

C_{3q} Measurement Using Polarized e^+/e^- Beams

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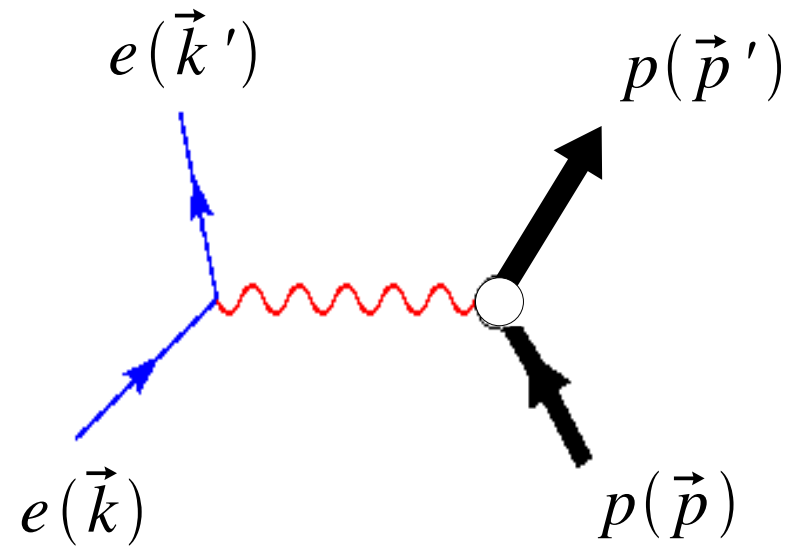
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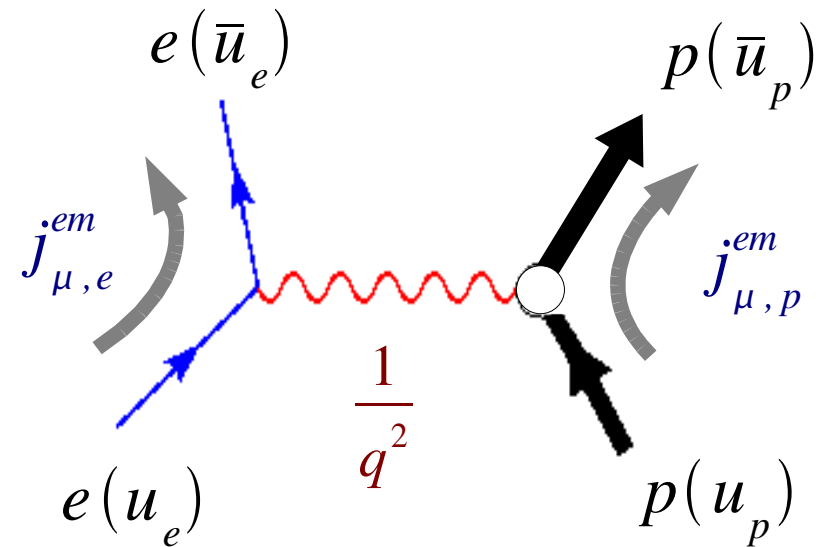


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$$M = -\frac{e^2}{q^2} \left(j_{\mu}^{em} \right)_p \left(j^{em, \mu} \right)_e$$
$$= \left(e \bar{u}_p \gamma^{\mu} u_p \right) \left(\frac{-1}{q^2} \right) \left(-e \bar{u}_e \gamma_{\mu} u_e \right)$$

$$|M|^2 \Rightarrow \sigma$$



We can calculate many electromagnetic interactions using QED

Electroweak Interaction – A Historical View

- Charged pion and muon decay:

$$\begin{aligned}\pi^- &\rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu & \tau &= 2.6 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s} \\ \mu^- &\rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu & \tau &= 2.2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}\end{aligned}$$

★ Much longer than strong (10^{-23} s) or electromagnetic (10^{-16} s) decays

★ Indicate a 4th interaction: “weak”

