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Spin-Orbit Correlations and the Shape of the Nucleon

G.A. Miller, PRC76 (2007)

spin-dependent charge density operator
in non relativistic quantum mechanics

$$\hat{\rho}(\vec{r}, \vec{n}) = \sum_i \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_i) \frac{1}{2} (1 + \vec{\sigma}_i \cdot \vec{n})$$

spin-dependent charge density operator
in quantum field theory

$$\hat{\rho}_{\text{rel}}(\vec{k}_{\perp}, \vec{n}) = \int \frac{dz_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{k}_{\perp} \cdot \vec{z}_{\perp}} \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^0 (1 + \vec{\gamma} \cdot \vec{n} \gamma_5) \psi(\vec{z}_{\perp})|_{z^{\pm}=0}$$



nucleon state transversely polarized

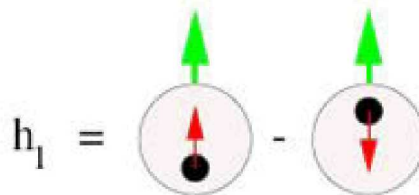
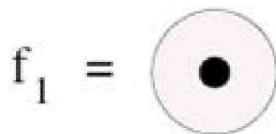
Probability for a quark to have
a momentum $\vec{k}_{\perp}$ and spin direction $\vec{n}$
in a nucleon polarized in the $\vec{S}_{\perp}$ direction

$$\rho_{\text{rel}}^T(\vec{k}_{\perp}, \vec{n}, \vec{S}_{\perp}) = \langle P, \vec{S}_{\perp} | \hat{\rho}_{\text{rel}}(\vec{k}_{\perp}, \vec{n}) | P, \vec{S}_{\perp} \rangle$$



TMD parton distributions integrated over x

$$\frac{\rho_{\text{rel}}^T(\vec{k}_{\perp}, \vec{n}, \vec{S}_{\perp})}{M} = \tilde{f}_1(k_{\perp}^2) + \tilde{h}_1(k_{\perp}^2) \vec{n} \cdot \vec{S}_{\perp} + \frac{(\vec{n} \cdot \vec{k}_{\perp} \vec{S}_{\perp} \cdot \vec{k}_{\perp} - \frac{1}{2} k_{\perp}^2 \vec{n} \cdot \vec{S}_{\perp})}{M^2} \tilde{h}_{1T}^{\perp}(k_{\perp}^2)$$



Spin-dependent densities

$$\frac{\rho_{\text{rel}}^T(\vec{k}_\perp, \vec{n}, \vec{S}_\perp)}{M \tilde{f}_1} = 1 + \frac{\tilde{h}_1(k_\perp^2)}{\tilde{f}_1(k_\perp^2)} \cos \phi_n + \frac{1}{2} \frac{k_\perp^2}{2M^2} \cos(2\phi - \phi_n) \frac{\tilde{h}_{1T}^\perp(k_\perp^2)}{\tilde{f}_1(k_\perp^2)}$$

$\cos \phi_n \downarrow \vec{n} \cdot \vec{S}_\perp$
 $\cos \phi \downarrow \vec{n} \cdot \vec{k}_\perp$

➤ Fix the directions of $\vec{S}_\perp$ and $\vec{n} \Rightarrow$ the spin-orbit correlations measured with $\tilde{h}_{1T}^\perp(k_\perp^2)$ is responsible for a non-spherical distribution with respect to the spin direction

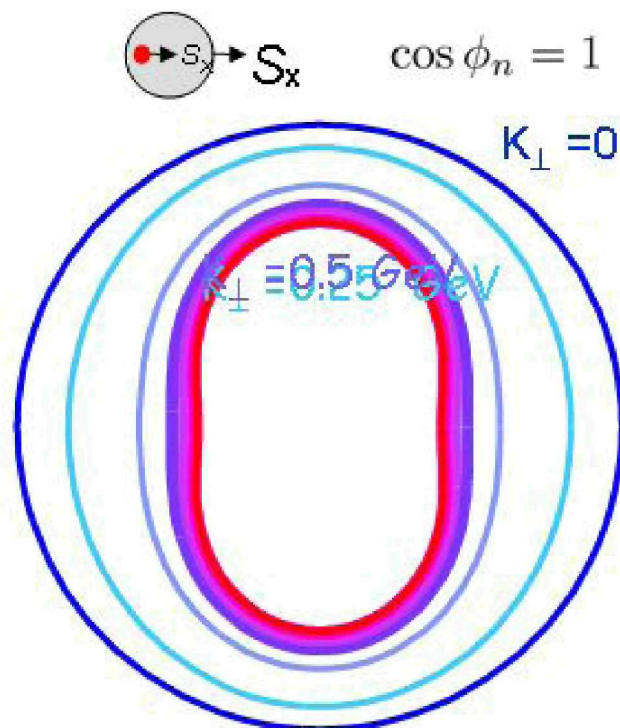
$\tilde{h}_{1T}^\perp(k_\perp^2)$: chirally odd tensor correlations

➡ matrix element from angular momentum components with $|L_z - L'_z| = 2$

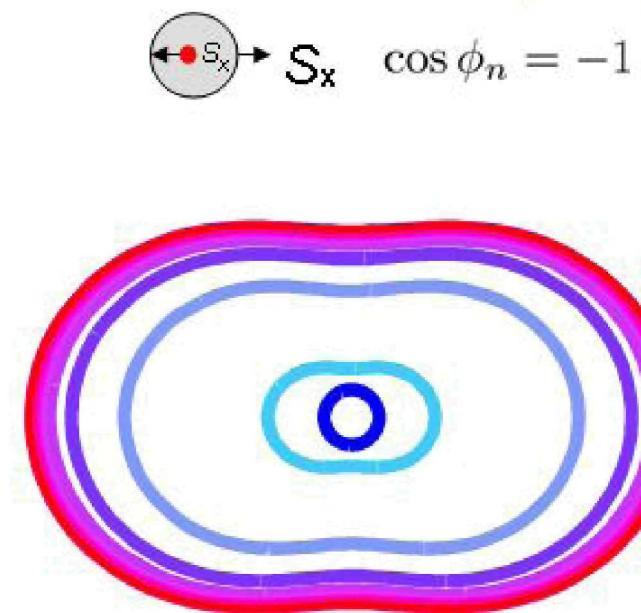
❖ Diquark spectator model: wave function with angular momentum components $L_z = 0, +1, -1$

➡ deformation due only to $L_z = 1$ and $L_z = -1$ components

Jakob, et al., (1997)

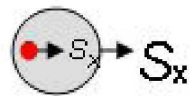


up quark



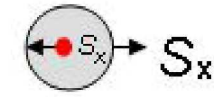
G.A. Miller, PRC76 (2007)

Light Cone Constituent Quark Model



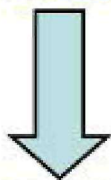
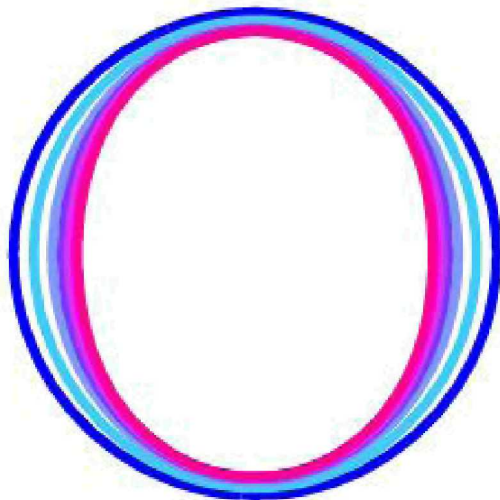
$$\cos \phi_n = 1$$

up quark

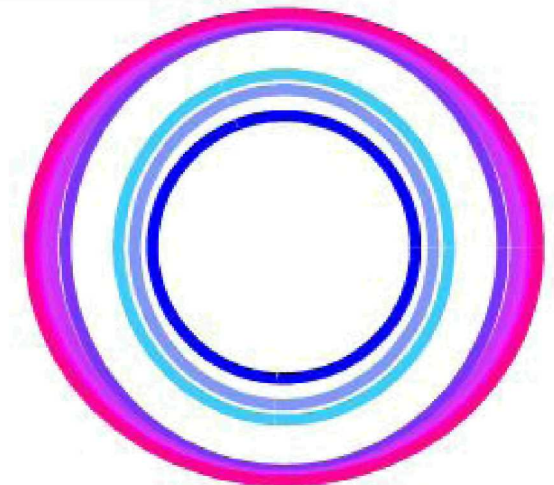
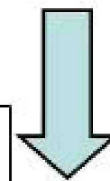
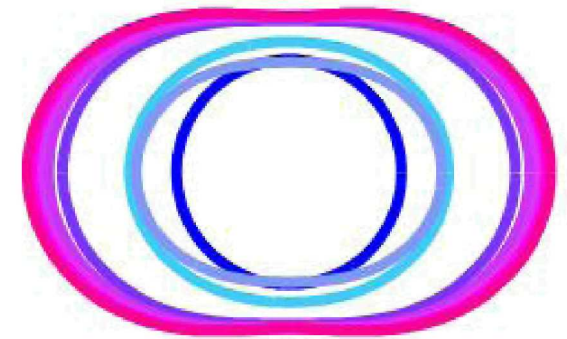
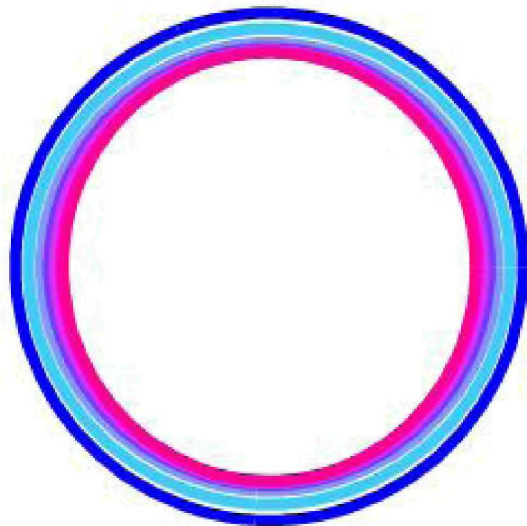


