

Transverse spin asymmetry as a probe of new physics beyond the SM

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New physics and Dipole Operator

➤ Magnetic dipole moments: probing the **internal structures of particles**

Elementary particle:

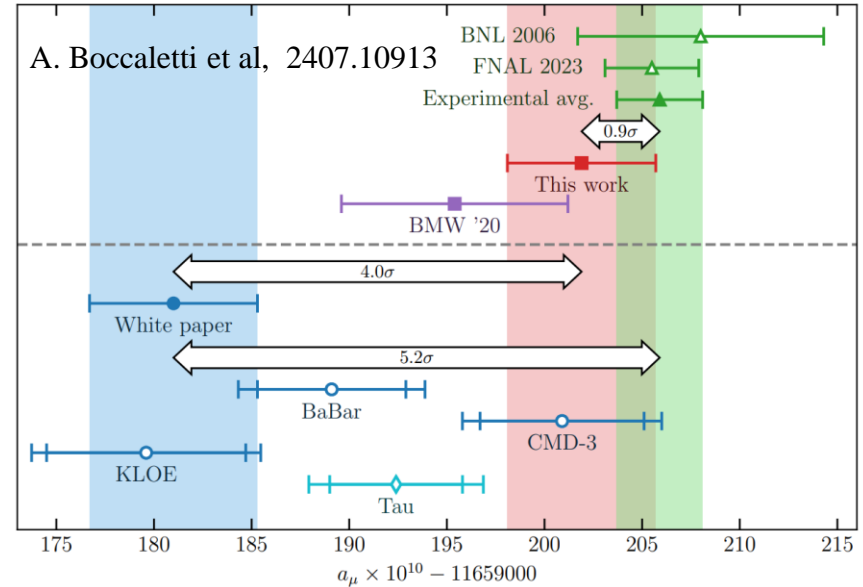
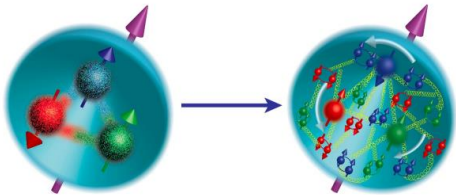
Electron: $g/2=1.001159\dots$

Muon: $g/2=1.0011659\dots$

Composite particle:

Proton: $g/2=2.7928444\dots$

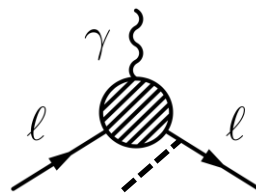
Neutron: $g/2=-1.91394308\dots$



Quarks: any internal structures?

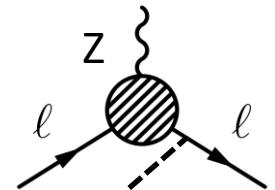
From MDM and EDM to weak dipole moments?

$$\bar{\ell} \sigma^{\mu\nu} e \tau^I \varphi W_{\mu\nu}^I, \bar{\ell} \sigma^{\mu\nu} e \varphi B_{\mu\nu}$$



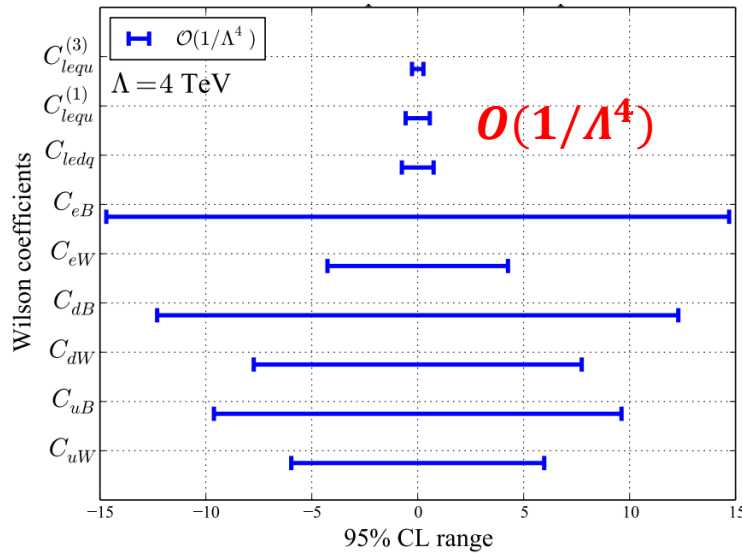
May have same physics source

$$B_{\mu\nu}, W_{\mu\nu}$$

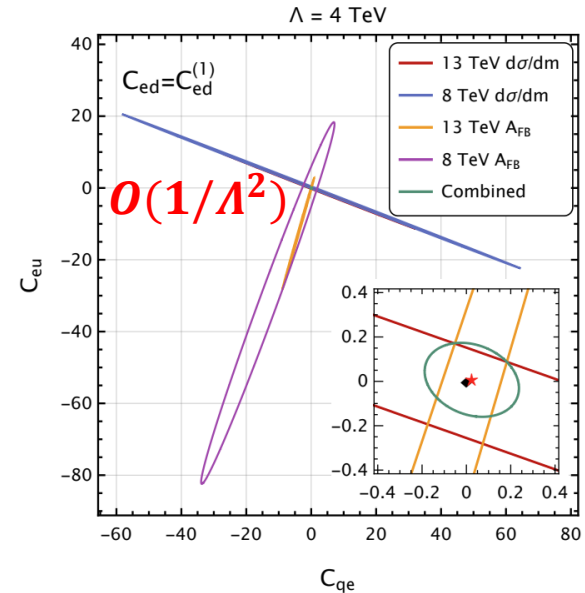


Example: Electroweak Dipole Operator

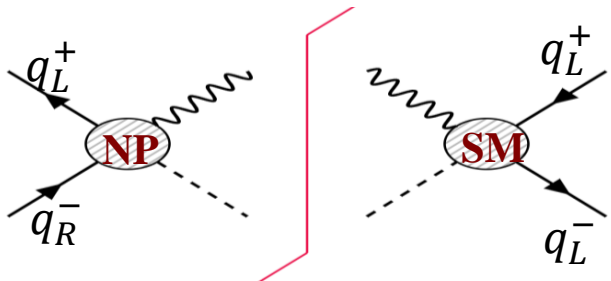
Single-Parameter-Analysis: EW dipole couplings are poorly constrained by Drell-Yan data



