

Moments of GPDs from the OPE of nonlocal quark bilinears

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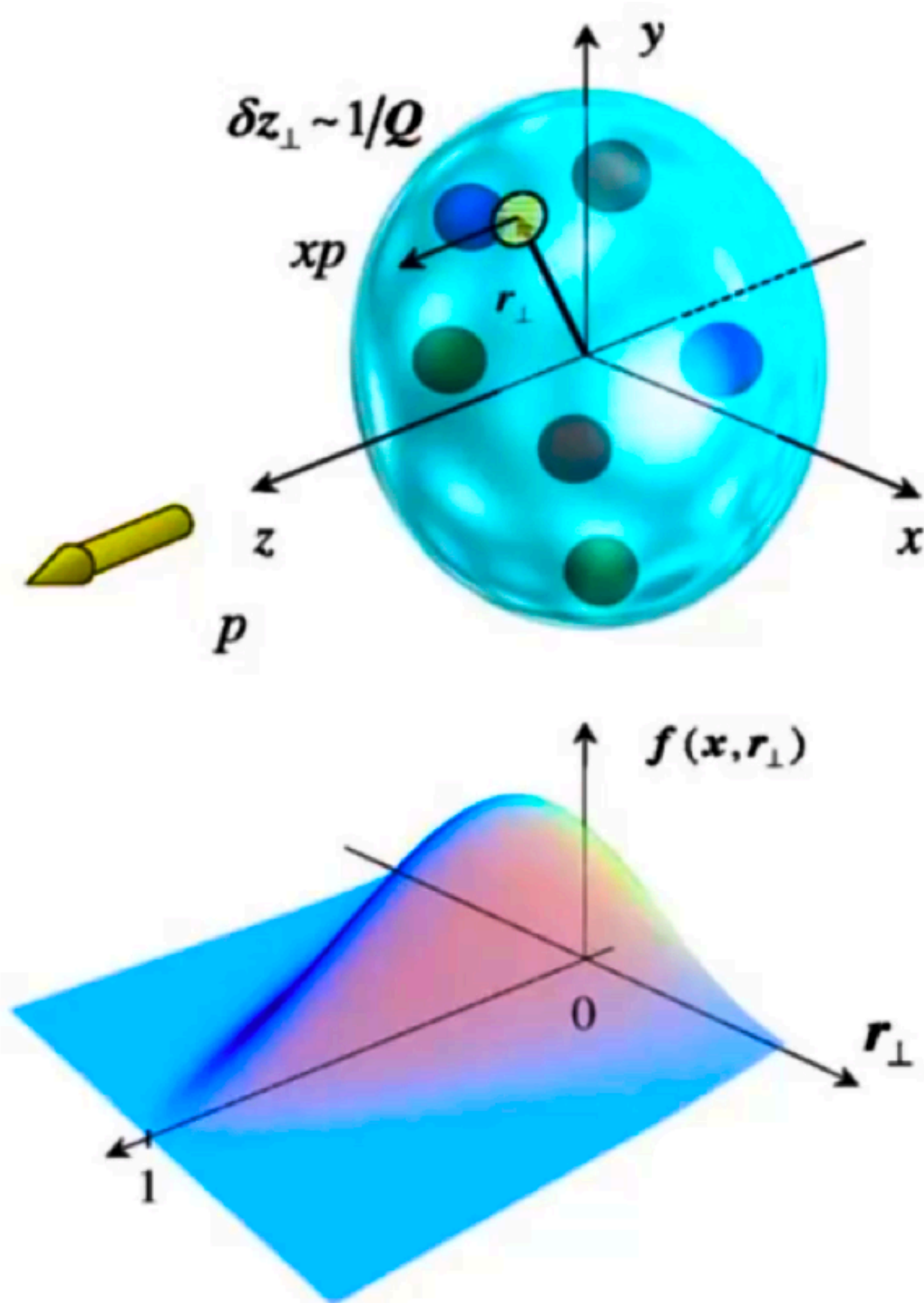
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GPDs goes far beyond the 1D PDFs and the transverse structure encoded in the form factors.



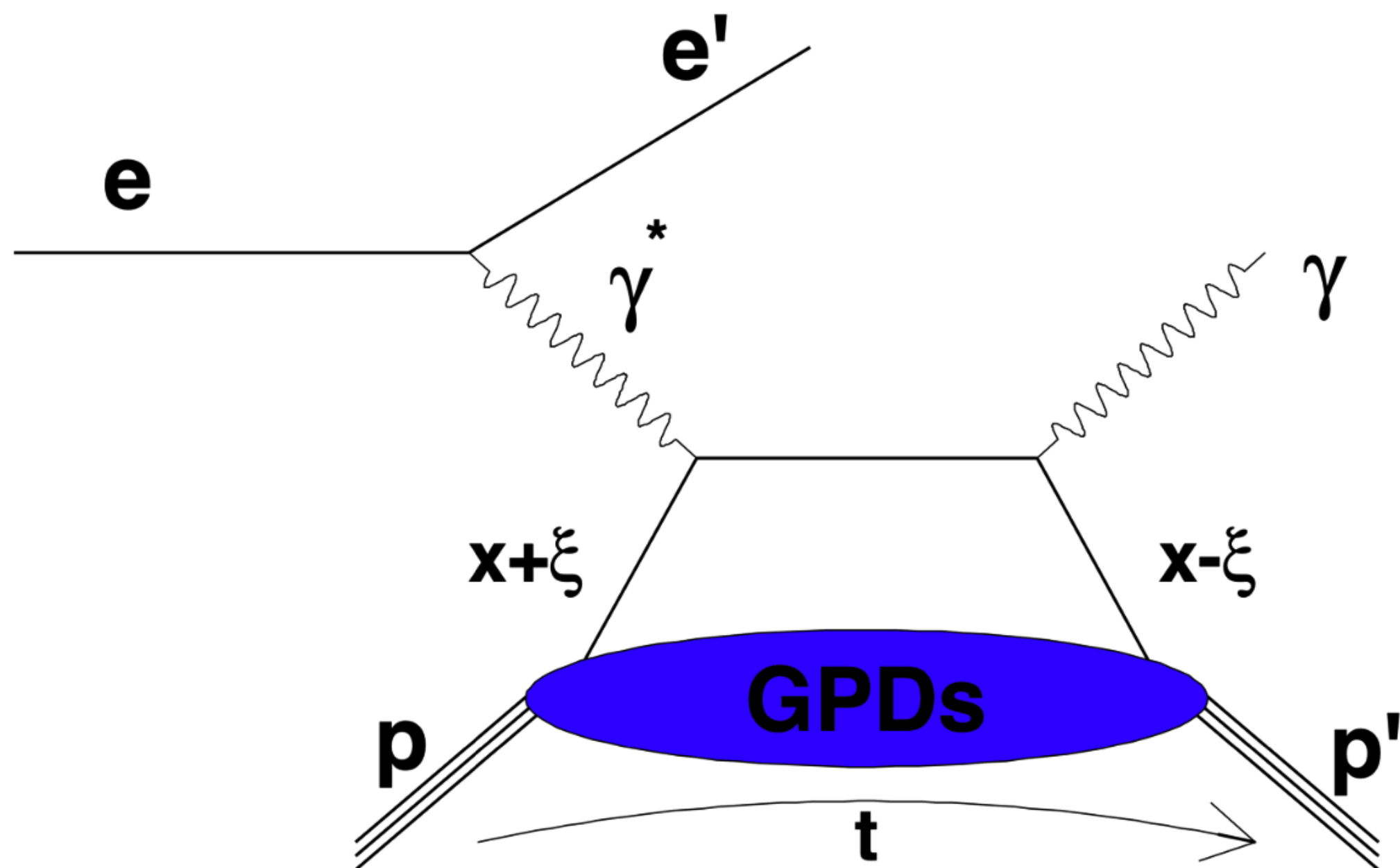
$$F_q(x, \xi, t) = \int \frac{dz^-}{4\pi} e^{-ixP^+z^-} \langle P_f | \bar{q}(-\frac{z}{2}) \gamma^{\mu} \mathcal{W}(-\frac{z}{2}, \frac{z}{2}) q(\frac{z}{2}) | P_i \rangle$$

- Offer insights into the 3D image of hadrons.
- Give access to the orbital motion and spin of partons.
- Have a relation to pressure and shear forces inside hadrons.

- Ji, PRL 78 (1997)
- Belitsky and Radyushkin: Phys.Rept. 418 (2005) 1-387

Generalized parton distributions

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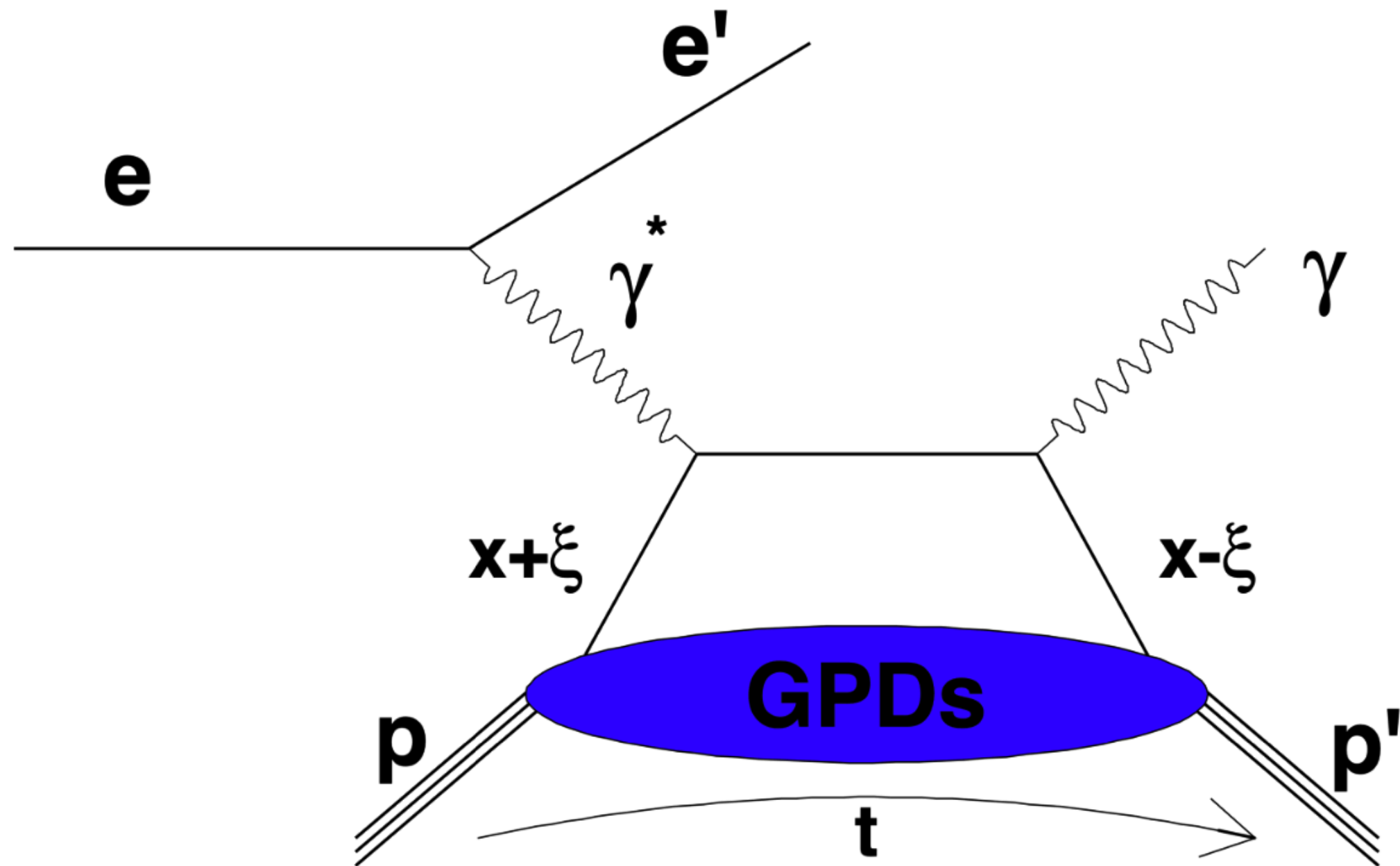
Challenging:

- Observables appear at the **amplitude level**.
- Multi-dimensionality (x, ξ, t) .
- The momentum fraction x is **integrated over** (Compton Form Factors).

$$\mathcal{F}(\xi, t; Q^2) = \int_{-1}^1 dx \left[\frac{1}{\xi - x - i\epsilon} \pm \frac{1}{\xi + x - i\epsilon} \right] F(x, \xi, t; Q^2)$$

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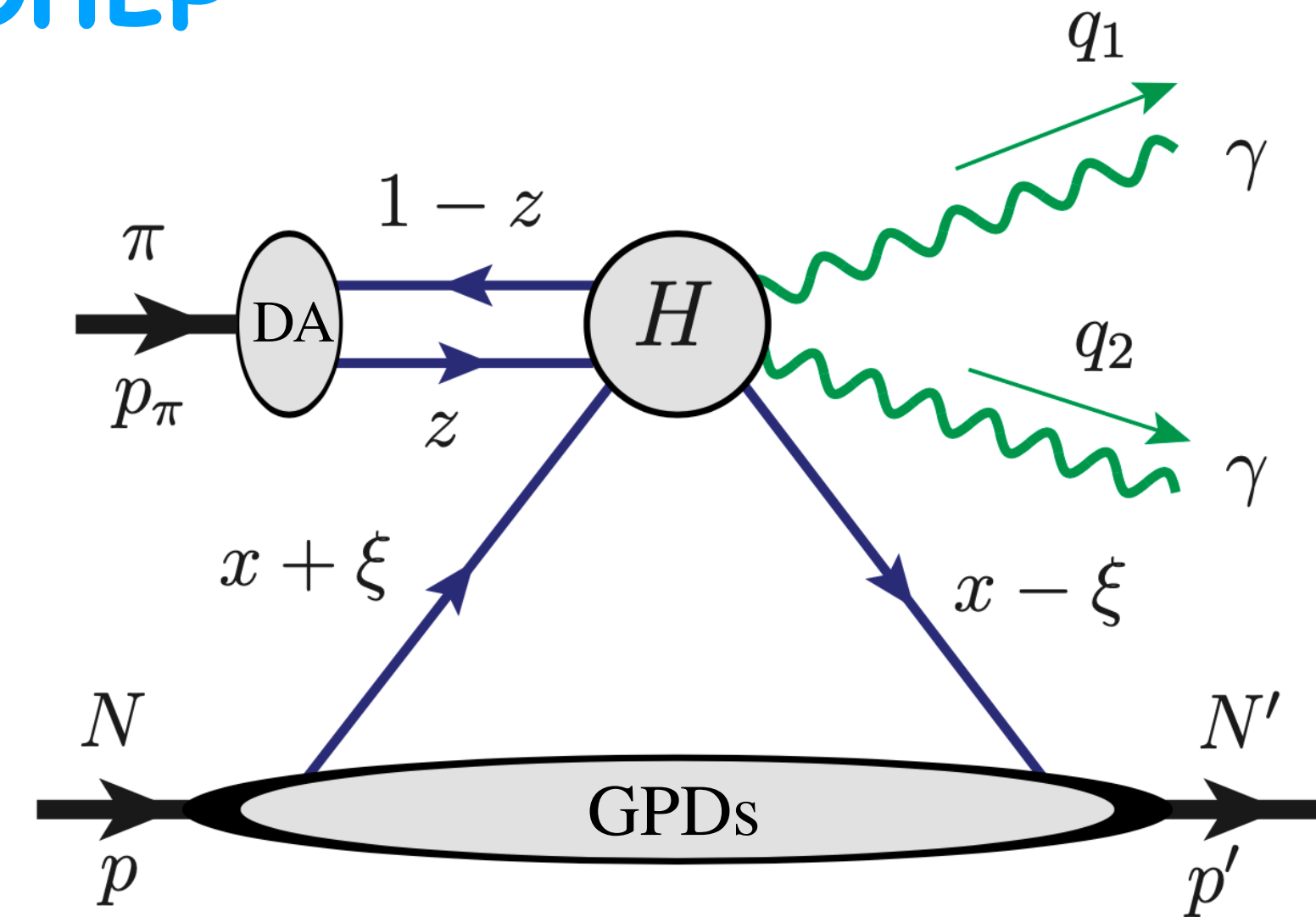
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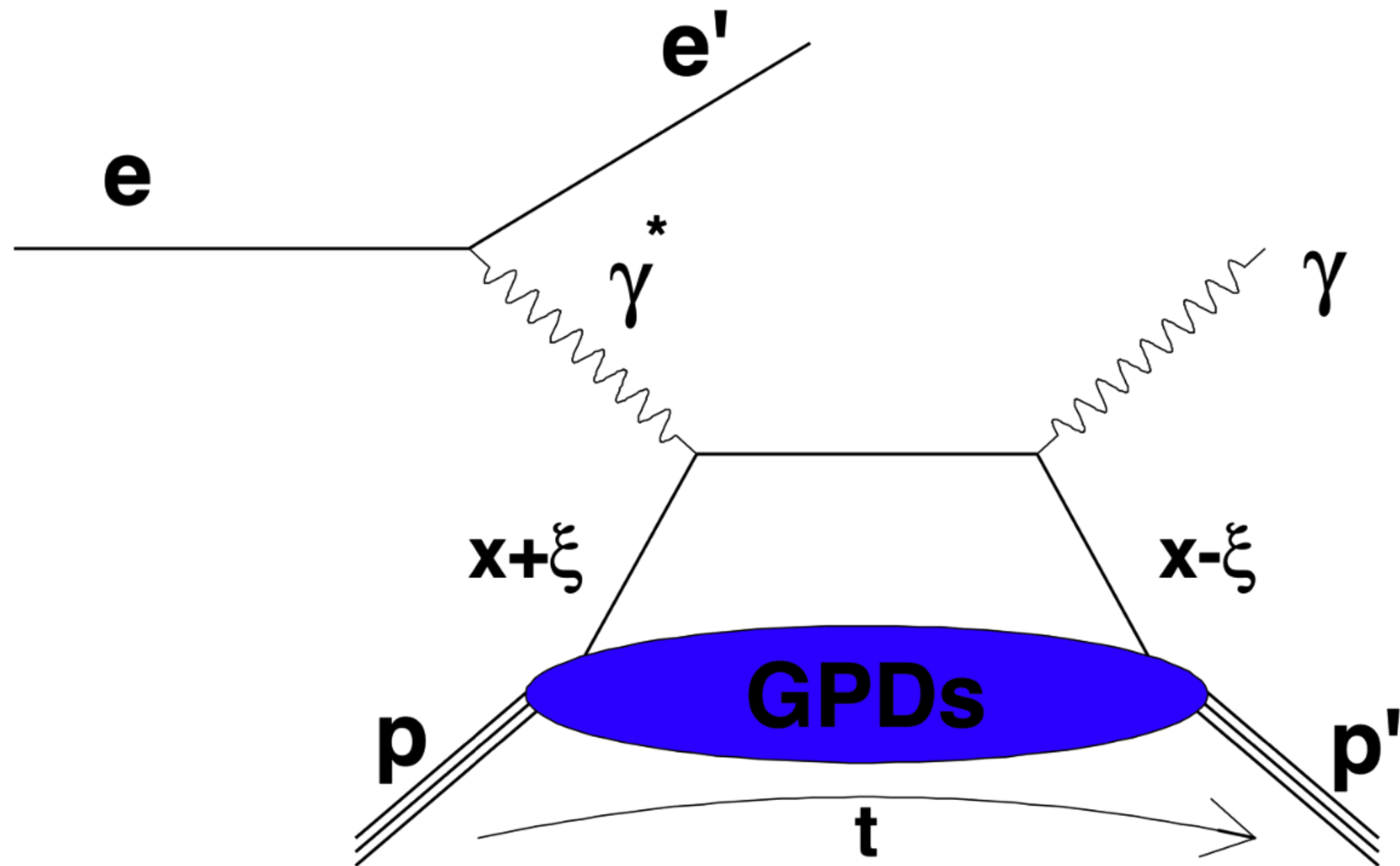


