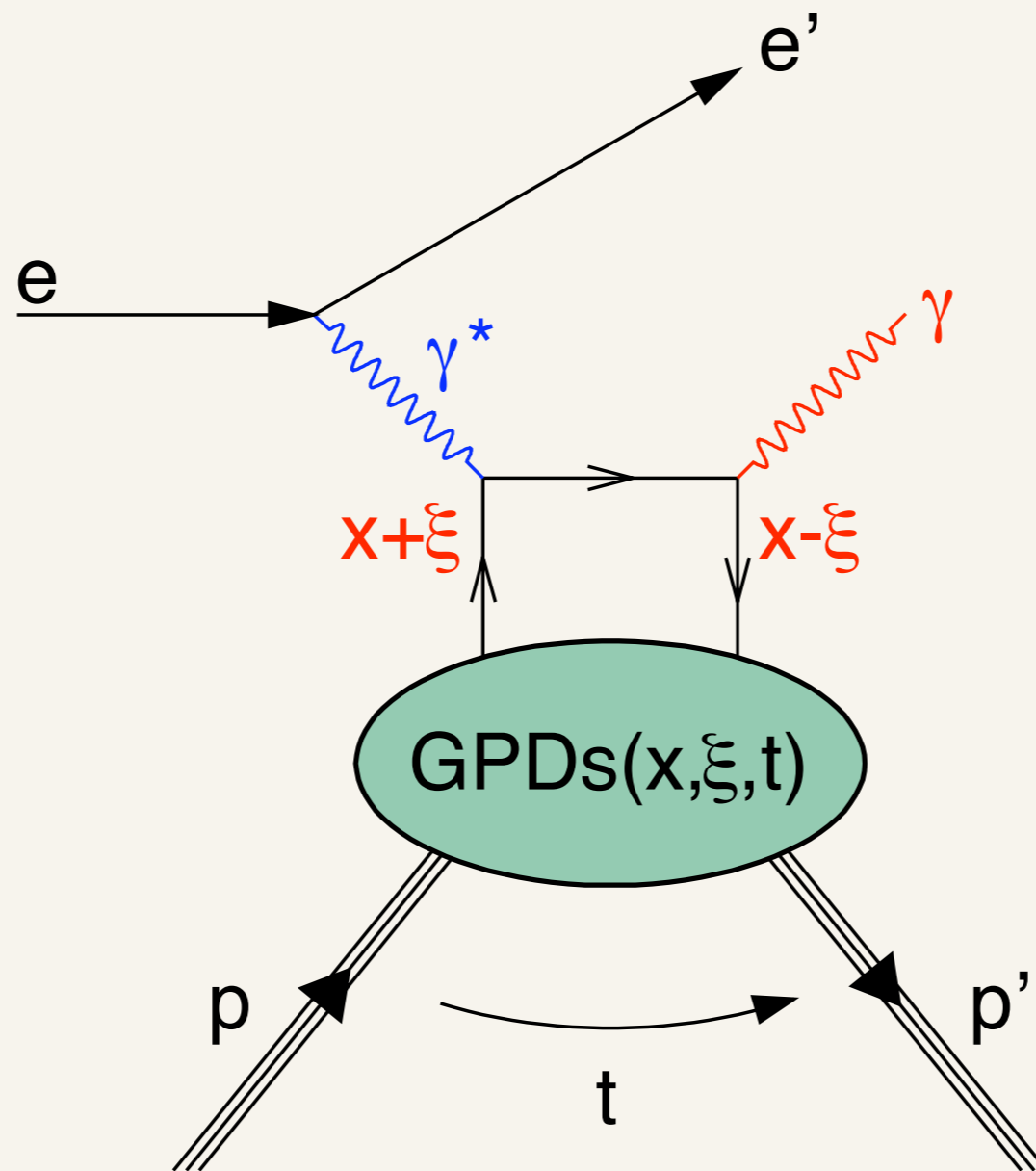


Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

Caroline Riedl



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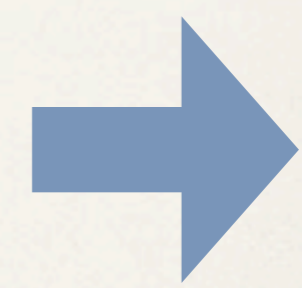
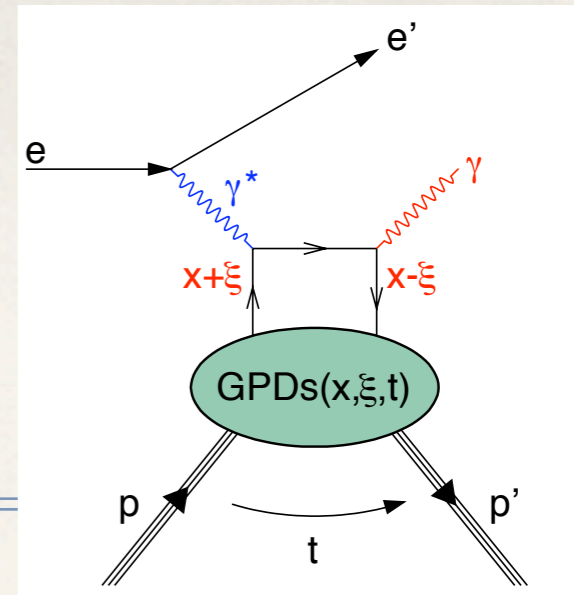
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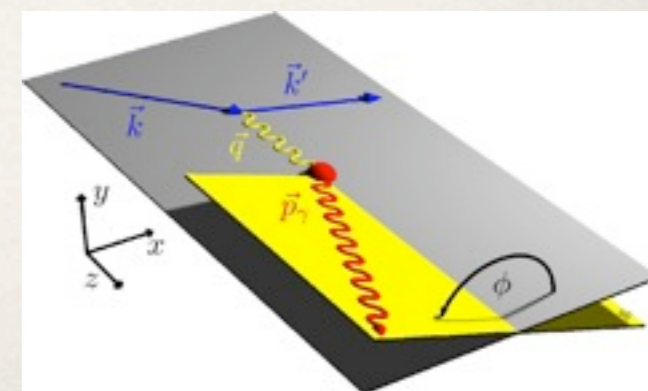
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Appetizer: first DVCS measurements in 2001

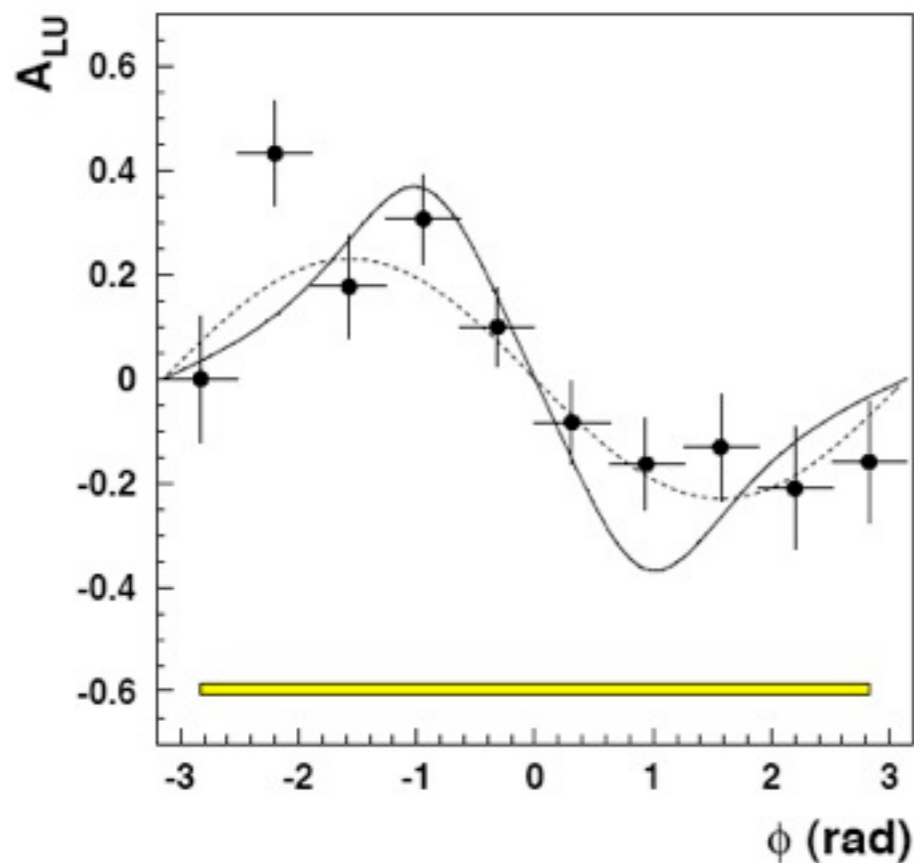
DVCS = hard electroproduction of a real photon



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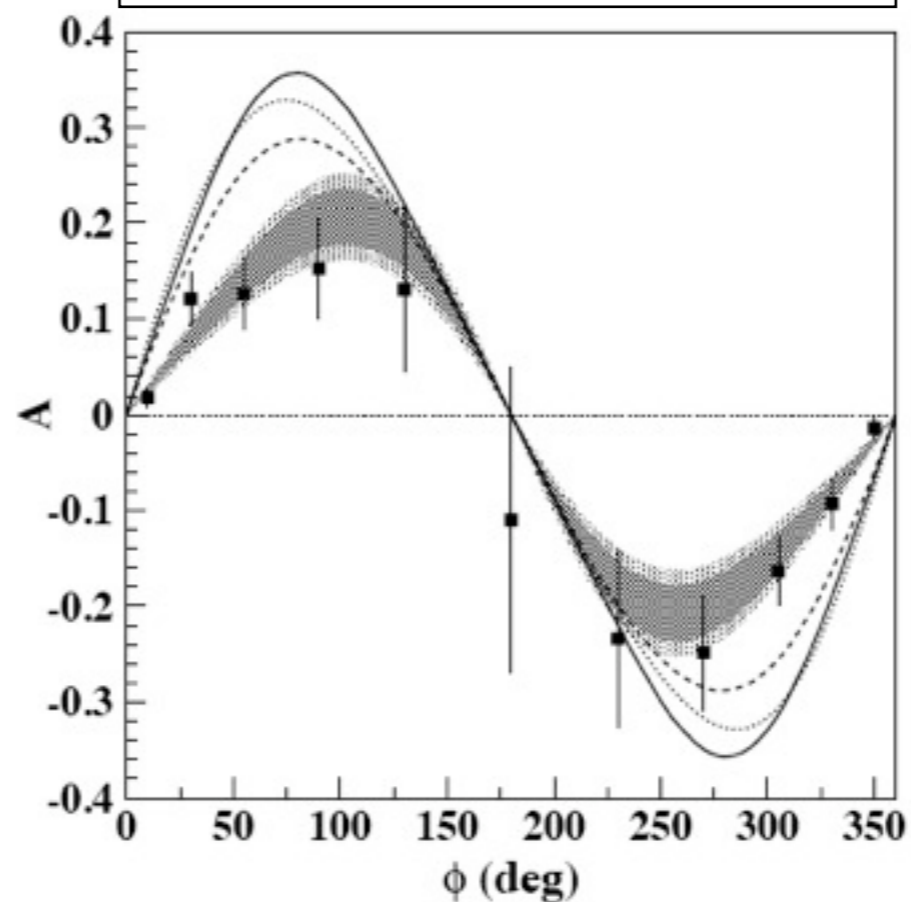


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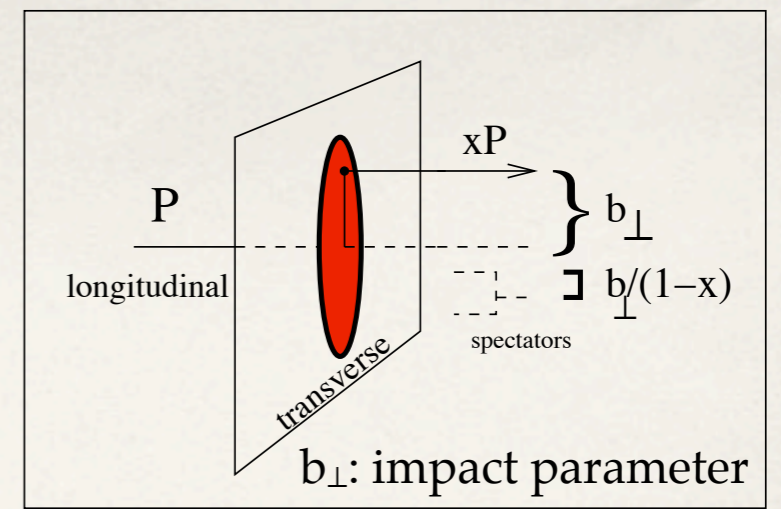
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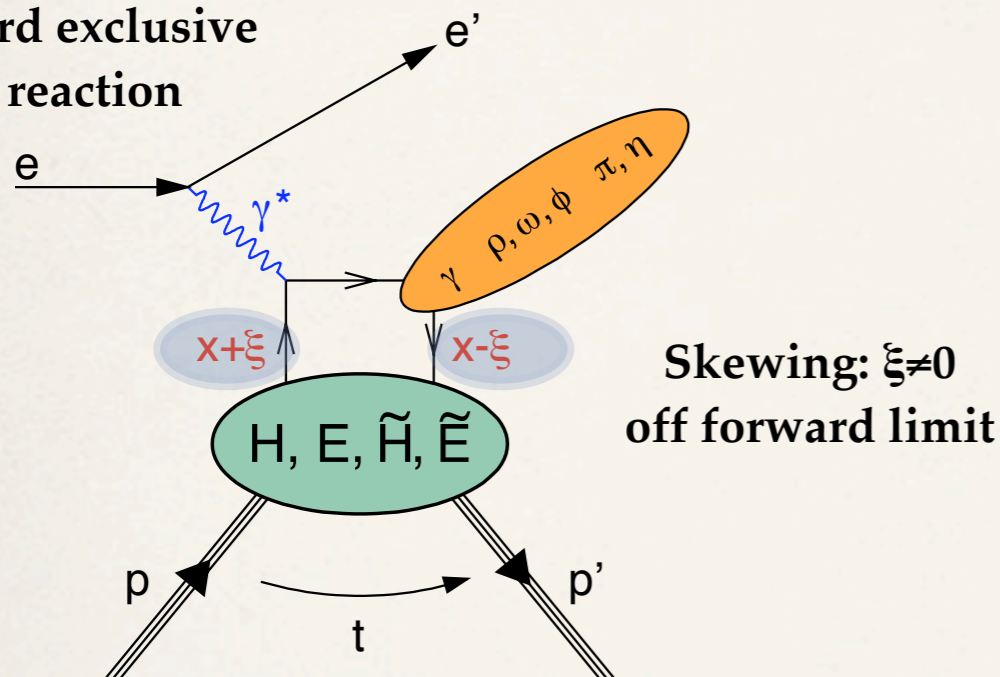


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Generalized Parton Distributions



Hard exclusive reaction



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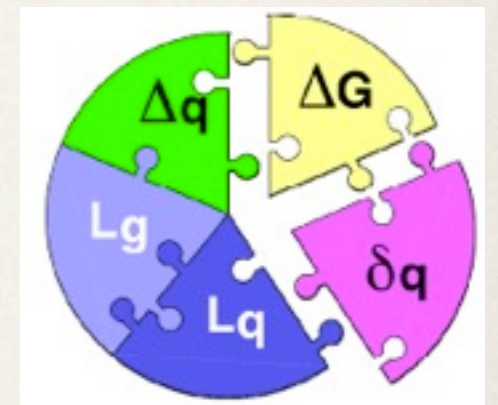
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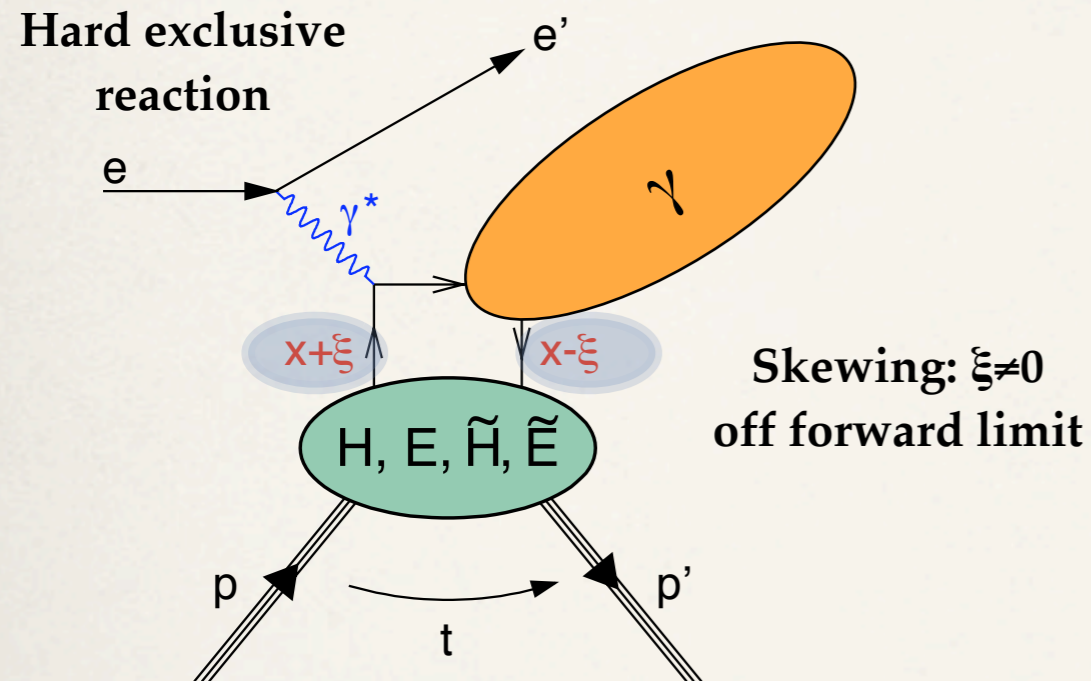
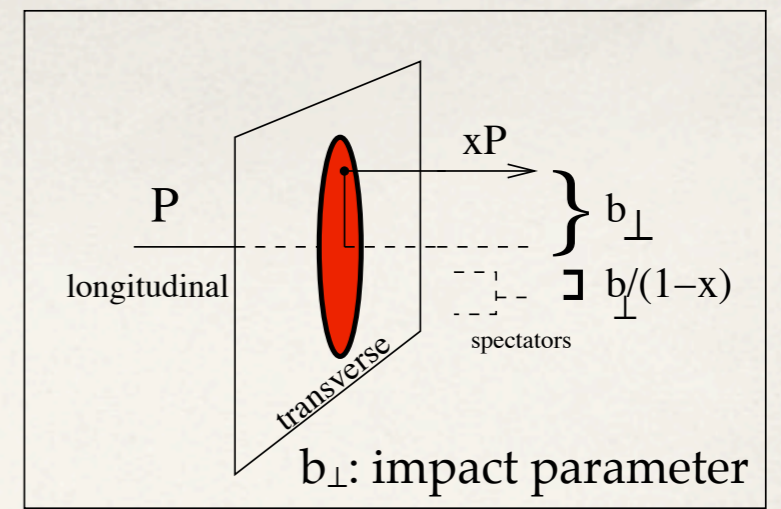
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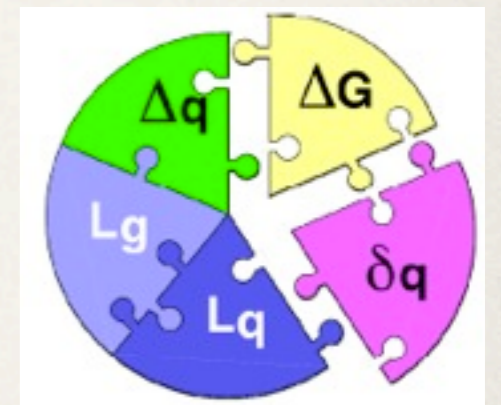
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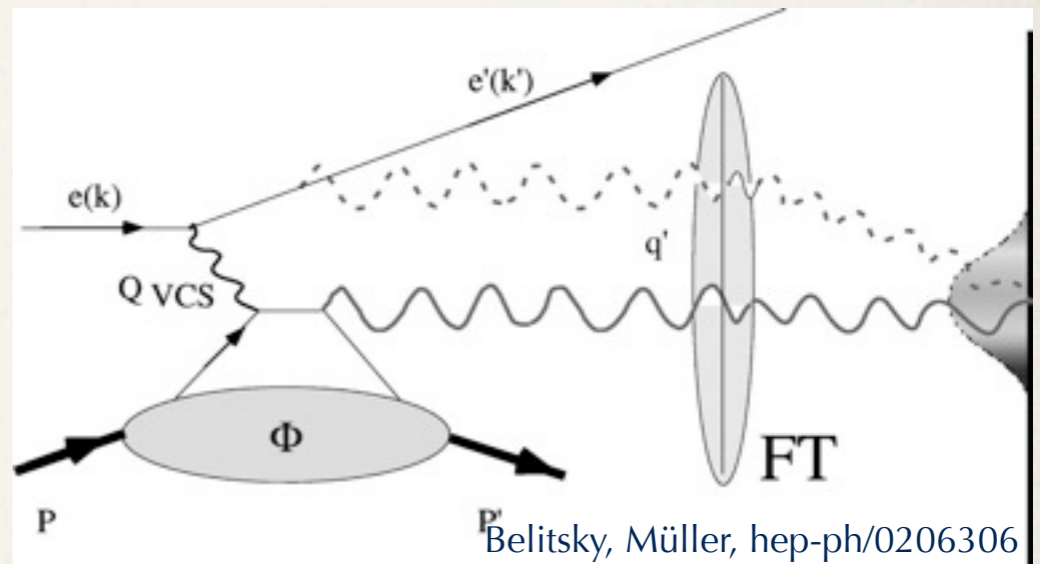
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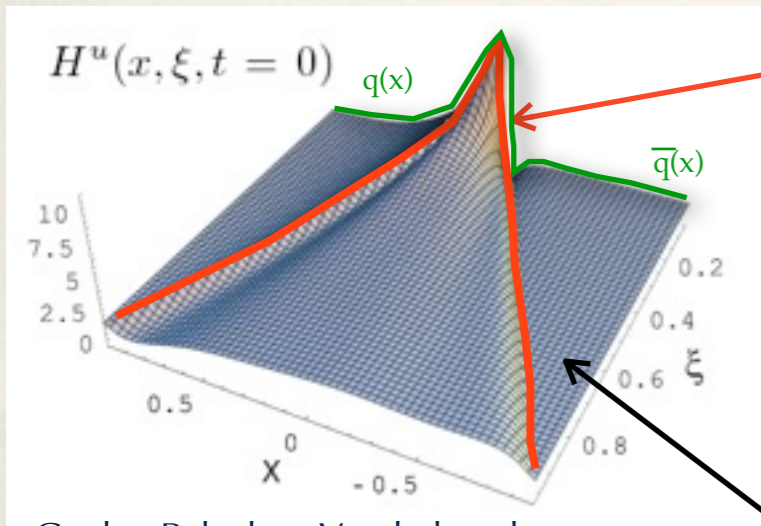
DVCS cross-section in the valence quark region

● Hall-A at JLab, proton target (E00-110)

Differential cross section vs. azimuthal angle

Bin: $\langle x_B \rangle = 0.36$, $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 2.3 \text{ GeV}^2$, $\langle t \rangle = -0.28 \text{ GeV}^2$

