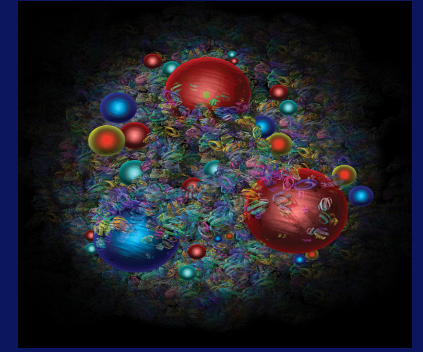




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**Impact of jet-production data on
the NNLO HERAPDF2.0 proton
PDFs, and extraction of $\alpha_s(M_Z)$**

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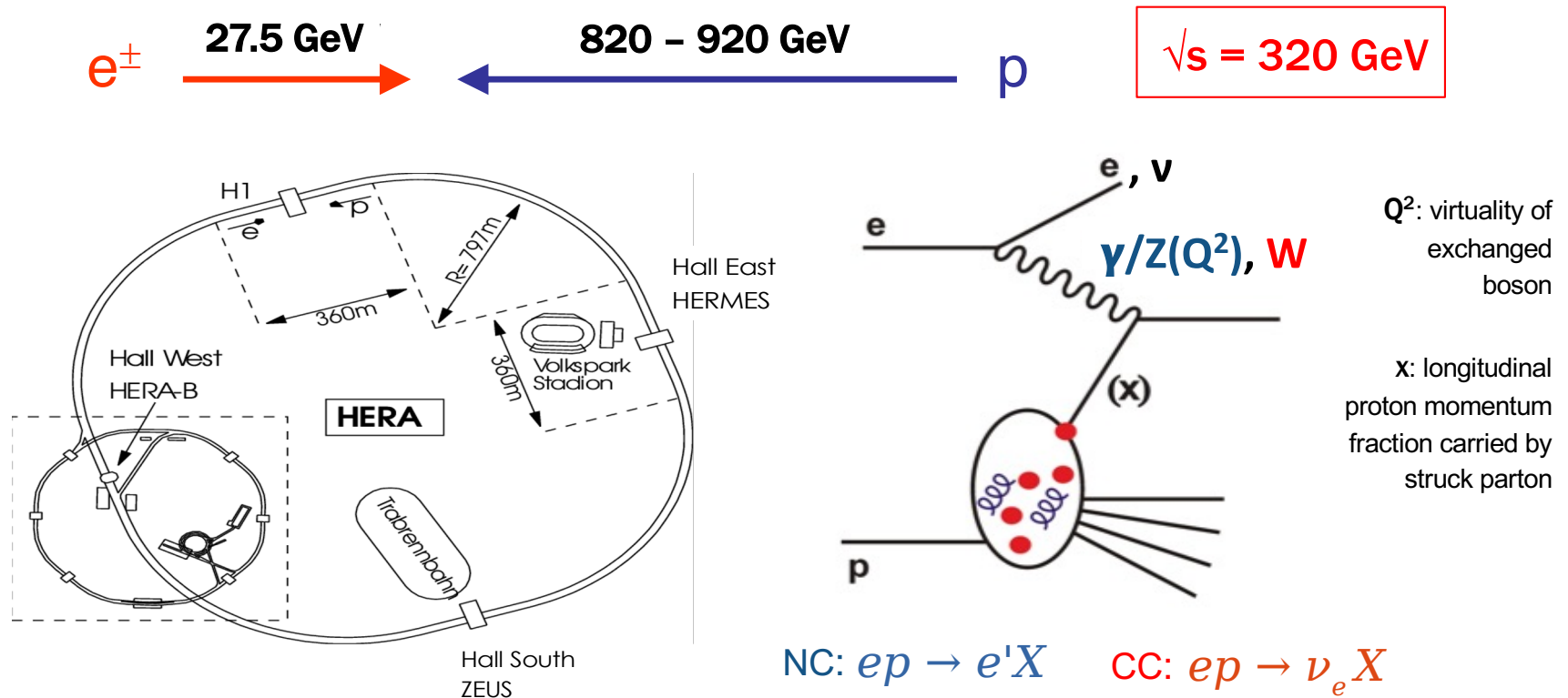
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on behalf of the H1, ZEUS, NNLOJet and APPLfast collaborations



HERA (1992 – 2007)

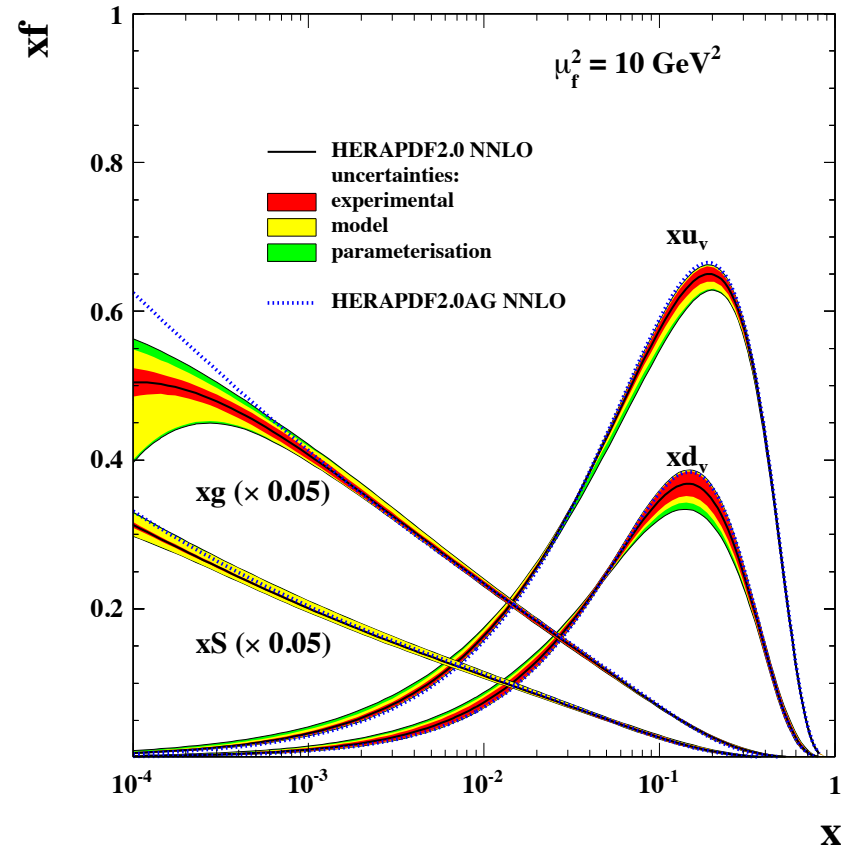
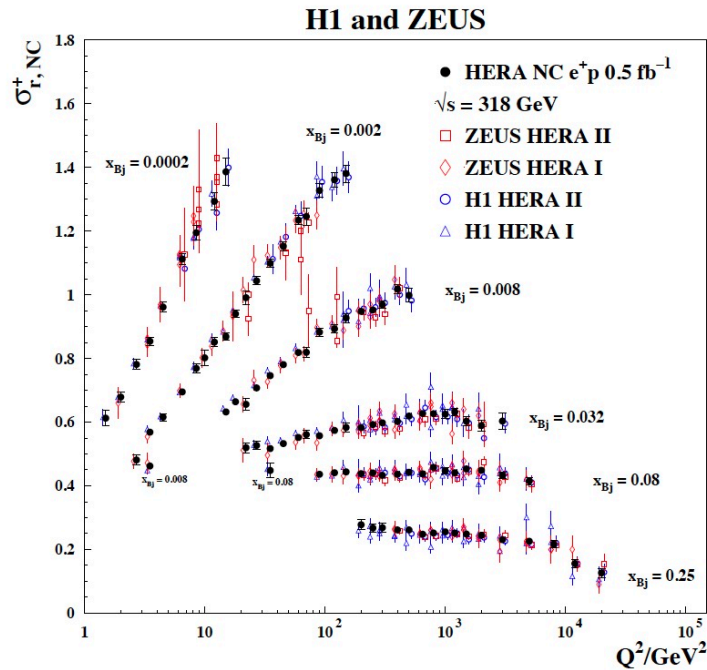
- **HERA**: the world's first and, to date, only, **ep collider**, situated at DESY, Hamburg



- two general-purpose experiments: **H1** and **ZEUS**
- **DIS at HERA**: cleanest and highest resolution microscope for probing proton up to very high Q^2 and very low x

HERA legacy

arXiv:[1506.06042](https://arxiv.org/abs/1506.06042)



- HERA I+II (H1+ZEUS combined) inclusive DIS dataset is most important input to any modern proton PDF (just small subset shown here)

- HERAPDF2.0 – uses only HERA inclusive DIS

- HERA, a success story: established detailed structure of proton, including strong rise of gluon (and much more besides: large contribution from diffraction, jets, γ structure, α_s , c, b, BSM limits, ...)

outline of this talk

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arXiv:[2112.01120](#)

- completion of **HERAPDF2.0** family of **PDFs**
- previously produced (arXiv:[1506.06042](#)): HERAPDF2.0 LO, NLO and NNLO PDFs;
- **HERAPDF2.0Jets** was only at **NLO** – since no NNLO DIS jet predictions at that time

- **NEW HERAPDF2.0Jets NNLO** presented here
- NNLO QCD DIS jet predictions from [NNLOJET](#), interfaced to [APPLfast](#) for fast theoretical predictions

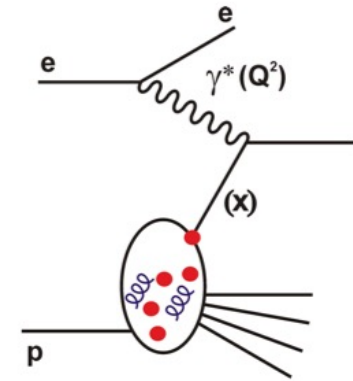
- simultaneous fit of **PDFs + $\alpha_s(M_Z)$**
- inclusion of jet data allows constrained α_s :

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011 \text{ (exp)} \begin{matrix} +0.0001 \\ -0.0002 \end{matrix} \text{ (model + parameterisation)} \pm 0.0029 \text{ (scale)}$$

- **NEW PDFs** at NNLO QCD for fixed $\alpha_s(M_Z)=0.118$ and **0.1155**

why jet data?

- HERA inclusive DIS gives information on **quark PDFs** via NC and CC cross sections, and **gluon** via **scaling violations**
- HERA inclusive DIS alone cannot give precise α_s determination since shape of **gluon** and α_s are coupled through DGLAP equation

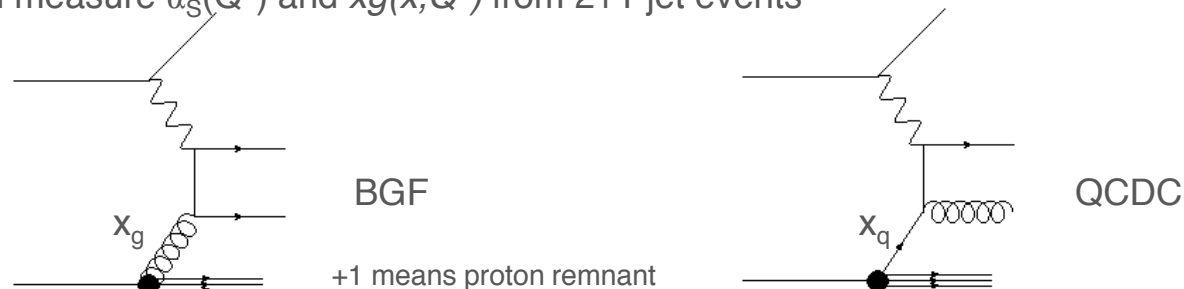


- considering also **HERA jet data**, which depend on α_s and **gluon in a different way**, helps break correlation, and gives improved constraints on both

Jet studies in the Hadron Final state gives us more information

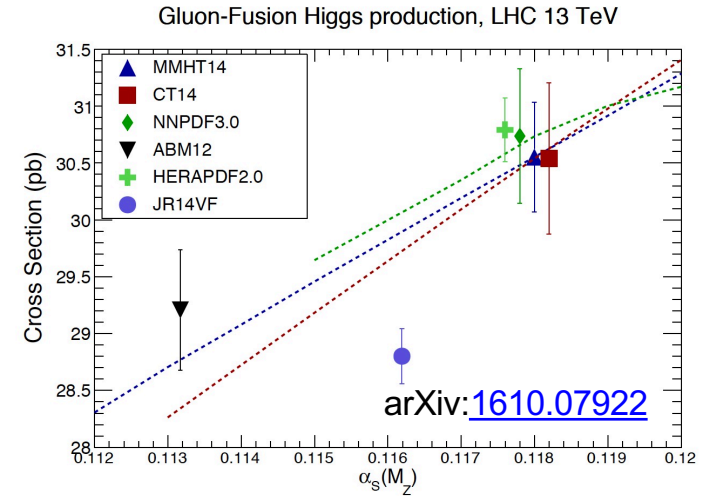
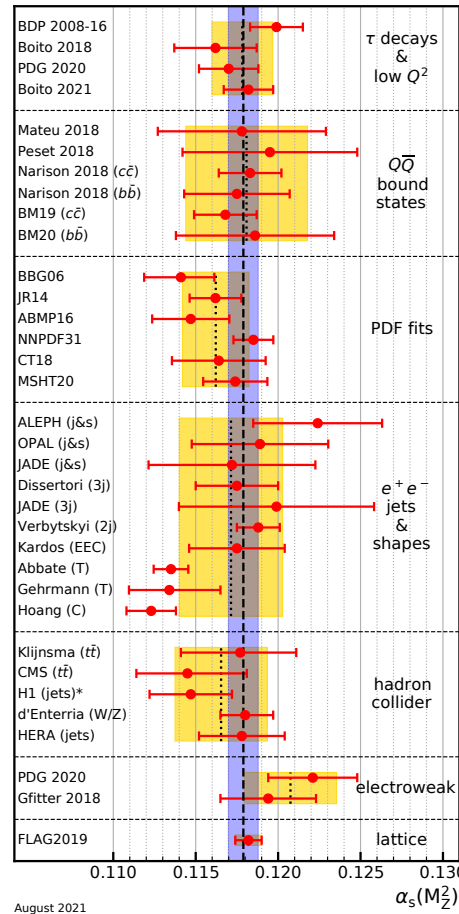
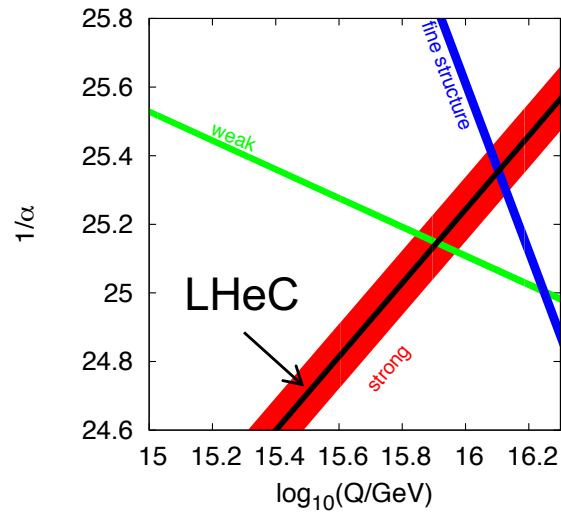
(from A. Cooper-Sarkar)

- You can measure $\alpha_s(Q^2)$ and $xg(x, Q^2)$ from 2+1 jet events



$$\sigma_{2+1} \sim \alpha_s [A x_g g(x_g, Q^2) + B x_q q(x_q, Q^2)]$$

motivation and impact at LHC



- α_s is least known coupling constant; needed to constrain GUT scenarios; cross section predictions, including Higgs; ...

