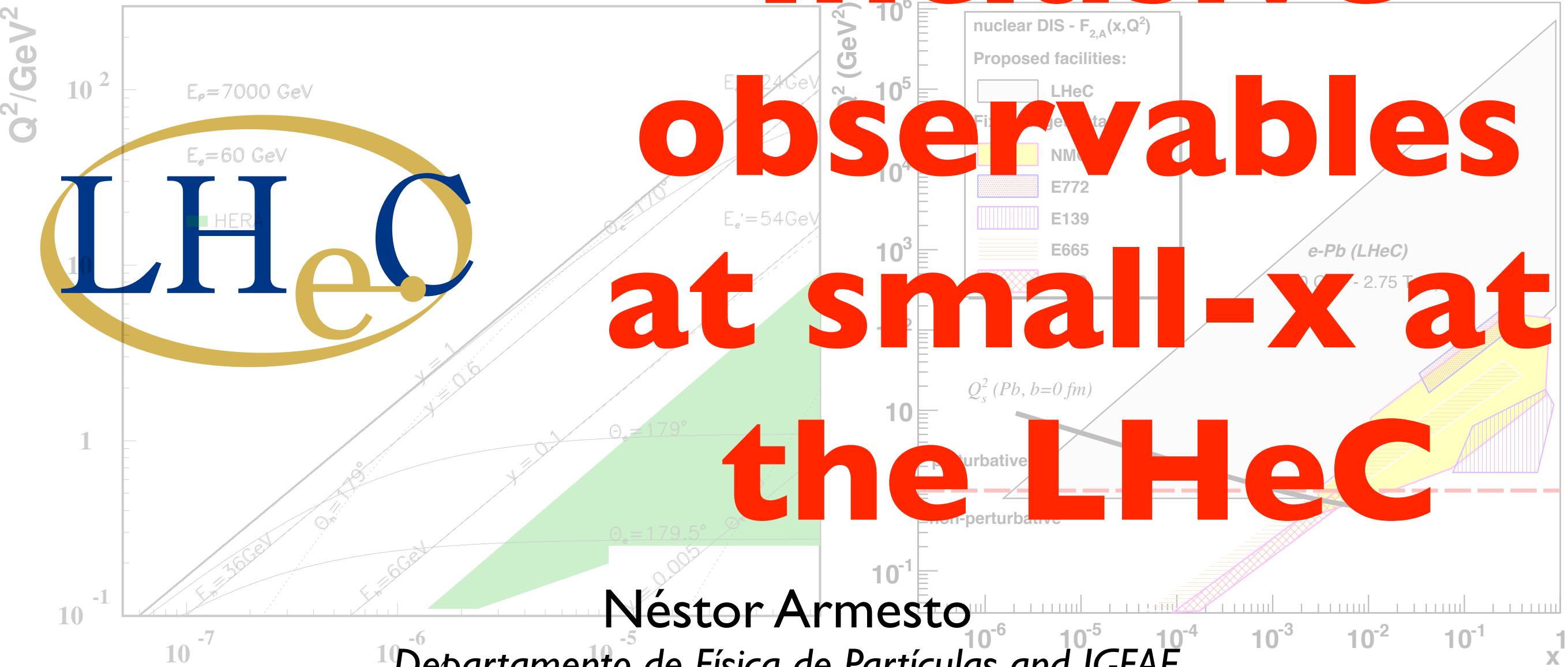


Low x Workshop
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LHeC - Low x Kinematics

Inclusive

observables at small-x at the LHeC



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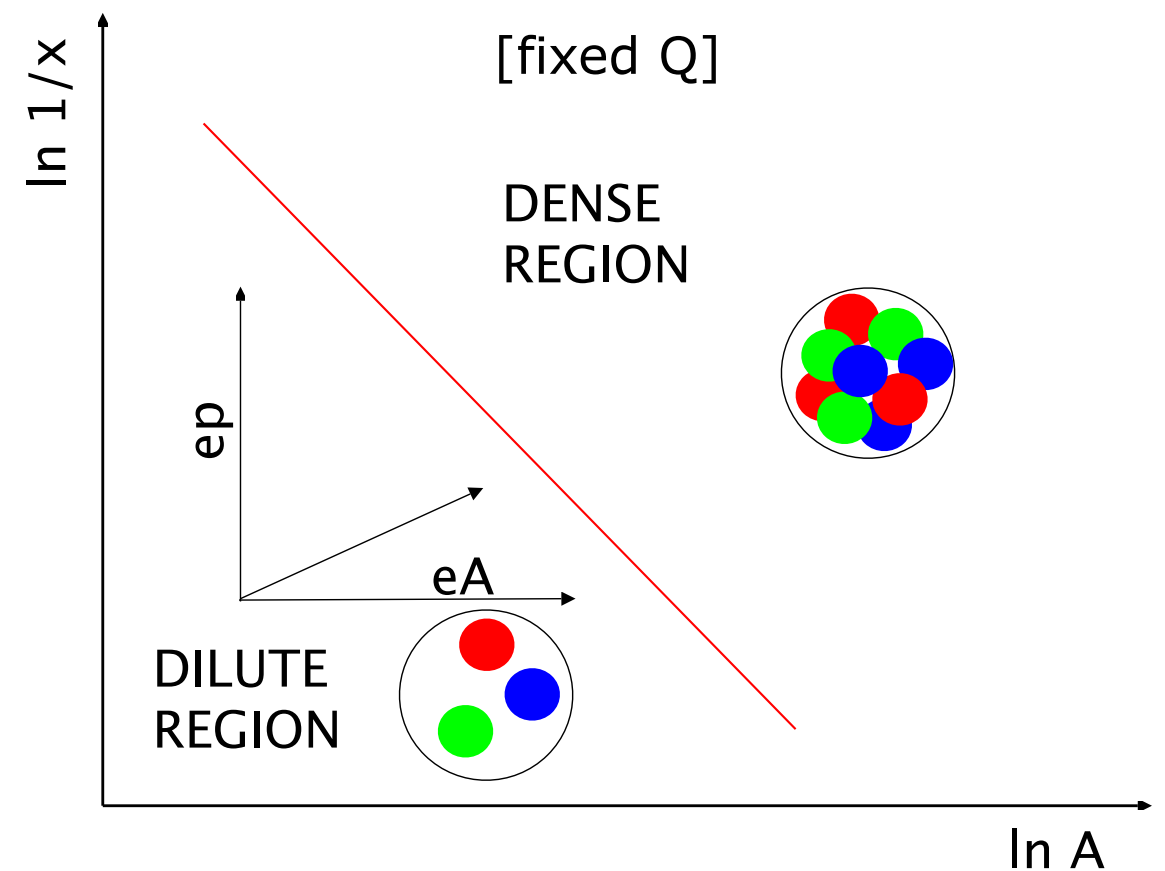
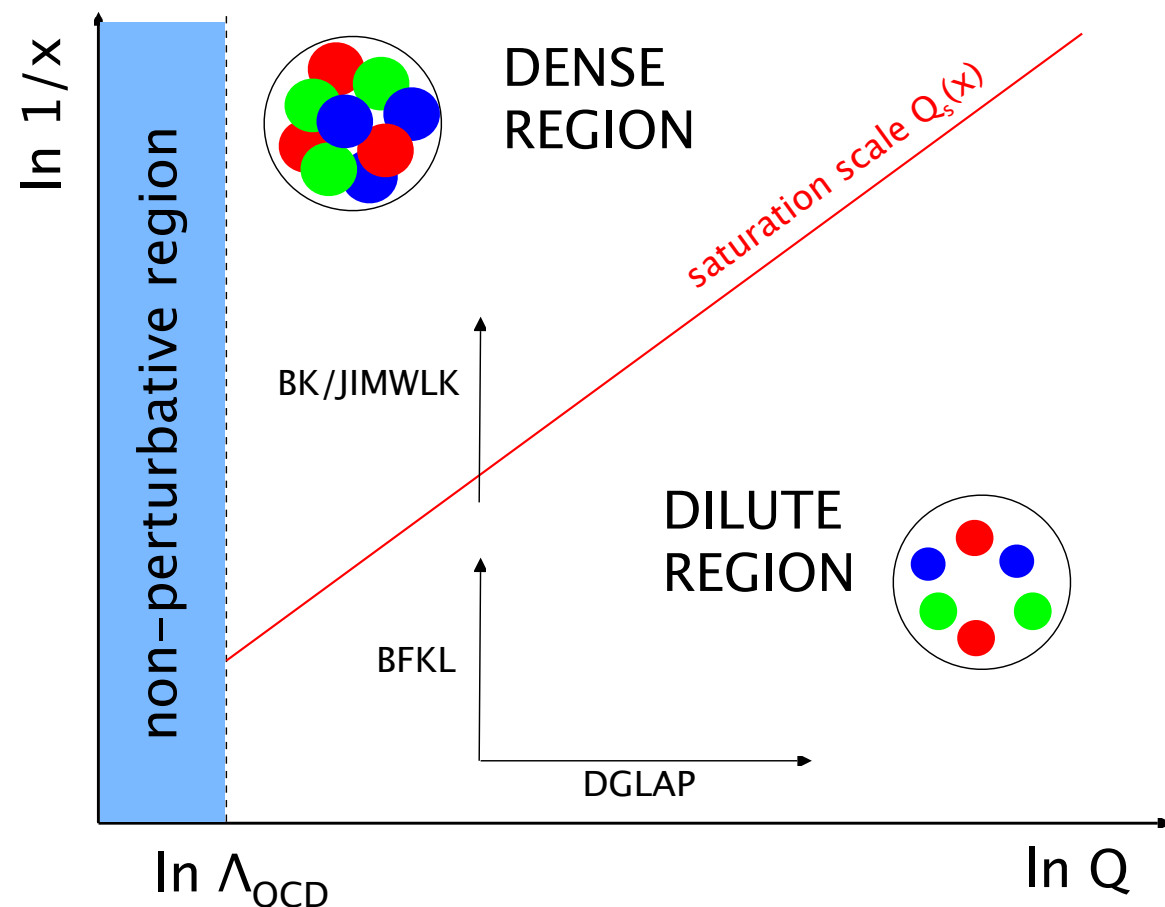
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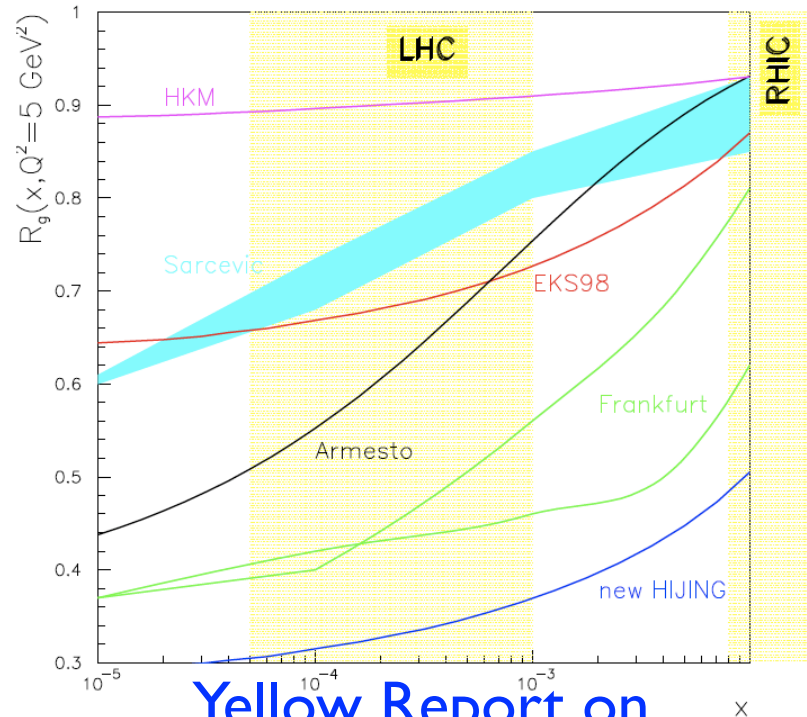
- Three pQCD-based alternatives to describe small-x ep and eA data (differences at moderate $Q^2(>\Lambda^2_{\text{QCD}})$ and small x):
 - DGLAP evolution (fixed order perturbation theory).
 - Resummation schemes: BFKL, CCFM, ABF, CCSS.
 - Saturation (CGC, dipole models).
- **Non-linear effects** (unitarity constraints) are density effects: where? \Rightarrow **two-pronged approach at the LHeC**: $\downarrow x / \uparrow A$.



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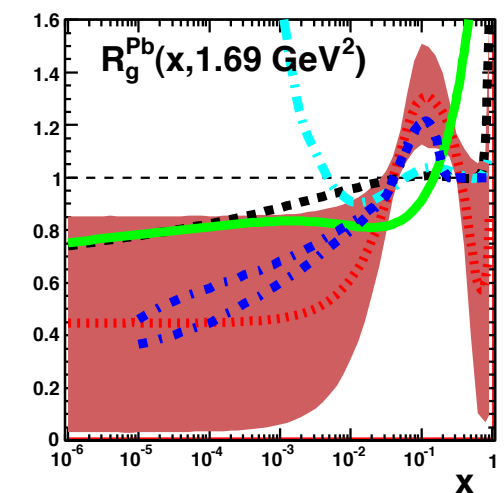
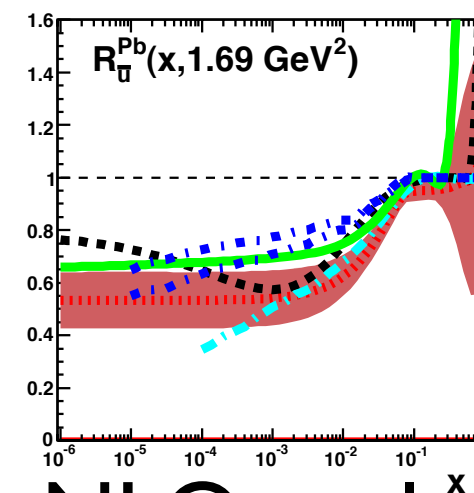
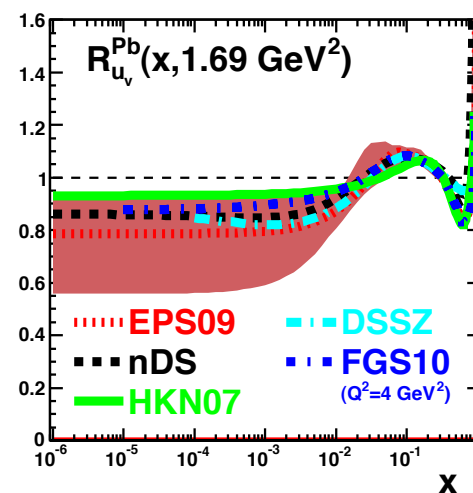
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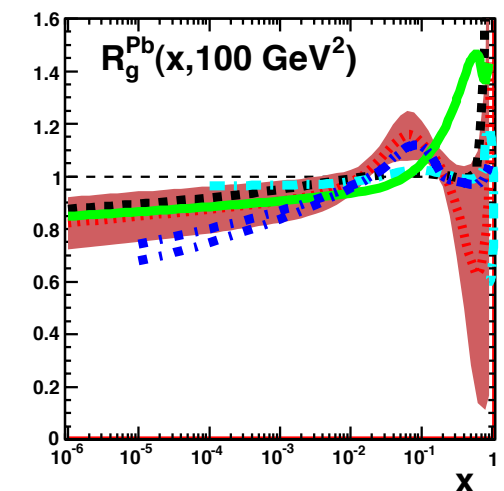
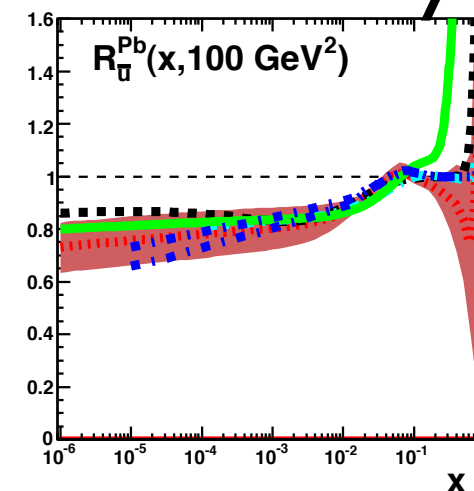
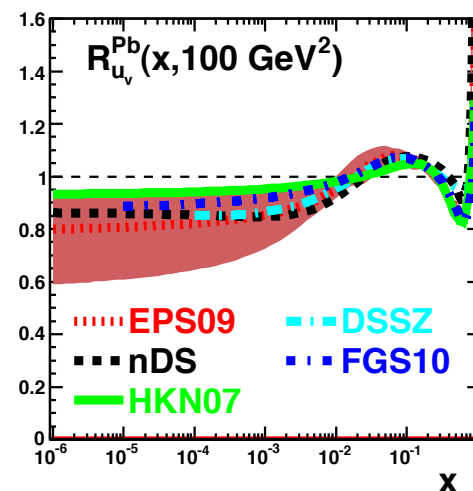


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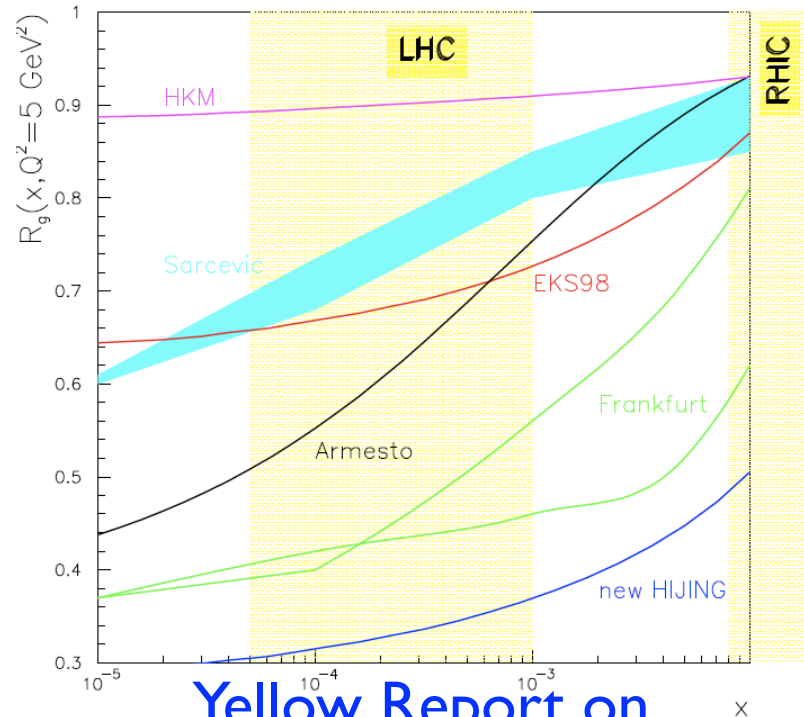
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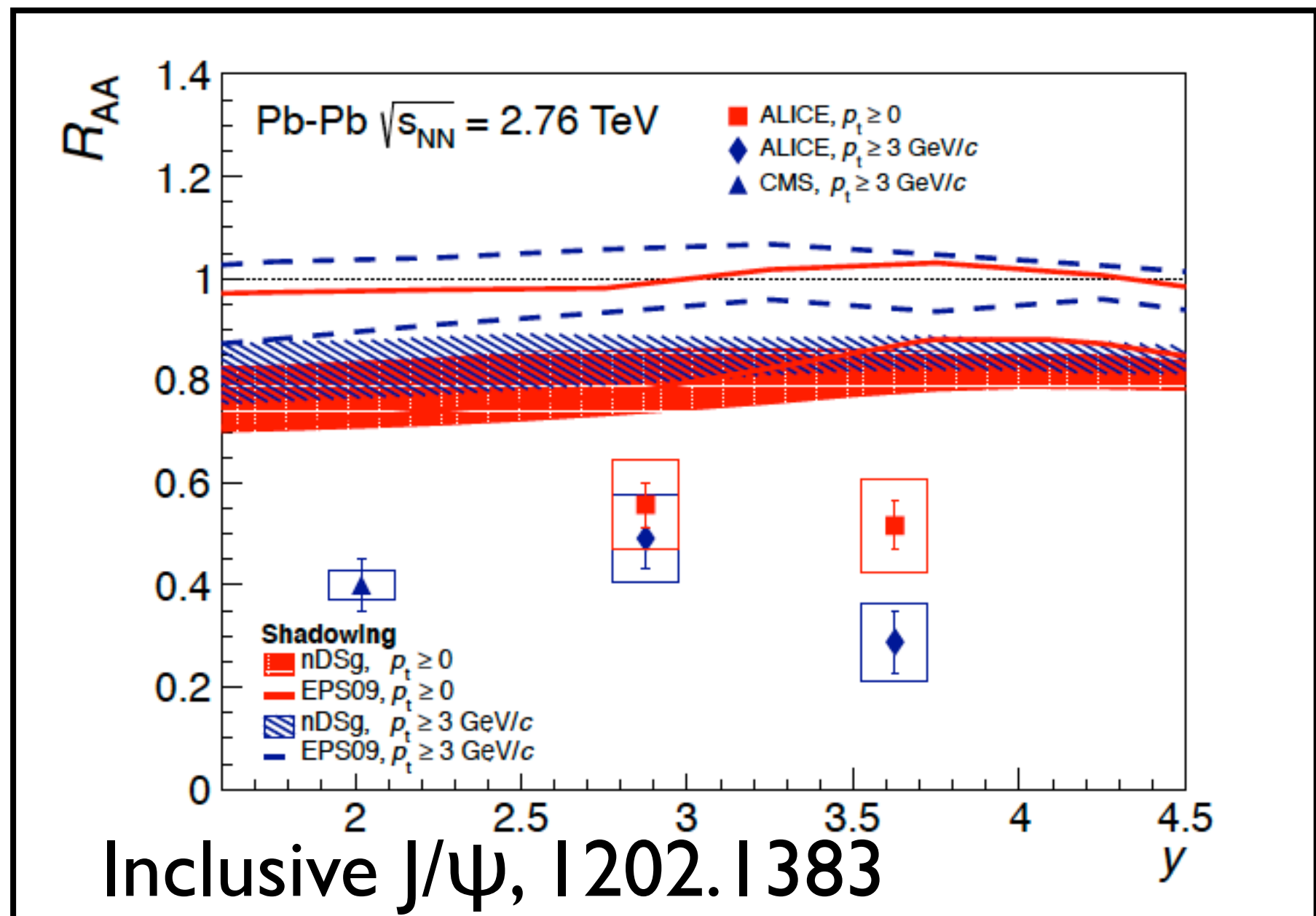
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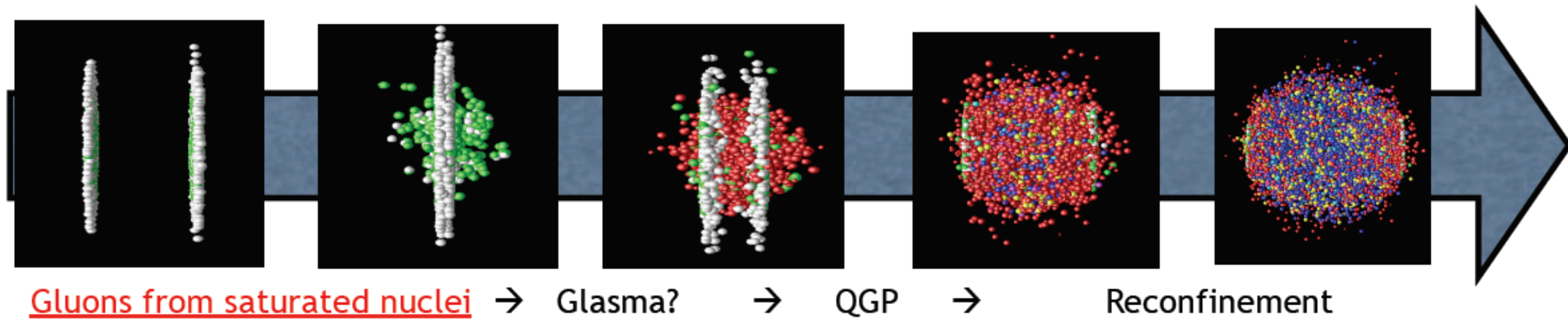


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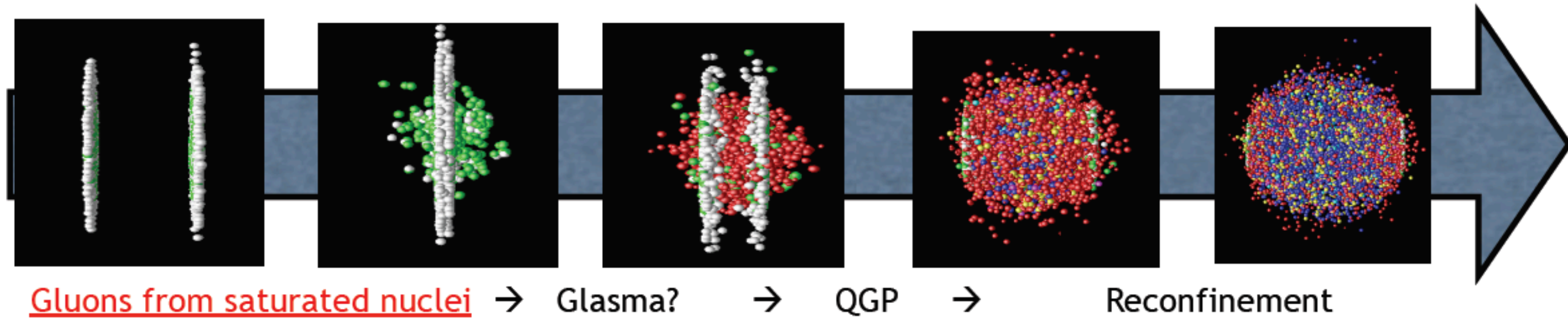
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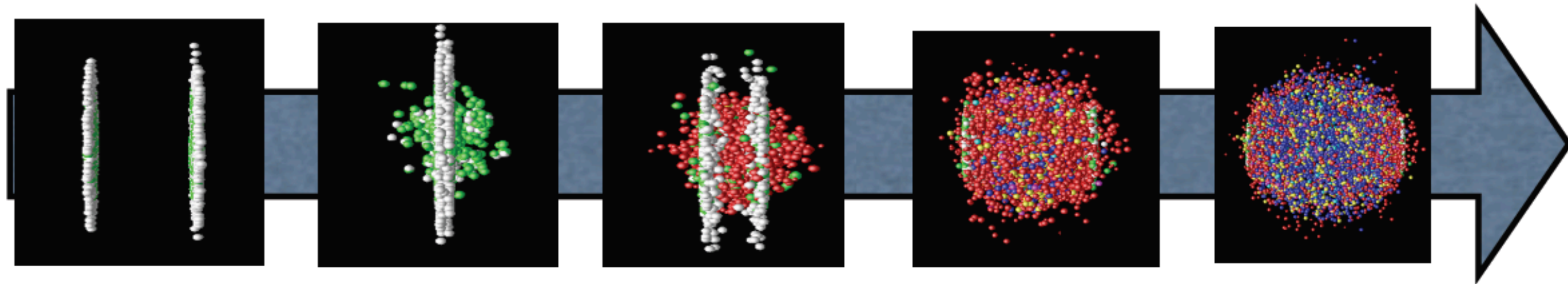


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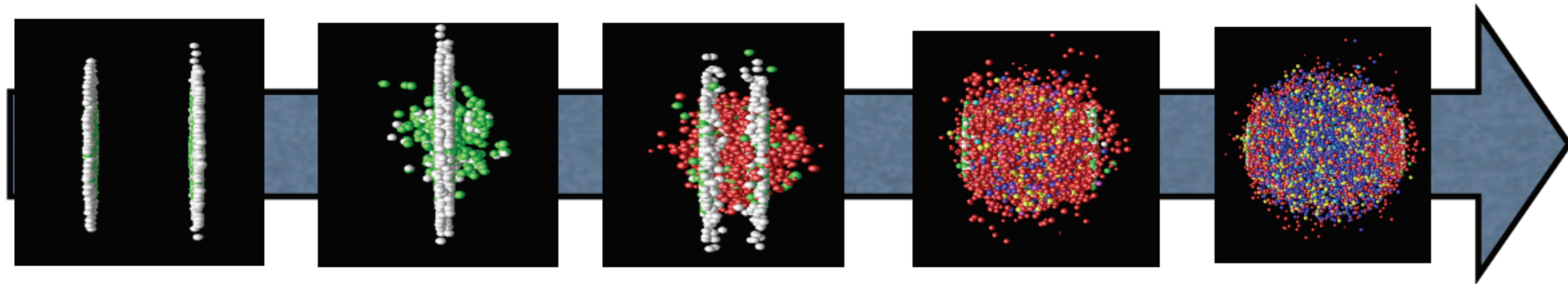


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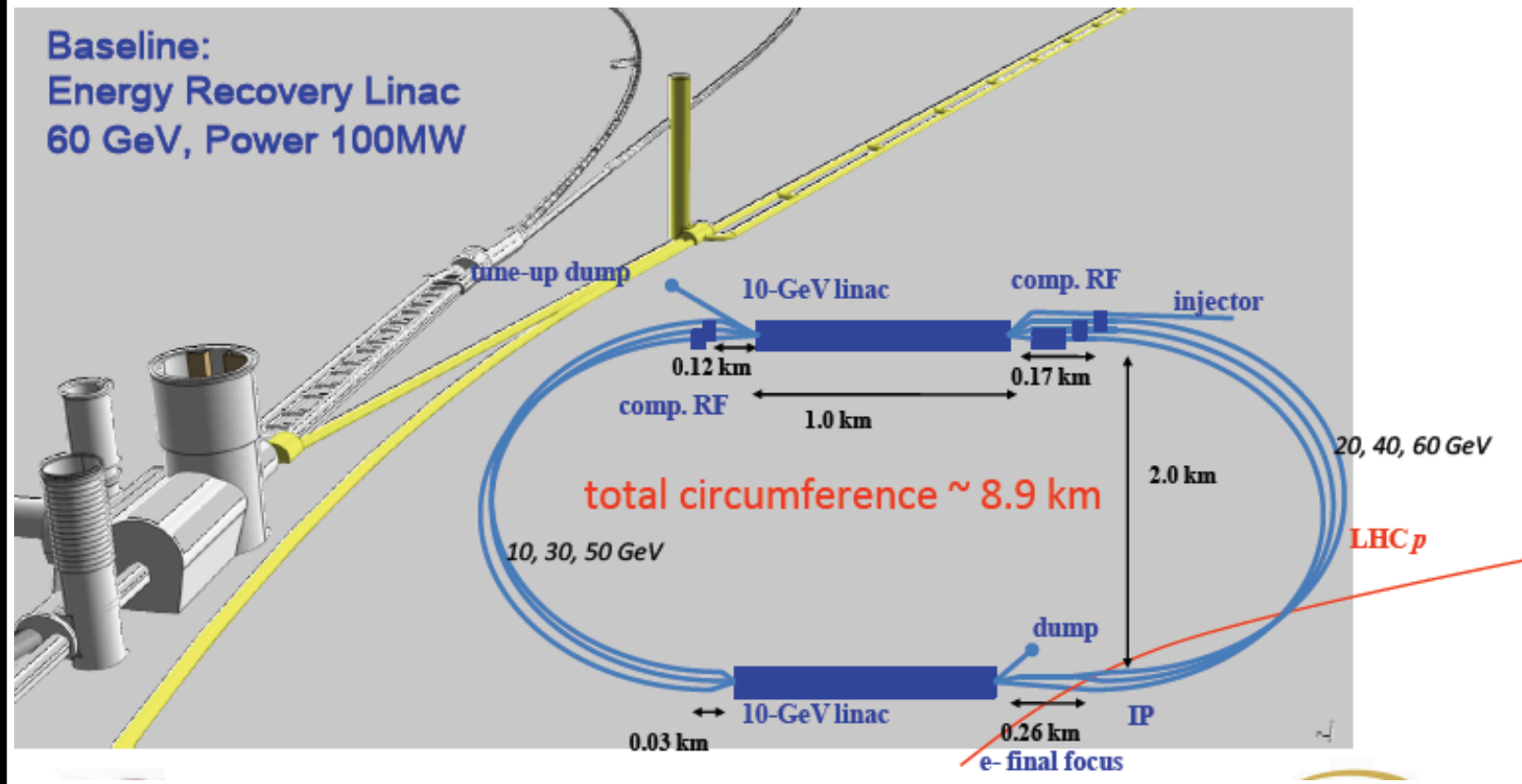
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- Design considerations:**
- $L \sim 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.
 - Power < 70 MW.
 - Synchronous pp/ep.
- $E_e = 60 \text{ GeV}$ (benchmark).

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full crossing angle [mrad]	0	0
geometric reduction H_{hg}	0.91	0.94
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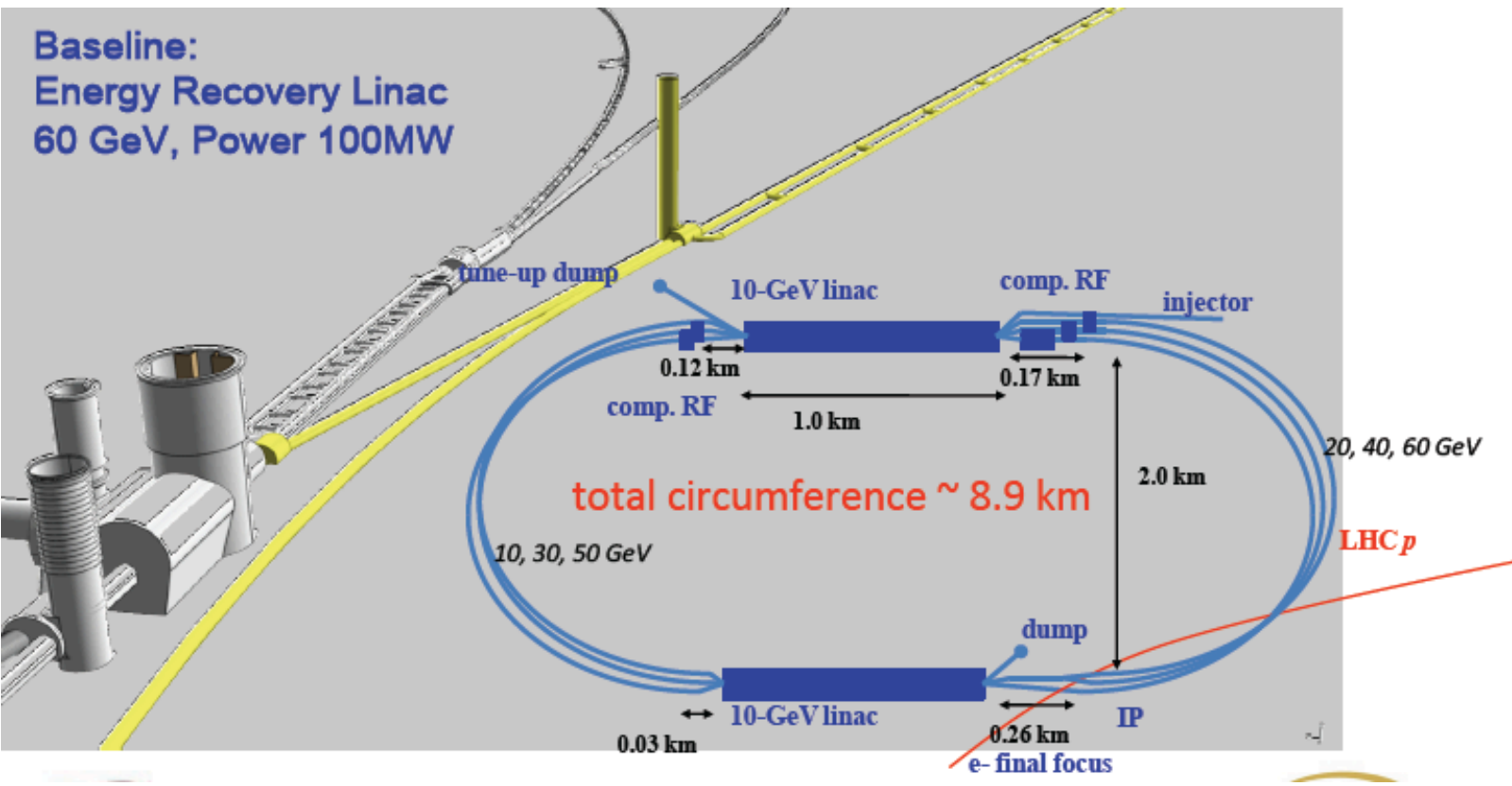
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electron beam	LR ERL	LR
e- energy at IP[GeV]	60	140
luminosity [$10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	10	0.44
polarization [%]	90	90
bunch population [10^9]	2.0	1.6
e- bunch length [mm]	0.3	0.3
bunch interval [ns]	50	50
transv. emit. $\gamma\epsilon_{x,y}$ [mm]	0.05	0.1
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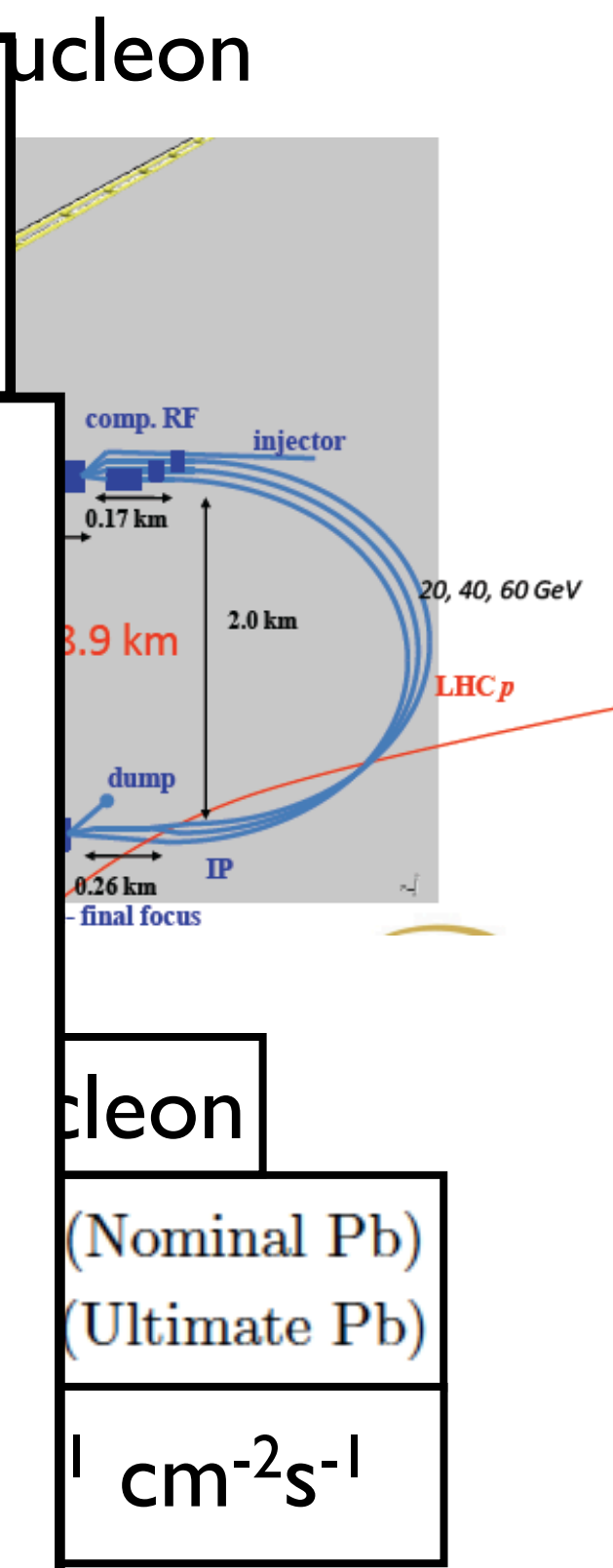
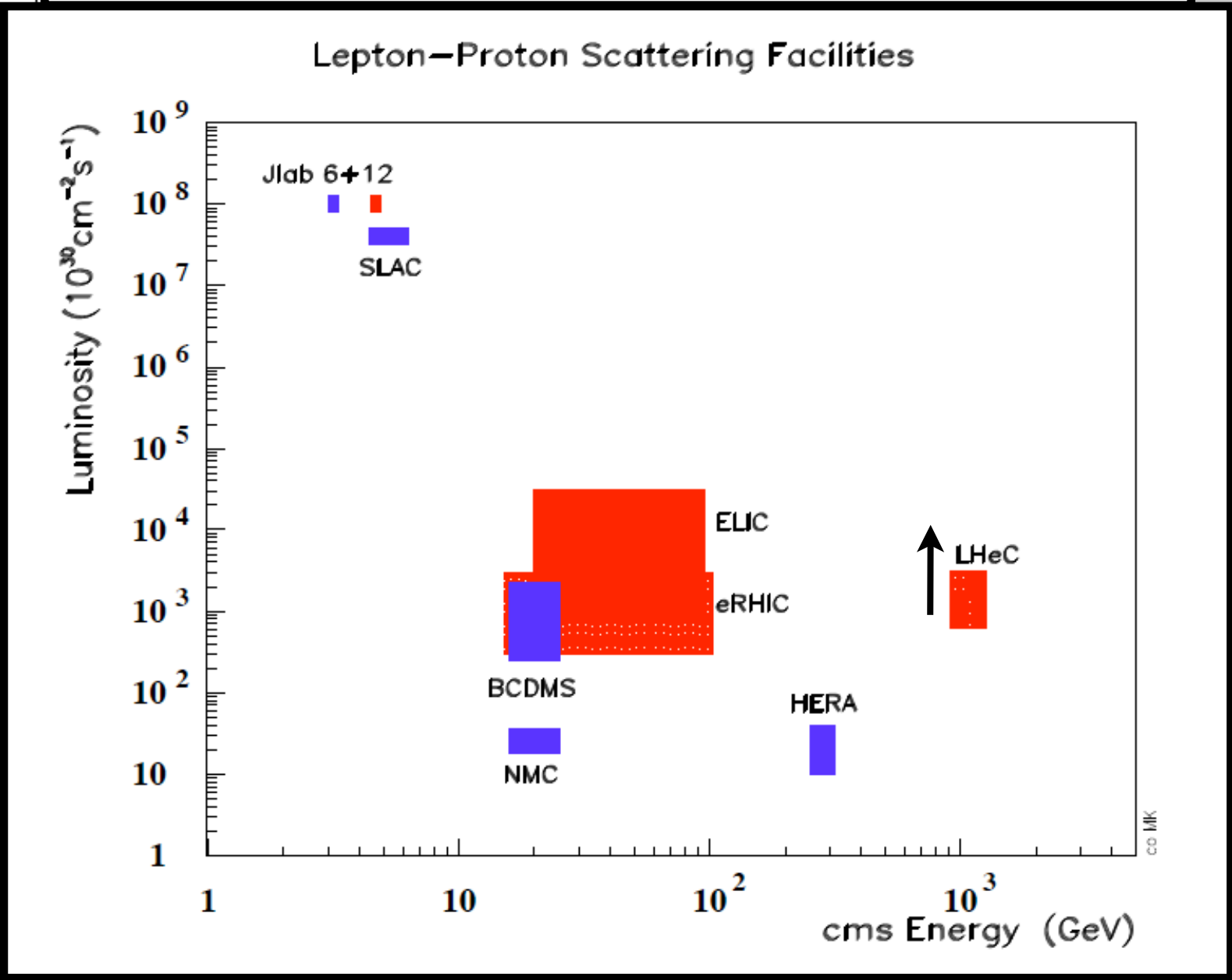
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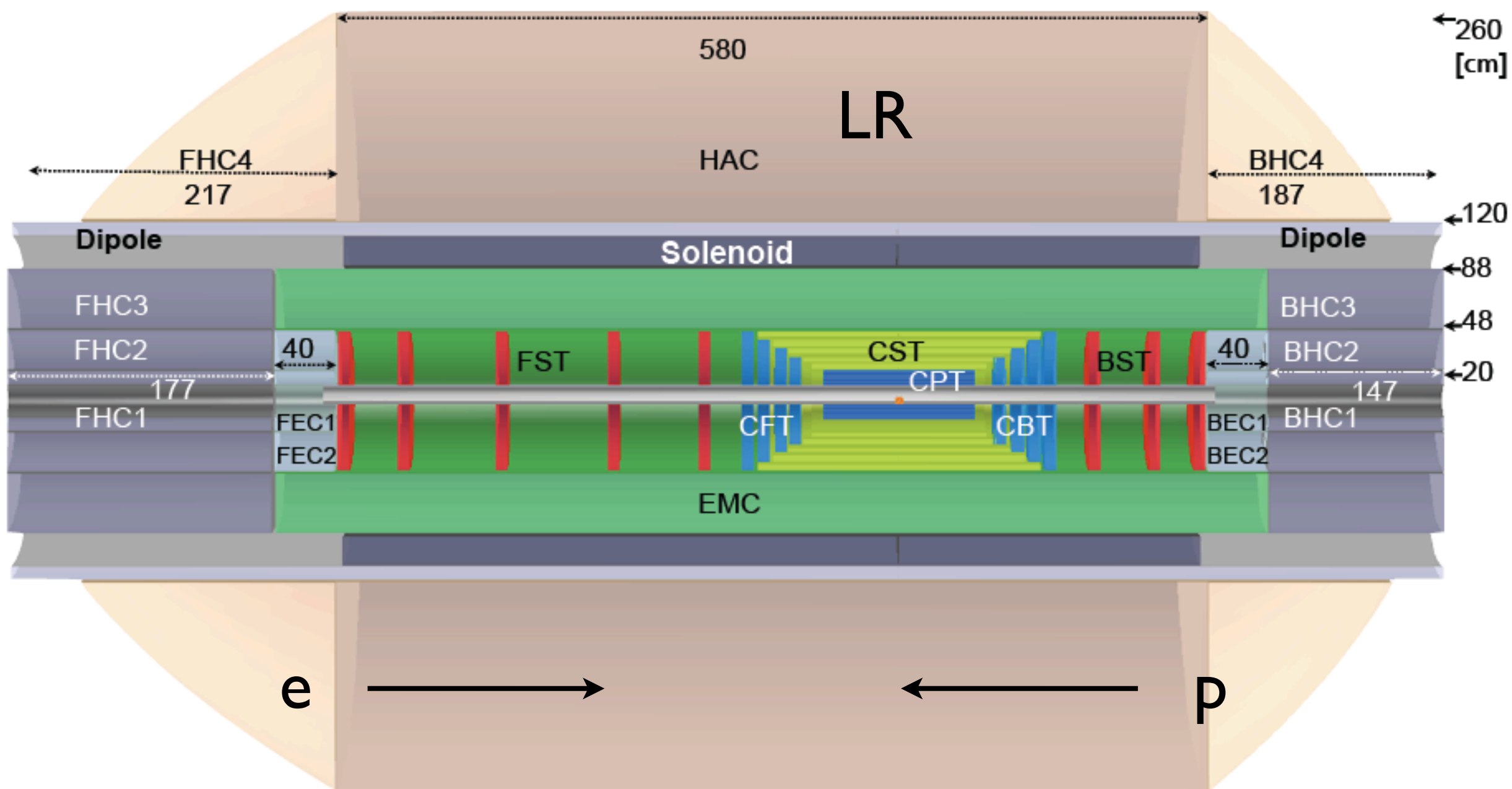
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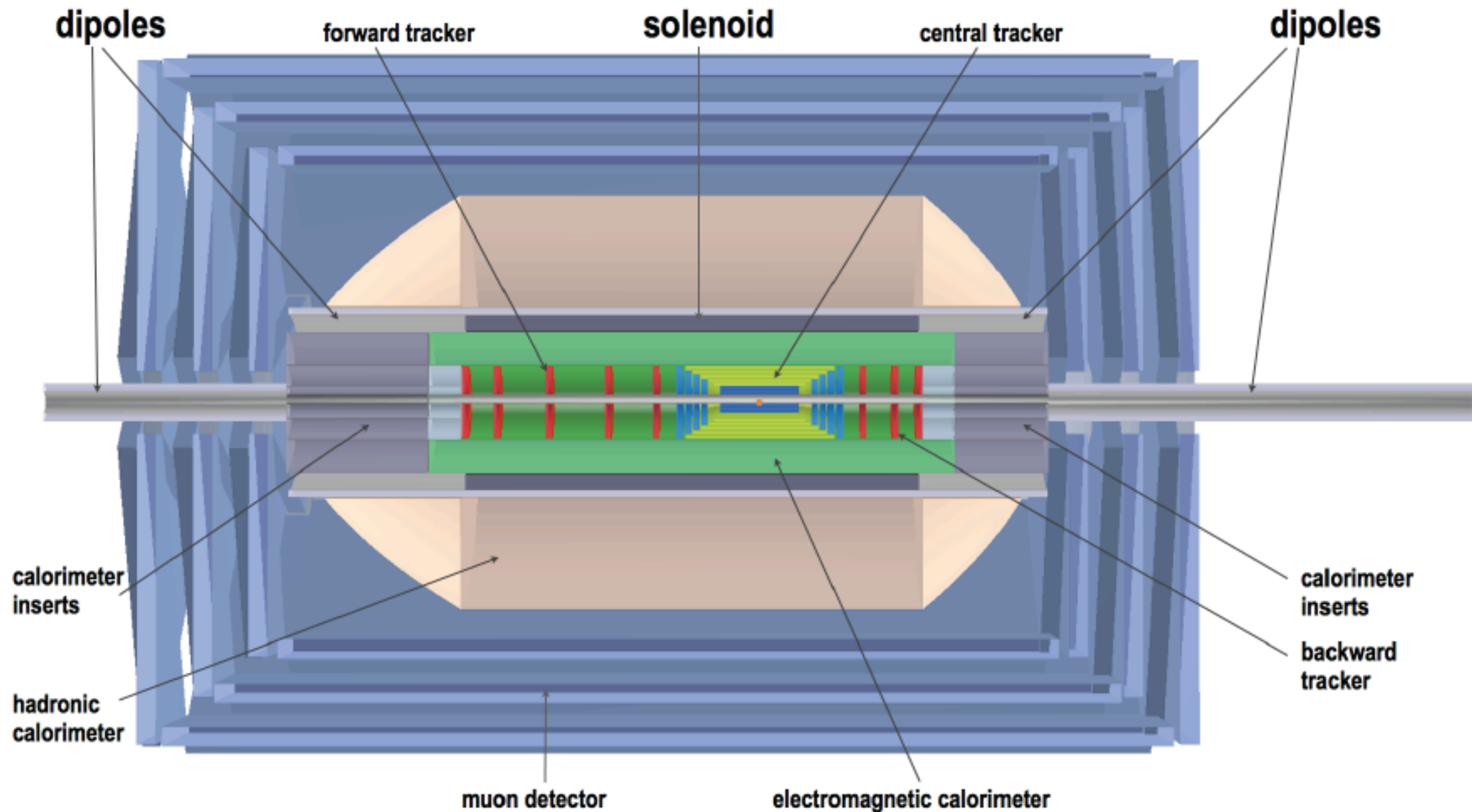


