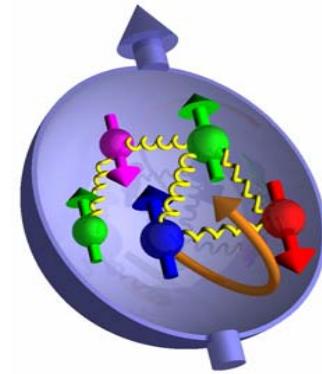


# the Spin of the nucleon -from the HERMES point of view-



# HERa MEasurement of Spin

$$\frac{S_z^N}{\hbar} = \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_z^q + \Delta G + L_z^g$$

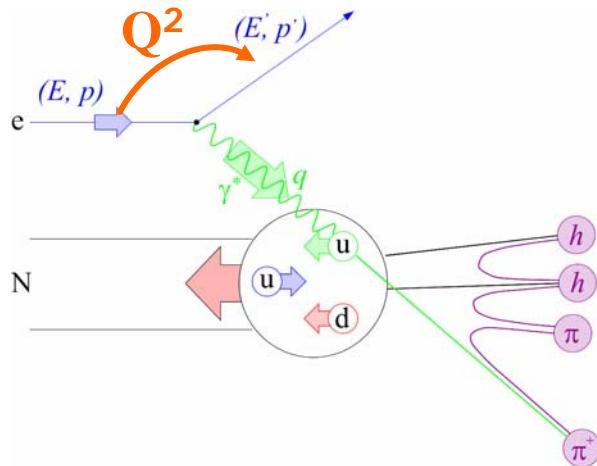


## outline:

- prerequisites
- polarisation of quarks:  $\Delta\Sigma = \Delta u_v + \Delta d_v + \Delta q_s$
- polarisation of gluons:  $\Delta G$
  
- hunting for the OAM  $L_{q,g}$  → talk by M. Düren
- transverse spin phenomena → talk by U. D'Alesio

*new  
developments*

# polarised deep-inelastic scattering



$$Q^2 = -q^2 = 2E E' (1 - \cos\theta)$$

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2Mv}^{\text{lab}}, \quad x \in [0,1] \quad v^{\text{lab}} = E - E'$$

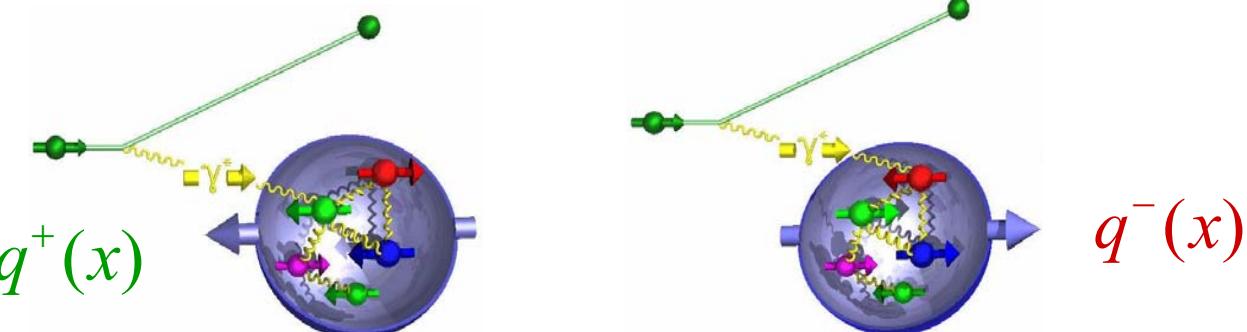
$$z = \frac{E_h}{v},$$

**factorisation:**

$$\sigma_{DIS}^h \propto \sum_f \hat{\sigma}_{part} \otimes pdf(x) \otimes frag^{q,g \rightarrow h}(z)$$

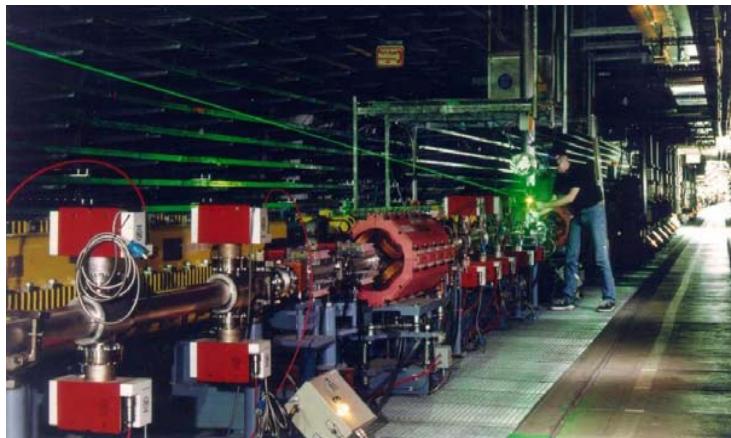


$$\Delta q(x) = q^+(x) \ominus q^-(x)$$



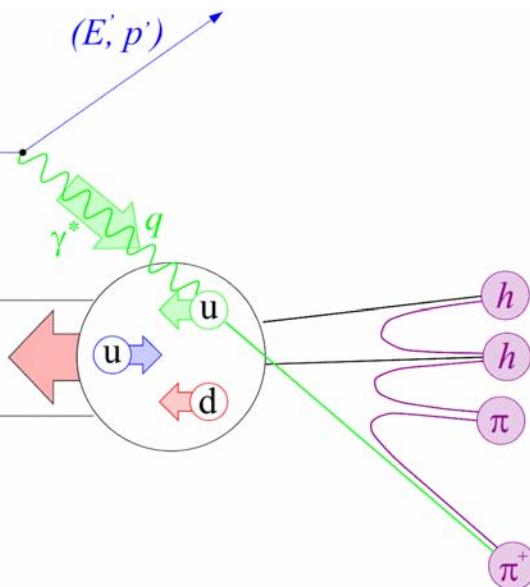
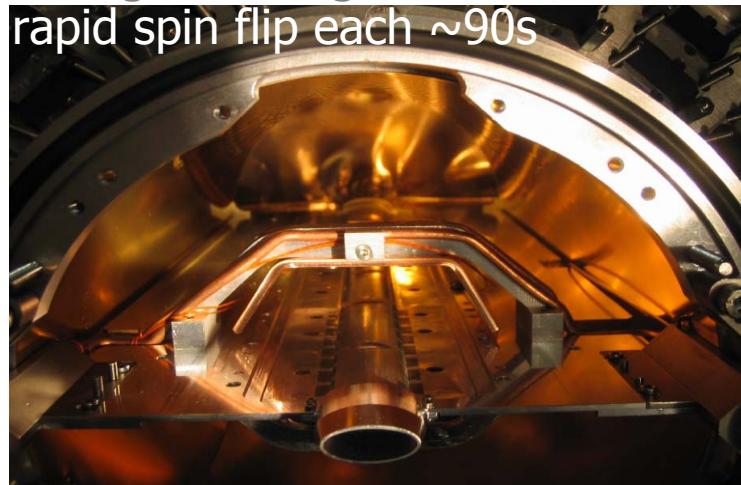
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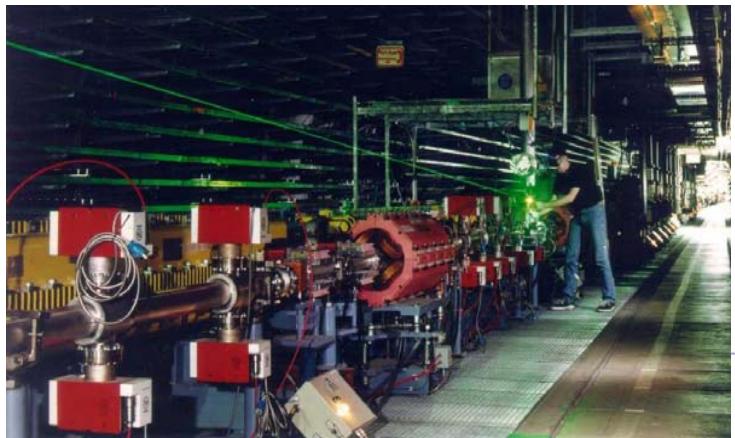
$$\delta\sigma \propto \frac{1}{P_b P_t f} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$$

f: target dilution factor

f=1 gas targets, f~0.02 solid targets

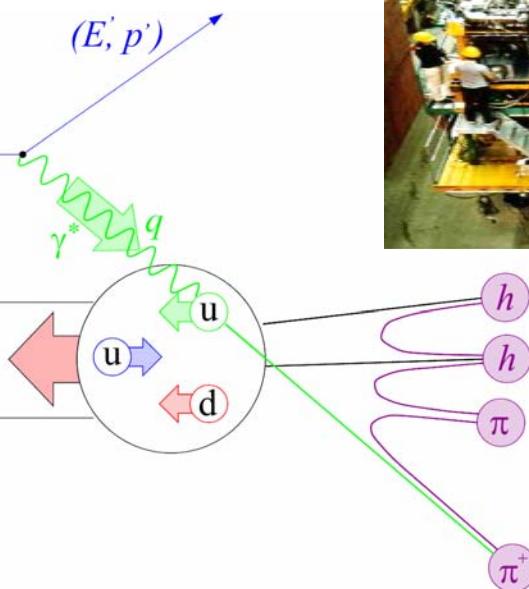
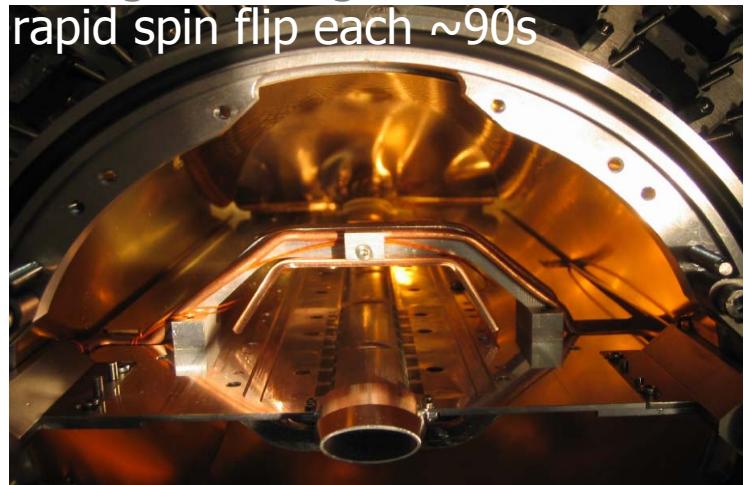
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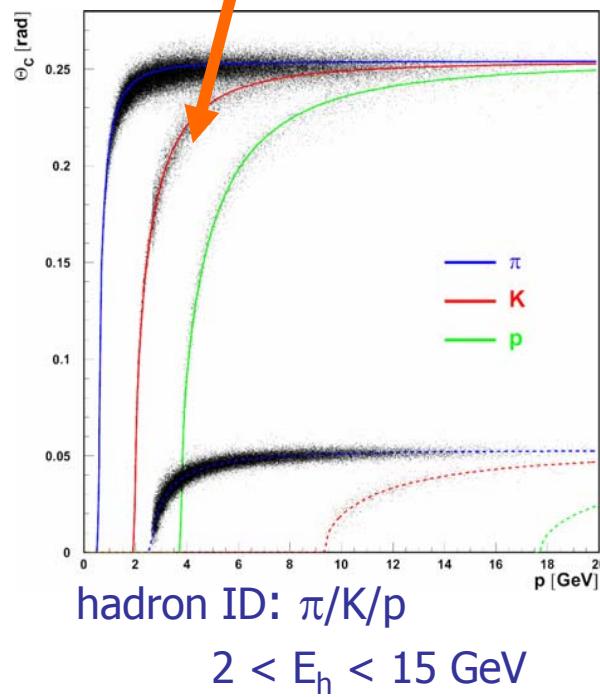


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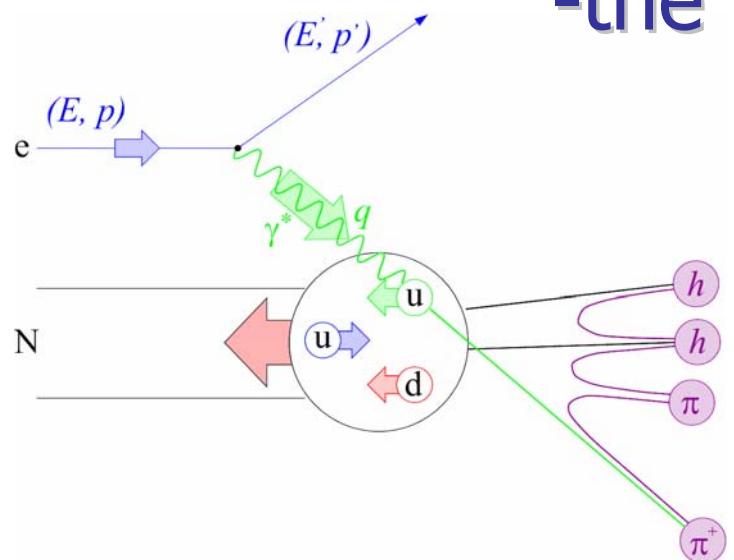


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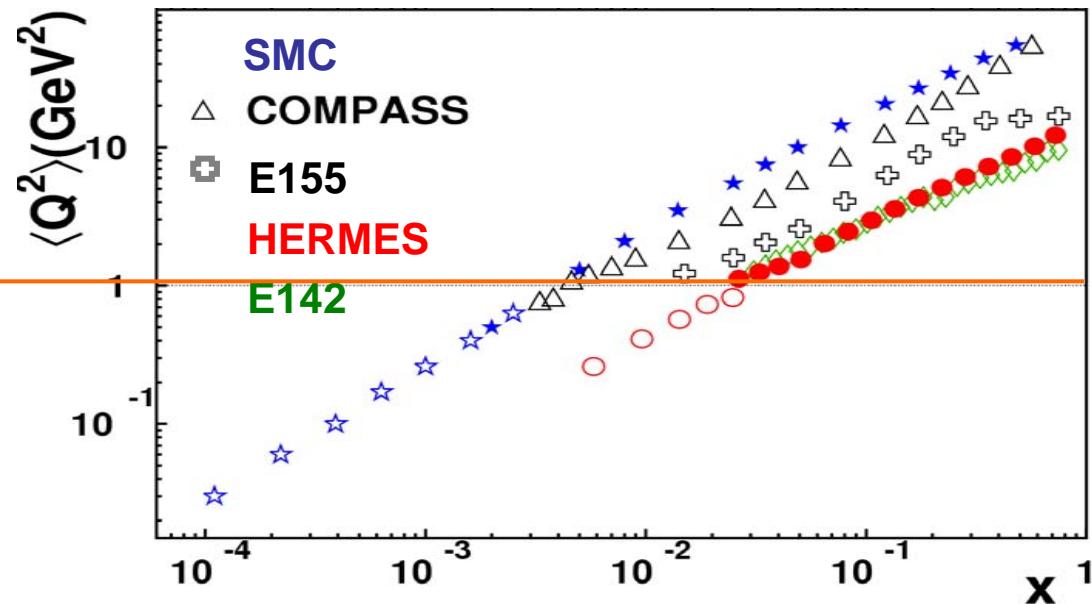


