



New results on $\pi^0 p$ beam asymmetry in the resonance region with CLAS

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Insight into the Strong QCD from the Synergy between Experiment, Phenomenology, and Theory

Experiment

Theory

Observables from the Experiments with the EM Probes:

- Differential cross sections
- Beam asymmetry
- Target asymmetries
- Recoil asymmetries
- Combinations of 2-fold and 3-fold asymmetries

Phenomenology:

- Amplitude analyses
- Reaction models

Elastic/Transition form factors
 PDFs, PDA, TMD-functions
 Compton form factors
 Projection of GPD to observables

**Strong QCD
 underlying
 the hadron
 generation
 $\alpha_s \sim 1$**

QCD Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = \bar{\psi}(i \not{D}_a T_a - m)\psi - \frac{1}{4} F_a^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu,a}$$

- Covariant derivative, gluon field tensor
- Color matrices and structure constants

$$D_a^\mu = \partial^\mu + igA_a^\mu$$

$$F_a^{\mu\nu} = \partial^\mu A_a^\nu - \partial^\nu A_a^\mu - gf_{abc}A_b^\mu A_c^\nu$$

$$[T_a^{(F)}, T_b^{(F)}] = if_{abc}T_c^{(F)}, \quad (T_a^{(A)})_{bc} = -if_{abc}$$

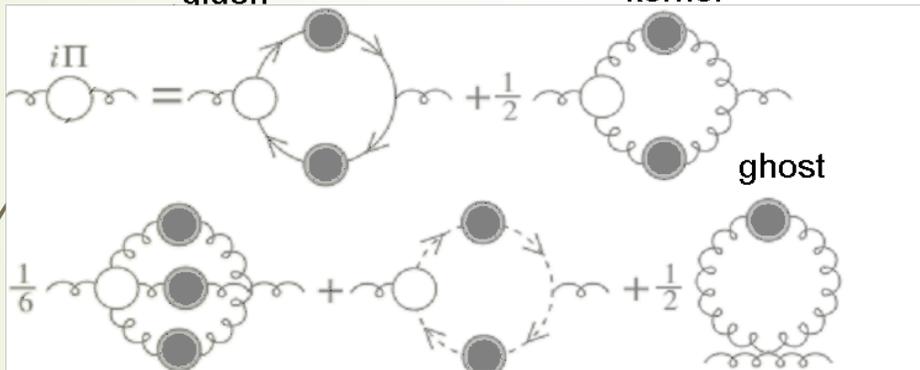
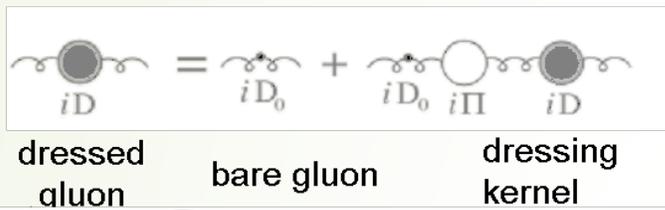
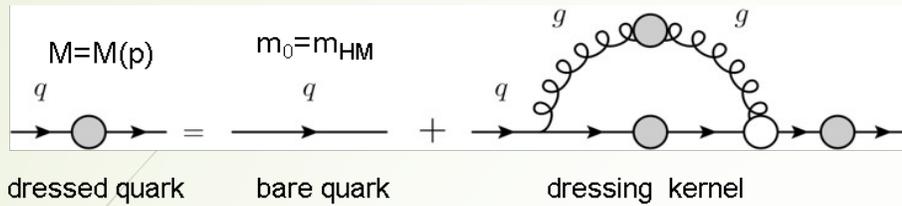
- Lattice QCD
- Continuum QCD

Light front quark models
 AdS/CFT approaches
 χ Quark-Soliton models
 Hypercentral quark model
 Covariant quark models

