

Status of the simultaneous global analysis of PDFs and TMDs

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QCD Evolution
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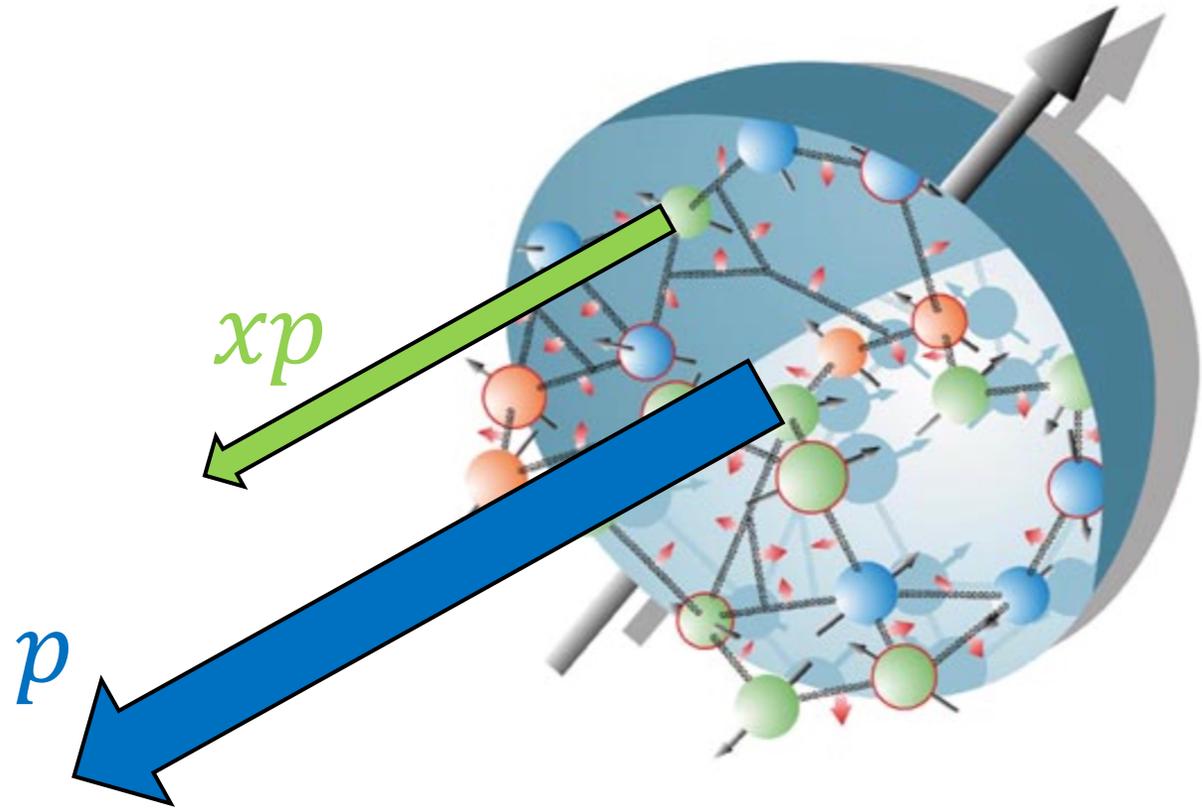
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Collinear structure – parton distribution function (PDF)

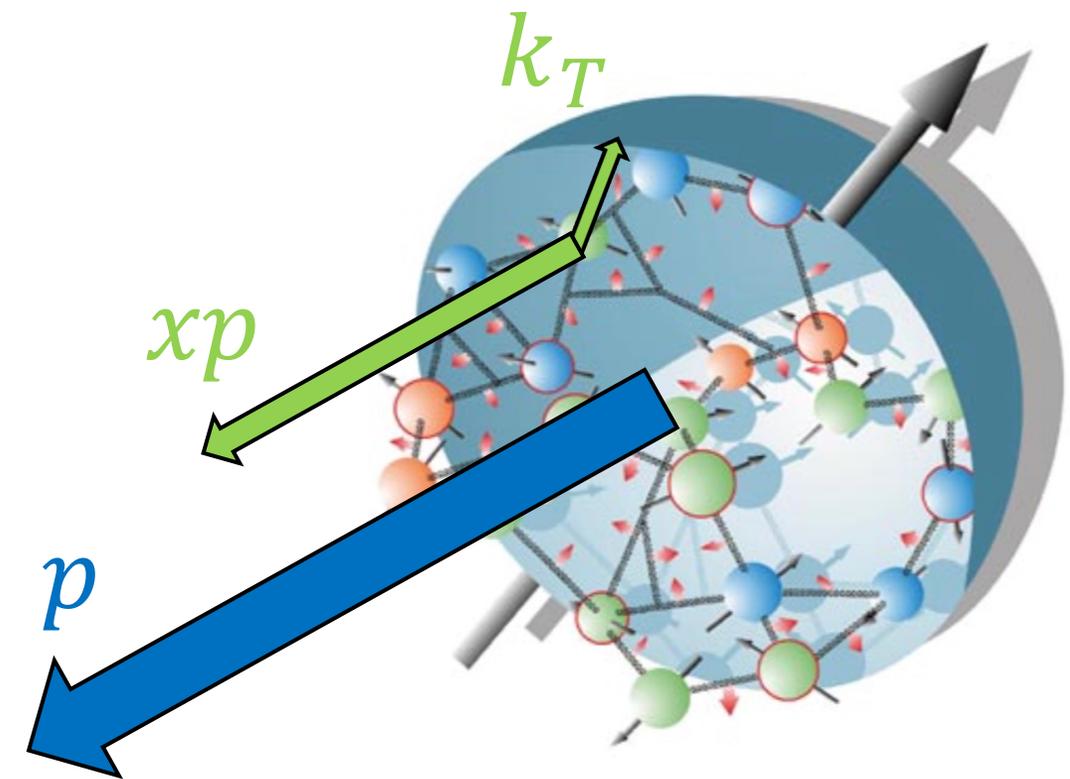
- Describes the collinear momentum distributions of quarks and gluons
- Partons have momentum along the direction of the hadron
- Evolution is described through DGLAP

$$\frac{\partial f(x, \mu^2; \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\partial \log \mu^2} = \int_x^1 dz \mathcal{P}\left(\frac{x}{z}, \alpha_S(\mu^2)\right) f(z, \mu^2; \boldsymbol{\theta})$$