- Single diffractive hard exclusive processes have **enhanced sensitivity to the x -dependence**.
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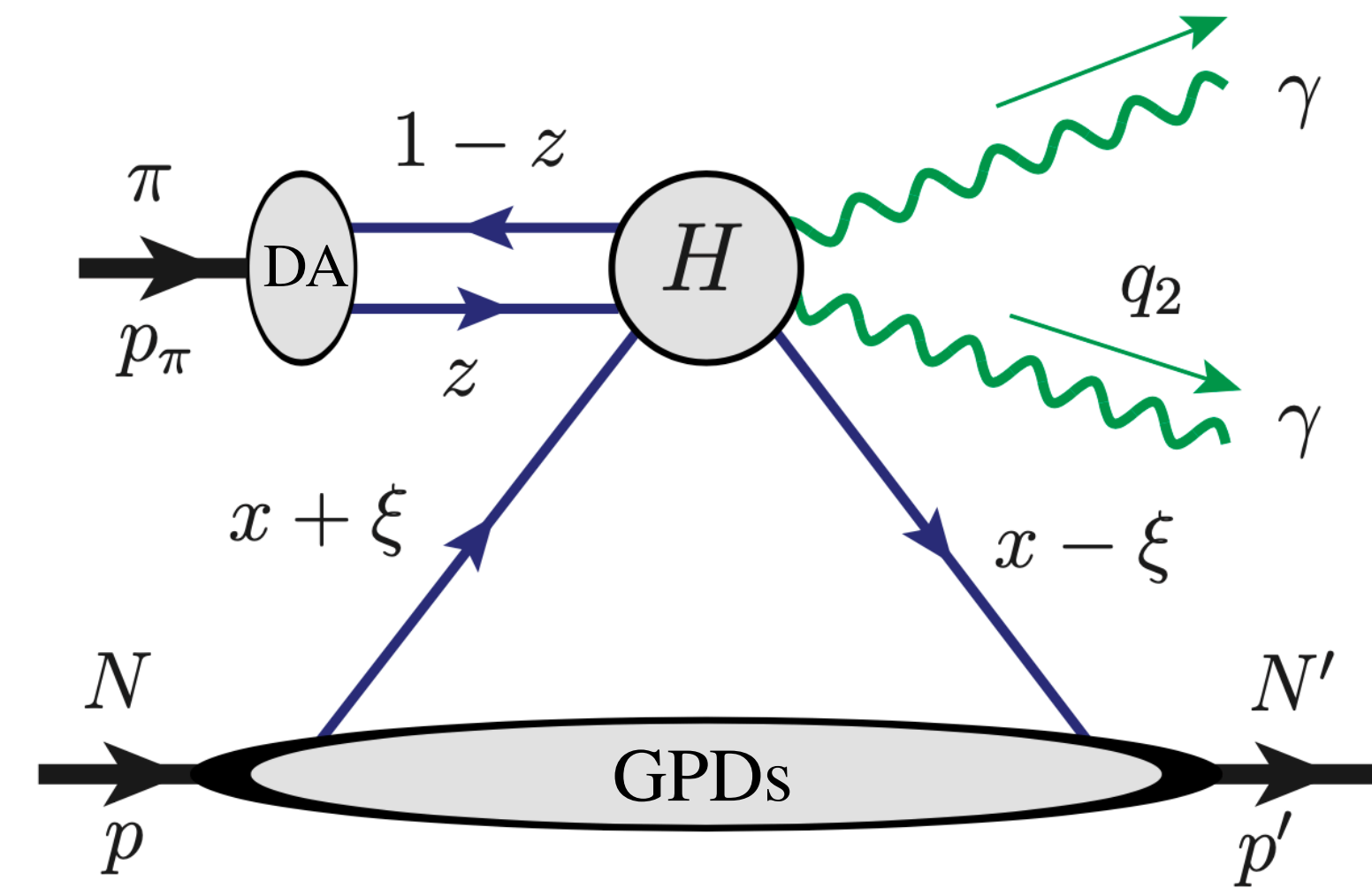
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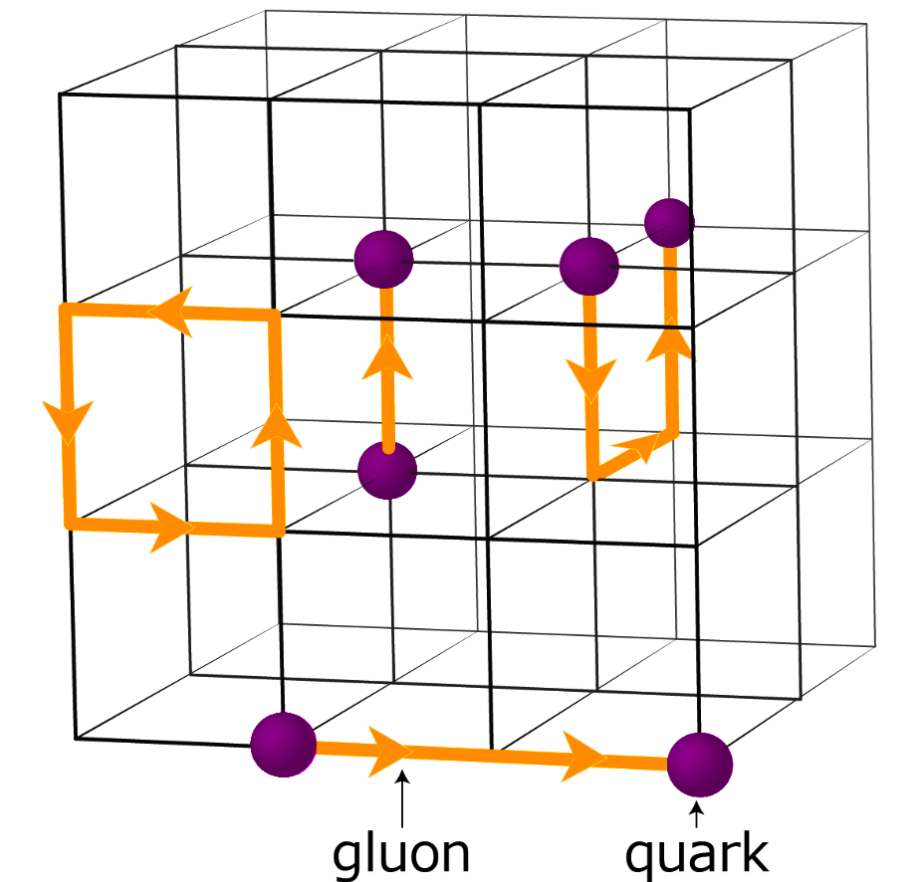
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Complementary knowledge from lattice QCD is essential.

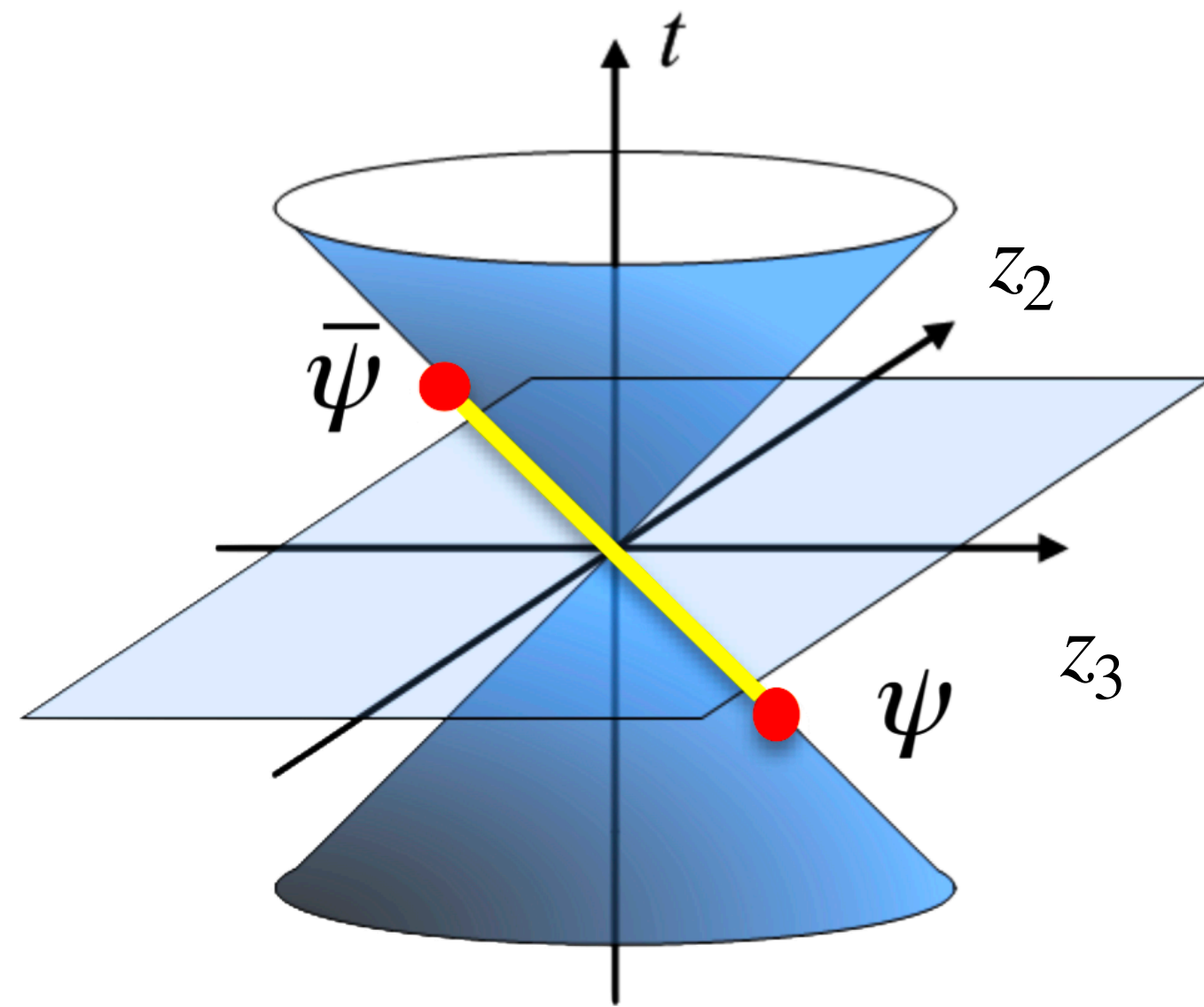
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Generalized parton distributions

$$z_3 + ct = 0, \quad z_3 - ct \neq 0$$



Light-cone correlation: Cannot be calculated on the lattice

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$$z^2 = 0$$

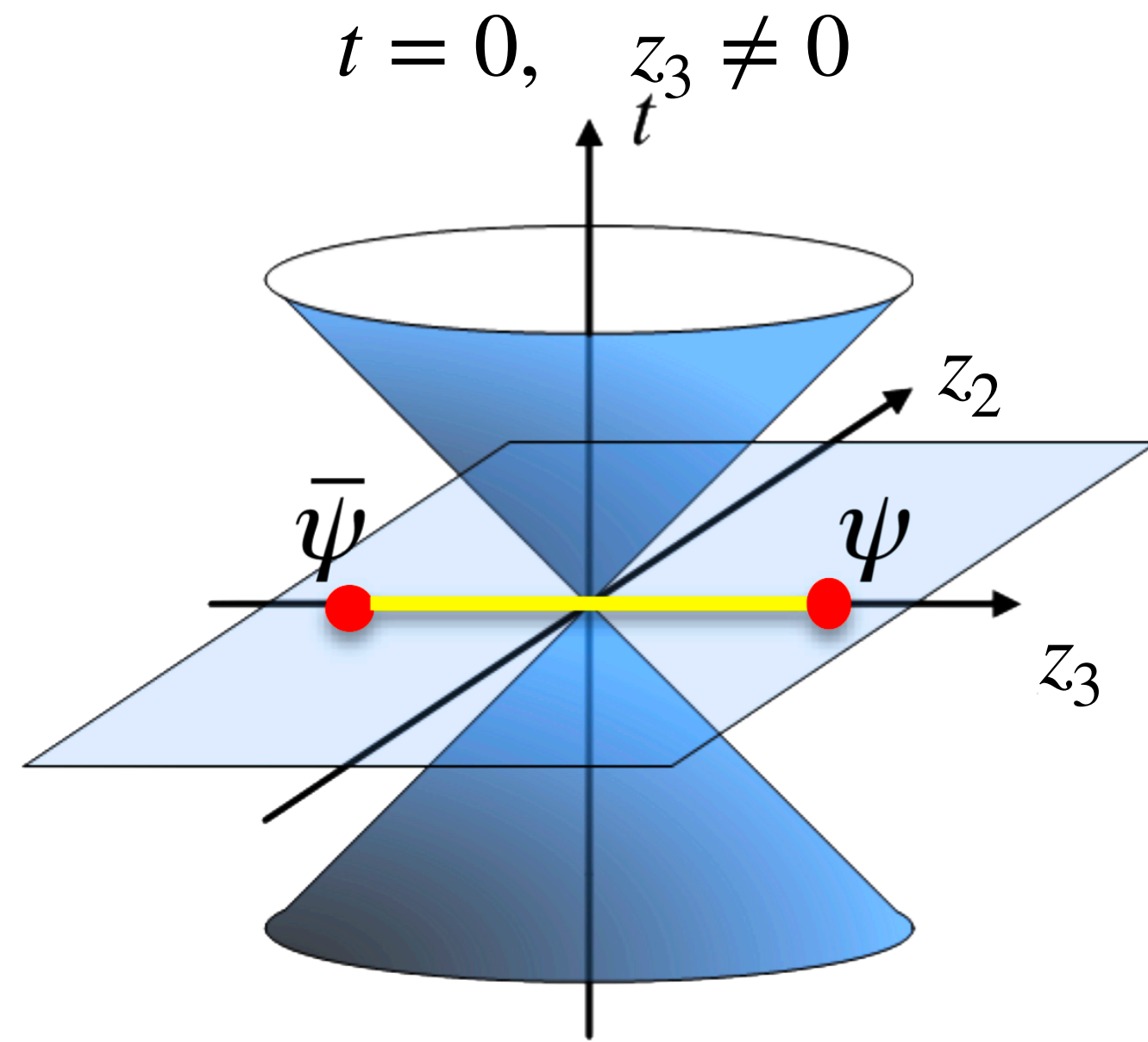
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High dimensional

Limited up to $\langle x^3 \rangle$ due to signal decay and power-divergent mixing with lower moments under renormalization.

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- **Large-momentum effective theory:** x -space matching of **quasi-PDF**.

X. Ji, PRL 2013
X. Ji, et al, RevModPhys 2021

- **Short distance factorization** of the quasi-PDF matrix elements in position space or the **pseudo-PDF** approach.

