



Using spin to probe the structure of the universe

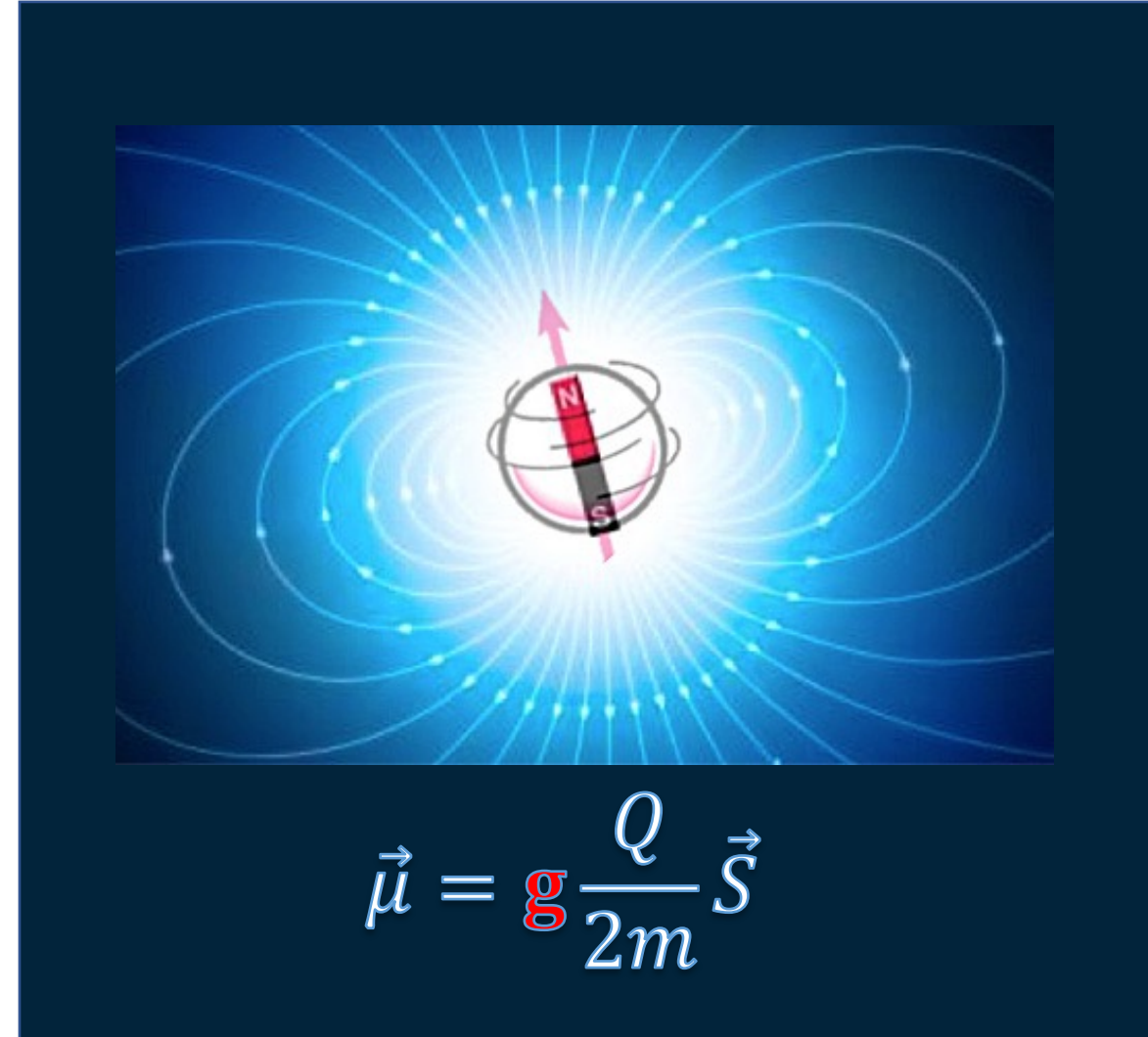
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Spin

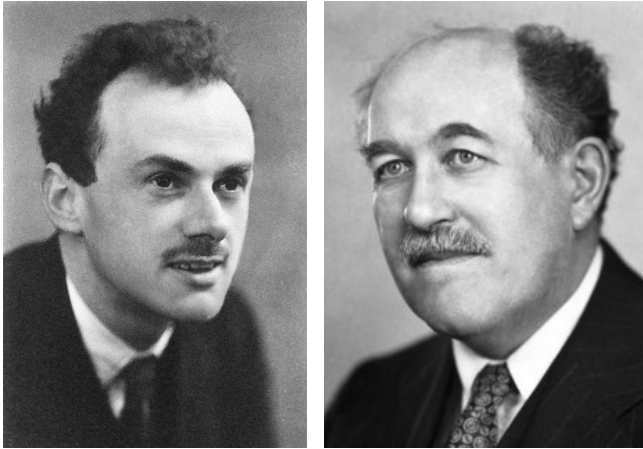
- Particles have intrinsic angular momentum called spin
- Fermion spin emerges naturally from relativistic quantum mechanics

$$(i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \psi = 0$$

- Implies a deep and fundamental connection between spin dynamics and the underlying forces that govern our universe.
- Classic example :
the proton magnetic moment



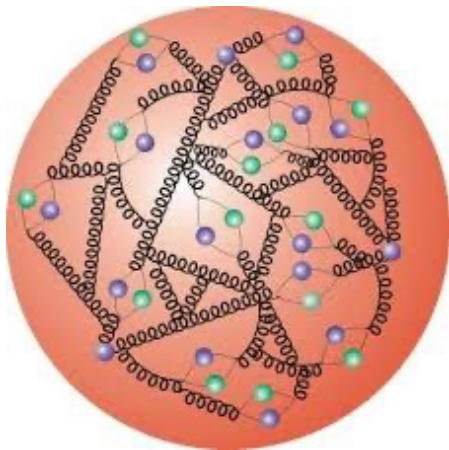
Magnetic Dipole Moments



Prediction of $g = 2$ for all point-like spin 1/2 fermions emerges from Dirac equation. *P.A.M. Dirac, Proc. R. Soc. A 118, 351 (1928)*

Stern & associates measured the proton magnetic moment in 1933 and find **proton $g = 5.59!$** *R. Frisch and O. Stern, Z. Phys. 85, 4,1. Estermann and O. Stern, Z. Phys 85, 17 (1933)*

“While we were measuring the magnetic moment of the proton we were strongly chided by the theoreticians since they thought they already knew the answer.” ⁴ ETH-Bibliothek Zürich, Archive, <http://www.sr.ethbib.ethz.ch/>, Otto Stern tape-recording Folder »ST-Misc.«, 1961 at E.T.H. Zürich by Res Jost

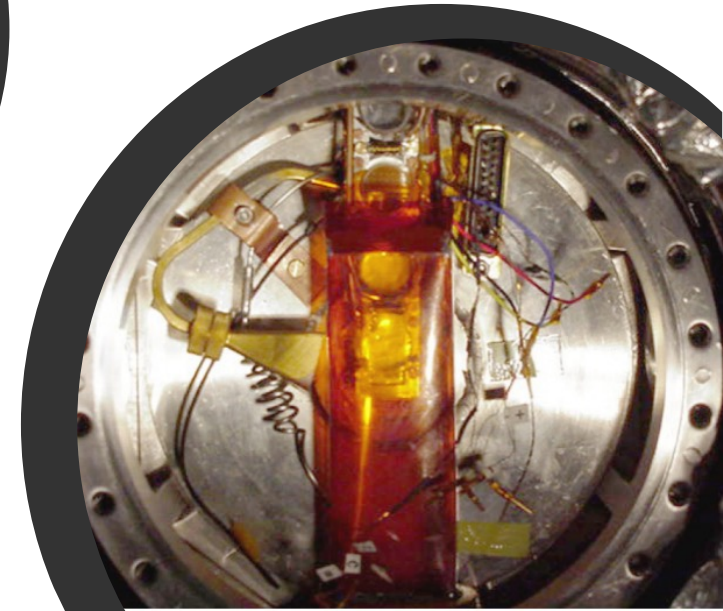
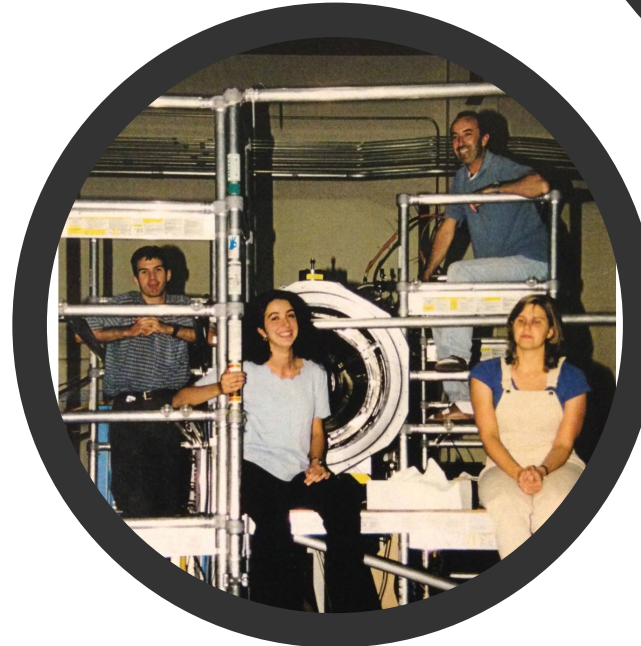
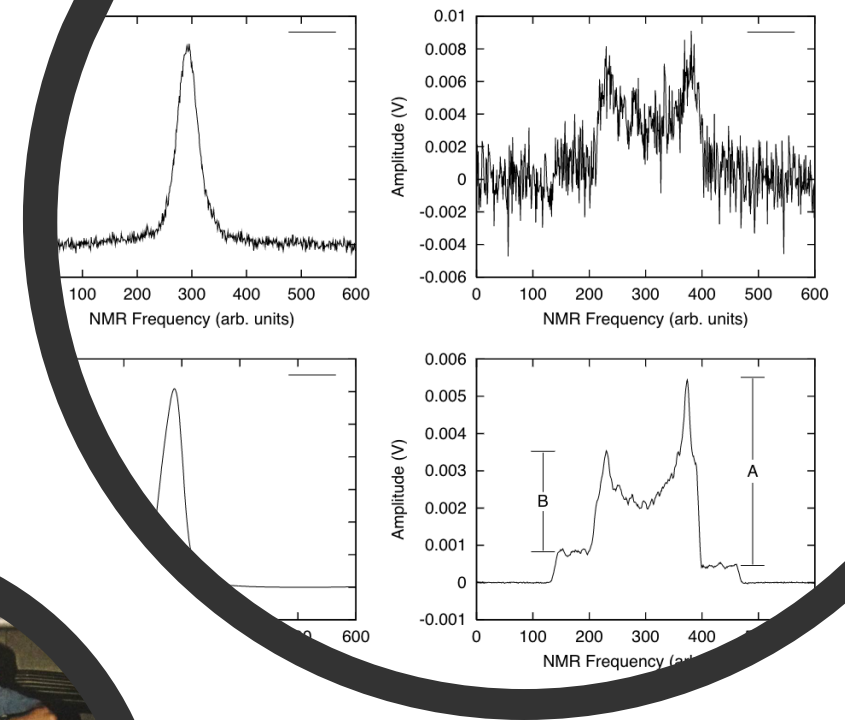
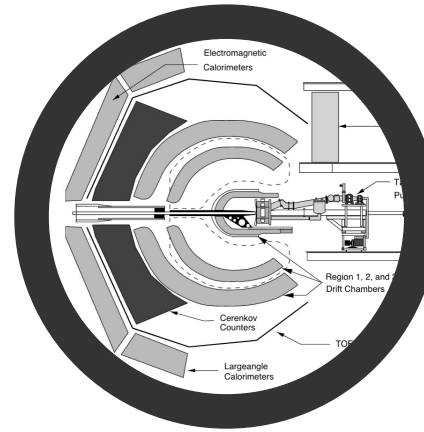


A measurement of the magnetic moment of a “point-like particle” leads to the discovery of substructure in the proton – decades before the discovery of quarks or gluons! Classic example of using spin to provide the structure of the universe!

Early Adventures in Spin

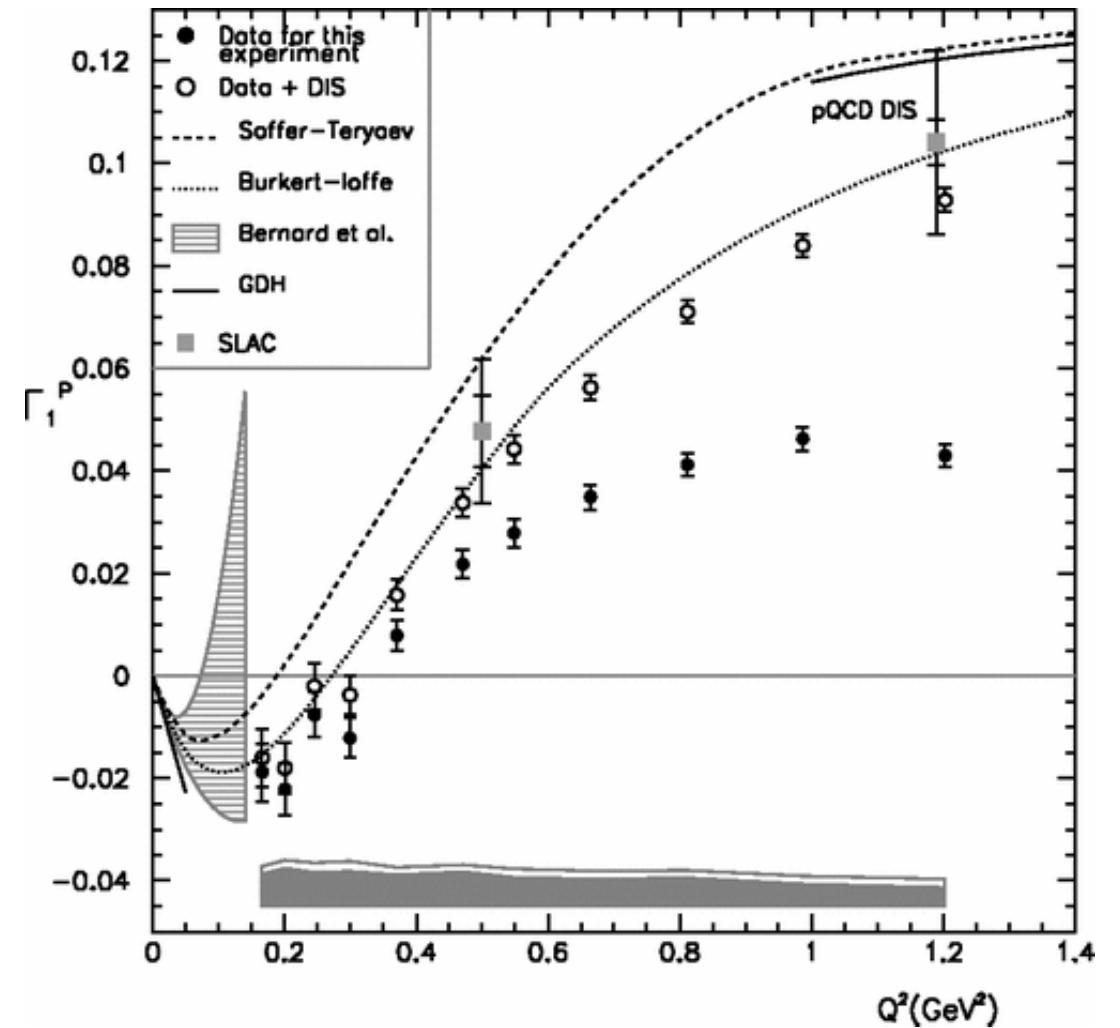
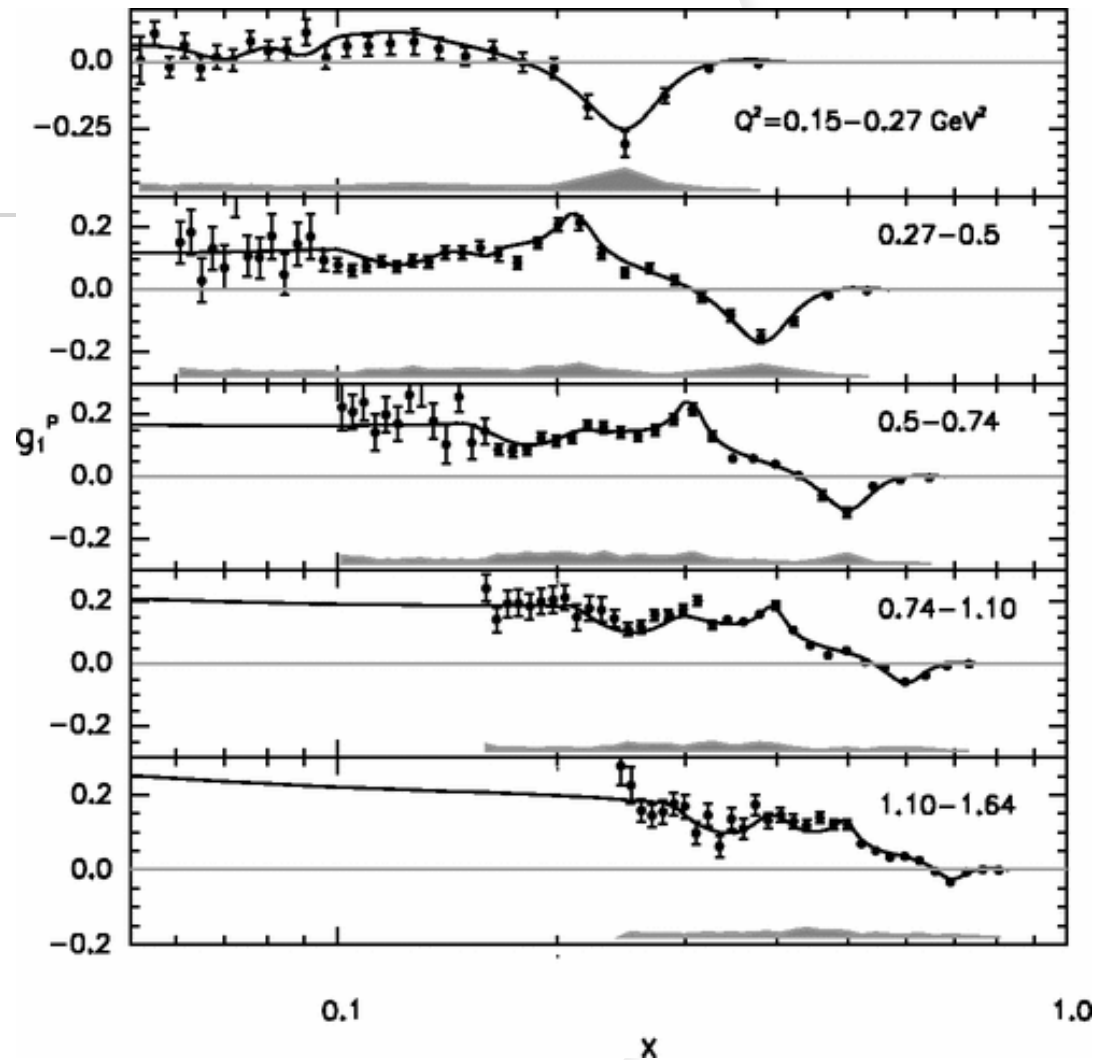
- Thesis experiment in Hall-B @ Jefferson Lab
- Part of the team that built and operated the first polarized target in Hall B.
- My analysis was on spin structure of the proton g_1^P at low $Q^2 = 0.15 - 1.64 \text{ GeV}^2$

