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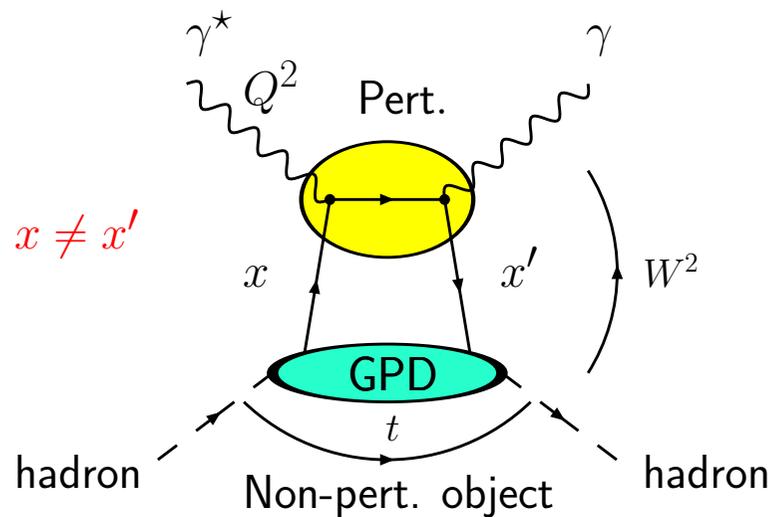
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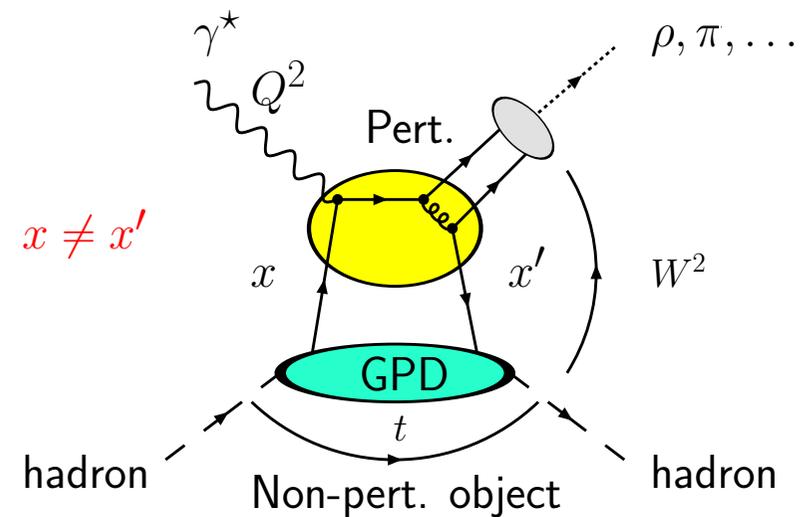
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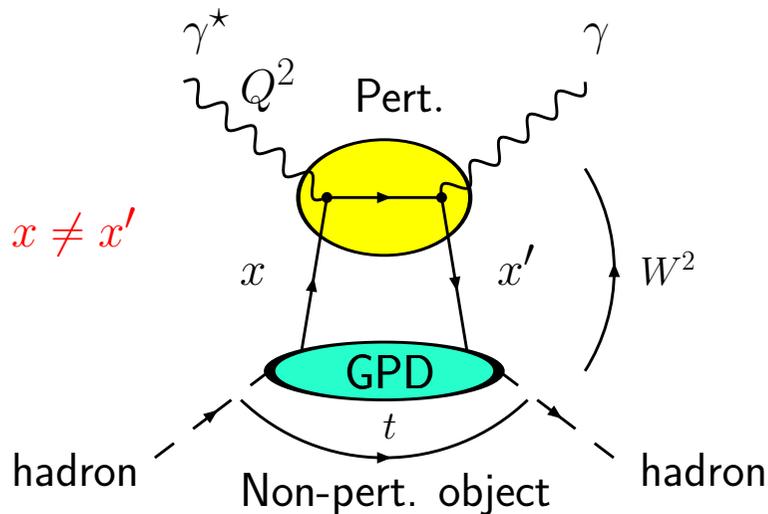


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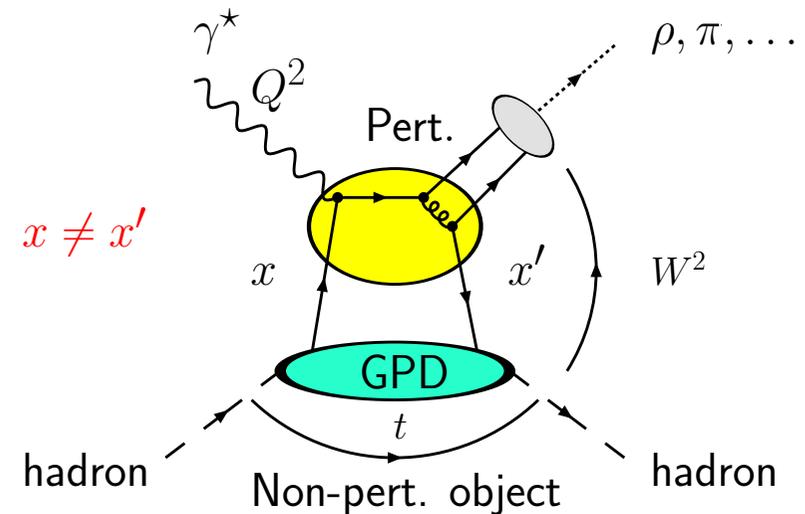


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⇒ **Factorisation** between the hard part (perturbatively calculable) and the soft part (non-perturbative) **demonstrated** for

$$Q^2 \rightarrow \infty, x_B = \frac{Q^2}{Q^2 + W^2} \text{ fixed and } t \ll \text{fixed}$$