- 1932, based on QED, Fermi proposed:

$$M^{EM} = \left(e \bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu u_p \right) \left(\frac{-1}{q^2} \right) \left(-e \bar{u}_e \gamma_\mu u_e \right)$$

$$M^{weak} = G \left(\bar{u}_n \gamma^\mu u_p \right) \left(\bar{u}_\nu \gamma_\mu u_e \right)$$

arbitrary strength ★ assuming same current as in EM force

★ charge lowering (raising) - “weak charged current”

Electroweak Interaction – A Historical View

- 1956, when Parity violation was first proposed (and tested in 1957), the only modification needed is:

$$M^{weak} = G \left(\bar{u}_n \gamma^\mu u_p \right) \left(\bar{u}_{\nu_e} \gamma_\mu u_e \right)$$

$$M^{weak} = G \left(\bar{u}_n \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma^5) u_p \right) \left(\bar{u}_{\nu_e} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma^5) u_e \right)$$

$$= \frac{4G}{\sqrt{2}} J^\mu J_\mu^+$$

- ◆ (A mixture of γ^μ and $\gamma^\mu \gamma^5$ automatically violate parity)
- ◆ select only left-handed ν 's

- If further assume that weak interaction occurs by exchanging a (W) particle, similar to the photon in electromagnetic interactions, then

$$M^{CC} = \left(\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_{\nu_\mu} \gamma^\mu \frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma^5) u_\mu \right) \frac{1}{M_W^2 - q^2} \left(\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{u}_e \gamma_\mu \frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma^5) u_{\nu_e} \right) \quad \frac{G}{\sqrt{2}} \xrightarrow{q^2 \ll M_W^2} \frac{g^2}{8 M_W^2}$$

Electroweak Interaction – Neutral Current

- 1973, with development of ν beams, found:

$$\bar{\nu}_\mu e^- \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu e^- \quad \nu_\mu N \rightarrow \nu_\mu X \quad \bar{\nu}_\mu N \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\mu X$$

★ cannot be explained by CC;

★ magnitude of strength indicates a “Neutral Current”.

$$M^{CC} = \frac{4G}{\sqrt{2}} J_\mu^{CC} J^{CC, \mu} \longrightarrow M^{NC} = \frac{4G}{\sqrt{2}} (2\rho) J_\mu^{NC} J^{NC, \mu}$$

$$J_\mu^{NC}(\nu) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\bar{u}_\nu \gamma_\mu \frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma^5) u_\nu \right)$$

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vector and axial-vector coupling constants

