

# Holography: Map AdS/CFT to 3+1 LF Theory

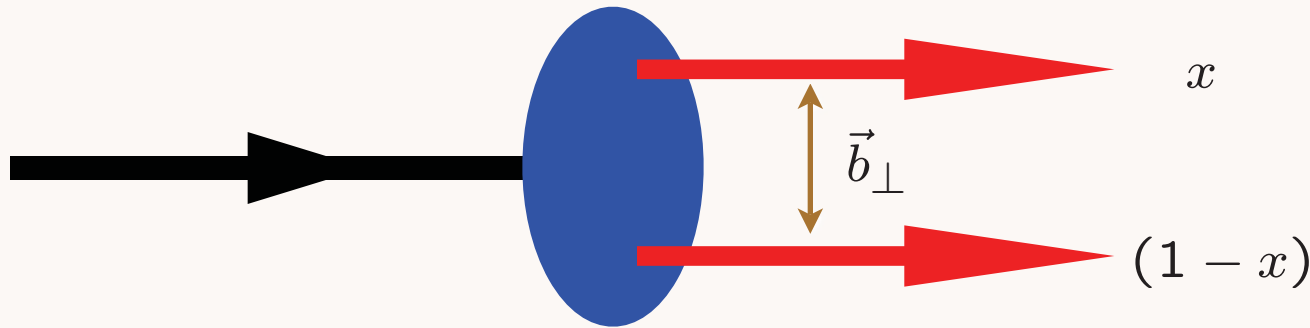
Relativistic LF radial equation

Frame Independent

$$\left[ -\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} + V(\zeta) \right] \phi(\zeta) = \mathcal{M}^2 \phi(\zeta)$$

$$\zeta^2 = x(1-x)b_{\perp}^2.$$

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Effective conformal potential:

$$V(\zeta) = -\frac{1-4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + \kappa^4 \zeta^2$$

confining potential:

Consider the  $AdS_5$  metric:

$$ds^2 = \frac{R^2}{z^2} (\eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu - dz^2).$$

$ds^2$  invariant if  $x^\mu \rightarrow \lambda x^\mu$ ,  $z \rightarrow \lambda z$ ,

Maps scale transformations to scale changes of the the holographic coordinate  $z$ .

We define light-front coordinates  $x^\pm = x^0 \pm x^3$ .

$$\text{Then } \eta^{\mu\nu} dx_\mu dx_\nu = dx_0^2 - dx_3^2 - dx_\perp^2 = dx^+ dx^- - dx_\perp^2$$

and

$$ds^2 = -\frac{R^2}{z^2} (dx_\perp^2 + dz^2) \text{ for } x^+ = 0. \quad \textit{Light-Front AdS}_5 \textit{ Duality}$$

- $ds^2$  is invariant if  $dx_\perp^2 \rightarrow \lambda^2 dx_\perp^2$ , and  $z \rightarrow \lambda z$ , at equal LF time.
- Maps scale transformations in transverse LF space to scale changes of the holographic coordinate  $z$ .
- Holographic connection of  $AdS_5$  to the light-front.
- The effective wave equation in the two-dim transverse LF plane has the Casimir representation  $L^2$  corresponding to the  $SO(2)$  rotation group [The Casimir for  $SO(N) \sim S^{N-1}$  is  $L(L + N - 2)$ ].

- Light-front Hamiltonian equation

$$H_{LF}|\phi\rangle = \mathcal{M}^2|\phi\rangle,$$

leads to effective LF Schrödinger wave equation (KKSS)

$$\left[ -\frac{d^2}{d\zeta^2} - \frac{1 - 4L^2}{4\zeta^2} + \kappa^4\zeta^2 + 2\kappa^2(L-1) \right] \phi(\zeta) = \mathcal{M}^2\phi(\zeta)$$

with eigenvalues  $\mathcal{M}^2 = 4\kappa^2(n + L)$  and eigenfunctions

$$\phi_L(\zeta) = \kappa^{1+L} \sqrt{\frac{2n!}{(n+L)!}} \zeta^{1/2+L} e^{-\kappa^2\zeta^2/2} L_n^L(\kappa^2\zeta^2).$$

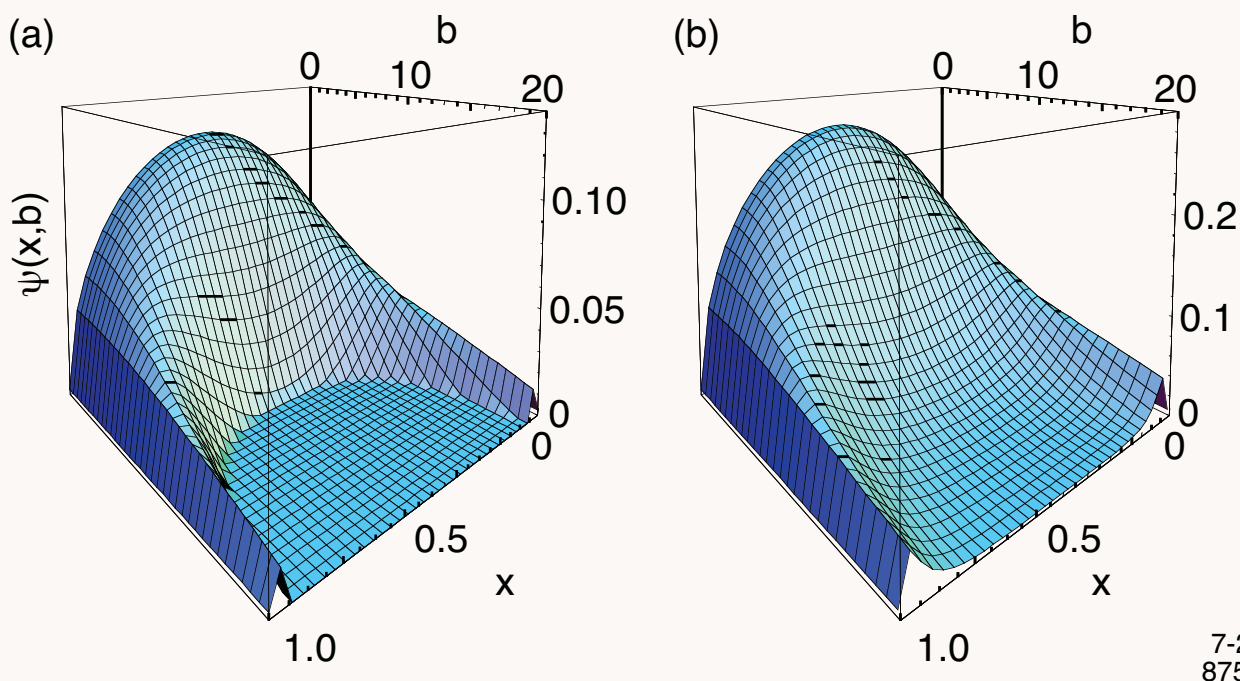
- Transverse oscillator in the LF plane with  $SO(2)$  rotation subgroup has Casimir  $L^2$  representing rotations for the transverse coordinates  $\mathbf{b}_\perp$  in the LF.
- SW model is a remarkable example of integrability to a non-conformal extension of AdS/CFT [Chim and Zamolodchikov (1992) - Potts Model.]

# Example: Pion LFWF

- Two parton LFWF bound state:

$$\tilde{\psi}_{\bar{q}q/\pi}^{HW}(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) = \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \sqrt{x(1-x)}}{\sqrt{\pi} J_{1+L}(\beta_{L,k})} J_L\left(\sqrt{x(1-x)} |\mathbf{b}_\perp| \beta_{L,k} \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}\right) \theta\left(\mathbf{b}_\perp^2 \leq \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^{-2}}{x(1-x)}\right),$$

$$\tilde{\psi}_{\bar{q}q/\pi}^{SW}(x, \mathbf{b}_\perp) = \kappa^{L+1} \sqrt{\frac{2n!}{(n+L)!}} [x(1-x)]^{\frac{1}{2}+L} |\mathbf{b}_\perp|^L e^{-\frac{1}{2}\kappa^2 x(1-x)\mathbf{b}_\perp^2} L_n^L(\kappa^2 x(1-x)\mathbf{b}_\perp^2).$$



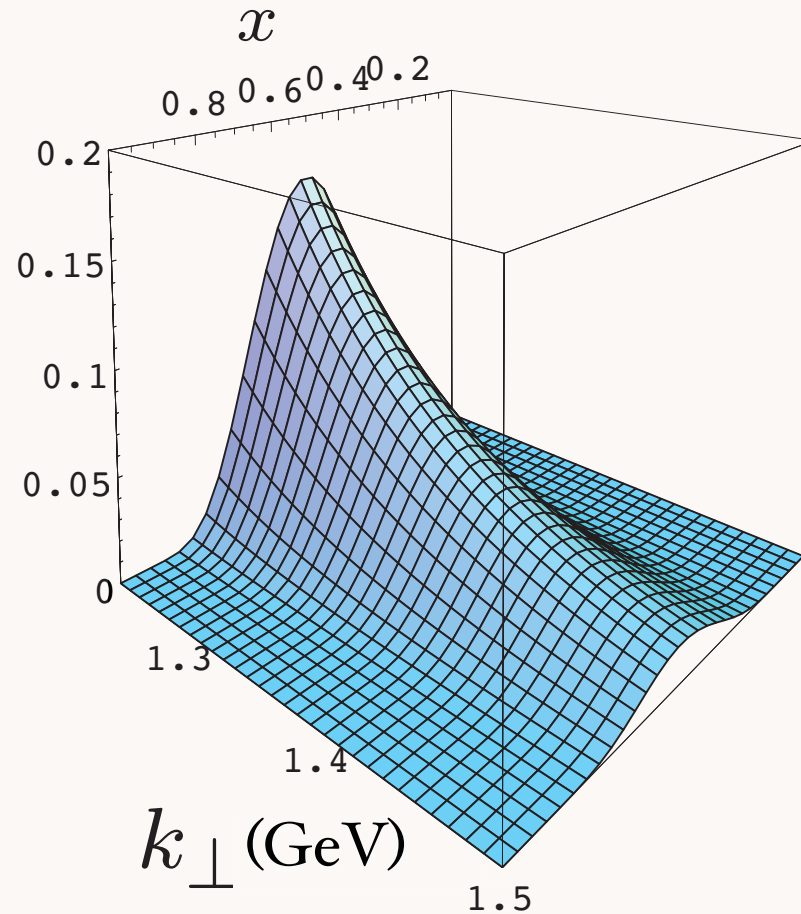
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Fig: Ground state pion LFWF in impact space. (a) HW model  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.32$  GeV, (b) SW model  $\kappa = 0.375$  GeV.

