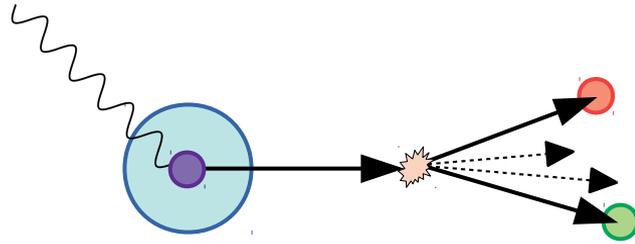


# Accessing Spin-Dependent Fragmentation with SIDIS Dihadron Beam Spin Asymmetries at CLAS12



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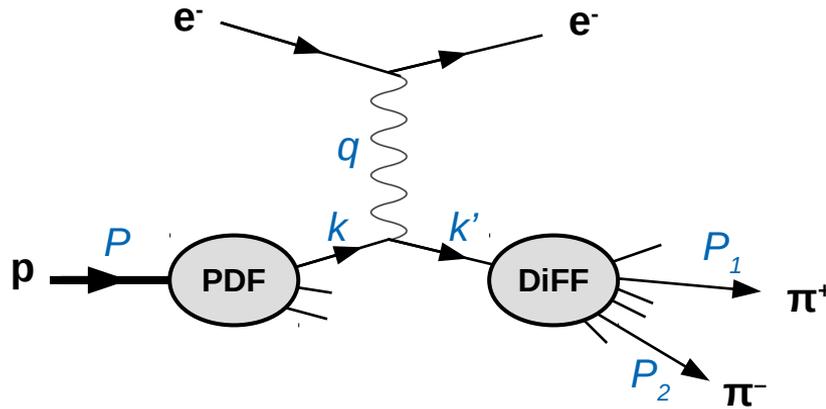


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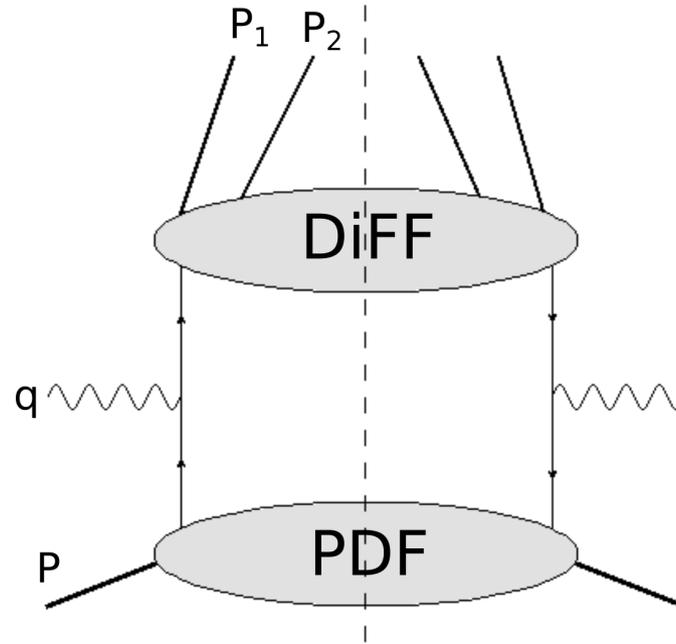


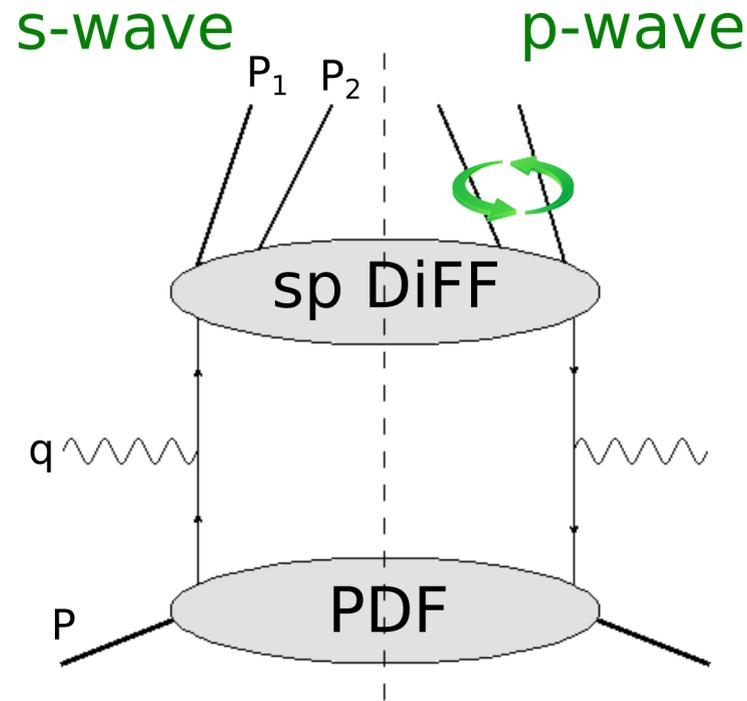
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$$A_{LU} = \frac{d\sigma_+ - d\sigma_-}{d\sigma_+ + d\sigma_-}$$

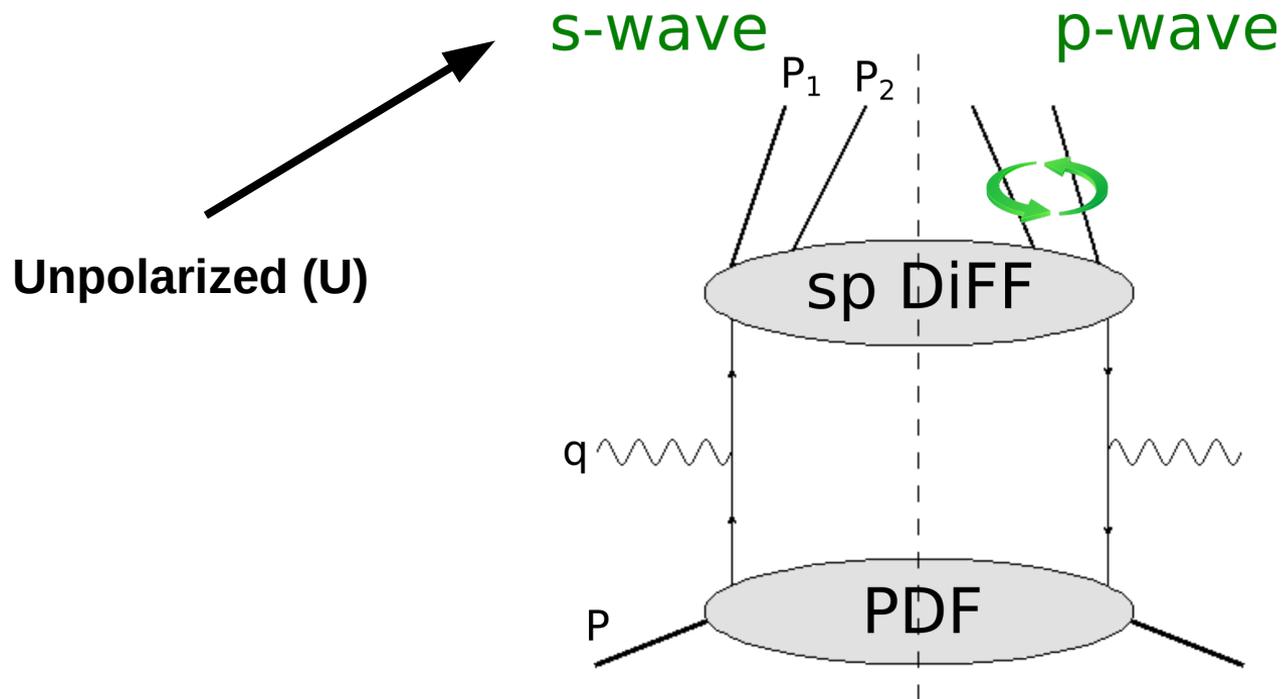
Sensitive to: PDF  $\otimes$  DiFF

- **Spin-momentum and spin-spin correlations in hadronization**
- **Complement single-hadron SIDIS, with the advantage of another degree of freedom**

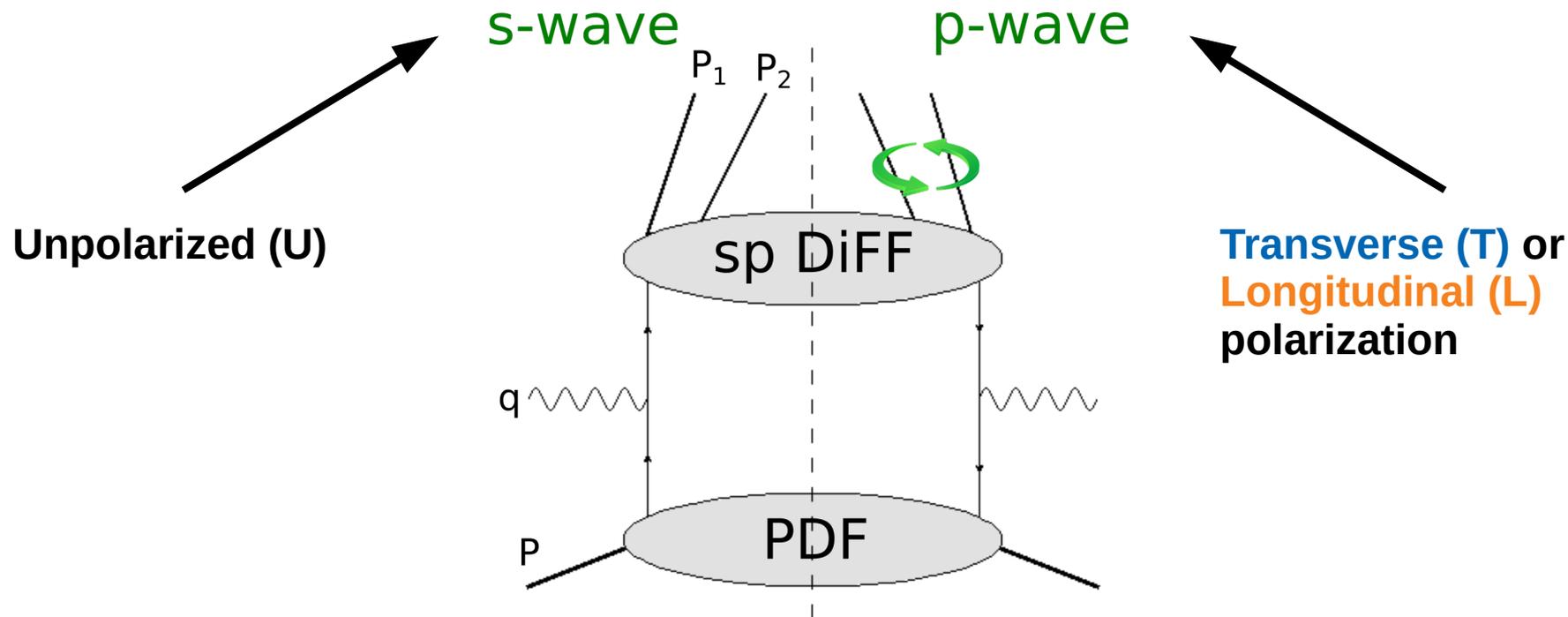




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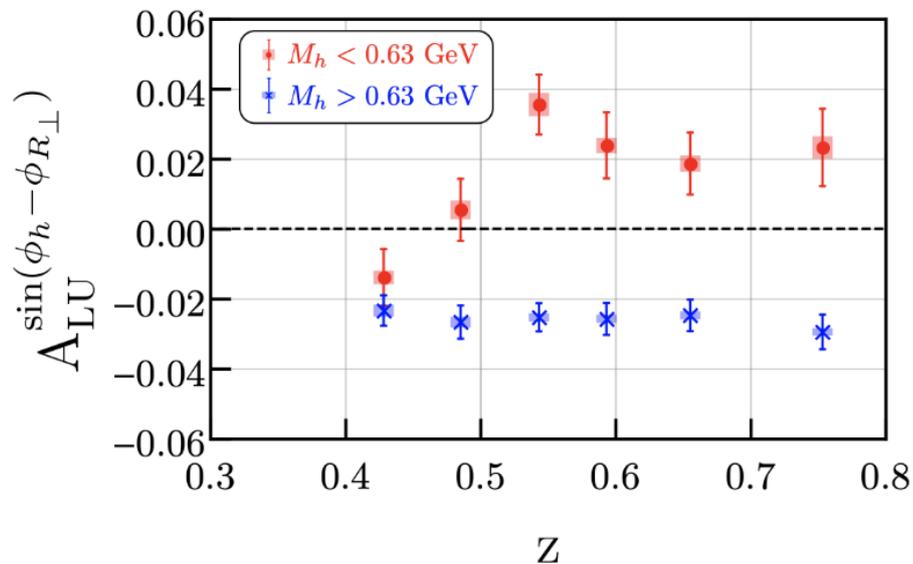
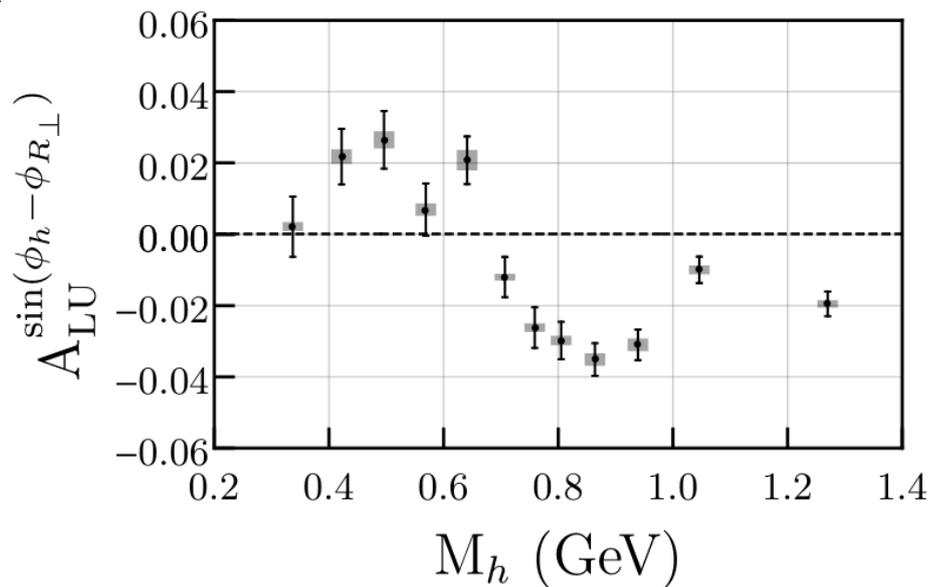
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The diagram shows the difference between two helicity states. The first state, labeled 'h1' and 'h2', has a blue arrow indicating a clockwise spin. The second state, also labeled 'h1' and 'h2', has a blue arrow indicating a counter-clockwise spin. The two states are subtracted to represent the helicity asymmetry.

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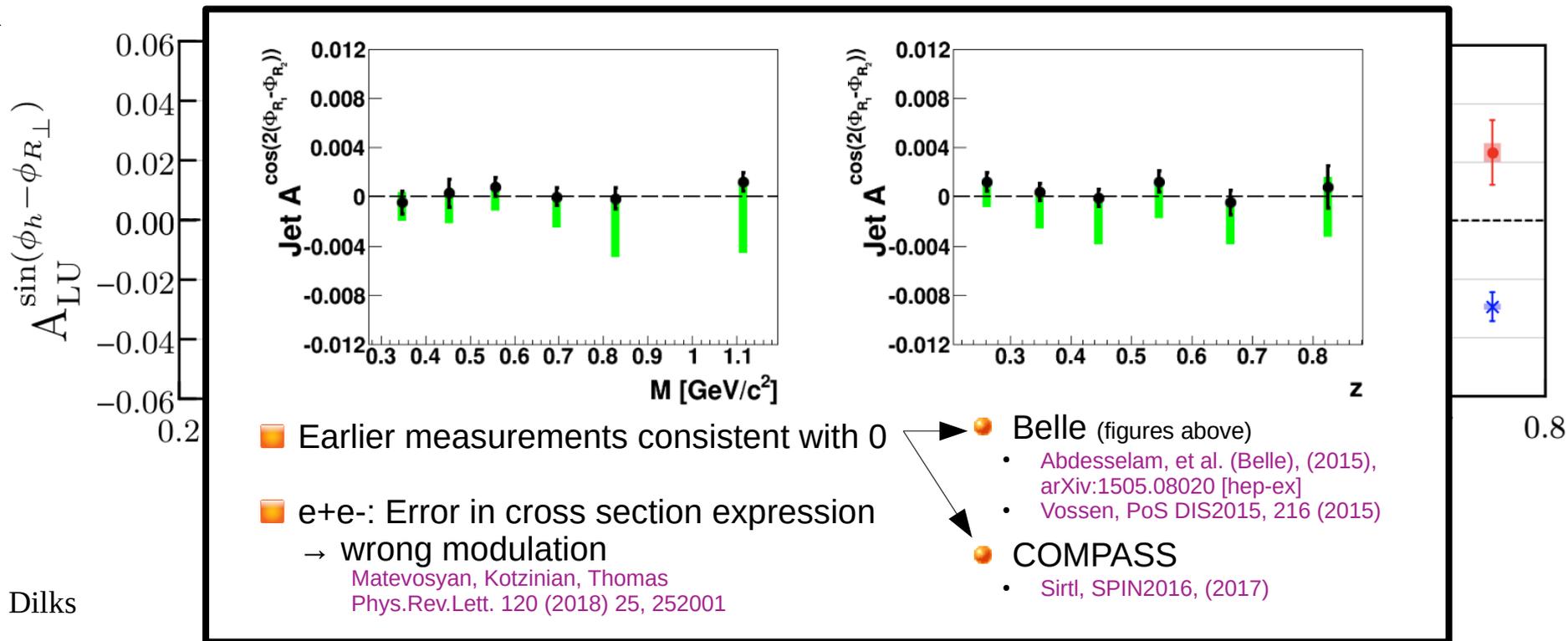
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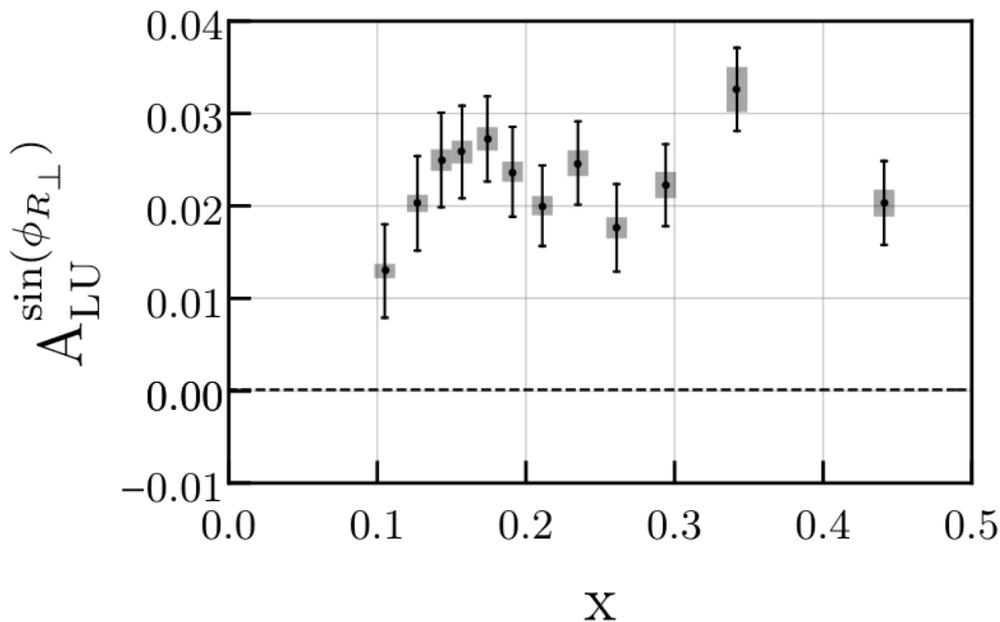
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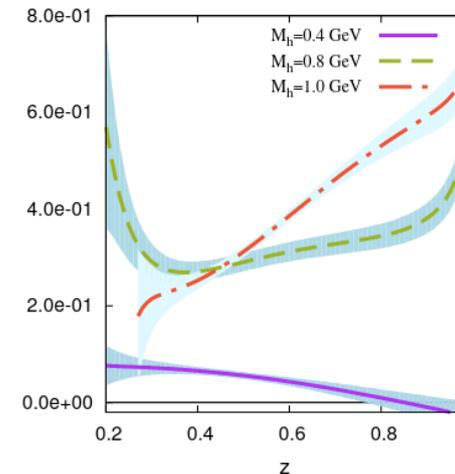
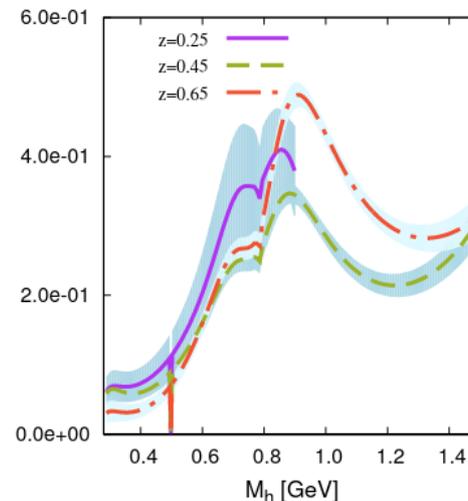
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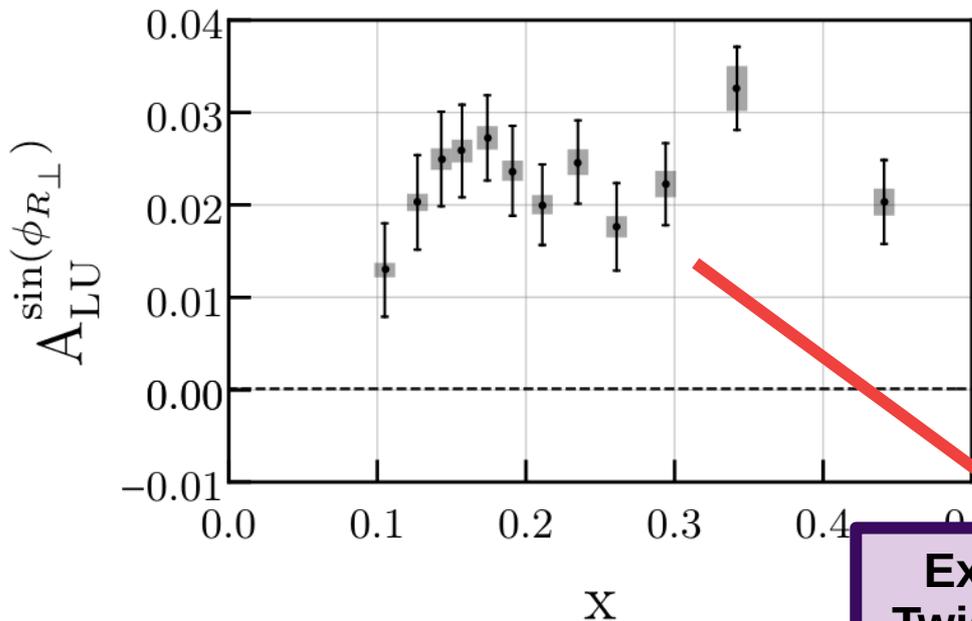
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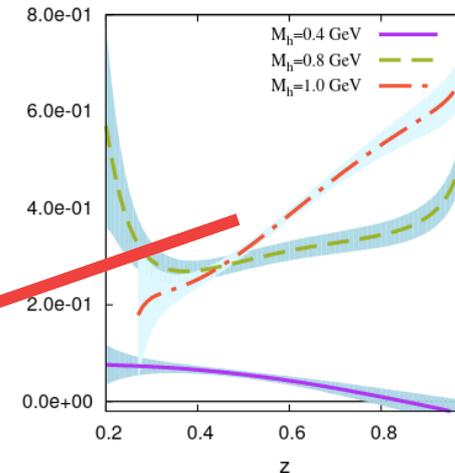
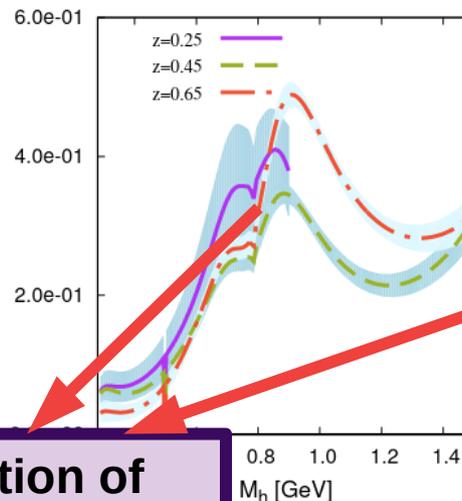
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**Extraction of Twist-3 PDF  $e(x)$**

