

# Compatibility of Neutrino DIS Data and Its Impact on Nuclear Parton Distribution Functions

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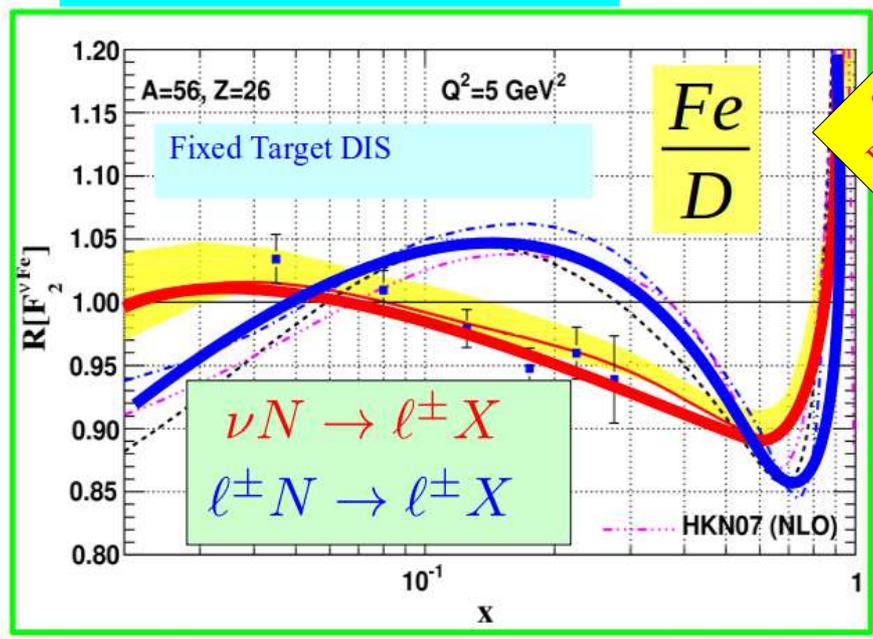
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from my friends & colleagues*

**nCTEQ**  
nuclear parton distribution functions



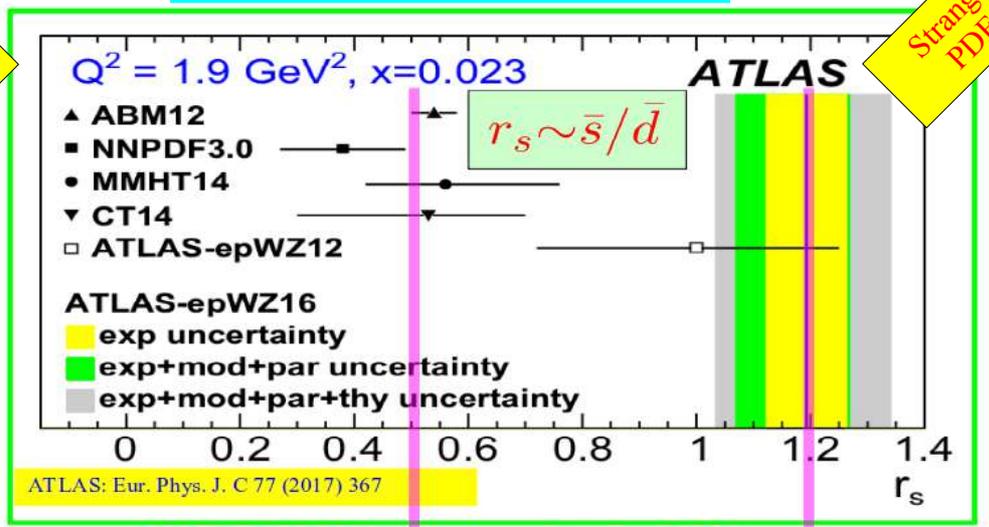
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# nCTEQ15 $\nu$



Split Personality

# nCTEQ15WZ



Strange PDF

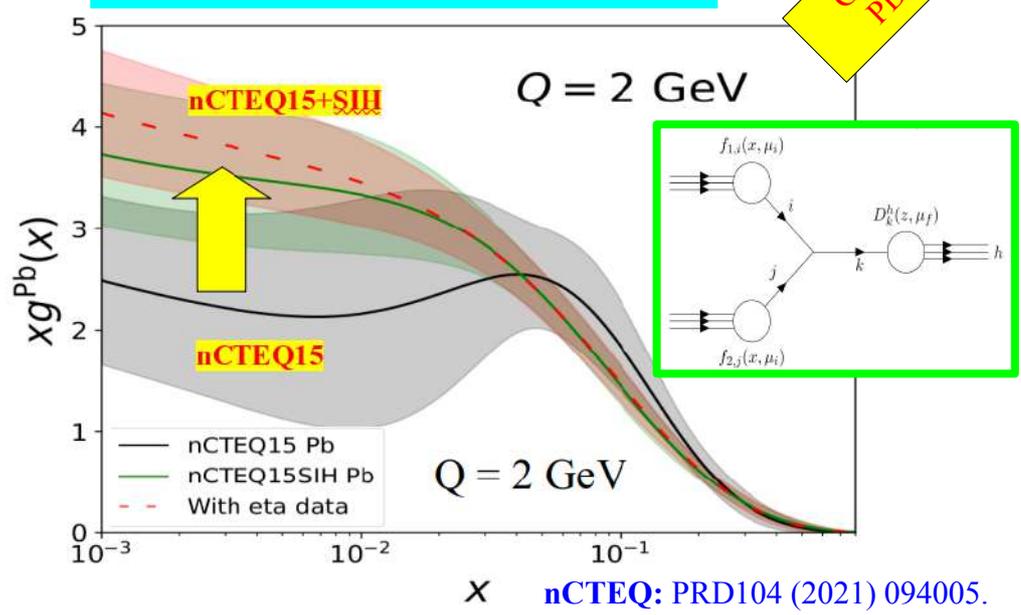
We expect:

At the LHC:

nCTEQ: Phys.Rev.D 104 (2021) 094005

nCTEQ: F.Muzakka, K.Kovarik, ... nCTEQ: PRD 106, 074004 (2022)

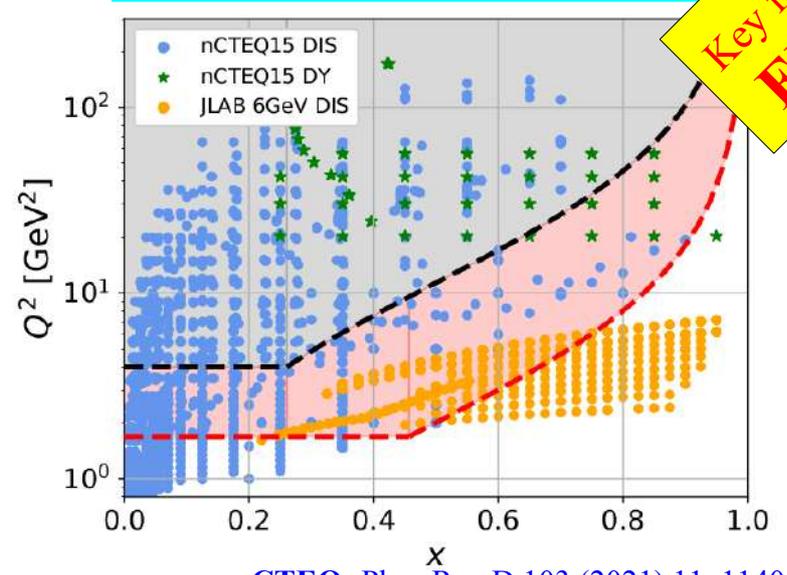
# nCTEQ15WZ+SIH



Gluon PDF

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# nCTEQ15HIX



Key for EIC

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precision  $f_A(x, Q)$  can serve as Boundary Condition for  $f_A(x, Q, k_T, b_T, \sigma)$

neutrino DIS

$$F_2^\nu \sim [d + s + \bar{u} + \bar{c}]$$

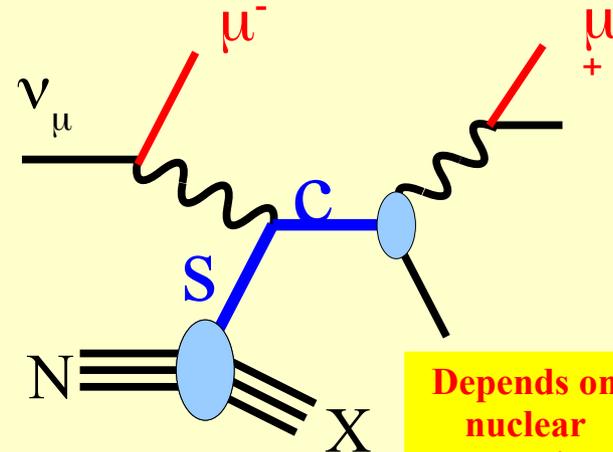
$$F_2^{\bar{\nu}} \sim [\bar{d} + \bar{s} + u + c]$$