# Prediction from AdS/CFT: Meson LFWF

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$$\psi_M(x, k_{\perp}^2)$$



**“Soft Wall”  
model**

$$\kappa = 0.375 \text{ GeV}$$

massless quarks

$$\psi_M(x, k_{\perp}) = \frac{4\pi}{\kappa \sqrt{x(1-x)}} e^{-\frac{k_{\perp}^2}{2\kappa^2 x(1-x)}}$$

$$\phi_M(x, Q_0) \propto \sqrt{x(1-x)}$$

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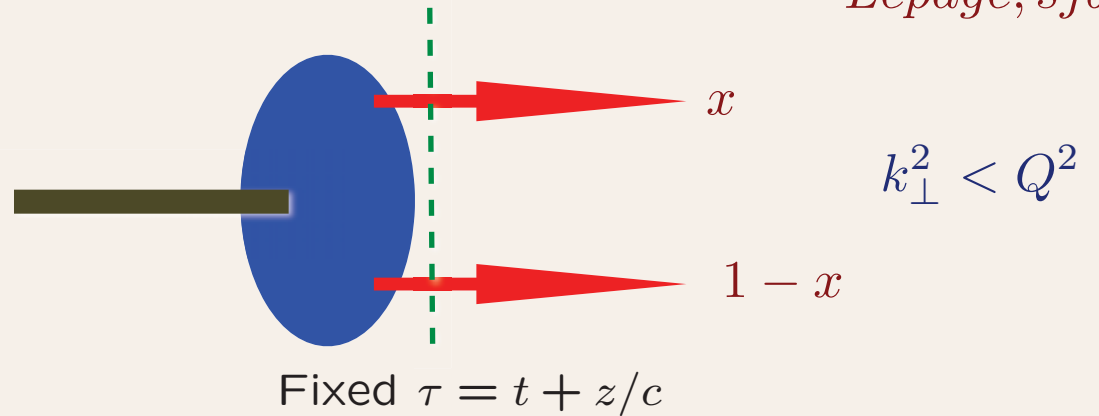
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# Hadron Distribution Amplitudes

*Lepage, sjb*

$$\phi_H(x_i, Q)$$

$$\sum_i x_i = 1$$



- Fundamental gauge invariant non-perturbative input to hard exclusive processes, heavy hadron decays. Defined for mesons, baryons

*Lepage, sjb*

- Evolution Equations from PQCD, OPE, Conformal Invariance

*Frishman, Lepage, Sachrajda, sjb*

*Peskin Braun*

*Efremov, Radyushkin Chernyak etal*

- Compute from valence light-front wavefunction in light-cone gauge

$$\phi_M(x, Q) = \int^Q d^2\vec{k} \psi_{q\bar{q}}(x, \vec{k}_{\perp})$$

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# Second Moment of Pion Distribution Amplitude

$$\langle \xi^2 \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 d\xi \xi^2 \phi(\xi)$$

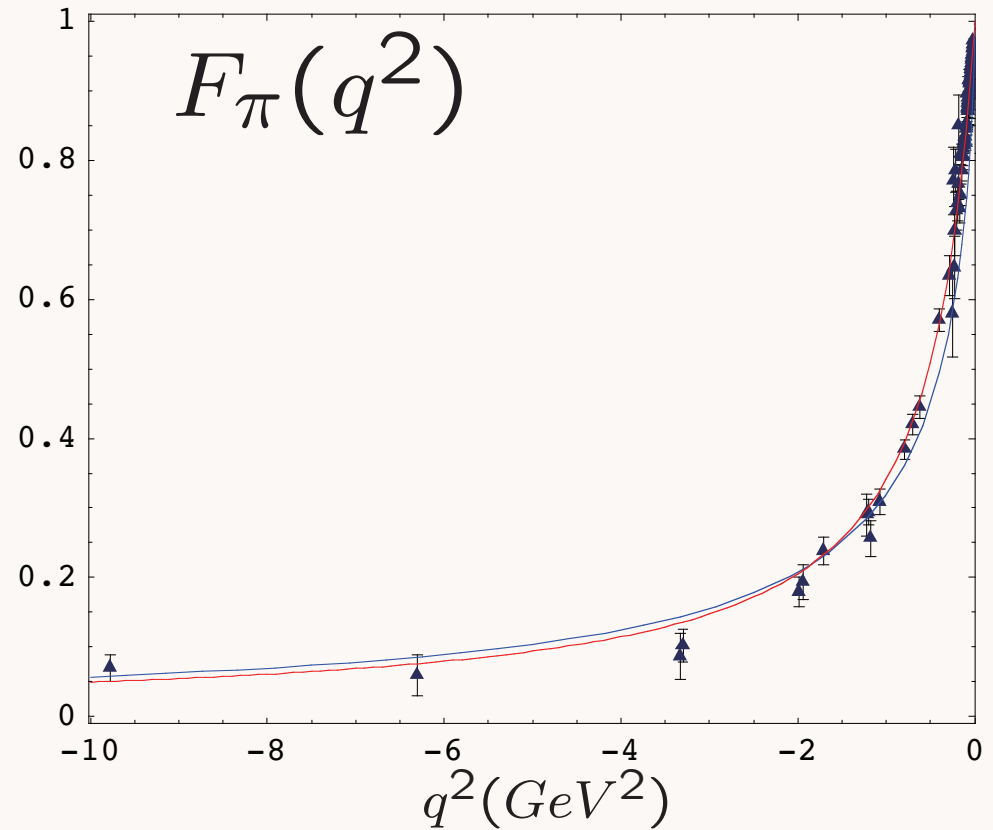
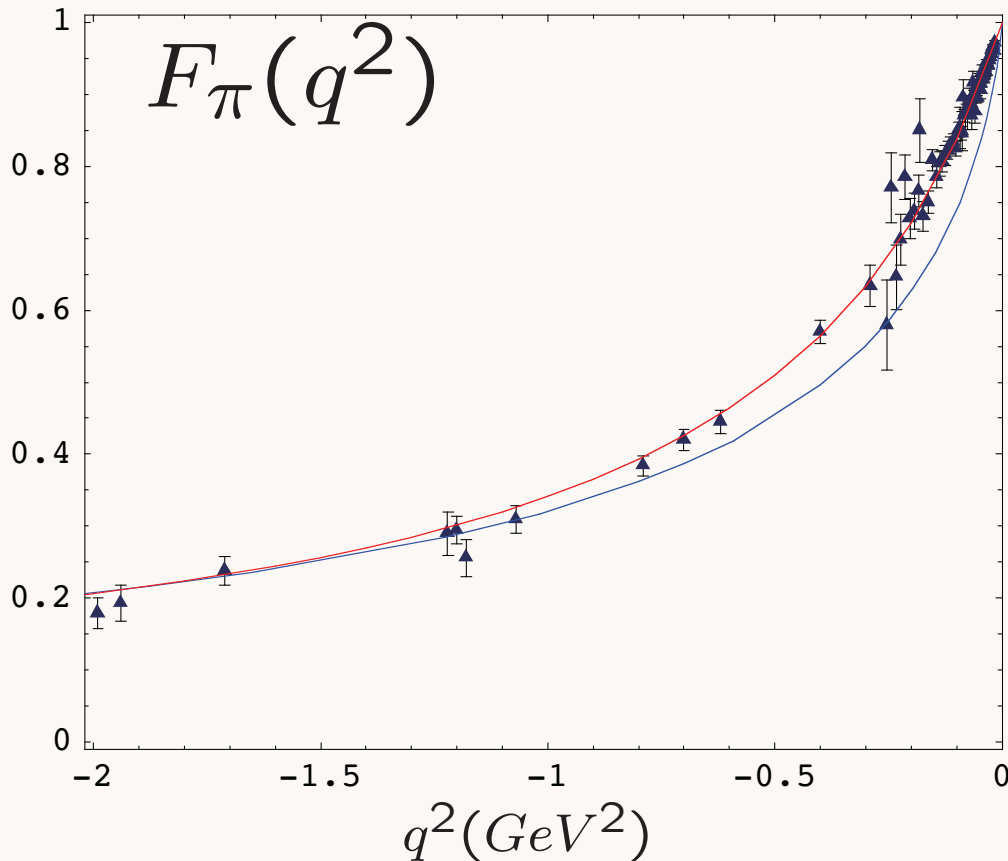
$$\xi = 1 - 2x$$

$$\langle \xi^2 \rangle = 1/5 \quad \phi_{asympt} \propto x(1-x)$$

$$\langle \xi^2 \rangle = 1/4 \quad \phi_{AdS/QCD} \propto \sqrt{x(1-x)}$$

Sachrajda Lattice:  $\langle \xi^2 \rangle = 0.28 \pm 0.02$

# Spacelike pion form factor from AdS/CFT



Data Compilation from Baldini, Kloe and Volmer

— SW: Harmonic Oscillator Confinement

— HW: Truncated Space Confinement

*One parameter - set by pion decay constant.*

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## Note: Contributions to Mesons Form Factors at Large $Q$ in AdS/QCD

- Write form factor in terms of an effective partonic transverse density in impact space  $\mathbf{b}_\perp$

$$F_\pi(q^2) = \int_0^1 dx \int db^2 \tilde{\rho}(x, b, Q),$$

with  $\tilde{\rho}(x, b, Q) = \pi J_0 [b Q(1 - x)] |\tilde{\psi}(x, b)|^2$  and  $b = |\mathbf{b}_\perp|$ .

- Contribution from  $\rho(x, b, Q)$  is shifted towards small  $|\mathbf{b}_\perp|$  and large  $x \rightarrow 1$  as  $Q$  increases.

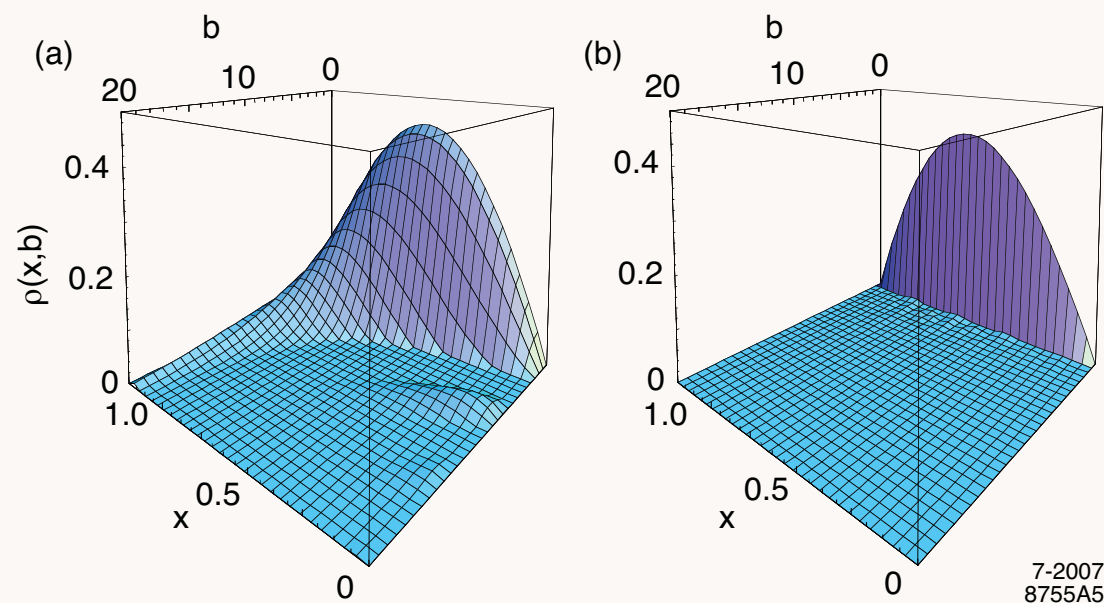


Fig: LF partonic density  $\rho(x, b, Q)$ : (a)  $Q = 1$  GeV/c, (b) very large  $Q$ .

