

Intersection of nuclear structure and high-energy nuclear collisions

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Accessing structure of protons and nuclei at small x at the Electron-Ion Collider

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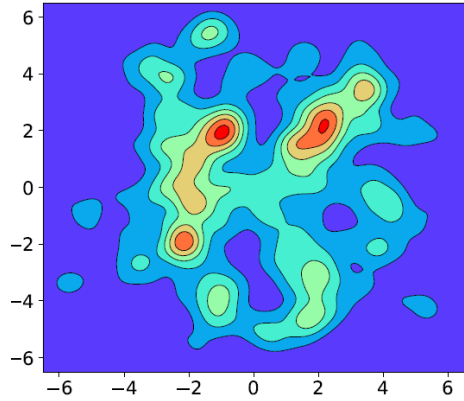
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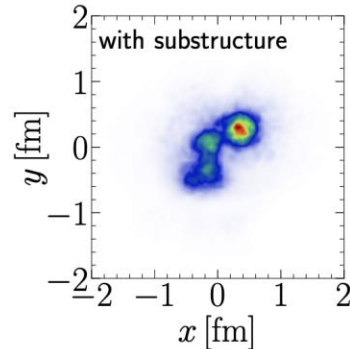
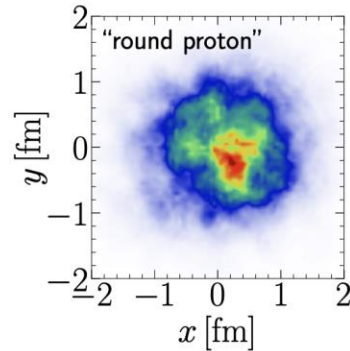
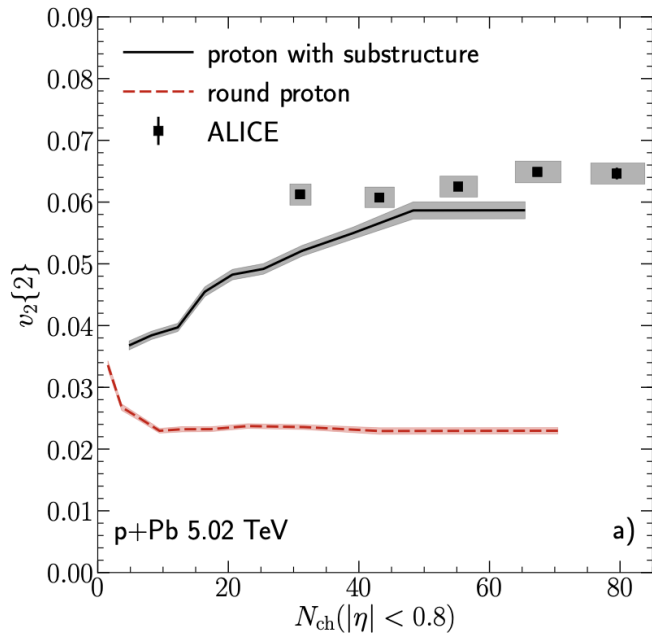
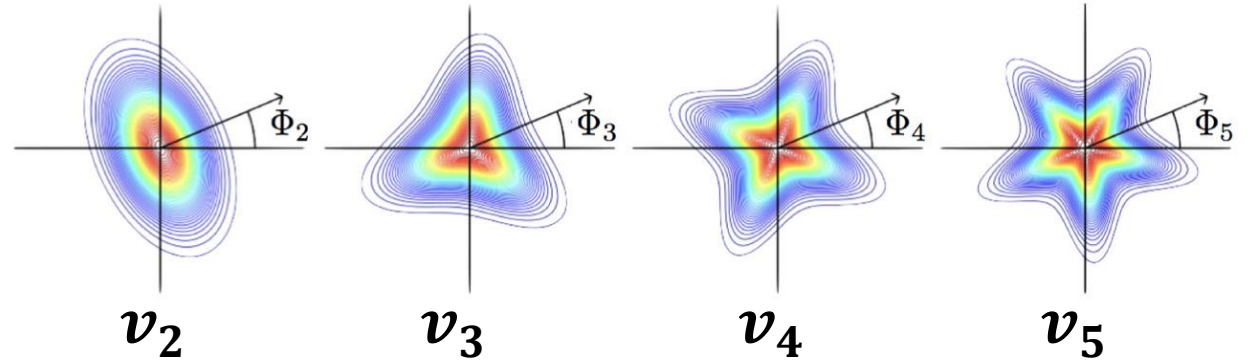
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Hydrodynamics response to collision geometry



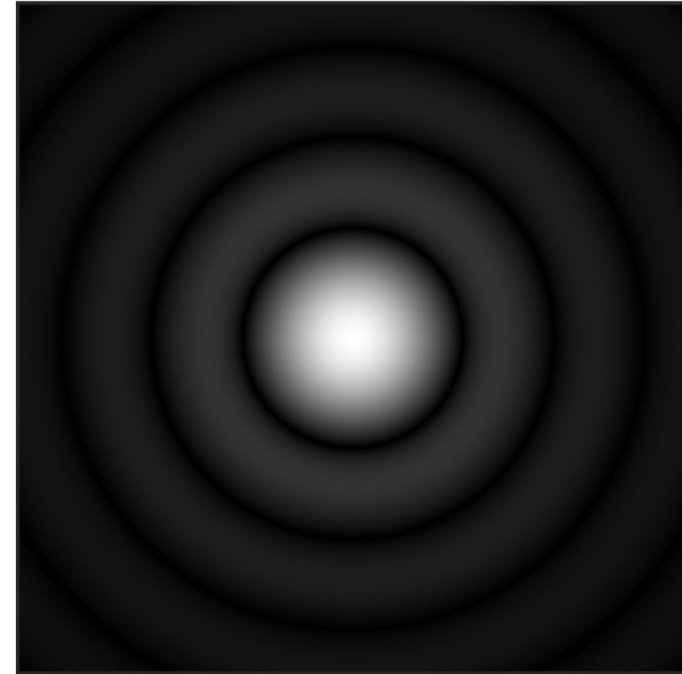
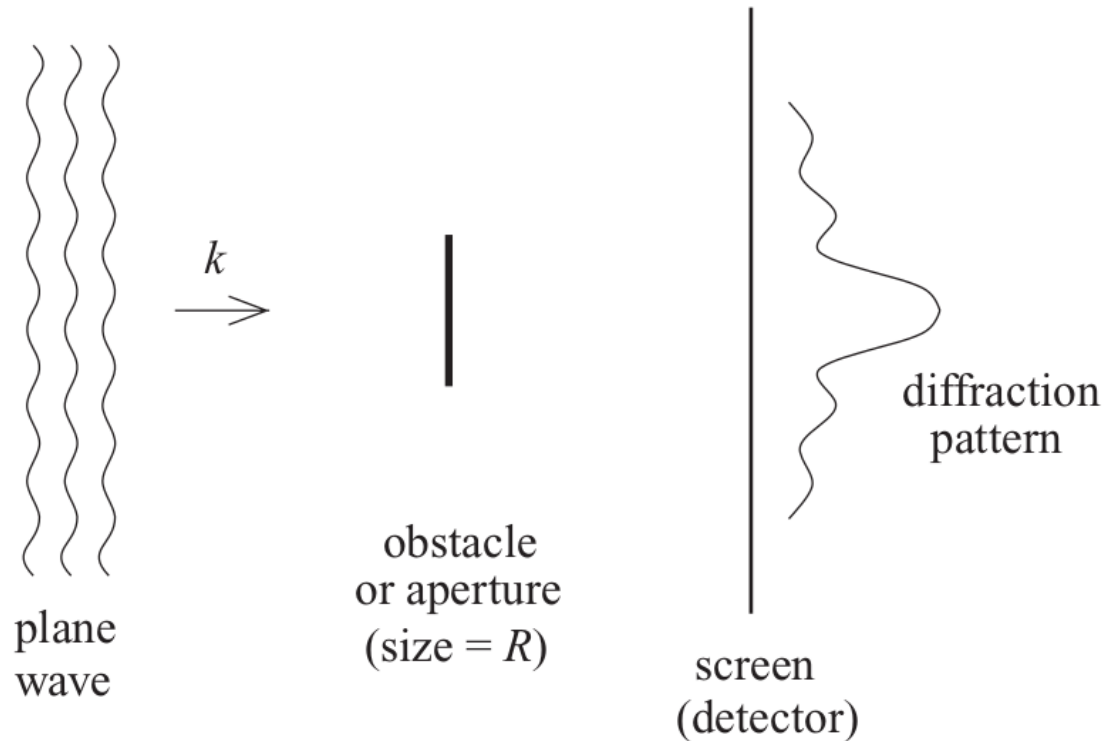
Hydrodynamics



- Heavy-ion Collisions: Initial spatial geometry \Rightarrow final momentum anisotropy.
- Proton's sub-nucleonic structure is crucial to understand the collectivity in small collision systems

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Diffraction in optics



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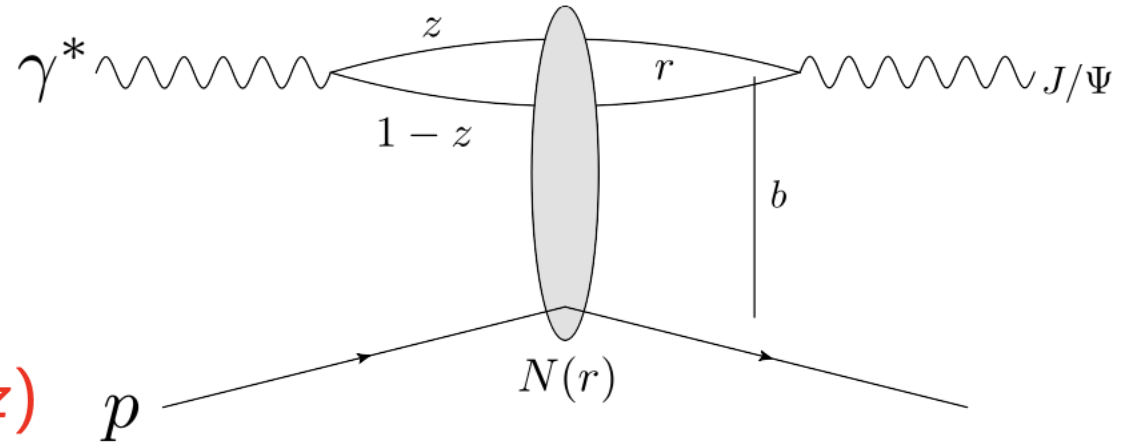
- In momentum-space the positions of the minima and maxima of diffraction pattern are determined solely by the target size R .

Constrain fluctuating proton geometry from DIS

Diffractive vector meson production

High energy factorization:

- 1 $\gamma^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ splitting, wave function $\Psi^\gamma(r, Q^2, z)$
- 2 $q\bar{q}$ dipole scatters elastically
- 3 $q\bar{q} \rightarrow J/\Psi$, wave function $\Psi^V(r, Q^2, z)$



Diffractive scattering amplitude

$$\mathcal{A}^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} \sim \int d^2 b dz d^2 r \Psi^{\gamma^*} \Psi^V(r, z, Q^2) e^{-i\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{\Delta}} N(r, \mathbf{x}, b)$$

Impact parameter, b , is the Fourier conjugate of the momentum transfer, $\Delta \approx \sqrt{-t}$

$N(r, \mathbf{x}, b)$ dipole-target scattering amplitude.

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Dipole-target scattering amplitude (IP-Sat)

$N(\mathbf{r}_T, \mathbf{b}_T, x) = 1 - \exp(-\mathbf{r}_T^2 F(\mathbf{r}_T, x) T_p(\mathbf{b}_T))$ accesses to the spatial structure ($T_{p/A}$)
 $F(\mathbf{r}_T, x) = \frac{\pi^2}{2N_c} \alpha_s(\mu^2) x g(x, \mu^2)$. $xg(x, \mu^2)$, gluon density at x and scale μ^2 ($\mu^2 \sim \mu_0^2 + 1/r_T^2$).

$$\mathcal{A}^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} \sim \int d^2 b dz d^2 r \Psi^{\gamma^*} \Psi^V(r, z, Q^2) e^{-i\mathbf{b} \cdot \Delta} N(r, x, b)$$

- Diffractive scattering amplitude is roughly proportional to Fourier transform of the spatial structure function of target ($T_{p/A}$).

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Dipole-target scattering amplitude (CGC)

- The dipole amplitude N can be calculated from Wilson line $V(\mathbf{x})$

$$N \left(\mathbf{b} = \frac{\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}}{2}, \mathbf{r} = \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}, x_{\mathbb{P}} \right) = 1 - \frac{1}{N_c} \text{Tr} (V(\mathbf{x})V^\dagger(\mathbf{y})) . \quad V(\mathbf{x}) = P \exp \left(-ig \int dx^- \frac{\rho(x^-, \mathbf{x})}{\nabla^2 + m^2} \right)$$

- Using MV model for Gaussian distribution of color charge ρ :

$$\langle \rho^a(\mathbf{b}_\perp) \rho^b(\mathbf{x}_\perp) \rangle = g^2 \mu^2(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) \delta^{ab} \delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{b}_\perp - \mathbf{x}_\perp)$$

Q_s : saturation scale, $Q_s/g^2\mu$ is a free parameter, Q_s is determined from IP-Sat parametrization.

- Or, equivalently, factorize $\mu(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) \sim T(\mathbf{b}_\perp)\mu(x)$

$N(r, x, \mathbf{b})$ accesses to the spatial structure of the target ($T_{p/A}$).

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Coherent and incoherent processes

- **Coherent**

$$\sigma_{\text{coherent}} \sim |\langle \mathcal{A} \rangle_{\Omega}|^2$$

Target stays intact, ($\langle \text{initial state} | = | \text{final state} \rangle$)
Probes the average shape of the target.

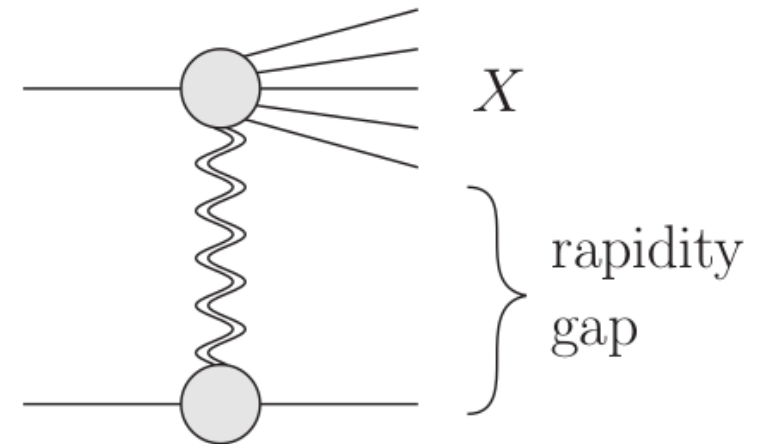
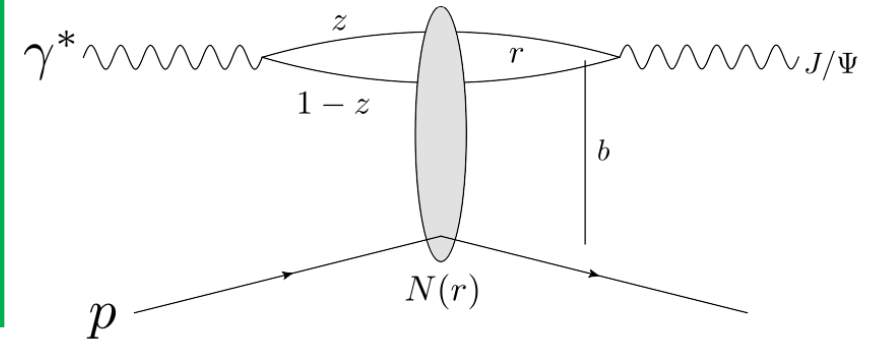
- **Incoherent**

$$\sigma_{\text{incoherent}} \sim \langle |\mathcal{A}|^2 \rangle_{\Omega} - |\langle \mathcal{A} \rangle_{\Omega}|^2$$

Target breaks apart, ($\langle \text{initial state} | \neq | \text{final state} \rangle$)
Probes the variance of event-by-event initial state fluctuations in target structure.

- Experimental signature: rapidity gap.
- Theoretically: no net color transfer.

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Proton geometry fluctuations

- Proton's event-by-event fluctuating density profile:

$$T_p(\mathbf{b}_\perp) = \frac{1}{N_q} \sum_{i=1}^{N_q} p_i T_q(\mathbf{b}_\perp - \mathbf{b}_{\perp,i}), \quad P(\ln p_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left[-\frac{\ln^2 p_i}{2\sigma^2}\right].$$

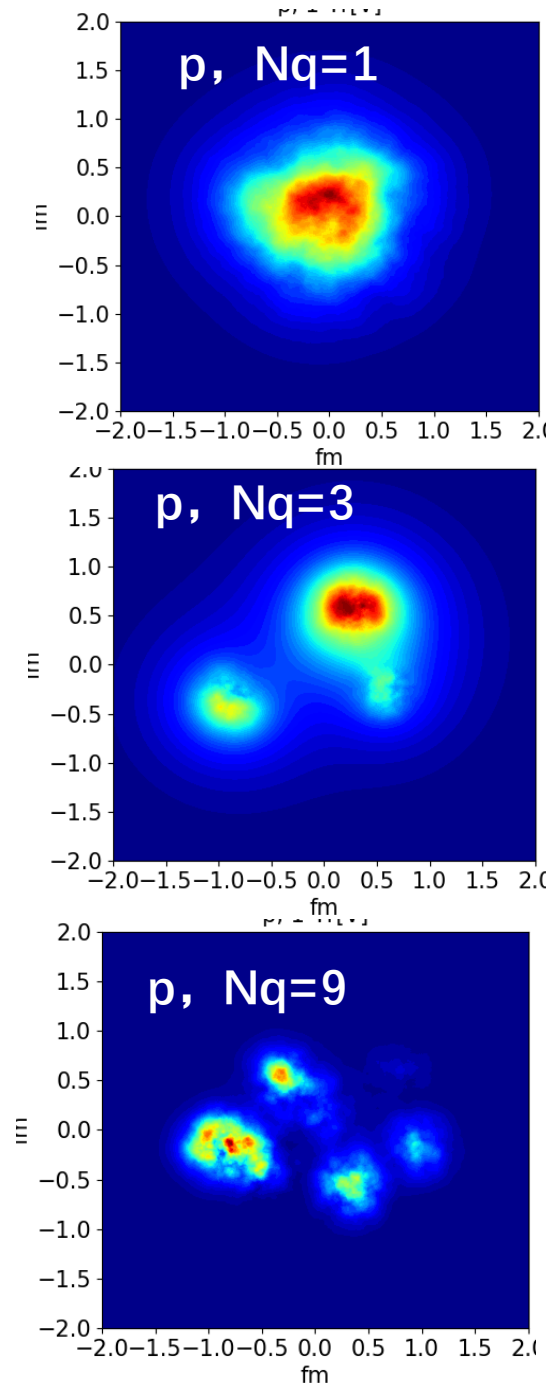
- The density profile of each spot is:

$$T_q(\vec{b}) = \frac{1}{2\pi B_q} e^{-b^2/(2B_q)}$$

- The spot positions \vec{b}_i are sampled from:

$$P(b_i) = \frac{1}{2\pi B_{qc}} e^{-b_i^2/(2B_{qc})}$$

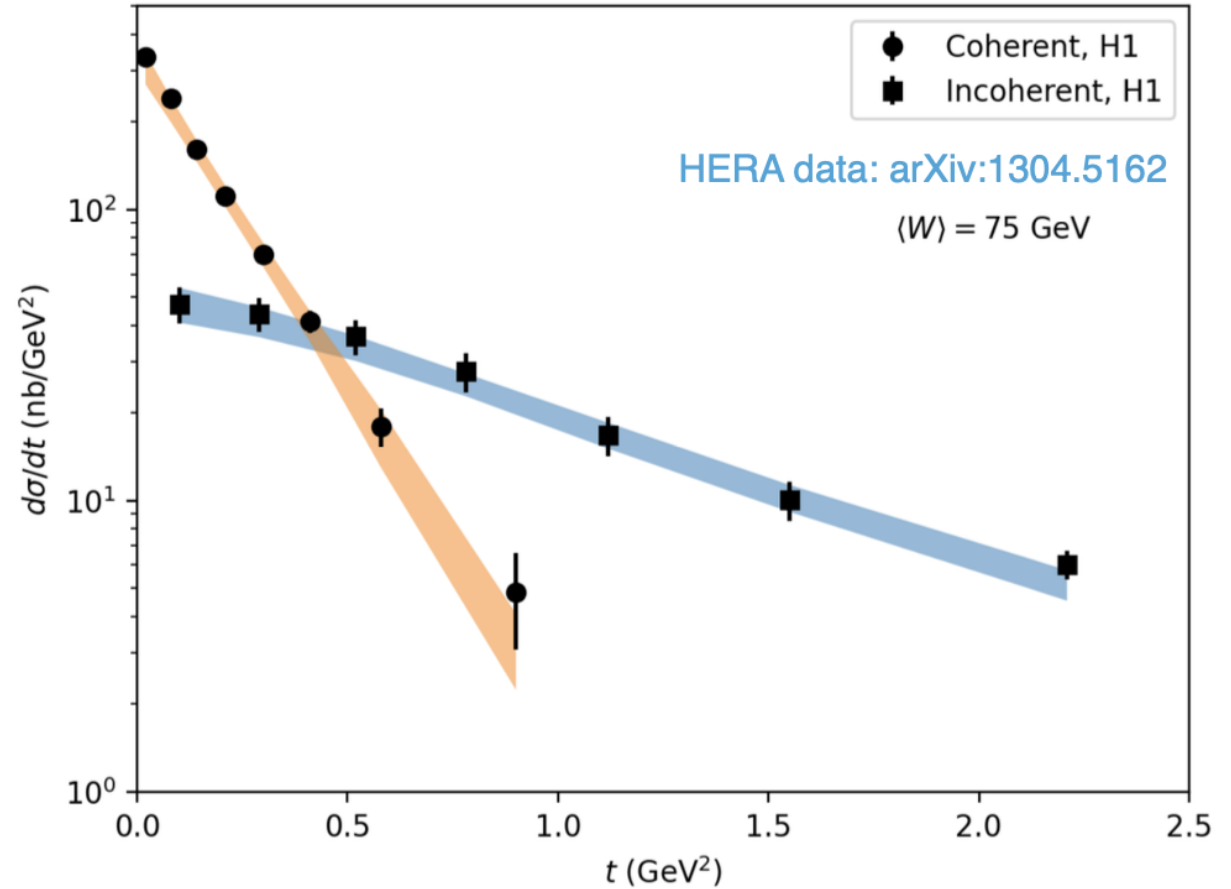
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Model parameters and the Exp. Data ($\gamma^* + p \rightarrow J/\psi + p^*$)

Parameterize proton shape (T_p)

- Number of hot spots N_q
- Proton size B_{qc}
- Hot spot size B_q
- Hot spot density fluctuations σ
- Min. distance between hot spots $d_{q,min}$
- Overall color charge density: $Qs(x)/g^2\mu$
- Infrared regulator m