$$\cos \phi_n = -1$$

deformation induced from the $L_z=+1$ and $L_z=-1$ components



adding the contribution from $L_z=0$ and $L_z=2$ components

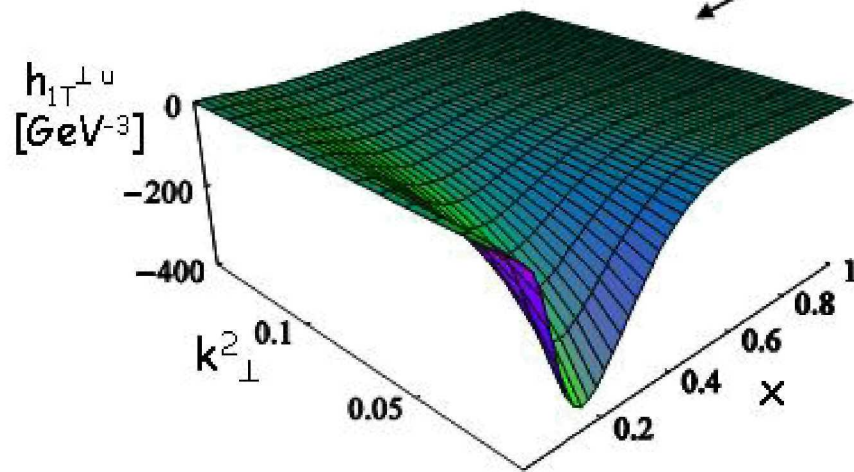


B.P., Cazzaniga, Boffi, in preparation

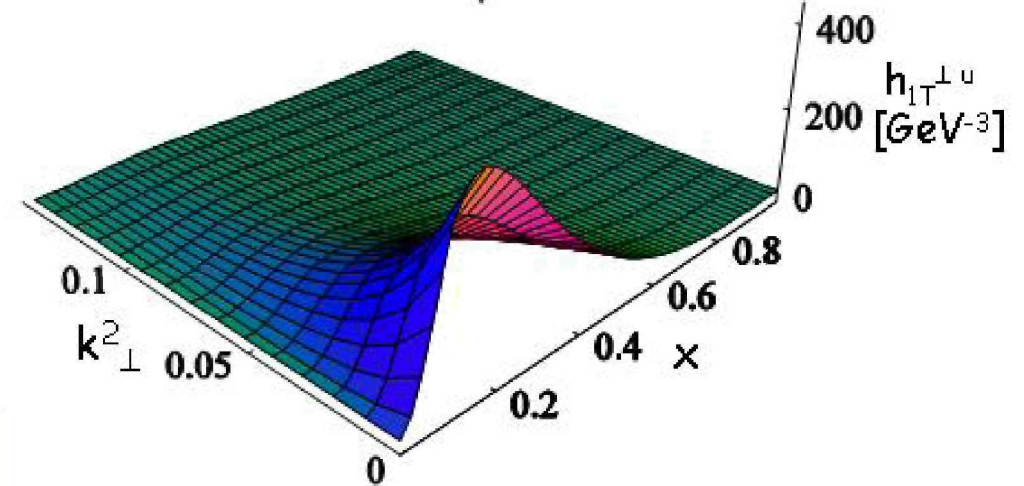
Angular Momentum Decomposition of $h_{1T}^{\perp u}$

$$\frac{k_y^2 - k_x^2}{2M^2} h_{1T}^{\perp u}(x, k_{\perp}^2) = -\text{Re}_{\frac{1}{2}} \langle P \downarrow | u_{\uparrow}^{\dagger} u_{\downarrow} | P \uparrow \rangle_{-\frac{1}{2}} - 2\text{Re}_{\frac{3}{2}} \langle P \downarrow | u_{\uparrow}^{\dagger} u_{\downarrow} | P \uparrow \rangle_{\frac{1}{2}}$$

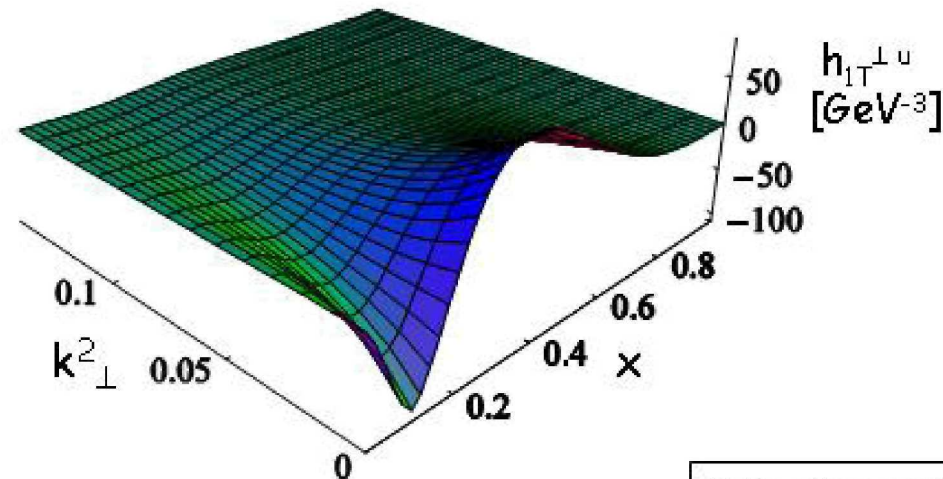
$L_z = +1$ and $L_z = -1$



$L_z = 0$ and $L_z = 2$



SUM



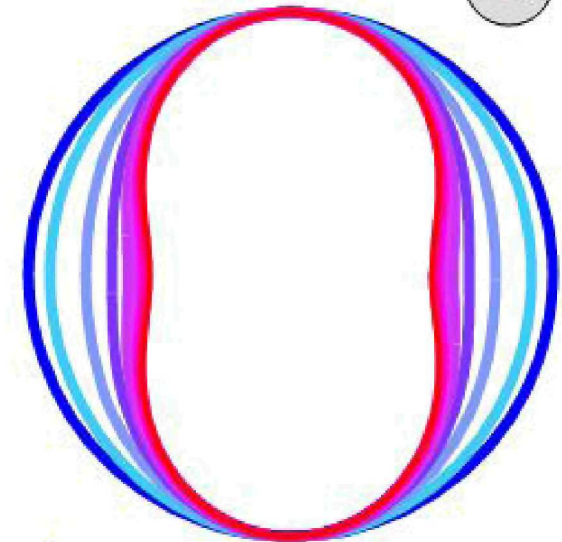
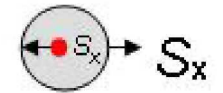
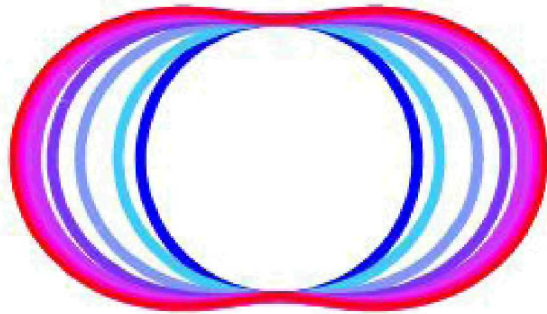
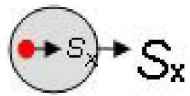
$$\tilde{h}_{1T}^{\perp u}(k_{\perp}^2) = \int dx h_{1T}^{\perp u}(x, k_{\perp}^2)$$

compensation of opposite
sign contributions

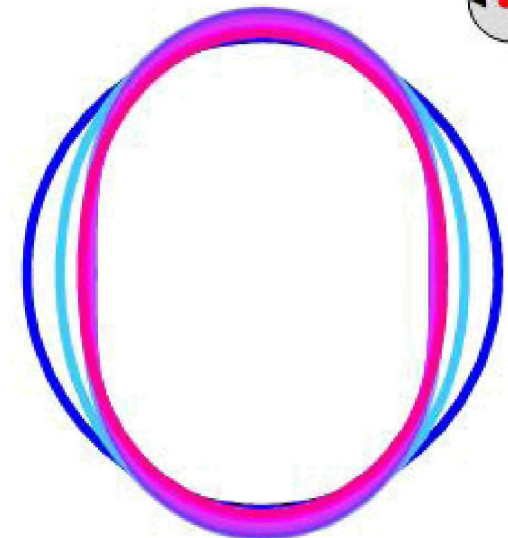
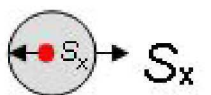
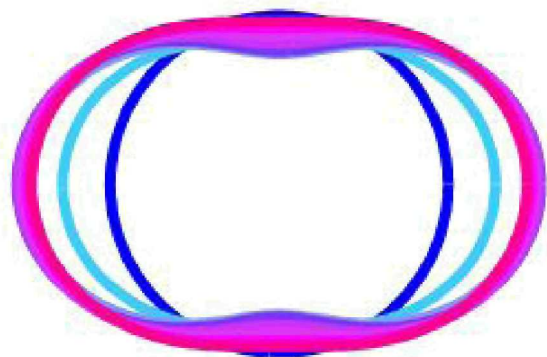
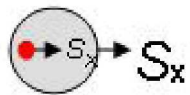
no deformation