$$F_3^\nu \sim 2[d + s - \bar{u} - \bar{c}]$$

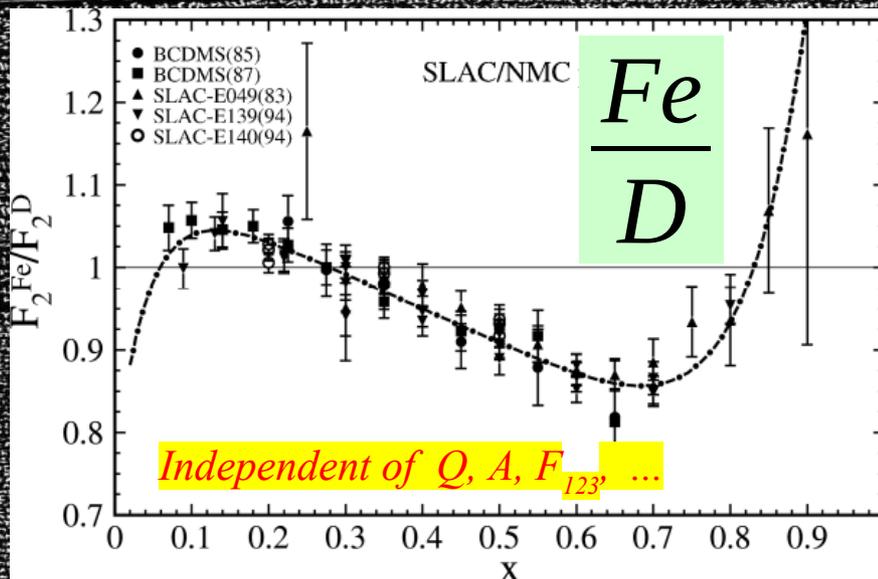
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Differentiate flavors of free-proton PDFs:

Neutrino DIS



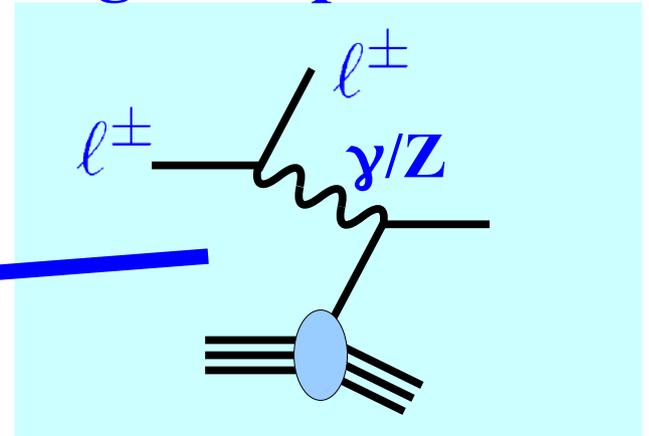
Depends on nuclear corrections



ν DIS yields flavors

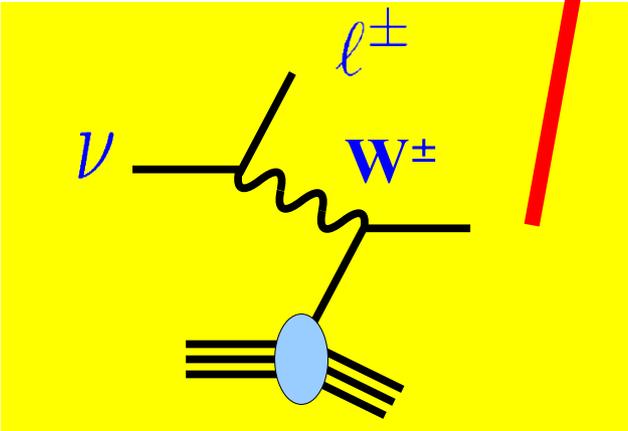
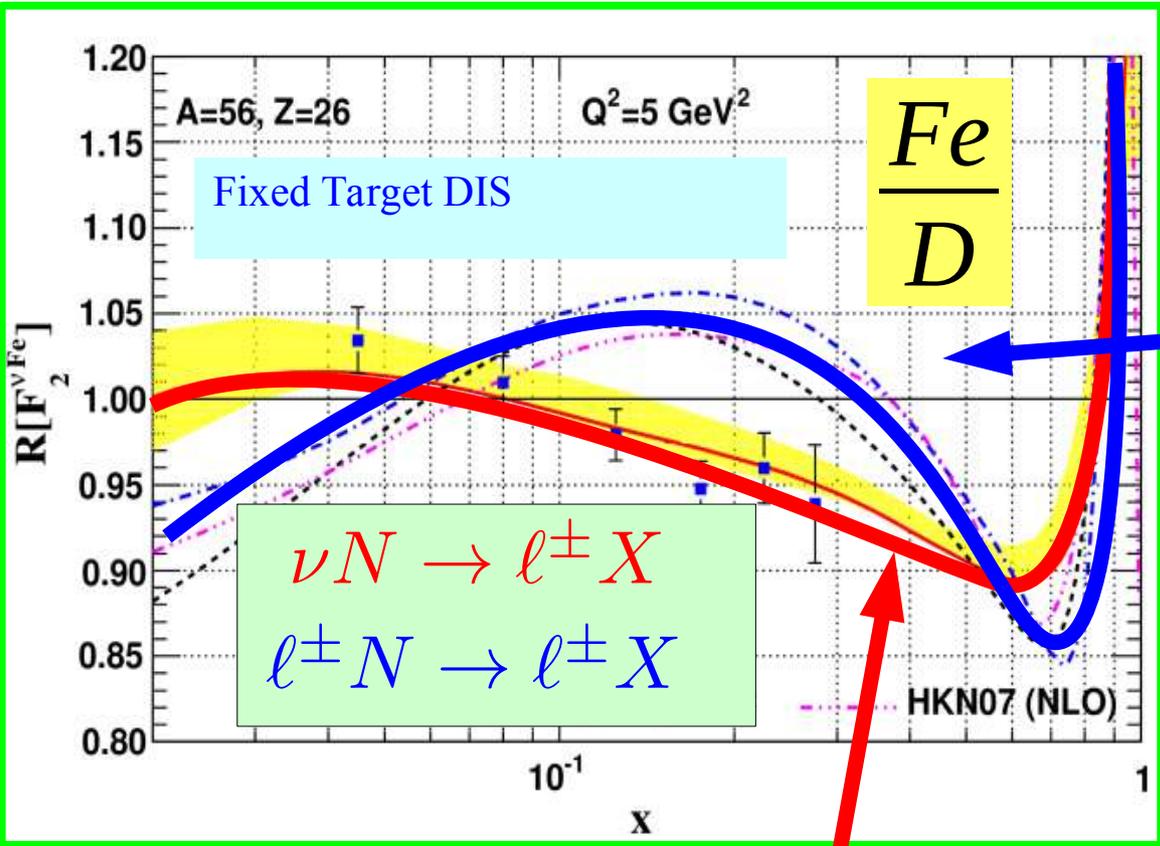
- But, nuc. targets
- key for s(x)

### Charged Lepton DIS



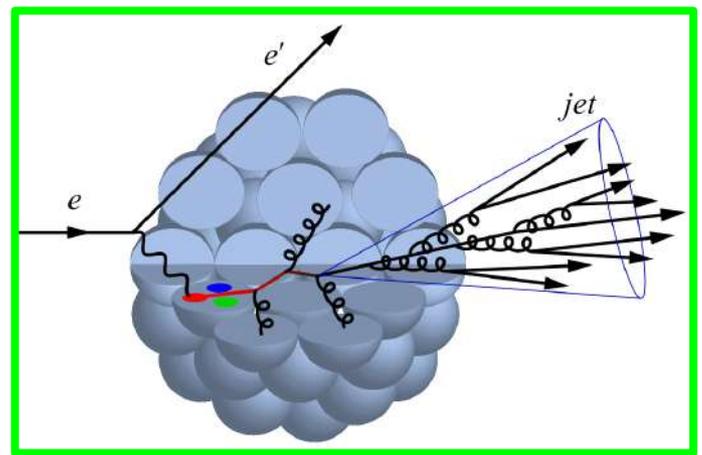
*some caveats  
... correlated errors*

Ingo Schienbein, ... (2007)  
Karol Kovarik, ... (2010)