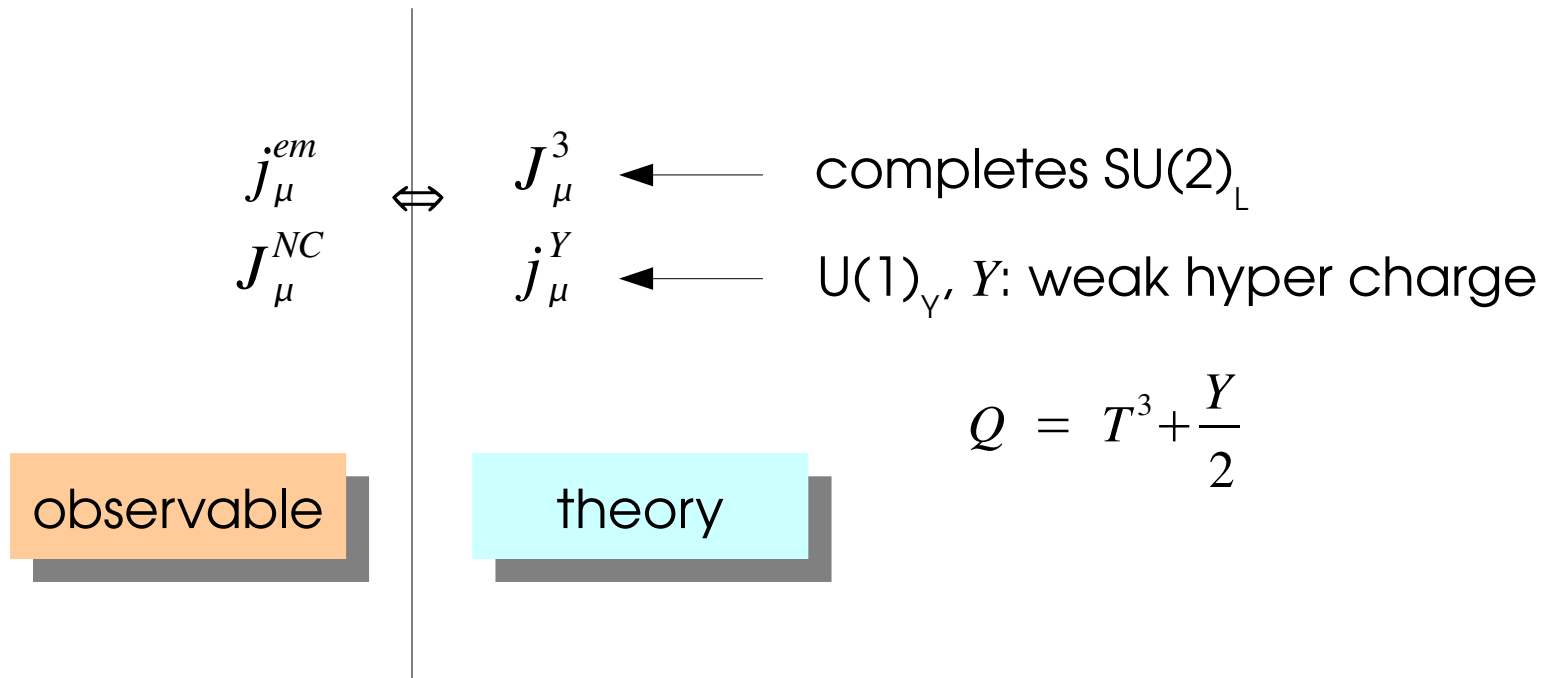
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- 1961, construct a $SU(2)_L$ group using charged currents, with weak isospin T.
 - ➔ Provide CC weak interactions carried by W^+ , W^- ;
 - ➔ Linear combination of the two is a neutral current, but it couples only to Left-handed fermions, while experimentally observed neutral currents exist for both R- and L-handed fermions;
 - ➔ On the other hand, EM ($U(1)_\gamma$) also couple to both R- and L-H fermions.
- Suggest: Combine Neutral Current from $SU(2)_L$ and $U^{EM}(1)_\gamma$

$$\frac{G}{\sqrt{2}} \rightarrow \frac{g^2}{8(M_W^2 - q^2)} \Leftrightarrow \frac{e^2}{q^2} \quad \text{(weak interaction is much weaker than EM because } M_W \text{ is large, not because } g \ll e)$$