Spin dependent densities for down quark

❖ Diquark spectator model: contribution of $L_z=+1$ and $L_z=-1$ components

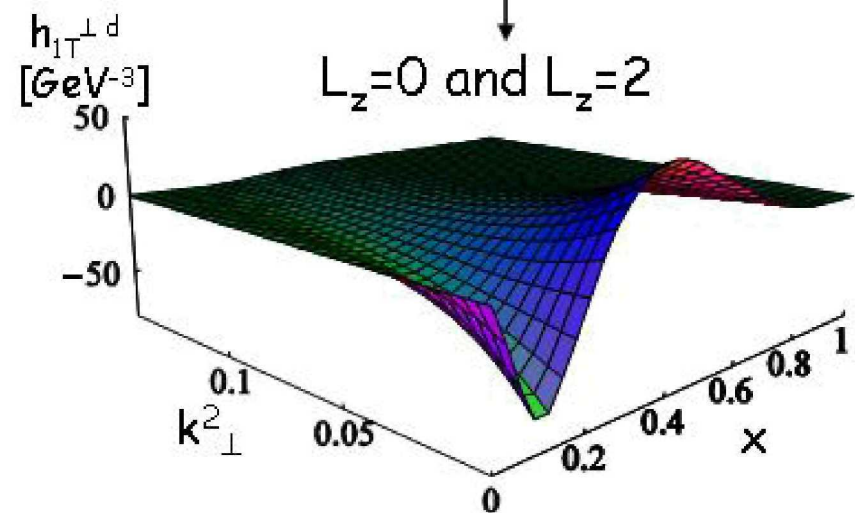
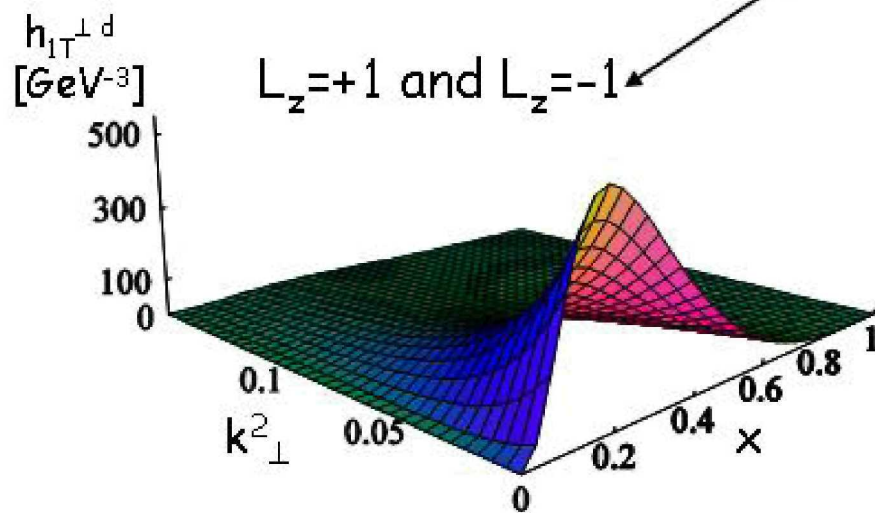


❖ Light-cone CQM: contribution of $L_z=+1$ and $L_z=-1$ components plus contribution of $L_z=0$ and $L_z=2$ components

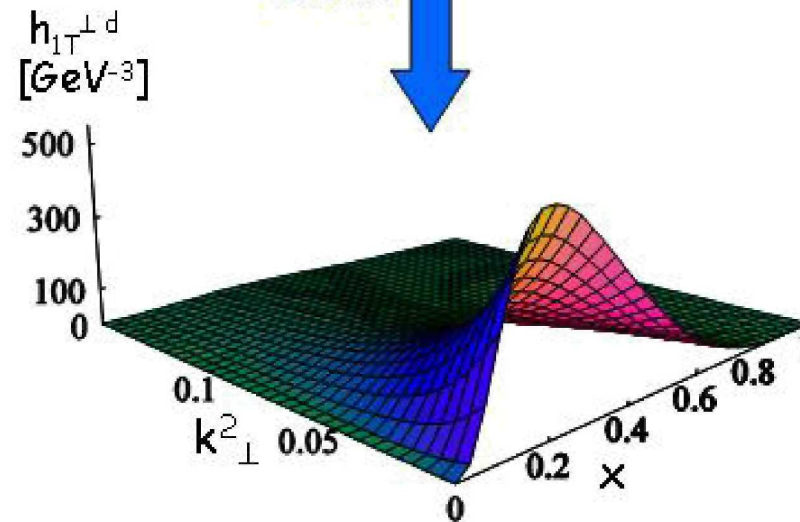


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SUM

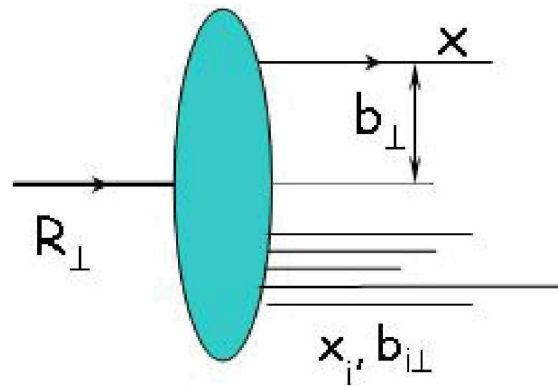


$$\tilde{h}_{1T}^{\perp d}(k_{\perp}^2) = \int dx h_{1T}^{\perp d}(x, k_{\perp}^2)$$

partial cancellation of
different angular
momentum components

non-spherical shape

Nucleon Spin densities



➤ average transverse position of the partons

$$R_{\perp} = \frac{\sum_i p_i^+ b_{i\perp}}{\sum_i p_i^+}, \quad (i = q, \bar{q}, g)$$

➤ $b_{\perp}$: transverse distance between the struck parton and the centre of momentum of the hadron

❖ Nucleon state polarized in the X direction in IMF

$$|P^+, S_X\rangle \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|P^+, R_{\perp} = 0_{\perp}, \uparrow\rangle + |P^+, R_{\perp} = 0_{\perp}, \downarrow\rangle)$$

❖ Impact parameter dependent GPD for the $\perp$ pol. state

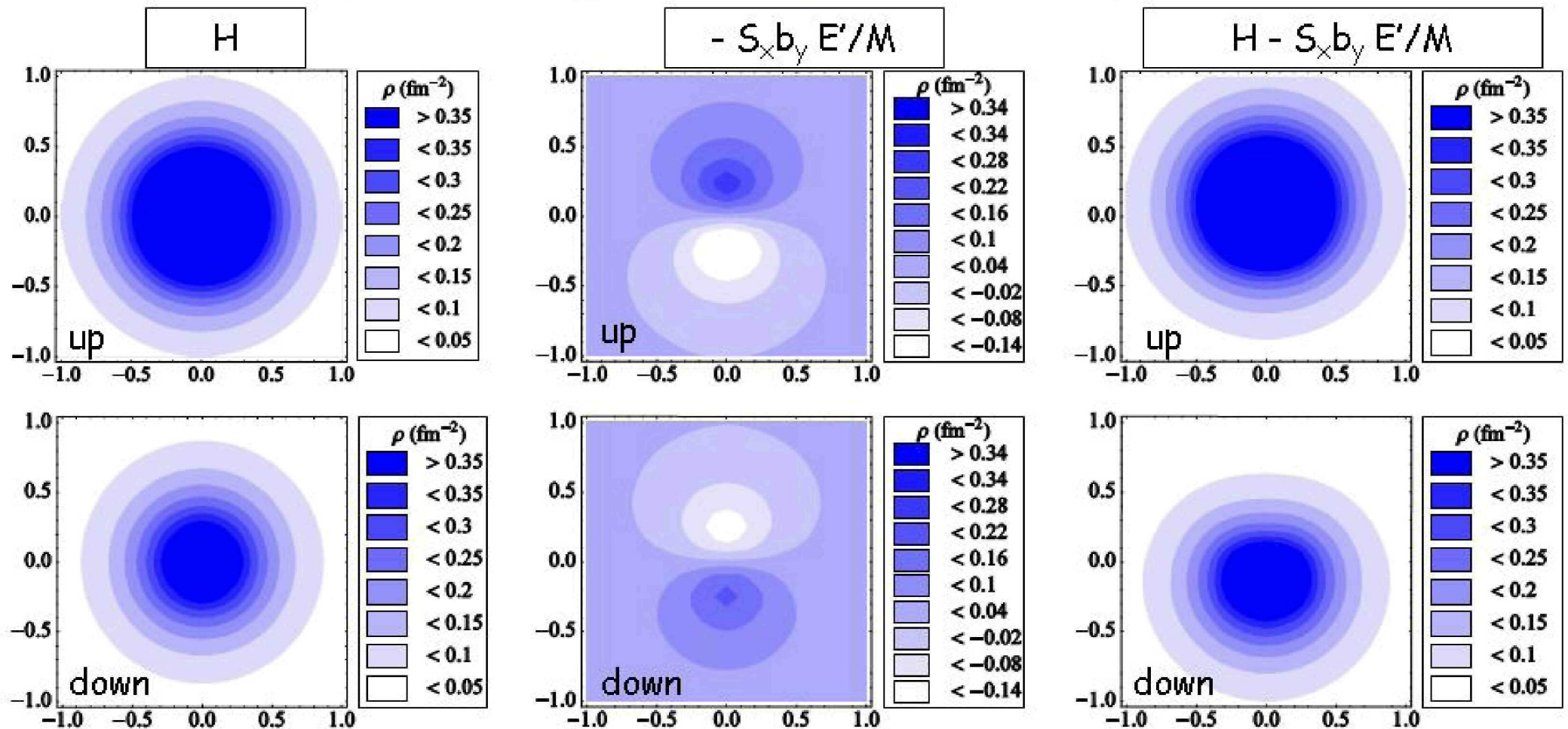
⇒ quark density in proton state $\perp$ pol.

$$q_X(x, b_{\perp}) = \langle P^+, S_X | \int \frac{dx^-}{4\pi} e^{ixP^+x^-} \bar{q}(-\frac{x^-}{2}, b_{\perp}) \gamma^+ q(\frac{x^-}{2}, b_{\perp}) | P^+, S_X \rangle$$

$$q_X(x, b_{\perp}) = H^q(x, b_{\perp}) - \frac{1}{2M} \frac{\partial}{\partial b_y} \int \frac{d^2\Delta_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} E^q(x, \Delta_{\perp}) e^{ib_{\perp} \cdot \Delta_{\perp}}$$

