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Recent problems

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➤ 1), $\mu_p G_E^p(q^2)/G_M^p(q^2)$ is monotonically decreasing

➤ Electron-to proton polarization transfer $\vec{e}^- + p \rightarrow e^- + \vec{p}$

➤

$$\frac{p_t}{p_l} = -\sqrt{\frac{2\varepsilon}{\tau(1+\varepsilon)}} \frac{G_E}{G_M}$$

➤ Traditional Rosenbluth separation:

$$\langle N(p') | J^\mu(0) | N(p) \rangle = e \bar{u}(p') \left[G_M(Q^2) \gamma^\mu - F_2(Q^2) \frac{(p+p')^\mu}{2M} \right] u(p),$$

➤ $G_M = F_1 + F_2$; $G_E = F_1 - \tau F_2$ (Space-like $Q^2 > 0$)

$$d\sigma_B = C_B(Q^2, \varepsilon) \left[G_M^2(Q^2) + \frac{\varepsilon}{\tau} G_E^2(Q^2) \right],$$

➤ Sensitive to uncertain radiative corrections(RS) (two-photon)

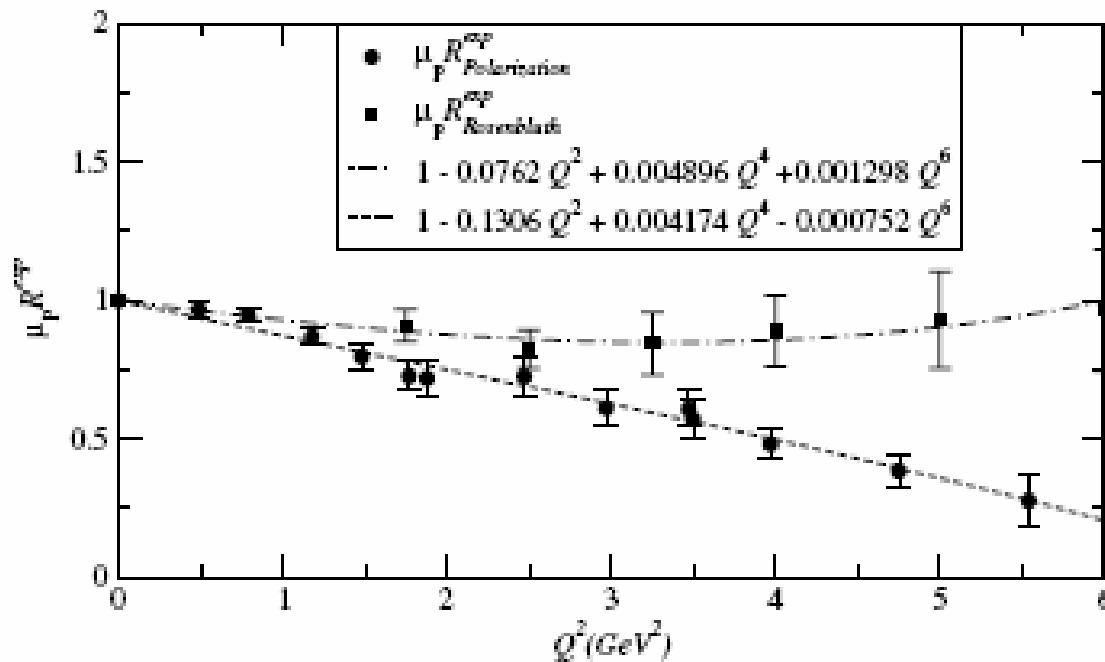


FIG. 1. Experimental values of $R_{\text{Rosenbluth}}^{\text{exp}}$ [4] and $R_{\text{polarization}}^{\text{exp}}$ [5,6] and their polynomial fits.

❖ **$G_E^p(q^2)$ falls faster than $G_M^p(q^2)$**



- 2), Quark-hadron Duality
 - Strong interaction: Two end points
 - Two languages
- 1), nQCD, Confinements : Resonance
- 2), pQCD, Asymptotic freedom

Connection of pQCD and nQCD



Duality for the structure functions

Observable can be explained by two different kinds of Languages (R, S)

- Bloom-Gilman Duality(F_2 ,1970):

Resonance region data oscillate around the scaling curve.

smooth scaling curve seen at high Q^2 was an accurate average over the resonance bumps at a low: $Q^2(4\text{GeV}^2)$



By I. Niculescu et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 85, 1182, 1186 (2000),

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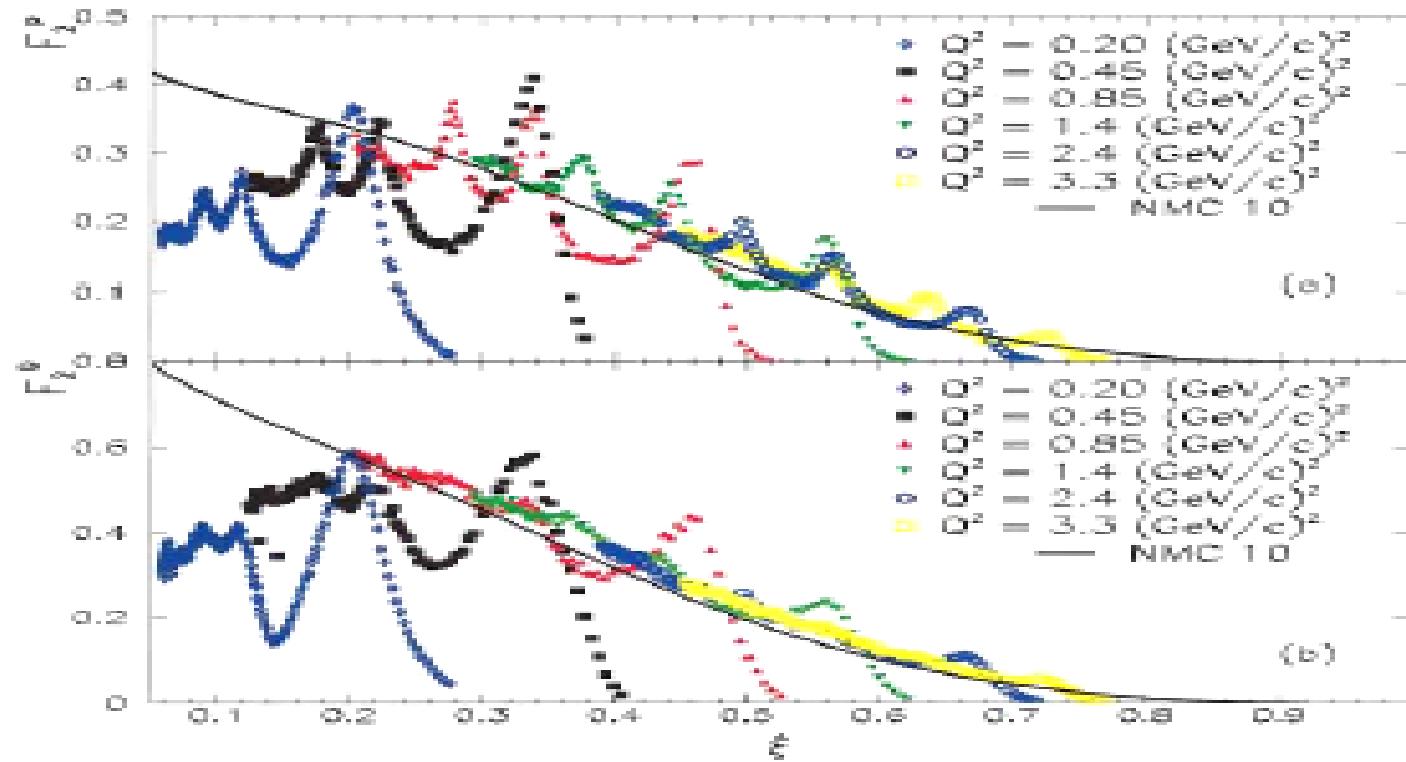


FIG. 1 (color). Extracted F_2 data in the nucleon resonance region for hydrogen (a) and deuterium (b) targets, as functions of the Nachtmann scaling variable ξ . For clarity, only a selection of the data is shown here. The solid curves indicate the result of the NMC fit to deep inelastic data for a fixed $Q^2 = 10 \text{ (GeV}/c)^2$ [16].

