

$N^*(1535)$ electroproduction at high Q^2

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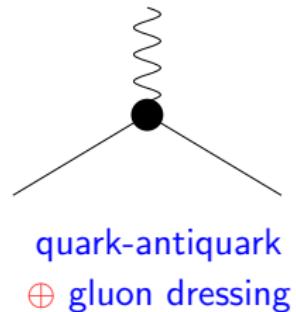
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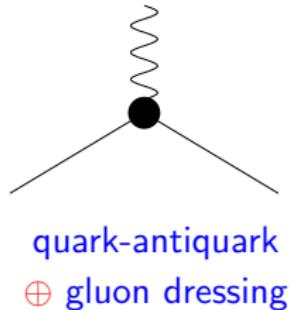
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- Vector meson dominance parameterization:

$$\text{Feynman diagram} = \text{tree level} + \text{loop with } m_v^2 + \text{loop with } M_h^2 Q^2$$

$$f_{1\pm} = \lambda_q + (1 - \lambda_q) \frac{m_v^2}{m_v^2 + Q^2} + c_\pm \frac{M_h^2 Q^2}{(M_h^2 + Q^2)^2}$$

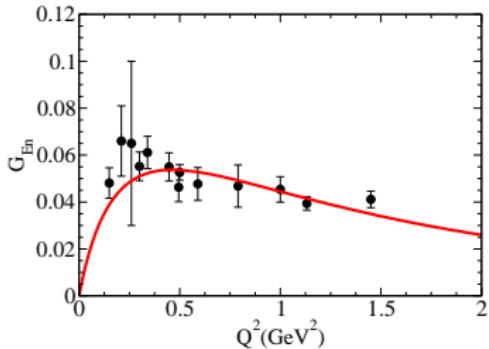
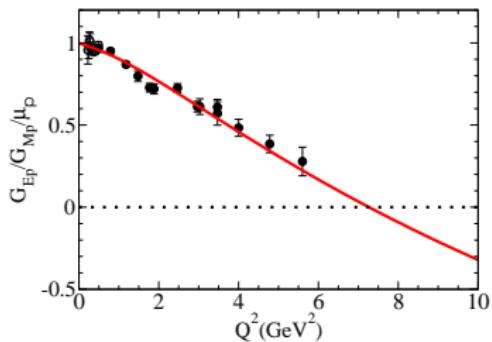
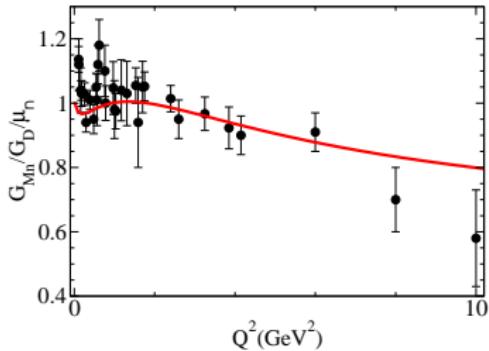
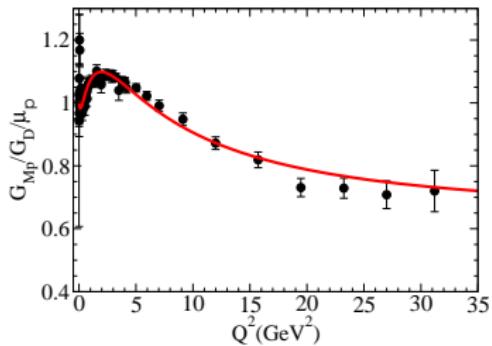
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2 poles: $m_v = m_\rho$ and $M_h = 2M_N$; $\kappa_\pm \Leftarrow$ nucleon mag. mom.

5 parameters to be determined: λ_q ,

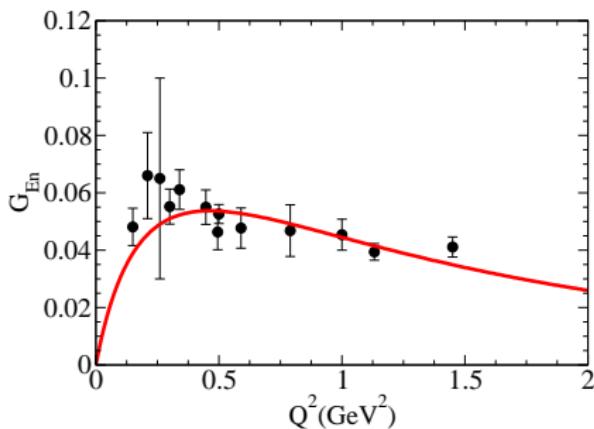
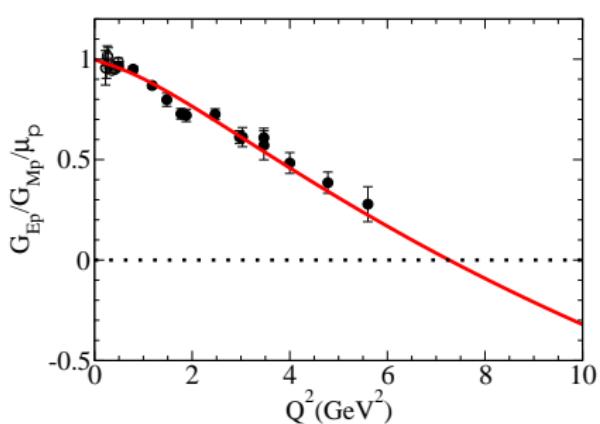
mixture coefficients c_\pm and d_\pm with $d_+ = d_-$ [4 parameters]