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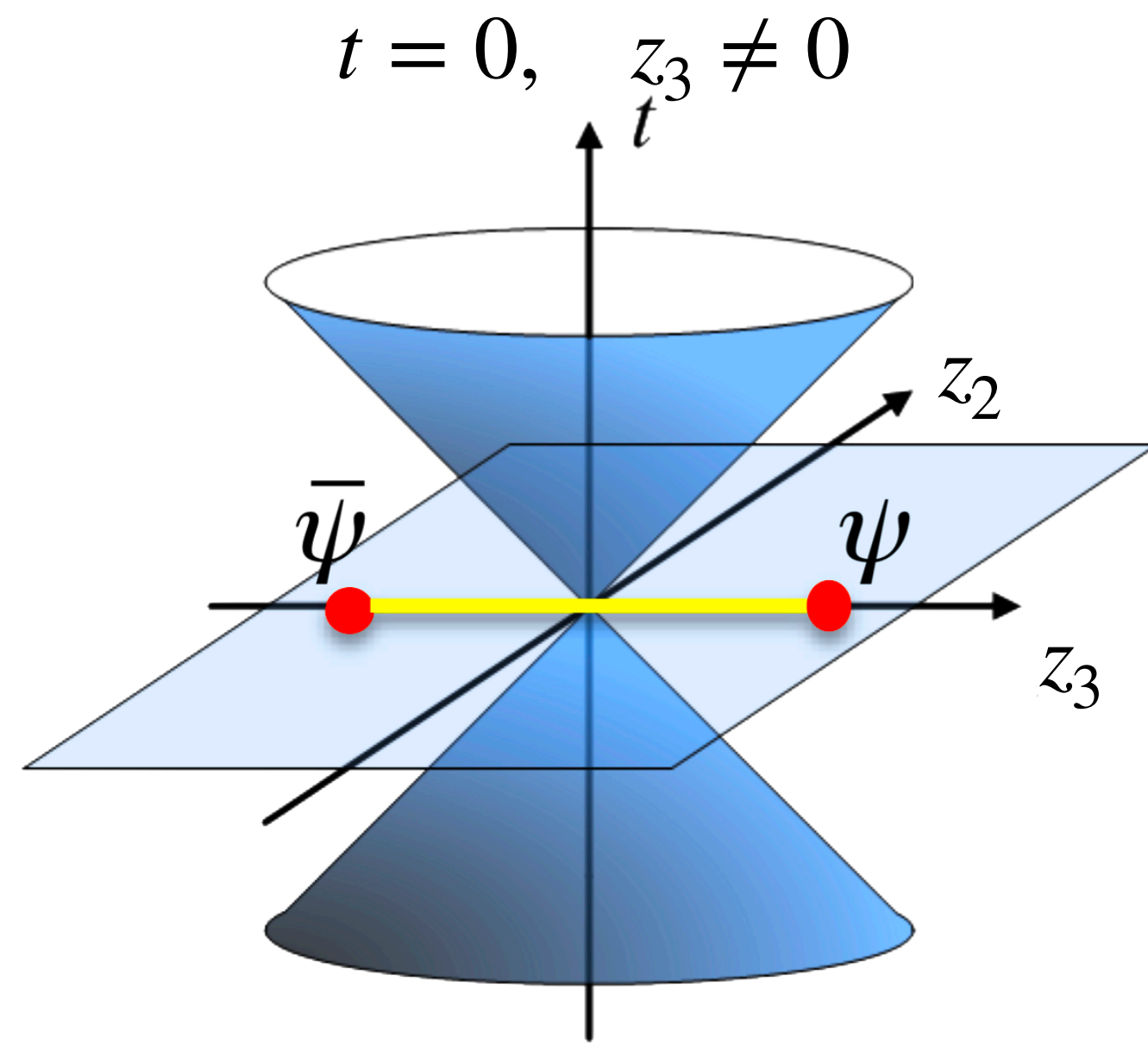
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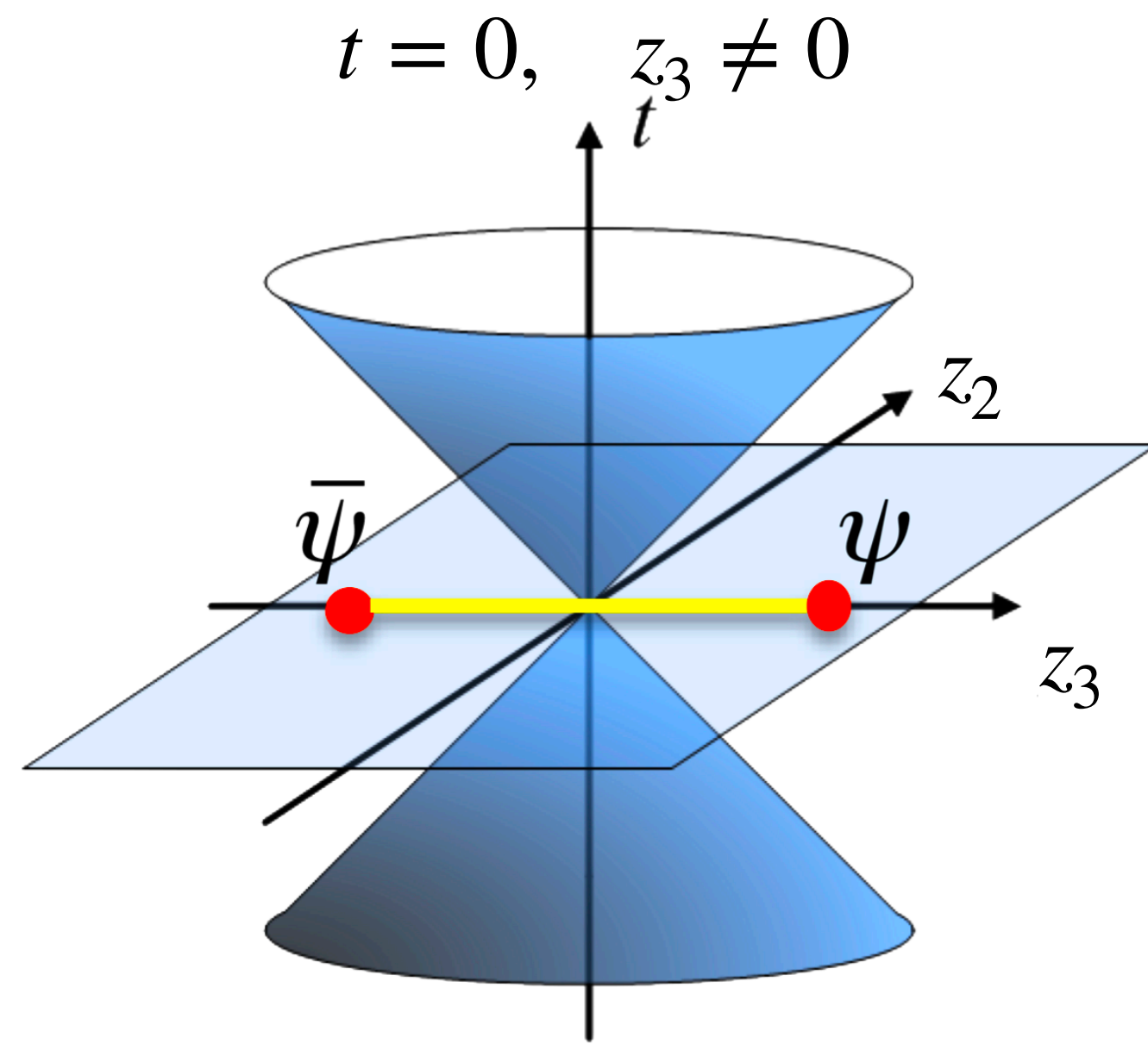
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Perturbative coefficients

- The perturbative matching is valid in **short range of z^2** .
- The information that lattice data contains is limited by the range of **finite $\lambda = zP$** .

Large P_z still essential!

Short distance factorization



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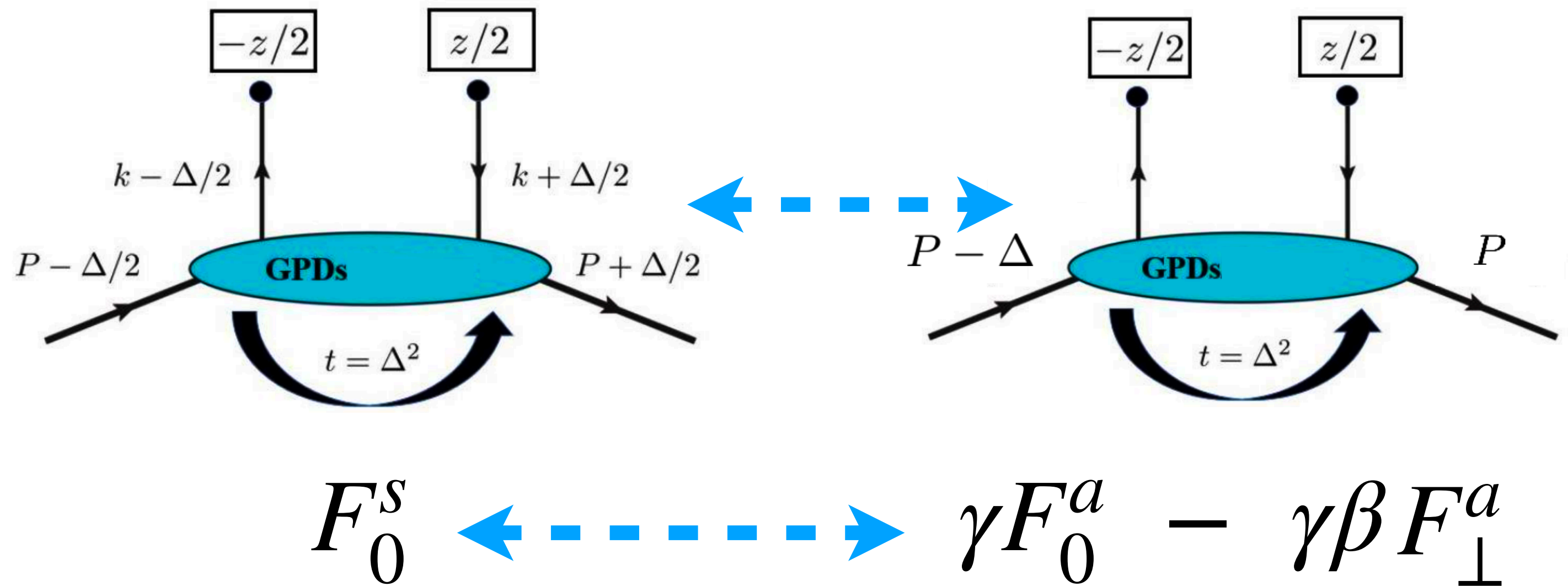
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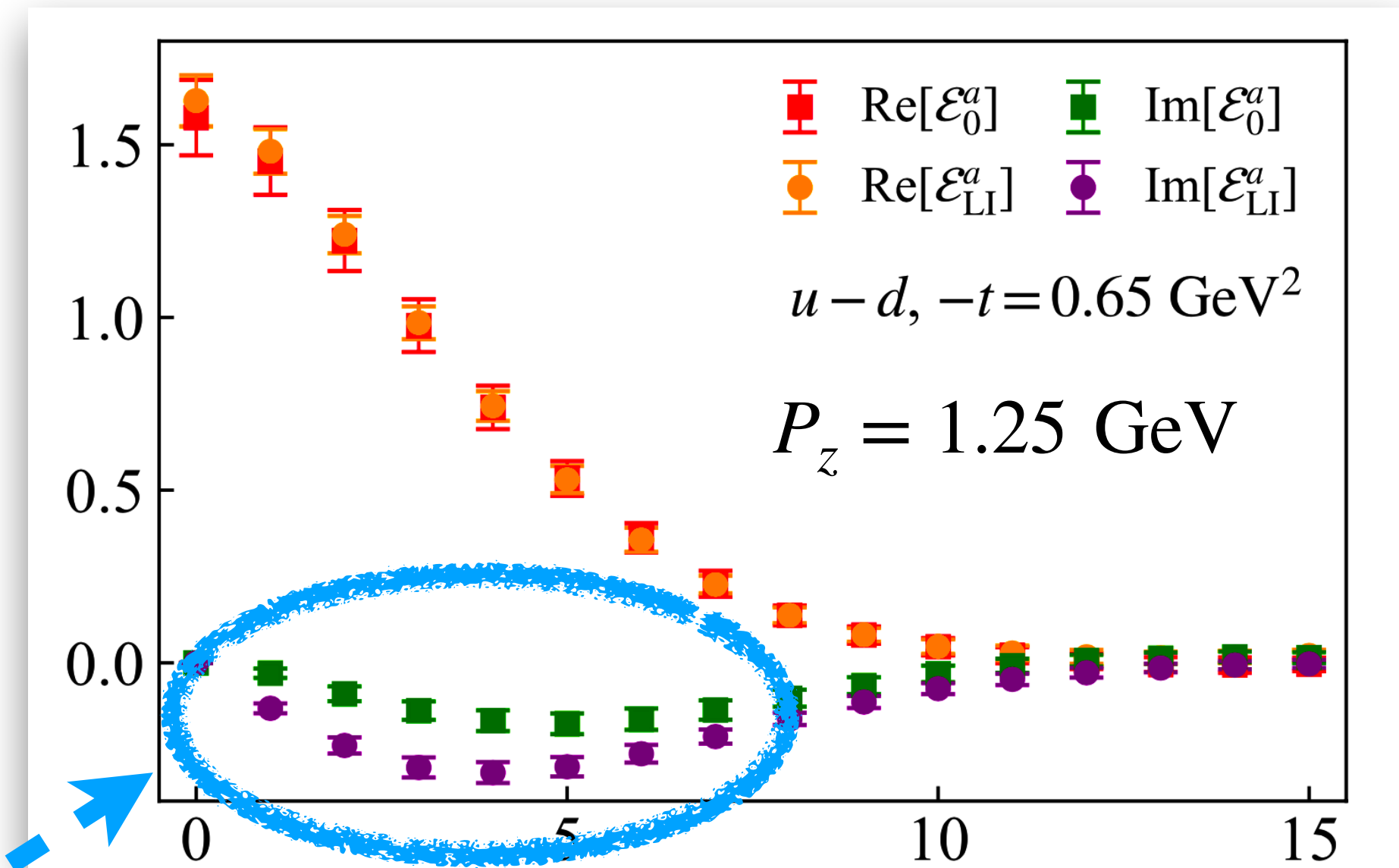
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frame-dependent power corrections
 $\sim \Delta/P$ at the tree level

12 quasi-GPD matrix elements

The matrix elements can be parametrized in terms of 8 **Lorentz invariant amplitudes**:
 $A_i(z \cdot P, z \cdot \Delta, \Delta^2, z^2)$: more details in Shohini Bhattacharya's talk • S. Bhattacharya, et al., PRD 106 (2022)

$$F^\mu(z, P, \Delta) = \bar{u}(p_f, \lambda') \left[\frac{P^\mu}{m} A_1 + m z^\mu A_2 + \frac{\Delta^\mu}{m} A_3 + i m \sigma^{\mu z} A_4 + \frac{i \sigma^{\mu \Delta}}{m} A_5 + \frac{P^\mu i \sigma^{z \Delta}}{m} A_6 + m z^\mu i \sigma^{z \Delta} A_7 + \frac{\Delta^\mu i \sigma^{z \Delta}}{m} A_8 \right] u(p_i, \lambda)$$

- Construct qGPD using the A_i .
- **Frame independent**, computational cheaper for multiple t .
- Potentially reduce the power corrections with proper construction.

A Lorentz invariant (LI) choice analogous to the light-cone GPD:

$$\mathcal{H}(z, P, \Delta) = A_1 + \frac{\Delta \cdot z}{P \cdot z} A_3$$

$$\mathcal{E}(z, P, \Delta)$$

$$= -A_1 - \frac{\Delta \cdot z}{P \cdot z} A_3 + 2A_5 + 2P \cdot z A_6 + 2\Delta \cdot z A_8$$

► Differ from Light-cone GPD only by $z^2 \neq 0$

Renormalization

- The operator can be **multiplicatively renormalized**

- X. Ji, J. H. Zhang and Y. Zhao, PRL120.112001
- J. Green, K. Jansen and F. Steffens, PRL.121.022004

$$[\bar{\psi}(0)\Gamma W_{\hat{z}}(0,z)\psi(z)]_B = e^{-\delta m(a)|z|} Z(a) [\bar{\psi}(0)\Gamma W_{\hat{z}}(0,z)\psi(z)]_R$$

- Short distance factorization with **ratio scheme renormalization**

- A. V. Radyushkin et al., PRD 96 (2017)
- BNL, PRD 102 (2020)

$$\mathcal{M}(z^2, zP, \Delta^2) = \frac{\mathcal{H}^R(z, P, \Delta; \mu)}{\mathcal{H}^R(z, P=0, \Delta=0; \mu)} = \frac{\mathcal{H}^B(z, P, \Delta; a)}{\mathcal{H}^B(z, P=0, \Delta=0; a)}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-izP)^n}{n!} \frac{C_n(z^2\mu^2)}{C_n(z^2\mu^2)} \langle x^n \rangle(\Delta^2; \mu) + \mathcal{O}(z^2\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2)$$

$$C_n^{\overline{MS}}(\mu^2 z^2) = 1 + \alpha_s C^{(1)}(\mu^2 z^2) + \dots \text{ up to NNLO}$$

