

Scaled Charged Particle Momentum Distributions at High Q^2 at HERA (HI)

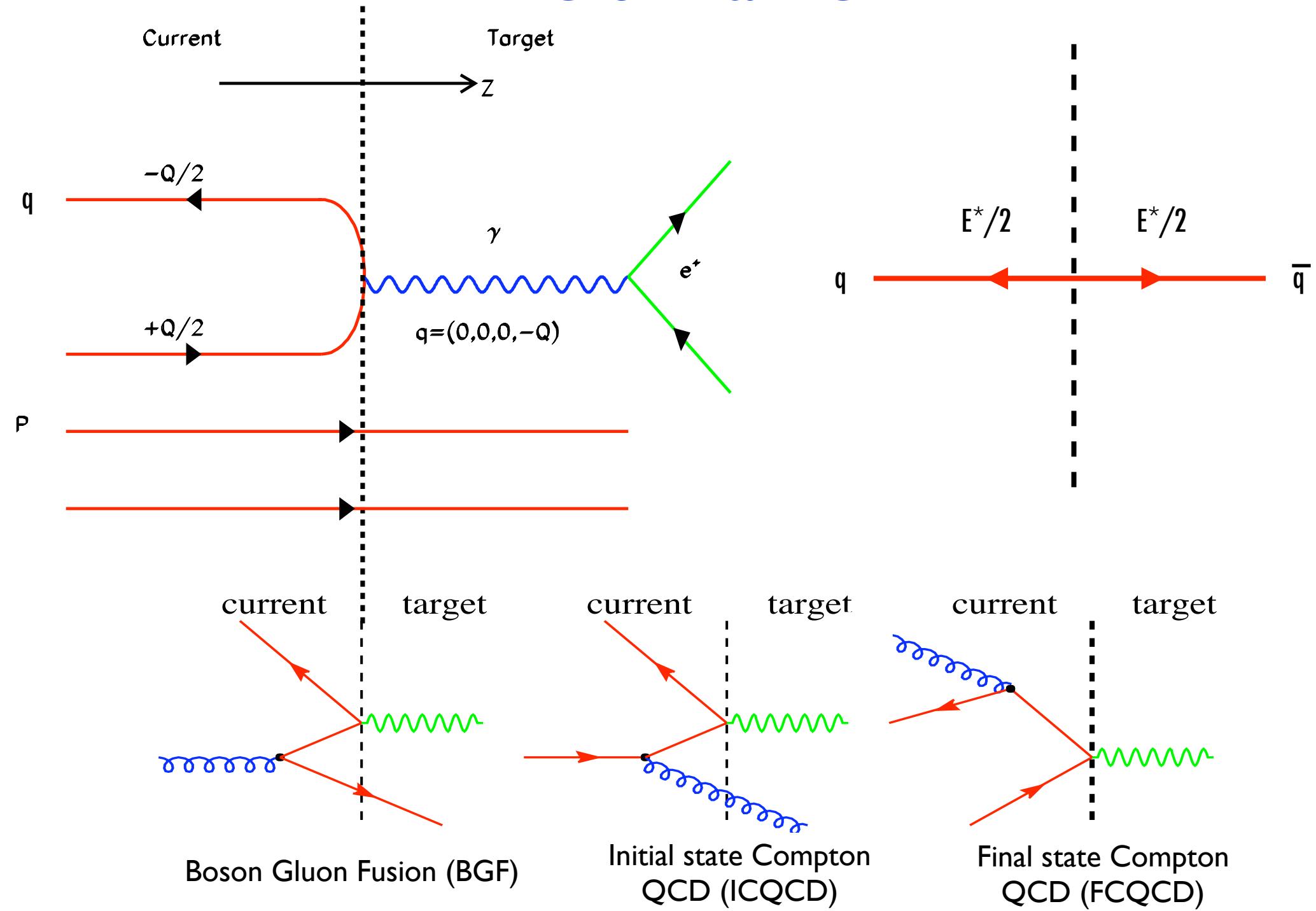
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Motivation

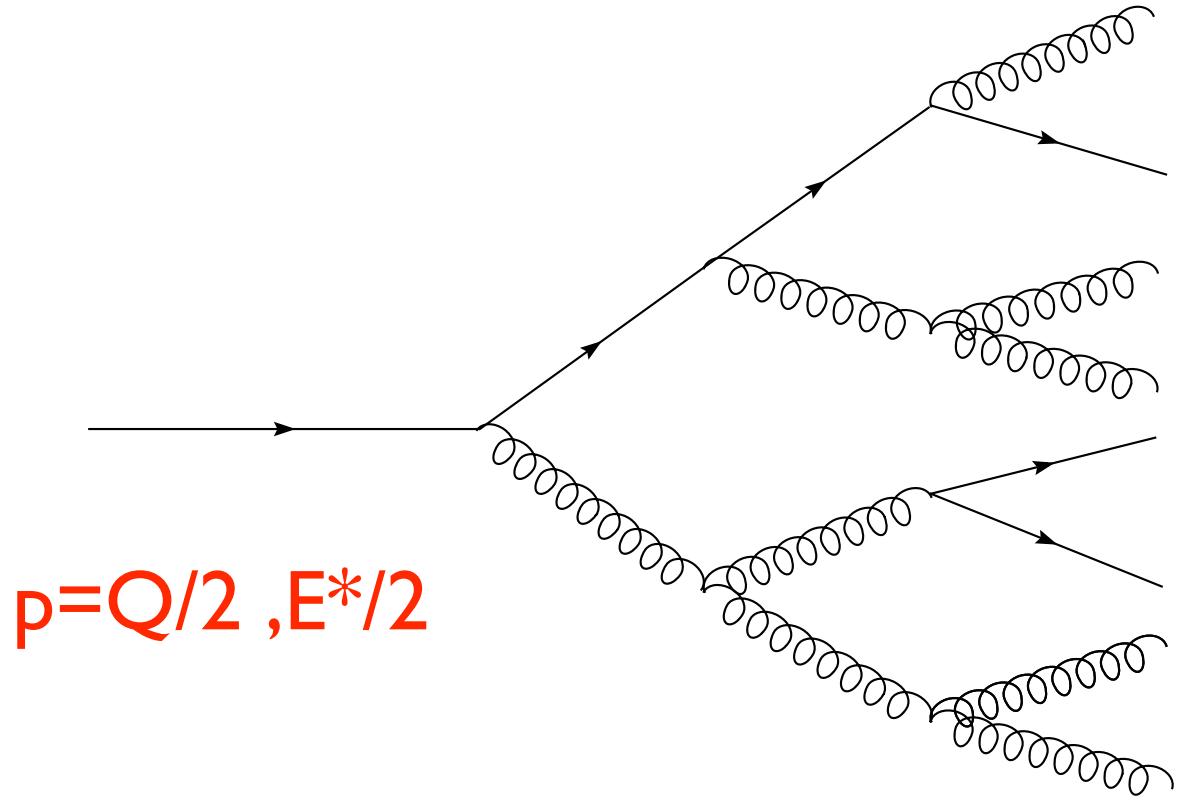
- Parton splitting in pQCD causes scaling violations in structure functions. Also seen in fragmentation functions. Test pQCD
- Quark fragmentation universality and test of factorisation comparison with e⁺e⁻ results.
Test QCD
- Test of fragmentation (CDM/ PS) and hadronisation (String/Cluster) models and there tuning. Test npQCD

