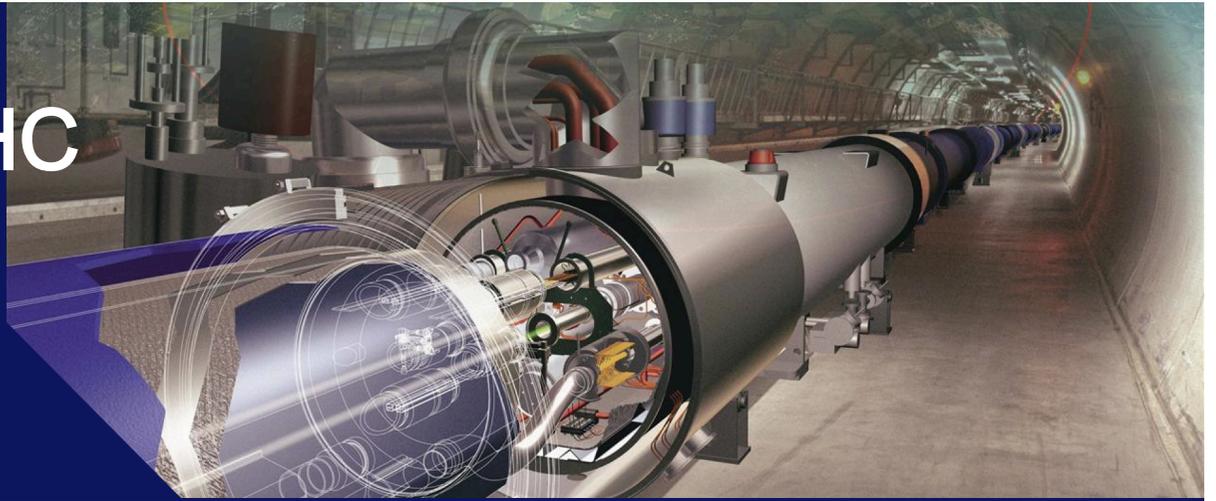


electrons for the LHC
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Proton PDFs and α_s

Claire Gwenlan, Oxford

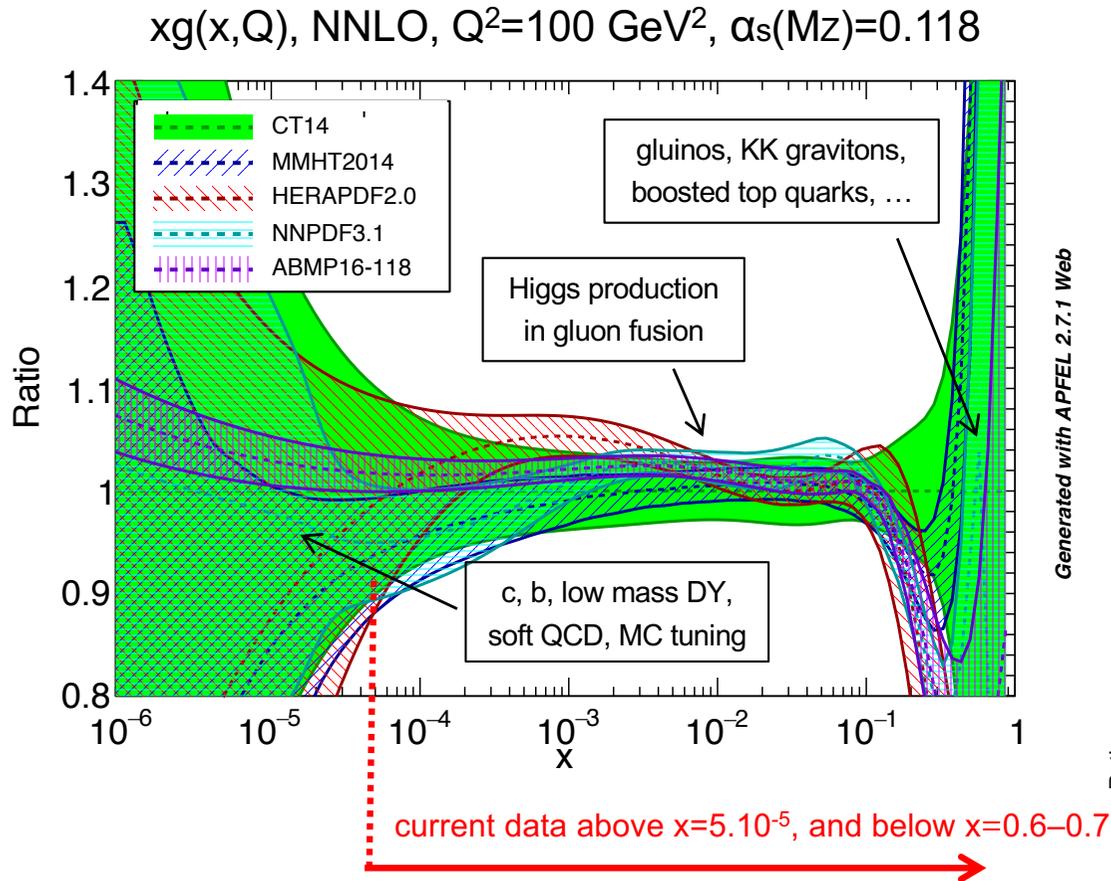
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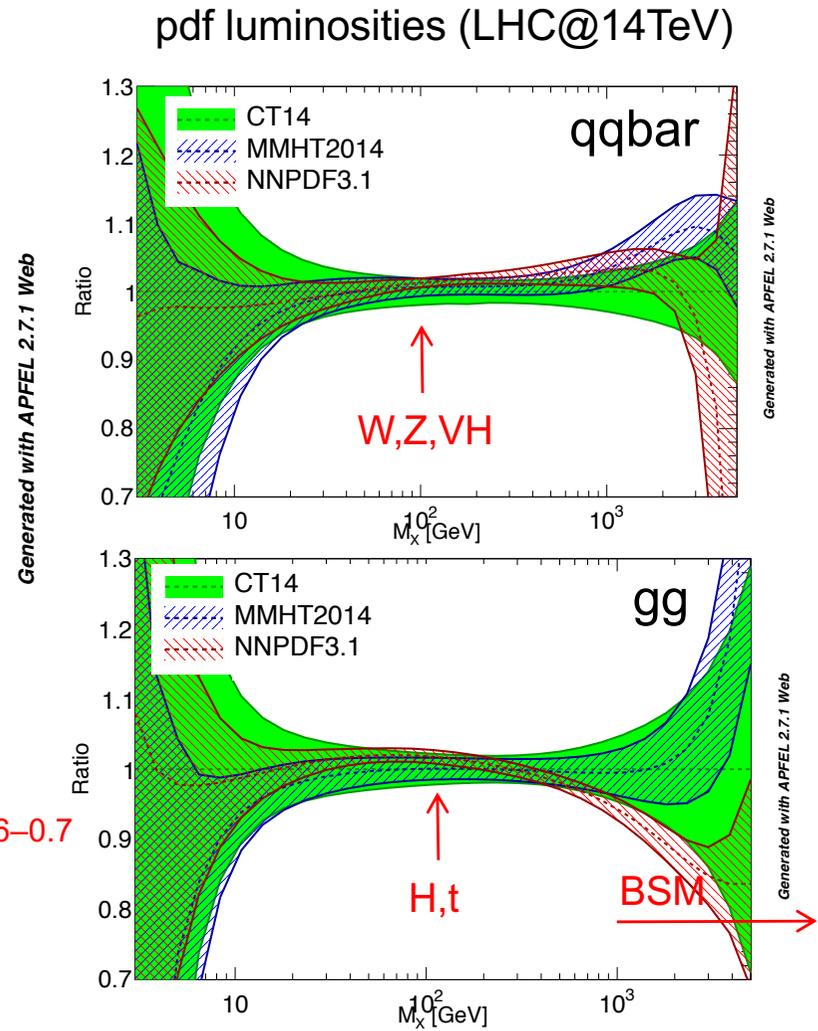
with thanks to Max Klein and Daniel Britzger



pdfs: the situation today

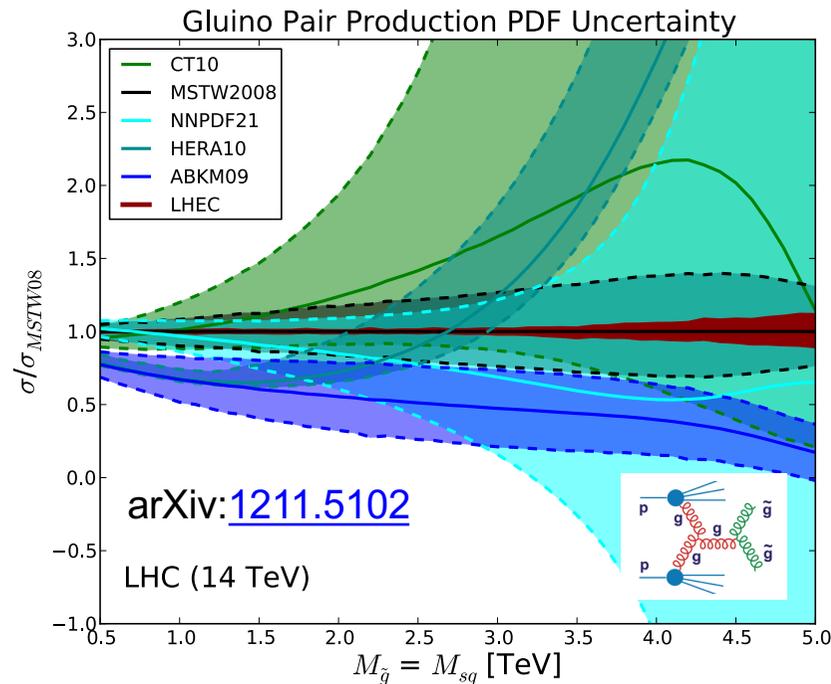


pdfs poorly known at **large** and **small x**
 higher precision needed also for H, W, t

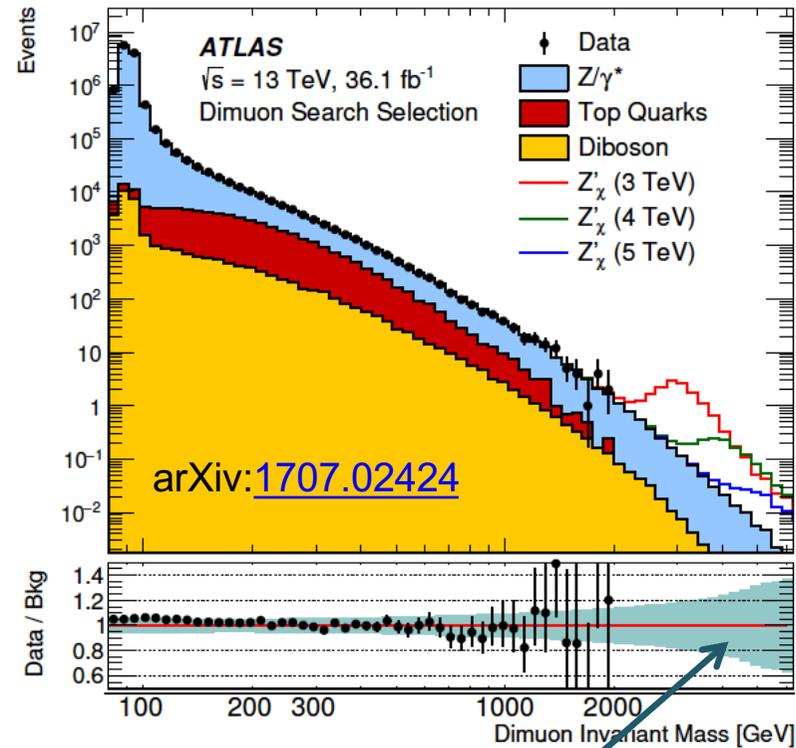


why large x pdfs matter at the LHC

BSM searches at high scales limited by (lack of) knowledge of large x pdfs



many interesting processes at LHC are **gg** initiated – top; Higgs; BSM, EG. gluino pair production, LQs etc.; ...



pdf uncertainty dominates

current BSM searches at high mass also limited by **large x valence** and **sea quark** uncertainties

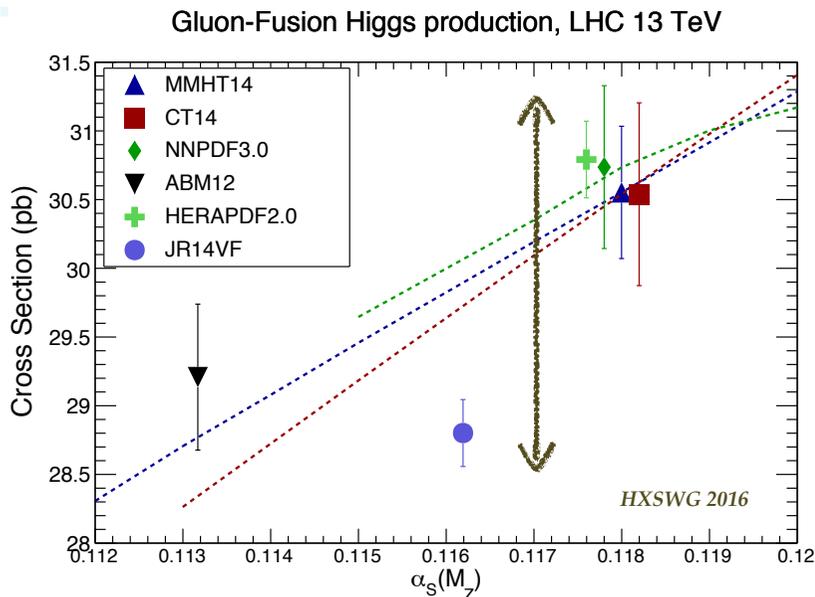
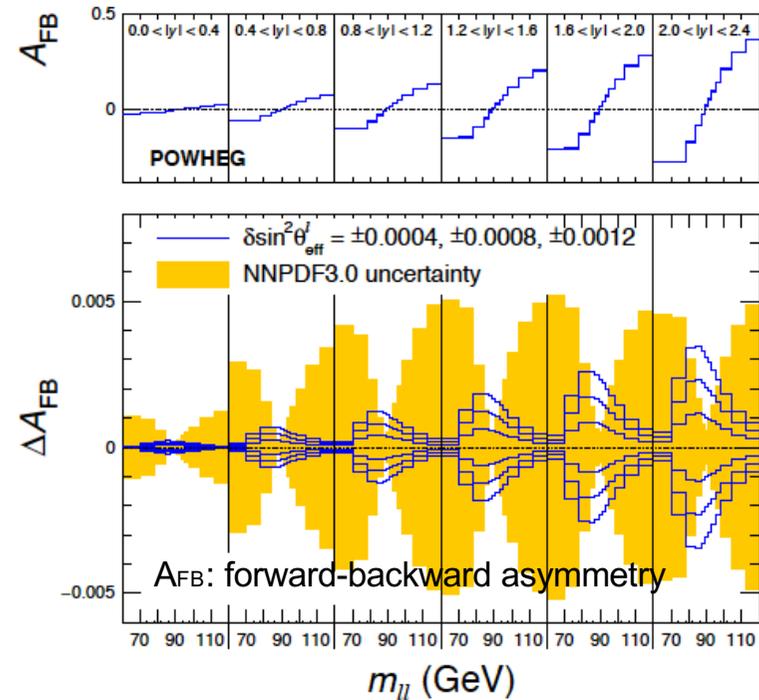
and other LHC measurements...

