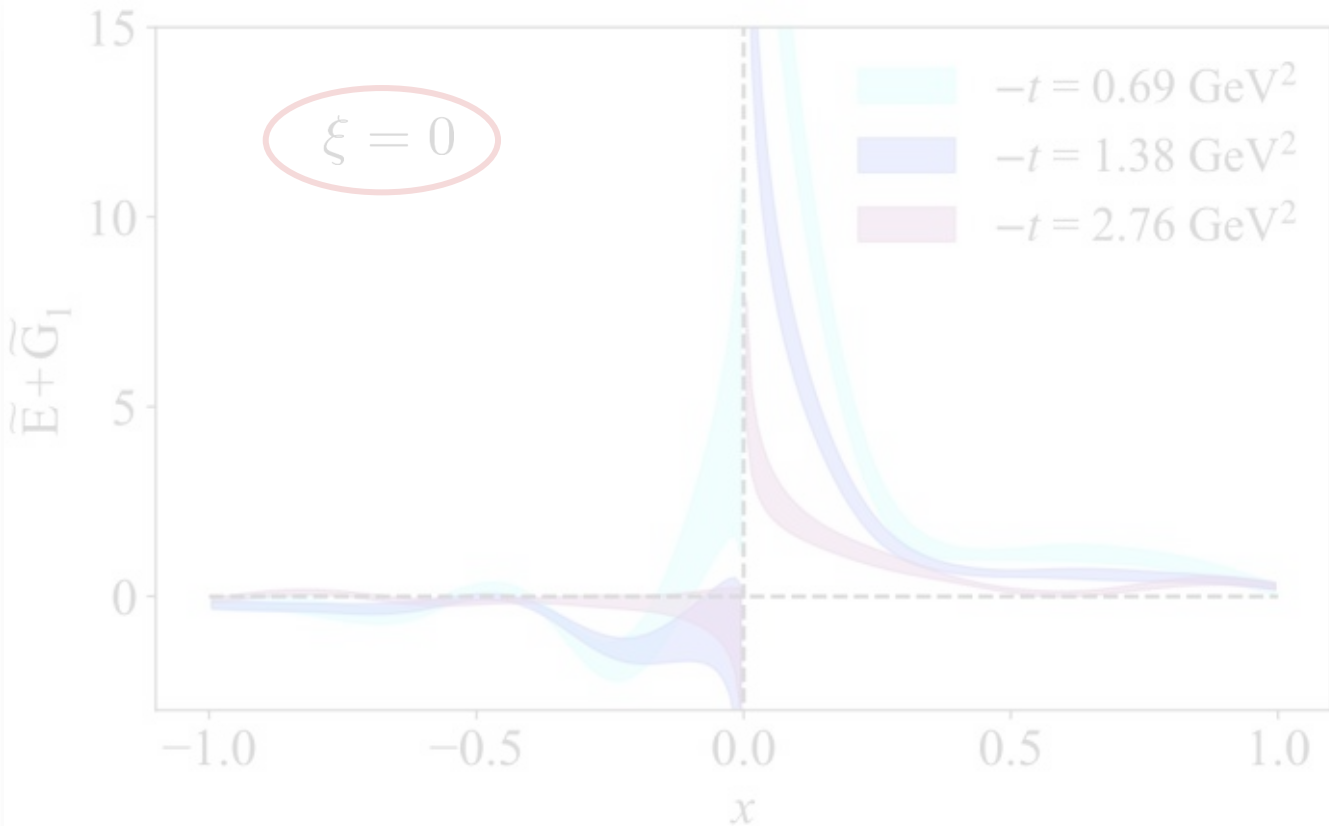


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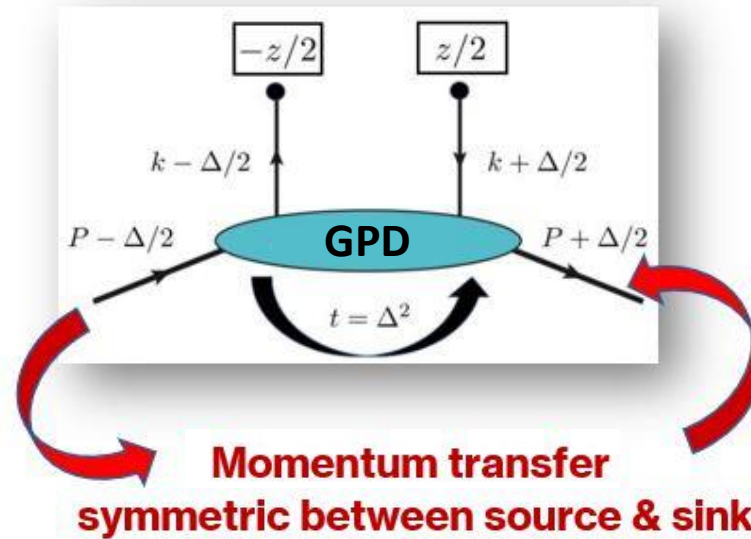


First exploration of twist-3 GPDs

But little hiccup ...

Traditionally, GPDs have been calculated from “symmetric frames”

Practical drawback



Lattice QCD calculations of GPDs in symmetric frames are expensive

In symmetric frame, full new calculation required for each momentum transfer (Δ)



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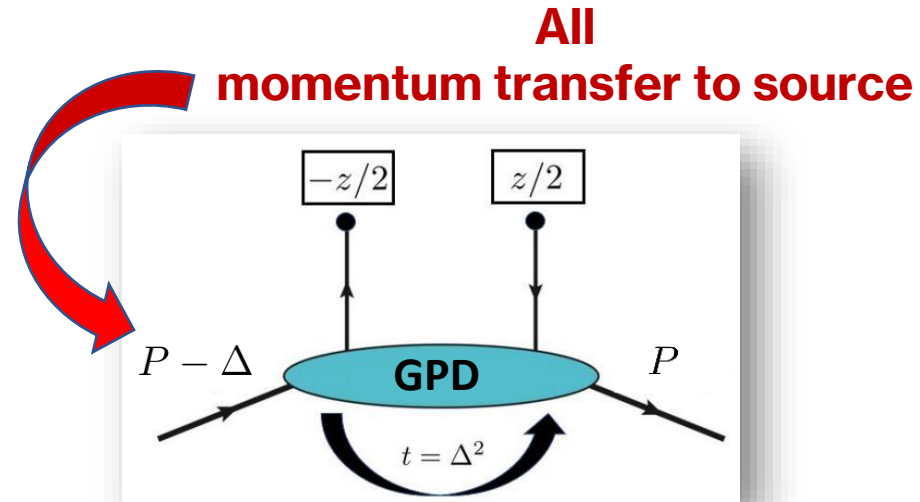
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GPDs from asymmetric frames



Resolution:



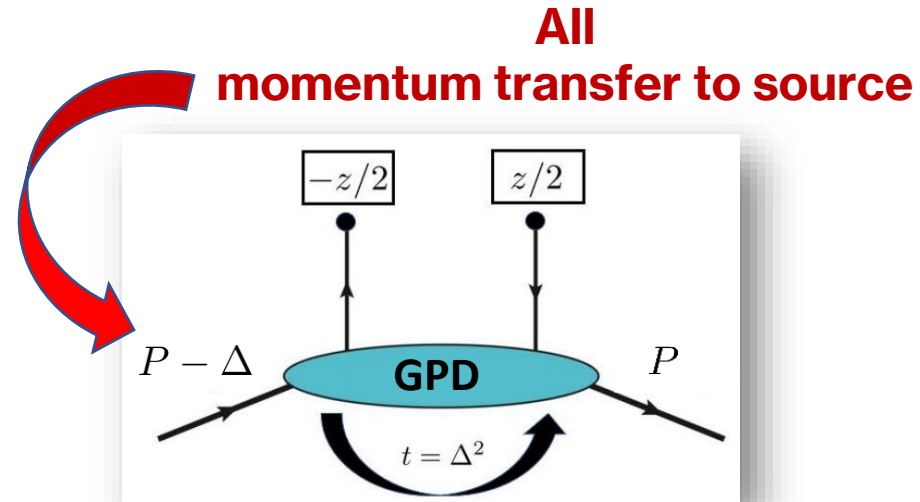
Perform Lattice QCD calculations of GPDs in asymmetric frames:

- **Reduction in computational cost**
- **Access to broad range of t (enabling creation of high-resolution partonic maps)**

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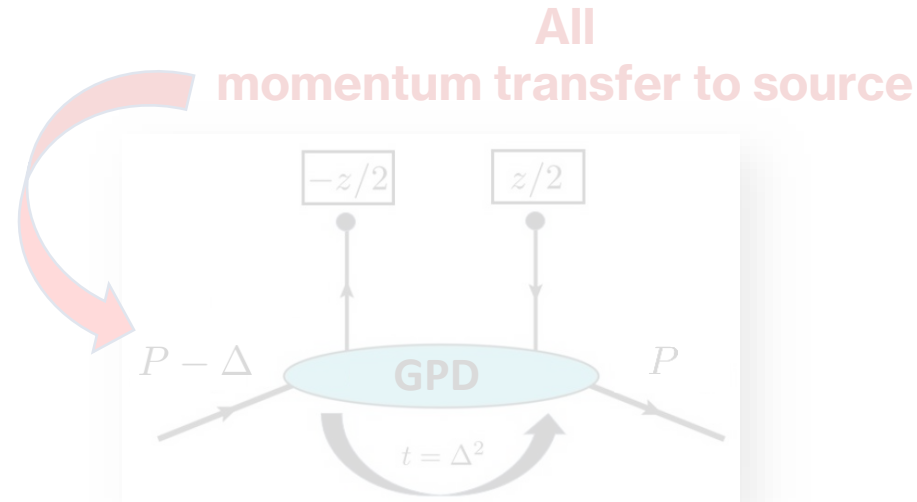
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Example

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↑

Vector operator $F_{\lambda, \lambda'}^\mu = \langle p', \lambda' | \bar{q}(-z/2) \gamma^\mu q(z/2) | p, \lambda \rangle \Big|_{z=0, \vec{z}_\perp = \vec{0}_\perp}$

Features:

- **8** linearly-independent Dirac structures
- **8** Lorentz-invariant (frame-independent) amplitudes $\mathbf{A}_i \equiv \mathbf{A}_i(z \cdot P, z \cdot \Delta, t = \Delta^2, z^2)$



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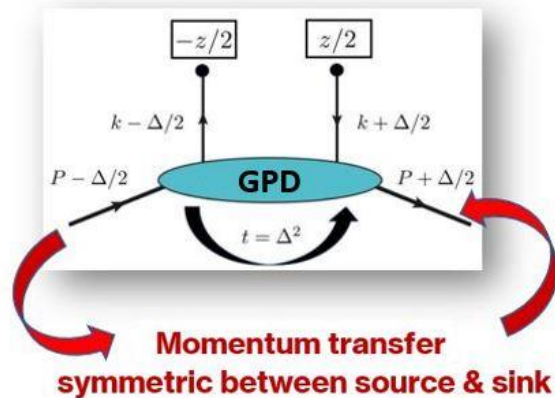
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Traditional definition (symmetric frame):

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$$= \bar{u}_s(p'_s, \lambda') \left[\gamma^0 H_{Q(0)}(z, P_s, \Delta_s)|_s + \frac{i\sigma^{0\mu} \Delta_{\mu, s}}{2M} E_{Q(0)}(z, P_s, \Delta_s)|_s \right] u_s(p_s, \lambda)$$



Quasi-GPDs are intrinsically frame-dependent



GPDs from asymmetric frames

Example

Lorentz covariant formalism

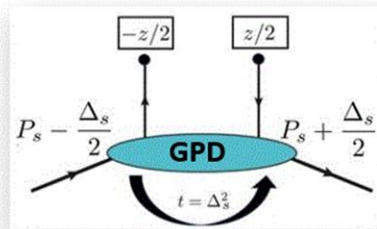
Main point:

$$H_{Q(0)}^s = \sum_i c_i A_i$$

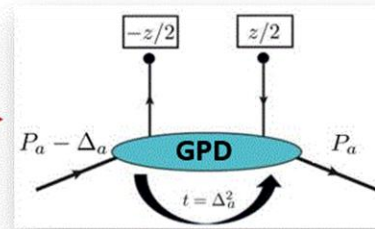
$$F^\mu(z, P, \Delta) = \bar{u}(p_f, \lambda') \left[\frac{P^\mu}{m} A_1 + m z^\mu i \sigma^{z\Delta} A_7 + \frac{\Delta^\mu i \sigma^{z\Delta}}{m} A_8 \right] u(p_i, \lambda)$$

Main point:

Calculate quasi-GPD in symmetric frame through matrix elements of asymmetric frame



Symmetric frame



Asymmetric frame

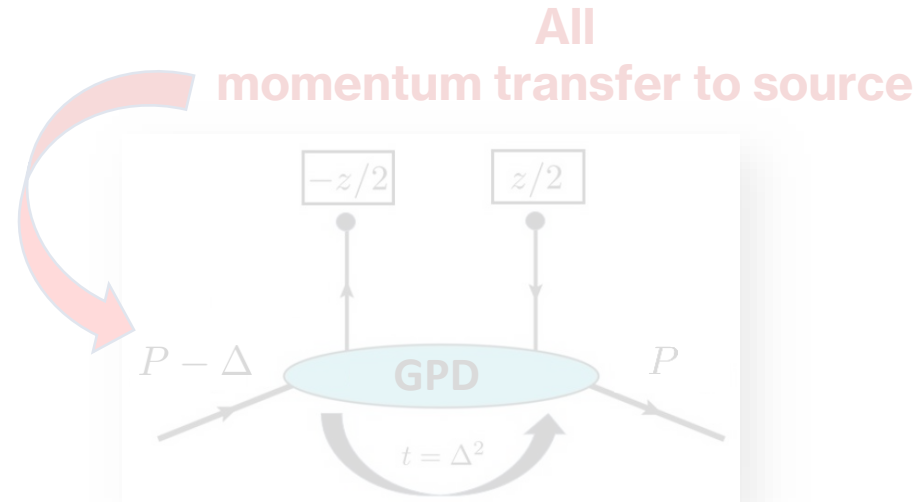
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$$A_i(z \cdot P, z \cdot \Delta, t = \Delta^2, z^2)$$

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Resolution:



Major theoretical advances:

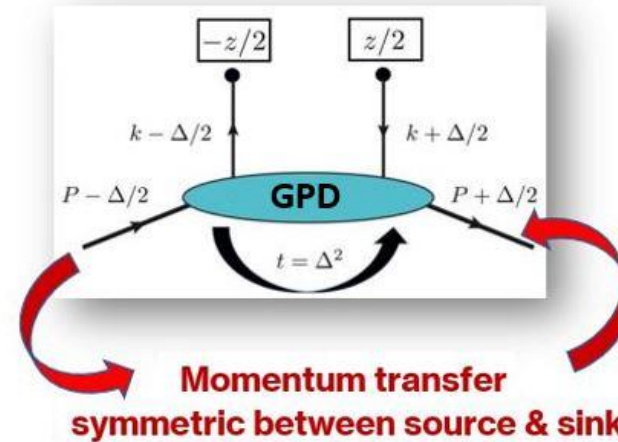
- Lorentz covariant formalism for calculating quasi-GPDs in any frame
- **Elimination of power corrections potentially allowing faster convergence to light-cone GPDs**