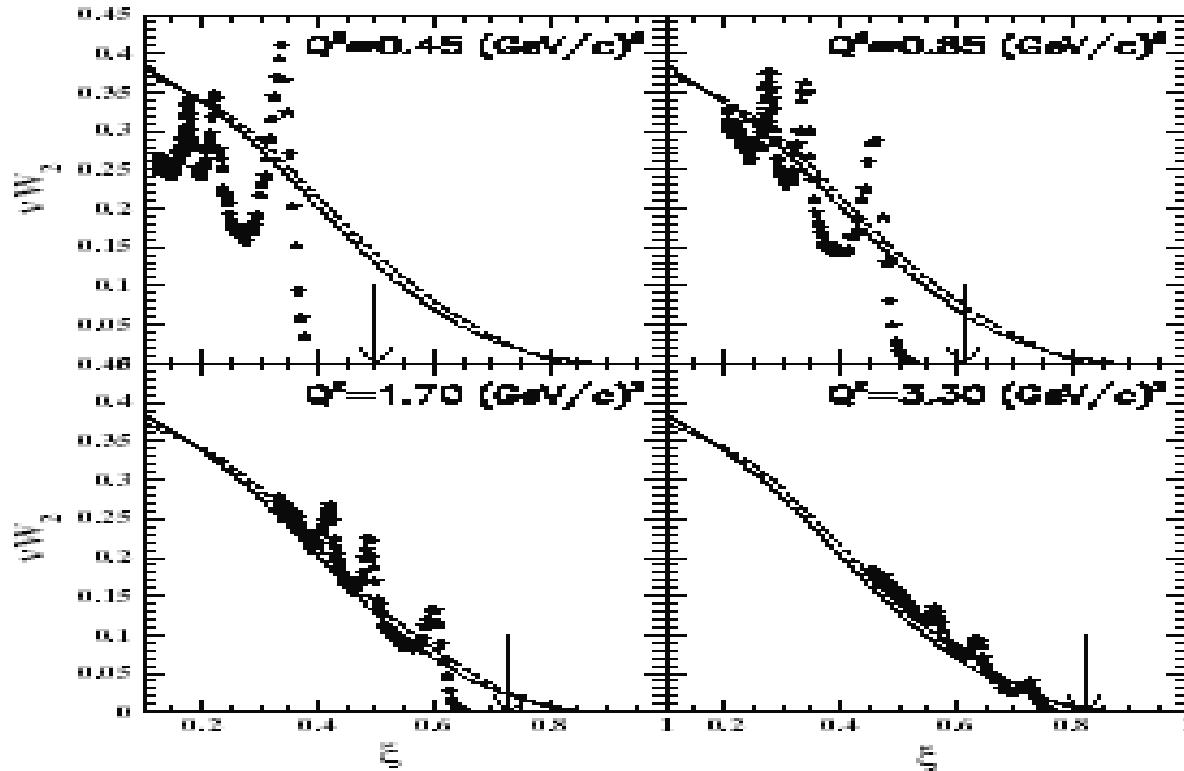


FIG. 1. Sample hydrogen νW_2 structure function spectra obtained at $Q^2 = 0.45, 0.85, 1.70$, and $3.30 \text{ (GeV}/c\text{)}^2$ and plotted as a function of the Nachtmann scaling variable ξ . Arrows indicate elastic kinematics. The solid [dashed] line represents the NMC fit [23] of deep inelastic structure function data at $Q^2 = 10 \text{ (GeV}/c\text{)}^2$ [$Q^2 = 5 \text{ (GeV}/c\text{)}^2$].



Hyper central potential model

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- Conventional two-body interaction (Cornell Potential)
 - (Isgur-Karl, Chiral model),
 -
 - Three-body force can play an important role in hadrons (Y-type interaction)
 - (non-abelian nature of QCD leads to g-g coupling,
 - which can produce three-body forces)
 - Hyper-central potential model, which amounts to average any two-body potential for the baryon over the hyperangle ζ
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Previous works on Hyper-central model

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- J. –M. Richard, Phys. Rept. C212 (1992)
 - M. Fabre de la Ripelle and J. Navarro, Ann. Phys. 123 (1979), 185.
 - **Application to the nucleon resonance properties**
 - **By Genova Group (M. M. Giannini, E. Santopinot, M. Aillo, M. Ferraris, A. Vassallo et al.)**
 - EPJ A1, 187; EPJ A1, 307; EPJ A2, 403; EPJ A12, 447
 - PRC62, 025208; PLB387, 215

 - **Spectroscopy of non-strange baryons**
 - **Electromagnetic form factors of nucleon**
 - **Electromagnetic transition amplitudes**
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Frame-work of Hypercentral potential model

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- The potential is assumed to be the function of hyper-radius x

- Jacobi coordinates

$$\vec{\rho} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2) \quad \vec{\lambda} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(\vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}_2 - 2\vec{r}_3)$$

- Hyper-spherical coordinates: x and

$$\Omega_\rho = (\theta_\rho, \phi_\rho) \quad \Omega_\lambda = (\theta_\lambda, \phi_\lambda)$$

$$x = \sqrt{\vec{\rho}^2 + \vec{\lambda}^2} \quad \xi = \arctg \left(\frac{\rho}{\lambda} \right)$$

- For a baryon, the Hamiltonian is

$$H = \frac{\bar{P}_\rho^2}{2m} + \frac{\bar{P}_\lambda^2}{2m} + V(x)$$



Frame work of HCPM

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- The kinetic energy is

$$-\frac{1}{2m}(\Delta_\rho + \Delta_\lambda) = -\frac{1}{2m}\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{5}{x}\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{L^2(\Omega_\rho, \Omega_\lambda, \xi)}{x^2}\right),$$

- The quadratic Casimir operator of the six dim. Rotation group O(6)

$$\begin{aligned} L^2(\Omega_\rho, \Omega_\lambda, \xi) Y_{[\gamma]l_\rho l_\lambda}(\Omega_\rho, \Omega_\lambda, \xi) = \\ \gamma(\gamma+4) Y_{[\gamma]l_\rho l_\lambda}(\Omega_\rho, \Omega_\lambda, \xi), \end{aligned}$$

- With the grant-angular quantum number $\gamma = 2v + l_\rho + l_\lambda$ $v = 0, 1, \dots$
- The hyper-radial wave function

$$\left[\frac{d^2}{dx^2} + \frac{5}{x}\frac{d}{dx} - \frac{\gamma(\gamma+4)}{x^2}\right]\psi_\gamma(x) = -2m[E - V(x)]\psi_\gamma(x).$$



Potentials and wave functions

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- Two typical examples which can be solved analytically

$$V(x)_{h.o.} = \frac{3}{2}kx^2 \quad V_{hye}(x) = -\frac{\tau}{x}$$

- (six-dimensional harmonic oscillator, Coulomb potentials)

$$E = -\frac{\tau^2 m}{2[\omega(\omega+5) + 25/4]}, \quad \omega = 0, 1, \dots \infty.$$

- The principal quantum number $n = \omega + 5/2$ ($\omega = \gamma + n'$)

$$\psi_{\omega\gamma}(x) = \left[\frac{(\omega - \gamma)!(2g)^6}{(2\omega + 5)(\omega + \gamma + 4)!^3} \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} g = \frac{\tau m}{\omega + \frac{5}{2}} \times (2gx)^\gamma e^{-gx} L_{\omega-\gamma}^{2\gamma+4}(2gx),$$

- An interesting property is the degeneracy of the first exciting $L=0$ and the $L=1$
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Hyperfine interactions

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- **Confinement:**

$$V(x) = -\frac{\tau}{x} + \alpha x,$$

- **Other interactions:**

$$V^S(x) = A e^{-\alpha x} \sum_{i < j} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j = A e^{-\alpha x} [2S^2 - \frac{9}{4}],$$

$$V^T(x) = B \frac{1}{x^3} \sum_{i < j} \left[\frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \cdot (\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)) (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \cdot (\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j))}{|\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j|^2} - \frac{1}{3} (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j) \right]$$