... such as precision M_W , $\sin^2\theta_W$ (where small discrepancies may indicate BSM physics) and Higgs, are also limited by **pdf uncertainties** at medium x , where we know pdfs best!

ATLAS M_W , arXiv:[1701.07240](https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07240)

Channel	$m_{W^+} - m_{W^-}$ [MeV]	Stat. Unc.	Muon Unc.	Elec. Unc.	Recoil Unc.	Bckg. Unc.	QCD Unc.	EW Unc.	PDF Unc.	Total Unc.
$W \rightarrow e\nu$	-29.7	17.5	0.0	4.9	0.9	5.4	0.5	0.0	24.1	30.7
$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$	-28.6	16.3	11.7	0.0	1.1	5.0	0.4	0.0	26.0	33.2
Combined	-29.2	12.8	3.3	4.1	1.0	4.5	0.4	0.0	23.9	28.0

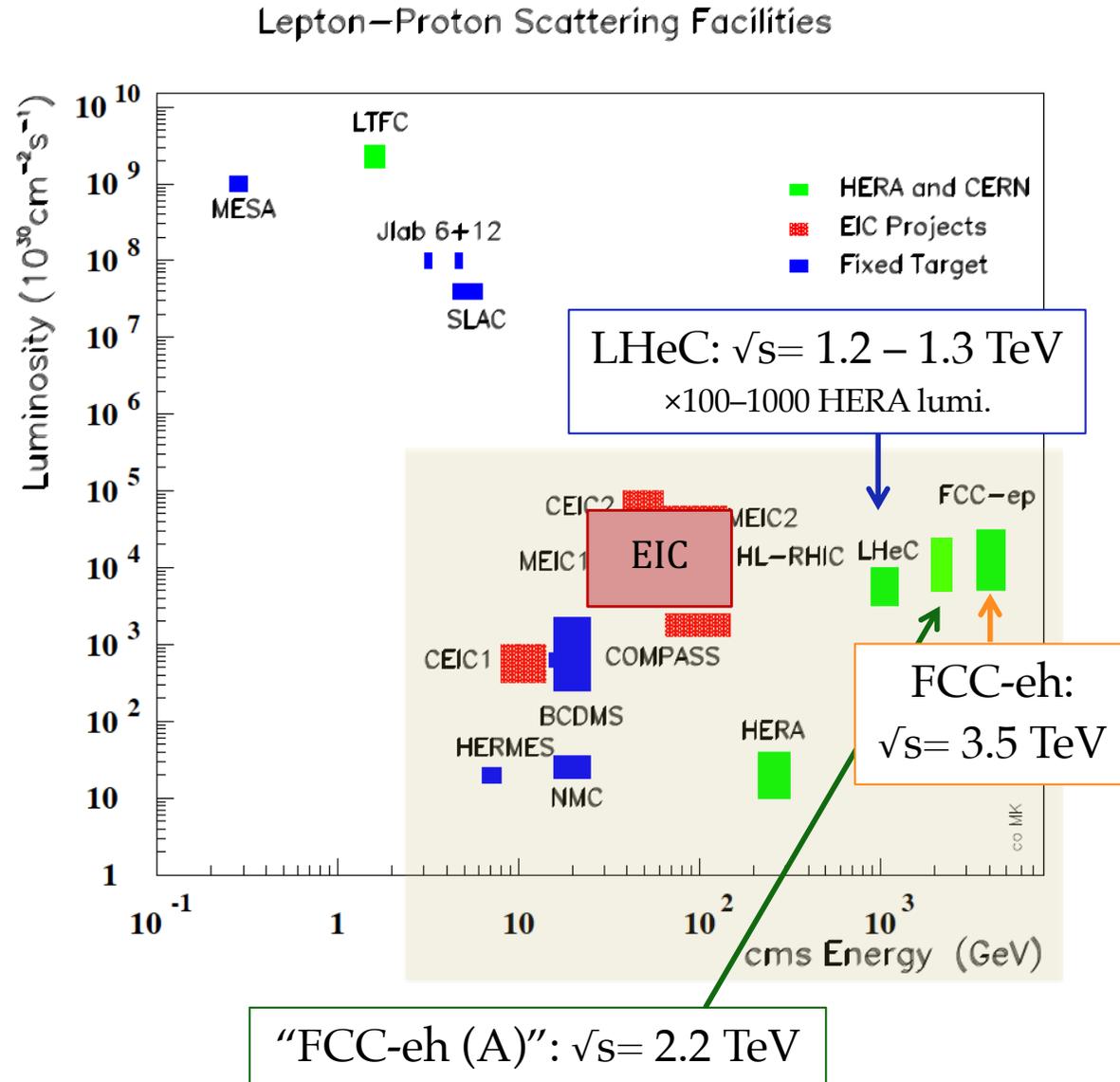
CMS $\sin^2\theta_W$, arXiv:[1806.00863](https://arxiv.org/abs/1806.00863)



BLUE: vary $\sin^2\theta_{eff}$ for fixed pdf

ORANGE: NNPDF3.0 pdf uncertainty for fixed $\sin^2\theta_{eff}$

ep collider configurations



LHeC and FCC-eh

ERL, Ee: $\rightarrow 60 \text{ GeV}$

LHeC

Ep: 7 TeV (or more, with a HE-LHC)

LHeC CDR, arXIV:[1206.2913](https://arxiv.org/abs/1206.2913)

FCC-eh

Ep: 50 TeV

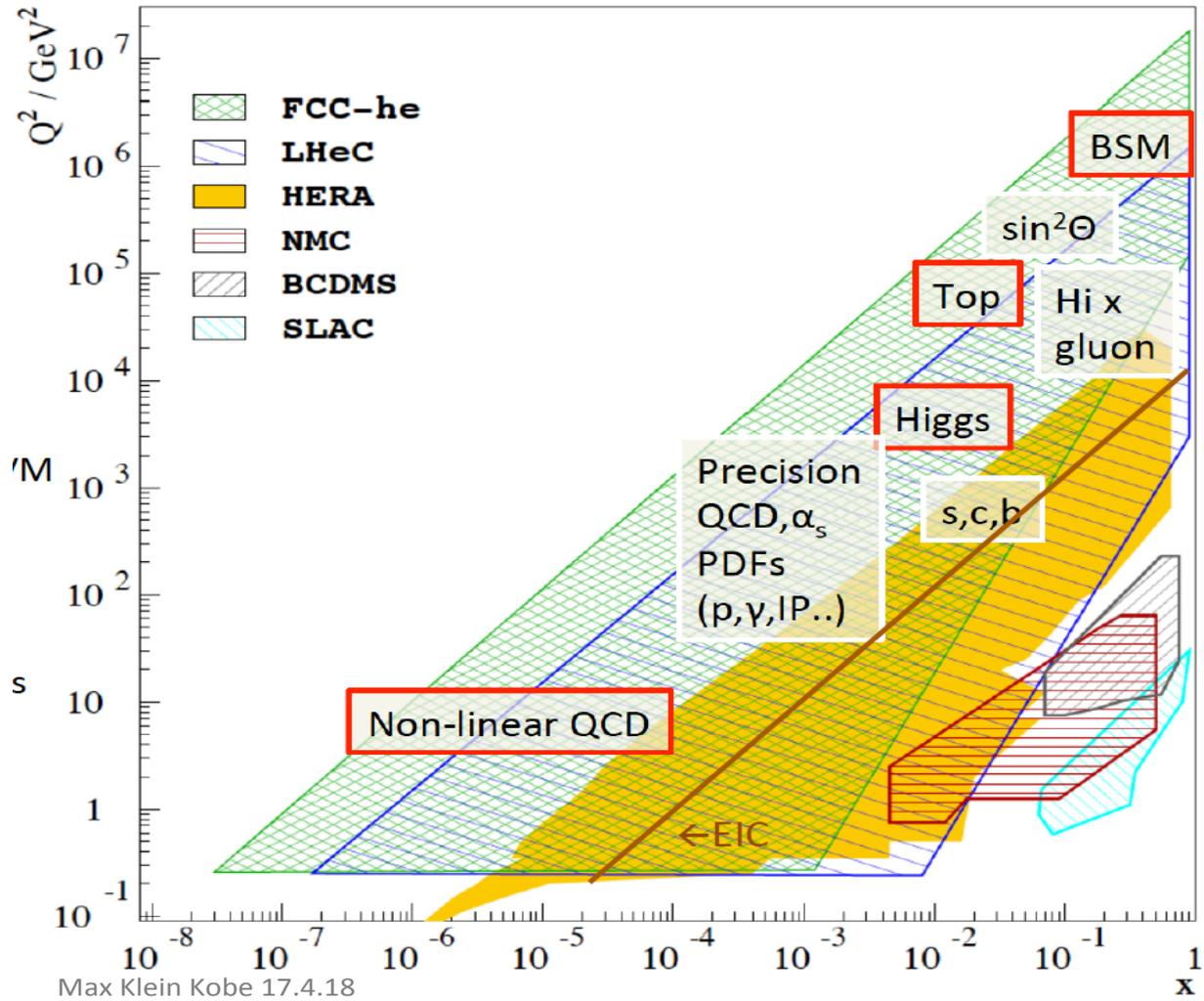
FCC CDR, volume 1,

[EPJ C79 \(2019\), no.6, 474](https://arxiv.org/abs/1903.01217)

or possible earlier FCC configuration,

Ep: 20 TeV

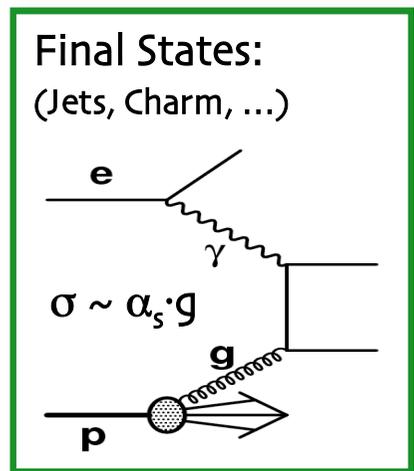
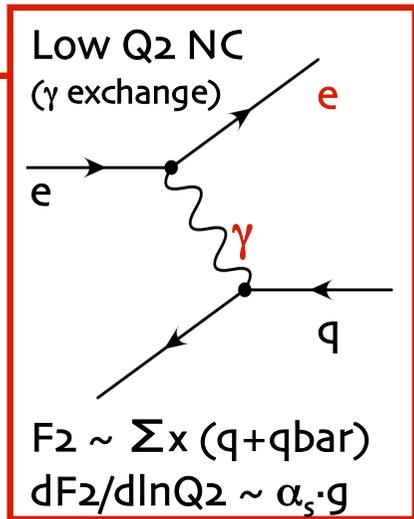
kinematic coverage



