



# **Progress on Parton Pseudo-DistributionsII**

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# Introduction

- Lattice calculations of **Distribution functions** are maturing to the point of realistic comparison with experiment
- EIC will be able to measure more PDFs with more precision than ever before
- Project Goals
  - Long Term: Study methods of calculating parton distributions from ab initio Lattice QCD
  - Short Term: Understand systematic effects in the simple case of **iso-vector quark unpolarized PDF**
- Mellin moments and OPE
  - Restricted to low moments by **reduced rotational symmetry**
- Hadronic Tensor Methods
  - “Light-like” separated Hadronic Tensor K-F Liu et al Phys. Rev. Lett. 72 1790 (1994) , Phys. Rev. D62 (2000) 074501
  - Good lattice cross sections Y.-Q. Ma J.-W. Qiu (2014) 1404.6860 Y.-Q. Ma, J.-W. Qiu (2017) 1709.03018
- Ioffe Time Pseudo Distribution Methods
  - Quasi PDF X. Ji, Phys.Rev.Lett. 110, (2013) J.-W. Chen et.al. (2018) 1803.04393 C Alexandrou et.al. (2018) 1803.02685
  - **Pseudo PDF** A. Radyushkin Phys.Lett. B767 (2017) K. Orginos, A Radyushkin, JK, S Zafeiropoulos (2017) 1706.05373

# Ioffe Time distribution

$$v = p \cdot z \quad \text{B. L. Ioffe, Phys. Lett. 30B, 123 (1969)}$$

- $I(v, \mu^2) = \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{ivx} f(x, \mu^2)$

V. Braun, et. al Phys. Rev. D 51, 6036 (1995)

I.I. Balitsky and V.M. Braun, Nucl. Phys. B311, 541 (1988)

- CP Even/Odd combinations

- Even:  $q_-(x) = f(x) + f(-x) = q(x) - \bar{q}(x) \equiv q_V(x)$

- Odd:  $q_+(x) = f(x) - f(-x) = q(x) + \bar{q}(x) = 2 q_V(x) + \bar{q}(x)$

$$\text{Re} [I(v)] = \int_0^1 dx \cos(vx) q_-(x) = \int_0^1 dx \cos(vx) q_V(x) \equiv I_V(v)$$

$$\text{Im} [I(v)] = \int_0^1 dx \sin(vx) q_+(x) = \int_0^1 dx \sin(vx) (q(x) + \bar{q}(x))$$

- Perturbative position space DGLAP evolution

$$I_V(v, \mu_2^2) = I_V(v, \mu_1^2) - \frac{C_F \alpha_S}{2\pi} \log\left(\frac{\mu_2^2}{\mu_1^2}\right) \int_0^1 du \left[ \frac{1}{2} \delta(1-u) - (1-u) - 2 \left( \frac{u}{1-u} \right)_+ \right] I_V(uv, \mu_1^2)$$

# What is a pseudo-distribution?

- Standard partonic distributions, particularly collinear distributions, are defined via matrix elements with light like separations
  - Describe **probability distribution** of quark states
  - Not suitable for lattice calculation
- Pseudo distributions are **Lorentz invariant** generalizations of partonic distributions defined via matrix elements with space like separations
  - Do not have probabilistic interpretation
  - Acceptable for lattice calculation
- In the limit that the space like separation goes to 0, the standard distribution is recovered

# Pseudo Ioffe Time Distributions

- A **general matrix element** of interest

$$M^\alpha(z, p) = \langle h(p) | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^\alpha W(z; 0) \psi(0) | h(p) \rangle$$

- Lorentz decomposition
  - Physicists love to use of **symmetries**
  - Choice of **p, z, and  $\alpha$**  can remove higher twist term

$$M^\alpha(z, p) = 2 p^\alpha M_p(v, z^2) + z^\alpha M_z(v, z^2)$$

- Relation to ITDF
  - Perturbatively calculable Wilson coefficients for each parton

$$M(v, -z^2) = \sum_i C_i(z^2, \mu^2, \alpha_s) \otimes I_i(v, \mu^2) + H.T.$$

A. Radyushkin (2017) 1710.08813  
J.-H. Zhang (2018) 1801.03023  
T. Izubuchi (2018) 1801.03917

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## Special Cases

- Light cone PDF

$$p = (p^+, p^-, 0_T) \quad z = (0, z^-, 0_T) \quad \alpha = +$$

$$M_p((p^+ z^-), 0) = \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{ix(p^+ z^-)} f(x)$$

- Straight Link “Primordial” TMD

$$p = (p^+, p^-, 0_T) \quad z = (0, z^-, z_T) \quad \alpha = +$$

$$M_p((p^+ z^-), -z_T^2) = \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{ix(p^+ z^-)} \int d^2 k_T e^{ik_T \cdot z_T} F(x, k_T^2)$$

- Pseudo PDF

$$p = (E, 0, 0, p_3) \quad z = (0, 0, 0, z_3) \quad \alpha = 0$$

$$M_P((-z_3 p_3), -z_3^2) = \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{ix(-z_3 p_3)} P(x, -z_3^2)$$

# Matching Lattice data to Ioffe distribution

- Matching between pseudo ITDF and MS bar scheme ITDF via factorization of IR divergences.
- At 1-loop, scale evolution and matching can be simultaneous
- Allows for a **direct relationship** between ITDF/PDF and pseudo ITDF
  - No more need for extrapolations in the scale
  - Does require scale to be in regime dominated by perturbative effects
- No real need for pseudo PDFs. Go directly from pseudo ITDF to PDF
- Only perturbative correction proportional to  $\alpha_s$  (around 10%)

$$I(v, \mu^2) = \mathcal{M}(v, z^2) + \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_0^1 du \left[ B(u) \left( \log \left( z^2 \mu^2 \frac{e^{2\gamma_E}}{4} \right) + 1 \right) + \left( \frac{4 \log(1-u)}{1-u} - 2(1-u) \right) \right]_+ \mathcal{M}(uv, z^2)$$

# Pseudo ITD as a Good Lattice Cross Section

- **Good Experimental Cross Section** - An experiment whose results, Form Factors or asymmetries, is sensitive to a particular PDF.
  - DIS, SIDIS, DY, ....
- **Good Lattice Cross Section** - A lattice QCD calculable matrix element whose result is sensitive to a particular PDF (Matrix element and not actually a cross section)
  - Vector-vector currents, Axial-vector currents, Quark fields separated by Wilson line, ....



