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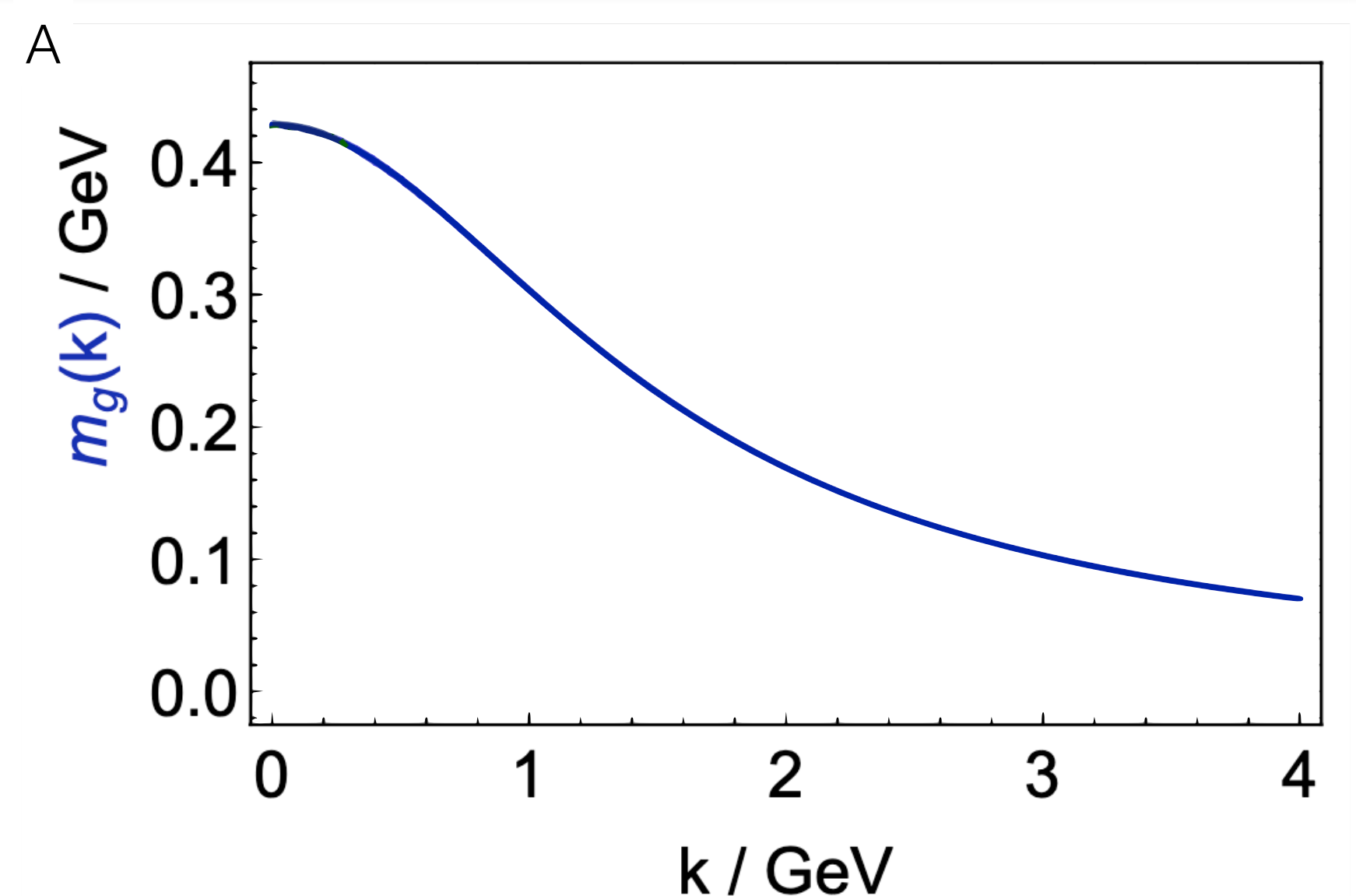
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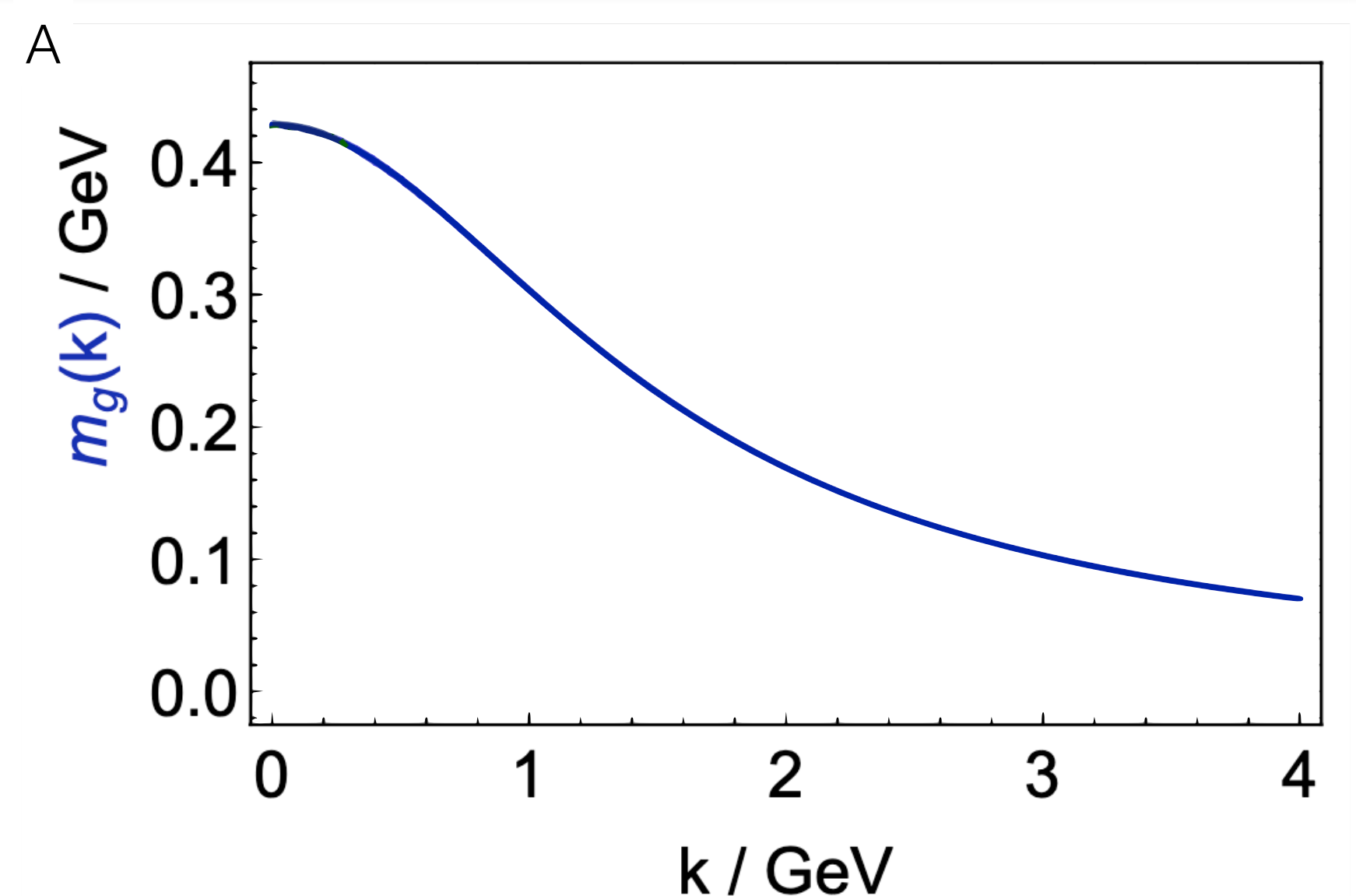
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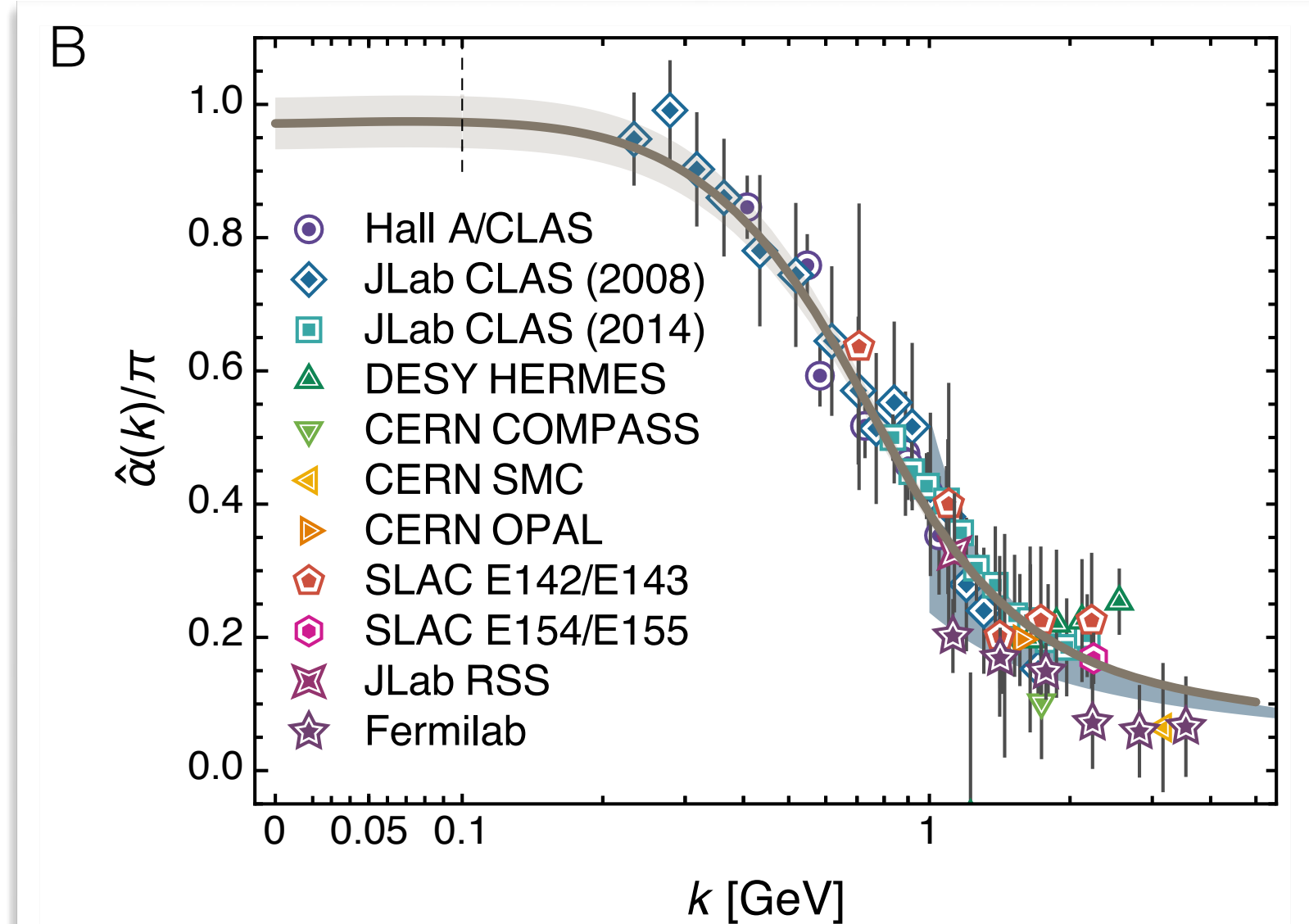
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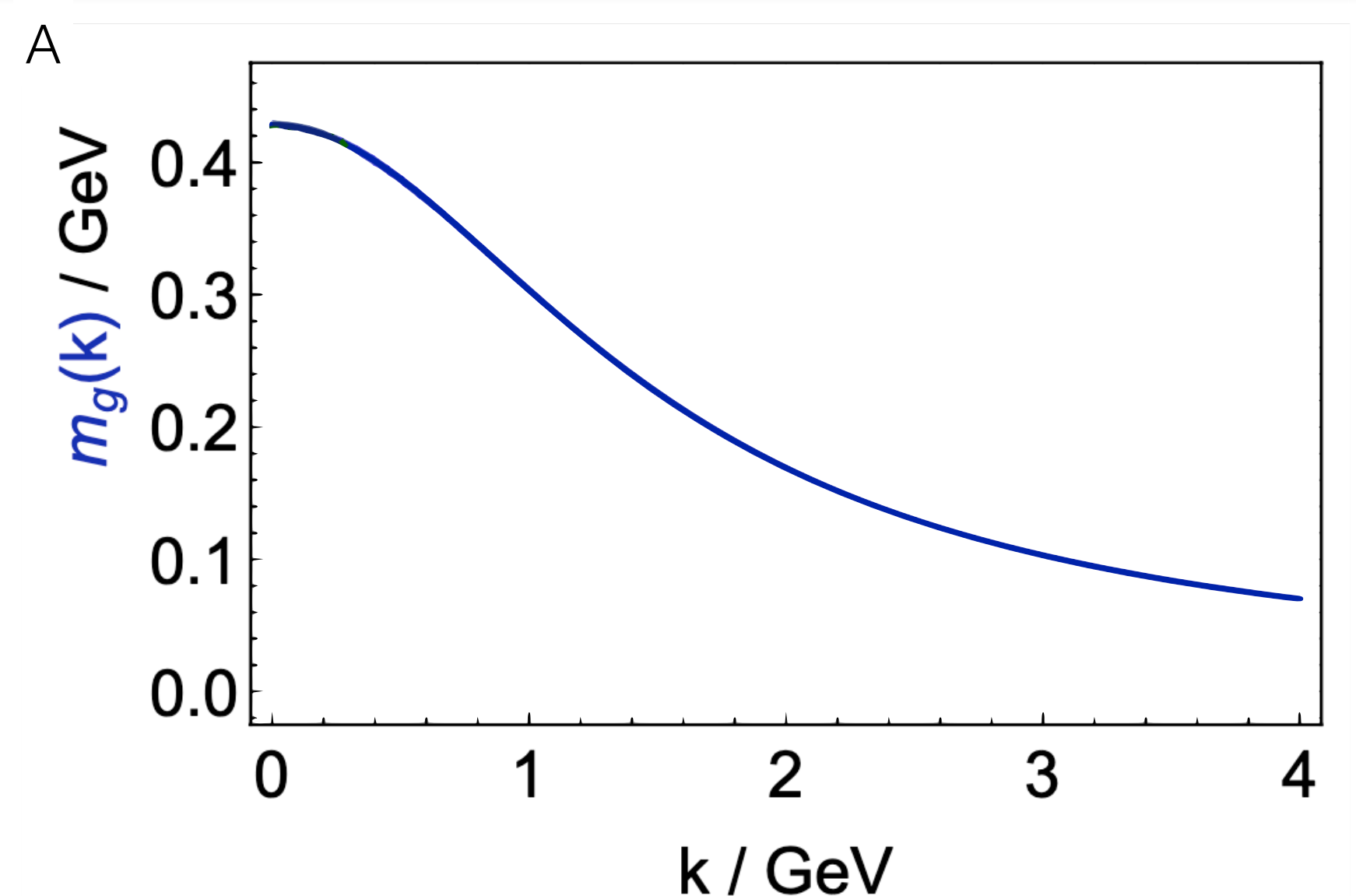
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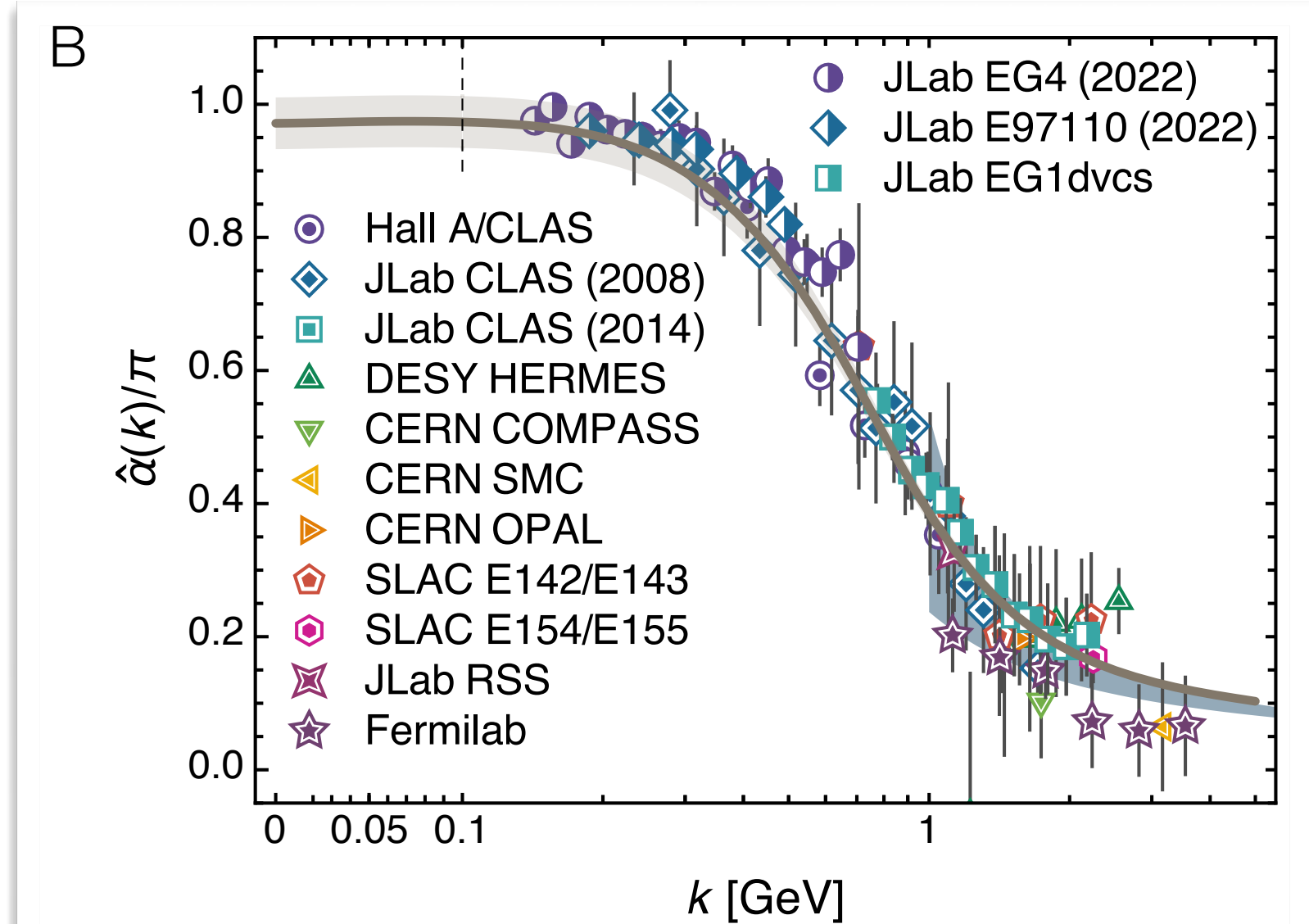
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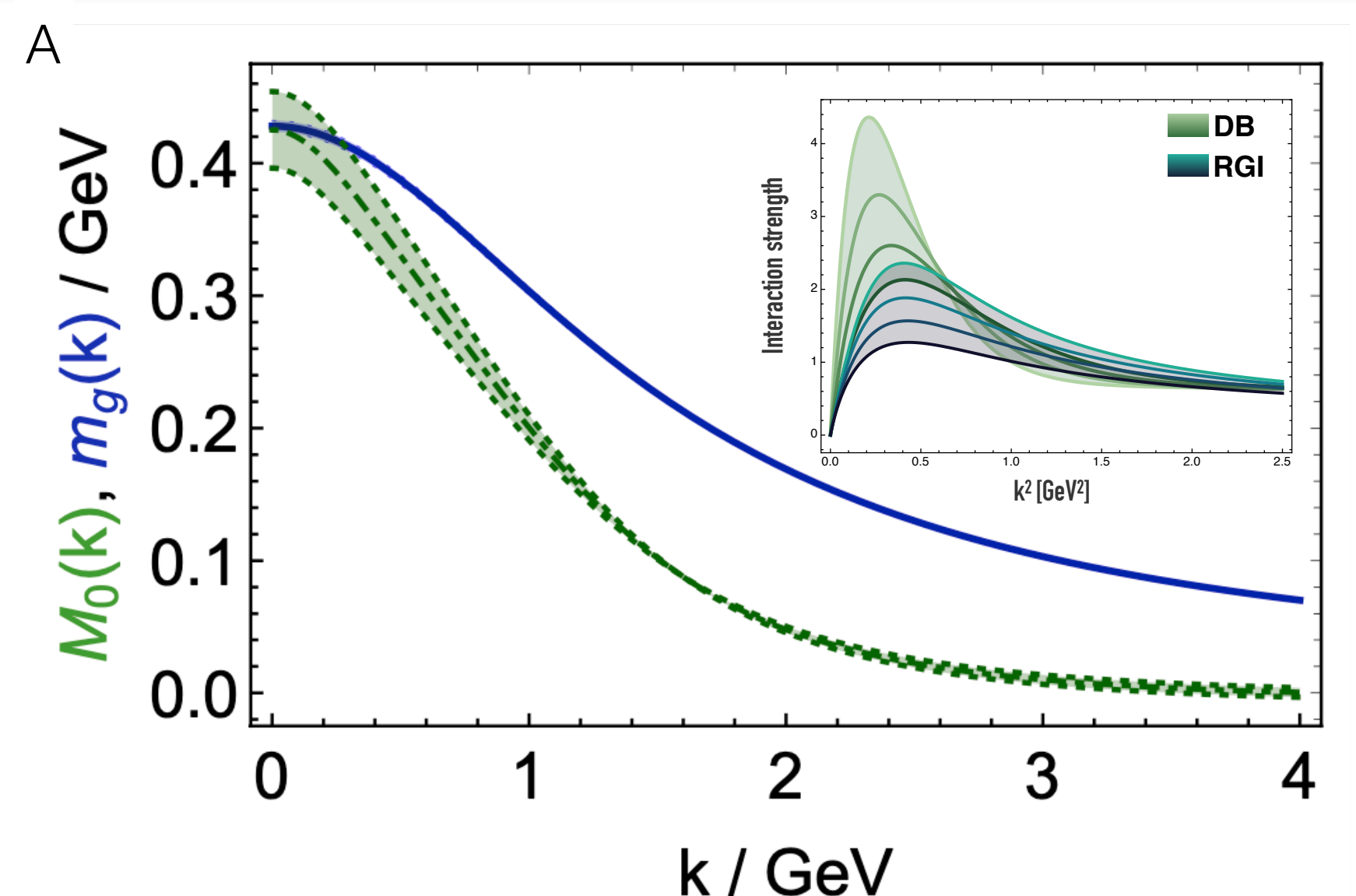
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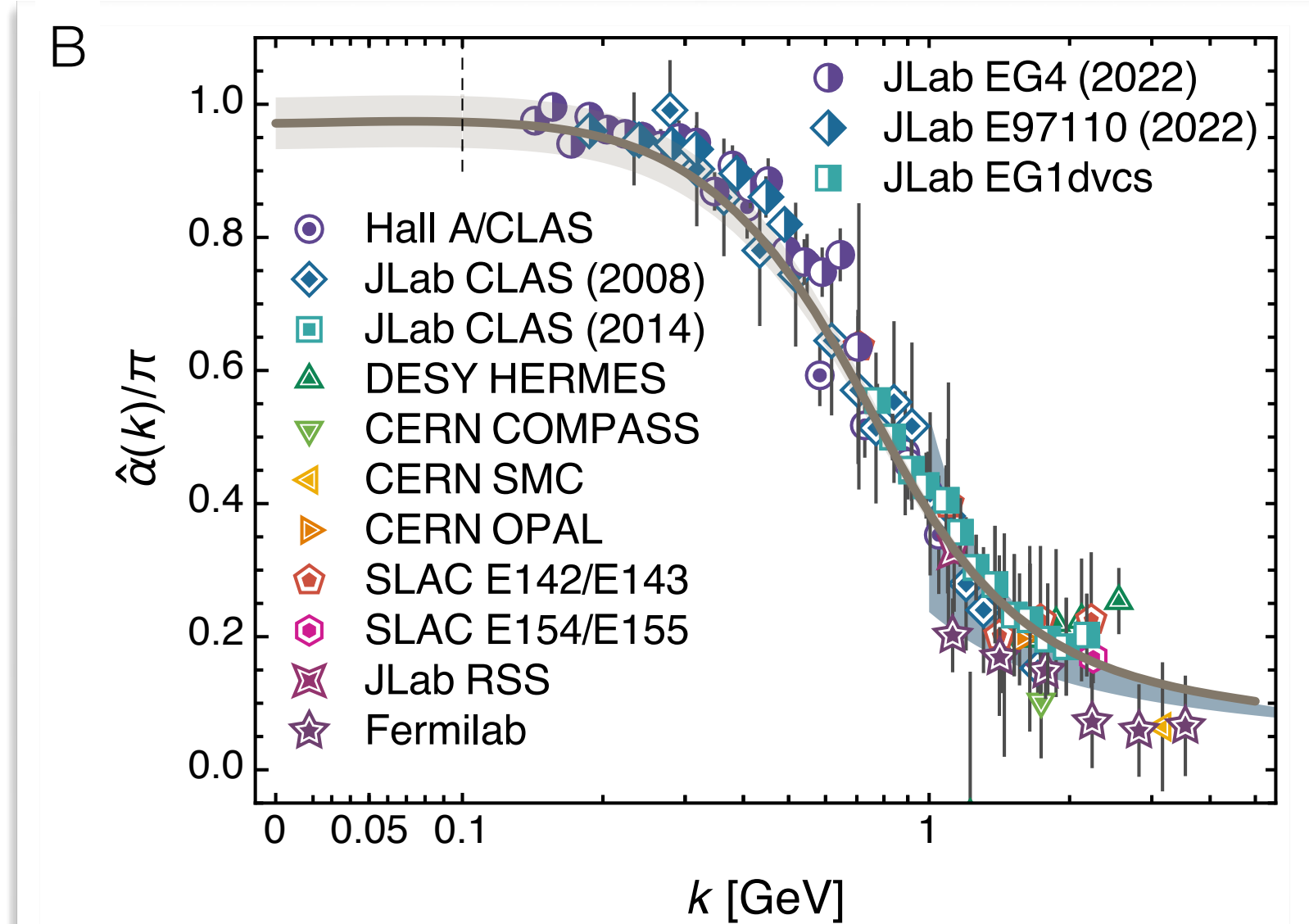
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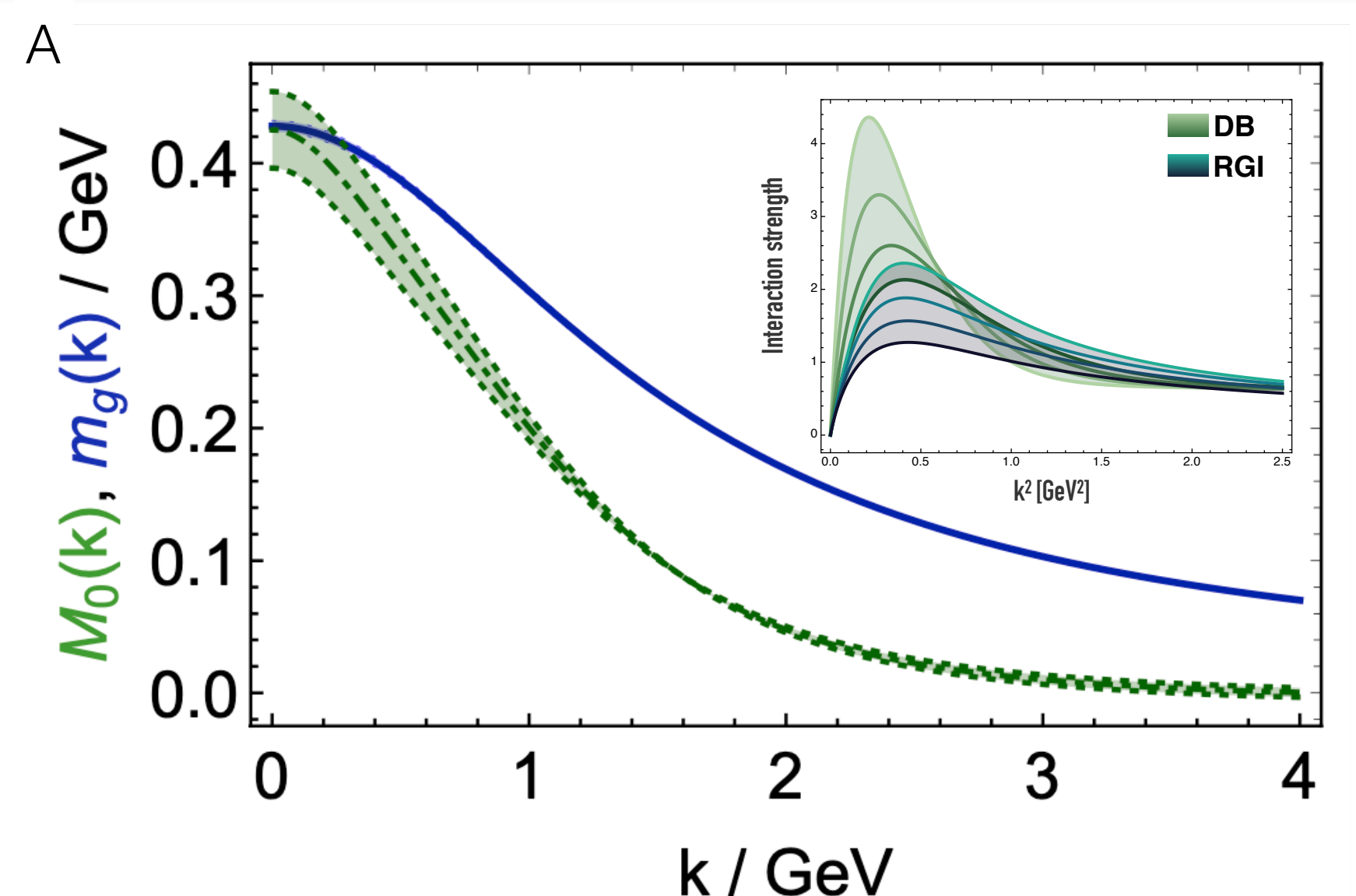
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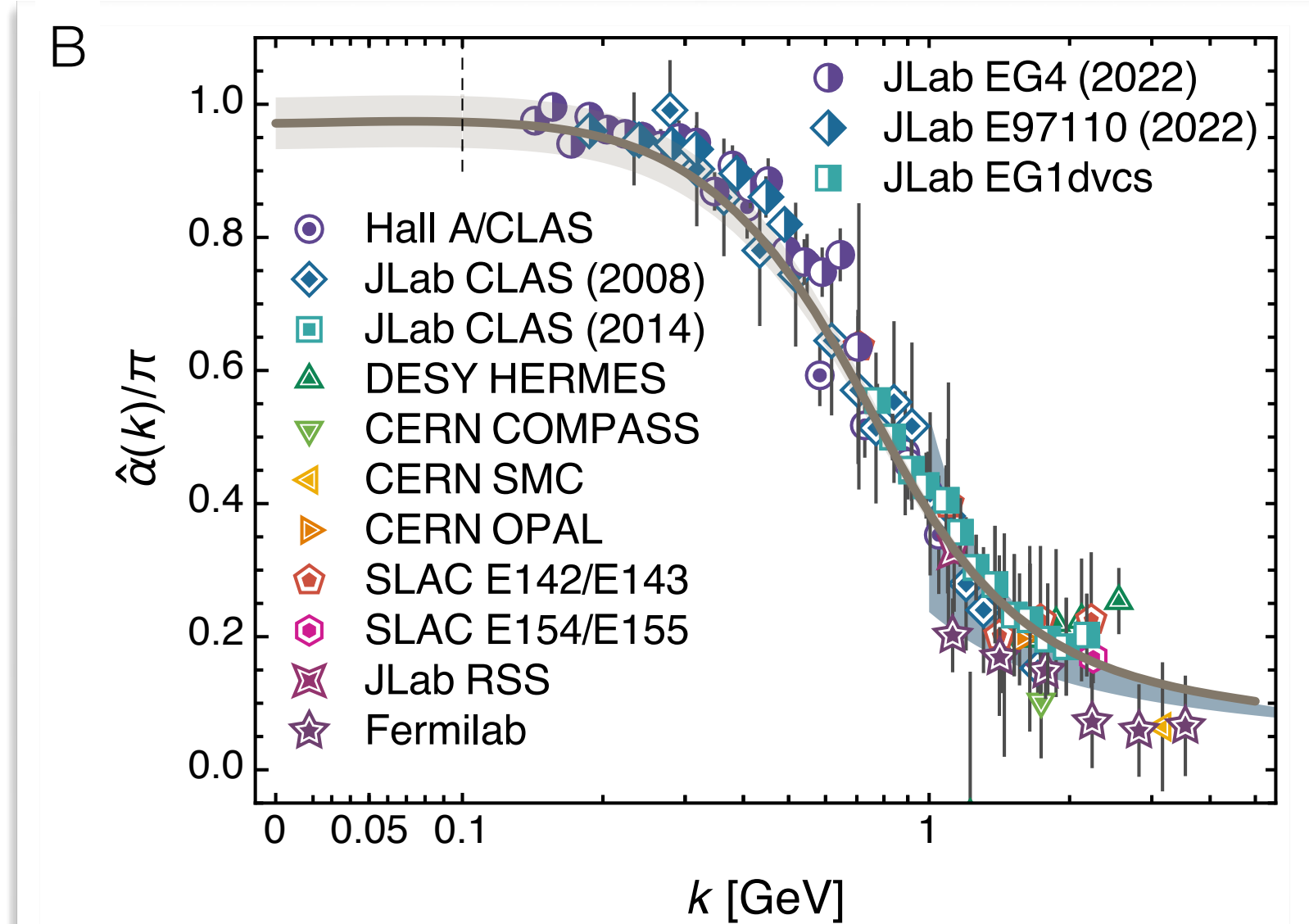
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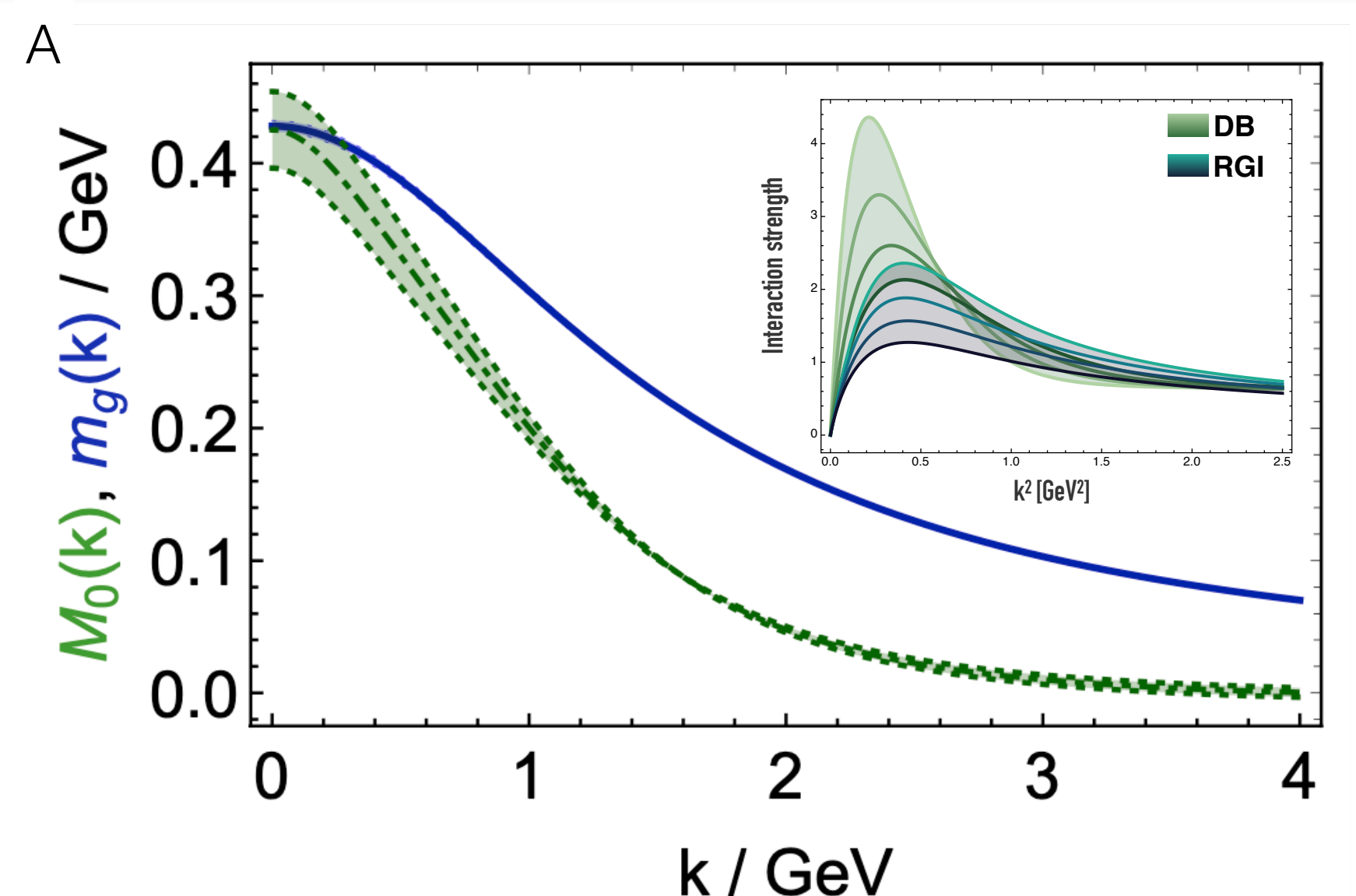
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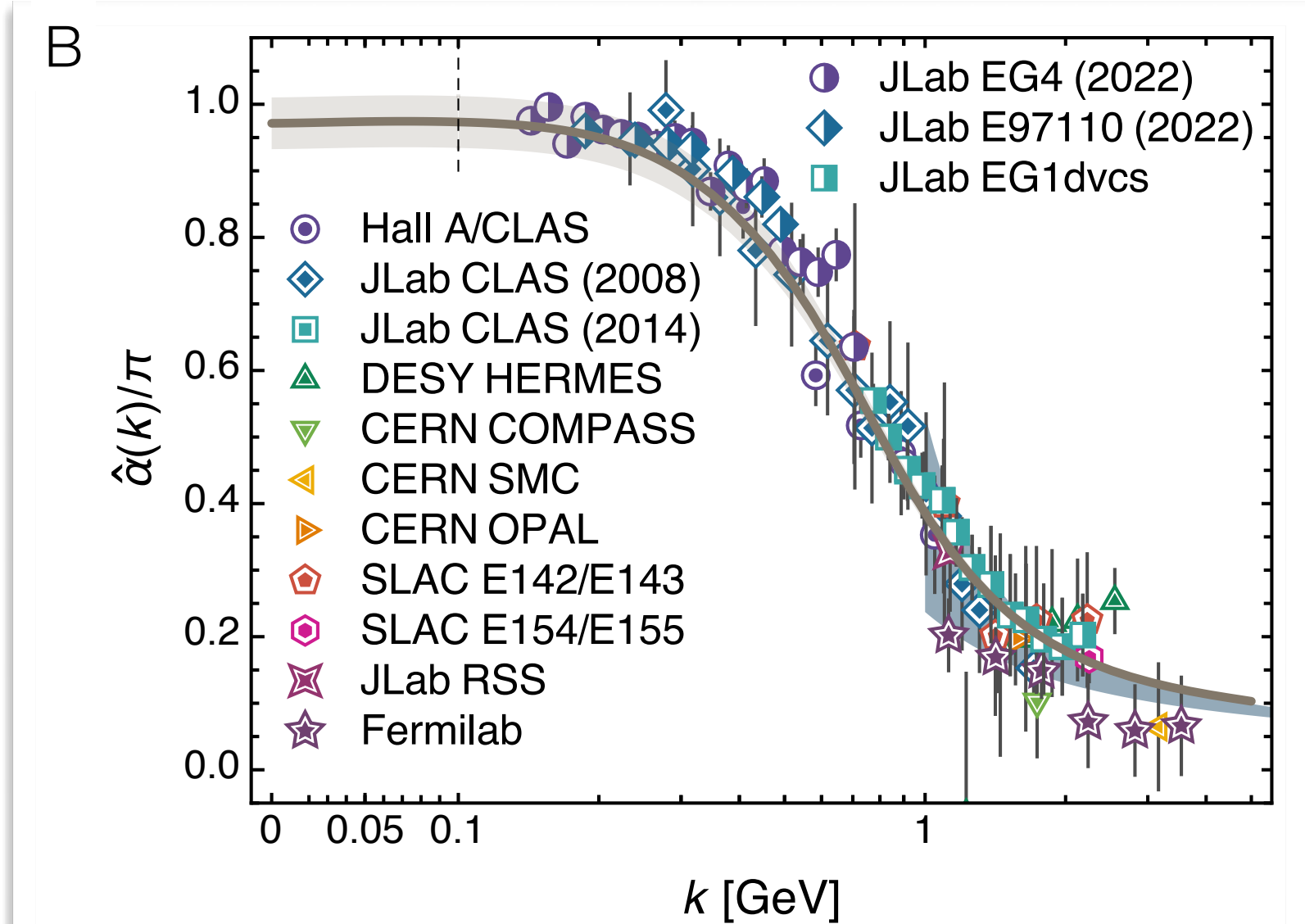
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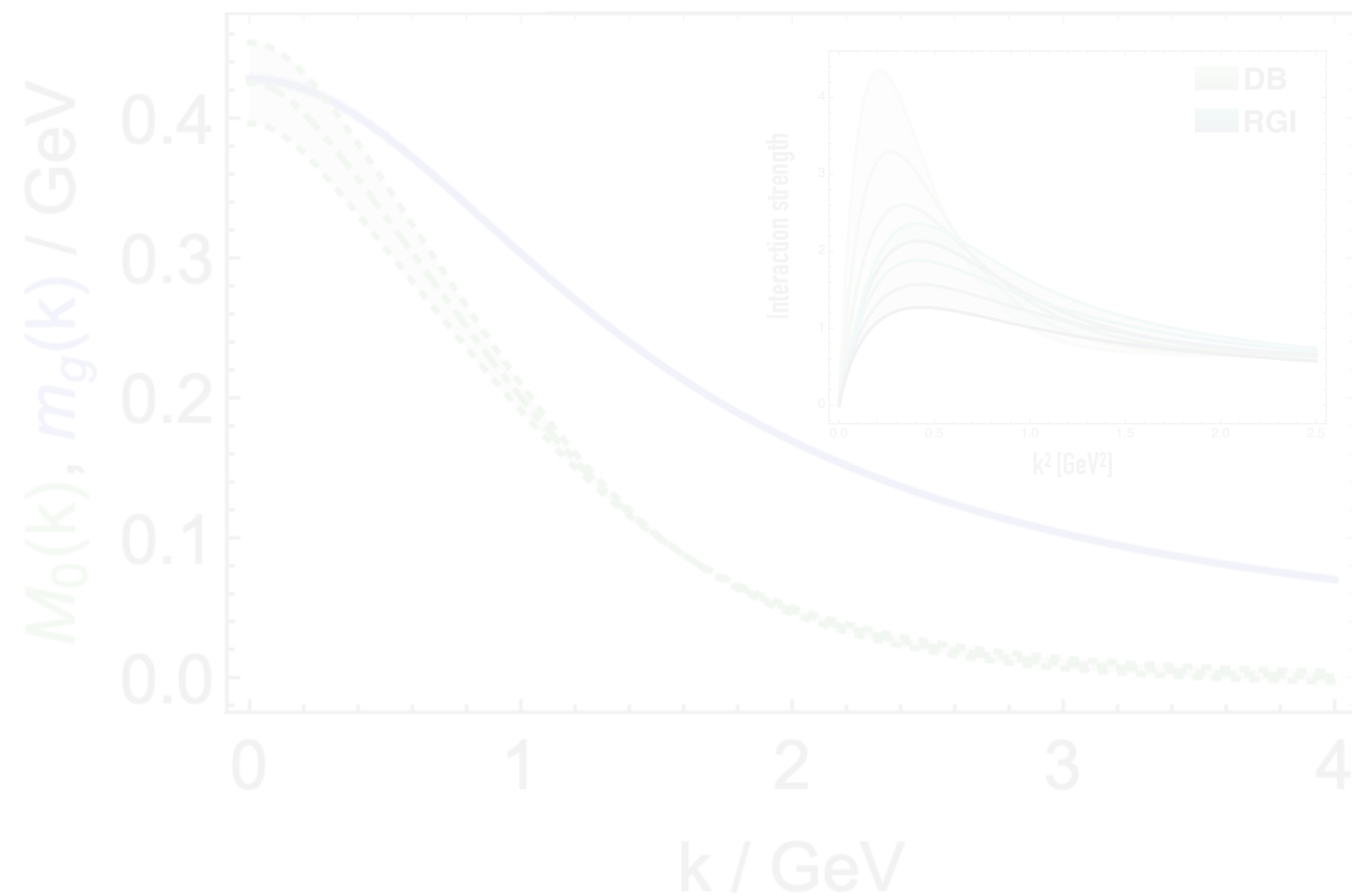


