

# QCD Analysis of Polarized Deep Inelastic Scattering Data and New Polarized Parton Distributions

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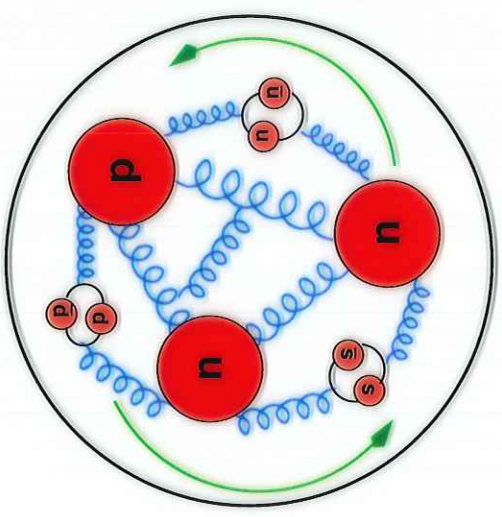
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# Introduction: The Spin of the Proton

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CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SPIN OF THE PROTON:

$$S_z = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_q + \Delta G + L_G$$



WITH

$$\Delta\Sigma = (\Delta u + \Delta\bar{u}) + (\Delta d + \Delta\bar{d}) + (\Delta s + \Delta\bar{s})$$

⇒ POLARIZED DEEP INELASTIC LEPTON NUCLEON SCATTERING (INCL. AND SEMI-INCL.)

ΔΣ IS FOUND TO BE SMALL IN INCLUSIVE DIS EXPERIMENTS (EMC, SMC, SLAC, HERMES)

$$\frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma \approx 0.1 \dots 0.2$$

THE MISSING CONTRIBUTIONS TO  $S_z$ :

- $\Delta G$  : FROM OPEN CHARM, HIGH  $p_T$  PAIRS, ... PRODUCTION, ALSO FROM QCD NLO ANALYSES OF INCL. DATA
- $L_q, L_G$  : FROM MEASUREMENTS OF DEEP INELASTIC NON-FORWARD SCATTERING (HOPEFULLY)  
DVCS (GPDs):  $J_q = \Delta\Sigma + L_q$

→ BRIDGE TO  $L_q$  !

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2	$12x[(g_1 + g_2)^{ep} - (g_1 + g_2)^{en}] \equiv g_3^{\nu n} - g_3^{\nu p}$	[9,11,12]	-
3	$12x[g_2^{ep} - g_2^{en}] \equiv (g_3 - 2g_4)^{\nu n} - (g_3 - 2g_4)^{\nu p}$		=
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5	$3 \int_0^1 dx(g_1^{ep} - g_1^{en}) - \int_0^1 dx(g_1^{\nu p} + g_1^{\nu n}) \equiv -\frac{1}{6}g_A^8$		-
6	$6 \int_0^1 dx(g_2^{ep} - g_2^{en}) - \int_0^1 dx(g_1^{\nu p} - g_1^{\nu n}) \equiv -g_A^*$		+
7	$12 \int_0^1 dx(g_2^{ep} - g_2^{en}) - \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x}(g_4^{\nu p} - g_4^{\nu n}) \equiv -2g_A$		+
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12	$\int_0^1 dx x(g_1 + 2g_2)^{\nu p - \bar{\nu}p} \equiv 0$	[13]	+
13	$\int_0^1 dx(g_3 - 2xg_5)^{\nu p + \bar{\nu}p} \equiv 0$		+
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20	$g_3 = 2xg_5$	[6]	-
21	$g_3 = g_4$		-
22	$g_2^\gamma = g_2^{\gamma Z} = 0$		-
23	$g_1^{W^\pm} = -2g_2^{W^\pm}$		-
24	$\int_0^1 dx (g_3 - g_4)^{(\nu+\bar{\nu}), \gamma, Z} = 0$	[23]	
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31	$\int_0^1 dx (g_1^{ep} + g_1^{en}) - \frac{2}{9} \int_0^1 dx (g_1^{\nu p} + g_1^{\nu n}) = \frac{1}{18} 8g_A$		+

## Motivation

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# WHAT IS THE NUCLEON'S SPIN MADE OFF ?

EMC (1987):

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 [\Delta q_i + \Delta \bar{q}_i] \ll \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{Today : } 0.14 \quad Q^2 \equiv 4 \text{ GeV}^2$$

Violation of the Ellis-Jaffe sum rule :

$$\int_0^1 dx g_1^{ep(n)}(x) = \frac{g_A}{12} \left[ \pm 1 + \frac{53(F/D) - 1}{3(F/D) + 1} \right]$$

The E-J sumrule is non-fundamental, since :

$$\int_0^1 dx g_1(x) = \frac{1}{6} I_3^N (F + D) + \frac{1}{36} (3F - D) + \frac{2}{9} \Gamma_0^{5,N}$$

(e.g. Van Neerven, Ravindran, 2001)

Non-conservation of the axial current, due to the ABJ-anomaly, leads to a scale dependence of  $\Gamma_0^{5,N}$ , which cannot be associated to a hadron quantum number.

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## System : $g_1(x, Q^2), \partial g_1 / \partial t(x, Q^2)$

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Leading Order :

$$K_{22}^{N(0)} = 0$$

$$K_{2d}^{N(0)} = -4$$

$$K_{d2}^{N(0)} = \frac{1}{4} \left( \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} - \gamma_{qg}^{N(0)} \gamma_{gq}^{N(0)} \right)$$

$$K_{dd}^{N(0)} = \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} + \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)}$$

Next-to-Leading Order : [W. Furmanski and R. Petronzio, Z. Phys. C 11 (1982) 293.]

$$K_{22}^{N(1)} = K_{2d}^{N(1)} = 0$$

$$K_{d2}^{N(1)} = \frac{1}{4} \left[ \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} \gamma_{qq}^{N(1)} + \gamma_{gg}^{N(1)} \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} - \gamma_{qg}^{N(1)} \gamma_{gq}^{N(0)} - \gamma_{qg}^{N(0)} \gamma_{gq}^{N(1)} \right]$$

$$-\frac{\beta_1}{2\beta_0} \left( \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} - \gamma_{gq}^{N(0)} \gamma_{qg}^{N(0)} \right)$$

$$+\frac{\beta_0}{2} C_{2,q}^{N(1)} \left( \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} + \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} - 2\beta_0 \right)$$

$$-\frac{\beta_0}{2} \frac{C_{2,g}^{N(1)}}{\gamma_{qq}^{N(0)}} \left[ \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)2} - \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} + 2\gamma_{qg}^{N(0)} \gamma_{gq}^{N(0)} - 2\beta_0 \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} \right]$$

$$-\frac{\beta_0}{2} \left( \gamma_{qq}^{N(1)} - \frac{\gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} \gamma_{qg}^{N(1)}}{\gamma_{qq}^{N(0)}} \right)$$

$$K_{dd}^{N(1)} = \gamma_{qq}^{N(1)} + \gamma_{gg}^{N(1)} - \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_0} \left( \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} + \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} \right) + 4\beta_0 C_{2,q}^{N(1)} - 2\beta_1$$

$$-\frac{2\beta_0}{\gamma_{qg}^{N(0)}} \left[ C_{2,g}^{N(1)} \left( \gamma_{qq}^{N(0)} - \gamma_{gg}^{N(0)} - 2\beta_0 \right) - \gamma_{qg}^{N(1)} \right]$$



## 'Prediction' of Moments

	$n$	QCD Scenario 1	
		value at $Q^2 = 4 \text{ GeV}^2$	value out of measured range
$\Delta u$	-1	$0.851 \pm 0.075$	$0.152 4E-4$
	0	$0.160 \pm 0.014$	$8E-4 3E-4$
	1	$0.055 \pm 0.006$	$1E-5 3E-4$
	2	$0.024 \pm 0.003$	$0 3E-4$
	-1	$-0.415 \pm 0.124$	$-0.144 -7E-5$
$\Delta d$	0	$-0.050 \pm 0.022$	$-7E-4 -6E-5$
	1	$-0.015 \pm 0.009$	$-1E-5 -5E-5$
	2	$-0.006 \pm 0.005$	$0 -5E-5$
$\Delta \bar{q}$	-1	$-0.074 \pm 0.017$	$-0.04 0$
	0	$-0.003 \pm 0.001$	$-2E-4 0$
	1	$-4E-4 \pm 1E-4$	$0 0$
	2	$-8E-5 \pm 2E-5$	$0 0$
	-1	$1.026 \pm 0.549$	$0.04 1E-5$
$\Delta G$	0	$0.184 \pm 0.103$	$5E-4 1E-5$
	1	$0.050 \pm 0.028$	$1E-5 1E-5$
	2	$0.017 \pm 0.010$	$0 1E-5$

