

Transverse spin densities in lattice QCD

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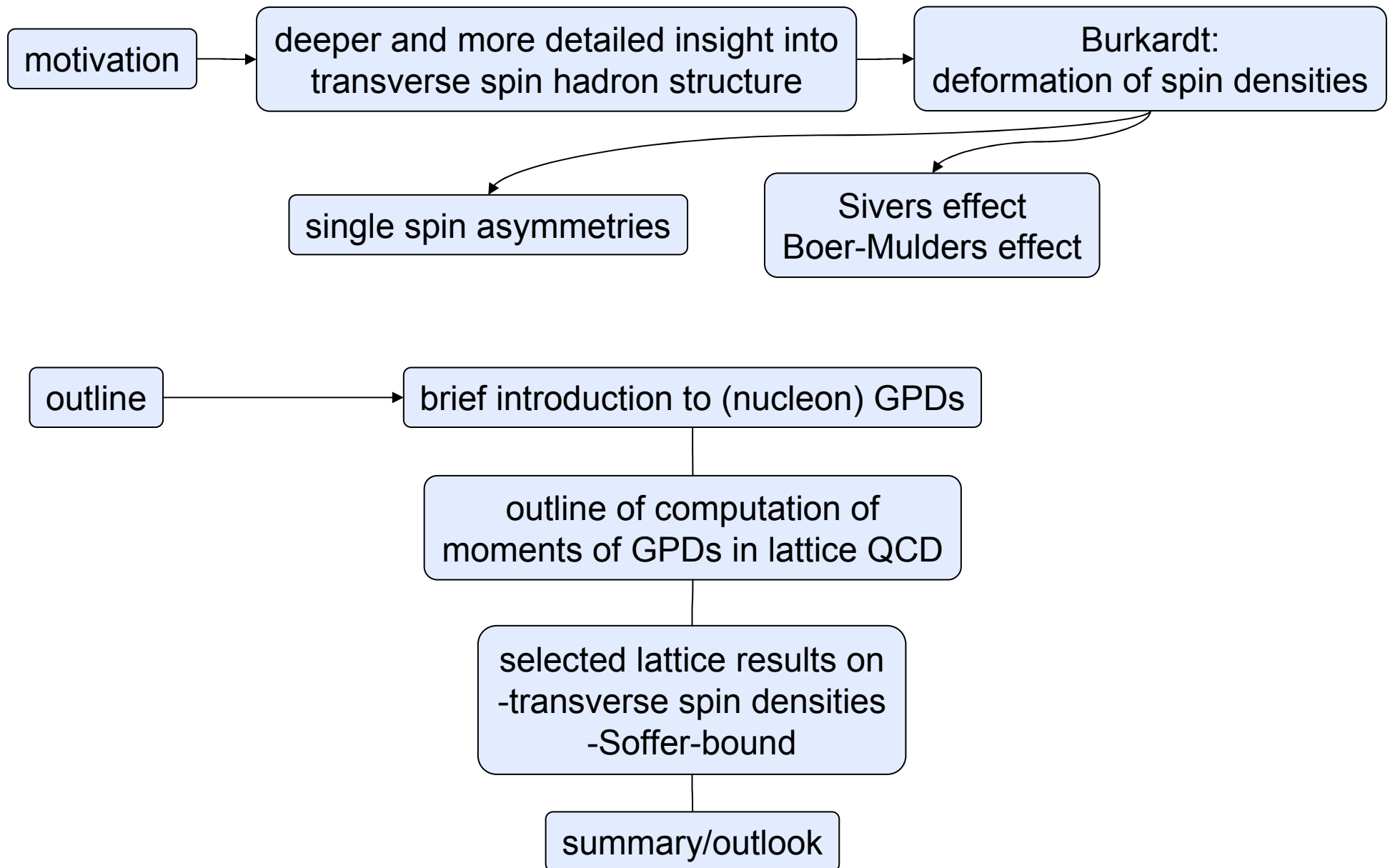
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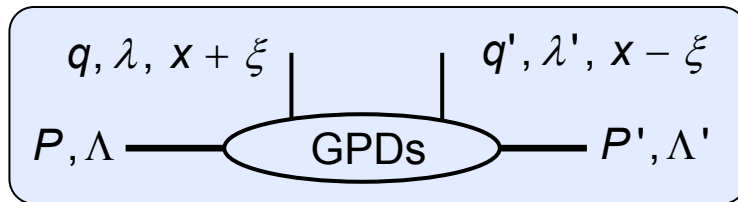


Overview



Brief introduction to GPDs

Müller, Robaschik, Geyer,
Dittes, Horejsi, 1994
Ji, 1997, Radyushkin, 1997



$t = (\Delta \equiv P' - P)^2 \hat{=}$
momentum transfer squared
 $\xi = -n \cdot \Delta / 2 \hat{=}$ longitudinal
momentum transfer

8 real functions needed for a complete description
of the nucleon quark structure at twist 2
(M. Diehl, EPJ C19, 2001)

$H(x, \xi, t), E$
 \tilde{H}, \tilde{E}
 $H_T, \bar{E}_T, \tilde{H}_T, \tilde{E}_T$

$$\int \frac{d\eta}{4\pi} e^{i\eta x} \langle P' | \bar{q}(-\frac{\eta n}{2}) \gamma^\mu \mathcal{U} q(\frac{\eta n}{2}) | P \rangle = \bar{U}(P') \left(\gamma^\mu H(x, \xi, \Delta^2) + i \frac{\sigma^{\mu\nu} \Delta_\nu}{2M} E(x, \xi, \Delta^2) \right) U(P)$$

vector

$$\int \frac{d\eta}{4\pi} e^{i\eta x} \langle P' | \bar{q}(-\frac{\eta n}{2}) \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 \mathcal{U} q(\frac{\eta n}{2}) | P \rangle = \bar{U}(P') \left(\gamma^\mu \gamma^5 \tilde{H}(x, \xi, \Delta^2) + \frac{\gamma^5 \Delta^\mu}{2M} \tilde{E}(x, \xi, \Delta^2) \right) U(P)$$

axial-vector

$$\int \frac{d\eta}{4\pi} e^{i\eta x} \langle P' | \bar{q}(-\frac{\eta n}{2}) \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \mathcal{U} q(\frac{\eta n}{2}) | P \rangle = \bar{U}(P') \left\{ \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \left(H_T(x, \xi, \Delta^2) - \frac{t}{2m^2} \tilde{H}_T(x, \xi, \Delta^2) \right) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \Delta_\alpha \gamma_\beta}{2m} \bar{E}_T(x, \xi, \Delta^2) + \frac{\Delta^{[\mu} \sigma^{\nu]\alpha} \gamma_5 \Delta_\alpha}{2m^2} \tilde{H}_T(x, \xi, \Delta^2) + \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \bar{P}_\alpha \gamma_\beta}{m} \tilde{E}_T(x, \xi, \Delta^2) \right\} U(P)$$

tensor

Basic features of GPDs

forward limit

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(x,0,0) &= q(x) \hat{=} 1/2 (\rightarrow\rightarrow + \leftarrow\leftarrow) \\
 \tilde{H}(x,0,0) &= \Delta q(x) \hat{=} \rightarrow\rightarrow - \leftarrow\leftarrow \\
 H_T(x,0,0) &= \delta q(x) = h_1(x) \hat{=} \uparrow\uparrow - \downarrow\downarrow
 \end{aligned}$$

