



# Recent H1 results





# H1 and HERA



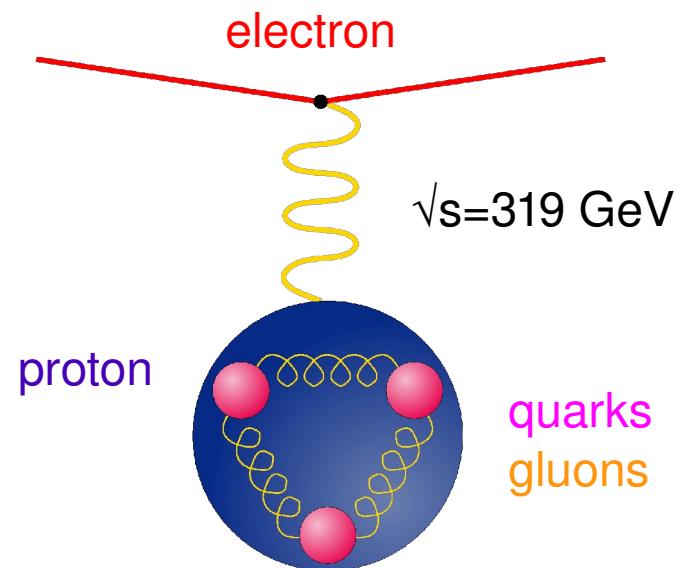
- ep Collider HERA  
 $E_p = 920 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $E_e = 27.6 \text{ GeV}$   
 $\sqrt{s} = 319 \text{ GeV}$
- Collider experiments  
H1 and ZEUS
- H1 Luminosity  
 $184 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  in  $e^-p$   
 $294 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  in  $e^+p$
- Low energy run:  
 $12 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  at  $E_p = 460 \text{ GeV}$   
 $6 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  at  $E_p = 575 \text{ GeV}$



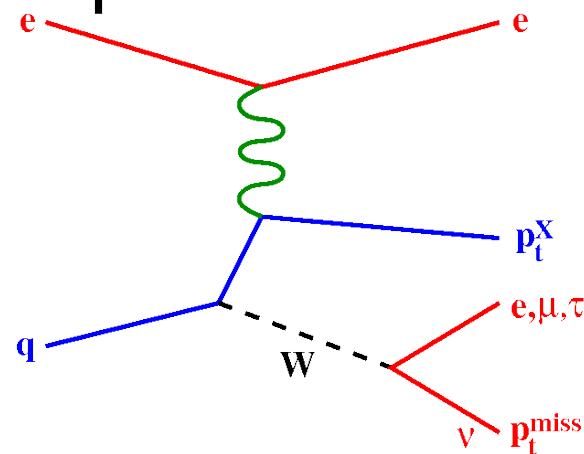
# HERA program



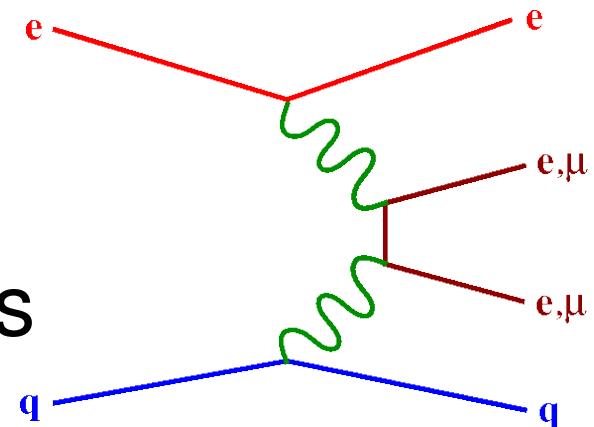
- Searches
- Proton structure
- QCD tests
- Diffraction



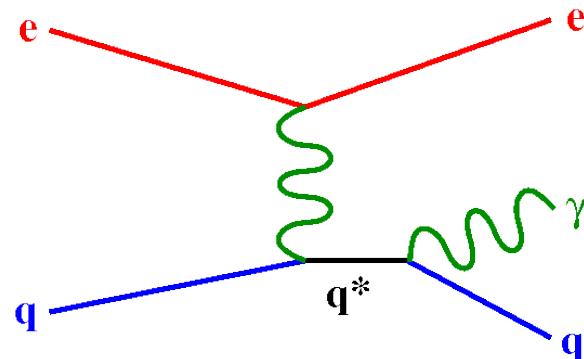
- W production



- Multi-lepton events

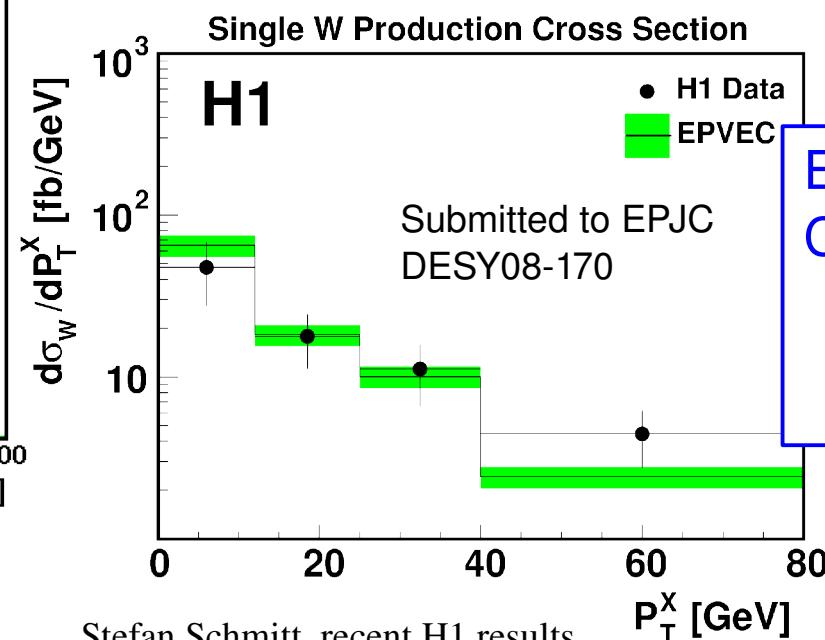
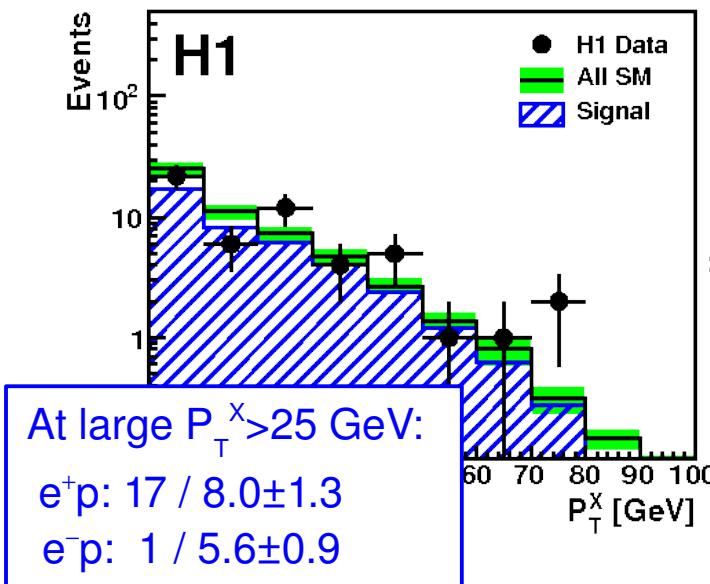
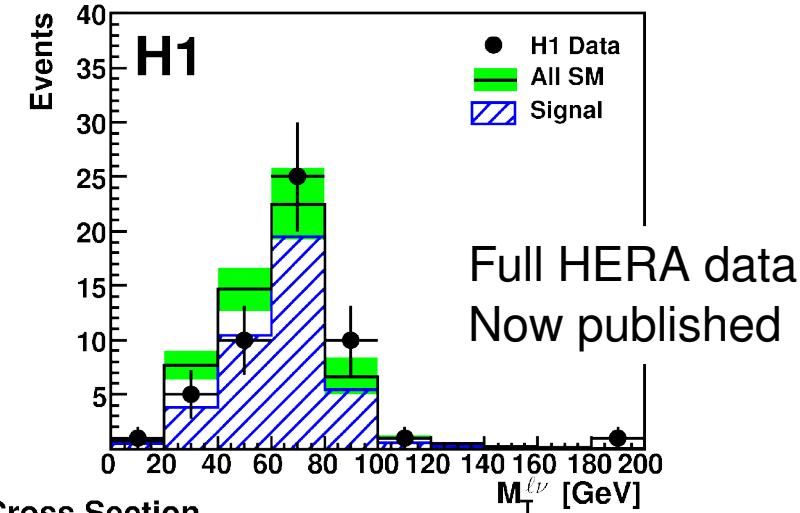
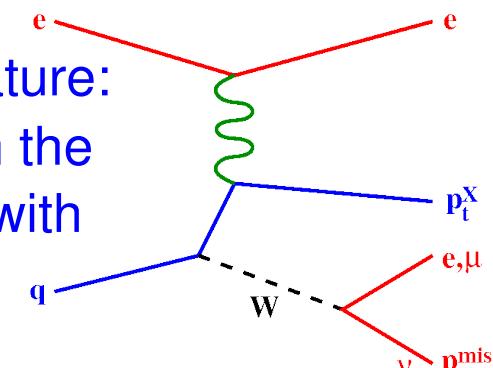
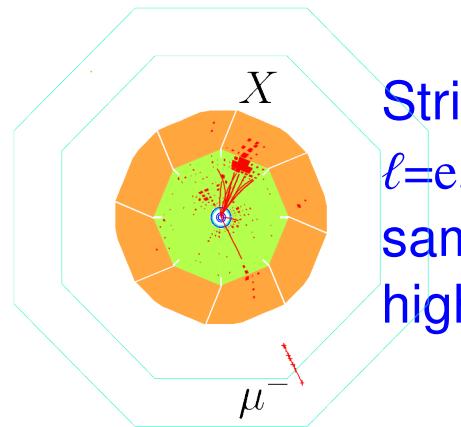


- Search for excited fermions





# Single W production

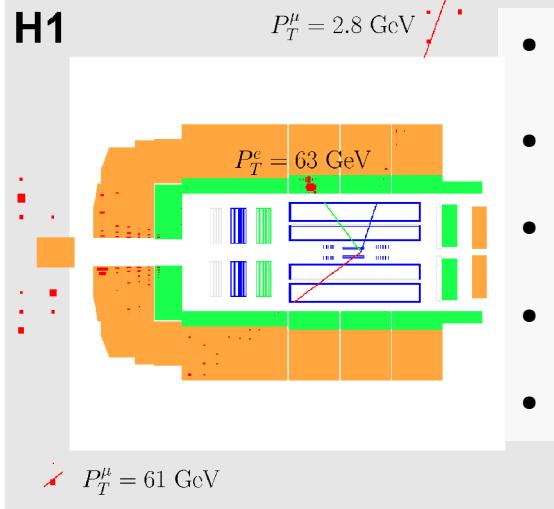


Extracted W  
Cross section  
 $\sigma = 1.14 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.14$  pb

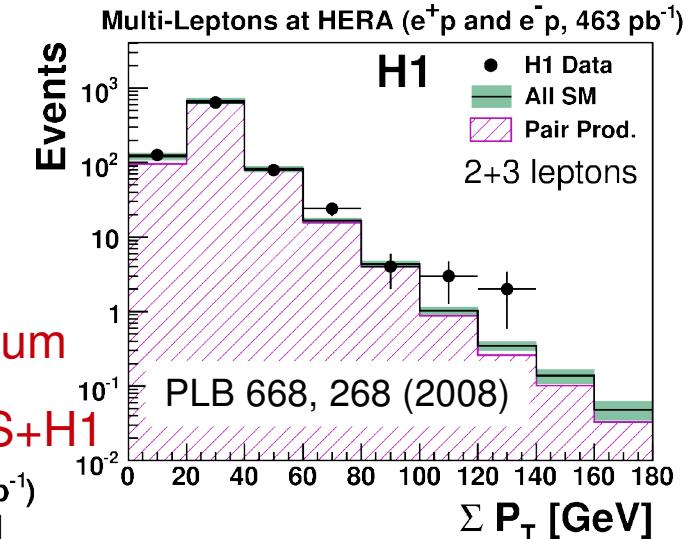
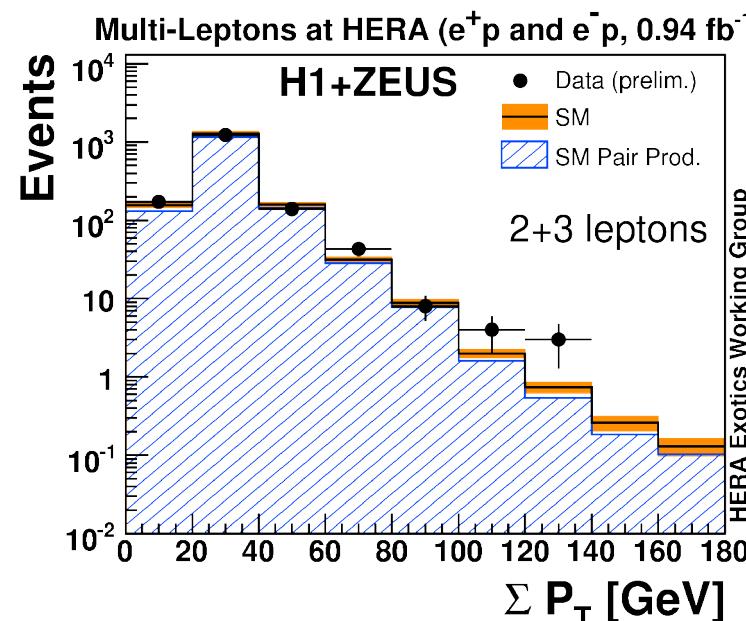
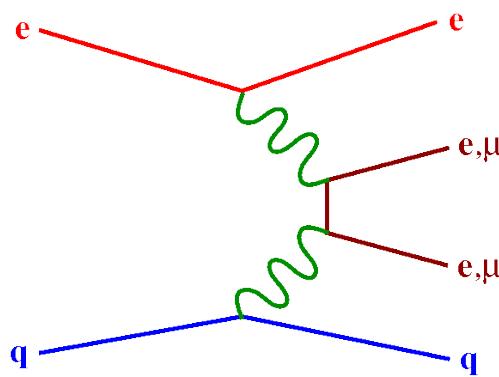
→ G. Brandt [33]



# Multi-lepton events



- 2 or 3 high  $P_T$  leptons:  $\ell = e, \mu$
- SM signal  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-$
- Full HERA data published
- Events at high transverse momentum
- Limited statistics → combine ZEUS+H1