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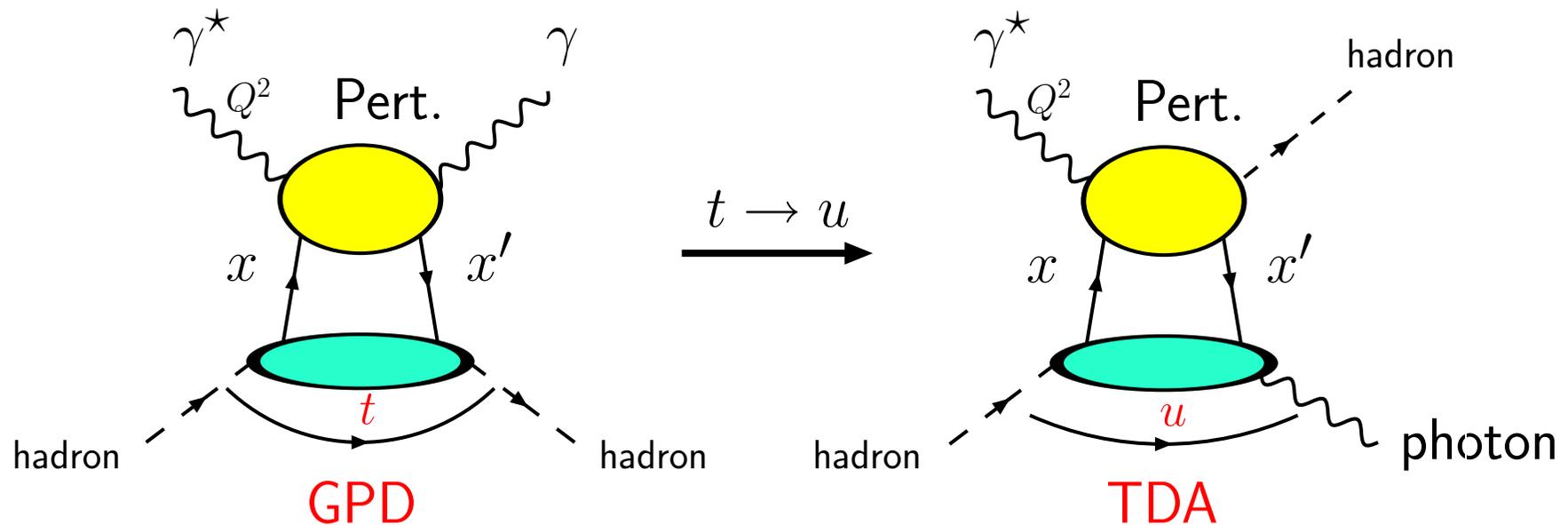
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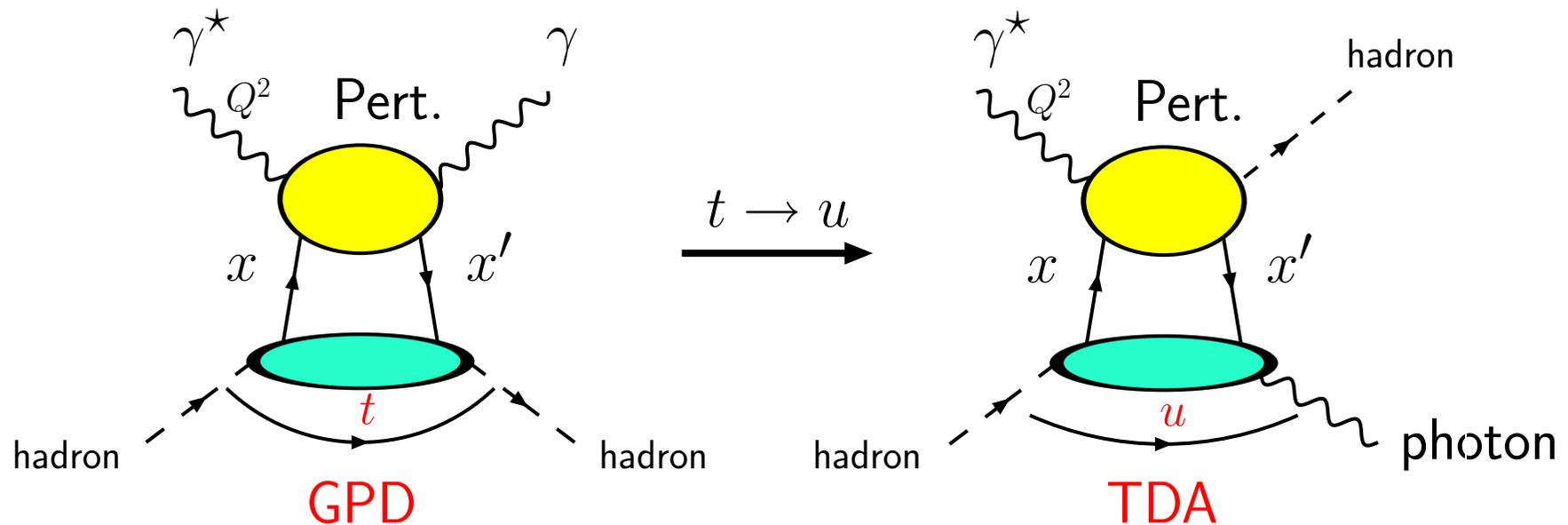