Breit Frame

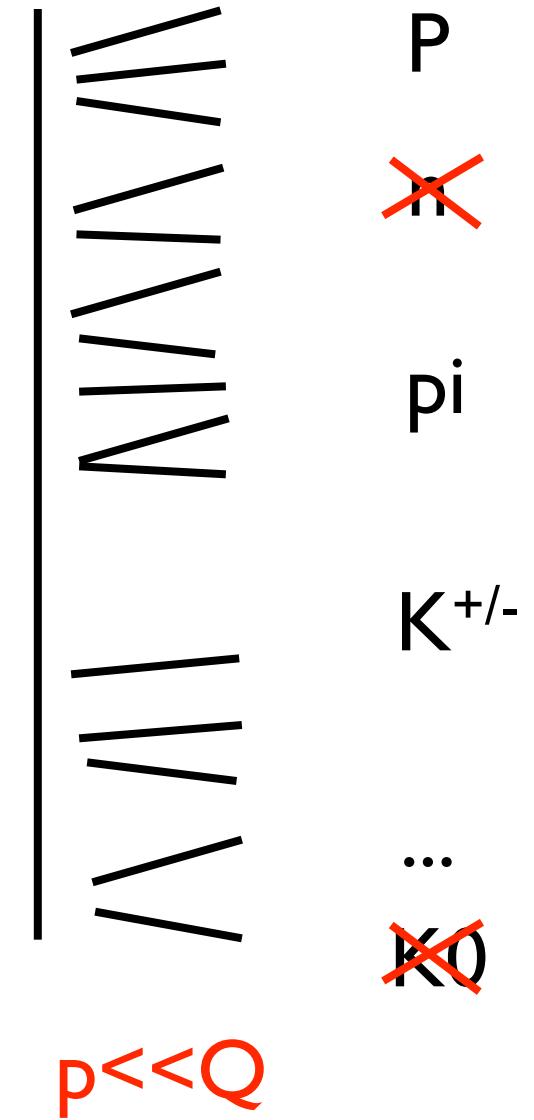


Hard
interaction
pQCD

Fragmentation
 \sim pQCD
(parton cascade)



HADRONISATION



Observable $D(x_p)$

$$x_p = \frac{(2P_h)}{Q}$$

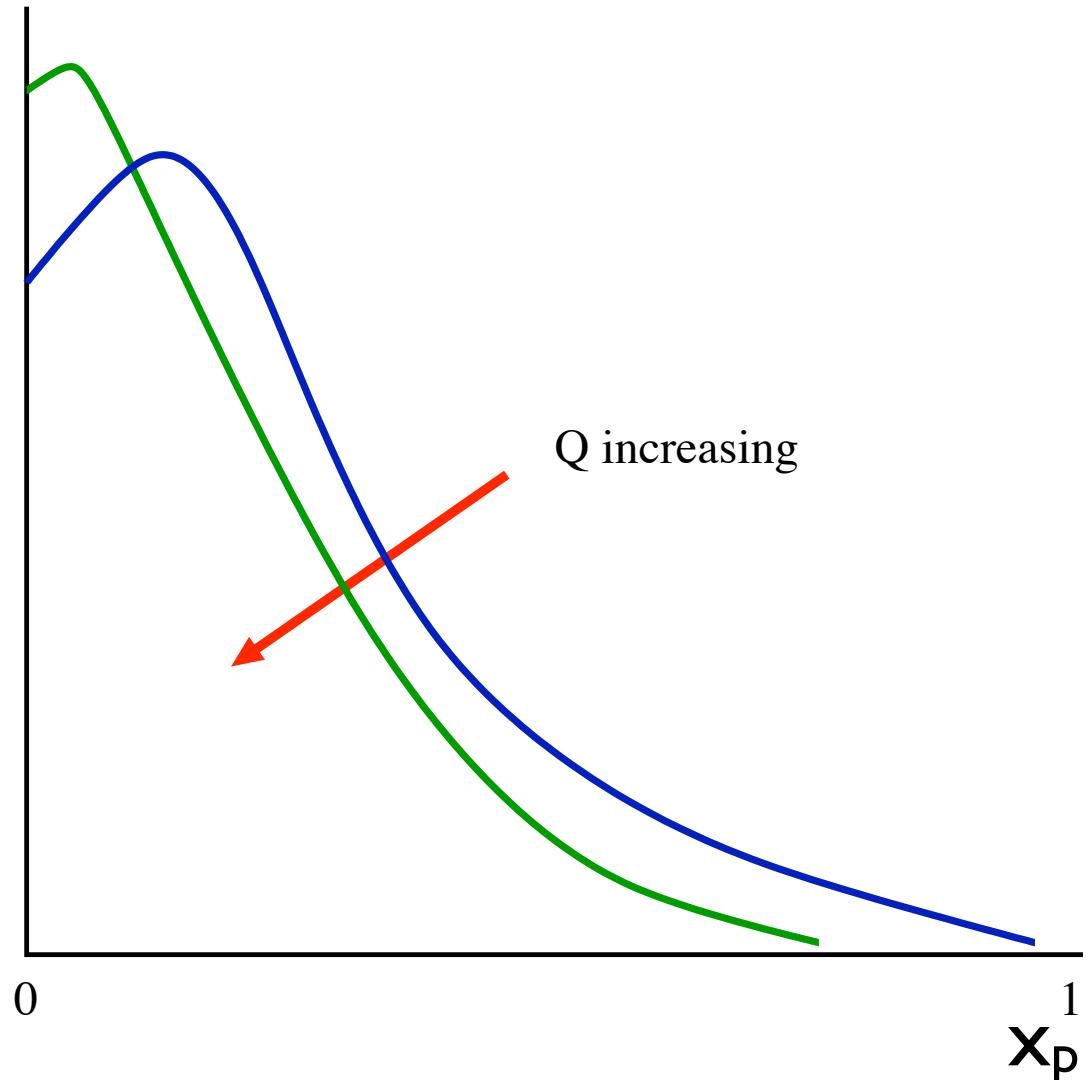
$$D(x_p) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{event}}} dn/dx_p$$