Basics for Insight into EHM from Data on N^* Electrocouplings

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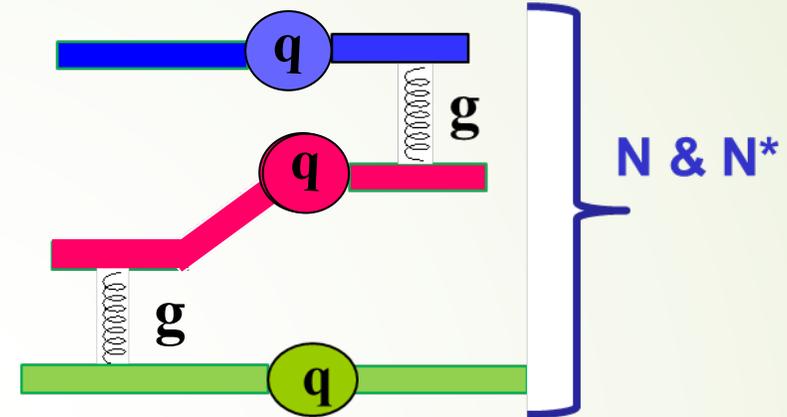
Emergence of Dressed Quarks and Gluons
D. Binosi et al, Phys. Rev. D 95, 031501 (2017)



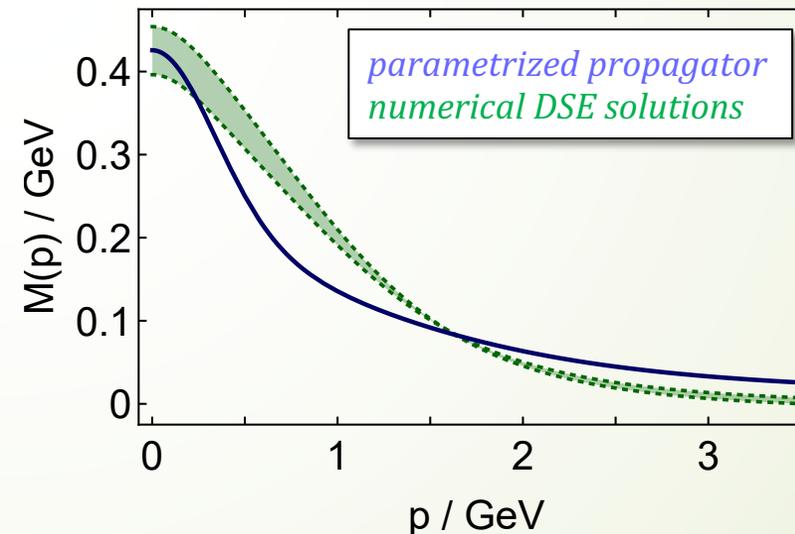
Data on N^* electrocoupling are sensitive to the quark propagators and allow us to:

- Map out quark mass function
- Constrain the ground nucleon and meson form factors, PDA, & PDF

Dressed Quark Borromeo Binding in N/N^*
J. Segovia et al., arXiv:1908:0572 [nucl-th]



Dressed Quark Mass Function
C.D. Roberts, Few Body Syst. 58, 5 (2017)

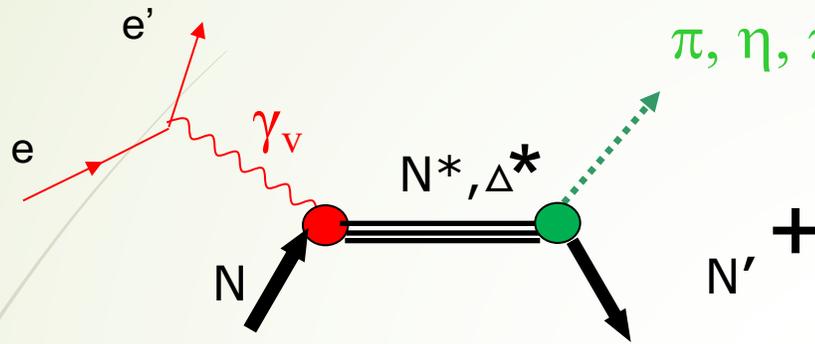


Inferred from QCD Lagrangian with only the Λ_{QCD} parameter

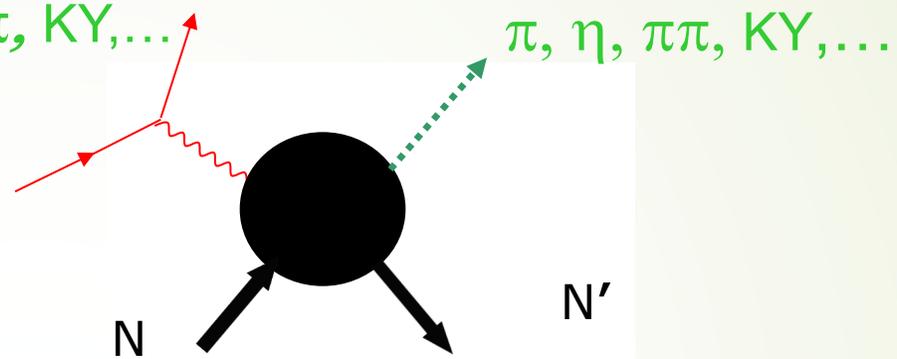
Extraction of $\gamma_{\nu}NN^*$ Electrocouplings from Exclusive Meson Electroproduction off Nucleons