Results: Nucleon form factors (I)



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F Gross, GR and MT Peña, PRC 77, 015202 (2008) – model II

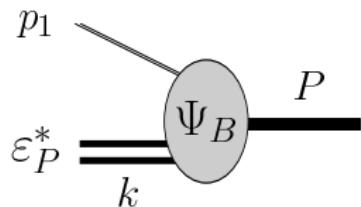


Quark current fixed [4 parameters]
Adjust 2 parameters in the nucleon wave function
No pion cloud (explicit) ... but VMD

Spectator quark model - Wave functions

- Wave functions: $B = \text{quark} \oplus \text{diquark}$

$$\Psi_B = \sum (\text{flavor}) \otimes (\text{spin}) \otimes (\text{orbital}) \otimes \overbrace{\psi_B(P, k)}^{\text{radial}}$$



Nucleon wave function: [PRC 77,015202 (2008)]

Simplest structure –**S-state** in quark-diquark system

$$\Psi_N(P, k) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [\Phi_I^0 \Phi_S^0 + \Phi_I^1 \Phi_S^1] \psi_N(P, k)$$

S11 wave function:

$$\Psi_{S11}(P, k) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \gamma_5 [\Phi_I^0 X_\rho - \Phi_I^1 X_\lambda] \psi_{S11}(P, k)$$

Ψ_N, Ψ_{S11} covariant; ψ_N, ψ_{S11} scalar wave function

$\Phi_I^{0,1}$ isospin; $\Phi_S^{0,1}, X_{\rho,\lambda}$ spin – combination of **quark states**
 $\Rightarrow \Psi_B$ written in terms of **baryon** properties

Spectator quark model – S11 wave function

$SU(6) \otimes O(3)$ QM:

$$|N^*(1535)\rangle = \cos \theta \underbrace{|N^2 P_{1/2}\rangle}_{S=1/2} - \sin \theta \underbrace{|N^4 P_{1/2}\rangle}_{S=3/2}$$

Approximations:

- No mixture between states (pure $S = 1/2$ state)
- Pointlike diquark

$$k_\rho = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(k_1 - k_2) \rightarrow 0$$

No diquark internal P-states

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$k_{\lambda 0, \pm}$ spherical components of k_λ , $N = 1/\sqrt{\mathbf{k}^2}$

$$X_\rho(+) = +N \left\{ k_{\lambda 0} |+\rangle_\rho - \sqrt{2} k_{\lambda+} |-\rangle_\rho \right\}$$

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Relativistic generalization: ϵ_λ^α , \tilde{k}

Diquark polarization vector: ϵ_λ^α ($\lambda = 0, \pm$) [Fixed-Axis base]

4-momentum $\tilde{k} = k - \frac{P \cdot k}{M_S^2} P$ [diquark 3-momentum in rest frame]

$$X_\rho(+) = -N \left[(\tilde{k} \cdot \epsilon_0) u_S(+) - \sqrt{2} (\tilde{k} \cdot \epsilon_+) u_S(-) \right]$$

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$$N \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{-\tilde{k}^2}} \quad U_S^\alpha(P, \pm) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \gamma_5 \left(\gamma^\alpha - \frac{P^\alpha}{M_S} \right) u(P, \pm) \quad [1 \oplus \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}]$$

Spectator quark model – Scalar wave functions

Scalar wave functions dependent of $(P - k)^2 = (\text{quark momentum})^2$

$$\chi_B = \frac{(M_B - m_D)^2 - (P - k)^2}{M_B m_D},$$

M_B = baryon mass; m_D = diquark mass

$$\begin{aligned}\psi_N(P, k) &= N_0 \frac{1}{m_D(\beta_1 + \chi_N)(\beta_2 + \chi_N)} \\ \psi_{S11}(P, k) &= N_S \frac{1}{m_D(\beta_1 + \chi_{S11})(\beta_2 + \chi_{S11})}\end{aligned}$$

β_1 and β_2 : momentum range parameters

Same form for Nucleon and S11

No adjustable parameters

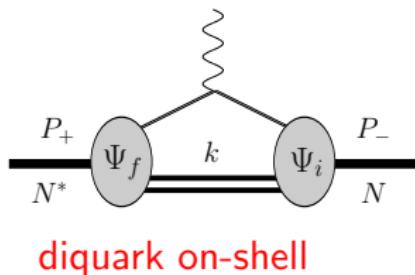
Spectator quark model –Electromagnetic transition current