PDG21: $\alpha_s = 0.1175 \pm 0.0010$ (w/o lattice)

- what is true α_s central value and uncertainty? new precise determinations have important role to play

HERAPDF approach

- **HERAPDF uses only HERA data**
- **HERAPDF2.0 based on FINAL combination of HERA I+II inclusive DIS data**
- combination yields very precise and consistent dataset for 4 different processes:
e+p and **e-p** neutral (**NC**) and charged (**CC**) current reactions
(also e+p NC @ 4 beam energies)
- single, consistent dataset → conventional X^2 tolerance, $\Delta X^2=1$, when setting 68% CL experimental uncertainties
- HERAPDF evaluates **model** and **parameterisation** uncertainties as well as **experimental**
- **HERAPDF2.0Jets adds HERA inclusive- and di-jet data over wide Q^2 range**
- **HERA** – other advantages:
 - pure proton target, no need for heavy target/deuterium corrections
 - d-valence from CC e+p without need for strong isospin symmetry assumption
 - negligible higher twist effects (data at high hadronic mass, $W > 15$ GeV)

HERA NNLO QCD analysis: jet datasets

- strong overlap with those used in previous NLO analysis (arXiv:[1506.06042](https://arxiv.org/abs/1506.06042))

Data set	Taken	Q^2 [GeV ²] range		\mathcal{L} pb ⁻¹	e^+/e^-	\sqrt{s} GeV	Normalised	All points	Used points
	From to	From	To						
H1 HERAI normalised jets	1999–2000	150	15,000	65.4	e^+p	319	Yes	24	24
H1 HERAI jets at low Q^2	1999–2000	5	100	43.5	e^+p	319	No	28	20
H1 normalised inclusive jets at high Q^2	2003–2007	150	15,000	351	e^+p/e^-p	319	Yes	30	30
H1 normalised dijets at high Q^2	2003–2007	150	15,000	351	e^+p/e^-p	319	Yes	24	24
H1 normalised inclusive jets at low Q^2	2005–2007	5.5	80	290	e^+p/e^-p	319	Yes	48	37
H1 normalised dijets at low Q^2	2005–2007	5.5	80	290	e^+p/e^-p	319	Yes	48	37
ZEUS inclusive jets	1996–1997	125	10,000	38.6	e^+p	301	No	30	30
ZEUS dijets	1998–2000 and 2004–2007	125	20,000	374	e^+p/e^-p	318	No	22	16

low Q^2 H1 datasets added (published 2016) that were not used in the previous NLO analysis



- ... plus, some data removed cf. NLO analysis:
 - trijets; no NNLO QCD calculations available
 - low scale data $\mu = \sqrt{(Q^2 + p_t^2)} < 10$ GeV; keeps NNLO scale uncertainties below 10%
 - 6 ZEUS dijet data points at low p_t , for which predictions are not truly NNLO
- all systematic and statistical correlations implemented

HERAPDF parameterisation and uncertainties

- generic form as for HERAPDF2.0 NNLO (full details in extras);
- parameterise: **xg**, **xuv**, **x dv**, **xUbar=xubar**, **xDbar=x(dbar+sbar)** at scale $\mu_{f0}^2 = 1.9 \text{ GeV}^2$

Regge theory inspired



$$xf(x) = Ax^B(1-x)^C(1 + Dx + Ex^2)$$

$f(1)=0$
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QCD sum rules constrain: **Ag**, **Auv**, **Adv**

$$x\bar{s} = f_s x \bar{D}$$

$$A_{\bar{U}} = A_{\bar{D}}(1 - f_s), B_{\bar{U}} = B_{\bar{D}} \quad (x\bar{u} \rightarrow xd \text{ as } x \rightarrow 0)$$

D,E parameters only if favoured by χ^2

(extra negative term for gluon $- A'_g x^{B'_g} (1-x)^{C'_g}$)

14 parameter central fit

- PDF uncertainties:

experimental uncertainties treated using Hessian method, evaluated with $\Delta\chi^2=1$

- **Model:**

Parameter	Central value	Downwards variation	Upwards variation
Q_{\min}^2 [GeV ²]	3.5	2.5	5.0
f_s	0.4	0.3	0.5
M_c [GeV]	1.41	1.37*	1.45
M_b [GeV]	4.20	4.10	4.30
μ_{f0}^2 [GeV ²]	1.9	1.6	2.2*

Parameter:

+ addition of 15th D,E parameter(s)

† range of variation for M_c and M_b restricted using HERA charm and beauty data (see extras)

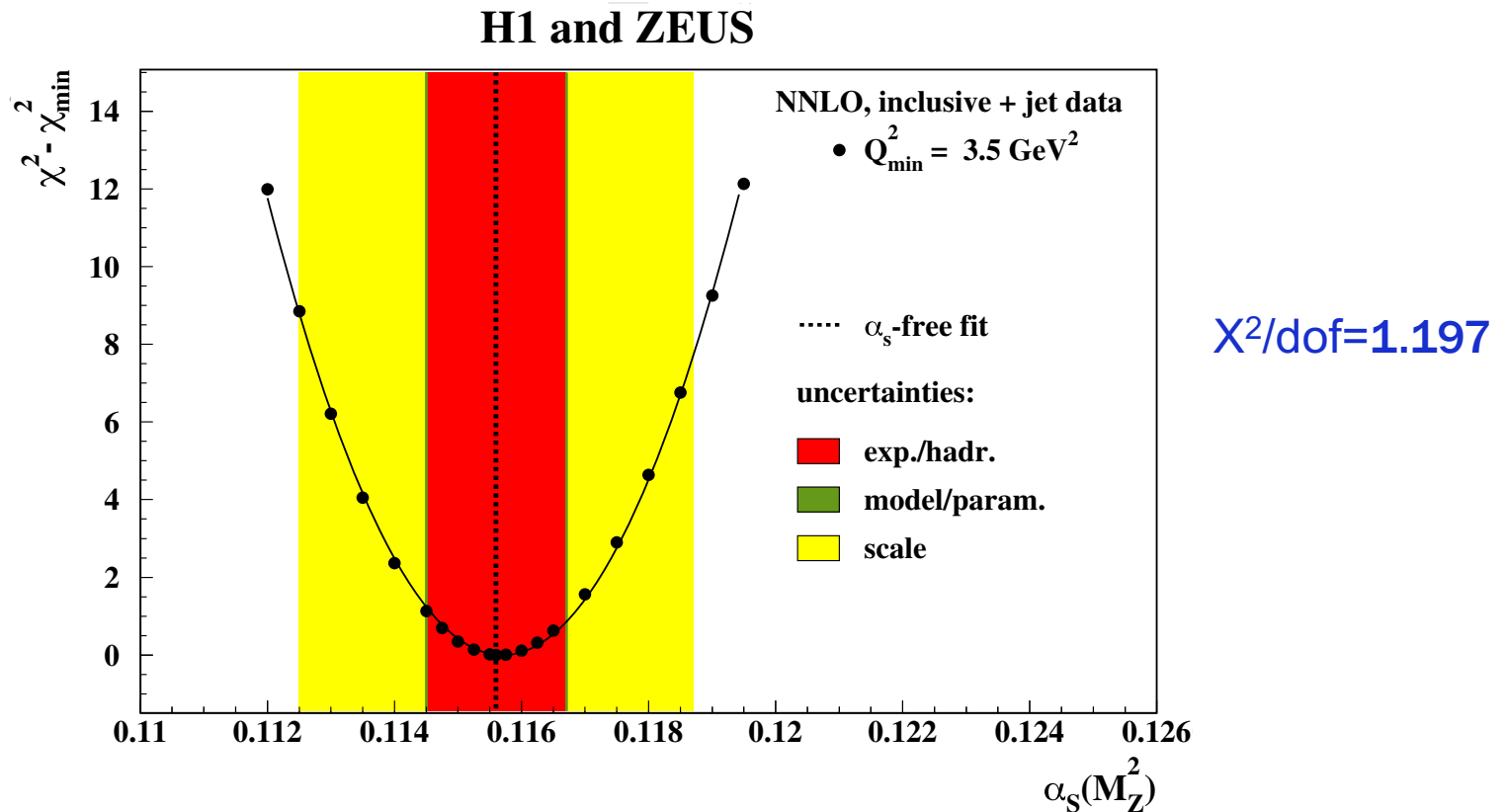
HERAPDF specification updates

- factorisation and renormalisation **scale** choices: $\mu_F^2 = \mu_R^2 = (Q^2 + p_t^2)$
- **scale uncertainties treated as completely correlated between bins and datasets**
- **cf. previous NLO analysis:**
- $\mu_F^2 = Q^2$; updated since not a good choice for low Q^2 jet data; change makes almost no difference for high Q^2
- $\mu_R^2 = (Q^2 + p_t^2)/2$; NNLO fit with $\mu_R^2 = (Q^2 + p_t^2)$ gives $\Delta\chi^2 = -15$ cf. $\mu_R^2 = (Q^2 + p_t^2)/2$ and vice versa for NLO
- scale uncertainties previously treated as $1/2$ correlated and $1/2$ uncorrelated

† p_t denotes p_t^{jet} in the case of inclusive jet cross sections and $\langle p_t \rangle$ for dijets

- **improved treatment of hadronisation uncertainties**; NOW **included together with experimental systematics**; treated as $1/2$ correlated, $1/2$ uncorrelated between bins and datasets, c.f. previously treated using offset method
- **(small) uncertainties on theory predictions included**

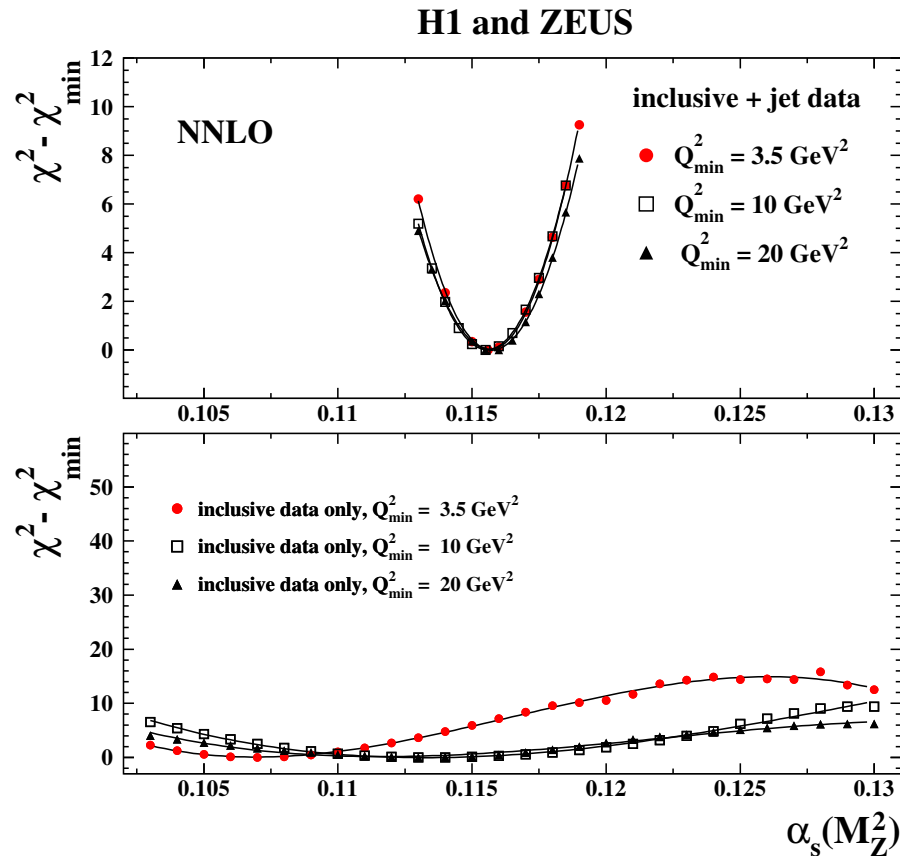
HERAPDF2.0 Jets NNLO α_s determination



$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011 \text{ (exp)} \begin{matrix} +0.0001 \\ -0.0002 \end{matrix} \text{ (model + parameterisation)} \pm 0.0029 \text{ (scale)}$$

NB, scale uncertainty dominates, μ_R , μ_F varied by factor of 2 avoiding cases with $\mu_R/\mu_F = 4$ or $1/4$, and treated fully correlated between bins and datasets; (exp) uncertainty includes hadronisation correction uncertainties

α_s sensitivity to cut and parameterisation choices



- HERA data at small x , Q^2 may be subject to need for $\ln(1/x)$ **resummation or higher twist effects** (EG, arXiv:[1506.06042](https://arxiv.org/abs/1506.06042), [1710.05935](https://arxiv.org/abs/1710.05935))
- χ^2 scans performed with various minimum Q^2 cuts to assess sensitivity; **no significant change to extracted $\alpha_s(M_Z)$**
- inclusive DIS data alone unable to sufficiently constrain $\alpha_s(M_Z)$

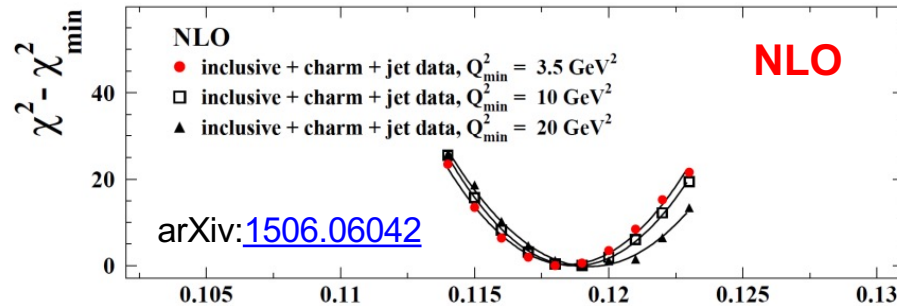
- in addition, alternative parameterisation checked, with negative gluon term removed ($A_g'=0$):
- NB, adding a multiplicative $(1+Dg.x)$ does not change this result

$$\alpha_s(\bar{M}_Z^2) = 0.1151 \pm 0.0010 \text{ (exp)}$$

consistent with central result

comparison to NLO α_s result

H1 and ZEUS

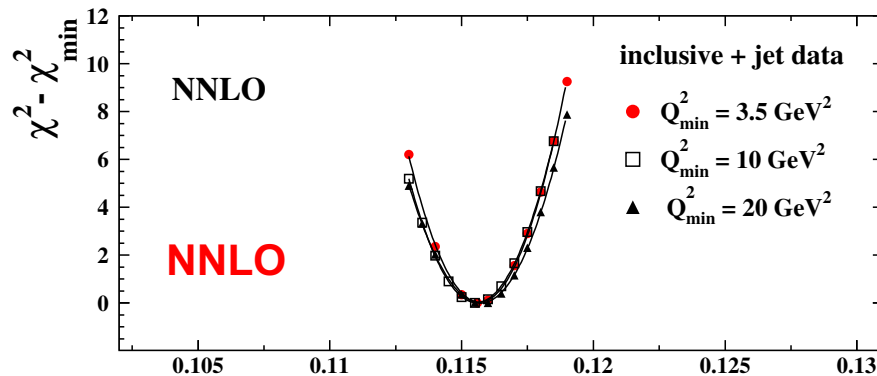


NNLO χ^2 scans from new fit with HERA jet data, compared to previously published scans at NLO

similar level of precision at NLO and NNLO

smaller value of $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ preferred at NNLO

H1 and ZEUS



NB, however, these results not directly comparable, since **different scale choice** and **slightly different jet datasets**

with choices harmonised, result is in fact an **increased** difference between **NLO** and **NNLO**:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1186 \pm 0.0014 \text{ (exp) } \mathbf{NLO}$$

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1144 \pm 0.0013 \text{ (exp) } \mathbf{NNLO}$$

← change from preferred value of 0.1156 mainly from exclusion of the H1 low Q^2 data, and low-pt points at high Q^2