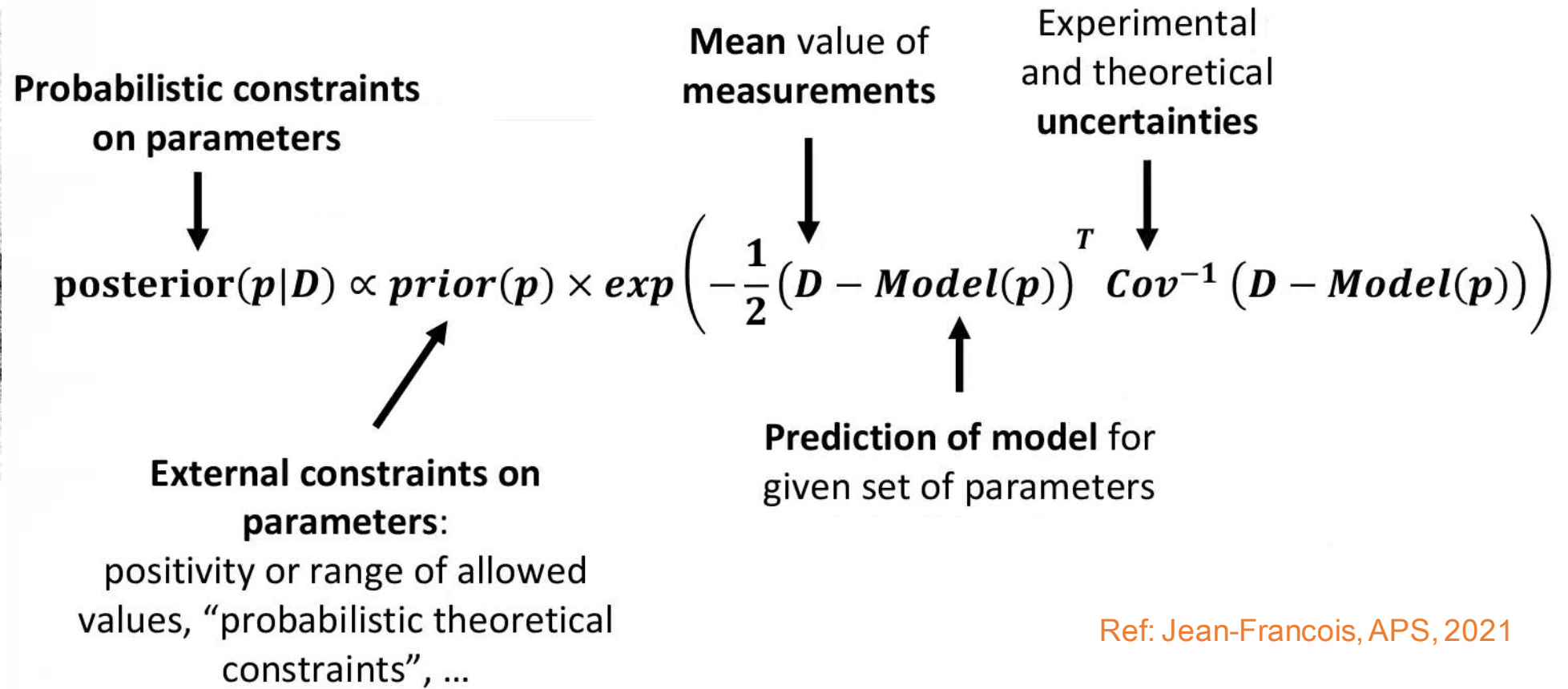


- 7D parameter space; generated 1000 training points for the model emulator

Bayes Theorem



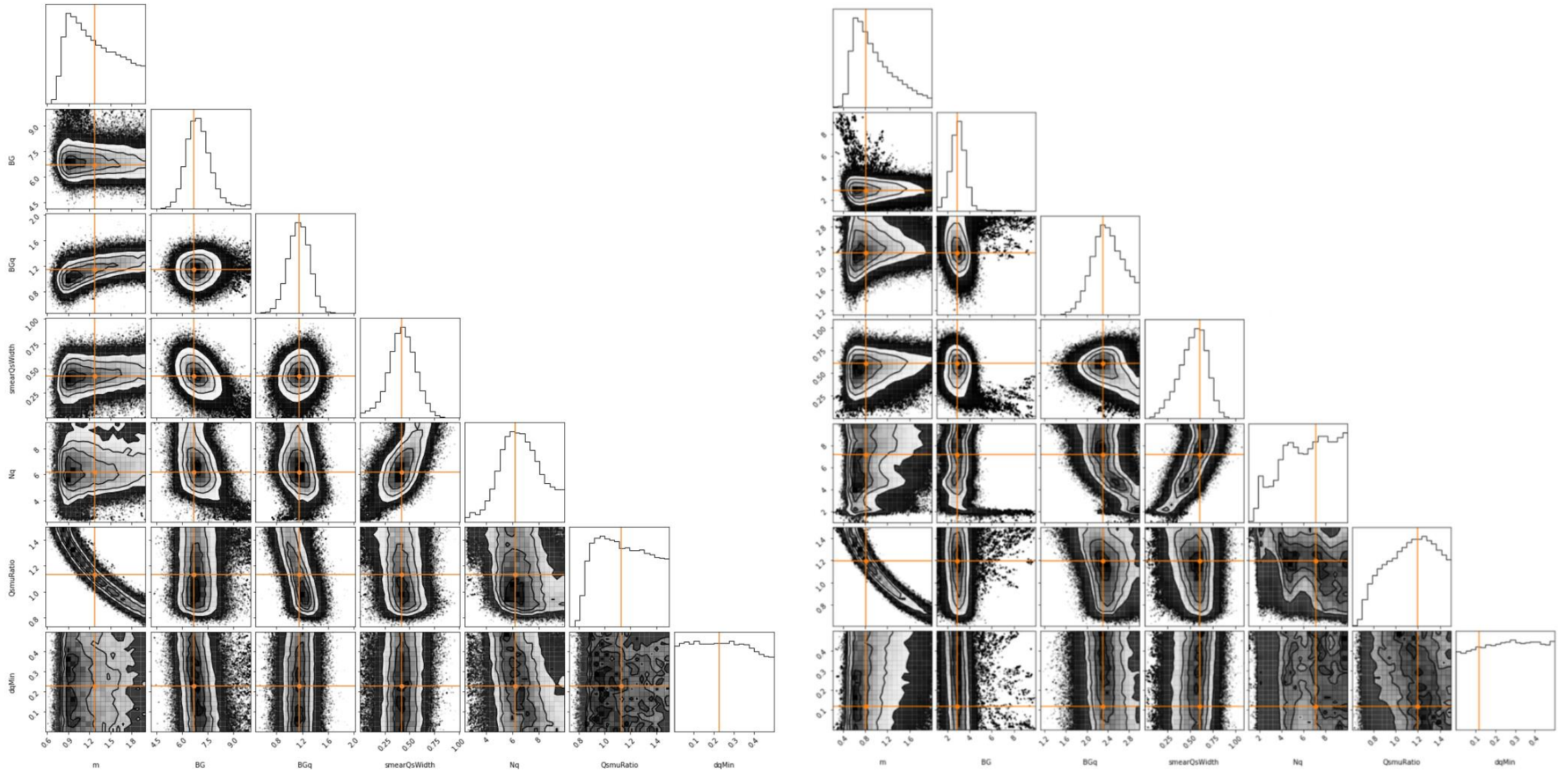
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Ref: Jean-Francois, APS, 2021

- Constrain the model parameters by the Bayesian analysis.

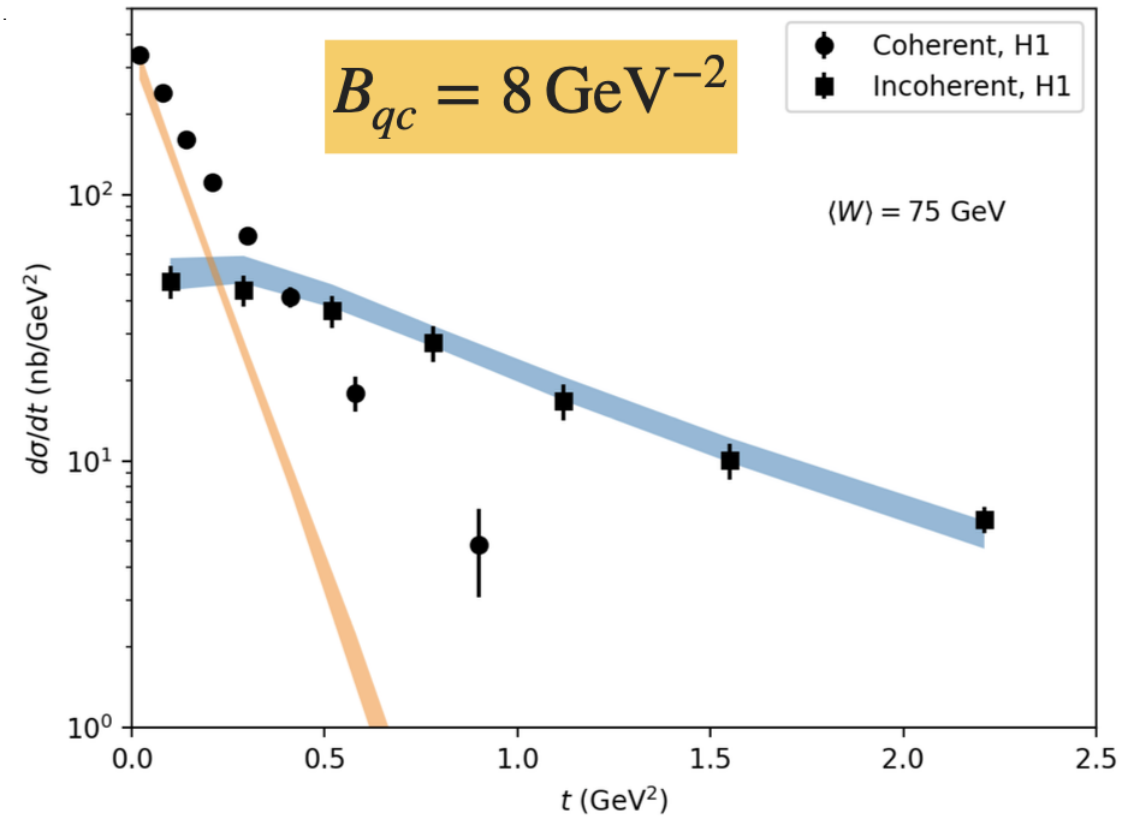
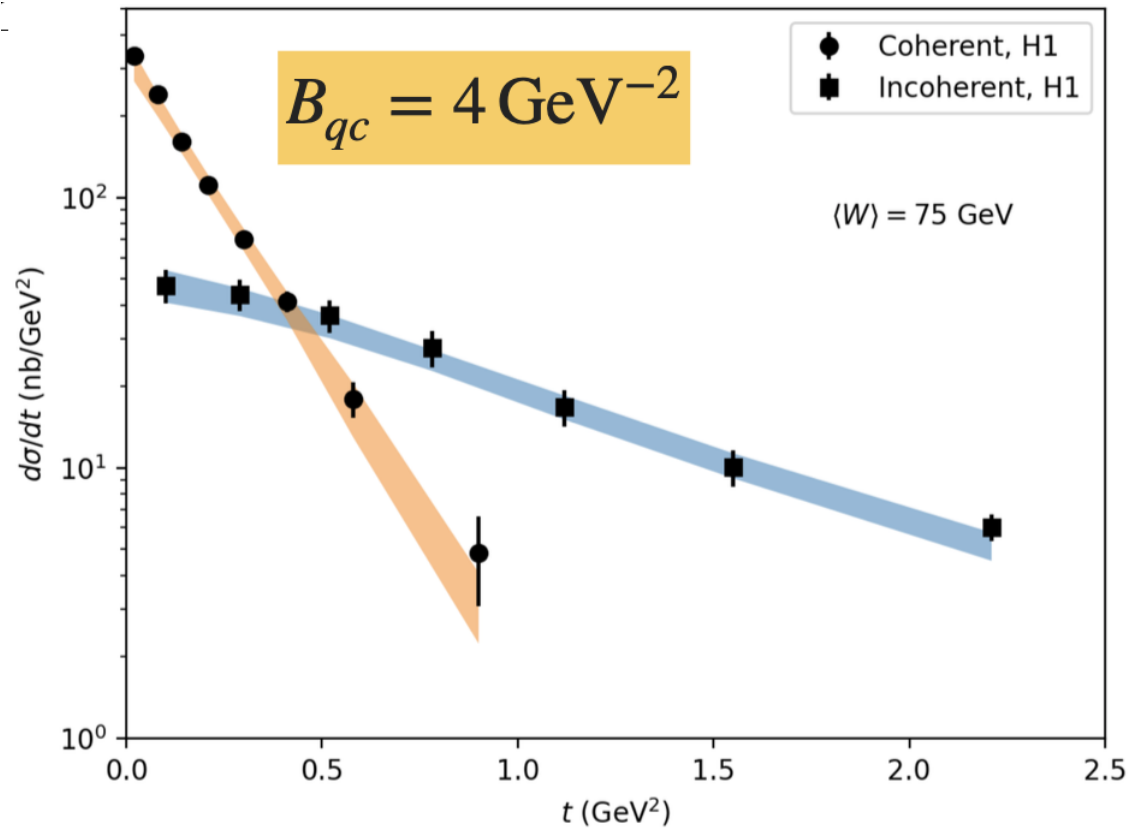
Closure tests



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Building intuition for the model parameters

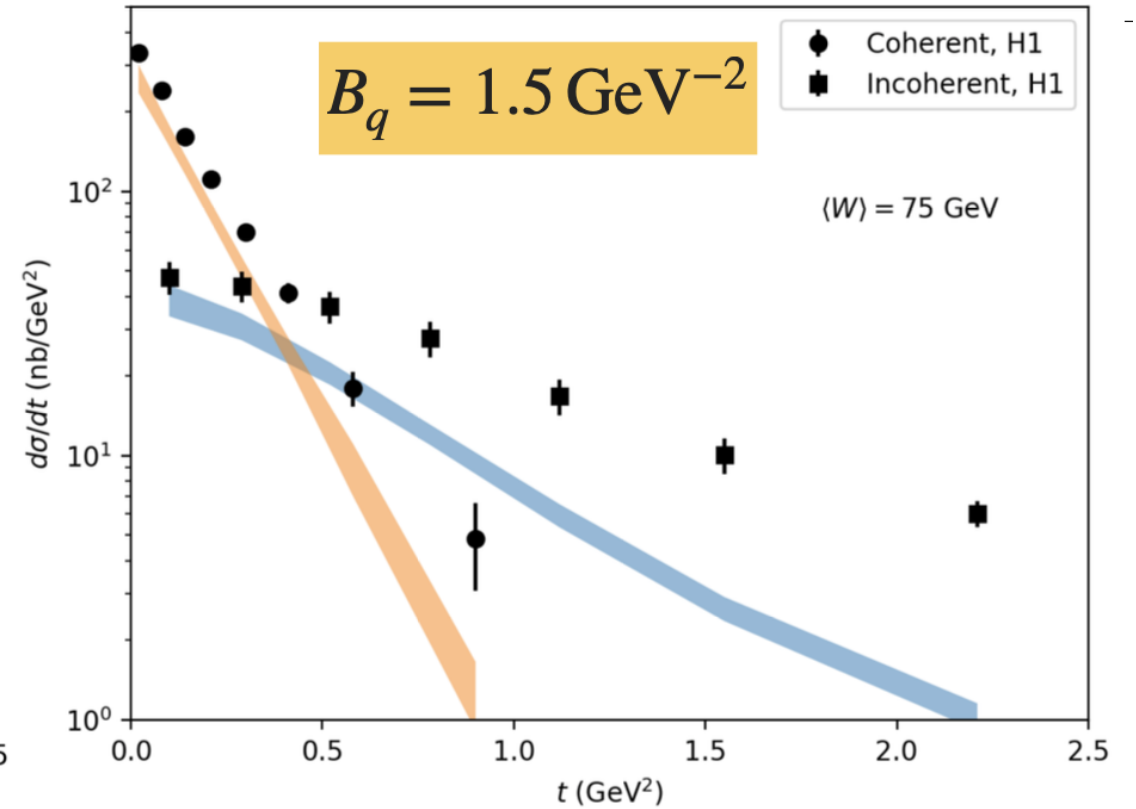
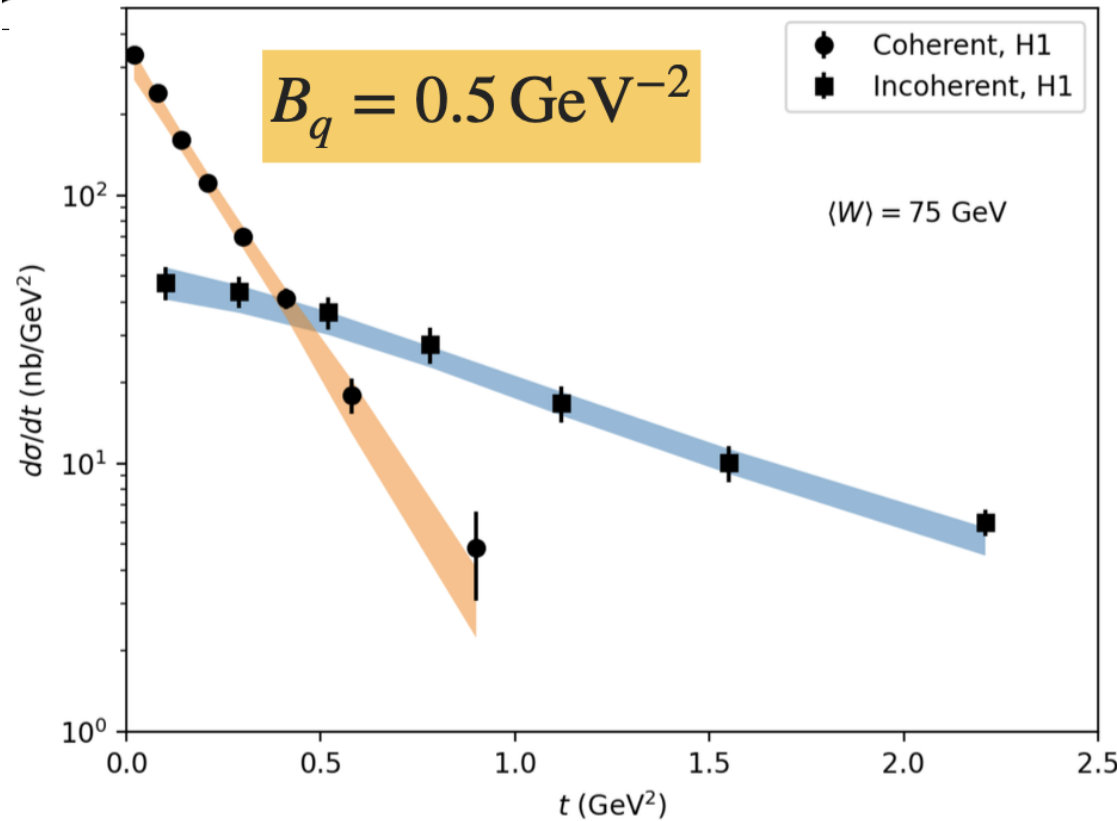
- Proton size:



- The proton size mainly affects the coherent cross section.

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- Hot spot size:

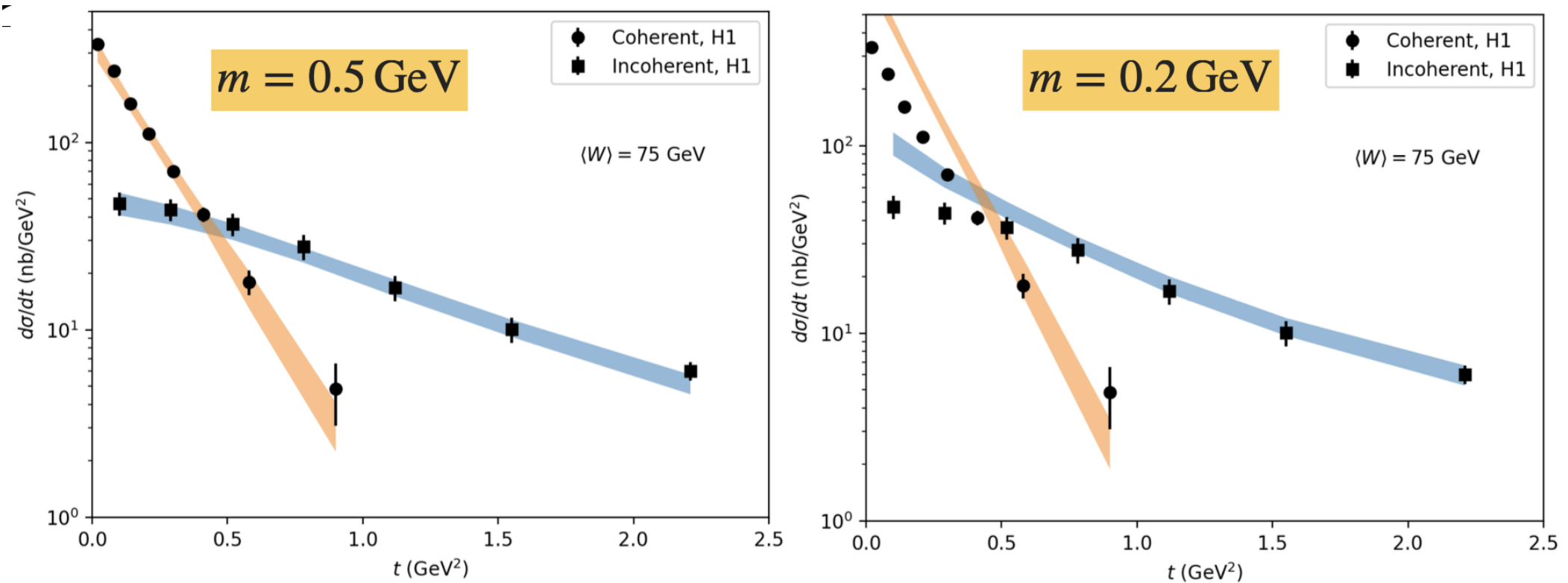


- The shape of incoherent cross-section is sensitive to the sub-nucleonic hot spot size

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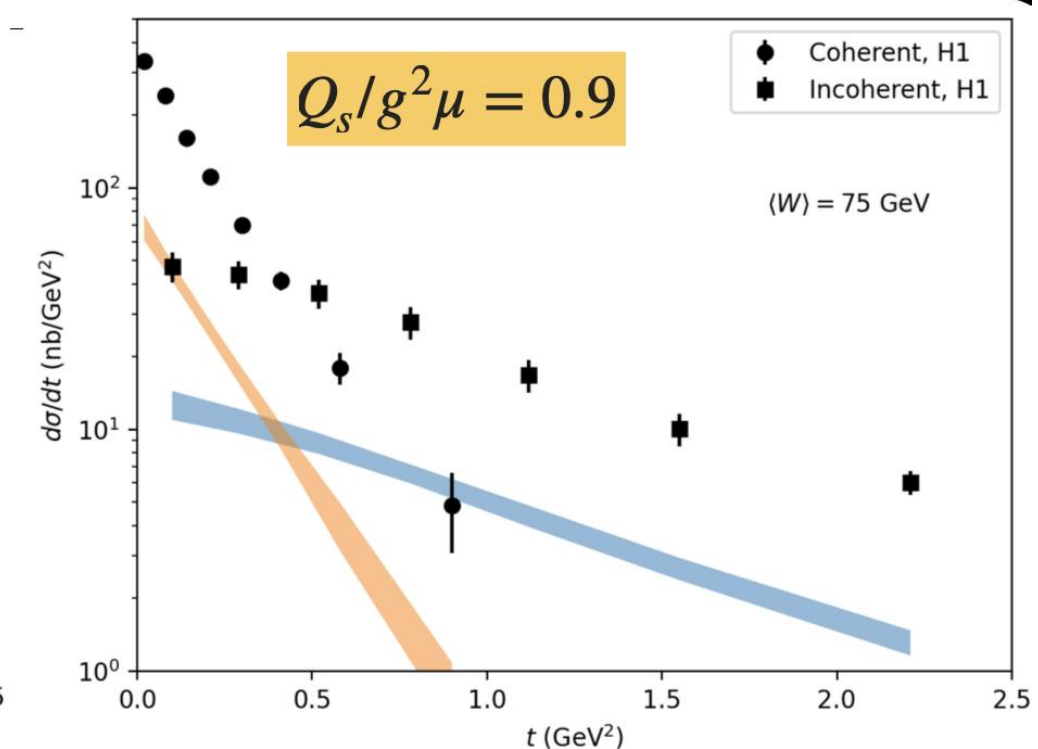
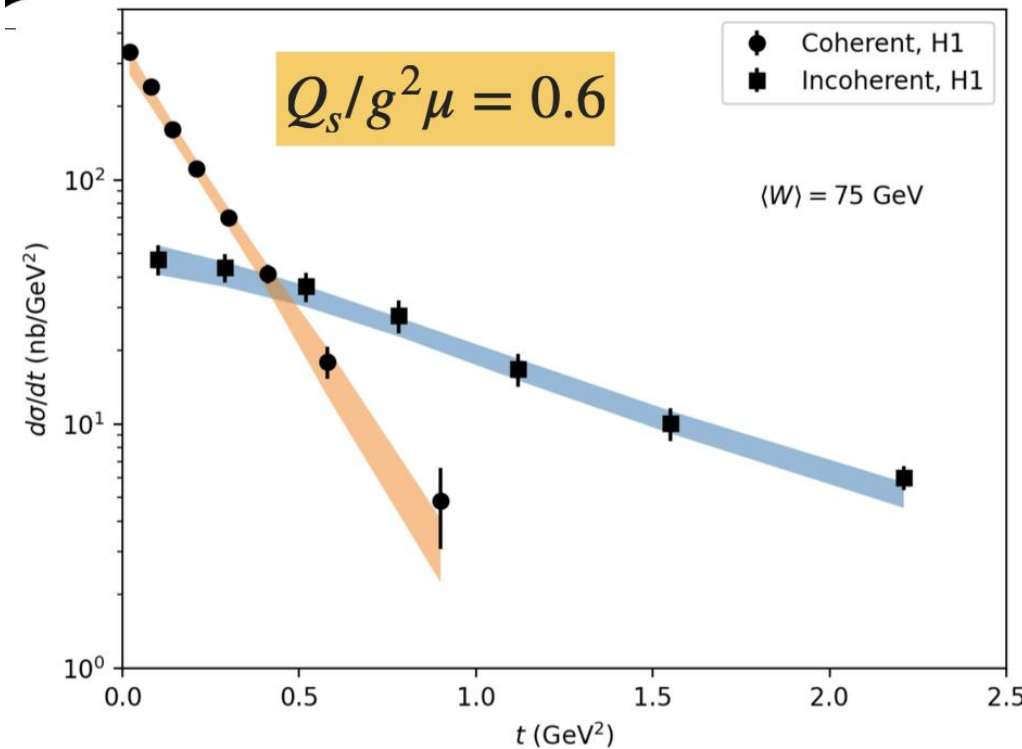
- Infrared regulator:



- A small infrared regulator extends density tail in the large scale region, which results in increase of coherent and incoherent cross-section at low $|t|$.