GPDs: 2 orthogonal spaces probed simultaneously



Goeke, Polyakov, Vanderhaeghen, hep-ph/0106012

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GPDs @ $x=\xi$

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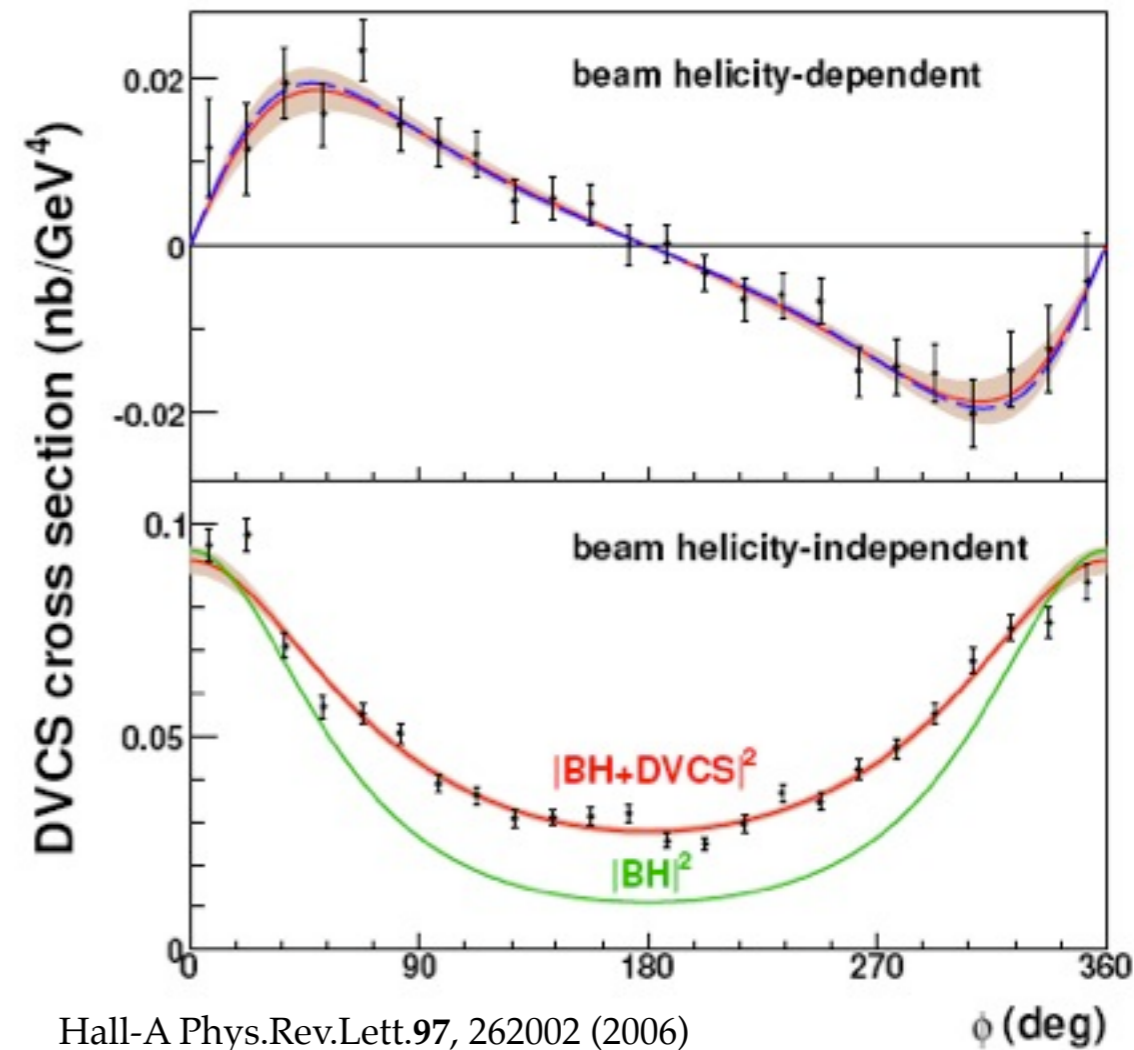
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integral of GPDs over x

● No Q^2 dependence of $\text{Im}(\mathcal{T})$

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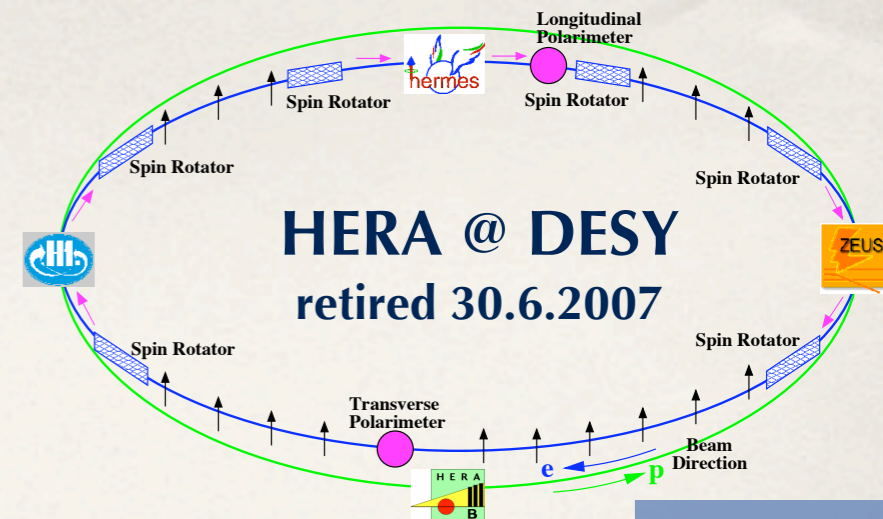
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Hall-A Phys.Rev.Lett.97, 262002 (2006)

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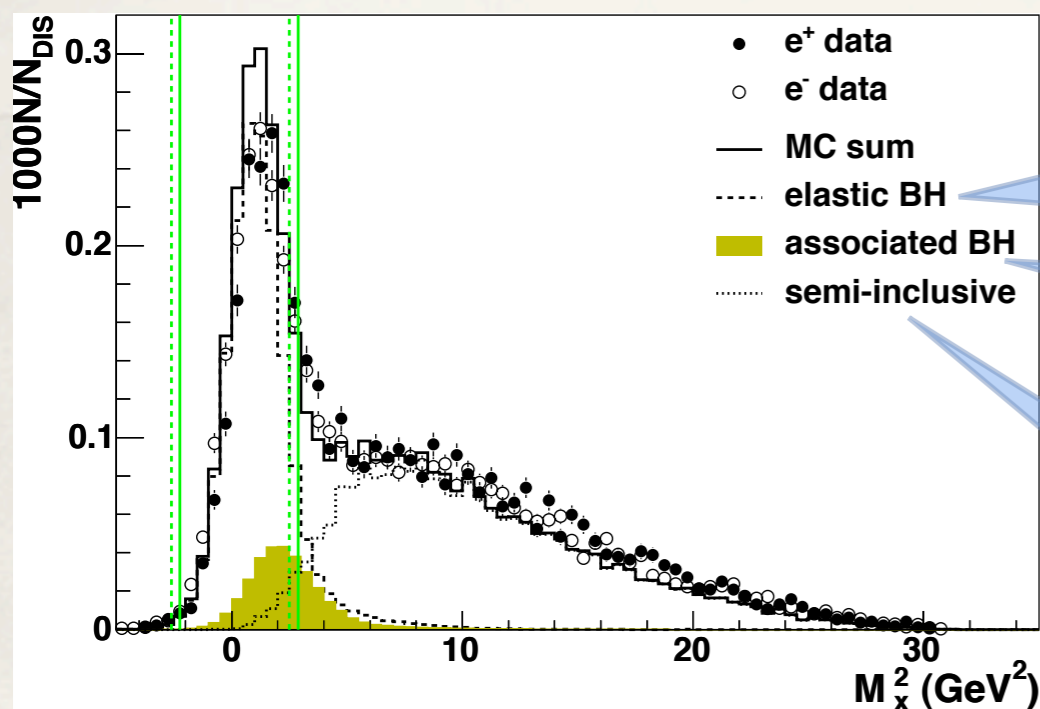
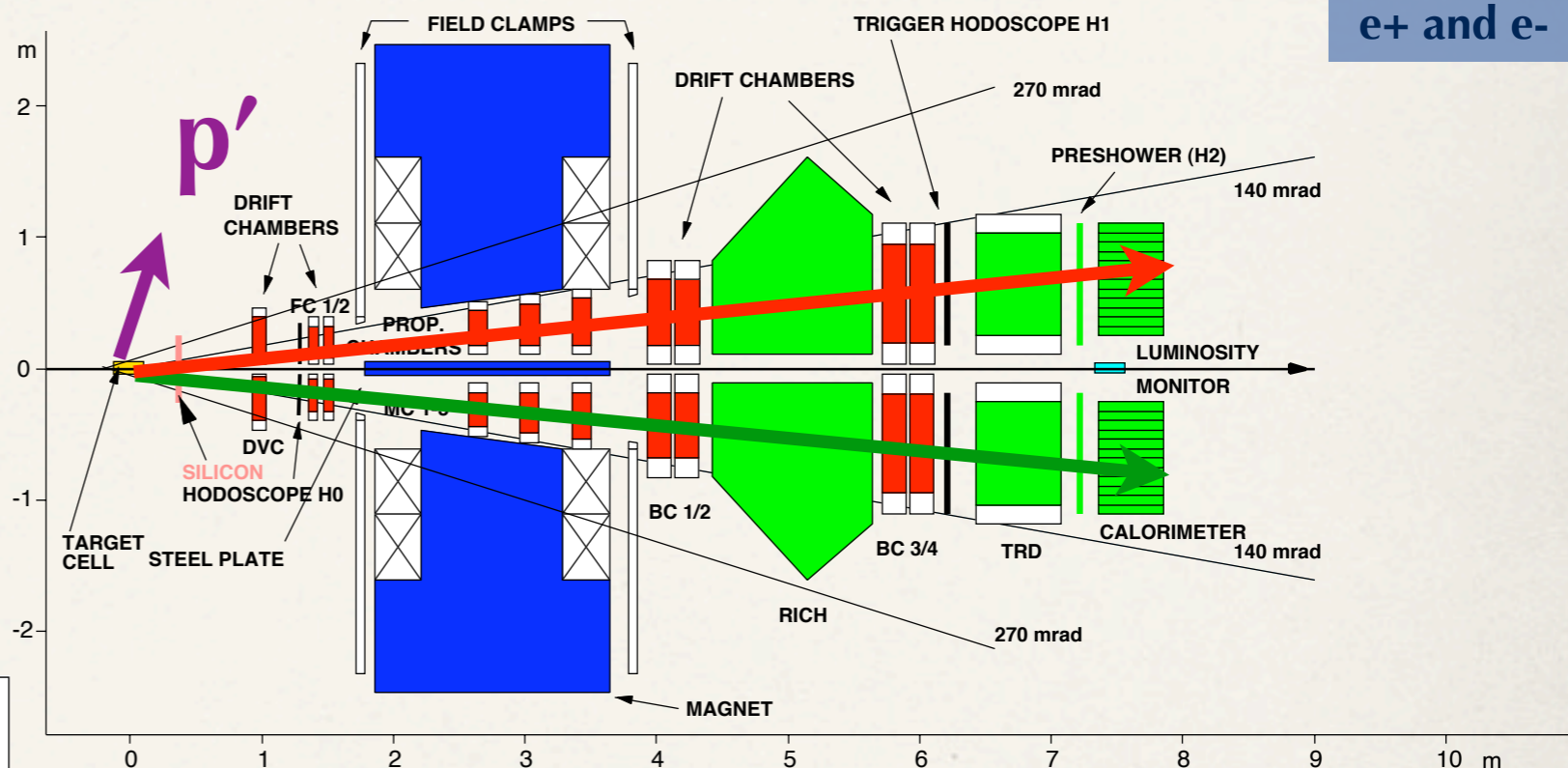
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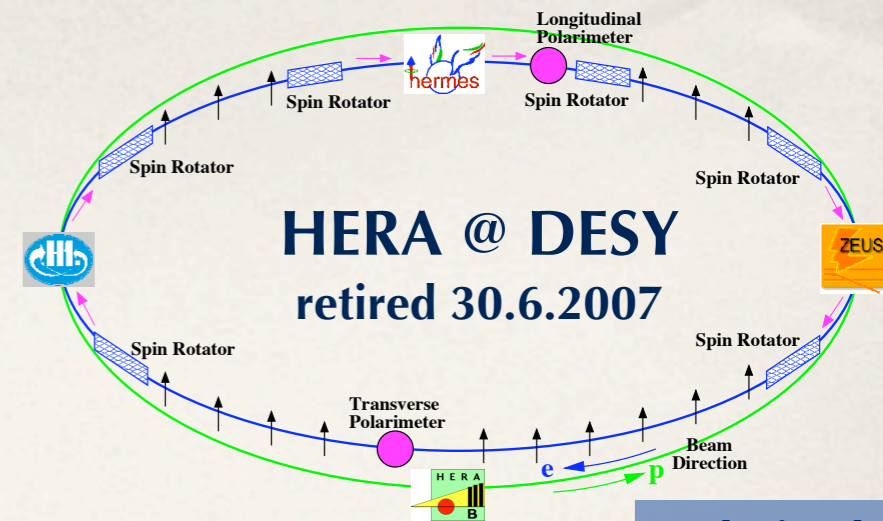
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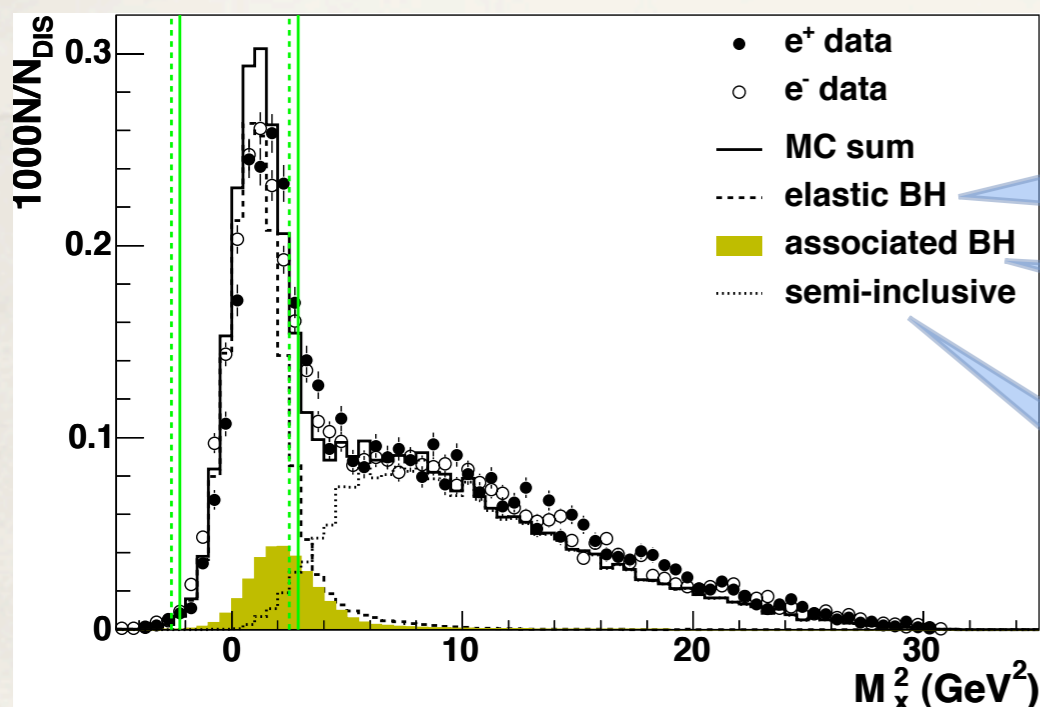
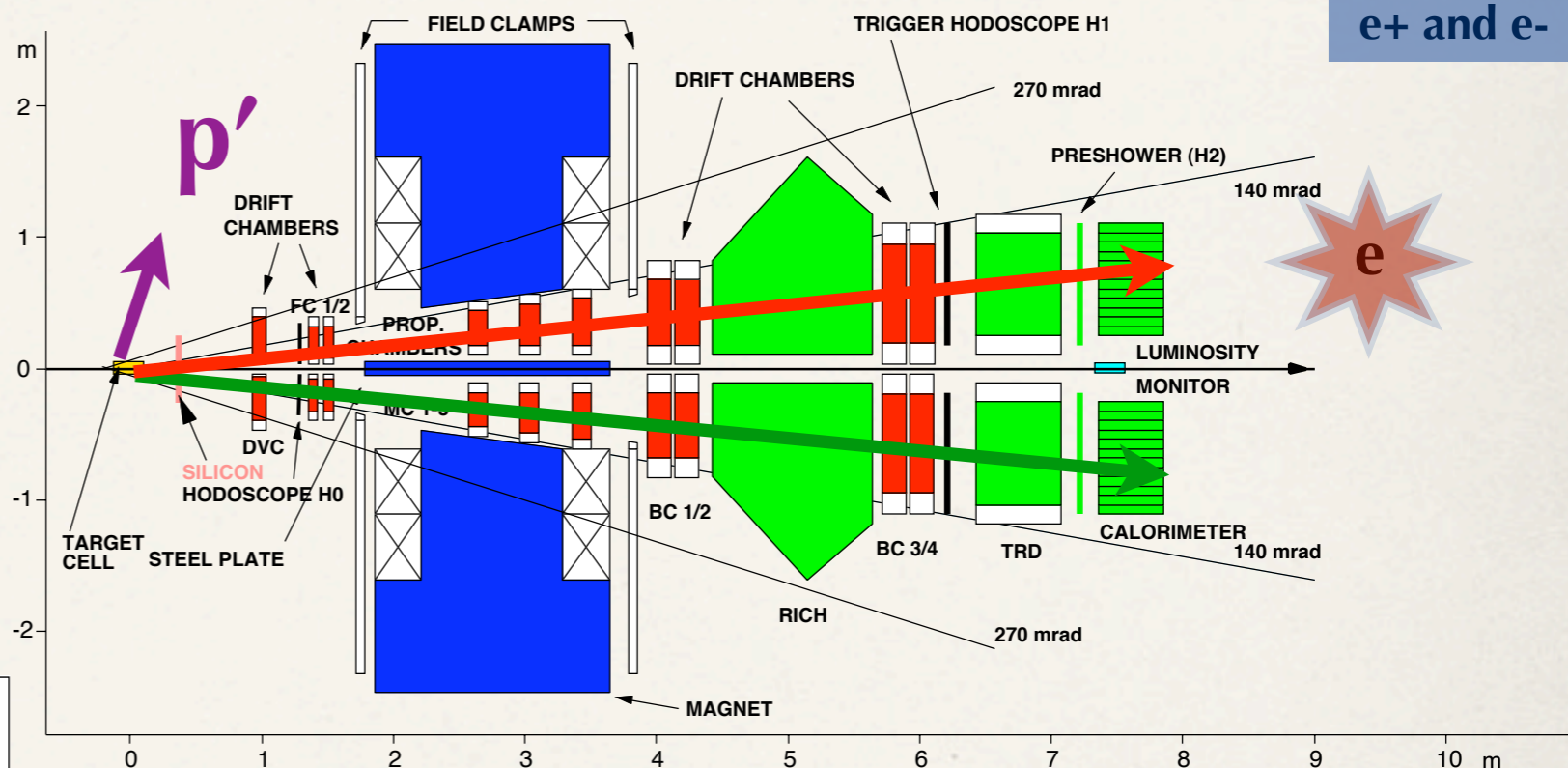
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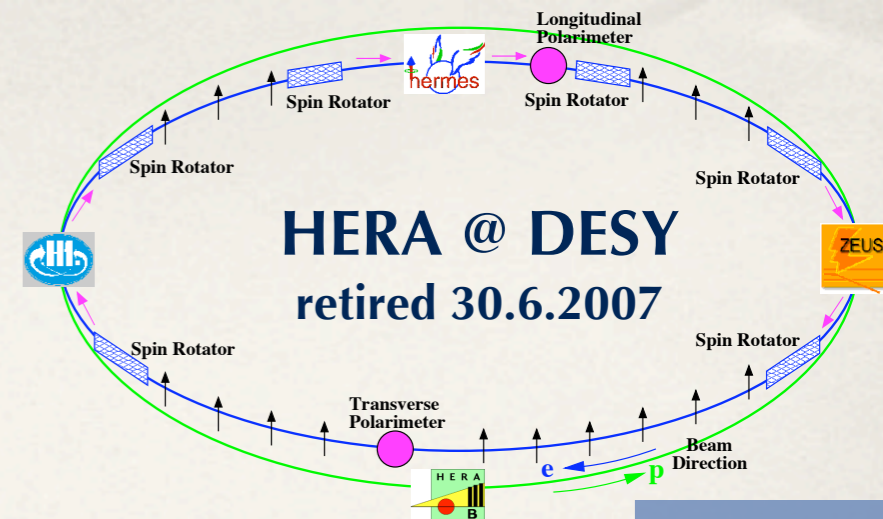
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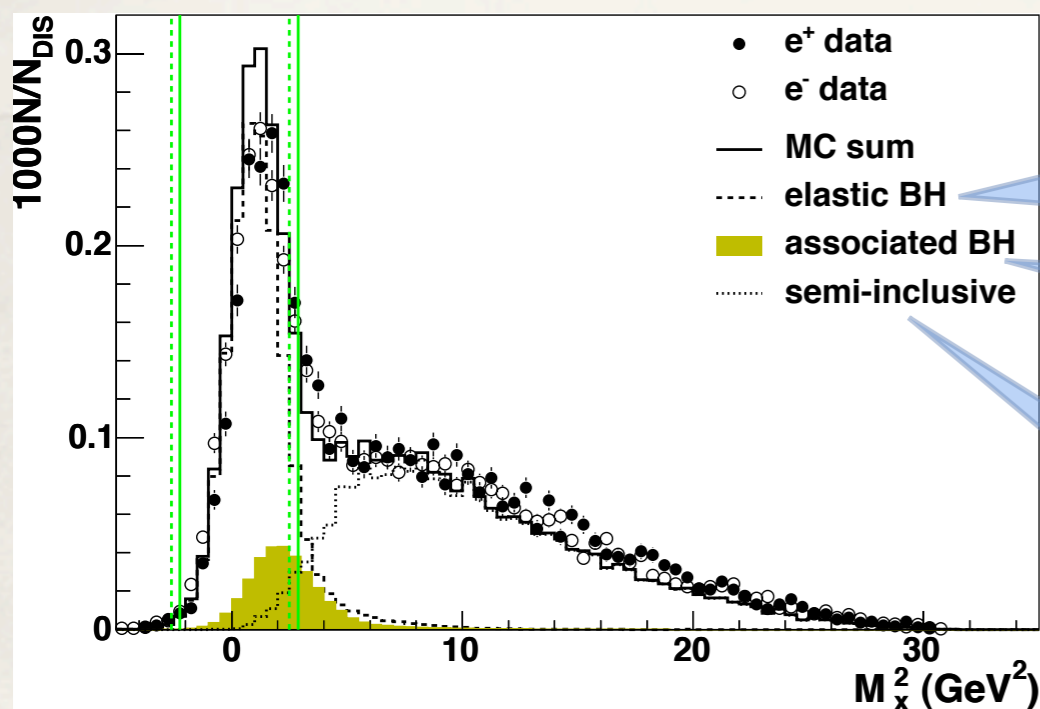
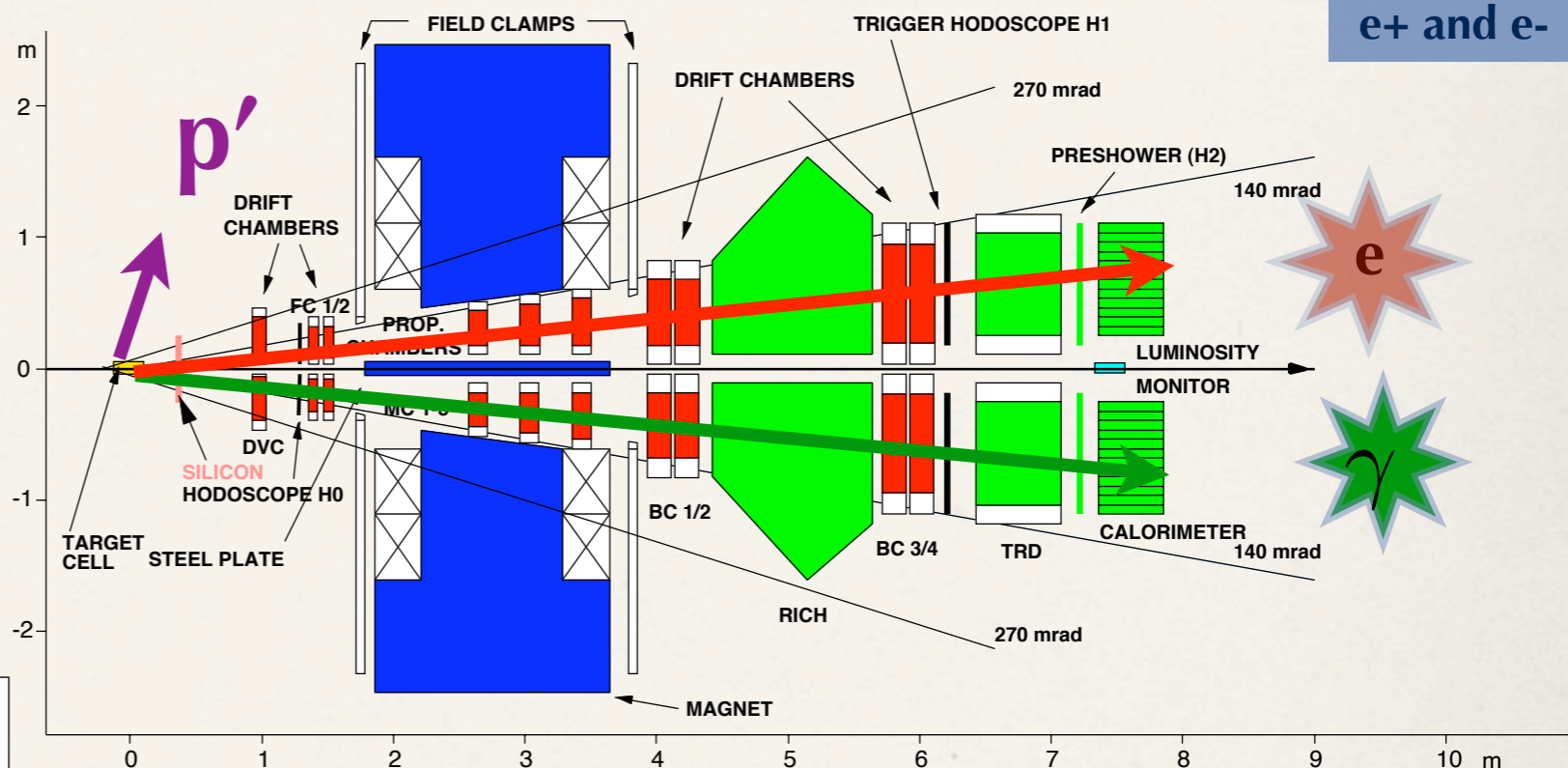
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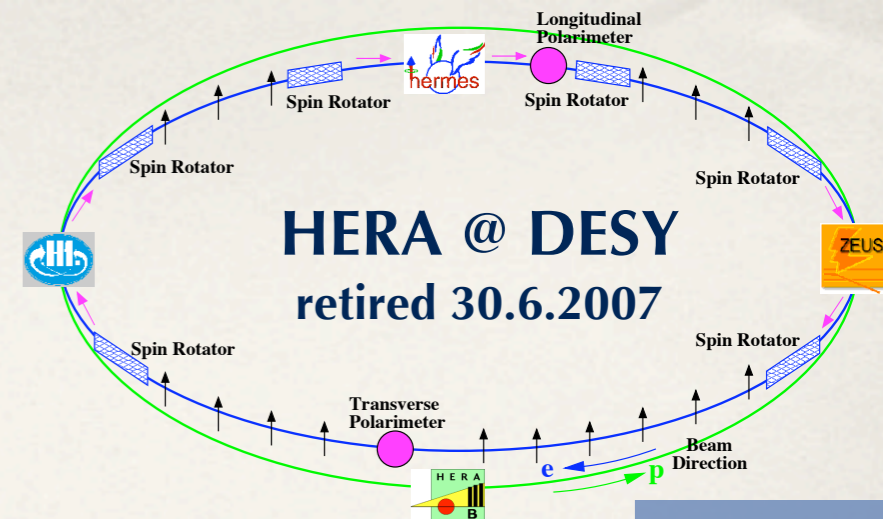
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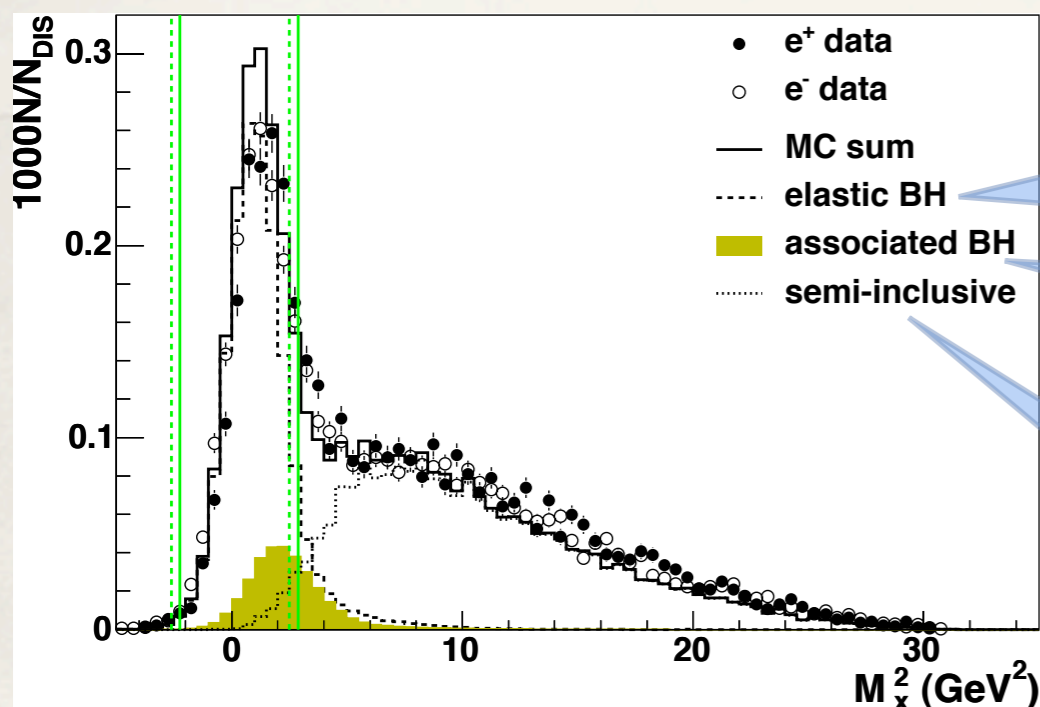
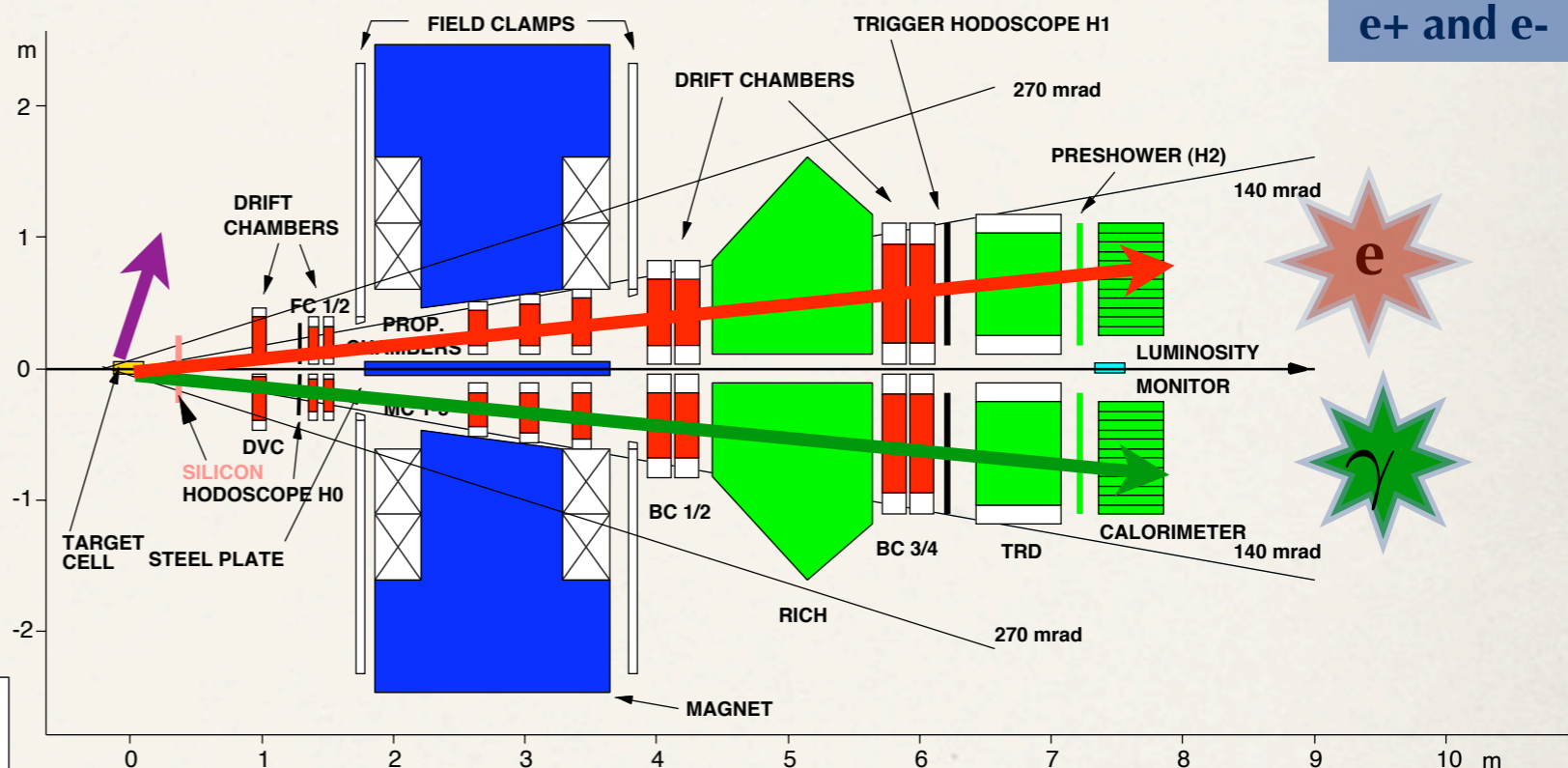
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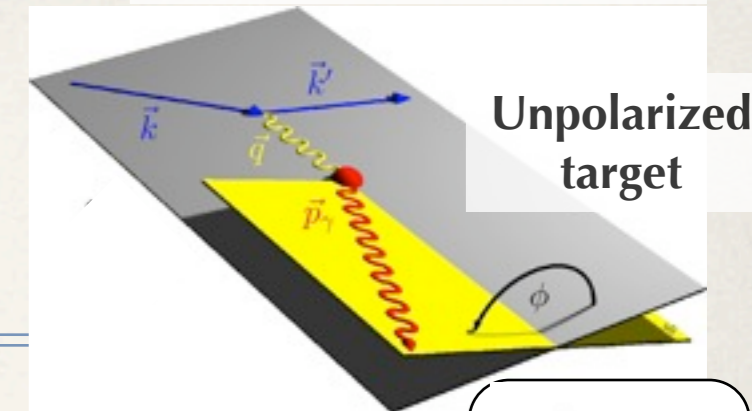
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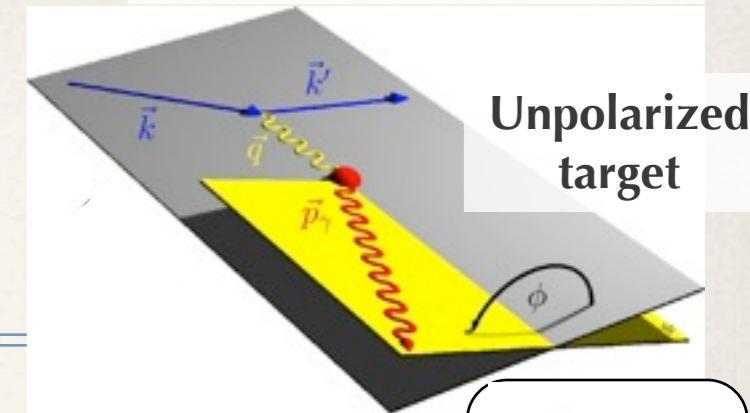
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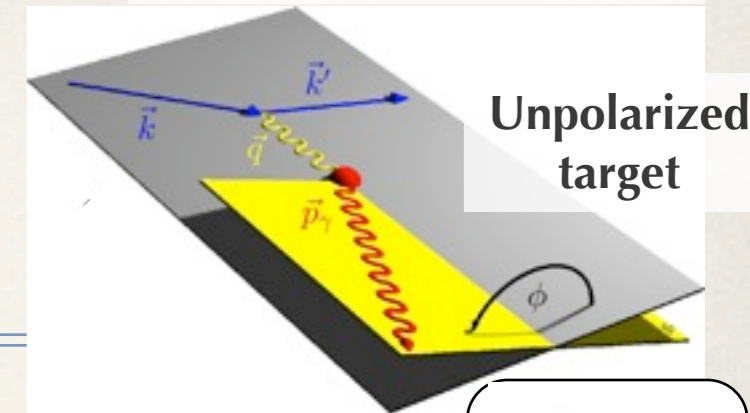
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$\mathcal{A}_C \quad \mathcal{A}_{LU}$