### Neutrino DIS

*Depends on nuclear corrections*



**Propagation of  $\gamma/W$  thru nuclei**

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Dataset	Nucleus	$E_{\nu/\bar{\nu}}$ (GeV)	Number of points	Corr.sys.
CDHSW $\nu$	Fe	23–188	465	No
CDHSW $\bar{\nu}$			464	
CCFR $\nu$	Fe	35–340	1109	No
CCFR $\bar{\nu}$			1098	
NuTeV $\nu$	Fe	35–340	1170	Yes
NuTeV $\bar{\nu}$			966	
Chorus $\nu$	Pb	25–170	412	Yes
Chorus $\bar{\nu}$			412	
CCFR dimuon $\nu$	Fe	110–333	40	No
CCFR dimuon $\bar{\nu}$		87–266	38	
NuTeV dimuon $\nu$	Fe	90–245	38	No
NuTeV dimuon $\bar{\nu}$		79–222	34	

Iron (56)  
and  
Lead (208)  
targets

$\nu$  Error: ~6-8%  
 $\bar{\nu}$  Error: ~10-18%

**Red: Neutrino data ONLY**  
**Green: Other data (nCTEQ15WZSIH)**

**Very different nuclear correction functions**

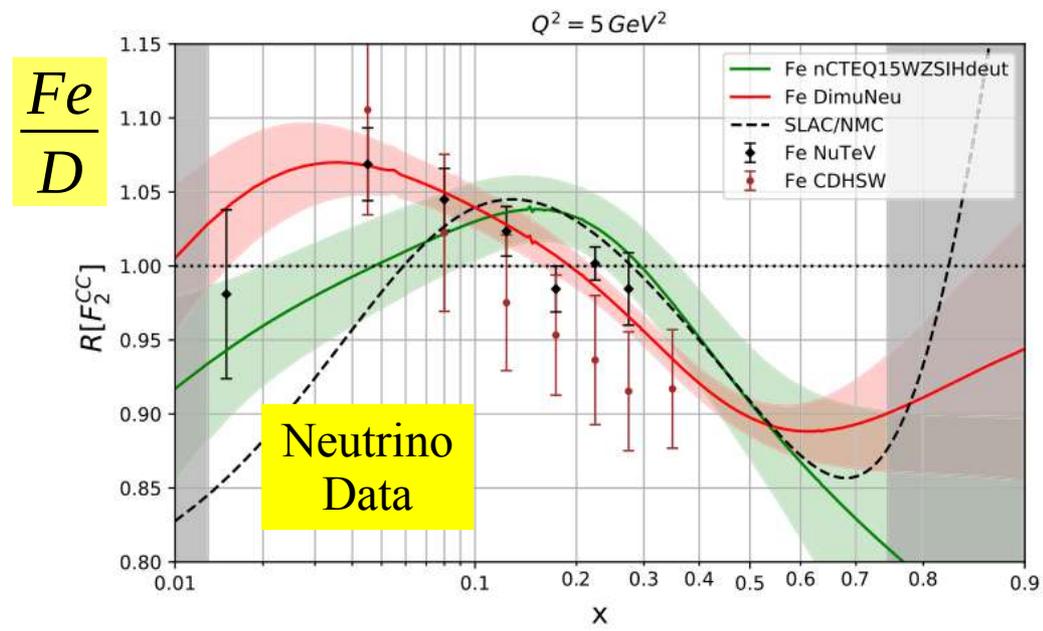
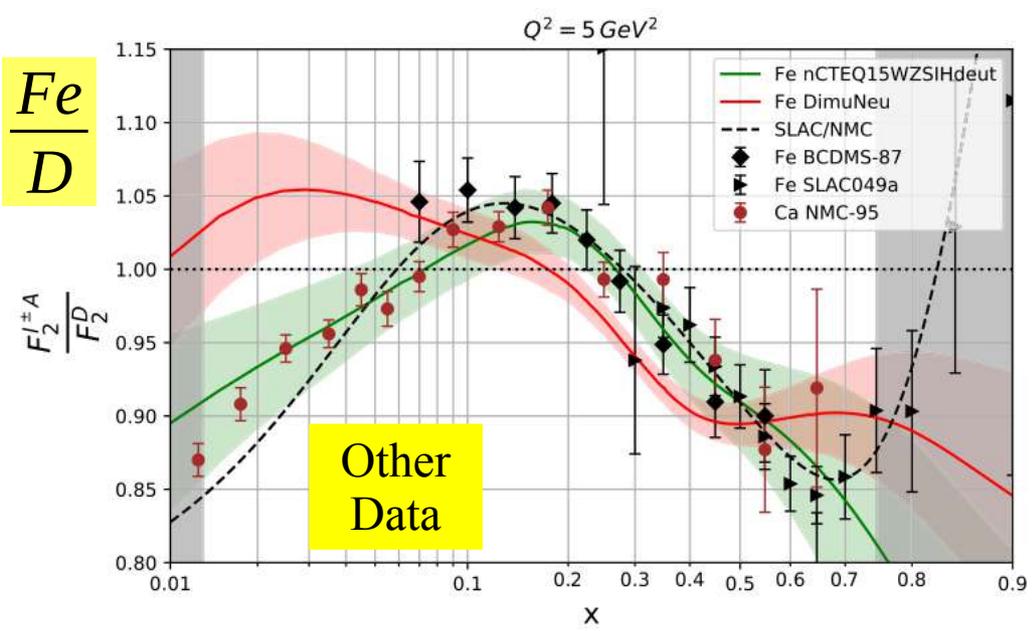
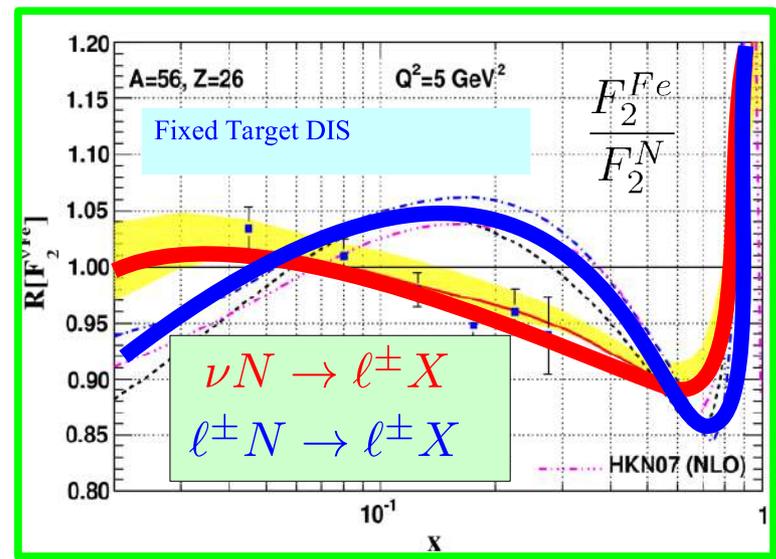
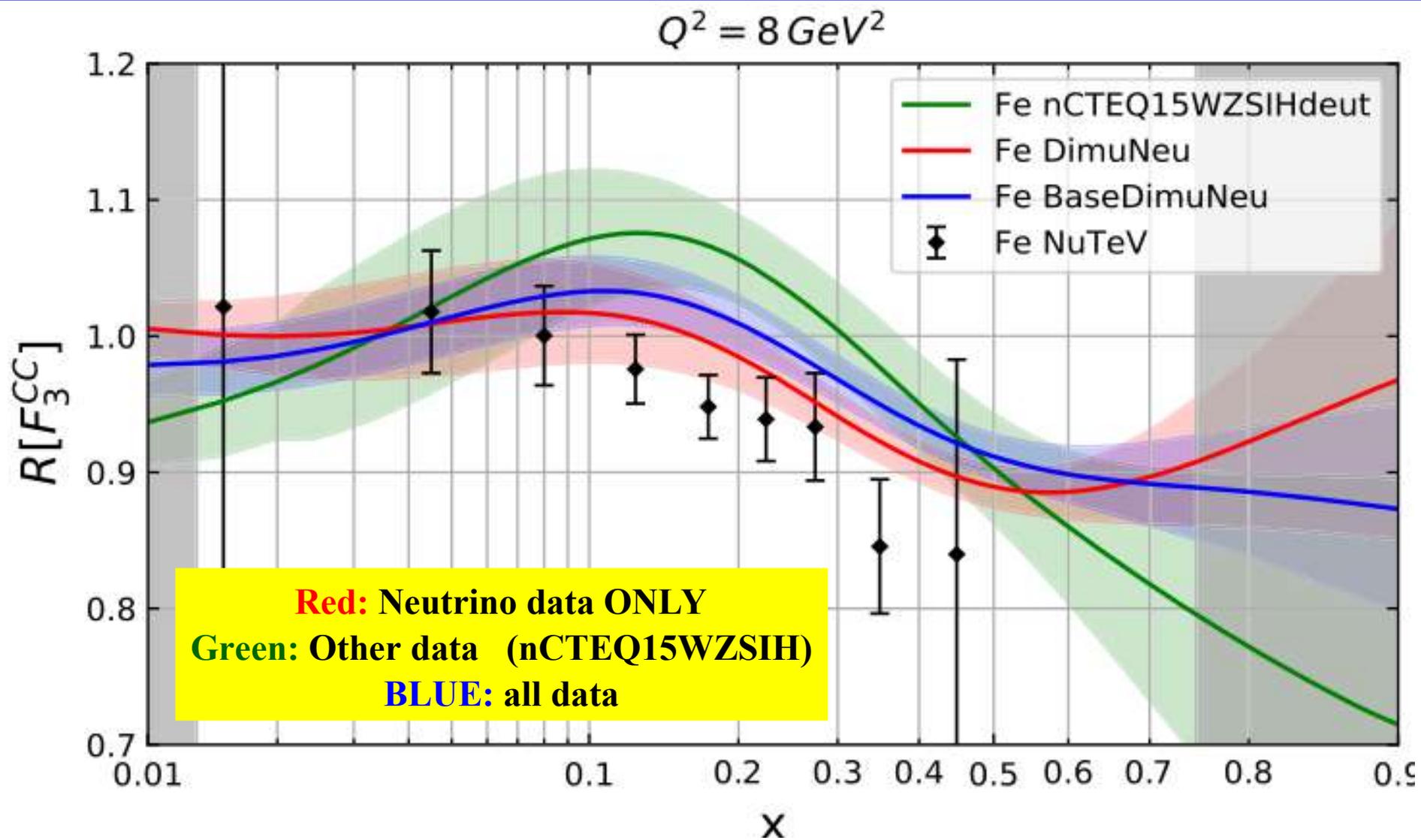


