
A covariant description of nucleon [and nuclear] spin structure and TMDs

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DIS on Nuclear Targets

- Why nuclear targets?

- ❖ only targets with $J > \frac{1}{2}$ are nuclei
- ❖ study QCD and nucleon structure at finite density

- **Hadronic Tensor:** in Bjorken limit & Callen-Gross ($F_2 = 2x F_1$)

- ❖ For $J = \frac{1}{2}$ target

$$W_{\mu\nu} = \left(g_{\mu\nu} \frac{p \cdot q}{q^2} + \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{p \cdot q} \right) F_2(x, Q^2) + \frac{i \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} q^\lambda p^\sigma}{p \cdot q} g_1(x, Q^2)$$

- ❖ For arbitrary J : $-J \leq H \leq J$ [2J + 1 EM structure functions]

$$W_{\mu\nu}^H = \left(g_{\mu\nu} \frac{p \cdot q}{q^2} + \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{p \cdot q} \right) F_{2A}^H(x_A, Q^2) + \frac{i \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} q^\lambda p^\sigma}{p \cdot q} g_{1A}^H(x_A, Q^2)$$

- **Parton model expressions** [2J + 1 quark distributions]

$$g_{1A}^H(x_A) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_q e_q^2 [\Delta q_A^H(x_A) + \Delta \bar{q}_A^H(x_A)]; \quad \text{parity} \implies g_{1A}^H = -g_{1A}^{-H}$$

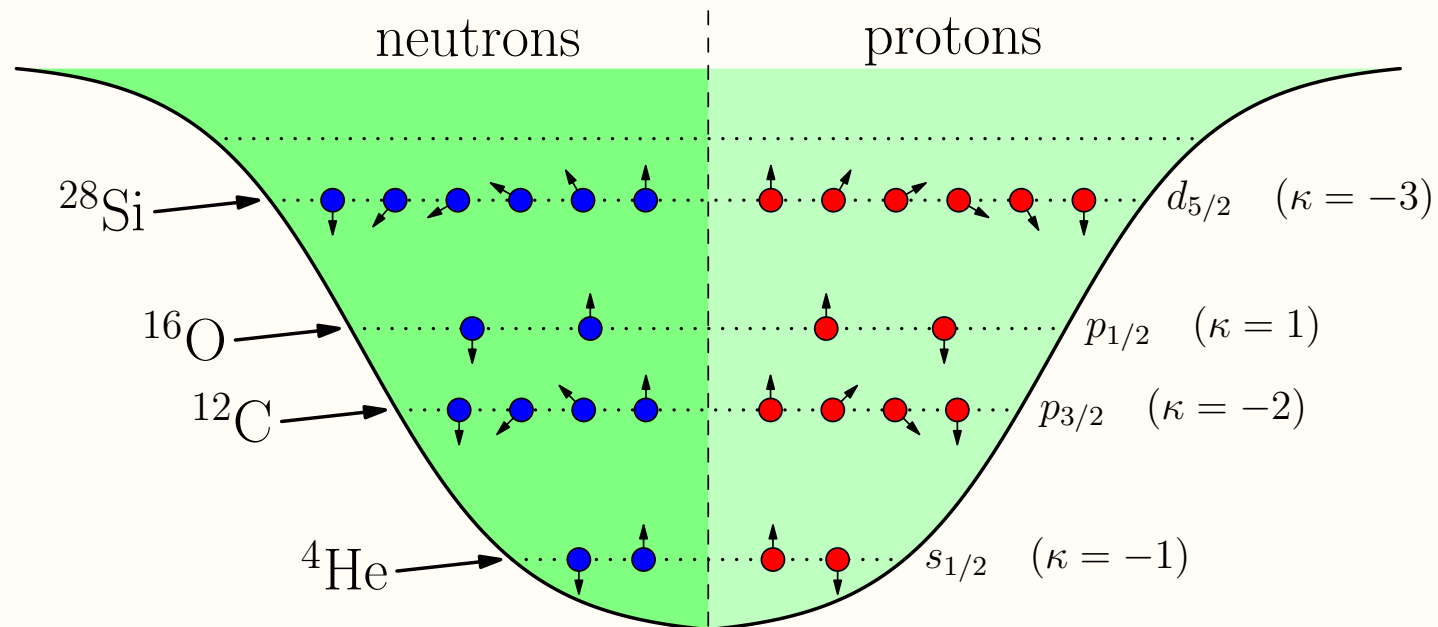
Finite nuclei quark distributions

- Definition of finite nuclei quark distributions

$$\Delta q_A^H(x_A) = \frac{P^+}{A} \int \frac{d\xi^-}{2\pi} e^{iP^+ x_A \xi^- / A} \langle A, P, H | \bar{\psi}_q(0) \gamma^+ \gamma_5 \psi_q(\xi^-) | A, P, H \rangle$$

- Approximate using a modified convolution formalism

$$\Delta q_A^H(x_A) = \sum_{\alpha, \kappa, m} \int dy_A \int dx \delta(x_A - y_A x) \Delta f_{\alpha, \kappa, m}^{(H)}(y_A) \Delta q_{\alpha, \kappa}(x)$$



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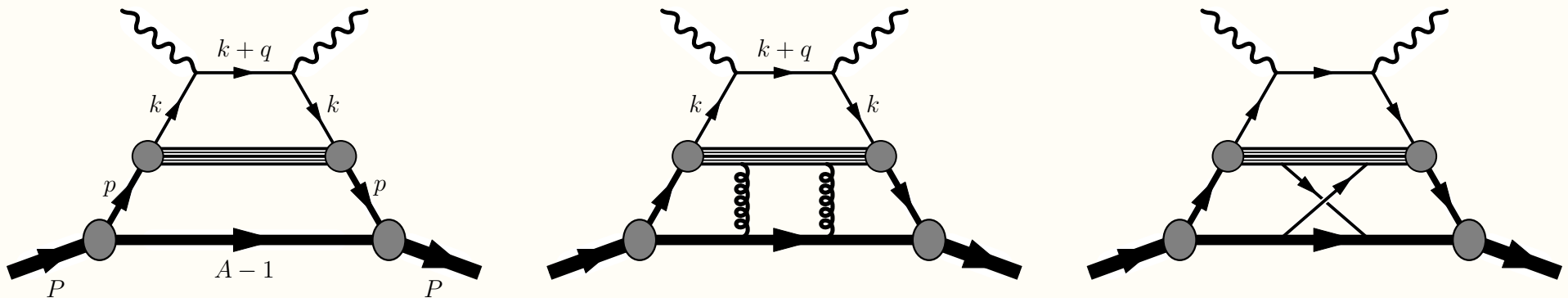
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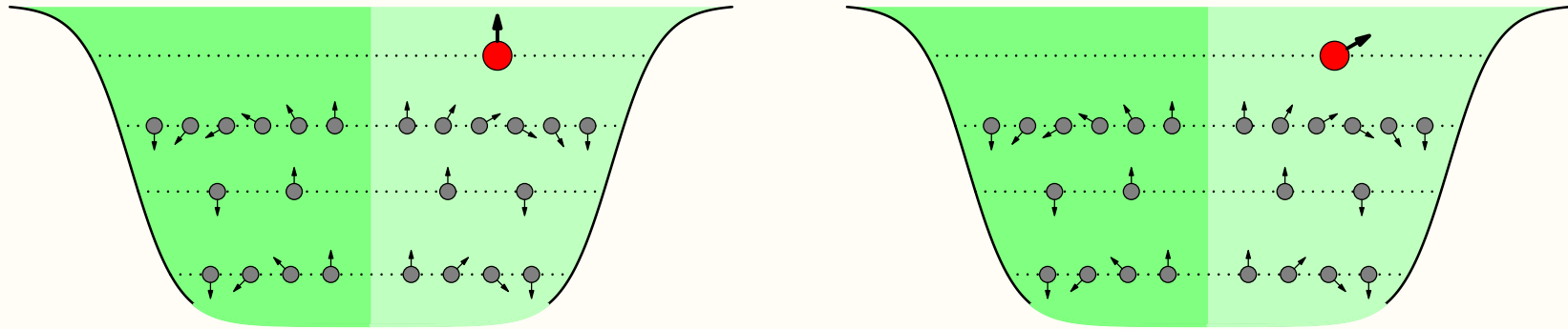
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- Convolution formalism diagrammatically:



Convolution Formalism: implications



- Assume all spin is carried by the valence nucleons

❖ If $A \gtrsim 8$ and for example if: $J = \frac{3}{2} \implies F_{2A}^{3/2} \simeq F_{2A}^{1/2}$