(more detail in extras)

comparison to NLO α_s result

- in previous NLO analysis, scale uncertainties were applied as $\frac{1}{2}$ correlated and $\frac{1}{2}$ uncorrelated between bins and data sets, due to inclusion of HQ and trijet data

NOW using that previous procedure, our present NNLO result becomes:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011 \text{ (exp)} \begin{matrix} +0.0001 \\ -0.0002 \end{matrix} \text{ (model + parameterisation)} \boxed{\pm 0.0022} \text{ (scale)}$$

↑
(includes hadronisation uncertainties)

c.f. published NLO result:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1183 \pm 0.0009 \text{ (exp)} \pm 0.0005 \text{ (model/par.)} \pm 0.0012 \text{ (had)} \begin{matrix} +0.0037 \\ -0.0030 \end{matrix} \text{ (scale)}$$

→ considerable reduction in scale uncertainty from NLO to NNLO

comparison to other HERA DIS jet results

1. **H1 NNLO jet study** using **fixed PDFs**, includes H1 inclusive-jet and di-jet:

$$\text{H1 jets } \mu > 2m_b \quad 0.1170 \quad (9)_{\text{exp}} \quad (7)_{\text{had}} \quad (5)_{\text{PDF}} \quad (4)_{\text{PDF}\alpha_s} \quad (2)_{\text{PDFset}} \quad (38)_{\text{scale}}$$

2. **NNLOJet+APPLfast** using **fixed PDFs**, includes H1+ZEUS inclusive-jet:

$$\text{HERA inclusive jets } \mu > 2m_b \quad 0.1171 \quad (9)_{\text{exp}} \quad (5)_{\text{had}} \quad (4)_{\text{PDF}} \quad (3)_{\text{PDF}\alpha_s} \quad (2)_{\text{PDFset}} \quad (33)_{\text{scale}}$$

with similar breakup of uncertainties and similar μ , new HERA result:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011 (\text{exp+had+PDF}) \begin{matrix} +0.0001 \\ -0.0002 \end{matrix} (\text{model} + \text{parameterisation}) \pm 0.0029 (\text{scale})$$

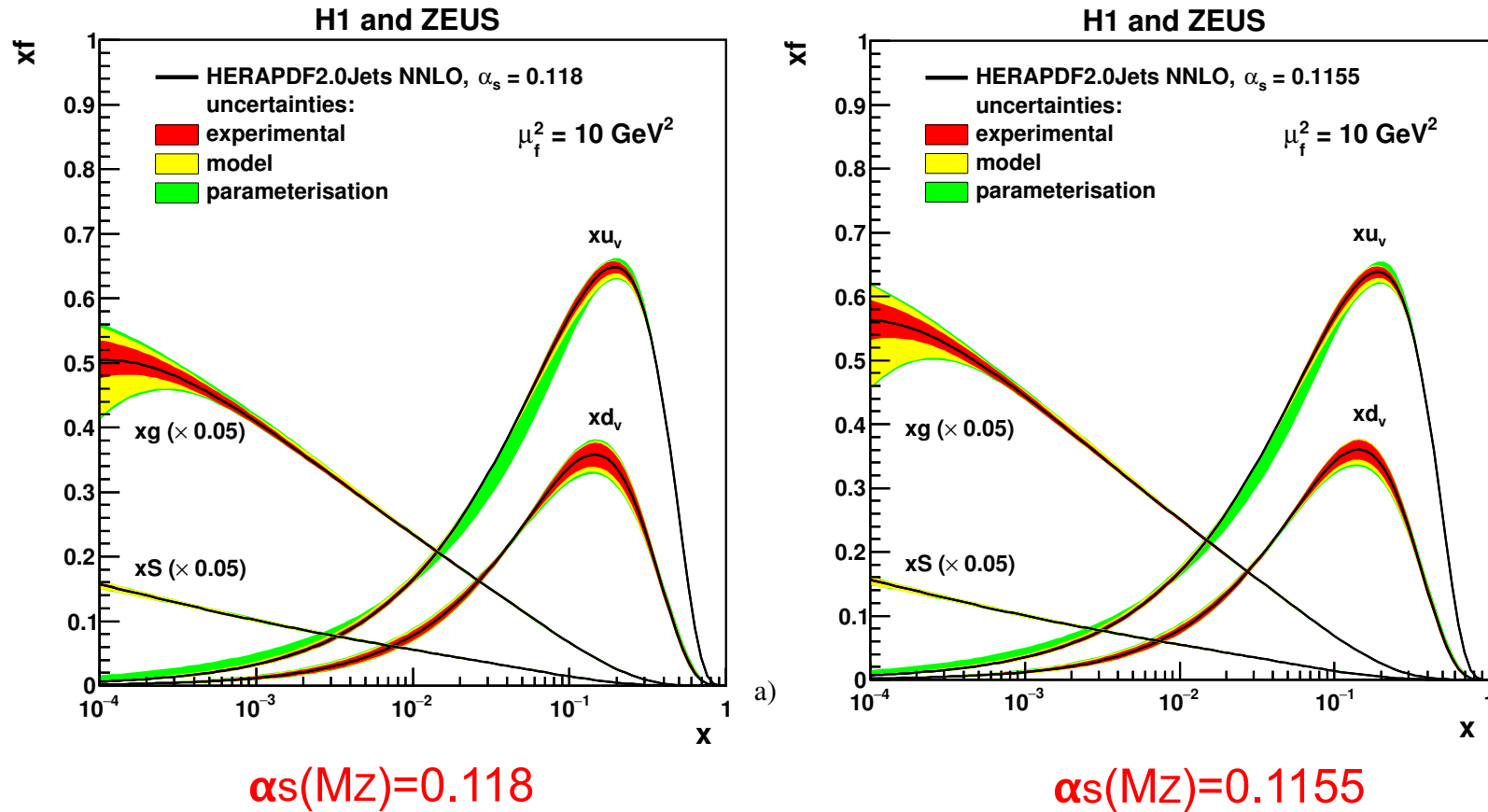
H1 also provided a **PDF+ α_s** fit to H1 inclusive and jet data

$$0.1147 \quad (11)_{\text{exp,NP,PDF}} \quad (2)_{\text{mod}} \quad (3)_{\text{par}} \quad (23)_{\text{scale}}$$

analysis required $Q^2 > 10 \text{ GeV}^2$; NEW HERA result re-evaluated with this cut (rather than $>3.5 \text{ GeV}^2$), is:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011 (\text{exp+had+PDF}) \pm 0.0002 (\text{model} + \text{parameterisation}) \pm 0.0021 (\text{scale})$$

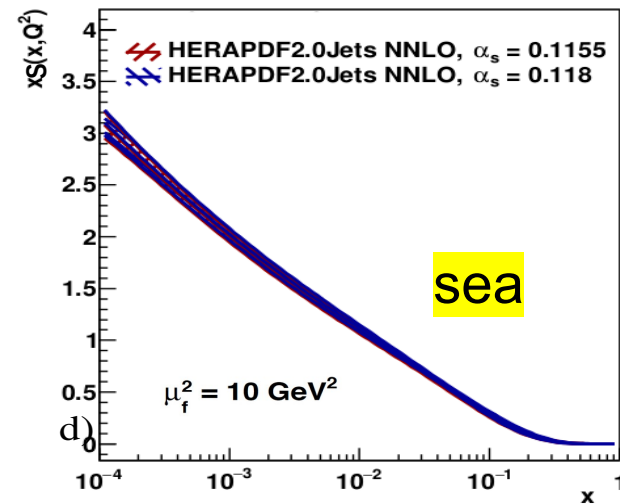
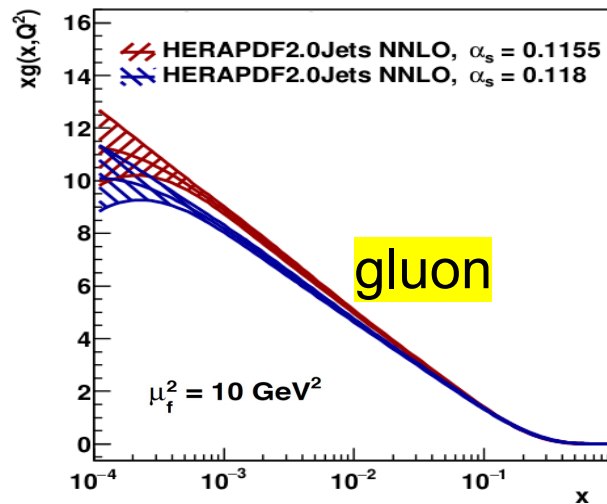
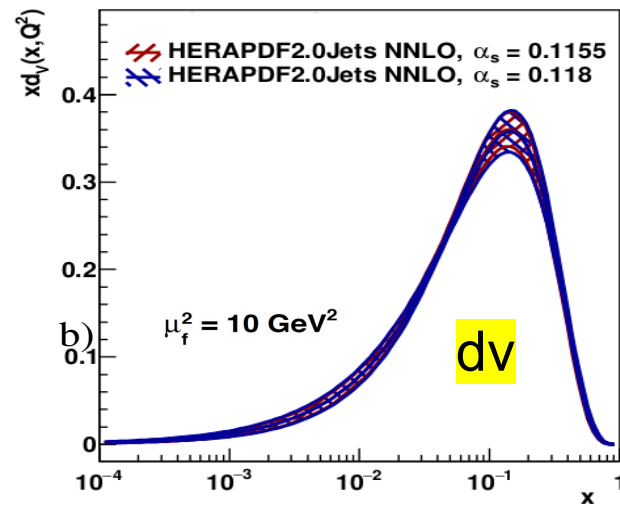
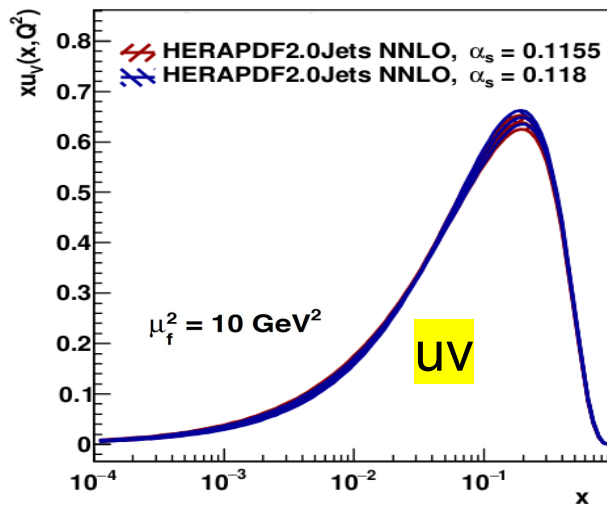
HERAPDF2.0 Jets NNLO PDFs



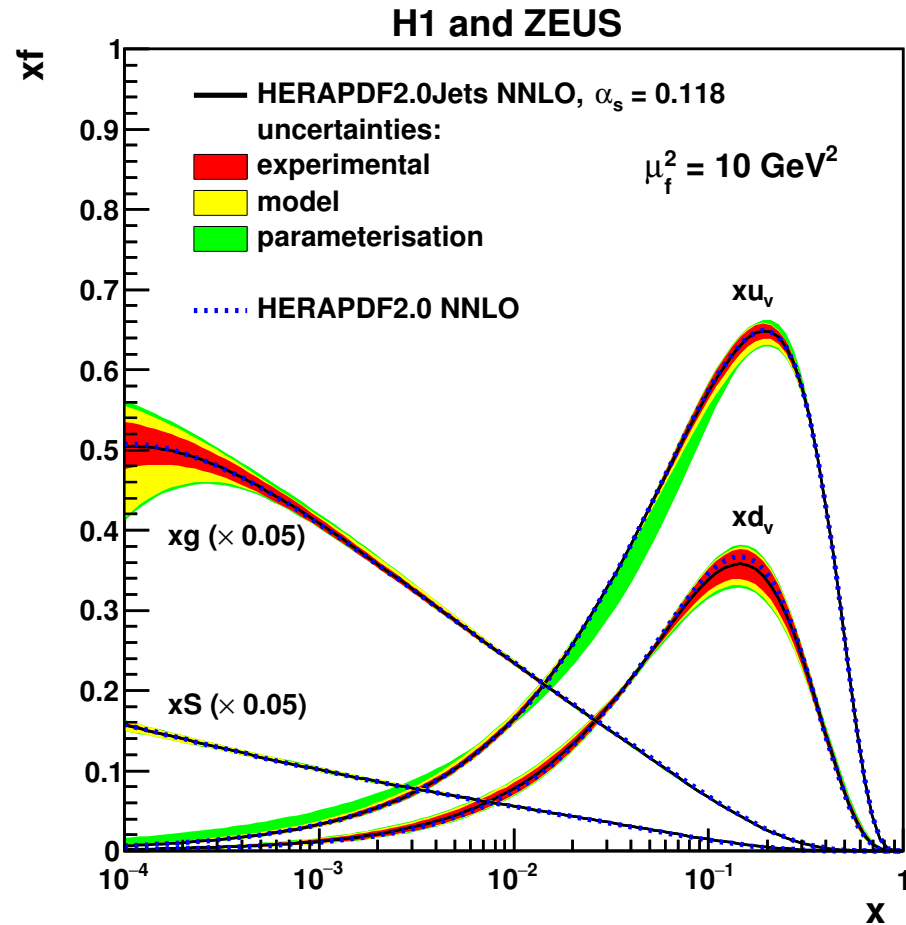
NEW set of PDFs also determined, **HERAPDF2.0Jets NNLO**

comparison of $\alpha_s(M_Z)=0.1155$ and 0.118

H1 and ZEUS



HERAPDF2.0 vs. HERAPDF2.0Jets NNLO



HERAPDF2.0Jets NNLO
 $\alpha_s = 0.118$

$X^2/\text{dof} = 1.199$

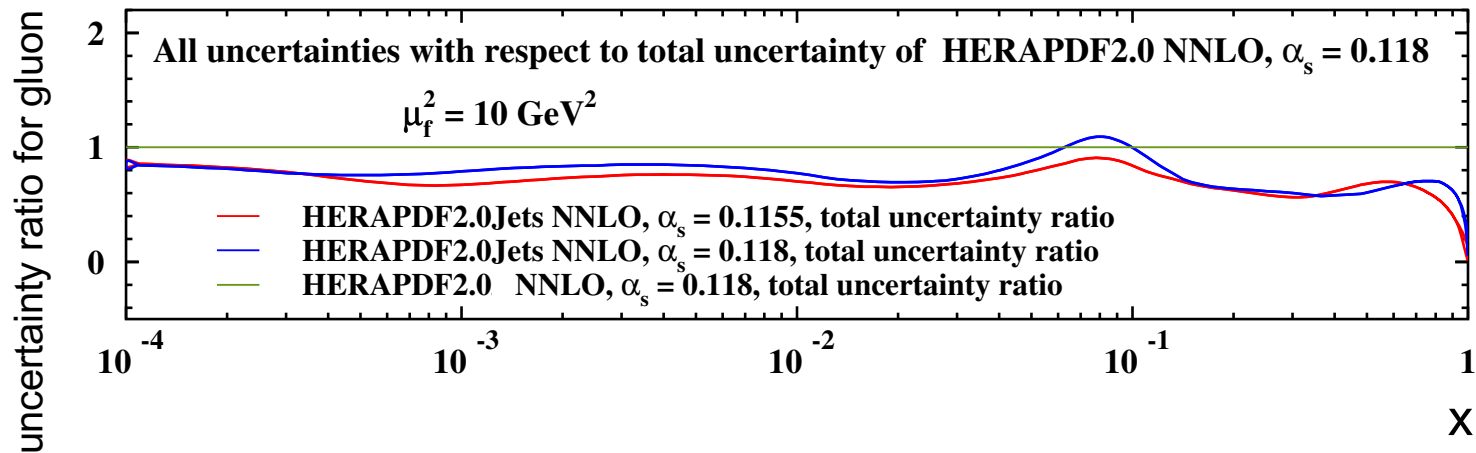
HERAPDF2.0 NNLO

$X^2/\text{dof} = 1.205$

comparison with **HERAPDF2.0 NNLO**, with fixed $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118$
(arXiv:[1506.06042](https://arxiv.org/abs/1506.06042))