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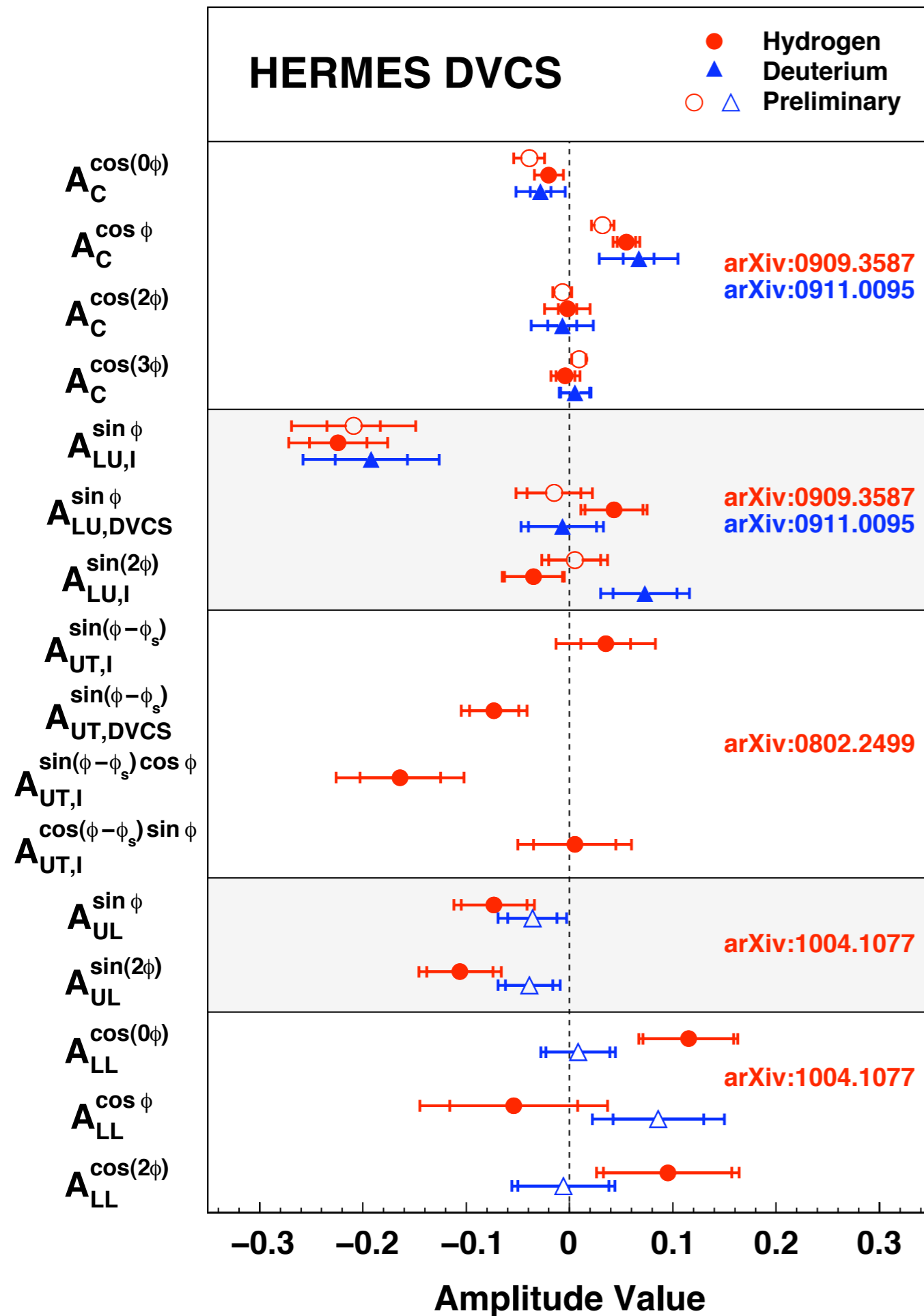
twist-2 GPD