x_p = scaled momentum variable

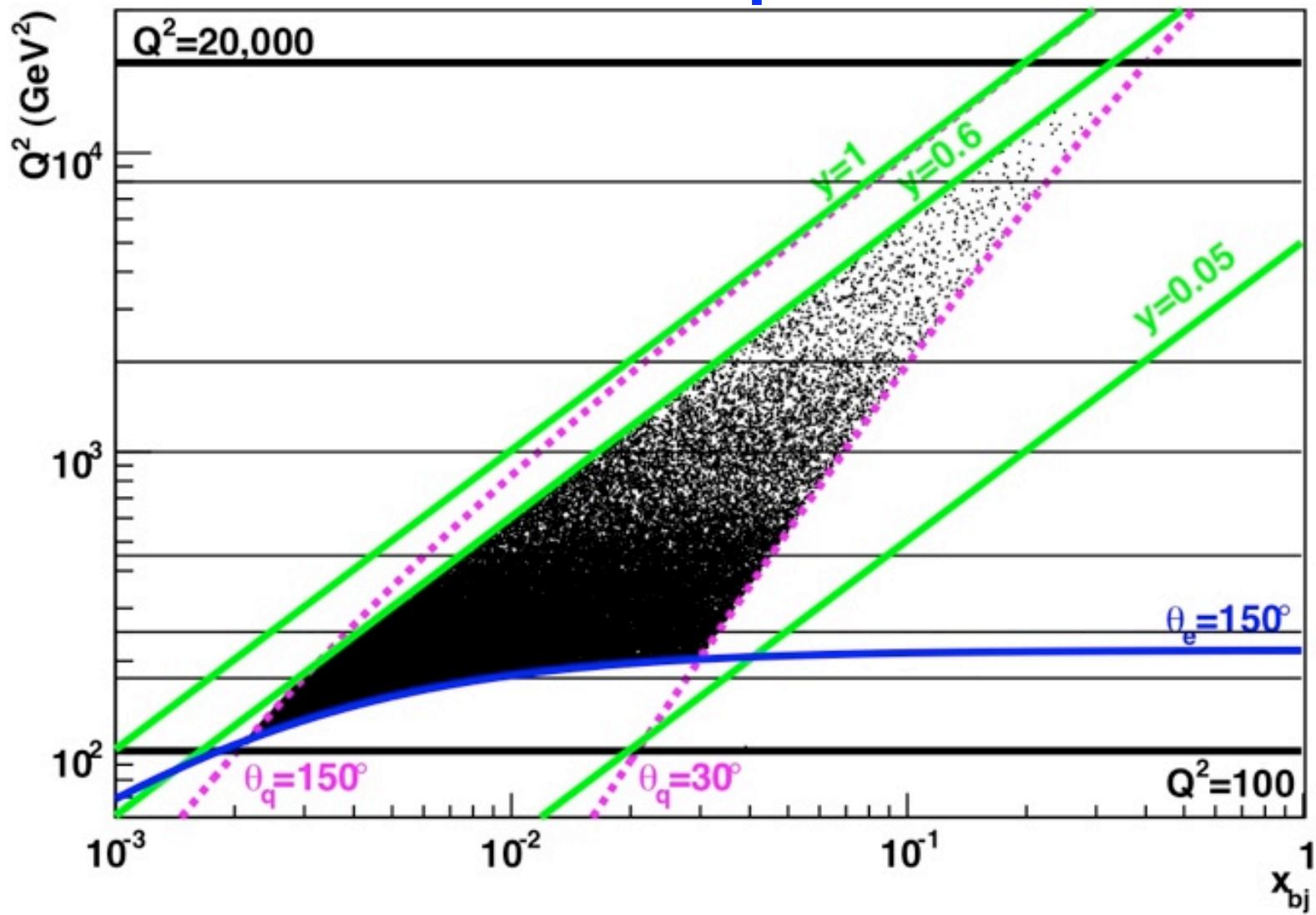
Q = Scale in current region
of Breit Frame

p_h = momentum of charged track
in current region of Breit Frame

$D(x_p)$ = event normalised, charged particle, scaled momentum spectrum



Phase Space



$100 < Q^2 < 20,000$ GeV 2

$y < 0.6$

$30^\circ < \theta_{\text{quark}} < 150^\circ$

$\theta_{\text{electron}} < 150^\circ$

$p_{t,\text{lab}} > 120$ MeV

$p_{t,\text{Breit}} > 0$ MeV

Compare to e^+e^-

How does I hemisphere of $e^+e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
compare to current region of Brit frame?

e^+e^- experiments:

TASSO $E^* = 14, 22, 35, 44$ GeV

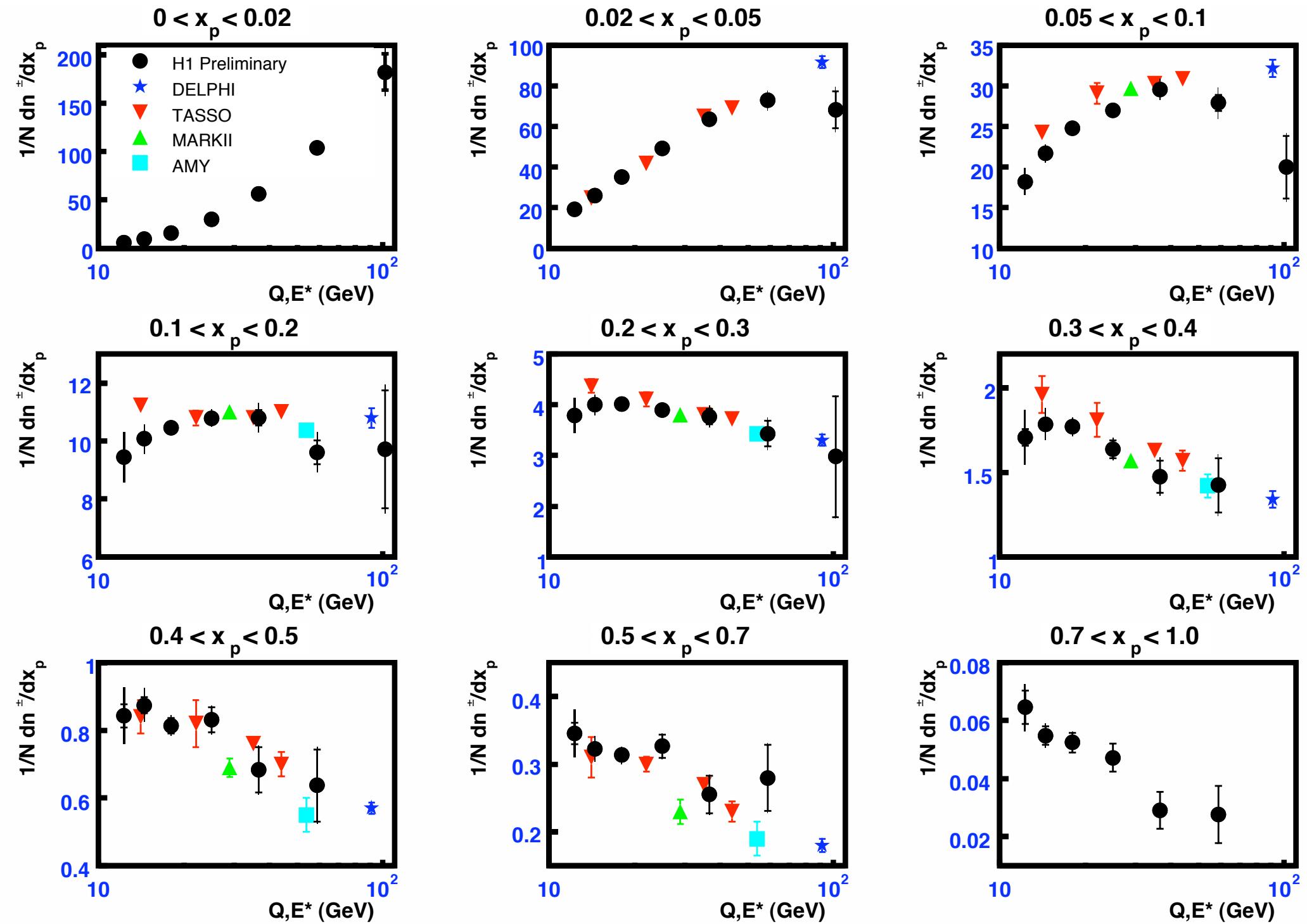
MARKII $E^* = 29$ GeV

AMY $E^* = 54$ GeV

DELPHI $E^* = 91$ GeV

Physics differences :

quark source proton PDF not vacuum !
+ ICQCD and BGF !



- Moving from low to high Q spectra becomes softer. More particles with a lower share of the total momentum.
Scaling violations.
- e^+e^- data show same behaviour (slightly softer?).
- Good demonstration of quark fragmentation universality.
- Possible discrepancy between ep and e^+e^- at low Q (BGF / ICQCD?)

Hadronisation Models

To take into account physics differences use Monte Carlo fragmentation model steering has been tuned to e+e-.

HERWIG (v6.5)

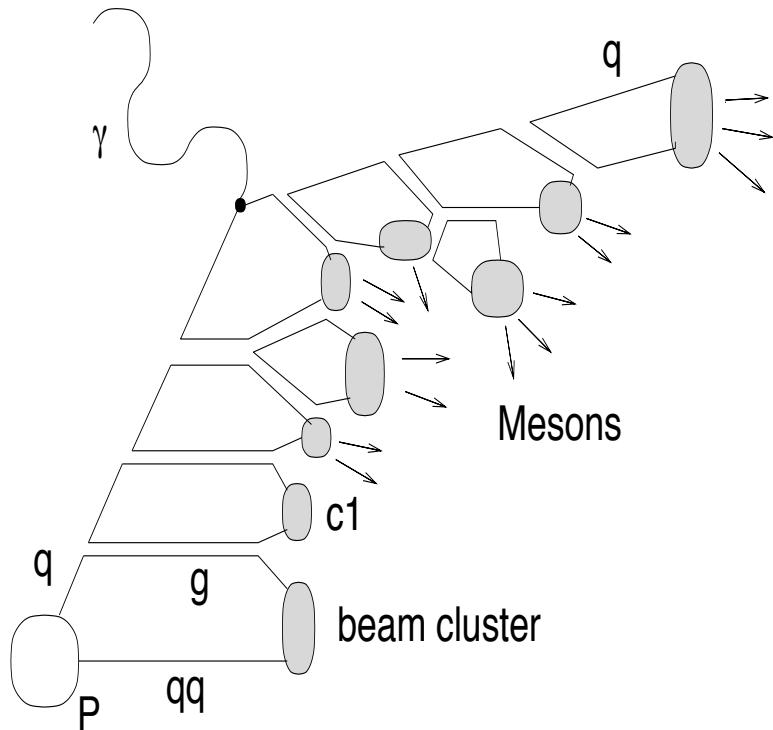
LO ME + parton shower + cluster hadronisation

RAPGAP (v3.1)

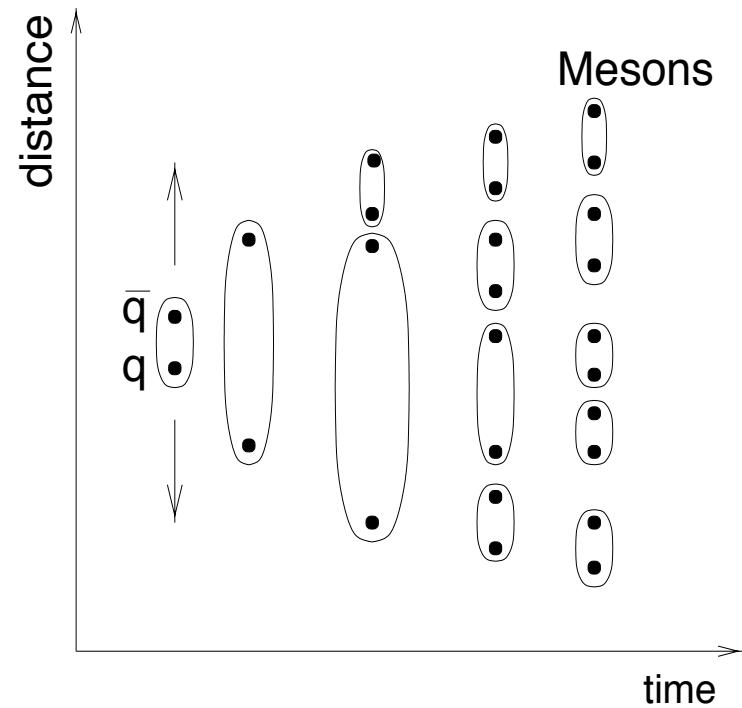
LO ME + parton shower + string hadronisation