❖ First moments of q_X : probability density of unpolarized quark in a $\perp$ pol. nucleon in impact parameter space

Unpolarized quarks in a transversely pol. nucleon



$\perp$ flavor dipole moment $d_y^q = \frac{\kappa^q}{2M}$

$\kappa_u^p = 1.86, \kappa_d^p = -1.57 \Rightarrow |d_y^q| \sim 0.1 - 0.2 \text{ fm}$

correlation κ^q and Sivers function

$f_{1T}^{\perp q}(x, k_{\perp}) \sim -\kappa^q$

$f_{1T}^{\perp u}(x, k_{\perp}) < 0$ and $f_{1T}^{\perp d}(x, k_{\perp}) > 0$ consistent with HERMES data, PRL 94 (2005)

Transverse Spin Densities

❖ Fourier transform of Tensor GPDs at $\xi = 0$: distributions in the transverse plane of transversely polarized quarks in a transversely polarized nucleon

Diehl, Haegler, 2005

transversity basis

$$|P^+, S_X\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [|P^+, +\rangle + |P^+, -\rangle]$$

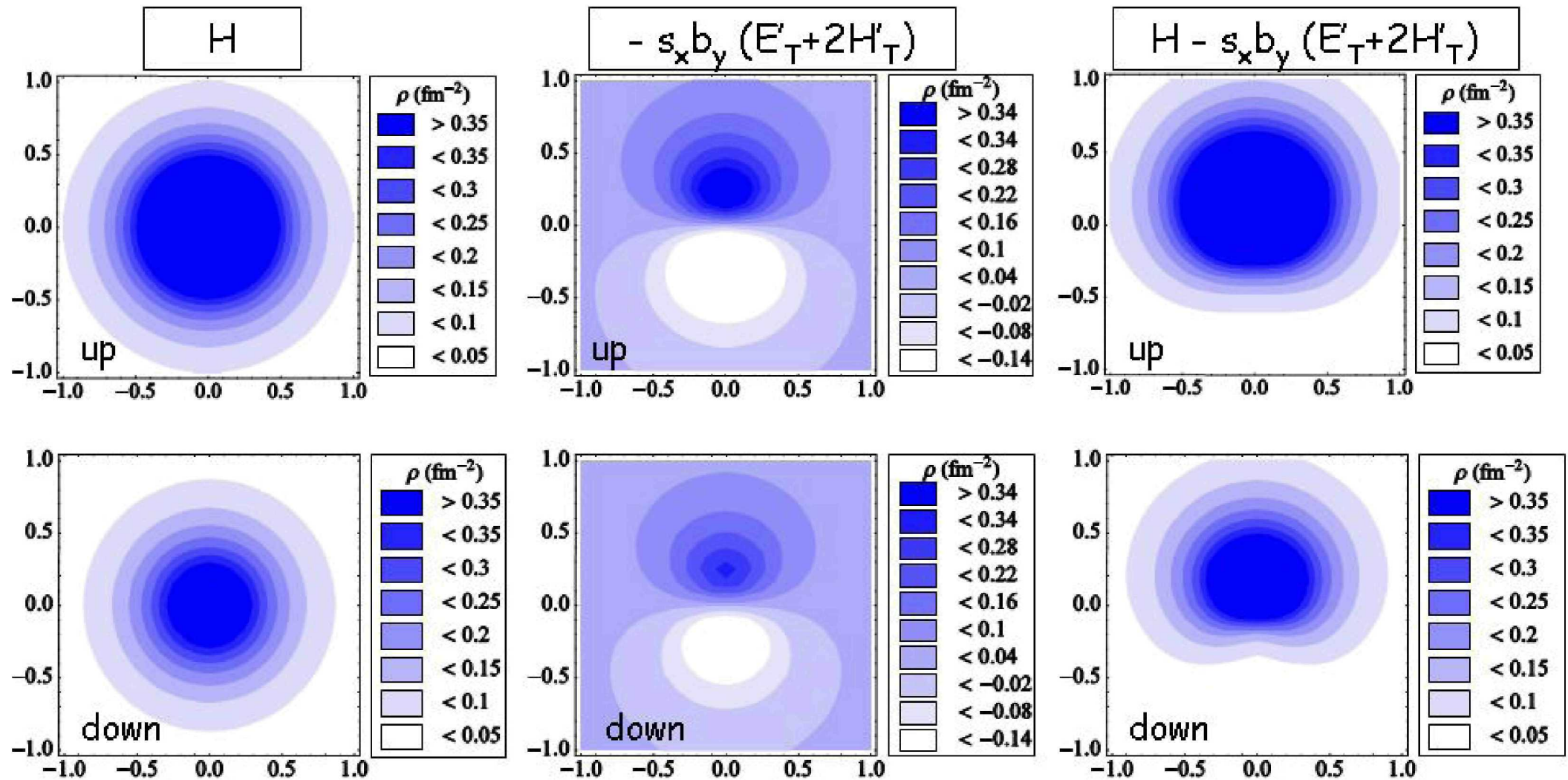
projector on the transverse quark spin $s_\perp$

$$\frac{1}{2} \bar{q} [\gamma^+ - s^j i \sigma^{+j} \gamma_5] q$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho(x, b_\perp, s_\perp, S_\perp) = \frac{1}{2} & \left[\underbrace{H(x, b_\perp^2)}_{\text{monopole}} + \underbrace{s^i S^i \left(H_T(x, b_\perp^2) - \frac{1}{M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{H}_T(x, b_\perp^2) \right)}_{\text{monopole}} \right. \\ & + \frac{b^j \epsilon^{ji}}{M} \left(\underbrace{S^i E'(x, b_\perp^2)}_{\text{dipole}} + \underbrace{s^i \left(E'_T(x, b_\perp^2) + 2\tilde{H}'_T(x, b_\perp^2) \right)}_{\text{dipole}} \right) \\ & \left. + s^i (2b^i b^j - b^2 \delta_{ij}) S^j \underbrace{\frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{H}''_T(x, b_\perp^2)}_{\text{quadrupole}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

❖ First moments of ρ : transverse spin probability densities in impact parameter space

Transversely pol. quarks in a unpolarized nucleon



$\perp$ spin-flavor dipole moment: $\kappa_T^u = 3.98$ $\kappa_T^d = 2.60$

correlation κ_T^q and Boer-Mulders function $h_1^{\perp q}(x, k_\perp)$

$$h_1^{\perp q}(x, k_\perp) \sim -\kappa_T^q$$

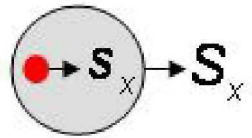
sizeable Boer-Mulders effect

consistent with lattice results (QCDSF/UKQCD Coll., PRL98, 2007)

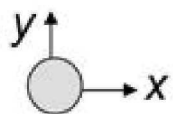
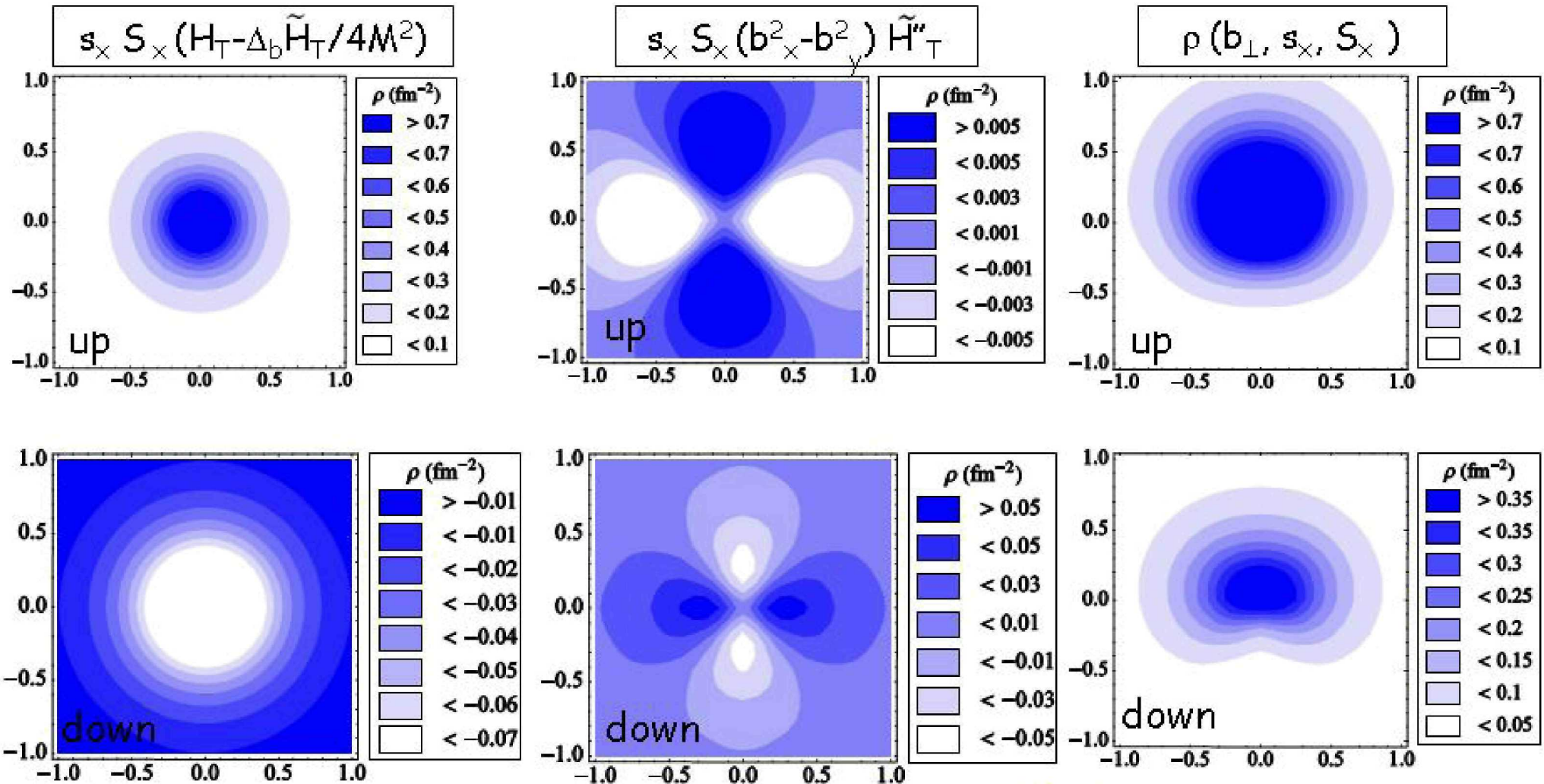
Outline