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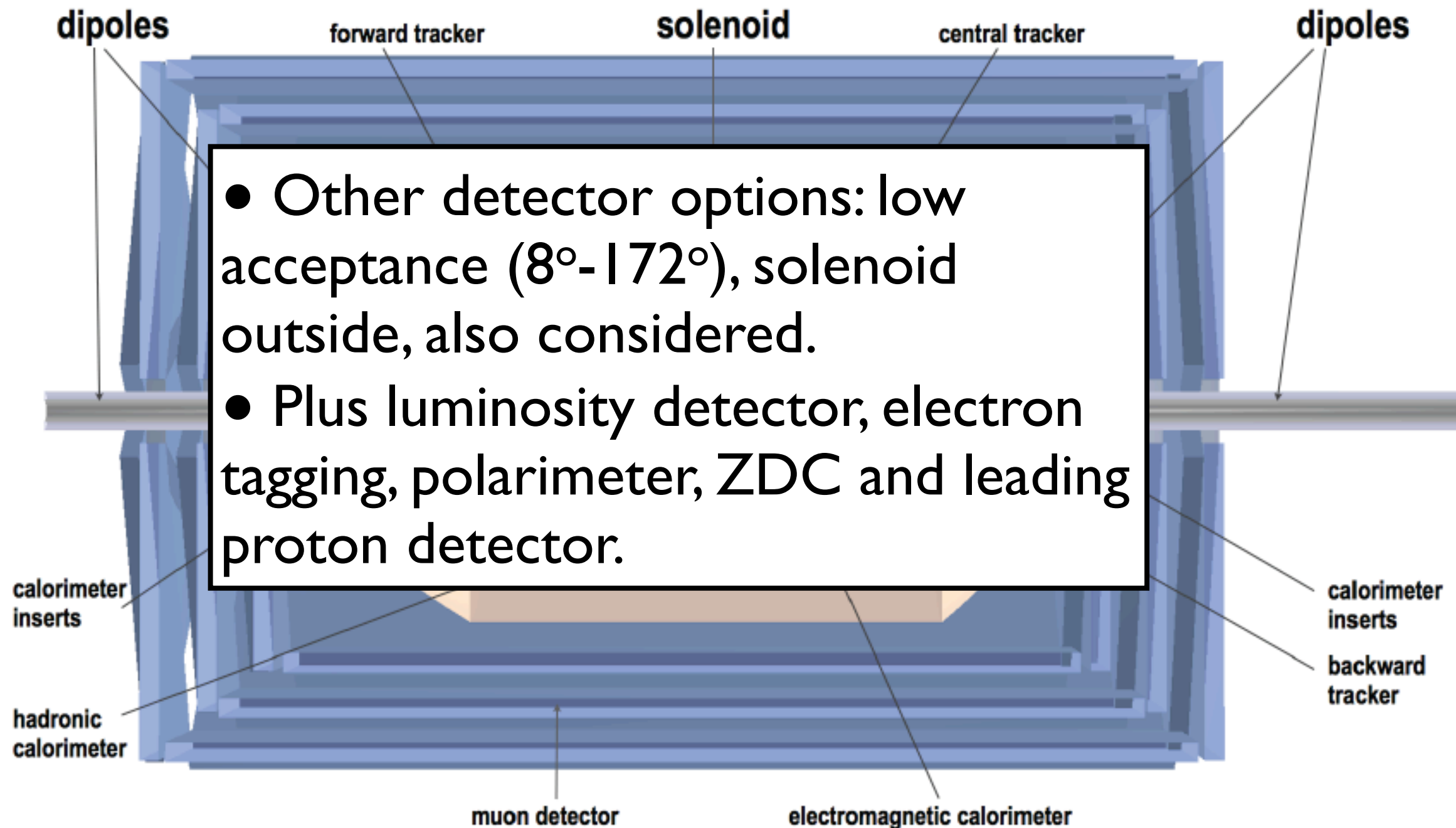
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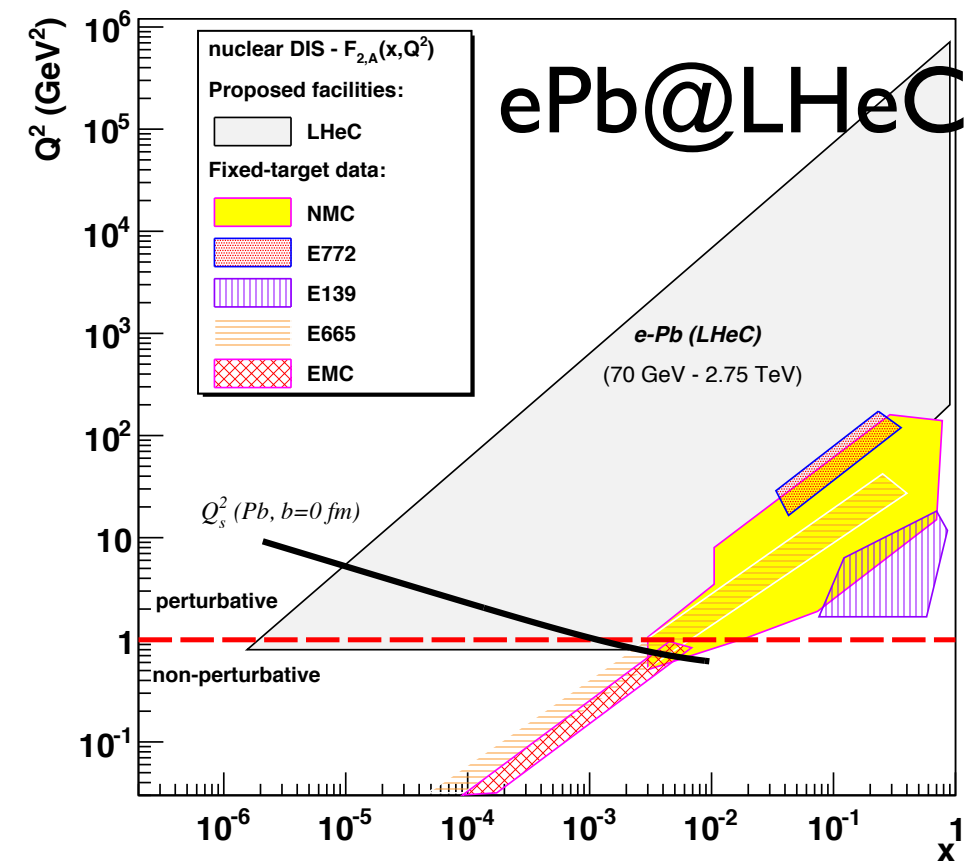
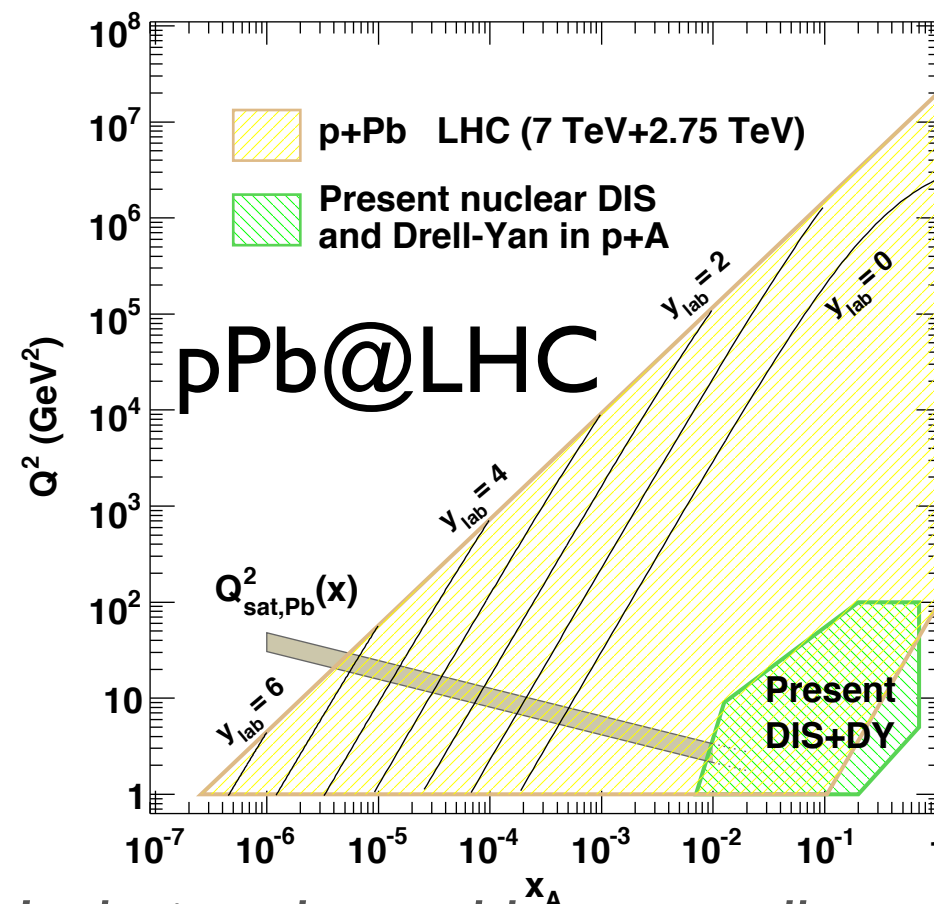
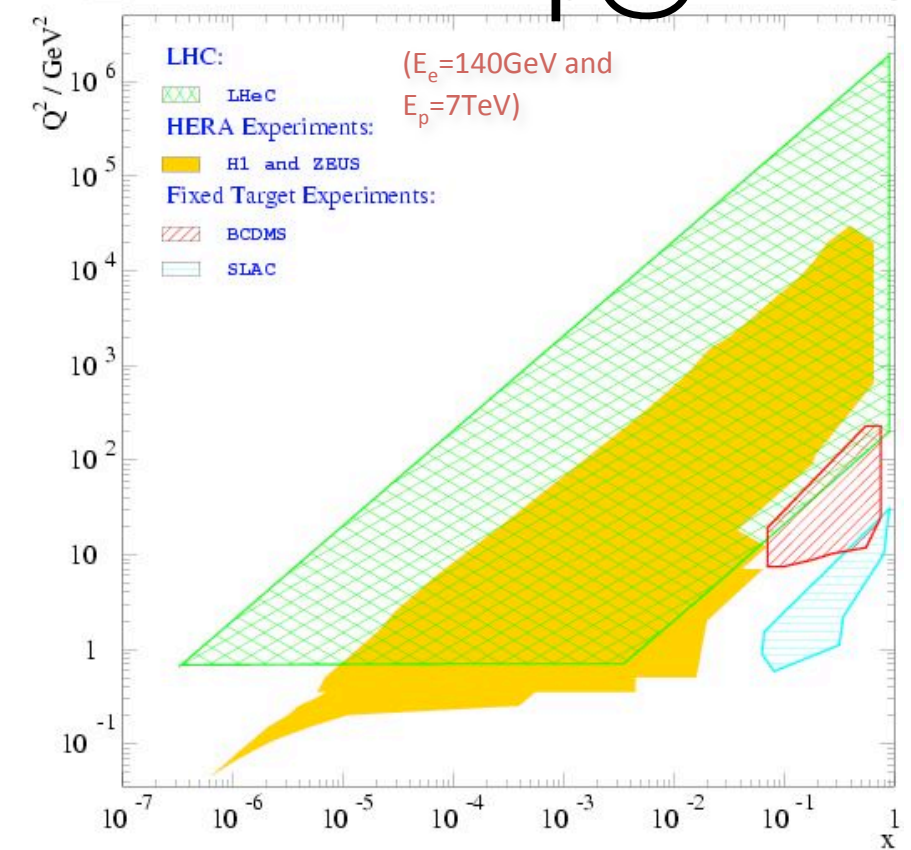
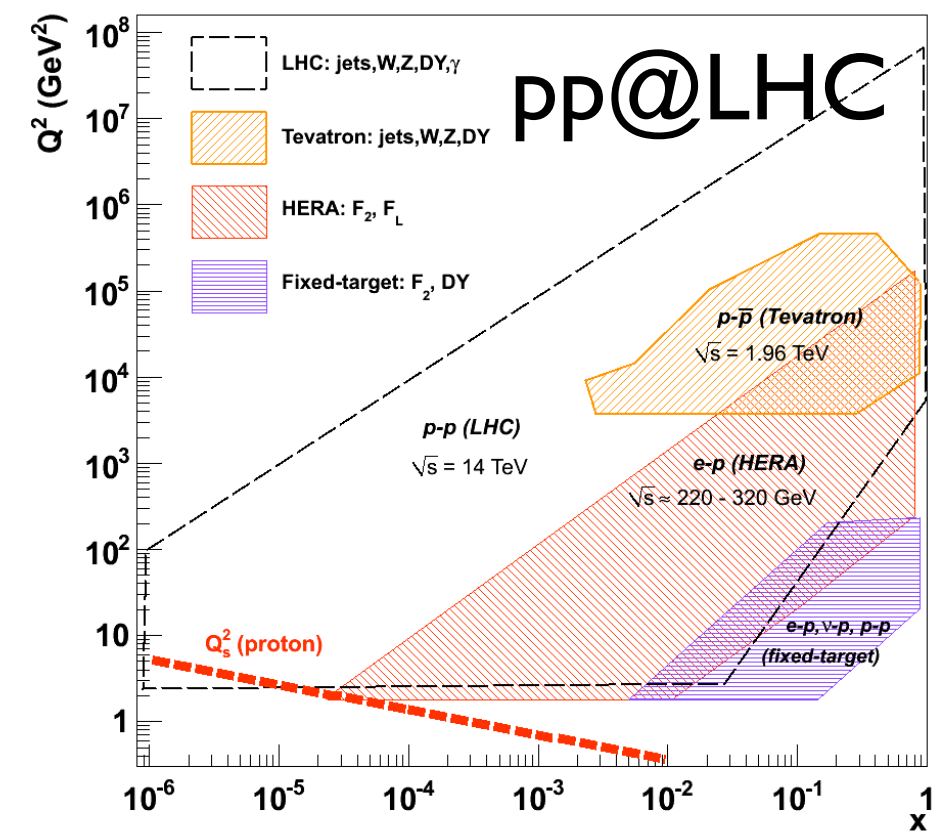


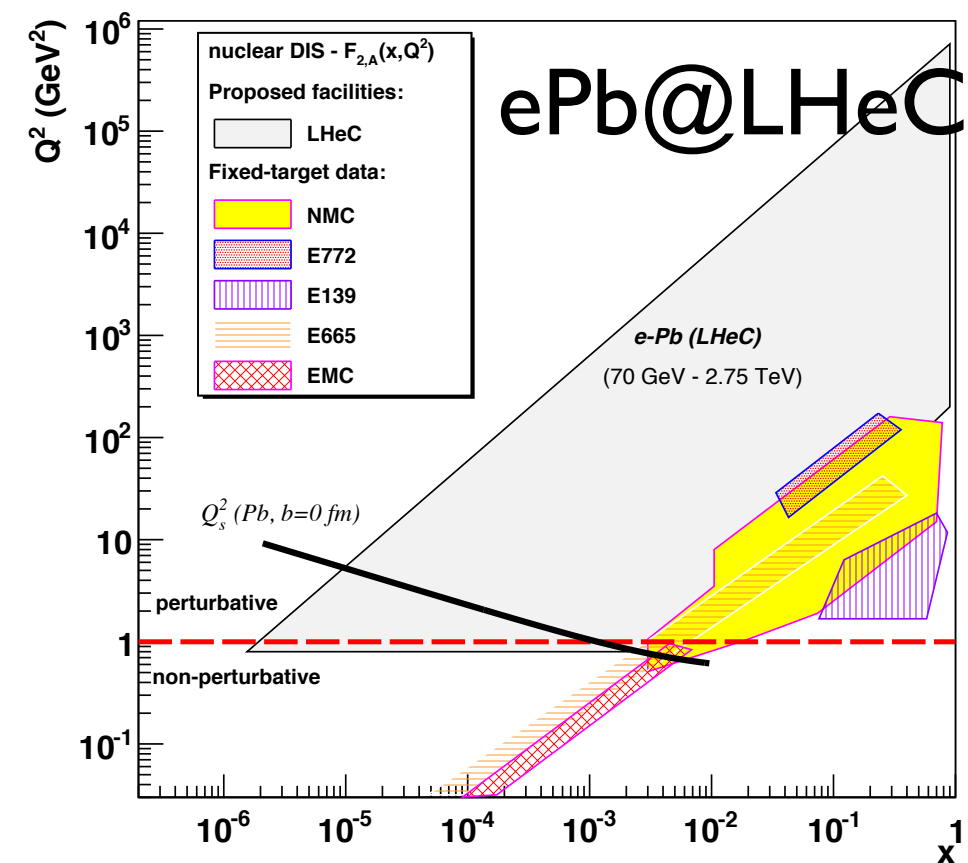
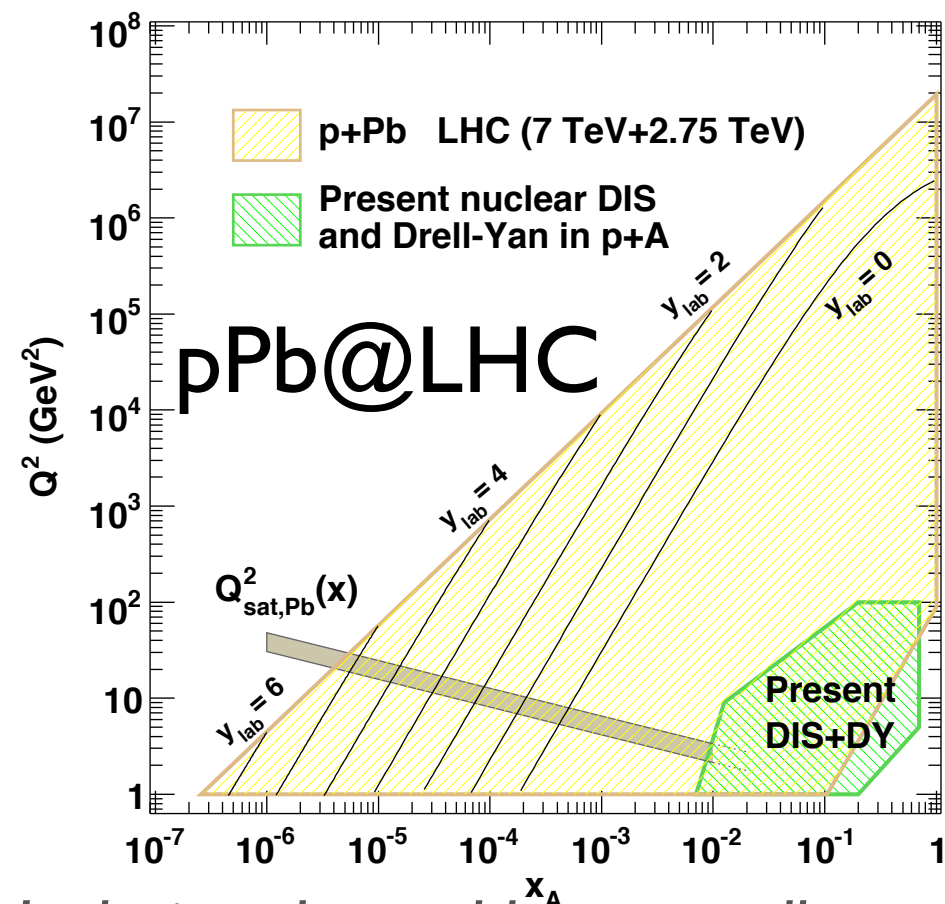
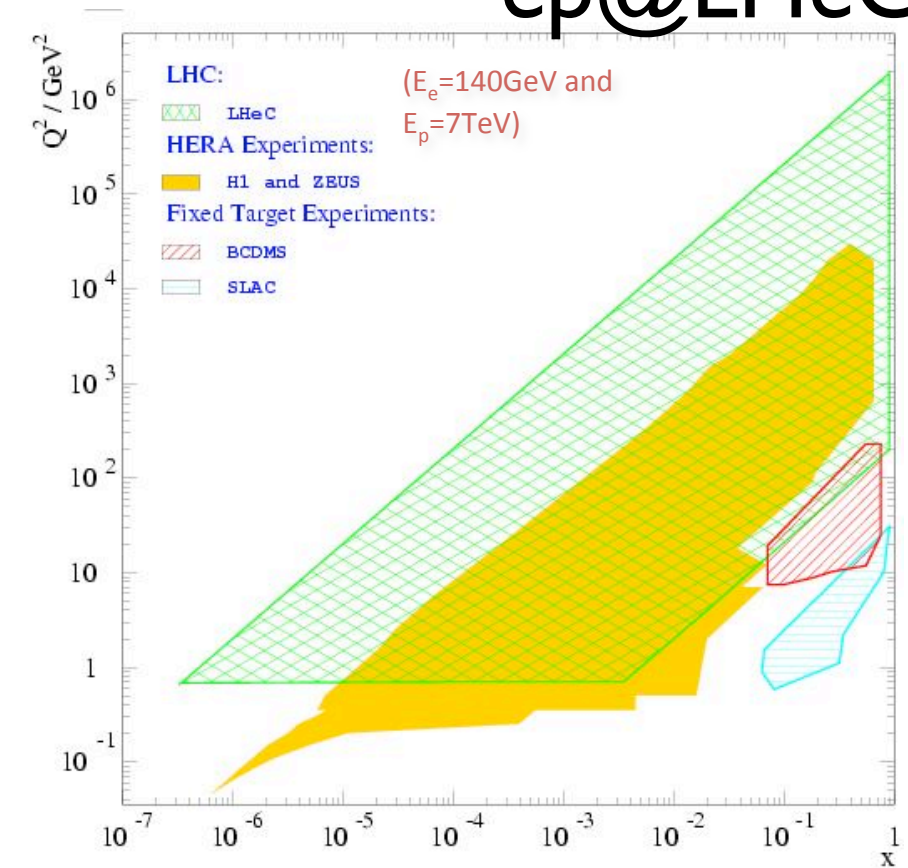
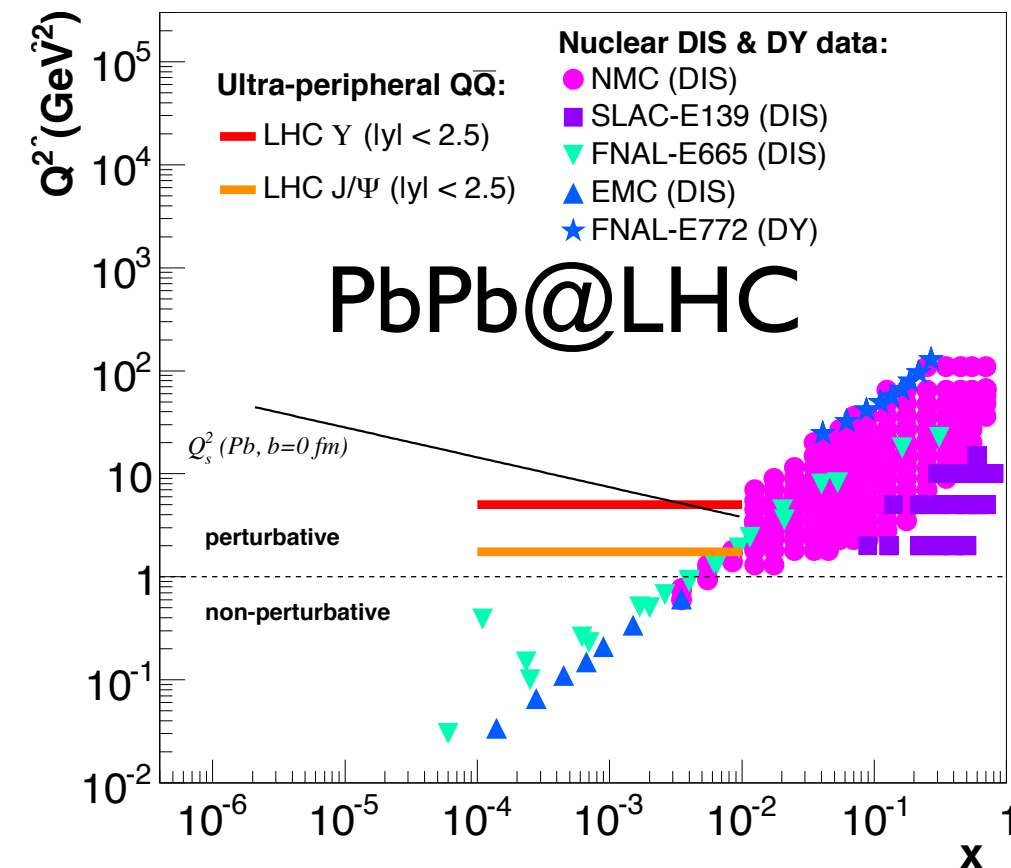
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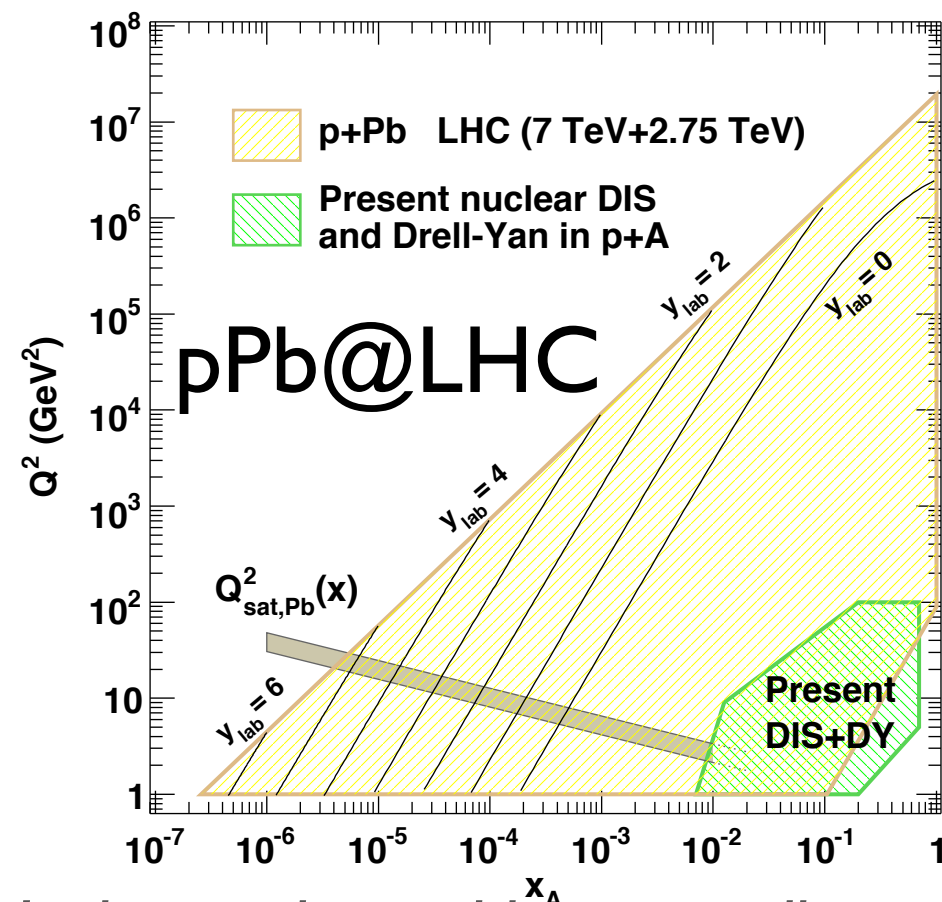
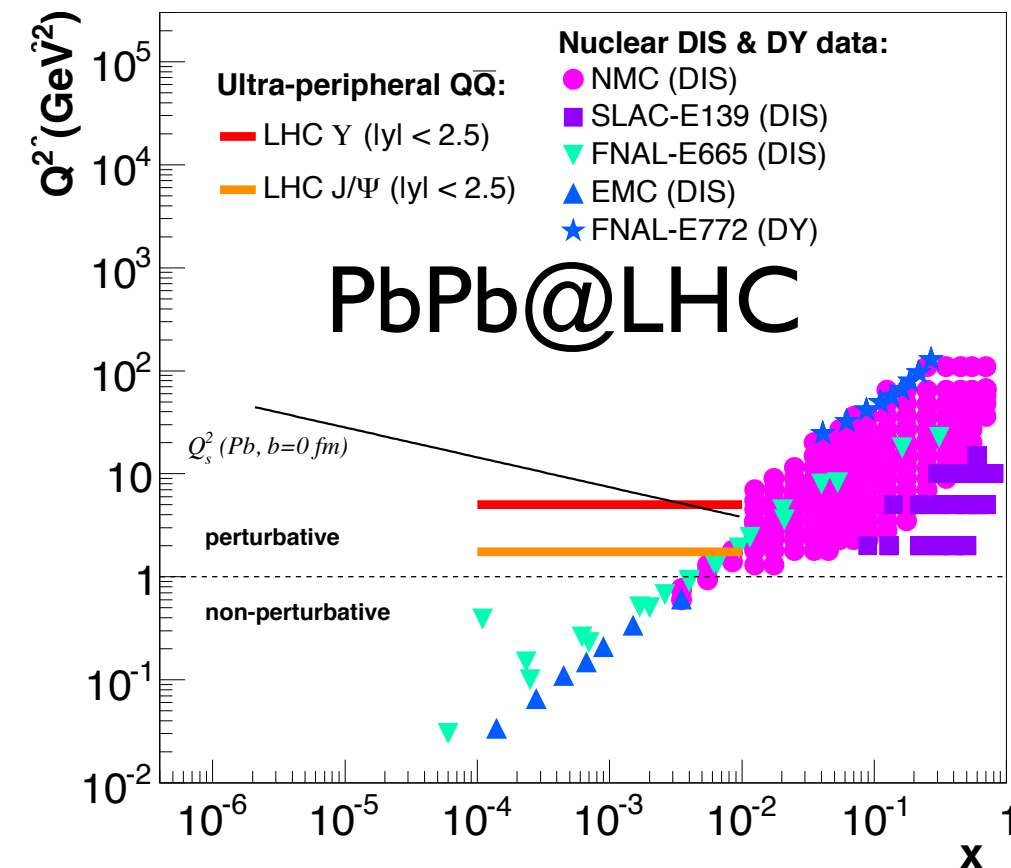


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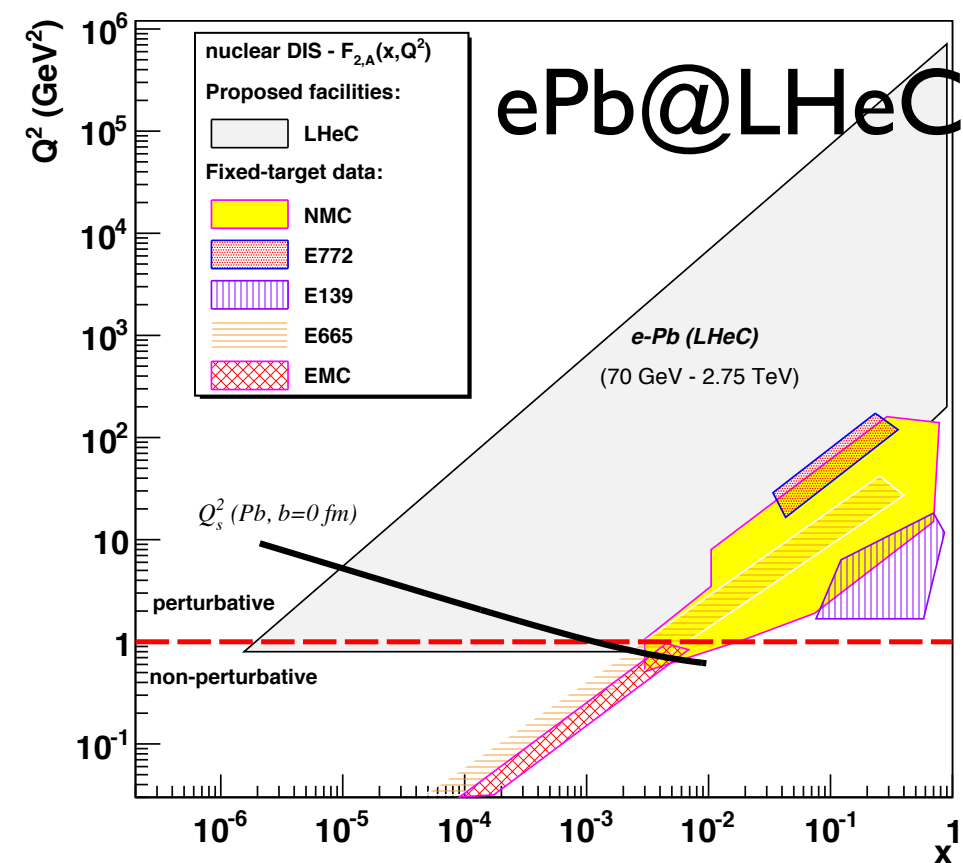
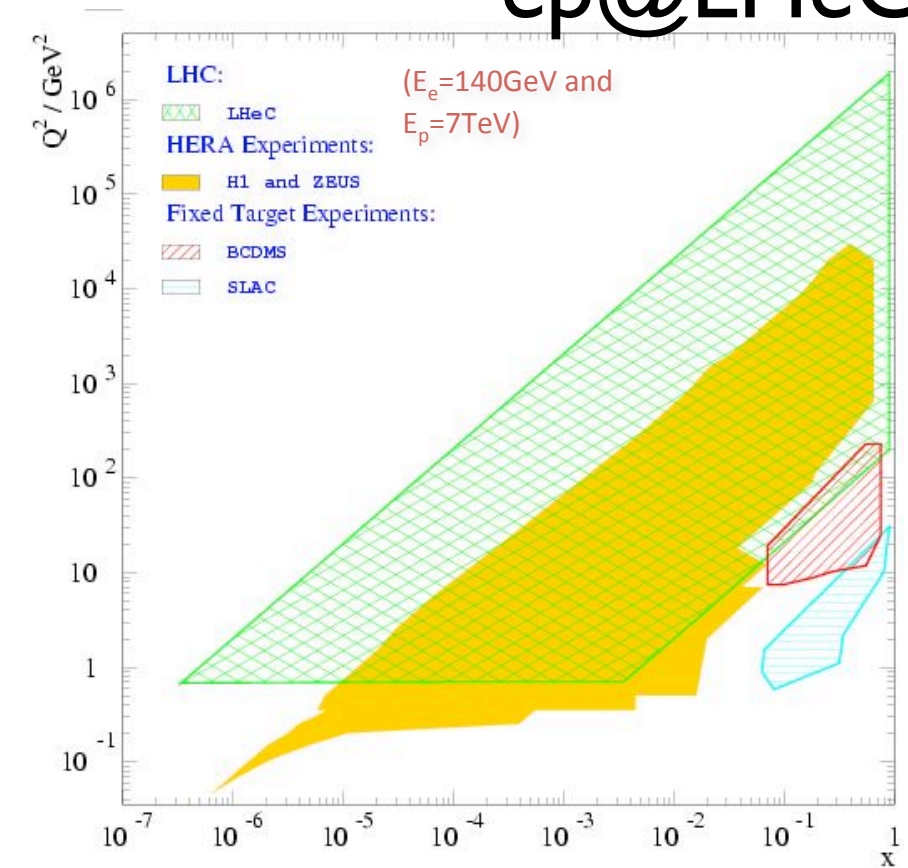






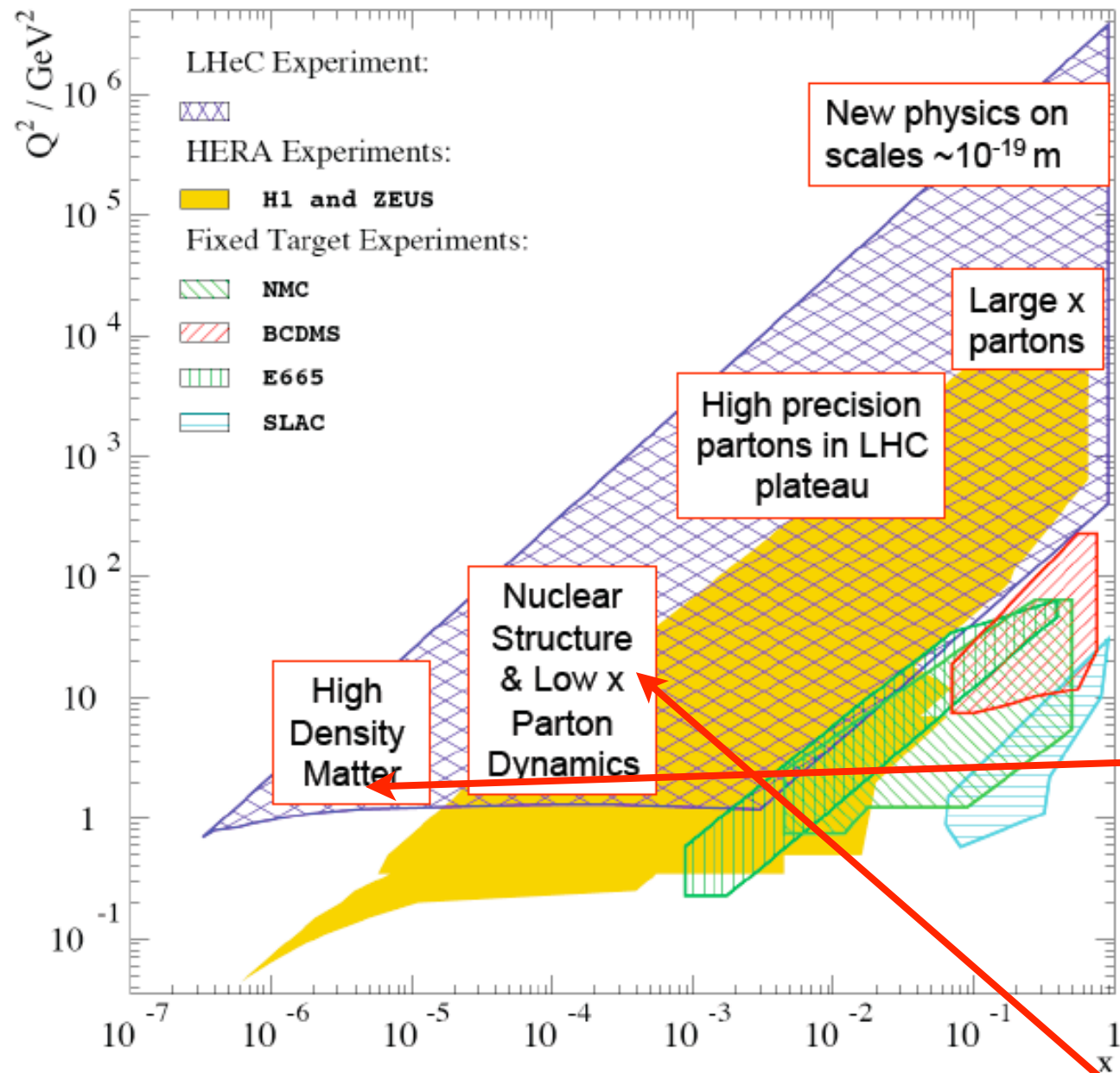
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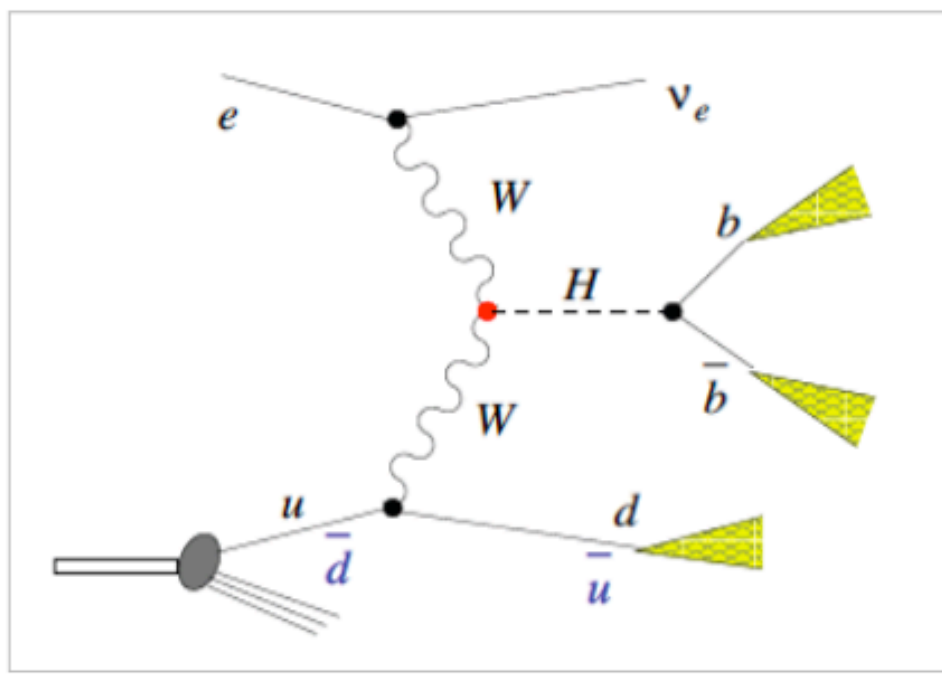
- Proton structure to a few 10^{-20} m: Q^2 lever arm.
- Precision QCD/EW physics.
- Higgs physics.
- High-mass frontier (lq, excited fermions, contact interactions).
- Unambiguous access, in ep and eA, to a qualitatively novel regime of matter predicted by QCD.
- Substructure/parton dynamics inside nuclei with strong implications on QGP search.



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Higgs at the LHeC

LHeC is a Higgs "Factory": 200 fb cross section in CC e⁻p: L= 1 ab⁻¹: 2 10⁵ Higgs events
Clean final state, no pile-up, low QCD bgd, uniquely WW and ZZ, small theory unc.ties



LHeC Higgs	CC (e ⁻ p)	NC (e ⁻ p)	CC (e ⁺ p)
Polarisation	-0.8	0	0
Luminosity [ab ⁻¹]	1	1	0.1
Cross Section [fb]	196	20	58
Acceptance	0.92	0.93	0.94
Decay Channel	N ^H _{CC} e ⁻ p	N ^H _{NC} e ⁻ p	N ^H _{CC} e ⁺ p
H → b \bar{b}	97 500	12 000	3500
H → c \bar{c}	5 900	600	180
H → gg	16 200	1 600	480
H → WW	25 200	2 600	760
H → ZZ	2 880	1900	560
H → $\tau^+\tau^-$	10 260	1 000	310
H → $\gamma\gamma$	360	40	12

Ultimate e and p beams, 10 years of operation

Table 1: Cross sections and rates of Higgs production in ep scattering with the LHeC. The cross sections are obtained with MADGRAPH5 (v1.5.4) using the p_T of the scattered quark as scale, CTEQ6L1 partons and M_H = 125 GeV. The acceptance is obtained with kinematic cuts on final state particles (| η_{jet} | < 5, | $\eta_{e,\gamma}$ | < 4.7, p_{T,jet} > 1 GeV, E_{jet} > 15 GeV, E_{e'} > 10 GeV, E _{γ} > 5 GeV) but excludes the tagging probabilities for b, c, τ and further g, W, Z reconstruction efficiencies. In an initial study (CDR) the b \bar{b} final state is reconstructed with an efficiency of about 5%. This leads to \simeq 5000 events in this channel, at an S/N of 1.