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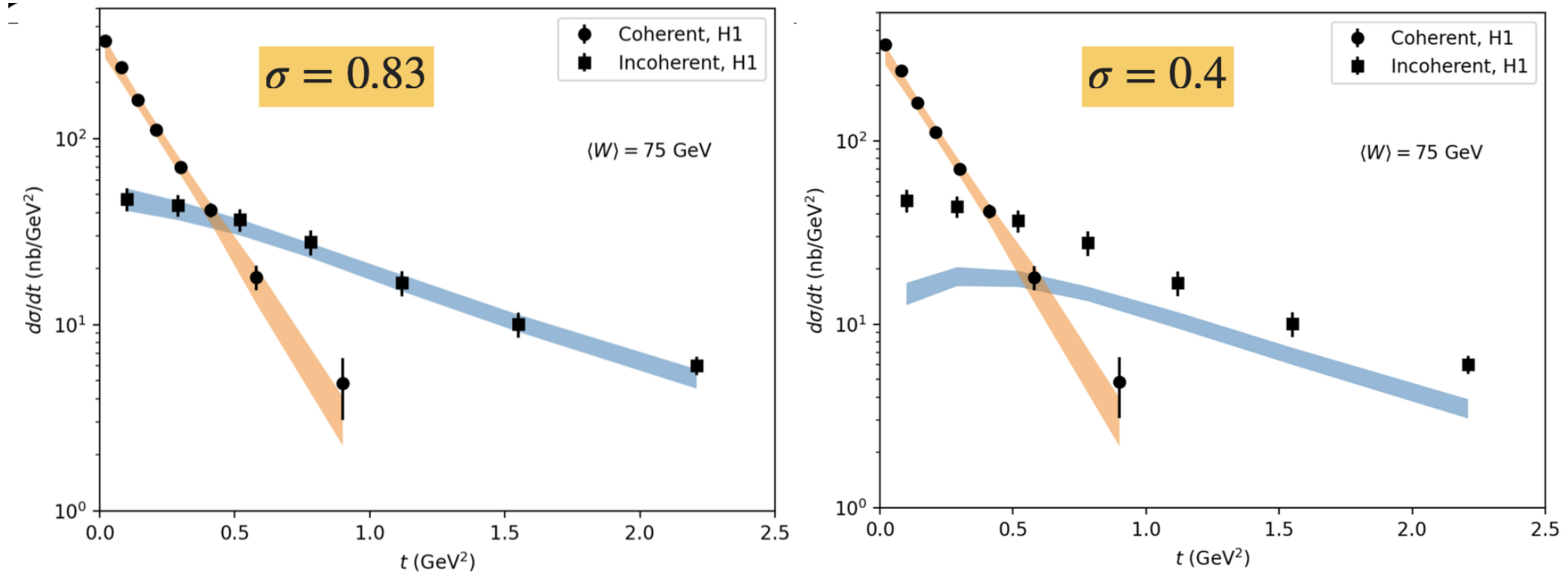
- Overall color charge density:



- A large $Q_s/g^2\mu$ ratio gives small color charge density, which reduces the magnitudes of both coherent and incoherent cross-sections.

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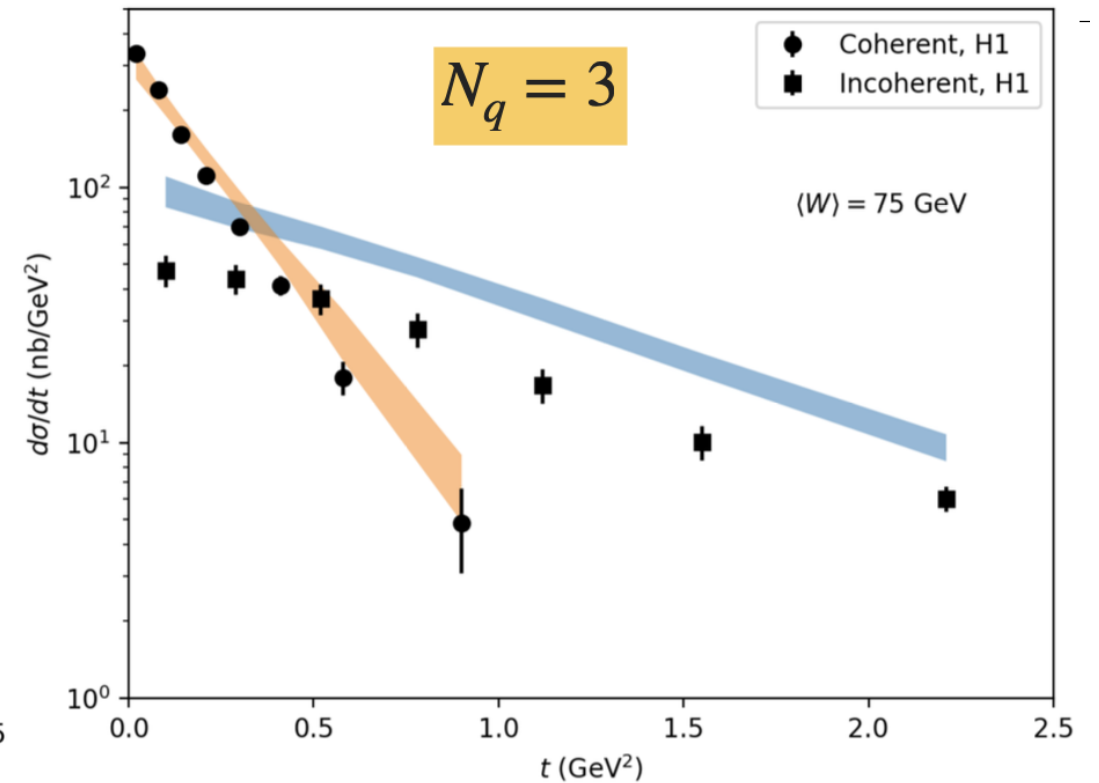
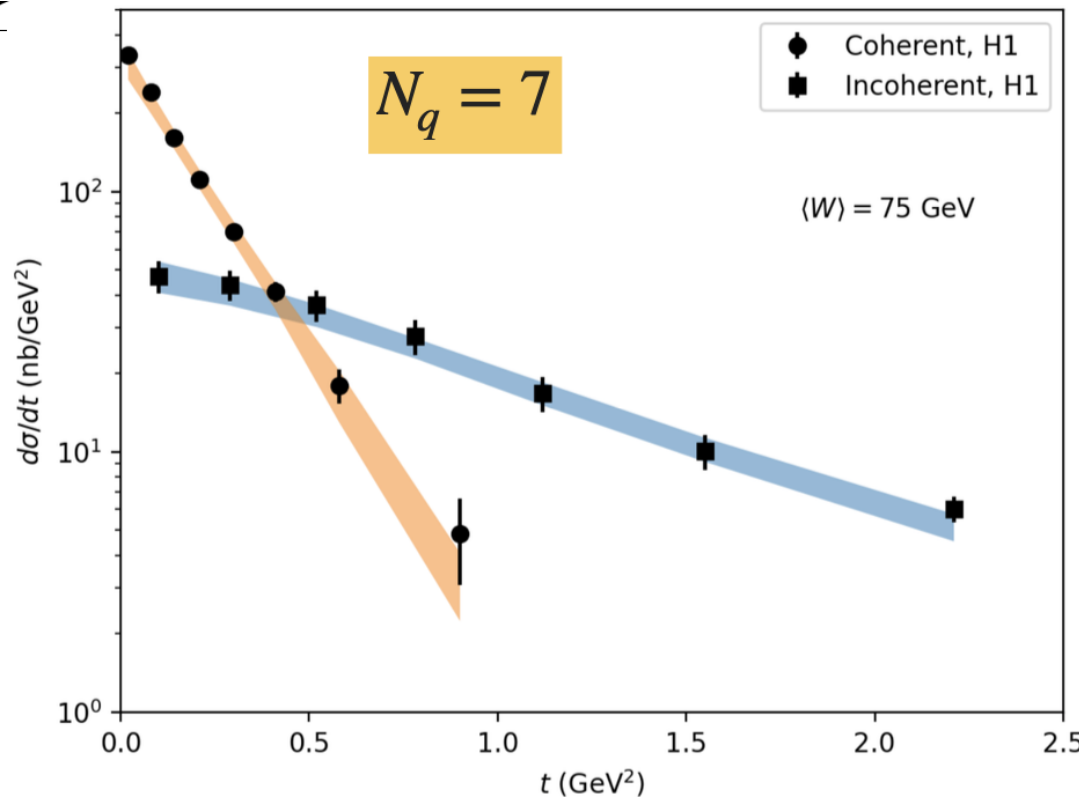
- Hot spot density fluctuations:



- A small variance of the density fluctuations reduces the magnitude of incoherent cross-section

Building intuition for the model parameters

- Number of hot spots:

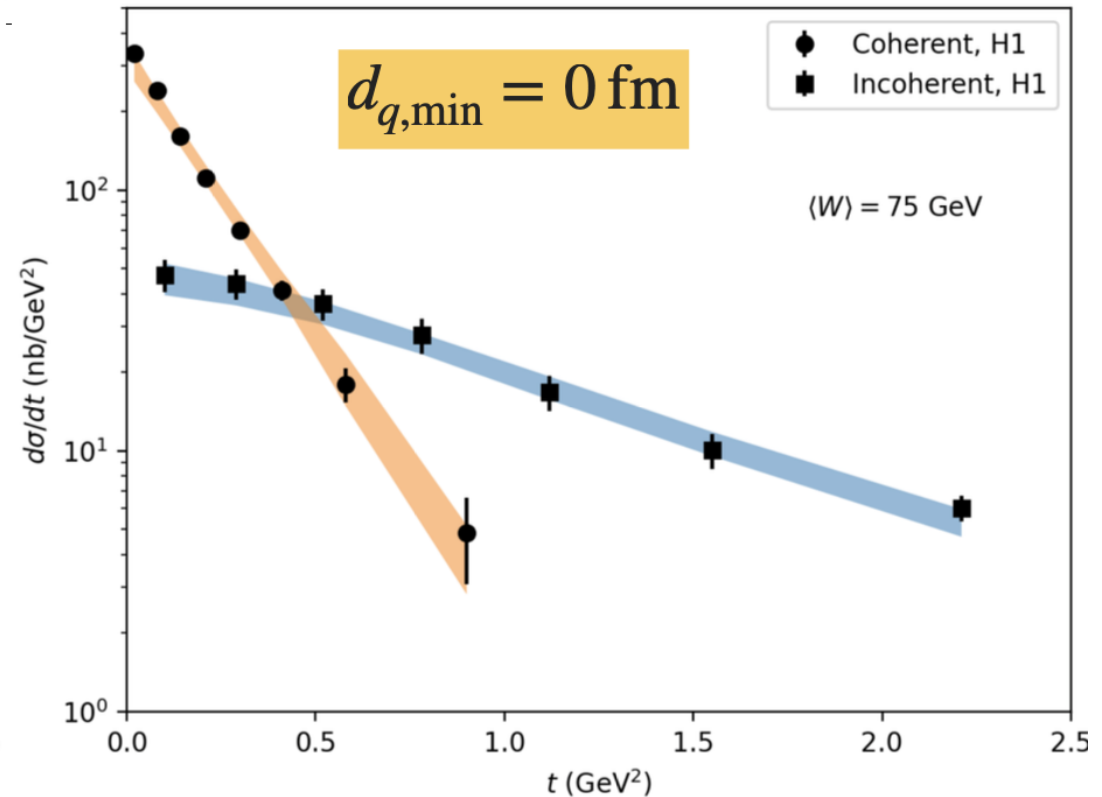
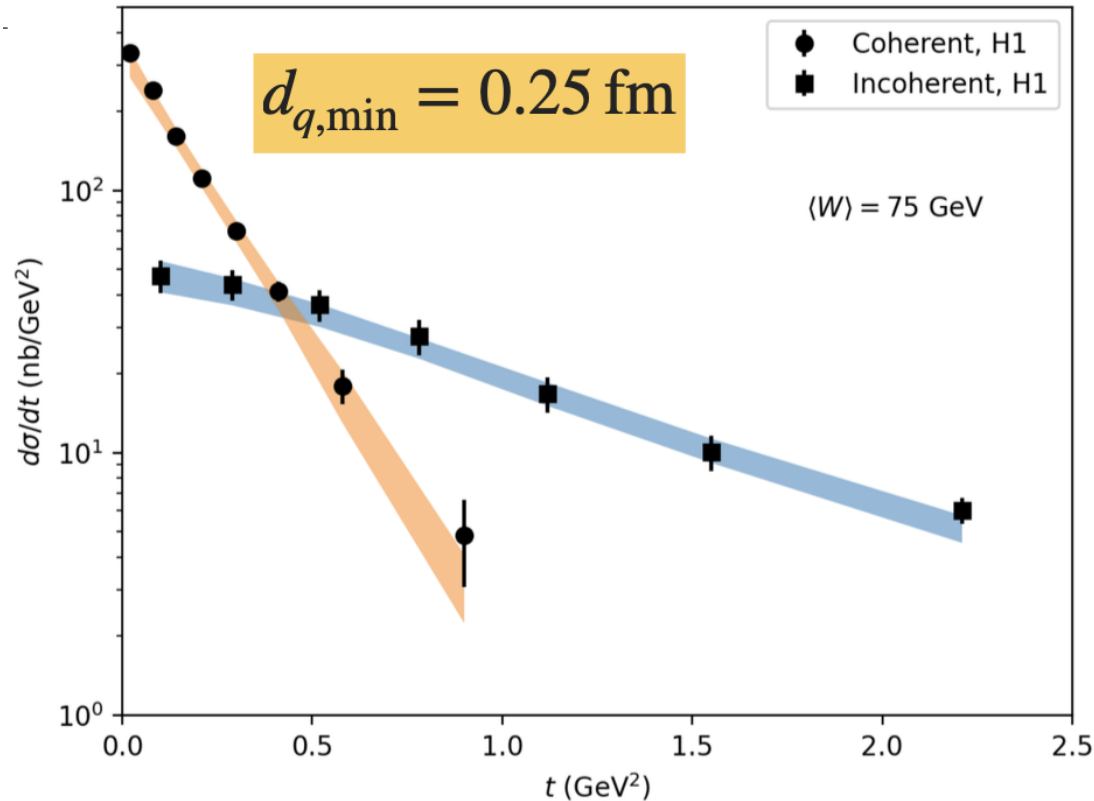


- Small number of hot spots increases fluctuations, which results in large incoherent cross-sections

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- Minimum distance between hot spots



- No clear sensitivity on the intra distance between hot spots.

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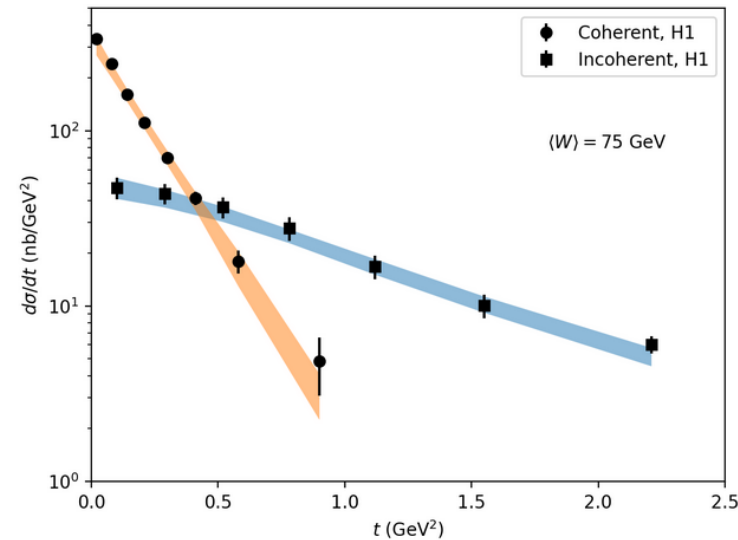
IPGLasma + Diffraction

This is an interactive web page that emulates the J/ψ photoproduction cross sections in deep inelastic scatterings of protons using the IPGLasma model.

This work is based on [arXiv:2202.01998 \[hep-ph\]](https://arxiv.org/abs/2202.01998)

One can adjust the model parameters on the left sidebar.

The colored bands in the figure show the emulator estimations with their uncertainties. The compared experimental data are from the H1 Collaboration, [Eur. Phys. J. C 73 \(2013\) No. 6, 2466](https://doi.org/10.1007/s00034-013-0246-6)



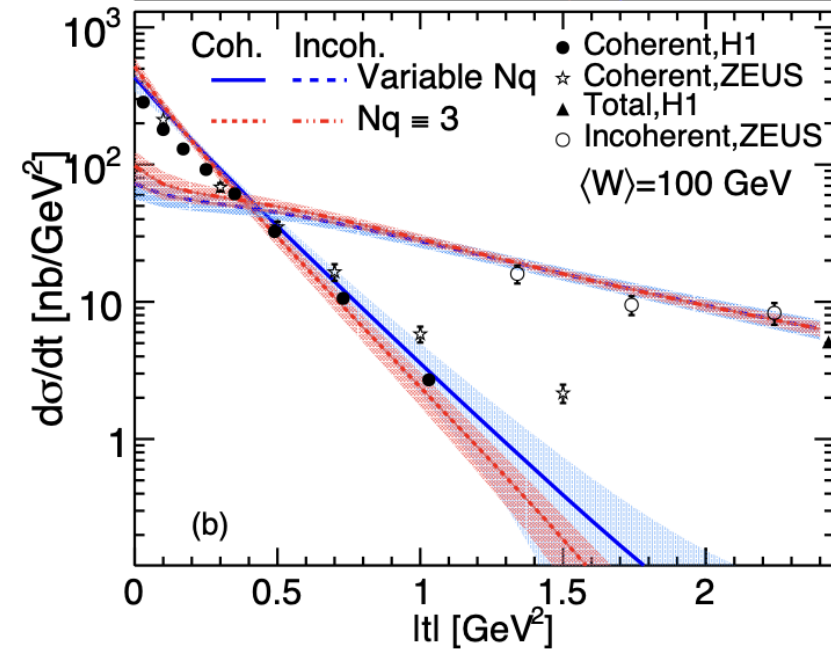
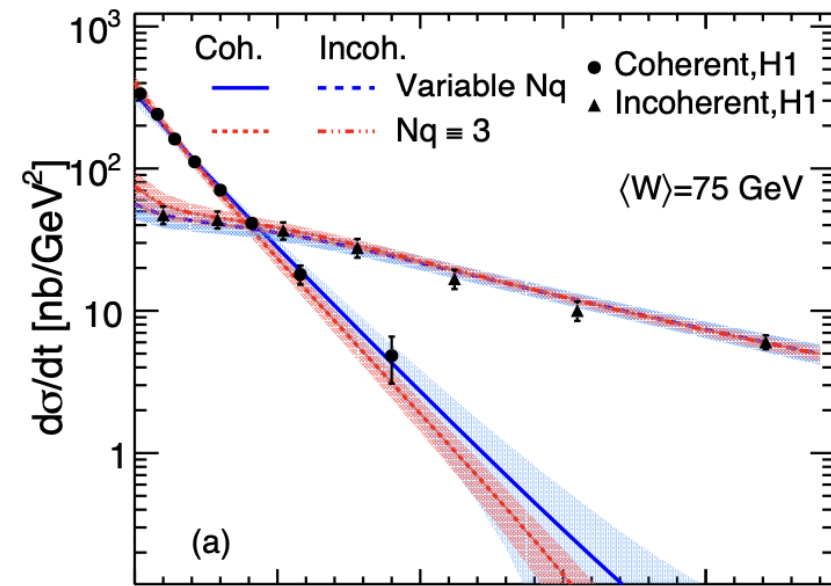
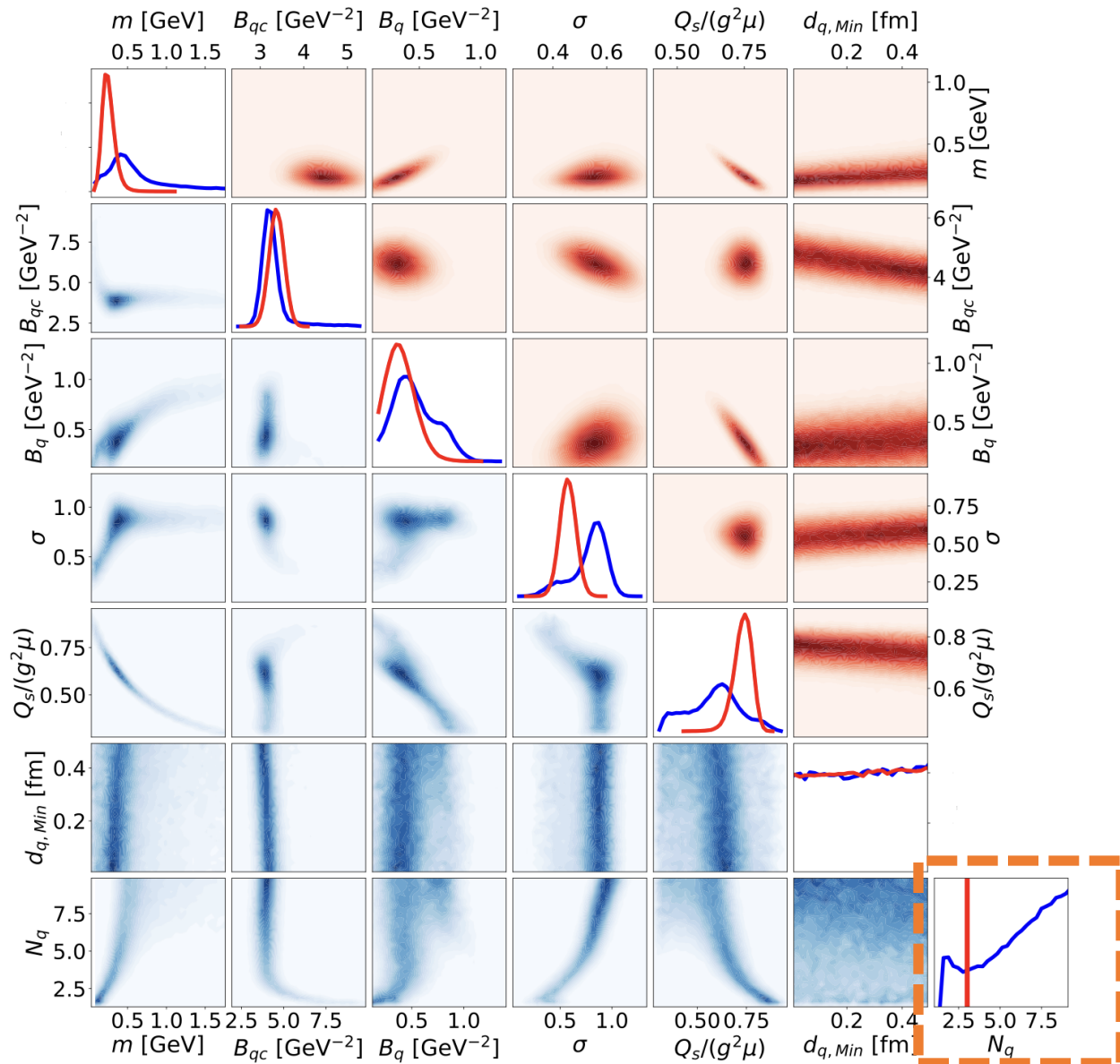
Posterior Samples:

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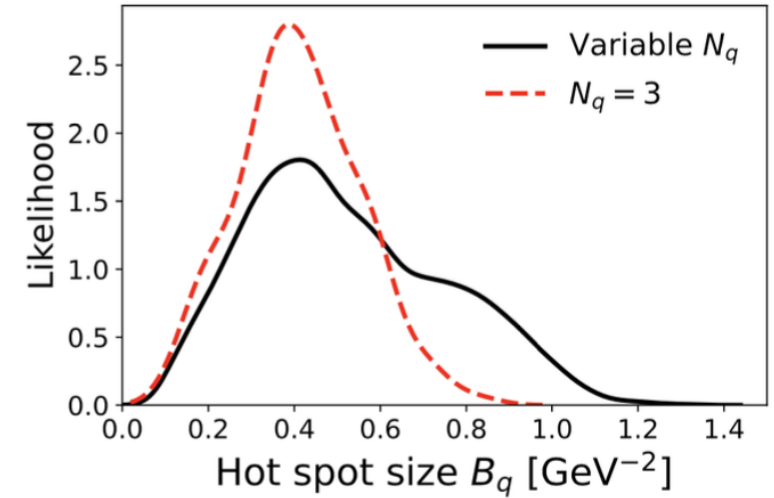
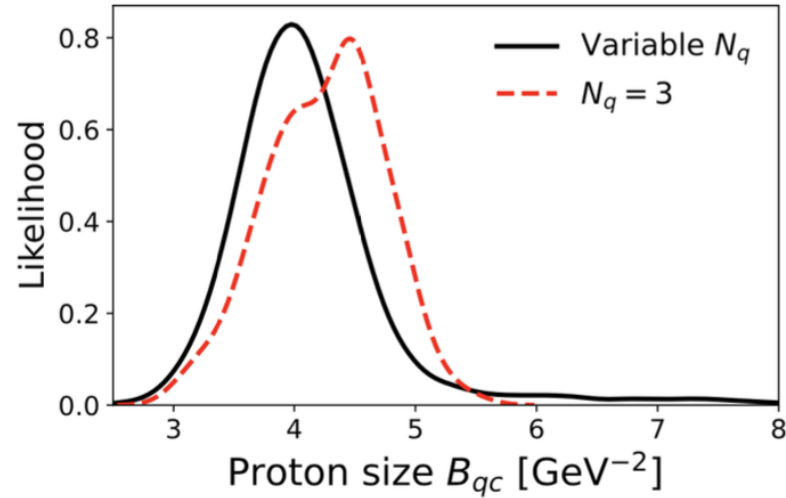
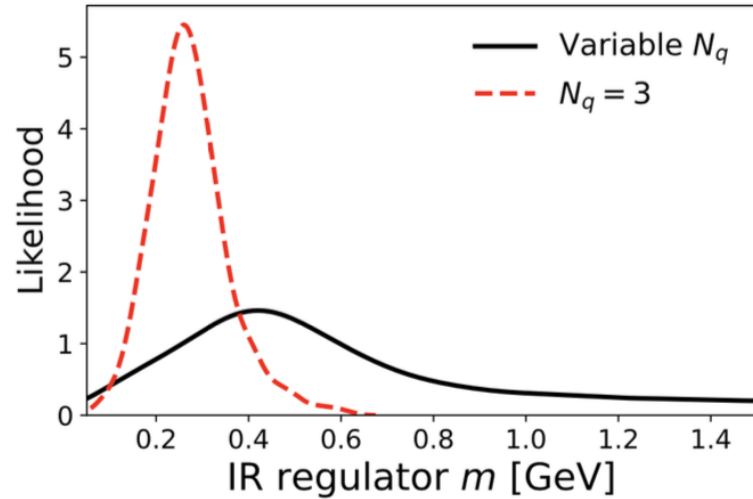
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Posterior Distribution



Proton & hotspot sizes at high energy



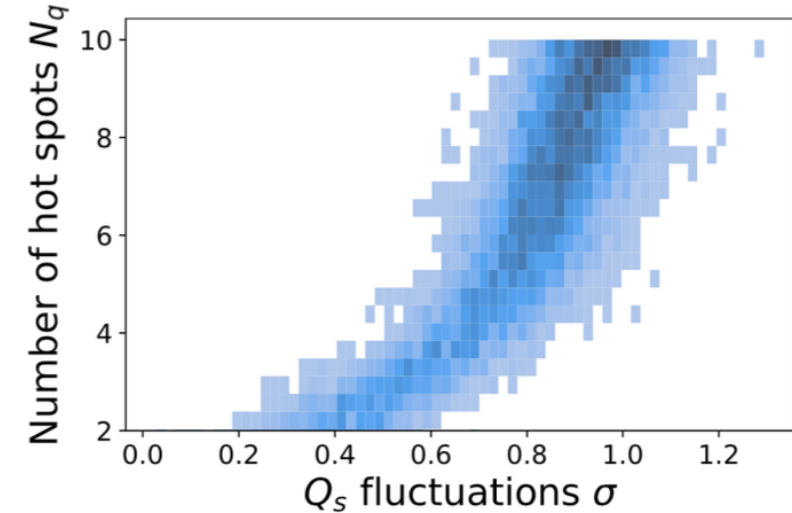
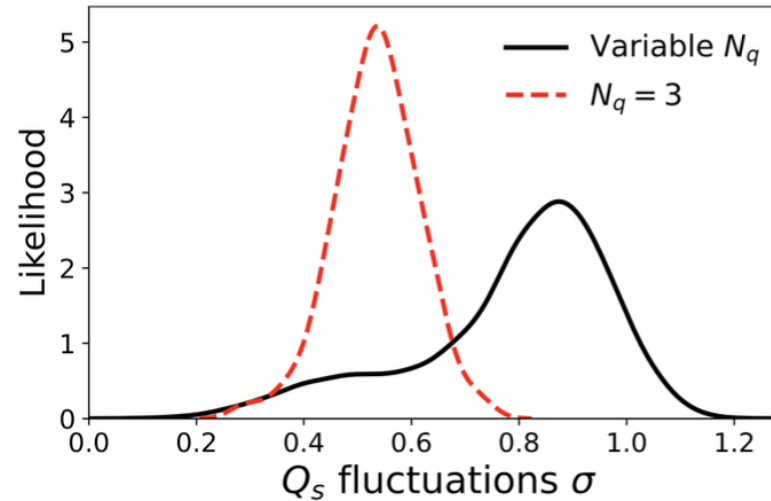
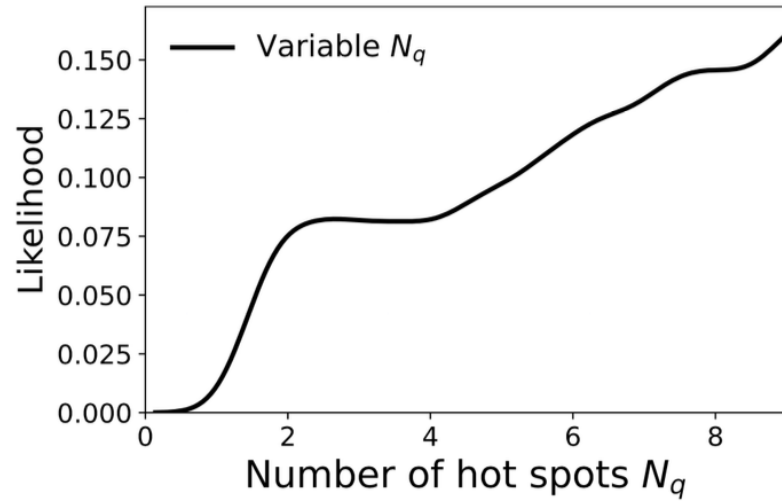
- Some parameters are well constrained .
- Wider posterior distributions for the varying N_q case.
- The 2D RMS proton radius $R_{rms} = \sqrt{2(B_{qc} + B_q)} \sim 0.6$ fm, which is consistent with the results in heavy-ion collisions.

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Degeneracy in the number of hot spots



- The likelihood of number of hot spots N_q increases monotonously.
- Large N_q partially compensated by large Q_s fluctuations, $\sigma \propto \sqrt{N_q}$, “number of effective hot spots” $< N_q$
- Proton’s event-by-event fluctuating density profile:

$$T_p(\mathbf{b}_\perp) = \frac{1}{N_q} \sum_{i=1}^{N_q} p_i T_q(\mathbf{b}_\perp - \mathbf{b}_{\perp,i}), \quad P(\ln p_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left[-\frac{\ln^2 p_i}{2\sigma^2}\right].$$

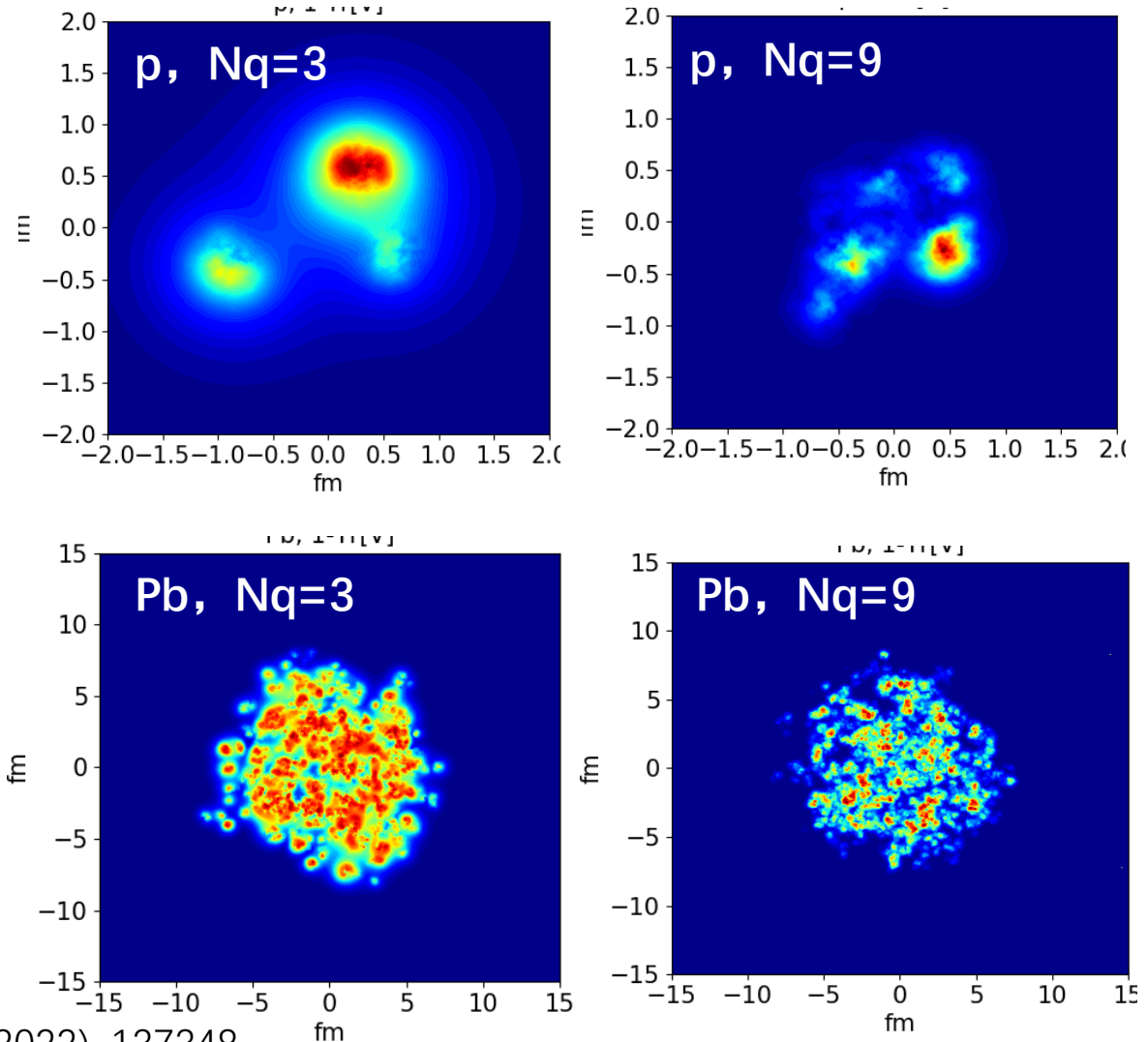
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MAP of fixed $N_q=3$ and $N_q=9$

Parameter	Description	$N_q = 9$	$N_q = 3$
m [GeV]	Infrared regulator	0.780	0.246
B_{qc} [GeV $^{-2}$]	Proton size	3.98	4.45
B_q [GeV $^{-2}$]	Hot spot size	0.594	0.346
σ	Magnitude of Q_s fluctuations	0.932	0.563
$Q_s/(g^2\mu)$	$Q_s \Rightarrow$ color charge density	0.492	0.747
$d_{q,Min}$ [fm]	Min hot spot distance	0.265	0.254
N_q	Number of hot spots	3	9
S	Hydro normalization	0.1135	0.235

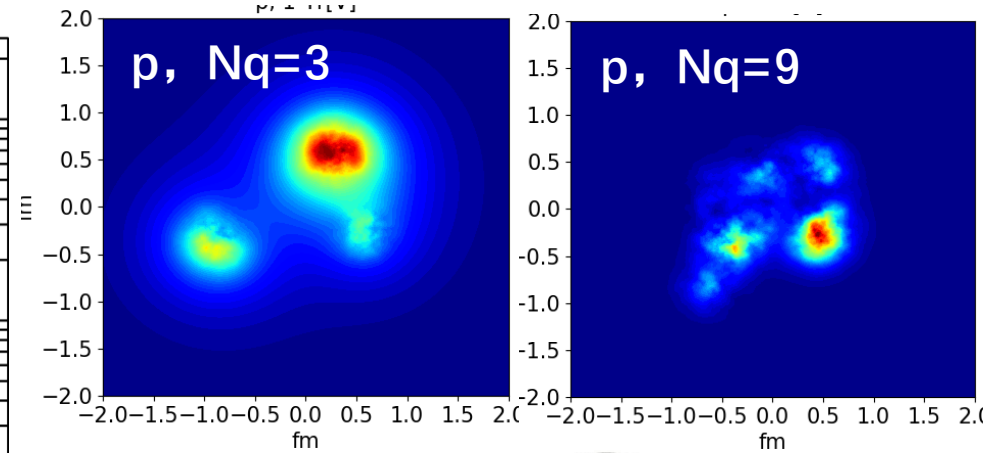
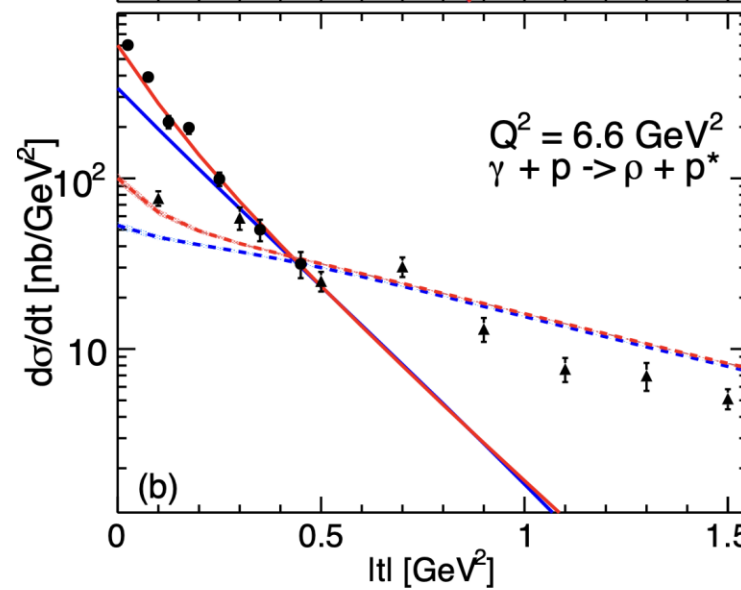
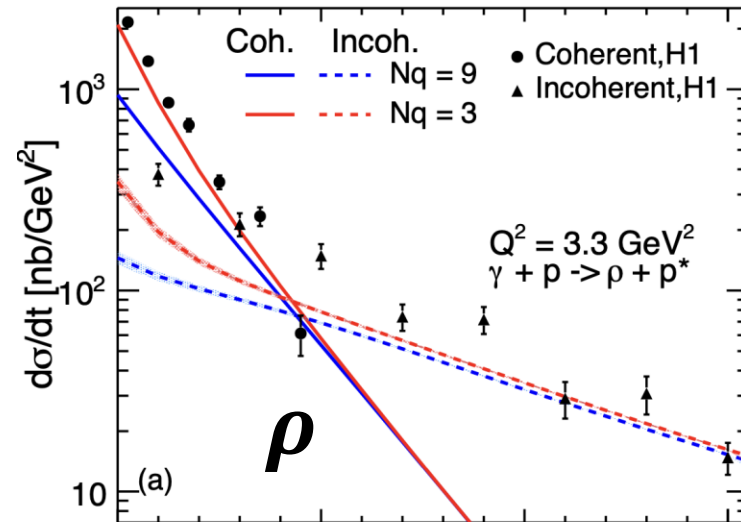
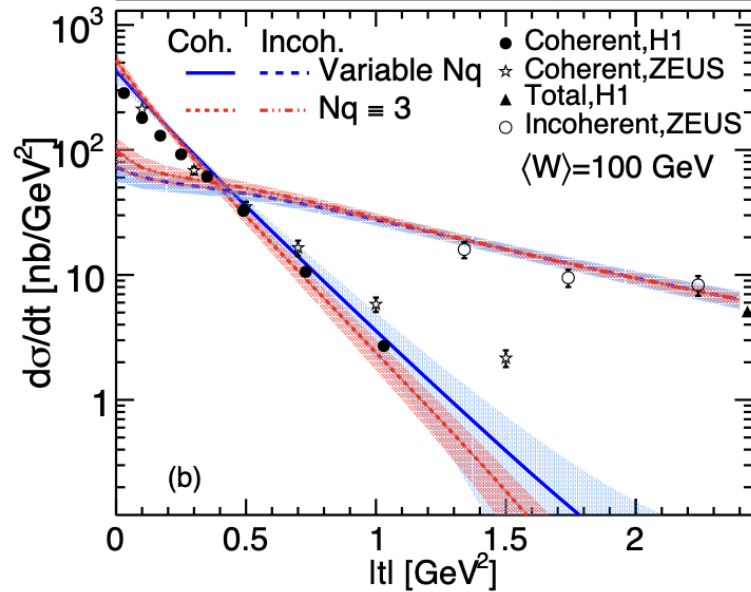
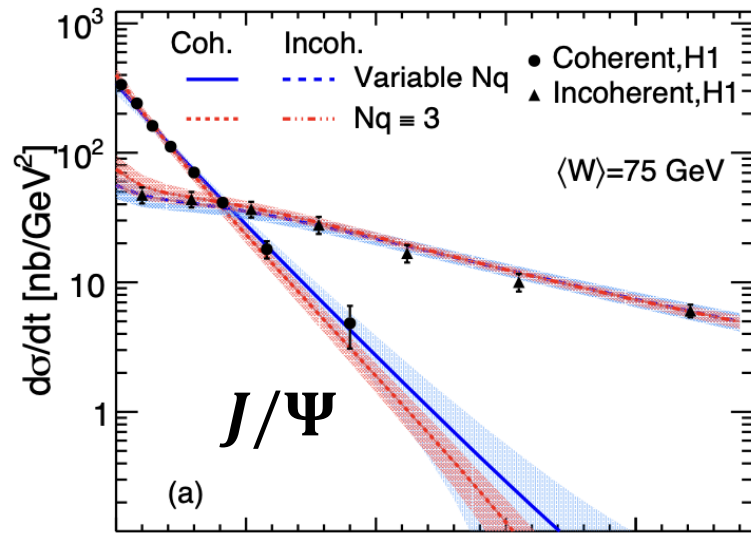
- The $N_q=3$ and $N_q=9$ have the different configurations at large length scales.
- “See” them by the different probes.



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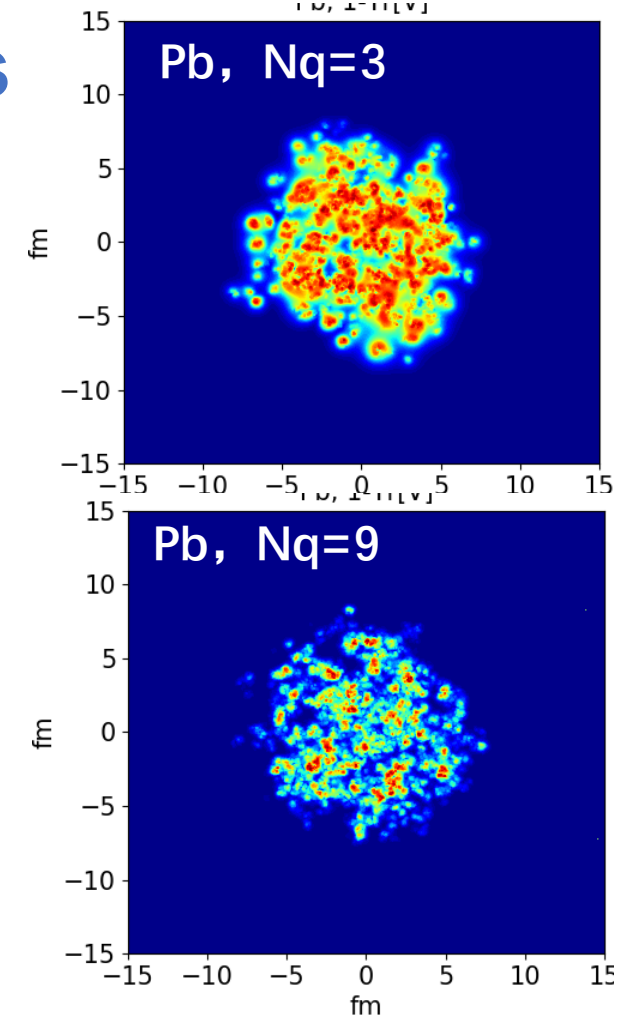
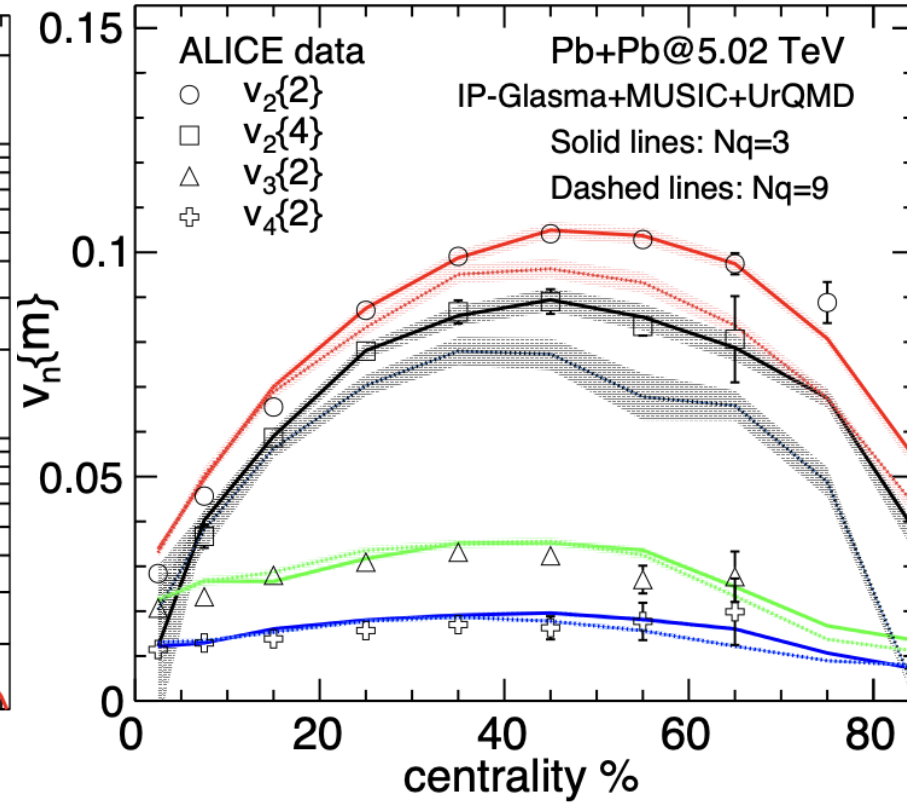
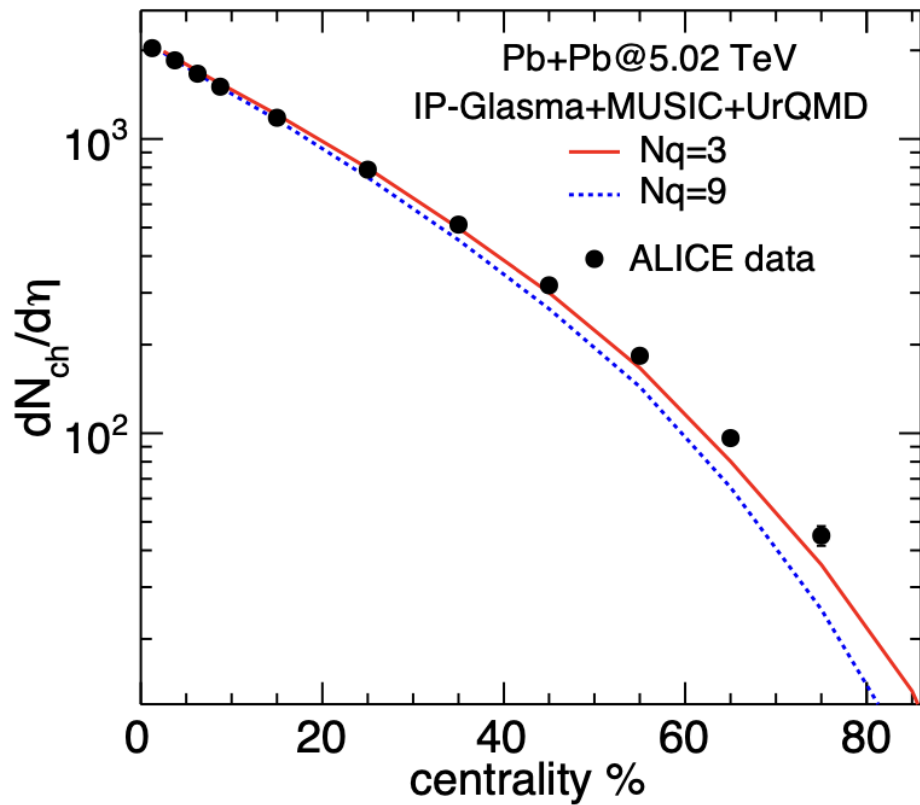
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Probing protons at different resolutions



- The ρ mesons probe proton fluctuations at large length scales.
- Large differences observed for ρ productions between $N_q=3$ and $N_q=9$ MAPs.
- Larger Q^2 , smaller difference.