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 - ➡ kinematical relations of the light-cone spin
- © Conclusions

Transversely pol. quarks in a transversely pol. nucleon

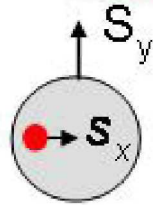


$$\rho(b_\perp, s_x, S_x) = \int dx \frac{1}{2} \left[H(x, b_\perp^2) + s_x S_x \left(H_T(x, b_\perp^2) - \frac{1}{M^2} \Delta_b \tilde{H}_T(x, b_\perp^2) \right) - \frac{b^y}{M} \left(S_x E'(x, b_\perp^2) + s_x \left(E'_T(x, b_\perp^2) + 2\tilde{H}'_T(x, b_\perp^2) \right) \right) + s_x (b_x^2 - b_y^2) S_x \frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{H}''_T(x, b_\perp^2) \right]$$

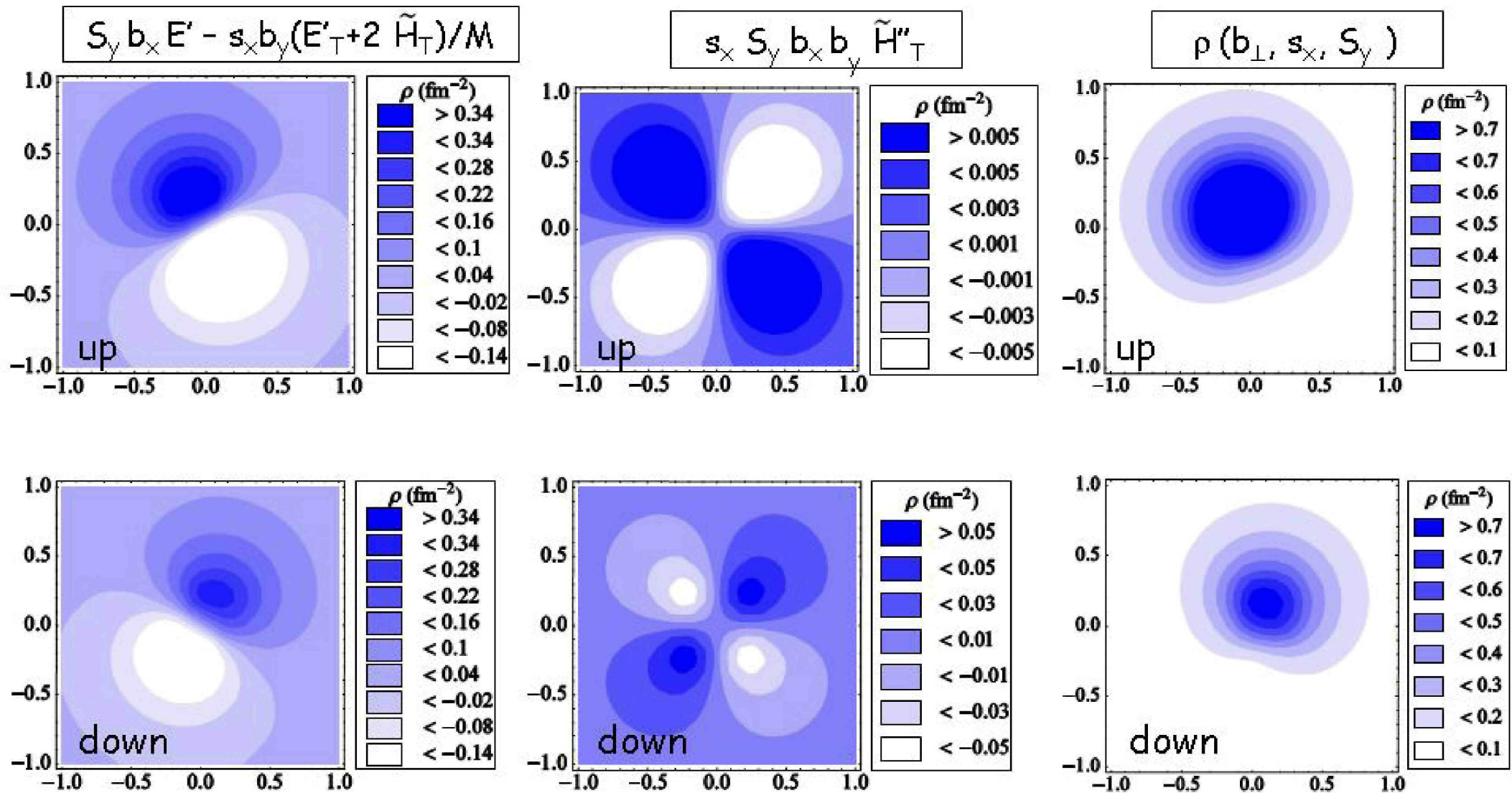


average quadrupole distortion {
 -0.04 up
 0.07 down

Transversely pol. quarks in a transversely pol. nucleon



$$\rho(b_{\perp}, s_x, S_y) = \int dx \frac{1}{2} \left[H(x, b_{\perp}^2) + \frac{1}{M} \left(b_x S_y E'(x, b_{\perp}^2) - b_y s_x \left(E'_T(x, b_{\perp}^2) + 2\tilde{H}'_T(x, b_{\perp}^2) \right) \right) \right. \\ \left. + 2b_x b_y s_x S_y \frac{1}{M^2} \tilde{H}''_T(x, b_{\perp}^2) \right]$$



Charge density of partons in the transverse plane

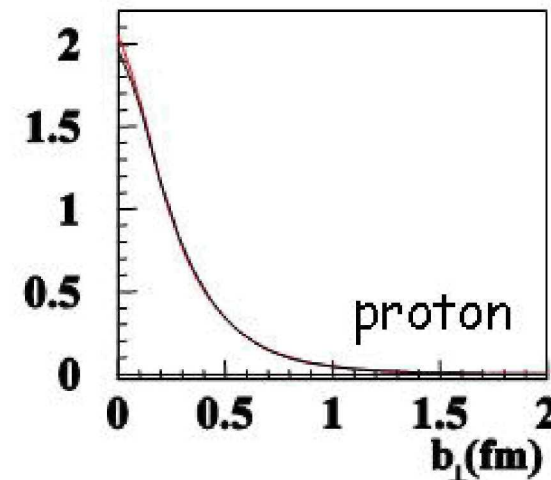
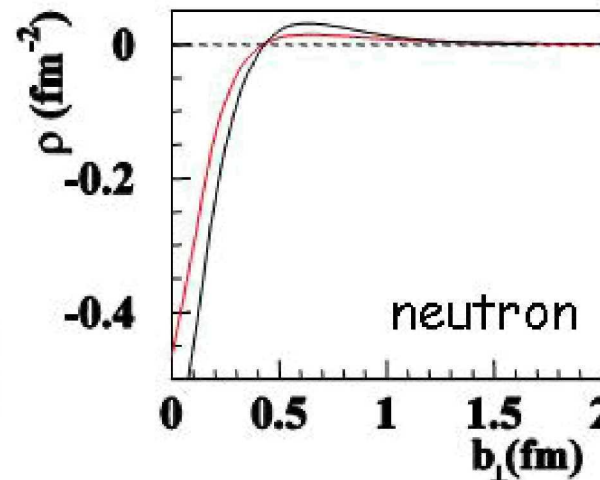
❖ Infinite-Momentum-Frame Parton charge density in the transverse plane

↪ no relativistic corrections

$$\rho^q(b_\perp) = \int d^2\Delta_\perp e^{i\Delta_\perp \cdot b_\perp} \int dx H^q(x, \xi = 0, \Delta_\perp^2) = \int d^2\Delta_\perp e^{i\Delta_\perp \cdot b_\perp} F_1^q(\Delta_\perp^2)$$

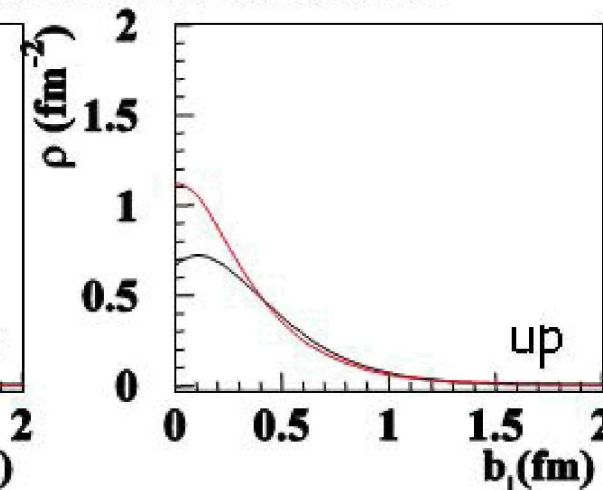
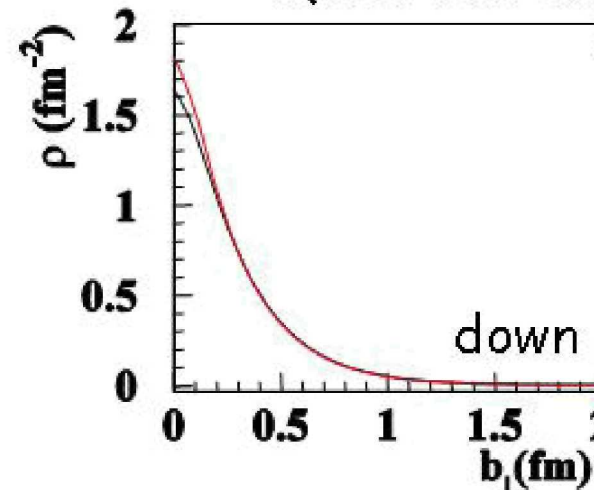
G.A. Miller, PRL99, 2007