„local“ limit

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int dx H(x, \xi, t) &= F_1(t), \\
 \int dx \tilde{H}(x, \xi, t) &= g_A(t), \\
 \int dx H_T(x, \xi, t) &= g_T(t) \text{ etc.}
 \end{aligned}$$

decomposition of the nucleon total spin

(O)AM of quarks in the nucleon

$$\frac{1}{2} = J_N = \frac{1}{2} (\langle x \rangle_{q+g} + E^{n=2}(0)) = \frac{1}{2} \Delta\Sigma + L_q + J_g$$

X. Ji

GPDs H, E, \tilde{H}

probability interpretation of quark distributions in transverse coordinate space

$b_\perp \hat{=} \text{distance of active quark to the center of momentum } R_\perp$

$$\begin{aligned}
 q(x, b_\perp^2) &= \int d^2 \Delta_\perp e^{-i\Delta_\perp \cdot b_\perp} H(x, \xi = 0, \Delta_\perp^2) = \\
 &= \langle P^+, R_\perp = 0 | \hat{O}(x, b_\perp) | P^+, R_\perp = 0 \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

M. Burkardt

Parametrization in terms of tensor GPDs

Mellin moments $\int_{-1}^1 dx x^n$
of matrix elements

$2\lfloor n/2 \rfloor + n + 3$ GFFs ✓

$$A_{\mu\nu} S_{\nu\mu_1\dots\mu_n} \langle P' | \bar{\psi}(0) \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 iD^{\mu_1} \dots iD^{\mu_n} \psi(0) | P \rangle =$$

$$A_{\mu\nu} S_{\nu\mu_1\dots\mu_n} \bar{U}(P') \left\{ \sum_{i=0, \text{even}}^n \left(\sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \Delta^{\mu_1} \dots \Delta^{\mu_i} \bar{P}^{\mu_{i+1}} \dots \bar{P}^{\mu_n} \left[A_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2) - \frac{t}{2m^2} \tilde{A}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2) \right] \right. \right.$$

$$+ \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \Delta_\alpha \gamma_\beta}{2m} \Delta^{\mu_1} \dots \Delta^{\mu_i} \bar{P}^{\mu_{i+1}} \dots \bar{P}^{\mu_n} \bar{B}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2)$$

$$+ \left. \frac{\Delta^{[\mu} \sigma^{\nu]\alpha} \gamma_5 \Delta_\alpha}{2m^2} \Delta^{\mu_1} \dots \Delta^{\mu_i} \bar{P}^{\mu_{i+1}} \dots \bar{P}^{\mu_n} \tilde{A}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2) \right)$$

$$+ \left. \sum_{i=0, \text{odd}}^n \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \bar{P}_\alpha \gamma_\beta}{m} \Delta^{\mu_1} \dots \Delta^{\mu_i} \bar{P}^{\mu_{i+1}} \dots \bar{P}^{\mu_n} \tilde{B}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2) \right\} U(P)$$

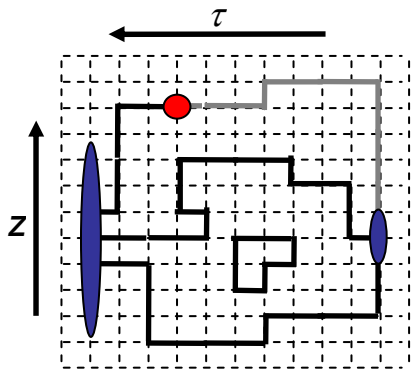
Ph.H., PLB 594(2004),
see also Chen/Ji, hep-ph/0404276

how to get back the
moments of the GPDs
from the GFFs?

$$H_T^n(\xi, \Delta^2) = \sum_{i=0, \text{even}}^n (-2\xi)^i A_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2), \quad \bar{E}_T^n = \sum_{i=0, \text{even}}^n (-2\xi)^i \bar{B}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2)$$

$$\tilde{H}_T^n = \sum_{i=0, \text{even}}^n (-2\xi)^i \tilde{A}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2), \quad \tilde{E}_T^n = \sum_{i=0, \text{odd}}^n (-2\xi)^i \tilde{B}_{T_{n+1i}}(\Delta^2)$$

Overview – computation of GPDs on the Lattice



$$C_{3pt}(\tau, P, P) = \text{Tr} \left\{ \tilde{\Gamma} \langle 0 | N(\tau_{snk}, P) O_{\Gamma}(\tau) \bar{N}(\tau_{src}, P) | 0 \rangle \right\}$$

choose nucleon source/sink

insert complete set of states + use translation operators

$$C_{3pt}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots}(\tau, P, P = P - \Delta) \propto \sum_{x', x'', y, y'} e^{i\Delta x'} e^{iP x''} \text{Tr} \left\{ \tilde{\Gamma} G(x', y') K_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots}(y', y, x') G(y, x = 0) \right\} \text{Tr} \left\{ \tilde{G}(x', x = 0) G(x'', x = 0) \right\} + \dots$$

parametrize matrix element of local ops in terms of generalized form factors

$$\langle P | \bar{q}(0) \Gamma D^{\mu_1} D^{\mu_2} \dots D^{\mu_n} q(0) | P \rangle \propto \bar{U}(P, S) \left(a_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots} A_{\Gamma}(t) + b_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots} B_{\Gamma}(t) + \dots \right) U(P, S)$$

$$C_{3pt}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots}(\tau, P', P = P' - \Delta) \propto \sum_{x', y, y'} e^{i\Delta x'} \text{Tr} \left\{ \Omega_{\tilde{\Gamma}}(P'; x = 0, y') K_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots}(y', y, x') G(y, x = 0) \right\} + \dots$$