Connecting to Relativistic Nuclear Collisions

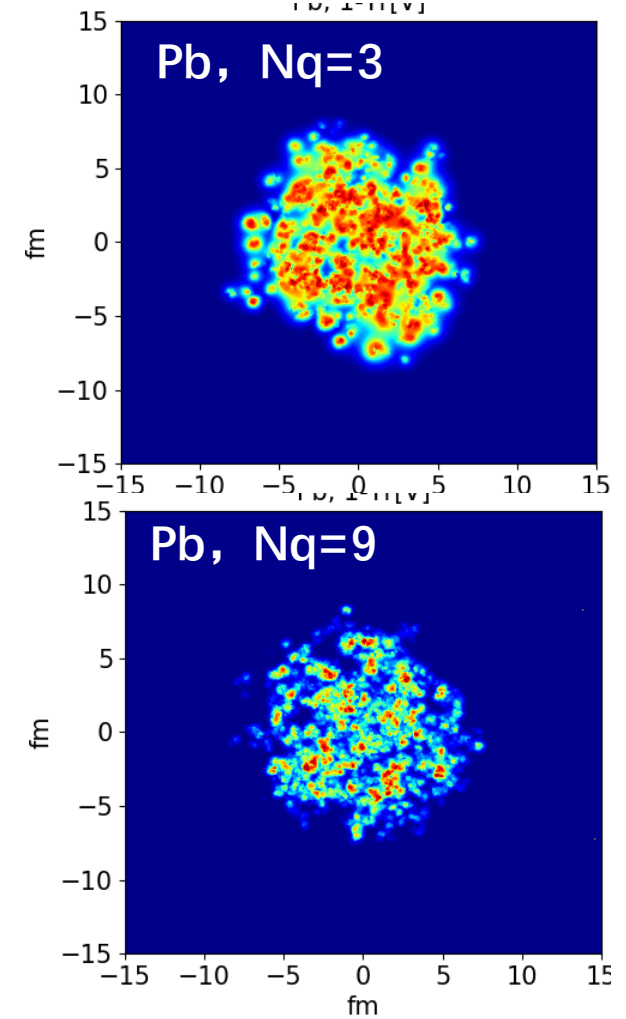
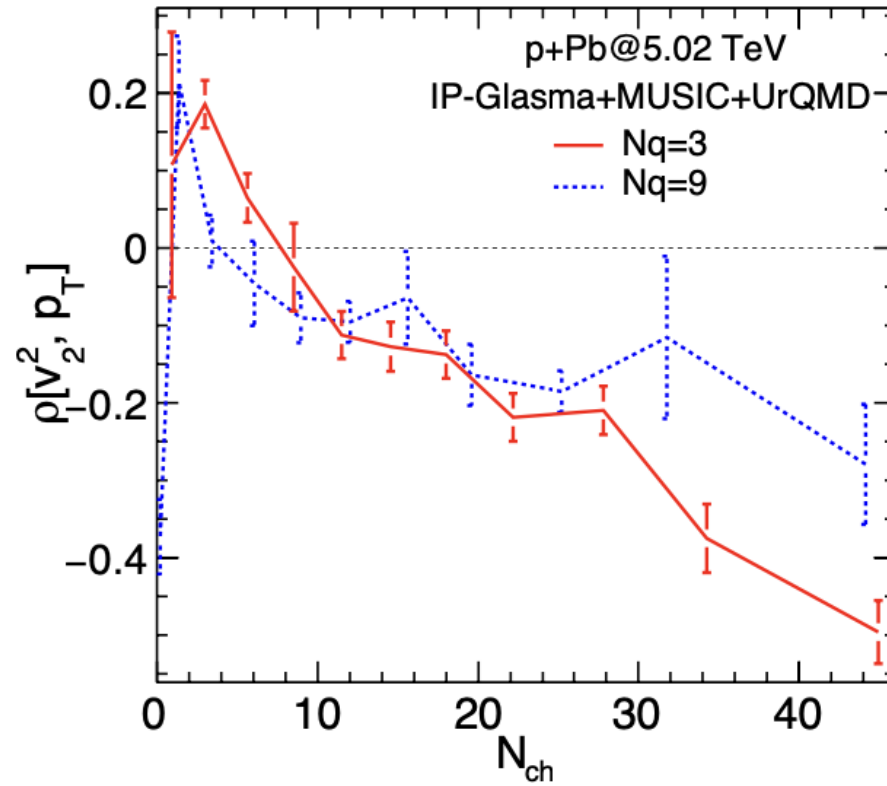
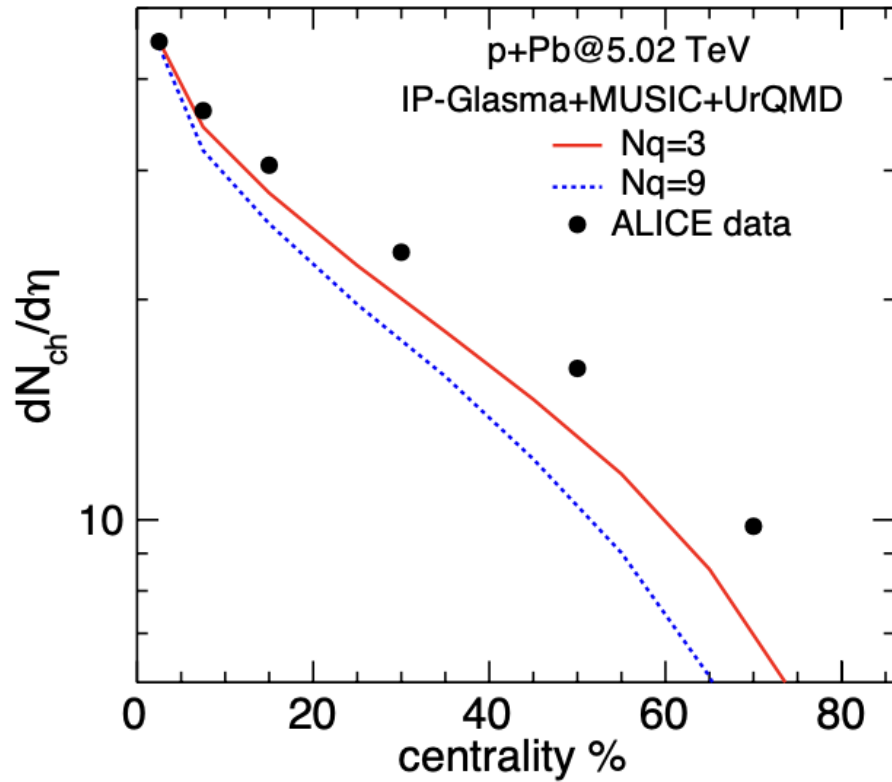


- The multiplicity distributions and elliptic flow coefficients in Pb+Pb collisions favor the small Nq case.

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p + Pb Collisions

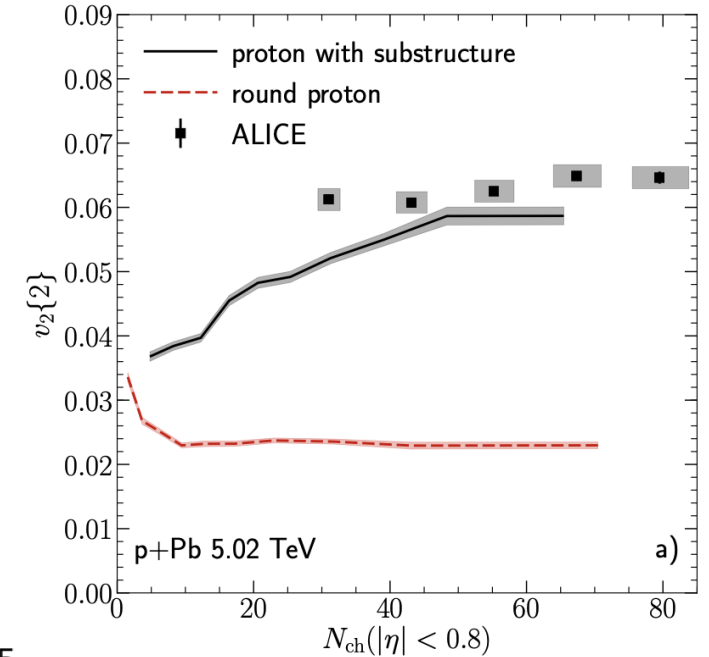
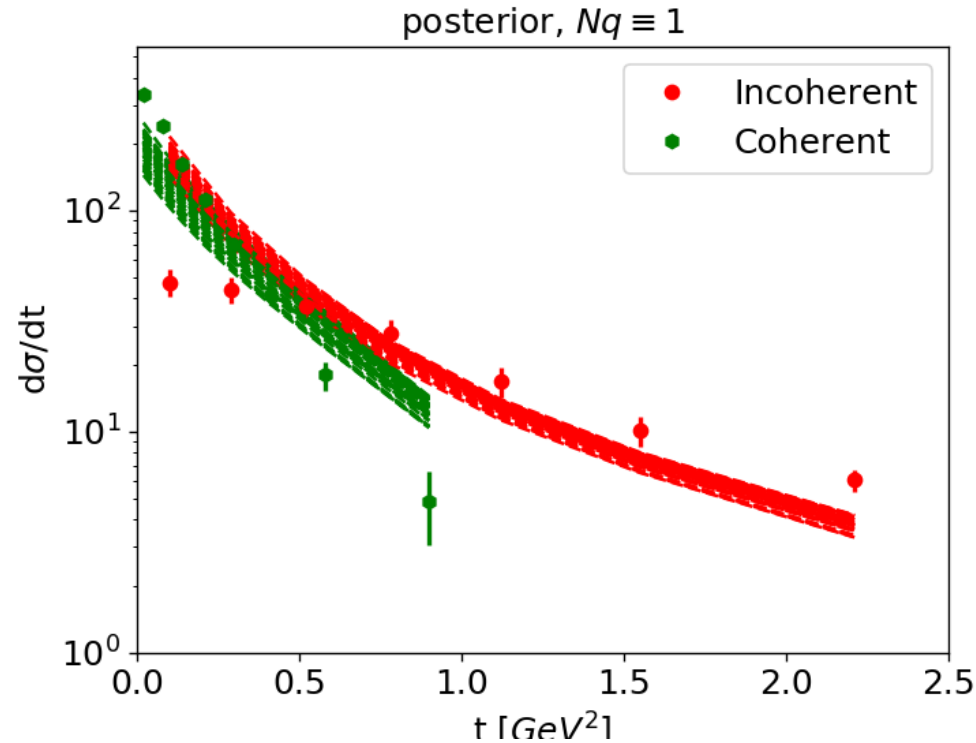
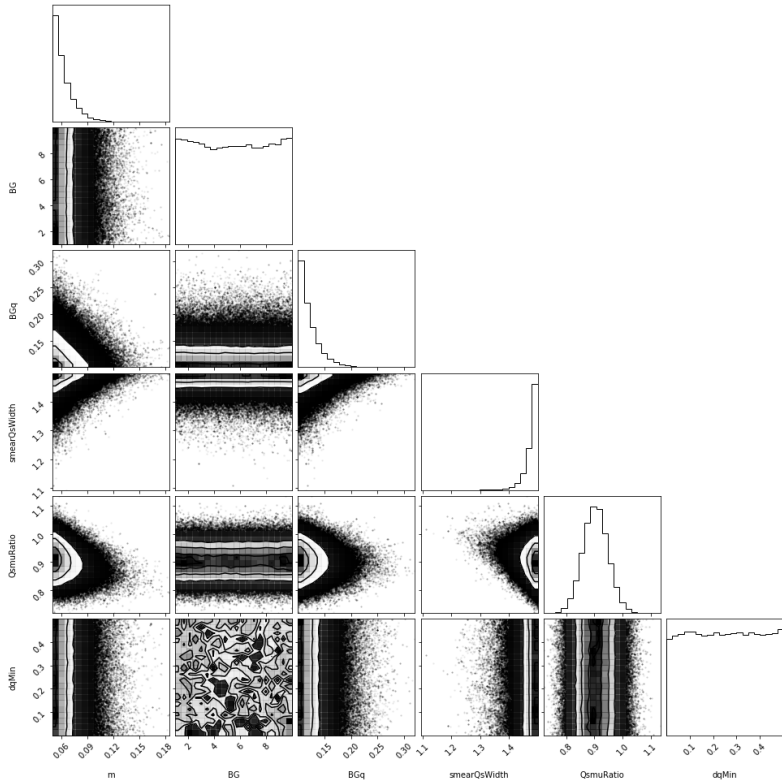


- Similar to Pb+Pb case, p+Pb favors the small Nq case as well.
- $v_2 - p_T$ correlator in p+Pb identified as a promising observable.
- We would like to explore more experimental constraints using HERA + LHC Pb+Pb and p+Pb data

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Fixed $Nq \equiv 1$ cases

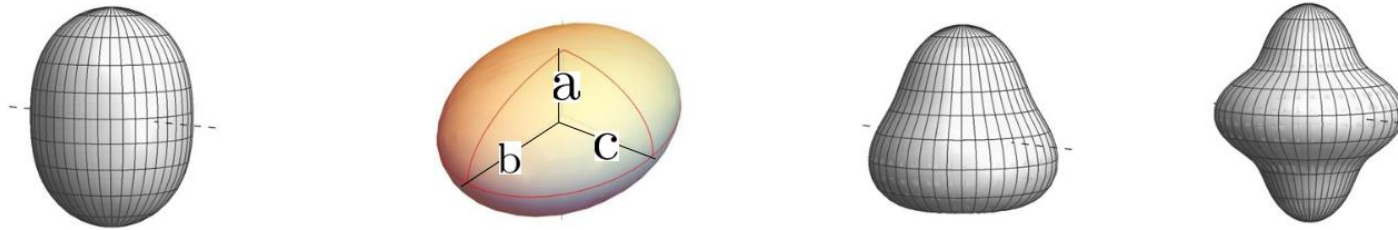


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- Bayesian analysis with fixed $Nq \equiv 1$ can't extract the parameter set to fit the HERA data.
- It's consistent with the hydrodynamic results.

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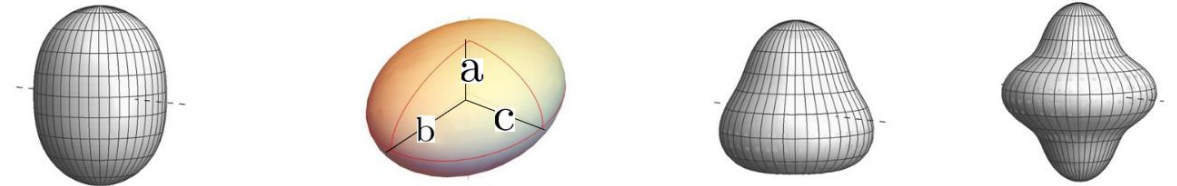
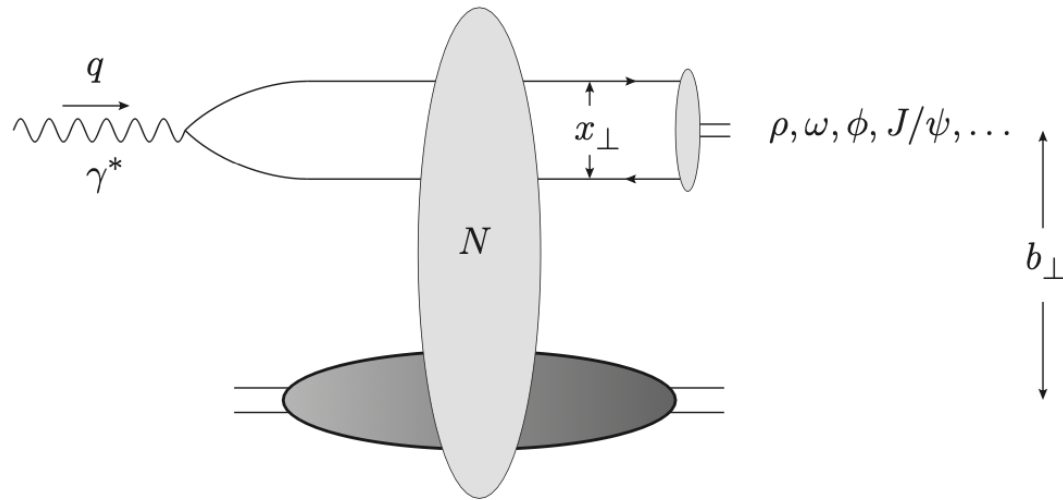
Accessing nuclear deformation at small x



Nuclear structure

Generalized Woods-Saxon profile

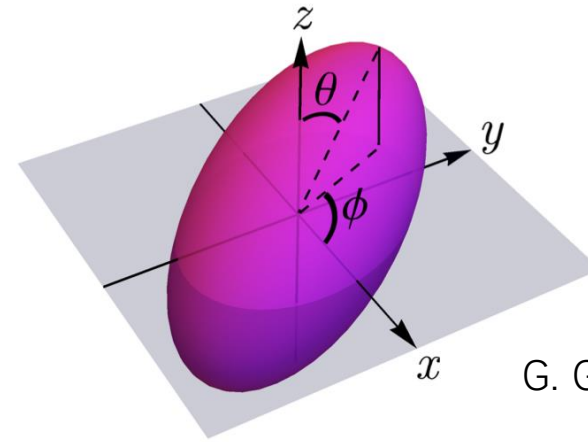
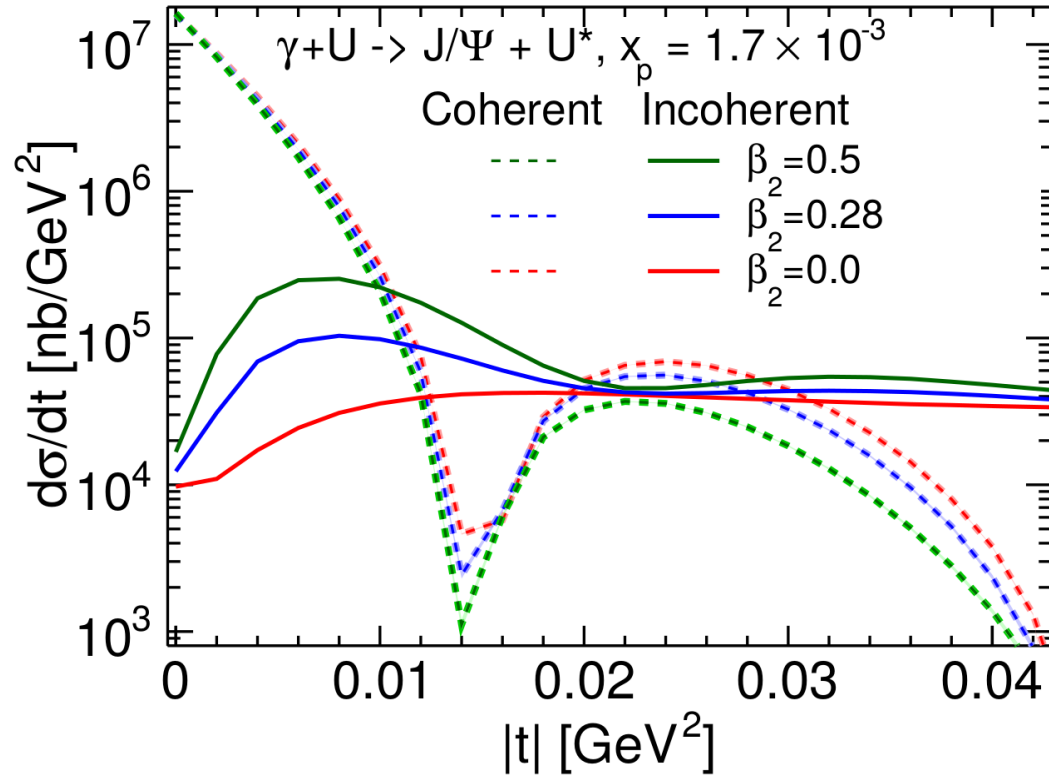
$$\rho(r, \Theta, \Phi) \propto \frac{1}{1 + \exp([r - R(\Theta, \Phi)]/a)}, \quad R(\Theta, \Phi) = R_0 \left[1 + \beta_2 \left(\cos \gamma Y_{20}(\Theta) + \sin \gamma Y_{22}(\Theta, \Phi) \right) + \beta_3 Y_{30}(\Theta) + \beta_4 Y_{40}(\Theta) \right]$$



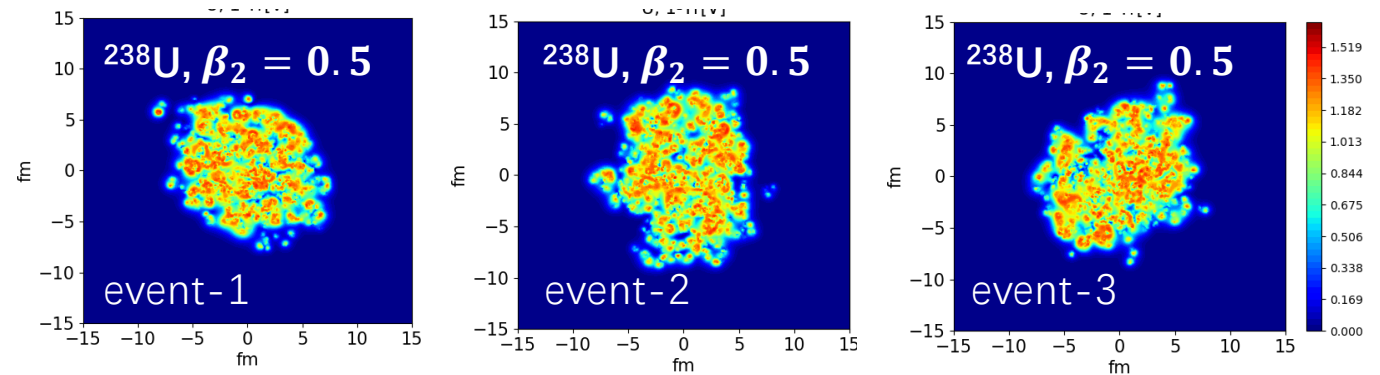
Taken from Giuliano's slide

- Sample nucleon positions based on the Wood—Saxon distribution.
- Different deformation parameters controls the geometric deformation at different length scale.
- Probe the nuclear geometric deformation (deformed gluon density distributions) by the diffractive process.

$$\gamma^* + U \rightarrow J/\psi + U^*$$



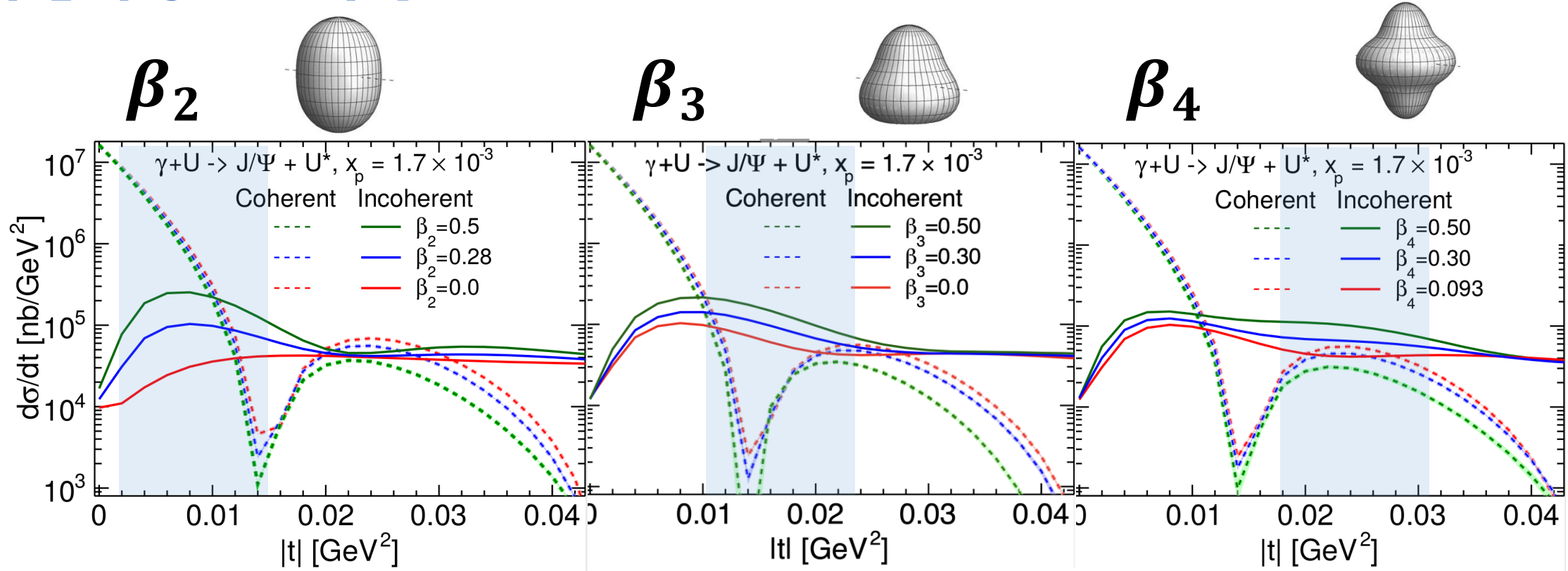
G. Giacalone, arXiv: 2004.14463



- With $\beta > 0$, the configurations projected onto x-y plane have great fluctuations.
- β_2 quadrupole deformation of the nucleus affects incoherent cross section at small $|t|$ (large length scales) and provides direct information on the nuclear structure at small x .