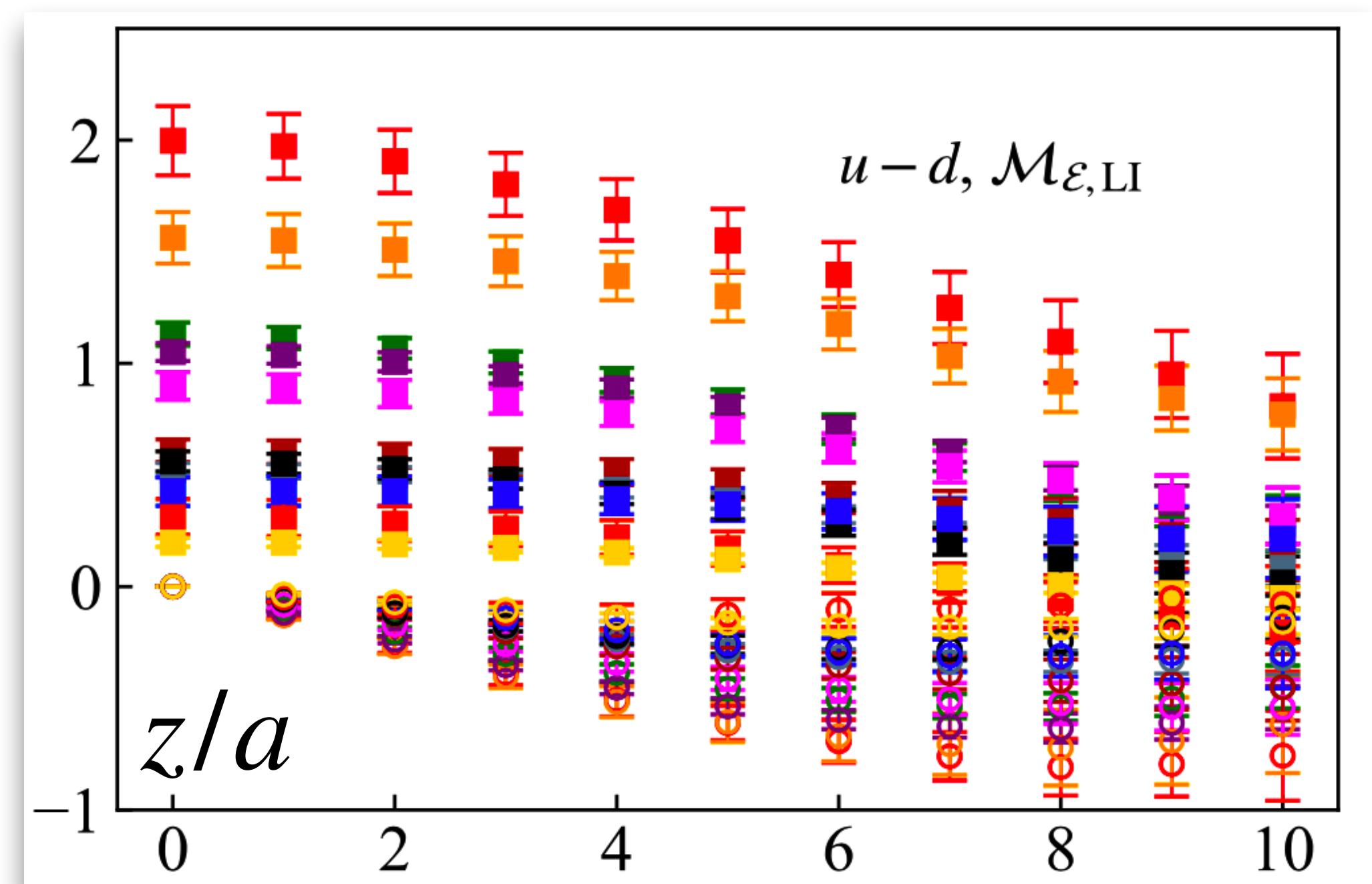
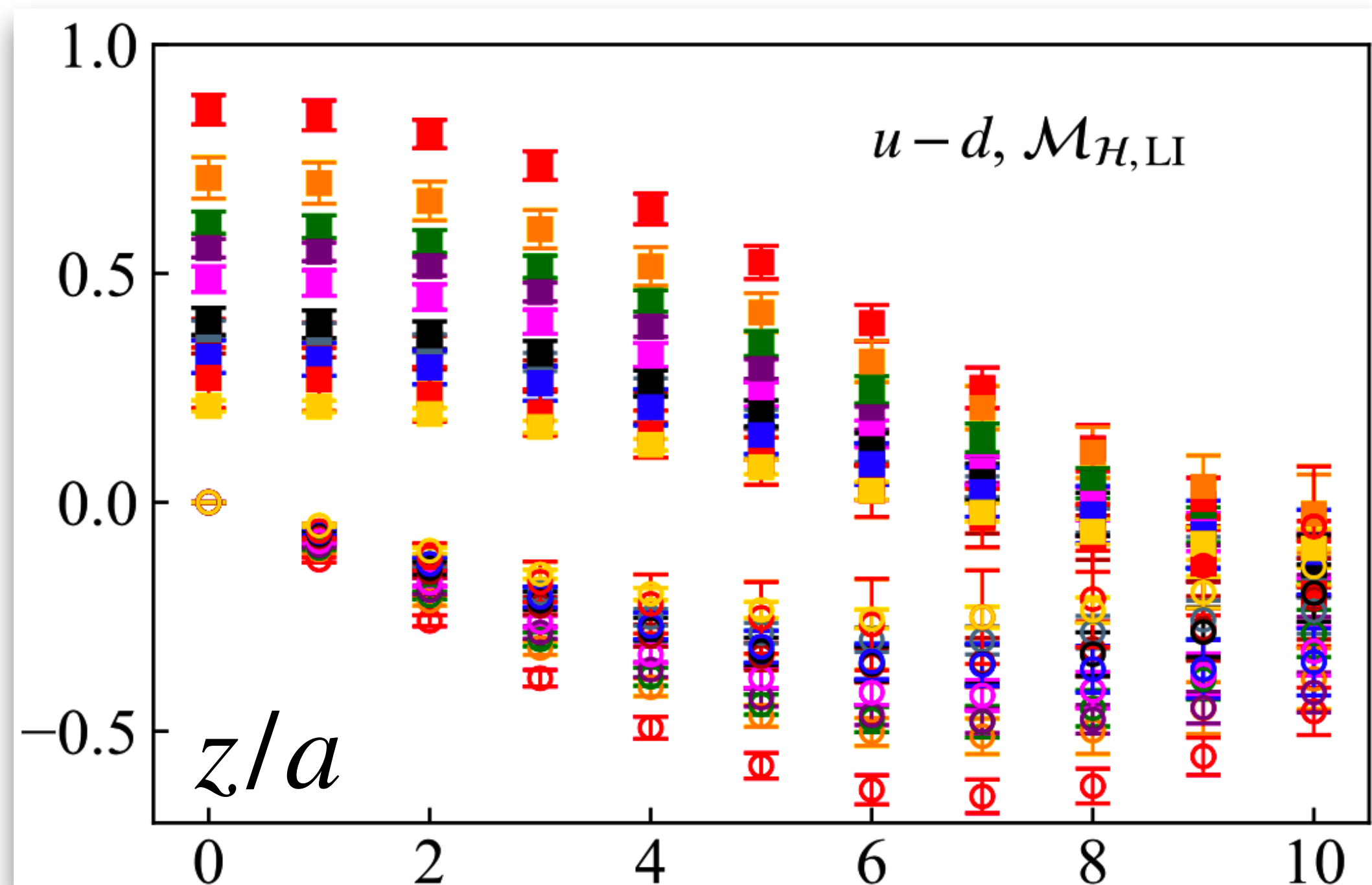
- **Lattice setup**

$m_\pi = 260 \text{ MeV}, a = 0.093 \text{ fm}, 32^3 \times 64, N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ twisted mass fermions

Renormalized matrix elements

- S. Bhattacharya, X. Gao, et al., Phys.Rev.D 108 (2023) 1, 014507

$$-t = \begin{array}{cccc} \color{red}\blacksquare & 0.17\text{GeV}^2 & \color{purple}\blacksquare & 0.69\text{GeV}^2 & \color{blue}\blacksquare & 1.39\text{GeV}^2 & \color{red}\blacksquare & 2.33\text{GeV}^2 \\ \color{orange}\blacksquare & 0.34\text{GeV}^2 & \color{magenta}\blacksquare & 0.81\text{GeV}^2 & \color{black}\blacksquare & 1.40\text{GeV}^2 & \color{yellow}\blacksquare & 2.78\text{GeV}^2 \\ \color{green}\blacksquare & 0.66\text{GeV}^2 & \color{red}\blacksquare & 1.26\text{GeV}^2 & \color{blue}\blacksquare & 1.54\text{GeV}^2 & & \end{array}$$



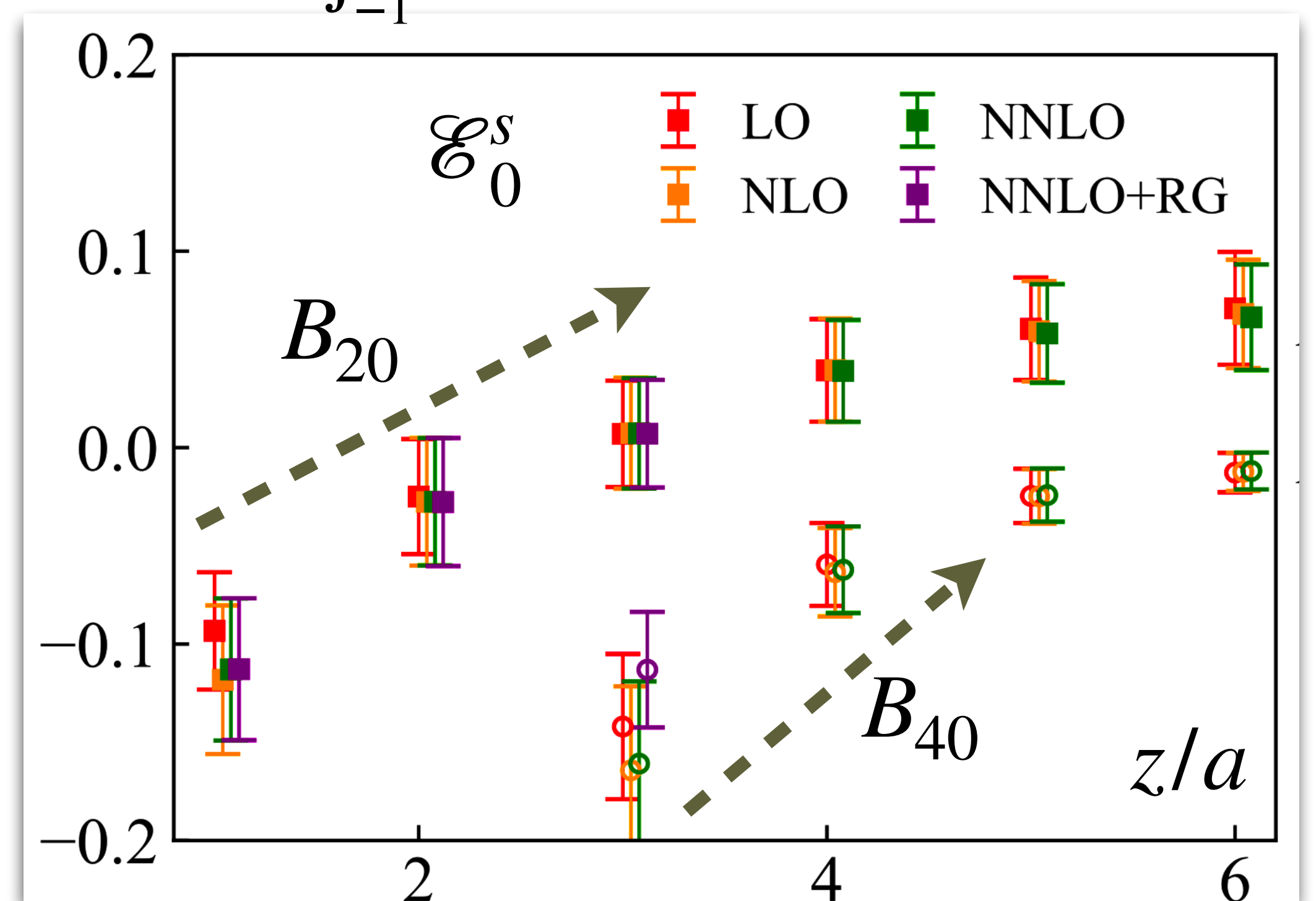
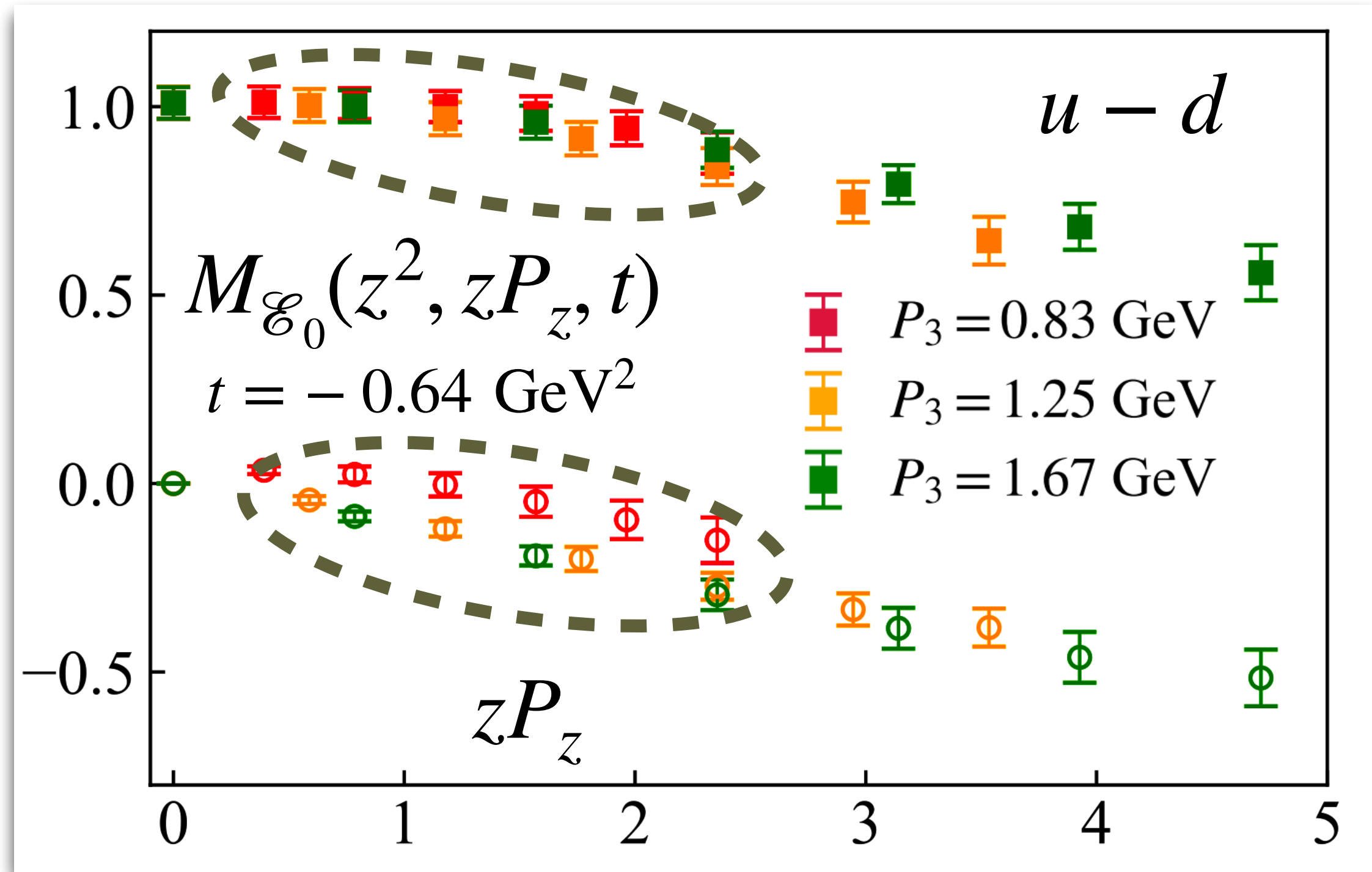
- filled symbols: real part, sensitive to **even moments**
- ◉ unfilled symbols: imaginary part, sensitive to **odd moments**