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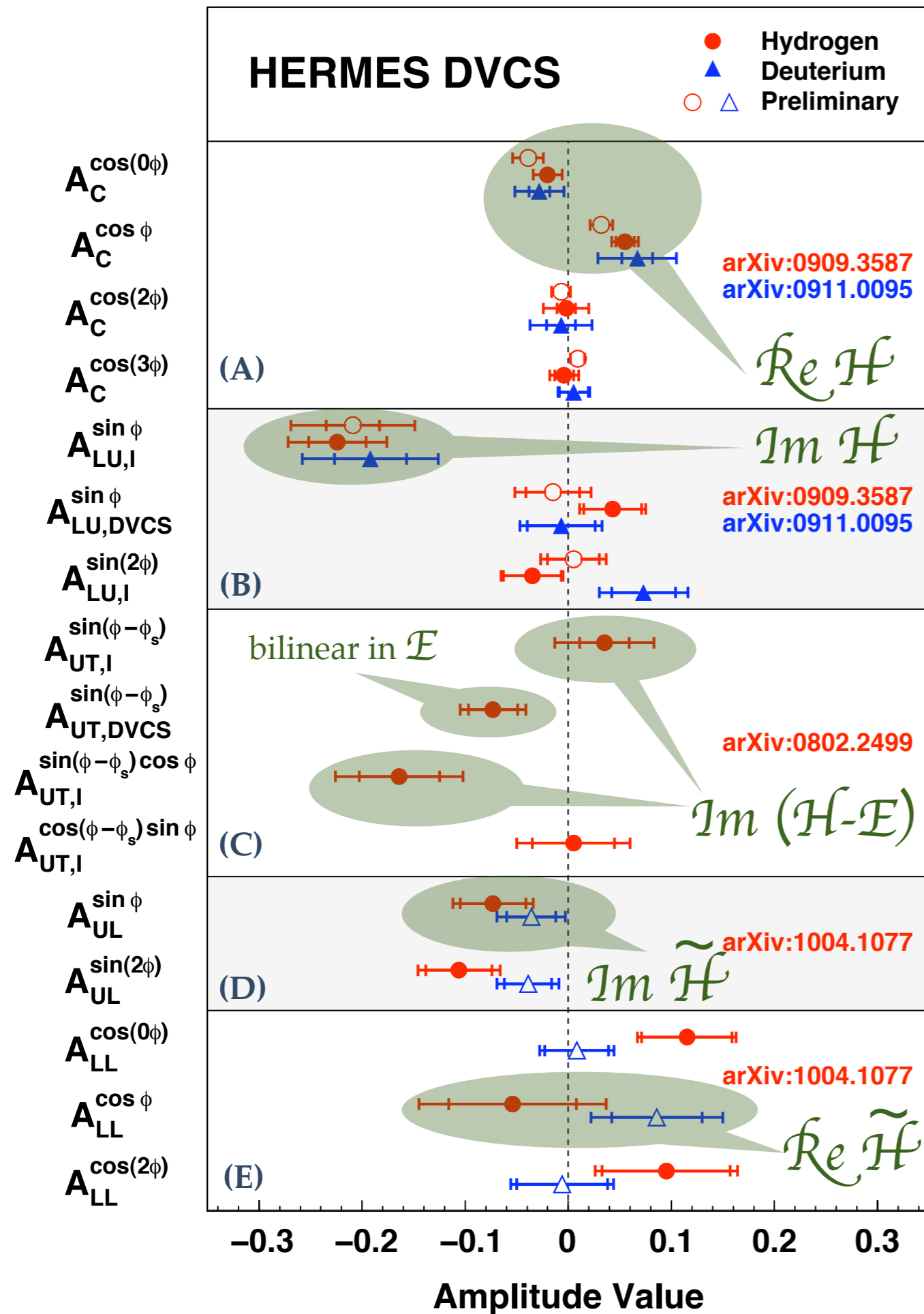
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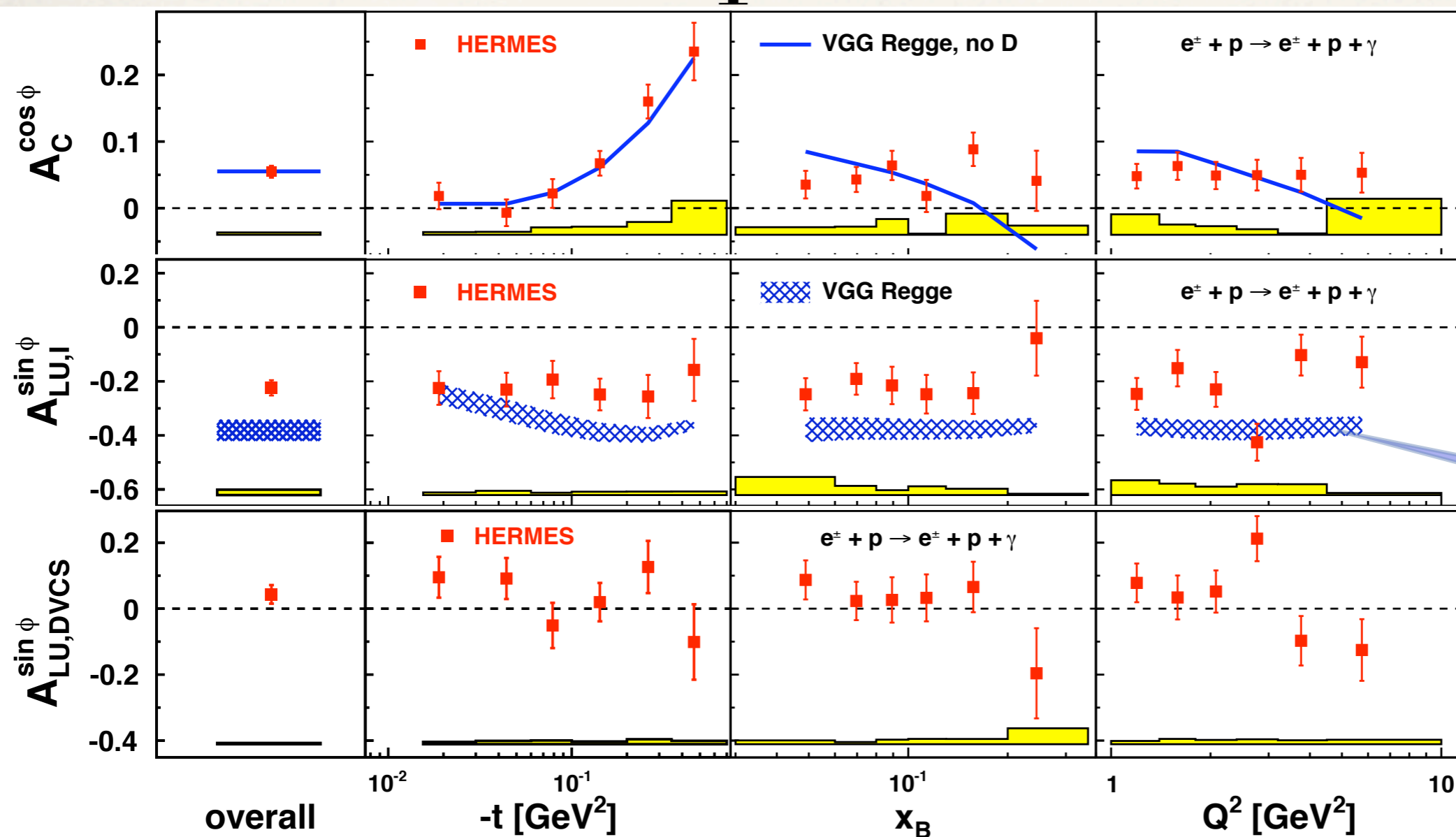
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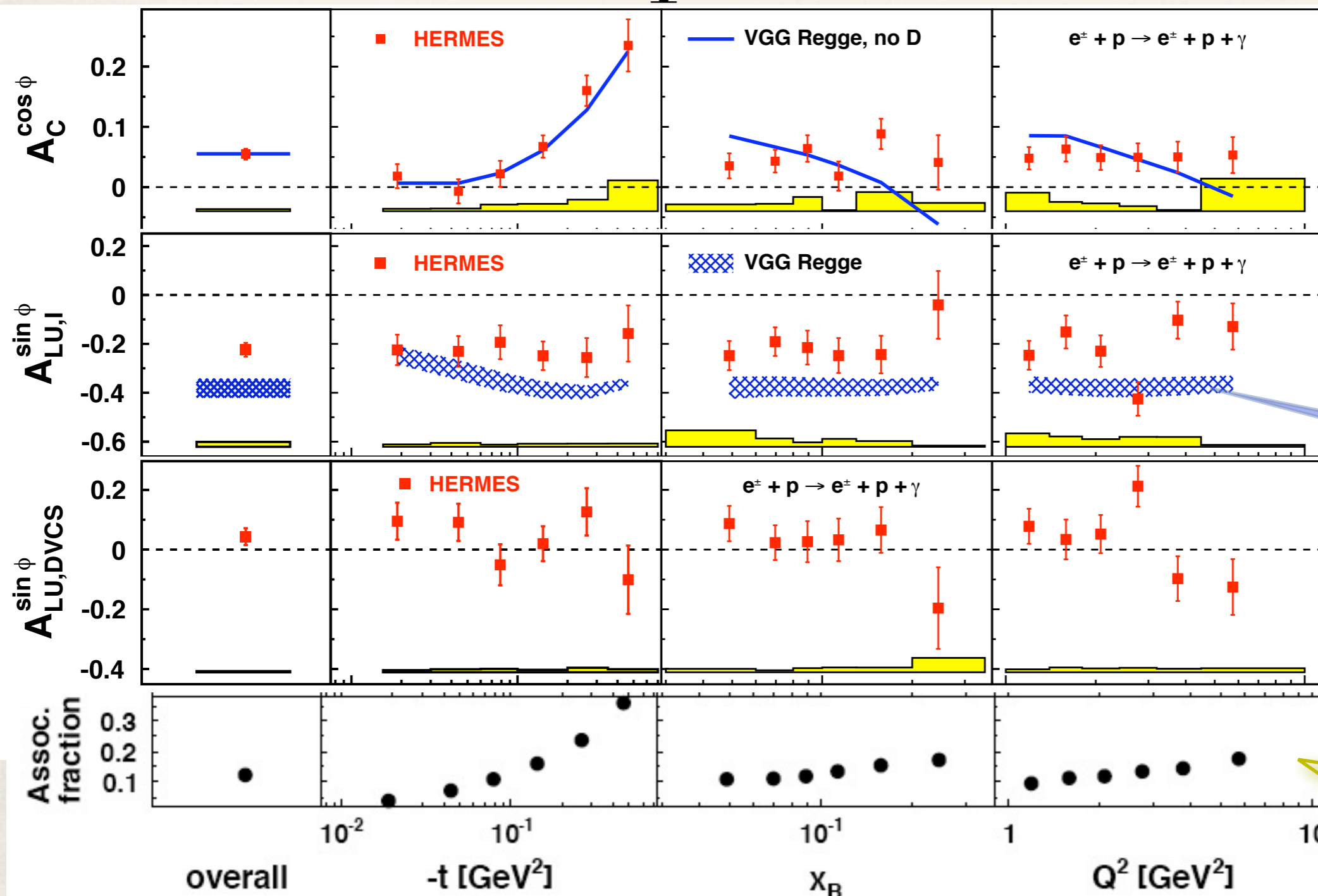
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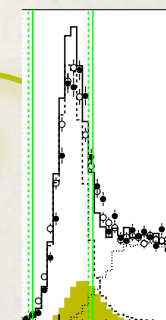
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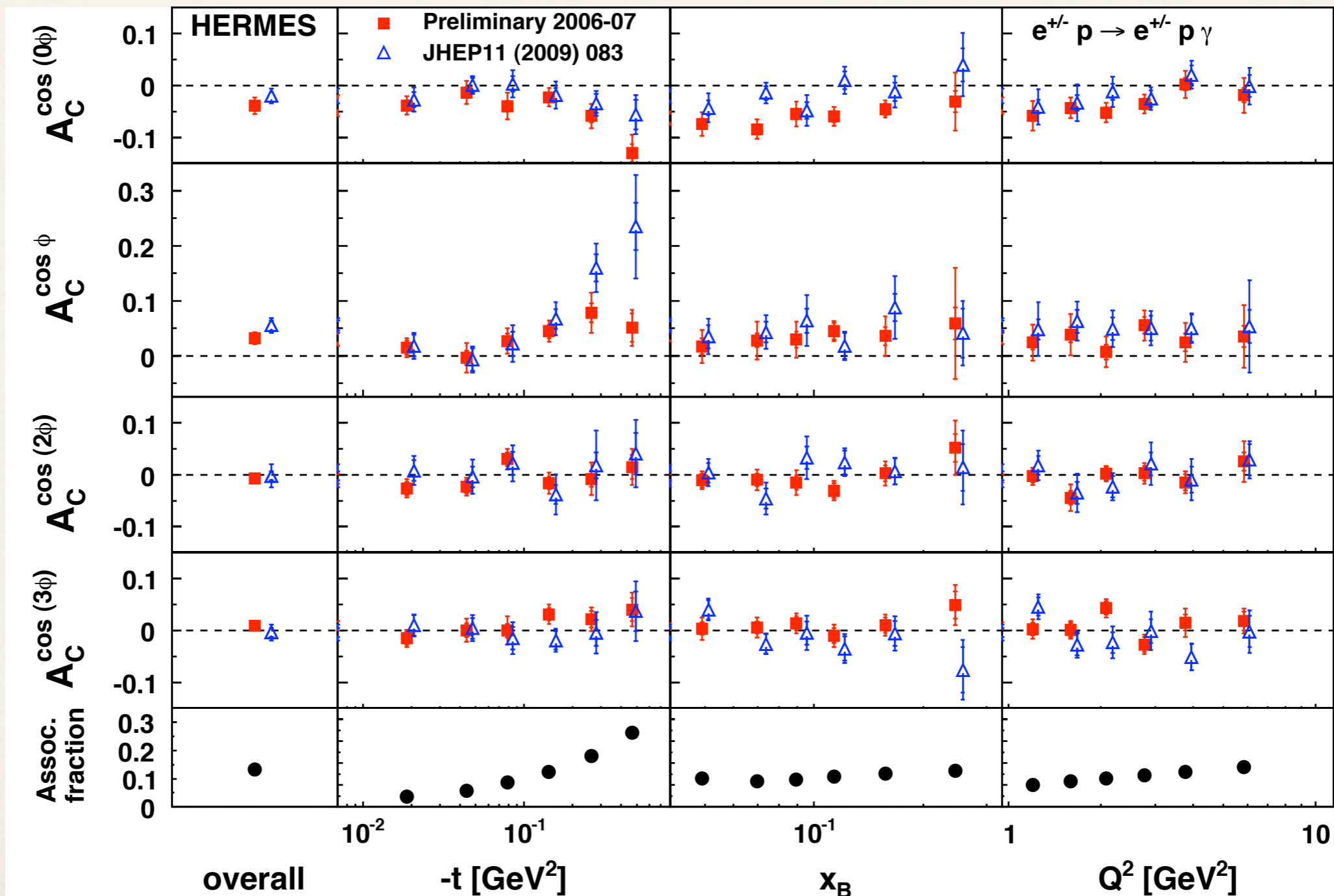


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Huge 2006 / 2007
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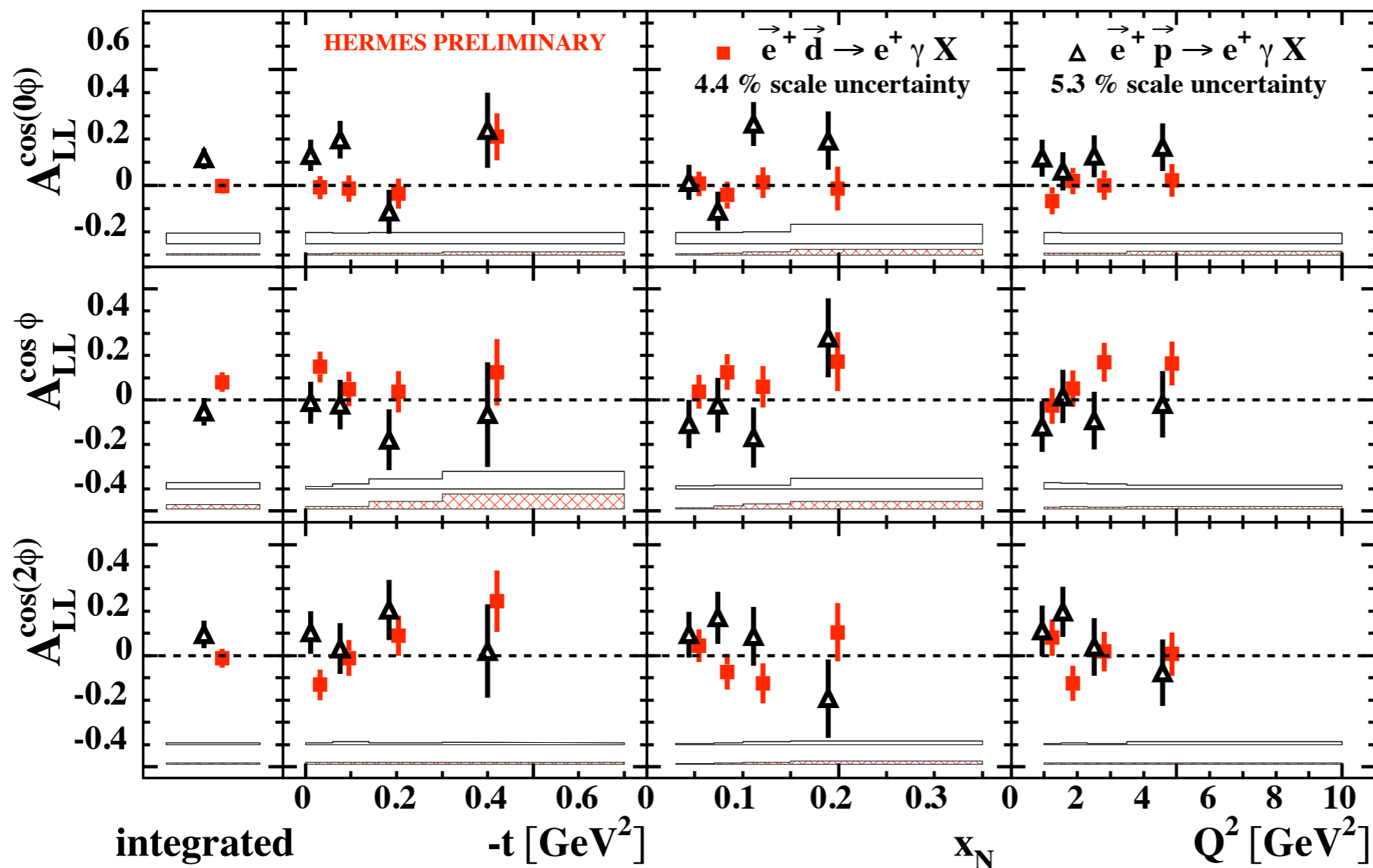
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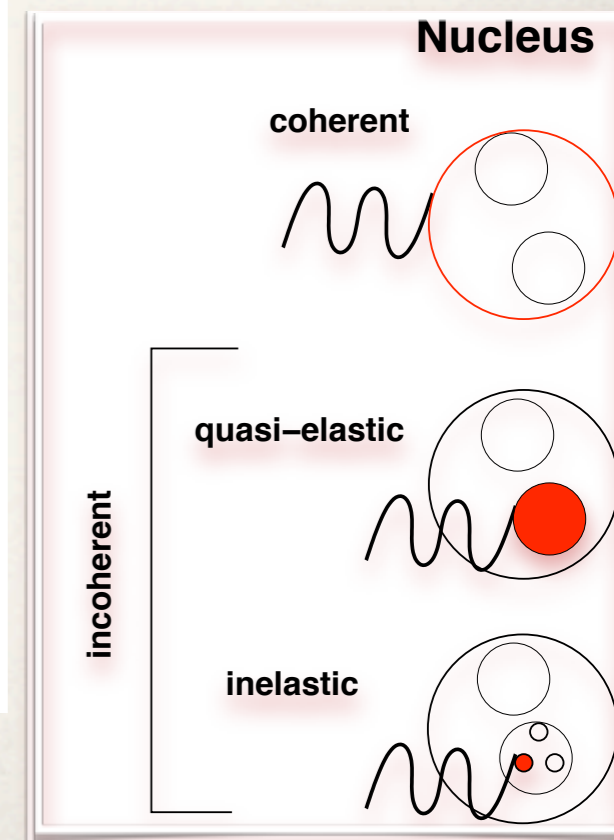


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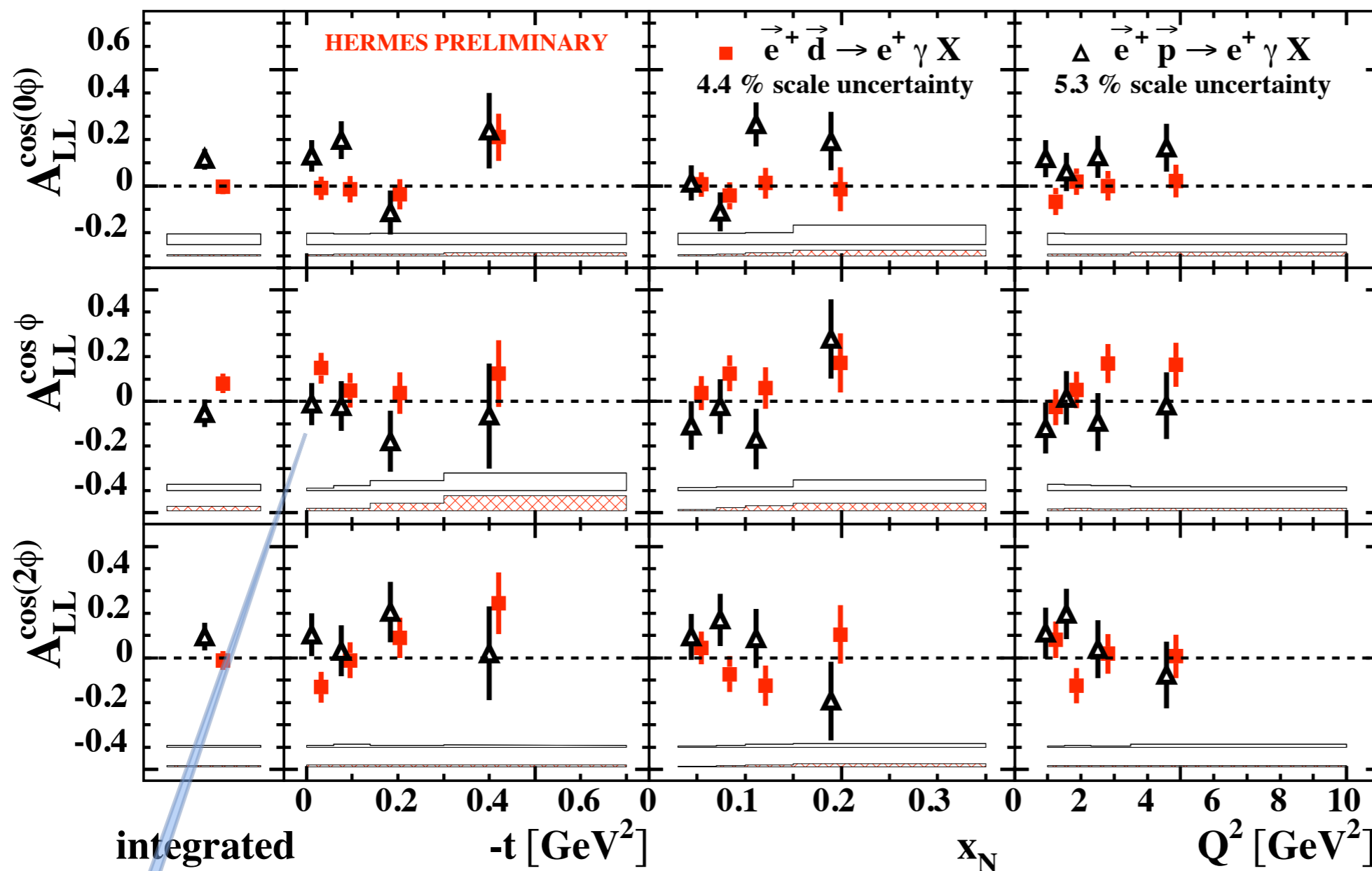


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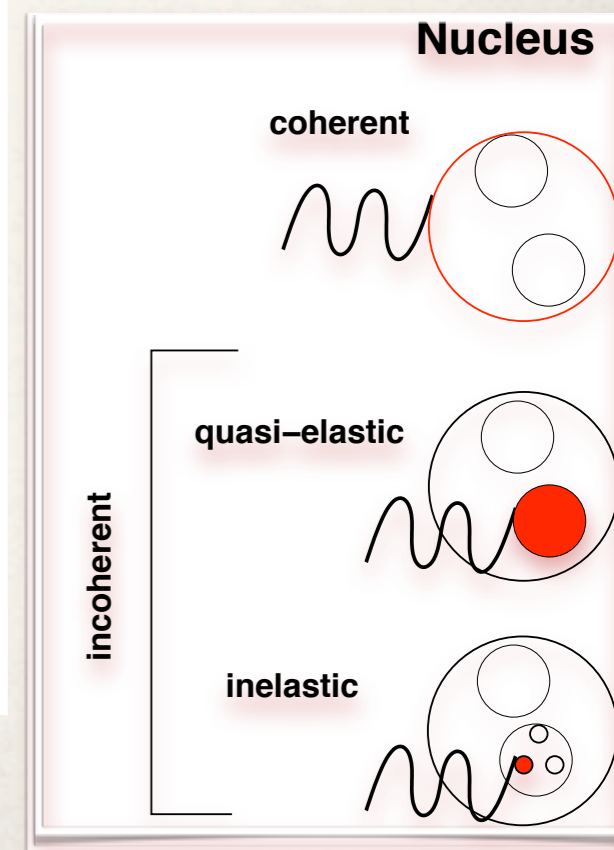


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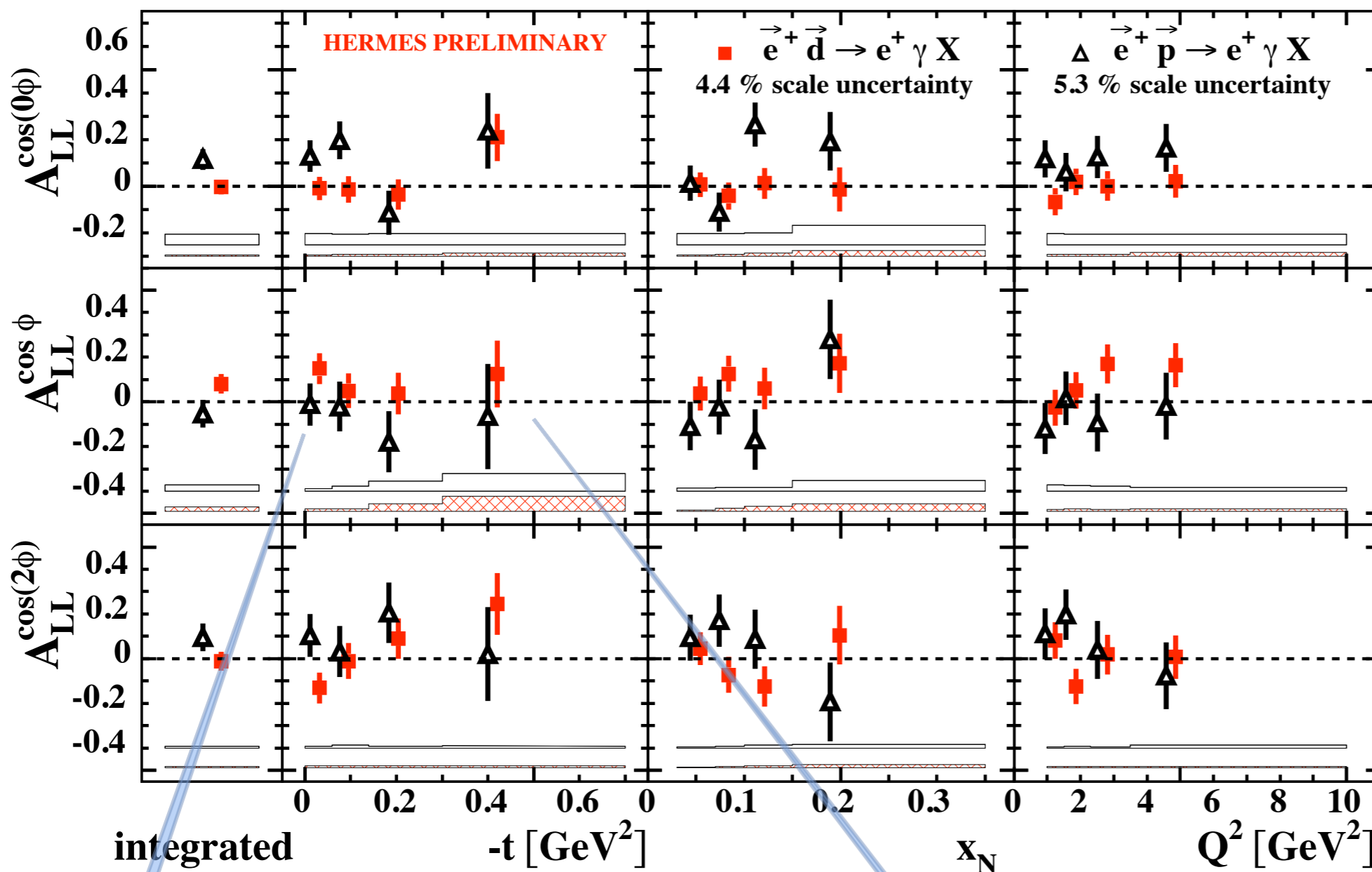