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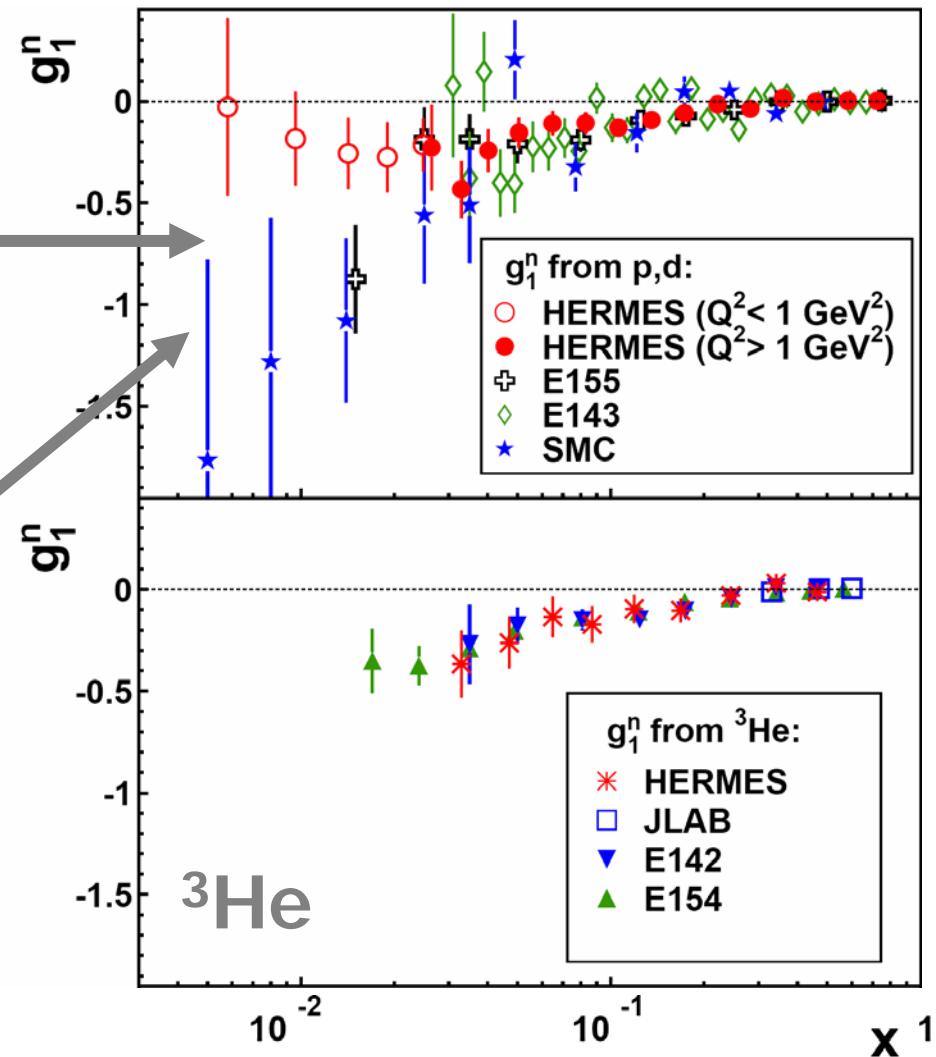
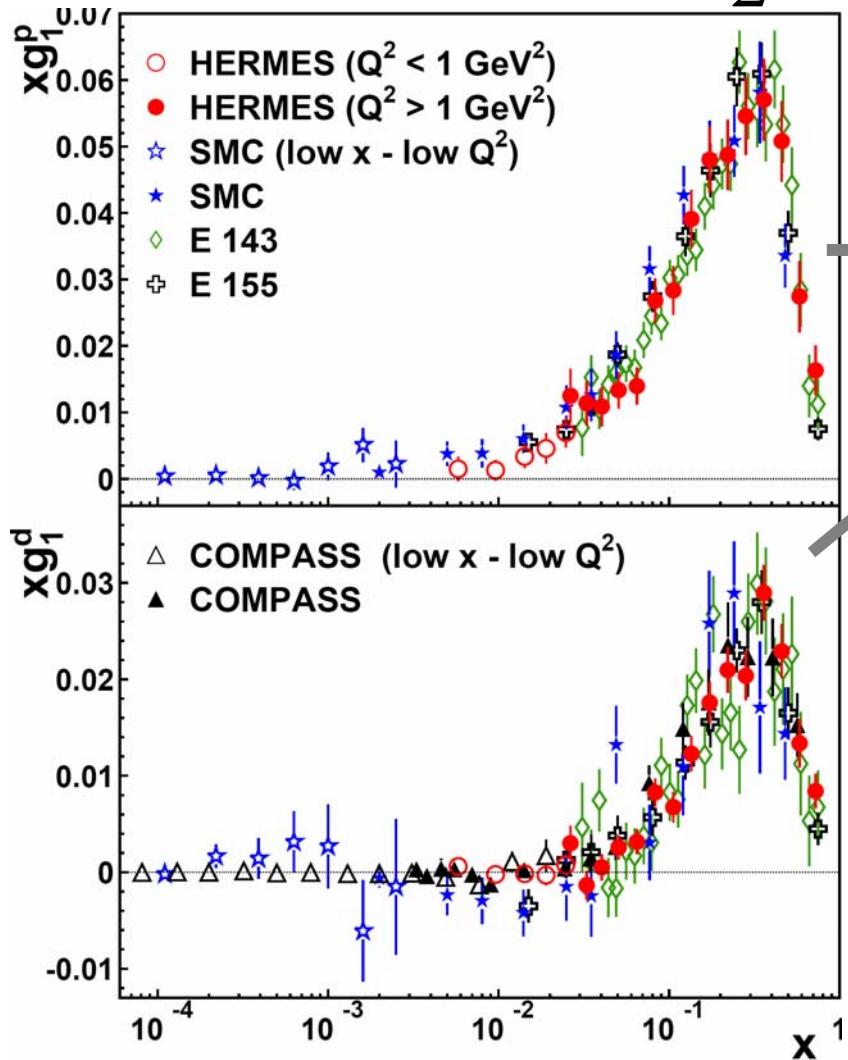


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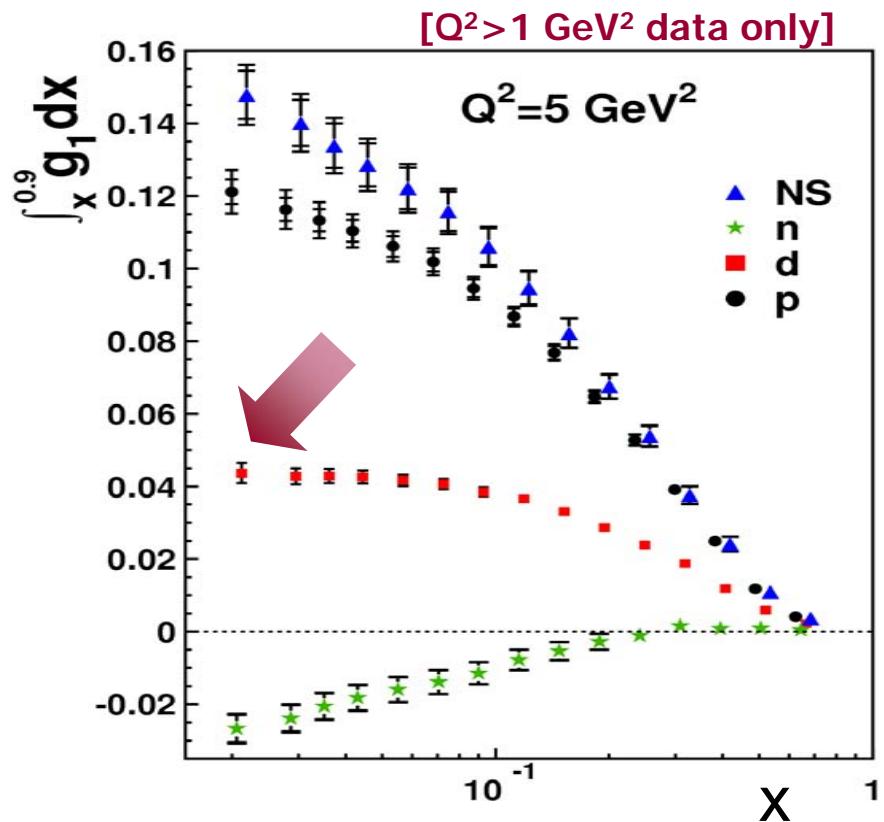


# *polarised* structure function $g_1$

$$g_1(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_q e_q^2 (\Delta q + \Delta \bar{q})$$



# first moment $\Gamma_1^d$ and $\Delta\Sigma$



→ assume *saturation* of  $\Gamma_1^d$ :

$$a_0^{\overline{\text{MS}}} = \Delta\Sigma \propto \frac{1}{\Delta C_s} \left[ 9 \Gamma_1^d - \frac{1}{4} a_8 \Delta C_{NS} \right]$$

from theory

from hyperon beta decay

$$a_0^{\overline{\text{MS}}} = \Delta\Sigma \quad (\text{exp}) \quad (\text{theory}) \quad (\text{evol}) \\ = 0.330 \pm 0.025 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.028$$

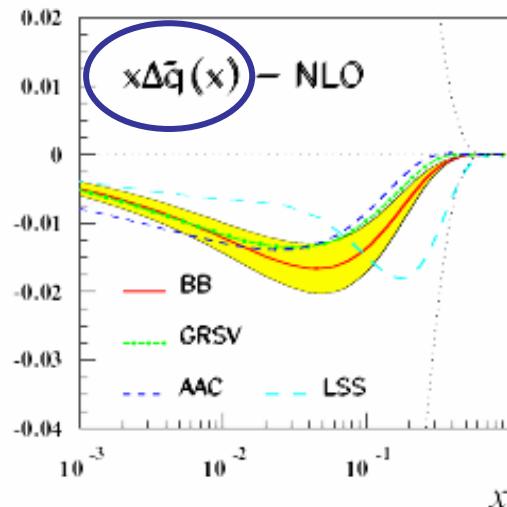
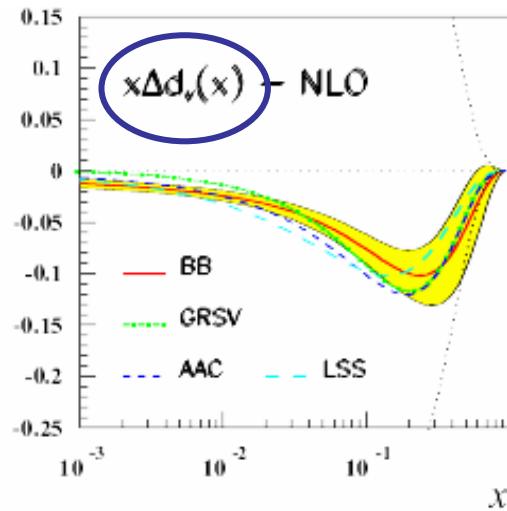
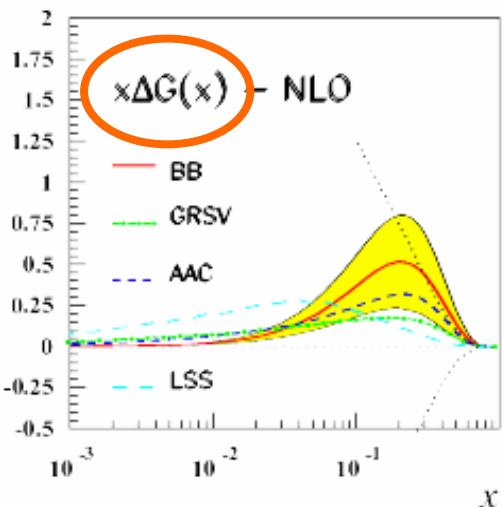
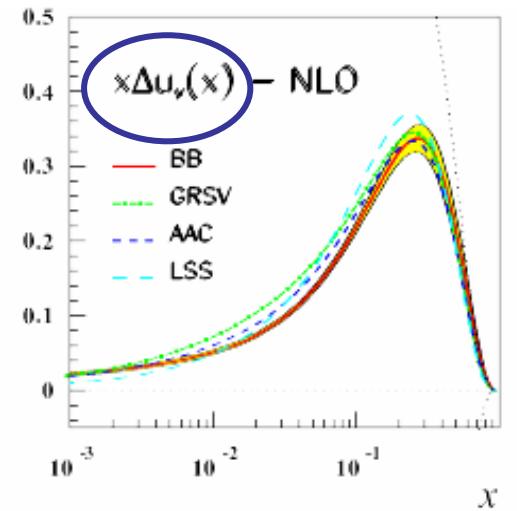


QCD-fit:

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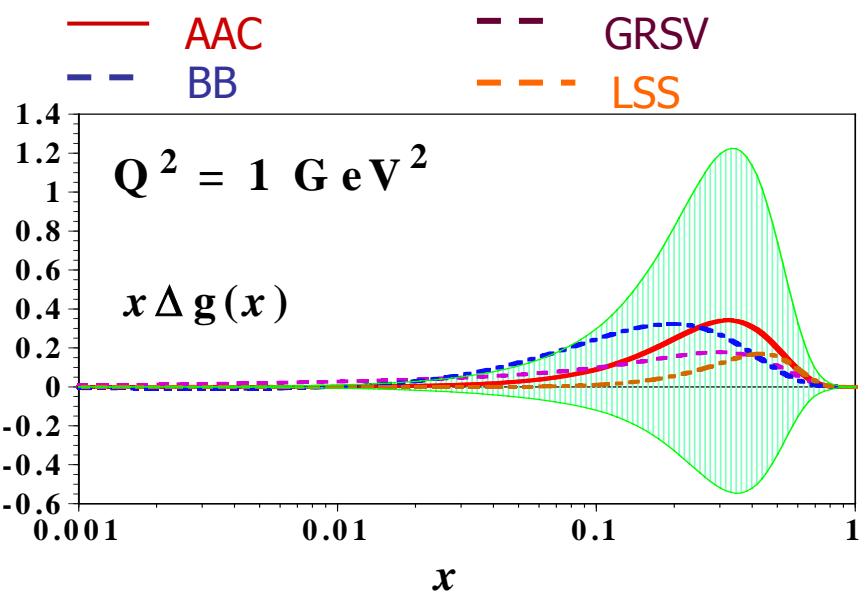
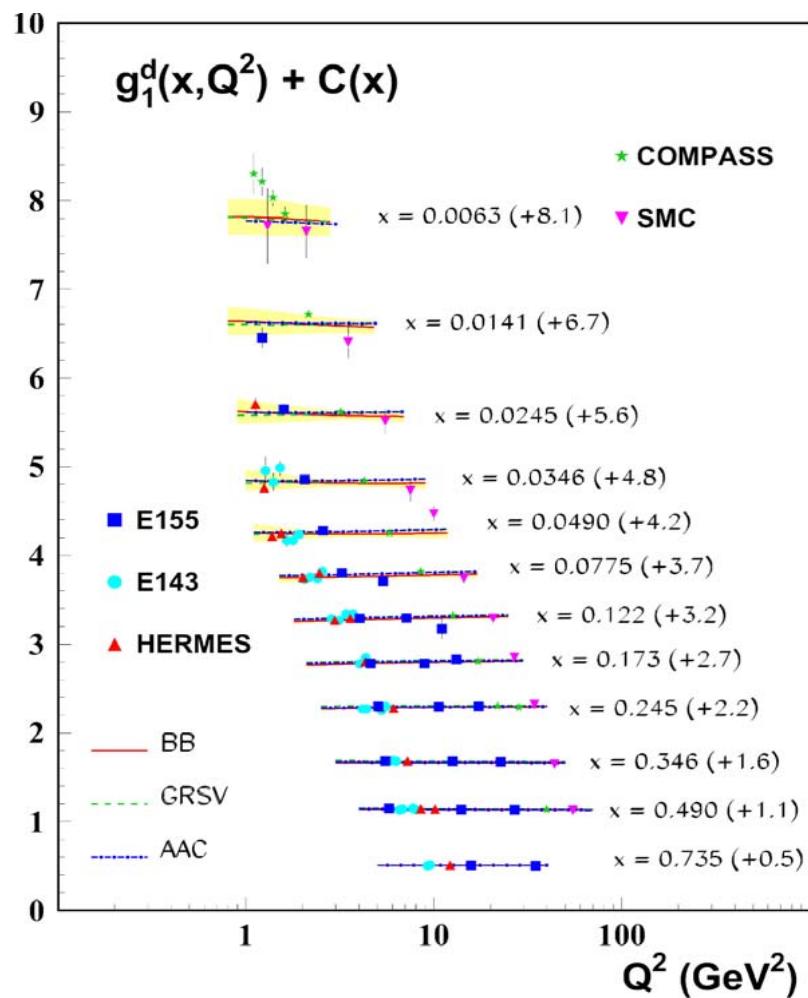
# $\Delta q$ and $\Delta G$ from inclusive data

$$g_1^{\text{NLO}}(x, Q^2) = g_1^{\text{LO}} + \frac{1}{2} \left\langle e^2 \right\rangle \sum_q e_q^2 [\Delta q(x, Q^2) \otimes C_q + \Delta g(x, Q^2) \otimes C_g]$$



