

Photon-Photon Physics

A brief survey

The study of light has resulted in achievements of insight, imagination and ingenuity unsurpassed in any field of mental activity; it illustrates, too, better than any other branch of physics, the Vicissitudes of theories (Sir J.J. Thomson, 1925).

Photon and its hadronic interaction

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Remarkable Idea: Scatter Light on Light

Light-by-Light Scattering ($s_{\gamma\gamma} \ll 4m_\ell^2$):

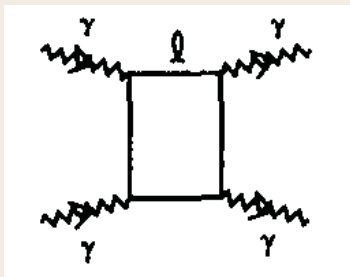
$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) \sim \frac{\alpha^4 s^3}{m_\ell^8} \text{ from QED box graph.}$$

Derive from Dimension-8 Euler-Heisenberg Effective Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EH}} \sim \frac{\alpha^2 F_{\mu\nu}^4}{m_\ell^4}$$

Extremely small rate in optical regime

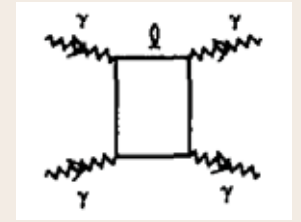
Serbo et al.



Tested in g-2 of electron and muon

Aldins, Dufner, Kinoshita, SJB

Photon-Photon Scattering in QED



Subthreshold Light-by-Light Scattering

$(s_{\gamma\gamma} \ll 4m_\ell^2)$:

$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) \sim \frac{\alpha^4 s^3}{m_\ell^8} \text{ from QED box graph.}$$

Resonant Light-by-Light Scattering

$(s_{\gamma\gamma} = 4m_\ell^2 - 4m\epsilon_n)$

$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow [l^+l^-]_n \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) \sim \frac{\Gamma_n^2}{(s - M_n^2)^2 + M_n^2 \Gamma_n^2}$$

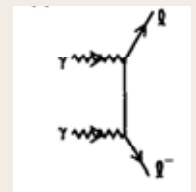
$C = +$ states:

positronium $[e^+e^-]$, true muonium $[\mu^+\mu^-]$,
true tauonium $[\tau^+\tau^-]$

Threshold Domain Small relative velocity v

$(s_{\gamma\gamma} \simeq 4m_\ell^2)$:

$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow l^+l^-) \sim \frac{\pi\alpha^2 v}{m_\ell^2} \times \left[1 + \frac{\pi\alpha}{v}\right]$$

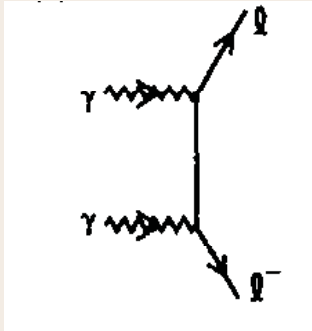


Sommerfeld-Schwinger domain – analytically connected to Bohr spectrum

Bjorken

Photon-Photon Scattering in QED

Single pair production ($s_{\gamma\gamma} \gg 4m_\ell^2$):

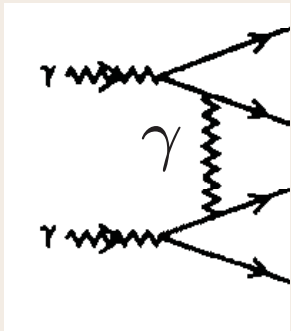


$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow l^+l^-) \sim \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{s} \log \frac{s}{m_\ell^2}$$

spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ exchange

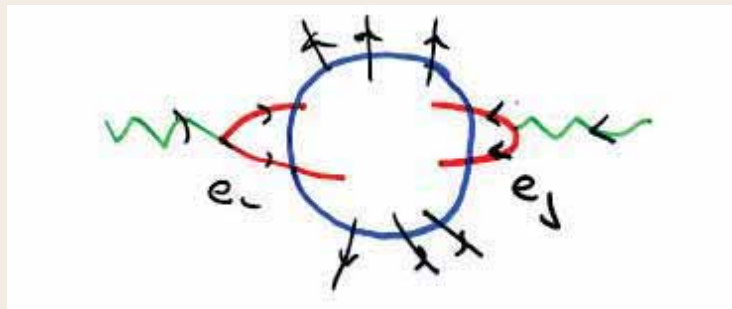
First observed at Novosibirsk, Frascati

Double pair production ($s_{\gamma\gamma} \gg 16m_\ell^2$):



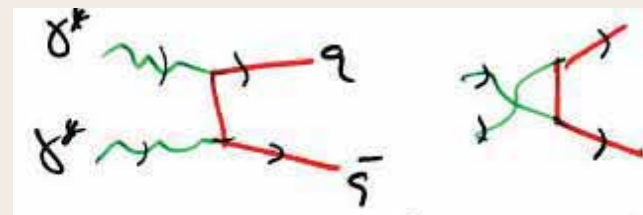
$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow l^+l^-l^+l^-) \sim \frac{\alpha^4}{m_\ell^2}$$

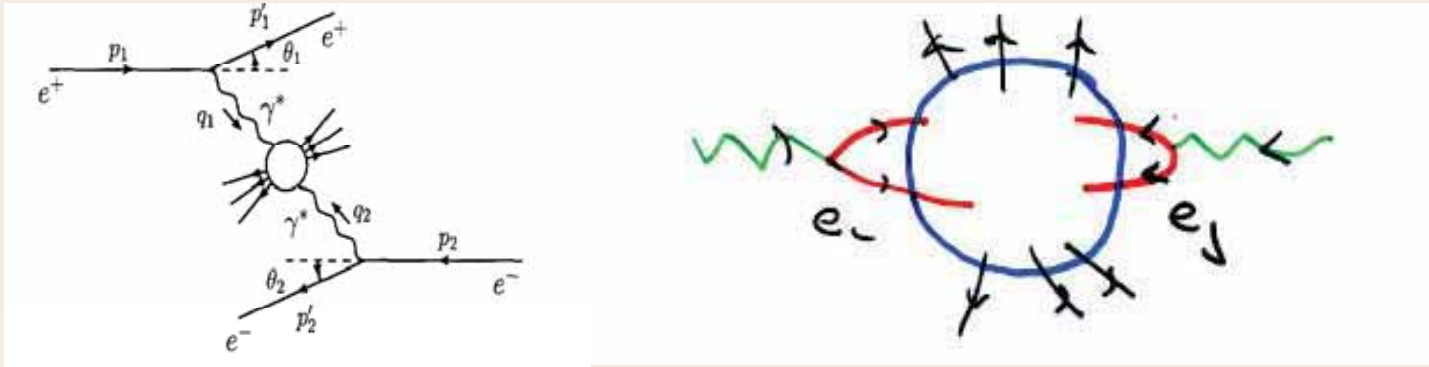
spin-1 exchange



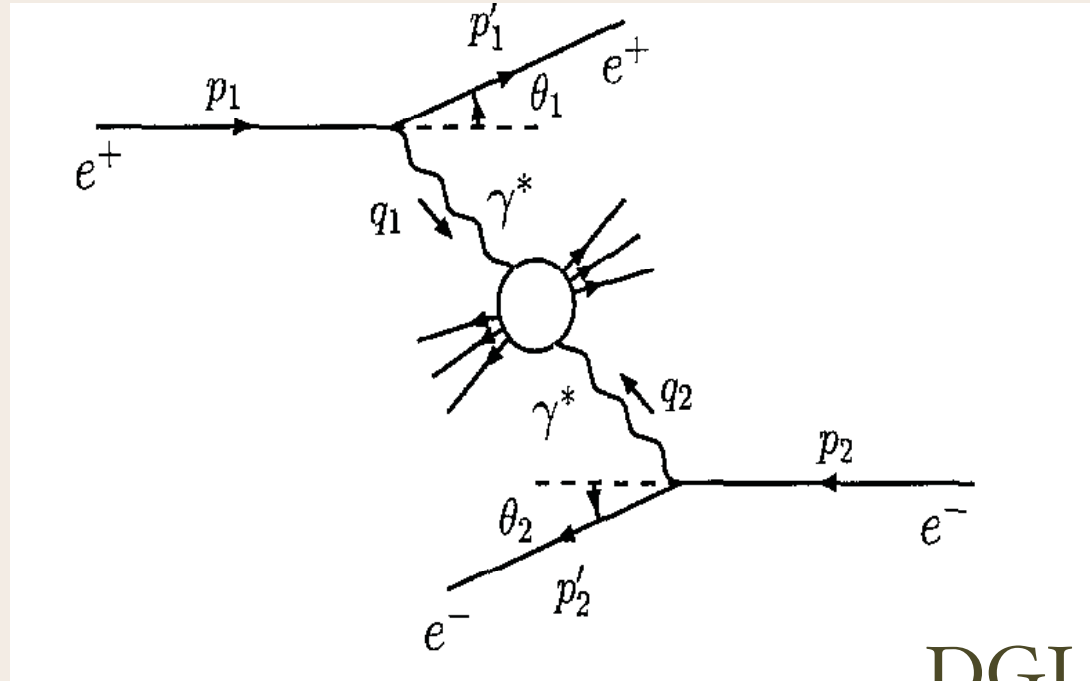
Features of $\gamma\gamma$ Collisions

- Collisions of gauge fields
- Direct coupling to fundamental currents
- Window to full spectrum of $C = +$ hadronic states
- No restriction on J^P
- Analog of meson-meson collisions





- Measure in double-tagged electron-positron collisions $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-X$
- $\sigma(\gamma^*\gamma^* \rightarrow X)(s, q_1^2, q_2^2)$
- Vary photon energy, virtuality, and polarization: longitudinal, transverse, linear (controlled by electron scattering plane)



DGLAP kernel

Two-Photon Collisions from Double Equivalent Photon Approximation

Photon-Photon Fusion: Remarkable laboratory for testing QCD

- $C = +$ Resonances
- Heavy Quarkonium
- Photon-to-Meson Transition Form Factors
- Exclusive Two-Photon Reactions
- Timelike Compton Reactions
- Hard QCD Jets
- Photon Structure Function
- Nature of Pomeron and Odderon

$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow$ Resonances

Discovery tool for Glueballs



$$\mathcal{S} = \frac{\Gamma_{gg}}{\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}}$$

"stickiness"

Chenowitz

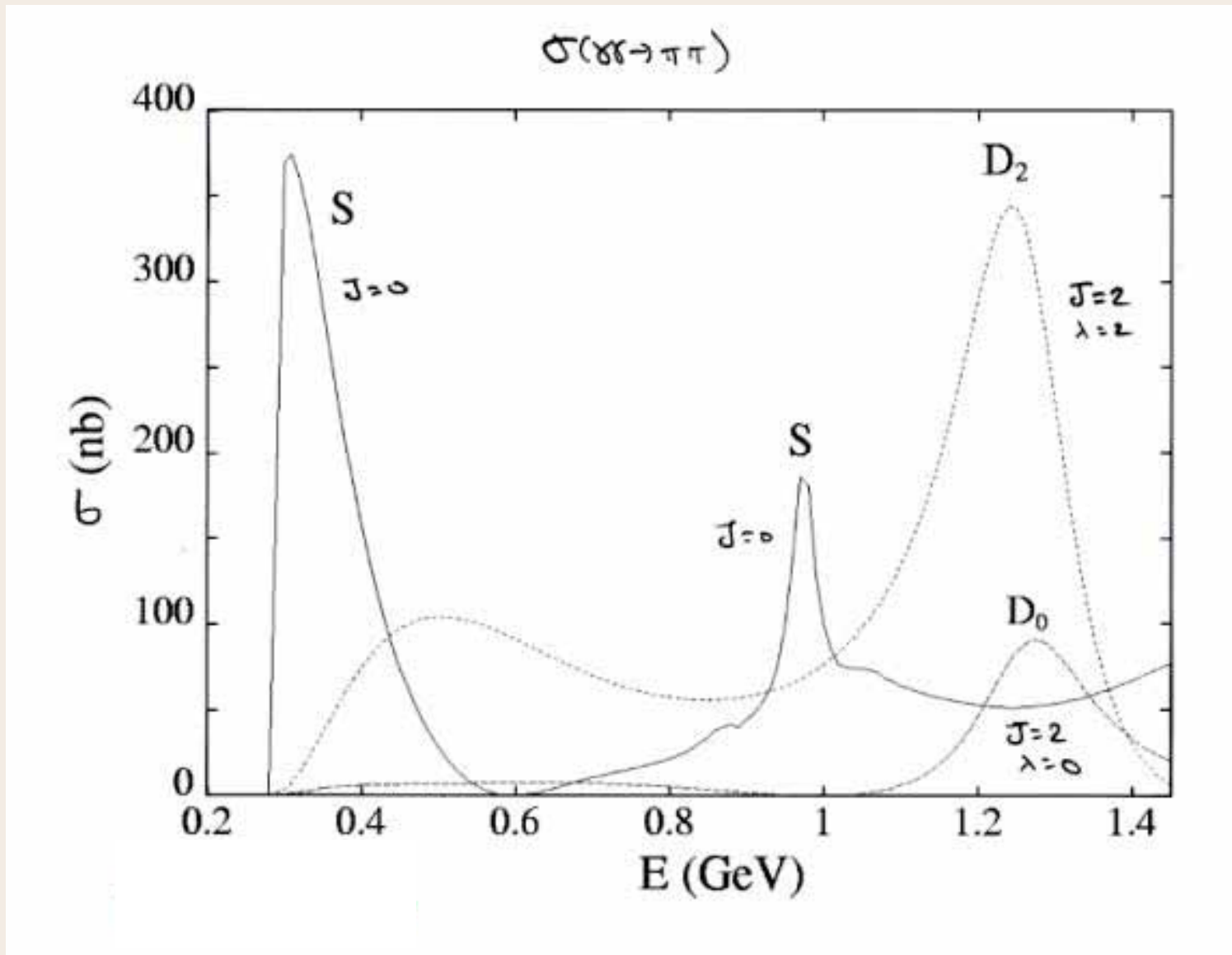
CLEO : upper limit for Γ

Sivertz
Farrar

$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow F_0(2220)$
 $\hookrightarrow k_s k_s$

$\mathcal{S} > 82$ (95% c.l.) !

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BES



Rogliani, Pennington

Discovery of $\eta_c(2^1S_0)$ — The radial excitation of the singlet $|c\bar{c}\rangle_{g.s.}$

- The $\eta_c(2^1S_0)$ or η'_c is known to be bound, somewhere below the triplet state $\psi(2^3S_1)$ or ψ' which has a mass of 3686.11 ± 0.03 MeV.
- In 1982 the Crystal Ball reported observation of a weak, 91 ± 5 MeV transition in the inclusive photon spectrum from the decay of $\psi(2S)$, and claimed [2] $M(\eta'_c) = 3594 \pm 5$ MeV.
- Several subsequent attempts, $p\bar{p}$ (E760[3]/E835[4]), $\gamma\gamma$ fusion, (DELPHI[5], L3[6]), inclusive photon (CLEO[7]), to find η'_c were unsuccessful.
Prior to 2002 all editions of PDG dropped η'_c from their meson summary.
- Most potential model calculations predicted $M(\eta'_c) = 3594 - 3626$ MeV.

So, where is η'_c ?

The Discovery of $\eta'_c(2^1S_0)$

The breakthrough came, of all the places, from the observation of η'_c in B decays by Belle. It was followed by its observation in $\gamma\gamma$ fusion at CLEO and BaBar.

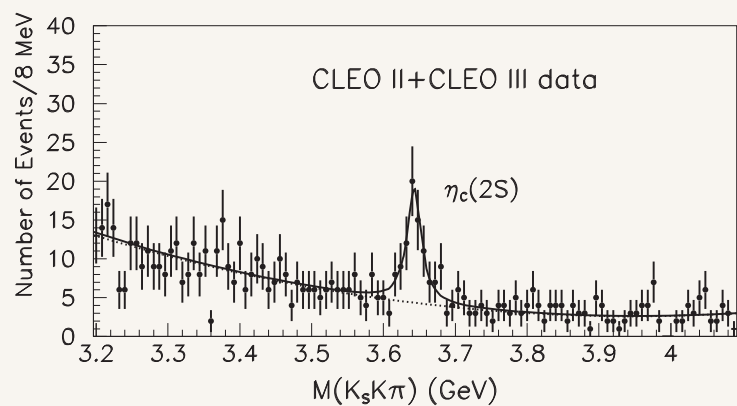
(in MeV)	$M(\eta'_c(2S))$	$\Gamma(\eta'_c(2S))$	events (reaction)
Belle(2002) [8]	3654 ± 10	< 55	39 ± 11 ($B \rightarrow K(K_S K \pi)$)
CLEO(2004) [9]	3642.9 ± 3.4	6.3 ± 14.1	61 ± 15 ($\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K_S K \pi$)
BaBar(2004) [10]	3630.8 ± 3.5	17.0 ± 8.7	112 ± 24 ($\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K_S K \pi$)
BaBar(2005) [11]	3645.0 ± 5.5	22 ± 14	121 ± 27 ($e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi(c\bar{c})$)
Belle(2005)* [12]	3636 ± 9		311 ± 42 ($e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi(c\bar{c})$)

*Both η_c and χ_{c0} masses in this measurement were obtained ~ 10 MeV lower than their known values. With apologies I have therefore arbitrarily increased the η'_c mass reported by Belle by 10 MeV in the above table.

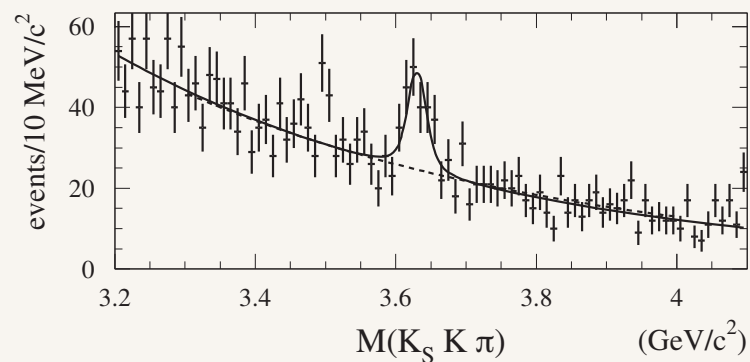
- New measurements are being made, but $M(\eta'_c)$ is still not firmly anchored. The present weighted average is $M(\eta'_c) = 3638.7 \pm 2.0$ MeV.
- This leads to the hyperfine splitting

$$\Delta M_{hf}(2S) = 3686.1 - 3638.7 = 47.4 \pm 2.0 \text{ MeV.}$$
Recall that, $\Delta M_{hf}(1S) = 3097 - 2980 = 117 \pm 1$ MeV.
Explaining this large difference is a challenge for theorists.
- Width of η'_c is essentially unmeasured so far.
- **LOTS REMAINS TO BE DONE ABOUT $\eta'_c(2^1S_0)$.**

The Discovery of $\eta'_c(2^1S_0)$



CLEO II+III: 27 fb^{-1} ($\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K_S K \pi$)



BaBar: 86 fb^{-1} ($\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K_S K \pi$)

Z(3931) observed in two photon fusion

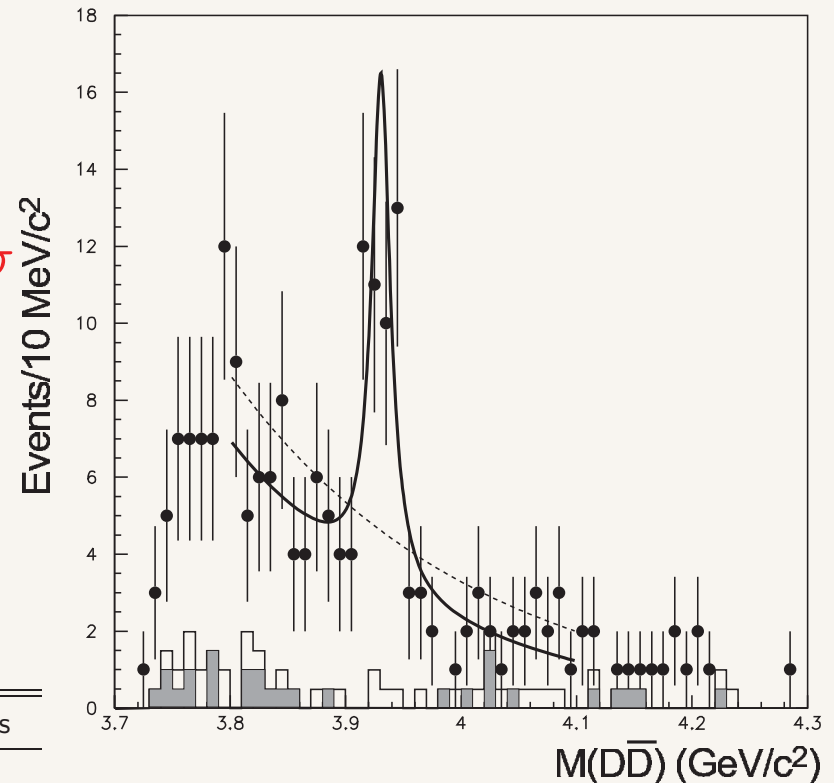
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-(\gamma\gamma), \gamma\gamma \rightarrow D\bar{D}$$

$$M(Z) = 3931 \pm 4 \pm 2 \text{ MeV, significance} = 5.5\sigma$$

$$\Gamma(Z) = 20 \pm 8 \pm 3 \text{ MeV}$$

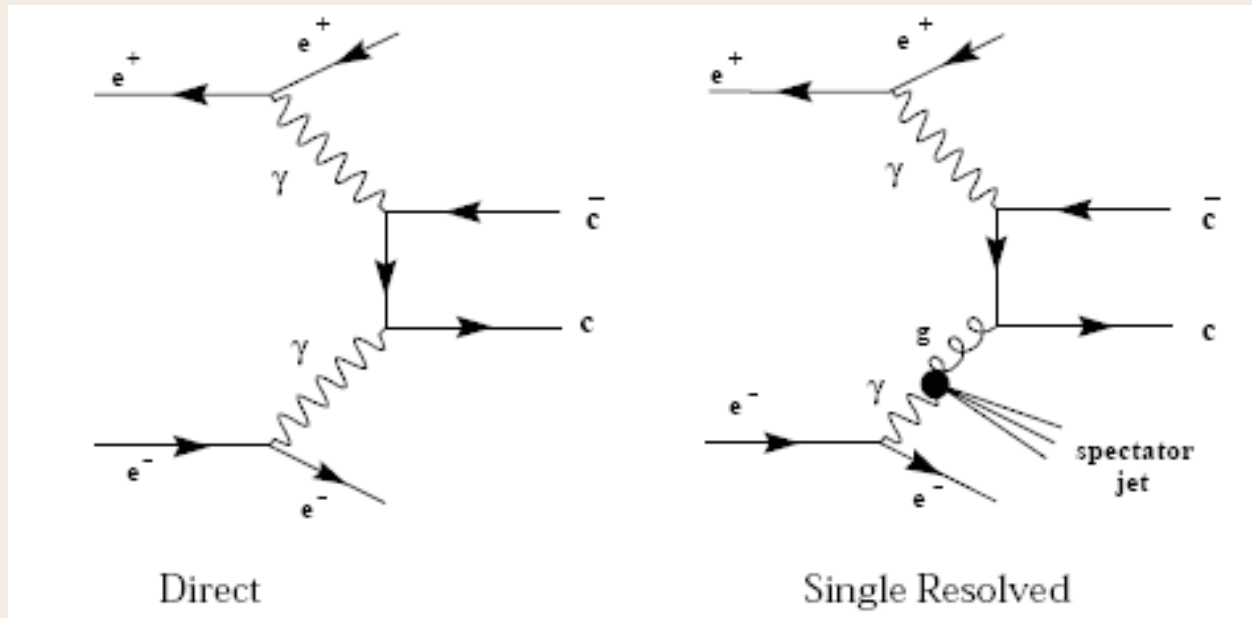
$$\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma} \times \mathcal{B}(\rightarrow D\bar{D}) = 0.23 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.04 \text{ keV}$$

Candidate for $\chi'_2(2^3P_2)$.
charmonium state



	M(MeV)	Γ (MeV)	Formed in	Decays in	not in	suggests
X	$3943 \pm 6 \pm 6$	15 ± 10	$e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi(c\bar{c})$	$D^*\bar{D}$	$D\bar{D}, \omega J/\psi$?
Y	$3943 \pm 11 \pm 13$	87 ± 22	$B \rightarrow K(\omega J/\psi)$	$\omega J/\psi$	$D^*\bar{D}(?)$	$c\bar{c}$ hybrid?
Z	$3931 \pm 4 \pm 2$	$20 \pm 8 \pm 3$	$\gamma\gamma$ fusion	$D\bar{D}$		$\chi'_{c2}(2^3P_2)$

Inclusive Charm Production



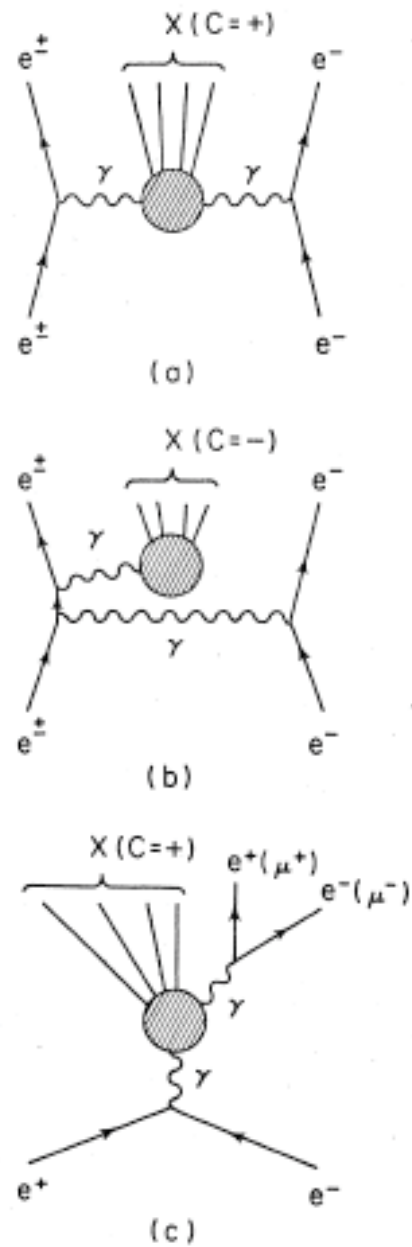


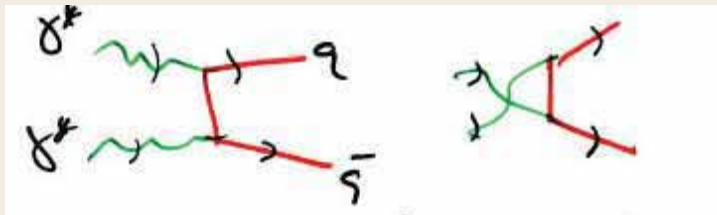
FIG. 1. The three types of diagrams which contribute to the production process $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-X$ in e^+e^- colliding-beam experiments. The product states have positive charge conjugation ($C=+$) in processes (a) and (c) and negative charge conjugation in process (b). In the case of e^-e^- collisions, there is another diagram in which the two final electron lines in (a) are exchanged.