# Numerical Study

Both use Wilson-Clover Stout smeared Fermions

Quenched Wilson plaquette gauge action

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- $\beta = 6.0$      $m_\pi = 600$  MeV     $32^3 \times 64$      $a = 0.1$  fm

Dynamical Tree level tadpole Symanzik improved gauge action (Preliminary)

- $a127m440$  :     $\beta = 6.1$      $m_\pi = 440$  MeV     $24^3 \times 64$      $a = 0.127$  fm    Unpublished
- $a127m440L$  :     $\beta = 6.1$      $m_\pi = 440$  MeV     $32^3 \times 96$      $a = 0.127$  fm

# Summation method for Matrix element extraction

- Correlation functions

$$C_2(\vec{p}, T) = \langle O_N(-\vec{p}, T) \bar{O}_N(\vec{p}, 0) \rangle$$

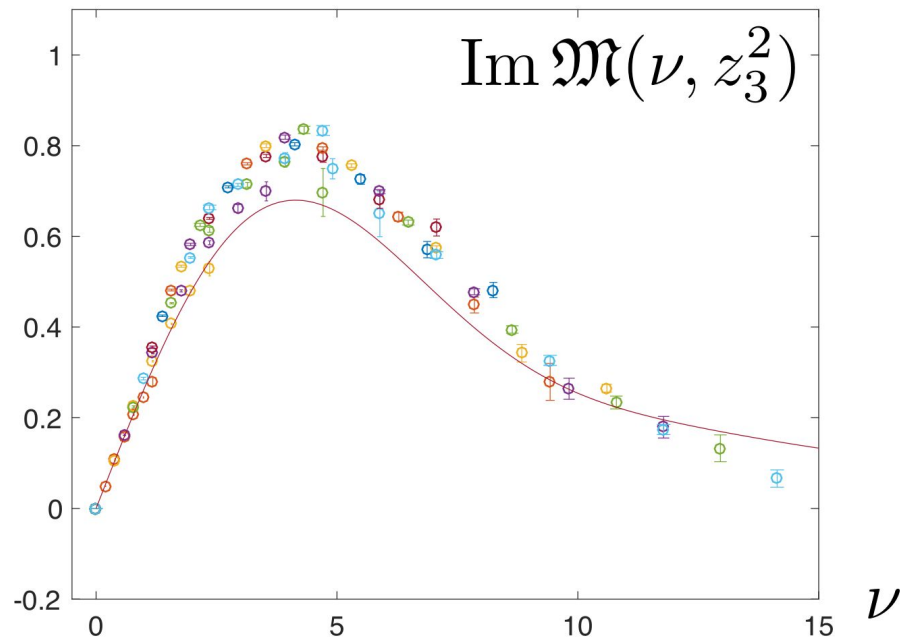
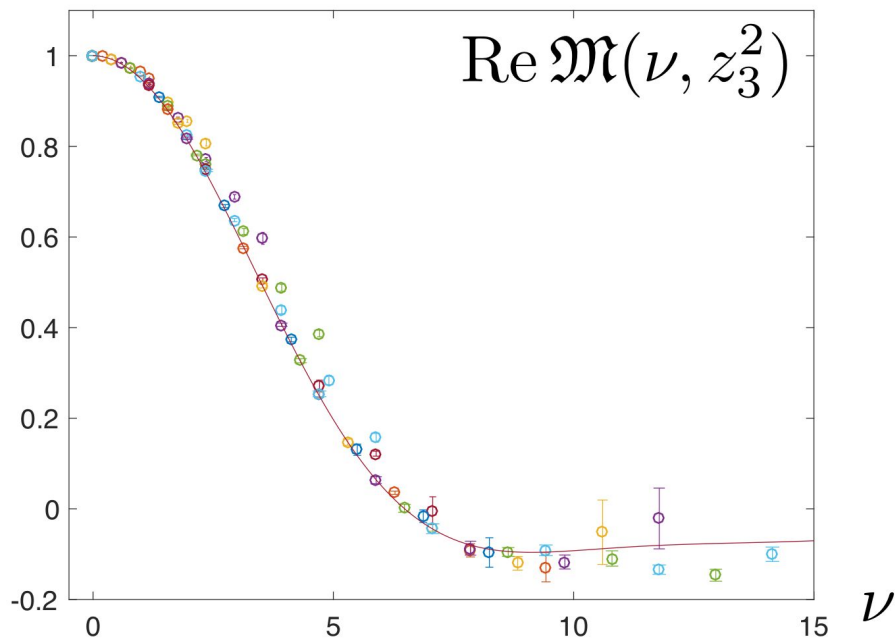
$$C_{op}(O_{op}; \vec{p}, T) = \sum_t \sum_{\vec{x}} \langle O_N(-\vec{p}, T) O_{op}(\vec{x}, t) \bar{O}_N(\vec{p}, 0) \rangle$$