GPDs from asymmetric frames

Relations between GPDs & amplitudes

Example: Symmetric frame



Quasi-GPD:

$$\begin{aligned}
 H_{Q(0)}^s(z, P^s, \Delta^s) = & A_1 + \frac{\Delta^{0,s}}{P^{0,s}} A_3 - \frac{m^2 \Delta^{0,s} z^3}{2P^{0,s} P^{3,s}} A_4 + \left[\frac{(\Delta^{0,s})^2 z^3}{2P^{3,s}} - \frac{\Delta^{0,s} \Delta^{3,s} z^3 P^{0,s}}{2(P^{3,s})^2} - \frac{z^3 (\Delta_{\perp}^s)^2}{2P^{3,s}} \right] A_6 \\
 & + \left[\frac{(\Delta^{0,s})^3 z^3}{2P^{0,s} P^{3,s}} - \frac{(\Delta^{0,s})^2 \Delta^{3,s} z^3}{2(P^{3,s})^2} - \frac{\Delta^{0,s} z^3 (\Delta_{\perp}^s)^2}{2P^{0,s} P^{3,s}} \right] A_8,
 \end{aligned}$$

GPDs from asymmetric frames



Relations between GPDs & amplitudes

Light-cone GPD: (Lorentz-invariant)

$$H(z \cdot P^{s/a}, z \cdot \Delta^{s/a}, (\Delta^{s/a})^2) = A_1 + \frac{\Delta^{s/a} \cdot z}{P^{s/a} \cdot z} A_3$$

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GPDs from asymmetric frames



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Contamination from additional amplitudes or explicit power corrections

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GPDs from asymmetric frames

Relations between GPDs & amplitudes

Light-cone GPD: (Lorentz-invariant)

Main finding

Schematic structure of (operator-level) Lorentz-invariant definition of quasi-GPD:

$$H_Q \rightarrow c_0 \langle \bar{\psi} \gamma^0 \psi \rangle + c_1 \langle \bar{\psi} \gamma^1 \psi \rangle + c_2 \langle \bar{\psi} \gamma^2 \psi \rangle$$

Here, c's are frame-dependent kinematic factors that cancel additional amplitudes such that quasi-GPD has the same functional form as light-cone GPD (Lorentz invariant)

$$+ \left[\frac{(\Delta^{0,s})^3 z^3}{2P^{0,s} P^{3,s}} - \frac{(\Delta^{0,s})^2 \Delta^{3,s} z^3}{2(P^{3,s})^2} - \frac{\Delta^{0,s} z^3 (\Delta_{\perp}^s)^2}{2P^{0,s} P^{3,s}} \right] A_8,$$



GPDs from asymmetric frames

New definition of quasi-GPDs

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$$A_i \equiv A_i(z^2 = 0)$$

Lorentz-invariant definition of quasi-GPD:

$$\mathcal{H}(z \cdot P^{s/a}, z \cdot \Delta^{s/a}, (\Delta^{s/a})^2, z^2) = A_1 + \frac{\Delta^{s/a} \cdot z}{P^{s/a} \cdot z} A_3$$

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Same functional forms



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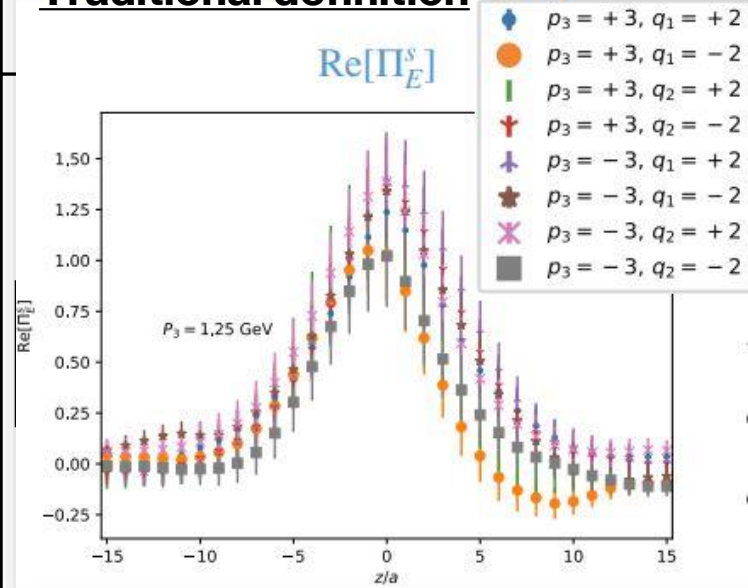
Feature:

- Lorentz-invariant definition of quasi-GPDs may converge faster

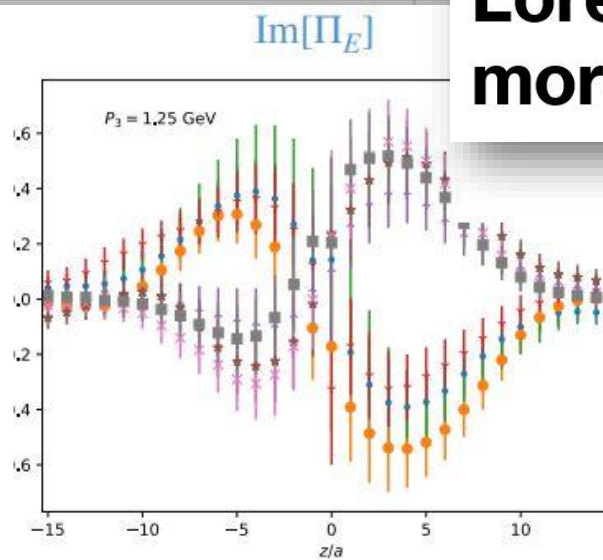
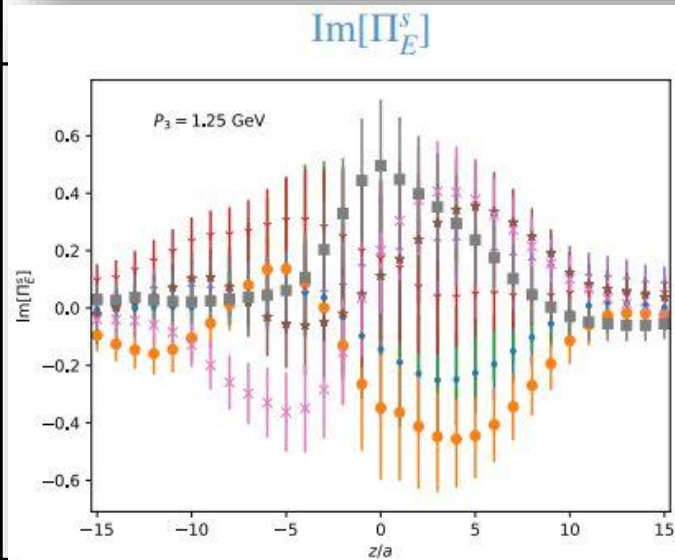
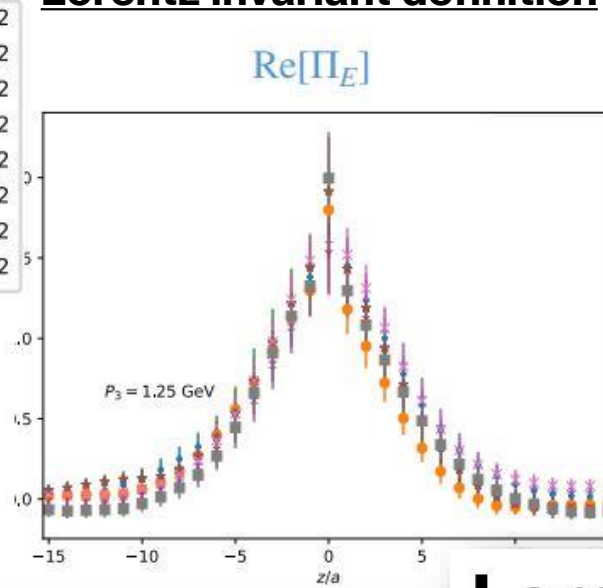


GPDs from asymmetric frames

Traditional definition



Lorentz invariant definition



quasi-GPDs

Lorentz-invariant definition of quasi-GPD:

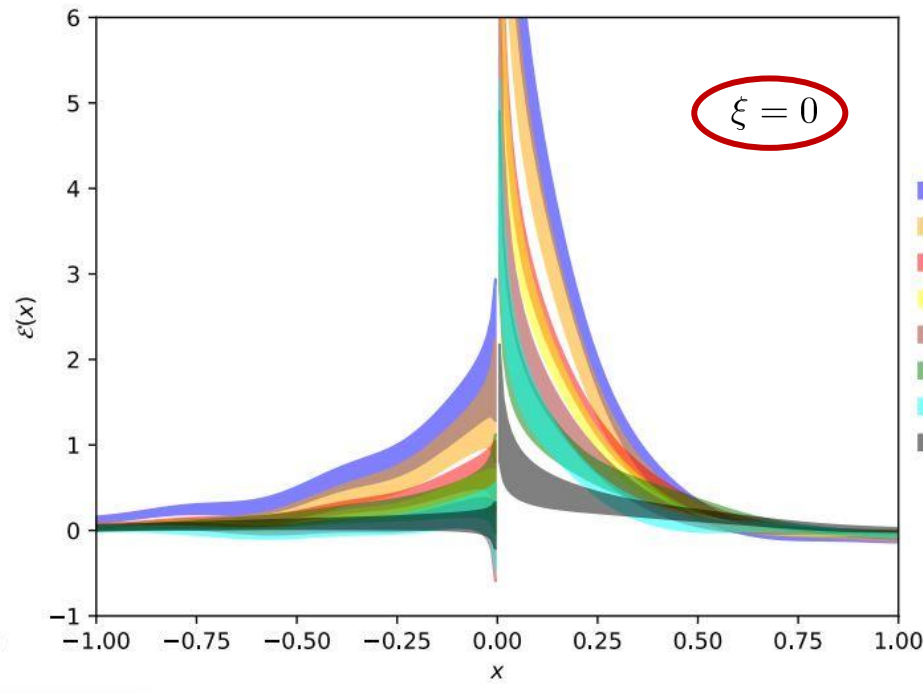
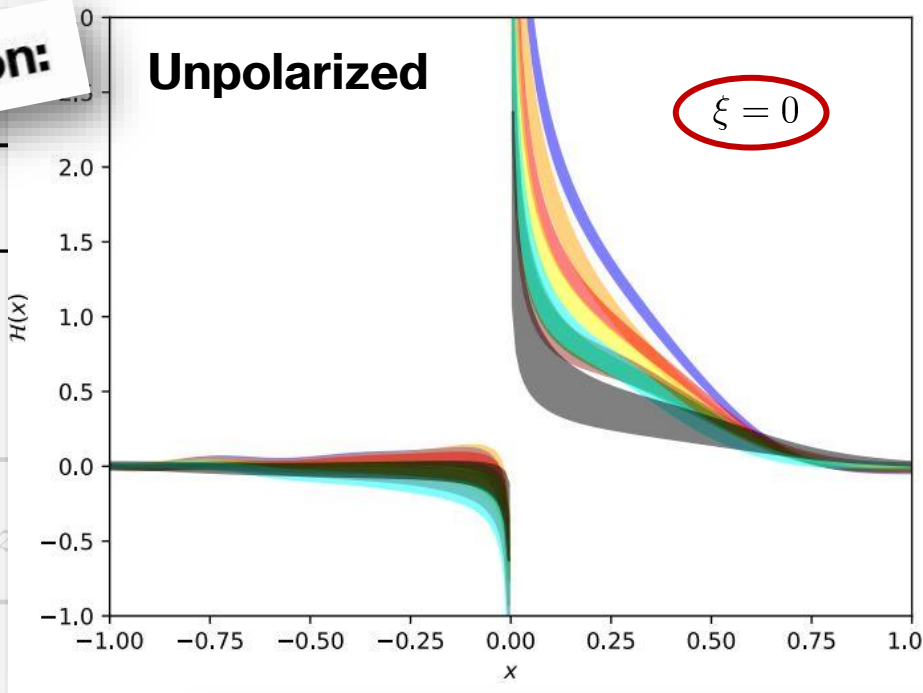
$$P^{s/a}, z \cdot \Delta^{s/a}, (\Delta^{s/a})^2, z^2 = A_1 + \frac{\Delta^{s/a} \cdot z}{P^{s/a} \cdot z} A_3$$

Lorentz invariant definition leads to more precise results for GPD E

converge faster



Proton:



- t = 0.17 GeV²
- t = 0.33 GeV²
- t = 0.64 GeV²
- t = 0.80 GeV²
- t = 1.16 GeV²
- t = 1.37 GeV²
- t = 1.50 GeV²
- t = 2.26 GeV²

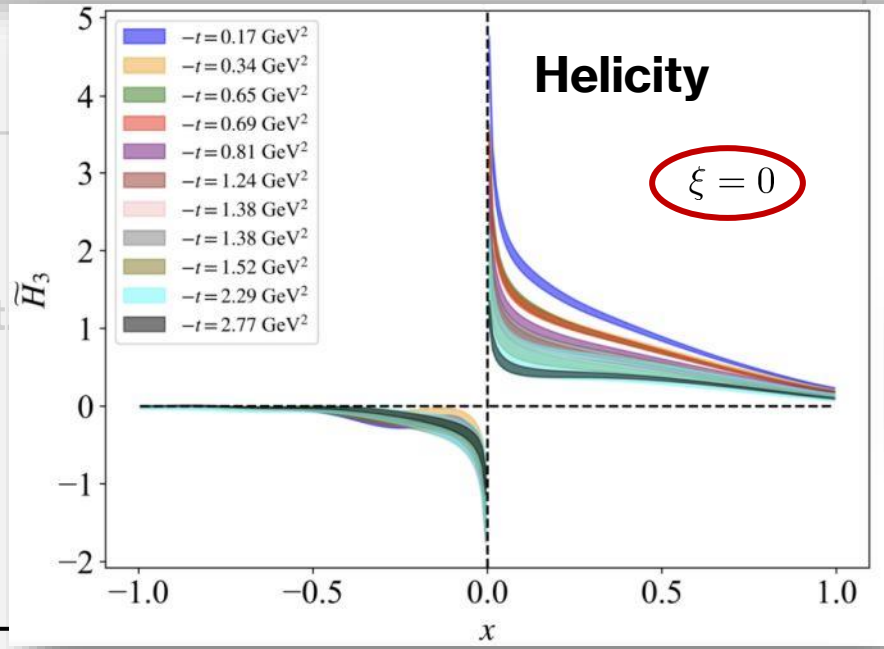
PD:



$$A_i \equiv A_i(z^2 \neq 0)$$

Feature:

- Lorentz



- t = 0.17 GeV²
- t = 0.34 GeV²
- t = 0.65 GeV²
- t = 0.69 GeV²
- t = 0.81 GeV²
- t = 1.24 GeV²
- t = 1.38 GeV²
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- t = 1.52 GeV²
- t = 2.29 GeV²
- t = 2.77 GeV²