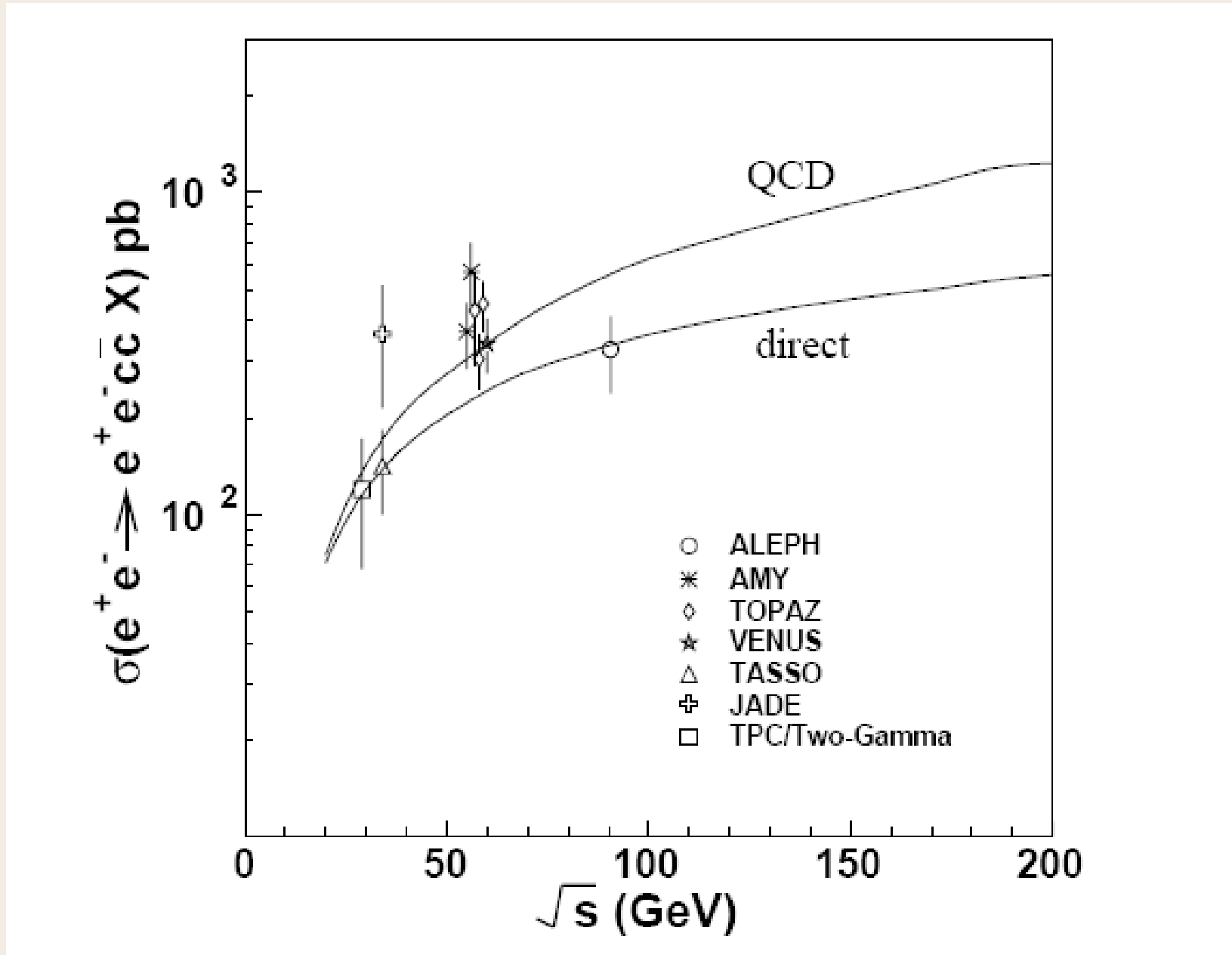
$\gamma\gamma$ Processes

- Direct coupling of real photons to high p_t jets

$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}) \sim \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{p_T^2}$$

$$R_{\gamma\gamma} = \frac{\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q})}{\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)} = N_C \times \sum_q e_q^4$$





Open Bottom and Charm Production L3

MEASUREMENT OF THE CROSS SECTION FOR OPEN-BEAUTY PRODUCTION IN PHOTON-PHOTON COLLISIONS AT LEP.

By L3 Collaboration ([P. Achard et al.](#)). CERN-PH-EP-2005-007, Feb 2005. 16pp.

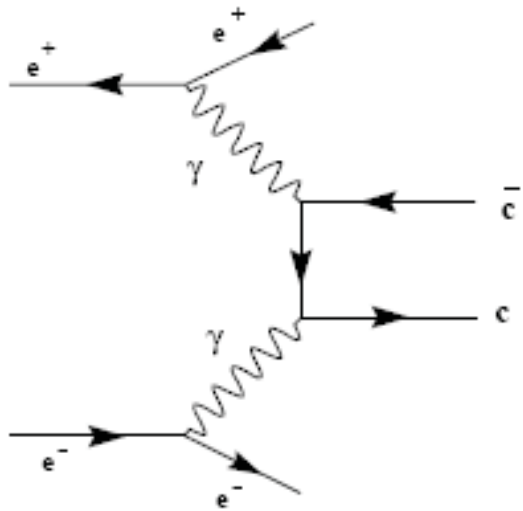
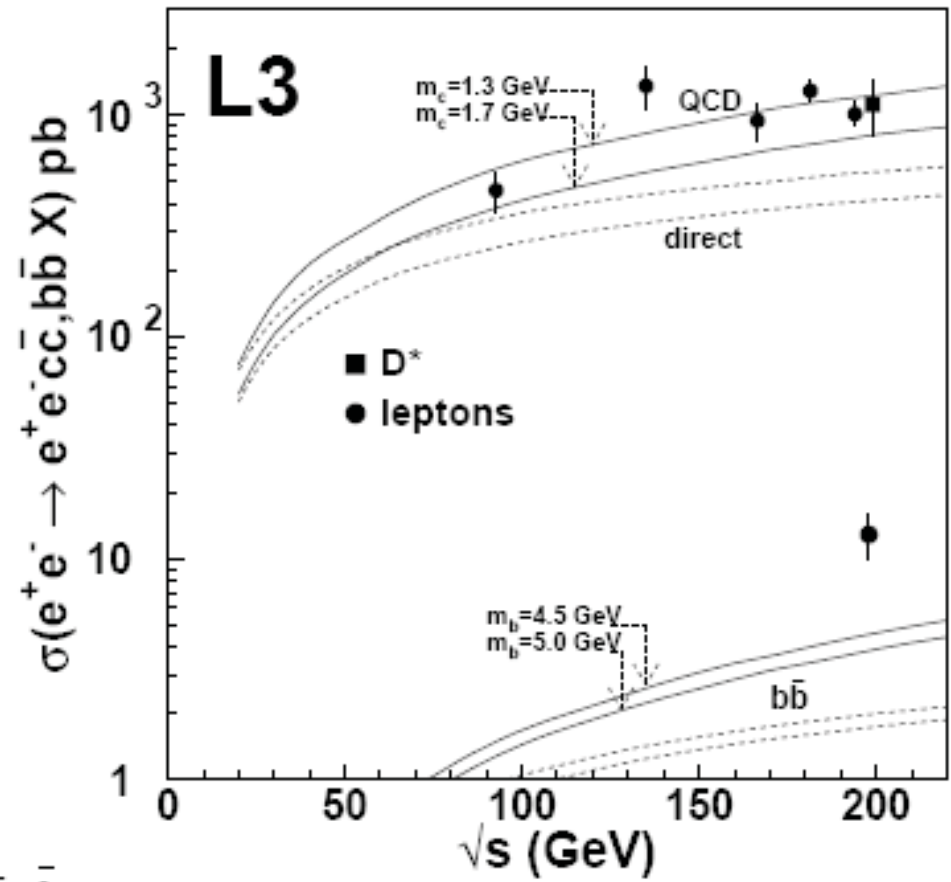
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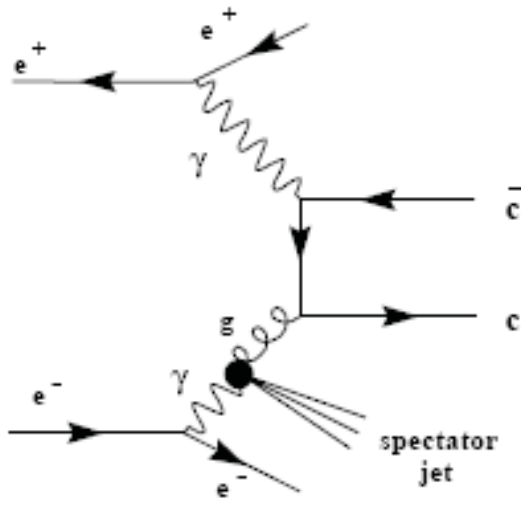
TWO PHOTON PROCESSES AT VERY HIGH-ENERGIES.

By [J.A.M. Vermaseren \(NIKHEF, Amsterdam\)](#), NIKHEF-H/82-15, Jul 1982. 44pp.

Published in *Nucl.Phys.B229:347,1983*



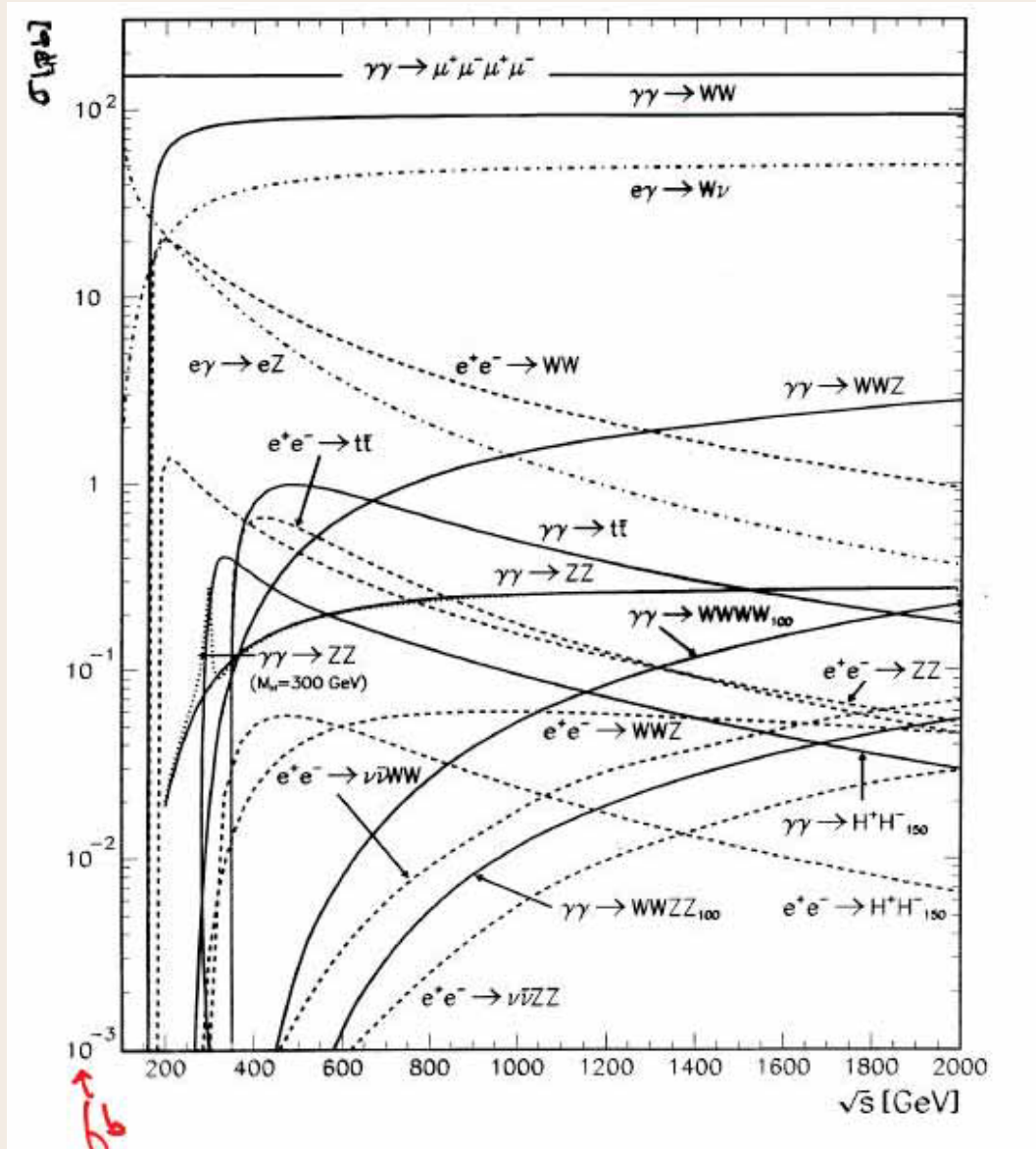
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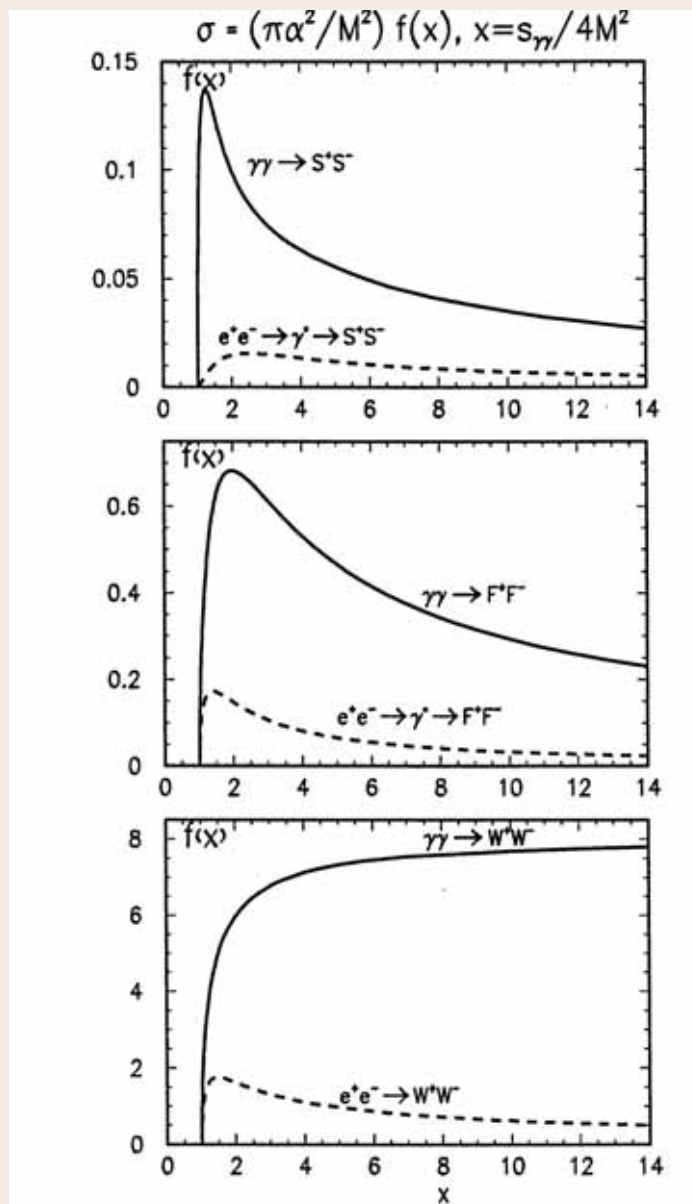


Single Resolved

- Typical cross sections measurable in $\gamma\gamma, e\gamma, ee$ collisions

Ref: E. Boos, et al., hep/ph-1003090

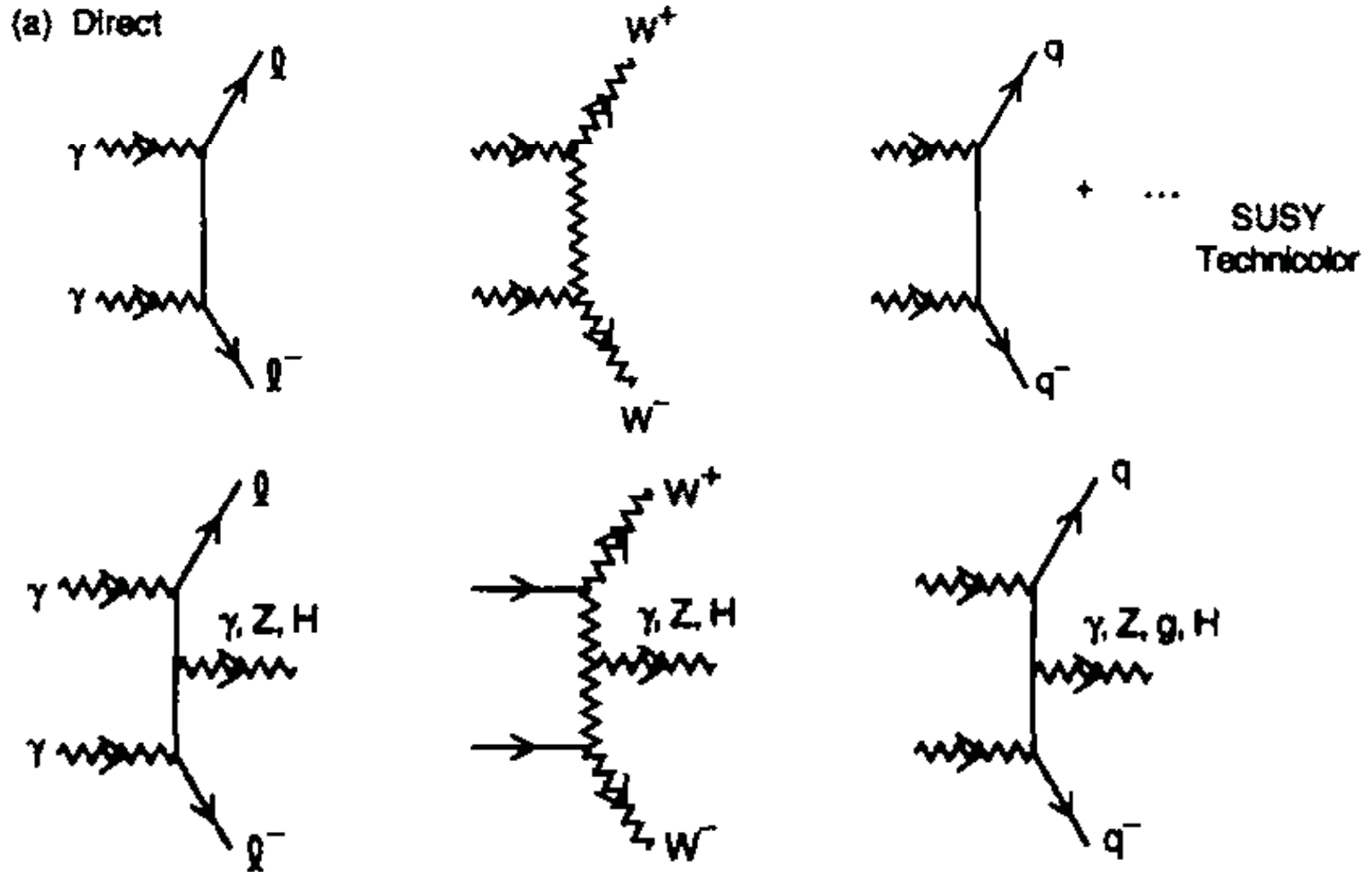




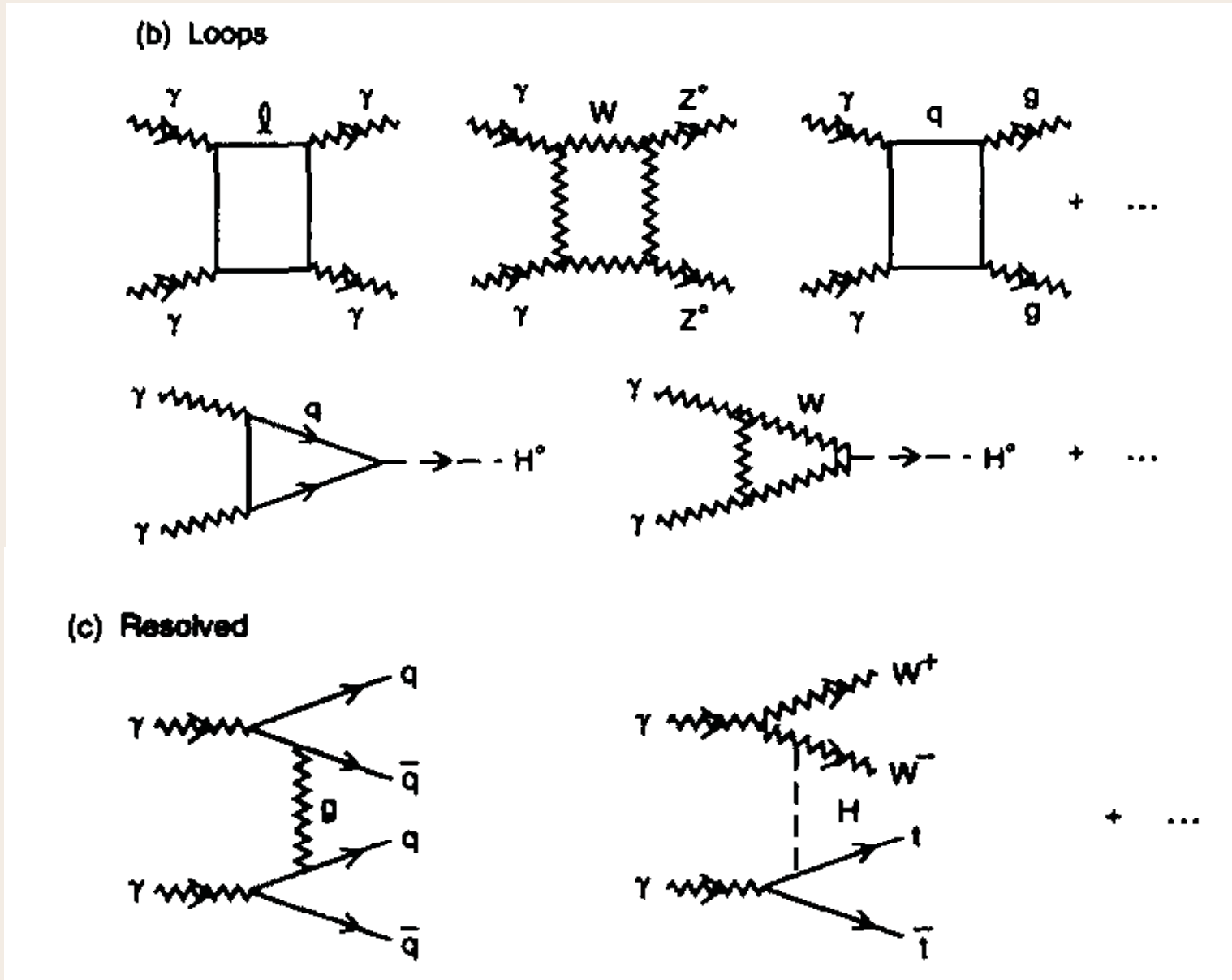
Comparison between cross sections for charged pair production in unpolarized e^+e^- and $\gamma\gamma$ collisions. S (scalars), F (fermions), W (W bosons); \sqrt{s} is the invariant mass (c.m.s. energy of colliding beams). The contribution of the Z^0 boson to the production of S and F in e^+e^- collisions was not included. From Boos *et al.*

