### **Global fits of nuclear PDFs**

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### Nuclear modifications of structure function $F_2$



**Drell-Yan and Antiquark Distributions**  $p + A \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- + X$ 



The Fermilab E772 Drell-Yan data suggested that nuclear modification of antiquark distributions should be small in the region,  $x \approx 0.1$ .

### **Uncertainties of fragmentation functions** "in including hadron -production data in the global analysis."

- Gluon and light-quark fragmentation functions have large uncertainties.
- Large differences between the functions of various analysis groups.
- Gluon function at large-z is important for hadron-productions at RHIC.

P/z

X

 $x_a P_a$ 

 $x_b P_b$ 

 $\hat{\sigma}$ 



# **Determination of Nuclear Parton Distribution Functions**

(1) M. Hirai, S. Kumano, M. Miyama, Phys. Rev. D64 (2001) 034003.

- (2) M. Hirai, S. Kumano, T.-H. Nagai, Phys. Rev. C70 (2004) 044905.
- (3) M. Hirai, S. Kumano, T.-H. Nagai, Phys. Rev. C76 (2007) 065207.

**Research in progress ...** 

### **Experimental data:** total number = 1241

#### (1) $F_2^A / F_2^D$ 896 data

 NMC:
 p, He, Li, C, Ca

 SLAC:
 He, Be, C, Al,

 Ca, Fe, Ag, Au

 EMC:
 C, Ca, Cu, Sn

 E665:
 C, Ca, Xe, Pb

 BCDMS:
 N, Fe

 HERMES:
 N, Kr

#### (2) F<sub>2</sub><sup>A</sup>/F<sub>2</sub><sup>A'</sup> 293 data NMC: Be/C, Al/C, Ca/C, Fe/C, Sn/C, Pb/C, C /Li, Ca/Li

(3)  $\sigma_{DY}^{A} / \sigma_{DY}^{A'}$  52 data E772: C / D, Ca / D, Fe / D, W / D E866: Fe / Be, W / Be

#### + JLab data



### **Functional form** Nuclear PDFs "per nucleon"

If there were no nuclear modification

 $Au^{A}(x) = Zu^{p}(x) + Nu^{n}(x), Ad^{A}(x) = Zd^{p}(x) + Nd^{n}(x)$  p = proton, n = neutron

**Isospin symmetry:**  $u^n = d^p \equiv d$ ,  $d^n = u^p \equiv u$ 

$$\rightarrow u^{A}(x) = \frac{Zu(x) + Nd(x)}{A}, \qquad d^{A}(x) = \frac{Zd(x) + Nu(x)}{A}$$

Take account of nuclear effects by  $w_i(x, A)$ 

$$u_{v}^{A}(x) = w_{u_{v}}(x,A) \frac{Zu_{v}(x) + Nd_{v}(x)}{A}, \quad d_{v}^{A}(x) = w_{d_{v}}(x,A) \frac{Zd_{v}(x) + Nu_{v}(x)}{A}$$

$$\bar{u}^{A}(x) = w_{\bar{q}}(x,A) \frac{Z\bar{u}(x) + N\bar{d}(x)}{A}, \quad \bar{d}^{A}(x) = w_{\bar{q}}(x,A) \frac{Z\bar{d}(x) + N\bar{u}(x)}{A}$$

$$\bar{s}^{A}(x) = w_{\bar{q}}(x,A)\bar{s}(x)$$

$$g^{A}(x) = w_{g}(x,A)g(x) \quad \text{at } Q^{2} = 1 \text{ GeV}^{2}(\equiv Q_{0}^{2})$$

### **Functional form of** $w_i(x, A)$

$$f_i^A(x,Q_0^2) = w_i(x,A)f_i(x,Q_0^2)$$
  $i = u_v, d_v, \bar{u}, \bar{d}, \bar{s}, g$ 



Note: The region x > 1 cannot be described by this parametrization.