Spectrum of the model

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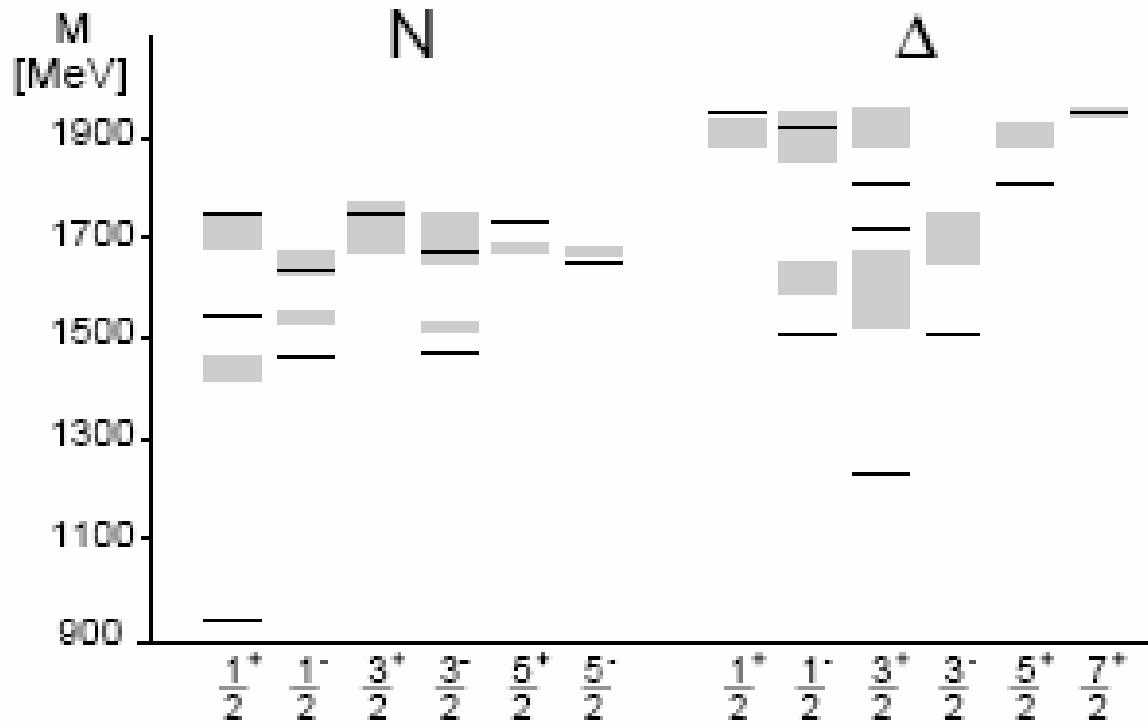
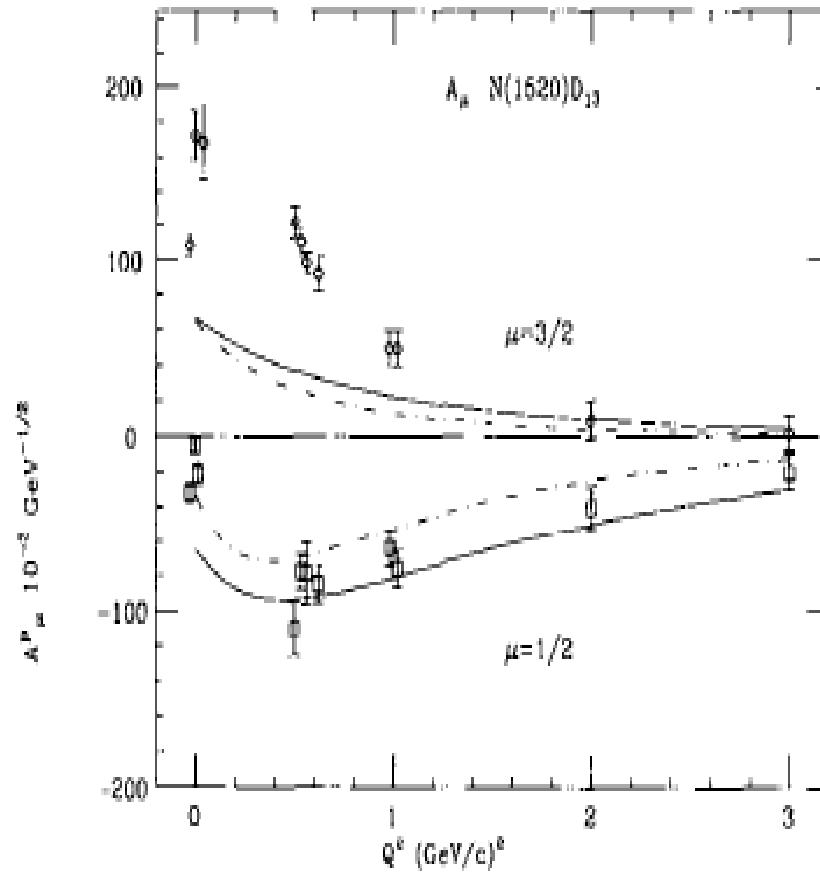
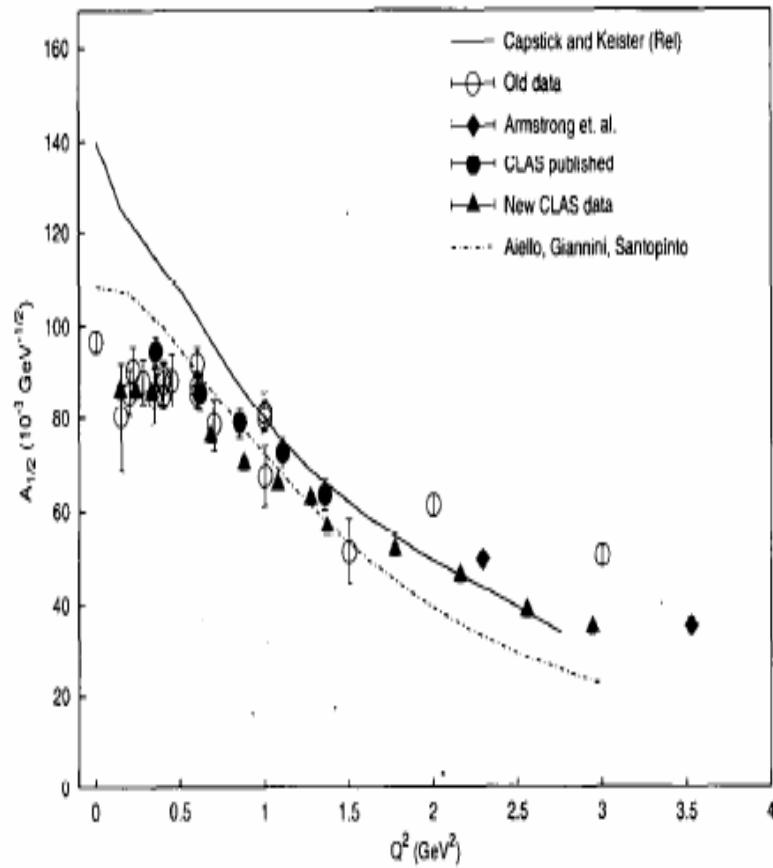


Fig. 1. The spectrum obtained with the hypercentral potential, eq. (8), and the spin-dependent term, eq. (9). The fitted parameters are $\alpha = 1.58 \text{ fm}^{-2}$, $\tau = 4.98$, $A_S = 38.4 \text{ fm}^2$, $\sigma_S = 0.8 \text{ fm}$.



