

# Three-dimensional Imaging of the Pion using Lattice QCD: GPDs

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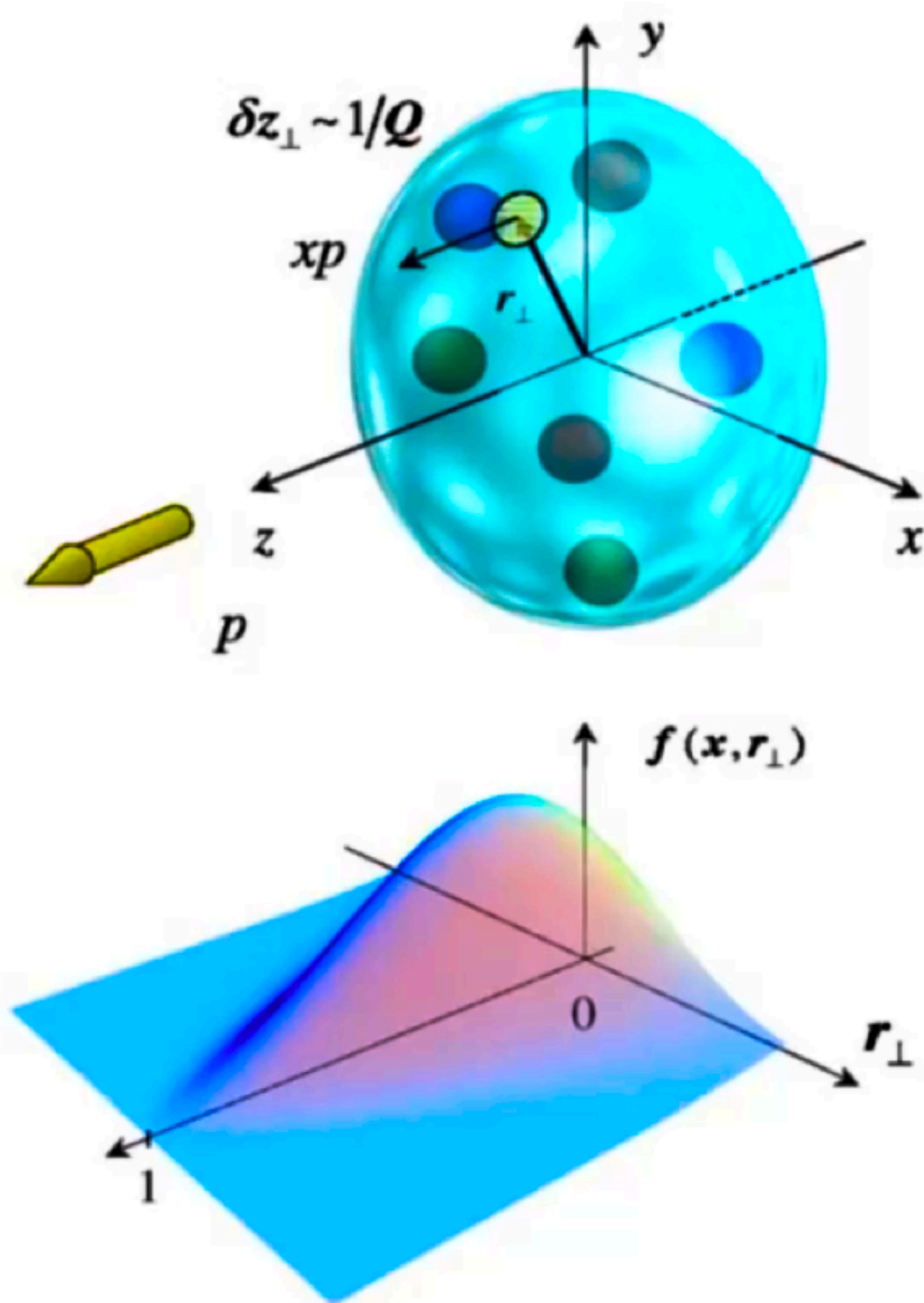
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# Generalized parton distributions

GPDs goes far beyond the 1D PDFs and the transverse structure encoded in the form factors.



$$F_q(x, \xi, t) = \int \frac{dz^-}{4\pi} e^{-ixP^+z^-} \langle p_f | \bar{q}(-\frac{z}{2}) \gamma^\mu \mathcal{W}(-\frac{z}{2}, \frac{z}{2}) q(\frac{z}{2}) | p_i \rangle$$

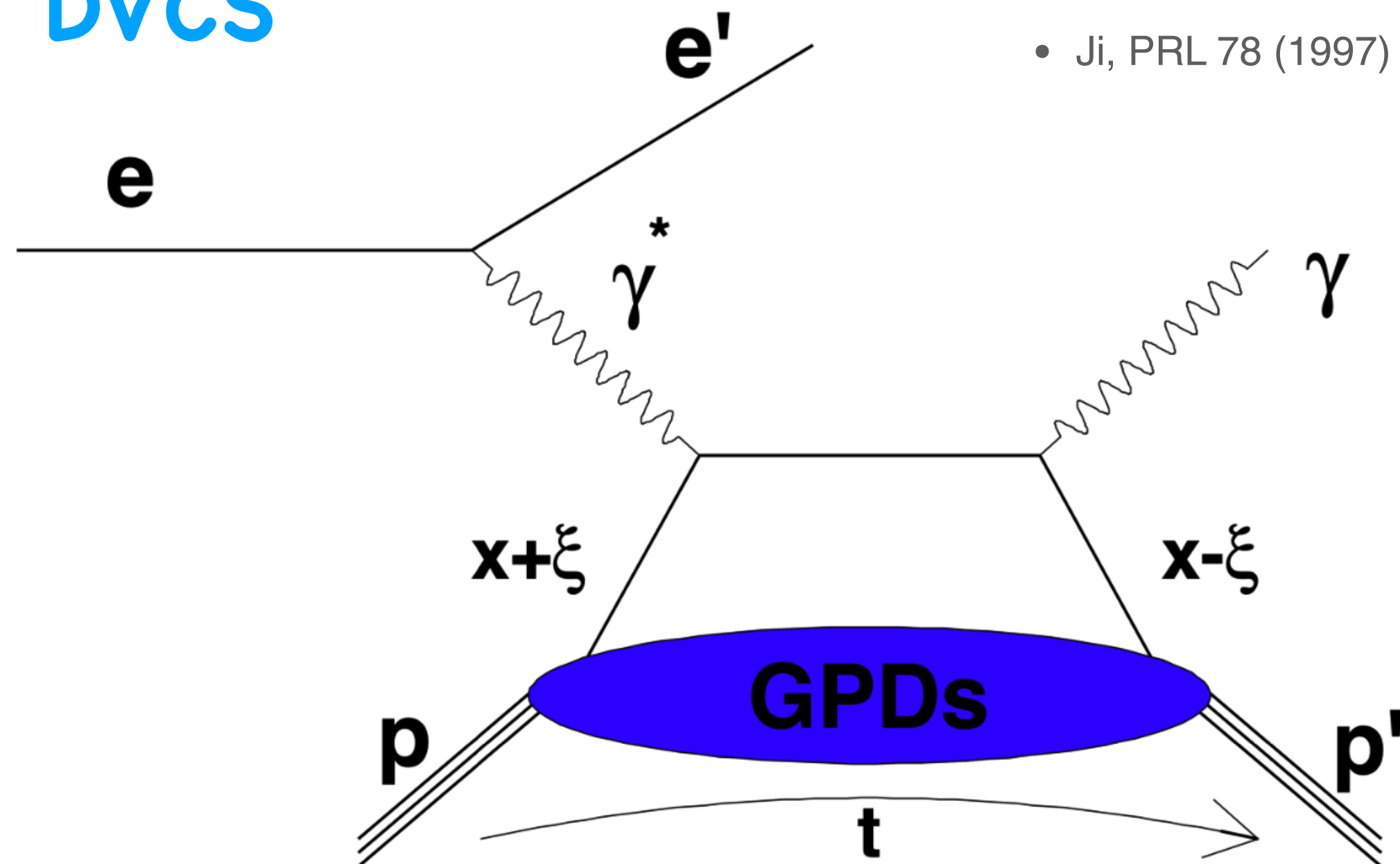
- Offer insights into the 3D image of hadrons.
- Give access to the orbital motion and spin of partons.
- Have a relation to pressure and shear forces inside hadrons.

• Ji, PRL 78 (1997)

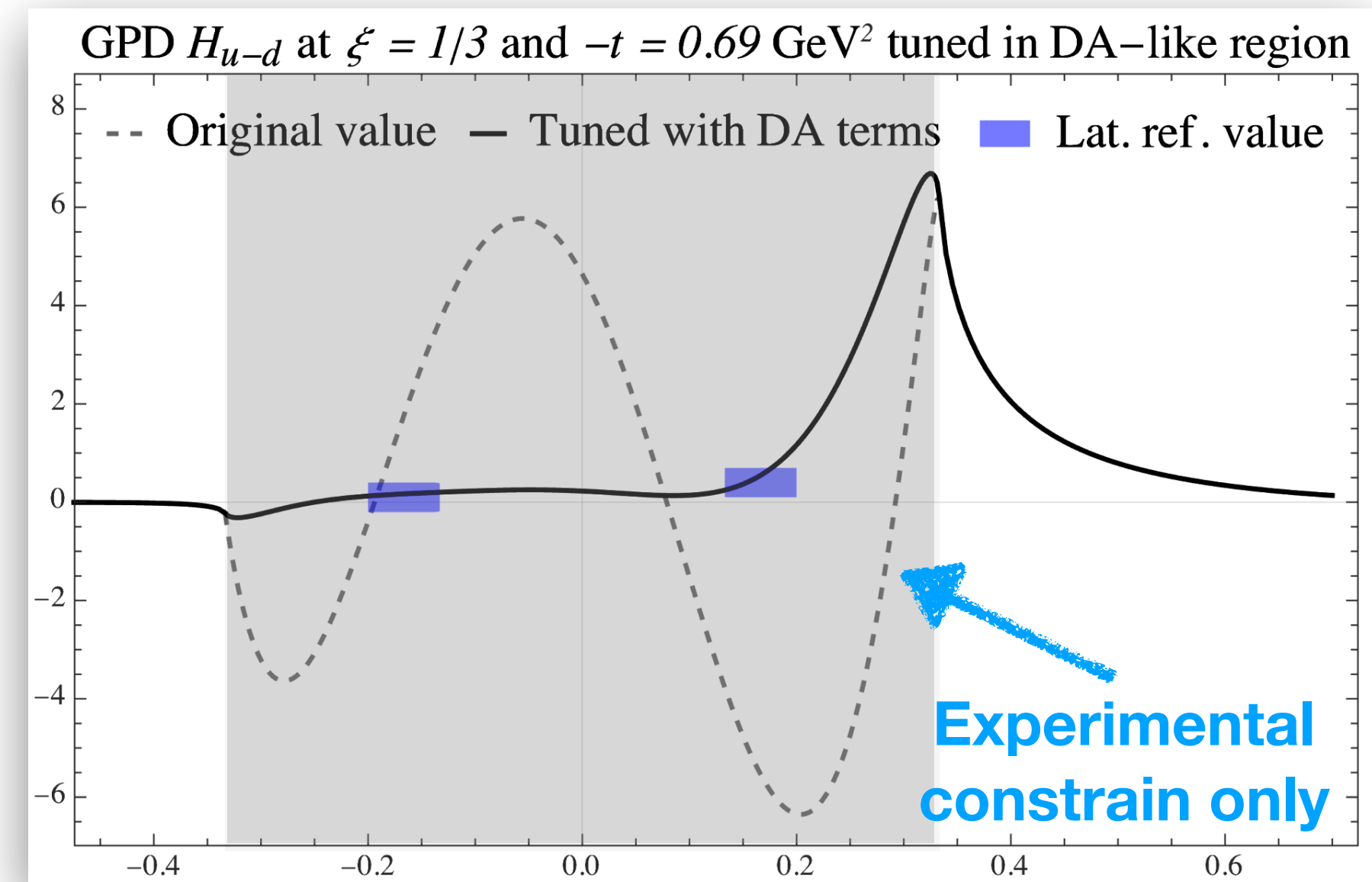
• Belitsky and Radyushkin: Phys.Rept. 418 (2005) 1-387

# 3 Generalized parton distributions

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• Y. Guo, et al., JHEP 05 (2023) 150