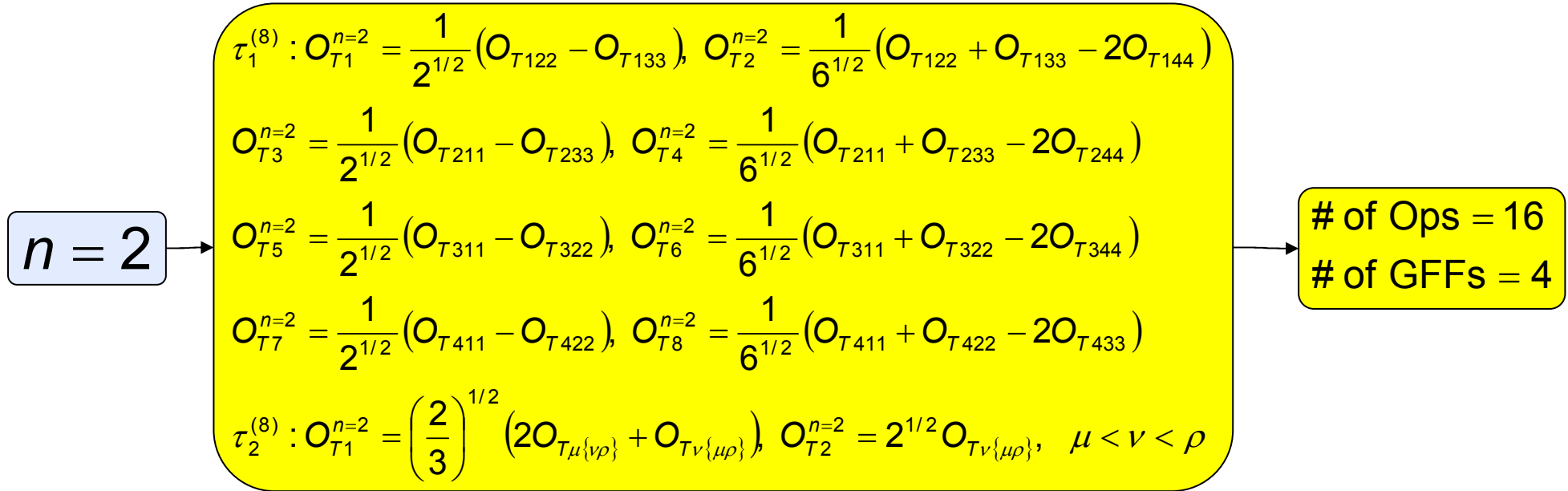
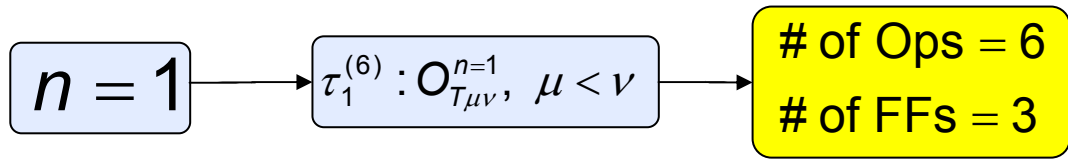
$$C_{3pt}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots}(\tau, P', P) \propto \text{Tr} \left\{ \tilde{\Gamma}(P' + m) \left(a_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots} A(t) + b_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots} B(t) + \dots \right) (P + m) \right\}$$

1. first inversion $\rightarrow G(z, x = 0), \forall z$
2. second inversion $\rightarrow \Omega_{\tilde{\Gamma}}(P'; x = 0, y')$ for fixed $P', \tilde{\Gamma}$
3. glue together with the operator $K_{\Gamma}^{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots}(y', y, x')$

finally, we equate the lattice ratio 3pt/2pts and the continuum parametrization for different momenta and indices simultaneously

this gives an (overdetermined) set of linear equations which is solved to obtain the GFFs

H(4) tensor operator index combinations on the lattice for n=1,2



Göckeler, Horsley, Ilgenfritz,
Pert, Rakow, Schierholz, Schiller,
Phys.Rev.D54:5705-5714,1996
Göckeler, 2005

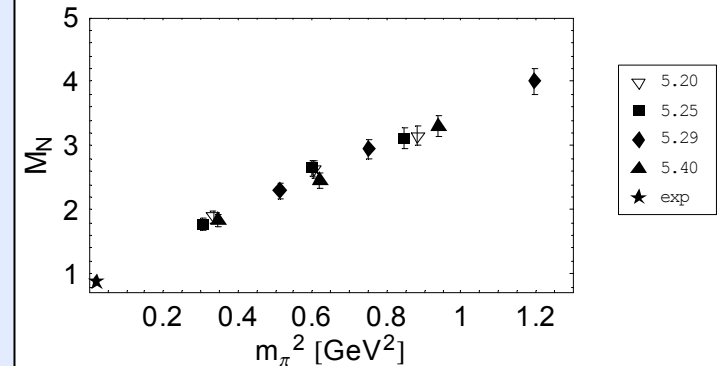
be aware of operator mixing for n>2:
Göckeler, Horsley, Pert, Rakow, Schäfer,
Schierholz, Schiller, NPB 717, 2005

NP renormalization constants (Meinulf) for n=1,2 ✓

Lattice parameters – QCDSF/UKQCD-collaboration, 2005 (work in progress)