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Resonant amplitudes



Non-resonant amplitudes



Definition of N^* photo-/electrocouplings employed in the CLAS data analyses:

- Real $A_{1/2}(Q^2)$, $A_{3/2}(Q^2)$, $S_{1/2}(Q^2)$
- I.G. Aznauryan and V.D. Burkert, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 67, 1 (2012)

$$\Gamma_{\gamma} = \frac{k_{\gamma N^*}^2}{\pi} \frac{2M_N}{(2J_r + 1)M_{N^*}} \left[|A_{1/2}|^2 + |A_{3/2}|^2 \right]$$

- Consistent results on $\gamma_{\nu}pN^*$ electrocouplings from different meson electroproduction channels are critical in order to validate reliable extraction of these quantities.

Single meson electroproduction in the resonance region from Hall-B

		Q^2	W	
JLab/Hall B	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\pi^0 p, \pi^+ n)$	0.16–0.36	1.1–1.38	[8]
	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\pi^0 p)$	0.4–1.8	1.1–1.68	[9]
	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\pi^0 p)$	3.0–6.0	1.1–1.39	[10]
	$A_{LT'}(\pi^0 p)$	0.4, 0.65	1.1–1.66	[11]
	$A_t, A_{et}(\pi^0 p)$	0.252, 0.385, 0.611	1.12–1.55	[12]
	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\pi^+ n)$	0.3–0.6	1.1–1.55	[13]
	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}, A_{LT'}(\pi^+ n)$	1.7–4.5	1.11–1.69	[14]
	$A_{LT'}(\pi^+ n)$	0.4, 0.65	1.1–1.66	[15]
	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\eta p)$	0.375–1.385	1.5–1.86	[16]
	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\eta p)$	0.17–3.1	1.5–2.3	[17]

Progress in Particle and Nuclear Physics 67 (2012) 1
I.G. Aznauryan, V.D. Burkert

Exclusive $\pi^0 p$ electroproduction off protons in the resonance region at photon virtualities $0.4 \text{ GeV}^2 \leq Q^2 \leq 1 \text{ GeV}^2$

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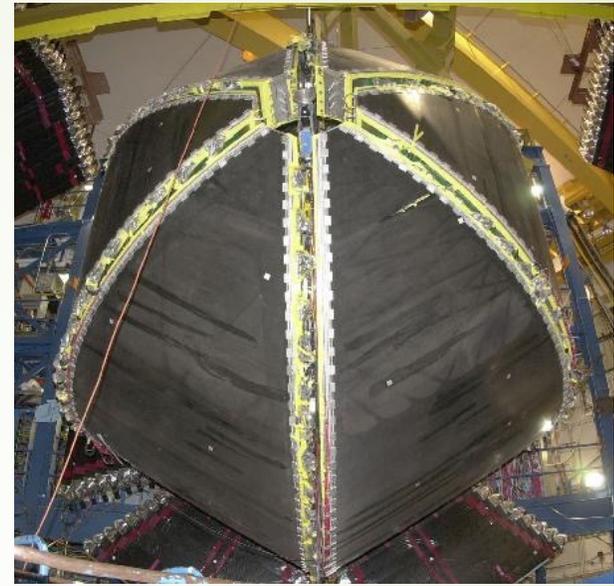
Same data run (E1E) $1.1 < W < 1.8 \text{ GeV}$
Access to second and third N^* regions!

