

# Status of Deep-Inelastic Scattering and PDFs for the LHC

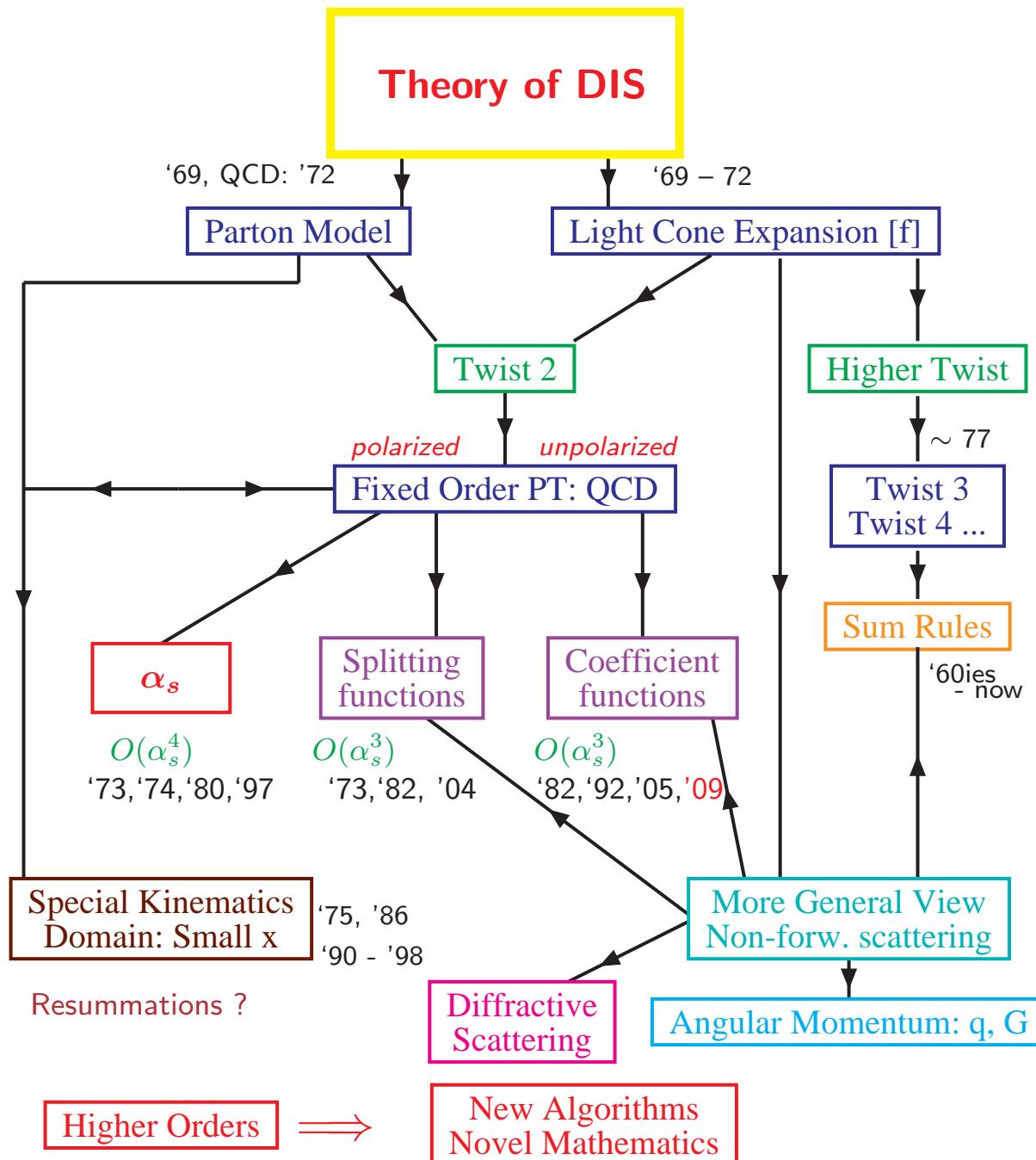
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- The Major Goals
- DIS Theory Status
- Unpolarized Parton Distribution Functions
- Polarized Parton Distribution Functions
- $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$  and  $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$
- PDFs and Inclusive Cross Sections at LHC
- Advanced Technologies for Feynman Diagrams @ 3 Loops
- Outlook

# 1. The Major Goals

- Precision Measurement of the Strong Coupling Constant  $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$
- Precision Measurement of the Unpolarized Parton Densities
- Precision Measurement of the Polarized Parton Densities
- Who Carries the Spin of the Proton?
- Higher Twist Effects
- Is there Saturation in DIS at small  $x$  ?  $\implies$  answered by experiment.



# Status of Highest Order Calculations

- Running  $\alpha_s$ :  $O(\alpha_s^4)$  Larin, van Ritbergen, Vermaseren 1997
- Unpol. anomalous dimensions and Wilson coefficients:  $O(\alpha_s^3)$   
Moch, Vermaseren, Vogt 2004/05 
- Unpol. NS anomalous dimension 2nd Moment:  $O(\alpha_s^4)$  Baikov, Chetyrkin 2006
- Pol. anomalous dimension:  $O(\alpha_s^2)$ ; Mertig, van Neerven, 1995; Vogelsang 1995;  
 $\Delta P^{qq} \Delta P_{qG}$ :  $O(\alpha_s^3)$  Moch, Rogal, Vermaseren, Vogt 2008 
- Pol. Wilson coefficients:  $O(\alpha_s^2)$ ;  $\Delta C_{NS}^{qq}, \Delta C_{qG}$ : van Neerven, Zijlstra 1994
- Transversity:  $O(\alpha_s^2)$ , some moments anom. dim.:  $O(\alpha_s^3)$ , Hayashigaki, Kanazawa, Koike;  
Kumano, Miyama; Vogelsang; 1997; Gracey 2006, HQ: JB, S.Klein, B. Tödtli 2008 
- Unpol. Heavy Flavor Wilson Coefficients:  $O(\alpha_s^2)$  Laenen, van Neerven, Riemsma, Smith, 1993  
Fast Mellin Space code: Blümlein & Alekhin, 2003 
- Pol. Heavy Flavor Wilson Coefficients:  $O(\alpha_s^1)$  Watson 1982
- $Q^2 \gg m^2$  Unpol. Heavy Flavor Wilson Coefficient  $F_L$ :  $O(\alpha_s^3)$   
Blümlein, De Freitas, van Neerven, S. Klein 2005 
- $Q^2 \gg m^2$  Pol. Heavy Flavor Wilson Coefficient :  $O(\alpha_s^2)$  van Neerven, Smith et al. 1996,  
Bierenbaum, Blümlein & Klein 2007 
- $Q^2 \gg m^2$  Unpol. Heavy Flavor Wilson Coefficient  $F_2$ :  $O(\alpha_s^2 \varepsilon)$ : all operators  
(also polarized), Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein, Schneider, 2008;   $O(\alpha_s^3)$ : Moments 2–10(12,14)  
of the operator matrix elements, HQ Wilson coeff. Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein, 2008 



= done at DESY (or in DESY collab.).



# DIS Structure Functions @ Twist 2

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_j(x, Q^2) &= \hat{f}_i(x, \mu^2) \otimes \sigma_j^i \left( \alpha_s, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, x \right) \\
 &= \underbrace{\hat{f}_i(x, \mu^2) \otimes \Gamma_k^i \left( \alpha_s(R^2), \frac{M^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{M^2}{R^2} \right)}_{\text{finite pdf} \equiv f_k} \\
 &\quad \otimes \underbrace{C_j^k \left( \alpha_s(R^2), \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{M^2}{R^2}, x \right)}_{\text{finite Wilson coefficient}}
 \end{aligned}$$

↑ bare pdf    ↑ sub – system cross – sect.  
 finite pdf  $\equiv f_k$   
 finite Wilson coefficient

**Move to Mellin space :**

$$F_j(N) = \int_0^1 dx x^{N-1} F_j(x)$$

Diagonalization of the convolutions  $\otimes$  into ordinary products.

# Evolution Equations

$$\left[ M \frac{\partial}{\partial M} + \beta(g) \frac{\partial}{\partial g} - 2\gamma_\psi(g) \right] F_i(N) = 0$$

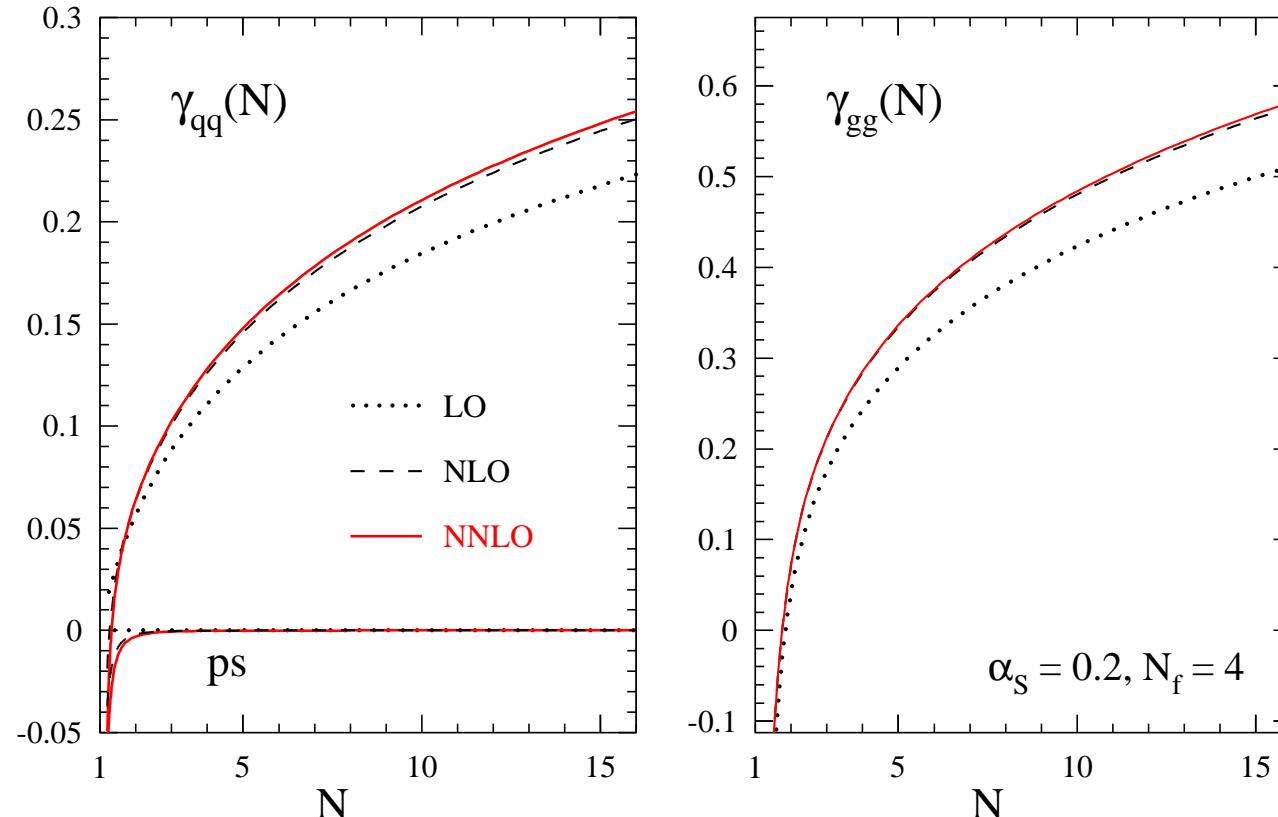
$$\left[ M \frac{\partial}{\partial M} + \beta(g) \frac{\partial}{\partial g} + \gamma_\kappa^N(g) - 2\gamma_\psi(g) \right] f_k(N) = 0$$
$$\left[ M \frac{\partial}{\partial M} + \beta(g) \frac{\partial}{\partial g} - \gamma_\kappa^N(g) \right] C_j^k(N) = 0$$

CALLAN–SYMANZIK equations for mass factorization  ≡  
ALTARELLI–PARISI evolution equations  
**x-space :**

$$\frac{d}{d \log(\mu^2)} \begin{pmatrix} q^+(x, Q^2) \\ G(x, Q^2) \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \boldsymbol{P}(x, \alpha_s) \otimes \begin{pmatrix} q^+(x, Q^2) \\ G(x, Q^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boldsymbol{P}(x, \alpha_s) = \boldsymbol{P}^{(0)}(x) + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \boldsymbol{P}^{(1)}(x) + \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi}\right)^2 \boldsymbol{P}^{(2)}(x) + \dots$$

# Anomalous Dimensions and Wilson Coefficients



Vermaseren, Moch, Vogt 2004 

# The Basic Functions of massless QCD to w=5:= 3 Loops

Representative :  $S_1(N) = \psi(N + 1) + \gamma_E$  and its derivatives.

Weight w=3 :

$$F_1(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \frac{\ln(1+x)}{1+x} \right] (N)$$

$$F_2(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \frac{\text{Li}_2(x)}{1+x} \right] (N), \quad F_3(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \left( \frac{\text{Li}_2(x)}{1-x} \right)_+ \right] (N)$$

Yndurain et al., 1981:  $F_2(N)$

Weight w=4 :

$$F_4(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \frac{S_{1,2}(x)}{1+x} \right] (N), \quad F_5(N) := \mathbf{M} \left[ \left( \frac{S_{1,2}(x)}{1-x} \right)_+ \right] (N)$$

$F_3(N) - F_5(N)$ : J.B., 2003; J.B., V. Ravindran ,2004

Weight w=5 :

$$F_{6,7}(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \left( \frac{\text{Li}_4(x)}{1 \pm x} \right)_{(+)} \right] (N), \quad F_8(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \frac{S_{1,3}(x)}{1 + x} \right] (N),$$

$$F_{9,10}(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \left( \frac{S_{2,2}(x)}{1 \pm x} \right)_{(+)} \right] (N), \quad F_{11}(N) = \mathbf{M} \left[ \frac{\text{Li}_2^2(x)}{1 + x} \right] (N),$$

$$F_{12,13}(N) := \mathbf{M} \left[ \left( \frac{\ln(x)S_{1,2}(-x) - \text{Li}_2^2(-x)/2}{1 \pm x} \right)_{(+)} \right] (N)$$

$F_6(N) - F_{13}(N)$  : J.B., S. Moch, 2004.