# call for more direct probes...

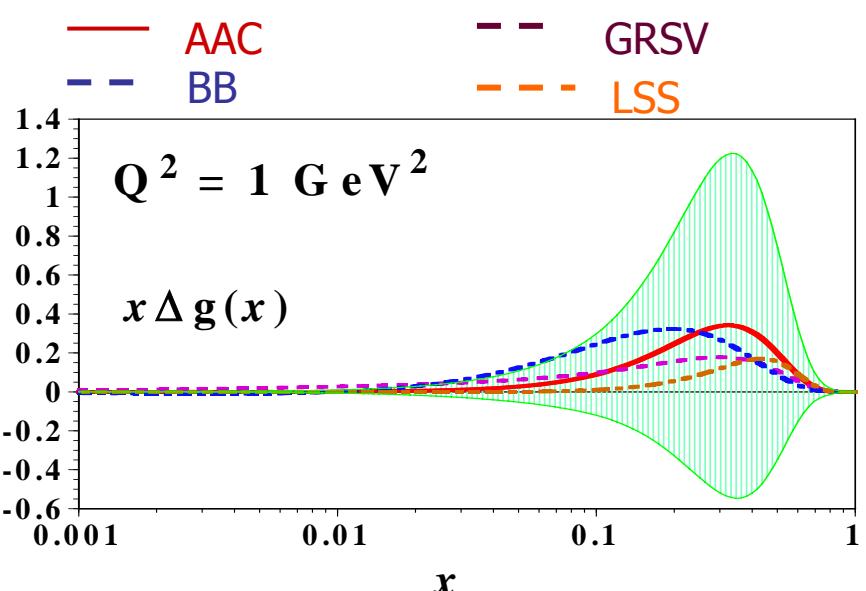
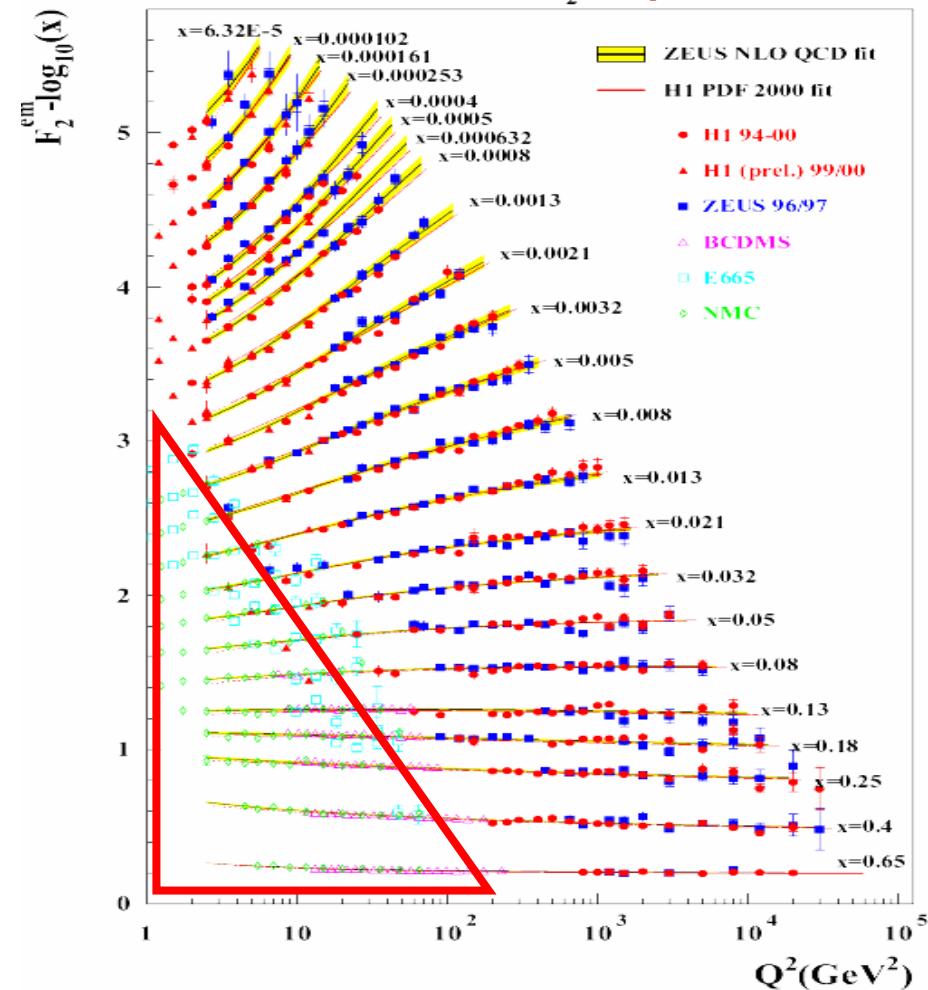
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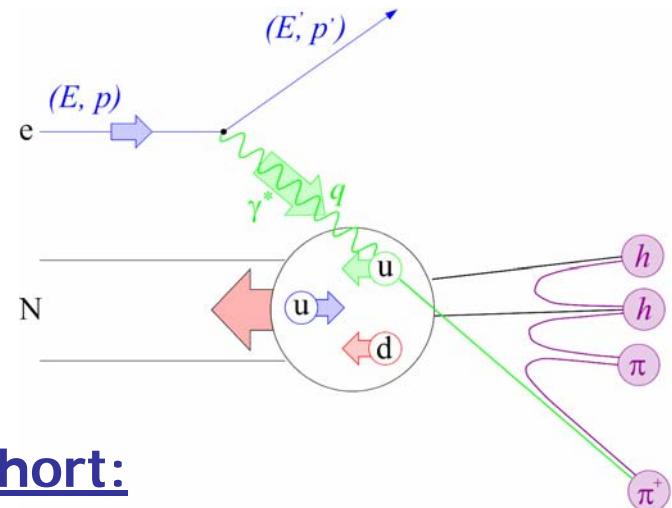
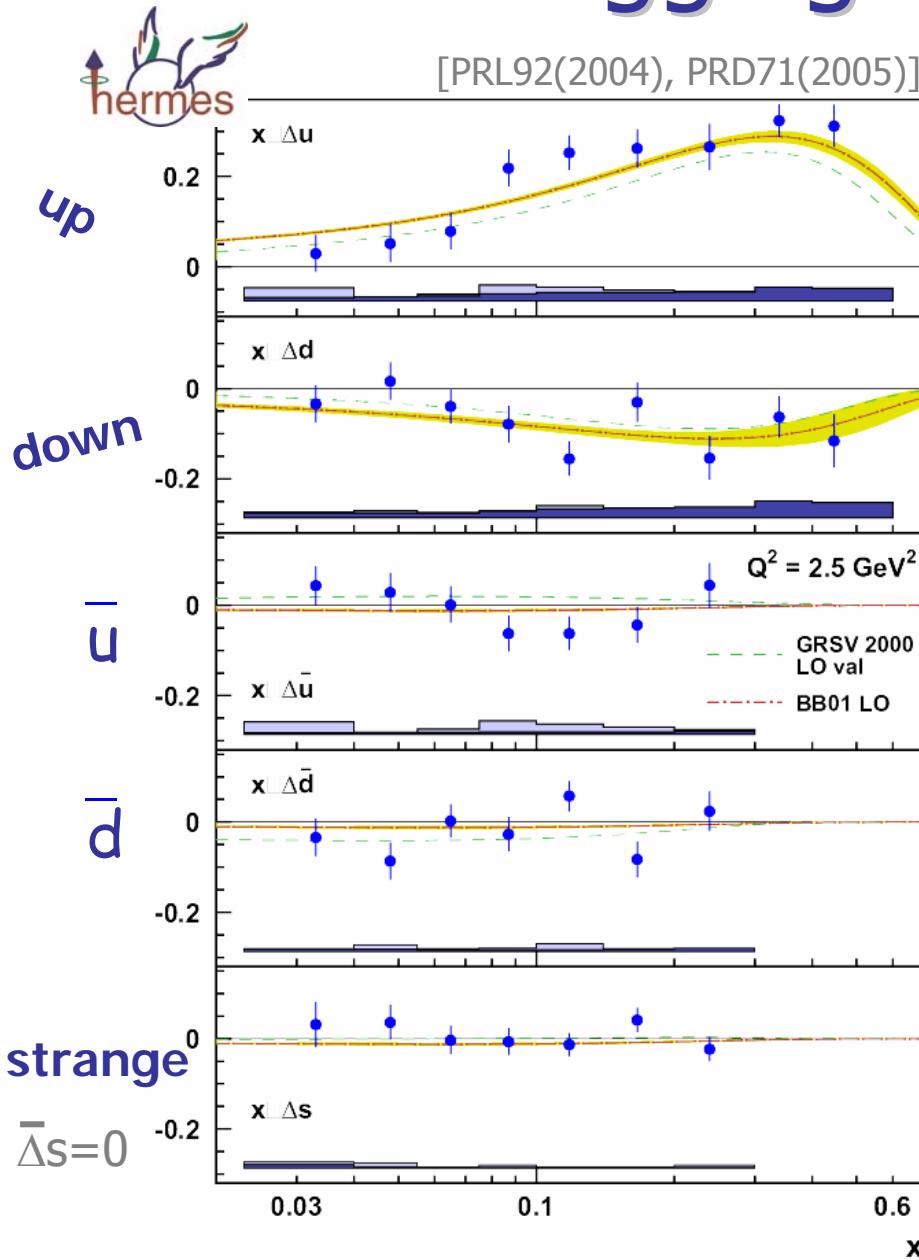
**HERA  $F_2$  unpolarised DIS**



need *polarised collider* to  
extend kinematic coverage

→ need *more direct*  
probes

# flavour tagging: *semi-inclusive* DIS



in short:

$\Delta u(x) > 0$  and large

$\Delta d(x) < 0$  and smaller

$\Delta s(x) \approx 0$

**HERMES: only direct 5-flavour separation of polarised pdfs**

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- *strange-quark* fragmentation function either directly from data or from parametrisations

→ only assumptions:

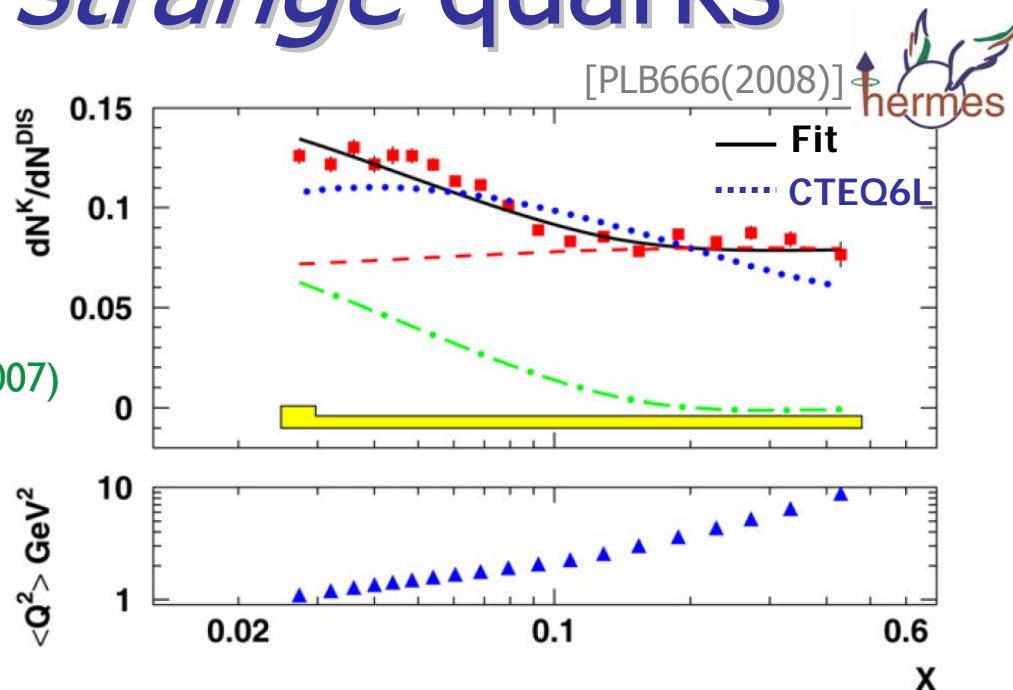
- isospin symmetry between proton and neutron
- charge conjugation invariance in fragmentation

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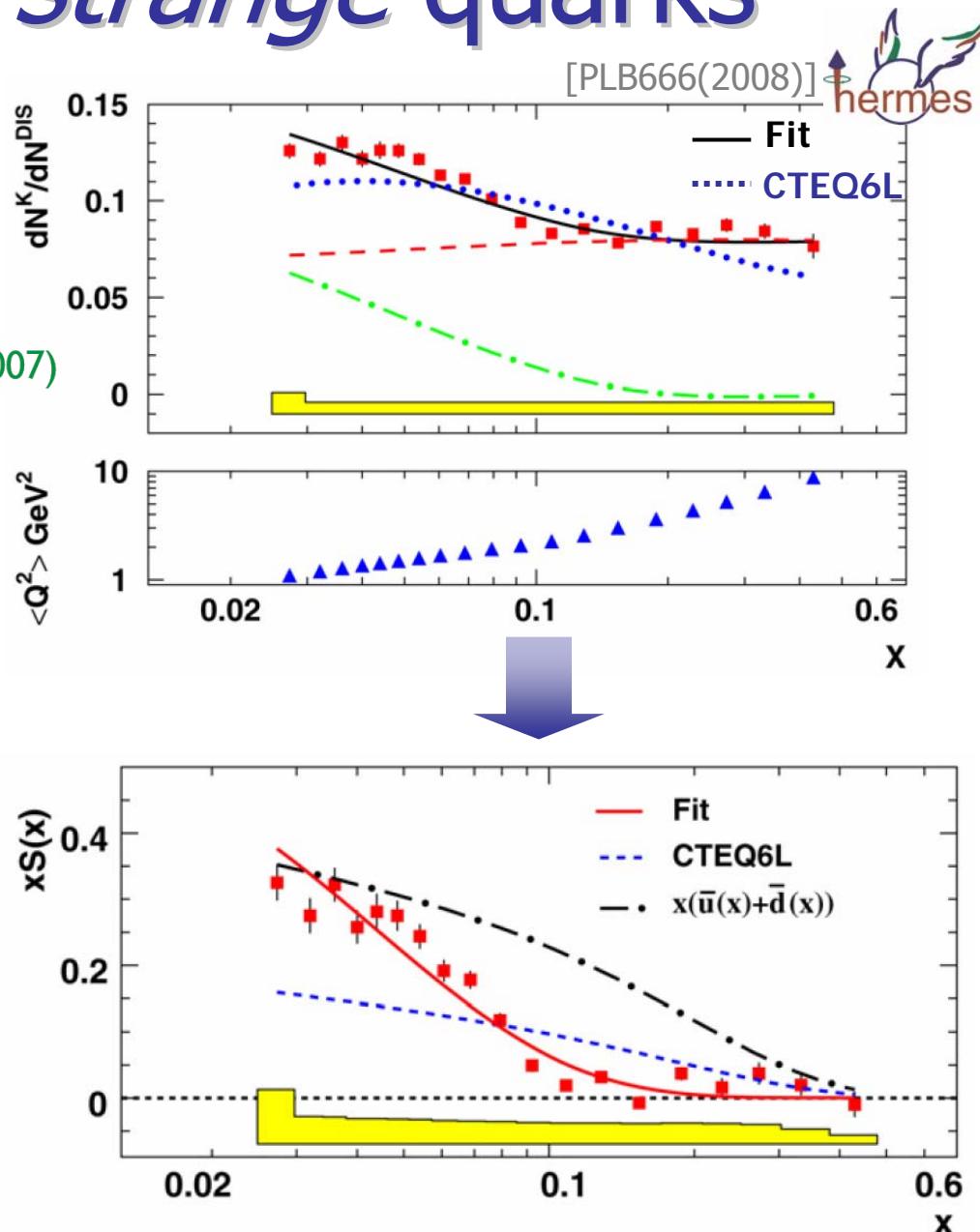
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- S(x) non-zero for  $x < 0.1$   
vanishes for  $x > 0.1$
- apparent discrepancy with  
CTEQ6L
- S(x) NOT an average of an  
isoscalar non-strange see