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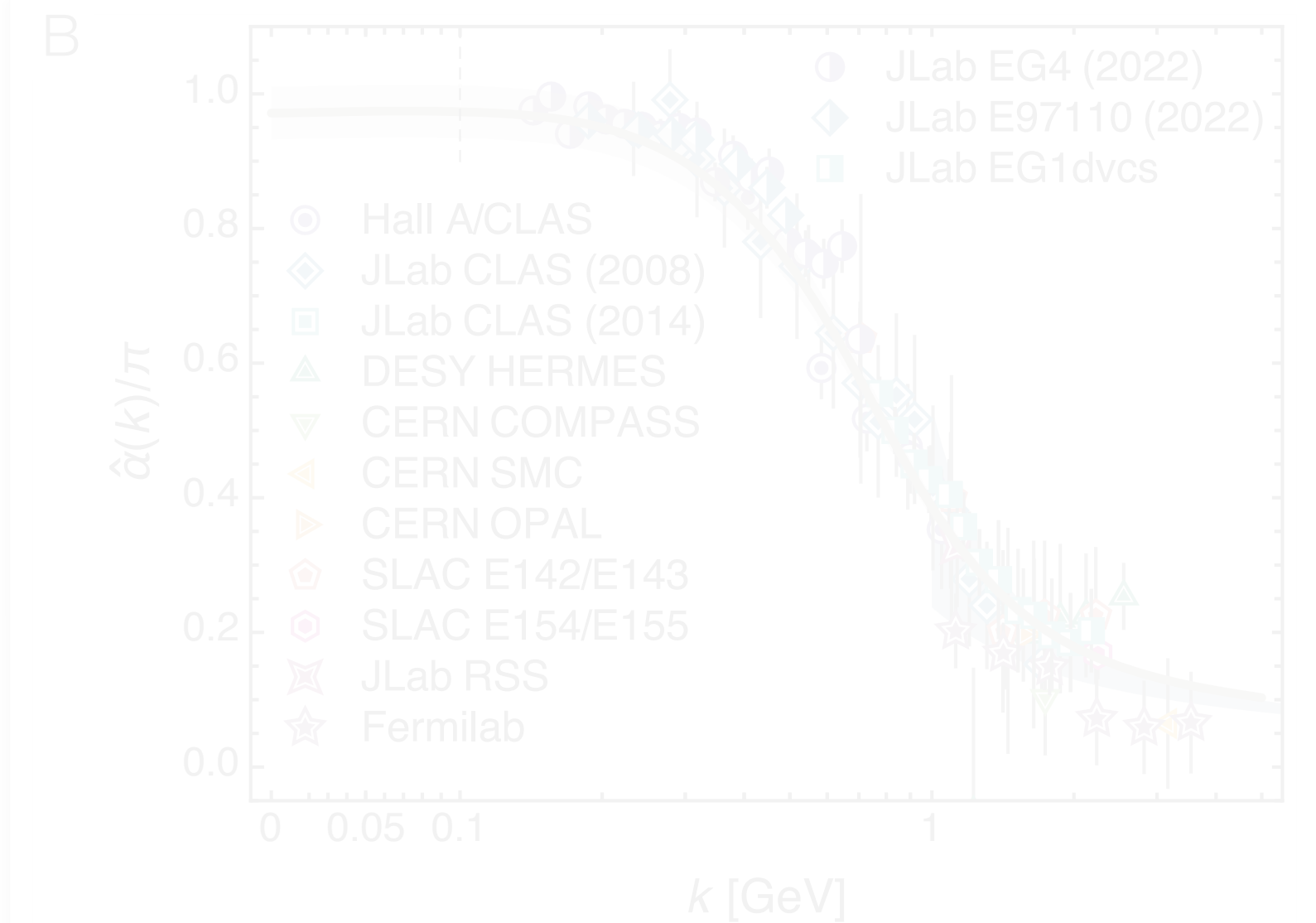
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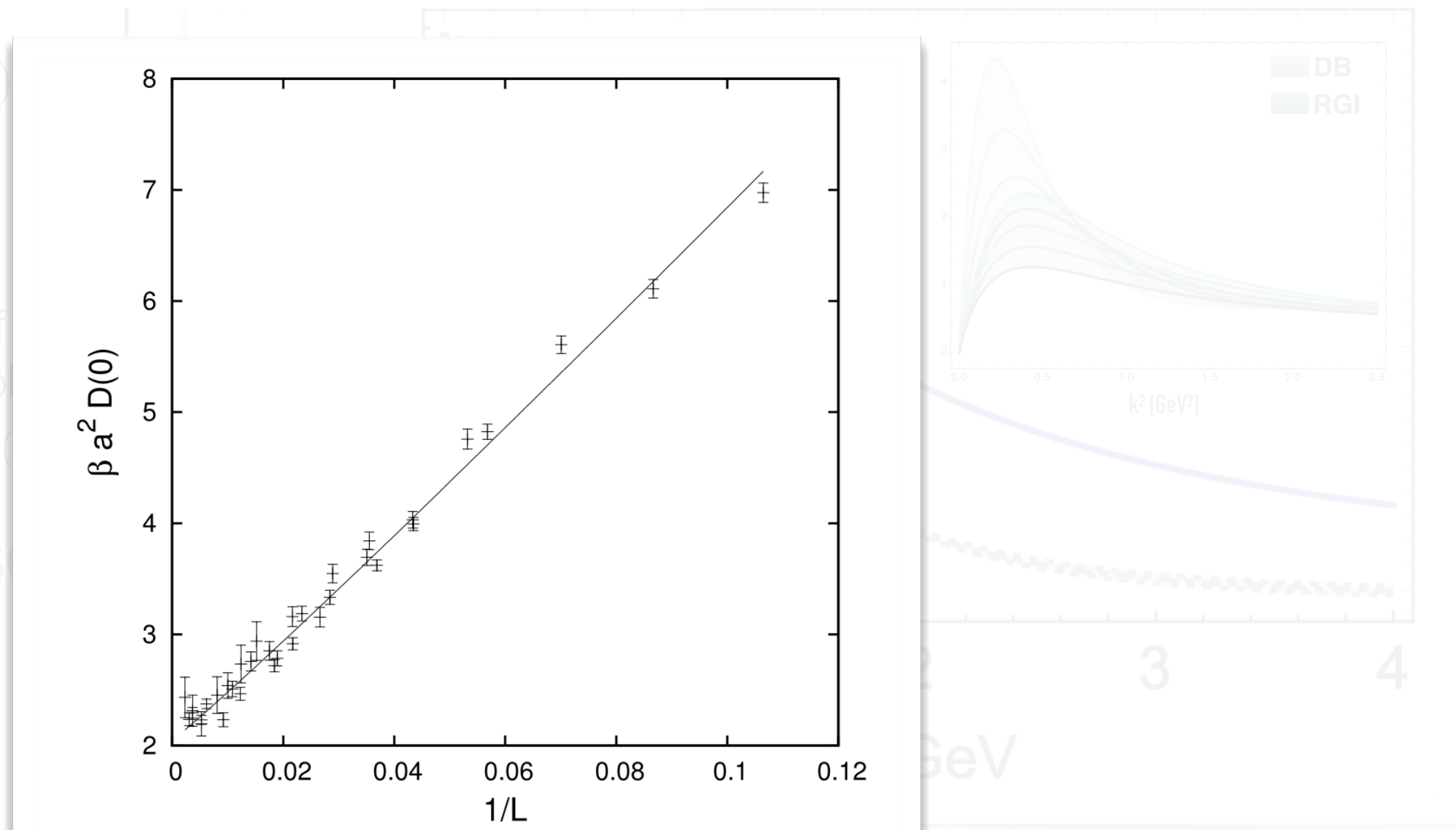


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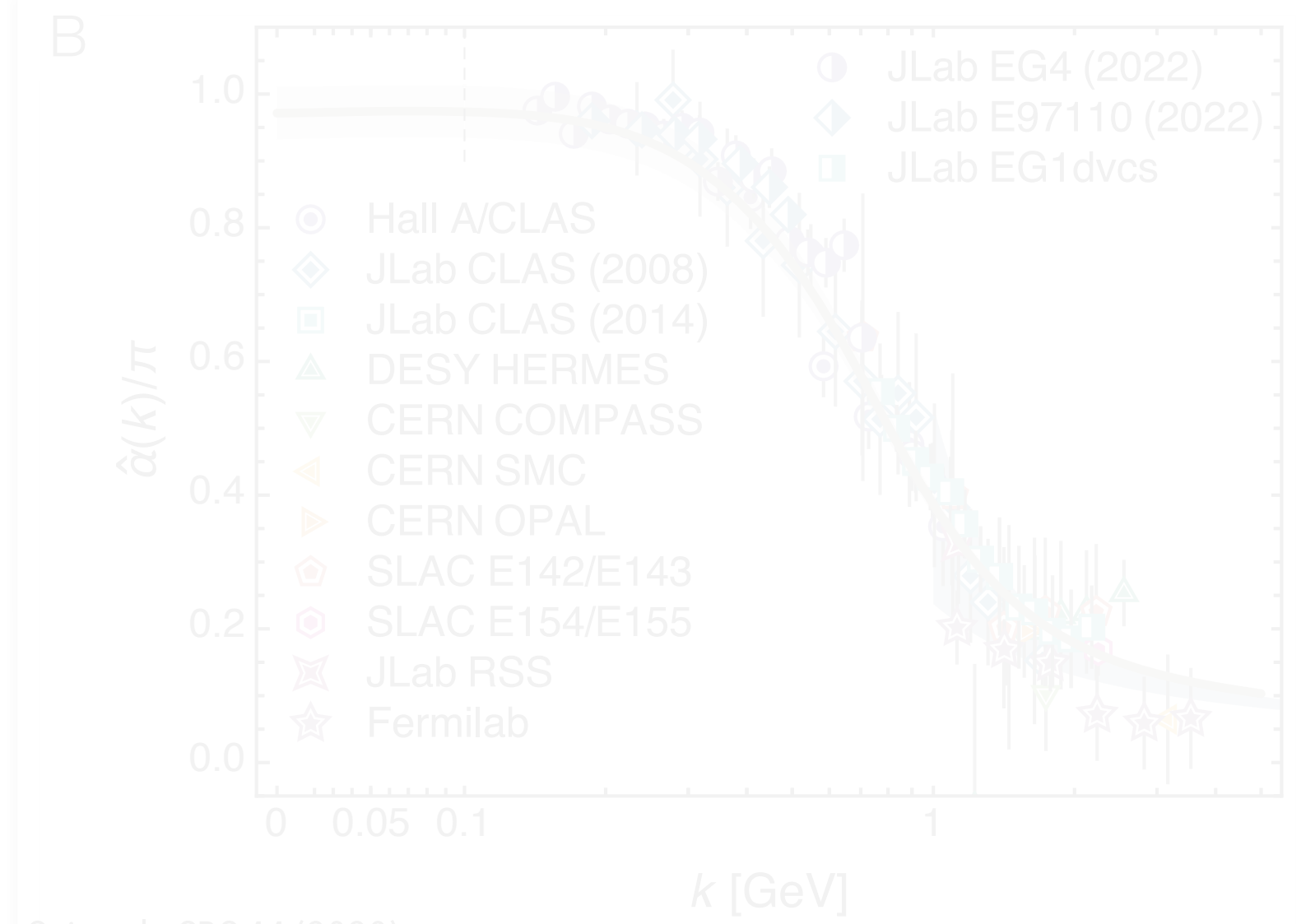
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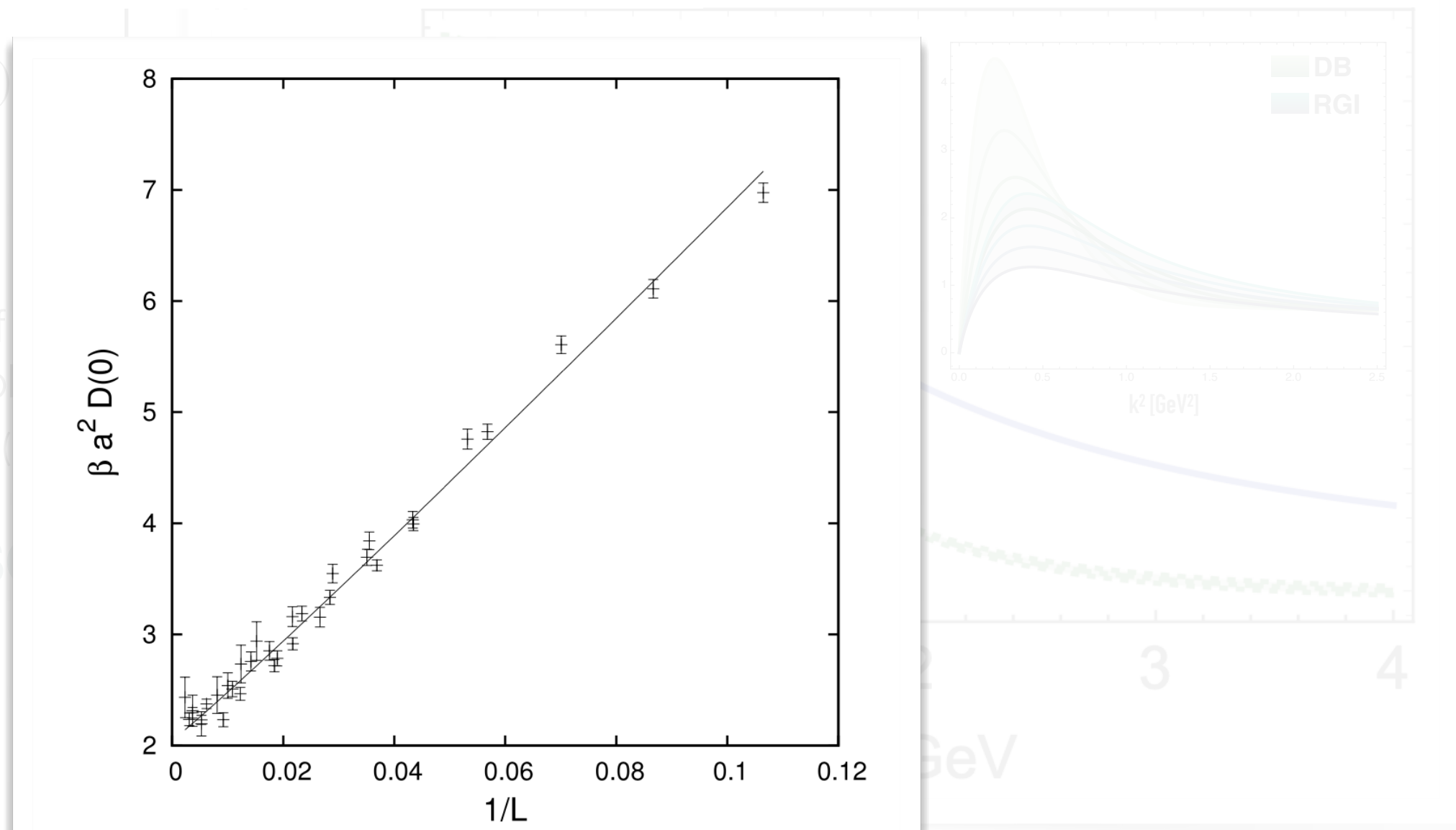
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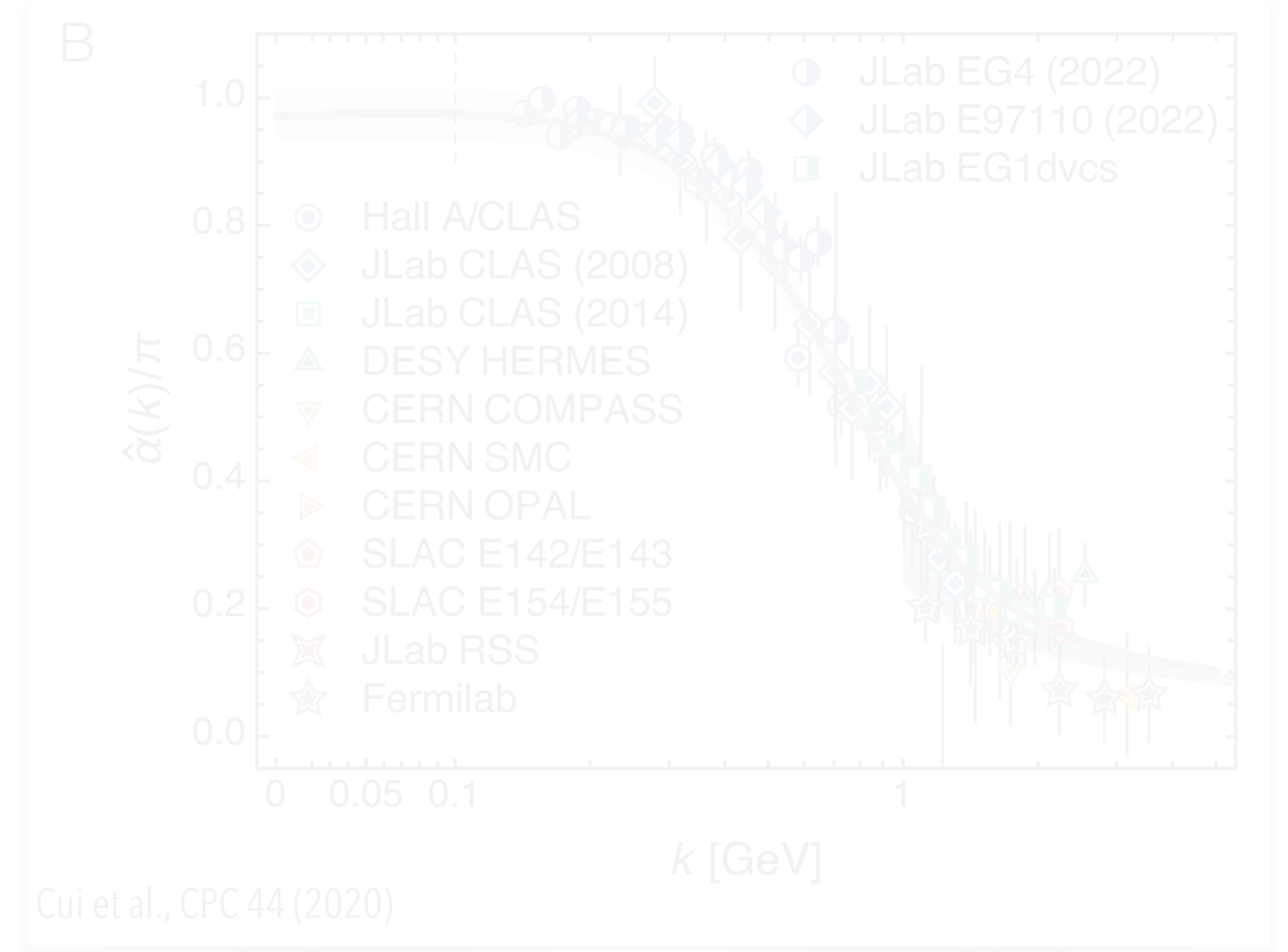
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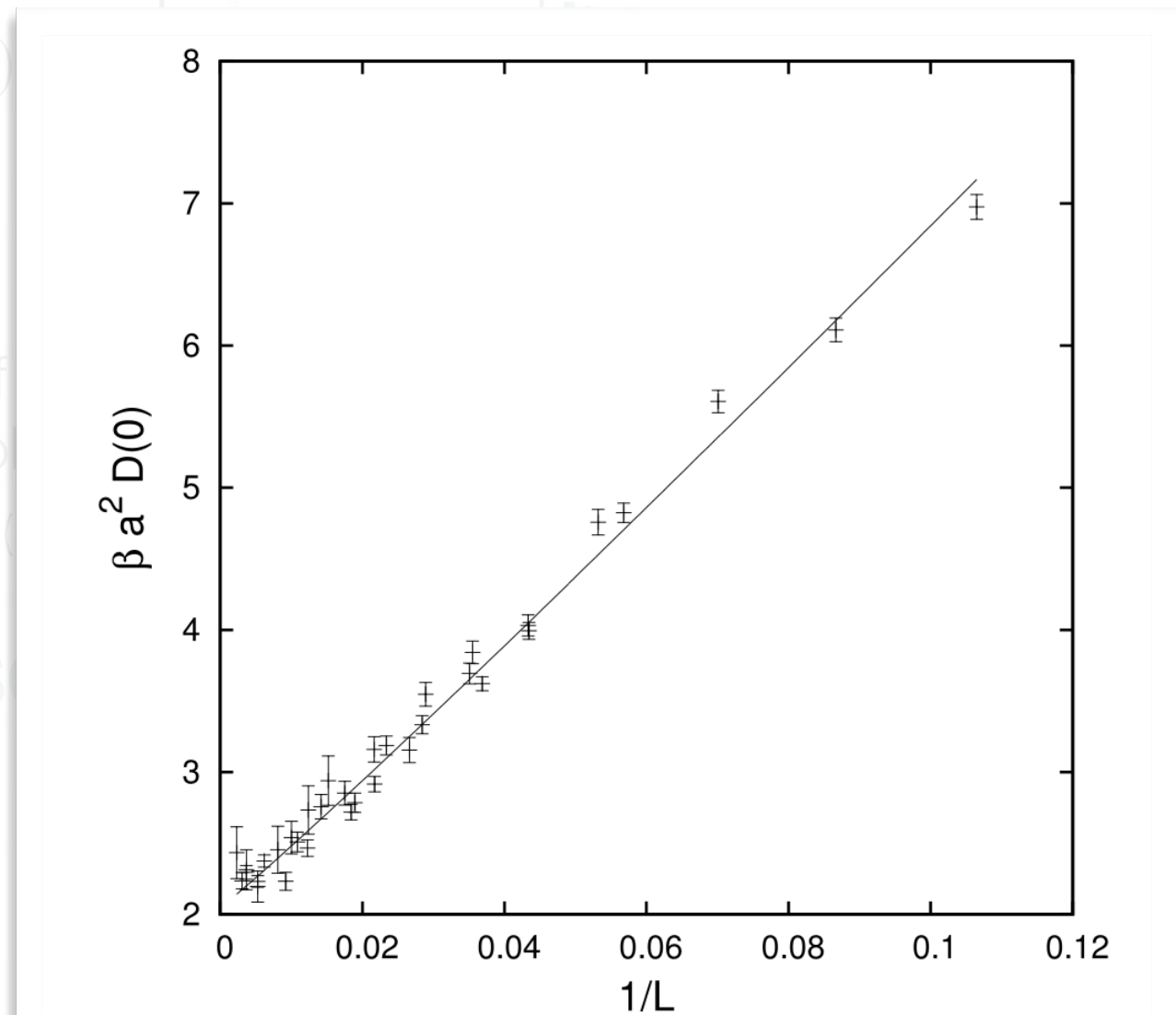
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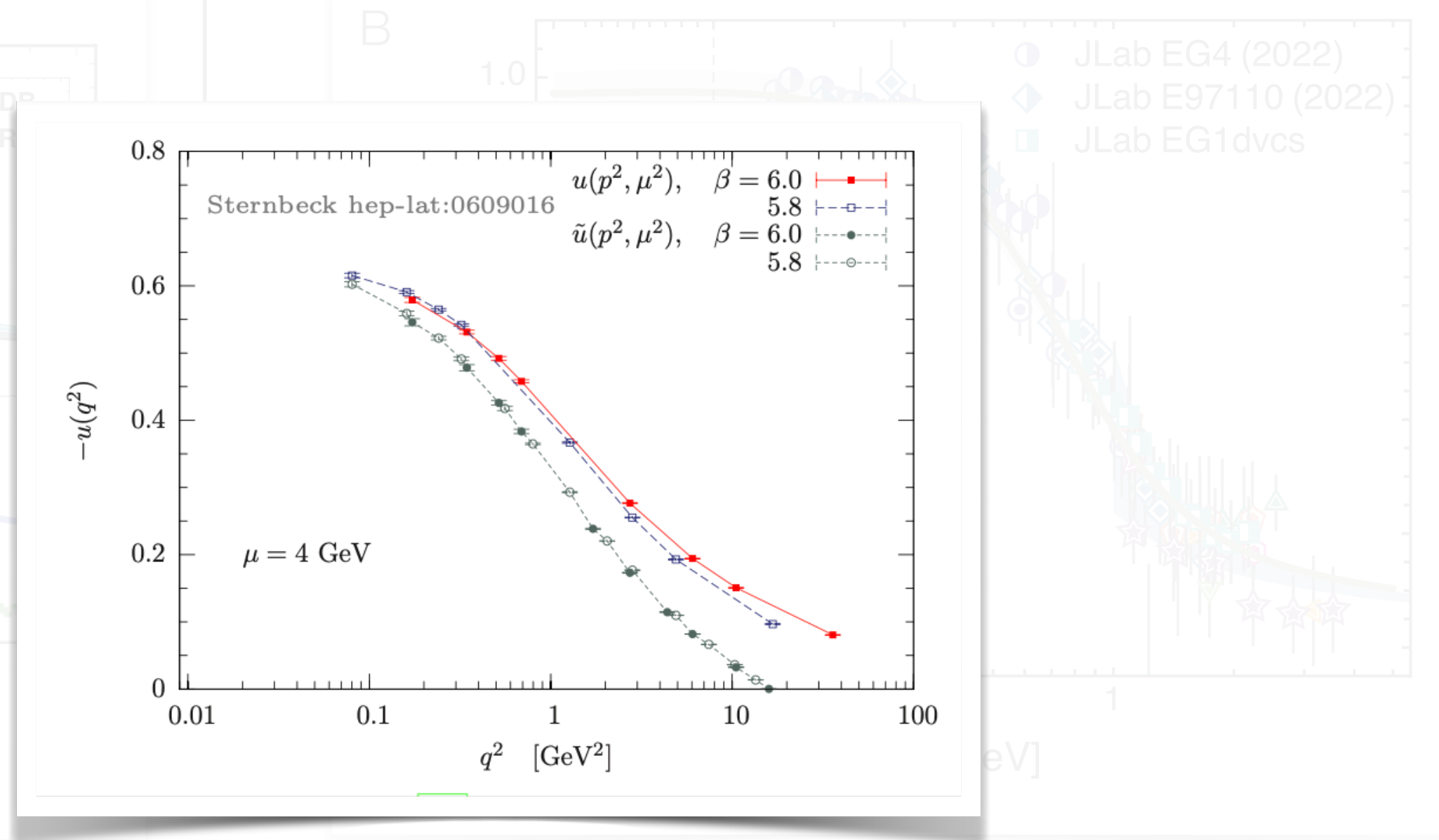
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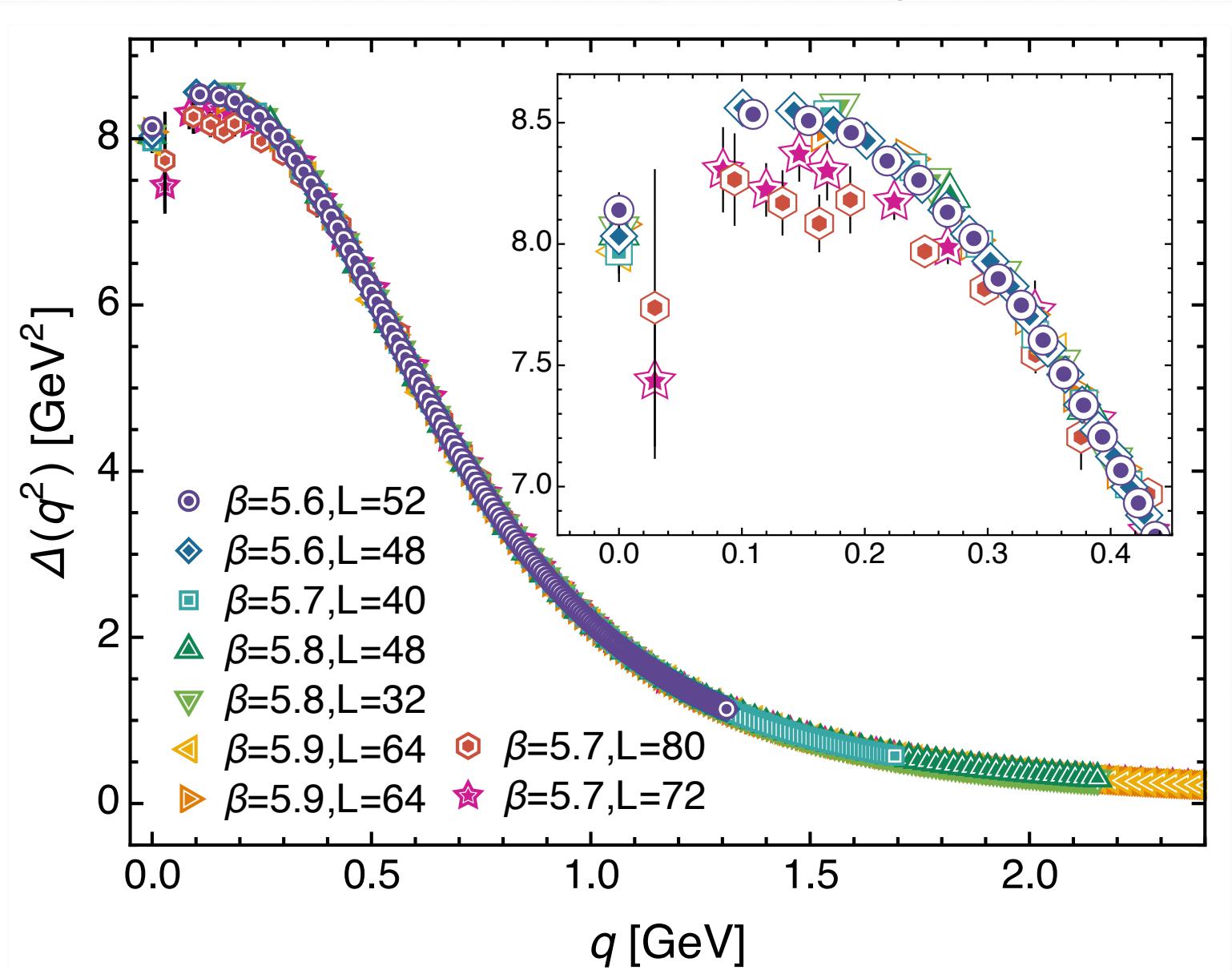
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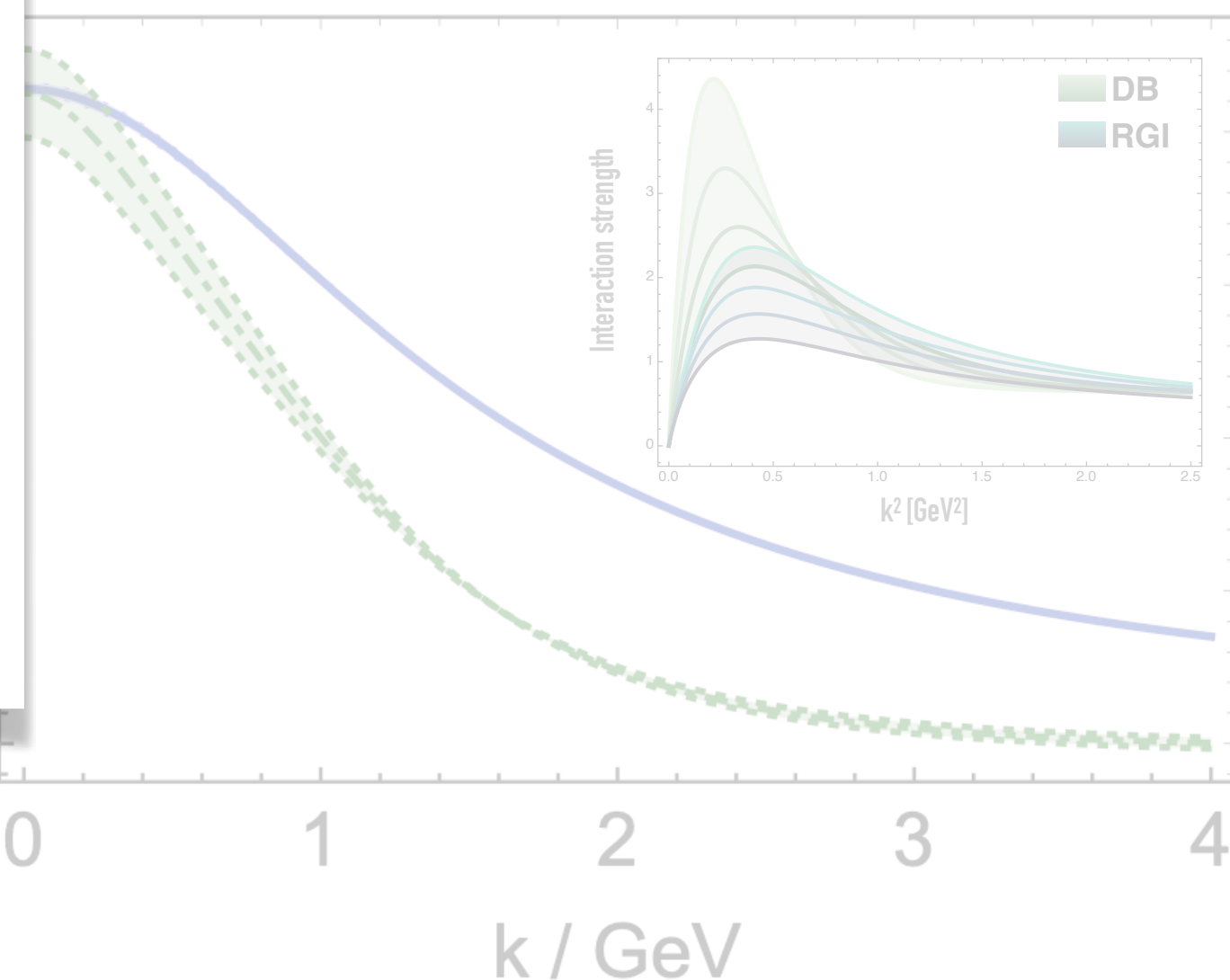
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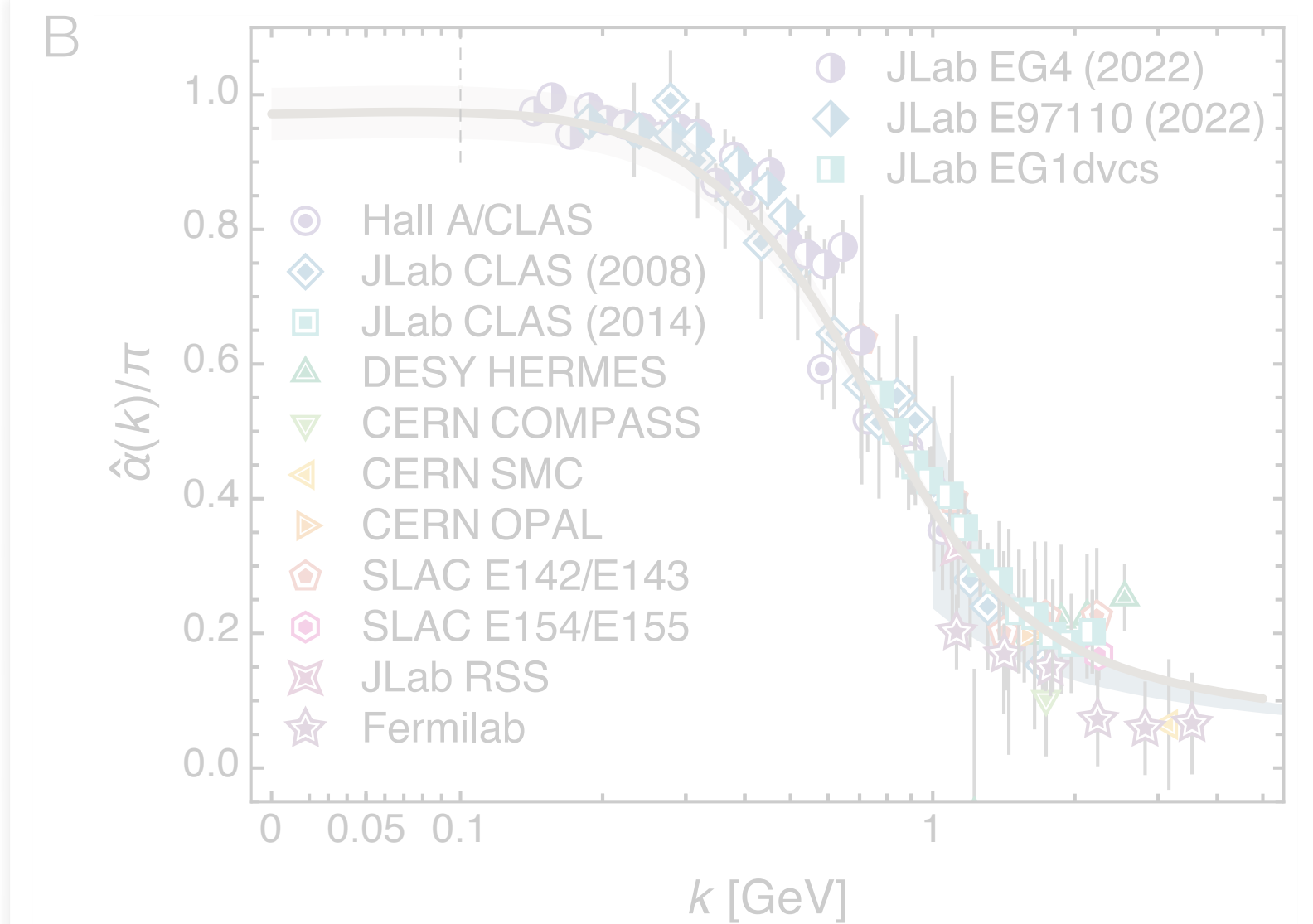
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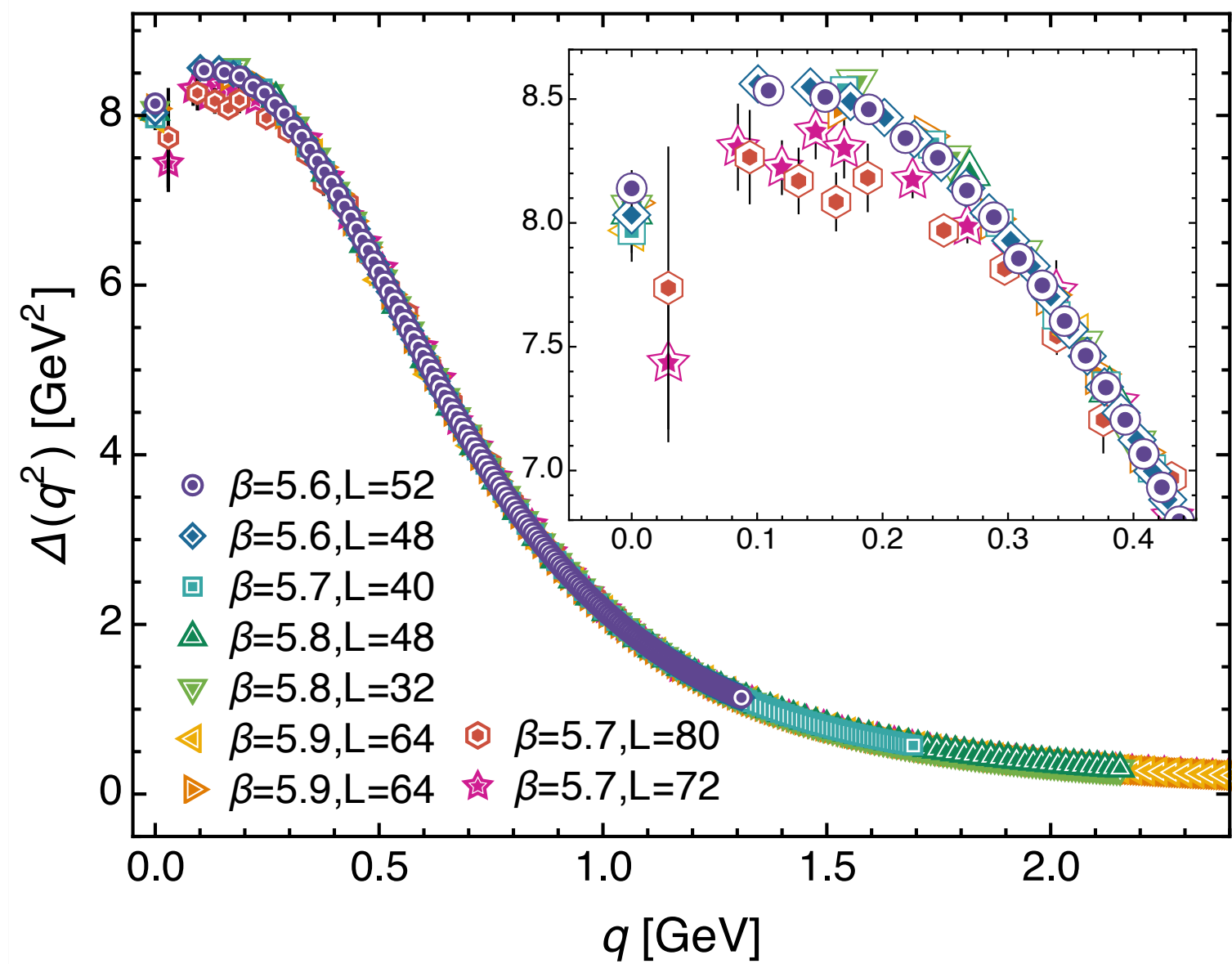
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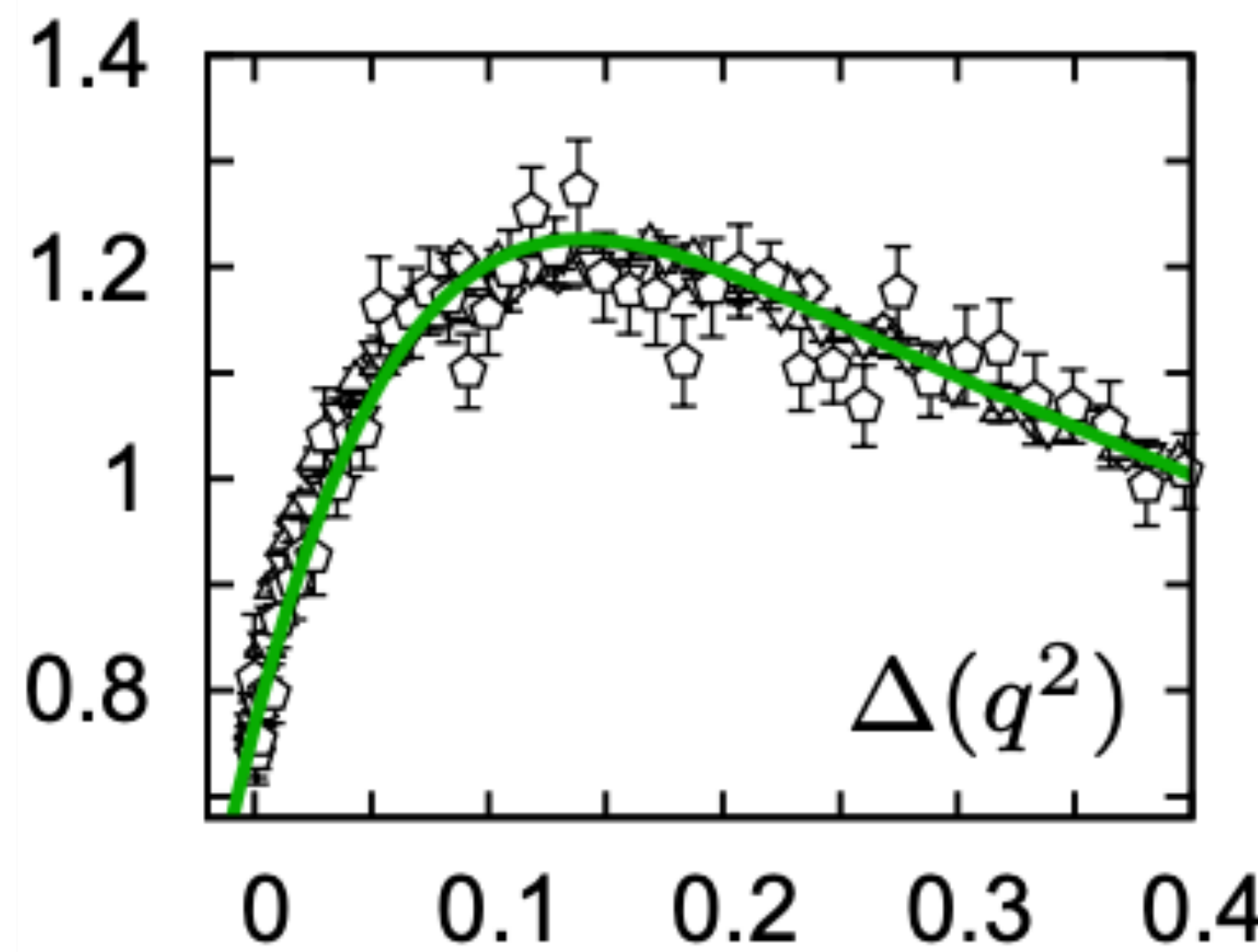