Transverse Momentum Dependent distributions (TMDs)

- Encode both the collinear and transverse momentum carried by partons
- TMDs are related to collinear **PDFs** via Operator Product Expansion
- Both TMDs and PDFs can be extracted from variety of experimentally measured processes where factorization is applicable, such as Drell-Yan (DY)



$$\tilde{f}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta) = [C \otimes \mathbf{f}](x, b_T; \mu_0, \zeta_0) \times e^{S_{\text{evo}}(b_T; \mu, \mu_0, \zeta, \zeta_0)} f_{\text{NP}}(x, b_T)$$

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Unpolarized TMD PDF

$$\tilde{f}_{q/\mathcal{N}}(x, b_T) = \int \frac{db^-}{4\pi} e^{-ixP^+b^-} \text{Tr} [\langle \mathcal{N} | \bar{\psi}_q(b) \gamma^+ \mathcal{W}(b, 0) \psi_q(0) | \mathcal{N} \rangle]$$

$$b \equiv (b^-, 0^+, \mathbf{b}_T)$$

- \mathbf{b}_T is the Fourier conjugate to the intrinsic transverse momentum of quarks in the hadron, \mathbf{k}_T
- Small \mathbf{b}_T : TMD can be described through the operator product expansion in terms of collinear PDFs
- Large \mathbf{b}_T : TMD has nonperturbative effects that must be determined from phenomenological analyses

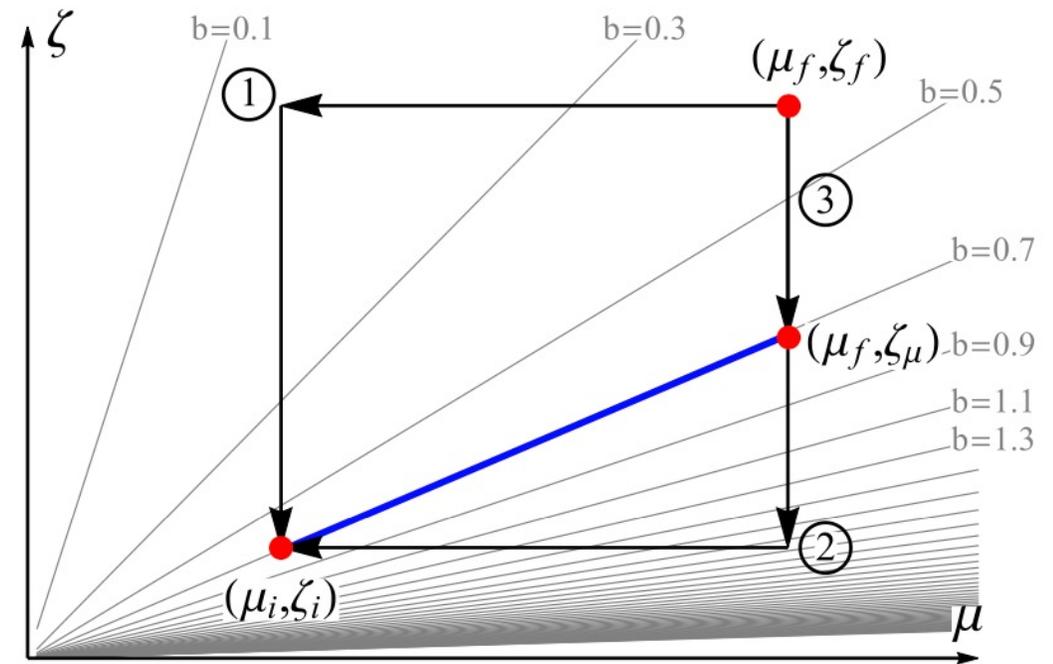
Input scale TMD

$$\tilde{f}_{q/\mathcal{N}}(x, b_T; \mu_0, \zeta_0) = f_{q/\mathcal{N}}^{\text{NP}}(x, b_T) \sum_j \int_x^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} \tilde{\mathcal{C}}_{q/j}(x/\xi, b_T; \mu_0, \zeta_0) f_{j/\mathcal{N}}(\xi; \mu_0)$$

- f^{NP} describes the non-perturbative structure of the TMD at large- b_T
- Convolution is the operator-product expansion (OPE), which describes the small- b_T behavior
- Explicit dependence on the collinear PDF $f_{j/\mathcal{N}}$
- $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}$ is perturbatively expanded in α_s
- Evolution in μ and ζ needs to take place to match with data

Building the TMD in the ζ -prescription

- We need to evolve the TMD $\tilde{f}(x, b_T; \mu_0, \zeta_0) \rightarrow \tilde{f}(x, b_T; \mu_f, \zeta_f)$
- A few choices:
 1. Evolve $\zeta_0 \rightarrow \zeta_f$ at a fixed μ_i , then evolve $\mu_0 \rightarrow \mu_f$ at a fixed ζ_f
 2. Evolve $\mu_0 \rightarrow \mu_f$ at a fixed ζ_i , then evolve $\zeta_0 \rightarrow \zeta_f$ at a fixed μ_f
 3. Evaluate the TMD along the **null-evolution line**, where $\tilde{f}(x, b_T; \mu_0, \zeta_0) = \tilde{f}(x, b_T; \mu_f, \zeta_\mu)$, then evolve $\zeta_\mu \rightarrow \zeta_f$ at a fixed μ_f



Scimemi and Vladimirov, EPJ C 78, 89 (2019).

$$\left(\mu^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu^2} + \left(\frac{\mu^2}{\zeta} \frac{d\zeta}{d\mu^2} \right) \zeta \frac{\partial}{\partial \zeta} \right) F(x, \mathbf{b}; \mu, \zeta) = 0.$$

TMD Evolution

- Since we evolve on the null-evolution line, no explicit evolution in μ has to be added, and we evolve in ζ according to

$$\tilde{f}_{q/\mathcal{N}}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta = Q^2) = \left(\frac{Q^2}{\zeta_\mu(b_T)} \right)^{-\mathcal{D}(b_T, \mu)} \tilde{f}_{q/\mathcal{N}}(x, b_T; \mu_0, \zeta_0)$$