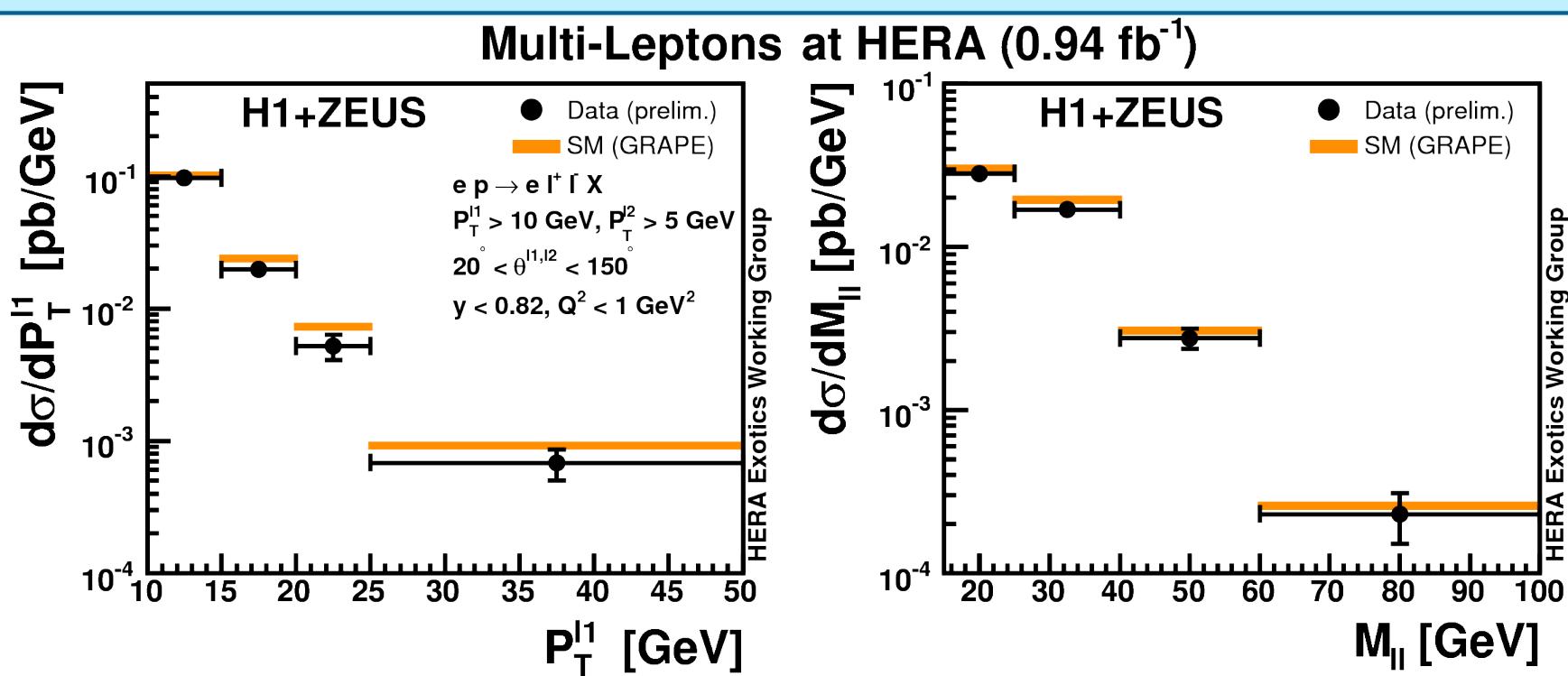
H1+ZEUS at  $\Sigma P_T > 100 \text{ GeV}$

	DATA	SM prediction	
$e^+p$	7	$1.94 \pm 0.17$	$2.6\sigma$
$e^-p$	0	$1.19 \pm 0.12$	

→ M. Turcato [67]



# Cross-section $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$

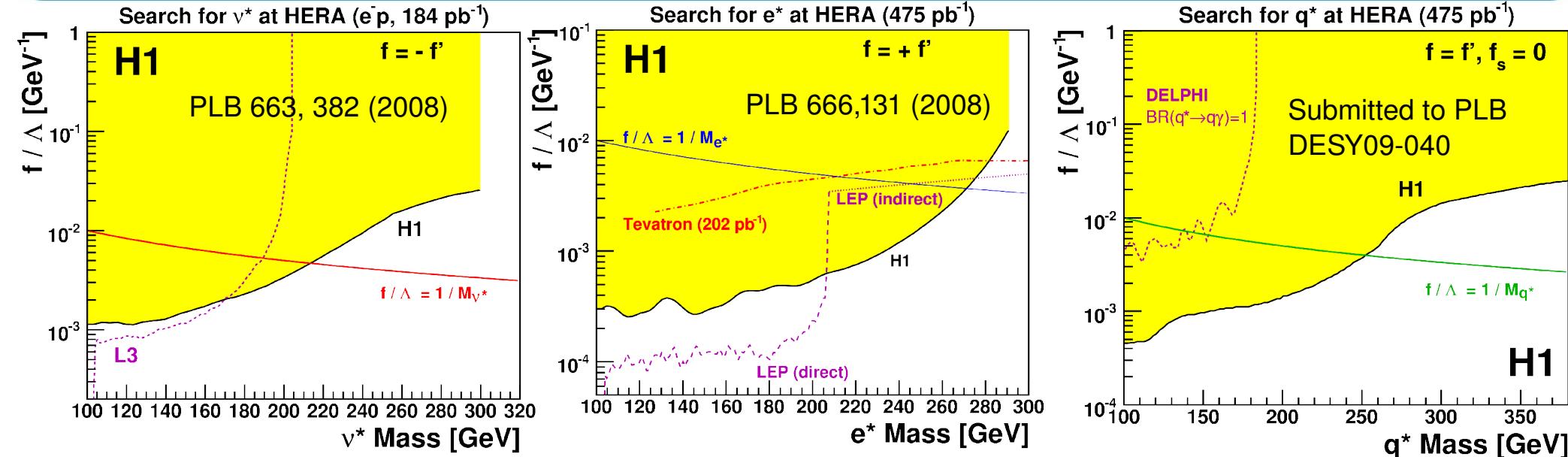


- H1+ZEUS combined cross-section of  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$  at high  $P_T$
- Good agreement with SM prediction

→ M. Turcato [67]

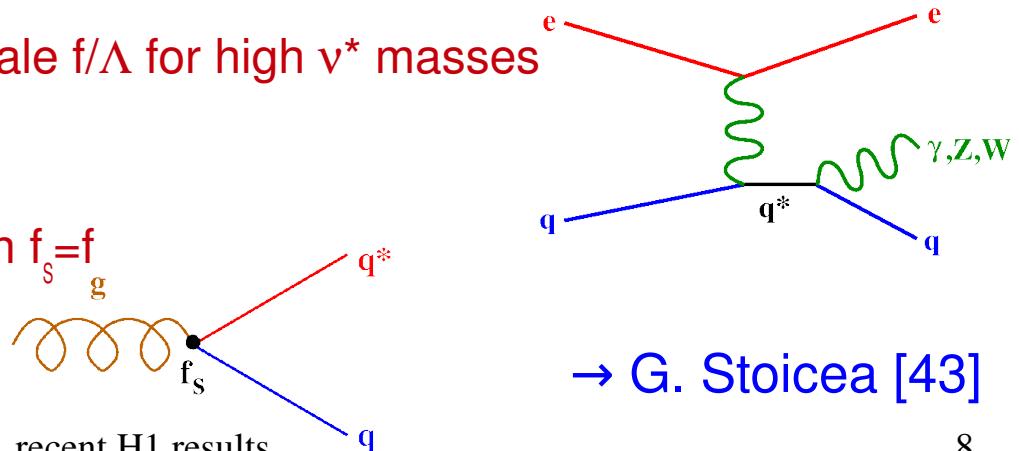


# Excited Fermion limits



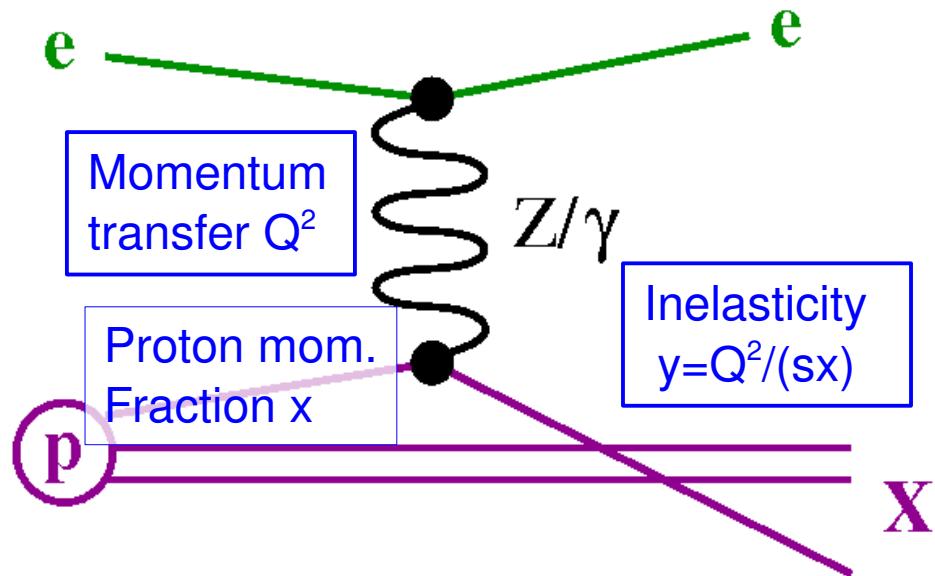
- Full HERA statistics analysed and published
- Best collider limits on compositeness scale  $f/\Lambda$  for high  $\nu^*$  masses
- Best excited quark limits for  $f_s=0$

complementary to Tevatron assumption  $f_s=f$



→ G. Stoica [43]

# Structure functions



Reduced cross-section:

$$\sigma_r \propto F_2 - \frac{y^2}{1 + (1-y)^2} F_L$$

- $Q^2 \lesssim 5 \text{ GeV}^2$ : phenomenological models
- $Q^2 \gtrsim 2 \text{ GeV}^2$ : perturbative QCD, DGLAP evolution

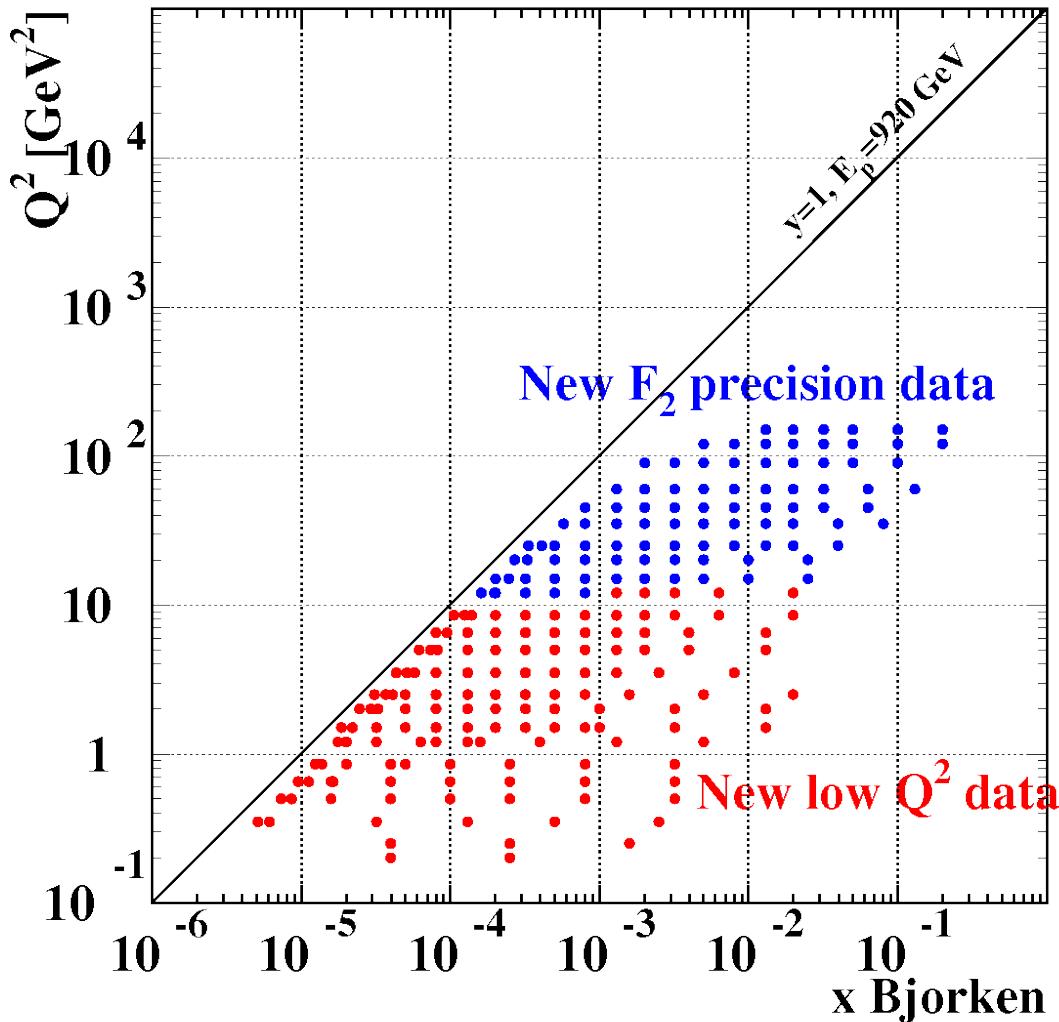
Structure functions  $F_2$  and  $F_L$

$F_2$  : valence and sea quarks  
gluon enters through scaling violations

$F_L$  : direct sensitivity to the gluon density,  
suppressed by helicity factor