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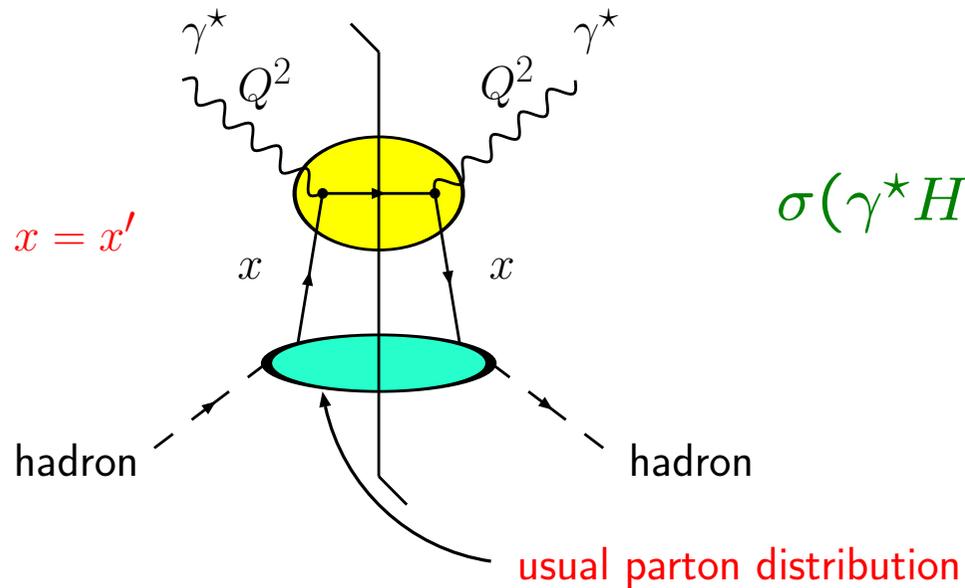
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⇒ The same occurs in $p\bar{p} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma^*$ reactions at $t \ll (\text{GSI})$

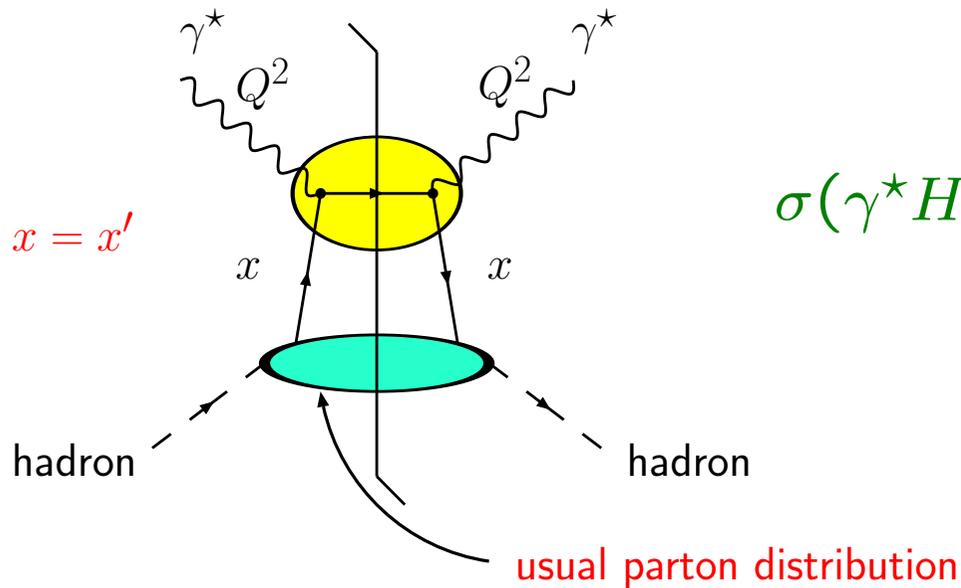
⇒ and in $\gamma\gamma^* \rightarrow \pi\pi$ reactions at $t \ll$ (through e^+e^- collisions)

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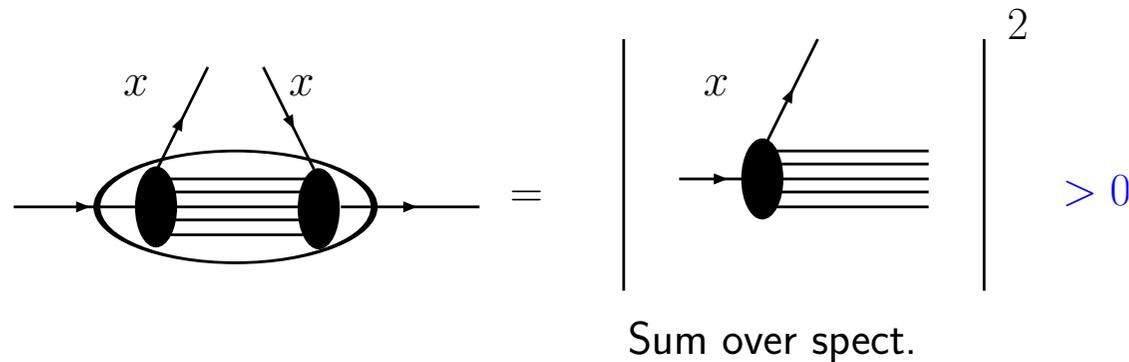


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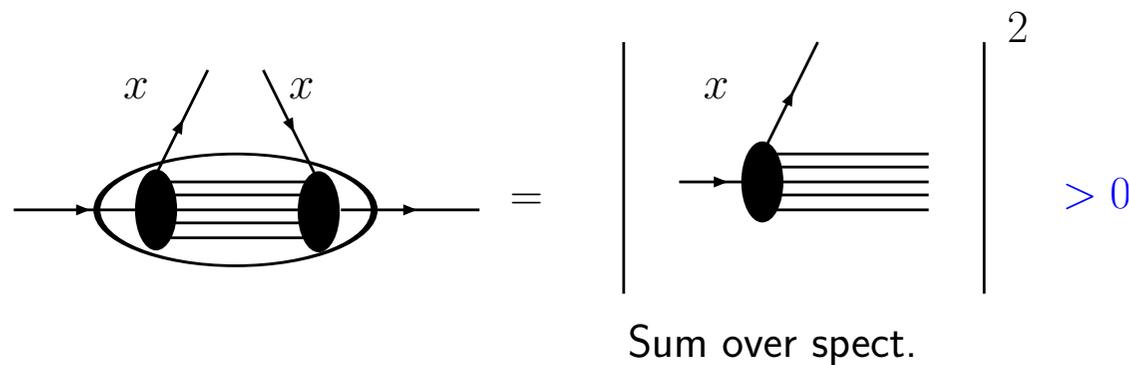