Transition amplitudes S

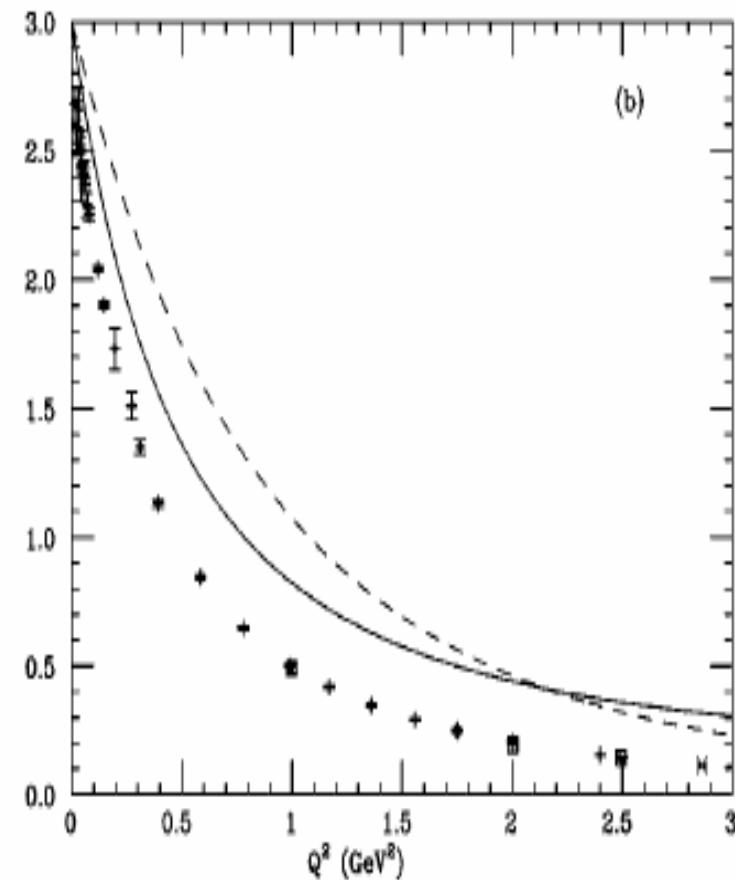
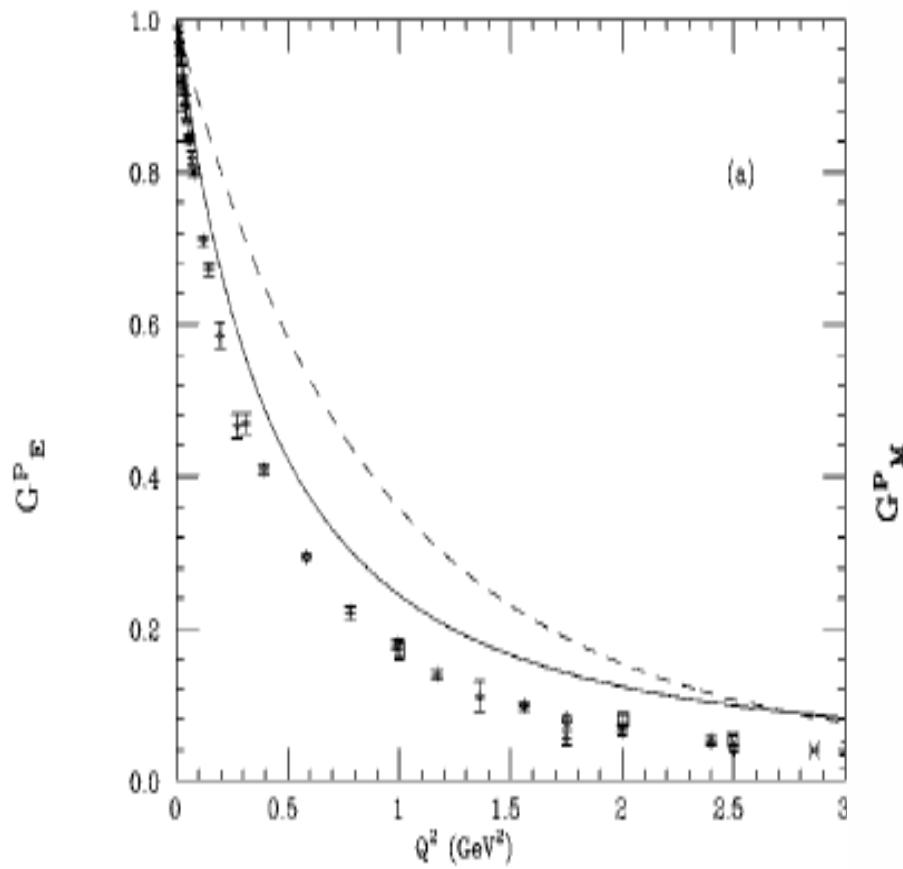
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Form factors

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A short summary

- 1), The simple hyper-central potential model
 - simple 3-body quark model
 - 2), The spectrum of the non-strange nucleon
 - resonances
 - 3), Transition amplitudes $S_{11}(1535)$, $D_{13}(1520)$
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Meson cloud effect

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- To include the meson cloud, the total Lagrangian density with π qq coupling,

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & i\bar{\psi}_q(x)\gamma^\mu\partial_\mu\psi_q(x) - m_Q\bar{\psi}_q(x)\psi_q(x) + \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu\pi(x))^2 - \frac{1}{2}m_\pi^2\pi^2(x) \\ & - ig\bar{\psi}_q(x)\gamma_5\psi_q(x)\tau \cdot \pi(x).\end{aligned}$$

- The total electromagnetic current is

$$J^\mu(x) = j_q^\mu(x) + j_\pi^\mu(x),$$

- where

$$\begin{aligned}j_q^\mu(x) &= \sum_a Q_a e \bar{\psi}_a(x)\gamma^\mu\psi_a(x), \\ j_\pi^\mu(x) &= -ie[\pi^\dagger(x)\partial^\mu\pi(x) - \pi\partial^\mu\pi^\dagger(x)].\end{aligned}$$



Electromagnetic interaction

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$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}_{em}^+ &= \sum_{a=1}^3 -e_a J_a^- A_a^+, \\ \mathcal{H}_{em}^0 &= \sum_{a=1}^3 e_a [J_a^0 A_a^0 - J_a^3 A_a^3].\end{aligned}$$

- Pion meson coupling, a baryon state is written as

$$|A\rangle = \sqrt{Z_2^A} \left[1 + (E_A - H_0 - \Lambda \mathcal{H}_{int} \Lambda)^{-1} \mathcal{H}_{int} \right] |A_0\rangle,$$

- The interaction for the process of emission and absorption of pions is

$$\mathcal{H}_{int} = \sum_j \int d^3k \{ V_{0j}(\mathbf{k}) a_j(\mathbf{k}) + V_{0j}^\dagger(\mathbf{k}) a_j^\dagger(\mathbf{k}) \}$$

$$V_{0j}(\mathbf{k}) = \sum_{A_0, B_0} A_0^\dagger v_{0j}^{AB}(\mathbf{k}) B_0,$$

$$v_{0j}^{AB}(\mathbf{k}) = \frac{if_0^{AB}}{m_\pi} \frac{u(k)}{[2\omega_k(2\pi)^3]^{1/2}} C_{s_B \ m \ S_A \ s_A}^{S_B \ 1} (\hat{S}_m^* \cdot \mathbf{k}) C_{t_B \ n \ T_A \ t_A}^{T_B \ 1} (\hat{t}_n^* \cdot \hat{e}_j), \quad f_0 = \frac{3}{2} g \frac{m_\pi}{m_N}.$$



Parameters and calculations

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- **a),** $g = 0.585$, **then** $g_{\pi NN}^2/(4\pi) = 13.6$,
- **b), wave functions (HC, and HO potentials)**

$$u(k)_{HC} = \frac{1}{(1 + k^2 a^2)^{7/2}},$$
$$u(k)_{HO} = \exp \left[-\frac{1}{6} \frac{k^2}{m\omega} \right]$$

$a = 5\sqrt{2/3}/(4\tau m)$, $m\omega = \alpha^2$, where τ and α are parameters of the two potentials.

- $\tau = \tau_1 = 6.39$, $\tau = \tau_2 = 4.59$; $\alpha = \alpha_1 = 0.410$, $\alpha = \alpha_2 = 0.229$ GeV
- **c), Nucleon form factors**

$$G_N^M(Q^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2Q^2}} \left\langle N, S_z = \frac{1}{2} \left| \mathcal{H}_{em}^+ \right| N, S_z = -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle,$$
$$G_N^E(Q^2) = \left\langle N, S_z = \frac{1}{2} \left| \mathcal{H}_{em}^0 \right| N, S_z = \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle.$$



Transition amplitudes(1)

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- For nucleon resonance, the electro-production amplitudes are

$$A_{3/2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_\gamma}} \langle \Delta; s_\Delta = 3/2 | \mathcal{H}_{em}^+ | N; s_N = 1/2 \rangle,$$
$$A_{1/2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\omega_\gamma}} \langle \Delta; s_\Delta = 1/2 | \mathcal{H}_{em}^+ | N; s_N = -1/2 \rangle$$

- To calculate in the Breit frame,

$$|\mathbf{q}|^2 = Q^2 + \frac{M^2 - m^2}{2(M^2 + m^2) + Q^2},$$
$$q_0 = \sqrt{M^2 + |\mathbf{q}|^2/4} - \sqrt{m^2 + |\mathbf{q}|^2/4},$$