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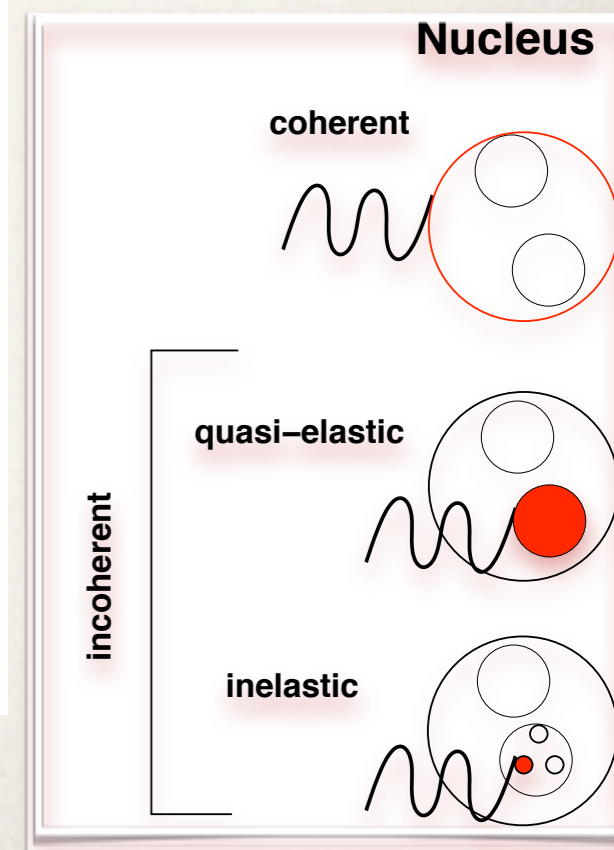
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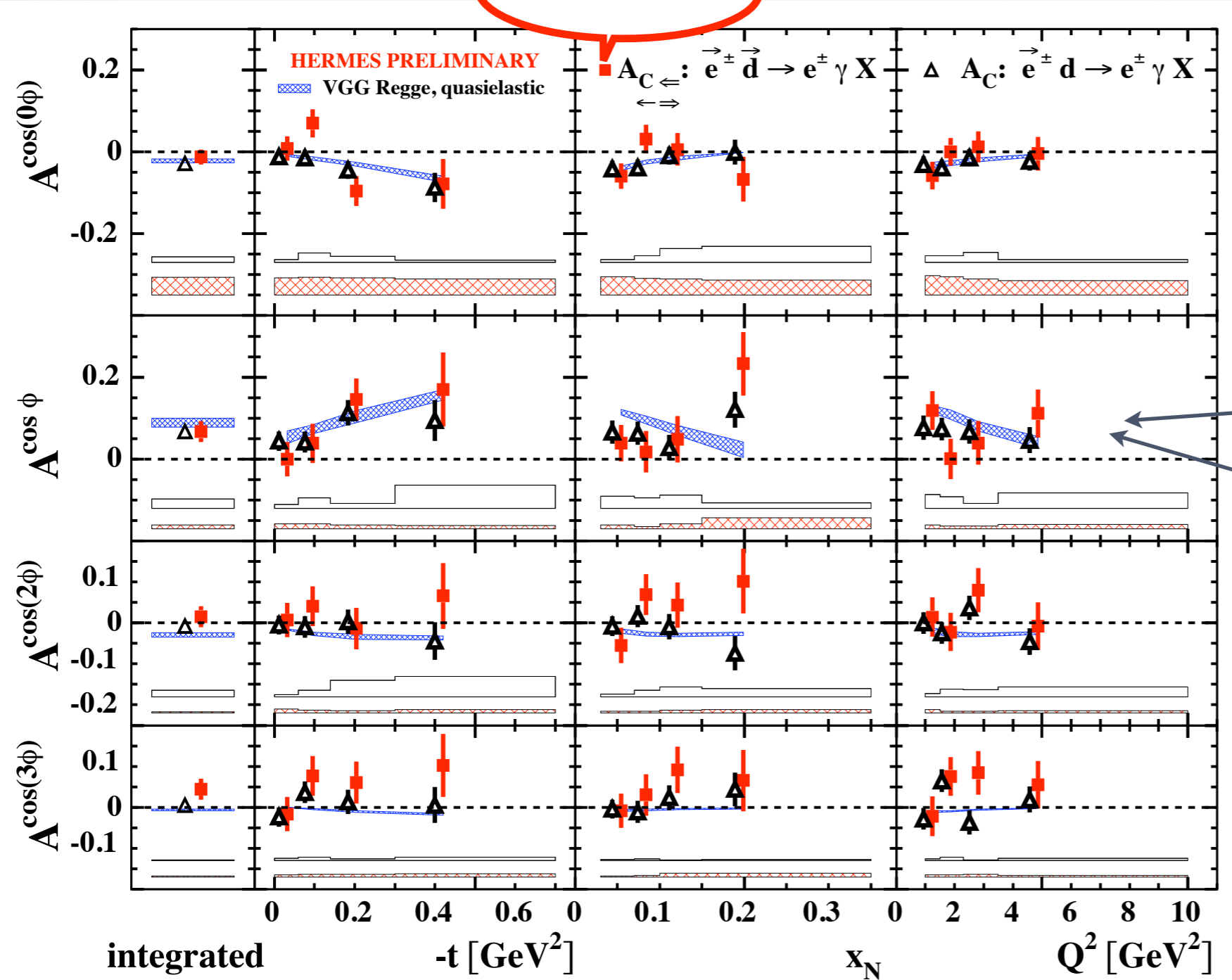
high t : incoherent

scatter off nucleon = spin 1/2 object

HERMES \mathcal{A}_C on polarized / unpolarized deuterium

m=0 state excluded

spin 1 \rightarrow 3 spin projections m=-1,0,+1



Tensor signature

$\Delta \text{Re } \mathcal{H}_1$
 $\blacksquare \text{Re } (\mathcal{H}_1 - 1/3 \mathcal{H}_5)$
 $\mathcal{H}_5 \equiv$ tensor structure function
 in the forward limit

DVCS $\mathcal{A}_{LZZ} \sin\phi$ amplitude:
 $0.074 \pm 0.196 \pm 0.022$
 (-t < 0.06 GeV², 40% coherent)
HERMES preliminary

DVCS Nuclear Mass Dependence

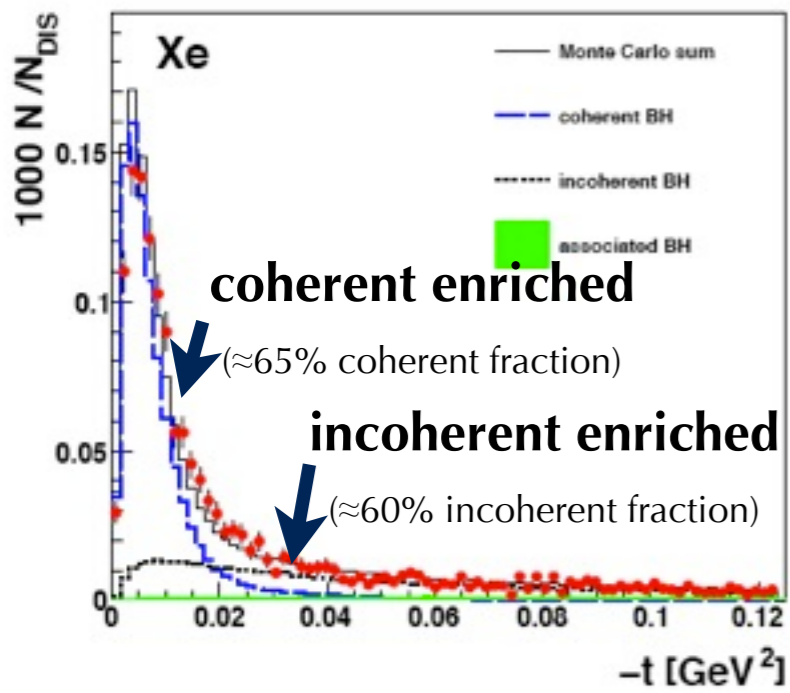
HERMES arXiv:0911.0091,
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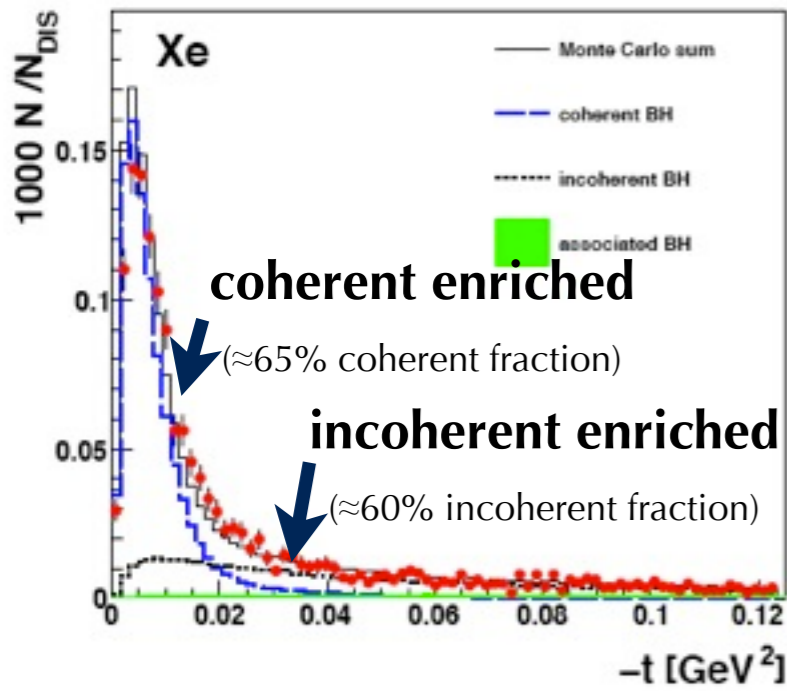
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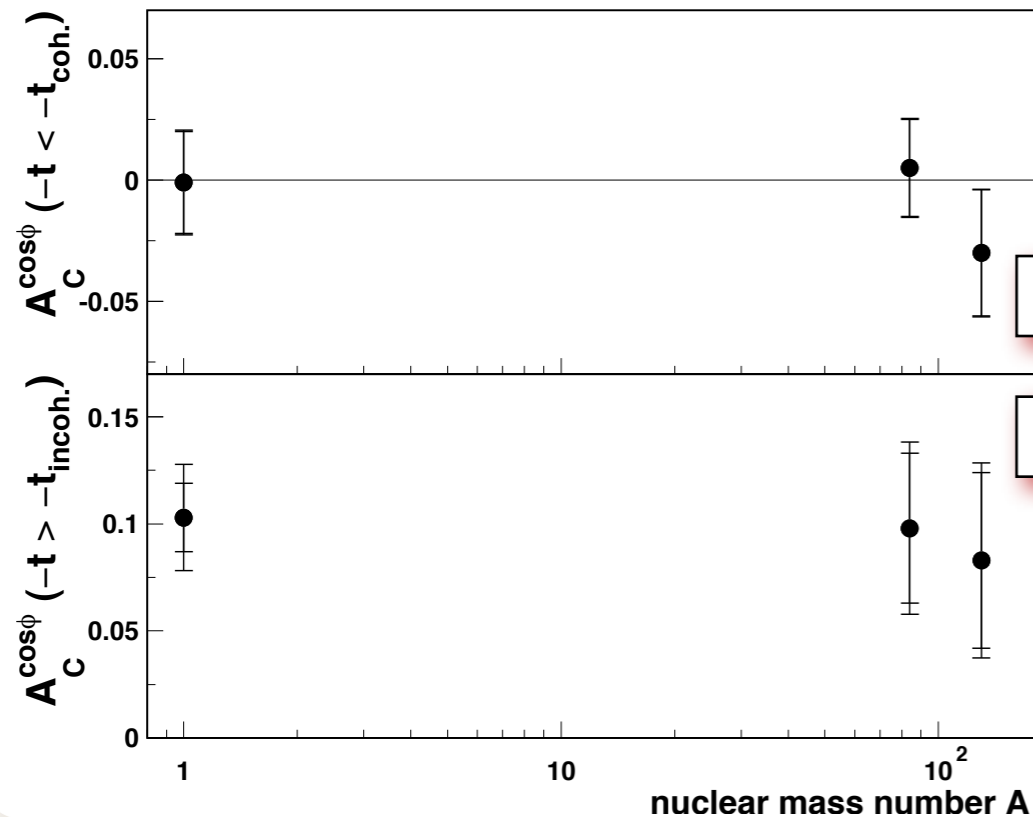
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Average $\mathcal{A}_{\text{LU}}^A / \mathcal{A}_{\text{LU}}^{\text{H}}$:

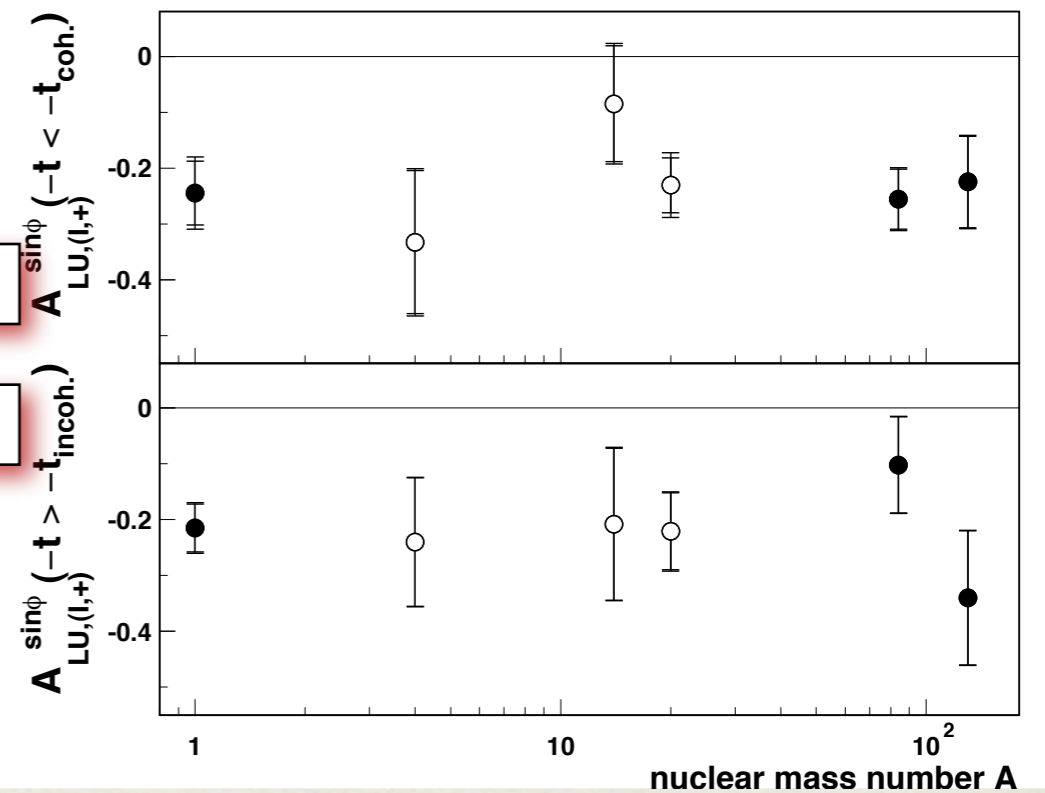
coherent enriched: 0.91 ± 0.19

incoherent enriched: 0.93 ± 0.23

$A_C^{\cos\phi}$ vs. A

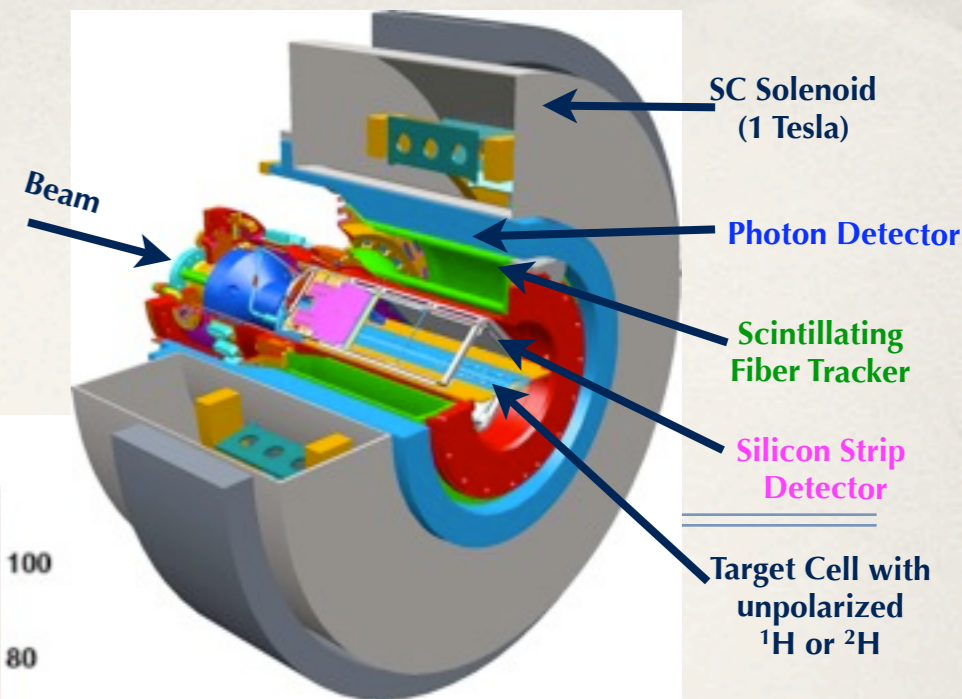
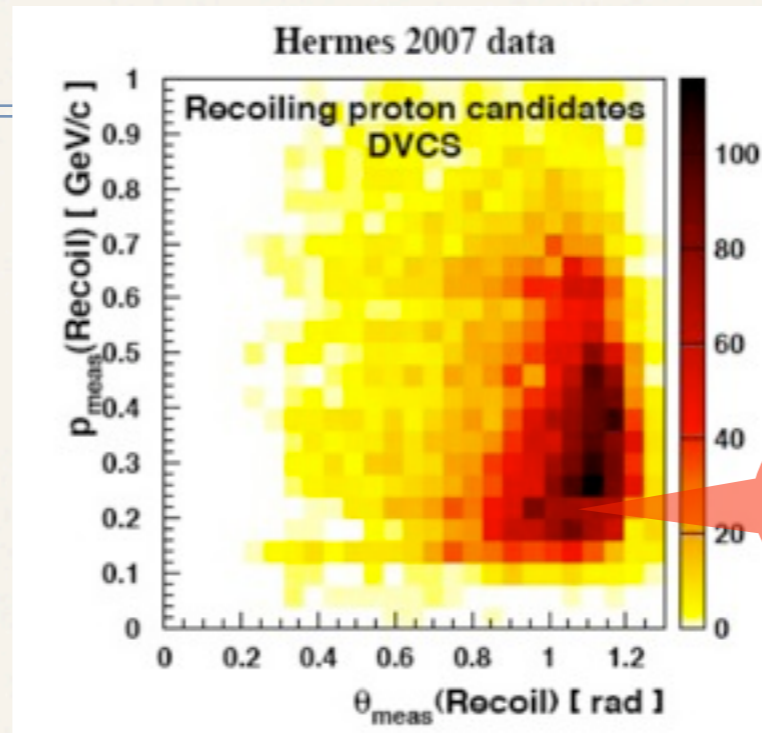


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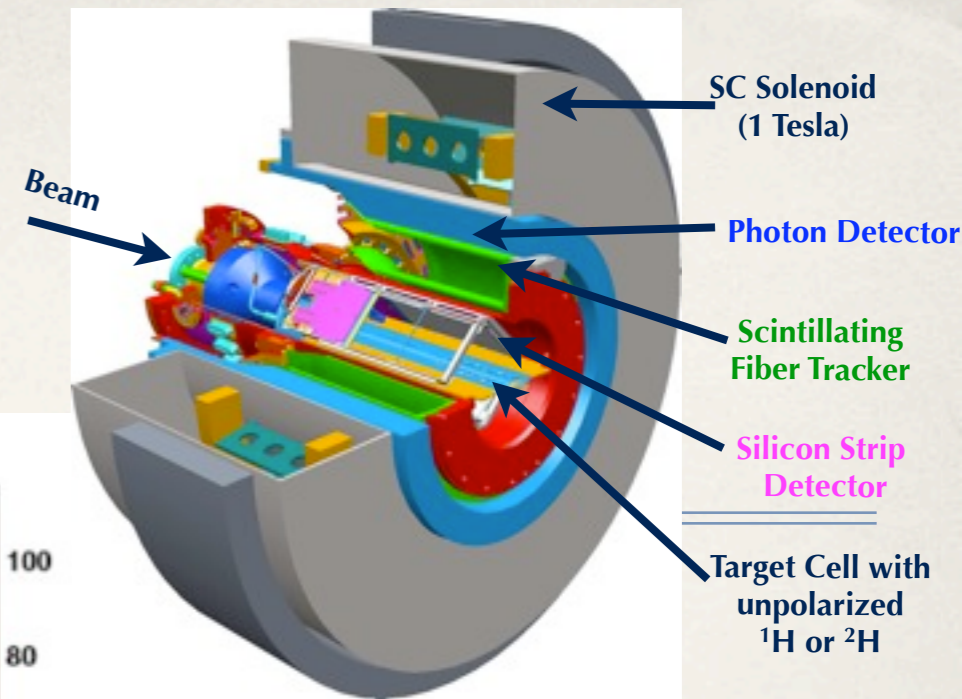