$$g_1^P = \frac{\tau}{1 + \tau} \left[\frac{A_{\parallel}}{D} + (\gamma - \eta) A_2^P \right] F_1^P.$$



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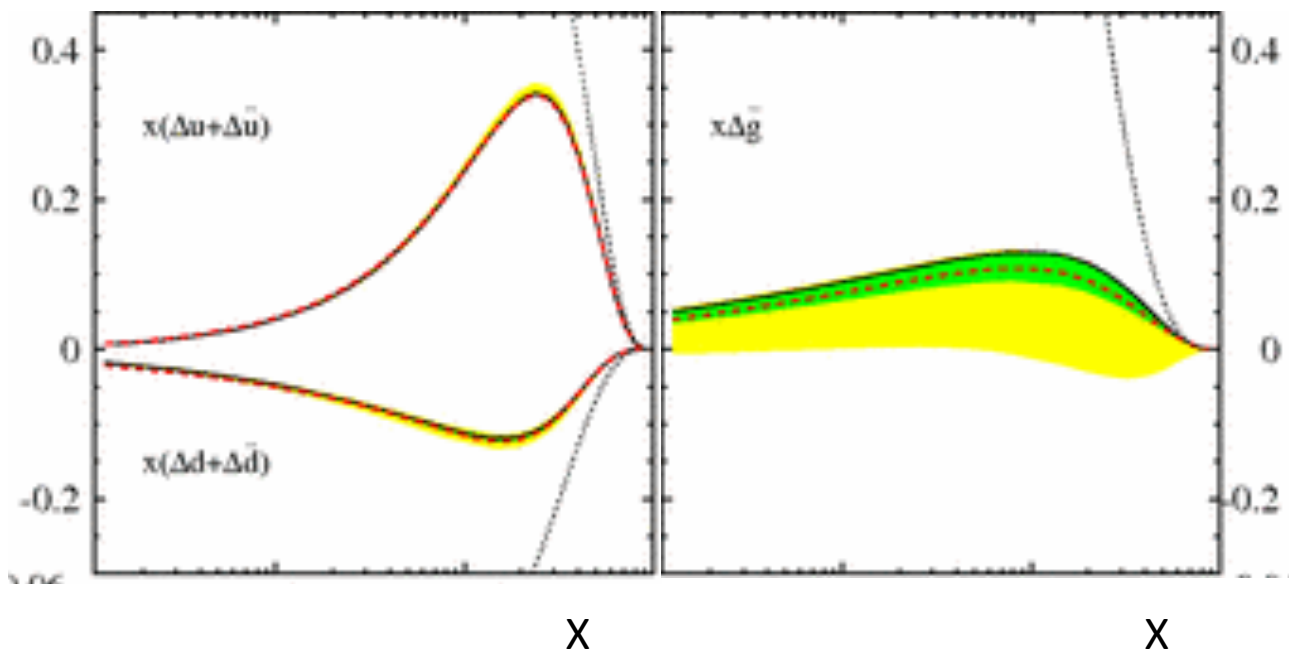
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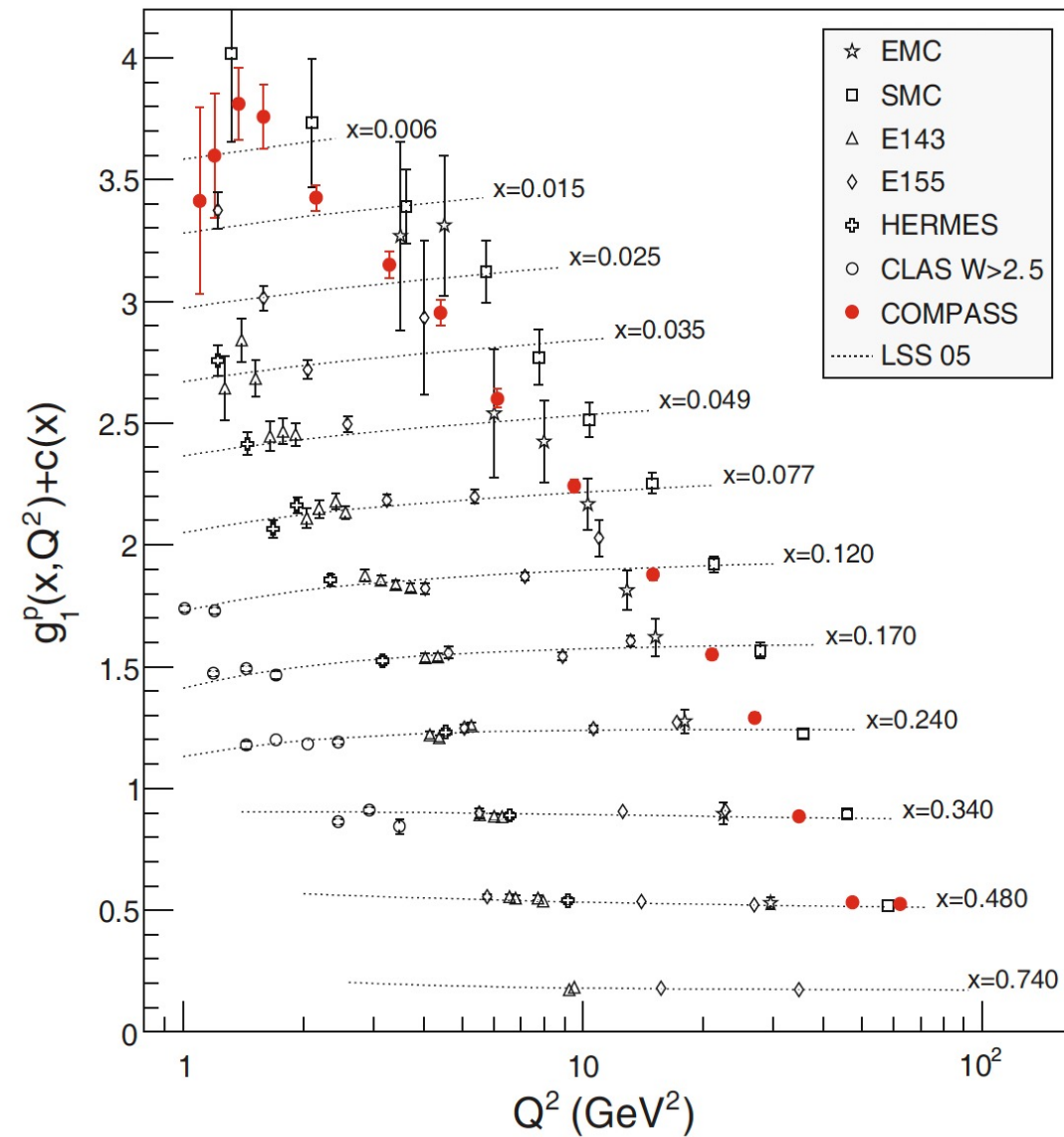
Next Spin Adventure

...the gluon!

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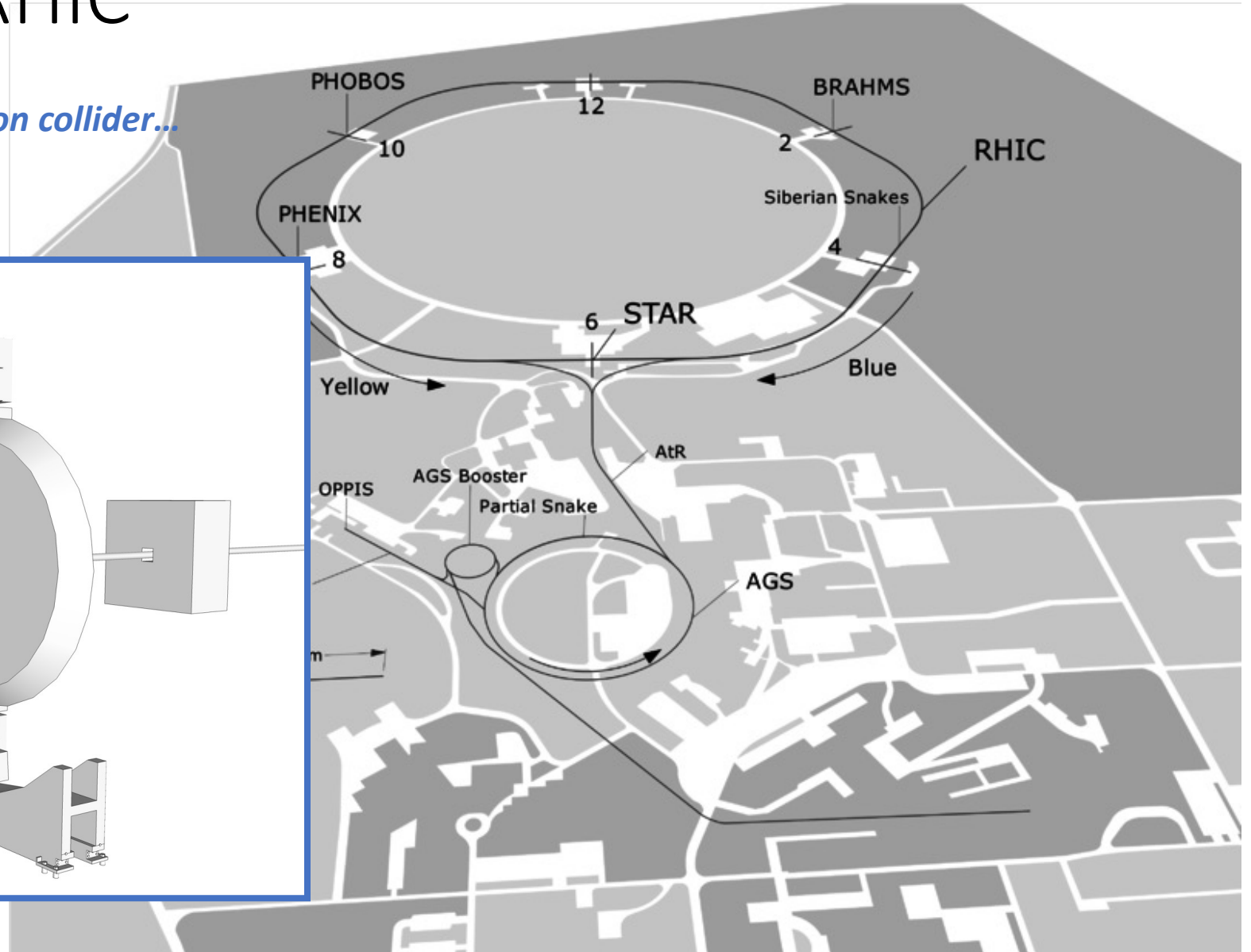
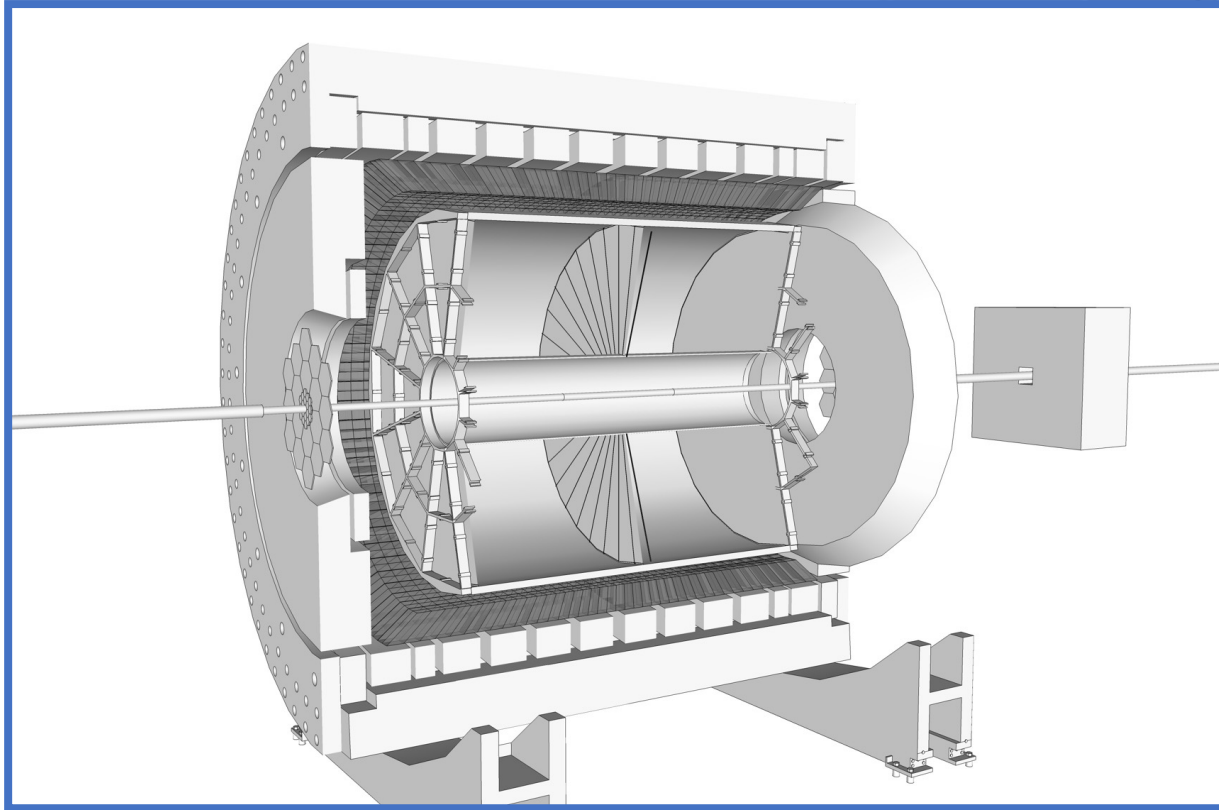