Gluon PDF uncertainties

H1 and ZEUS



comparison of uncertainties of new NNLO **jets fits** with **inclusive-only** fit

- large-x gluon uncertainties reduced due to jet data
- small-x uncertainties reduced due to reduced model uncertainties in M_c and μ_{f0}^2

summary

- HERAPDF2.0 family of PDFs completed by performing an **NNLO QCD fit including HERA DIS inclusive-jet and di-jet data**
- possible due to **theoretical** (NNLOJet) and **fast interpolation grid technology** developments (APPLfast)

- **jet data allows constraint of $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ – new HERA NNLO PDF+ α_s result:**

$$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011 \text{ (exp)} \quad {}^{+0.0001}_{-0.0002} \text{ (model + parameterisation)} \quad \pm 0.0029 \text{ (scale)}$$

with scale uncerts. evaluated in same way as previous NLO result: ± 0.0022

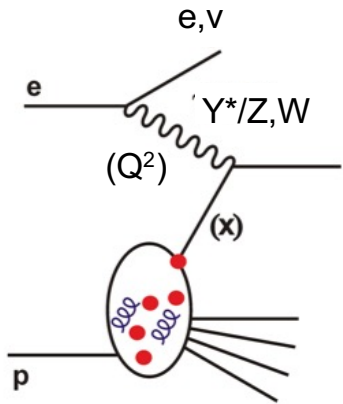
cf. NLO value: $\alpha_s(M_Z^2) = 0.1183 \pm 0.0009 \text{ (exp)} \pm 0.0005 \text{ (model/par.)} \pm 0.0012 \text{ (had)} {}^{+0.0037}_{-0.0030} \text{ (scale)}$

shift downwards at NNLO and reduction in scale uncertainties

- **two new PDF sets, to appear in LHAPDF:**
- HERAPDF2.0Jets NNLO $\alpha_s(M_Z)=0.1180$ (PDG value)
- HERAPDF2.0Jets NNLO $\alpha_s(M_Z)=0.1155$ (value favoured by new fits)

extras

DIS – the best tool to probe proton structure



o Kinematic variables:

$$Q^2 = -q^2 = -(k - k')^2$$

Virtuality of the exchanged boson

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2p \cdot q}$$

Bjorken scaling parameter

$$y = \frac{p \cdot q}{p \cdot k}$$

Inelasticity parameter

$$s = (k + p)^2 = \frac{Q^2}{xy}$$

Invariant c.o.m.

Neutral Current:

LO expressions

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{NC}^\pm}{dx dQ^2} = \frac{2\alpha\pi^2}{xQ^4} (Y_+ F_2 \mp Y_- xF_3 - y^2 F_L)$$

$$F_2 \sim \sum_i e_i^2 (xq_i + x\bar{q}_i) \quad xF_3 \sim \sum_i (xq_i - x\bar{q}_i) \quad F_L \sim \alpha_s \times g$$

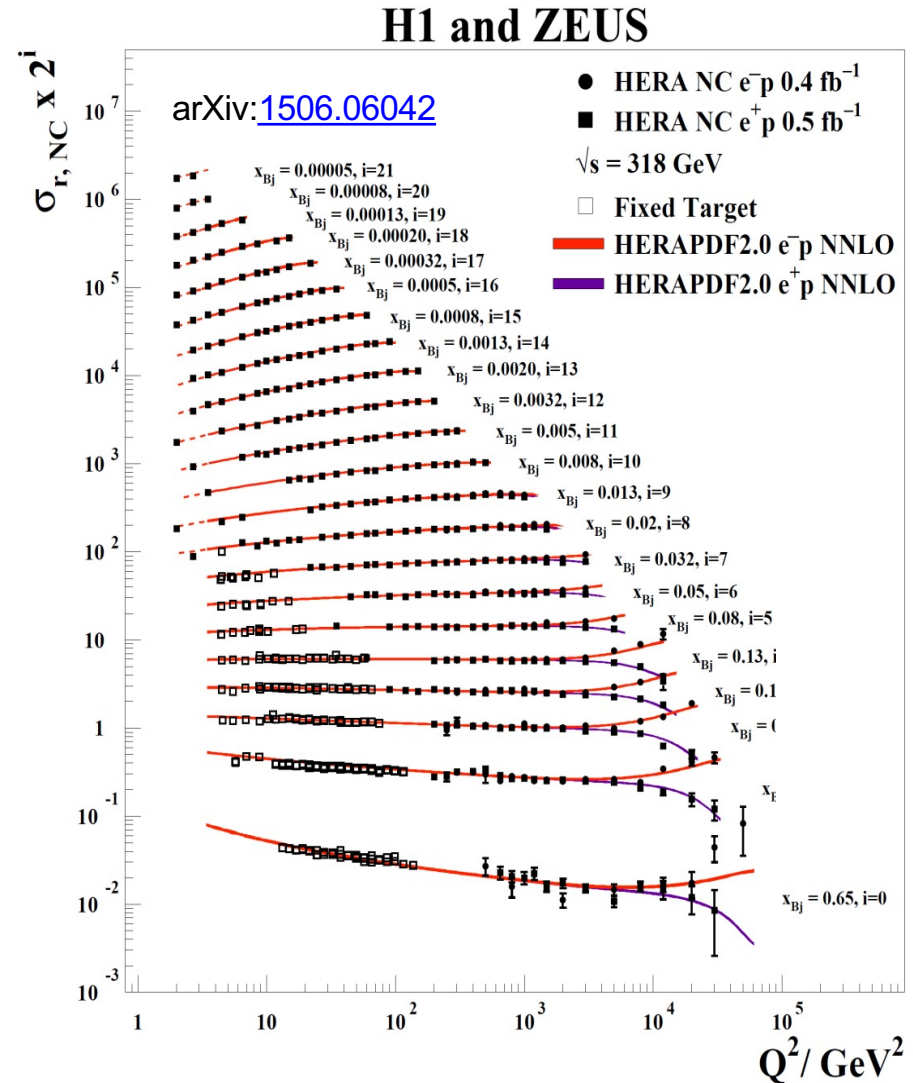
quarks pdfs valence quarks gluon via $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$

Charged Current:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{CC}^-}{dx dQ^2} = \frac{G_F^2}{2\pi} \frac{M_W^2}{M_W^2 + Q^2} (u + c + (1 - y^2)(\bar{d} + \bar{s}))$$

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{CC}^+}{dx dQ^2} = \frac{G_F^2}{2\pi} \frac{M_W^2}{M_W^2 + Q^2} (\bar{u} + \bar{c} + (1 - y^2)(d + s))$$

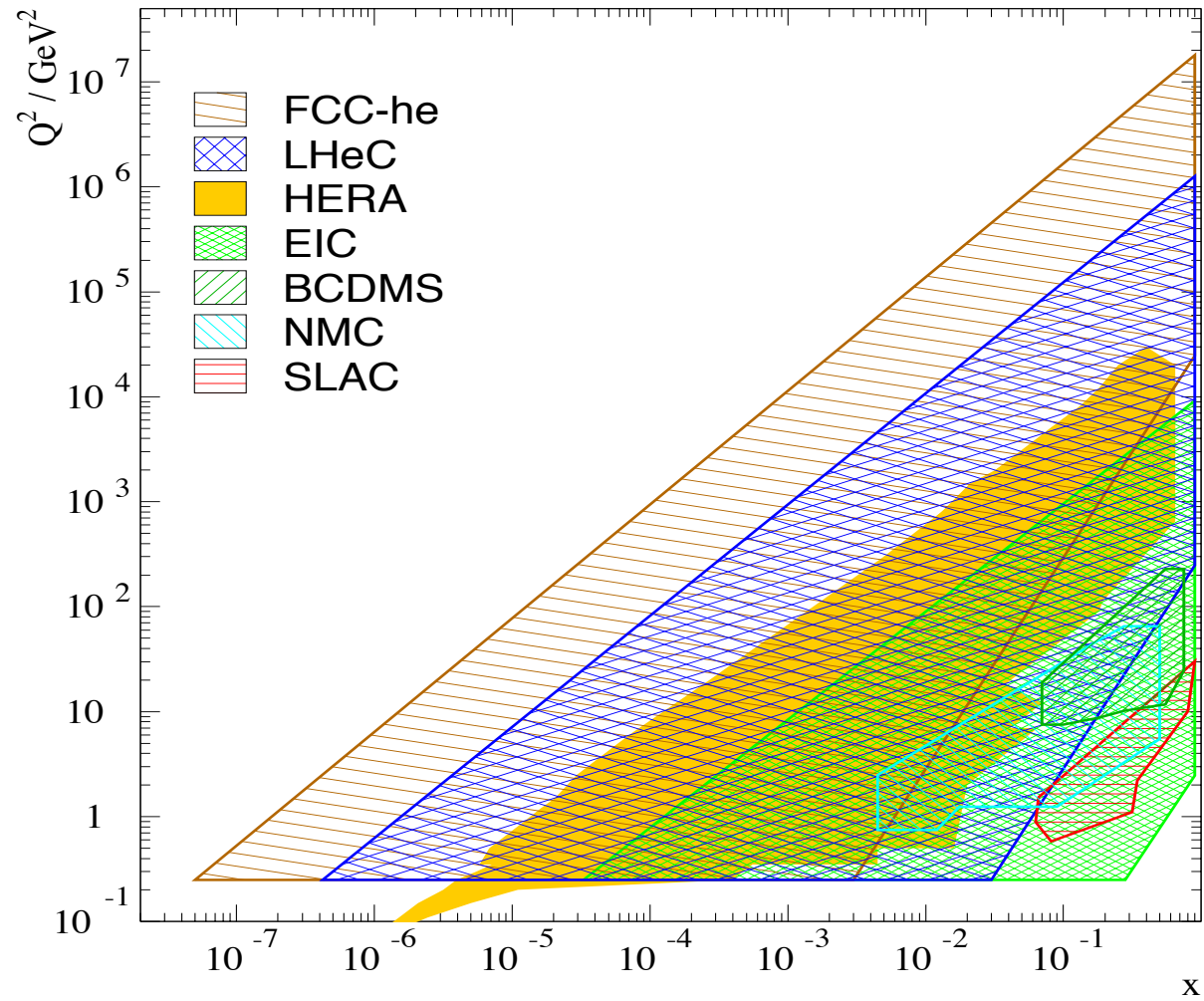
flavour decomposition



gluon from scaling violations:

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial \ln Q^2} \sim x g(x, Q^2)$$

(x, Q²) plane



HERAPDF parameterisation

- generic form as for HERAPDF2.0 NNLO;
- parameterise: **xg**, **xuv**, **xdv**, **xUbar=xubar**, **xDbar=x(dbar+sbar)** at scale $\mu_{f0}^2 = 1.9 \text{ GeV}^2$

Regge theory inspired



$$xf(x) = Ax^B(1-x)^C(1+Dx+Ex^2)$$

\downarrow $f(1)=0$
 \downarrow

QCD sum rules constrain: **Ag**, **Auv**, **Adv**

$$x\bar{s} = f_s x \bar{D}$$

$$A_{\bar{U}} = A_{\bar{D}}(1 - f_s), B_{\bar{U}} = B_{\bar{D}} \quad (x\bar{u} \rightarrow xd \text{ as } x \rightarrow 0)$$

D,E parameters only if favoured by χ^2

(extra negative term for gluon $- A'_g x^{B'_g} (1-x)^{C'_g}$)

14 parameter central fit

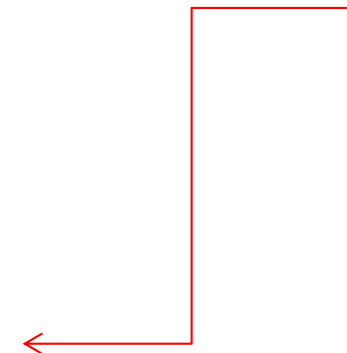
$$xg(x) = A_g x^{B_g} (1-x)^{C_g} - A'_g x^{B'_g} (1-x)^{C'_g},$$

$$xu_v(x) = A_{u_v} x^{B_{u_v}} (1-x)^{C_{u_v}} (1 + E_{u_v} x^2),$$

$$xd_v(x) = A_{d_v} x^{B_{d_v}} (1-x)^{C_{d_v}},$$

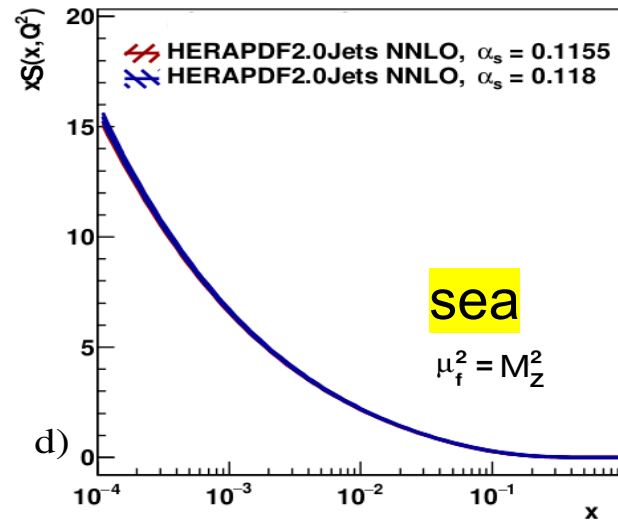
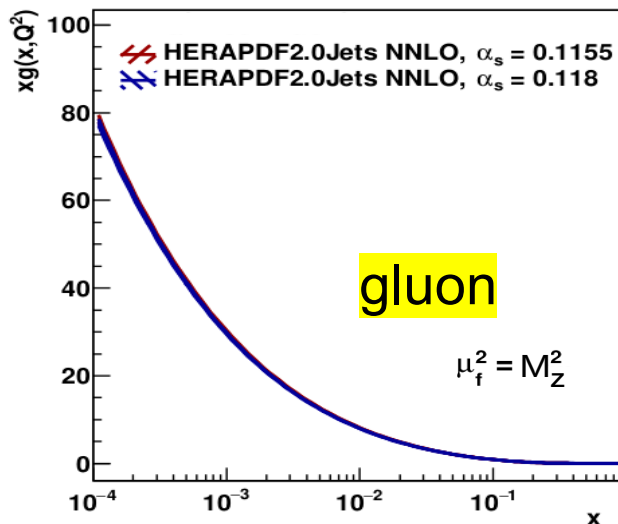
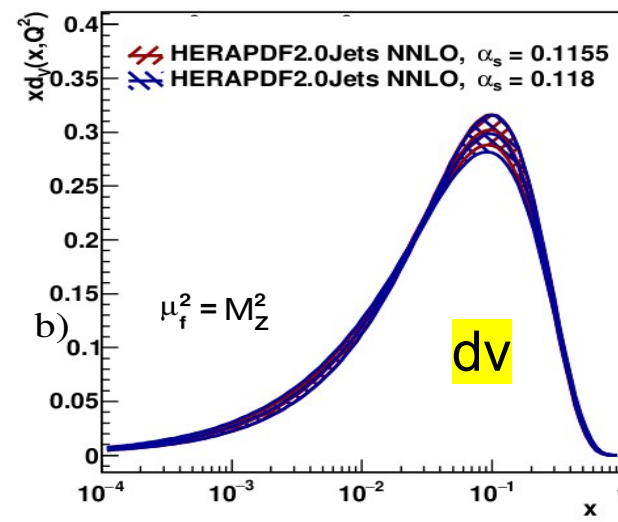
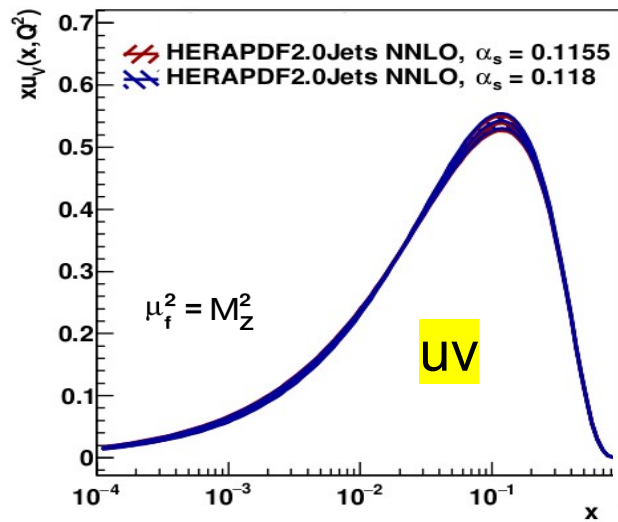
$$x\bar{U}(x) = A_{\bar{U}} x^{B_{\bar{U}}} (1-x)^{C_{\bar{U}}} (1 + D_{\bar{U}} x),$$