R. Boughezal et al, PRD 104 (2021) 095022



R. Boughezal et al, 2303.08257



=0 for the cross section



Leading contribution: $\left| \frac{C_{dipole}}{\Lambda^2} \right|^2$

➤ It is difficult to probe the electroweak dipole interactions at colliders

Electroweak dipole moments of leptons

➤ Transversely polarized effect of beams @ lepton collider

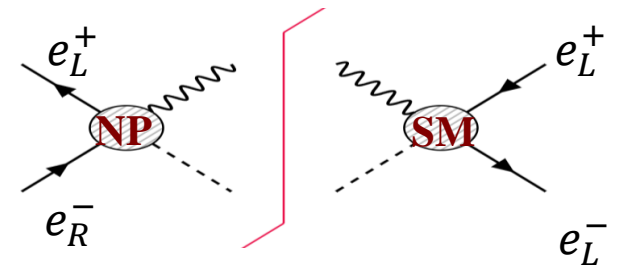
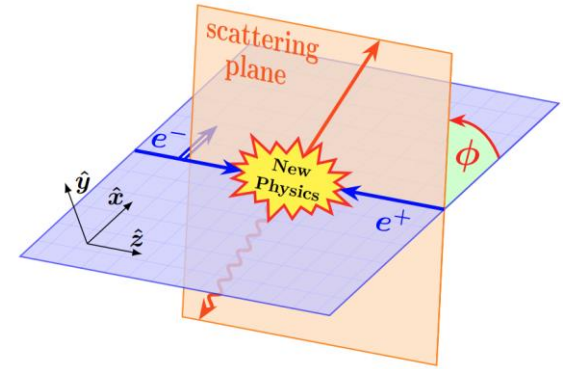
The interference between the different helicity states

$$\mathbf{s} = (b_1, b_2, \lambda) = (b_T \cos \phi_0, b_T \sin \phi_0, \lambda)$$

$$\rho = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{s}) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \lambda & b_T e^{-i\phi_0} \\ b_T e^{i\phi_0} & 1 - \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$M \propto e^{i(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2)\phi} d(\theta)$$



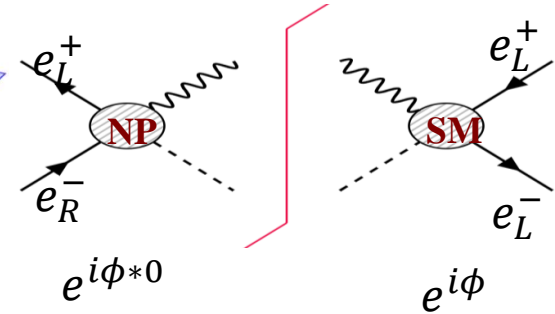
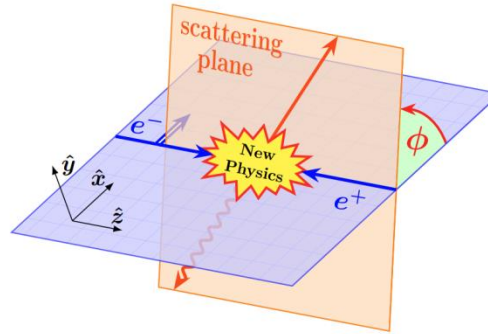
$$\bar{e} \sigma_{\mu\nu} e A^{\mu\nu}, \bar{e} \sigma_{\mu\nu} e Z^{\mu\nu}$$

	U	L	T
U	$ \mathcal{M} _{UU}^2 \rightarrow 1$	$ \mathcal{M} _{UL}^2 \rightarrow 1$	$ \mathcal{M} _{UT}^2 \rightarrow \cos \phi, \sin \phi$
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T	$ \mathcal{M} _{TU}^2 \rightarrow \cos \phi, \sin \phi$	$ \mathcal{M} _{TL}^2 \rightarrow \cos \phi, \sin \phi$	$ \mathcal{M} _{TT}^2 \rightarrow 1, \cos 2\phi, \sin 2\phi$

Breaking the rotational invariance & A nontrivial azimuthal behavior

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$$\frac{2\pi d\sigma^i}{\sigma^i d\phi} = 1 + \underbrace{A_R^i(b_T, \bar{b}_T)}_{\text{Re}[C_{dipole}]} \cos \phi + \underbrace{A_I^i(b_T, \bar{b}_T)}_{\text{Im}[C_{dipole}]} \sin \phi + \underbrace{b_T \bar{b}_T B^i}_{\text{SM \& other NP}} \cos 2\phi + \mathcal{O}(1/\Lambda^4)$$

$\text{Re}[C_{dipole}]$

$\text{Im}[C_{dipole}]$

SM & other NP

CP-conserving

CP-violation

- **Linearly** dependent on the dipole couplings C_{dipole} and spin b_T
- **Without depending on other NP operators**

Single Transverse Spin Asymmetries

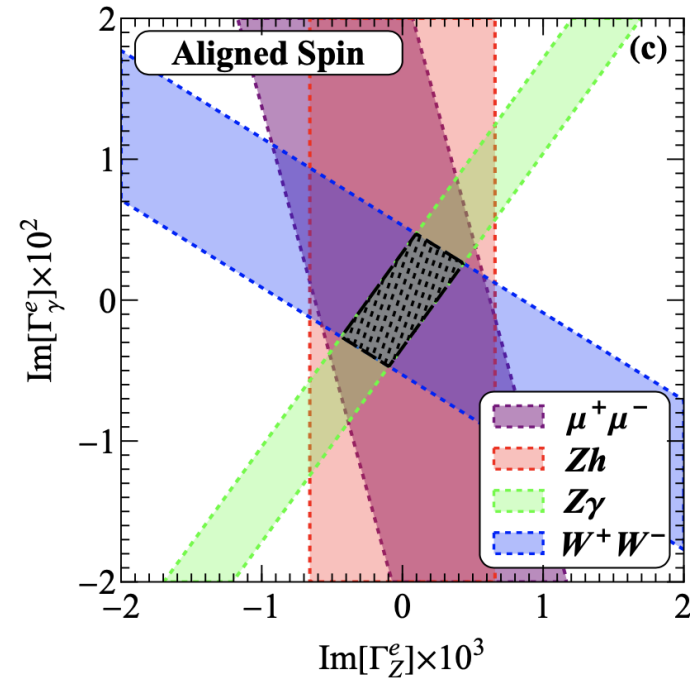
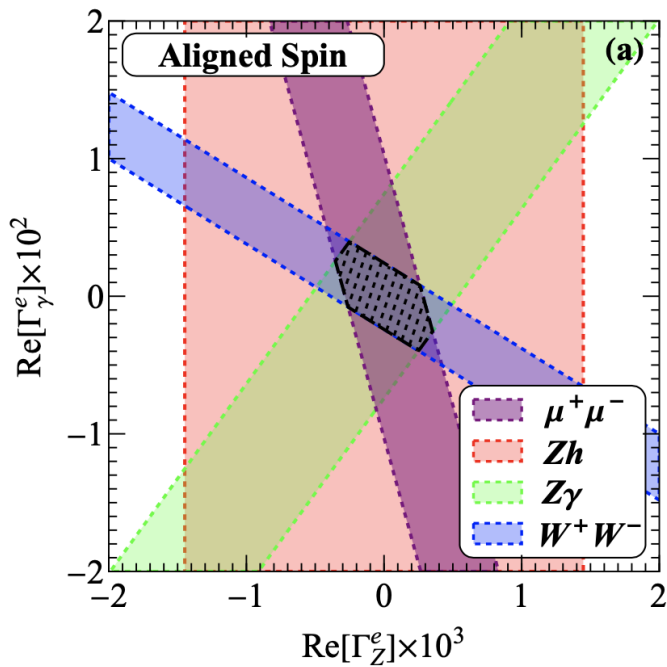
$$A_{LR}^i = \frac{\sigma^i(\cos \phi > 0) - \sigma^i(\cos \phi < 0)}{\sigma^i(\cos \phi > 0) + \sigma^i(\cos \phi < 0)} = \frac{2}{\pi} A_R^i$$

$$A_{UD}^i = \frac{\sigma^i(\sin \phi > 0) - \sigma^i(\sin \phi < 0)}{\sigma^i(\sin \phi > 0) + \sigma^i(\sin \phi < 0)} = \frac{2}{\pi} A_I^i,$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 250 \text{ GeV}, \mathcal{L} = 5 \text{ ab}^{-1} \quad (b_T, \bar{b}_T) = (0.8, 0.3)$$