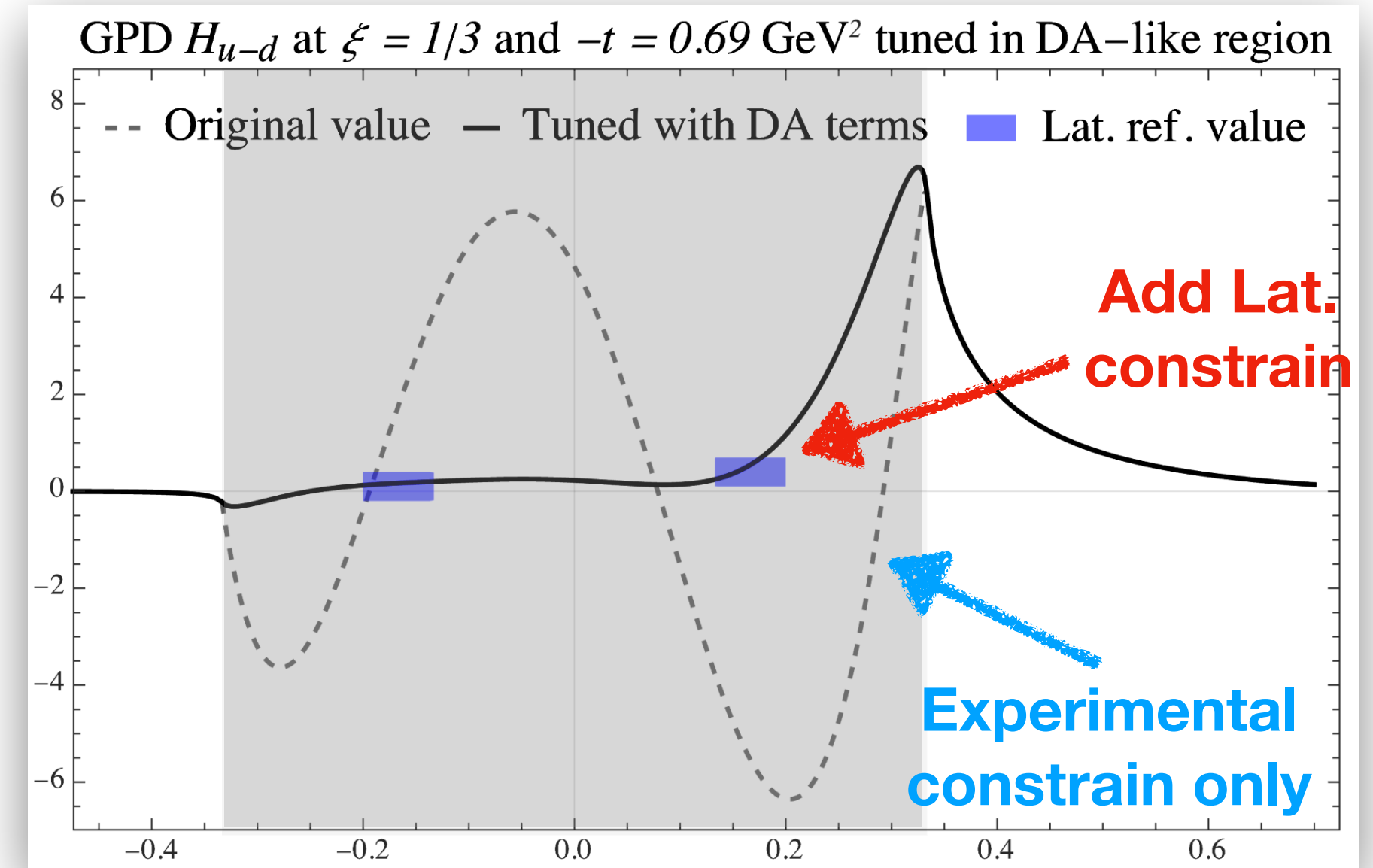
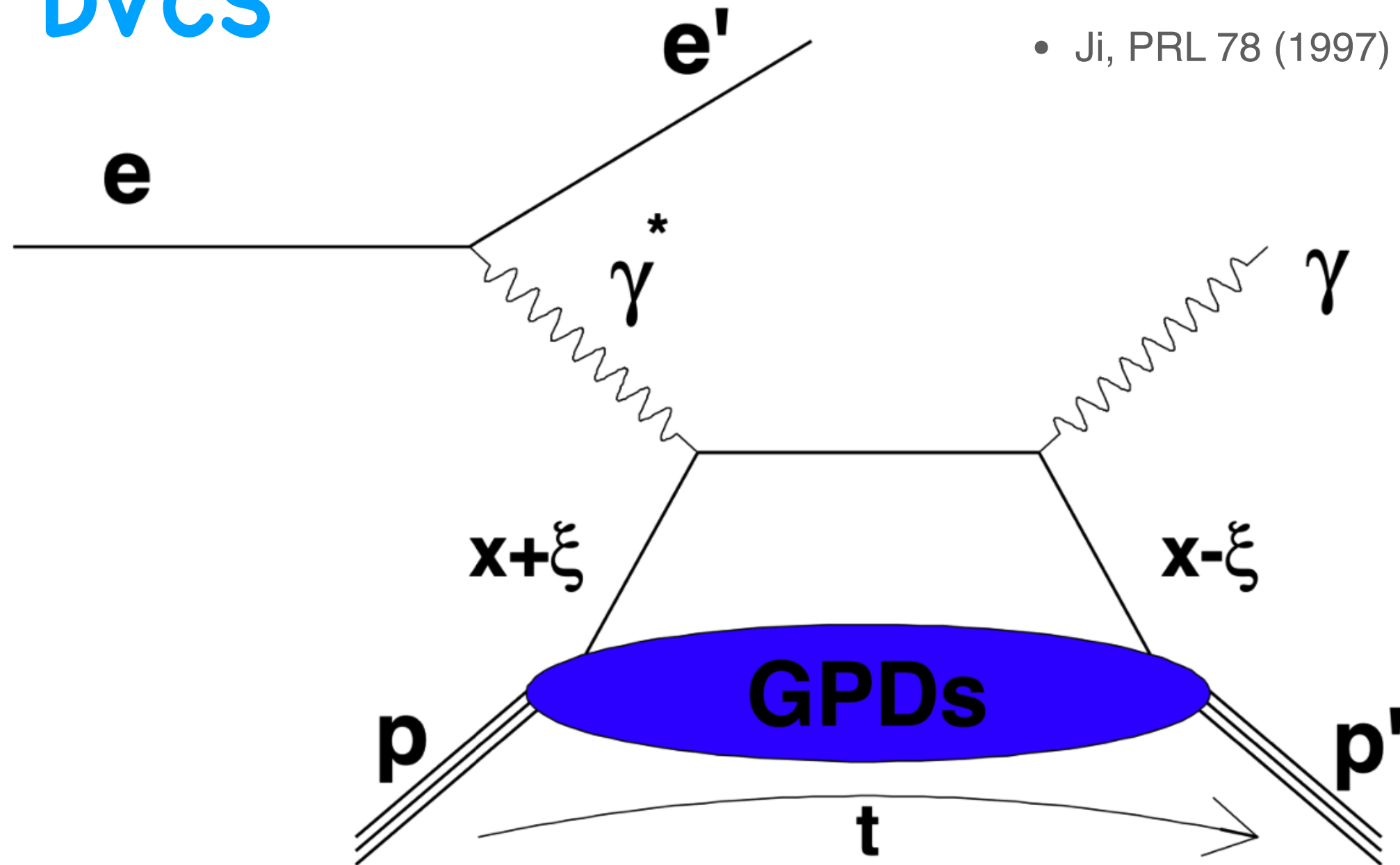


## Challenging:

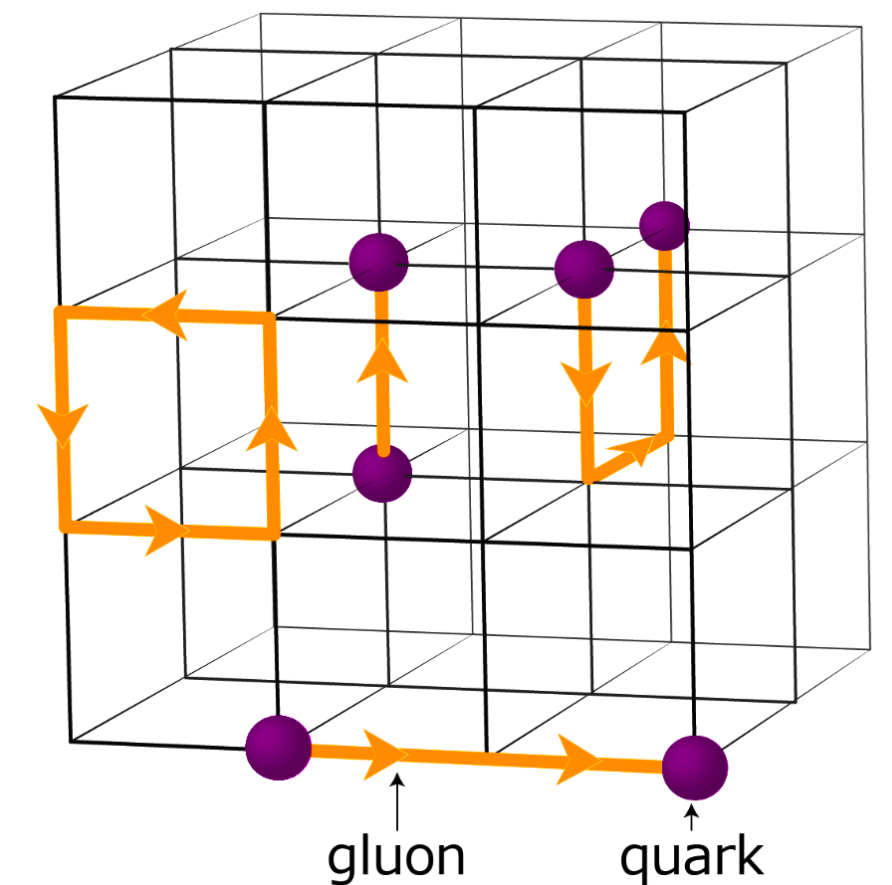
- Observables appear at the **amplitude level**.
- Multi-dimensionality  $F(x, \xi, t)$ .
- The momentum fraction  $x$  is **integrated over** (Inverse problem).

# 4 Generalized parton distributions

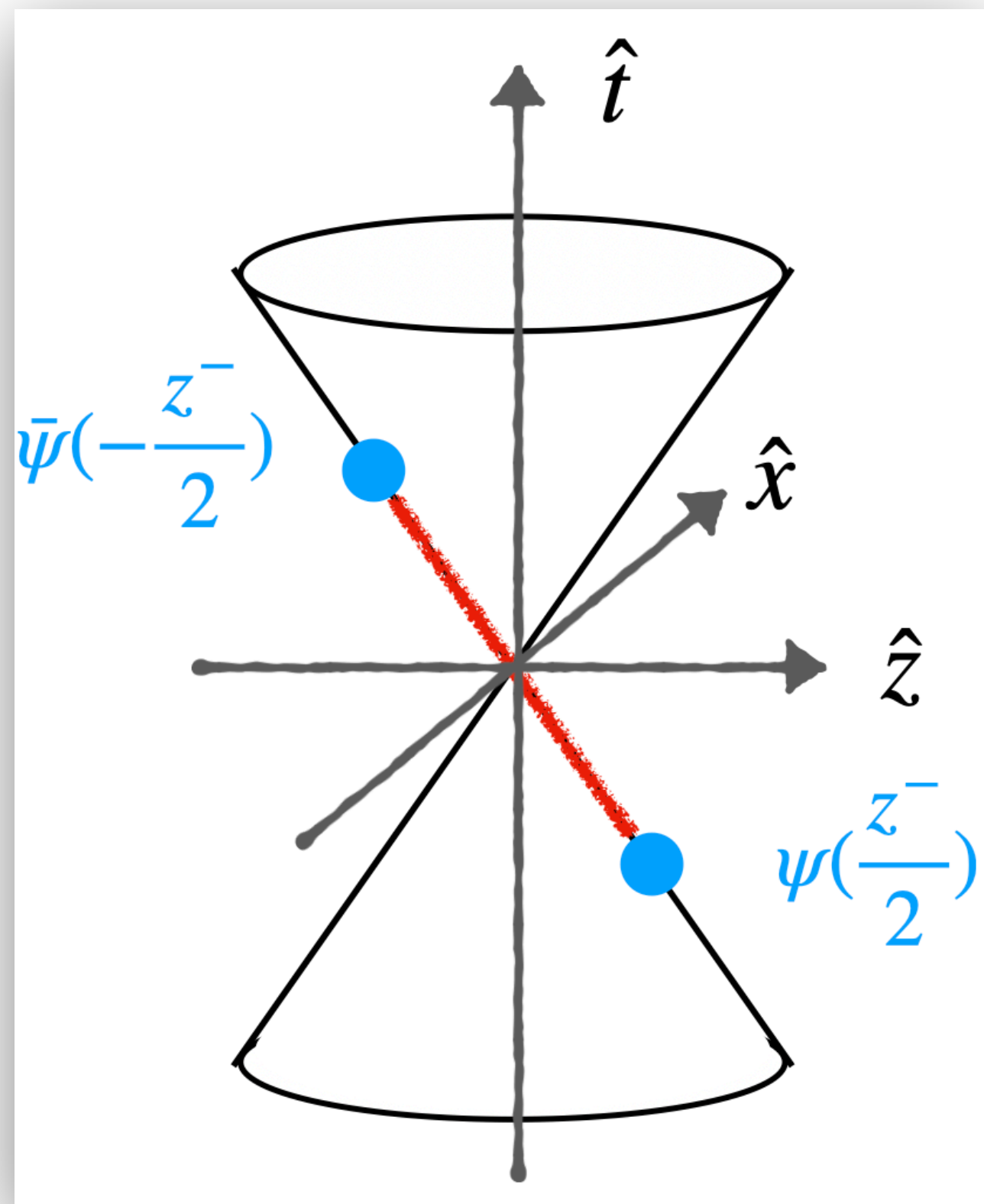
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Complementary knowledge from lattice QCD is essential.