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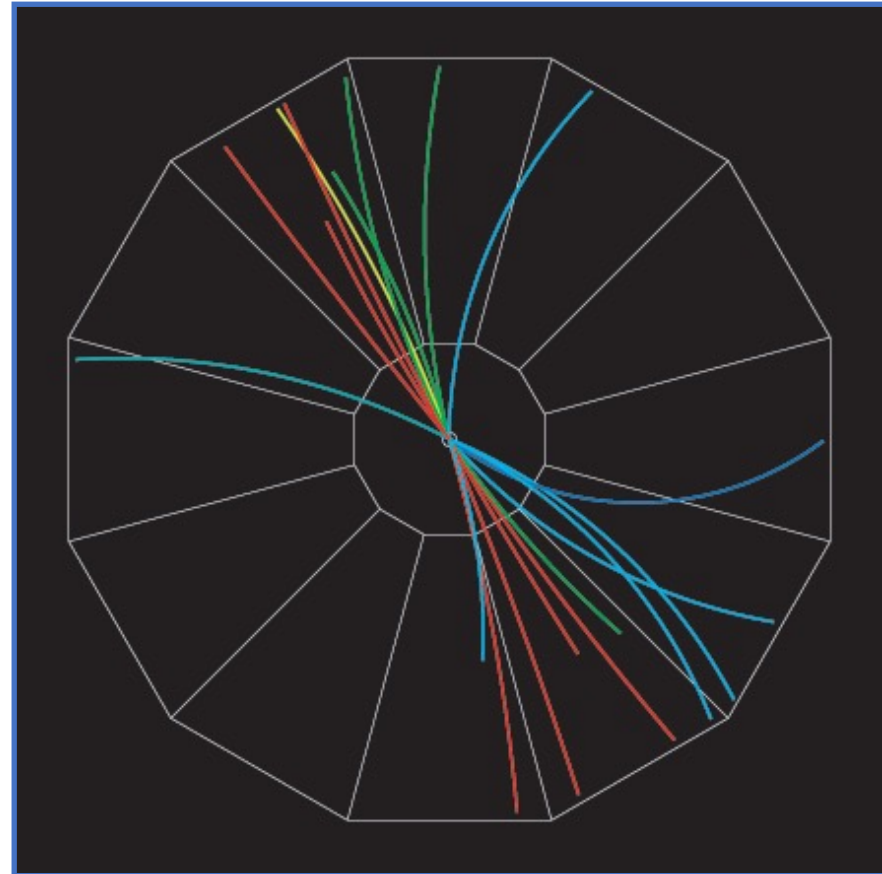
STAR Detector @ RHIC

the world's first and only polarized proton collider...



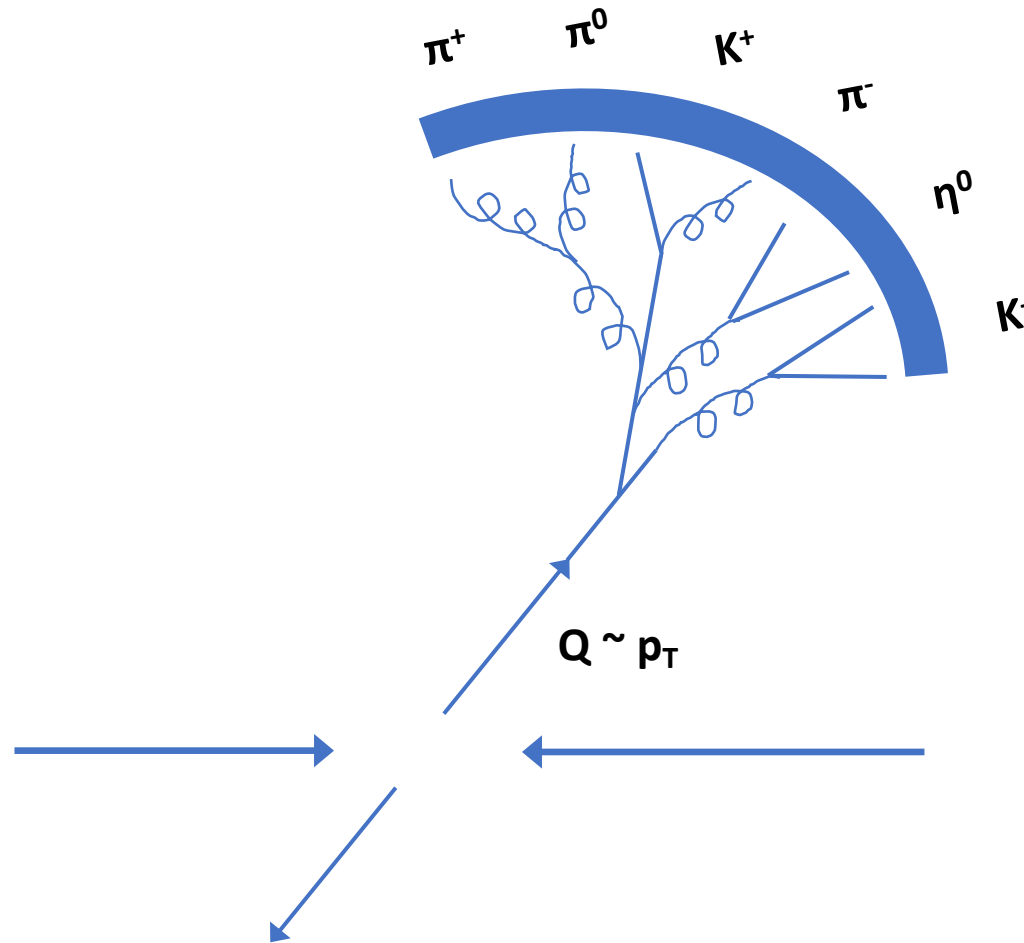
Jets as a tool for spin physics at STAR

- Jets are not well-defined objects
- Jets only become well defined objects when a clustering algorithm is specified.
- Need an algorithm that is not sensitive to soft gluon radiation and parton splitting.
- Anti-kT algorithm via FastJet
 - Cacciari, Salam, Soyez, JHEP **04**, 063 (2008)*
 - Cacciari, Salam, Soyez, Eur. Phys. J. C **72**, 1896 (2012)*



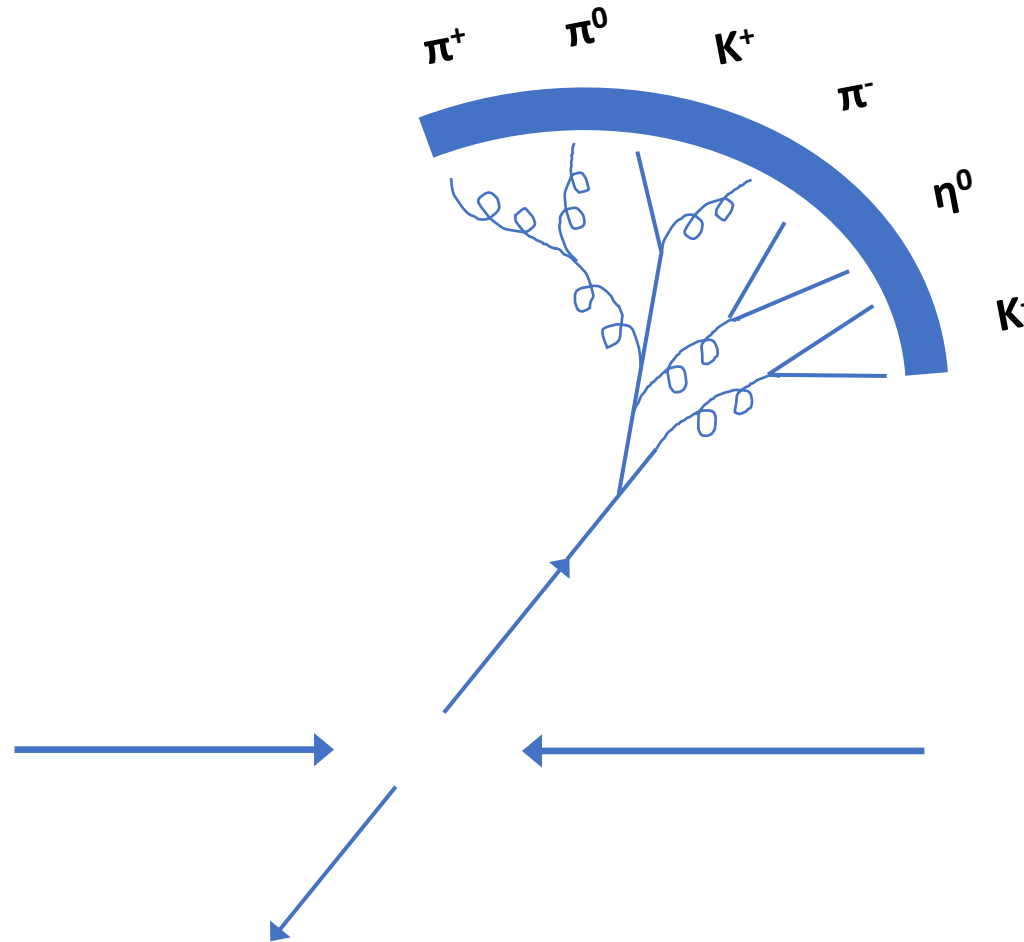
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- Hard Scattering



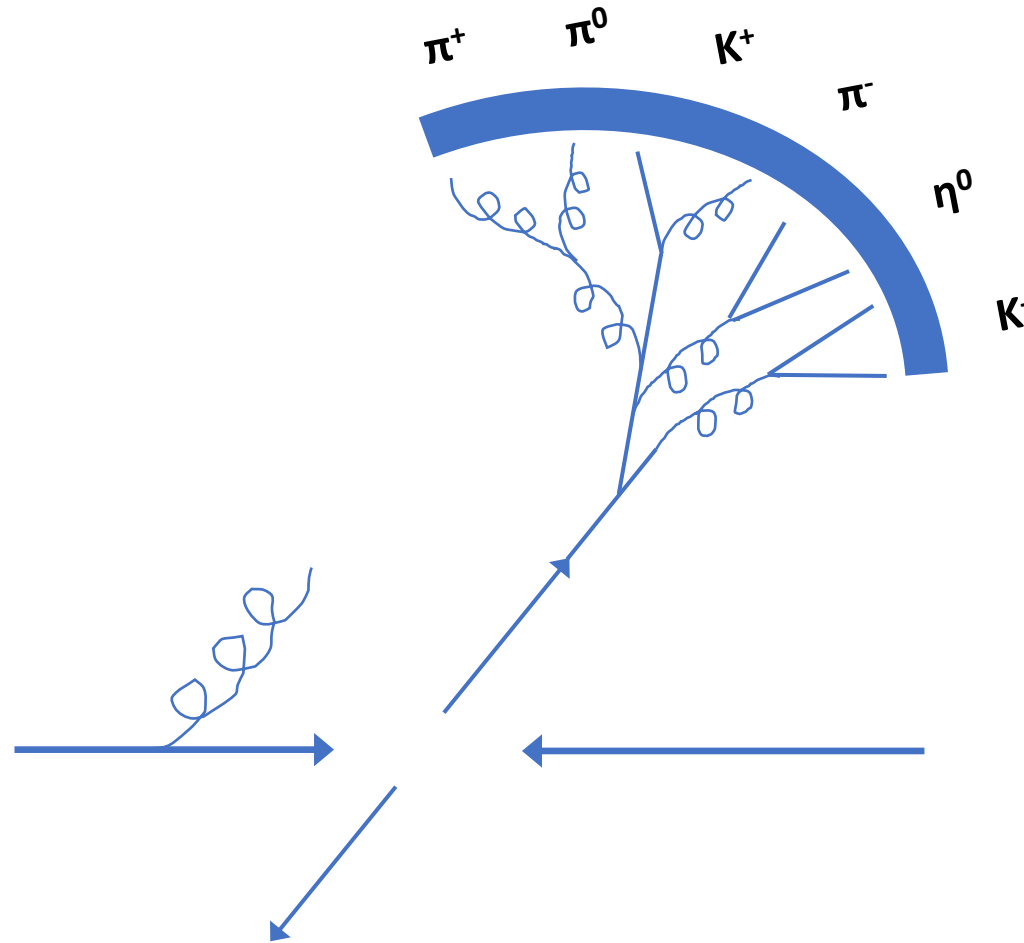
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- Fragmentation and Hadronization