**Massless QCD to 3 Loops depends on 14 Functions.**

Weight w=6 :

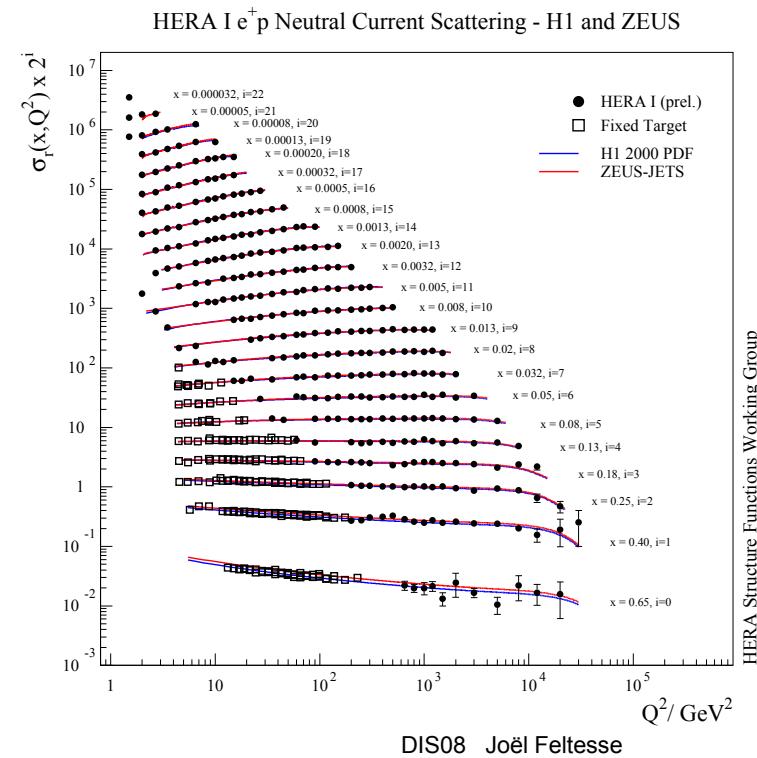
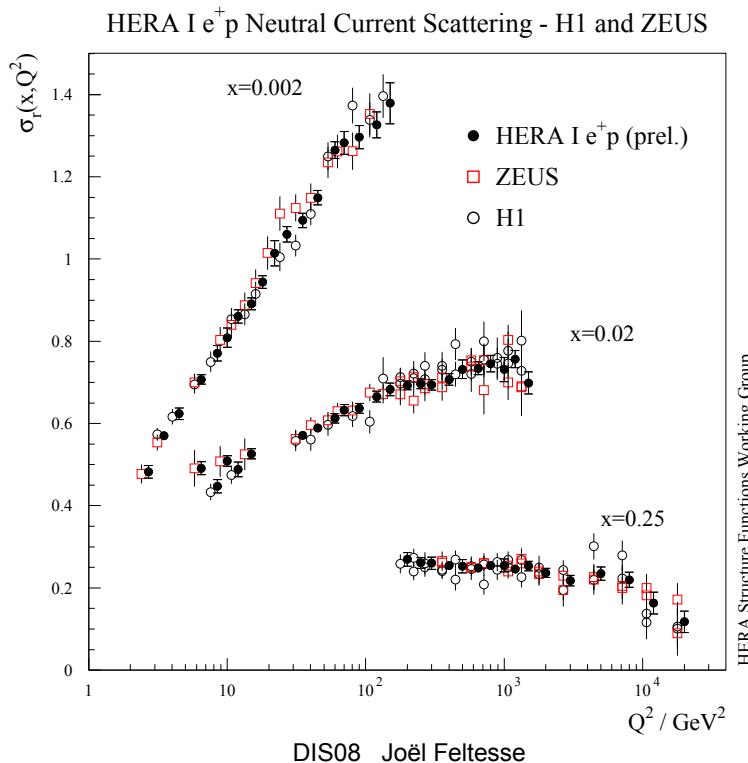
⇒ Representation for 3 Loop Wilson Coeff.: 35 Functions, J.B., 2009. 

# Complex Analysis of these Functions

- Construct exact analytic continuations to complex  $N$
- The functions are meromorphic  
(up to soft corrections, which have a simple structure)
- Asymptotic Representation
- Recursion  $z + 1 \rightarrow z$
- Solve the Evolution Equations fully analytically and form an analytic expression for the Structure functions in Mellin Space at all  $Q^2$
- Include the heavy flavor Wilson coefficients in Mellin Space  
⇒ nearly accomplished to  $O(a_s^3)$  I. Bierenbaum, JB, S. Klein (2009) 
- Perform a single fast, numerical Mellin inversion  
(at high precision)

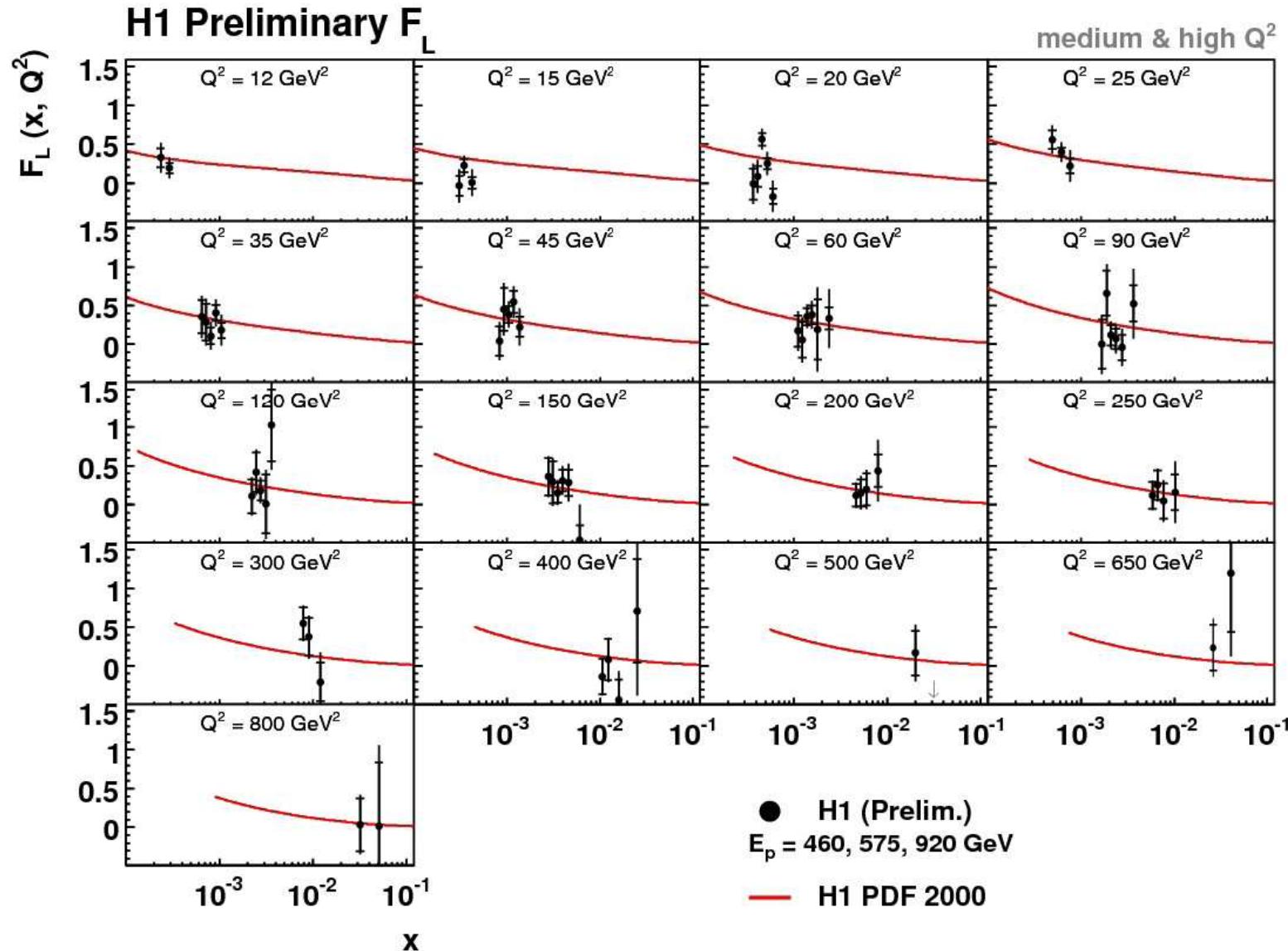
⇒ **Fastest and most Precise Way of Analysis**

### 3. Unpolarized Parton Distribution Functions

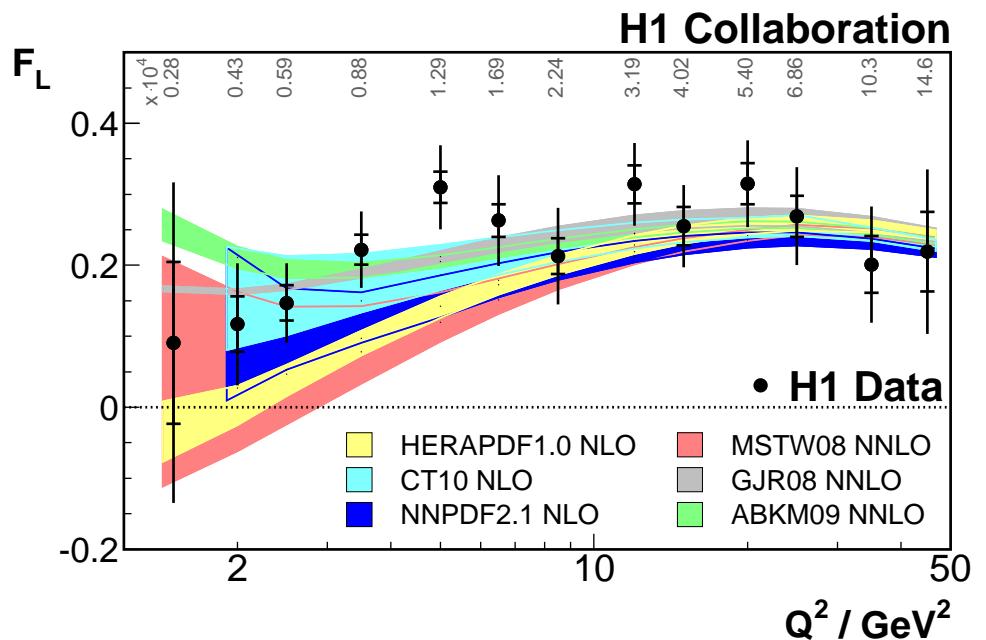
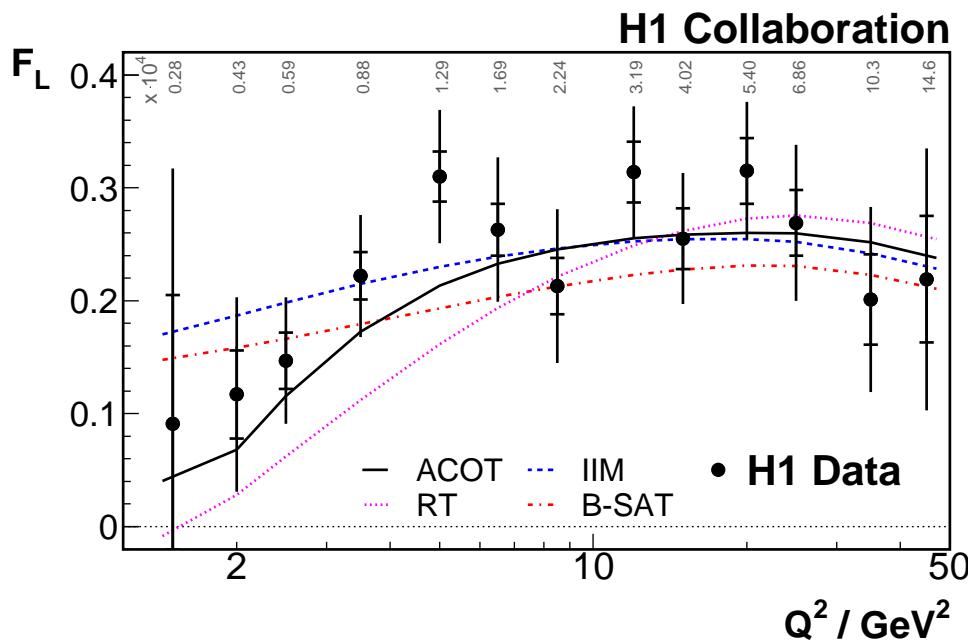


New ZEUS + H1 averaged  $F_2(x, Q^2)$

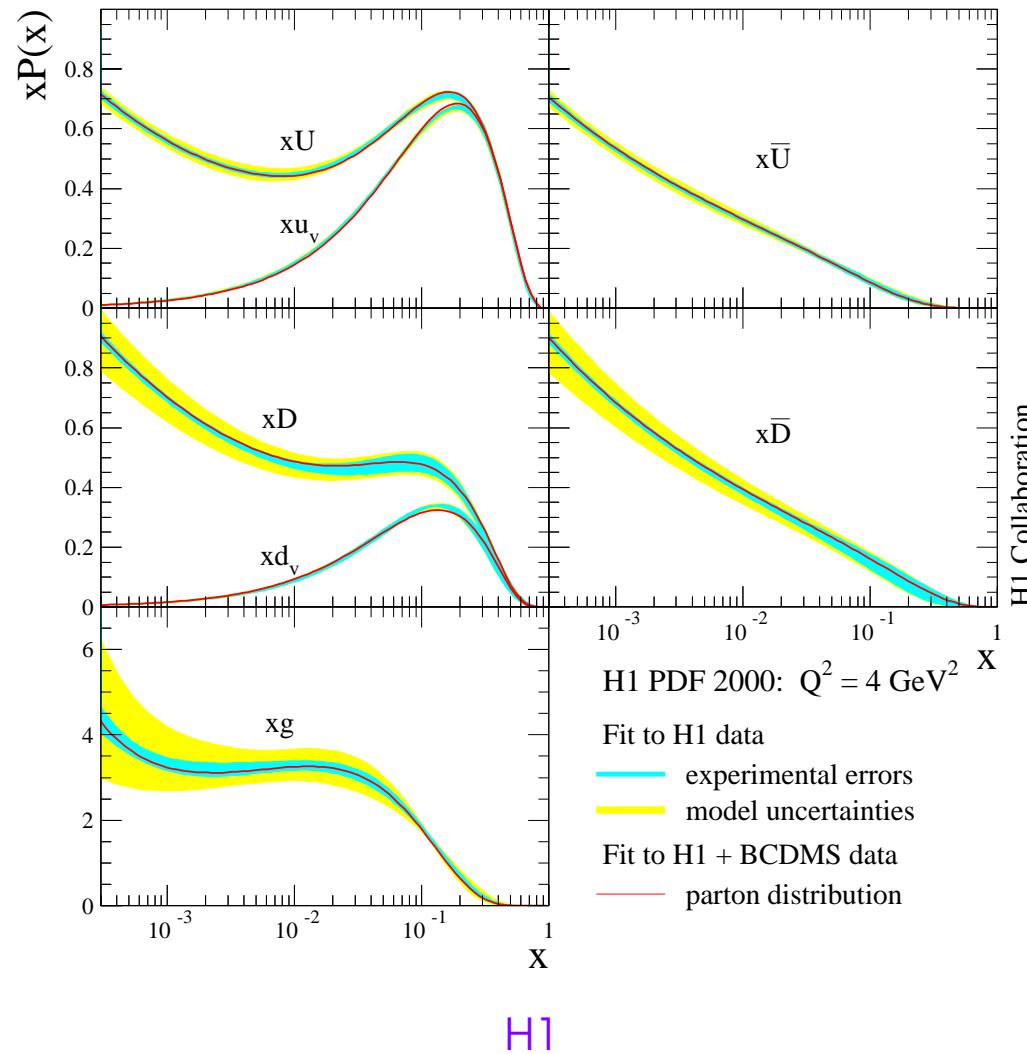
# Direct $F_L(x, Q^2)$ Measurement at HERA



