

# Extraction of nucleon 3D structure from DVCS data

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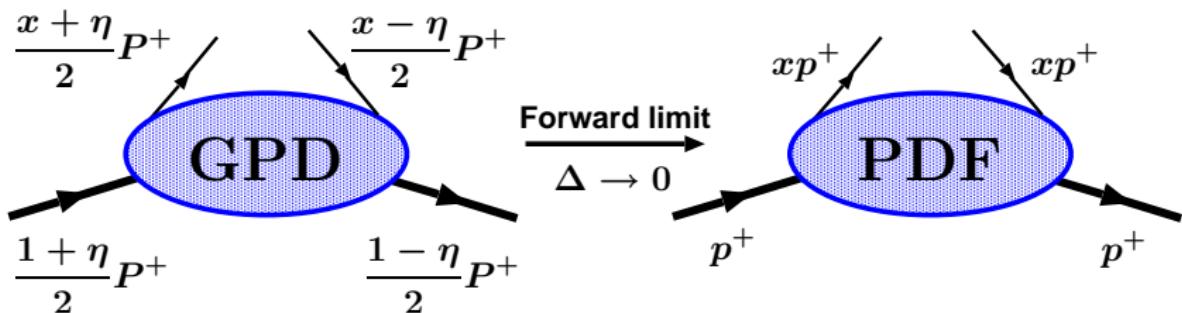
# Definition of GPDs

- In QCD **GPDs** are defined as [Müller '92, et al. '94, Ji, Radyushkin '96]

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(and similarly for gluons  $F^g$  and  $\tilde{F}^g$ ).



$$P = P_1 + P_2 ; \quad t = \Delta^2 = (P_2 - P_1)^2 ; \quad \eta = -\frac{\Delta^+}{P^+} \text{ (skewedness)}$$

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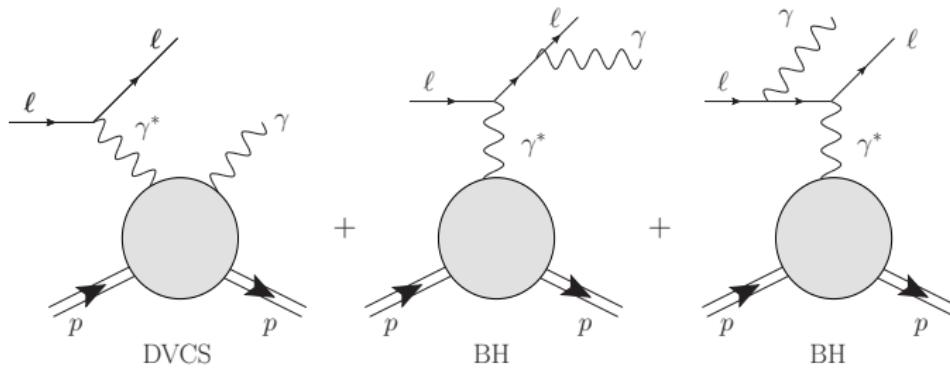
- Distribution of partons in **transversal** space

$$\rho(x, \vec{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i \vec{b}_\perp \cdot \vec{\Delta}_\perp} H(x, 0, -\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2) \quad [\text{Burkardt '00}]$$

(where experiments are mostly sensitive to  $H(x, x, t)$ )

# Access to GPDs via DVCS

- Deeply virtual Compton scattering (DVCS) — “gold plated” process of exclusive physics
- DVCS is measured via lepto-production of a photon



- **Interference** with Bethe-Heitler process gives unique access to both real and imaginary part of DVCS amplitude.

# DVCS cross section

$$d\sigma \propto |\mathcal{T}|^2 = |\mathcal{T}_{\text{BH}}|^2 + |\mathcal{T}_{\text{DVCS}}|^2 + \mathcal{I}.$$

$$\mathcal{I} \propto \frac{-e_\ell}{\mathcal{P}_1(\phi)\mathcal{P}_2(\phi)} \left\{ c_0^{\mathcal{I}} + \sum_{n=1}^3 [c_n^{\mathcal{I}} \cos(n\phi) + s_n^{\mathcal{I}} \sin(n\phi)] \right\},$$

$$|\mathcal{T}_{\text{DVCS}}|^2 \propto \left\{ c_0^{\text{DVCS}} + \sum_{n=1}^2 [c_n^{\text{DVCS}} \cos(n\phi) + s_n^{\text{DVCS}} \sin(n\phi)] \right\},$$

- Choosing polarizations (and charges) we focus on particular harmonics:

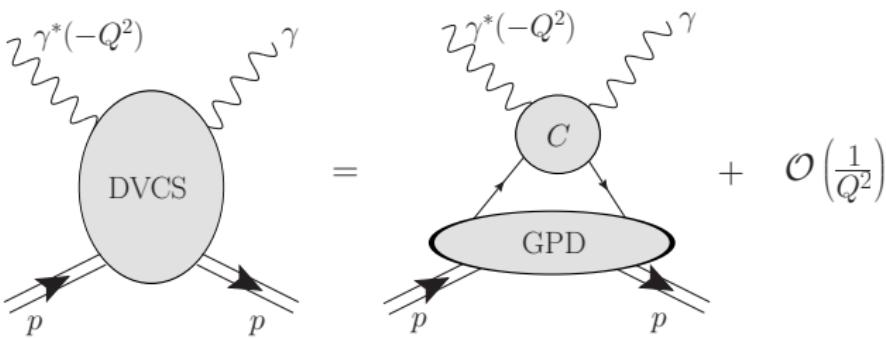
$$c_{1,\text{unpol.}}^{\mathcal{I}} \propto \left[ F_1 \Re \mathcal{H} - \frac{t}{4M_p^2} F_2 \Re \mathcal{E} + \frac{x_B}{2-x_B} (F_1 + F_2) \Re \tilde{\mathcal{H}} \right]$$

[Belitsky, Müller et. al '01-'14]

- $\mathcal{H}(x_B, t, Q^2), \dots$  — four Compton form factors (CFFs)

# Factorization of DVCS $\longrightarrow$ GPDs

- [Collins et al. '98]



- Compton form factor is a convolution:

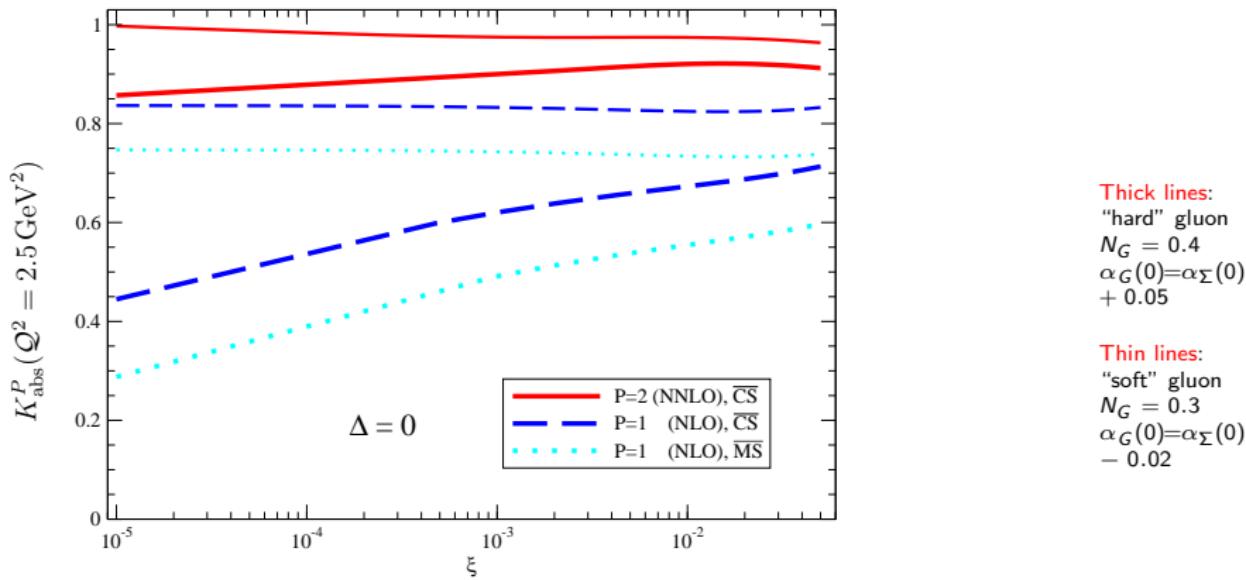
$${}^a\mathcal{H}(x_B, t, Q^2) = \int dx \ C^a(x, \frac{x_B}{2-x_B}, \frac{Q^2}{Q_0^2}) \ H^a(x, \frac{x_B}{2-x_B}, t, Q_0^2)$$

$a=q, G$

- $H^a(x, \eta, t, Q_0^2)$  — Generalized parton distribution (GPD)

# (N)NLO corrections

- [K.K., Müller and Passek-K. '07]



$$K_{\text{abs}}^P \equiv \left| \frac{\mathcal{H}^{(P)}}{\mathcal{H}^{(P-1)}} \right|$$

# Status of fits

# Hybrid GPD models for global fits

- Sea quarks and gluons modelled using  $SO(3)$  partial wave expansion in conformal GPD moment space +  $Q^2$  evolution.
- Valence quarks — model CFFs directly (ignoring  $Q^2$  evolution):

$$\Im \mathcal{H}(\xi, t) = \pi \left[ \frac{4}{9} H^{u_{\text{val}}}(\xi, \xi, t) + \frac{1}{9} H^{d_{\text{val}}}(\xi, \xi, t) + \frac{2}{9} H^{\text{sea}}(\xi, \xi, t) \right]$$

$$H(x, x, t) = n \, r \, 2^\alpha \left( \frac{2x}{1+x} \right)^{-\alpha(t)} \left( \frac{1-x}{1+x} \right)^b \frac{1}{\left( 1 - \frac{1-x}{1+x} \frac{t}{M^2} \right)^p}.$$

- $\Re \mathcal{H}$  determined by dispersion relations
- 15 free parameters in total for  $H, \tilde{H}, E, \tilde{E}$ .