Data

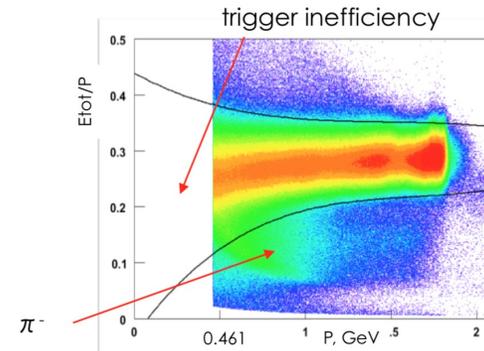
- CLAS detector data 12/2002 – 1/2003
- Beam energy: 2.036 GeV
- Beam polarization: $\sim 80\%$
- Target: Liquid Hydrogen, thickness 2 cm
- Number of triggers: ~ 1.5 billion

$$0.4 < Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$$

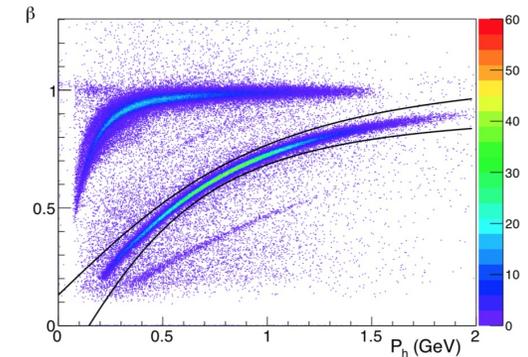
$$1.1 < W < 1.8 \text{ GeV}$$



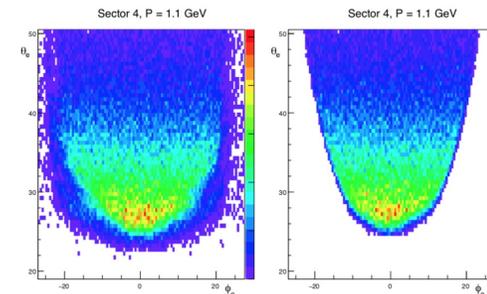
$e \pi^-$ separation



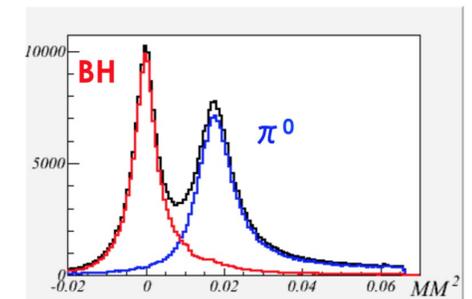
Proton identification



Fiducial cuts



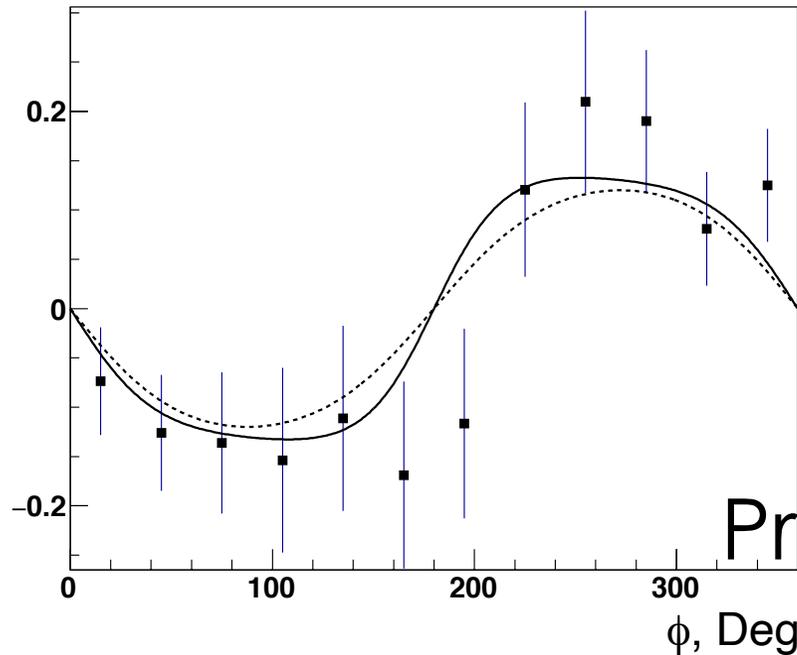
Final event selection



Beam spin asymmetries

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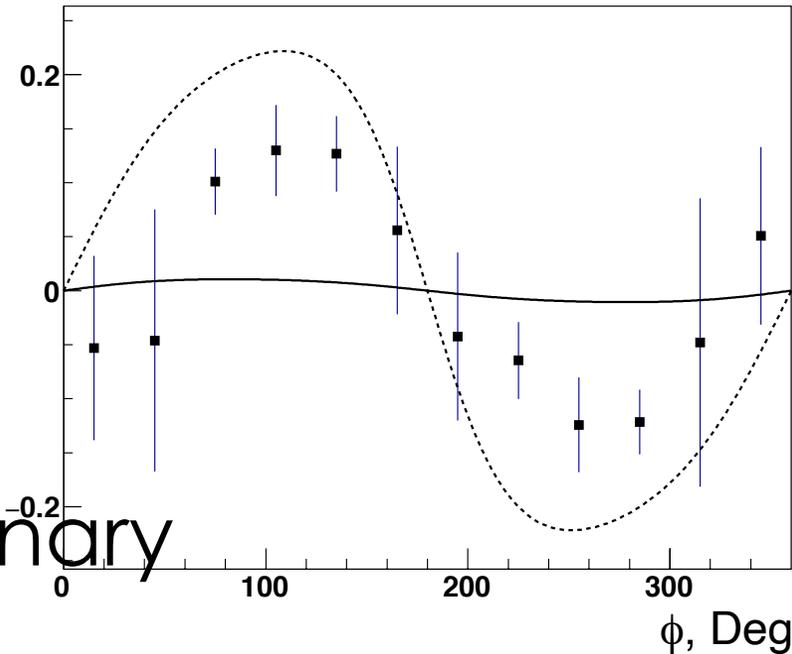
BSA $W= 1.56$ GeV, $Q^2= 0.5$ GeV², $\cos(\theta)= -0.9$



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MAID 2007 (solid line)

BSA $W= 1.71$ GeV, $Q^2= 0.5$ GeV², $\cos(\theta)= 0.9$