# 7+1 parameter NLO fit: $A_{QCD}^{(4)} \Rightarrow \alpha_s(M_Z^2)$

$A_{QCD}^{(4)}$ [Gev]	Scenario 1		Scenario 2	
	value	error	value	error
FS/RS=1.0/1.0	0.235	$\pm 0.053$	0.240	$\pm 0.060$
FS/RS=0.5/1.0	0.188	- 0.047	0.195	- 0.045
FS/RS=2.0/1.0	0.296	+ 0.061	0.298	+ 0.058
FS/RS=1.0/0.5	0.349	+ 0.114	0.363	+ 0.123
FS/RS=1.0/2.0	0.174	- 0.061	0.174	- 0.066

- Sc. 1:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.113 \quad \begin{matrix} +0.004 & +0.004 & +0.008 \\ -0.004 & -0.004 & -0.005 \end{matrix}$$

(fit) (fac) (ren)

- Sc. 2:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.114 \quad \begin{matrix} +0.004 & +0.004 & +0.008 \\ -0.005 & -0.004 & -0.006 \end{matrix}$$

- SMC:  $0.121 \pm 0.002(stat) \pm 0.006(syst + theor)$

E154:  $0.108 - 0.116$  (*bad for  $\geq 0.120$* )

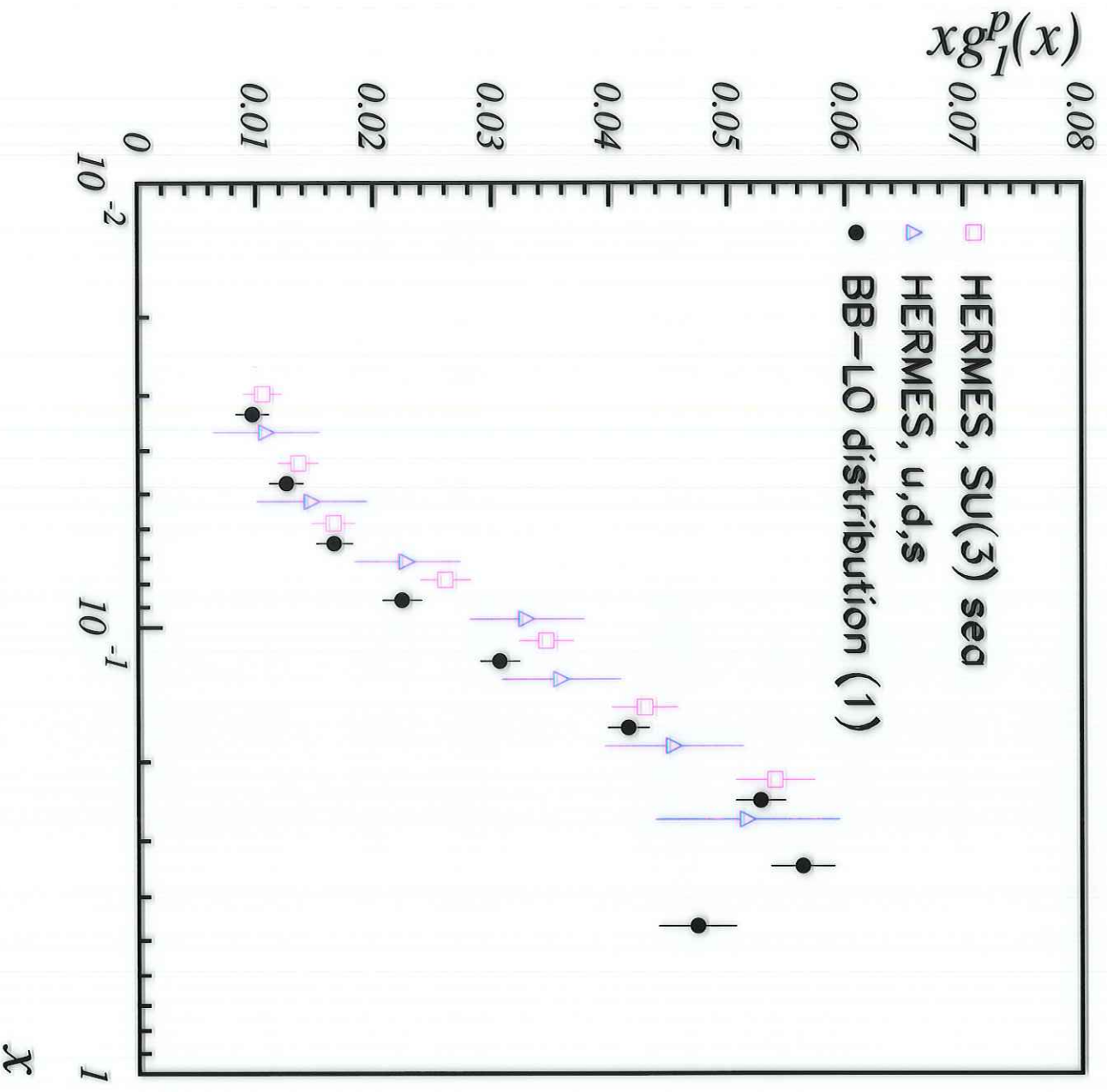
ABFR:  $0.120 \quad \begin{matrix} +0.004 \\ -0.005 \end{matrix}$  (*exp*)  $\quad \begin{matrix} +0.009 \\ -0.006 \end{matrix}$  (*theor*)

$\Rightarrow$  world average (PDG):  $0.118 \pm 0.002$

$\Rightarrow$  H1 + BCDMS data:

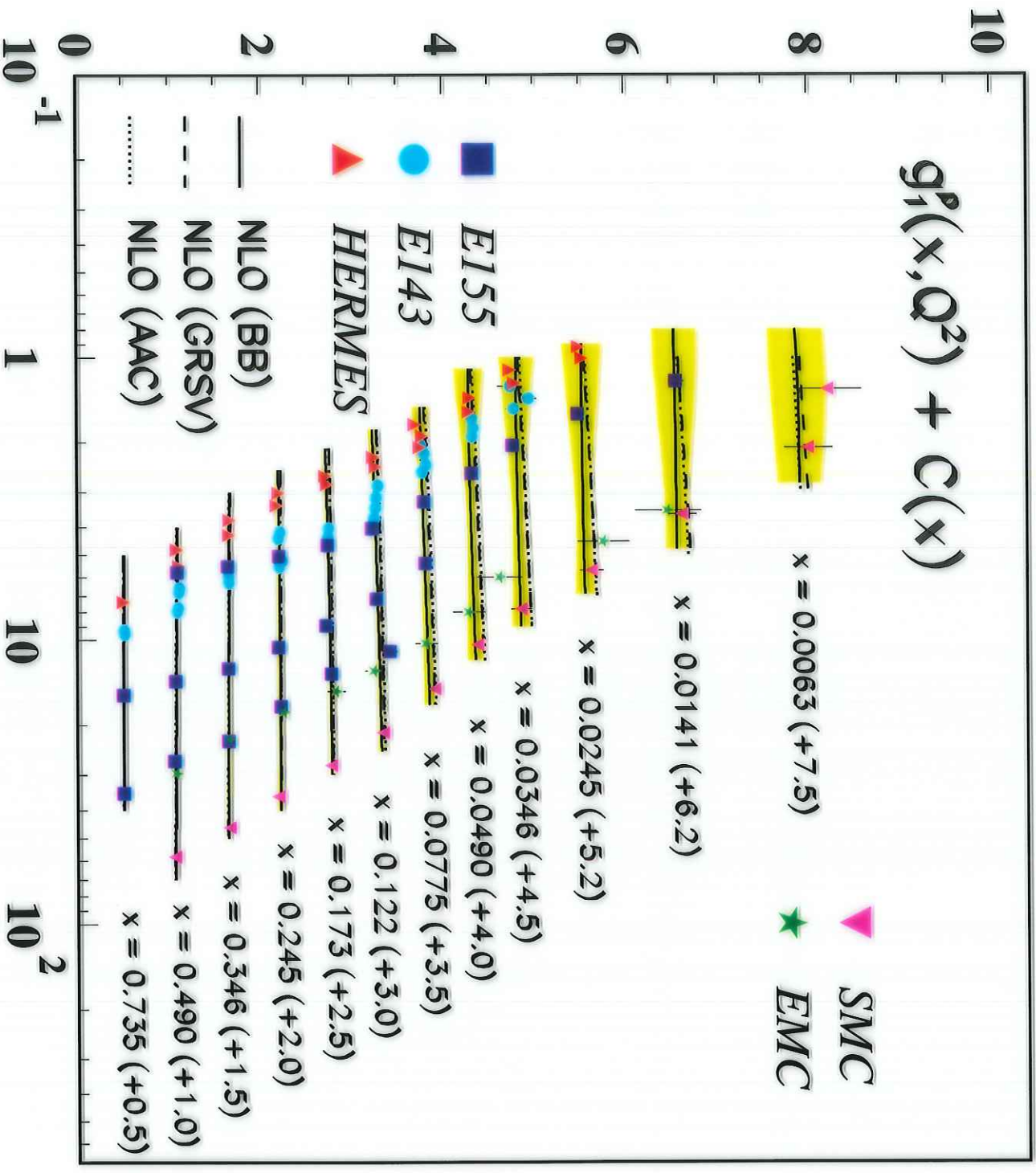
$0.1150 \pm 0.0017(exp)$   $\quad \begin{matrix} +0.0009 \\ -0.0005 \end{matrix}$  [Eur. Phys. J. C21(2001)33]  
*(model)  $\pm 0.0050(theory)$*