$$x\bar{D}(x) = A_{\bar{D}} x^{B_{\bar{D}}} (1-x)^{C_{\bar{D}}}.$$



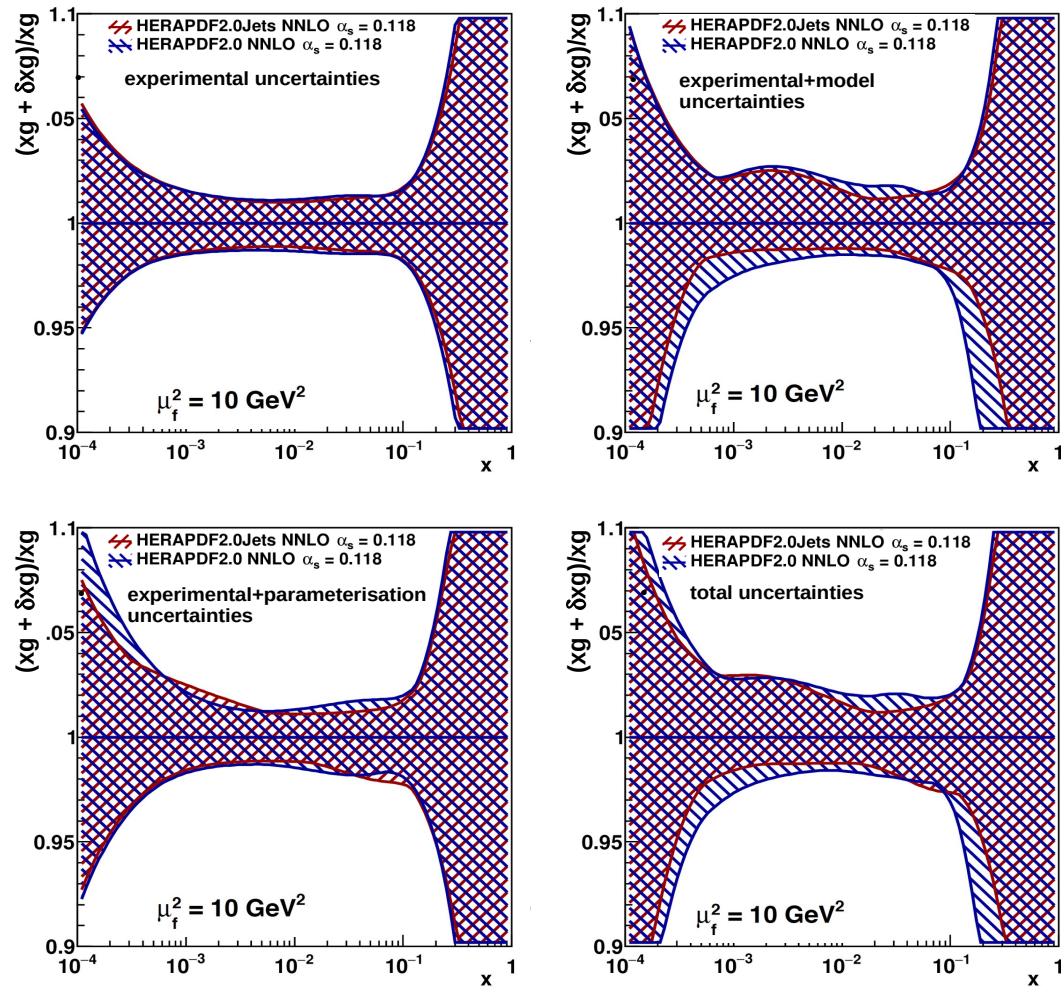
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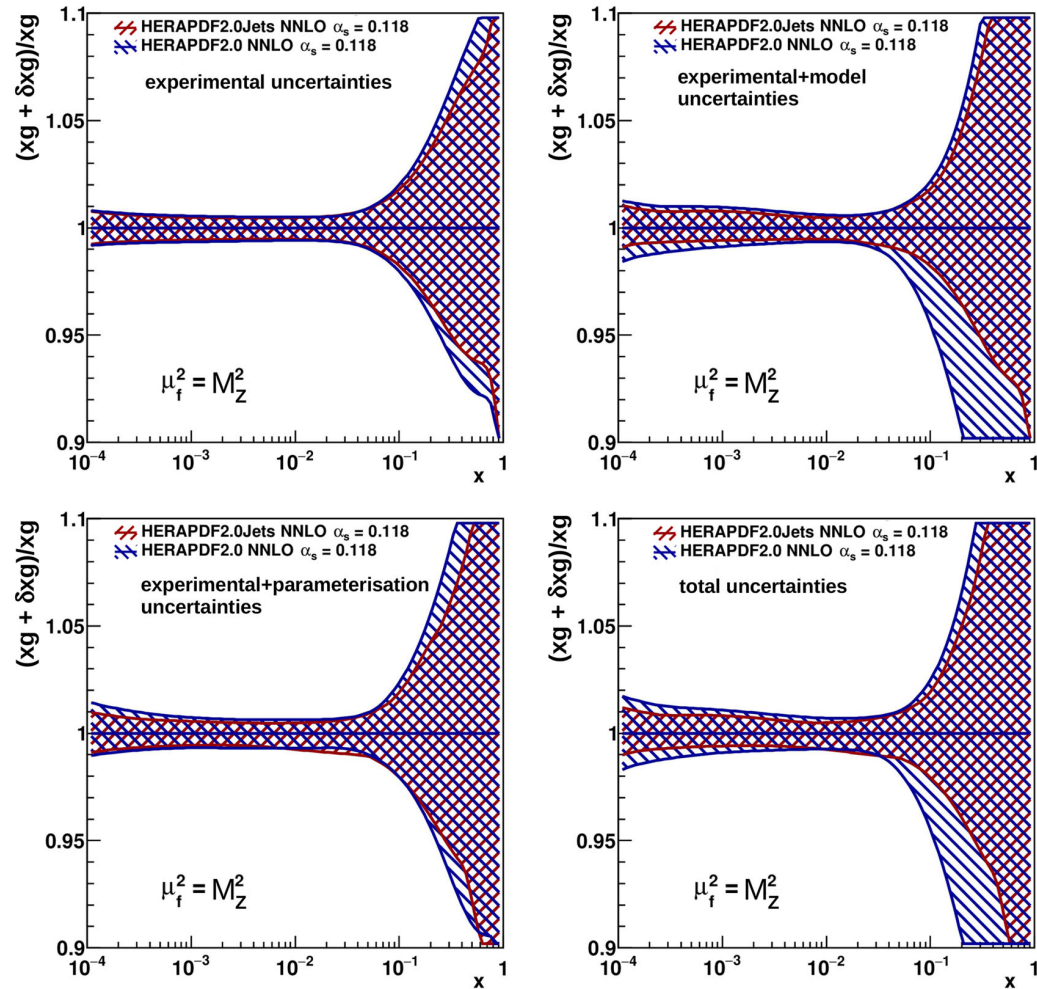
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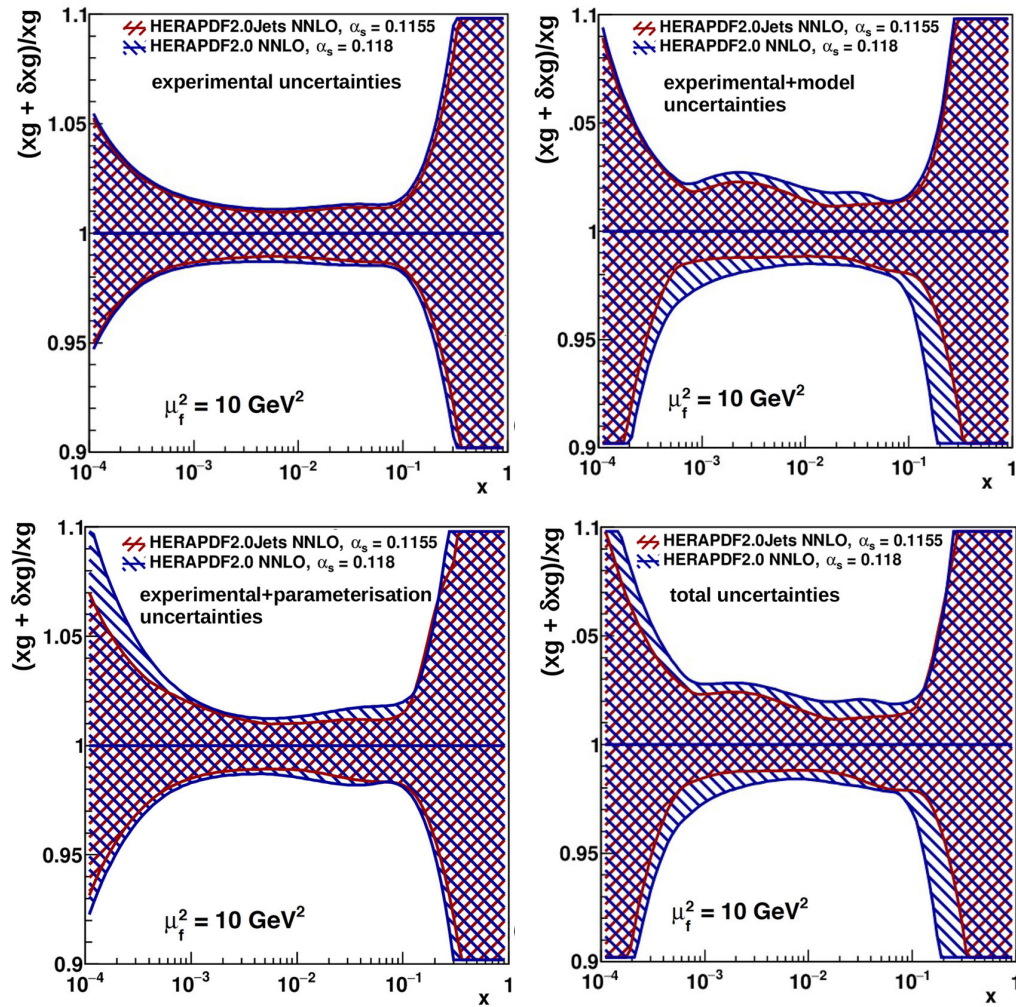
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comparison of uncertainties of new NNLO **jets fit** with **inclusive-only** fit

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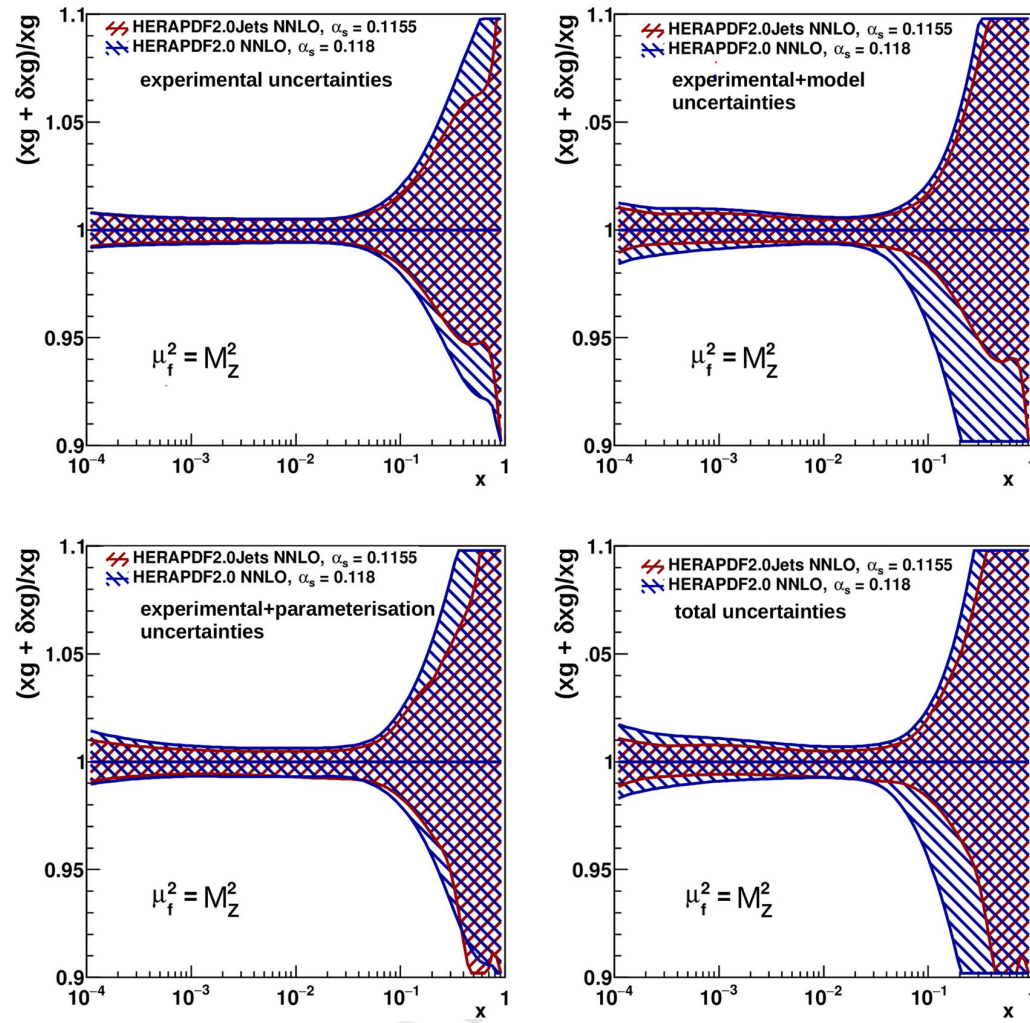
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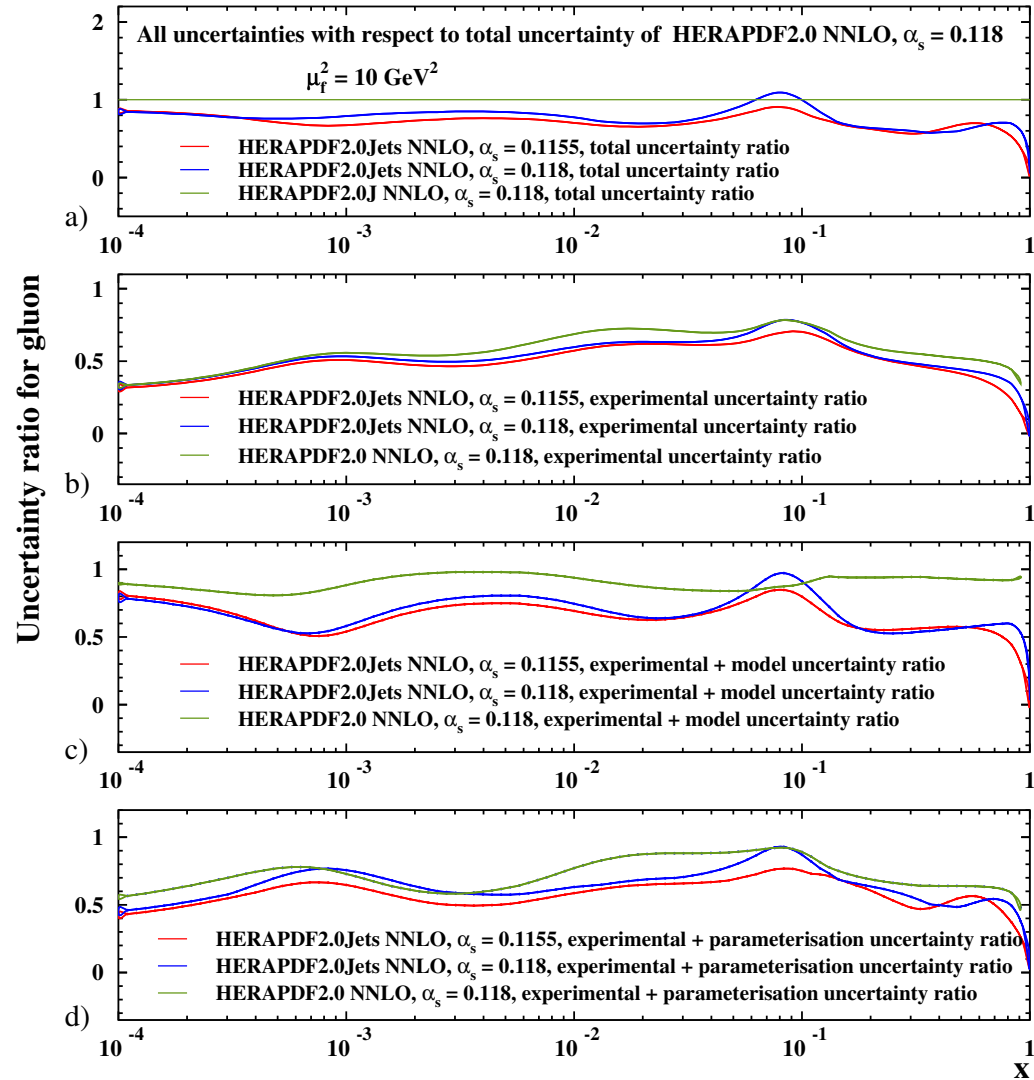
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Some remarks on NLO to NNLO comparison- (not in the paper)

