

COMPASS Review on PDF observables



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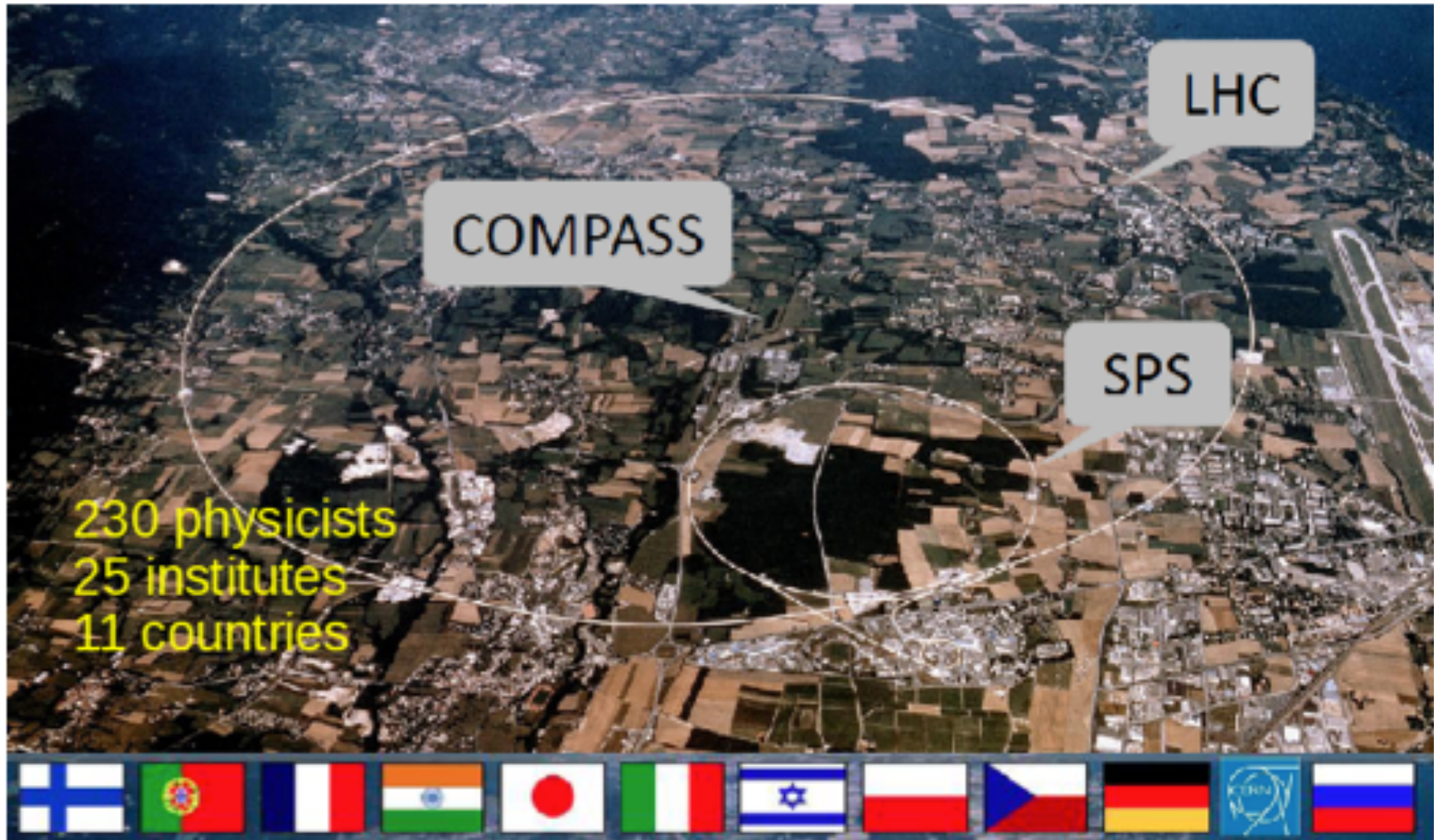


Probing strangeness in hard processes

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The COMPASS Experiment

Common Muon and Proton Apparatus for Structure and Spectroscopy



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Fixed target experiment @ CERN

High energy beam: 160 GeV/c

Beam intensity $2 \cdot 10^8 \mu^+/\text{spill}$ (4.8s)

Two stage spectrometer with SM1/2 magnets

Muon identification

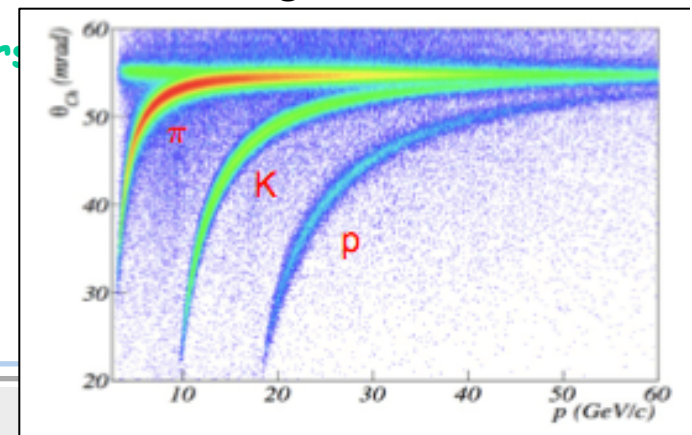
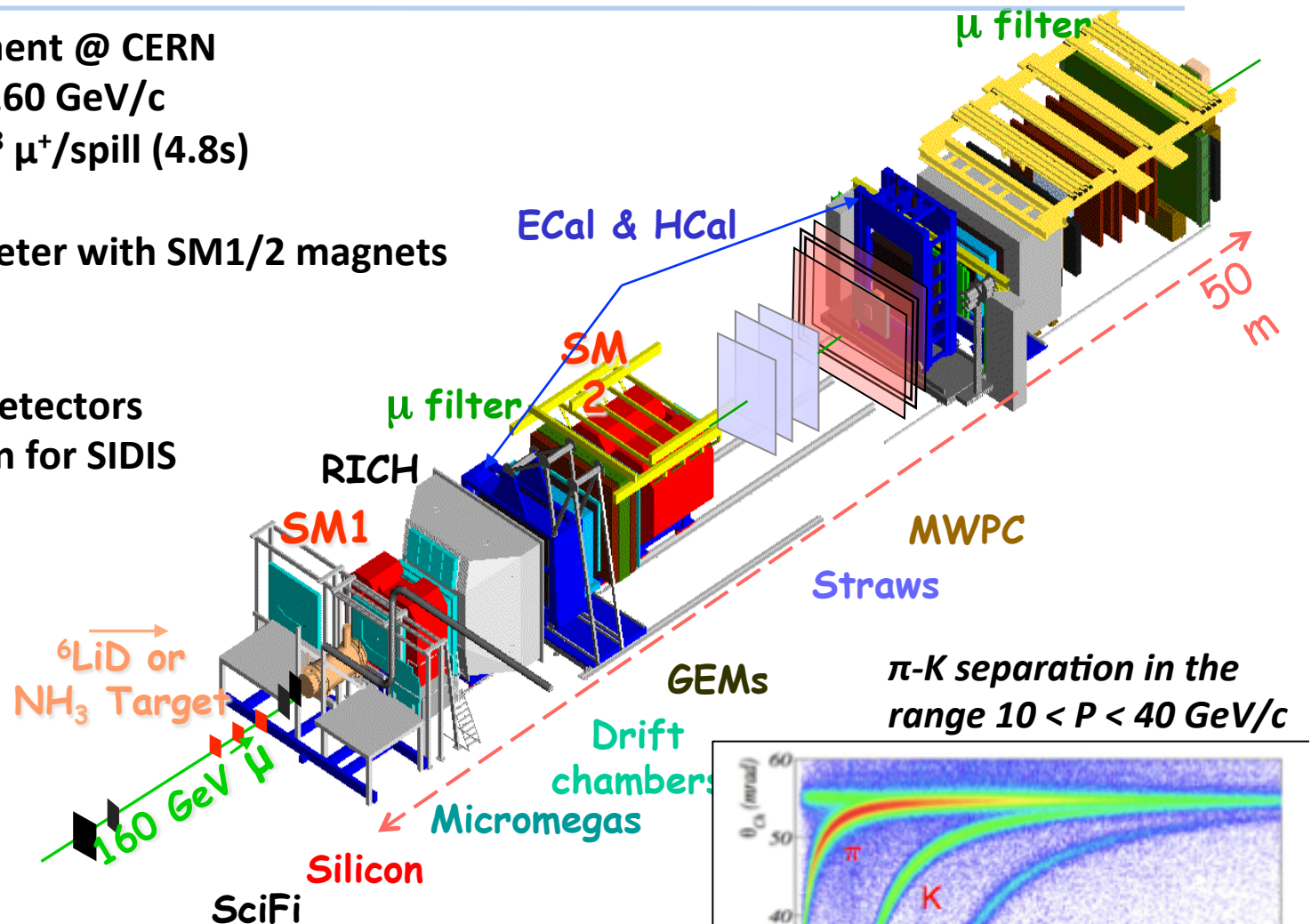
Variety of tracking detectors

Hadron identification for SIDIS

Polarized target

2002-2006: ${}^6\text{LiD}$

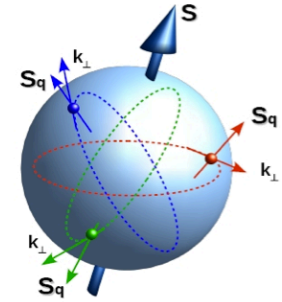
2007, 2011: NH_3



The spin of the nucleon

Longitudinal spin decomposition

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Deep Inelastic Scattering cross-section

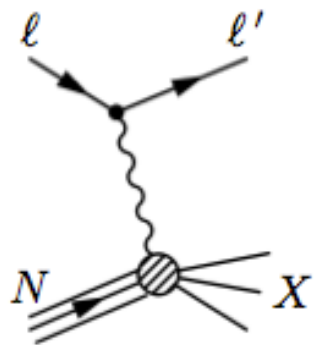
Inclusive Deep Inelastic scattering cross-section