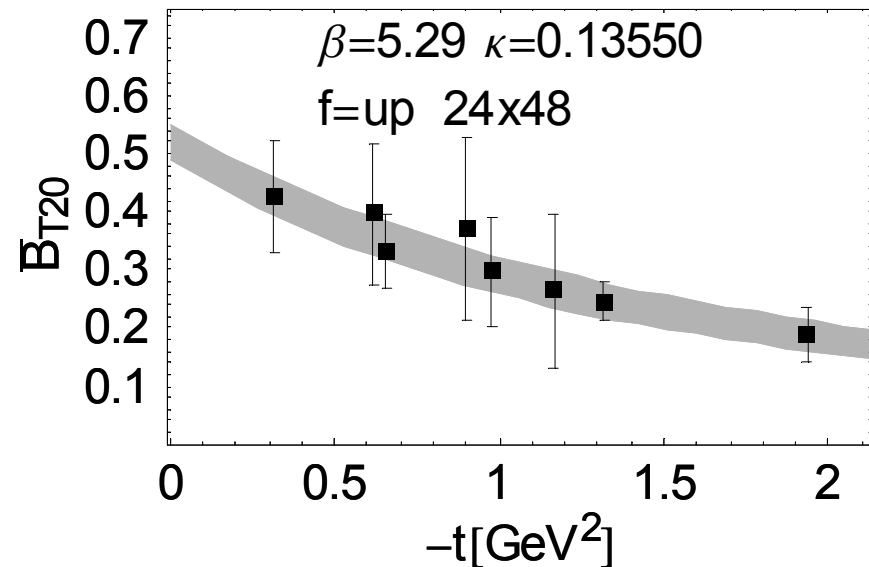
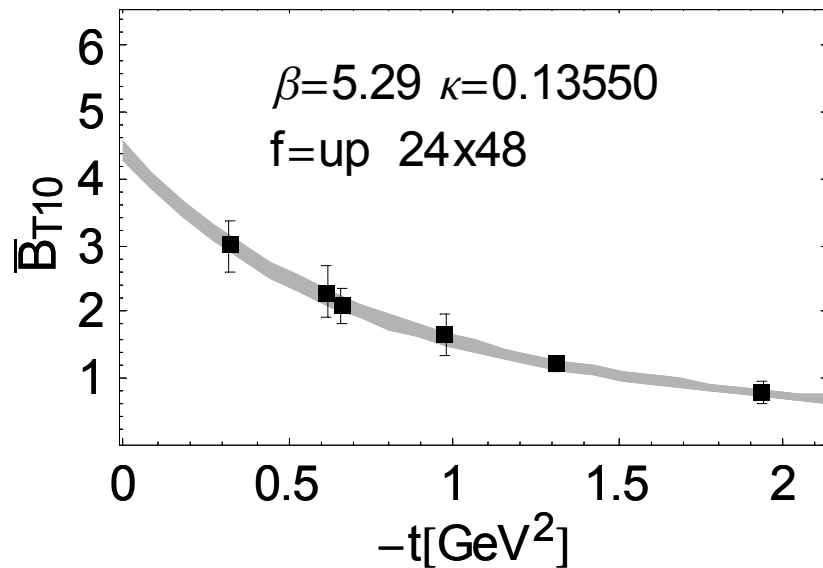
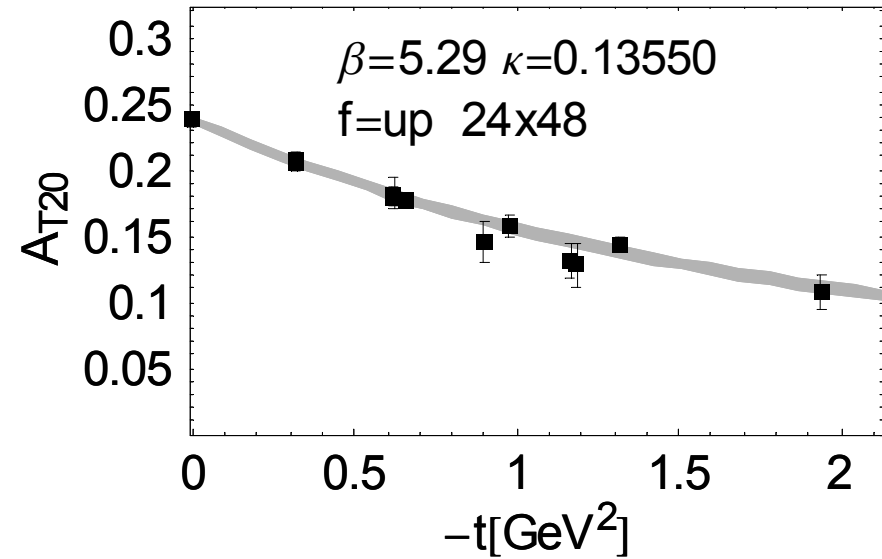
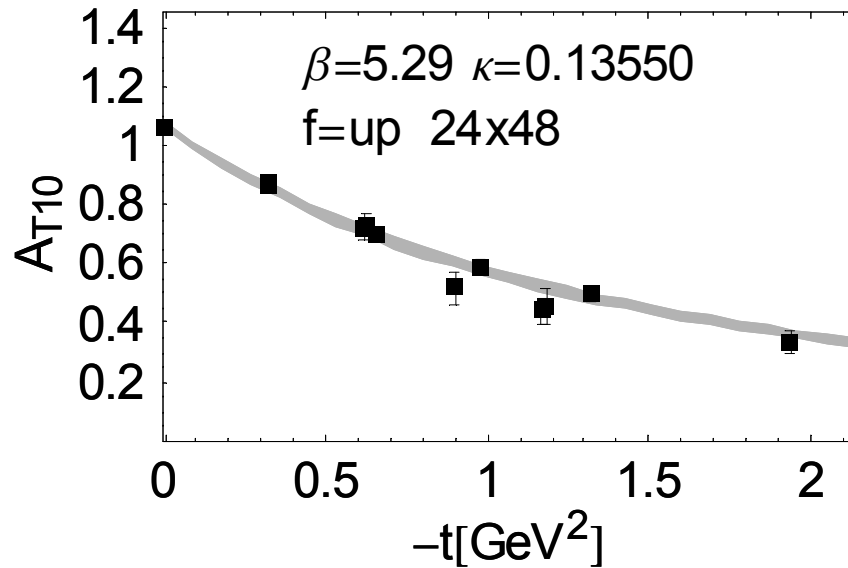
QCDSF - lattice - parameters :

- Wilson - fermions with (NP) clover - improvement
- unquenched calculation, but only connected contributions
- lattice - size is $(L^3 \times L_t)$ $16^3 \times 32$ for heavier and $24^3 \times 48$ for lighter quarks
- inverse lattice - spacing is $a^{-1} \approx 2 \text{ GeV}$
- pions, nucleons are still quite heavy, $m_\pi \approx 500 \dots 900 \text{ MeV}$
- pretty large # of different β (couplings) and κ (quark masses) available
- up to 1200 configurations for some β, κ - combinations
- data for finite volume analysis available
- lattice spacing fixed using $r_0 = 0.47 \text{ fm}$
- three projectors $\tilde{\Gamma}_{unpol} = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \gamma_0)$, $\tilde{\Gamma}_{1,2} = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \gamma_0)\gamma_5\gamma_{1,2}$
- three sink - momenta $p' = (0,0,0), (1,0,0), (0,1,0)$