# polarised *strange* quarks

- results consistent with previous flavour decomposition

- no sizeable negatively polarised strange sea as expected from inclusive DIS results

- sign of violation of  $SU(3)_f$  symmetry or of substantial contribution from low- $x$  region

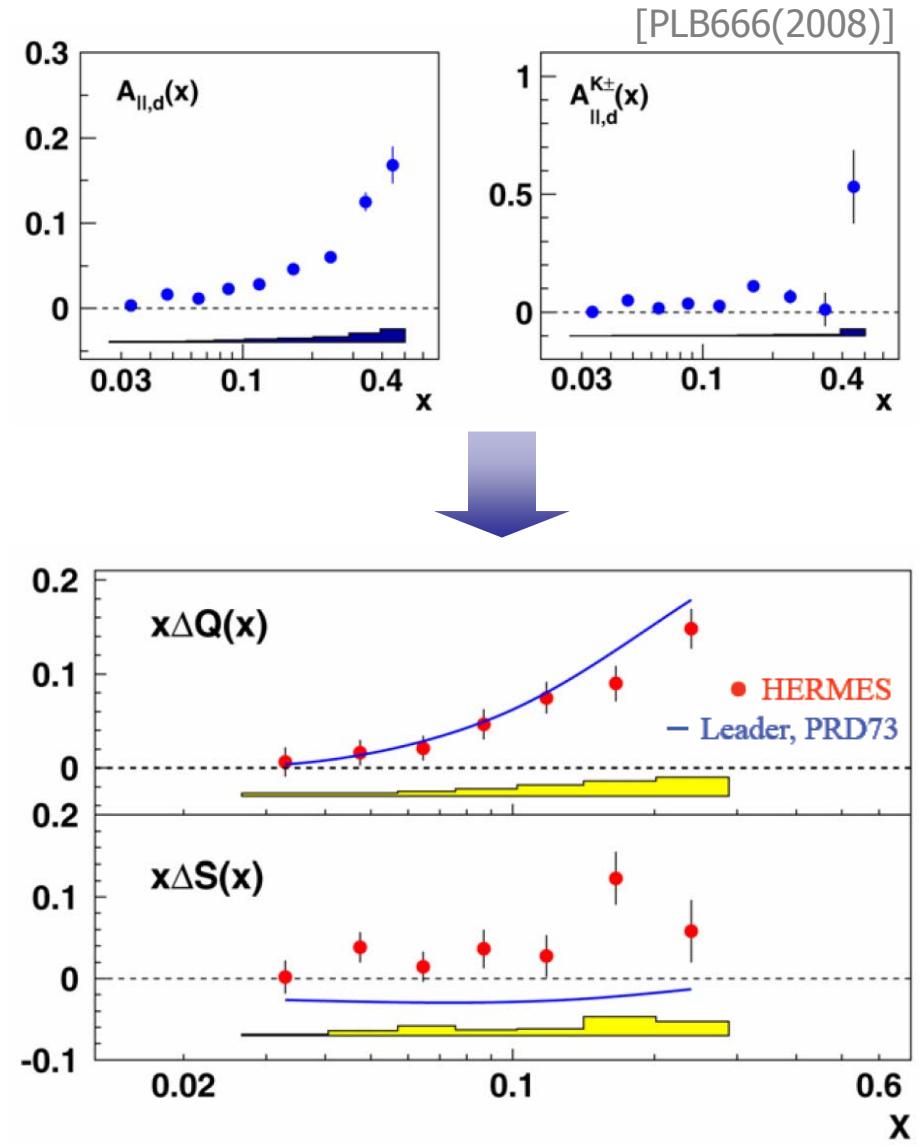
*axial charge:*  $a_8 = \Delta q_8 = \Delta Q - 2\Delta S$

→ HERMES: ( $0.02 < x < 0.6$ )

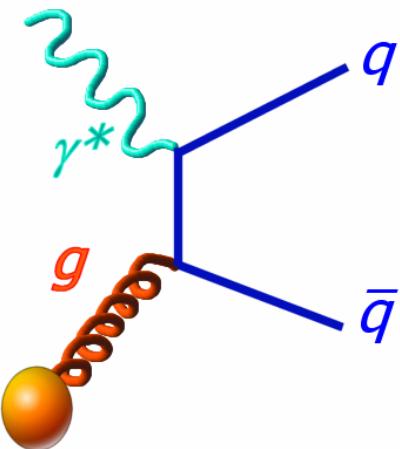
$$\Delta q_8 = 0.285 \pm 0.073$$

→ hyperon decay constants (SU(3) symm)

$$\Delta q_8 = 0.586 \pm 0.031$$



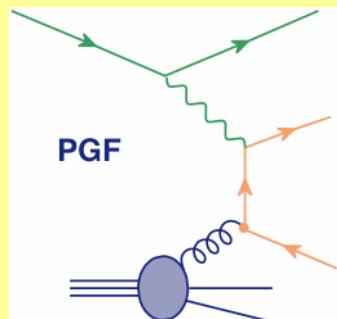
# 'direct' measurement of $\Delta G$



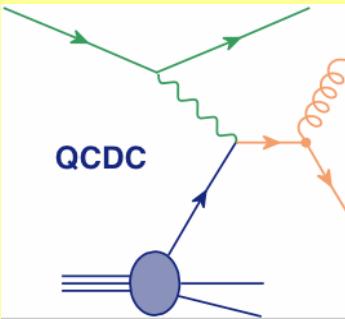
Photon-Gluon Fusion (PGF)

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  - theoretically very clean
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  - due to variety of background processes

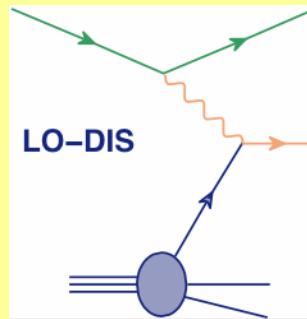
other sub-processes make life hard:



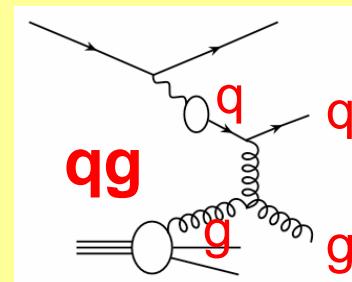
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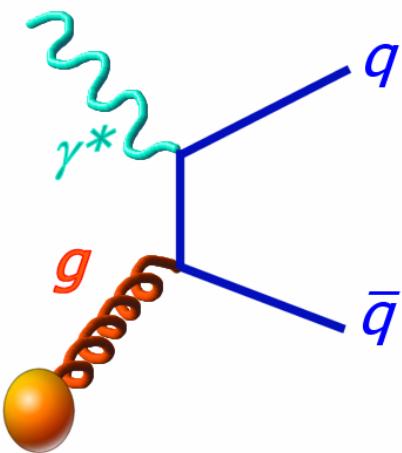


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extraction relies on Monte Carlo description of subprocesses (pythia)

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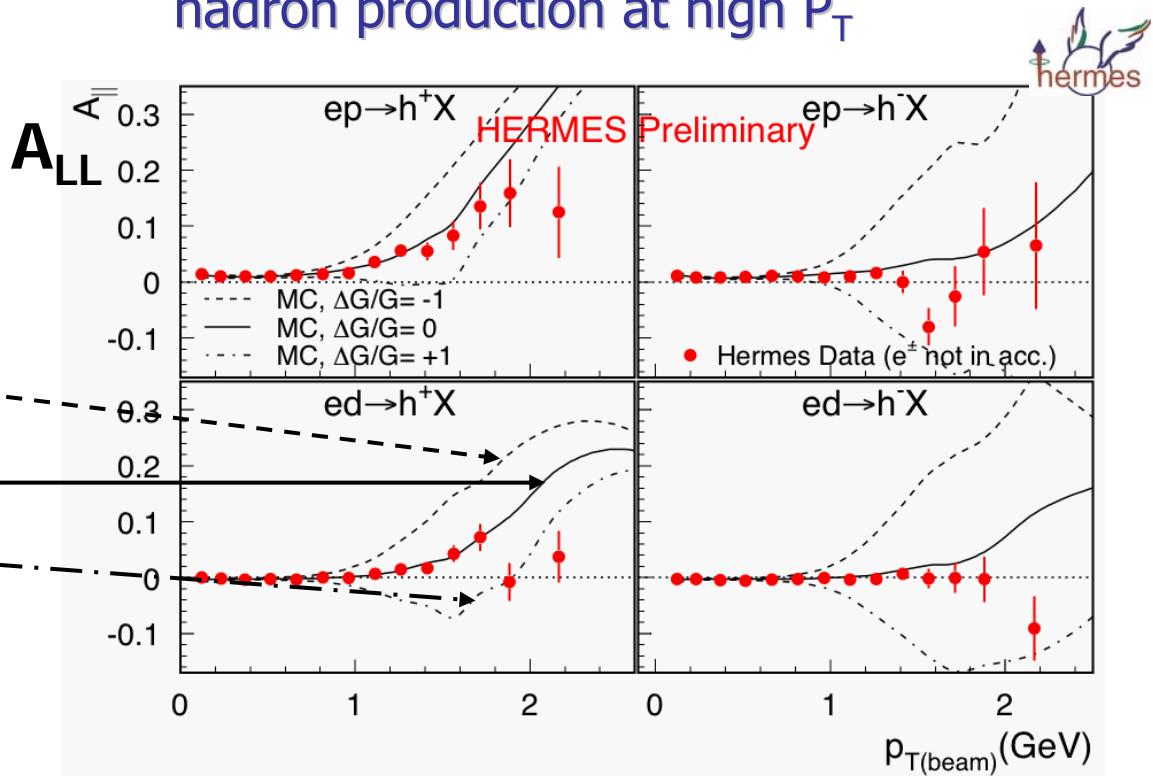
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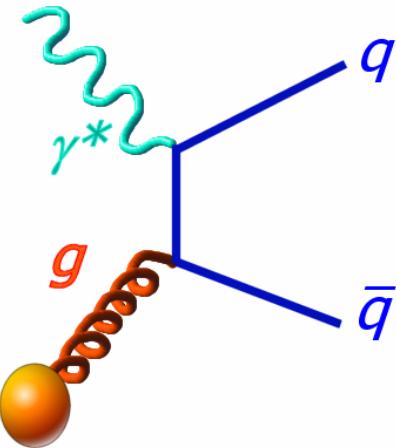
$$\Delta g/g = -1$$

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$$\Delta g/g = +1$$



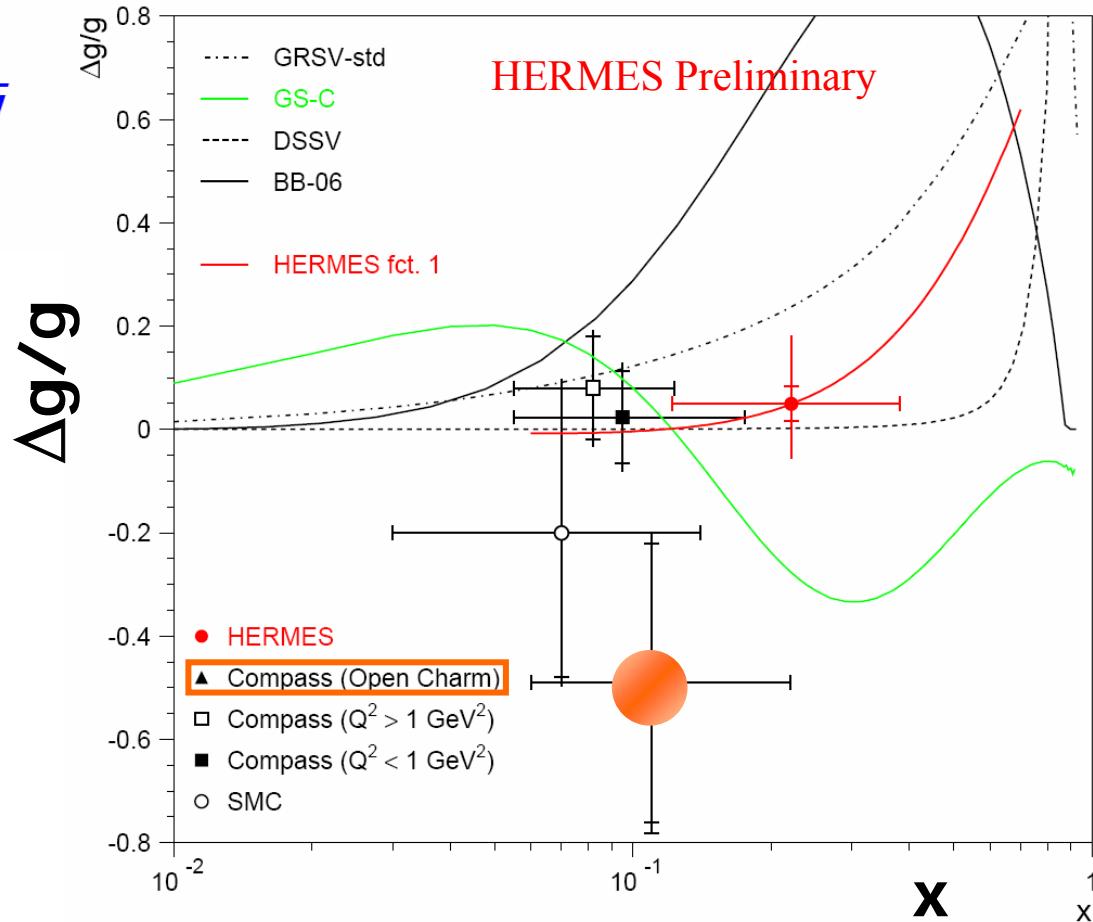
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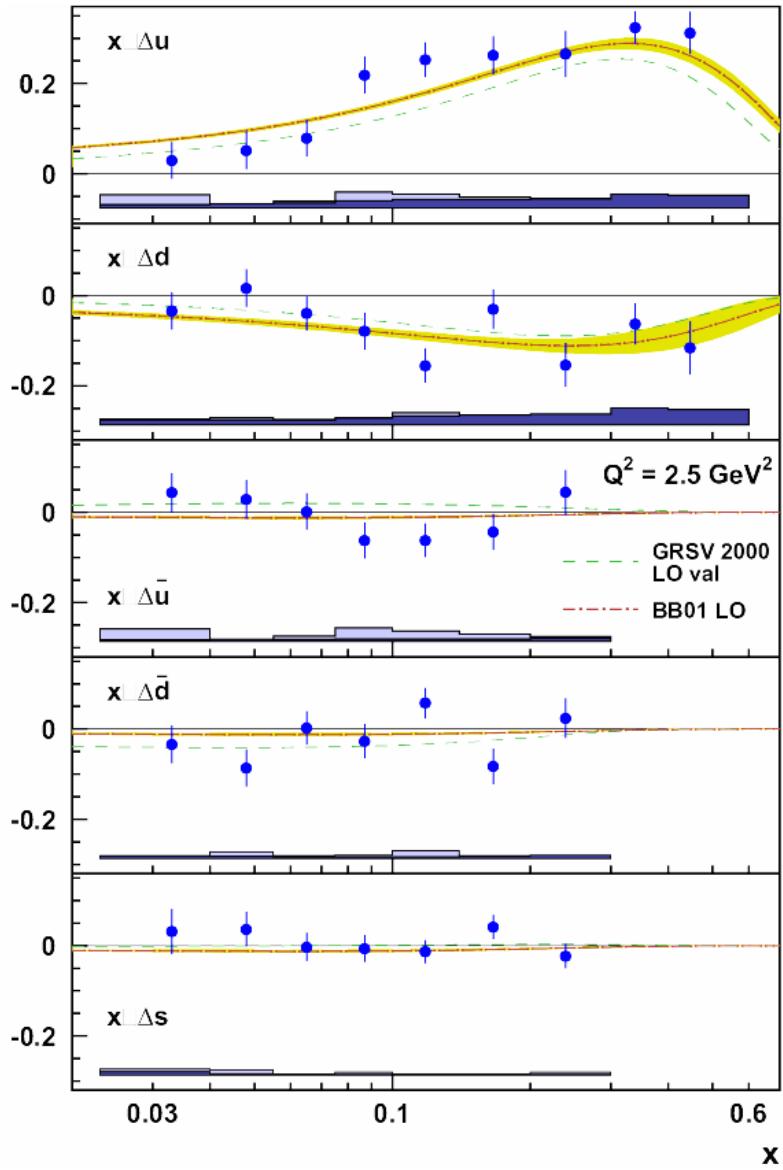
@ $x[0.06, 0.3]$

