# FEASIBILITY FOR X-DEPENDENCE OF GPDS FROM EXCLUSIVE PHOTOPRODUCTION AT GLUEX AND BAYESIAN STATISTICS IN J/Ψ PHOTOPRODUCTION

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### WHAT DOES THAT ALL MEAN?

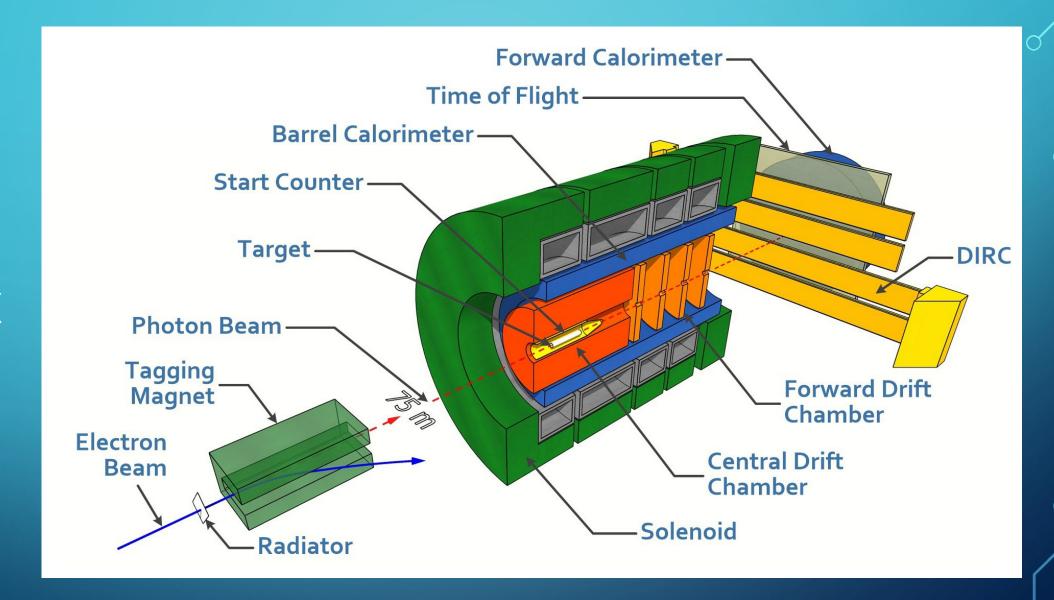
Physics Project

- GPDs
- x-dependence: parton momentum fraction
- Exclusive Photoproduction

Data Science Project

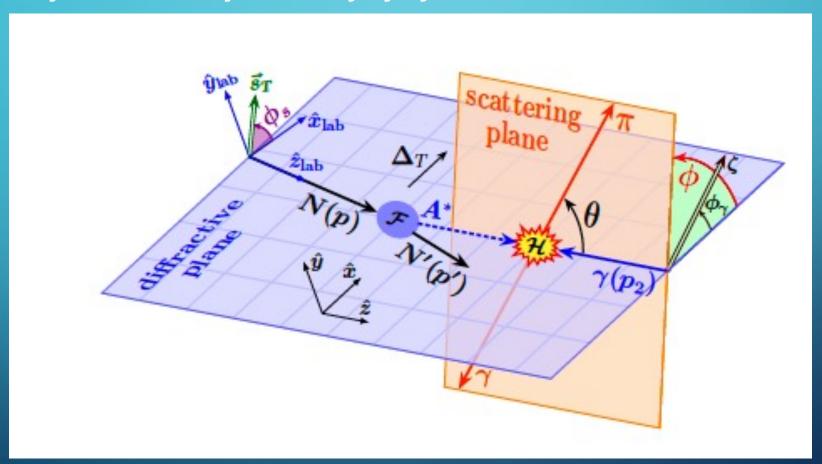
- Frequentist vs Bayesian
- Why should we redo the JPAC model?

### GLUEX

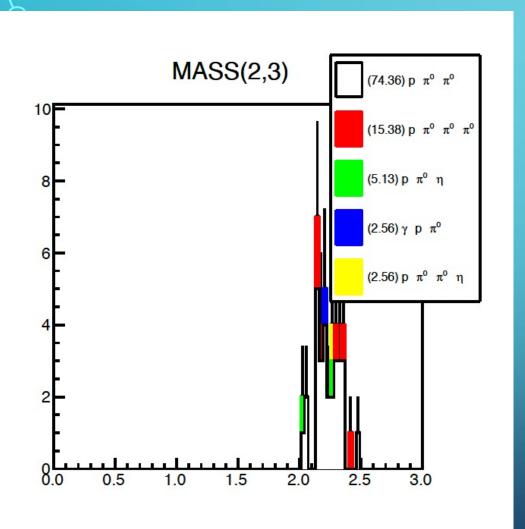


### SINGLE DIFFRACTIVE HARD EXCLUSIVE PROCESS:

 $\gamma$  P  $\rightarrow$   $\pi^{0}$   $\gamma$  P  $\rightarrow$   $\gamma$   $\gamma$  P