ILC: 10³⁴ cm⁻²s⁻¹, 280fb, 15000 cavities, width - LHeC: 10³⁴ 200fb 960 cavities, no width

cf CDR, Talk of Bruce Mellado, also Uta Klein ICHEP12

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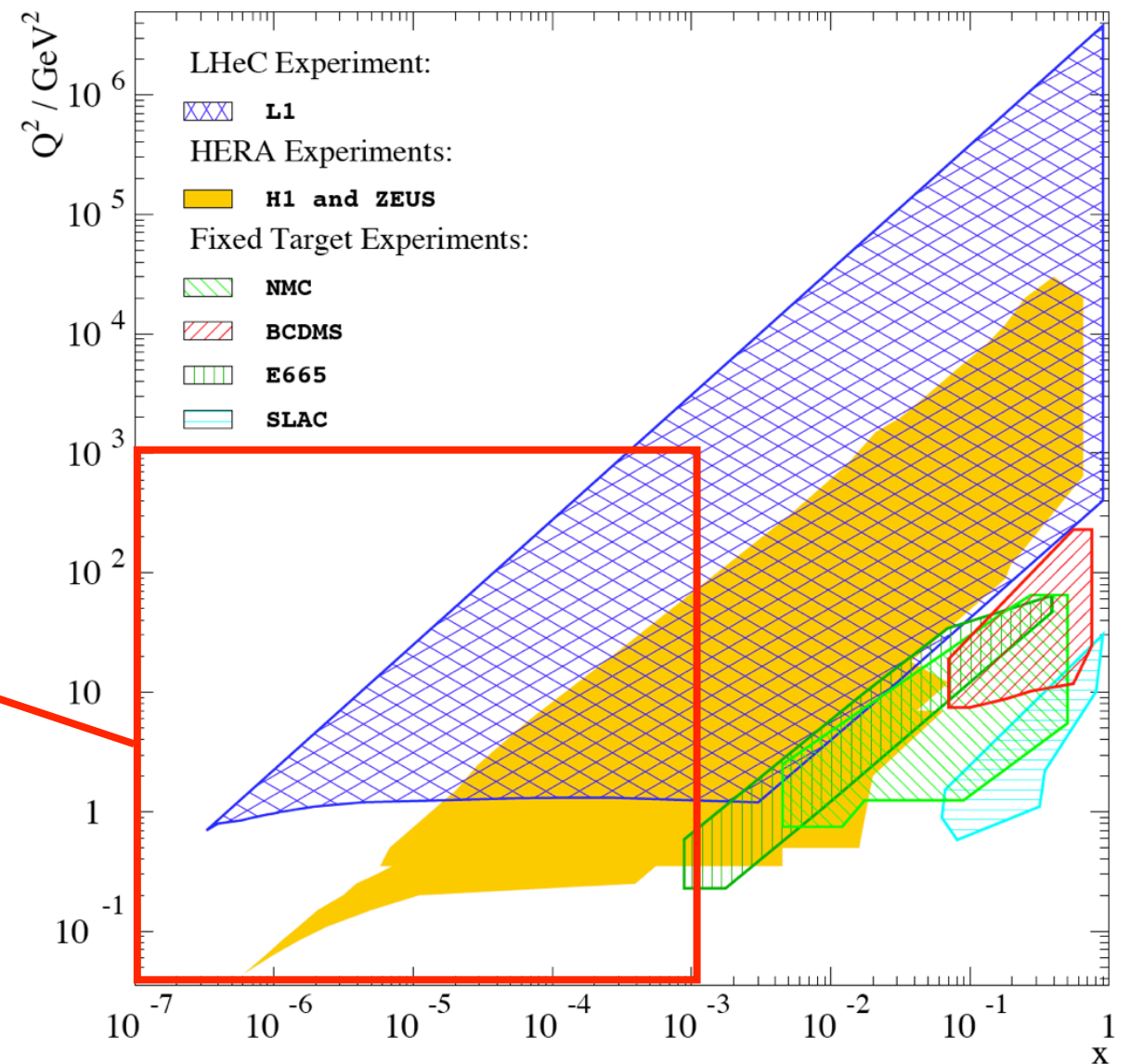
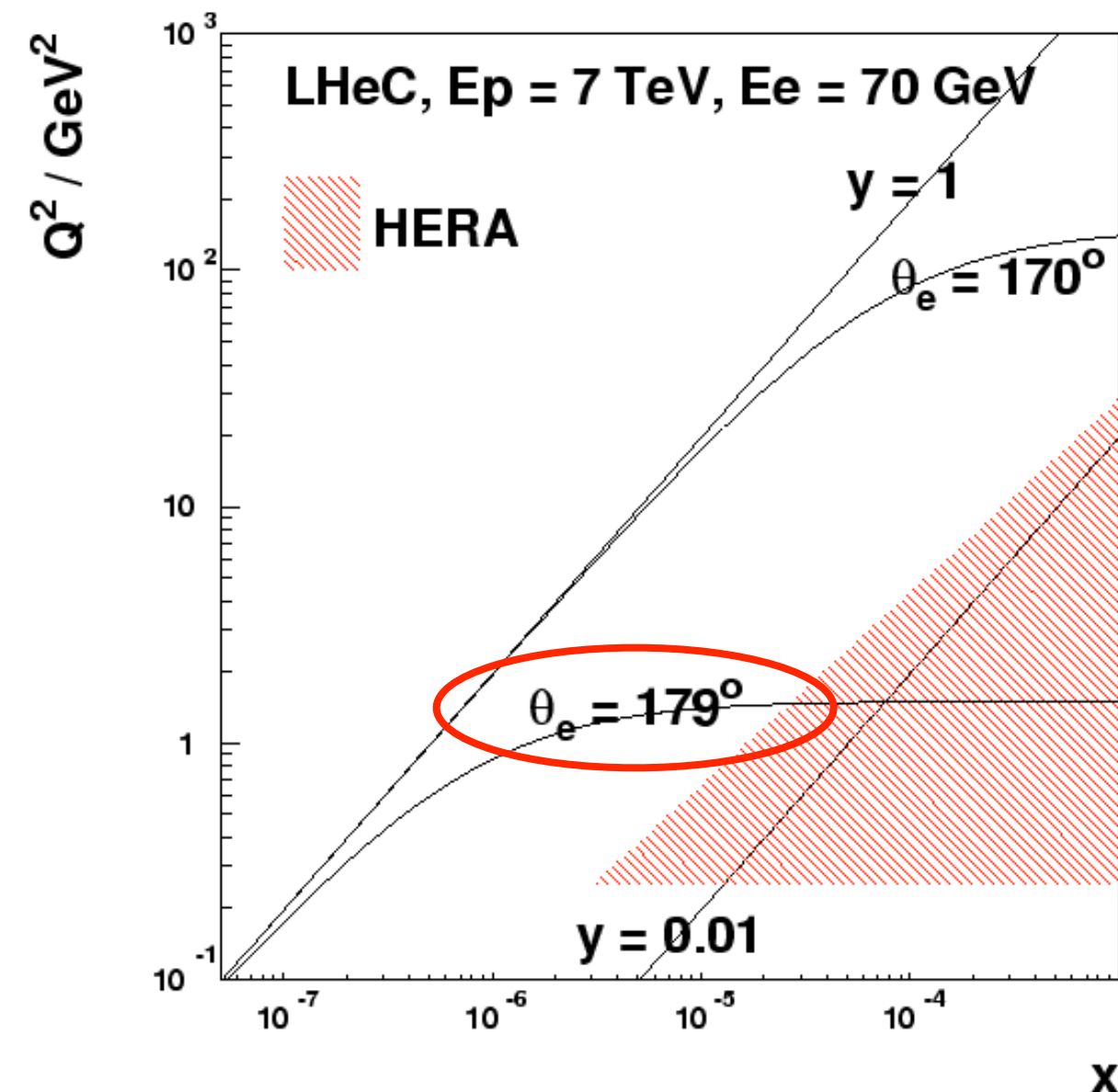
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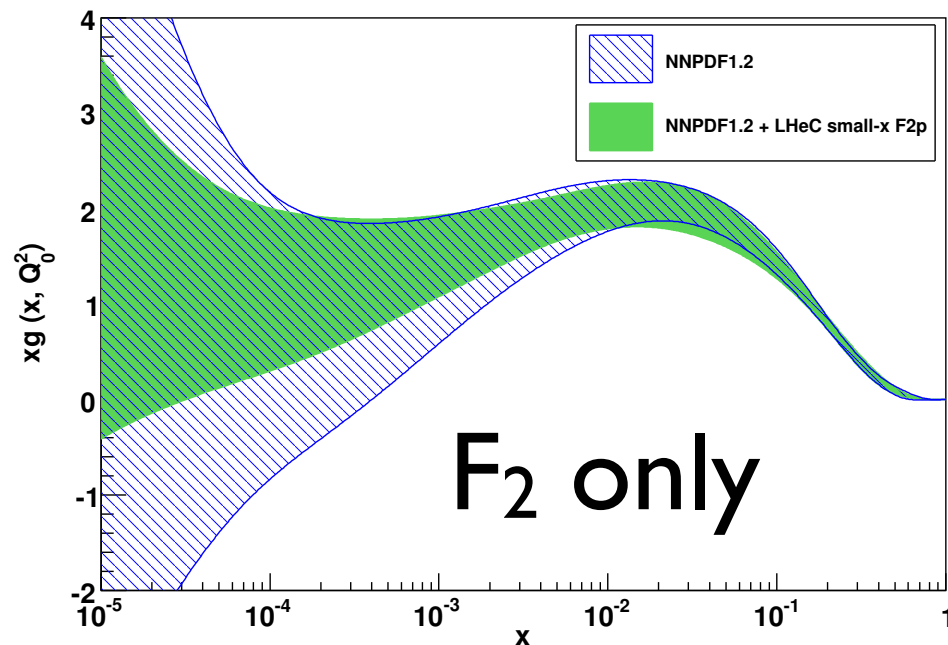
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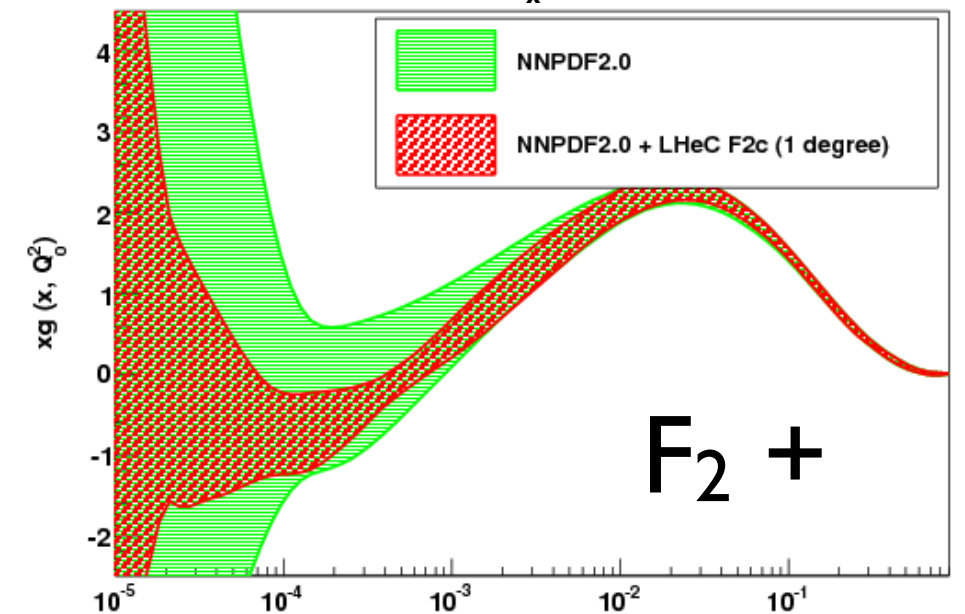
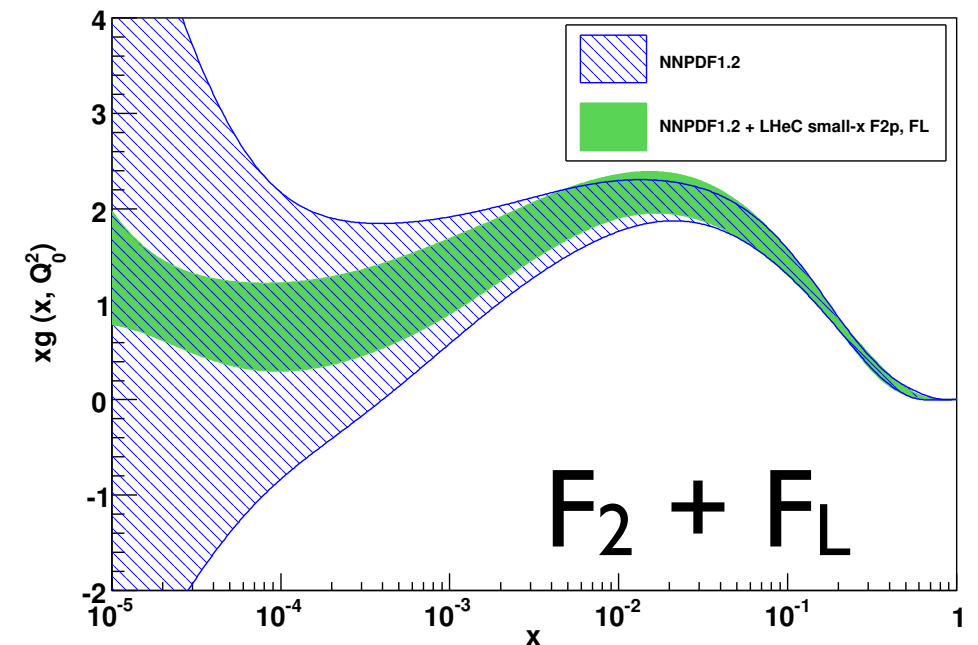


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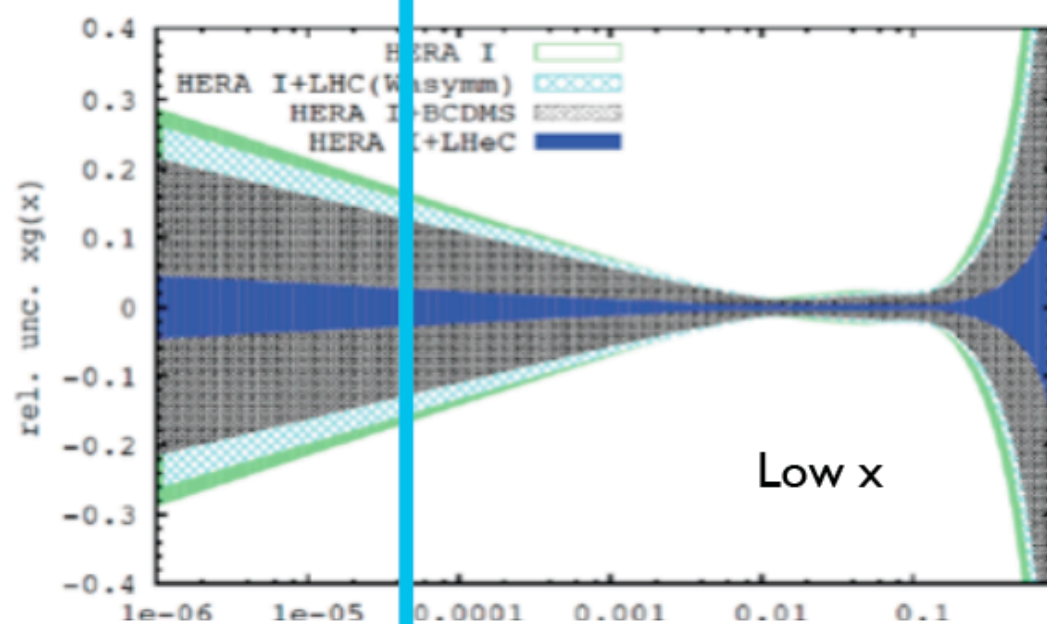
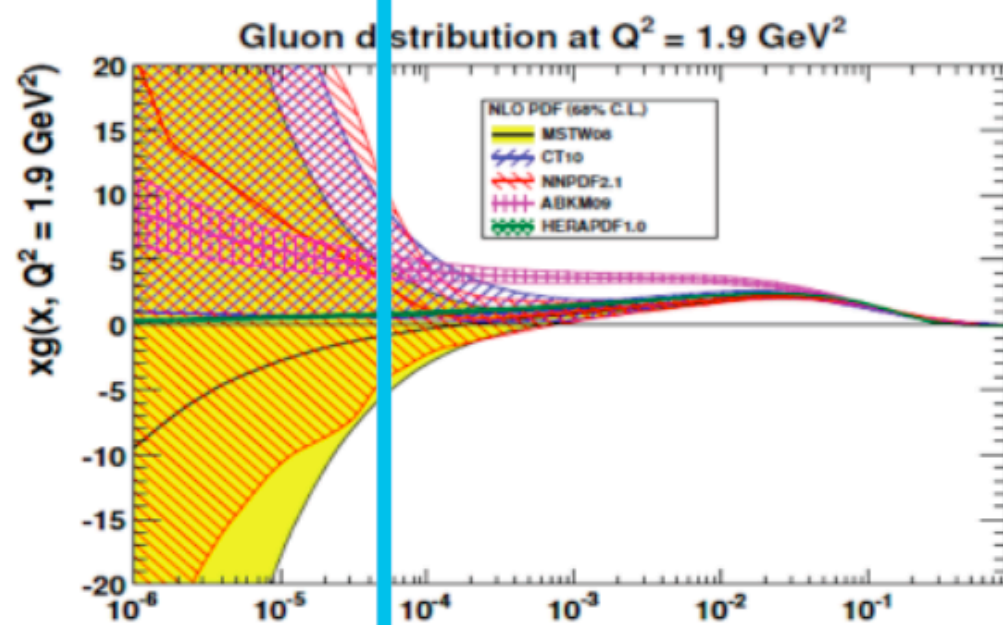
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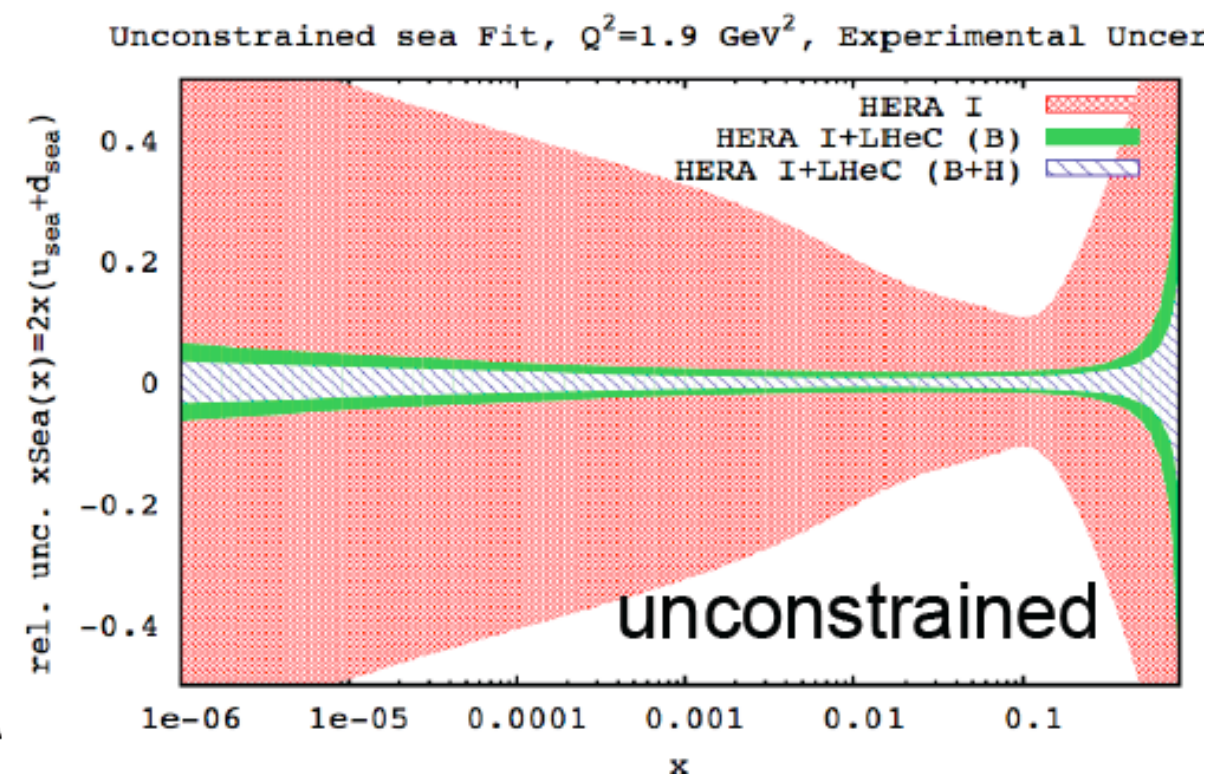
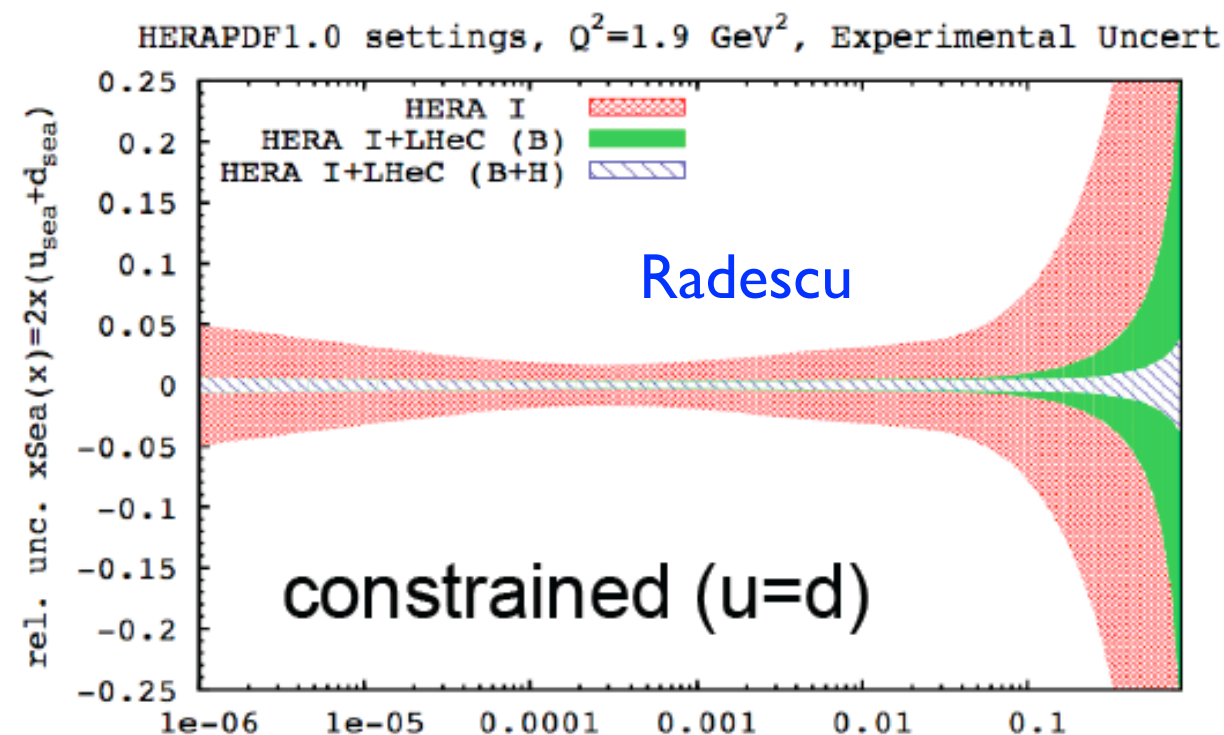
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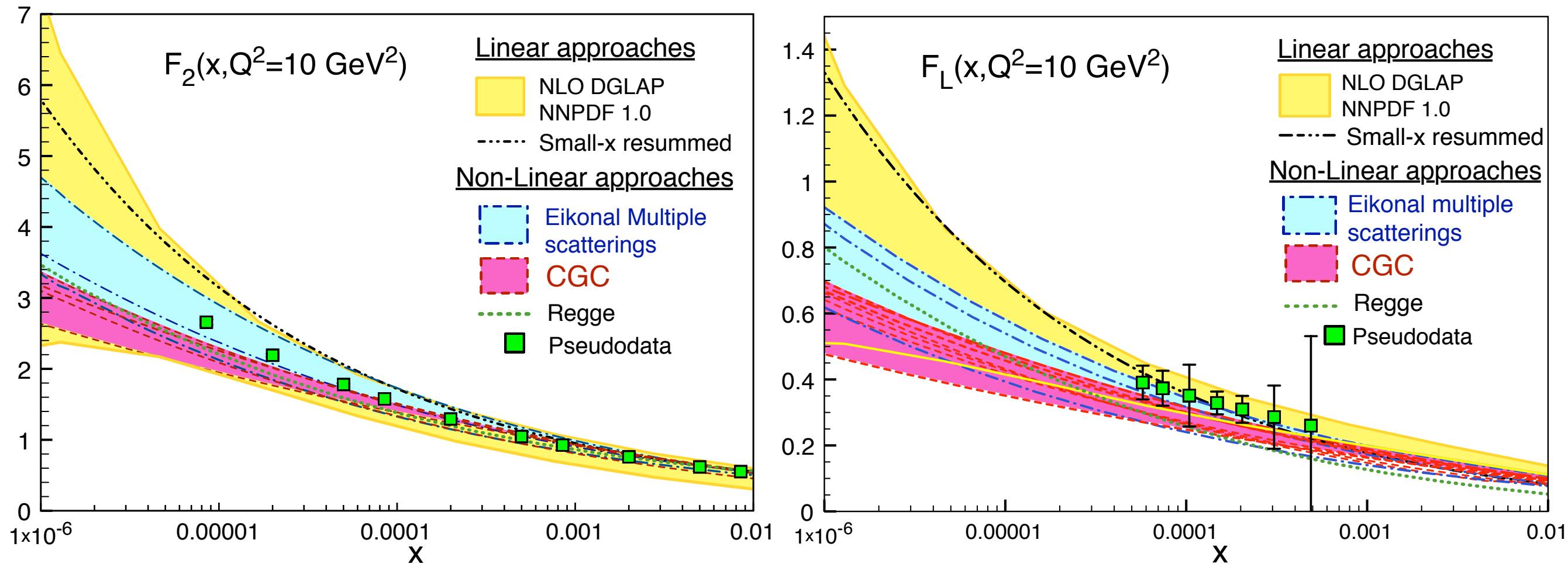
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→ This is where HERA



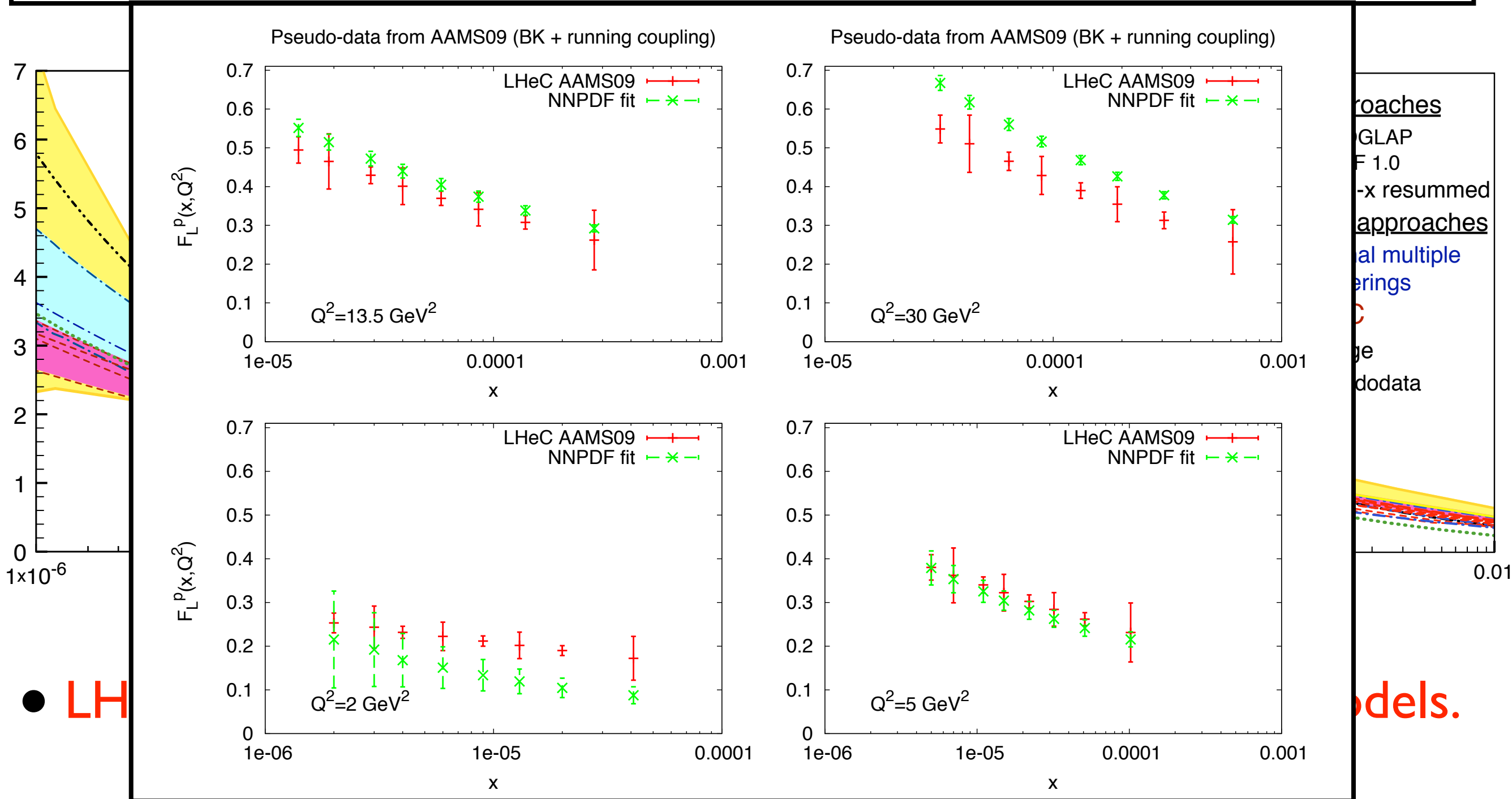
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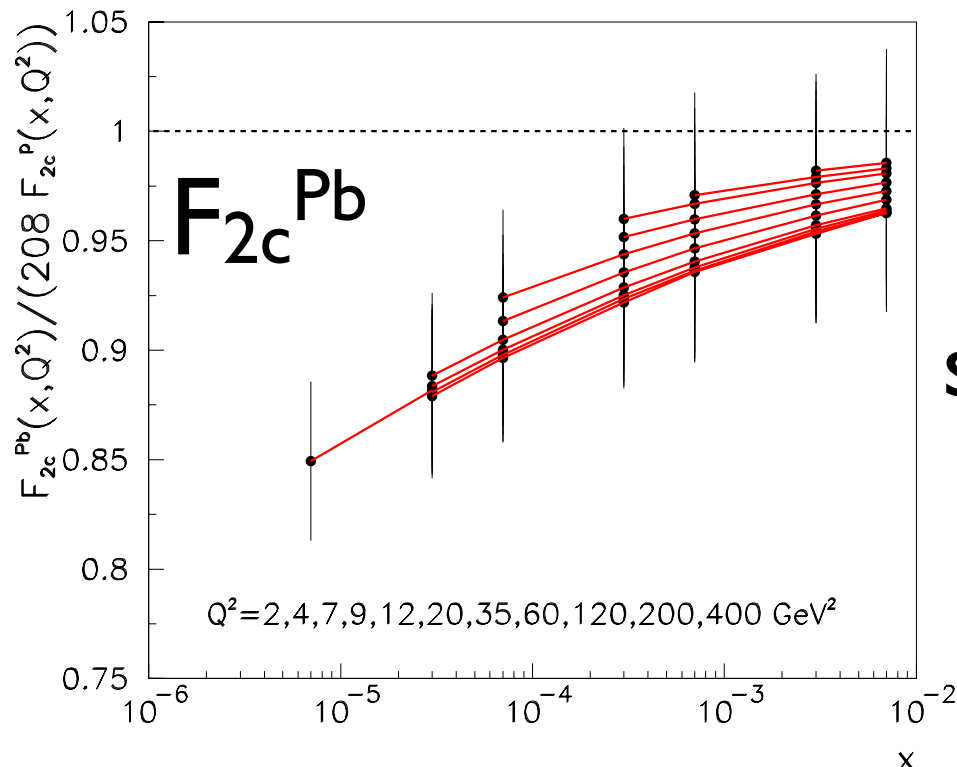
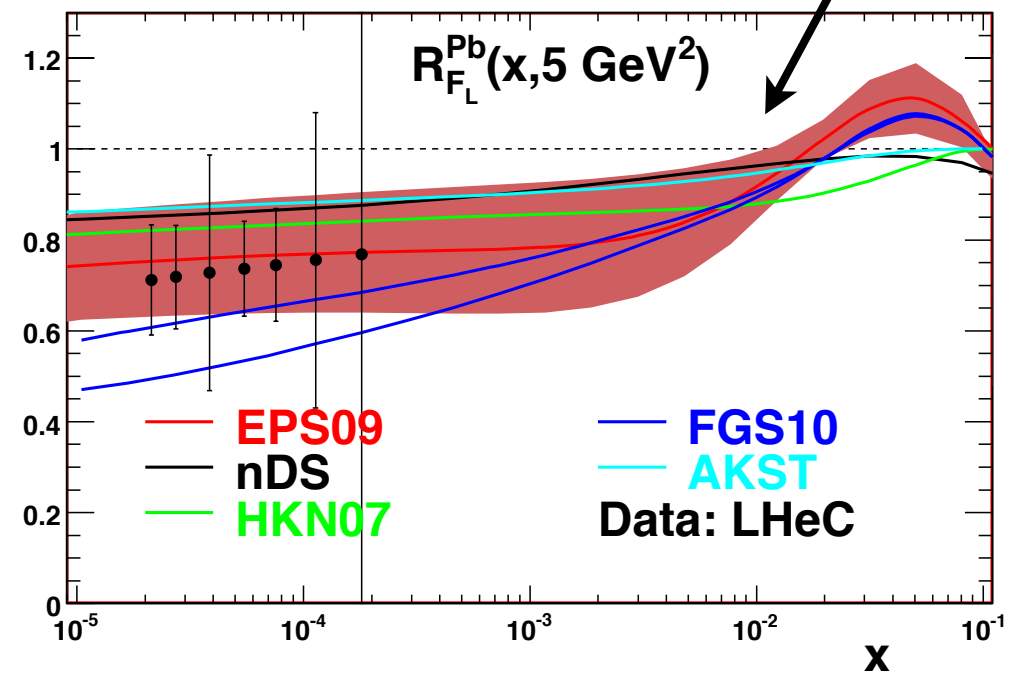
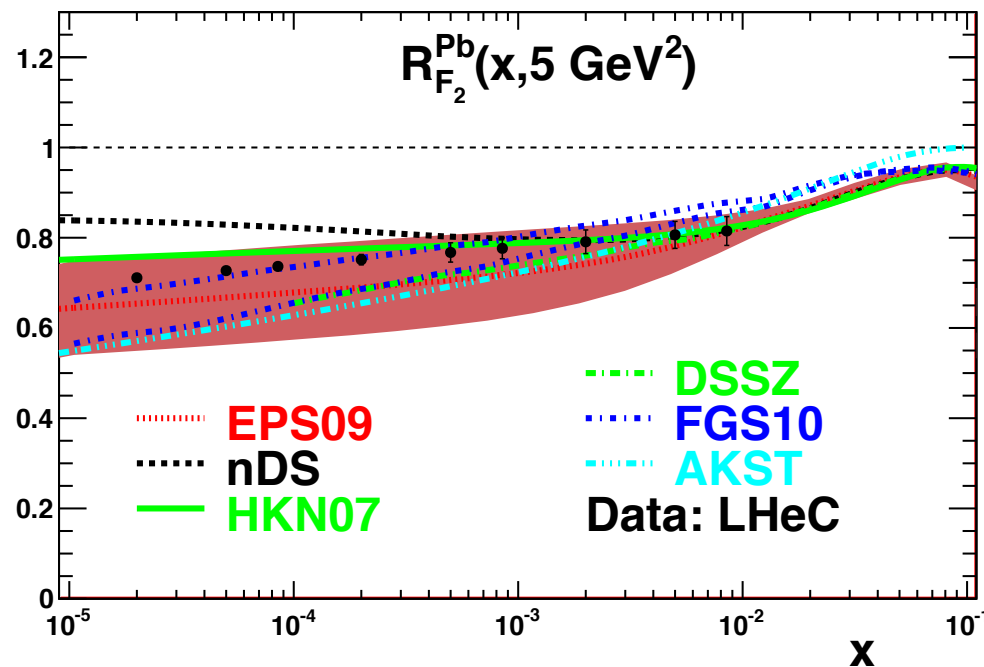
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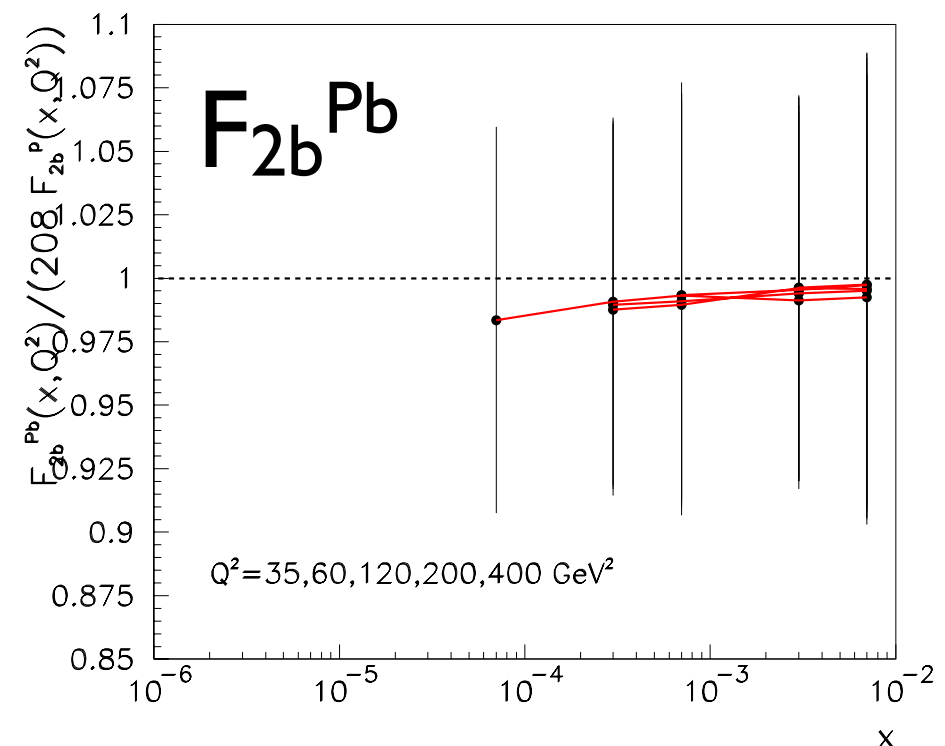
eA inclusive: comparison

- Good precision can be obtained for $F_{2(c,b)}$ and F_L at small x (Glauberized 3-5 flavor GBW model, NA '02).

Not optimized!



Note the scale!!!



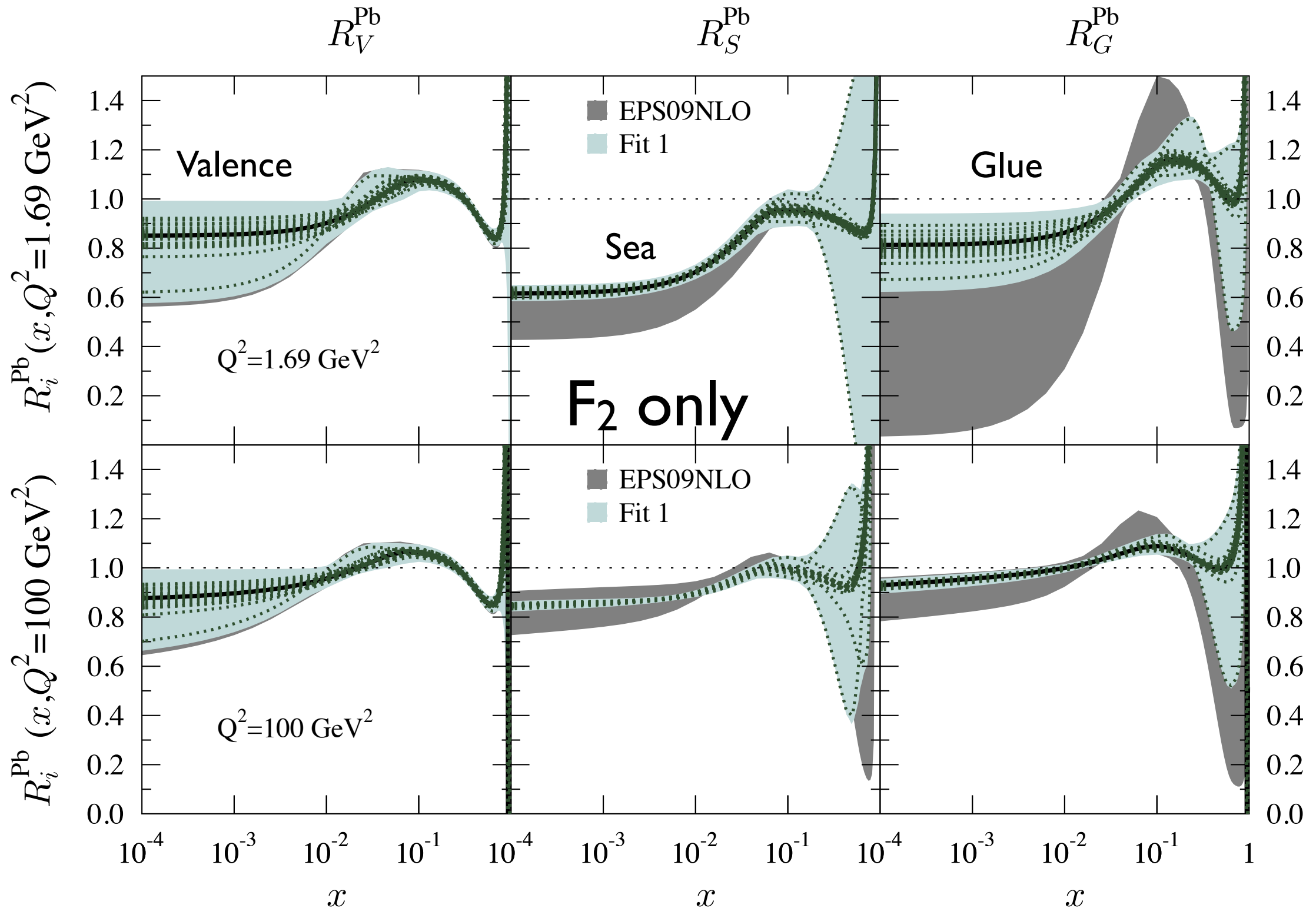


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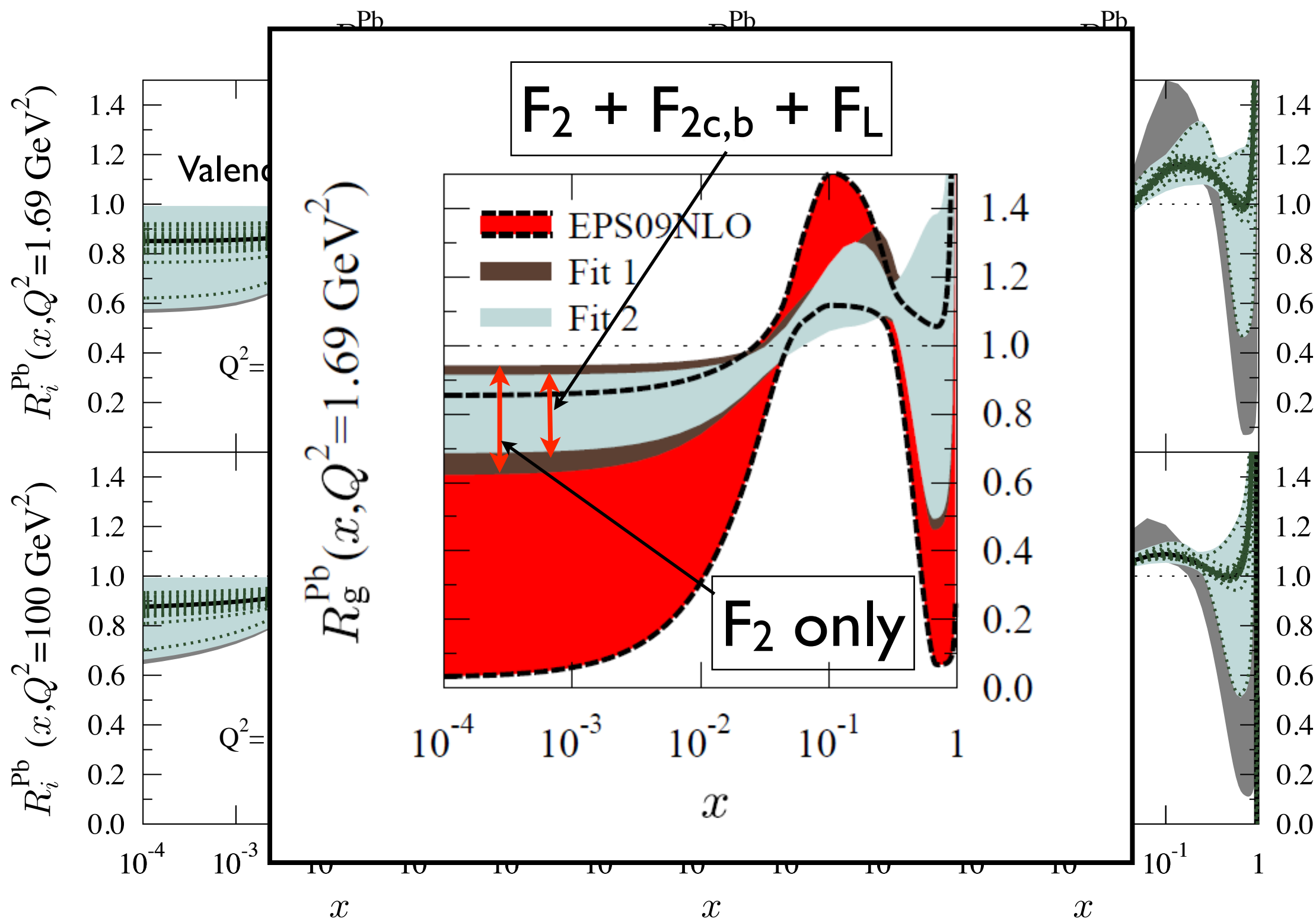
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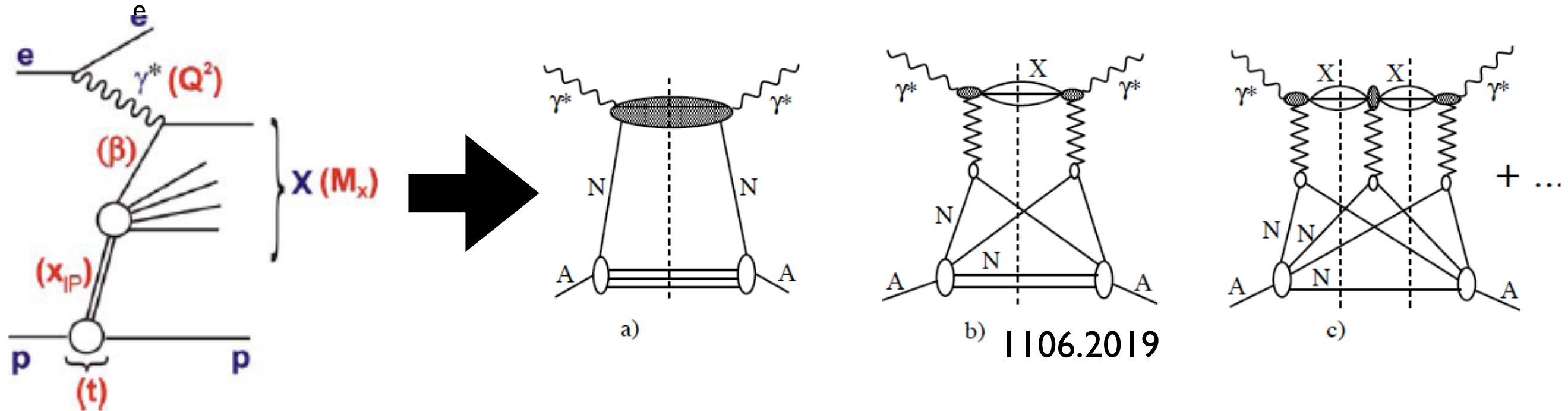


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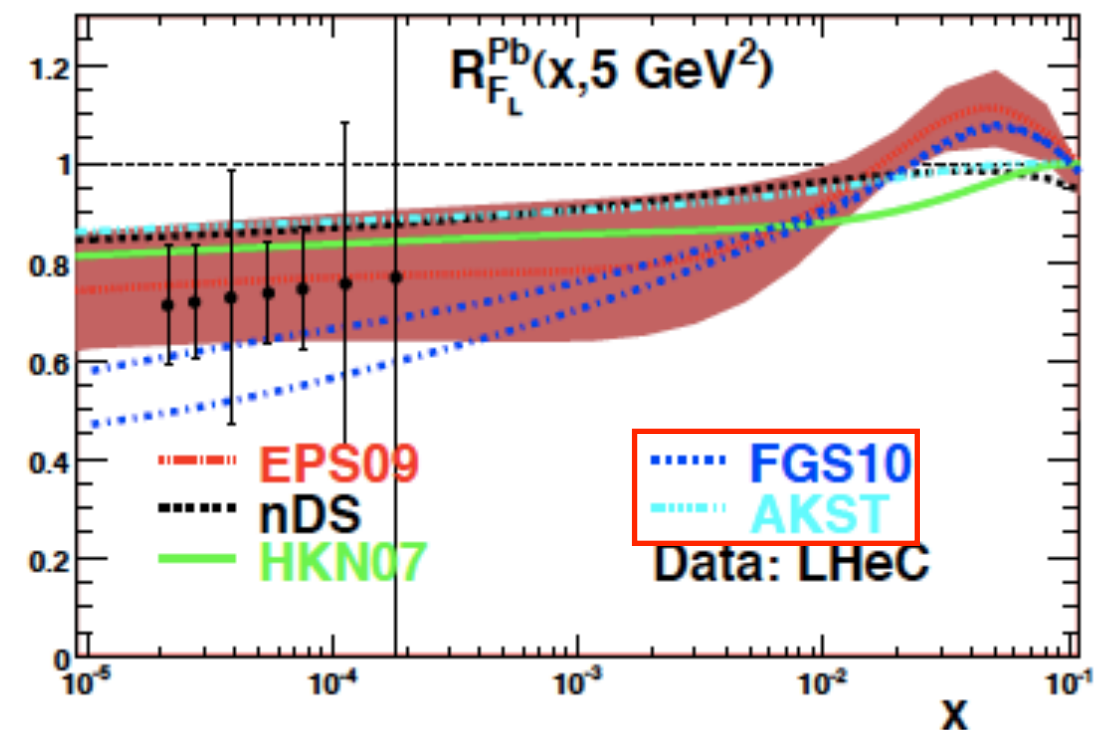
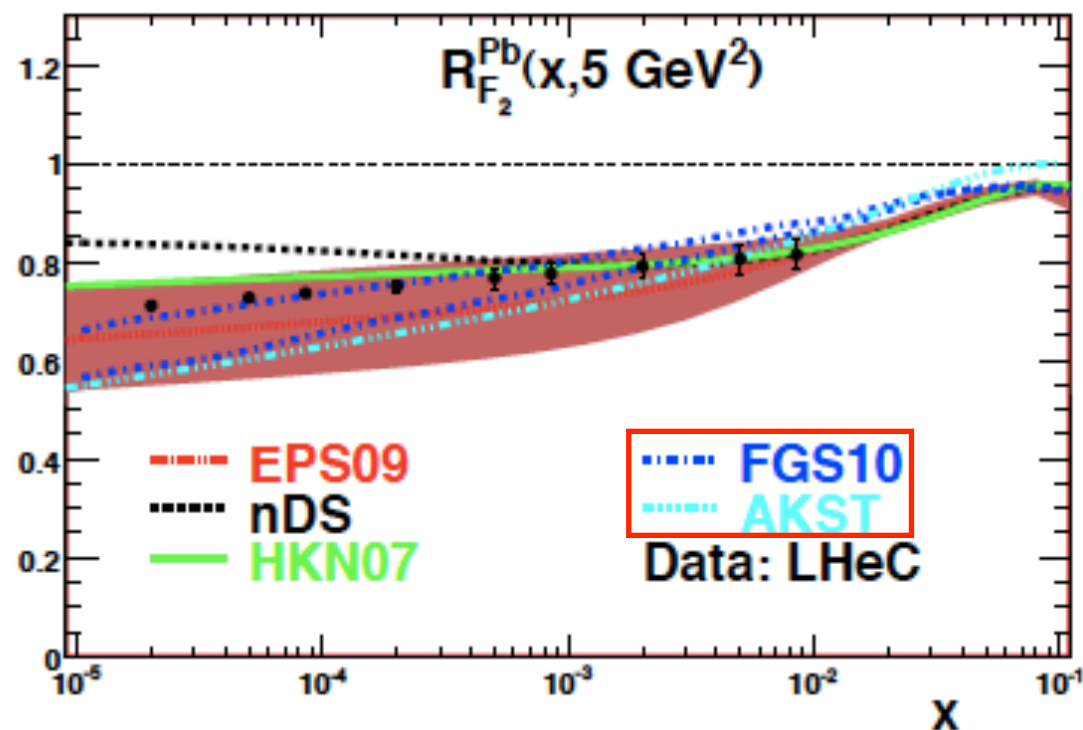