MAID 2007 with modified electrocouplings, taken from CLAS analyses (dotted line)

$$A_{LT'} = \frac{A_m}{P_e},$$

$$A_m = \frac{N_{\pi^+} - N_{\pi^-}}{N_{\pi^+} + N_{\pi^-}}$$

Polarized Structure Function $\sigma_{LT'}$

$$\frac{d^2\sigma^h}{d\Omega_\pi^*} = \frac{p_\pi^*}{k_\gamma^*} [\sigma_0 + h\sqrt{2\epsilon_L(1-\epsilon)} \sigma_{LT'} \sin\theta_\pi^* \sin\phi_\pi^*]$$

$$A_{LT'} = \frac{\sqrt{2\epsilon_L(1-\epsilon)} \sigma_{LT'} \sin\theta_\pi^* \sin\phi_\pi^*}{\sigma_0}$$

$$A_{LT'} = \frac{A_m}{P_e},$$

$$A_m = \frac{N_\pi^+ - N_\pi^-}{N_\pi^+ + N_\pi^-}$$

We have unpolarized cross sections from the same data.

Extraction Of Polarized Structure Function $\sigma_{LT'}$

Binning:

28 W-bins from 1.1 to 1.8 GeV, width = 25 MeV

2 Q^2 -bins [0.4-0.6] and [0.6-1.0] GeV^2

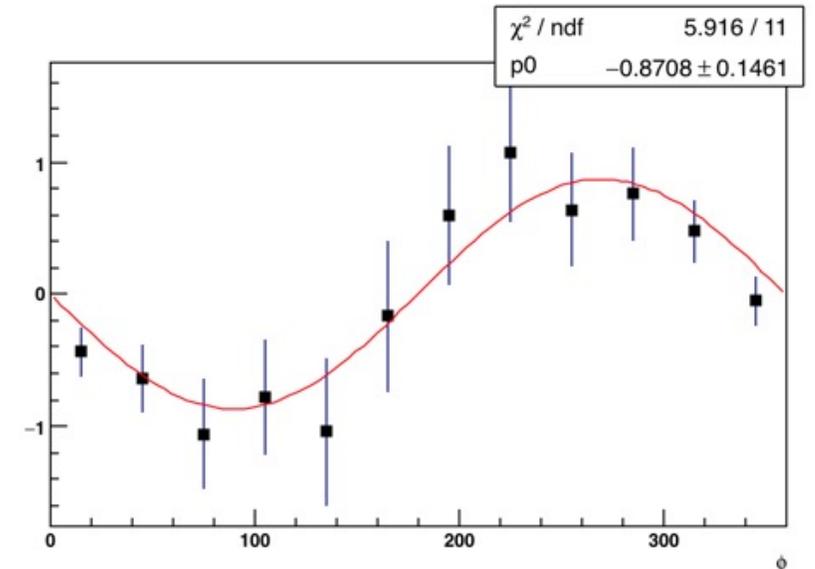
10 $\text{Cos}(\theta)$ -bins [-1,1] width = 0.2