A simple function = cubic polynomial

**Three constraints** 

Nuclear charge: 
$$Z = A \int dx \left[ \frac{2}{3} \left( u^A - \bar{u}^A \right) - \frac{1}{3} \left( d^A - \bar{d}^A \right) - \frac{1}{3} \left( s^A - \bar{s}^A \right) \right] = A \int dx \left[ \frac{2}{3} u_v^A - \frac{1}{3} d_v^A \right]$$
  
Baryon number:  $A = A \int dx \left[ \frac{1}{3} \left( u^A - \bar{u}^A \right) + \frac{1}{3} \left( d^A - \bar{d}^A \right) + \frac{1}{3} \left( s^A - \bar{s}^A \right) \right] = A \int dx \left[ \frac{1}{3} u_v^A + \frac{1}{3} d_v^A \right]$   
Momentum:  $A = A \int dx \left[ u^A + \bar{u}^A + d^A + \bar{d}^A + s^A + \bar{s}^A + g \right]$   
 $= A \int dx \left[ u_v^A + d_v^A + 2 \left( \bar{u}^A + \bar{d}^A + \bar{s}^A \right) + g \right]$ 

### Comparison with $F_2^{Ca}/F_2^{D} \& \sigma_{DY}^{pCa}/\sigma_{DY}^{pD}$ data



(Rexp-Rtheo)/Rtheo at the same Q<sup>2</sup> points

 $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{F}_2^{\text{Ca}} / \mathbf{F}_2^{\text{D}}, \ \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\text{DY}}^{\text{pCa}} / \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\text{DY}}^{\text{pD}}$ 





### Comparison with $F_2^A/F_2^D$ data: Light nuclei



### **Comparison with F<sub>2</sub><sup>A</sup>/F<sub>2</sub><sup>D</sup> data:** Heavy nuclei



### **Nuclear PDFs**







### **Recent global analyses on nuclear PDFs**

### **– EPS09**

It is likely that I miss some papers!

- K. J. Eskola, H. Paukkunen, and C. A. Salgado, JHEP 04 (2009) 065.
- Charged-lepton DIS, DY,  $\pi^0$  production in dAu.

### - SYKMOO08 (09)

- I. Schienbein, J. Y. Yu, C. Keppel, J. G. Morfin, F. I. Olness, and J. F. Owens, Phys. Rev. D 77 (2008) 044013; D80 (2009) 094004.
- Neutrino DIS (only NuTeV data).

### - **HKN07**

- M. Hirai, S. Kumano, and T. -H. Nagai, Phys. Rev. C 76 (2007) 065207.
- Charged-lepton DIS, DY.

**– DS04** 

- D. de Florian and R. Sassot, Phys. Rev. D 69 (2004) 074028.
- Charged-lepton DIS, DY.

See also L. Frankfurt, V. Guzey, and M. Strikman, Phys. Rev. D 71 (2005) 054001; Phys. Lett. B687 (2010) 167. S. A. Kulagin and R. Petti, Phys. Rev. D 76 (2007) 094023.

### **Comparison of nuclear PDFs**

Different analysis results are consistent with each other because they are roughly within uncertainty bands.

Valence quark: Well determined except at small x.

Antiquark:Determined at small x, Large uncertainties at medium and large x.Gluon:Large uncertainties in the whole-x region.



### **Summary on nuclear-PDF determination in NLO**

#### LO and NLO analysis for the nuclear PDFs and their uncertainties.

Valence quark: well determined

Antiquark:determined at small x, large uncertainties at medium and large x.Gluon:large uncertainties in the whole-x region.

• Better determination of  $G^{A}(x)$  is usually expected in NLO.

- → However, the NLO improvement is not very clear due to inaccurate measurement of Q<sup>2</sup> dependence.
- $\rightarrow$  The gluon modifications are not well determined even in NLO.

#### **Deuteron modifications**

• At most 0.5%~2%; however, be careful that deuteron effects could be contained in the PDFs of the nucleon.

NPDF codes at http://research.kek.jp/people/kumanos/nuclp.html.

### **Recent neutrino DIS experiments**

Experiment	Target	v energy (GeV)
CCFR	Fe	30-360
CDHSW	Fe	20-212
CHORUS	Pb	10-200
NuTeV	Fe	30-500

M. Tzanov et al. (NuTeV), PRD74 (2006) 012008.



#### Future: MINERvA (He, C, Fe, Pb), ...



### **Recent measurements at JLab**

J. Seely *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. 103 (2009) 202301.



Results indicate that nuclear modifications may not be described by usual A (and density) dependence for light nuclei.