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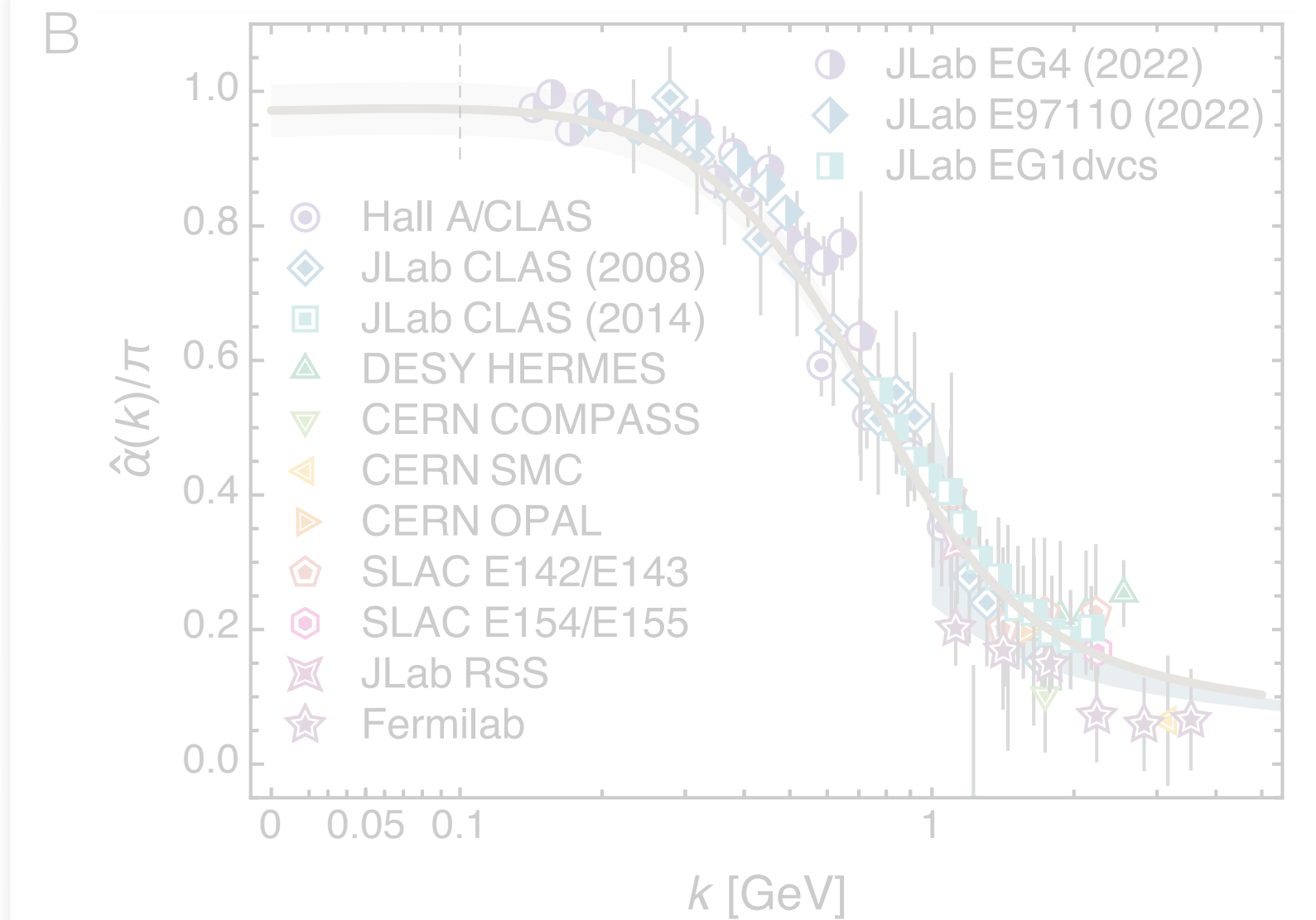
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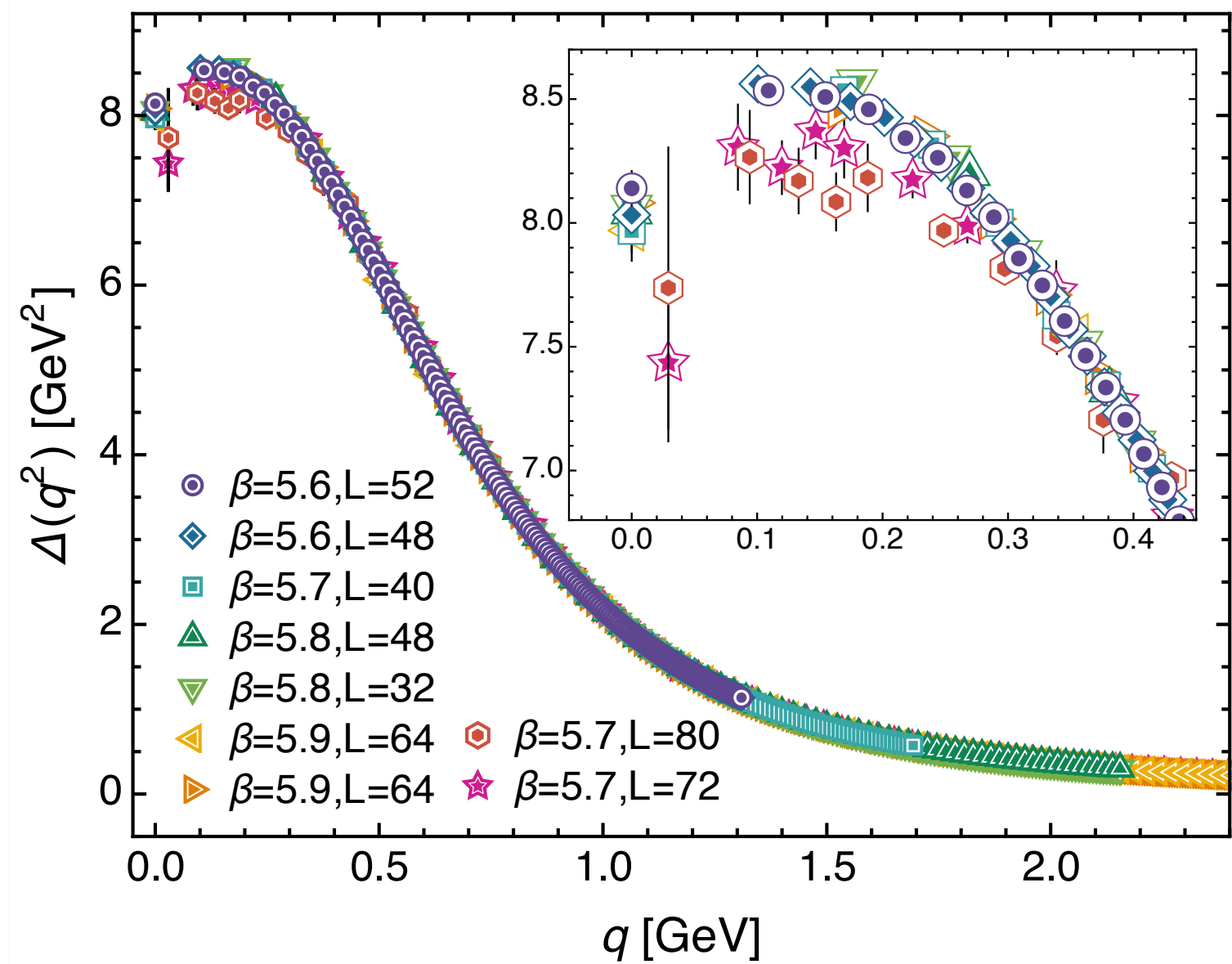
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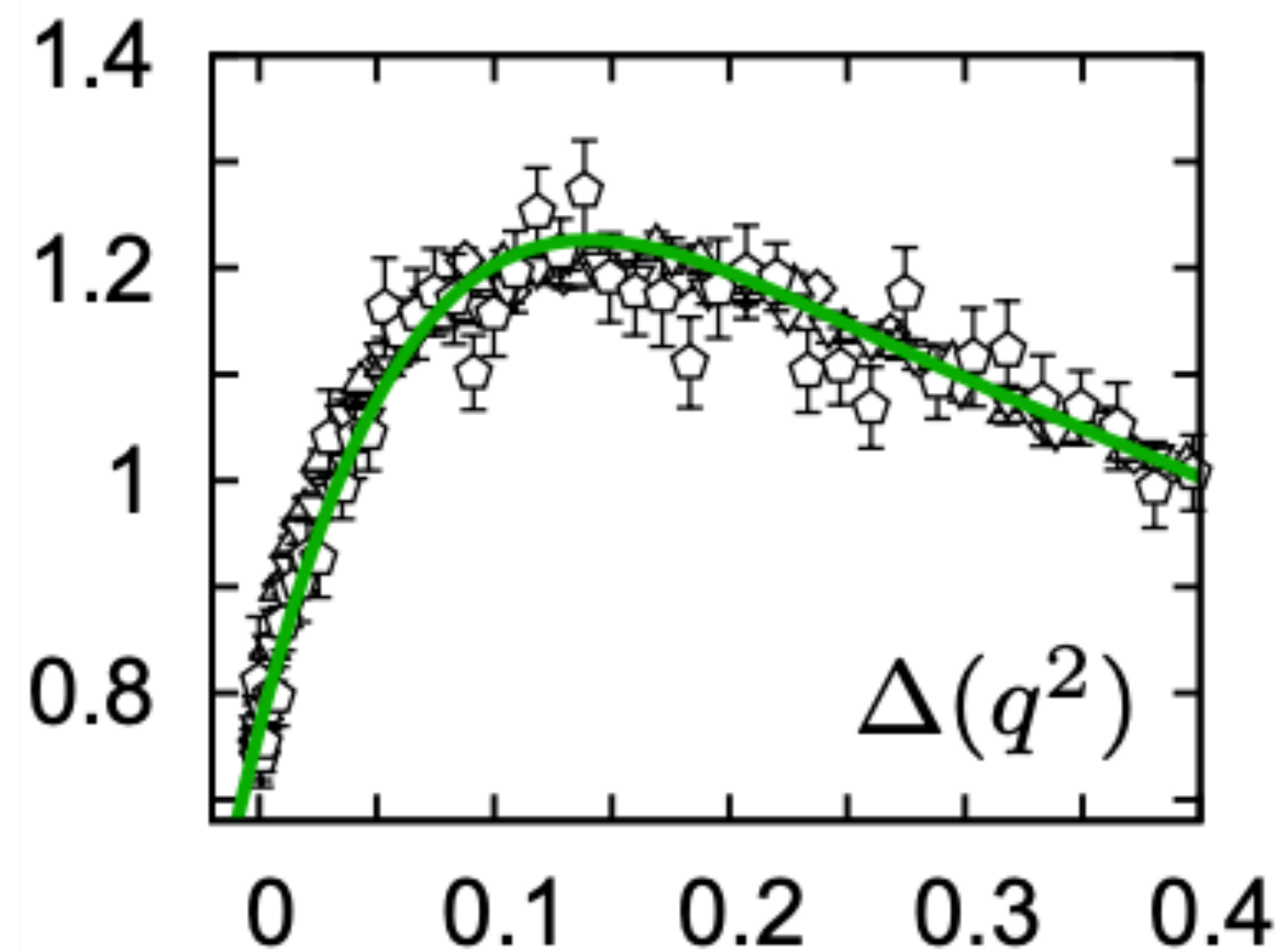