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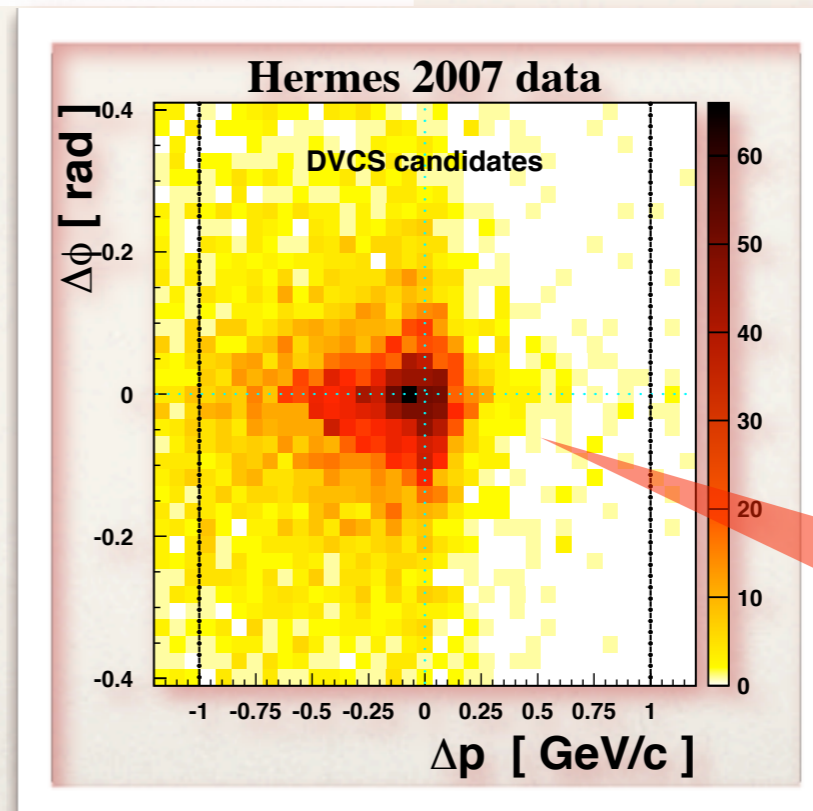
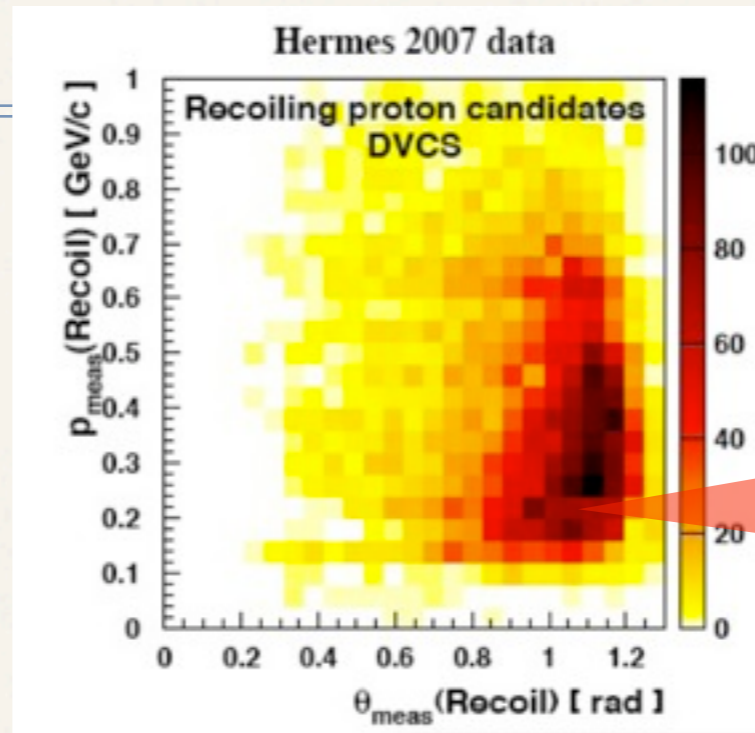
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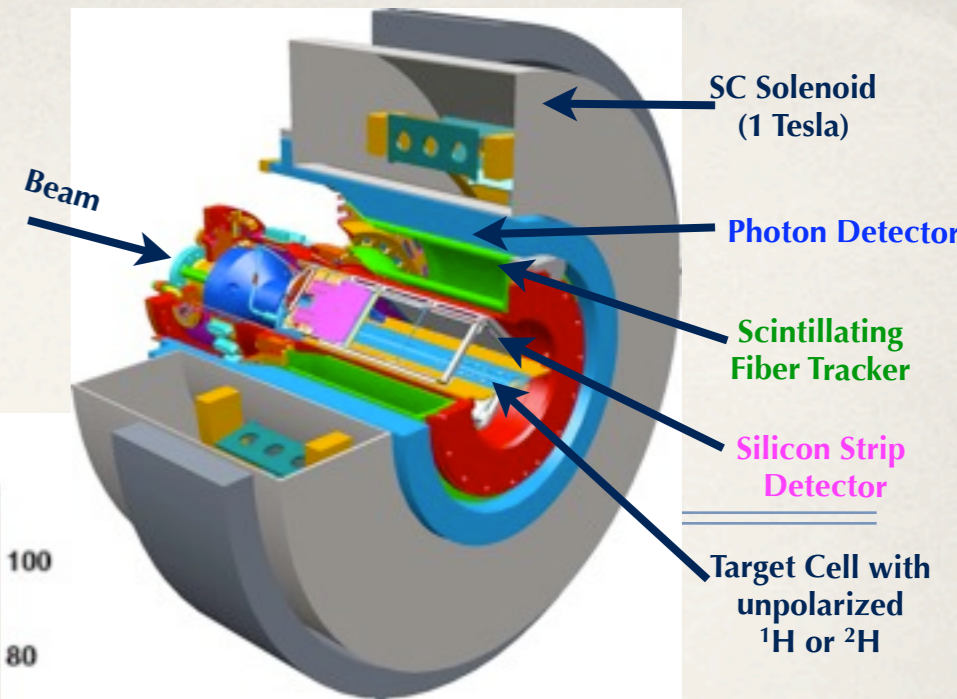
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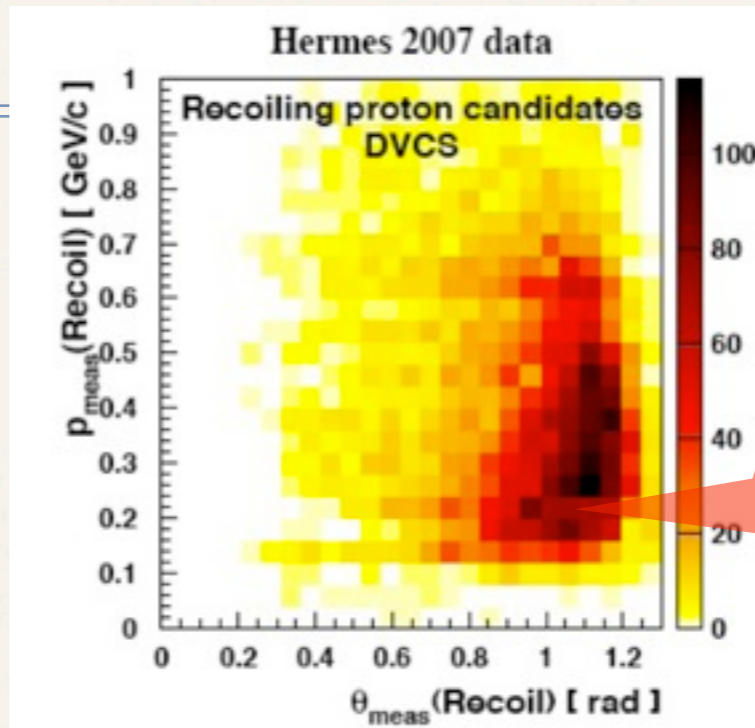
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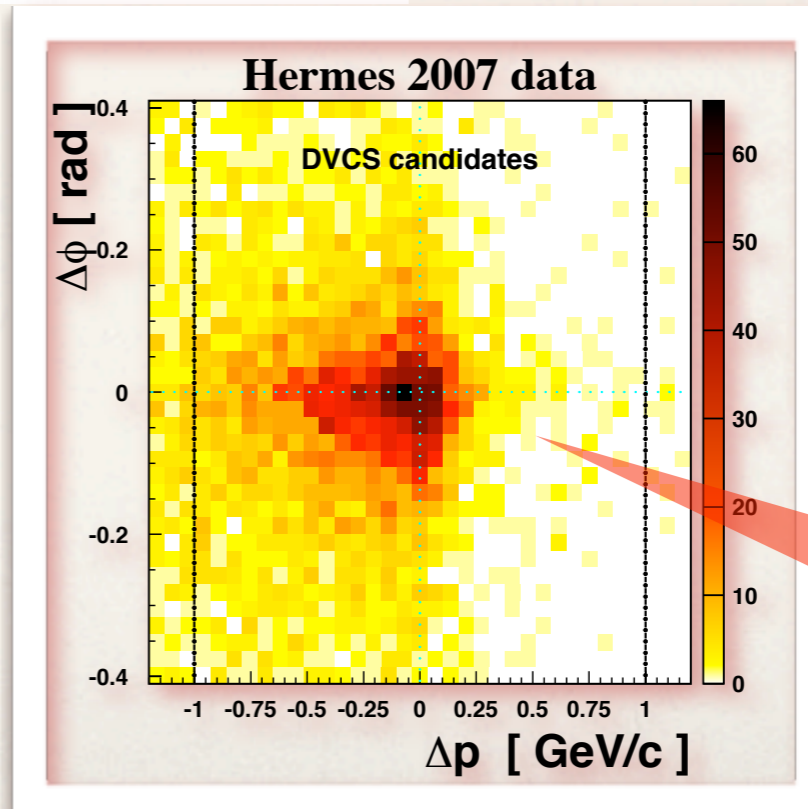
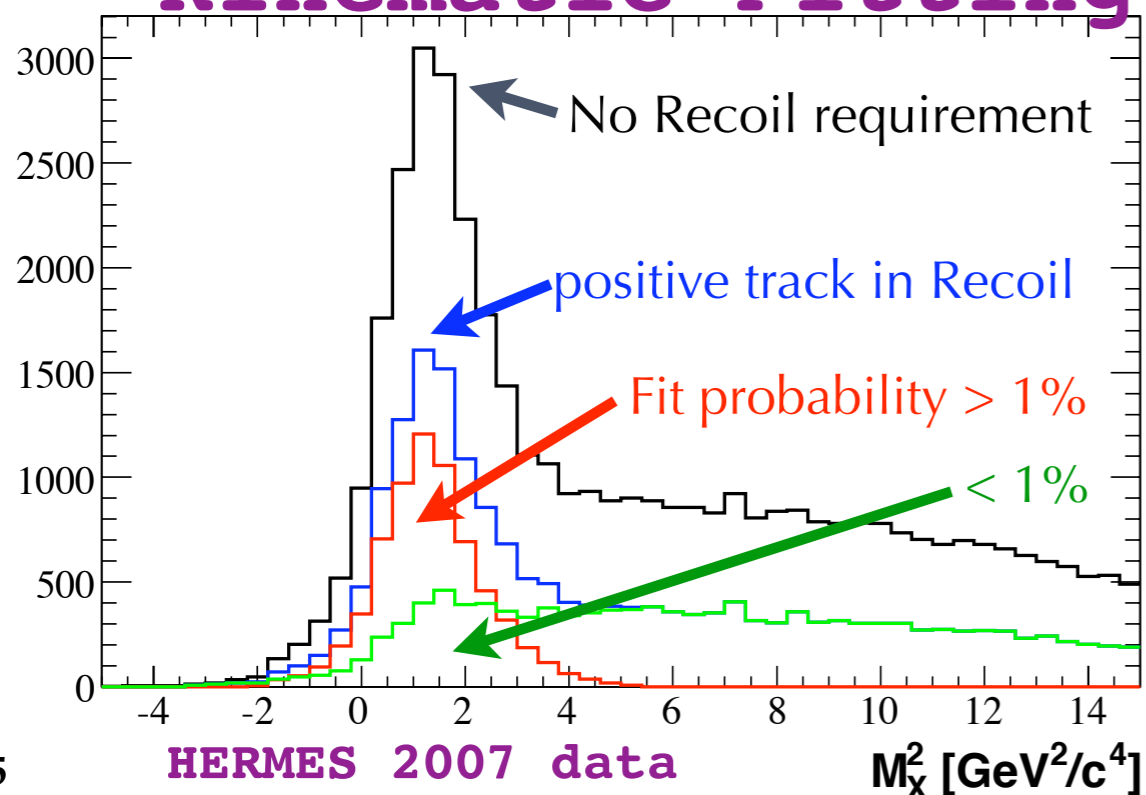
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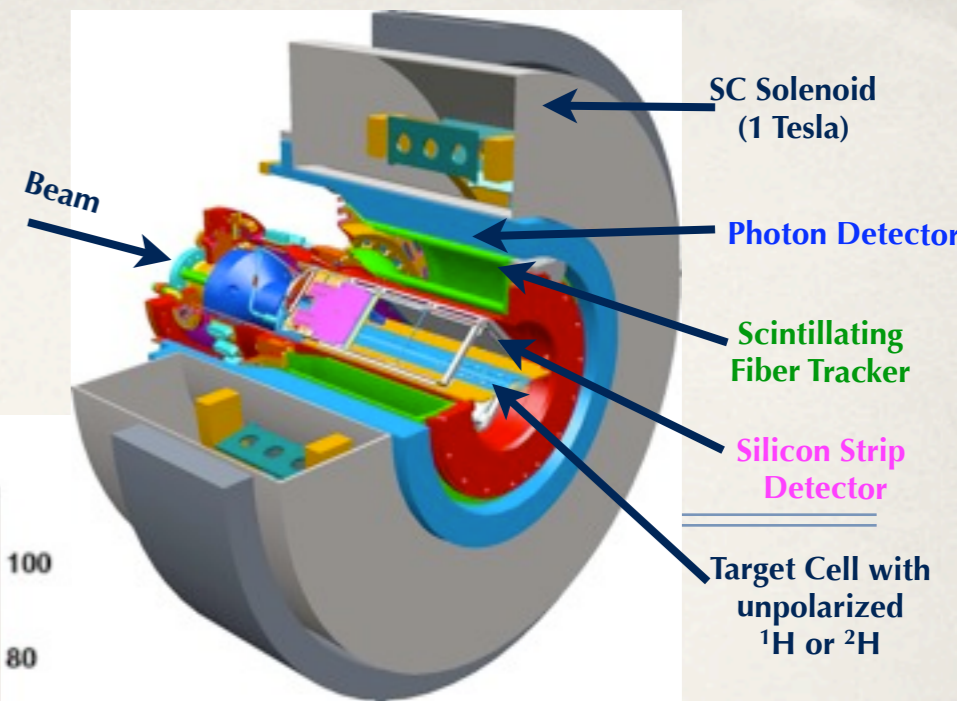


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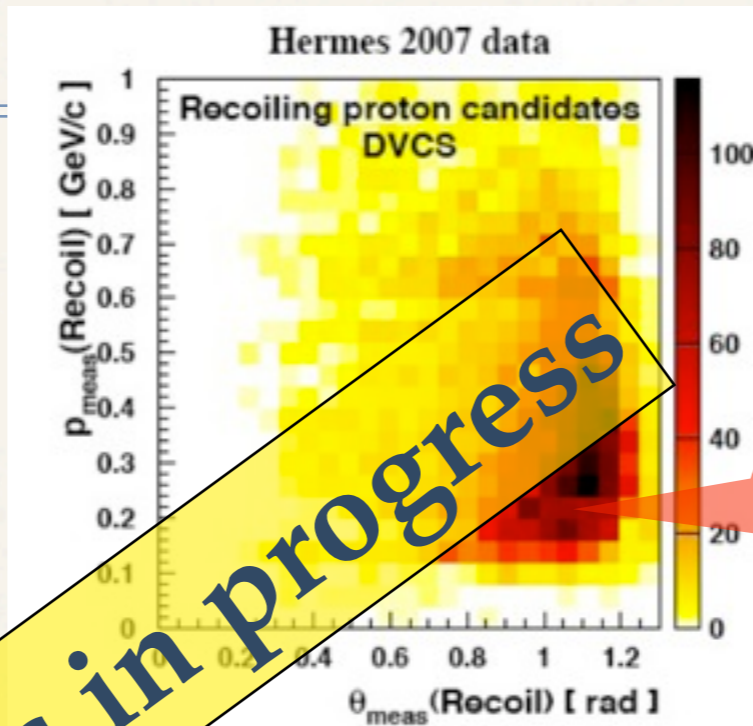
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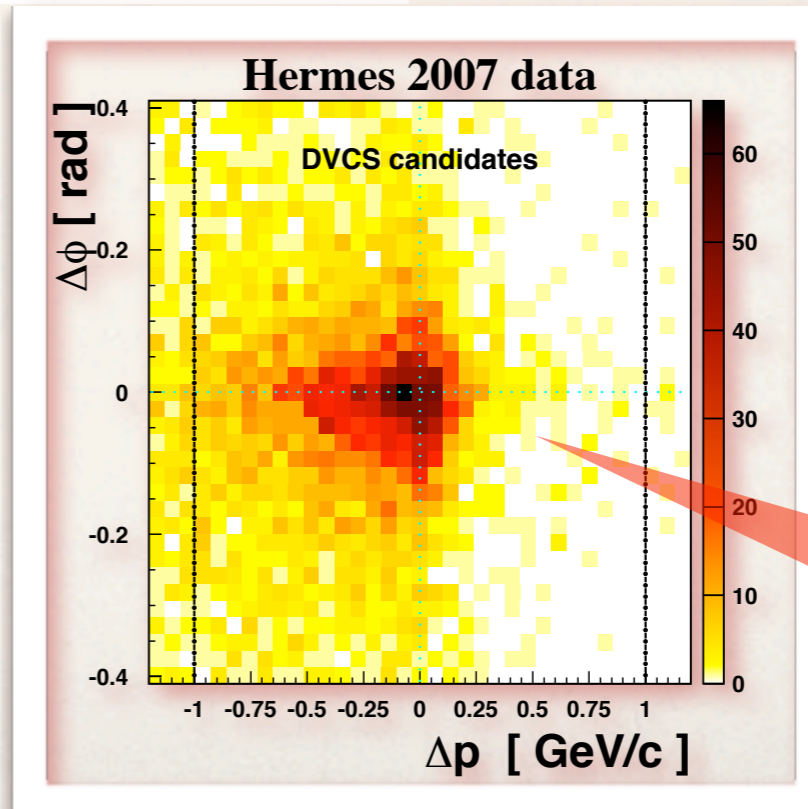
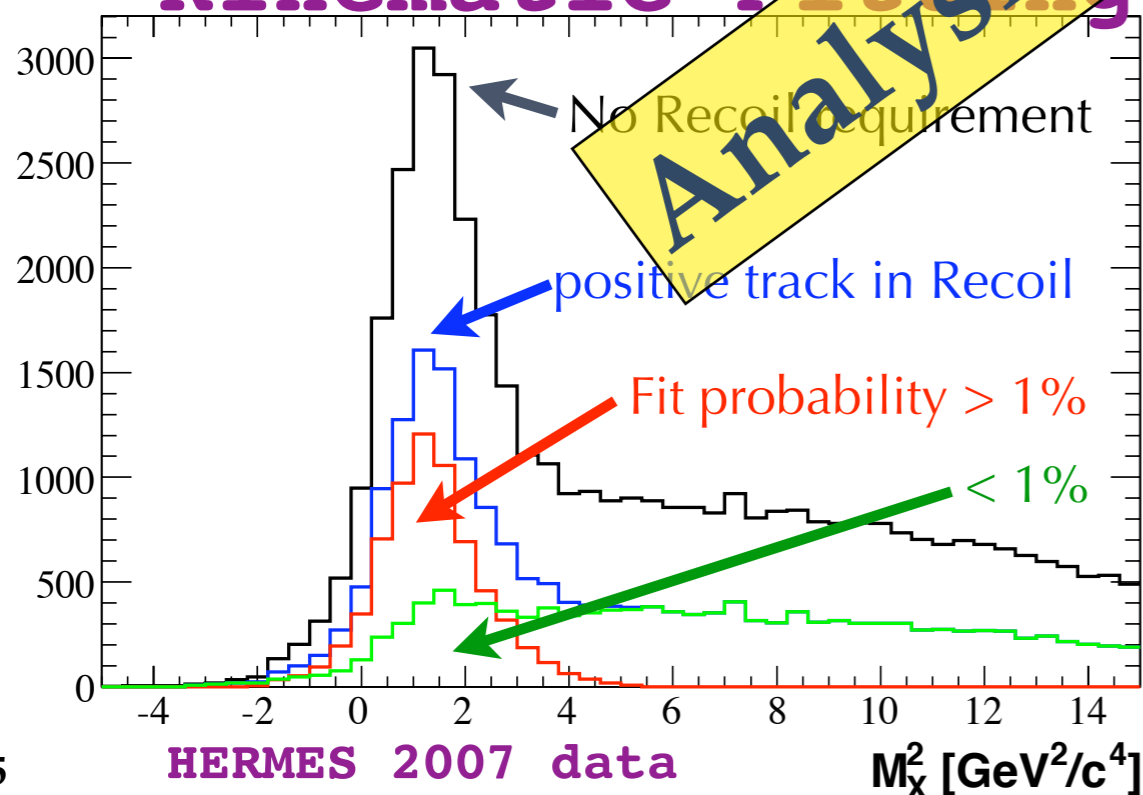


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Analysis in progress

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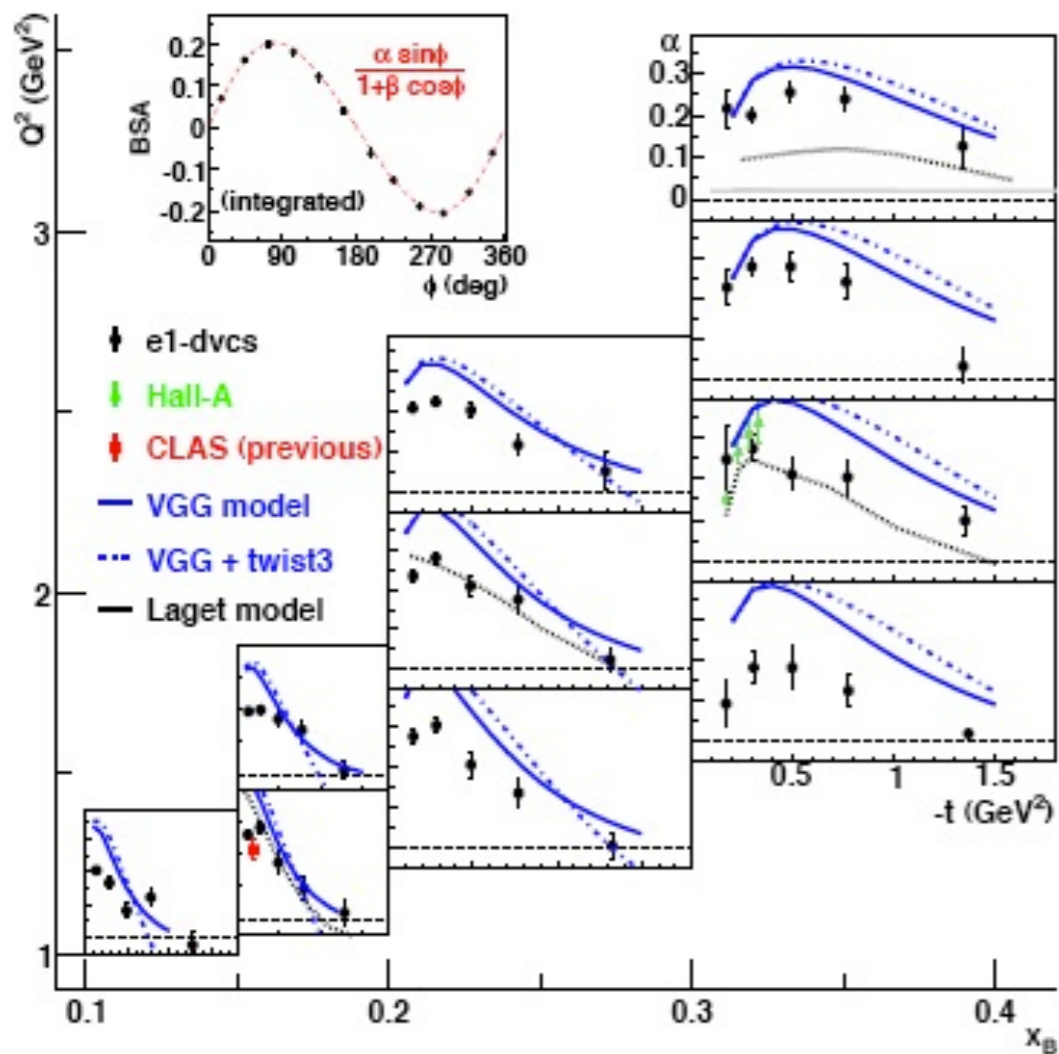