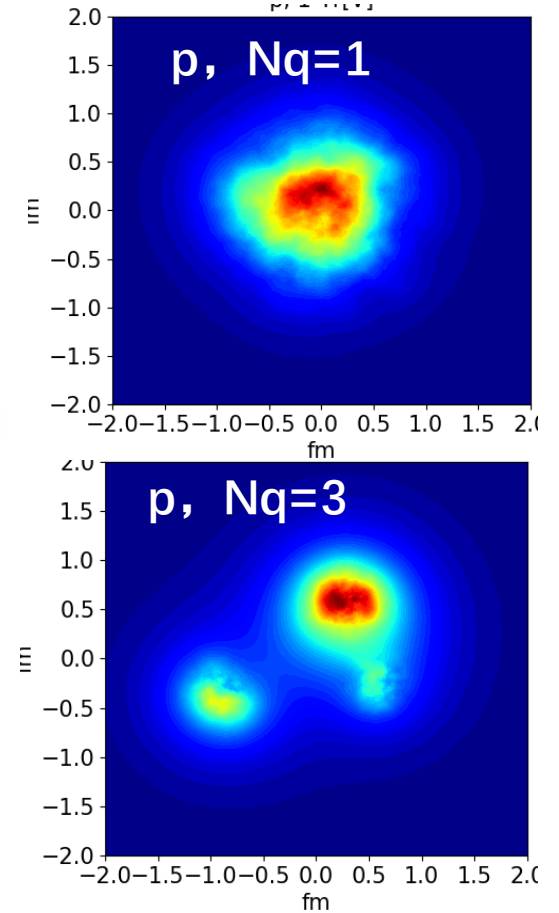
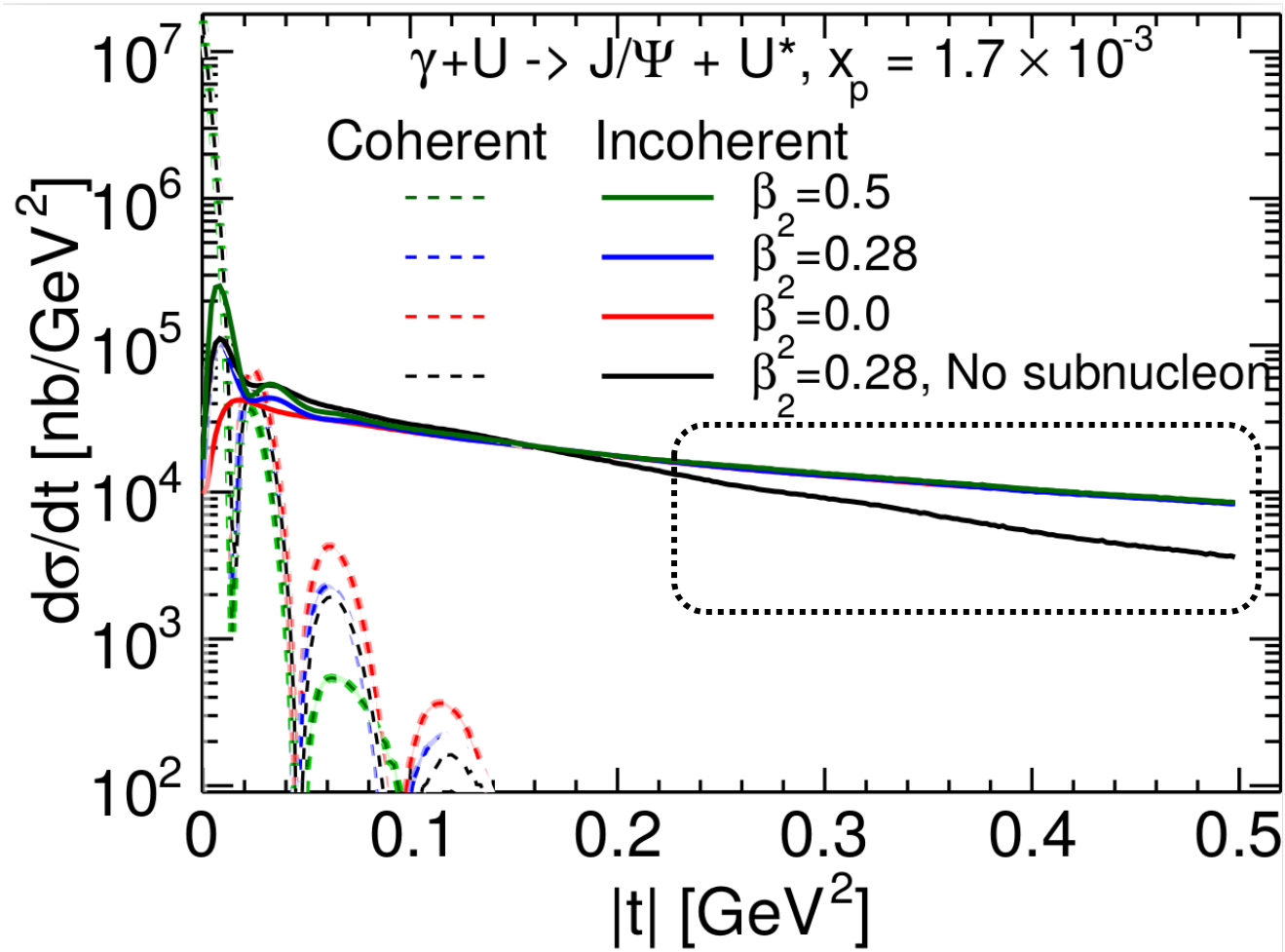
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$\beta_2, \beta_3, \text{ and } \beta_4$



- β_2, β_3 and β_4 manifest themselves at different $|t|$ regions (different length scales).
- Different values of deformations don't affect the location of the first minimum of the coherent cross sections ($t_{first\ dip} \sim 1/R^2$). $\frac{d\sigma^{\gamma^*p \rightarrow Vp}}{dt} \sim e^{-B_p|t|}$,
- In the future, we will train the emulator with diffractive results. Then use trained emulator to predict the Woods-Saxon deformation parameters.

"See" sub-nucleon structures

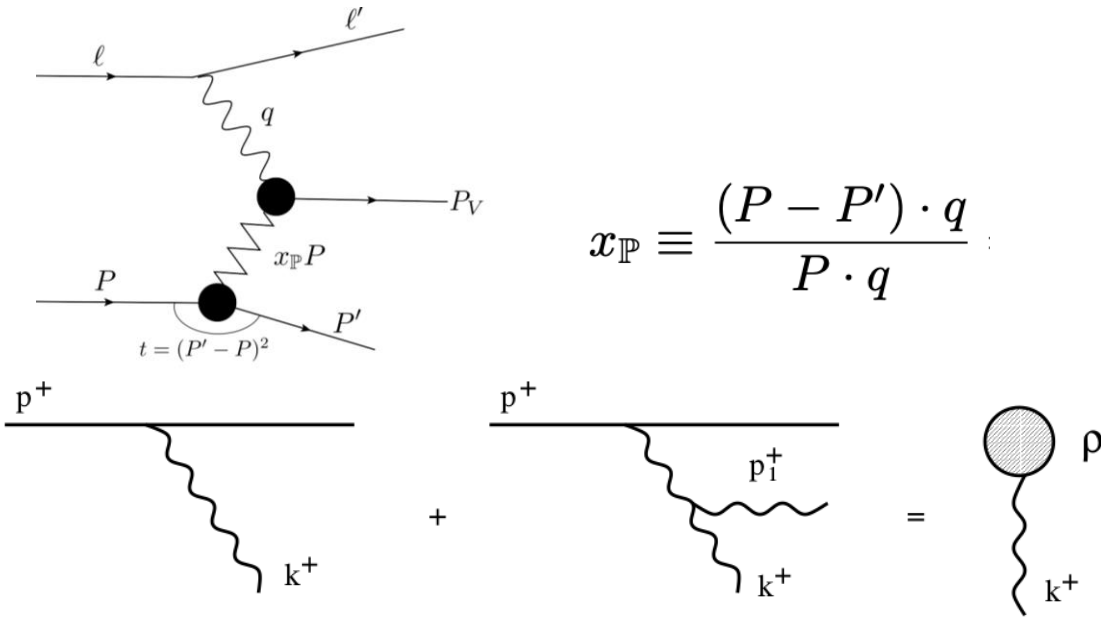


- High $|t|$ region of gamma + A incoherent cross section probes sub-nucleon structures.

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JIMWLK evolution to smaller x_p

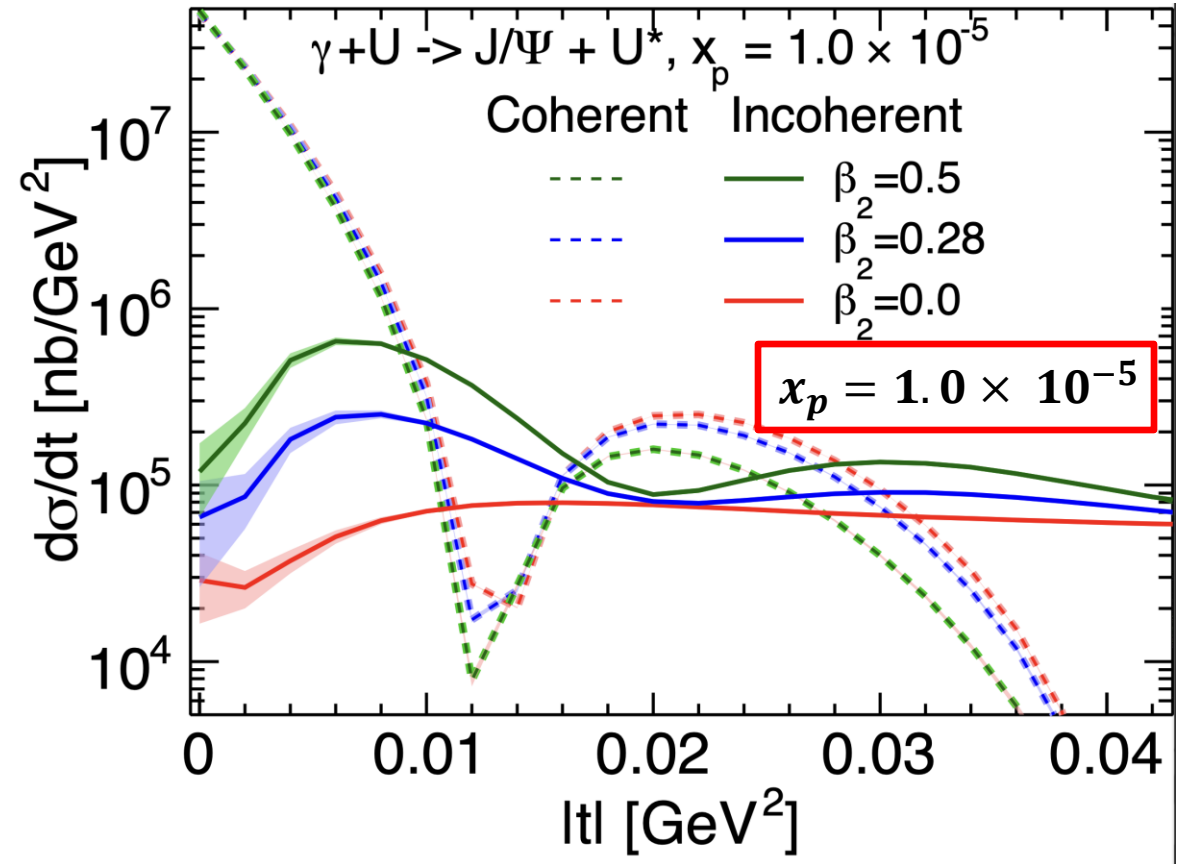


JIMWLK evolution:

1. Evolve the Wilson lines with energy (or rapidity) according to the Langevin equation.
2. Assuming the random noise is Gaussian and local in coordinates, color, and rapidity.

(More details in the back-up.)

- Absorb the quantum fluctuations in the middle x range into the color sources.



- JIMWLK evolution doesn't wash out this effects.

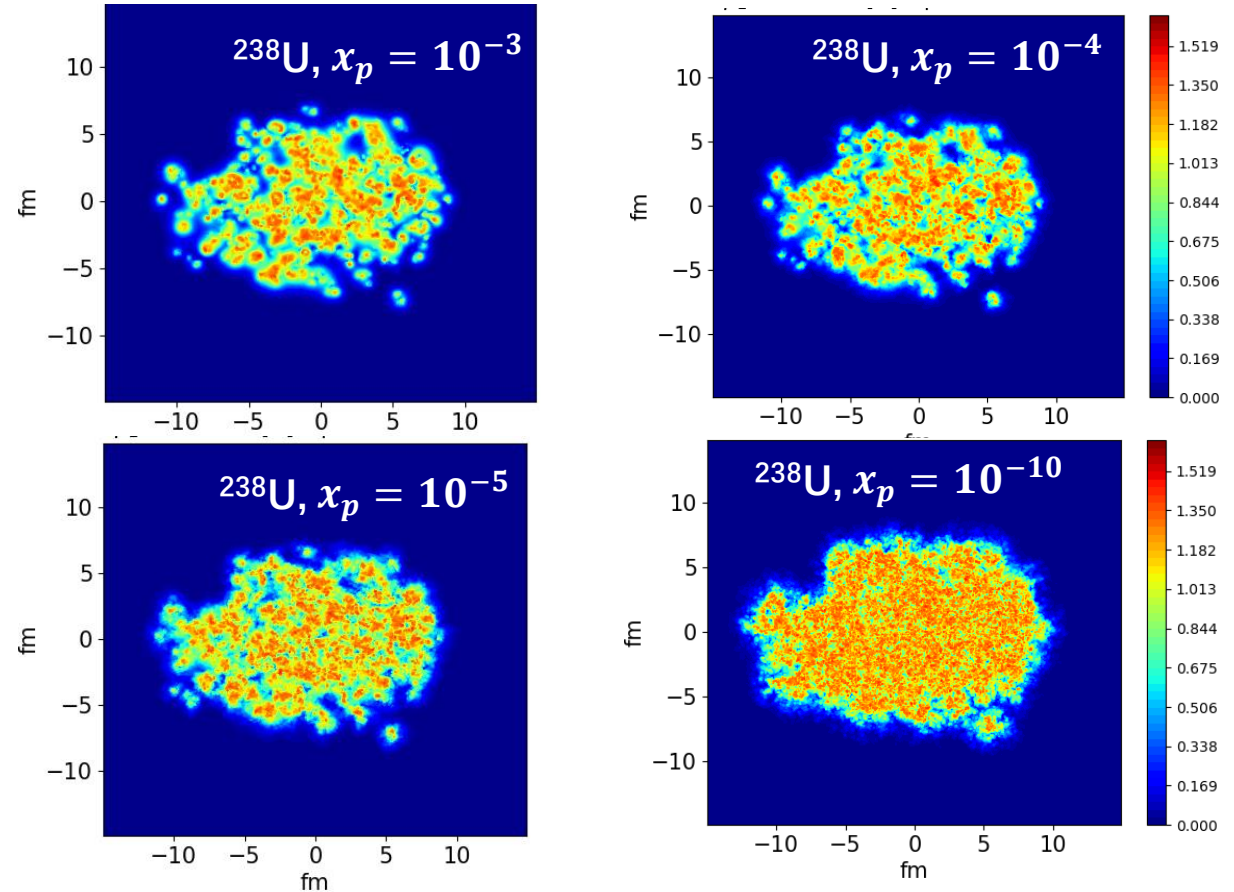
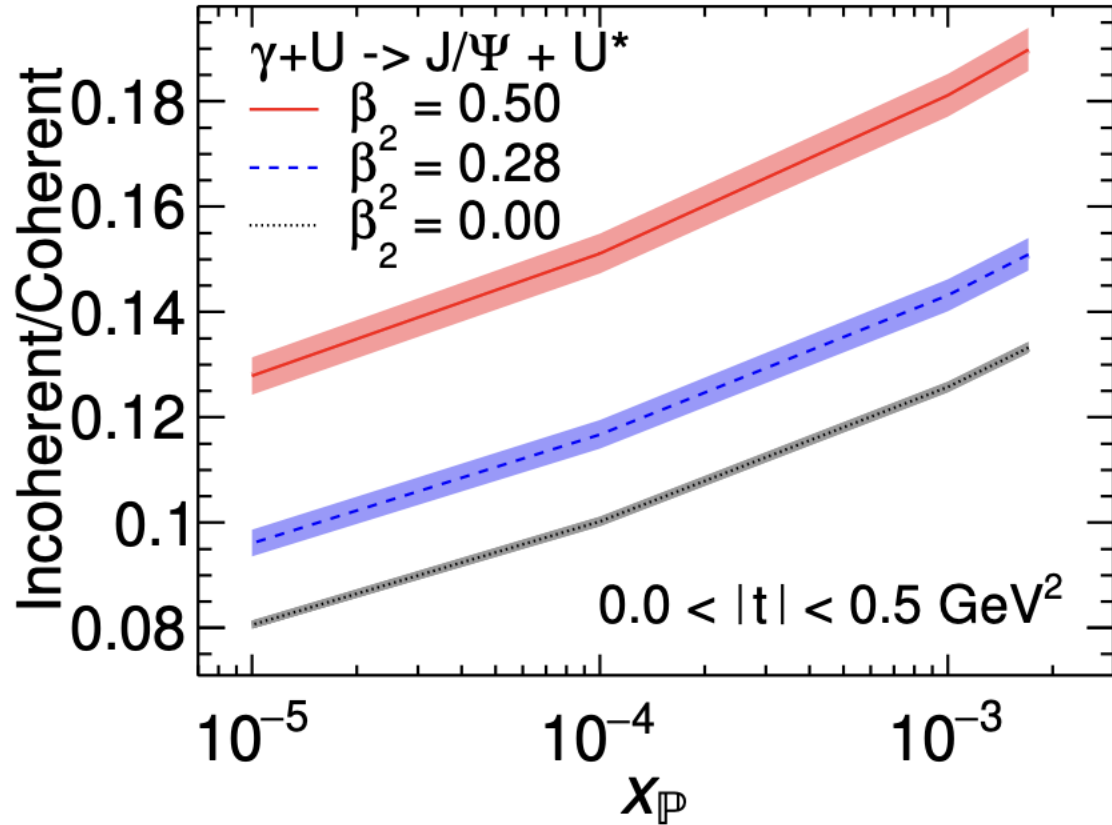
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JIMWLK evolution to smaller x_p

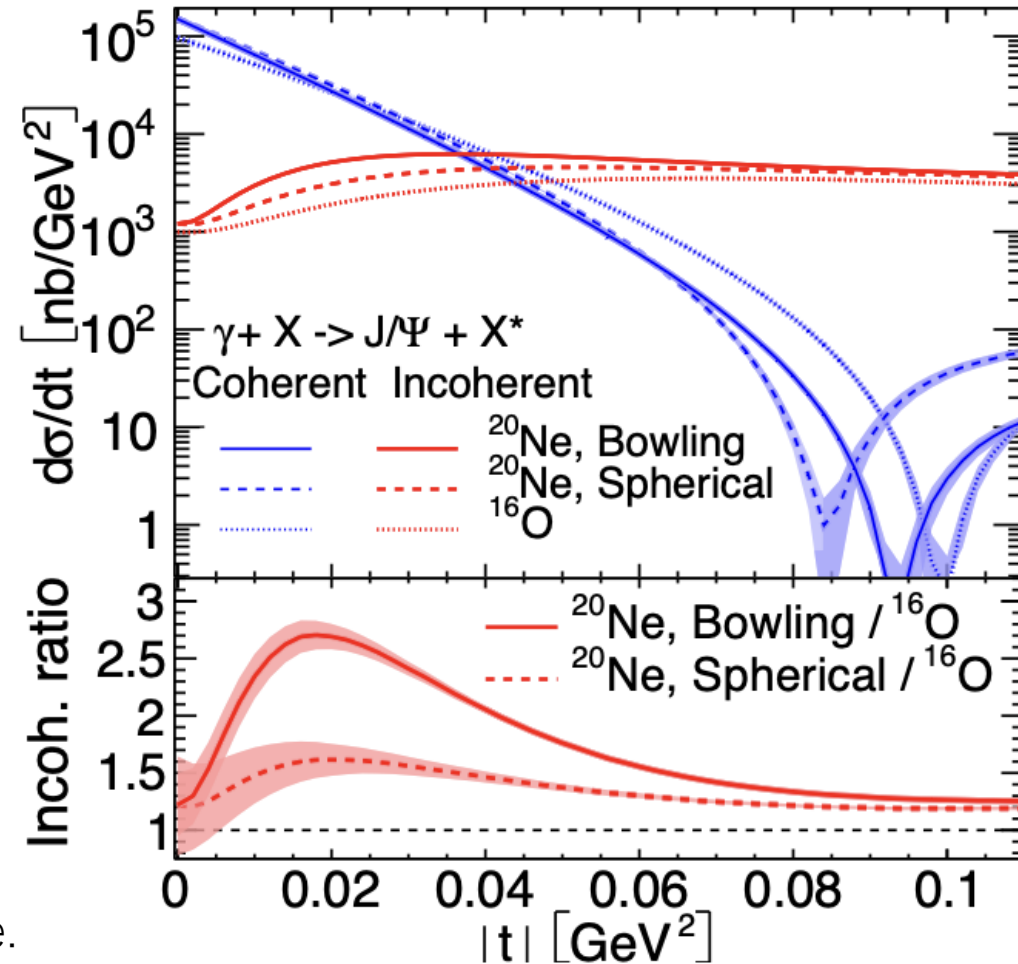
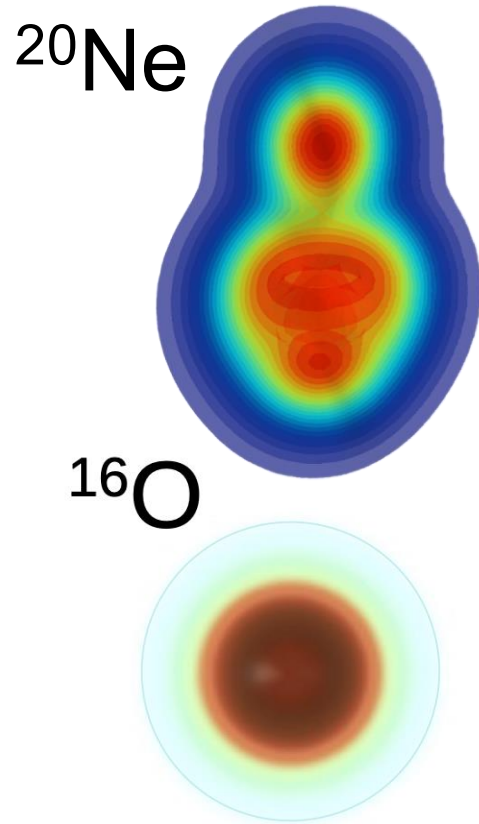


- Incoherent-to-coherent ratio effectively suppresses model uncertainties from wave functions.
- At smaller x_p , nucleon is smoother, reduces the fluctuations, decreases Incoherent-to-coherent ratio.
- JIMWLK evolution doesn't wash out difference between different β_2 (β_2 controls overall shape).