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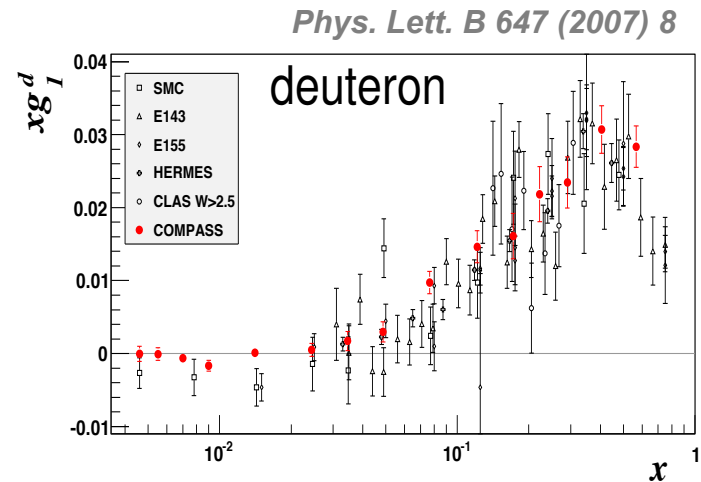
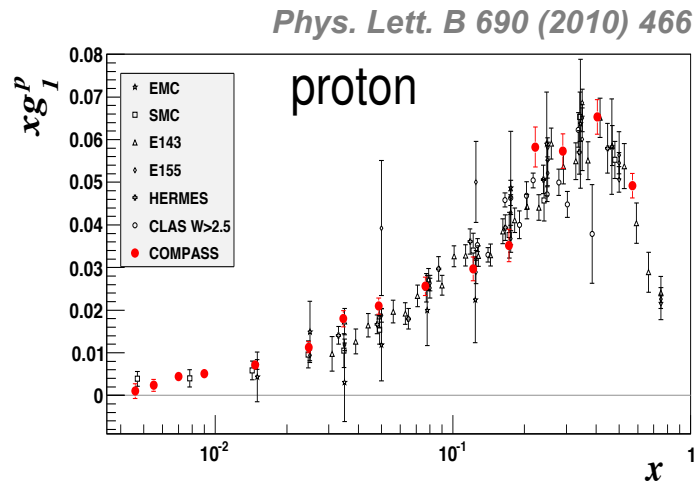


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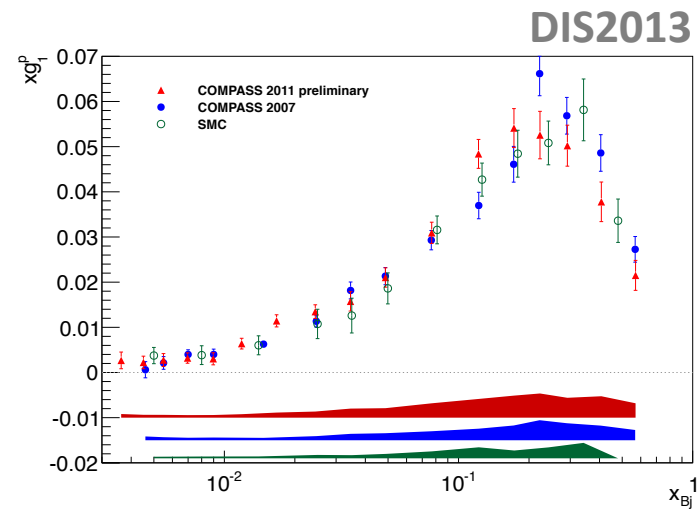
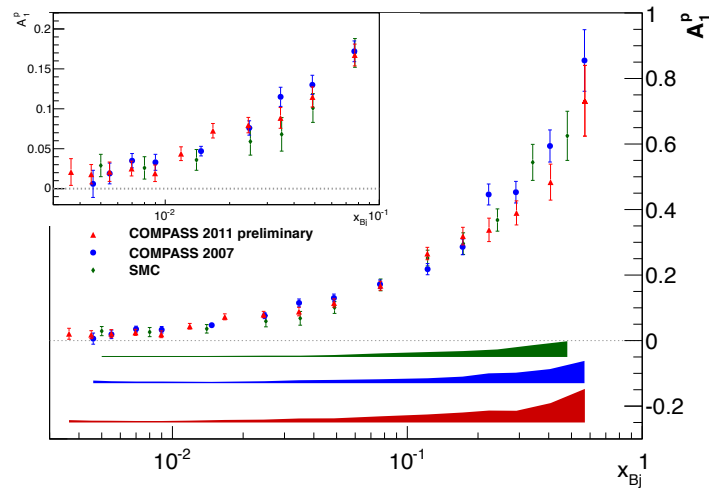
$$A = \frac{\sigma^{\uparrow\uparrow} - \sigma^{\uparrow\downarrow}}{\sigma^{\uparrow\uparrow} + \sigma^{\uparrow\downarrow}} \Rightarrow g_1(x, Q^2)$$

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New $A_1^p(x)$ & $g_1^p(x)$ from 2011 200 GeV data



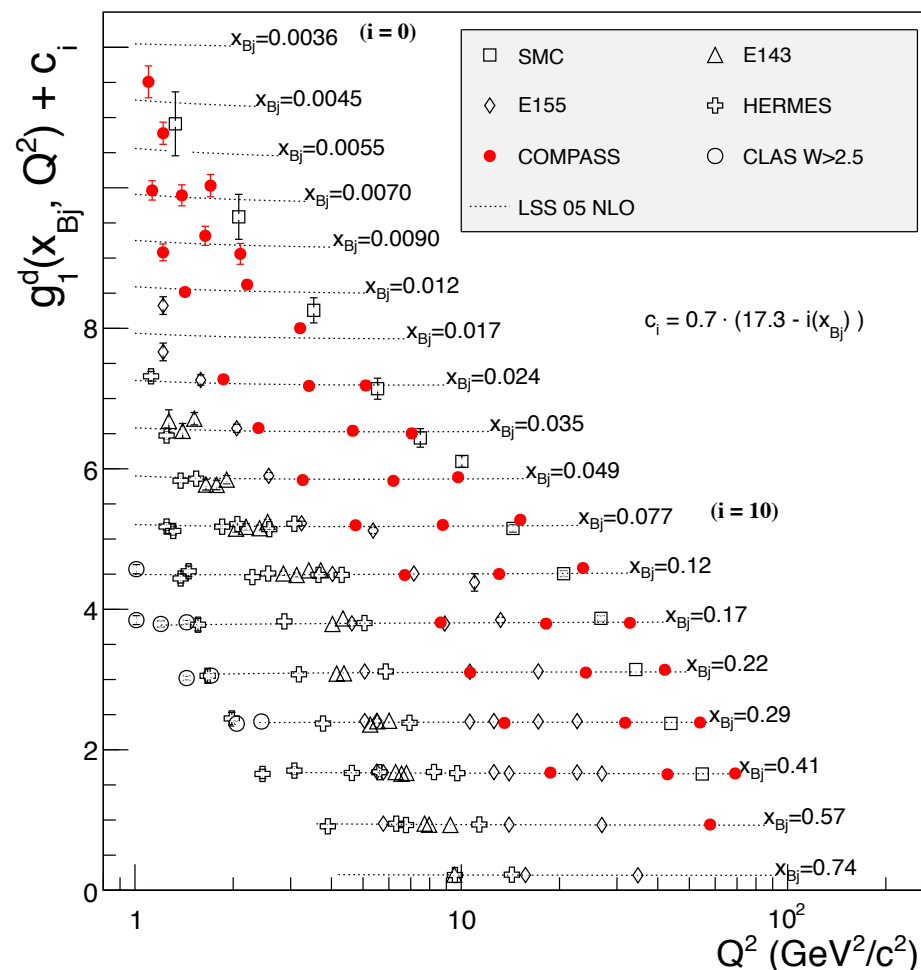
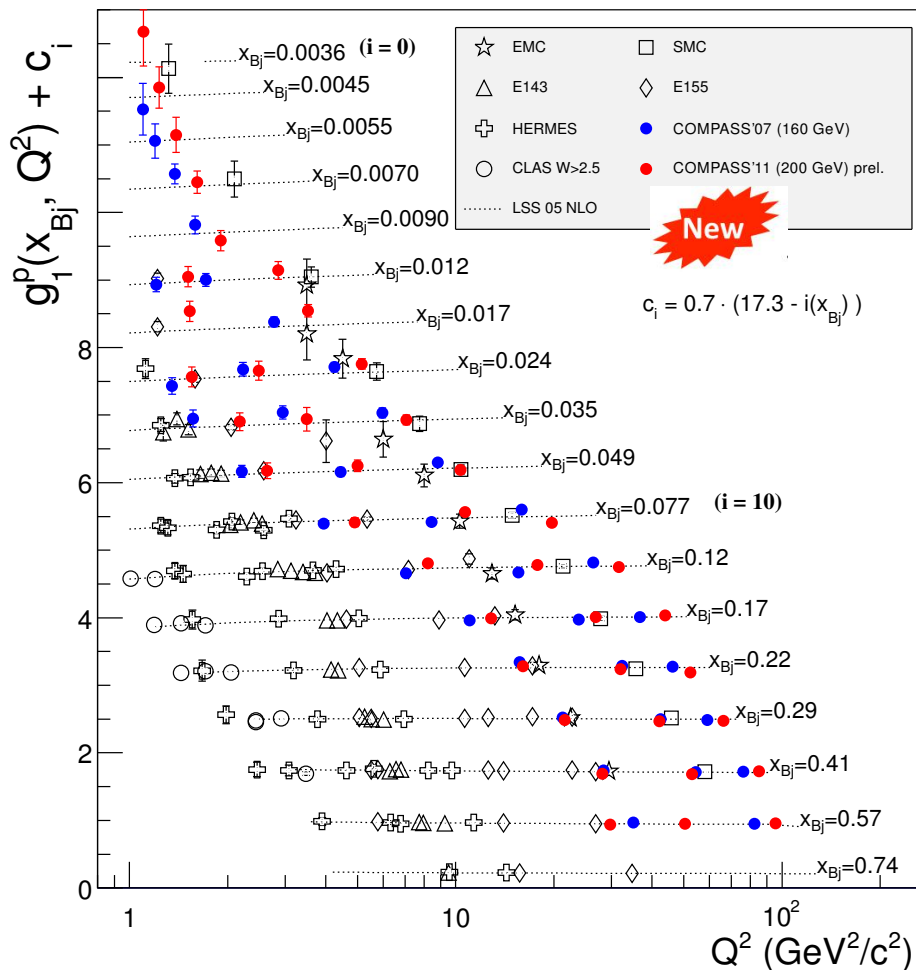
NEW 2011 COMPASS proton data with 200 GeV muon beam