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fit to exp. form factor
by Kelly, PRC70 (2004)



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B.P., Boffi,
PRD76 (2007)
(meson cloud model)

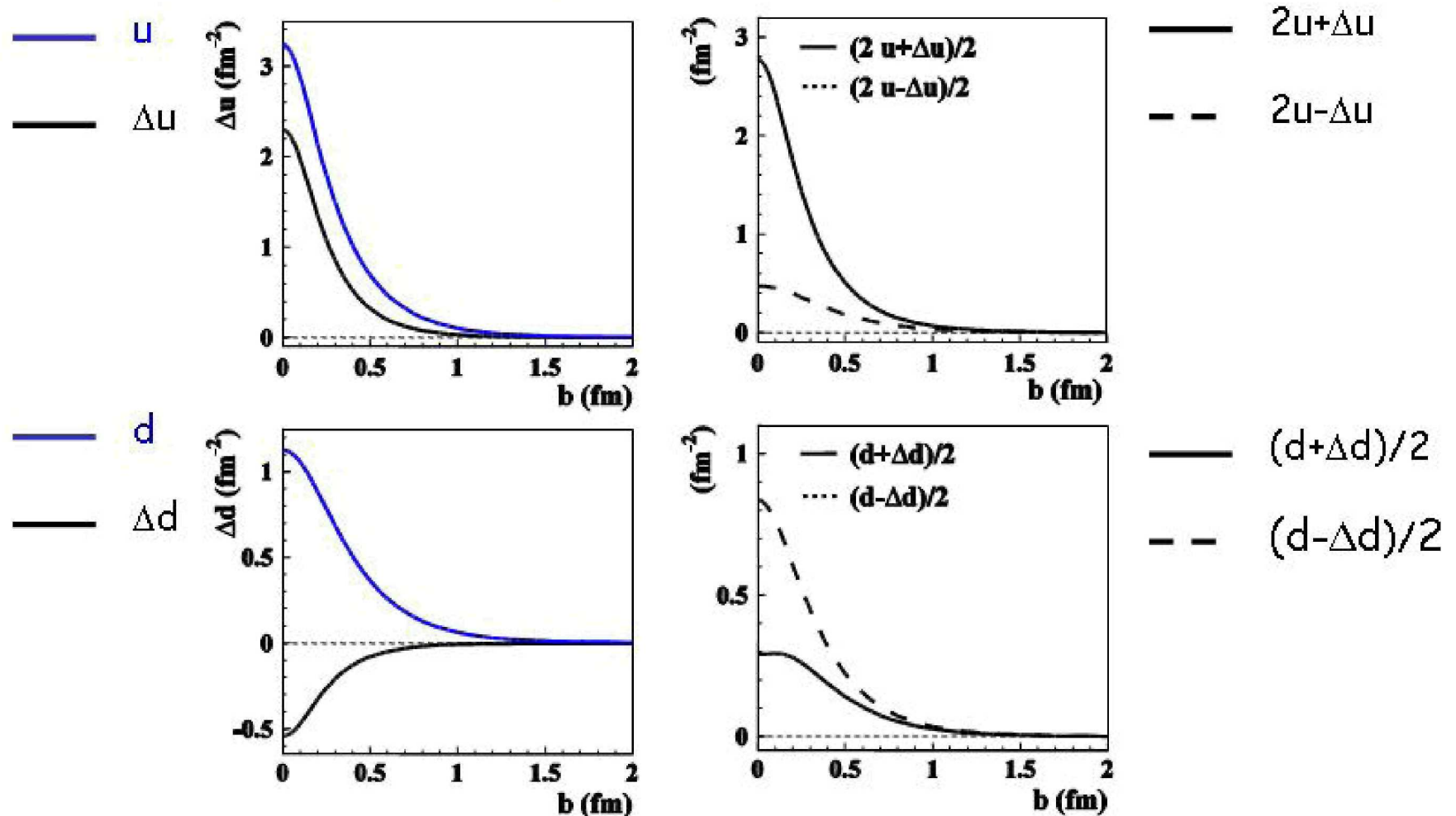
Quark distributions in the neutron



Helicity density in the transverse plane

❖ probability to find a quark with transverse position b and light-cone helicity λ in the nucleon with longitudinal polarization Λ

$$\begin{aligned}\rho^q(b_\perp, \lambda, \Lambda) &= \int d^2\Delta_\perp e^{i\Delta_\perp \cdot b_\perp} \int dx \frac{1}{2} [H^q(x, \xi=0, \Delta_\perp^2) + \lambda \Lambda \tilde{H}(x, \xi=0, \Delta_\perp^2)] \\ &= \int d^2\Delta_\perp e^{i\Delta_\perp \cdot b_\perp} \frac{1}{2} [F_1^q(\Delta_\perp^2) + \lambda \Lambda G_A^q(\Delta_\perp^2)]\end{aligned}$$



Light cone wave function overlap representation of Parton Distributions

$$f_1^q(x) = (2\delta_{\tau_q 1/2} + \delta_{\tau_q -1/2}) \int [dx]_3 [d\vec{k}_\perp]_3 \delta(x - x_3) |\tilde{\psi}_\uparrow(\{x_i\}, \{\vec{k}_{\perp,i}\})|^2$$

$$h_1^q(x) = \left(\frac{4}{3}\delta_{\tau_q 1/2} - \frac{1}{3}\delta_{\tau_q -1/2} \right) \int [dx]_3 [d\vec{k}_\perp]_3 \delta(x - x_3) |\tilde{\psi}_\uparrow(\{x_i\}, \{\vec{k}_{\perp,i}\})|^2 \mathcal{M}_T$$

$$g_1^q(x) = \left(\frac{4}{3}\delta_{\tau_q 1/2} - \frac{1}{3}\delta_{\tau_q -1/2} \right) \int [dx]_3 [d\vec{k}_\perp]_3 \delta(x - x_3) |\tilde{\psi}_\uparrow(\{x_i\}, \{\vec{k}_{\perp,i}\})|^2 \mathcal{M}$$

❖ Melosh rotations: relativistic effects due to the quark transverse motion

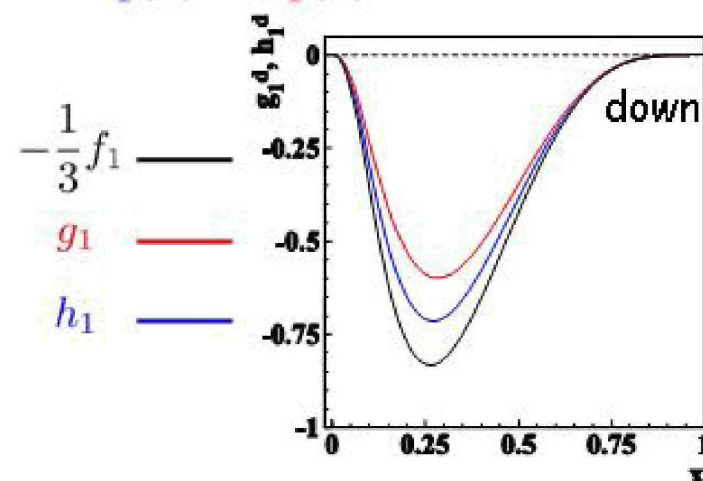
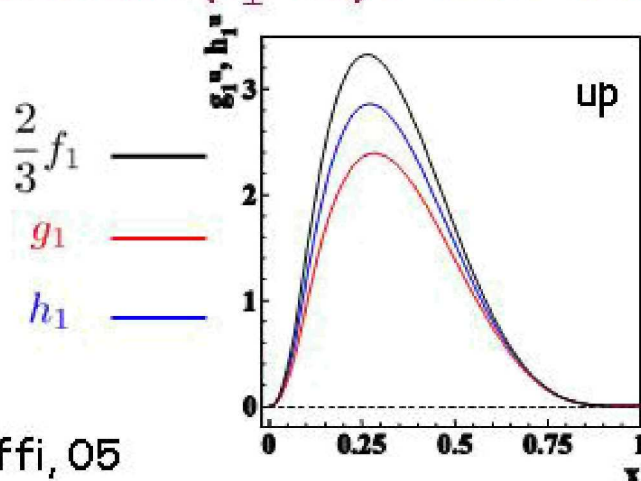
$$\mathcal{M}_T = \frac{(m + x_3 M_0)^2}{(m + x_3 M_0)^2 + \vec{k}_{\perp,3}^2} \quad \mathcal{M} = \frac{(m + x_3 M_0)^2 - \vec{k}_{\perp,3}^2}{(m + x_3 M_0)^2 + \vec{k}_{\perp,3}^2}$$

$$2h_1^u(x) = g_1^u(x) + \frac{2}{3}f_1^u(x) \quad 2h_1^d(x) = g_1^d(x) - \frac{1}{3}f_1^d(x)$$



consistent with Soffer bounds and $2\delta q = \Delta q + \Delta q_{\text{NR}}$ (Ma, Schmidt, Soffer, '97)

❖ Non relativistic limit ($k_\perp \rightarrow 0$): $\mathcal{M}_T = \mathcal{M} = I \rightarrow h_1^q(x) = g_1^q(x)$