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CP-conserved dipole operator

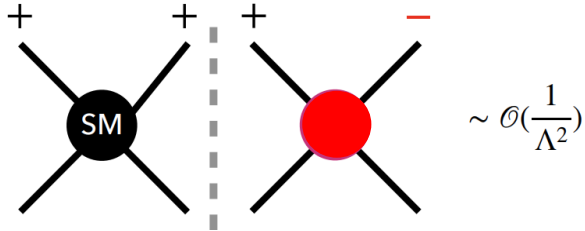
CP-violated dipole operator

- Our bounds are much stronger than other approaches by 1~2 orders of magnitude
- Weak dipole coupling, SSA: 0.01%, LHC: 1%

Transverse spin effects of electron @ EIC

➤ Electron dipole operators

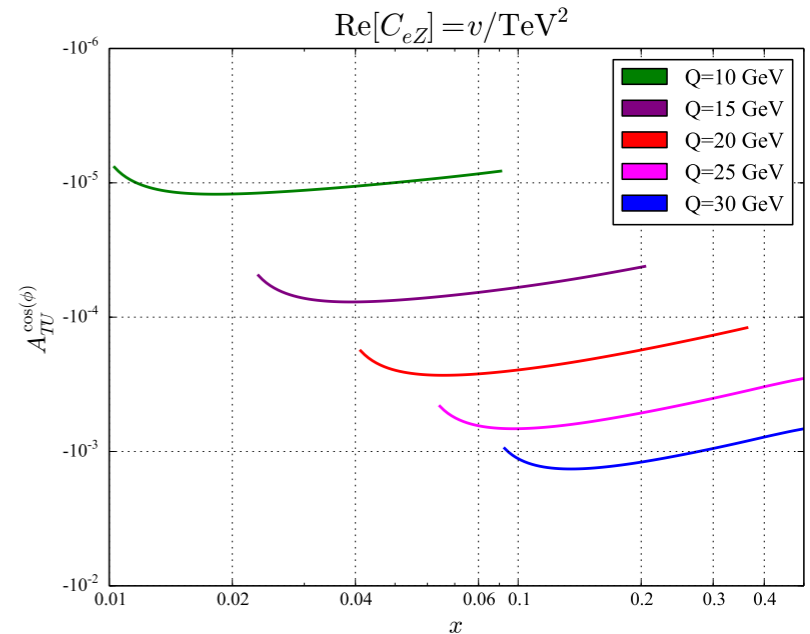
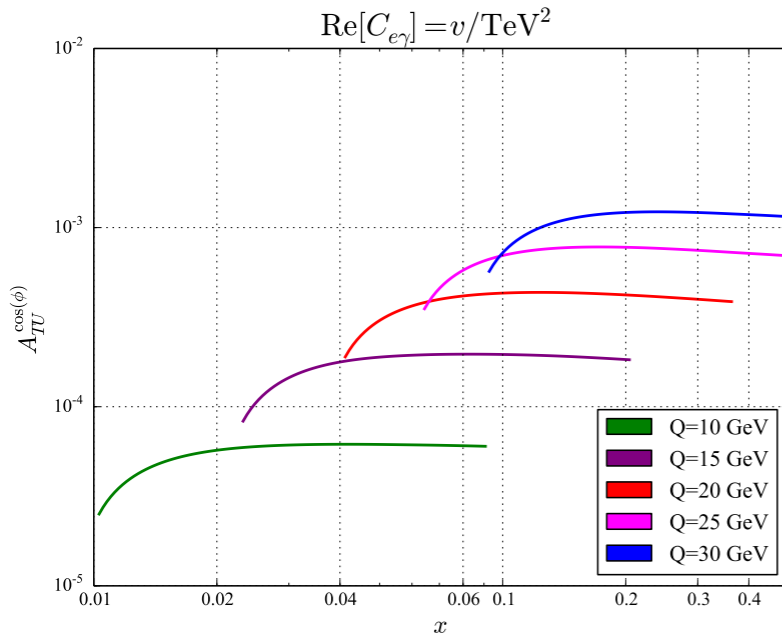
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$$\mathcal{O}_{eW} = (\bar{l}\sigma^{\mu\nu}e)\tau^I\varphi W_{\mu\nu}^I,$$

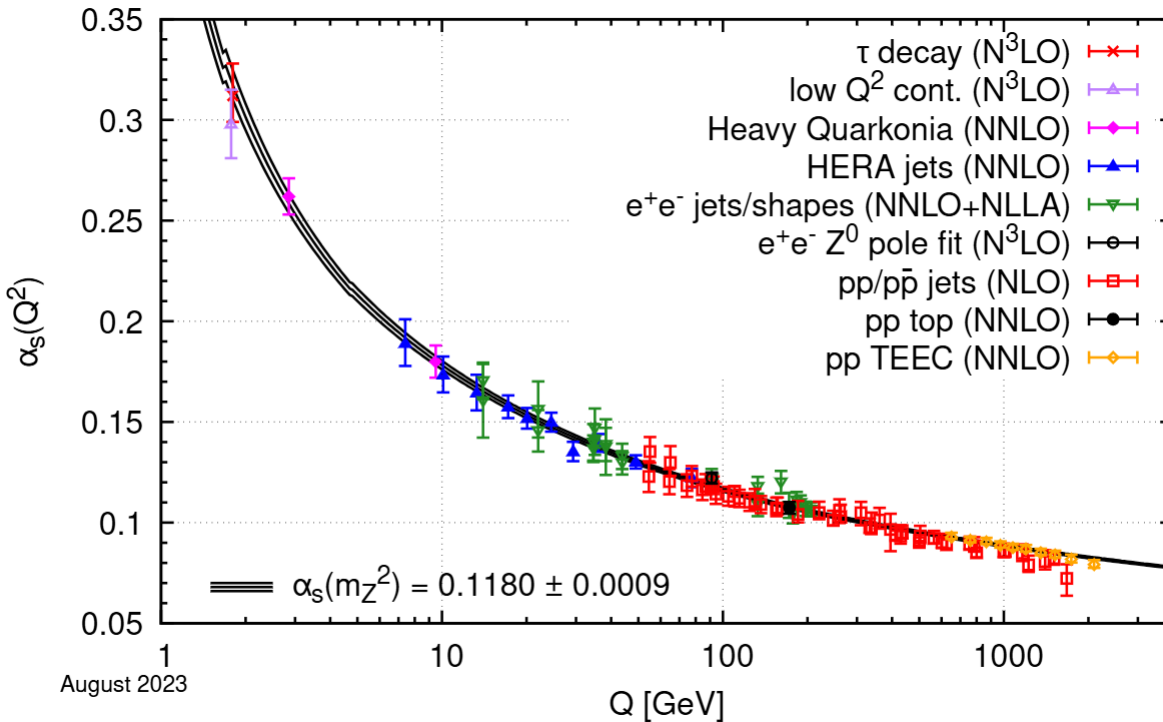
$$\mathcal{O}_{eB} = (\bar{l}\sigma^{\mu\nu}e)\varphi B_{\mu\nu},$$

$$A_{TU} = \frac{\sigma(e^\uparrow p^U) - \sigma(e^\downarrow p^U)}{\sigma(e^\uparrow p^U) + \sigma(e^\downarrow p^U)}$$