# Experimental coverage (fixed target part)

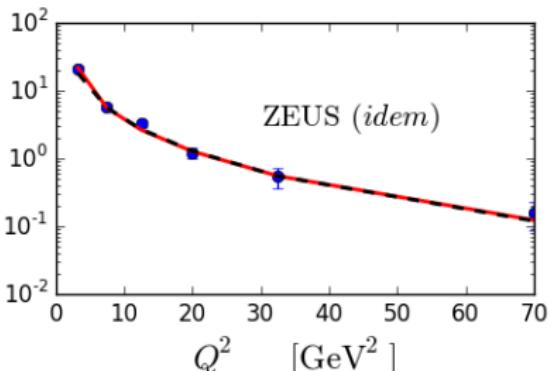
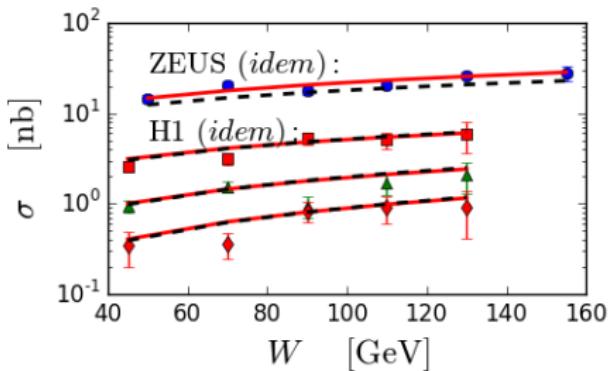
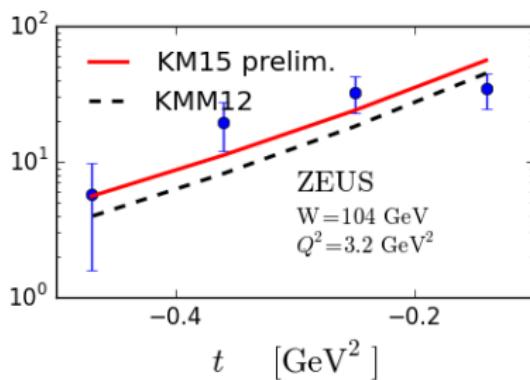
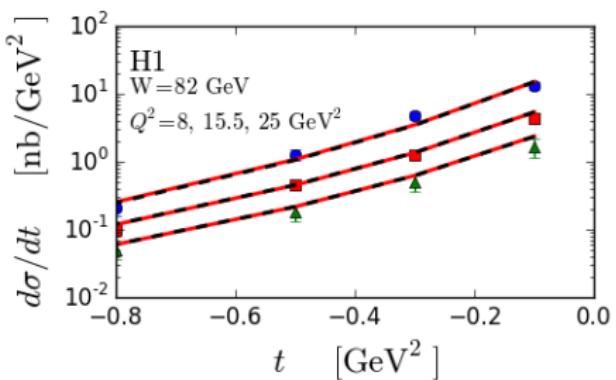
Collab.	Year	Observables	Kinematics			No. of points	
			$x_B$	$Q^2$ [GeV $^2$ ]	$ t $ [GeV $^2$ ]	total	indep.
HERMES	2001	$A_{LU}^{\sin\phi}$	0.11	2.6	0.27	1	1
CLAS	2001	$A_{LU}^{\sin\phi}$	0.19	1.25	0.19	1	1
CLAS	2006	$A_{UL}^{\sin\phi}$	0.2–0.4	1.82	0.15–0.44	6	3
HERMES	2006	$A_C^{\cos\phi}$	0.08–0.12	2.0–3.7	0.03–0.42	4	4
Hall A	2006	$\sigma(\phi), \Delta\sigma(\phi)$	0.36	1.5–2.3	0.17–0.33	$4 \times 24 + 12 \times 24$	$4 \times 24 + 12 \times 24$
CLAS	2007	$A_{LU}(\phi)$	0.11–0.58	1.0–4.8	0.09–1.8	$62 \times 12$	$62 \times 12$
HERMES	2008	$A_C^{\cos(0.1)\phi}, A_{UT,DVCS}^{\sin(\phi-\phi_S)}$ , $A_{UT,I}^{\sin(\phi-\phi_S)\cos(0.1)\phi},$ $A_{UT,I}^{\cos(\phi-\phi_S)\sin\phi}$	0.03–0.35	1–10	<0.7	$12+12+12$ $12+12$ $12$	$4+4+4$ $4+4$ $4$
CLAS	2008	$A_{LU}(\phi)$	0.12–0.48	1.0–2.8	0.1–0.8	66	33
HERMES	2009	$A_{LU,I}^{\sin(1,2)\phi}, A_{LU,DVCS}^{\sin\phi}$ , $A_C^{\cos(0,1,2,3)\phi}$	0.05–0.24	1.2–5.75	<0.7	$18+18+18$ $18+18+18+18$	$6+6+6$ $6+6+6+6$
HERMES	2010	$A_{UL}^{\sin(1,2,3)\phi},$ $A_{LL}^{\cos(0,1,2)\phi}$	0.03–0.35	1–10	<0.7	$12+12+12$ $12+12+12$	$4+4+4$ $4+4+4$
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HERMES	2012	$A_{LU,I}^{\sin(1,2)\phi}, A_{LU,DVCS}^{\sin\phi}$ , $A_C^{\cos(0,1,2,3)\phi}$	0.03–0.35	1–10	<0.7	$18+18+18$ $18+18+18+18$	$6+6+6$ $6+6+6+6$
CLAS	2015	$A_{LU}(\phi), A_{UL}(\phi), A_{LL}(\phi)$	0.17–0.47	1.3–3.5	0.1–1.4	166+166+166	166+166+166
CLAS	2015	$\sigma(\phi), \Delta\sigma(\phi)$	0.1–0.58	1–4.6	0.09–0.52	2640+2640	2640+2640
Hall A	2015	$\sigma(\phi), \Delta\sigma(\phi)$	0.33–0.40	1.5–2.6	0.17–0.37	480+600	240+360