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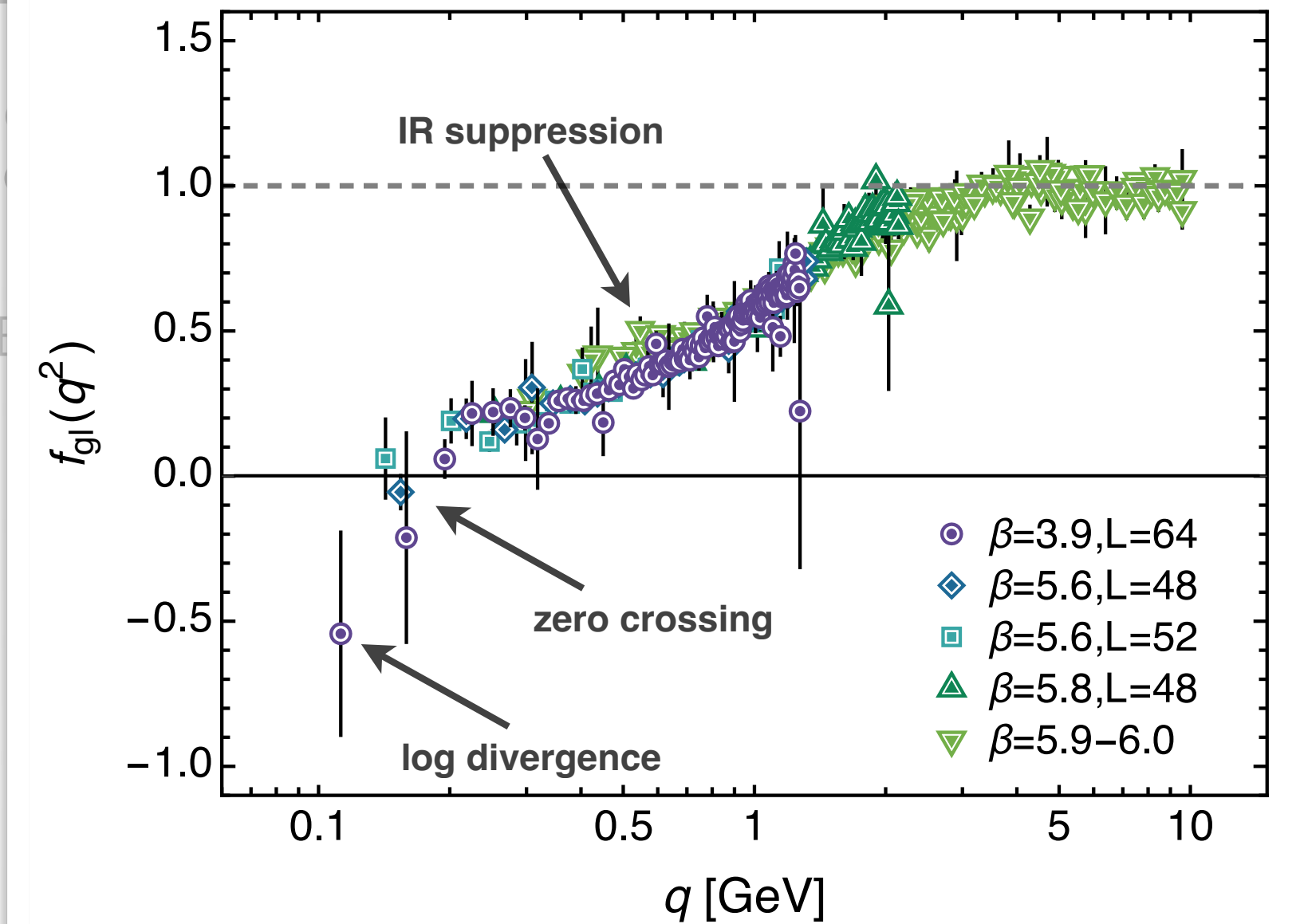
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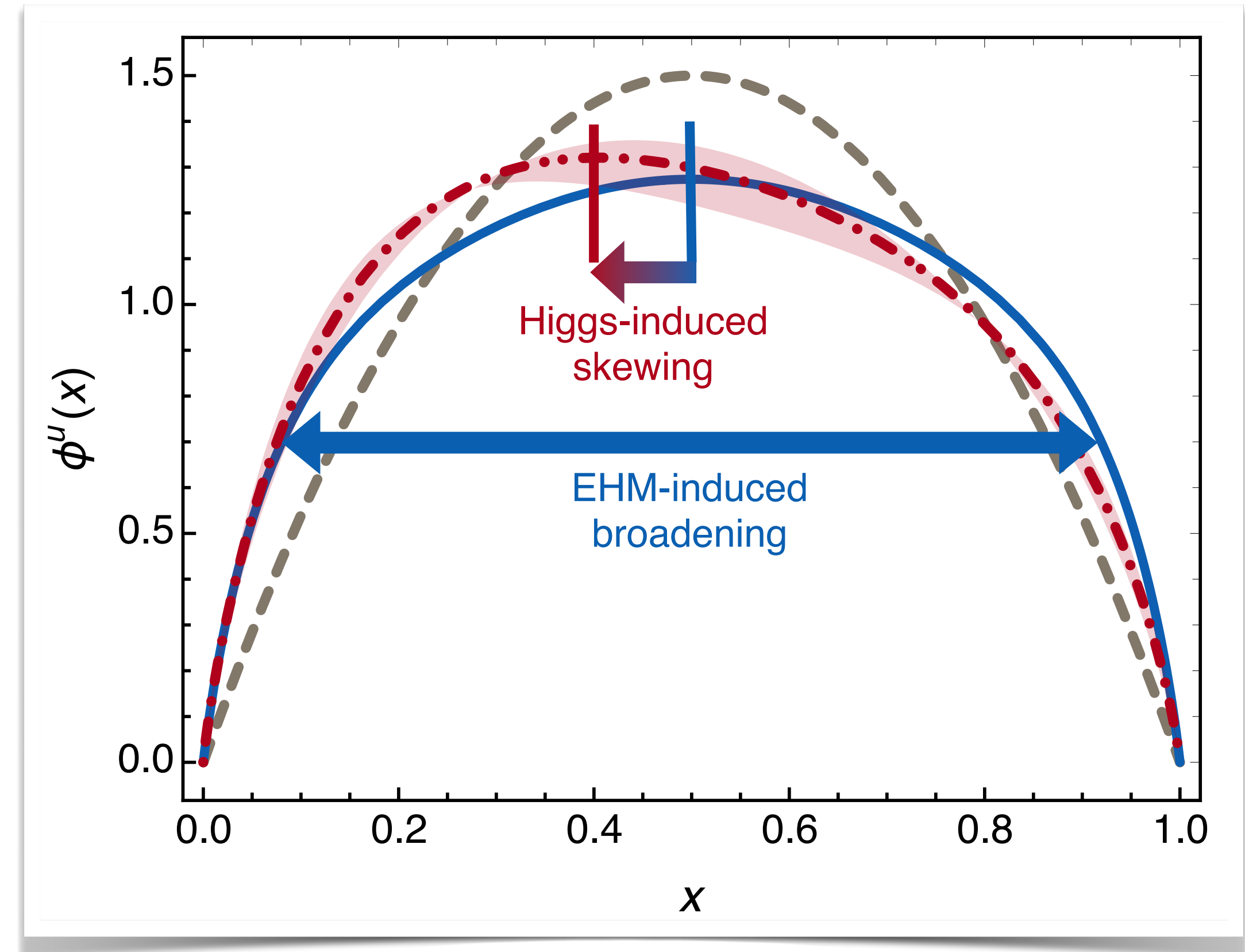
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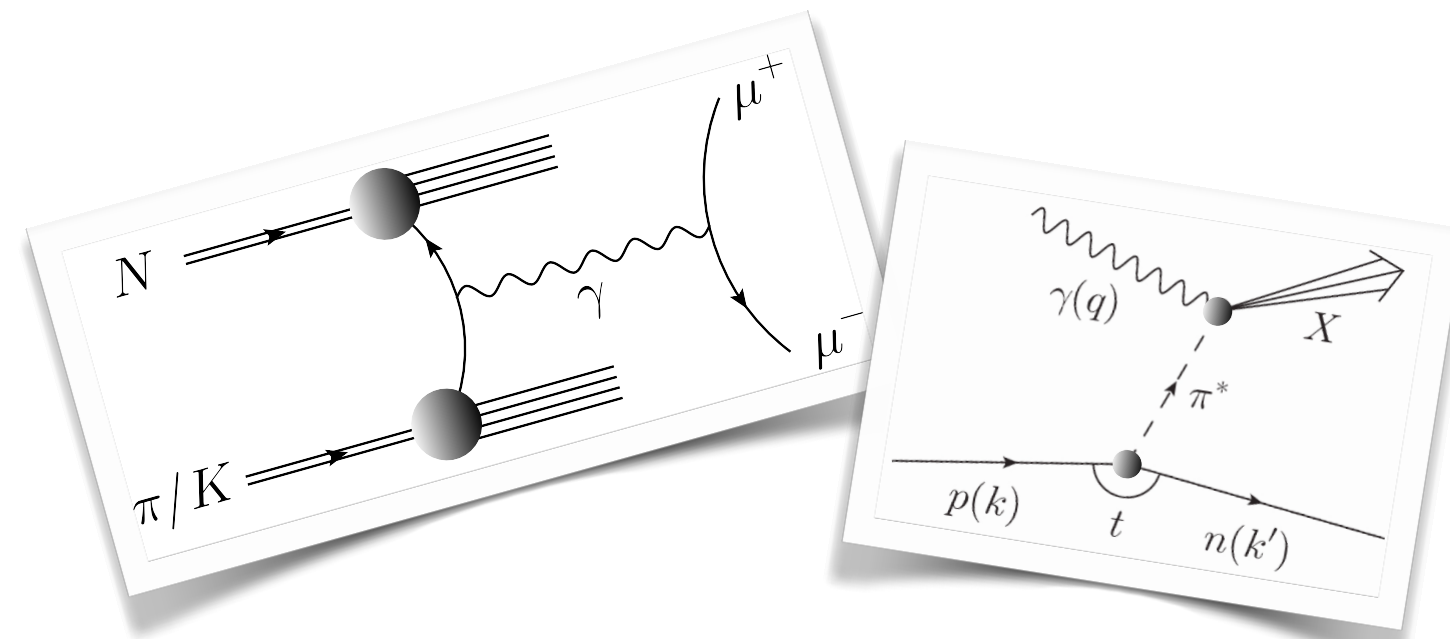
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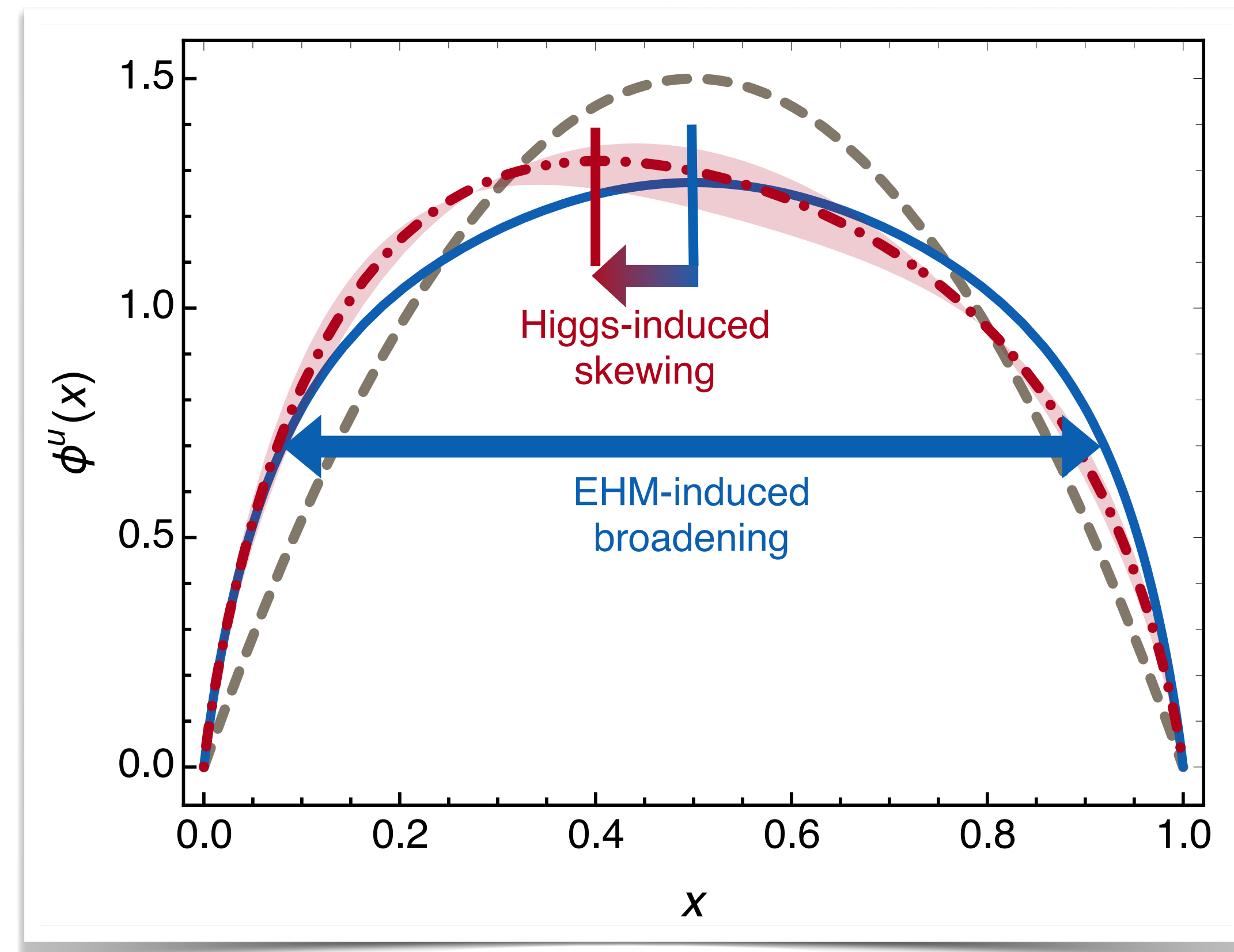
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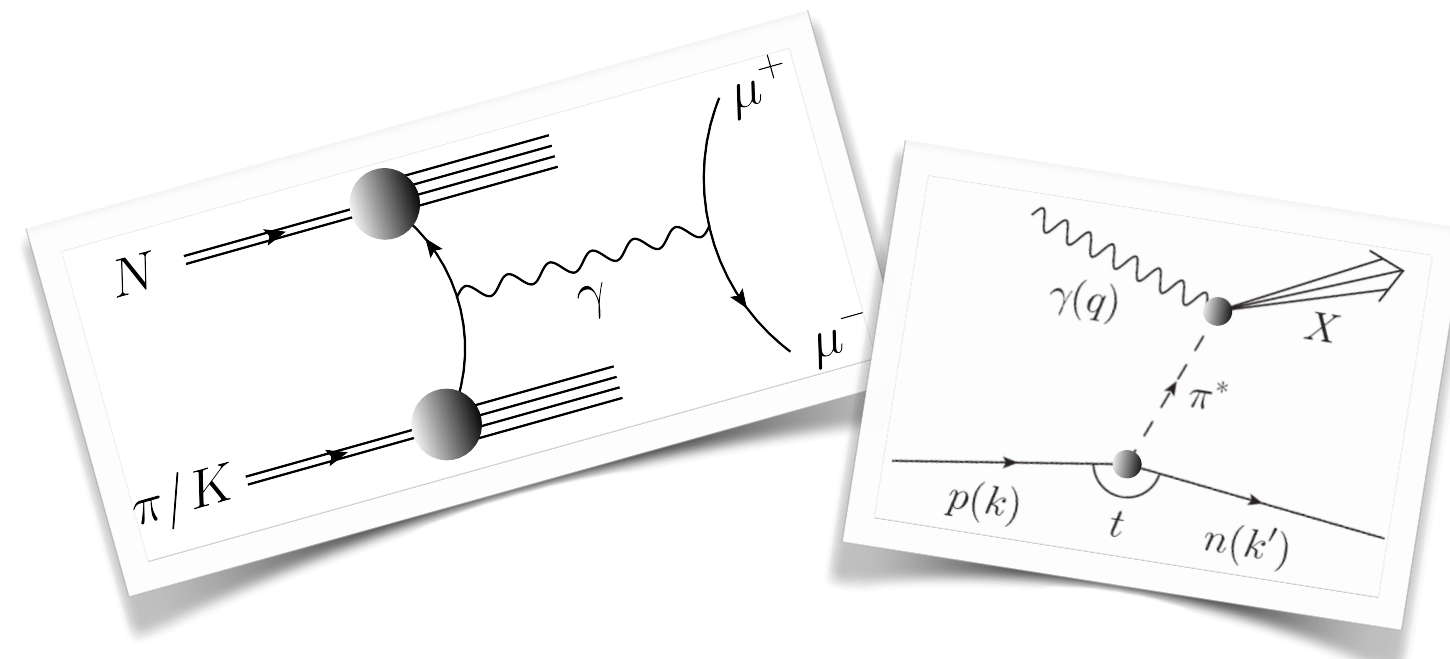
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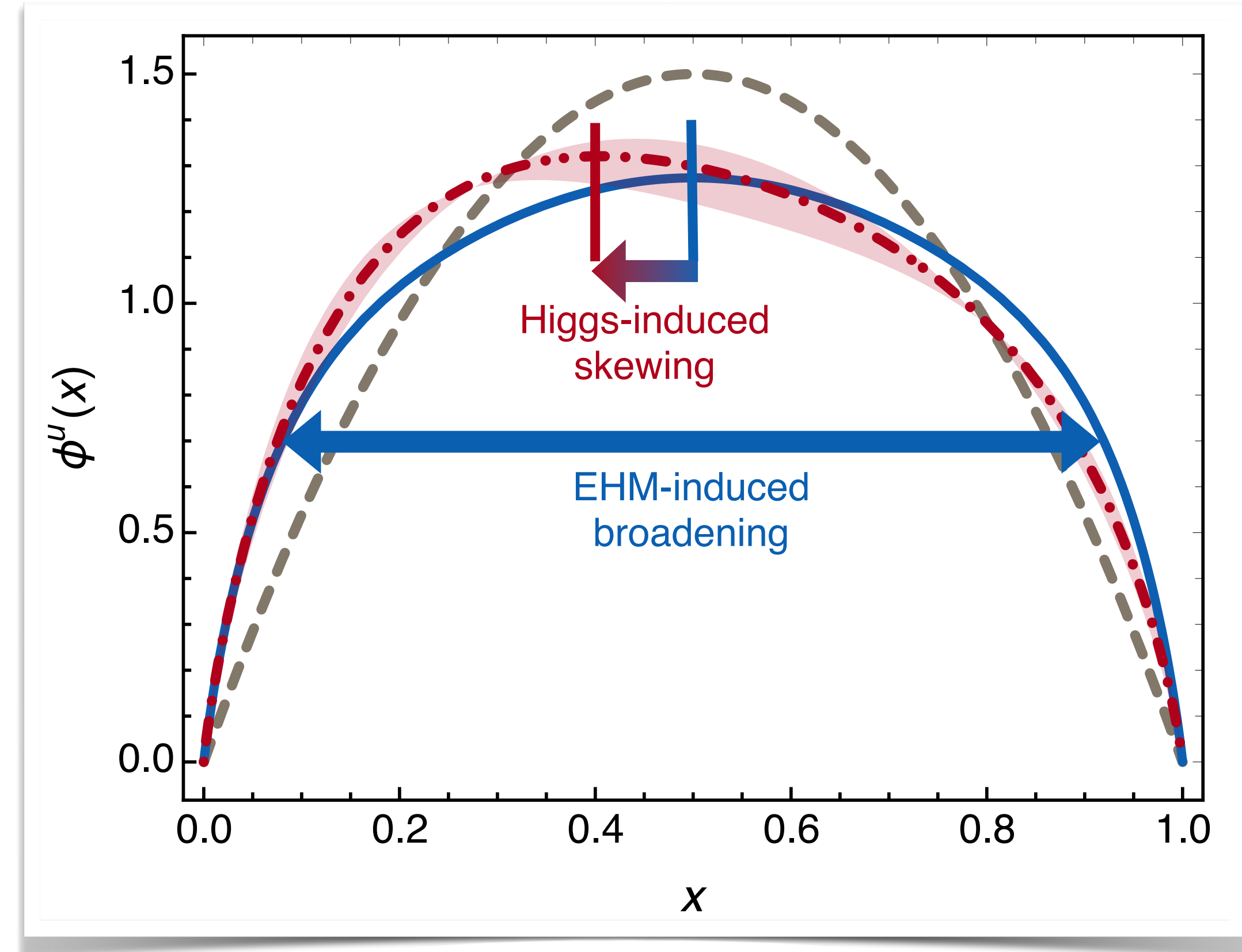
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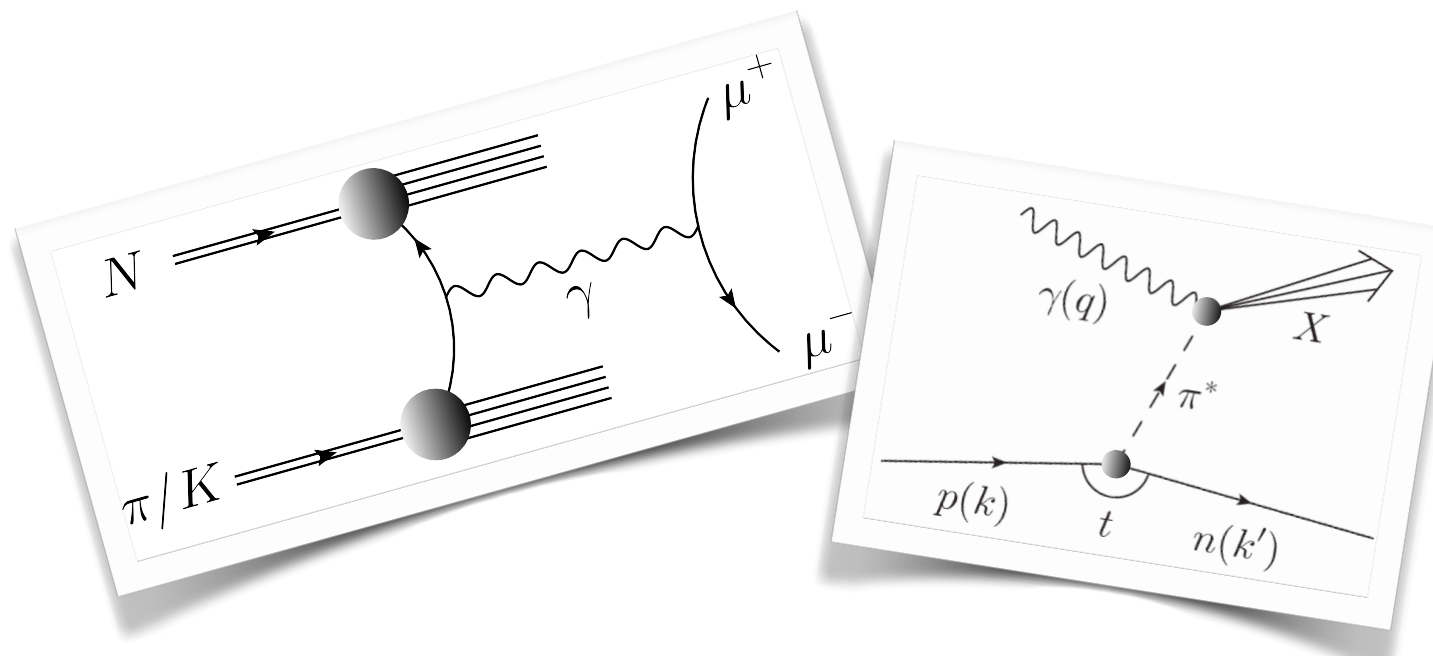
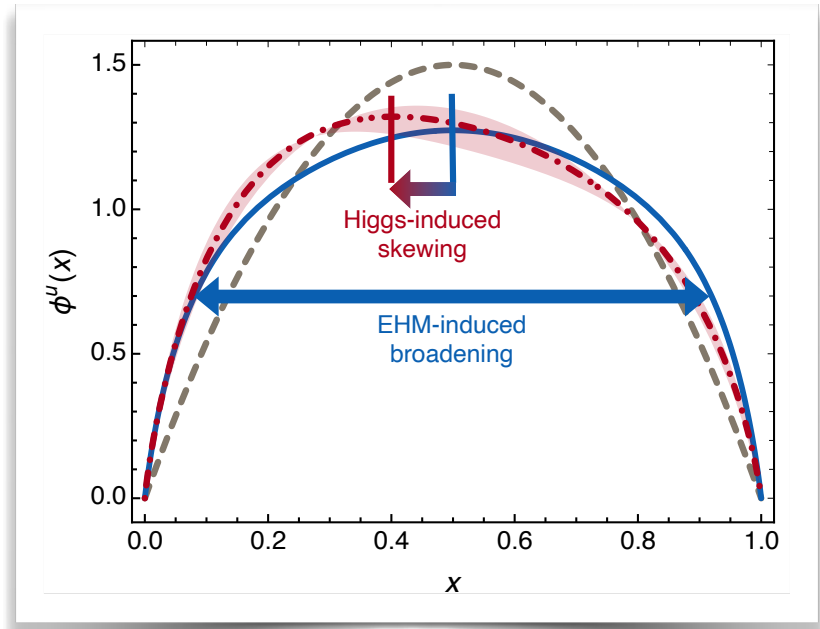
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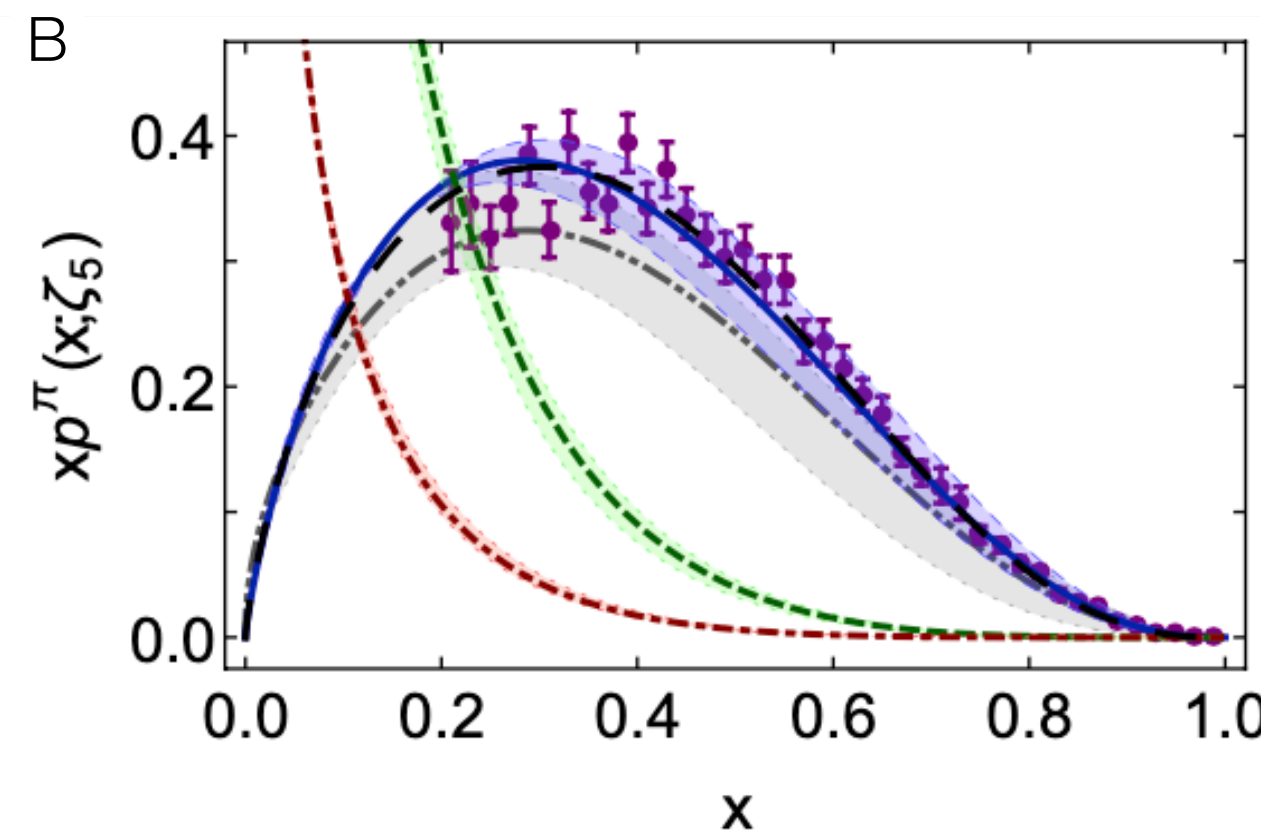
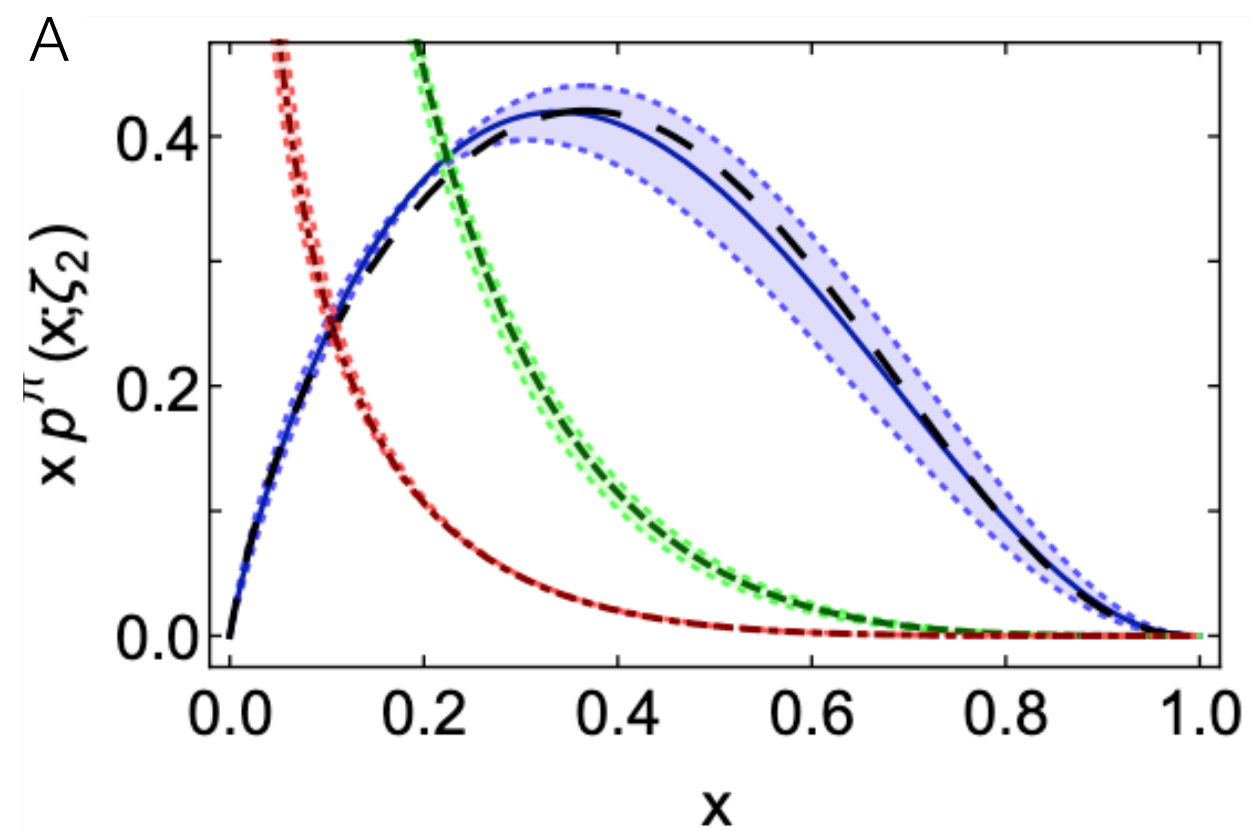
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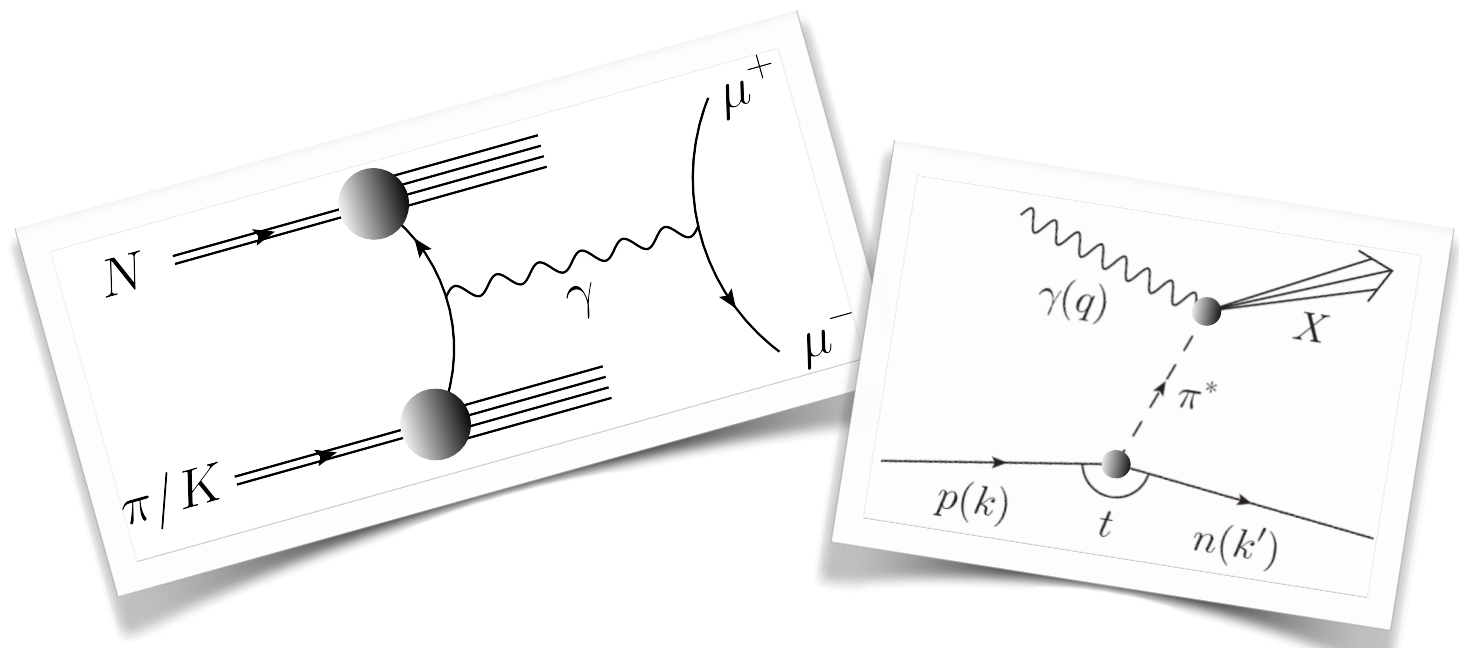
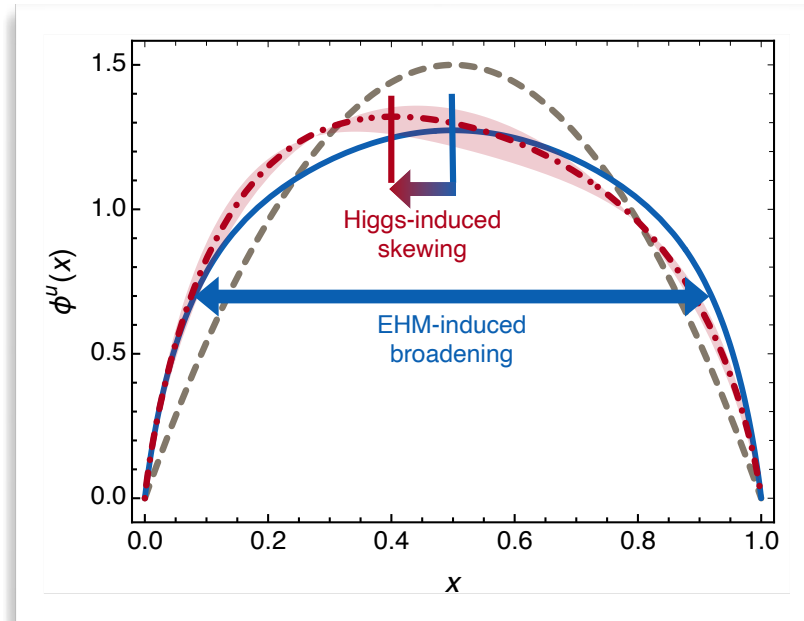
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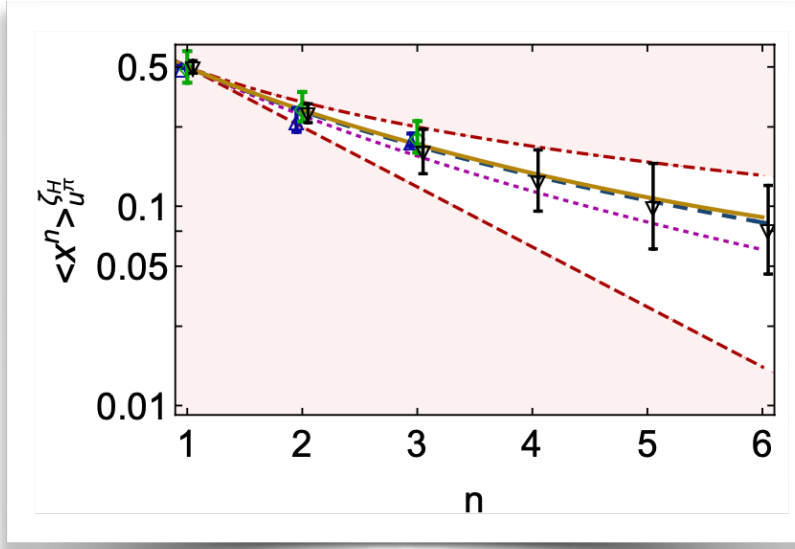
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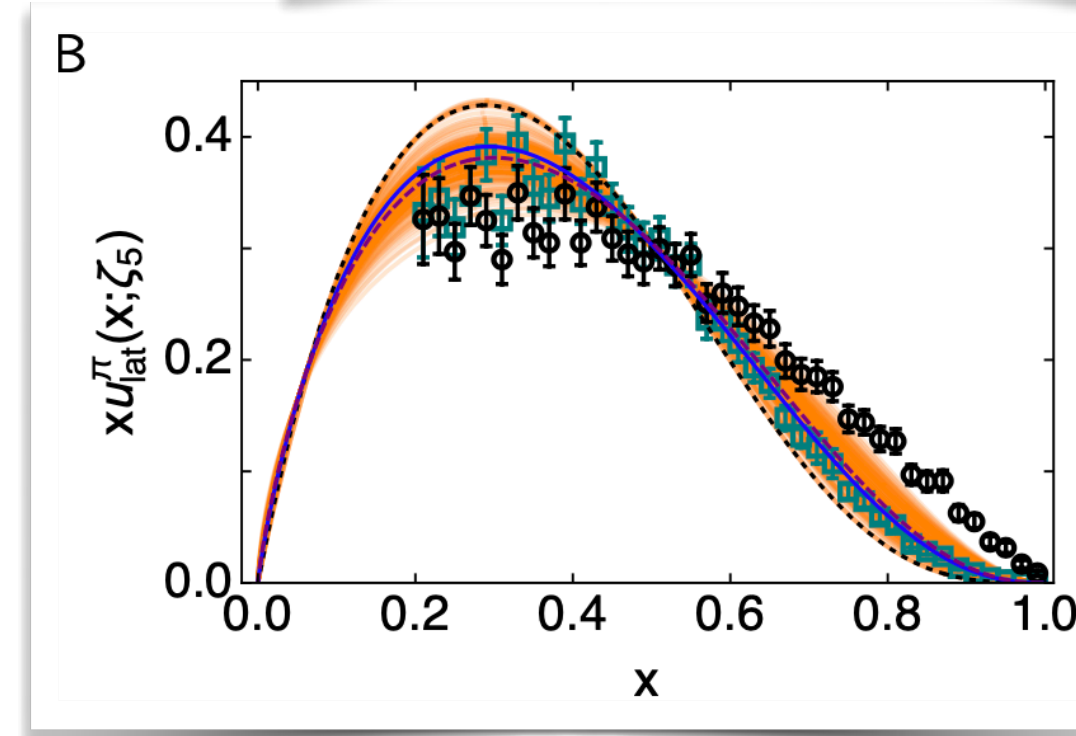
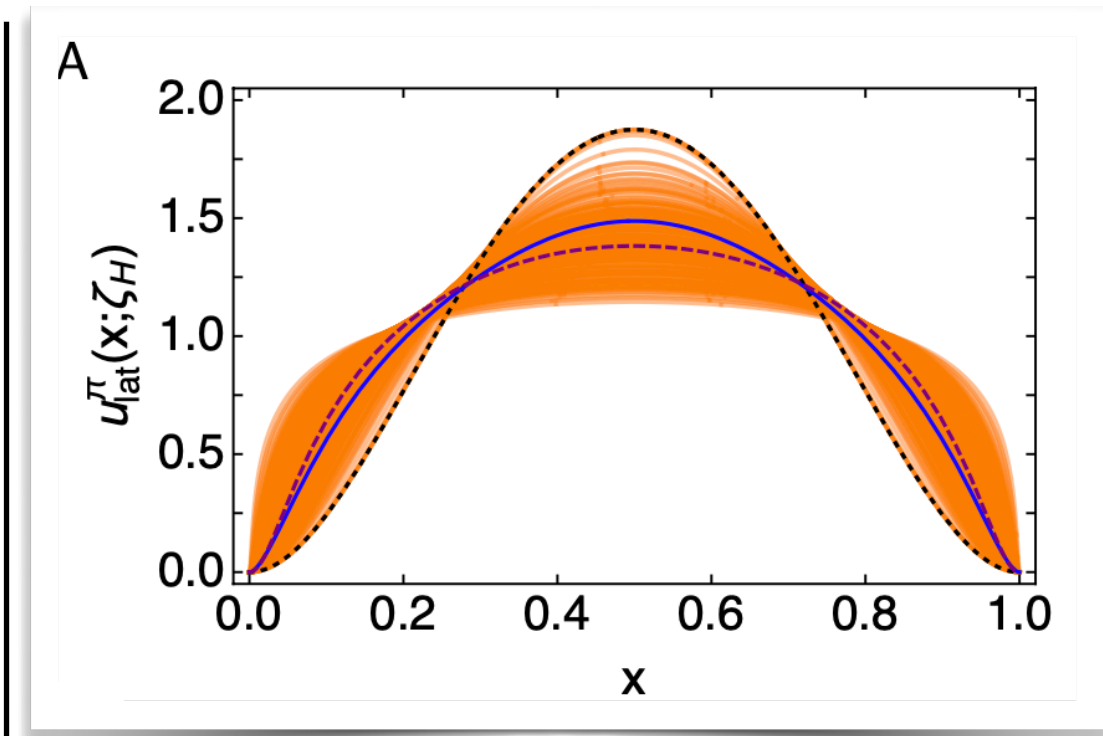
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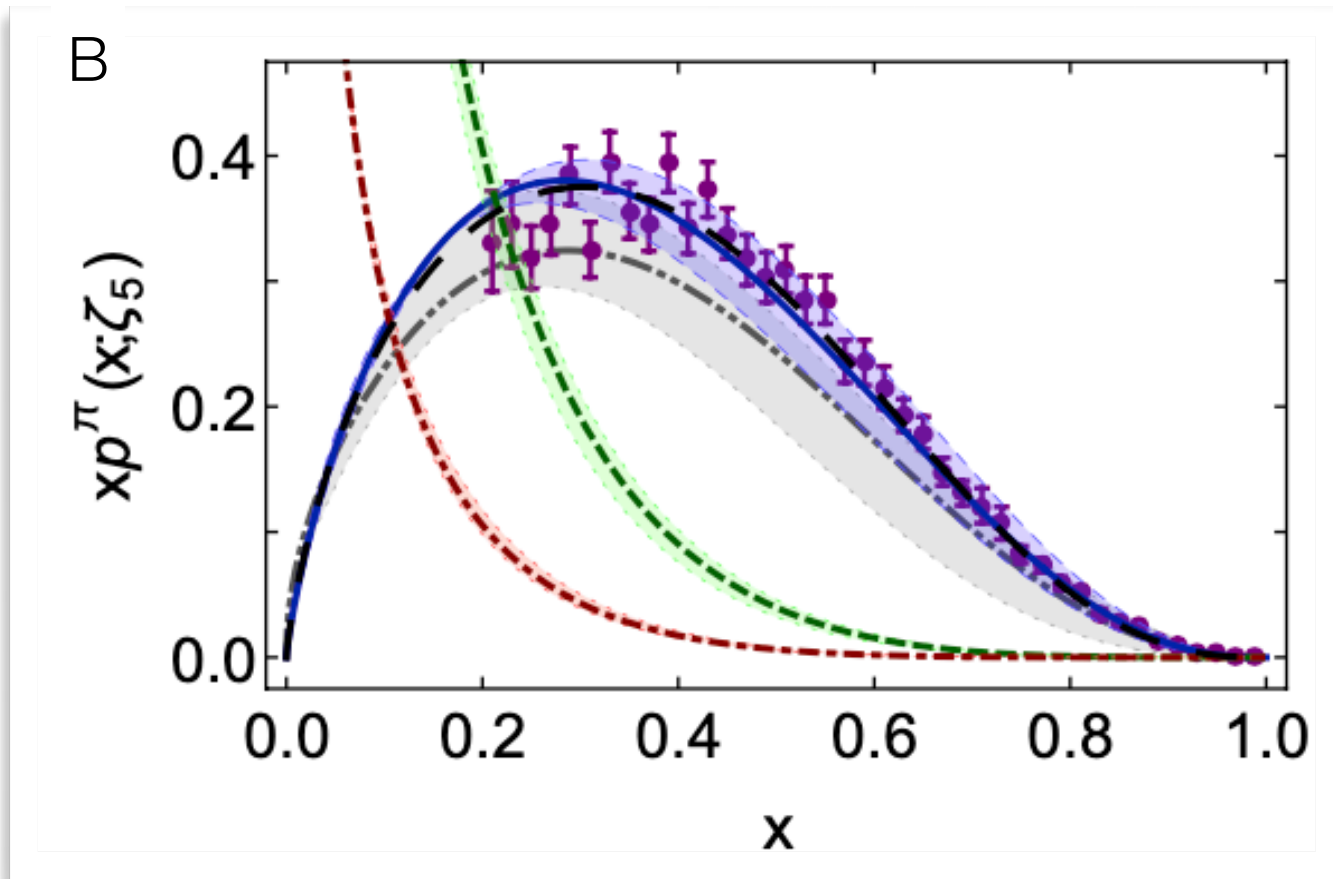
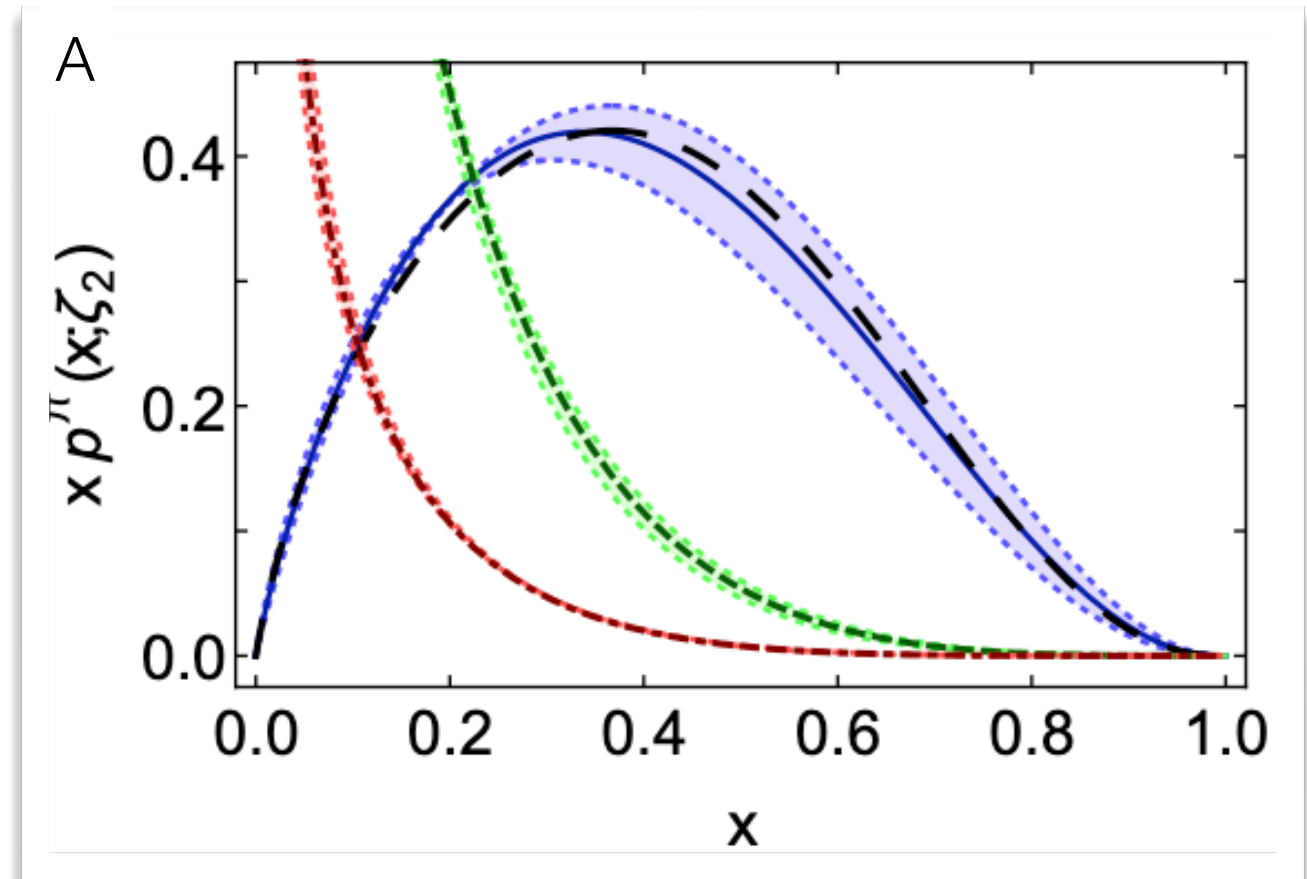
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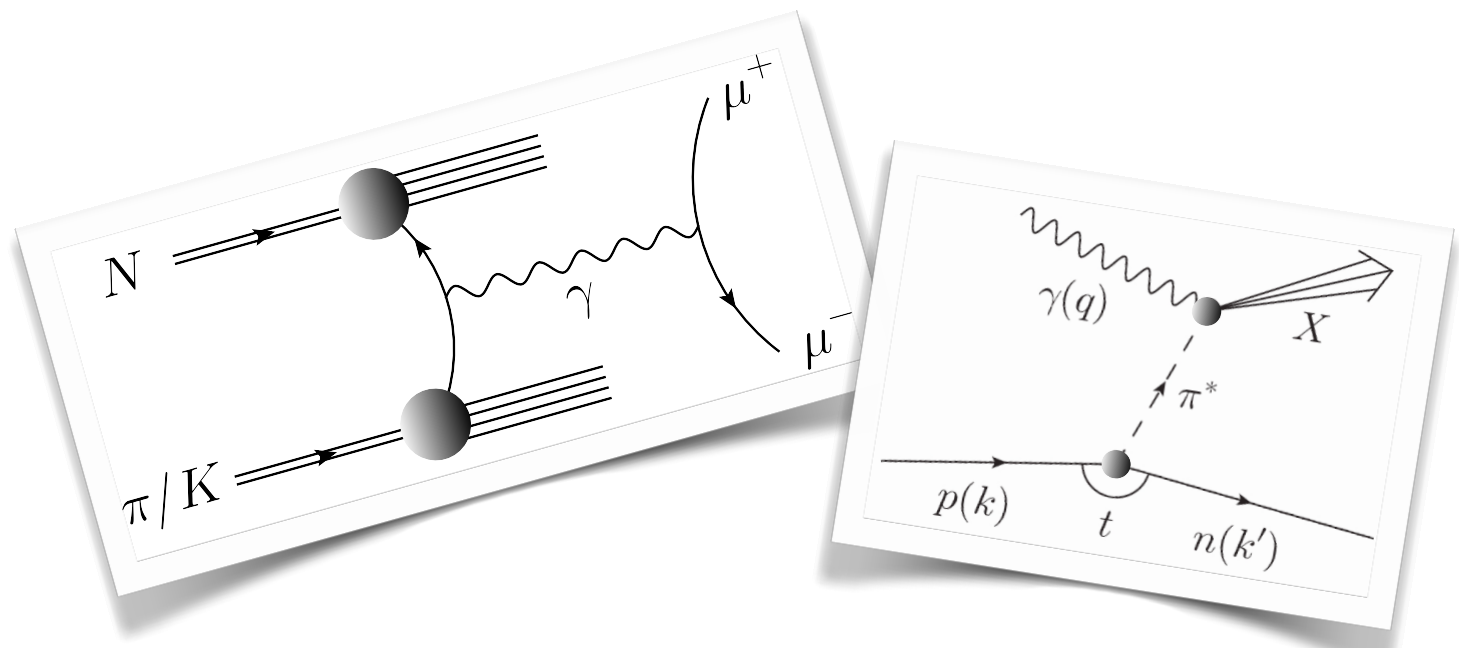
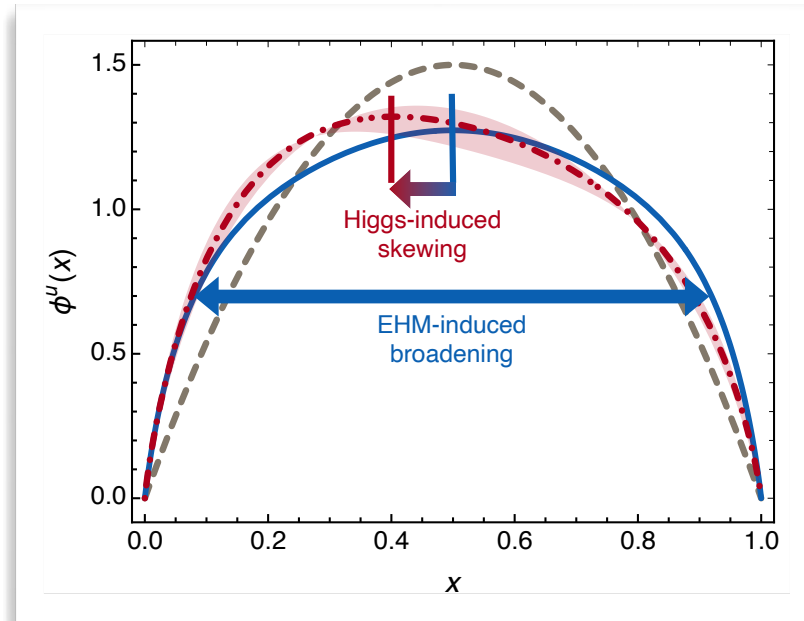