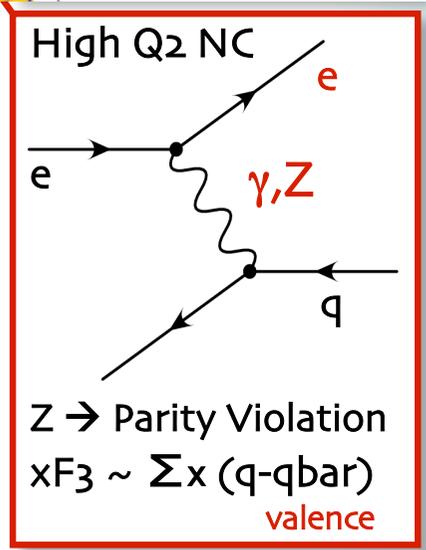
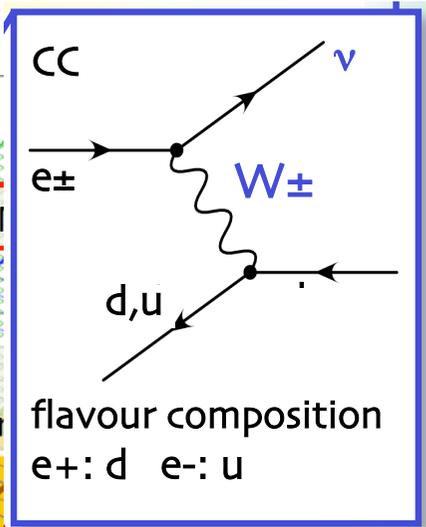
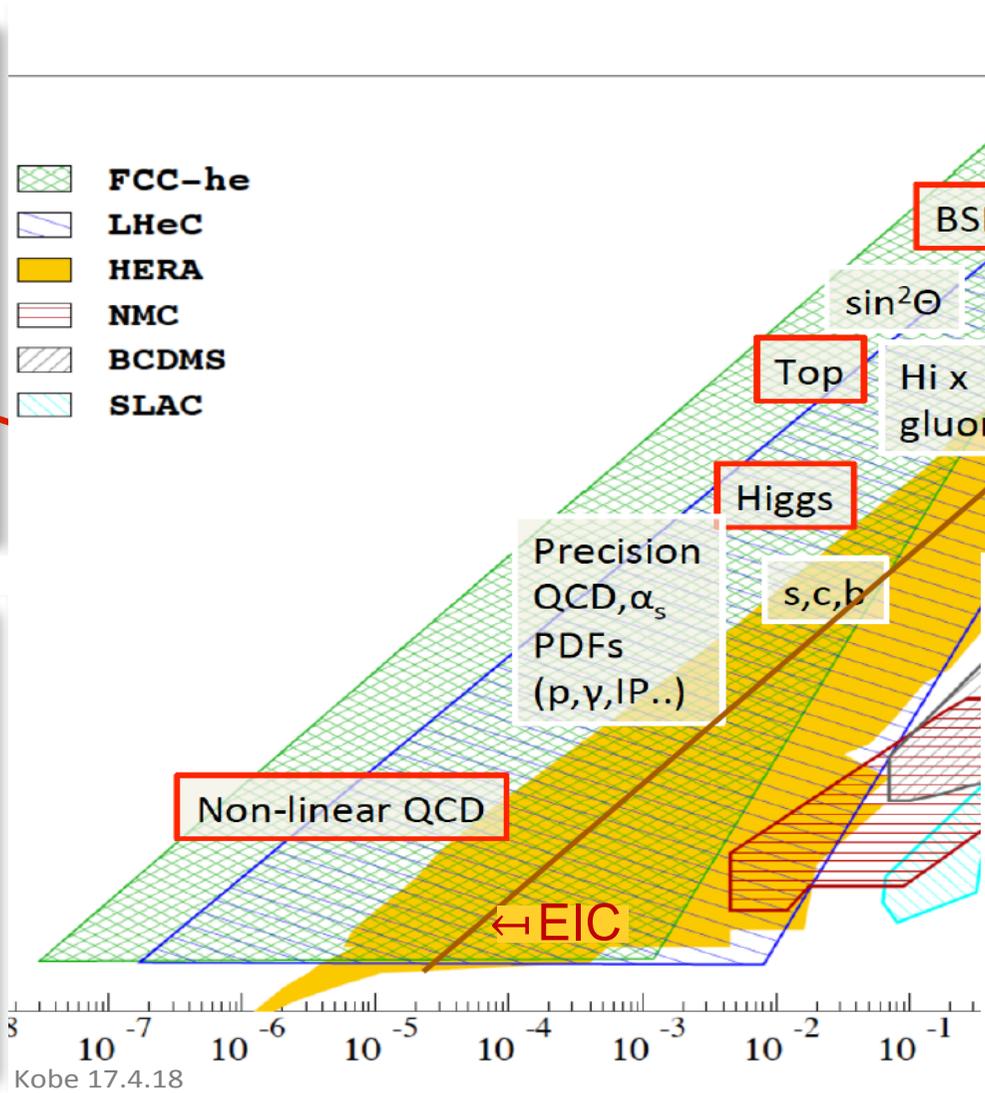
opportunity for
**unprecedented
 increase in DIS
 kinematic reach;**
 ×1000 increase in lumi.
 cf. HERA
 no higher twist,
 no nuclear corrections,
 free of symmetry
 assumptions,
 N³LO theory possible,
 ...
**precision pdfs up
 to x→1,**
**and exploration of
 small x regime;**
 plus extensive
 additional physics
 programme

×15/120 extension in Q², 1/x reach vs HERA

pdfs from LHeC or FCC-eh



- FCC-eh
- LHeC
- HERA
- NMC
- BCDMS
- SLAC

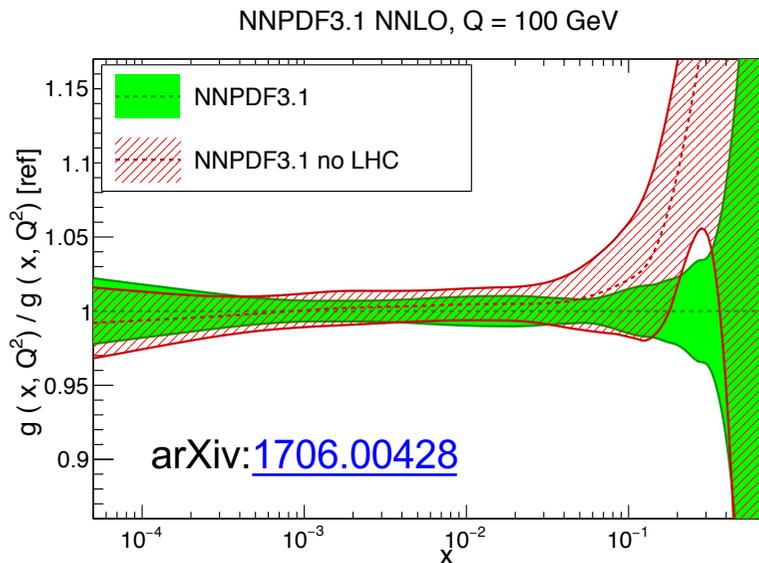


completely resolve all proton **pdfs** and $\alpha_s \rightarrow u\bar{u}, \nu\bar{\nu}, d\bar{d}, \nu\bar{\nu}, s, c, b, t, xg$ and α_s

(slide based on one
from M. Klein)

pp vs ep ?

LHC data **constrain pdfs**;
BUT **don't** precisely **determine** them



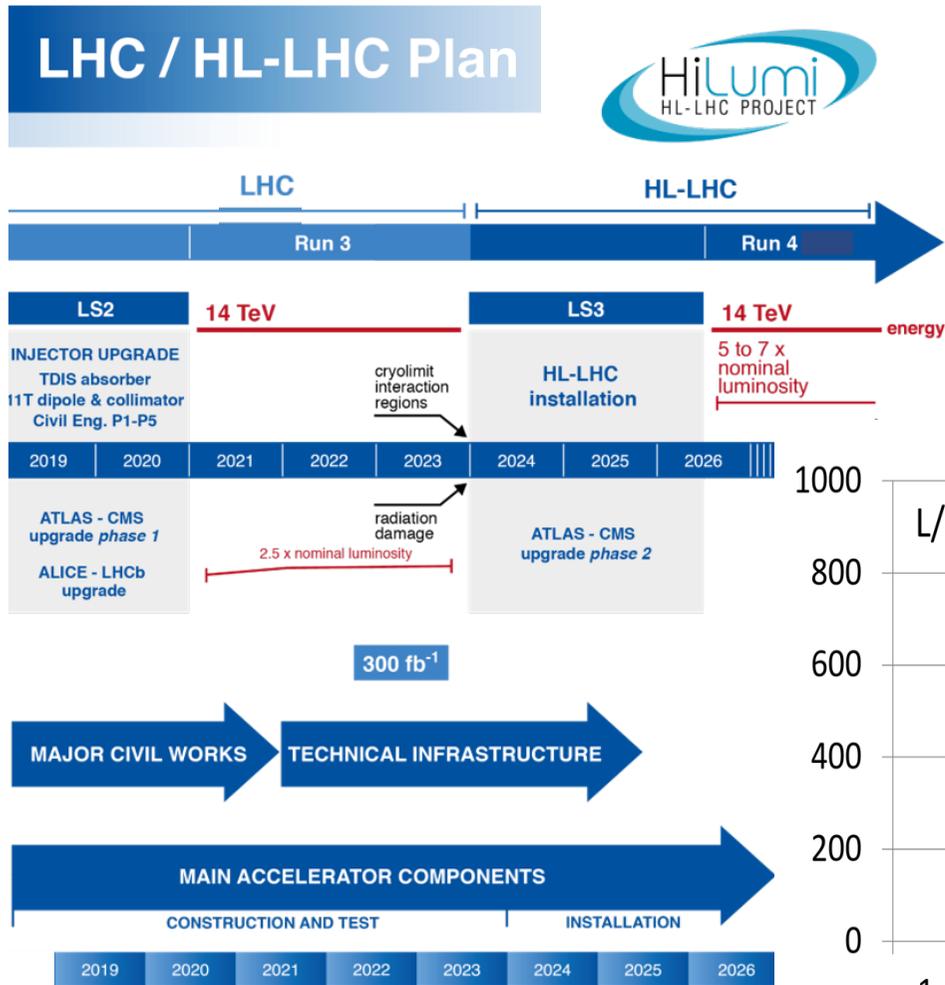
pp: we can and should try; currently we have nothing else; also interesting results (EG. non-suppressed strange at $x \sim 0.01$ from ATLAS); future prospects studied; **must nevertheless be aware of limitations ...**

cf. ep

- complete q,g unfolding at all x
- α_s to order permille precision (not in pp)
- clear theory (EG. N3LO, scale choice, hadronisation)
- strong effects from Q^2 variation (which cannot come from EG. W, Z at $Q^2=10^4$ GeV²)
- HQ separation: s,c,b,t
- understanding of small x dynamics, EG. BFKL, saturation, ... (comes from F2 and FL)
- gives external precision input for QCD subtleties (EG. factorisation, resummation), and for subtle discoveries
- single DIS dataset a tried and tested reliable way to achieve precision ($\Delta X^2=1$; cf. current LHC measurements; issues understanding systematics, correlations, data inconsistencies, ...)

see also talk by L. Harland-Lang

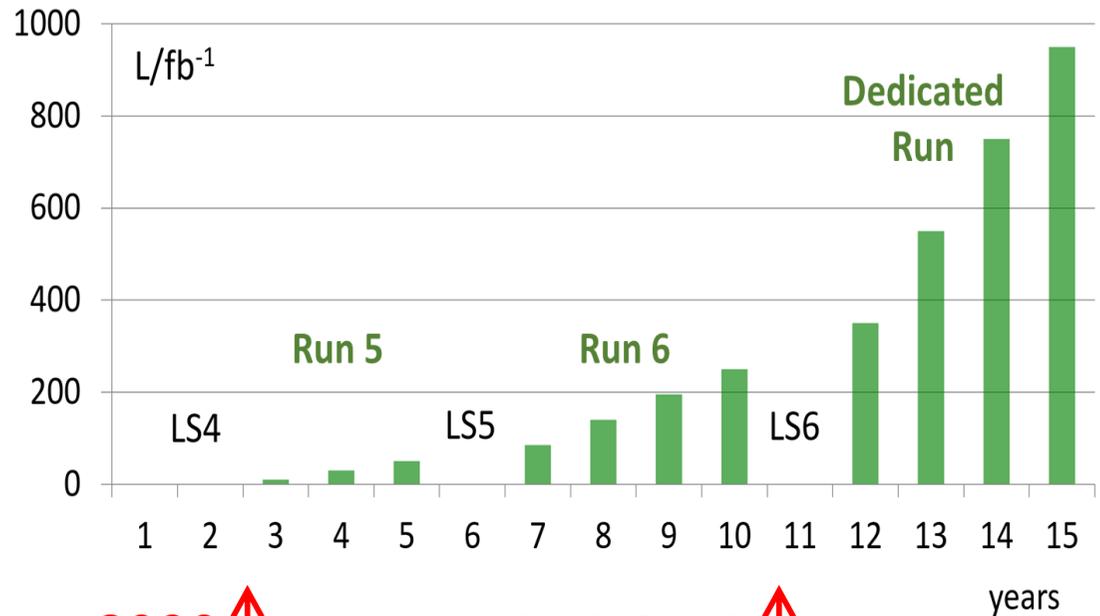
... plus, issues of timing?



LHeC: first 3 yrs: $L_{int} \sim 50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
total: $L_{int} \rightarrow 1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$

F. Bordry arXiv:[1810.13022](https://arxiv.org/abs/1810.13022)

LHeC projected Integrated Luminosity:



↑
today

↑
circa 2030

↑
end of HL-LHC

50 fb⁻¹ (×50 HERA) achievable by LHeC in 3 years, long before end of HL-LHC running

LHeC and FCC-eh pdfs WG



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fcc.web.cern.ch

PDFs and Low x Working Groups

LHeC and FCC-eh

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- [Anna Stasto](#) (Penn State (US))
- [Claire Gwenlan](#) (University of Oxford (GB))
- [Fred Olness](#) (Southern Methodist University (US))

Working Group Meetings

A list of all LHeC+FCC-eh related Indico meetings is [here](https://indico.cern.ch/category/1874/) <https://indico.cern.ch/category/1874/>

everyone is welcome!