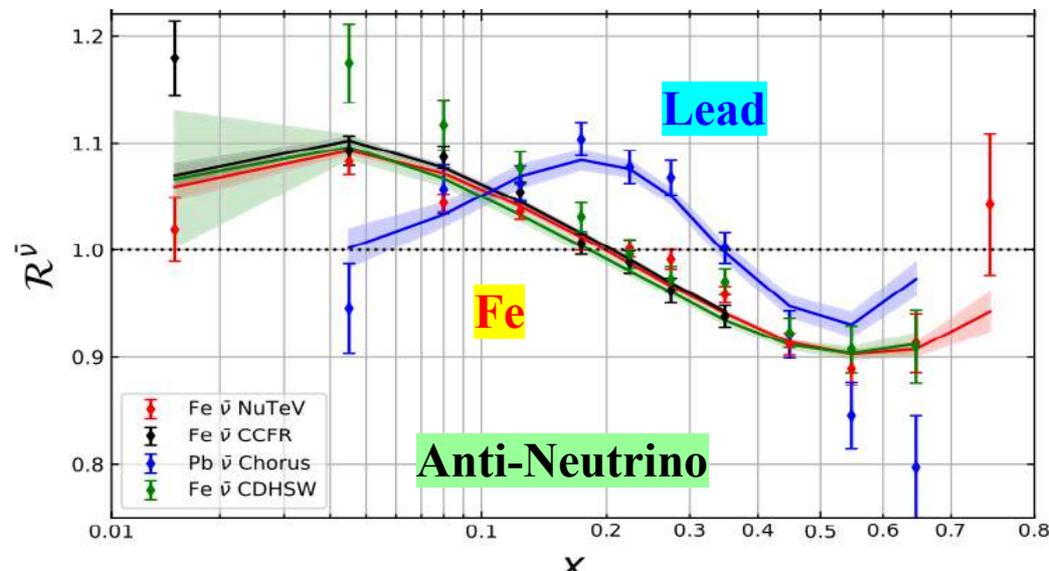
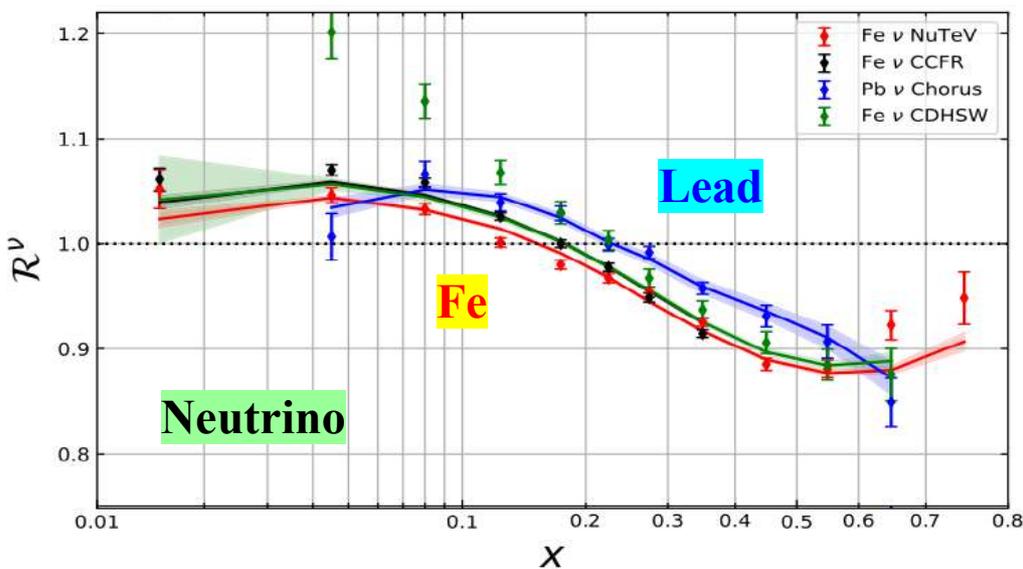
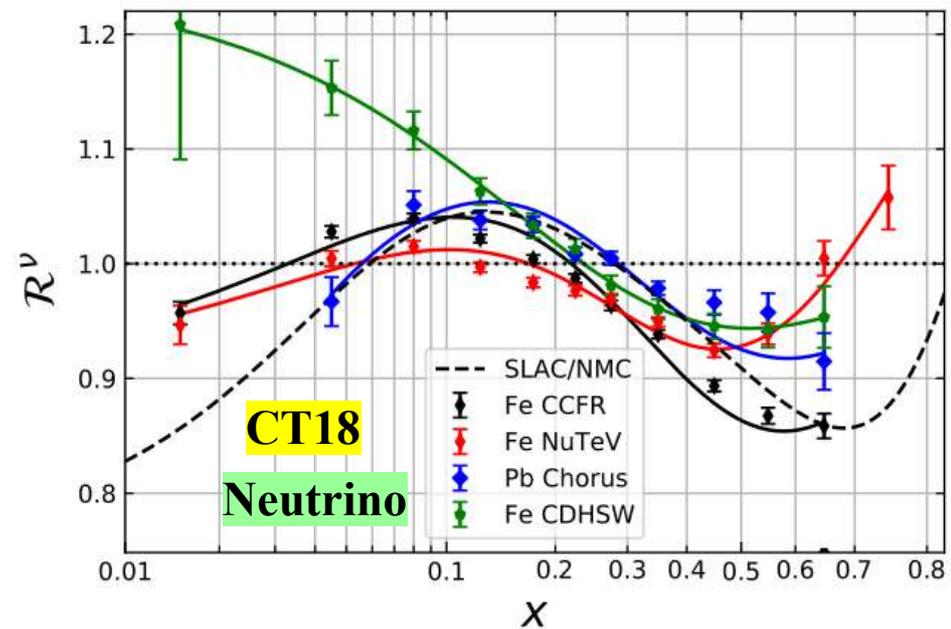
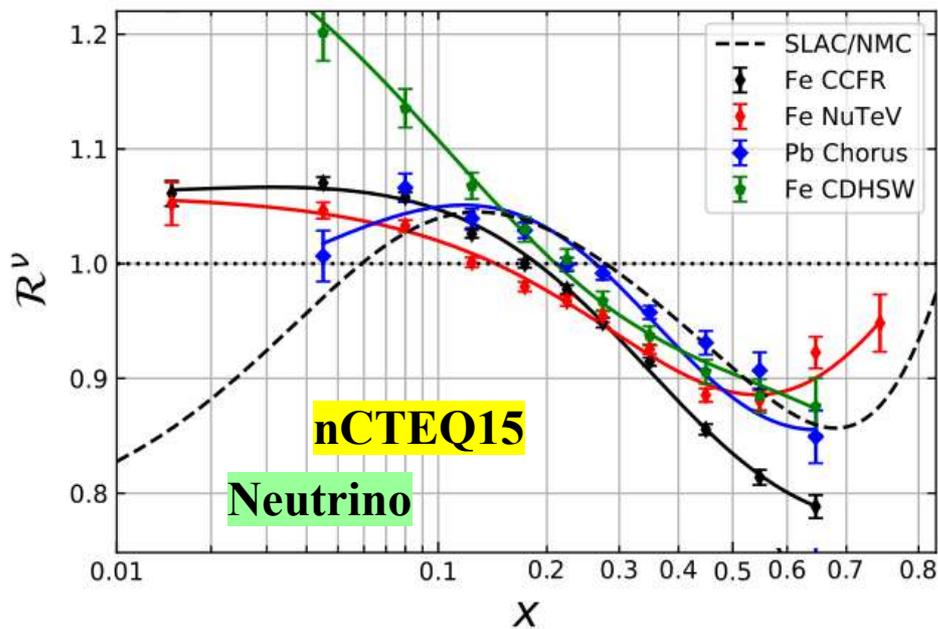
FIG. 6. The structure function ratio predictions from DimuNeu and nCTEQ15WZSIHdeut fits. The gray bands on the left and on the right highlight the regions without any data points passing the kinematic cuts.