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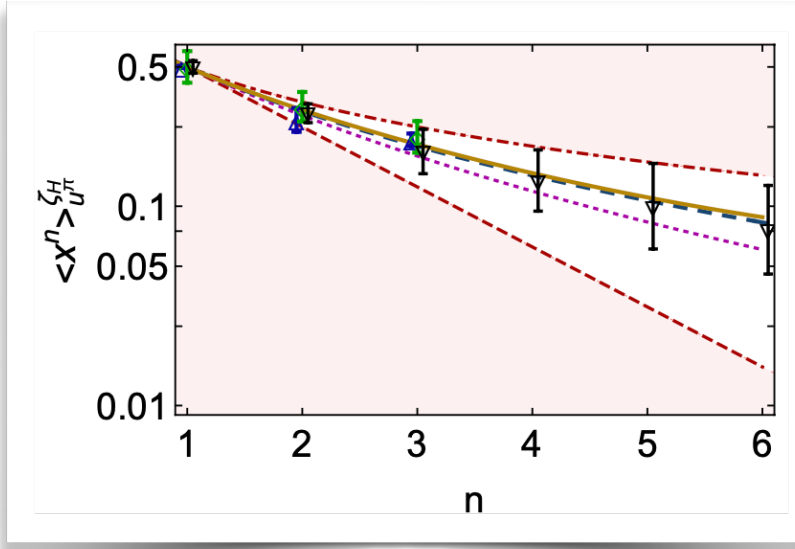






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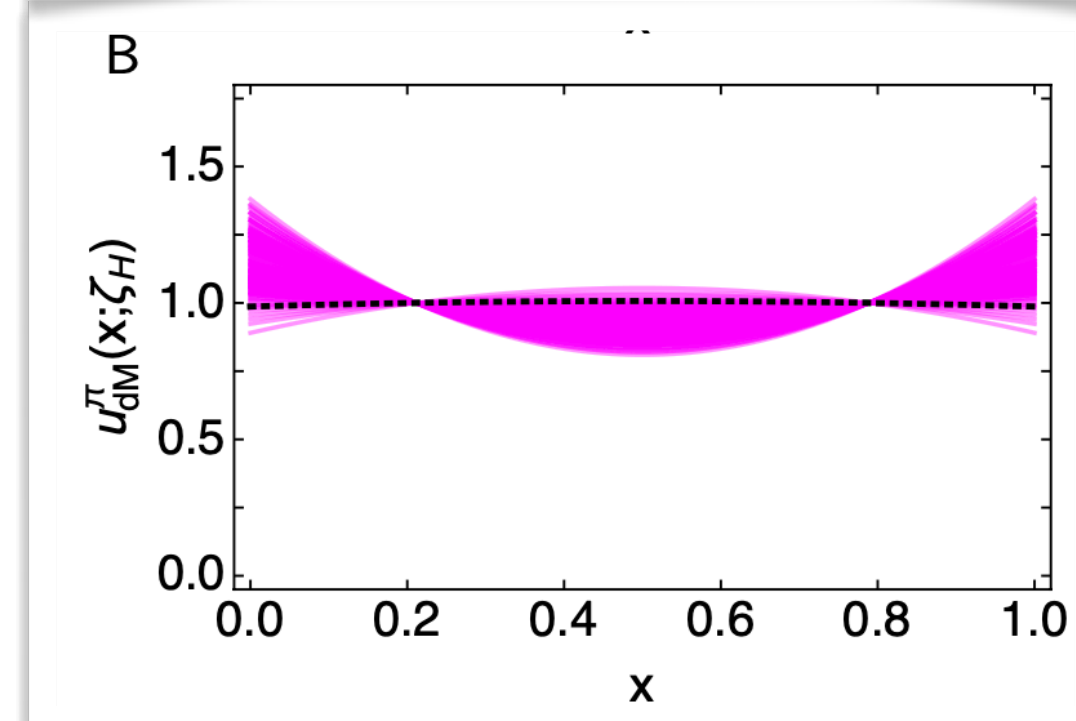
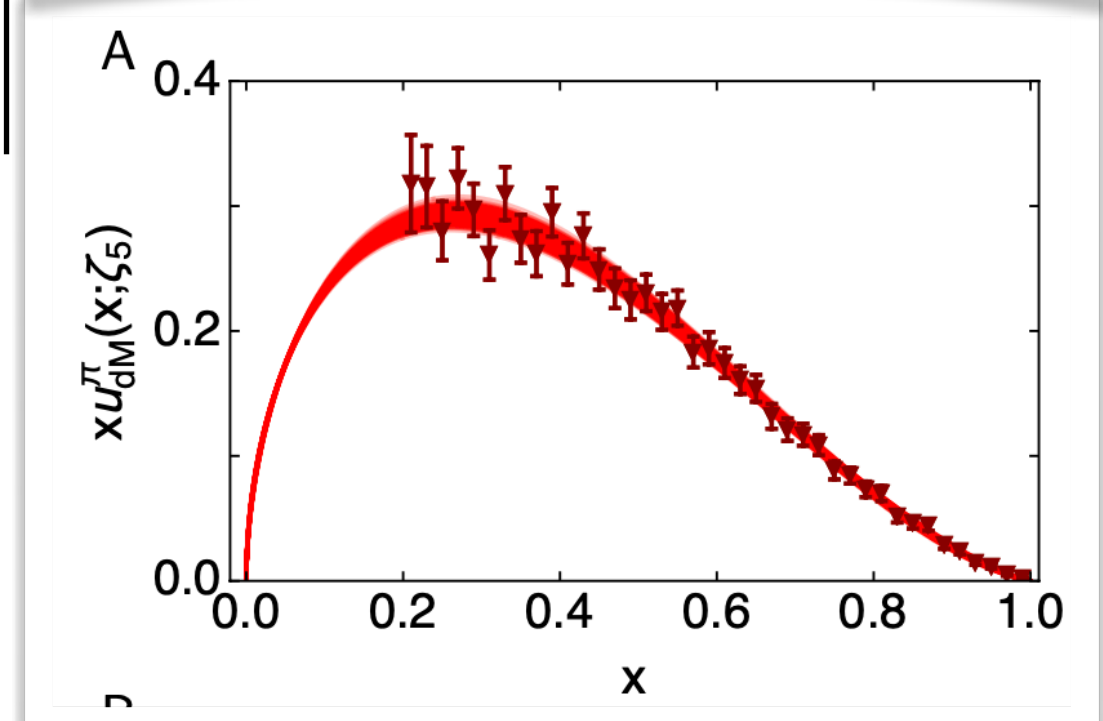
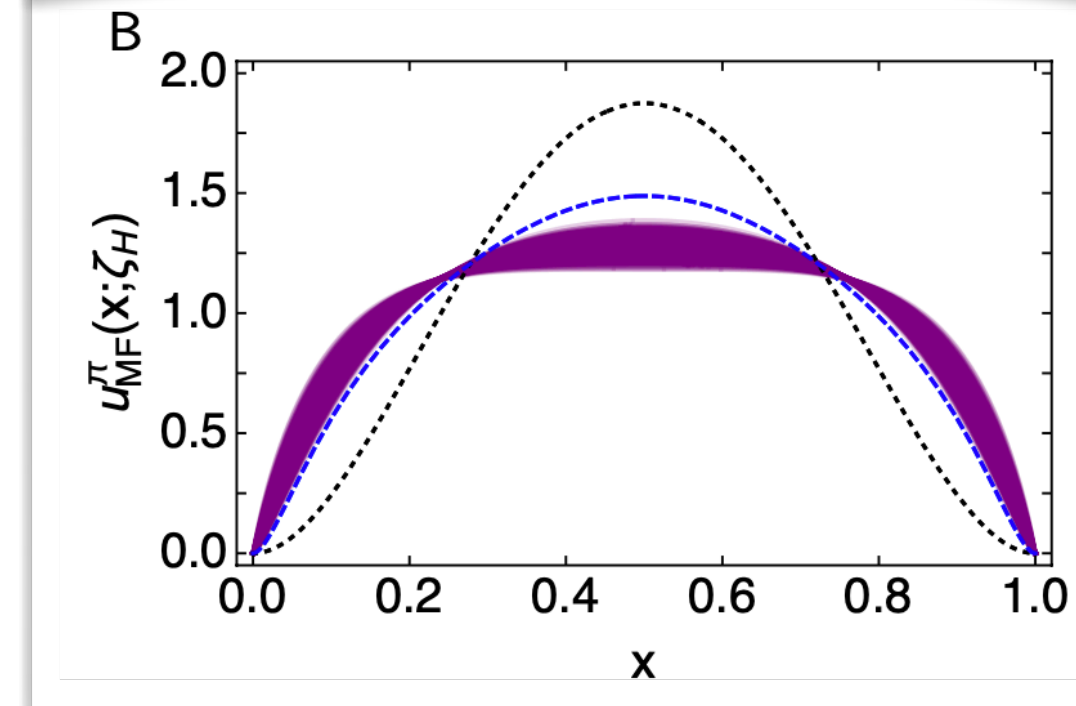
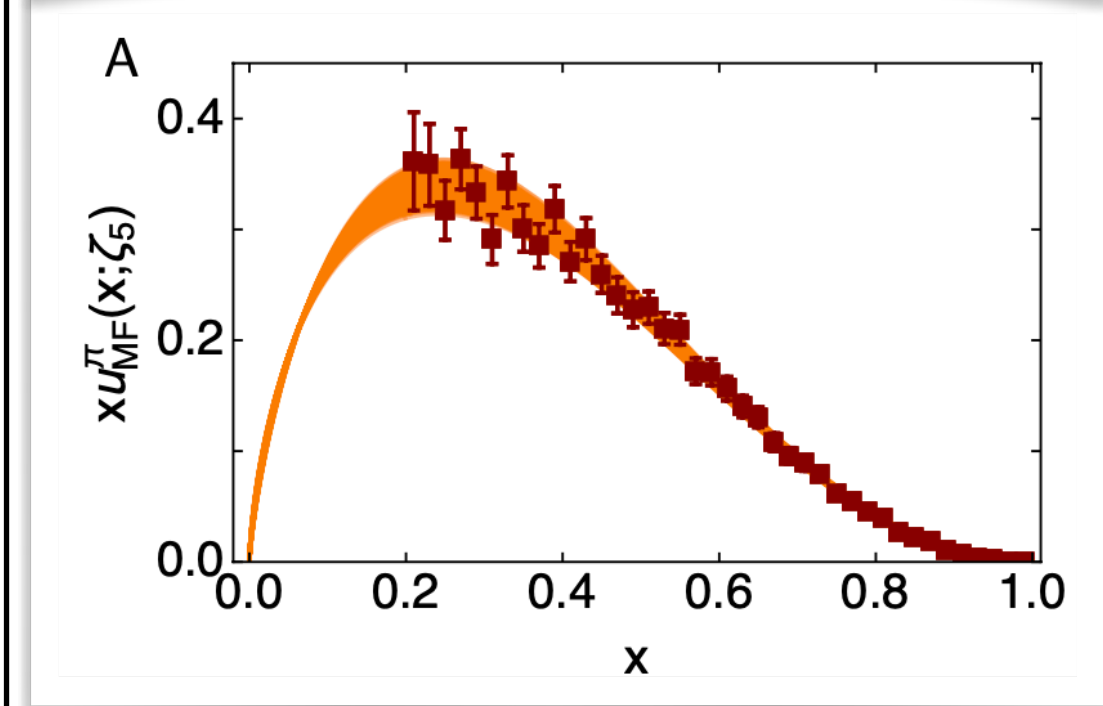
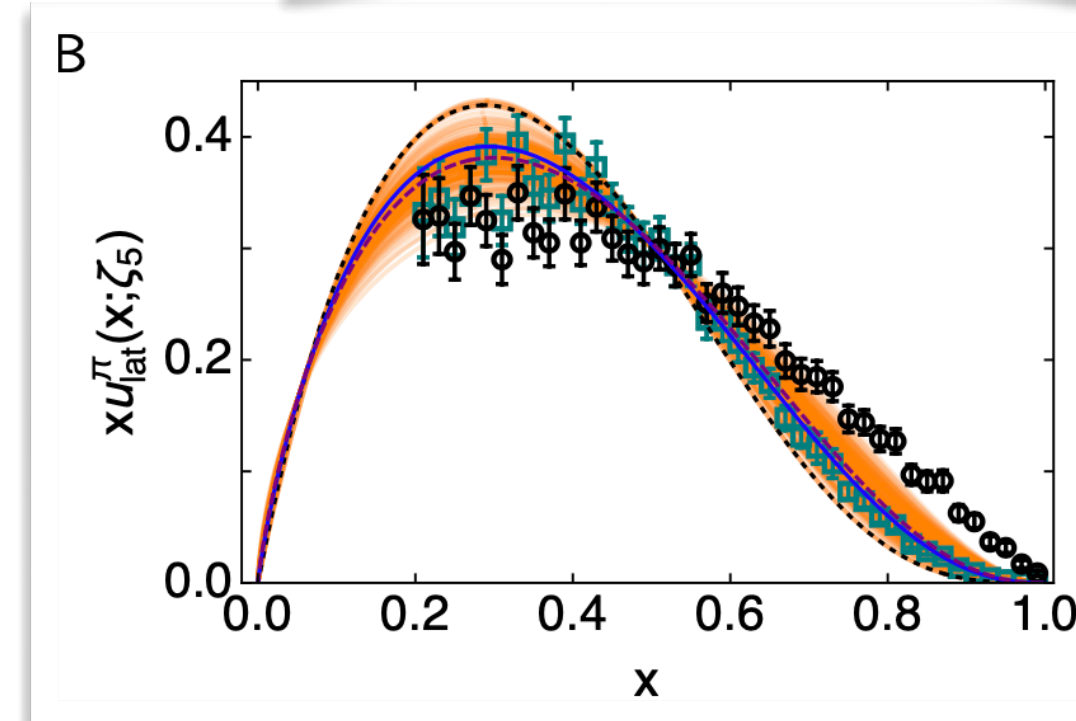
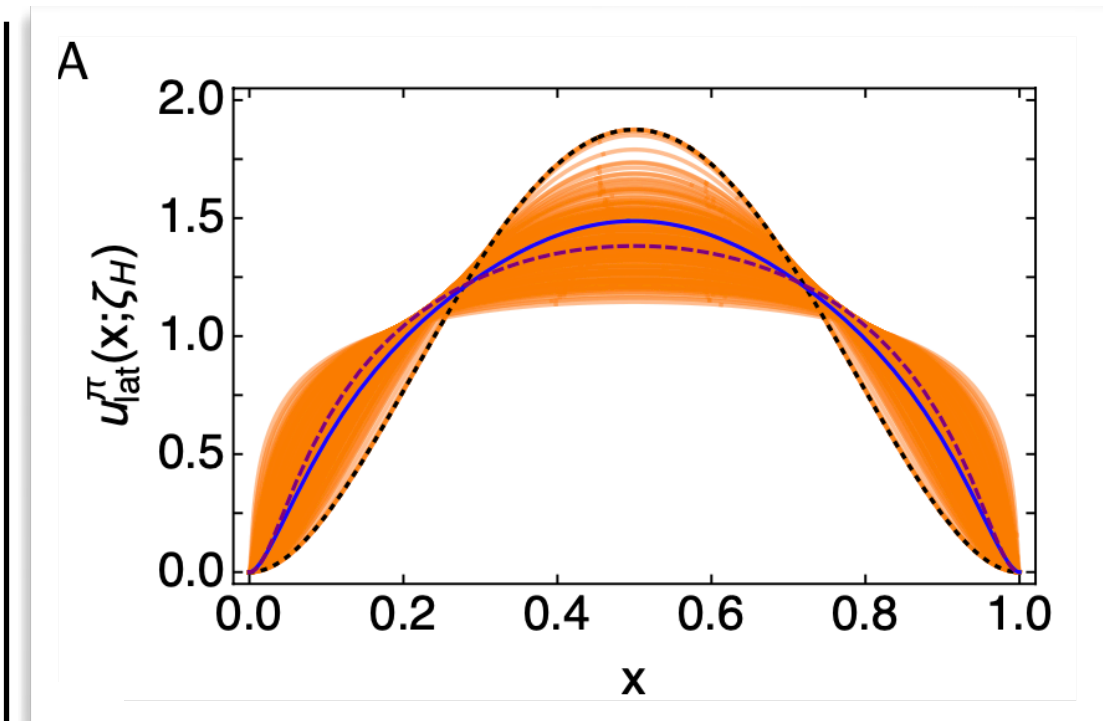
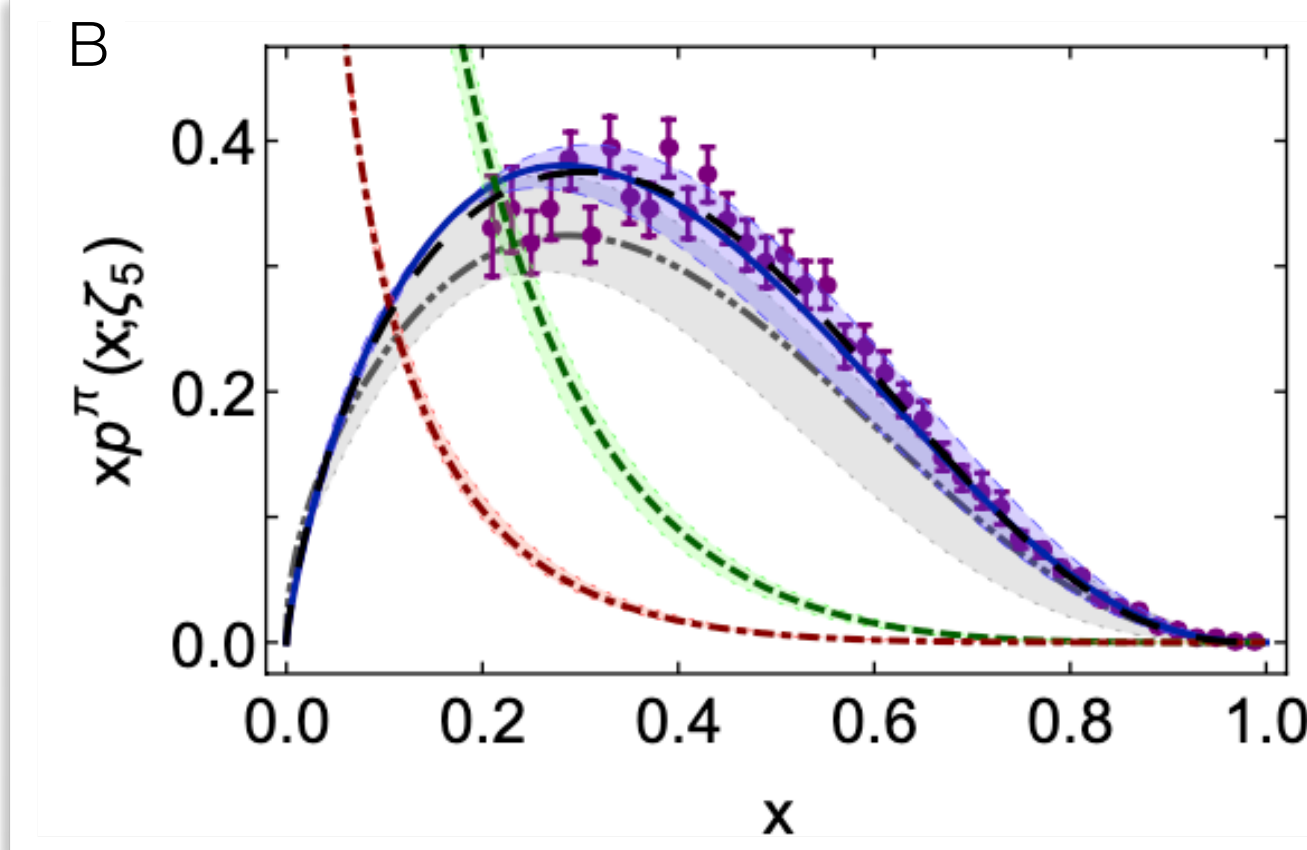
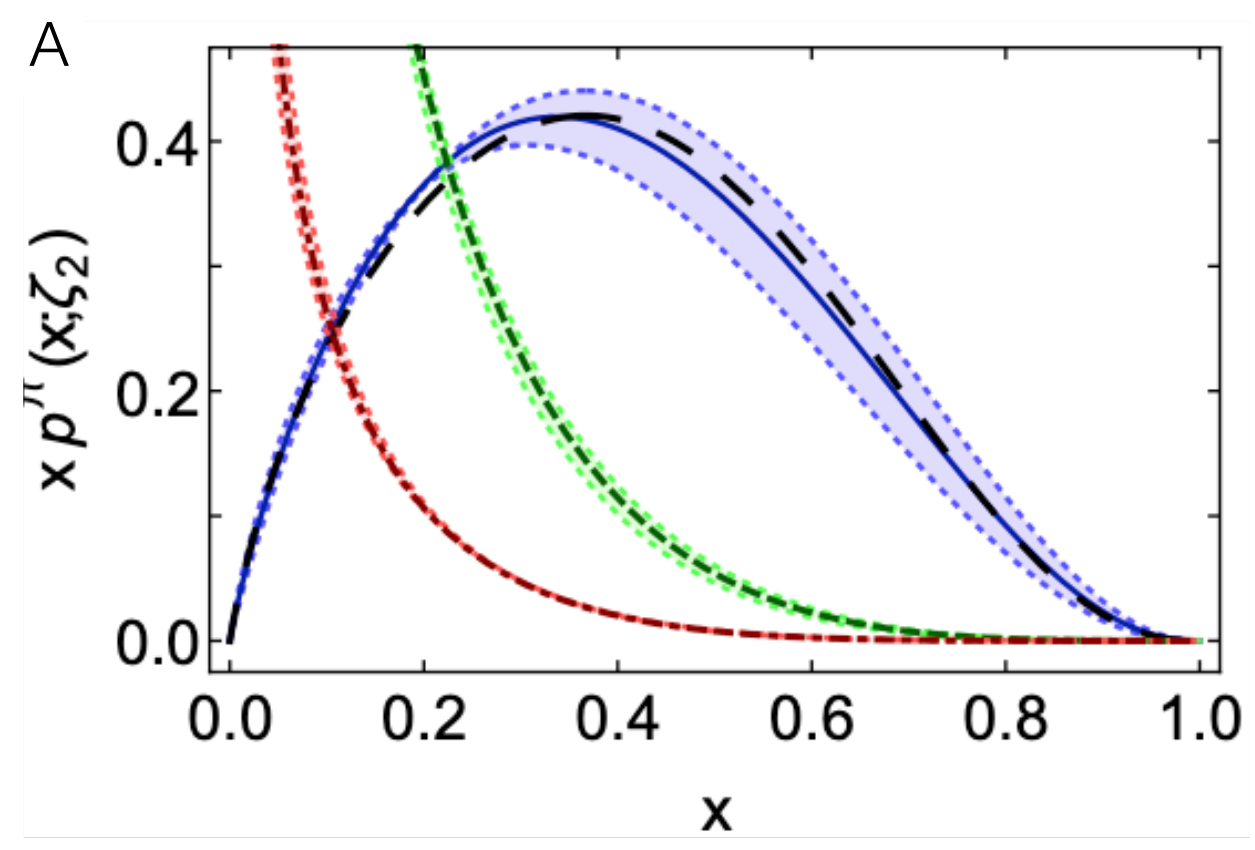
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Xu et al PRD 97 (2018)  
Cui et al EPJA 57 (2021)