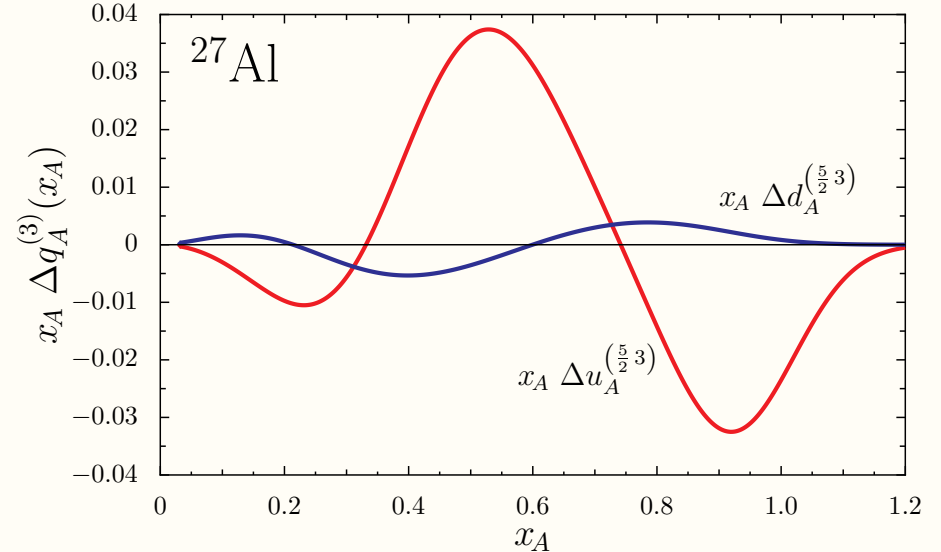
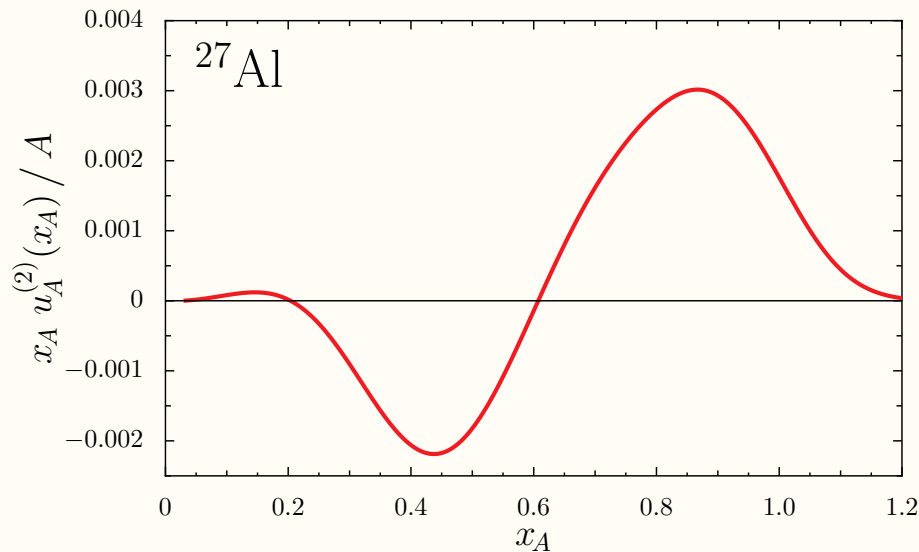
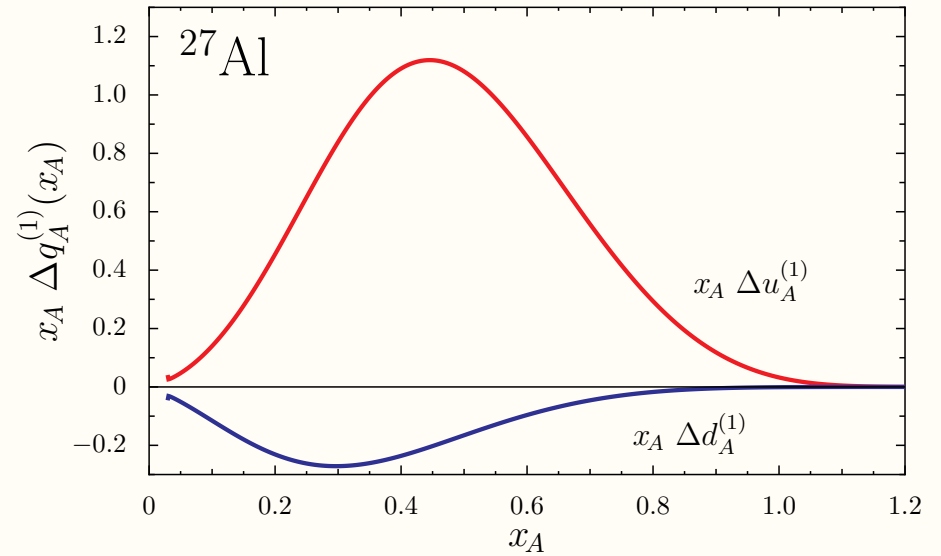
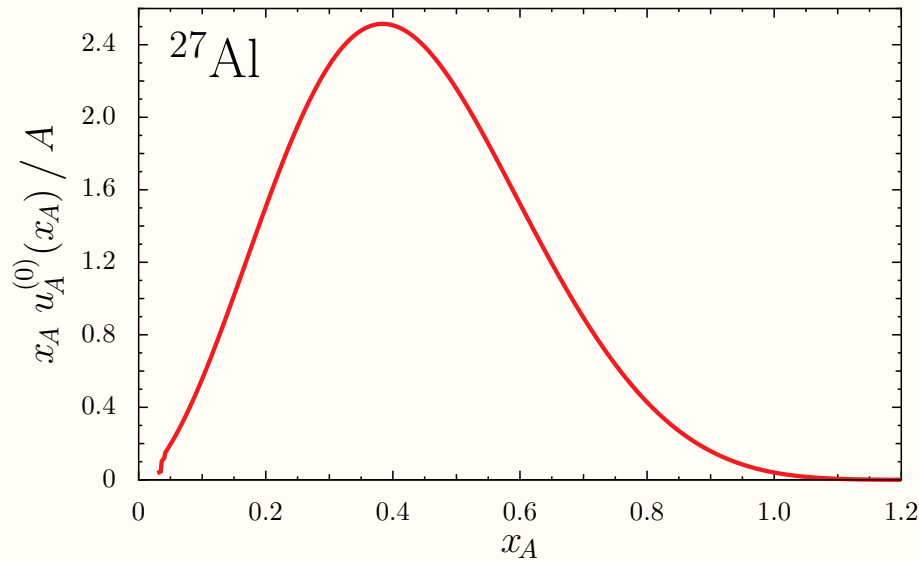
- Basically a model independent result within the convolution formalism
- Introduce multipole quark distributions

$$\Delta q^{(K)}(x) \equiv \sum_H (-1)^{J-H} \sqrt{2K+1} \begin{pmatrix} J & J & K \\ H & -H & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Delta q^H(x), \quad K = 1, 3, \dots, 2J$$

- $J = \frac{3}{2} \longrightarrow \Delta q^{(0)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} [3 \Delta q^{\frac{3}{2}} + \Delta q^{\frac{1}{2}}] \quad \Delta q^{(2)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} [\Delta q^{\frac{3}{2}} - 3 \Delta q^{\frac{1}{2}}]$

- Higher multipoles encapsulate difference between helicity distributions

Some multipole quark distributions results



● Large $K > 1$ multipole PDFs would be very surprising

◆ \implies large off-shell effects &/or non-nucleon components, etc

New Sum Rules

- Sum rules for multipole quark distributions

$$\int dx x^{n-1} q^{(K)}(x) = 0, \quad K, n \text{ even}, \quad 2 \leq n < K,$$
$$\int dx x^{n-1} \Delta q^{(K)}(x) = 0, \quad K, n \text{ odd}, \quad 1 \leq n < K.$$

- Examples:

$$J = \frac{3}{2} \implies \langle \Delta q^{(3)}(x) \rangle = 0$$

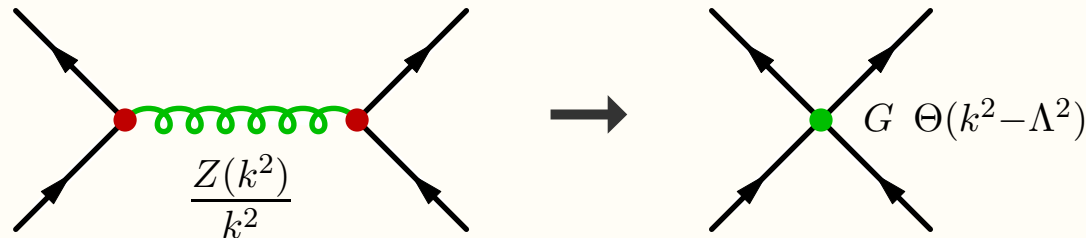
$$J = 2 \implies \langle \Delta q^{(3)}(x) \rangle = \langle q^{(4)}(x) \rangle = 0$$

$$J = \frac{5}{2} \implies \langle \Delta q^{(3)}(x) \rangle = \langle q^{(4)}(x) \rangle = \langle \Delta q^{(5)}(x) \rangle = \langle x^2 \Delta q^{(5)}(x) \rangle = 0$$

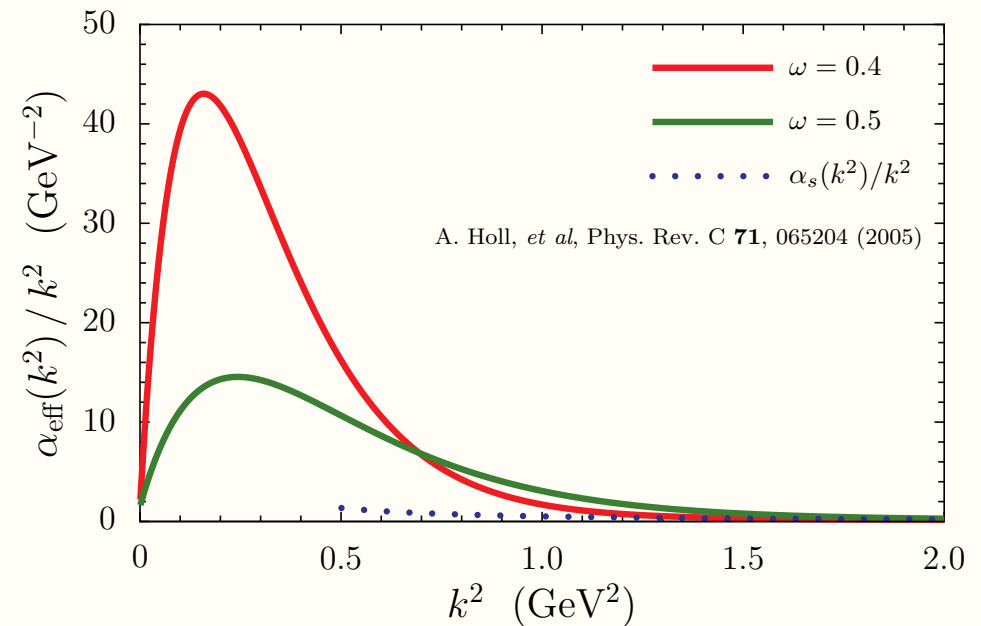
- Sum rules place tight constraints on multipole PDFs
- Jaffe and Manohar, *DIS from arbitrary spin targets*, Nucl. Phys. B **321**, 343 (1989).

Nambu–Jona-Lasinio Model

- Interpreted as low energy chiral effective theory of QCD



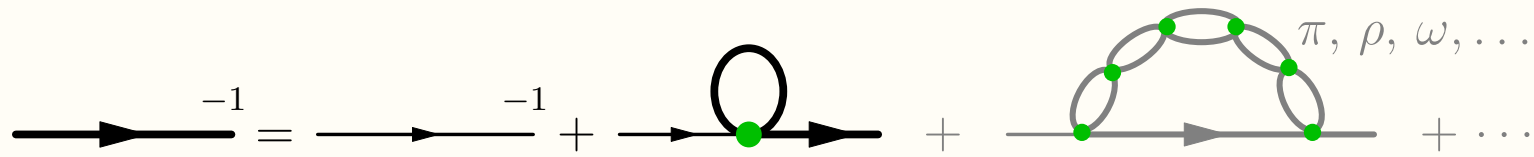
- Can be motivated by infrared enhancement of quark–gluon interaction
e.g. DSEs and Lattice QCD



- Investigate the role of quark degrees of freedom
- NJL has same flavour symmetries as QCD
- Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}_{NJL} = \bar{\psi}_q (i\cancel{D} - m_q) \psi_q + G (\bar{\psi}_q \Gamma \psi_q)^2$$

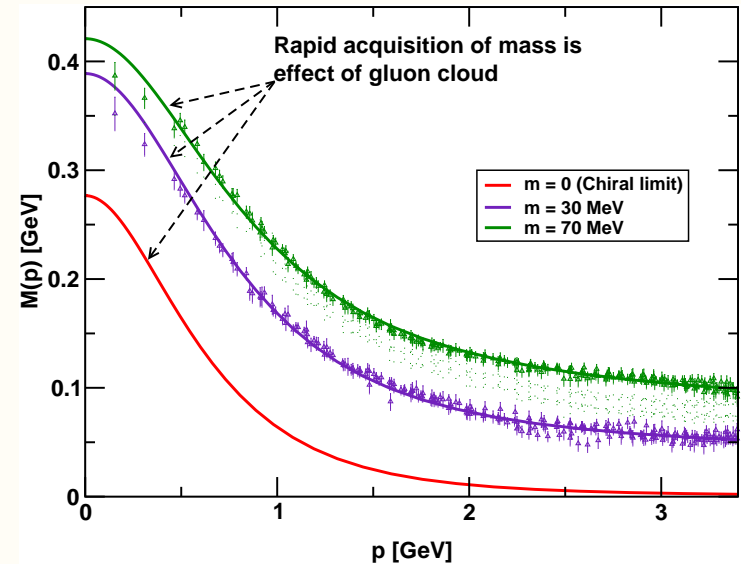
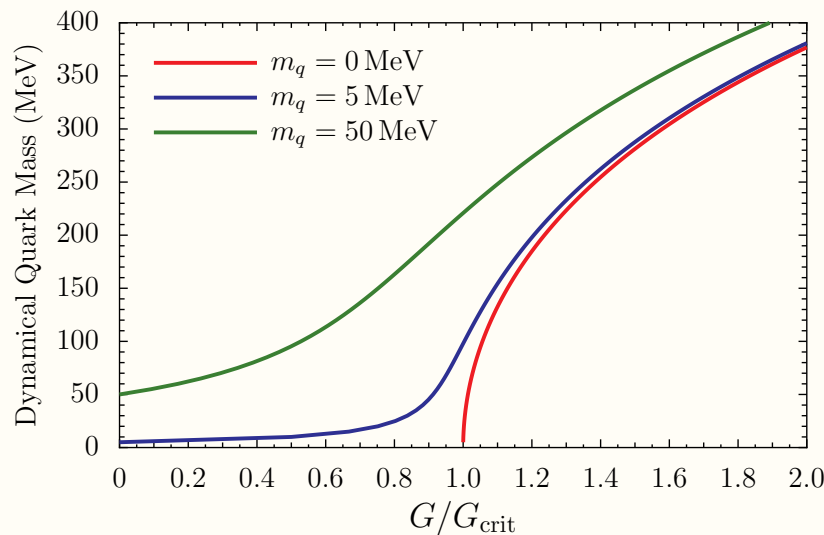
Gap Equation & Mass Generation