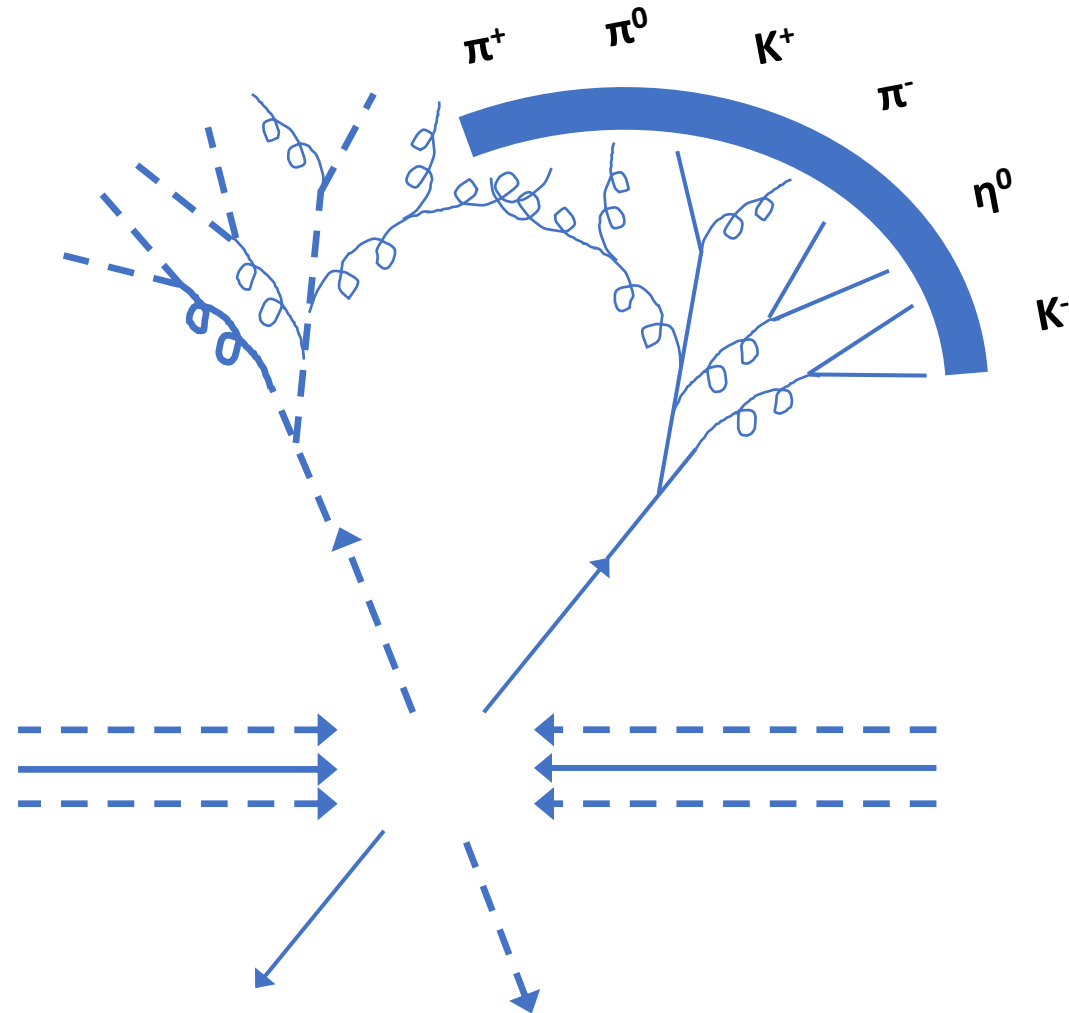
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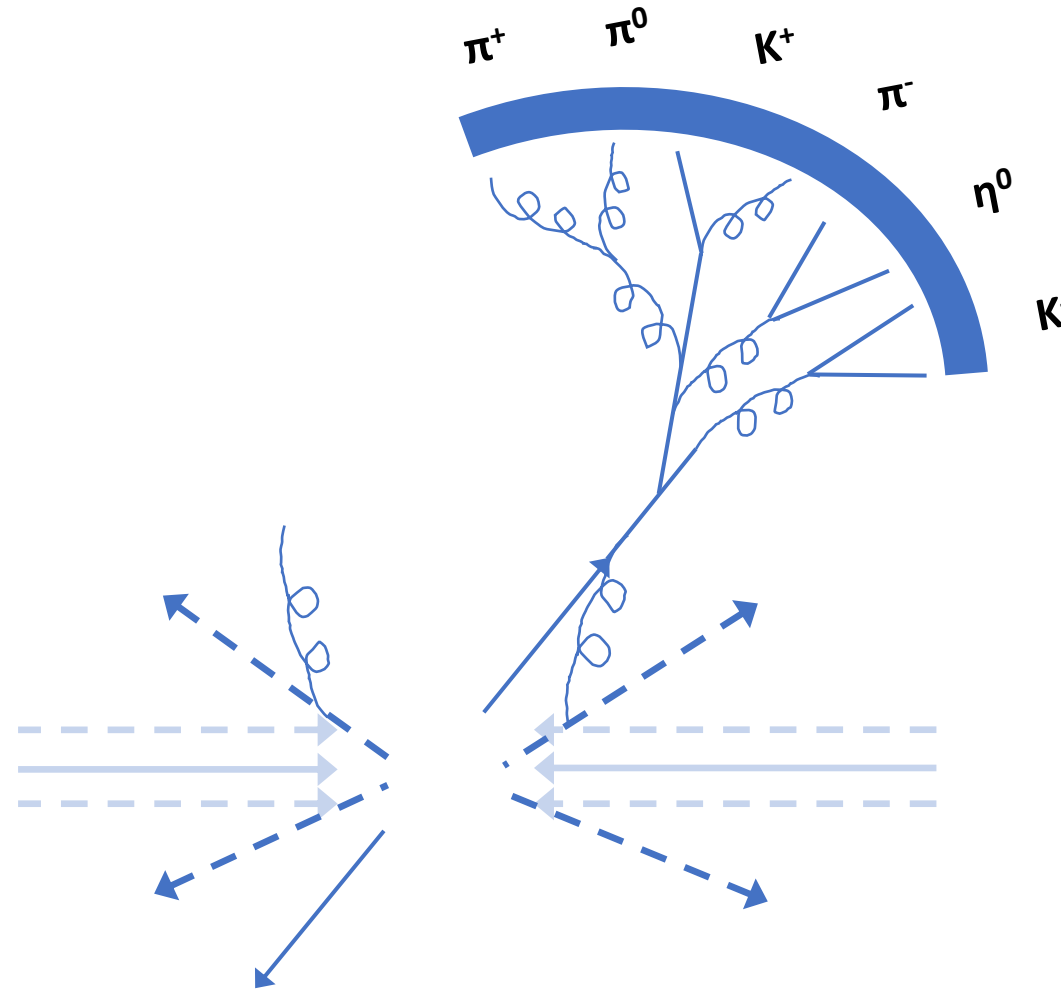
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- Radiation
- Underlying event
 - Multiple parton interactions



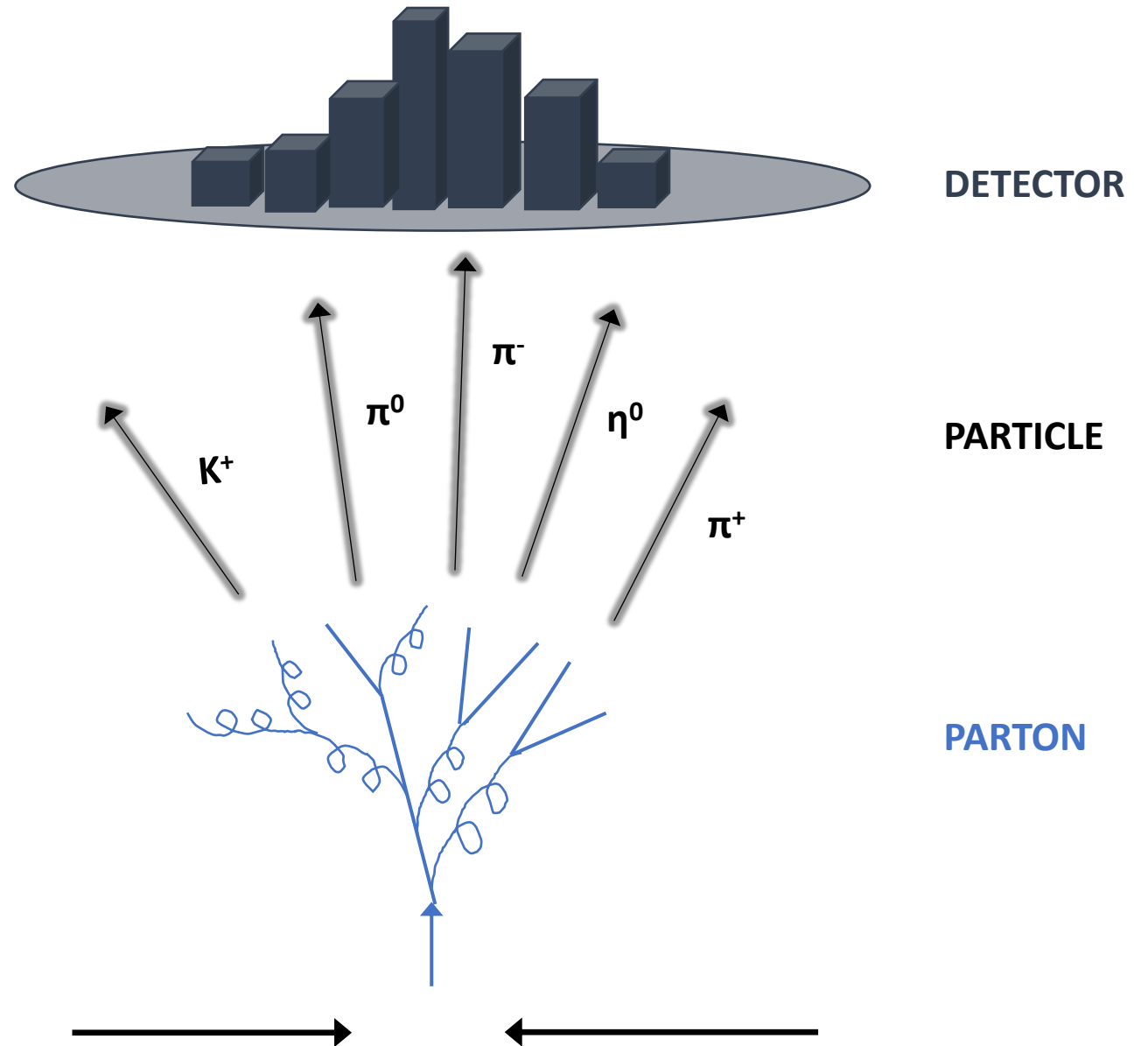
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 - Interactions with beam remnants



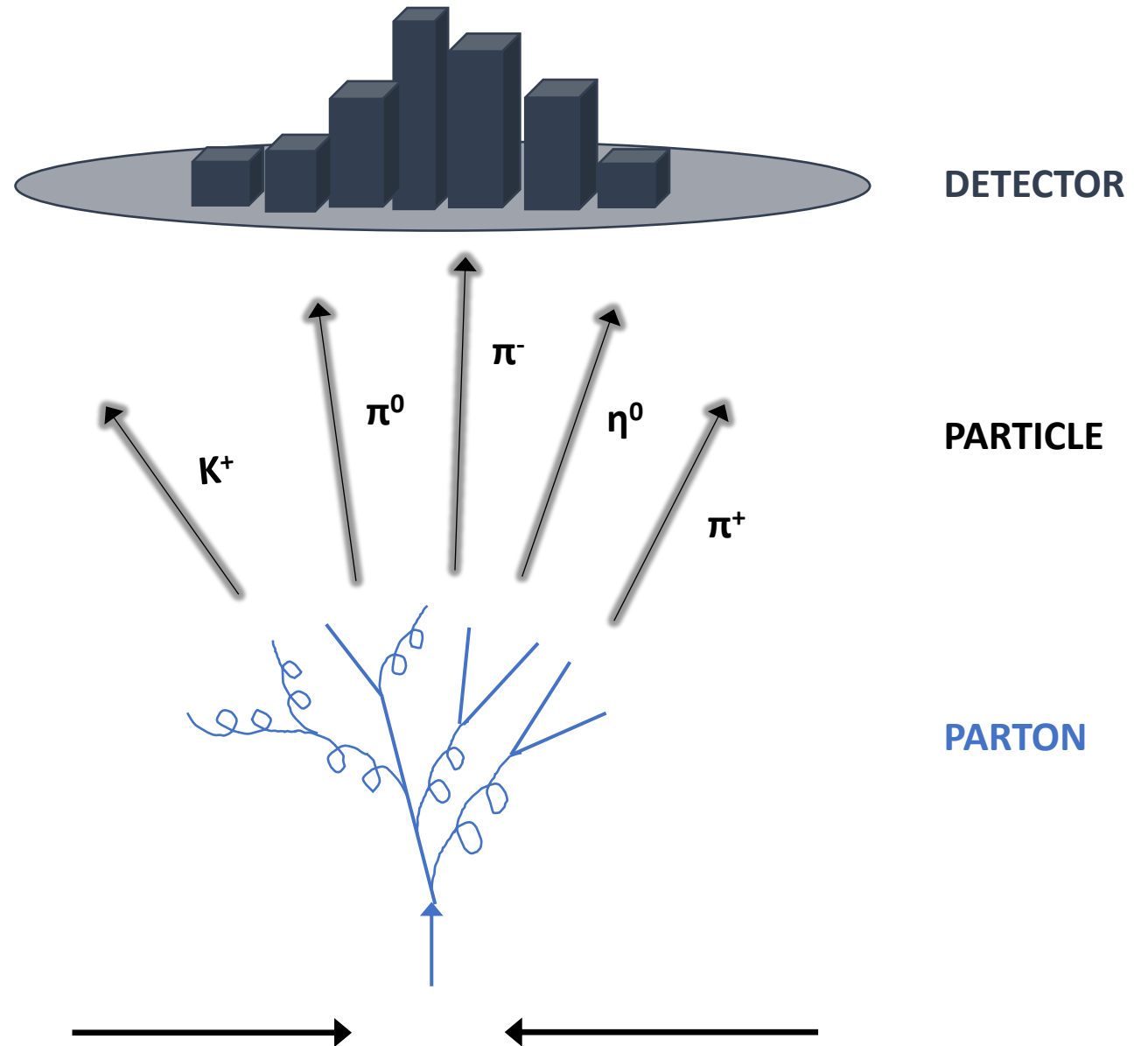
pp Jetfinder @ STAR

- $R = 0.6$ 200 GeV mid-rapidity
- $R = 0.5$ 500 GeV mid-rapidity
- Jet $p_T > 5$ GeV
- In PYTHIA+GEANT simulation we apply anti-kT algorithm at **PARTON**, **PARTICLE** and **DETECTOR** level.
- Underlying event contributions are removed from PARTON level jets.

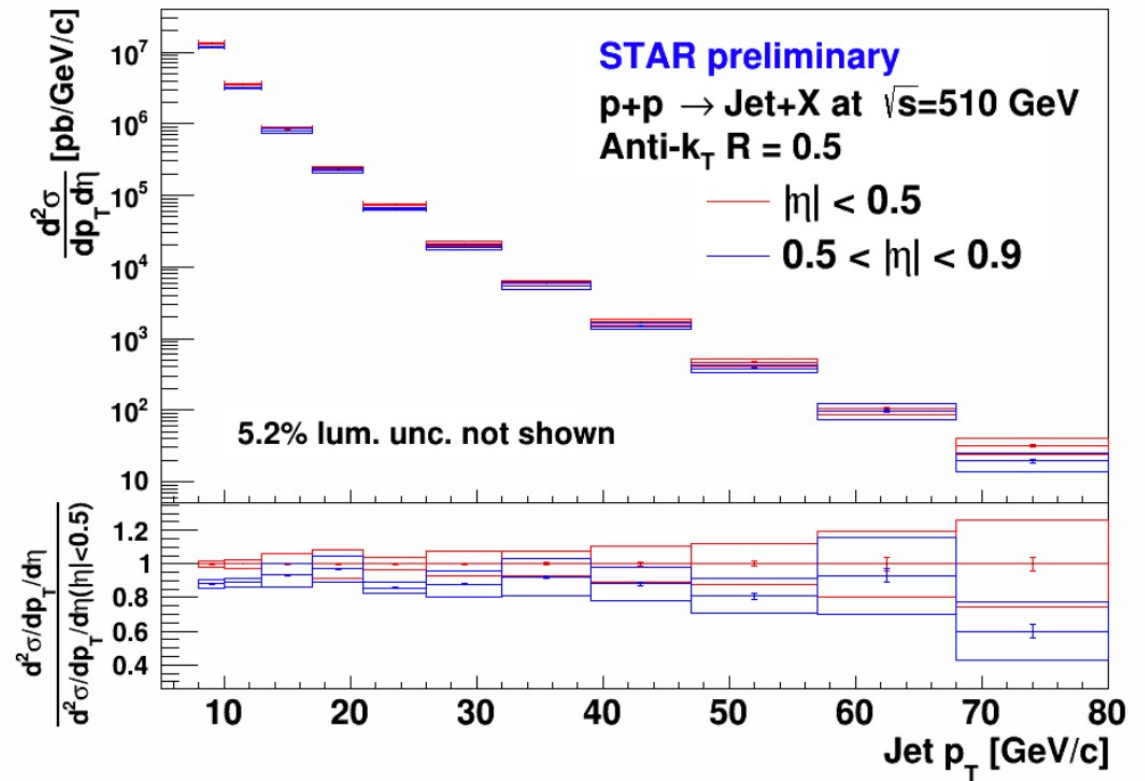
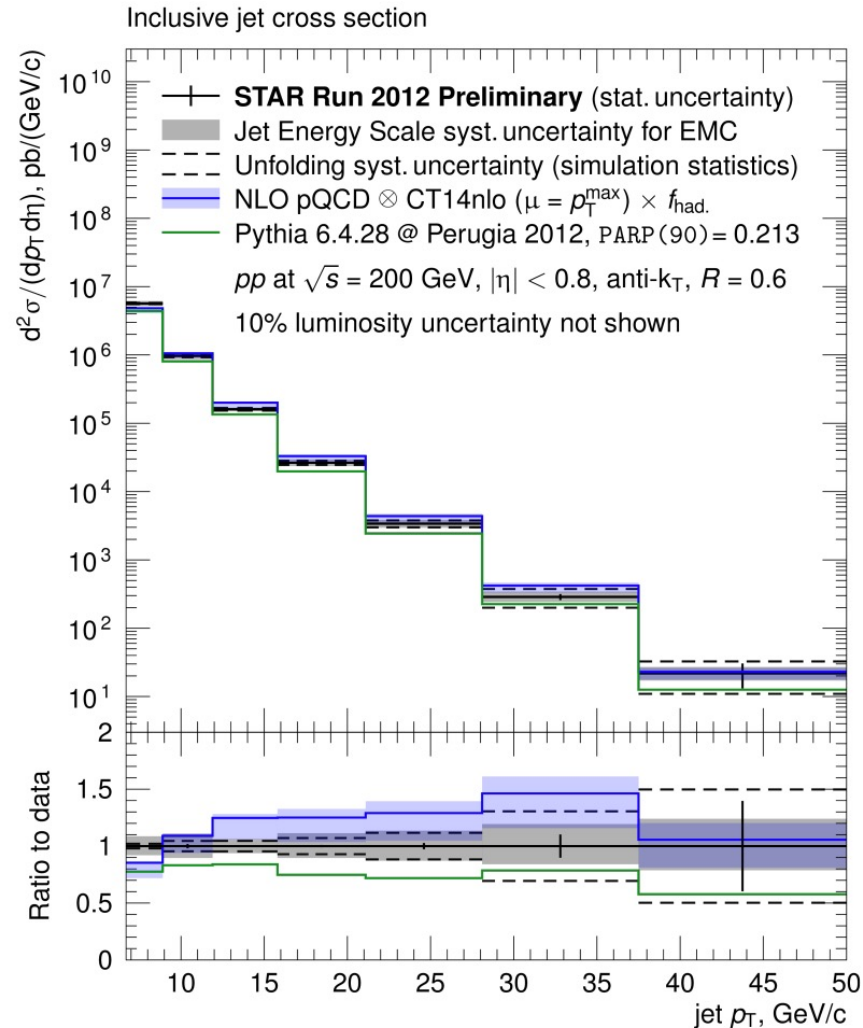


Questions we had to address along the way...