→ Lower x , higher Q^2

→ Improve statistics on proton target

COMPASS data on $g_1^{p,d}(x, Q^2)$



Polarised Structure functions

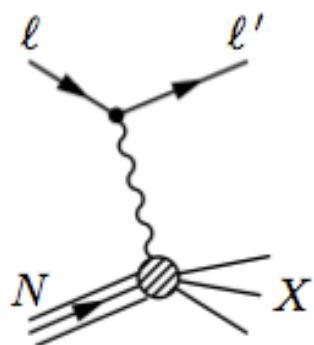
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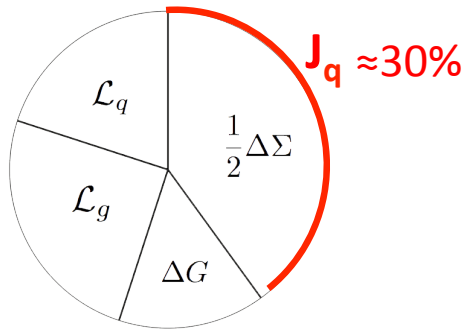
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$$\rightarrow \Delta\Sigma(Q^2 = 3(\text{GeV}/c)^2) = 0.30 \pm 0.01_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.02_{\text{evol}}$$

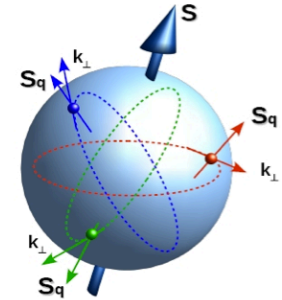
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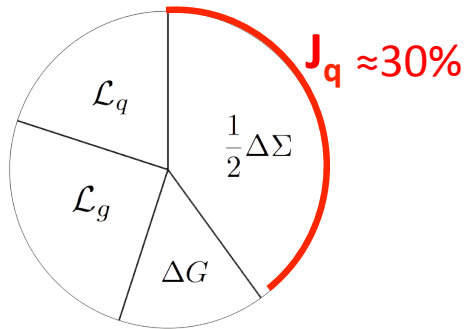
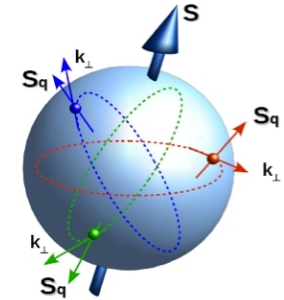
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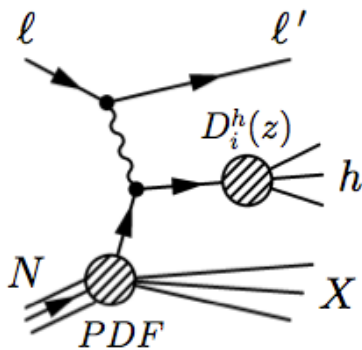
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Contributions determinable in Semi-inclusive DIS



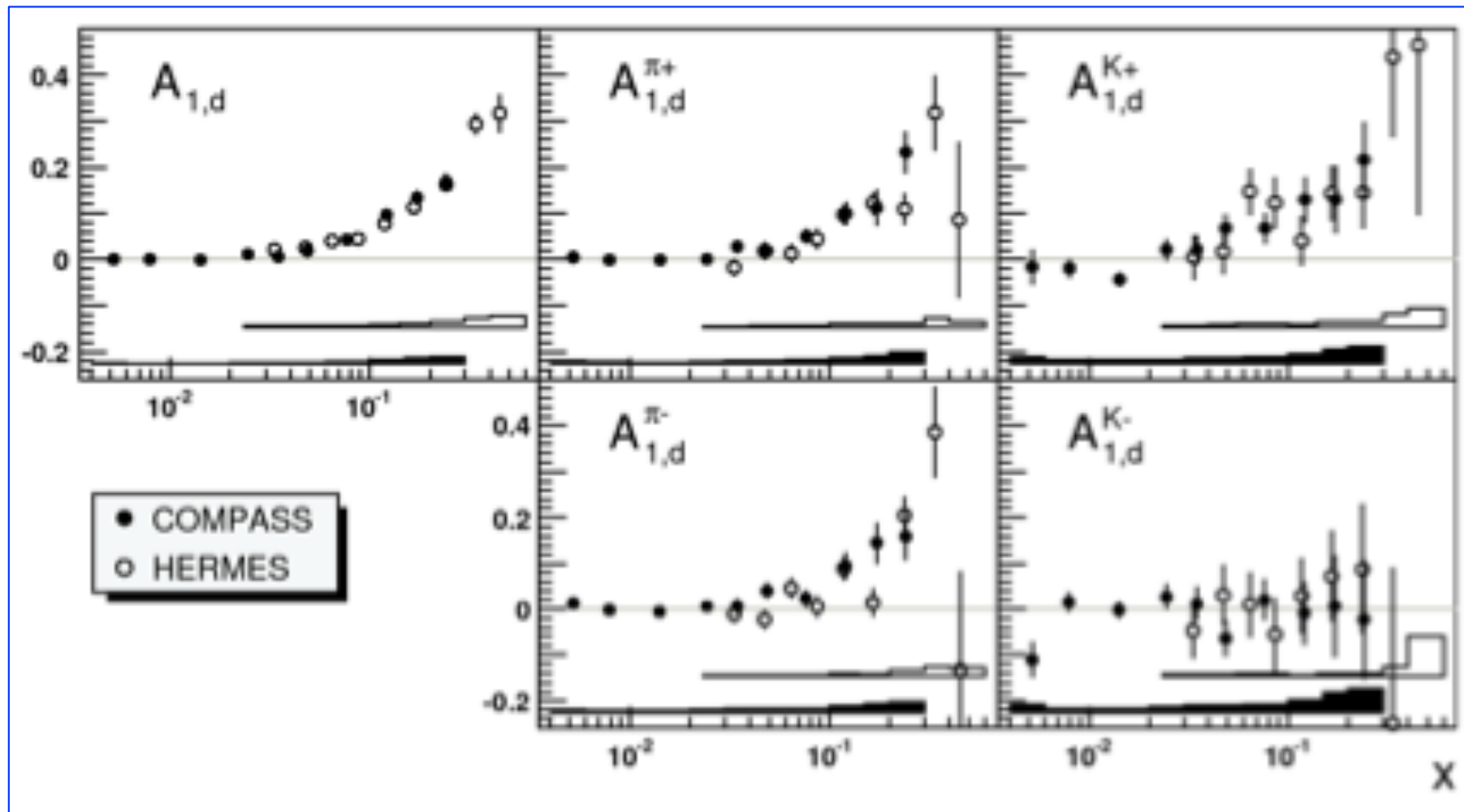
$$A^h(x, z) = \frac{\sigma_h^{\uparrow\uparrow} - \sigma_h^{\uparrow\downarrow}}{\sigma_h^{\uparrow\uparrow} + \sigma_h^{\uparrow\downarrow}} \quad (z = E_h/E_\gamma)$$

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Hadron Asymmetries in SIDIS

PLB 680 (2009) 217-224

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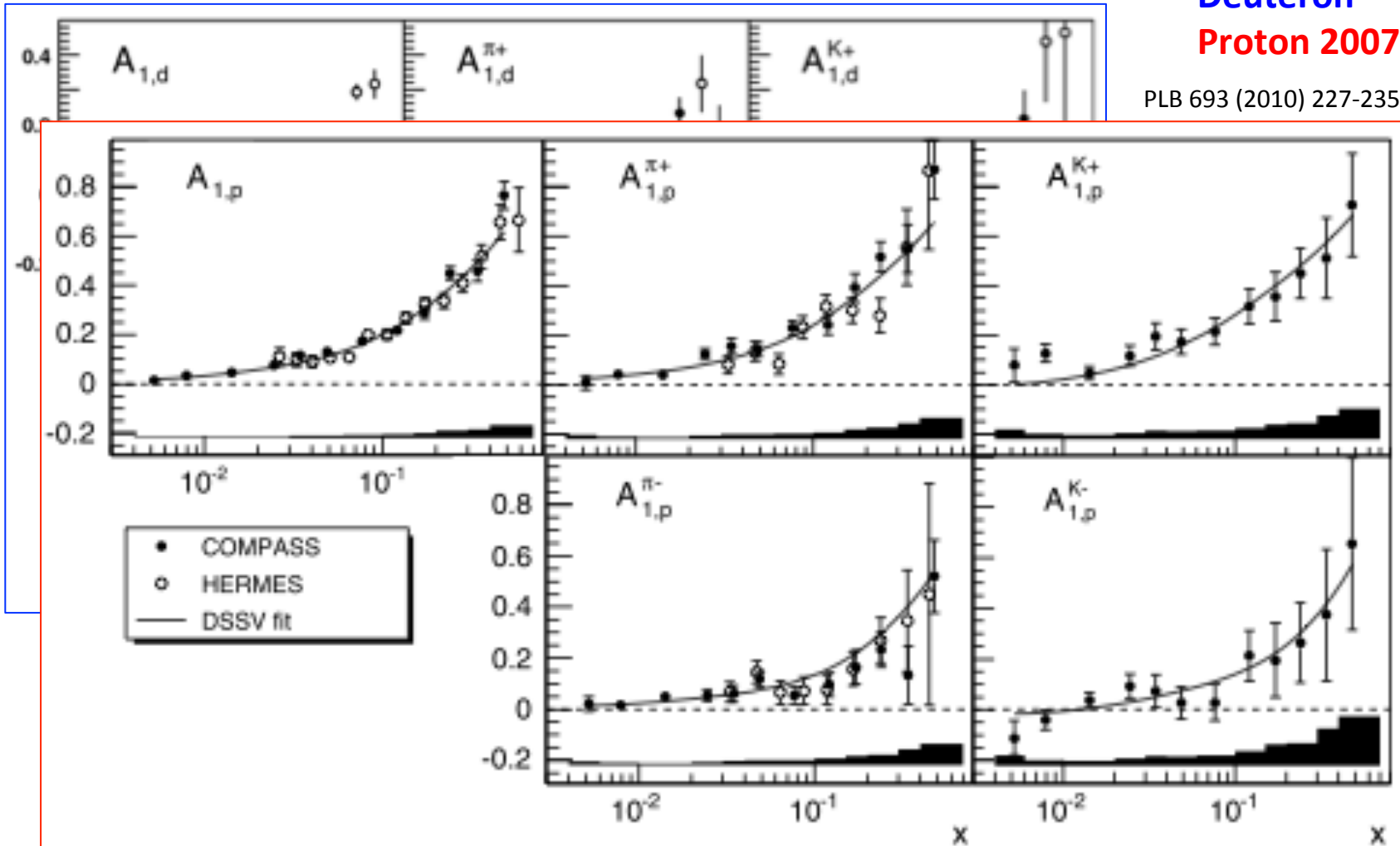