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CLAS latest measurements

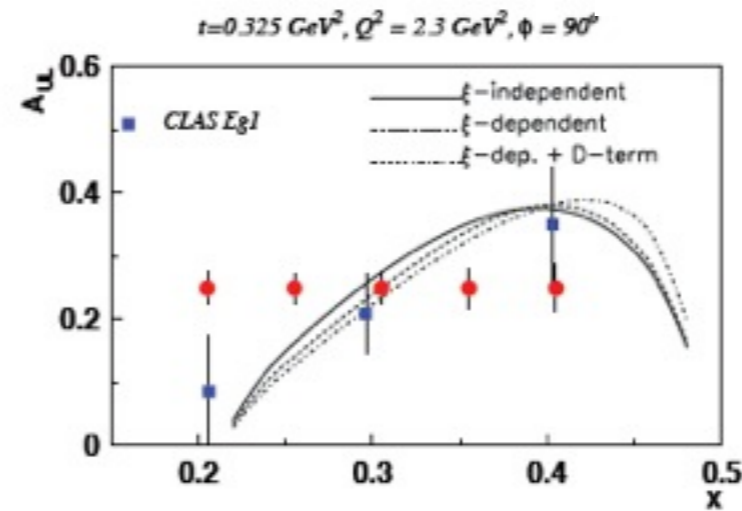
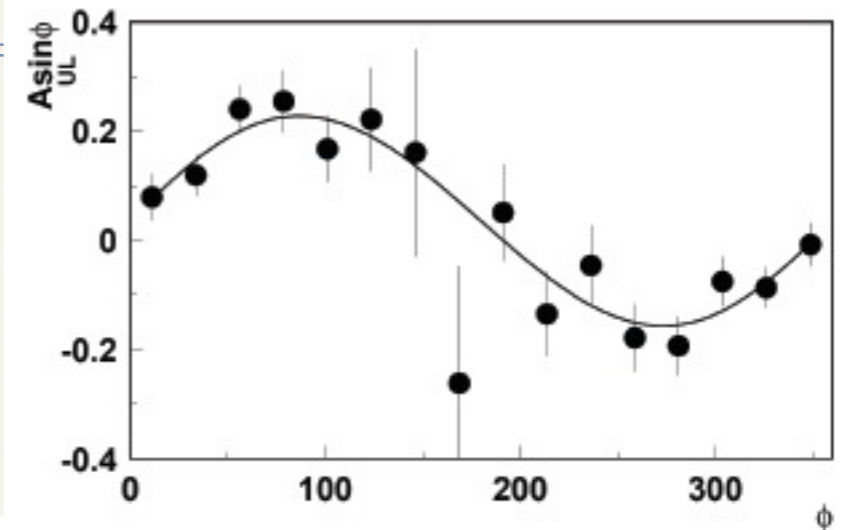
More details: see talk by Francois-Xavier Girod (5A)

Beam-spin asymmetry 2008



F.-X. G. et al., PRL 100 (2008) 162002

Longitudinal target-spin asymmetry
20% of stat shown



- Dedicated run 2009 with inner calo for target- and double-spin asymmetry
- **Results to be released**

• Cross-section measurement: $\text{Re}(\tau_{\text{DVCS}})$

• Time-like Compton Scattering (double DVCS)

See talk by Tanja Horn (5A)

CLAS: $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 1.82 \text{ GeV}^2$,
 $\langle x_B \rangle = 0.28$, $\langle -t \rangle = 0.31 \text{ GeV}^2$

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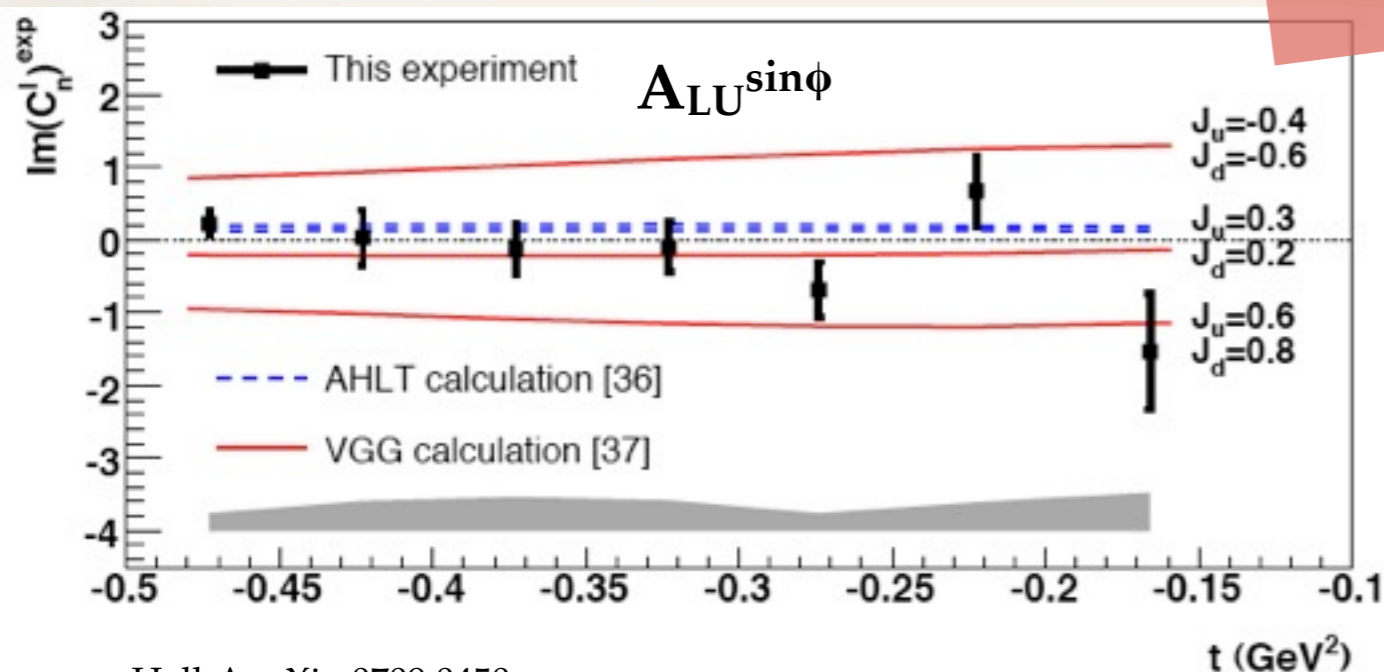
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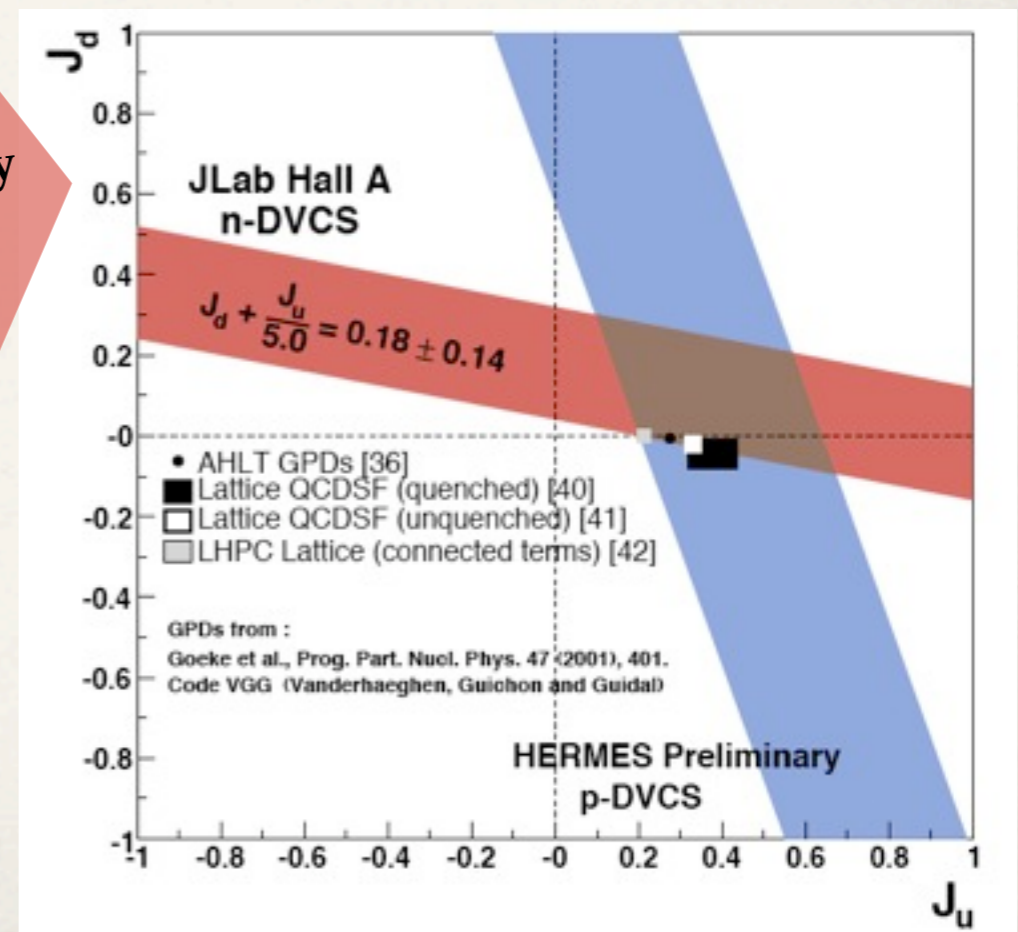
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Hall-A arXiv:0709.0450

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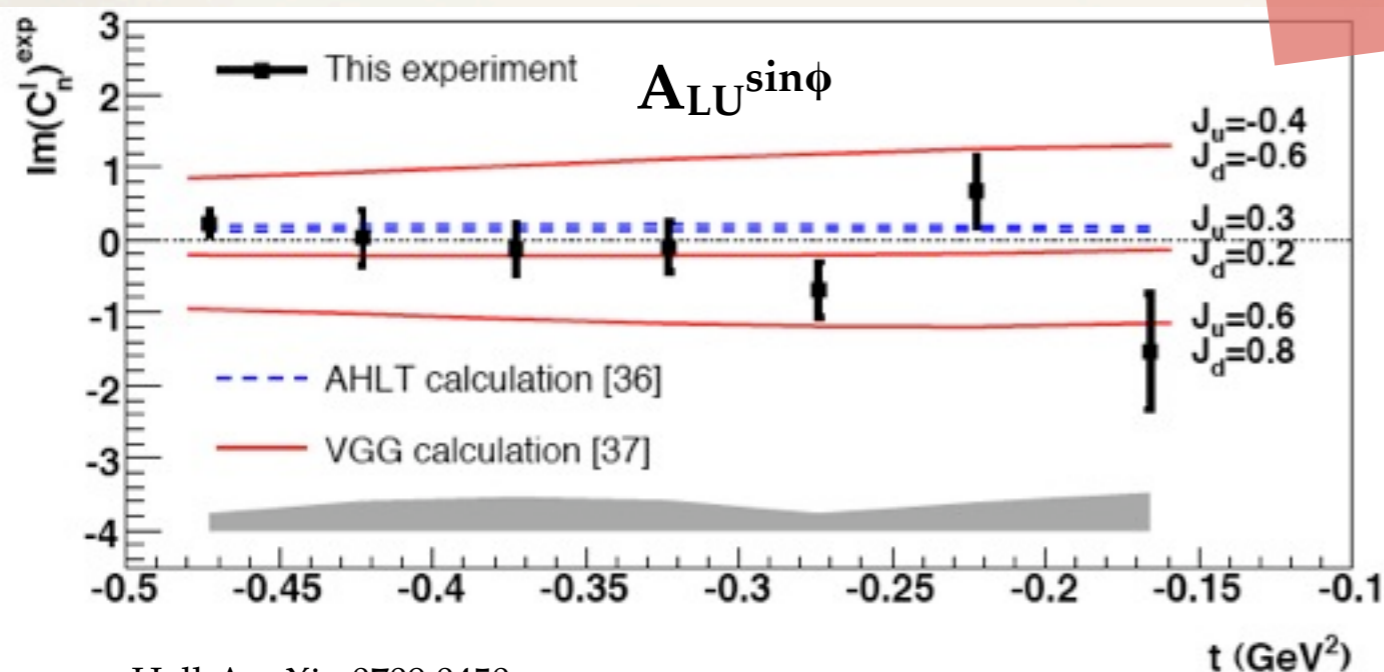
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Caveat: model-dependent constraint on $J_u + k \cdot J_d$.
GPD models are far from describing all available data equally well !!

HERA / H1: Beam Charge Asymmetry

First measurement at collider

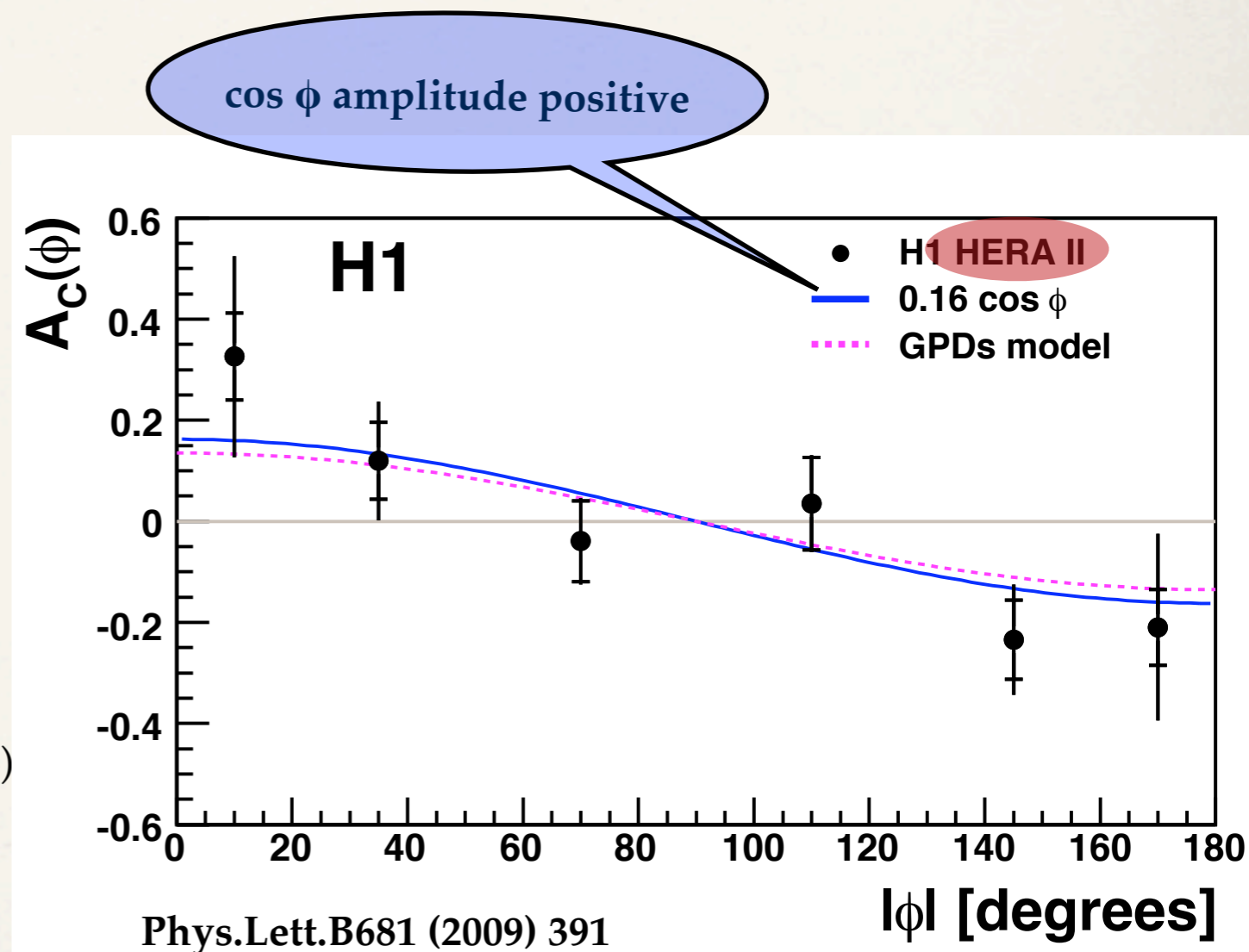
- low $x_B = 10^{-4} \dots 10^{-2}$
- $6.5 < Q^2 < 80 \text{ GeV}^2$
- $30 < W < 140 \text{ GeV}$
- $|t| < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$

Observation:

- $\text{Re}(\tau_{\text{DVCS}}) > 0$ for HERA (small x)
 - $\text{Re}(\tau_{\text{DVCS}}) < 0$ for HERMES (larger x)
- (if same ϕ convention is used as for H1, i.e. non-Trento)

Ratio $\rho = \text{Re}(\tau_{\text{DVCS}}) / \text{Im}(\tau_{\text{DVCS}})$

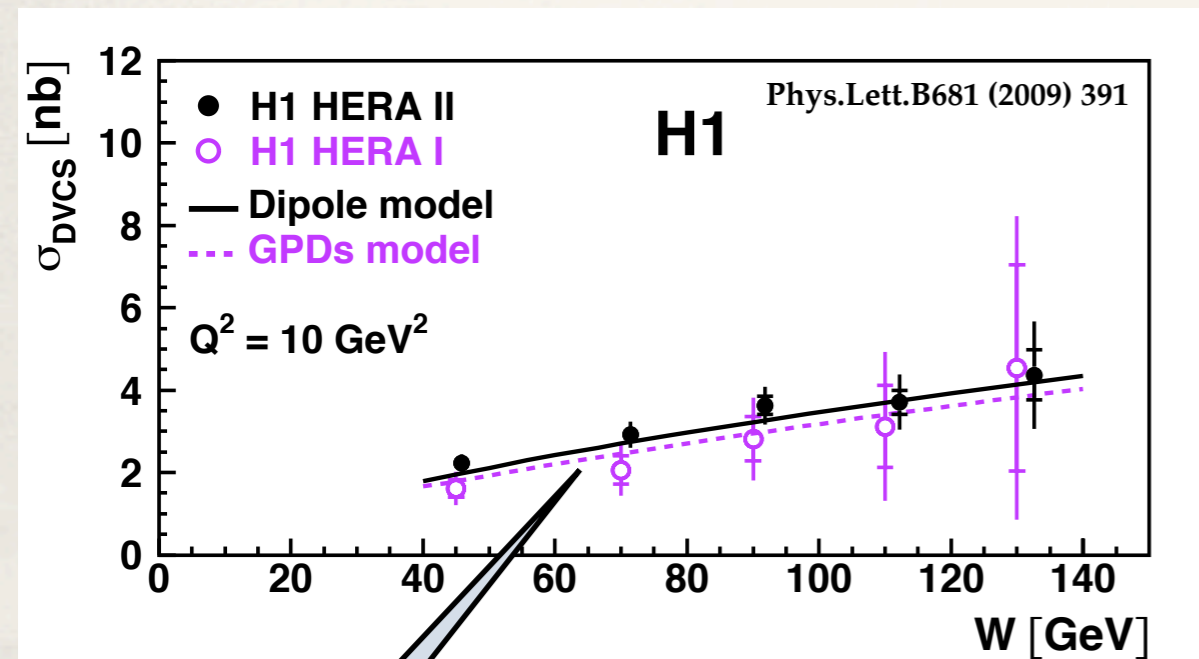
- $\rho = 0.20 \pm 0.05(\text{stat}) \pm 0.08(\text{sys})$
- In good agreement with theoretical calculation
(dispersion relation)



HERA: cross-section in the sea/glue region

Dipole model: C. Marquet, R. Peschanski, G. Soyez, hep-ph/0702171

GPD model: K. Kumericki, D. Müller, fit to previous HERA meas.