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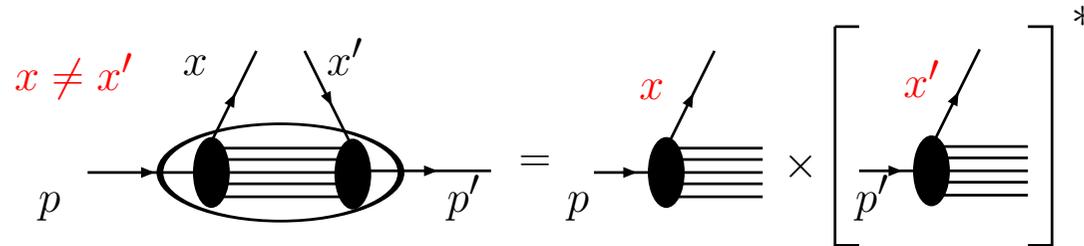
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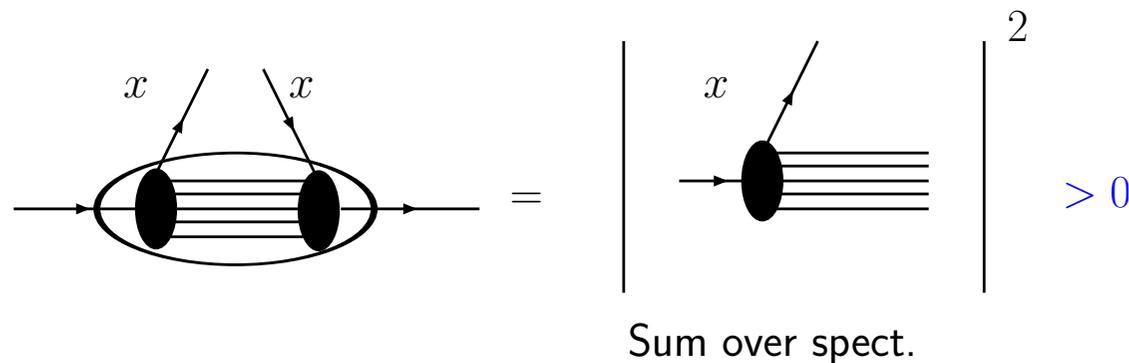


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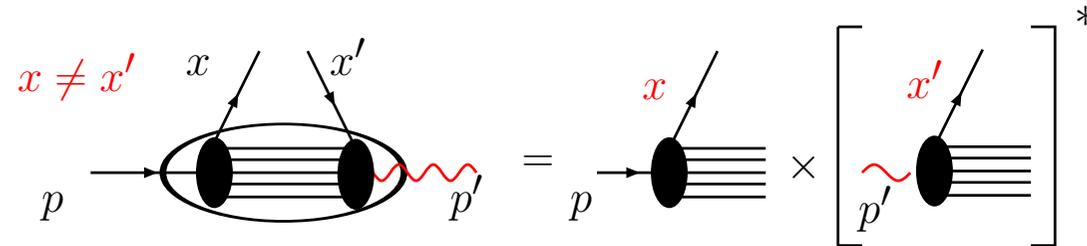


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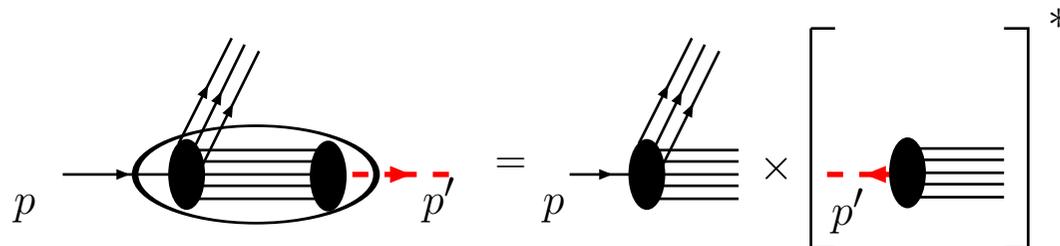
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Interpretation of the TDAs



⇒ The **mesonic** TDAs possess an interpretation at the **amplitude** level and provide with information on **how a meson looks like photon**

whereas



⇒ The **baryonic** TDAs rather provide information on **how one can find a meson or a photon in it**

TDAs vs GPDs : meson case

	GPDs	TDAs
Matrix elements	$\langle M(p') \Phi^\dagger(z) \Phi(0) M(p) \rangle$	$\langle \gamma(p', \varepsilon) \Phi^\dagger(z) \Phi(0) M(p) \rangle$
Diagonal limit $\xi \rightarrow 0, t \rightarrow 0$	GPDs \rightarrow PDFs $H^q(x, 0, 0) = q(x)$	N/A
Sum rules : $\int dx$ \rightarrow local operator	$\int dx H(x, \xi, t) = F(t)$	$\int dx T(x, \xi, t) = F_{A \rightarrow B}(t)$

\Rightarrow In view of the sum rules, both GPDs and TDAs are such that their integral on x is **independent of ξ !**

\Rightarrow possible modelling of the TDAs through double distributions (cf. Radyushkin)

Example : $\gamma \rightarrow \pi$ TDAs

JPL, B. Pire, L. Szymanowski, PRD 73 :074014,2006.