Two-Photon Collisions in the Standard Model

(a) Direct

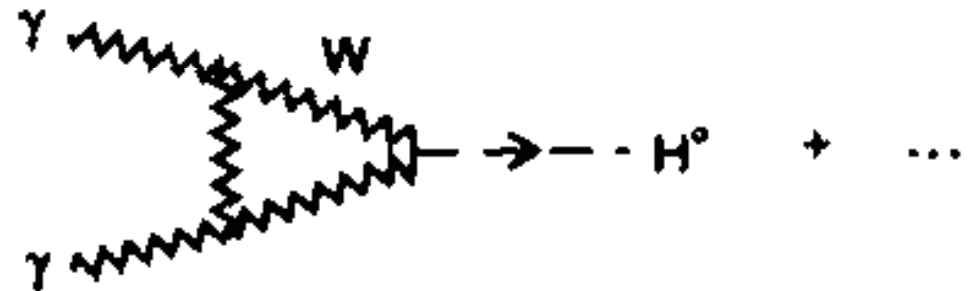
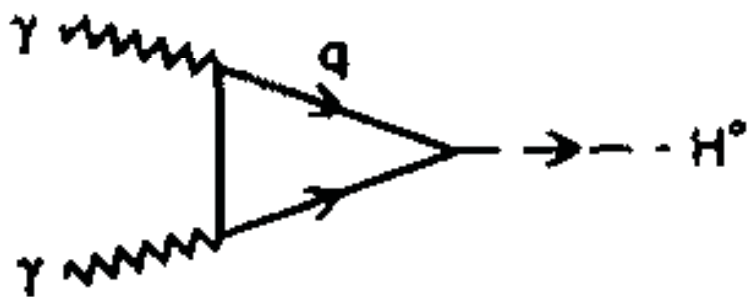


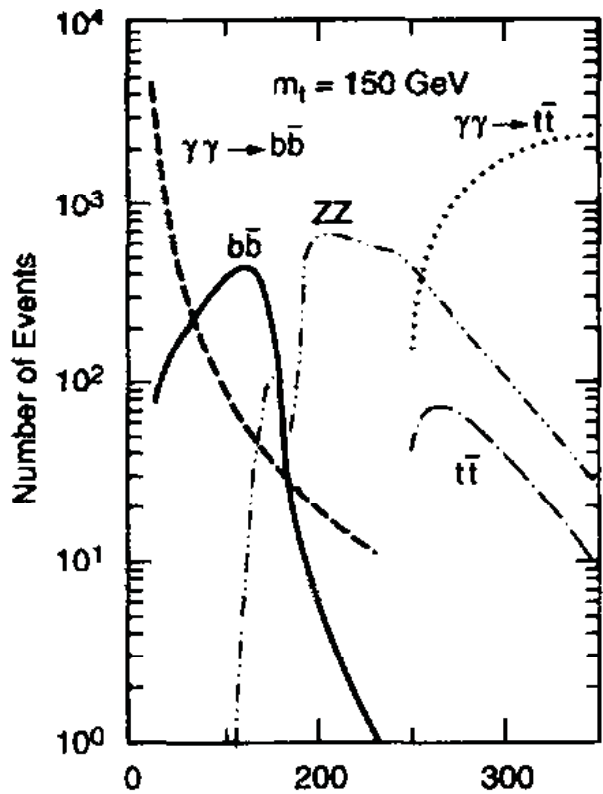
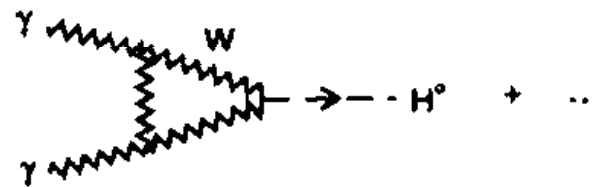
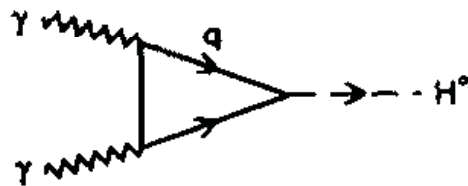
Illustrations of High-Energy Two-Photon Collisions in the Standard Model



Higgs Production at a Photon Collider

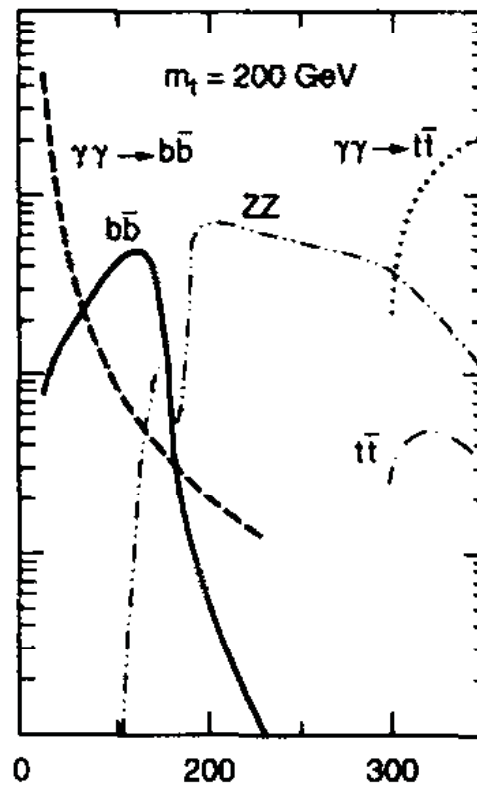
$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow H) = \frac{8\pi^2}{m_H} \Gamma(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) \frac{m_H \Gamma_{\text{tot}}/\pi}{(s - m_H^2)^2 + (m_H \Gamma_{\text{tot}})^2}$$





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Higgs-Boson Mass (GeV)



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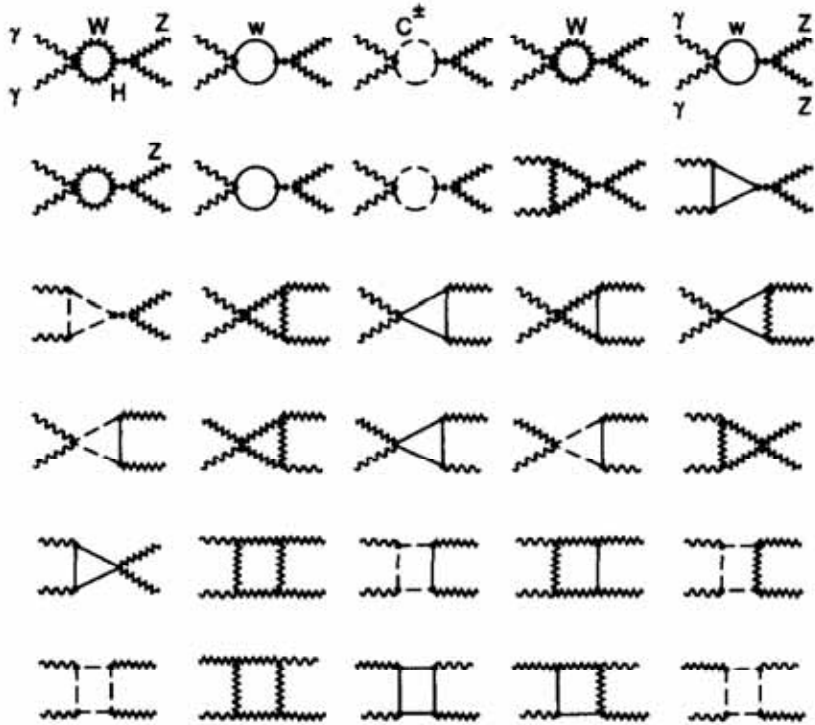
Number of Events per year for $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow H$ for various final states and QCD backgrounds

Backscattered laser beam

$$\sqrt{s_{ee}} = 500 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{eff} = 20 \text{ nb}^{-1}$$

J.F. Gunion and H.E. Haber, Phys. Rev. D 48 (1993) 5109.



Standard Model contributions to the reaction

$$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow Z^0 Z^0$$

including ghost c^* and scalar w contributions in the nonlinear background gauge.

G. Jikia, Nucl. Phys. B 405 (1993) 24;

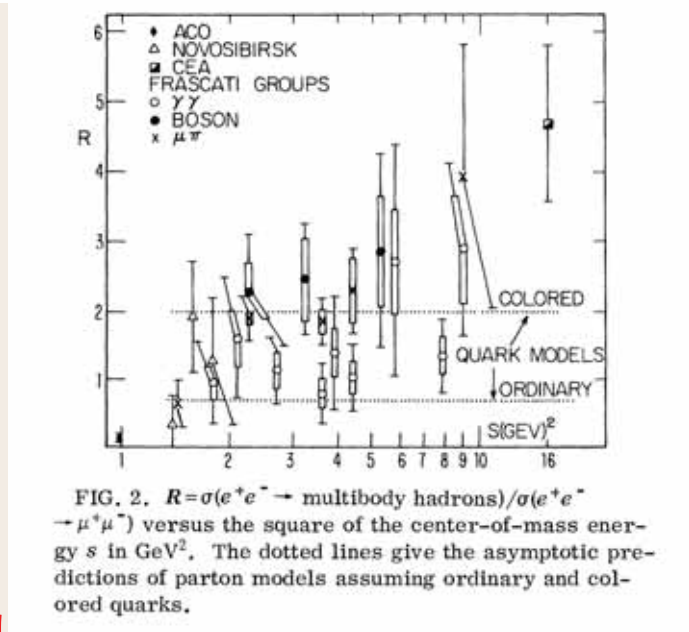
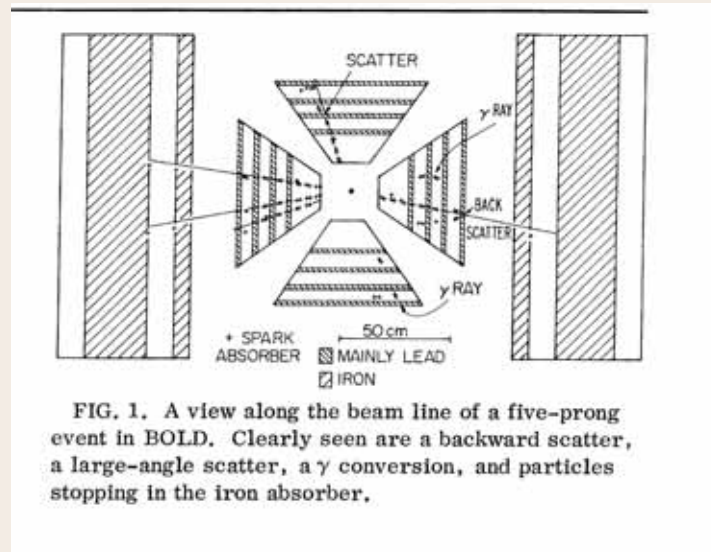
Early History of Photon-Photon Collisions

- Surprisingly large $e^+ e^-$ hadronic cross sections observed at CEA by BOLD detector in 1969, increasing with cm energy.
- Speculations by Richter on new hadronic physics of electron!
- Kinoshita and SJB at Cornell Faculty Club 1969
- Cross section for $e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- X$ logarithmically increasing with electron-positron energy
- BOLD detector did not measure final state energy.
- Maybe Two-Photon Collisions

Hadron Production by Electron-Positron Annihilation at 4-GeV Center-of-Mass Energy*

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We have measured the total cross section for electron-positron annihilation into three or more hadrons, with at least two charged particles in the final state. The measurement was made at a center-of-mass energy of 4 GeV with a 2π -sr nonmagnetic detector. With 88 events detected, we obtain a model-independent lower limit on the hadron production cross section of 9.6 ± 1.4 nb; a calculation of detection efficiency based on invariant phase-space production of pions leads to a total cross section of 26 ± 6 nb. This cross section is 4.7 ± 1.1 times the theoretical total cross section for $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$. The average charged multiplicity is $\bar{n} = 4.2 \pm 0.6$.



At the time, there were already many what-proved-to-be wrong papers trying to interpret the electron–positron experiments, and the SLAC experiment leader, Burt Richter, was touring the country explaining that he had made the monumental discovery that the electron was actually a little hadron, i.e., a strongly interacting particle like the proton, only much smaller in diameter. (This discovery, or at least the same experimental results, had been observed a few years earlier at the Cambridge Electron Accelerator, a joint Harvard–MIT venture. But no one believed it, and the machine was decommissioned.)

H. David Politzer – Nobel Lecture

The Dilemma of Attribution

H. David Politzer held his Nobel Lecture December 8, 2004, at Aula Magna, Stockholm University.

DOMINANT COLLIDING-BEAM CROSS SECTIONS AT HIGH ENERGIES*

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We report on our calculation of the energy and angular dependence of the cross sections for the production of various particles by two-photon annihilation processes in e^+e^- and e^-e^- colliding beams. For beam energy E of more than 1 GeV, these cross sections [$\sigma \propto \alpha^4 (\ln E)^3$] become increasingly more important than the usual one-photon cross sections [$\sigma \propto \alpha^2 (E)^{-2}$] for hadron production.

Although the study of hadron production by electron-positron collision is of intense experimental and theoretical interest,¹ it is not generally appreciated that the most frequent events at energies $E_{c.m.} = (s_{c.m.}/4)^{1/2}$ above 1 GeV occur via a two-photon annihilation process.^{2,3} In fact two-photon cross sections for processes of the type

$$e+e \rightarrow e+e+N,$$

where $N = \pi^+\pi^-, \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0, \pi^0, \eta^0$, etc., are rather large and increase logarithmically at high energies. For example

$$\sigma_{ee \rightarrow ee\pi^+\pi^-} \sim \frac{8\alpha^4}{3\pi} \frac{1}{m_\pi^2} \left(\ln \frac{E}{m_e}\right)^2 \left(\ln \frac{E}{m_\pi}\right). \quad (1)$$

If the scattered leptons are not observed, then to leading order in $\ln(E/m_e)$ each lepton (e^+ or e^-) is equivalent to a beam of real transversely polarized photons (the energy k) with a spectrum⁴

$$\frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{E^2 + (E-k)^2}{E^2} \ln\left(\frac{E}{m_e}\right) \frac{dk}{k}. \quad (2)$$

$$d\sigma^N = \left(\frac{2\alpha}{\pi}\right)^2 \left(\ln \frac{E}{m_e}\right)^2 \int \frac{dk_1}{k_1} \frac{dk_2}{k_2} \frac{[E^2 + (E-k_1)^2][E^2 + (E-k_2)^2]}{4E^4} d\sigma_{\gamma\gamma}^N(k_1, k_2).$$

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$$s_0 = 4E^2$$

$$s = 4k_1 k_2 \quad (4\mu^2 \leq s \leq s_0)$$

$$\omega = k_1 + k_2$$

$$q = k_1 - k_2 \quad (|q| \leq q_m = E - s/4E)$$

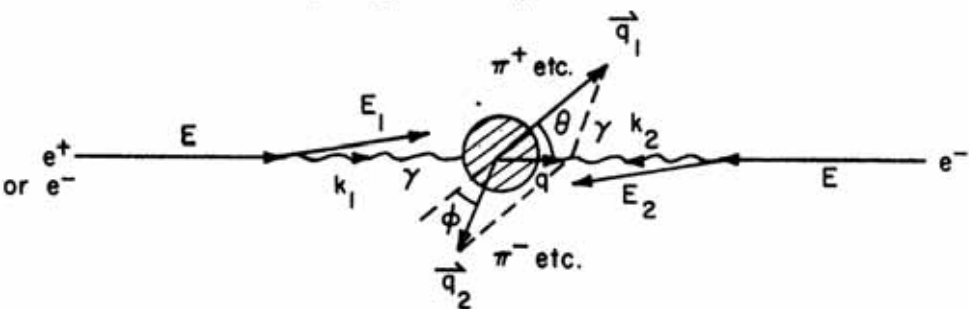


FIG. 1. Notation and geometry for the pair production of various particles by two-photon annihilation.

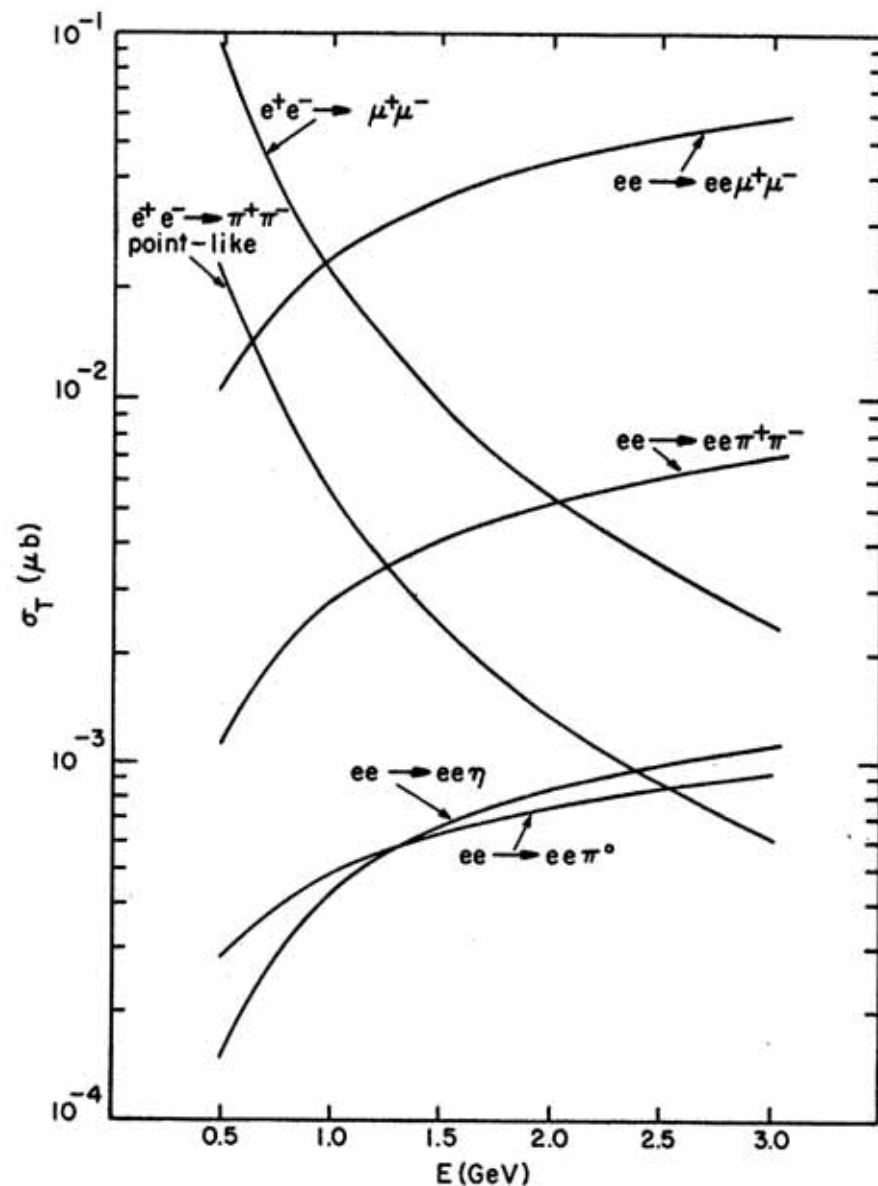


FIG. 2. The total cross sections for the colliding beam production of various particles.

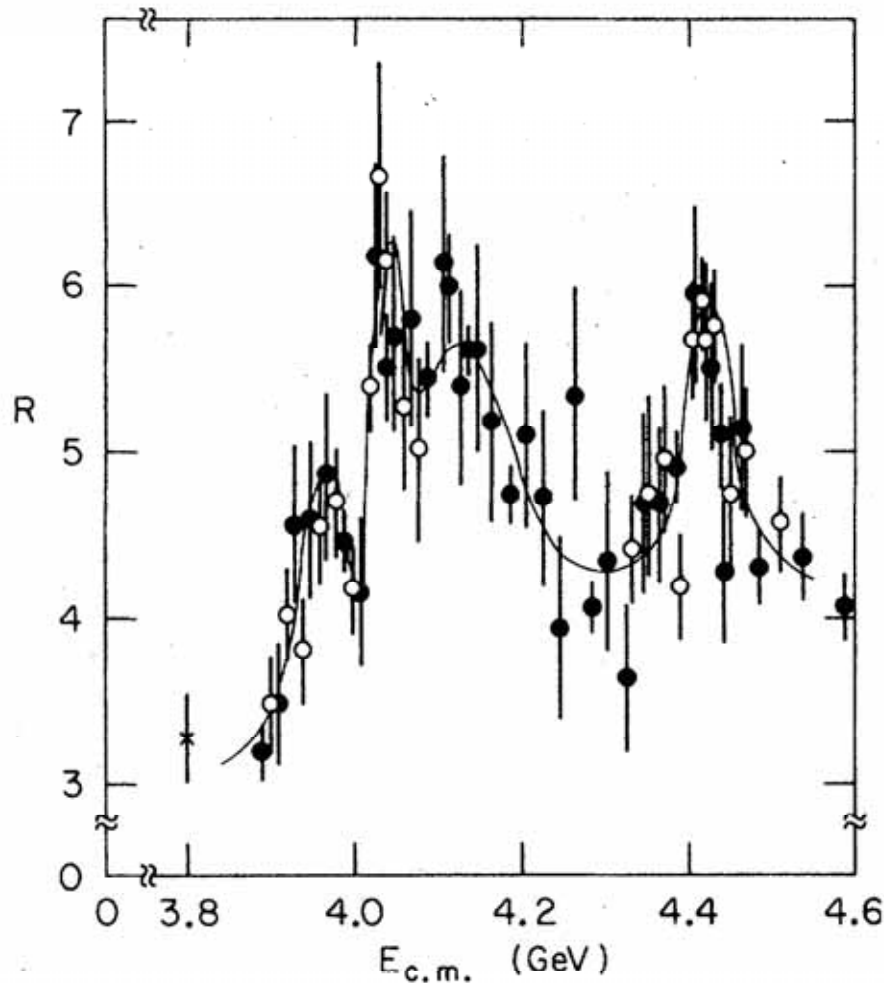


FIG. 14. An expanded view of R in the transition region around 4 GeV.