- \mathcal{D} is the CS kernel, which has the following components

$$\mathcal{D}(b_T, \mu) = \mathcal{D}^{\text{pert}}(b_*, \mu_{b_*}) + \int_{\mu_{b_*}}^{\mu} \frac{d\mu'}{\mu'} \Gamma_{\text{cusp}}(\mu') + \mathcal{D}^{\text{NP}}(b_T)$$

Described perturbatively

Non-perturbative description (large- b_T)

$$b_* = \frac{b_T}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{b_T^2}{b_{\text{max}}^2}}}$$

$$\mu_{b_*} = \frac{2e^{-\gamma_E}}{b_*}$$

Transverse momentum dependent DY

- Full cross section over all q_T

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2 dy dq_T^2} = W(\mathbf{q}_T, Q) + Y(\mathbf{q}_T, Q) + O((m/Q)^c),$$

- At small q_T , $W(q_T, Q)$ should be the dominant term

$$W(\mathbf{q}_T, Q) = \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{b}_T}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\mathbf{q}_T \cdot \mathbf{b}_T} \widetilde{W}(\mathbf{b}_T, Q).$$

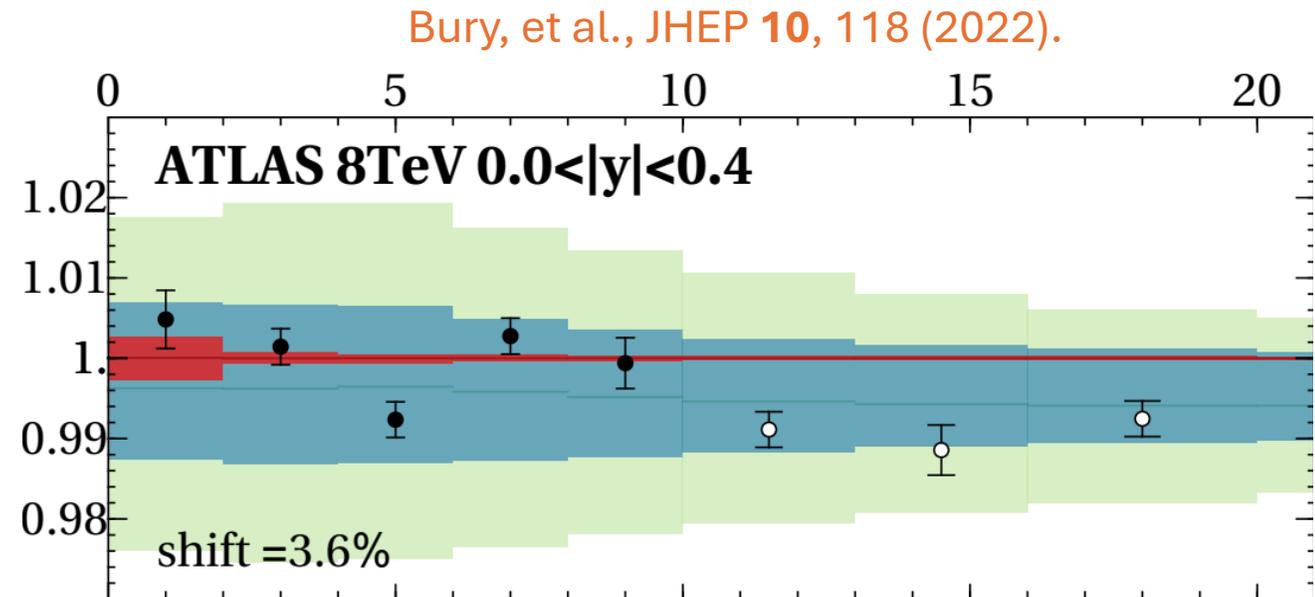
$$\frac{d^3\sigma}{dQ^2 dy dq_T^2} = \frac{4\pi^2 \alpha_{\text{em}}^2}{9Q^2 s} \mathcal{P} \sum_j c_j^2(Q) H_{jj}^{\text{DY}}(\mu, Q) \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{b}_T}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\mathbf{q}_T \cdot \mathbf{b}_T} \tilde{f}_{q_j/\mathcal{N}}(x_1, b_T; \mu, \zeta) \tilde{f}_{\bar{q}_j/\mathcal{N}}(x_2, b_T; \mu, \zeta),$$

The diagram illustrates the components of the cross-section formula:

- Fiducial volume factor** (yellow box) points to \mathcal{P} .
- Electro-weak couplings** (green box) points to $c_j^2(Q)$.
- Hard factor for DY** (blue box) points to $H_{jj}^{\text{DY}}(\mu, Q)$.
- TMD for the beam** (purple box) points to $\tilde{f}_{q_j/\mathcal{N}}(x_1, b_T; \mu, \zeta)$.
- TMD for the target** (blue box) points to $\tilde{f}_{\bar{q}_j/\mathcal{N}}(x_2, b_T; \mu, \zeta)$.

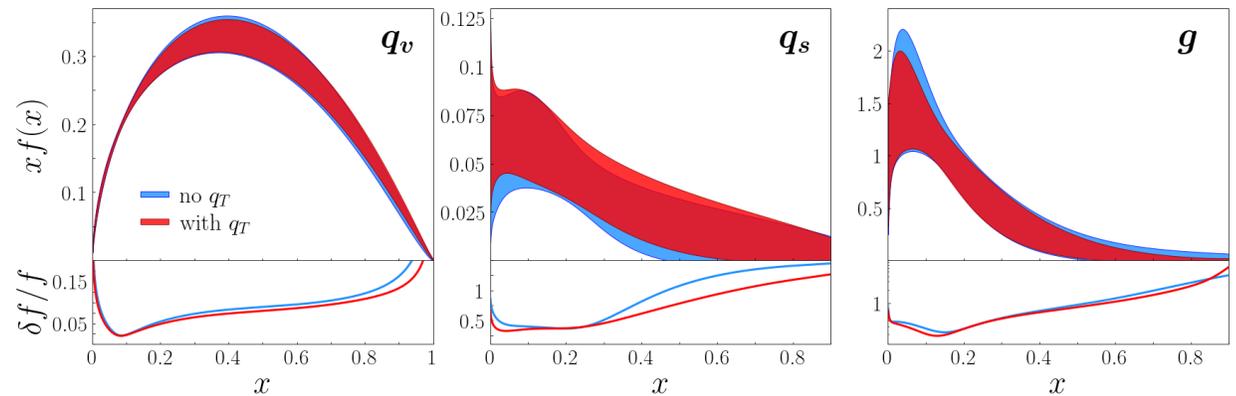
How sensitive are TMD observables to PDFs?