## 5 Parton distributions from lattice QCD simulation



$$f(x, \mu) = \int \frac{dz^-}{4\pi} e^{-ixP^+z^-} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(0) \Gamma \mathcal{W}(0, z^-) \psi(z^-) | P' \rangle$$



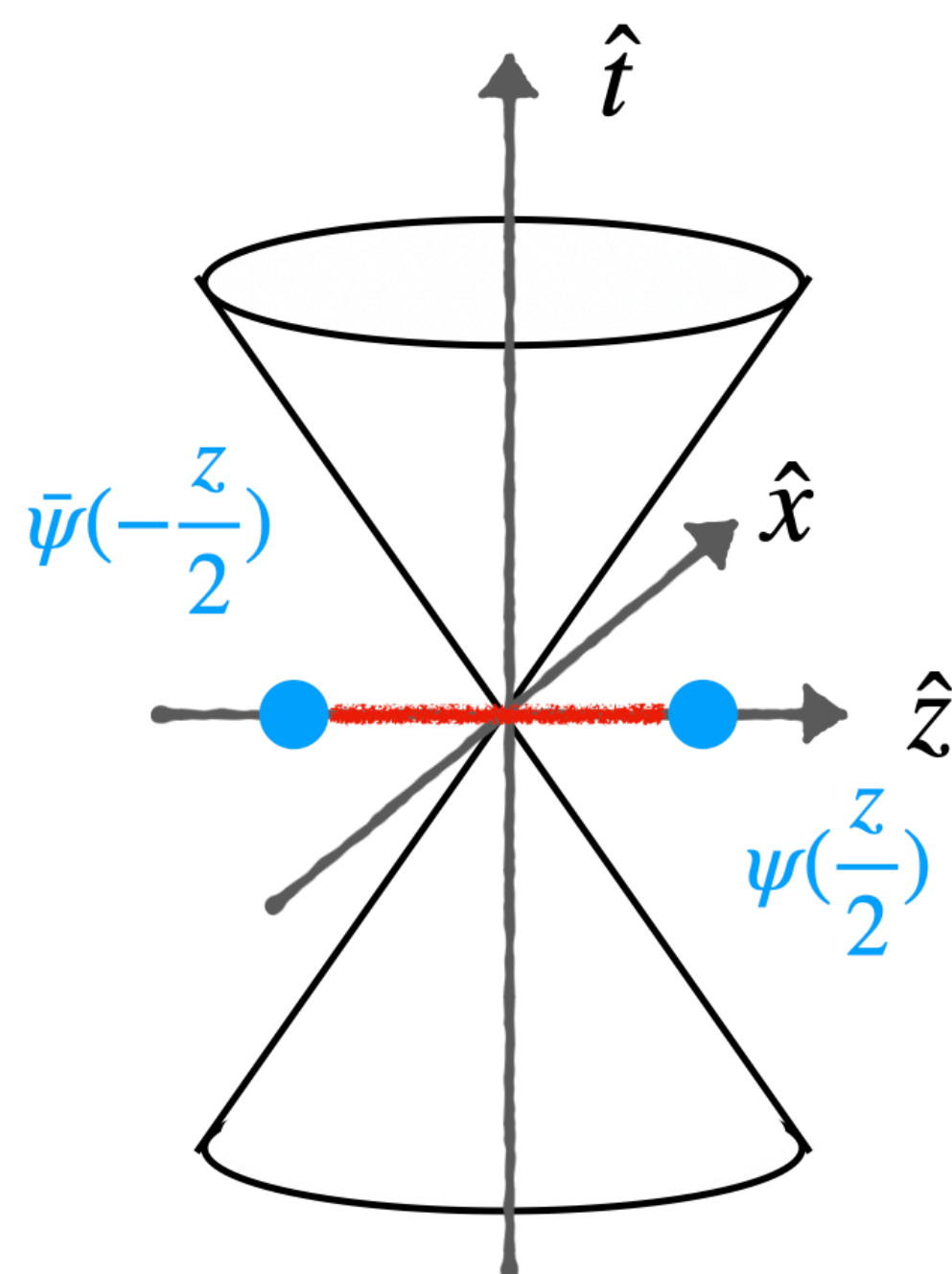
**Light-cone correlations: forbidden on Euclidean lattice**

# 6 Large momentum effective theory

The **quasi distribution** from equal-time correlators,

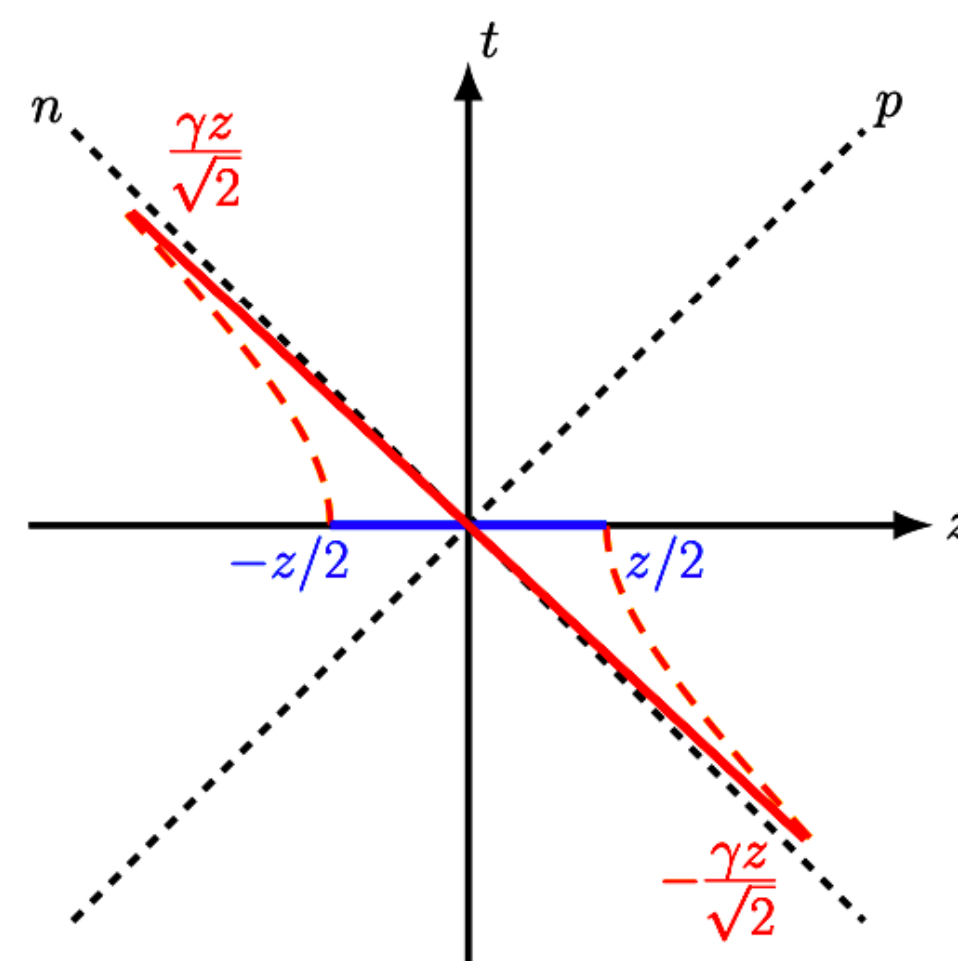
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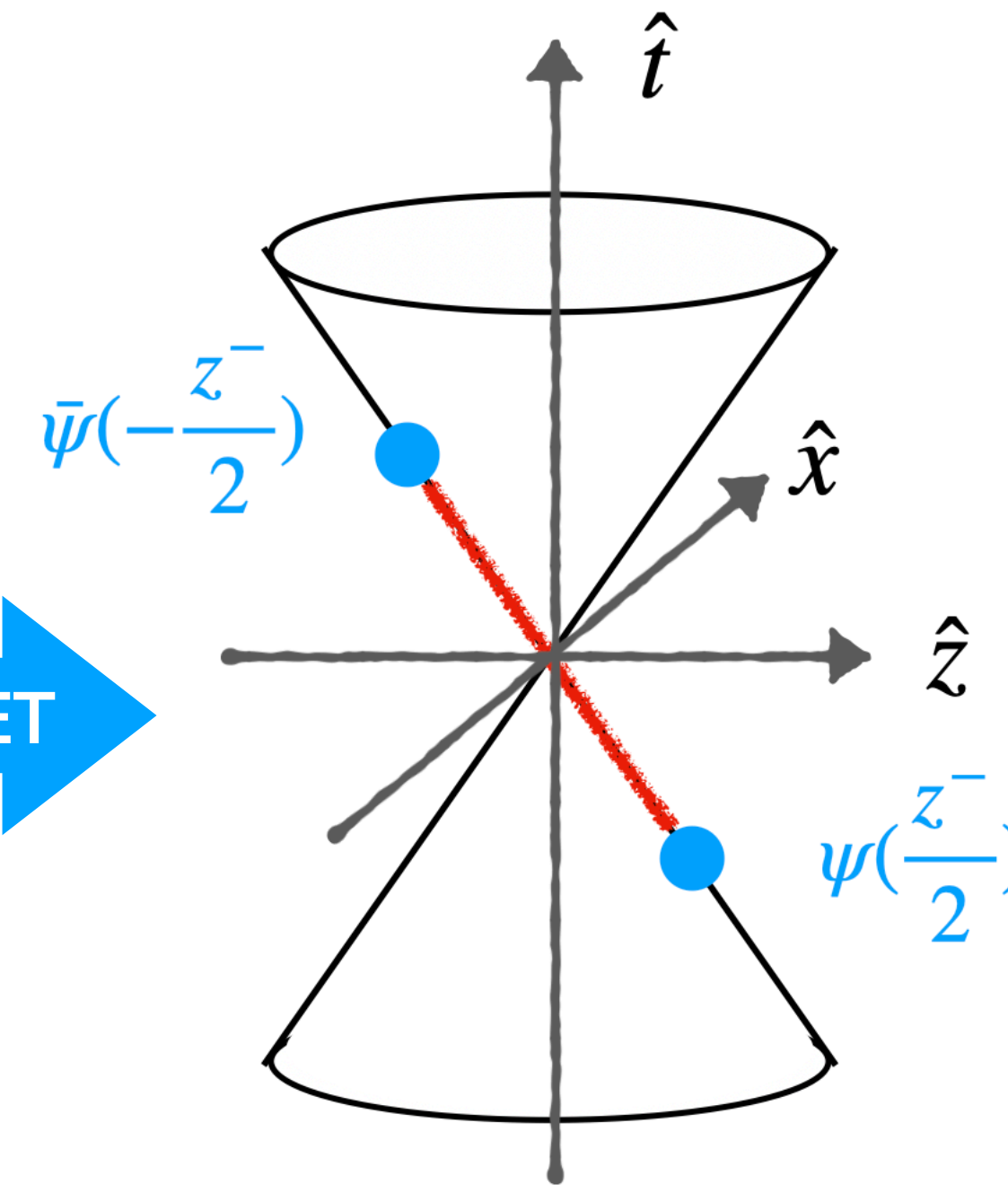


**Quasi PDF/GPD**

Related by Lorentz boost



LaMET



**Light-cone PDF/GPD**

$$\langle P \rightarrow \infty | \bar{\psi}(0) \Gamma \mathcal{W}(0, z) \psi(z) | P \rightarrow \infty \rangle$$

$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(0) \Gamma \mathcal{W}(0, z^-) \psi(z^-) | P \rangle$$

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- X. Ji, PRL 110 (2013); SCPMA57 (2014);
- X. Xiong, X. Ji, et al, 90 PRD (2014);
- Y.-Q. Ma, et al, PRD98 (2018), PRL 120 (2018);
- T. Izubuchi, X. Ji, et al PRD98 (2018).
- X. Ji, Y. Zhao, et al, RMP 93 (2021).