Quark current j_I^μ \oplus Baryon wave function $\Psi_B \Rightarrow J^\mu$

- Spectator formalism: relativistic impulse approximation

$$J^\mu = 3 \sum_\lambda \int_k \bar{\Psi}_f(P_+, k) j_I^\mu \Psi_i(P_-, k)$$

Franz Gross: PR186, 1448 (1969);
F Gross et al PRC 45, 2094 (1992)



$$J^\mu = \bar{u}_{S11}(P_+) \left\{ \left(\gamma^\mu - \frac{q^\mu}{q^2} \right) F_1^*(Q^2) + \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{M_S + M} F_2^*(Q^2) \right\} \gamma_5 u(P_-)$$

F_1^* , F_2^* : form factors

$$\begin{aligned} F_1^*(Q^2) &= +\frac{1}{2}(3j_1 + j_3)\mathcal{I}_0 \\ F_2^*(Q^2) &= -\frac{1}{2}(3j_2 - j_4)\frac{M_S + M}{2M}\mathcal{I}_0 \end{aligned}$$

Isospin coefficients – FG, GR and MTP, PRC 77, 015202 (2008)

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Overlap integral (S11 rest frame):

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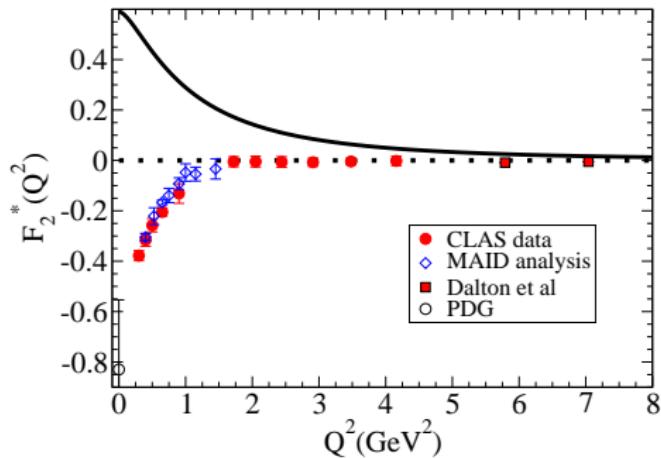
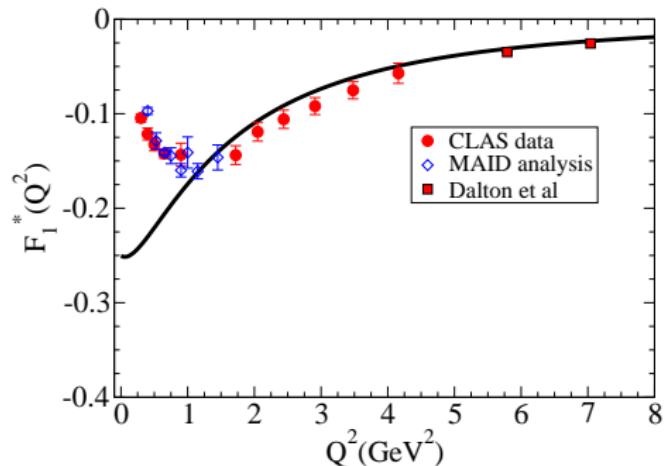
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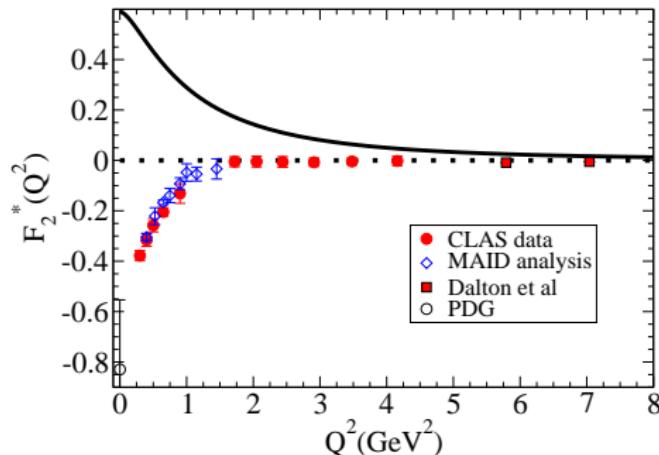
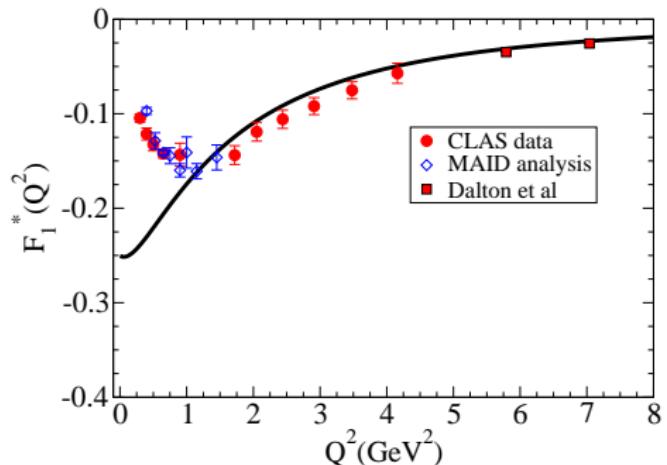
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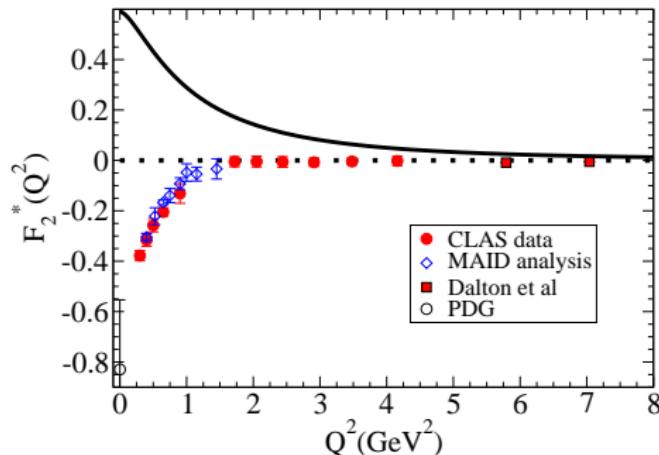
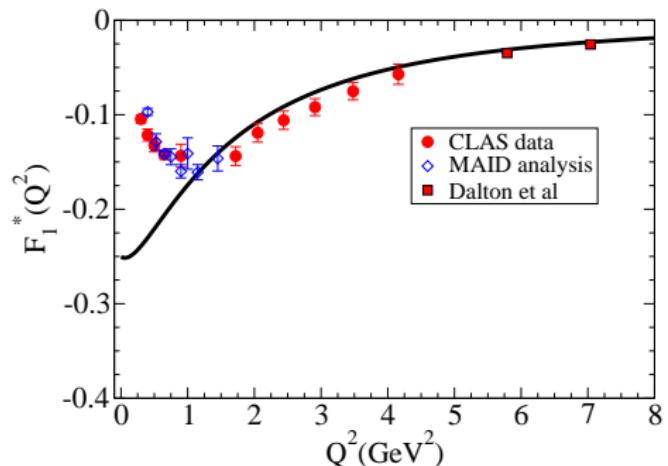
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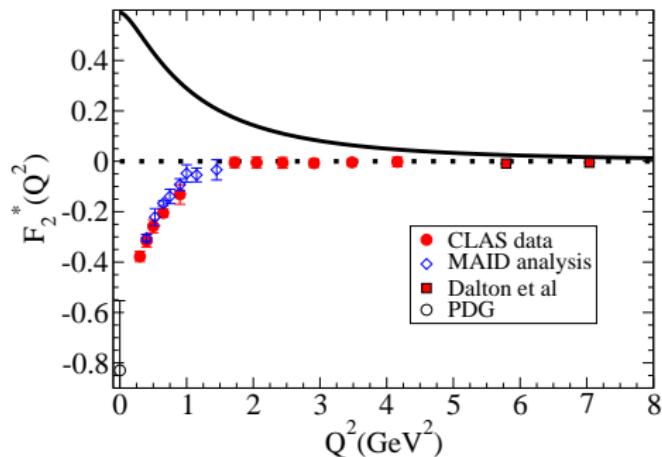
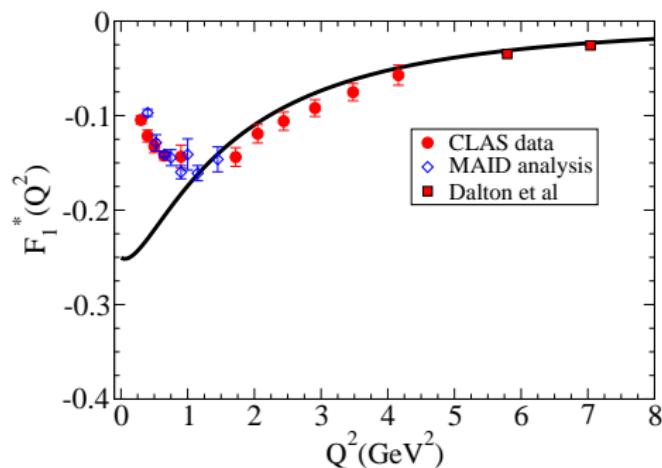
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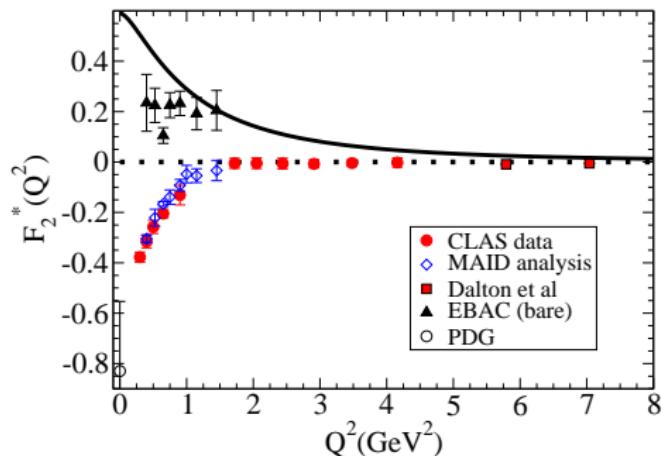
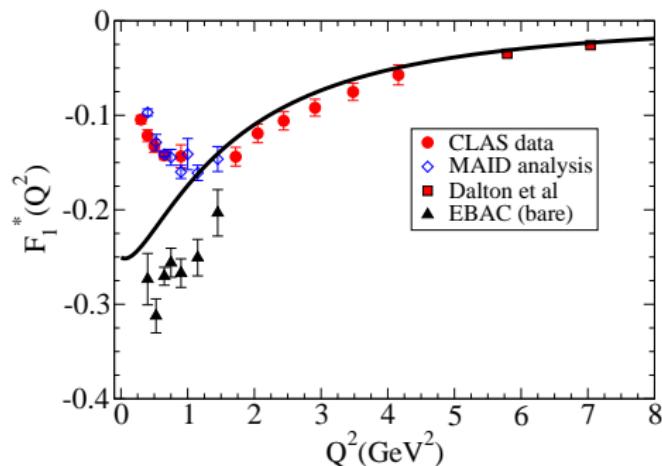