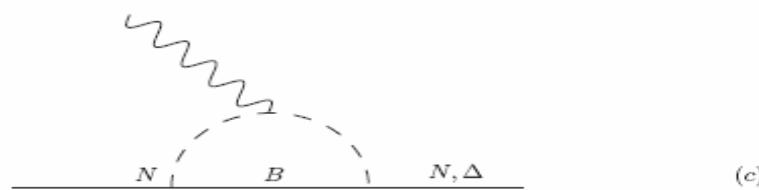
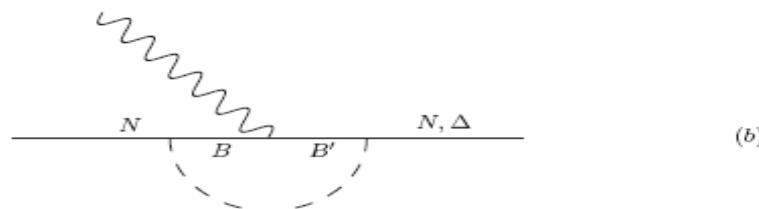
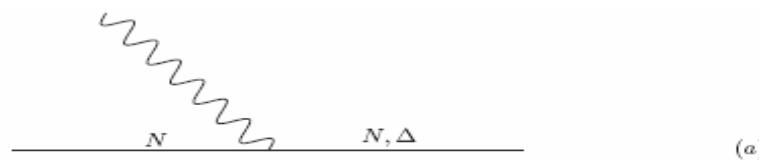
- The form factors are defined as

➤

$$G_\Delta^M(Q^2) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi\alpha} \frac{m}{M} \omega_\gamma} \left[1 + \frac{Q^2}{(M+m)^2} \right]^{1/2} \frac{m}{|\mathbf{q}|} \left[A_{1/2}^N + \sqrt{3} A_{3/2}^N \right],$$
$$G_\Delta^E(Q^2) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4\pi\alpha} \frac{m}{M} \omega_\gamma} \left[1 + \frac{Q^2}{(M+m)^2} \right]^{1/2} \frac{m}{|\mathbf{q}|} \left[A_{1/2}^N - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} A_{3/2}^N \right].$$



Transition amplitudes (2)

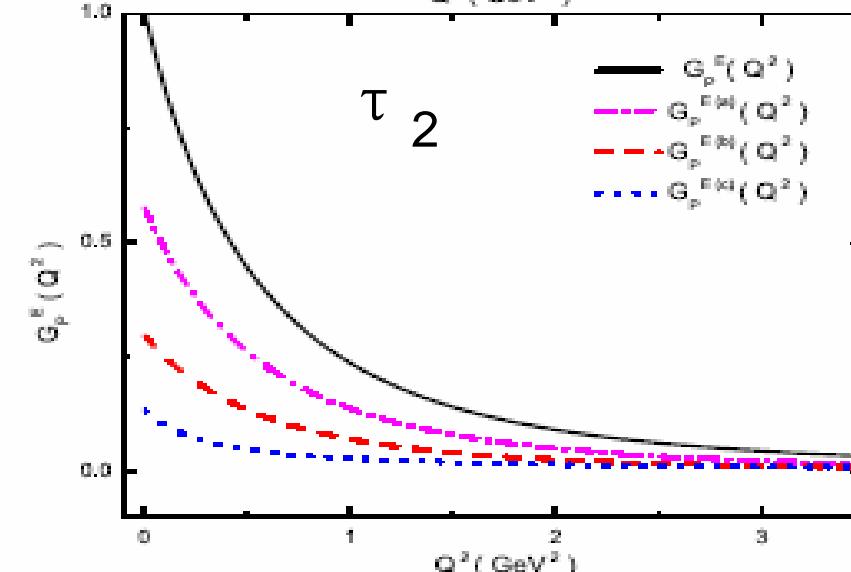
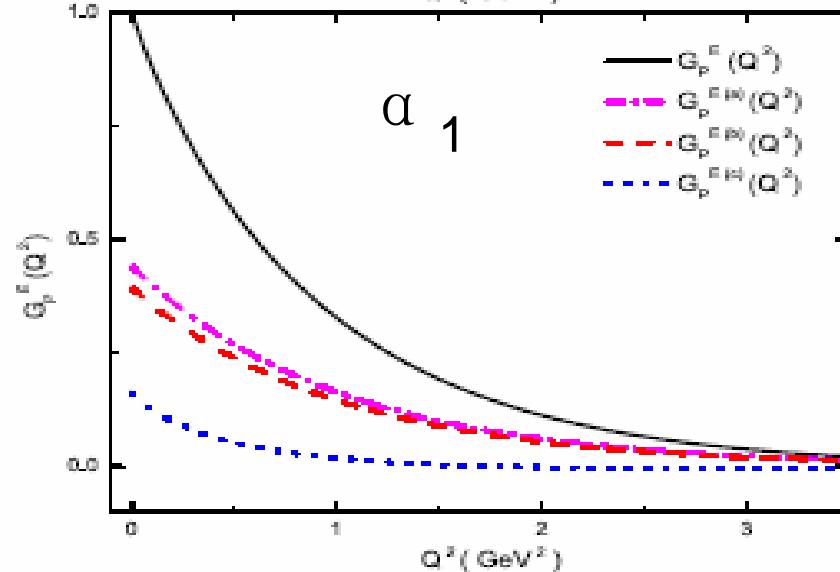
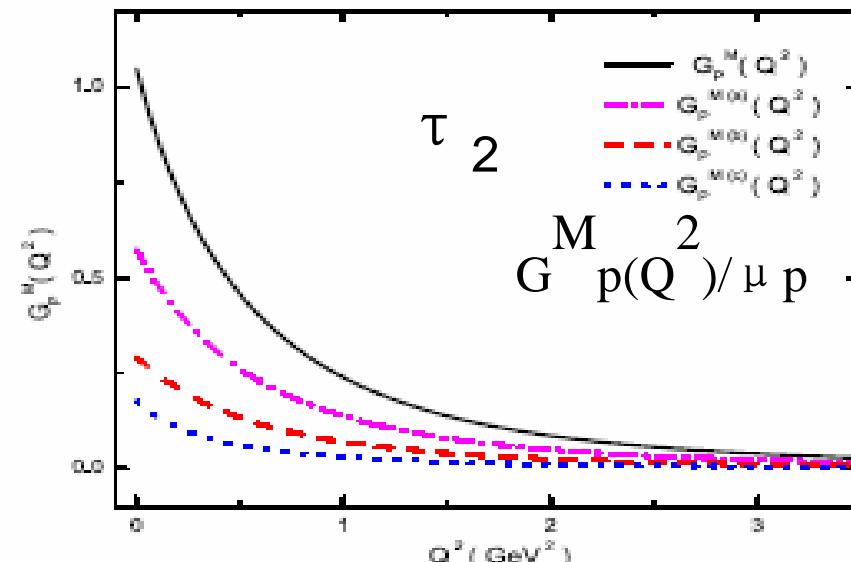
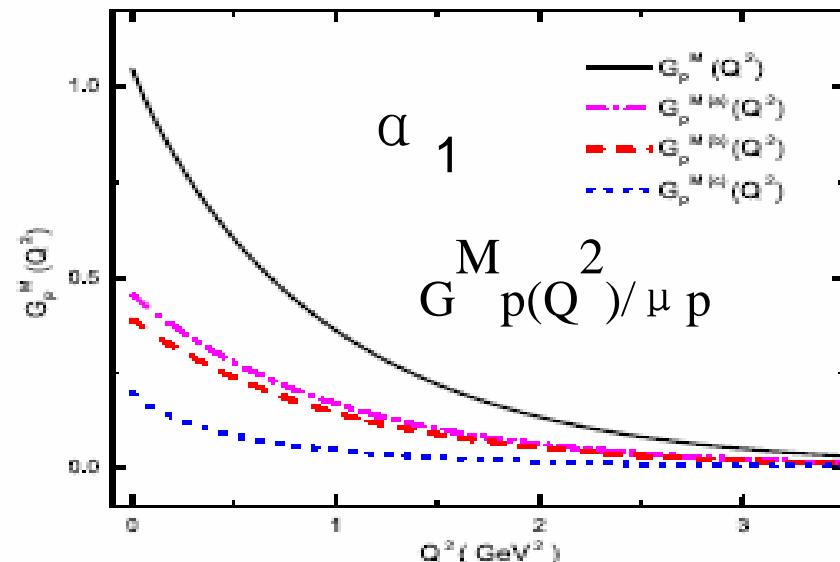


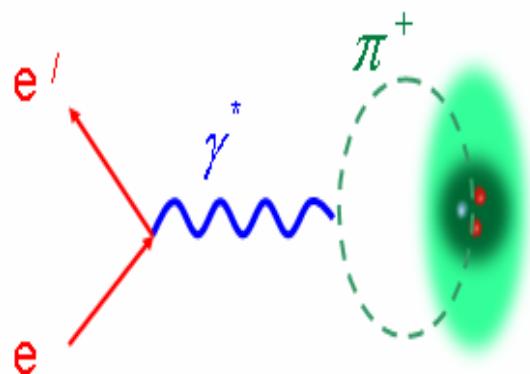
Diagrams illustrating the various contributions included in the calculation. The intermediate baryons B and B' are restricted to the N and Δ here.