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Probing ^{20}Ne and ^{16}O



Nucleon density distribution is taken from G. Giacalone.

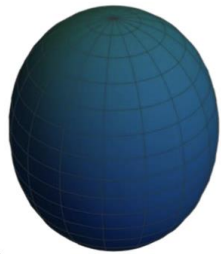
- Incoherent cross section at small $|t|$ captures the deformation of the ^{20}Ne .
- Significant difference between ^{20}Ne and ^{16}O diffractive cross sections is observed.

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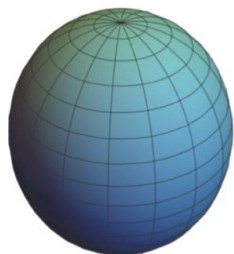
Probing isobar, Ru/Zr

system to run	R_0 (fm)	a_0 (fm)	β_2	β_3	γ ($^\circ$)	dmin(fm)
Case1 ($^{96}\text{Ru}+^{96}\text{Ru}$) [full ^{96}Ru]	5.09	0.46	0.16	0	30	0.0
Case2 ($^{96}\text{Ru}+^{96}\text{Ru}$)	5.09	0.46	0.16	0	0	0.9
Case3 ($^{96}\text{Ru}+^{96}\text{Ru}$)	5.09	0.46	0.16	0.20	0	0.9
Case4 ($^{96}\text{Ru}+^{96}\text{Ru}$)	5.09	0.46	0.06	0.20	0	0.9
Case5 ($^{96}\text{Ru}+^{96}\text{Ru}$)	5.09	0.52	0.06	0.20	0	0.9
Case6 ($^{96}\text{Zr}+^{96}\text{Zr}$) [full ^{96}Zr]	5.02	0.52	0.06	0.20	0	0.9

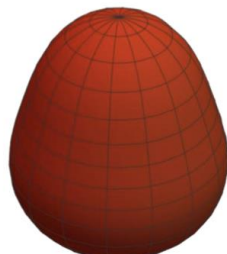
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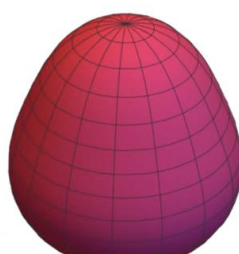
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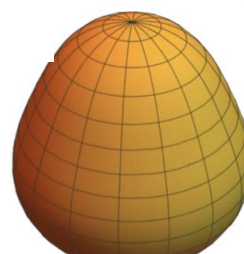
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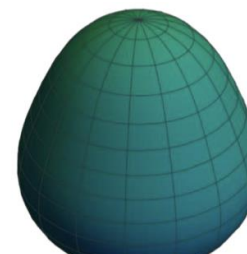
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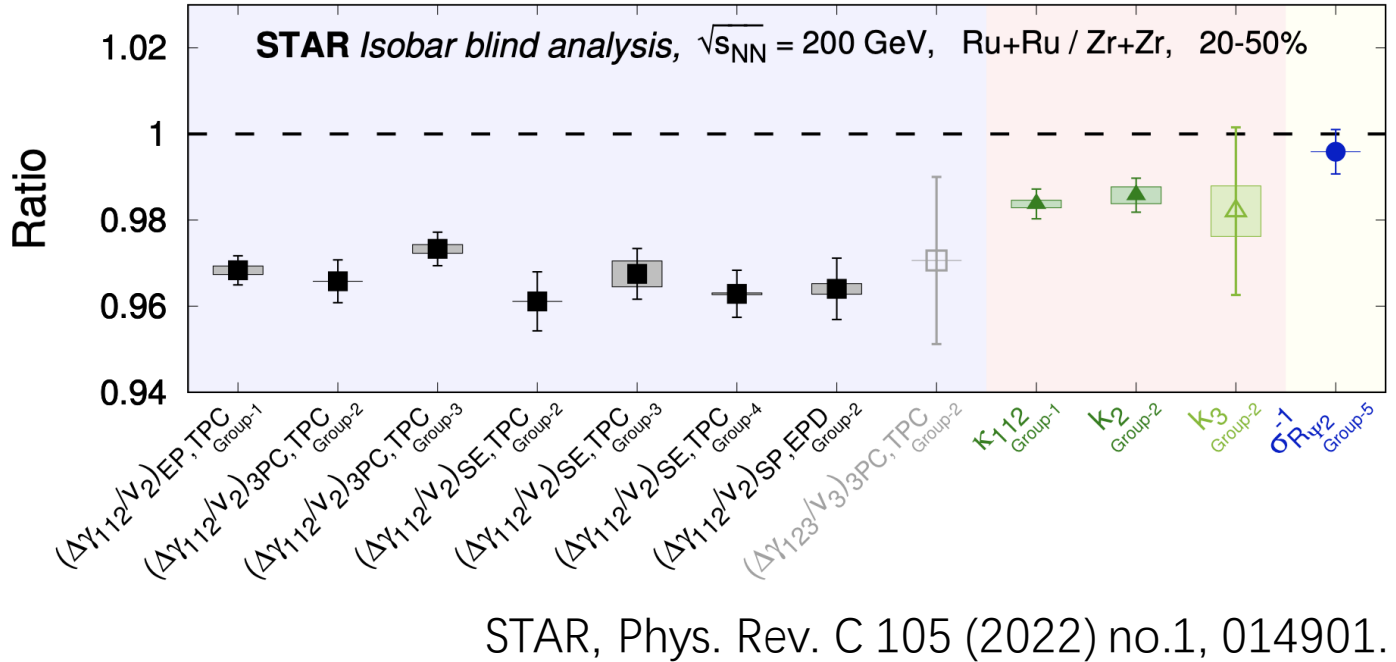
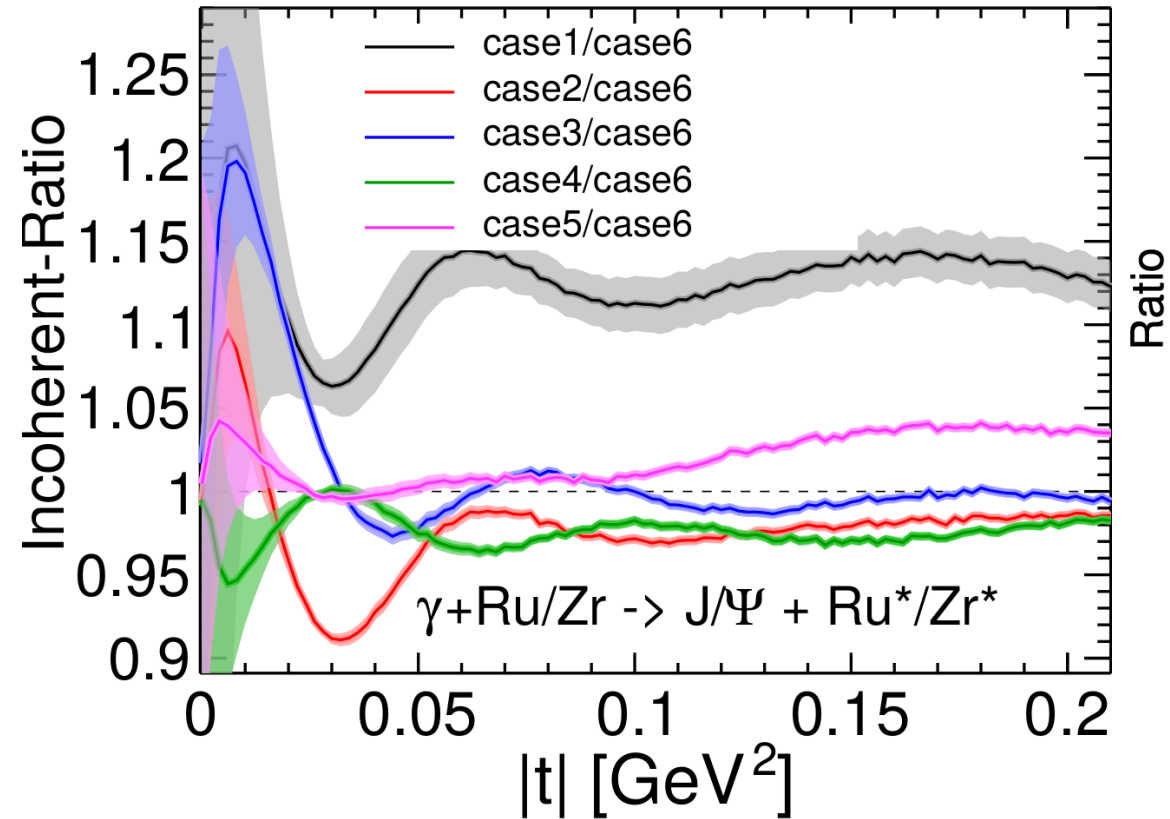
case5



case6

- Impose a minimal distance, dmin, between nucleons. Taken from Willian Matioli Serenone's slide.
- When a nucleon is added and violates the minimum distance criterion with one or more already sampled nucleons, we resample its azimuthal angle ϕ to keep the distributions of radial distances and polar angles unchanged. ($\gamma \neq 0$, dmin = 0.0 fm)

Probing isobar, Ru/Zr



- Differences of incoherent J/Ψ productions cross section between case2 -- case6 are within 5%.
- The difference between case1 and others mainly comes from d_{min} .

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Summary

- We perform the first Bayesian analysis to constrain the proton shape fluctuations from diffractive J/Ψ data at HERA.
- Diffractive vector meson production is sensitive to average nuclear shape and fluctuations!
- JIMWLK evolution doesn't wash out this effect.
- Outlook
 1. Global analysis of HERA + LHC flow data.
 2. Train the emulator with diffractive results. Then use trained emulator predict the Woods-Saxon deformation parameters.

Thanks for Your Attentions!

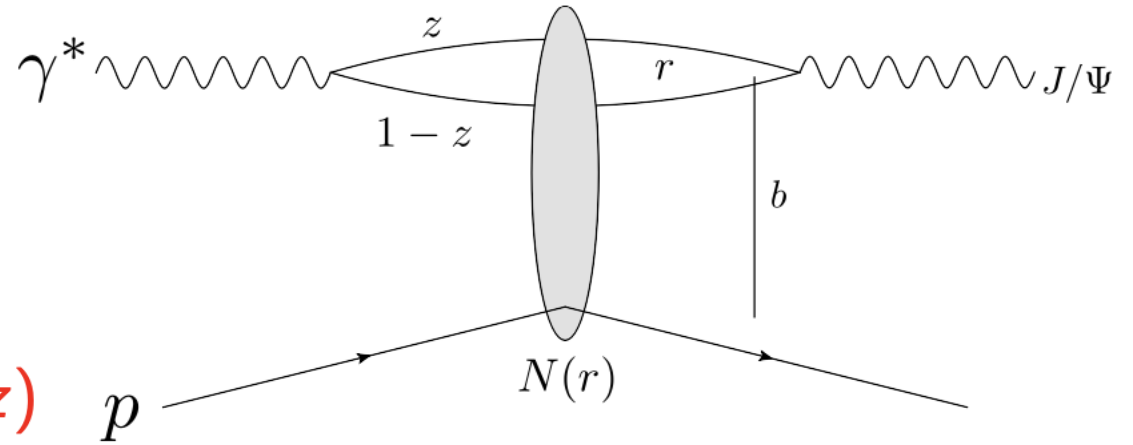
Back Up

back up

Diffractive vector meson production

High energy factorization:

- 1 $\gamma^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ splitting, wave function $\Psi^\gamma(r, Q^2, z)$
- 2 $q\bar{q}$ dipole scatters elastically
- 3 $q\bar{q} \rightarrow J/\Psi$, wave function $\Psi^V(r, Q^2, z)$



Diffractive scattering amplitude

Theoretically: no net color transfer

$$\mathcal{A}^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} \sim \int d^2 b dz d^2 r \Psi^{\gamma^*} \Psi^V(r, z, Q^2) e^{-i\mathbf{b} \cdot \Delta} N(r, x, b)$$

Impact parameter, b , is the Fourier conjugate of the momentum transfer, $\Delta \approx \sqrt{-t}$

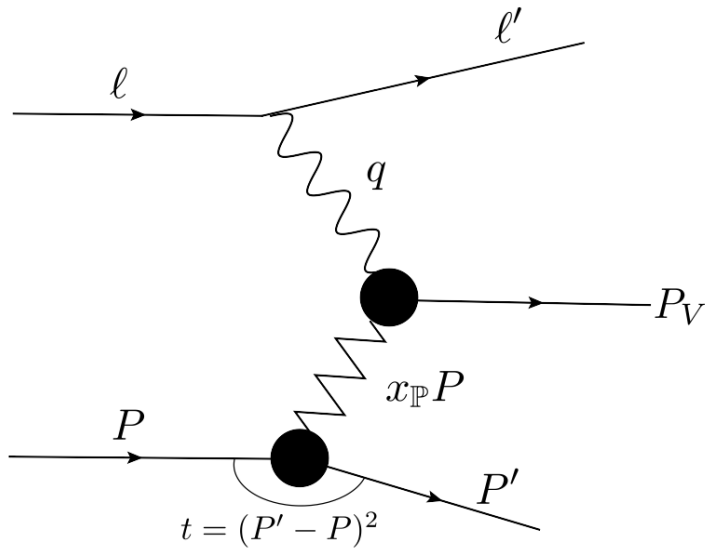
$N(\mathbf{r}_T, \mathbf{b}_T, x) = 1 - \exp(-\mathbf{r}_T^2 F(\mathbf{r}_T, x) T_p(\mathbf{b}_T))$ accesses to the spatial structure ($T_{p/A}$)

$F(\mathbf{r}_T, x) = \frac{\pi^2}{2N_c} \alpha_s(\mu^2) x g(x, \mu^2)$. $xg(x, \mu^2)$, gluon density at x and scale μ^2 ($\mu^2 \sim \mu_0^2 + 1/r_T^2$).

Miettinen, Pumplin, PRD 18, 1978; Caldwell, Kowalski, 0909.1254; Mäntysaari, Schenke, 1603.04349; Mäntysaari, 2001.10705

Parameter	Description	$N_q = 9$	$N_q = 3$
m [GeV]	Infrared regulator	0.780	0.246
B_{qc} [GeV ⁻²]	Proton size	3.98	4.45
B_q [GeV ⁻²]	Hot spot size	0.594	0.346
σ	Magnitude of Q_s fluctuations	0.932	0.563
$Q_s/(g^2\mu)$	$Q_s \Rightarrow$ color charge density	0.492	0.747
$d_{q,\text{Min}}$ [fm]	Min hot spot distance	0.265	0.254
N_q	Number of hot spots	3	9
S	Hydro normalization	0.1135	0.235

$$V_{ij}(\vec{x}_T) = \mathcal{P} \left(ig \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} A^{+,c}(z^-, \vec{x}_T) t_{ij}^c dz^- \right)$$



Evolve the Wilson lines according to the Langevin equation

$$\frac{d}{dy} V_{\mathbf{x}} = V_{\mathbf{x}} (it^a) \left[\int d^2 \mathbf{z} \varepsilon_{\mathbf{x},\mathbf{z}}^{ab,i} \xi_{\mathbf{z}}(y)_i^b + \sigma_{\mathbf{x}}^a \right].$$

The deterministic drift term is

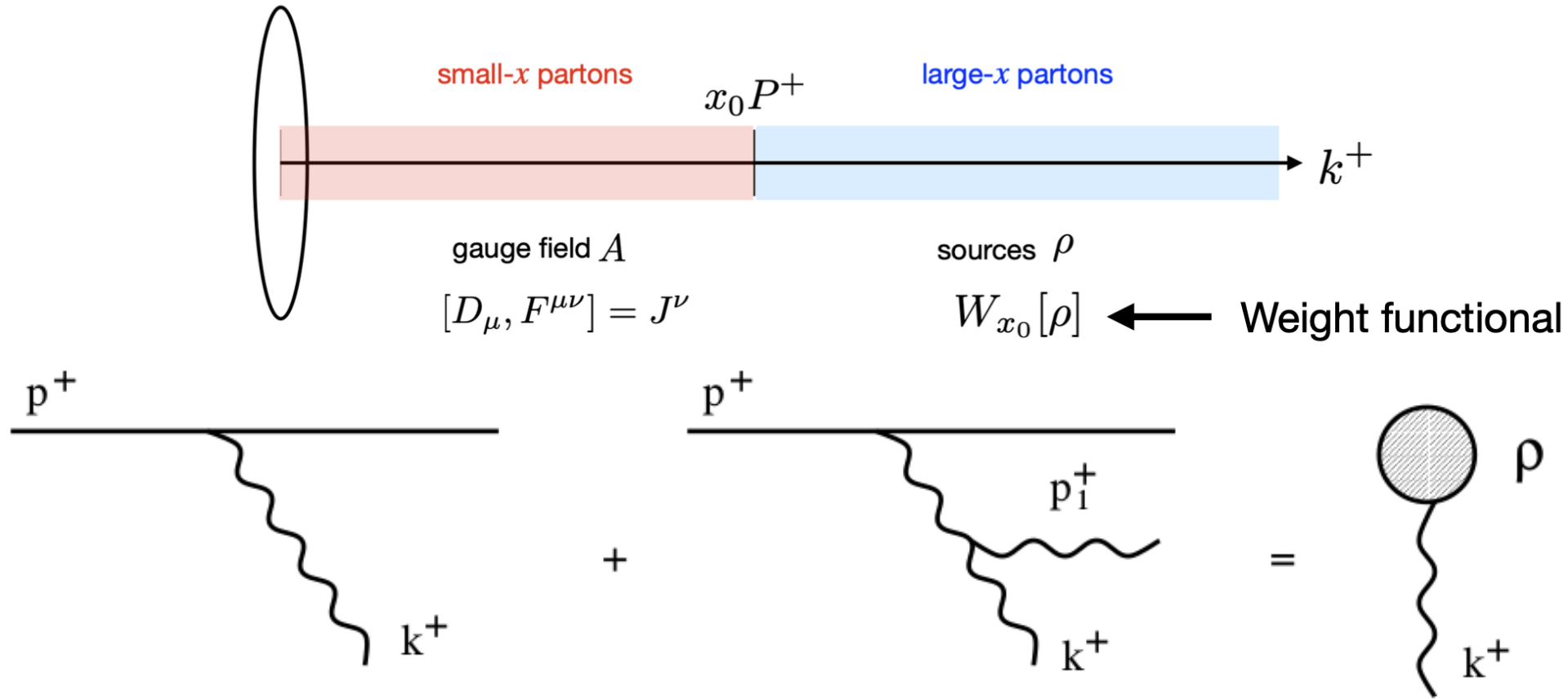
$$\sigma_{\mathbf{x}}^a = -i \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi^2} \int d^2 \mathbf{z} S_{\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{z}} \text{Tr}[T^a U_{\mathbf{x}}^\dagger U_{\mathbf{z}}], \quad S_{\mathbf{x}} = 1/\mathbf{x}^2$$

The random noise is Gaussian and local in coordinates, color, and rapidity with expectation value zero and

$$\langle \xi_{\mathbf{x},i}^a(y) \xi_{\mathbf{y},j}^b(y') \rangle = \delta^{ab} \delta^{ij} \delta_{\mathbf{xy}}^{(2)} \delta(y - y').$$

The coefficient of the noise in the stochastic term is

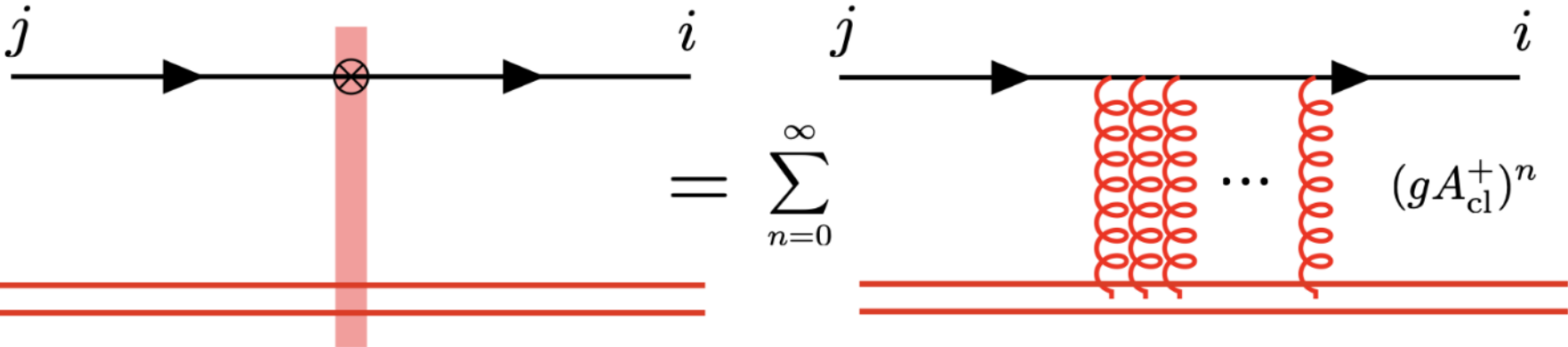
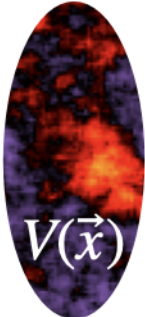
$$\varepsilon_{\mathbf{x},\mathbf{z}}^{ab,i} = \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^{1/2} K_{\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{z}}^i [1 - U_{\mathbf{x}}^\dagger U_{\mathbf{z}}]^{ab}, \quad K_{\mathbf{x}}^i = \frac{x^i}{\mathbf{x}^2}.$$



$$\frac{\partial W_\tau[\alpha]}{\partial \tau} = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}} \frac{\delta^2}{\delta \alpha_\tau^a(\mathbf{x}) \delta \alpha_\tau^b(\mathbf{y})} [W_\tau \chi_{xy}^{ab}] - \int_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{\delta}{\delta \alpha_\tau^a(\mathbf{x})} [W_\tau \sigma_x^a],$$

Wilson lines

$$V_{ij}(\vec{x}_T) = \mathcal{P} \left(ig \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} A^{+,c}(z^-, \vec{x}_T) t_{ij}^c dz^- \right)$$



MULTIPLE INTERACTIONS NEED TO BE RESUMMED, BECAUSE $A^+ \sim 1/g$

Wilson lines

$$\mathcal{A}^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p} \sim \int d^2 b d z d^2 r \Psi^{\gamma^*} \Psi^V(r, z, Q^2) e^{-i \mathbf{b} \cdot \Delta} N(r, x, b)$$

$$N_{\Omega}(\mathbf{r}_{\perp}, \mathbf{b}_{\perp}, x_{\mathbb{P}}) = 1 - \frac{1}{N_c} \text{tr} \left[V \left(\mathbf{b}_{\perp} + \frac{\mathbf{r}_{\perp}}{2} \right) V^{\dagger} \left(\mathbf{b}_{\perp} - \frac{\mathbf{r}_{\perp}}{2} \right) \right].$$

$$V(\mathbf{x}_{\perp}) = P_- \left\{ \exp \left(-i g \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz^- \frac{\rho^a(x^-, \mathbf{x}_{\perp}) t^a}{\nabla^2 - m^2} \right) \right\}$$

$$g^2 \langle \rho^a(x^-, \mathbf{x}_{\perp}) \rho^b(y^-, \mathbf{y}_{\perp}) \rangle = g^4 \lambda_A(x^-) \delta^{ab} \times \delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{x}_{\perp} - \mathbf{y}_{\perp}) \delta(x^- - y^-).$$

$$\mu^2 = \int dx^- \lambda_A(x^-), \quad \frac{Q_s(\mathbf{x}_{\perp})}{g^2 \mu}, \quad \text{is a free parameter}$$

From the dipole amplitude $\mathcal{N}(x, \mathbf{r}_{\perp}, \mathbf{b}_{\perp}) = (d\sigma_{\text{dip}}^p/d^2\mathbf{b}_{\perp})(x, \mathbf{r}_{\perp}, \mathbf{b}_{\perp})/2$ given by Eq. (1), we can extract a saturation scale $Q_s(x)$ by using the definition that $Q_s^2 = 2/R_s^2$, with R_s defined via $\mathcal{N}(x, R_s) = 1 - \exp(-1/2)$. Note that \mathcal{N} and Q_s also depend on the thickness function T_A

B. Schenke, C. Shen and P. Tribedy, Phys. Rev. C 102 (2020) no.4, 044905.

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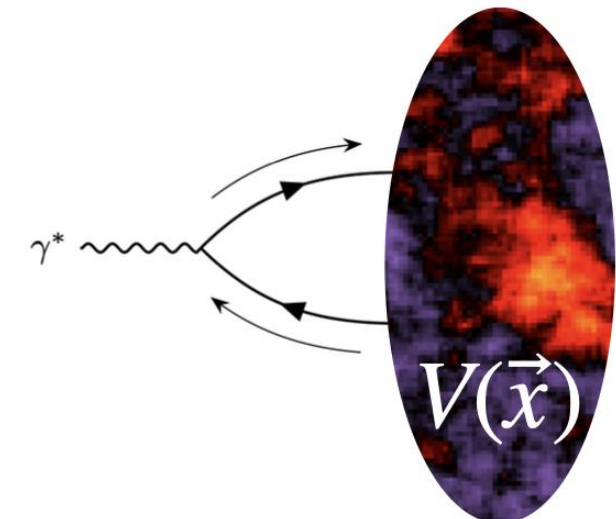
Universal Wilson lines

We use one framework to compute Wilson lines for a nucleus at a given energy.