$$P_z = 1.25 \text{ GeV}, a = 0.093 \text{ fm}$$

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● no scaling with zP_z

● not constant in z

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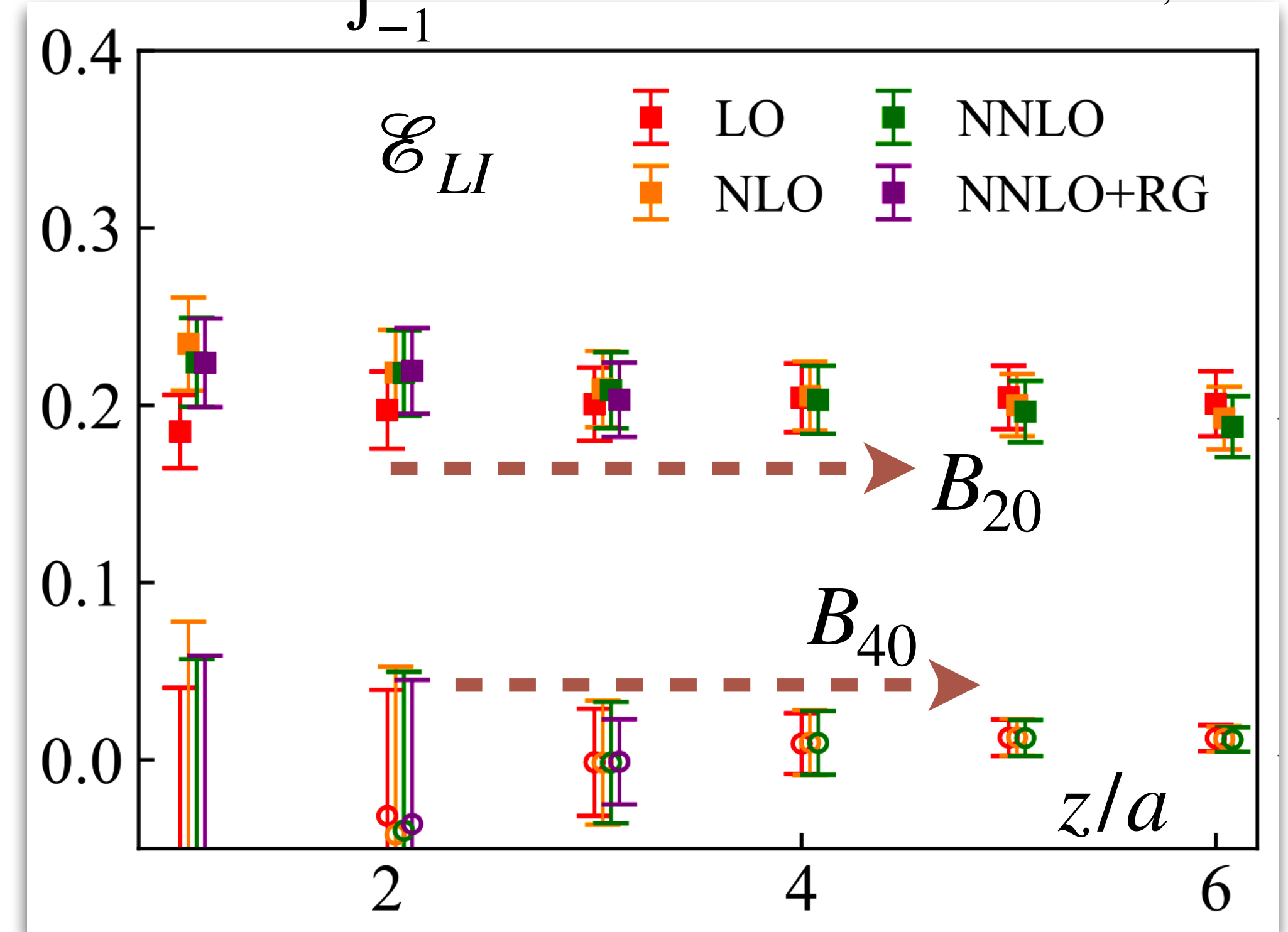
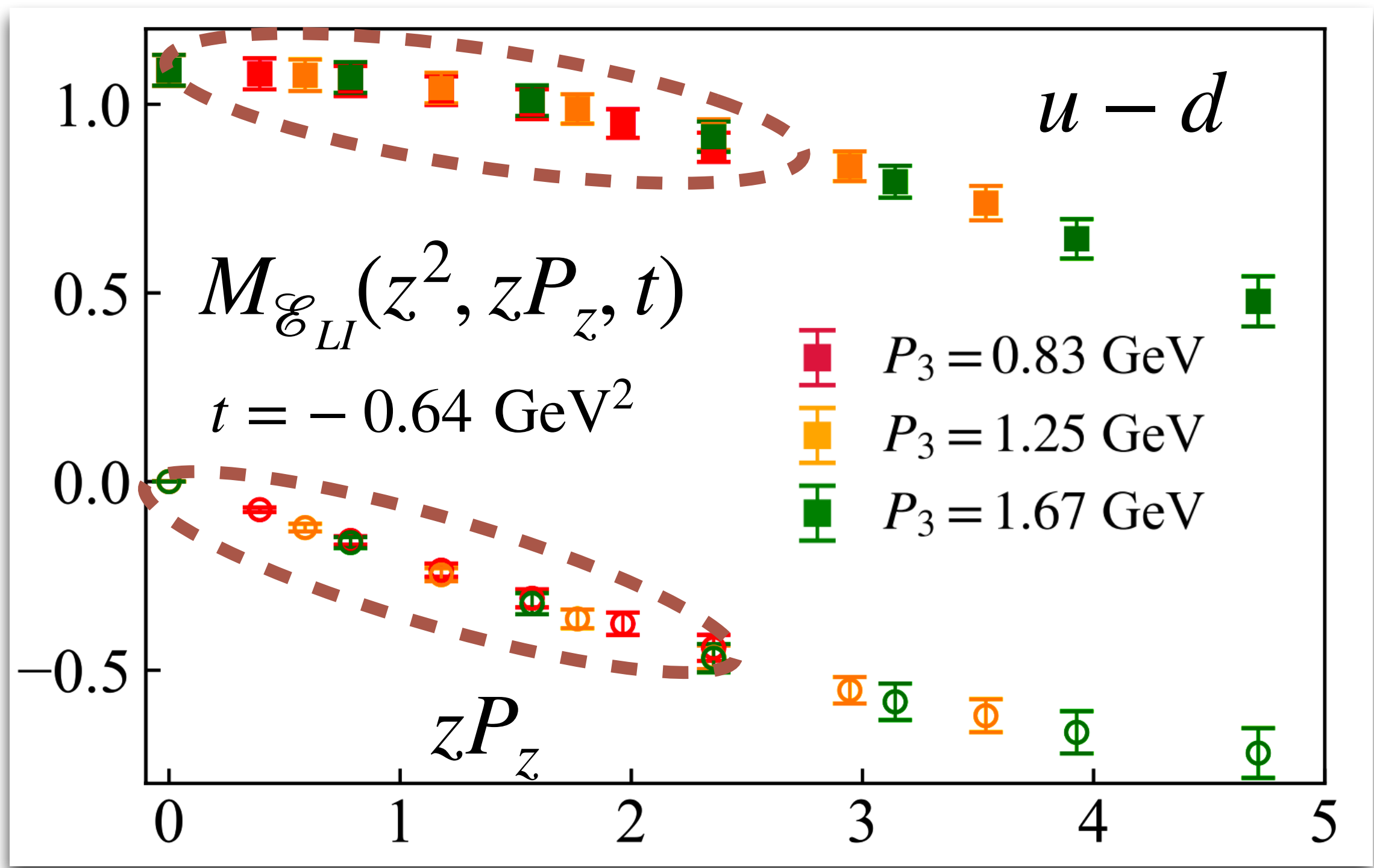
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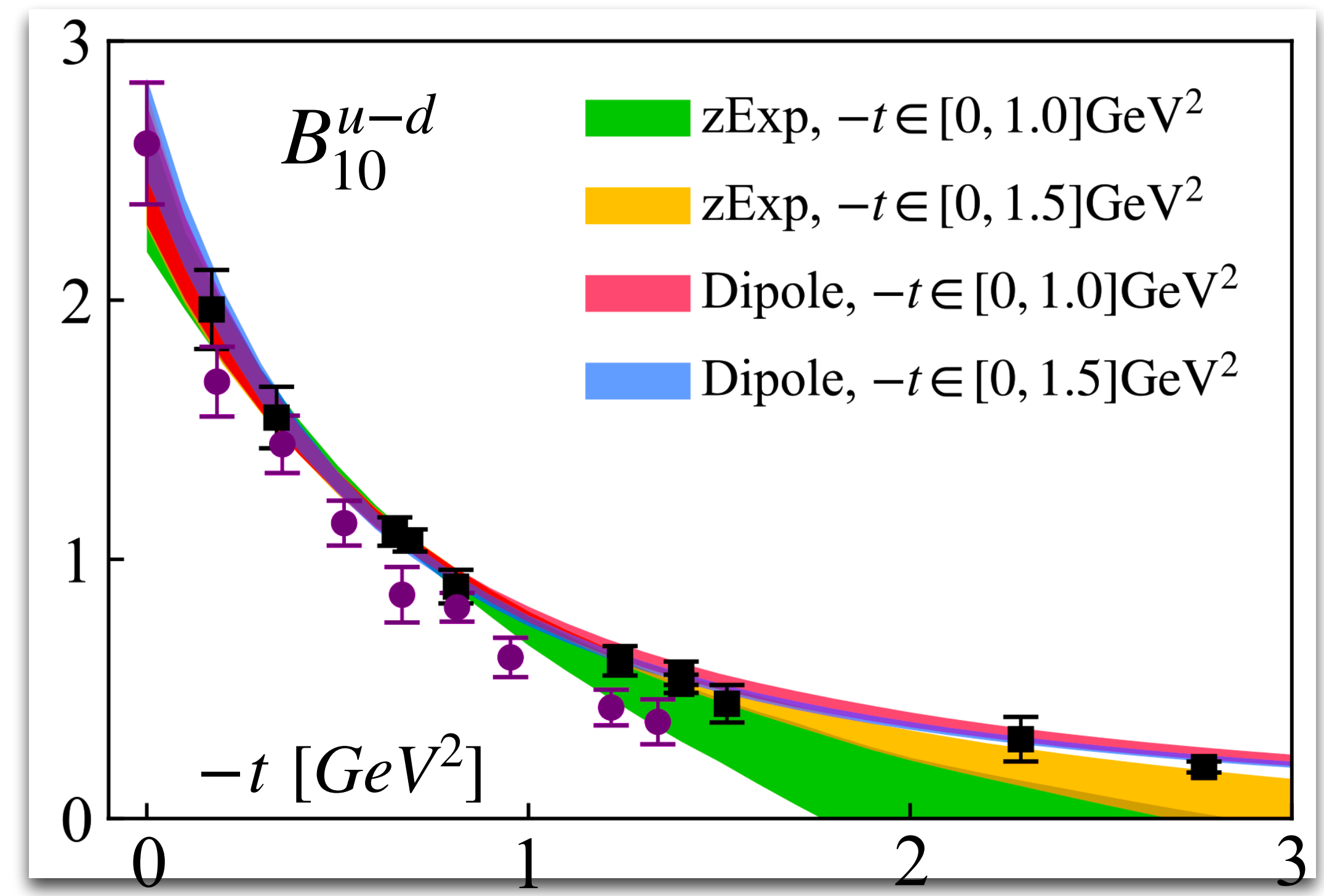
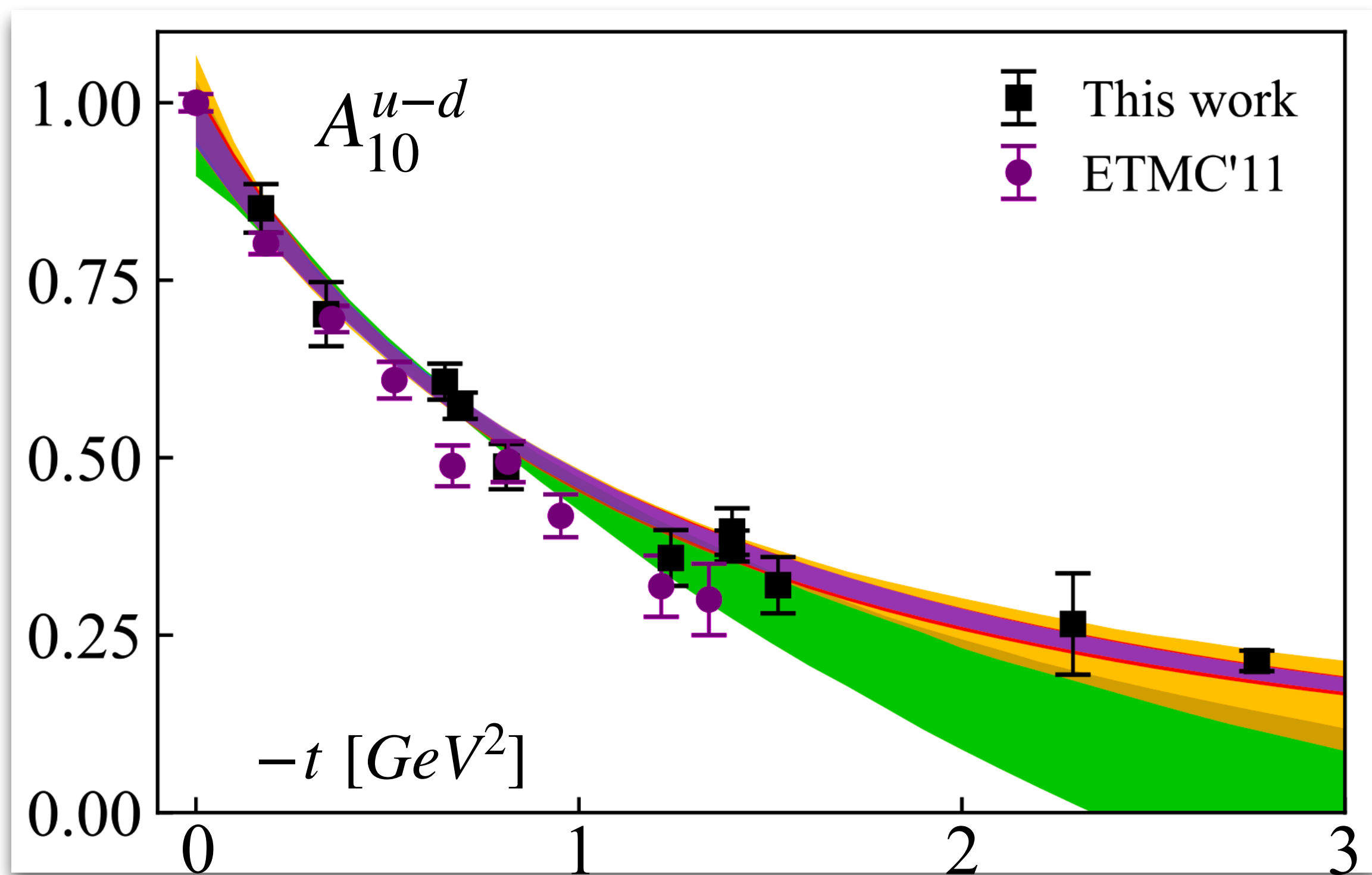
- Perturbative corrections $C_n(z^2\mu^2) = 1 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$
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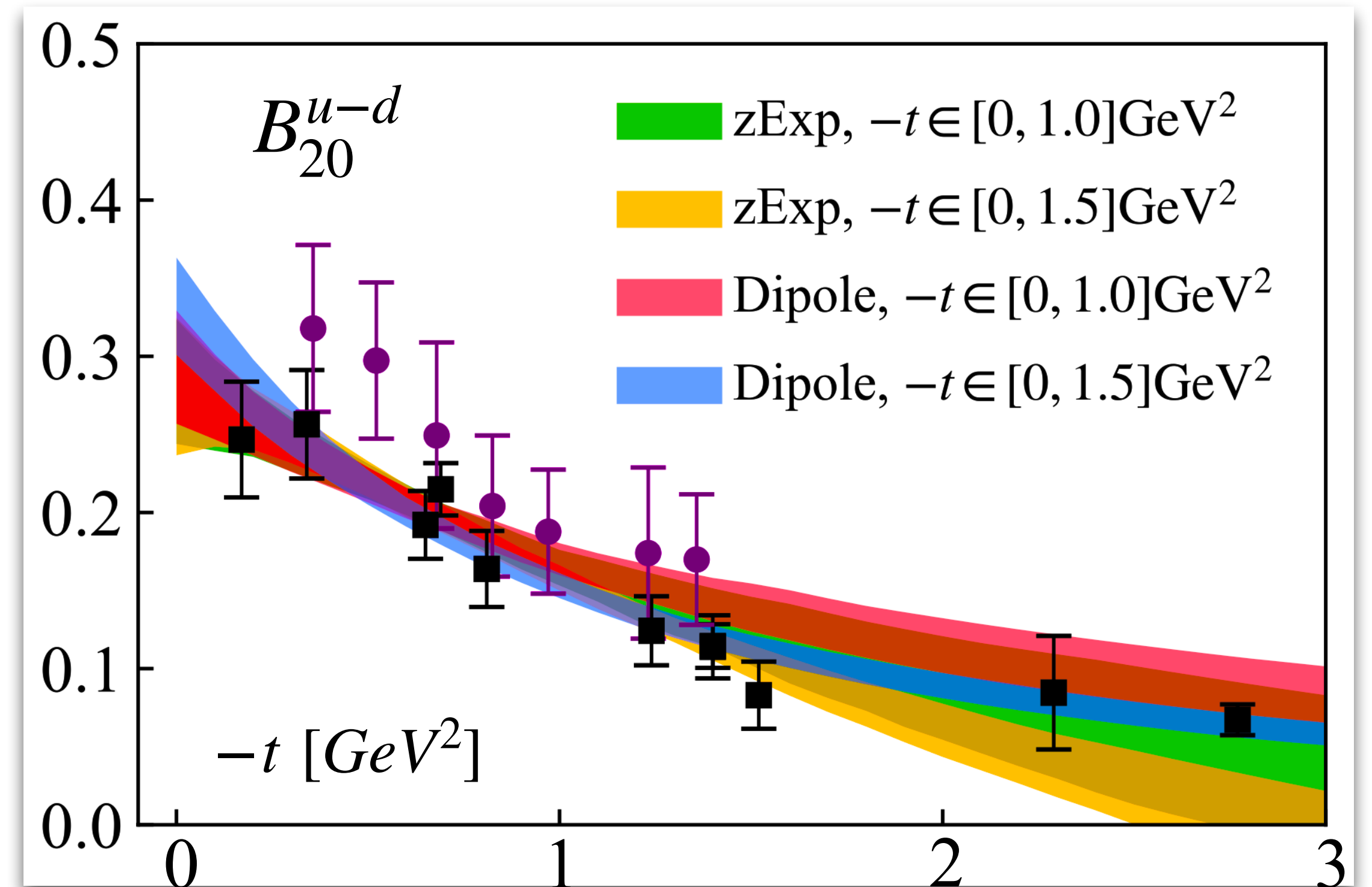
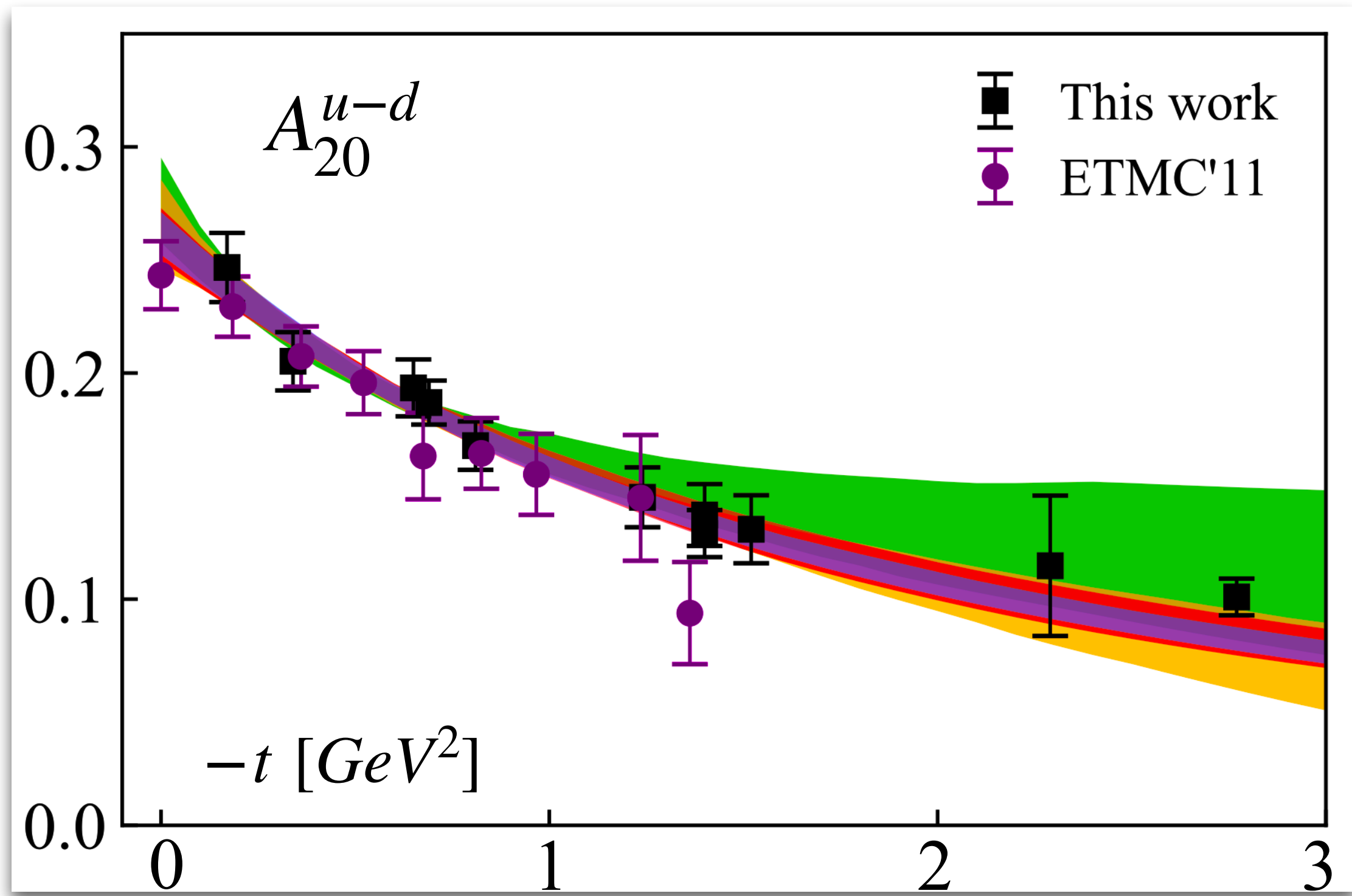
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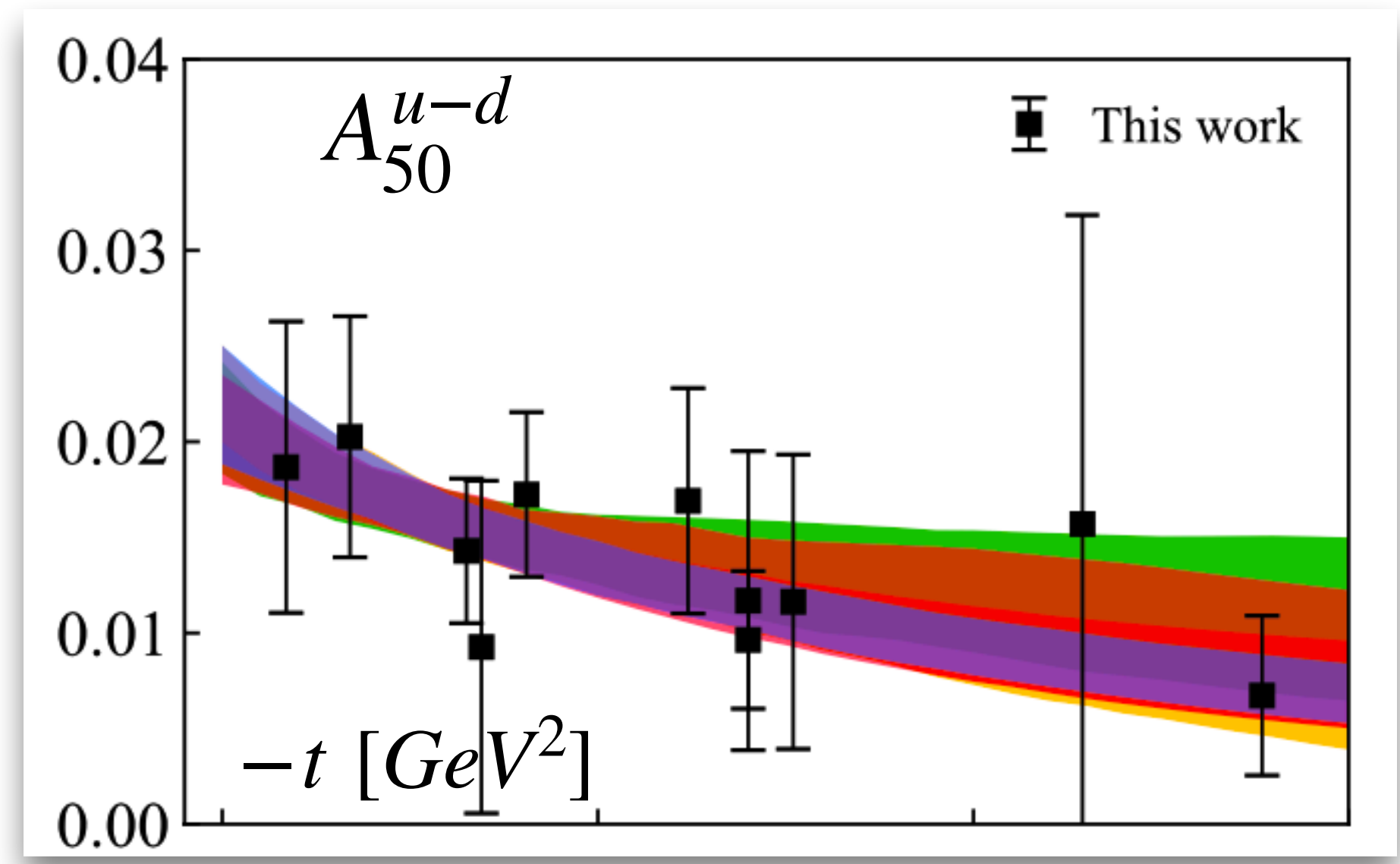
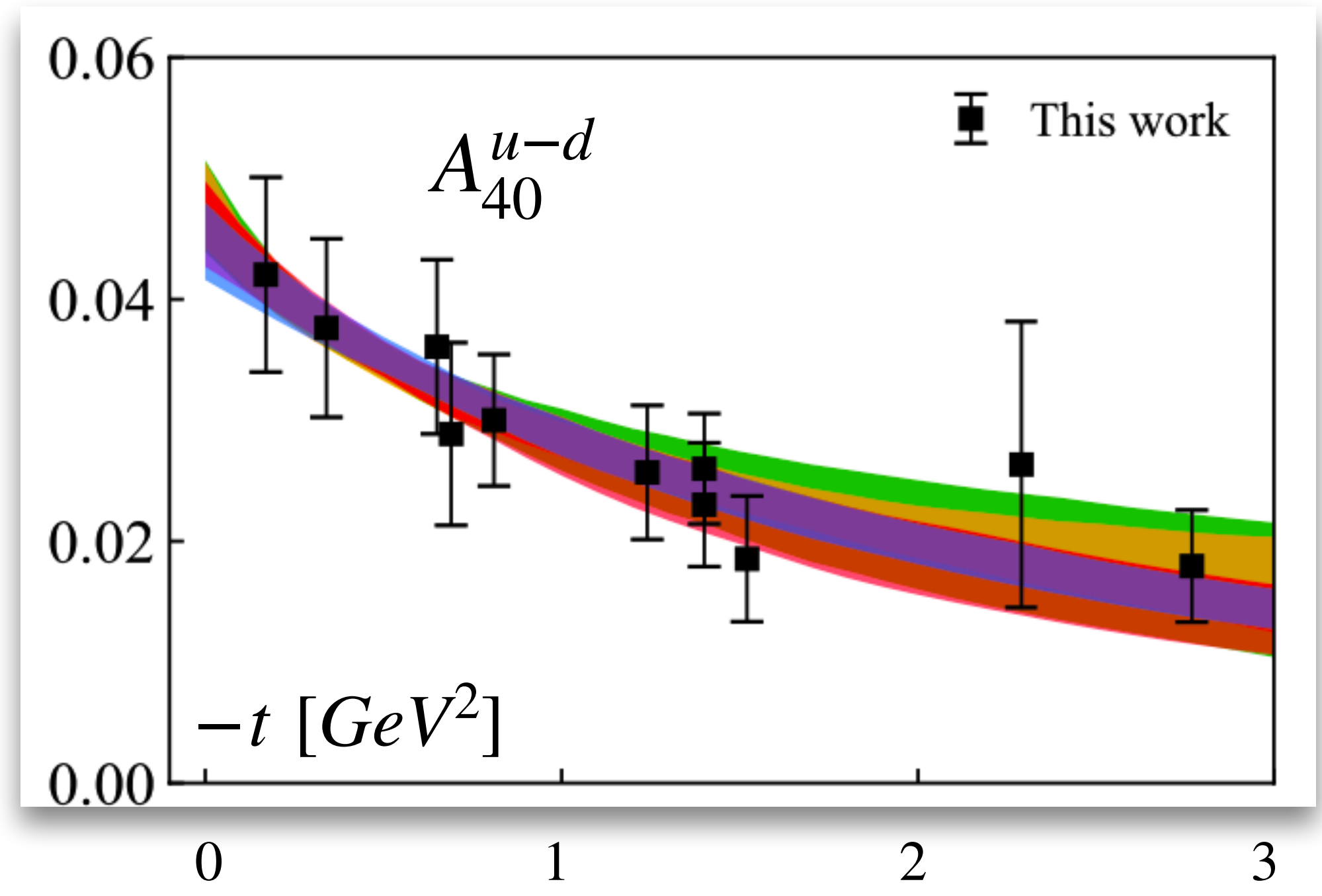
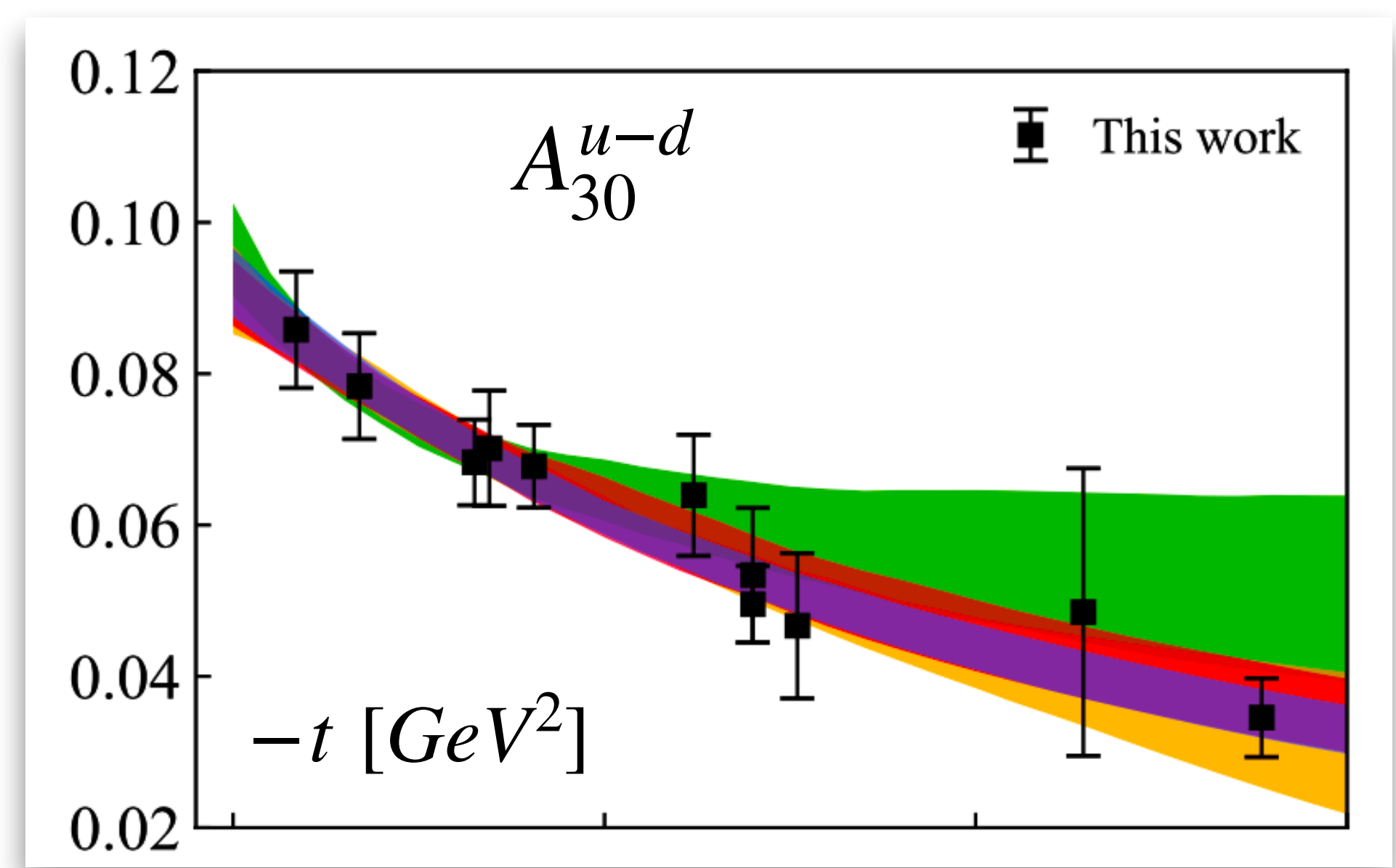
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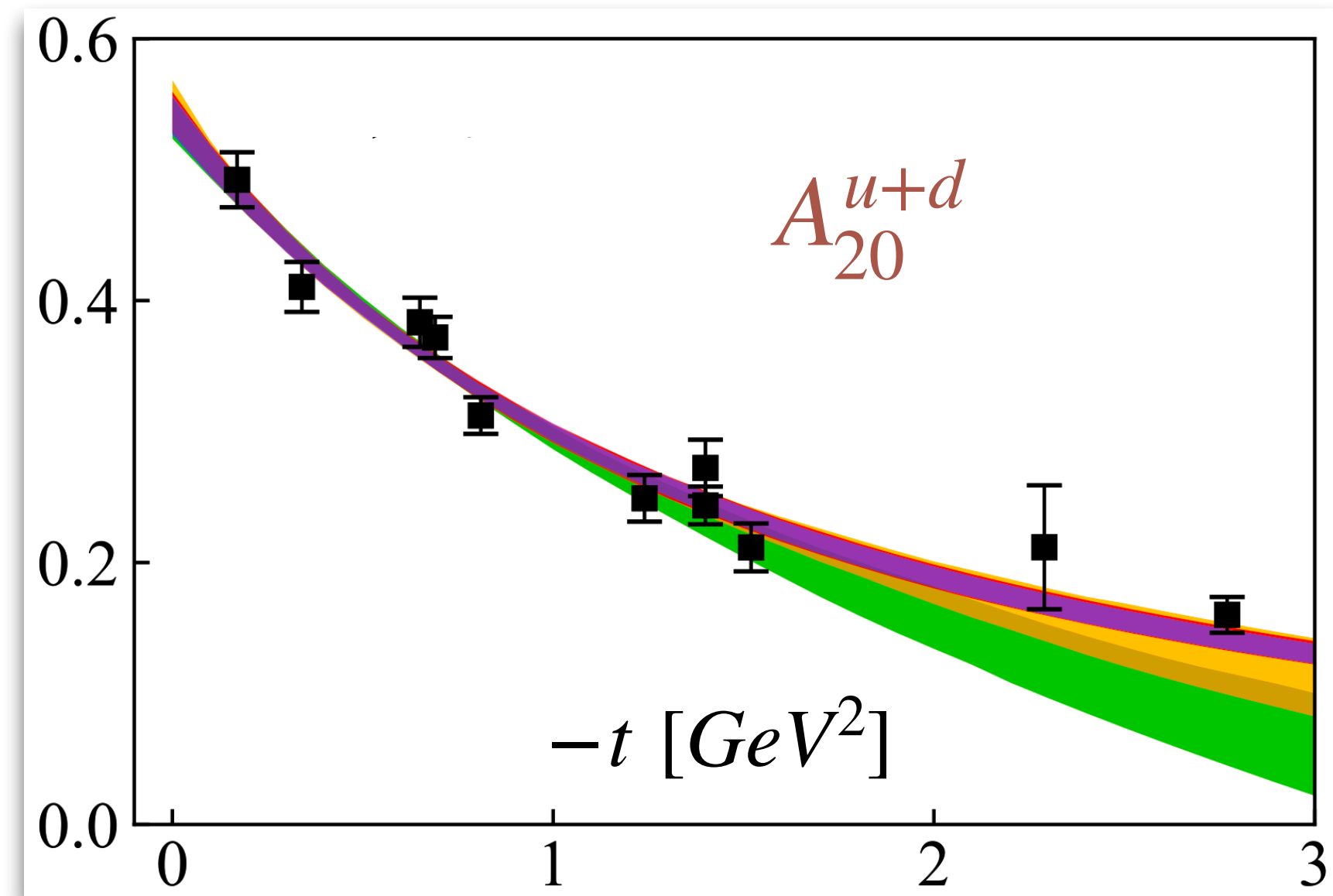
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- Up to 5th moments of GPDs show reasonable signals and smooth $-t$ dependence.
- Higher moments can be constrained by increasing the hadron momentum.