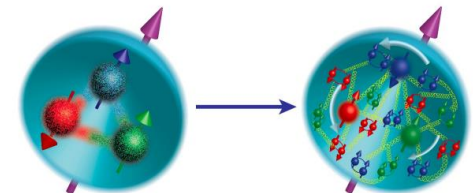


Electroweak dipole moments of quarks

- The quark can not be a free particle due to the QCD confinement



Asymptotic freedom of QCD theory



- How to probe the spin information of quarks?









The non-perturbative functions, i.e., the parton distribution functions and the fragmentation functions

Transverse spin effects of quark @ EIC

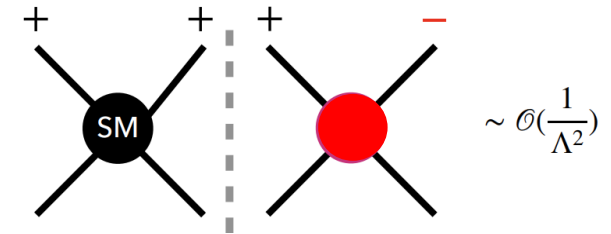
➤ Quark dipole operators

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Leading Quark TMDPDFs  Nucleon Spin  Quark Spin

		Quark Polarization		
		Un-Polarized (U)	Longitudinally Polarized (L)	Transversely Polarized (T)
Nucleon Polarization	U	$f_1 = \text{Unpolarized}$ 		$h_1^\perp = \text{Boer-Mulders}$ 
	L		$g_1 = \text{Helicity}$ 	$h_{1L}^\perp = \text{Worm-gear}$ 
	T	$f_{1T}^\perp = \text{Sivers}$ 	$g_{1T}^\perp = \text{Worm-gear}$ 	$h_1 = \text{Transversity}$  $h_{1T}^\perp = \text{Pretzelosity}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{O}_{uW} &= (\bar{q}\sigma^{\mu\nu}u)\tau^I\varphi W_{\mu\nu}^I, \\ \mathcal{O}_{uB} &= (\bar{q}\sigma^{\mu\nu}u)\varphi B_{\mu\nu}, \\ \mathcal{O}_{dW} &= (\bar{q}\sigma^{\mu\nu}d)\tau^I\varphi W_{\mu\nu}^I, \\ \mathcal{O}_{dB} &= (\bar{q}\sigma^{\mu\nu}d)\varphi B_{\mu\nu}. \end{aligned}$$



➤ The transversity is difficult to be constrained: chiral-odd

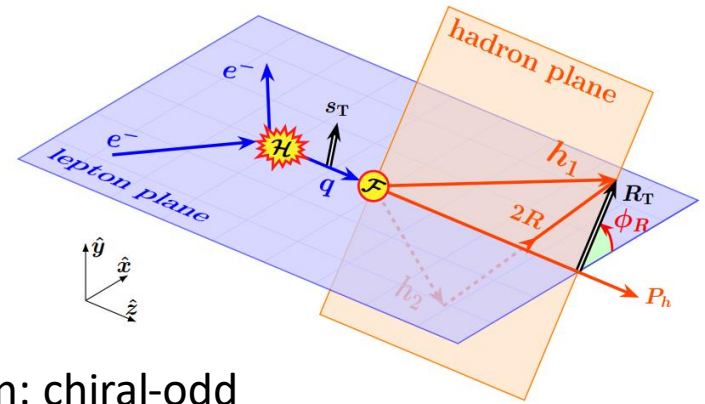
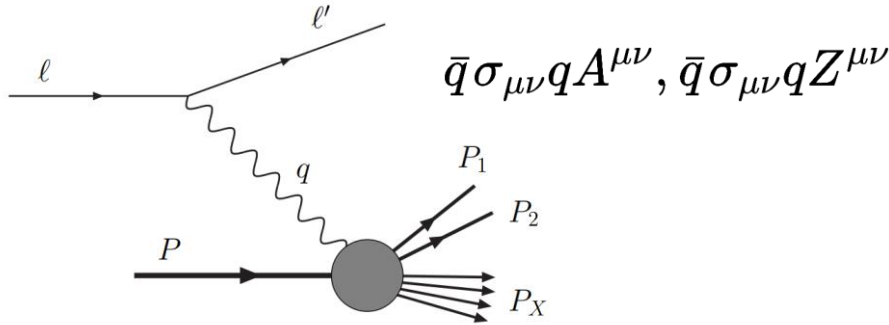
$$A_{UT} = \frac{\sigma(e^U p^\uparrow) - \sigma(e^U p^\downarrow)}{\sigma(e^U p^\uparrow) + \sigma(e^U p^\downarrow)}$$

- ❑ Collins Azimuthal Asymmetries in SIDIS, Collins function
- ❑ Low energy Drell-Yan process
- ❑ Dihadron production in SIDIS, Interference dihadron fragmentation

Kang, Prokudin, Sun, Yuan, PRD 93 (2016) 014009; Zeng, Dong, Liu, Sun, Zhao, PRD 109 (2024) 056002;
 JAM Collaboration, PRD 106 (2022) 034014

Transverse spin effects of quark @ EIC

- The transverse spin of quarks can be generated by the quark dipole moments



- The interference dihadron fragmentation function: chiral-odd

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx dy dz dM_h d\phi_R} = \frac{N}{2\pi} \sum_q f_q(x, Q) [D_{h_1 h_2/q}(z, M_h; Q) - (\mathbf{s}_{T,q}(x, Q) \times \hat{\mathbf{R}}_T)^z H_{h_1 h_2/q}(z, M_h; Q)] C_q(x, Q)$$