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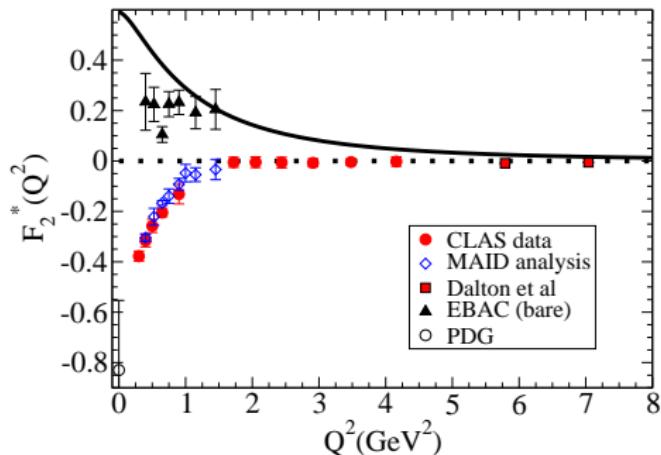
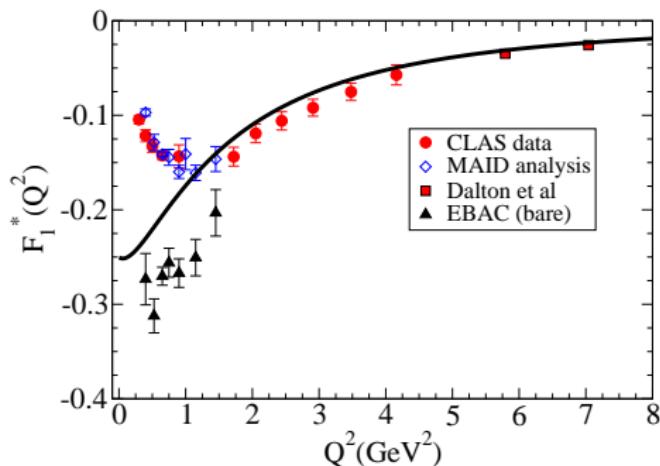
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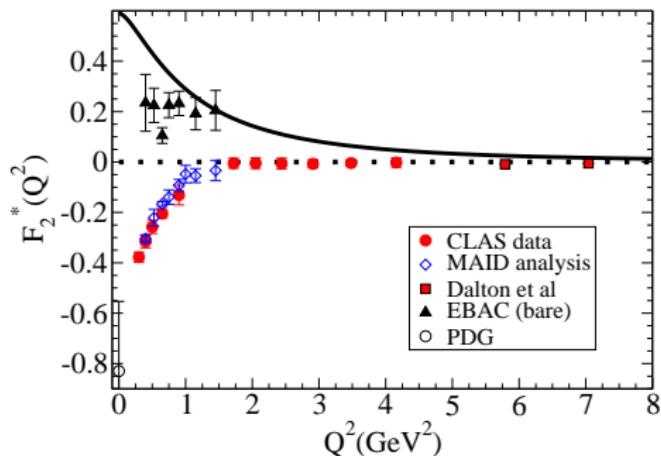
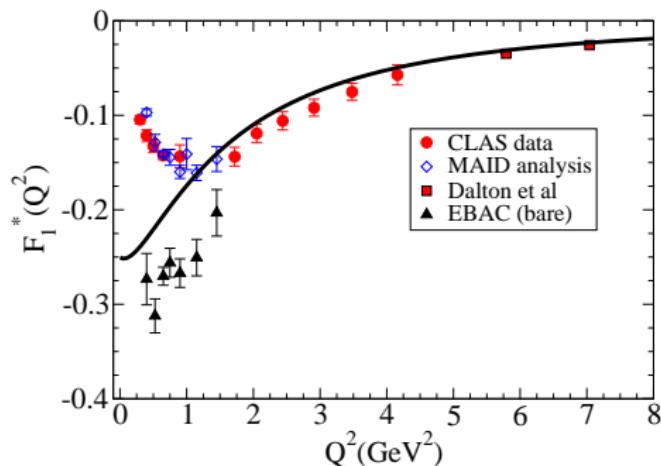
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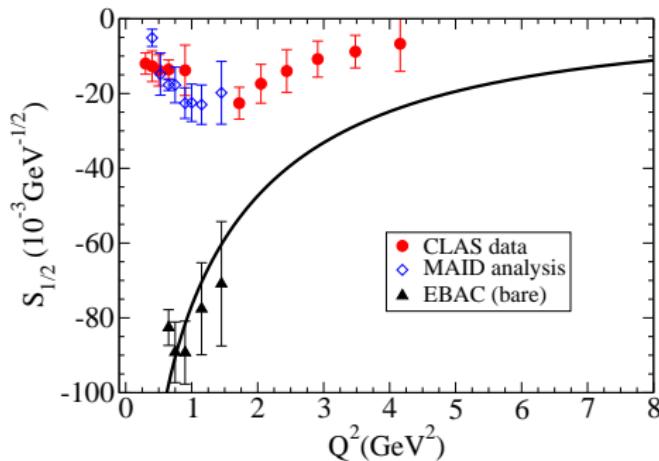
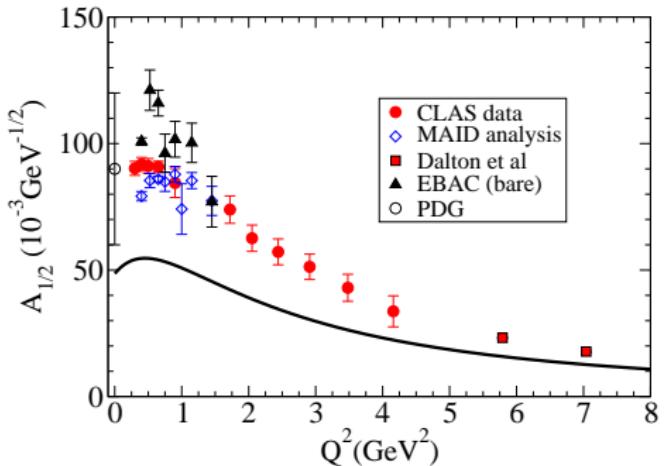
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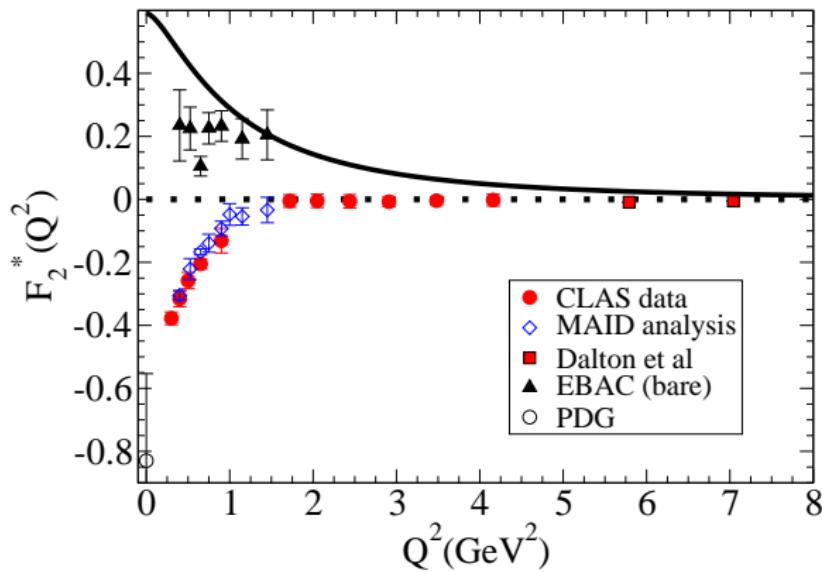
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$$A_{1/2} = -2b \left[F_1^* + \frac{M_S - M}{M_S + M} F_2^* \right], \quad S_{1/2} = \sqrt{2}b(M_S + M) \frac{|\mathbf{q}|}{Q^2} \left[\frac{M_S - M}{M_S + M} F_1^* - \tau F_2^* \right]$$