- Quark propagator:

$$\frac{1}{\not{p} - m + i\epsilon} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\not{p} - M + i\epsilon}$$

- Mass is generated via interaction with vacuum



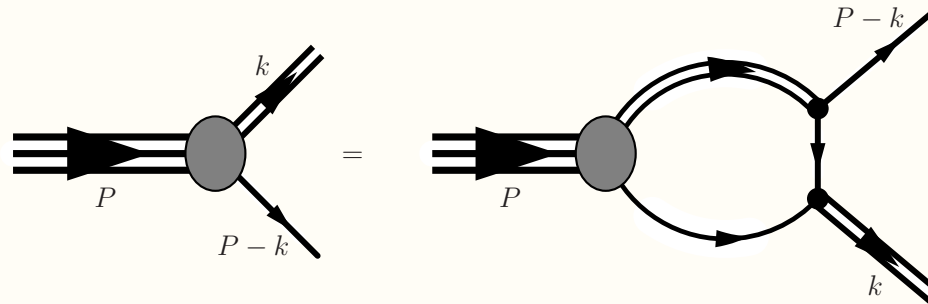
- Dynamically generated quark masses $\iff \langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle \neq 0$

- Proper-time regularization: Λ_{IR} and Λ_{UV}

$$\rightarrow Z(p^2 = M^2) = 0 \implies \text{No free quarks} \implies \text{Confinement}$$

Nucleon in the NJL model

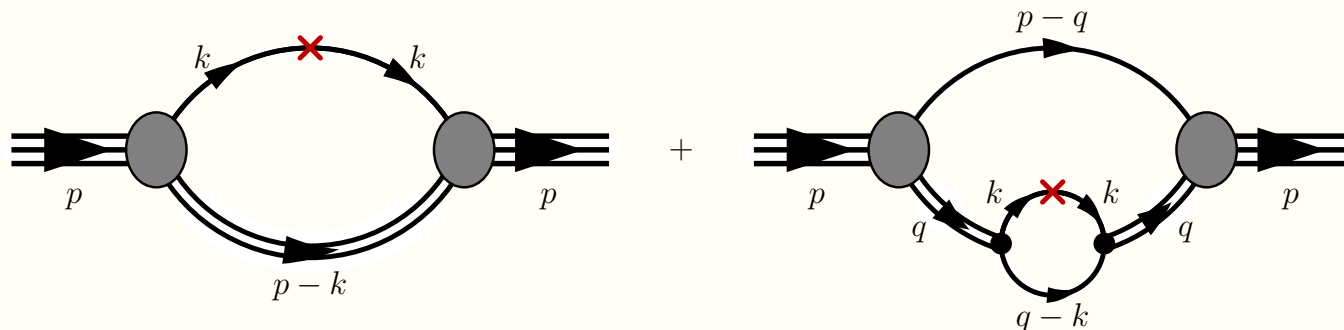
- Nucleon approximated as quark-diquark bound state
- Use relativistic Faddeev approach:



- Nucleon quark distributions

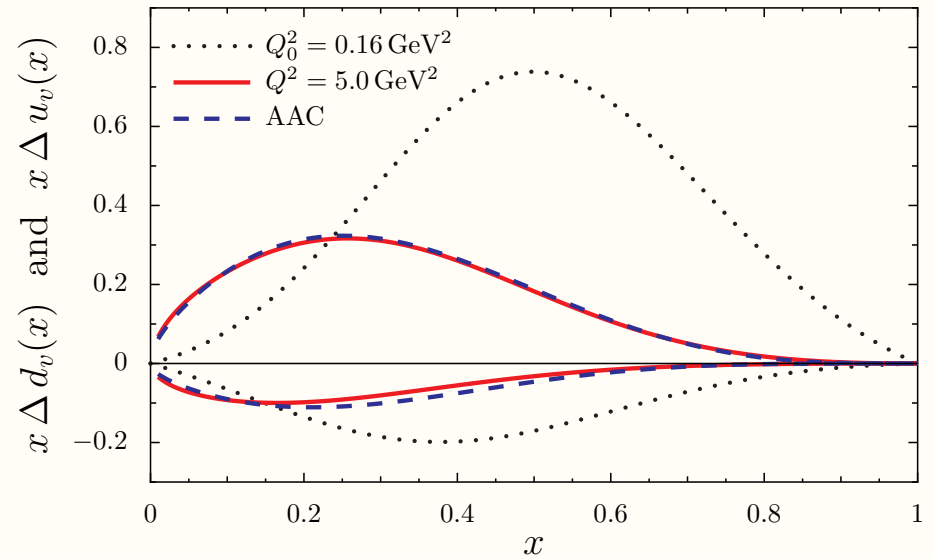
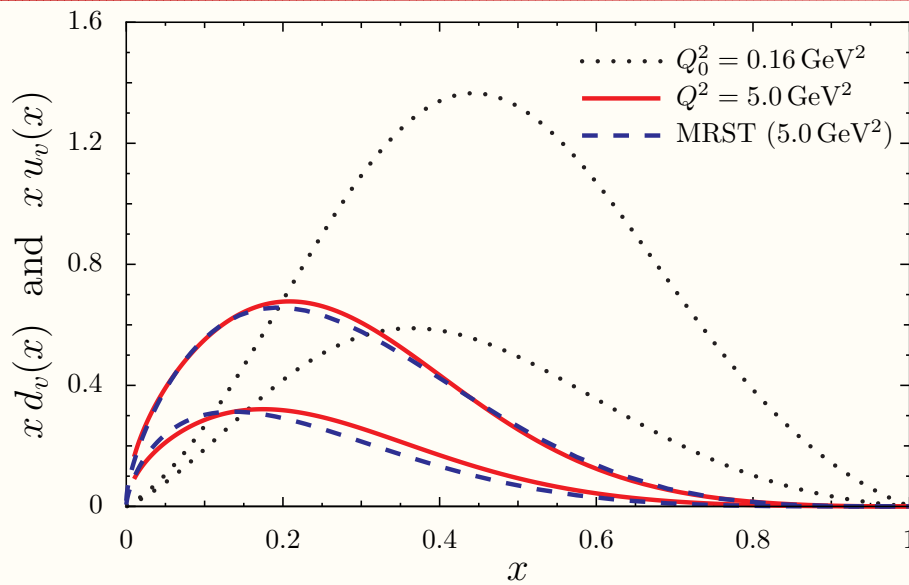
$$q(x) = p^+ \int \frac{d\xi^-}{2\pi} e^{i x p^+ \xi^-} \langle p, s | \bar{\psi}_q(0) \gamma^+ \psi_q(\xi^-) | p, s \rangle_c, \quad \Delta q(x) = \langle \gamma^+ \gamma_5 \rangle$$

- Associated with a Feynman diagram calculation



$$\blacklozenge [q(x), \Delta q(x), \Delta_T q(x)] \rightarrow \mathbf{X} = \delta \left(x - \frac{k^+}{p^+} \right) [\gamma^+, \gamma^+ \gamma_5, \gamma^+ \gamma^1 \gamma_5]$$

Results: proton quark distributions



- Covariant, correct support, satisfies baryon and momentum sum rules

$$\int dx [q(x) - \bar{q}(x)] = N_q, \quad \int dx x [u(x) + d(x) + \dots] = 1$$

- Satisfies positivity constraints and Soffer bound

$$|\Delta q(x)|, \quad |\Delta_T q(x)| \leq q(x), \quad q(x) + \Delta q(x) \geq 2 |\Delta_T q(x)|$$

- Martin, Roberts, Stirling and Thorne, Phys. Lett. B **531**, 216 (2002).
- M. Hirai, S. Kumano and N. Saito, Phys. Rev. D **69**, 054021 (2004).

Why is Transversity Interesting?

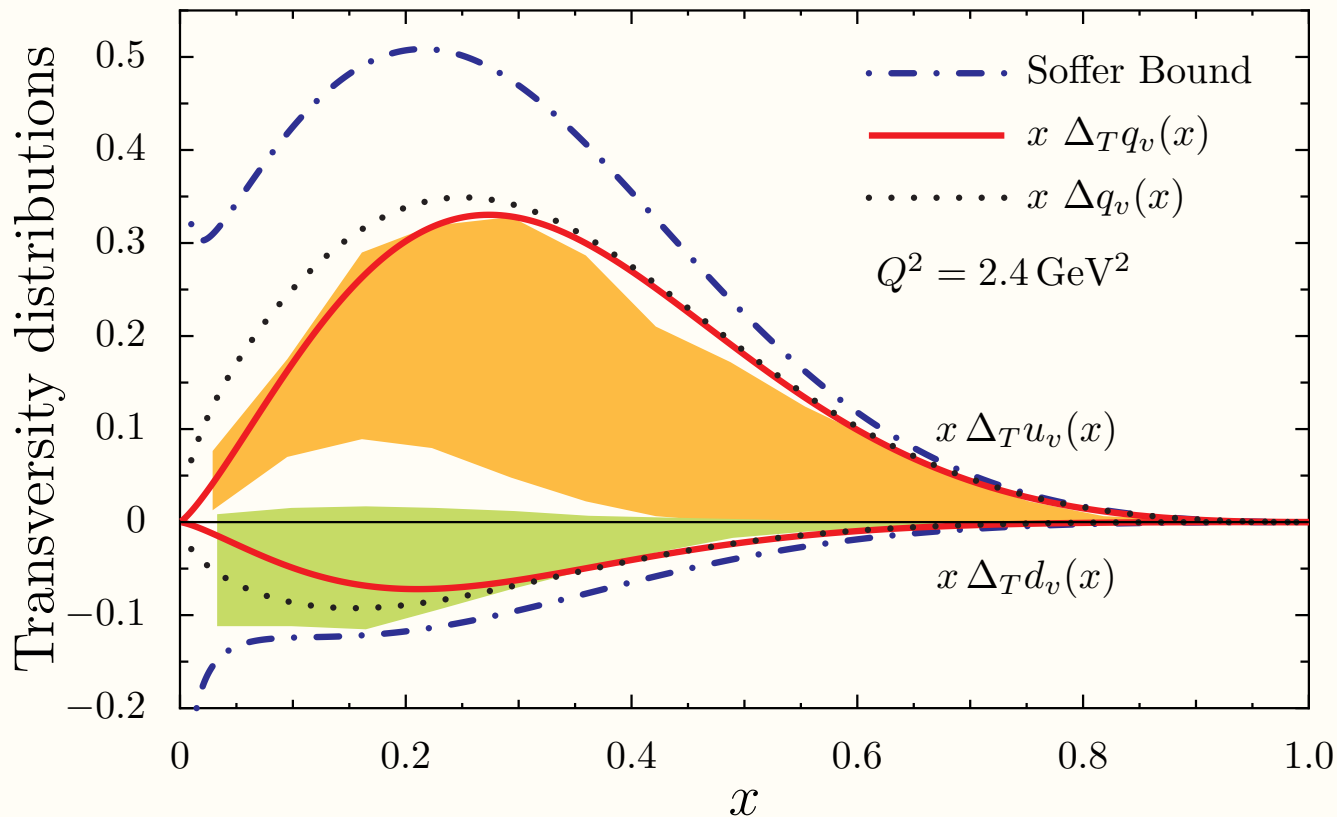
$$\Delta_T q(x) = \text{[Yellow circle with blue dot and '+' sign and upward arrow]} - \text{[Yellow circle with blue dot and '-' sign and upward arrow]} \quad \bullet \quad \text{Quarks in eigenstates of } \gamma^\perp \gamma_5$$