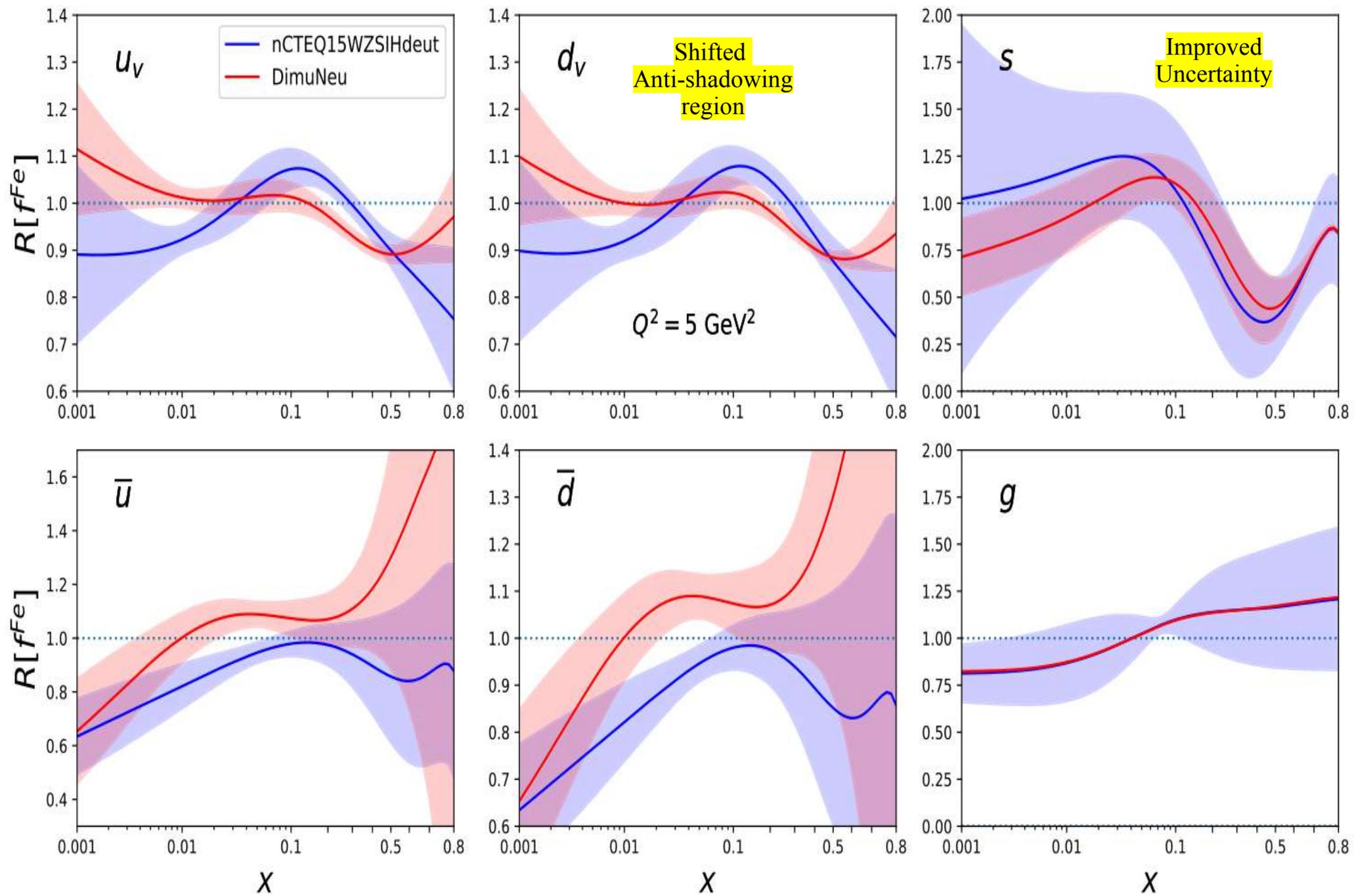
# Combine All Data: .... NOT compatible!!!



	Other	Neutrino	Other	Neutrino	
Analysis name	$\chi^2_S/N$	$\chi^2_{\bar{S}}/N$	$\Delta\chi^2_S$	$\Delta\chi^2_{\bar{S}}$	$p_S/p_{\bar{S}}$
nCTEQ15WZSIHdeu	<b>Green</b> 735/940	...	0	<b>Green</b> ...	0.500/...
DimuNeu	<b>Red</b> ...	6383/5689	...	<b>Red</b> 0	.../0.500
BaseDimuNeu	<b>Blue</b> 866/940	6666/5689	<b>131</b>	<b>Blue</b> 283	0.99987/0.990

# What is happening inside the Black Box ???





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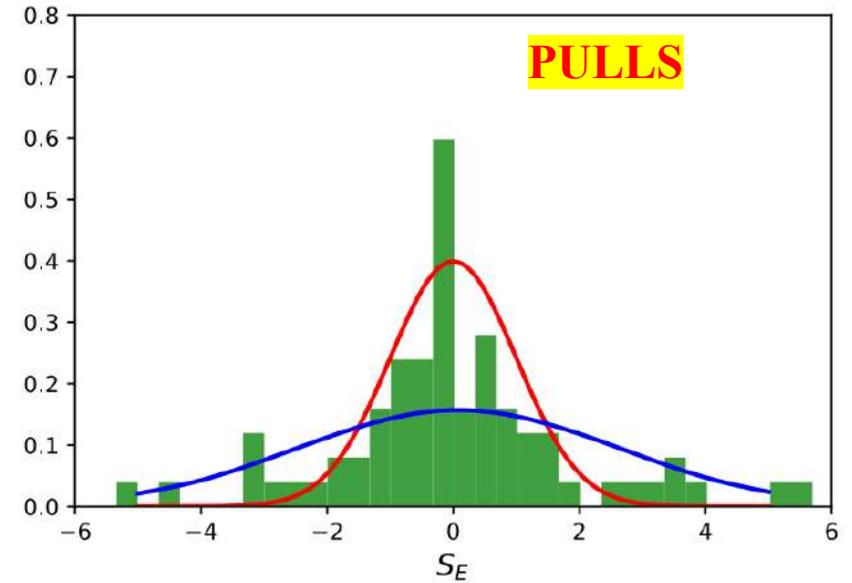
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## BaseDimuNeuU: Uncorrelated NuTeV

Uncorr: DiMu NuTeV  $S_E=3.19$  CCFR 4.77

## BaseDimuNeuX: $x>0.1$ Cut

$x>0.1$  Cut: NuTeV  $S_E=9.72$  ( $\nu$ ) & 3.37 ( $\nu b$ )