## Comparison with $\Delta q$ from Semi-Incl. Data



⇒  $z$ -range in the Semi-Incl. Analysis:  $0.2 < z < 0.7$

# $g_1^p(x)$ versus $Q^2$



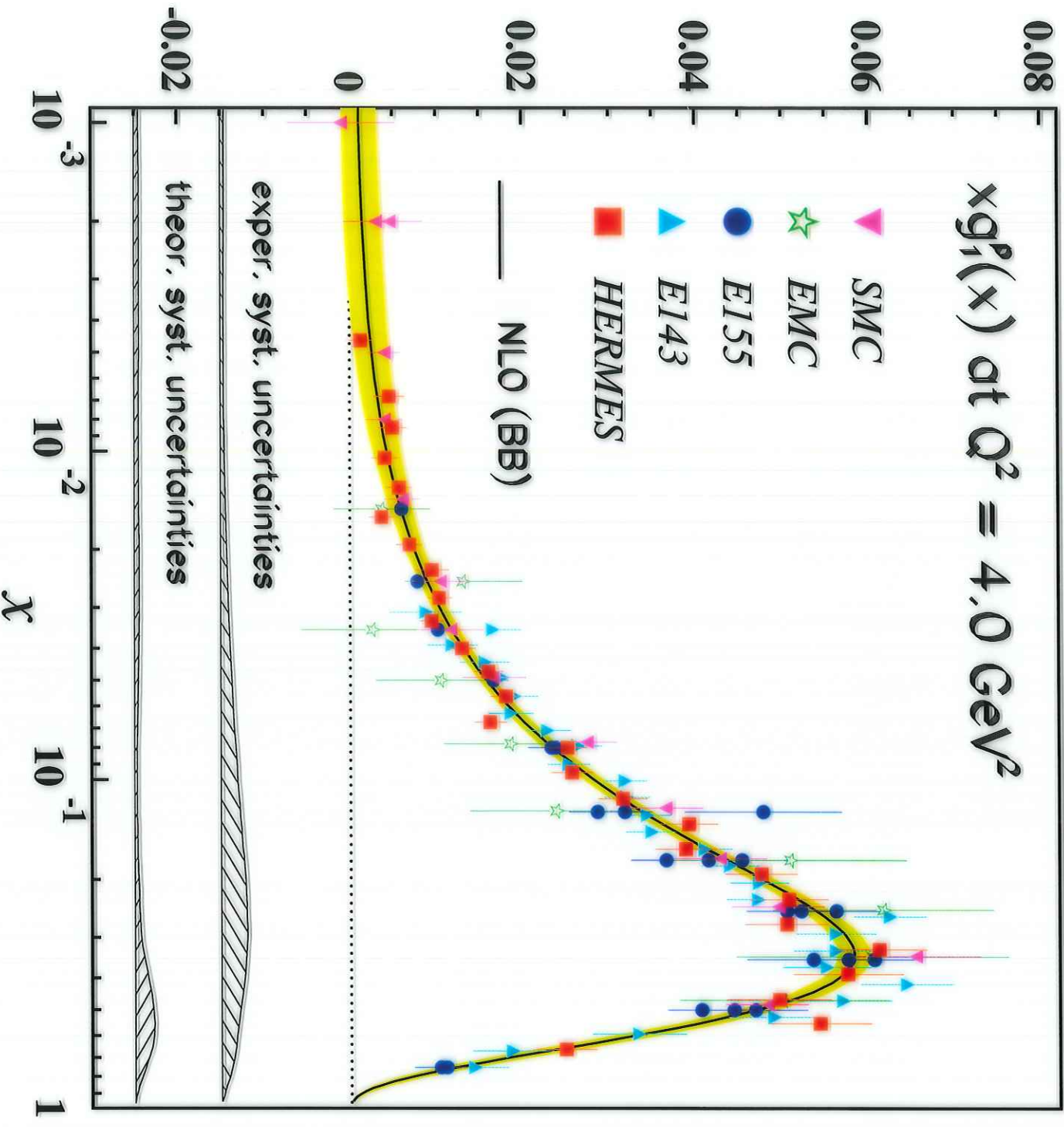
$Q^2, \text{GeV}^2$

⇒ Yellow error band:

Fully correlated  $1\sigma$  Gaussian

error propagation through the evolution equation.

## $xg_{1p}(x)$ with error bands



⇒ Yellow error band: Fully correlated  $1\sigma$  statistical

error band at the input scale  $Q_0^2 = 4.0 \text{ GeV}^2$ .

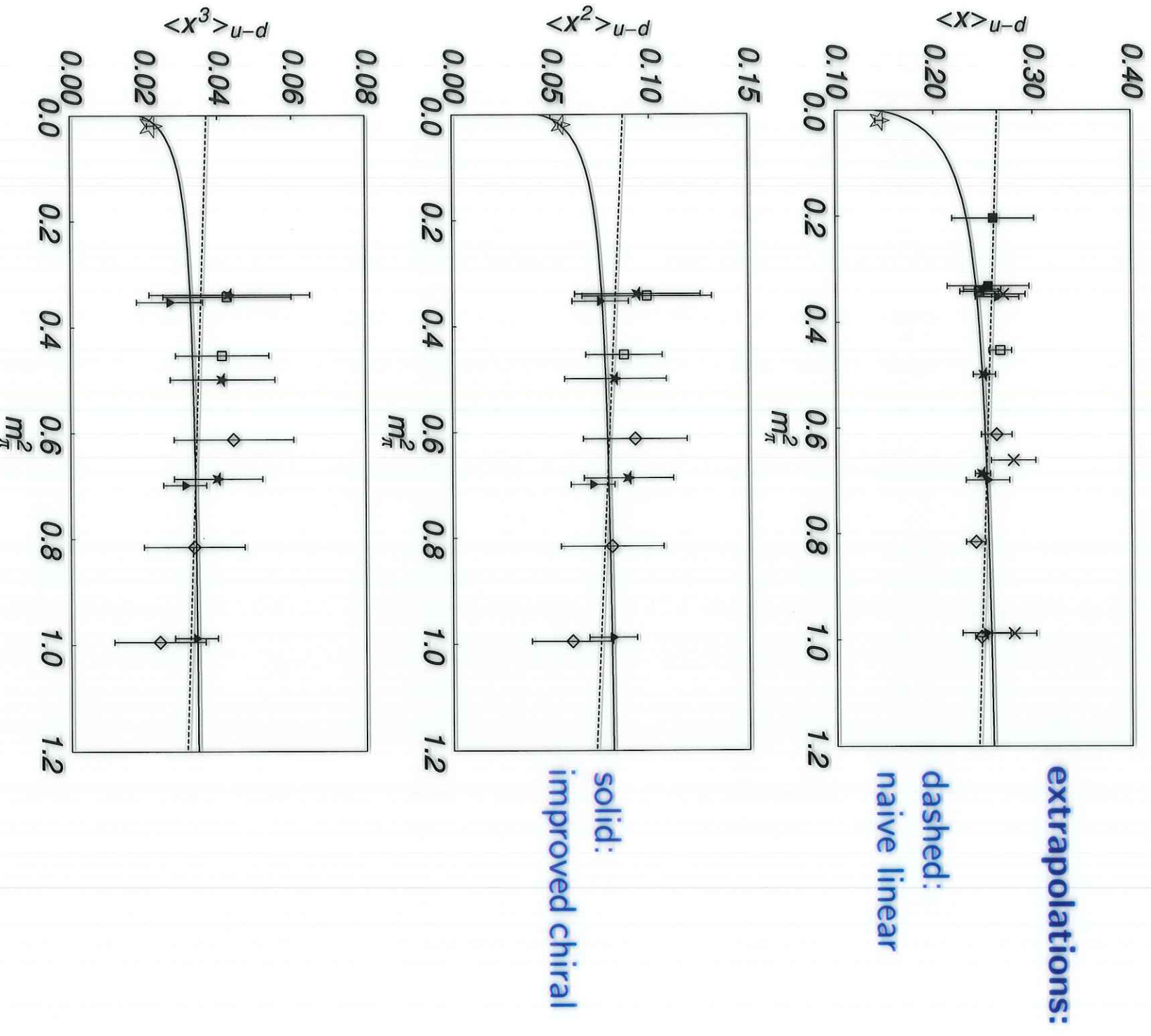
## Comparison of Moments (2)