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Proton 2007

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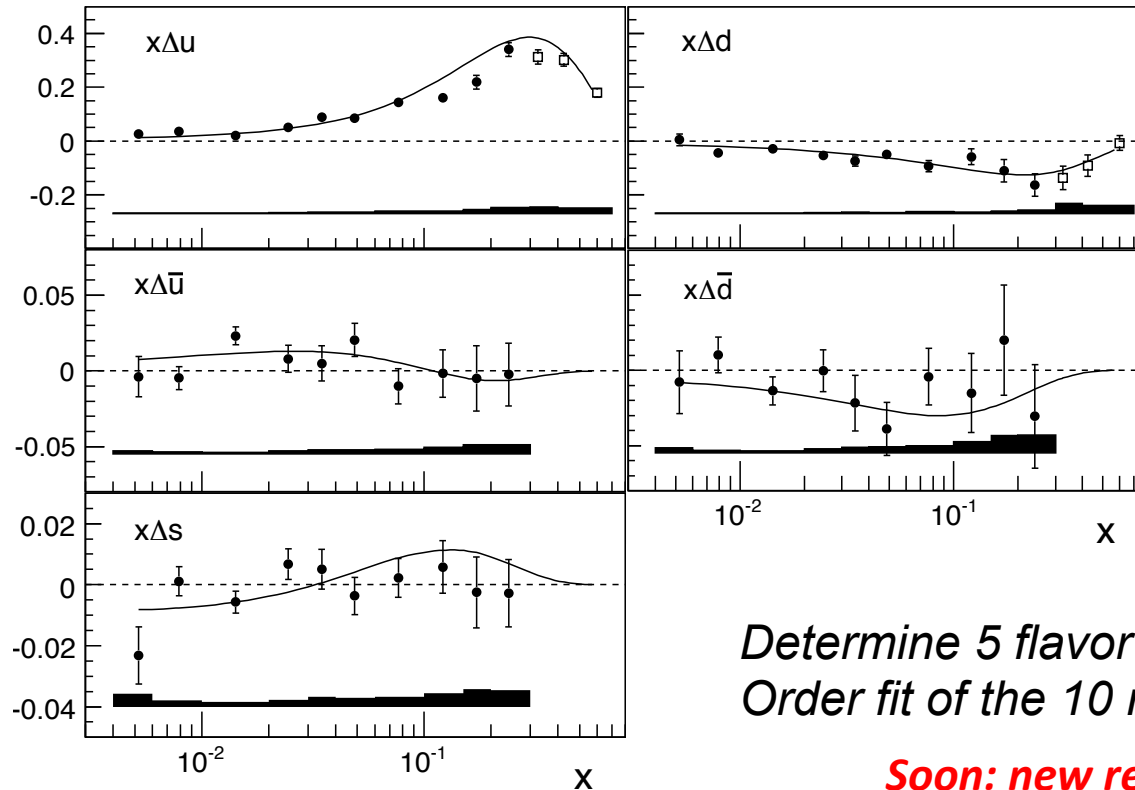


→ First Kaon SIDIS asymmetries on a proton target

Soon: new results on 2011 proton data

Polarized PDFs from Semi-inclusive DIS

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Using:

- MRST unpolarised PDF $\Delta q(x, Q^2)$ (Phys. Lett. B636 (2006) 259)
- DSS fragmentation functions (Phys. Rev. D75 (2007) 114010)
- $\Delta s = \Delta sb$

Determine 5 flavor separated PDFs from Leading Order fit of the 10 measured asymmetries

Soon: new results on 2011 proton data

Good agreement between COMPASS data and DSSV parametrization, but what about Δs ?

The ΔS PUZZLE

$$\int_0^1 \Delta s(x) + \Delta \bar{s}(x) dx = 2\Delta S$$

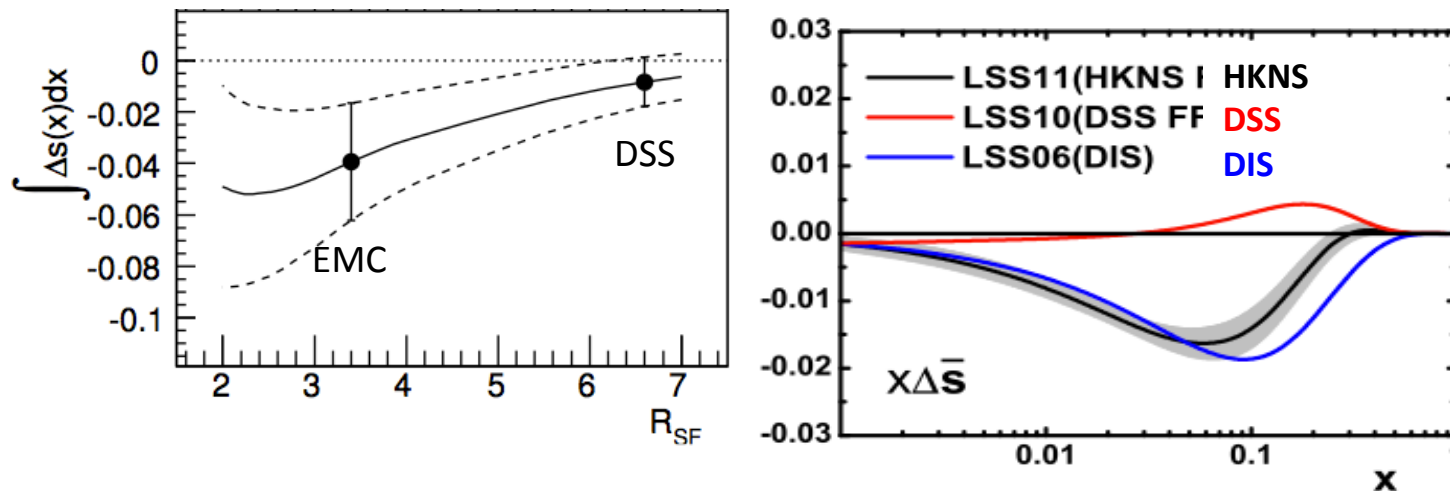
- **Inclusive DIS** ($\int g_1(x) dx$, SU(3) flavor symmetry + axial charged of baryons)

$$2\Delta S = -0.08 \pm 0.01_{stat.} \pm 0.02_{syst.} \quad PLB 647(2007) 8-17$$

- **Semi-Inclusive DIS**

$$2\Delta S = -0.02 \pm 0.02_{stat.} \pm 0.02_{syst.} \quad PLB 693 (2010) 227-235$$

➔ Strong dependence on the choice of fragmentation functions $R_{SF} = D_{str}^K / D_u^K$

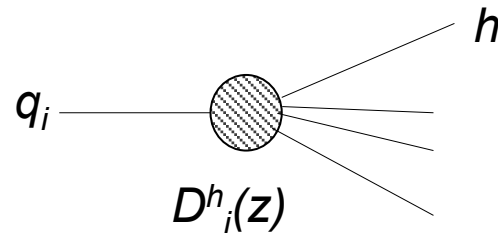


Large sensitivity of ΔS to strange to favored FF ratio

➔ Try to extract from Kaon multiplicities

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- $D_{i(q,g)}^h$ gives the density of hadrons produced after partons hard scattering



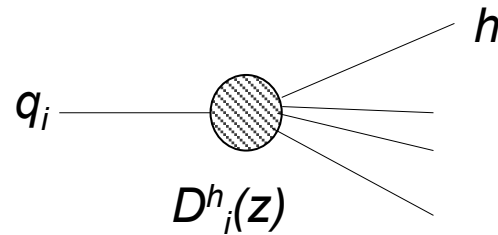
- Relevant any time a hadron is emitted in a high energy collision
 - flavor separation of polarised parton distribution
 - extraction of polarised gluon density
 - Key role in single spin asymmetries, transversity
 - Heavy ion studies of QGP
- **Universal** \Leftrightarrow Determinable from global fits on different observables/reactions
- Depend on **energy fraction** of the fragmenting parton transferred to the hadron

$$z = E_h / E_i$$

- Energy conservation sum rule: $\sum_h \int_0^1 z D_i^h(z, Q^2) dz = 1$

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- Relevant any time a hadron is emitted in a high- Q^2 process
 - flavor separation of partons
 - fragmentation of partons

Several global NLO QCD analyses exist (HKNS, DSS, LSS, KRE, KKP, AKK, ...)
 → Use different data sets & assumptions BUT significantly disagree

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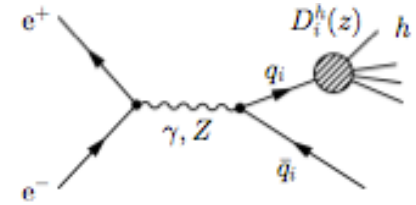
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Access to FFs via high-energy reactions

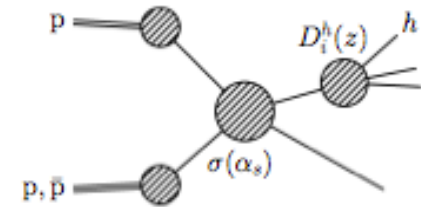
e^+e^- annihilation into hadrons

- Precise data from LEP (+ new prel. Results from BELLE & BABAR)
- Clean process (sole dependence on FFs)
- Narrow scale coverage (far from target scales)
- Only sensitive to singlet combination ($D_u + D_d + D_s + \dots$)



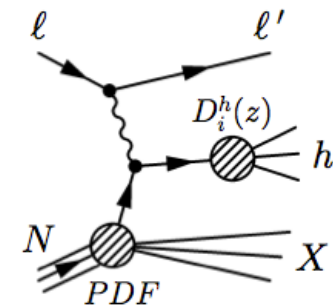
Hadron-hadron collisions

- Large sensitivity to gluon FF
- Larger theoretical uncertainties
- Strong dependence on PDFs



Semi-inclusive DIS, $\ell N \rightarrow \ell' h X$

- Allows flavor/charge separation
- Wider scale coverage
- Access to larger z
- Non-negligible dependence on PDFs
- Poorly known strange parton distribution
- study the hadronisation process in nuclear medium (using different targets)



Hadron multiplicities in SIDIS

Relevant observables: **Hadron Multiplicities**

$$M^h(x, Q^2, z) \equiv \frac{dN^h/dz}{N_{\text{DIS}}} = \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 [q(x, Q^2) D_q^h(z, Q^2) + \bar{q}(x, Q^2) D_{\bar{q}}^h(z, Q^2)]}{\sum_q e_q^2 [q(x, Q^2) + \bar{q}(x, Q^2)]}$$

Knowledge of unpolarised PDFs essential

- $u(x)$, $d(x)$ well known
- $s(x)$ *poorly known* \Leftrightarrow *can be accessed from hadron multiplicities*

Kinematic dependence on x , Q^2 , z :

- Binning in x , Q^2 , z required
- High statistics needed

Flavor separation:

- Particle identification required

Requirements fulfilled by COMPASS

in the kinematic domain

$$Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2, W > 5 \text{ GeV}, 0.1 < y < 0.7, 0.004 < x < 0.7, 0.2 < z < 0.85$$