GPDs derived from asymmetric frames within the amplitude formalism



GPDs from asymmetric frames

New definition of quasi-GPDs

GPDs derived from asymmetric frames within the amplitude formalism

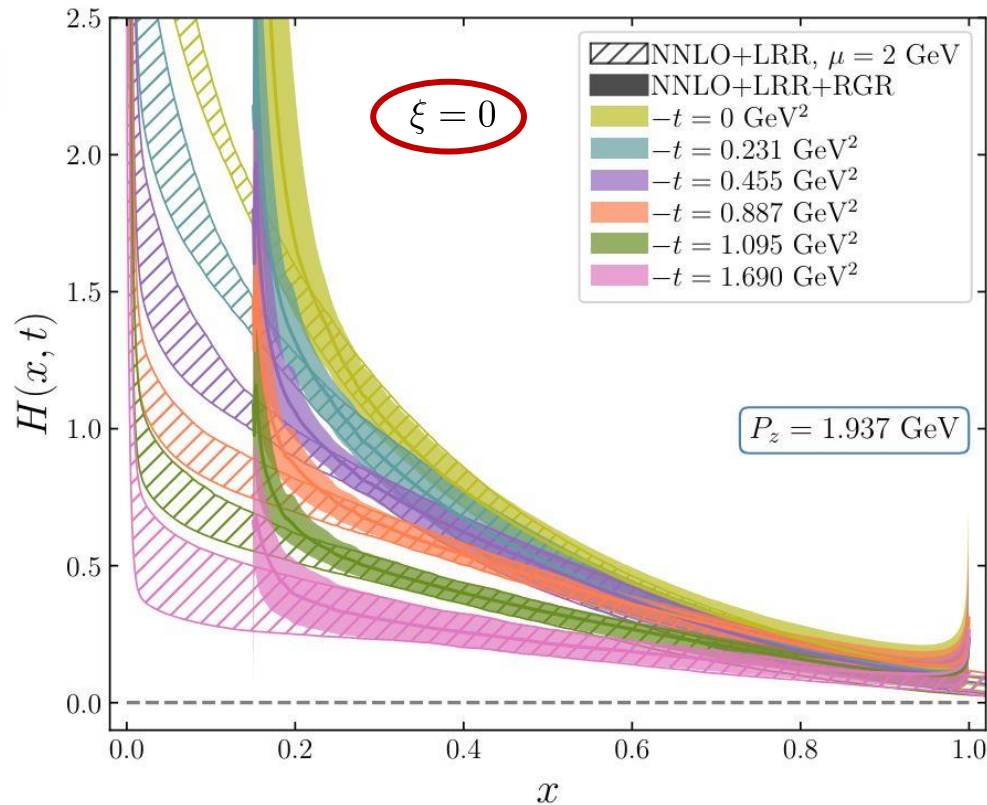
quasi-GPD:

$$H(z \cdot P^{s/a}, (\Delta^{s/a})^2, z^2) = A_1 + \frac{\Delta^{s/a} \cdot z}{P^{s/a} \cdot z} A_3$$

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$H(z \cdot P^{s/a}, (\Delta^{s/a})^2, z^2)$

Pion:



Feature:

- Lorentz-invariant

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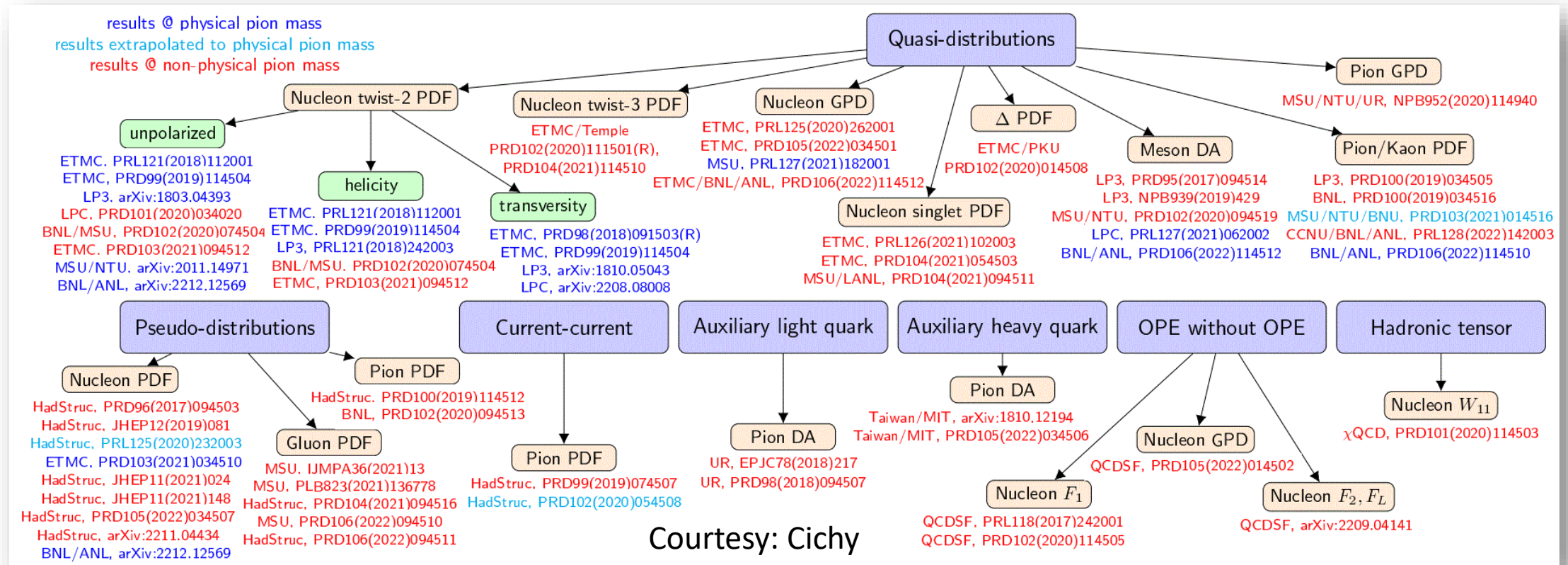
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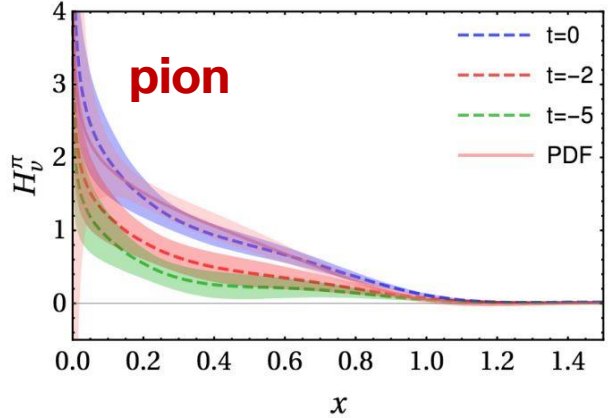


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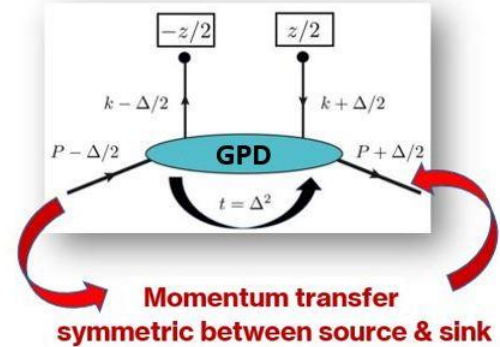
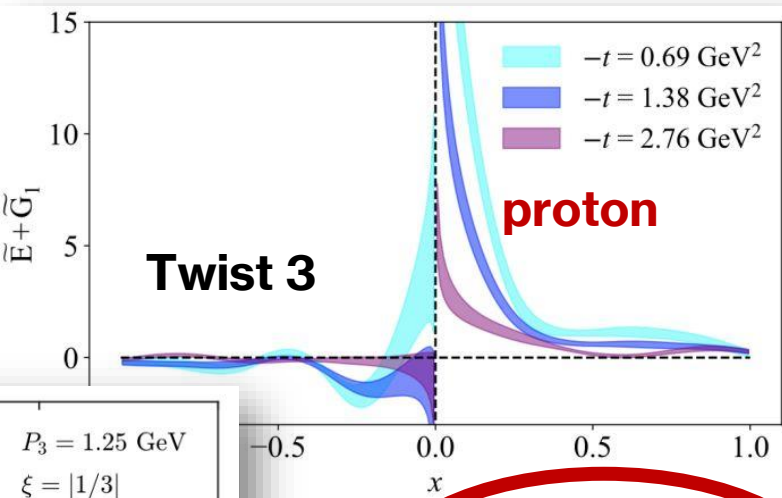
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Overview of Euclidean-correlator approaches