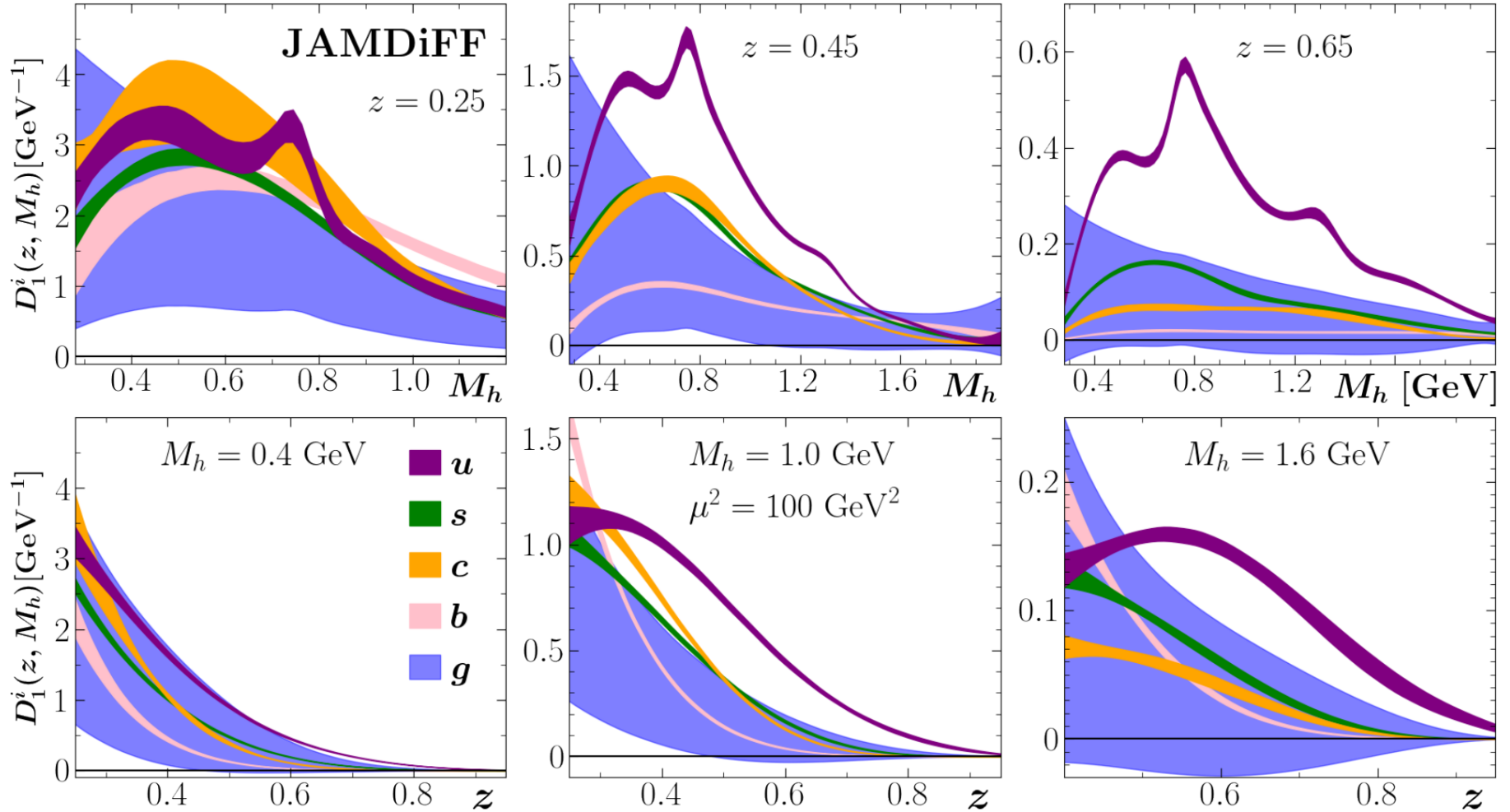
$$s_q^x = \frac{2}{C_q} (w_\gamma^q \text{Re} \Gamma_\gamma^q + w_Z^q \text{Re} \Gamma_Z^q)$$

$$s_q^y = \frac{2}{C_q} (w_\gamma^q \text{Im} \Gamma_\gamma^q + w_Z^q \text{Im} \Gamma_Z^q)$$

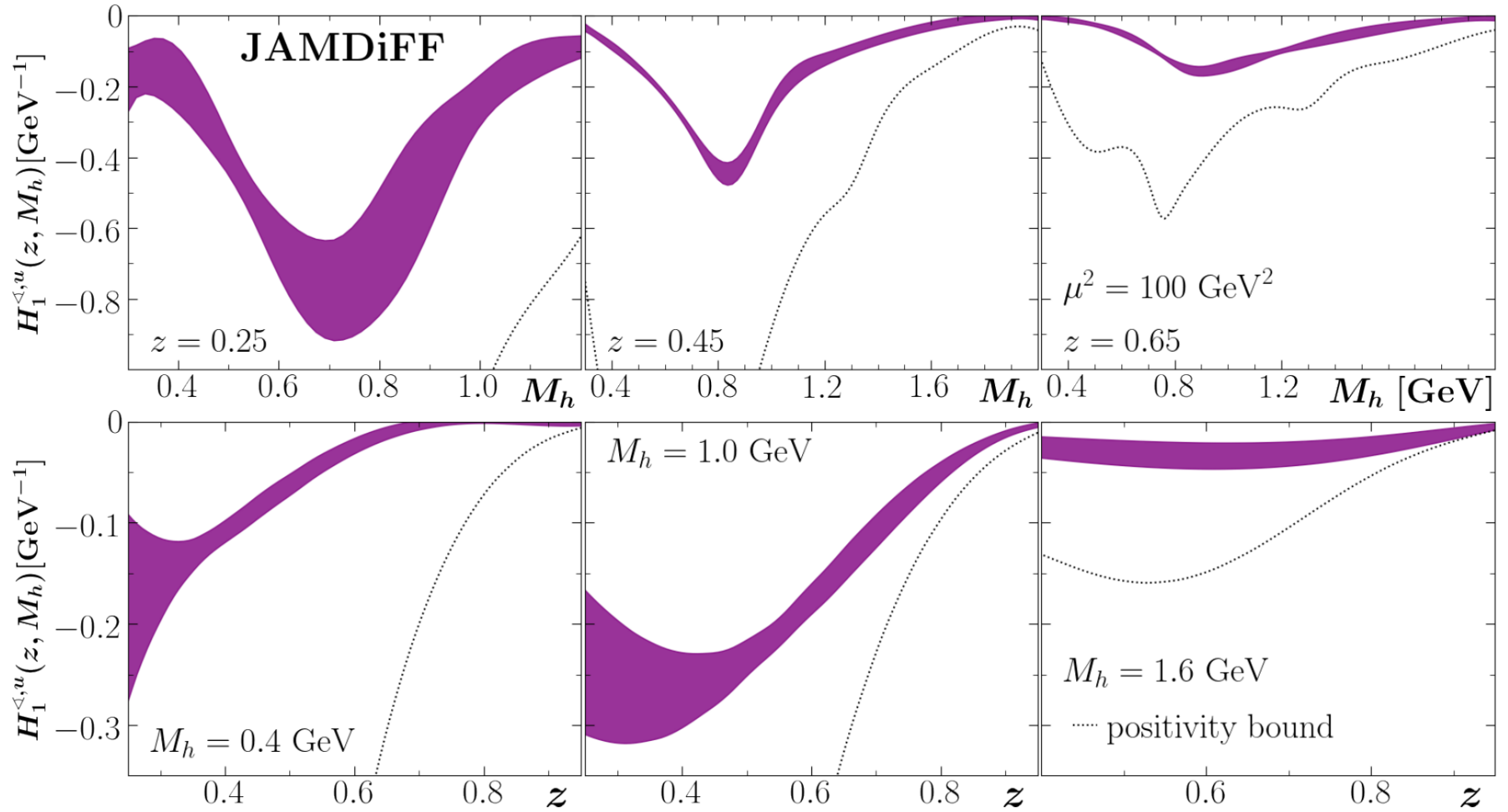
$$(\mathbf{s}_{T,q} \times \hat{\mathbf{R}}_T)^z = s_q^x \sin \phi_R - s_q^y \cos \phi_R$$