- Tensor charge [c.f. Bjorken sum rule for g_A]

$$g_T = \int dx [\Delta_T u(x) - \Delta_T d(x)]$$

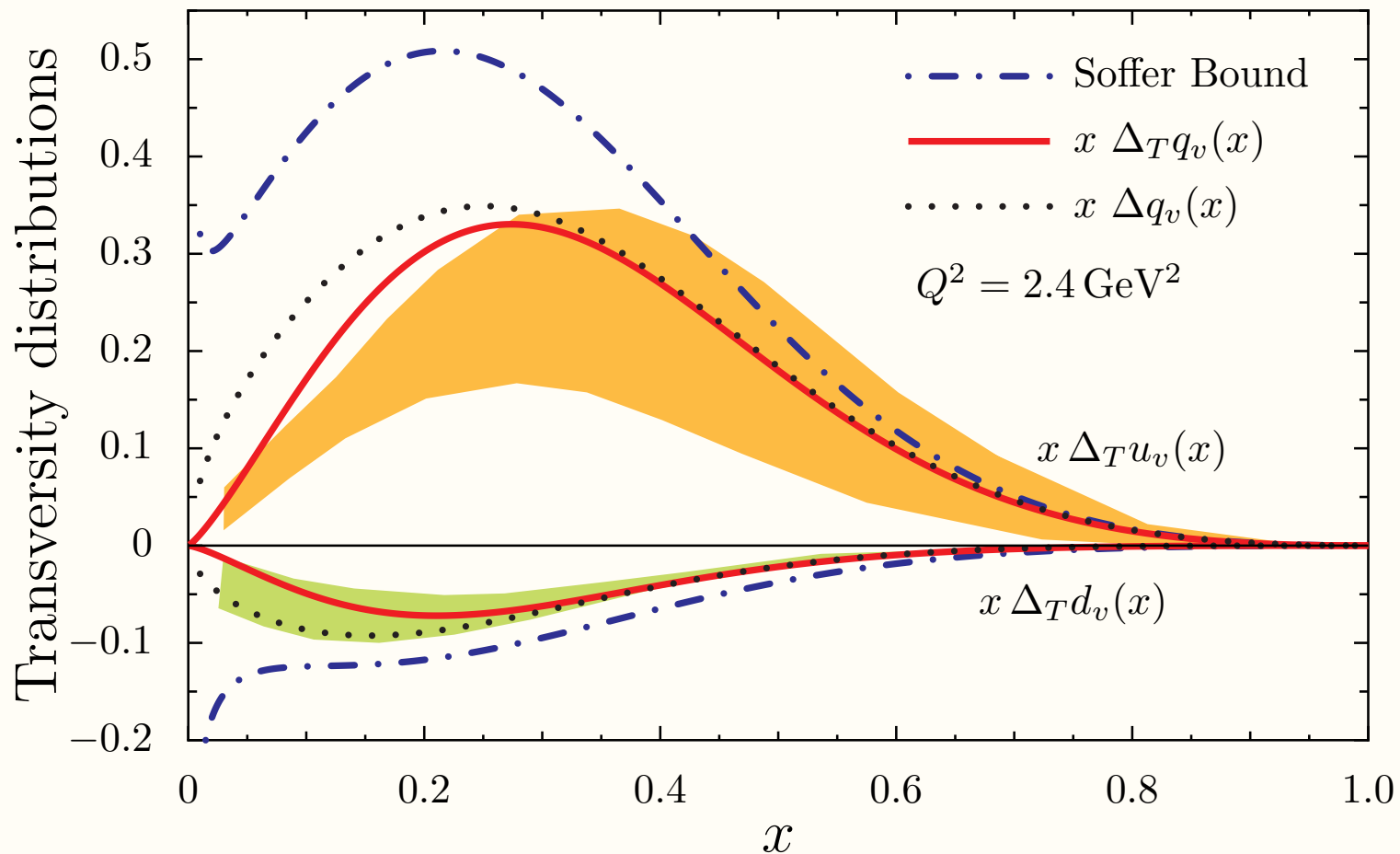
- In non-relativistic limit: $\Delta_T q(x) = \Delta q(x)$
 - ❖ therefore $\Delta_T q(x)$ is a measure of relativistic effects
- Helicity conservation \implies no mixing between $\Delta_T q$ & $\Delta_T g$
- For $J \leq \frac{1}{2}$ we have $\Delta_T g(x) = 0$
- Therefore for the nucleon $\Delta_T q(x)$ is valence quark dominated
- Transversity moment \neq spin quarks in transverse direction [c.f. $g_T(x)$]

$\Delta_T u_v(x)$ and $\Delta_T d_v(x)$ distributions



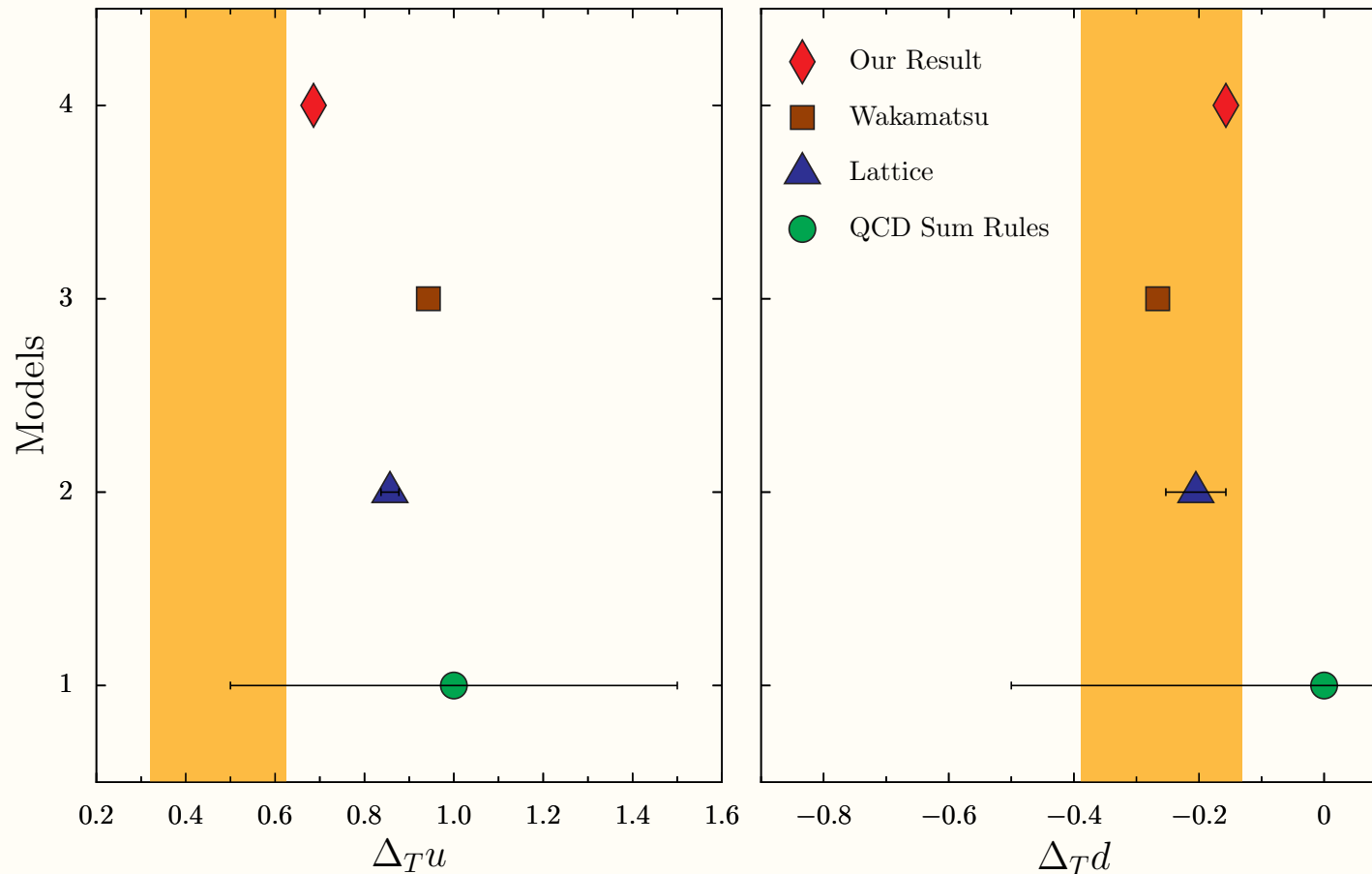
- Predict small relativistic corrections
- Empirical analysis *potentially* found large relativistic corrections
 - ❖ M. Anselmino et. al., Phys. Rev. D **75**, 054032 (2007).
- Large effects difficult to support with quark mass $\sim 0.4 \text{ GeV}$
 - ❖ maybe running quark mass is needed

Transversity: Reanalysis



- M. Anselmino *et al*, Nucl. Phys. Proc. Suppl. **191**, 98 (2009)
- Our results are now in better agreement updated distributions
- Concept of constituent quark models safe . . . for now