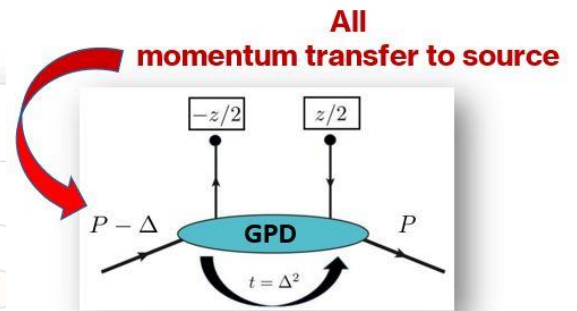
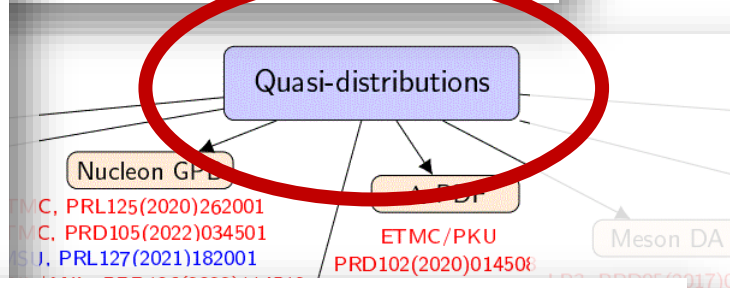
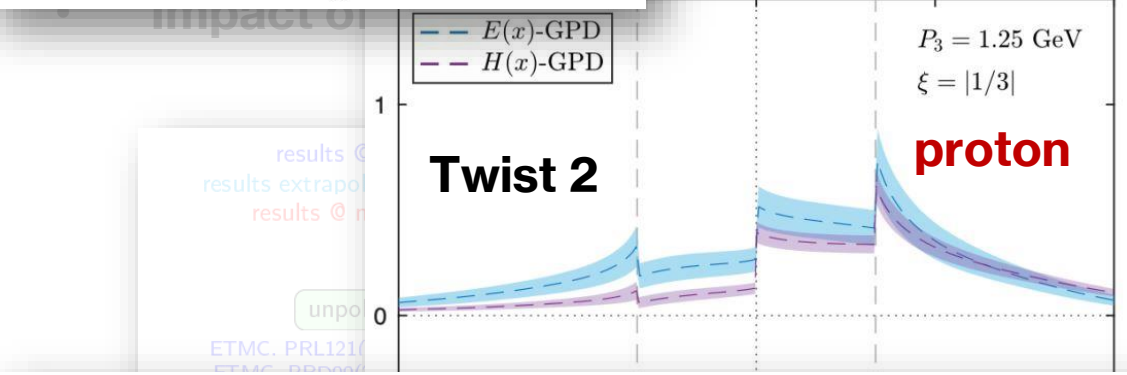




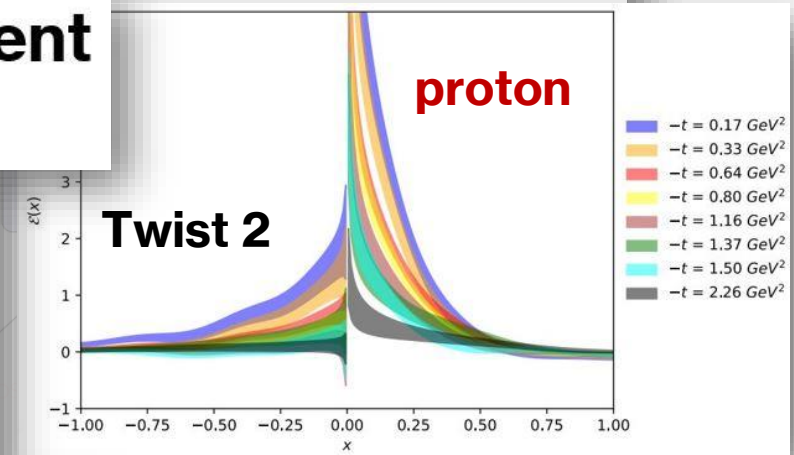
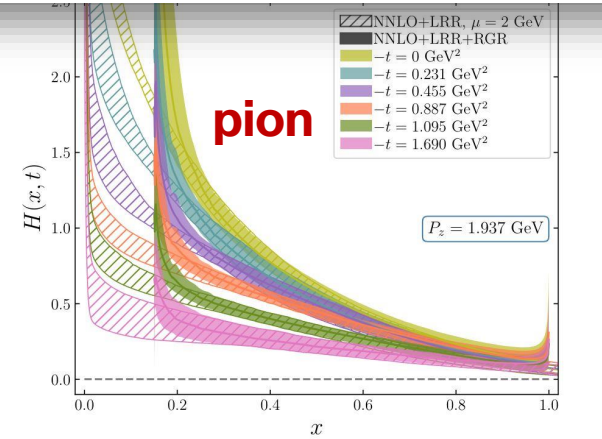
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Lattice calculations can serve as a valuable complement to the ongoing efforts at the EIC



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Progress of Lattice QCD calculations of PDFs/GPDs

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Review Article

A Guide to Light-Cone PDFs from Lattice QCD: An Overview of Approaches, Techniques, and Results

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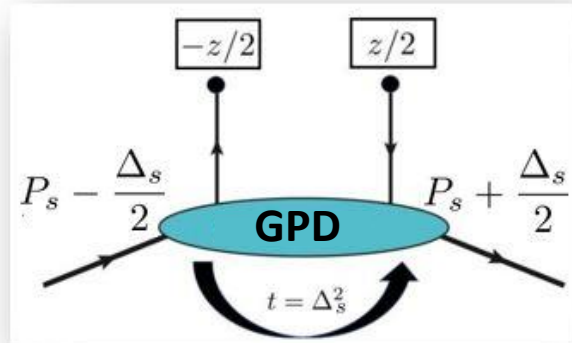


GPDs from asymmetric frames

Historic definitions of quasi-GPDs H & E are not manifestly Lorentz invariant

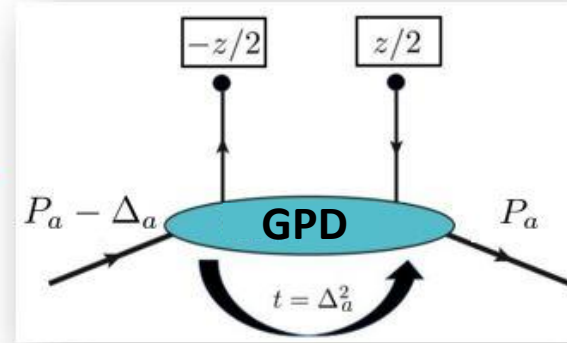
Think about how γ^0 transforms under Lorentz transformation

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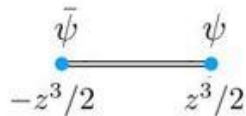