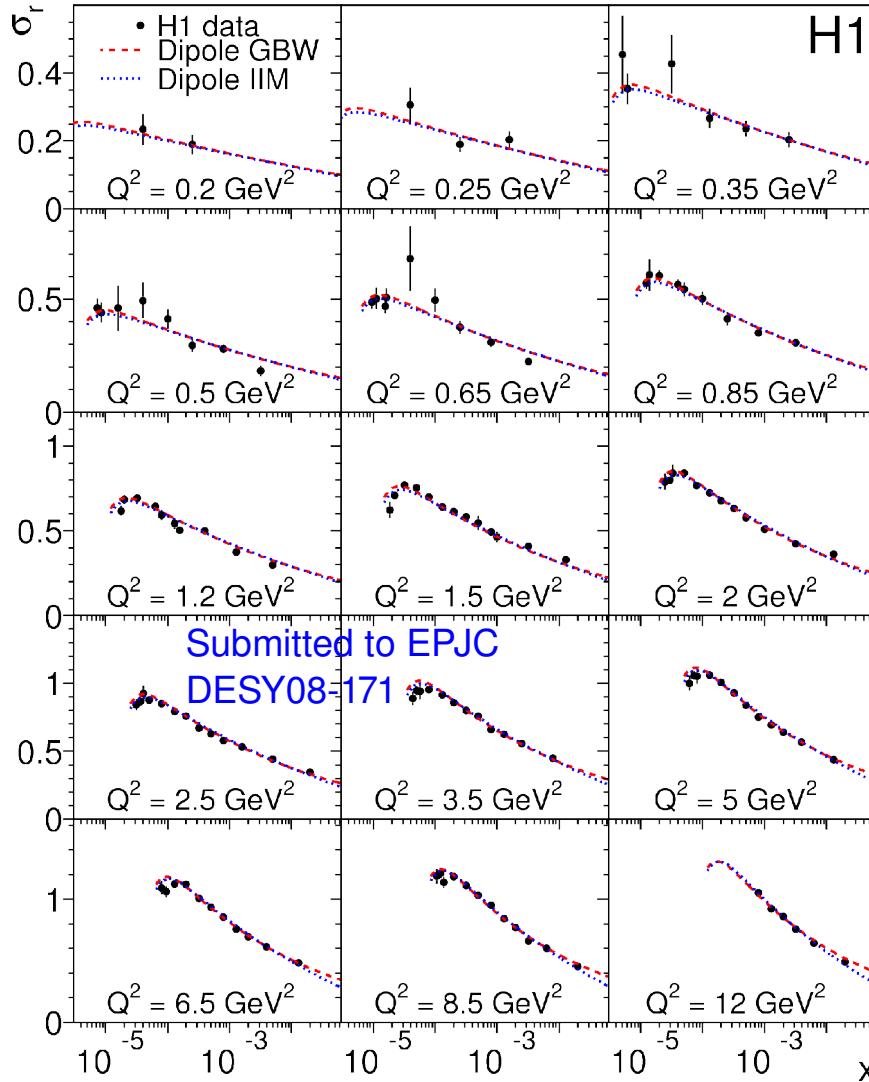
# New data on $\sigma_r$ and $F_2$



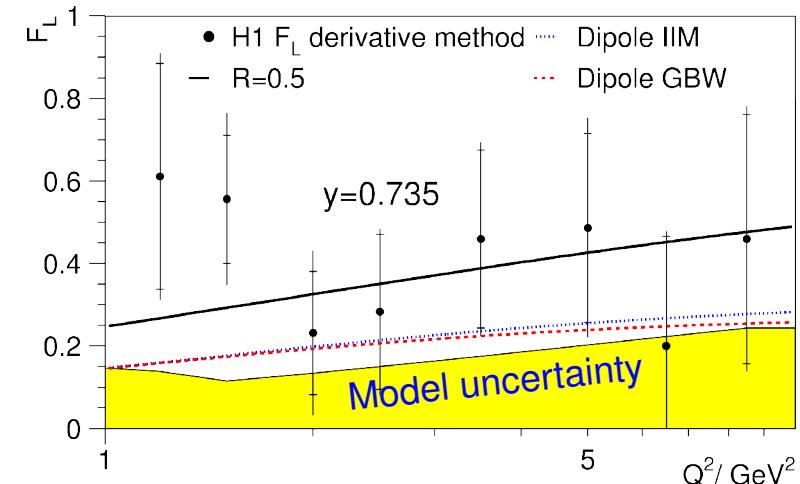
- New data published by H1
  - Low  $Q^2$   
 $0.2 \leq Q^2 \leq 12 \text{ GeV}^2$   
Precision 2–3%
  - Medium  $Q^2$   
 $12 \leq Q^2 \leq 100 \text{ GeV}^2$   
Precision 1.3–2%



# DIS at low $Q^2$ and low $x$



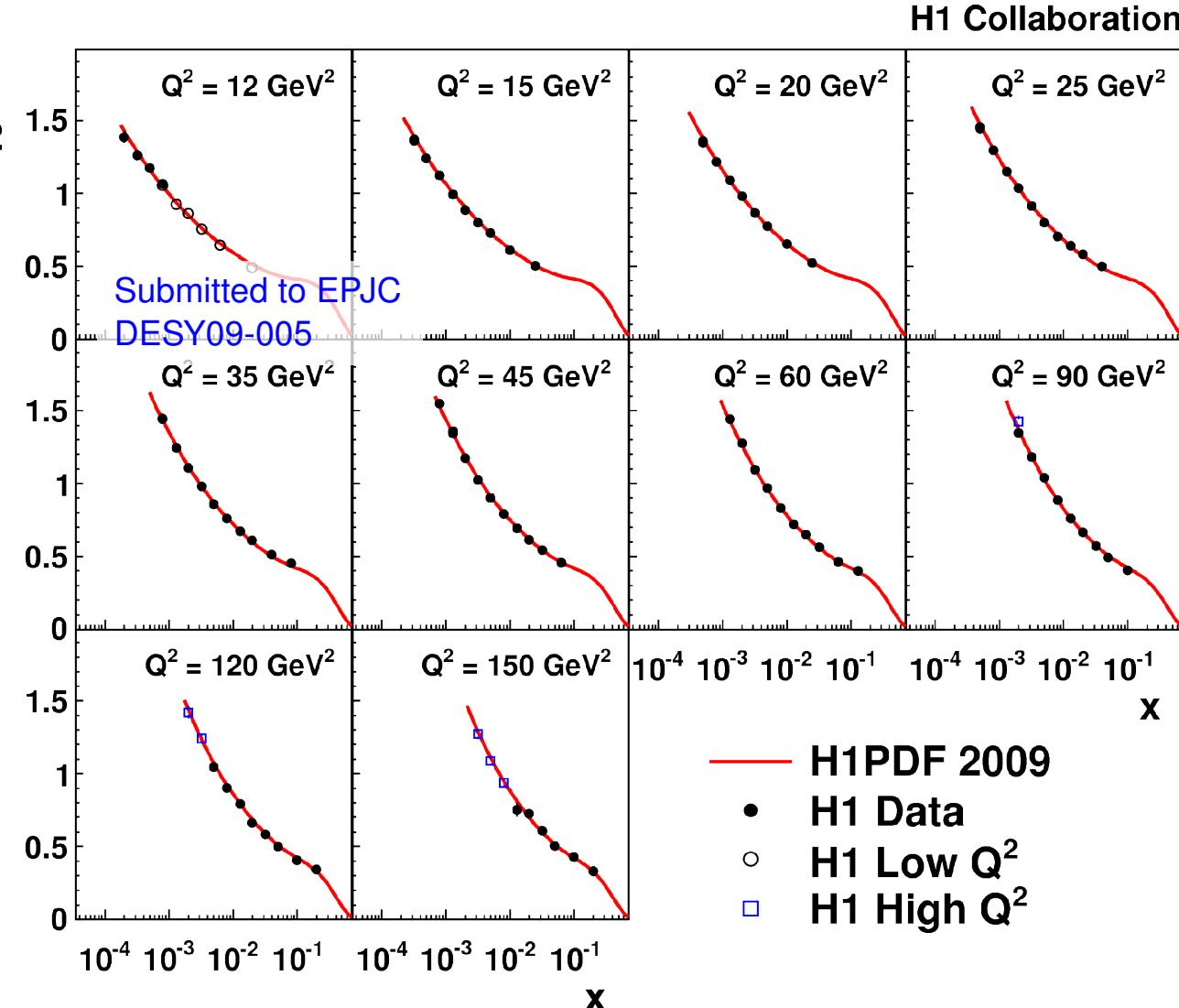
- Full H1 data for low  $Q^2$  published
- Precision 2–3%
- Combination of several H1 datasets
- Fits to power-law, fractal and dipole models
- $F_L$  extracted using indirect methods, consistent with models



→ A. Petrukhin [54]



# $F_2$ precision data

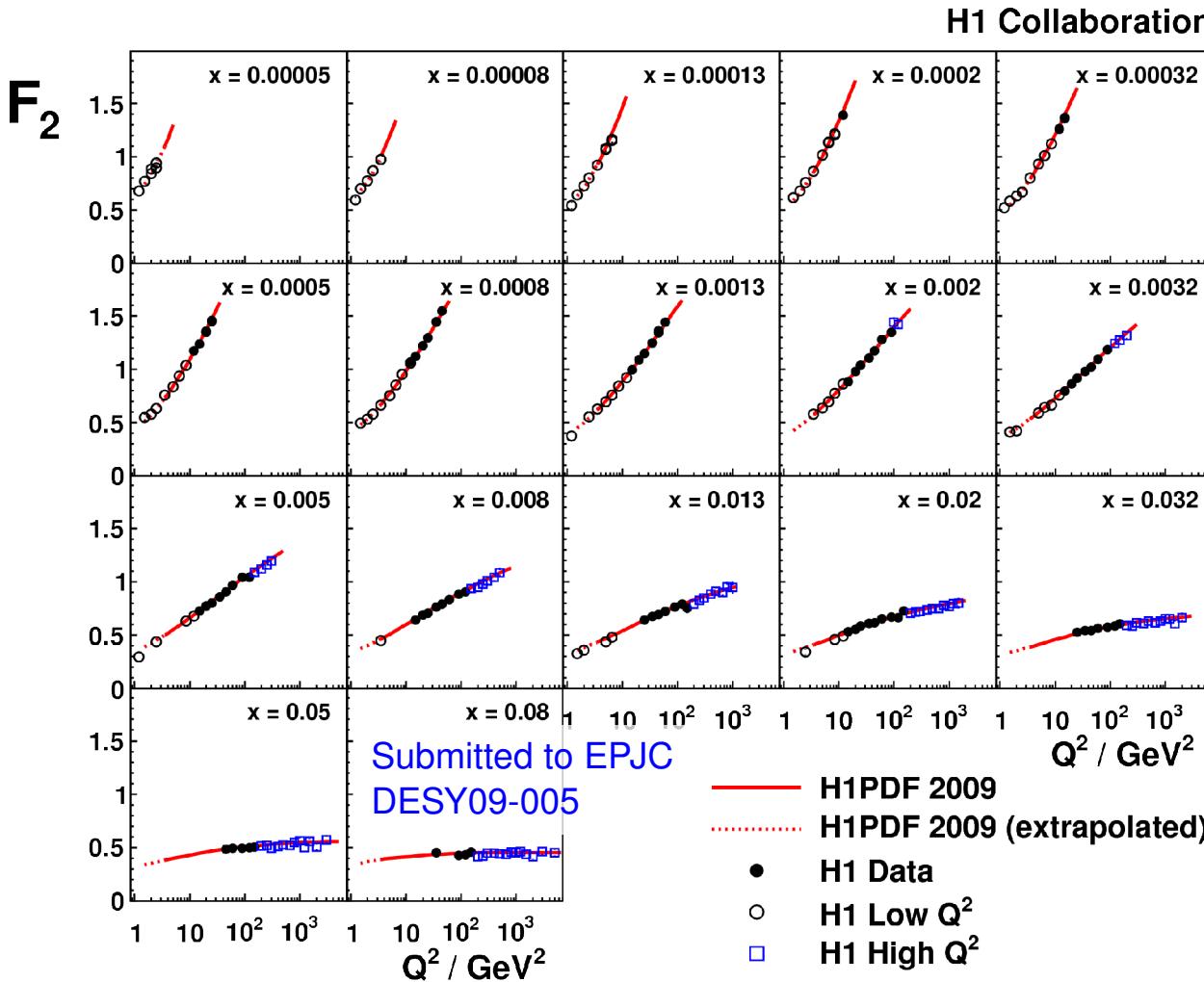


- Full HERA I data for  $12 < Q^2 < 150 \text{ GeV}^2$
- Most precise  $F_2$  data in this  $Q^2$  range, uncertainty 1.3–2%
- Combination of two independent datasets
- New QCD fit, very good consistency with DGLAP prediction

→ J. Kretzschmar [56]  
Combination with ZEUS:  
→ E. Tassi [63]



# H1 PDF 2009 QCD fit



- QCD fit to all H1 HERA-I data, NC and CC
- VFNS heavy flavour treatment (Thorne/Roberts)

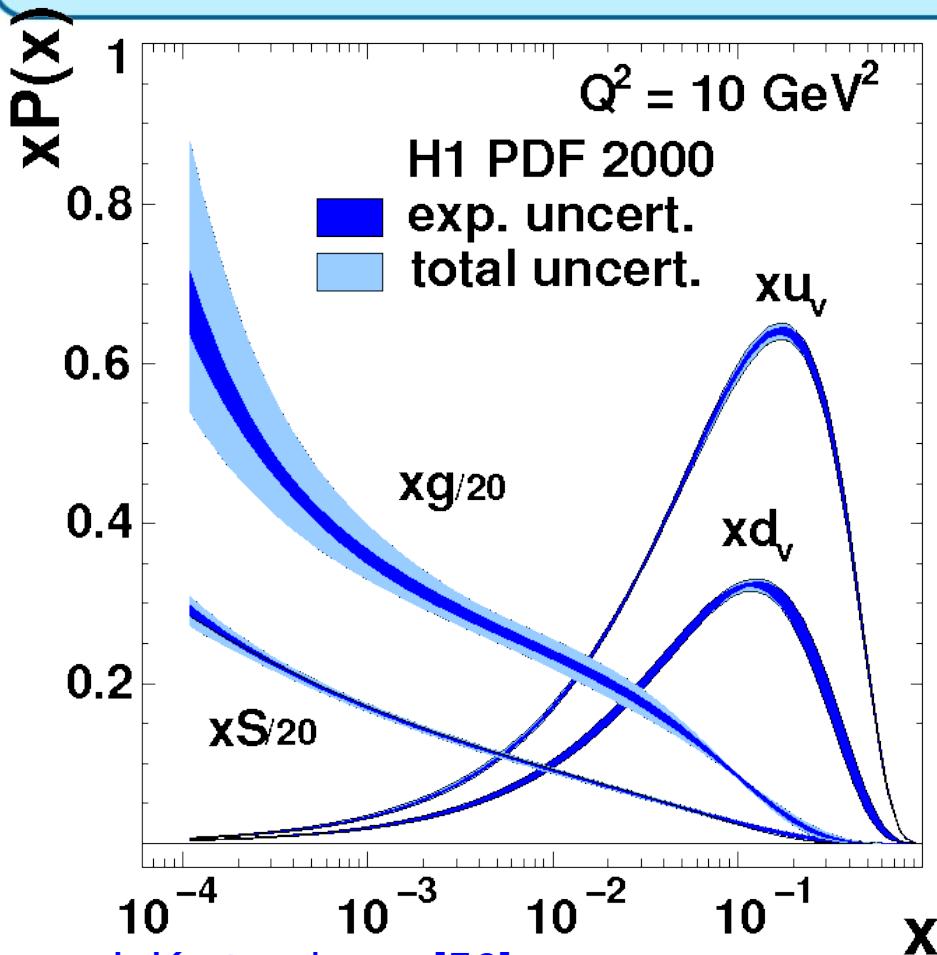
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HERAPDF0.2 Fit