Transversity Moments

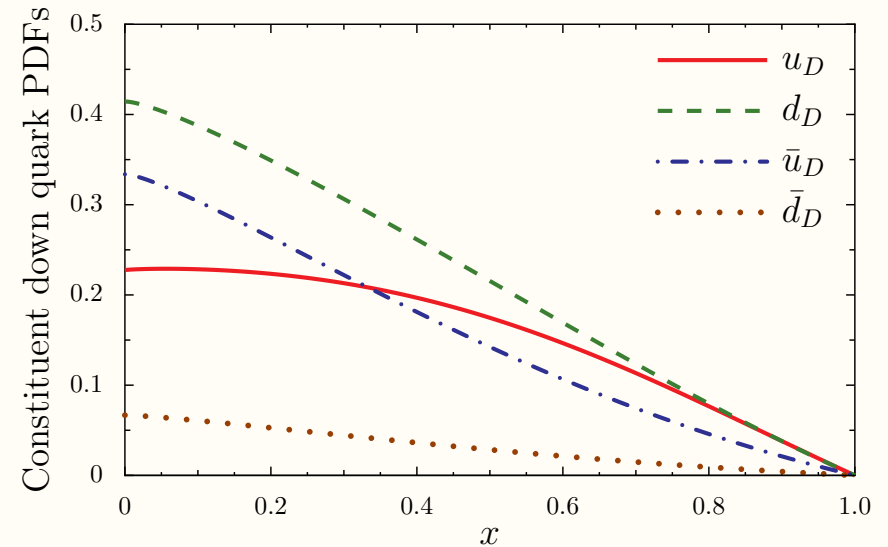
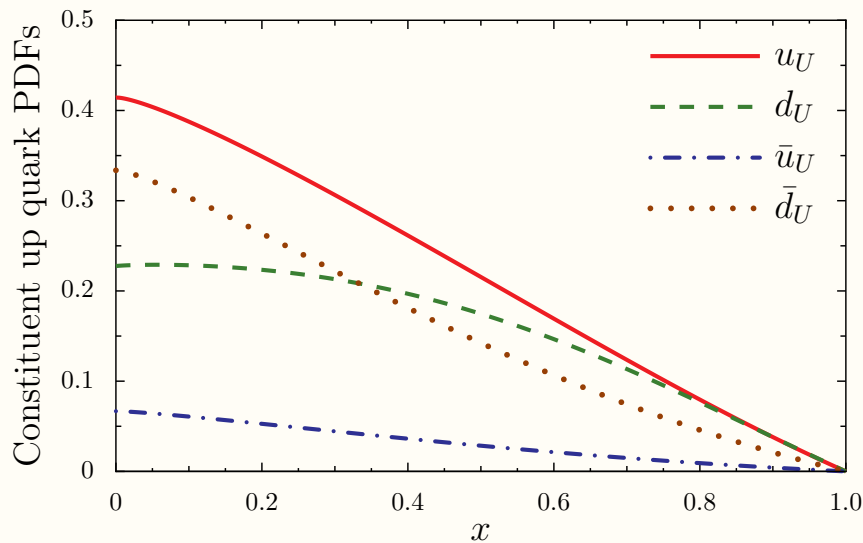
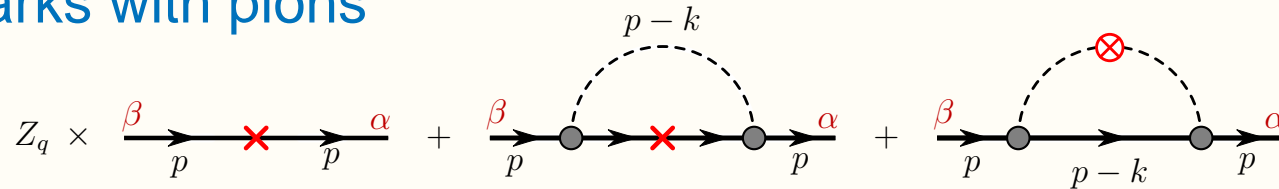


- M. Anselmino *et al*, Nucl. Phys. Proc. Suppl. **191**, 98 (2009)
- At model scale we find tensor charge

$$g_T = 1.28 \quad \text{compared with} \quad g_A = 1.267$$

Including Anti-quarks

- Dress quarks with pions



- Gottfried Sum Rule: NMC 1994: $S_G = 0.258 \pm 0.017$ [$Q^2 = 4 \text{ GeV}^2$]

$$S_G = \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x} [F_{2p}(x) - F_{2n}(x)] = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \int_0^1 dx [\bar{d}(x) - \bar{u}(x)]$$

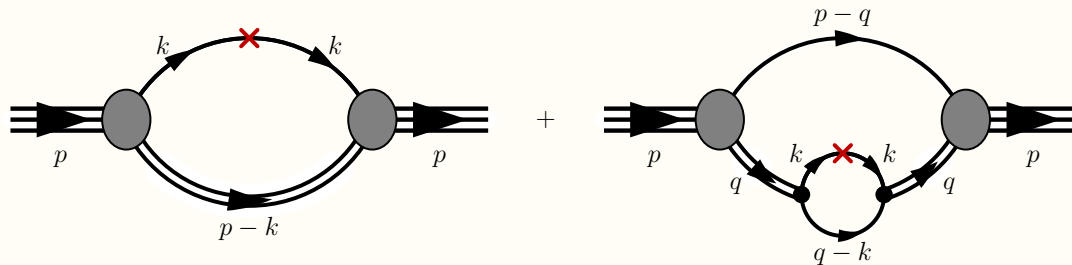
- We find: $S_G = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{4}{9} (1 - Z_q) = 0.252$ [$Z_q = 0.817$]

Spin Sum in NJL Model

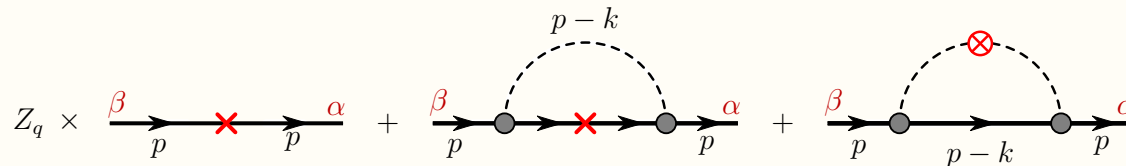
- Nucleon angular momentum must satisfy: $J = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_q + J_g$

$$\Delta\Sigma = 0.33 \pm 0.03(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.05(\text{syst.}) \quad [\text{COMPASS \& HERMES}]$$

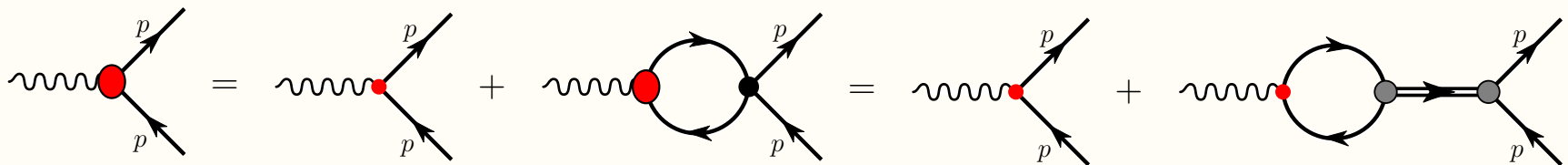
- Result from Faddeev calculation: $\Delta\Sigma = 0.66$



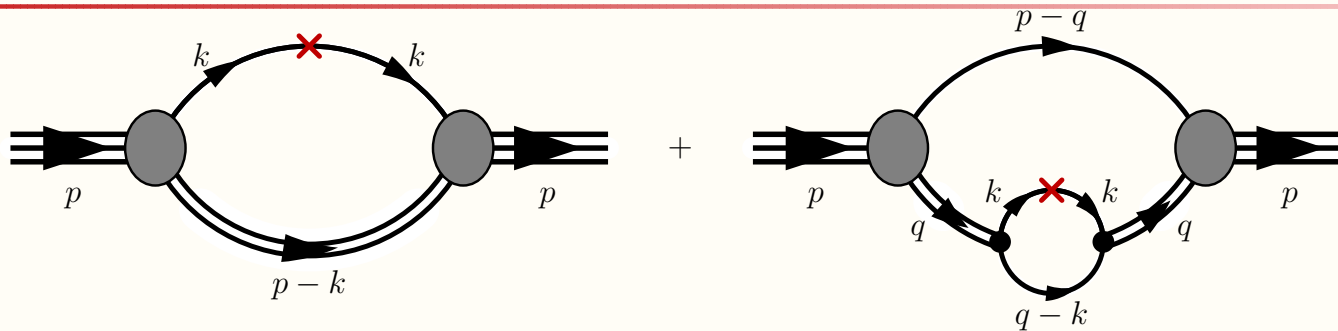
- Correction from pion cloud: $\Delta\Sigma = 0.79 \times 0.66 = 0.52$



- Bare operator $\gamma^\mu \gamma_5$ gets renormalized: $\Delta\Sigma = 0.91 \times 0.52 = 0.47$

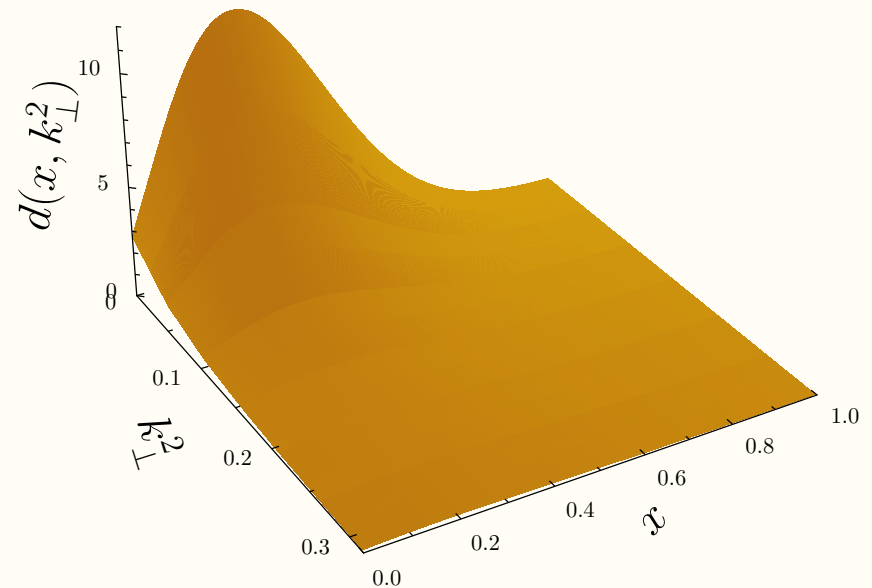
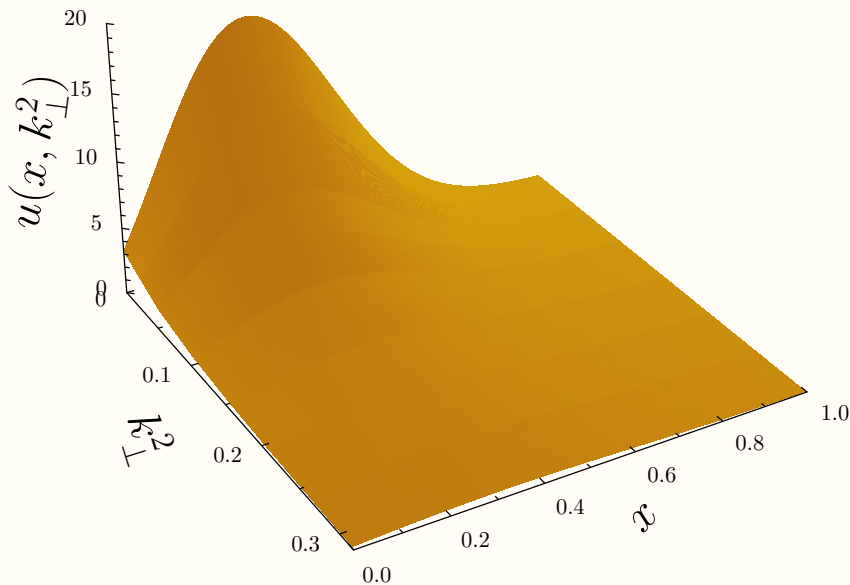