Multiplicity measurement

$$M = \frac{N^h}{N_{\text{DIS}} \Delta z}$$

Acceptance correction

- Simulate DIS events with physics generator (LEPTO) $\Rightarrow M_{gen}$
- Simulate the detector response using GEANT toolkits and reconstruct data $\Rightarrow M_{rec}$
- Estimate acceptance correction factor for limited geom. and reconstruction efficiency
 $a = M_{rec}/M_{gen}$
- Correct real data:

$$M_{cor} = \frac{M_{raw}}{a}$$

Particle identification

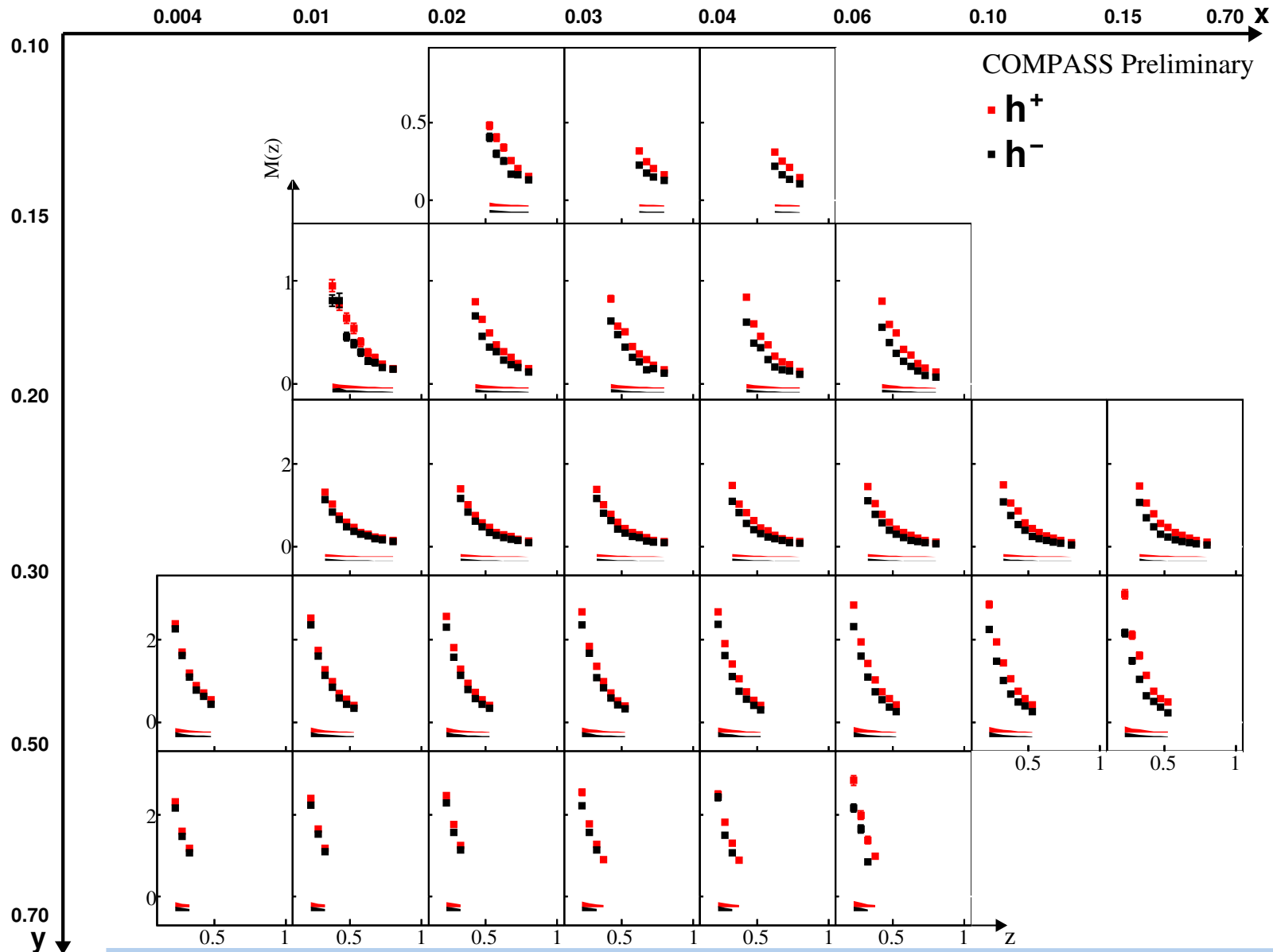
- Measure identif./misidentif.
Probability matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} I_{\pi} \\ I_K \\ I_p \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} p_{\pi \rightarrow \pi} & p_{K \rightarrow \pi} & p_{p \rightarrow \pi} \\ p_{\pi \rightarrow K} & p_{K \rightarrow K} & p_{p \rightarrow K} \\ p_{\pi \rightarrow p} & p_{K \rightarrow p} & p_{p \rightarrow p} \end{pmatrix}}_{= P} \begin{pmatrix} T_{\pi} \\ T_K \\ T_p \end{pmatrix}$$

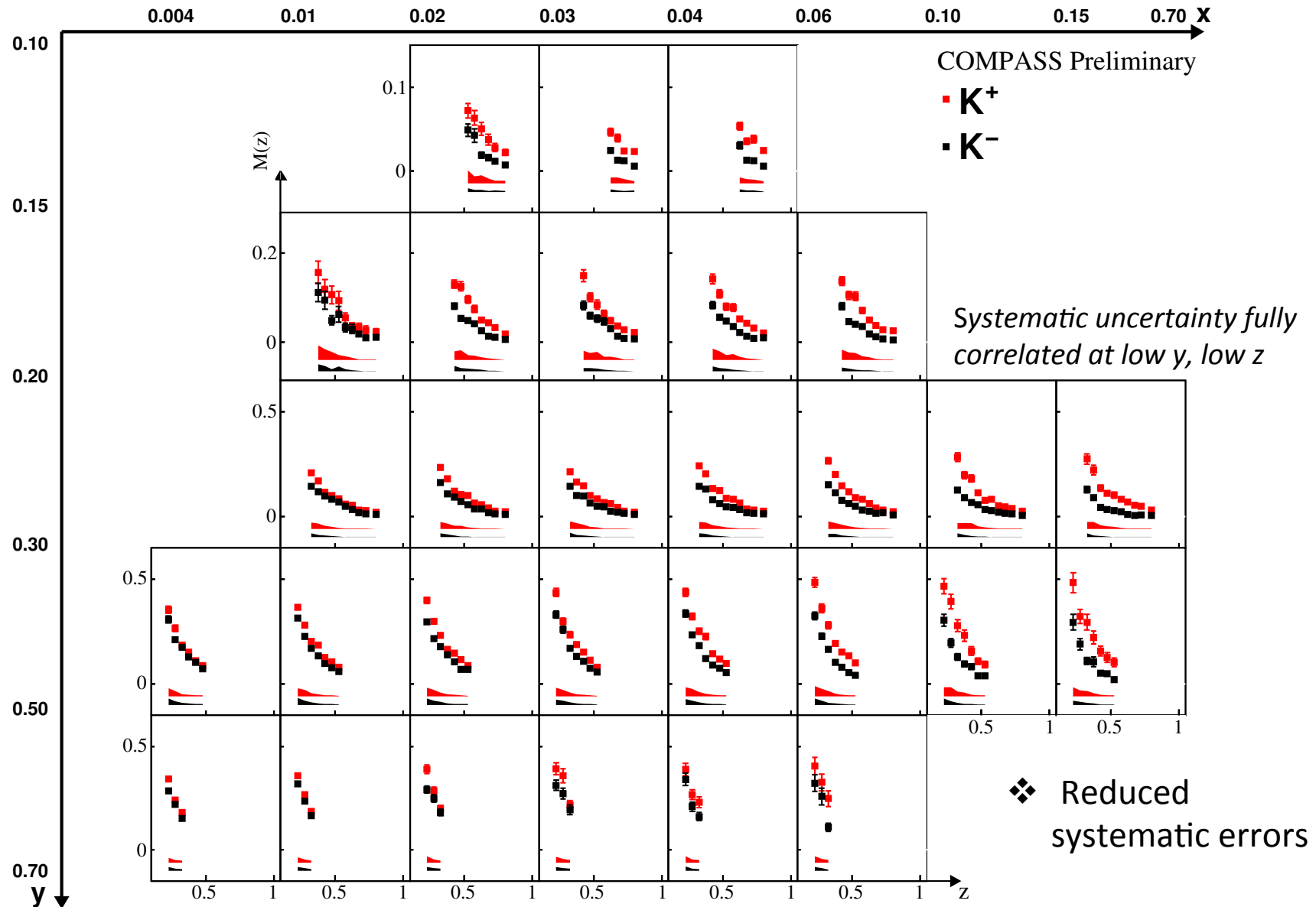
And unfold data :