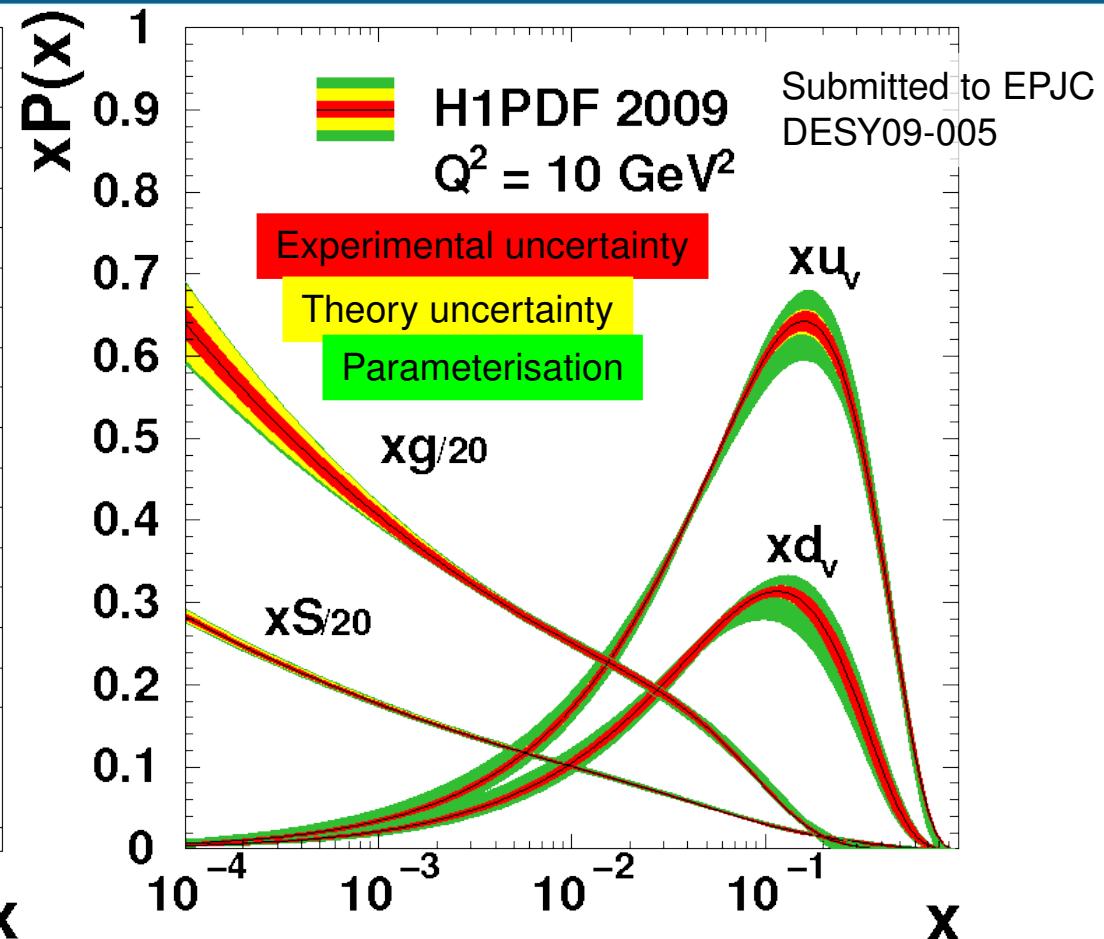
→ V. Radescu [86]



# H1 QCD fit



→ J. Kretzschmar [56]  
HERAPDF0.2 fit (H1+ZEUS)  
→ V. Radescu [86]



- H1PDF 2009 fit to all H1 HERA-I data
- Gain in precision compared to H1PDF2000



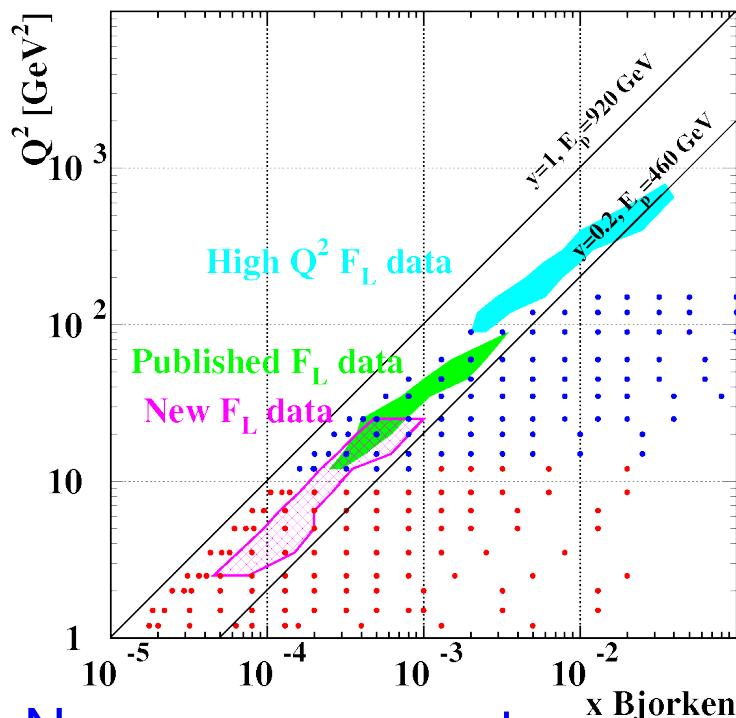
# Measurement of $F_L$ at low $Q^2$



First H1  $F_L$  measurements shown at DIS08:

High  $Q^2$  data:  $100 \leq Q^2 \leq 800 \text{ GeV}^2$

Medium  $Q^2$  data:  $12 \leq Q^2 \leq 100 \text{ GeV}^2$



New measurements:

Low  $Q^2$  data:  $2.5 \leq Q^2 \leq 25 \text{ GeV}^2$

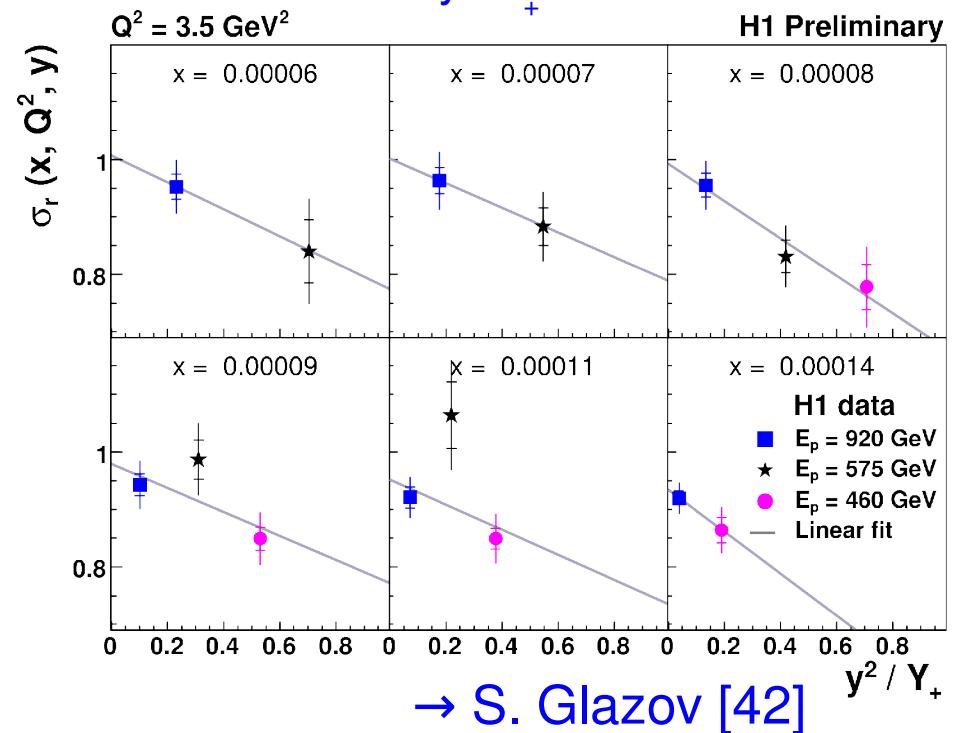
Direct Measurement of  $F_L$ :

$$\sigma_r \propto F_2 - y^2/Y_+ \cdot F_L \quad \text{and} \quad y = Q^2/(sx)$$

Change  $y$  for fixed  $Q^2, x$  by changing  $s$

Rosenbluth plot: extract  $F_L$  from slope of  $\sigma_r$

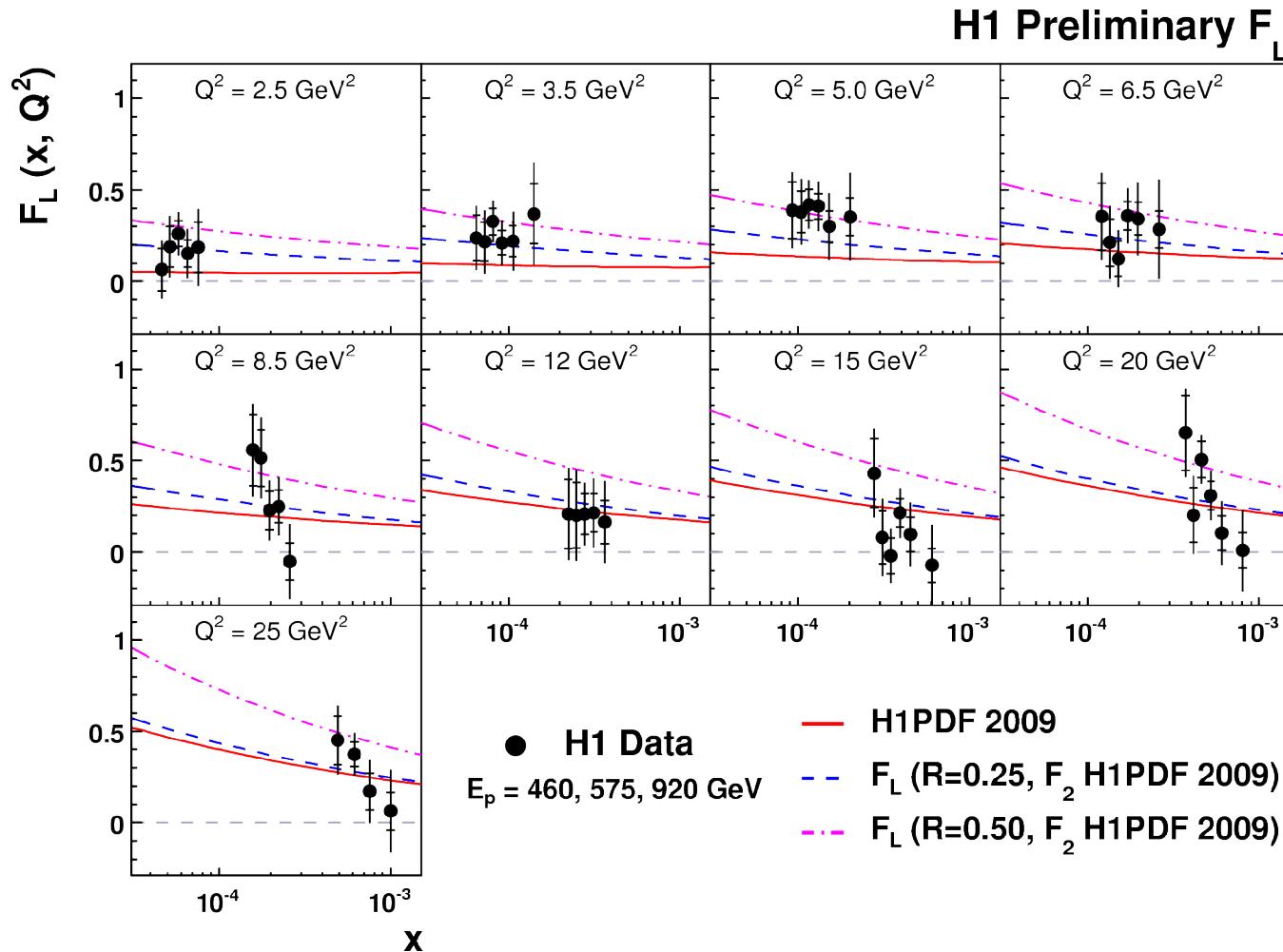
as a function of  $y^2/Y_+$



→ S. Glazov [42]



# $F_L$ data at low $Q^2$

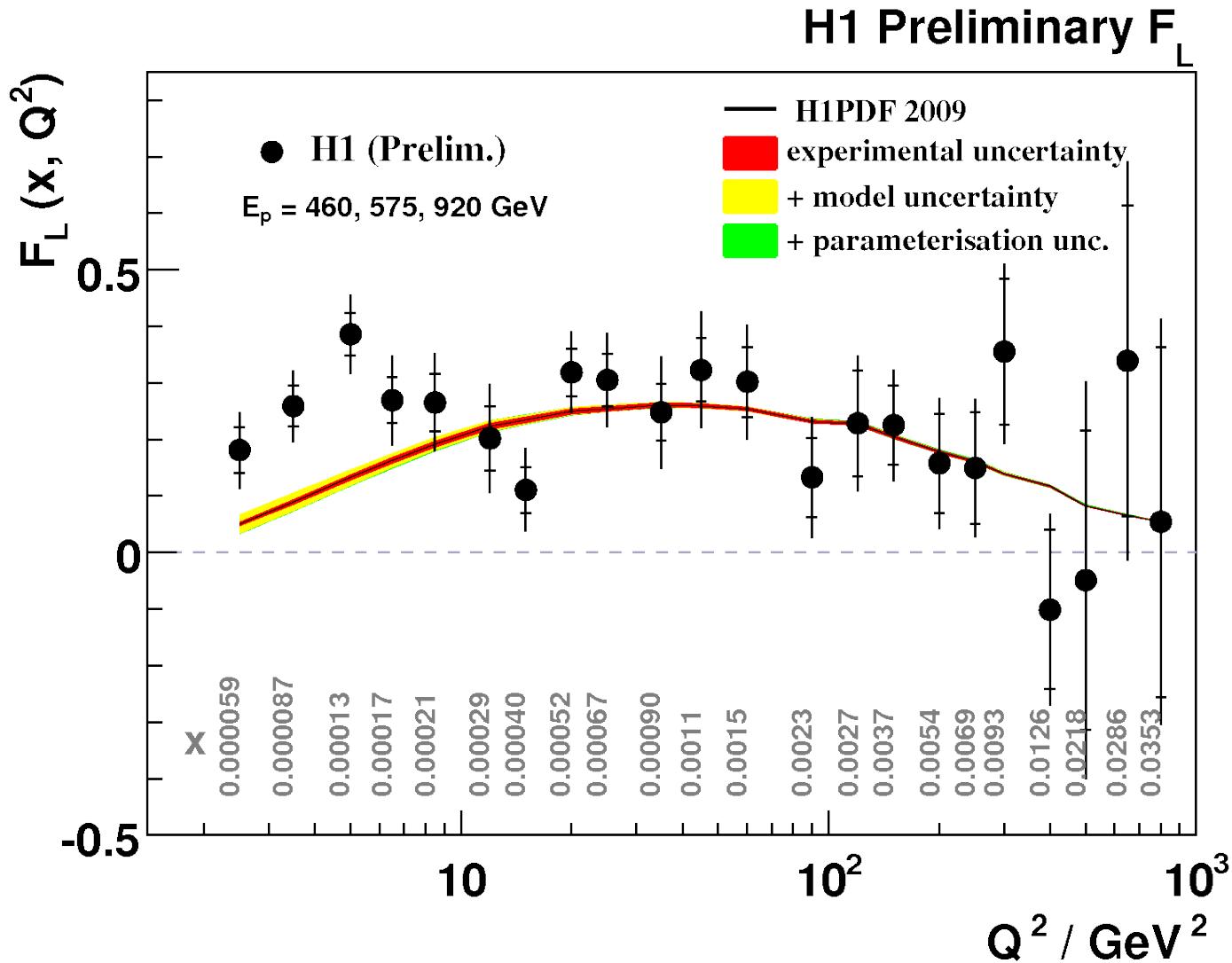


- Kinematic range  $2.5 \leq Q^2 \leq 25 \text{ GeV}^2$
- Non-zero  $F_L$  is confirmed at low  $Q^2$
- Consistent with QCD fits

→ S. Glazov [42]