TMDs in the NJL model

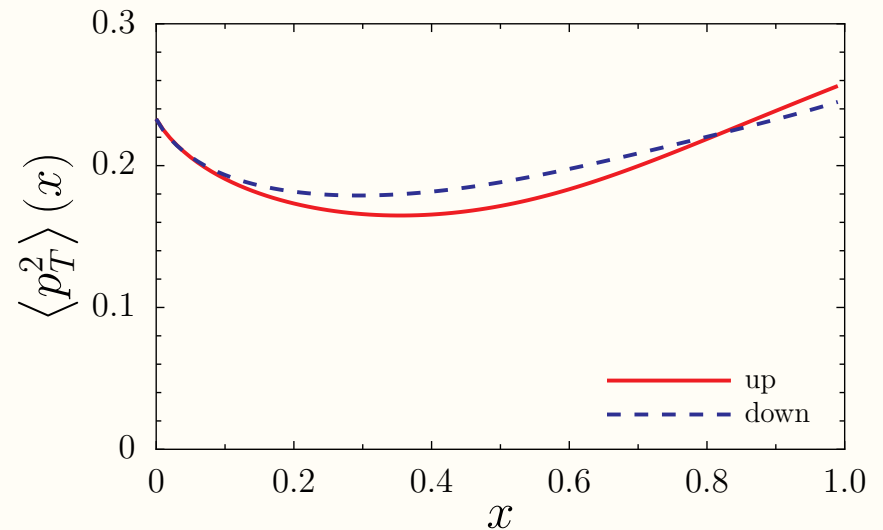
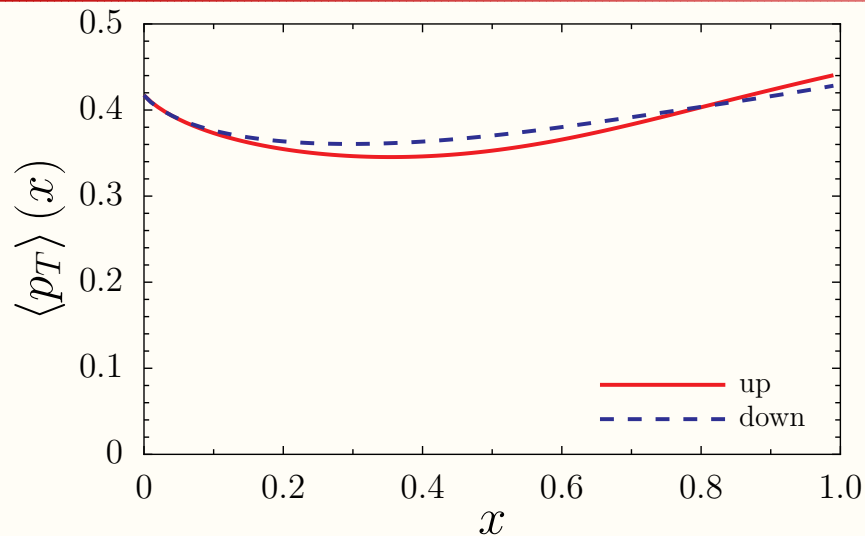


$$\Delta f_{sq}(x) = \bar{\Gamma}_N(p) \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \delta\left(x - \frac{k^+}{p^+}\right) S(k) \gamma^+ \gamma_5 S(k) \tau_s(p-k) \Gamma_N(p)$$

- For TMDs simply do not integrate over \vec{k}_\perp – have so far $q(x, \vec{k}_\perp^2)$



p_T dependence



$$\langle p_T \rangle(x) = \frac{\int d\vec{k}_\perp k_\perp q(x, k_\perp^2)}{\int d\vec{k}_\perp q(x, k_\perp^2)}$$

$$\langle p_T^2 \rangle(x) = \frac{\int d\vec{k}_\perp k_\perp^2 q(x, k_\perp^2)}{\int d\vec{k}_\perp q(x, k_\perp^2)}$$

- For the average p_T we find

$$\langle p_T \rangle_u = 0.36 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\langle p_T \rangle_d = 0.37 \text{ GeV}$$

- This compares with values derived from data

$$\langle p_T \rangle_{\text{Gauss}}(x) = 0.64 \text{ GeV [EMC]}$$

$$\langle p_T \rangle_{\text{Gauss}}(x) = 0.56 \text{ GeV [HERMES]}$$

H. Avakian, *et al.*, *Phys. Rev. D*81, 074035 (2010)

The N^* (Roper) Resonance

- N^* manifests as second pole in Faddeev equation kernel
 - ❖ $M_N = 0.940 \text{ GeV}$ and $M_{N^*} = 1.8 \text{ GeV}$
 - ❖ Agrees very well with EBAC value for quark core mass
- Vertex function is given by eigenvector at pole: $p^2 = m_i^2$
- For our NJL model N , N^* vertex function has the simple form

$$\Gamma(p) = \left[\begin{array}{c} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \frac{p^\mu}{M} \gamma_5 + \alpha_3 \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \end{array} \right] u(p)$$

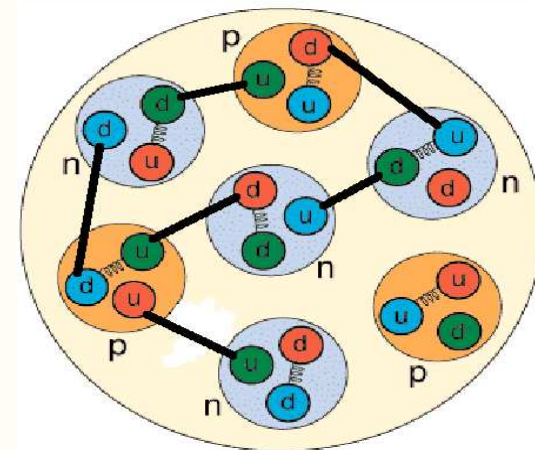
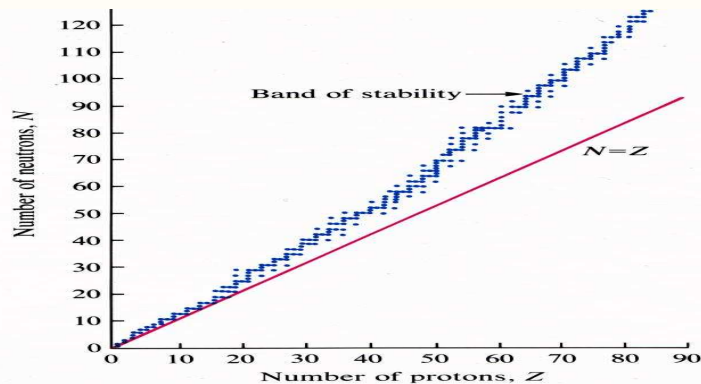
- For the nucleon: $\alpha_1 = 0.43$, $\alpha_2 = 0.024$, $\alpha_3 = -0.45$
- For the Roper: $\alpha_1 = 0.0011$, $\alpha_2 = 0.94$, $\alpha_3 = -0.051$
- N^* is completely dominated by the axial–vector diquark
- $\Delta\Sigma_N = 0.68 - 0.21 = 0.47$, $\Delta\Sigma_{N^*} = -0.02 + 0.01 \simeq 0.0$

Nuclear Matter

- Finite density Lagrangian: add $\bar{q}q$ interaction in σ , ω , ρ channels

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}_q (i \not{\partial} - M^* - V_q) \psi_q + \mathcal{L}'_I$$

- Fundamental physics: mean fields couple to the quarks in nucleons



- Finite density quark propagator

$$S(k)^{-1} = \not{k} - M - i\varepsilon \quad \rightarrow \quad S_q(k)^{-1} = \not{k} - M^* - V_q - i\varepsilon$$

- Hadronization + mean-field \implies effective potential that provides

$$V_{u(d)} = \omega_0 \pm \rho_0, \quad \omega_0 = 6 G_\omega (\rho_p + \rho_n), \quad \rho_0 = 2 G_\rho (\rho_p - \rho_n)$$

- ◆ $G_\omega \Leftrightarrow Z = N$ saturation & $G_\rho \Leftrightarrow$ symmetry energy

Finite nuclei EMC effects

- EMC ratio

$$R = \frac{F_{2A}}{F_{2A}^{\text{naive}}} = \frac{F_{2A}}{Z F_{2p} + N F_{2n}}$$

- Polarized EMC ratio

$$R_s^H = \frac{g_{1A}^H}{g_{1A}^{H,\text{naive}}} = \frac{g_{1A}^H}{P_p^H g_{1p} + P_n^H g_{1n}}$$

- Spin-dependent cross-section is suppressed by $1/A$

- ❖ Must choose nuclei with $A \lesssim 27$

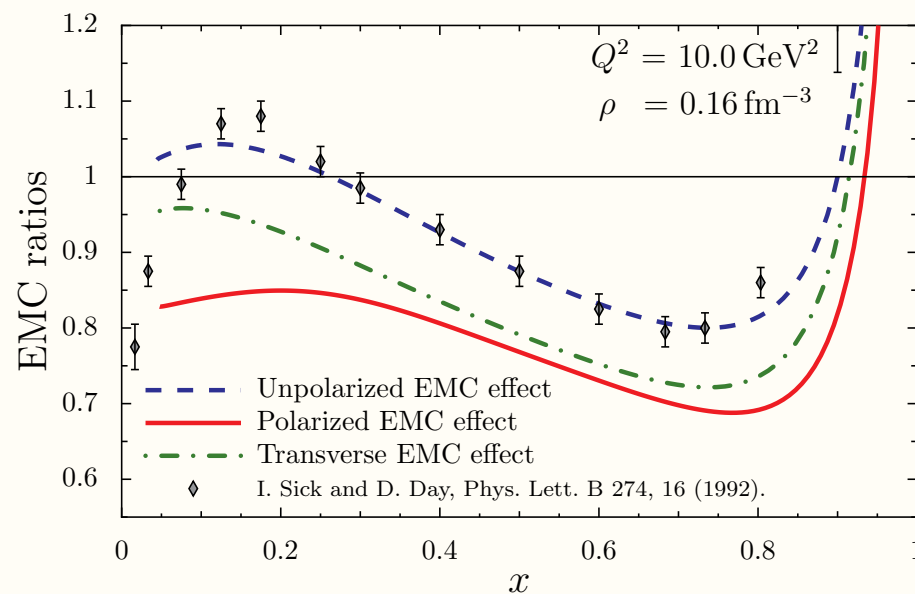
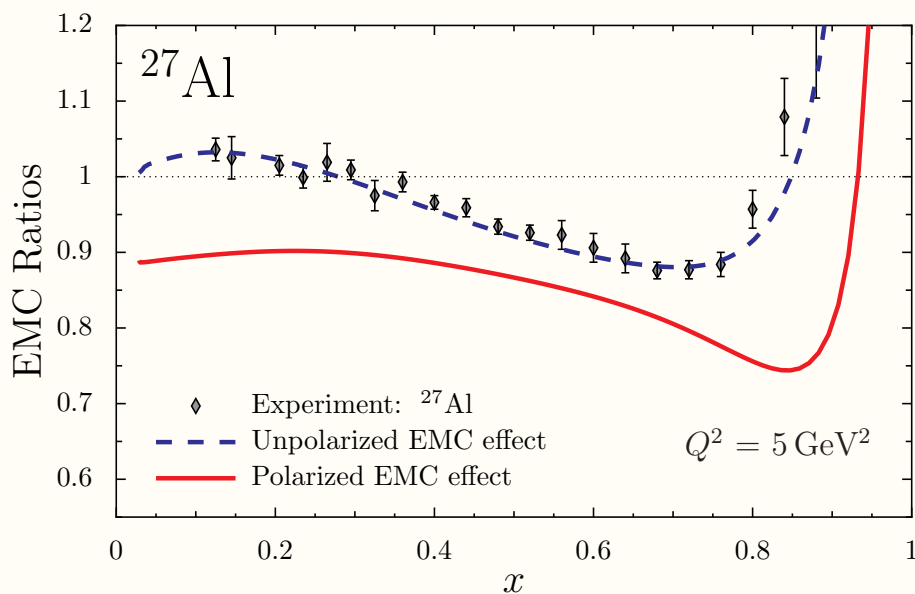
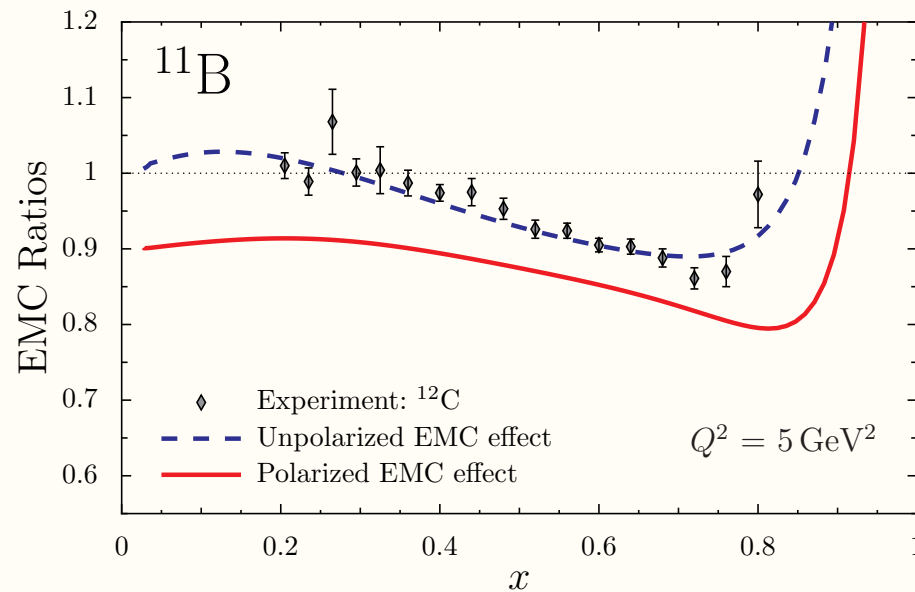
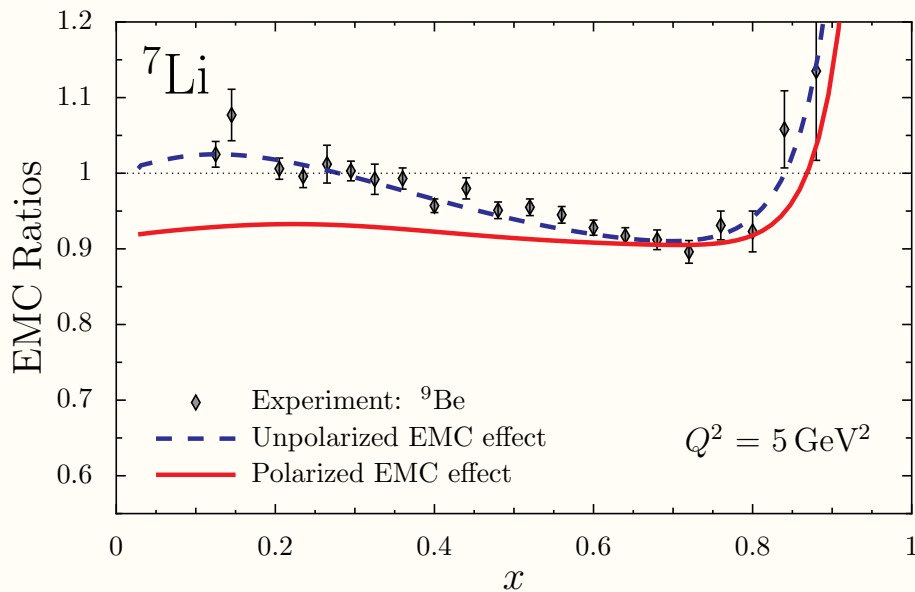
- ❖ protons should carry most of the spin e.g. $\implies {}^7\text{Li}, {}^{11}\text{B}, \dots$