# Progression of fits over the years

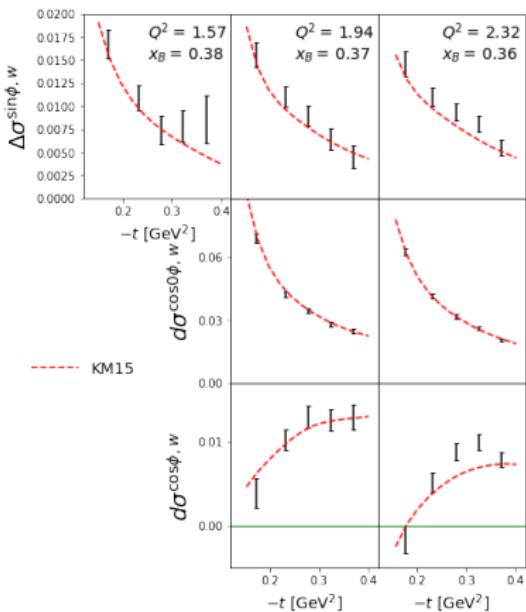
Model	KM09a	KM09b	KM10	KM10a	KM10b	KMS11	KMM12	KM15
free params.	{3}+(3)+5	{3}+(3)+6	{3}+15	{3}+10	{3}+15	NNet	{3}+15	{3}+15
$\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.}$	32.0/31	33.4/34	135.7/160	129.2/149	115.5/126	13.8/36	123.5/80	240./275
$F_2$	{85}	{85}	{85}	{85}	{85}		{85}	{85}
$\sigma_{\text{DVCS}}$	(45)	(45)	51	51	45		11	11
$d\sigma_{\text{DVCS}}/dt$	(56)	(56)	56	56	56		24	24
$A_{LU}^{\sin \phi}$	12+12	12+12	12	16	12+12		4	13
$A_{LU,I}^{\sin \phi}$			18	18		18	6	6
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$\Delta\sigma^{\sin \phi,w}$			12				12	63
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$\sigma^{\cos \phi,w}/\sigma^{\cos 0\phi,w}$		4			4			
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$A_{LL}^{\cos 0\phi}$							4	14
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$A_{UT,I}^{\sin(\phi-\phi_S)\cos \phi}$							4	4

- [K.K., Müller, et al. '09–'15]
- These models are publicly available (google for "gpd page")