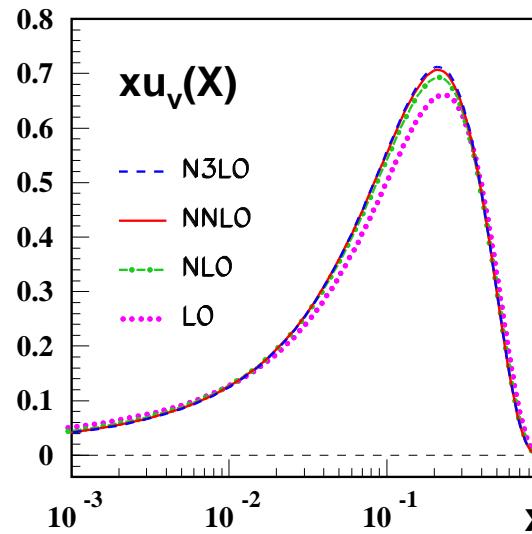
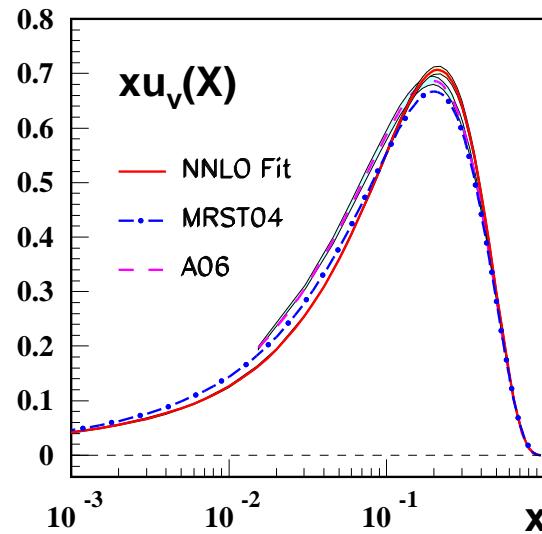
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# Parton Distributions: Overview

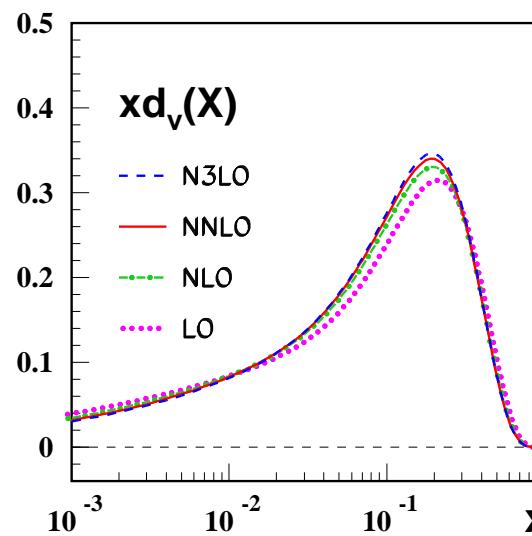
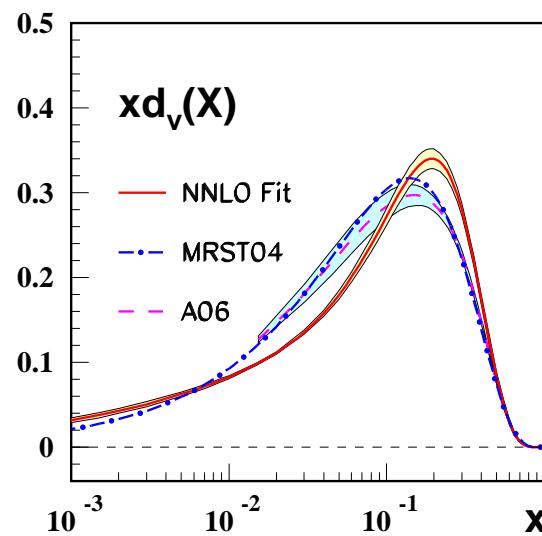


# World Data Analysis: Valence Distributions



World data:  
NS-analysis

$W^2 > 12.5 \text{ GeV}^2, Q^2 > 4 \text{ GeV}^2$



$N^3\text{LO}$  :

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1141^{+0.0020}_{-0.0022}$$

J.B., H. Böttcher,  
A. Guffanti,  
(hep-ph/0607200)

# Why an $O(\alpha_s^4)$ analysis can be performed?

assume an  $\pm 100\%$  error on the Pade approximant  $\rightarrow \pm 2$  MeV in  $\Lambda_{QCD}$

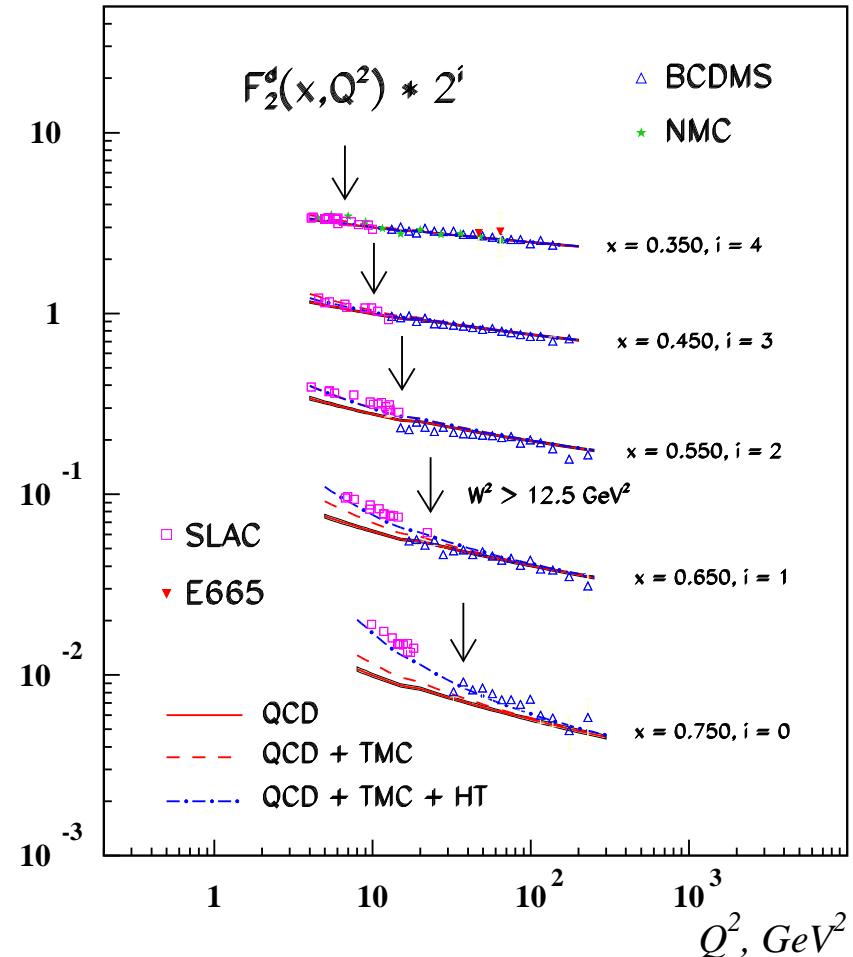
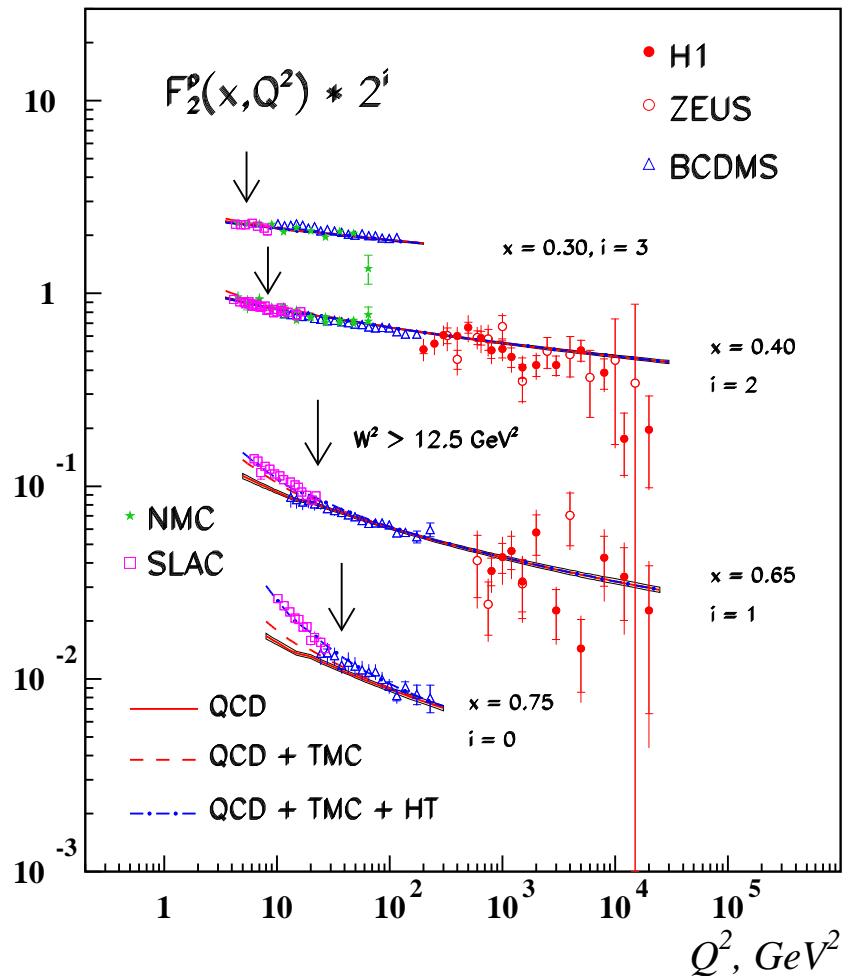
$$\gamma_n^{approx:3} = \frac{\gamma_n^{(2)2}}{\gamma_n^{(1)}}$$

Baikov & Chetyrkin, April 2006:

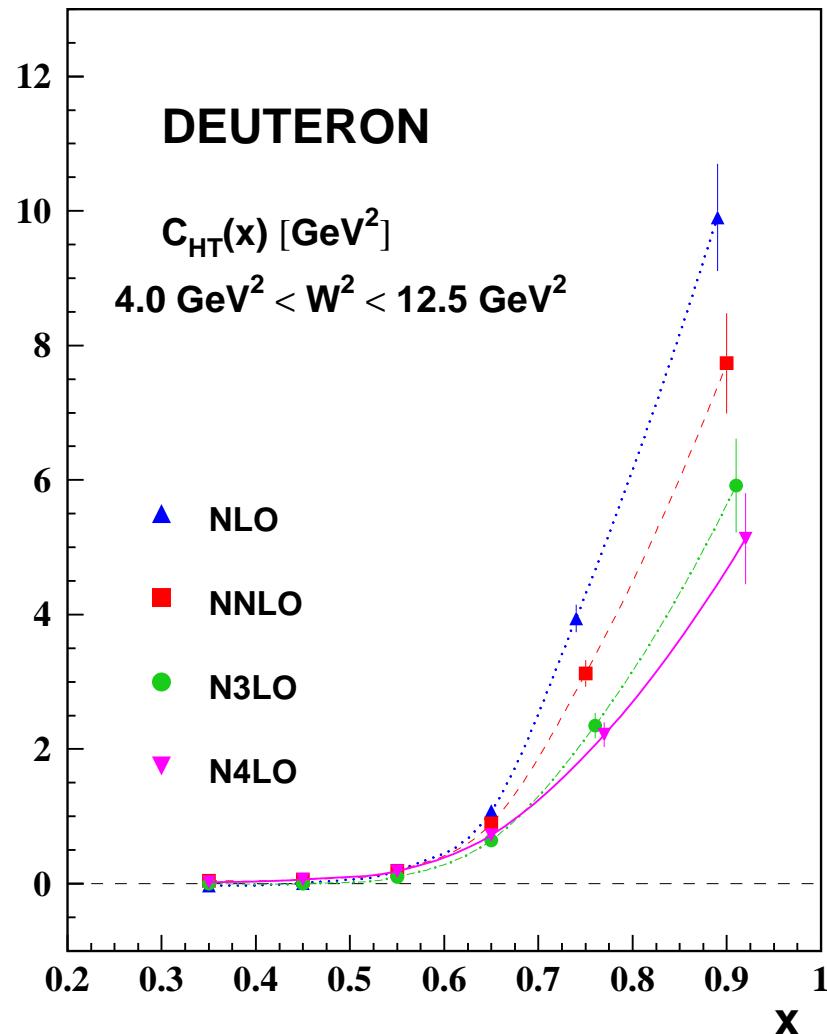
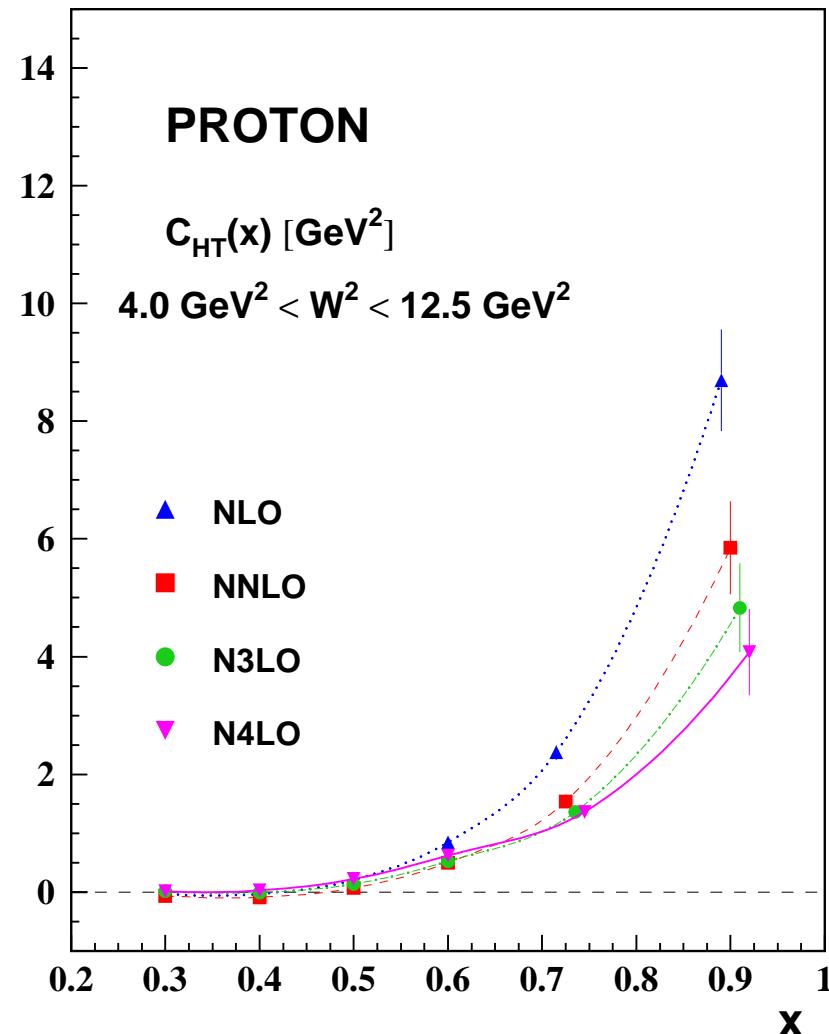
$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_2^{3;NS} = & \frac{32}{9}a_s + \frac{9440}{243}a_s^2 + \left[ \frac{3936832}{6561} - \frac{10240}{81}\zeta_3 \right] a_s^3 \\ & + \left[ \frac{1680283336}{1777147} - \frac{24873952}{6561}\zeta_3 + \frac{5120}{3}\zeta_4 - \frac{56969}{243}\zeta_5 \right] a_s^4\end{aligned}$$

The results agree better than 20%.