CTEQ5L PDF used throughout

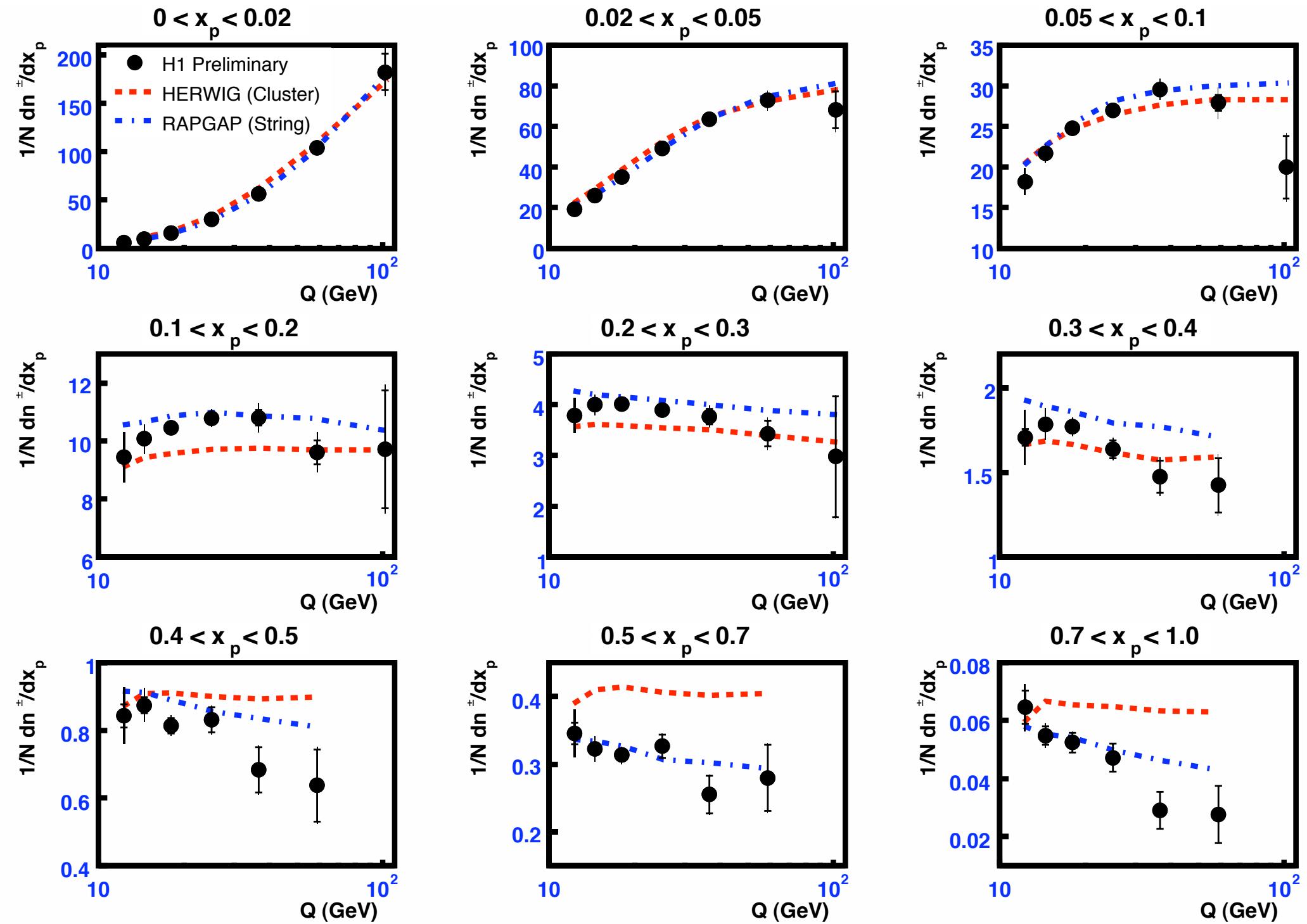
Hadronisation Models



Cluster
Hadronisation



String
Hadronisation



- Both models describe low x_p data (phase space limits hadron production).
- RAPGAP give a good description of the data.
- At high x_p HERWIG spectrum is too hard! HERWIG also looks very flat (where is the QCD?).

Parton Cascade Models

RAPGAP (v3.1)

LO ME + parton shower + string hadronisation

LEPTO (6.5)

LO ME + parton shower + soft colour interactions + string

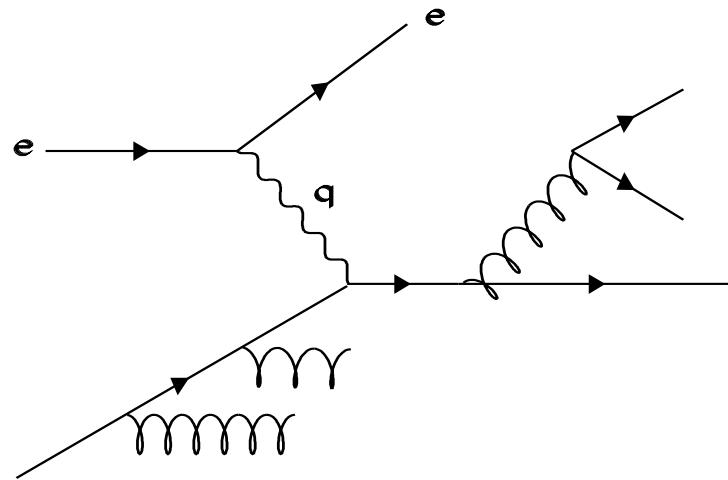
DJANGO (HI.4)