- **Red**: Bootstrapped fit with central PDFs
- **Green**: Unbootstrapped fit, varying the PDF replicas
- **Blue**: Weighted average
- **One needs to take a holistic approach and analyze both PDFs and TMDs simultaneously**



Can we learn about PDFs from TMD data?

- Viewing the uncertainties of the observables coming from the PDFs, there is potentially room for improvement on precision of PDFs
- How about for the pion?
- We extracted simultaneously the pion PDFs and TMDs



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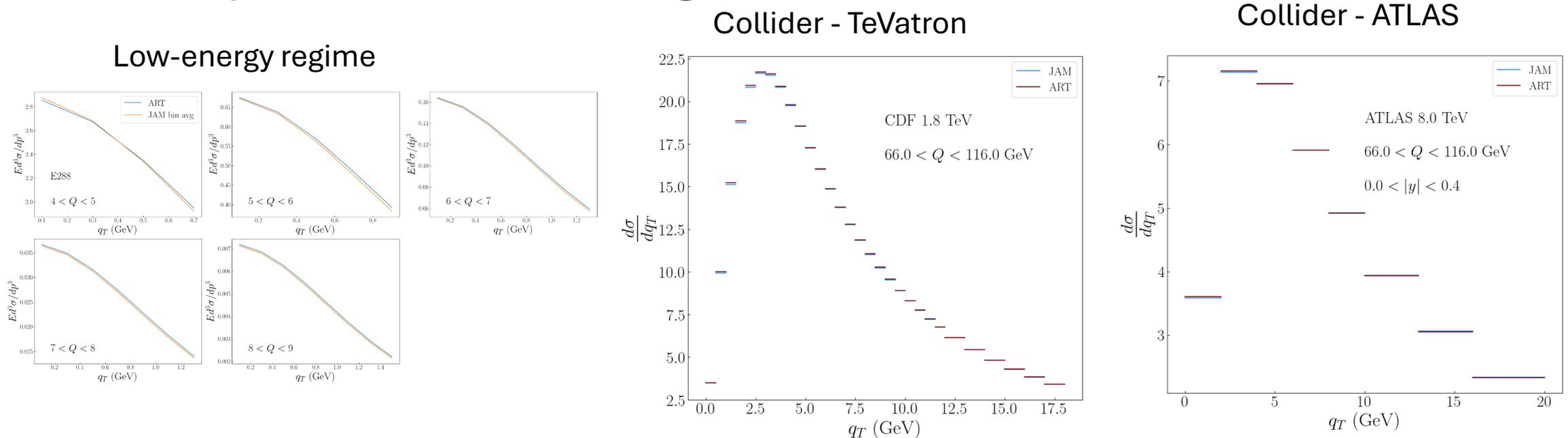
- We found little change in the PDFs before and after the q_T -dependent DY data

Prospects of high-energy data for protons

- There are two major reasons to have hope for improvement of PDFs in the proton sector
 1. LHC data are much more precise than their fixed-target low-energy counterparts
 - Peaks of the cross-section in the Z -boson region gather high statistics
 2. High-energy data shifts the peak of the b_T -spectrum into the small b_T region, where the operator product expansion and perturbative evolution dominates
- Have to perform the **simultaneous** extraction of PDFs and TMDs from high-energy data to find out!

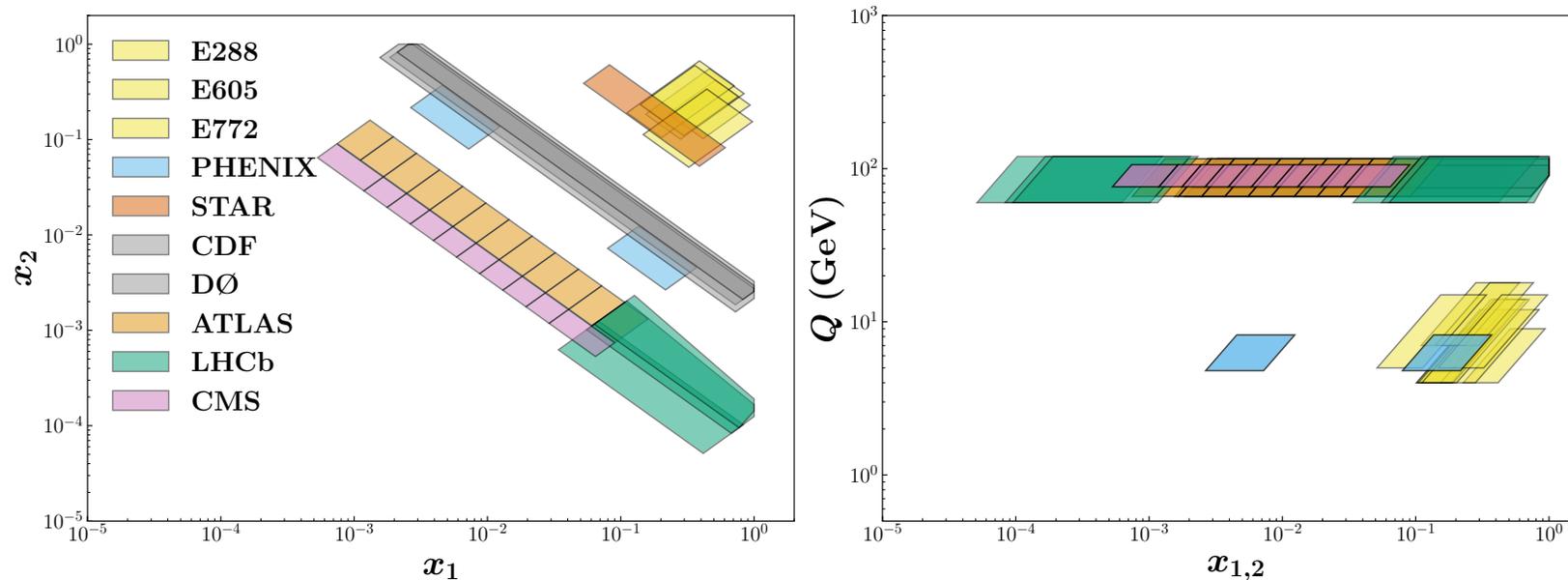
Implementing the ζ -prescription in JAM code