- Ideal nucleus is probably ${}^7\text{Li}$

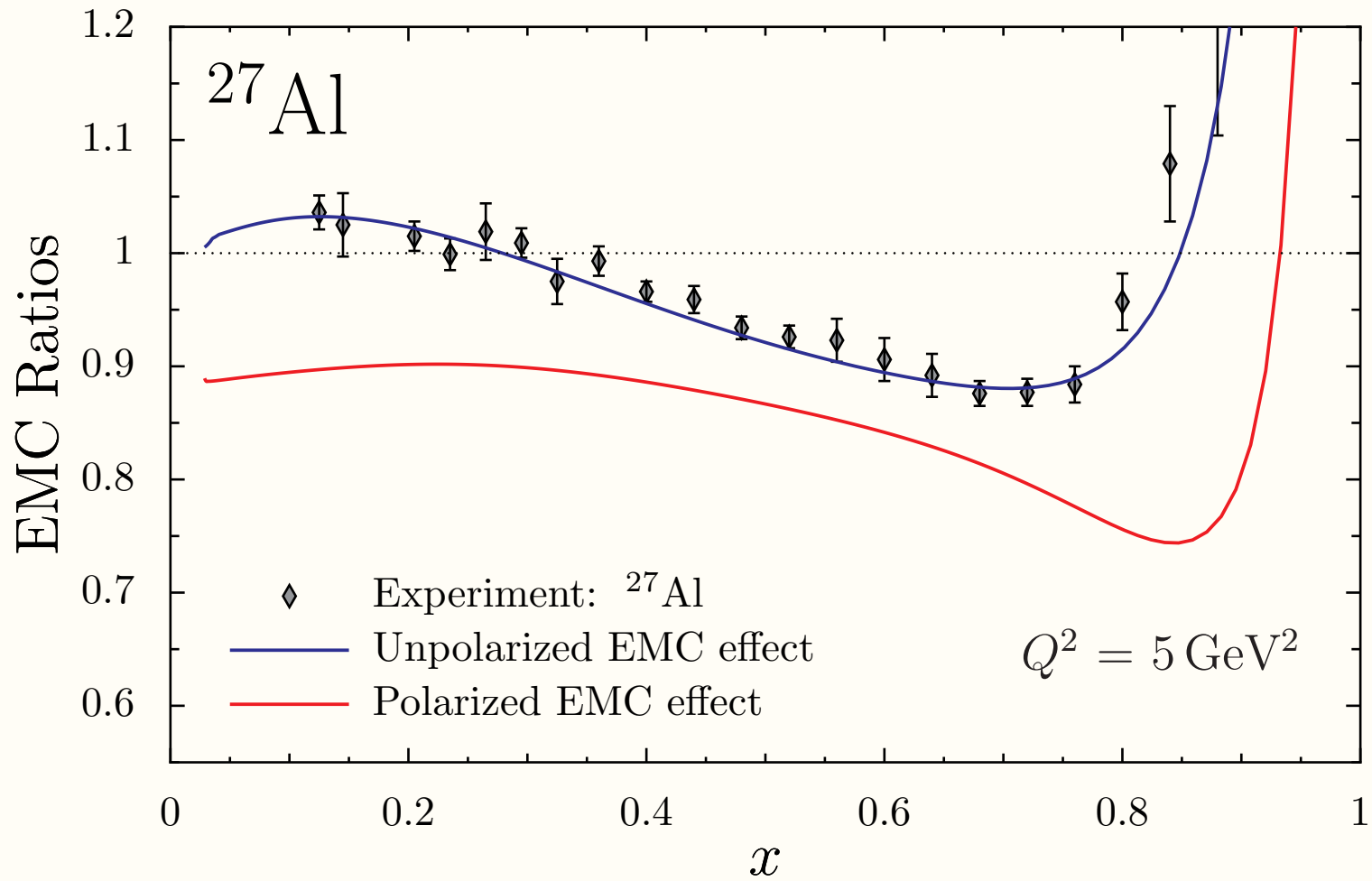
- ❖ From Quantum Monte-Carlo: $P_p^J = 0.86$ & $P_n^J = 0.04$

- Ratios equal 1 in non-relativistic and no-medium modification limit

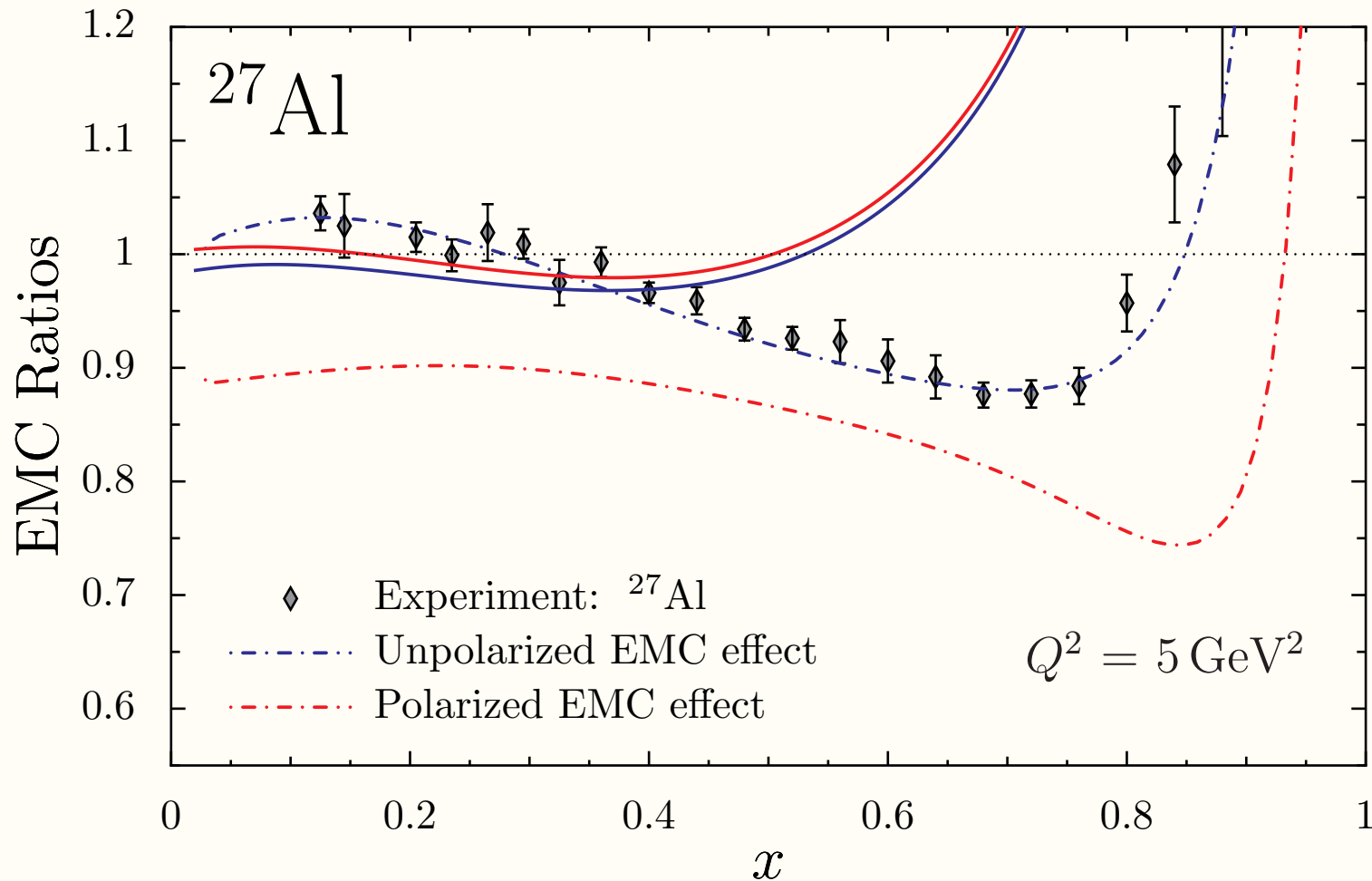
EMC ratios



Is there medium modification



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- Medium modification of nucleon has been switched off
- Relativistic effects remain
- Large splitting would be strong evidence for medium modification