- Can we use pQCD to interpret our results at $\sqrt{s} = 200$ GeV?
- Do simulations that are tuned for LHC \sqrt{s} match our data? Is the underlying event well described?
- At what level should we report our results?
- Can we account for UE and hadronization effects in a data driven way?

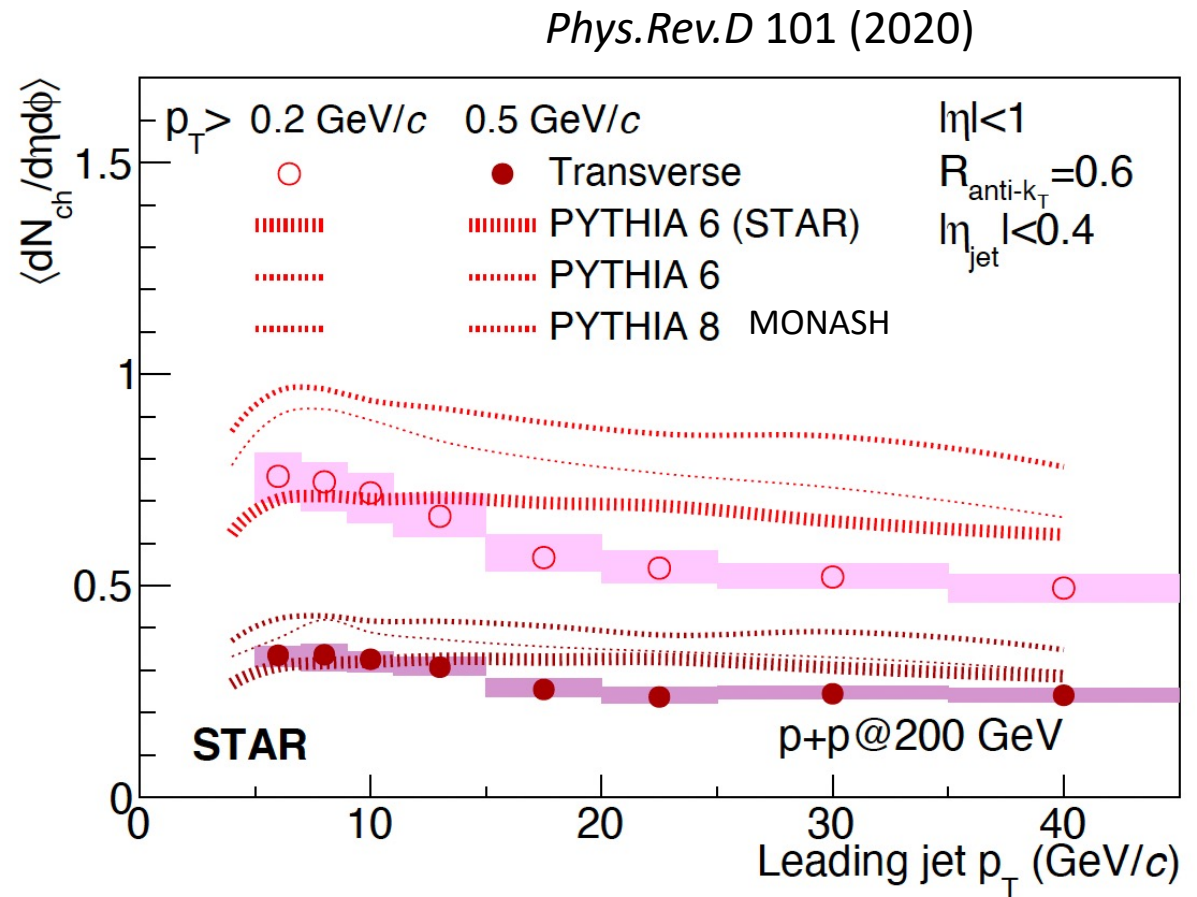


200 & 500 GeV Inclusive Jet Cross-section



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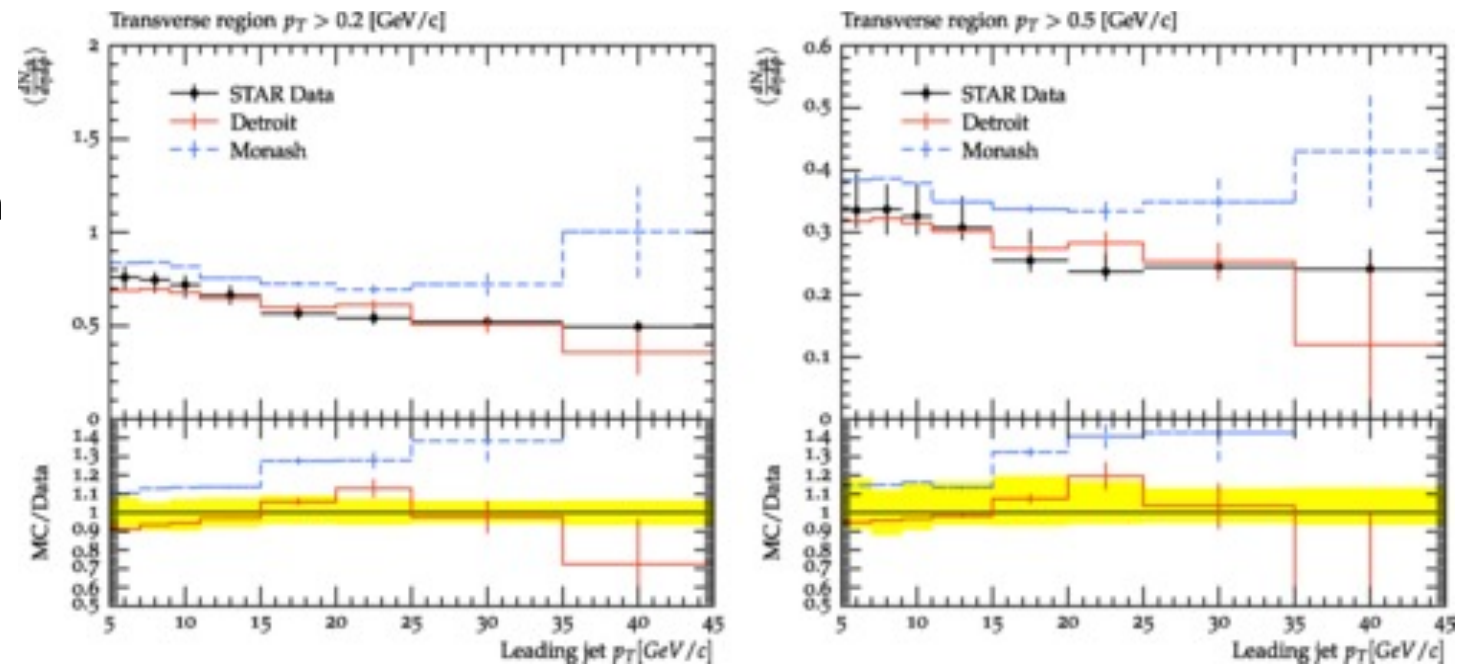


PERUGIA 2012, CTEQ6L1, PARP(90)=0.213

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PYTHIA8 “Detroit Tune”
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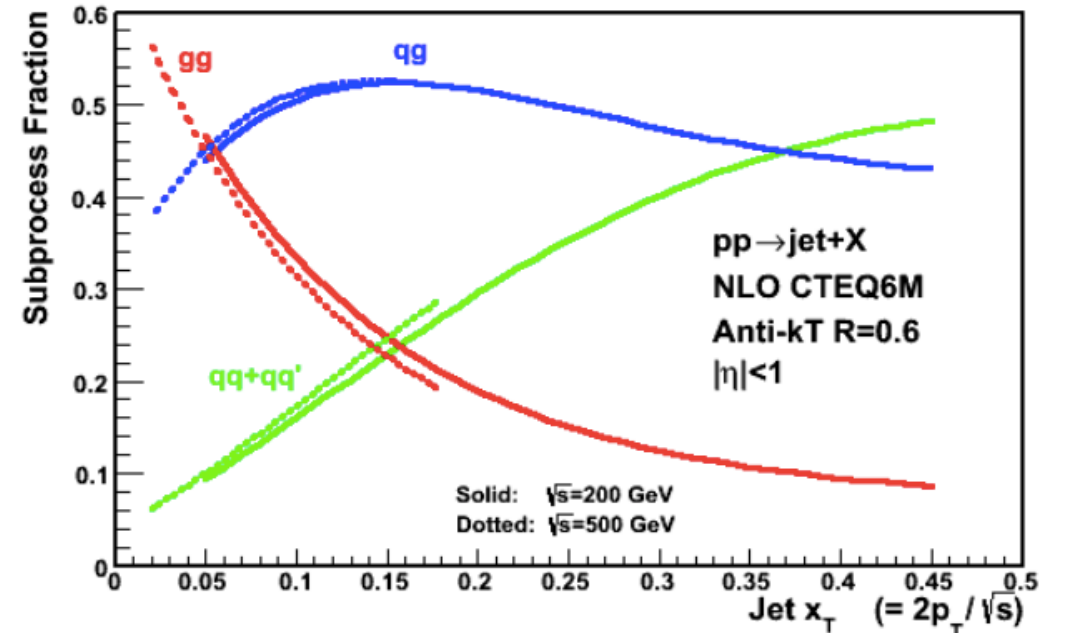
GLUON Spin

Gluons!

- Lower jet $p_T \rightarrow$ more gluons
- Measurements at higher \sqrt{s} access lower partonic x

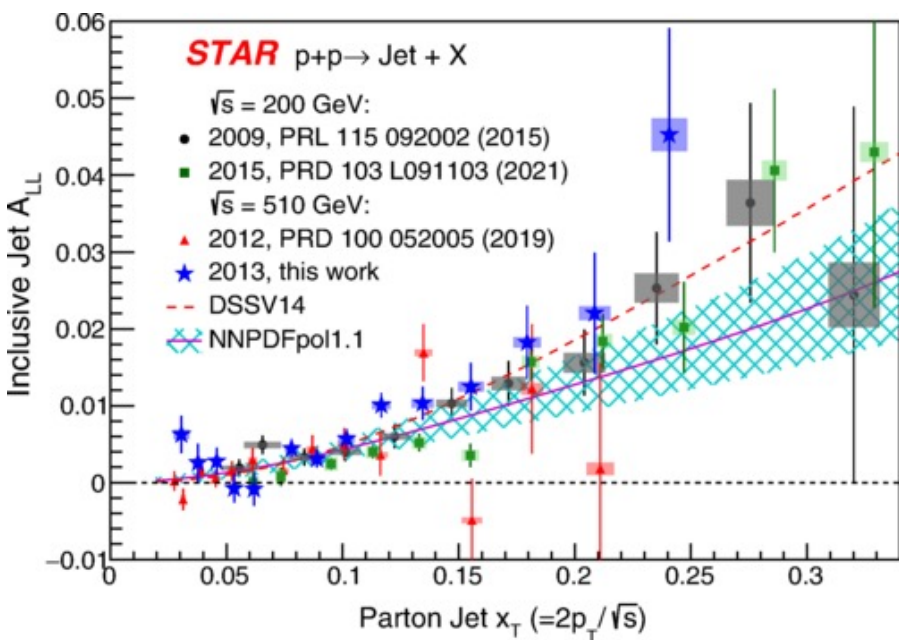
$$x \sim x_T e^{\pm\eta} = \frac{2p_T}{\sqrt{s}} e^{\pm\eta}$$

- Look at all the jets in an event – Inclusive. Gives highest statistical power.
- Look at two highest p_T jets in the event – Dijets. Allows for reconstruction of x_1 & x_2 at leading order.
- Use double spin asymmetries A_{LL} in **longitudinally polarized collisions** to gain sensitivity to the gluon helicity.

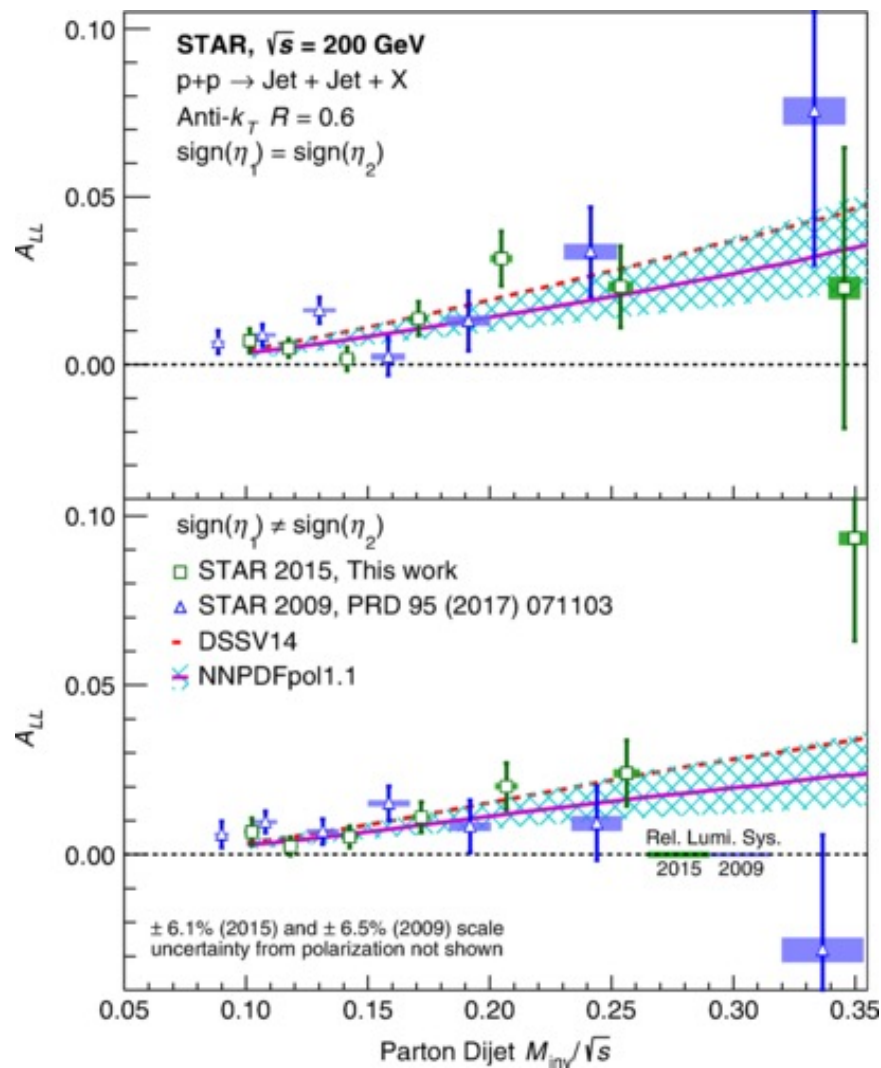


$$A_{LL} = \frac{\sigma^{++} - \sigma^{+-}}{\sigma^{++} + \sigma^{+-}} \propto \frac{\sum_{AB} \Delta f_A \Delta f_B \times \Delta \sigma_{AB \rightarrow jet+X}}{\sum_{AB} f_A f_B \times \sigma_{AB \rightarrow jet+X}}$$