- We have spent time with the ART folks checking our JAM code against the arTeMiDe
- Examples here are all using MSHT20 PDF central values



Datasets and kinematics

- Fixed-target low-energy datasets: more sensitivity to non-perturbative TMD structures
- Collider high-energy datasets: more sensitive to perturbative information while complementing the non-perturbative evolution in Q



Fit results

- Using NLO+N2LL accuracy, we performed fits with a JAM replica (Anderson, Melnitchouk, and Sato, 2501.00665 [hep-ph]) by
 1. Fixing the PDF and fitting TMDs only
 2. Opening the PDF and the collinear datasets
- Flexibility of the collinear PDF allowed for an improved fit

TMD – Drell–Yan, Z-boson				
Process	Experiment	N_{pts}	χ^2/N_{pts}	
			(TMD-only)	(TMD+PDF)
Fixed target DY	E288, E605, E772	224	1.19	0.84
TeVatron	CDF, D0	80	0.79	0.88
RHIC	STAR, PHENIX	12	2.00	1.15
LHC	ATLAS 8 TeV	30	2.40	1.63
	CMS 13 TeV	64	1.82	0.83
	LHCb 7, 8, 13 TeV	26	0.68	0.65
Total		436	1.50	1.13

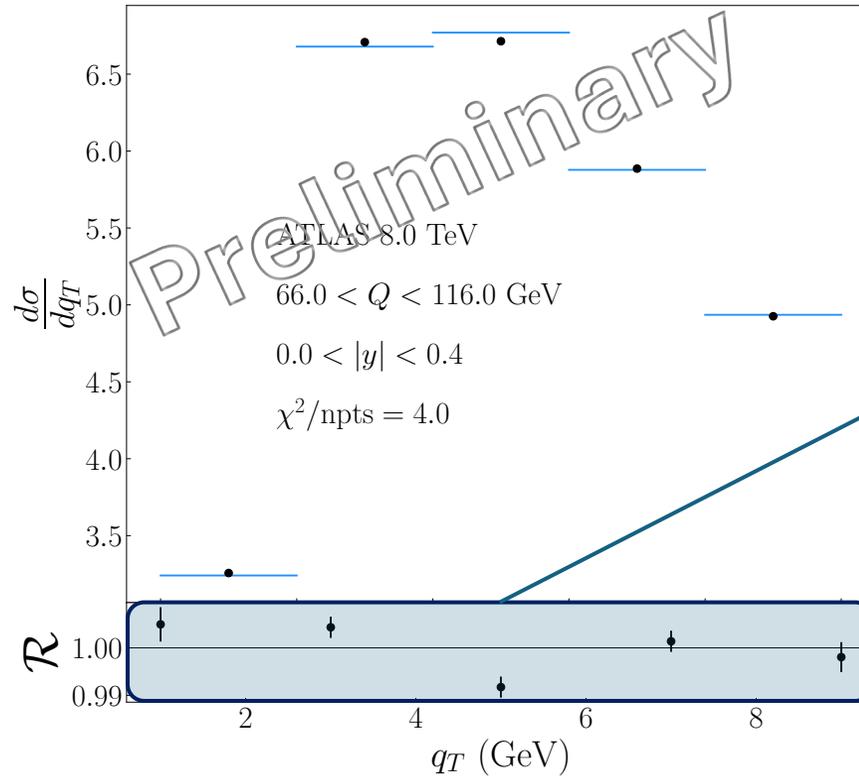
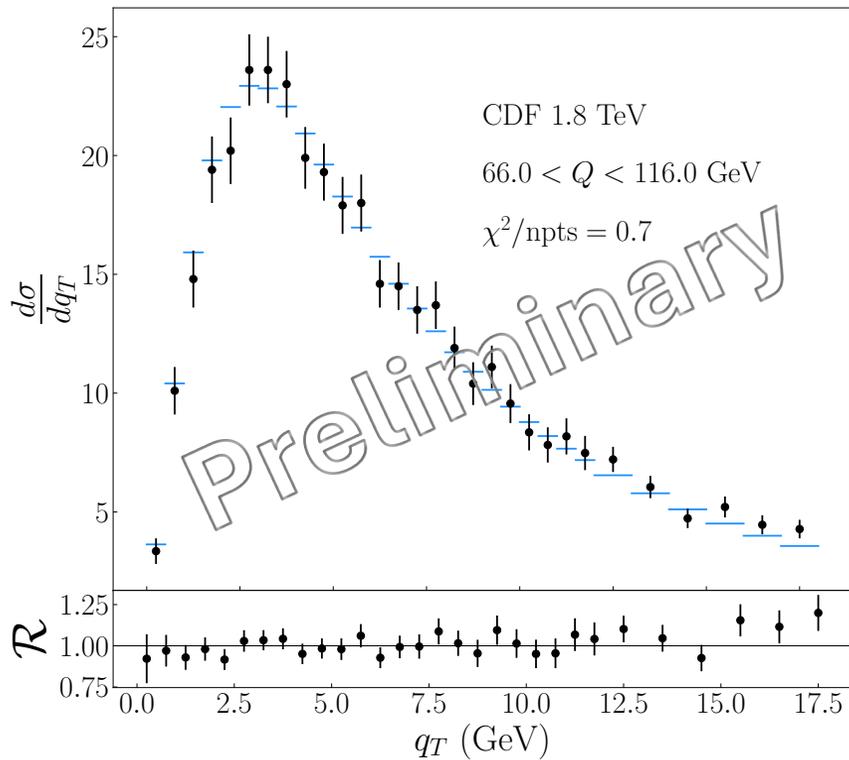
Fit results – collinear