Extractions from Belle Data

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## Quark Polarization

Dihadron  
Interference

$h_1 h_2 / q$	<b>U</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>
<b>U U</b>	$D_{1,OO}$		$H_{1,OO}^\perp$
<b>U L</b>	$D_{1,OL}$		$H_{1,OL}^\perp$
<b>L L</b>	$D_{1,LL}$		$H_{1,LL}^\perp$
<b>U T</b>	$D_{1,OT}$	$G_{1,OT}^\perp$	$\begin{cases} H_{1,OT}^\perp & \text{if } m < 0 \\ H_{1,OT}^\triangleleft & \text{if } m > 0 \end{cases}$
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# Dihadron Fragmentation Functions

## Quark Polarization

Dihadron Interference

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Twist 2  $A_{LU}$

Twist 3  $A_{LU}$

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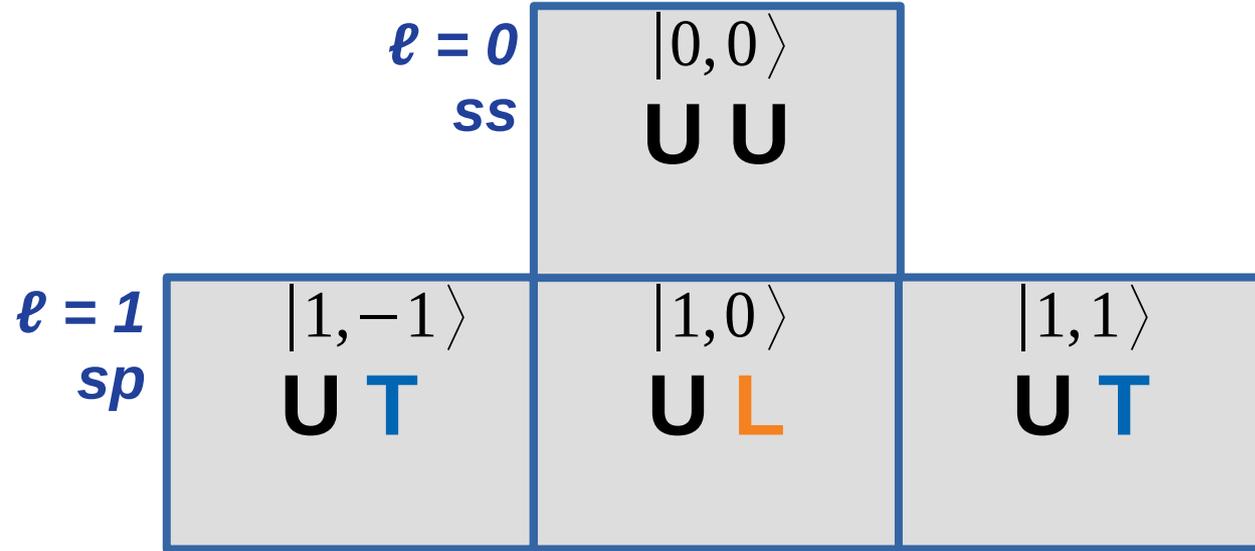
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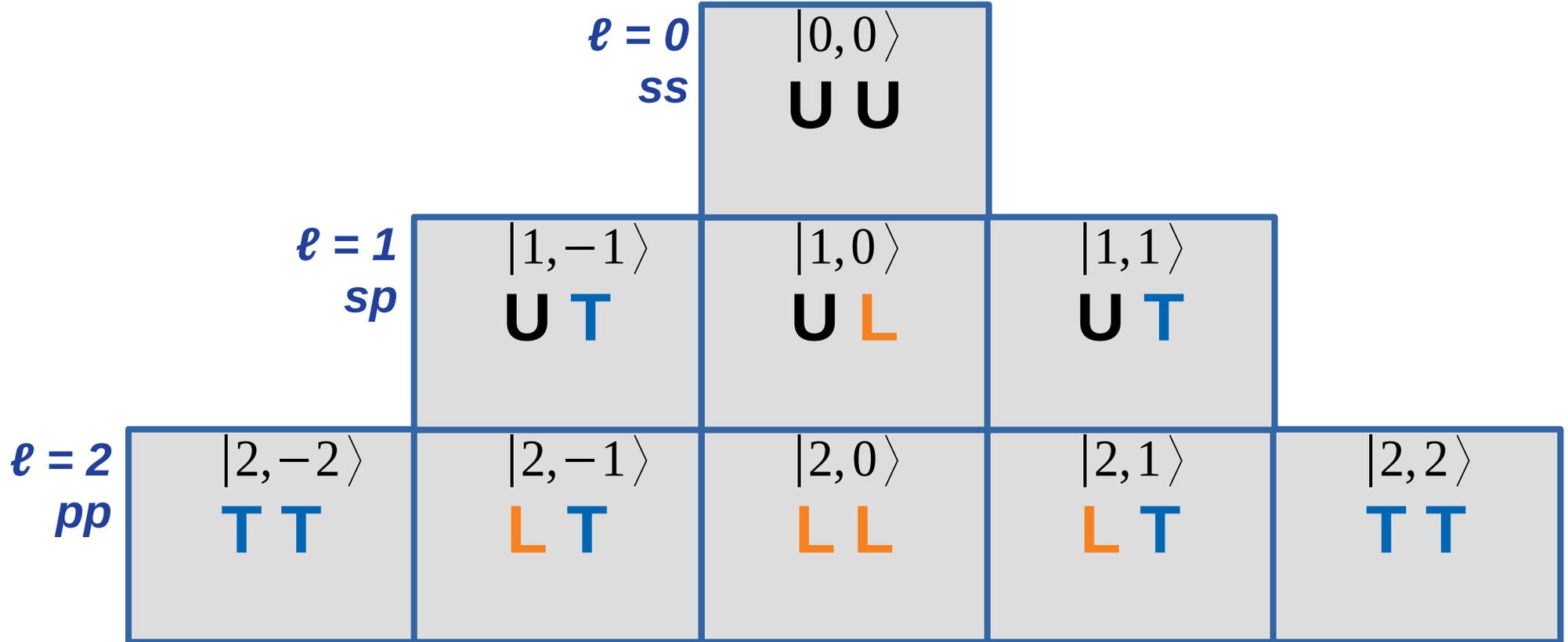
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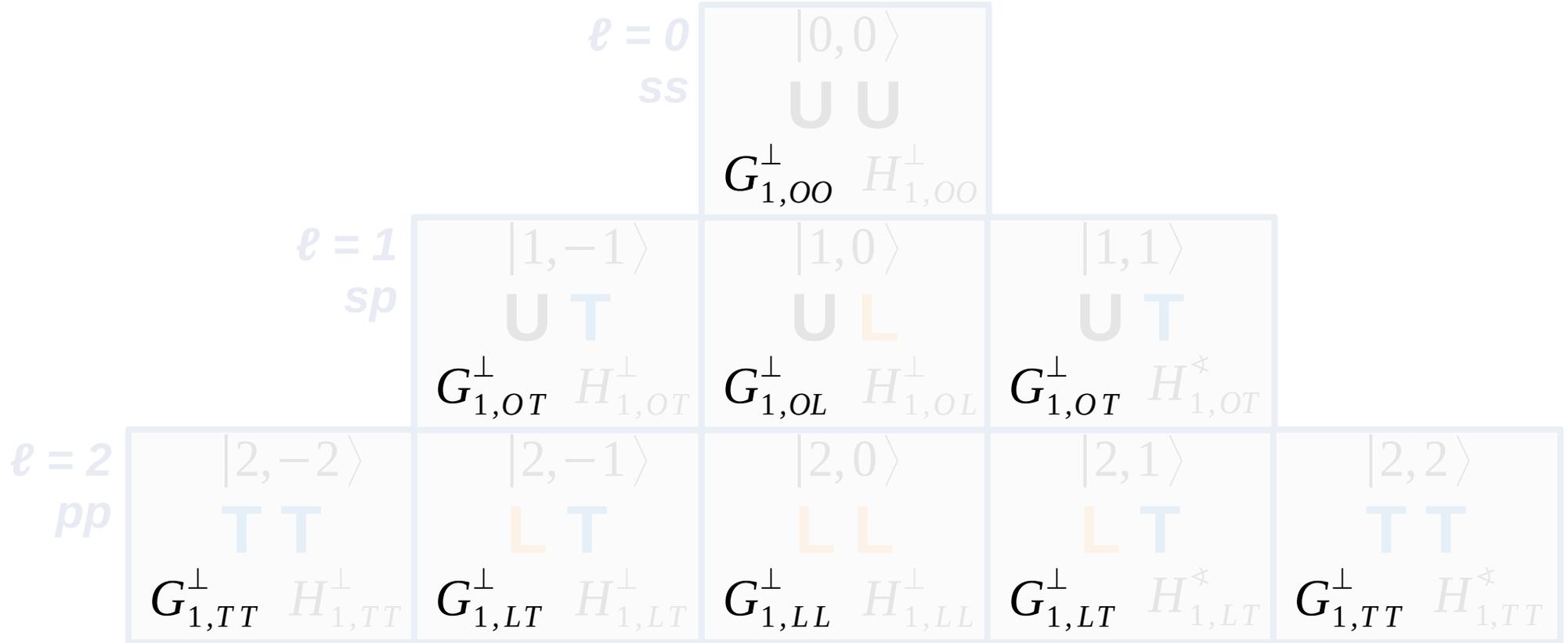
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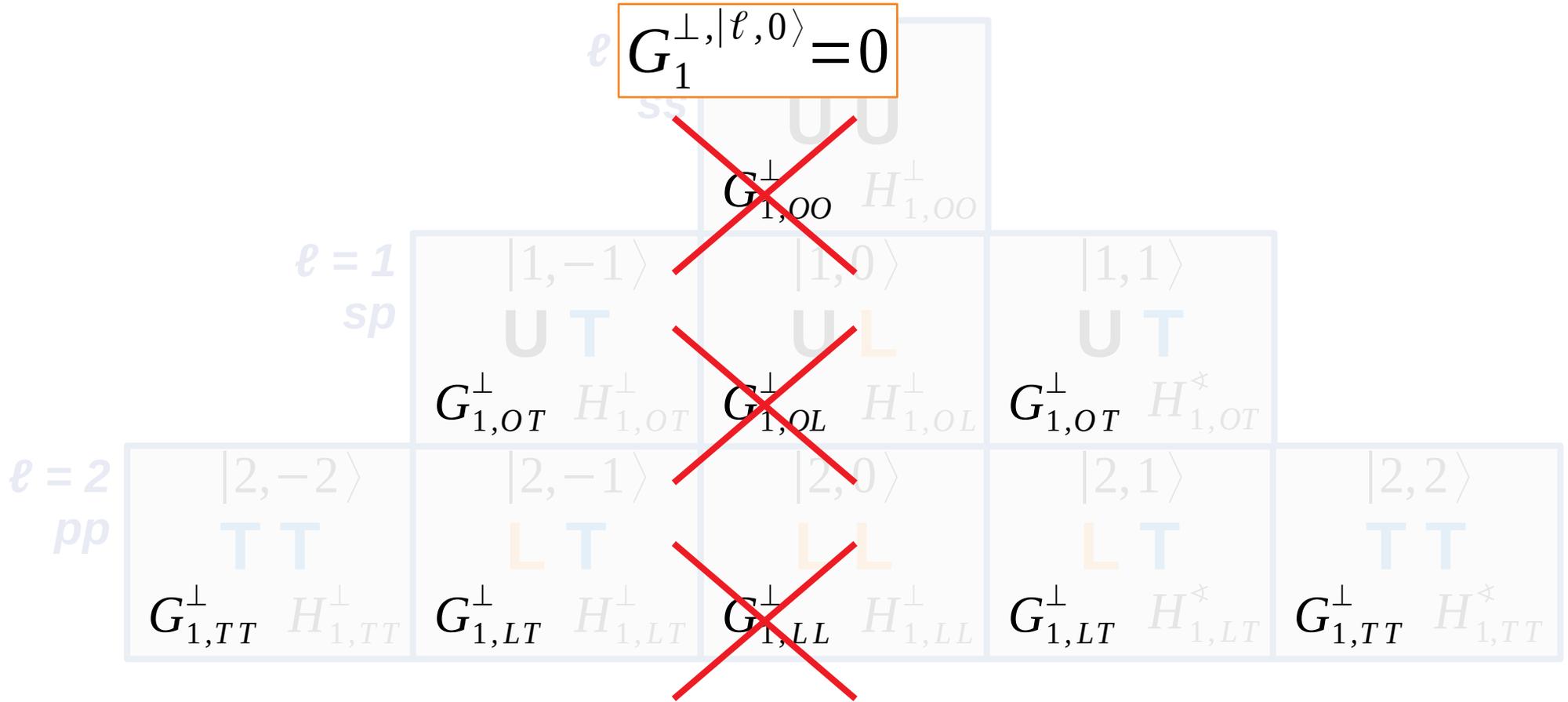
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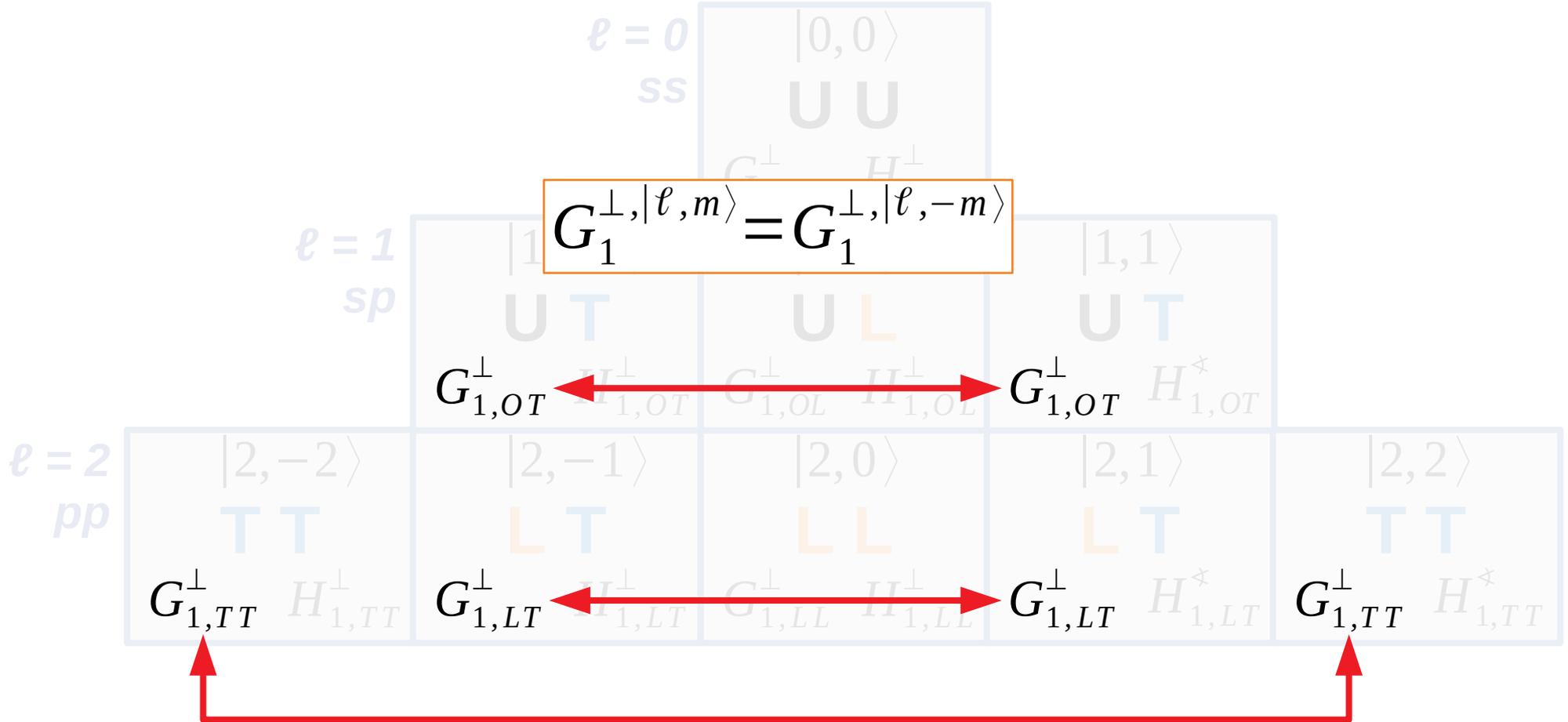


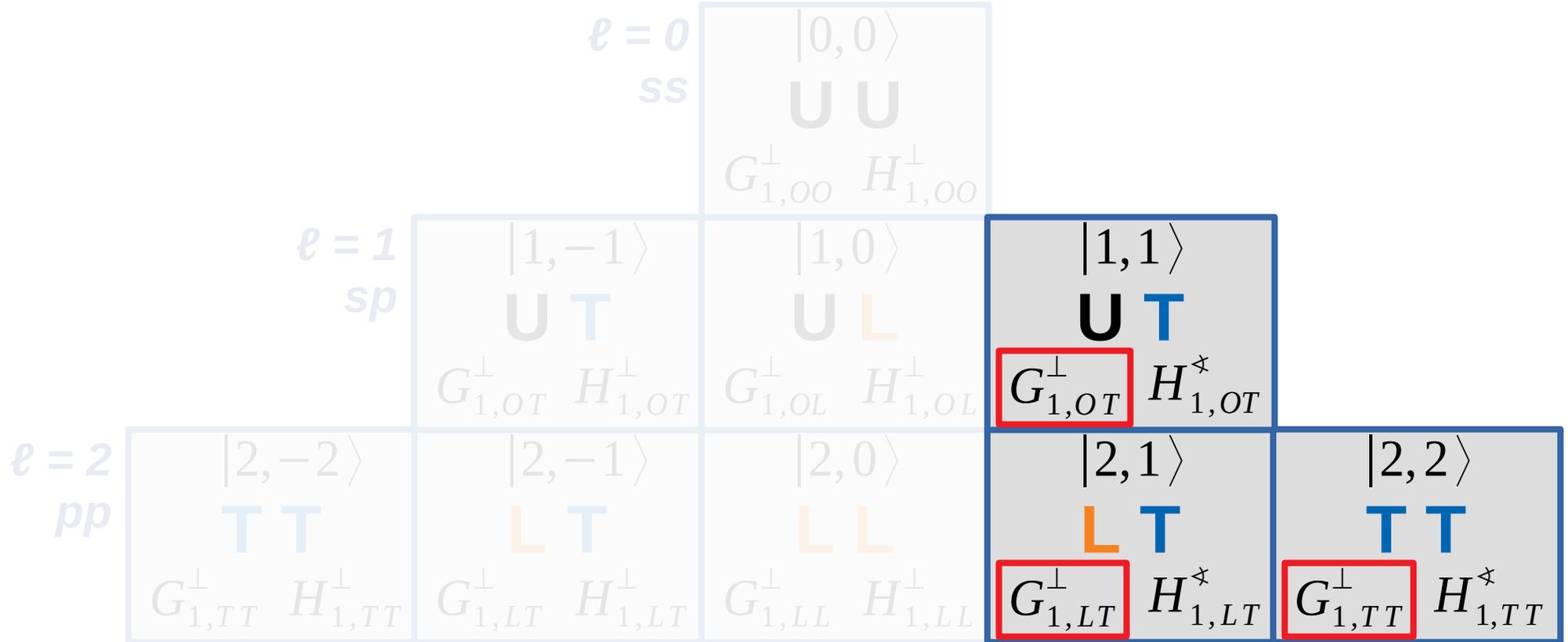
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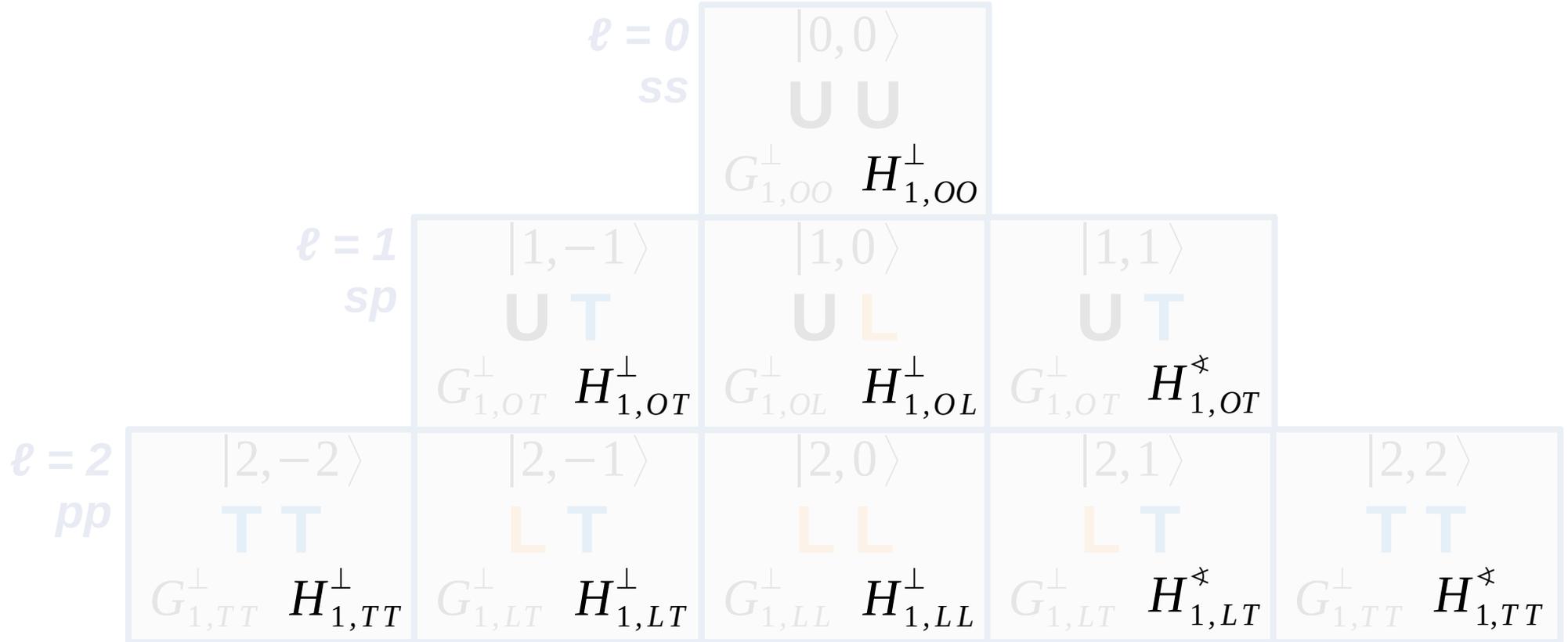