From the psi to charm: The experiments of 1975 and 1976

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Charm Production not
Photon-Photon
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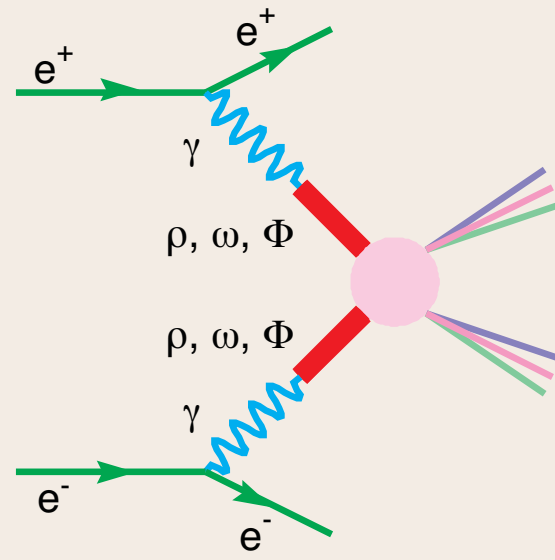
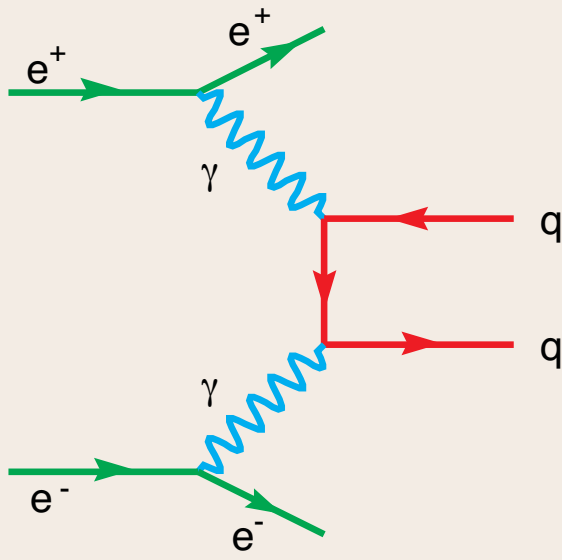
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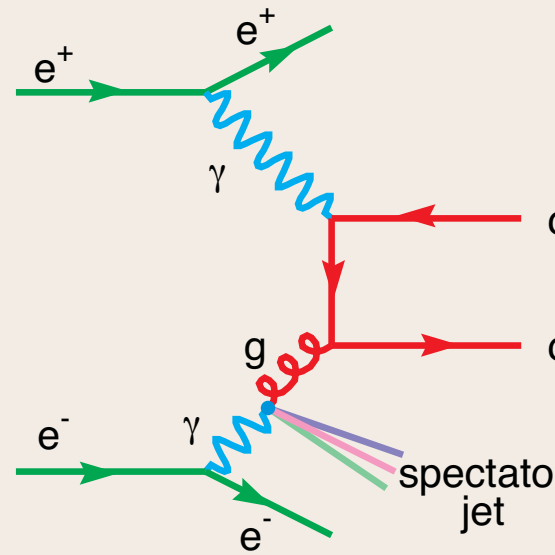
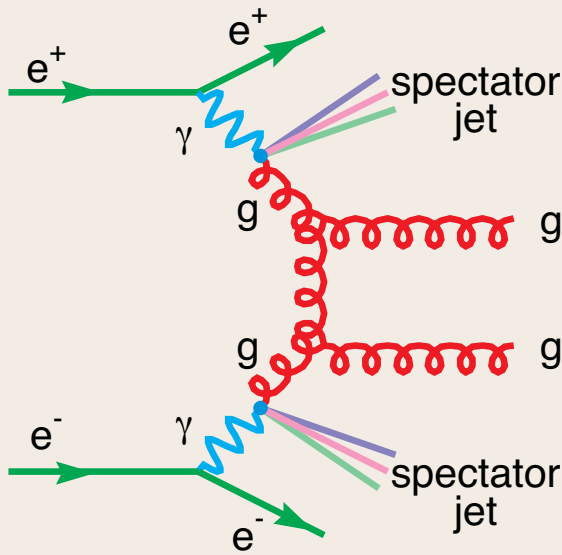
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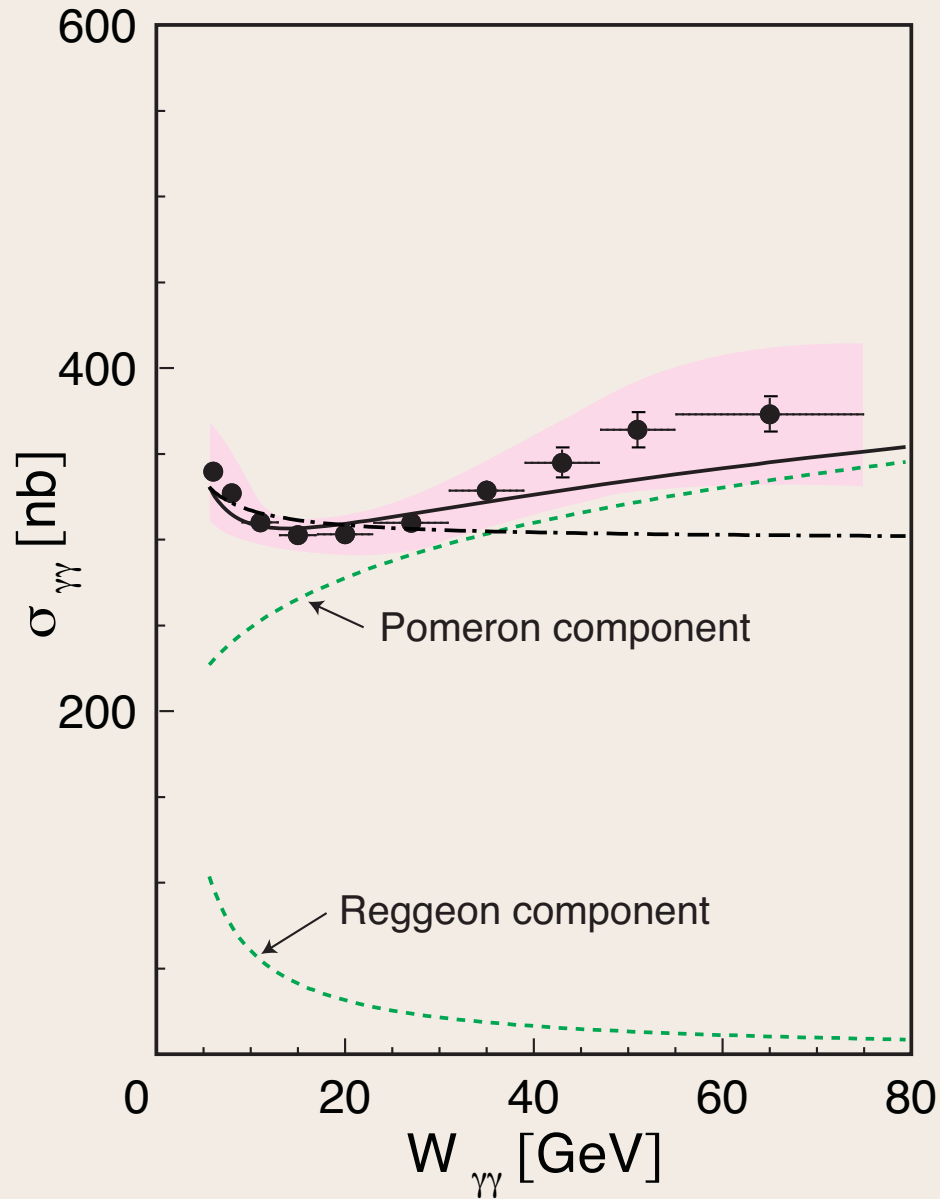
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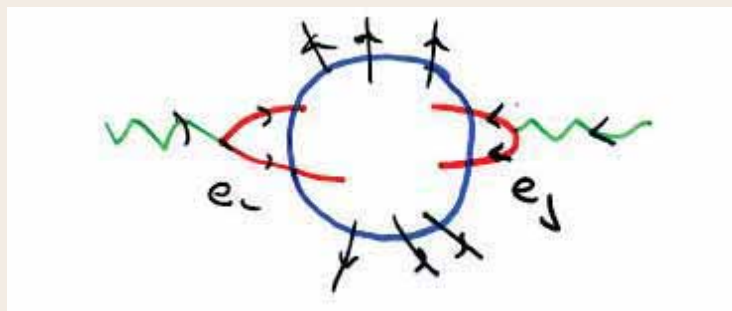


Contributions to to Total Two-Photon Cross Section



Total Two-Photon Annihilation Cross Section



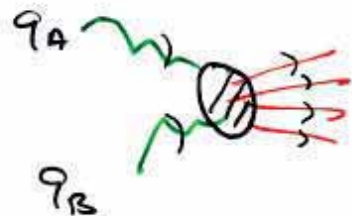


- Remarkable test of BFKL hard pomeron dynamics at $s \gg -q_1^2, -q_2^2$
- Collisions of QCD color dipoles of variable transverse size
- Exclusive double-diffractive vector meson production $\sigma(\gamma^*\gamma^* \rightarrow VV)(s, q_1^2, q_2^2, t_1, t_2)$
- Singly diffractive vector meson production $\sigma(\gamma^*\gamma^* \rightarrow XV)(s, q_1^2, q_2^2, t)$

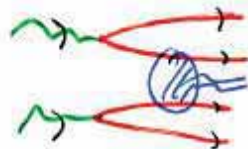
The behavior of high energy cross sections

$$\sigma_{AB \rightarrow X}(s), \quad \frac{d\sigma}{dt}(s, t) \dots$$

challenge to QCD



$$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow X}(\hat{s}, Q_A^2, Q_B^2)$$



QCD: Interaction of small color dipoles

$$R_A \sim \frac{1}{Q_A}, \quad R_B \sim \frac{1}{Q_B}$$

* perturbatively calculable? } BFKL
Mueller

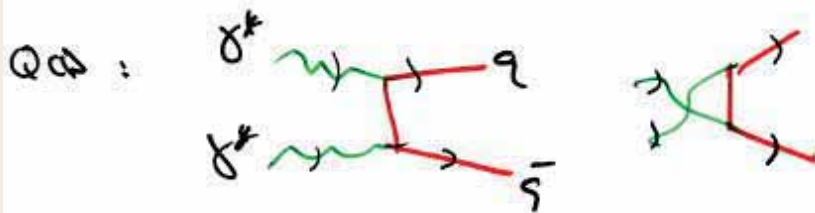
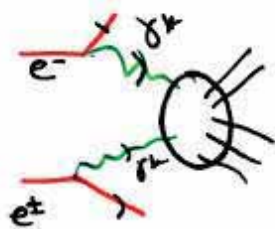
* polarization tests: $\sigma_{TT} \gg \sigma_{LL} \gg \sigma_{LT}$

* breaking of factorization

$$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow X} \neq f(Q_A^2) f(Q_B^2) \hat{\sigma}$$

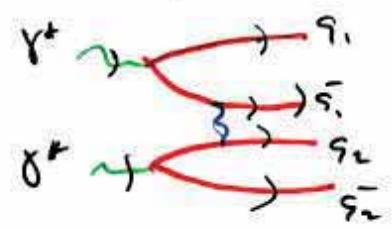
Total Cross-Section

$$\gamma^*(Q_1) \gamma^*(Q_2) \rightarrow X$$



$$\sigma(S_{\gamma\gamma}) \sim \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{s} \sum e_f^2$$

High energy, dominated by spin 1 exchange



$$\sigma(S_{\gamma\gamma}) \sim \sum e_f^4 \sum e_i^2 \alpha^2 \alpha_s^2 \times \left[\log \frac{s}{Q_1^2 Q_2^2} \right]^{n-1} \times \frac{1}{Q_1^2 + Q_2^2}$$

"Color dipole" scattering

ref: Hockney, Soper, SjöB, PRL D56 6957 (1987)
Barkley, et al

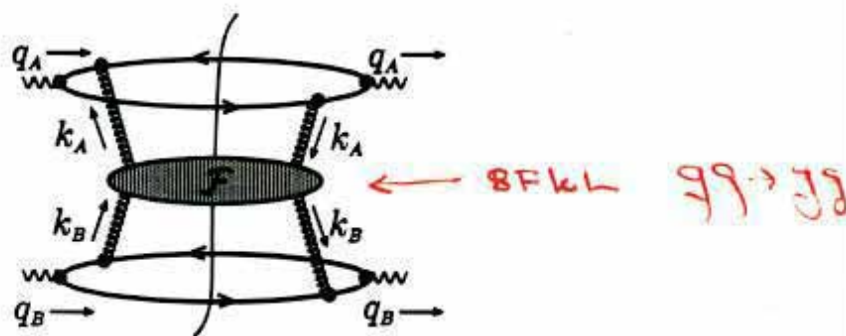


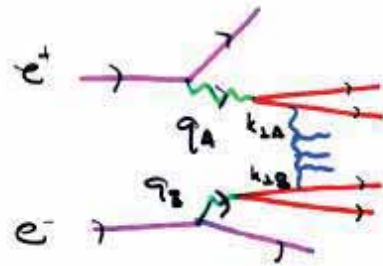
FIGURE 1. The virtual photon cross section in the high energy limit.

Balitski
Fadin
kursen
Lipaton } BFKL

SJB, F. Hautmann, D.E. Soper
Barkels, DeRocch, Lotte } $\gamma\gamma^*$

BFKL Pomeron and $\sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow X}(s)$

Heitmann, Soper
SUS



$$L = \ln s/Q^2$$

$$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow X} = \sigma^{(0)} \left[1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \alpha_L (\alpha_S L)^k + \dots \right]$$

$$\sigma(s, Q_A^2, Q_B^2) = \int_{\epsilon-i\infty}^{\epsilon+i\infty} \frac{dN}{2\pi i} e^{NL} \sigma_N(Q_A^2, Q_B^2)$$

Mellin-Fourier moment

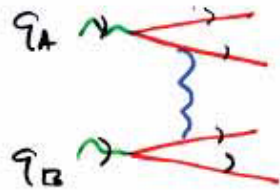
$$\sigma_N = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{ds}{s} \left(\frac{s}{Q^2}\right)^{-N} \sigma(s)$$

leading log:

$$\sigma_N(Q_A^2, Q_B^2) = \int \frac{d^2 k_{1A}}{\pi k_{1A}^2} \int \frac{d^2 k_{2B}}{\pi k_{2B}^2} G_1(k_{1A}^2/Q_A^2) G_1(k_{2B}^2/Q_B^2) F_N(k_{1A}^2, k_{2B}^2)$$

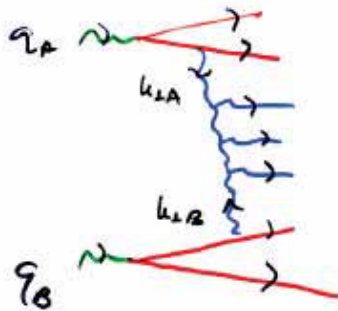
Born: $F_N^{(0)} = \frac{1}{2N} \frac{1}{\pi} \delta(k_{1A}^2 - k_{2B}^2)$

PQCD Analysis of $\sigma_{\gamma\gamma\gamma}$ (\hat{s}, Q_A^2, Q_B^2)



$$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma\gamma}^0 = \alpha^2 \alpha_s^2 (e^{-5/3} Q^2) \frac{F(Q_A^2, Q_B^2)}{Q^2}$$

$$Q^2 = Q_A Q_B$$



$$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma\gamma} = \sigma_{\gamma\gamma\gamma}^{(0)} \left[1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \alpha_s^k L^k \right]$$

$$L = l_n \frac{\hat{s}}{Q^2} \quad \text{From dy}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_{\gamma\gamma\gamma} \sim \left(\frac{\hat{s}}{Q^2} \right)^\lambda \sigma_{\gamma\gamma\gamma}^{(0)}$$

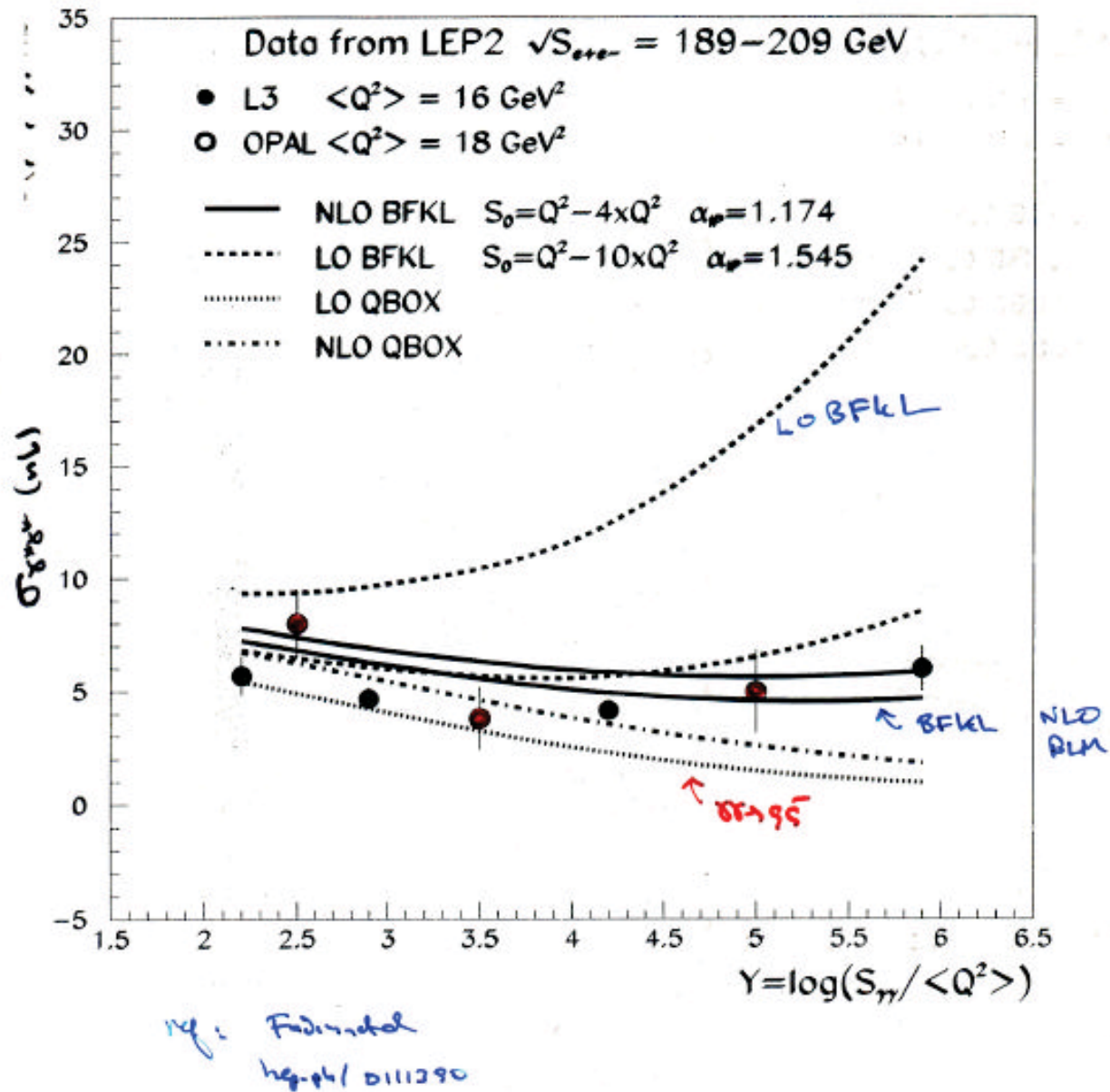
BFKL:

$$* \quad \lambda = \bar{\alpha}_s \chi(\gamma) \cong \bar{\alpha}_s \chi(\frac{1}{2}) = 2.77$$

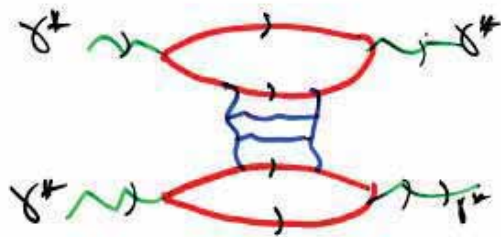
where $\bar{\alpha}_s = \alpha_s(\mu) \frac{N_c}{\pi}$, $\mu = O(Q)$

(Use NLO correction (Fadin-Lipatov))

BFKL
intercept
stabilized
at NLO
by BLM



Exchange multiple gluons: BFKL Pomeron



$$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow X} = \frac{1}{s} \text{Im } M_{\gamma\gamma}$$

$$s^{\omega} \log s \Rightarrow S^{\alpha(0)-1}$$

$$\alpha_{L_0}(0) = 1 + \omega_{L_0} = 1 + 12 \ln 2 \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi}$$

Need to fix scale of α_s ! Need NLO

BLM: preserve conformal coefficients

$$\omega_{NLO} \Rightarrow 0.13 \text{ to } 0.18$$

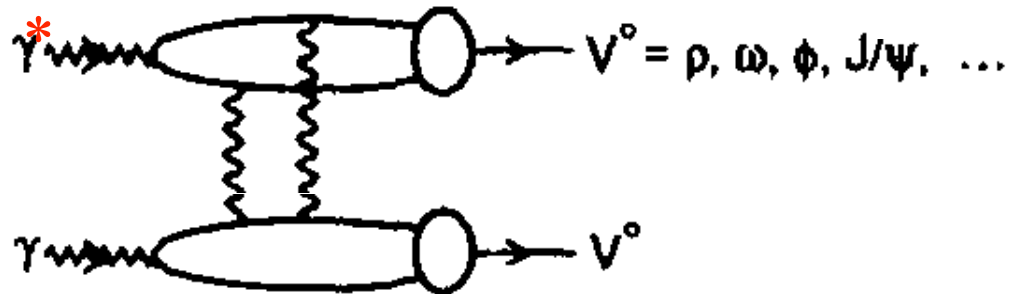
ref: Fadin, Kun, Lipatov, Pirrovanov, SJD hep-ph/0111390

Data from L3 and OPAL at LEP 2
Need test in Q_1^2, Q_2^2

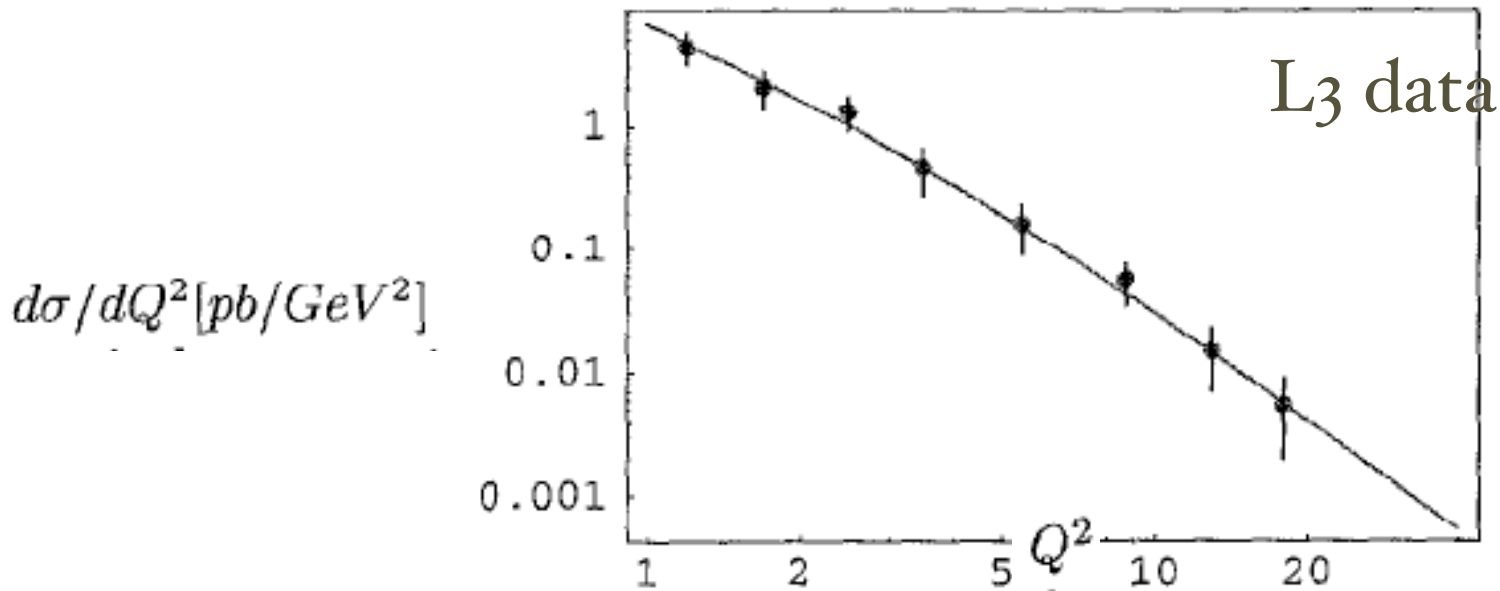
Exclusive two ρ^0 -mesons production in $\gamma\gamma^*$ collision

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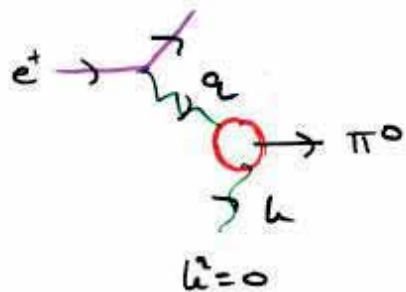
BFKL Analysis:
Enberg, Wallon



$\gamma\gamma^* \rightarrow \rho^0\rho^0$ at $Q^2 \geq 1.2 \text{ GeV}^2$ and $W \leq 3.0 \text{ GeV}$.

$$\gamma^* \gamma \rightarrow \pi^0, \rho, \rho', \rho_c \dots$$

Simplest example of exchange process

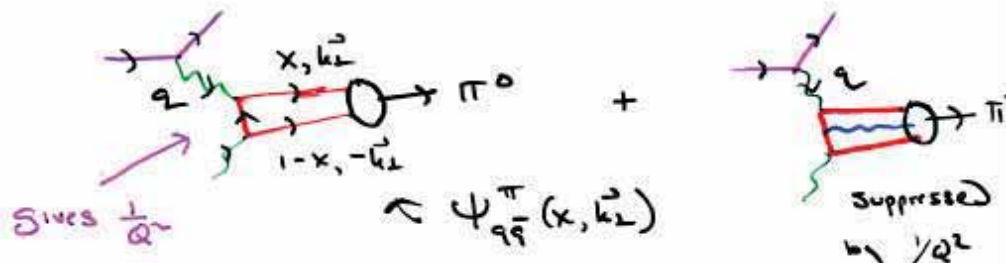


$$F_{\gamma\pi^0}(Q^2)$$

$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ at $Q^2=0$.

For $Q^2 \gg \Lambda_{QCD}^2$ analyze in PQCD

LQCD
SIR



$$* F_{\gamma\pi^0}(Q^2) = \frac{1}{Q^2} 2\sqrt{n_c} (e_u^2 - e_d^2) \int_0^1 dx \left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{1-x} \right) \phi_\pi(x, Q)$$

$$* \phi_\pi(x, Q) = \int \frac{d^2k_\perp}{16\pi^3} \Psi_{q\bar{q}}^\pi(x, \vec{k}_\perp)$$

pion
distribution
amplitude

Photon-to-Meson Transition Form Factors

$$\Gamma_\mu = -ie^2 F_{M\gamma}(Q^2) \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} P_M^\nu e^\rho q^\sigma$$

Simplest hadron form factor in QCD

$$F_{\pi\gamma}(Q^2) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}Q^2} \int_0^1 dx \frac{\phi_\pi^*(x, \tilde{Q})}{x(1-x)} \left[1 + \mathcal{O} \left[\alpha_s, \frac{m^2}{Q^2} \right] \right]$$

Measure in $e^-e^+ \rightarrow e^-e^+\pi^0$
single tagged virtual photon

G. P. Lepage, SJB

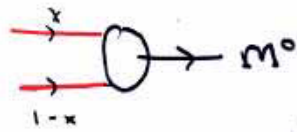
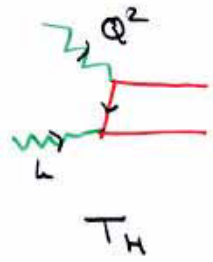
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$$F_{\pi\gamma} \rightarrow \frac{2f_\pi}{Q^2} \text{ as } Q^2 \rightarrow \infty$$

Zerwas, Walsh

PDFs: $F_{\gamma \rightarrow M_0}(Q^2) \sim \frac{1}{Q^2} \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{1-x} \phi_H(x, \bar{Q})$



$$\phi_H(x, Q) = \int d^2\bar{L} \psi_{\bar{q}}(x, \bar{L})$$

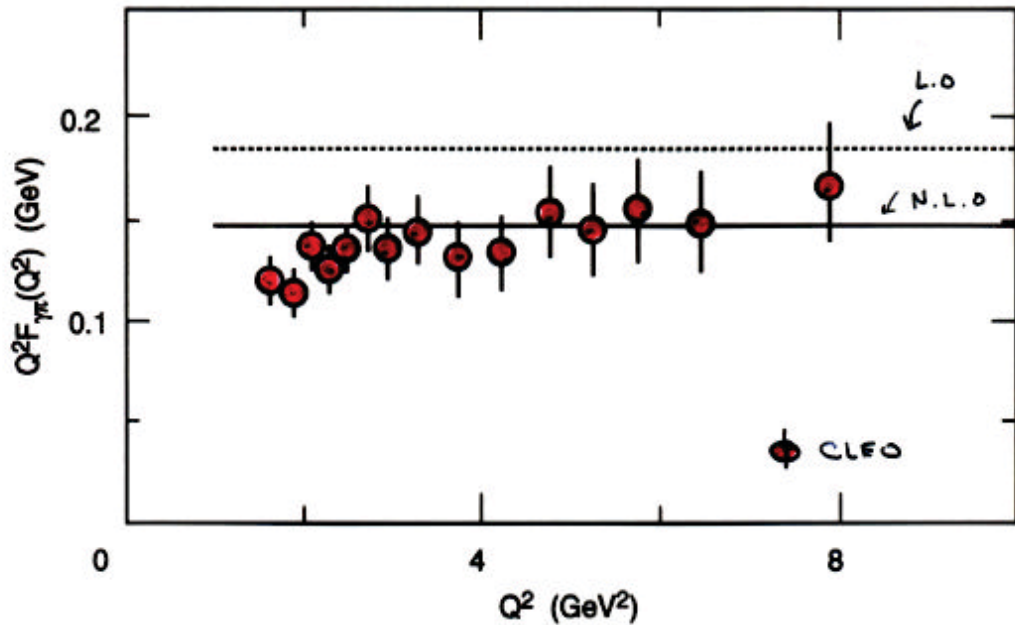
* $T_H(\gamma^* \gamma \rightarrow q \bar{q}) \sim \frac{1}{Q^2(1-x)}$
 $\mathcal{O}(Q)^n$ collinear

* Higher Fock states: $\frac{1}{Q^4}$ Other diagrams $\mathcal{O}(Q^2(Q^2))!$

* $\phi_H(x, Q) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Q_n P_n(x) \left(\ln \frac{Q^2}{\Lambda^2}\right)^{-n}$ log evolution

* $\lambda_n = \lambda_q + \lambda_g = 0$. HHC test \int_0^1

** Small part of Fock state dominates
 $\phi_H \sim \psi(x, b_{\perp} \sim \frac{1}{Q})$



CLEO, Savinov et al.