There are **4** leading-twist helicity amplitudes for $\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}\pi$

→ **4 TDAs : A, V, T_1 and T_2**

$$\int \frac{dz^-}{2\pi} e^{ixP^+z^-} \langle \pi^-(p_{\pi^-}) | \bar{d}(-\frac{z}{2}) [\dots] \gamma^\mu u(\frac{z}{2}) | \gamma(p_\gamma, \varepsilon) \rangle \Big|_{z^+=0, z_T=0} = \frac{1}{P^+} \frac{i e}{f_\pi} \epsilon^{\mu\varepsilon P \Delta_\perp} V^{\pi^-}(x, \xi, t)$$

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⇒ **Sum Rules :**

$$\Rightarrow \pi^\pm : \int_{-1}^1 dx \left\{ \begin{array}{l} A^{\pi^\pm} \\ V^{\pi^\pm} \end{array} \right\} (x, \xi, t) = \frac{f_\pi}{m_\pi} F_{\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A \\ V \end{array} \right\}}^{\pi^\pm}(t)$$

F_A et F_V are measured (cf. PDG)

$$\Rightarrow \pi^0 : \int_{-1}^1 dx \left(Q^u V_u^{\pi^0}(x, \xi, t) + Q^d V_d^{\pi^0}(x, \xi, t) \right) = f_\pi F_{\pi^0 \gamma^* \gamma}(t)$$

NB : Sum rule for A^{π^0}

→ $\pi^0 \rightarrow Z^0 \gamma \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu} \gamma$ (not measurable) or

→ $\pi^0 \rightarrow Z^0 \gamma \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \gamma$ (with huge background from the electromagnetic process) ;

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and a profile function $h^{(b)}(\beta, \alpha) = \frac{\Gamma(2b+2)}{2^{2b+1}\Gamma^2(b+1)} \frac{[(1-|\beta|)^2 - \alpha^2]^b}{(1-|\beta|)^{2b+1}}$.

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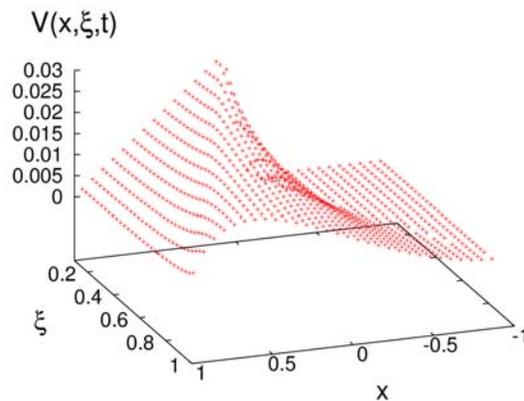
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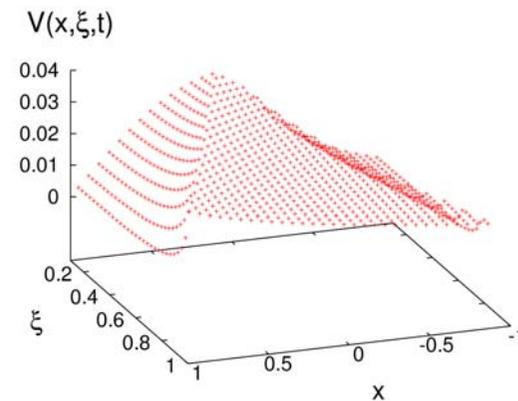
The t -dependence is implemented to get the sum rule :

$$G(x, \xi, t) = G^{(0)}(x, \xi) \cdot \frac{f_\pi}{m_\pi} F_G(t) .$$

Setting $b = 1$ and taking the β -dependence of q to be $q(\beta) = 2(1-\beta)\theta(\beta)$.



This Model (1)



Tiburzi's Model (2)

$\gamma \rightarrow \pi$ TDAs : Application

➔ $\rho - \pi$ pair production at small t

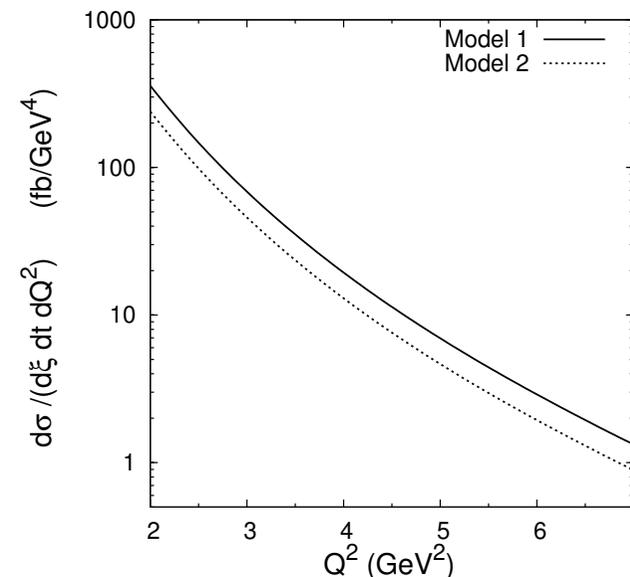
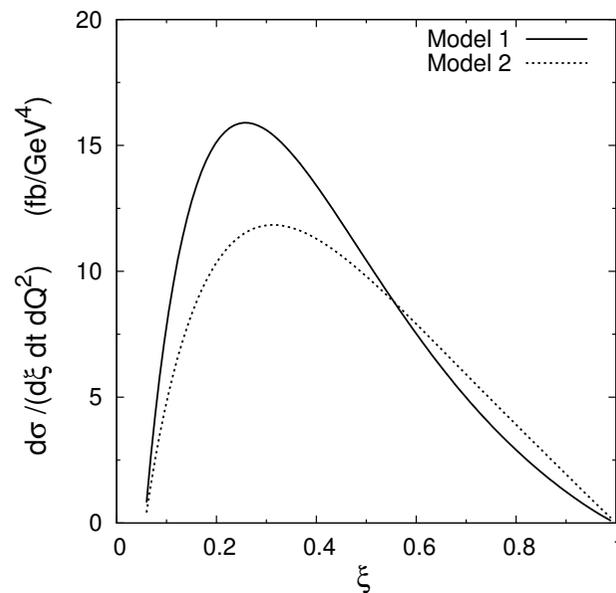
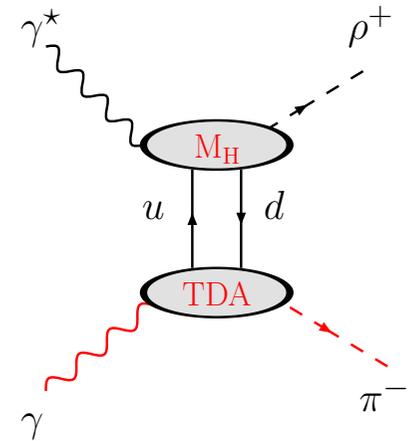
➔ cross section for $e \gamma \rightarrow e' \rho \pi$