LO ME + colour dipole model + string hadronisation

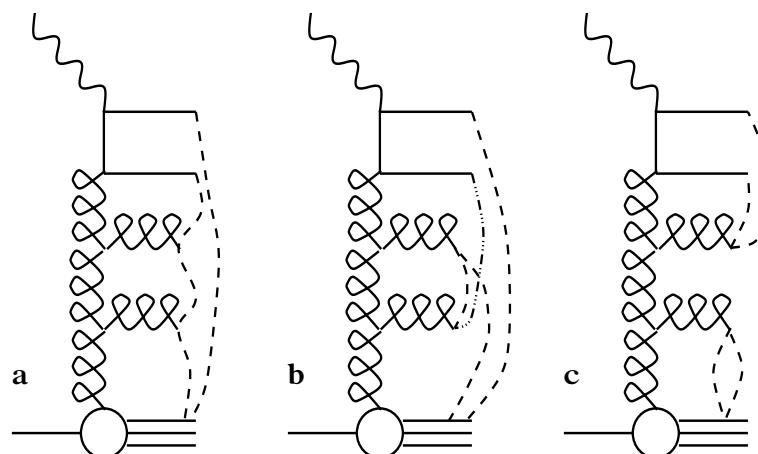
Monte Carlo models tuned to e+e- data

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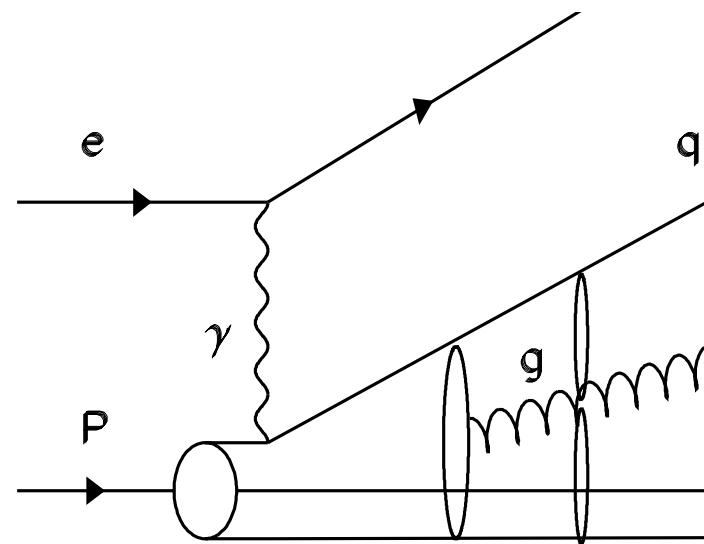
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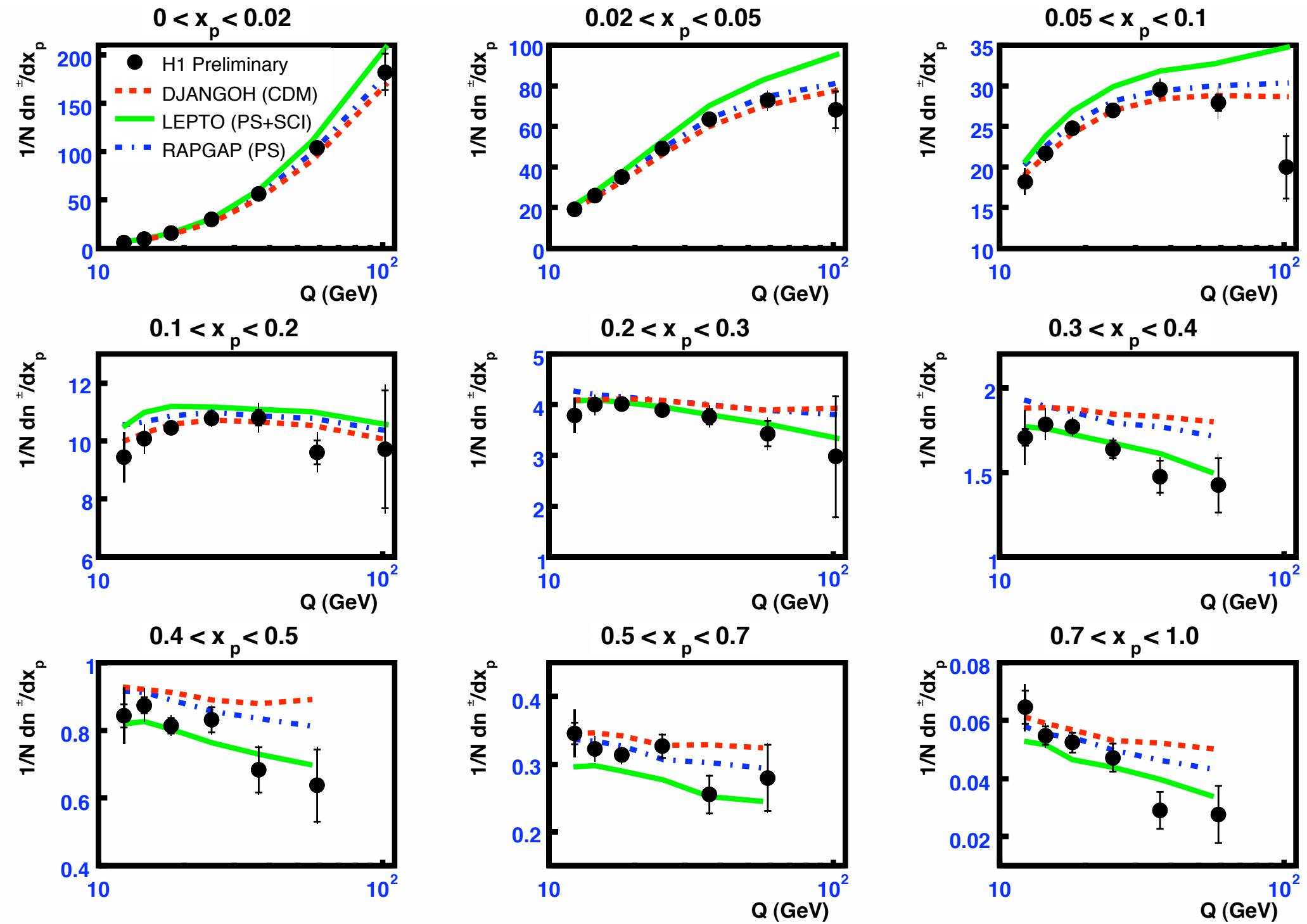
Parton Showers