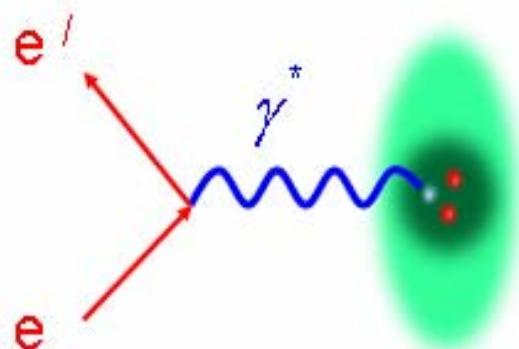
Individual contribution

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Low energy region



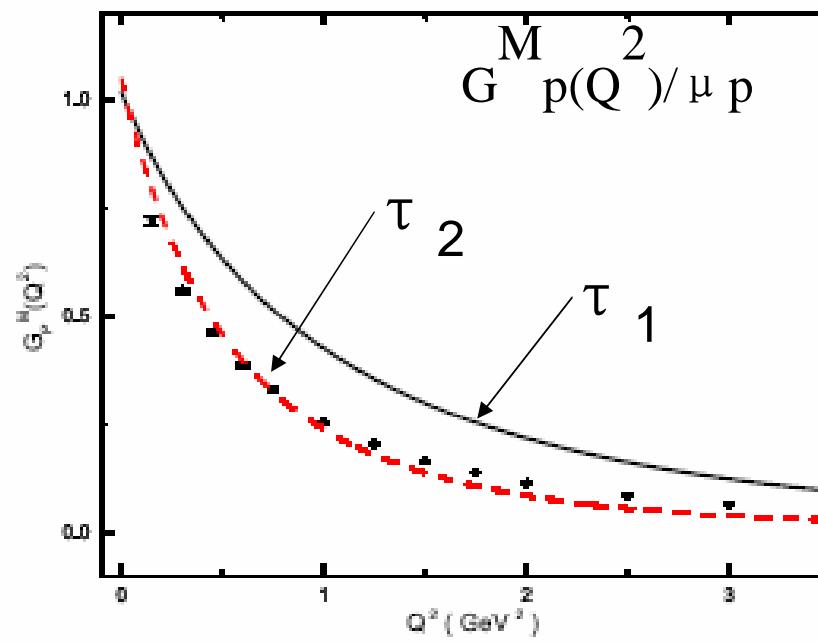
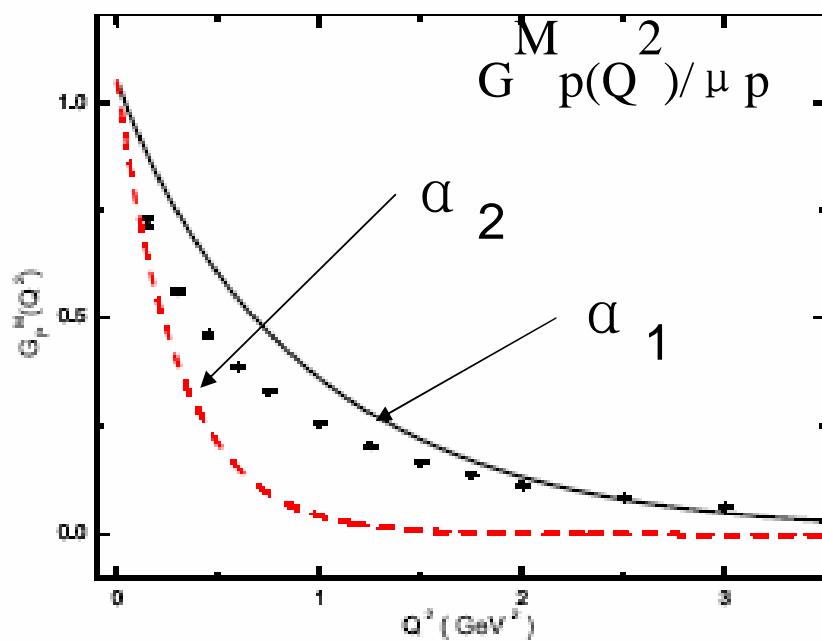
High energy region



Magnetic form factor of proton

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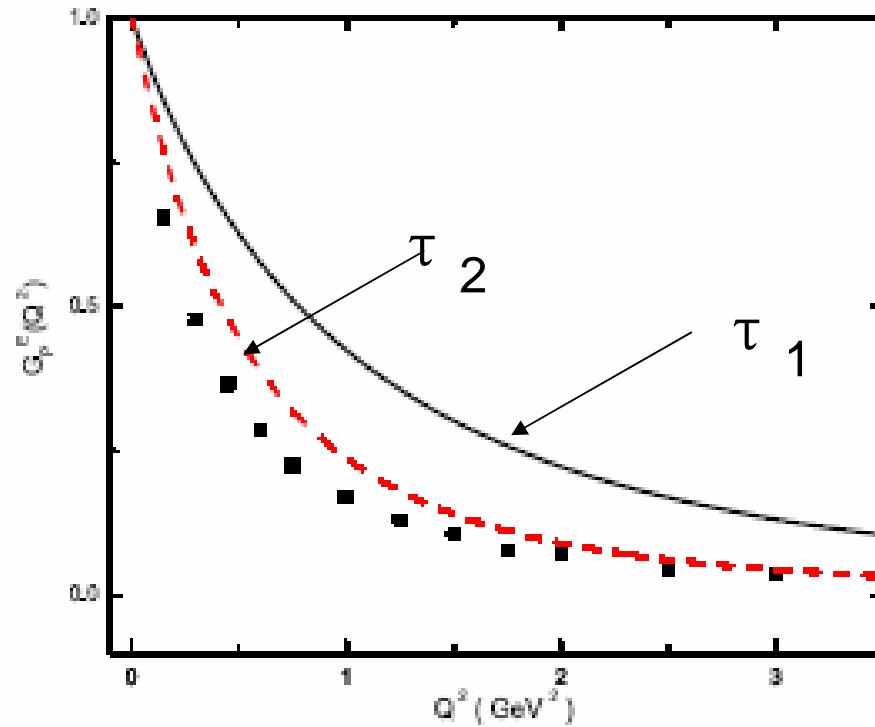
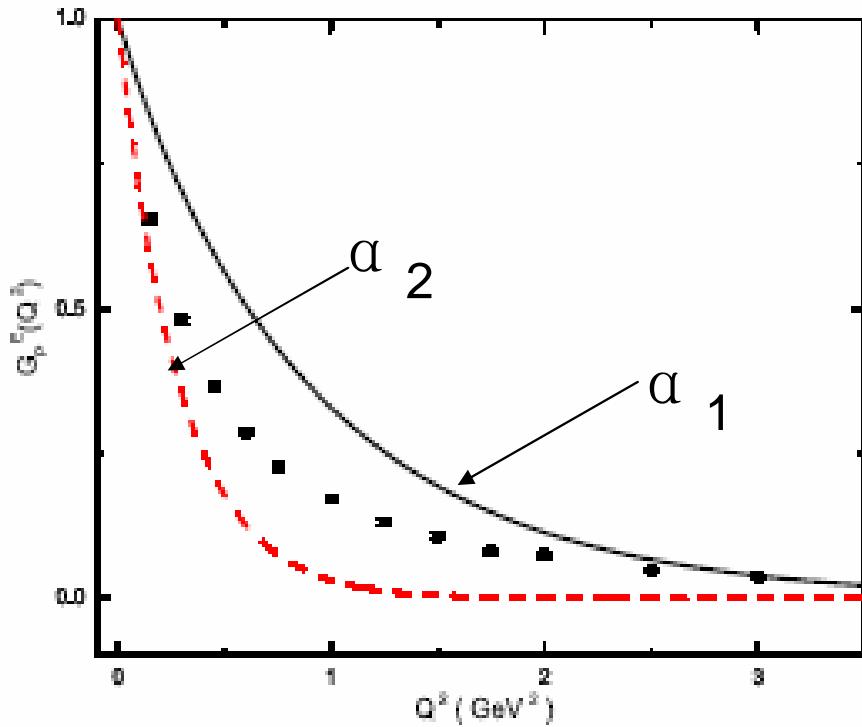
- Two sets of parameters; H O: $\alpha_1=0.410\text{GeV}$, $\alpha_2=0.229\text{ GeV}$
- HYC: $\tau_1=6.39$, $\tau_2=4.59$