Issue of a modification difference between changed-lepton and neutrino reactions

### Analysis of SYKMOO-08 (Schienbein et al.)

SYKMOO-08 (I. Schienbein *et al.*), PRD 77 (2008) 054013

#### **Charged-lepton scattering**





Same tendency as the Schienbein et al.'s.

## **Comments on related topics**

- Nuclear modification effects on NuTeV  $sin^2\theta_W$  anomaly
- JLab <sup>9</sup>Be "anomaly" as a nuclear clustering aspect
- Analysis on tensor-polarized PDFs in the deuteron

## Effects on NuTeV sin<sup>2</sup>θw anomaly due to nuclear modification differences between u<sub>v</sub> and d<sub>v</sub>

(1) S. Kumano, Phys. Rev. D66 (2002) 111301.
(2) M. Hirai, S. Kumano, T.-H. Nagai, Phys. Rev. D71 (2005) 113007.

**Global analysis of F**<sub>2</sub> and Drell-Yan data for  $\varepsilon_v(x)$ 

$$u_v^A(x) = w_{u_v}(x,A) \frac{Z u_v(x) + N d_v(x)}{A}$$
$$d_v^A(x) = w_{d_v}(x,A) \frac{Z d_v(x) + N u_v(x)}{A}$$
$$\bar{q}^A(x) = w_{\bar{q}}(x,A) \bar{q}(x), \quad g^A(x) = w_g(x,A) g(x)$$

in the NPDF analysis

$$w_{uv} = 1 + (1 - 1/A^{1/3}) \frac{a_{uv} + b_v x + c_v x^2 + d_v x^3}{(1 - x)^{\beta_v}}$$
$$w_{dv} = 1 + (1 - 1/A^{1/3}) \frac{a_{dv} + b_v x + c_v x^2 + d_v x^3}{(1 - x)^{\beta_v}}$$

in the current analysis

$$w_{uv} + w_{dv} = 1 + (1 - 1/A^{1/3}) \frac{a_v + b_v x + c_v x^2 + d_v x^3}{(1 - x)^{\beta_v}}$$
$$w_{uv} - w_{dv} = 1 + (1 - 1/A^{1/3}) \frac{a_v' + b_v' x + c_v' x^2 + d_v' x^3}{(1 - x)^{\beta_v}}$$

Analysis result for 
$$\varepsilon_{v}(x)$$
  $\varepsilon_{v}(x) = \frac{w_{d_{v}}(x) - w_{u_{v}}(x)}{w_{d_{v}}(x) + w_{u_{v}}(x)}$   
 $R_{A}^{-} = \frac{1}{2} - \sin^{2}\theta_{W} - \varepsilon_{v}(x) \left\{ (\frac{1}{2} - \sin^{2}\theta_{W}) \frac{1 + (1 - y)^{2}}{1 - (1 - y)^{2}} - \frac{1}{3} \sin^{2}\theta_{W} \right\} + O(\varepsilon_{v}^{2})$   
 $w_{uv} - w_{dv} = 1 + (1 - 1/A^{1/3}) \frac{a'_{v} + b'_{v}x + c'_{v}x^{2} + d'_{v}x^{3}}{(1 - x)^{\beta_{v}}} a'_{v}, b'_{v}, c'_{v}, d'_{v}$  are determined

by the analysis

M. Hirai, SK, T.-H. Nagai, Phys. Rev. D71 (2005) 113007.

It is very difficult to determine the difference between nuclear modifications of u<sub>v</sub> and d<sub>v</sub> distributions at this stage.



Summary on NuTeV sin<sup>2</sup>θ<sub>W</sub>

(1) χ<sup>2</sup> analysis for the difference between nuclear modifications of u<sub>v</sub> and d<sub>v</sub> distributions.
 It is very difficult to determine it at this stage.

(2) Effect on NuTeV  $\sin^2 \theta_W$  $\Delta(\sin^2 \theta_W) = 0.0004 \pm 0.0015$  (with a large error) JLab anomaly on <sup>9</sup>Be (A clustering aspect in DIS?)