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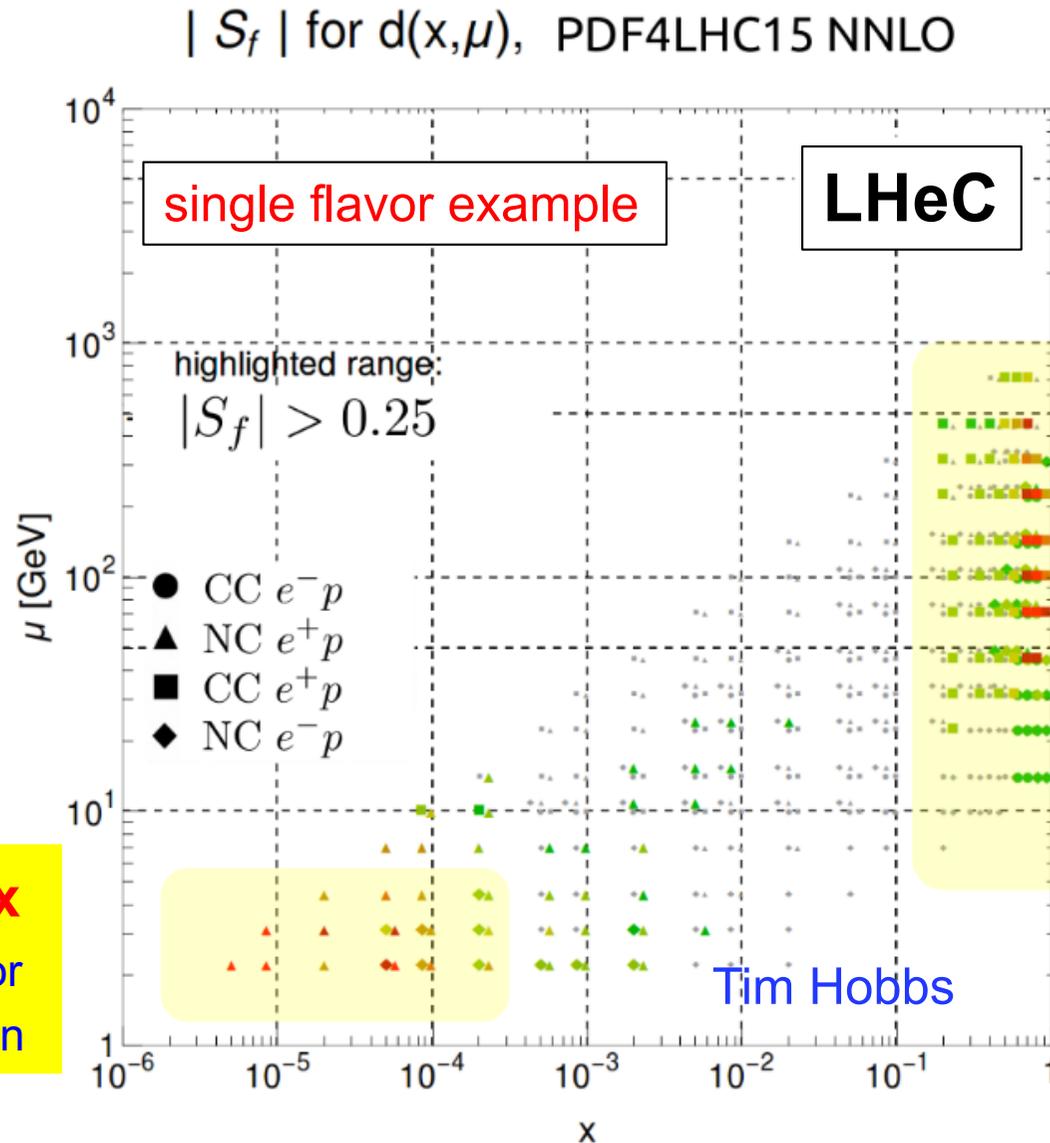
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since the LHeC (arXiv:[1206.2913](https://arxiv.org/abs/1206.2913)) and FCC (vol1, [EPJ C79 \(2019\), no.6, 474](https://arxiv.org/abs/1907.04847)) CDRs,
many additional studies, with updated running scenarios etc.

LHeC sensitivity to pdfs

“sensitivity” S_f
= Correlation \times
scaled residual

$$S_f(x_i, \mu_i) \equiv \frac{\delta^{(\text{PDF})} r_i}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N r_i^2}} C_f(x_i, \mu_i).$$



small-x
crucial for
saturation

large-(x, Q²)
crucial for BSM
searches

enormous
sensitivity
in regions
currently
poorly
constrained

LHeC simulated data and QCD fits

NEW: LHeC simulations (e: 50 GeV*, p: 7 TeV)

simulation: M. Klein

dataset	e charge	e pol.	lumi (fb ⁻¹)	
NC/CC	–	–0.8	5,500	luminosity
NC/CC	+	0	1,10	positron
NC/CC	–	0	50	polarisation
NC/CC	–	+0.8	10,50	(important for EW physics)

uncert. assumptions:
 elec. scale: 0.1%
 hadr. scale: 0.5%
 radcor: 0.3%
 γp at high y: 1%
 uncorrelated uncert.: 0.5%
 CC syst.: 1.5%
 luminosity: 0.5%

*corresponds to possibility of smaller ERL cf. previous 60 GeV simulations

various combinations studied;
 shown frequently in next slides:

LHeC 1st Run
 (50 fb⁻¹ e⁻ only; 3 yrs)

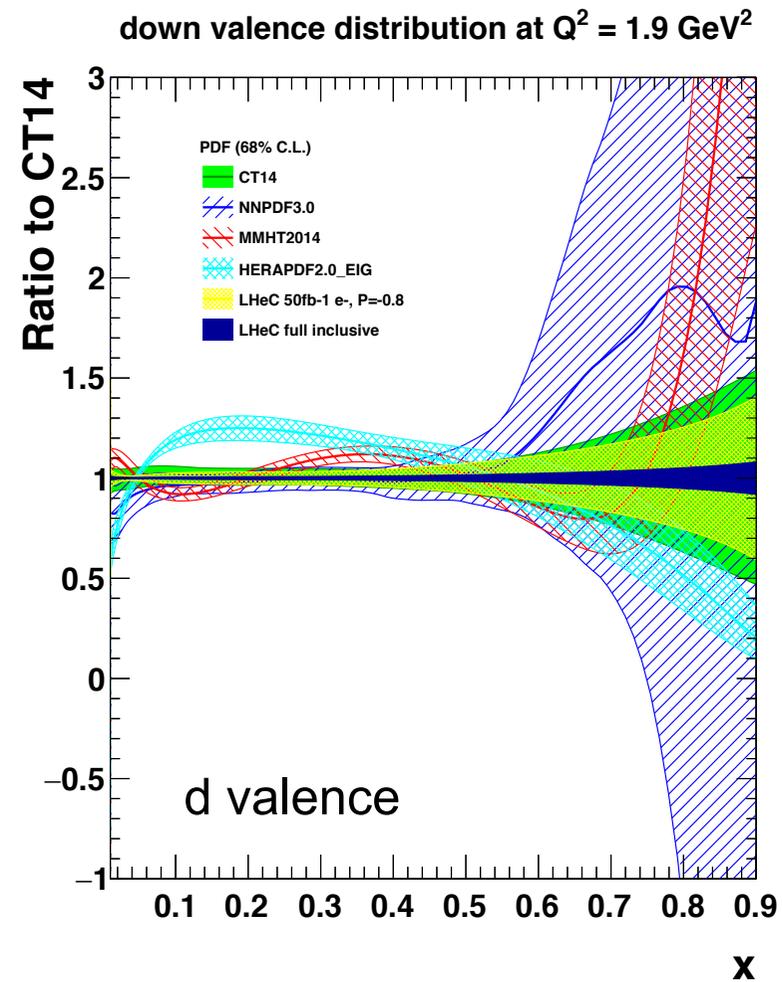
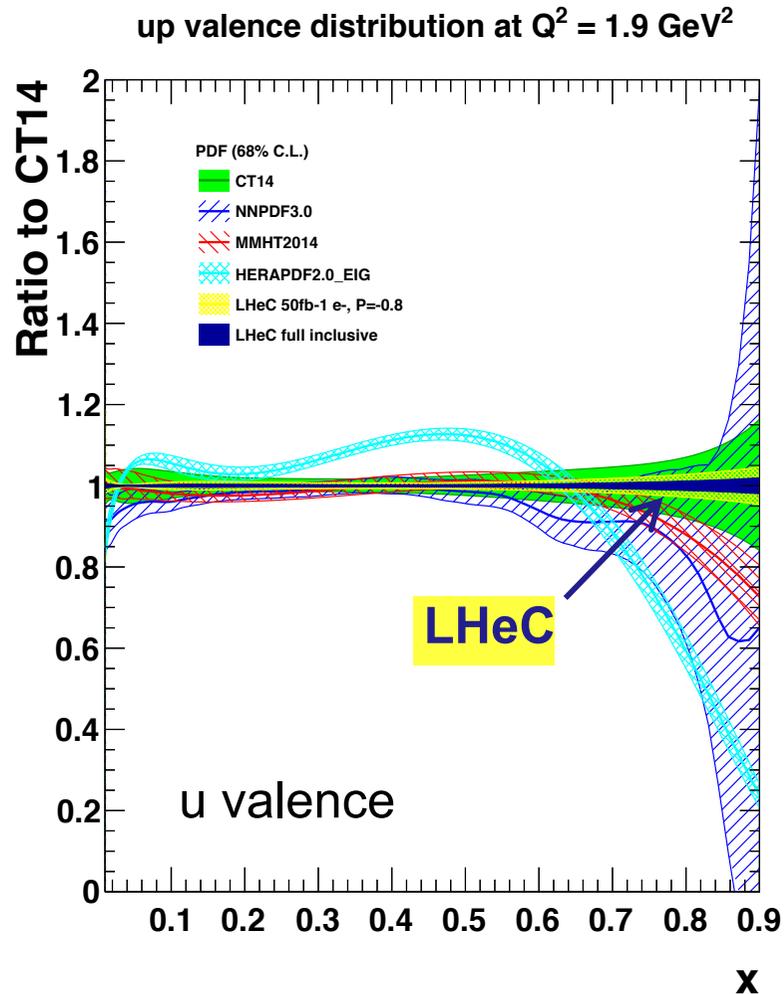
LHeC full inclusive

QCD analysis a la HERAPDF2.0, except **more flexible**, most notably in that **NO constraint** requiring $d_{\text{bar}}=u_{\text{bar}}$ at small x;

4+1 xuv, xdv, xUbar, xDbar and xg (14 free parameters, cf. 10 by default in CDR)

5+1 xuv, xdv, xUbar, xdbar, xsbar and xg (if HQ included; 17 free parameters)

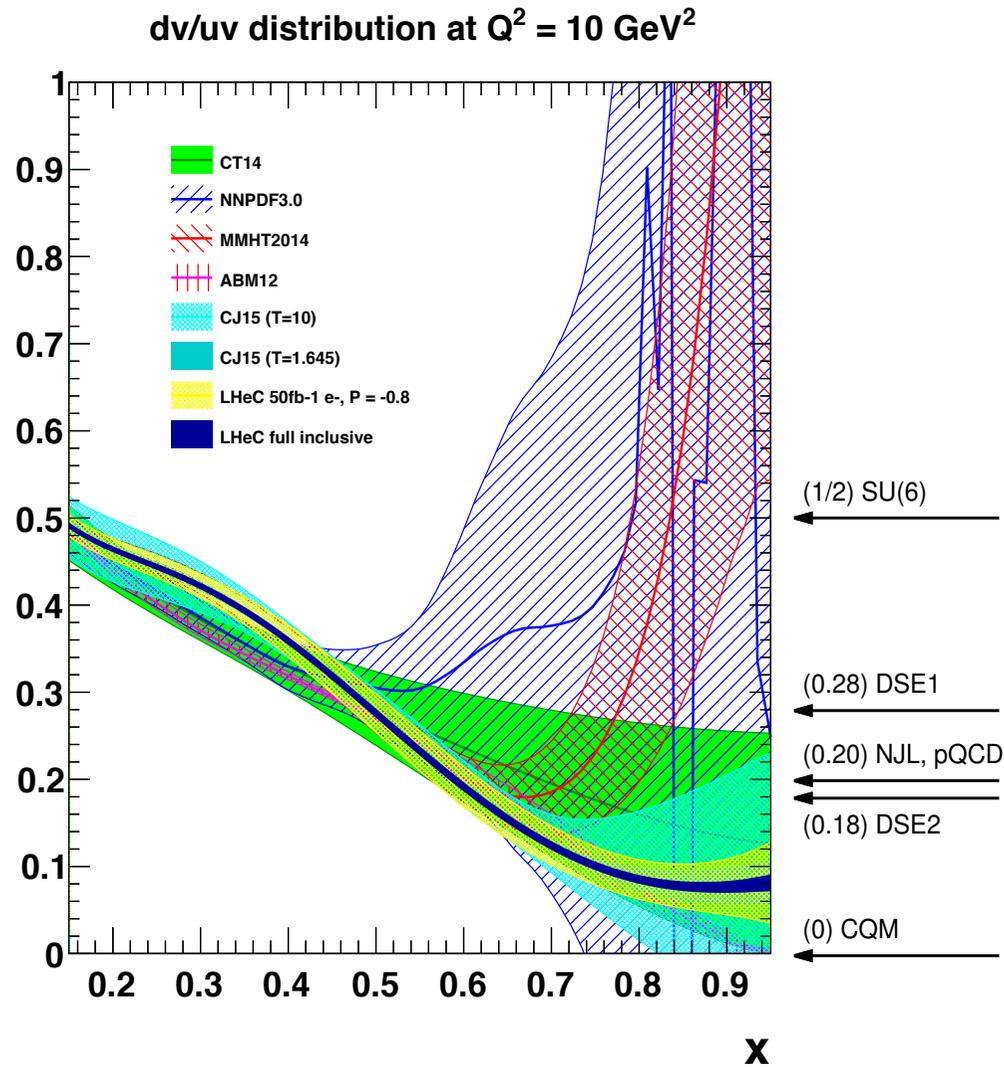
valence quarks from LHeC



precision determination, free from higher twist corrections and nuclear uncertainties

large x crucial for HL/HE-LHC and FCC searches; also relevant for DY, MW etc.