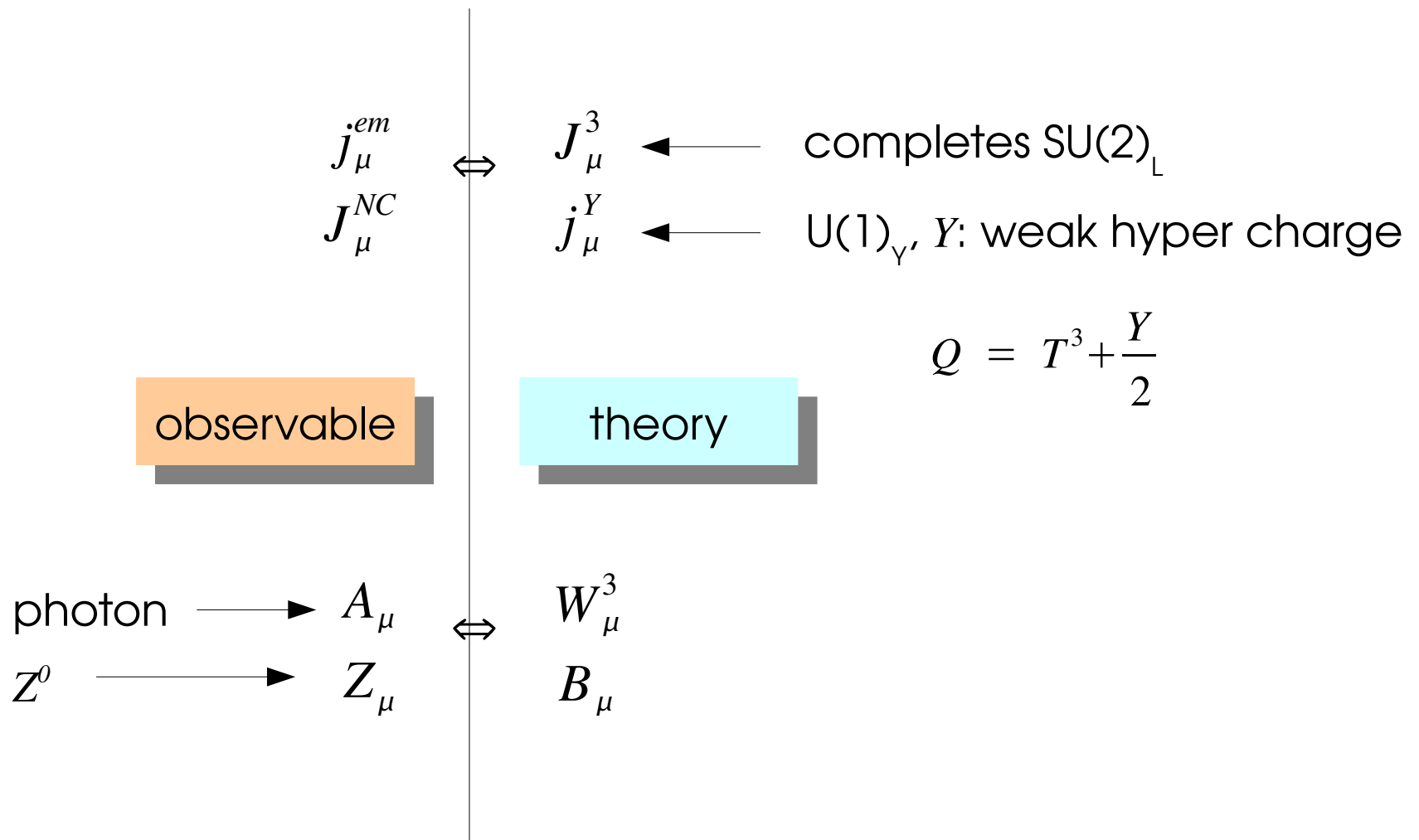
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$$Z_\mu$$

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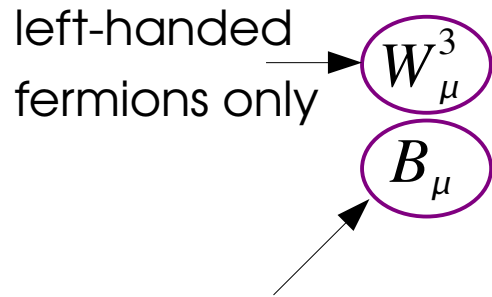
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both left- and right-handed fermions