M. Hirai, S. Kumano, K. Saito, and T. Watanabe arXiv:1008.1313 [hep-ph] JLab "anomaly" on <sup>9</sup>Be

J. Seely *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. 103 (2009) 202301.



### **Cluster structure in <sup>9</sup>Be**

Density distributions in <sup>4</sup>He and <sup>9</sup>Be



### <sup>4</sup>He

**Two models:** 

(1) AMD (antisymmetrized molecular dynamics) to describe clustering structure

1.0

(2) Shell model

However, if the densities are averaged over the polar and azimuthal angles, differences from shell structure are not so obvious although there are some differences in <sup>9</sup>Be in comparison with <sup>4</sup>He.



× [fm]

**Space** (r) distributions

 ${}^{9}\text{Be}(\sim {}^{4}\text{He} + {}^{4}\text{He} + n)$ 

1.0

0.5

0.0

<sup>م</sup> [fm<sup>-3</sup>]

1.000

1.000

0.251

0.016

0.001

-2

### **EMC effect**



#### **Momentum (p) distributions**



#### Simple convolution model



$$F_2^A(x,Q^2) = \int_x^A dy \, f(y) \, F_2^N(x/y,Q^2)$$

<sup>4</sup>He







### **EMC slopes plotted by maximum local densities**



Tensor-polarized Parton Distribution Functions in the Deuteron

S. Kumano, Phys. Rev. D 82 (2010) 017501



**Constraint on valence-tensor polarization (sum rule)** 



F.E.Close and SK, PRD42, 2377 (1990).

$$\int dx \, b_1^D(x) = \frac{5}{18} \int dx \left[ \delta_T u_v + \delta_T d_v \right] + \frac{1}{18} \int dx \left[ 8 \delta_T \overline{u}^D + 2 \delta_T \overline{d}^D + \delta_T \overline{s}^D \right]$$

Elastic amplitude in a parton model

$$\begin{split} \Gamma_{H,H} &= \langle p, H | J_0(0) | p, H \rangle = \sum_i e_i \int dx \Big[ q_i^H + q_i^H - \overline{q}_h^H - \overline{q}_h^H \Big] \\ \frac{1}{2} \Big[ \Gamma_{0,0} - \frac{1}{2} \Big( \Gamma_{1,1} + \Gamma_{-1,-1} \Big) \Big] &= \frac{1}{3} \int dx \big[ \delta_T u_v(x) + \delta_T d_v(x) \big] \\ \end{split}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Macroscopically} \quad \Gamma_{0,0} &= \lim_{t \to 0} \Big[ F_c(t) - \frac{t}{3} F_Q(t) \Big], \quad \Gamma_{+1,+1} = \Gamma_{-1,-1} = \lim_{t \to 0} \Big[ F_c(t) + \frac{t}{6} F_Q(t) \Big] \\ \quad \frac{1}{2} \Big[ \Gamma_{0,0} - \frac{1}{2} \Big( \Gamma_{1,1} + \Gamma_{-1,-1} \Big) \Big] &= -\lim_{t \to 0} \frac{t}{2} F_Q(t) \\ \int dx \, b_1^D(x) &= \frac{5}{9} \frac{3}{2} \Big[ \Gamma_{0,0} - \frac{1}{2} \Big( \Gamma_{1,1} + \Gamma_{-1,-1} \Big) \Big] + \frac{1}{18} \int dx \Big[ 8 \delta_T \overline{u}^D + 2 \delta_T \overline{d}^D + \delta_T \overline{s}^D \Big] \\ &= -\frac{5}{6} \lim_{t \to 0} tF_Q(t) + \frac{1}{18} \int dx \Big[ 8 \delta_T \overline{u}^D + 2 \delta_T \overline{d}^D + \delta_T \overline{s}^D \Big] \\ &= 0 \text{ (valence)} + \frac{1}{18} \int dx \Big[ 8 \delta_T \overline{u}^D + 2 \delta_T \overline{d}^D + \delta_T \overline{s}^D \Big] \end{aligned}$$