➔ π flies in the direction of the γ
($\leftrightarrow \sim 180^\circ$ between ρ and π or large W)

➔ Complementary kinematics compared to GDAs

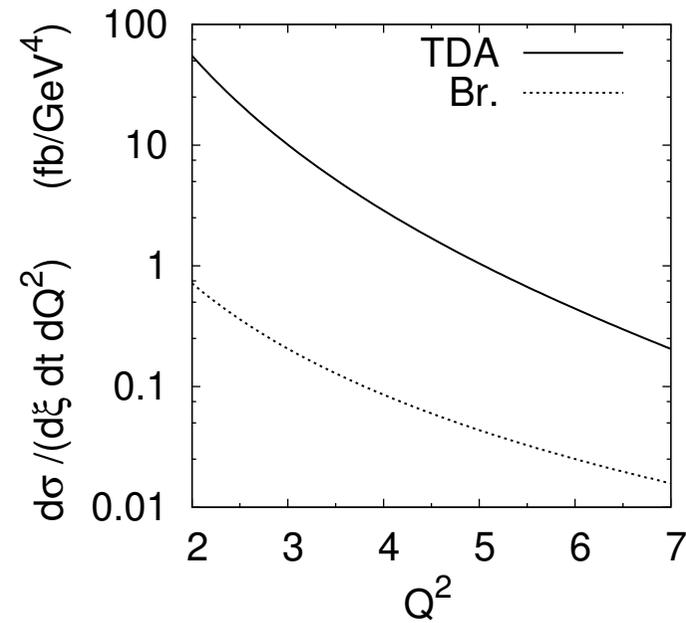
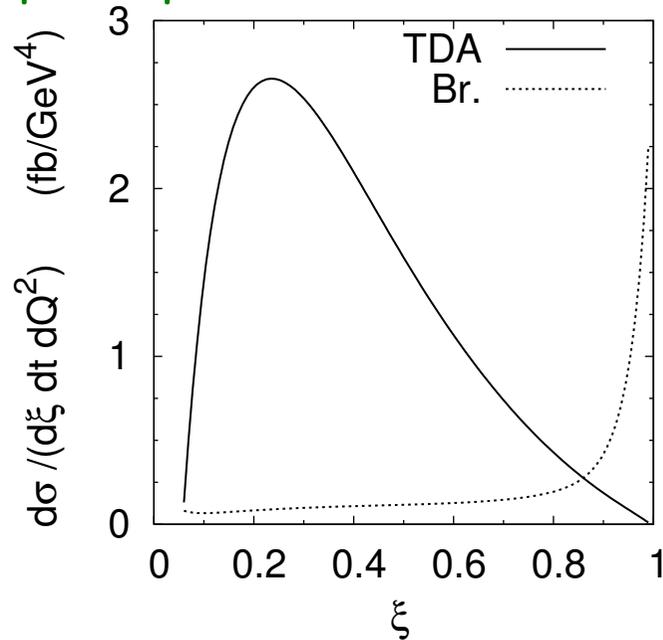
➔ No Bremsstrahlung

➔ $s_{e\gamma} = 40 \text{ GeV}^2$, $t = -0.5 \text{ GeV}^2$, $Q^2 = 4 \text{ GeV}^2$ and $\xi = 0.2$



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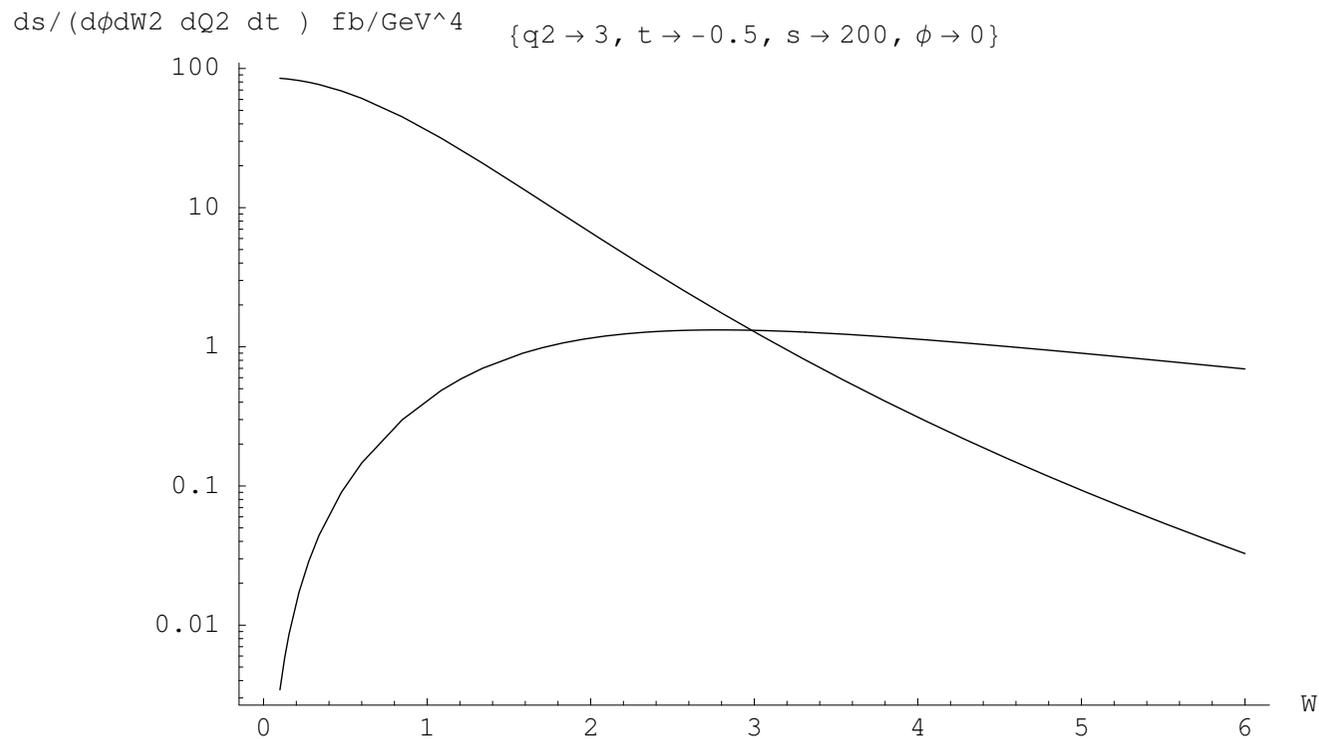
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➔ Any measurement of $e\gamma \rightarrow e'\pi^0\pi^0$ would provide with information on the Axial Transition Form factor $F_A^{\pi^0}$.