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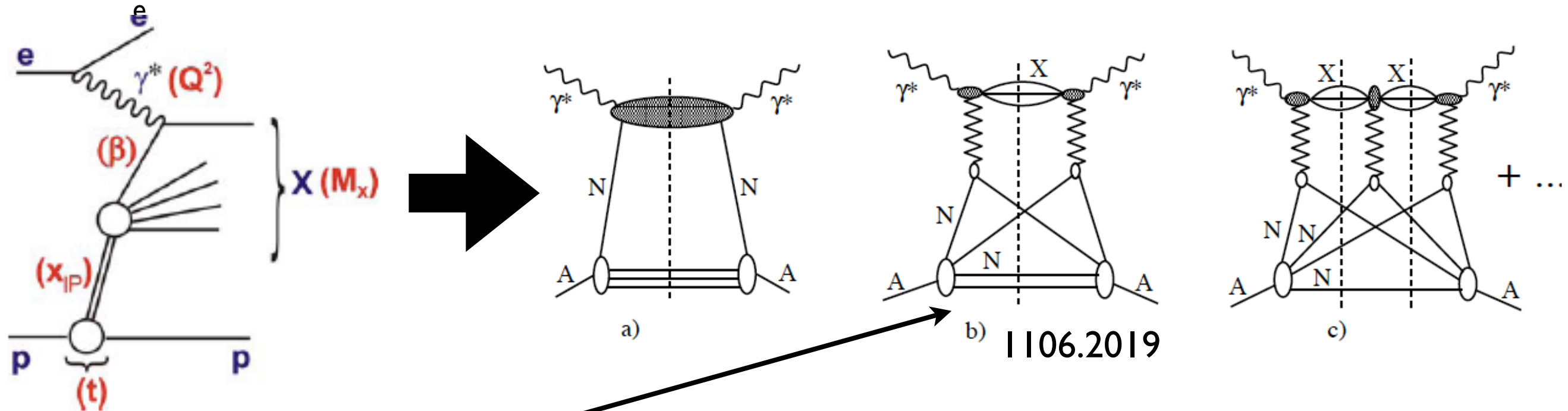


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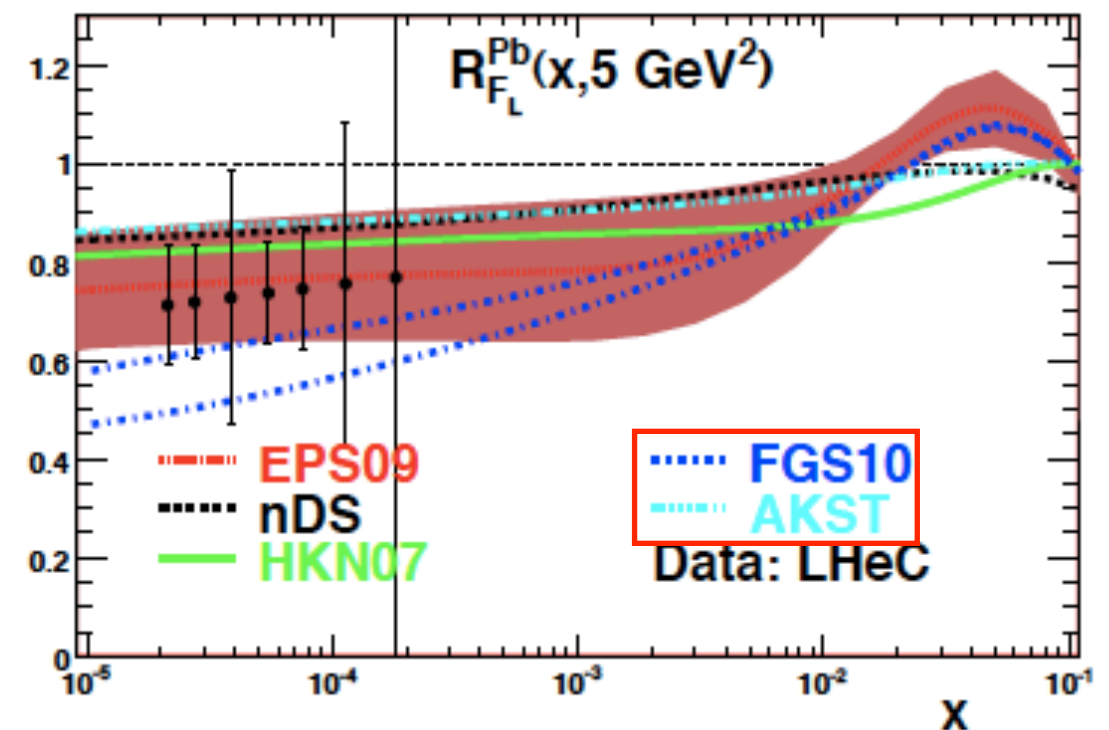
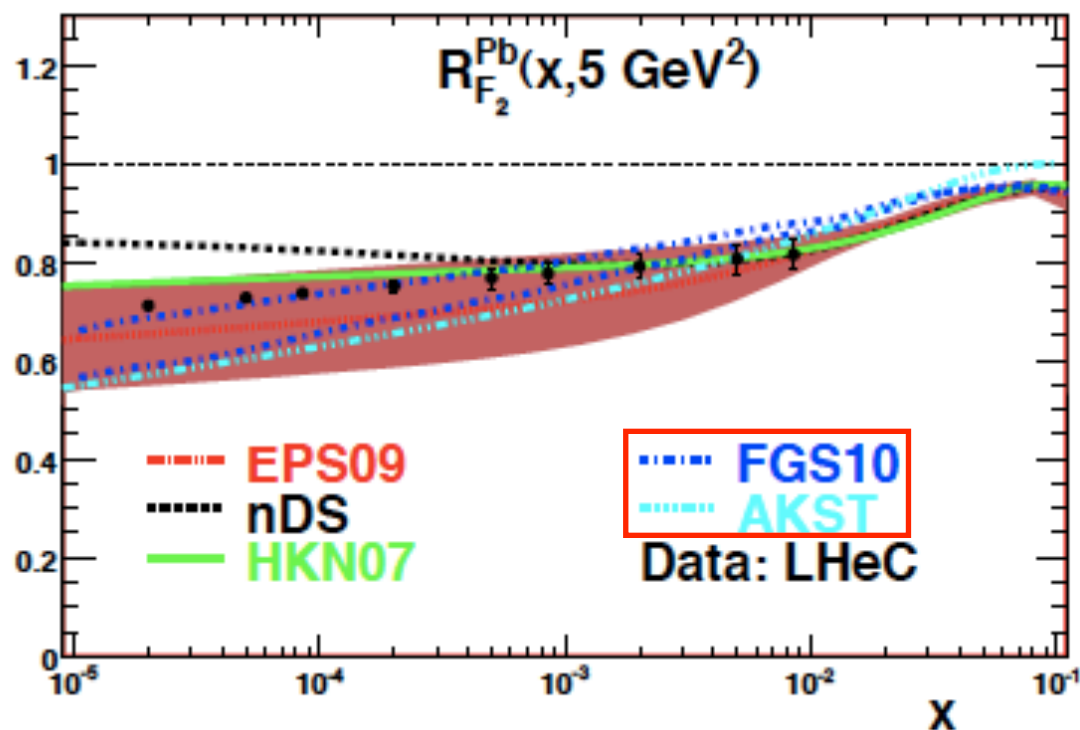
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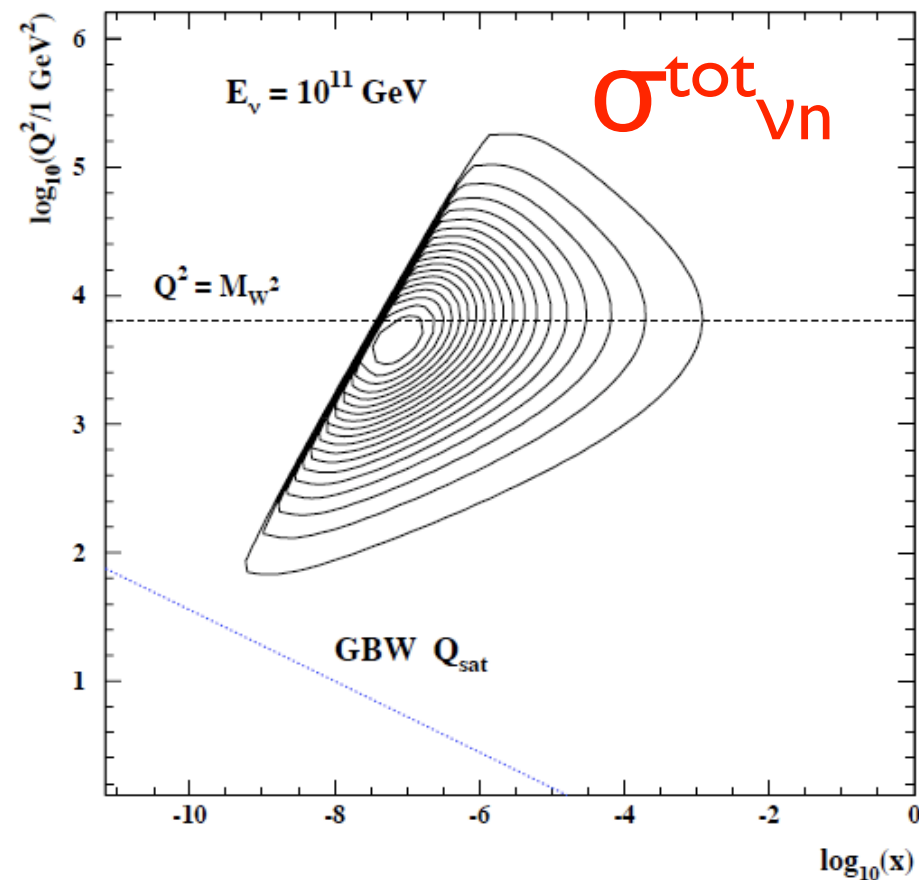
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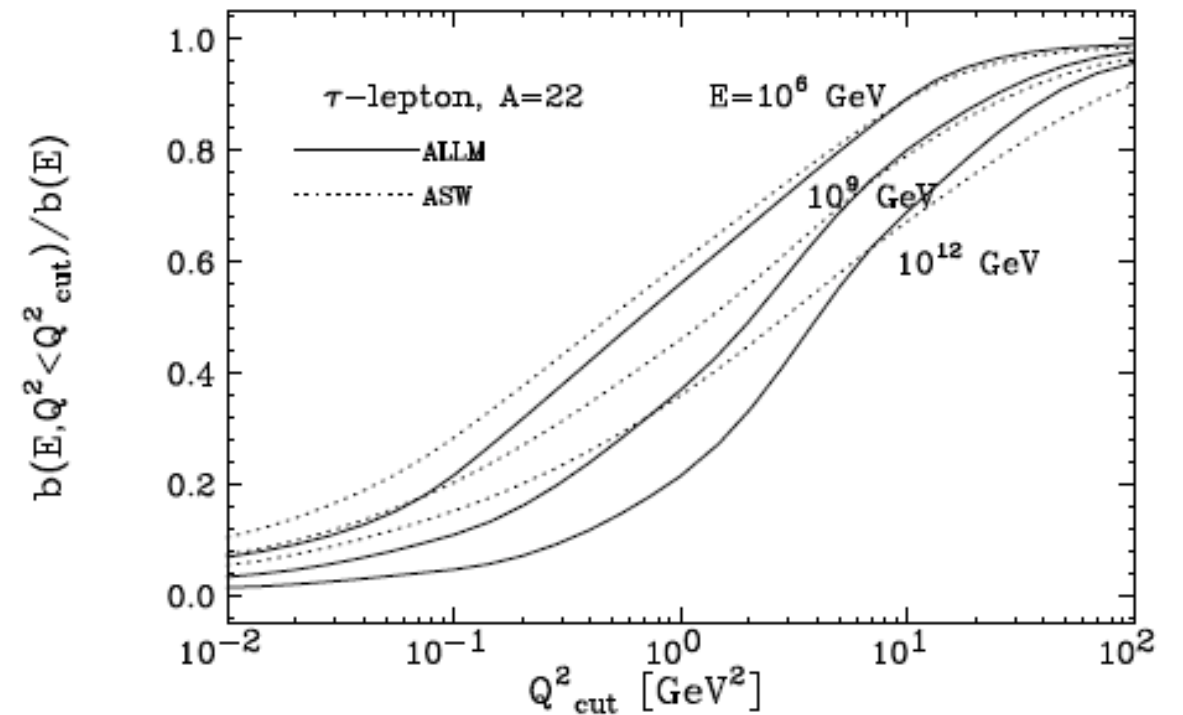
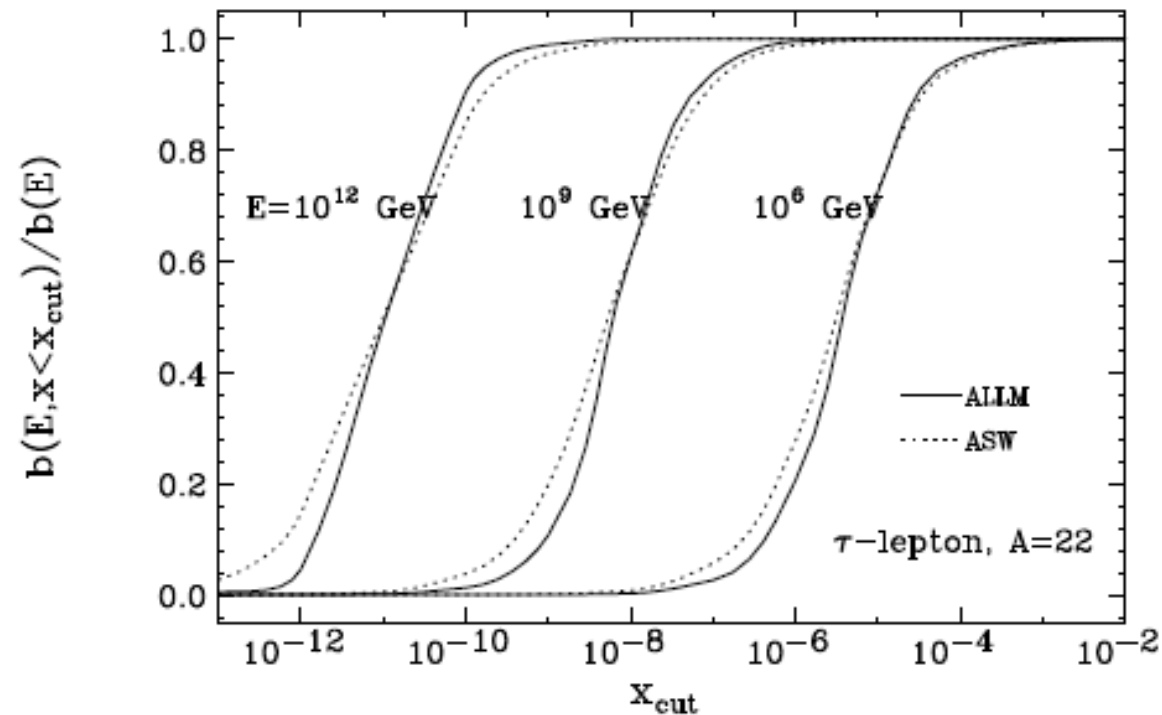
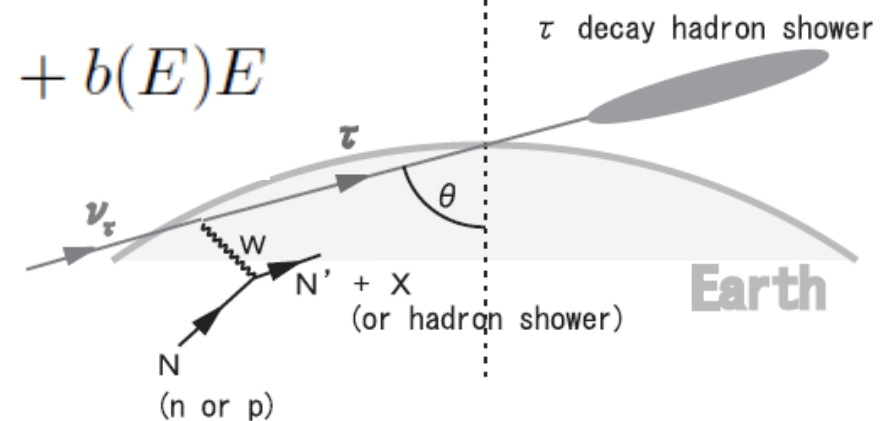


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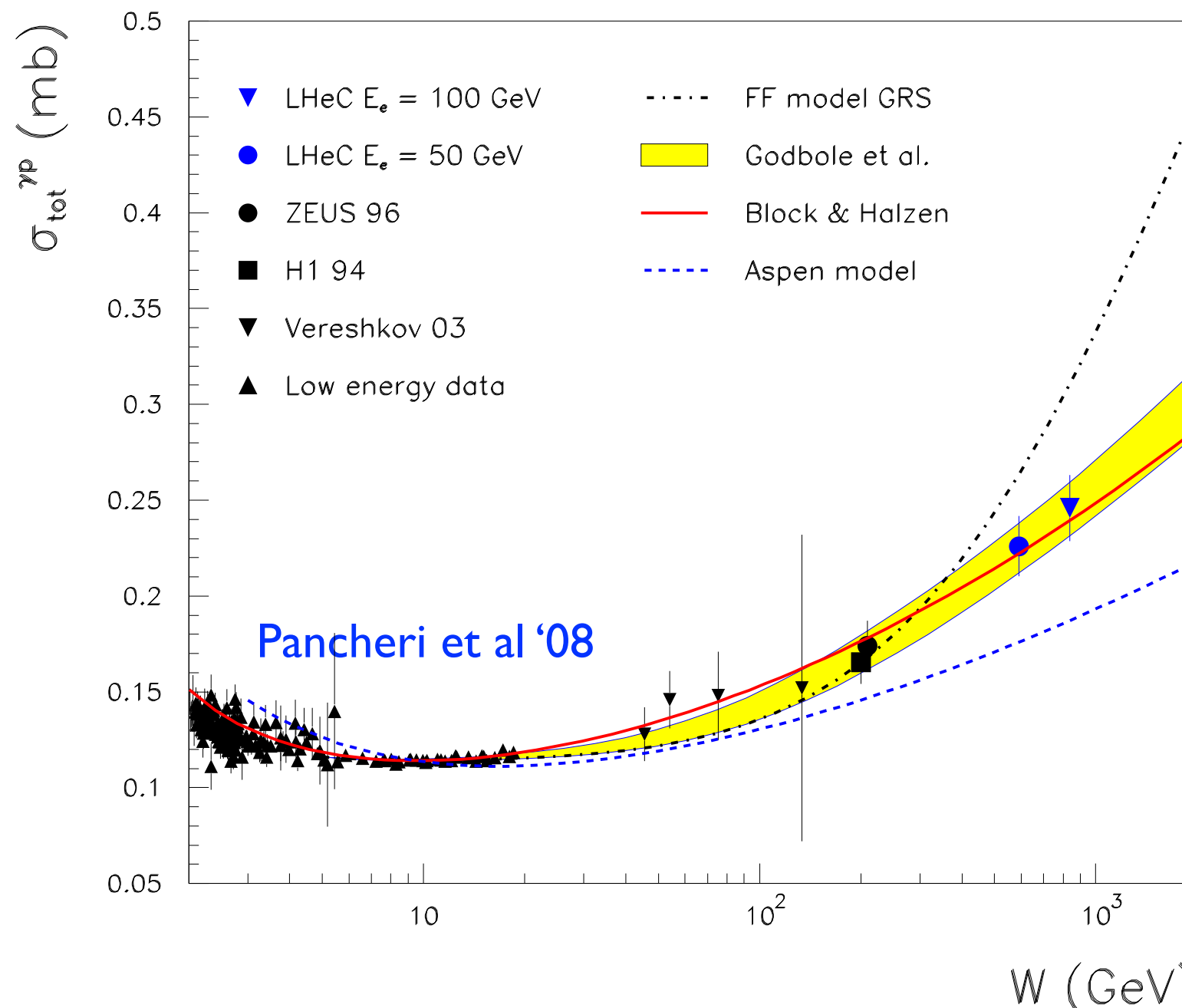
- ν -n/A cross section (τ energy loss) dominated by DIS structure functions / (n)PDFs at small- x and large (small) Q^2 .
- Key ingredient for estimating fluxes.

$$-\left\langle \frac{dE}{dX} \right\rangle = a(E) + b(E)E$$



Photoproduction cross section:

- Small angle electron detector 62 m far from the interaction point: $Q^2 < 0.01 \text{ GeV}^2, y \sim 0.3 \Rightarrow W \sim 0.5 \sqrt{s}$.
- Substantial enlarging of the lever arm in W .

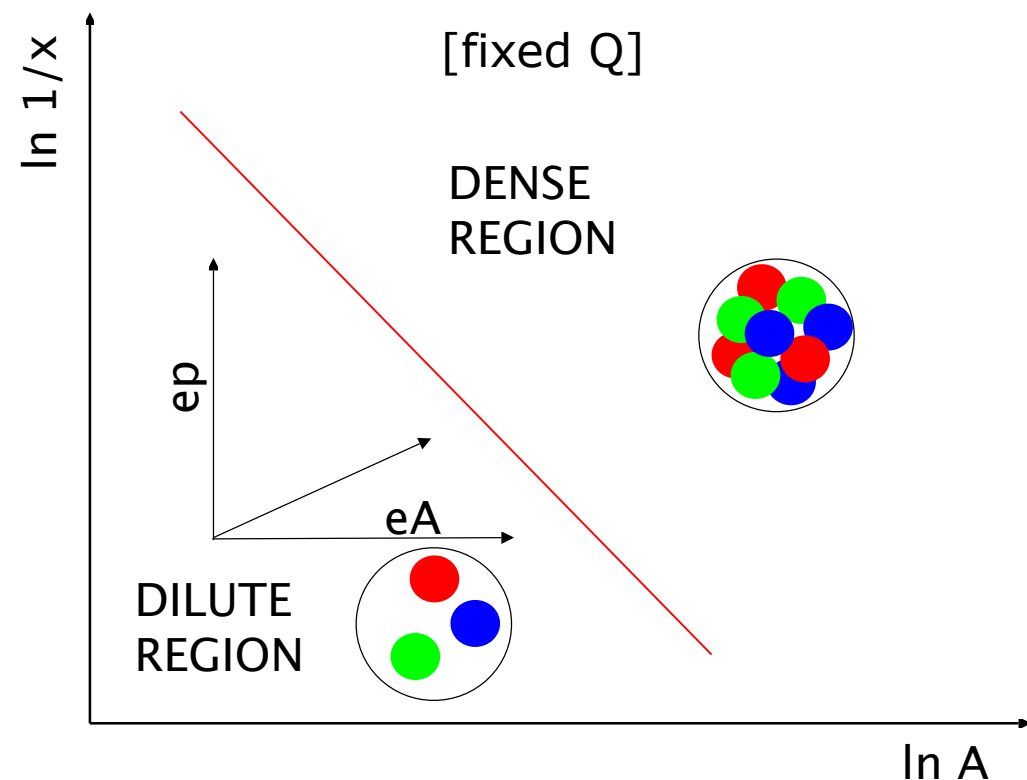
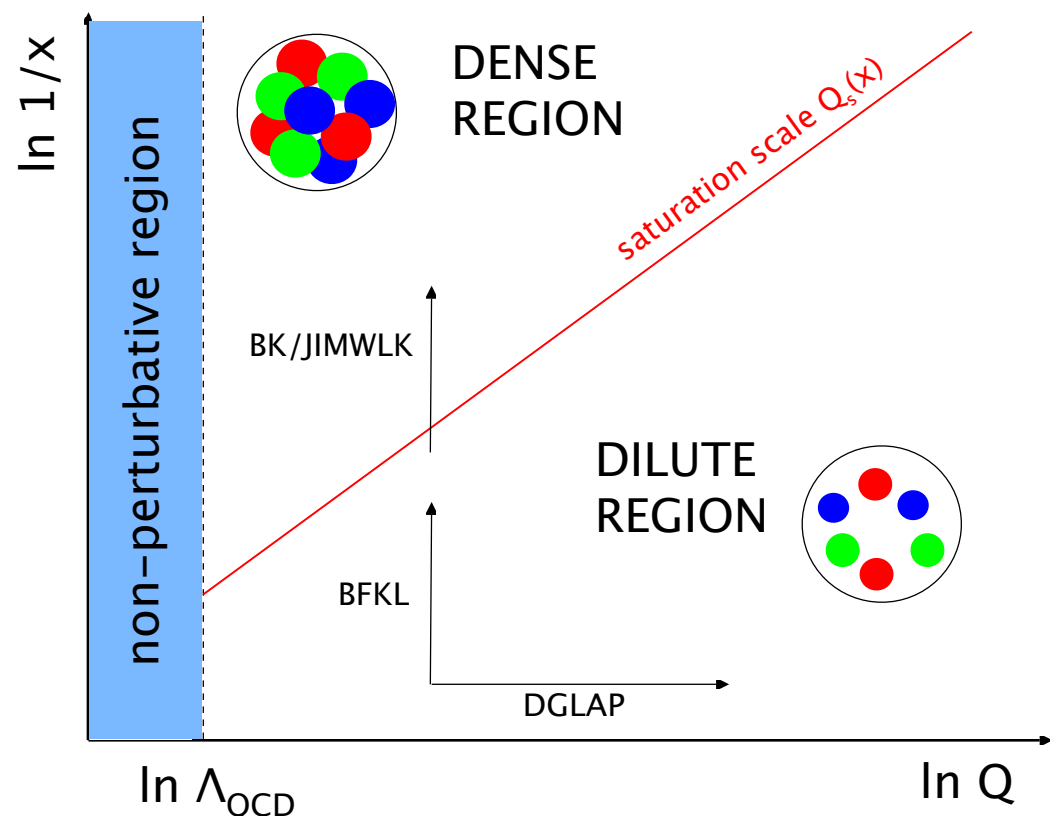


Summary:

- **At an LHeC@CERN:**

- High-precision tests of collinear factorization(s) and determination of PDFs.
- Unprecedented access to small x in p and A .
- Novel sensitivity to physics beyond standard pQCD.
- Stringent tests of QCD radiation and hadronization.
- Transverse scan of the hadron/nucleus at small x .
- ... with implications on our understanding of QGP.

- **The LHeC will answer the question of saturation/non-linear dynamics. For that, ep AND eA essential!!!**



Future plans:

- **Next: follow CERN mandate and go towards a TDR.** This requires a further elaboration of the physics case:

- diffraction: studies on DPDFs and nDPDFs.
- GPDs: complementarity of exclusive VM production and DVCS, also in the nuclear case.
- complementarity with the LHC, both ep/pp and eA/pA.
- ...

Any collaboration is more than welcome!!!

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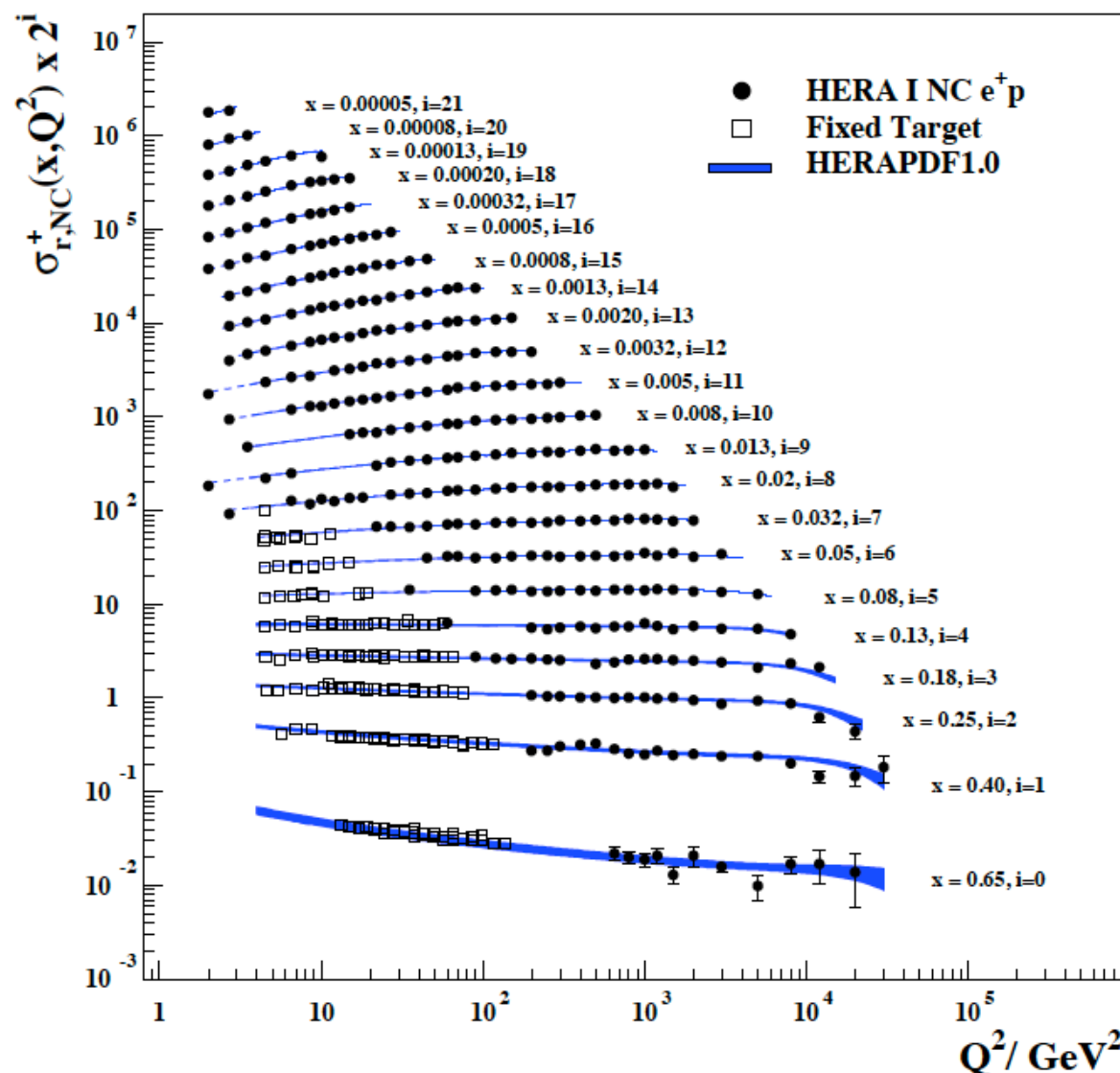
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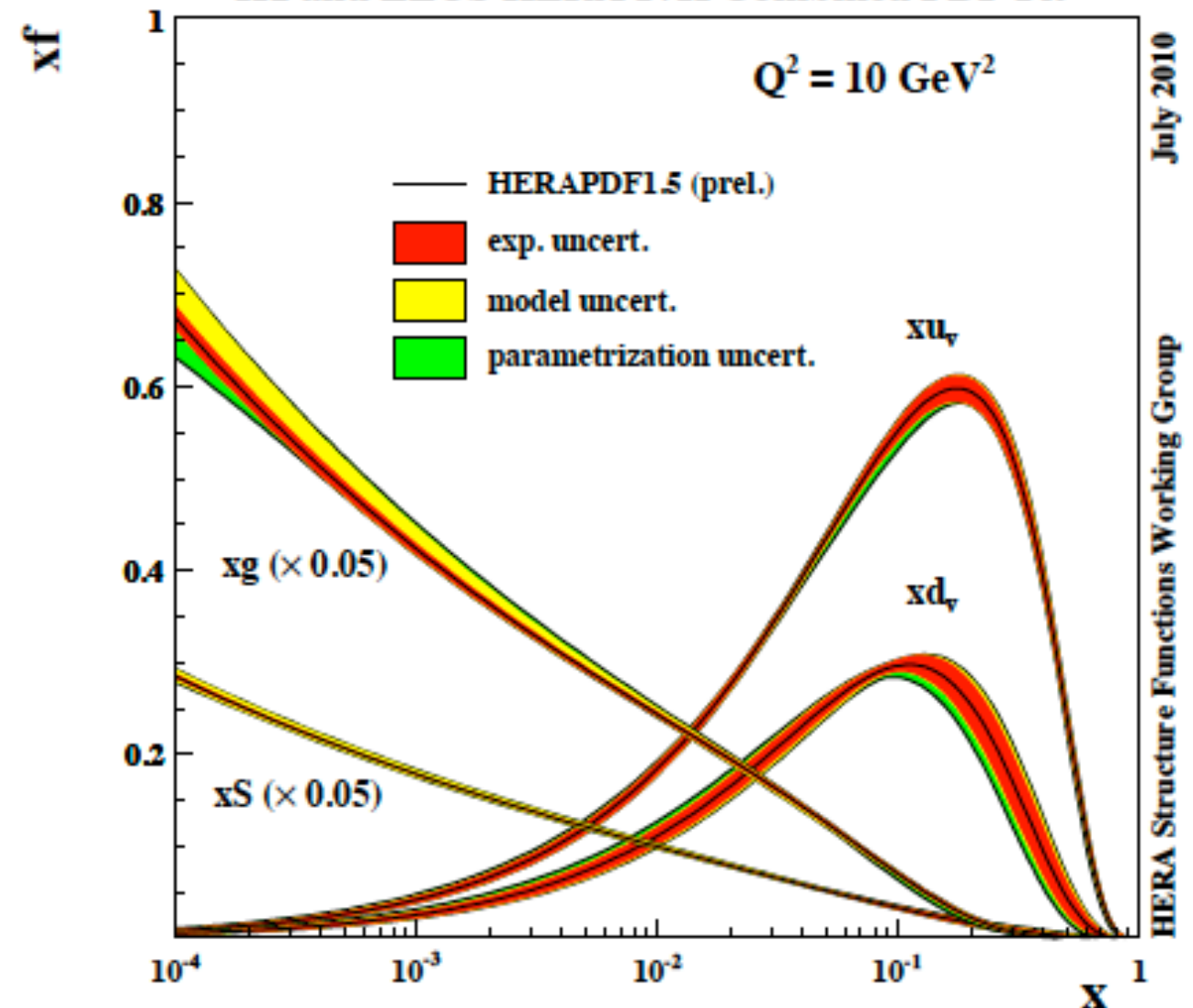
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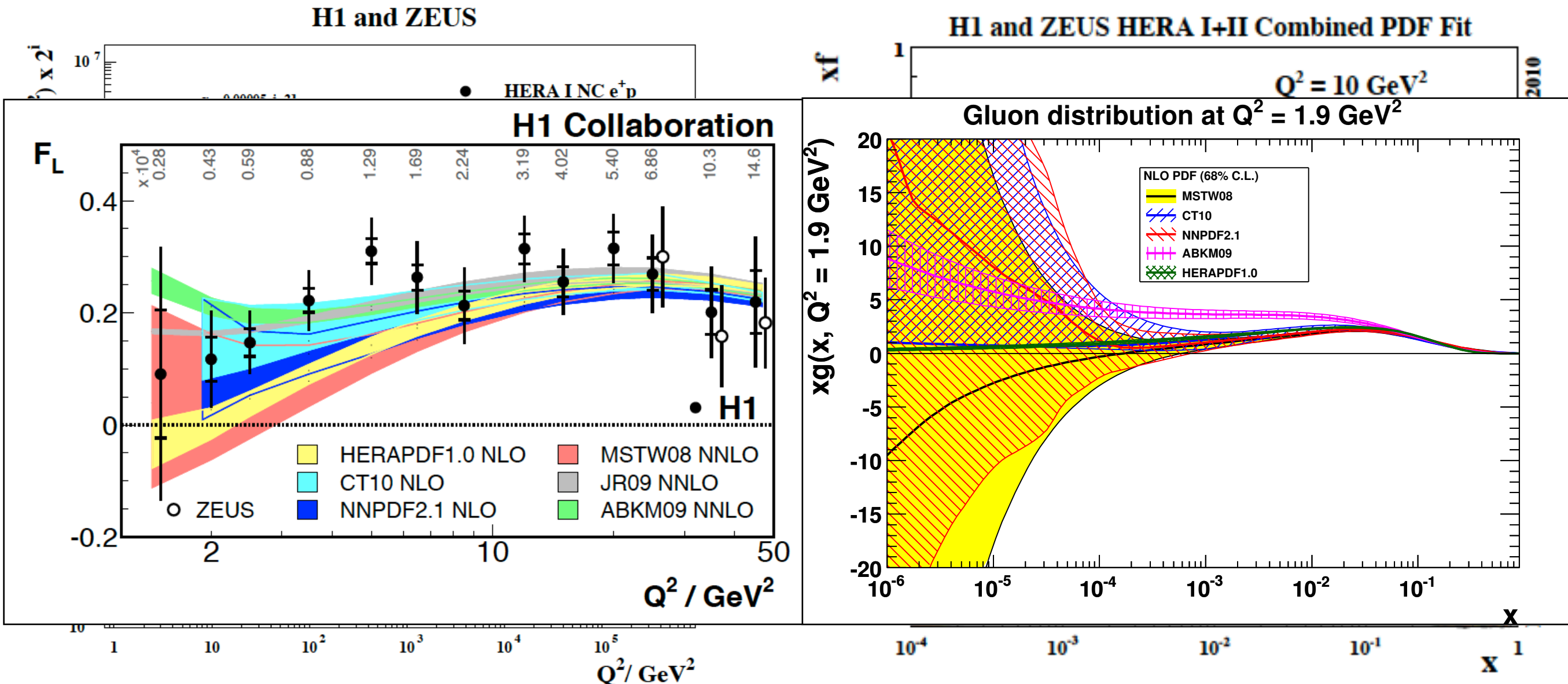


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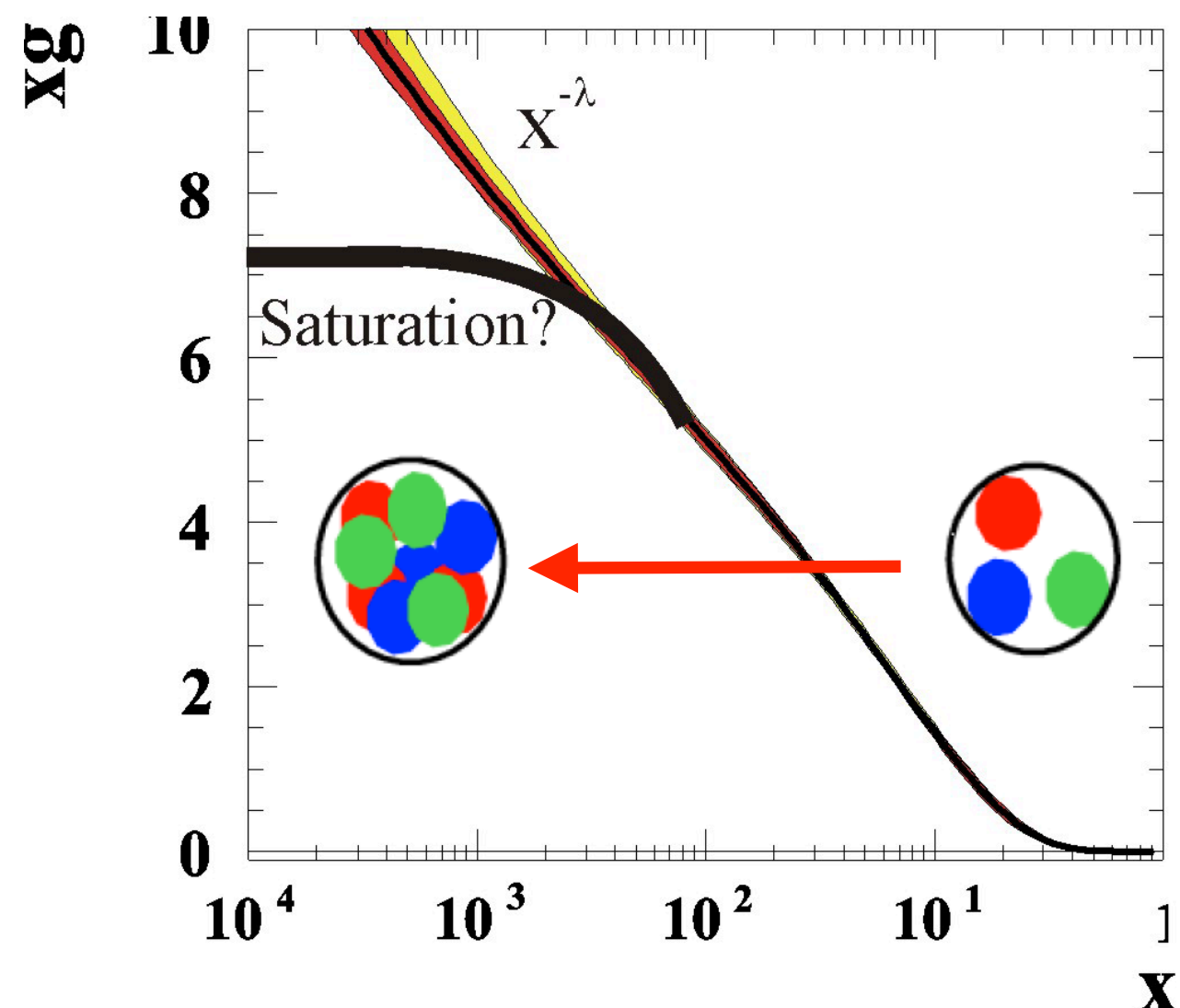
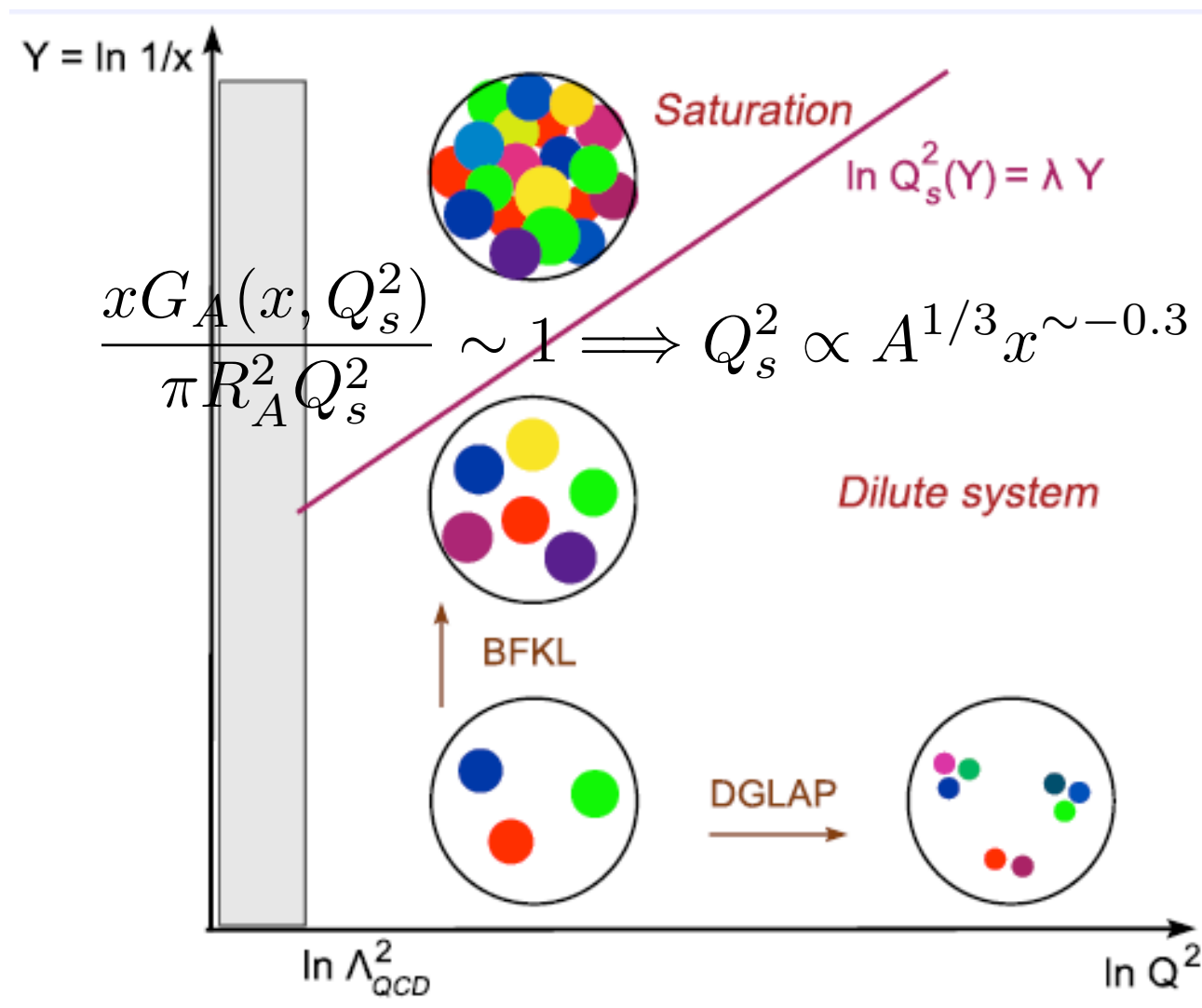