Summary

- ⊗ Relativistic effects due to Melosh rotations in LCWF introduce a non trivial spin structure and correlations between quark spin and quark orbital angular momentum
- ⊗ Spin-Orbit Correlations in TMD Parton Distributions
 - shape of the nucleon
 - interplay of different angular momentum components
- ⊗ Transverse Spin Densities in the Impact Parameter Space
 - Unpolarized quarks in a transversely pol. nucleon
 - ⇒ opposite sign for Sivers function of up and down quark as seen by HERMES
 - Transversely pol. quarks in an unpolarized nucleon
 - ⇒ sizeable Boer-Mulder function effect with the same sign for up and down quark, as seen by lattice results
- ⊗ Charge and helicity densities of the nucleon show unexpected distributions for up and down quark distributions
- ⊗ Parton Distributions
 - non-trivial relations for the valence quark contributions to f_1 , g_1 , h_1 at the hadronic scale

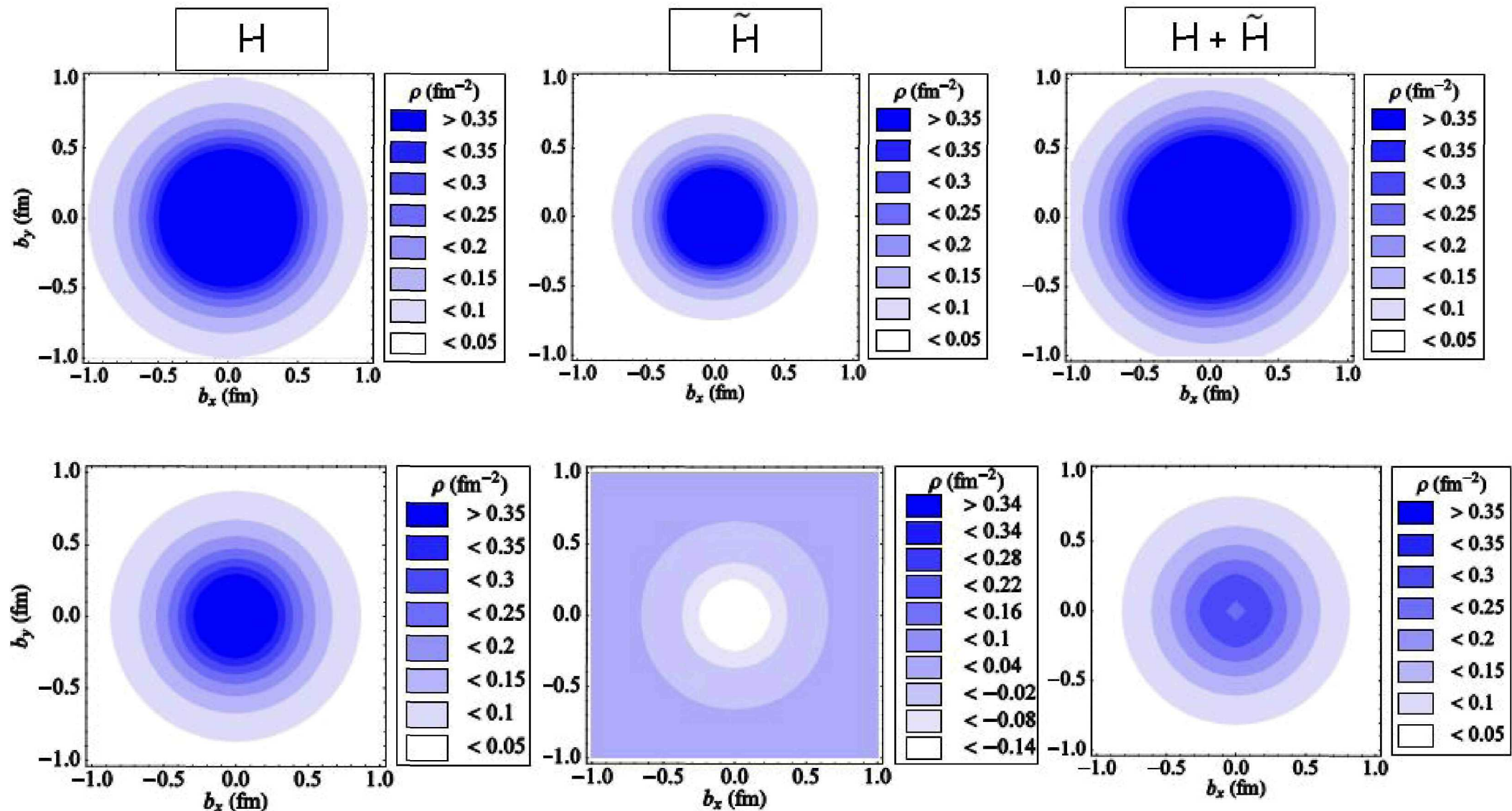
$$2h_1^u(x) = g_1^u(x) + \frac{2}{3}f_1^u(x)$$

$$2h_1^d(x) = g_1^d(x) - \frac{1}{3}f_1^d(x)$$

Longitudinally pol. quarks in a longitudinally pol. nucleon

- Probability density in impact parameter space of longitudinally polarized quarks in a longitudinally polarized nucleon
- Burkardt, 2003

$$\int dx \rho(x, b_{\perp}, \lambda, \Lambda) = \int dx \frac{1}{2} \left[H(x, b^2) + \lambda \Lambda \tilde{H}(x, b^2) \right]$$



Momentum Space WF

- ✓ spin and isospin component: SU(6) symmetric
- ✓ momentum-space component: S wave

$$\tilde{\Psi} = \frac{N}{(M_0^2 + \beta^2)^\gamma} \text{ with } M_0 = \sum_i \sqrt{k_i^2 + m_q^2}$$

Three free parameters: m_q , β , γ fitted to reproduce the magnetic moment of the proton and the axial coupling constant g_A

$$m_q = 263 \text{ MeV} \quad \beta = 607 \text{ MeV} \quad \gamma = 3.5$$

Schlumpf, PhD thesis, hep-ph/9211255

❖ Light-cone wavefunction

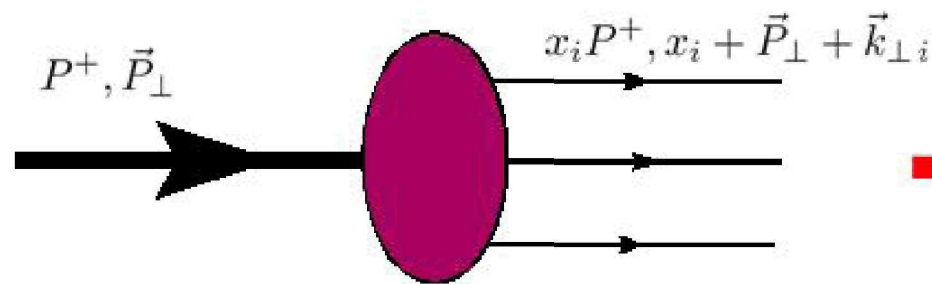
- ✓ breaking of SU(6) symmetry
- ✓ non-zero quark orbital angular momentum

Melosh Rotations

$$\begin{aligned} q_{LC}^\uparrow &= w [(k^+ + m_q) q_I^\uparrow + (k_x + ik_y) q_I^\downarrow] \\ q_{LC}^\downarrow &= w [-(k_x - ik_y) q_I^\uparrow + (k^+ + m_q) q_I^\downarrow] \end{aligned} \quad (w = [(k^+ + m_q)^2 + k_\perp^2]^{-1/2})$$

The boost to infinite momentum frame (Melosh Rotations) introduces a non trivial spin structure and a correlation between quark spin and quark orbital angular momentum

Three Quark Light Cone Amplitudes



LCWF: $\Psi_{\lambda,\beta}^f(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp,i})$

invariant under boost, independent of P^μ

internal variables: $\sum_{i=1}^3 x_i = 1 \quad \sum_{i=1}^3 \vec{k}_{\perp,i} = \vec{0}_\perp$

❖ 'uds' basis

$$|P, \uparrow\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left[|P, \uparrow\rangle^{(uud)} + |P, \uparrow\rangle^{(udu)} + |P, \uparrow\rangle^{(duu)} \right]$$

$$|P, \lambda\rangle^{(uud)} = \sum_{\beta} \int d[1]d[2]d[3] \Psi_{\lambda,uud}^f(x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp,i}) \frac{\epsilon^{ijk}}{\sqrt{6}} u_{i\lambda_1}^\dagger(1) u_{j\lambda_2}^\dagger(2) d_{k\lambda_3}^\dagger(3) |0\rangle$$

❖ classification of LCWFs in angular momentum components (X. Ji, J.-P. Ma, F. Yuan, 03)

$$|P, \uparrow\rangle = |P, \uparrow\rangle_{-\frac{3}{2}} + |P, \uparrow\rangle_{-\frac{1}{2}} + |P, \uparrow\rangle_{\frac{1}{2}} + |P, \uparrow\rangle_{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$J_z = J_z^q + L_z$$

total quark helicity J^q



parity
time reversal
isospin symmetry

6 independent wave function amplitudes: $\psi^{(i)} \quad i = 1, \dots, 6$

Three Quark Light Cone Amplitudes

$$\boxed{L_z = 0} \quad |P \uparrow\rangle_{\frac{1}{2}} = \int d[1]d[2]d[3] \left(\psi^{(1)}(1, 2, 3) + i(k_1^x k_2^y - k_1^y k_2^x) \psi^{(2)}(1, 2, 3) \right) \\ \times \frac{\epsilon^{ijk}}{\sqrt{6}} u_{i\uparrow}^\dagger(1) \left(u_{j\downarrow}^\dagger(2) d_{k\uparrow}^\dagger(3) - d_{j\downarrow}^\dagger(2) u_{k\uparrow}^\dagger(3) \right) |0\rangle$$