Assumes

$$\phi_\pi(x, Q) = \phi_\pi^{asymptotic}(x) = \sqrt{3} f_\pi x(1-x)$$

Lepage, sjb

- PQCD prediction at NLO

$$Q^2 F_{\gamma \rightarrow \pi}(Q^2) = 2f_\pi \left[1 - \frac{5}{3\pi} \frac{\alpha_V(e^{-3}Q^2)}{\pi} \right]$$

Radyushkin, Braaten,
Chase

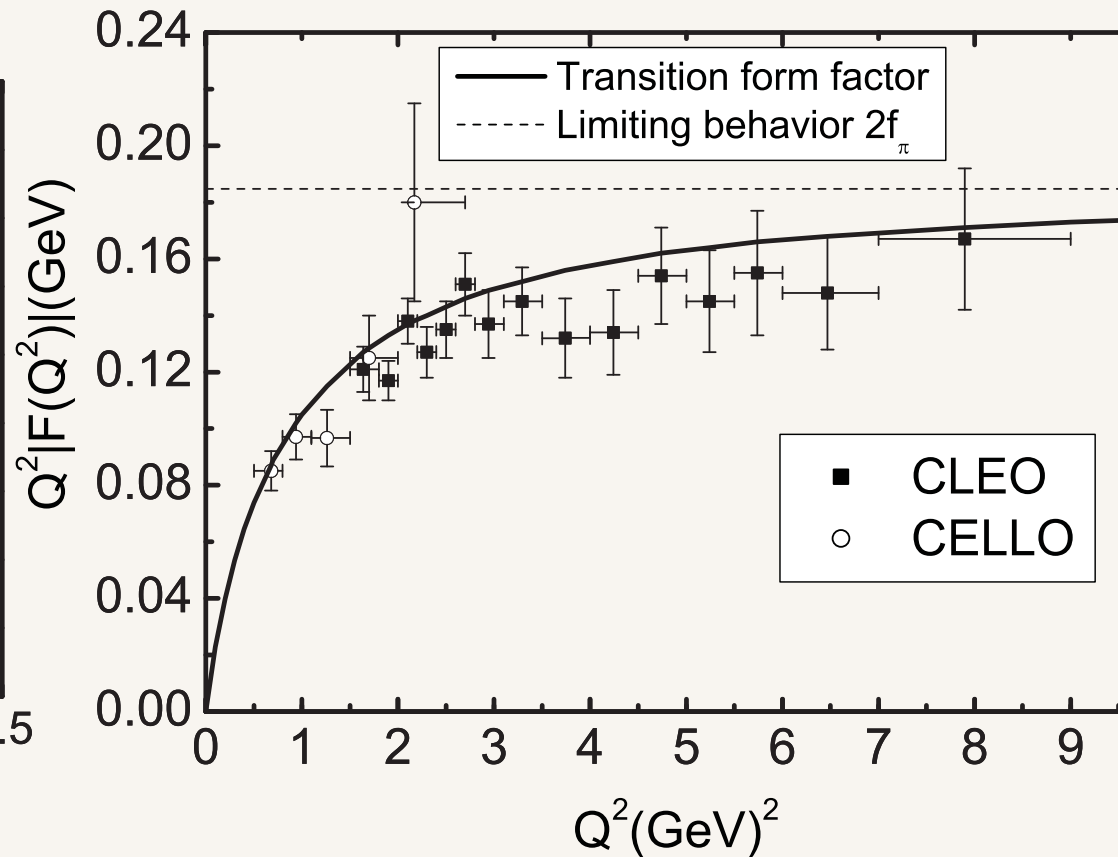
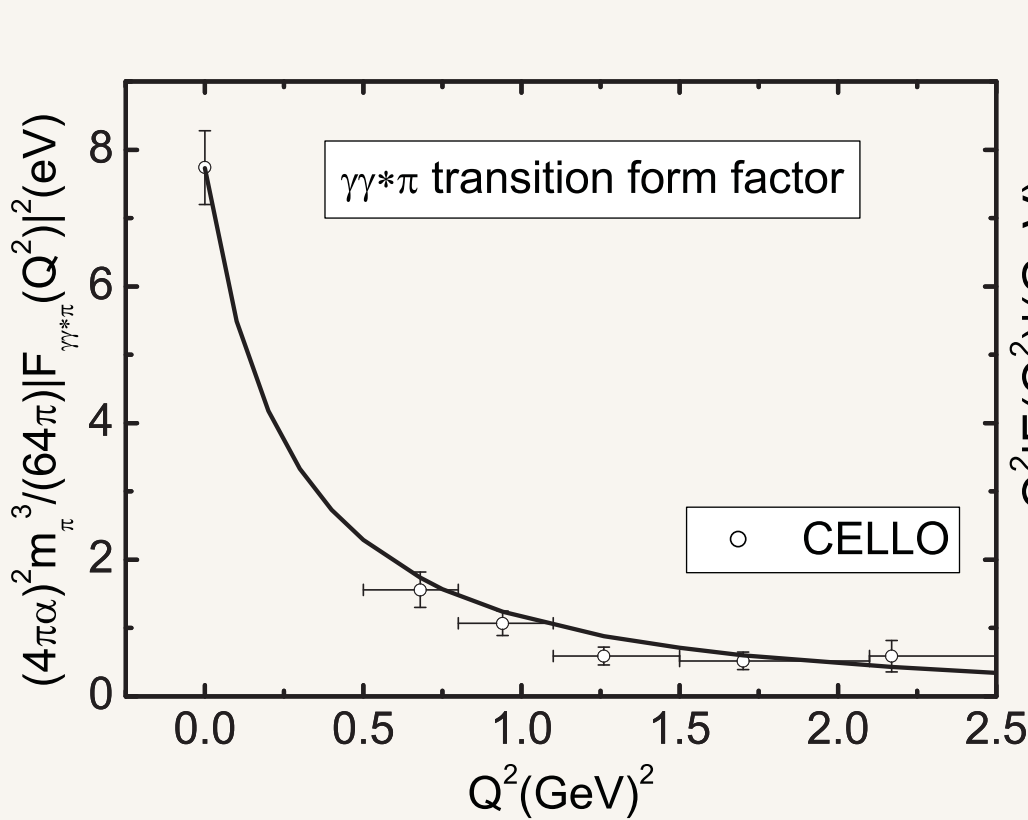
PHOTON-MESON TRANSITION FORM-FACTORS OF LIGHT PSEUDOSCALAR MESONS.

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Bo-Qiang Ma

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$$F_{\pi\gamma} \rightarrow \frac{2f_\pi}{Q^2} \text{ as } Q^2 \rightarrow \infty$$

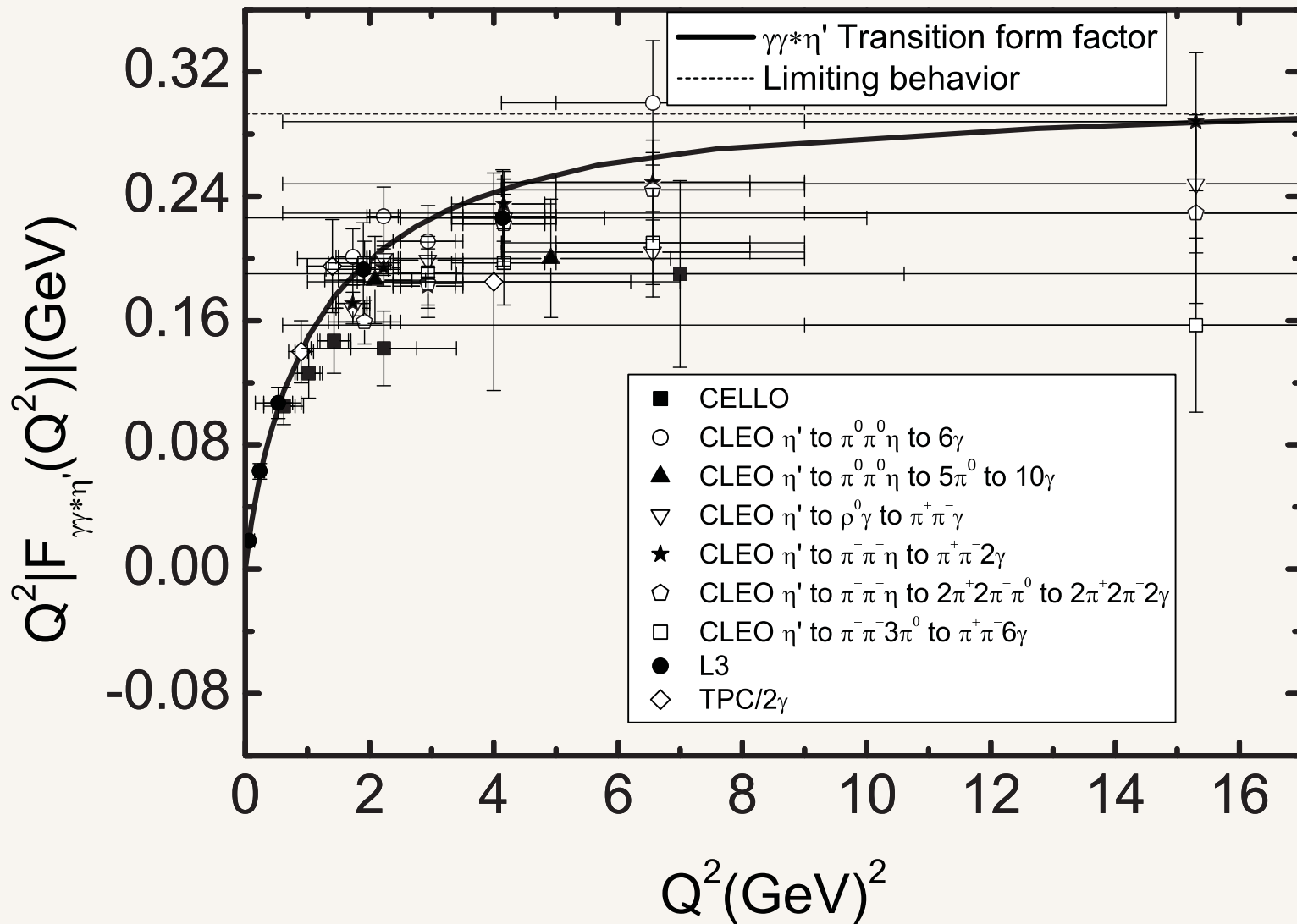


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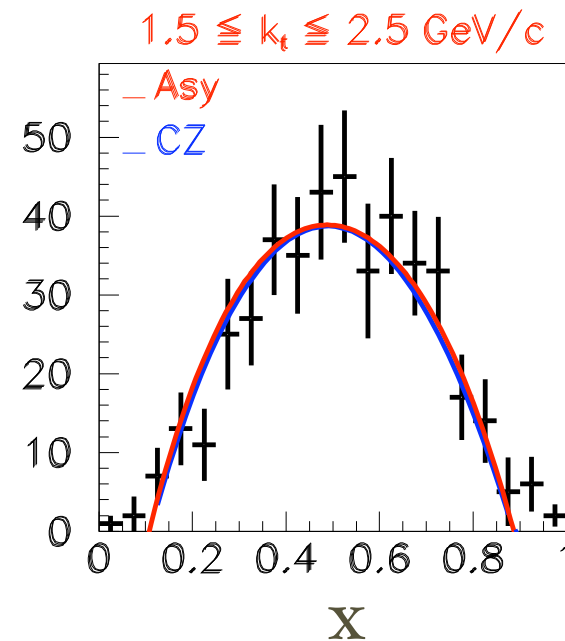


Diffractive Dissociation of a Pion into Dijets

$$\pi A \rightarrow \text{JetJet} A'$$

$$\psi_{q\bar{q}}^{\pi}(x, \vec{k}_{\perp})$$

- E789 Fermilab Experiment
Ashery et al
- 500 GeV pions collide on nuclei keeping it intact
- Measure momentum of two jets
- Study momentum distributions of pion LF wavefunction



Diffractive Dissociation of Pion into Di-Jets

- Verify Color Transparency
- Pion Interacts coherently on each nucleon of nucleus !

$$M \propto A, \sigma \propto A^2$$

- Pion Distribution similar to Asymptotic Form
- Scaling in transverse momentum consistent with PQCD

$$\psi(x, k_{\perp}) \propto x(1-x)$$

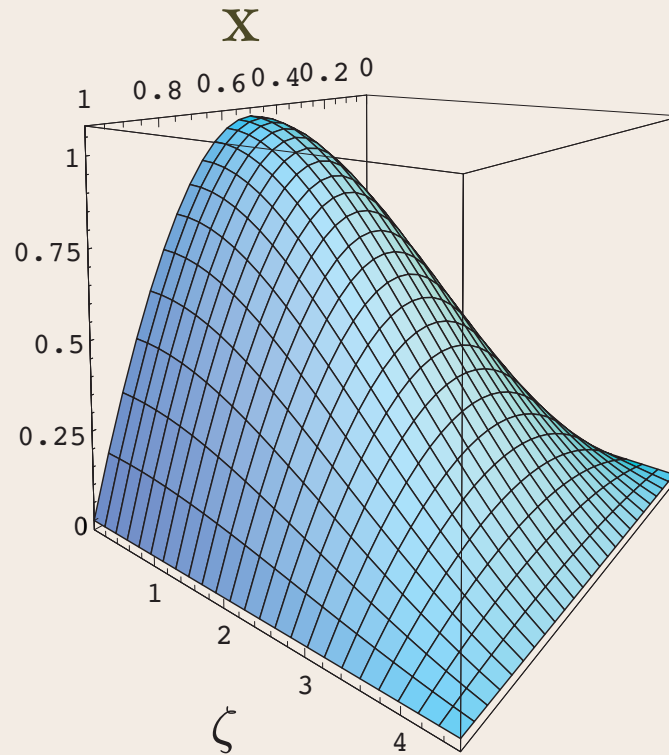
Consistent with:

AdS/CFT
Holographic Model
de Teramond, SJB

Transverse Lattice
Dalley, Burkardt

Lattice Gauge
Theory Moments
Sachrajda

Holographic LFWF



AdS/CFT

Figure 1: Ground state light-front wavefunction in impact space $\psi(x, b)$ for a two-parton state in a holographic QCD model for $n = 2, \ell = 0, k = 1$.

$$z \rightarrow \zeta$$

G. de Teramond & Sjb

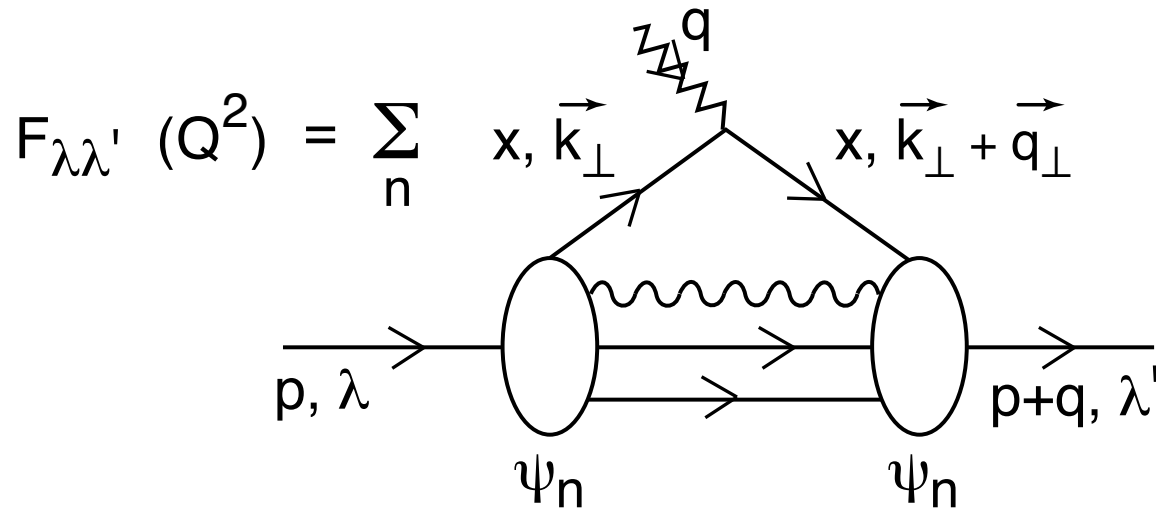
$$\zeta = b\sqrt{x(1-x)}$$

PQCD and Exclusive Processes

$$M = \int \prod dx_i dy_i \phi_F(x, \tilde{Q}) \times T_H(x_i, y_i, \tilde{Q}) \phi_I(y_i, Q)$$

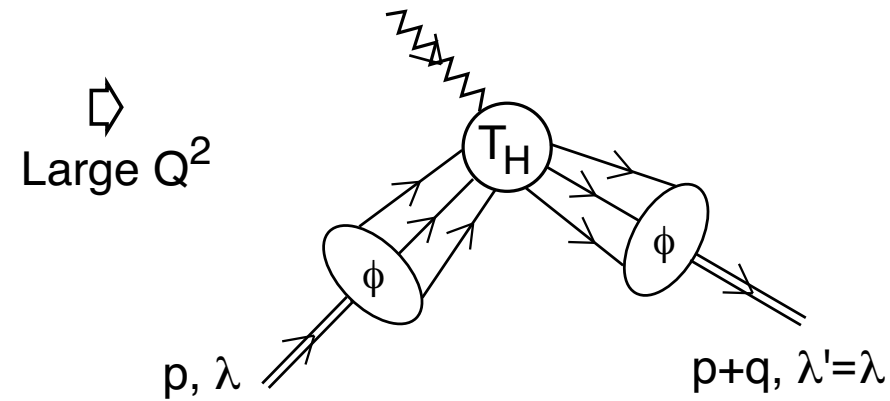
- Iterate kernel of LFWFs when at high virtuality; distribution amplitude contains all physics below factorization scale
- Rigorous Factorization Formulae: Leading twist
- Underly Exclusive B-decay analyses
- Distribution amplitude: gauge invariant, OPE, evolution equations, conformal expansions
- BLM scale setting: sum nonconformal contributions in scale of running coupling
- Derive Dimensional Counting Rules/ Conformal Scaling

Form Factors $\ell p \rightarrow \ell' p' \langle p' \lambda' | J^+ (0) | p \lambda \rangle$



QCD Factorization

Lepage, Sjb
Efremov
Radyushkin

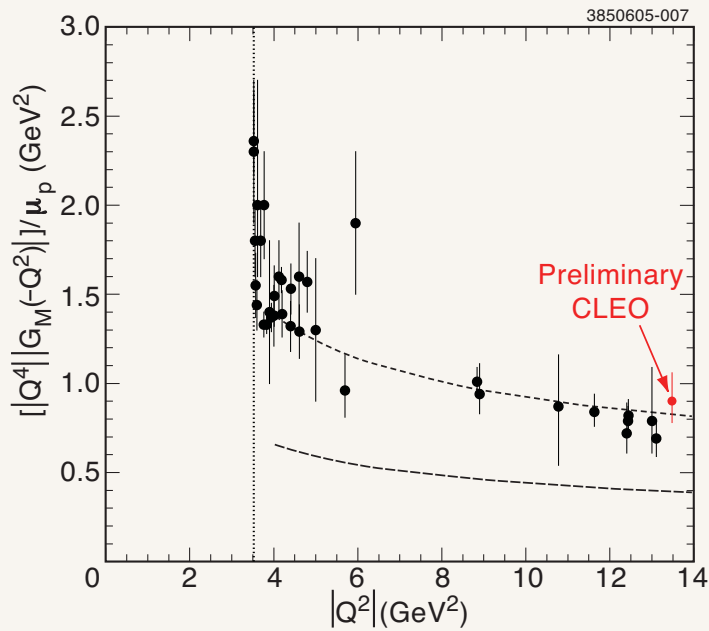


$$T_H = \sum_{\mathbb{R}} \int dx_1, dx_2, dx_3$$

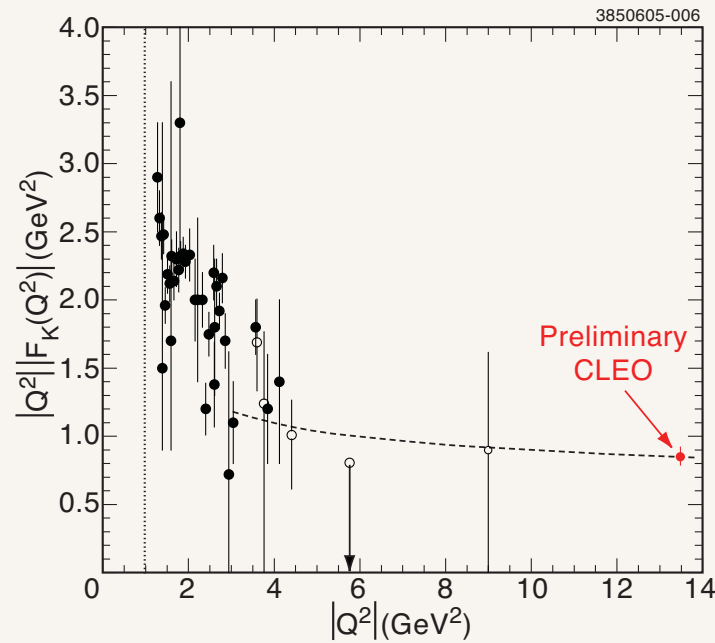
y_1 y_2 y_3

$$= \frac{\alpha_S^2}{Q^4} f(x_i, y_i)$$

Scaling Laws from PQCD or AdS/CFT



Proton timelike form factor.



Kaon timelike form factor.

New results from CLEO

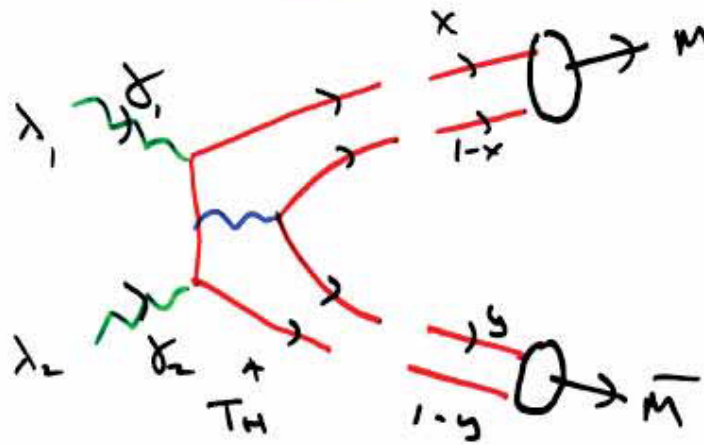
$$Q^2 |F_K(13.48 \text{ GeV}^2)| = 0.85 \pm 0.05(\text{stat}) \pm 0.02(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$Q^4 |G_M^p(13.48 \text{ GeV}^2)| = 2.54 \pm 0.36(\text{stat}) \pm 0.16(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}^4$$

The proton magnetic form factor result agrees with that measured in the reverse reaction $p\bar{p} \rightarrow e^+e^-$ at Fermilab. **The kaon form factor measurement is the first ever direct measurement at $|Q^2| > 4 \text{ GeV}^2$.**

PQCD Factorization
at large s, t

G.P. Lepage
+ SJB
Vostok
Chengshu



no FSE!