Soft Colour Interactions

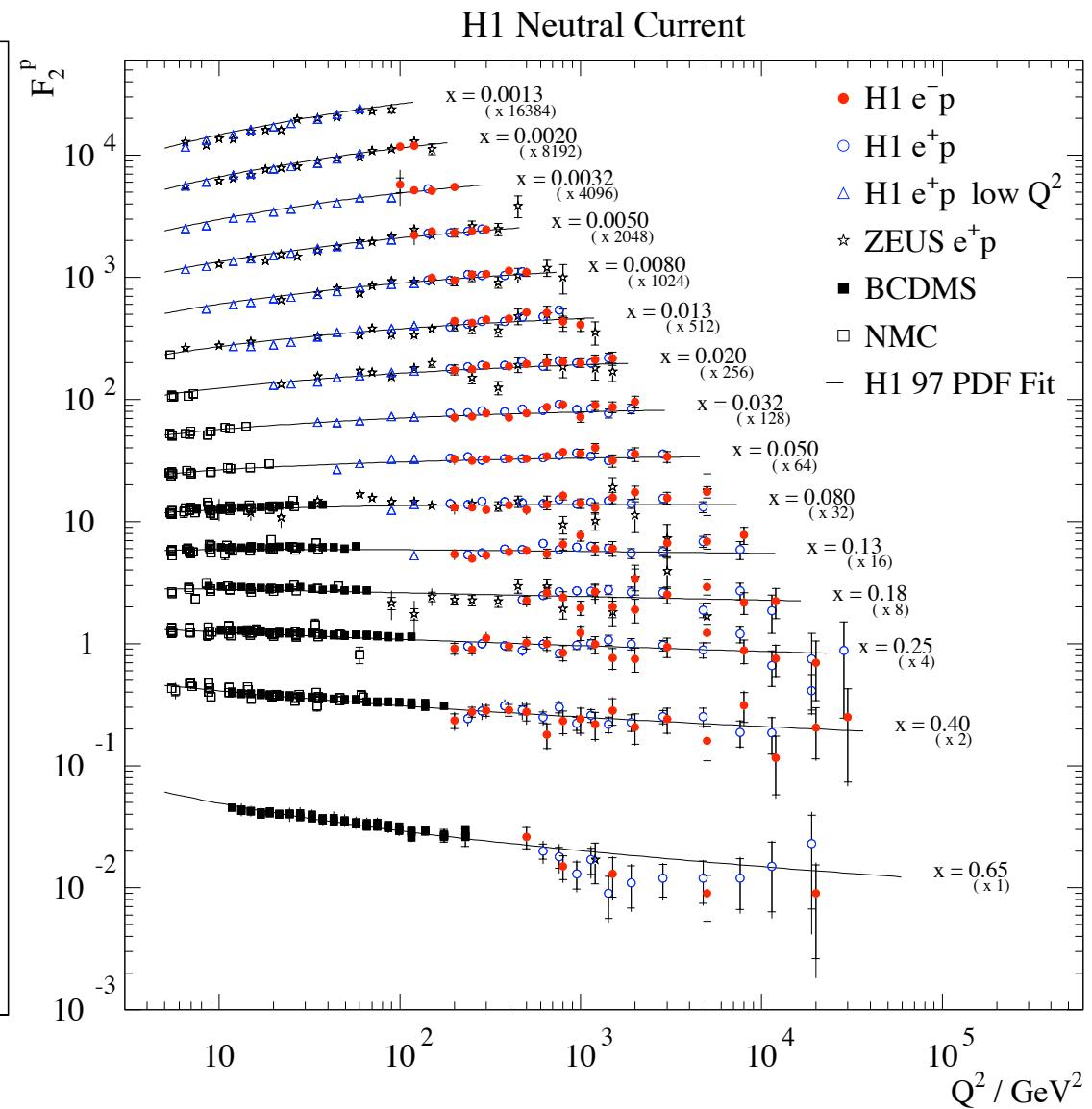
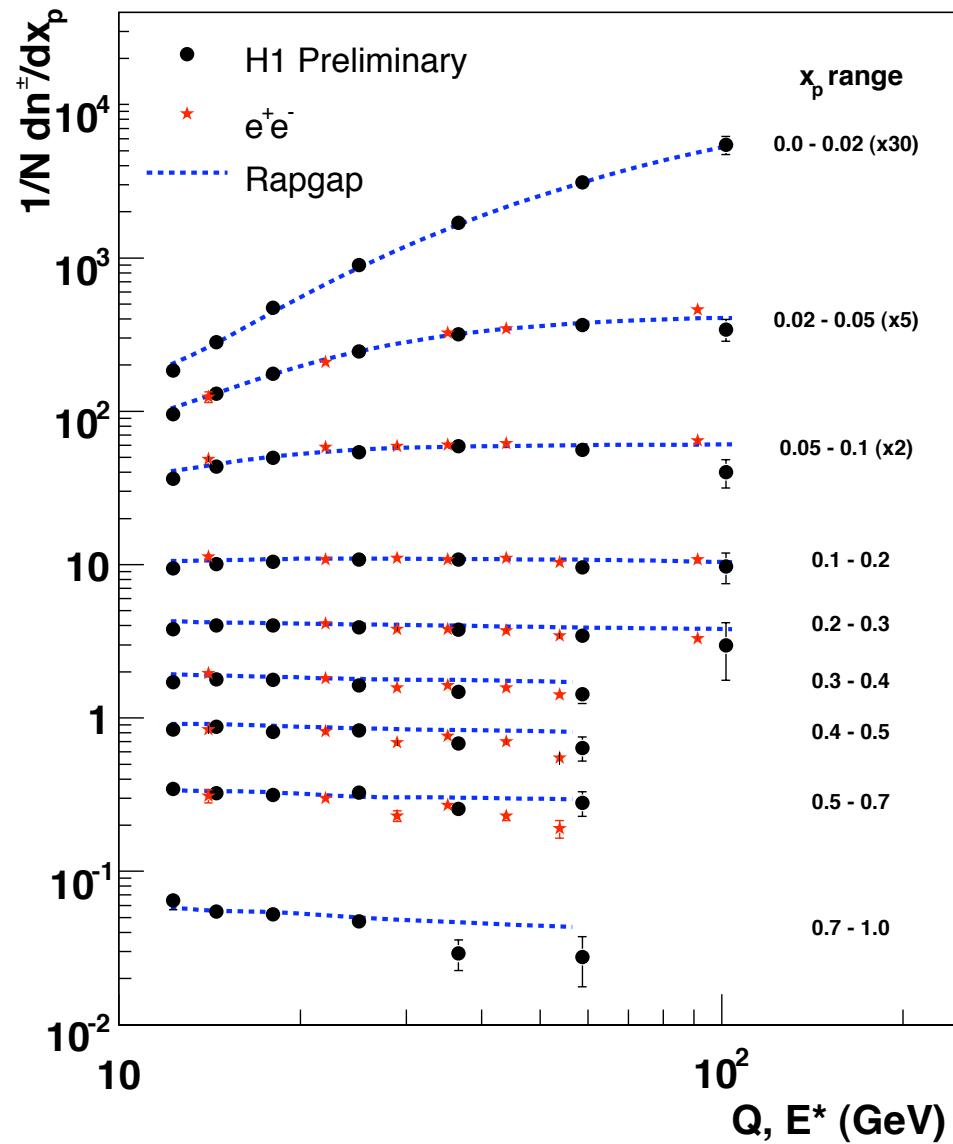


Colour Dipole Model



- Both RAPGAP (PS) and DJANGO (CDM) give similarly good description of the data.
- LEPTO (SCI) too soft.
- Data tends to turn over faster than DJANGO / RAPGAP. More like LEPTO.