12 Φ -bins [0,360] width = 30°

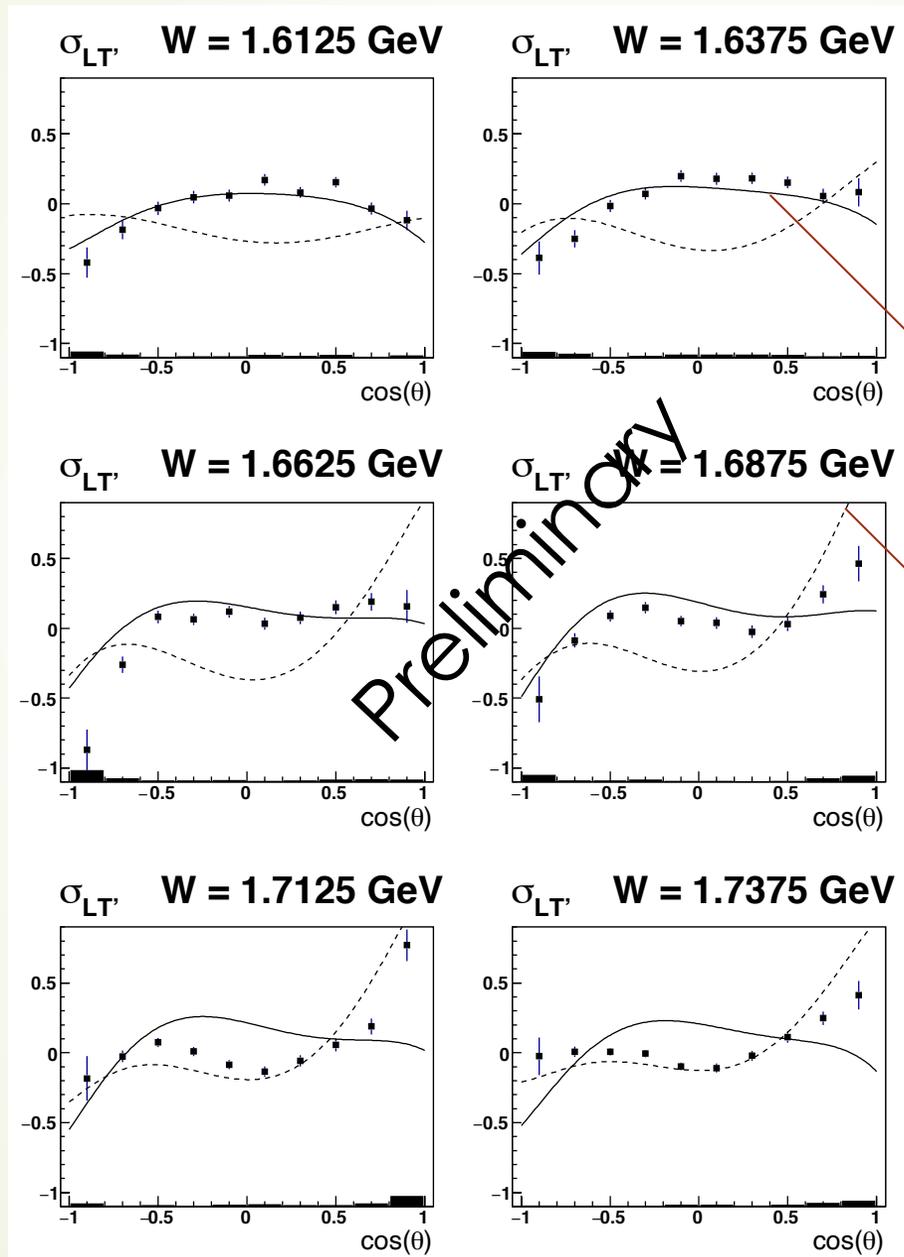
$W = 1.66 \text{ GeV}$

$0.4 < Q^2 < 0.6 \text{ GeV}^2$

$\text{Cos}(\theta) = -0.9$



Polarized Structure Function σ_{LT} , $0.4 < Q^2 < 0.6 \text{ GeV}^2$



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MAID 2007 (solid line)

MAID 2007 with modified electrocouplings, taken from CLAS analyses (dashed line)