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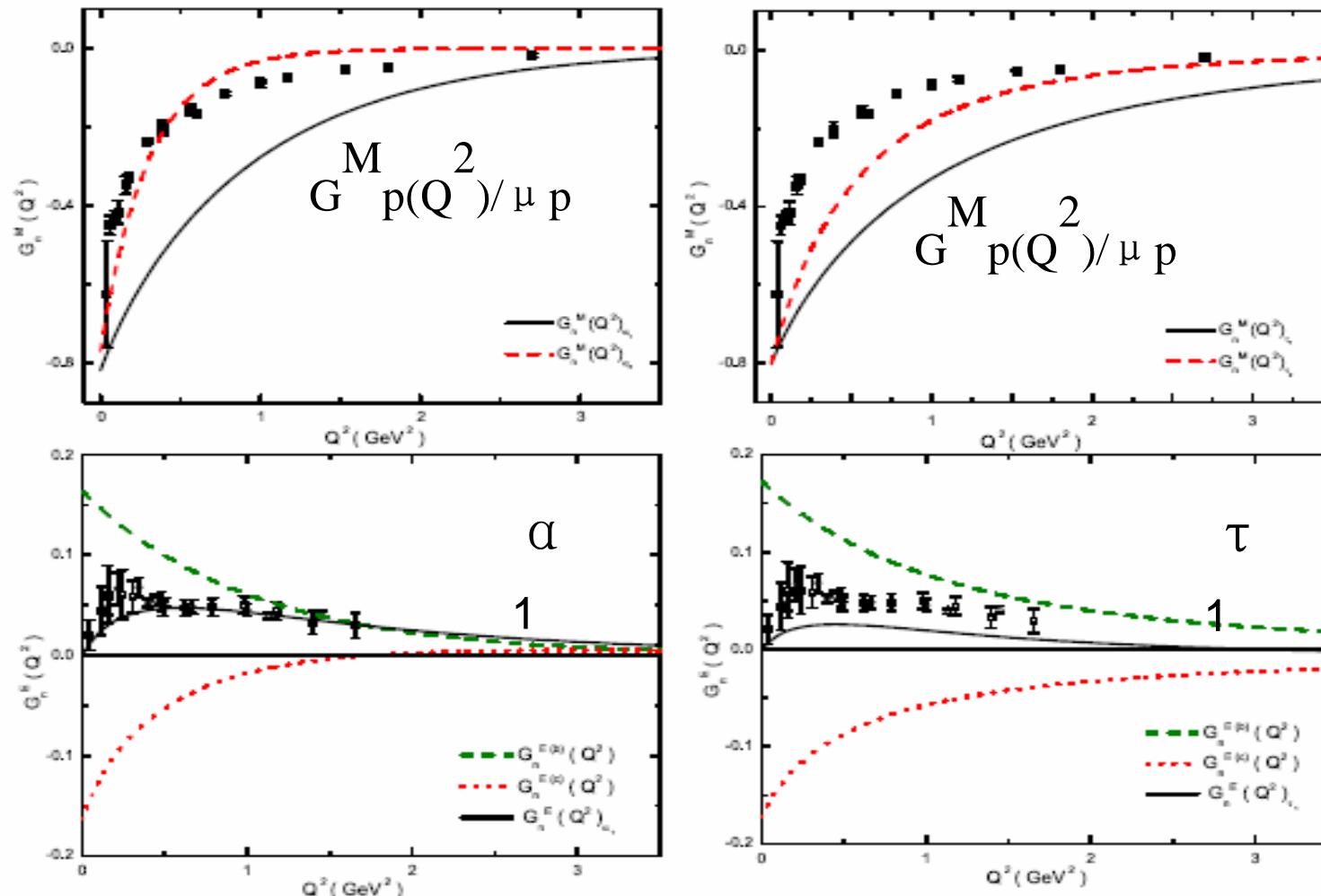
Charge form factors of proton:





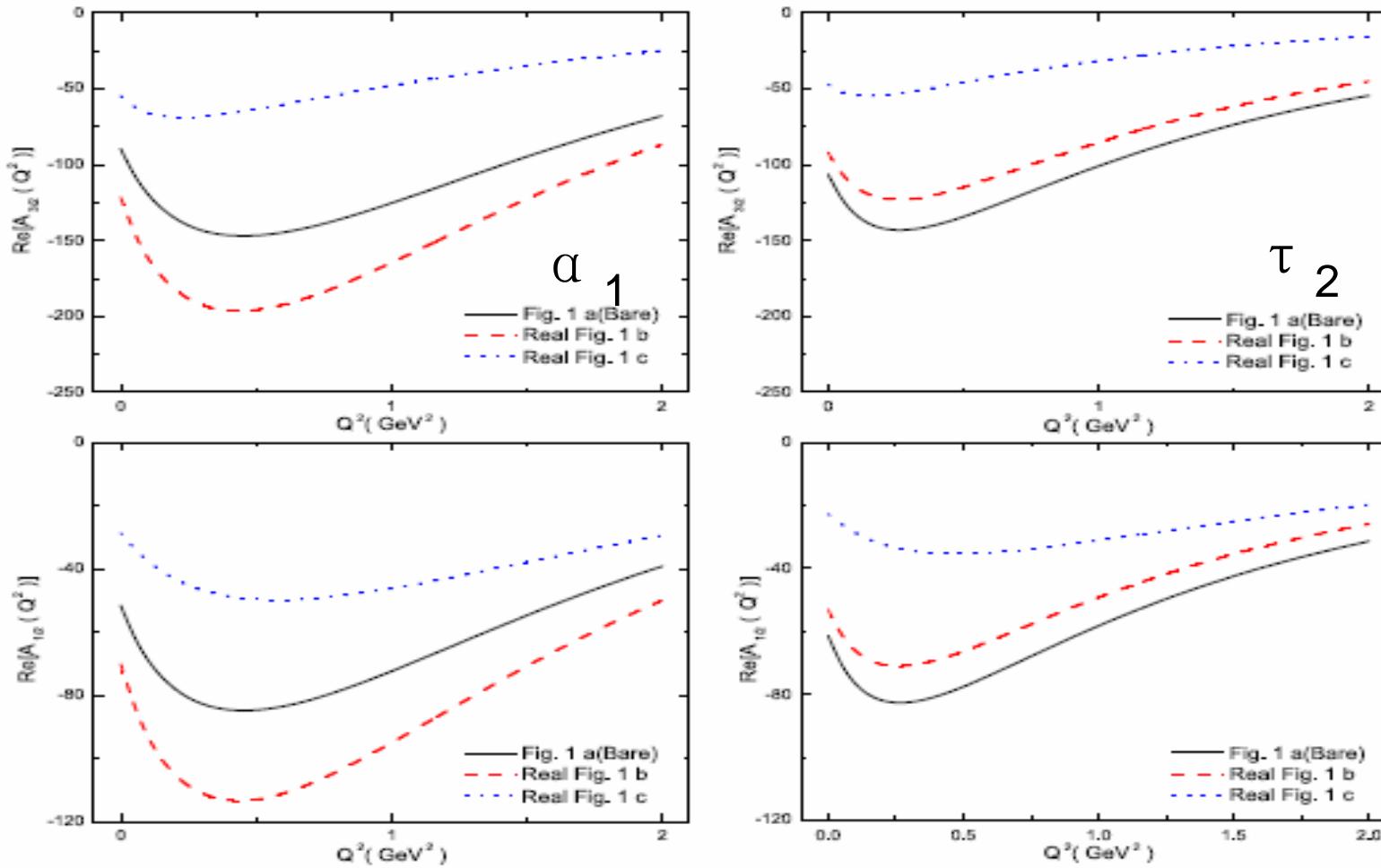
❖ Electromagnetic form factors of neutron:

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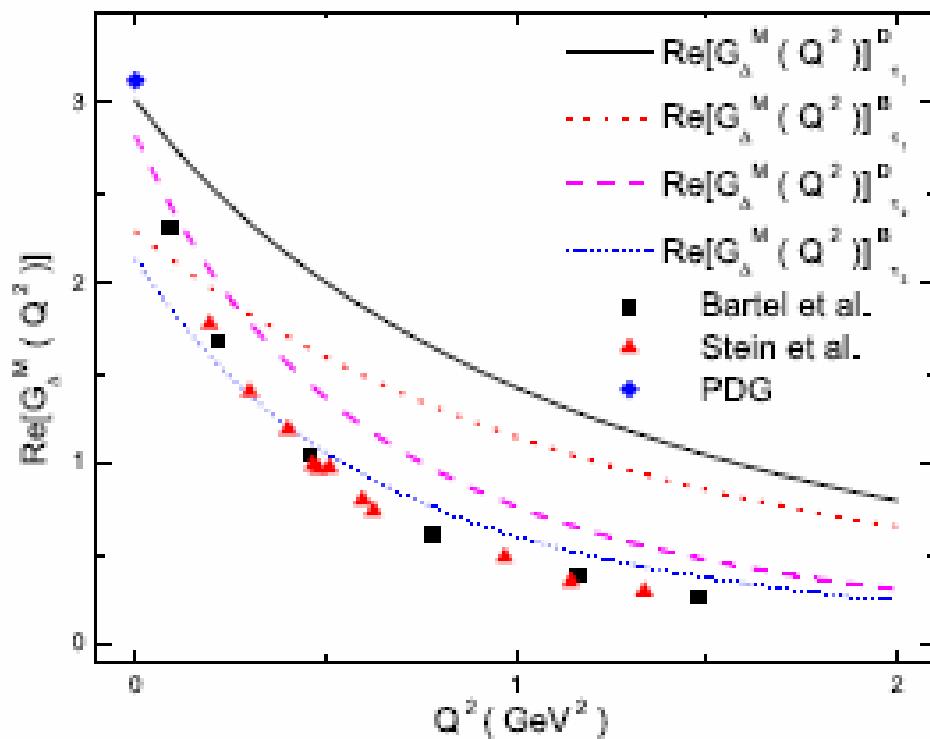
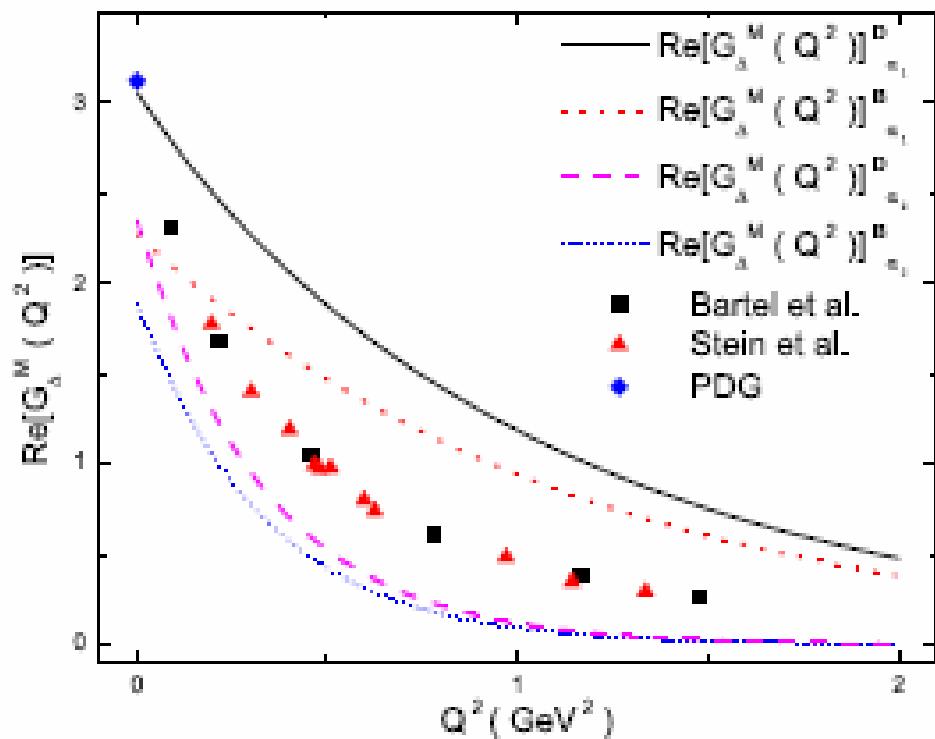
Individual contributions to the transition amplitude of $\Delta(1232)$





$\Delta \rightarrow \gamma N$ Amplitudes

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Other results:

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	HO				Hyc				Expt. Value
	$\alpha_1(B)$	$\alpha_1(D)$	$\alpha_2(B)$	$\alpha_2(D)$	$\tau_1(B)$	$\tau_1(D)$	$\tau_2(B)$	$\tau_2(D)$	
μ_P/μ_0	1	1.046	1	1.048	1	1.02	1	1.04	0.93
μ_n/μ_0	-2/3	-0.81	-2/3	-0.76	-2/3	-0.80	-2/3	-0.80	-0.64
$\langle r^2 \rangle_P$	0.23	0.30	0.74	0.85	0.21	0.26	0.41	0.46	0.76
$\langle r^2 \rangle_n$	0	-0.07	0	-0.06	0	-0.05	0	-0.04	-0.116

-250 ± 8

	HO				Hyc			
	a	b	c	$A_{3/2}$	a	b	c	$A_{3/2}$
α_1	-89	-121-10i	-54 -18i	-264-28i	τ_1	-76	-130-8i	-54 -15i
α_2	-126	-47-20i	-31 -20i	-204-40i	τ_2	-106	-91-11i	-46-21i

-0.015±0.004

	HO			Hyc				
	c	$A_{1/2}$	$Re[E_2/M_1]$	$\mu_{\Delta+}$	c	$A_{1/2}$	$Re[E_2/M_1]$	$\mu_{\Delta+}$
α_1	-29-26i	-150-26i	-0.007	3.05	τ_1	-29-22i	-147-27i	-0.006
α_2	-12-21i	-112-21i	-0.020	2.34	τ_2	-22-28i	135-34i	-0.012



Conclusions

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- 1), Meson cloud effect is considered.
 - 2), Its effect on the EM transition of nucleon and its resonances is stressed.
 - 3), The size is enlarged (for the helicity amplitude and E2/M1)
 - Relativistic version +configuration mixing effect
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Thank you!

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Rujula, Georgi and Politzer

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The resonance strengths average to a global scaling curve resembling the curve of DIS, as the higher-twist effect is not large, if averaged over a large kinematics region.

Bloom-Gilman duality was offered by De Rujula, Georgi, and Politzer [6] in terms of the moments $M_n(Q^2)$ of the nucleon structure function $F_2(\xi, Q^2)$:

$$M_n(Q^2) = \int_0^1 d\xi \xi^{n-2} F_2(\xi, Q^2), \quad (1)$$

where ξ is the Nachtmann variable (cf. [7]),

$$\xi = \frac{2x}{1 + \sqrt{1 + 4m^2x^2/Q^2}}. \quad (2)$$

Using the operator product expansion (OPE) the authors of Ref. [6] argued that

$$M_n(Q^2) = A_n(Q^2) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(n \frac{\gamma^2}{Q^2} \right)^k B_{nk}(Q^2), \quad (3)$$

where γ^2 is a scale constant. The first term $A_n(Q^2)$ in Eq. (3) is the result of perturbative QCD, while the remaining terms $B_{nk}(Q^2)$ are higher twists related to parton-parton correla-



- $G_E^p(q^2)$ falls faster than $G_M^p(q^2)$
(spacelike $Q^2 = -q^2$)
 - $\rightarrow F_2/F_1$ falls more slowly than $1/Q^2$ ($1/Q$)
 - PQCD and dimension counting
rules $\rightarrow F_1(1/Q^4$, Dirac),
 - $F_2(\text{Pauli})/F_1(\text{Dirac}) \rightarrow 1/Q^2$
-