d/u at large x

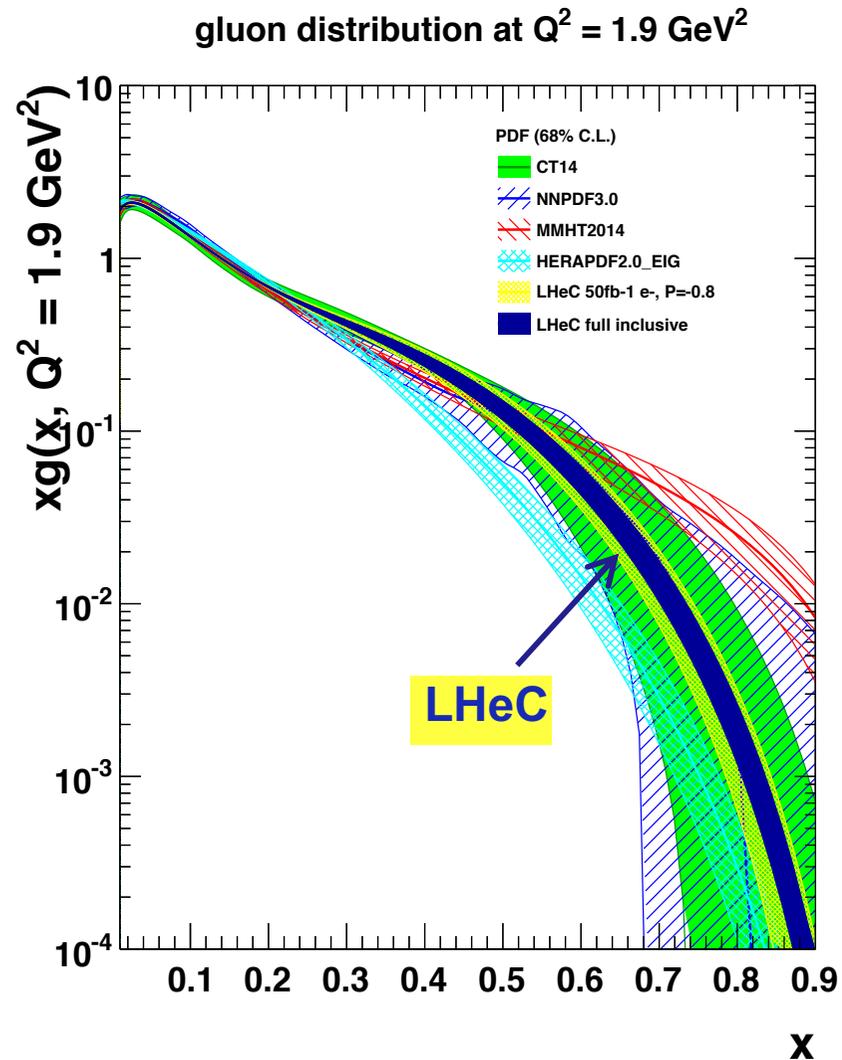


d/u essentially unknown at large x

no predictive power from current pdfs;
conflicting theory pictures;
data inconclusive, large nuclear uncertainties

resolve long-standing mystery of
d/u ratio at large x

gluon at large x



gluon at large x is small and currently
very poorly known;
crucial for new physics searches

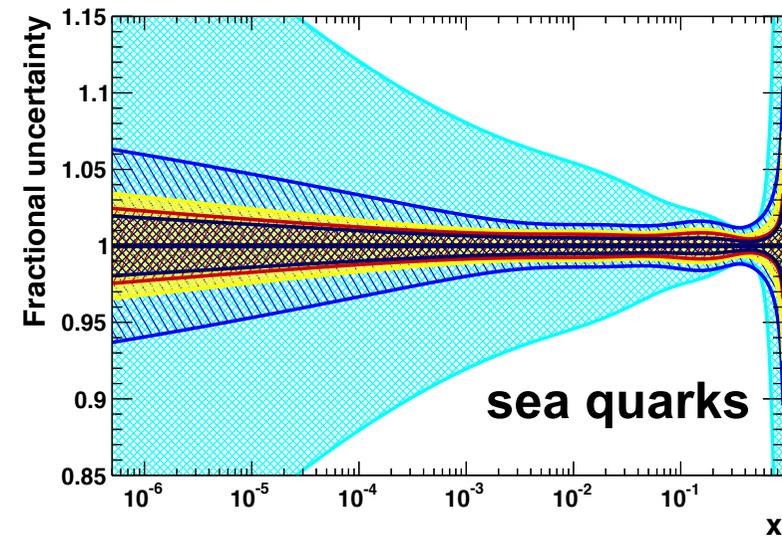
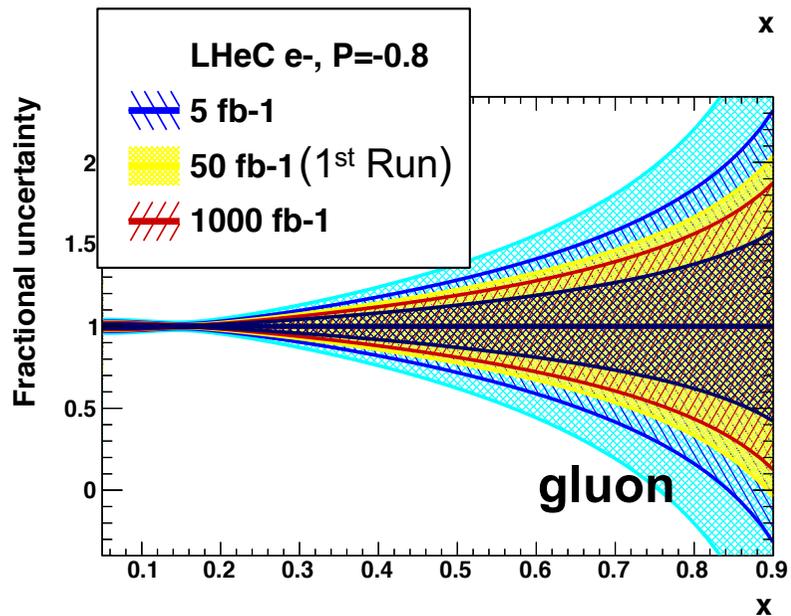
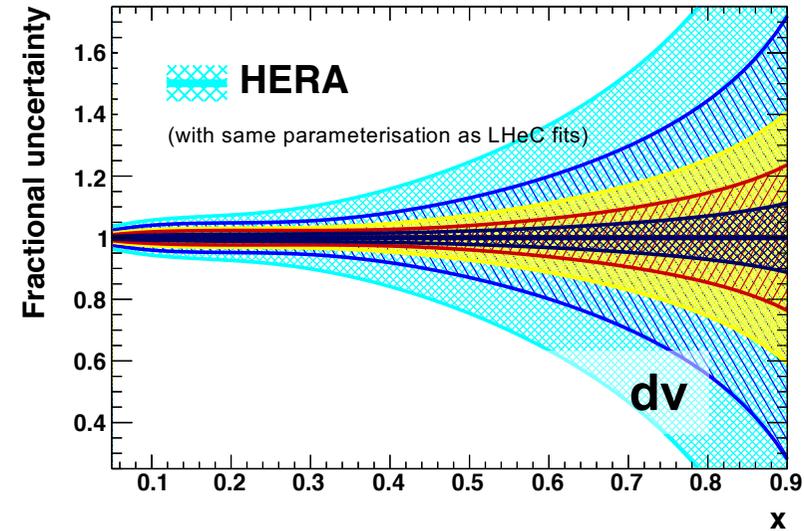
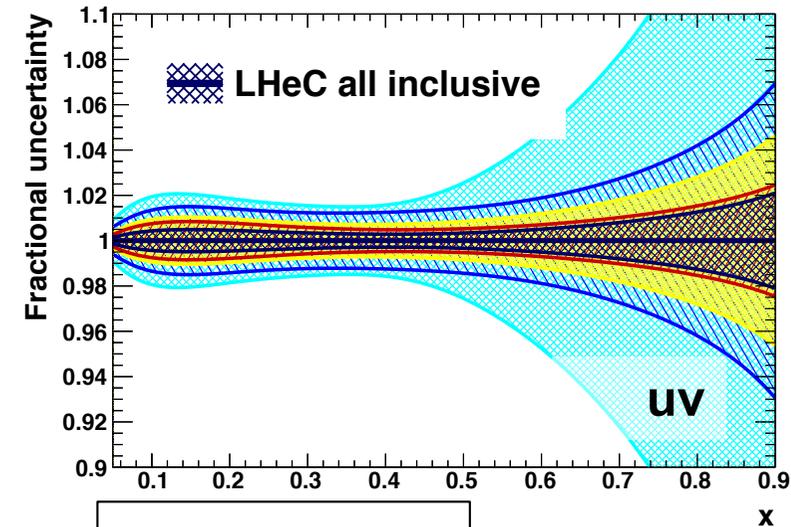
LHeC sensitivity at large x comes as
part of overall package

high luminosity ($\times 50\text{--}1000$ HERA);
fully constrained quark pdfs; small x;
momentum sum rule

gluon and sea intimately related

LHeC can disentangle sea from
valence quarks at large x, with precision
measurements of **CC** and **NC** F_2^{YZ} , xF_3^{YZ}

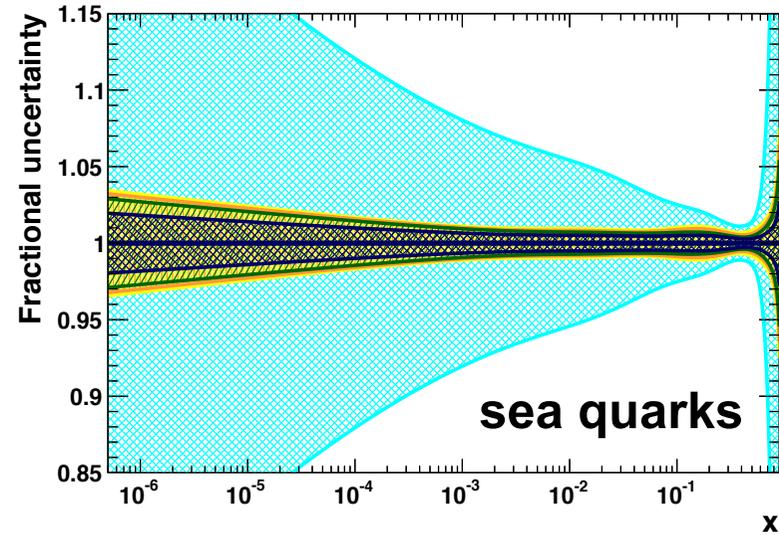
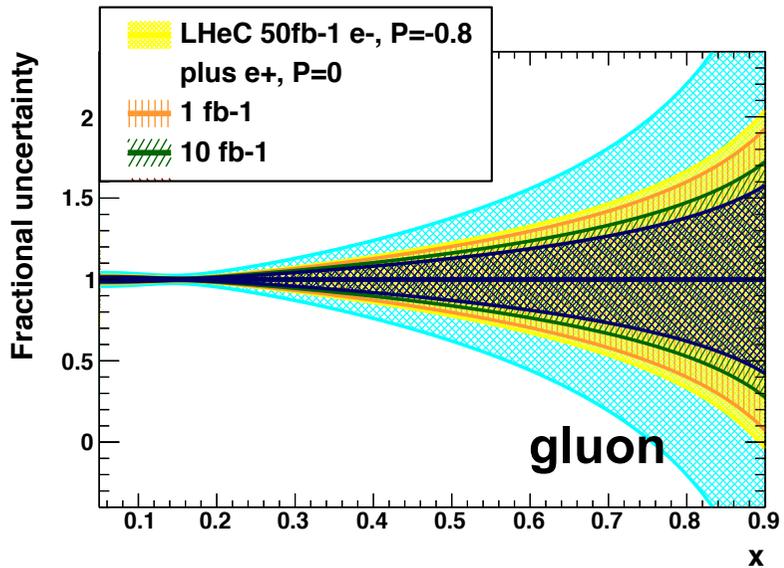
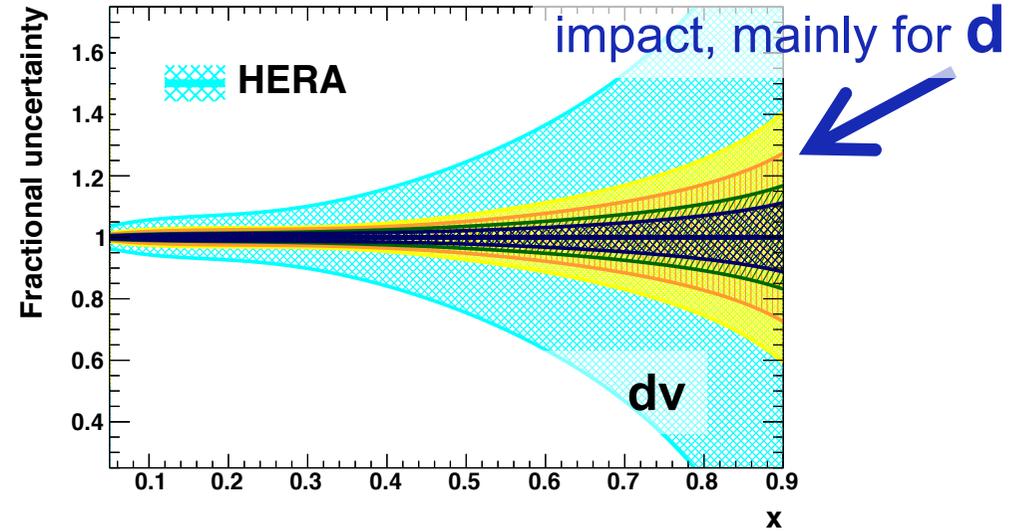
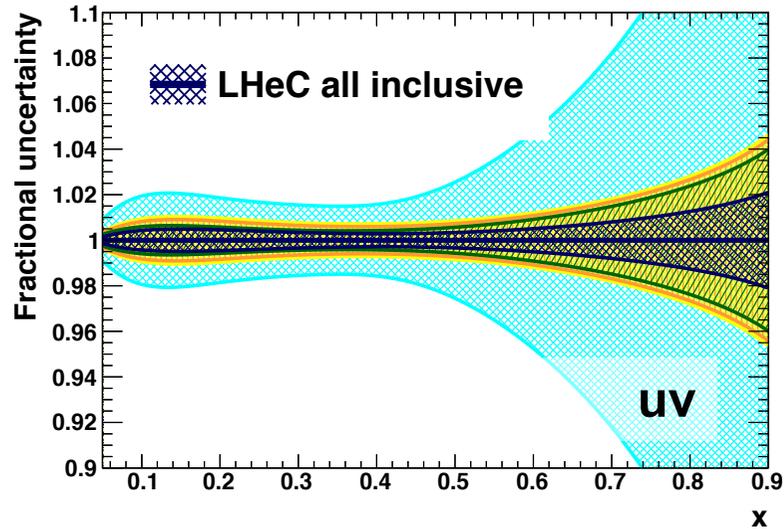
impact of luminosity on LHeC pdfs