# Valence Distributions

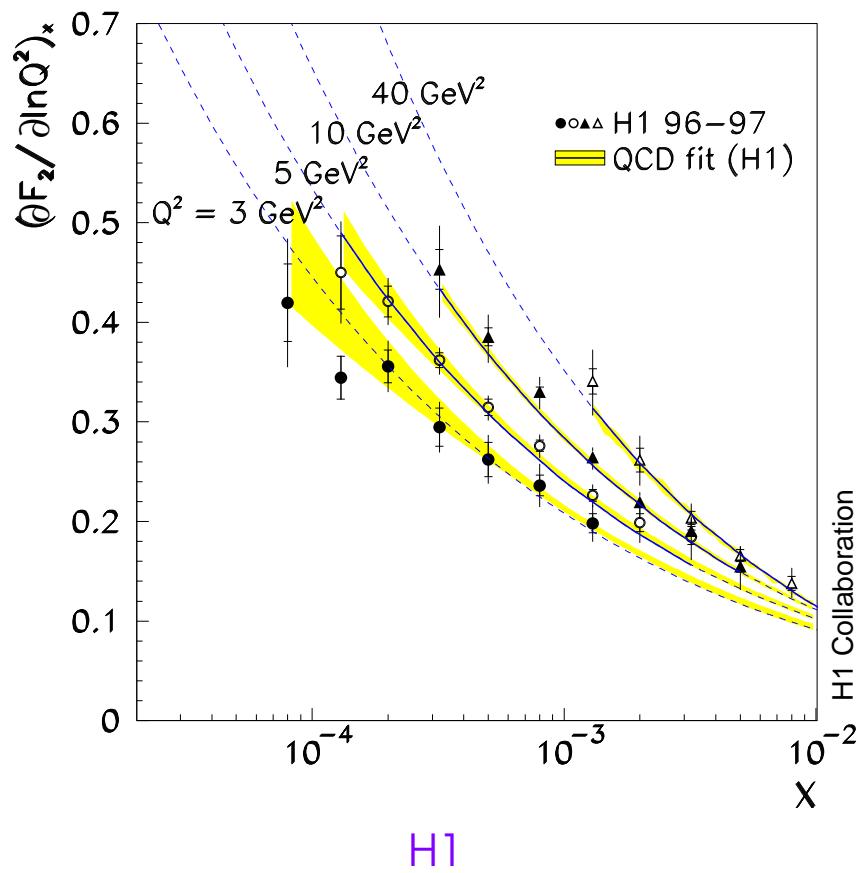


# Valence Distributions: higher twist

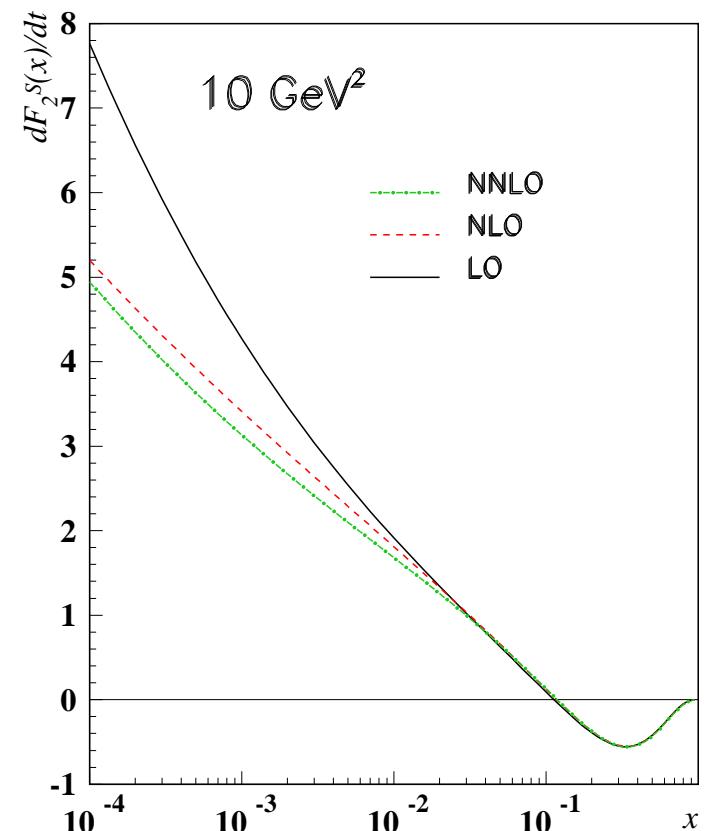


- agreement between  $p$  and  $d$  analysis, J.B., H. Böttcher, 2008
- LGT determination of interest

# Slope of $F_2$ at low $x$



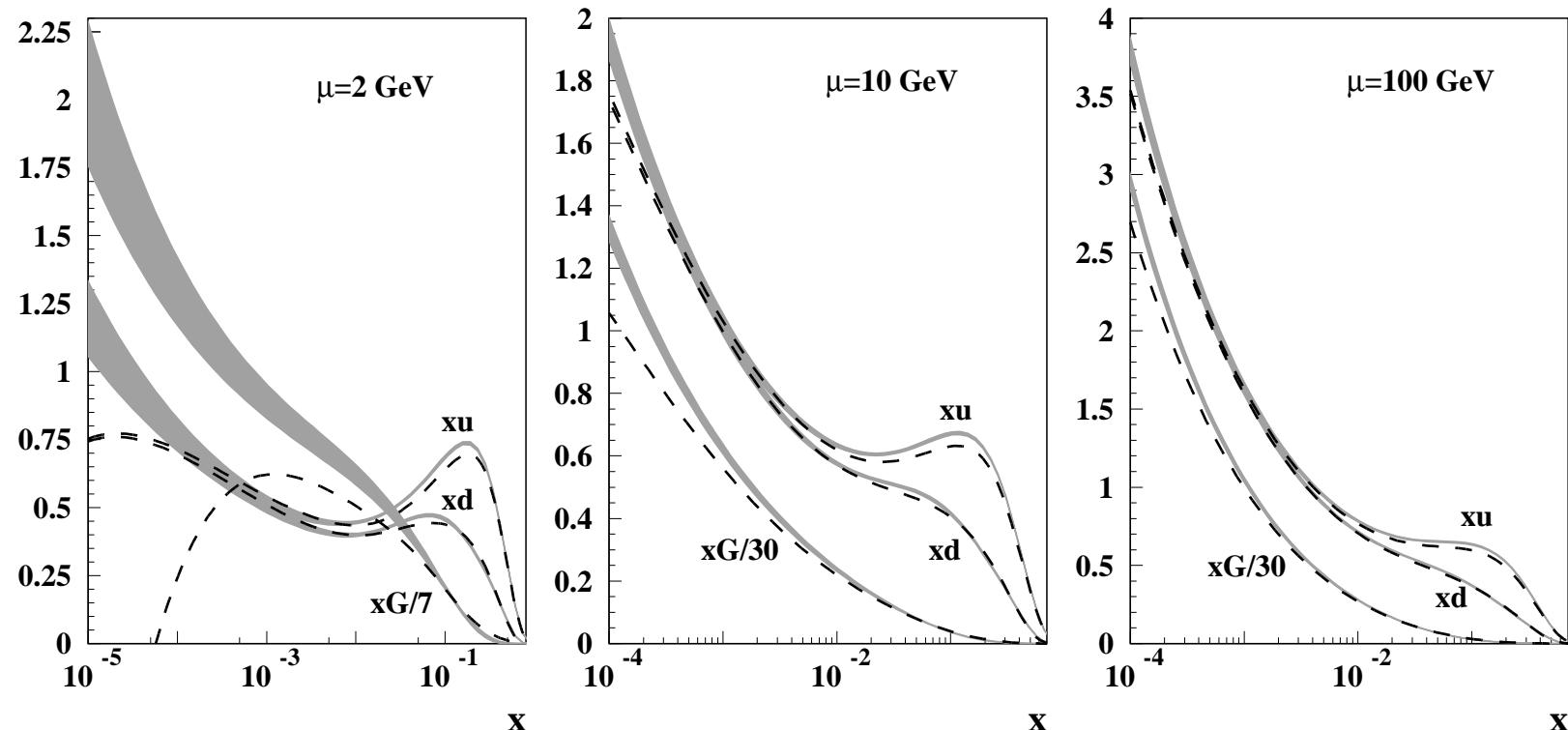
J.B., A. Guffanti 2005



Very likely, that the  $\overline{\text{MS}}$ -gluon is remains positive!

# Flavor distributions: light quarks (NNLO)

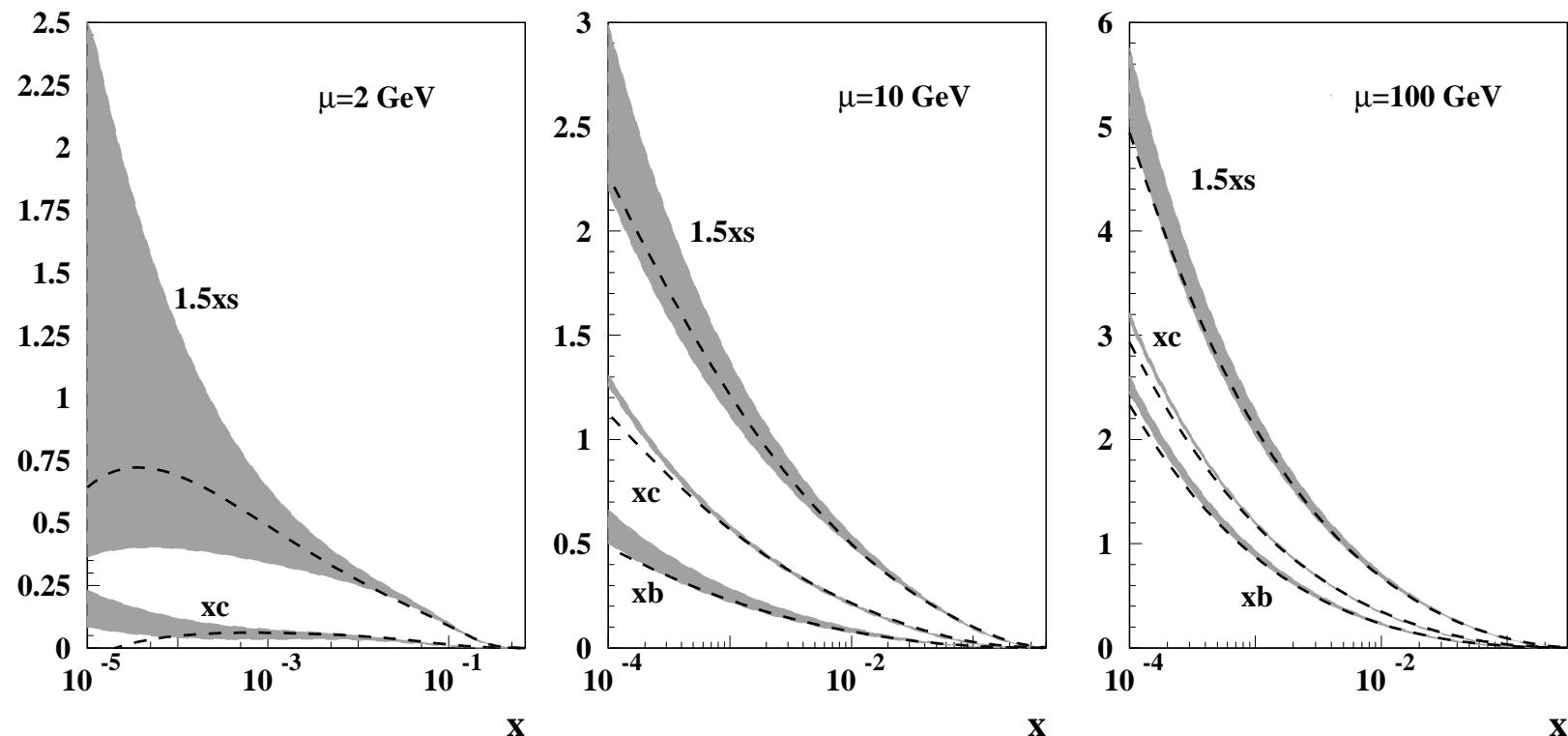
Current Fitting Community (NNLO):     
+ Many NLO analyses worldwide: CTEQ, NNPDF, H1, ZEUS, ...



S. Alekhin, J.B., S. Klein, S. Moch, DESY 09-102

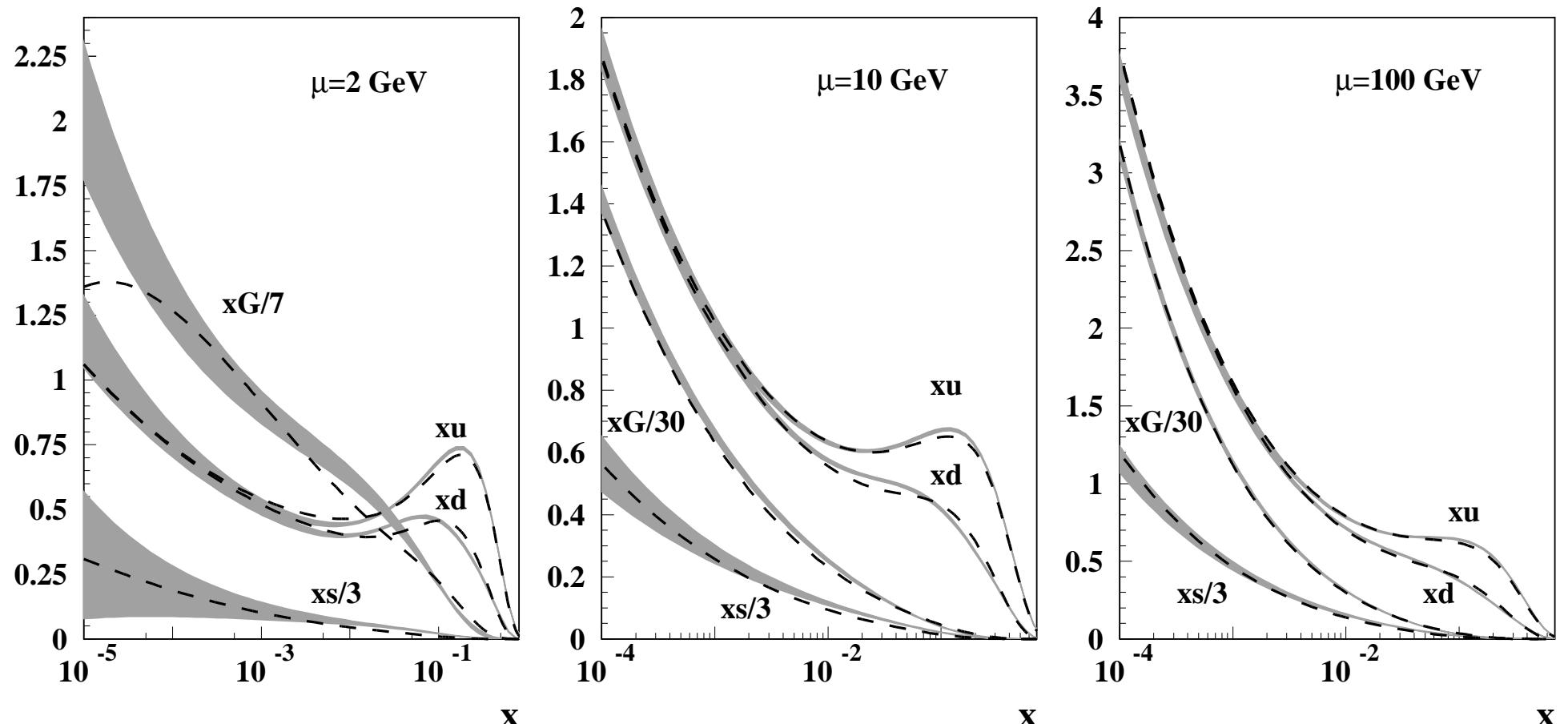
Correct treatment of HQ very essential: FFNS, BSMN-schemes.  
full lines: ABKM error band; dashed lines: MSTW08