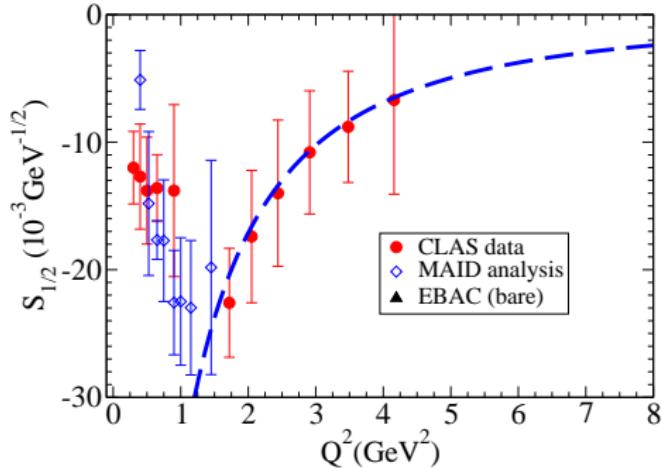
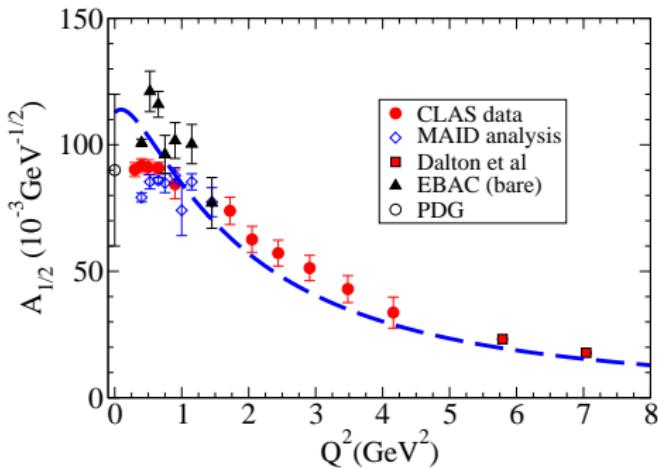
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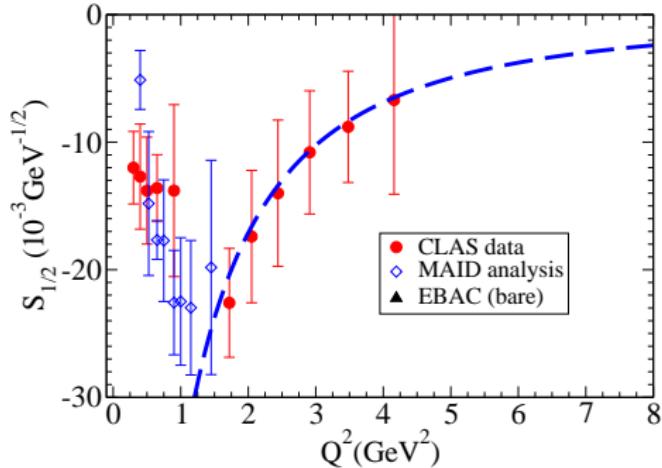
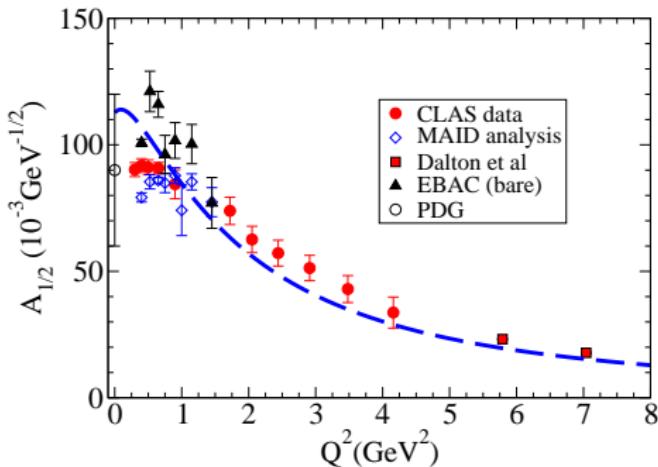
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 \Rightarrow Significant meson cloud