Nuclear Spin Sum

Proton spin states	Δu	Δd	Σ	g_A
p	0.97	-0.30	0.67	1.267
${}^7\text{Li}$	0.91	-0.29	0.62	1.19
${}^{11}\text{B}$	0.88	-0.28	0.60	1.16
${}^{15}\text{N}$	0.87	-0.28	0.59	1.15
${}^{27}\text{Al}$	0.87	-0.28	0.59	1.15
Nuclear Matter	0.79	-0.26	0.53	1.05

- Angular momentum of nucleon: $J = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_q + J_g$
 - ❖ in medium $M^* < M$ and therefore quarks are more relativistic
 - ❖ lower components of quark wavefunctions are enhanced
 - ❖ quark lower components usually have larger angular momentum
 - ❖ $\Delta q(x)$ very sensitive to lower components
- Conclusion: quark spin \rightarrow orbital angular momentum in-medium

Conclusion

- Illustrated the inclusion of quarks into a traditional description of nuclei
 - ❖ complementary approach to traditional nuclear physics
- NJL model is a useful tool to study nucleon and nuclear structure
 - ❖ covariant, confining, dynamical chiral symmetry breaking
- NJL gives a good description of Twist-2 PDFs
 - ❖ soon have results for twist 3 and 4 PDFs and TMDs
- EMC effect is interpreted as evidence for the medium modification of the bound nucleon wavefunction
 - ❖ will be tested in forthcoming experiments – PV DIS, Drell-Yan
 - ❖ NuTeV anomaly
- Polarized structure functions of nuclei are potentially interesting
 - ❖ polarized EMC effect [quark spin converted $\rightarrow L_q$ in nuclei]

Model Parameters

- Free Parameters:

$$\Lambda_{IR}, \Lambda_{UV}, M_0, G_\pi, G_s, G_a, G_\omega \text{ and } G_\rho$$

- Constraints:

- ❖ $f_\pi = 93 \text{ MeV}, m_\pi = 140 \text{ MeV} \quad \& \quad M_N = 940 \text{ MeV}$

- ❖ $\int_0^1 dx (\Delta u_v(x) - \Delta d_v(x)) = g_A = 1.267$

- ❖ $(\rho, E_B/A) = (0.16 \text{ fm}^{-3}, -15.7 \text{ MeV})$

- ❖ $a_4 = 32 \text{ MeV}$

- ❖ $\Lambda_{IR} = 240 \text{ MeV}$

- We obtain [MeV]:

- ❖ $\Lambda_{UV} = 644$

- ❖ $M_0 = 400, \quad M_s = 690, \quad M_a = 990, \quad \dots$

- Can now study a very large array of observables:

- ❖ e.g. meson and baryon: quark distributions, form factors, GPDs, finite temp. and density, neutron stars

Regularization

- Proper-time regularization

$$\frac{1}{X^n} = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \int_0^\infty d\tau \tau^{n-1} e^{-\tau X}$$
$$\longrightarrow \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \int_{1/(\Lambda_{UV})^2}^{1/(\Lambda_{IR})^2} d\tau \tau^{n-1} e^{-\tau X}$$

- Λ_{IR} eliminates unphysical thresholds for the nucleon to decay into quarks: \rightarrow simulates confinement

❖ D. Ebert, T. Feldmann and H. Reinhardt, Phys. Lett. B **388**, 154 (1996).

- E.g.: Quark wave function renormalization

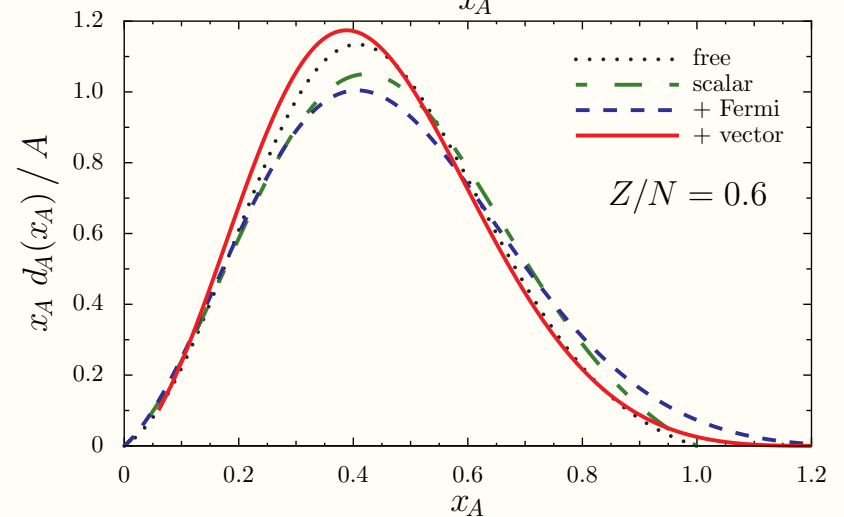
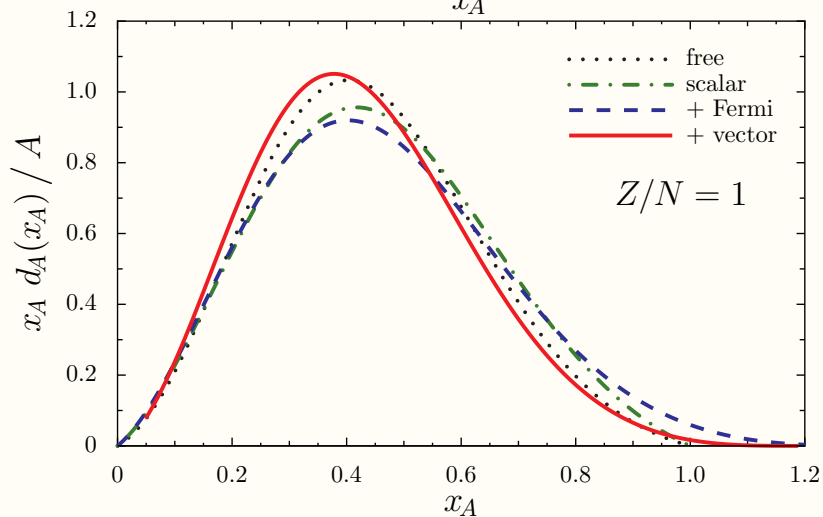
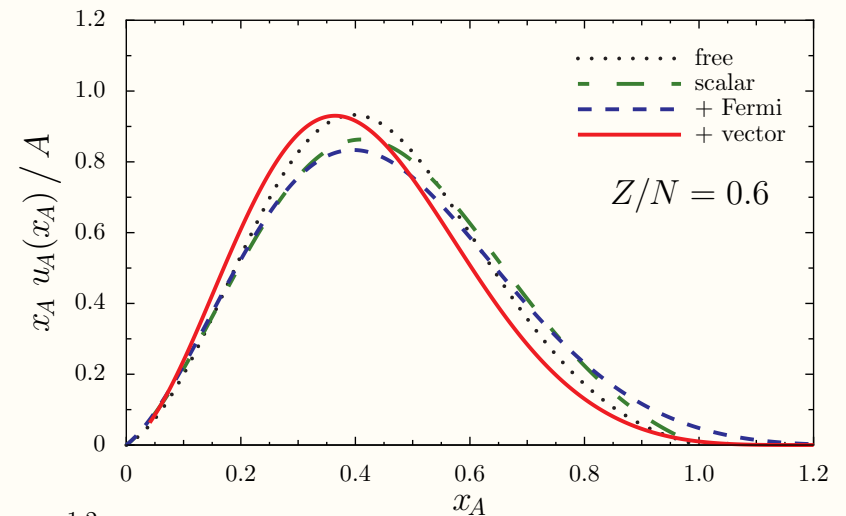
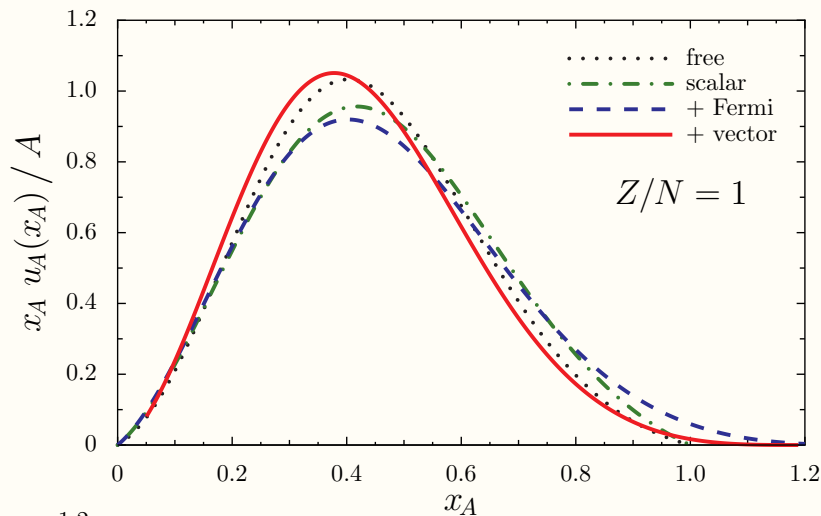
$$\text{❖ } Z(k^2) = e^{-\Lambda_{UV}(k^2 - M^2)} - e^{-\Lambda_{IR}(k^2 - M^2)}$$

$$\rightarrow Z(k^2 = M^2) = 0 \quad \implies \quad \text{no free quarks}$$

- Needed for: nuclear matter saturation, Δ baryon, etc

❖ W. Bentz, A.W. Thomas, Nucl. Phys. A **696**, 138 (2001)

Results: Nuclear Matter



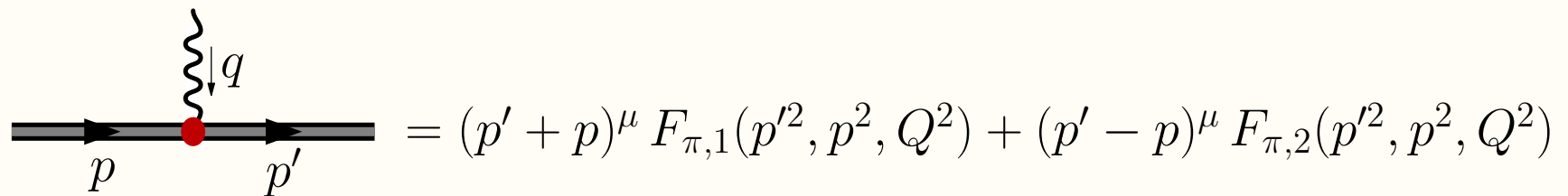
- $\rho_p + \rho_n = \text{fixed}$ – Differences arise from:
 - ◆ naive: different number protons and neutrons
 - ◆ medium: p & n Fermi motion and $V_{u(d)}$ differ $\rightarrow u_p(x) \neq d_n(x), \dots$

Off-Shell Effects

- For an off-shell nucleon, photon–nucleon vertex given by

$$\Gamma_N^\mu(p', p) = \sum_{\alpha, \beta = +, -} \Lambda^\alpha(p') \left[\gamma^\mu f_1^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2M} f_2^{\alpha\beta} + q^\mu f_3^{\alpha\beta} \right] \Lambda^\alpha(p)$$

- In-medium nucleon is off-shell, extremely difficult to quantify effects
 - ❖ However must understand to fully describe in-medium nucleon
- Simpler system: off-shell pion form factors
 - ❖ relax on-shell constraint $p'^2 = p^2 = m_\pi^2$
 - ❖ Very difficult to calculate in many approaches, e.g. Lattice QCD



$$= (p' + p)^\mu F_{\pi,1}(p'^2, p^2, Q^2) + (p' - p)^\mu F_{\pi,2}(p'^2, p^2, Q^2)$$

- For $p'^2 = p^2 = m_\pi^2$ we have $F_{\pi,1} \rightarrow F_\pi$ and $F_{\pi,2} = 0$