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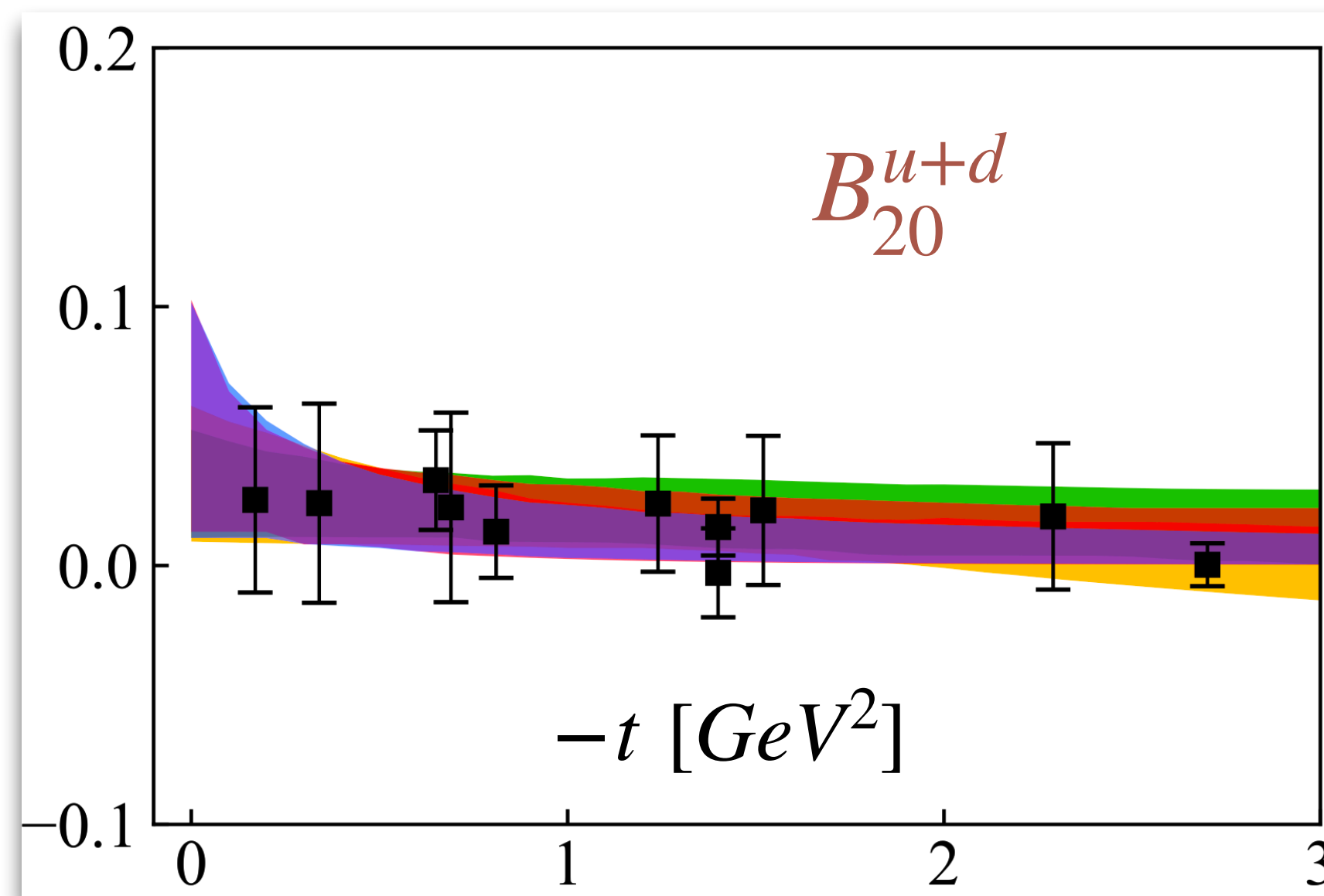