Large  $P_z$  expansion of quasi distribution:

$$\tilde{f}(x, P_z, \mu) = \int \frac{dy}{|y|} C\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{\mu}{yP_z}\right) f(y, \mu) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\Lambda_{QCD}^2}{x^2 P_z^2}, \frac{\Lambda_{QCD}^2}{(1-x)^2 P_z^2}\right)$$

Quasi PDF

Light-cone PDF

Power corrections

- In large  $P_z$  limit, Quasi differ from light-cone distribution by  $\lim_{P \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{a \rightarrow 0}$  v.s.  $\lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \lim_{P \rightarrow \infty}$ , inducing a **perturbative matching**  $C\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{\mu}{yP_z}\right)$ .
- **Computable** from Lattice QCD with finite  $P_z < 1/a$ : power corrections.

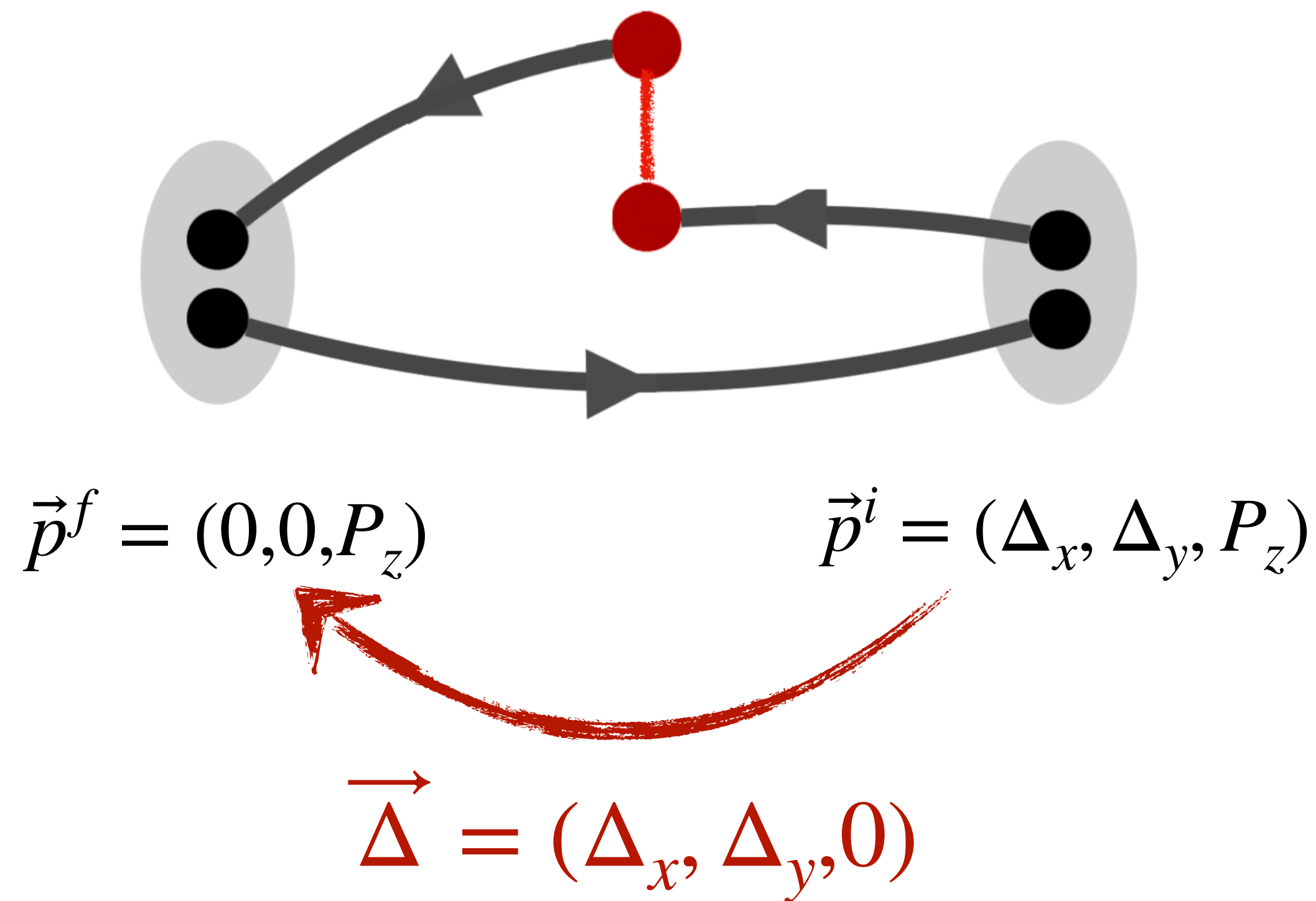
# Pion GPDs: lattice setup

- Clover-fermion on 2+1f HISQ gauge ensembles, 1-step HYP smearing.
- $64^3 \times 64$ ,  $a = 0.04$  fm,  $m_\pi = 300$  MeV.
- Pion  $P_z$  up to  $1.94$  GeV, momentum transfer up to  $1.7$  GeV<sup>2</sup>.

$t_s/a$	$\mathbf{n}^f = (n_x^f, n_y^f, n_z^f)$	$m_z$	$P_z$ [GeV]	$\mathbf{n}^\Delta = (n_x^\Delta, n_y^\Delta, n_z^\Delta)$	$-t$ [GeV <sup>2</sup> ]	#cfgs	(#ex, #sl)
9,12,15,18	(0,0,0)	0	0	(0,0,0)	0	314	(3, 96)
9,12,15,18	(0,0,2)	2	0.968	(1,2,0)	0.952	314	(4, 128)
9,12,15	(0,0,3)	2	1.453	[(0,0,0), (1,0,0) (1,1,0), (2,0,0) (2,1,0), (2,2,0)]	[0, 0.229, 0.446, 0.855, 1.048, 1.589]	314	(4, 128)
9,12,15	(0,0,4)	3	<u>1.937</u>		[0, 0.231, 0.455, 0.887, 1.095, 1.690]	564	(4, 128)



# Pion GPDs: lattice setup



$$M^\mu(z, \bar{P}, \Delta)$$

$$= \langle \vec{p}^f | \bar{\psi}(\frac{z}{2}) \gamma^\mu W(\frac{z}{2}, -\frac{z}{2}) \psi(-\frac{z}{2}) | \vec{p}^i \rangle$$

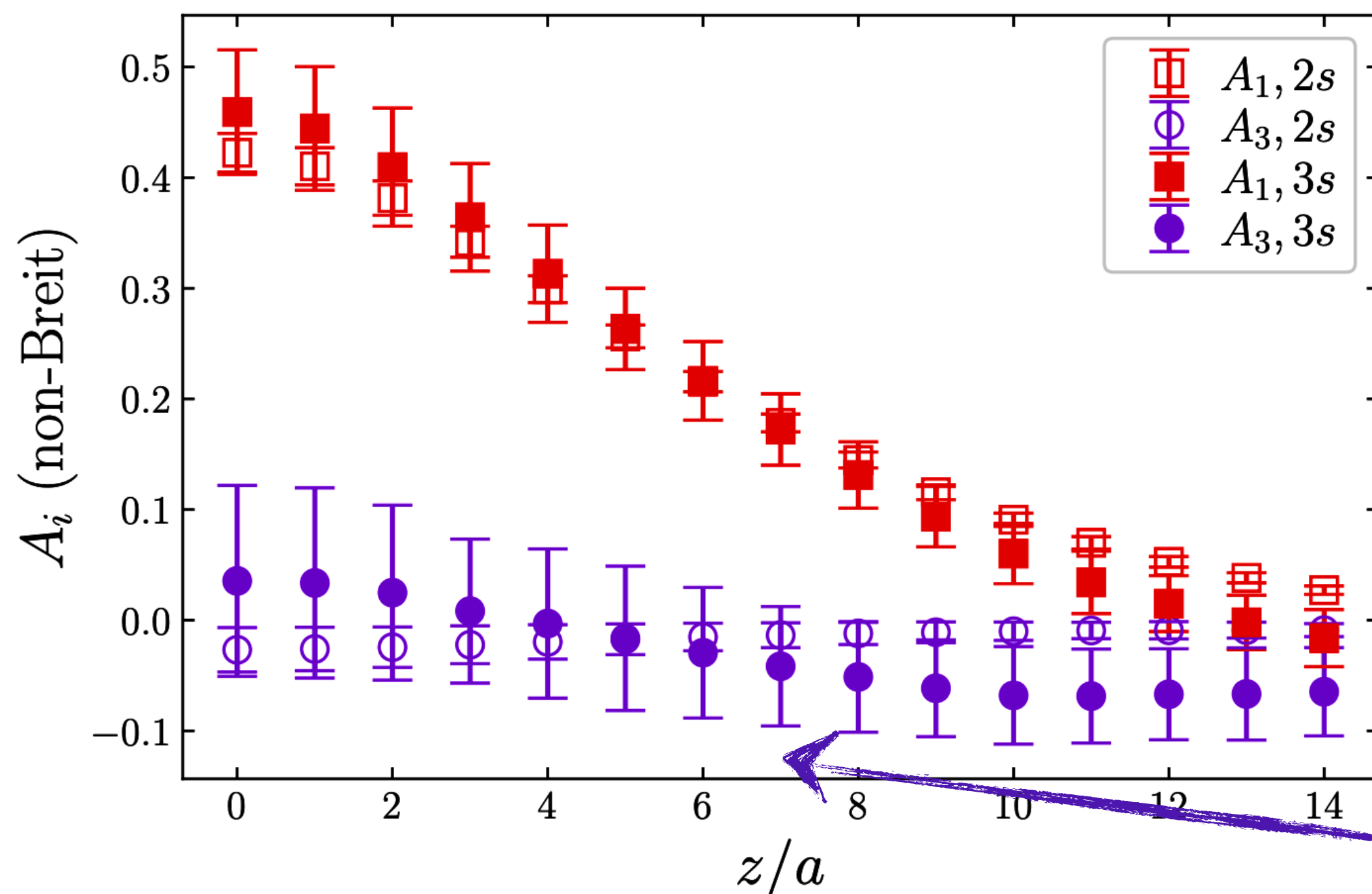
- Zero-skewness:  $\xi = -\frac{z\Delta_z}{2z\bar{P}_z} = 0$ .
- Asymmetric frame: all  $\Delta$  assigned to initial state to get multiple momentum transfer at once during contraction.

# 10 Bare matrix elements: explicit power corrections

**Lorentz-covariant decomposition (spin-0)**

**in terms of  $A_i(z \cdot P_z, z \cdot \Delta, \Delta^2, z^2)$ :**

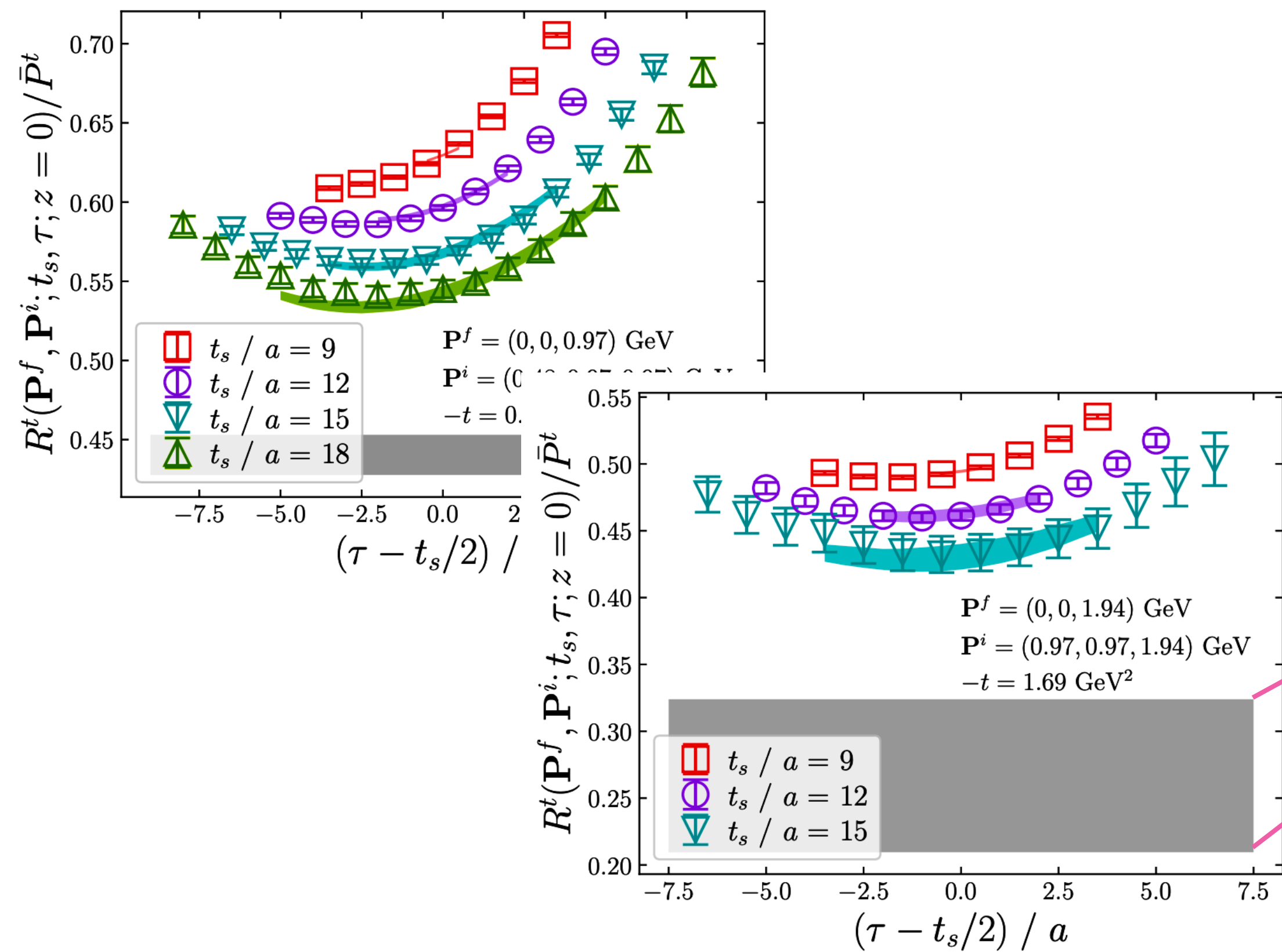
$$M^\mu(z, \bar{P}, \Delta) = \bar{P}^\mu A_1 + m_\pi^2 z^\mu A_2 + \Delta^\mu A_3$$