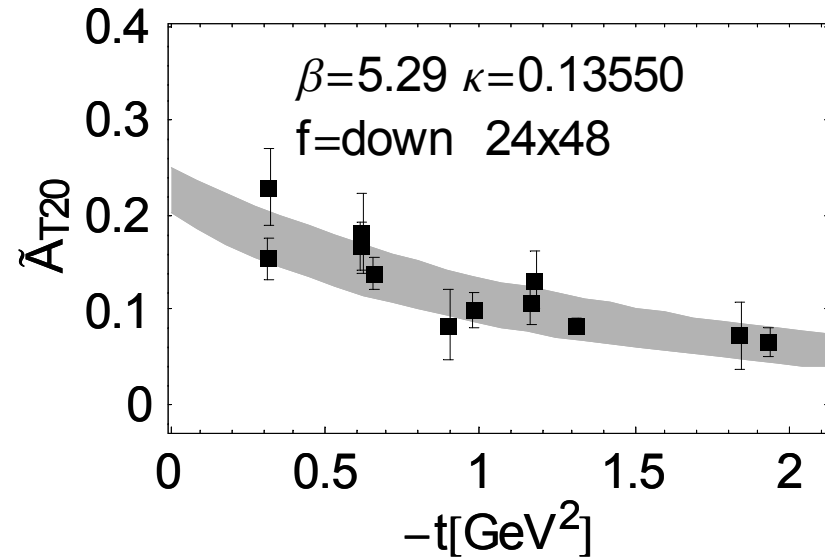
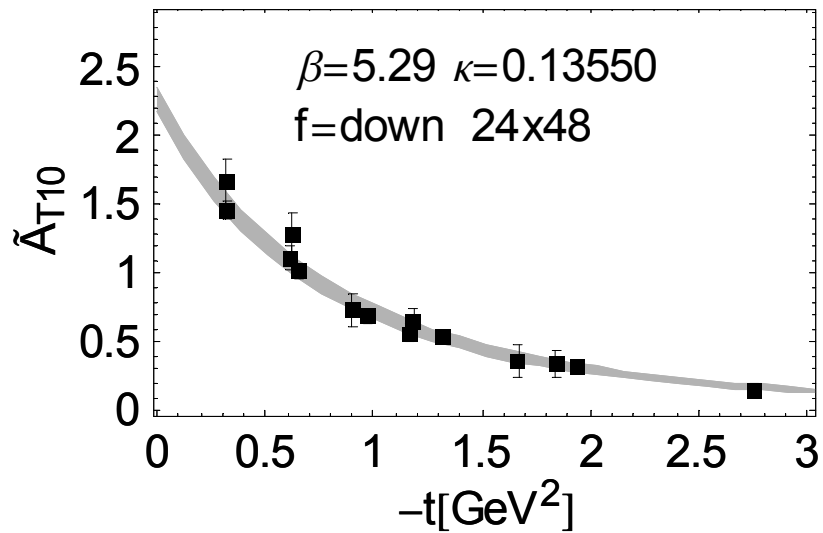
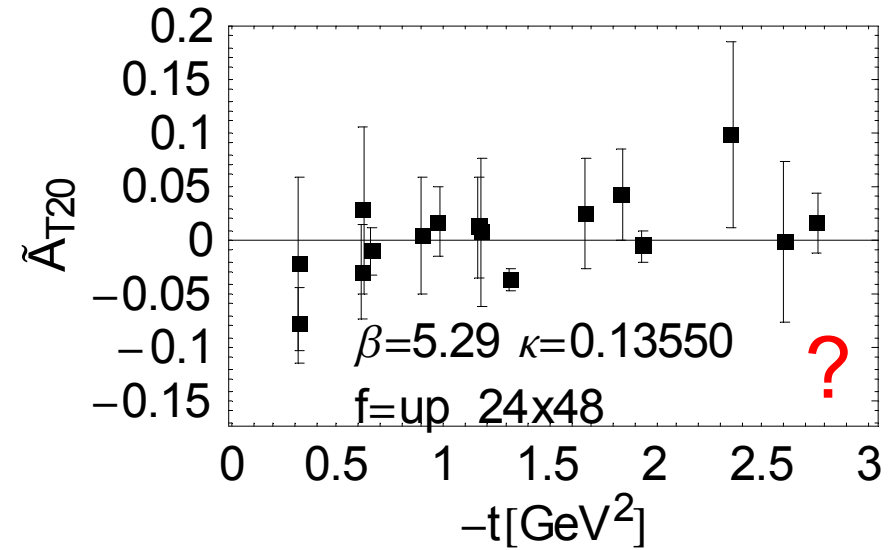
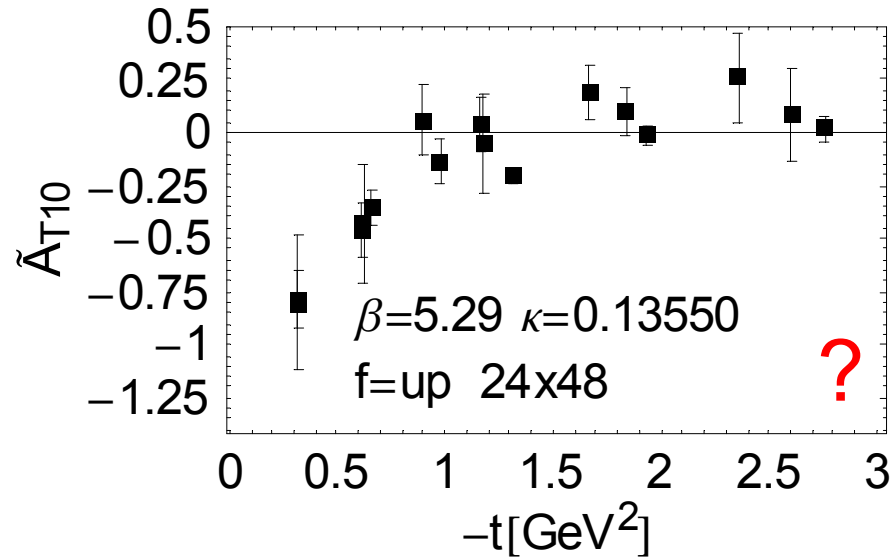


| # | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| β | 5.20 | 5.20 | 5.20 | 5.25 | 5.25 | 5.25 | 5.29 | 5.29 | 5.29 | 5.40 | 5.40 | 5.40 |
| κ | .13420 | .13500 | .13550 | .13460 | .13520 | .13575 | .13400 | .13500 | .13550 | .13500 | .13560 | .13610 |
| a[fm] | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.099 | 0.11 | 0.097 | 0.091 | 0.1 | 0.096 | 0.09 | 0.082 | 0.079 | 0.075 |
| L[fm] | 1.96 | 1.68 | 1.59 | 1.69 | 1.56 | 2.19 | 1.66 | 1.53 | 2.16 | 1.97 | 1.88 | 1.79 |
| m_π [Gev] | 0.94 | 0.777 | 0.578 | 0.92 | 0.774 | 0.553 | 1.09 | 0.867 | 0.716 | 0.969 | 0.788 | 0.588 |
| $m_\pi \times L$ | 9.36 | 6.64 | 4.66 | 7.89 | 6.11 | 6.14 | 9.23 | 6.74 | 7.85 | 9.68 | 7.48 | 5.3 |

tensor GPDs – some „raw“ data



tensor GPDs – continued



The p-pole ansatz

p - pole ansatz $A(t) = \frac{A(0)}{(1 - t/m_p^2)^p}$ → FT → $A(b^2) = C(A(0), p) b^{p-1} K_{p-1}(m_p b)$

pro :

- describes almost all GFFs reasonably well over the whole range of momentum transfer
- simple relation to charge radius
- only 2(3) parameters
- simple Fourier - transform

contra :

- no sound theoretical foundation, purely phenomenological
- it is hard to determine m_p and p simultaneously from fit

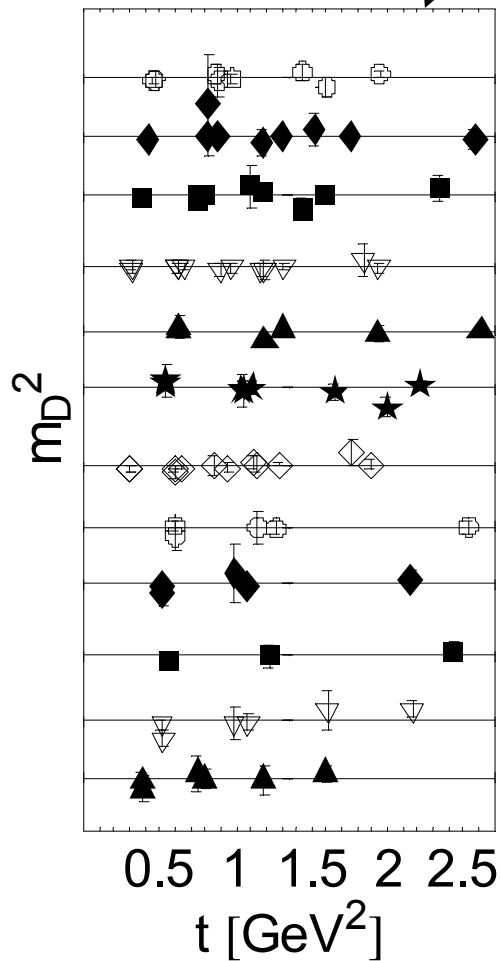
(Mellin moments of) quark densities should be well behaved for $b \rightarrow 0$ and $b \rightarrow \infty$

for finite densities, we need

$$\begin{aligned} H, \tilde{H}, H_T &: p > 1 \\ E, \bar{E}_T &: p > \frac{3}{2} \\ \tilde{H}_T &: p > 2 \end{aligned}$$