Our present NNLO result using ½ correlated and ½ uncorrelated scale uncertainty

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1156 \pm 0.0011(\text{exp})^{+0.0001}_{-0.0002}(\text{model+parametrisation} \pm 0.0022(\text{scale}))$$

where “exp” denotes the experimental uncertainty which is taken as the fit uncertainty, including the contribution from hadronisation uncertainties.

Maybe compared with the NLO result

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1183 \pm 0.0008(\text{exp}) \pm 0.0012(\text{had})^{+0.0003}_{-0.0005}(\text{mod/param})^{+0.0037}_{-0.003}(\text{scale})$$

BUT

- the choice of scale was different;
- the NLO result did not include the recently published H1 low- Q^2 inclusive and dijet data [28];
- the NLO result did not include the newly published low p_T points from the H1 high- Q^2 inclusive data;
- the NNLO result does not include trijet data;
- the NNLO result does not include the low p_T points from the ZEUS dijet data;
- the NNLO analysis imposes a stronger kinematic cut $\mu > 10 \text{ GeV}$
- the treatment of hadronisation uncertainty differs.

All these changes with respect to the NLO analysis had to be made to create a consistent environment for a fit at NNLO. at the same time, an NLO fit cannot be done under exactly the same conditions as the NNLO fit since the H1 low Q^2 data cannot be well fitted at NLO. However, an NLO and an NNLO fit can be done under the common conditions:

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- choice of scale, $\mu_f^2 = \mu_r^2 = Q^2 + p_T^2$;
- exclusion of the H1 low- Q^2 inclusive and dijet data;
- exclusion of the low- p_T points from the H1 high- Q^2 inclusive jet data;
- exclusion of trijet data;
- exclusion of low- p_T points from the ZEUS dijet data;
- exclusion of data with $\mu < 10$ GeV
- hadronisation uncertainties treated as correlated systematic uncertainties as done in the NNLO analysis.

The values of $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ obtained for these conditions are:

$0.1186 \pm 0.0014(\text{exp})$ NLO and $0.1144 \pm 0.0013(\text{exp})$ NNLO.

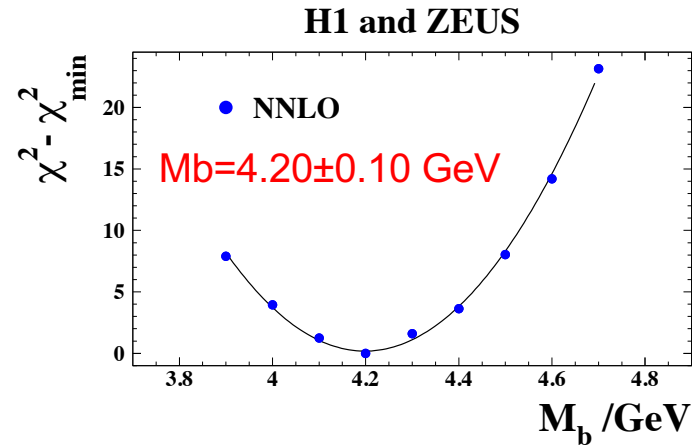
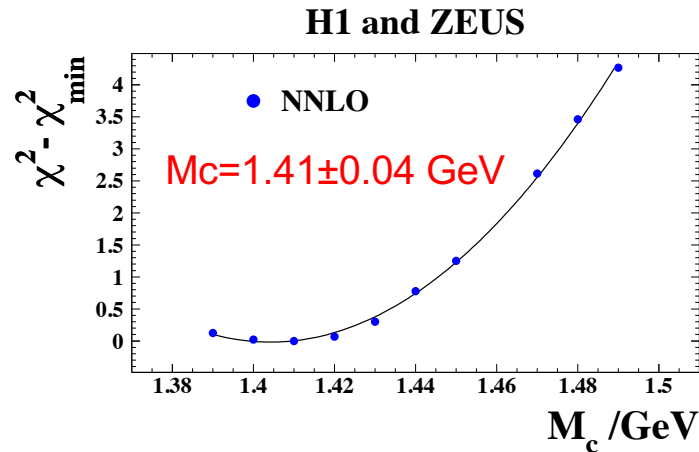
The change of the NNLO value from the preferred value of 0.1156 is mostly due to the exclusion of the H1 low Q^2 data and the low- p_T points at high Q^2

What do we mean when we say the H1 low Q^2 jets cannot be well fitted at NLO?

Simply this, that at NNLO the increase in overall χ^2 of the fit when the 74 data pts of these data are added is ~ 80 (exact value depends on $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ and on scale choice)

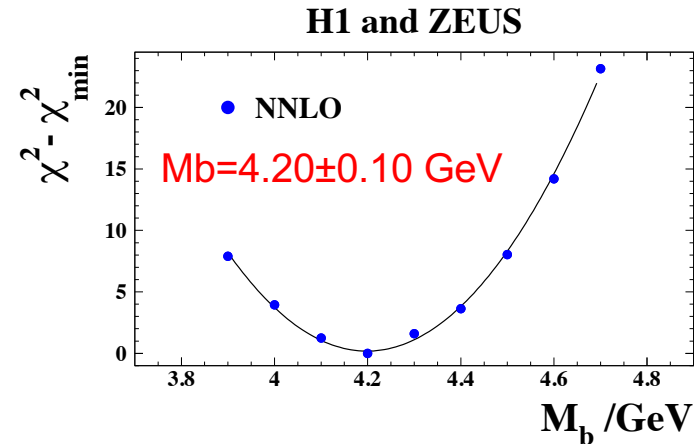
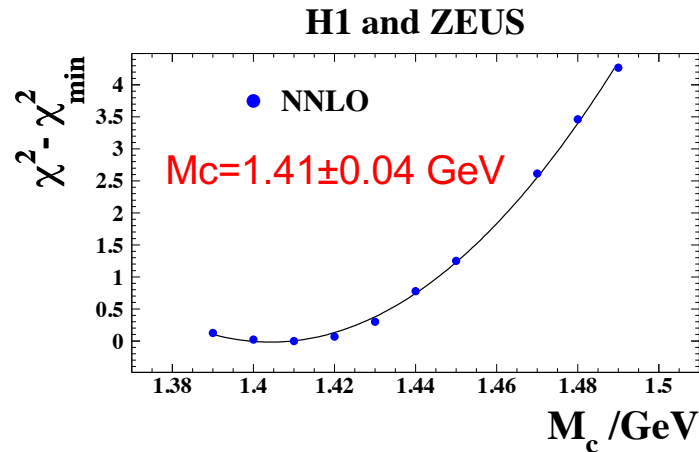
Whereas at NLO the increase in overall χ^2 of the fit when the 74 data pts of these data are added is ~ 180 .

Mc and Mb



- since publication of HERAPDF2.0, new HERA combined charm and beauty data published, [EPJ C78 \(2018\), 473](#) – affects evaluation of optimal **Mc** and **Mb**
- Heavy Quark (HQ) coefficient functions evaluated using Thorne-Roberts Optimised Variable Flavour Number Scheme
- optimal **Mc** and **Mb** values for current study chosen from χ^2 scans performed using inclusive and HQ data (iterative procedure; further details in next slide)

Mc and Mb optimisation

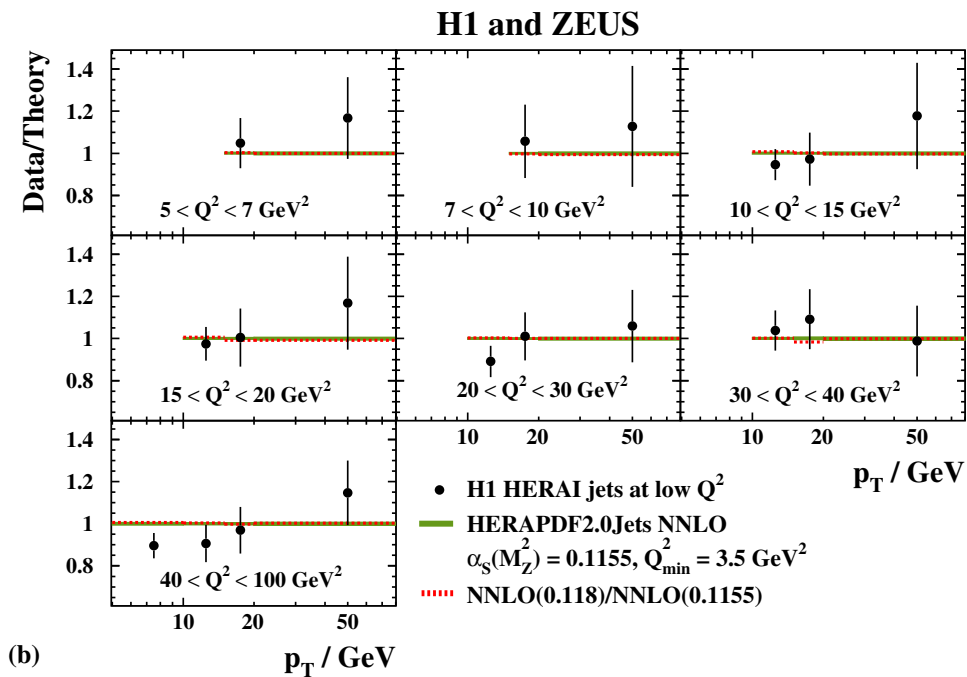
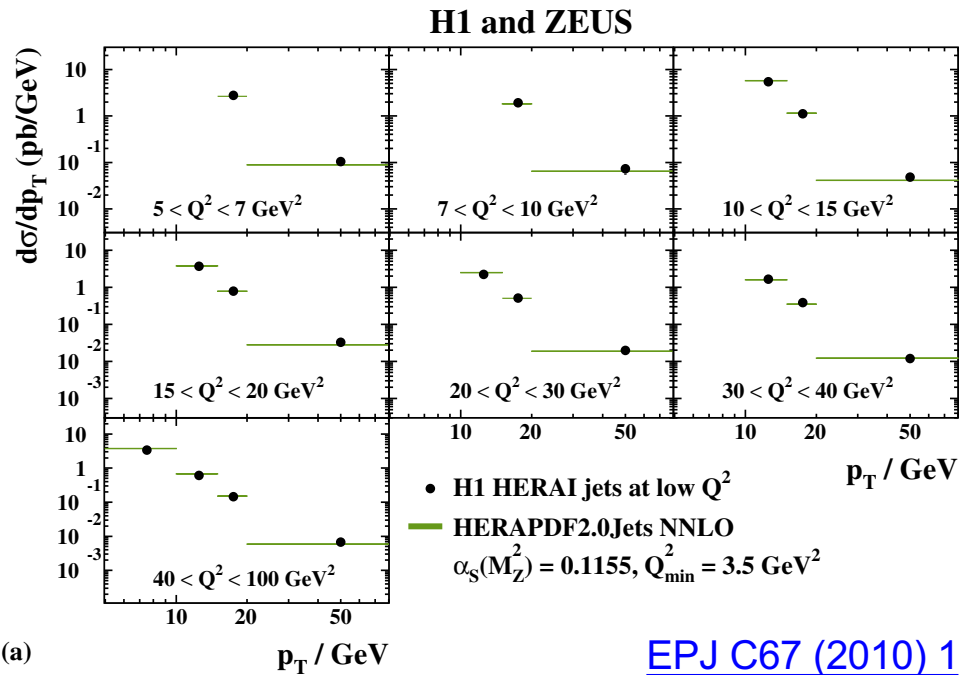


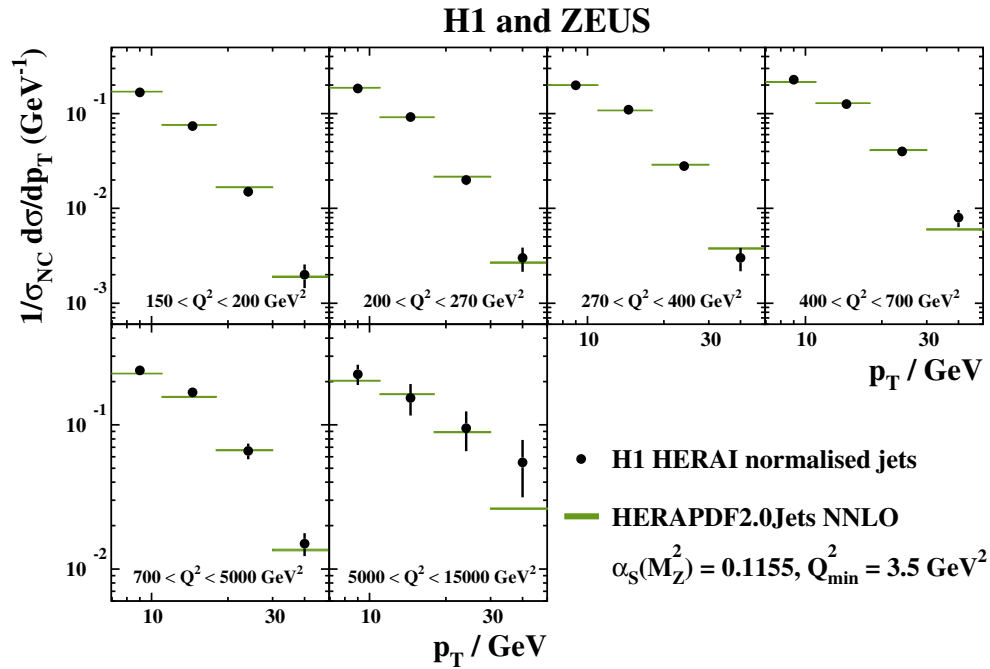
- X2 scans performed versus M_c and M_b using inclusive and heavy quark data
- start with $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118$ and the usual HERAPDF2.0 parameterisation; perform scan and adopt resulting values of M_c and M_b
- then fit for $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ including jet data
- Since new value ($\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1156$) is obtained (see slide 10), scans are revisited obtaining very slightly different M_c and M_b values
- then refit for $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ using these new M_c and M_b values – $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1156$ is unchanged
- then recheck parameterisation with new M_c , M_b , $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1156$ AND jet data added
- previous parameterisation confirmed – no further iteration needed!