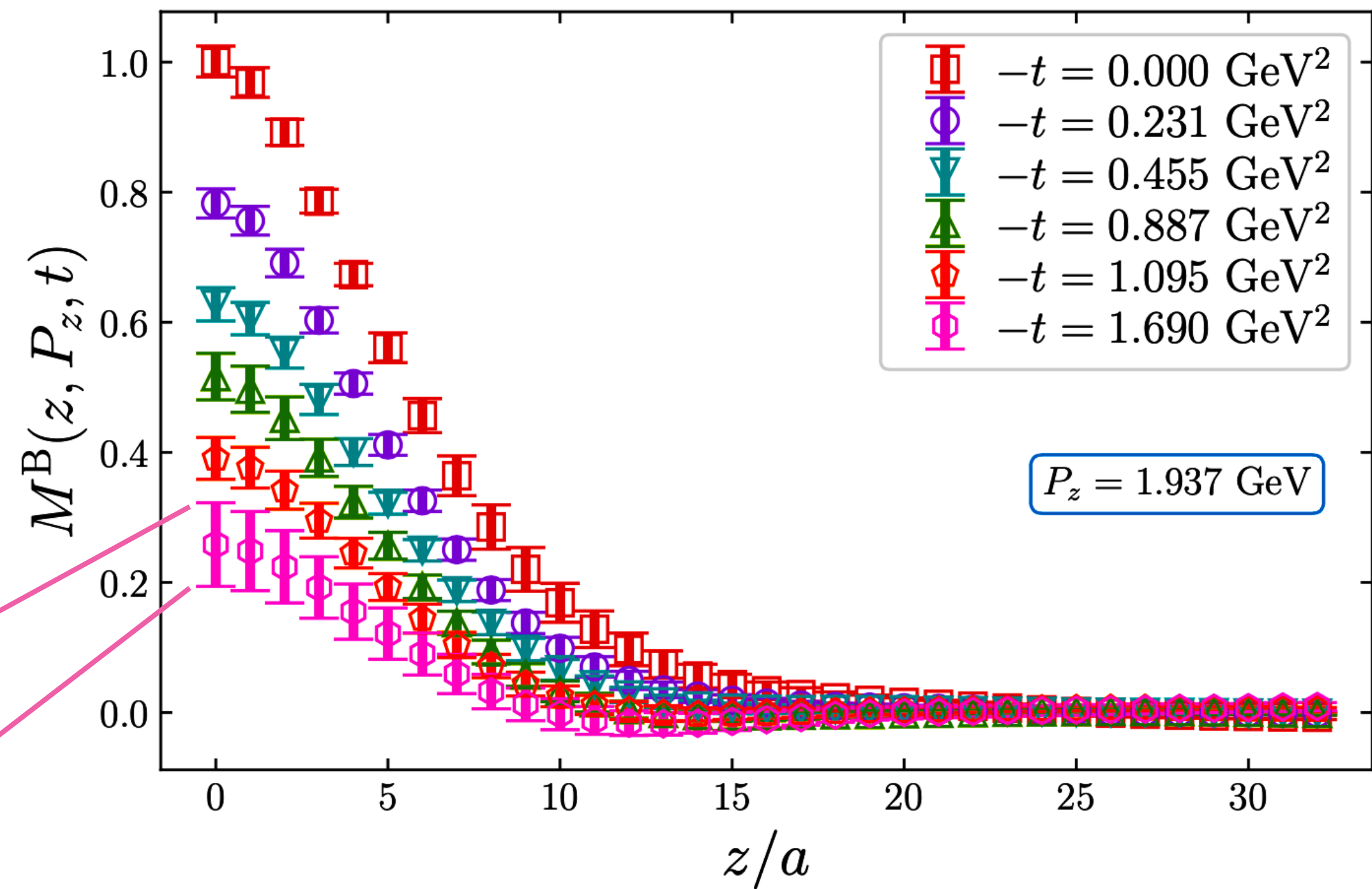
- **$A_2$  and  $A_3$  are power corrections** existing at finite  $P_z$  but disappear in the  $P_z \rightarrow \infty$  limit.
- **$A_2$  can be avoided** by choosing  $\gamma^\mu = \gamma^t$ .
- **$A_3$  can be estimated through linear combination of  $\gamma^t, \gamma^x, \gamma^y$ : consistent with zero.**

# 11 Bare matrix elements

- Three-point to two-point functions ratio



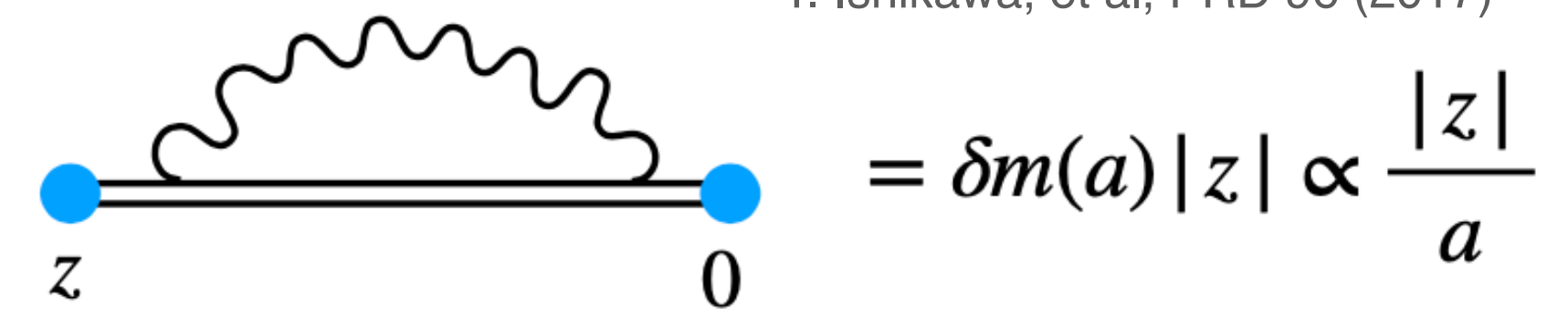
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The operator can be multiplicatively renormalized:

$$[\bar{\psi}(0)\Gamma W_{\hat{z}}(0,z)\psi(z)]_B = e^{-\delta m|z|} Z(a) [\bar{\psi}(0)\Gamma W_{\hat{z}}(0,z)\psi(z)]_R$$

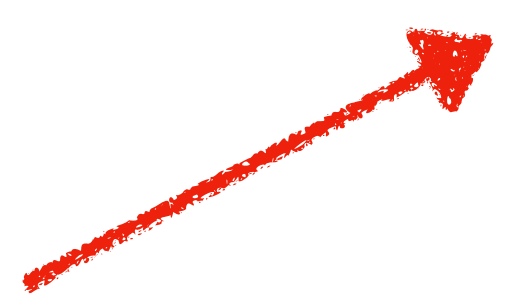
$$\delta m(a) = m_{-1}(a)/a + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}})$$

Wilson-line self energy + **renormalon ambiguity**

- 1. Subtract the linear divergence (Lattice scheme):**
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- 2. Subtract the leading renormalon:**
  - Match the  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  OPE matrix element to lattice scheme.

$$Z(a)e^{\delta m(a)|z|} M^B(z, P_z = 0) = C_0^{\overline{\text{MS}}, \text{LRR}}(\mu, z) e^{-m_0|z|}$$

LRR: leading renormalon resummation

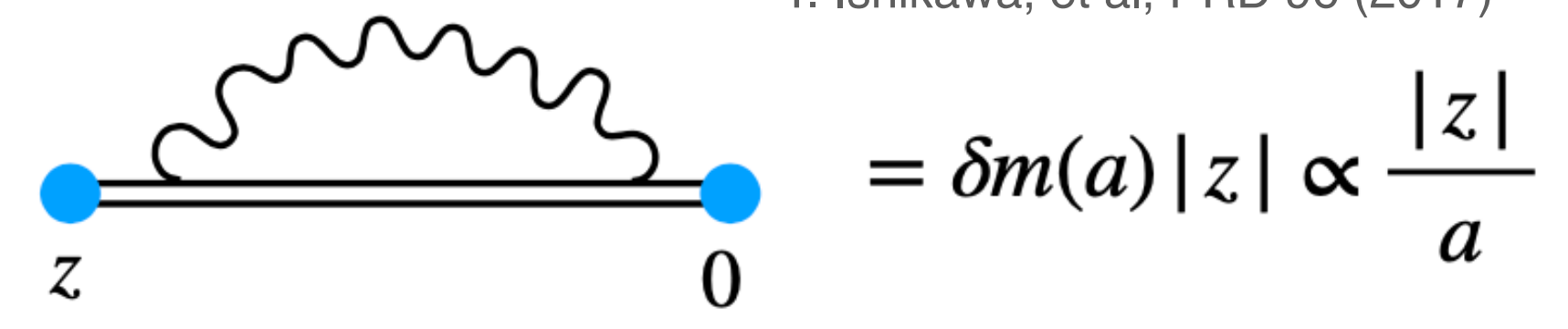


$$\mathcal{O}(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/P_z) + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2/P_z^2)$$

- J. Holligan, et al., (UMD) NPB 993 (2023).
- R. Zhang, et al., (UMD) PLB 844 (2023).