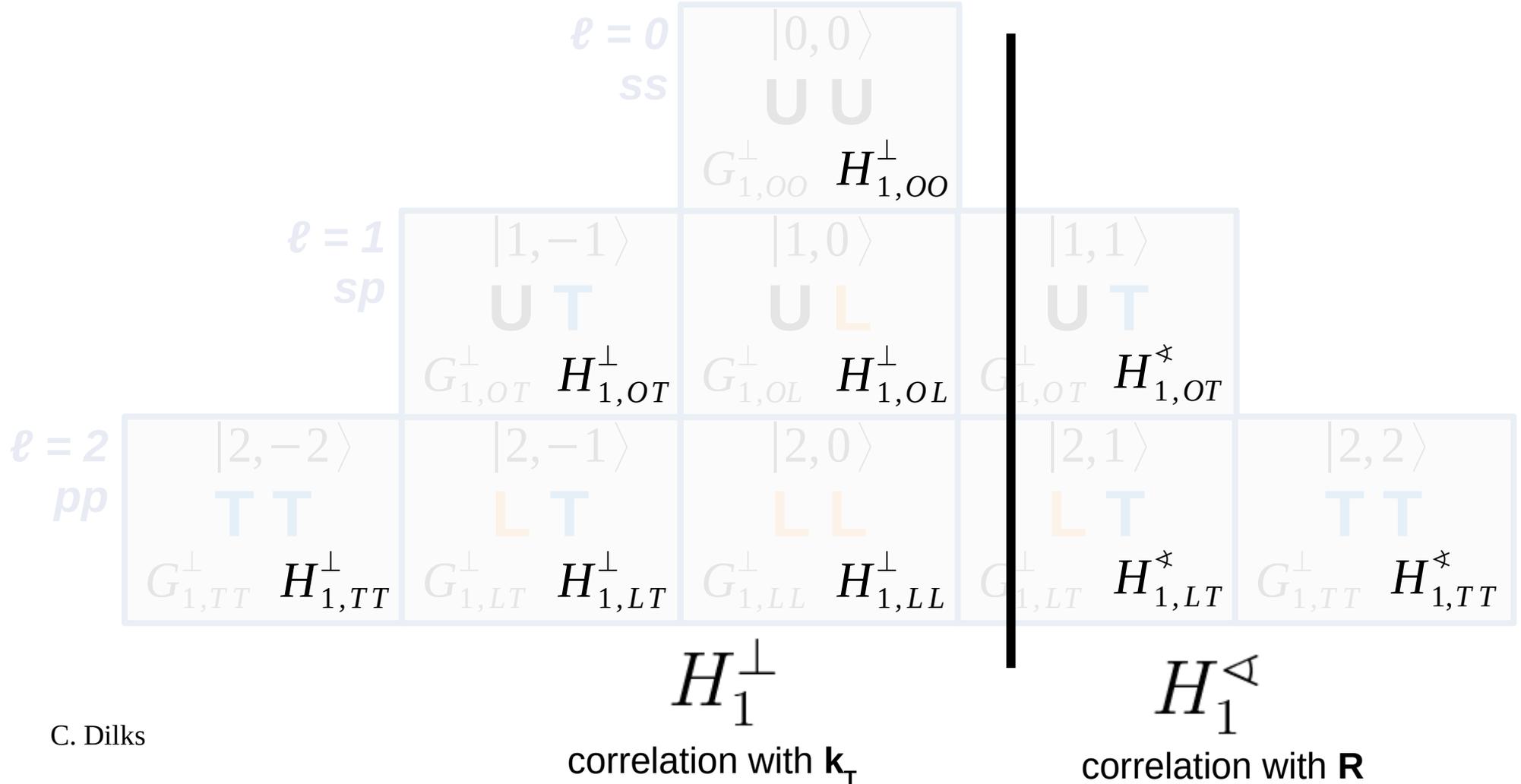


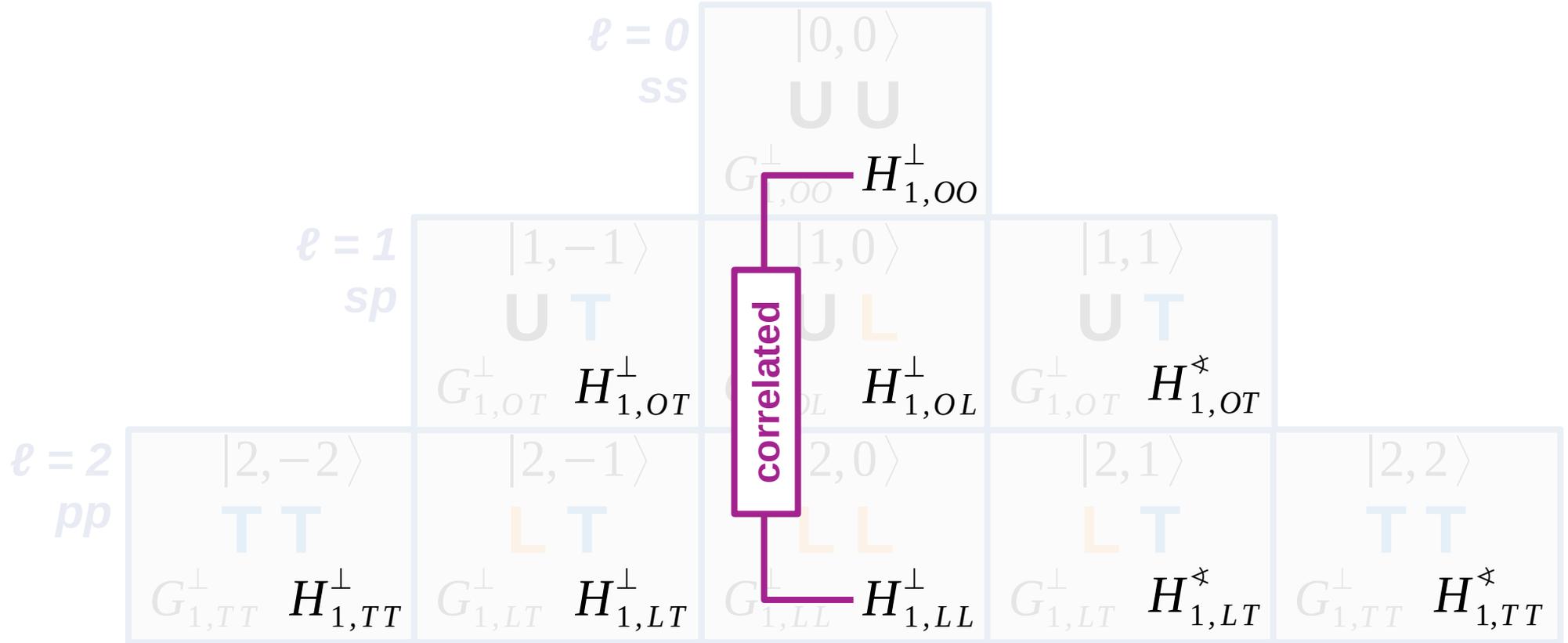
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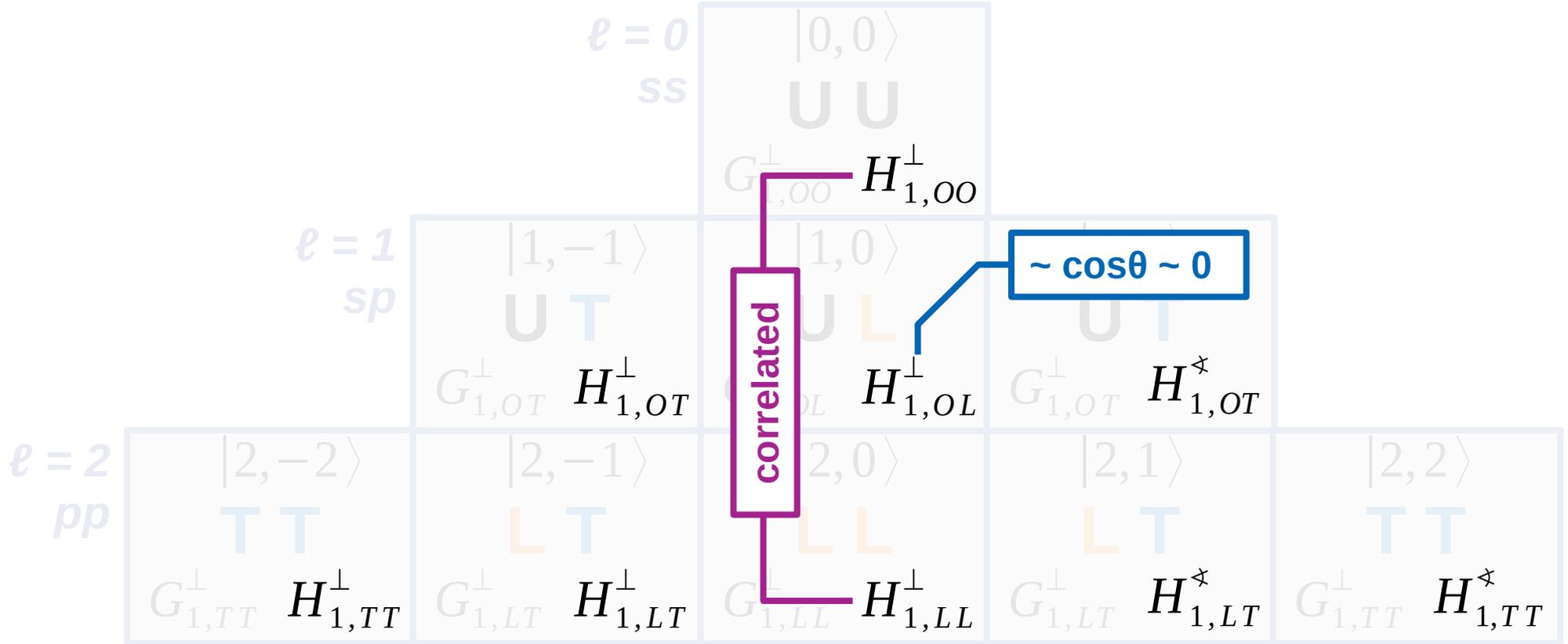


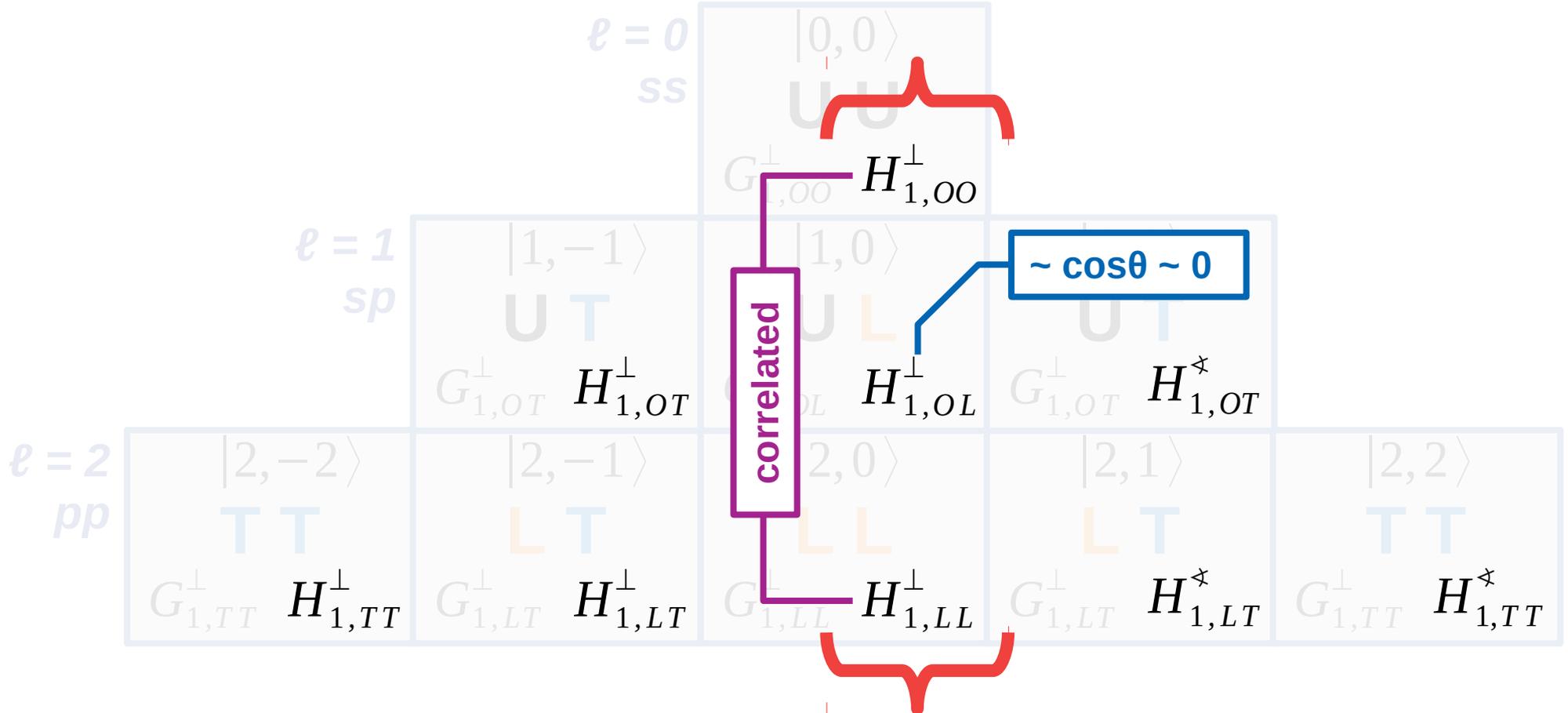




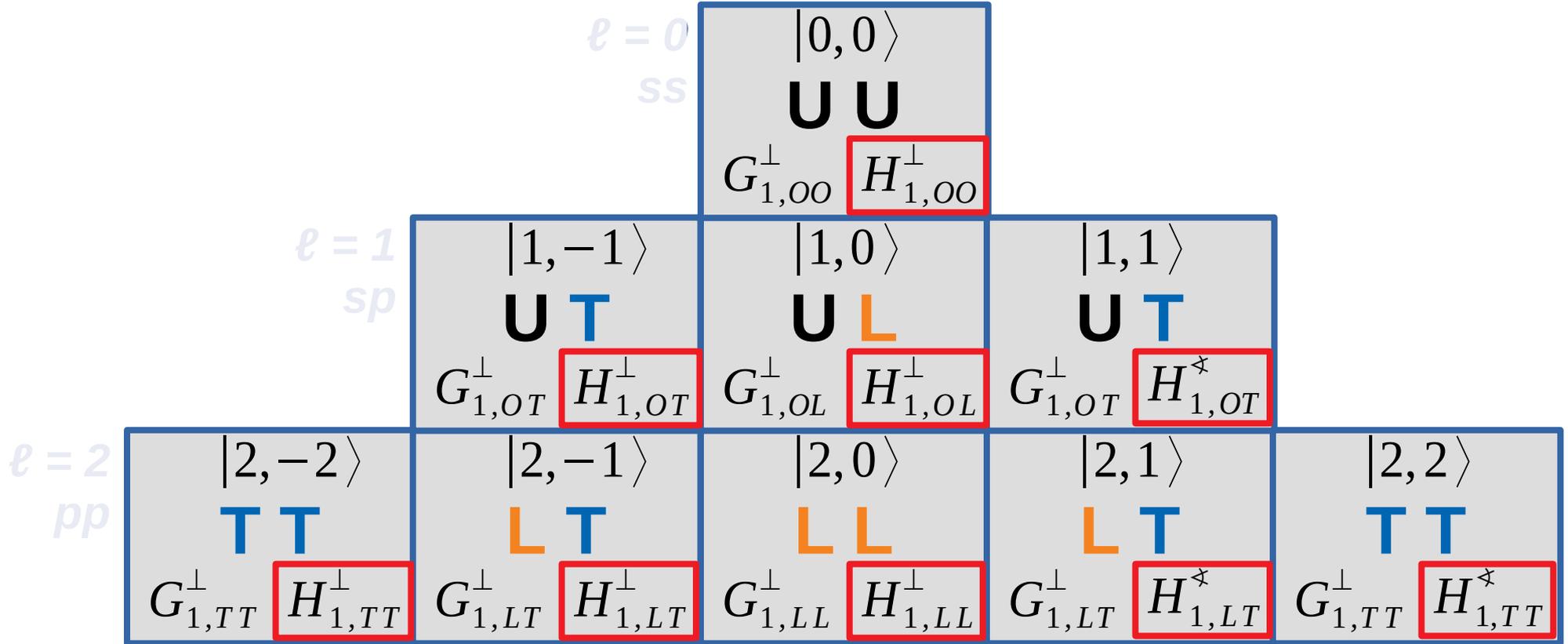








**$m=0 \leftrightarrow$  large uncertainty**



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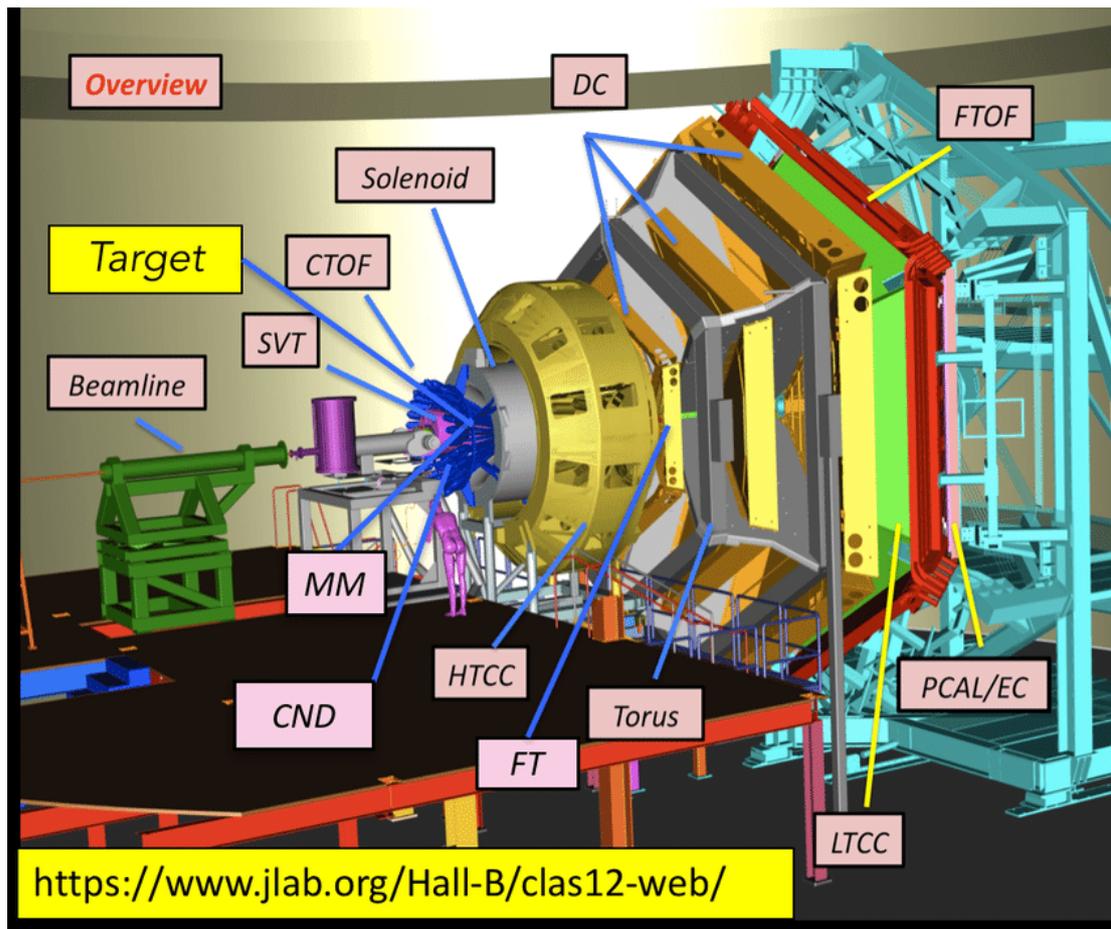
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# CLAS 12