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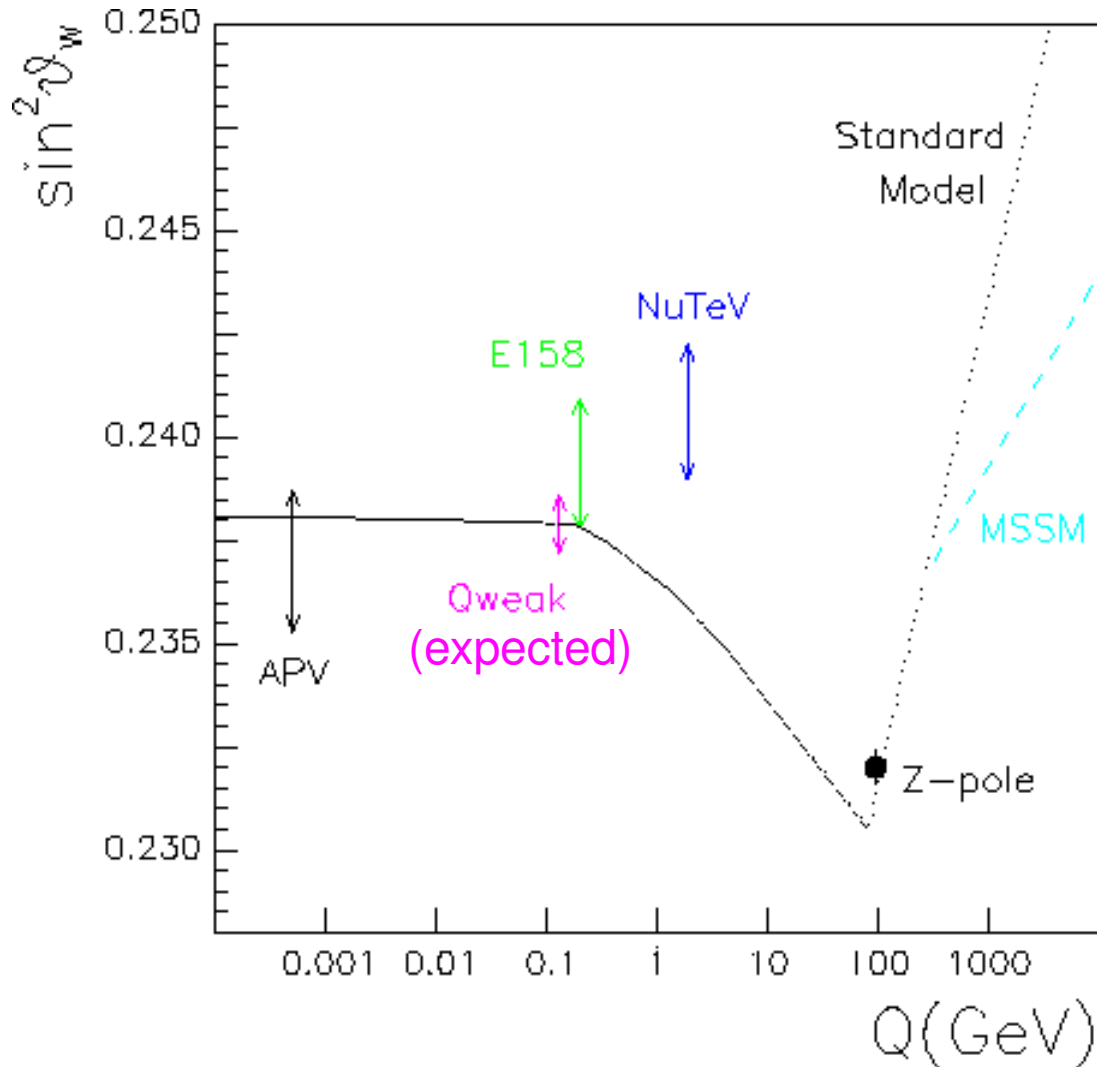
In the Standard Model

fermions	c_A^f	c_V^f
ν_e, ν_μ	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
e^-, μ^-	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2} + 2 \sin^2 \theta_W$
u, c	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} - \frac{4}{3} \sin^2 \theta_W$
d, s	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3} \sin^2 \theta_W$

Test of The Standard Model

- Standard Model works well at present energy range (~250GeV?);
But, conceptual reasons for “theory of everything”, hence new physics up to $10^{(14-18)}$ GeV.
- Test of the Standard Model:
 - ★ Direct searches (LHC)
 - ★ Indirect searches:
 - New physics modify: $\sin^2 \theta_W, c_V^e, c_A^e, c_V^q, c_A^q$ at low energies;
 - Search for forbidden processes ($\beta\beta$ -decay, EDM).