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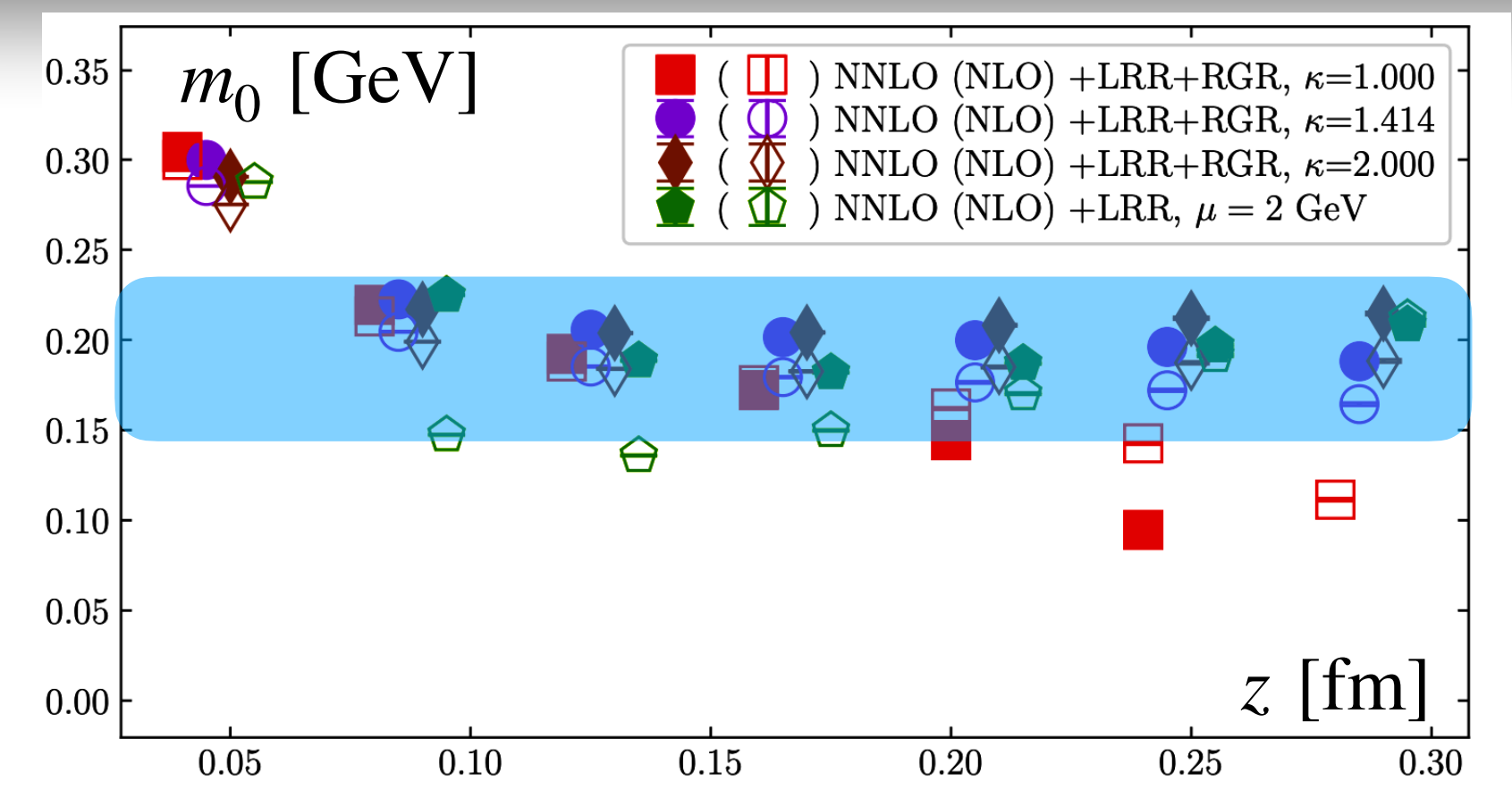
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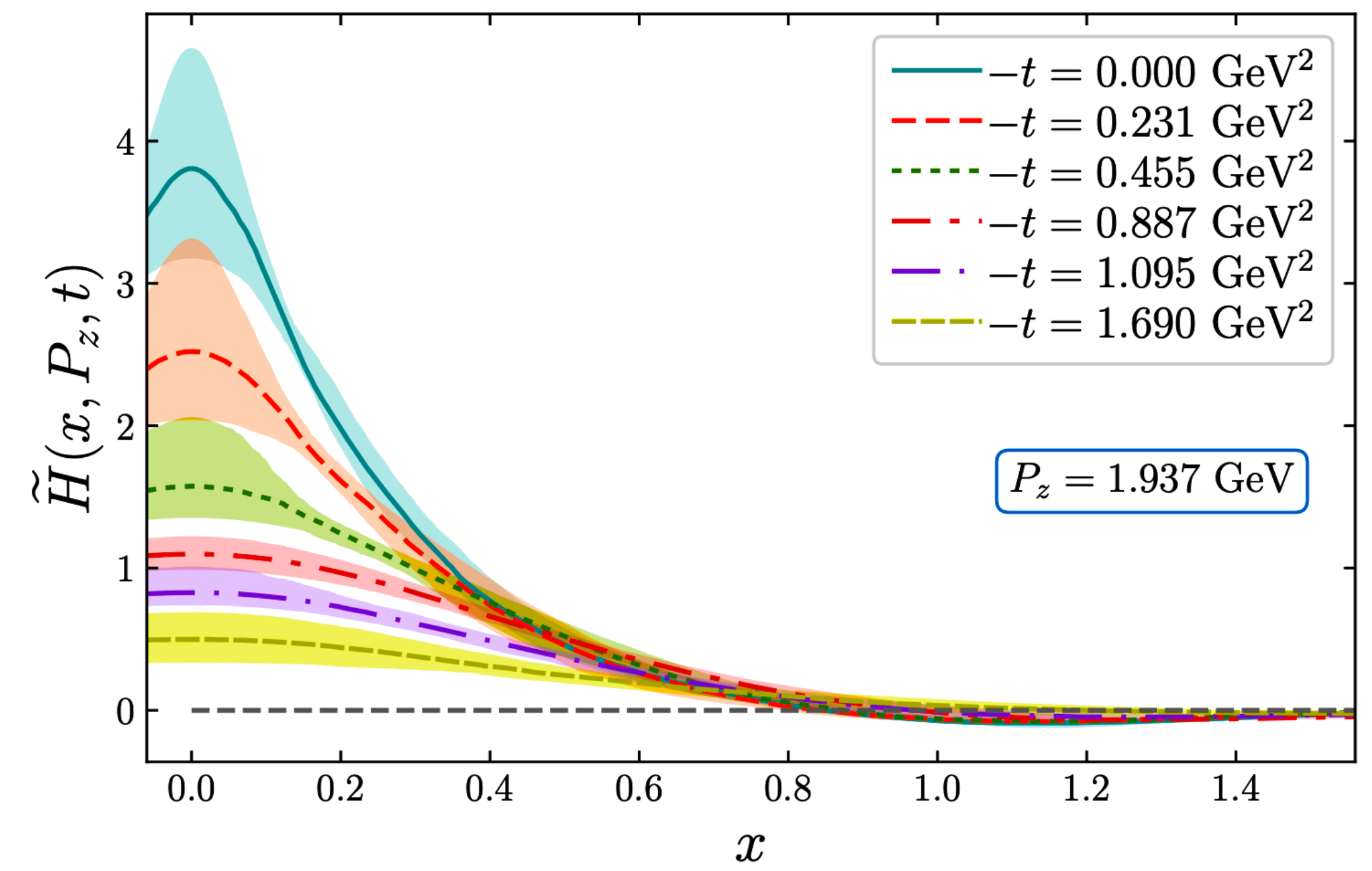
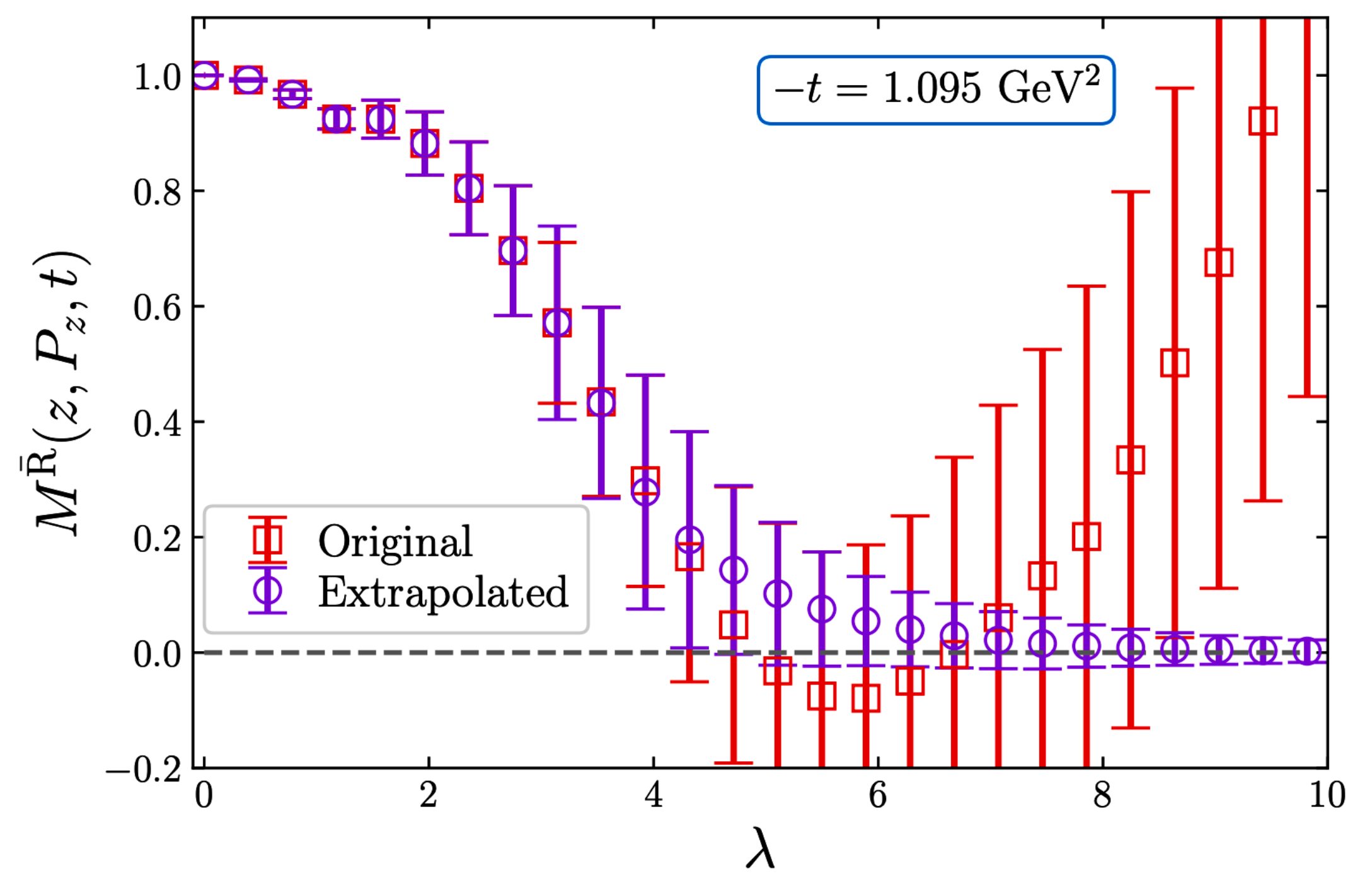
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# Renormalized matrix elements and F. T. to quasi-GPDs

● Renormalized matrix elements

● Quasi-GPDs

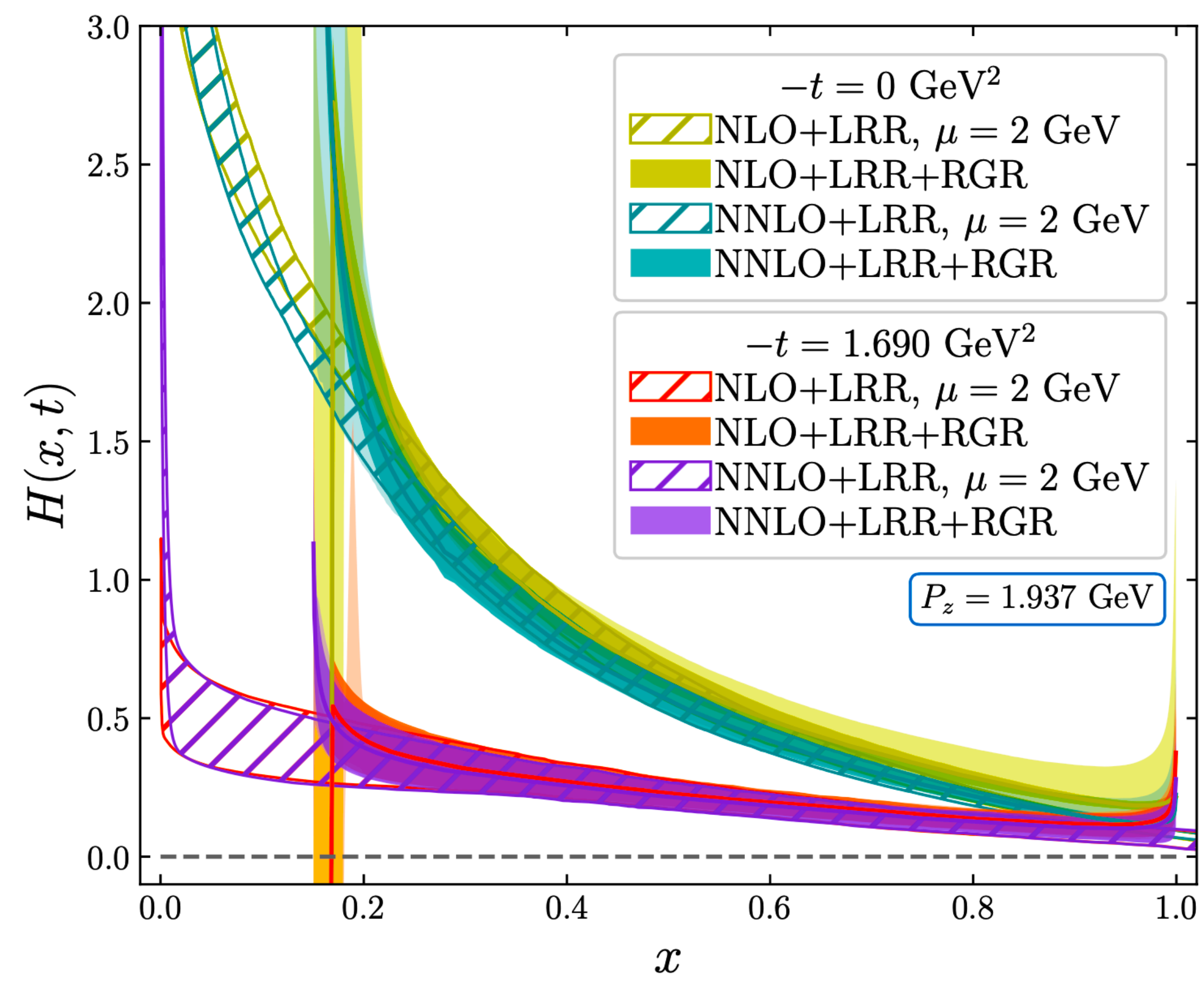


– Extrapolation of spacial correlation at long distance:

$$\sim \frac{e^{-m \cdot z}}{\lambda^d}$$

– Quasi-GPDs decay as momentum transfer  $-t$  increases.