- Summation method extraction C. Bouchard et.al Phys. Rev. D 96, no. 1, 014504 (2017)

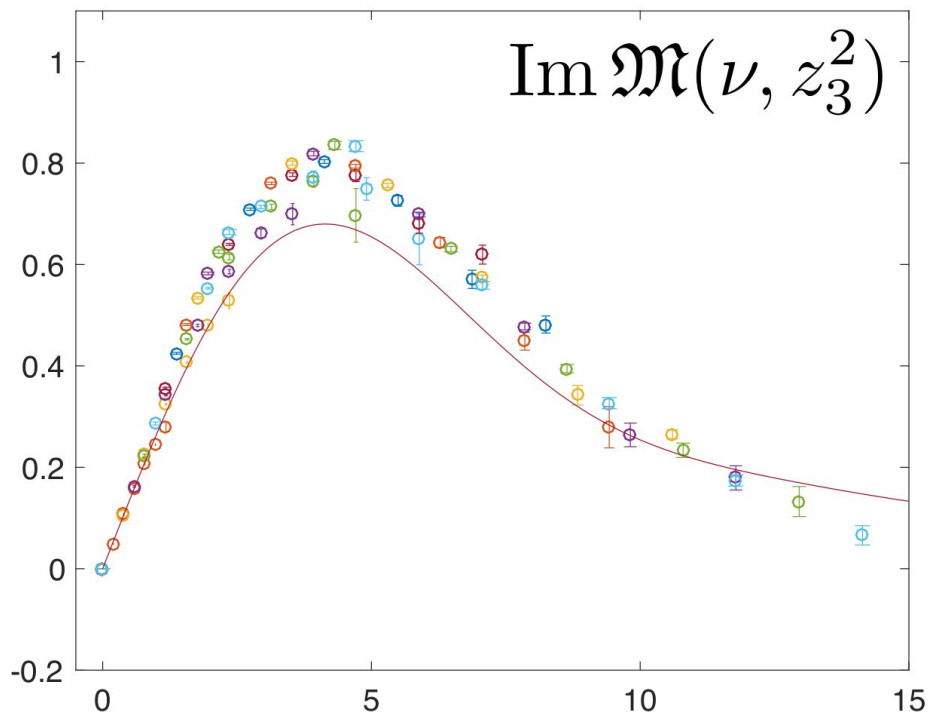
$$\frac{\langle N(p) | O_{op} | N(p) \rangle}{2E_{N(p)}} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\tau} (R(T + \tau) - R(T)) \quad R(T) = \frac{C_{op}(O_{op}; \vec{p}, T)}{C_2(\vec{p}, T)}$$

$$O_q^\alpha(z; T) = \sum_{\vec{x}} \bar{\psi}_q(\vec{x} + \vec{z}, T) \lambda^3 \gamma^\alpha W((\vec{x} + \vec{z}, T); (\vec{x}, T)) \psi_q(\vec{x}, T)$$

# Quenched Results



# Imaginary Component and AntiQuarks



- Imaginary component mixes **valence, sea, and antiquark** distributions
- Use real component to find valence contribution, the rest is the sea and antiquarks
- Identify anti quark distribution without need of needing to perform inaccurate Fourier transforms and requiring the unreliable low x region
- $\nu$  Qualitatively it gives **proper sign** for quenched iso-vector quarks

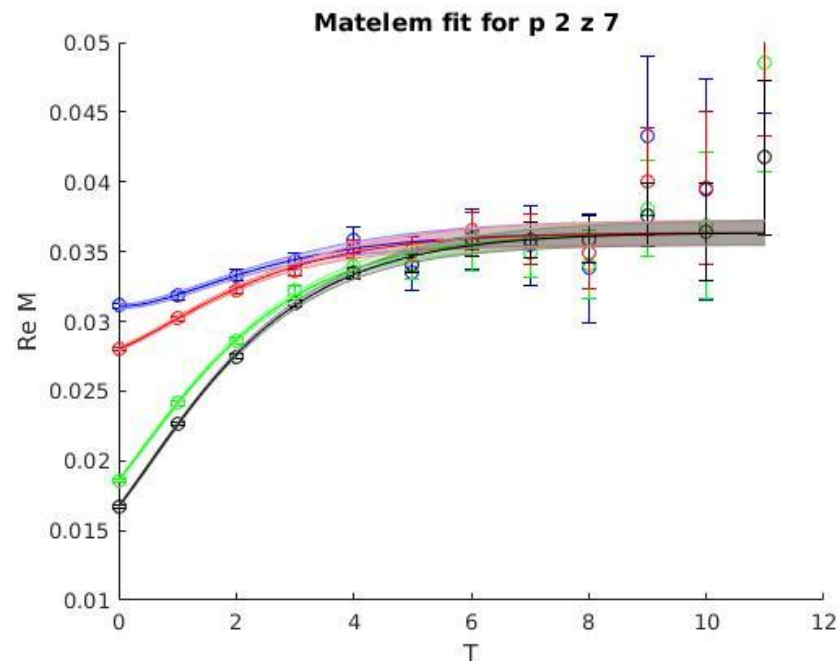
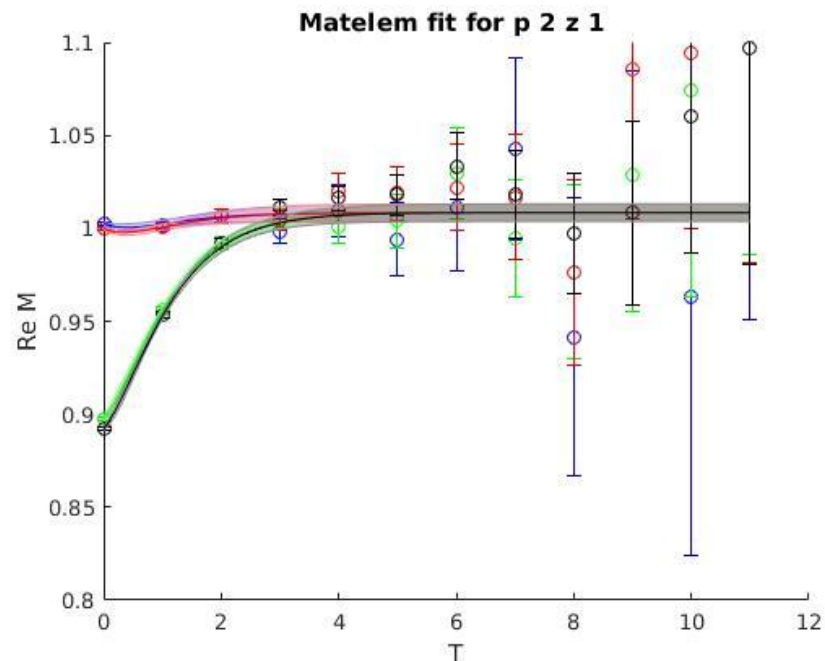
# Improved Matrix element Extraction