## Example: Evaluation of QCD Matrix Elements

- Pion decay constant  $f_\pi$  defined by the matrix element of EW current  $J_W^+$ :

$$\langle 0 | \bar{\psi}_u \gamma^+ \frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma_5) \psi_d | \pi^- \rangle = i \frac{P^+ f_\pi}{\sqrt{2}}$$

with

$$|\pi^- \rangle = |d\bar{u} \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_C}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{c=1}^{N_C} \left( b_{c d\downarrow}^\dagger d_{c u\uparrow}^\dagger - b_{c d\uparrow}^\dagger d_{c u\downarrow}^\dagger \right) |0 \rangle.$$

- Find light-front expression (Lepage and Brodsky '80):

$$f_\pi = 2\sqrt{N_C} \int_0^1 dx \int \frac{d^2 \vec{k}_\perp}{16\pi^3} \psi_{\bar{q}q/\pi}(x, k_\perp).$$

- Using relation between AdS modes and QCD LFWF in the  $\zeta \rightarrow 0$  limit

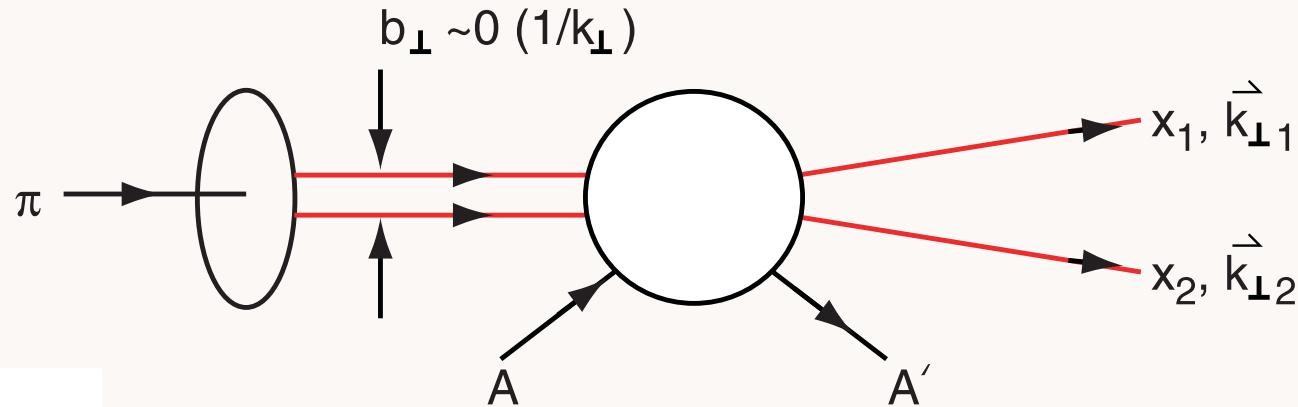
$$f_\pi = \frac{1}{8} \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} R^{3/2} \lim_{\zeta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\Phi(\zeta)}{\zeta^2}.$$

- Holographic result ( $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.22$  GeV and  $\kappa = 0.375$  GeV from pion FF data): Exp:  $f_\pi = 92.4$  MeV

$$f_\pi^{HW} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8J_1(\beta_{0,k})} \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 91.7 \text{ MeV}, \quad f_\pi^{SW} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} \kappa = 81.2 \text{ MeV},$$

# Diffractive Dissociation of Pion into Quark Jets

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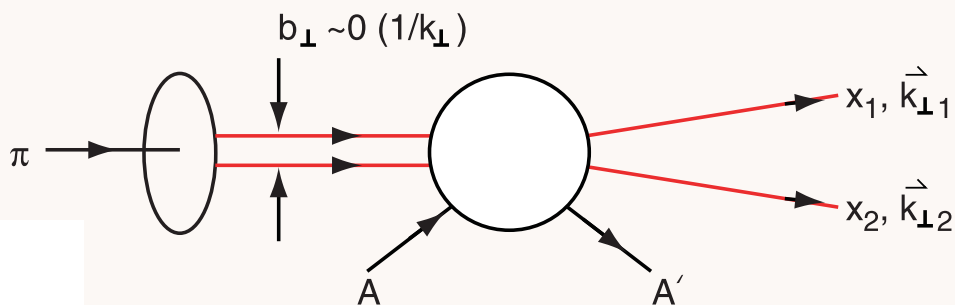


$$M \propto \frac{\partial^2}{\partial^2 k_{\perp}} \psi_{\pi}(x, k_{\perp})$$

Measure Light-Front Wavefunction of Pion

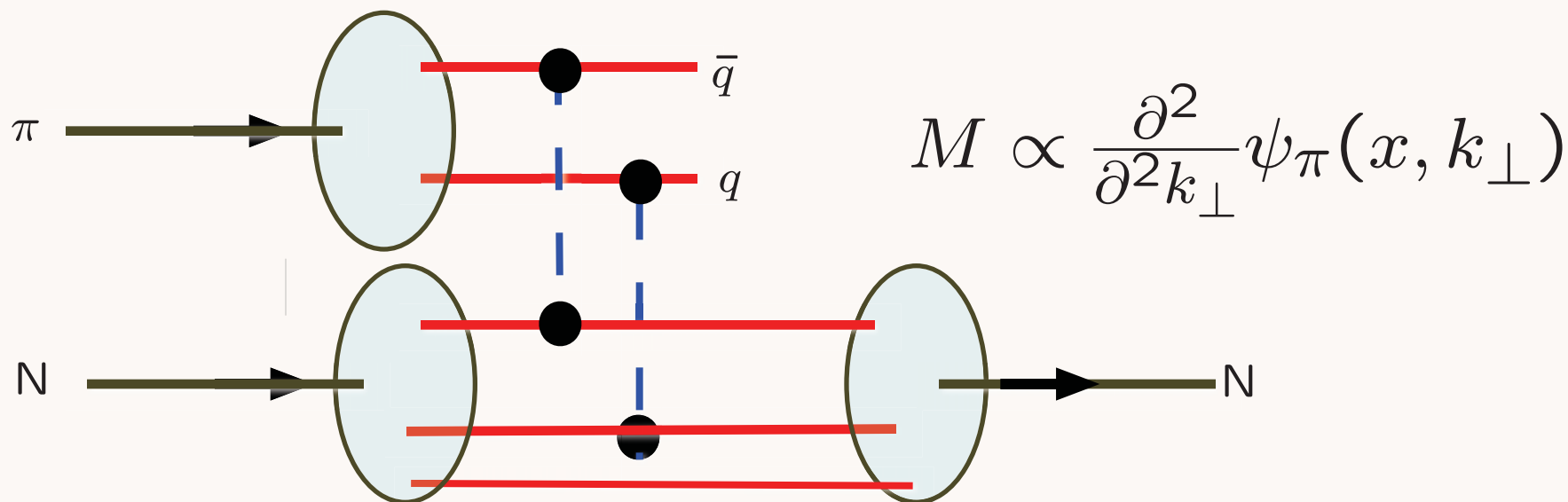
Minimal momentum transfer to nucleus  
Nucleus left Intact!

# E791 FNAL Diffractive DiJet

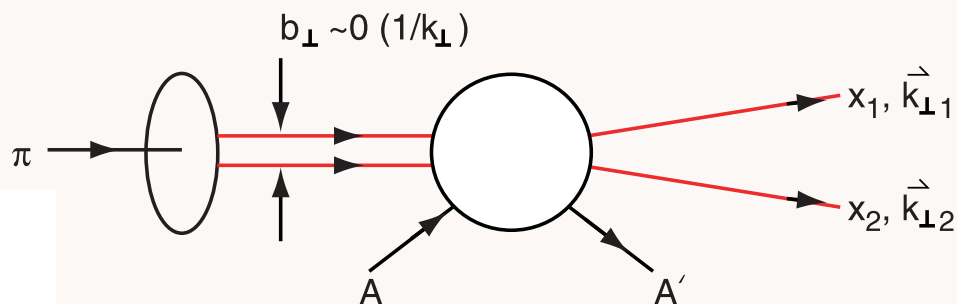


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Frankfurt, Miller, Strikman

*Two-gluon exchange measures the second derivative of the pion light-front wavefunction*



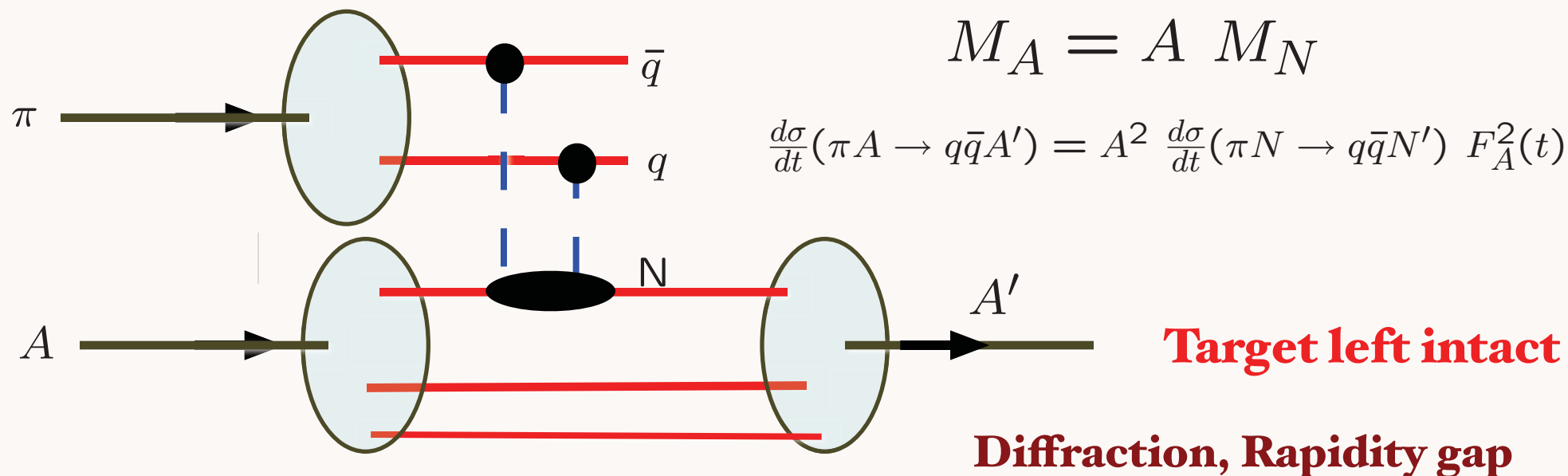
# Key Ingredients in E791 Experiment



Brodsky Mueller  
Frankfurt Miller Strikman

*Small color-dipole moment pion not absorbed;  
interacts with each nucleon coherently*