- Use the datasets sensitive only to PDFs from the prior
- Good agreement with all collinear datasets

Collinear (TMD+PDF)			
Process	Experiment	N_{pts}	χ^2/N_{pts}
DIS	SLAC, BCDMS, NMC	1495	1.04
	HERA	1185	1.25
Drell-Yan	E866, E906	205	1.12
W -lepton asymmetry	CMS, LHCb, STAR	70	0.87
W charge asymmetry	CDF, D0	27	1.16
Z rapidity	CDF, D0	56	1.10
Inclusive jets	CDF, D0, STAR	198	1.03
W + charm	ATLAS, CMS	37	0.57
Total		3273	1.12

Agreement with the collider data

- Results of the combined fit; \mathcal{R} is the ratio of data to theory



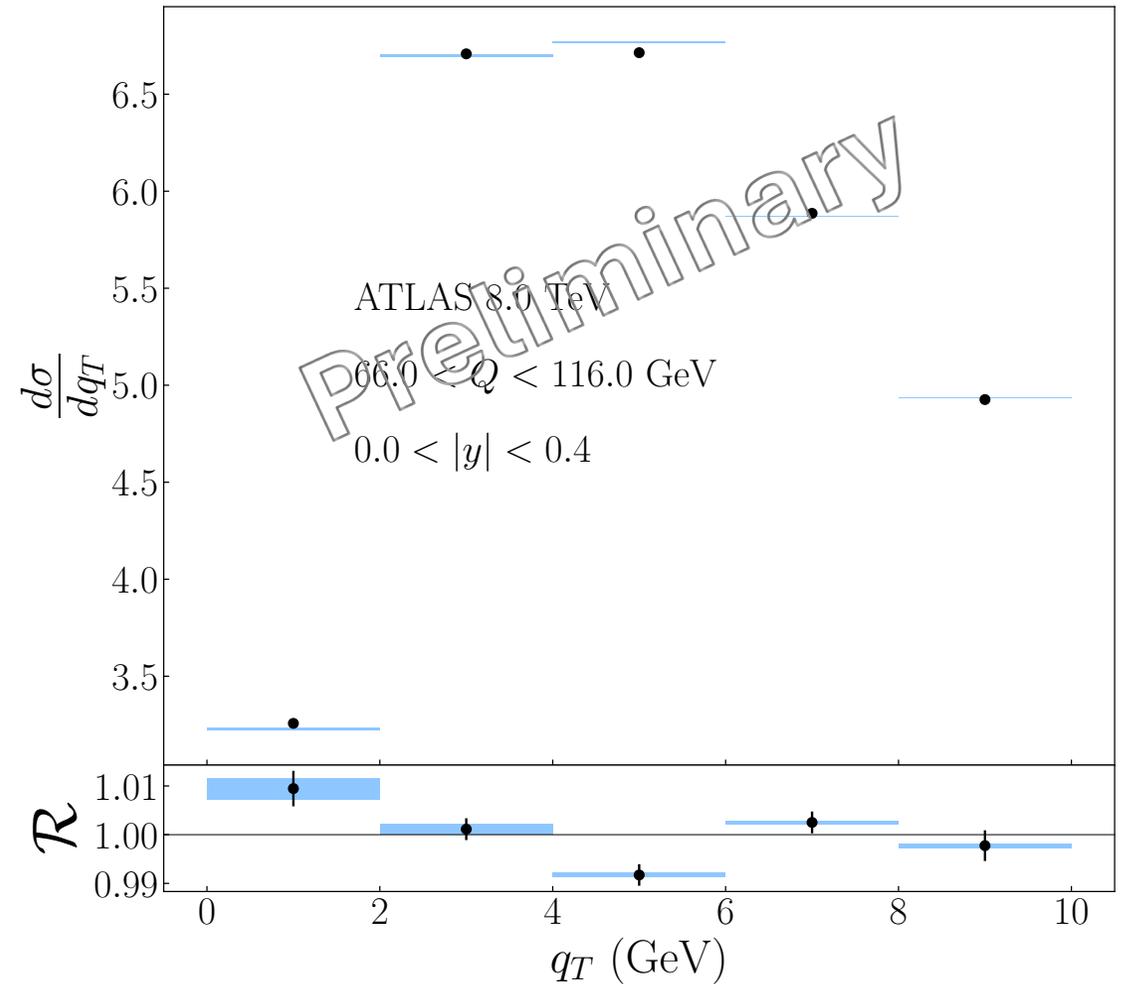
Sub-percent precision!

Extremely sensitive in the fit.

Can we improve our PDFs because of precision of data?