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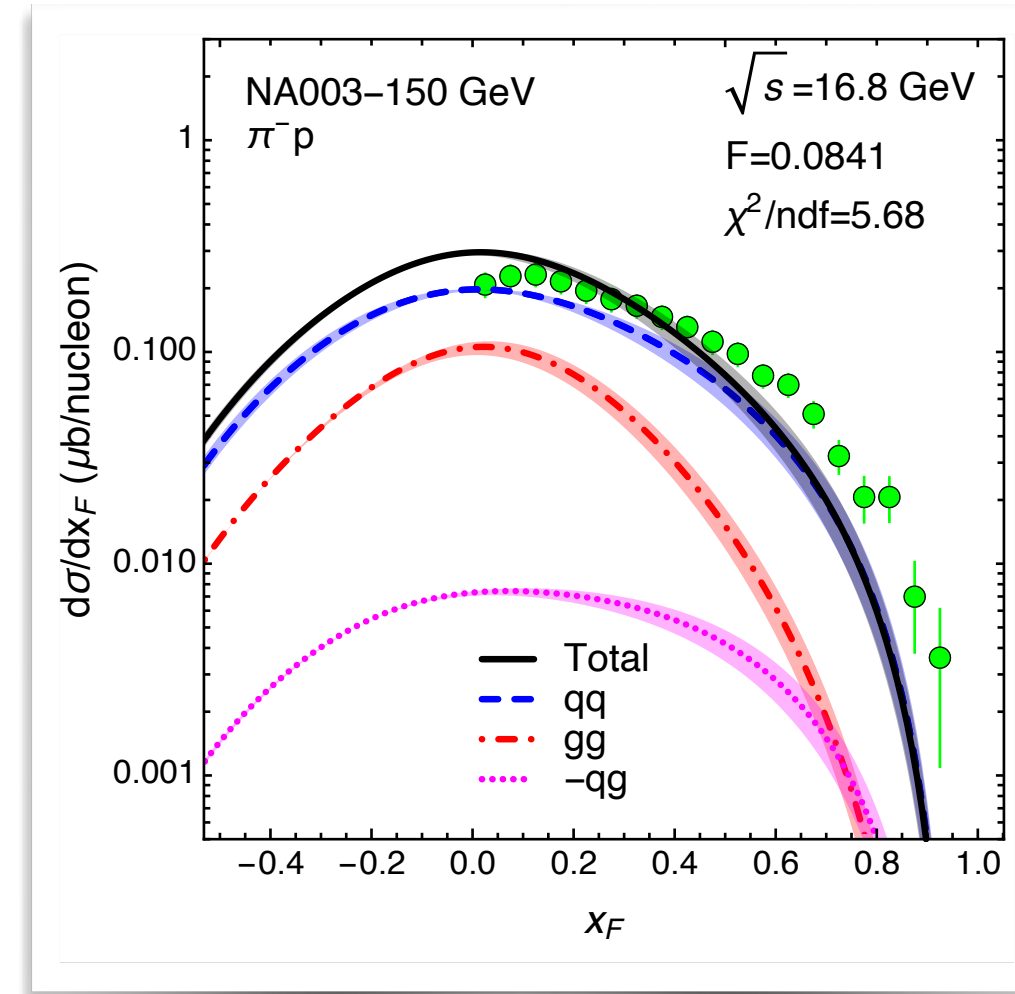
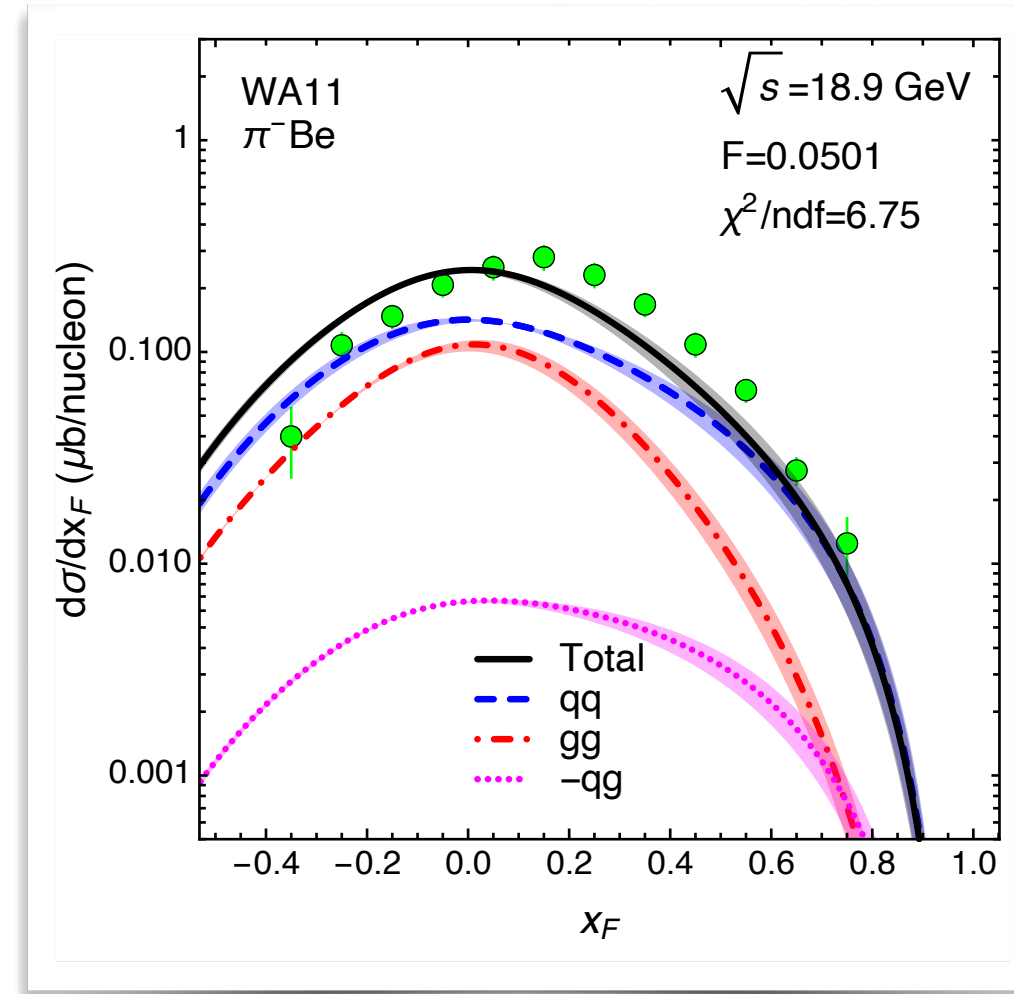
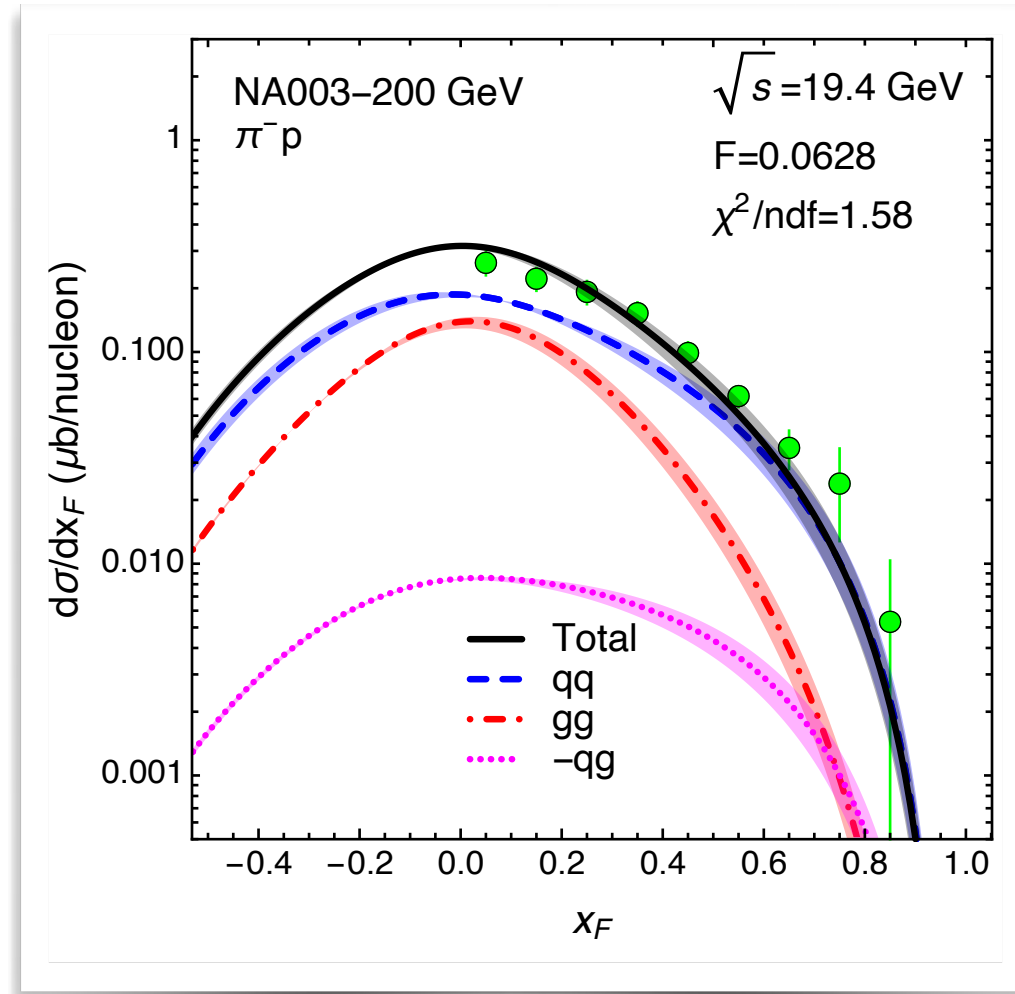
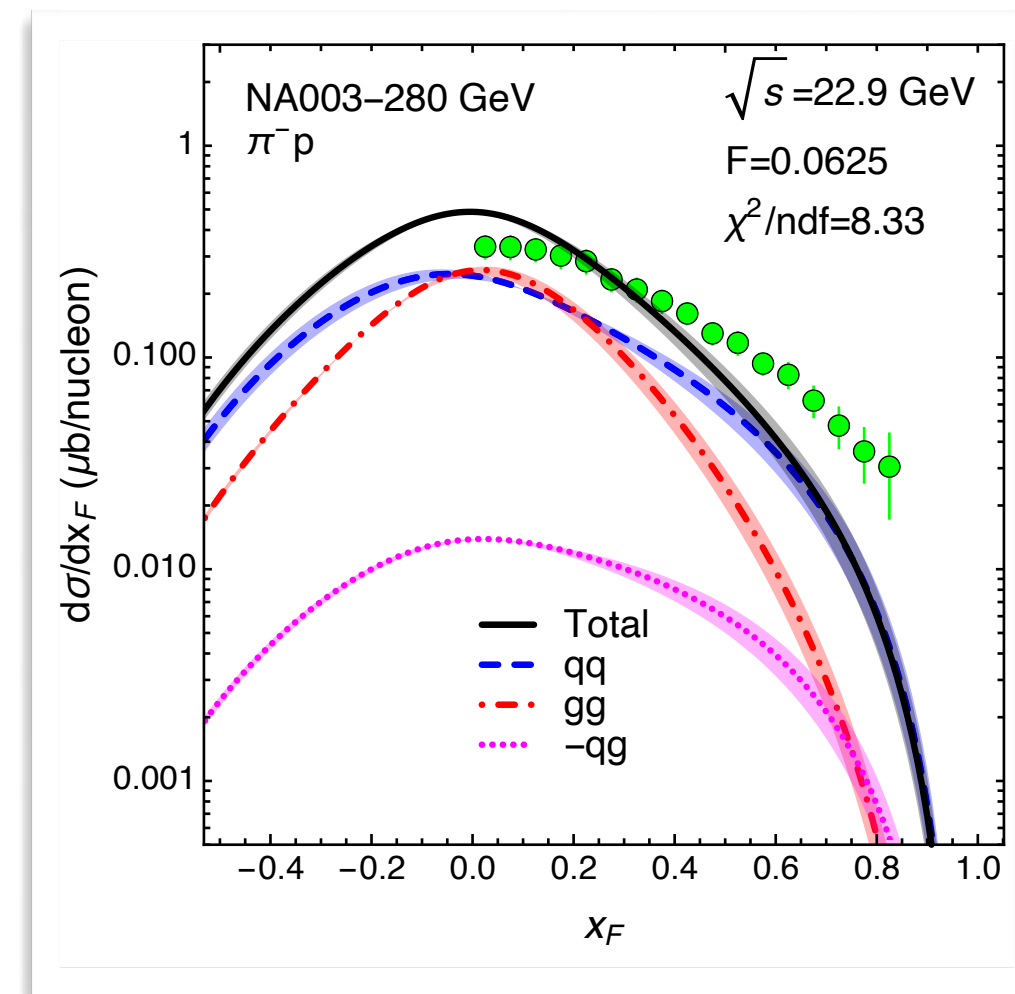
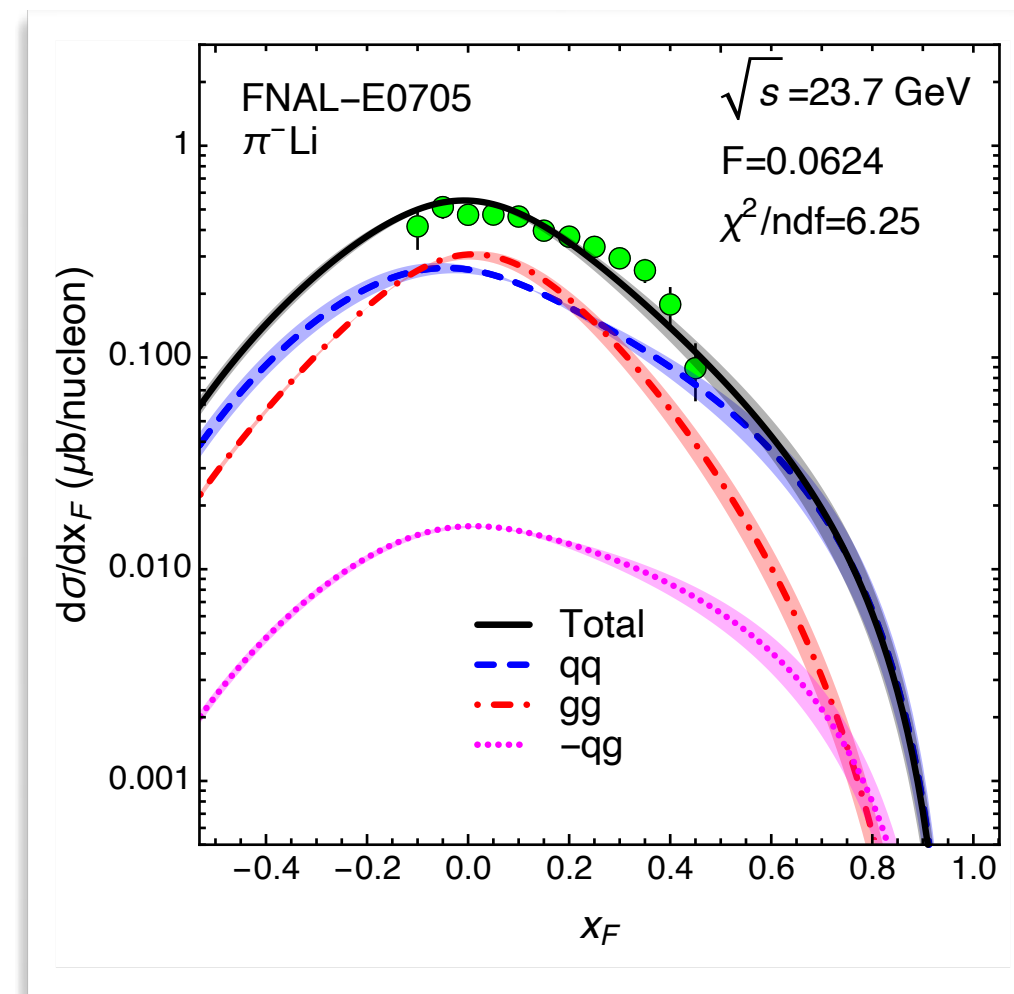
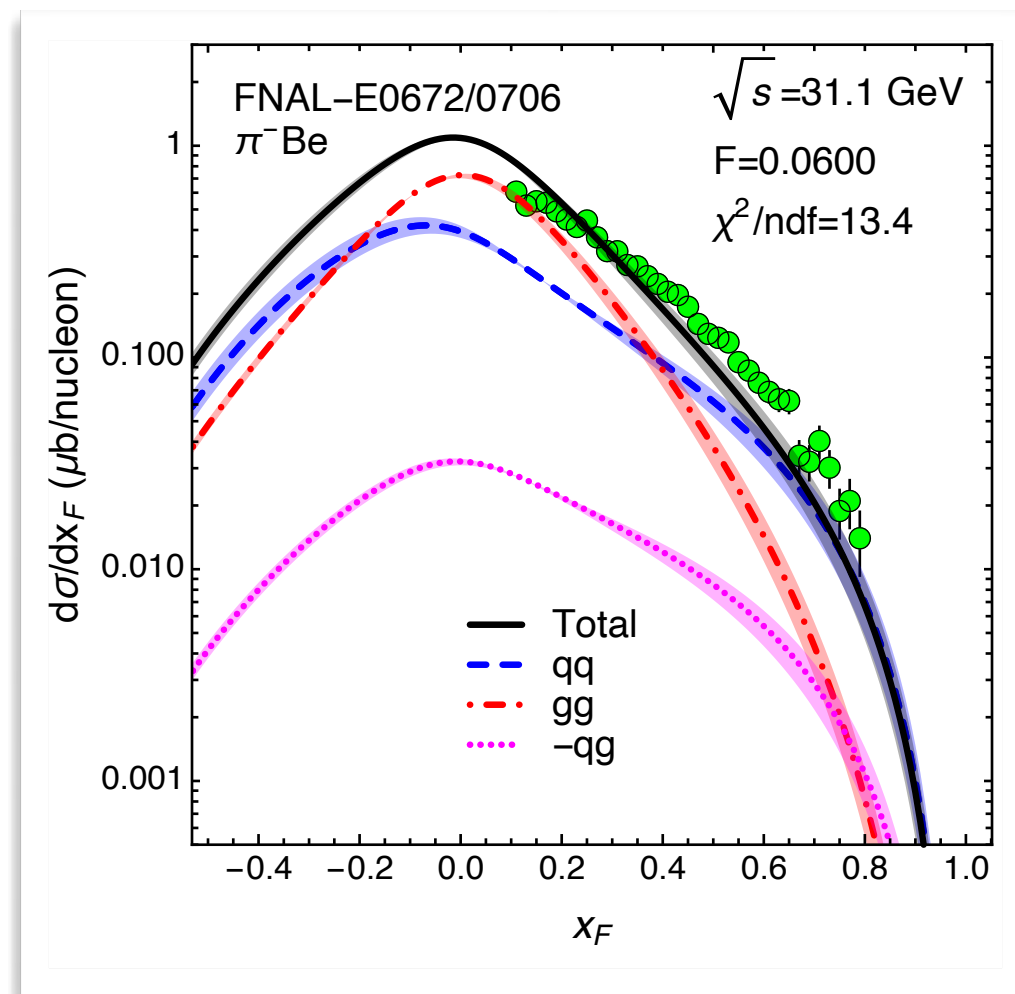
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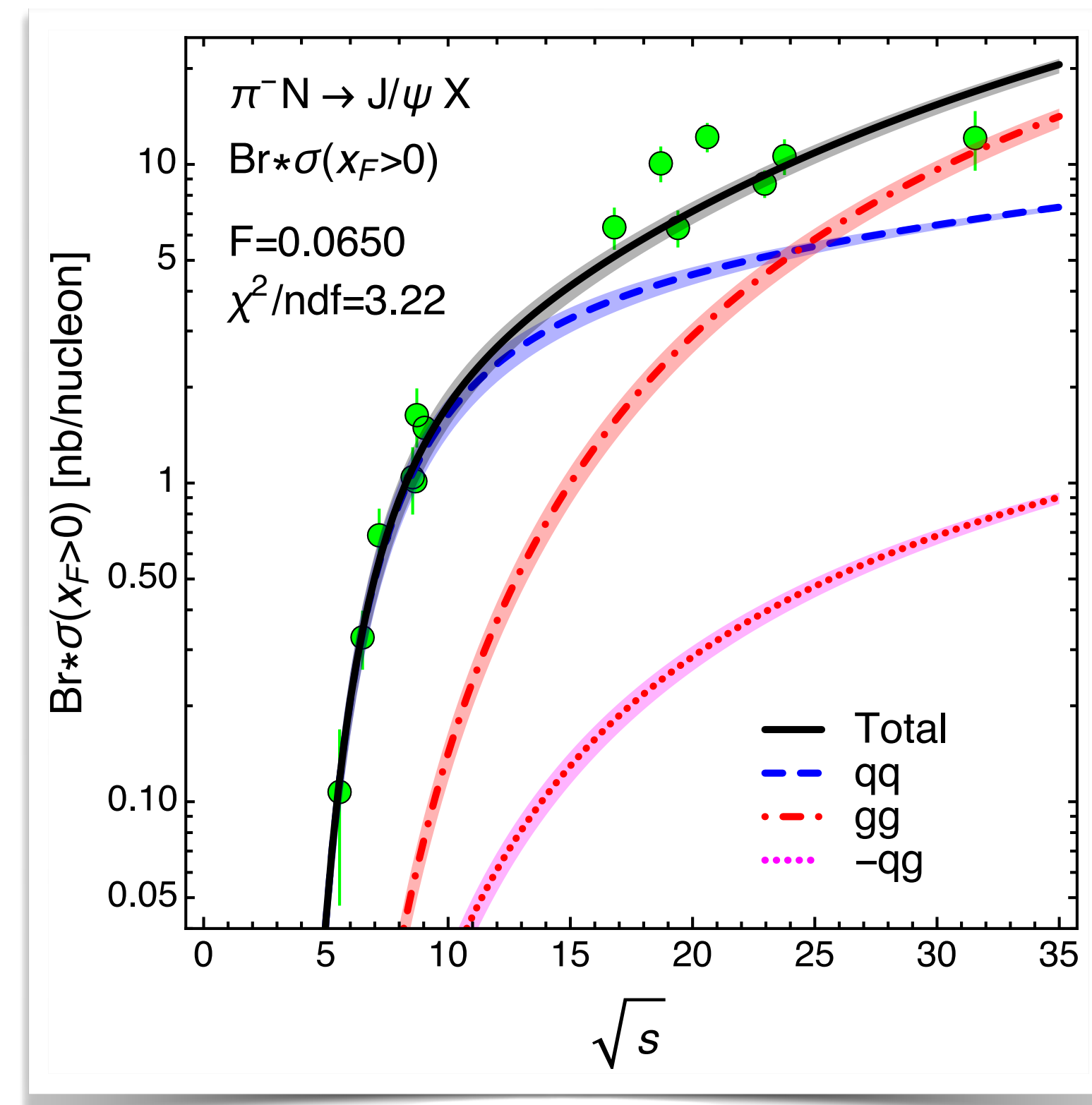
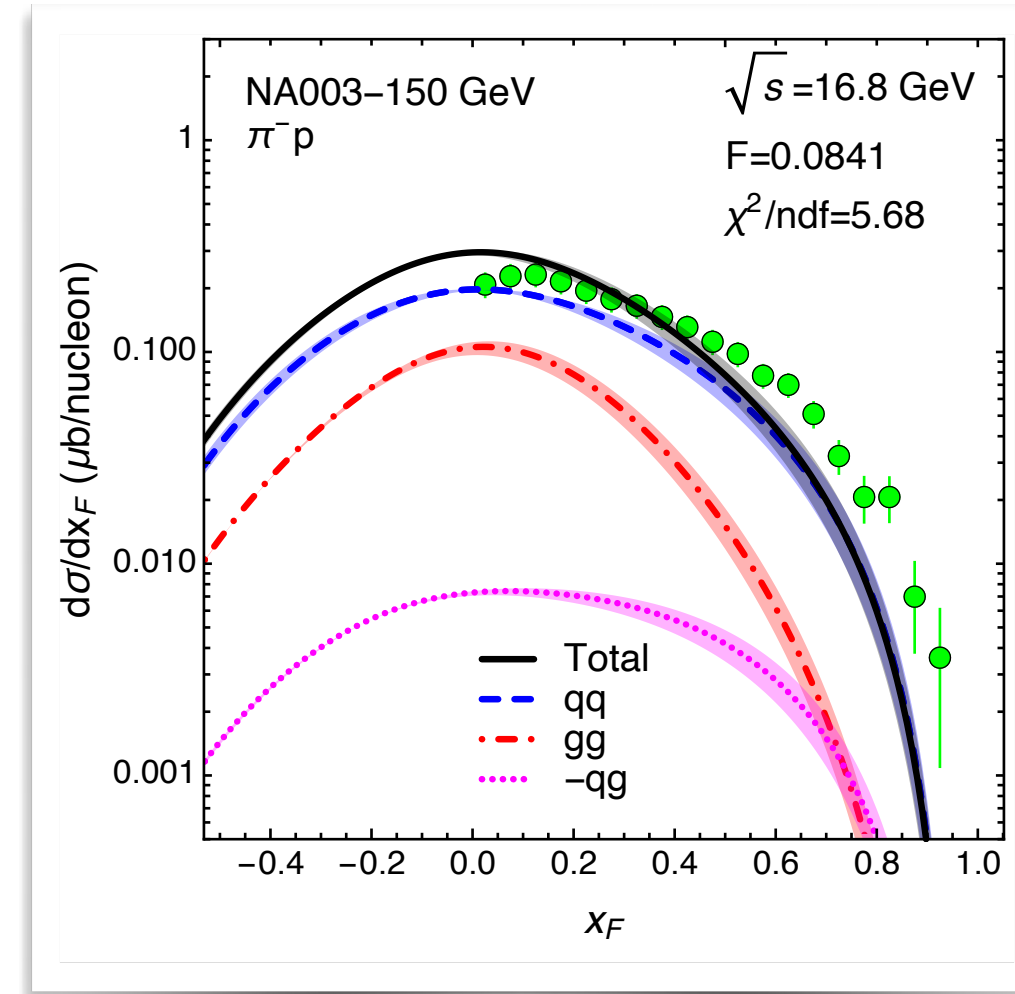
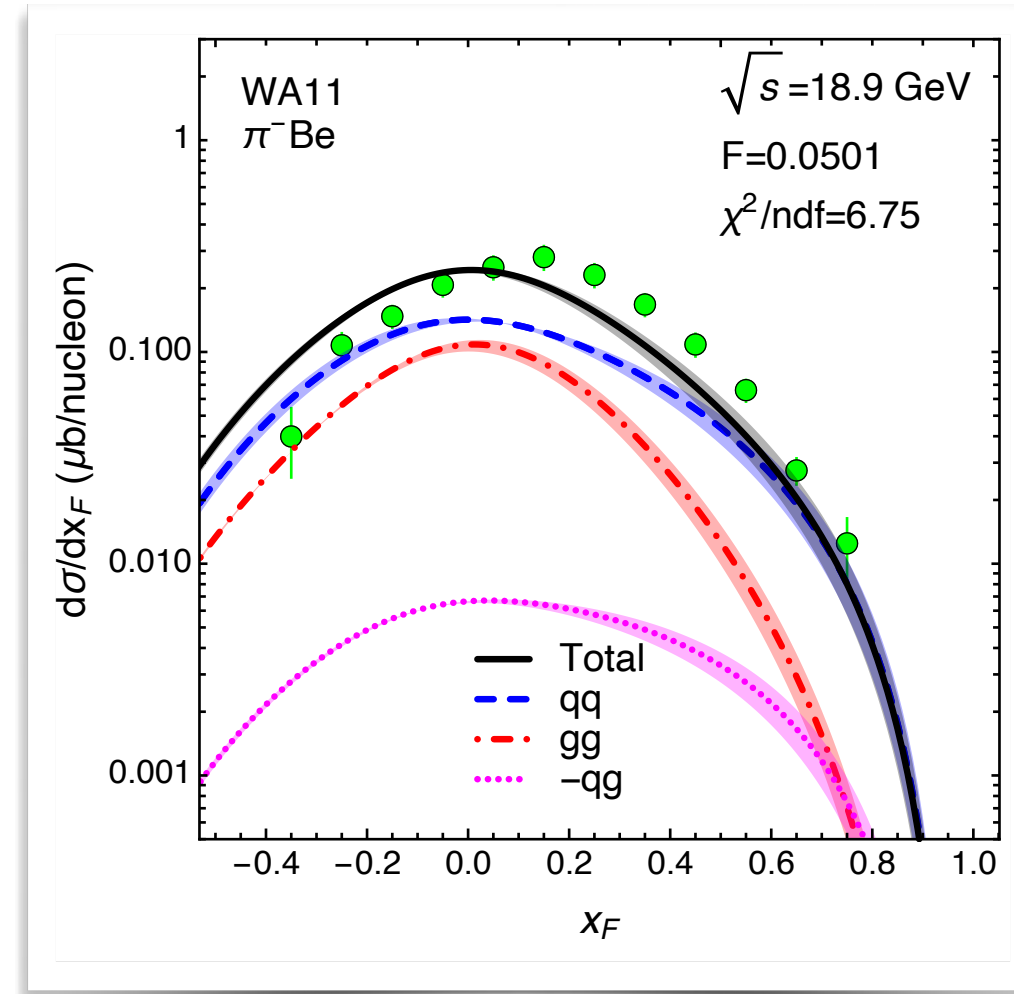
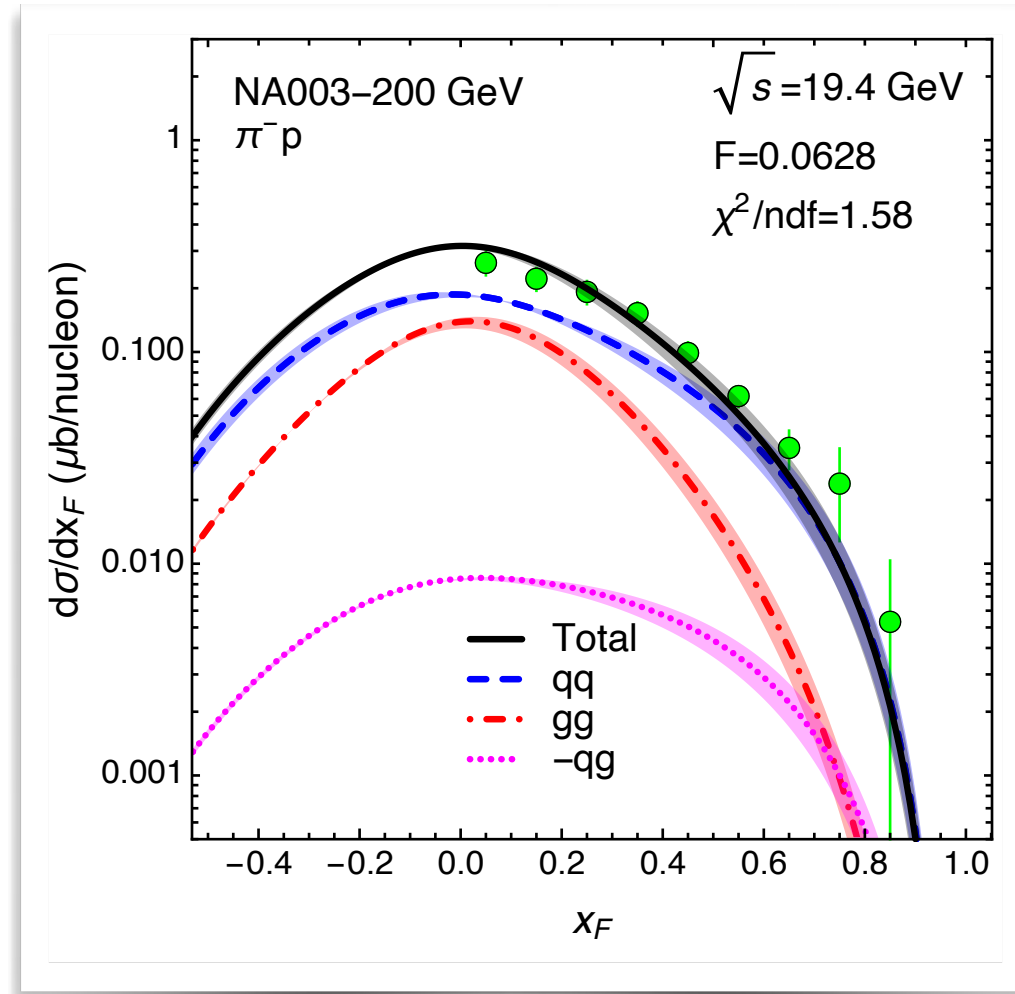
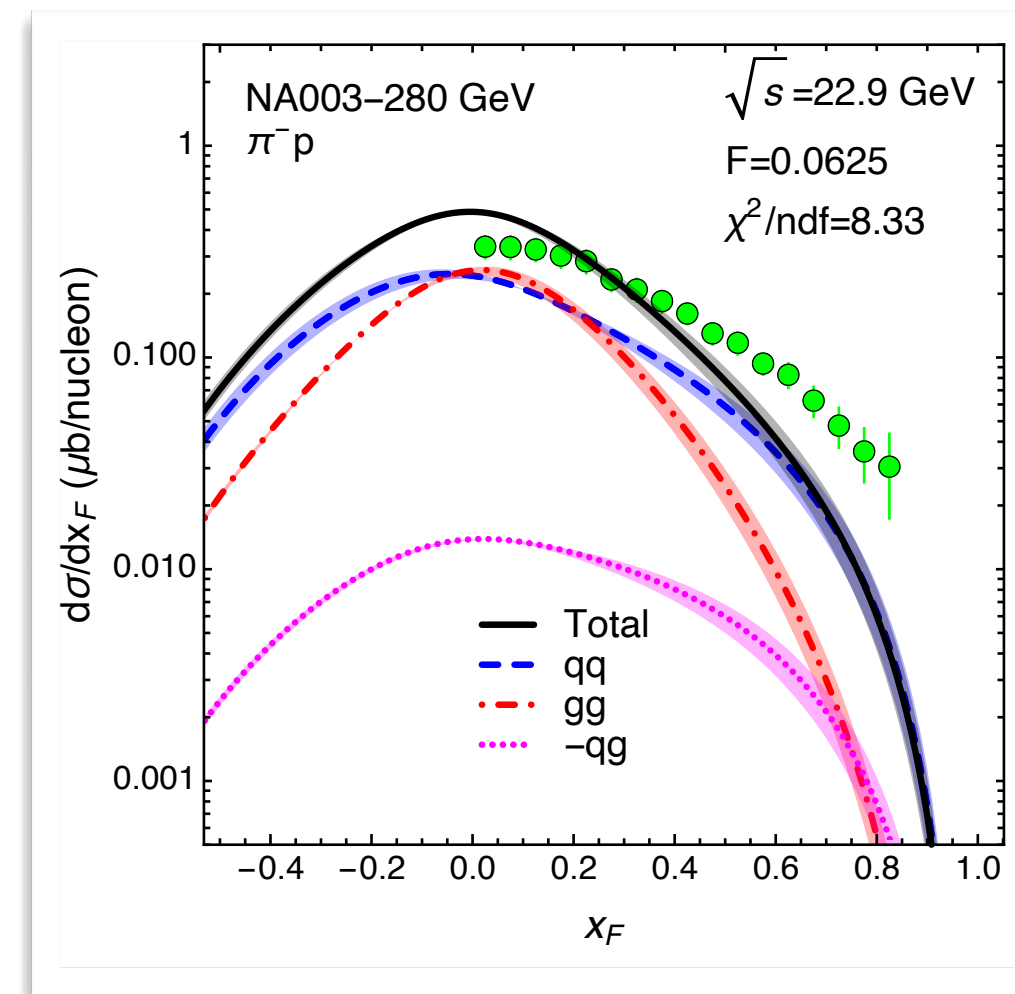
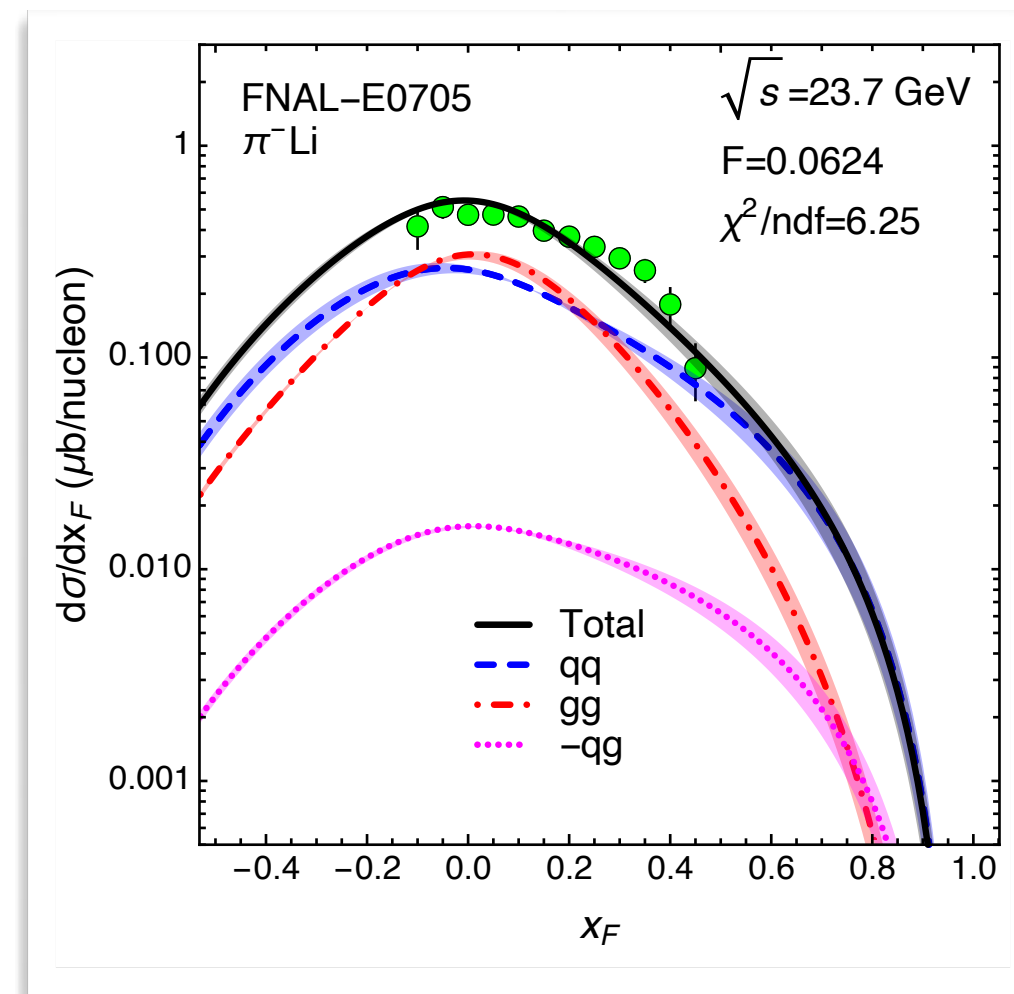
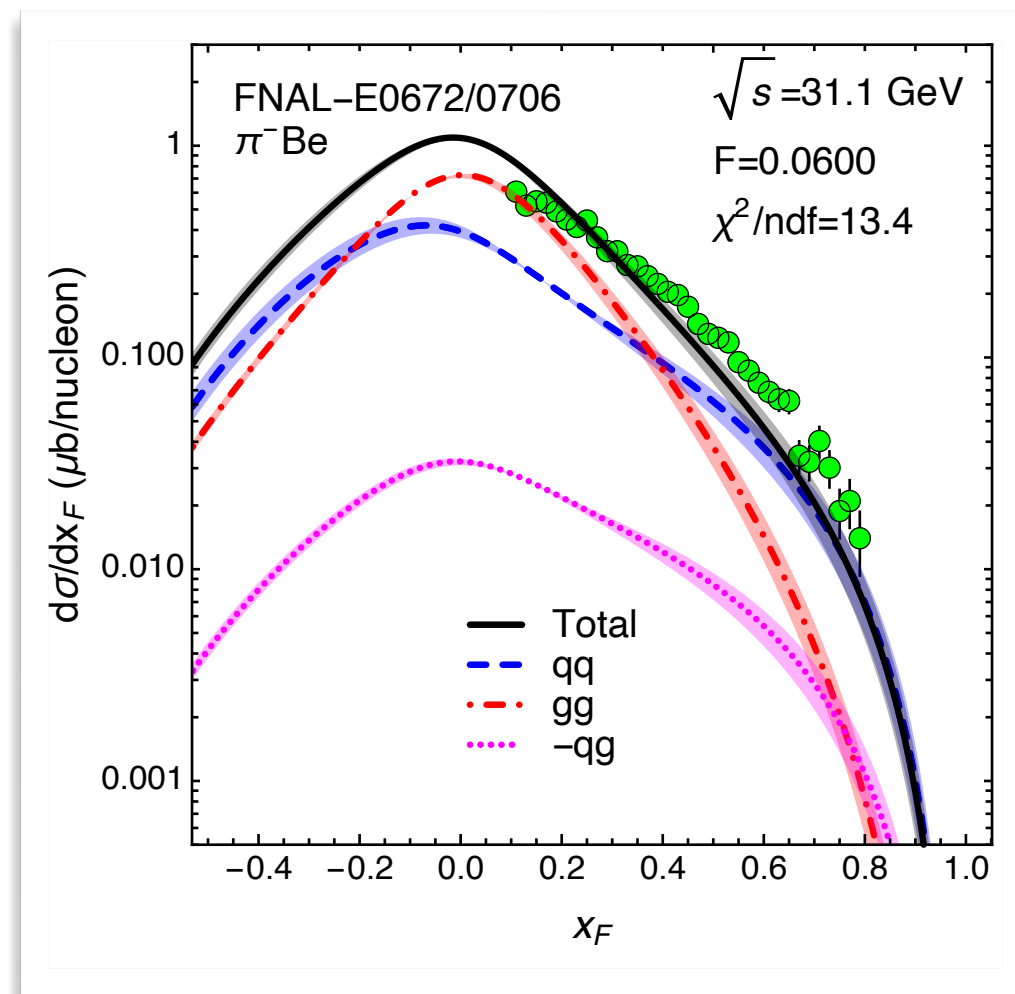
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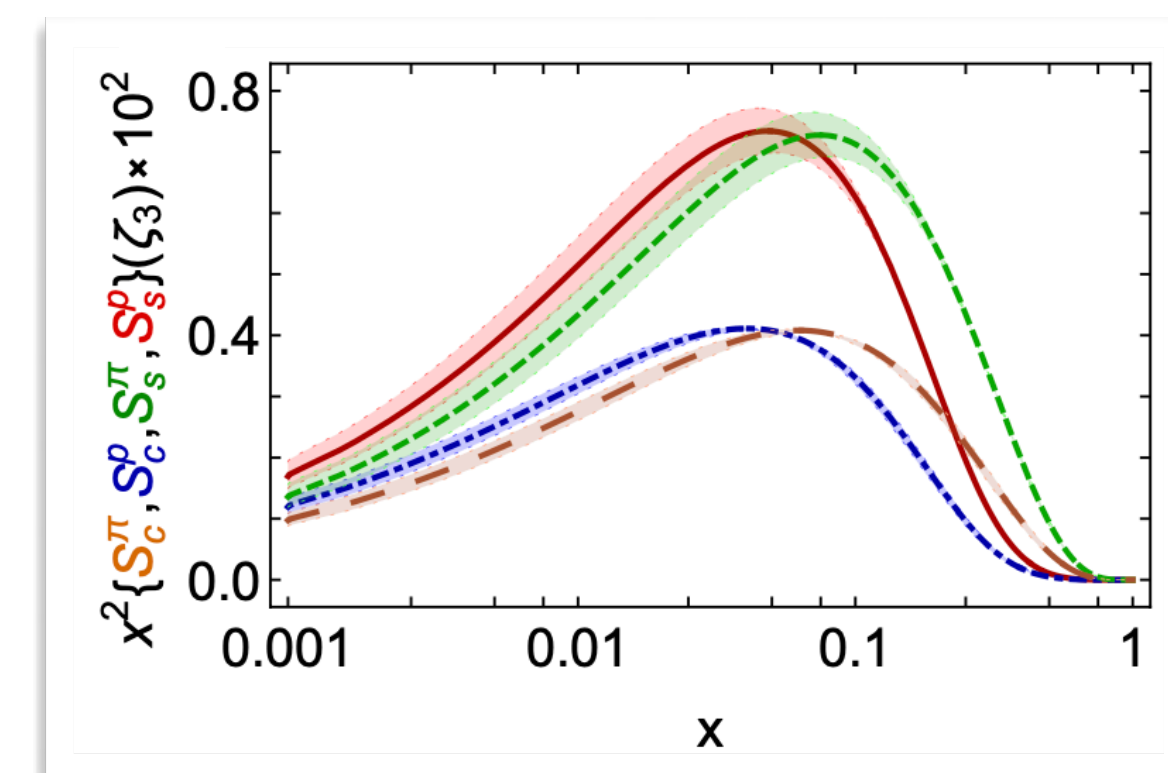
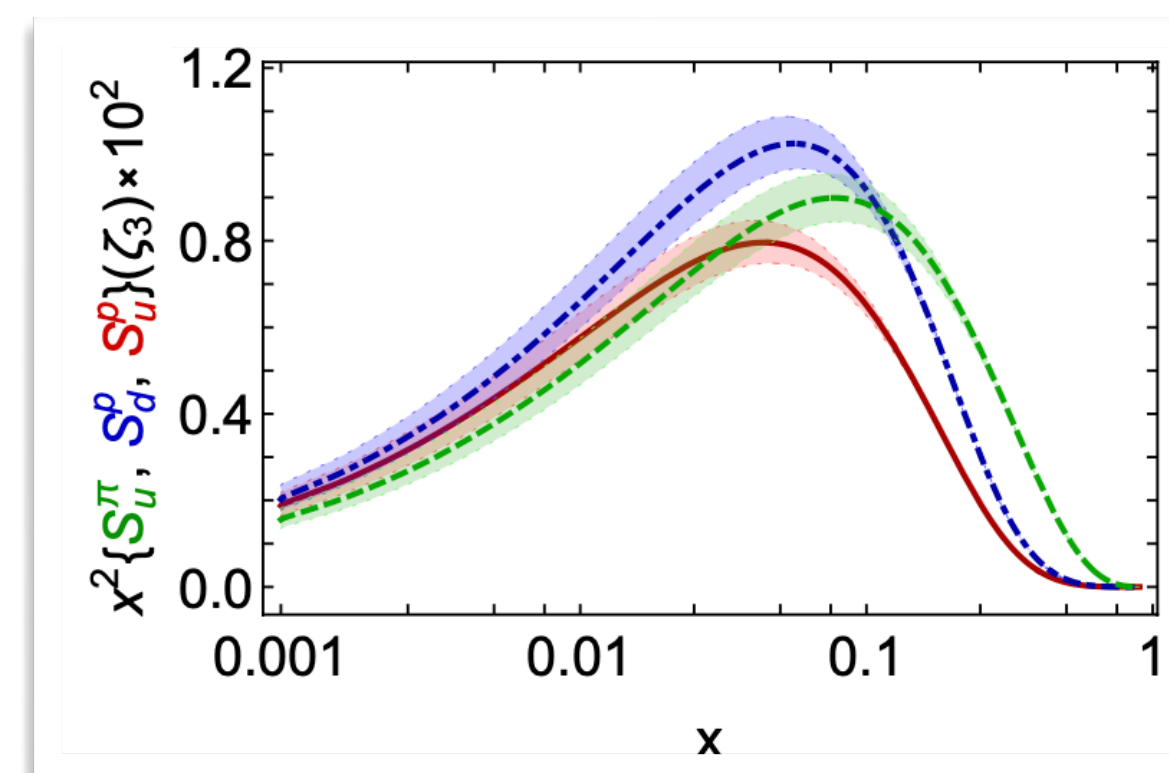