$\Delta g/g \sim \text{zero!}$

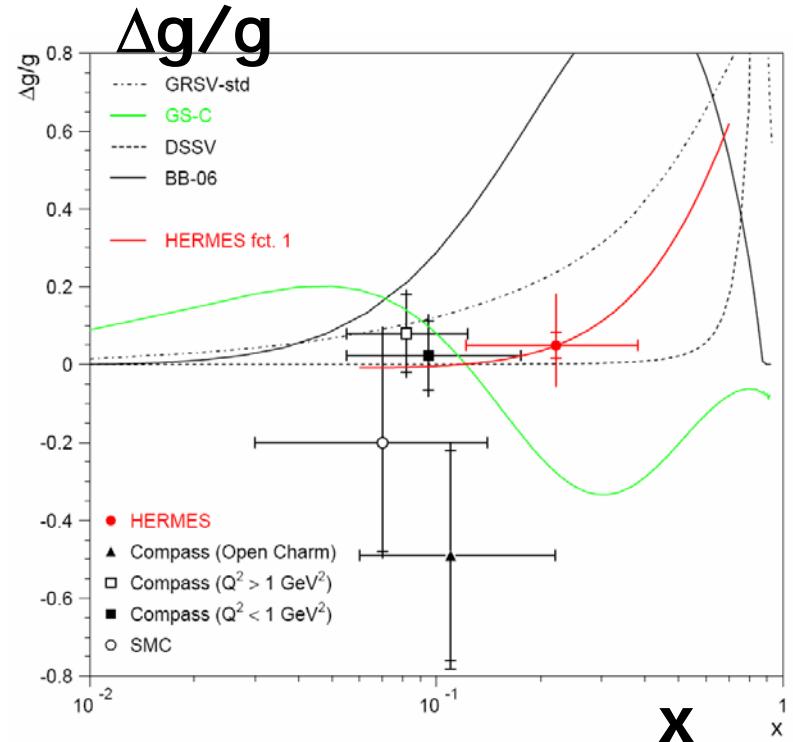
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# quark and gluon polarisations



$\Delta\Sigma \sim 0.3$   
 $\Delta G \sim 0$   
 → orbital angular momentum → next talk



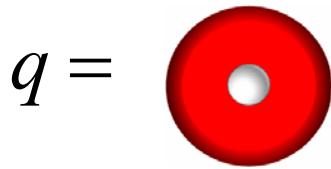
# transverse spin phenomena



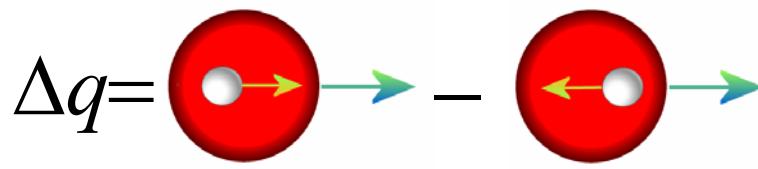
beyond collinear approximation

# quark structure of the nucleon

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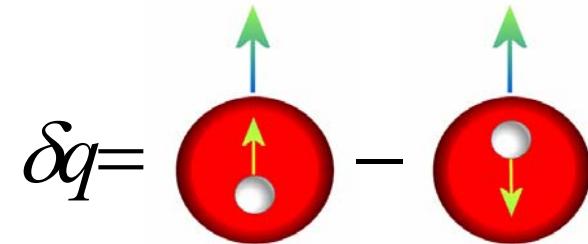


$q =$



unpolarised quarks  
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longitudinally polarised  
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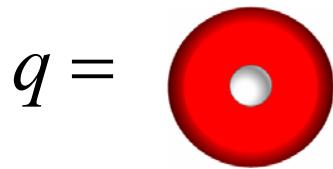
[also:  $h_1^q$ ,  $\Delta_T q$ ]

## Peculiarities of $\delta q$

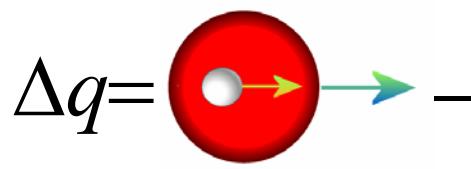
- probes relativistic nature of quarks  
 $\rightarrow$  otherwise  $\delta q = \Delta q$
- no gluon analog for spin-1/2 nucleon  
 $\rightarrow$  different  $Q^2$  evolution than  $\Delta q$
- sensitive to *valence* quark polarisation
- only known way to obtain tensor charge

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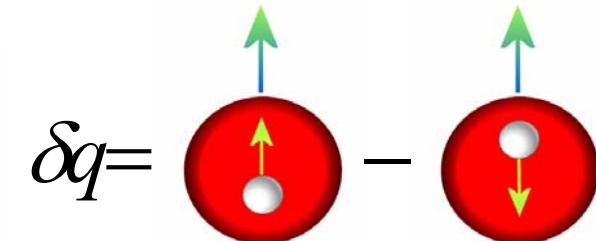
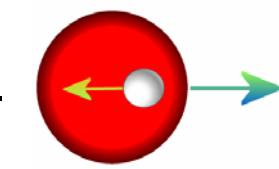
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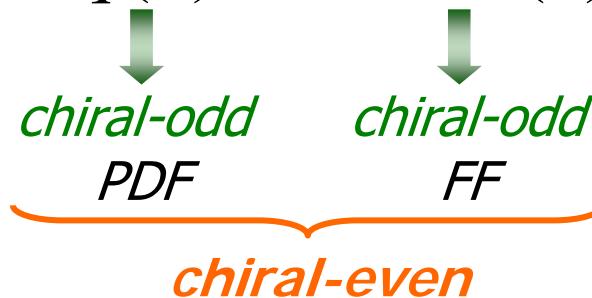
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[also:  $h_1^q$ ,  $\Delta_T q$ ]

$\delta q$ : *helicity-flip of both nucleon and quark*

$\delta q$  is *chiral-odd*  $\rightarrow$  needs a chiral odd partner:

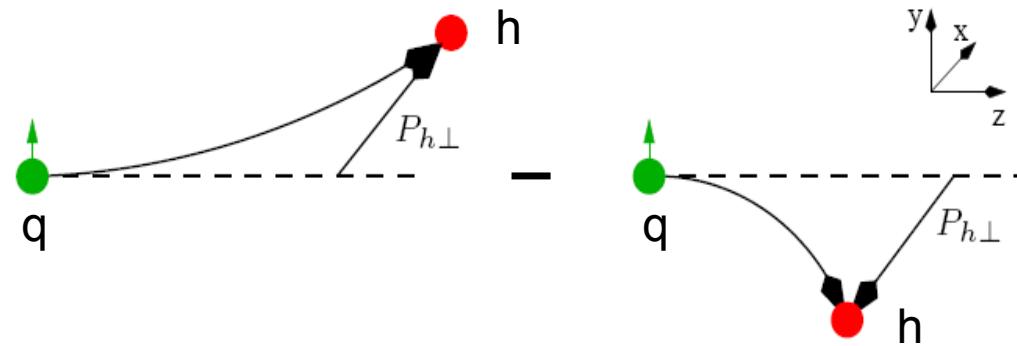
$$\text{SIDIS: } \sigma^{ep \rightarrow ehX} \propto \sum_q \sigma^{eq \rightarrow eq} \otimes \delta q(x) \otimes FF^{q \rightarrow h}(z)$$



→ **chiral-odd fragmentation function** acts as polarimeter of transverse quark polarisation

# “Collins-effect”

- *Collins FF*  $H_1^\perp(z, k_T^2)$  correlates *transverse spin* of fragmenting quark and *transverse momentum*  $P_{h\perp}$  of produced hadron  $h$



→ left-right (azimuthal) asymmetry in the direction of the outgoing hadron

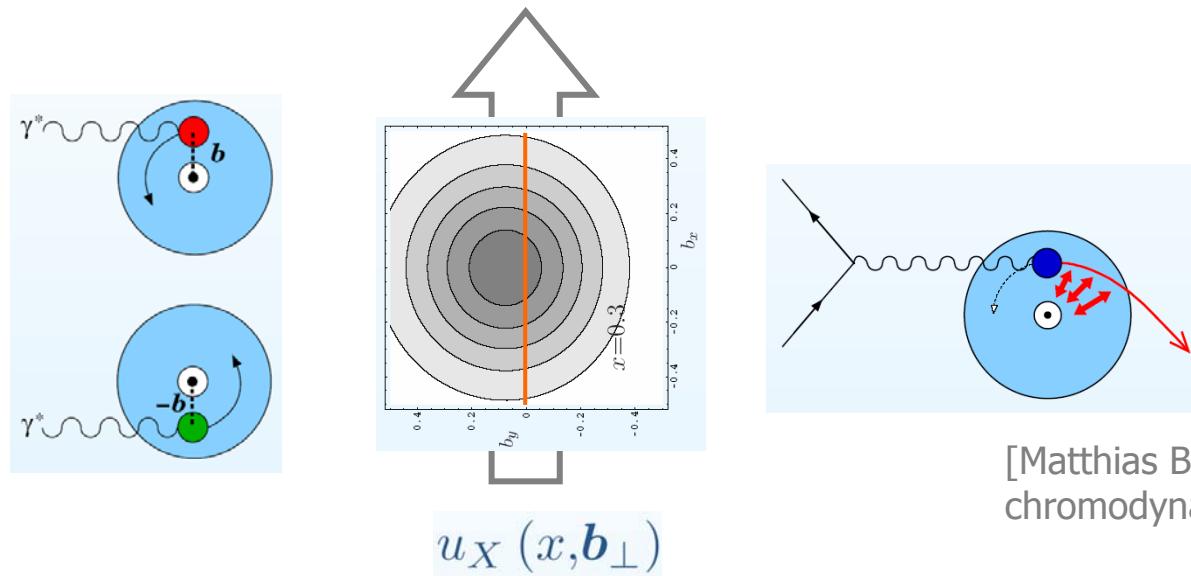
our observable: single-spin azimuthal asymmetry

# is this observable unique?

## “*Sivers-effect*”

- another mechanism that produces single-spin azimuthal asymmetries:

***Sivers distribution*** function : distribution of unpolarised quarks in a transversely polarised nucleon → describes *spin-orbit correlations*



a non-zero Sivers fct. requires non-zero orbital angular momentum !  
Sivers fct. is (naively) time-reversal *odd* !

# polarised DIS<sup>h</sup> cross section

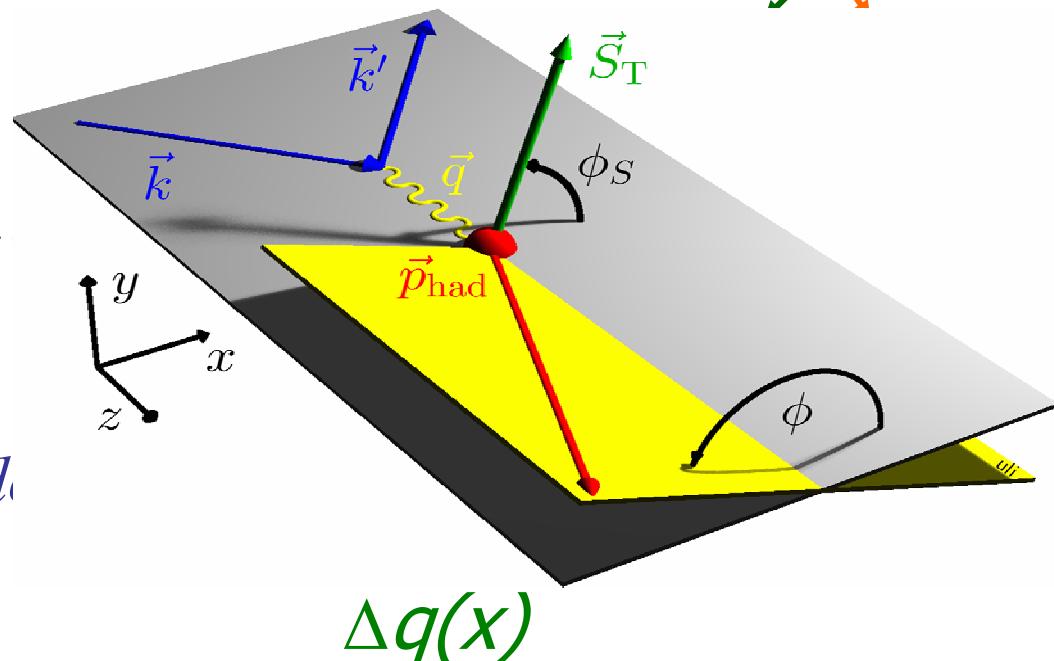
$$\sigma_{UU}$$

$$d\sigma^h(x, y, z, P_{h\perp}, \phi, \dots) =$$

$$d\sigma_{UU} + \cos 2\phi d\sigma_{UU} + \frac{1}{Q}$$

$q(x)$

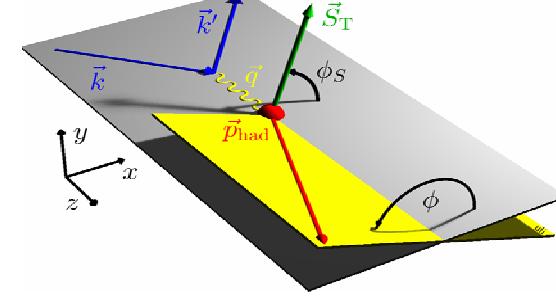
$$+ S_L \left[ \sin 2\phi d\sigma_{UL} + \frac{1}{Q} \sin \phi d\sigma_{UL} \right]$$



$$+ S_T \left[ \sin(\phi + \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT} + \sin(\phi - \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT} + \sin(3\phi - \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT} + \frac{1}{Q} \dots \right]$$

$$+ \lambda S_T \left[ \cos(\phi - \phi_S) + \frac{1}{Q} \dots \right] + \dots$$

# polarised DIS<sup>h</sup> cross section



$$d\sigma^h(x, y, z, P_{h\perp}, \phi, \dots) =$$

$$\text{green circle: } d\sigma_{UU} + \cos 2\phi d\sigma_{UU} + \frac{1}{Q} \cos \phi d\sigma_{UU} + \lambda \frac{1}{Q} \sin \phi d\sigma_{LU}$$