## QCD COLOR Transparency



# Color Transparency

Bertsch, Gunion, Goldhaber, sjb

A. H. Mueller, sjb

- Fundamental test of gauge theory in hadron physics
- Small color dipole moments interact weakly in nuclei
- Complete coherence at high energies
- Clear Demonstration of CT from Diffractive Di-Jets

# Measure pion LFWF in diffractive dijet production

## Confirmation of color transparency

A-Dependence results:  $\sigma \propto A^\alpha$

<u><math>k_t</math> range (GeV/c)</u>	<u><math>\alpha</math></u>	<u><math>\alpha</math> (CT)</u>
$1.25 < k_t < 1.5$	$1.64 +0.06 -0.12$	1.25
$1.5 < k_t < 2.0$	$1.52 \pm 0.12$	1.45
$2.0 < k_t < 2.5$	$1.55 \pm 0.16$	1.60

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$\alpha$  (Incoh.) =  $0.70 \pm 0.1$

*Conventional Glauber Theory Ruled  
Out!*

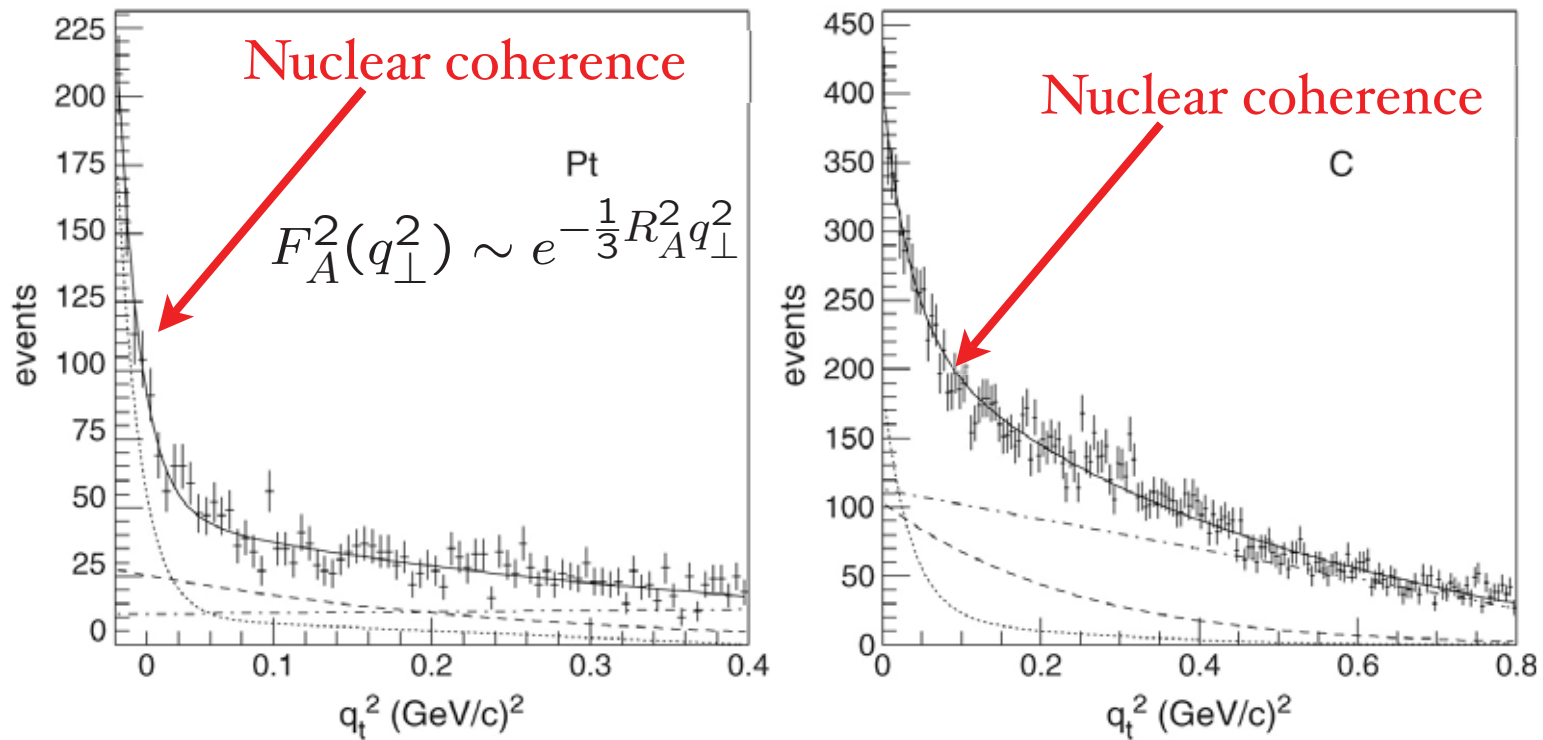
**Factor of 7**

- Fully coherent interactions between pion and nucleons.
- Emerging Di-Jets do not interact with nucleus.

$$M(A) = A \cdot M(N)$$

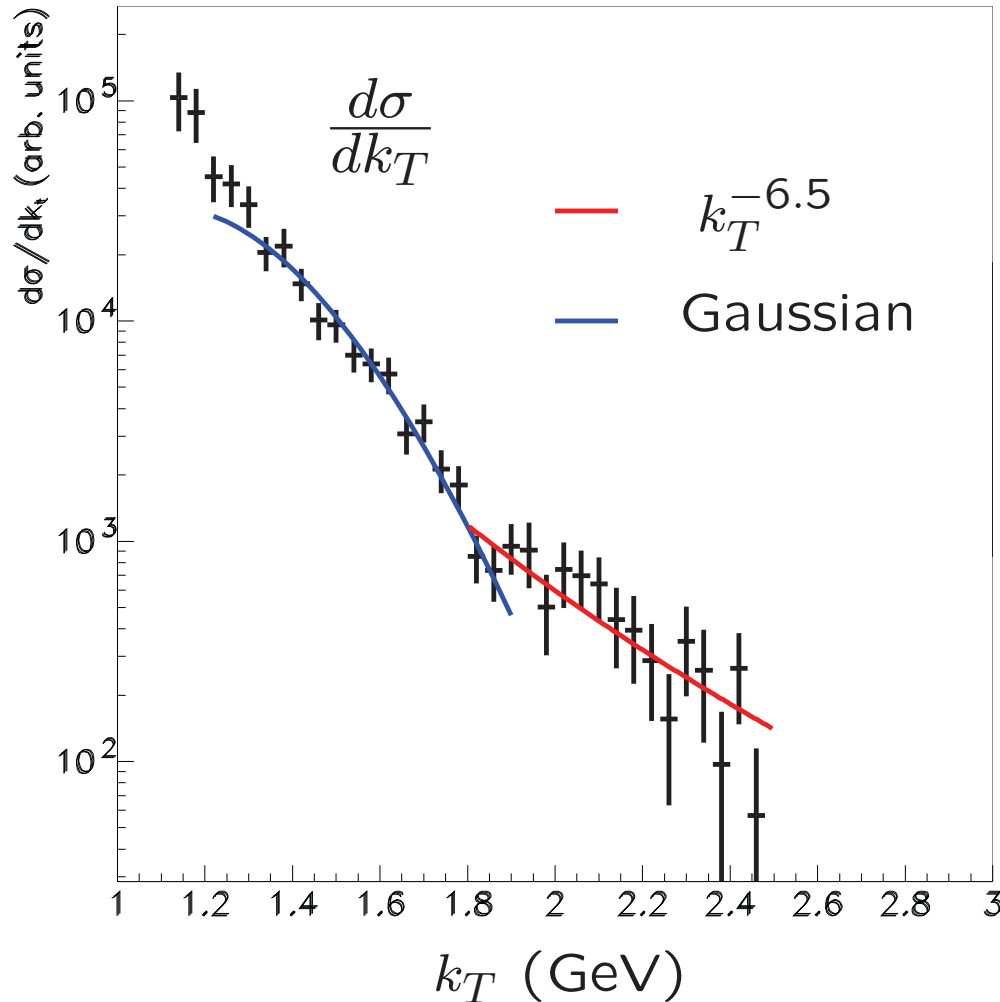
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_t^2} \propto A^2 \quad q_t^2 \sim 0$$