Testing the EW Standard Model – Running of $\sin^2\theta_W$ and the NuTeV Anomaly

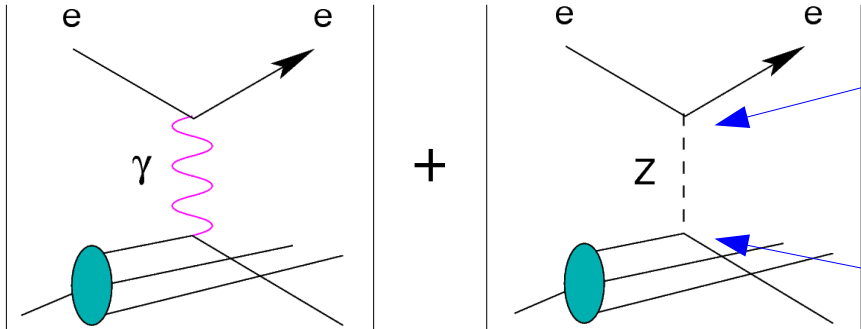


Neutral Weak Couplings

- Asymmetries (ratios) in charged lepton-N scattering can be used to measure products of $c_{V,A}^e, c_{V,A}^q$

$$L_{NC}^{lepton\ scatt.} = \sum_q \left[c_A^l c_V^q \bar{l} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 l \bar{q} \gamma_\mu q + c_V^l c_A^q \bar{l} \gamma^\mu l \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q + c_A^l c_A^q \bar{l} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 l \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q \right]$$

$A =$



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$$c_{V,A}^{e,q} \Leftrightarrow g_{V,A}^{e,q}$$