- 2nd moments: Gravitational form factors

Ji sum rule: $J^q = \frac{1}{2} \left[A_{20}^q(0) + B_{20}^q(0) \right]$

$$J^{u-d} = 0.281(21)(11)$$

$$J^{u+d} = 0.296(22)(33)$$



- ▶ $m_\pi = 260$ MeV, $a = 0.093$ fm
- ▶ Disconnected diagrams neglected

Impact parameter space interpretation

- Unpolarized quark inside unpolarized nucleon

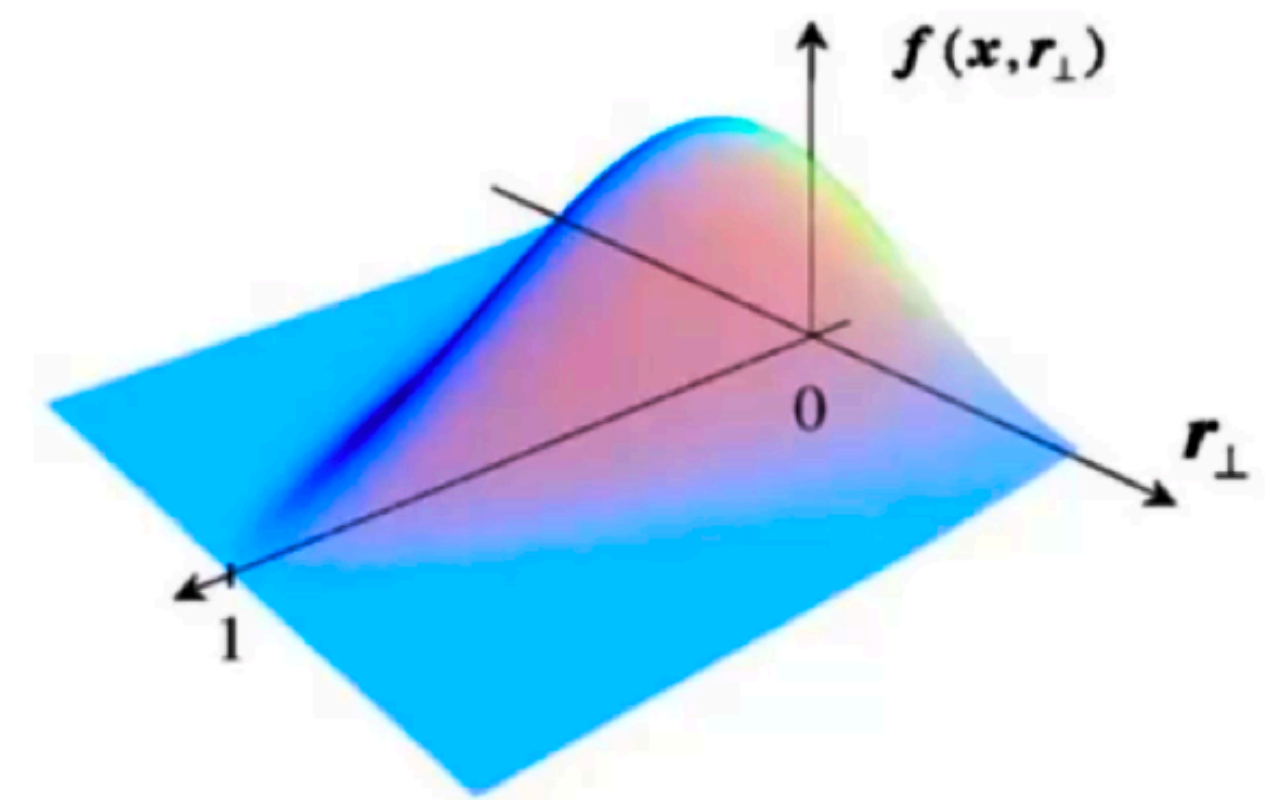
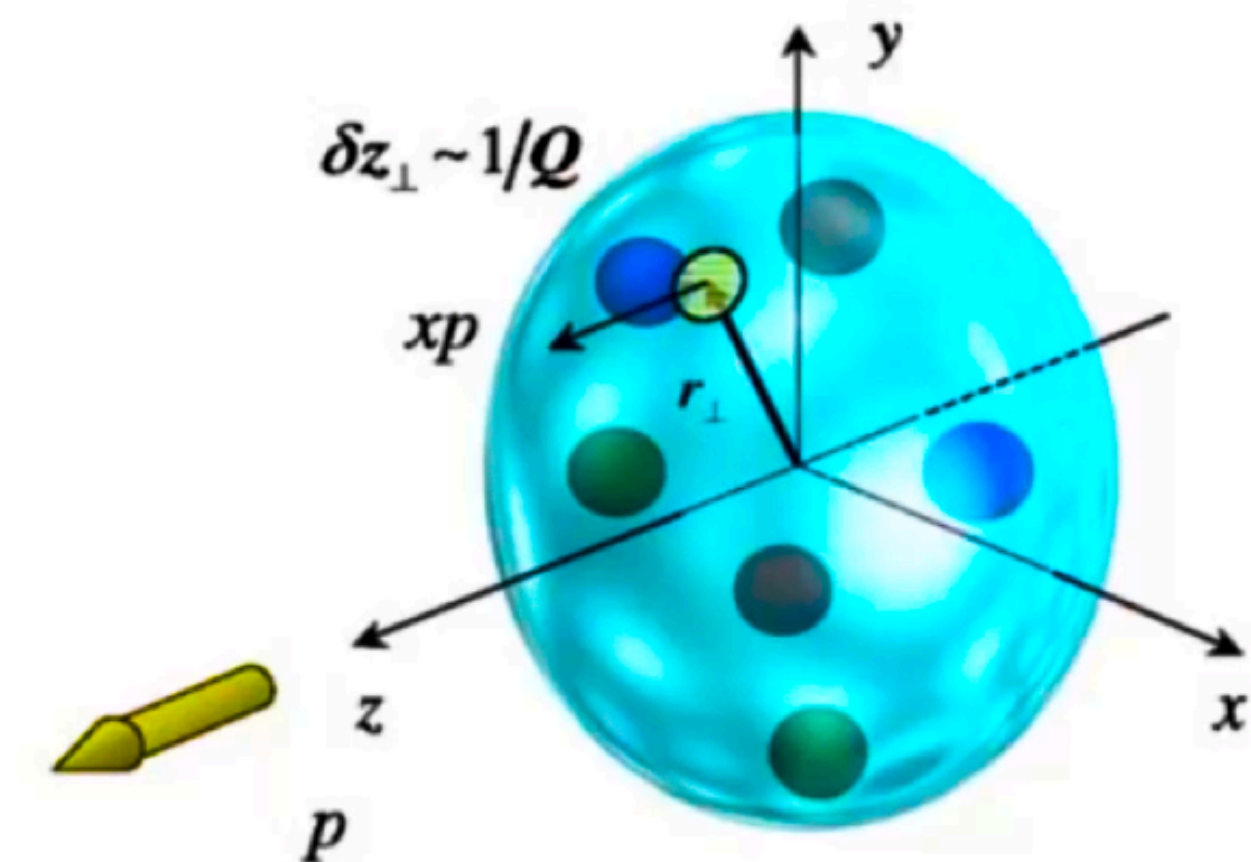
$$q(x, \vec{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} H(x, -\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2) e^{-i\vec{b}_\perp \cdot \vec{\Delta}_\perp}$$

$$\rho_{n+1}(\vec{b}_\perp) = \int \frac{d^2 \vec{\Delta}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} A_{n+1,0}(-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2) e^{-i\vec{b}_\perp \cdot \vec{\Delta}_\perp}$$

- Unpolarized quark inside transversely polarized nucleon

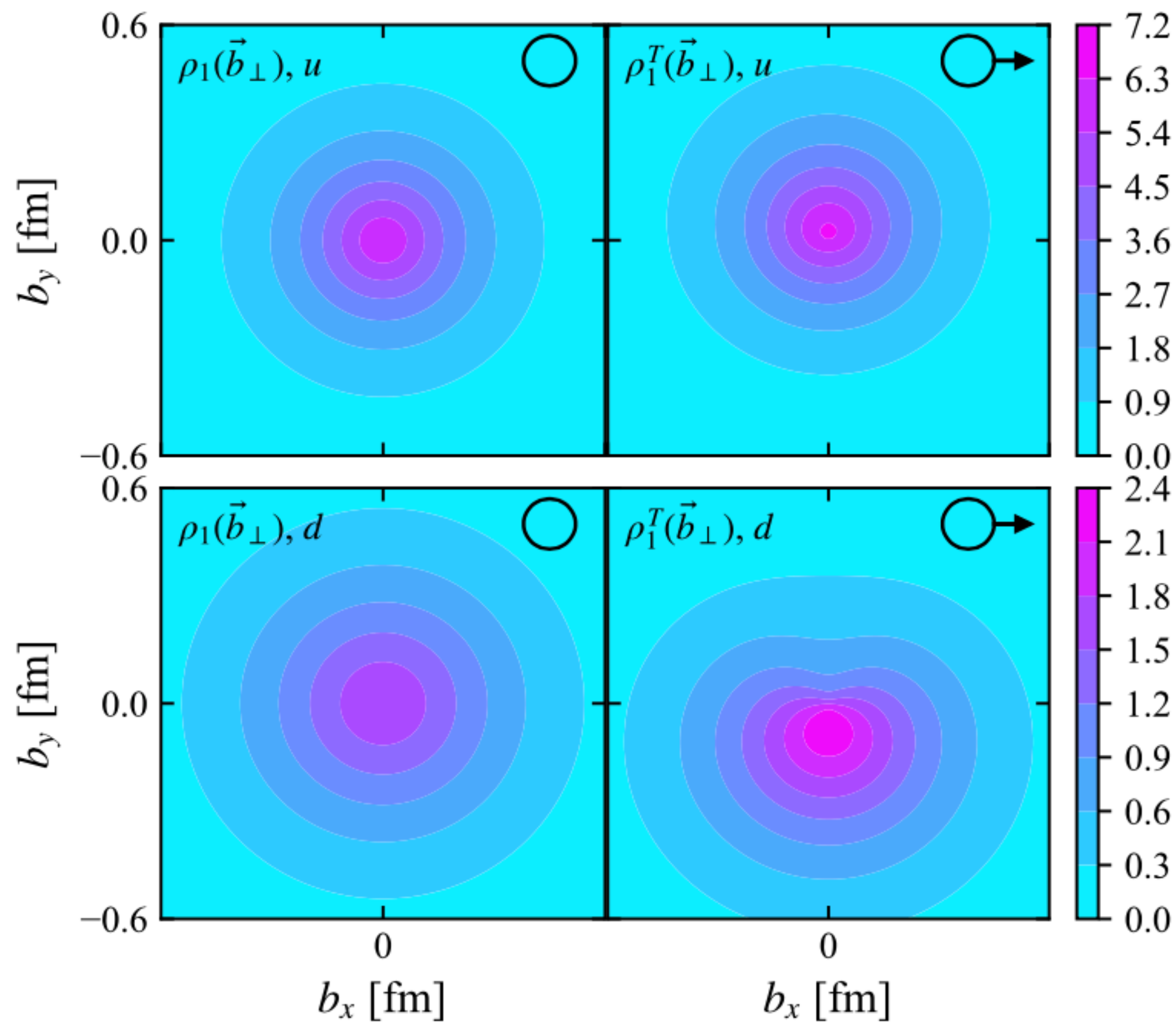
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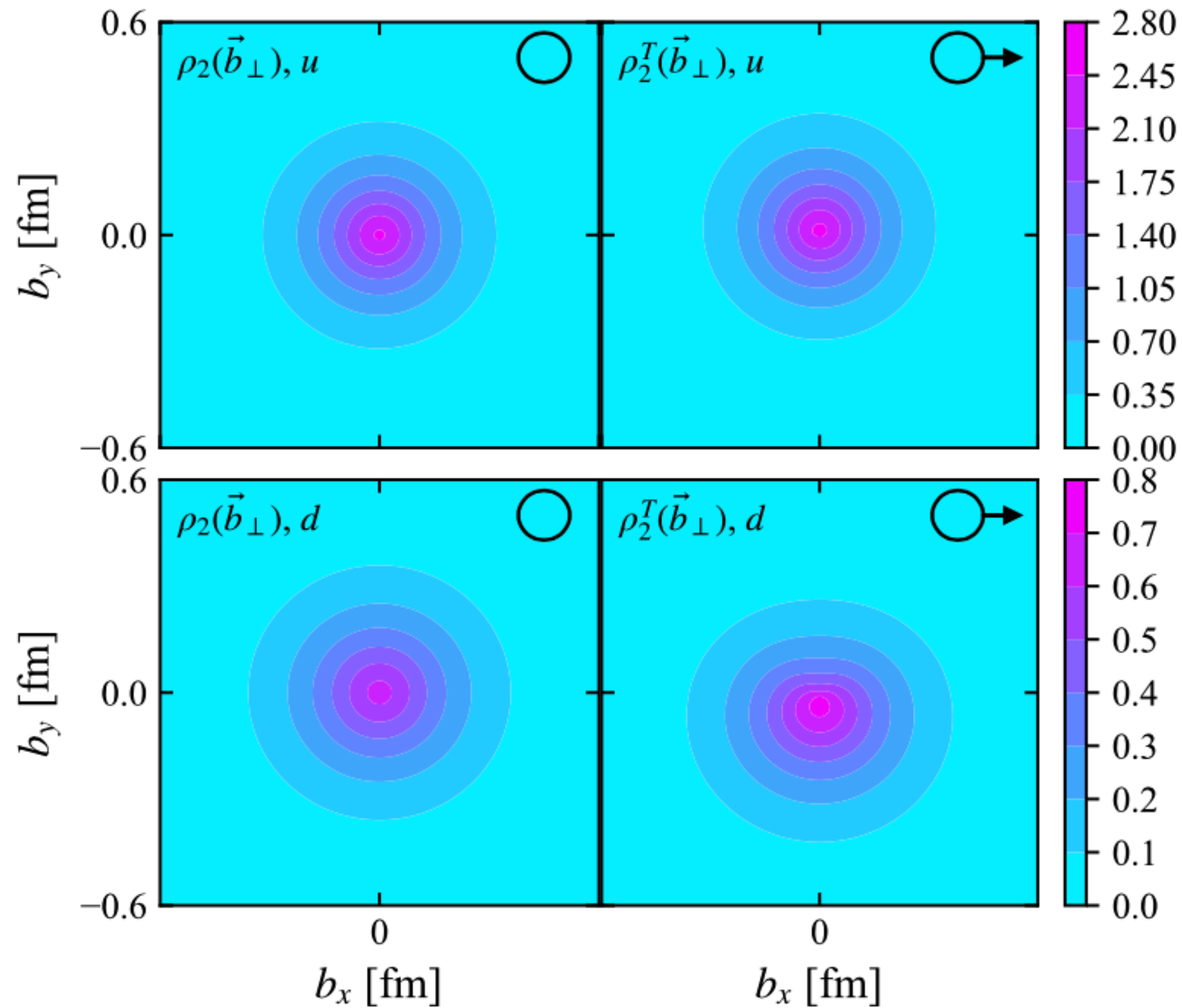
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Impact parameter space interpretation

u*d* ρ_1 ρ_1^T

- The **1st** moment: charge distribution
- **d** quark exhibits a broader distribution and smaller amplitudes
- When transversely polarized, the **u** and **d** quarks shift in different directions, with the **d** quarks showing larger distortion.