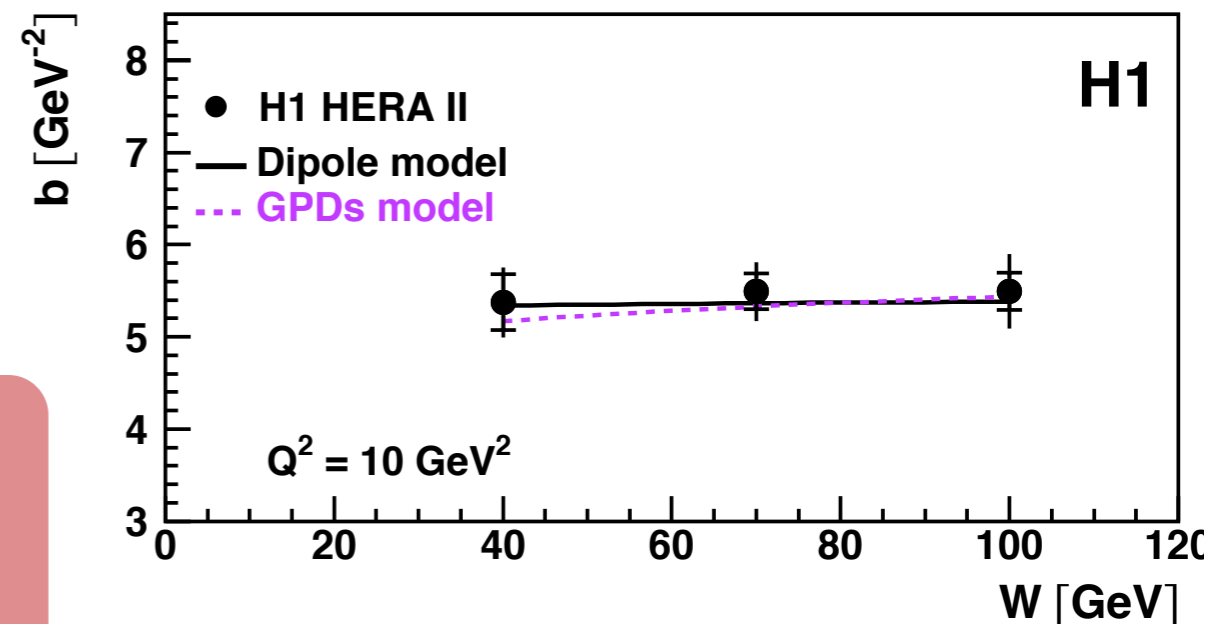
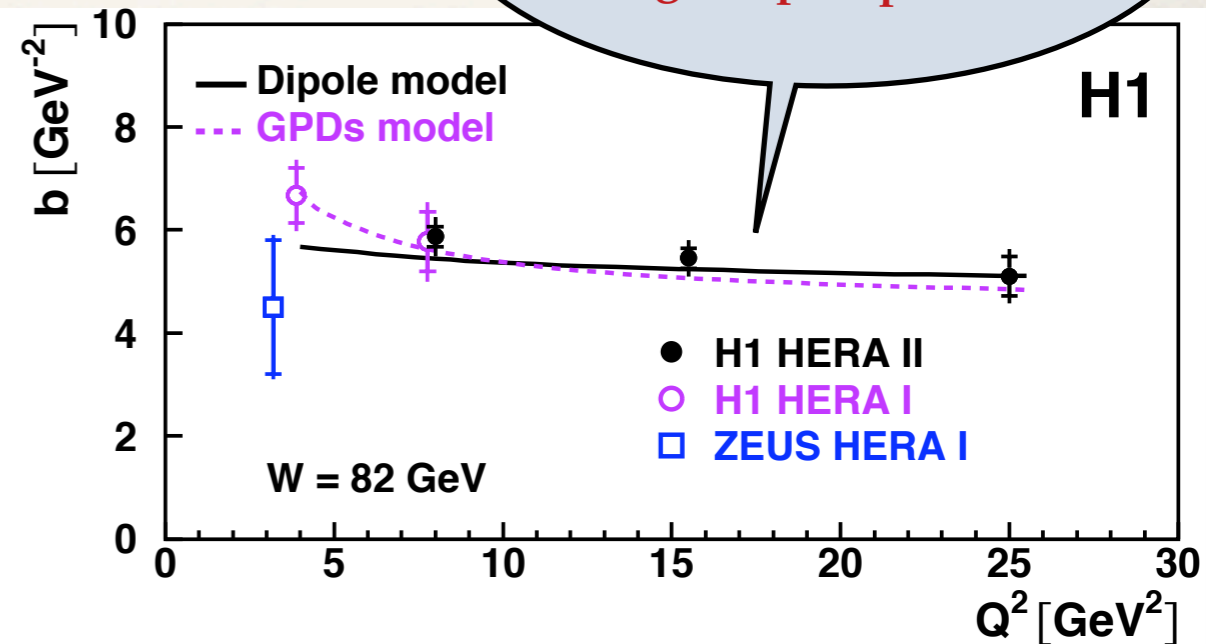


Steep
W-dependence:
 $\sigma(W) \propto W^\delta$
with $\delta \approx 0.7$

DVCS is hard
process, gluons
resolved!

Description of transverse
extension of partons in the
proton!
 $\sqrt{\langle r_T^2 \rangle} = (0.65 \pm 0.02) \text{ fm} @ x_B = 10^{-3}$

Ansatz:
 $d\sigma/dt \propto \exp(-b|t|)$
t-slope:
average impact parameter



Global analysis of DVCS data

● **Kresimir Kumericki & Dieter Müller**

arXiv:0904.0458 [hep-ph]

- Global fit to extract GPD H at cross-over line $\xi=x$
- HERMES A_C , CLAS A_{LU} and Hall A x -section
- Small- x behavior from HERA collider data

● **Herve Moutarde** PRD 79, 094021 (2009)

- Global fit to extract $\text{Re}(\mathcal{H})$ & $\text{Im}(\mathcal{H})$
- Hall A x -section & CLAS A_{LU}
- Small systematic uncertainties.

See next to next talk by Herve Moutarde

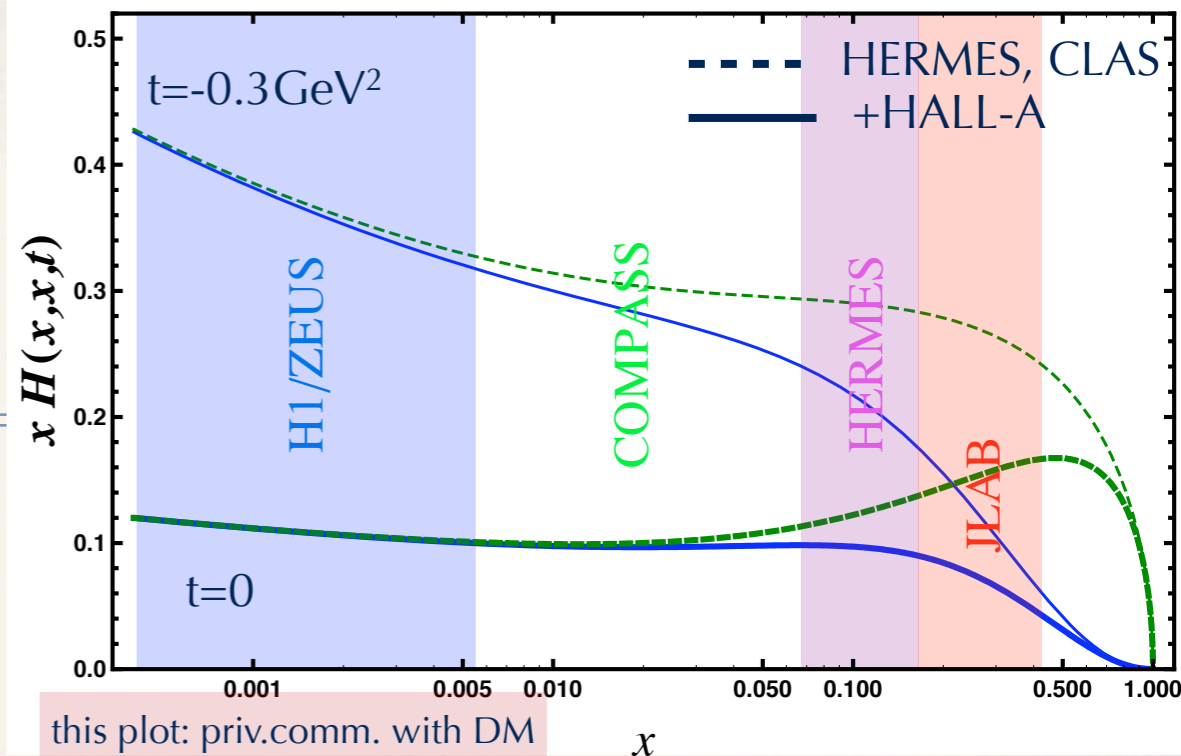
● **Michel Guidal & Herve Moutarde** EPJ A42, 71-78 (2009)

- Model independent fit with $\text{Re}(\text{CFF})$ & $\text{Im}(\text{CFF})$ as \approx free parameters

● HERMES A_C, A_{LU}, A_{UT} : 17 indep. observables

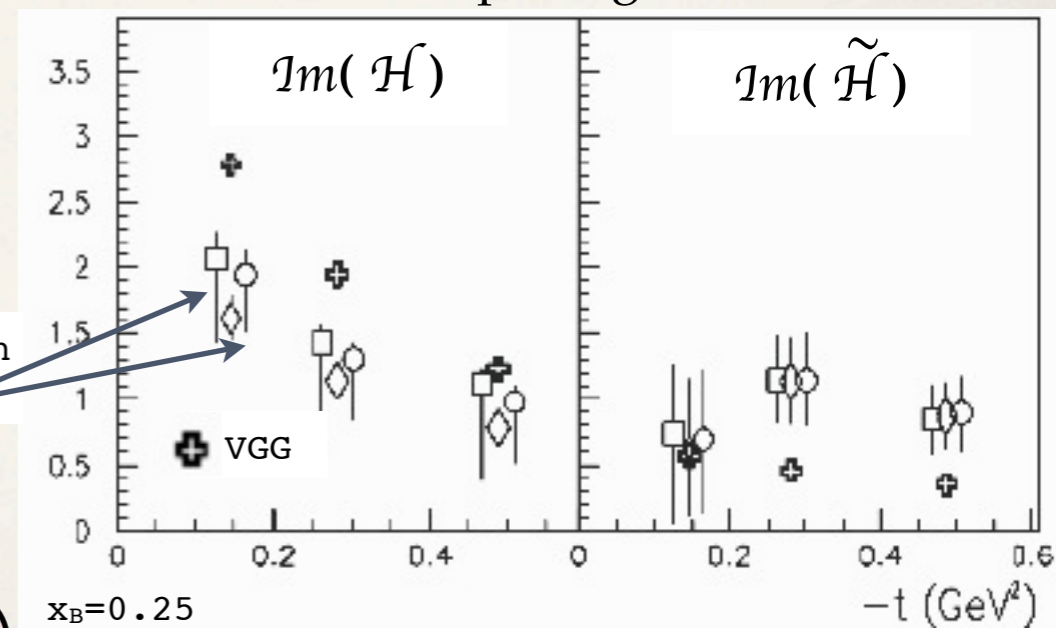
Desirable:
 1.) More observables sensitive to different CFFs
 2.) Measured at same average kinematics

Global fit to $H(x, \xi=x, t)$ from DVCS data



● **Michel Guidal** PLB 689 (2010) 156

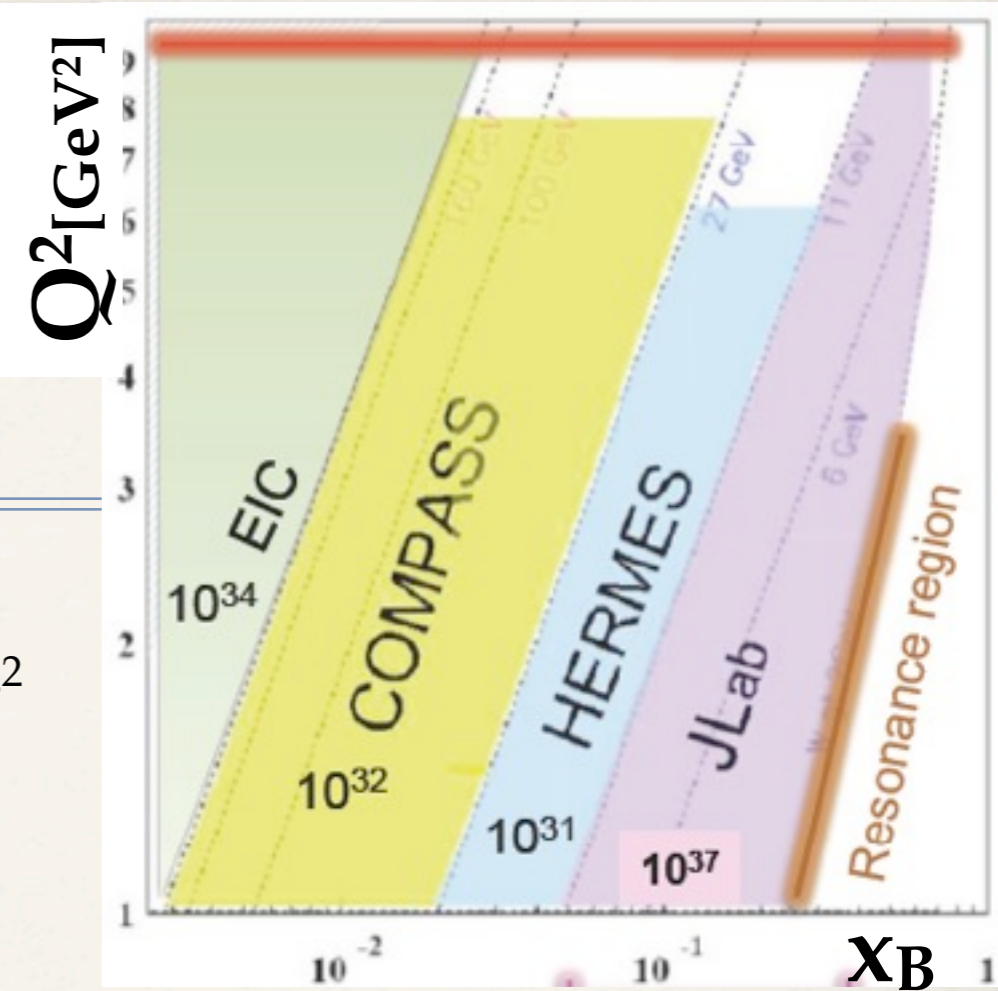
- CLAS A_{LU} & A_{UL} (\leftarrow important for convergence)
- Price for model-indep.: large uncertainties



● **M. Guidal** arXiv:1005.4922, HERMES A_{UL} & A_{LL}

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The Future of DVCS



JLab

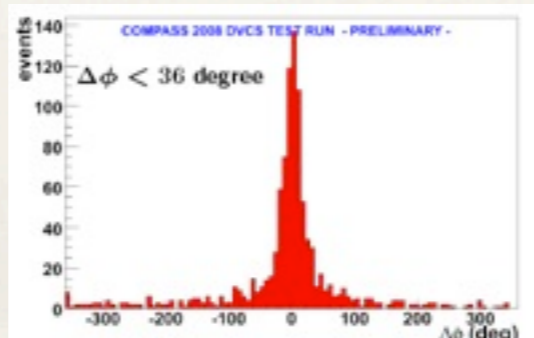
- Hall A (E07-007 @6GeV, fall 2010): Interference-DVCS² separation and Q² dependence of total cross-section
- CLAS: transversely polarized HD-Ice target (2012)
- JLab 12 GeV upgrade: Q²_{max} = 13...14 GeV², e⁺ beam

See talk by Robert McKeown (Friday plenary)

COMPASS

- 2008-09: 'DVCS test runs', small Recoil
- 2012-15: GPD H, large Recoil beam-charge and -spin asys + x-section
- 2015+ (?): GPD E, trans. pol. target

See next talk by Etienne Burtin



Future Electron-Ion Collider

ELIC @ JLab or eRHIC @ BNL:
 $\sqrt{s} = 20-70 \text{ GeV}$ (HERMES: 7 GeV)
 ENC @ GSI: $\sqrt{s} = 40 \text{ GeV}, \dots$

Global analysis

Summary:

Deeply Virtual Compton Scattering

- DVCS is an interesting and clean signal
 - Access to GPDs & total angular momentum of quarks
 - Key role in understanding of strong interaction dynamics in DIS
- Measurements at different existing and future facilities complement each other in observables and phase space covered
- First global analyses started

Backup

HERMES A_{UL} & A_{LL} DVCS amplitudes

- Proton target polarization (\rightarrow): $\approx 80\%$
- HERA e+ beam polarization (\rightarrow): $\approx 50\%$
- Integrated luminosity: $\approx 50\text{pb}^{-1}$

VGG

Target spin asymmetry

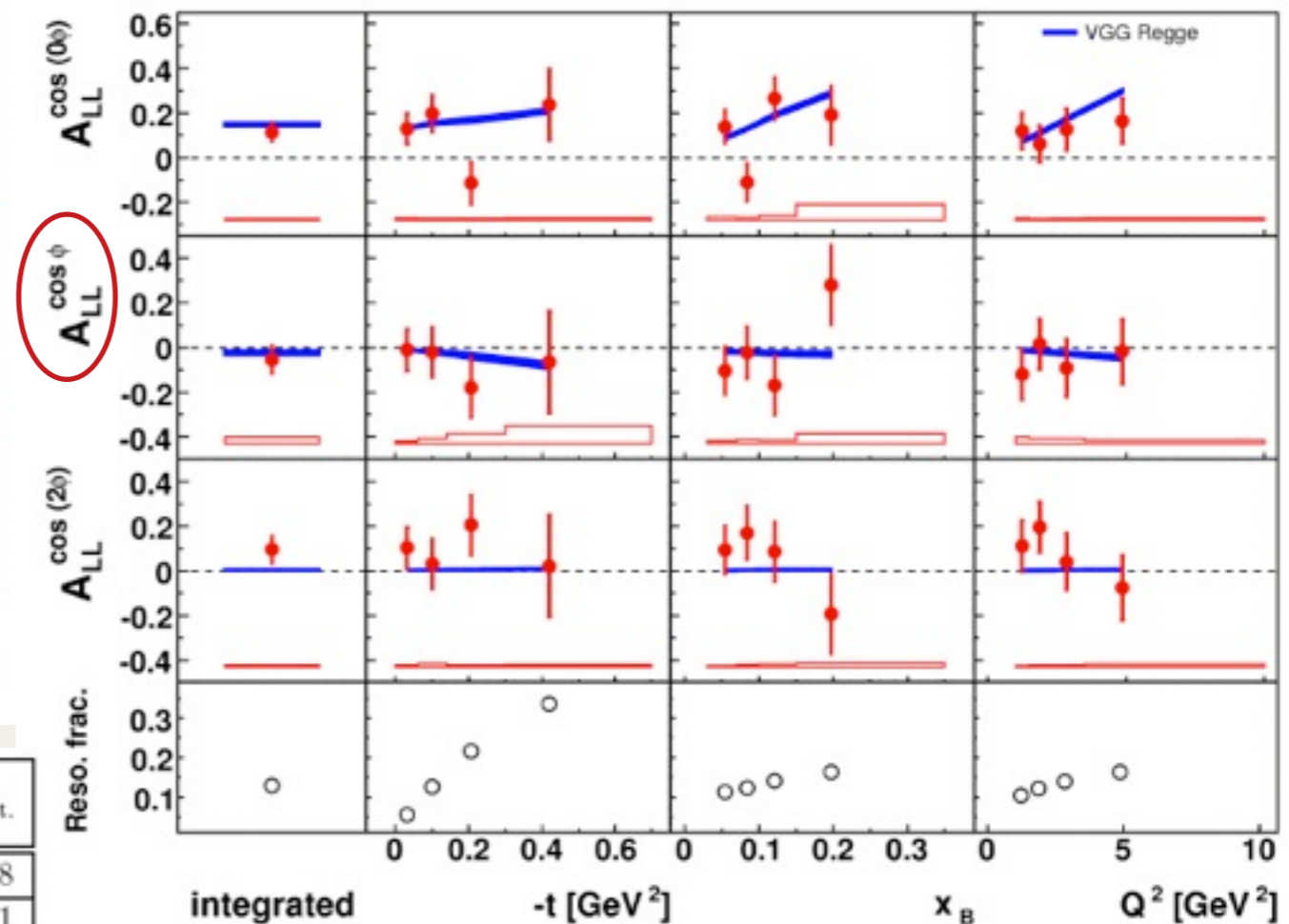
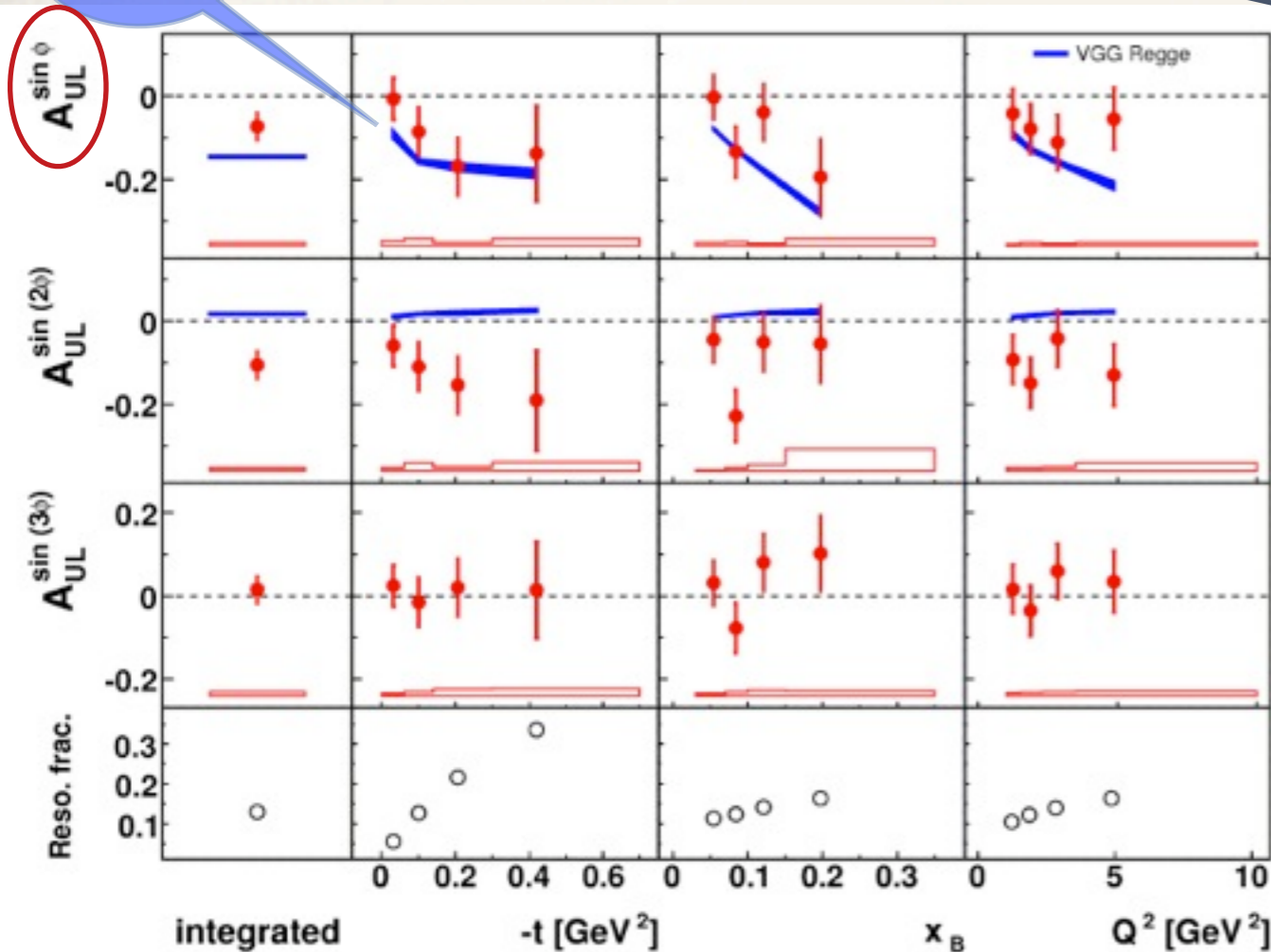
Sensitive to

$$\text{Im } \tilde{H} / \text{Re } \tilde{H}$$

HERMES arXiv:1004.0177,
accepted by JHEP (2010)

First
measurement!

Double spin asymmetry



Experiment	$\langle -t \rangle$ [GeV ²]	$\langle x_B \rangle$ -	$\langle Q^2 \rangle$ [GeV ²]	$A_{UL}^{\sin\phi} \pm \delta_{\text{stat.}} \pm \delta_{\text{syst.}}$	$A_{UL}^{\sin(2\phi)} \pm \delta_{\text{stat.}} \pm \delta_{\text{syst.}}$
HERMES	0.12	0.10	2.46	$-0.073 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.007$	$-0.106 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.008$
CLAS	0.31	0.28	1.82	$-0.252 \pm 0.042 \pm 0.020$	$-0.022 \pm 0.045 \pm 0.021$