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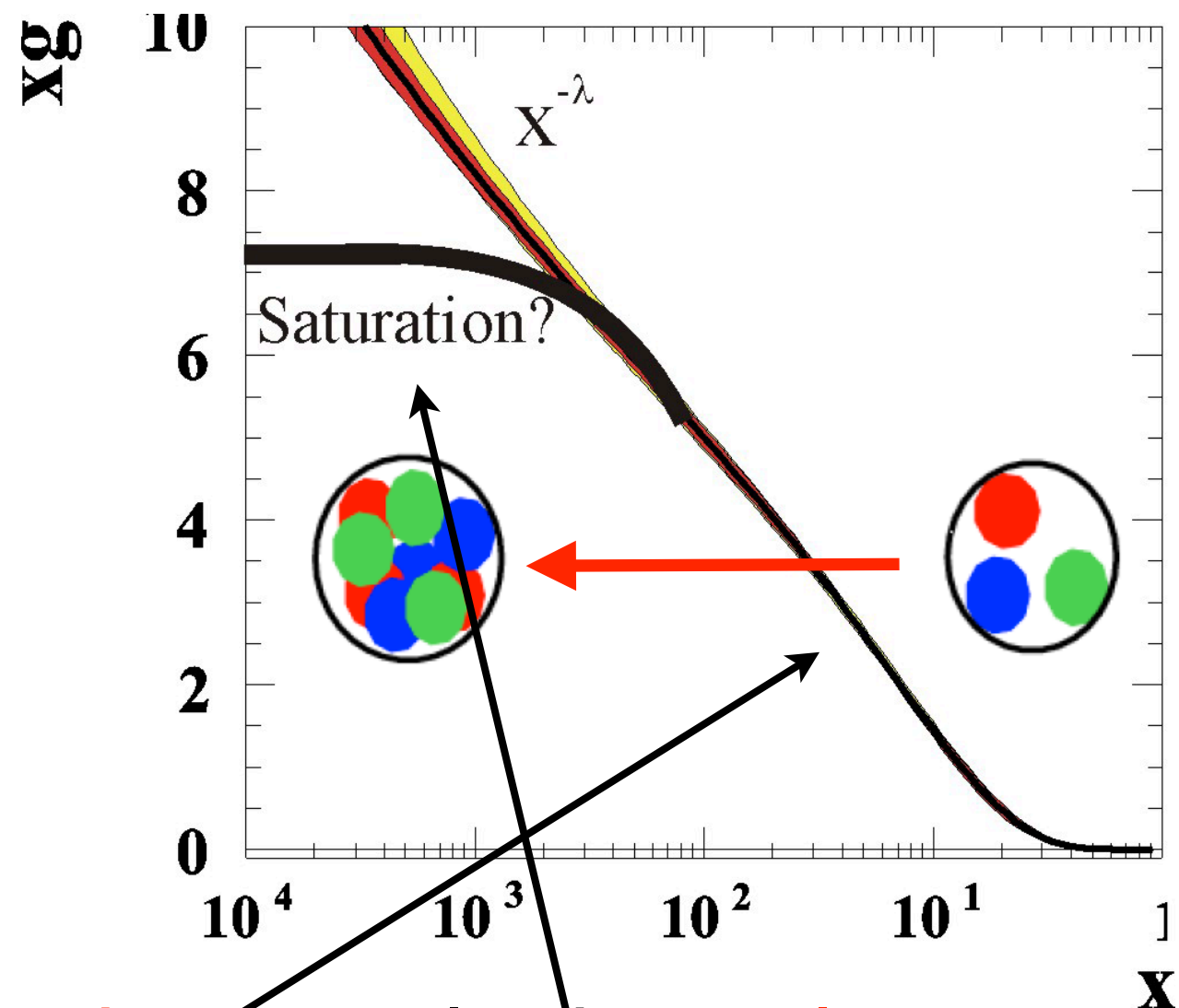
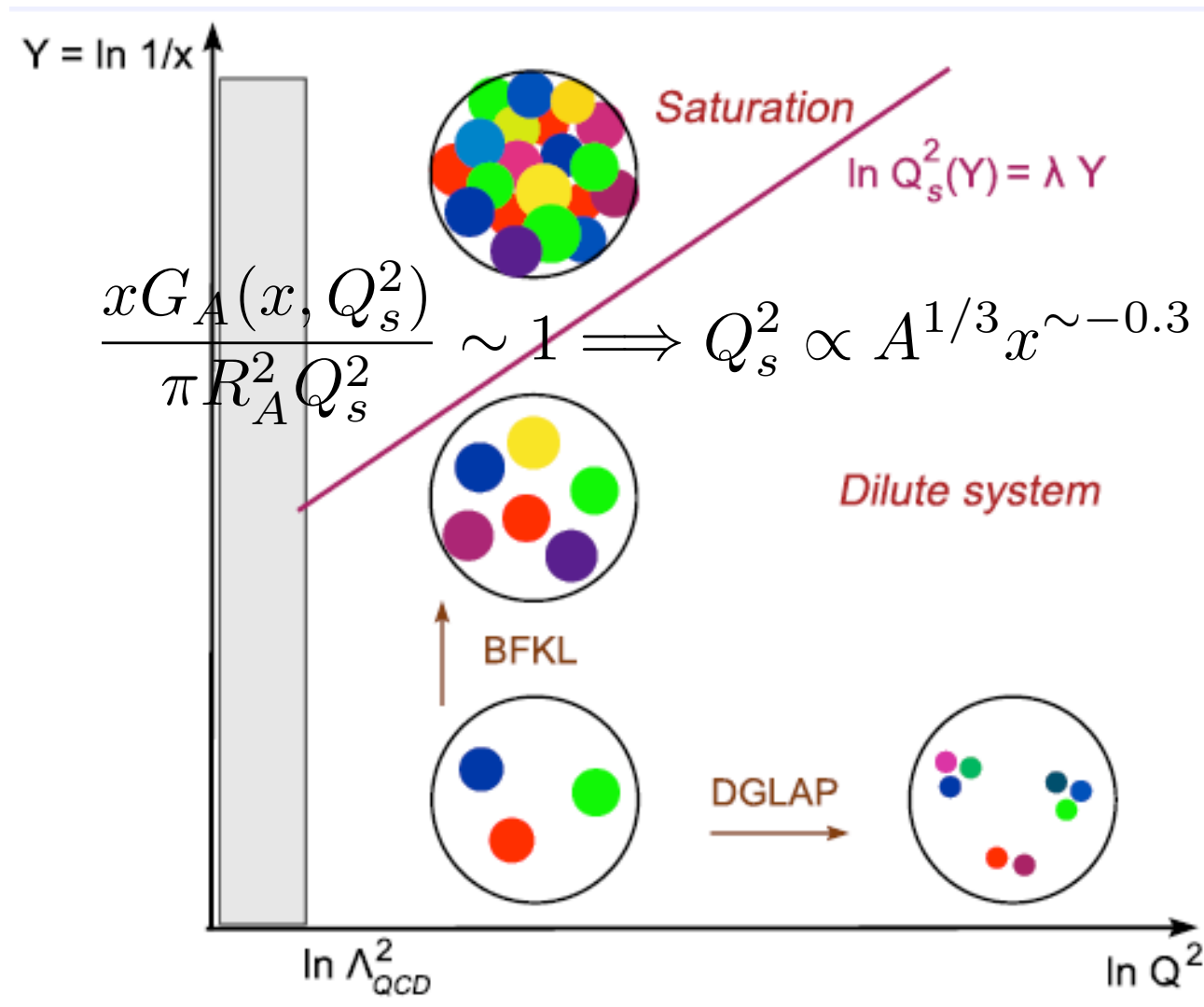


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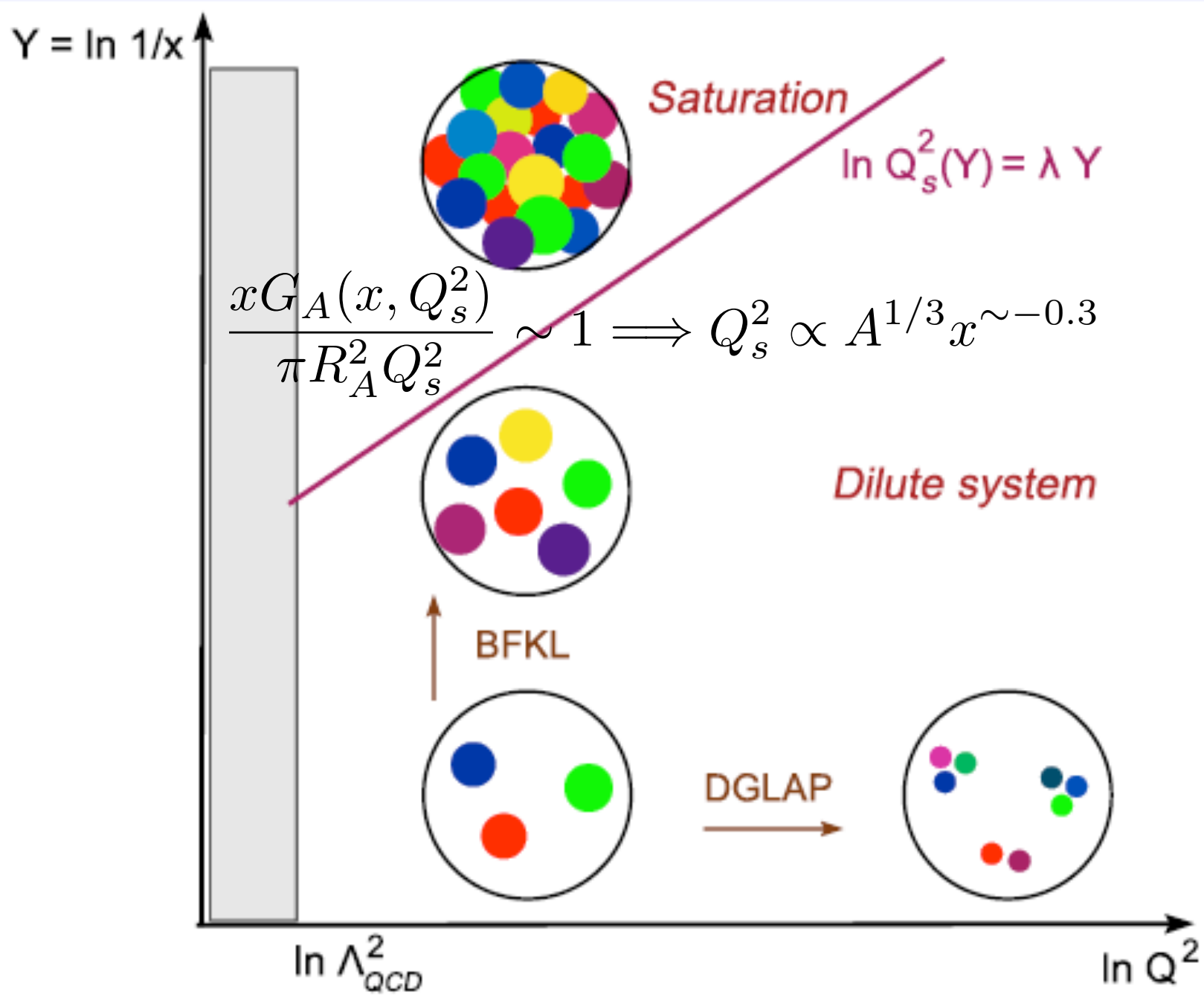


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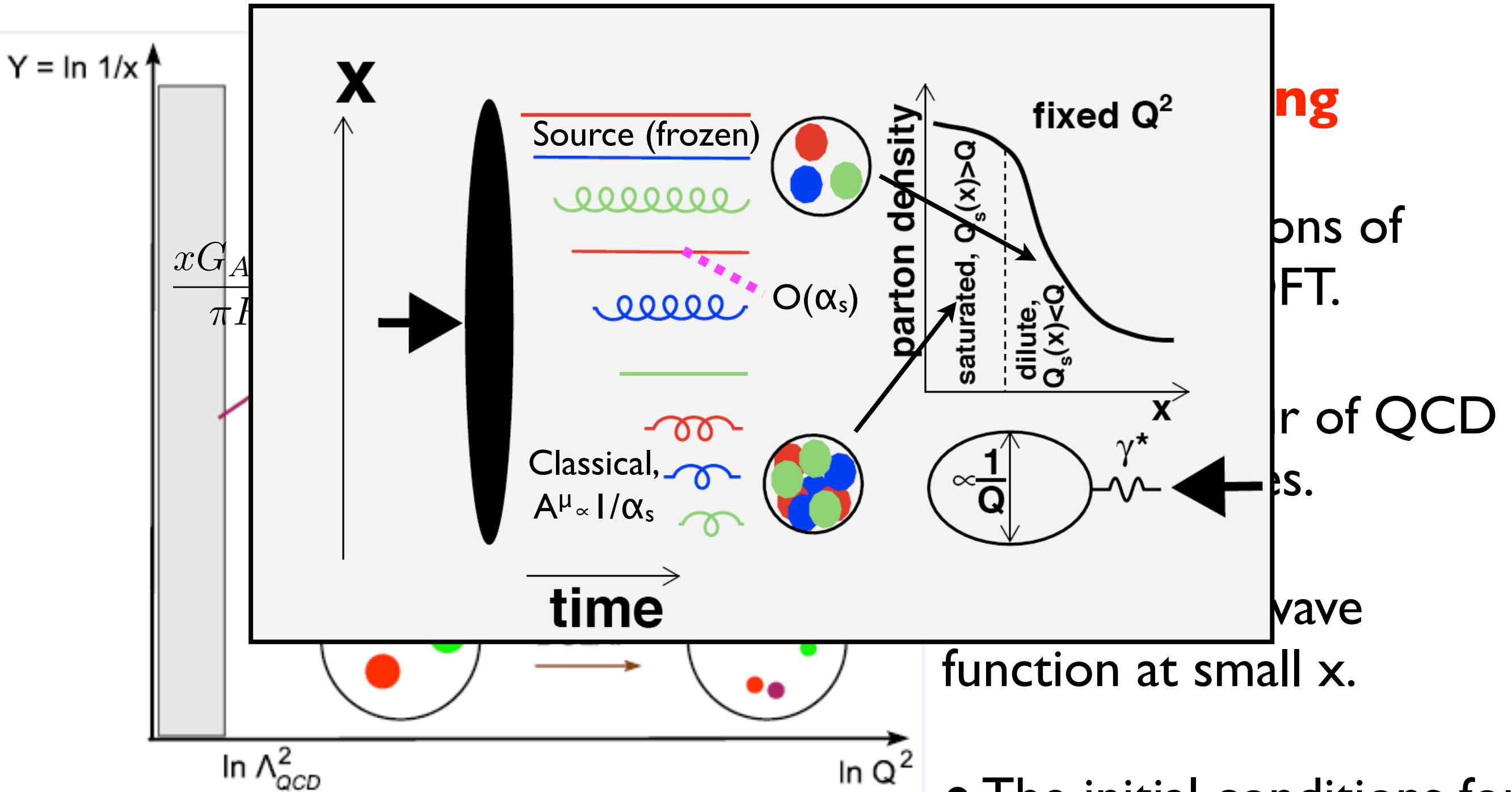
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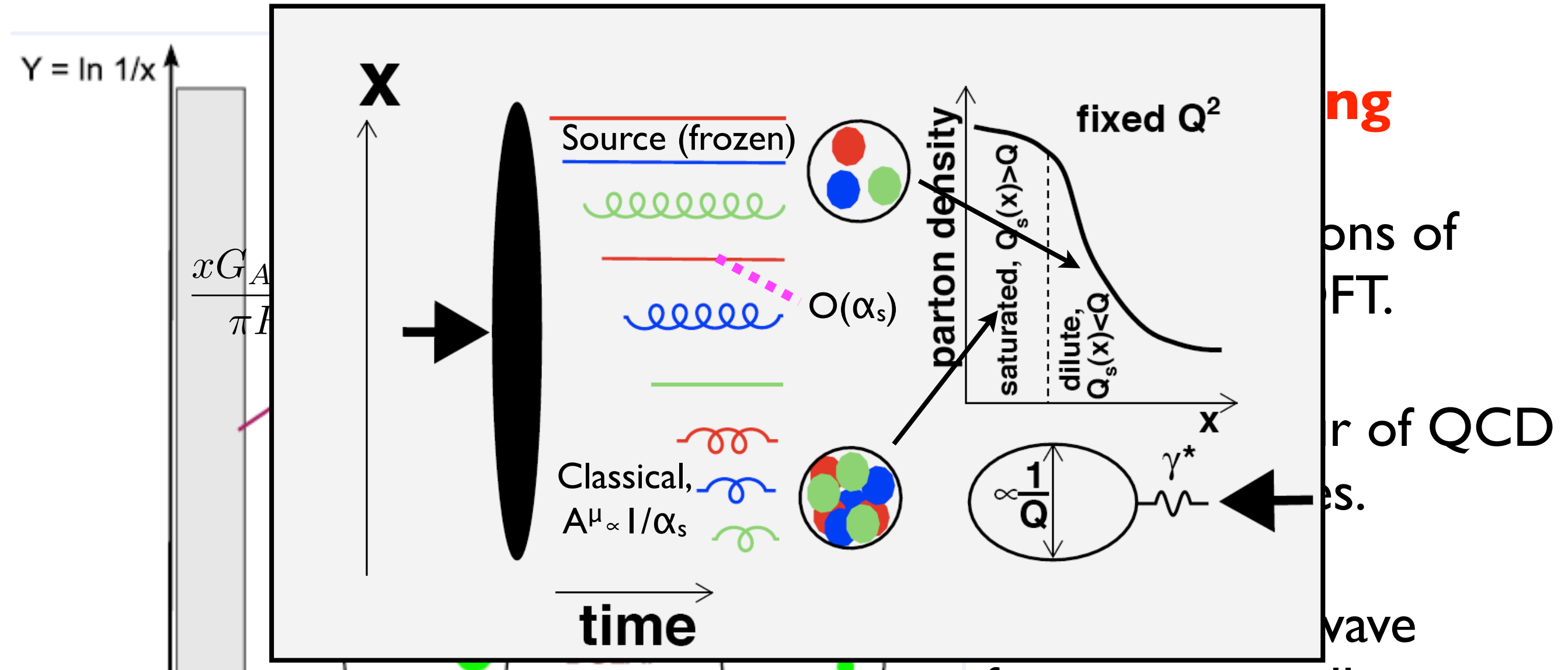
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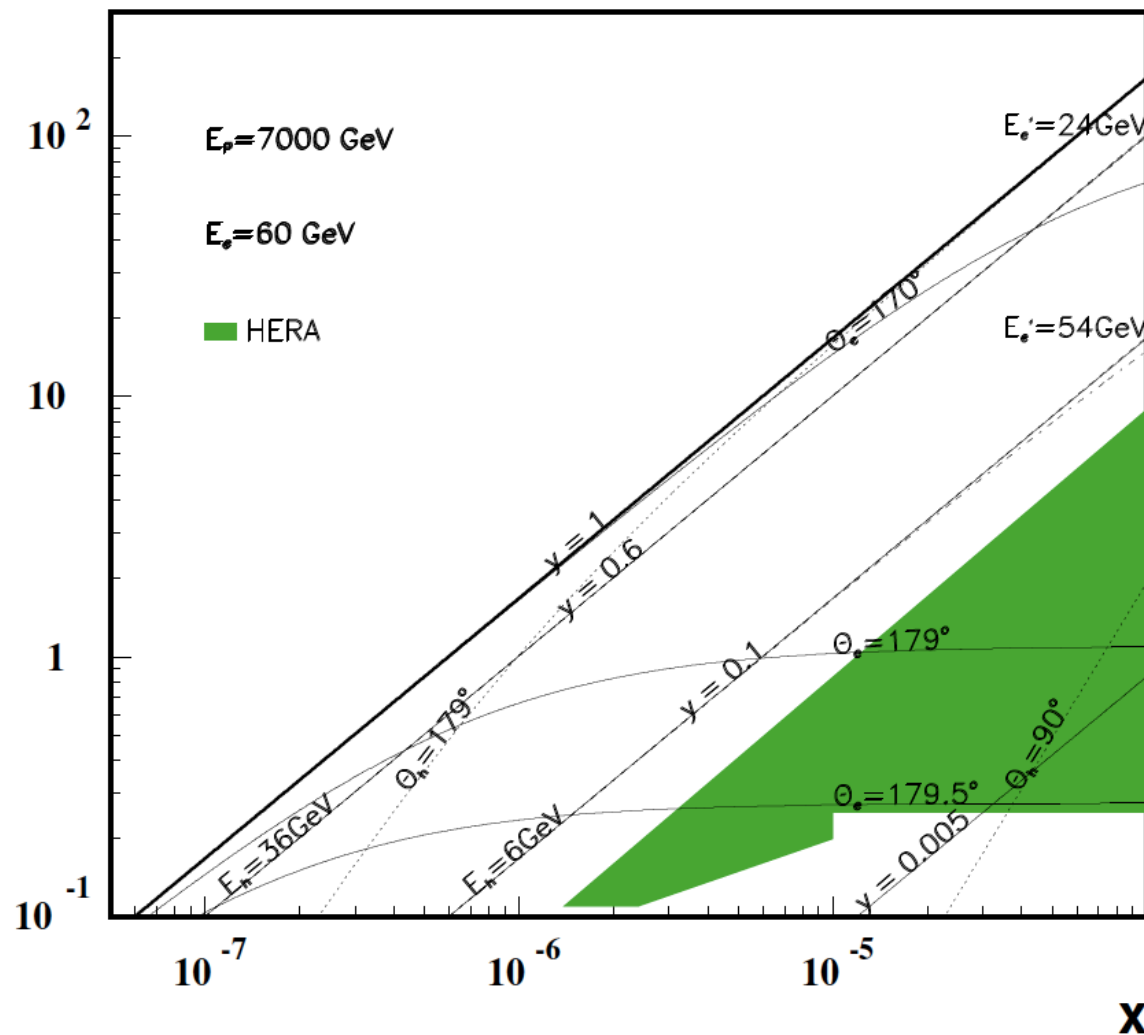
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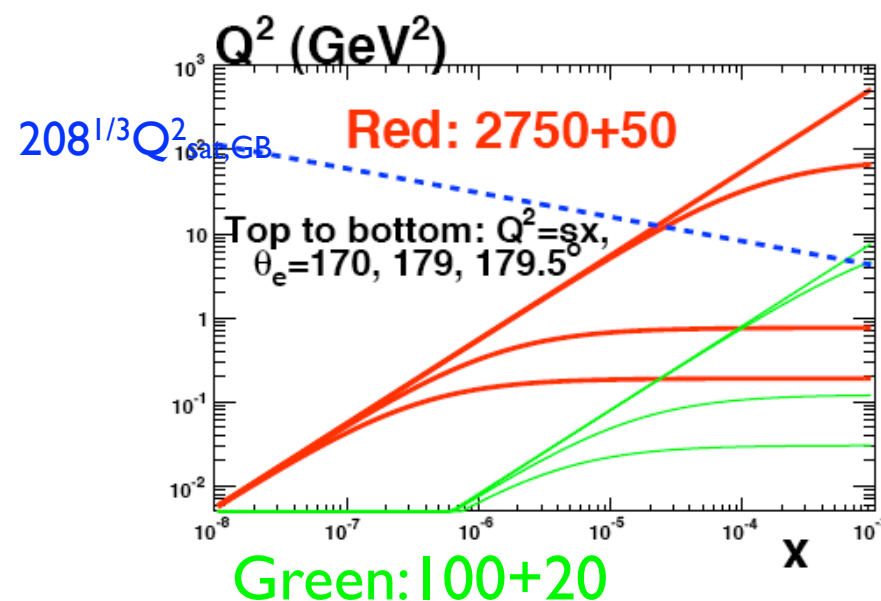
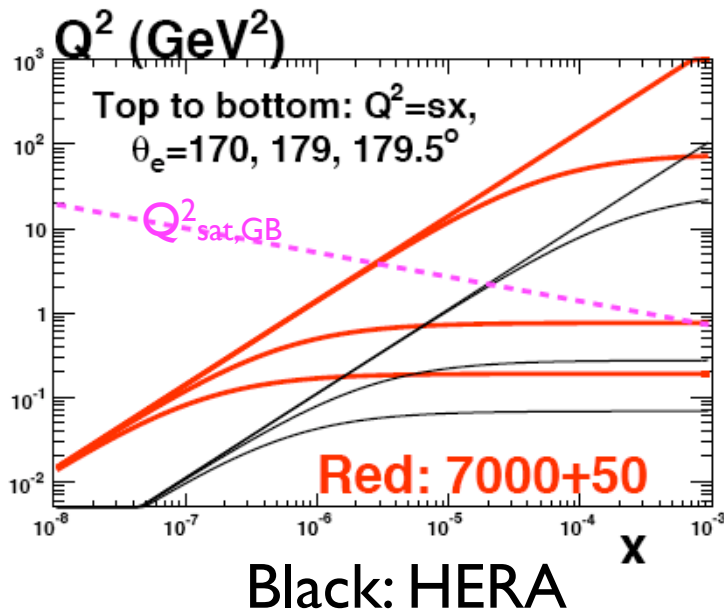
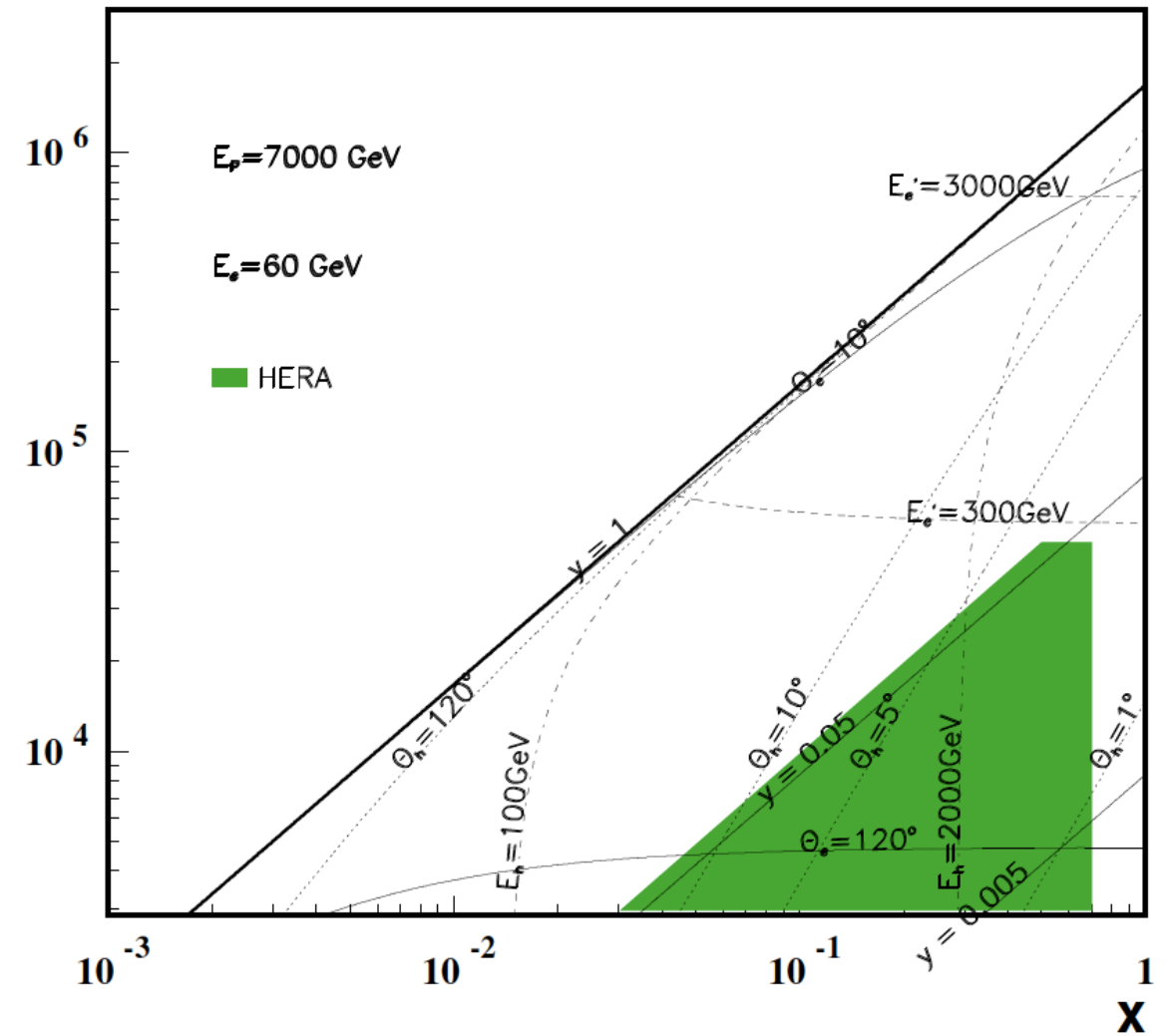
Questions:

- **Theory**: can the dense regime be described using pQCD techniques? Or non-perturbative - Regge, AdS/QCD,...? Which factorisation is at work?
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LHeC - Low x Kinematics

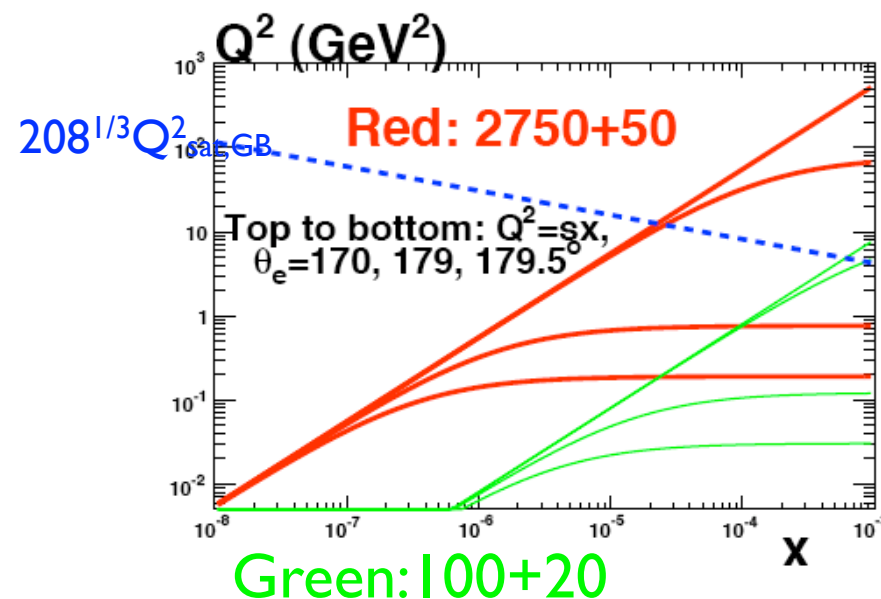
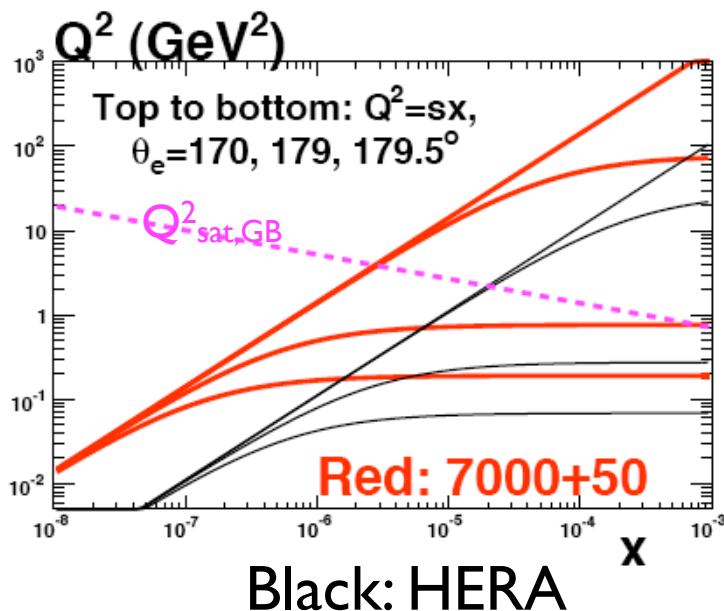
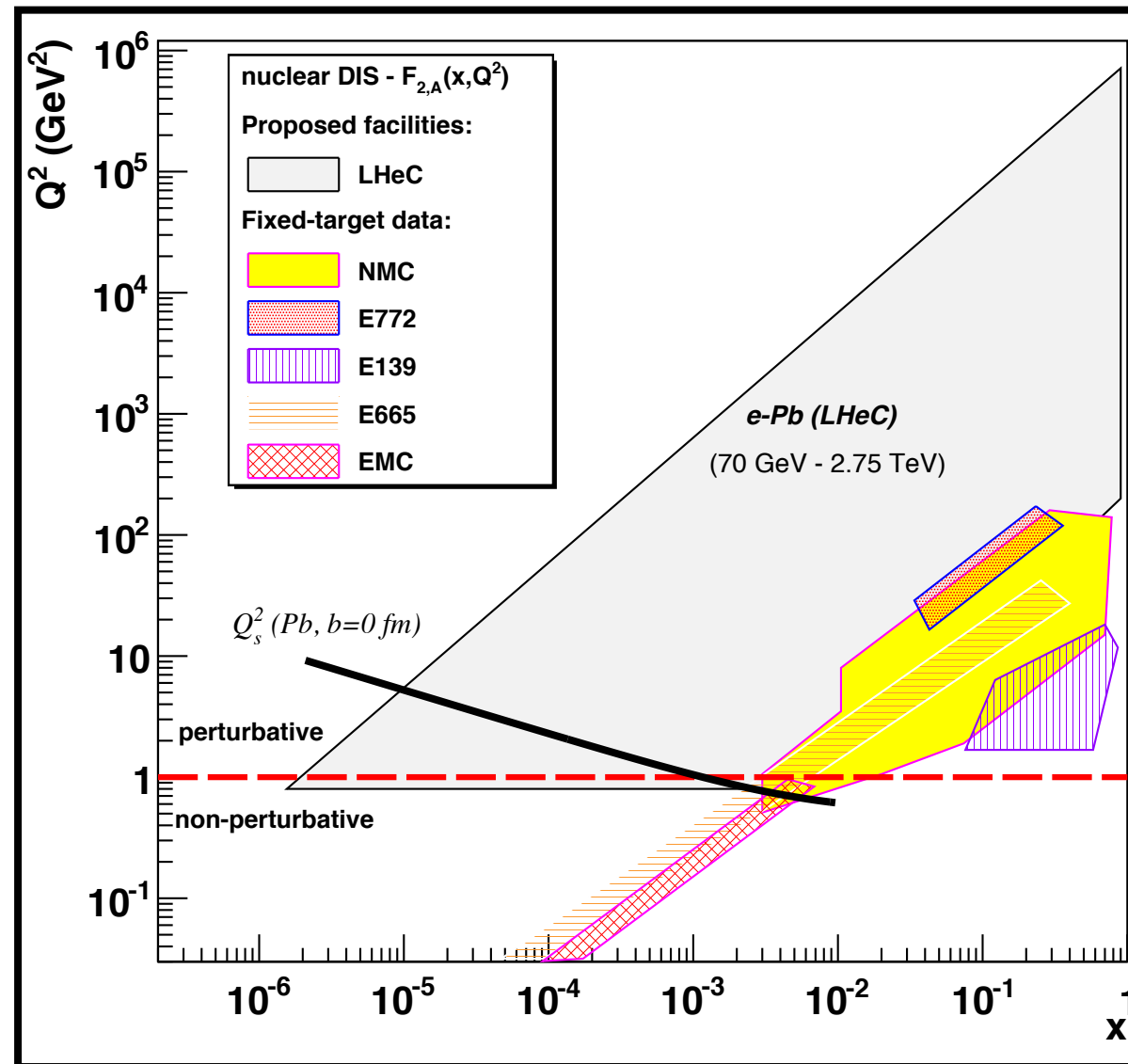


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LHeC scenarios:

config.	E(e)	E(N)	N	$\int L(e^+)$	$\int L(e^-)$	Pol	L/ 10^{32}	P/MW	years	type
For F_2										
A	20	7	p	1	1	-	1	10	1	SPL
B	50	7	p	50	50	0.4	25	30	2	RR hiQ ²
C	50	7	p	1	1	0.4	1	30	1	RR lo x
D	100	7	p	5	10	0.9	2.5	40	2	LR
E	150	7	p	3	6	0.9	1.8	40	2	LR
F	50	3.5	D	1	1	--	0.5	30	1	eD
G	50	2.7	Pb	10^{-4}	10^{-4}	0.4	10^{-3}	30	1	ePb
H	50	1	p	--	1	--	25	30	1	lowEp
I	50	3.5	Ca	$5 \cdot 10^{-4}$?	$5 \cdot 10^{-3}$?	?	eCa

- For F_L : 10, 25, 50 + 2750 (7000); $Q^2 \leq s x$; Lumi=5, 10, 100 pb⁻¹ respectively; charm and beauty: same efficiencies in ep and eA.

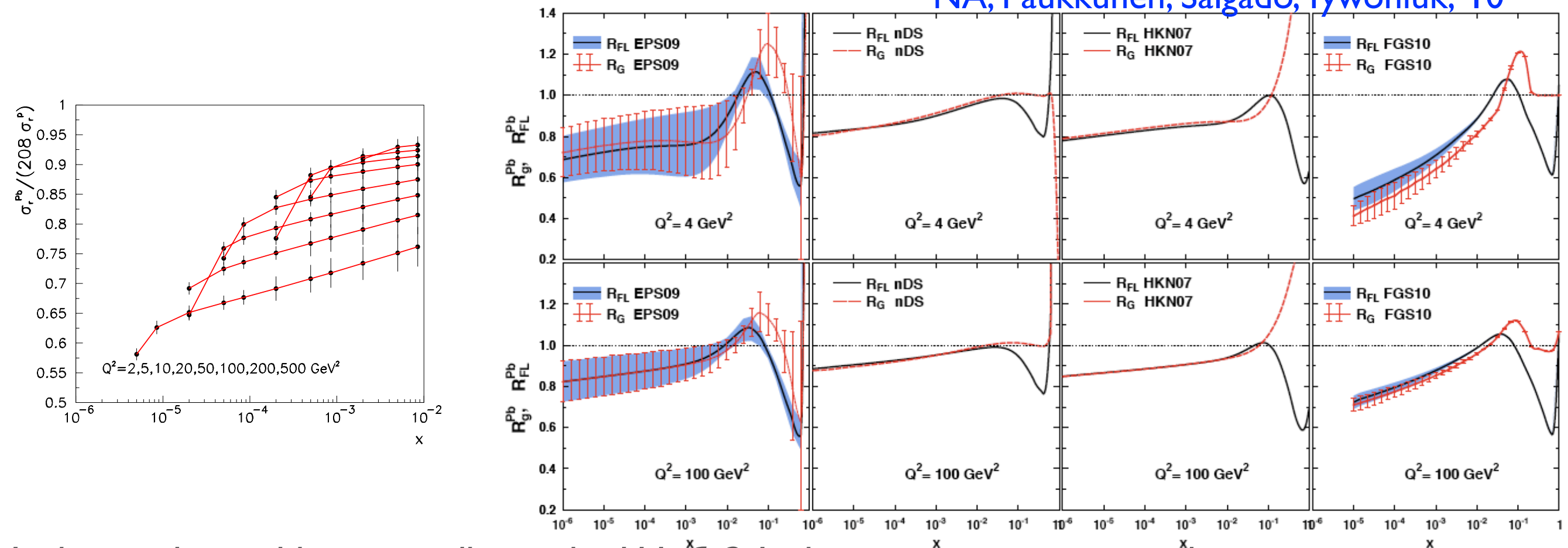
Inclusive observables at small-x at the LHeC: 3 Inclusive measurements at low x.

Note: F_L in eA

$$\sigma_r^{NC} = \frac{Q^4 x}{2\pi\alpha^2 Y_+} \frac{d^2\sigma^{NC}}{dx dQ^2} = F_2 \left[1 - \frac{y^2}{Y_+} \frac{F_L}{F_2} \right], \quad Y_+ = 1 + (1 - y)^2$$

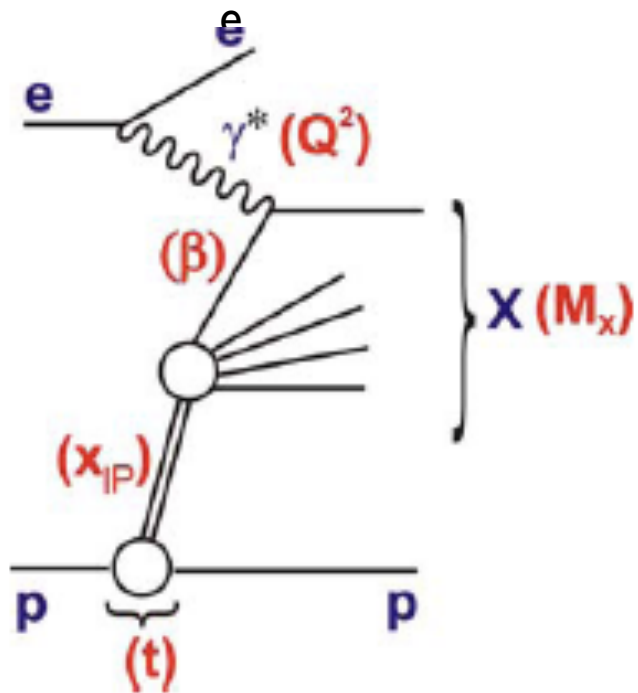
- F_L traces the nuclear effects on the glue (Cazarotto et al '08).
- Uncertainties in the extraction of F_2 due to the unknown nuclear effects on F_L of order 5 % (larger than expected stat.+syst.) \Rightarrow measure F_L or use the reduced cross section (but then ratios at two energies...).

NA, Paukkunen, Salgado, Tywoniuk, '10

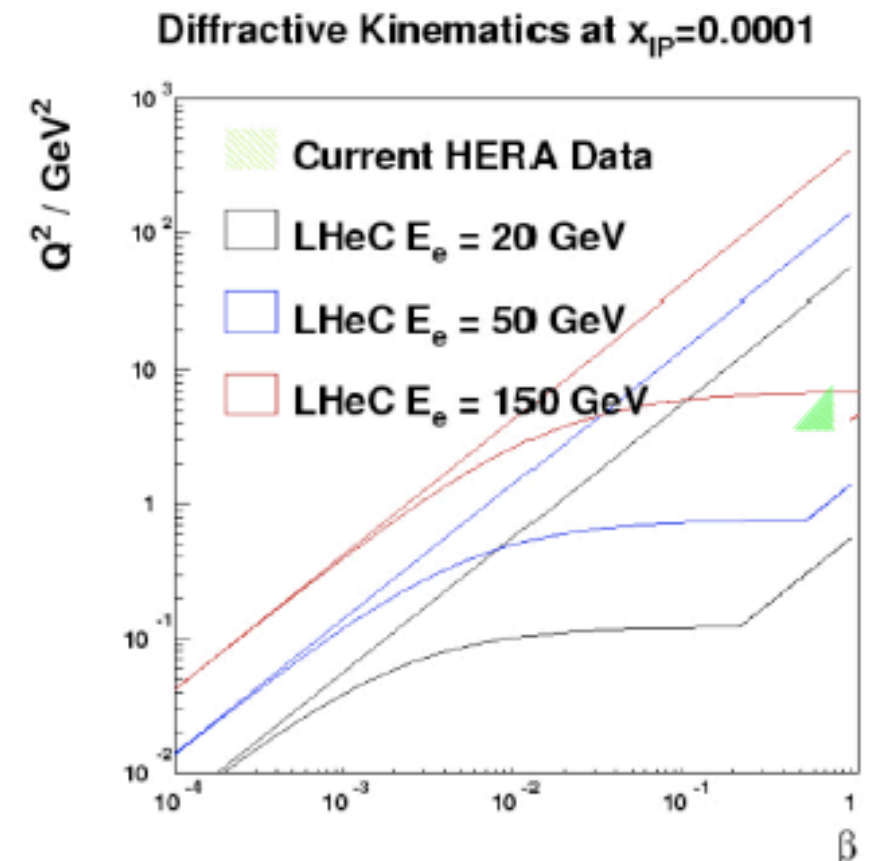
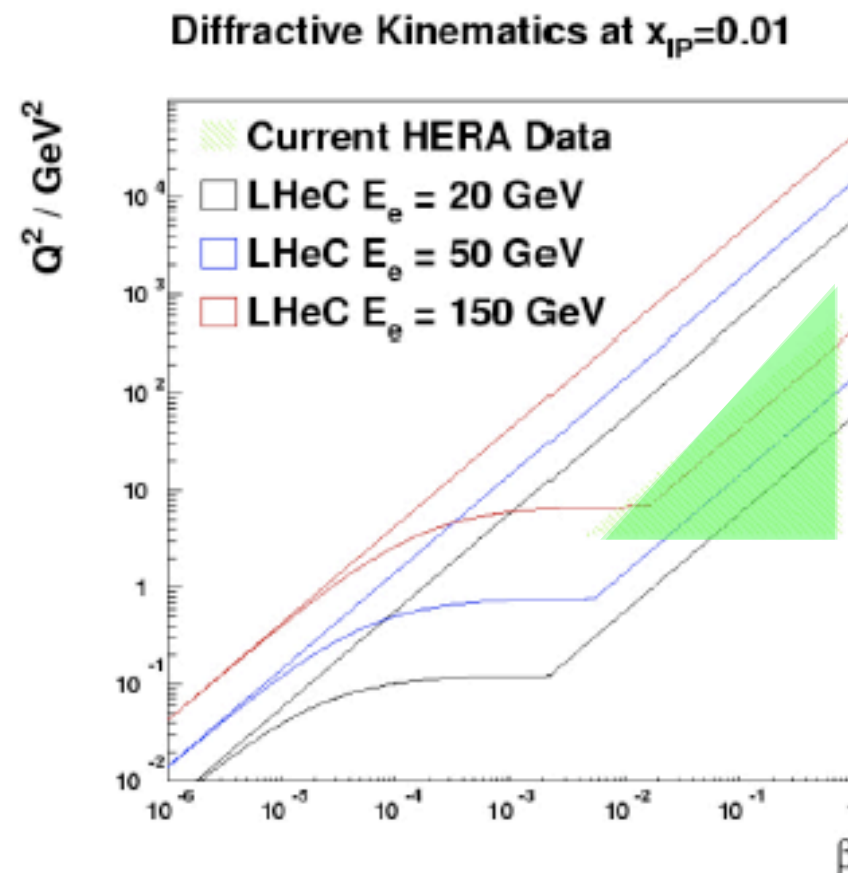
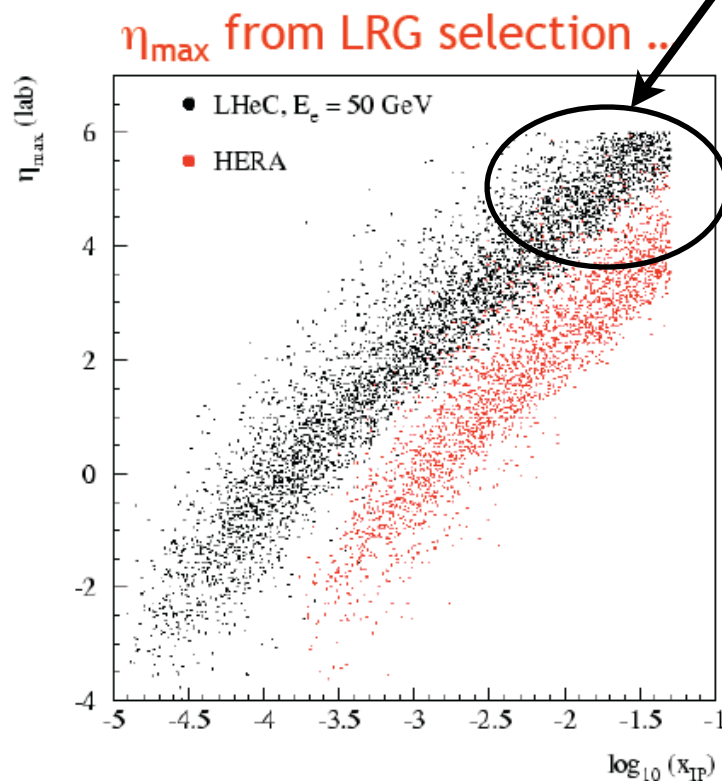
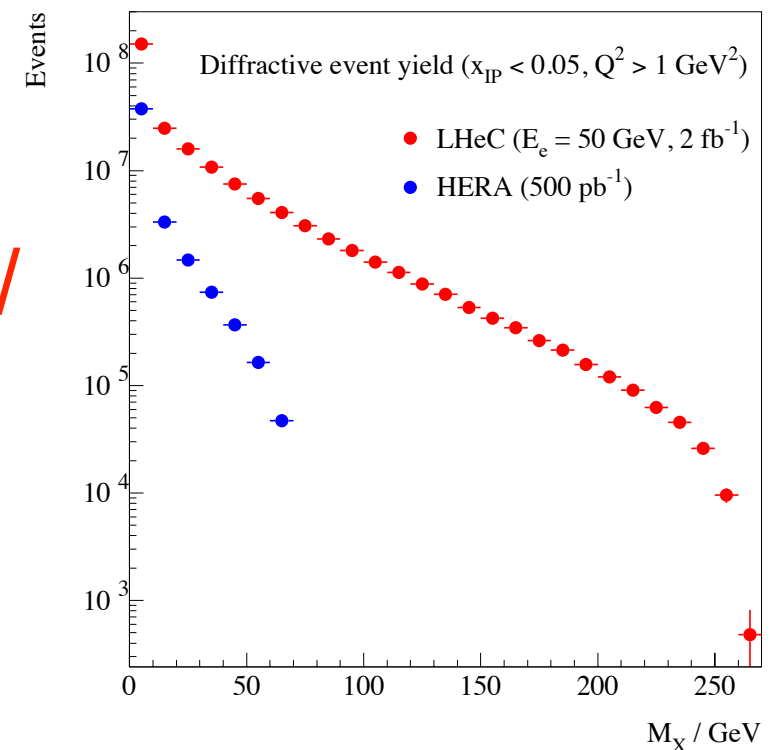


Inclusive observables at small- x at the LHeC: 3 Inclusive measurements at low x .