cf. HERA jet data

HERAPDF2.0JetsNLO

$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1155$



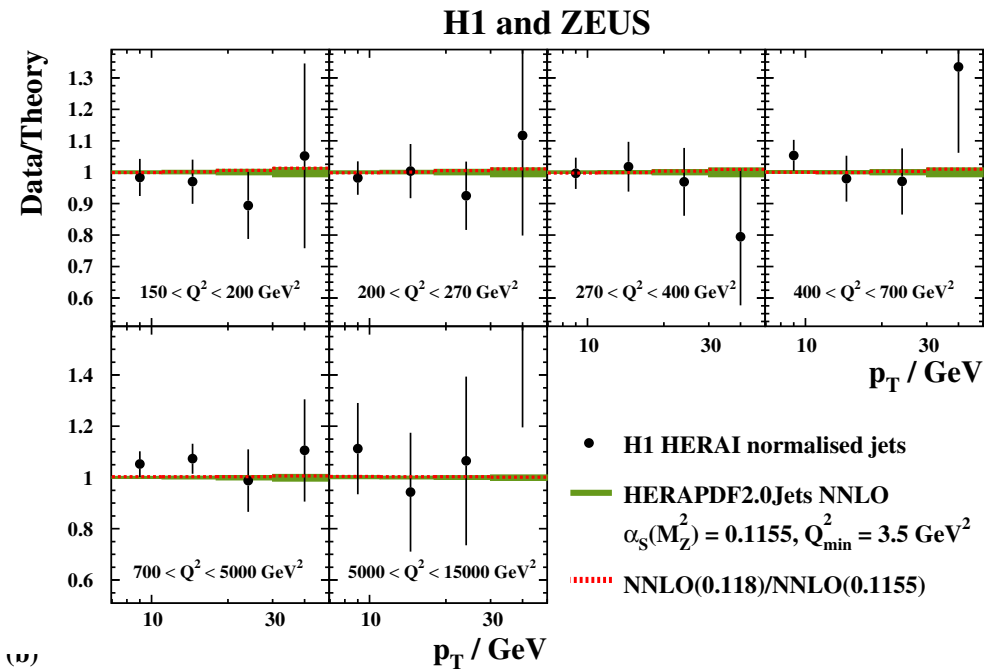


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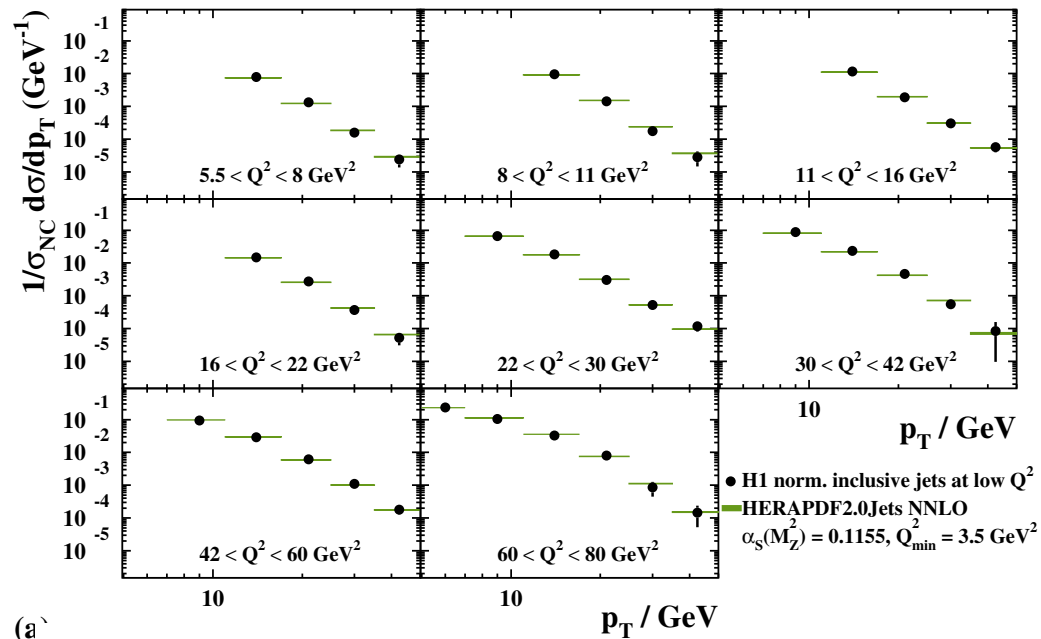
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H1 and ZEUS



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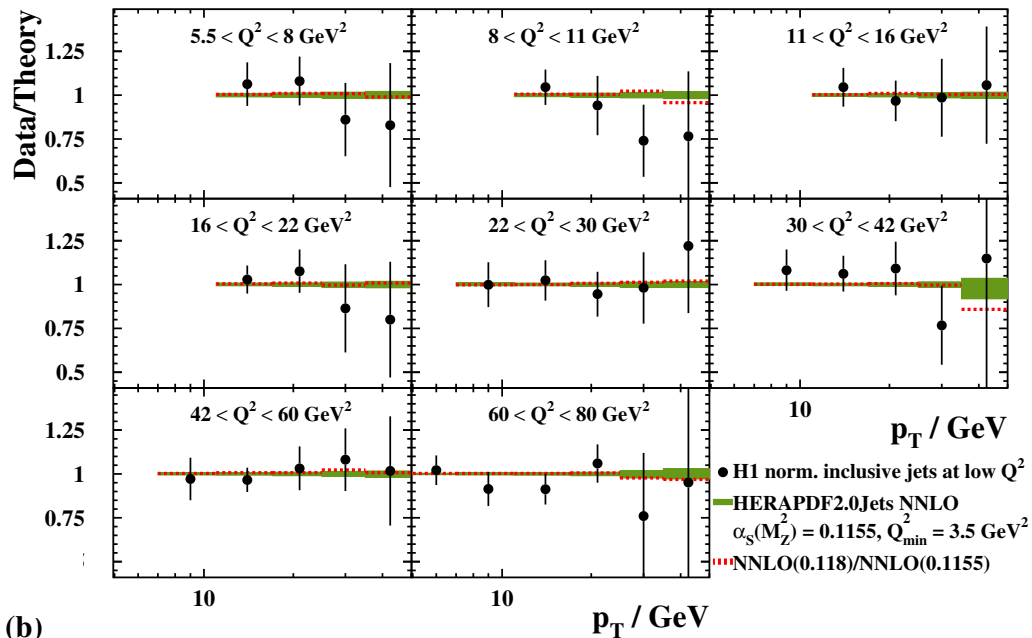
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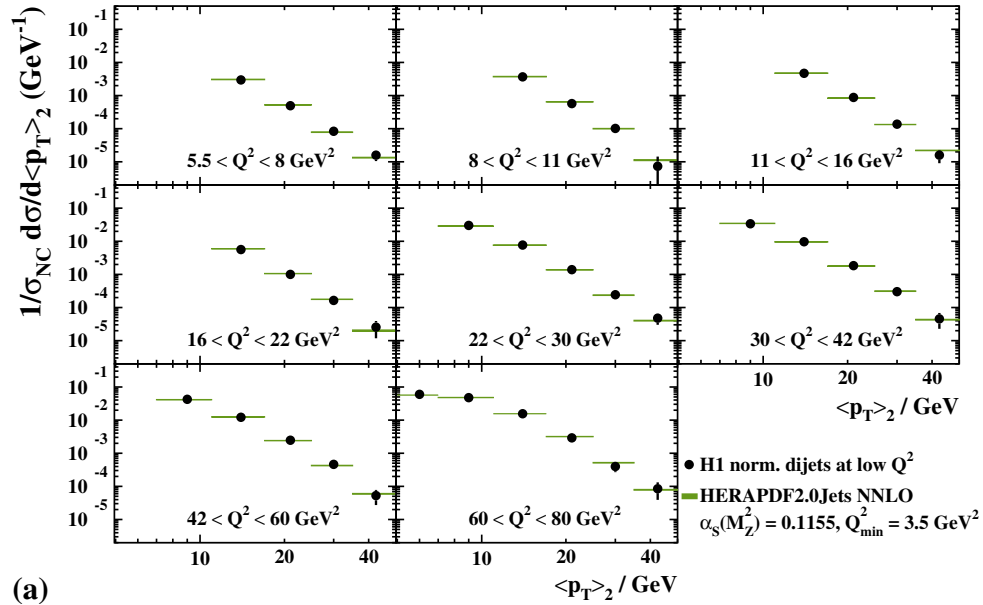
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H1 and ZEUS



(b)

H1 and ZEUS



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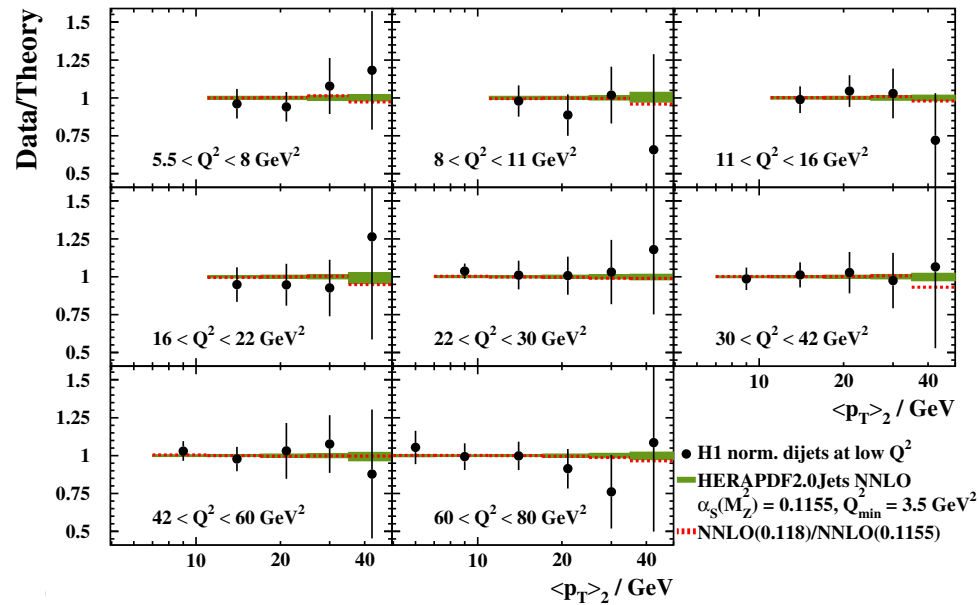
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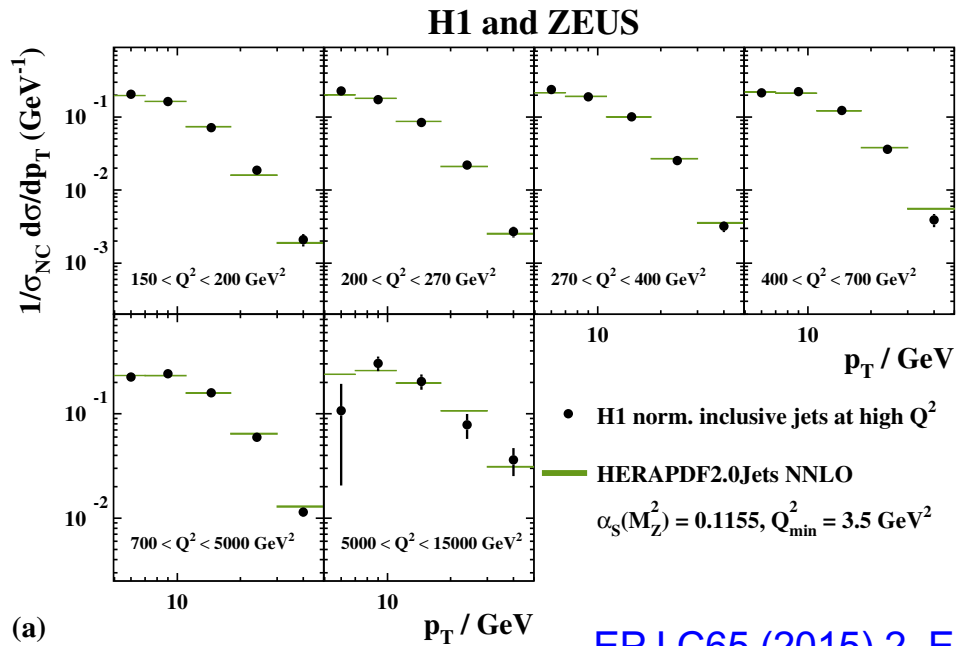
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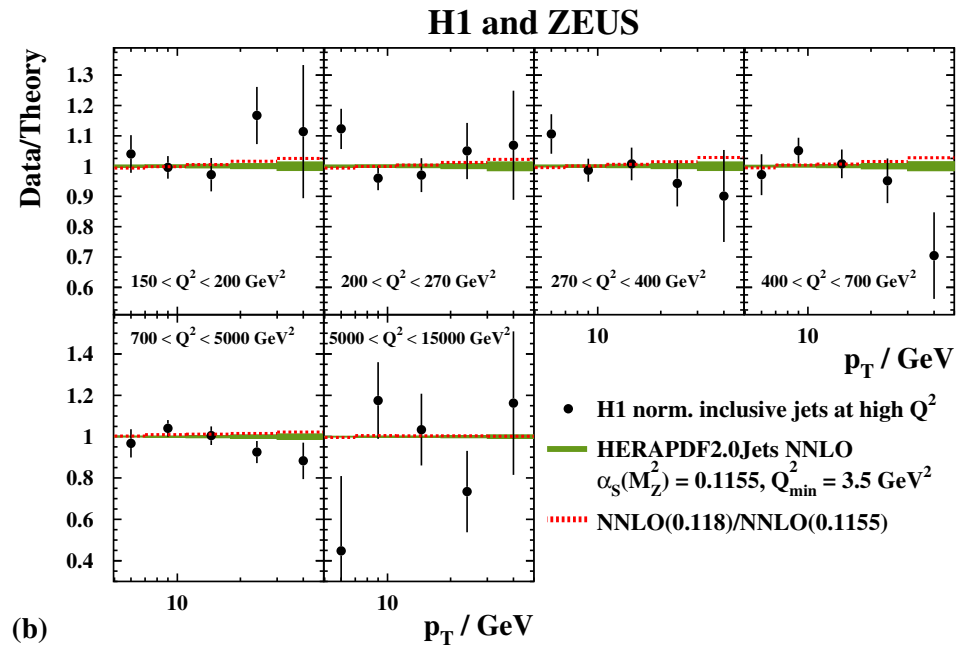