Legendre Polynomials of σ_{LT}

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$$l=0,1,2,3 \quad \sigma_{LT} = D_0 + D_1 * x + D_2 * 0.5 * (3 * x^2 - 1) + D_3 * 0.5 * (5 * x^3 - 3 * x)$$

sensitivity to P13(1720)

$$D_1 \sim -\text{Im}(\dots 6 * S_{1p} * \text{conj}(E_{1p}) - 6 * S_{1p} * \text{conj}(M_{1p}) \dots)$$

sensitivity to D33(1700)

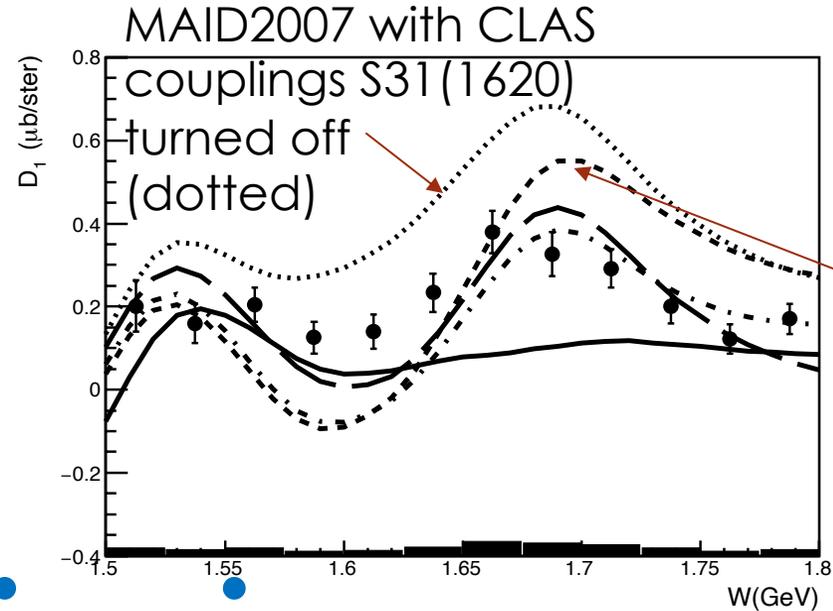
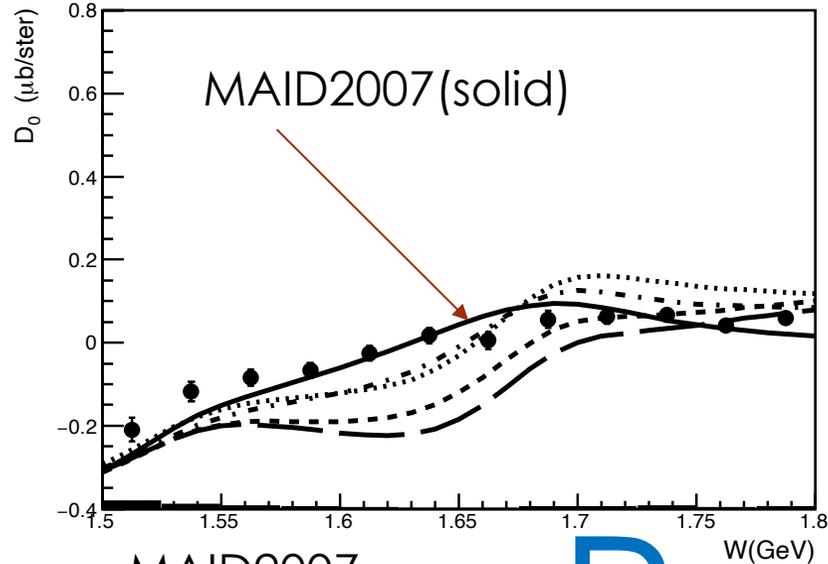
$$D_1 \sim -\text{Im}(\dots - 6 * S_{2m} * \text{conj}(E_{2m}) - 6 * S_{2m} * \text{conj}(M_{2m}) \dots)$$

LP – effective way to present our data and to demonstrate sensitivity to different excited states of the nucleon