$q(x)$

$$+ S_L \left[ \sin 2\phi d\sigma_{UL} + \frac{1}{Q} \sin \phi d\sigma_{UL} \right] + \text{green oval: } \lambda S_L \left[ d\sigma_{LL} + \frac{1}{Q} \cos \phi d\sigma_{LL} \right]$$

$$\delta q \otimes H_1^\perp + f_{1T}^\perp \otimes D_1 + h_L \dots$$

$$\Delta q(x)$$

$$+ S_T \left[ \sin(\phi + \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT} + \sin(\phi - \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT} + \sin(3\phi - \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT} + \frac{1}{Q} \dots \right]$$

$$\delta q \otimes H_1^\perp$$

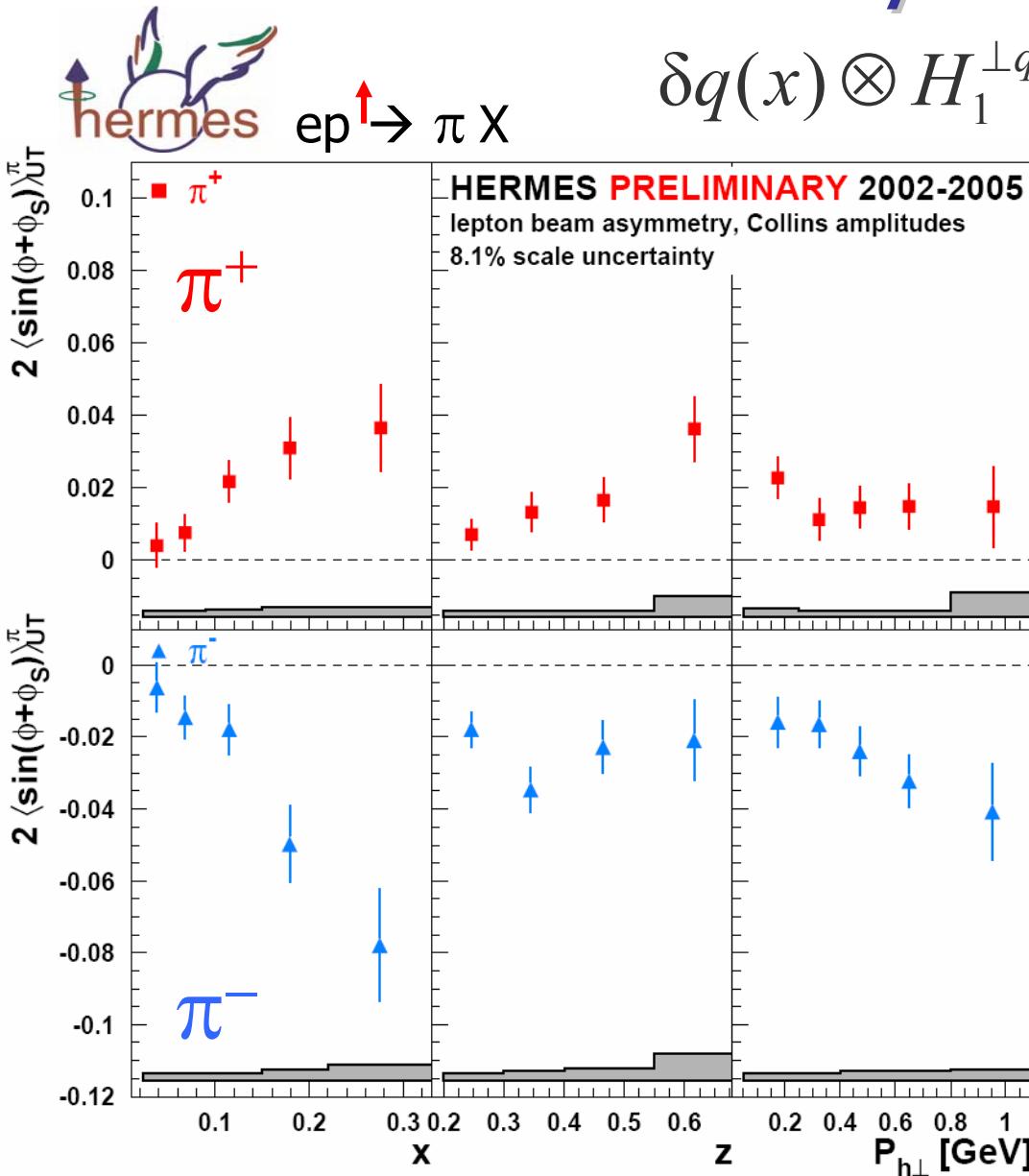
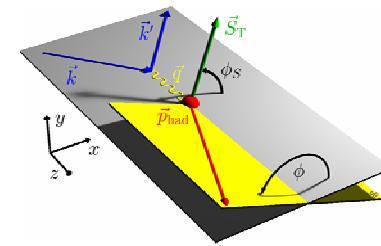
$$f_{1T}^\perp \otimes D_1$$

*transversity*  
(Collins effect)

SIDIS with *transversely*  
polarised targets but not only...

$$-\phi_S) + \frac{1}{Q} \dots \right] + \dots$$

# Collins asymmetries

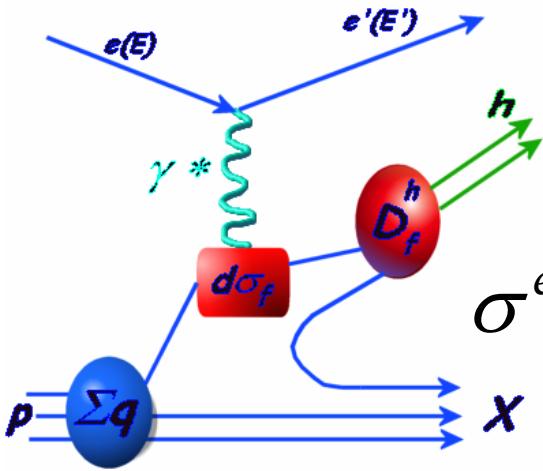


first time: *transversity & Collins FF are non-zero!*

- $\pi^+$  asymmetries positive – no surprise: u-quark dominance and expect  $\delta q > 0$  since  $\Delta q > 0$
- large negative  $\pi^-$  asymmetries – ARE a surprise: suggests the *disfavoured CollinsFF* being large and with opposite sign:

$$H_1^{\perp, \text{disfav}}(z) \approx -H_1^{\perp, \text{fav}}(z)$$

# extracting *transversity*



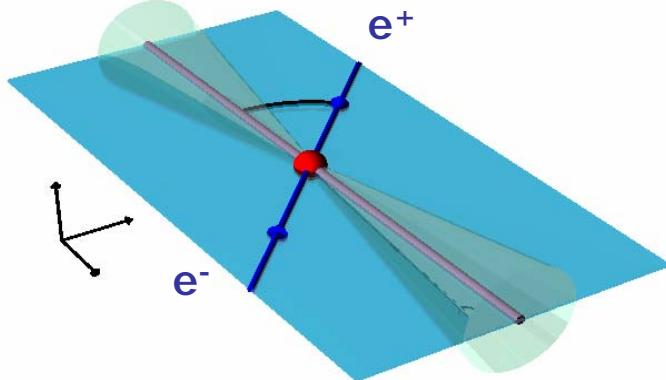
$$\sigma^{ep \rightarrow ehX} \propto \sum_q \sigma^{eq \rightarrow eq} \otimes \delta q(x)$$

$\otimes \delta q(x)$

$\otimes FF^{q \rightarrow h}(z)$

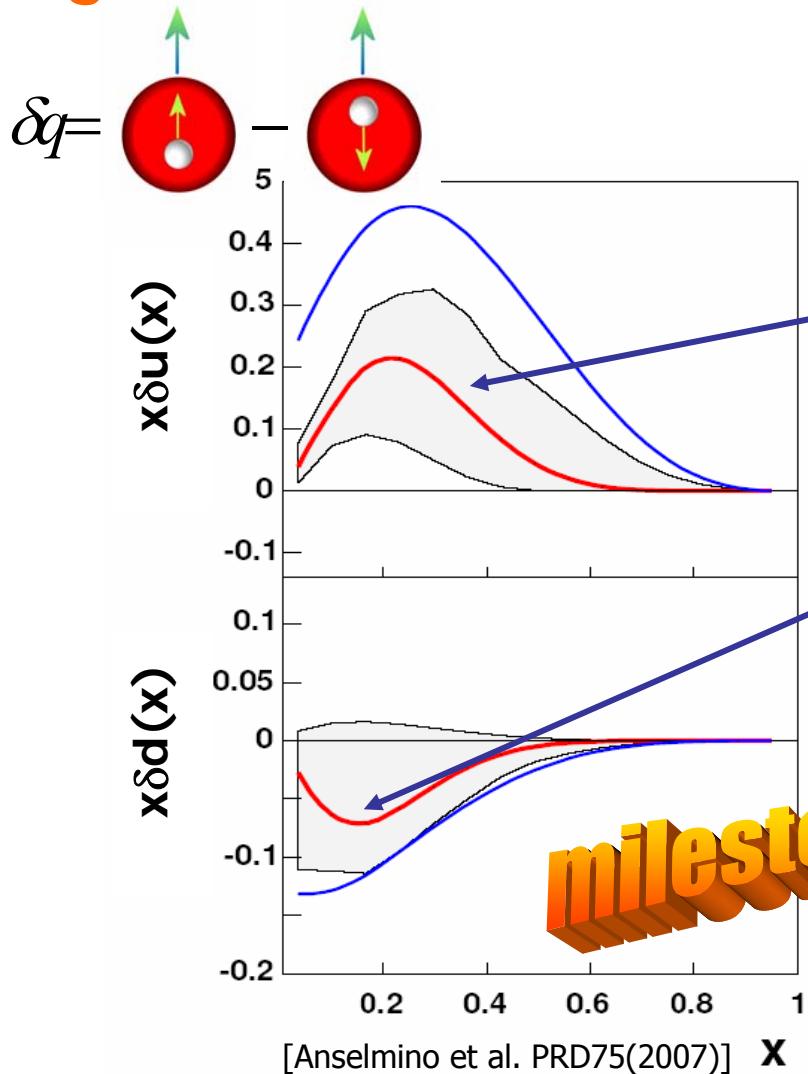
*spin-dependent  
fragmentation  
function*

$\rightarrow$   
 $e^+e^-$

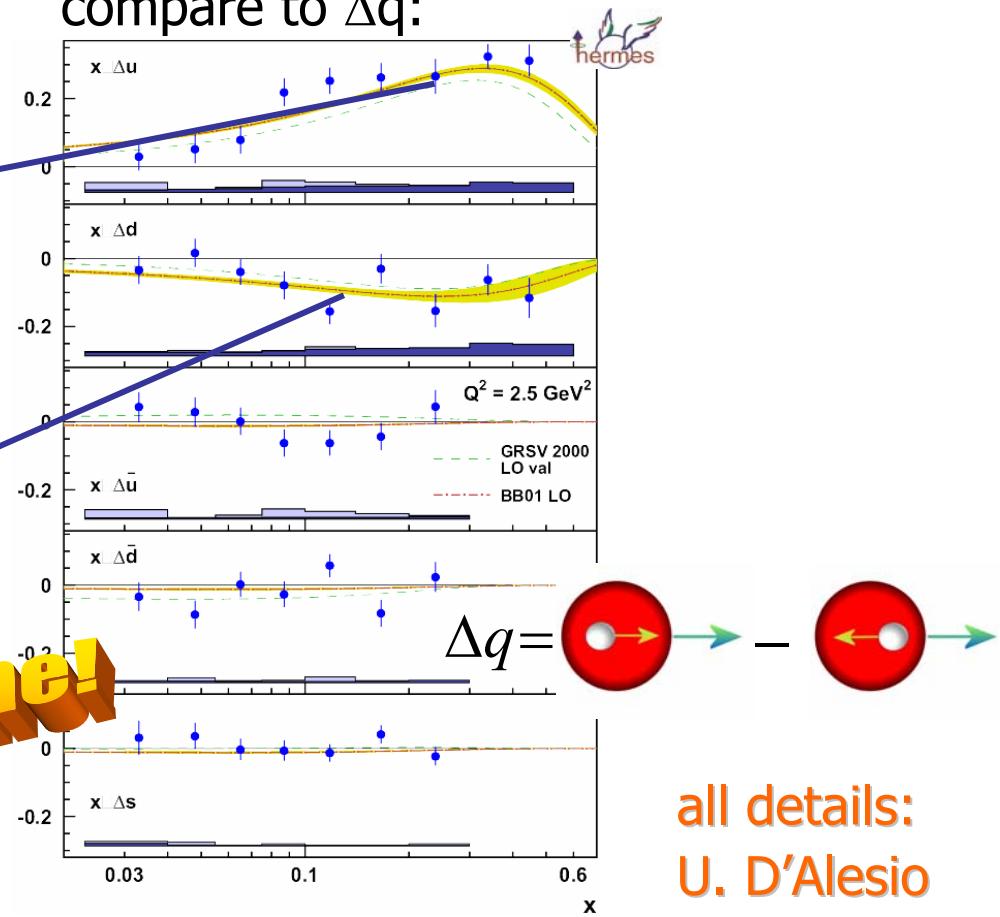


# *first glimpse* of transversity

global, simultaneous fit:



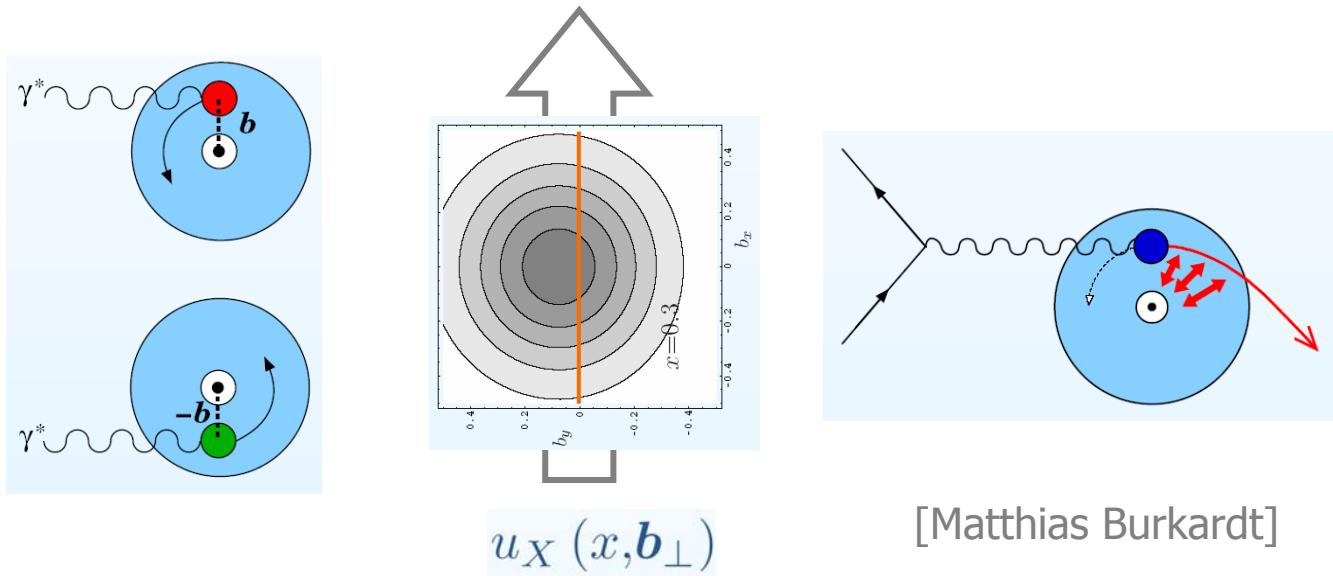
compare to  $\Delta q$ :