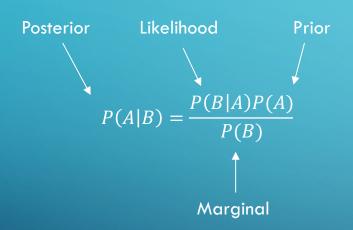
### **PROBLEM**



- $\gamma$   $p \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma p \rightarrow \gamma \gamma \gamma p$
- 3 or 4 photons?
- We can't exclude what we don't know exists
- Transverse Momentum Cut

# WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT BAYESIAN STATISTICS?

Bayesian Statistics allows us to update our beliefs as new information becomes available



A = Hypothesis

B = Evidence

Priors: a,b,c

Model: y = a+bx +...

Bayesian Framework

Yobs

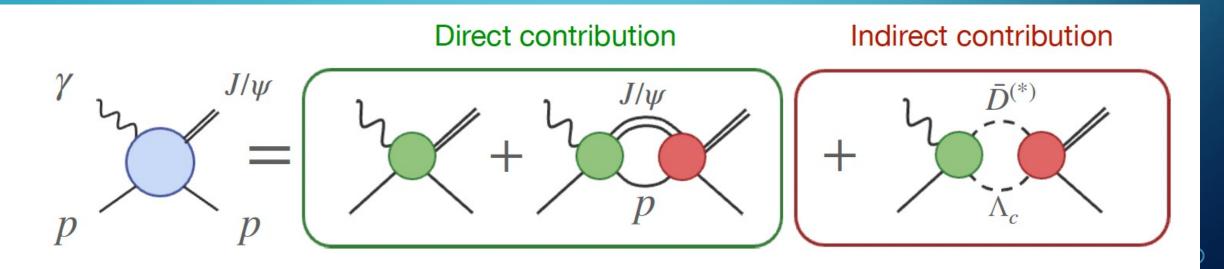
**Posterior** 

### **CHANNELS**

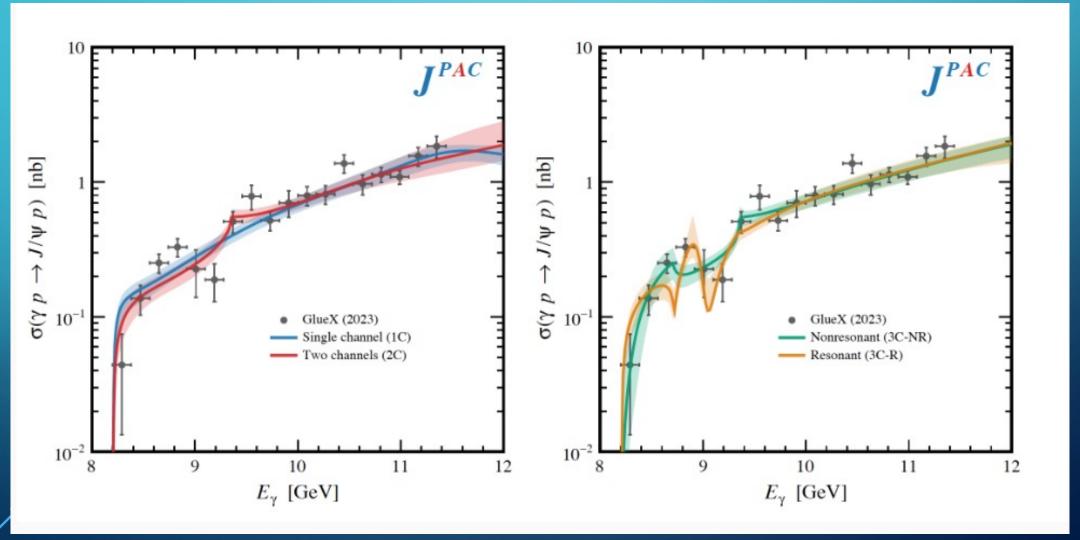
1C: Only  $J/\psi$  p interactions included