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$\pi^+\pi^-$ Dihadron fragmentation functions



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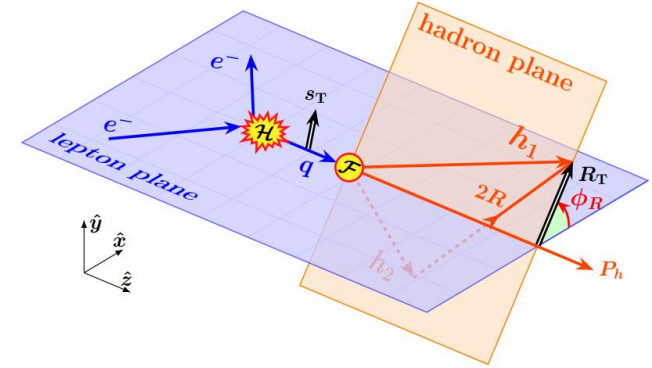


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The non-trivial azimuthal distribution requires parity-violation effects:

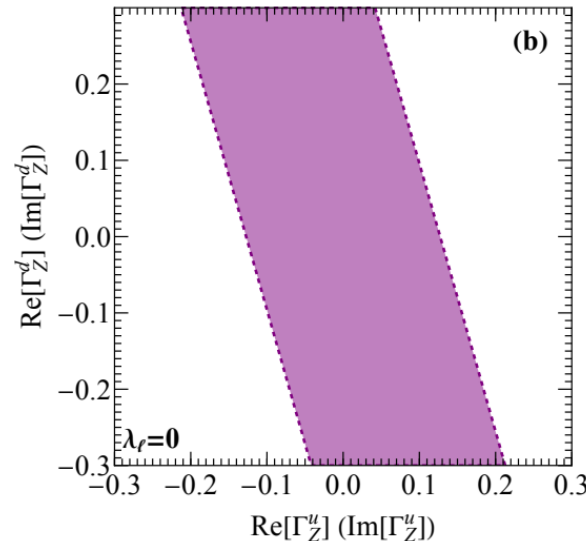
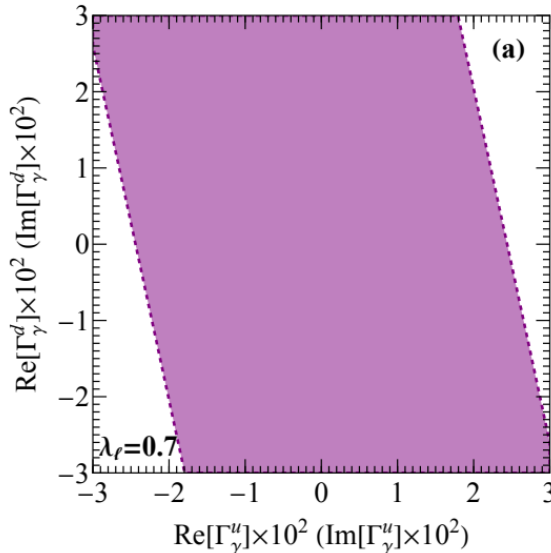
- ❑ the longitudinal polarization of the electron
- ❑ the parity-violating Z interactions



$$(\mathbf{s}_{T,q} \times \hat{\mathbf{R}}_T)^z = s_q^x \sin \phi_R - s_q^y \cos \phi_R$$

$$A_{LR} = \frac{\sigma(\cos \phi_R > 0) - \sigma(\cos \phi_R < 0)}{\sigma(\cos \phi_R > 0) + \sigma(\cos \phi_R < 0)} = \frac{2}{\pi} A_I$$

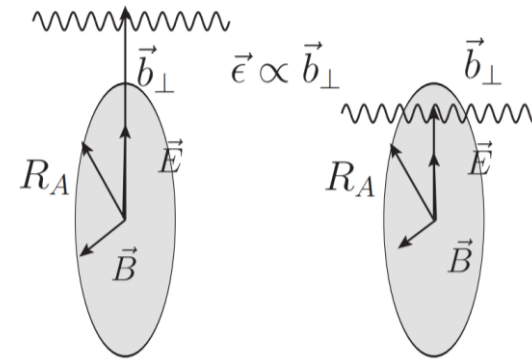
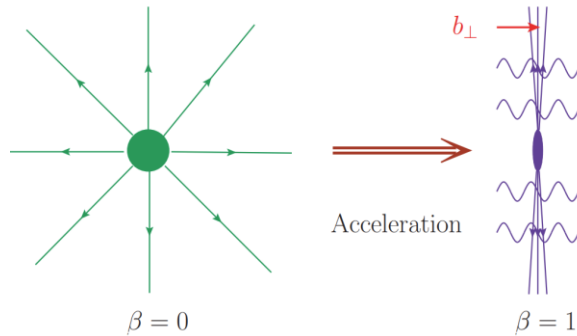
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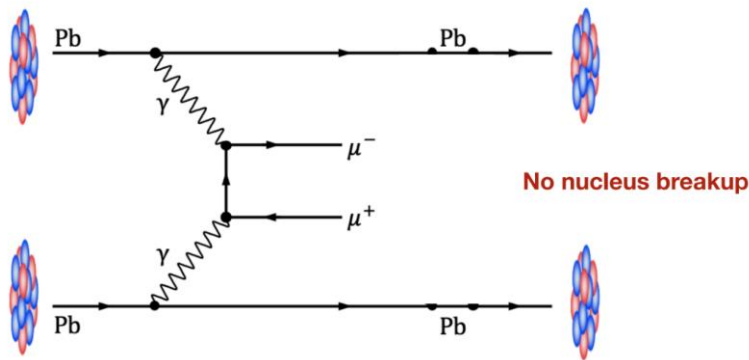
$$\sqrt{s} = 105 \text{ GeV}, \mathcal{L} = 1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$$

- ❑ Photon dipole: $\mathcal{O}(0.01)$
- ❑ Z-boson dipole: $\mathcal{O}(0.1)$

Linear polarization @ UPCs



C. Li, J. Zhou, Y. J. Zhou, Phys. Lett. B. 795, 576 (2019)



- Ultra-relativistic charged nuclei produce highly Lorentz contracted electromagnetic field
- Weizsacker-Williams equivalent photon approximation
- **Photons are linearly polarized**
- Large quasi-real photon flux $\propto Z^2$
- The impact parameter $b_{\perp} > 2R_A$