all details:  
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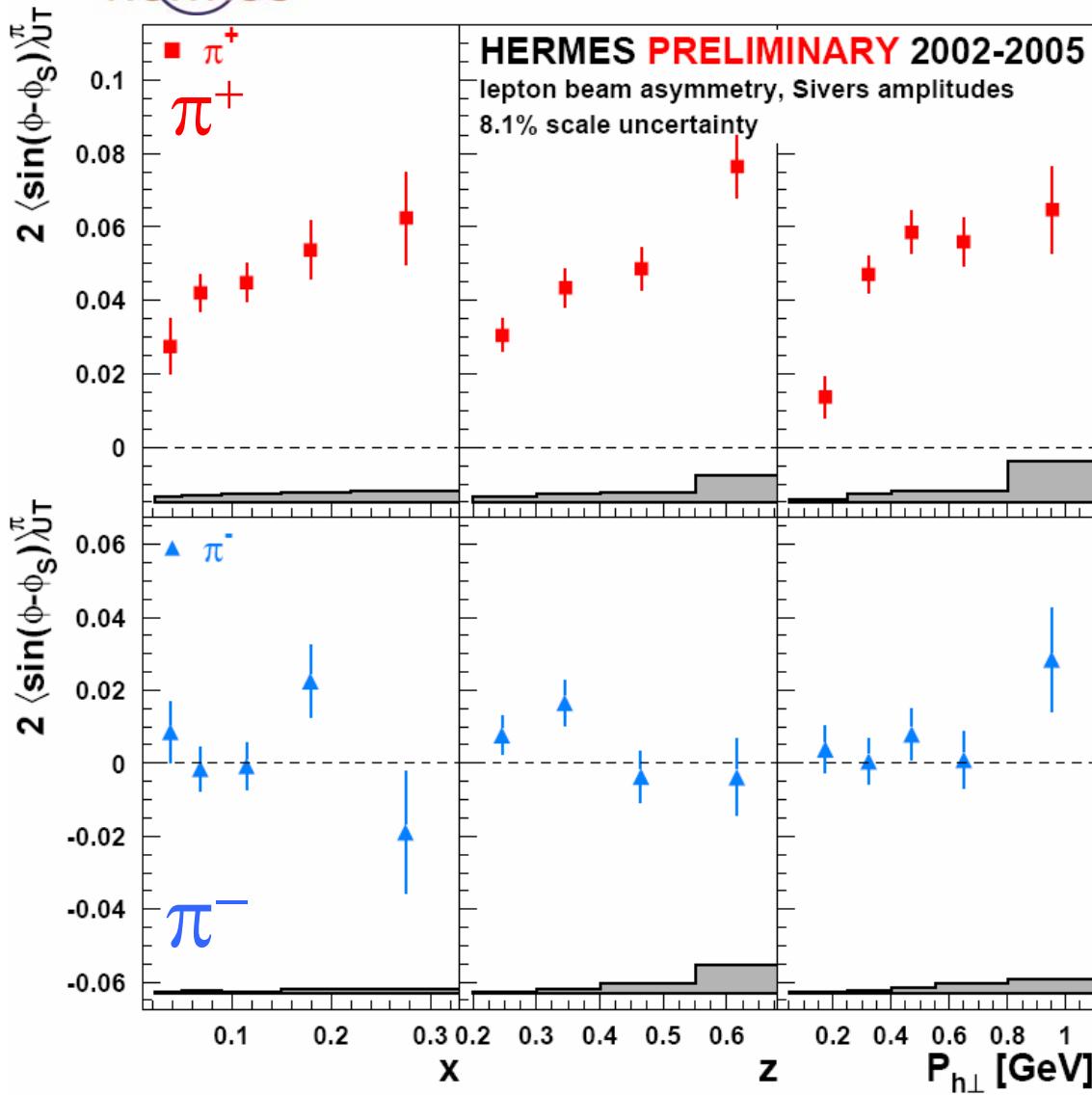
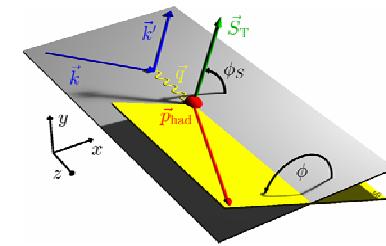
# spin-orbit structure

*Sivers* function:



a non-zero Sivers fct. requires non-zero orbital angular momentum !

# Sivers asymmetries



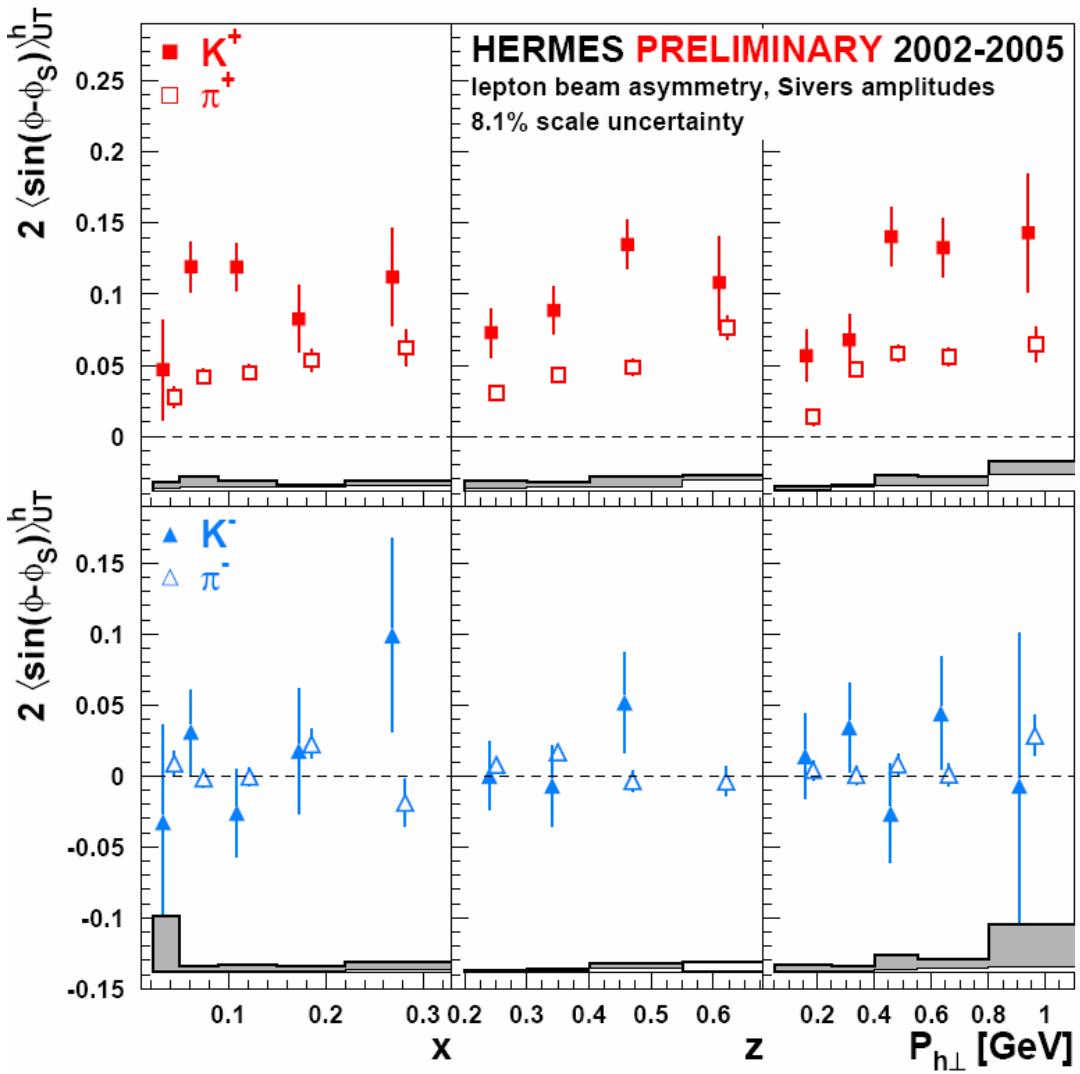
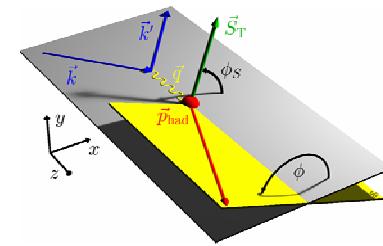
$$f_{1T}^{\perp q}(x) \otimes D_1^q(z)$$

$\pi^+$  are substantial and positive:

- first unambiguous evidence for a **non-zero T-odd** distribution function in DIS
- a signature for quark orbital angular momentum !



# Sivers asymmetries



$$f_{1T}^{\perp q}(x) \otimes D_1^q(z)$$

- SURPRISE:  
K<sup>+</sup> amplitude  $2.3 \pm 0.3$  times larger than for π<sup>+</sup>

→ conflicts with usual expectations based on u-quark dominance

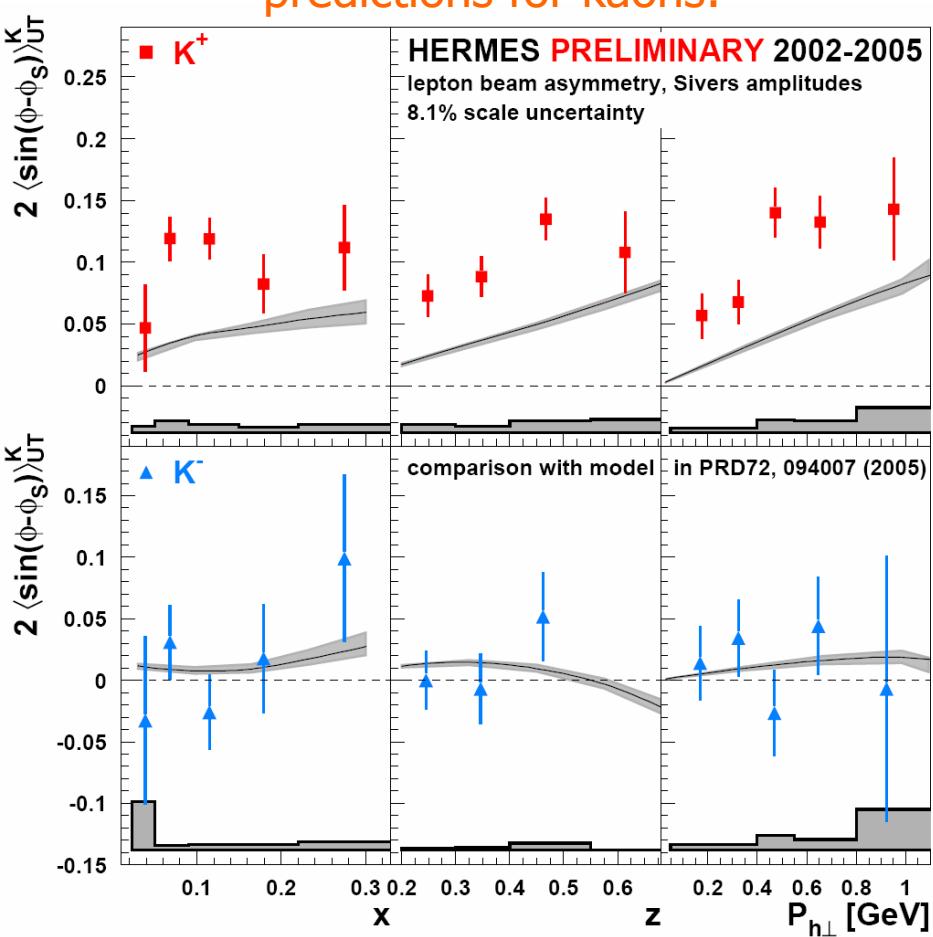
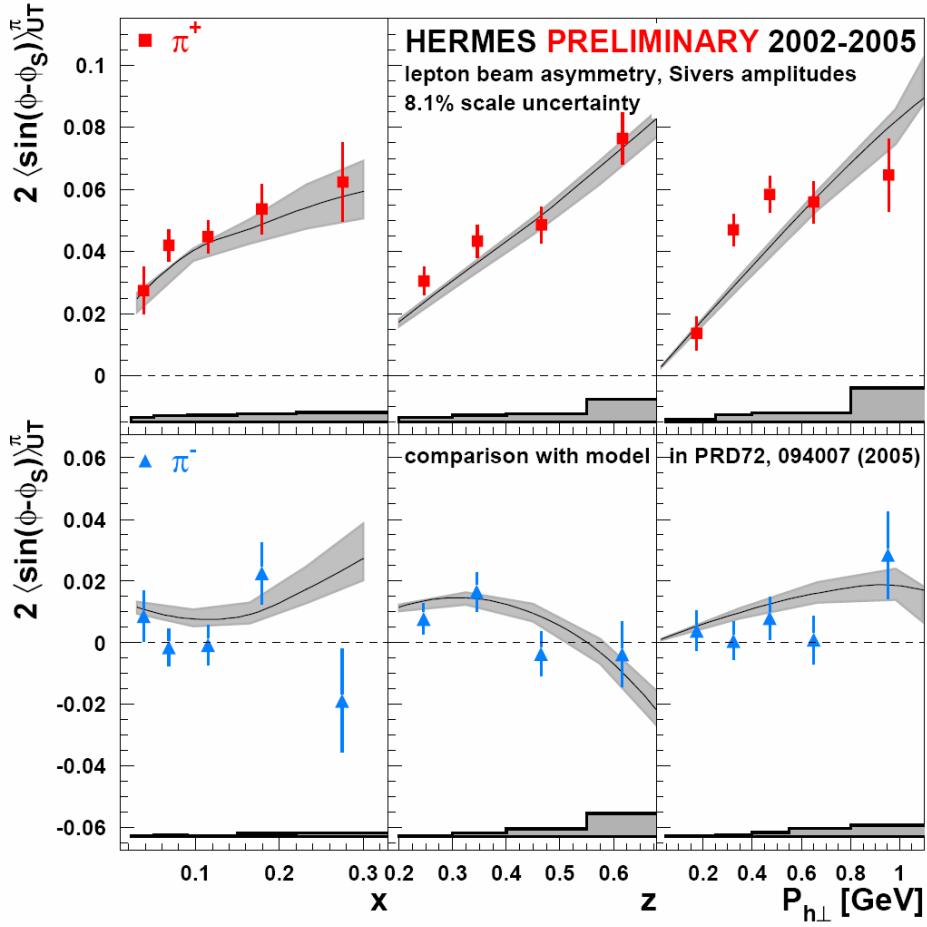
→ suggests substantial magnitude of the Sivers fct. for sea quarks

$$K^+ = |u\bar{s}\rangle \quad \pi^+ = |u\bar{d}\rangle$$

# comparison to models

[Anselmino et al. PRD72(2005)]

excellent description of pion data  
but: cannot constrain sea



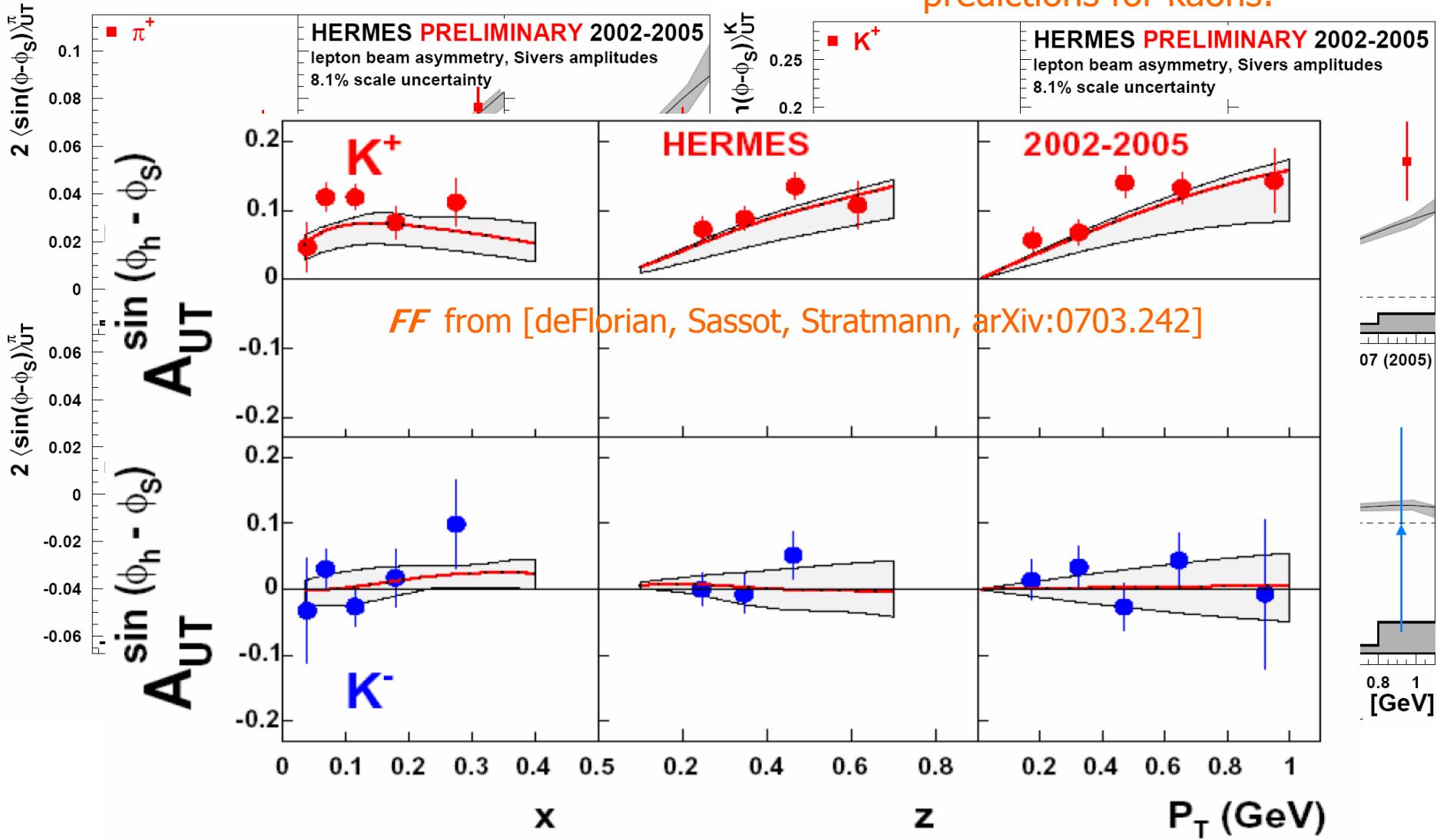
kaon data suggest that sea quark contribution may be significant