	Other	Neutrino	Other	Neutrino	Other	Neutrino	
Analysis name	$\chi^2_S/N$	$\chi^2_S/pt$	$\chi^2_S/N$	$\chi^2_S/pt$	$\Delta\chi^2_S$	$\Delta\chi^2_S$	$p_S/p_{\bar{S}}$
nCTEQ15WZSIHdeut	735/940	0.78	...	...	0	...	0.500/...
DimuChorus	...	...	1059/974	1.09	...	0	.../0.500
BaseChorus	737/940	0.78	969/824	1.18	2	...	0.530/...
BaseCDHSW	778/940	0.83	584/929	0.63	43	...	0.895/...
BaseCCFR	815/940	0.87	2119/2207	0.96	80	...	0.989/...
BaseNuTeV	807/940	0.86	3049/2136	1.43	72	...	0.981/...
BaseNuTeVU	787/940	0.84	1984/2136	0.93	52	...	0.933/...
BaseDimuNeuU	<b>Unc</b>	861/940	0.92	5569/5689	0.98	126	0.99978/...
BaseDimuNeuX	<b>X-cut</b>	781/940	0.83	5032/4644	1.08	46	0.908/...
BaseDimuChorus	<b>15<math>\nu</math></b>	740/940	0.79	1117/974	1.15	5	0.559/0.885

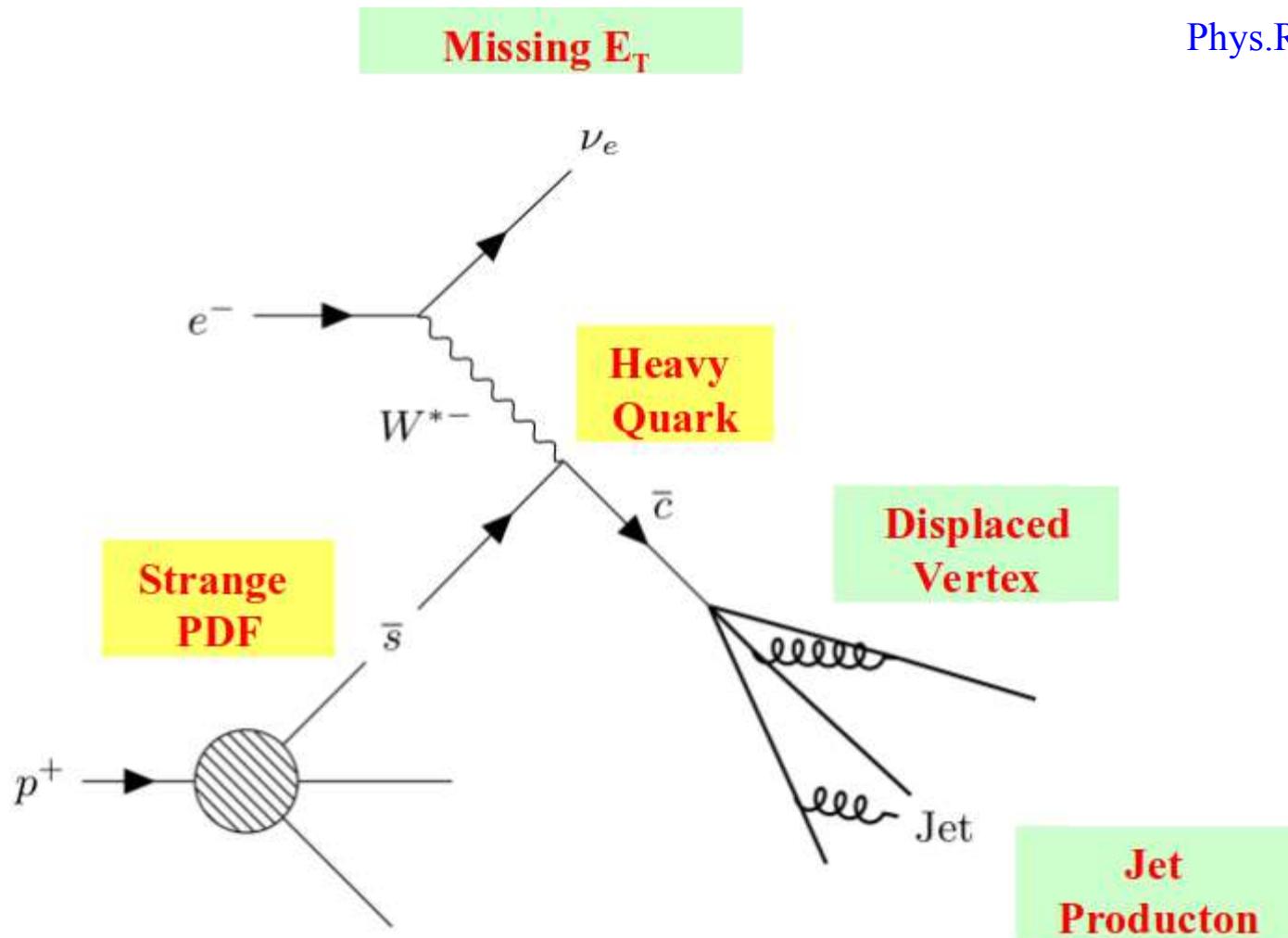
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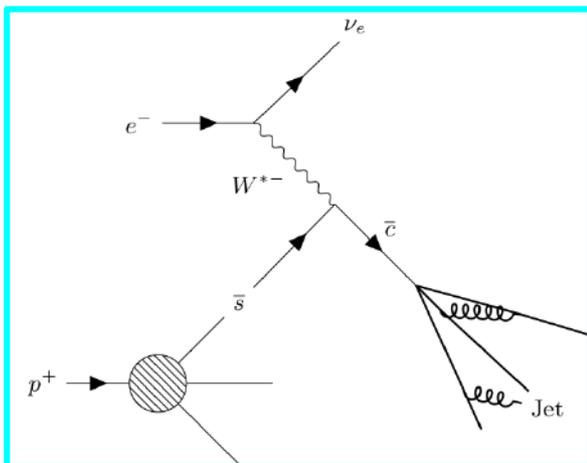
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Charm jets as a probe for strangeness at the future Electron-Ion Collider

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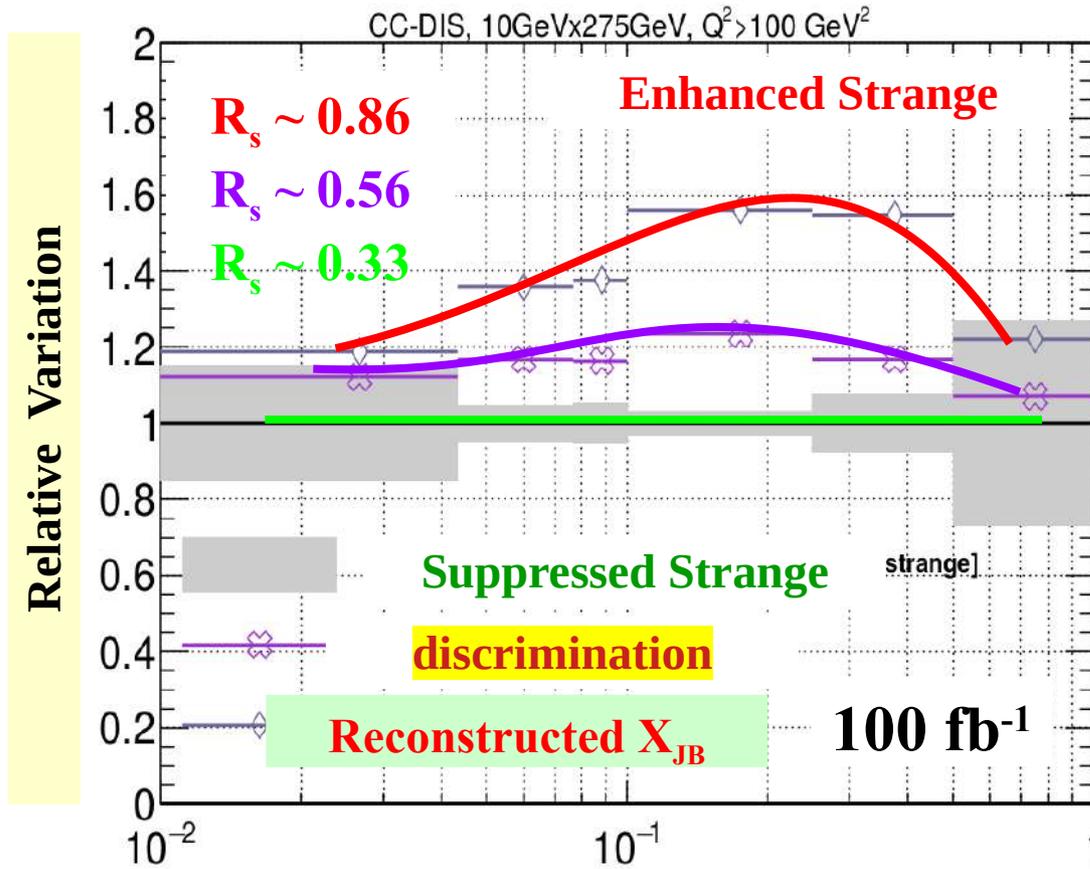
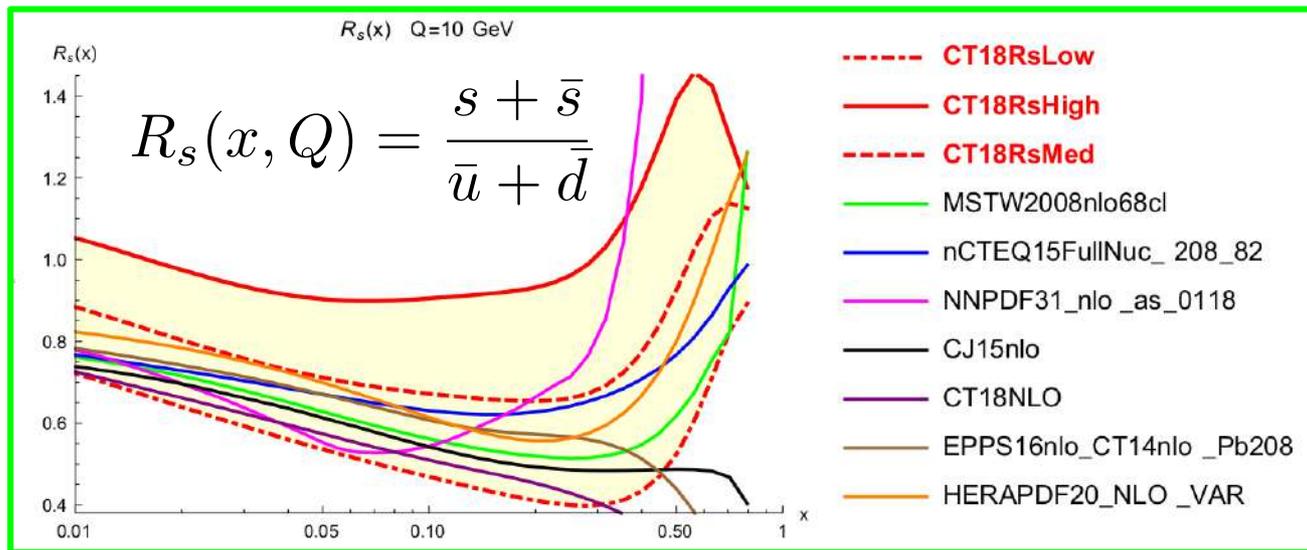
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**W+S → Cjet**