### **Functional form of parametrization**



Assume flavor-symmetric antiqurk distributions:  $\delta \bar{q}^{D} \equiv \delta \bar{u}^{D} = \delta \bar{d}^{D} = \delta \bar{s}^{D} = \delta \bar{s}^{D}$ 

$$b_{1}^{D}(x)_{LO} = \frac{1}{18} \Big[ 4 \delta_{T} u_{\nu}^{D}(x) + \delta_{T} d_{\nu}^{D}(x) + 12 \ \delta_{T} \overline{q}^{D}(x) \Big]$$
  
At  $Q_{0}^{2} = 2.5 \ \text{GeV}^{2}$ ,  $\delta_{T} q_{\nu}^{D}(x, Q_{0}^{2}) = \delta_{T} w(x) q_{\nu}^{D}(x, Q_{0}^{2})$ ,  $\delta_{T} \overline{q}^{D}(x, Q_{0}^{2}) = \alpha_{\overline{q}} \delta_{T} w(x) \overline{q}^{D}(x, Q_{0}^{2})$   
Certain fractions of quark and antiquark distributions are tensor polarized and  
such probabilities are given by the function  $\delta_{T} w(x)$  and an additional constant  $\alpha_{\overline{q}}$   
for antiquarks in comparison with the quark polarization.

$$b_{1}^{D}(x,Q_{0}^{2})_{LO} = \frac{1}{18} \Big[ 4\delta_{T} u_{\nu}^{D}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) + \delta_{T} d_{\nu}^{D}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) + 12\delta_{T} \overline{q}^{D}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) \Big]$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{36} \delta_{T} w(x) \Big[ 5 \Big\{ u_{\nu}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) + d_{\nu}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) \Big\} + 4a_{\overline{q}} \Big\{ 2\overline{u}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) + 2\overline{d}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) + s(x,Q_{0}^{2}) + \overline{s}(x,Q_{0}^{2}) \Big\} \Big]$$
  
$$\delta_{T} w(x) = ax^{b} (1-x)^{c} (x_{0} - x)$$

Two types of analyses

Set 1:  $\delta_T \bar{q}^D(x) = 0$  Tensor-polarized antiquark distributions are terminated  $(\alpha_{\bar{q}} = 0)$ , Set 2:  $\delta_T \bar{q}^D(x) \neq 0$  Finite tensor-polarized antiquark distributions are allowed  $(\alpha_{\bar{q}} \neq 0)$ .

### **Results**



x

**Summary** (1) The tensor-polarized distributions:  $\delta_T q(x)$ ,  $\delta_T \overline{q}(x)$ were obtained from the HERMES data on  $b_1$ .

> (2) Finite tensor polarization was obtained for antiquarks:  $\int dx \delta_T \overline{q}(x) \neq 0$ .

### Prospects

Future experimental possibilities at JLab, J-PARC, RHIC, COMPASS, GSI-FAIR,...

#### **Unpolarized proton+ polarized deuteron**

Spin asymmetry in  $p + \vec{d} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- + X$  $A_{UQ_0} = \frac{\sum_a e_a^2 \left[ q_a(x_A) \delta_T \overline{q}_a(x_B) + \overline{q}_a(x_A) \delta_T q_a(x_B) \right]}{\sum_a e_a^2 \left[ q_a(x_A) \overline{q}_a(x_B) + \overline{q}_a(x_A) q_a(x_B) \right]}$ 

Polarized proton-deuteron Drell-Yan (Theory) S. Hino and SK, PR D 59 (1999) 094026, D 60 (1999) 054018.

Unique advantage of J-PARC ( $\delta \overline{q}$  measurement)  $\int dx \, b_1^D(x) = 0 + \frac{1}{9} \int dx \, \delta_T \overline{q}(x)$  $A_{UQ_0}(\text{large } x_F) \approx \frac{\sum_a e_a^2 q_a(x_A) \delta \overline{q}_a(x_B)}{\sum_a e_a^2 q_a(x_A) \overline{q}_a(x_B)}$  Gottfried:  $\int \frac{dx}{x} [F_2^P(x) - F_2^n(x)] = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \int dx [\overline{u} - \overline{d}]$ 

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