- Use four different correlation functions
  - Regular Gaussian Smearing
    - Smeared-to-Smeared
    - Smeared-to-Point
  - Momentum smearing
    - Smeared-to-Smeared
    - Smeared-to-Point
- Contact terms from  $T=0$  cancel in the ratio
  - Fits can be over the entire range of interpolator field separations
- Form of excited states

$$O(T) = M + C_1 e^{-\Delta ET} + C_2 T e^{-\Delta ET}$$

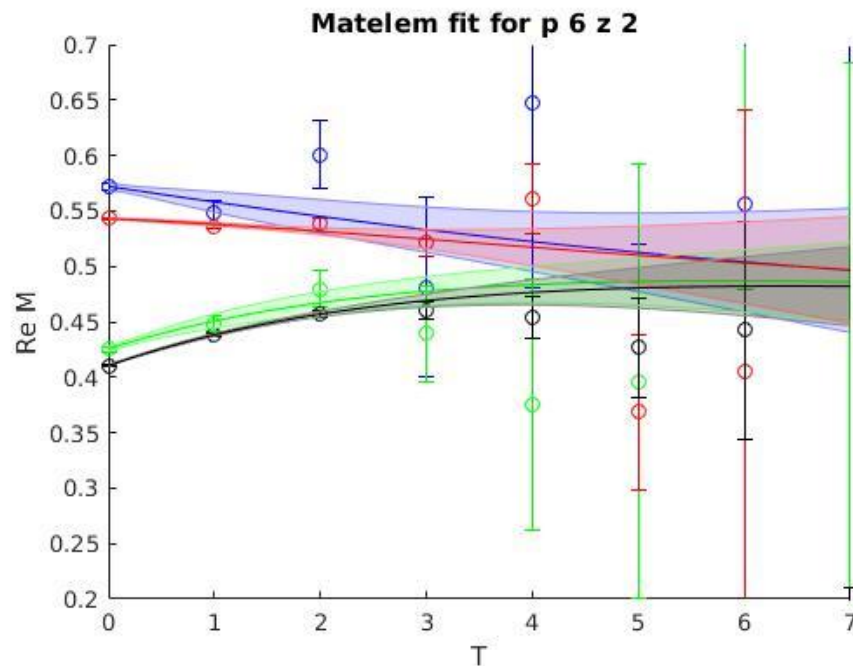
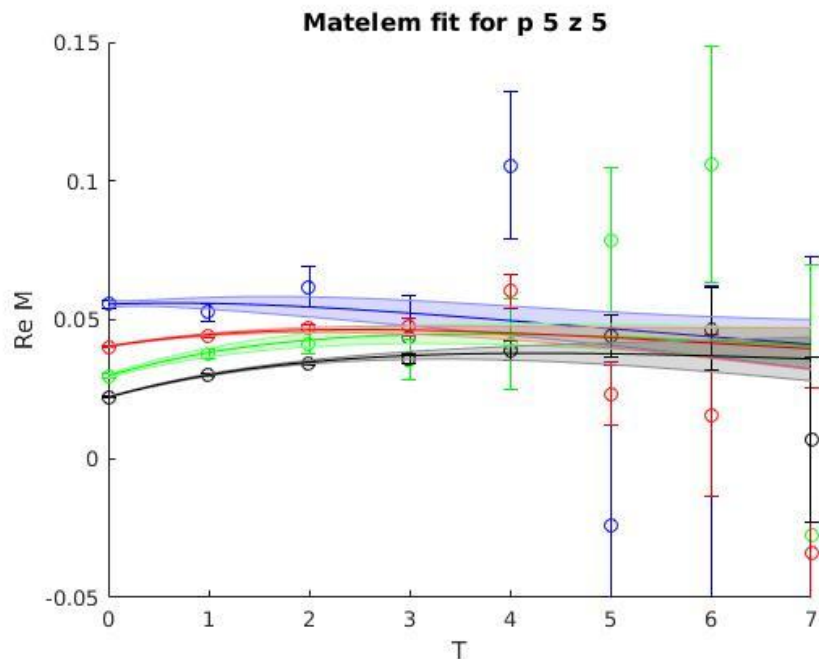
# Some good extractions