$$\sigma \propto A^{4/3}$$





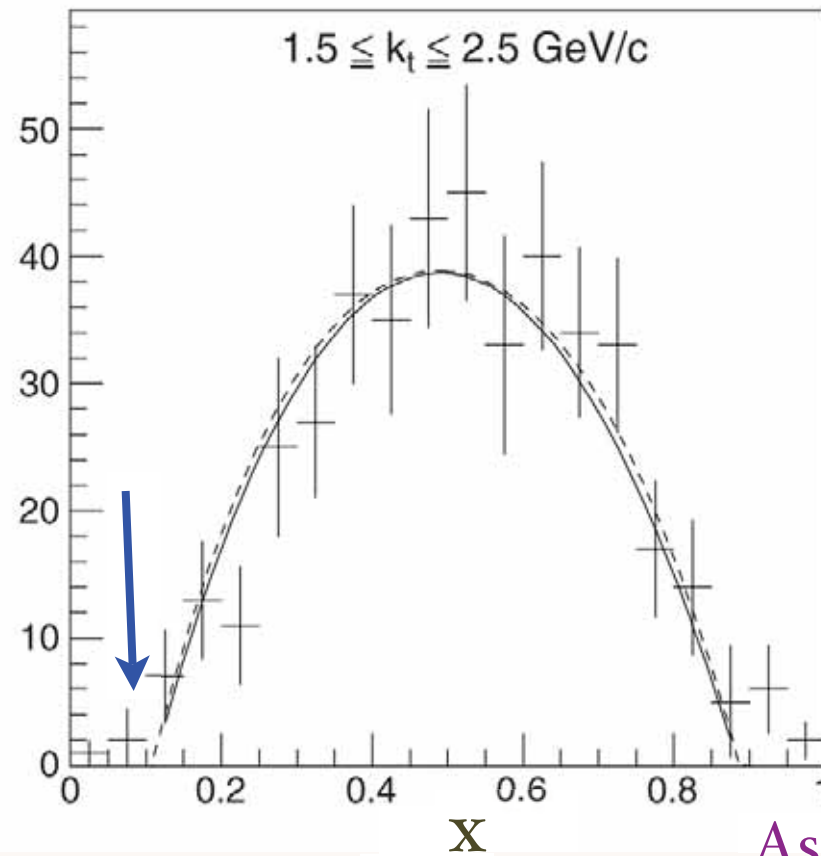
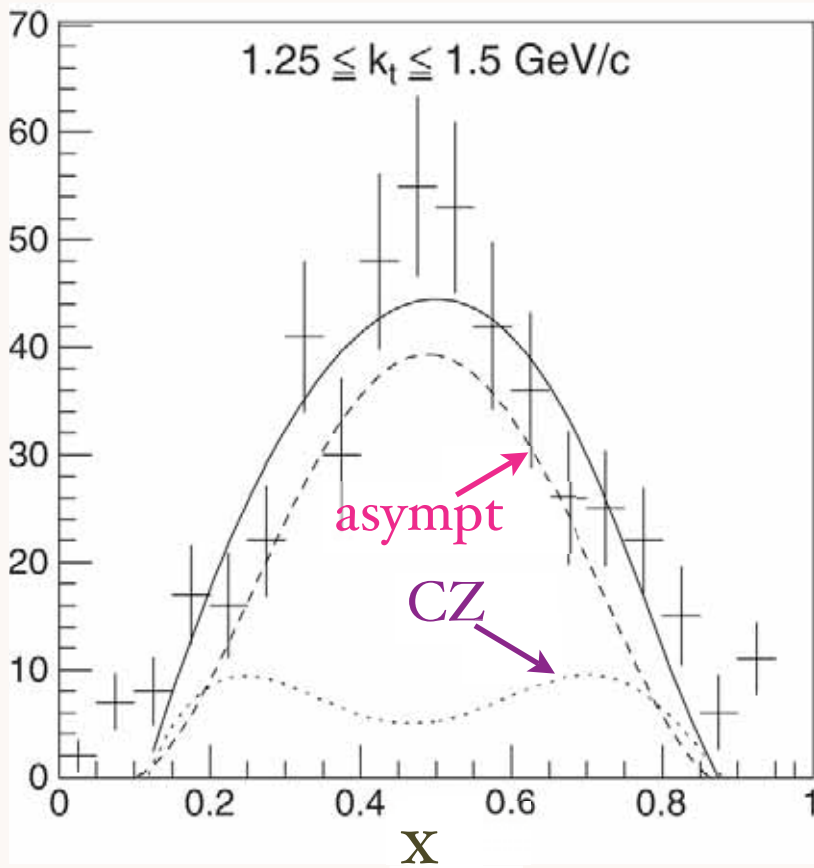
# E791 Diffractive Di-Jet transverse momentum distribution



## Two Components

*High Transverse momentum dependence consistent with PQCD, ERBL Evolution*  $k_T^{-6.5}$

*Gaussian component similar to AdS/CFT HO LFWF*



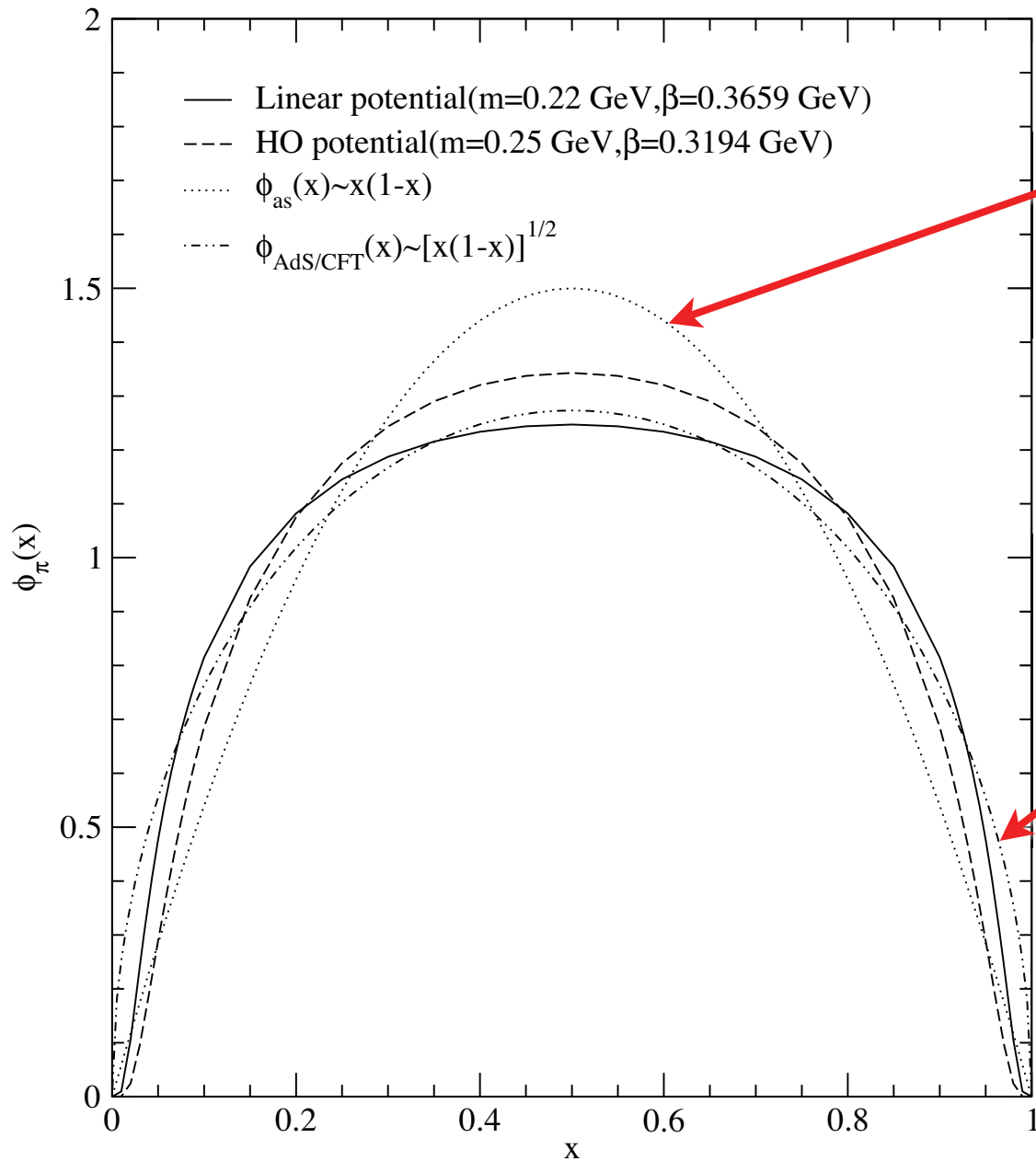
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*Narrowing of  $x$  distribution at higher jet transverse momentum*

$x$  distribution of diffractive dijets from the platinum target for  $1.25 \leq k_t \leq 1.5$  GeV/c (left) and for  $1.5 \leq k_t \leq 2.5$  GeV/c (right). The solid line is a fit to a combination of the asymptotic and CZ distribution amplitudes. The dashed line shows the contribution from the asymptotic function and the dotted line that of the CZ function.

**Possibly two components:  
 Nonperturbative (AdS/CFT) and  
 Perturbative (ERBL)  
 Evolution to asymptotic distribution**

$$\phi(x) \propto \sqrt{x(1-x)}$$



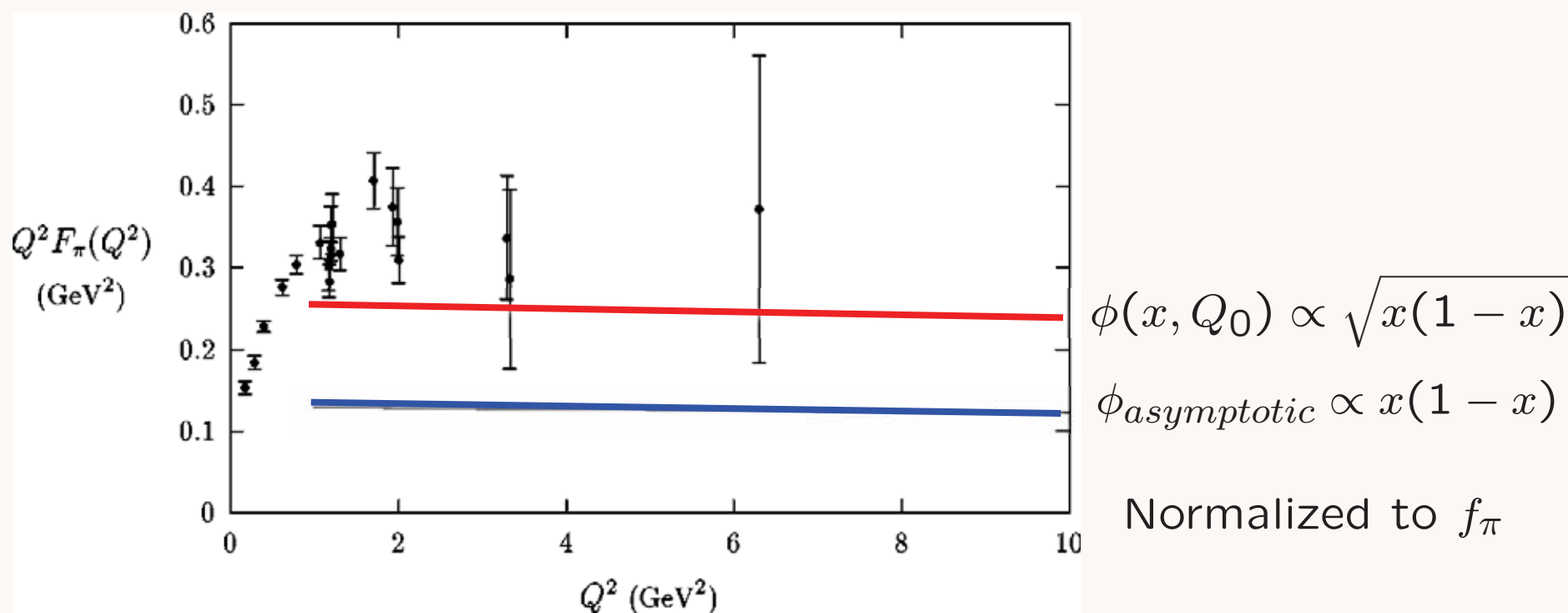
$$\phi_{asympt} \sim x(1-x)$$

***AdS/CFT:***

$$\phi(x, Q_0) \propto \sqrt{x(1-x)}$$

Increases PQCD leading twist prediction  
 $F_\pi(Q^2)$  by factor 16/9

$$F_{\pi}(Q^2) = \int_0^1 dx \phi_{\pi}(x) \int_0^1 dy \phi_{\pi}(y) \frac{16\pi C_F \alpha_V(Q_V)}{(1-x)(1-y)Q^2}$$



***AdS/CFT:***

Increases PQCD leading twist prediction for  $F_{\pi}(Q^2)$  by factor 16/9

## Higher Spin Bosonic Modes HW

- Each hadronic state of integer spin  $S \leq 2$  is dual to a normalizable string mode

$$\Phi(x, z)_{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_S} = \epsilon_{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_S} e^{-iP \cdot x} \Phi_S(z).$$

with four-momentum  $P_\mu$  and spin polarization indices along the 3+1 physical coordinates.