**Clear measure of Strange PDF beyond uncertainties**



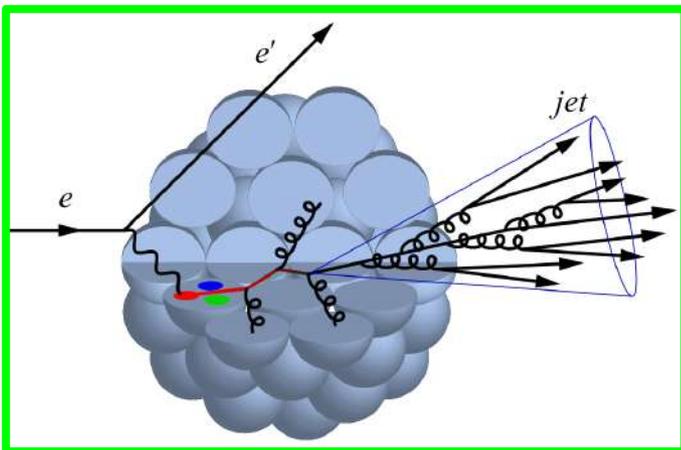
# CONCLUSIONS

- **Update analysis with all neutrino data**
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What is minimal neutrino data set we can use? nCTEQ15 $\nu$  (Chorus + DiMu)

- Where do we go from here: EIC ... *DUNE add-on detector???* ...



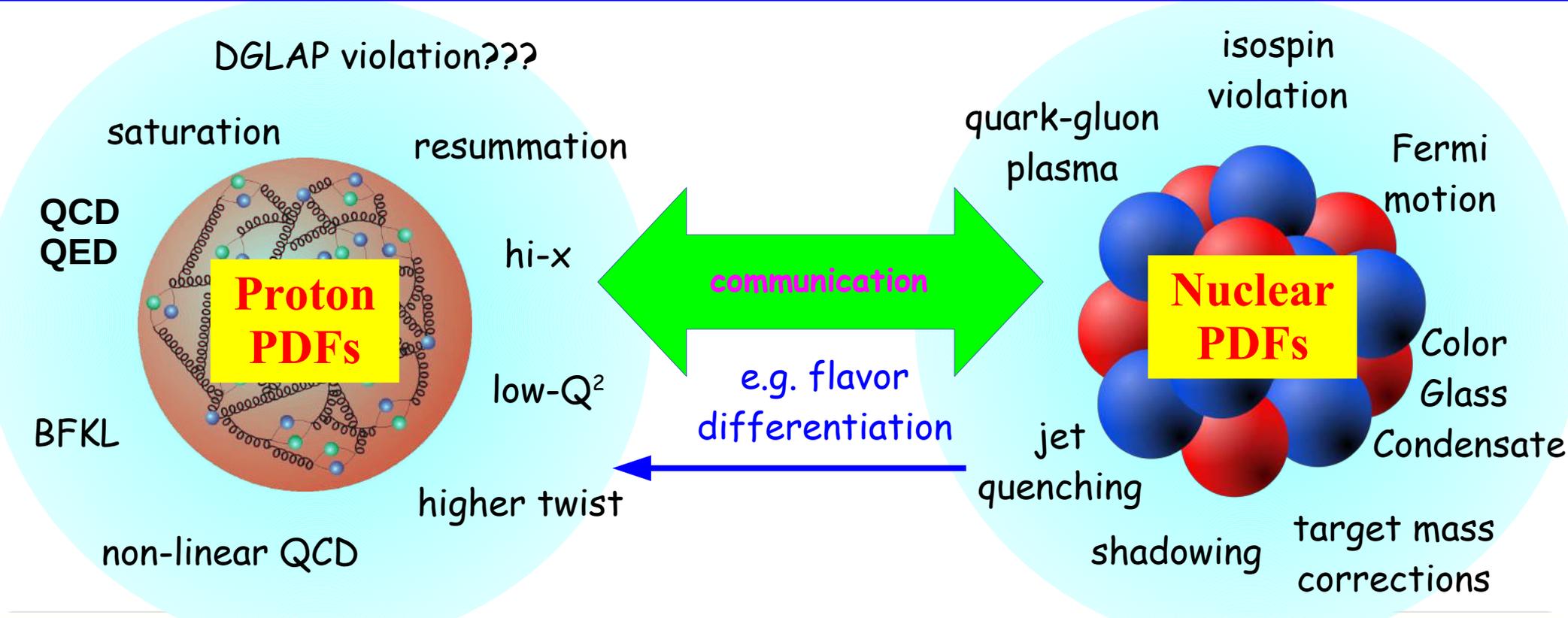
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neutrino DIS