small and medium x quickly constrained (5 fb⁻¹ \equiv $\times 5$ HERA \equiv 1st year LHeC)

large x (\equiv large Q^2), gain from increased L_{int} ; still, early massive improvement cf. today ¹⁶

impact of positrons on LHeC pdfs



CC: e^+ sensitive to d; **NC:** e^\pm asymmetry gives $x F_3^{VZ}$, sensitive to valence

empowering LHC searches

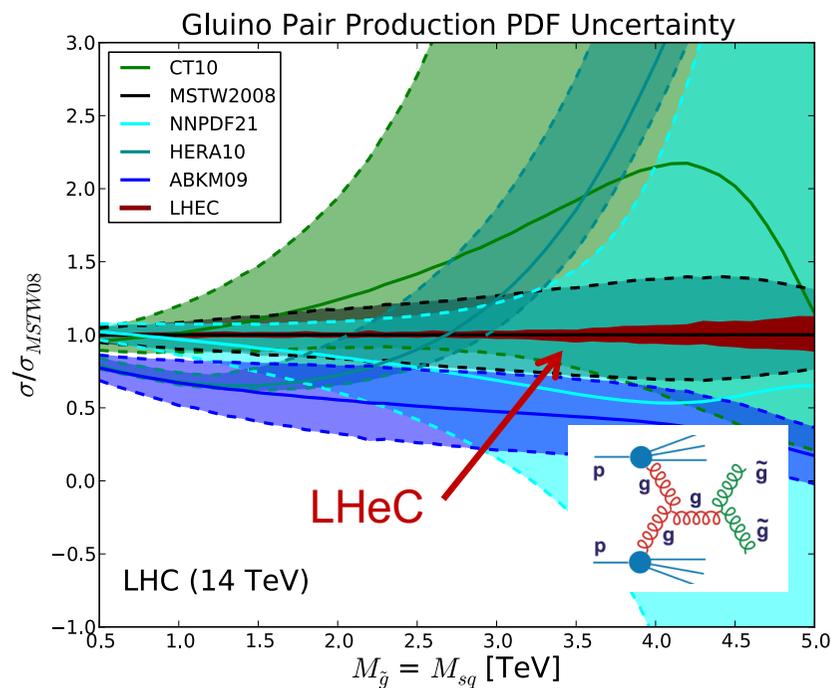
external, reliable, precise **pdfs** needed for range extension and interpretation

gluons at large x

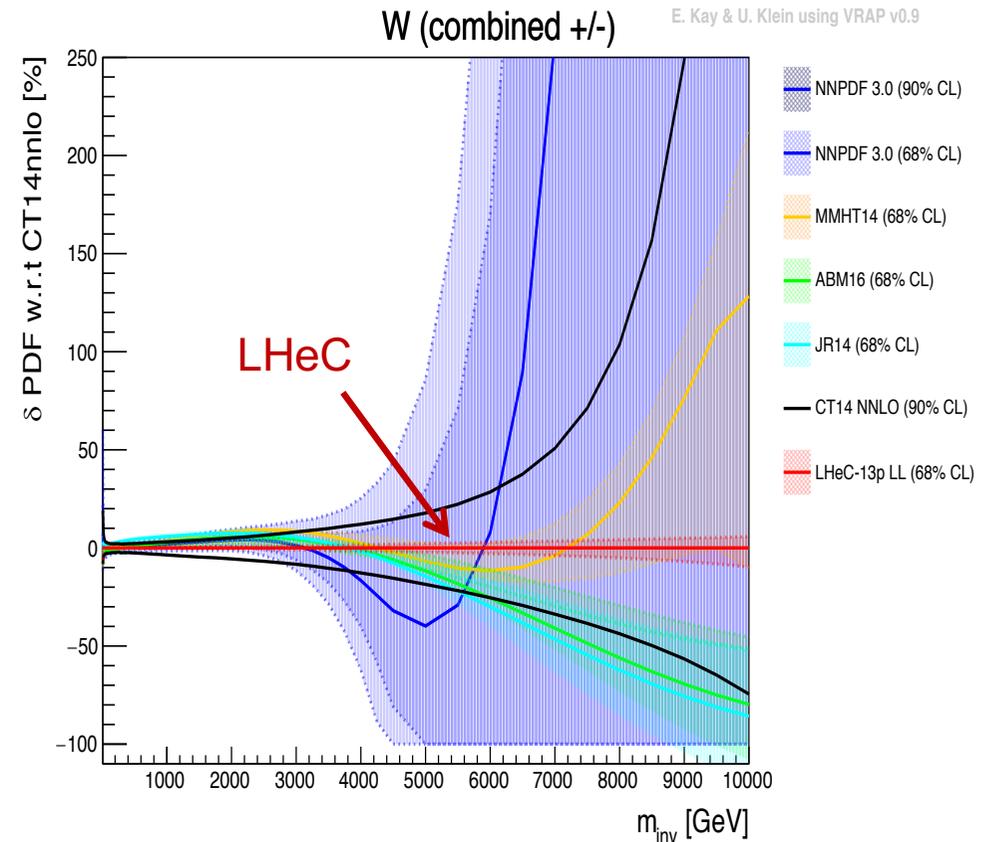
SUSY (RPC, RPV), LQs, ...

quarks at large x

exotic and extra boson searches at high mass

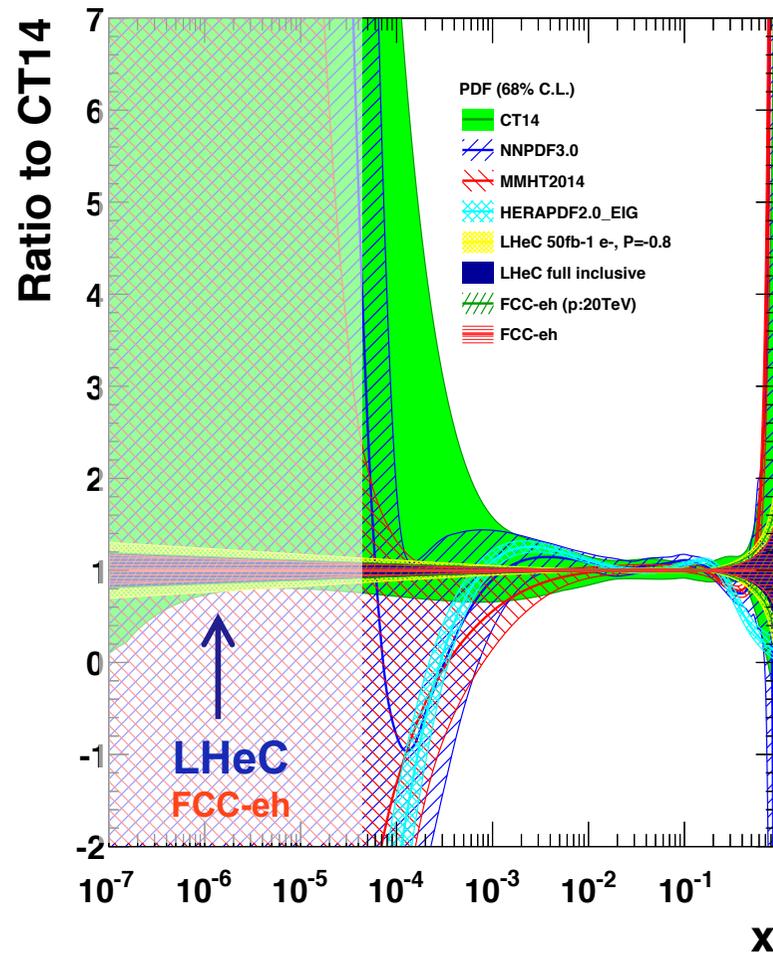


arXiv: [1211.5102](https://arxiv.org/abs/1211.5102)



gluon at small x

gluon distribution at $Q^2 = 1.9 \text{ GeV}^2$



no current data much below $x=5 \times 10^{-5}$

LHeC provides single, precise and unambiguous dataset down to $x=10^{-6}$

FCC-eh probes to even smaller $x=10^{-7}$

explore small x QCD:

DGLAP vs BFKL; non-linear evolution;

gluon saturation; implications

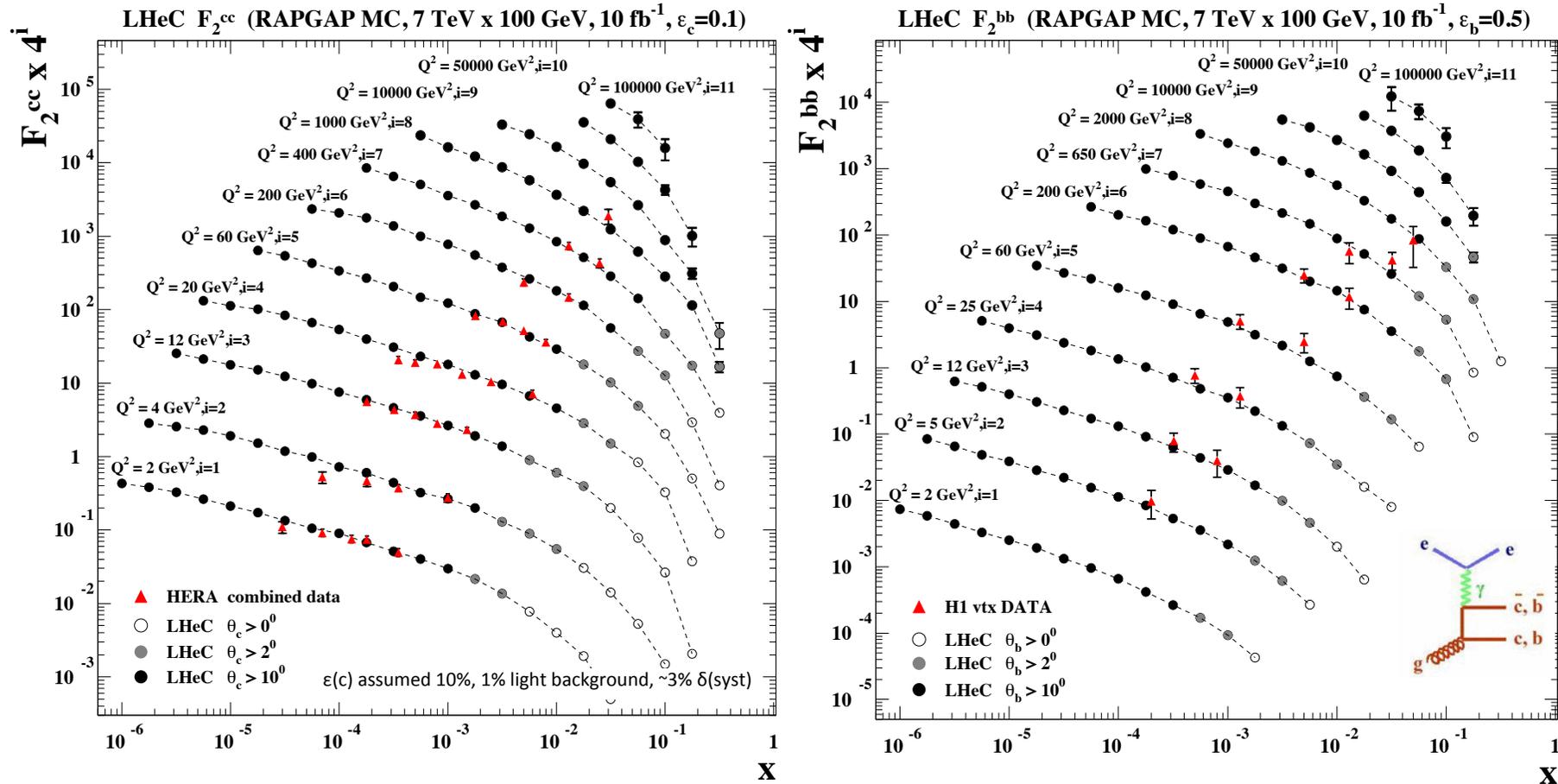
for ultra high energy neutrino cross sections