- Wave equation for spin  $S$ -mode **W. S. l'Yi, Phys. Lett. B 448, 218 (1999)**

$$\left[ z^2 \partial_z^2 - (d+1-2S)z \partial_z + z^2 \mathcal{M}^2 - (\mu R)^2 \right] \Phi_S(z) = 0,$$

- Solution

$$\tilde{\Phi}(z)_S = \left( \frac{z}{R} \right)^S \Phi(z)_S = C e^{-iP \cdot x} z^{\frac{d}{2}} J_{\Delta - \frac{d}{2}}(z\mathcal{M}) \epsilon(P)_{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_S},$$

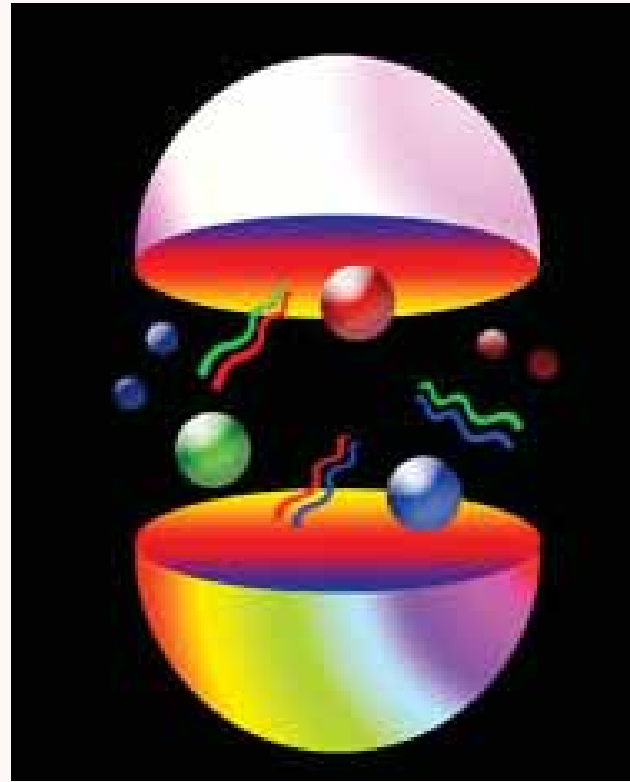
- We can identify the conformal dimension:

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \left( d + \sqrt{(d-2S)^2 + 4\mu^2 R^2} \right).$$

- Normalization:

$$R^{d-2S-1} \int_0^{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^{-1}} \frac{dz}{z^{d-2S-1}} \Phi_S^2(z) = 1.$$

# *Baryons in AdS/CFT*

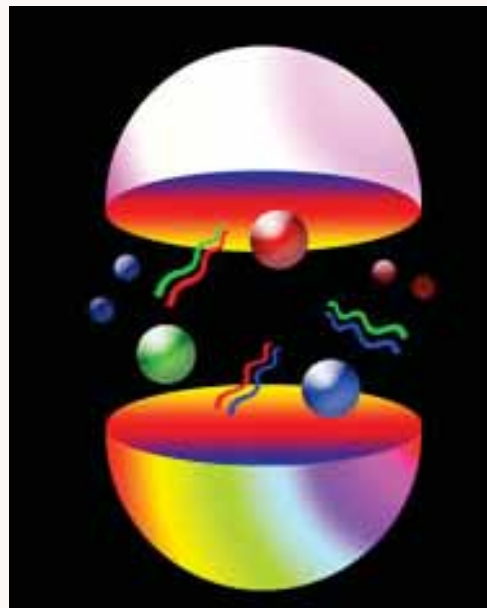


**Baryons in “bottom-up” approach to holographic QCD:  
{ GdT and SJB (2004)}.**

**“Top-down” Sakai-Sugimoto model:  
{ Hong, Rho, Yee and Yi (2007);  
Hata, Sakai, Sugimoto, Yamato (2007)}.**

- Baryons Spectrum in "bottom-up" holographic QCD  
GdT and Brodsky: hep-th/0409074, hep-th/0501022.

## *Baryons in AdS/CFT*



- Action for massive fermionic modes on  $\text{AdS}_{d+1}$ :

$$S[\bar{\Psi}, \Psi] = \int d^{d+1}x \sqrt{g} \bar{\Psi}(x, z) \left( i\Gamma^\ell D_\ell - \mu \right) \Psi(x, z).$$

- Equation of motion:  $(i\Gamma^\ell D_\ell - \mu) \Psi(x, z) = 0$

$$\left[ i \left( z\eta^{\ell m} \Gamma_\ell \partial_m + \frac{d}{2} \Gamma_z \right) + \mu R \right] \Psi(x^\ell) = 0.$$

# Baryons

## Holographic Light-Front Integrable Form and Spectrum

- In the conformal limit fermionic spin- $\frac{1}{2}$  modes  $\psi(\zeta)$  and spin- $\frac{3}{2}$  modes  $\psi_\mu(\zeta)$  are **two-component spinor** solutions of the Dirac light-front equation

$$\alpha\Pi(\zeta)\psi(\zeta) = \mathcal{M}\psi(\zeta),$$

where  $H_{LF} = \alpha\Pi$  and the operator

$$\Pi_L(\zeta) = -i \left( \frac{d}{d\zeta} - \frac{L + \frac{1}{2}}{\zeta} \gamma_5 \right),$$

and its adjoint  $\Pi_L^\dagger(\zeta)$  satisfy the commutation relations

$$\left[ \Pi_L(\zeta), \Pi_L^\dagger(\zeta) \right] = \frac{2L + 1}{\zeta^2} \gamma_5.$$

- Supersymmetric QM between bosonic and fermionic modes in AdS?



- Note: in the Weyl representation ( $i\alpha = \gamma_5\beta$ )

$$i\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ -I & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \beta = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma_5 = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & -I \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Baryon: twist-dimension  $3 + L$  ( $\nu = L + 1$ )

$$\mathcal{O}_{3+L} = \psi D_{\{\ell_1 \dots D_{\ell_q} \psi D_{\ell_{q+1}} \dots D_{\ell_m}\}} \psi, \quad L = \sum_{i=1}^m \ell_i.$$

- Solution to Dirac eigenvalue equation with UV matching boundary conditions

$$\psi(\zeta) = C \sqrt{\zeta} [J_{L+1}(\zeta \mathcal{M}) u_+ + J_{L+2}(\zeta \mathcal{M}) u_-].$$

Baryonic modes propagating in AdS space have two components: orbital  $L$  and  $L + 1$ .

- Hadronic mass spectrum determined from IR boundary conditions

$$\psi_{\pm}(\zeta = 1/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) = 0,$$

given by

$$\mathcal{M}_{\nu,k}^+ = \beta_{\nu,k} \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}, \quad \mathcal{M}_{\nu,k}^- = \beta_{\nu+1,k} \Lambda_{\text{QCD}},$$

with a scale independent mass ratio.

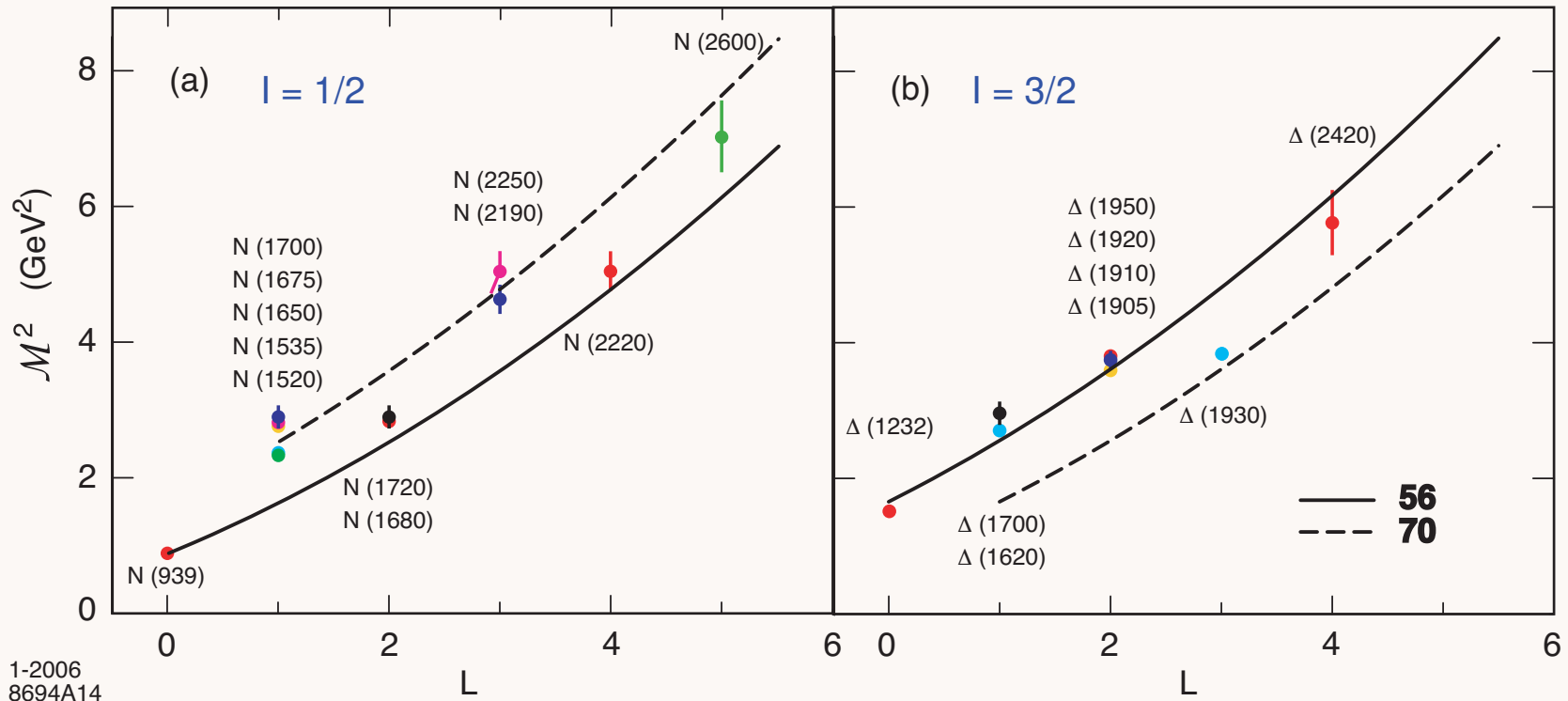


Fig: Light baryon orbital spectrum for  $\Lambda_{QCD} = 0.25$  GeV in the HW model. The  $56$  trajectory corresponds to  $L$  even  $P = +$  states, and the  $70$  to  $L$  odd  $P = -$  states.