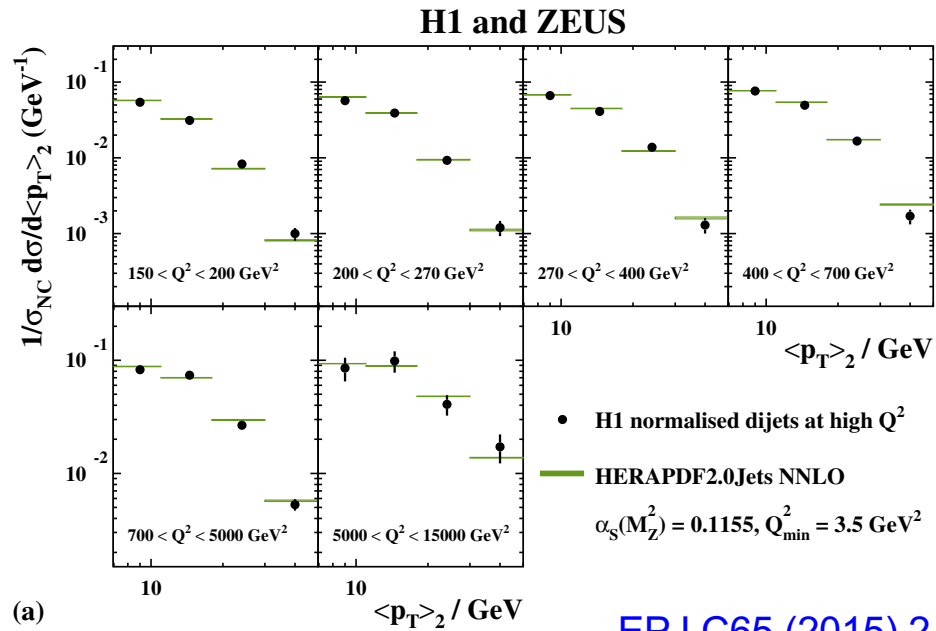
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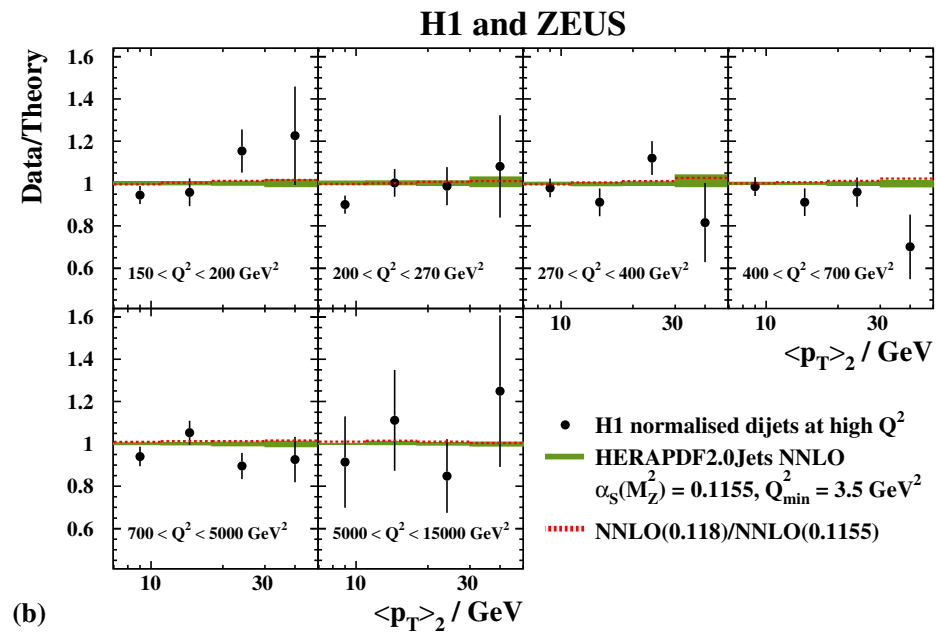


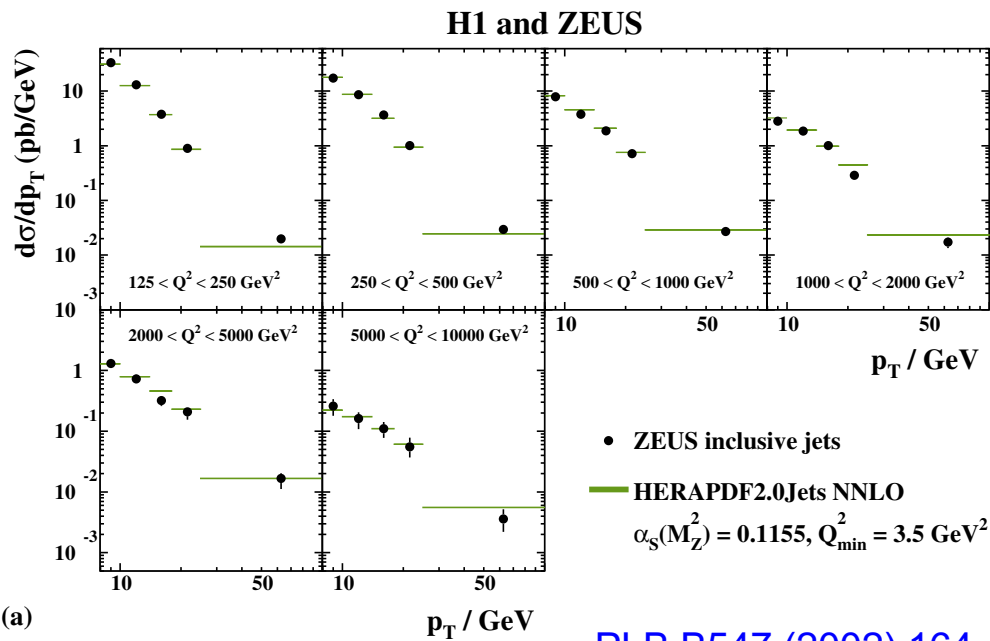
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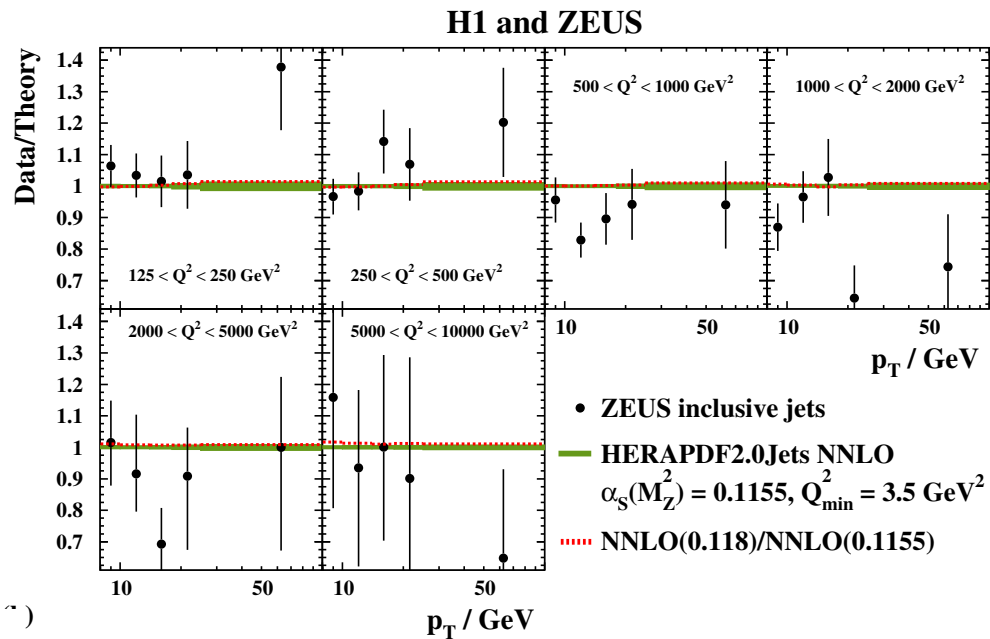
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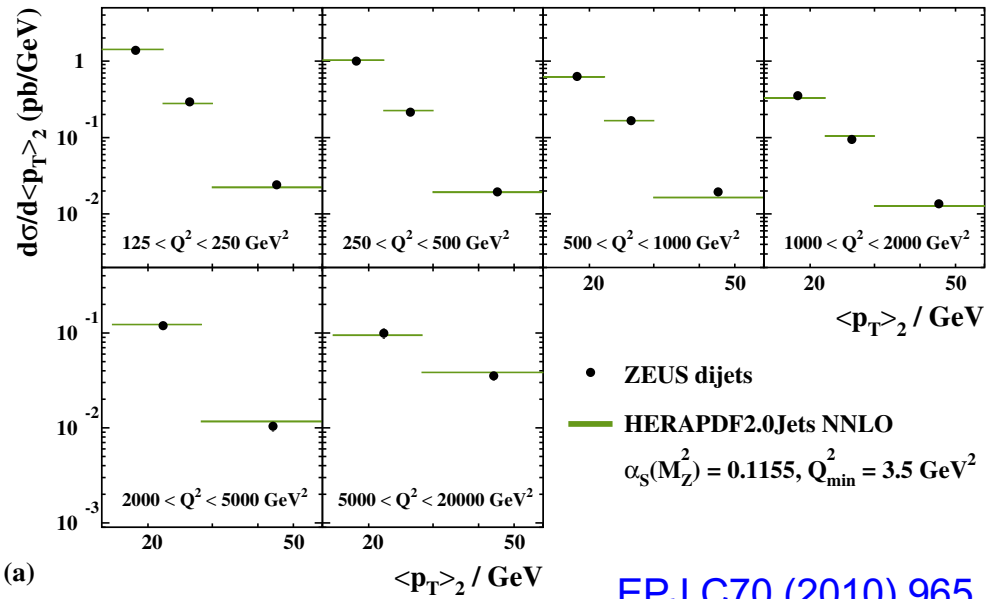
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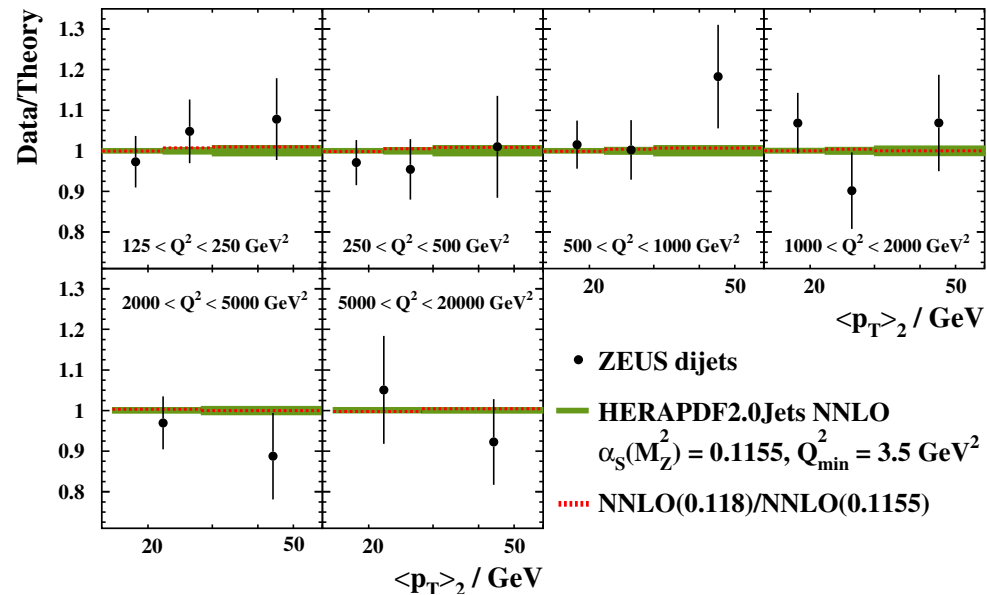
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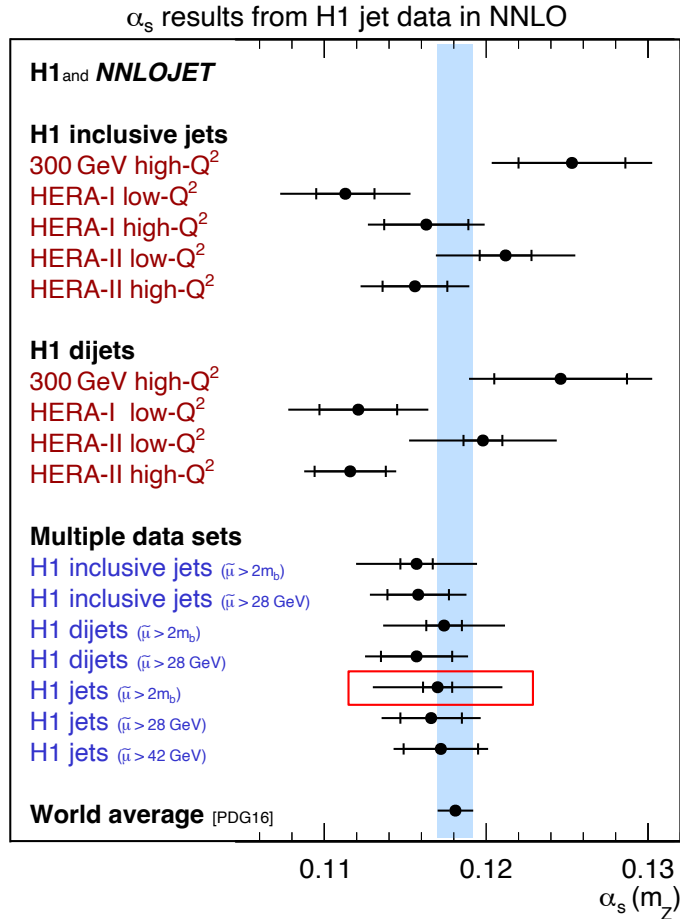
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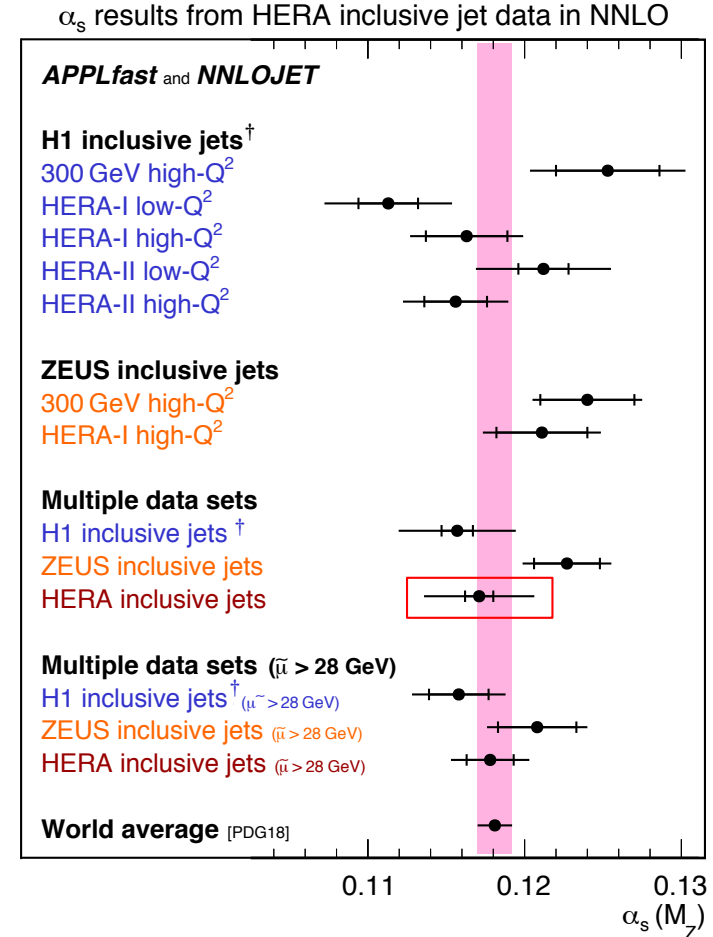


cf. other NNLO results using HERA jets



H1 jets, arXiv: [1709.07251](https://arxiv.org/abs/1709.07251)

see also, arXiv: [2203.08271](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.08271)



H1+ZEUS inclusive jets,

arXiv: [1906.05303](https://arxiv.org/abs/1906.05303)