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	BB Scenario 1	AAC	GRSV	ABFR
$\Delta u_v$	$0.926 \pm 0.071$	0.921	0.928	$\eta_u =$
$\Delta d_v$	$-0.341 \pm 0.123$	$-0.341$	$-0.342$	$0.692$
$\Delta u$	$0.851 \pm 0.075$	0.859	0.840	$\eta_d =$
$\Delta d$	$-0.415 \pm 0.124$	$-0.404$	$-0.430$	$-0.418$
$\Delta \bar{q}$	$-0.074 \pm 0.017$	$-0.063$	$-0.088$	
$\Delta G$	$1.026 \pm 0.549$	$0.683$	$0.808$	$1.262$

Comparison of the first moments of the polarized parton densities in NLO in the  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  scheme at  $Q^2 = 4 \text{ GeV}^2$  for different sets of recent parton parameterizations. For the ABFR-analysis the values  $\eta_{u,d}$  are the first moments of  $\Delta u + \Delta \bar{u}$  and  $\Delta d + \Delta \bar{d}$ , respectively, and  $\Delta s + \Delta \bar{s} = -0.081$ .

# Lattice: The lowest moments of $u - d$



Ref.: M. Detmold, W. Melnitchouk, A.W. Thomas; hep-lat/0206001.

## Fac. Scheme Invariant Combinations

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- Instead of **PROCESS-INDEPENDENT SCHEME-DEPENDENT** Evolution Equations for **PARTONS** one may think of **PROCESS-DEPENDENT SCHEME-INDEPENDENT** Evolution Equations for **OBSERVABLES,  $F_A, F_B$** .

- ⇒ The input densities are measured! Control over the input directly.
- ⇒ No  $\Delta G$ -Ansatz necessary.
- ⇒ A one parameter fit only –  $\Lambda_{QCD}$ .

**Evolution Equations** : [J. Blümlein, V. Ravindran, and W. L. van Neerven, Nucl. Phys **B586** (2000) 349.]

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} F_A^N \\ F_B^N \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} K_{AA}^N & K_{AB}^N \\ K_{BA}^N & K_{BB}^N \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} F_A^N \\ F_B^N \end{pmatrix}$$

evolution variable :

$$t = -\frac{2}{\beta_0} \log \left( \frac{a_s(Q^2)}{a_s(Q_0^2)} \right)$$

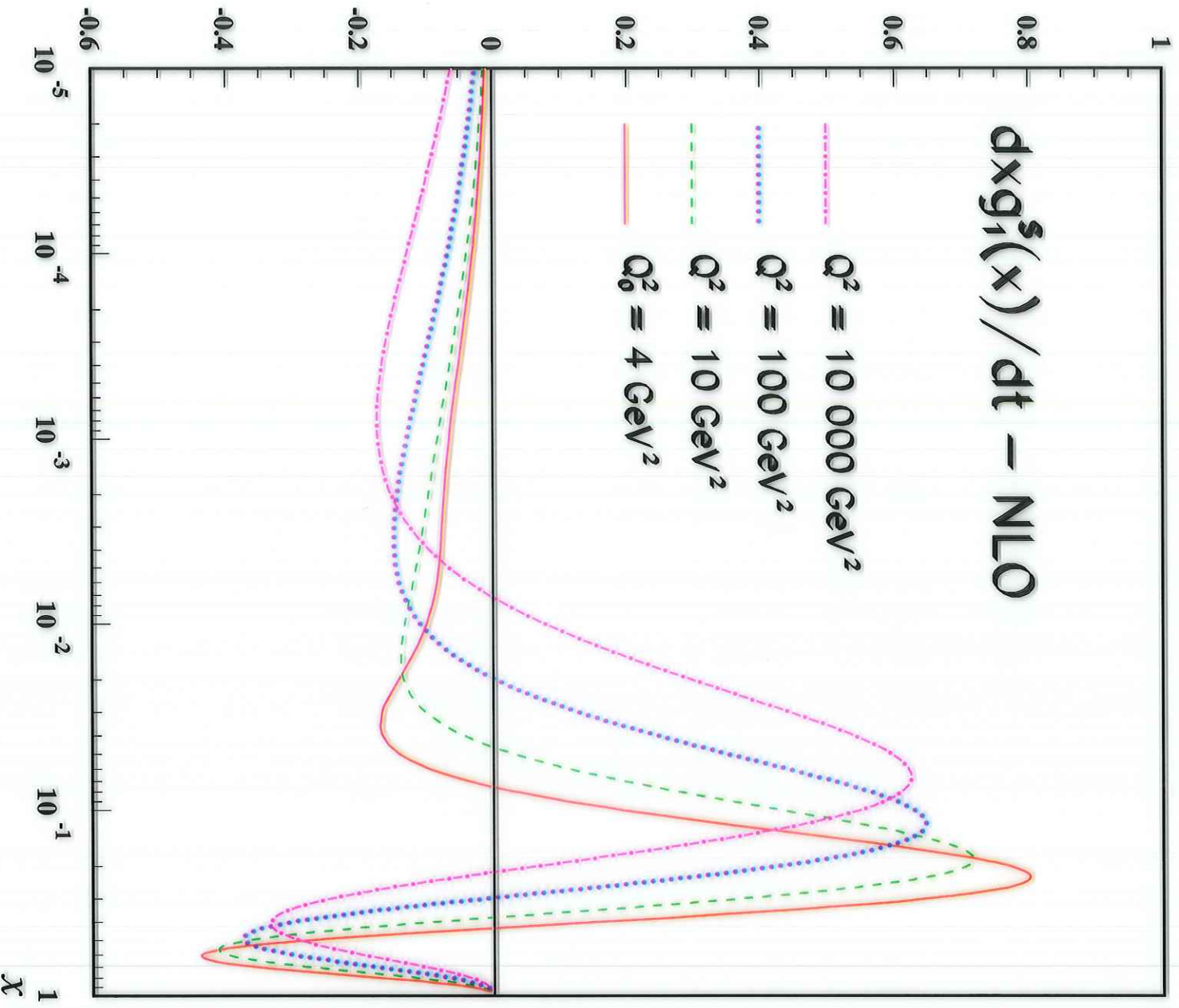
- ⇒ The evolution kernels  $K_{IJ}^N$  are also Physical Quantities! The **Factorization Scheme Independence** holds order by order.

The **Renormalization Scale Dependence** disappears only with more higher orders.

- ⇒ A possible choice:  $F_A = g_1$  and  $F_B = \partial g_1 / \partial t$ .