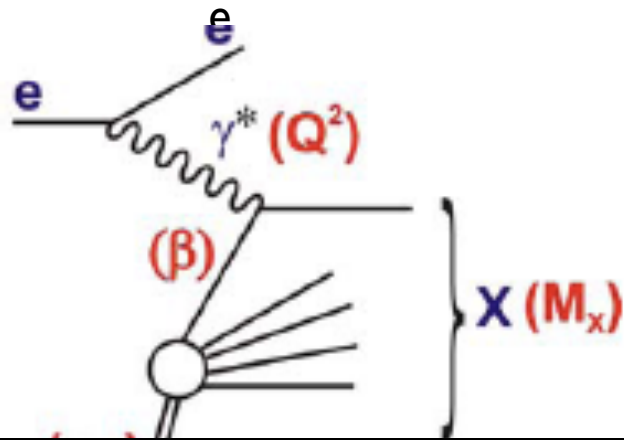
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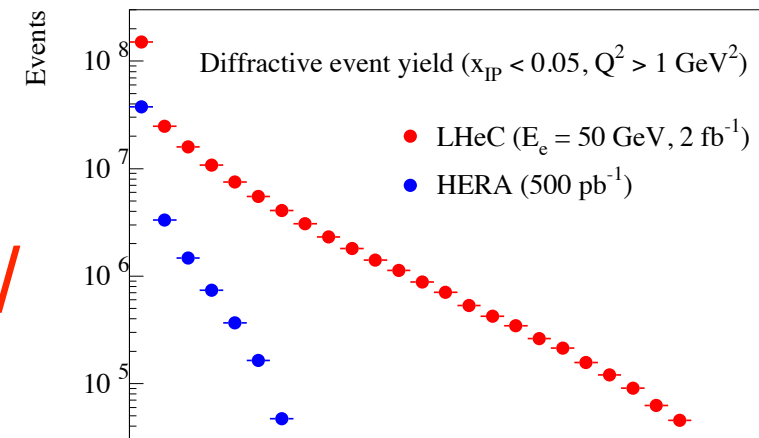
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- Possibility to combine LRG and LPS.



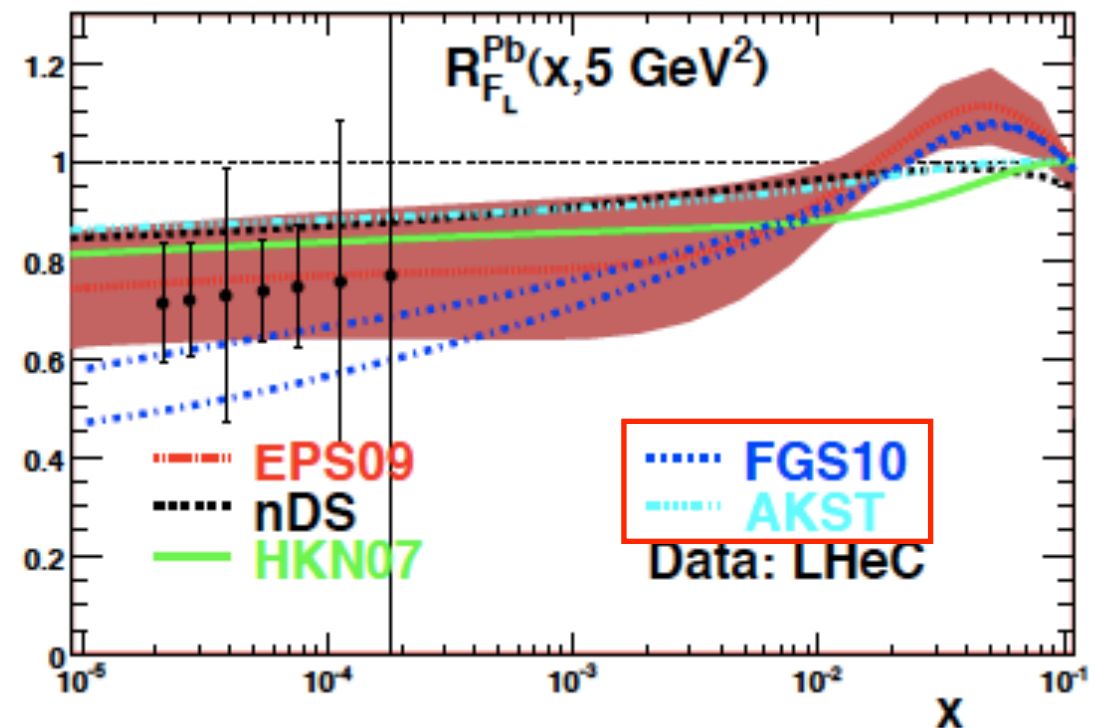
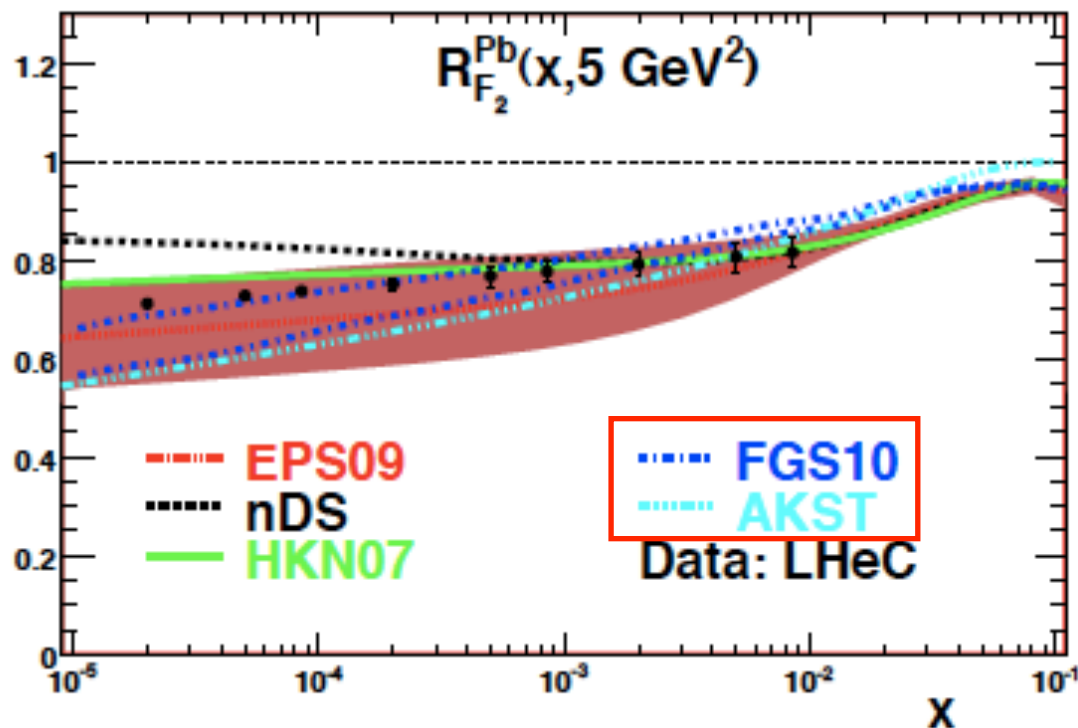
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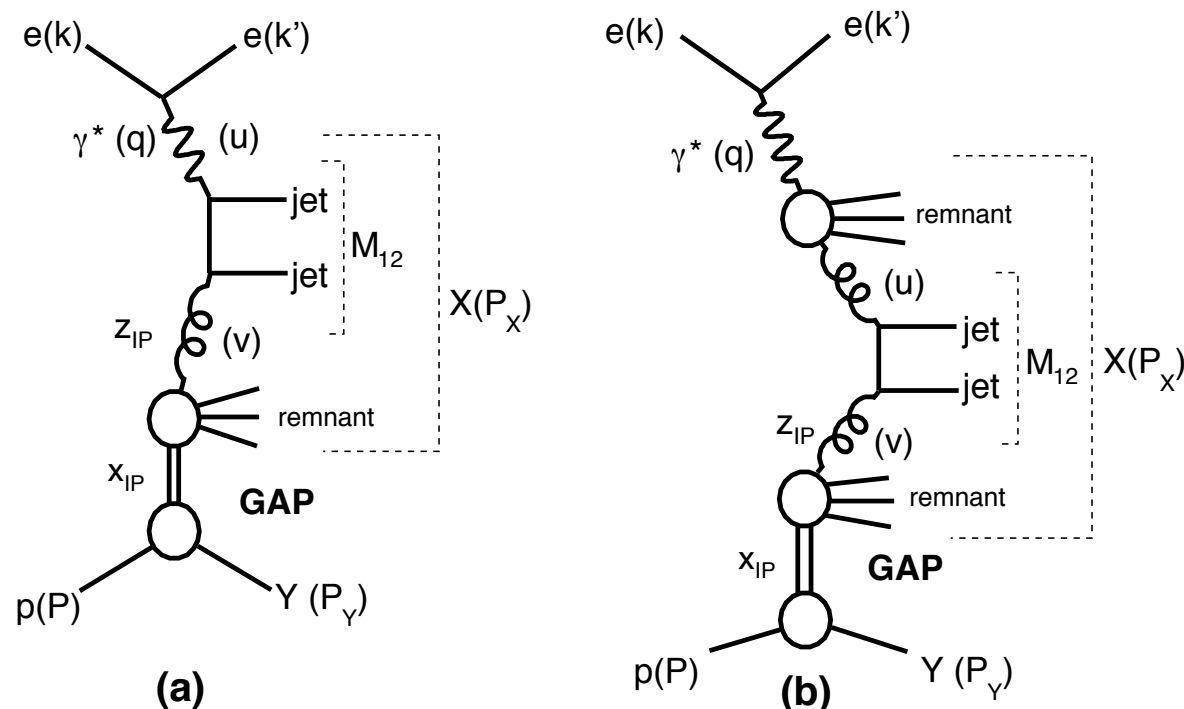
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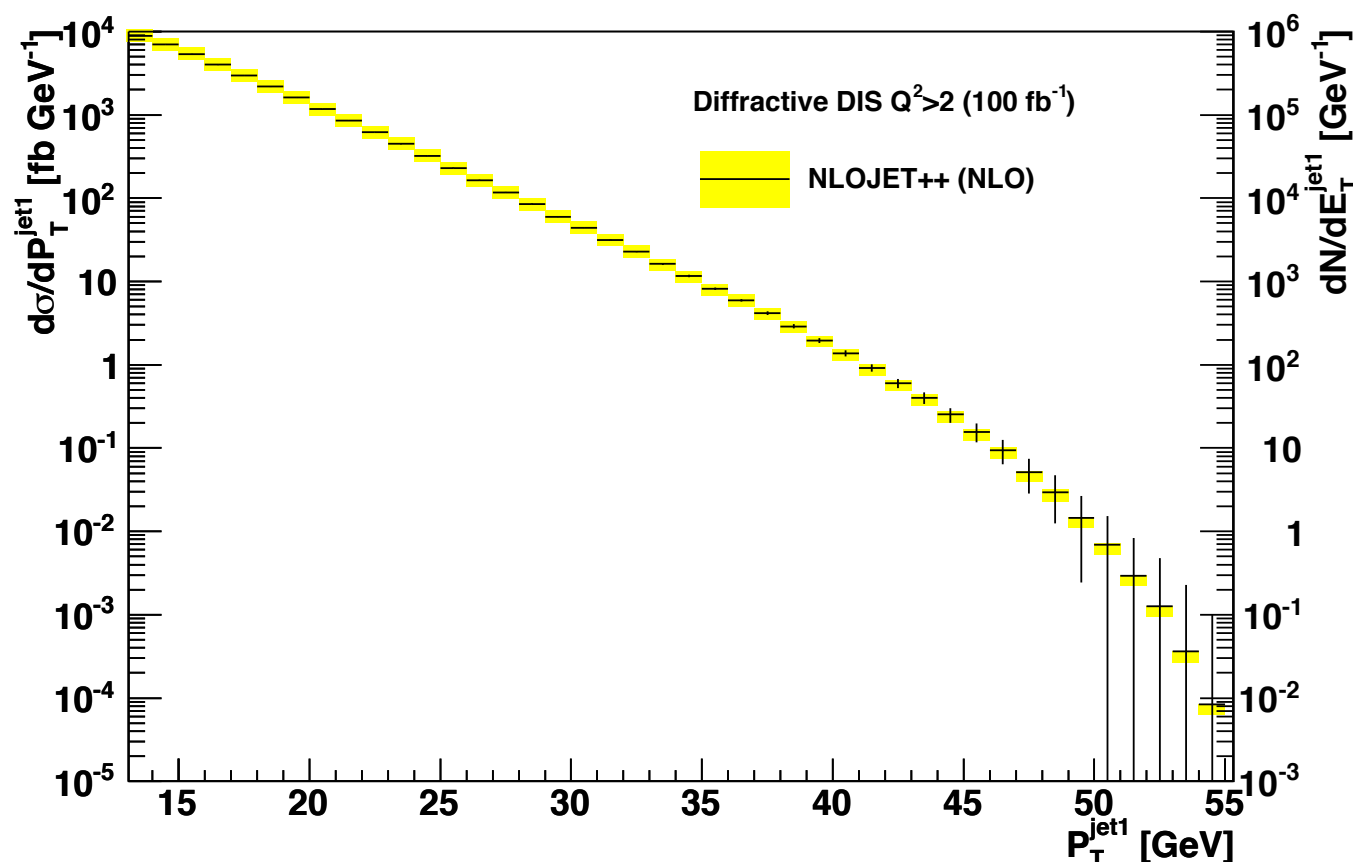
Note: diffraction in ep is linked to shadowing in eA (Gribov): FGS, Capella-Kaidalov et al,...



Diffractive dijets:

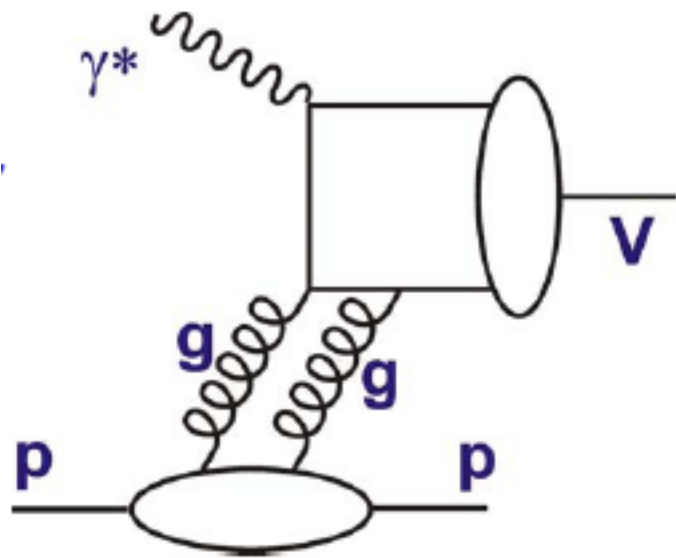


- Diffractive dijet and open heavy flavour production offer large possibilities for:
 - Checking factorization in hard diffraction.
 - Constraining DPDFs.

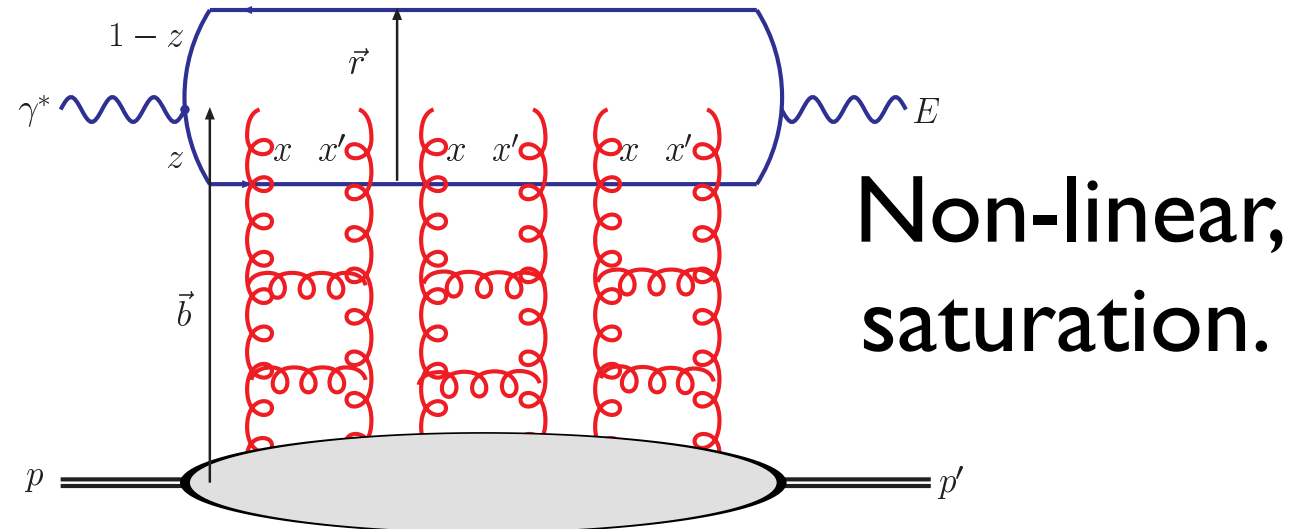
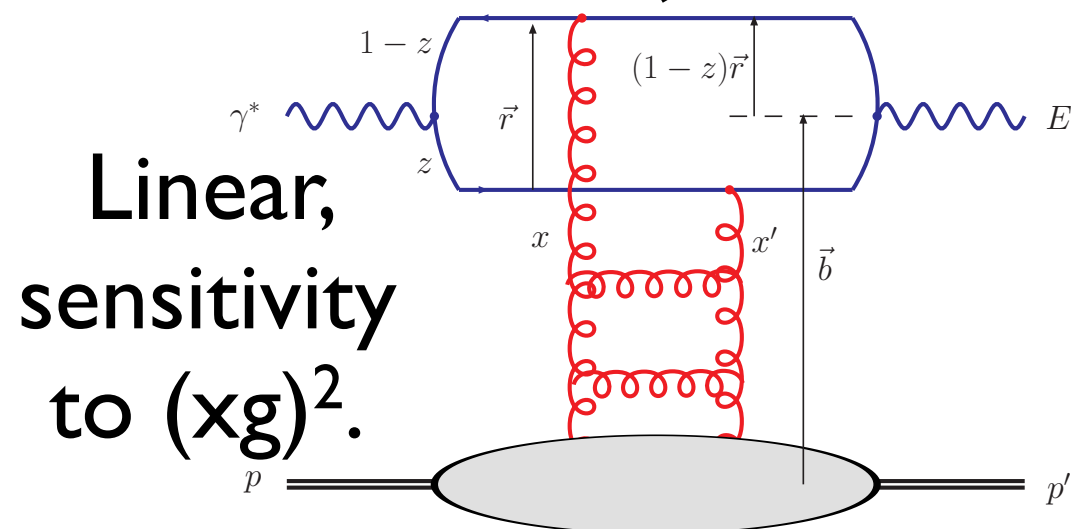
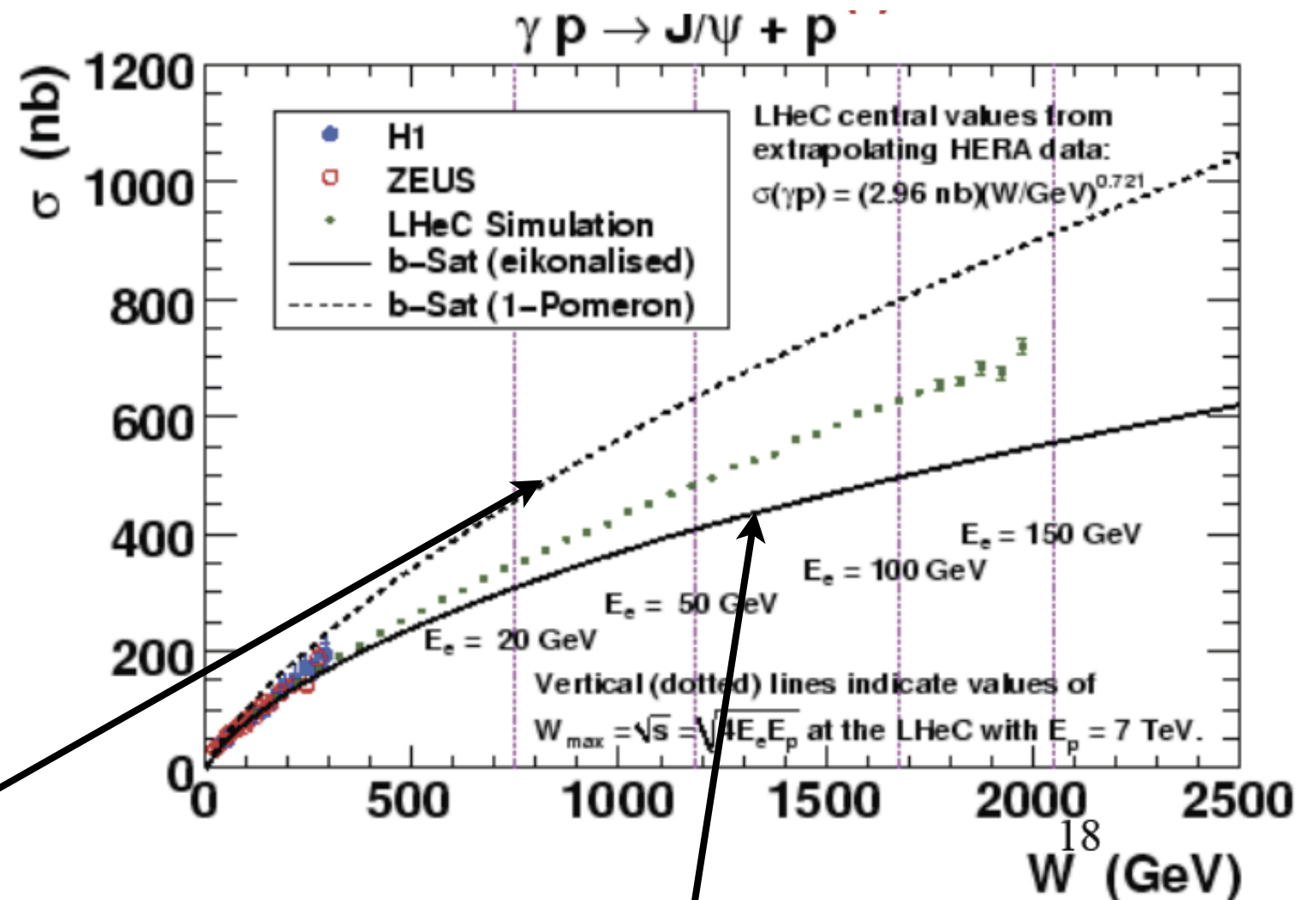


- Large yields up to large p_T^{jet} .
- Direct and resolved contributions: photon PDFs.

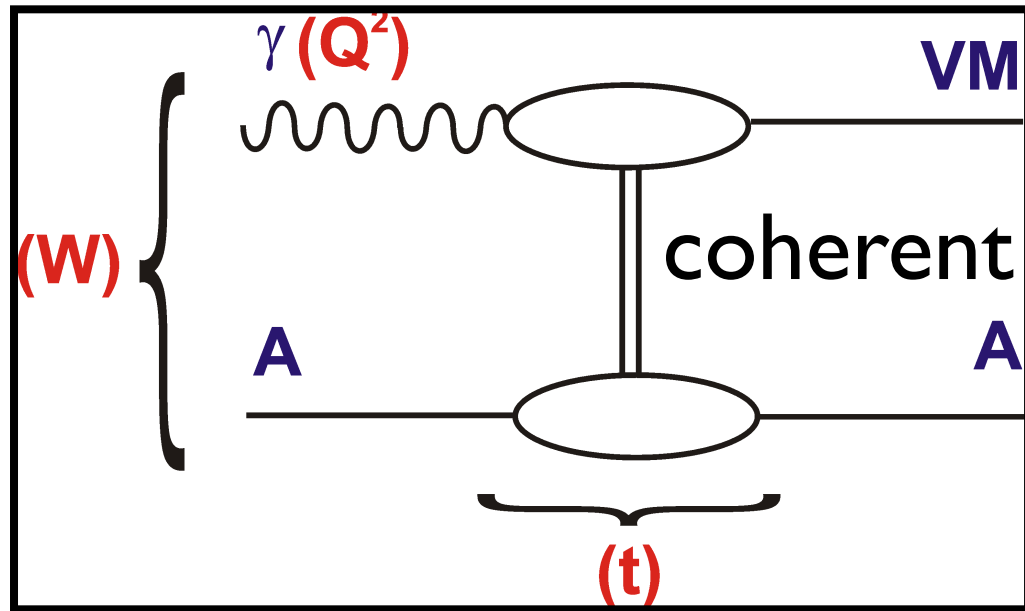
Elastic VM production in ep:



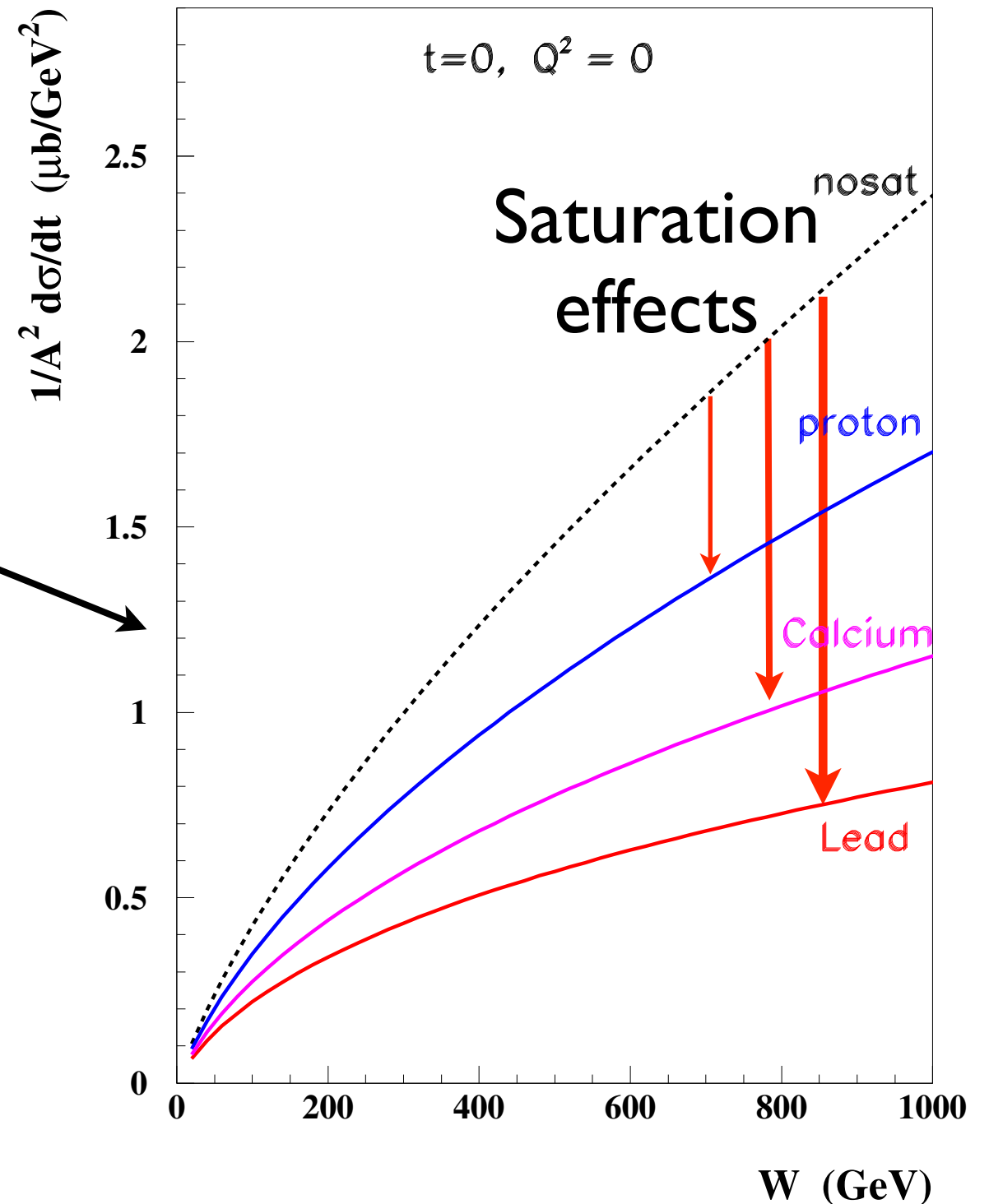
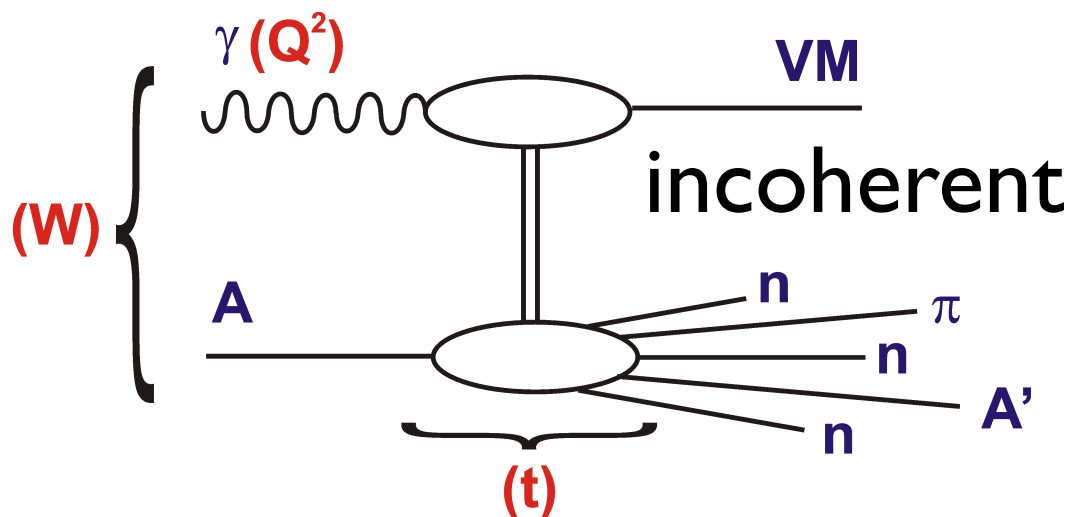
- Elastic J/ψ production appears as a candidate to signal saturation effects at work!!!



LHeC Elastic VM production in eA:

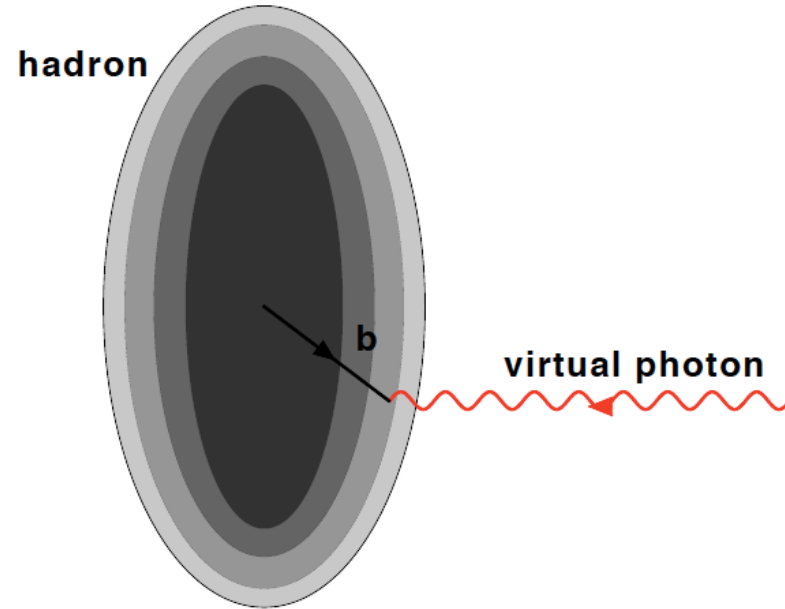


- For the **coherent case**, predictions available.
- **Challenging** experimental problem.

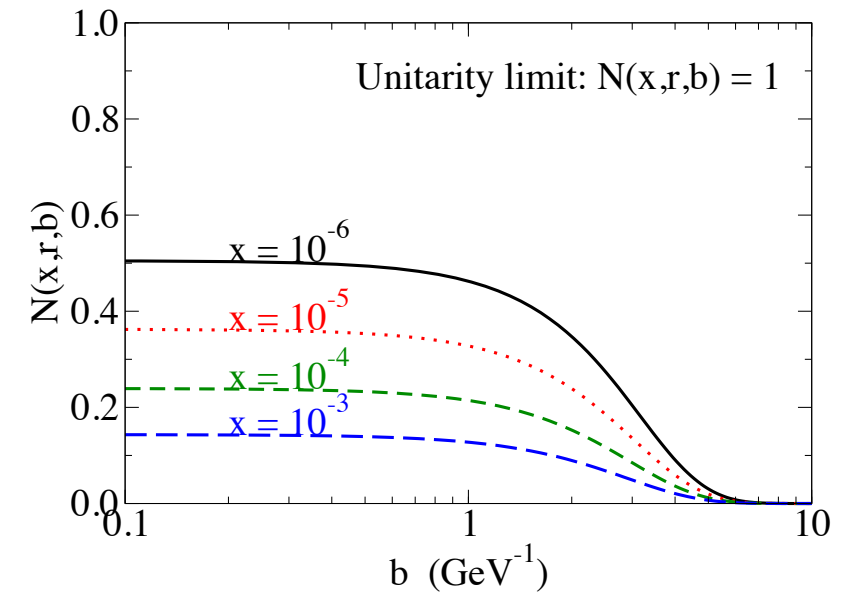


Transverse scan: elastic VM

- **t-differential measurements give a gluon transverse mapping of the hadron/nucleus.**

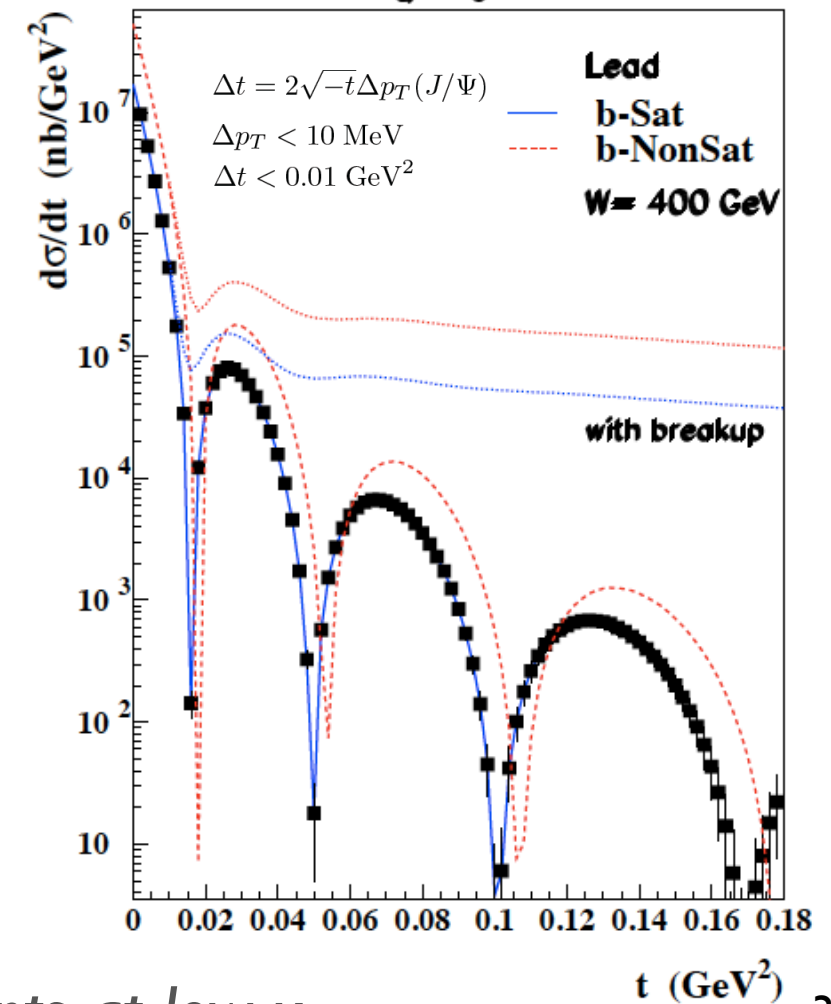
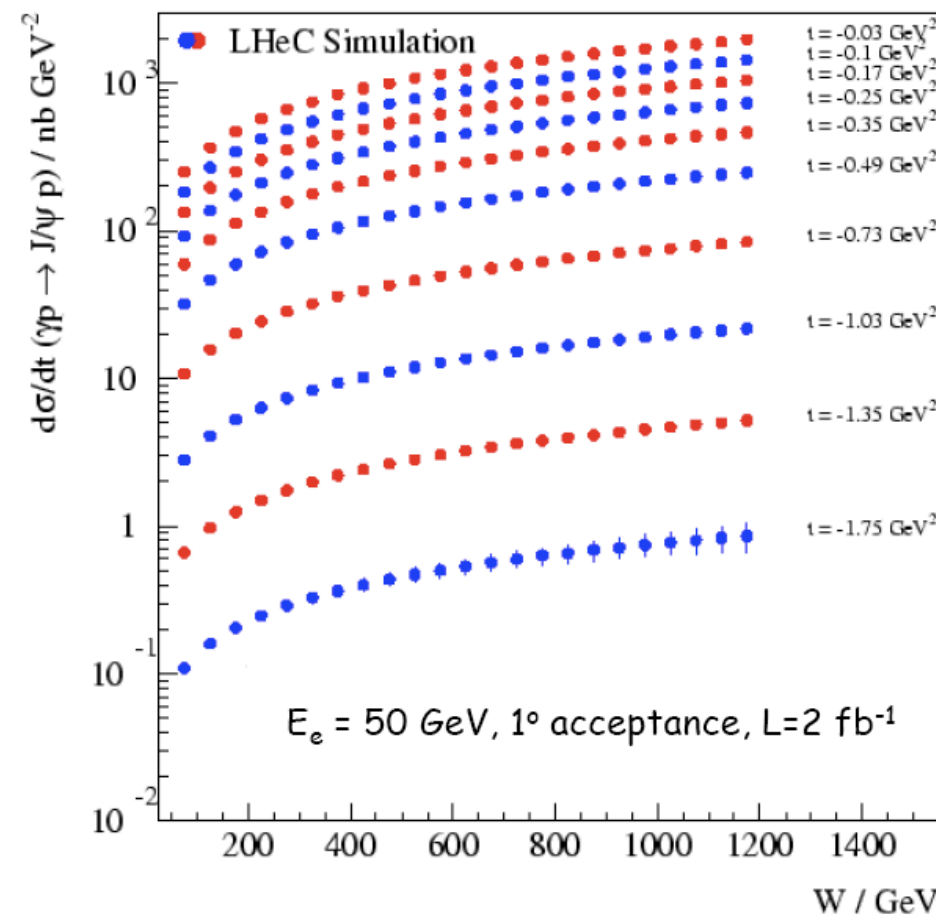
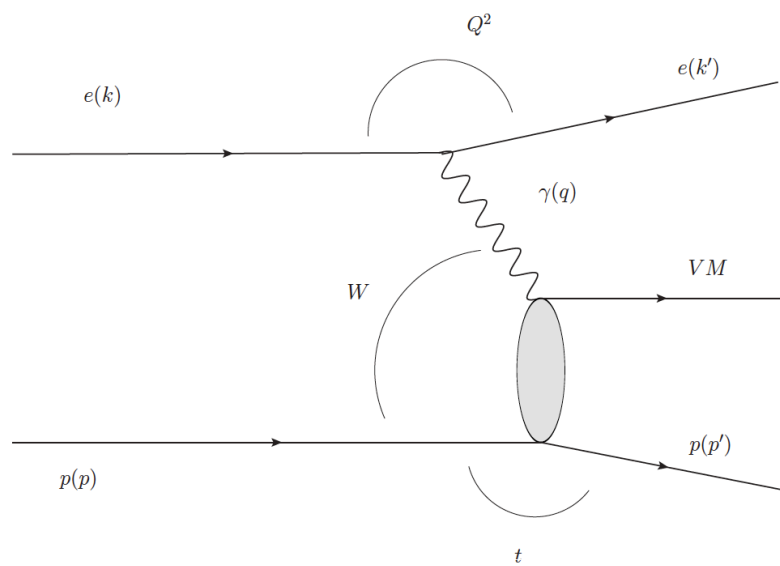


"b-Sat" dipole scattering amplitude with $r = 1 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$

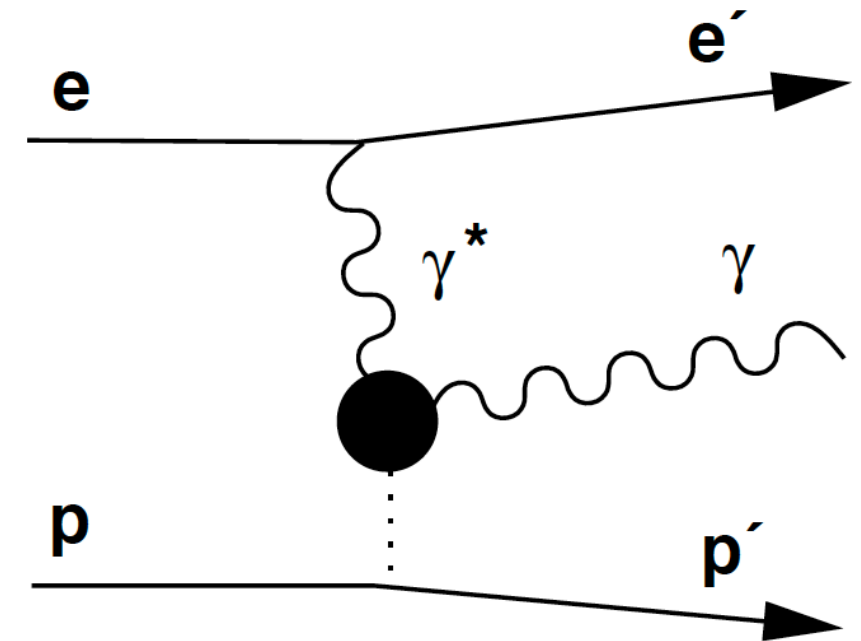


$$\gamma^* A \rightarrow J/\Psi A$$

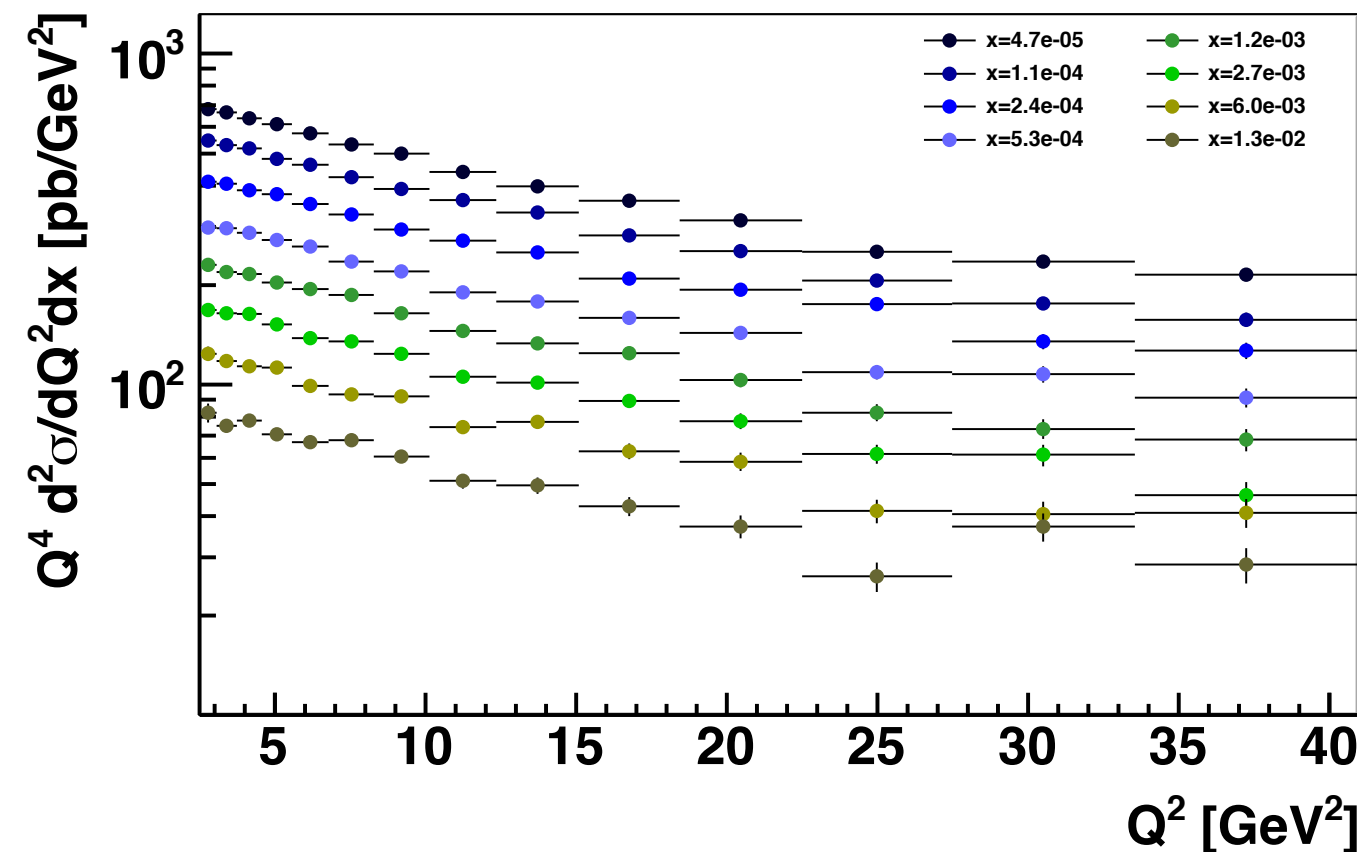
$$Q^2 = 0$$



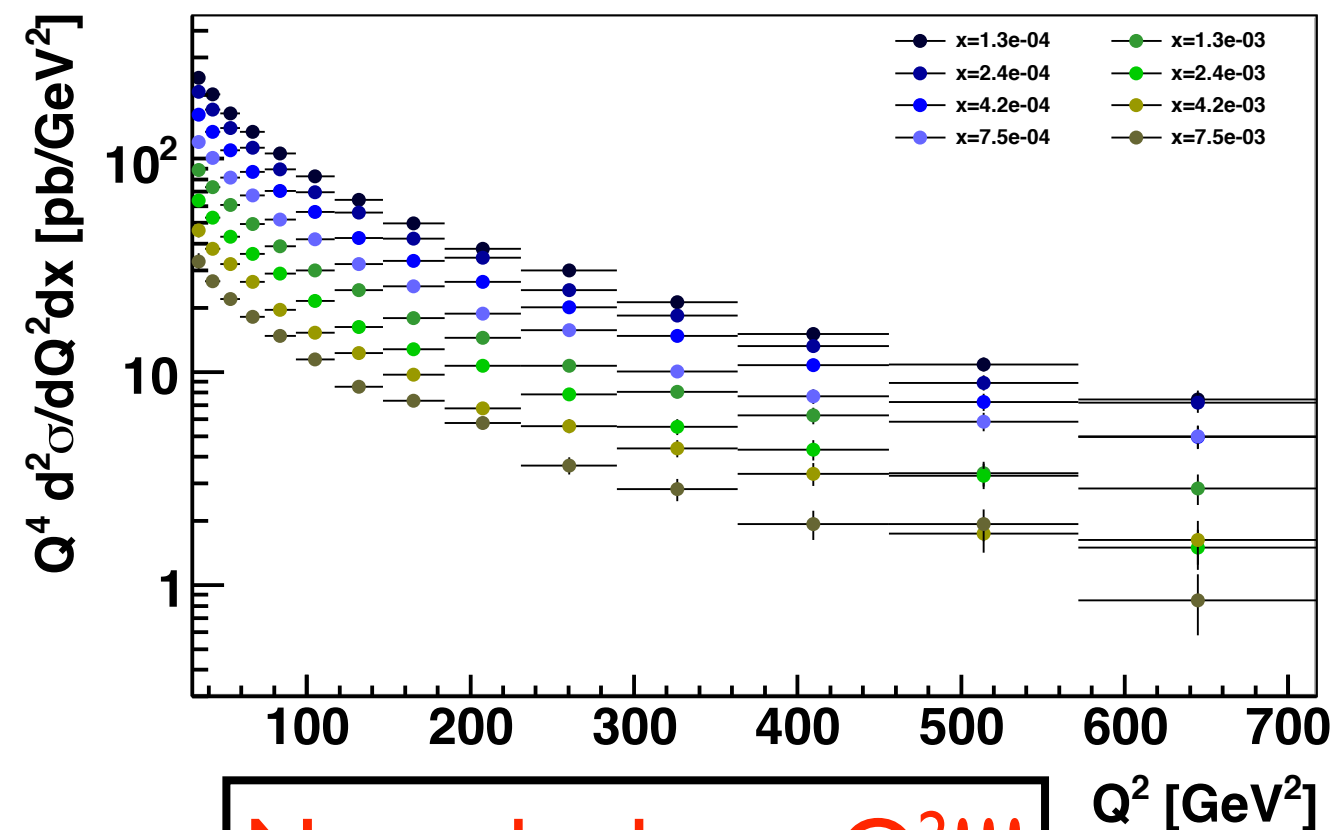
- Exclusive processes give information about GPDs, whose Fourier transform gives a transverse scan of the hadron: DVCS sensitive to the singlet.
- Sensitive to dynamics e.g. non-linear effects.