## Event Selection

### Kinematics





### Forward Detector

- Torus Magnet
- Drift Chamber (DC)
- Forward Time of Flight (FTOF)
- High-threshold Cherenkov Counter (HTCC)
- Low-threshold Cherenkov Counter (LTCC)
- Ring Imaging Cherenkov Detector (RICH)
- Preshower + Electromagnetic Calorimeter (PCAL/EC)
- Forward Tagger (FT)

### Longitudinally Polarized Electron Beam

- $E = 10.6 \text{ GeV}$
- $P = 86\text{--}89\%$

### Unpolarized Liquid $\text{H}_2$ Fixed Target

- Torus magnet  $\rightarrow$  electrons inbending

$$ep \rightarrow e\pi^+\pi^-X$$

## ◆ SIDIS Cuts

- $Q^2 > 1 \text{ GeV}^2$
- $W > 2 \text{ GeV}$
- $y < 0.8$

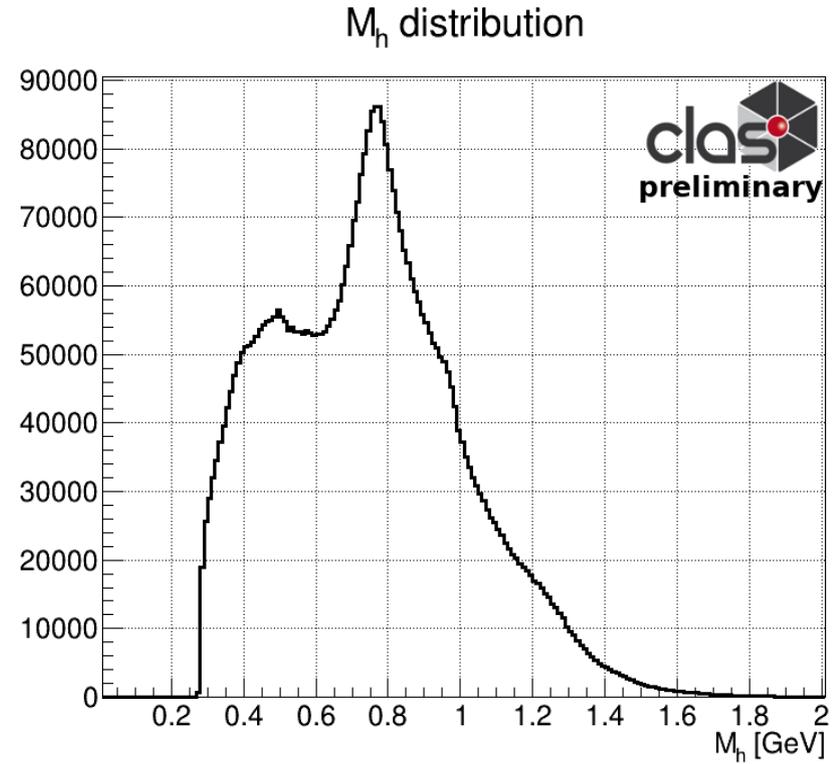
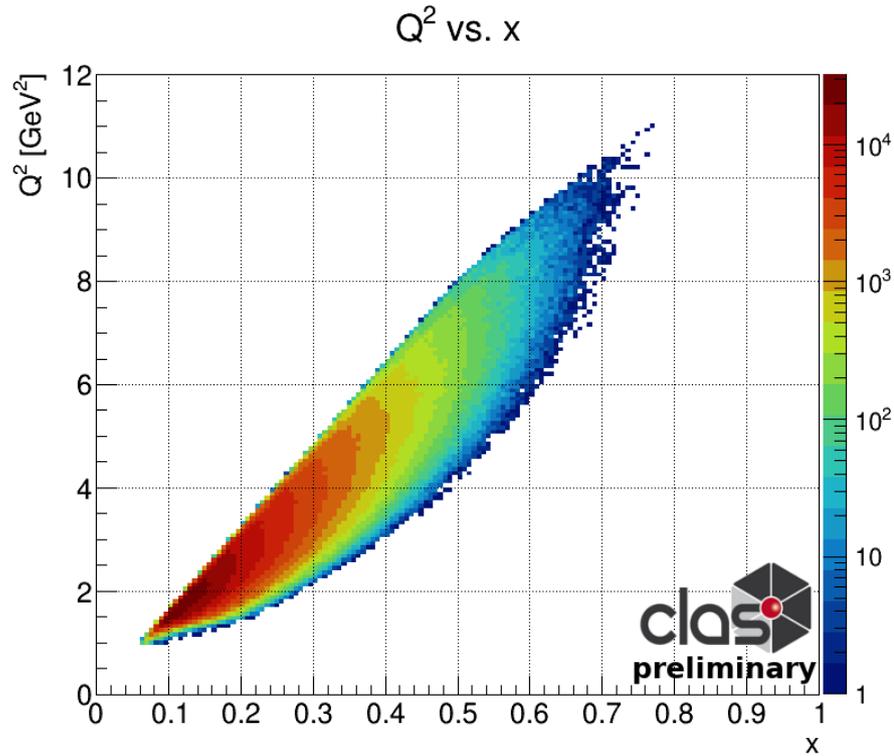
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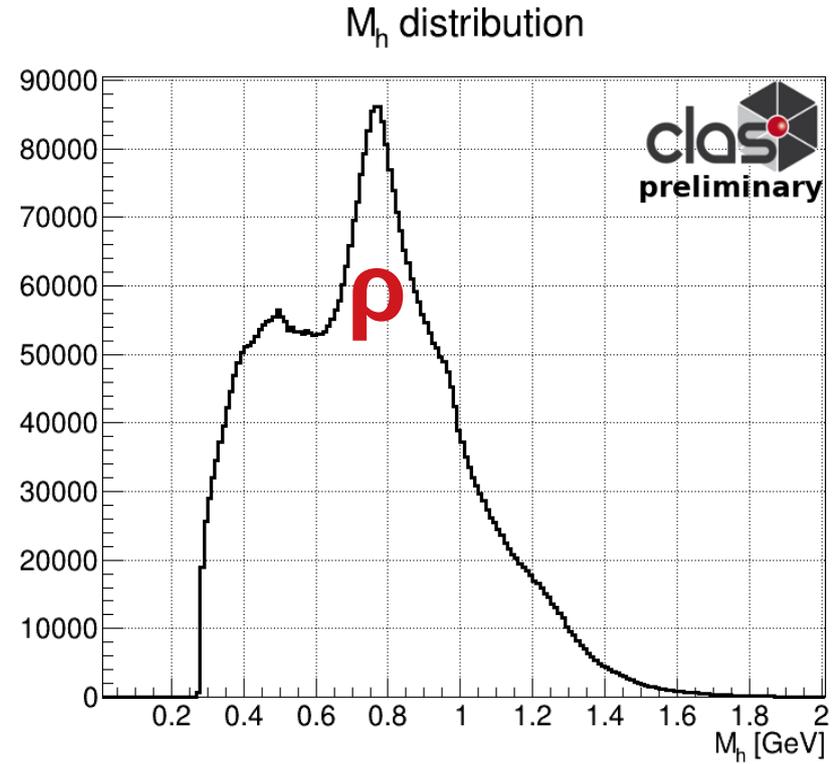
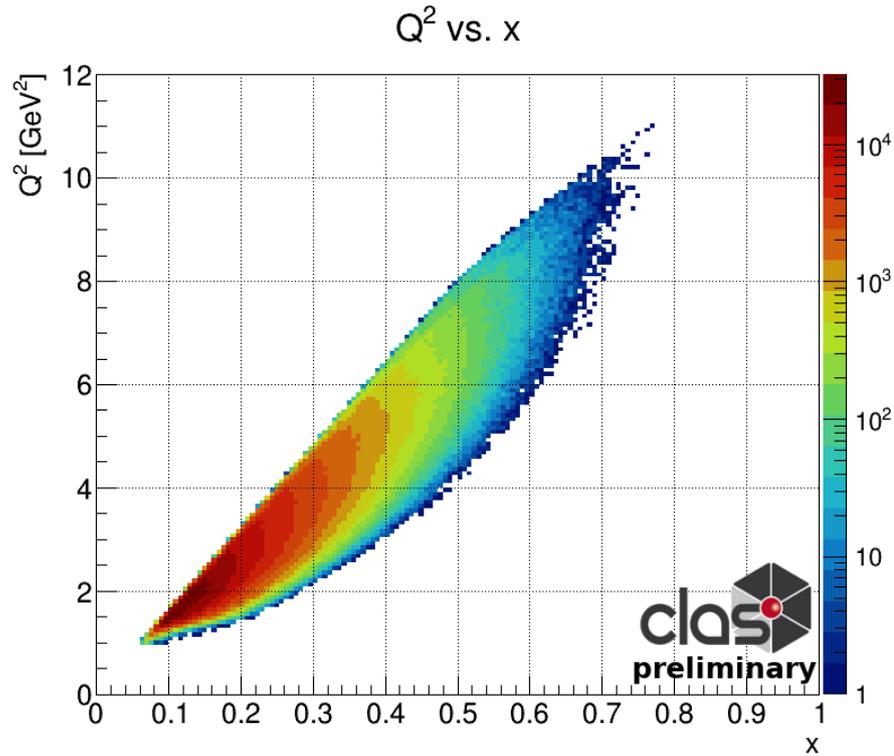
- $z_{\text{pair}} < 0.95$
- $M_x > 1.5 \text{ GeV}$

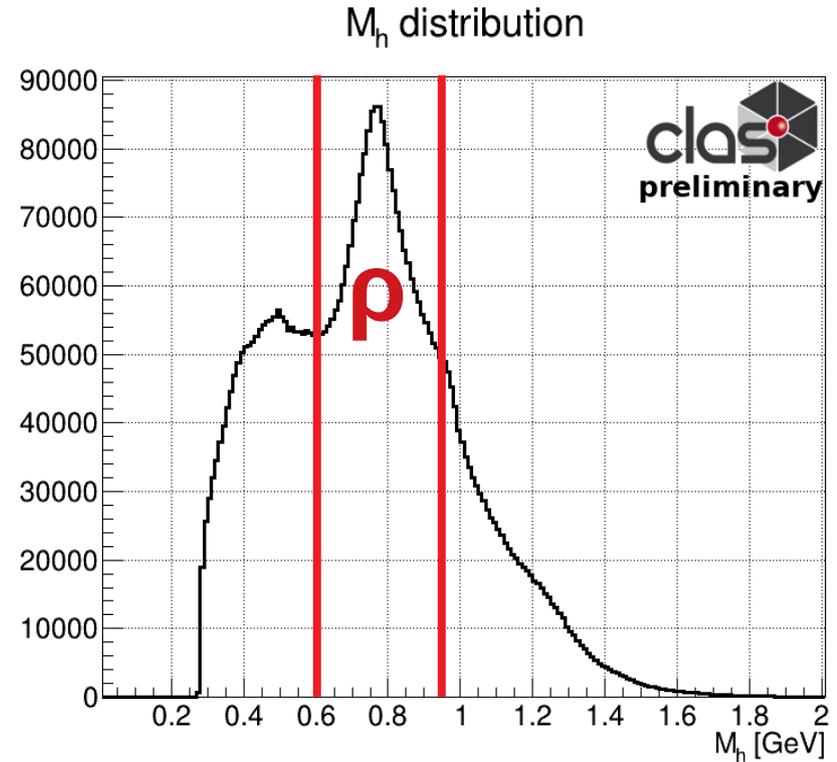
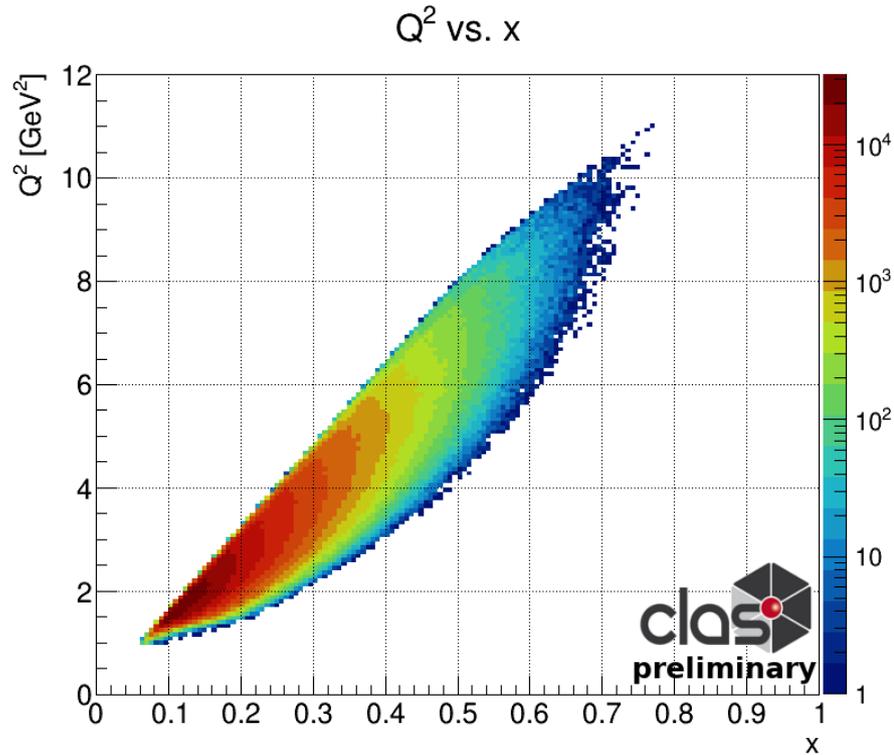
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- $x_F > 0$
- $p_\pi > 1.25 \text{ GeV}$

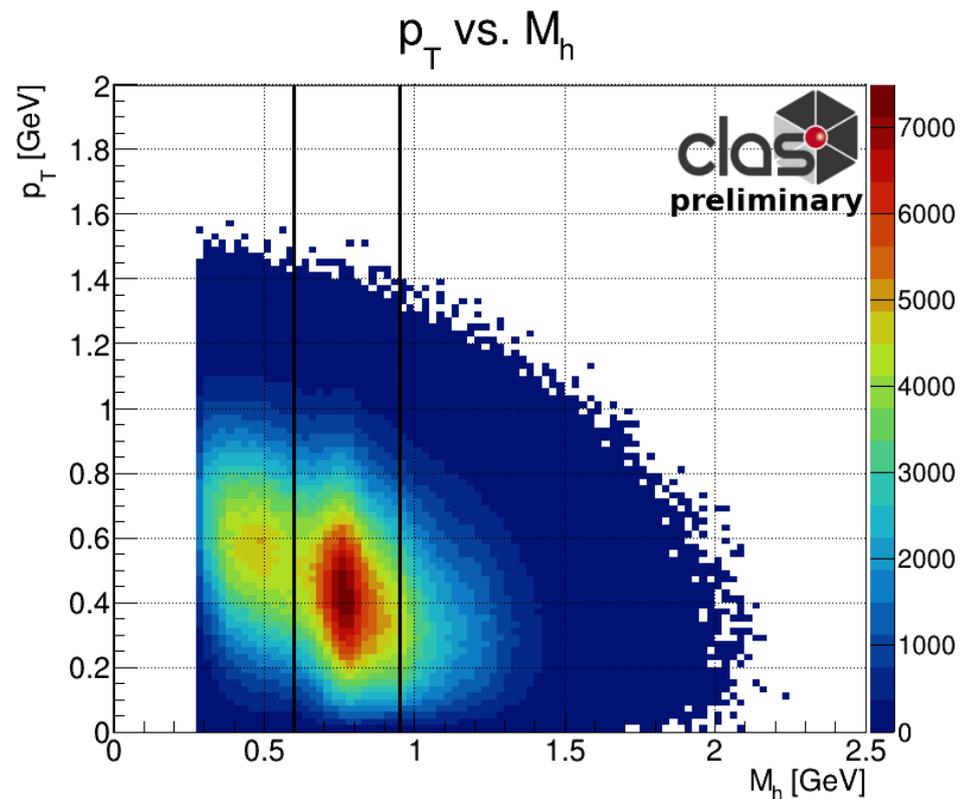
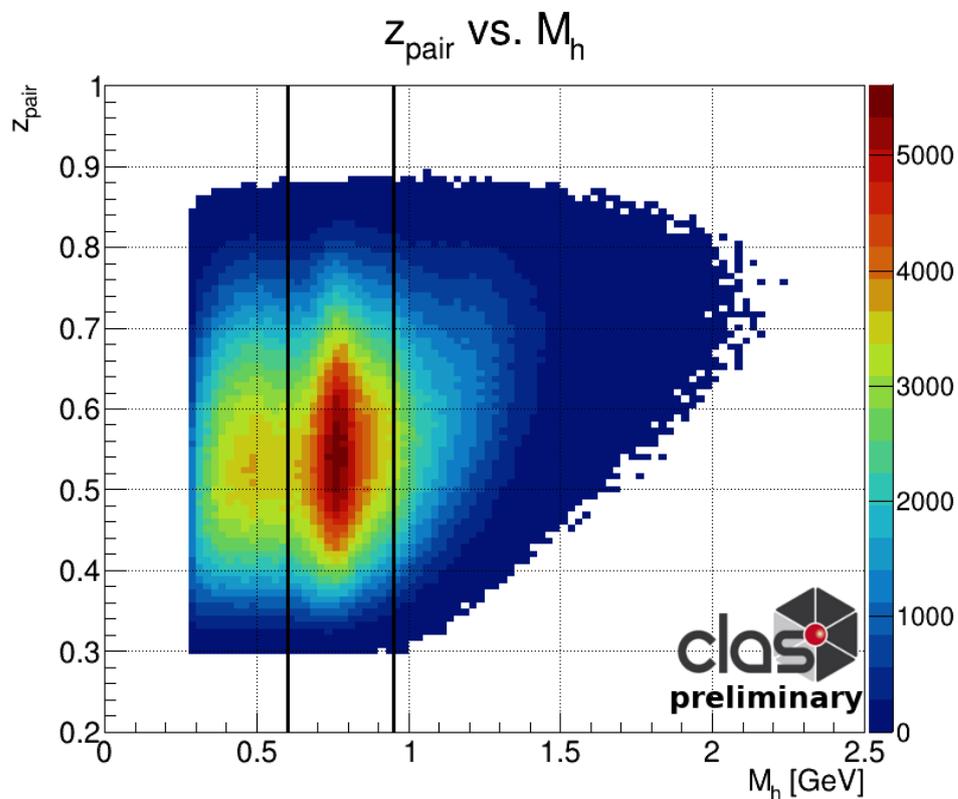
- Fiducial cuts
- PID cuts
- Vertex cuts