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✚ parity-violating

✚ e_L, e_R cross sections

✚ lepton charge conjugate-violating

✚ e_L, e_R^+ cross sections

Current Knowledge on Weak Coupling Coefficients

$$C_{1q} = g_A^e g_V^q$$

$$C_{2q} = g_V^e g_A^q$$

$$C_{3q} = g_A^e g_A^q$$

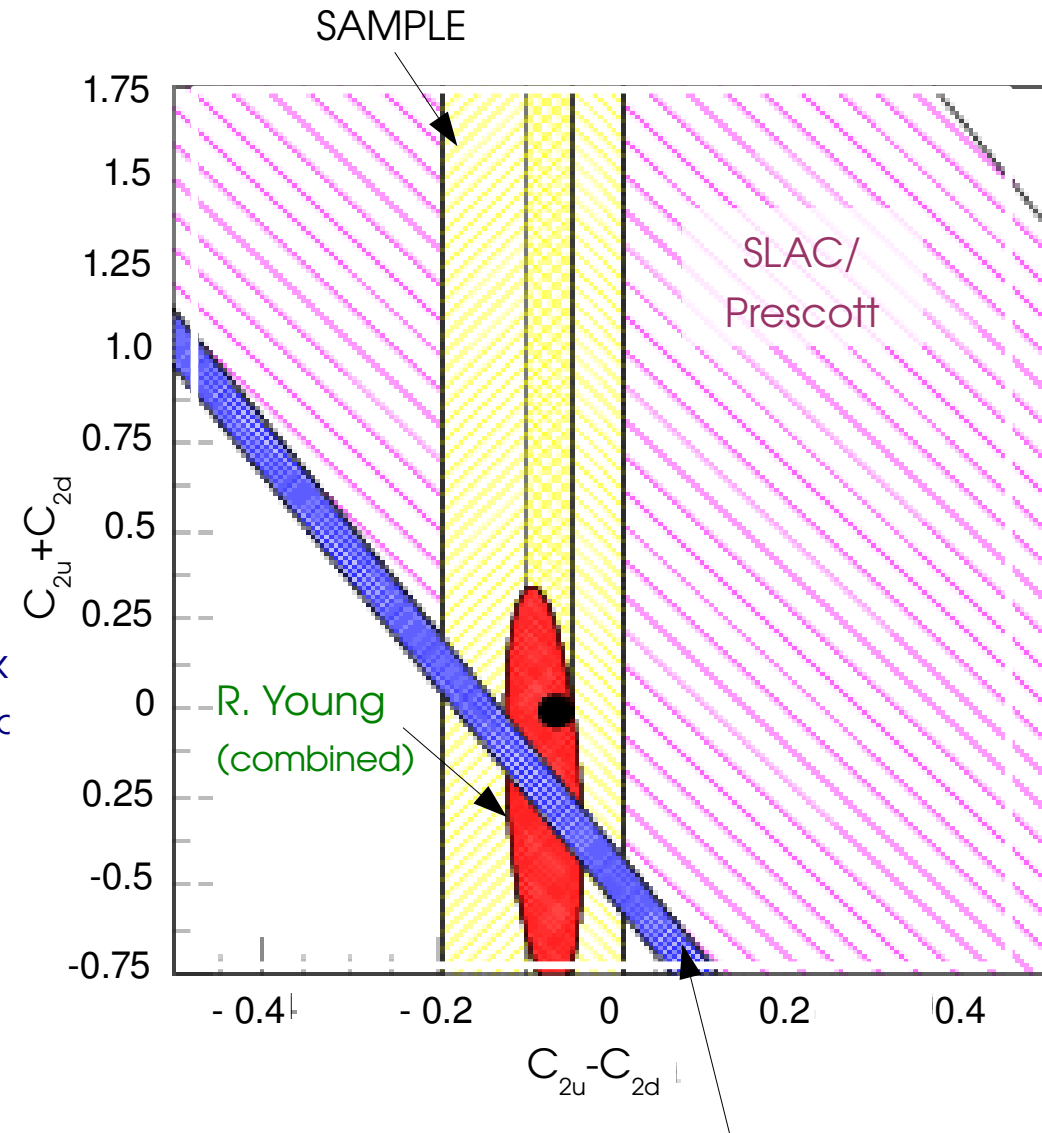
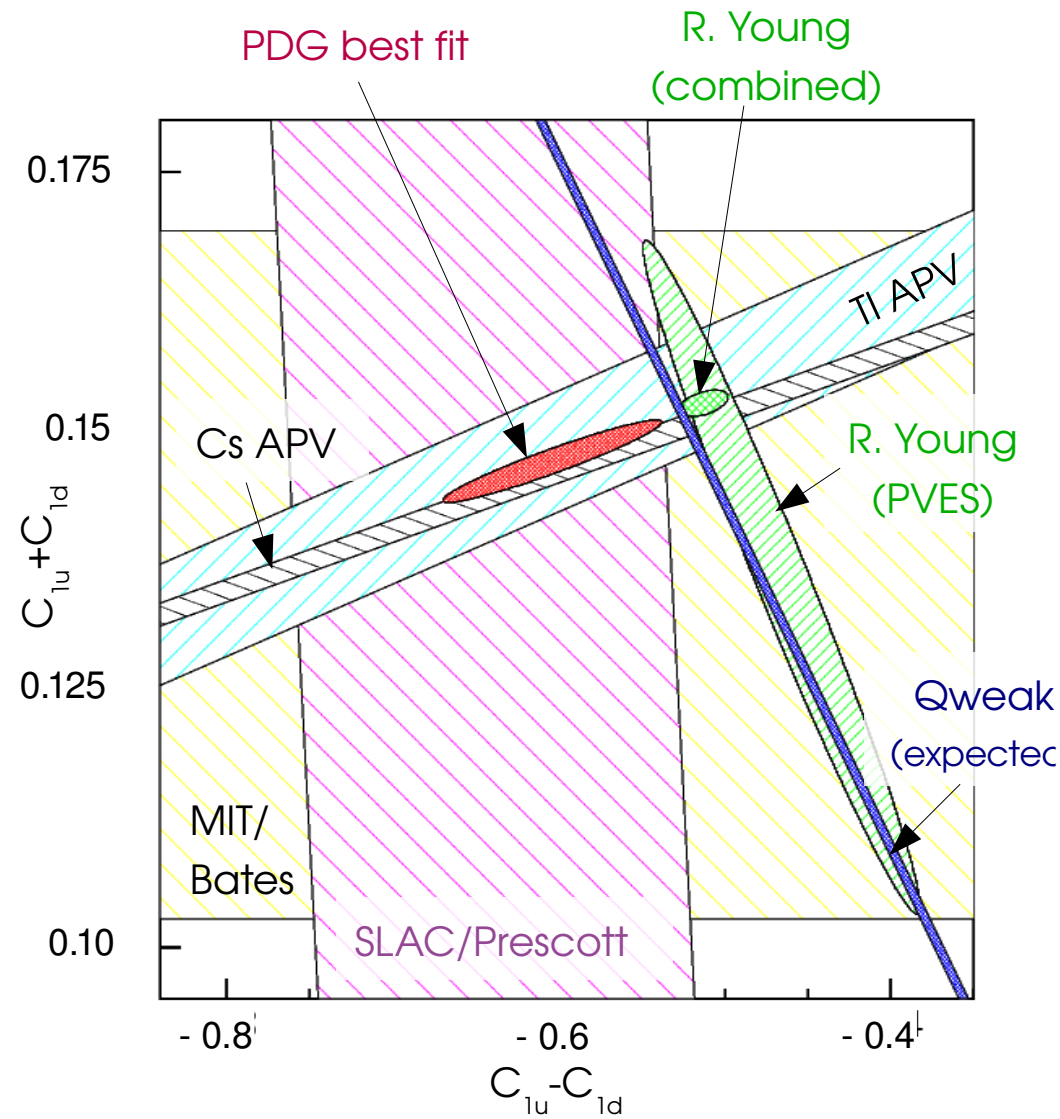
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Current Knowledge on $C_{1,2q}$