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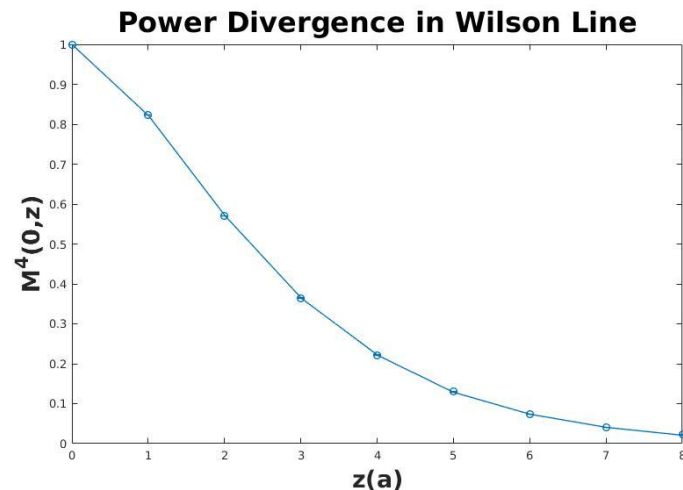
# Less good extractions

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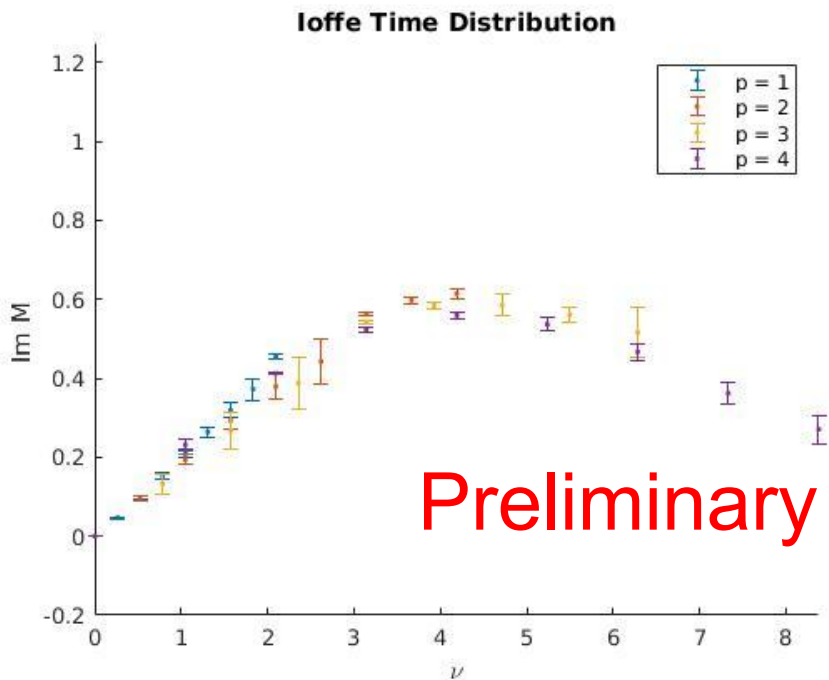
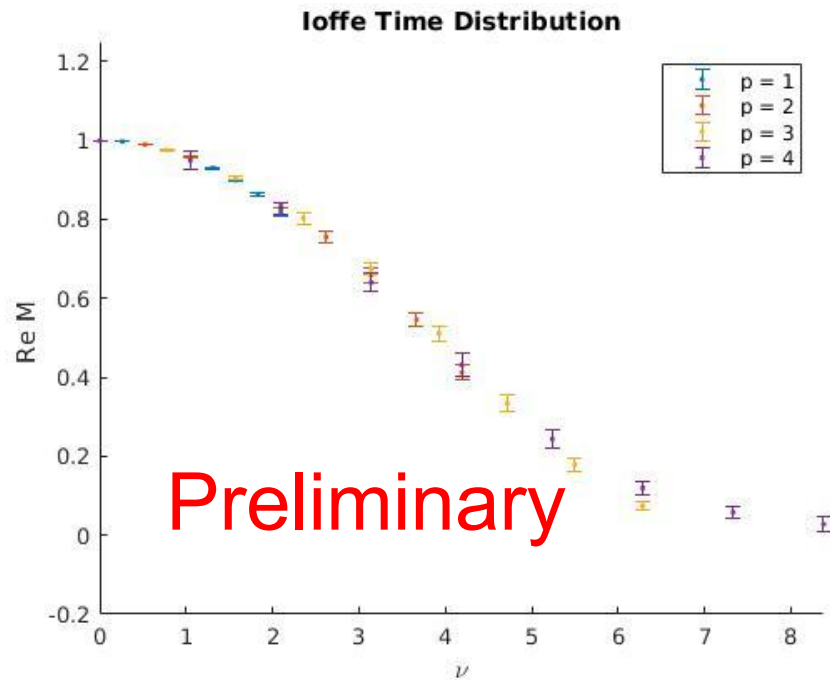
# Renormalization and the Reduced distribution

- Vector current  $Z_p^{-1} = M^4(0, p)$ 
  - Forces matrix elements to give unit charge
- Reduced distribution  $\mathfrak{M}(\nu, z^2) = \frac{\mathcal{M}(\nu, z^2)}{\mathcal{M}(0, z^2)}$ 
  - TMD “Factorization” and **suppression of polynomial corrections**  
 $F(x, k_T^2) = f(x)g(k_T^2) \Rightarrow M(\nu, z^2) = M(\nu, 0)M(0, z^2)$
  - BONUS: Multiplicative UV power divergent corrections from Wilson line cancel away