$\gamma N \rightarrow \Delta$: pion cloud dominates G_C^*, G_E^* PRD 80, 013008 (2010)

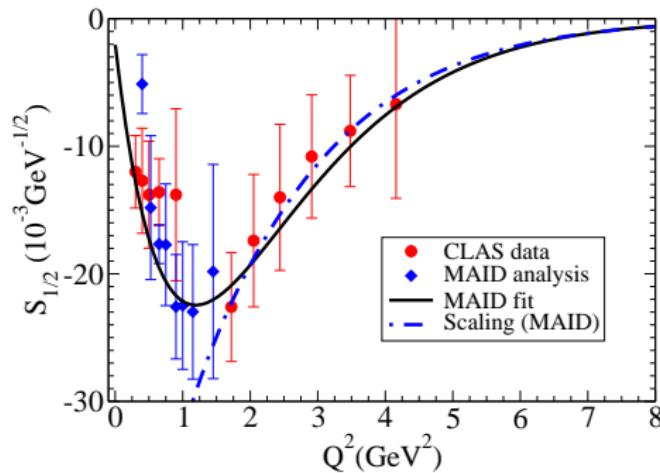
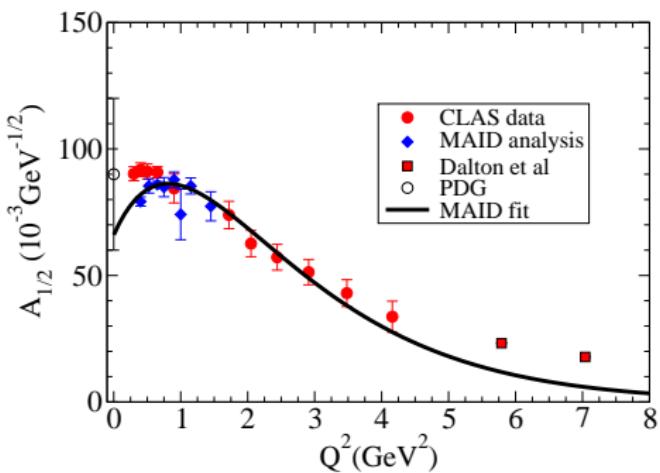
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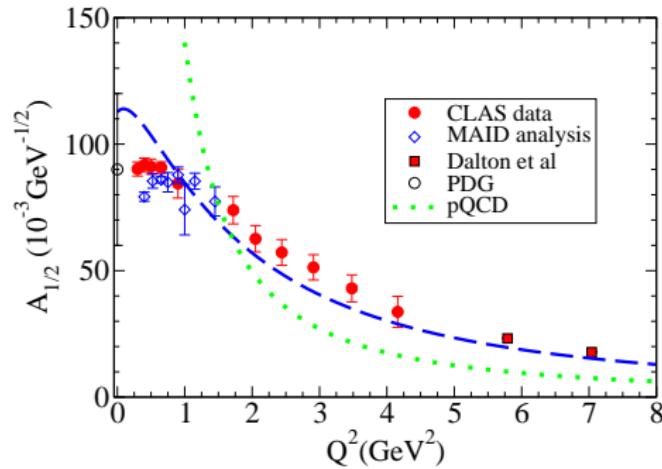
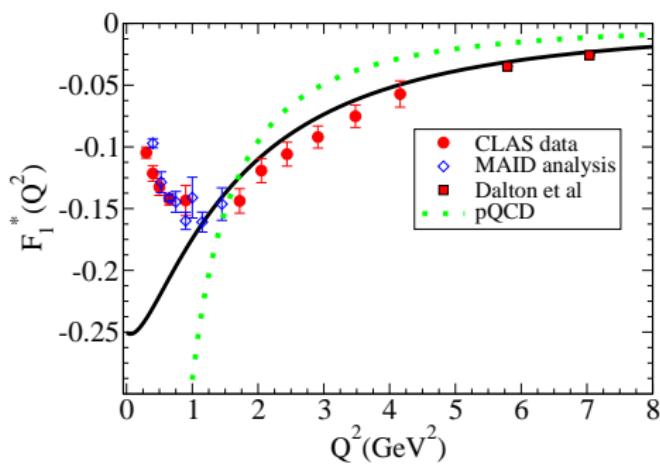
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Assymptotic behaviour [arXiv:1105:2223 [hep-ph]]