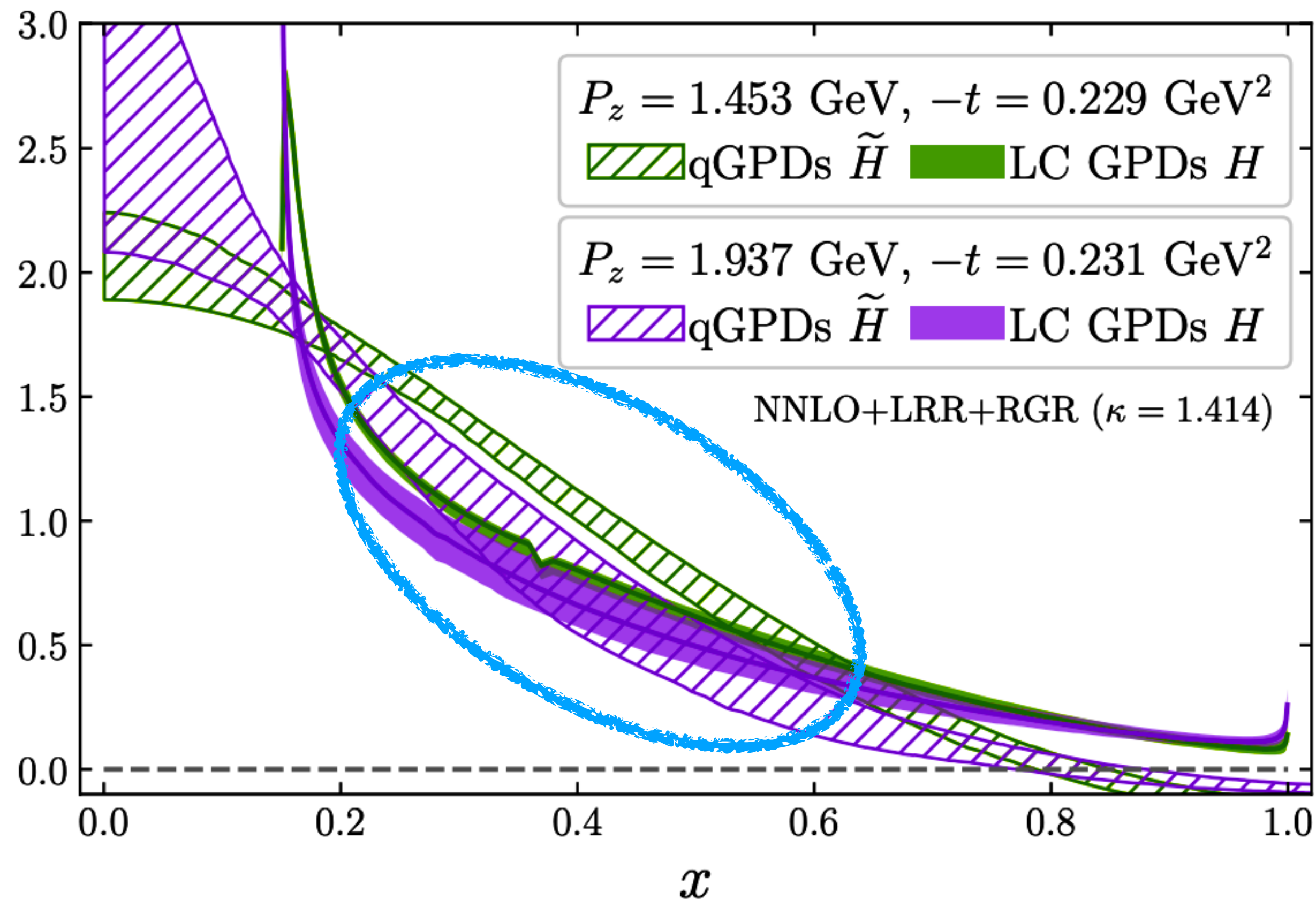
# 15 Perturbative matching up to NNLO



- **NLO → NNLO**: excellent perturbative convergence can be observed except small- $x$  region, where LaMET factorization breaks down.

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# 16 Pion GPDs from different momentum boost

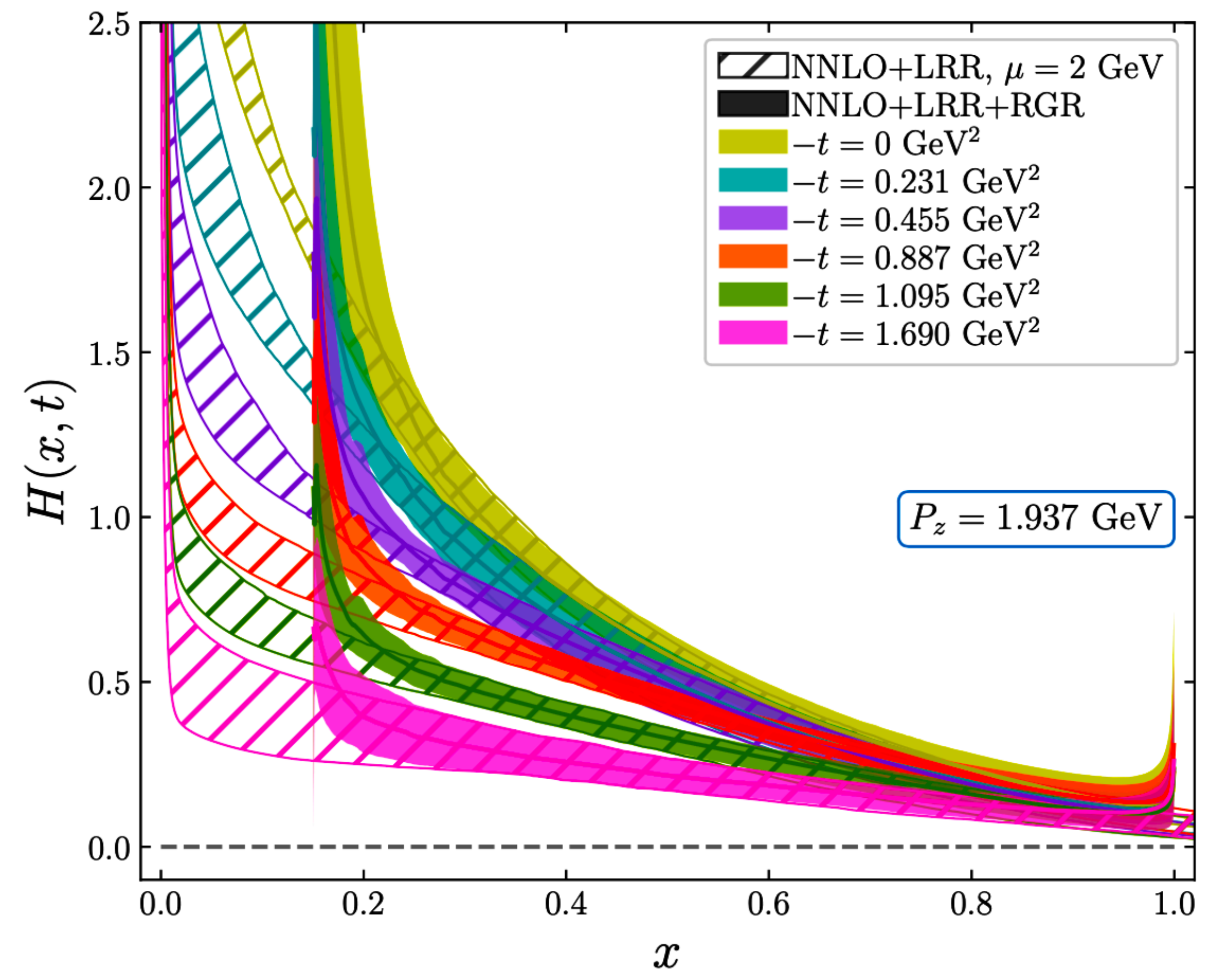


- Good momenta convergence can be observed in the moderate region of  $x$ : power corrections under control.