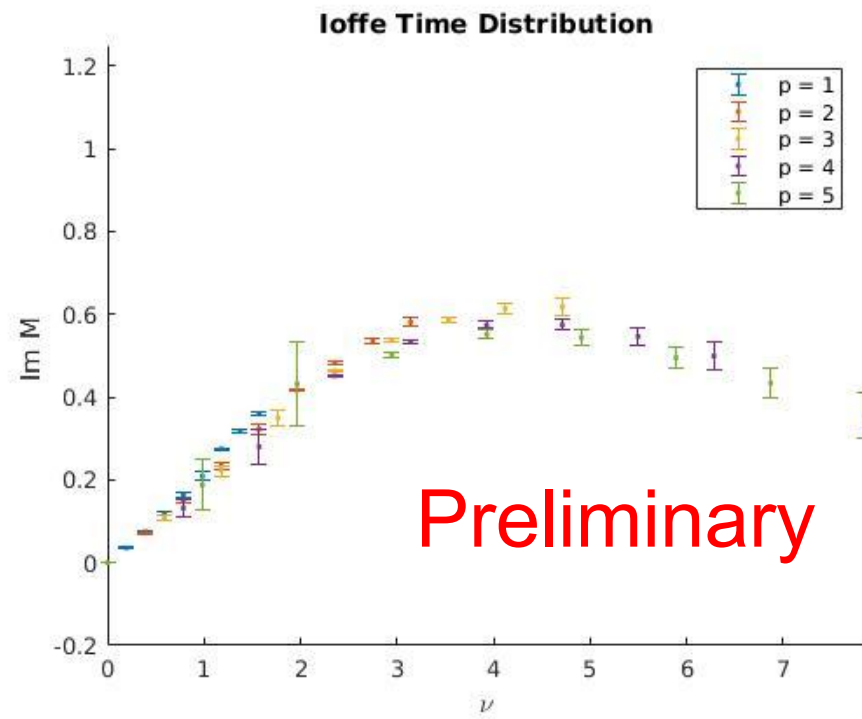
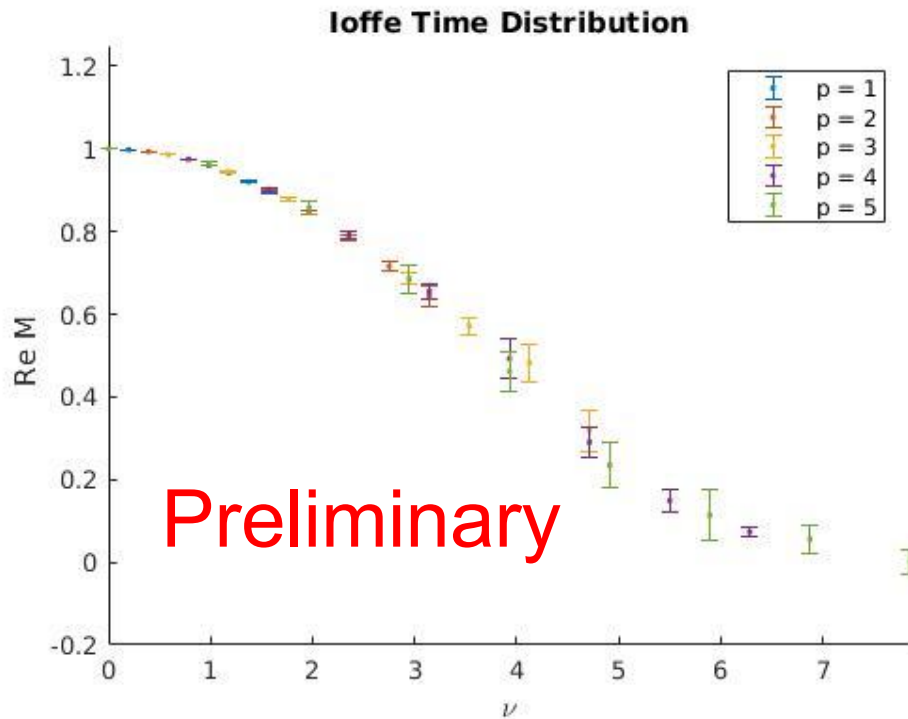