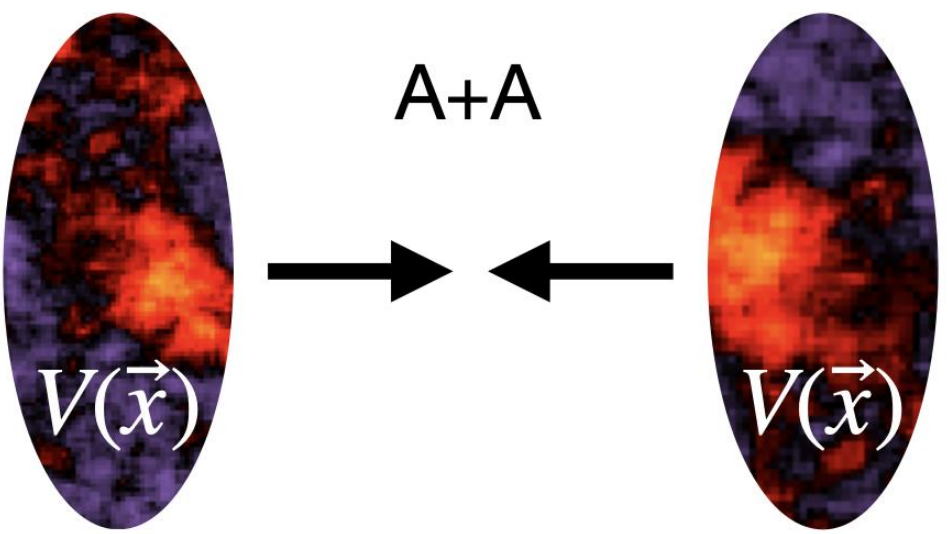


This allows to directly constrain parameters (like hot spot sizes) using one process (e.g. in e+A or e+p) and employ the model for another (e.g. in A+A or p+A)

e+A or UPC

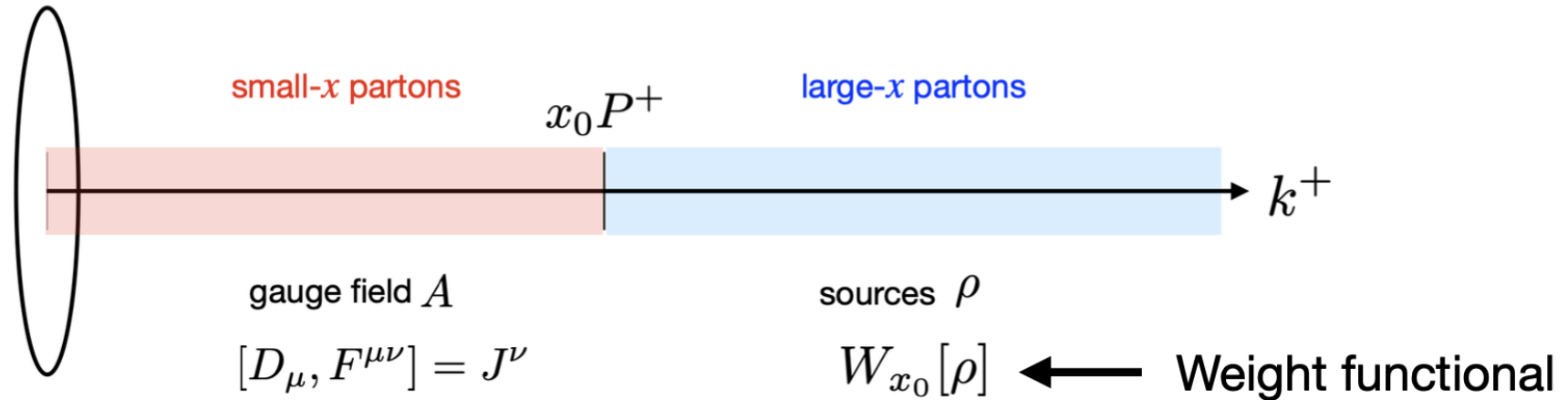


A+A



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Color Glass Condensate (CGC): Sources and fields



Two steps to compute expectation value of an observable \mathcal{O} :

- 1) Compute quantum expectation value $\mathcal{O}[\rho] = \langle \mathcal{O} \rangle_\rho$ for sources drawn from a given $W_{x_0}[\rho]$
- 2) Average over all possible configurations given the appropriate gauge invariant weight functional $W_{x_0}[\rho]$ (e.g. from McLerran Venugopalan model)

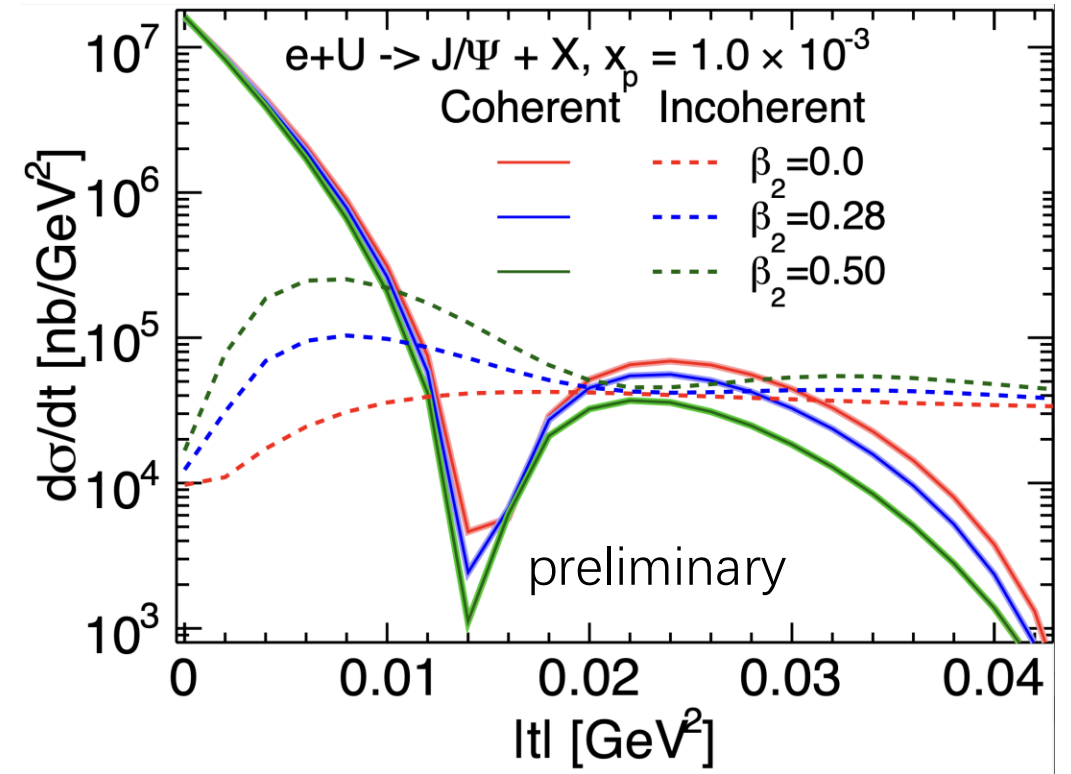
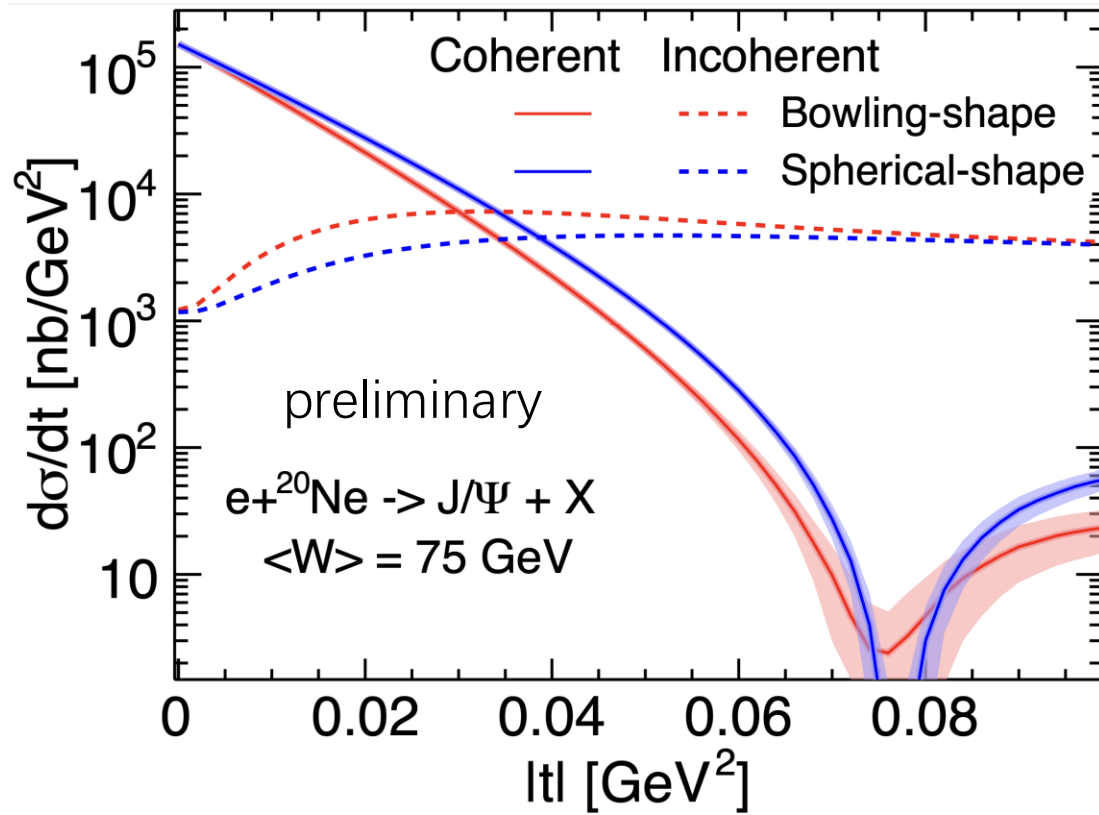
When $x \lesssim x_0$ the path integral $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle_\rho$ is dominated by classical solution and we are done

For smaller x we need to do quantum evolution

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Location of the first dip



$$\frac{d\sigma^{\gamma^* p \rightarrow V p}}{dt} \sim e^{-B_p |t|}, \quad T_p(\mathbf{b}_T) = \frac{1}{2\pi B_p} e^{-\mathbf{b}_T^2 / (2B_p)}.$$

Wave functions

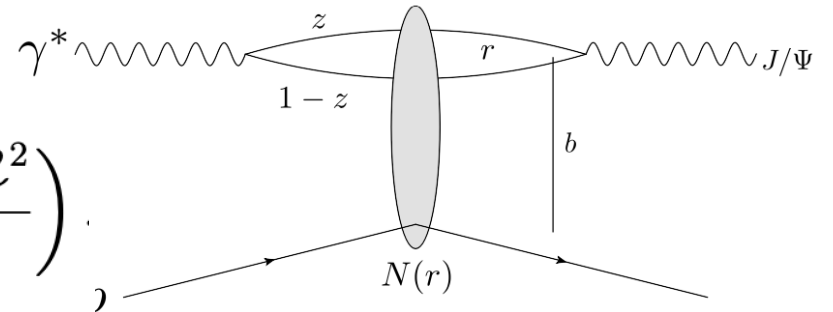
Forward photon wave functions (QED)

$$\Psi_{h\bar{h},\lambda=0}(r, z, Q) = e_f e \sqrt{N_c} \delta_{h,-\bar{h}} 2Qz(1-z) \frac{K_0(\epsilon r)}{2\pi},$$

$$\Psi_{h\bar{h},\lambda=\pm 1}(r, z, Q) = \pm e_f e \sqrt{2N_c} \{ie^{\pm i\theta_r} [z\delta_{h,\pm}\delta_{\bar{h},\mp} - (1-z)\delta_{h,\mp}\delta_{\bar{h},\pm}] \partial_r + m_f \delta_{h,\pm}\delta_{\bar{h},\pm}\} \frac{K_0(\epsilon r)}{2\pi},$$

Vector meson: Boosted Gaussian (Non-perturbative)

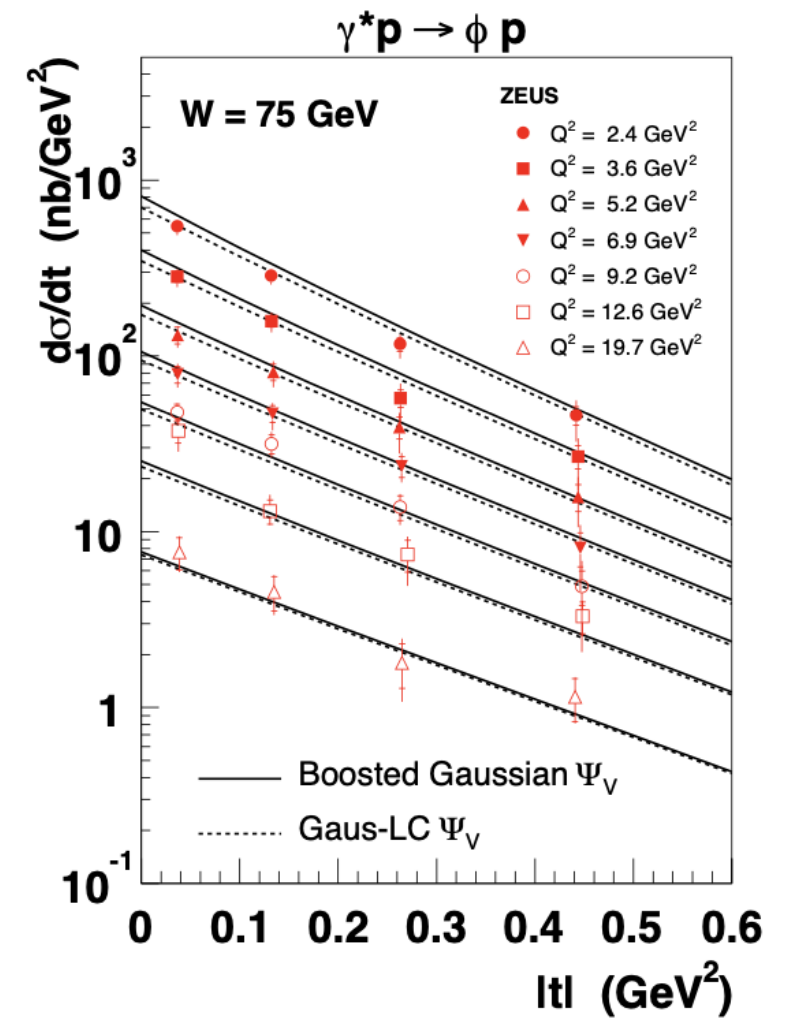
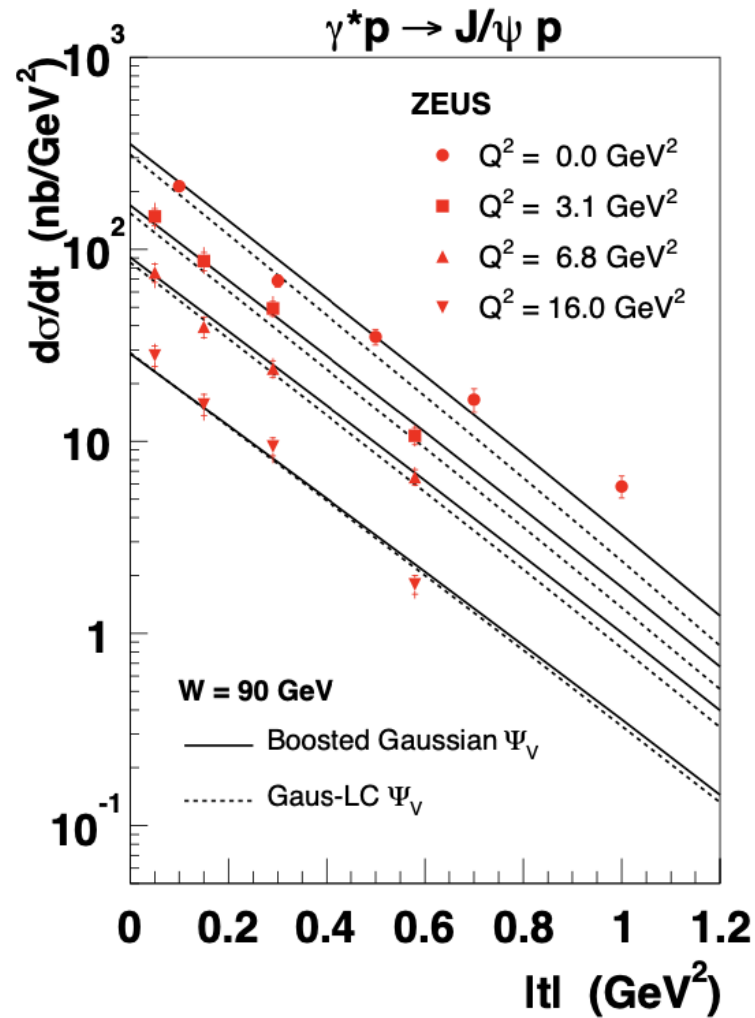
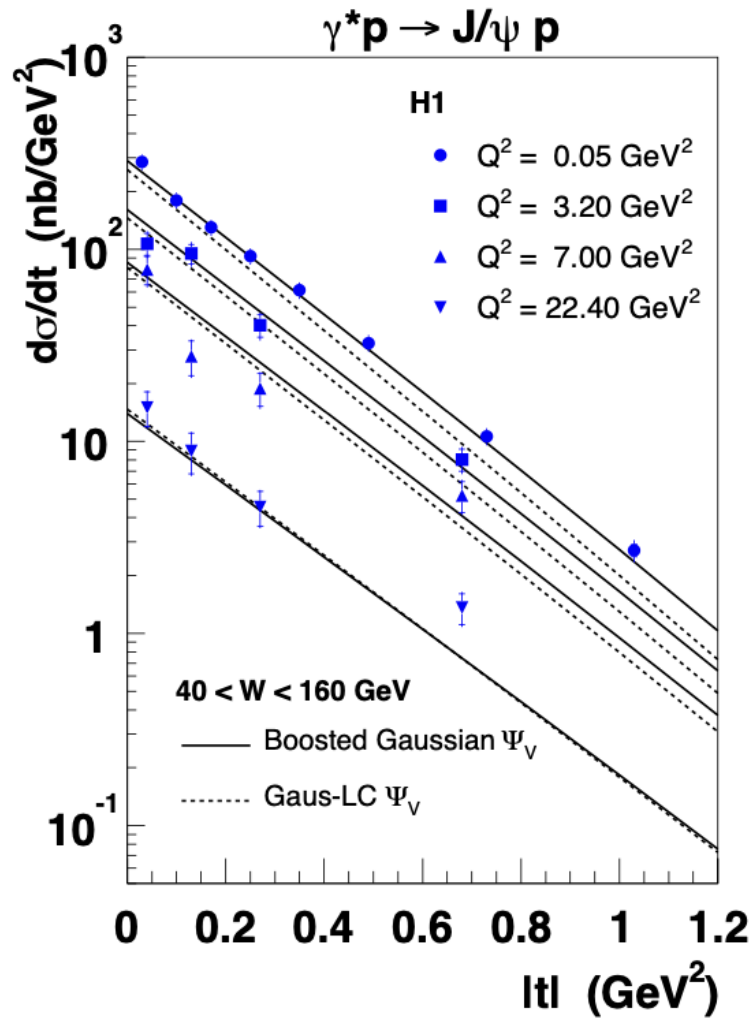
$$\phi_{T,L}(r, z) = \mathcal{N}_{T,L} z(1-z) \exp\left(-\frac{m_f^2 \mathcal{R}^2}{8z(1-z)} - \frac{2z(1-z)r^2}{\mathcal{R}^2} + \frac{m_f^2 \mathcal{R}^2}{2}\right).$$



Meson	M_V/GeV	f_V	m_f/GeV	\mathcal{N}_T	\mathcal{N}_L	$\mathcal{R}^2/\text{GeV}^{-2}$	$f_{V,T}$
J/ψ	3.097	0.274	1.4	0.578	0.575	2.3	0.307
ϕ	1.019	0.076	0.14	0.919	0.825	11.2	0.075
ρ	0.776	0.156	0.14	0.911	0.853	12.9	0.182

H. Kowalski, L. Motyka and G. Watt, Phys. Rev. D 74 (2006), 074016.

Different vector meson's wave functions



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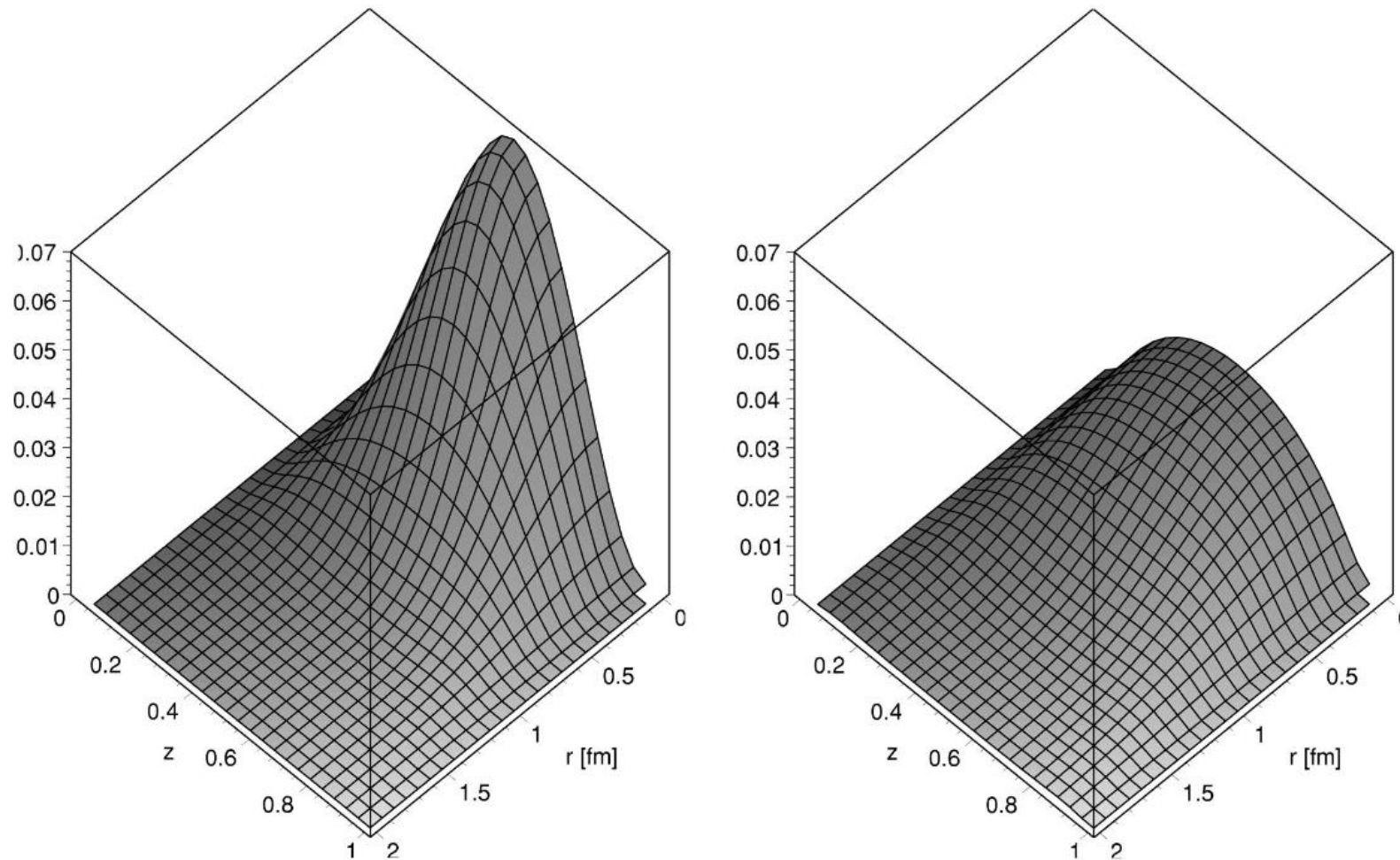


FIG. 6. The ρ wave functions $|\Psi^L|^2$ (left) and $|\Psi^T|^2$ (right) in the boosted Gaussian model with the quark mass used in the FKS dipole model.