# $F_L$ dependence on $Q^2$

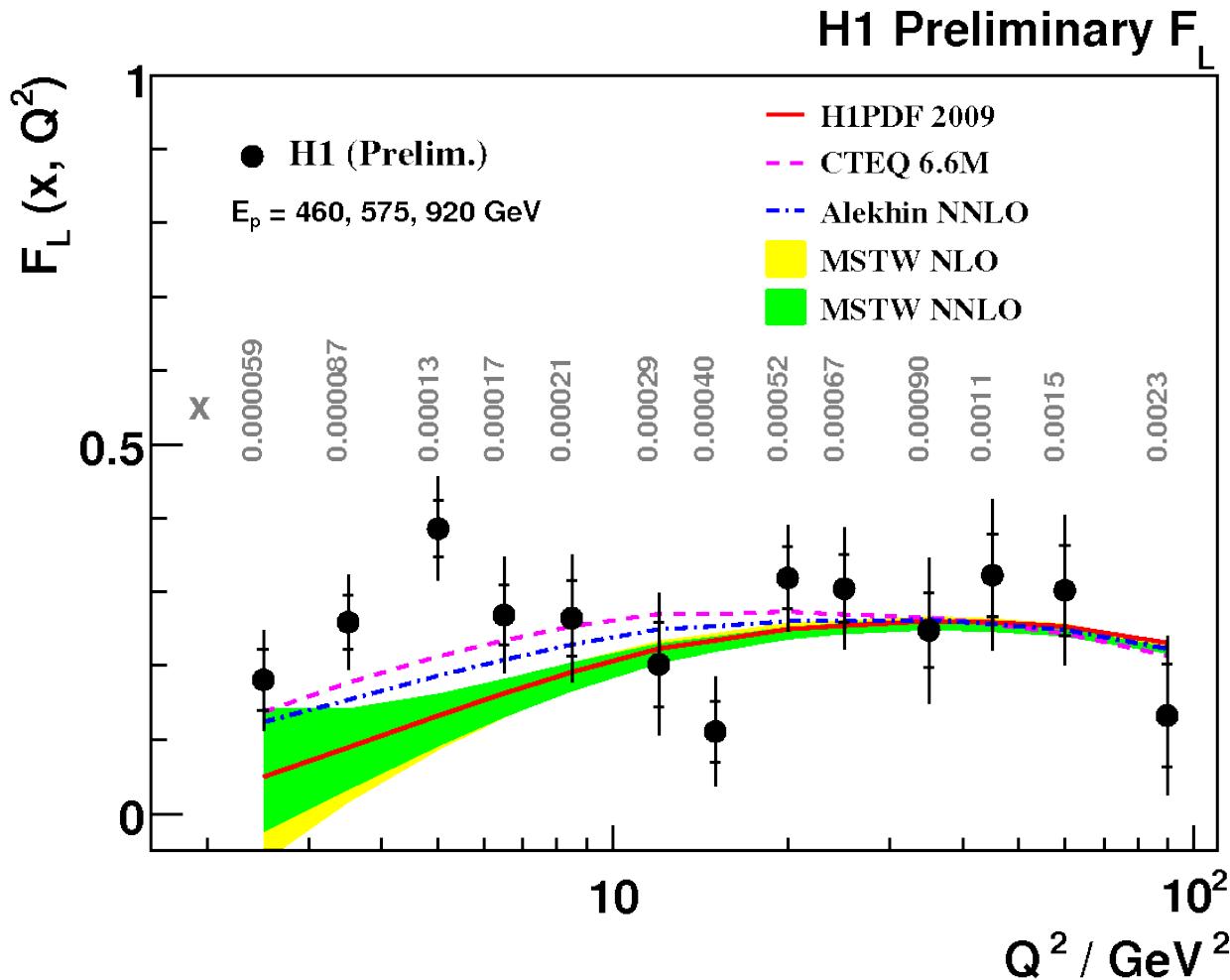


- $F_L$  averaged over  $x$  in bins of  $Q^2$
- H1 measurements cover the range  $2.5 \leq Q^2 \leq 800 \text{ GeV}^2$

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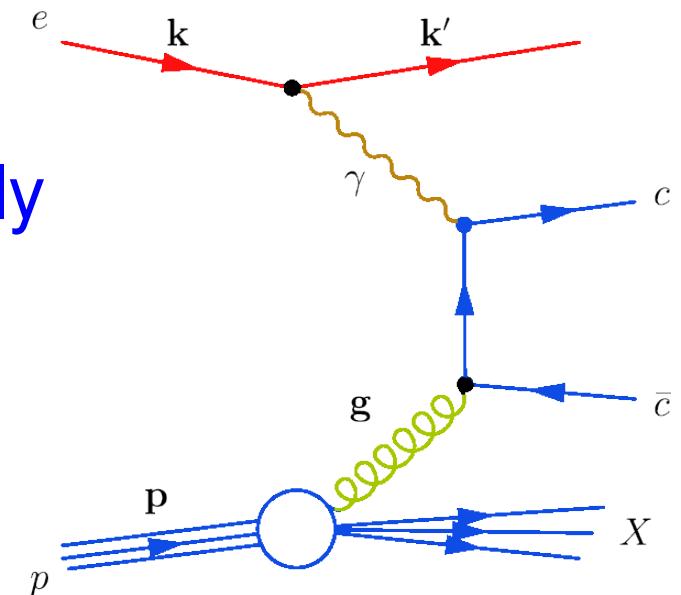
# $F_L$ as a function of $Q^2$



- Low  $Q^2$  regions: largest spread in theoretical predictions
- Sensitivity to PDFs

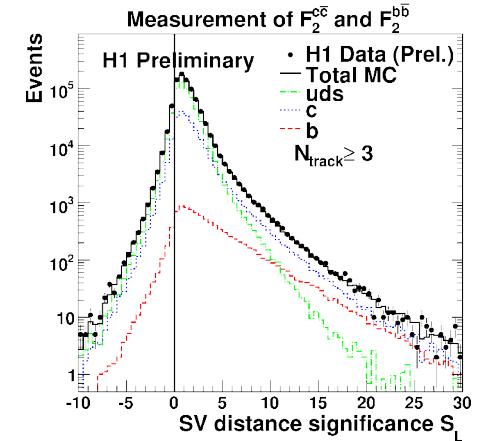
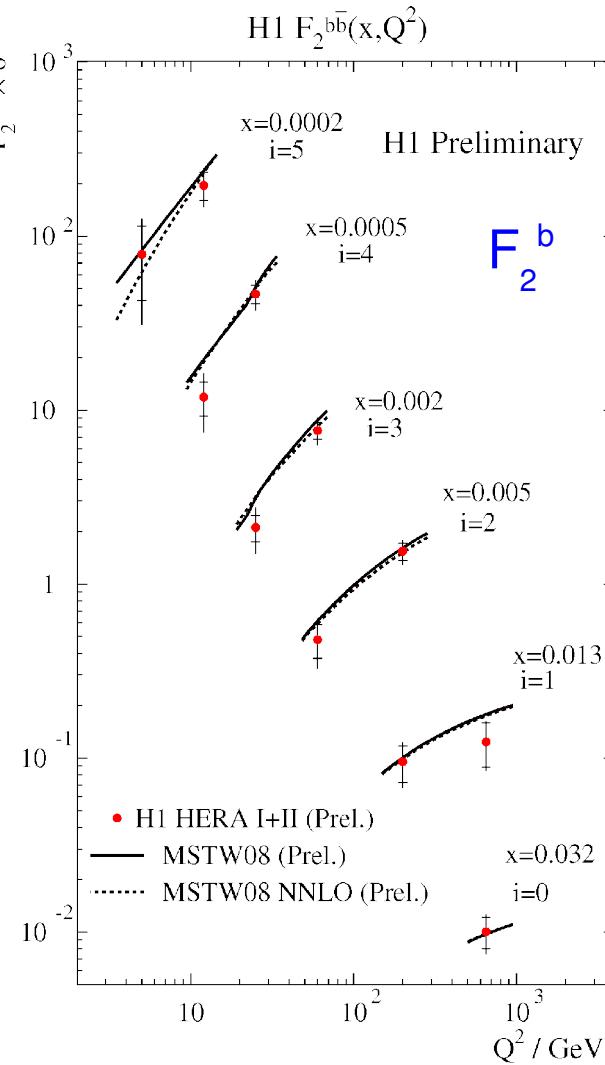
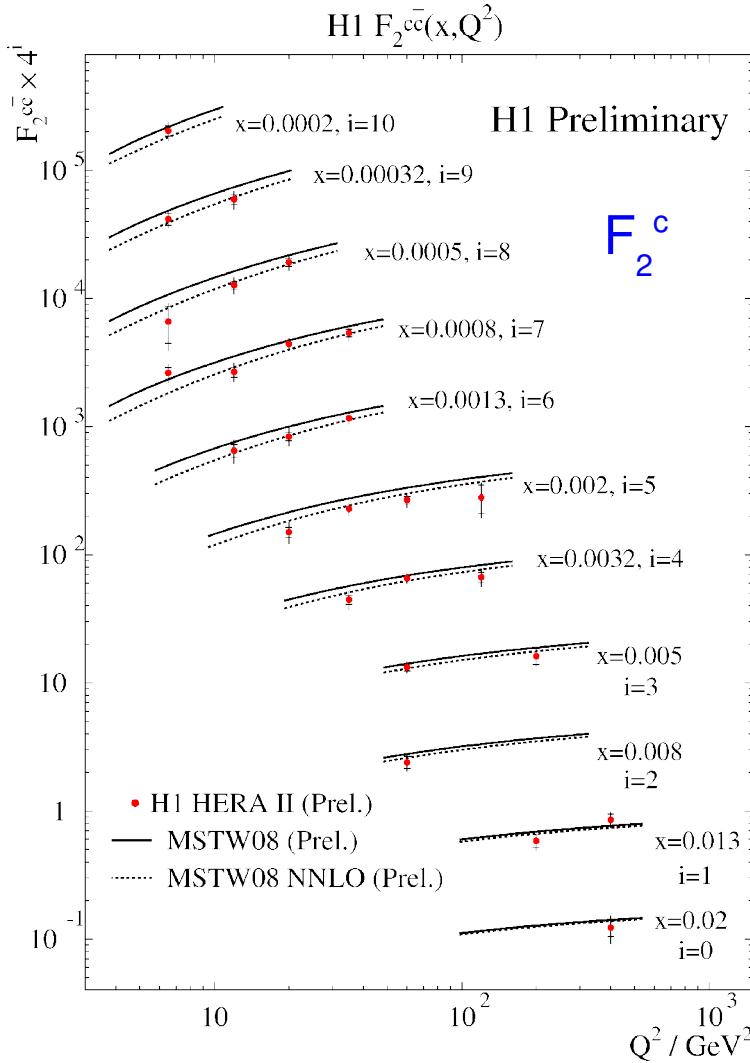
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- Investigate  $F_2$  contribution from beauty and charm
- b, c quarks: produced dominantly by boson-gluon fusion  
→ sensitivity to the gluon PDF
- Experimental methods:  
b and c hadron lifetime,  $D^*$





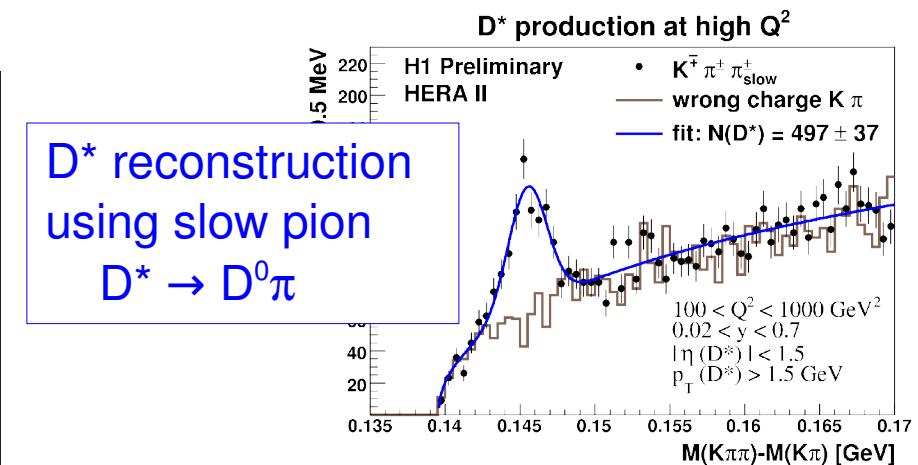
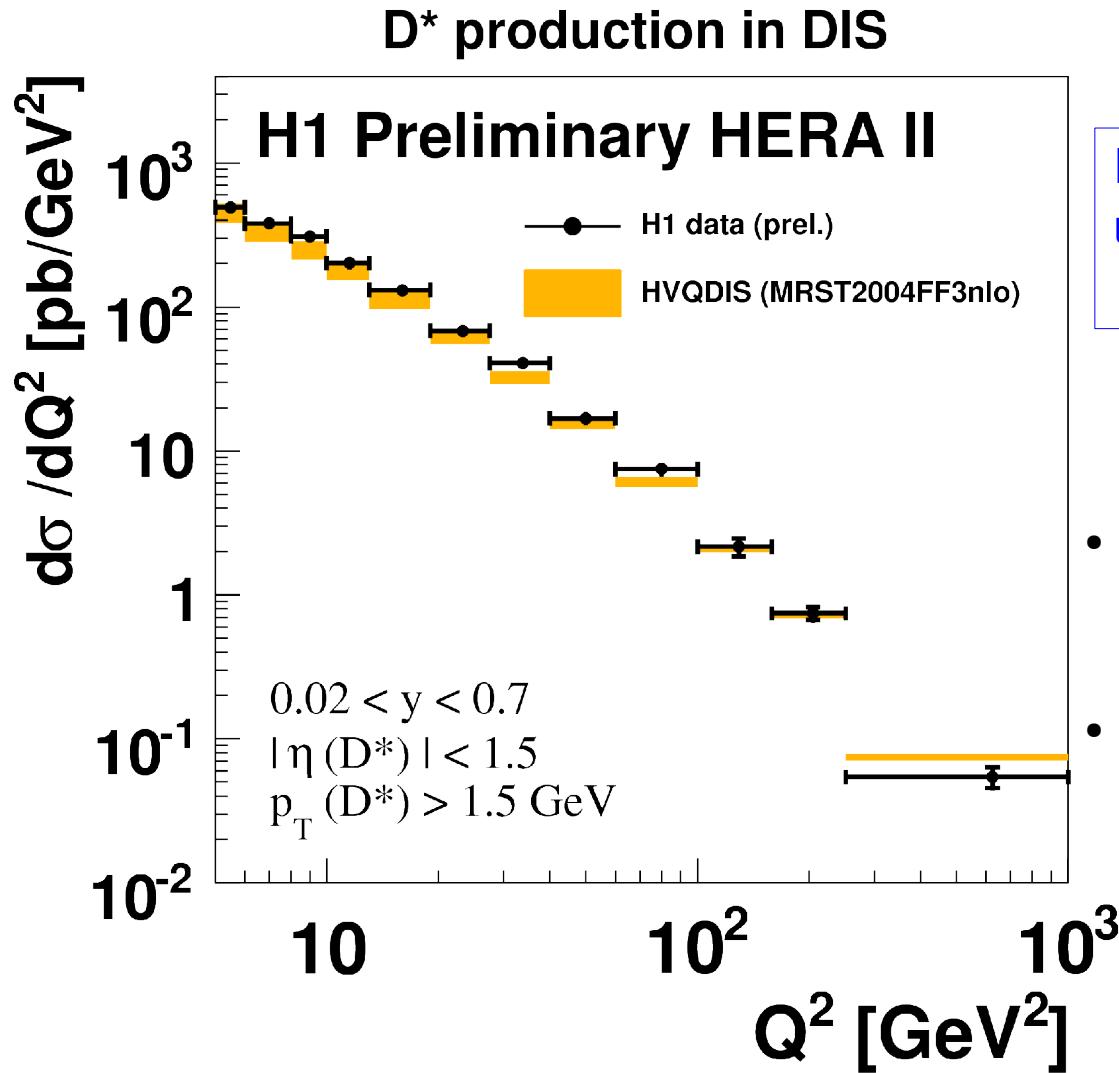
# Lifetime analysis