see talk by A. Stasto



c, b quarks

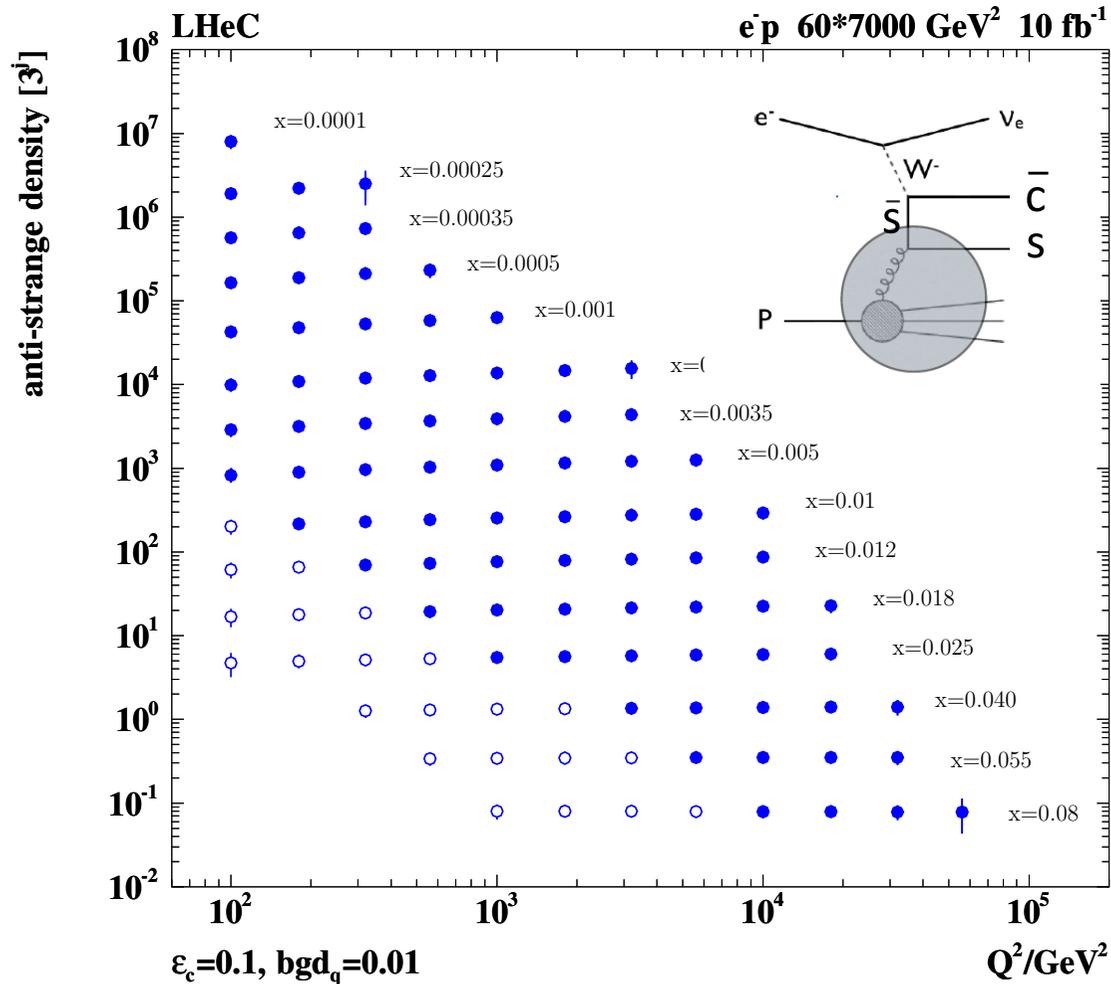
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LHeC: enormously extended range and much improved precision c.f. HERA

- $\delta M_c = 50$ (HERA) to **3 MeV**: impacts on α_s , regulates ratio of charm to light, crucial for precision t, H
- δM_b to **10 MeV**; MSSM: Higgs produced dominantly via $b\bar{b} \rightarrow A$

strange

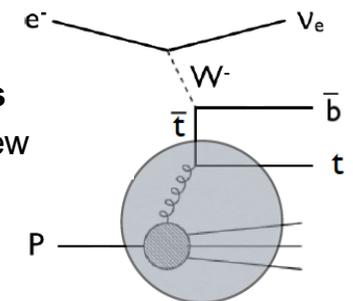


strange pdf poorly known;
 suppressed cf. other light quarks?
 strange valence?

LHeC: direct sensitivity to
strange via $W+s \rightarrow c$
 (x, Q^2) mapping of (anti) strange
 for first time

also top PDF

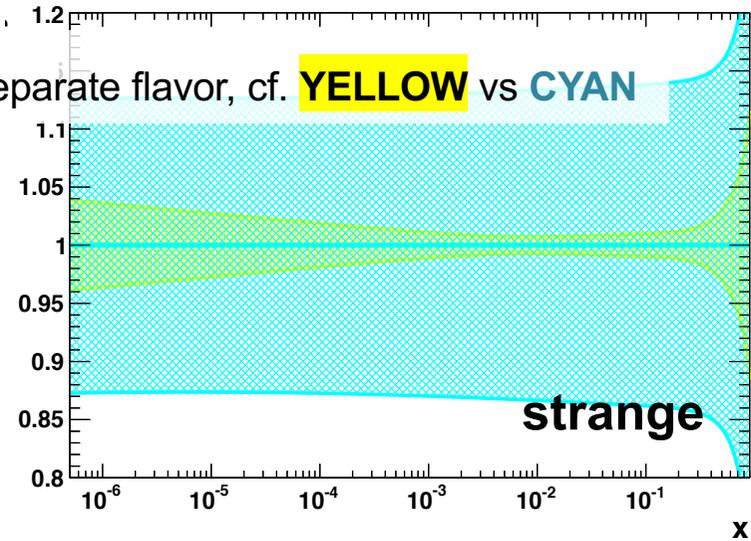
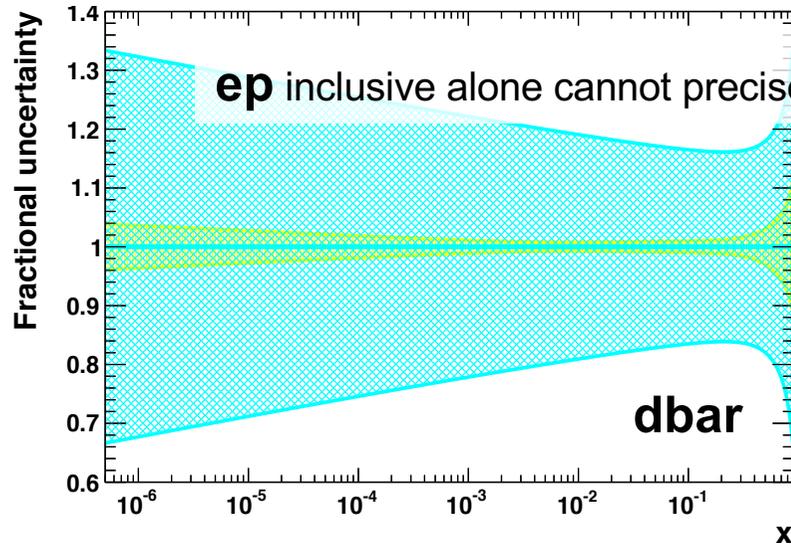
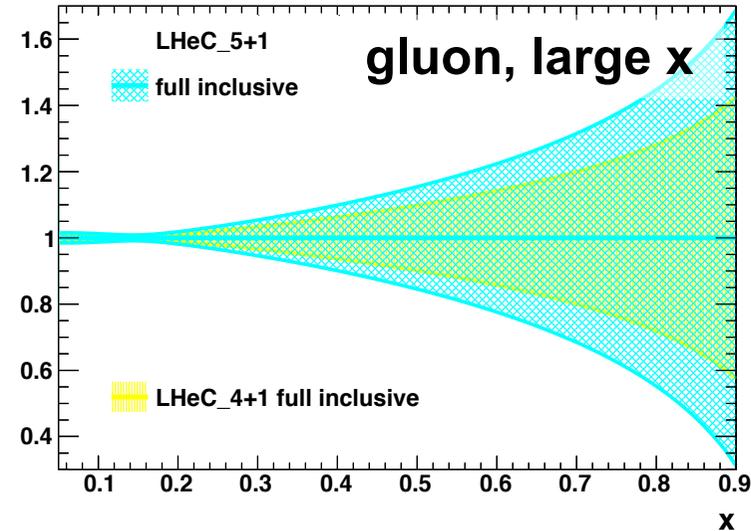
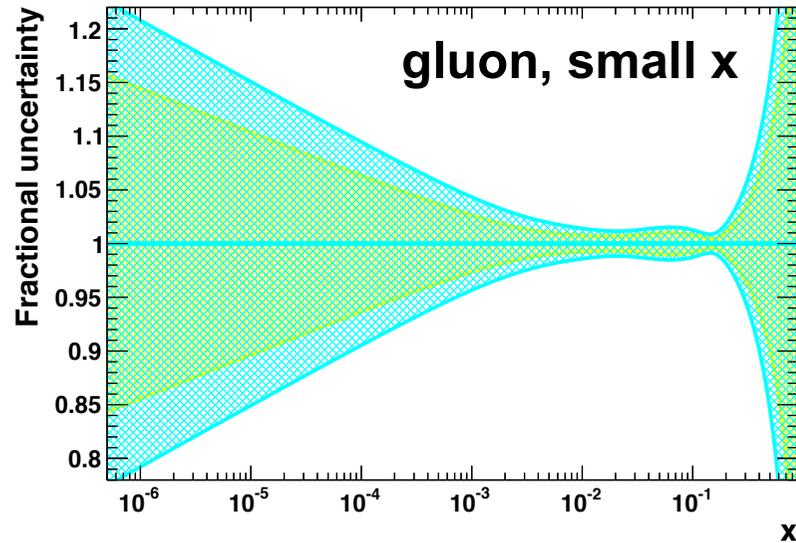
top quark becomes
 light at large Q^2 : new
 field of research
 opens for top PDFs!



G.R. Boroun, [PLB 744 \(2015\) 142](#)

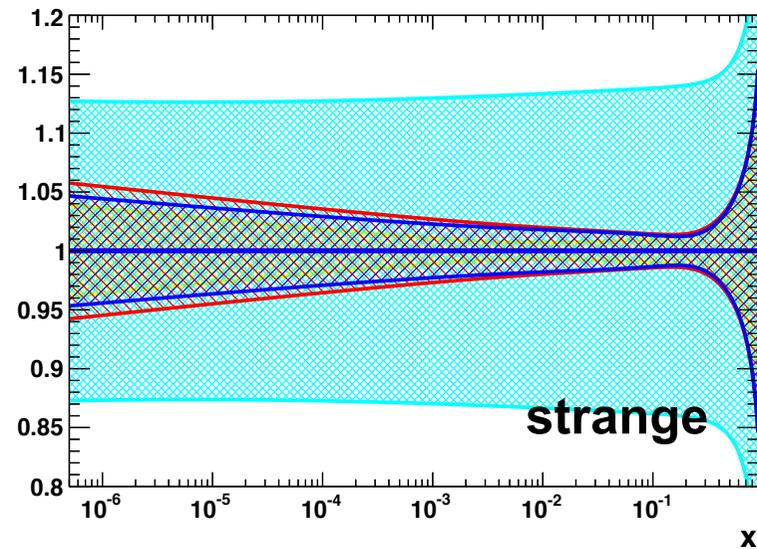
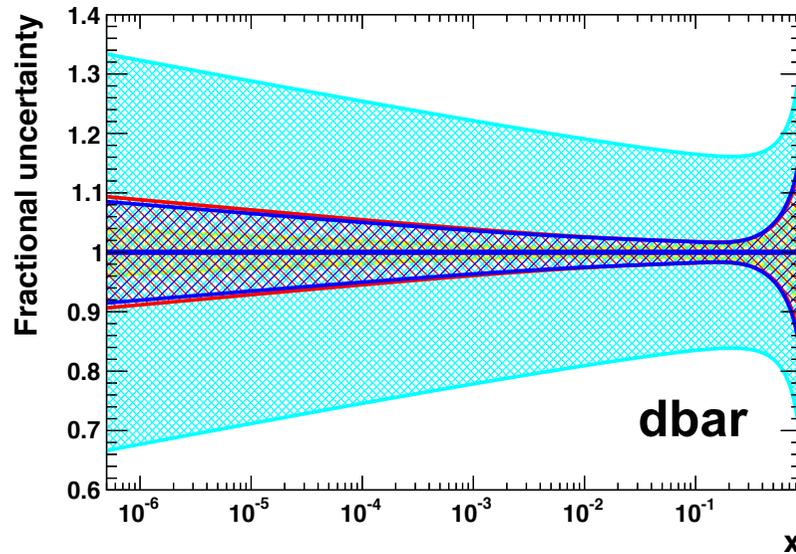
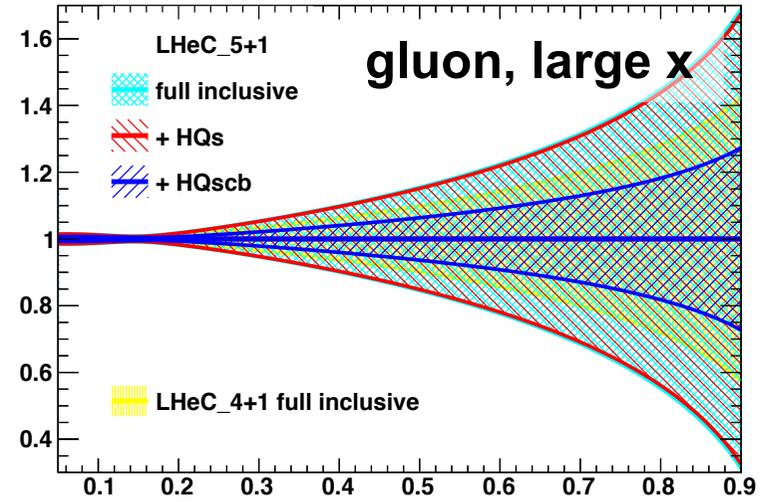
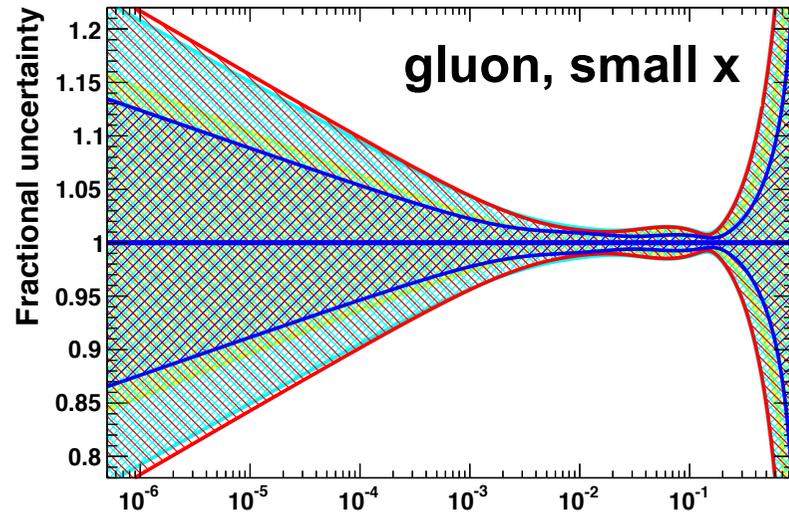
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pdf flavour separation



more flexible parameterisation (5+1): x_{uv} , x_{dv} , $x_{\bar{u}}$, $x_{\bar{d}}$, $x_{\bar{s}}$ and x_g