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \mathcal{M}(\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \rightarrow M \bar{M}) \\
 &= \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dy \cdot T_H(x, y; s, \theta_{cm}) \\
 & \quad \Phi_M(x, \tilde{Q}) \Phi_{\bar{M}}(y, \tilde{Q}) \\
 & \Phi_M(x, \tilde{Q}) = \int d^2k_{\perp} \Psi_{q\bar{q}/M}(x, k_{\perp}^{\vec{2}})
 \end{aligned}$$

Two-Photon Exclusive Amplitudes

$$F_M(s) = \frac{16\pi\alpha_s}{3s} \int_0^1 dx dy \frac{\phi_M^*(x, \tilde{Q}_x) \phi_M^*(y, \tilde{Q}_y)}{x(1-x)y(1-y)}$$

when $\phi_M(x, Q) = \phi_M(1-x, Q)$ is assumed.⁷ Thus much of the dependence on $\phi(x, Q)$ can be removed from $\mathcal{M}_{\lambda\lambda'}$ by expressing it in terms of the meson form factor—i.e.,

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{M}_{++} \\ \mathcal{M}_{--} \end{array} \right\} = 16\pi\alpha F_M(s) \left[\frac{\langle (e_1 - e_2)^2 \rangle}{1 - \cos^2\theta_{\text{c.m.}}} \right],$$

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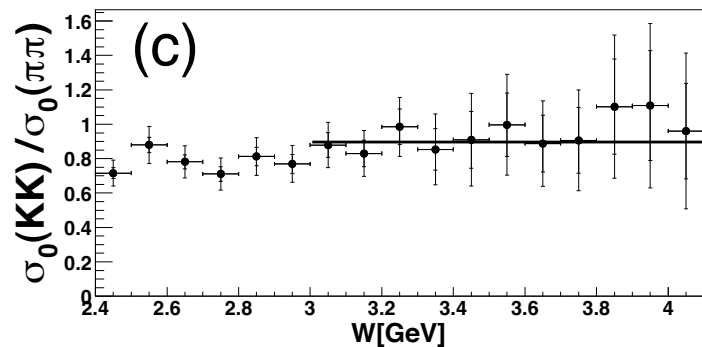
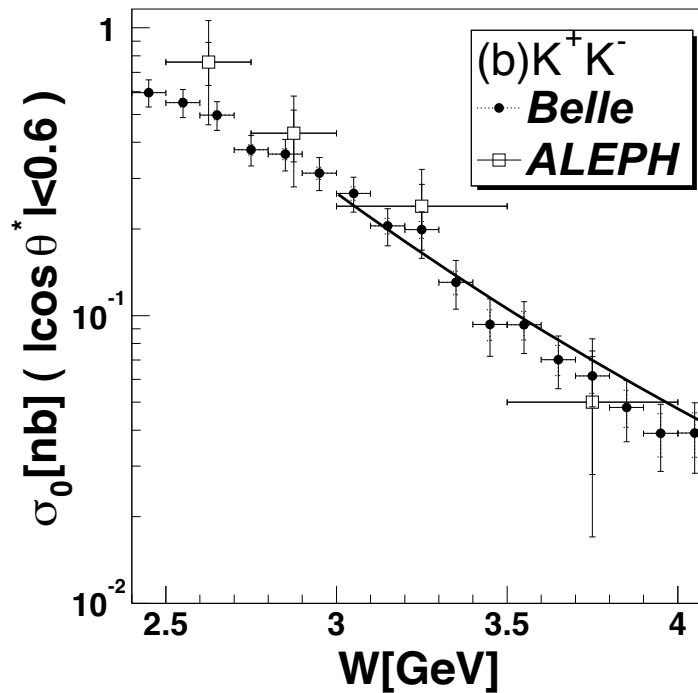
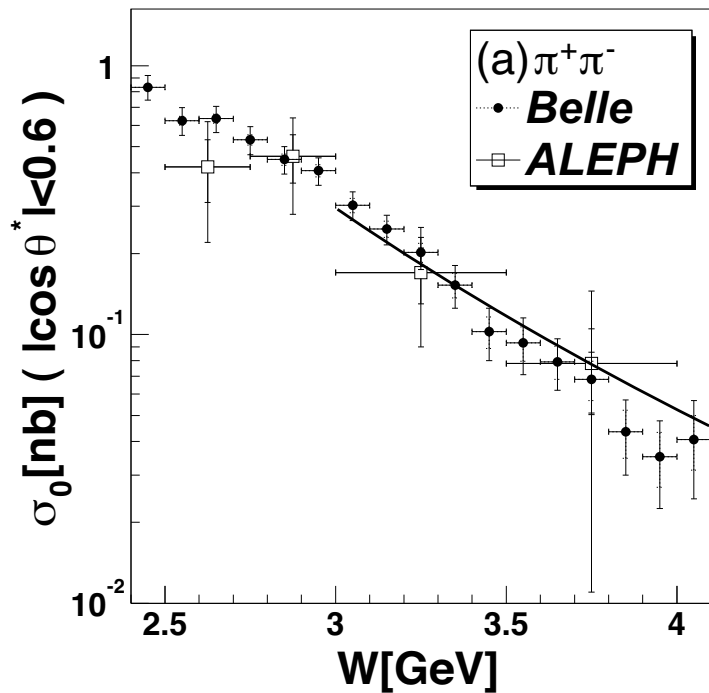
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{M}_{+-} \\ \mathcal{M}_{-+} \end{array} \right\} = 16\pi\alpha F_M(s) \left[\frac{\langle (e_1 - e_2)^2 \rangle}{1 - \cos^2\theta_{\text{c.m.}}} + 2\langle e_1 e_2 \rangle g[\theta_{\text{c.m.}}; \phi_M] \right],$$

up to corrections of order α_s and m^2/s . Now the only dependence on ϕ_M , and indeed the only unknown quantity, is in the θ -dependent factor

$$g[\theta_{\text{c.m.}}; \phi_M] = \frac{\int_0^1 dx dy \frac{\phi_M^*(x, \tilde{Q}) \phi_M^*(y, \tilde{Q})}{x(1-x)y(1-y)} \frac{a[y(1-y) + x(1-x)]}{a^2 - b^2 \cos^2\theta_{\text{c.m.}}}}{\int_0^1 dx dy \frac{\phi_M^*(x, \tilde{Q}) \phi_M^*(y, \tilde{Q})}{x(1-x)y(1-y)}}$$

The spin-averaged cross section follows immediately from these expressions

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{dt} &= \frac{2}{s} \frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta_{\text{c.m.}}} = \frac{1}{16\pi s^2} \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\lambda\lambda'} |\mathcal{M}_{\lambda\lambda'}|^2 \\ &= 16\pi\alpha^2 \left| \frac{F_M(s)}{s} \right|^2 \left\{ \frac{\langle (e_1 - e_2)^2 \rangle^2}{(1 - \cos^2\theta_{\text{c.m.}})^2} + \frac{2\langle e_1 e_2 \rangle \langle (e_1 - e_2)^2 \rangle}{1 - \cos^2\theta_{\text{c.m.}}} g[\theta_{\text{c.m.}}; \phi_M] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2\langle e_1 e_2 \rangle^2 g^2[\theta_{\text{c.m.}}; \phi_M] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$



PQCD, AdS/CFT:

$$\Delta\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-, K^+, K^-) \sim 1/W^6$$

$$|\cos(\theta_{CM})| < 0.6$$

Hard Exclusive Processes:
Fixed angle

Fig. 5. Cross section for (a) $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, (b) $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K^+K^-$ in the c.m. angular region $|\cos \theta^*| < 0.6$ together with a W^{-6} dependence line derived from the fit of $s|R_M|$. (c) shows the cross section ratio. The solid line is the result of the fit for the data above 3 GeV. The errors indicated by short ticks are statistical only.

PQCD:
$$\frac{d\sigma}{d|\cos\theta^*|}(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow M^+M^-) \approx \frac{16\pi\alpha^2}{s} \frac{|F_M(s)|^2}{\sin^4\theta^*},$$

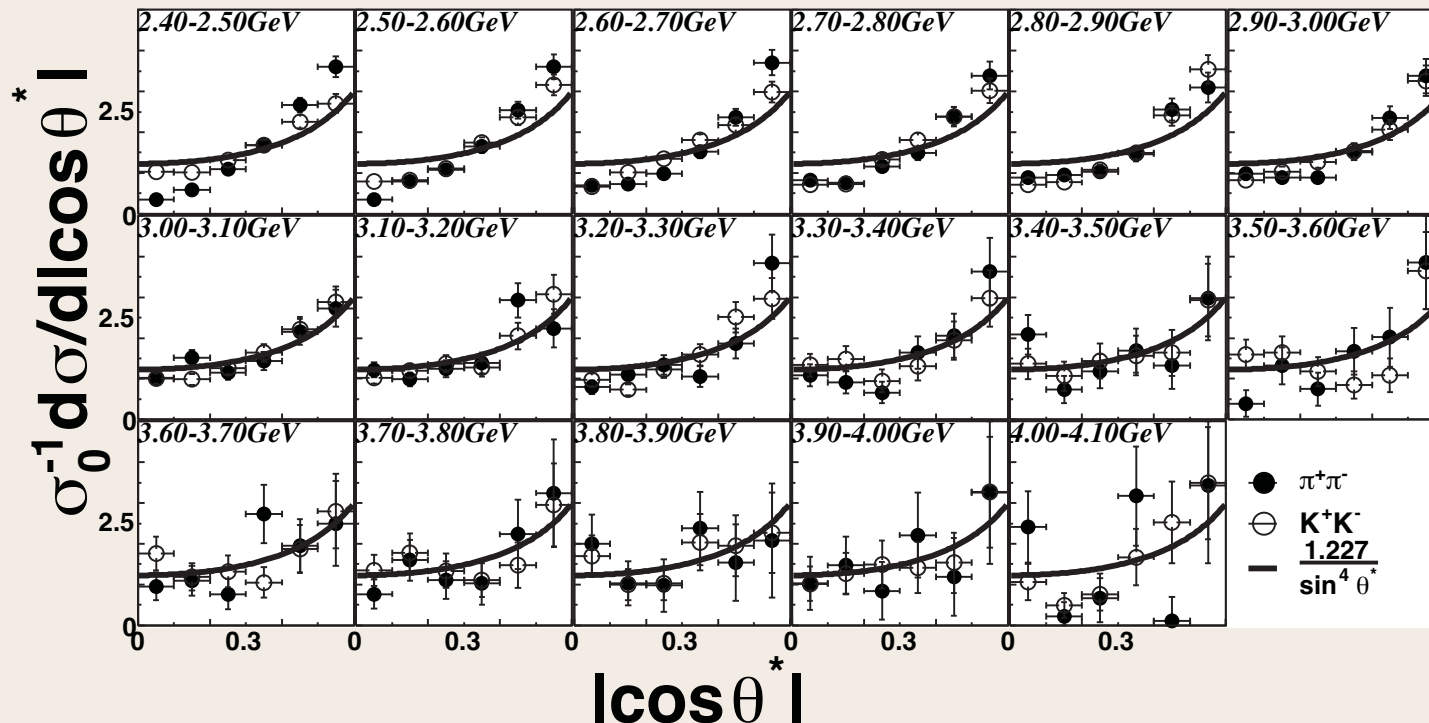
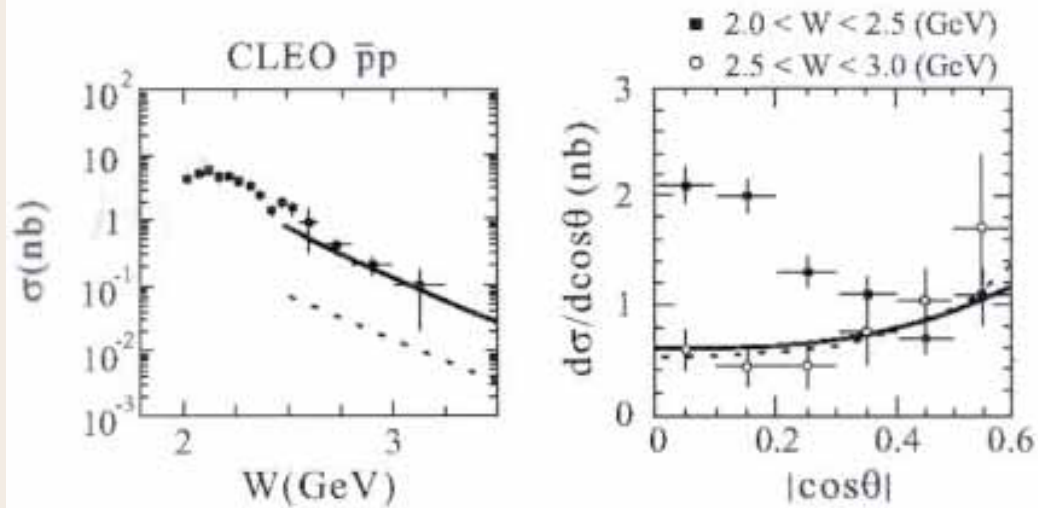
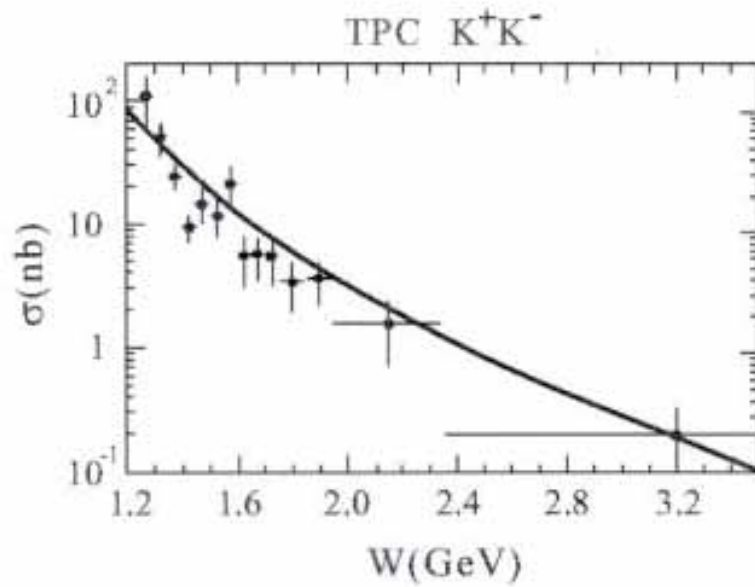


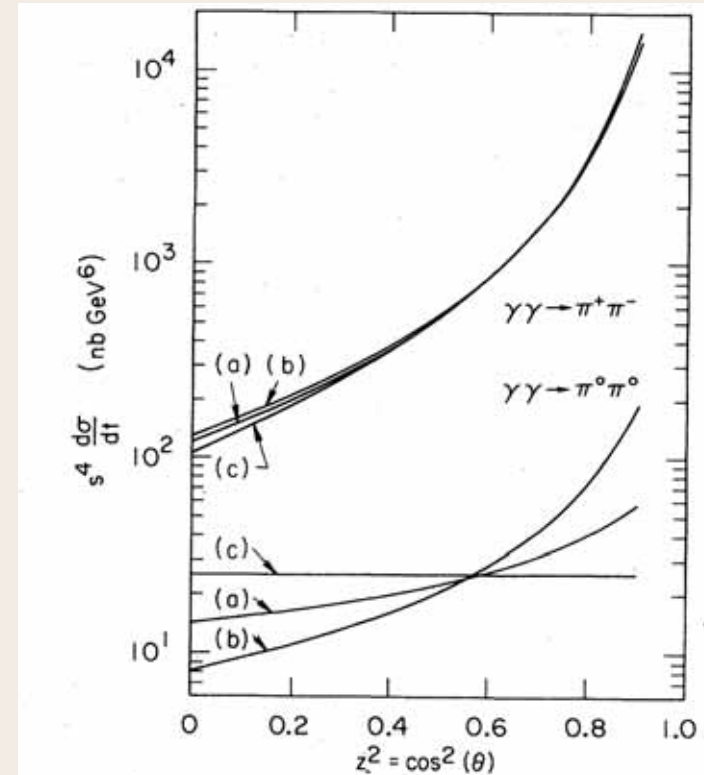
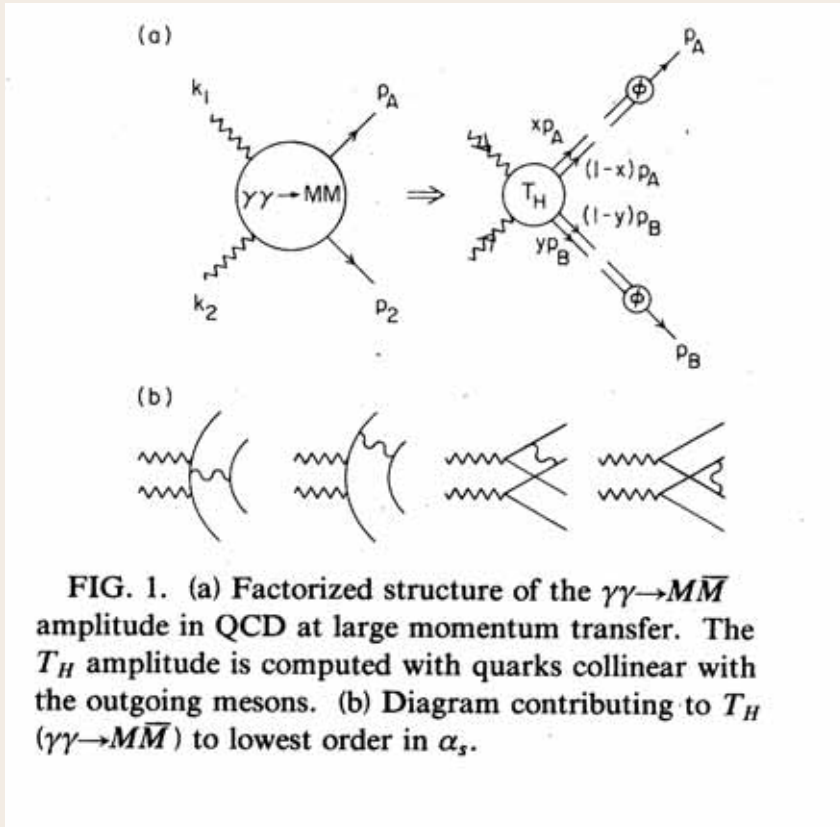
Fig. 4. Angular dependence of the cross section, $\sigma_0^{-1}d\sigma/d|\cos\theta^*|$, for the $\pi^+\pi^-$ (closed circles) and K^+K^- (open circles) processes. The curves are $1.227 \times \sin^{-4}\theta^*$. The errors are statistical only.

Measurement of the $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ and
 $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K^+K^-$ processes
 at energies of 2.4–4.1 GeV



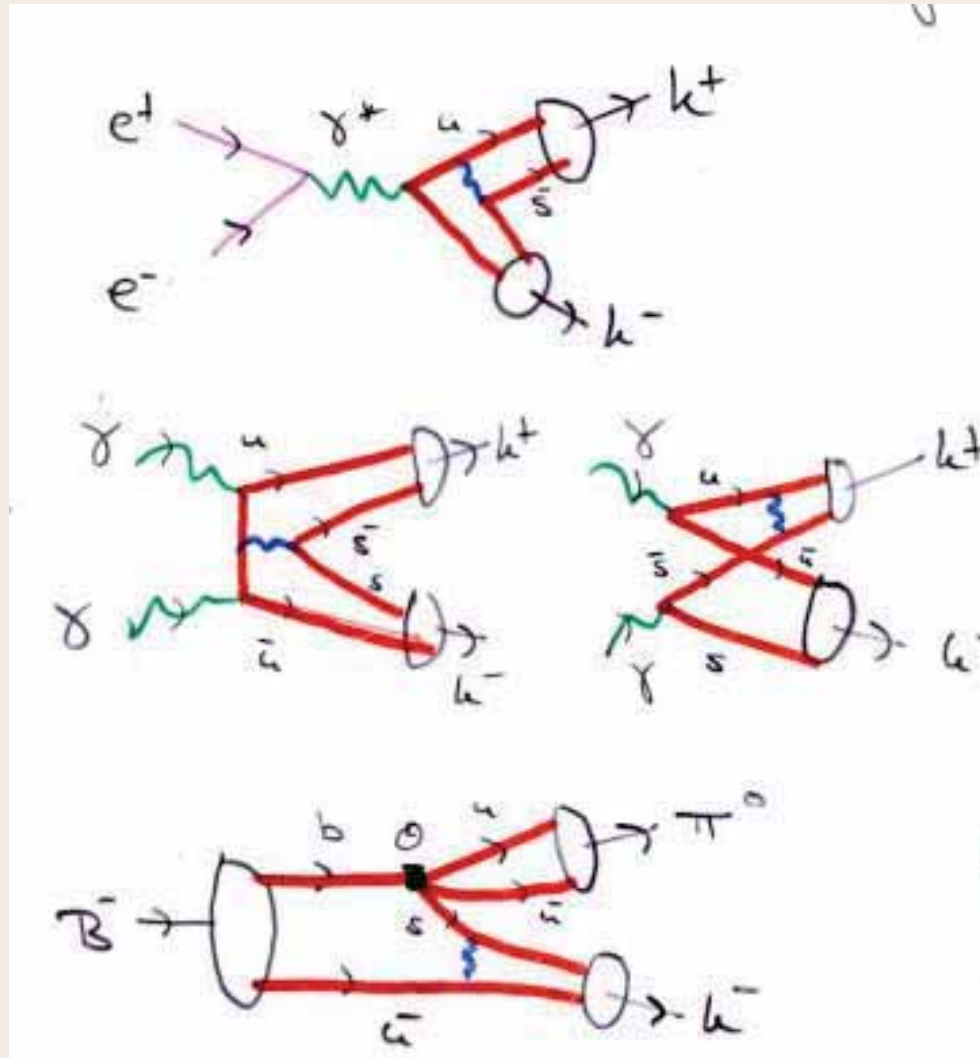
Two Regimes

$$\frac{\Delta\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0)}{\Delta\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}$$

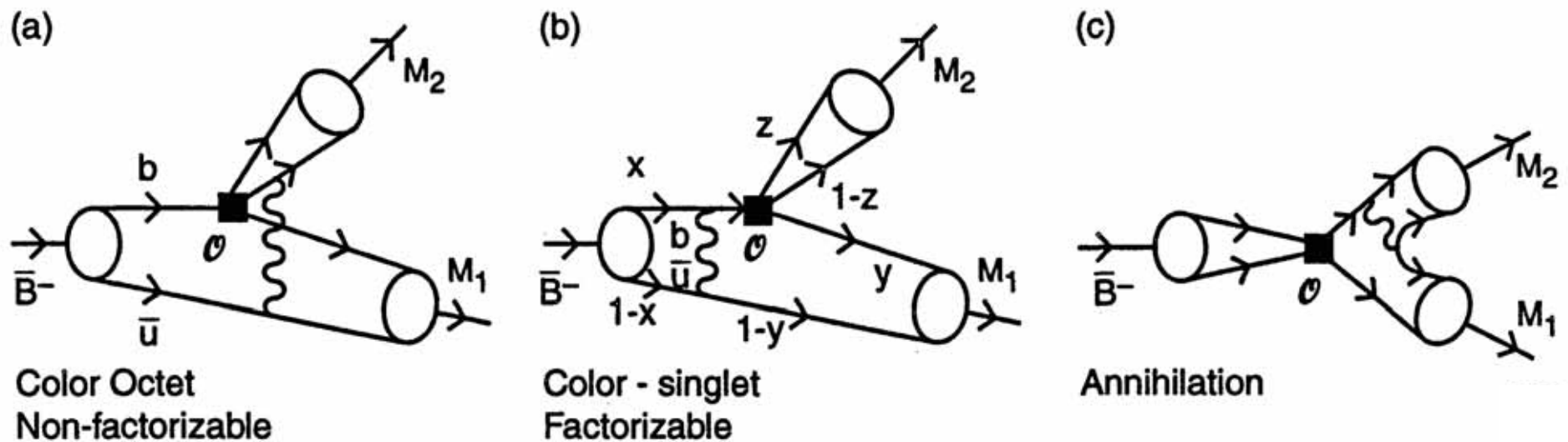


Handbag model (Diehl, Kroll et al) neglects $e_1 \times e_2$ cross terms -- Equal charged and neutral rate

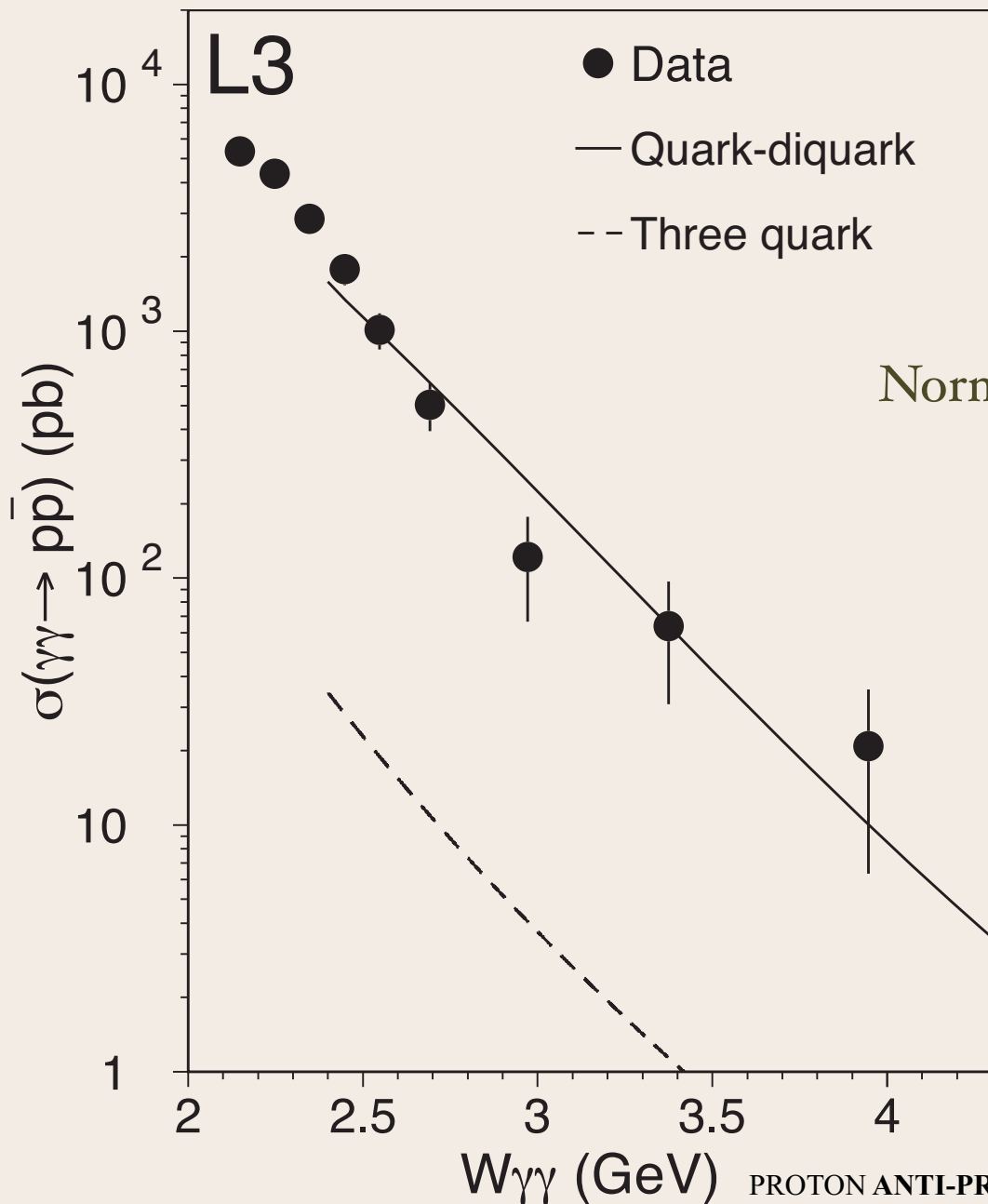
Common Ingredients: Universal LFWFS, Distribution Amplitudes



Meson Distribution Amplitudes and Exclusive B decays



Three representative contributions to exclusive B decays to meson pairs in PQCD. The operators \mathcal{O} represent the QCD-improved effective weak interaction.