DVCS, $E_e=50$ GeV, 1° ,
 $p_T^{Y,\text{cut}}=2$ GeV, 1 fb^{-1}

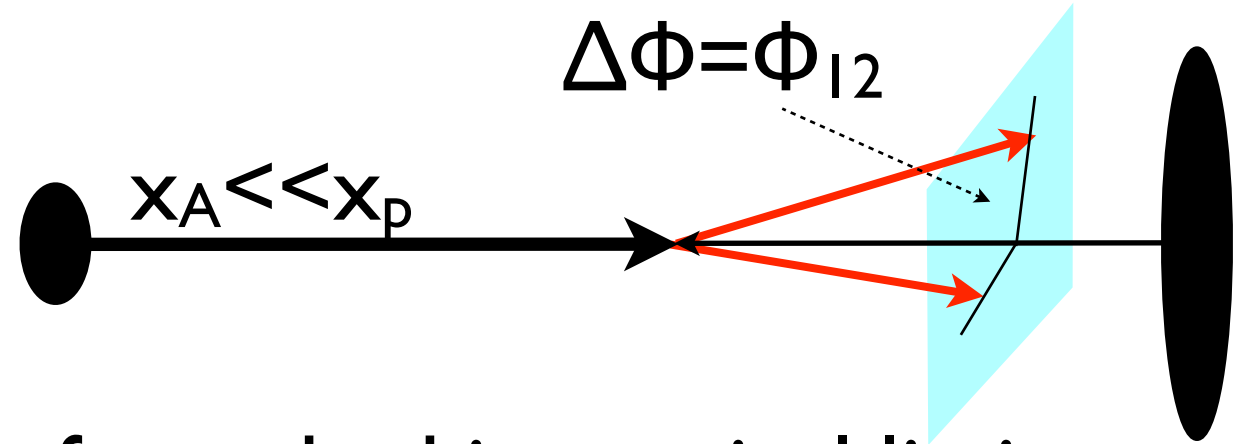


DVCS, $E_e=50$ GeV, 10° ,
 $p_T^{Y,\text{cut}}=5$ GeV, 100 fb^{-1}

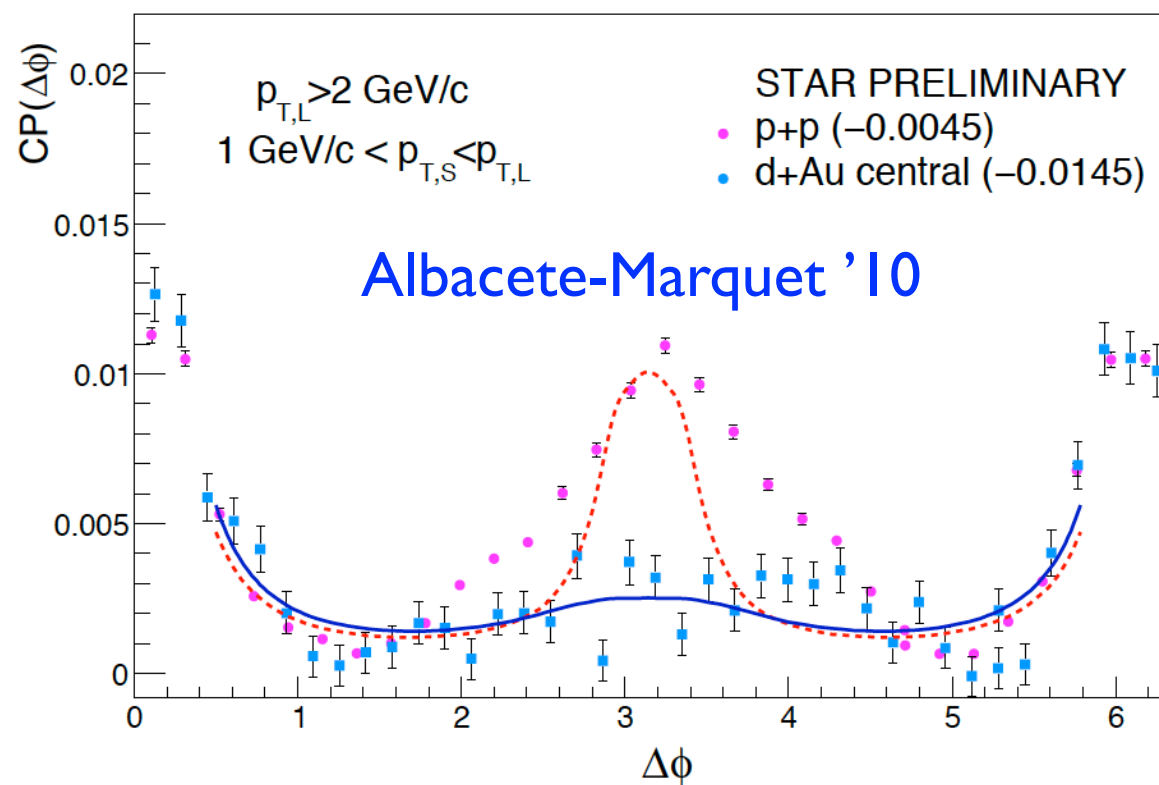


Note the huge Q^2 !!!

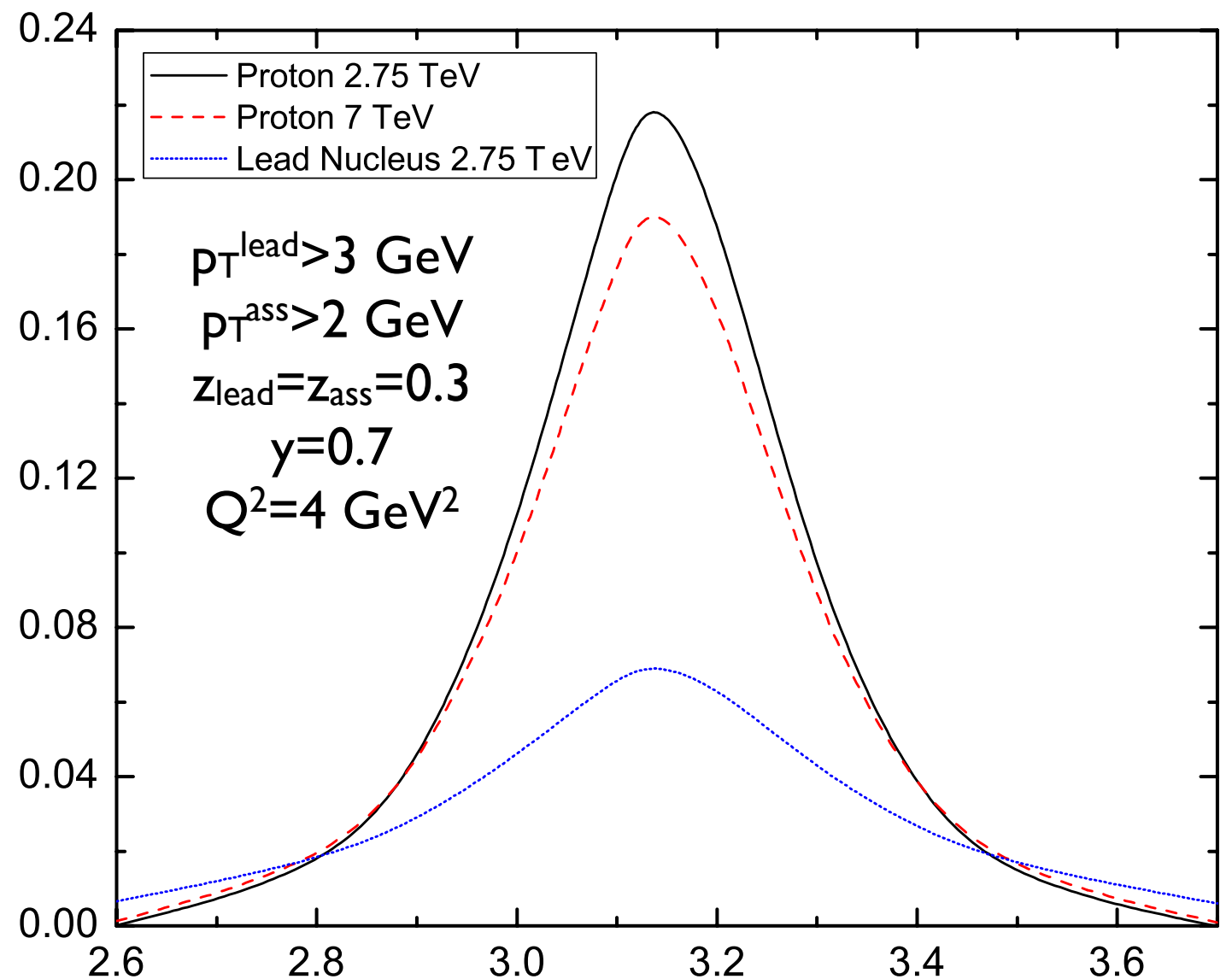
- Dihadron **azimuthal decorrelation**: currently discussed at RHIC as suggestive of saturation.



- At the LHeC it could be studied far from the kinematical limits.

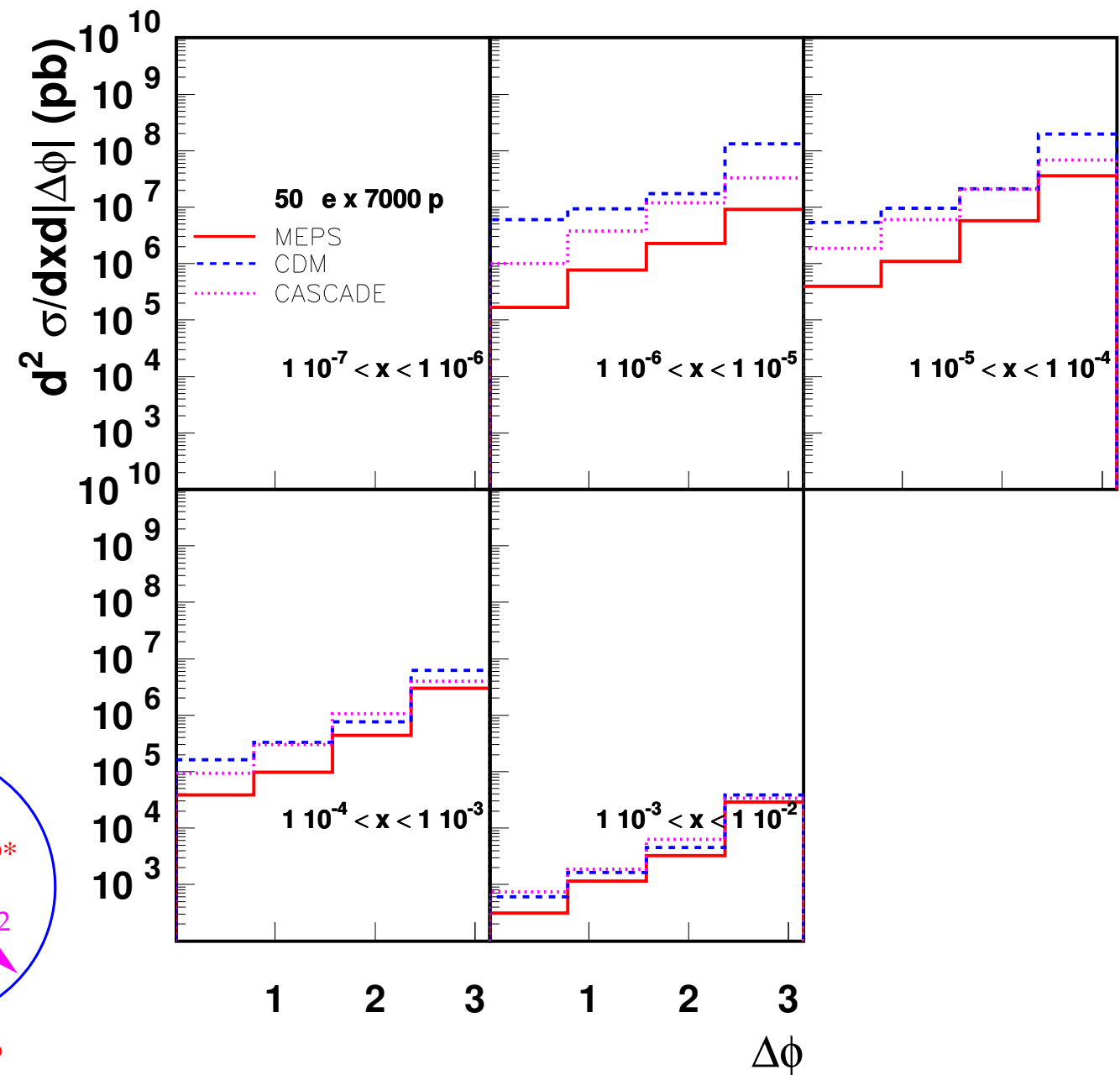
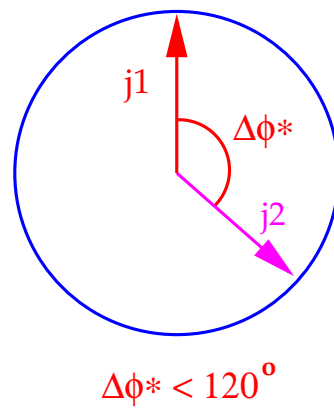
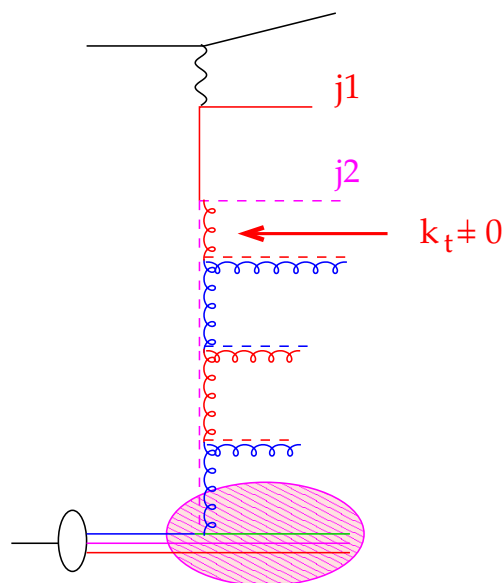


$$C(\phi_{12}) = \frac{1}{\frac{d\sigma(\gamma^* N \rightarrow h_1 X)}{dz_{h1}}} \frac{d\sigma \gamma^* N \rightarrow h_1 h_2 + X}{dz_{h1} dz_{h2} d\phi_{12}}$$



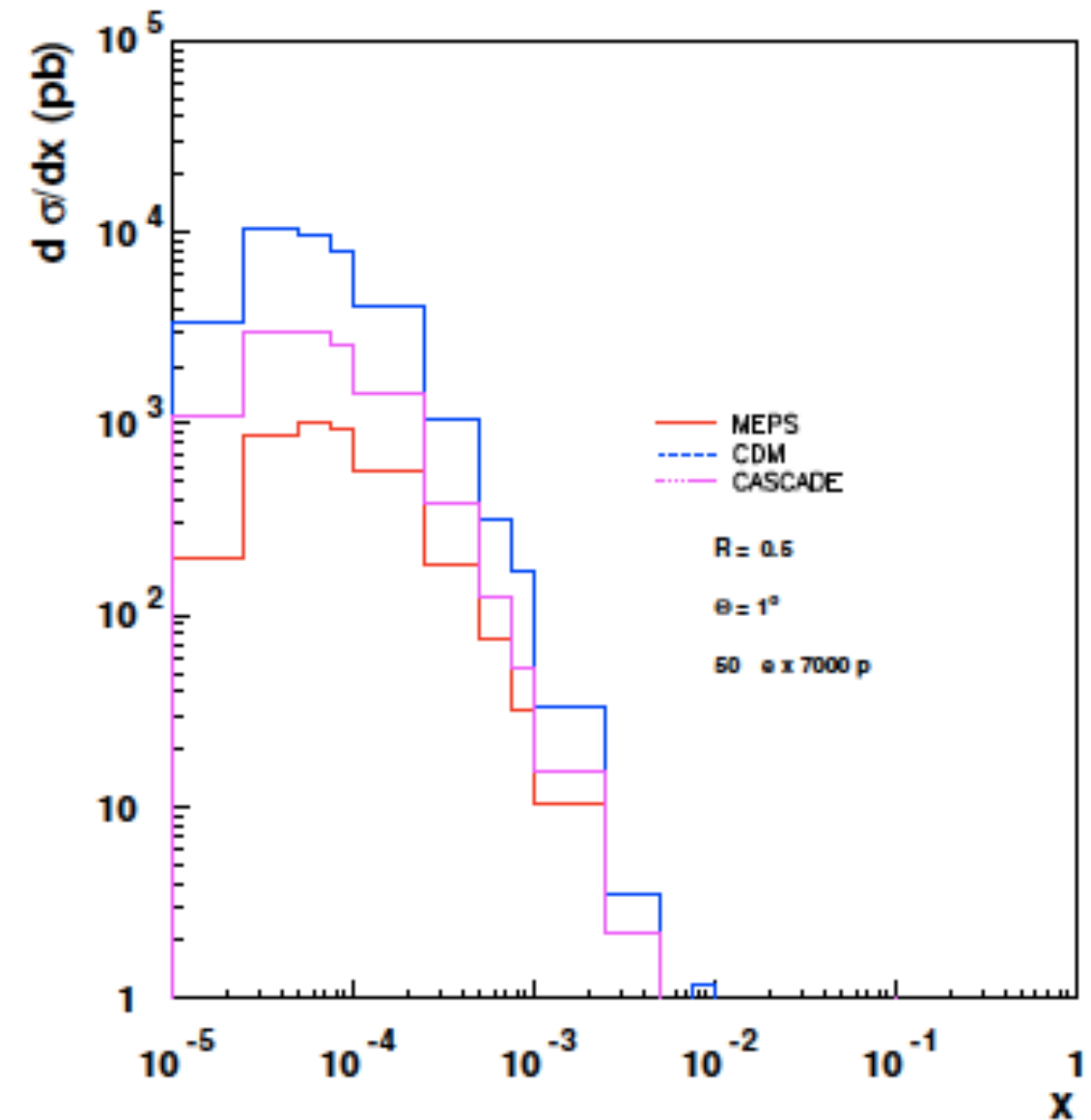
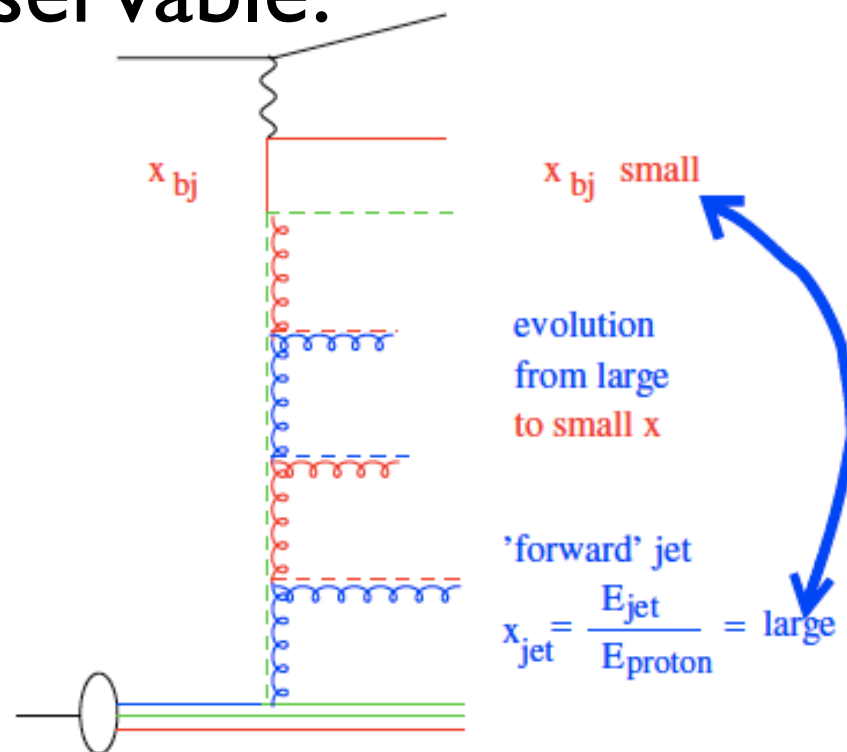
Dijet azimuthal decorrelation:

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 - Saturation?
- Further imposing a rapidity gap (diffractive jets) would be most interesting: perturbatively controllable observable.



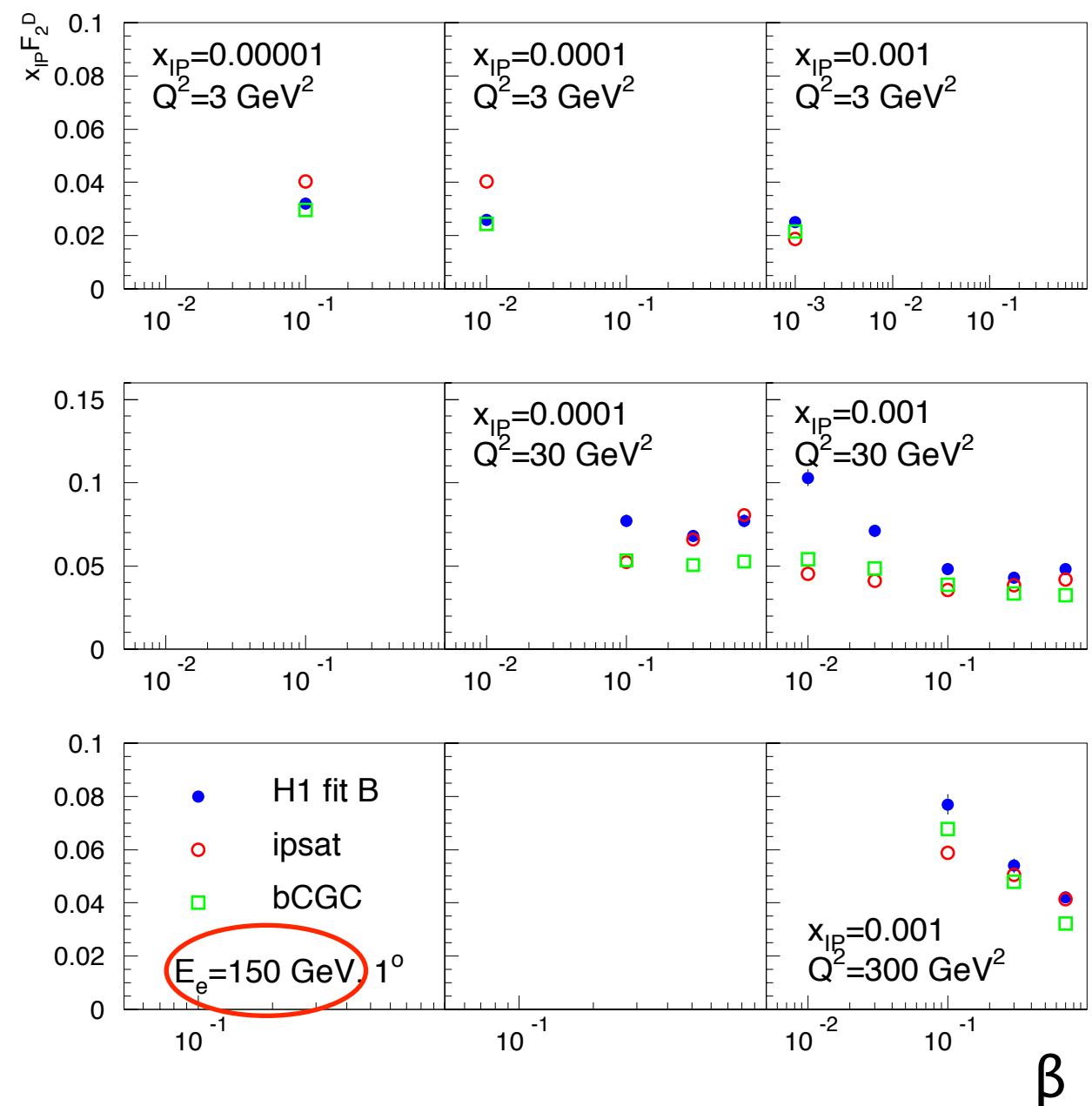
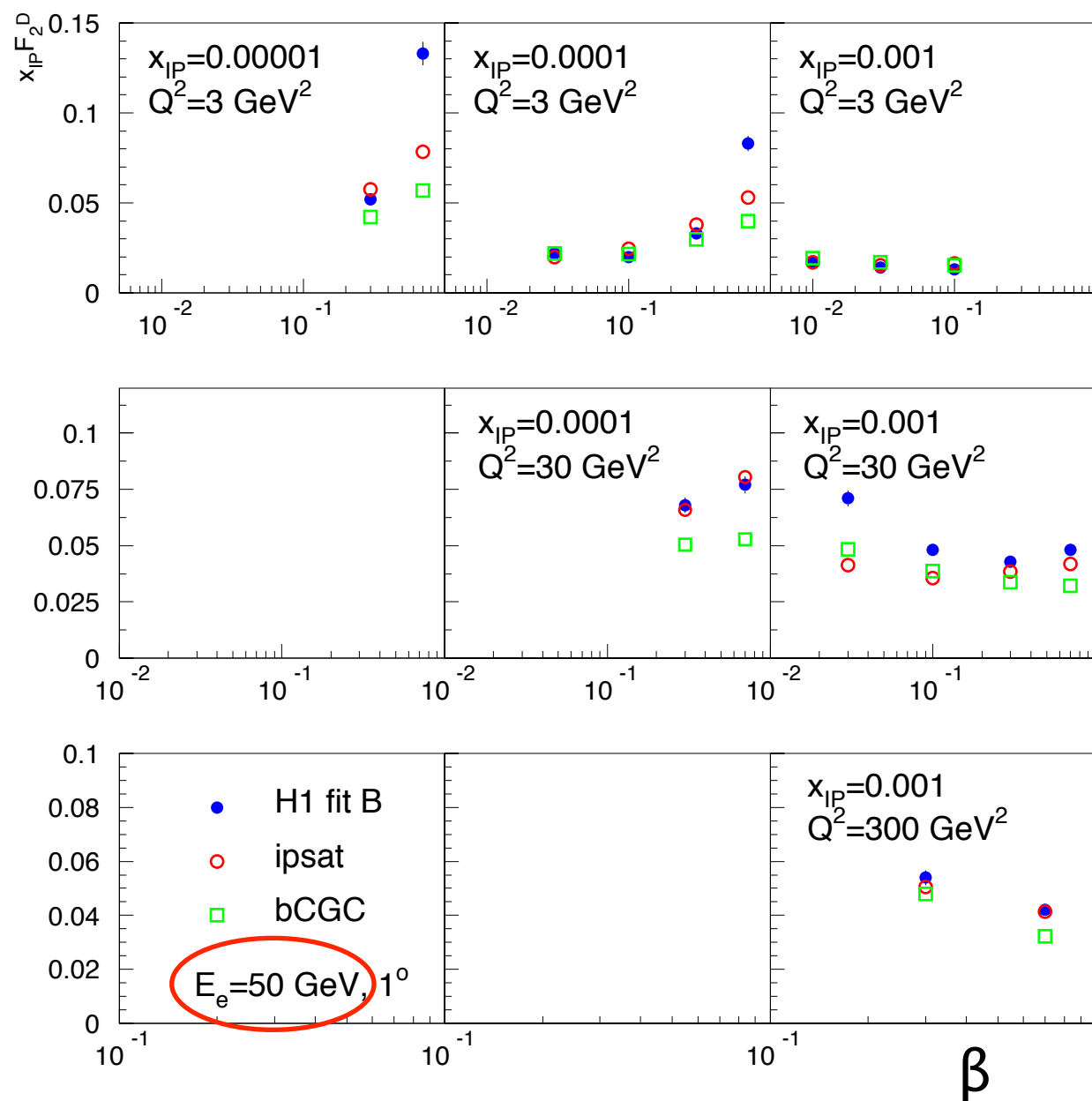
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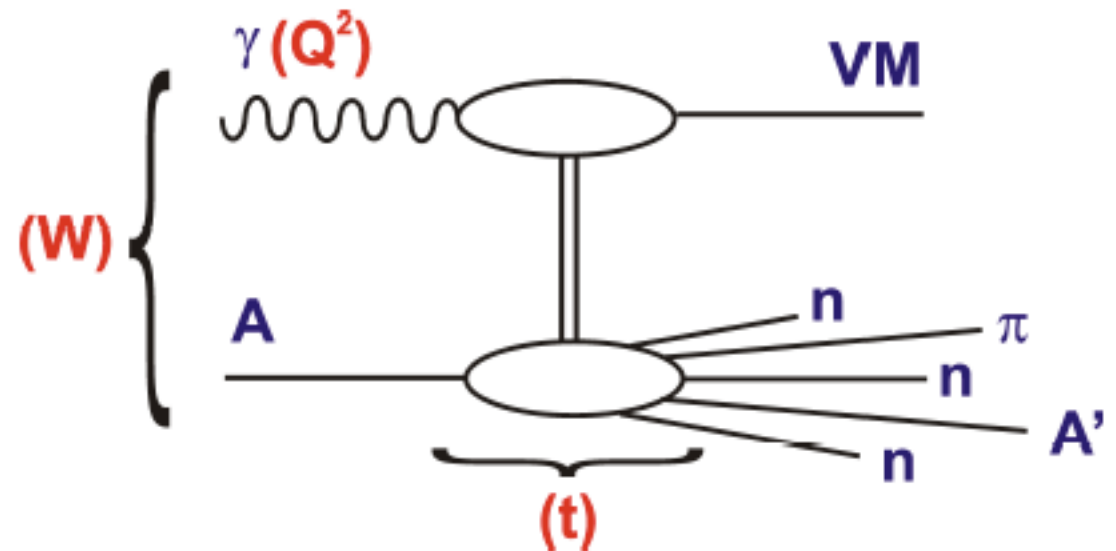
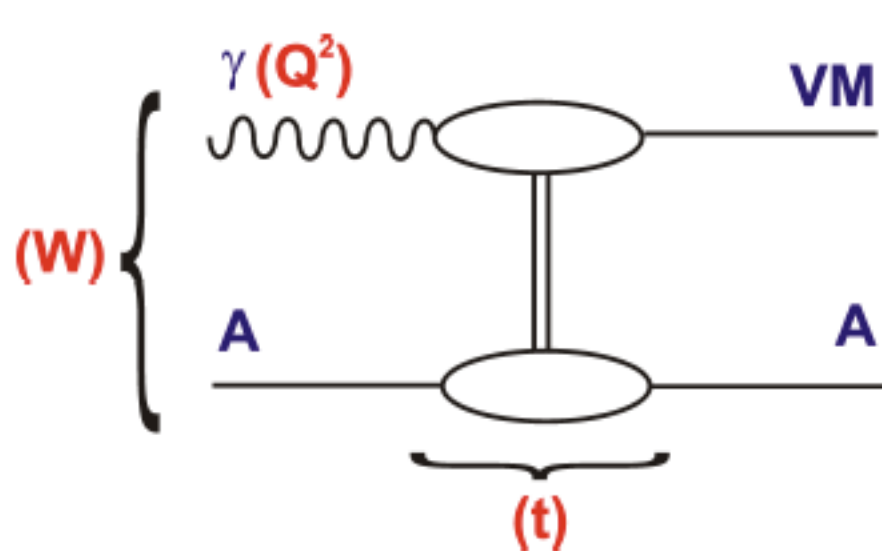
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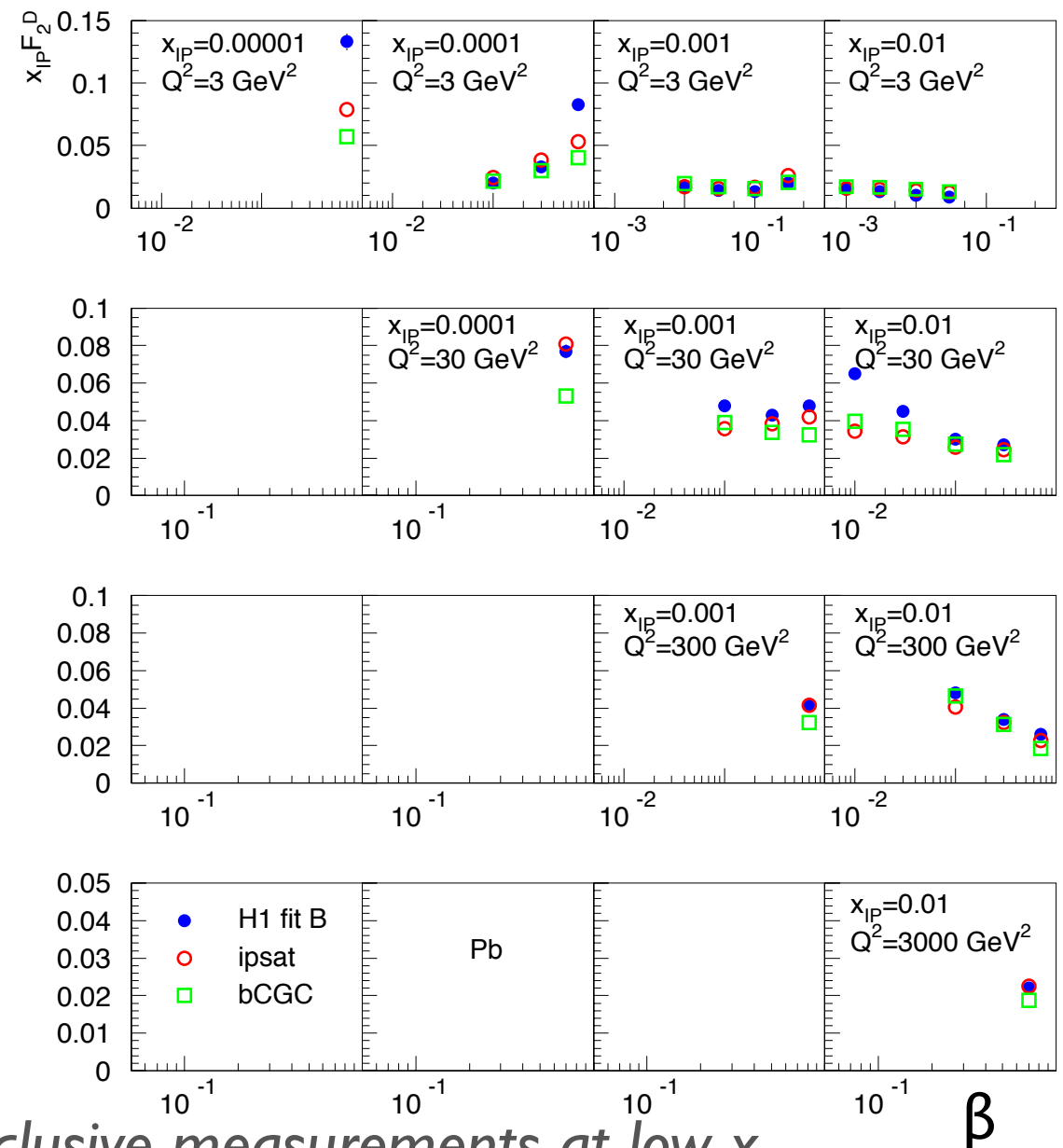
LHeC Diffraction and non-linear dynamics:

- Dipole models show differences with linear-based extrapolations (HERA-based dpdf's) and among each other: possibility to check saturation and its realization.



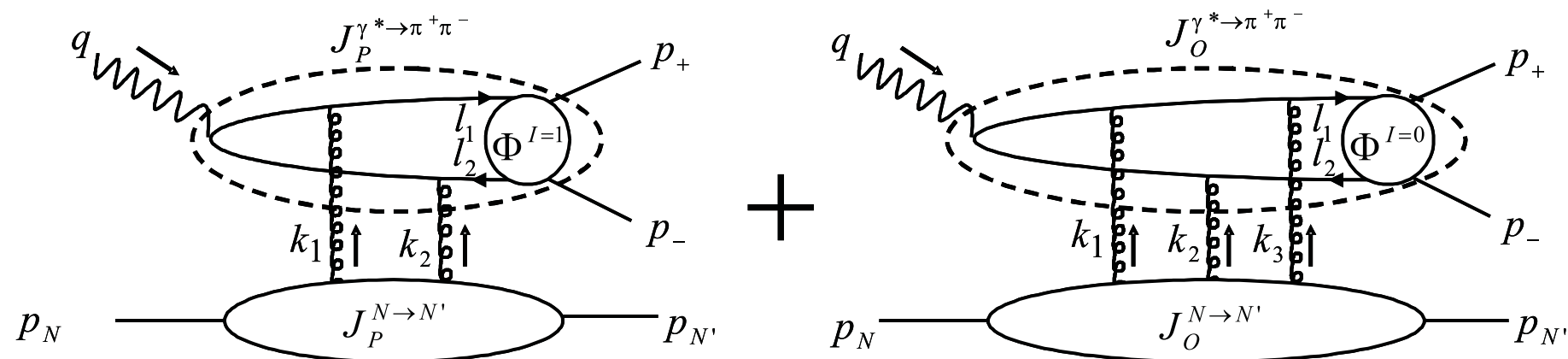


- **Challenging** experimental problem, requires Monte Carlo simulation with detailed understanding of the nuclear break-up.
- For the **coherent case**, predictions available.



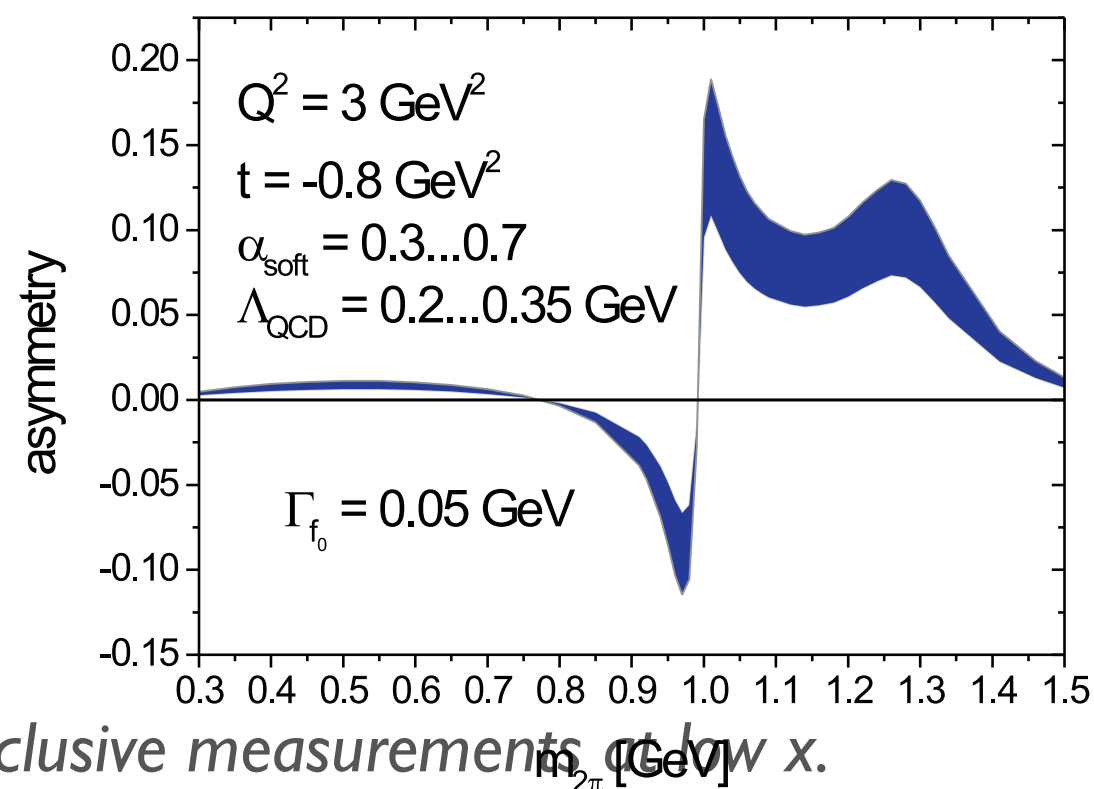
Odderon:

- **Odderon** (C-odd exchange contributing to particle-antiparticle difference in cross section) searched in $\gamma^{(*)}p \rightarrow Cp$, where $C = \pi^0, \eta, \eta', \eta_c \dots$ or through O-P interferences.



$$A(Q^2, t, m_{2\pi}^2) = \frac{\int \cos \theta d\sigma(W^2, Q^2, t, m_{2\pi}^2, \theta)}{\int d\sigma(W^2, Q^2, t, m_{2\pi}^2, \theta)} = \frac{\int_{-1}^1 \cos \theta d \cos \theta 2 \operatorname{Re} [\mathcal{M}_P^{\gamma_L^*} (\mathcal{M}_O^{\gamma_L^*})^*]}{\int_{-1}^1 d \cos \theta [|\mathcal{M}_P^{\gamma_L^*}|^2 + |\mathcal{M}_O^{\gamma_L^*}|^2]}$$

- Sizable charge asymmetry, yields and reconstruction pending.

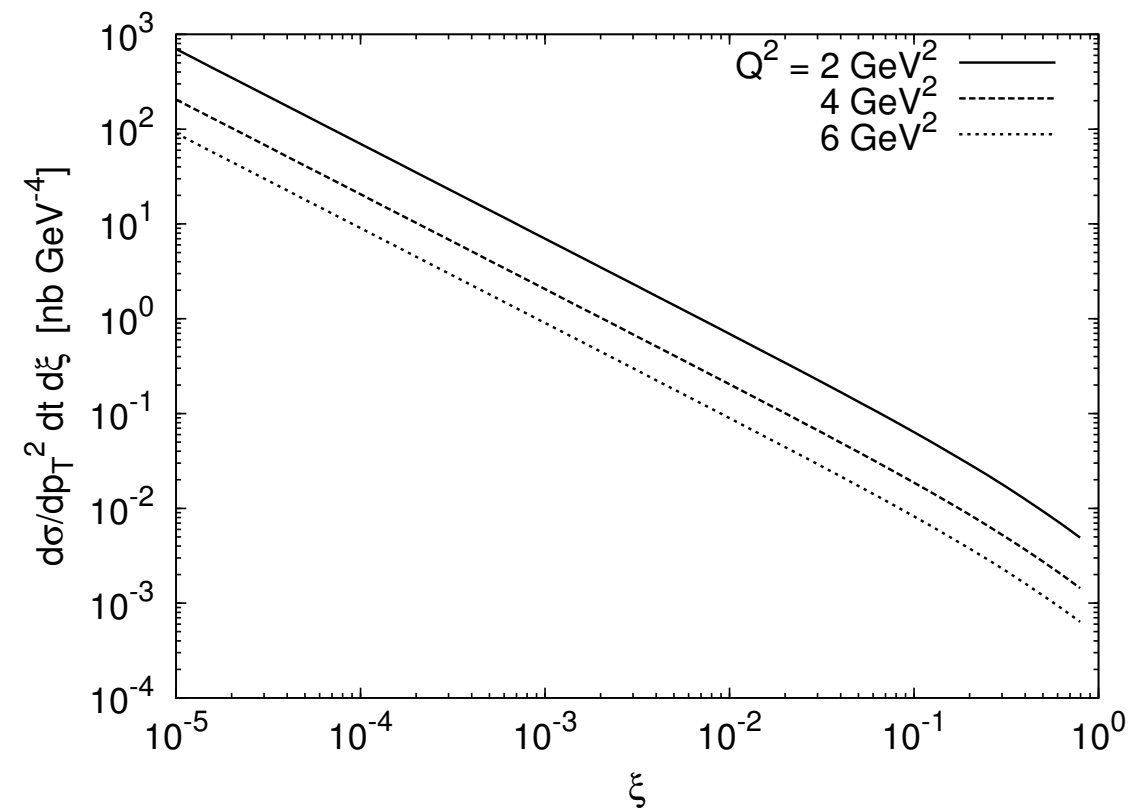
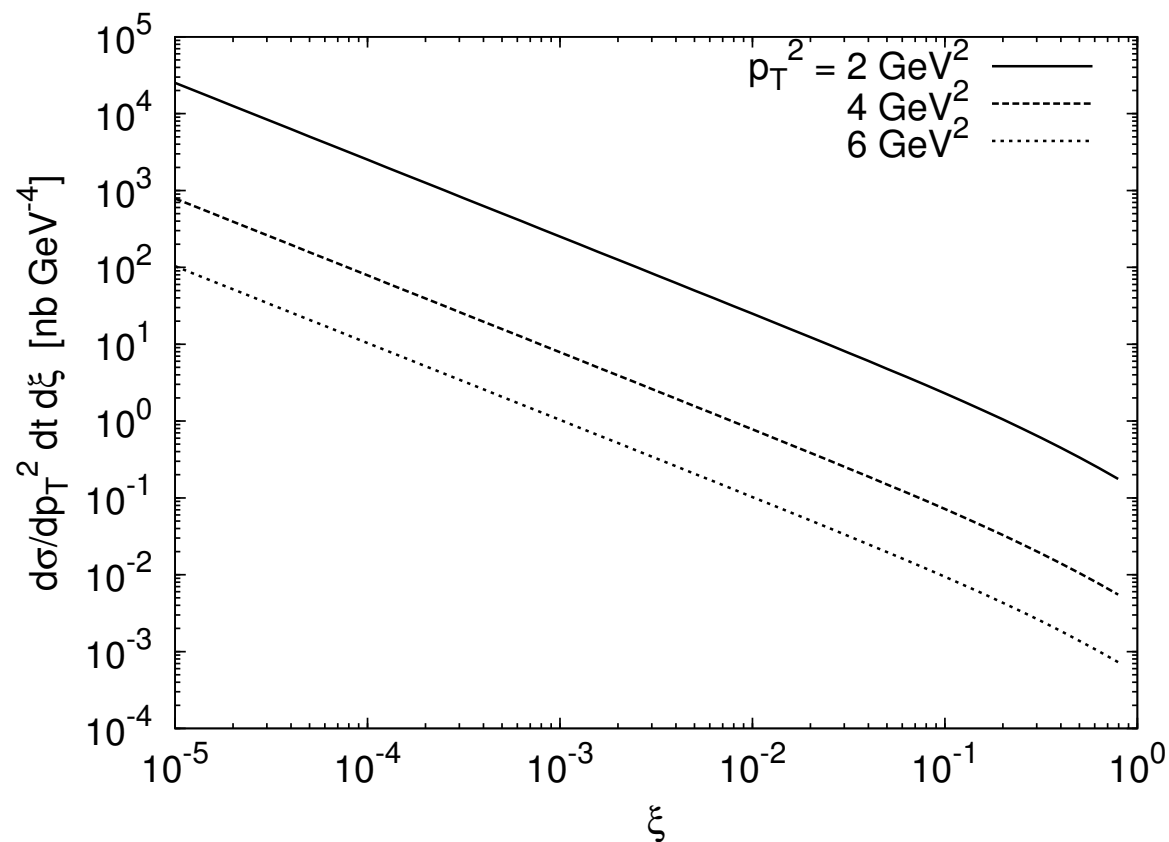
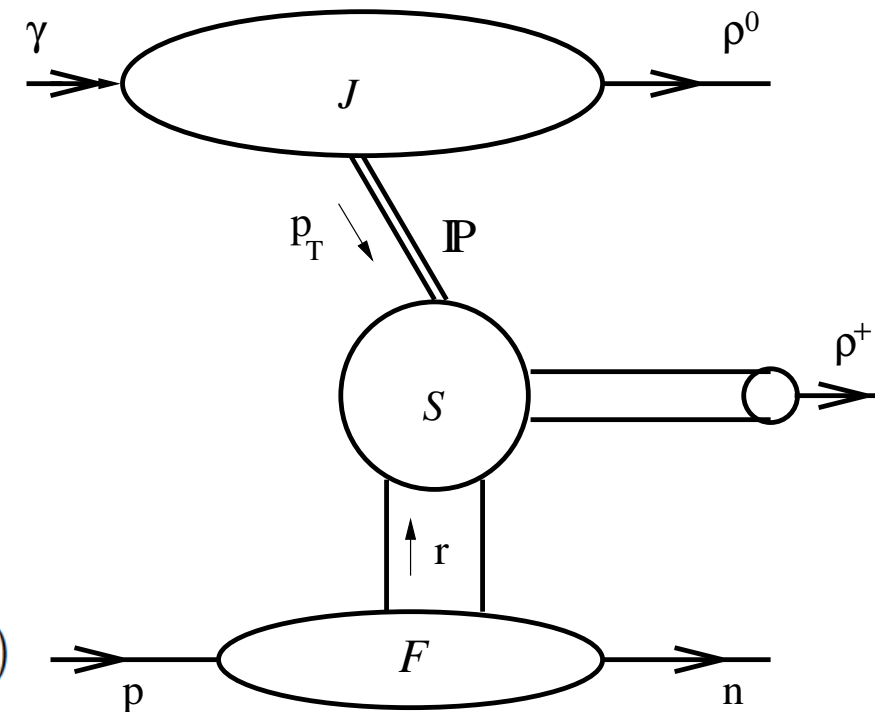


Transversity GPDs:

- Chiral-odd transversity GPDs are largely unknown.