Symmetric frame

“Transverse” Lorentz transformation



Asymmetric frame



“Transverse” with respect to Wilson Line

$$F_s^0 = \gamma F_0^a - \gamma\beta F_\perp^a$$

$$\beta = -\sqrt{\frac{E_i^a - E_f^a}{E_i^a + E_f^a}} < 0$$

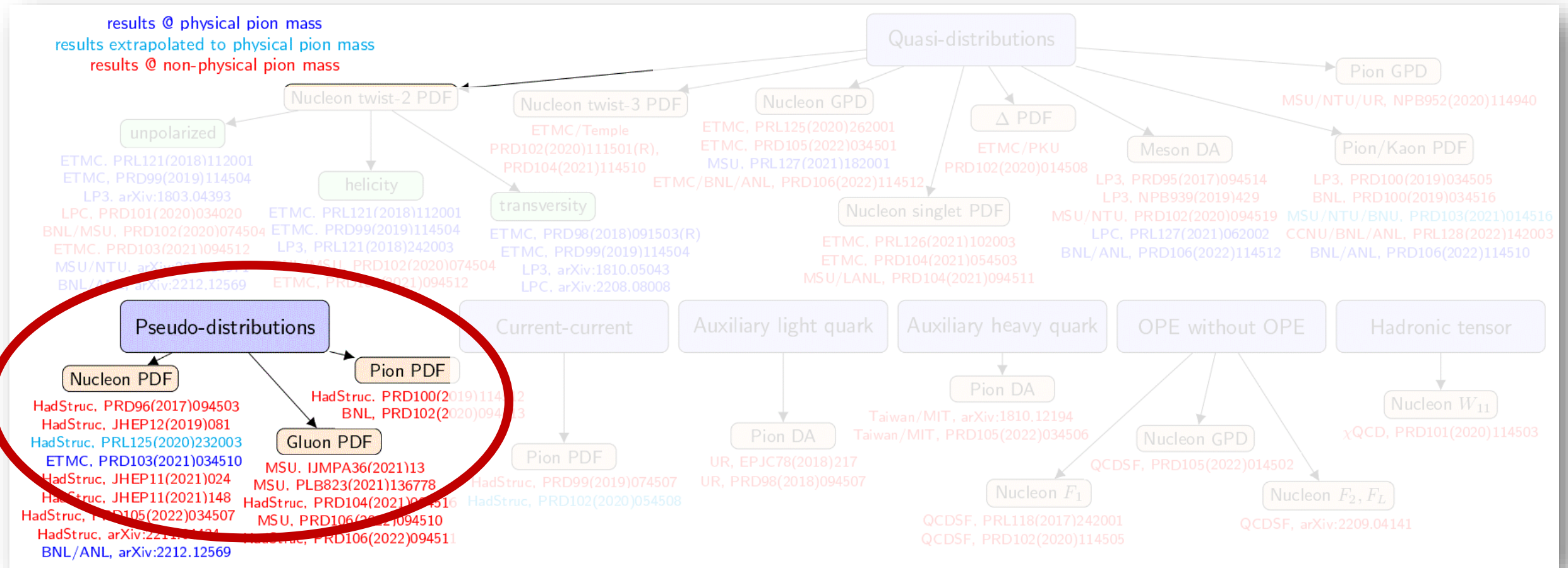
$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

(γ_s, λ)



Dynamical Progress of Lattice QCD calculations of PDFs/GPDs

Lattice QCD calculations of x-dependence of PDFs & related quantities using Euclidean correlators:



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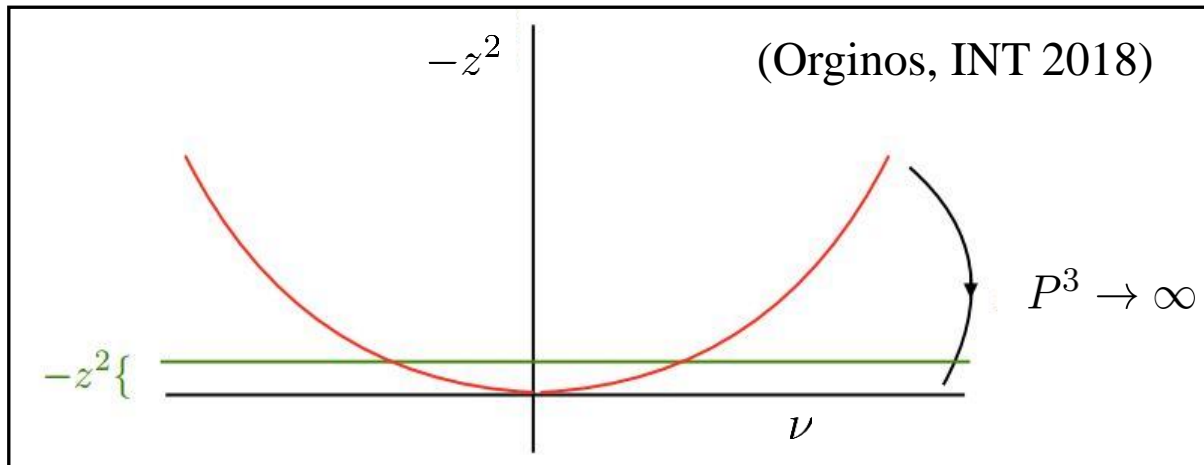


Pseudo-GPD approach

Generalized Parton Distributions and Pseudo-Distributions

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Sketch of the approach:



Quasi-PDF : Fixed P^3

$$Q(x, P^3) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\nu e^{-ix\nu} \left(\begin{array}{c} z \quad 0 \\ \uparrow \quad \downarrow \\ \mathcal{M}(-pz, -z^2) \\ \downarrow \quad \uparrow \\ p \quad p \end{array} \right)$$

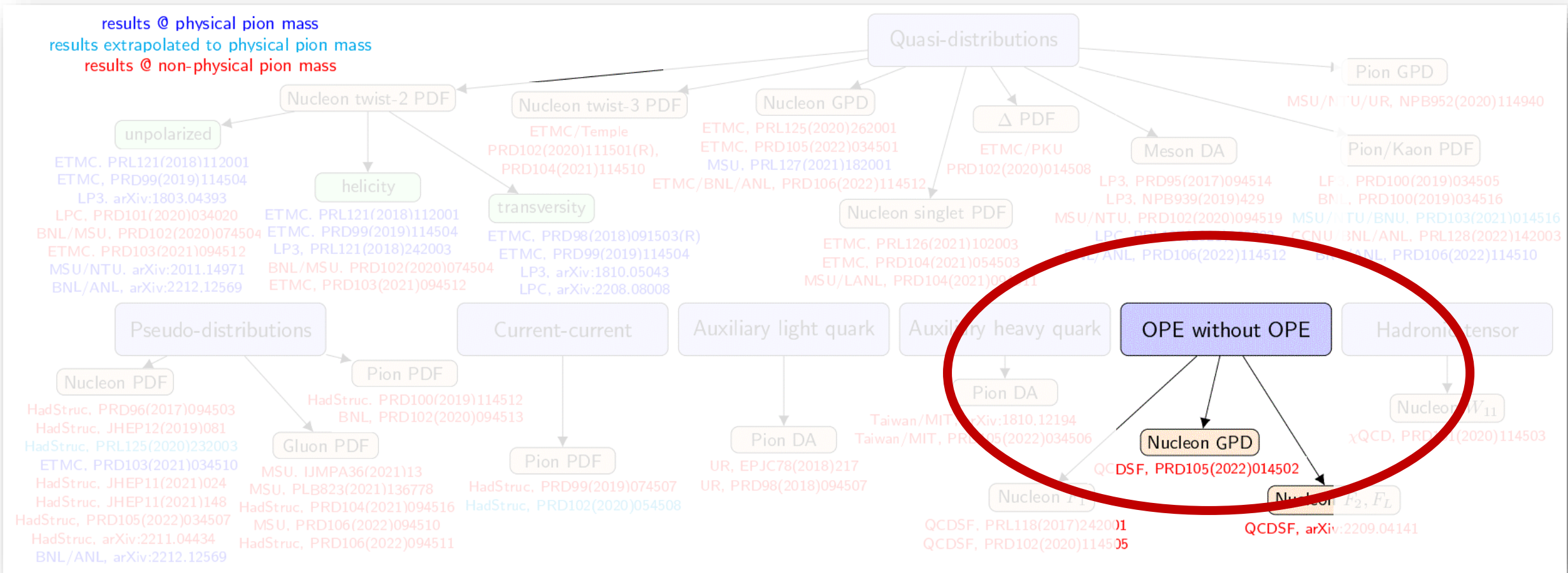
Pseudo-PDF : Fixed z^2

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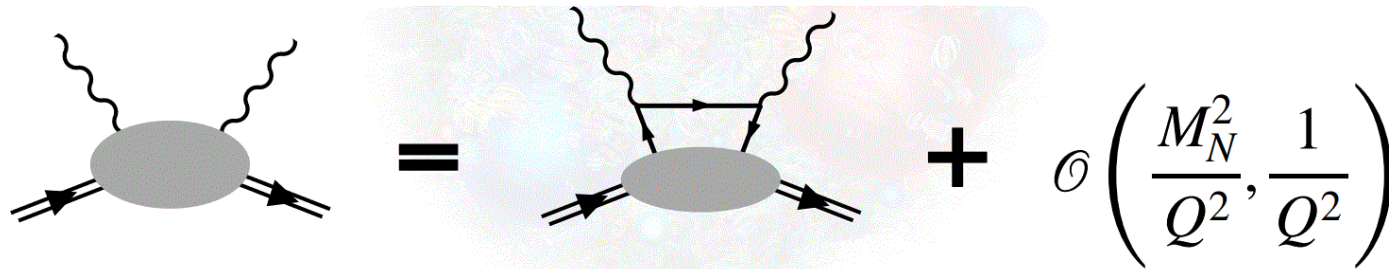