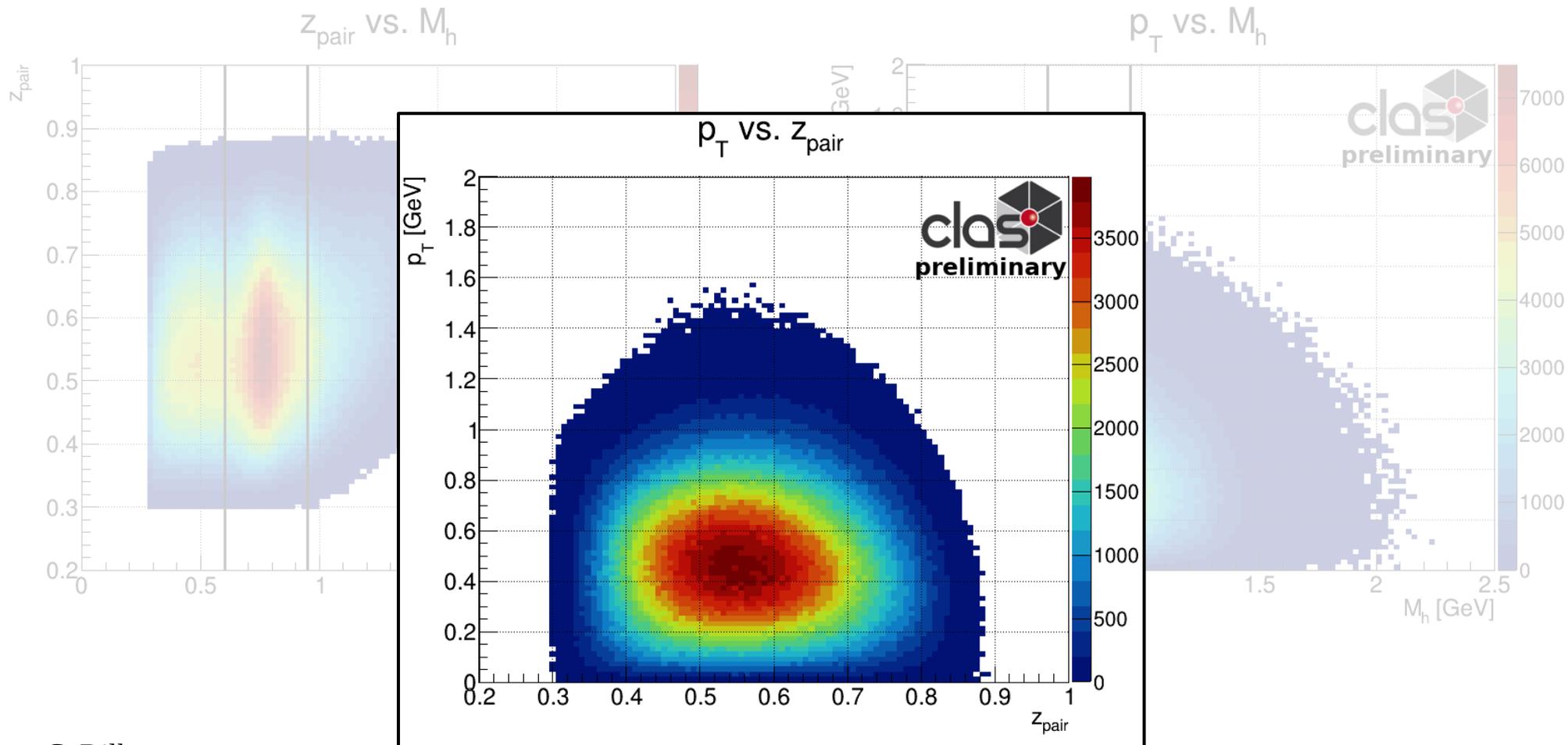


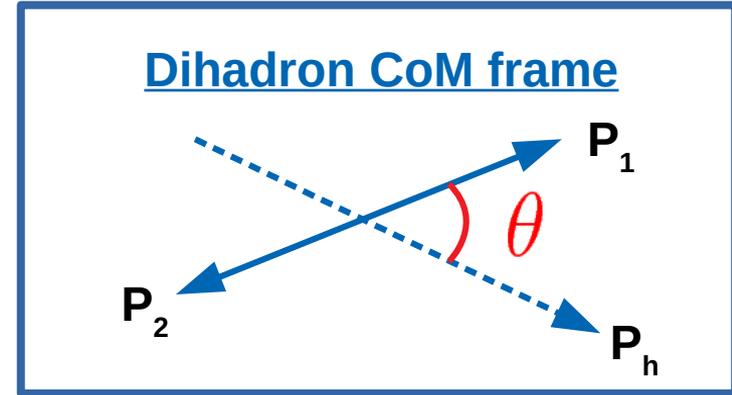
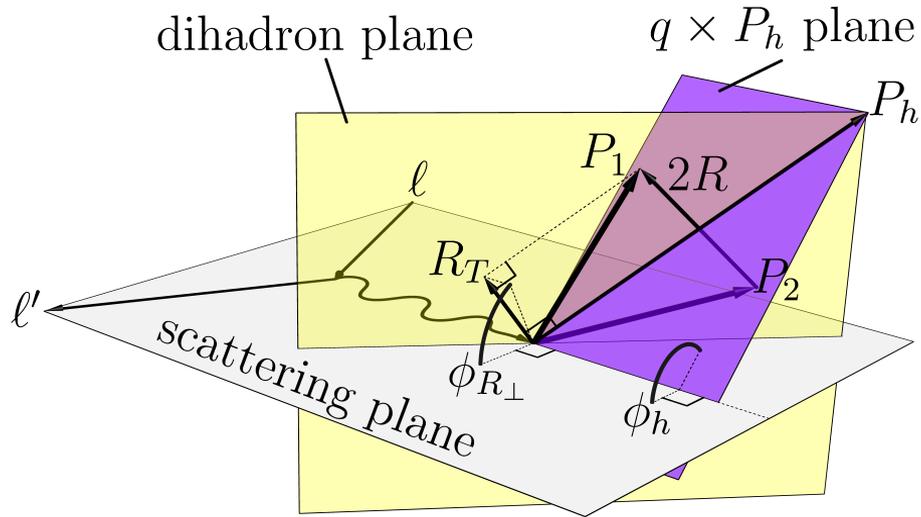




Multidimensional binning scheme in  $M_h$





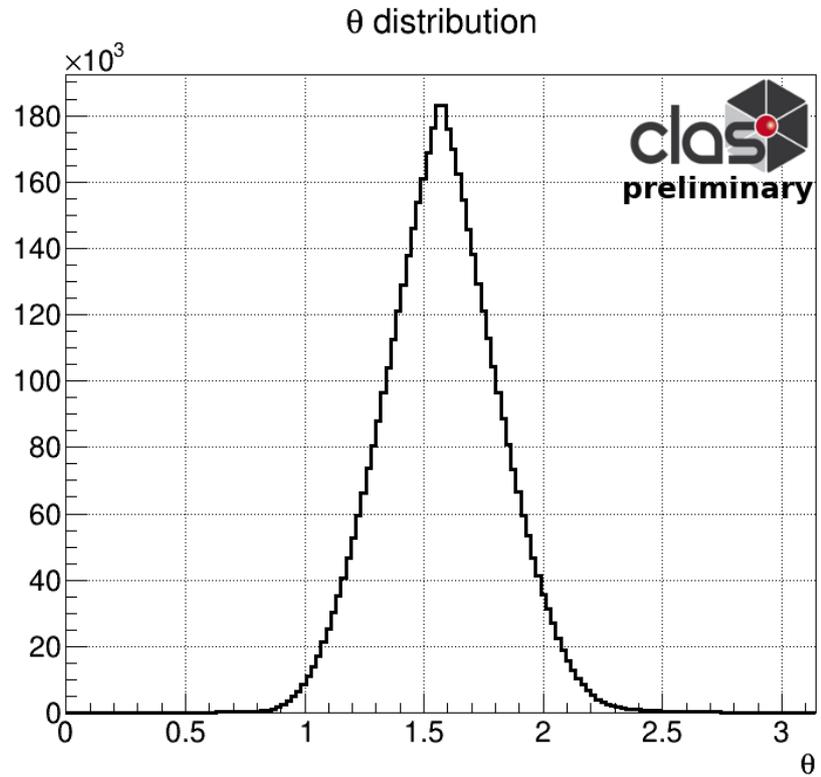
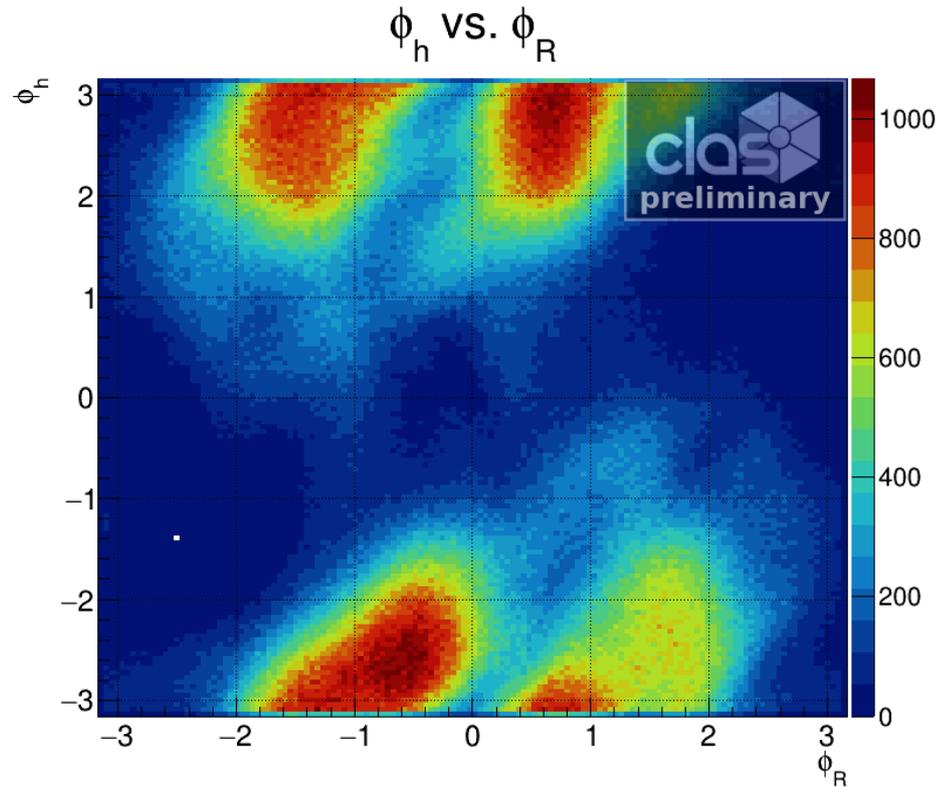


## $A_{LU}$ Modulations

**Twist 2:**  $P_{\ell,m}(\cos \theta) \cdot \sin(m \phi_h - m \phi_R)$

**Twist 3:**  $P_{\ell,m}(\cos \theta) \cdot \sin((1-m) \phi_h + m \phi_R)$

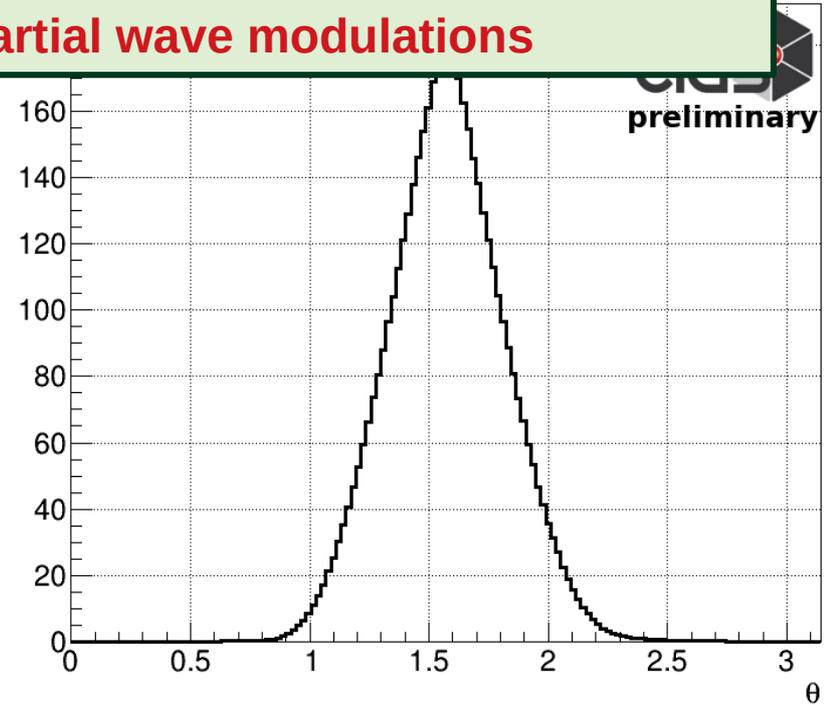
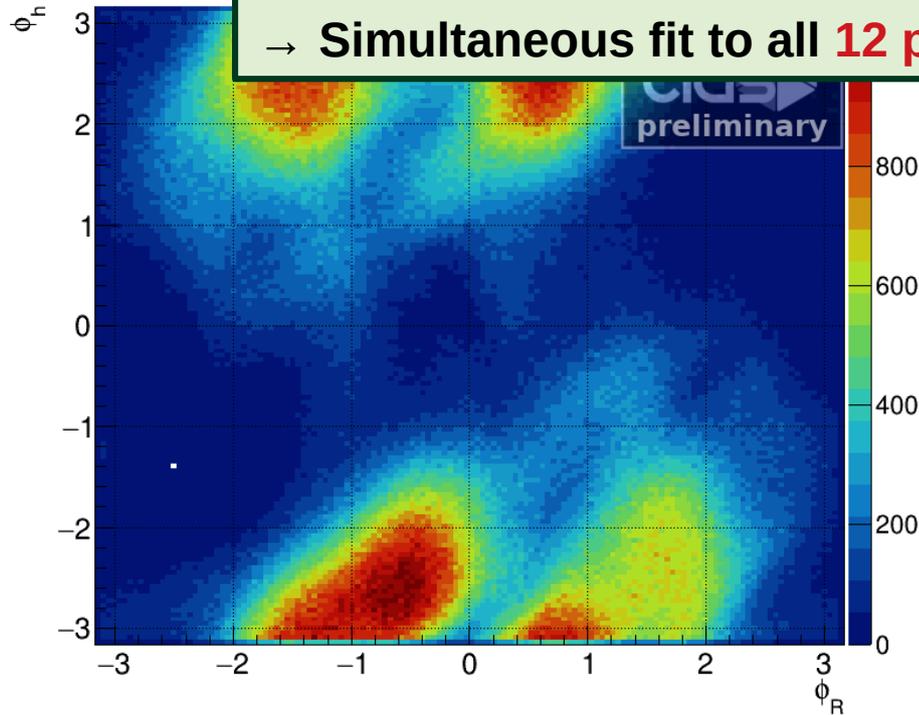
associated Legendre  
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Limited  $(\phi_h, \phi_R, \theta)$  range

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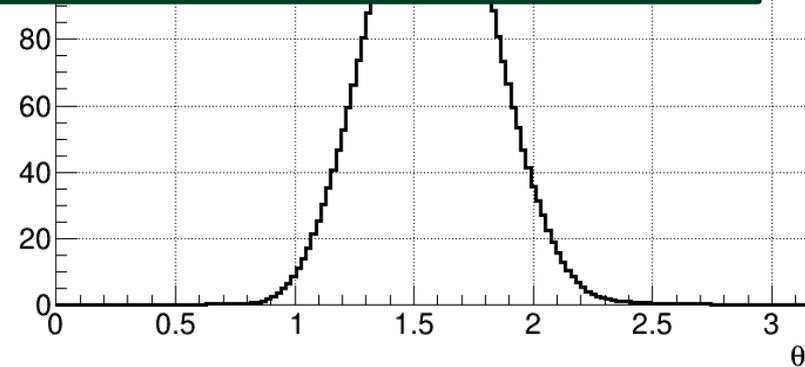
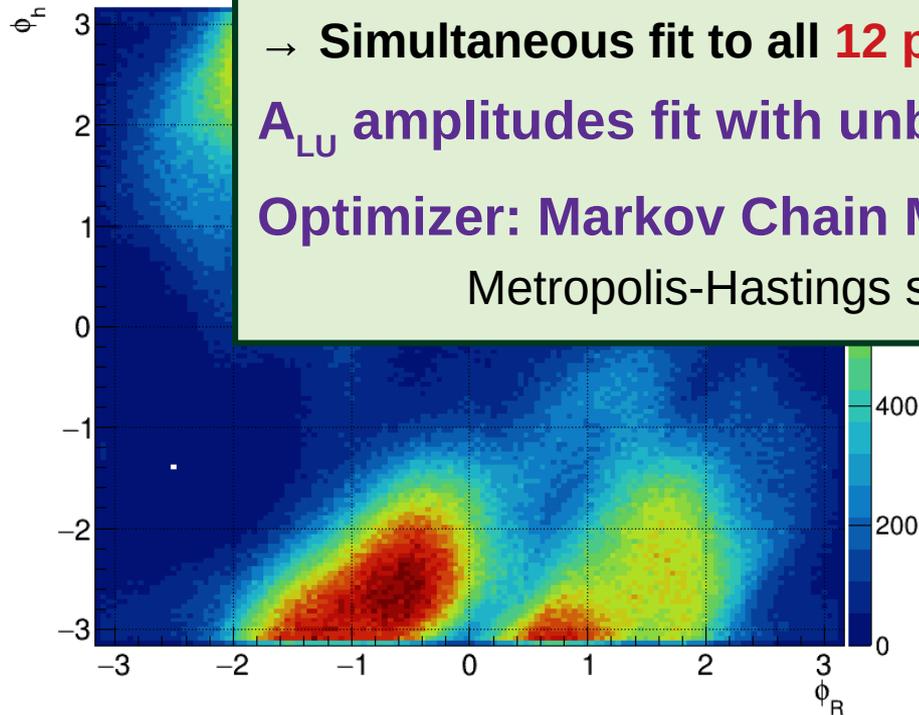
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$A_{LU}$  amplitudes fit with unbinned maximum likelihood

**Optimizer: Markov Chain Monte Carlo (MCMC)**

Metropolis-Hastings sampling of posterior distribution

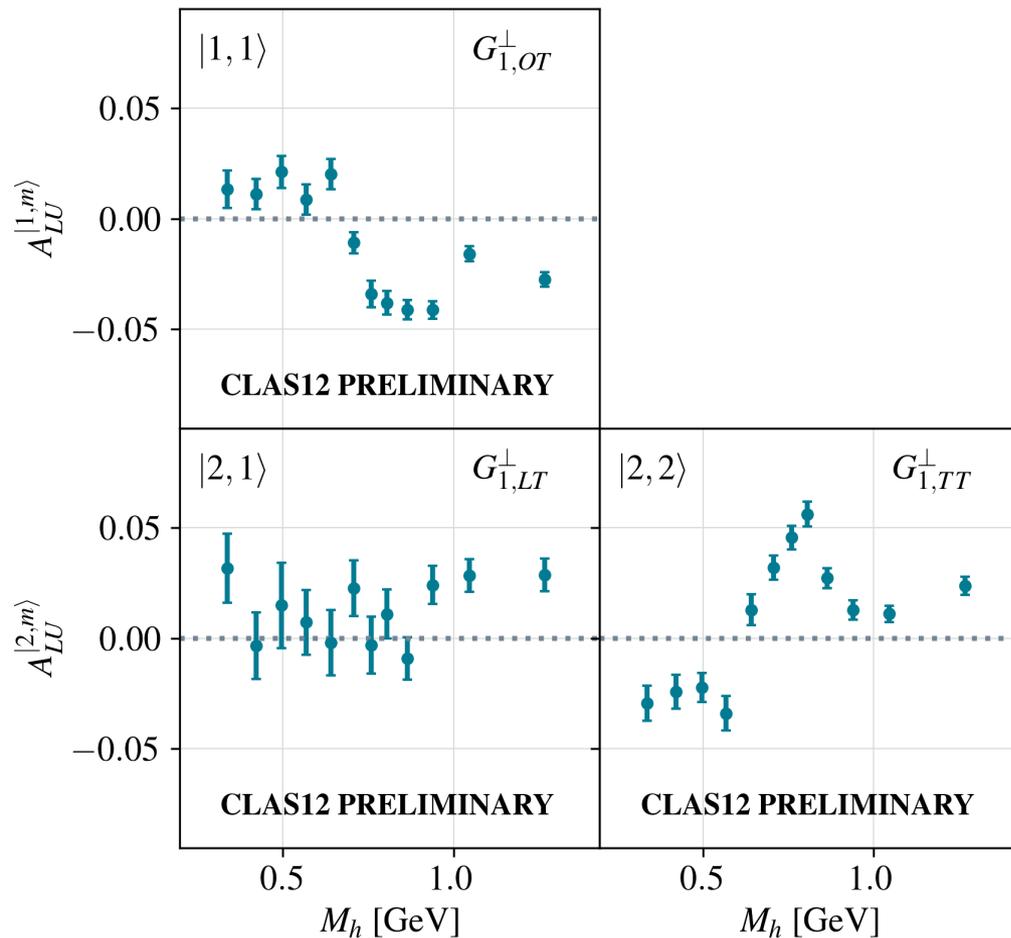


# Asymmetry Measurements

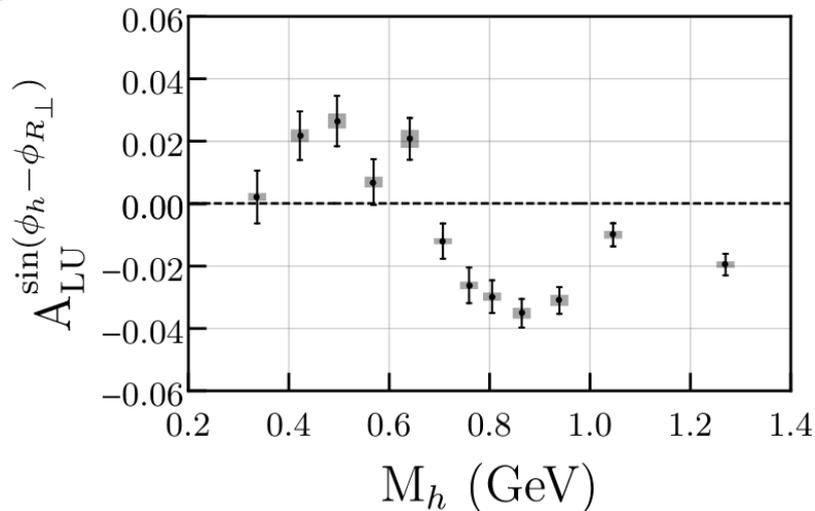
## Twist 2

$$F_{LU,T} \sim f_1 \otimes G_1^\perp |\ell, m\rangle$$

$$G_1^\perp |\ell, m\rangle = \begin{array}{c} \text{Clockwise} \\ \text{Eye} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow \text{h1} \\ \rightarrow \text{h2} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Counter-clockwise} \\ \text{Eye} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow \text{h1} \\ \rightarrow \text{h2} \end{array}$$

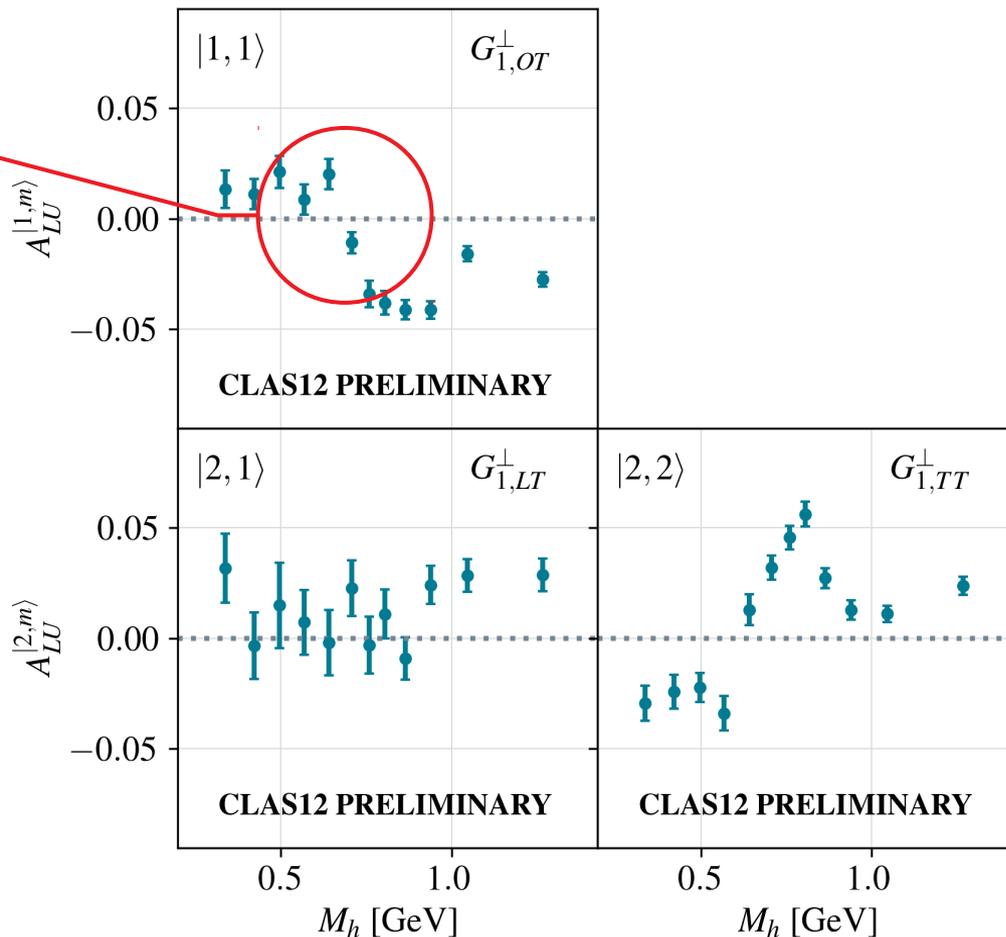


### Sign change near $\rho$ mass



Compare previous measurement:

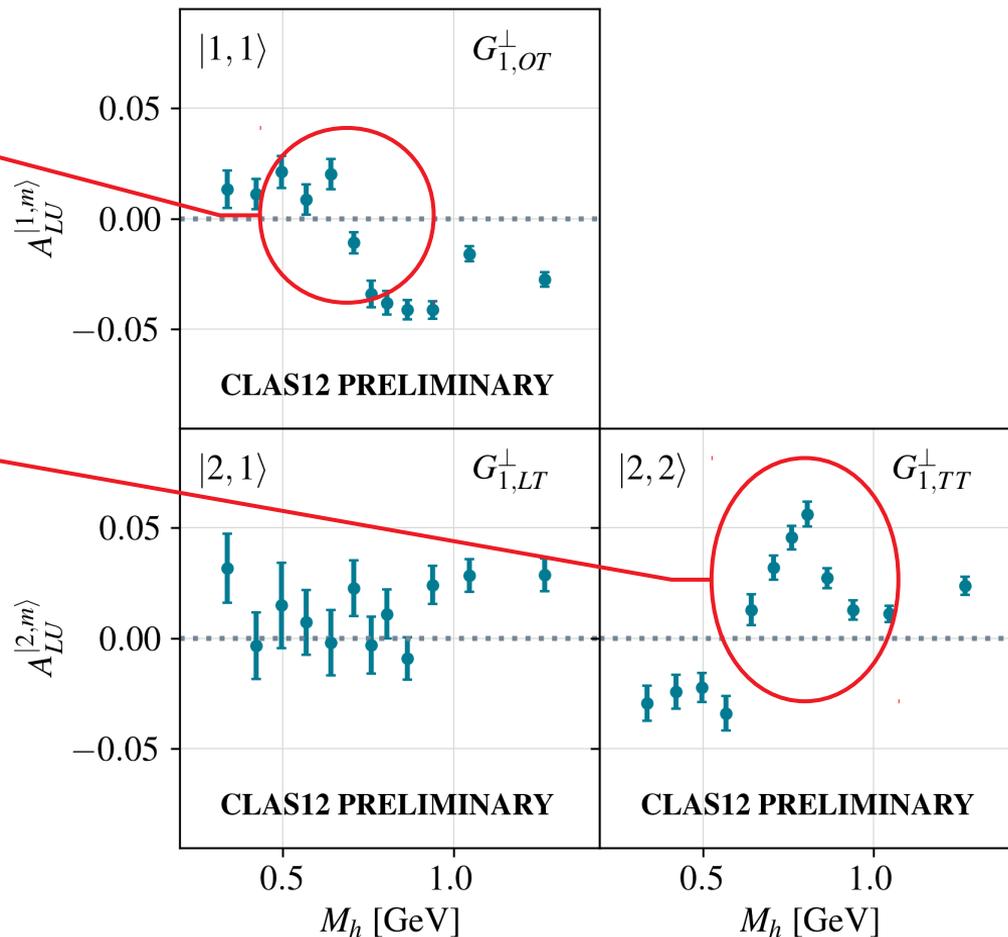
- $\sim 1/2$  statistics
- Integrated over  $\theta$  (sum over  $\ell$ )
- Depolarization factor was not divided
- **Partial wave analysis is a refinement of this measurement**



Sign change near  $\rho$  mass

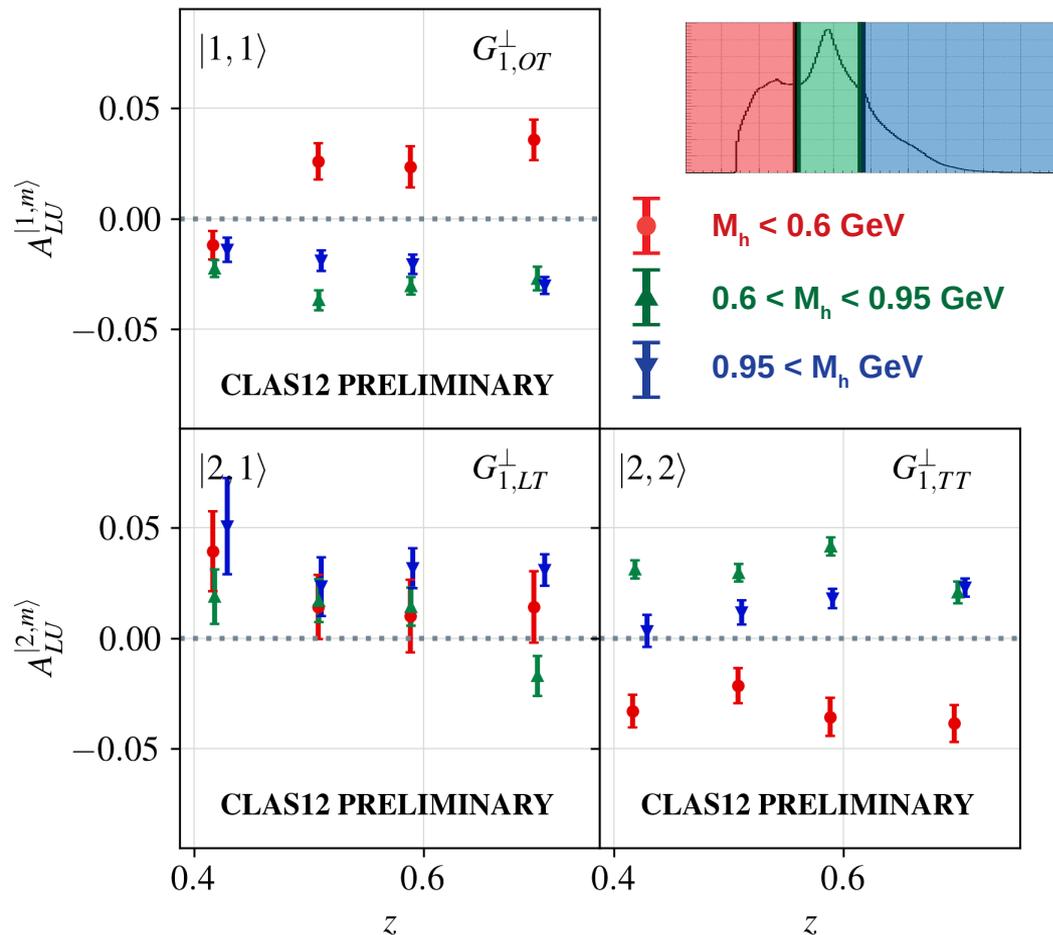
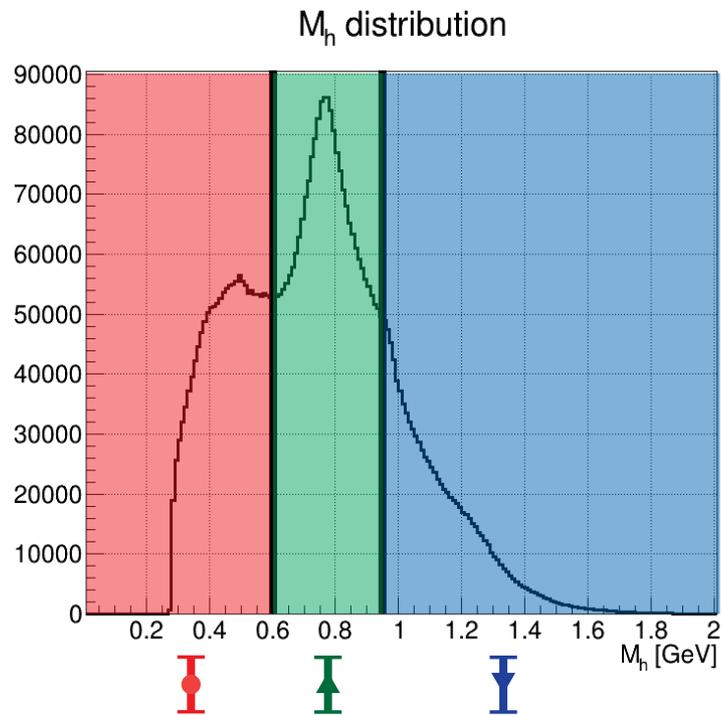
Enhancement at  $\rho$  mass

$\rho$  meson  $\rightarrow$  p-wave  $\pi^+\pi^-$



# z Bins in 3 $M_h$ Regions

Twist-2  $A_{LU}$  Amplitudes

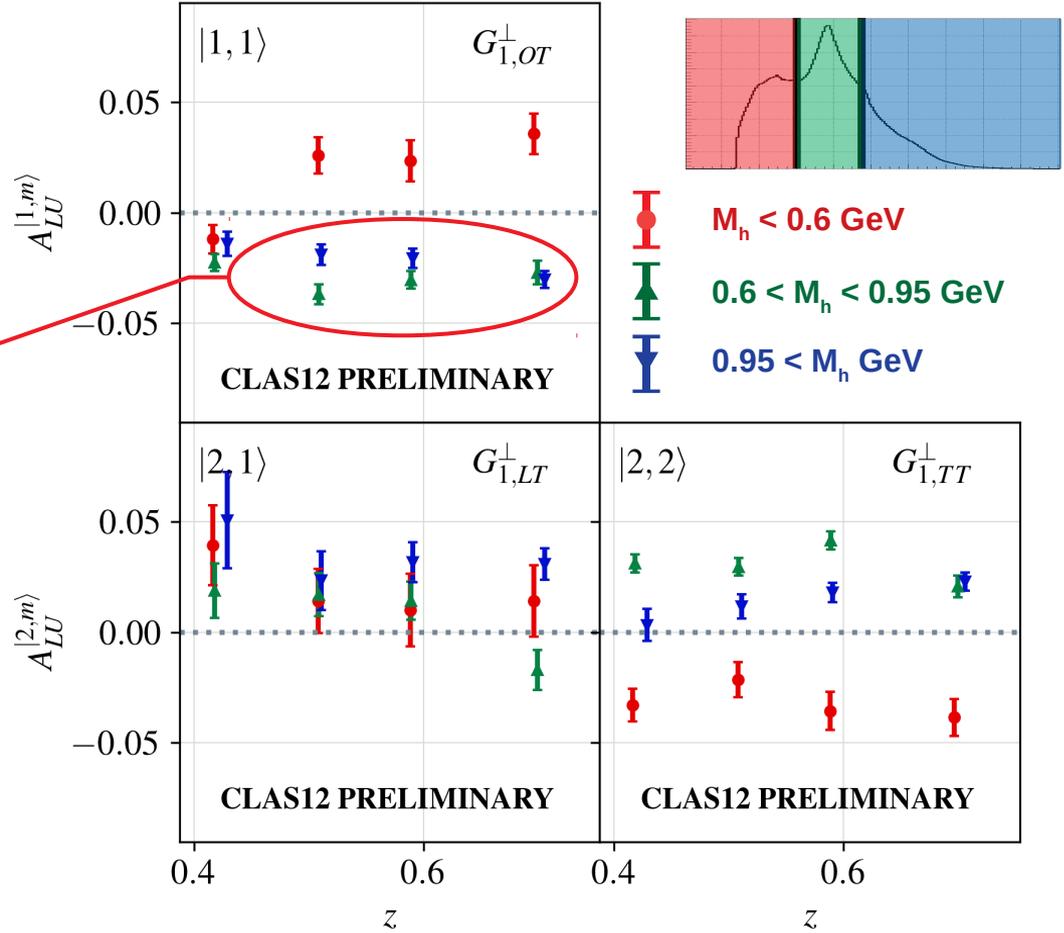


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Regions at  $\rho$  mass and above  $\rho$  mass similar



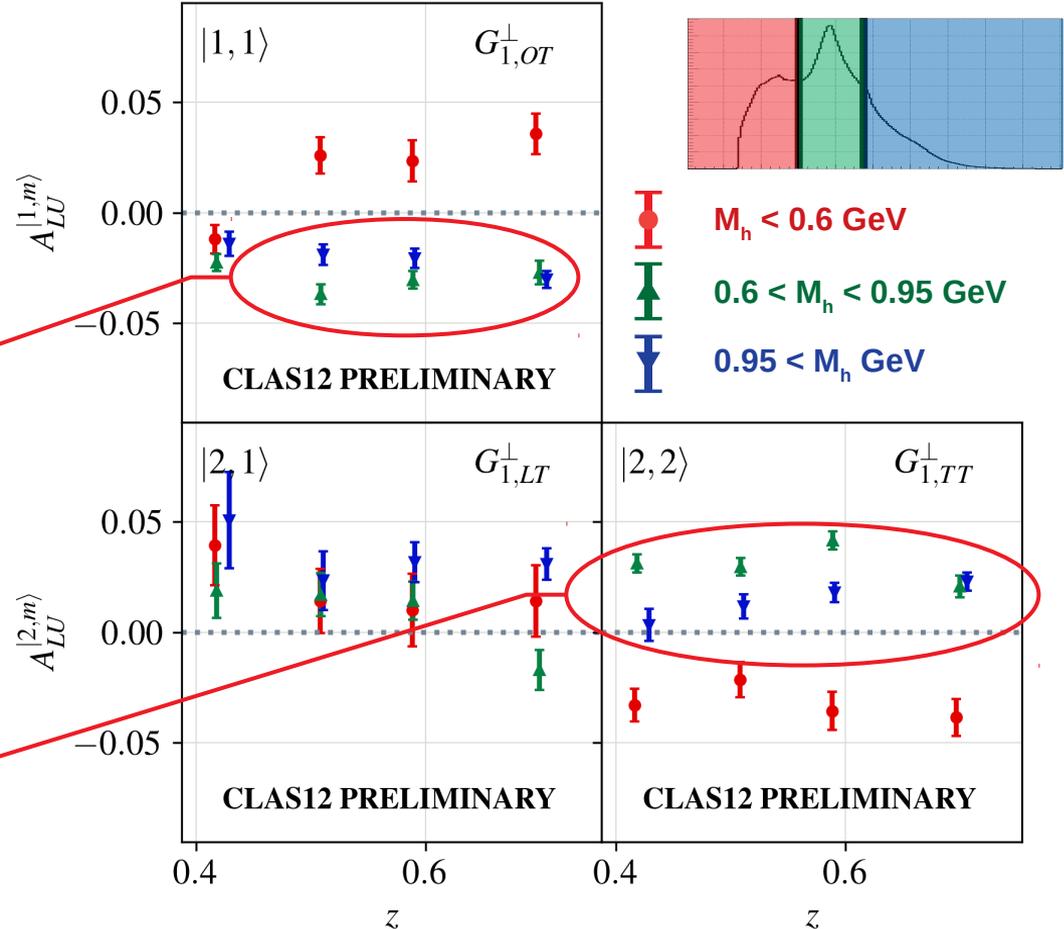
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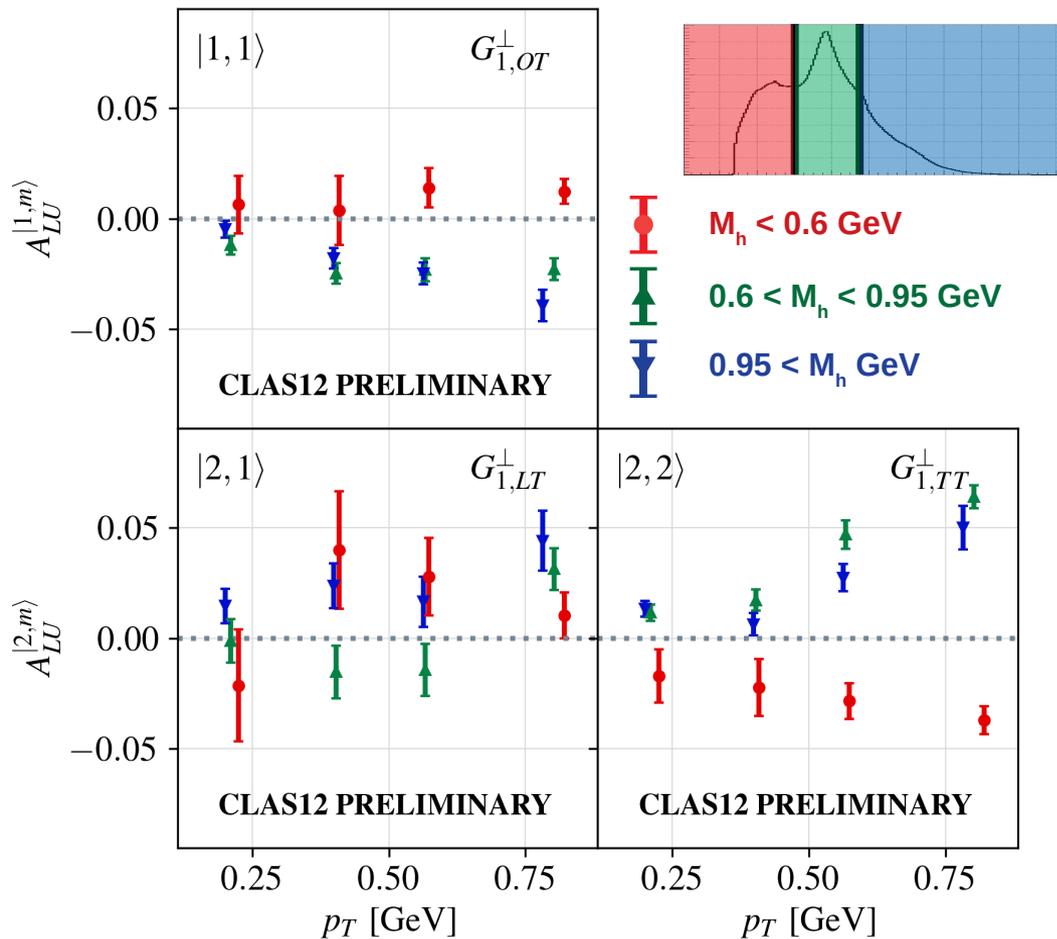
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Regions at  $\rho$  mass and above  $\rho$  mass similar

Regions at  $\rho$  mass higher (cf.  $M_h$  dependence)