Testing the dipole parametrization

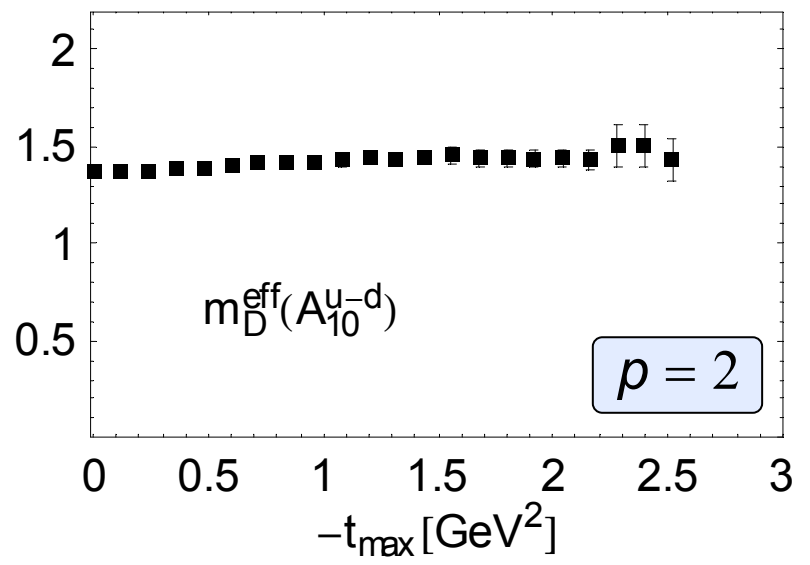
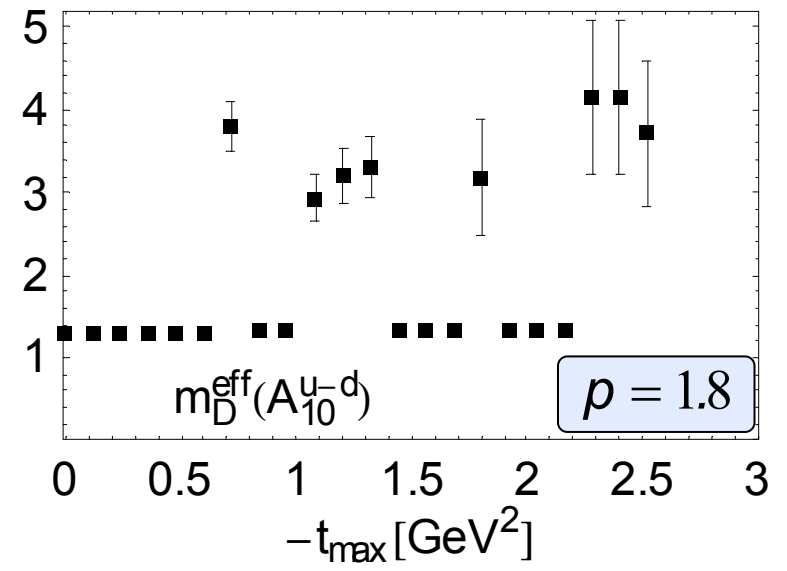
$$A_{n0}(t) = \frac{A_{n0}(t)}{(1 - t/m_{n,p}^2)^p} \rightarrow m_p^2 = m_p^2(t, A_{n0}(t))$$



- ▲ $\beta=5.20 \quad \kappa=.13420$
- ▼ $\beta=5.20 \quad \kappa=.13500$
- $\beta=5.20 \quad \kappa=.13550$
- ◆ $\beta=5.25 \quad \kappa=.13460$
- ⊕ $\beta=5.25 \quad \kappa=.13520$
- ◇ $\beta=5.25 \quad \kappa=.13575$
- ★ $\beta=5.29 \quad \kappa=.13400$
- ▲ $\beta=5.29 \quad \kappa=.13500$
- ▼ $\beta=5.29 \quad \kappa=.13550$
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$p = 2$

global fit



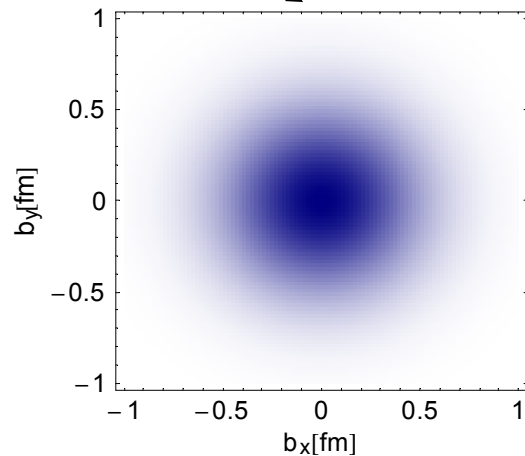
Spin densities in the transverse plane

spin density for transversely polarized quarks

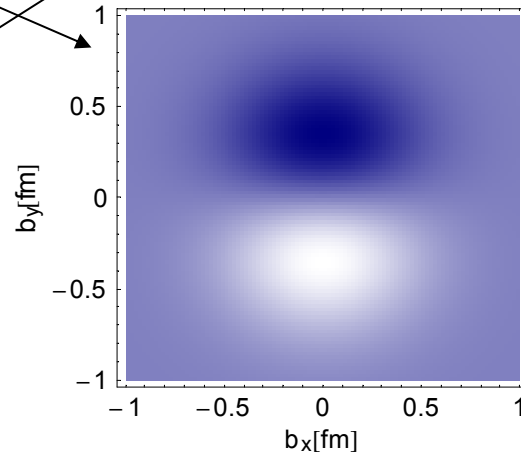
M. Diehl and Ph.H., EPJC 2005

$$\langle P^+, R_\perp = 0, \Lambda, S_\perp | \hat{\rho}^n(b_\perp, s_\perp) | P^+, R_\perp = 0, \Lambda, S_\perp \rangle =$$