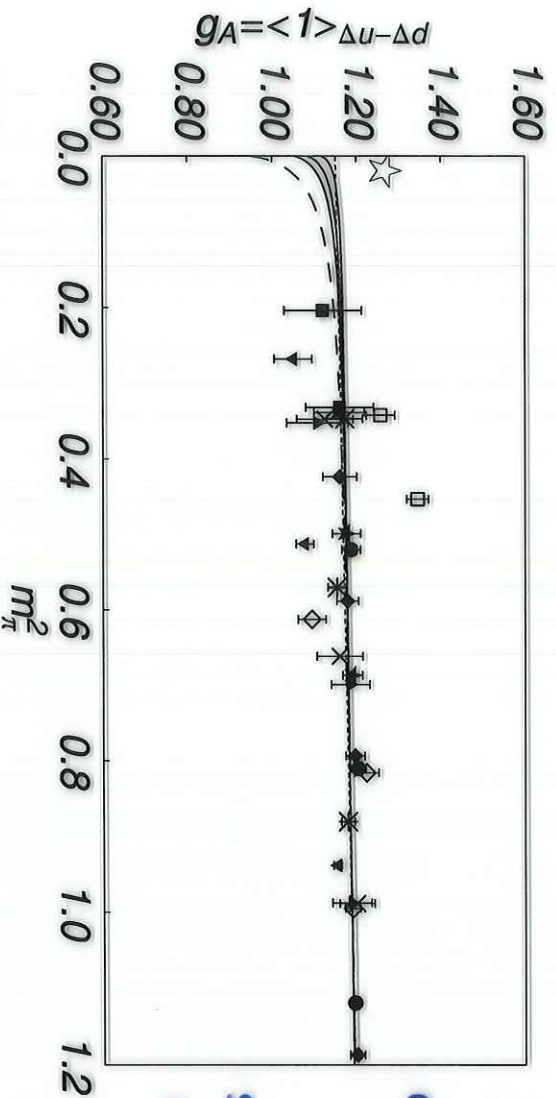
## $\partial x g_1^S / \partial t(x, Q^2)$ and shift of $\Lambda_{QCD}^{(4)}$



$$Sc1 : \Lambda_{QCD}^{(4)} : 0.2335 \rightarrow 0.223, \alpha_s(M_Z^2) : 0.113 \rightarrow 0.112$$

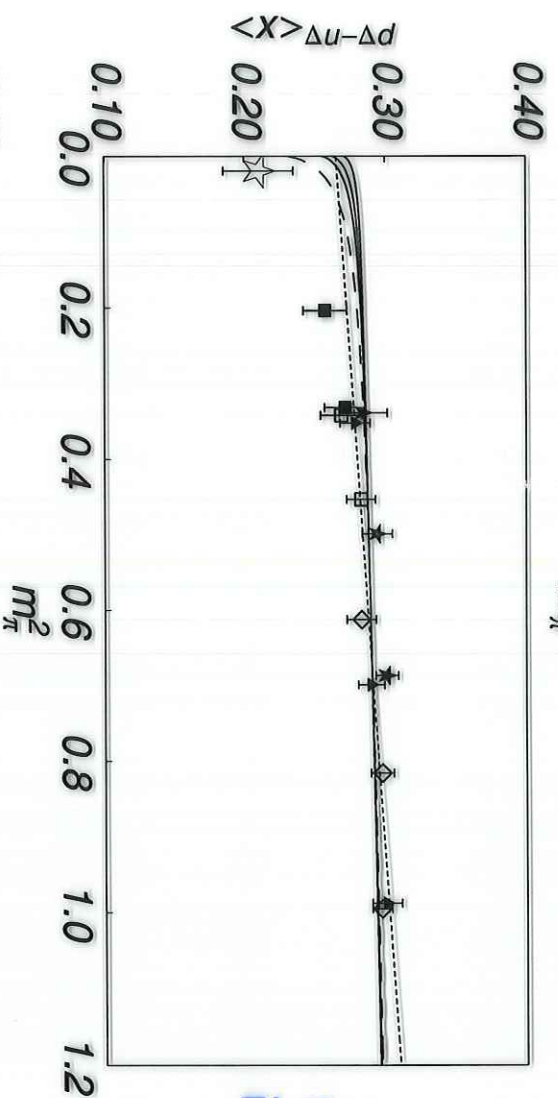
$$Sc2 : \Lambda_{QCD}^{(4)} : 0.240 \rightarrow 0.228, \alpha_s(M_Z^2) : 0.114 \rightarrow 0.113$$

# Lattice: The lowest moments of $\Delta u - \Delta d$

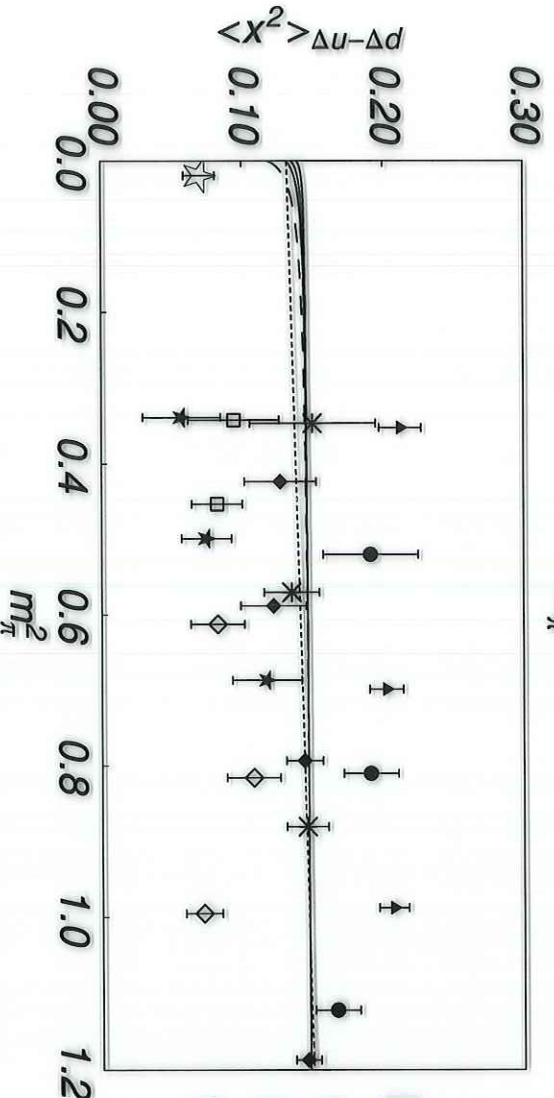


extrapolations:

short-dashed:  
naive linear



solid:  
improved chiral



long-dashed:  
no  $\Delta$  and  
LNA coeff.  
from  $\chi PT$

## Conclusions

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- A LO AND NLO QCD ANALYSIS OF THE CURRENT WORLD-DATA OF POLARIZED STRUCTURE FUNCTIONS WAS PERFORMED.

- **NEW PARAMETRIZATIONS** OF THE PARTON DENSITIES INCLUDING THEIR FULLY CORRELATED **1 $\sigma$**  **ERROR BANDS** WERE DERIVED. THEY ARE AVAILABLE VIA A FAST FORTRAN PROGRAM FOR THE RANGE:

$$1 \text{ GeV}^2 < Q^2 < 10^6 \text{ GeV}^2 \text{ AND } 10^{-9} < x < 1.$$

- THE FOLLOWING VALUES FOR  $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$  WERE OBTAINED:

– SCENARIO 1:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.113 \begin{array}{l} +0.004 \\ -0.004 \end{array} \text{ (fit)} \quad \begin{array}{l} +0.004 \\ -0.004 \end{array} \text{ (fac)} \quad \begin{array}{l} +0.008 \\ -0.005 \end{array} \text{ (ren)},$$

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COMPATIBLE WITH RESULTS FROM OTHER QCD ANALYSES AND WITH THE WORLD AVERAGE.

## Conclusions (cont'd)

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- FIRST STEPS IN A FACTOR. SCHEME INVARIANT QCD EVOLUTION BASED ON THE STRUCTURE FUNCTION  $g_1(x, Q^2)$  AND  $\partial g_1(x, Q^2)/\partial \log Q^2$  WERE PERFORMED YIELDING SIMILAR RESULTS FOR  $\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$ .