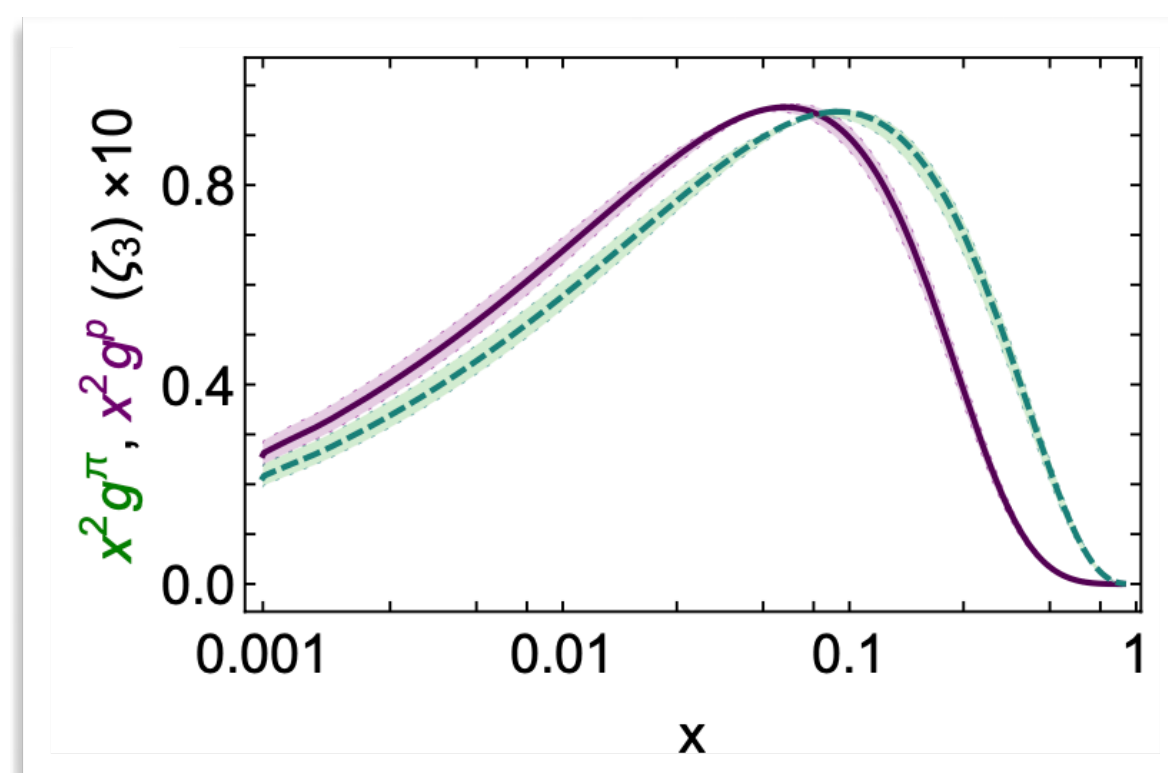
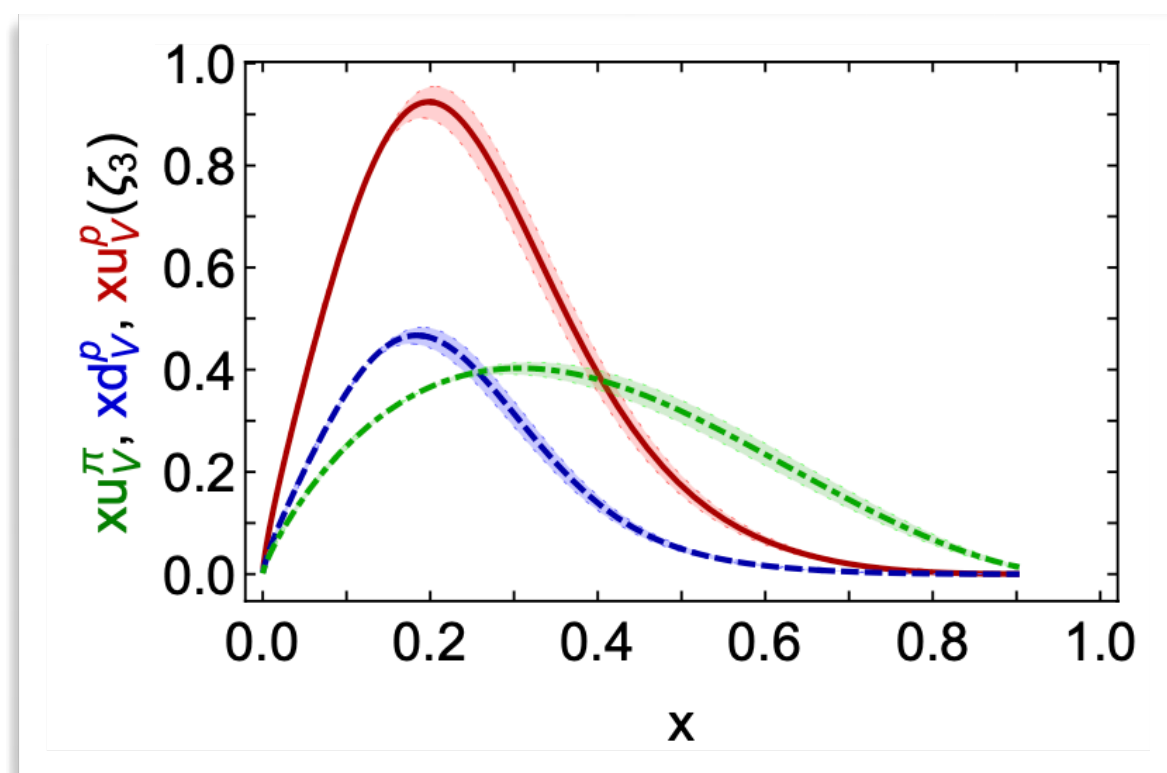
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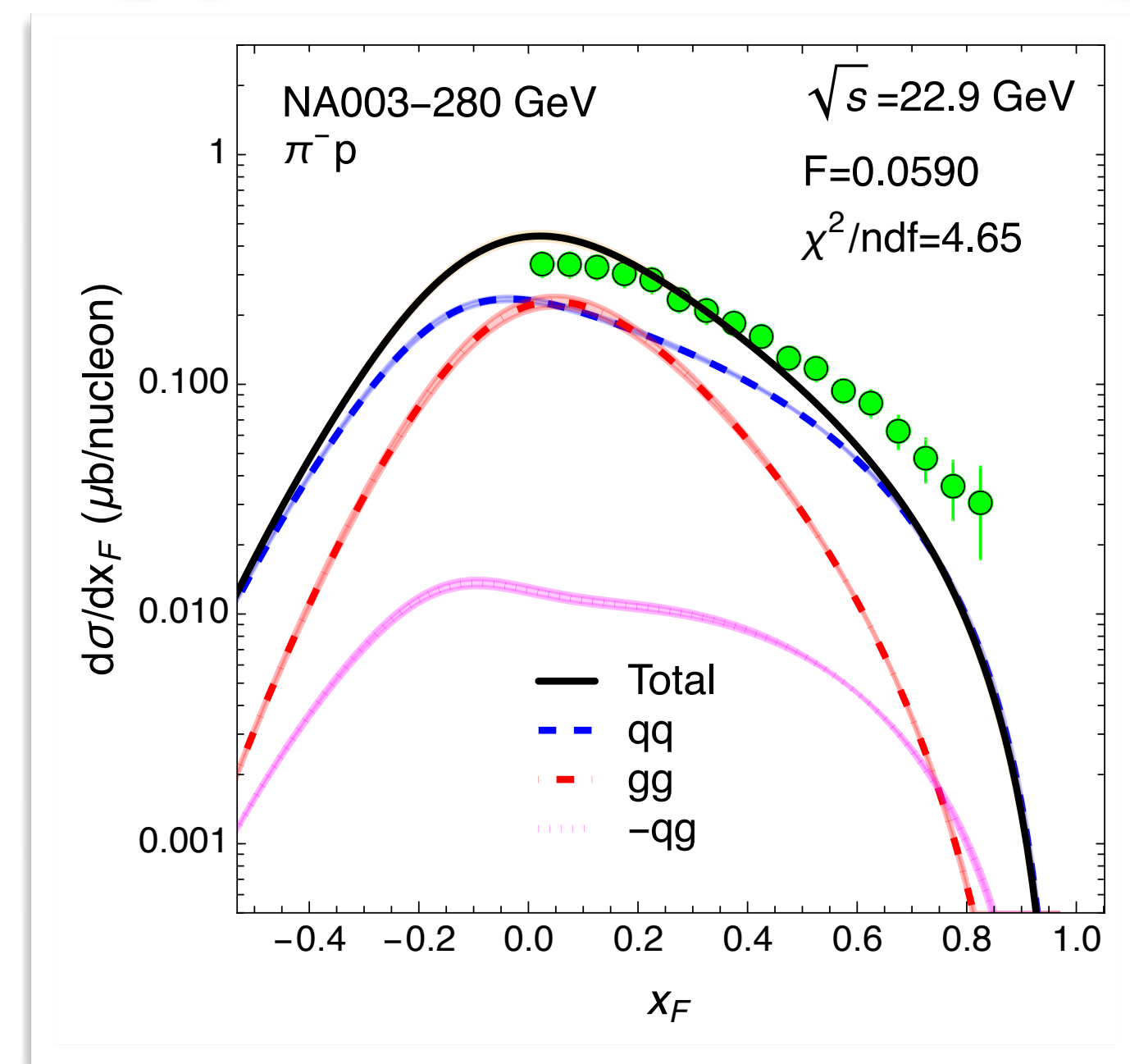
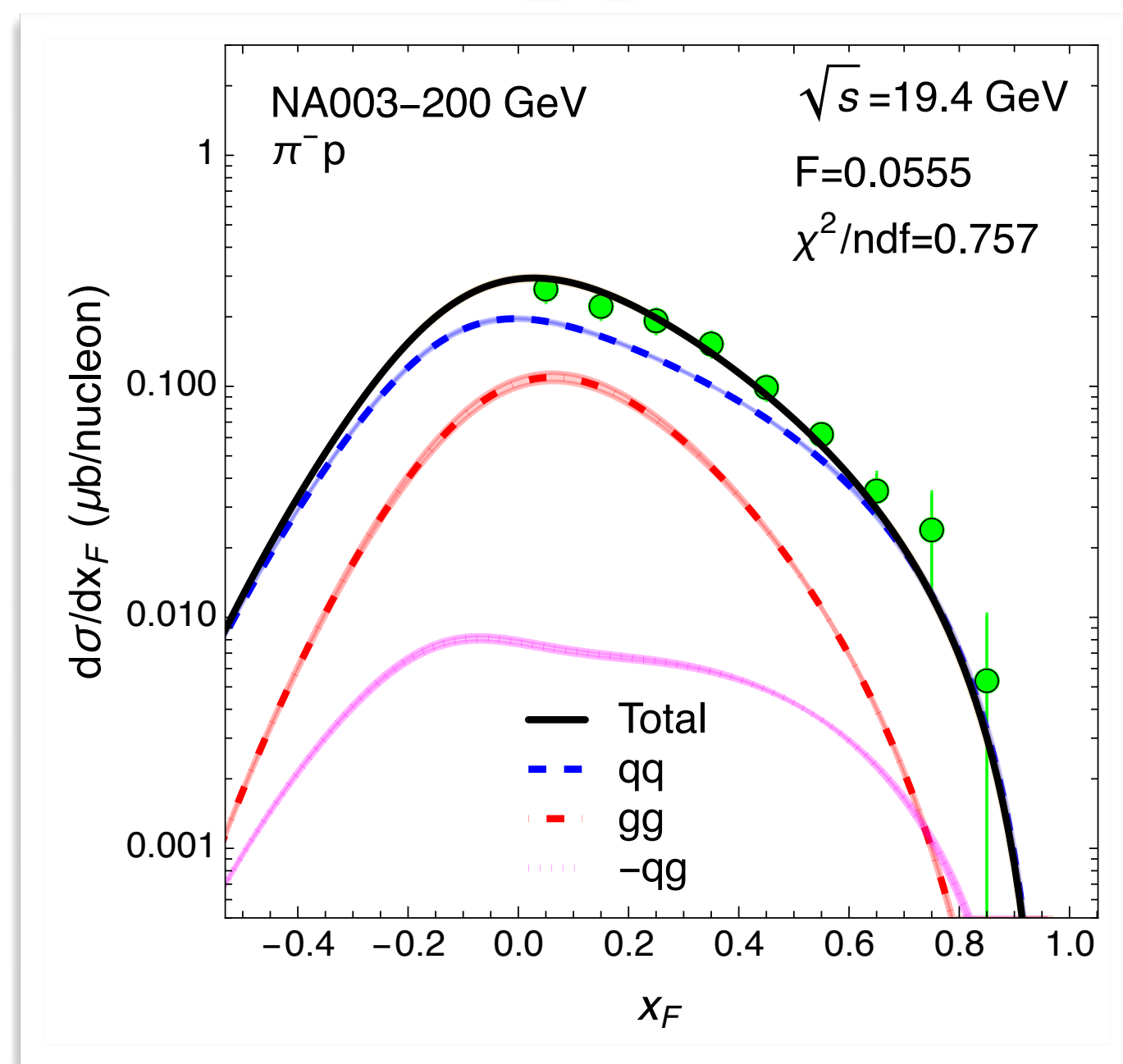
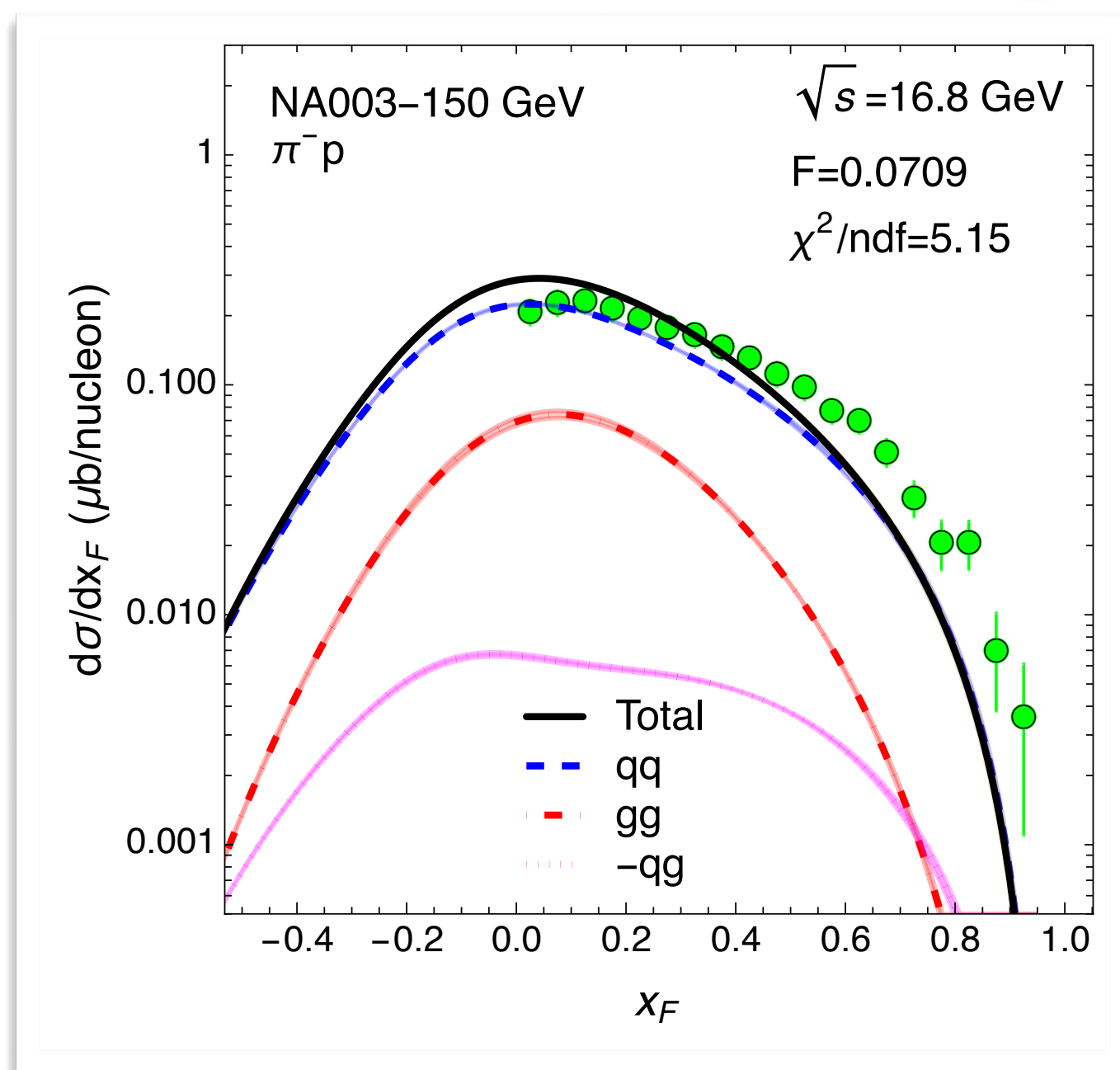
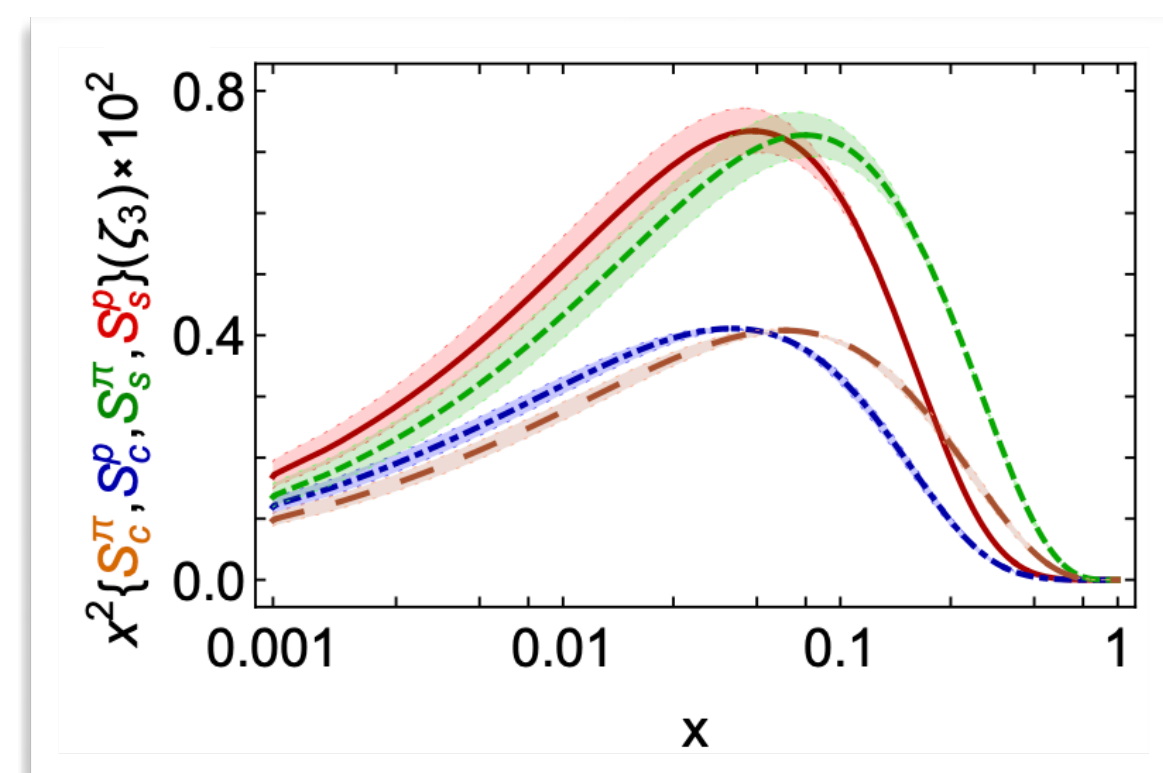
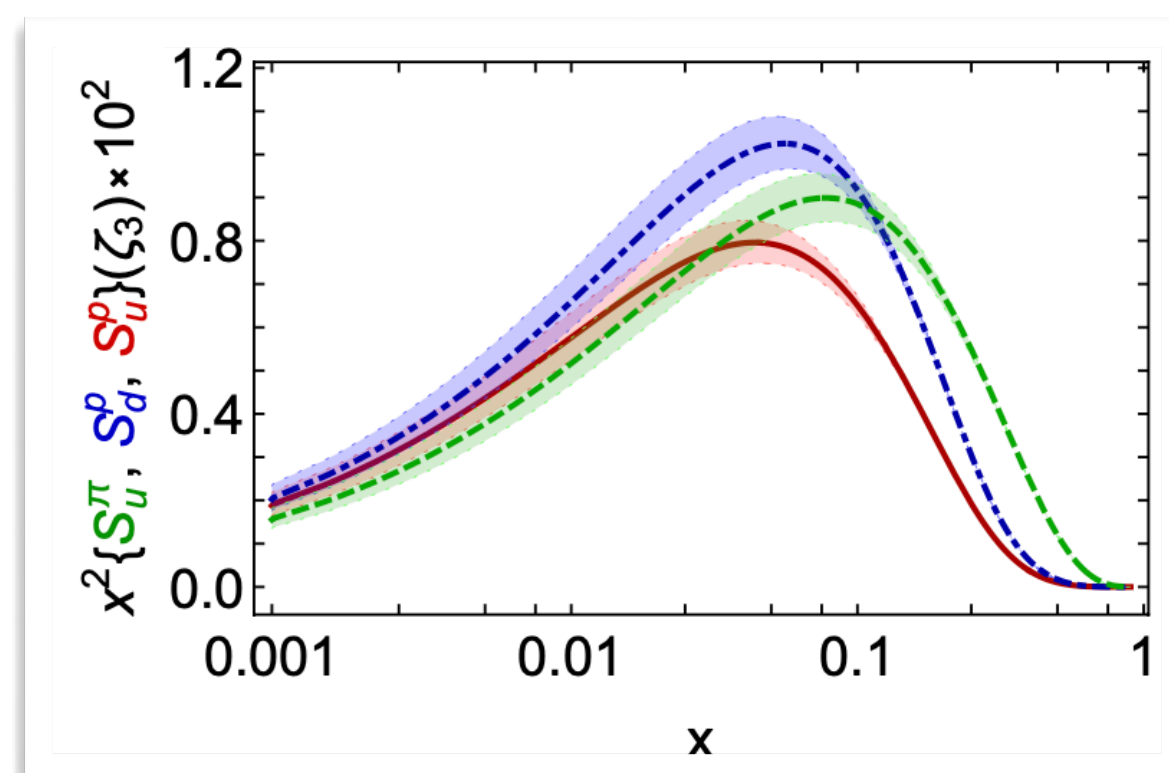
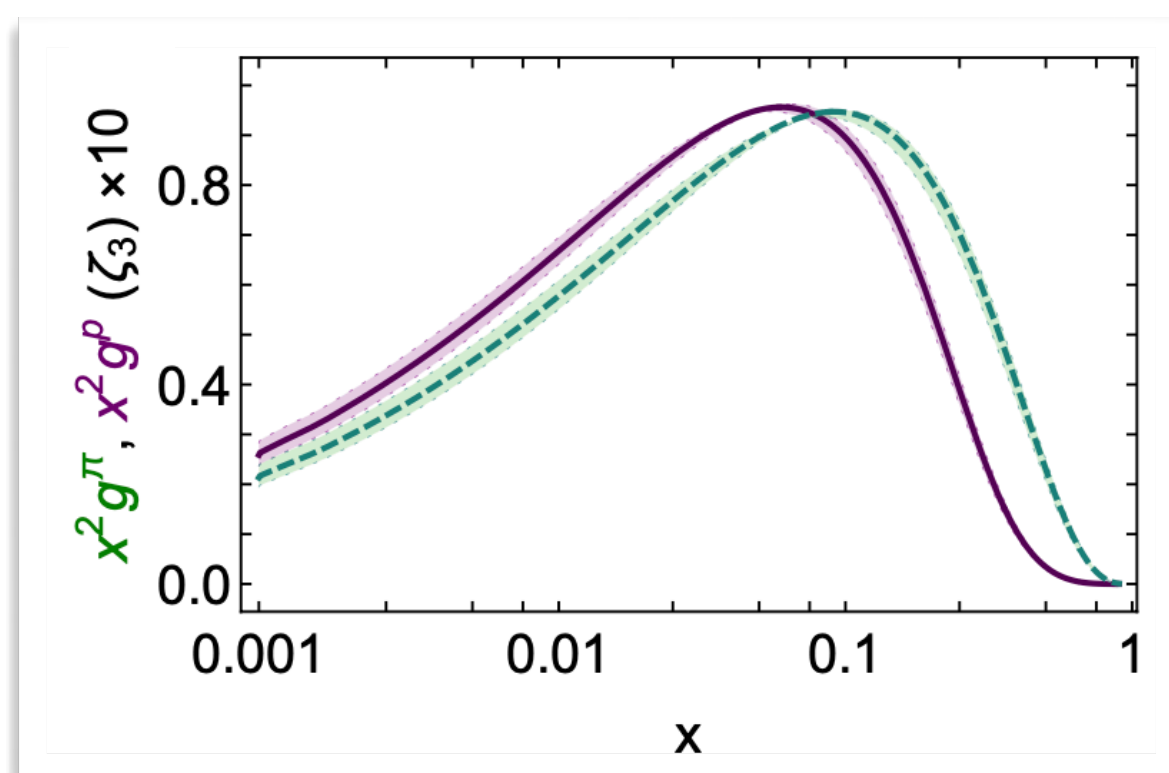
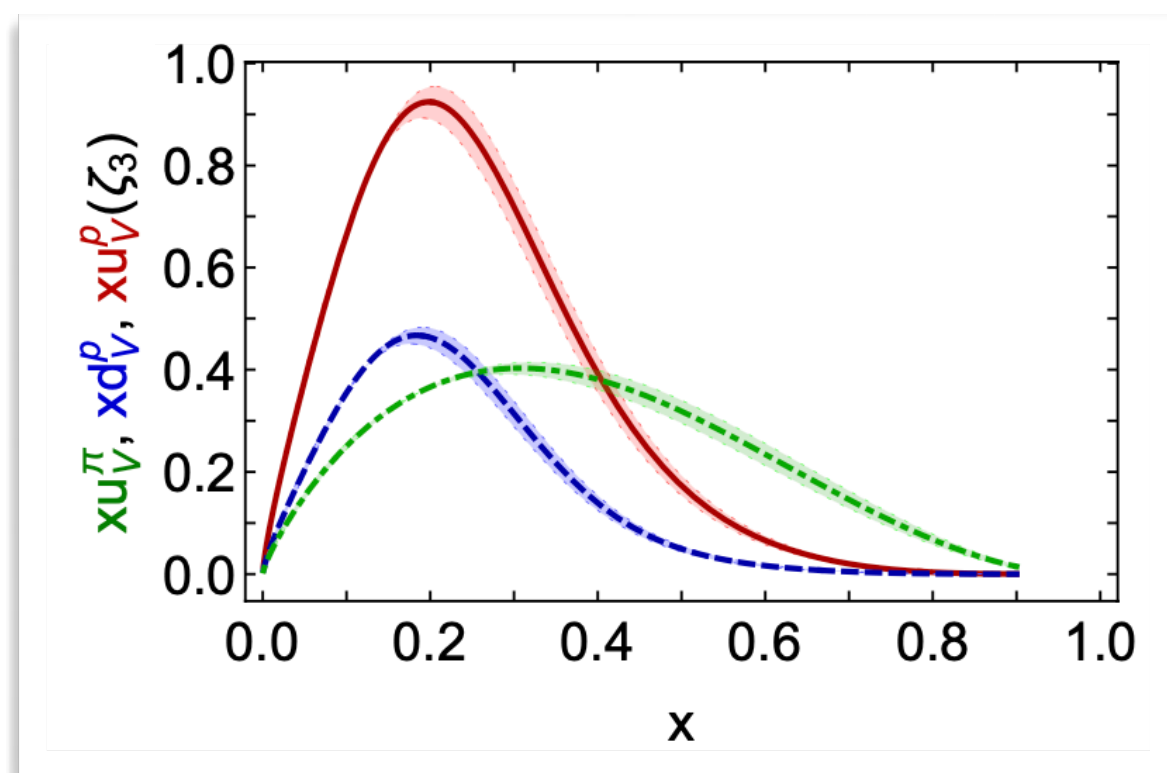
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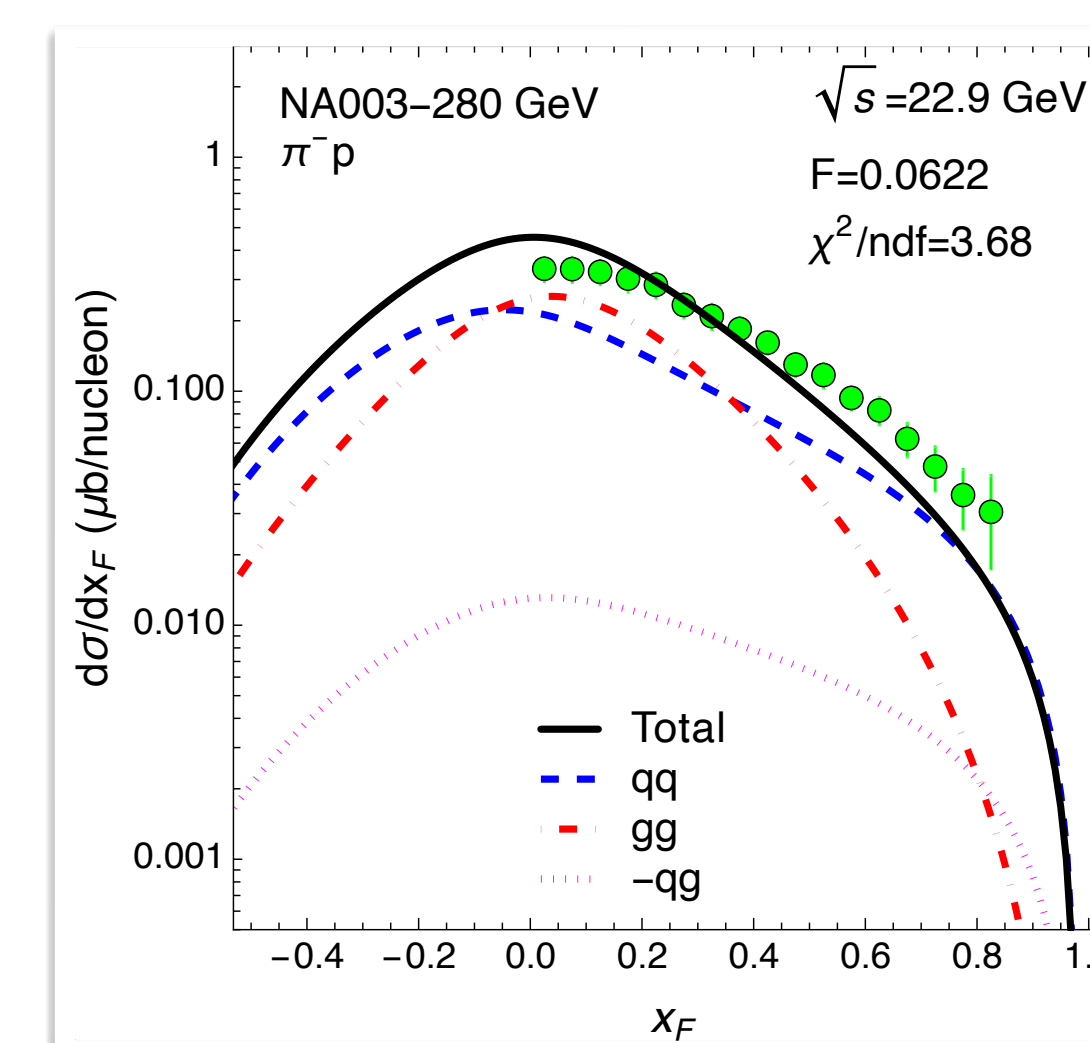
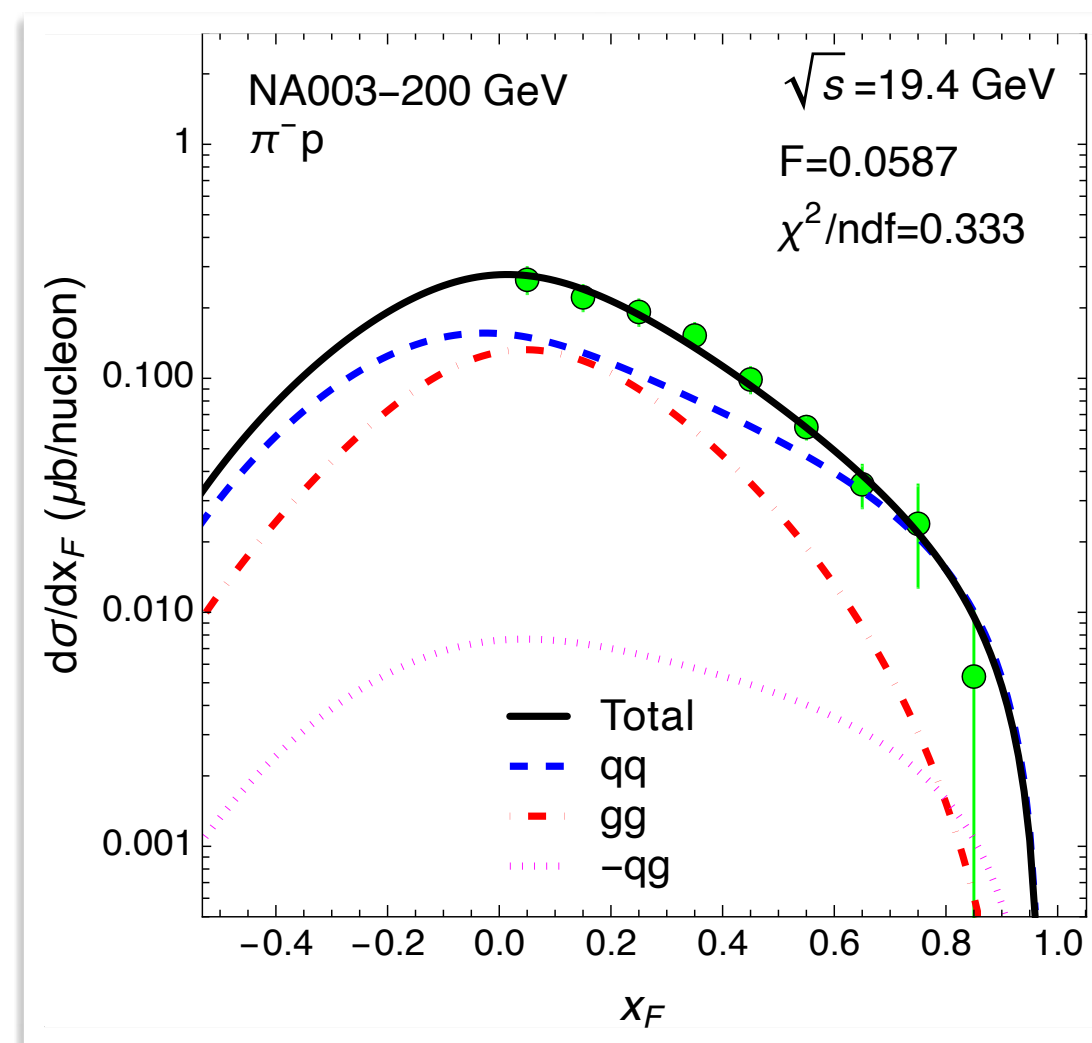
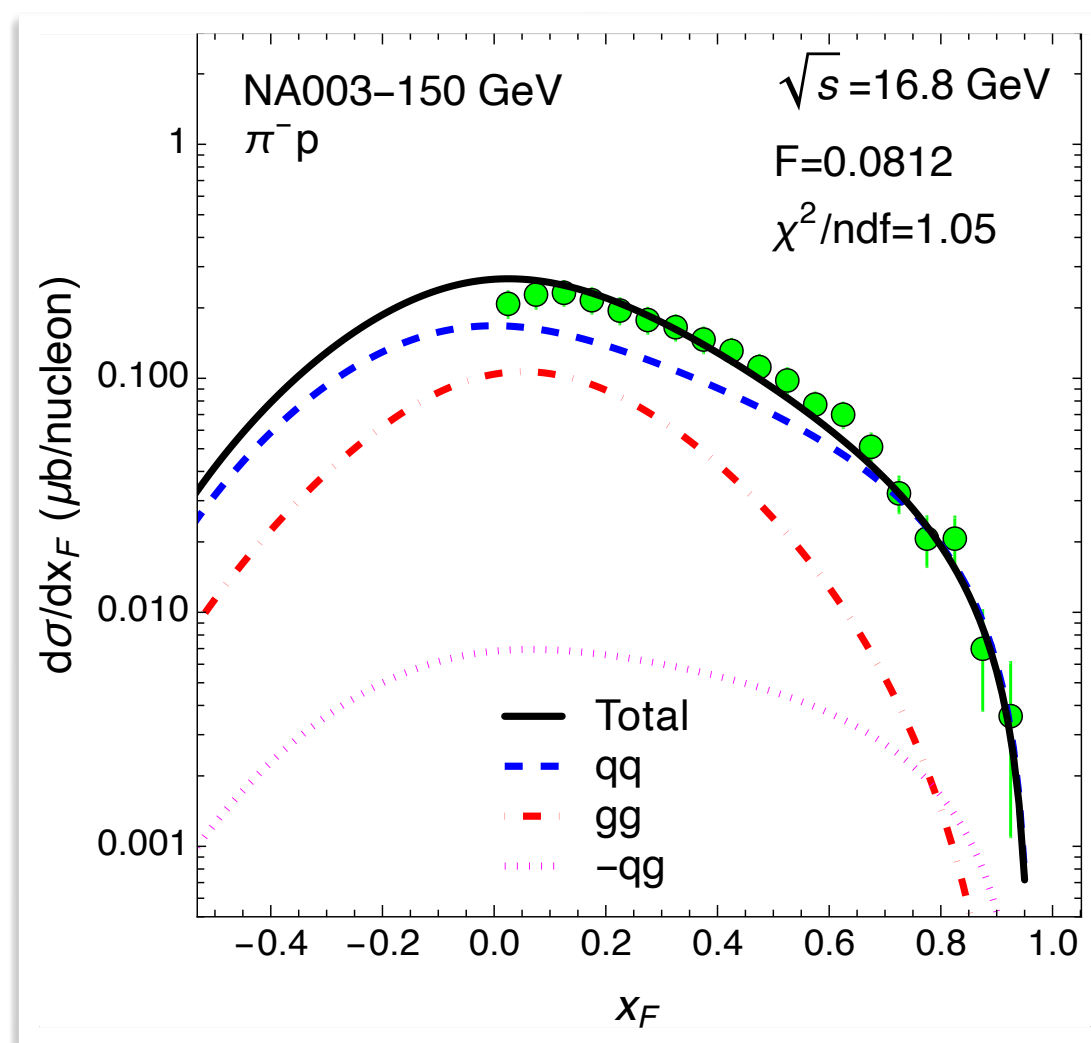
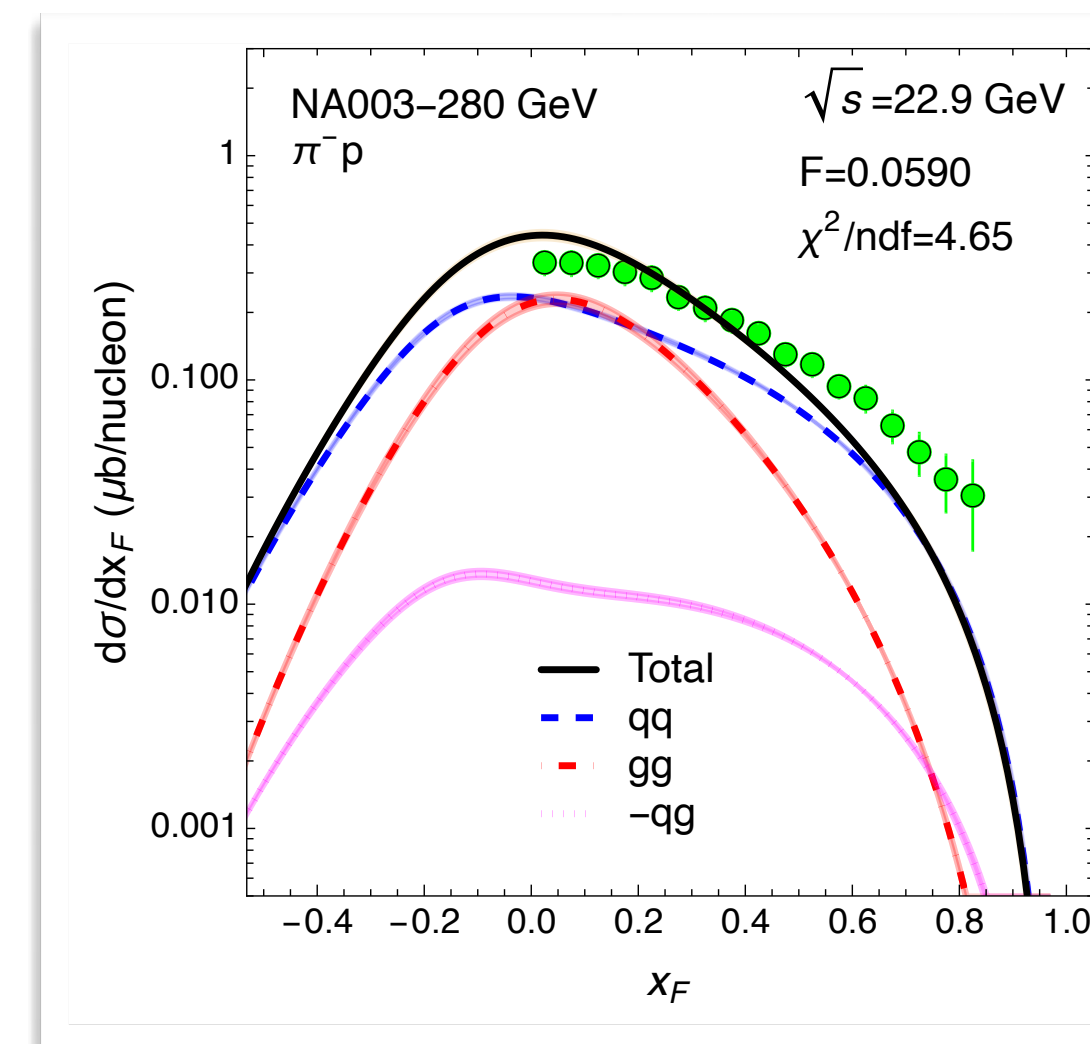
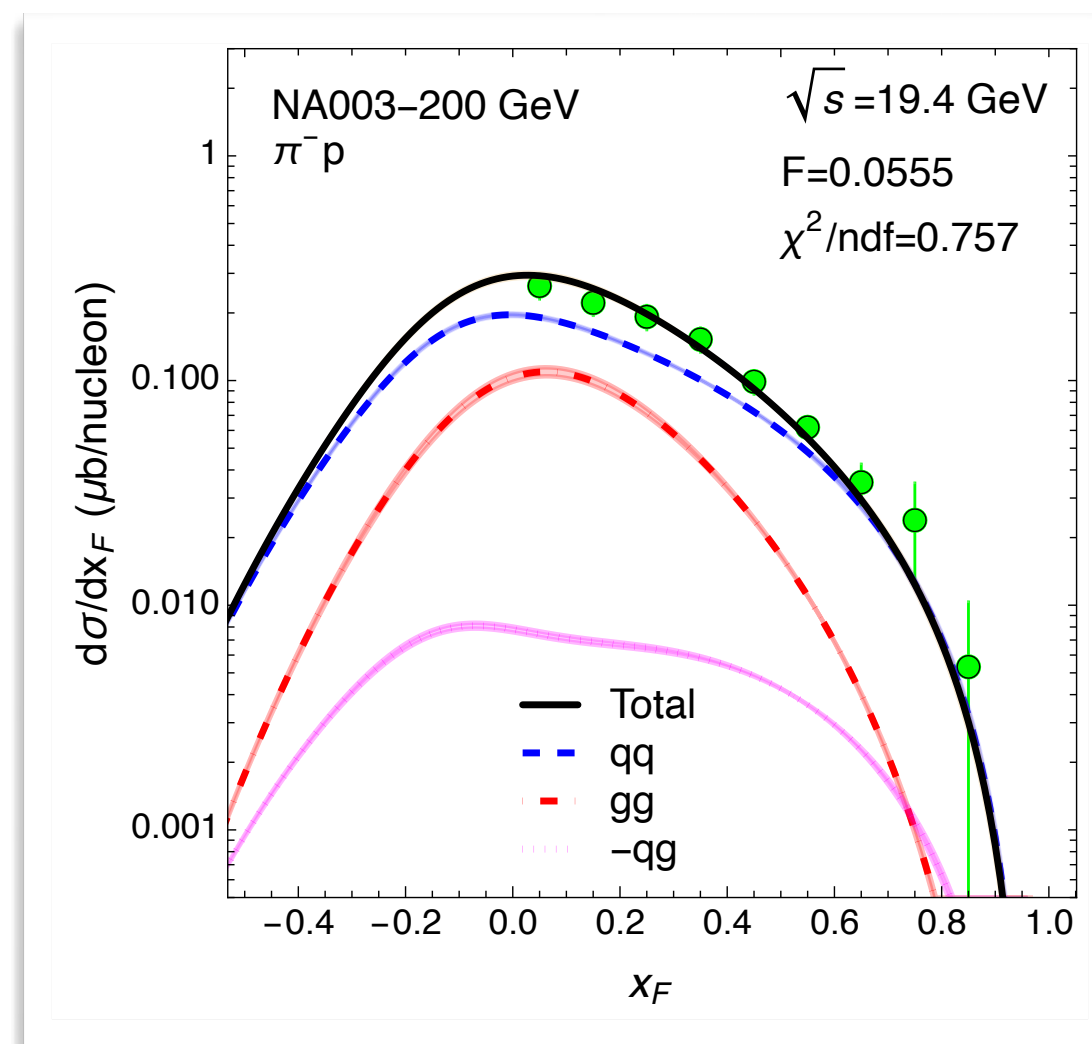
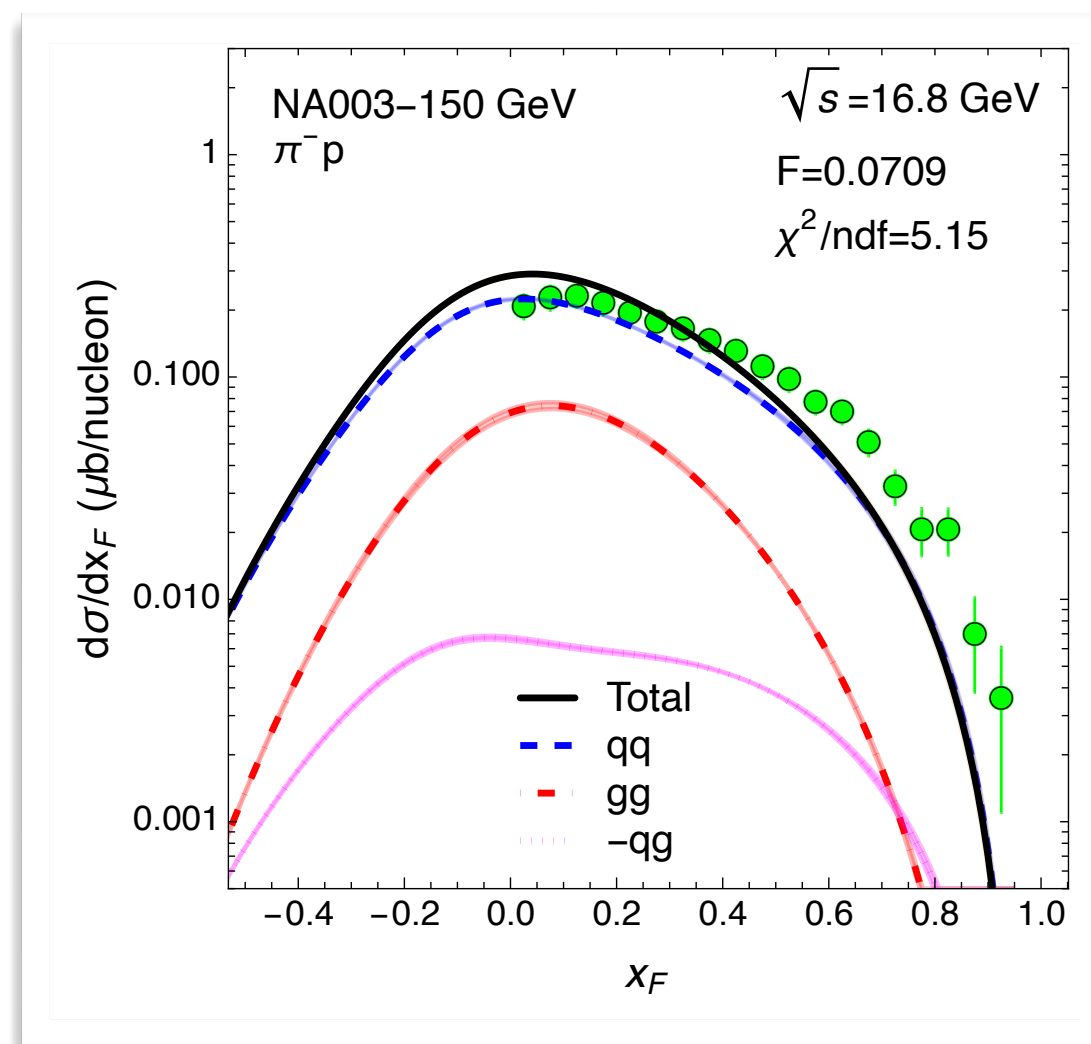
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Corwall, PRD 26 (1982)