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Normalization: Large uncertainties

$$\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow p\bar{p})$$

$$|\cos\theta_{cm}| < 0.6$$

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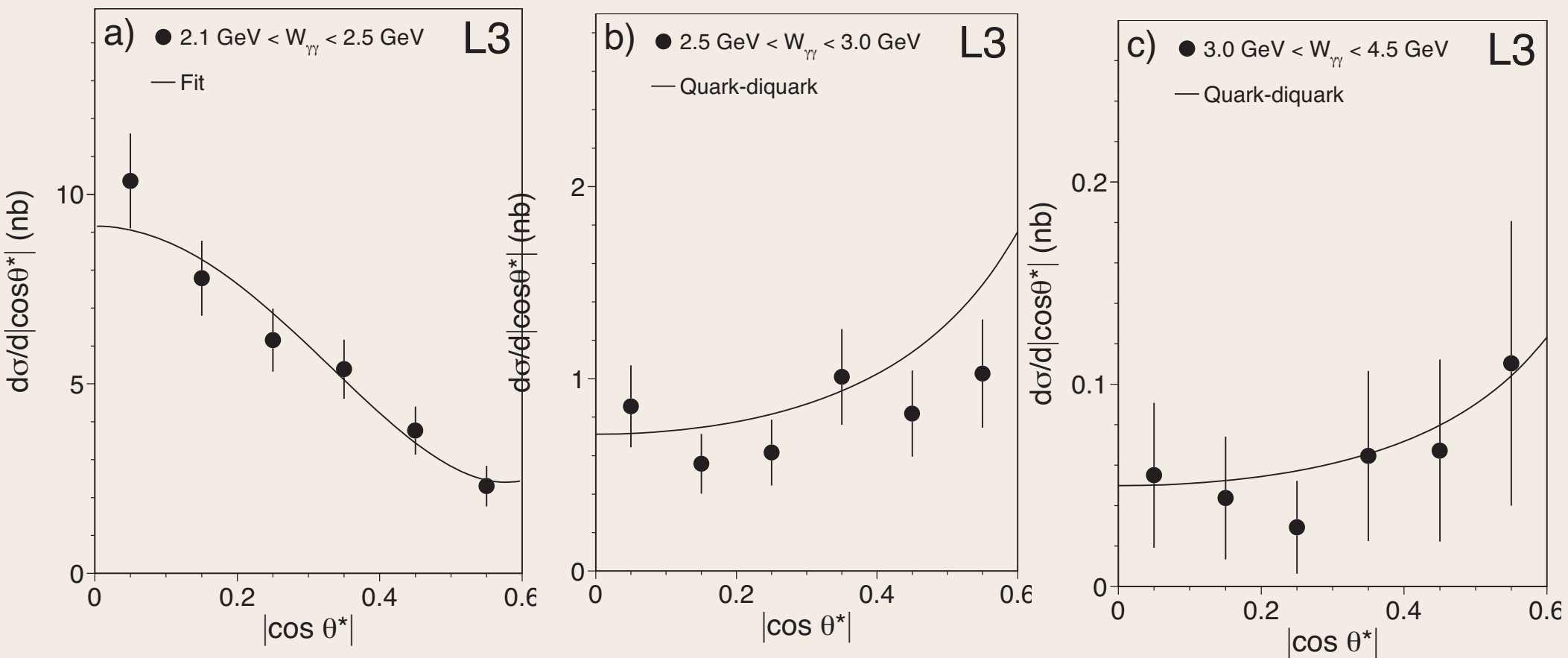
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Normalization of Hard Exclusive Amplitudes in PQCD

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt}(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow B\bar{B})$$

- Decay constant f_N of nucleon unknown
- Running QCD coupling evaluated at small scales
- Non-Abelian ggg coupling at higher orders



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We consider the deep inelastic structure functions of the photon in an asymptotically free gauge theory. In contrast to the case of a hadronic target, we find that the short-distance analysis determines the shape and magnitude and not merely the Q^2 dependence of the structure functions. The structure functions of the free quark theory are renormalized by finite, calculable factors. For example, at $x = 0.1$, we find that F_2 will, at large Q^2 , exceed the free quark result by a factor 1.751, while for $x = 0.5$, F_2 is suppressed asymptotically, relative to the free quark theory, by a factor 0.964, and at $x = 0.8$, by a factor 0.611.

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Deep Inelastic Scattering of Electrons on a Photon Target*

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BKT: Assume Bjorken Scaling

$$\frac{d\sigma(e+B \rightarrow e + \text{anything})}{dQ^2 d\nu} = -\frac{2\pi\alpha^2}{(Q^2)^2} \left[W_2(Q^2, \nu) \left(1 - y - \frac{y^2 Q^2 M^2}{4\nu^2}\right) + W_1(Q^2, \nu) \frac{y^2 Q^2}{2\nu^2} \right], \quad (2)$$

where $P^2 = M^2$ and $y = \nu/p \cdot P$. We have neglected the electron mass compared with the incident energy. We have defined W_1 and W_2 in such a way that we do not encounter any difficulty in passing to the limit $M=0$. From now on we shall regard B as a real photon. Of course in this case the rest system of the target no longer exists.

We now consider large- Q^2 and large- ν regions and assume that the Bjorken scaling limit⁵ exists for the hadronic structure functions of the *photon*:

$$\lim_{\substack{\nu \rightarrow \infty \\ \omega \text{ fixed}}} W_1(Q^2, \nu) = F_1^\gamma(\omega), \quad \lim_{\substack{\nu \rightarrow \infty \\ \omega \text{ fixed}}} \nu W_2(Q^2, \nu) = F_2^\gamma(\omega), \quad (3)$$

where $\omega = 2\nu/Q^2$ ($\geq 1 + m_\pi^2/Q^2$), and F_1^γ and F_2^γ are dimensionless functions of ω and are implicitly of order α . Then for large ν and fixed ω we have the simple formula

$$\frac{d\sigma(e+\gamma \rightarrow e + \text{anything})}{dQ^2 d\nu} = -\frac{2\pi\alpha^2}{\nu(Q^2)^2} \left[F_2^\gamma(\omega)(1-y) + F_1^\gamma(\omega) \frac{y^2}{\omega} \right]. \quad (4)$$

This shows clearly that electron-photon scattering experiments in the deep inelastic kinematical region will give us information on the hadronic structure functions F_1^γ and F_2^γ of the photon.

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$$\int_0^1 dx x^{n-2} F(x, q^2) = \sum_i (M(q^2/\mu^2, g, \alpha) \hat{C}_i(1, \bar{g}^2, \alpha))_i \langle \gamma | \hat{O}_i | \gamma \rangle \\ + \sum_i \left(\frac{e^2 r}{2b\bar{g}^2} \sum_k \frac{P_k}{1 + \lambda_k/2b} \right)_i \hat{C}_i(1, \bar{g}^2, \alpha) + D(1, \bar{g}^2, \alpha). \quad (8)$$

What are the scaling properties of the various terms?

We consider first the transverse structure function F_2 . For F_2 , \hat{C} and D approach constant limits as $Q^2 \rightarrow \infty$. Therefore, the third term in (8) is Q^2 independent for large Q^2 . The second term, however, will grow like $\ln Q^2$, because of the factor $1/\bar{g}^2$. In the first term, M will scale with the usual anomalous dimensions for hadron targets (see eq. (5)), which means that the first term is asymptotically Q^2 independent for $n = 2$, and logarithmically suppressed for $n > 2$. Therefore, the dominant term is the logarithmically growing second term, and each moment of F_2 will grow like $\ln Q^2$.

Ed Witten: Inhomogeneous Evolution Equation for the Photon Structure Function

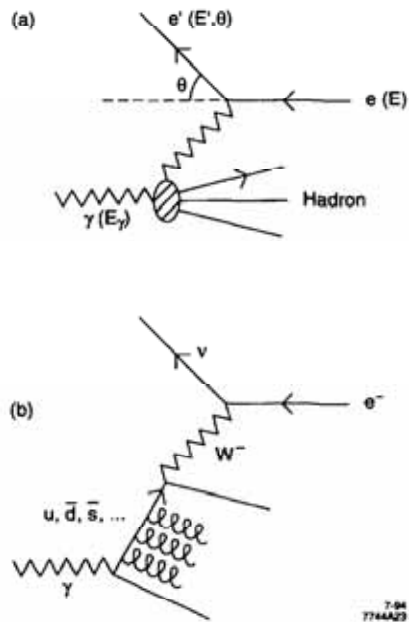


Fig. 16. (a) Deep-inelastic electron-photon scattering $e\gamma \rightarrow eX$. (b) The charged current process $e\gamma \rightarrow \nu X$ in deep-inelastic $e\gamma$ scattering.

The cross section for deep-inelastic scattering $e + \gamma \rightarrow e + X$ is parametrized by the transverse F_2^γ and the longitudinal F_L^γ structure functions (Fig. 16a),

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx dy} = \frac{2\pi\alpha^2 s_{e\gamma}}{Q^4} [1 + (1-y)^2] \times [2xF_2^\gamma(x, Q^2) + \epsilon_y F_L^\gamma(x, Q^2)].$$

The transverse structure function can be substituted by the more familiar structure function $F_2^\gamma = 2xF_2^\gamma + F_L^\gamma$. The

Bjorken variable x and y can be expressed in terms of the momentum transfer Q^2 , the invariant hadronic energy W , and the laboratory energies and electron scattering angle,

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2qp_\gamma} = \frac{Q^2}{Q^2 + W^2} = 1 - \frac{E'}{E} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}.$$

$$\frac{\partial q}{\partial t} = e_q^2 d_B + \frac{\alpha_s(t)}{2\pi} [A_{qq} * q + A_{qg} * G],$$

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial t} = \frac{\alpha_s(t)}{2\pi} [A_{gq} * q + A_{gg} * G],$$

where $t = \log Q^2/\Lambda^2$ and $\alpha_s(t) = 1/bt$ [76].

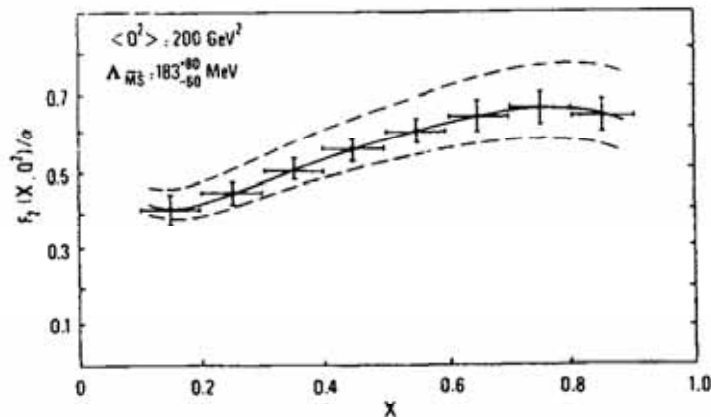


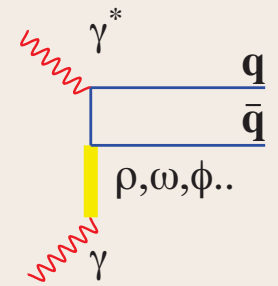
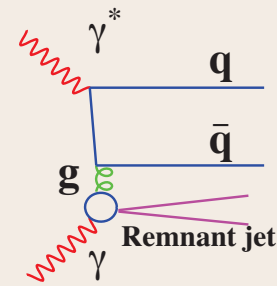
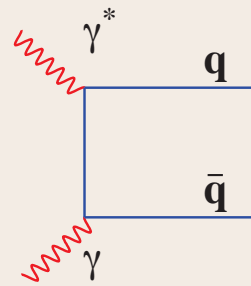
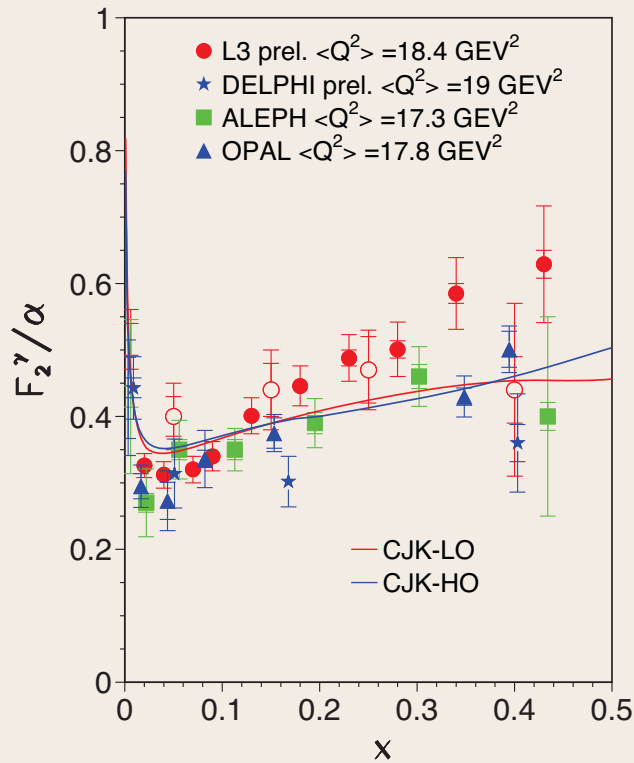
Fig. 18. QCD prediction for the photon structure $F_2^\gamma(x, Q^2)$ at $Q^2 = 200 \text{ GeV}^2$ and sensitivity to the QCD Λ parameter. Error bars correspond to an integrated luminosity of 500 pb^{-1} at LEP200 and the range $100 < Q^2 < 500 \text{ GeV}^2$ (from Ref. [85]).

$$q(t) = q(t_0) \left[\frac{\alpha_s(t)}{\alpha_s(t_0)} \right]^{d_{NS}} + \frac{1}{3} \frac{d_B}{1 + d_{NS}} \left\{ t - \left[\frac{\alpha_s(t)}{\alpha_s(t_0)} \right]^{d_{NS}} t_0 \right\} = \{q(t_0) - q_{pt}(t_0)\} \left[\frac{\alpha_s(t)}{\alpha_s(t_0)} \right]^{d_{NS}} + \frac{1}{3} \frac{d_B}{1 + d_{NS}} \frac{2\pi/b}{\alpha_s(t)}.$$

The last term

$$q_{pt}(t) = \frac{1}{3} \frac{d_B}{1 + d_{NS}} \frac{2\pi/b}{\alpha_s(t)}$$

Contributions to the Photon Structure Function



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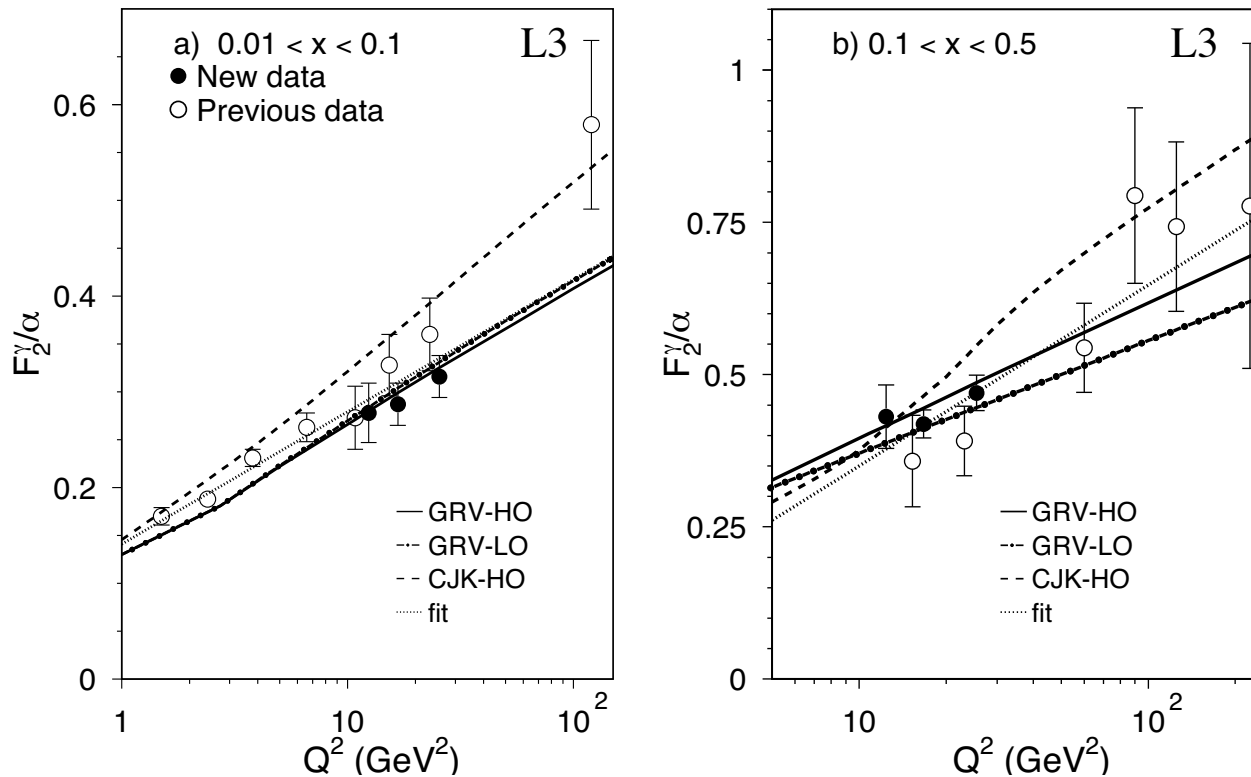


Figure 7: Evolution of the photon structure function F_2^γ/α as a function of Q^2 for two x intervals. The results of a fit to the data of the function $a + b(\ln Q^2/\text{GeV}^2)$ are shown together with the predictions of the higher-order parton density functions GRV and CJK as well as the leading-order predictions of GRV.

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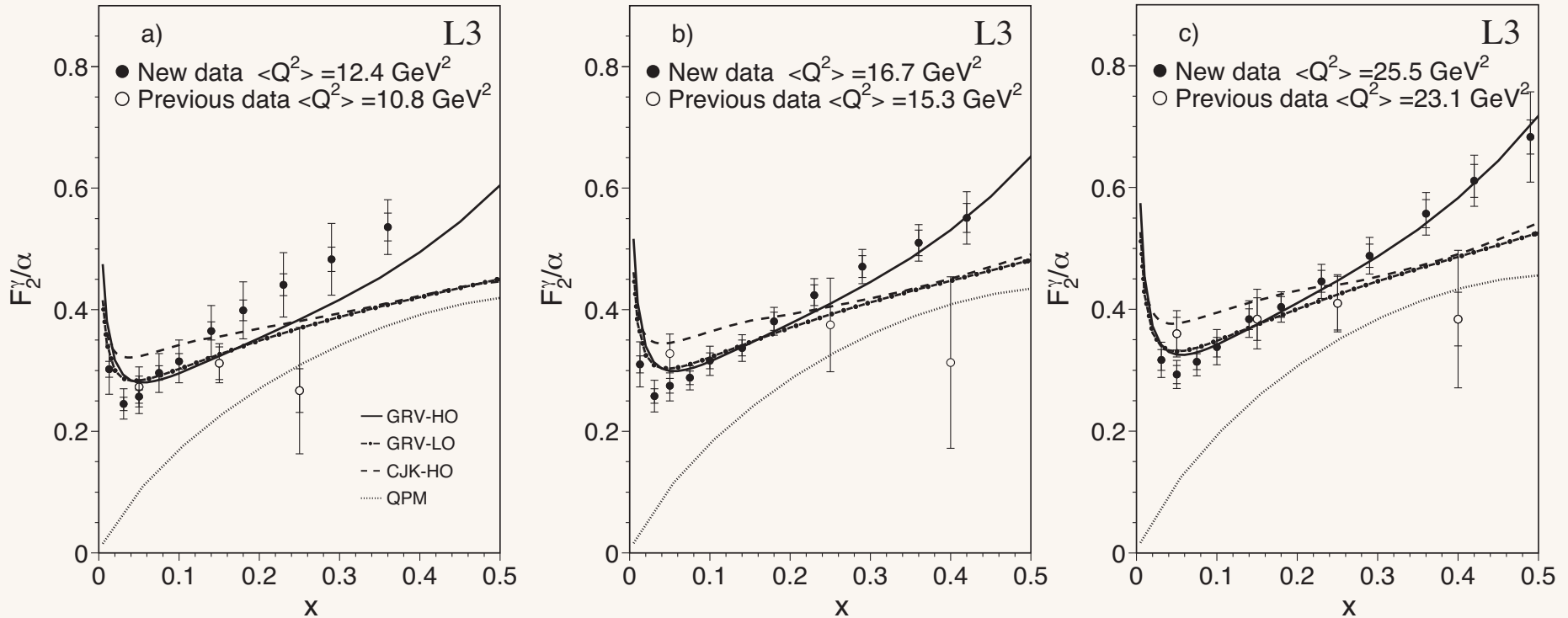


Figure 6: The photon structure function F_2^γ/α as a function of x for the three Q^2 intervals, with statistical and systematic uncertainties. The former are indicated by the inner error bars. The new data are presented together with the previous results at $\sqrt{s} = 183 \text{ GeV}$ [6]. The predictions of the higher-order parton density functions GRV and CJK are shown as well as the leading-order predictions of the GRV. The changes in slope of the CJK predictions are due to the c-quark threshold. The QPM predictions for $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ are also shown.