Impact parameter space interpretation

 u  d

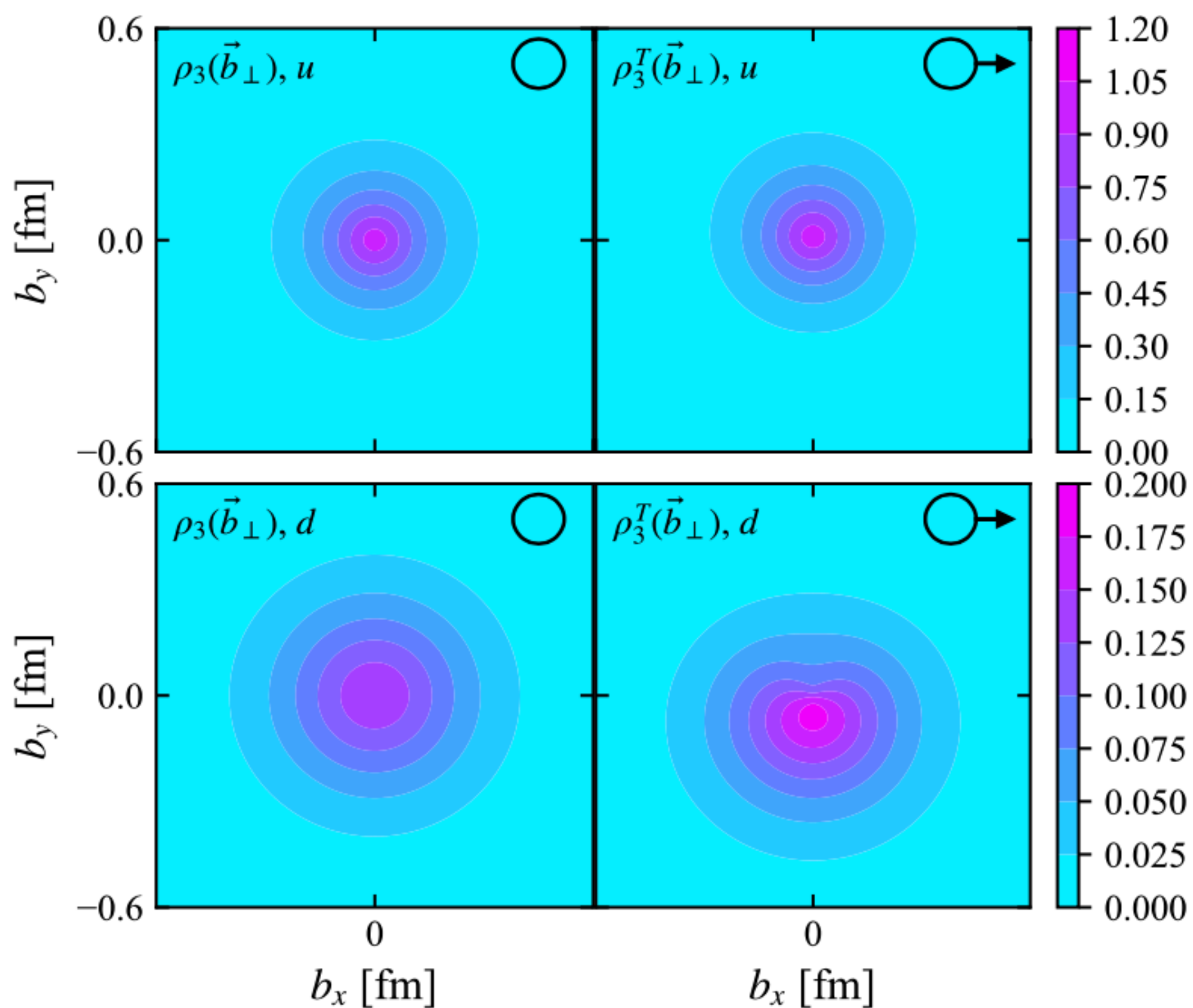
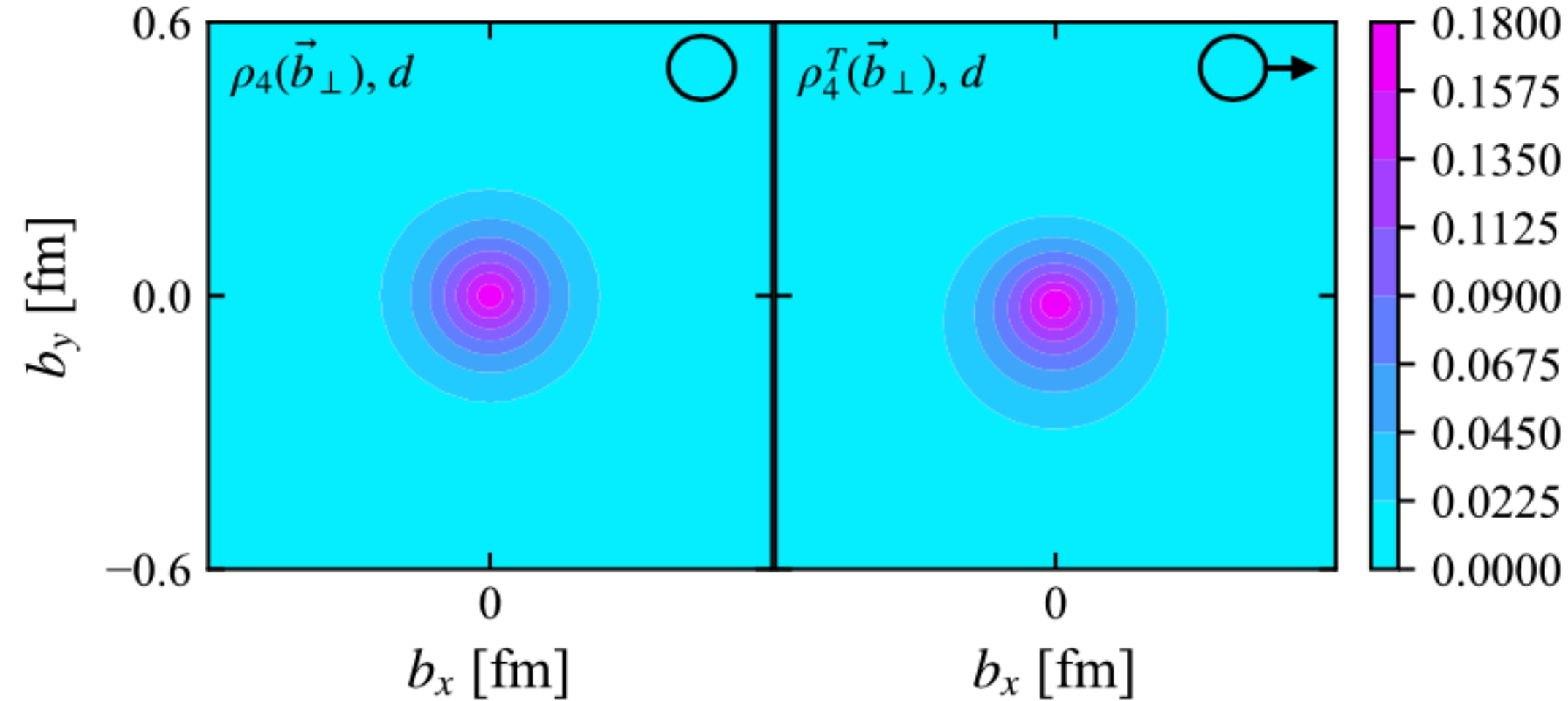
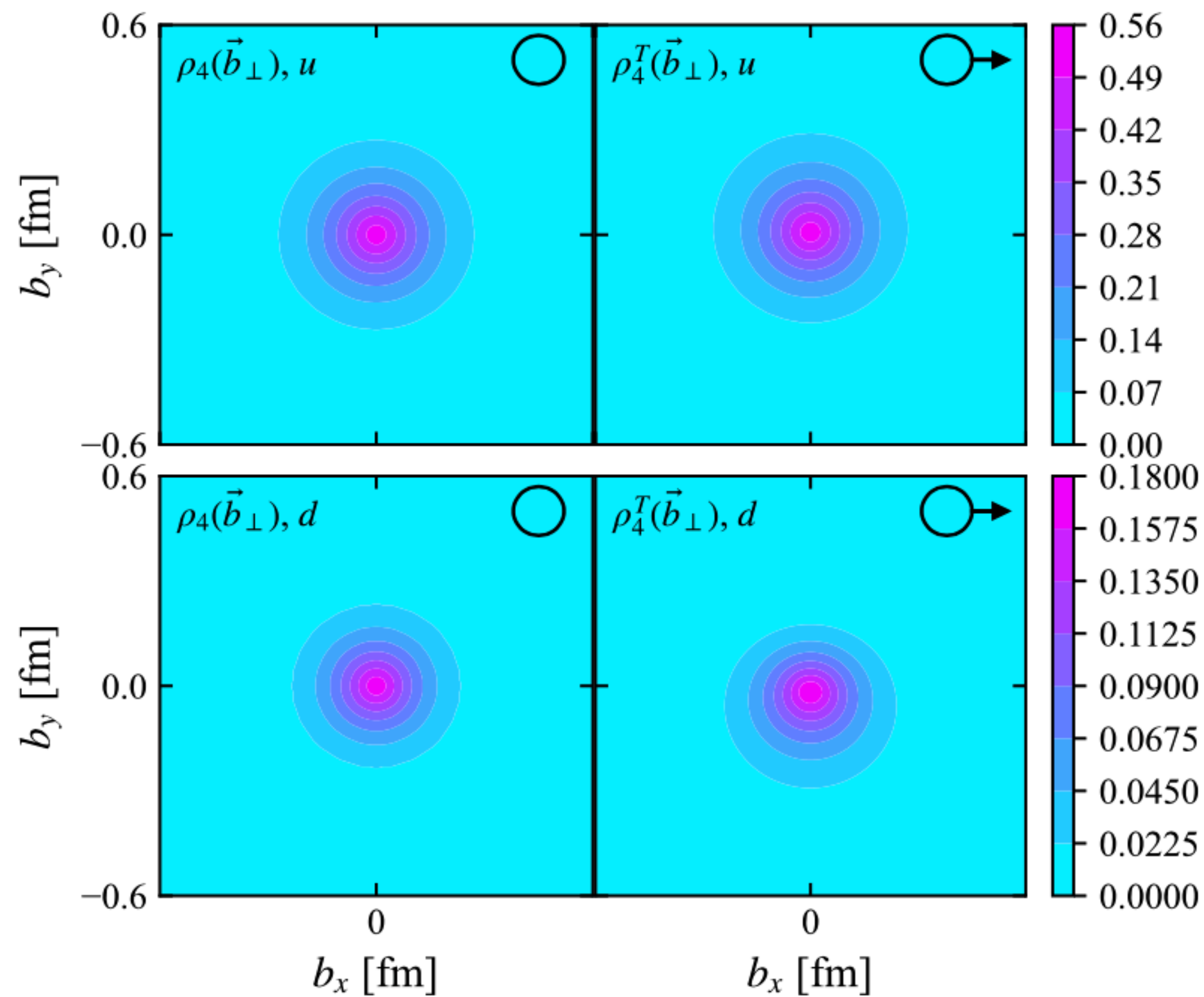
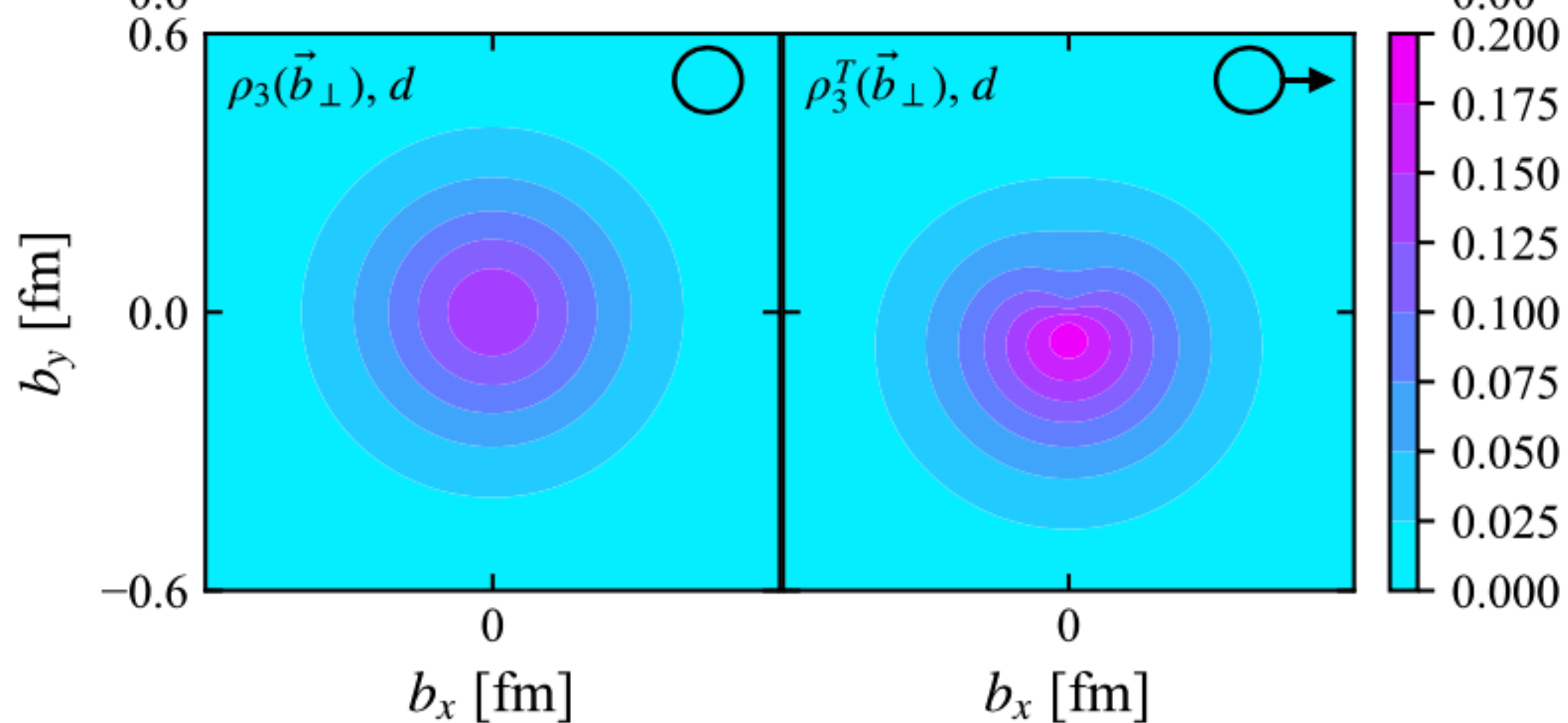
- The **2nd** moment: momentum distribution.
- The total contribution of **u** and **d** quarks to the transverse center of energy is small.

$$\sum_{u,d} \int d^2\vec{b}_\perp \vec{b}_\perp \rho_2^T(\vec{b}_\perp) = 1/(2M) B_{20}^{u+d}(0)$$

$$B_{20}^{u+d}(0) = 0.047(33)(65)$$

 ρ_2 ρ_2^T

Impact parameter space interpretation

 u  d  ρ_3 ρ_3^T ρ_4 ρ_4^T

- Higher moments are weighted by x^n , exhibiting a sharper drop in the transverse distance.

Summary and outlook

- We carried out lattice calculation of the quasi-GPD matrix elements of proton using the Lorentz invariant amplitudes.
- The matrix elements are renormalized in ratio scheme and the Mellin moments up to the 5th ones were extracted using the leading-twist short distance factorization.
- ▶ The methods can be extended to other kind of GPDs and non-zero skewness.
- ▶ Hybrid renormalization and LaMET matching for x dependence ongoing.

Thanks for your attention!