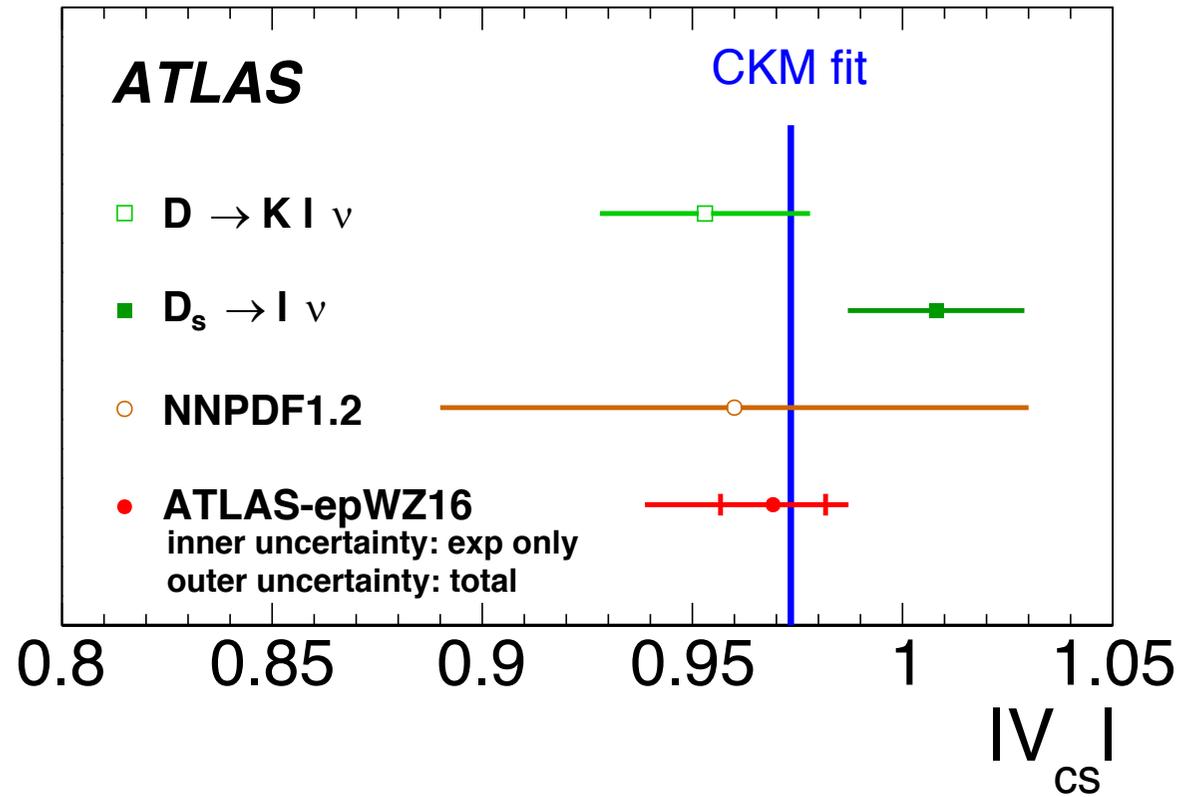
impact of HQ data on LHeC pdfs



addition of **s** and **b,c** data gives flavour separation!

Vcs

ATLAS coll., arXiv:1612.03016



HERA+ATLAS $\rightarrow V_{cs}$

expect much better precision from **LHeC** or **FCC-eh** ($\times 10$ or more)

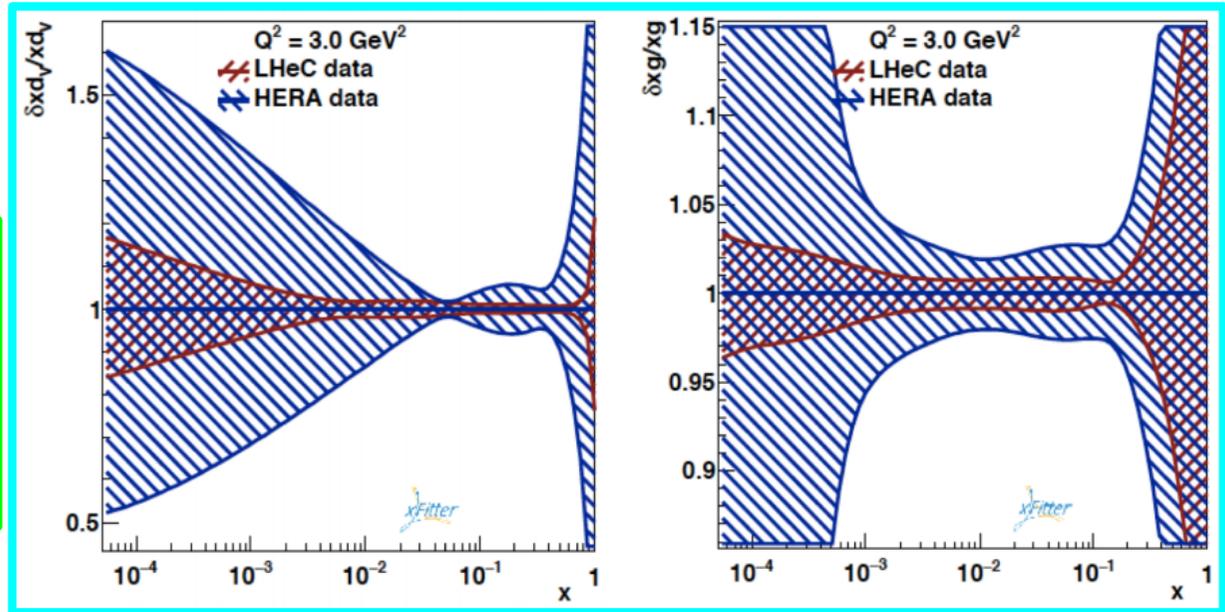
Updates on LHeC impact to PDFs with xFitter

M. Bonvini, F. Giuli

... ongoing study to understand PDF uncertainty dependence on:

- tolerance criteria
- parametrization bias
- pseudo-data set choice

Comparison to PDFs from HERA data



- We have created a new dataset starting from a different input PDF:
- We have introduced a new, more flexible, parametrization for the PDFs
- The obtained $\chi^2/\text{dof} \sim 1.22$ is good

To-do list:

- Studies with small-x resummation
- Estimate model uncertainties
- Inclusion of heavy flavour data

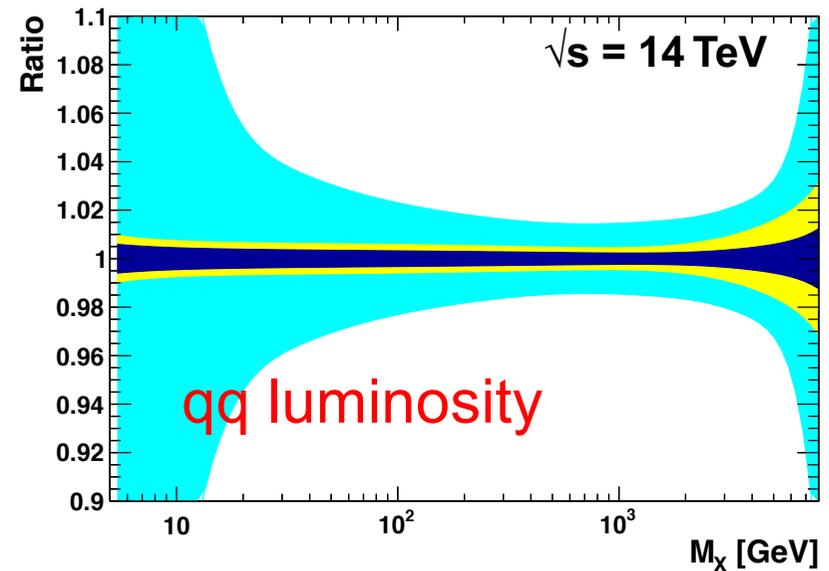
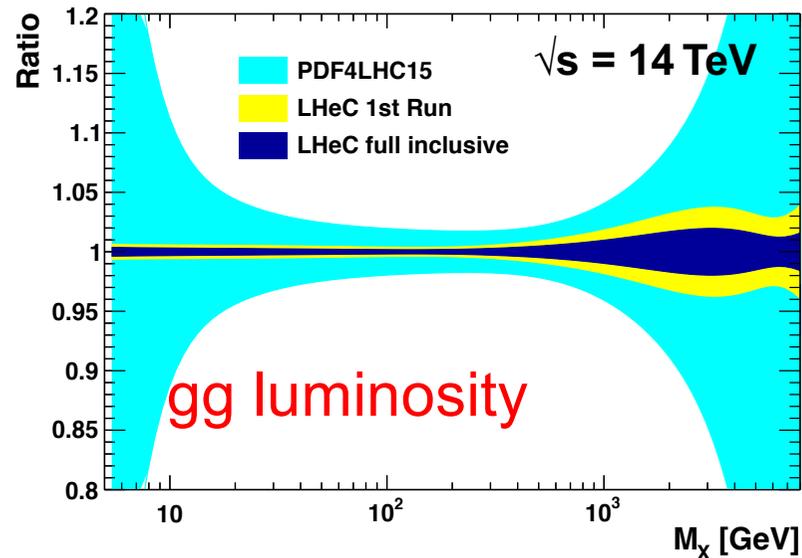
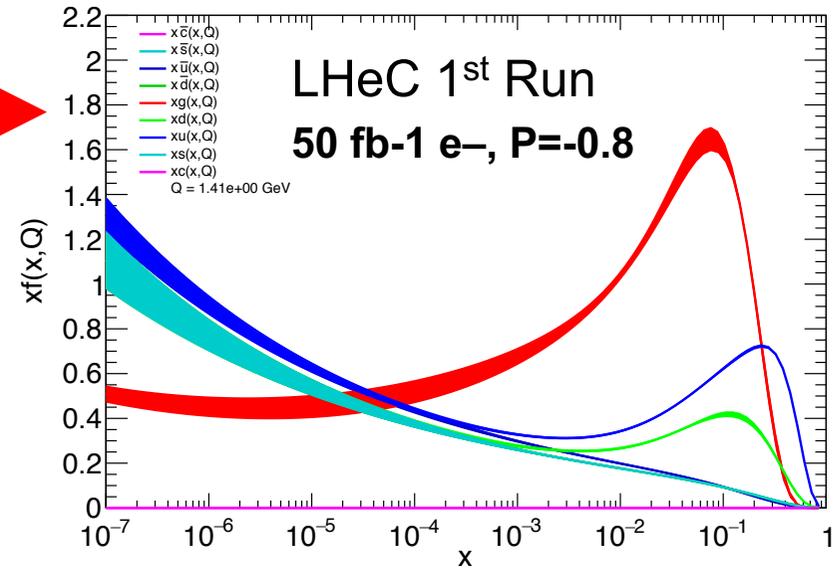
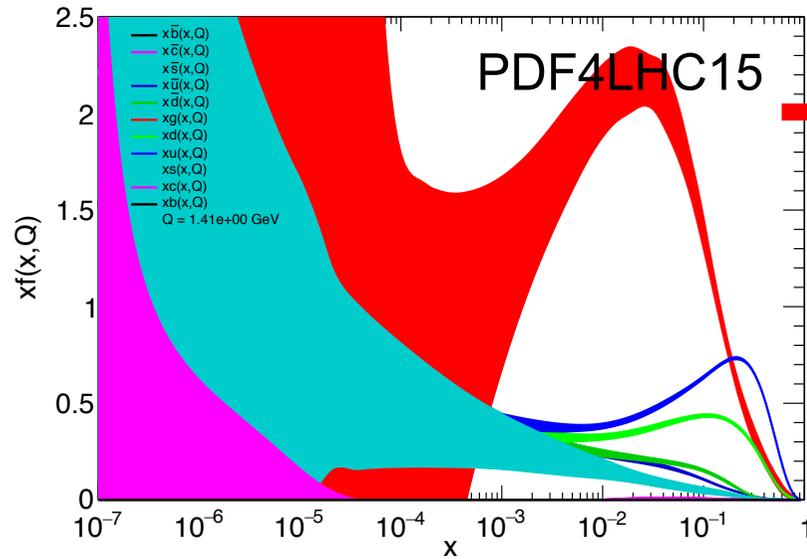
Compare with:
 CT14nnlo
 HERA Data
 NNPDF31sx

CG: this is slide Fred gave me to summarise other work – will probably revamp, or summarise in the summary instead?

a remarkable reduction of PDF uncertainties is obtained

placeholder for Daniel's α s stuff

summary of pdfs from ep



summary

precision determination of quark and gluon structure of proton and α_s
of fundamental importance for future hadron collider physics programme (Higgs, BSM, ...)

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