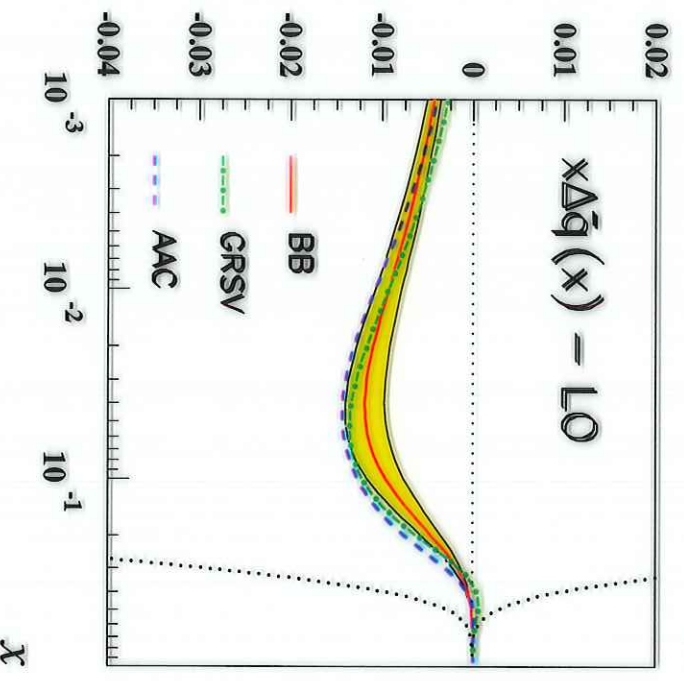
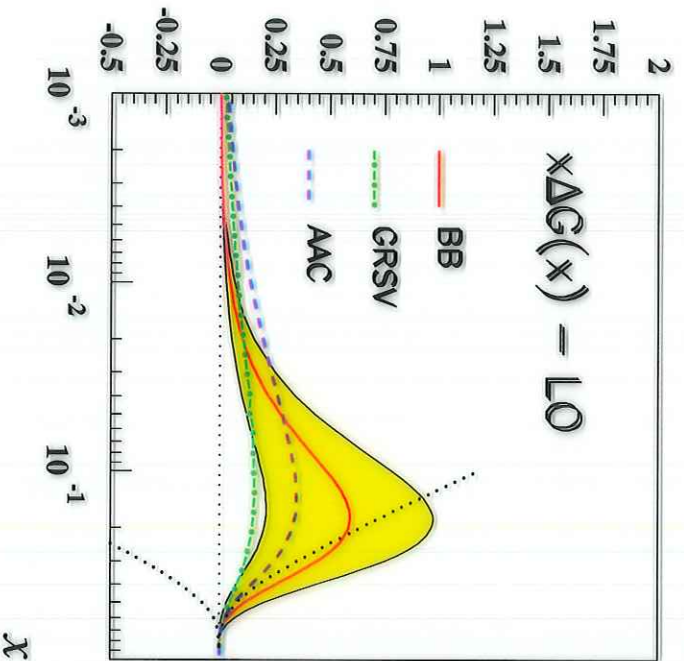
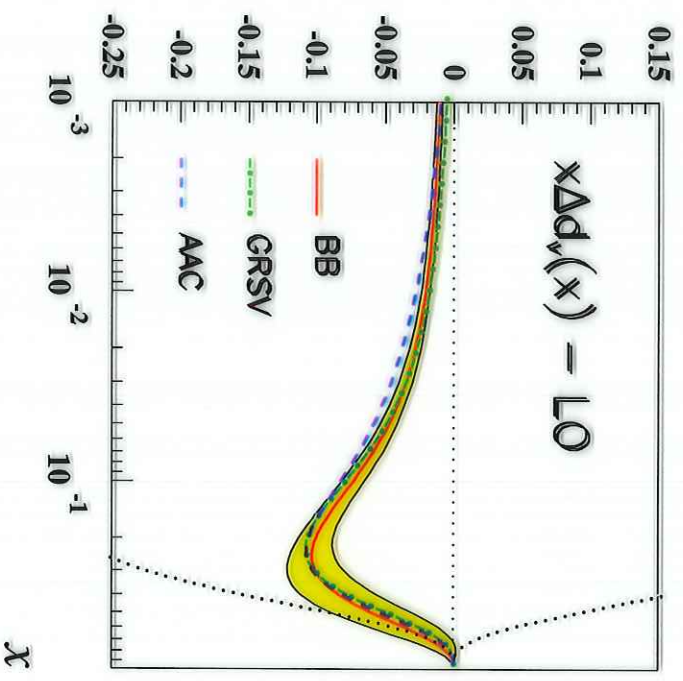
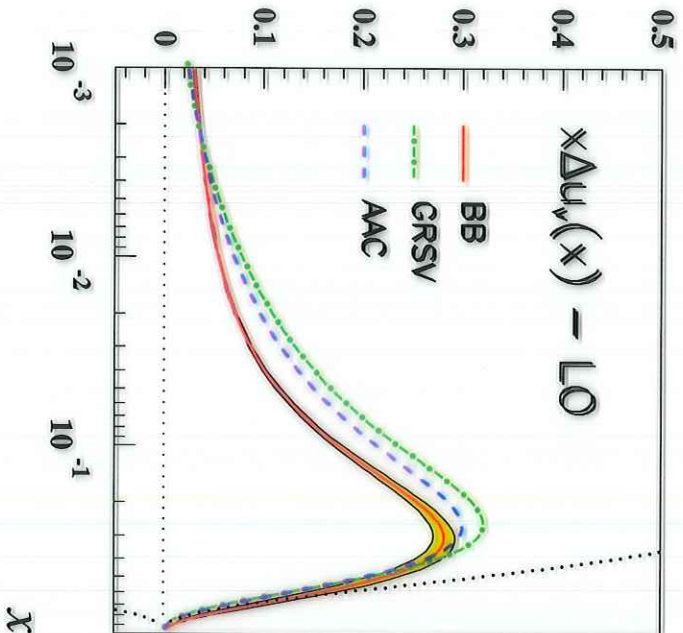
SUCH AN ANALYSIS IS A VERY PROMISING WAY TO PROCEED IN THE FUTURE, SINCE IT ALLOWS TO EXTRACT  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$  FIXING ALL THE INPUT DISTRIBUTIONS BY DIRECT MEASUREMENT.

- COMPARING THE LOWEST MOMENTS WITH VALUES FROM LATTICE SIMULATIONS THE ERRORS IMPROVED DURING RECENT YEARS AND THE VALUES BECAME CLOSER. THE CHIRAL EXTRAPOLATION  $m_\pi^2 \rightarrow 0$  SEEMS TO BE FLAT. HOWEVER, MORE WORK HAS YET TO BE DONE IN THE FUTURE ON SYSTEMATIC EFFECTS AND EVEN MORE PRECISE EXPERIMENTAL DATA ARE WELCOME TO IMPROVE PRECISION.

- THE EVANESCENT SPIN PUZZLE LEAD TO BOTH A MUCH DEEPER EXPERIMENTAL AND THEORETICAL UNDERSTANDING OF THE NUCLEON AT SHORT DISTANCES, AND, HOPEFULLY WILL IN THE FUTURE.