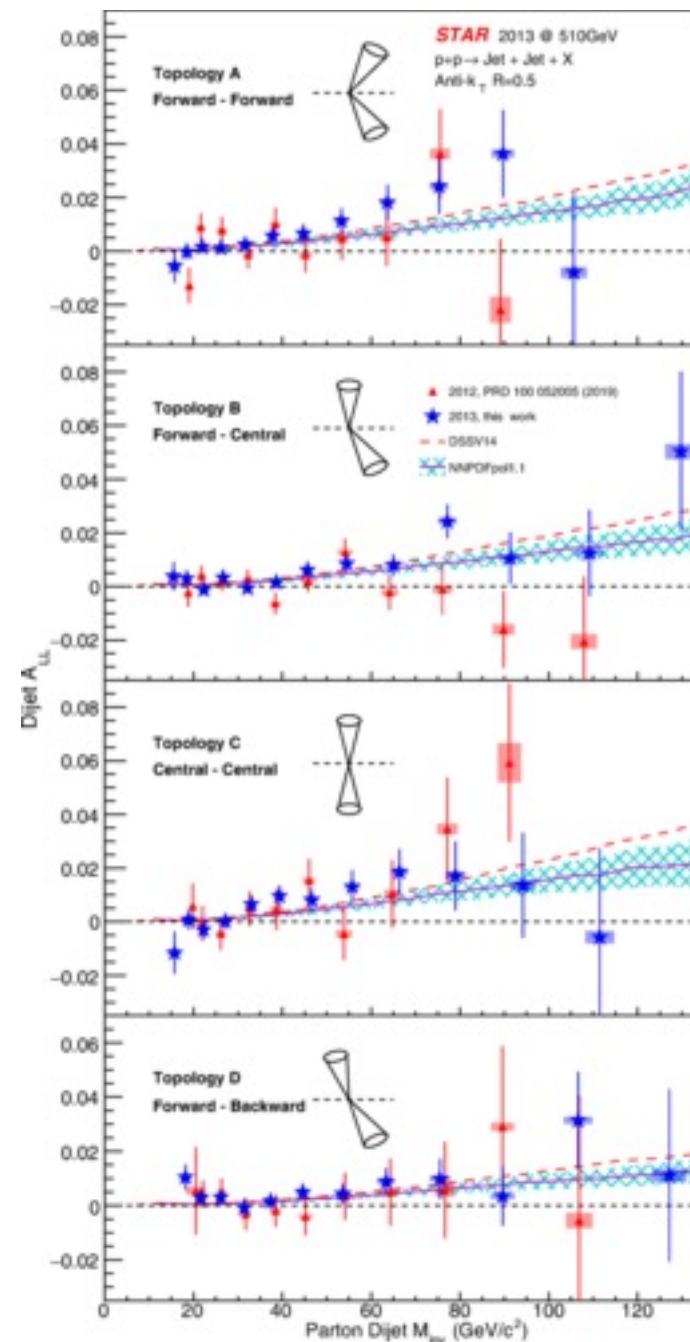
Inclusive Jet

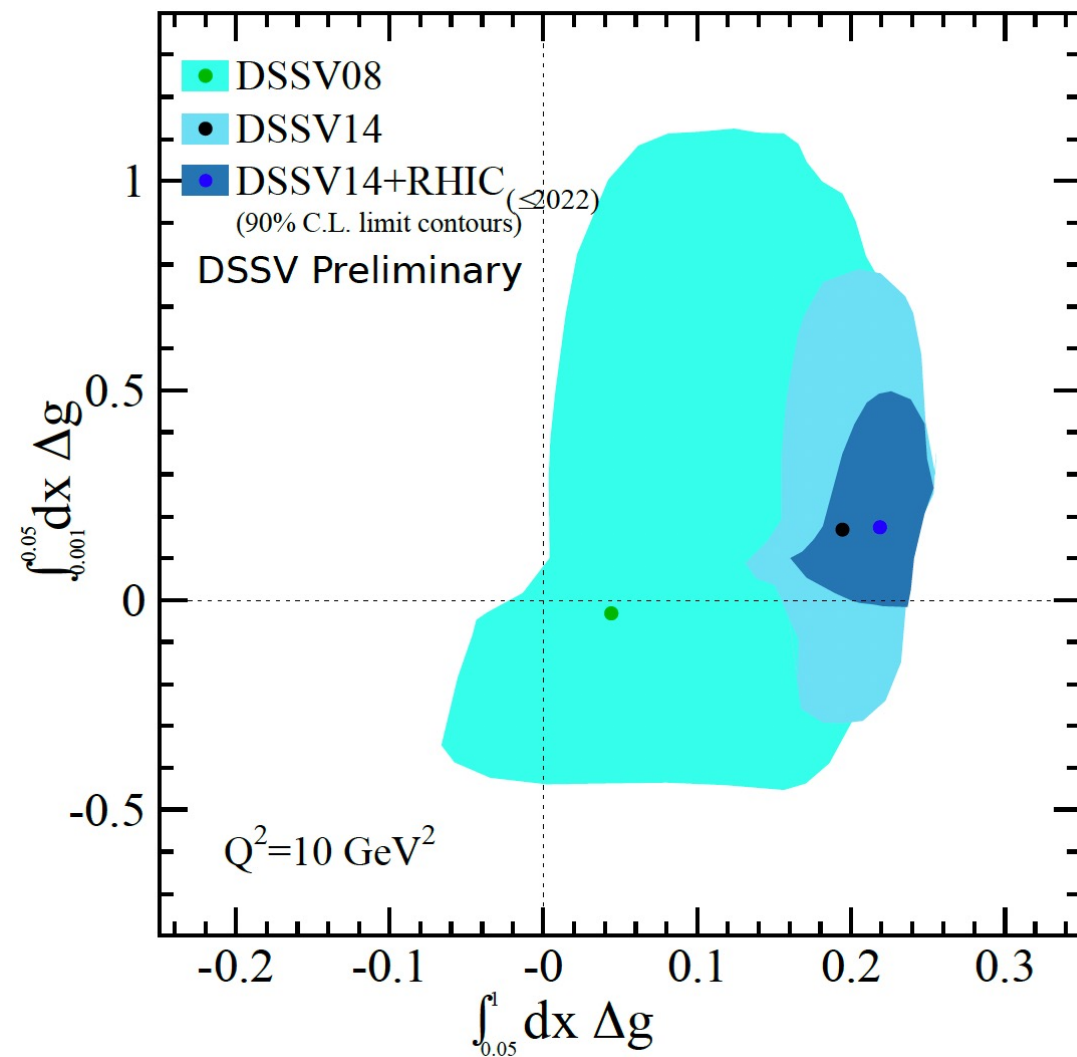
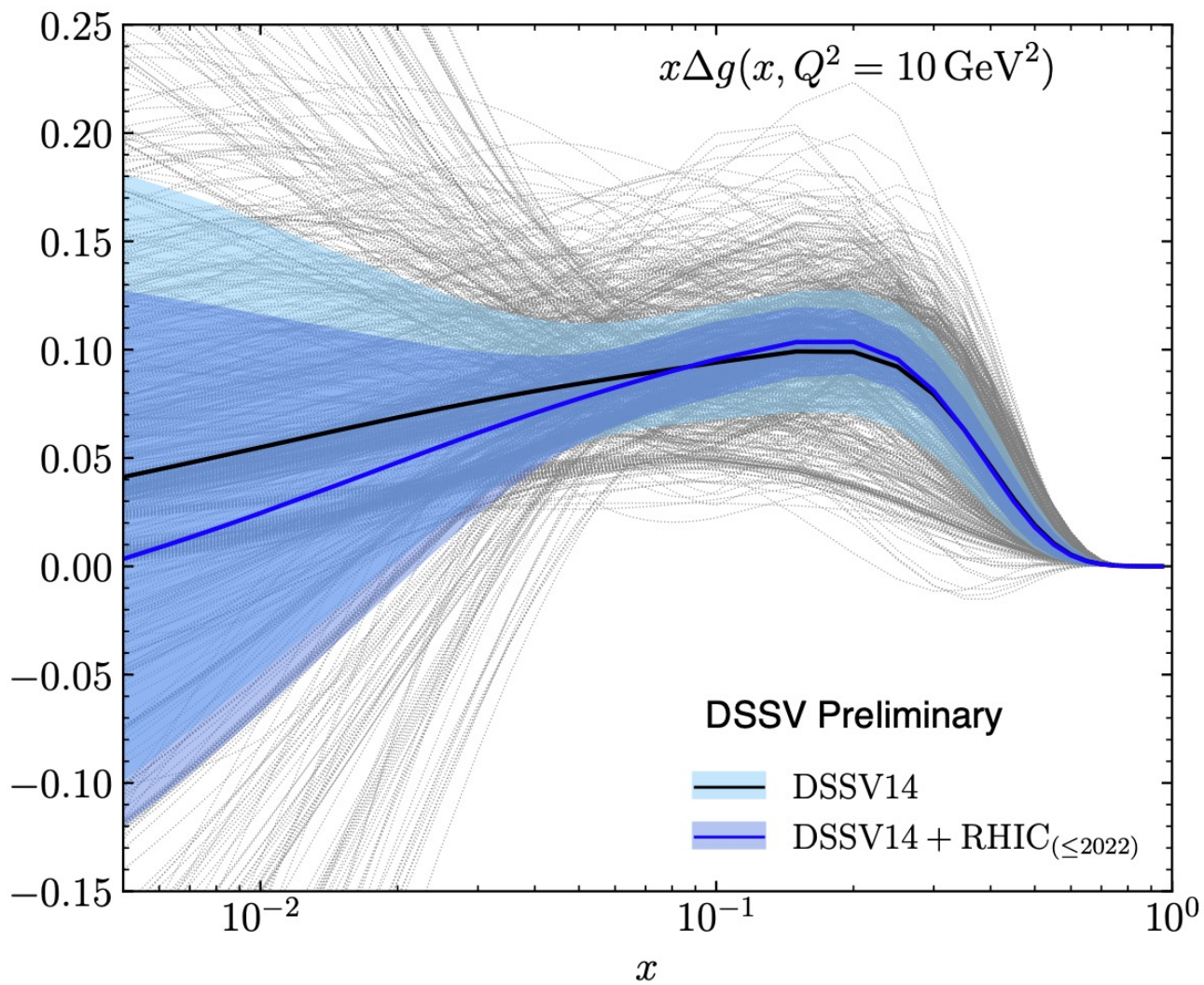


200 GeV Dijet



500 GeV Dijet



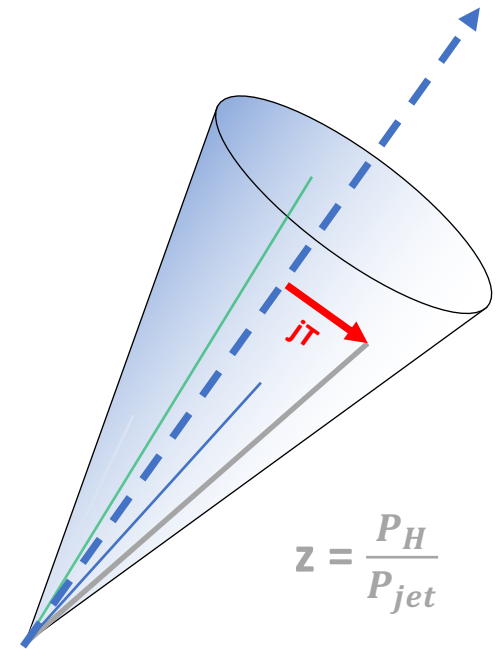




SPIN Dependent Fragmentation

Transverse Momentum Distributions

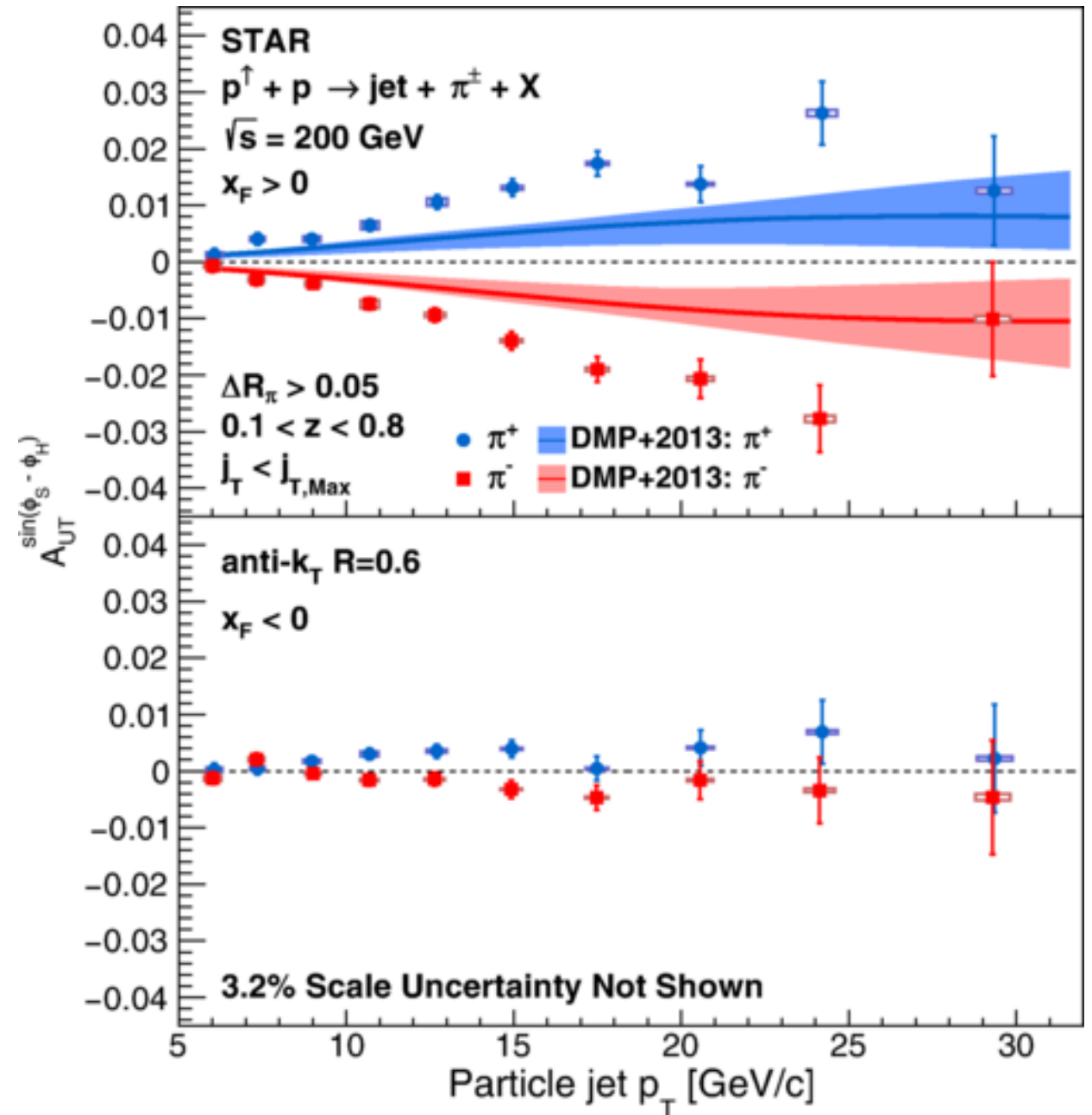
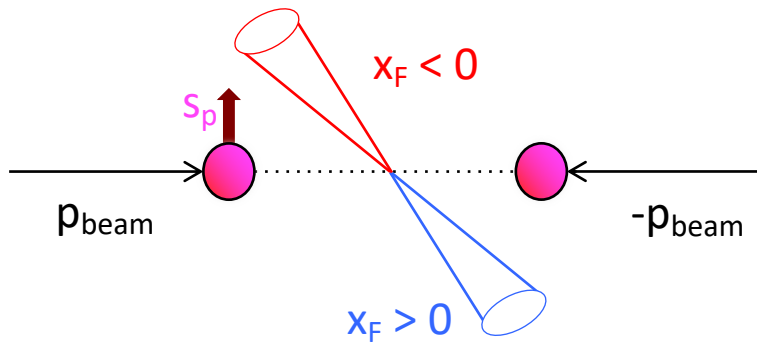
- Typically jets are made up of several hadrons.
- Reconstruction of hadrons inside a jet provides access to
 - Z - Fraction of the jet momentum (\mathbf{z}) carried by the hadron
 - \mathbf{j}_T - Component of hadron momentum transverse to the jet axis
- Study of correlations between the spin of the parent quark and the azimuthal distribution of the hadrons inside the jet.
- Use single spin asymmetries A_{UT} in **transversely polarized** proton collisions to gain sensitivity to both gluon and quark TMDs



$$A_{UT}^{\sin \phi} \sin(\phi) = \frac{\sigma^{\uparrow}(\phi) - \sigma^{\downarrow}(\phi)}{\sigma^{\uparrow}(\phi) + \sigma^{\downarrow}(\phi)} \propto \frac{\sum_{AB} \Delta_T q_A f_B \times \Delta \sigma_{AB \rightarrow jet + \pi} \times \mathbf{H}_1^{\perp}}{\sum_{AB} q_A f_B \times \sigma_{AB \rightarrow jet + \pi} \times D}$$

$$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_S - \phi_H)} \quad p_T \text{ @ 200 GeV}$$