The linear polarization for gluons based on the NEEC:

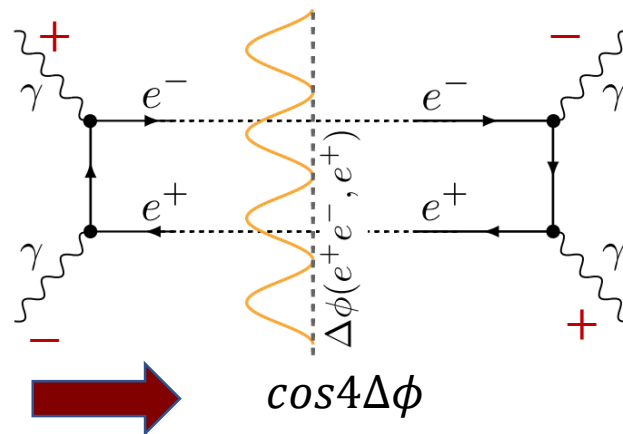
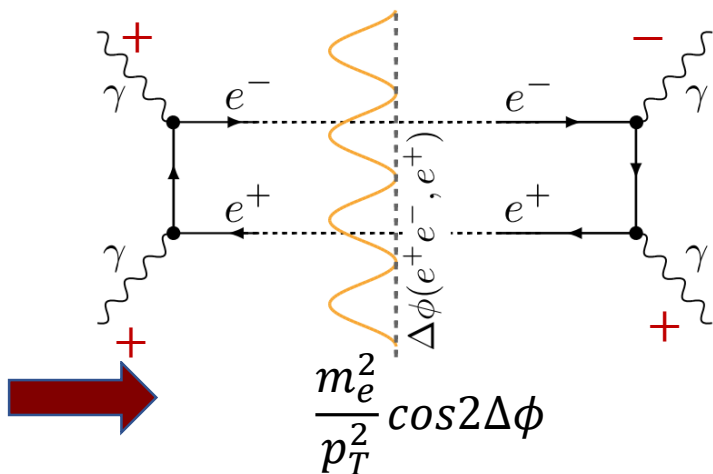
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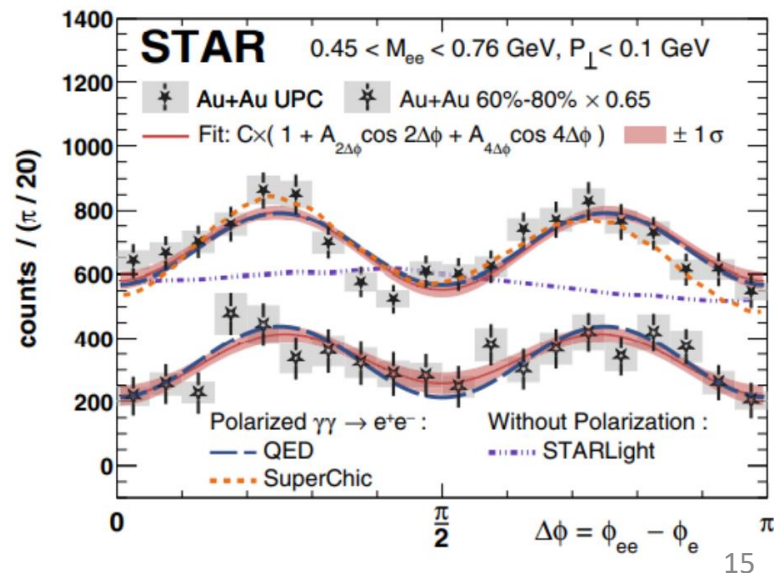
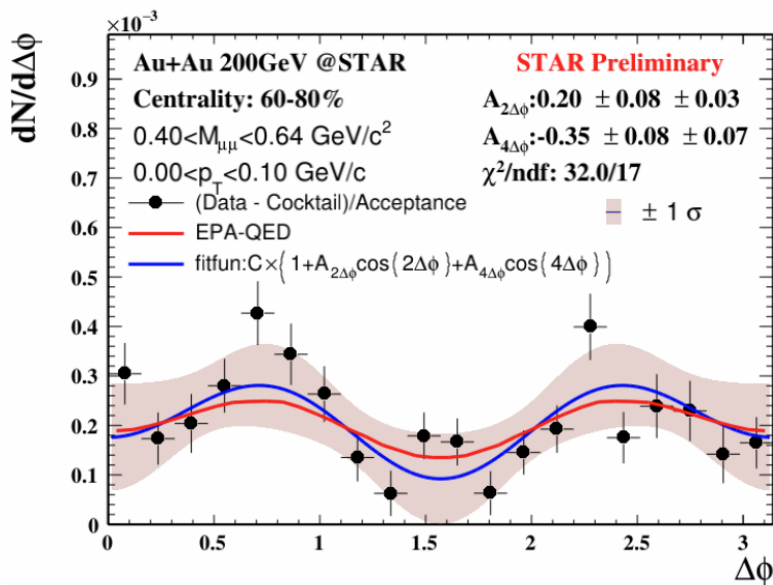
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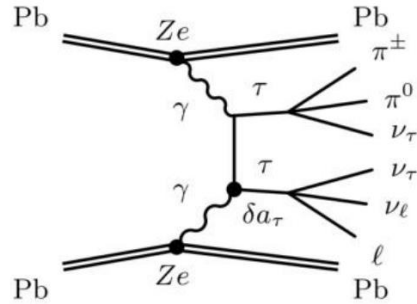
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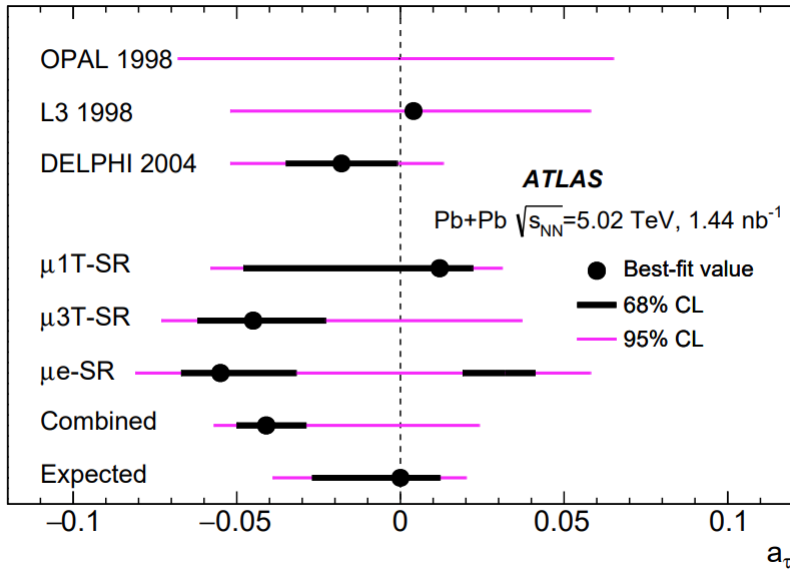