Uncertainties of JAM PDFs

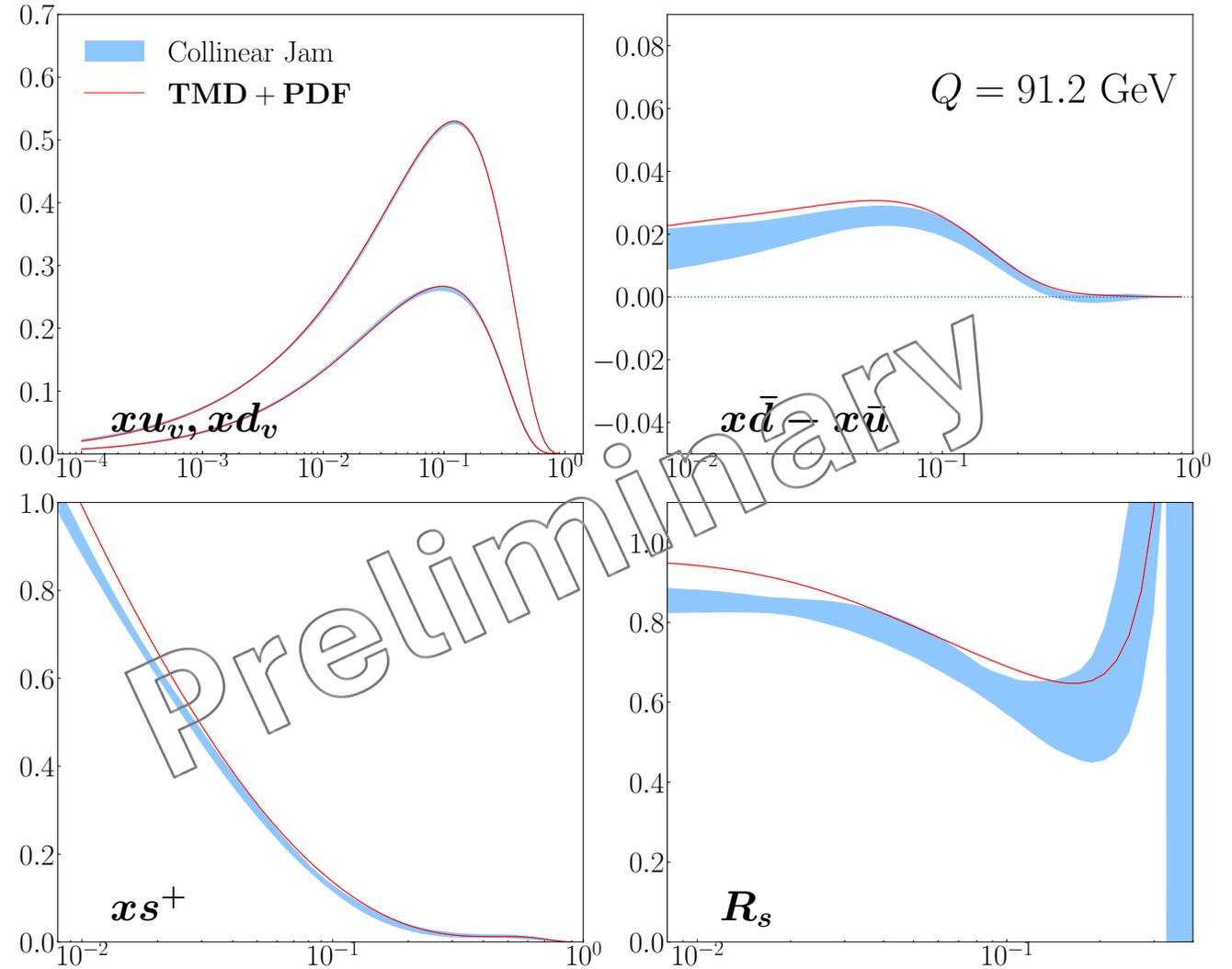
- Run over JAM PDFs
- Band shows roughly the uncertainty from the PDFs
- **Not** reflective of an uncertainty from bootstrapping the data (next steps!)



Single PDF result

- **Combined** fit suggests a larger s^+ and R_s at small x
- Remaining PDFs are consistent with previous fit
- Shown here are the 95% confidence interval for the priors

$$R_s = \frac{s + \bar{s}}{\bar{u} + \bar{d}}$$



Summary

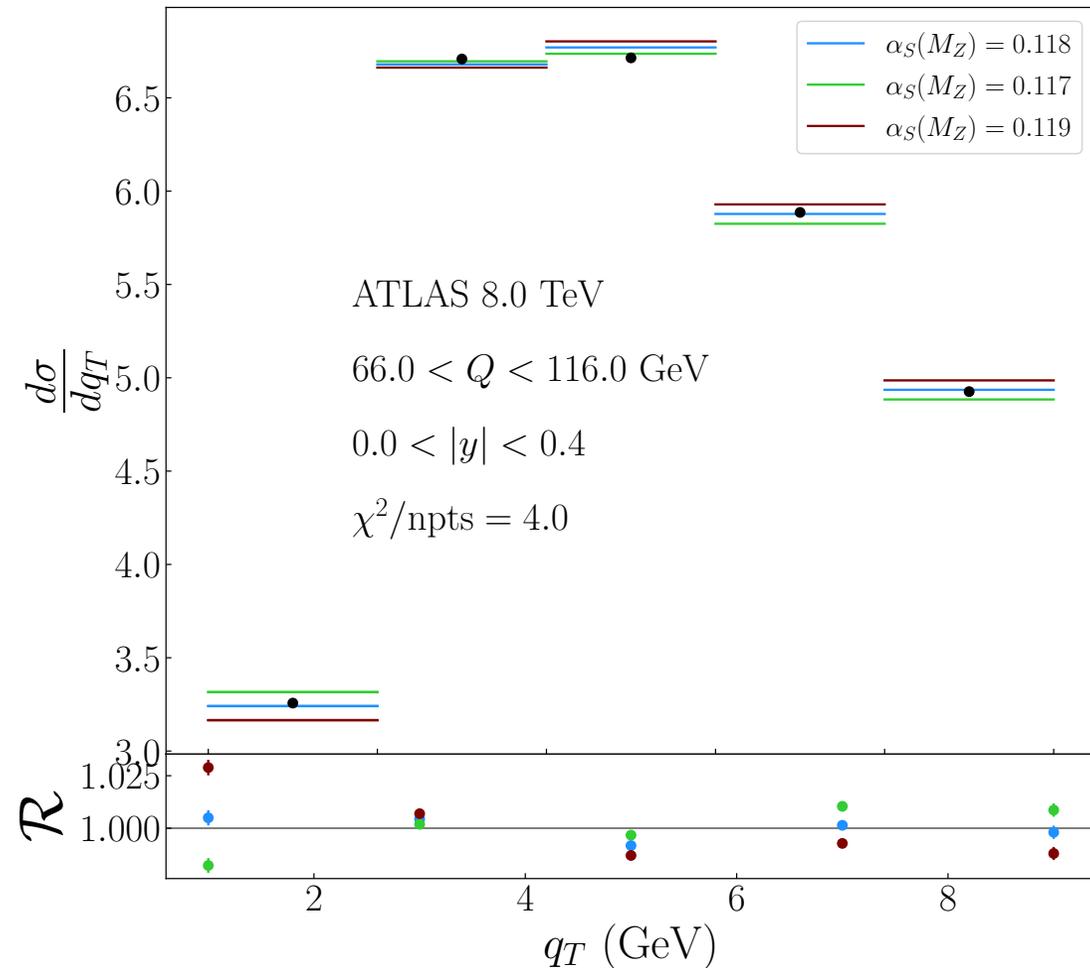
- We have demonstrated agreement in our codes with the ART collaboration
- We have performed preliminary fits to the low-energy and high-energy q_T -dependent Drell-Yan data simultaneously along with collinear data

Next Steps

- Perform the full Monte Carlo bootstrapped analysis to obtain reliable uncertainties on PDFs and TMDs

Future considerations – what can we do next?