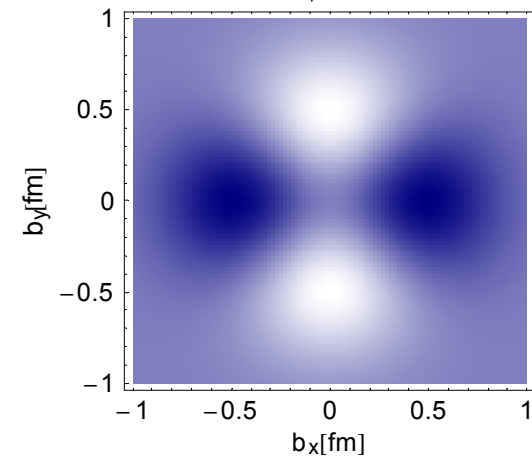
$$\frac{1}{2} \left[A_{n0} - \frac{S^i \epsilon^{ij} b^j}{M} B_{n0} - \frac{s^i \epsilon^{ij} b^j}{M} \bar{B}_{Tn0} + s^i S^i \left(A_{Tn0} - \frac{1}{4M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{A}_{Tn0} \right) + s^i (2b^i b^j - b^2 \delta^{ij}) S^j \frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{A}_{Tn0}'' \right]$$



monopole



dipole

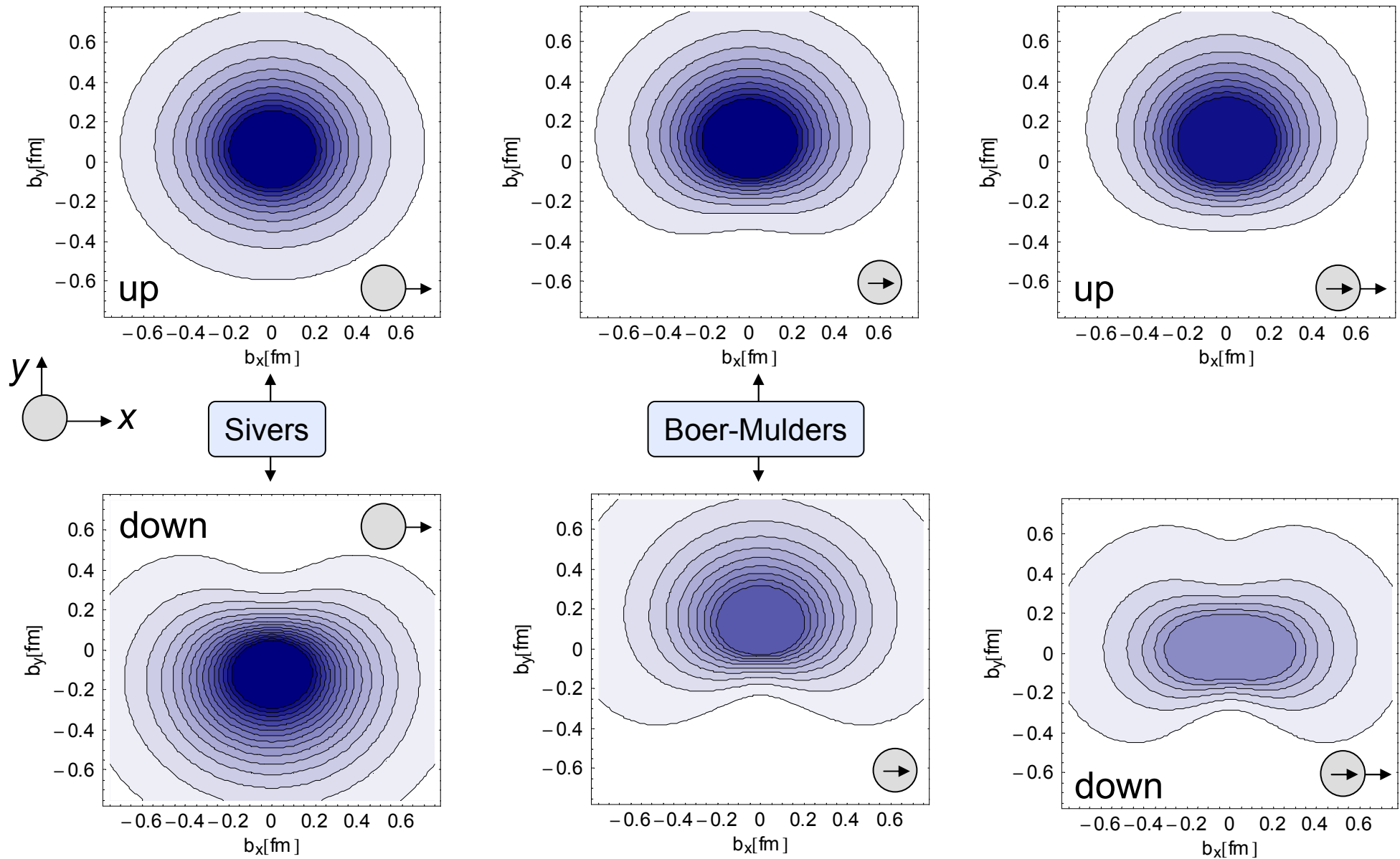


quadrupole

$$\hat{\rho}^n(b_\perp, s_\perp) \equiv \int_{-1}^1 dx x^{n-1} \int \frac{d\eta}{2\pi} e^{i\eta x} \bar{q}(-\eta n/2) \gamma^+ [1 + (s_\perp \cdot \gamma_\perp) \gamma_5] q(\eta n/2)$$

$$= \int_{-1}^1 dx x^{n-1} \int \frac{d\eta}{2\pi} e^{i\eta x} \bar{q}(-\eta n/2) [\gamma^+ + i s_{\perp j} \sigma^j \gamma_5] q(\eta n/2)$$

preliminary results for the spin densities 1



Improved positivity bounds including tensor GPDs

M.Diehl/Ph.H., EPJC 2005

full spin matrix, $\xi = 0$

$\Lambda, \lambda \rightarrow$

$\Lambda', \lambda' \downarrow$

$$\begin{array}{c}
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 & ++ & -+ & +- & -- \\
 ++ & \left(\begin{array}{c} H + \tilde{H} \\ ie^{i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} E \\ -ie^{-i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} (E_T' + 2\tilde{H}_T') \\ 2 \left(H_T - \frac{1}{4M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{H}_T \right) \end{array} \right. & & & \\
 -+ & & \left(\begin{array}{c} -ie^{-i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} E \\ H - \tilde{H} \\ 2ie^{-2i\varphi} \frac{b^2}{M^2} \tilde{H}_T'' \\ -ie^{-i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} (E_T' + 2\tilde{H}_T') \end{array} \right. & & \\
 +- & & & \left(\begin{array}{c} ie^{i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} (E_T' + 2\tilde{H}_T') \\ 2ie^{2i\varphi} \frac{b^2}{M^2} \tilde{H}_T'' \\ H - \tilde{H} \\ ie^{i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} E \end{array} \right. & & \\
 -- & & & & \left(\begin{array}{c} 2 \left(H_T - \frac{1}{4M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{H}_T \right) \\ -ie^{-i\varphi} \frac{b}{M} E \\ H + \tilde{H} \end{array} \right)
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