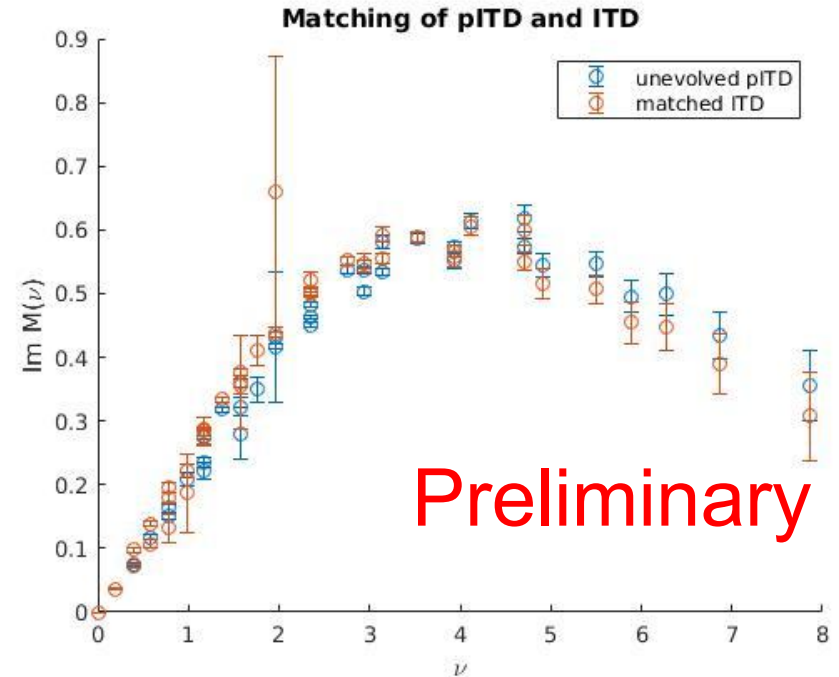
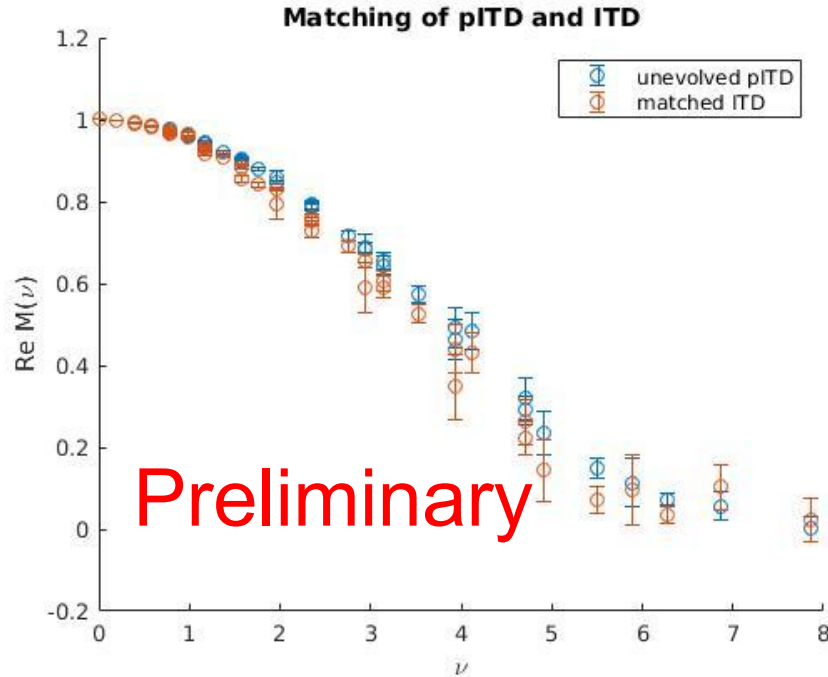
# Pseudo-ITDF Results a127m440



# Pseudo-ITDF Results a127m440L



# ITDF MS bar matched Results a127m440L

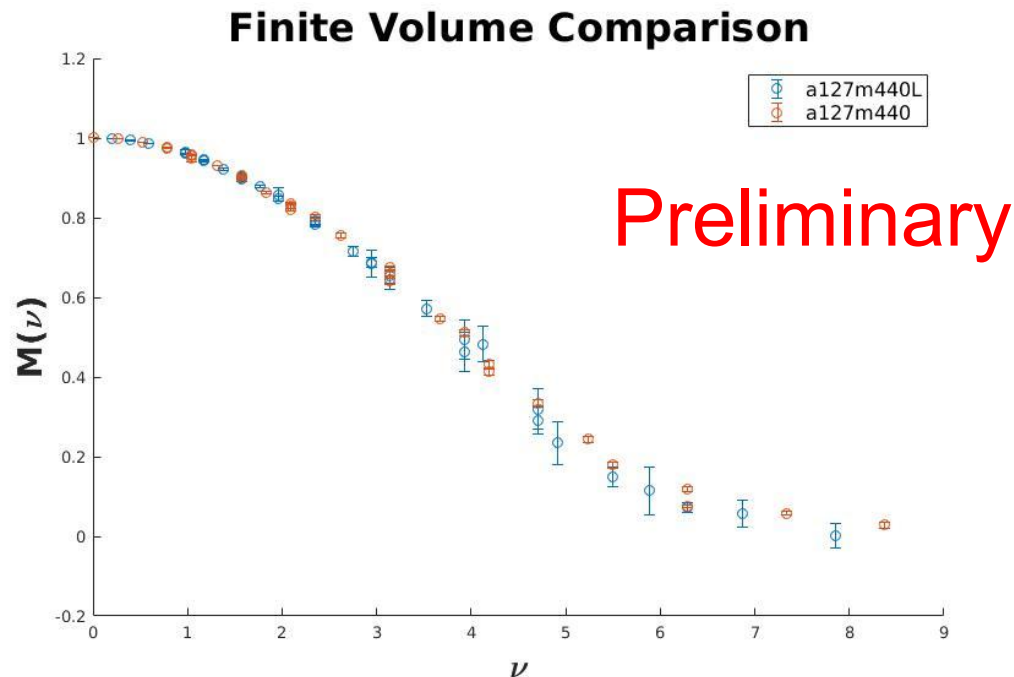


# Comparison of Volumes

- Two Current matrix elements can have very large finite volume corrections
  - See talk by Guerrero
- Finite volume effects of Wilson line operator has been unstudied

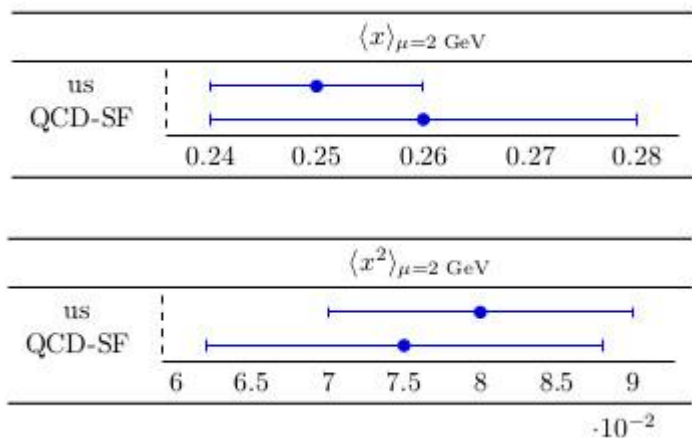
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# Moments of PDFs