# Heavy quarks and gluon (NNLO)



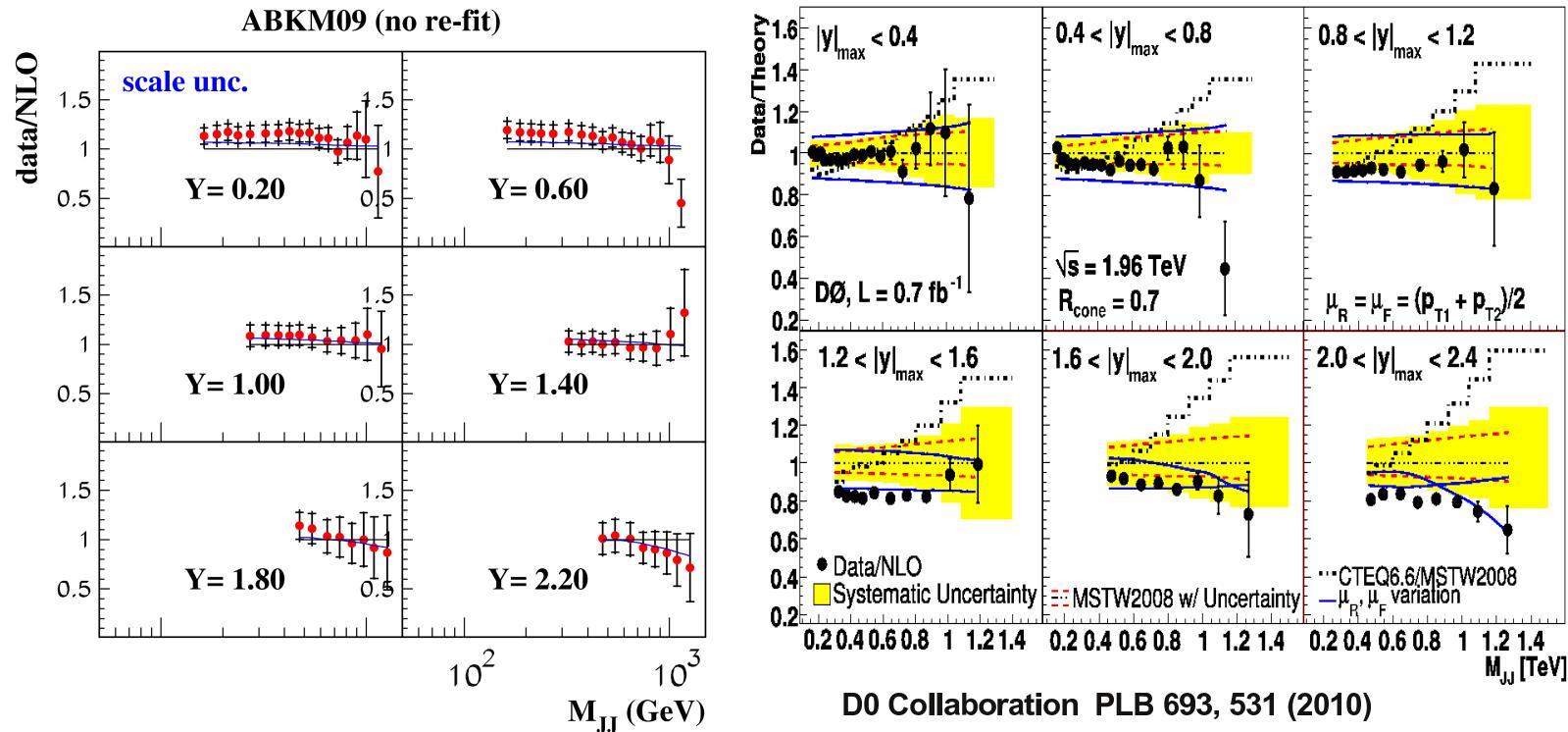
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full lines: ABKM error band; dashed lines: MSTW08

# FFNS, $N_f = 3$



comparison: ABKM (2009) vs. Jimenez-Delgado/ Reya (2008)

# Run II D0 dijet data in the ABKM fit



The NLO ABKM09 *predictions* compared with the D0 Run II dijet data:

Mixed scheme: 3-flavor PDFs for the DIS and 5-flavor PDFs for jets

FastNLO tool allows to employ the NLO corrections.

$$\mu_r = \mu_F = M_{\text{JJ}}$$

Kluge, Rabbertz, Wobisch [hep-ph 0609285]

Impact of the data on ABKM PDFs is marginal

*ABKM describes jet data better than the fits based on the Run II data??*

## Flavor distributions: strangeness

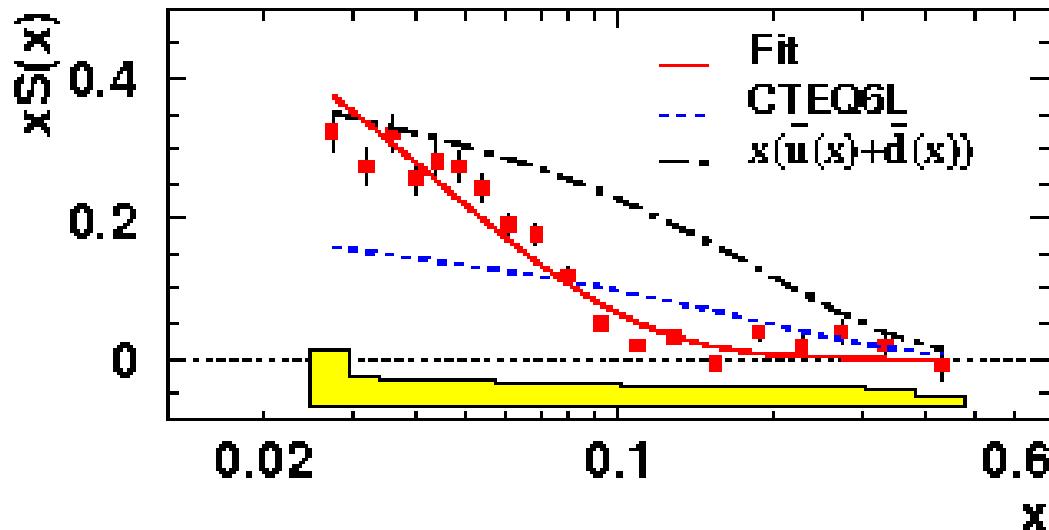
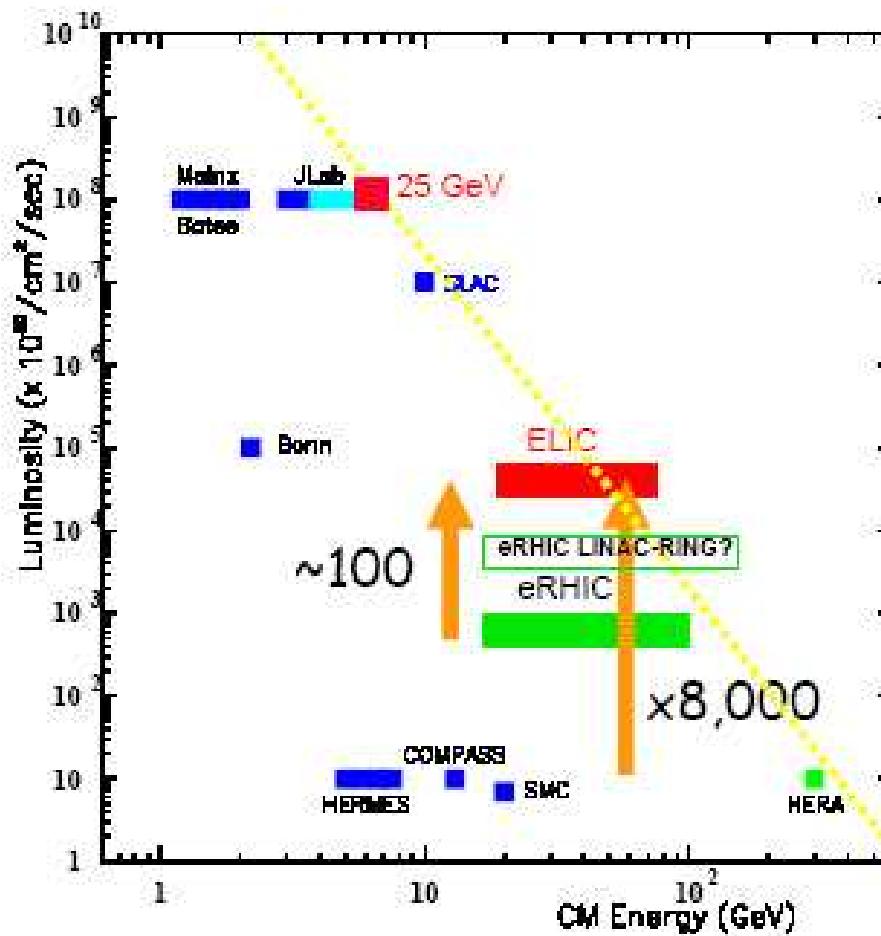


FIG. 3: The strange parton distribution  $xS(x)$  from the measured HERMES multiplicity for charged kaons evolved to  $Q_0^2 = 2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$  assuming  $\int D_S^K(z)dz = 1.27 \pm 0.13$ . The solid curve is a 3-parameter fit for  $S(x) = x^{-0.924} e^{-x/0.0404}(1-x)$ , the dashed curve gives  $xS(x)$  from CTEQ6L, and the dot-dash curve is the sum of light antiquarks from CTEQ6L.

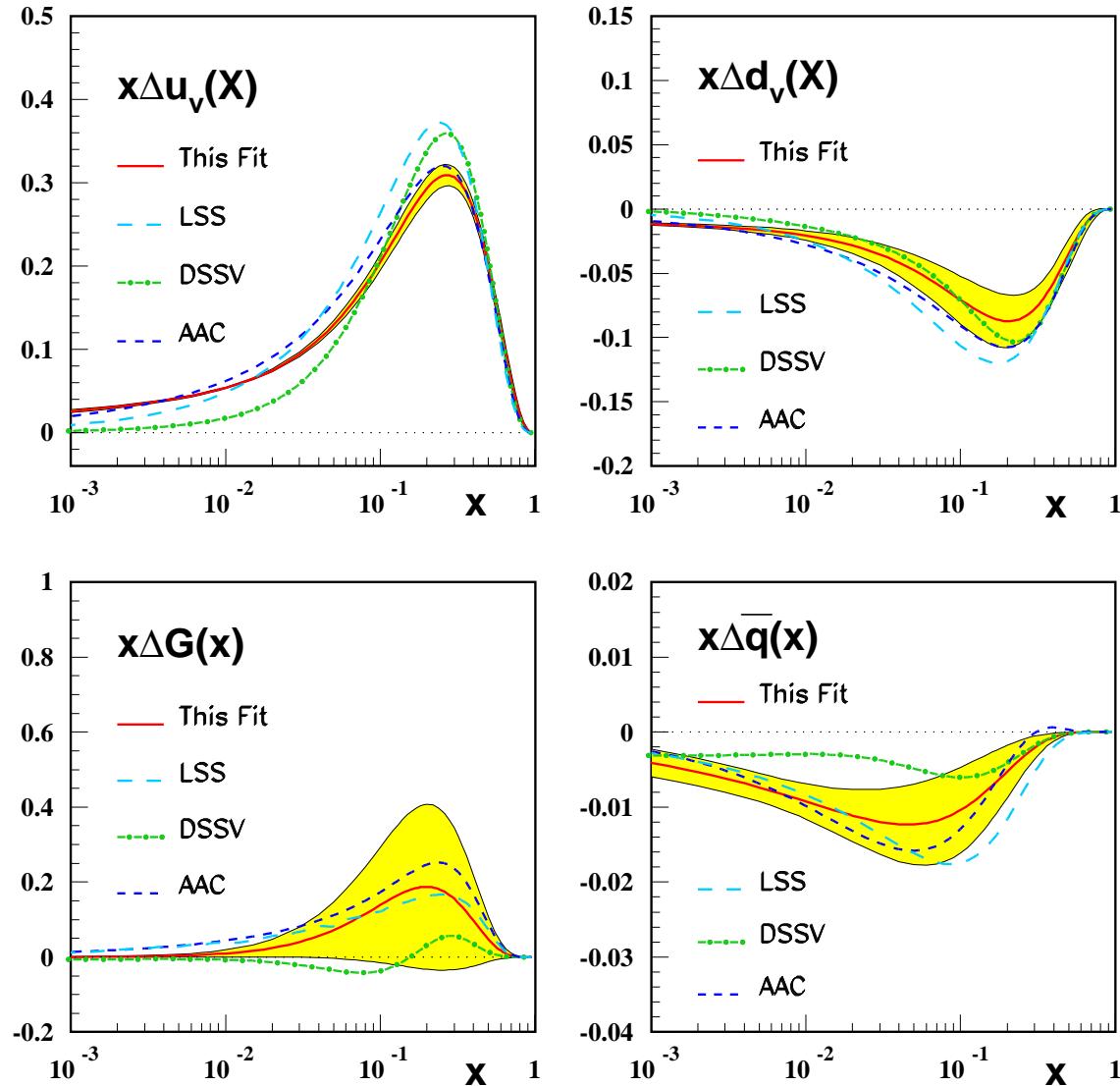
Nice HERMES measurement (hep-ex/0803.2993); still to be understood.

## 4. Polarized Structure Functions



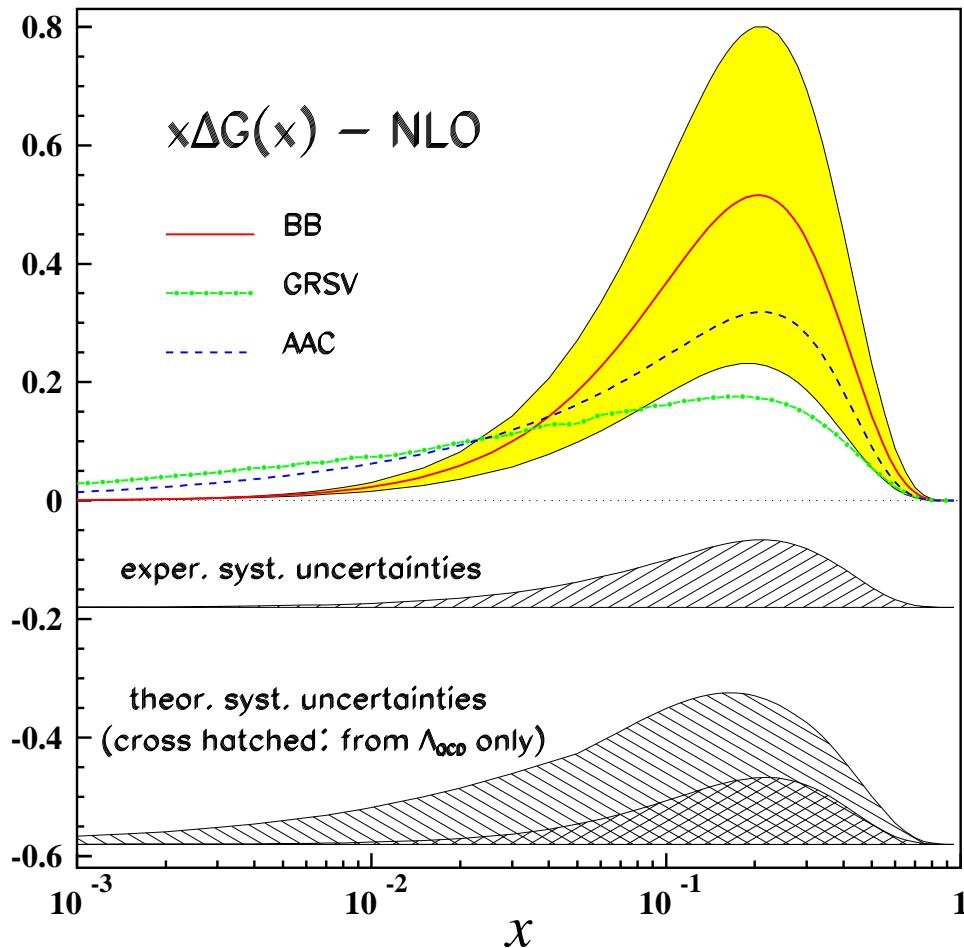
High Luminosity is most important: Various precision measurements.