all are 1σ limit



Expected: JLab 6 GeV PV-DIS E08-011
(assuming small hadronic effects)

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PDG2002 (best):

$$(2C_{2u} - C_{2d}) = \pm 0.24$$

$$2C_{3u} - C_{3d} = \pm 0.490 \quad (SM: -3/2)$$

Accessing C_{3q} from Electron, Positron Scatterings

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$A(l_L^- - l_R^-)$ ← “PV-DIS” asymmetry, SLAC E122
and JLab 6 & 12 GeV

$$A_d^{PV-DIS} = \left(\frac{3 G_F Q^2}{\pi \alpha 2 \sqrt{2}} \right) \frac{2 C_{1u} [1 + R_C(x)] - C_{1d} [1 + R_S(x)] + Y (2 C_{2u} - C_{2d}) R_V(x)}{5 + R_S(x) + 4 R_C(x)}$$

$$R_S(x) = \frac{2[s(x) + \bar{s}(x)]}{u(x) + \bar{u}(x) + d(x) + \bar{d}(x)}$$

(small)

$$R_C(x) = \frac{2[c(x) + \bar{c}(x)]}{u(x) + \bar{u}(x) + d(x) + \bar{d}(x)}$$

(very small)

$$R_V(x) = \frac{u_v(x) + d_v(x)}{u(x) + \bar{u}(x) + d(x) + \bar{d}(x)}$$

(~1)

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$$\approx (108 \text{ ppm}) \frac{y(2-y)}{2} (2C_{3u} - C_{3d}) Q^2 R_V$$

Accessing C_{3q} from Electron, Positron Scatterings

- Start from: $e_{L,R}^-$ (PV-DIS) at JLab 12 GeV (two approaches)
 - Hall A large acceptance “solenoid” device: PR09-012
 - Hall C “baseline” SHMS+HMS: PR12-07-102 (P.E. Reimer, X. Z, K. Paschke)
 - ★ $E=11.0$ GeV, $E'=6.0$ GeV, $Q^2=3.3$ GeV², $W^2=7.3$ GeV², $x_{Bj}=0.34$
 - ★ can achieve 1% (0.5% stat) on A_d from 28 PAC days of 85uA 80% e-beam on a 40cm liquid D2 target, extraction of $C_{2q'}$, $\sin^2\theta_W$
- Using PR12-07-102 kinematics, $A_d(e_L^- - e_R^+) \approx -169$ ppm ($\sim 3/4$ of A_d^{PVDIS}) assuming e^+ luminosity is 5 times lower, can determine $2C_{3u} - C_{3d}$ to +/- 0.05 (factor of 10 improvement) using 28 PAC days.
- Use proton target, can provide a different combination of $C_{3q'}$
- Problems: luminosity? systematics? two-photon effects? other hadronic effects?

Summary

- Neutral current couplings are fundamental quantities of the Standard Model.
- Comparison of polarized e^+ , e^- DIS cross sections can access C_{3q} .