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predictions for kaons:



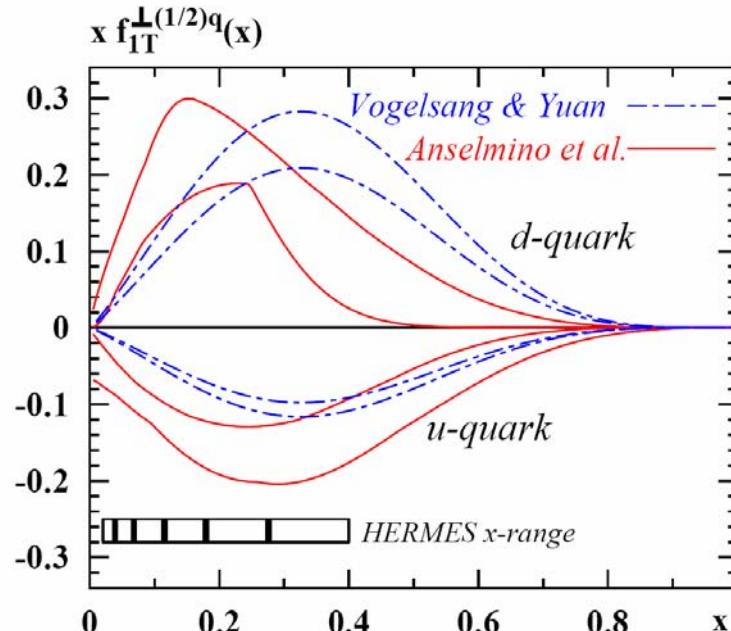
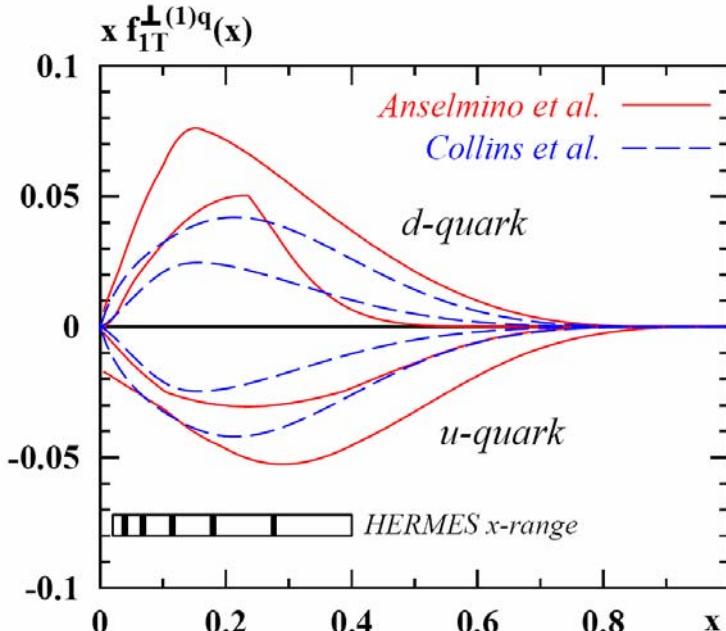
# extracting the *Sivers* function



$$A_{\text{UT}} \sin(\phi - \phi_S) \propto f_{1T}^{\perp q}(x) \otimes D_1^q(z)$$

$$\downarrow$$

usual unpolarised  
fragmentation  
function



ToDo:

crucial test of pQCD:

$$(f_{1T}^{\perp q})_{\text{DIS}} \approx - (f_{1T}^{\perp q})_{\text{DY}}$$



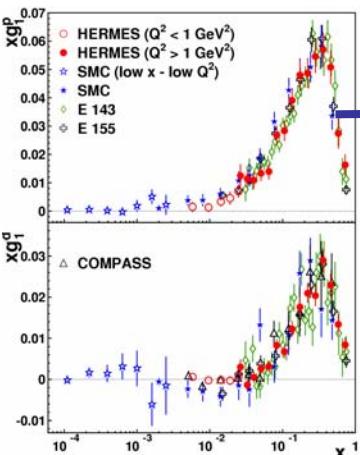
Polarized Antiproton Experiments

@FAIR (GSI)

# structure of the nucleon

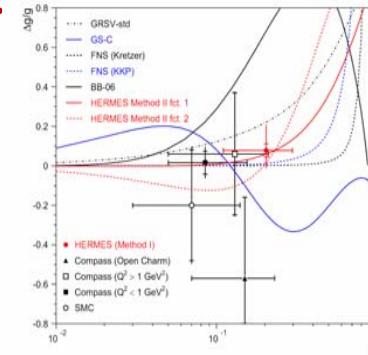
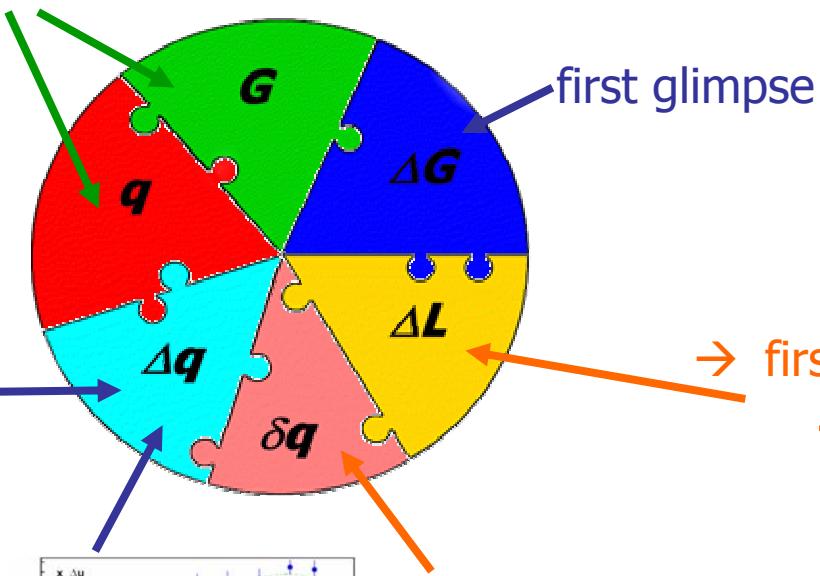
from unpolarised DIS

$$\rightarrow a_0 = \Delta \Sigma \\ = 0.330 \pm 0.025^{\text{(exp)}}$$



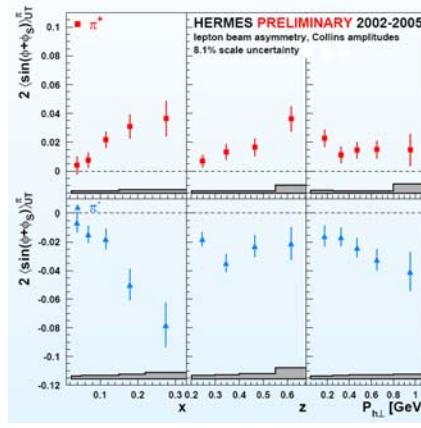
→ direct flavour decomposition

from polarised DIS :



→ first signals of GPDs:  $J_u + J_d$   
→ see next talk !

first extraction of  $\delta q$ , spin-orbit structures & OAM



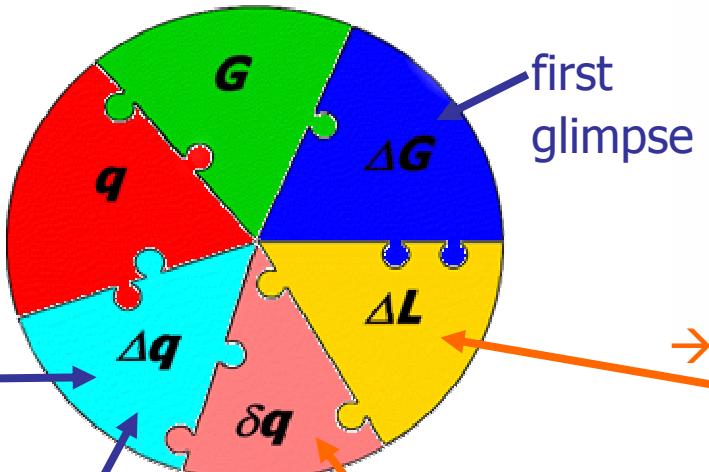
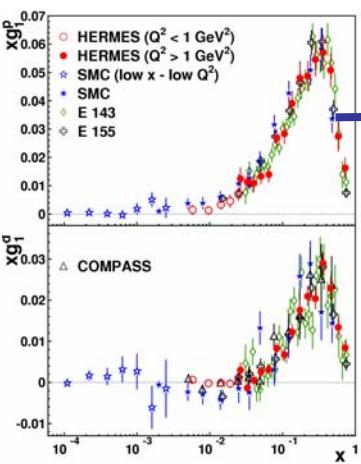
new concepts:

GPDs → 3D picture of the nucleon

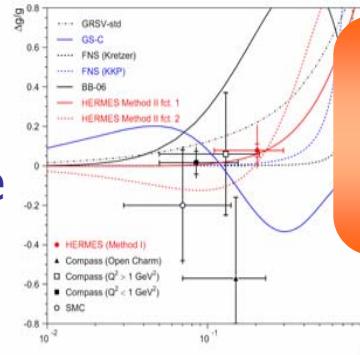
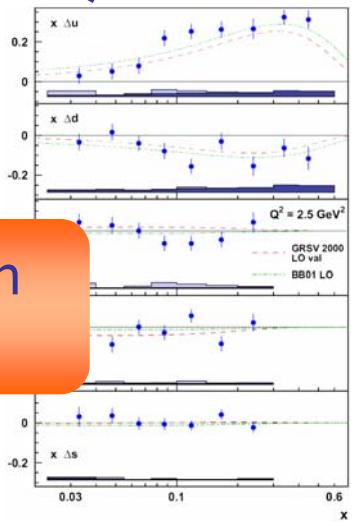
TMDs → beyond collinear approximation

# structure of the nucleon

## -the open tasks-



→ extrapolation  
 $x \rightarrow 0, x \rightarrow 1$



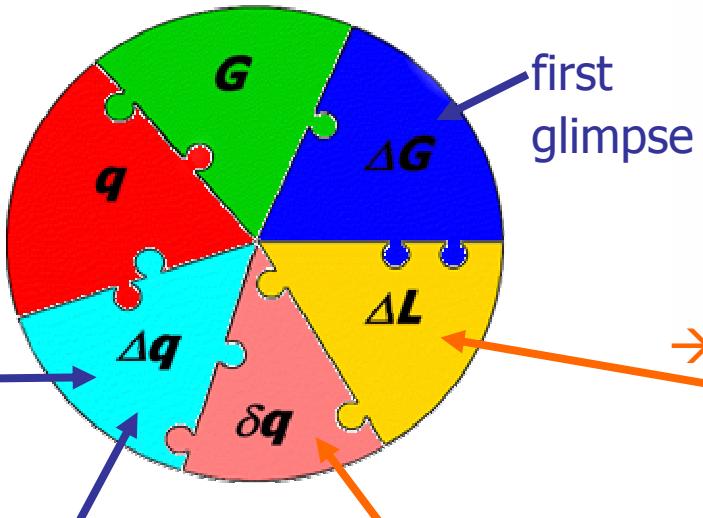
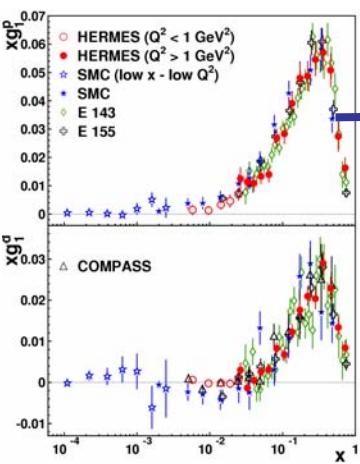
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→ detailed measurement in 3 kine variables

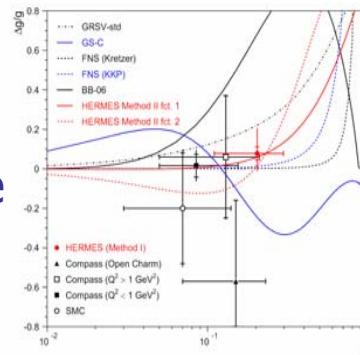
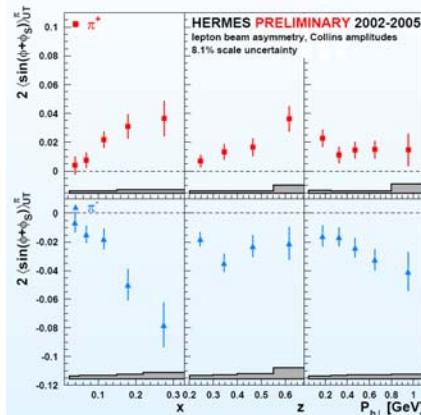
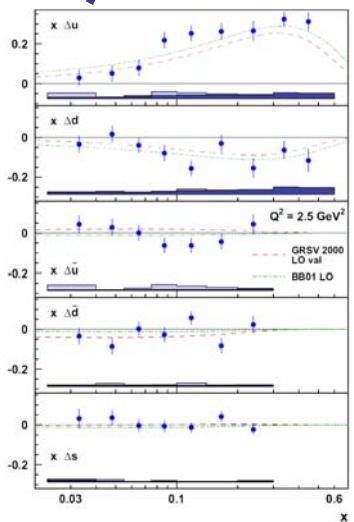
→ detailed measurement in 2 kine variables

# structure of the nucleon

-the future facilities-



polarised  
collider:  
EIC



→ first signals of GPDs:  $J_u + J_d$   
→ see next talk !

JLab@12GeV  
EIC

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EIC,  
(JPARC)

# Backup slides

# multiplicities compared to theory

new FF from combined NLO analysis of single-inclusive hadron production  
in  $e^+e^-$ , pp and DIS

[deFlorian,Sassot,Stratmann arXiv:0708.0769]