# Polarized Parton Densities at Present

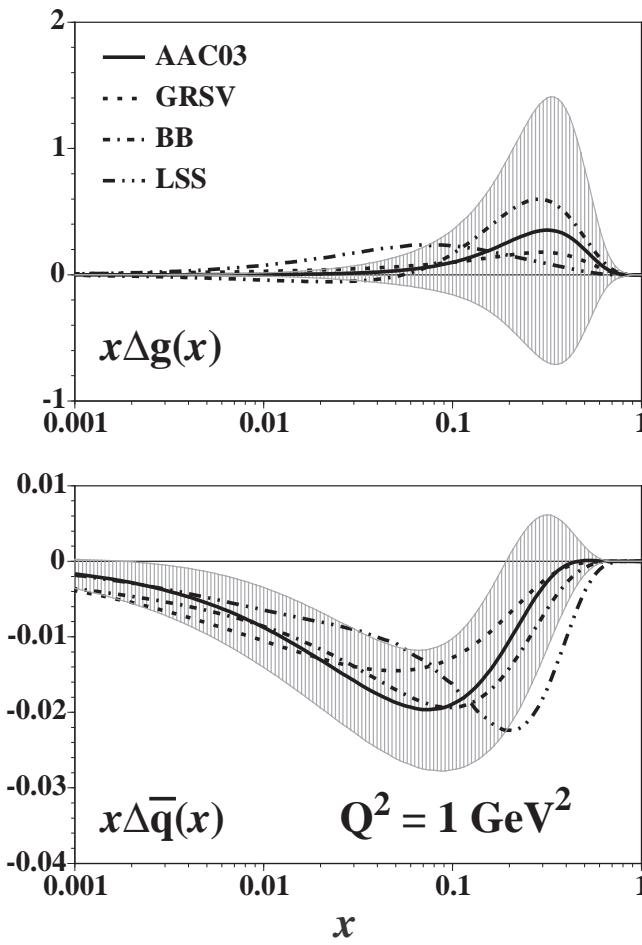


J.B., H. Böttcher (2002, 2009)

# The Polarized Gluon Distribution at Present



J.B., H. Böttcher (2002)

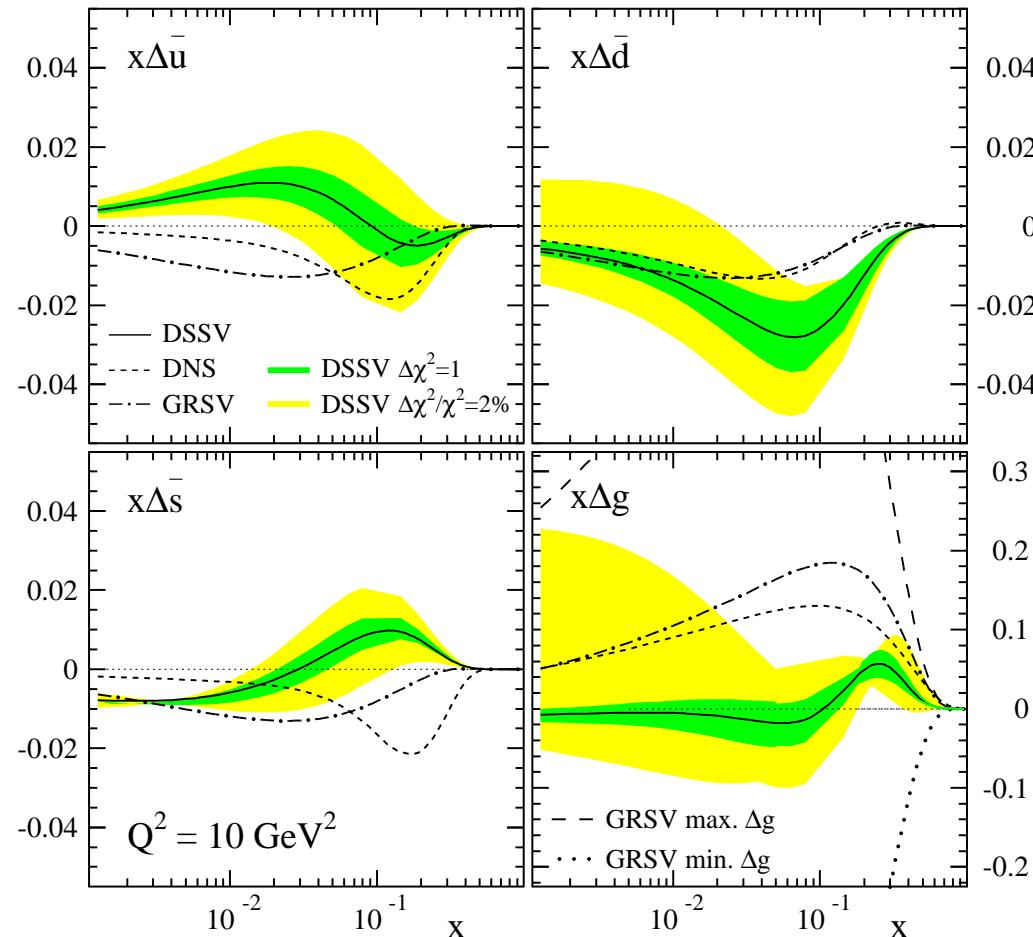


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⇒ Currently slight move of  $\Delta G$  towards lower values

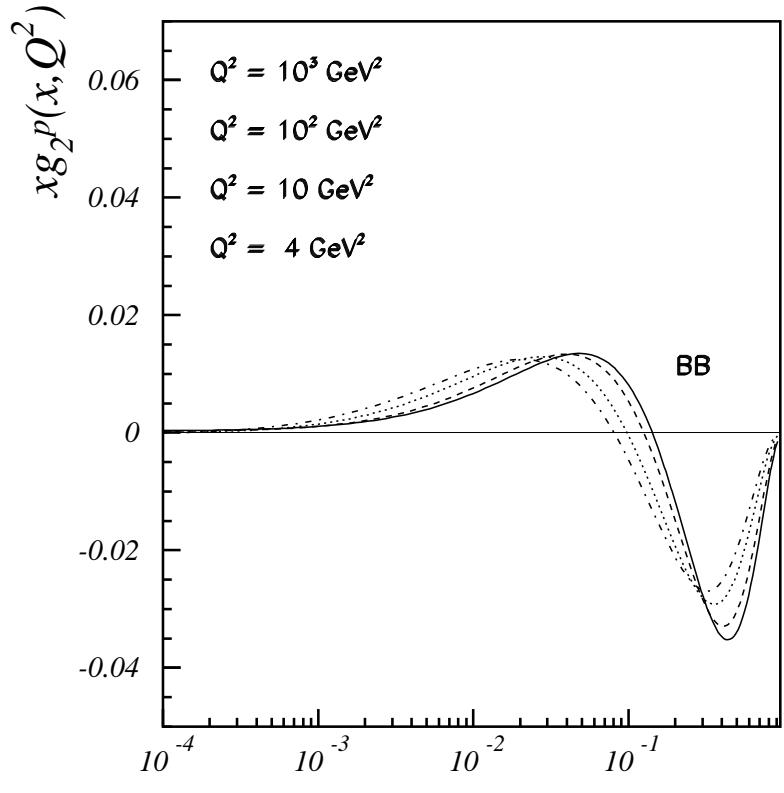
⇒ 3-loop analysis would settle theory error.

# Unfolding the Sea Quarks

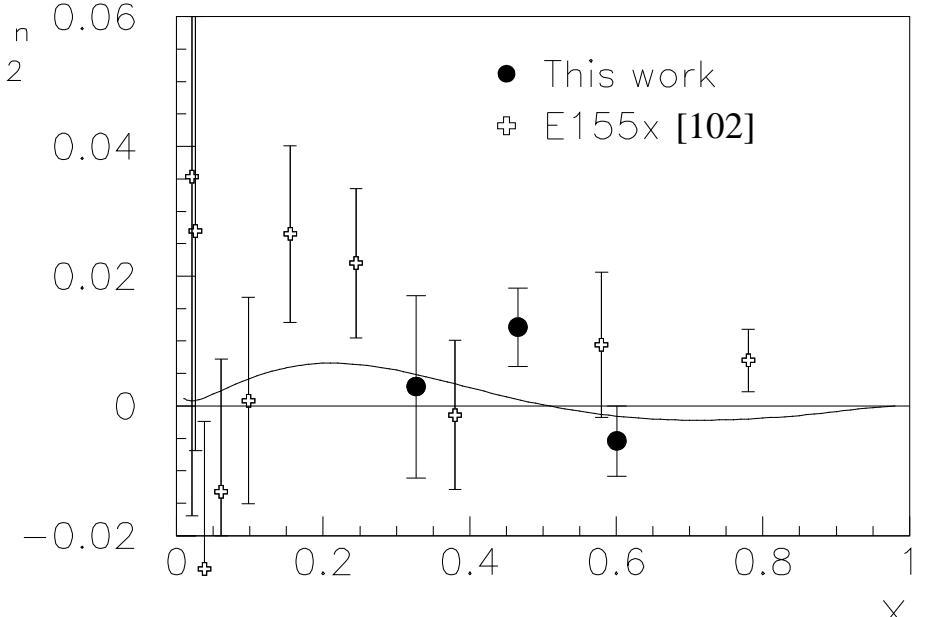


De Florian, Sassot, Stratmann, Vogelsang, 2008

# $g_2(x, Q^2)$ - a Window to Higher Twist



$g_2^{\tau=2}(x, Q^2)$  (light partons)



JLAB Hall A, 2004

**Accurate measurement highly desired.  
How big is the  $\tau = 3$  contribution ?**

# Moments of PDF's: PT + data

	$N$	value
$\Delta u_v$	1	$0.928 \pm 0.000$
	2	$0.153 \pm 0.004$
	3	$0.052 \pm 0.002$
$\Delta d_v$	1	$-0.342 \pm 0.000$
	2	$-0.037 \pm 0.007$
	3	$-0.010 \pm 0.002$
$\Delta u_v - \Delta d_v$	1	$1.270 \pm 0.000$
	2	$0.190 \pm 0.008$
	3	$0.063 \pm 0.003$

Table 2: NLO Moments of the polarized parton densities

J.B., H. Böttcher, 2010

	Moment	BB, NLO
$\Delta u_v$	0	0.926
	1	$0.163 \pm 0.014$
	2	$0.055 \pm 0.006$
$\Delta d_v$	0	-0.341
	1	$-0.047 \pm 0.021$
	2	$-0.015 \pm 0.009$
$\Delta u_v - \Delta d_v$	0	1.267
	1	$0.210 \pm 0.025$
	2	$0.070 \pm 0.011$

J.B., H. Böttcher, 2002

Lattice Results : developing; different fermion-types studied. Low values of  $m_\pi$  crucial; values approach 270 MeV now.

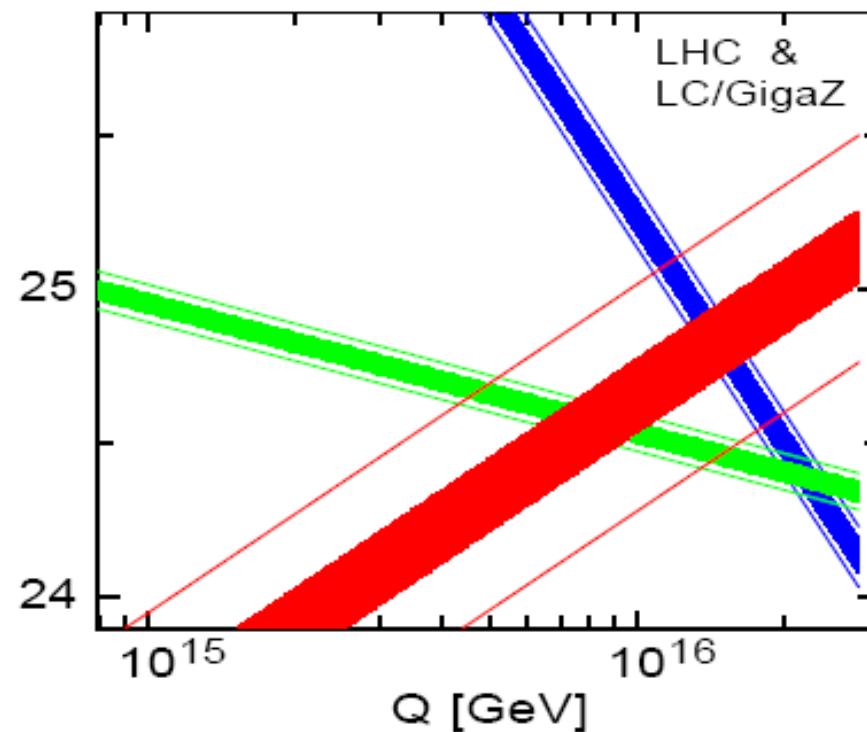
## 5. $\Lambda_{QCD}$ and $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$

$$\frac{\delta\alpha_{\text{em}}(0)}{\alpha_{\text{em}}(0)} \sim 3 \cdot 10^{-11}$$

$$\frac{\delta\alpha_{\text{weak}}}{\alpha_{\text{weak}}} \sim 7 \cdot 10^{-4}$$

$$\frac{\delta\alpha_s(M_Z^2)}{\alpha_s(M_Z^2)} > 2 \cdot 10^{-2}$$

(until recently)



P. Zerwas, 2004

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$$

NLO	$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	expt	theory	Ref.
CTEQ6	0.1165	$\pm 0.0065$		[1]
MRST03	0.1165	$\pm 0.0020$	$\pm 0.0030$	[2]
A02	0.1171	$\pm 0.0015$	$\pm 0.0033$	[3]
ZEUS	0.1166	$\pm 0.0049$		[4]
H1	0.1150	$\pm 0.0017$	$\pm 0.0050$	[5]
BCDMS	0.110	$\pm 0.006$		[6]
GRS	0.112			[10]
BBG	0.1148	$\pm 0.0019$		[9]
BB (pol)	0.113	$\pm 0.004$	$^{+0.009}_{-0.006}$	[7]

NLO

NNLO	$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	expt	theory	Ref.
MRST03	0.1153	$\pm 0.0020$	$\pm 0.0030$	[2]
A02	0.1143	$\pm 0.0014$	$\pm 0.0009$	[3]
SY01(ep)	0.1166	$\pm 0.0013$		[8]
SY01( $\nu N$ )	0.1153	$\pm 0.0063$		[8]
GRS	0.111			[10]
A06	0.1128	$\pm 0.0015$		[11]
BBG	0.1134	$+0.0019 / - 0.0021$		[9]

N <sup>3</sup> LO	$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	expt	theory	Ref.
BBG	0.1141	$+0.0020 / - 0.0022$		[9]

NNLO and N<sup>3</sup>LO

➊ BBG:  $N_f = 4$ : non-singlet data-analysis at  $O(\alpha_s^4)$ :  $\Lambda = 234 \pm 26 \text{ MeV}$

Lattice results :

➋ Alpha Collab:  $N_f = 2$  Lattice; non-pert. renormalization  $\Lambda = 245 \pm 16 \pm 16 \text{ MeV}$

➋ QCDSF Collab:  $N_f = 2$  Lattice, pert. reno.  $\Lambda = 261 \pm 17 \pm 26 \text{ MeV}$

Lepage et al.: Larger, but no quenched result.