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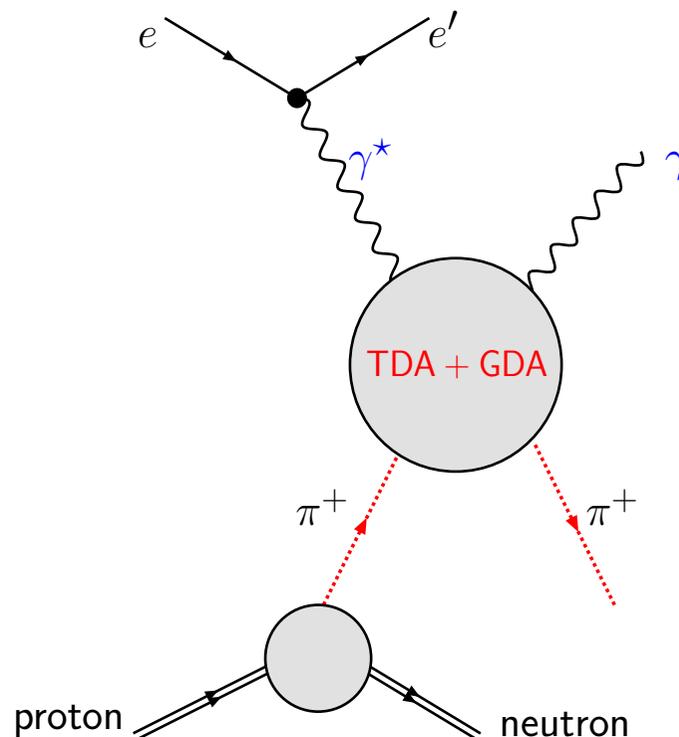
→ Expected behaviour : $\frac{\sigma_{TDA}}{\sigma_{GDA}} \rightarrow \frac{t}{Q^2} \frac{W^2}{Q^2}$



DVCS on pion

⇒ To be analysed by HERMES through : $ep \rightarrow e'\gamma\pi^+n$

- ⇒ Non-trivial kinematics ; DVCS subset of $2 \rightarrow 4$ process
- ⇒ Cannot trivially distinguish between the small t (GPD) and small u (TDA) regions



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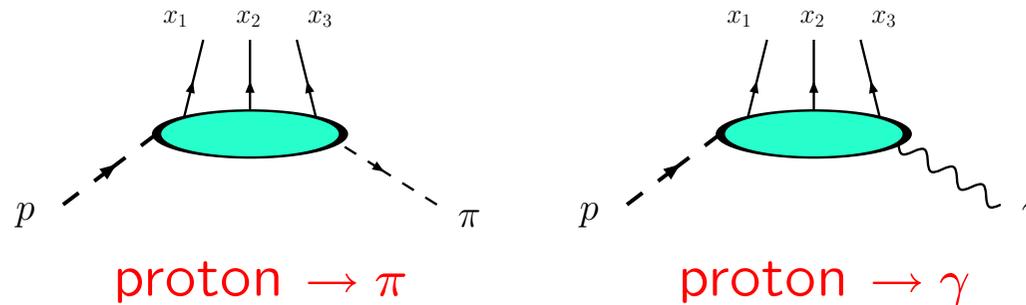
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- ⇒ More than the two regions ERBL and DGLAP
- ⇒ In principle, one has Sum rules
 \rightarrow ξ -independence of the moments of the TDA
 - ⇒ Triple distributions ?
 - ⇒ Diquark picture and double distribution ?

would suit some regions only ?

- ⇒ Closest object : Baryon Distribution Amplitude : \rightarrow SOFT LIMIT ?

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⇒ Δ_T = 0 : 3 TDAs (3 × p(↑) → uud(↑↑↓) + π)

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$$4\langle\pi^0|\epsilon^{ijk}u_\alpha^i(z_1n)u_\beta^j(z_2n)d_\gamma^k(z_3n)|p\rangle\propto$$

$$4\langle 0|\epsilon^{ijk}u_\alpha^i(z_1n)u_\beta^j(z_2n)d_\gamma^k(z_3n)|p\rangle\propto$$

$$\left[V_1^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\not{P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N)_\gamma +\right.$$

$$\left[V(x_i)(\not{p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5N)_\gamma +\right.$$

$$A_1^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\not{P}\gamma^5C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5N)_\gamma - 3$$

$$A(x_i)(\not{p}\gamma^5C)_{\alpha\beta}N_\gamma +$$

$$\left.T_1^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\sigma_{\rho P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^\rho N)_\gamma\right]$$

$$\left.T(x_i)(i\sigma_{\rho p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^\rho\gamma^5N)_\gamma\right]$$

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$$4\langle 0|\epsilon^{ijk}u_\alpha^i(z_1n)u_\beta^j(z_2n)d_\gamma^k(z_3n)|p\rangle\propto\left[V(x_i)(\not{p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5N)_\gamma+A(x_i)(\not{p}\gamma^5C)_{\alpha\beta}N_\gamma+T(x_i)(i\sigma_{\rho p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^\rho\gamma^5N)_\gamma\right]$$