# Fit examples (1/2): H1/ZEUS

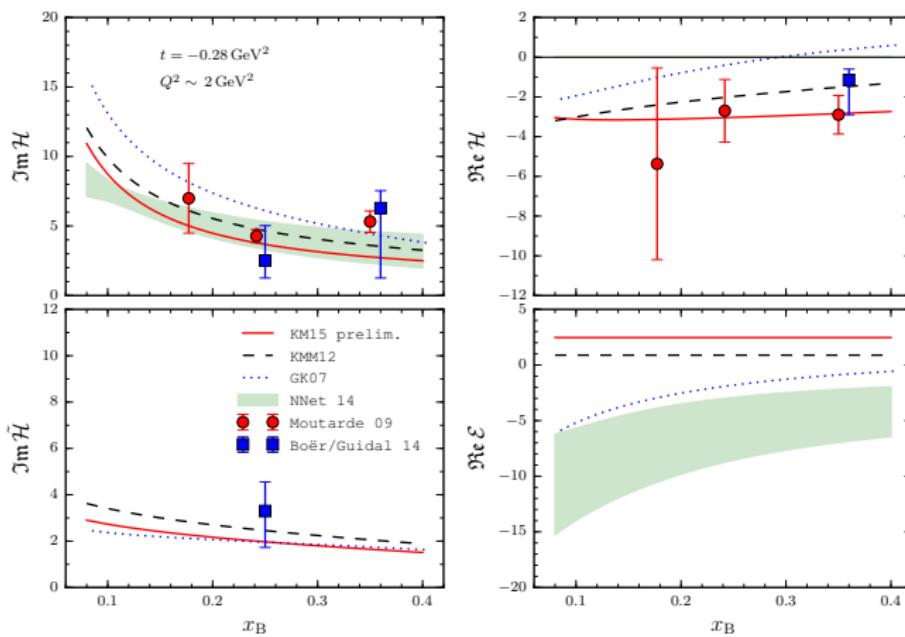


# Fit examples (2/2): JLab's Hall A (2015)



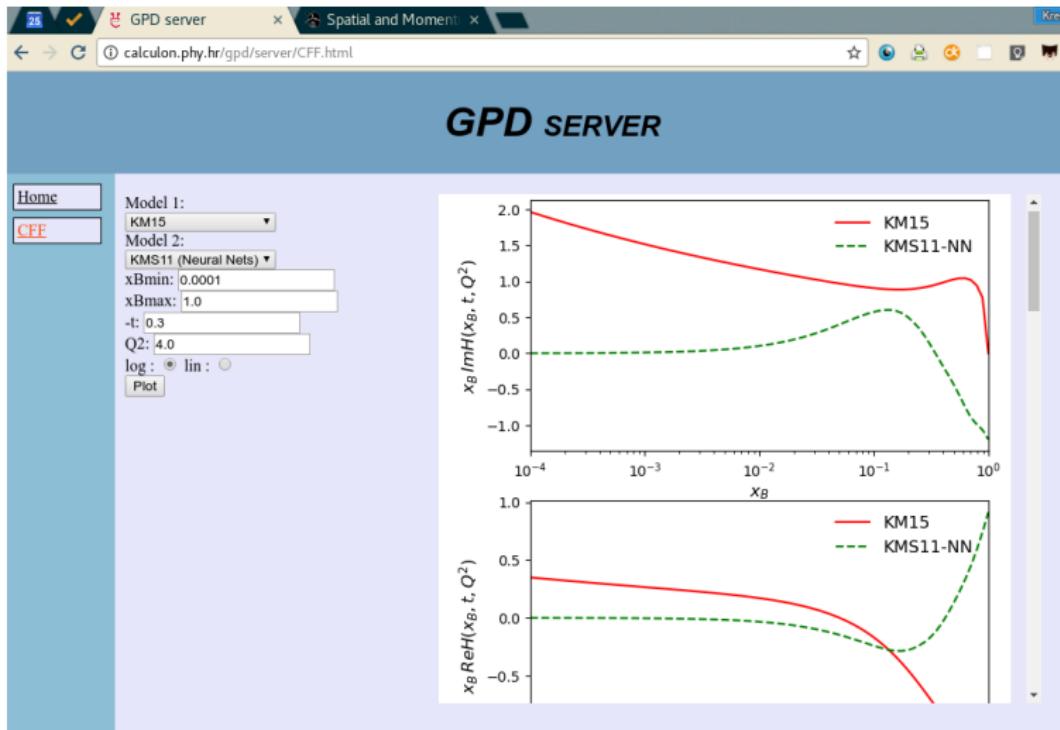
- KM15 global fit is fine.  $\chi^2/n_{\text{d.o.f.}} = 240./275 \checkmark$

# CFFs from various fits



(from [K.K., Moutarde and Liuti '16])

# GPD/CFF server



- Plots of all CFFs available; numerical values soon to come . . .

# Accessing D-term

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- $d_1^a$  appears also in dispersion relations for DVCS form factors:

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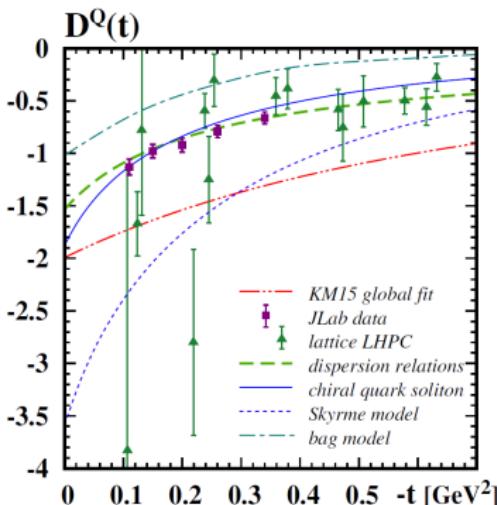
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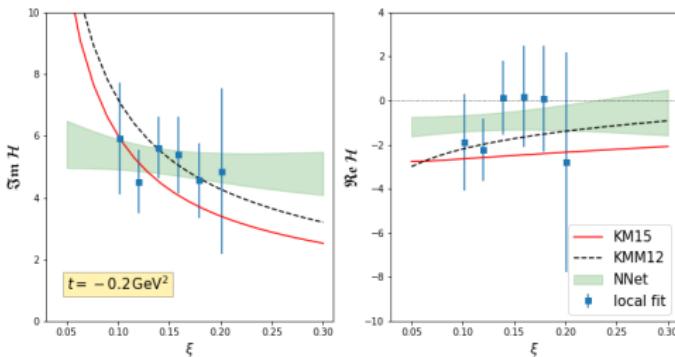
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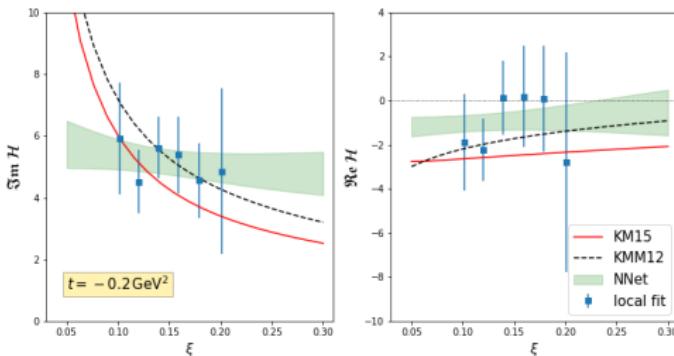
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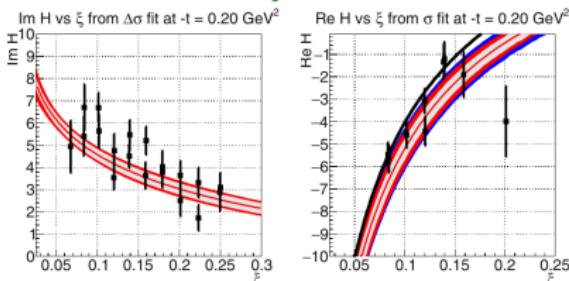