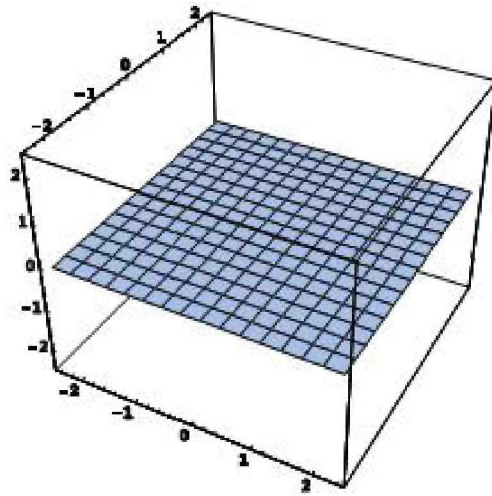
$$\boxed{L_z = 1} \quad |P \uparrow\rangle_{-\frac{1}{2}} = \int d[1]d[2]d[3] \left((k_1^x + i k_1^y) \psi^{(3)}(1, 2, 3) + (k_2^x + i k_2^y) \psi^{(4)}(1, 2, 3) \right) \\ \times \frac{\epsilon^{ijk}}{\sqrt{6}} \left(u_{i\uparrow}^\dagger(1) u_{j\downarrow}^\dagger(2) d_{k\downarrow}^\dagger(3) - d_{i\uparrow}^\dagger(1) u_{j\downarrow}^\dagger(2) u_{k\downarrow}^\dagger(3) \right) |0\rangle$$

$$\boxed{L_z = -1} \quad |P \uparrow\rangle_{\frac{3}{2}} = \int d[1]d[2]d[3] (k_2^x - i k_2^y) \psi^{(5)}(1, 2, 3) \\ \times \frac{\epsilon^{ijk}}{\sqrt{6}} u_{i\uparrow}^\dagger(1) \left(u_{j\uparrow}^\dagger(2) d_{k\uparrow}^\dagger(3) - d_{j\uparrow}^\dagger(2) u_{k\uparrow}^\dagger(3) \right) |0\rangle$$

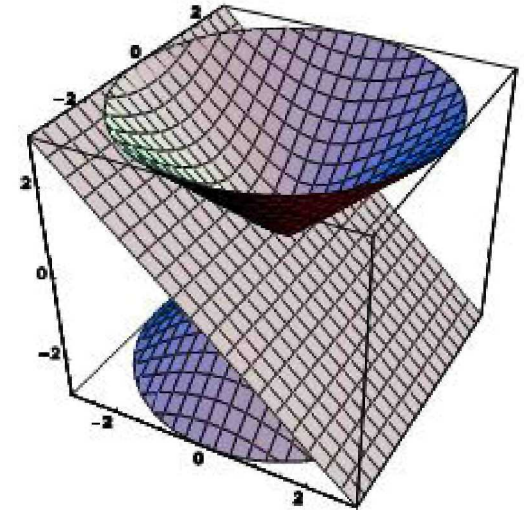
$$\boxed{L_z = 2} \quad |P \uparrow\rangle_{-\frac{3}{2}} = \int d[1]d[2]d[3] (k_1^x + i k_1^y) (k_3^x + i k_3^y) \psi^{(6)}(1, 2, 3) \\ \times \frac{\epsilon^{ijk}}{\sqrt{6}} u_{i\downarrow}^\dagger(1) \left(d_{j\downarrow}^\dagger(2) u_{k\downarrow}^\dagger(3) - u_{j\downarrow}^\dagger(2) d_{k\downarrow}^\dagger(3) \right) |0\rangle$$

Light Cone Constituent Quark Model

Instant form:
 x^0 time;
 x^1, x^2, x^3 space



Light-front form:
 x^+ time;
 $x^-, x_\perp$ space



➤ Instant Form (canonical) eigenvalue equation

$$M | M, j_c, \mu_c \rangle_c = [M_0 + V] | M, j_c, \mu_c \rangle_c$$

$$M_0 = \sum_i^N \sqrt{m_i^2 + \vec{k}_i^2} : \text{free mass operator} \quad V : \text{interaction operator}$$

➤ Light-front eigenvalue equation

$$\mathcal{M} | M, j_f, \mu_f \rangle_f = [M_0 + \mathcal{V}] | M, j_f, \mu_f \rangle_f$$

$$\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{R}^\dagger M \mathcal{R} \longrightarrow \mathcal{R} = \prod_{i=1}^N R_M(\vec{k}_{\perp,i}, x_i, m_i) : \text{generalized Melosh rotations}$$



$$\Psi_N^f = \langle \{x_i, \vec{k}_{\perp,i}, \lambda_i\}_N | M, j_f, \mu_f \rangle_f = \frac{2(2\pi)^3}{\sqrt{M_0}} \prod_{i=1}^N \sqrt{\frac{E_i}{x_i}} \sum_{\{\lambda'_i\}} \langle \{\lambda_i\} | \mathcal{R}^\dagger | \{\lambda'_i\} \rangle \Psi_N^c$$

Light Cone Spin

❖ Instant-form wave function: $\Psi = \Phi^I \otimes \Phi^S \otimes \tilde{\Psi}(\{\vec{k}_i\})$

- ✓ momentum-space component: S wave $\longrightarrow \tilde{\Psi} = \frac{N}{(M_0^2 + \beta^2)^\gamma}$
- ✓ spin and isospin component: SU(6) symmetric

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$$uud [\uparrow \downarrow \uparrow + \downarrow \uparrow \uparrow - 2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow] \quad J_z = J_z^q$$



Melosh Rotations

❖ Light-cone wavefunction

$$q_I^\uparrow = w [(k^+ + m_q) q_{LC}^\uparrow - (k_x + ik_y) q_{LC}^\downarrow]$$

$$q_I^\downarrow = w [(k_x - ik_y) q_{LC}^\uparrow + (k^+ + m_q) q_{LC}^\downarrow] \quad (w = [(k^+ + m_q)^2 + k_\perp^2]^{-1/2})$$

- ✓ breaking of SU(6) symmetry
- ✓ non-zero quark orbital angular momentum $J_z = J_z^q + L_z^q$

Six independent wave function amplitudes

$$L_z^q = -1$$

$$(\uparrow \uparrow \uparrow)_{LC}$$

$$L_z^q = 0$$

$$(\uparrow \uparrow \downarrow)_{LC}$$

$$L_z^q = 1$$

$$(\uparrow \downarrow \downarrow)_{LC}$$

$$L_z^q = 2$$

$$(\downarrow \downarrow \downarrow)_{LC}$$

The six independent wave function amplitudes obtained from the Melosh rotations satisfy the model independent classification scheme in four orbital angular momentum components

Relevance of OAM to Nucleon Structure

- ⊙ Transverse Momentum Dependent Parton Distributions
- ⊙ Generalized Parton Distributions
- ⊙ Nucleon Spin Densities
- ⊙ Anomalous Magnetic Moment of the Nucleon
- ⊙ Helicity-Flip Pauli Form Factor
- ⊙
- ⊙

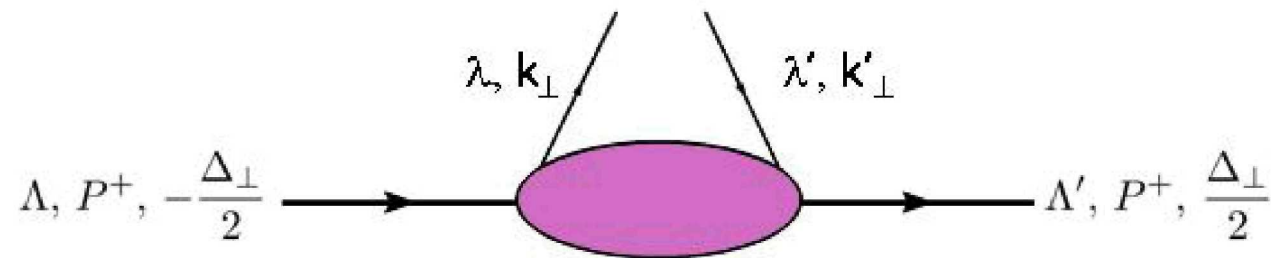
Quark-Quark Distribution Correlation Function

$$\mathcal{O}_{\lambda'\lambda}^q = \int \frac{dz^- dz_\perp}{(2\pi)^3} \bar{q}_{\lambda'}(-\frac{z}{2}) \Gamma q_\lambda(\frac{z}{2}) e^{i(k^+ z^- k_\perp \cdot z_\perp)}$$

$$\Gamma = \begin{cases} \gamma^+ & \Rightarrow q_\uparrow^\dagger q_\uparrow + q_\downarrow^\dagger q_\downarrow & \text{quark-number density} \\ \gamma^+ \gamma^5 & \Rightarrow q_\uparrow^\dagger q_\uparrow - q_\downarrow^\dagger q_\downarrow & \text{quark-helicity density} \\ i\sigma^{x+} \gamma^5 & \Rightarrow q_\uparrow^\dagger q_\downarrow + q_\downarrow^\dagger q_\uparrow & \text{transverse-spin density} \end{cases}$$

❖ $k_\perp$ and $\Delta_\perp$ dependent correlator:

$$H(x, k_\perp, \Delta_\perp) = \langle (P^+, -\frac{\Delta_\perp}{2}), \Lambda' | \mathcal{O}_{\lambda'\lambda}^q | (P^+, \frac{\Delta_\perp}{2}), \Lambda \rangle$$



Spin-Spin and Spin-Orbit correlations of quarks in the nucleon

$$H(x, k_{\perp}, \Delta_{\perp}) = \langle (P^+, -\frac{\Delta_{\perp}}{2}), \Lambda' | \int \frac{dz^- dz_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^3} \bar{q}_{\lambda'}(-\frac{z}{2}) \Gamma q_{\lambda}(\frac{z}{2}) e^{i(k^+ z^- - k_{\perp} \cdot z_{\perp})} | (P^+, \frac{\Delta_{\perp}}{2}), \Lambda \rangle$$