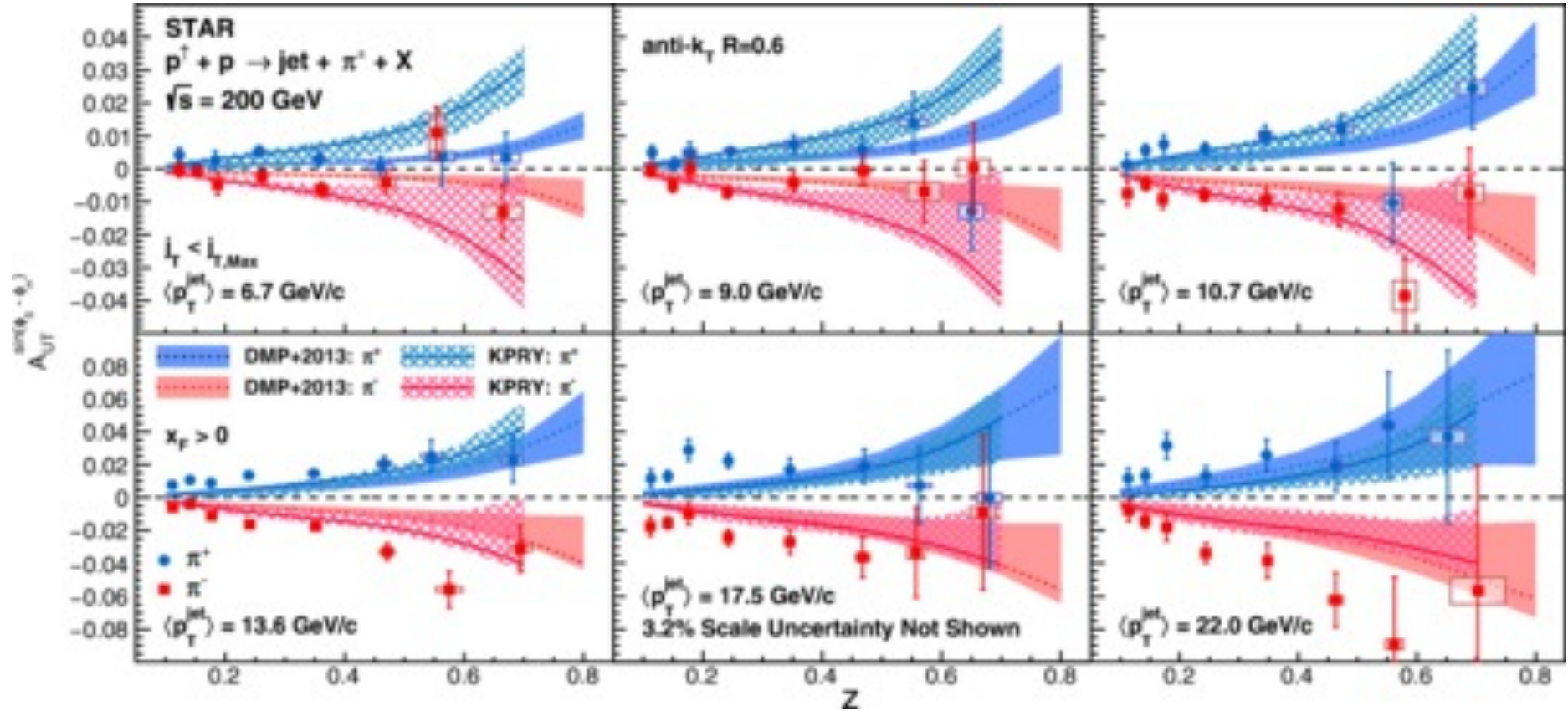
- Observe large spin asymmetries for charged pions in jets
- Sign flips with charge
- Clear dependence on jet p_T
- Signal reduced for backward $x_F < 0$ jets



$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_s - \phi_H)}$ vs Z in bins of p_T @ 200 GeV

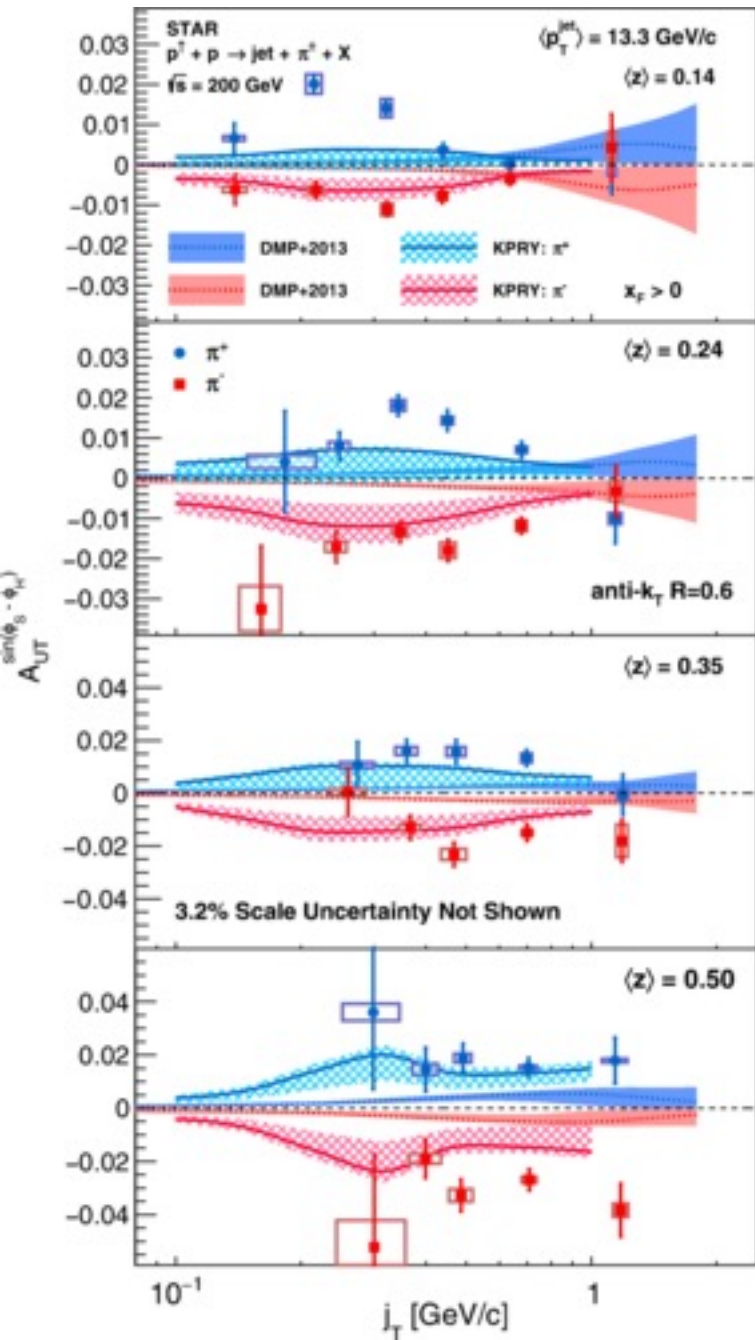
STAR data compared to calculations by

1. D'Alesio, Murgia & Pisano, Phys. Lett. **B773**, 300 (2017)
2. Kang, Prokudin, Ringer, & Yuan, Phys.Lett. **B774** 635-642 (2017) without and with evolution.

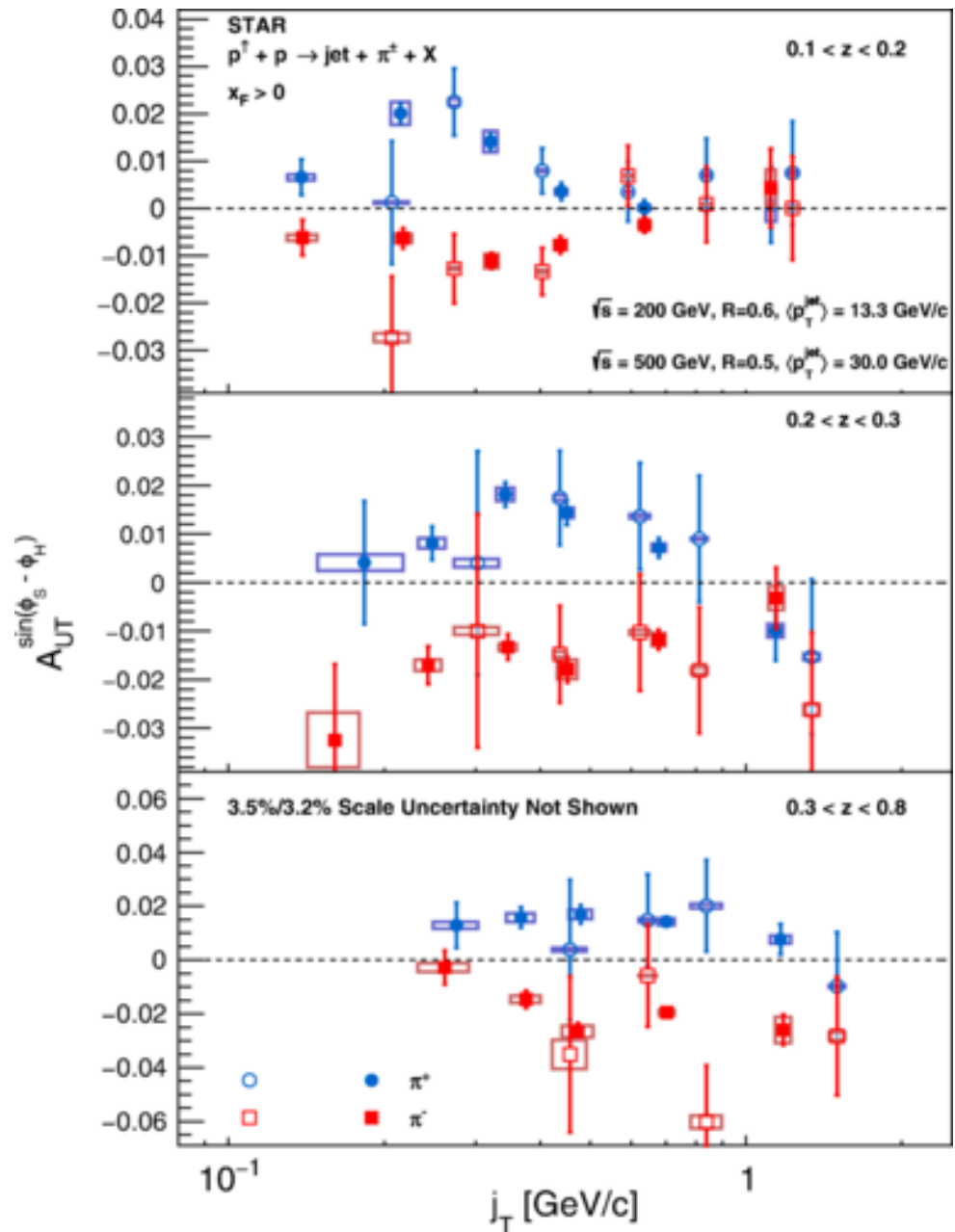


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$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_S - \phi_H)}$ vs j_T in bins of z



- Shape of j_T changes with z
- Peak of distribution moves higher as z increases.
- In contrast to SIDIS measurements hadron j_T is independent of initial state transverse momentum.
- 200 and 500 GeV tell the same story.



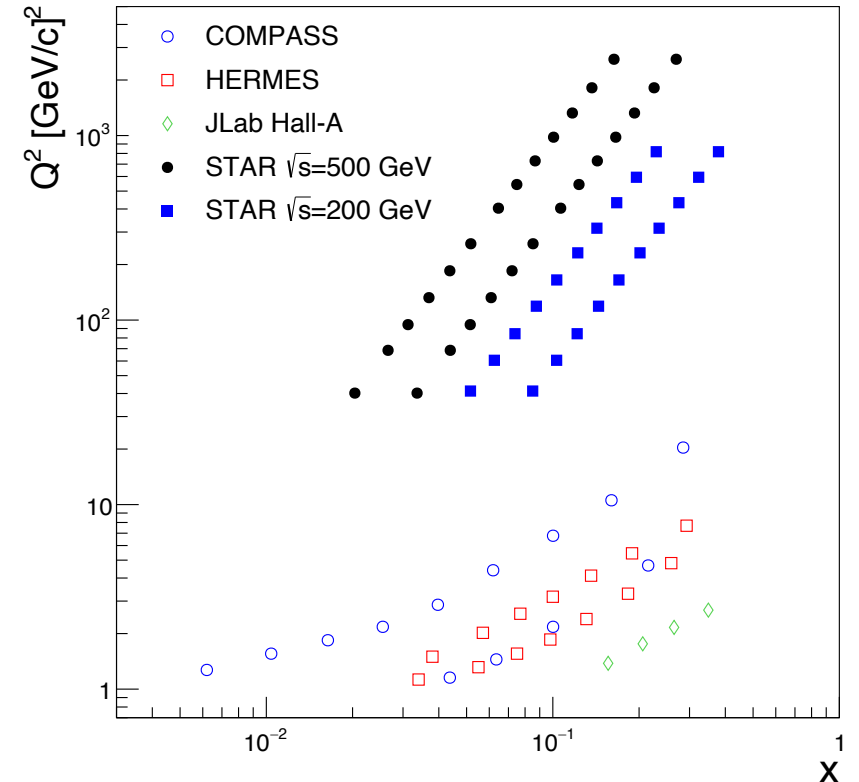
Transverse Momentum Distributions

- **Evolution**

- non-perturbative factors that must be measured
- pp colliders access higher Q^2 than fixed target experiments
- Provides insights into the size of observables we want to measure at an EIC.

- **Universality**

- Comparisons to SIDIS allow separation of intrinsic properties of hadrons from interaction dependent dynamics
- Work by Kang, Liu, Ringer and Xing JHEP 1711 (2017) 068 indicate universality holds in pp collisions!