- Taylor Expansion coefficients of Ioffe Time Distributions are the moments of PDFs
  - Even moments from Real component of ITDF
  - Odd moments from Imaginary component of ITDF
  - With enough data there is [no limit](#) on what moments can be calculated
- Comparison of moments from Quenched data



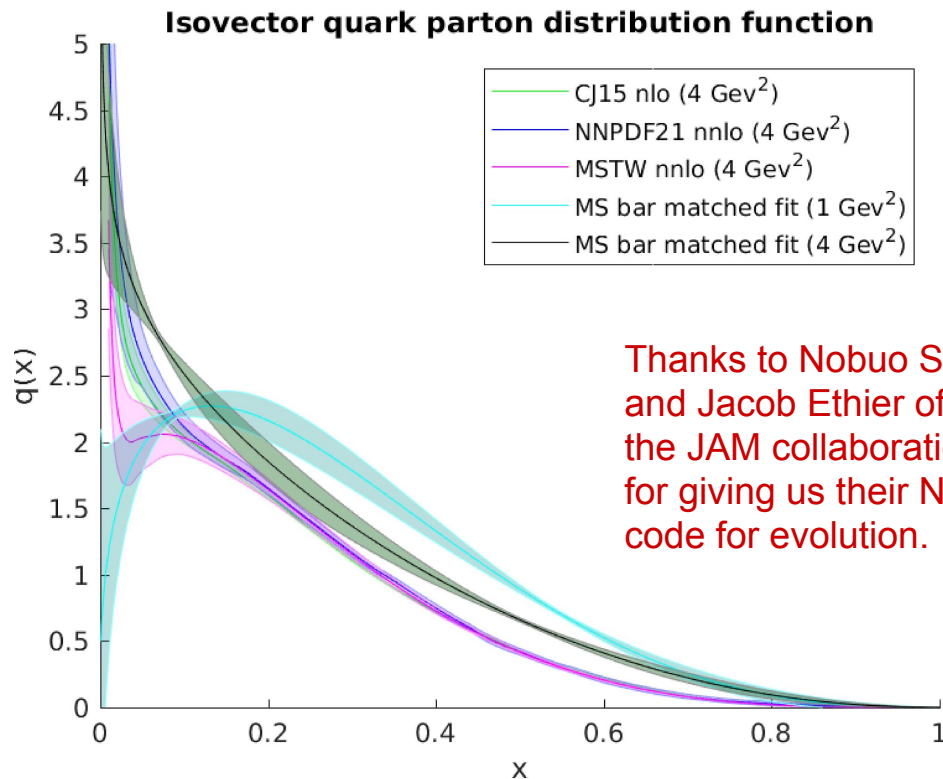
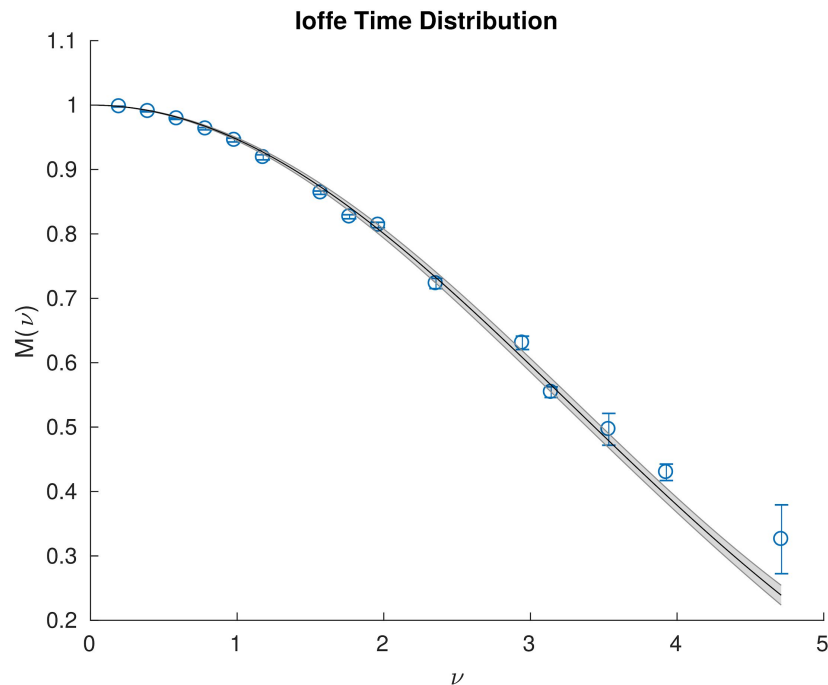
# Real component and the Valence Quark distribution

- In first attempt to avoid ill posed inverse Fourier transform
- A general model PDF used by JAM collaboration for fitting

$$f_{abcd}(x) = N_{abcd} x^a (1-x)^b (1 + c \sqrt{x} + d x)$$

- Lowest order behaviors
  - Regge  $a = -\frac{1}{2}$
  - Quark counting  $b = 3$
  - Small Corrections  $c \sim 0 \sim d$

# Quenched Pseudo PDF Matched to $\overline{\text{MS}}$ Compared to Global fit PDFs



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for giving us their NLO  
code for evolution.

# Summary

- Qualitative agreement with PDFs despite few systematics under control
- Divergent behavior improves, but not recovered, under proper evolution to 4  $\text{GeV}^2$
- To Do List:
  - Systematics left to be thoroughly studied (pion mass, lattice spacing,....)
  - Study PDF reconstruction methods on real lattice data
- Once techniques are understood and controlled then any light cone distribution is within reach of the lattice.



Thank you for your attention!