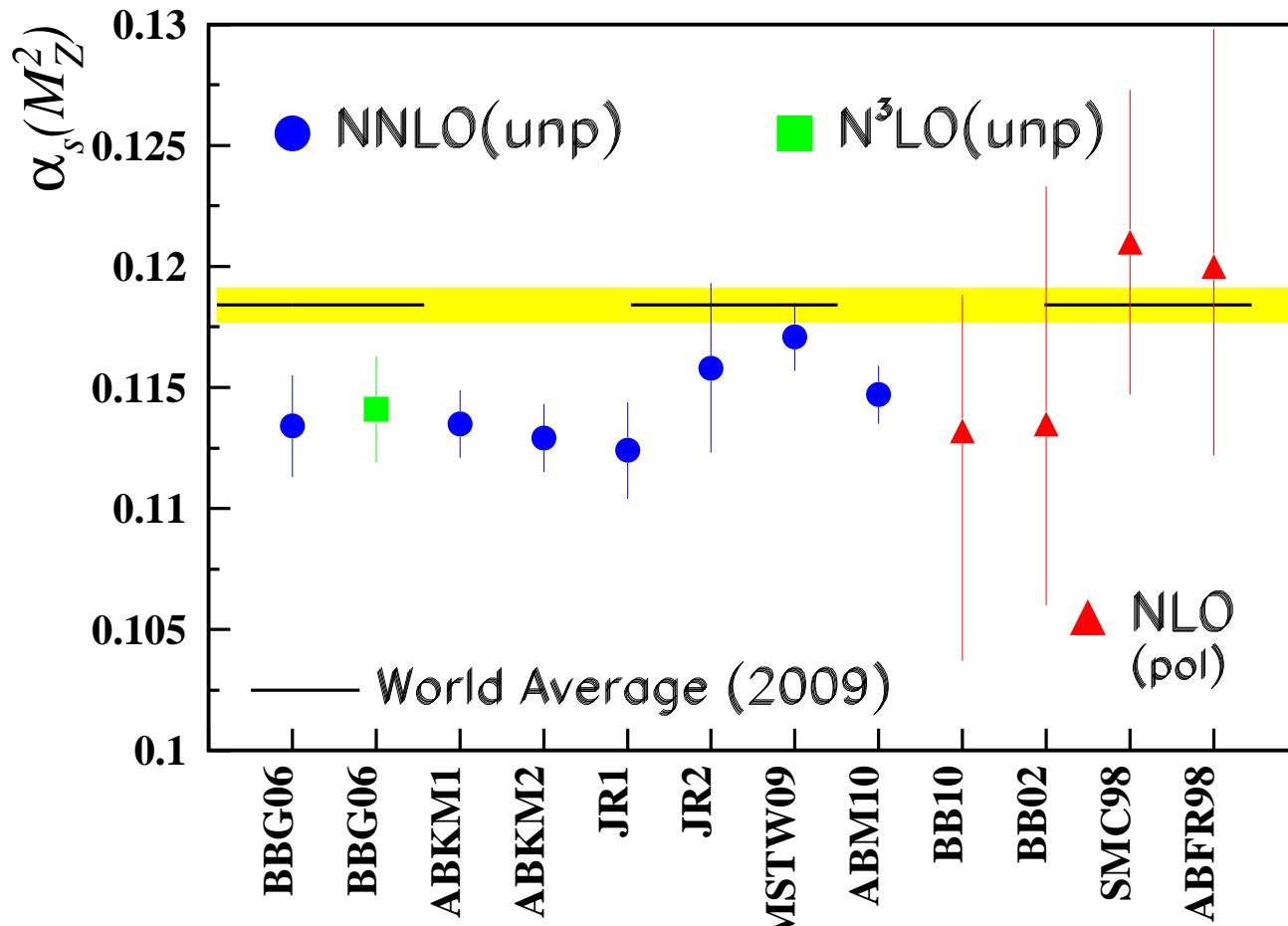
$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$$

S. Alekhin, J.B., S. Klein, S. Moch, Phys. Rev. D81 (2010) 014032

$$\delta\alpha_s(M_Z^2)/\alpha_s(M_Z^2) \approx 1\%$$

	$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	
ABKM A.Hoang et al.	$0.1135 \pm 0.0014$ $0.1135 \pm 0.0011 \pm 0.0006$	HQ: FFS $N_f = 3$ $e^+e^-$ thrust
ABKM	$0.1129 \pm 0.0014$	HQ: BSMN-approach
BBG (2006)	$0.1134 \begin{array}{l} +0.0019 \\ -0.0021 \end{array}$	valence analysis, NNLO
JR (2008)	$0.1124 \pm 0.0020$	dynamical approach
MSTW (2008)	$0.1171 \pm 0.0014$	
H1/ZEUS (2010)	$0.1145 \pm 0.0042$	(combined H1/ZEUS data, preliminary)
ABM (2010)	$0.1147 \pm 0.0012$	(FFN, combined H1/ZEUS data in)
BBG (2006)	$0.1141 \begin{array}{l} +0.0020 \\ -0.0022 \end{array}$	valence analysis, N <sup>3</sup> LO
WA (2009)	$0.1184 \pm 0.0007$	

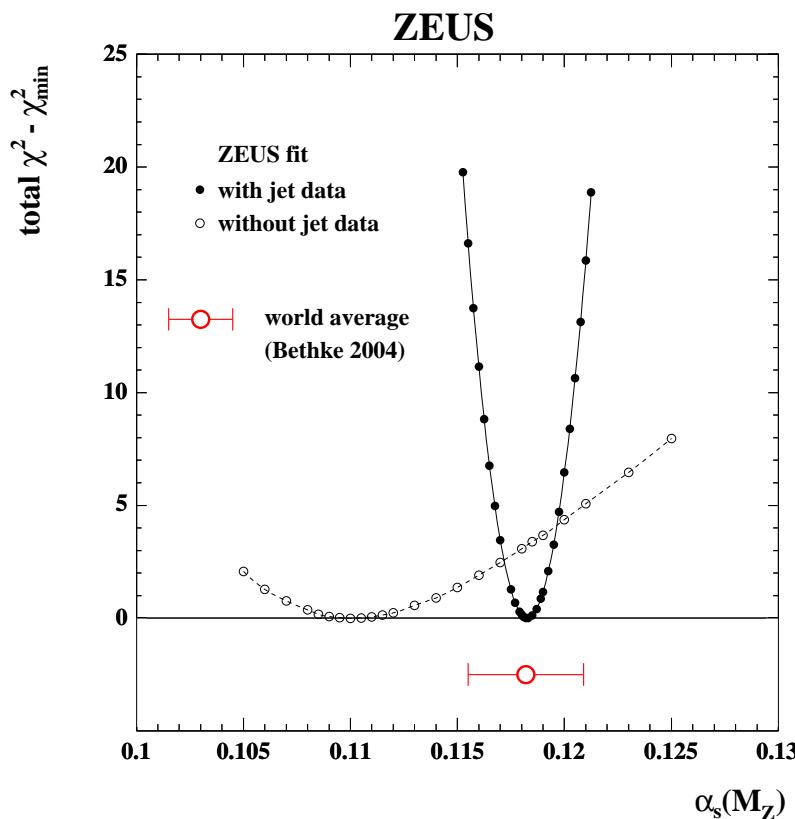
$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$$



J.B., H. Böttcher, 2010

# More Global Analyses

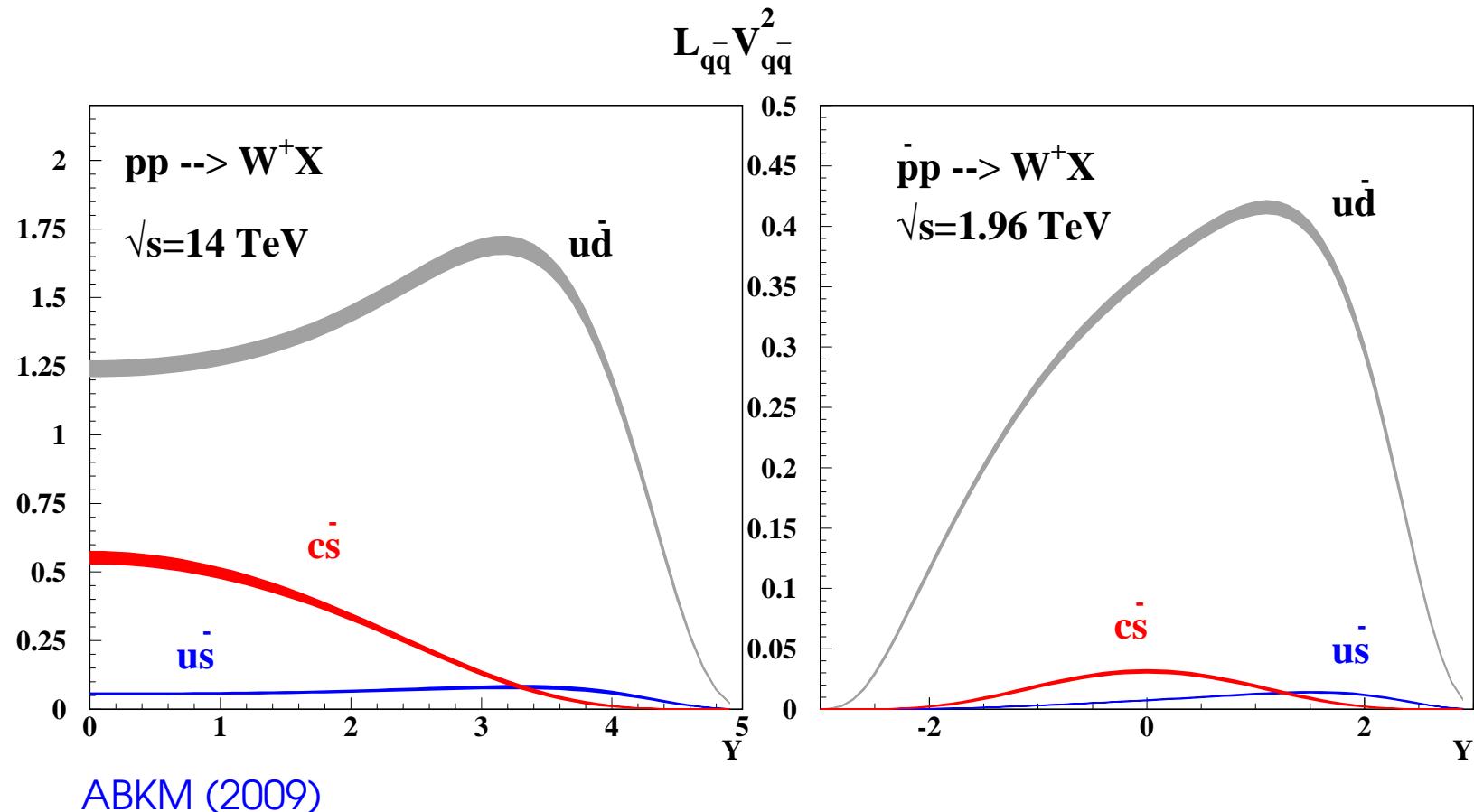
- $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$  for different data sets included are too different !  
⇒ applies also to HERA: IS vs FS; and also DIS vs TEVATRON-jet



M. Cooper-Sarkar, 2005

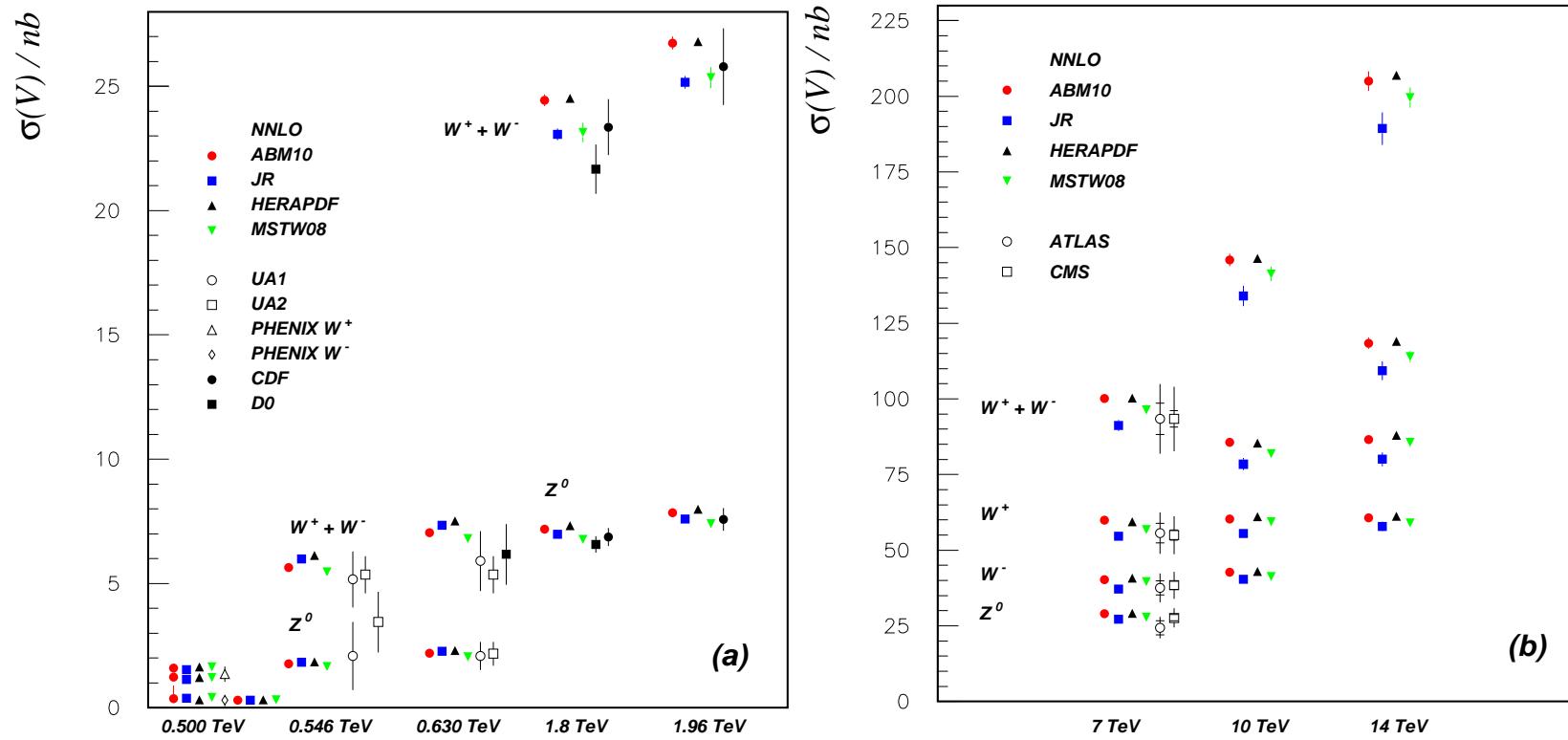
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Drell-Yan Process (NNLO)



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## W and Z Boson Production (NNLO)