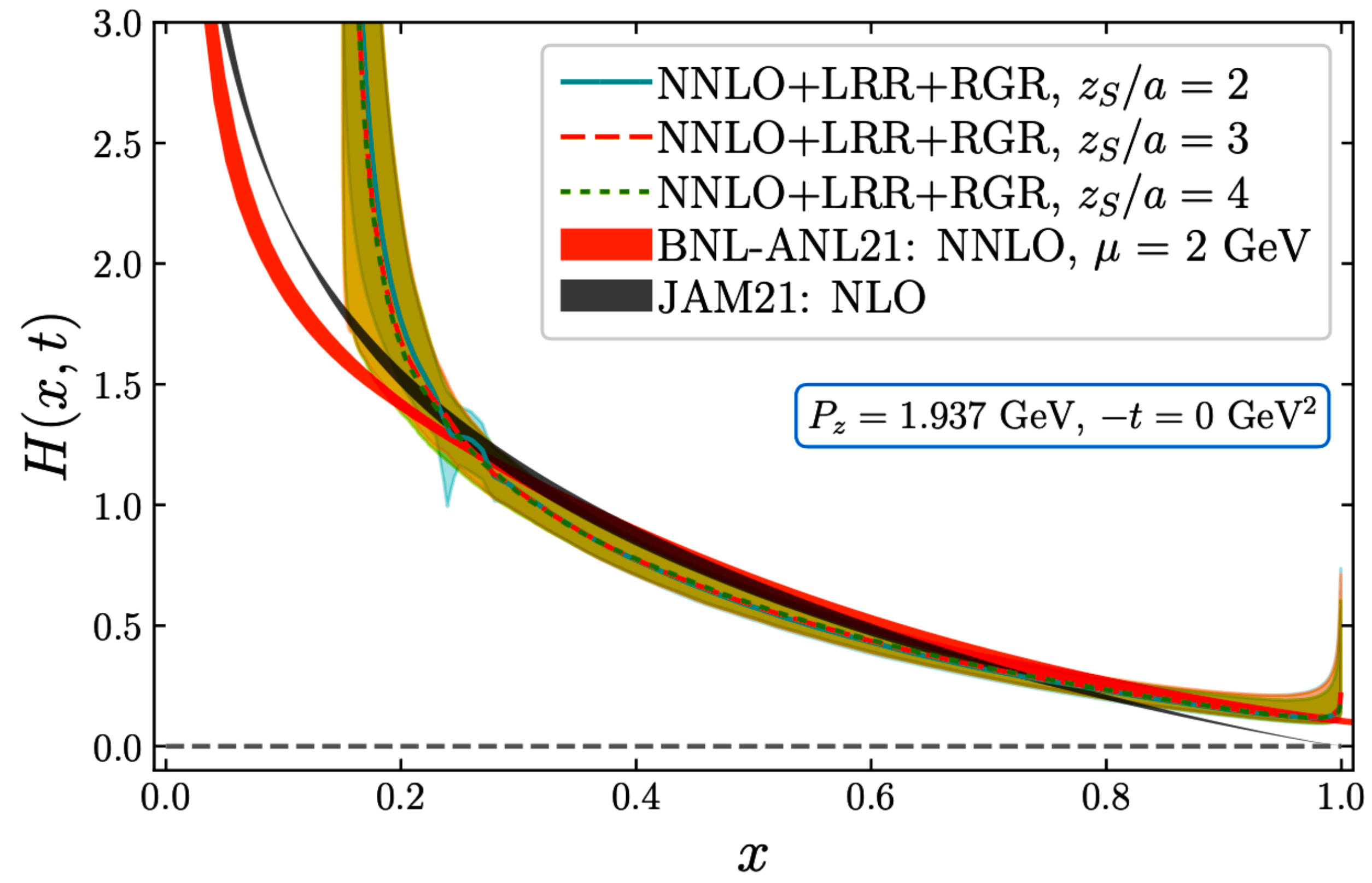
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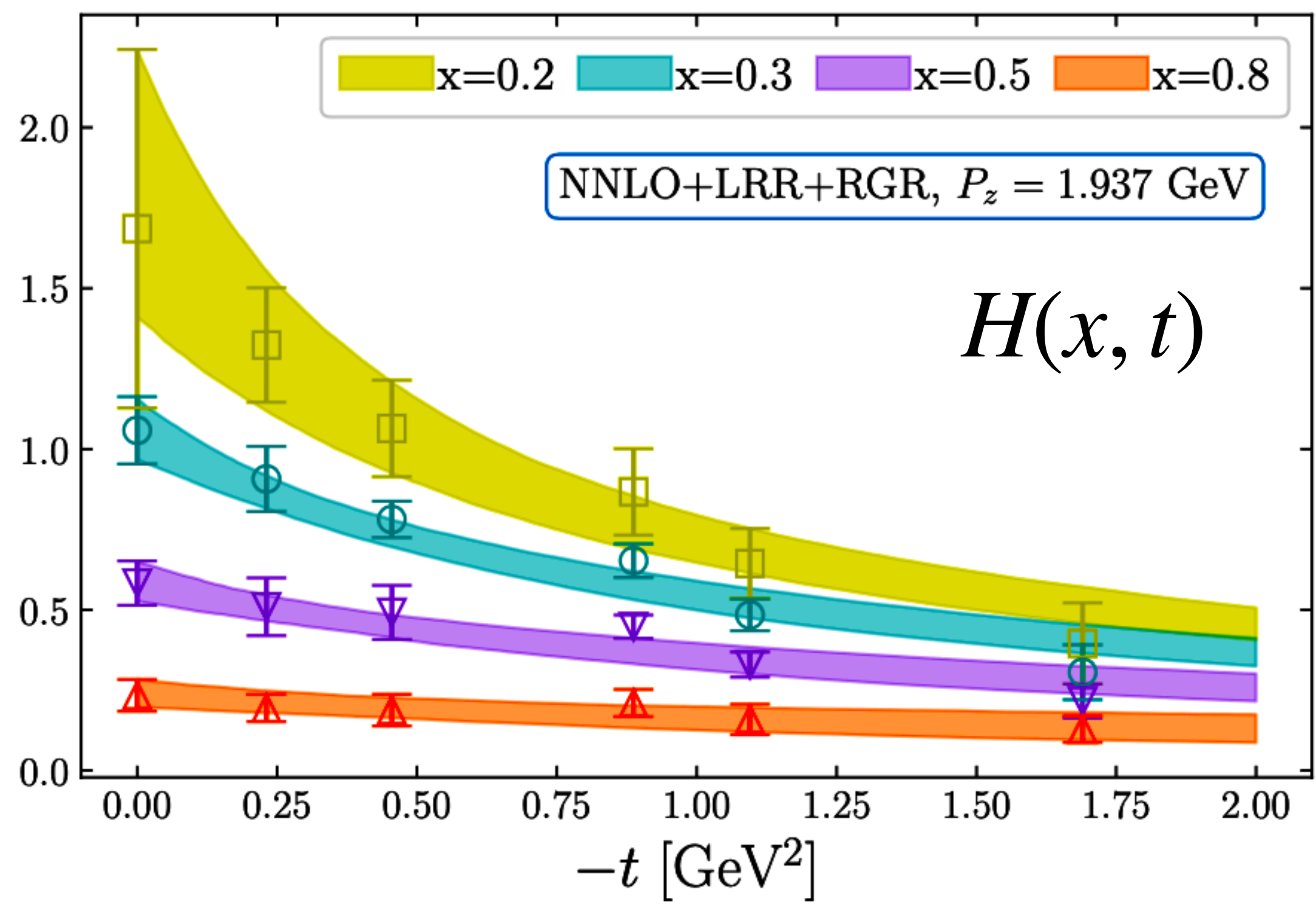


# $-t = 0$ : pion valence quark PDF



PDF at  $-t = 0$  agree with previous determination from fixed-order analysis and recent global analysis.

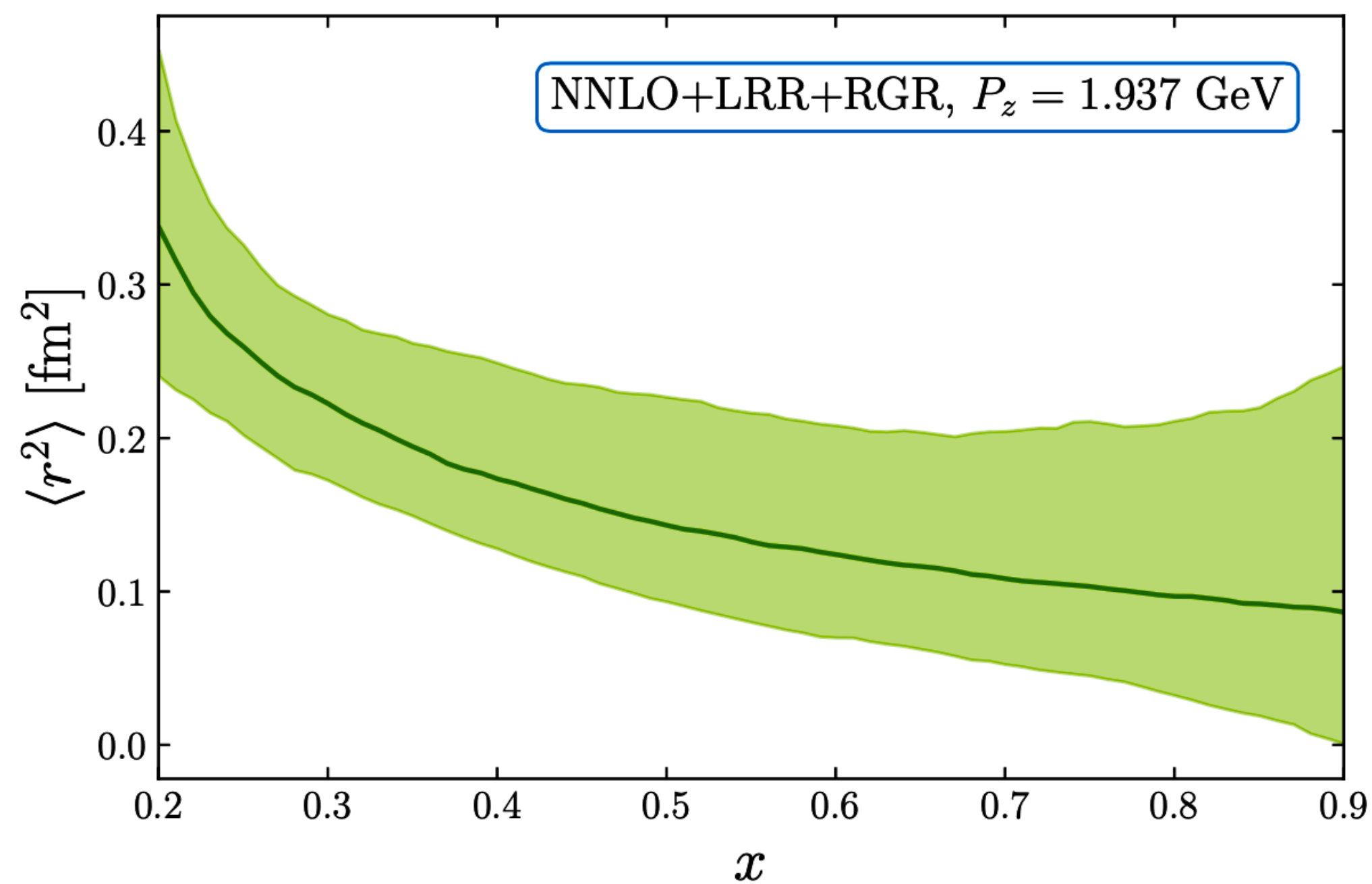
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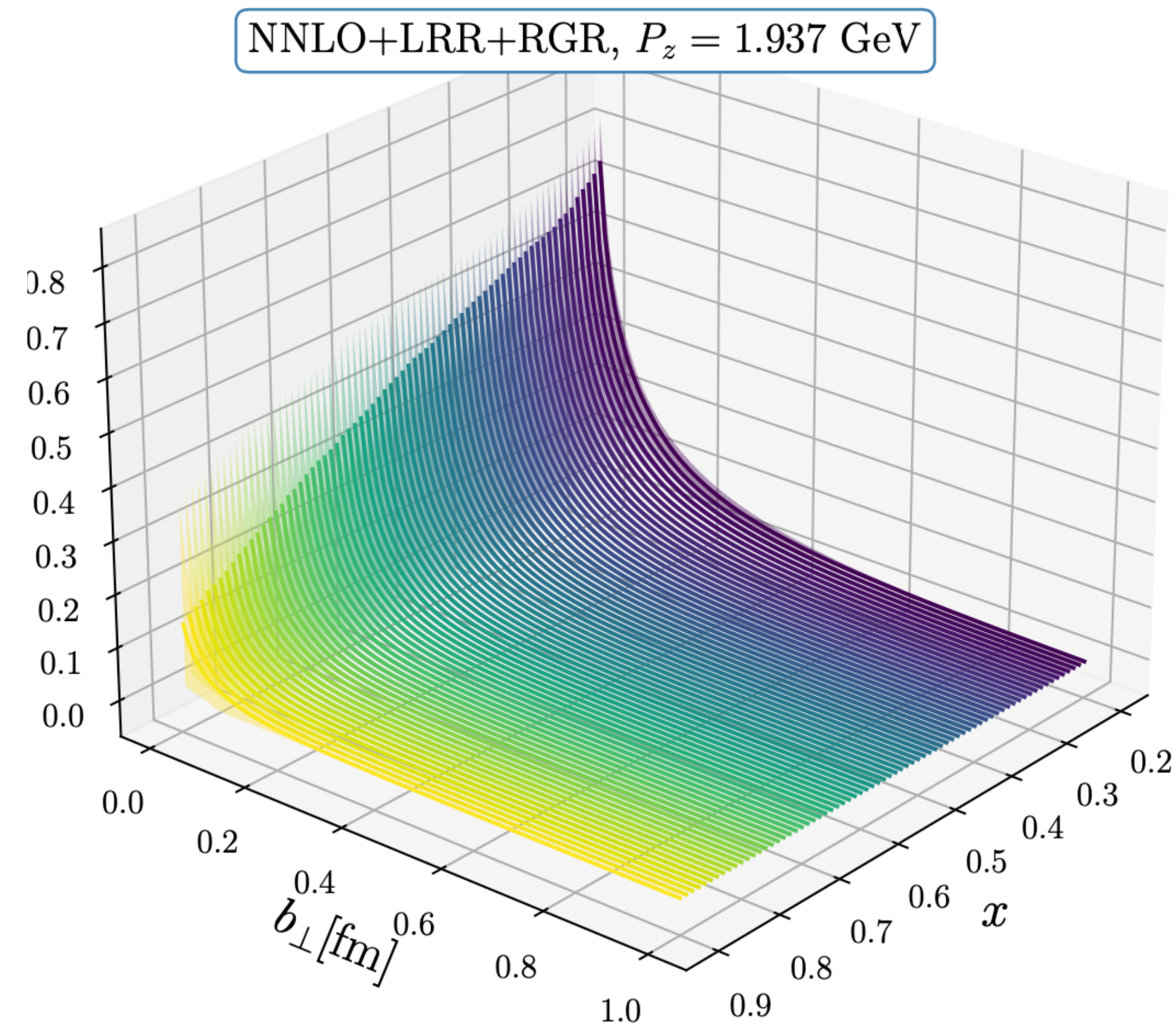
■ The  $t$  dependence can be parametrized through:

$$H(x, t) = \frac{H(x, 0)}{1 - t/M^2(x)}$$

# 3D imaging of pion from GPDs



$$\langle r^2 \rangle(x) = 6 \frac{dH(x, t)}{dt} \Big|_{-t=0}$$



$$q(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} H(x, \xi = 0, \Delta_\perp^2) e^{i\mathbf{b}_\perp \cdot \Delta_\perp}$$

# Summary

- We study the pion valence quark GPDs at zero skewness under the framework of LaMET.
- We have utilized improved analysis to control the systematics including hybrid renormalization scheme, NNLO matching, leading-renormalon resummation (LRR) and renormalization group resummation (RGR). The power corrections and perturbative convergence are investigated.
- We are able to derive pion GPDs with multiple values of momentum transfer from a calculation in an asymmetric frame. From there we parametrize the  $t$  dependence, and provide a 3D imaging of pion.

**Thanks for your attention!**