- Some quantities in the standard model are not very precise
- Here, we run over a few values of $\alpha_S(M_Z)$ and see a large variation in the resulting curves
- We could also analyze the M_W since there are W -boson production TMD data



Backup Slides

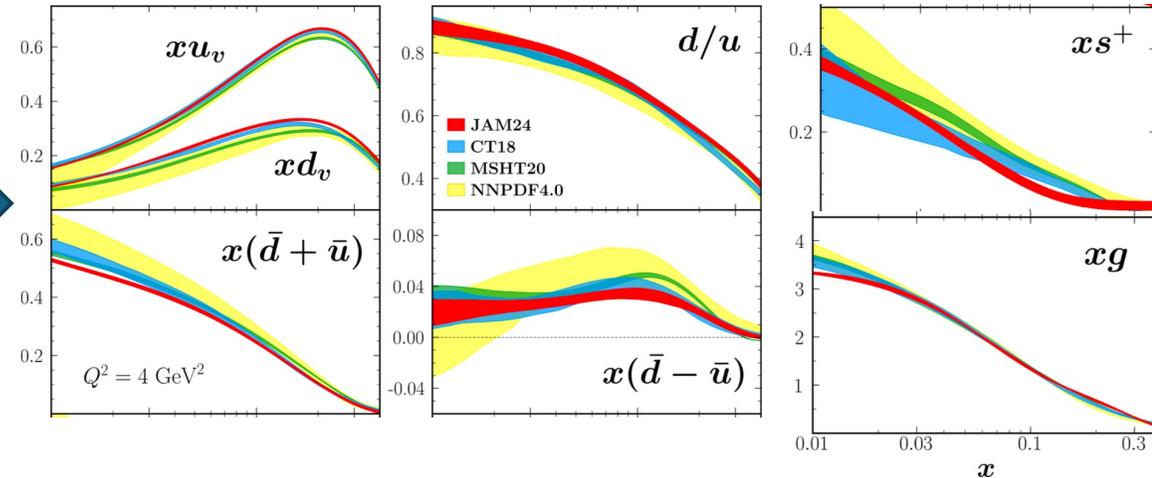
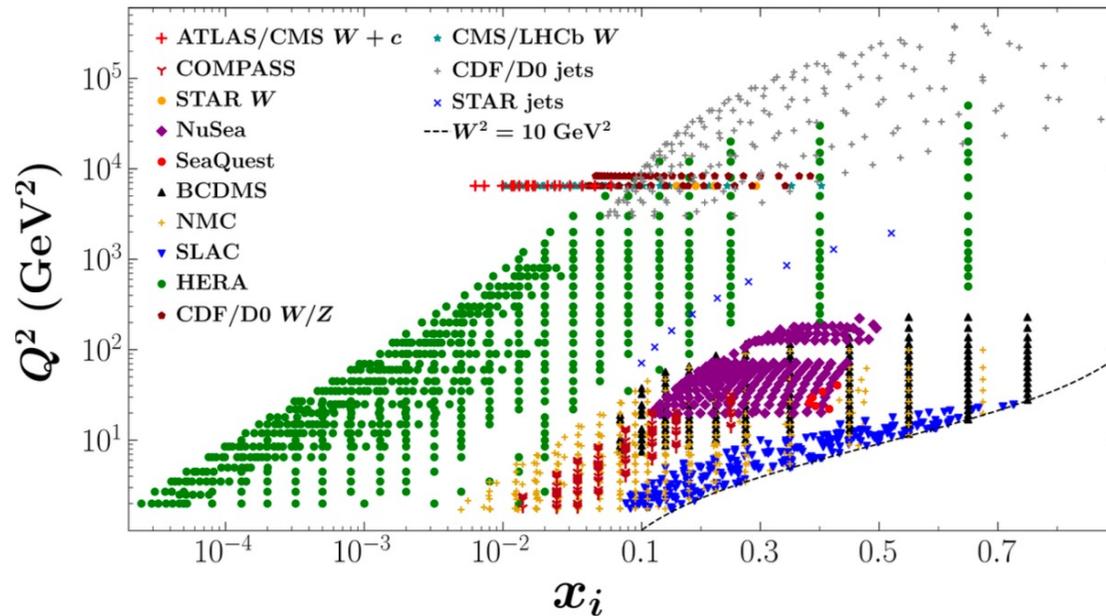
Technical considerations

- Electroweak corrections use a running coupling for α_{EM}
- Fiducial volumes in collider experiments
 - ART uses an added q_T/Q power correction – makes little difference in our kinematics
- We perform Mellin space DGLAP evolution for collinear PDFs
 - We also use Mellin-space coefficients in the OPE
- Implementation of parallelization and code optimization in `python` with the help of the “1000 Scientists AI Jam”



What do we know about structures?

- Most well-known structure is through longitudinal structure of hadrons, particularly protons



Anderson, Melnitchouk, and Sato, 2501.00665 [hep-ph]

Non-perturbative models for TMDs

- Fit λ_1 and λ_2 to this functional form for each of the following flavors: u, d, \bar{u}, \bar{d} , and $sea = s = \bar{s} = c = \bar{c} = b = \bar{b}$

$$f_{NP}^f(x, b) = \frac{1}{\cosh \left(\left(\lambda_1^f (1 - x) + \lambda_2^f x \right) b \right)},$$

- For the CS kernel, we fit two additional parameters, c_0 and c_1 according to this functional form

$$\mathcal{D}_{NP}(b) = bb^* \left[c_0 + c_1 \ln \left(\frac{b^*}{B_{NP}} \right) \right],$$

Fiducial cut comparisons