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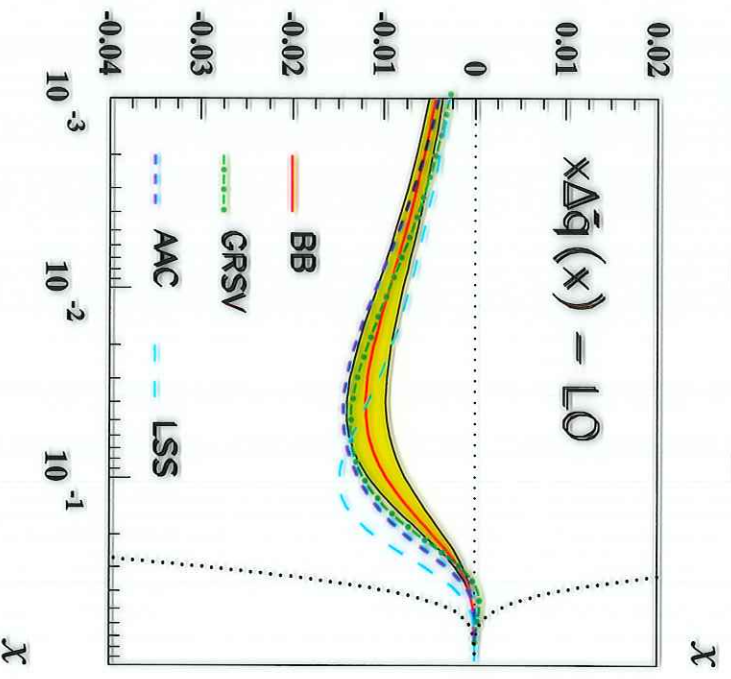
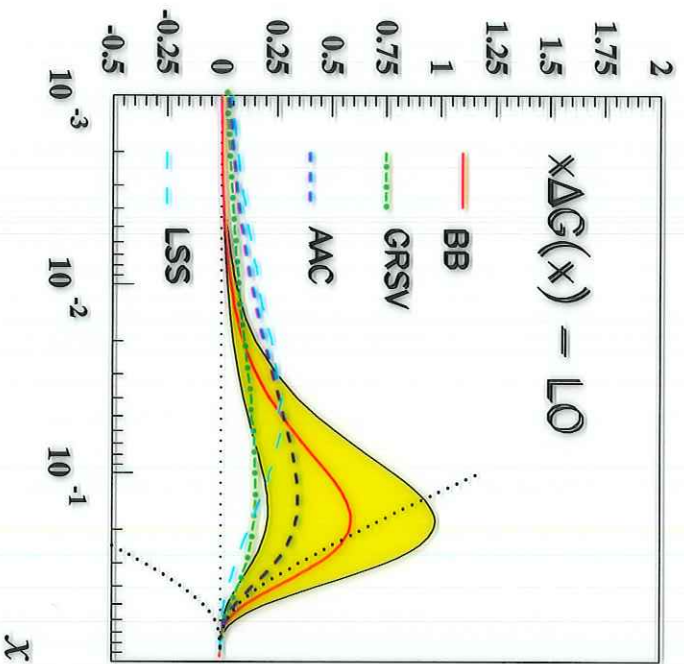
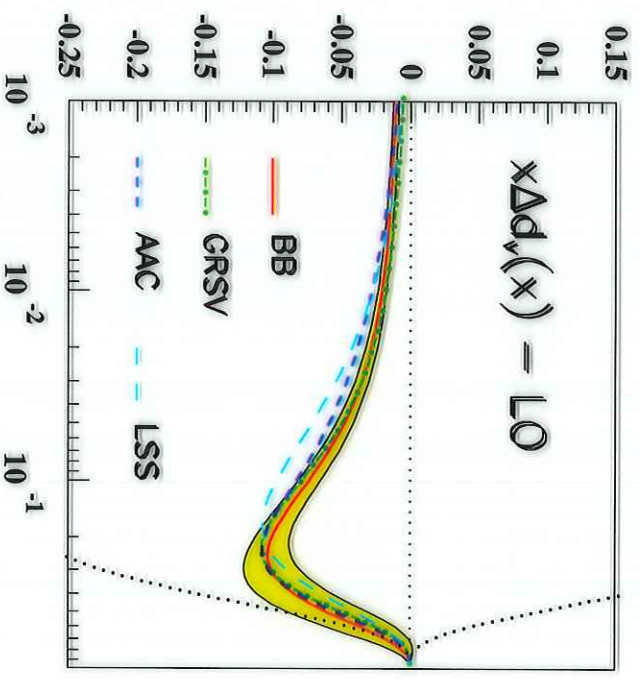
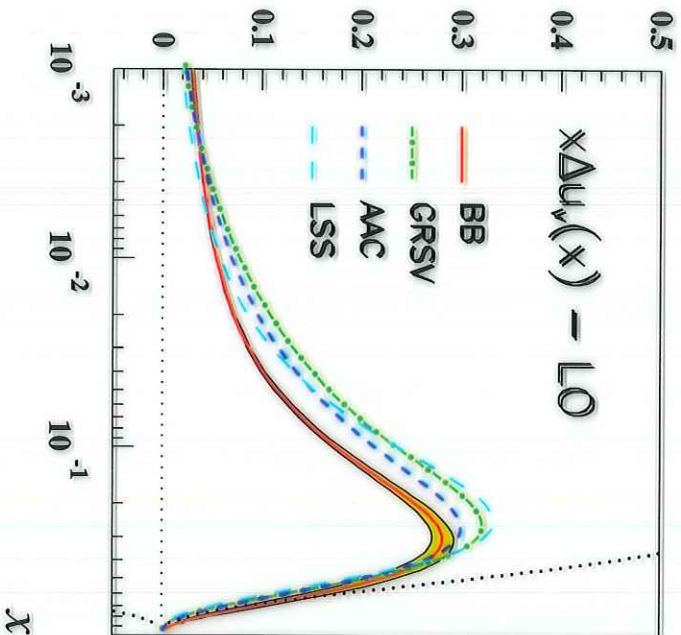
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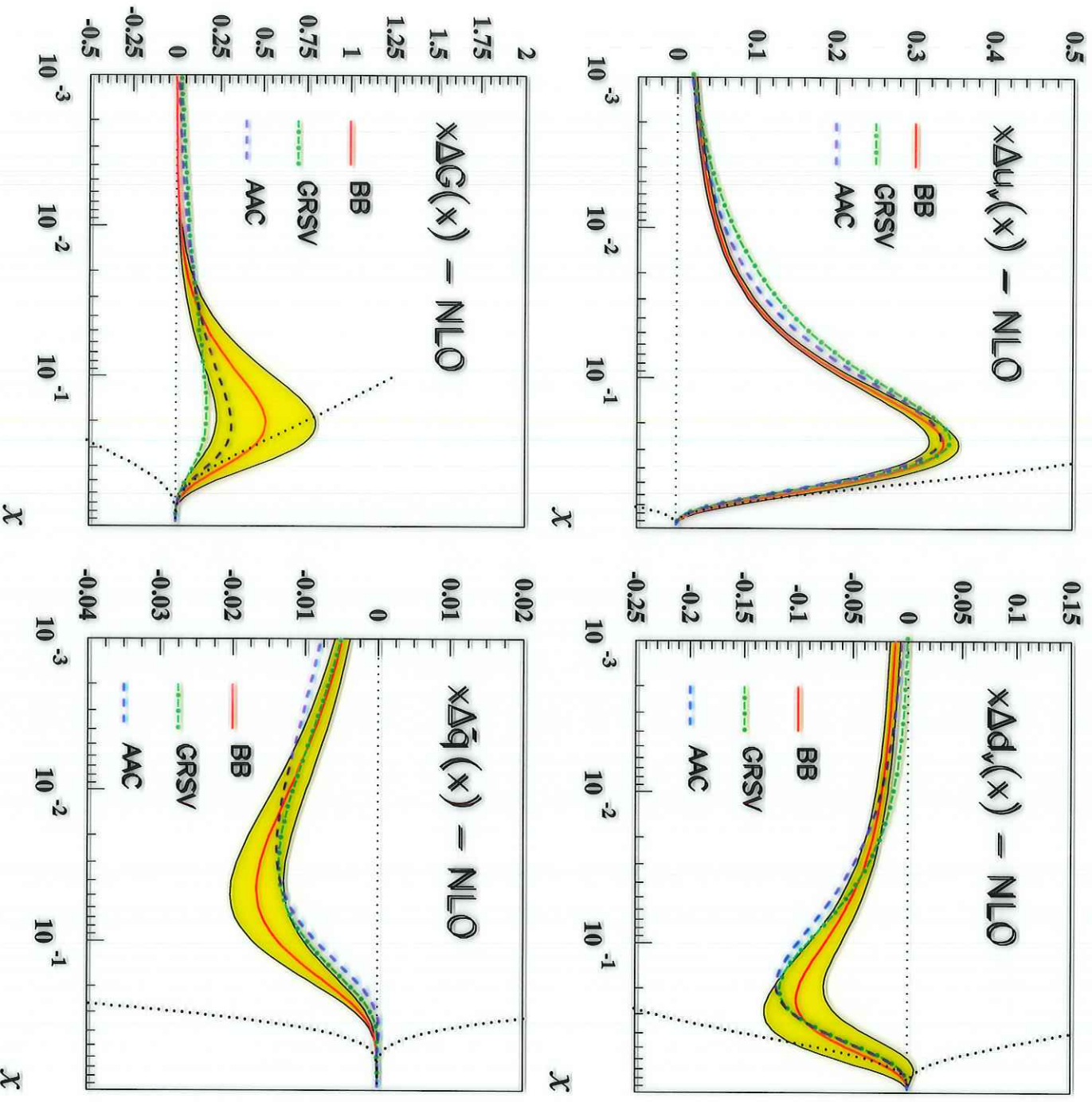
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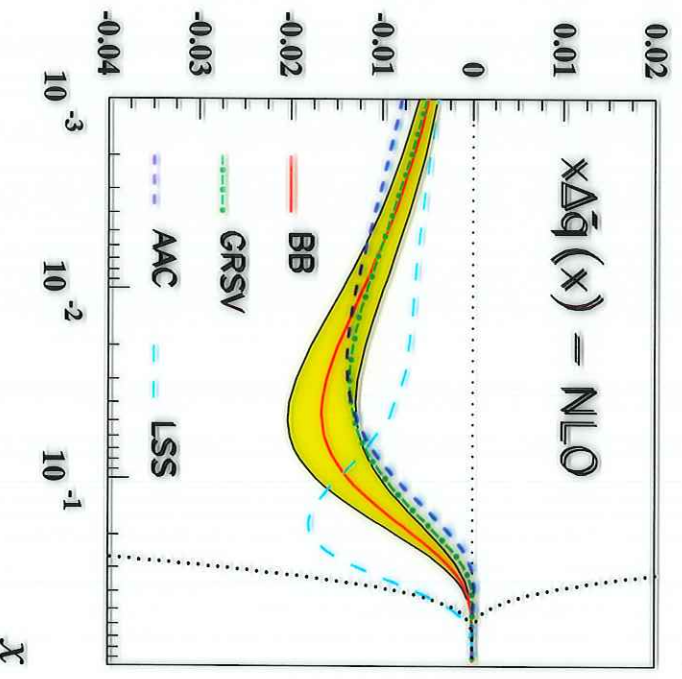
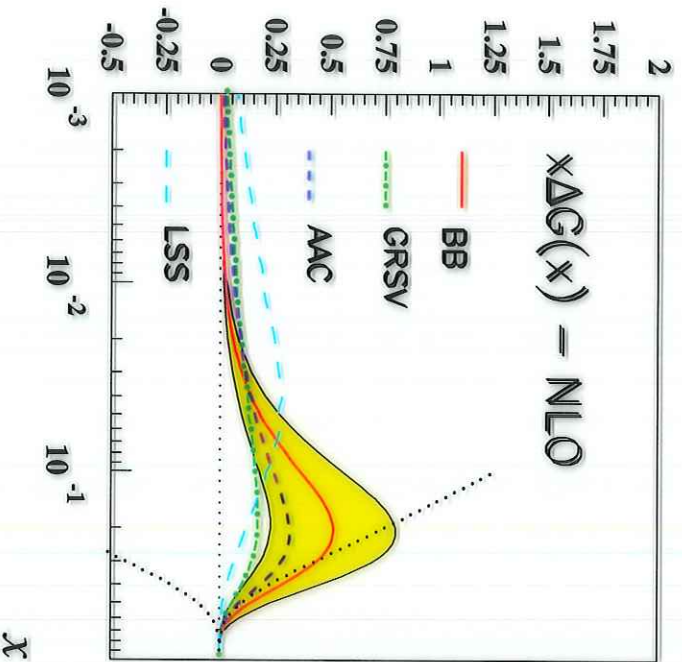