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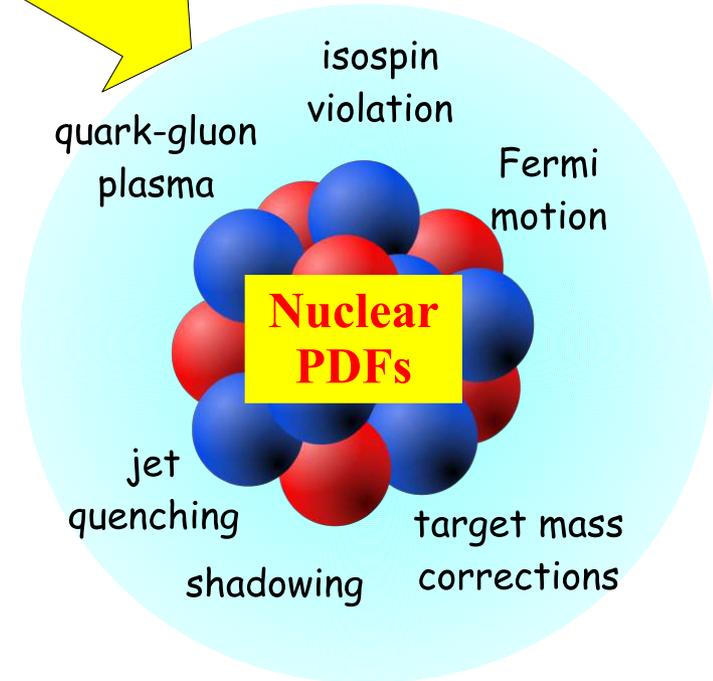
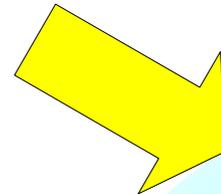
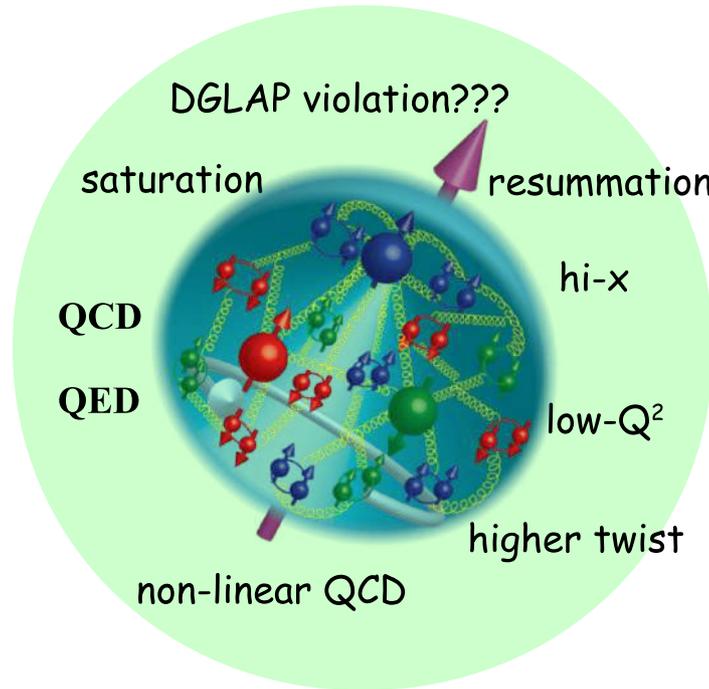
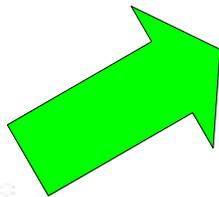
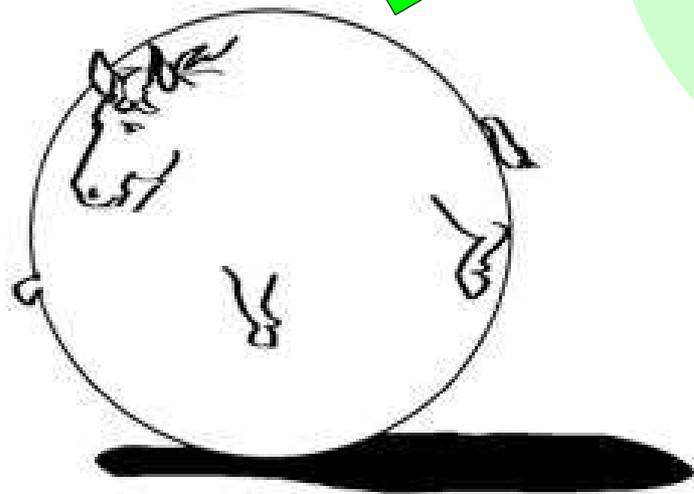
Differentiate flavors of free-proton PDFs:

EXTRAS



**nuclear parton distribution functions**

# Detailed modeling of nuclear structure





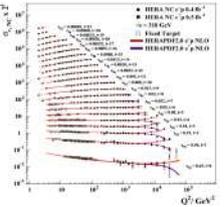
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**PROTON**  
**NUCLEON**  
**MESON**

### Sample data files:

- LHC:** ATLAS, CMS, LHCb
- Tevatron:** CDF, D0
- HERA:** H1, ZEUS, Combined
- Fixed Target:** ...
- User Supplied:** ...

**Experimental Data**



**Data:** HERA, Tevatron, LHC, fixed target experiments

**Processes:** Inclusive DIS, Jets, Drell-Yan, Diffraction, Top production W and Z production

**Theory Calculations**

**HQ Schemes:** MSTW, NNPDF, ABM, ACOT

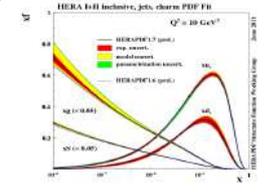
**Jets, W, Z:** FastNLO, ApplGrid

**Top:** Hathor

**Evolution:** QCDNUM, APFEL,  $k_T$

**Other:** NNPDF reweighting  
TMDs, Dipole Model, ...

**xFitter**



**Parton Distribution Functions:**  
PDF, Updf, TMD

$\alpha_s(M_Z)$ ,  $m_c, m_b, m_t$  ...

Theoretical Cross Sections

Comparisons to other PDFs (LHAPDF)



*extensions include nuclear PDFs*

### Features & Recent Updates:

- NNLO DGLAP**
- Photon PDF & **QED**
- Pole &  $\overline{MS}$  masses
- Profiling and Re-Weighting
- BFKL interface**

Heavy Quark Variable Treshold Improvements in  $\chi^2$  and correlations

**TMD** PDFs (uPDFs)

... and many other

**xFitter 2.2.0**  
**Future Freeze**

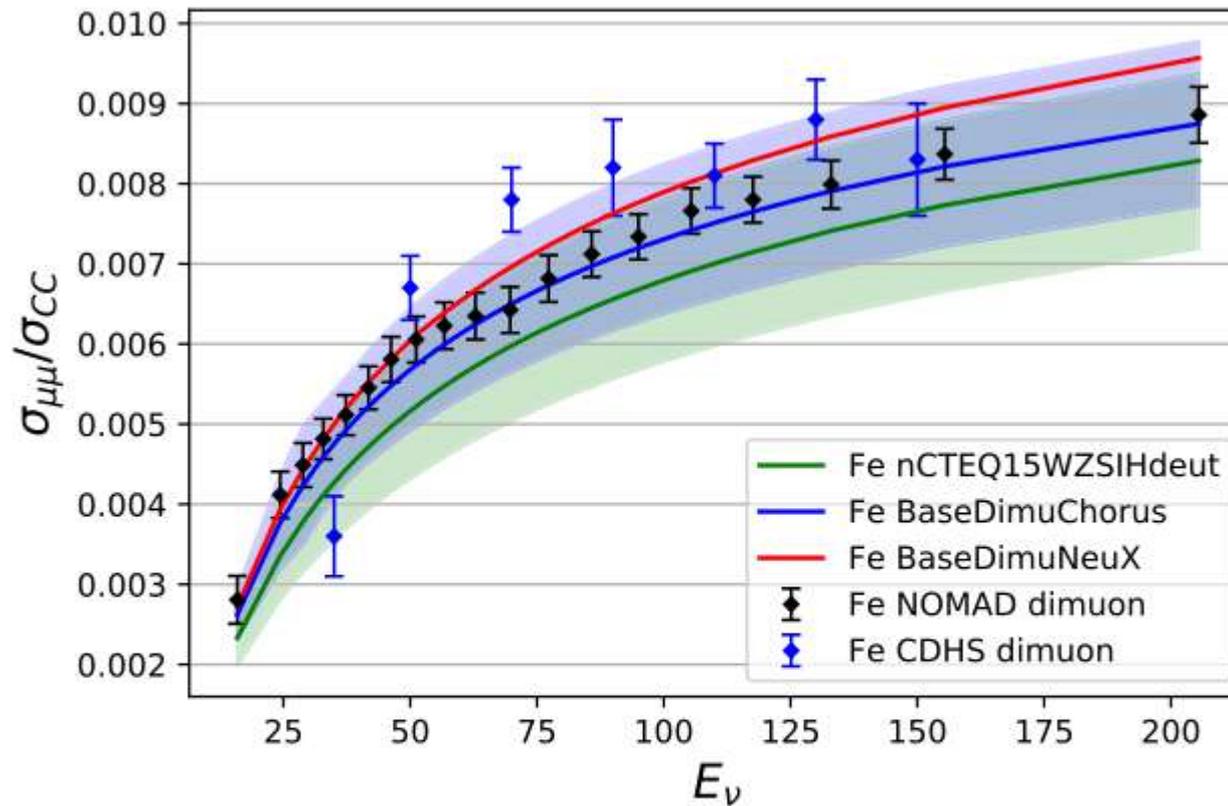


FIG. 24. Comparison between the data from the NOMAD experiment [60] and our theory predictions using our fitted PDFs for the ratio of the dimuon production and the total charged current DIS cross-section.