$SU(6)$	$S$	$L$	Baryon State
<b>56</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$N_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1+}$ (939)
	$\frac{3}{2}$	0	$\Delta_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3+}$ (1232)
<b>70</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$N_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1-}$ (1535) $N_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3-}$ (1520)
	$\frac{3}{2}$	1	$N_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1-}$ (1650) $N_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3-}$ (1700) $N_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5-}$ (1675)
	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\Delta_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1-}$ (1620) $\Delta_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3-}$ (1700)
<b>56</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	2	$N_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3+}$ (1720) $N_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5+}$ (1680)
	$\frac{3}{2}$	2	$\Delta_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1+}$ (1910) $\Delta_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3+}$ (1920) $\Delta_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5+}$ (1905) $\Delta_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7+}$ (1950)
<b>70</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	3	$N_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5-}$ $N_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7-}$
	$\frac{3}{2}$	3	$N_{\frac{3}{2}}^{3-}$ $N_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5-}$ $N_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7-}$ (2190) $N_{\frac{9}{2}}^{9-}$ (2250)
	$\frac{1}{2}$	3	$\Delta_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5-}$ (1930) $\Delta_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7-}$
<b>56</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	$N_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7+}$ $N_{\frac{9}{2}}^{9+}$ (2220)
	$\frac{3}{2}$	4	$\Delta_{\frac{5}{2}}^{5+}$ $\Delta_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7+}$ $\Delta_{\frac{9}{2}}^{9+}$ $\Delta_{\frac{11}{2}}^{11+}$ (2420)
<b>70</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	5	$N_{\frac{9}{2}}^{9-}$ $N_{\frac{11}{2}}^{11-}$ (2600)
	$\frac{3}{2}$	5	$N_{\frac{7}{2}}^{7-}$ $N_{\frac{9}{2}}^{9-}$ $N_{\frac{11}{2}}^{11-}$ $N_{\frac{13}{2}}^{13-}$

# Non-Conformal Extension of Algebraic Structure (Soft Wall Model)

- We write the Dirac equation

$$(\alpha\Pi(\zeta) - \mathcal{M})\psi(\zeta) = 0,$$

in terms of the matrix-valued operator  $\Pi$

$$\Pi_\nu(\zeta) = -i \left( \frac{d}{d\zeta} - \frac{\nu + \frac{1}{2}}{\zeta} \gamma_5 - \kappa^2 \zeta \gamma_5 \right),$$

and its adjoint  $\Pi^\dagger$ , with commutation relations

$$\left[ \Pi_\nu(\zeta), \Pi_\nu^\dagger(\zeta) \right] = \left( \frac{2\nu + 1}{\zeta^2} - 2\kappa^2 \right) \gamma_5.$$

- Solutions to the Dirac equation

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_+(\zeta) &\sim z^{\frac{1}{2}+\nu} e^{-\kappa^2 \zeta^2 / 2} L_n^\nu(\kappa^2 \zeta^2), \\ \psi_-(\zeta) &\sim z^{\frac{3}{2}+\nu} e^{-\kappa^2 \zeta^2 / 2} L_n^{\nu+1}(\kappa^2 \zeta^2). \end{aligned}$$

- Eigenvalues

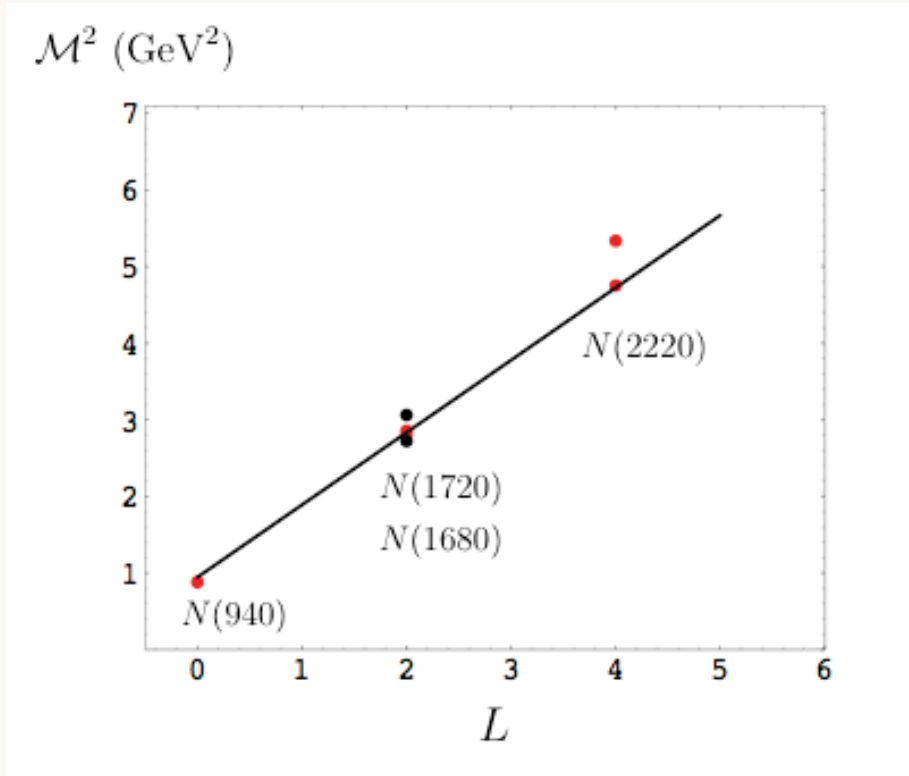
$$\mathcal{M}^2 = 4\kappa^2(n + \nu + 1).$$

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- Define the zero point energy (identical as in the meson case)  $\mathcal{M}^2 \rightarrow \mathcal{M}^2 - 4\kappa^2$ :

$$\mathcal{M}^2 = 4\kappa^2(n + L + 1).$$



Proton Regge Trajectory  $\kappa = 0.49\text{GeV}$

## Space-Like Dirac Proton Form Factor

- Consider the spin non-flip form factors

$$F_+(Q^2) = g_+ \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) |\psi_+(\zeta)|^2,$$

$$F_-(Q^2) = g_- \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) |\psi_-(\zeta)|^2,$$

where the effective charges  $g_+$  and  $g_-$  are determined from the spin-flavor structure of the theory.

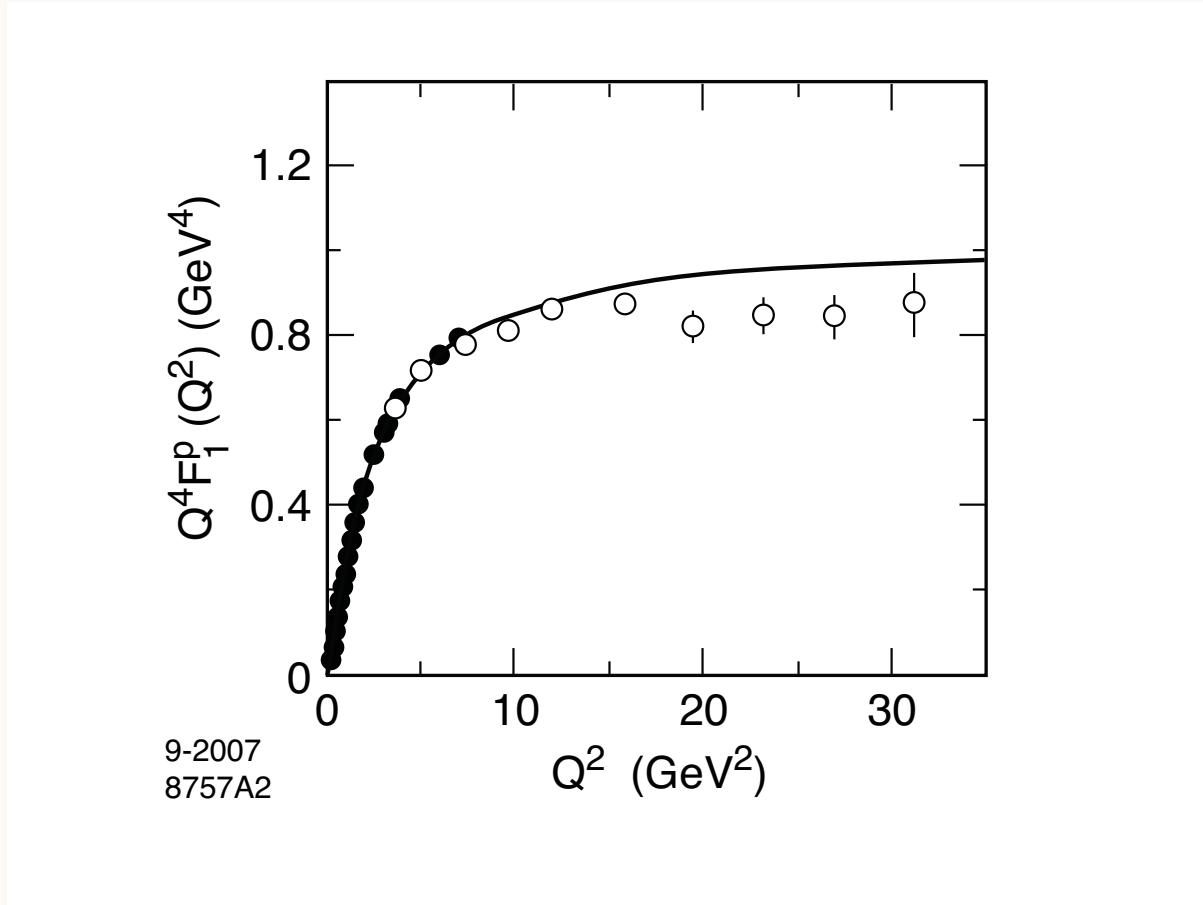
- Choose the struck quark to have  $S^z = +1/2$ . The two AdS solutions  $\psi_+(\zeta)$  and  $\psi_-(\zeta)$  correspond to nucleons with  $J^z = +1/2$  and  $-1/2$ .
- For  $SU(6)$  spin-flavor symmetry

$$F_1^p(Q^2) = \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) |\psi_+(\zeta)|^2,$$

$$F_1^n(Q^2) = -\frac{1}{3} \int d\zeta J(Q, \zeta) [|\psi_+(\zeta)|^2 - |\psi_-(\zeta)|^2],$$

where  $F_1^p(0) = 1$ ,  $F_1^n(0) = 0$ .