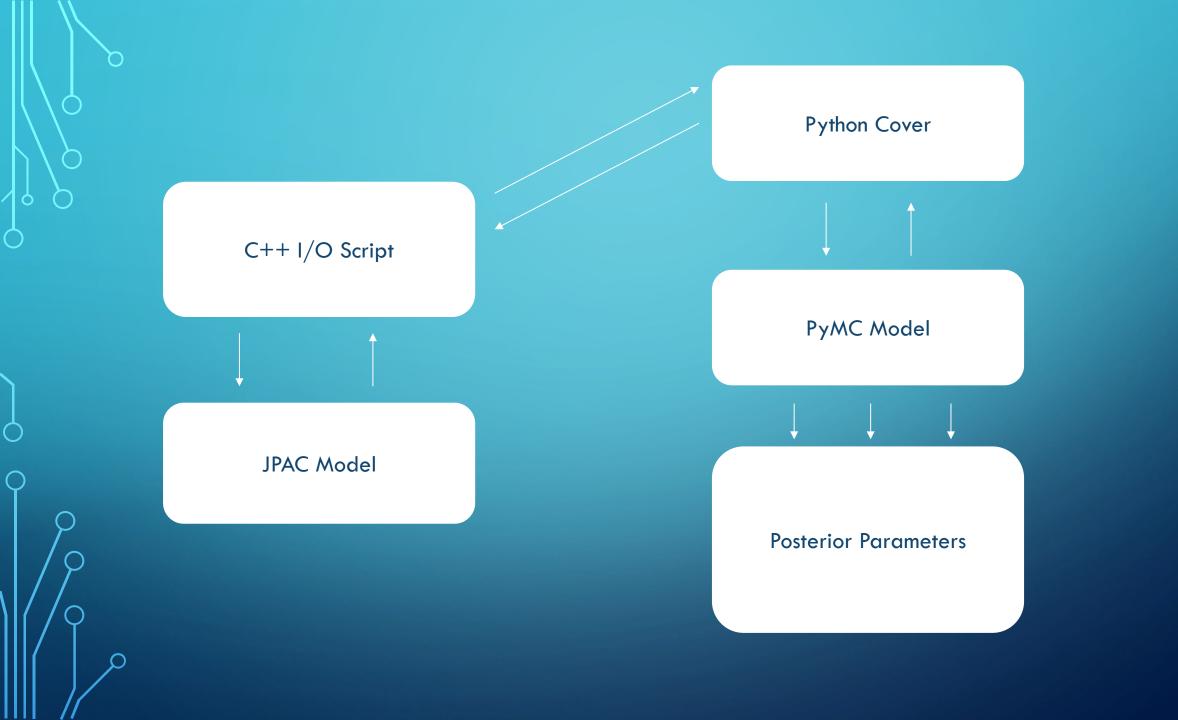
2C: Includes an intermediate channel

3C: Resonant and Non-Resonant, includes both intermediate channels

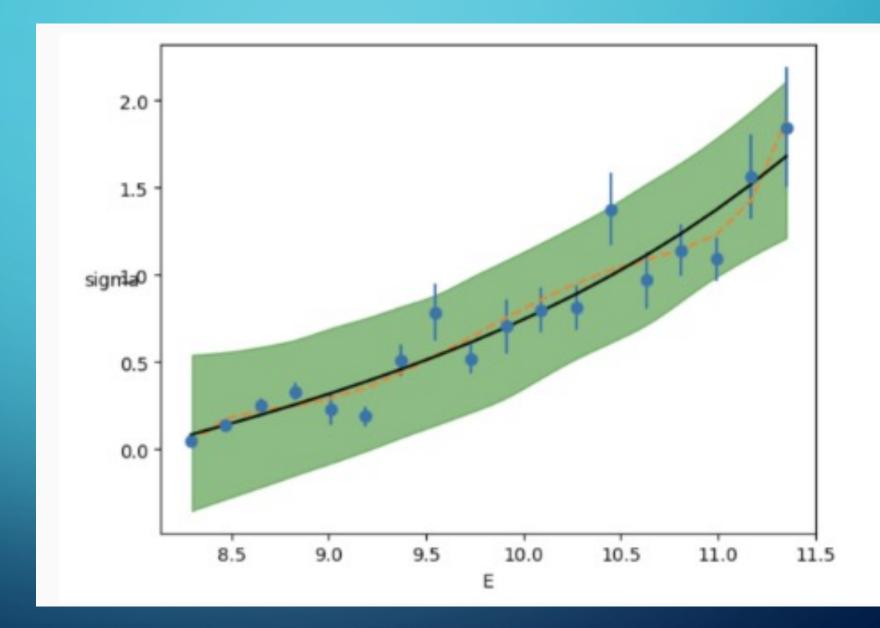


## BAYESIAN UNCERTAINTY QUANTIFICATION OF THE JPACPHOTO MODEL OF $\gamma$ P $\rightarrow$ J/ $\Psi$ P





MODEL: 1C



### FUTURE WORK

$$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma p$$

- Adding new MC simulations, cuts
- Model → elimination/estimation of the contribution of background in the data

$$\gamma p \rightarrow J/\psi p$$

- Expand upon model to include
  Gaussian Process approach to area
  between data points
- Include uncertainty in model
- Expand model to other channels

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