Comparing with pQCD, Carlson *et al.* PRL 81, 2646 (1998)
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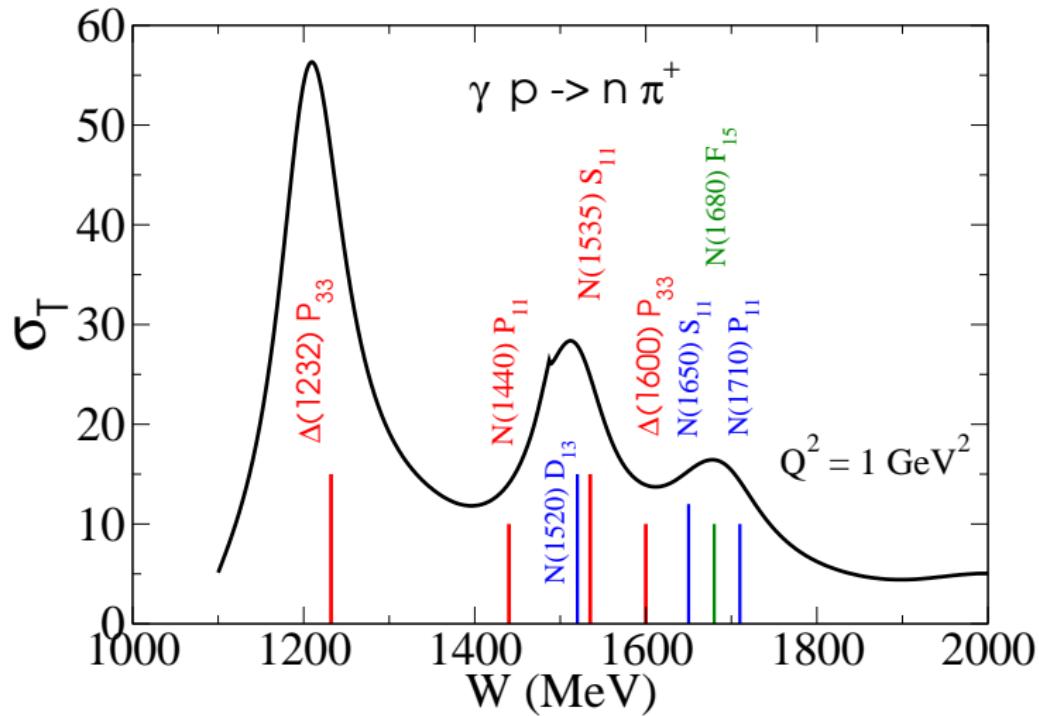
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