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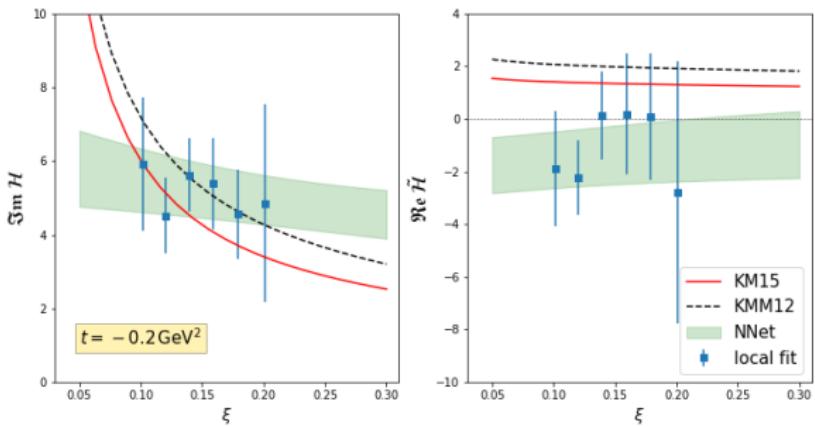
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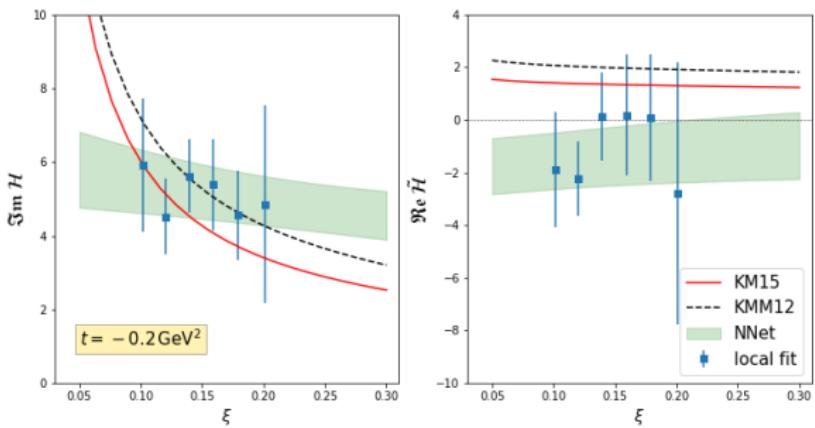


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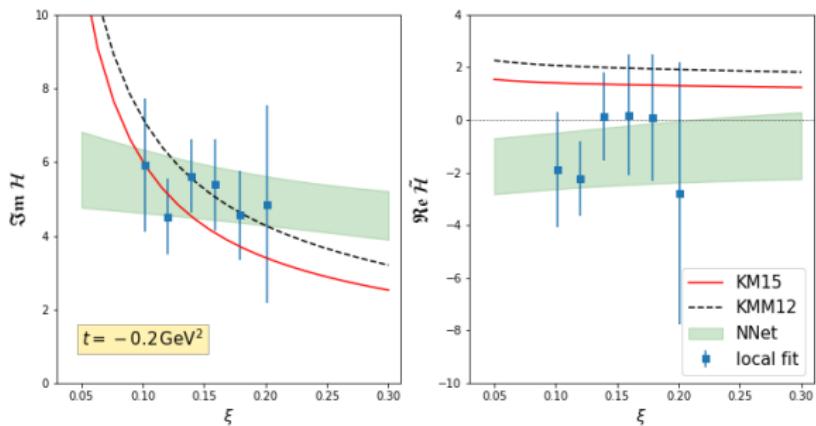
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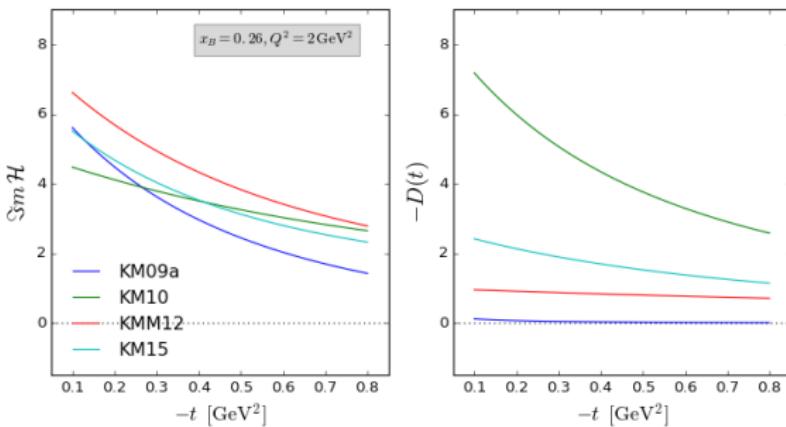
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# D-term in global fits over the years



- Better constraint on D-term: measurement of beam **charge** asymmetry, **double** DVCS, ...