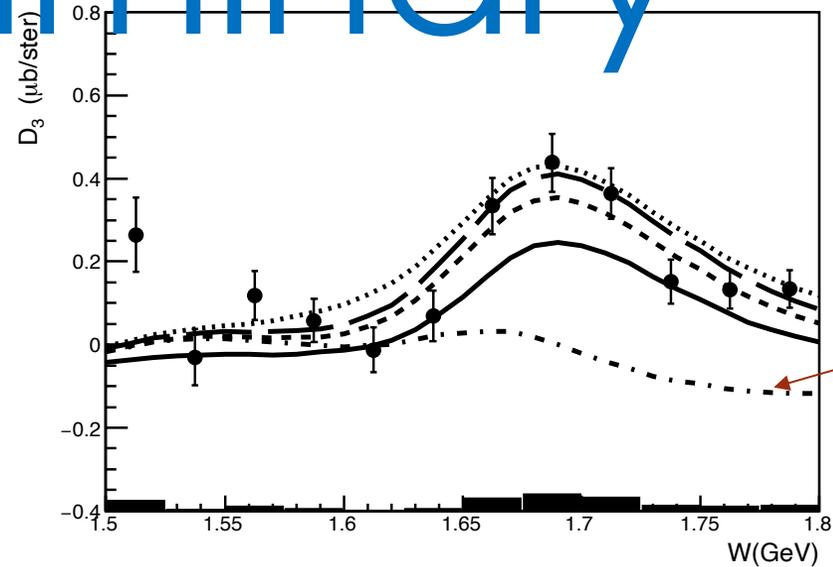
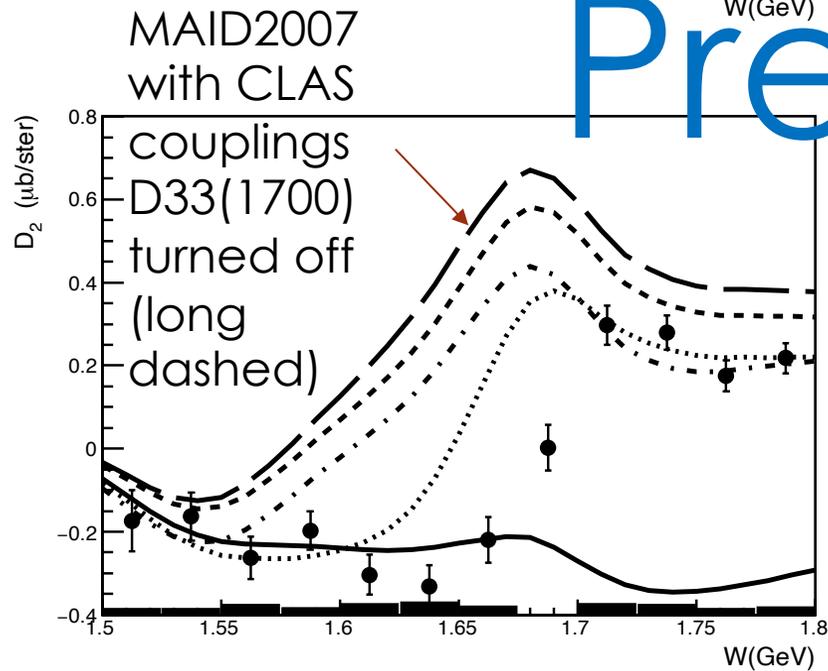
P_{11}	P_{31}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1^+	L_{1-}
S_{11}	S_{31}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	0^-	L_{0+}, E_{0+}
D_{13}	D_{33}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2^-	L_{2-}, E_{2-}
P_{11}	P_{31}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1^+	M_{1-}
P_{13}	P_{33}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1^+	M_{1+}
P_{13}	P_{33}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1^+	L_{1+}, E_{1+}
F_{15}	F_{35}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	3^+	L_{3-}, E_{3-}
D_{13}	D_{33}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2^-	M_{2-}
D_{15}	D_{35}	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	2^-	M_{2+}

Legendre Moments of Polarized Structure Function σ_{LT} , $0.4 < Q^2 < 0.6 \text{ GeV}^2$

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MAID2007 with CLAS couplings (dashed)



MAID2007 with CLAS couplings P13(1720) turned off (dotted dashed)

Preliminary

Conclusions

- ▶ The polarized structure function σ_{LT} was extracted from the CLAS data in the kinematical region
$$0.4 < Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$$
$$1.1 < W < 1.8 \text{ GeV}$$
- ▶ Legendre Polynomials of σ_{LT} were analyzed with different resonances turned on/off
- ▶ The combined analysis of polarized and unpolarized data will give us information on electroexcitation amplitudes with focus on the second and third resonance regions
- ▶ PRC paper under review in CLAS collaboration