- Lifetime analysis of full HERA II data
- $5 < Q^2 < 650 \text{ GeV}^2$
- Uncertainty:  
8% for  $F_2^c$ , 20% for  $F_2^b$
- Agreement with NLO QCD  
→ P. Thompson [177]



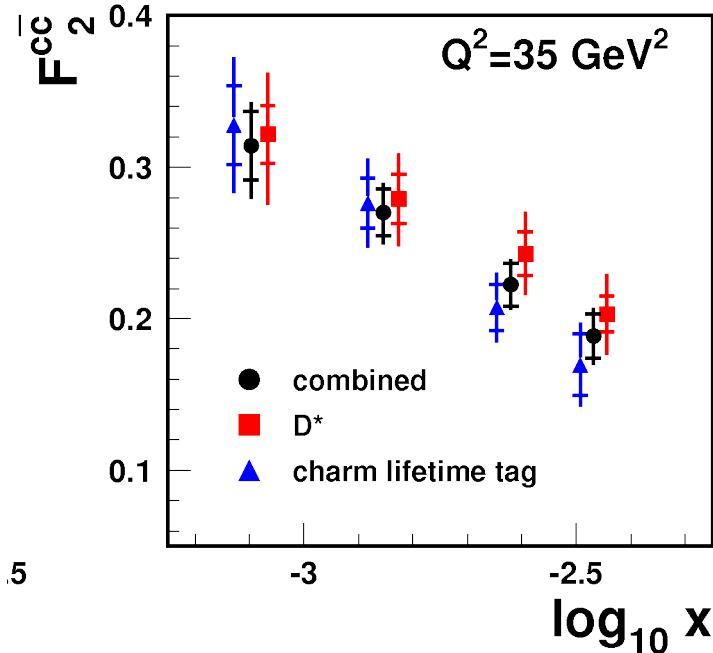
# D\* production in DIS



- $D^*$  cross sections measured for  $5 \leq Q^2 \leq 800$  GeV $^2$
- Good description by NLO calculation  
→ extrapolate to full phase-space, measure  $F_2^c$   
→ A. Jung [167]  
→ M. Brinkmann [170]

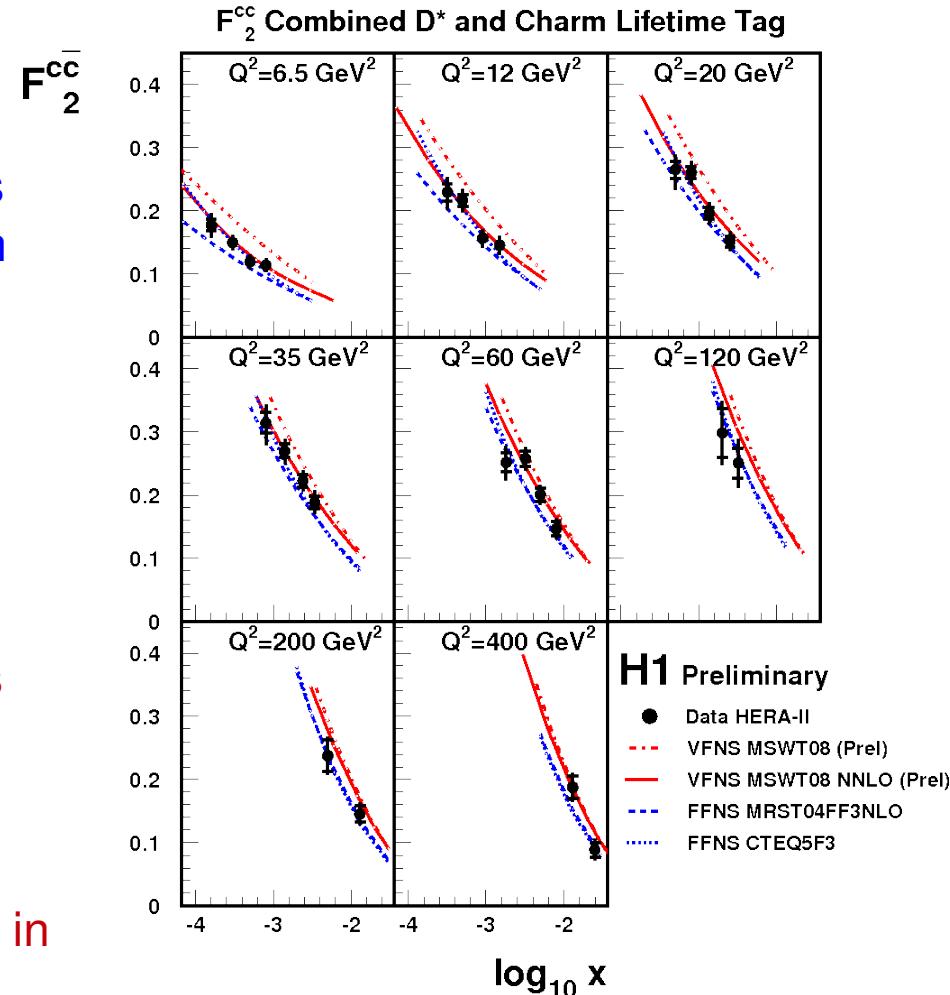


# Combined $F_2^c$



Extract  $F_2^c$  from  
 $D^*$  cross sections  
and combine with  
lifetime-tag  $F_2^c$

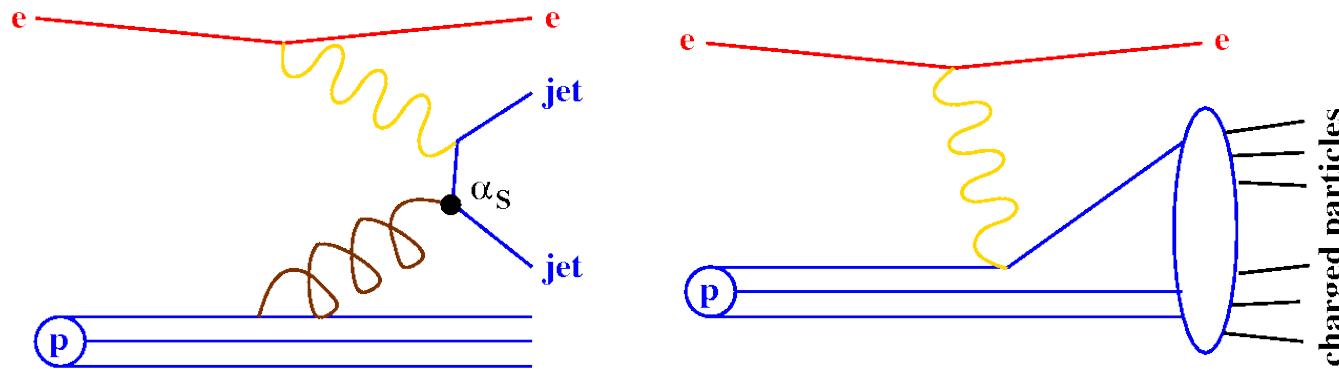
- Consistent results from lifetime and  $D^*$  analyses
- Combine the two measurements
- Significant improvement in precision
- Data constrain PDFs and heavy quark treatment in QCD fits



→ P. Thompson [177]

# Hadronic final states

- Determination of  $\alpha_s$  from jets at high  $Q^2$
- Particle charge asymmetry at high  $Q^2$

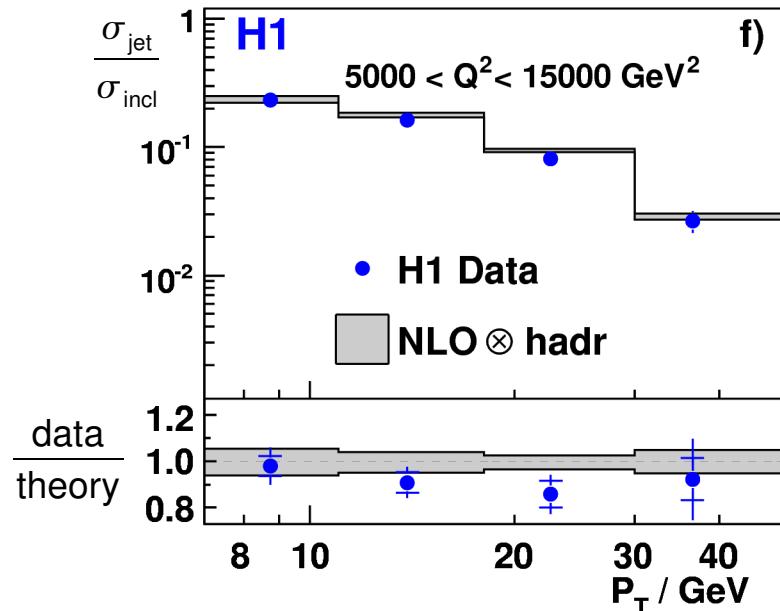




# High $Q^2$ jets and $\alpha_s$

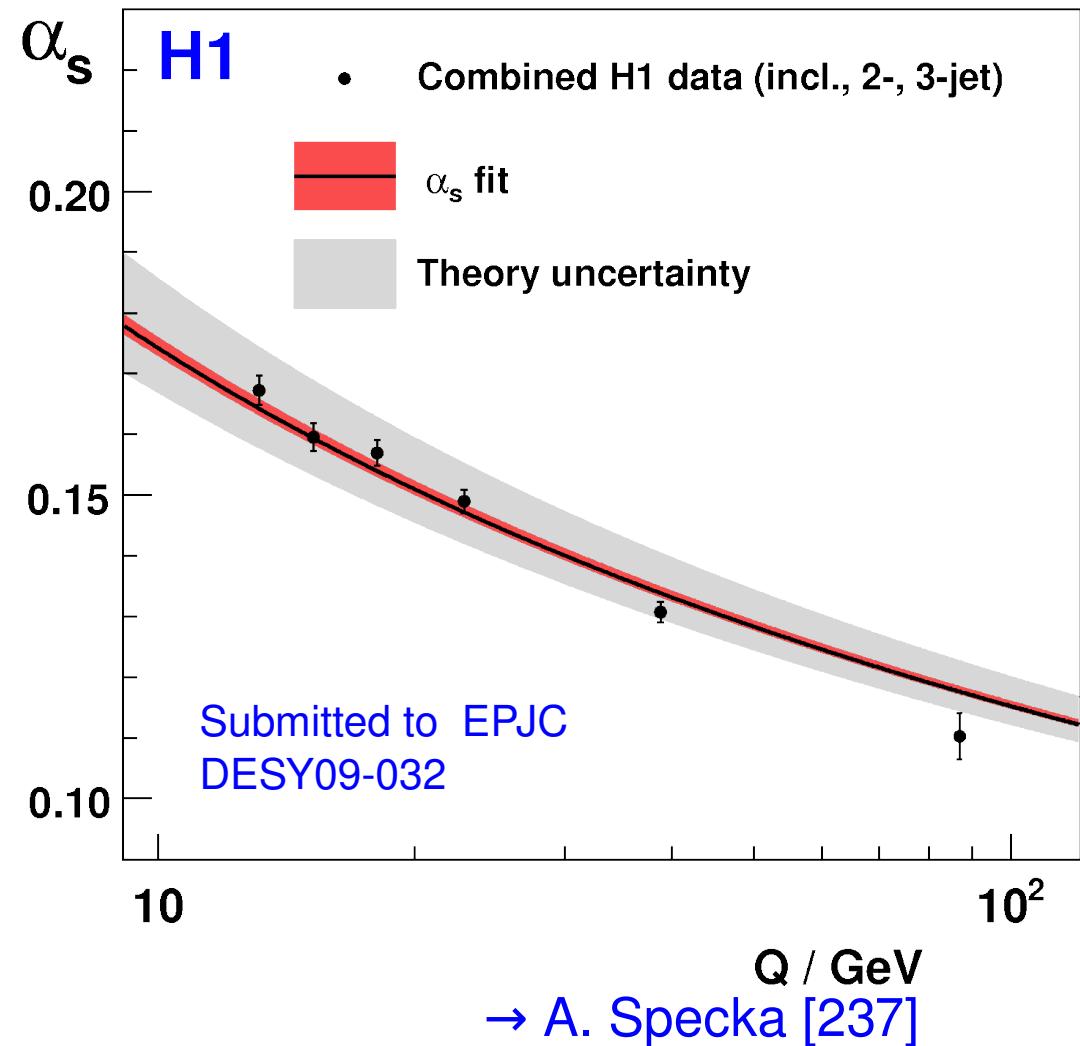


Inclusive jet rate, highest  $Q^2$  bin



- Analysis of inclusive, 2-jet, 3-jet rates
- Full HERA data now published
- $\alpha_s$  is extracted from a simultaneous fit to  $\sigma^{\text{jet}}/\sigma^{\text{incl}}$ ,  $\sigma^{\text{2-jet}}/\sigma^{\text{incl}}$ ,  $\sigma^{\text{3-jet}}/\sigma^{\text{incl}}$

Normalised Jet Cross Sections





# Result on $\alpha_s$



- Result: strong coupling extracted from H1 jet data

$$\alpha_s = 0.1168 \pm 0.0007 (\text{exp}) \pm^{0.0046}_{0.0030} (\text{theo}) \pm 0.0016 (\text{PDF})$$

H1 high  $Q^2$  jet multiplicities  
Submitted to EPJC, DESY09-032

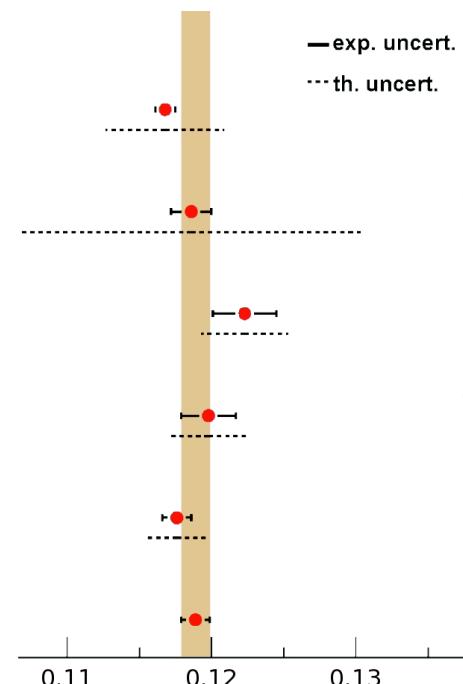
H1 low  $Q^2$  incl. jets  
H1prelim-08-032