Compton amplitude in Lattices

Generalised parton distributions from the off-forward Compton amplitude in lattice QCD

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Example: Forward Compton amplitude

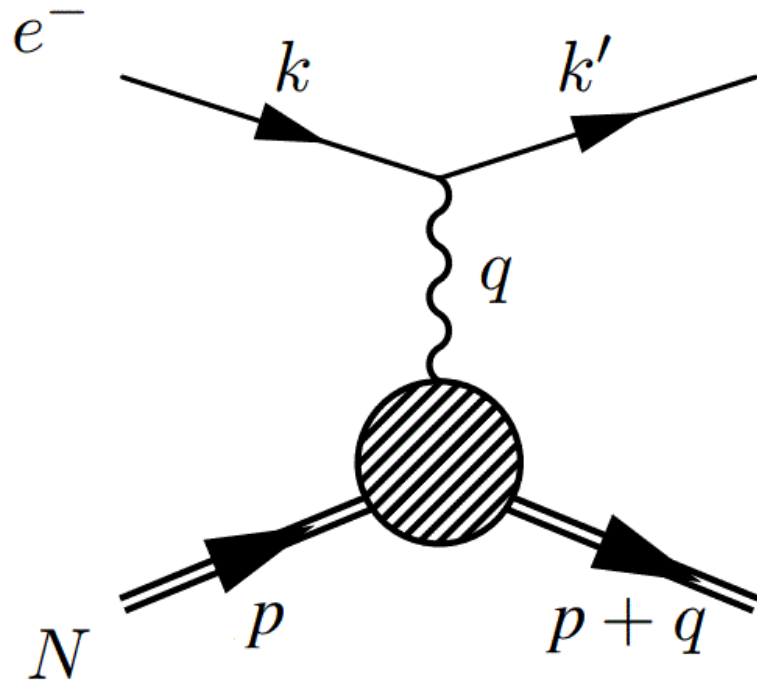


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Compton amplitude in Lattices



Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS)



DIS & Hadronic Tensor:

$$W_{\mu\nu} = \left(-g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{q_\mu q_\nu}{q^2} \right) F_1(x, Q^2) + \left(p_\mu - \frac{p \cdot q}{q^2} q_\mu \right) \left(p_\nu - \frac{p \cdot q}{q^2} q_\nu \right) \frac{F_2(x, Q^2)}{p \cdot q}$$

Structure Functions

Compton amplitude in Lattices



**Forward
Compton amplitude:**

$$\begin{aligned} T_{\mu\nu}(p, q) &= i \int d^4z e^{iq \cdot z} \rho_{ss'} \langle p, s' | \mathcal{T} \{ J_\mu(z) J_\nu(0) \} | p, s \rangle \\ &= \left(-g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{q_\mu q_\nu}{q^2} \right) \mathcal{F}_1(\omega, Q^2) + \left(p_\mu - \frac{p \cdot q}{q^2} q_\mu \right) \left(p_\nu - \frac{p \cdot q}{q^2} q_\nu \right) \frac{\mathcal{F}_2(\omega, Q^2)}{p \cdot q} \end{aligned}$$

→ Compton Structure Functions (SF) ←

Same Lorentz decomposition as the Hadronic tensor

Compton amplitude in Lattices



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→ Compton Structure Functions (SF) ←

Dispersion relations connecting Compton SFs to DIS SFs:

$$\underbrace{\mathcal{F}_1(\omega, Q^2) - \mathcal{F}_1(0, Q^2)}_{\equiv \overline{\mathcal{F}}_1(\omega, Q^2)} = 2\omega^2 \int_0^1 dx \frac{2x F_1(x, Q^2)}{1 - x^2\omega^2 - i\epsilon}$$

$$\mathcal{F}_2(\omega, Q^2) = 4\omega \int_0^1 dx \frac{F_2(x, Q^2)}{1 - x^2\omega^2 - i\epsilon}$$



Compton amplitude in Lattices

Forward
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→ Compton Structure Functions (SF) ←

Compton amplitude approach gives access to moments of DIS SFs:

Example:

$$\mathcal{F}_2(\omega, Q^2) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 4\omega^{2n-1} M_{2n}^{(2)}(Q^2), \text{ where } M_{2n}^{(2,L)}(Q^2) = \int_0^1 dx x^{2n-2} F_{2,L}(x, Q^2)$$



Compton amplitude in Lattices

Off-forward is very similar

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2\bar{P} \cdot \bar{q}} \left[- \left(h \cdot \bar{q} \mathcal{H}_1 + e \cdot \bar{q} \mathcal{E}_1 \right) g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{\bar{P} \cdot \bar{q}} \left(h \cdot \bar{q} \mathcal{H}_2 + e \cdot \bar{q} \mathcal{E}_2 \right) \bar{P}_\mu \bar{P}_\nu + \mathcal{H}_3 h_{\{\mu} \bar{P}_{\nu\}} \right] + \dots$$

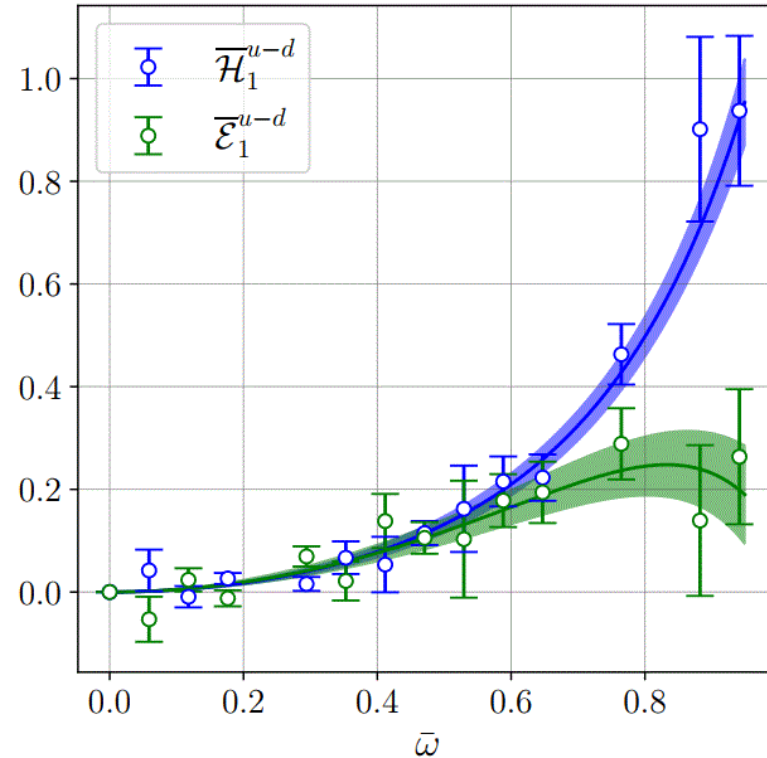
Compton amplitude:

This approach gives access to moments GPDs:

Compton amplitude approach

Example:

$$\mathcal{F}_2(\omega, Q^2) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 4\omega^{2n-1} /$$



Isovector results for $t = -0.57 \text{ GeV}^2$.



Outlook

- **Improving perturbative calculations**
- **Better understanding of power corrections**
- **Synergy with phenomenology ...**