Soffer - bound $\left[H + \tilde{H} \geq 2|H_T| \right]_{t=0} \Leftrightarrow q + \Delta q \geq 2|\delta q|$

positivity of eigenvalues

bounds by Pobylitsa and Burkardt

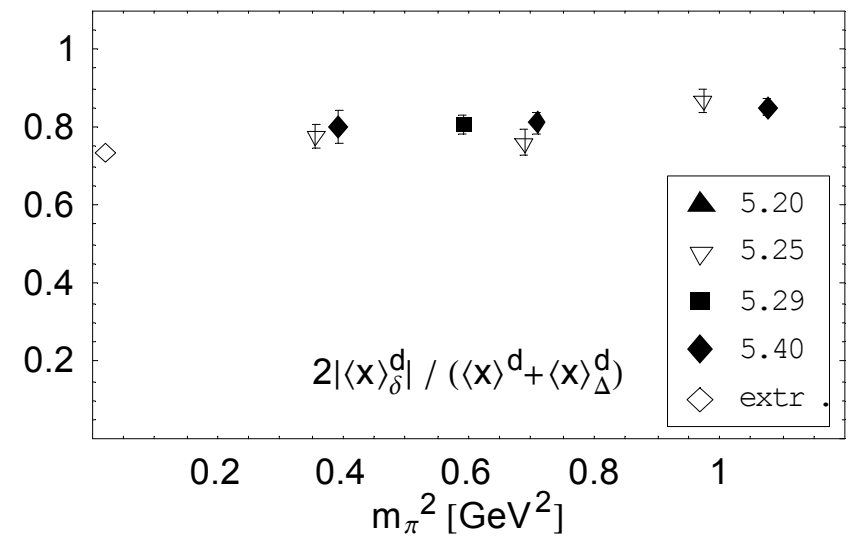
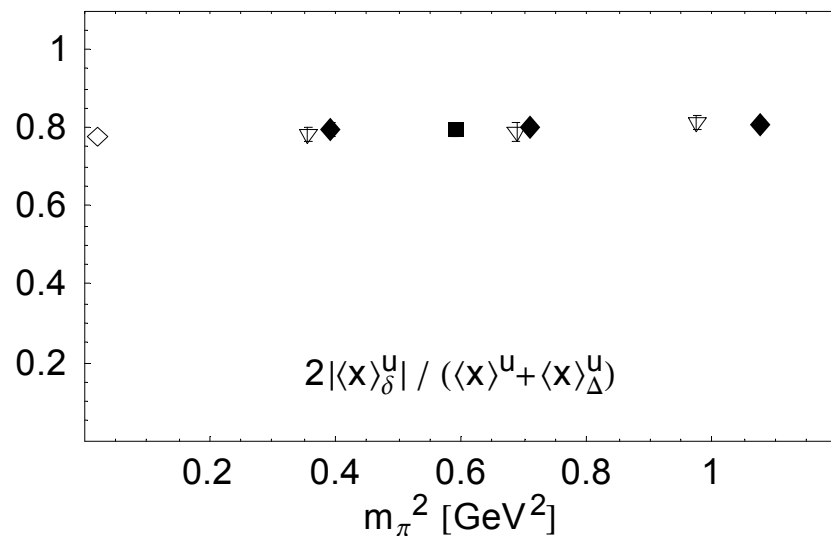
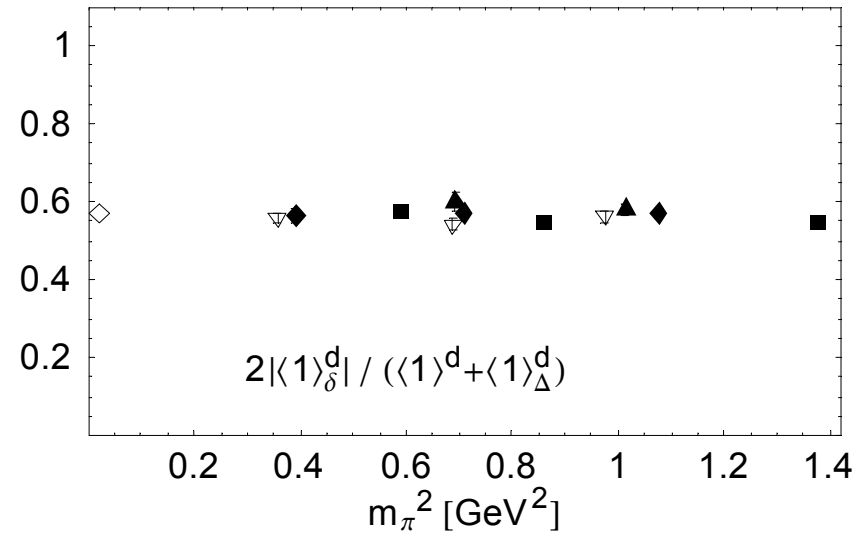
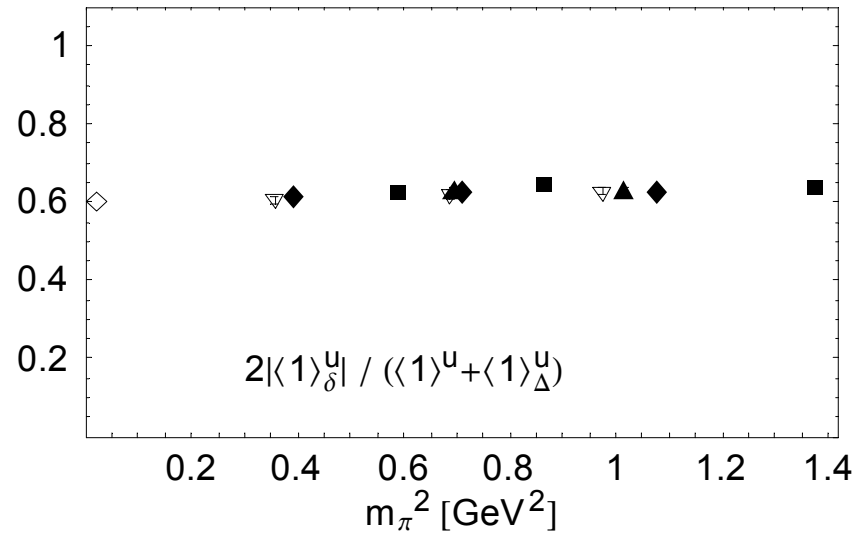
improved bounds including tensor GPDs

$$H \geq \left| H_T + \frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{H}_T' - \frac{1}{2M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{H}_T \right|$$

$$\left(H \pm H_T \pm \frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{H}_T' \mp \frac{1}{2M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{H}_T \right)^2 - \left(\tilde{H} \pm H_T \mp \frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{H}_T' \right)^2 \geq \frac{b^2}{M^2} (E \pm E_T' \pm 2\tilde{H}_T')^2$$

Lowest two moments of the Soffer - bound $q + \Delta q \geq 2|\delta q|$ in lattice QCD

based on QCDSF hep-lat/0507001/PLB



Summary/Outlook

preliminary lattice results on transverse spin densities show complex interplay of spin and coordinate degrees of freedom

implications for Sivers and Boer-Mulders functions (M. Burkardt)

Soffer-bound saturated to 60%-80%

plan to study the second moment of the transverse spin-densities

new positivity bounds on GPDs will be investigated