ZEUS  $\gamma p$  jets  
ZEUS-prel-08-008

HERA comb. 2007 incl. jets  
H1prelim-07-032/ZEUS-prel-07-025

LEP 4-jet rate  
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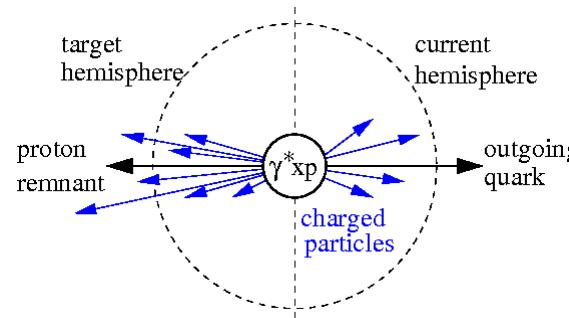
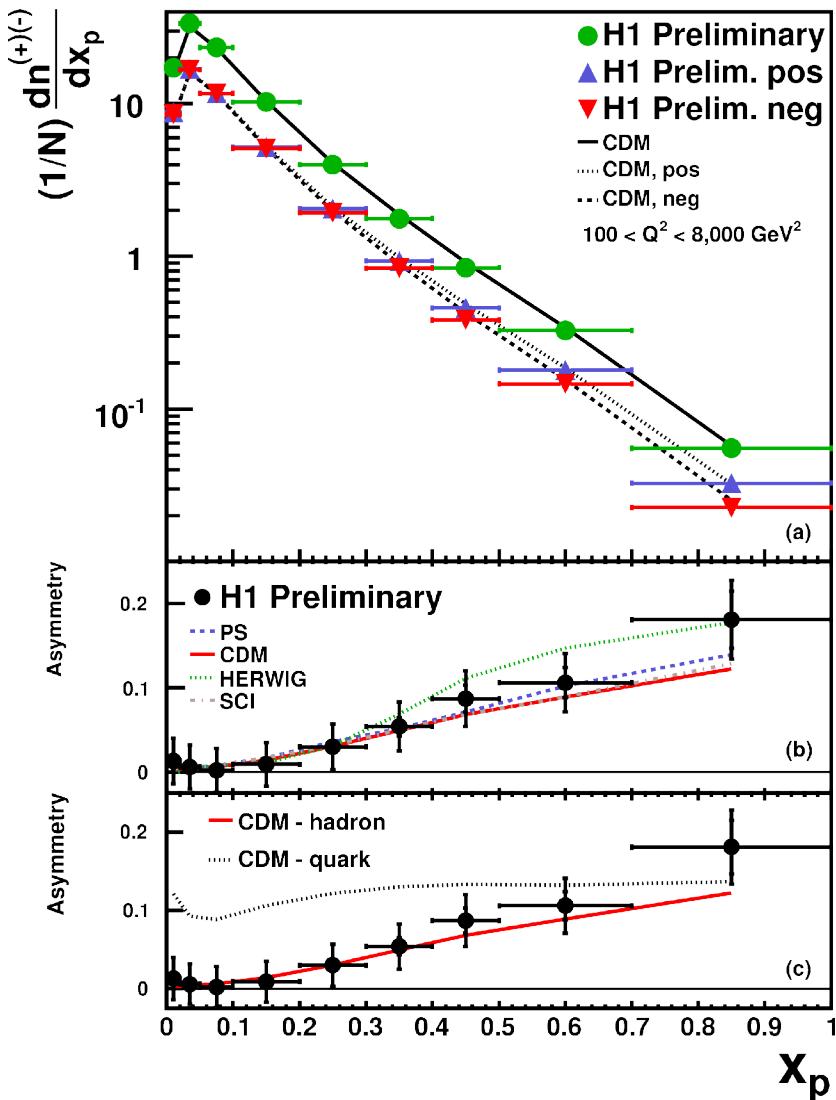
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- Experimentally most precise single measurement of  $\alpha_s$  (0.6%)
- Theory (NLO) error dominated by scale uncertainties (3-4%)

→ A. Specka [237]

# Particle charge asymmetry



Momentum fraction in current hemisphere of the Breit frame  
 $x_p = 2p/Q$

- Measure rate of charged particles produced in the current hemisphere at high  $Q^2 > 100 \text{ GeV}^2$
- Asymmetry of positive wrt negative charged tracks, up to 0.2 at high  $x_p$
- In agreement with fragmentation models

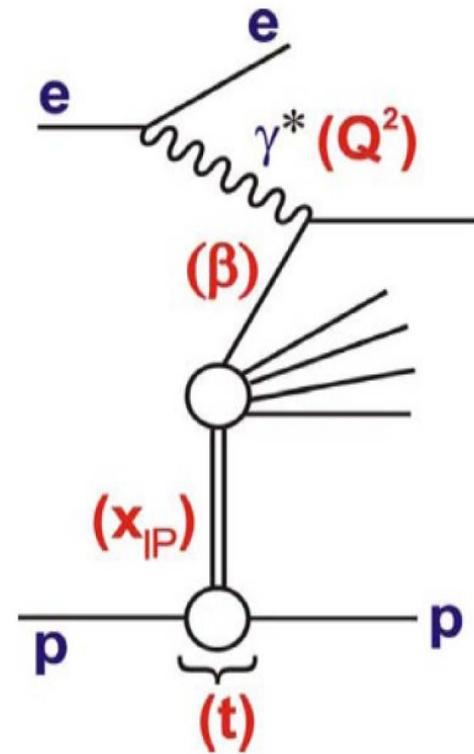
→ D. Traynor [289]



# Diffraction



- First measurement of  $F_L^D$
- Leading proton cross-sections
- Leading neutron cross-sections





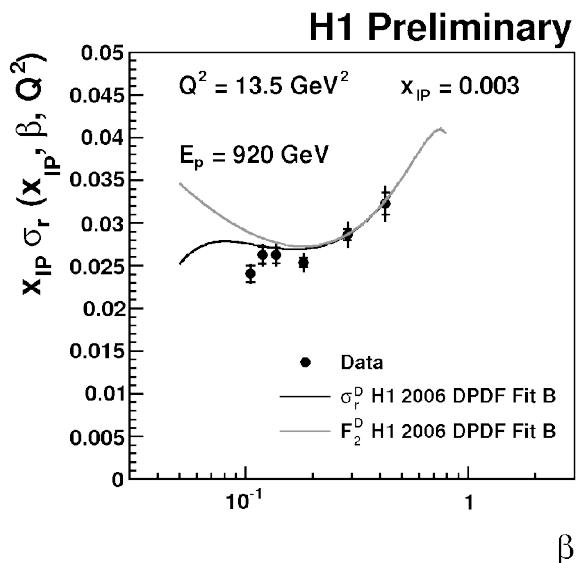
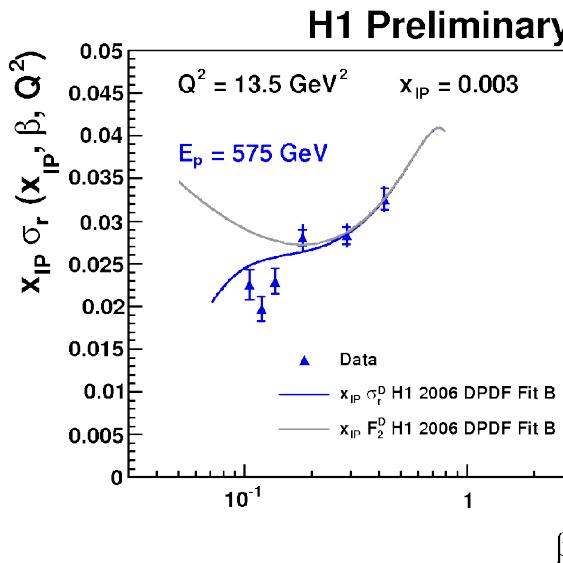
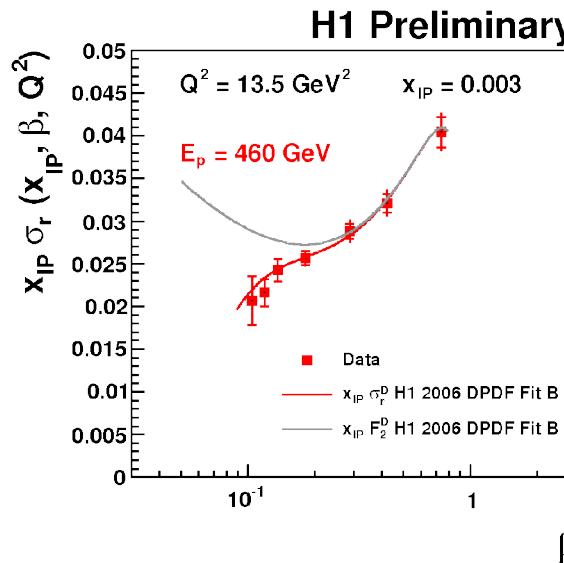
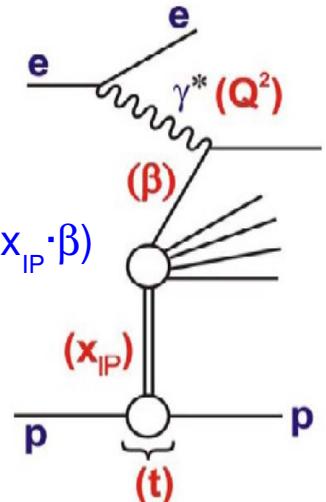
# Direct measurement of $F_L^D$



- Diffractive cross-section can be decomposed into structure functions:

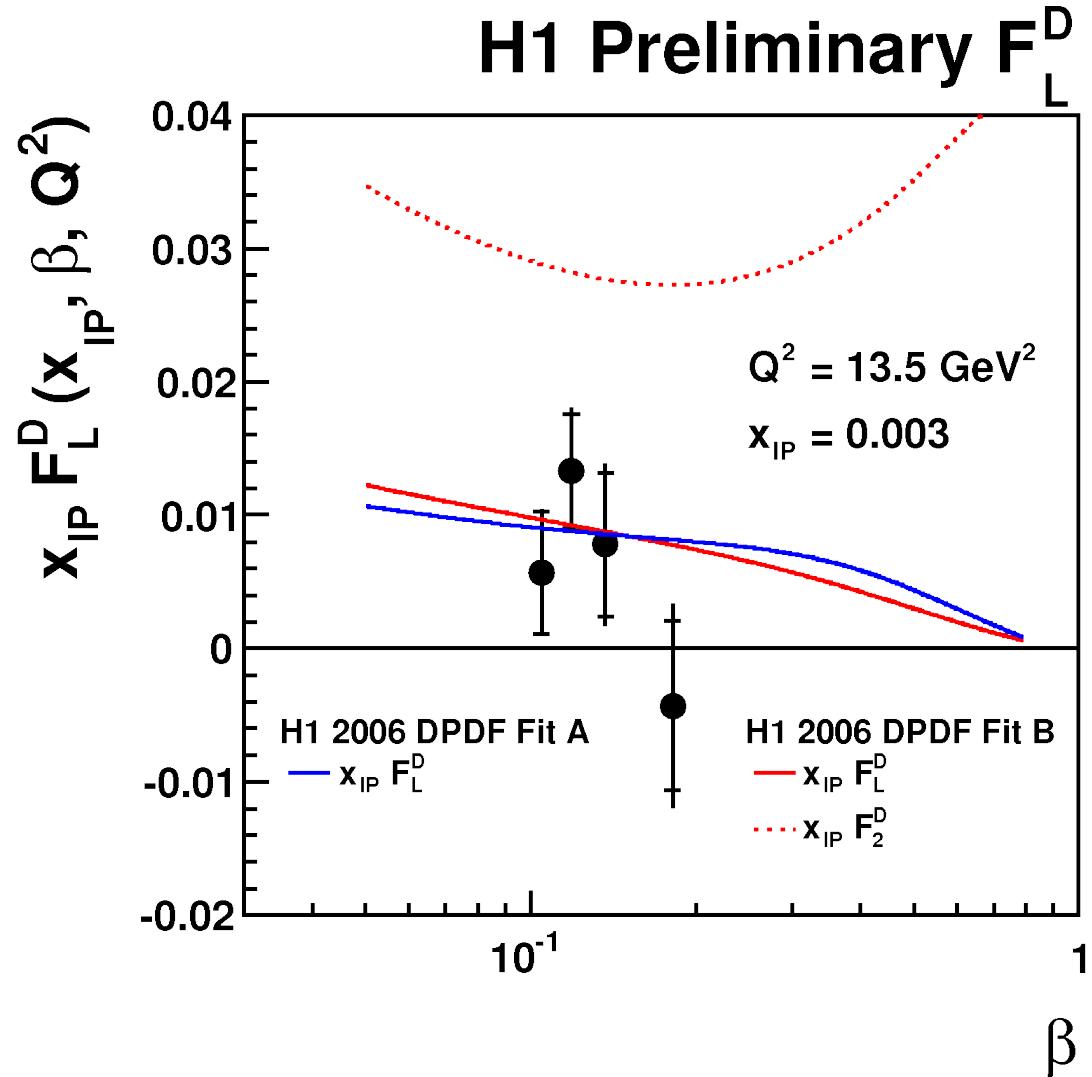
$$\sigma_r^D \propto F_2^D - \frac{y^2}{1 + (1-y)^2} F_L^D$$

- Diffractive kinematic variables:  $t$ ,  $x_{IP}$ ,  $\beta$
- Measure  $\sigma_r(x_{IP}, \beta, Q^2)$  at fixed  $Q^2$ ,  $x_{IP}$  as a function of  $\beta$
- Extract  $F_L^D$  from  $\sigma_r$  data at different beam energies and low  $\beta$