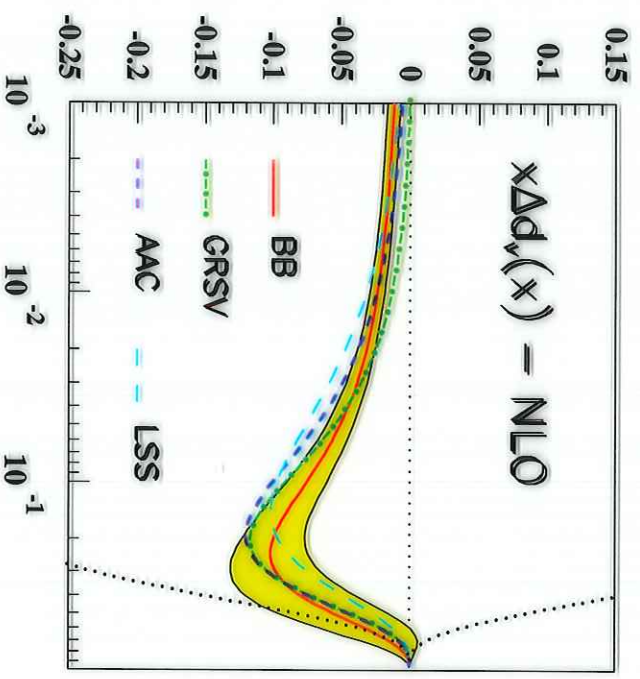
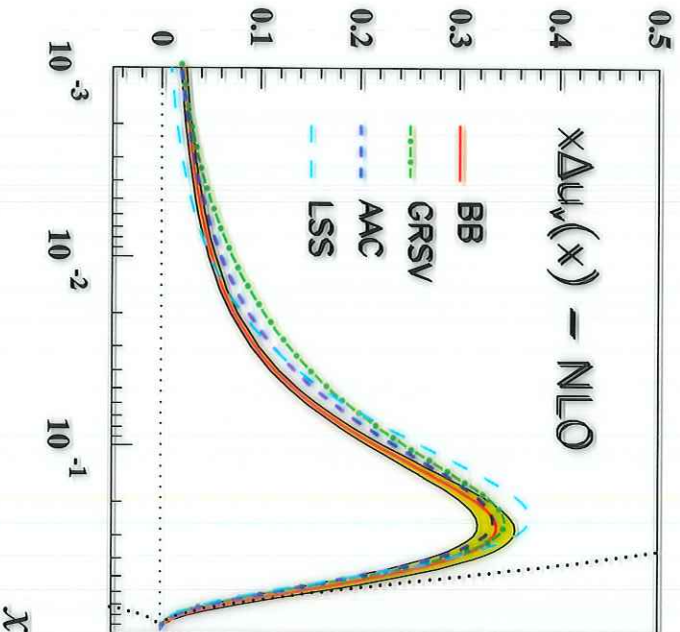
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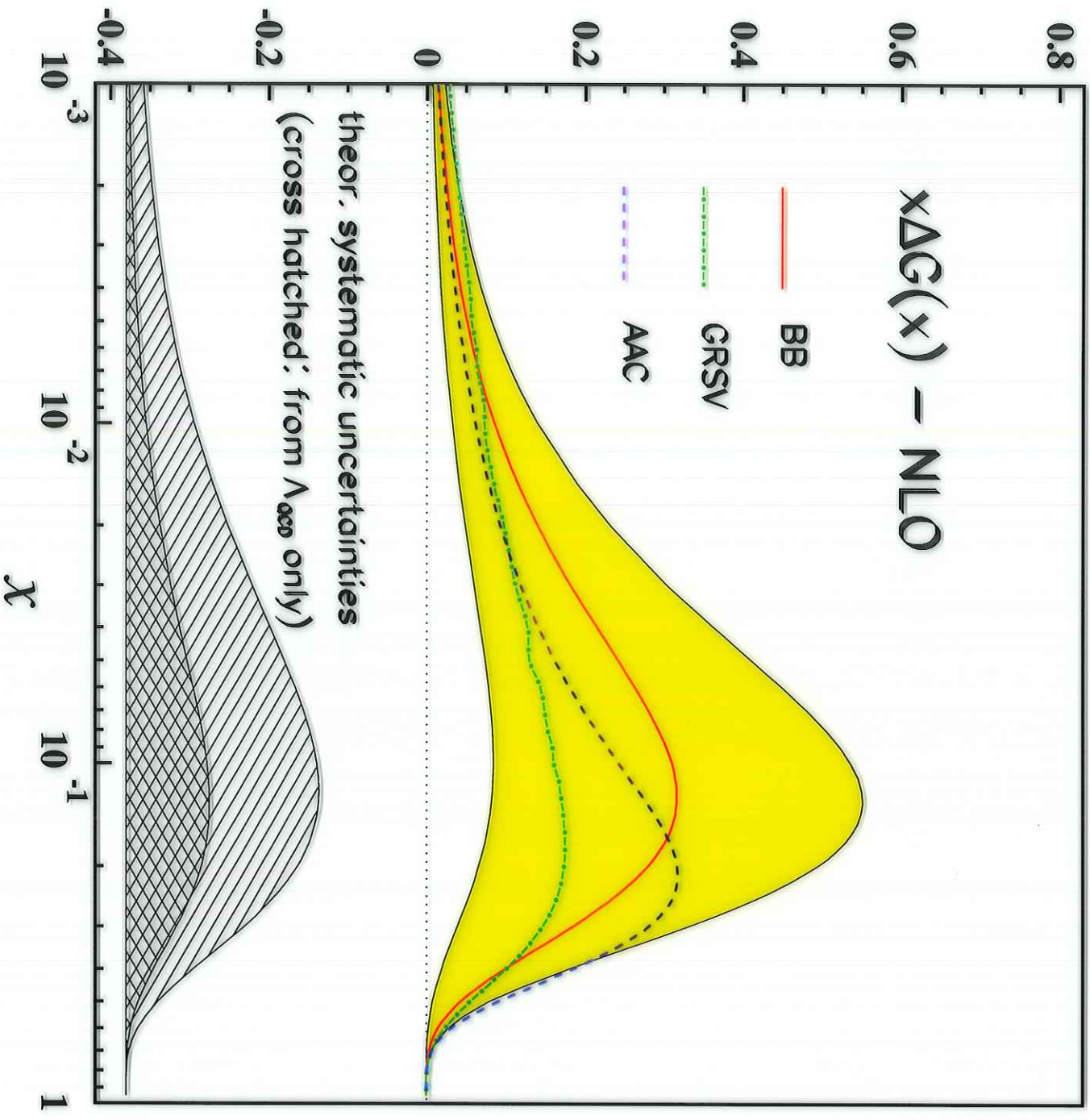
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# Pol. Parton Densities at $Q_0^2 = 4.0 \text{ GeV}^2$ Scenario 2

- Gluon density of the present analysis.



⇒ Yellow error band: Fully correlated  $1\sigma$  Gaussian error propagation at the input scale  $Q_0^2$ .