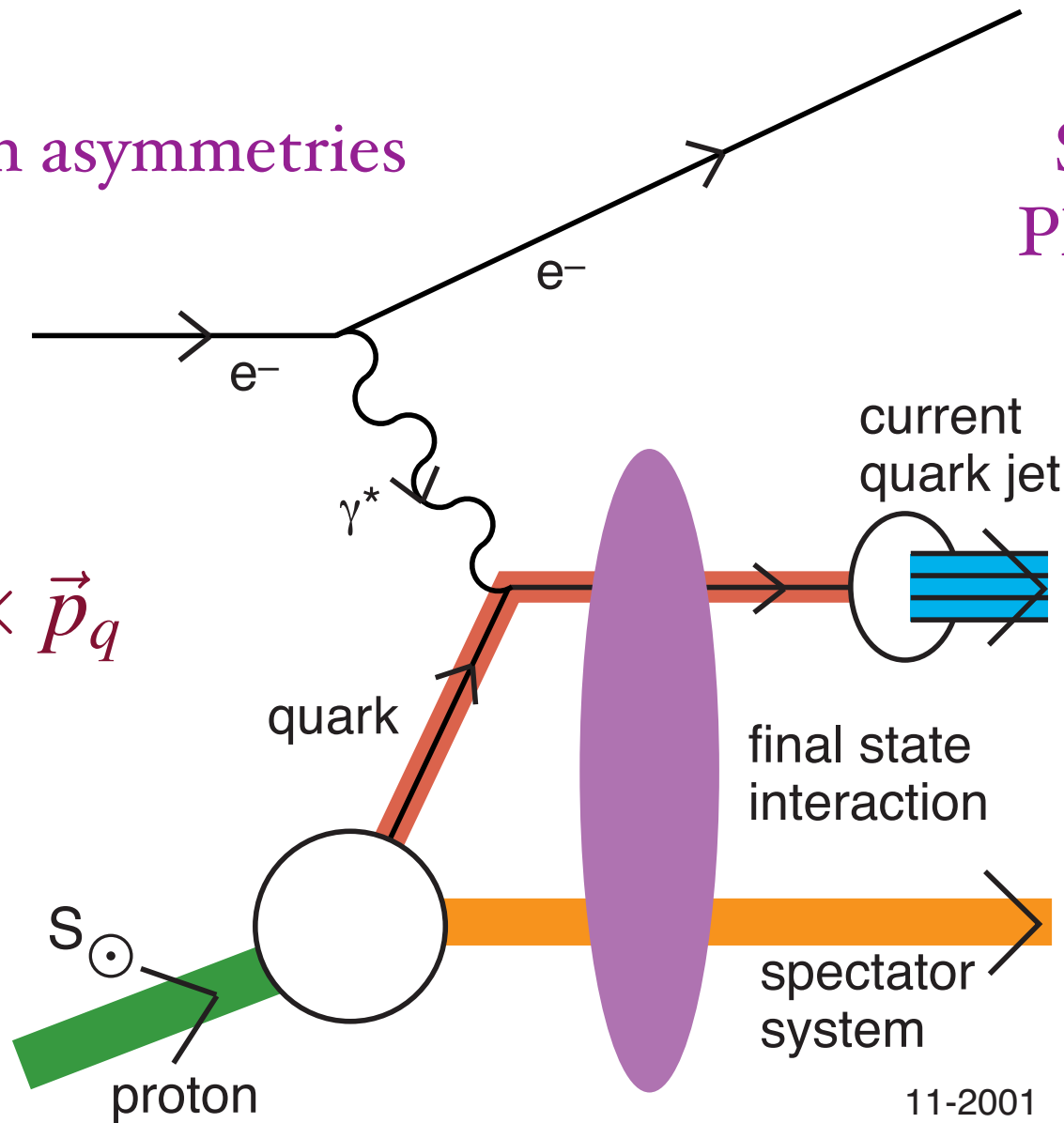
Study Effects of Final-State Interactions in Deep Inelastic Scattering on a Photon Target

- Leading Twist Single-Spin Asymmetry:
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- Bjorken-Scaling Diffractive Contribution to the Photon Structure Function Hoyer, Marchal, Peigne, Sannino, sjb

Single-spin asymmetries

Sivers Effect in
Photon Structure
Function

$$\vec{S}_p \cdot \vec{q} \times \vec{p}_q$$

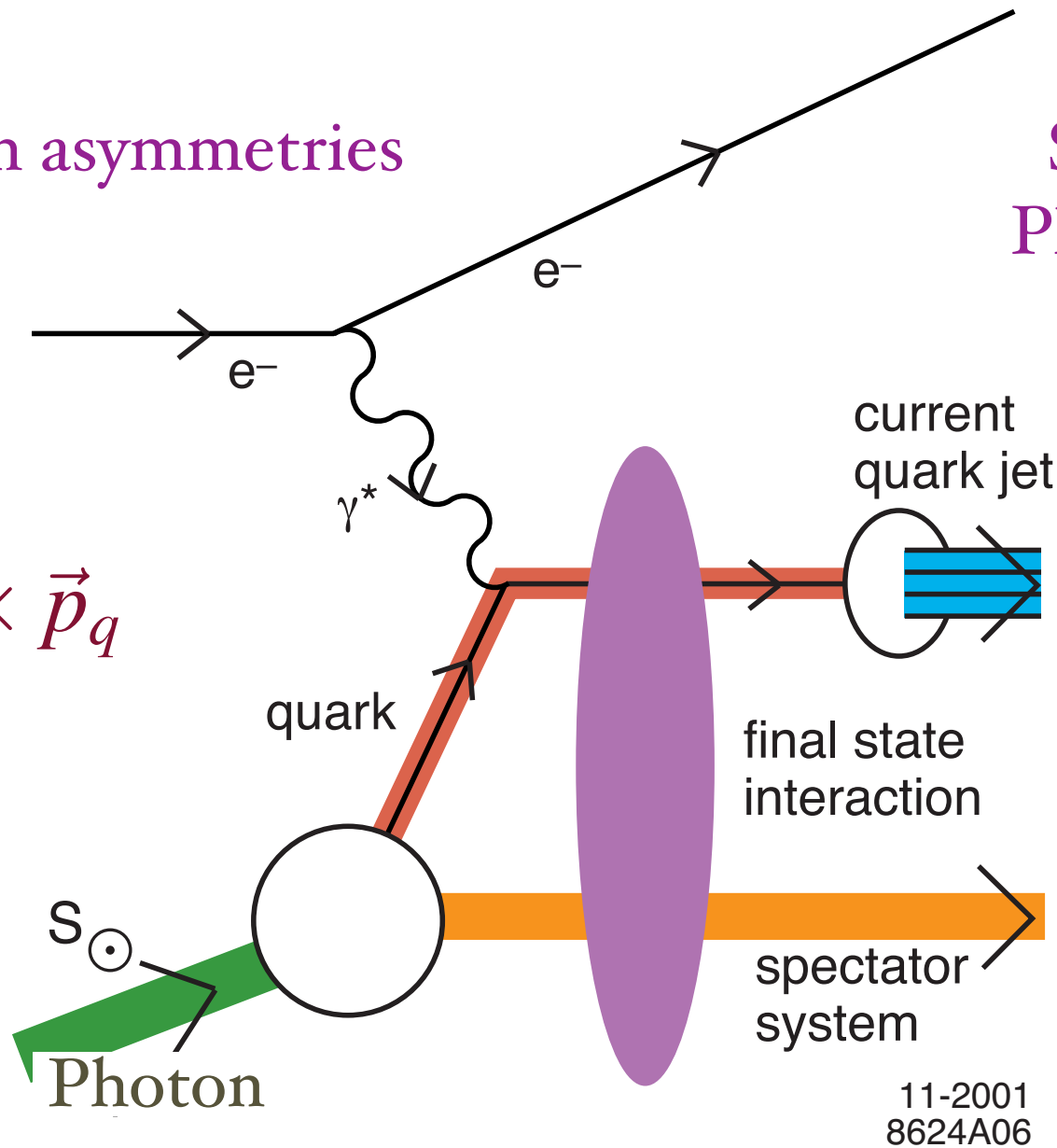


Replace by photon!

Single-spin asymmetries

Sivers Effect in Photon Structure Function

$$\vec{S}_\gamma \cdot \vec{q} \times \vec{p}_q$$



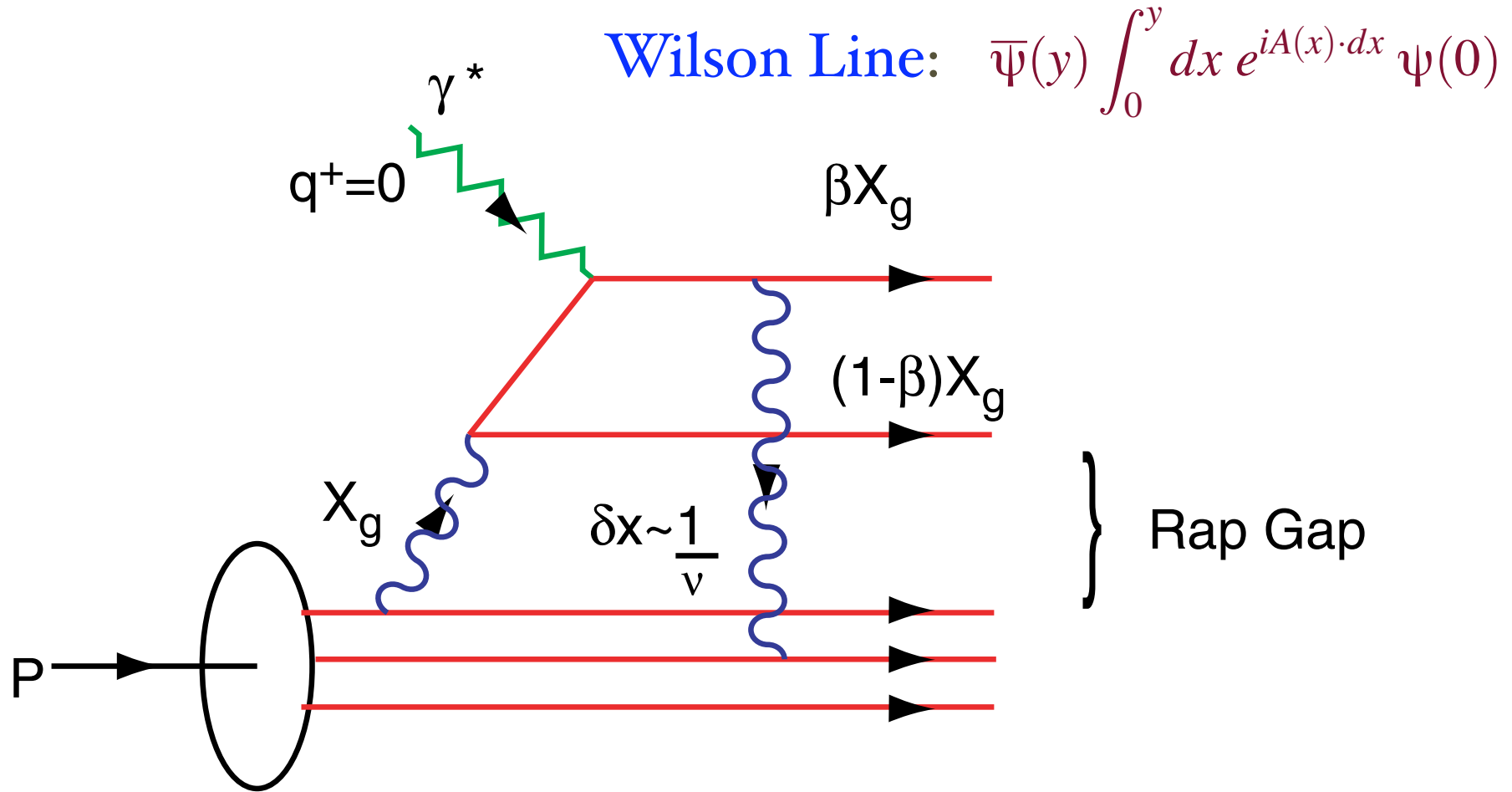
Final State Interactions Produce T-Odd (Sivers Effect)

- Bjorken Scaling!
- Arises from Interference of Final State Coulomb Phase in S and P waves
- Orbital Angular Momentum in Photon!
- Relate to the quark contribution to the analog of the anomalous magnetic moment
- Sum of Sivers Functions for all quarks and gluons vanishes. (Zero gravito-anomalous magnetic moment)

$$\vec{S} \cdot \vec{p}_{jet} \times \vec{q}$$

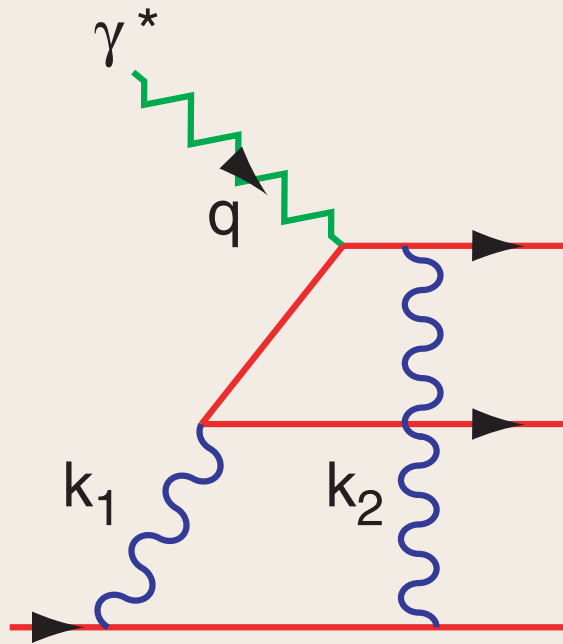
Photon polarization from polarized electron

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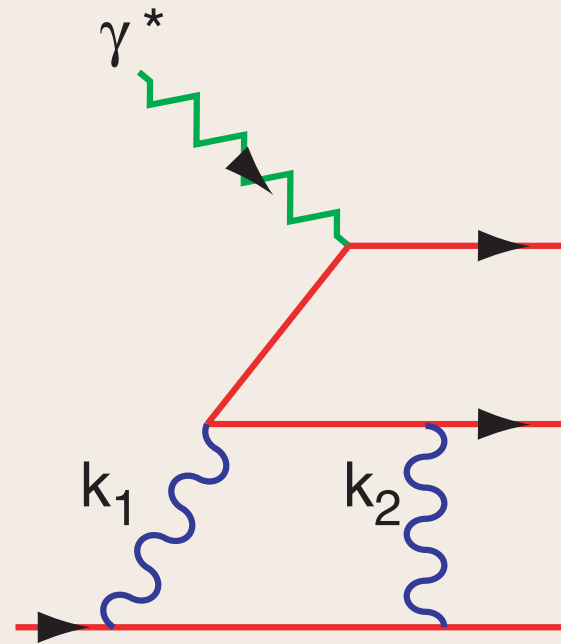


Produces Diffractive DIS at HERA

Final State Interactions in QCD



Feynman Gauge

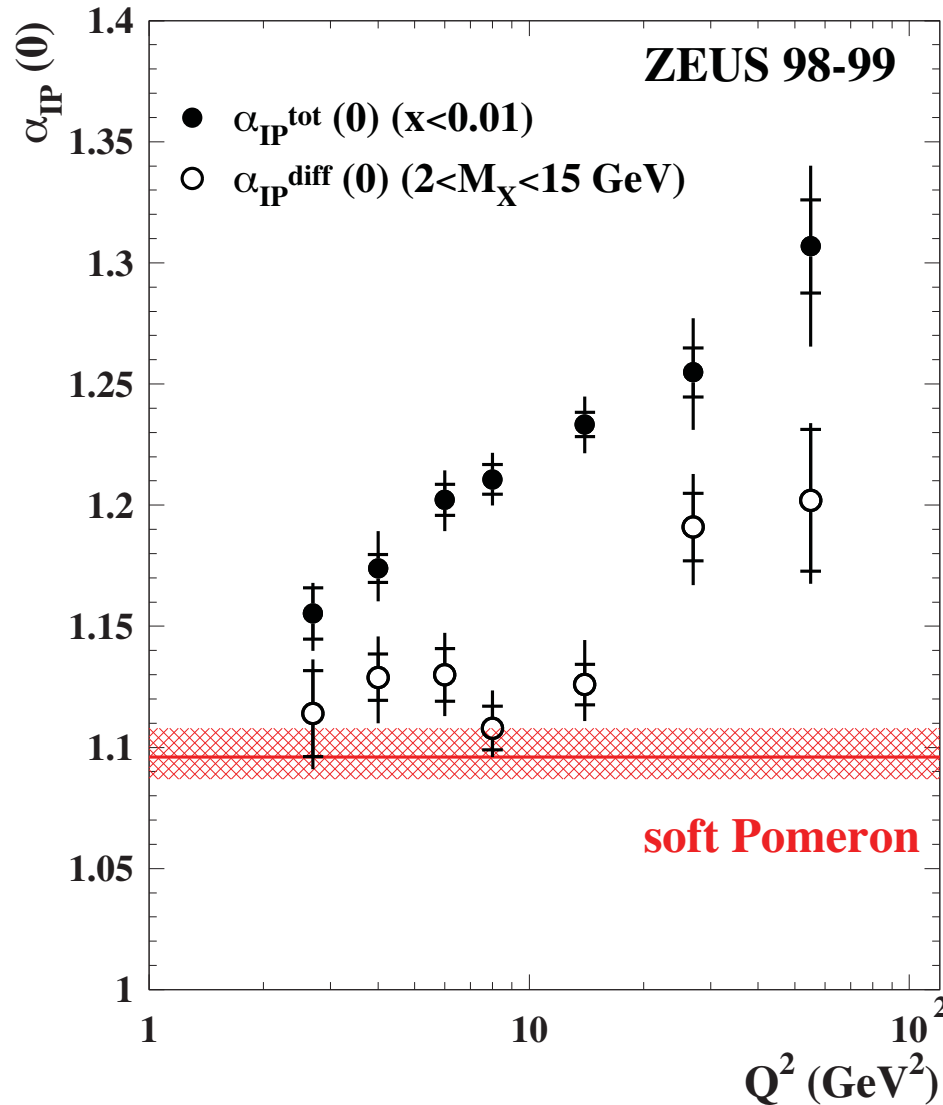


Light-Cone Gauge

Result is Gauge Independent

Measure in $\gamma^* \gamma \rightarrow X V^0$

ZEUS



$$\sigma_{tot} \propto s^{\alpha_{tot}-1}$$

$$\sigma_{diff} \propto s^{2\alpha_{diff}-2}$$

No factorization of hard pomeron

S. J. Brodsky, P. Hoyer, N. Marchal, S. Peigne and F. Sannino, Phys. Rev. D 65, 114025 (2002) [arXiv:hep-ph/0104291].

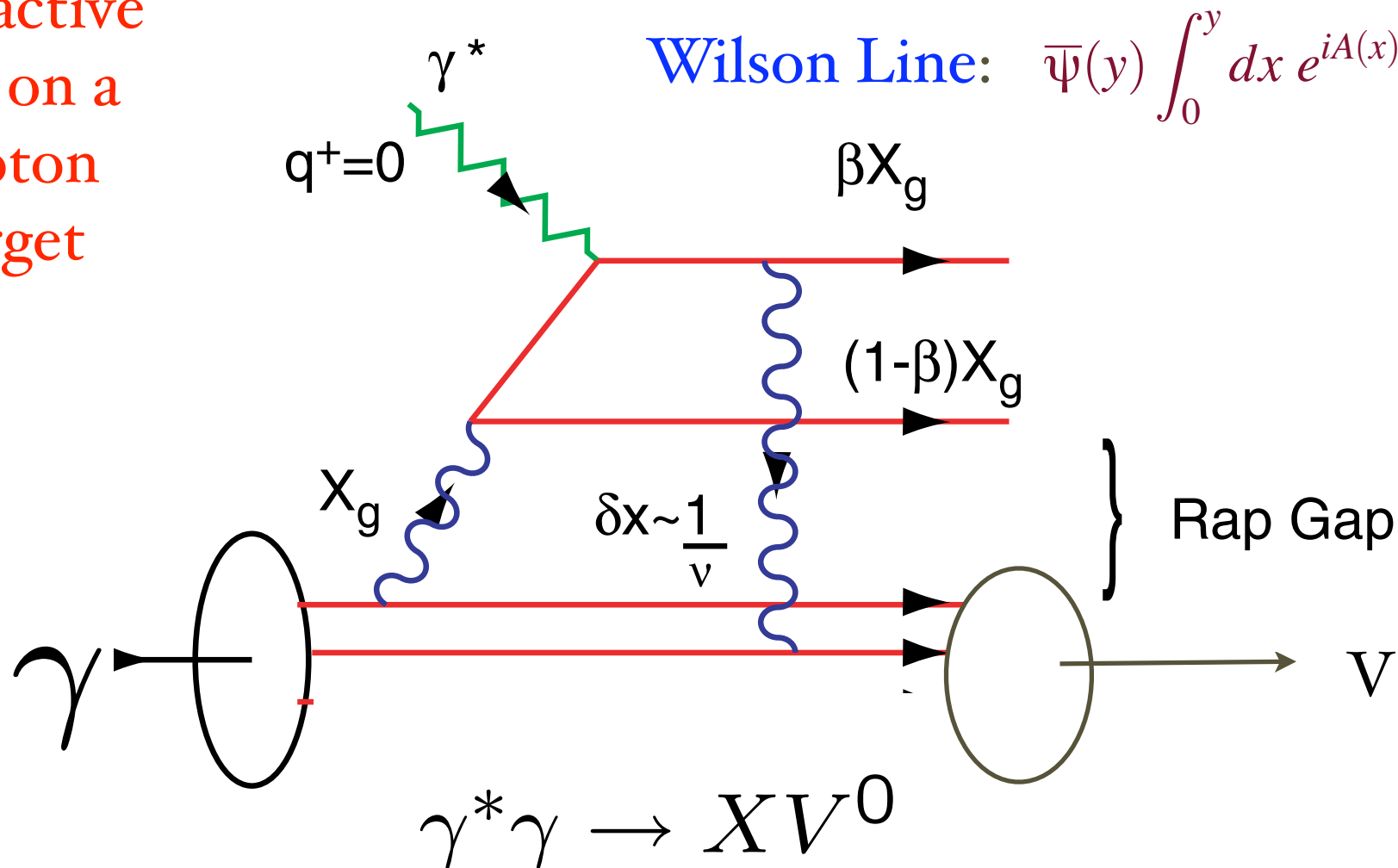
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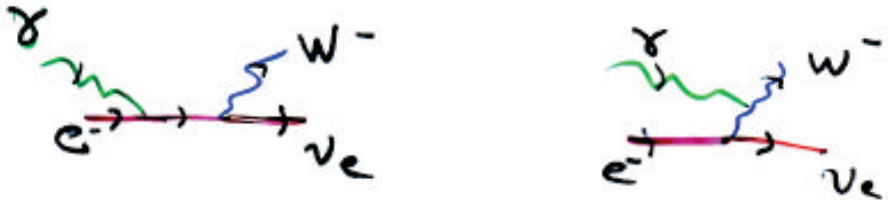
Diffractive
DIS on a
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γe Collisions:

Study Basic EW Interaction

$$\gamma e^- \rightarrow W^- \nu_e$$



$\Delta H G$
Sun rule

$$\int_0^1 \frac{d\nu}{\nu} (\sigma_P - \sigma_A) = O(\alpha^3)$$

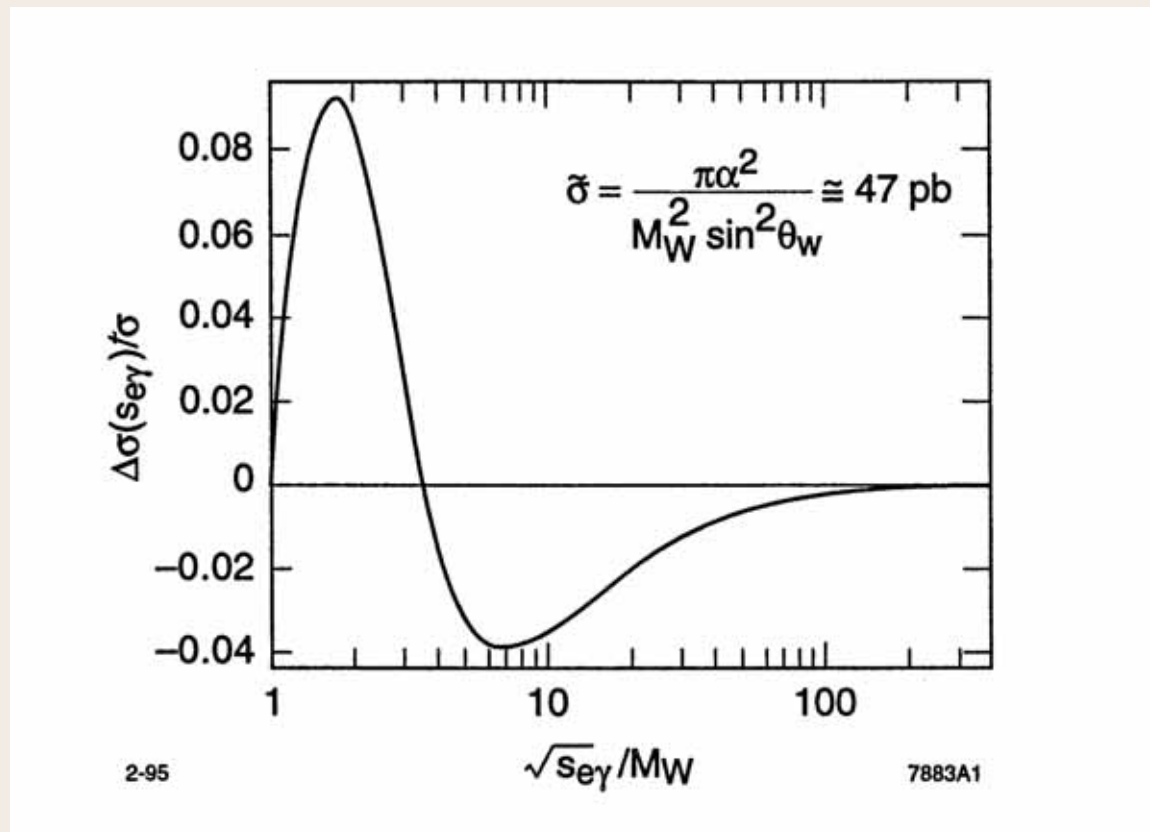
zero contribution of tree level
Miani et al

must be crossing point!
Rizzo et al

ν_e High sensitive to anomalous coupling
 $\Delta \kappa, \Delta Q$

ref: *Rizzo, Schmidt, SJP* *PRD 52, 4829 (95)*

Location of Zero Measures W anomalous moment



The Born cross section difference $\Delta\sigma$ for the Standard Model process $\gamma e \rightarrow W\nu$ for parallel minus antiparallel electron/photon helicities as a function of $\log \sqrt{s_{e\gamma}}/M_W$. The logarithmic integral of $\Delta\sigma$ vanishes in the classical limit.

Schmidt, Rizzo, sjb

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- Remarkably Sensitive Tests of QCD: Hard Pomeron, Odderon, Hard Exclusive Reactions, Distribution Amplitudes, Photon-to-Meson Transition Form Factors, Double Distribution Amplitudes, Timelike Compton, Hard QCD Jets, $C=+$ Resonances, Jets, Top Production, Quark charge-cube test, Photon Structure Function, Novel Final-State Interaction Effects, Heavy Quarkonium
- Higgs and Electroweak Boson Production, W anomalous moment in photon-electron collisions
- SUSY, beyond the Standard Model Photon Structure Function
- Peripheral Heavy Ion Collisions
- Essential part of ILC!