# The H1 $F_L^D$ data

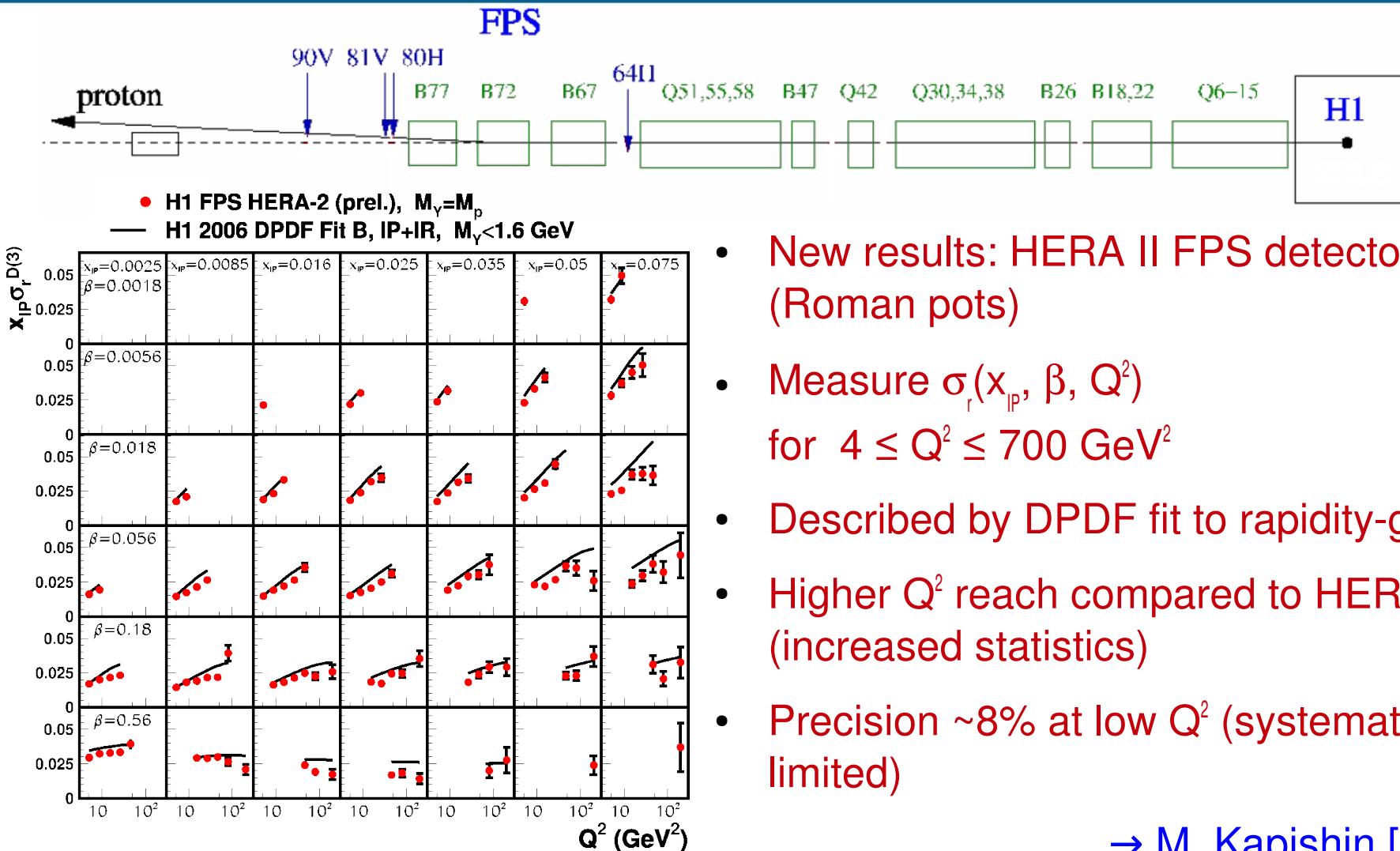


- First measurement of the longitudinal diffractive structure function  $F_L^D$
- Non-zero  $F_L^D$  at  $3\sigma$
- Consistent with DPDF fit

D. Salek [111]

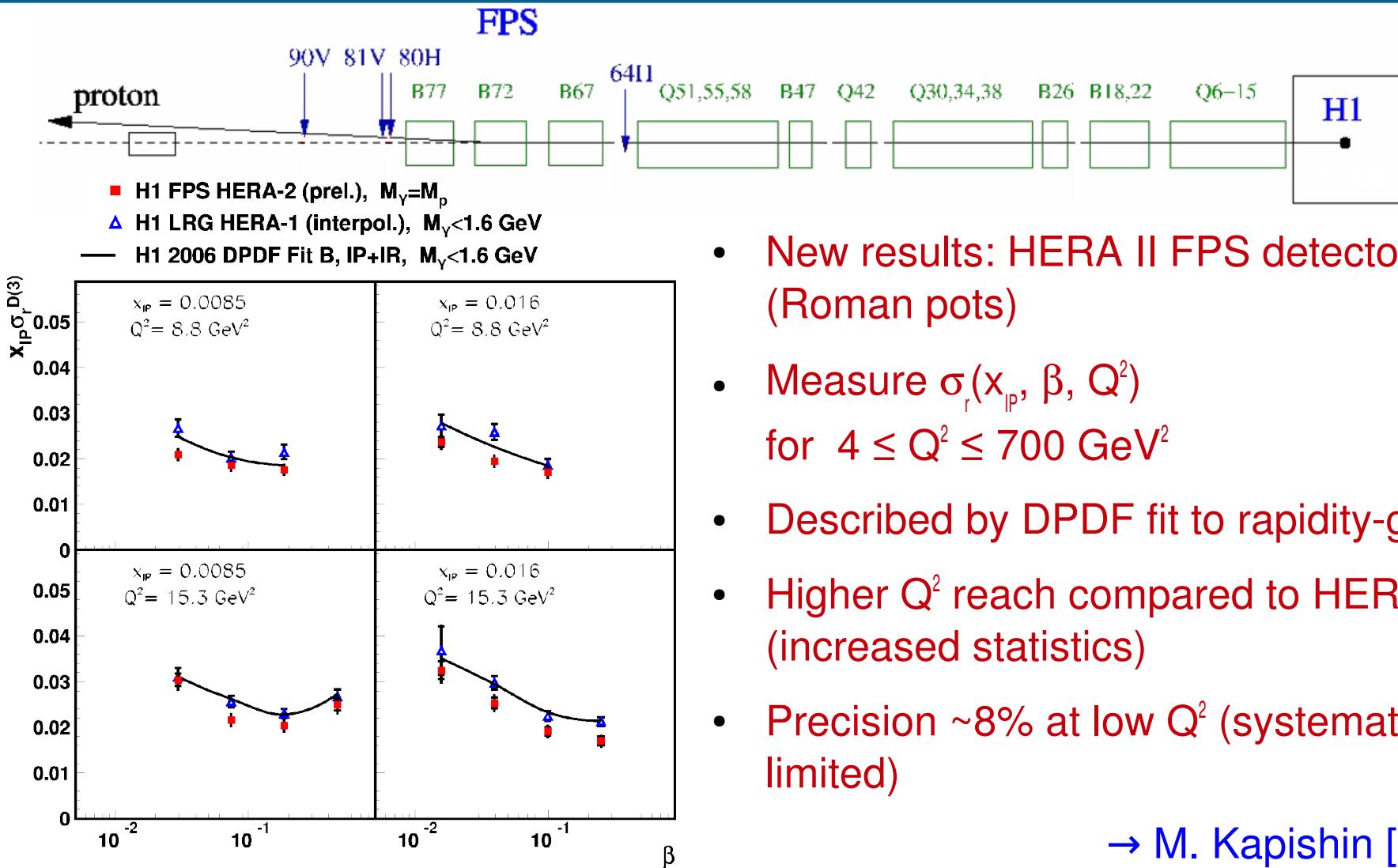


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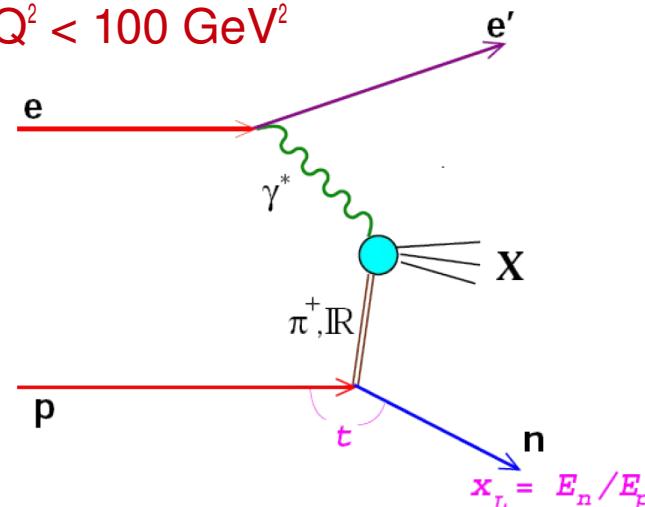




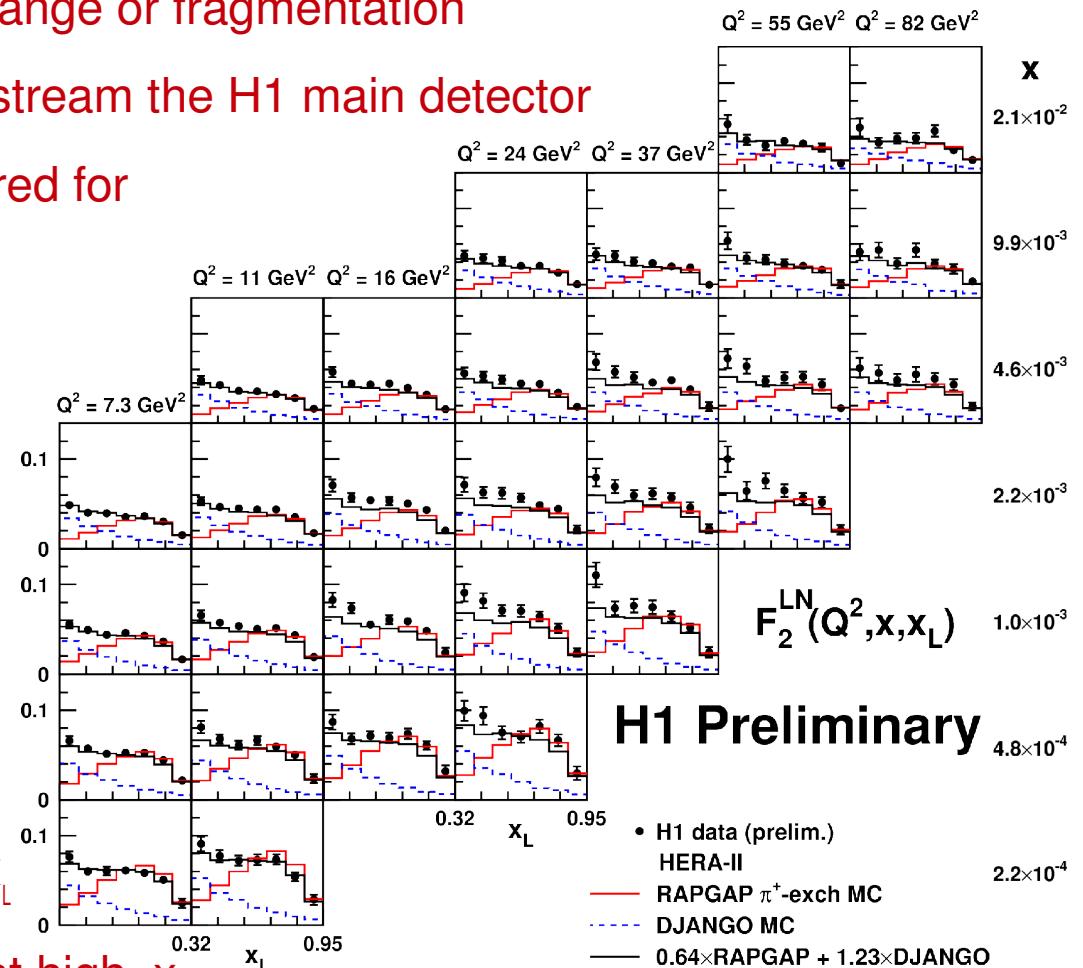
# Leading neutrons at HERA II



- Leading neutrons: produced by  $\pi^+$  exchange or fragmentation



- Forward Neutron Counter, 106m downstream the H1 main detector
- Structure function  $F_2^{LN}(Q^2, x, x_L)$  is measured for  $6 < Q^2 < 100 \text{ GeV}^2$



- Data described by  $\pi^+$  exchange  
+neutrons from fragmentation at low  $x_L$
- Extract  $\pi$  structure function from data at high  $x_L$

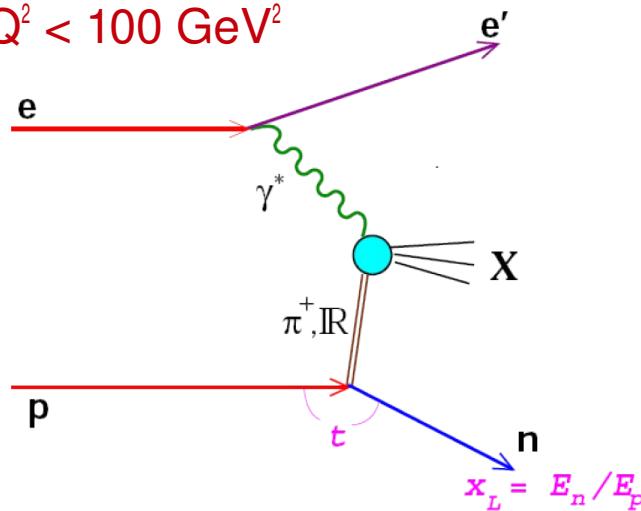
→ V. Dodonov [146]



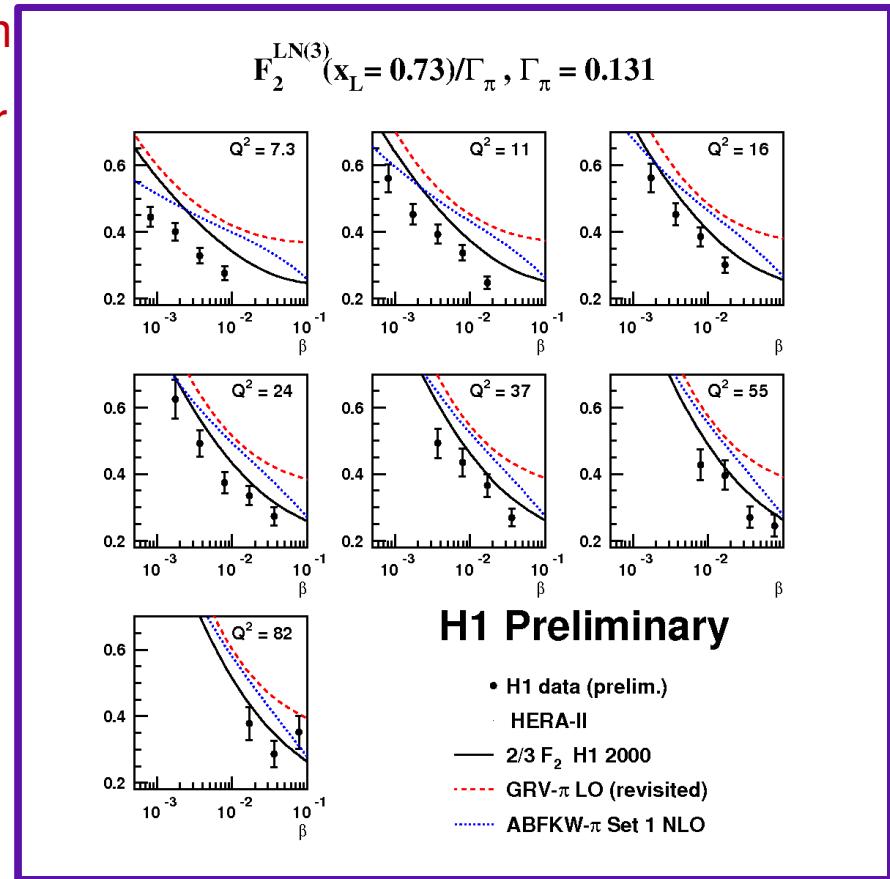
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→ V. Dodonov [146]



# H1 results at DIS09



## Searches and rare processes

- Search for single top: S. Antonelli [29]
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# Summary



- Many new results from H1
  - Milestones of the physics program are achieved
- Some Highlights
  - Excited fermion searches completed
  - Precision data on inclusive cross-sections and  $F_2$
  - Precision normalized jet cross-sections and  $\alpha_s$
  - New measurement of  $F_L$  at low  $Q^2$
  - First measurement of  $F_L^D$