# Higher twists?

# Including higher twists

- Definition of Compton form factors to given twist is convention dependent (e.g. choice of  $(n, \tilde{n})$ —longitudinal plane)
- BMJ [Belitsky, Müller, Ji]:  $\mathcal{H}_{++}, \mathcal{E}_{++}, \dots, \mathcal{H}_{0+}, \mathcal{E}_{0+}, \dots,$
- BMP [Braun, Manashov, Pirnay]:  $\underbrace{\mathbb{H}_{++}, \mathbb{E}_{++}}_{\text{twist-2}} \dots \mathbb{H}_{0+}, \mathbb{E}_{0+}, \dots,$
- Lorentz transformation from BMP to BMJ frame:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}_{++} &= \mathbb{H}_{++} + \frac{\chi}{2}(\mathbb{H}_{++} + \mathbb{H}_{-+}) - \chi_0 \mathbb{H}_{0+} \\ \mathcal{H}_{0+} &= -(1 + \chi) \mathbb{H}_{0+} + \chi_0 (\mathbb{H}_{++} + \mathbb{H}_{-+})\end{aligned}$$

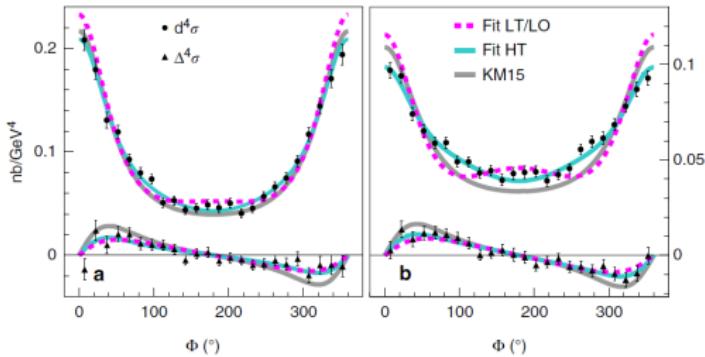
collects most of the HT effects.

$$\chi_0 \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q}\right), \quad \chi \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q^2}\right)$$

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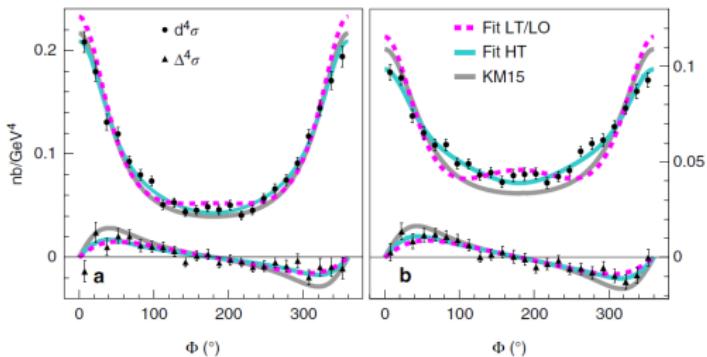
LT/LO	$\mathbb{H}_{++}$ , $\mathbb{E}_{++}$ , $\tilde{\mathbb{H}}_{++}$ , $\tilde{\mathbb{E}}_{++}$	<span style="color:red;">✗</span> bad fit
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- Hall A conclusion: "We glimpse gluons here!" (at  $x_B = 0.36$ )