- Scaling behavior for large  $Q^2$ :  $Q^4 F_1^p(Q^2) \rightarrow \text{constant}$  Proton  $\tau = 3$

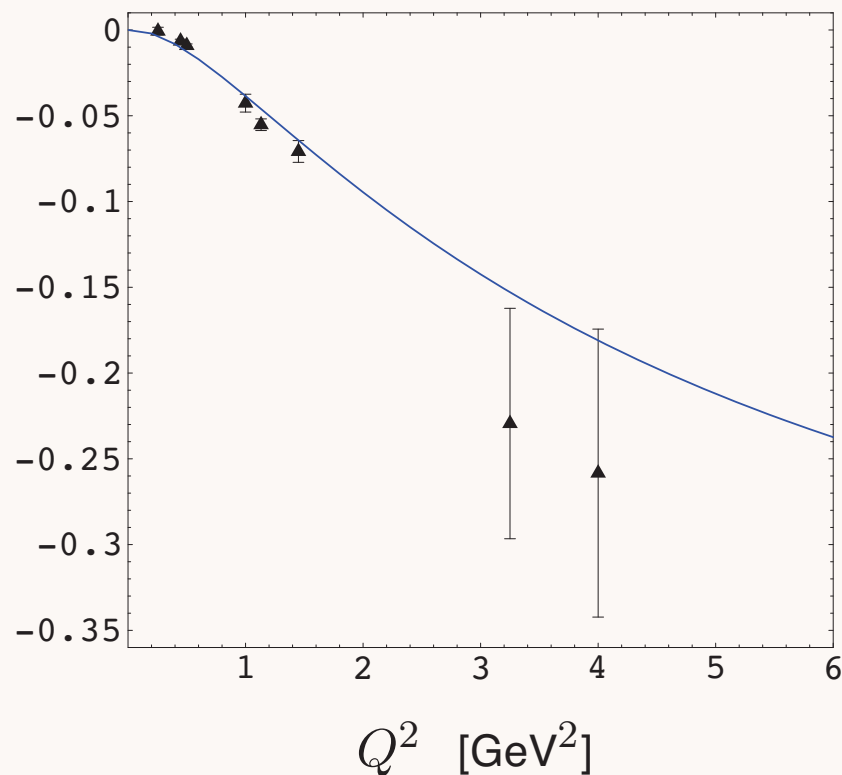


SW model predictions for  $\kappa = 0.424$  GeV. Data analysis from: M. Diehl *et al.* Eur. Phys. J. C **39**, 1 (2005)

# Dirac Neutron Form Factor (Valence Approximation)

Truncated Space Confinement

$$Q^4 F_1^n(Q^2) \text{ [GeV}^4\text{]}$$



Prediction for  $Q^4 F_1^n(Q^2)$  for  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.21$  GeV in the hard wall approximation. Data analysis from Diehl (2005).

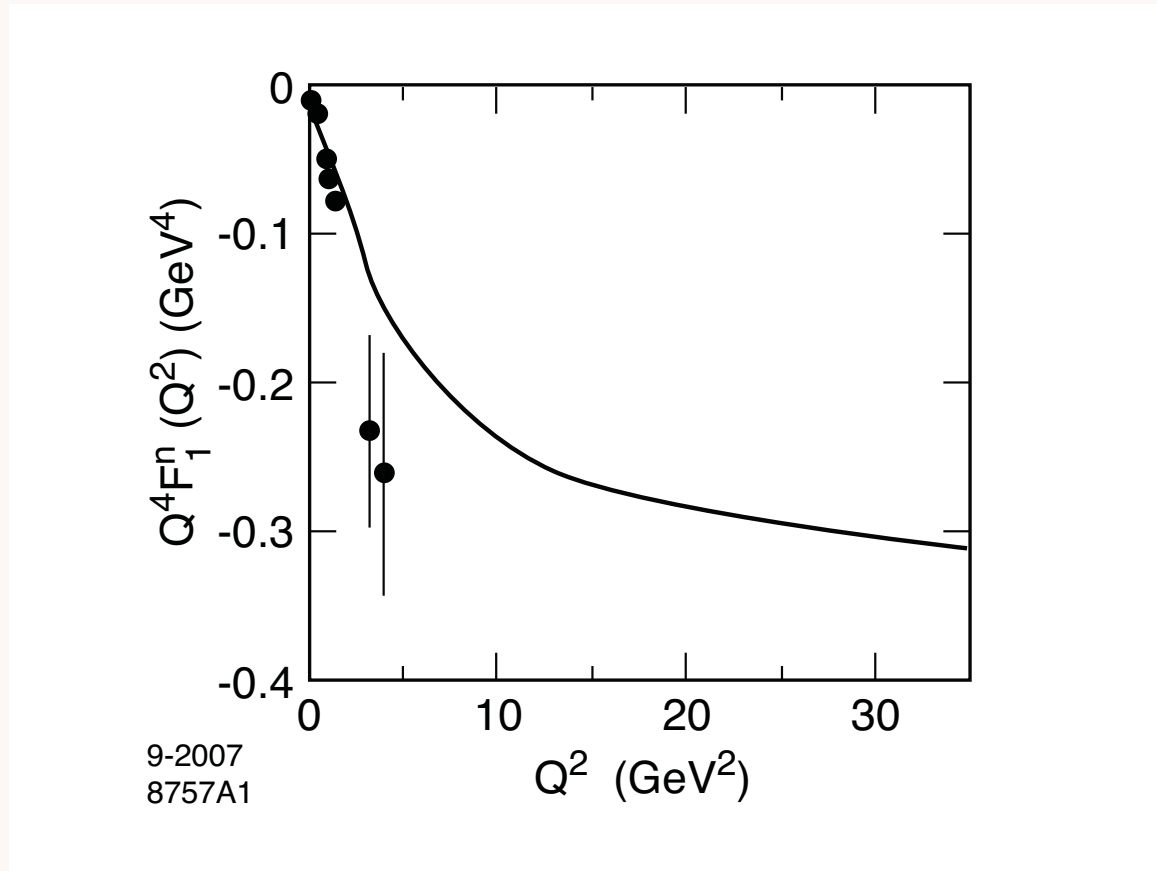
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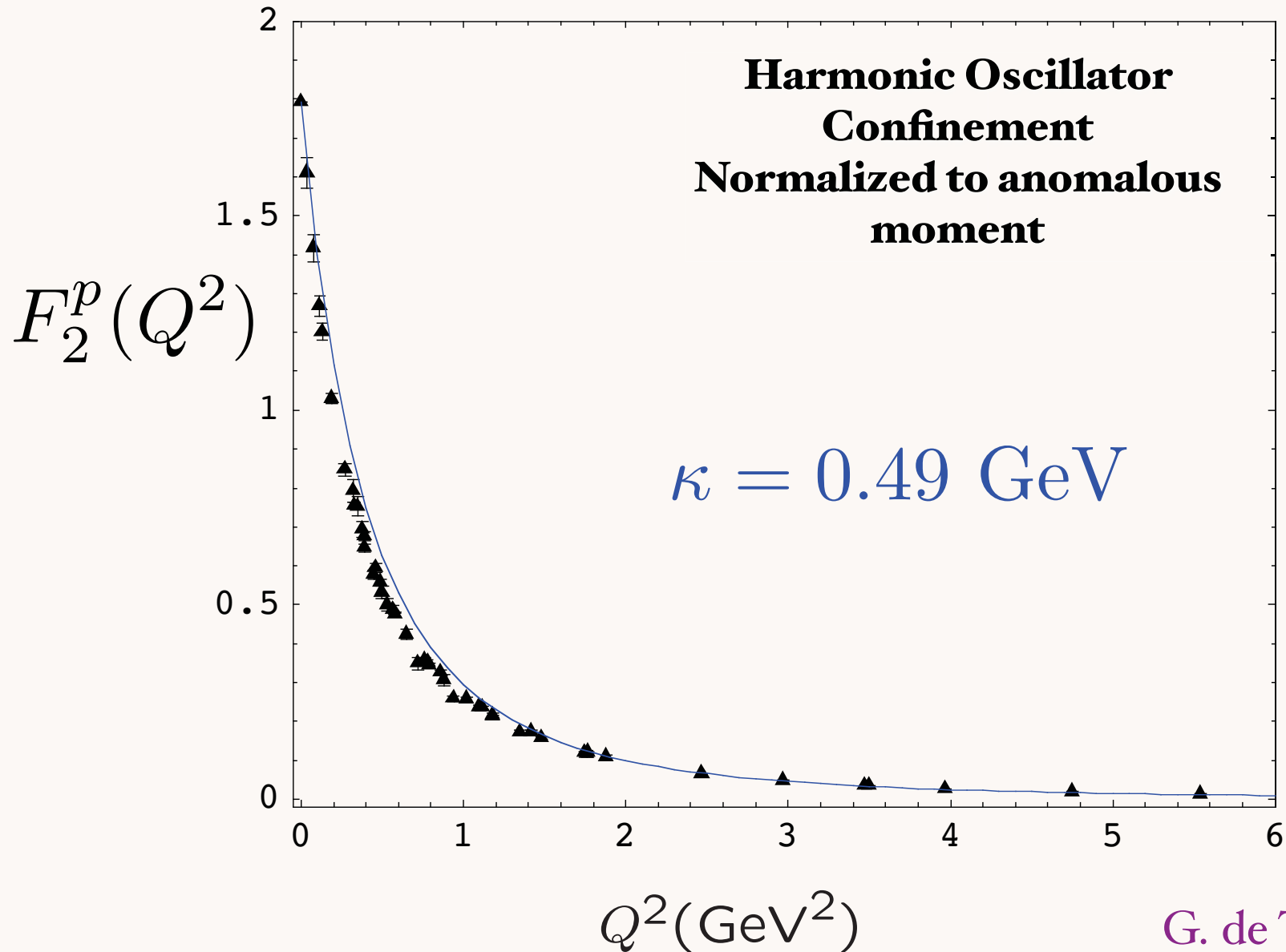


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# Spacelike Pauli Form Factor

Preliminary

From overlap of  $L = 1$  and  $L = 0$  LFWFs



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# Holographic Connection between LF and AdS/CFT

- Predictions for hadronic spectra, light-front wavefunctions, interactions
- Deduce meson and baryon wavefunctions, distribution amplitude, structure function from holographic constraint
- Identification of Orbital Angular Momentum Casimir for  $SO(2)$ : LF Rotations
- Extension to massive quarks