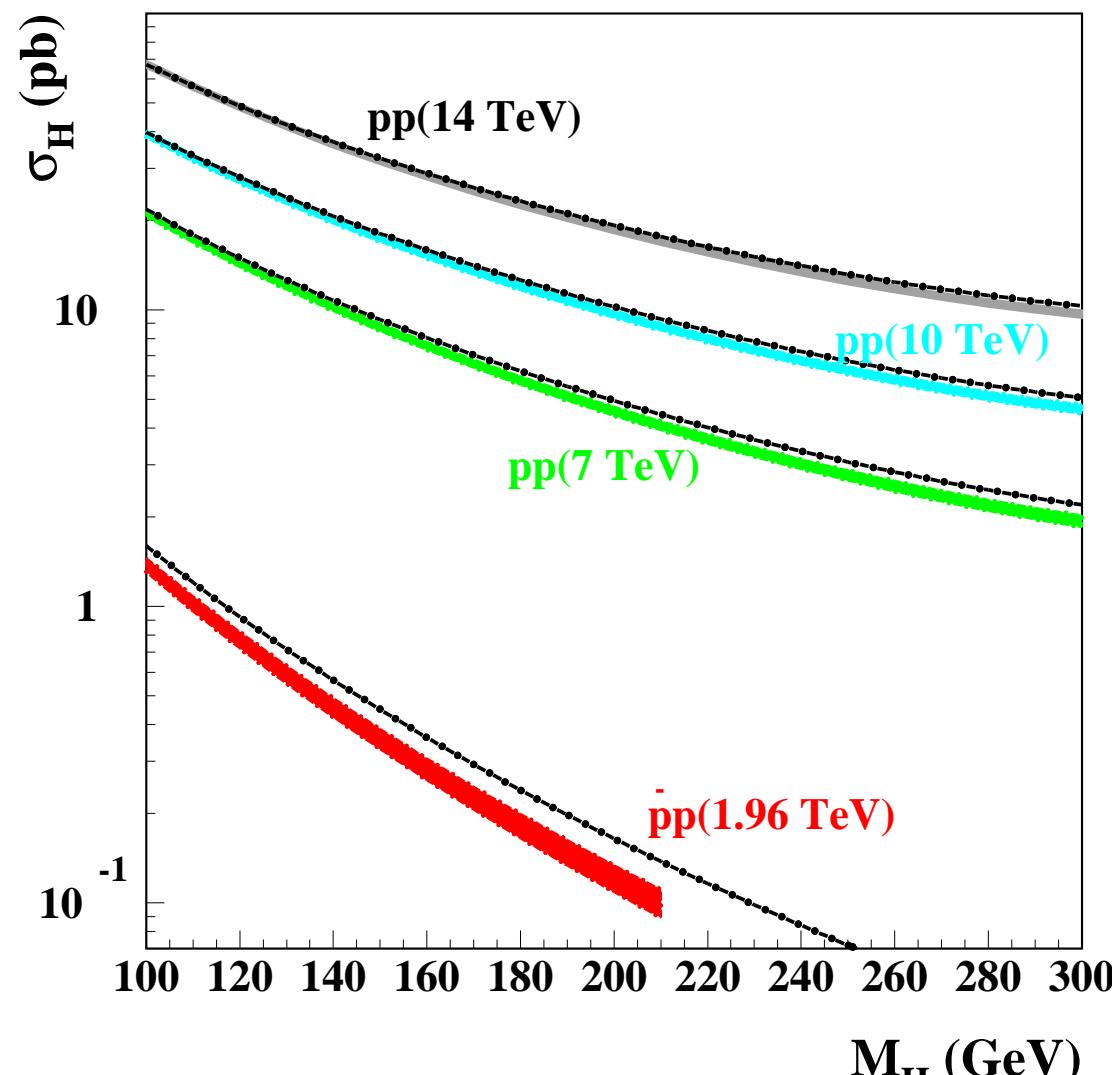
ABJMR (2010)

# $t\bar{t}$ Cross Section in $pp(\bar{p})$ scattering at (NNLO)

$\sqrt{s}$ (TeV)	this paper	MSTW2008
1.96 ( $\bar{p}p$ )	$6.91 \pm 0.17$	7.04
7 ( $pp$ )	$131.3 \pm 7.5$	160.5
10 ( $pp$ )	$343 \pm 15$	403
14 ( $pp$ )	$780 \pm 28$	887

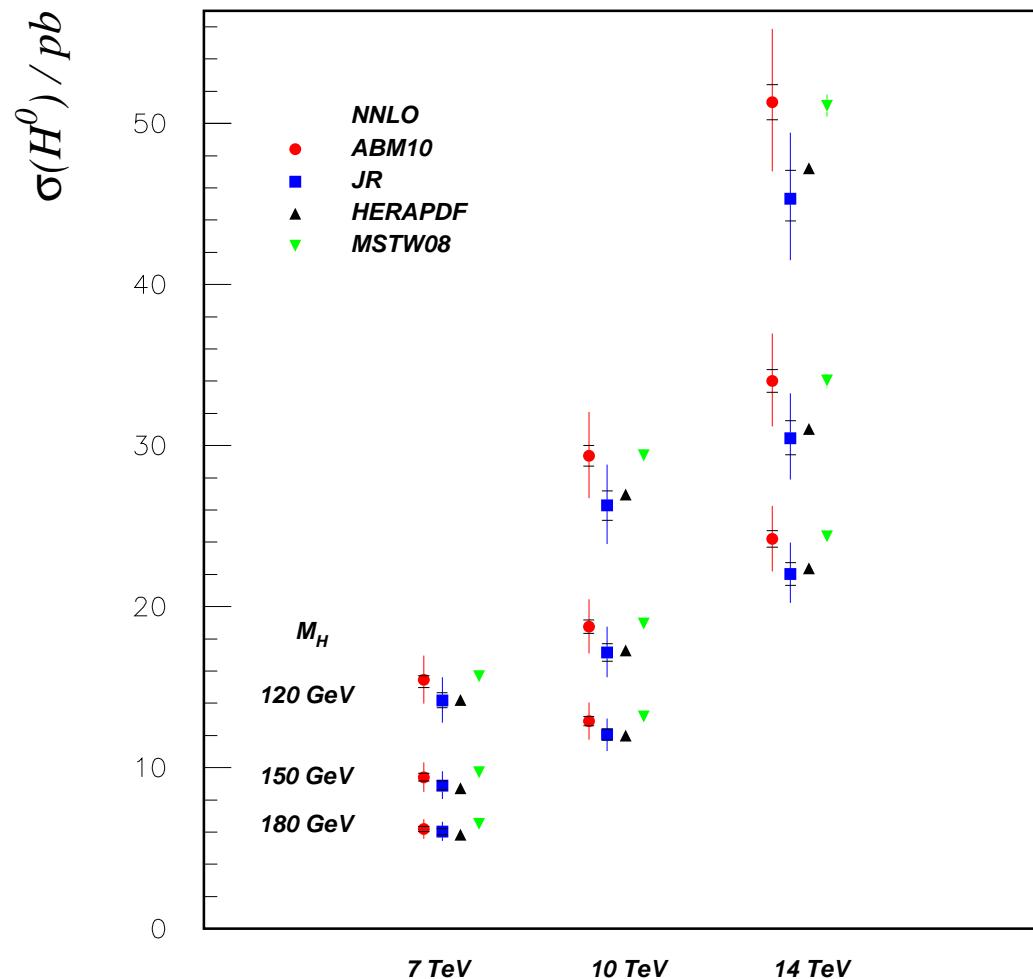
ABKM (2009) vs MSTW08

# Higgs Cross Section in $pp(\bar{p})$ scattering at (NNLO)



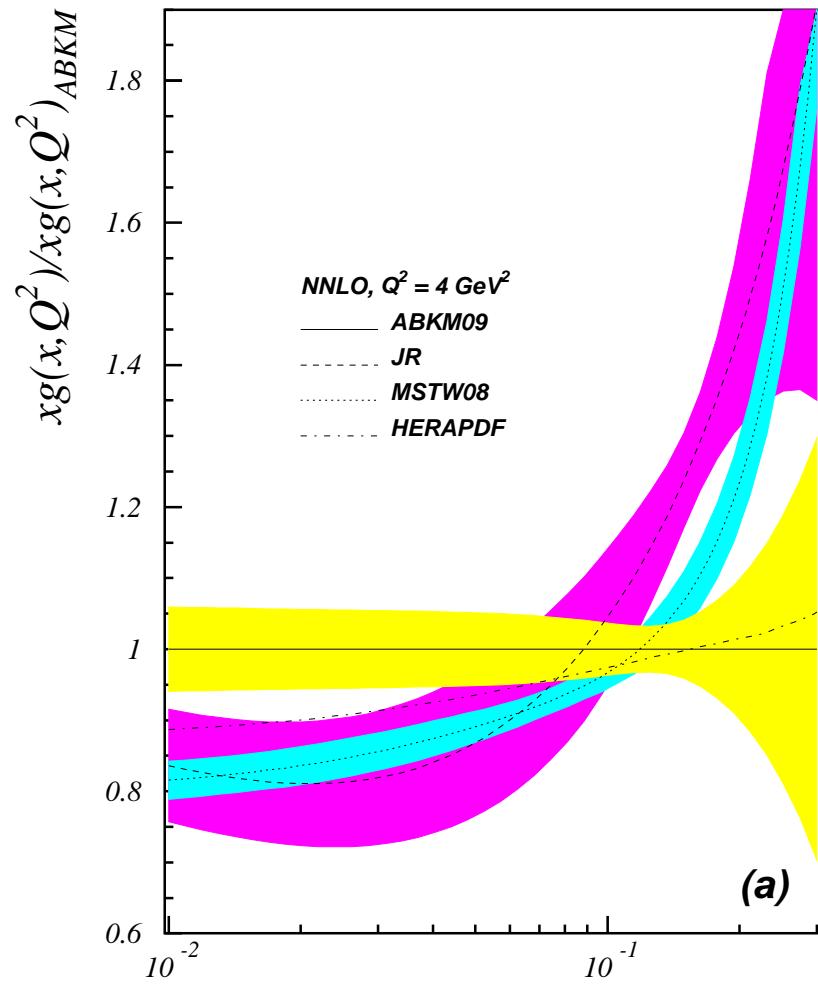
bands: ABKM (2009); lines: MSTW08

# Higgs Cross Section in $pp(\bar{p})$ scattering at (NNLO)



ABJMR (2010)

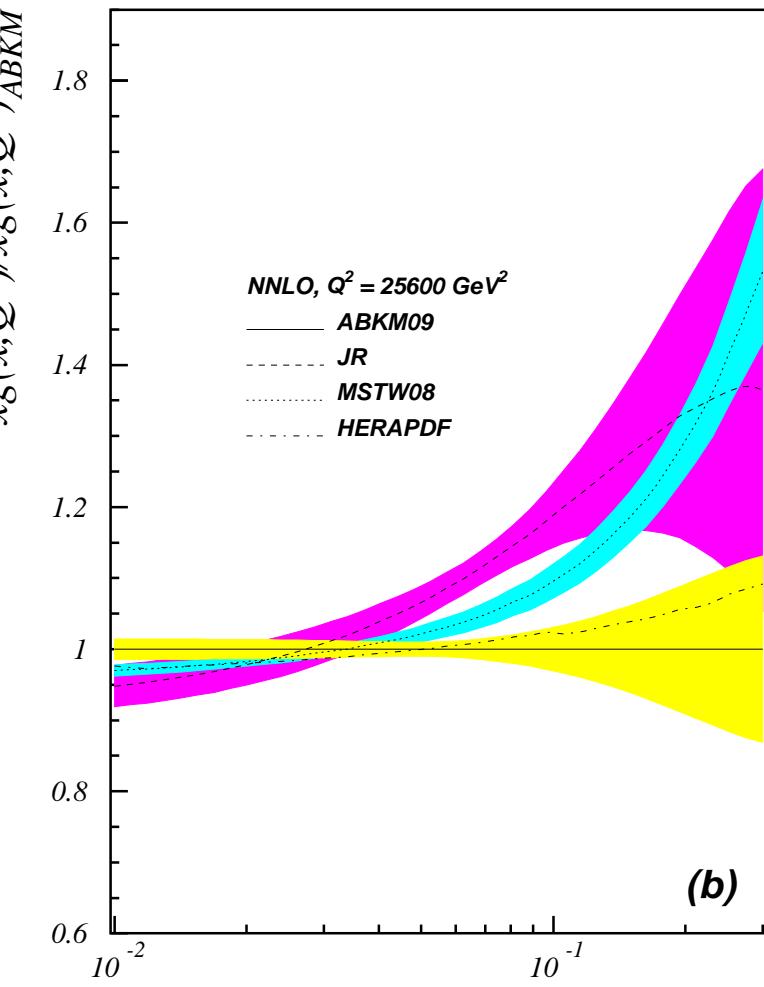
# Gluon distribution in the relevant region



(a)

$x$

ABJMR (2010)



(b)

$x$

# Why is MSTW's $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$ so high ?

$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	with $\sigma_{\text{NMC}}$	with $F_2^{\text{NMC}}$	difference
NLO	0.1179(16)	0.1195(17)	+0.0026 $\simeq 1\sigma$
NNLO	0.1135(14)	0.1170(15)	+0.0035 $\simeq 2.3\sigma$
NNLO + $F_L \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$	0.1122(14)	0.1171(14)	+0.0050 $\simeq 3.6\sigma$

ABM, DESY 11-001 (2011)

⇒ also fixed target data shall be analyzed using  $\sigma$ .

## 7. Advanced Technologies to Evaluate Feynman Diagrams

in QED & QCD @ 3 loops and beyond

- Automatic diagram generation mandatory: QGRAF   
# 2500 - 15000 diagrams
- The 'Only' problem: Calculation of Feynman Parameter Integrals;  
everything else automated: FORM-codes
- Renormalization still not always trivial:  $\gamma_5$ , mass(es), ...
- Work with linguistic standards: Harmonic Sums, Harmonic Polylogarithms, Euler-Zagier  
values, etc. - **Avoids the problem of Babel**  in analytic integration
- Generalized Hypergeometric Functions and their Generalizations are to the Heart of the Matter. M. Kalmykov et al., JB et al.
- Need: advanced Difference Equation Establishers & Solvers: Sigma 
- Do not proliferate !**, i.e. avoid IBP, MB, and other methods causing gigantic Zeroes.
- What remains is : **Integrating the hard way.**

# Advanced Technologies to Evaluate Feynman Diagrams

## Some Examples:

- Zero-scale Problems : Euler-Zagier and Multiple Zeta Values

JB, D. Broadhurst, J. Vermaseren, DESY 09-03

find all relations :  $\Rightarrow$  **Tera-Terms** to be processed

alternating: all relations up to  $w = 12$  (6-loop level);

non-alternating: all relations up to  $w = 22$ ; determined.

Interesting relations: to  $w = 30$ ;

- Reconstructing recurrent quantities from Mellin Moments

JB, M. Kauers, S. Klein, C. Schneider DESY 09-02

Can one find the anomalous dimensions and Wilson coefficients to 3-loops just from their moments ? Yes - recurrent quantities in Mellin space.

$\leq 5114$  Moments; difference equation fills 440 books

Complete computation: 5 CPU Months

- Massive Wilson coefficients at 3 Loops

I. Bierenbaum, JB, S. Klein, DESY 09-57

first analytic massive 1-scale calculation @ 3-loops

Moments 2–10 (12/14) have been calculated for all unpolarized channels

Complete computation: 300 CPU days, partly req. 32-64 Gbyte computers

## 8. Outlook

### Theory:

- **Polarized** Anomalous Dimensions & massless Wilson coefficients @ 3 Loops
- **Unpolarized** Heavy Flavor Wilson coefficients @ 3 Loops : general  $N$
- **Polarized** Heavy Flavor Wilson coefficients @ 3 Loops
- Along with this: Development of efficient analytic calculation methods being suited for 3-Loops and higher
- $ep$  &  $pp$  jet cross sections at HO; progress in pdf Lattice calculations

### Code:

- Creation of an Open Source Code for DIS and pp-hard scattering data for experimental precision analyzes to derive pdfs

### Experiment:

- Precision Data from LHC, JLAB and EIC.

Can we get  $\delta\alpha_s$  even smaller ?