$$\vec{T} = P^{-1} \vec{I}$$

Unidentified hadron multiplicities



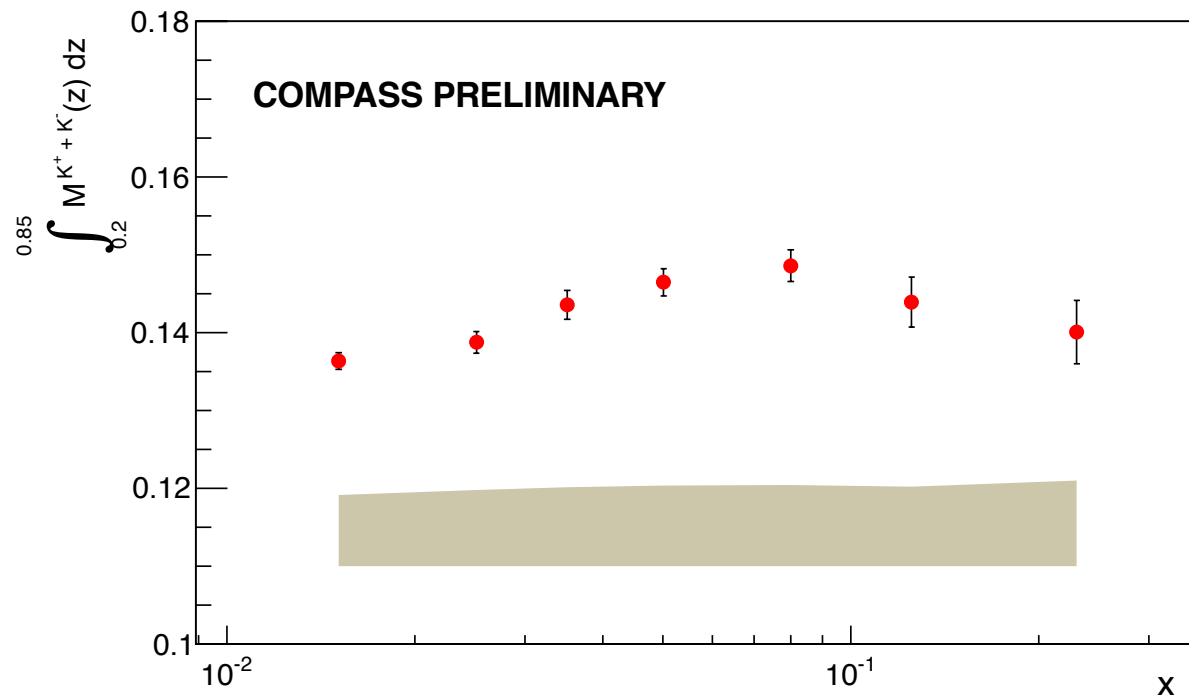
Charged kaon multiplicities



Kaon multiplicity sum $M^{K^+ + K^-}$

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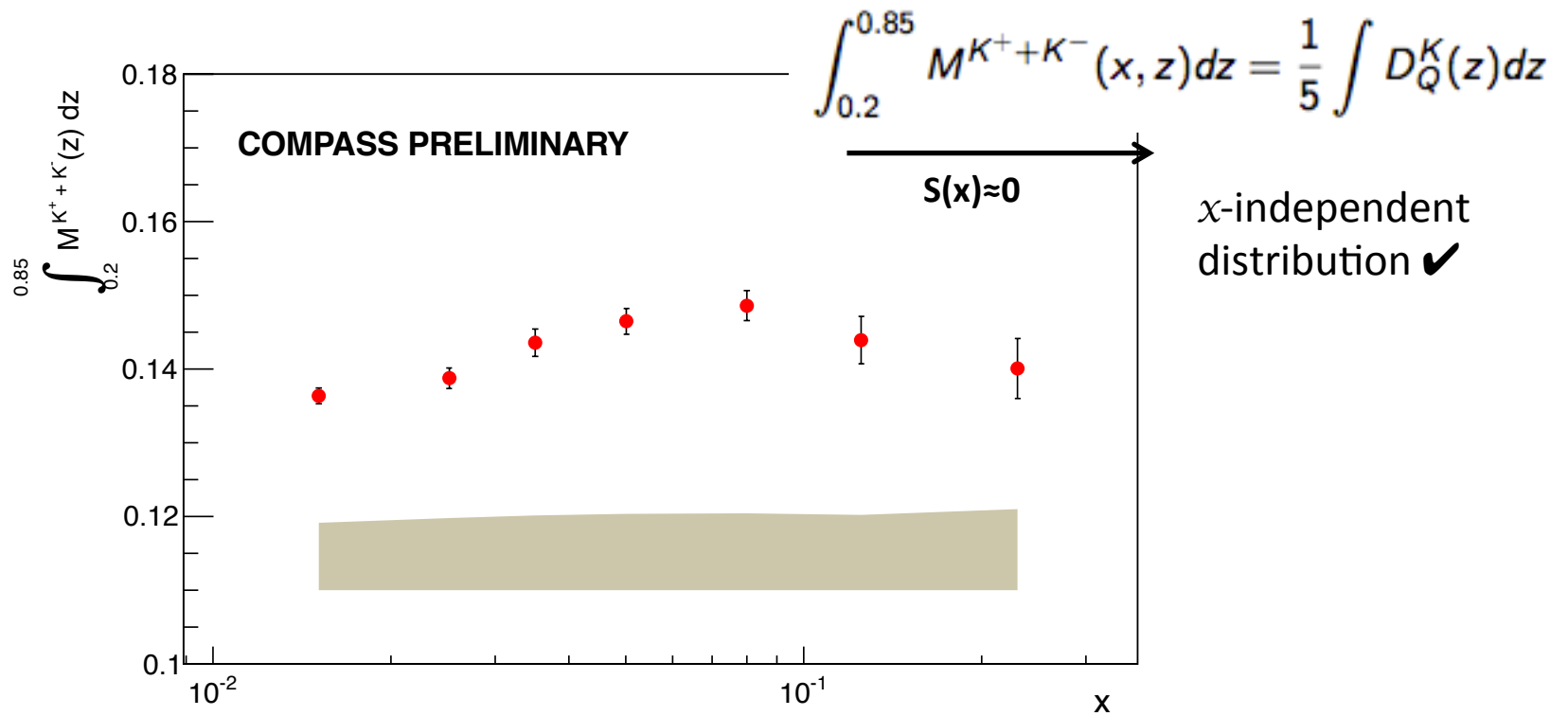
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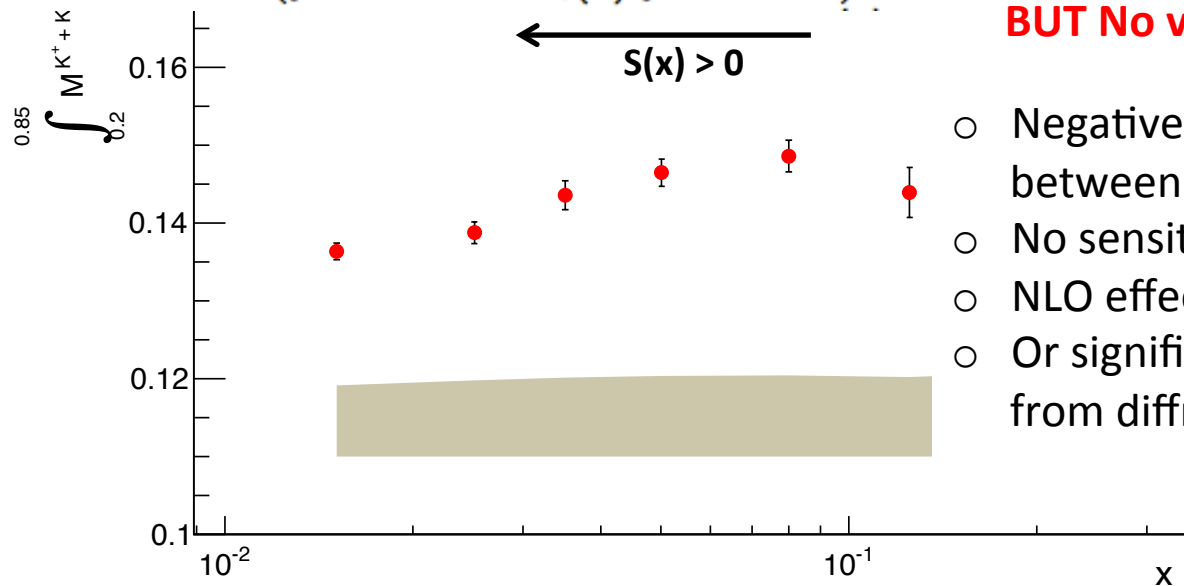


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BUT No visible x dependence

- Negative ΔS ? Solves tension between DIS and SIDIS...
- No sensitivity to strangeness ?
- NLO effects ?
- Or significant contributions from diffractive production ?

Ongoing studies to reduce systematics and increase high x bins

Hadron Multiplicities vs p_T^2

(cf. A. Martin's talk)

Differential SIDIS cross-section

$$\left. \frac{d^2 n^{h\pm}(z, p_T^2, x_{Bj}, Q^2)}{dz dp_T^2} \right|_{\Delta x_{Bj} \Delta Q^2} \approx \frac{\Delta^4 N^{h\pm}(z, p_T^2, x_{Bj}, Q^2) / (\Delta z \Delta p_T^2 \Delta x_{Bj} \Delta Q^2)}{\Delta^2 N^\mu(x_{Bj}, Q^2) / (\Delta x_{Bj} \Delta Q^2)}$$

SIDIS data collected in 2004 with ${}^6\text{LiD}$ target

Kinematic range

- $Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2$
- $0.1 < y < 0.9$
- $W > 5 \text{ GeV}$

Multi-dimensional analysis:

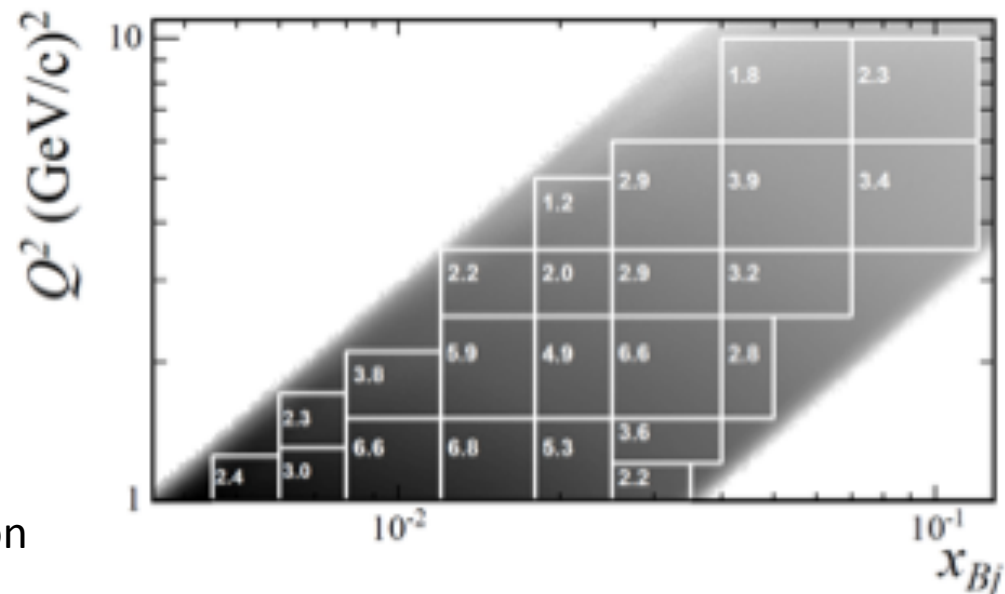
23 x , Q^2 intervals

8 z bins and 40 p_T^2 bins

4-dimensional acceptance correction

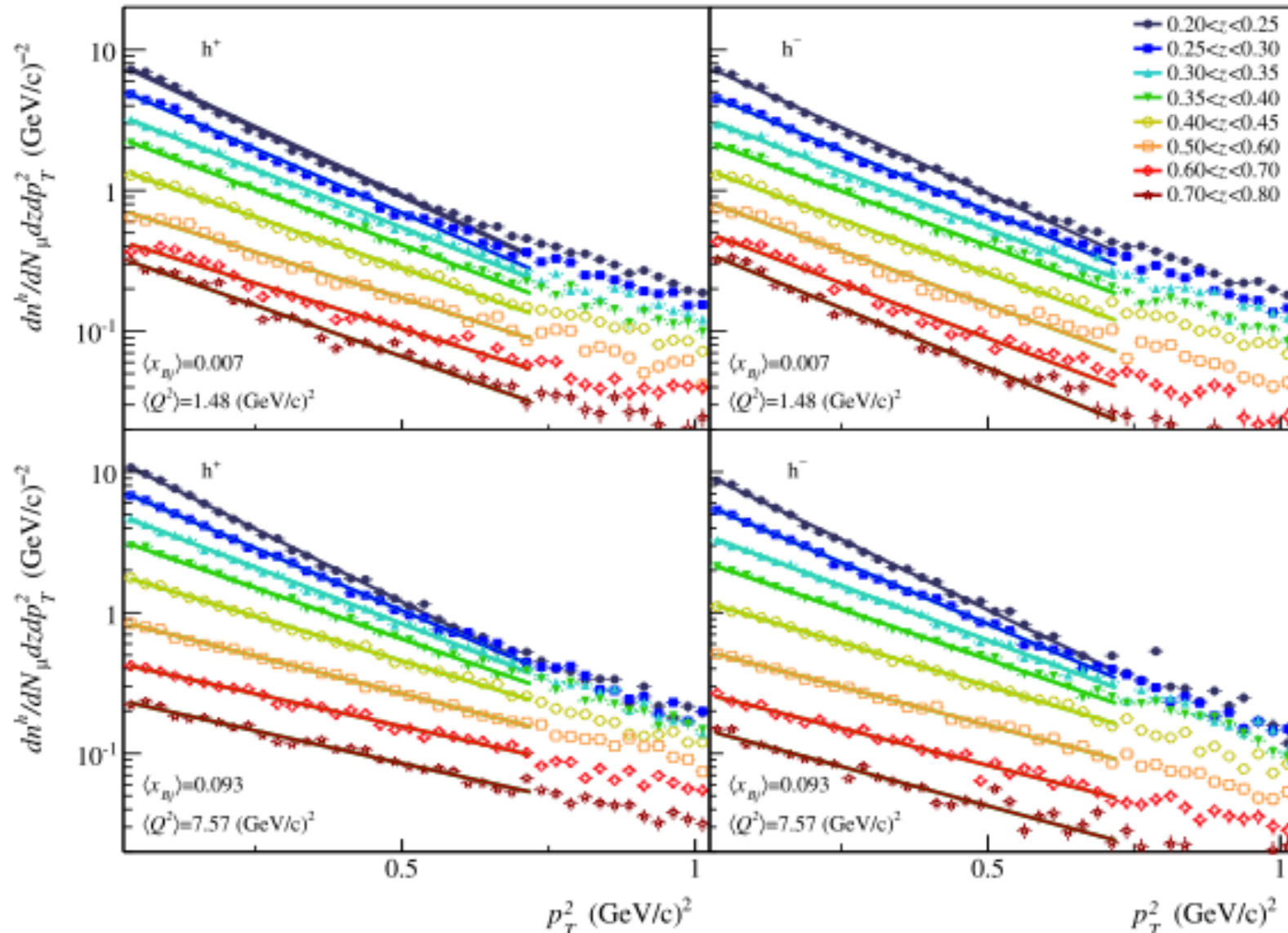
5% systematic uncertainties

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Work ongoing to extract same observables from 2006 data with Particle identification

Hadron pair multiplicities

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Interference fragmentation functions

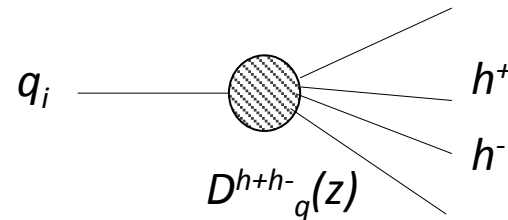
$$A_{UT}^{\sin \phi_{RS}} = \frac{|\mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_2|}{2M_{inv}} \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 h_1^q(x) H_1^{\triangleleft, q}(z, M_{inv}^2, \cos \theta)}{\sum_q e_q^2 f_1^q(x) D_1^q(z, M_{inv}^2, \cos \theta)}$$

Experimentally measured
asymmetries

Unpolarised di-hadron
fragmentation functions

Dihadron Fragmentation Functions (DiFFs)

- Describe the probability that a quark of given flavor (q_f) fragments into a final-state hadron pair



- First introduced in the late 1970's to study the hadron structure of jets
Konishi, Ukawa and Veneziano, Phys. Lett. B 78, 243 (1978)
- Needed in NLO calculations in α_s for hadron pair production in e^+e^- annihilation
Phys. Lett. B 578, 139 (2004)
- Useful to investigate the in-medium effects in heavy ion collisions
Phys. Lett. L 99, 152301 (2007)
- Key element to access transversity distribution of the nucleon (h_1) in SIDIS

DiFFs needed in several high energy processes with final state hadrons

BUT no measurements !

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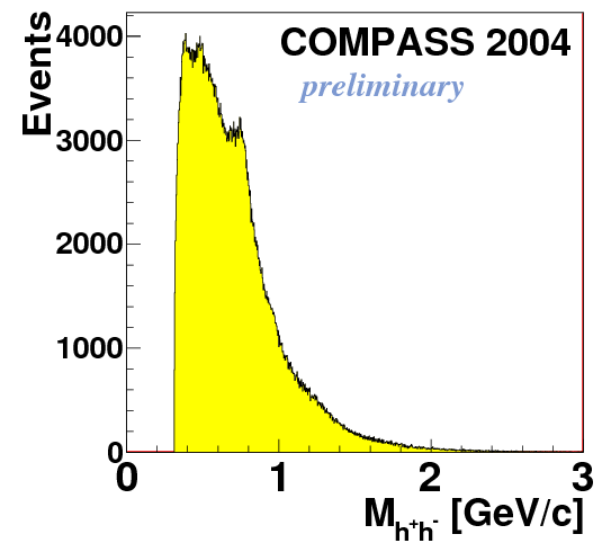
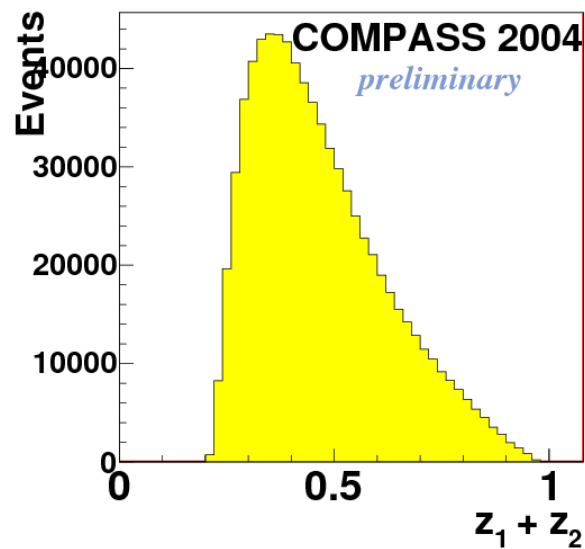
Based on SIDIS data collected in 2004

Event selection

- $Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2$
- $0.1 < y < 0.9$
- $W > 5 \text{ GeV}$

Hadron selection

- $z_{1,2} > 0.1$
- $\chi_{\mathcal{F}_{1,2}} > 0.1$
- $E_{\text{miss}} > 3 \text{ GeV}$
- $R_T > 0.07$