⇒ $\Delta_T \neq 0$: **8 TDAs** ($\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times (2 \times 2 \times 2) \times 1$)

$$4\langle\pi^0(p_\pi)|\epsilon^{ijk}u_\alpha^i(z_1n)u_\beta^j(z_2n)d_\gamma^k(z_3n)|p(p_1,s)\rangle=-\frac{f_N}{2f_\pi}\times\left[V_1^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\not{P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N)_\gamma+V_2^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\not{P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\Delta}_TN)_\gamma+A_1^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\not{P}\gamma^5C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5N)_\gamma+A_2^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\not{P}\gamma^5C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\Delta}_T\gamma^5N)_\gamma-3T_1^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\sigma_{\rho P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^\rho N)_\gamma+T_2^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\sigma_{\Delta_T P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N)_\gamma+T_3^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\sigma_{\mu P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\sigma^{\mu\Delta_T}N)_\gamma+T_4^{\pi^0}(x_i,\xi,\Delta^2)(\sigma_{\Delta_T P}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\Delta}_TN)_\gamma\right]\quad(1)$$

$$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \gamma^* \pi^0 \text{ at } \Delta_T = 0$$

	$\frac{4}{3} \frac{\mathcal{V} + \mathcal{T}}{(2\xi - x_1 + i\epsilon)^2 (x_3 + i\epsilon) (1 - y_1)^2 y_3}$		0
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$$\mathcal{M}^\mu = -ie_p \bar{v}(k, \lambda) \gamma^\mu \gamma^5 u(p, s) \frac{f_N^2 (4\pi\alpha_S(Q^2))^2}{2f_\pi 54 Q^4} \int_{1+\xi}^{-1+\xi} d^3x \int_0^1 d^3y \sum_{\alpha=1}^{14} T_\alpha(x_i, y_j) \quad (2)$$

with $\mathcal{V}(x_j, y_i, \xi, t) = [V(y_i) - A(y_i)] \cdot [V_1(x_j, \xi, t) - A_1(x_j, \xi, t)]$ $\mathcal{T}(x_j, y_i, \xi, t) = -12[T(y_i)] \cdot [T_1(x_j, \xi, t)]$.

p → γ : parametrisation

⇒ p → γ (at Leading twist accuracy)

⇒ Δ_T = 0 : 4 TDAs

(3 × p(↓) → uud(↑↑↓) + γ(↓) and p(↓) → uud(↓↓↓) + γ(↑))

In the elm gauge ε.n = 0 :

$$\begin{aligned}
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 \left[V_1^\varepsilon(x_i, \xi, \Delta^2) (\not{p} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{\xi} N^+)_{\gamma} \right. \\
 + A_1^\varepsilon(x_i, \xi, \Delta^2) (\not{p} \gamma^5 C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma^5 \not{\xi} N^+)_{\gamma} \\
 + T_1^\varepsilon(x_i, \xi, \Delta^2) (\sigma_{p\mu} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\sigma^{\mu\varepsilon} N^+)_{\gamma} \\
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$$+ A_1^\epsilon(x_i, \xi, \Delta^2)(\not{p}\gamma^5 C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5 \not{\xi}N^+)_\gamma$$

$$+ T_1^\epsilon(x_i, \xi, \Delta^2)(\sigma_{p\mu}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\sigma^{\mu\epsilon}N^+)_\gamma$$

$$\left. + T_2^\epsilon(x_i, \xi, \Delta^2)(\sigma_{p\epsilon}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N^+)_\gamma \right]$$

⇒ Δ_T ≠ 0 16 TDAs (½ × 2 × (2 × 2 × 2) × 2)

$$4\langle\gamma(p_\gamma)|\epsilon^{ijk}u_\alpha^i(z_1n)u_\beta^j(z_2n)d_\gamma^k(z_3n)|p(p_1,s)\rangle = f_N \times$$

$$\left[V_1^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\not{p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N^+)_\gamma + V_1^\epsilon(\not{p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\xi}N^+)_\gamma + V_2^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\not{p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\Delta}_T N^+)_\gamma + V_2^\epsilon(\not{p}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\sigma^{\Delta_T\epsilon}N^+)_\gamma + \right.$$

$$A_1^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\not{p}\gamma^5 C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5 N^+)_\gamma + A_1^\epsilon(\not{p}\gamma^5 C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5 \not{\xi}N^+)_\gamma + A_2^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\not{p}\gamma^5 C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5 \not{\Delta}_T N^+)_\gamma + A_2^\epsilon(\not{p}\gamma^5 C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^5 \sigma^{\Delta_T\epsilon}N^+)_\gamma +$$

$$T_1^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\sigma_{p\mu}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\gamma^\mu N^+)_\gamma + T_1^\epsilon(\sigma_{p\mu}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\sigma^{\mu\epsilon}N^+)_\gamma + T_2^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\sigma_{p\mu}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\sigma^{\mu\Delta_T}N^+)_\gamma + T_2^\epsilon(\sigma_{p\epsilon}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N^+)_\gamma +$$

$$\left. T_3^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\sigma_{p\Delta_T}C)_{\alpha\beta}(N^+)_\gamma + T_3^\epsilon(\sigma_{p\Delta_T}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\xi}N^+)_\gamma + T_4^T(\epsilon.\Delta_T)(\sigma_{p\Delta_T}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\Delta}_T N^+)_\gamma + T_4^\epsilon(\sigma_{p\epsilon}C)_{\alpha\beta}(\not{\Delta}_T N^+)_\gamma \right]$$

Conclusions

⇒ **Transition Distribution Amplitudes**

give new information on hadrons

⇒ **Need non-perturbative inputs**

⇒ **Need precise data expected from**

⇒ **GSI**

⇒ **JLab**

⇒ **Hermes**

⇒ ***B*-factories**