# LT vs. HT: chi-squares

- $n_{\text{d.o.f.}} = 208 \pm 2$

		BMP ( $\mathbb{F}$ )		
	$t/\text{GeV}^2$	LO/LT	HT	NLO
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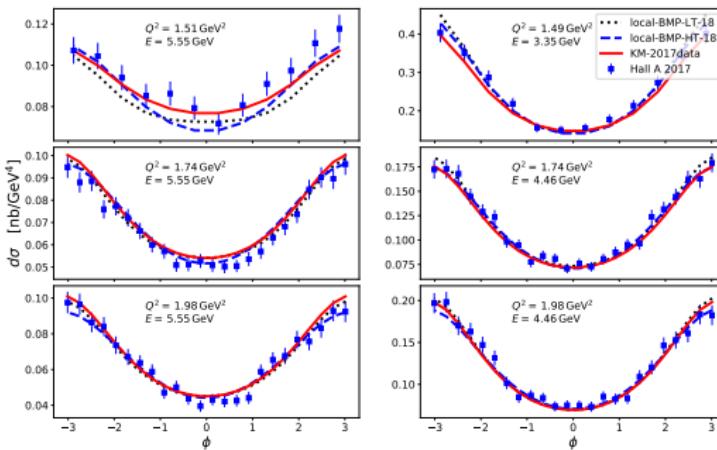
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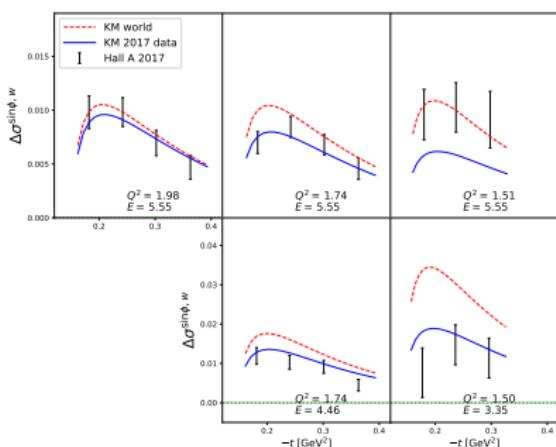
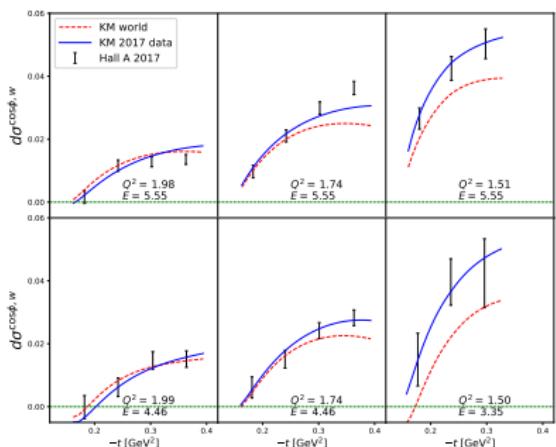
# Hall A 2017 $d\sigma$

- $t = -0.18 \text{ GeV}^2$



- Conclusion: Hall A 2017 data **alone** can be satisfactorily described within twist-2 framework

# Including Hall A 2017 data in global world fit: fail X

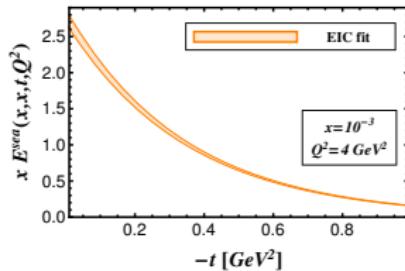
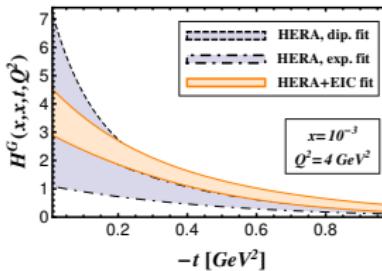
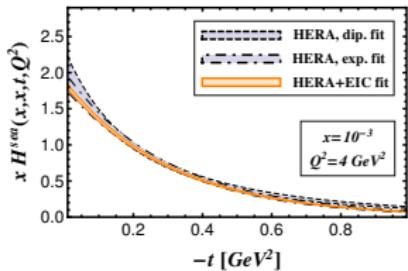


## Global world DVCS data fit

before 2017	including 2017 Hall A
$\chi^2/n_{\text{d.o.f}} = 240./275 \checkmark$	$\chi^2/n_{\text{d.o.f}} = 545./337 \text{ X}$

# DVCS at EIC

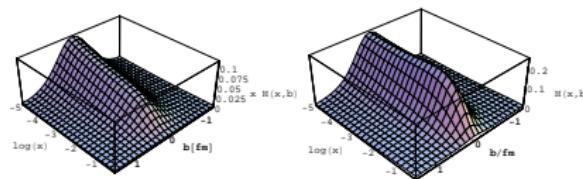
- Future polarized electron-ion collider (EIC) will provide unique insight into sea GPDs.
- [Aschenauer, Fazio, K.K., Müller '13] fit to simulated DVCS data at  $20 \text{ GeV} \times 250 \text{ GeV}$  taking  $E_{\text{sea}}(x, \eta, t) = \kappa_{\text{sea}} H_{\text{sea}}(x, \eta, t)$



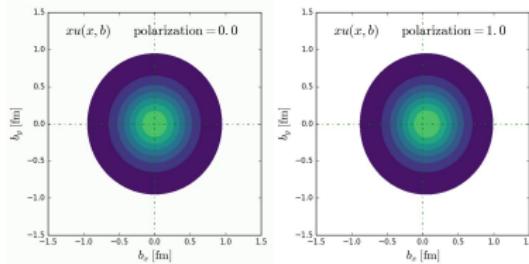
- Improved knowledge of low- $t$  quark and gluon GPDs  $H$  ( $\Rightarrow$  3D parton imaging)
- Improved knowledge of sea quark GPD  $E$

# Tomography

- Quark and gluon sea 2D distributions  $H(x, \vec{b}_\perp)$  ([KM] model)



- Sivers effect for valence quarks ([GK] model)



- See also [Dupré, Guidal, Vanderhaeghen '16]
- Tomography is still very much model-dependent; e.g. some extrapolation from  $H(x, x, t)$  to  $H(x, 0, t)$  is needed.

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