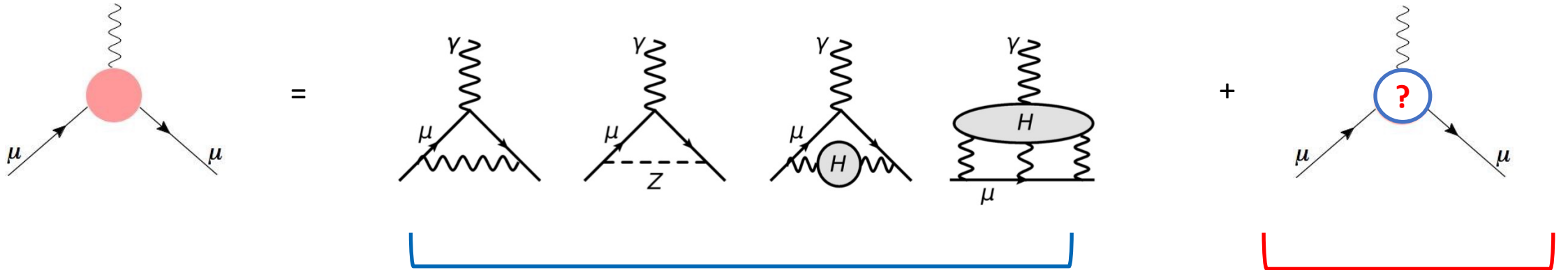




Taking the muon out for a spin...

Anomalous Magnetic Dipole Moment

$$a_\mu = \frac{g-2}{2}$$



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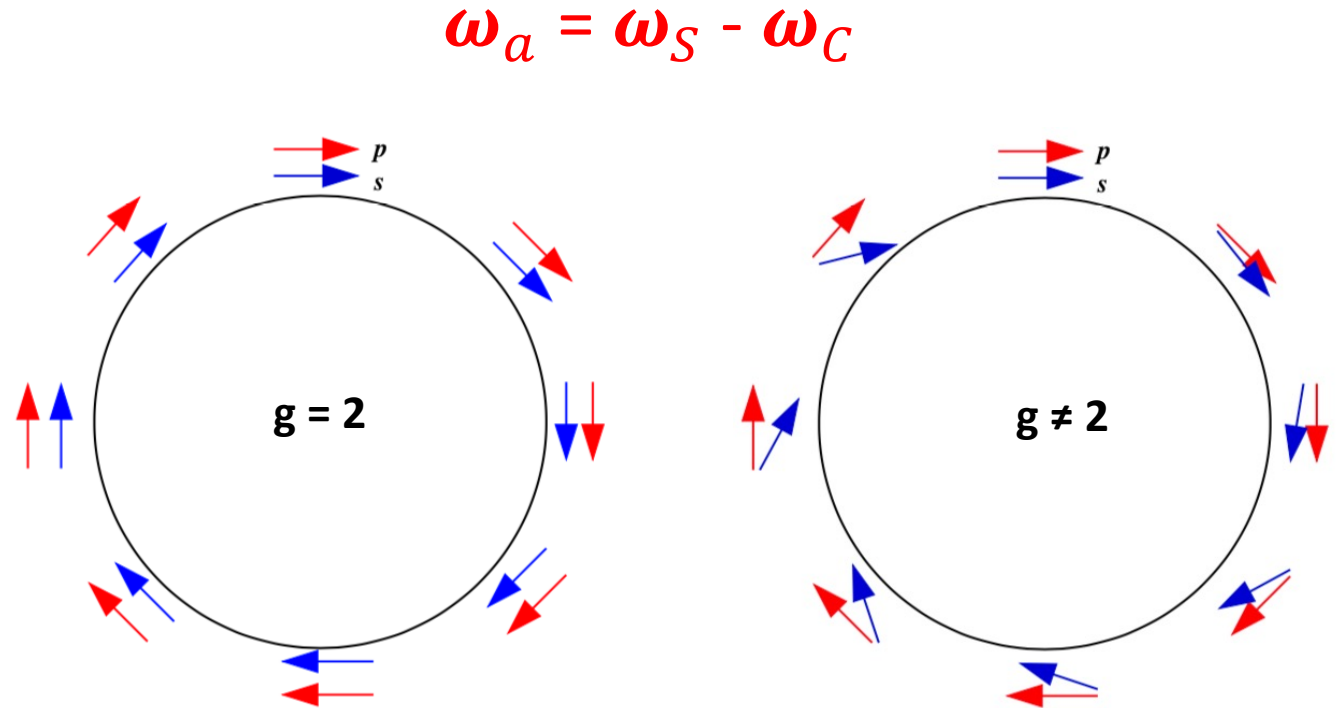
Standard model contributions:
QED, electroweak, QCD

Beyond the standard
model contributions

Experimental measurement of a_μ

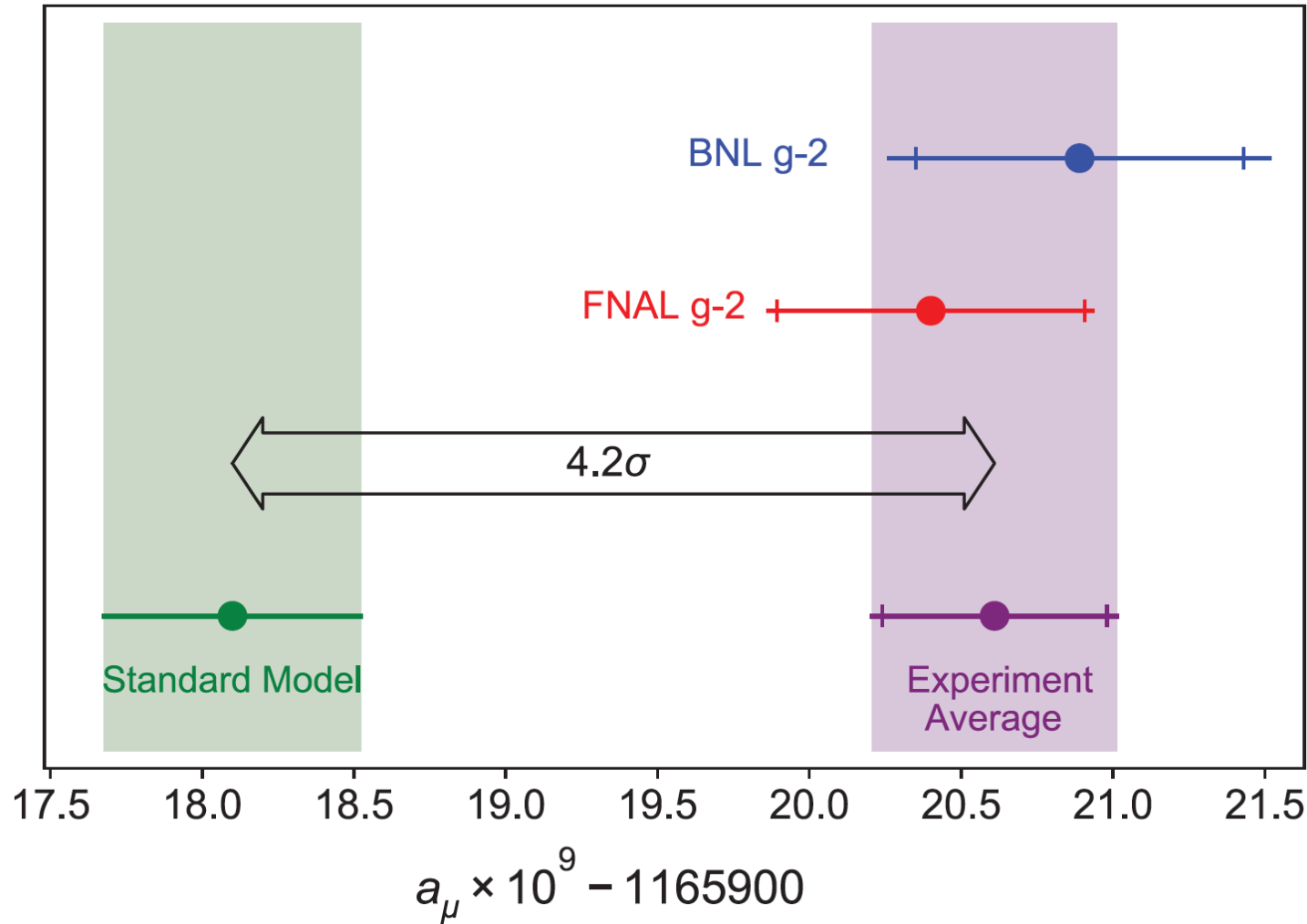
1. Store highly polarized relativistic muons in a uniform magnetic field
2. Measure ω_a the rate at which the spin of the muon turns with respect to the momentum of the muon.
3. Measure the magnetic field B

$$a_\mu = \frac{\omega_a m}{eB}$$



FNAL Run 1 Result

muon g-2 theory initiative arxiv.org/abs/2006.04822



FNAL Run 1

$$a_\mu = 116\,592\,040(54) \times 10^{-11}$$

(462 ppb)

Statistical: 434 ppb

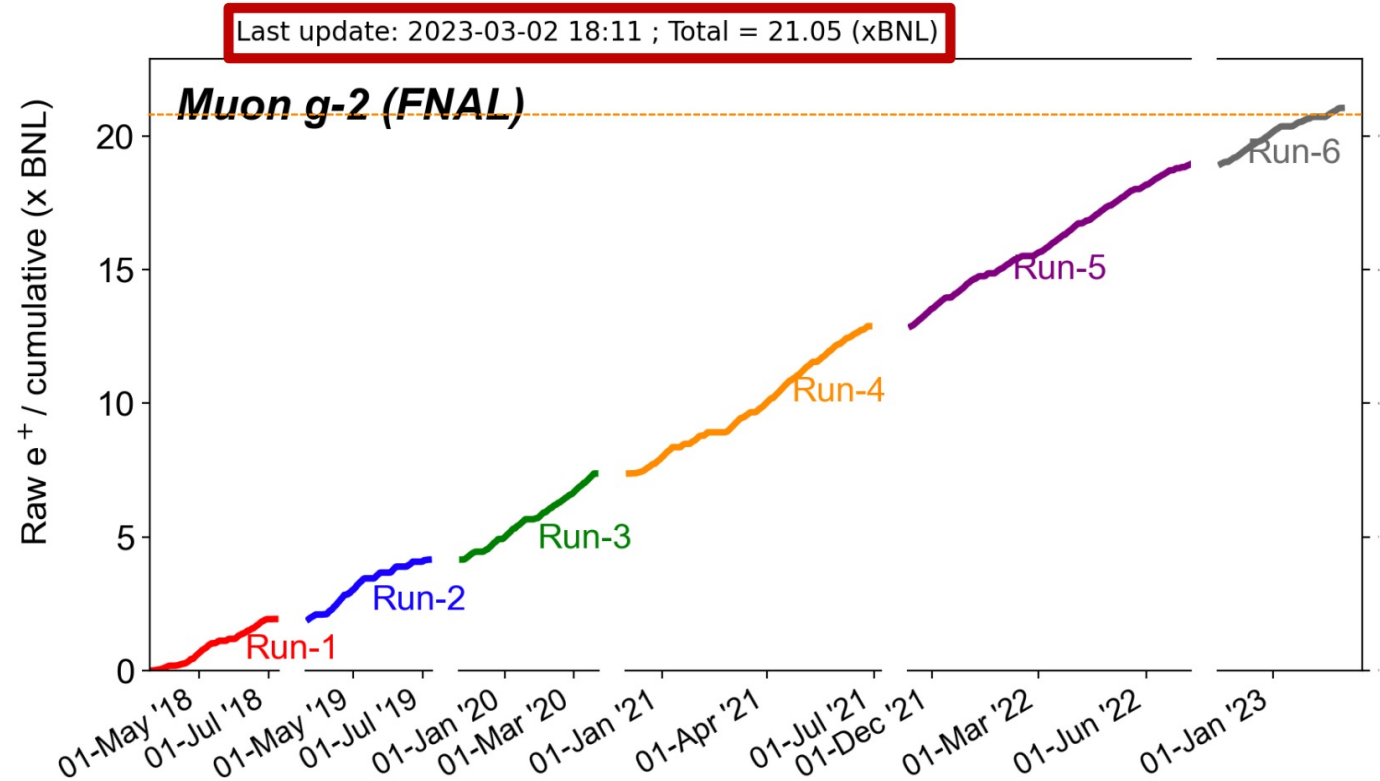
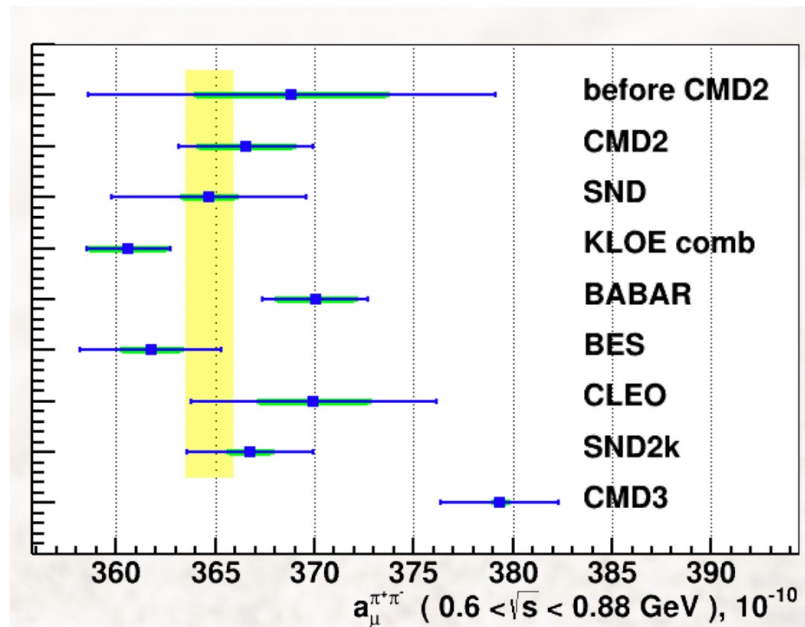
Systematic: 157 ppb

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Since Run 1 Release

- Achieved goal of collecting 20 BNL worth of data in early March of 2023
- Experiment will turn off after Run 6
- Planning for release of Run 2+3 mid to late summer.
- Run 2+3 results in x2 reduction in errors
- Two big developments on theory side – both in HVP calculation - that point to a reduced tension!

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Article

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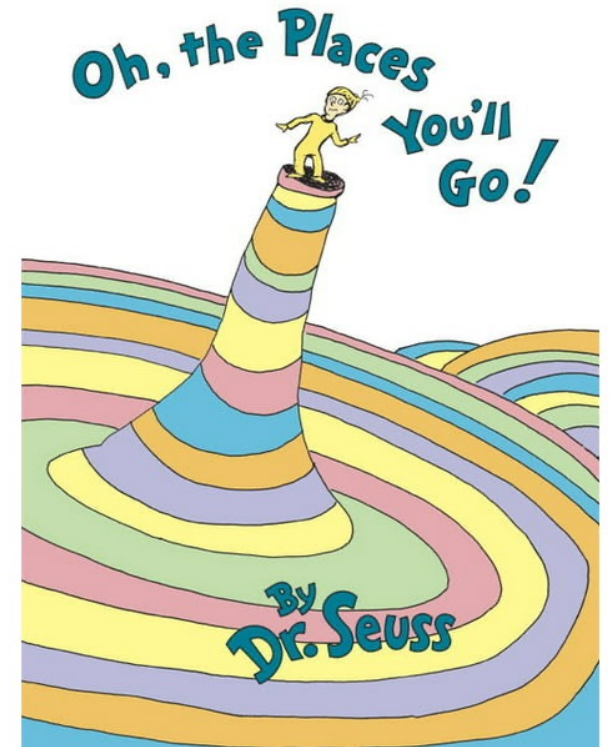
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The standard model of particle physics describes the vast majority of experiments and observations involving elementary particles. Any deviation from its predictions

Adventures in spin

- Spin is a powerful tool for studying the structure of the universe and often leads to unexpected and intriguing results.
- The results presented here reflect my personal journey studying spin dynamics – not meant to represent the broad range of activities in the CLAS, STAR and g-2 collaborations.
- That said, these measurements are the product of vibrant collaborations, both experimental and theoretical, that have made the results better and taught me a lot.
- Thank you for joining me on these adventures!





Thank You