Scaling violations



Summary

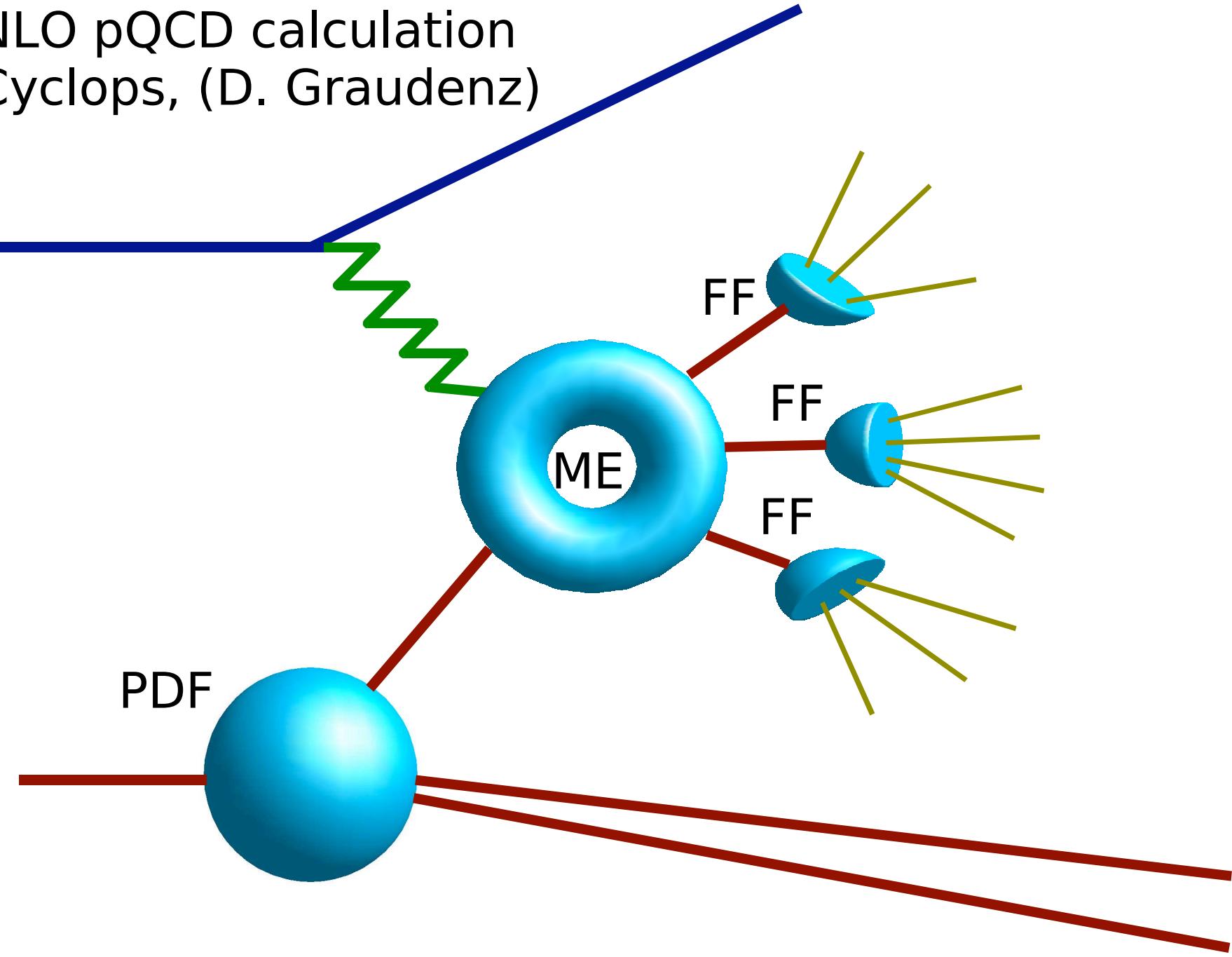
- Presented new results on the $D(xp)$ distribution in current region of Breit frame in DIS ep interactions.
- DIS and e^+e^- results in agreement at high Q (this analysis).
- String hadronisation better than cluster
- Monte Carlo tuned from LEP data can successfully describes ep data over large region of Q .
- Comparison with full NLO predictions (CYCLOPS program).

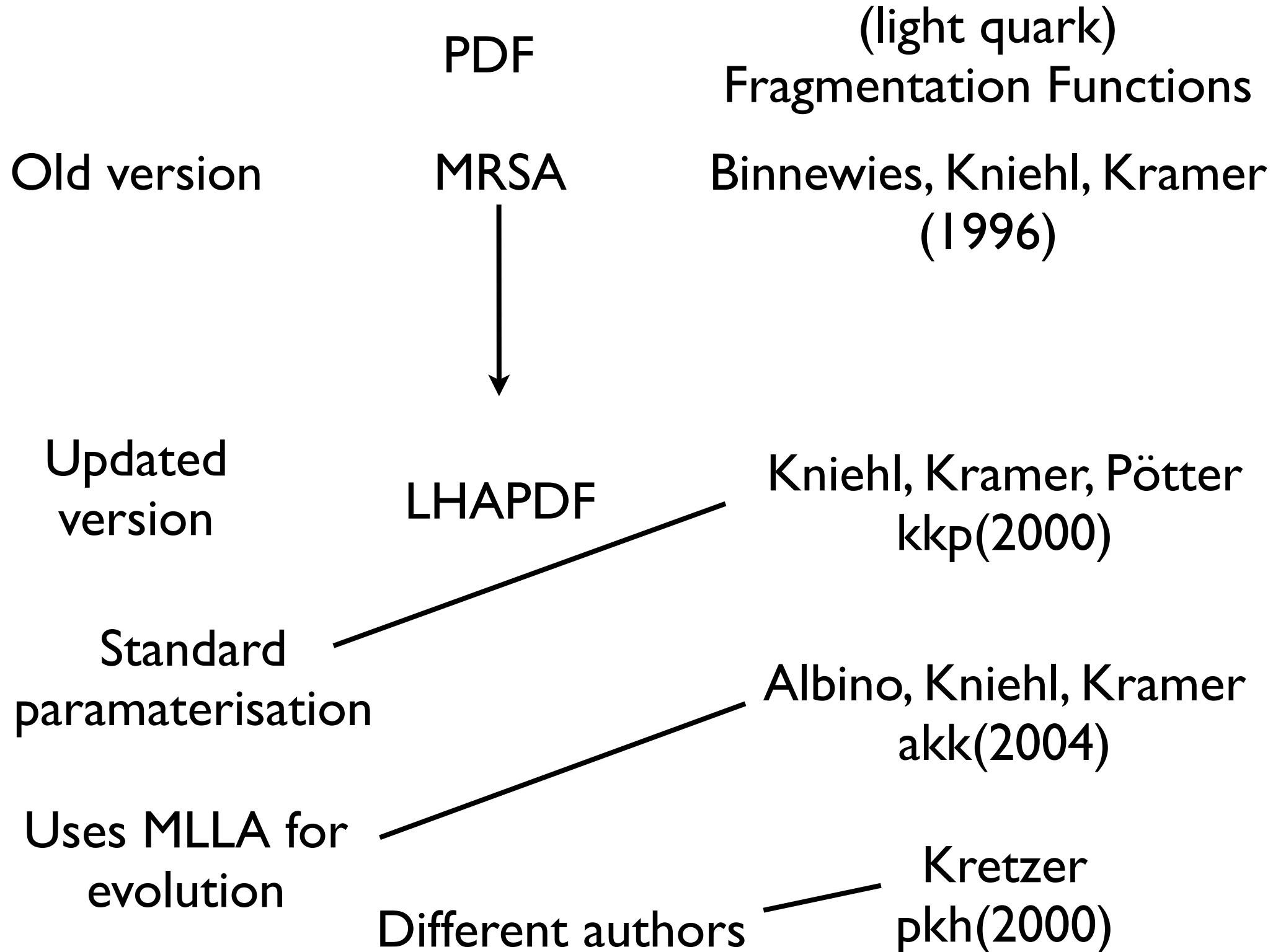
Back up

Monte Carlo tunings

- CTEQ5L PDF throughout.
- LEPTO +SCI : John Rathsman retuning of LEP data (<http://www3.tsl.uu.se/~rathsman/gal/>)
- DJANGO + RAPGAP: ALEPH tuning for higher resonance, no BEC, Sophi below $W = 5\text{GeV}$
- HERWIG NC DIS, ME+PS, no soft underlying event

NLO pQCD calculation
Cyclops, (D. Graudenz)





Infra red safe region ($Q^2 > 100$), $x_p > 0.1$

FF parameterised from $x_p > 0.1$

Highest Q^2 bin (8,000 - 20,000) low in statistics and problematic phase space

CTEQ6M, $\Lambda(5)_{\text{QCD}} = 226 \text{ MeV}$
as used for ME + FF

Scale/pdf errors not shown but expected to be small