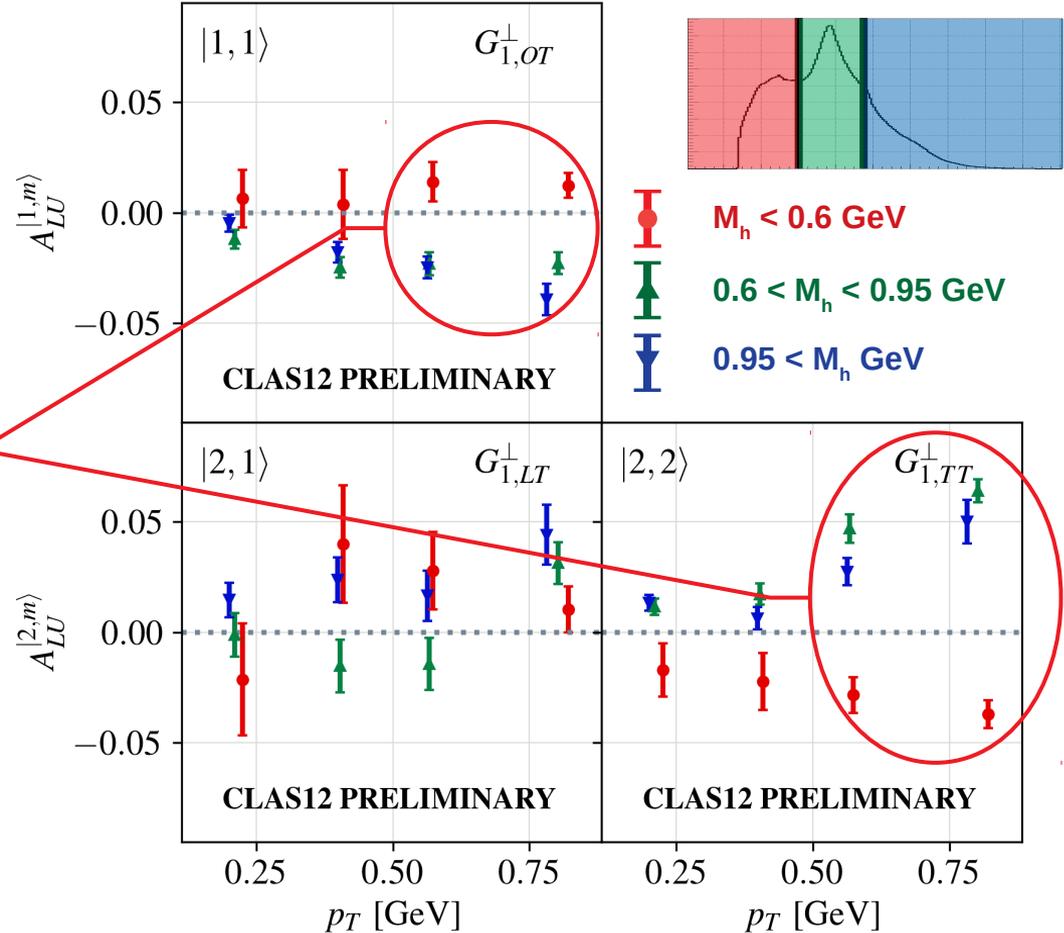


# $p_T$ Bins in 3 $M_h$ Regions

Twist-2  $A_{LU}$  Amplitudes



High  $p_T \rightarrow$  larger amplitudes,  
especially for high  $M_h$



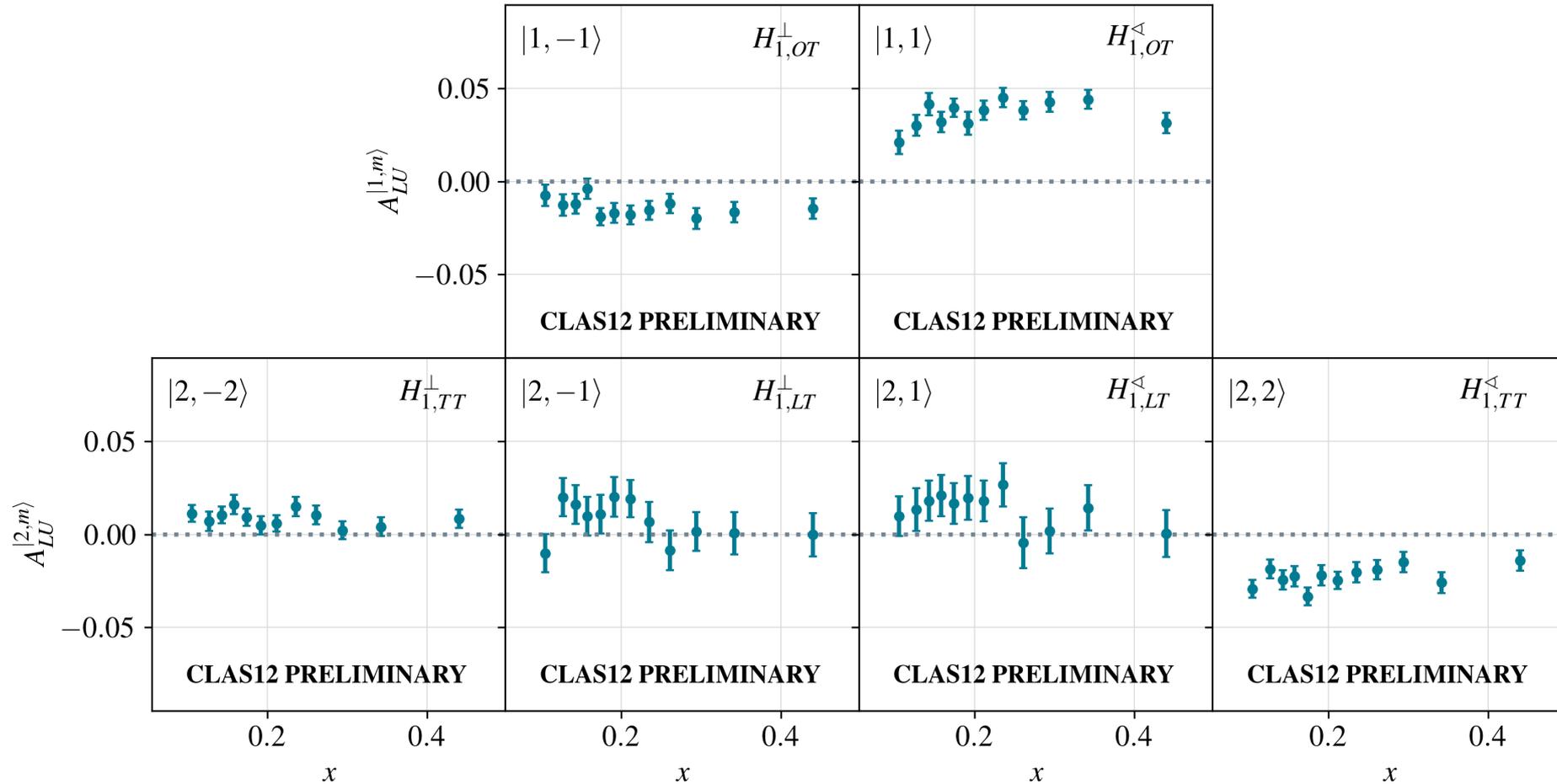
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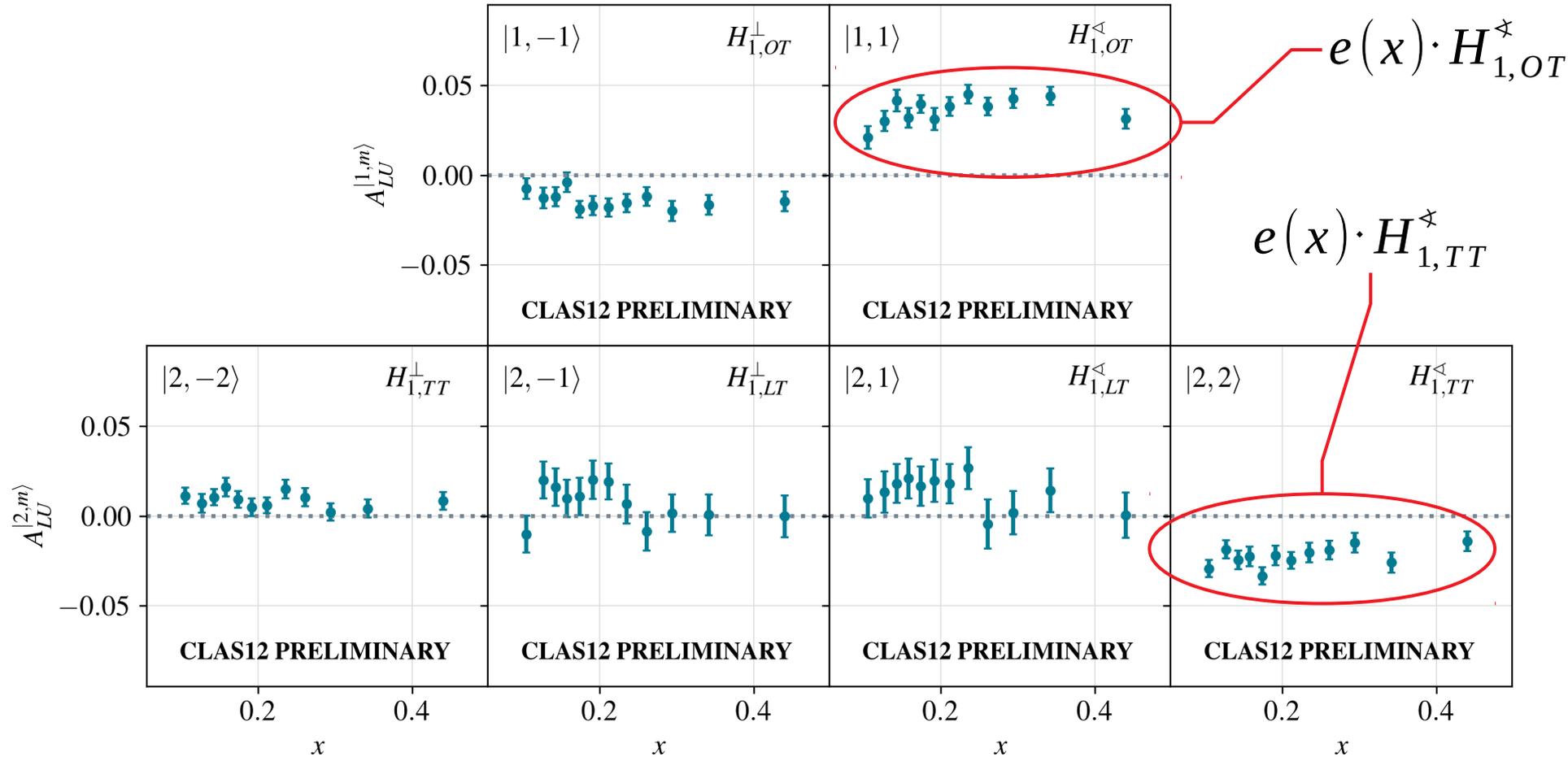
## Twist 3

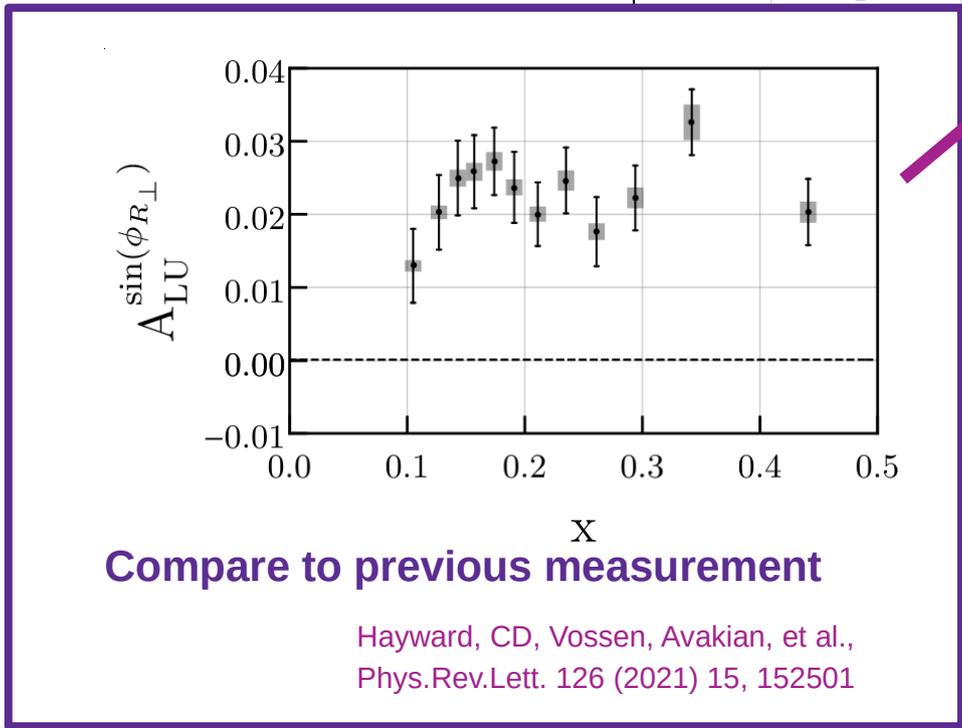
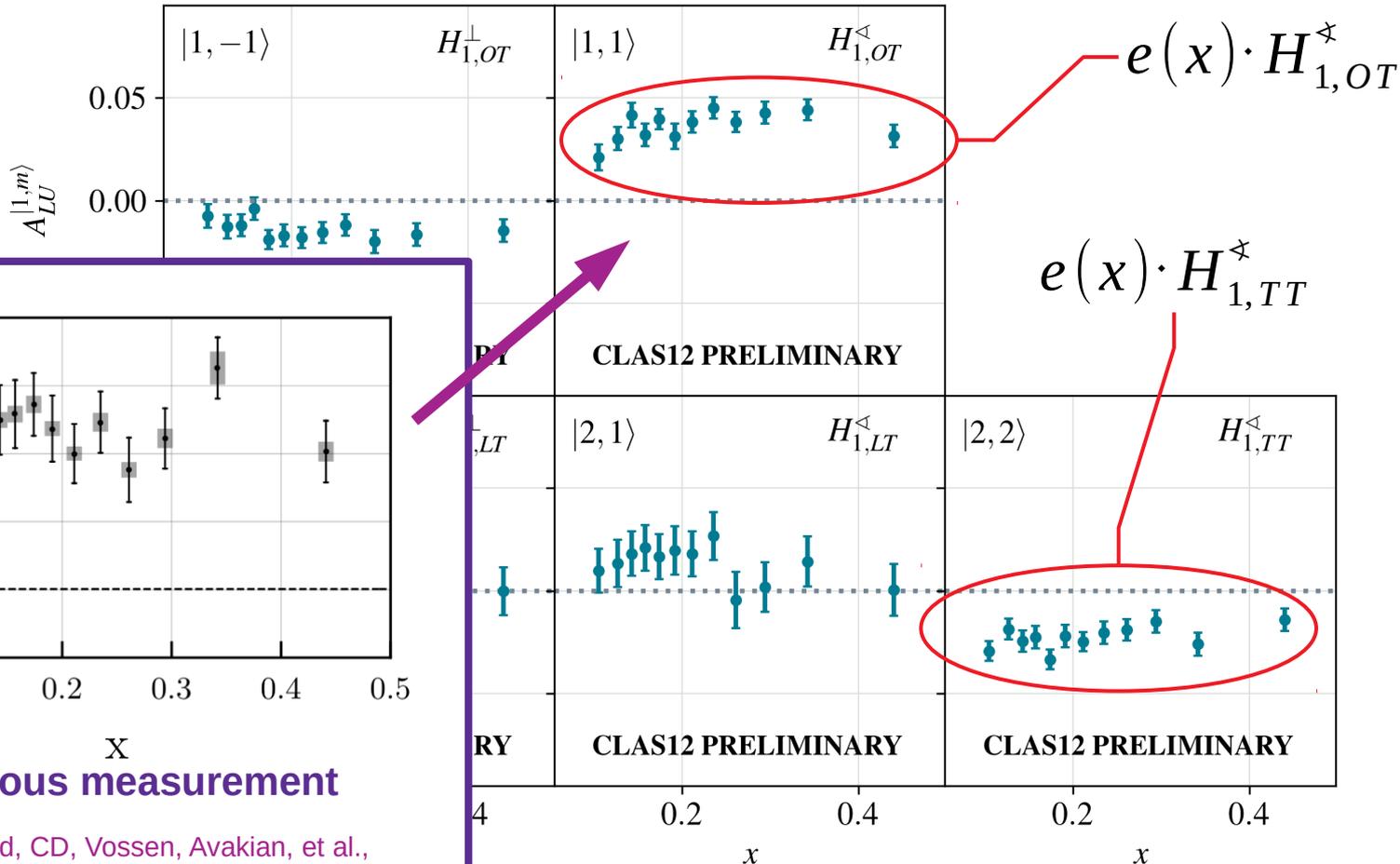
$$F_{LU} \sim e \otimes H_1^\perp |\ell, m\rangle$$

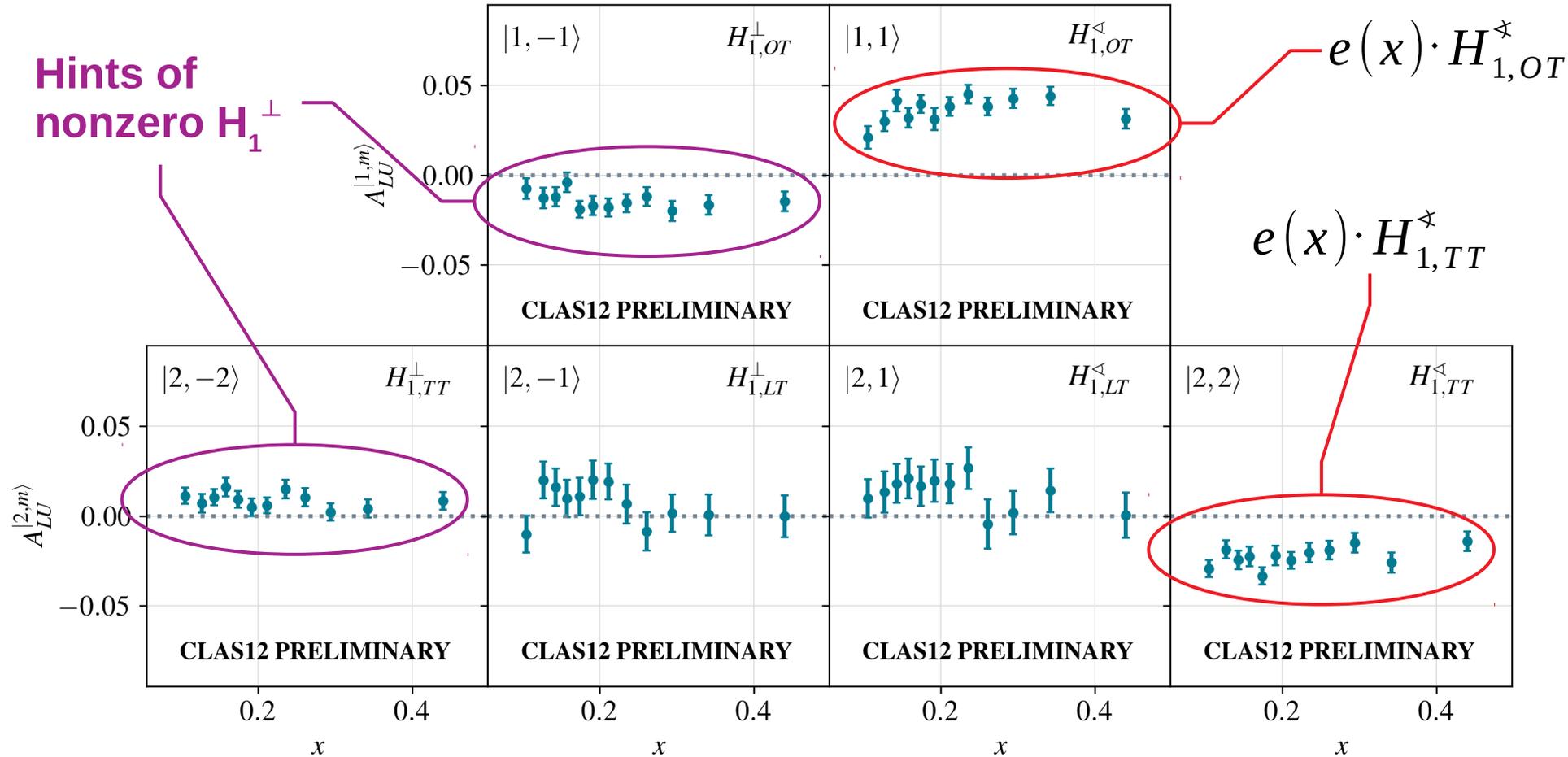
$$H_1^\perp |\ell, m\rangle = \text{Diagram 1} - \text{Diagram 2}$$

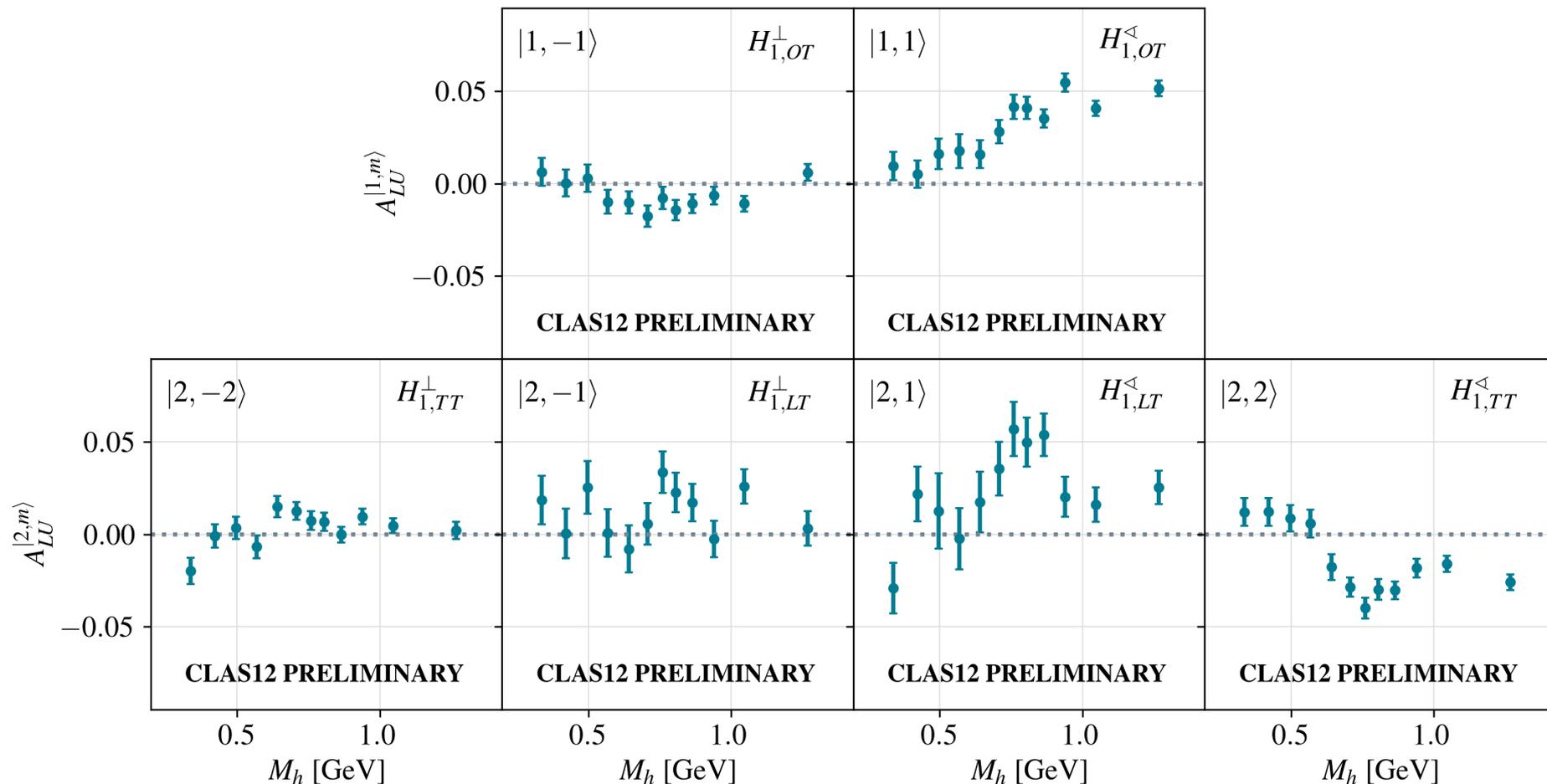
The diagram illustrates the difference between two configurations of a particle with spin and orbital angular momentum. Each configuration is represented by a purple circle with a blue ring around it, and two black arrows pointing to the right, labeled h1 and h2. The first configuration has the blue ring rotated 90 degrees counter-clockwise, while the second configuration has the blue ring rotated 90 degrees clockwise. The two configurations are subtracted to represent the perpendicular component of the angular momentum operator.