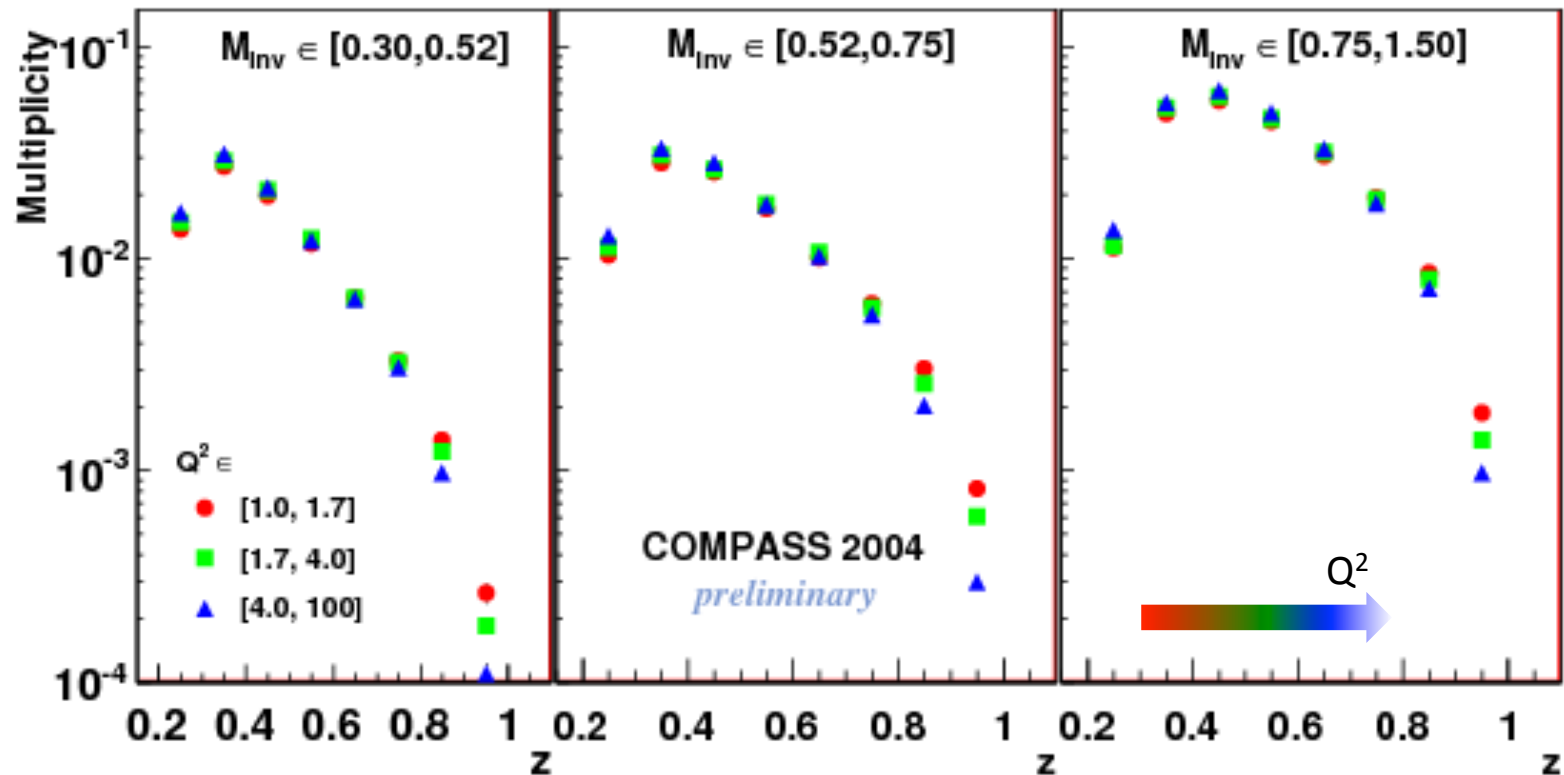
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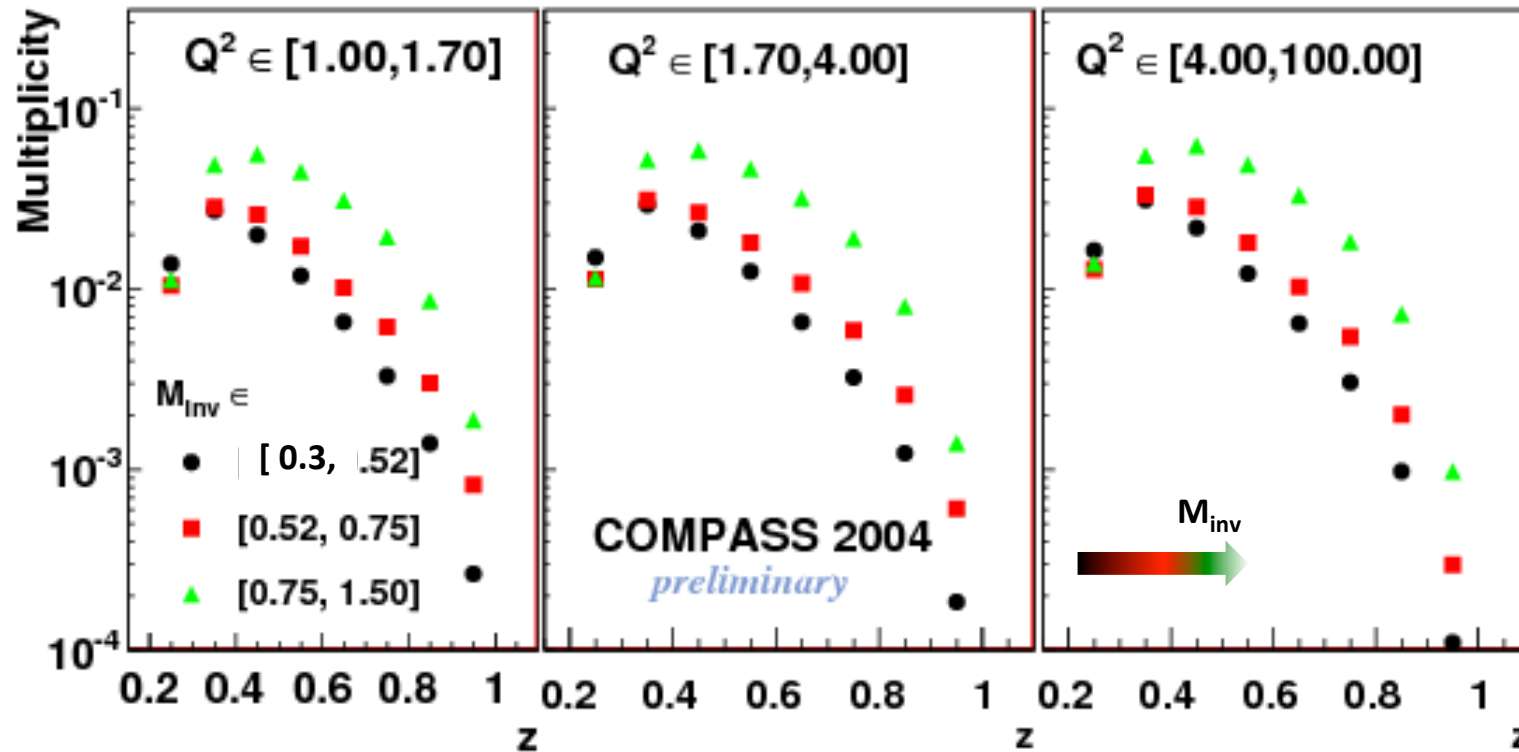
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Weak Q^2 dependence

Hadron pair multiplicities

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Significant M_{inv} and $z=z_1+z_2$ dependences (as expected)

Trend and shape reproduced by LEPTO (no parametrizations yet exist)

Summary

- Preliminary results on hadron multiplicities
 - Broad kinematical ranges
 - 3-Multidimensional binning
 - Identified pions and kaons

- Improved kaon identification with reduced systematic errors
with ongoing studies to reduce systematics

- First measurement of unidentified hadron pair multiplicities for the perspective of extracting Dihadron fragmentation functions

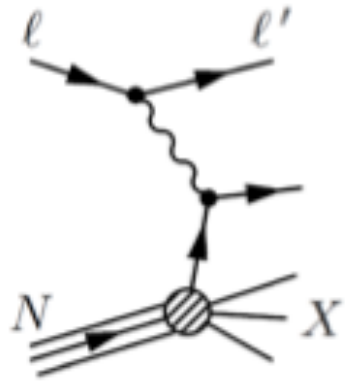
- More high precision measurement on the list
 - P_T^2 dependent pion and kaon multiplicities in (x, Q^2, z) bins
 - Identified hadron pair multiplicities in (z, Q^2, M_{inv}) bins

$g_1^{p,d}$ and related sum rules

$$\ell N \rightarrow \ell' (X)$$

$$Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2 \text{ (hard scale)}$$

\Rightarrow Scattering on quasi free partons (Factorisation + pQCD \Rightarrow parton model)



Relation with axial charges of baryons

(SU(3) flavour symmetry)

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_1^N &\equiv \frac{1}{2} (\Gamma_1^p + \Gamma_1^n) \\ &= \frac{1}{9} C_1^S(Q^2) a_0 + \frac{1}{36} C_1^{NS}(Q^2) a_8 \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ $C_1^{S,NS}$ calculable in pQCD
- ▶ $a_8 = 0.585 \pm 0.025$ from hyperon beta decay
- ▶ $a_0 = \Delta\Sigma$ in the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme

$$\Rightarrow \Delta\Sigma(Q^2 = 3(\text{GeV}/c)^2) = 0.30 \pm 0.01_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.02_{\text{evol}}$$

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$g_1^{p,d}$ and related sum rules

$$g_1^p = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{4}{9} (\Delta u + \Delta \bar{u}) + \frac{1}{9} (\Delta d + \Delta \bar{d}) + \frac{1}{9} (\Delta s + \Delta \bar{s}) \right]$$

$$g_1^d = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{9} (\Delta u + \Delta \bar{u}) + \frac{4}{9} (\Delta d + \Delta \bar{d}) + \frac{1}{9} (\Delta s + \Delta \bar{s}) \right]$$

$$\text{Singlet: } \Delta \Sigma = [(\Delta u + \Delta \bar{u}) + (\Delta d + \Delta \bar{d}) + (\Delta s + \Delta \bar{s})]$$

$$\text{NS: } \Delta q_3 = [(\Delta u + \Delta \bar{u}) - (\Delta d + \Delta \bar{d})]$$

$$\text{NS: } \Delta q_8 = [(\Delta u + \Delta \bar{u}) + (\Delta d + \Delta \bar{d}) - 2(\Delta s + \Delta \bar{s})]$$

$$\int g_1 dx \quad \Gamma_1^p = \int_0^1 g_1^p(x) dx; \quad \Gamma_1^d = \int_0^1 g_1^d(x) dx$$

$$\rightarrow \text{Moments } \Gamma_1^p - \Gamma_1^d = \frac{a_3}{6} (1 + \alpha^2 \text{corr}) \quad (\text{Bjorken SR})$$

$$+ \quad a_3 = \Delta \Sigma_u - \Delta \Sigma_d = F + D = 1.267,$$

$$a_8 = \Delta \Sigma_u + \Delta \Sigma_d - 2\Delta \Sigma_s = 3F - D \approx 0.58$$

from neutron and hyperon decays

$$6(\Gamma_1^p - \Gamma_1^n) / (1 + \alpha^2 \text{corr}) = g_A / g_V = 1.28 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.10$$

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$$\Delta \Sigma = a_0 = 0.30 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.02$$

$$(\Delta s + \Delta \bar{s}) = 1/3(a_0 - a_8) = -0.09 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.02$$

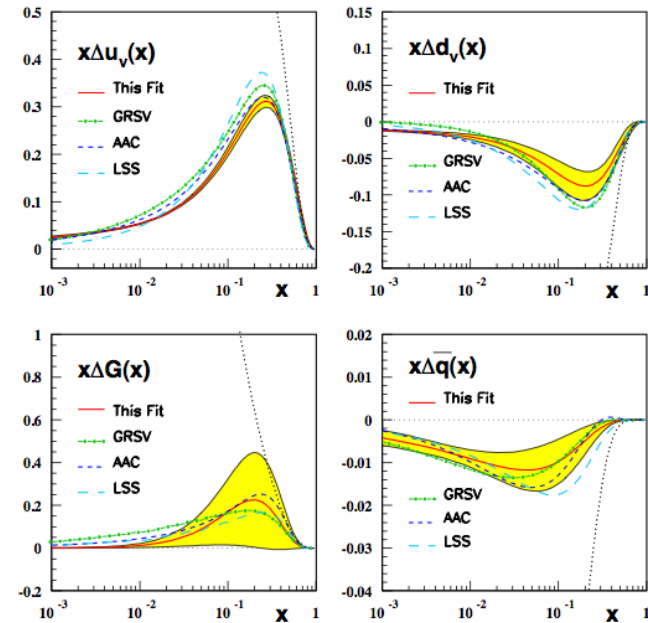
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NLO: DGLAP links q and g

$$\frac{d}{d \ln Q^2} \Delta q_{NS}(x, Q^2) = \frac{\alpha_S(Q^2)}{2\pi} P_{qq}^{NS} \otimes \Delta q_{NS}$$

$$\frac{d}{d \ln Q^2} \begin{pmatrix} \Delta \Sigma \\ \Delta G \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\alpha_S(Q^2)}{2\pi} \begin{pmatrix} P_{qq} & P_{qg} \\ P_{gq} & P_{gg} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} \Delta \Sigma \\ \Delta G \end{pmatrix}$$

Assume SU(3) flavor symmetry: $\Delta \bar{u} = \Delta \bar{d} = \Delta \bar{s} = \Delta s$



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