- They can be accessed through double exclusive production:

$$ep(p_2) \rightarrow e' \gamma_{L/T}^{(*)}(q) \quad p(p_2) \rightarrow e' \rho_{L,T}^0(q_\rho) \quad \rho_T(p_\rho) \quad N'(p_{2'})$$

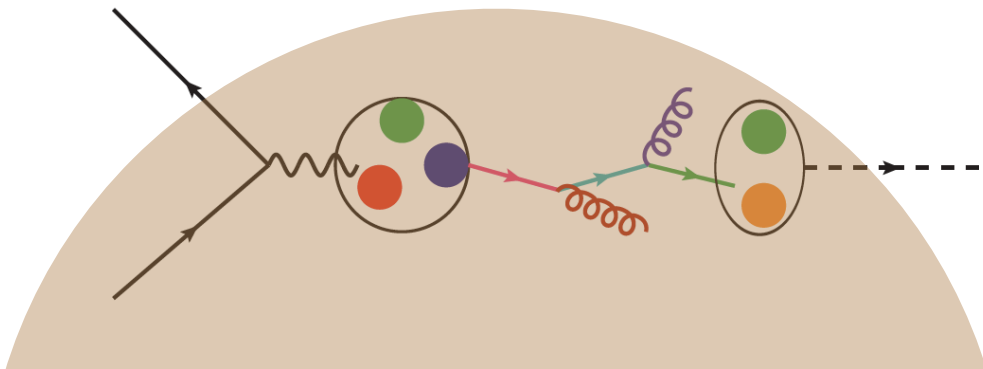


$$\xi \approx x_B / (2 - x_B)$$

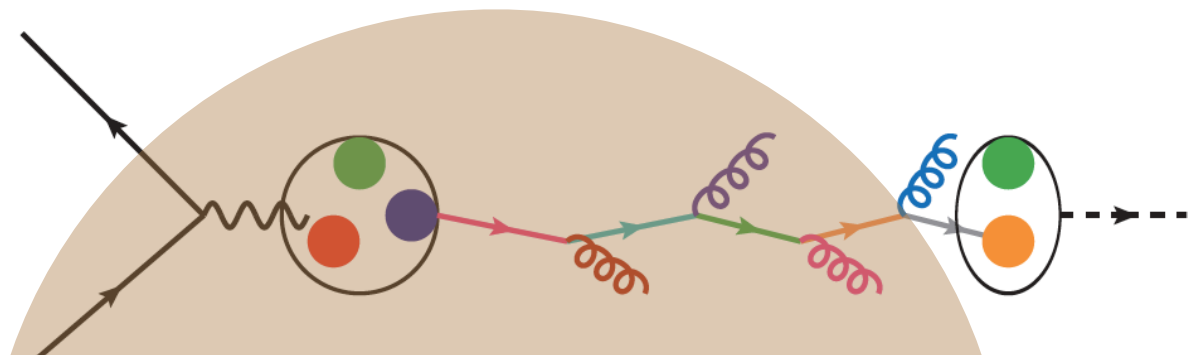
Radiation and hadronization:

- **LHeC: dynamics of QCD radiation and hadronization.**
- Most relevant for particle production off nuclei and for QGP analysis in HIC.

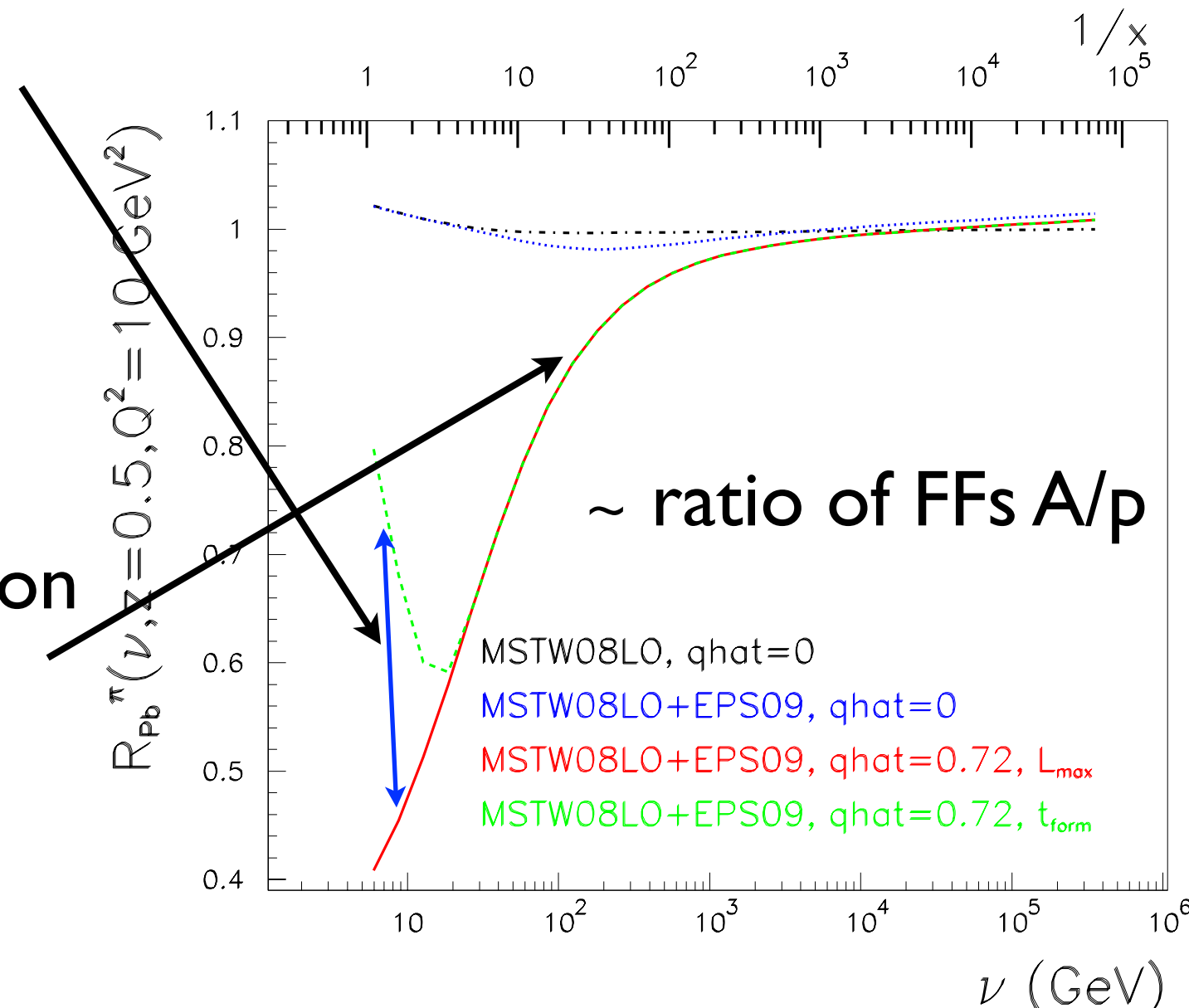
- **Low energy:** hadronization inside \rightarrow formation time, (pre-)hadronic absorption,...



- **High energy:** partonic evolution altered in the nuclear medium.

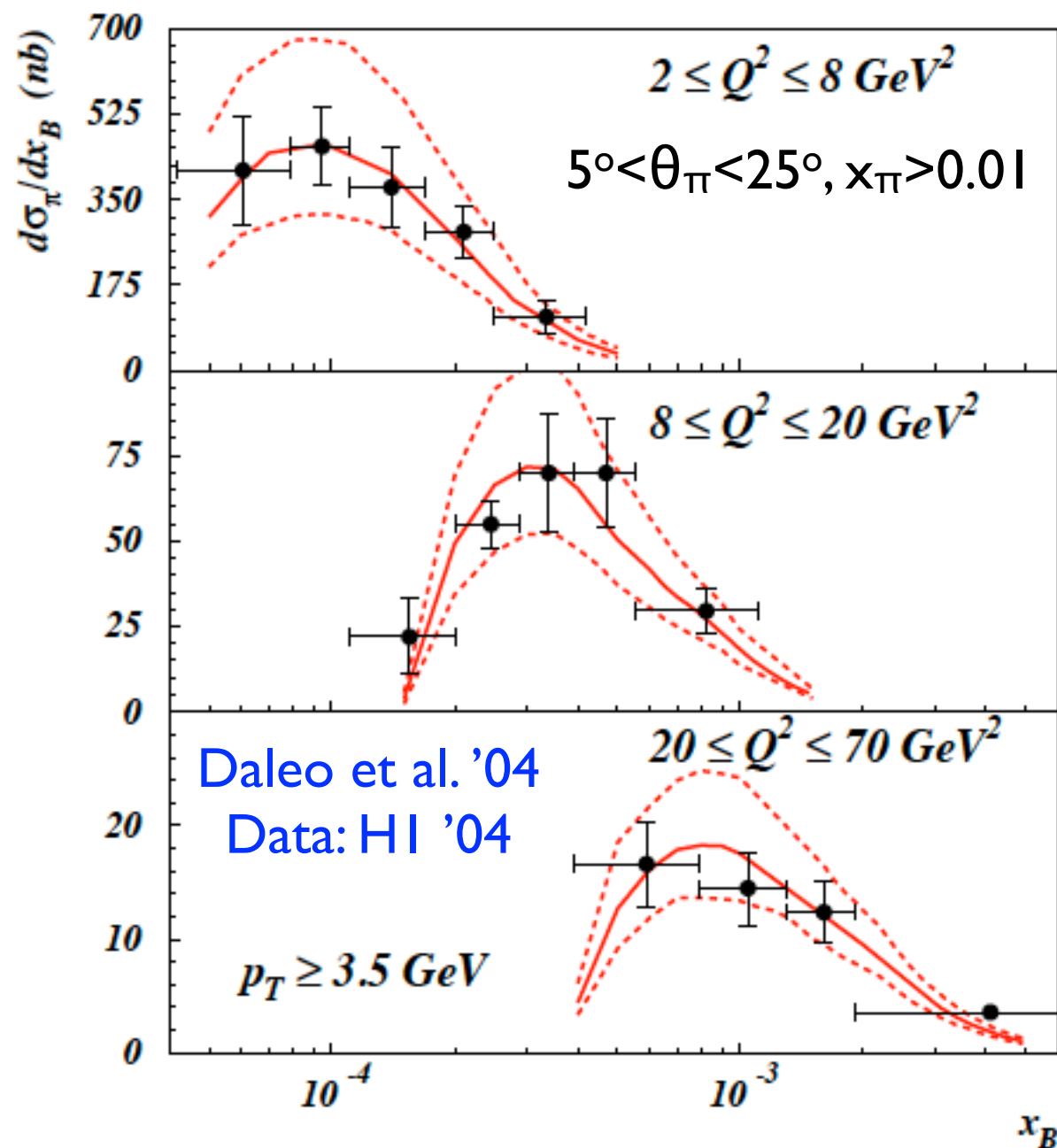


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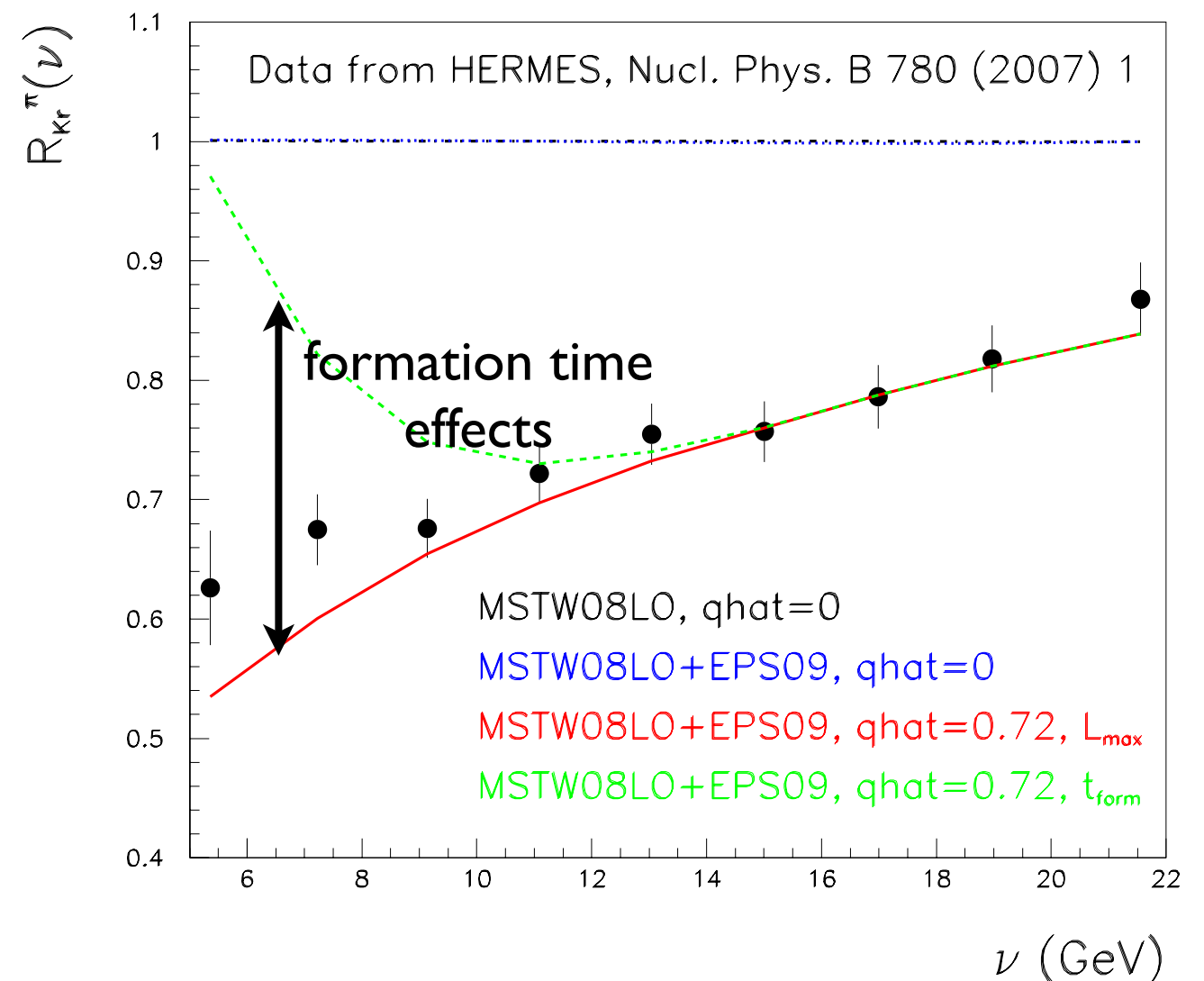


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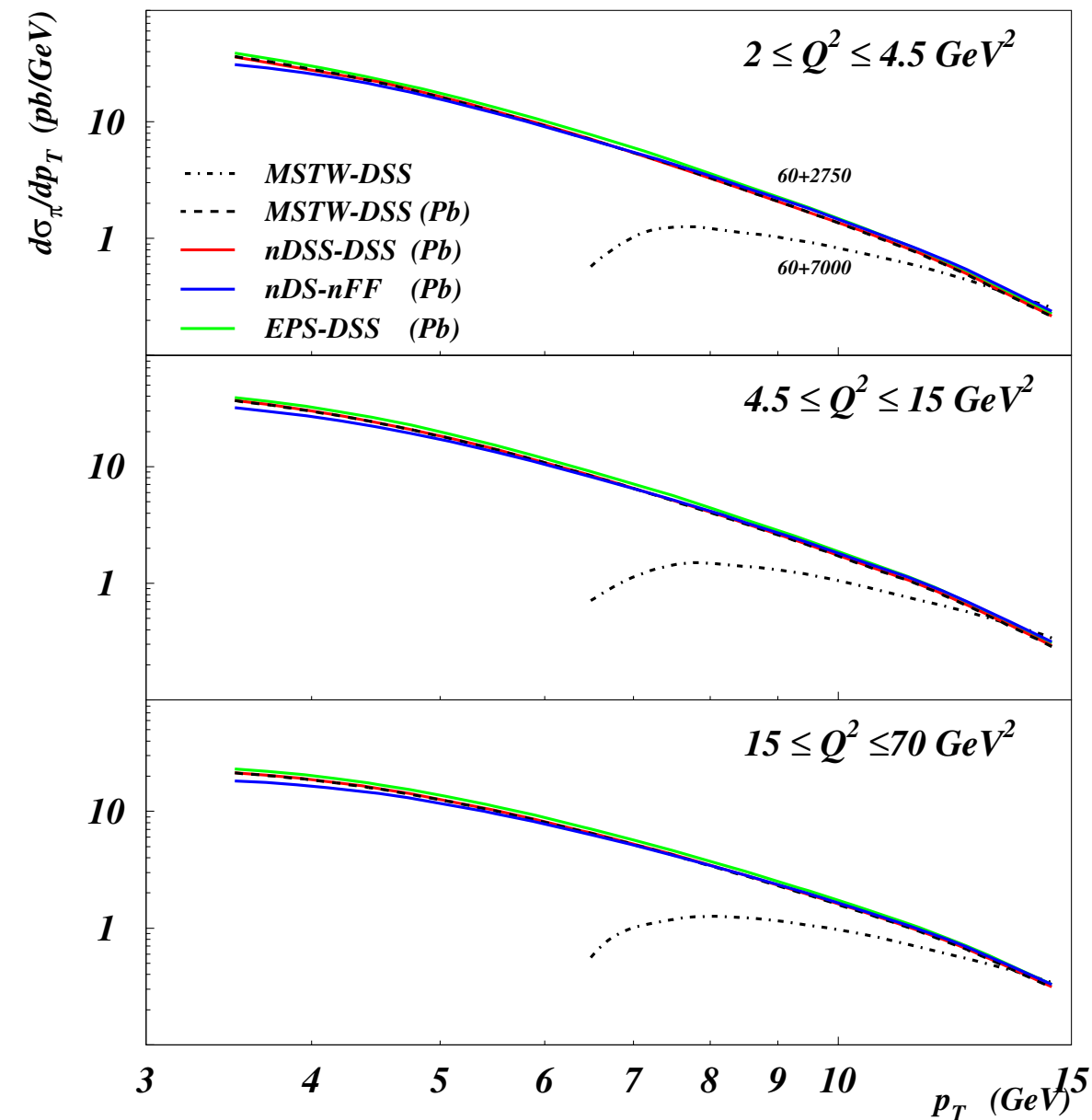
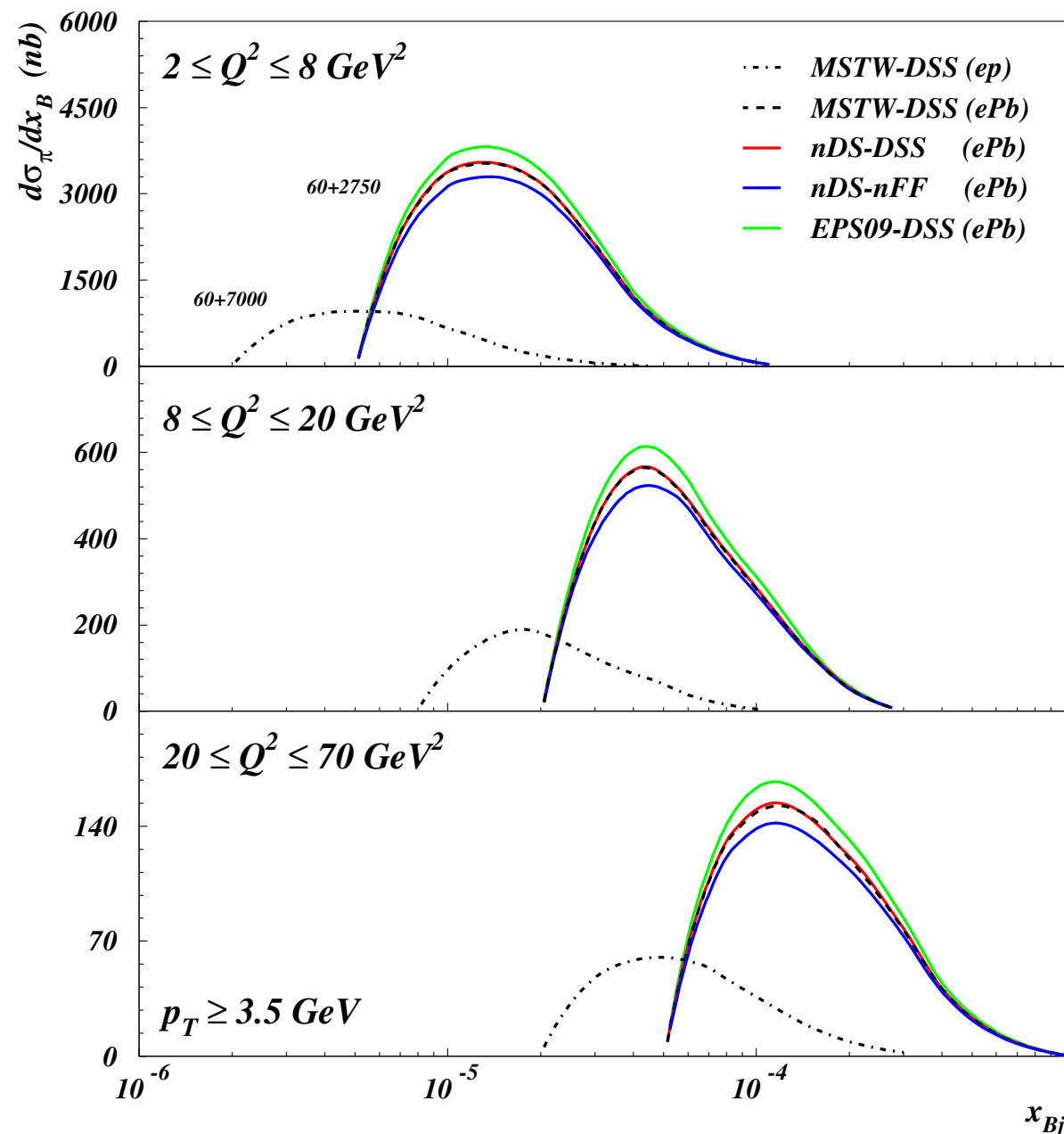


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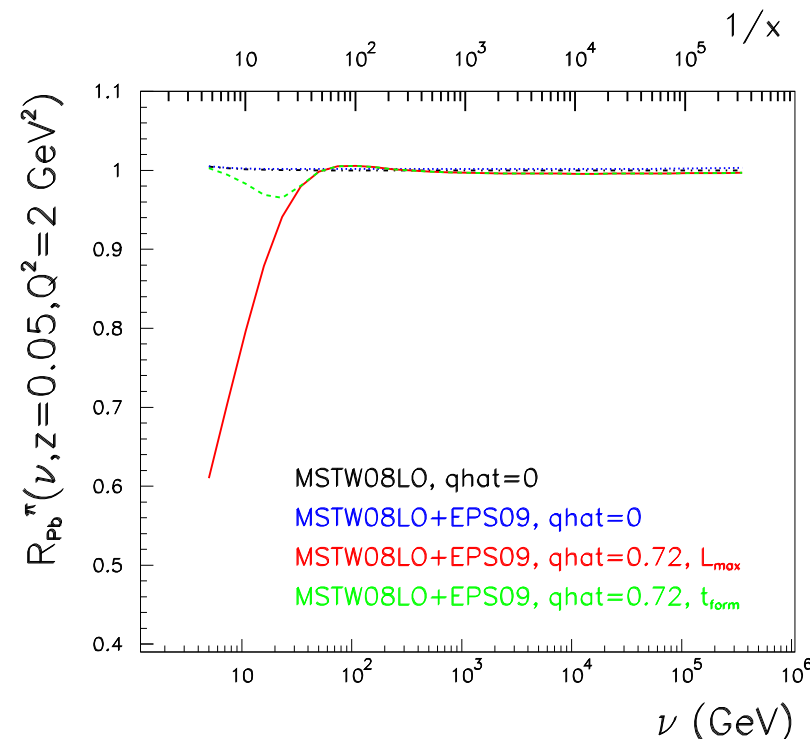
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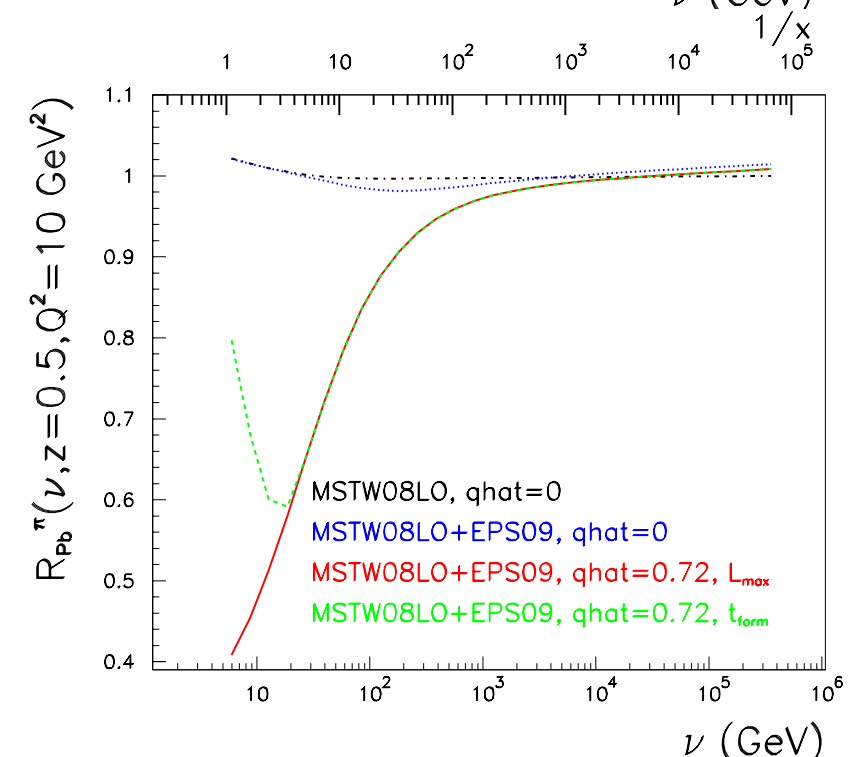
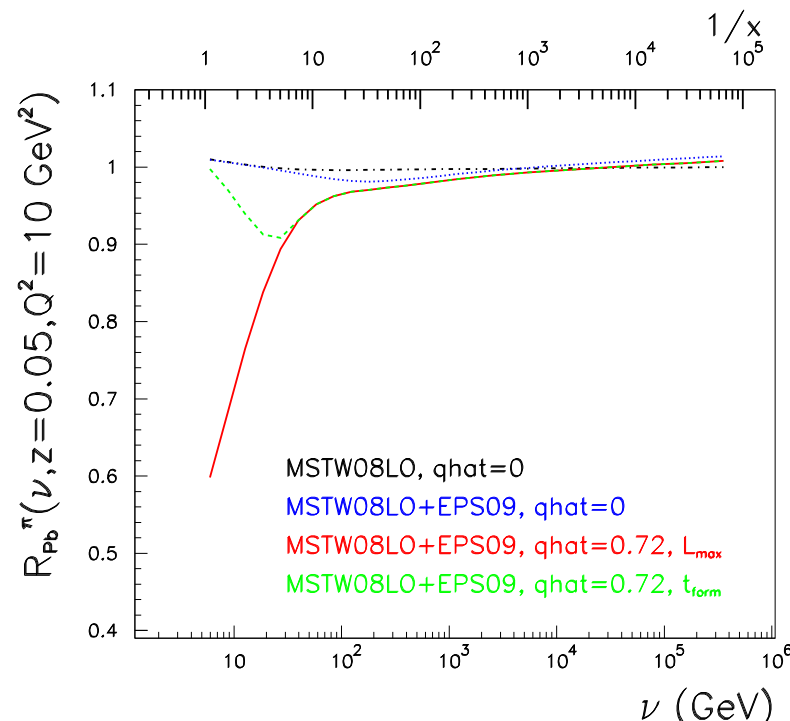
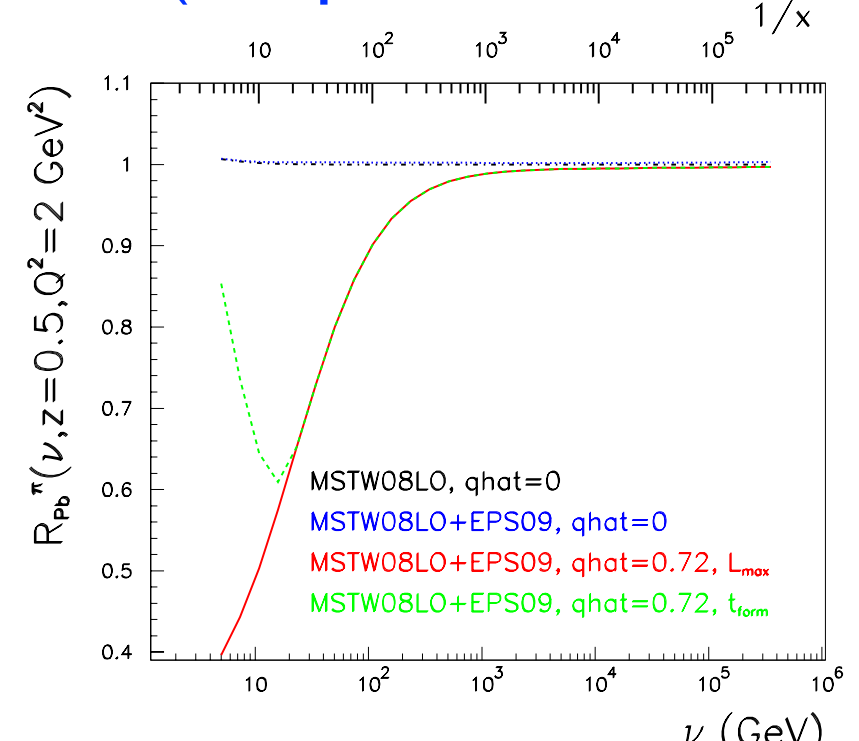


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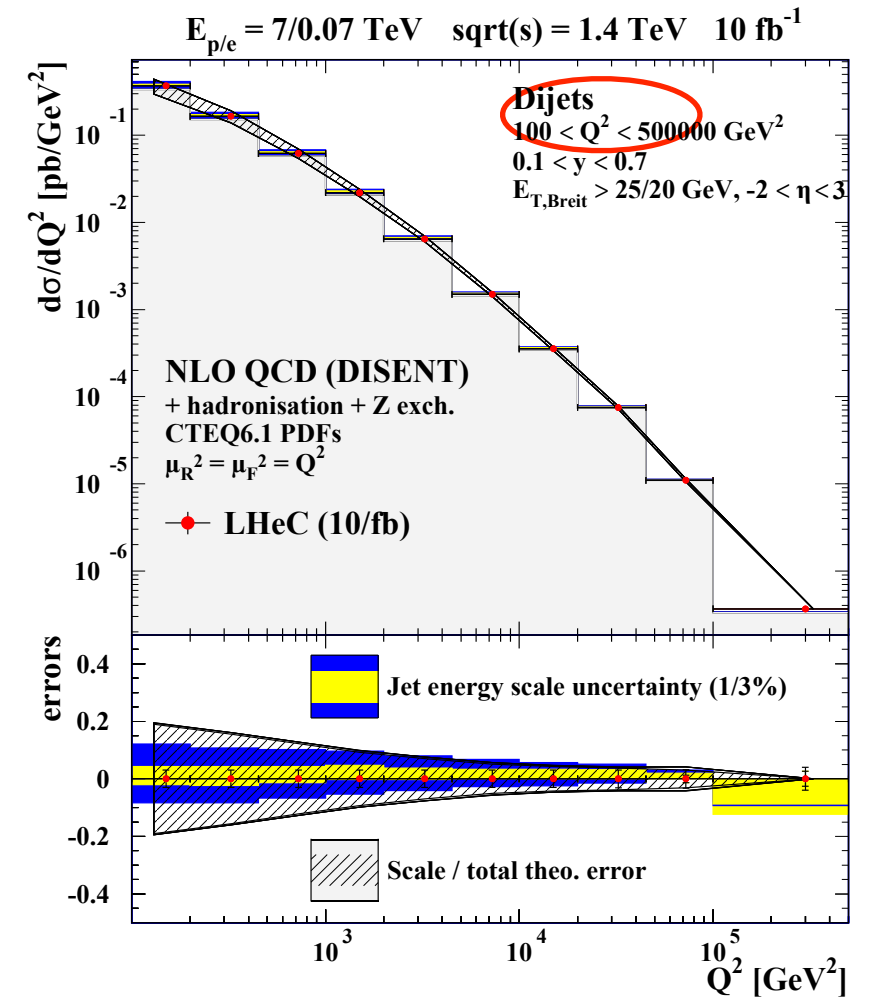
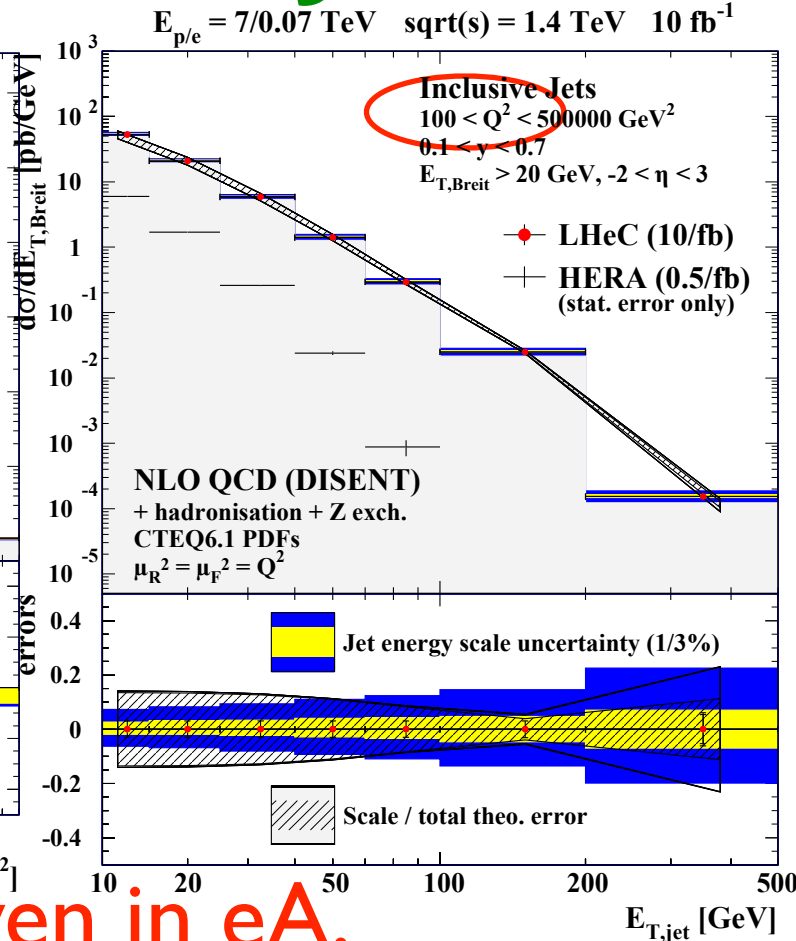
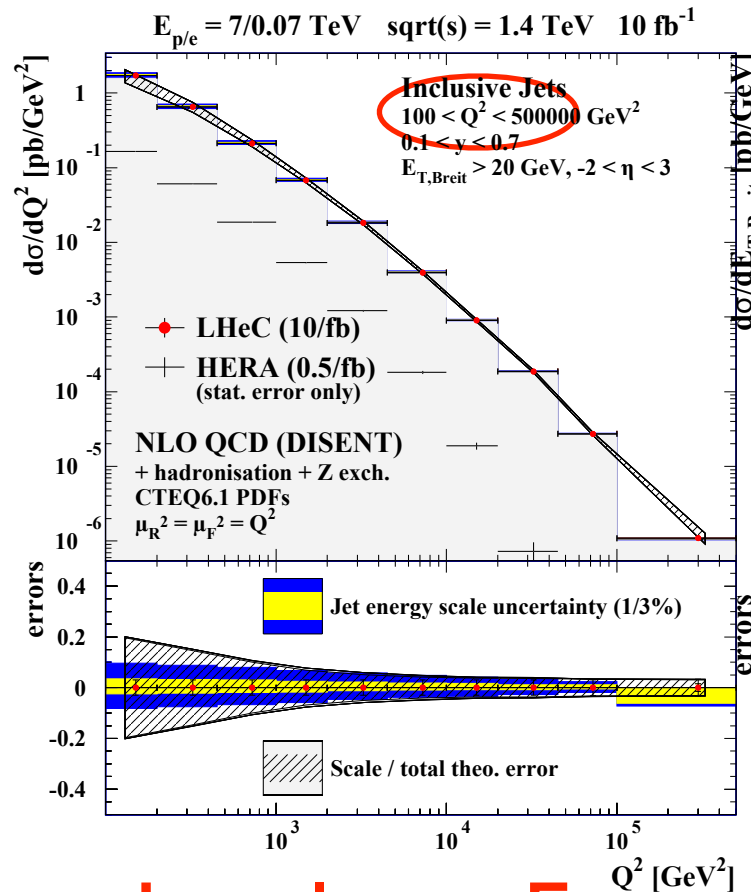
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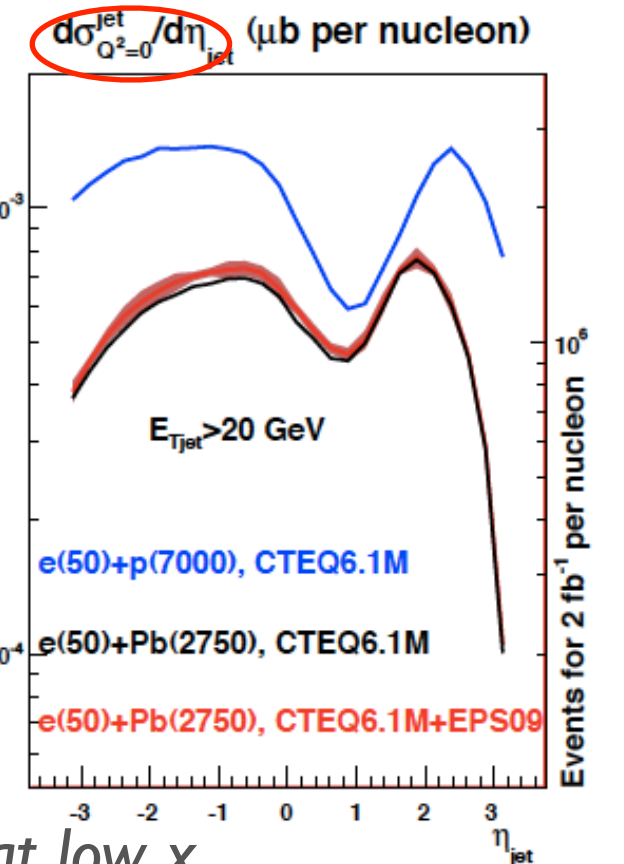
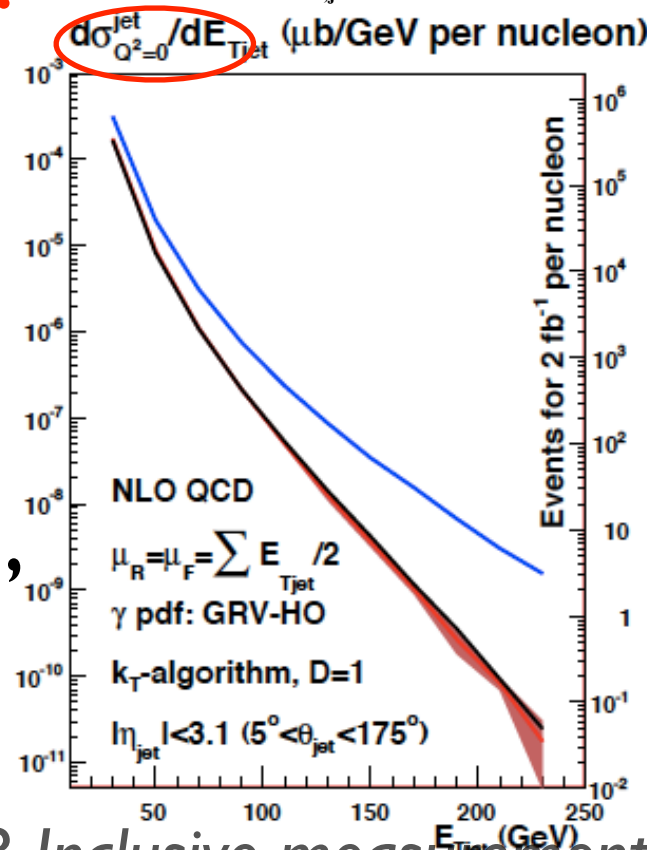
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Jets:



- **Jets: large E_T even in eA.**
- Useful for studies of parton dynamics in nuclei (hard probes), and for photon structure.
- Background subtraction, detailed reconstruction pending.





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2007: Invitation by SPC to ECFA and by (r)ECFA to work out a design concept

Report

2008: First CERN-ECFA Workshop in Divonne (1.-3.9.08)

The LHeC Study Group
<http://cern.ch/lhec>

2009: 2nd CERN-ECFA-NuPECC Workshop at Divonne (1.-3.9.09)

2010: Report to CERN SPC (June)

3rd CERN-ECFA-NuPECC Workshop at Chavannes-de-Bogis (12.-13.11.10)

NuPECC puts LHeC to its Longe Range Plan for Nuclear Physics (12/10)

2011: Draft CDR (530 pages on Physics, Detector and Accelerator) (5.8.11)
 being refereed and updated

2012: Publication of CDR – European Strategy

New workshop June 14-15 2012



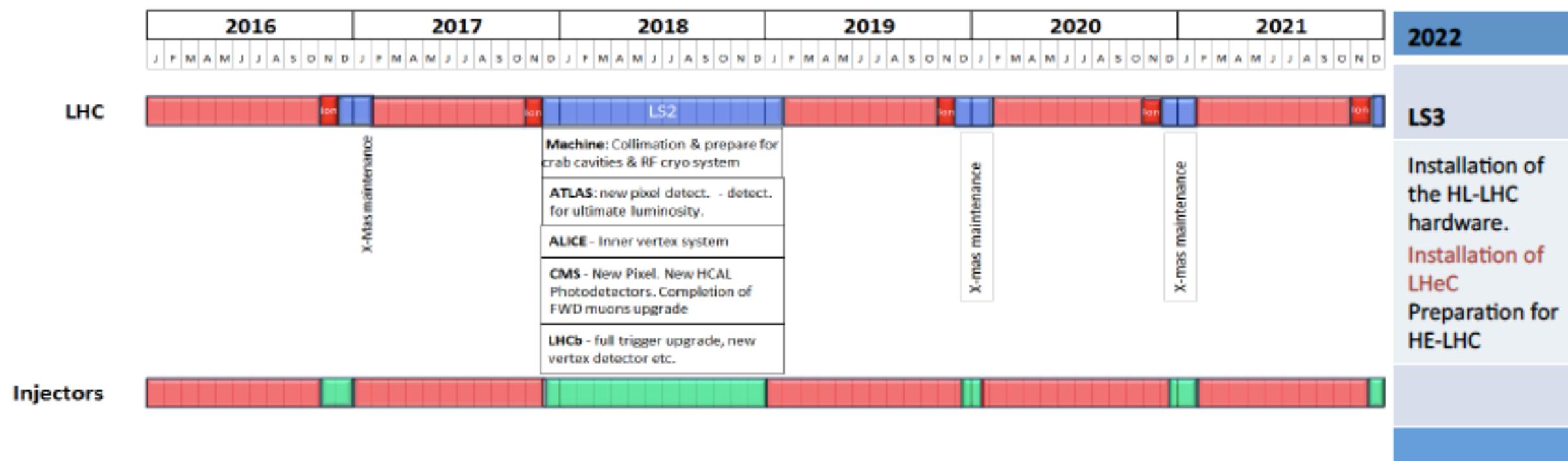
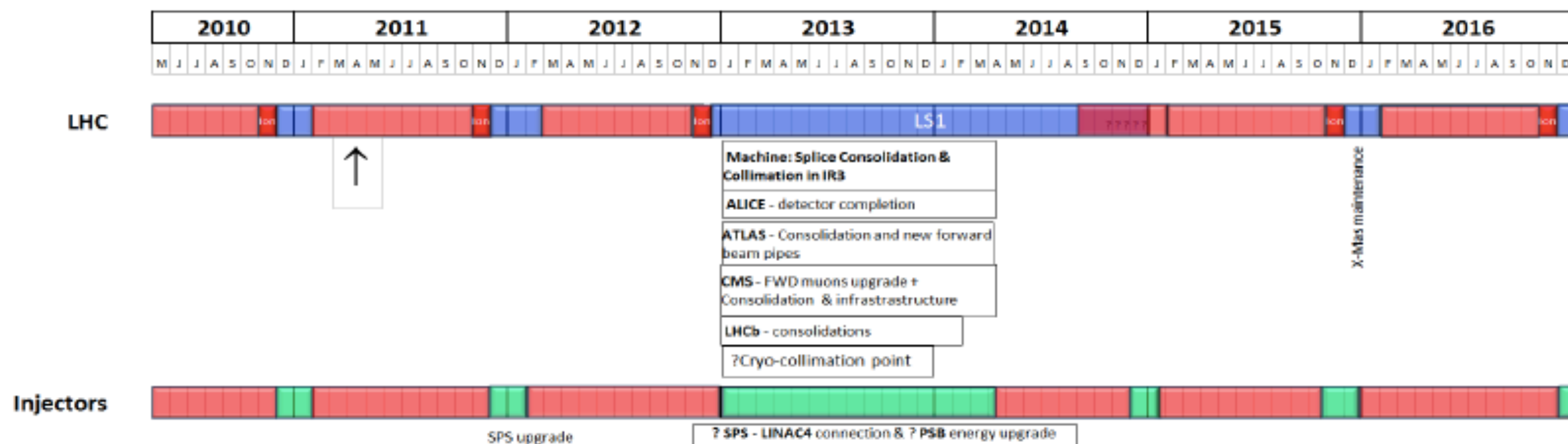
Goal: TDR by 2015

Perspective: Operation after LS3 (synchronous with pp/pA/AA)

Tentative timeline:

New rough draft 10 year plan

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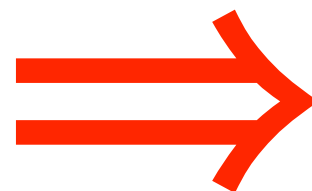
2013

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2015

2016

- LHC death by radiation damage estimated by 2030-2035.
- LHeC should work for ~ 10 years.
- No disturbance to LHC operation: built on surface, installation during LS3.



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