Tau pair production @ UPCs



$$\Gamma_{\text{eff.}}^{\mu}(q^2) = -ie [iF_2(q^2) + F_3(q^2)\gamma^5] \frac{\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_{\nu}}{2m_{\tau}}$$

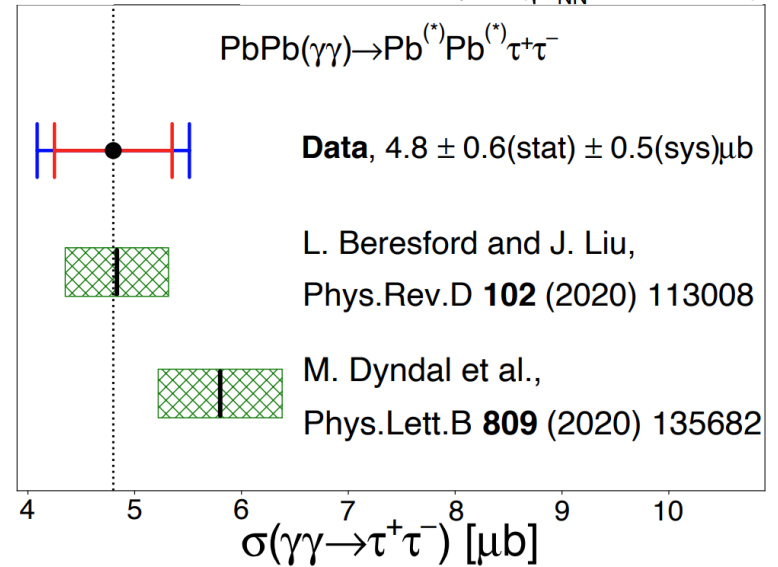
$$F_2(0) = a_{\tau}, \quad F_3(0) = 2 \frac{m_{\tau} d_{\tau}}{e}$$



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CMS

PbPb - $404 \mu\text{b}^{-1}$ ($\sqrt{s_{\text{NN}}} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$)



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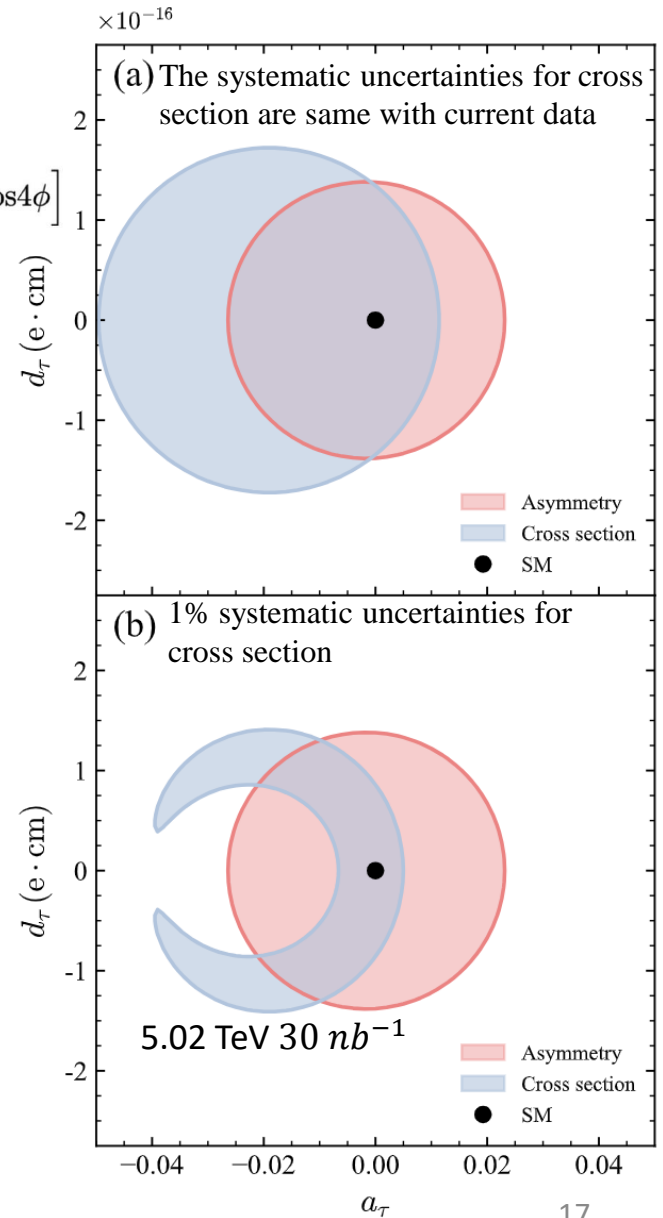
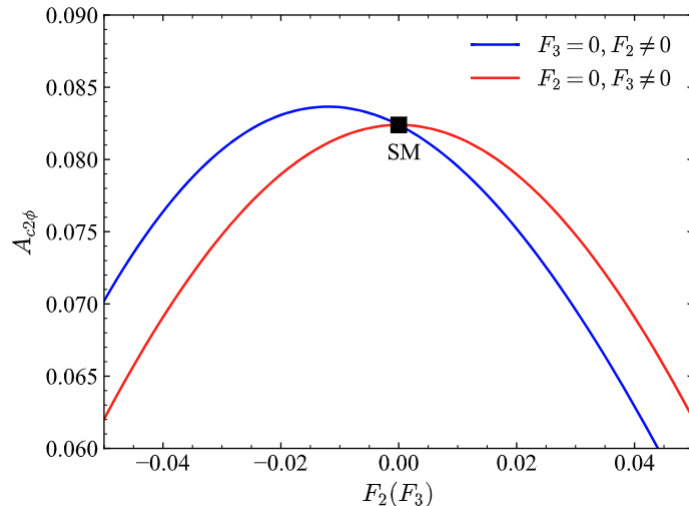
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$$d\sigma \sim \left[A_0 + B_0^{(1)} F_2 + B_0^{(2)} F_2^2 + C_0^{(2)} F_3^2 + \left(A_2 + B_2^{(2)} F_2^2 + C_2^{(2)} F_3^2 \right) \cos 2\phi + A_4 \cos 4\phi \right]$$

$$F_2(0) = a_\tau, \quad F_3(0) = 2 \frac{m_\tau d_\tau}{e} \quad \text{Suppressed by lepton mass}$$

$$A_{c2\phi} = \frac{\sigma(\cos 2\phi > 0) - \sigma(\cos 2\phi < 0)}{\sigma(\cos 2\phi > 0) + \sigma(\cos 2\phi < 0)}$$



Summary

- The quark dipole moments is crucial for probing the internal structure of quarks
- The electroweak dipole operators are difficult to be probed at colliders since their leading effects are from $1/\Lambda^4$
- They can be probed at $1/\Lambda^2$ via **transverse spin effects from non-perturbative functions: transversity and interference dihadron fragmentation functions**
- Both Re & Im parts can be well constrained, *without impact from other NP and offering a new opportunity for directly probing potential CP-violating effects.*
- Our bounds are **much stronger than other approaches**, such as LHC and LEP
- The photons from UPCs are **linearly polarized** and can be used to probe the NP

Thank you