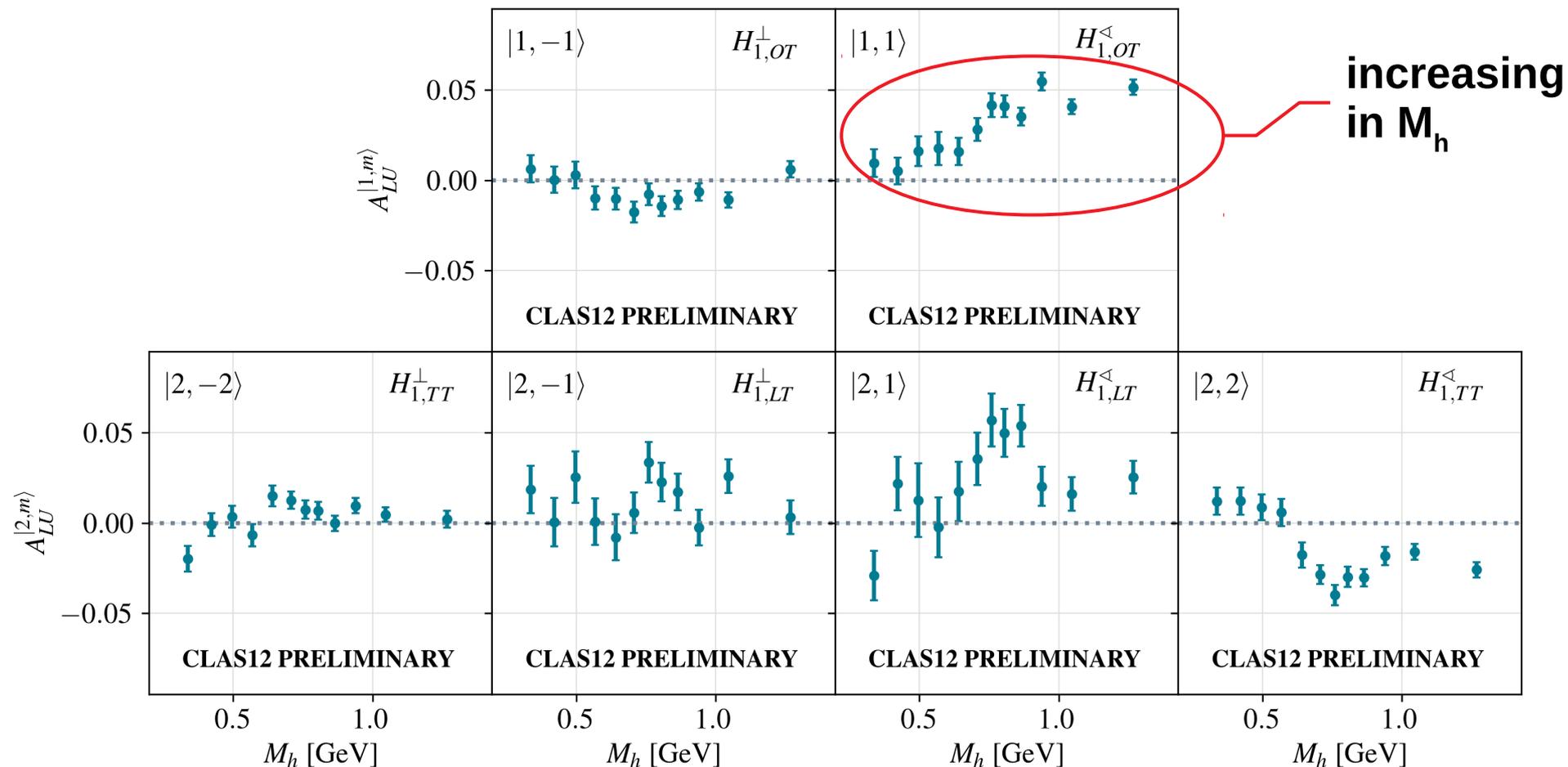


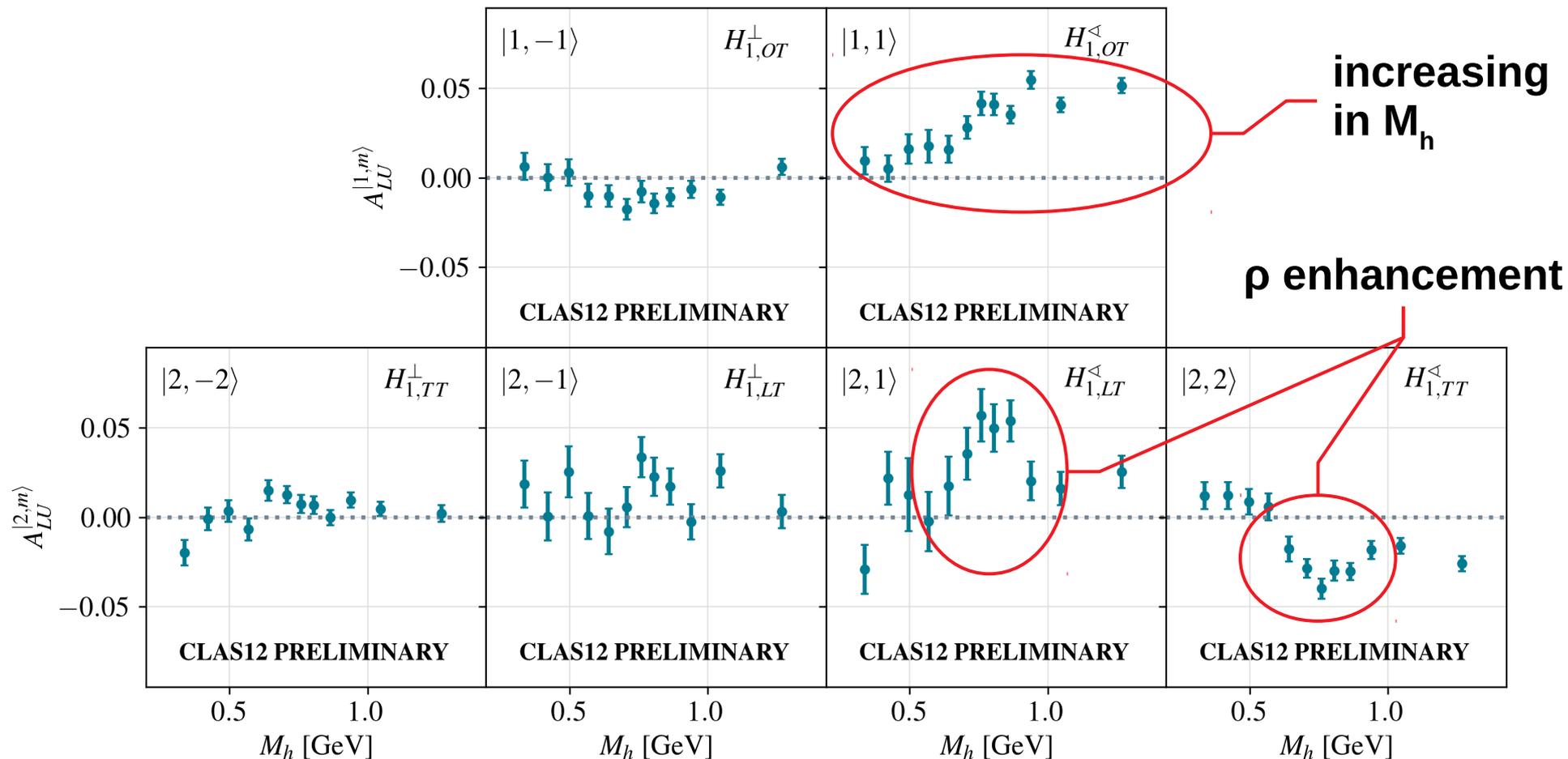






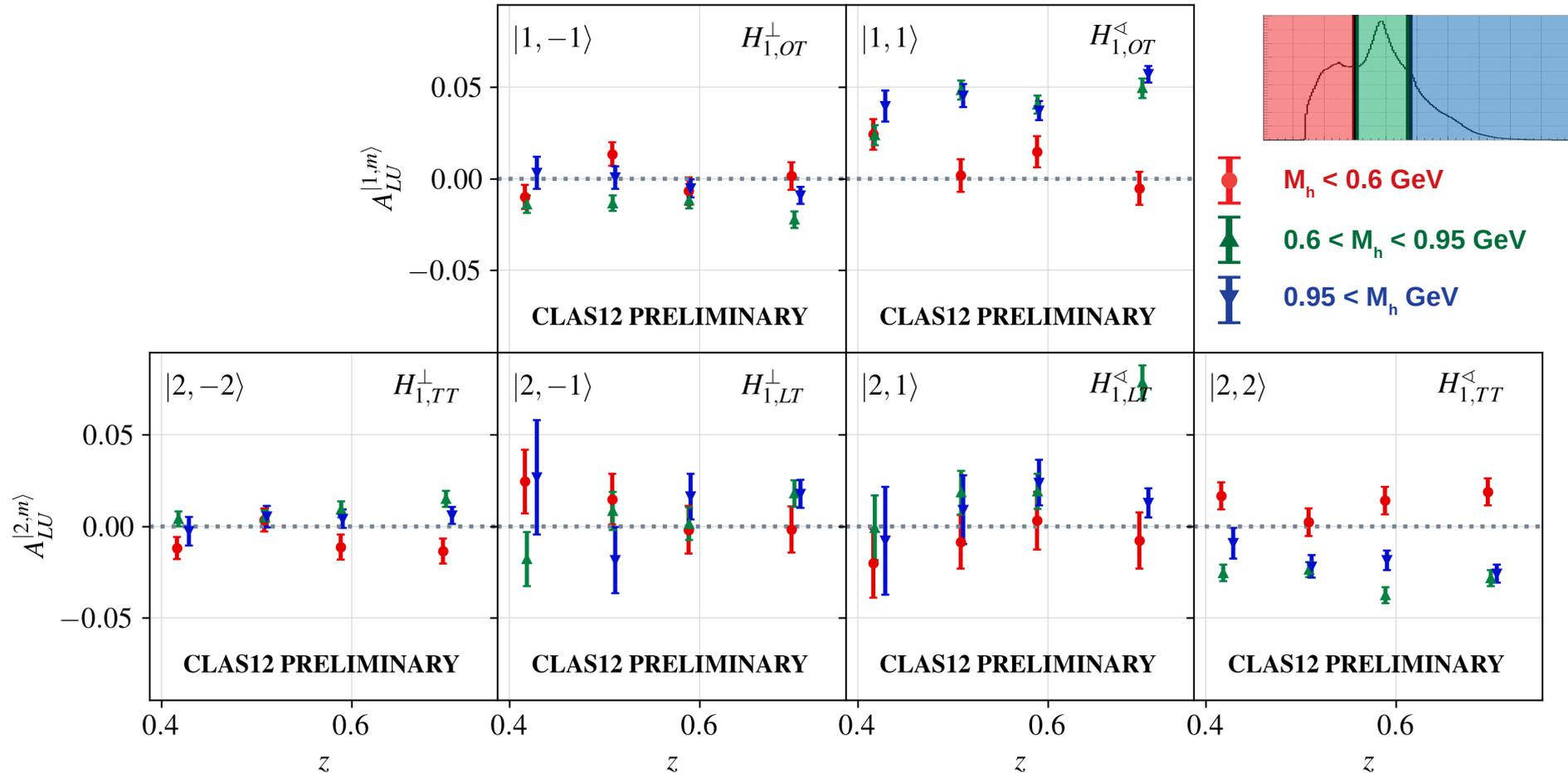






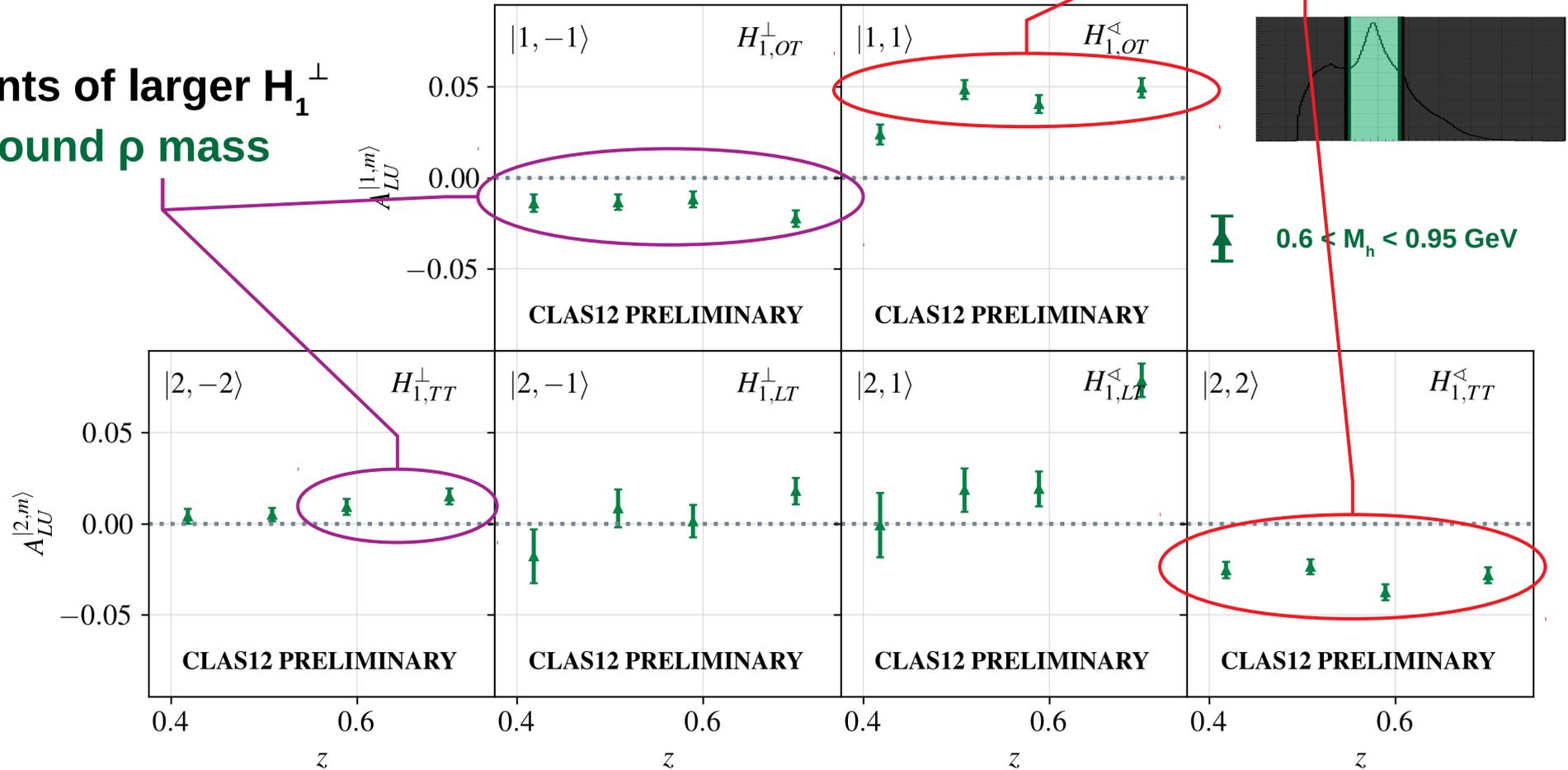
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Twist-3  $A_{LU}$  Amplitudes





hints of larger  $H_1^\perp$   
around  $\rho$  mass

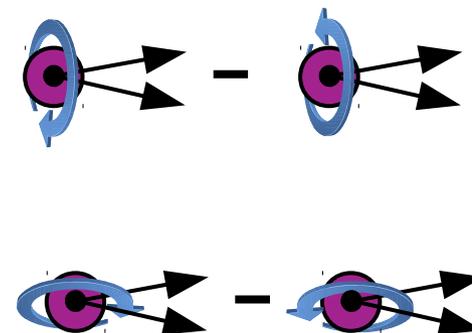
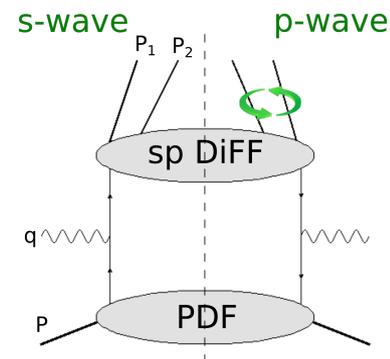


- **SIDIS dihadron beam spin asymmetries are sensitive to:**

- Dihadron fragmentation function  $G_1^\perp$  and  $H_1$
- Twist-3 parton distribution function  $e(x)$

- **Partial waves expansions provide:**

- Dependence on dihadron polarizations
- Refined access to  $G_1^\perp$
- Better understanding of  $H_1^<$
- Hints at nonzero  $H_1^\perp$

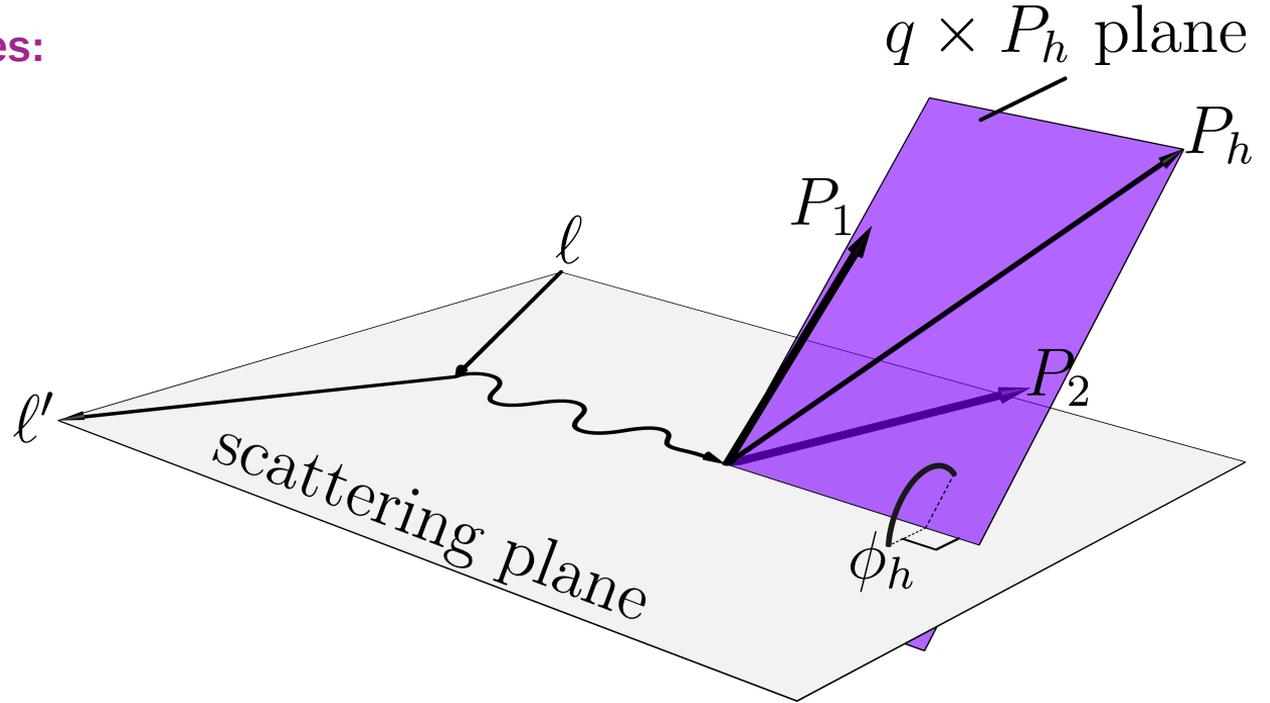


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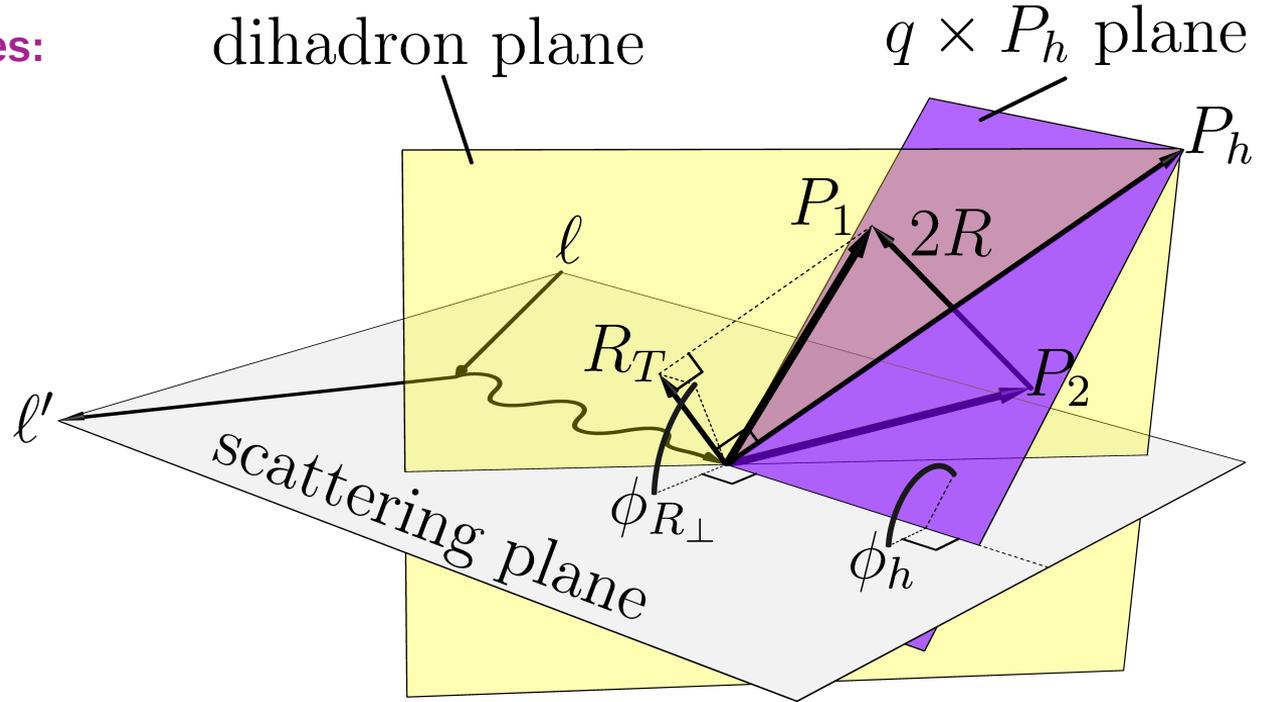


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- Decay angle  $\theta$