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("only" requires the presence of longitudinally coupled massless poles)

Schwinger, PR 125 and 128 (1962)

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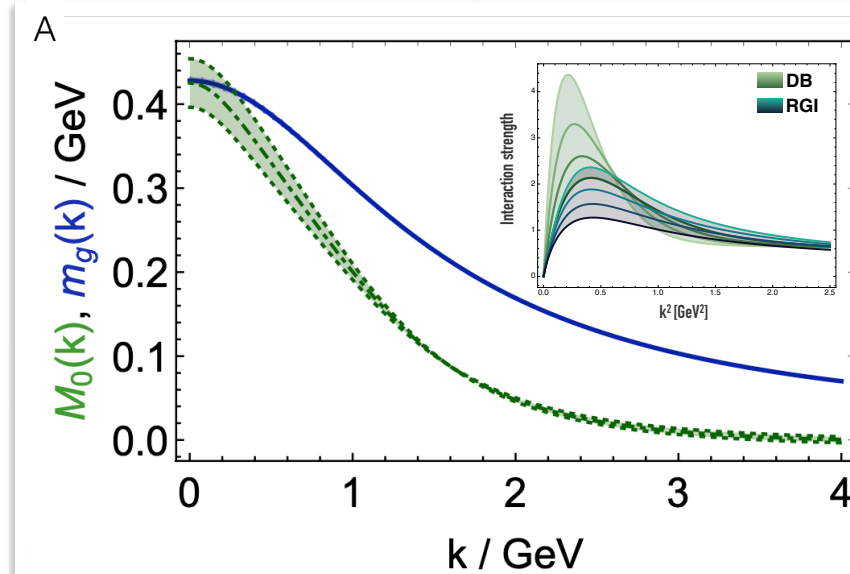
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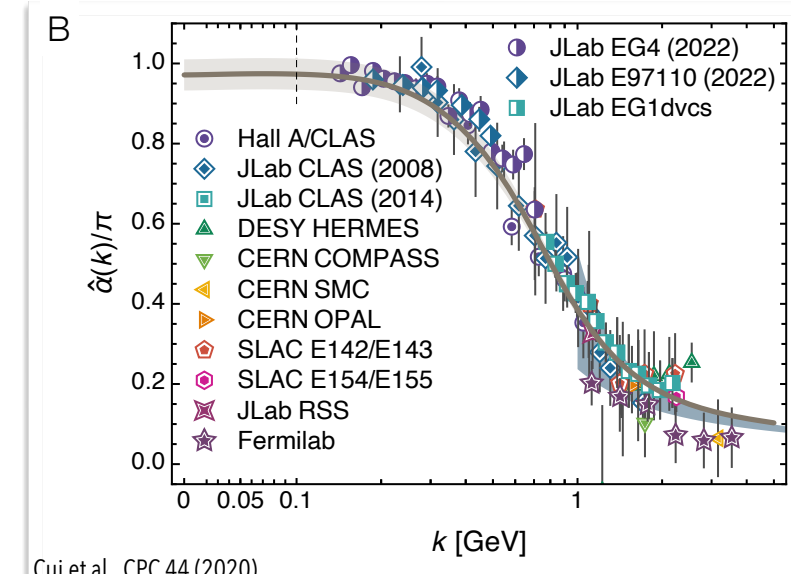


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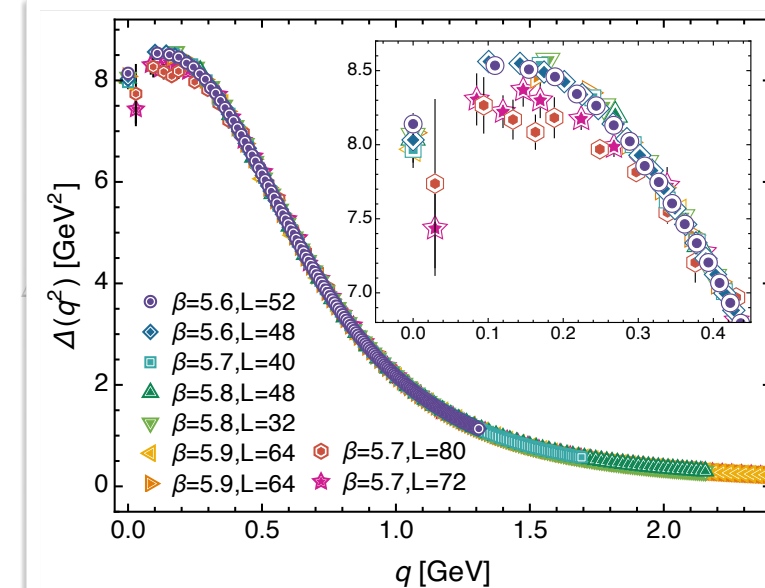
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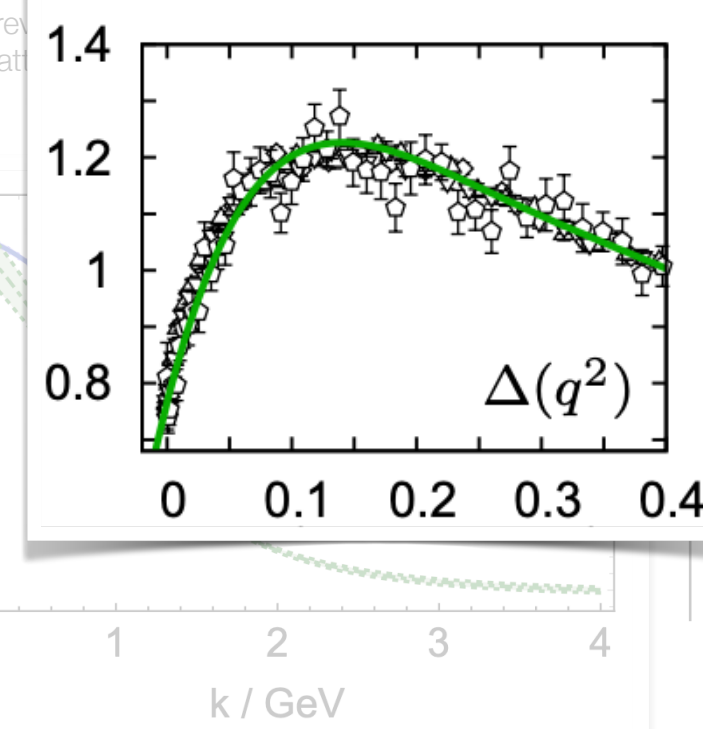
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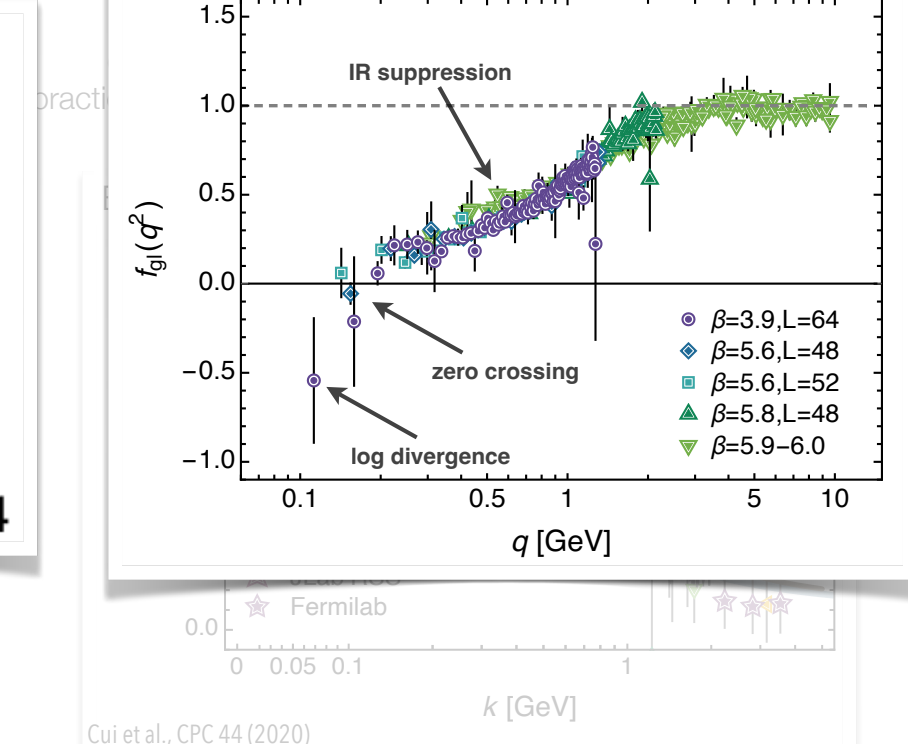
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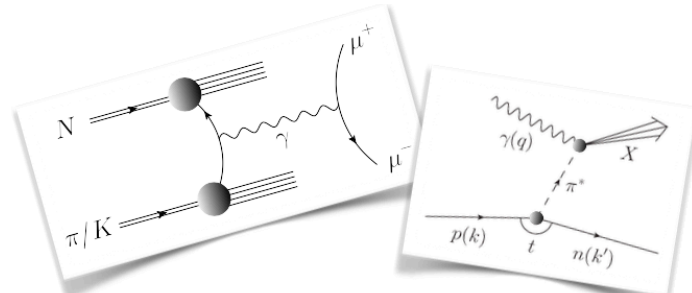
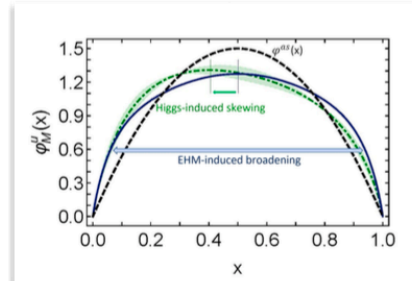
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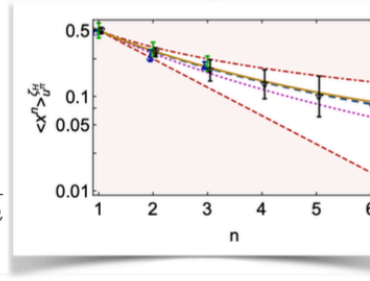


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## 2 alpha + DGLAP

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## DISTRIBUTION AMPLITUDES

$$f_M \varphi_M^u(x; \zeta_H) = \frac{1}{16\pi^3} \int d^2 k_\perp \psi_{M_u}^{\uparrow\downarrow}(x, k_\perp^2; \zeta_H)$$

## DISTRIBUTION FUNCTIONS

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Brodsky, and Lepage, ASDHEP 5 (1989)

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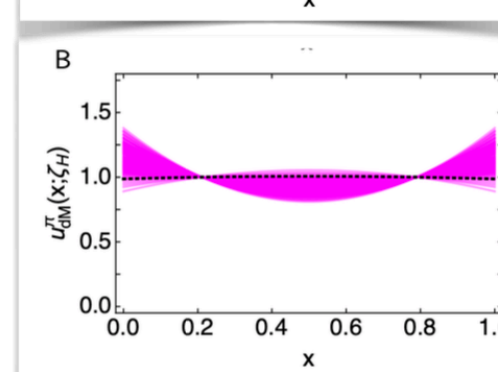
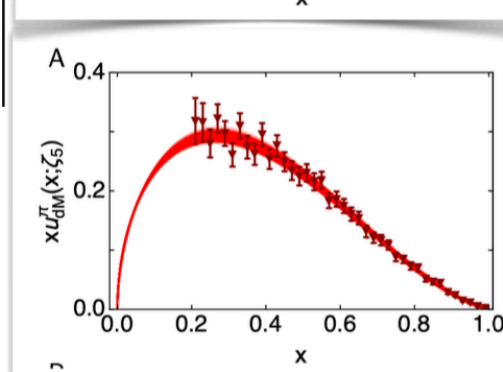
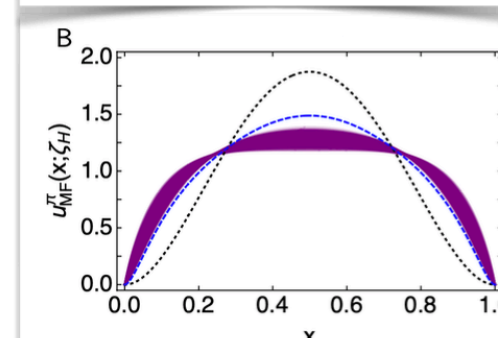
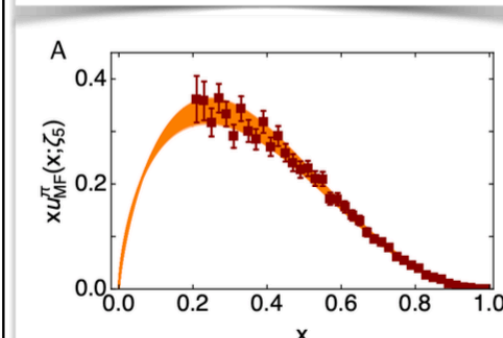
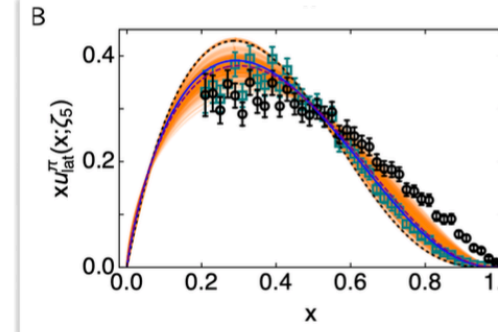
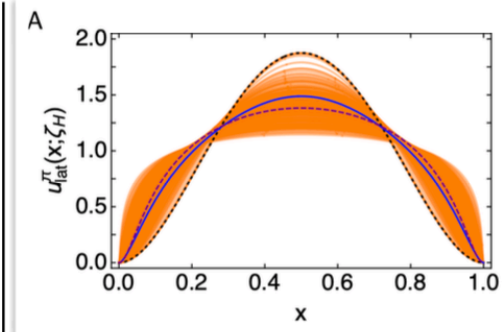
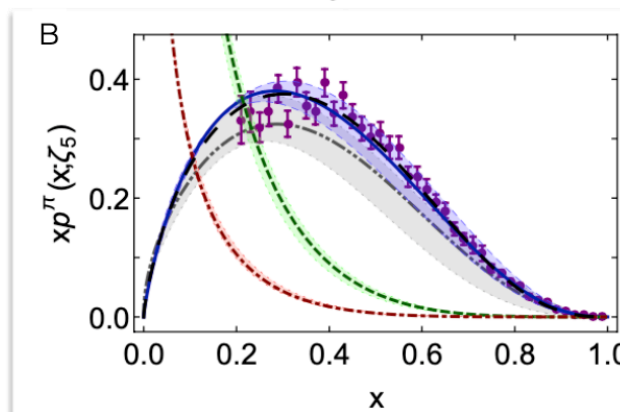
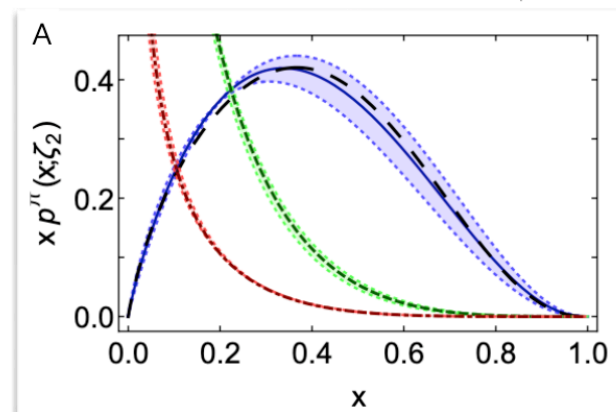
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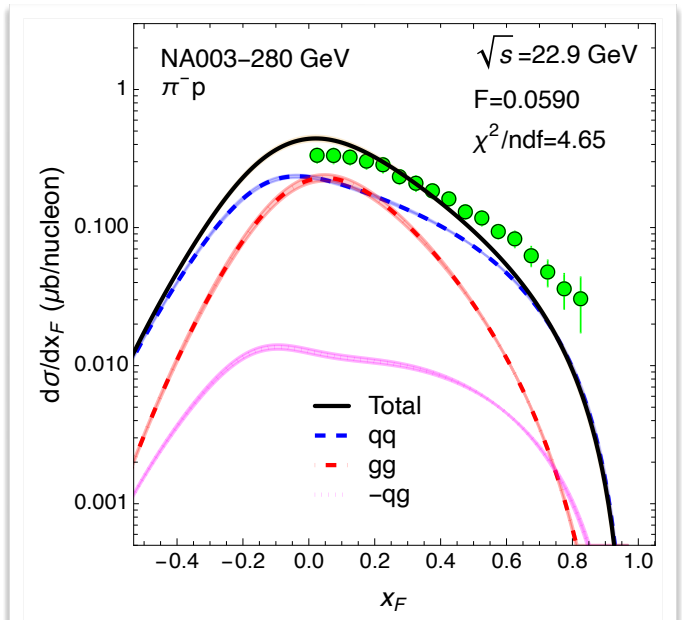
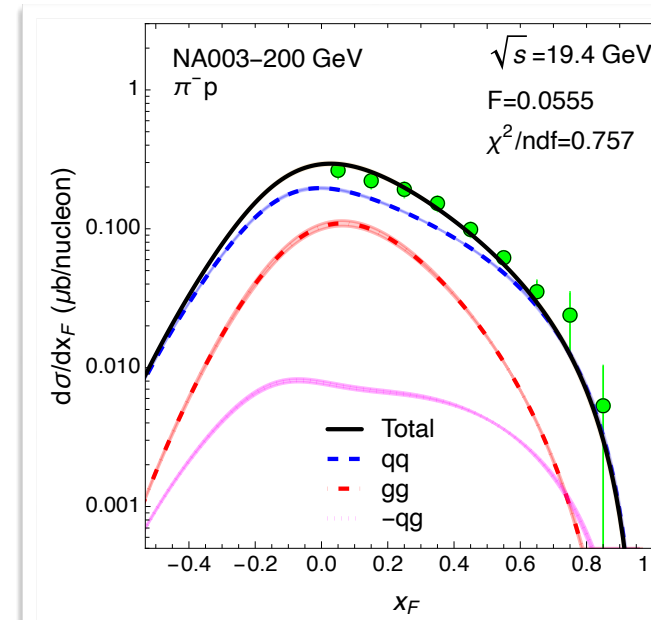
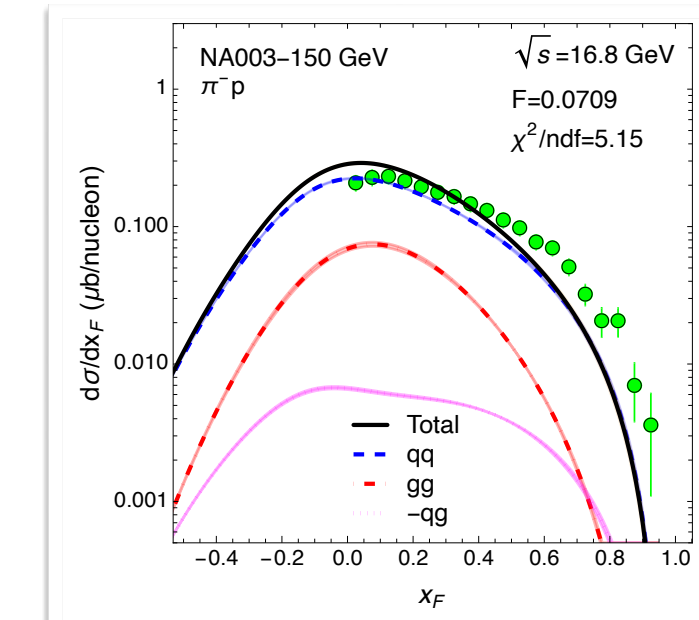
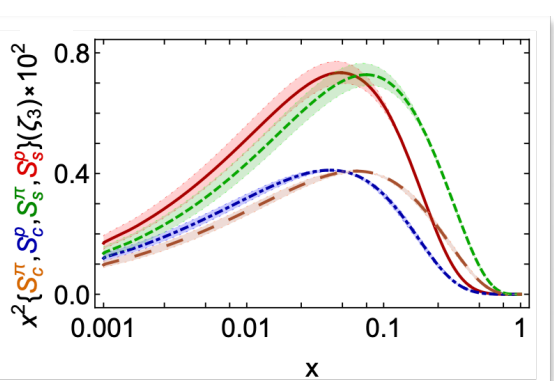
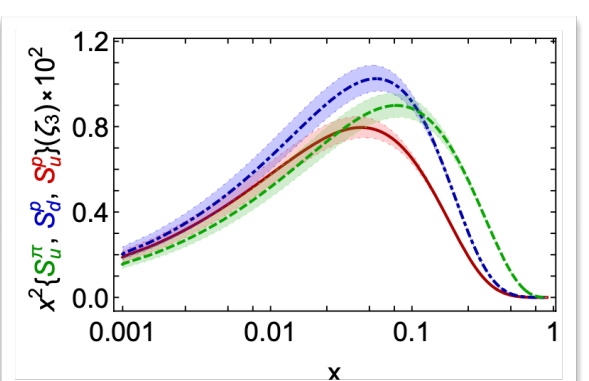
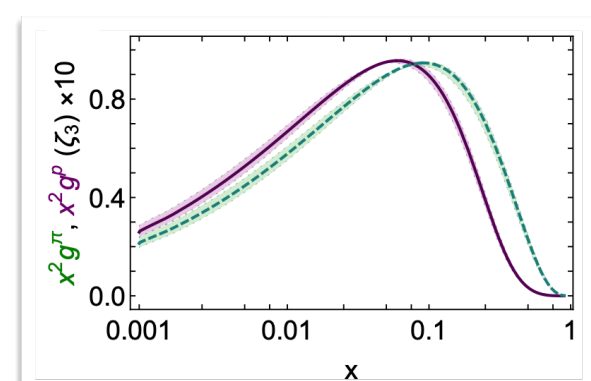
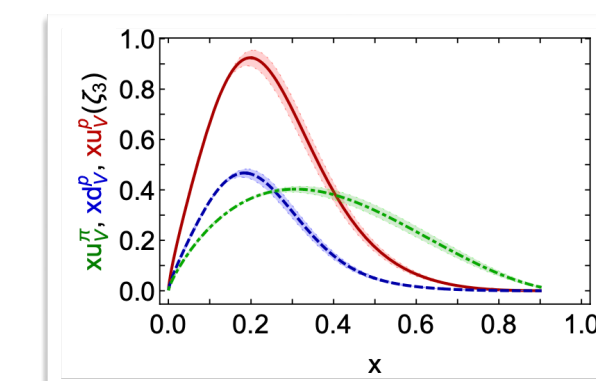
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Corwall, PRD 26 (1982)

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Schwinger, PR 125 and 128 (1962)

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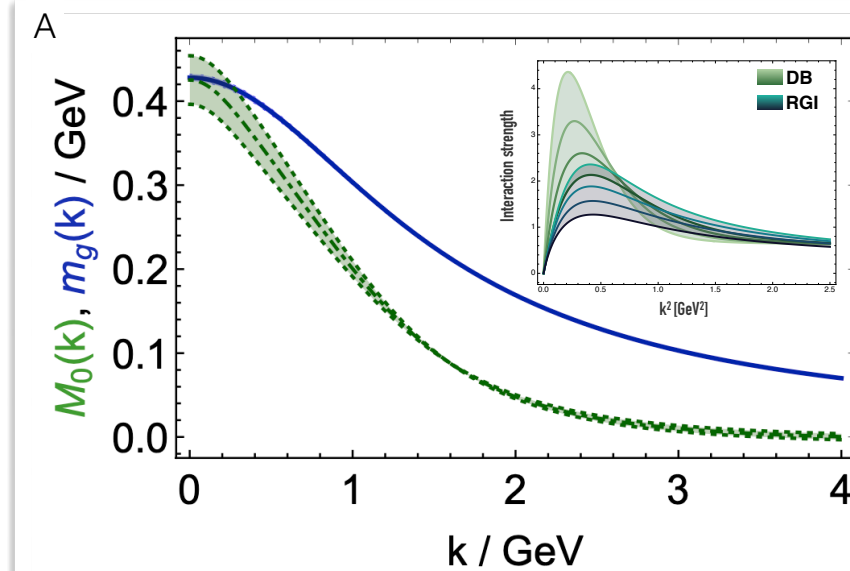
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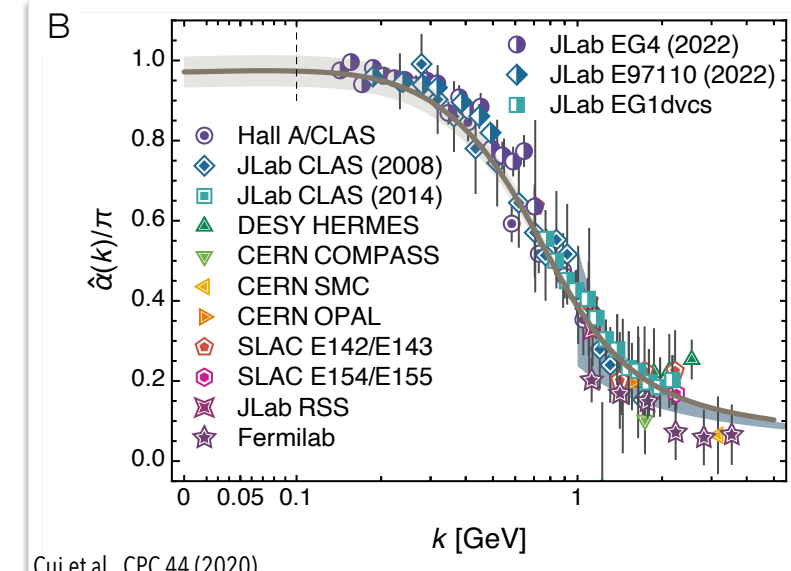


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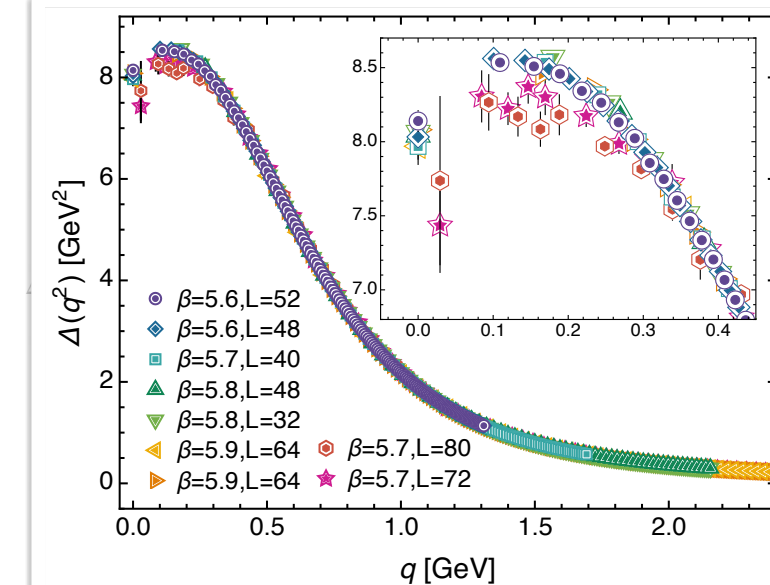
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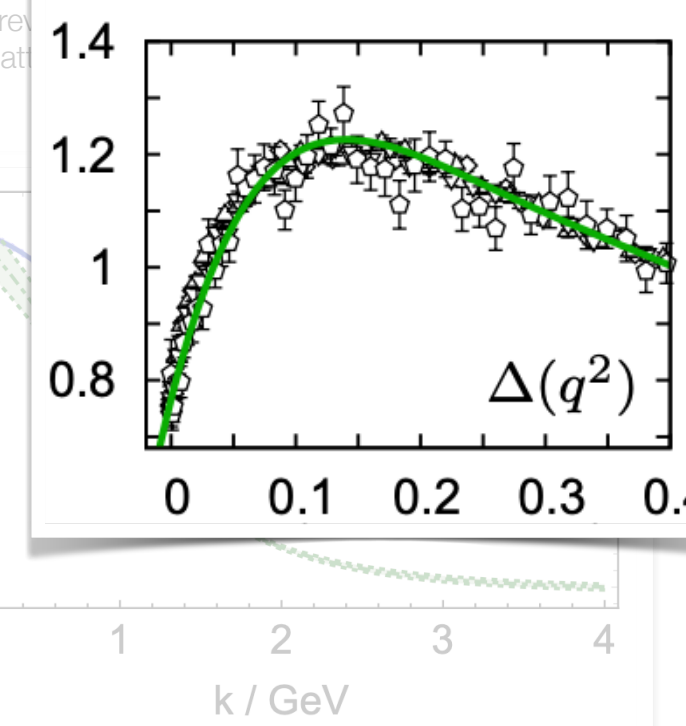
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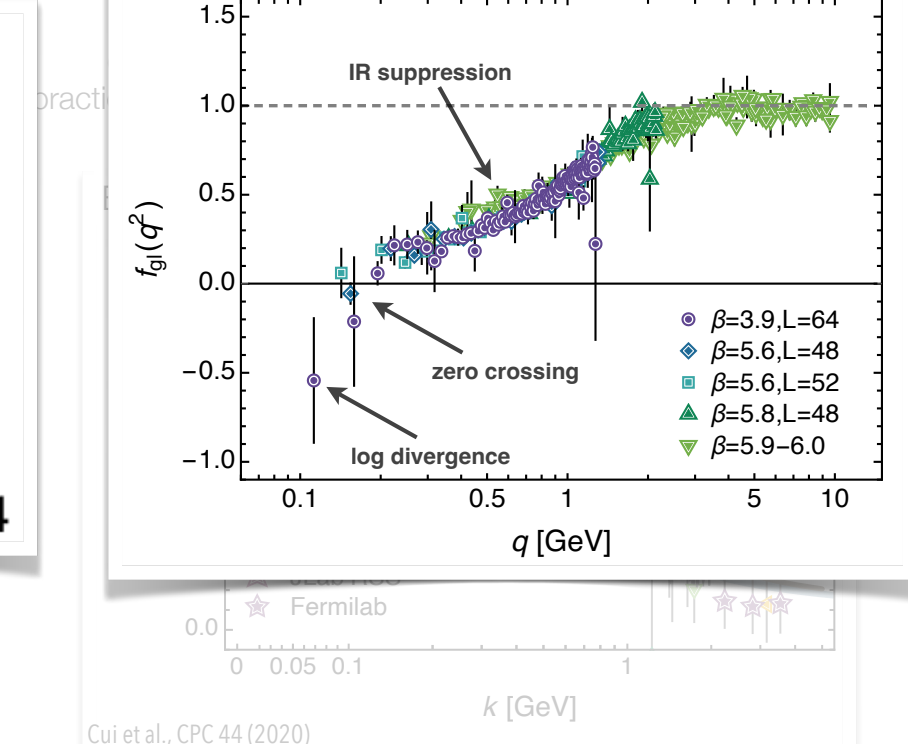
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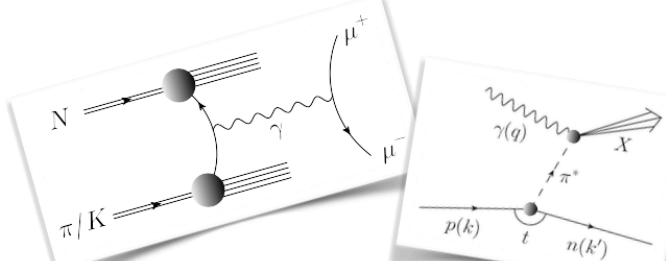
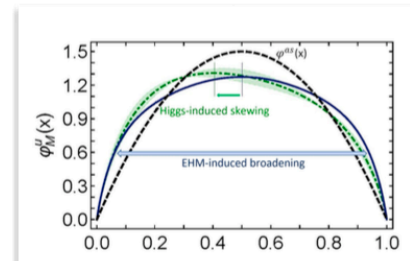
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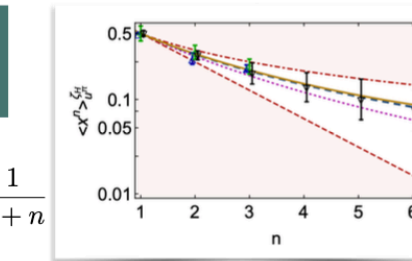


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Brodsky, and Lepage, ASDHEP 5 (1989)

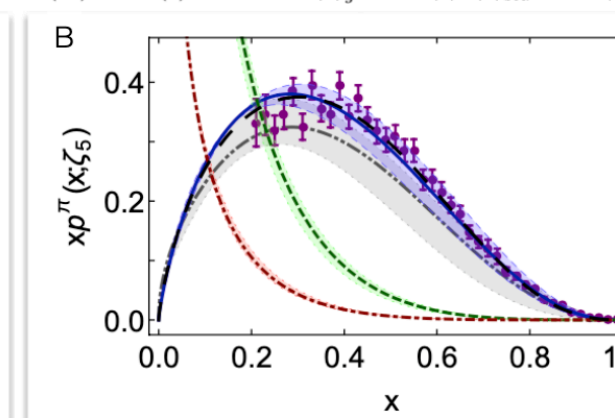
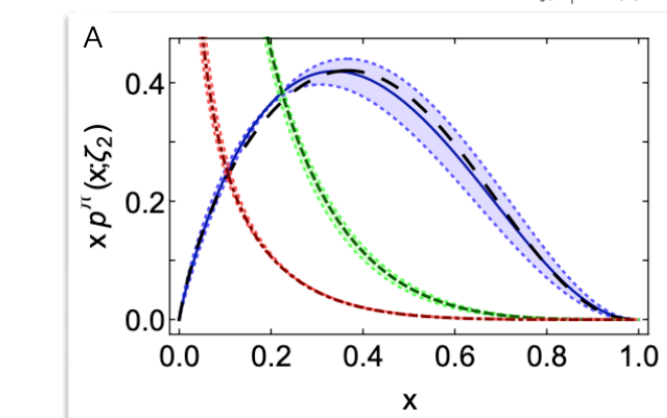
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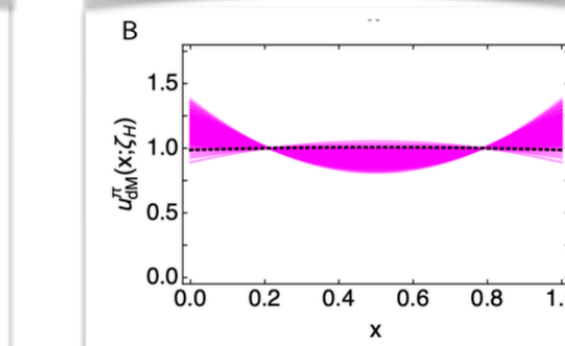
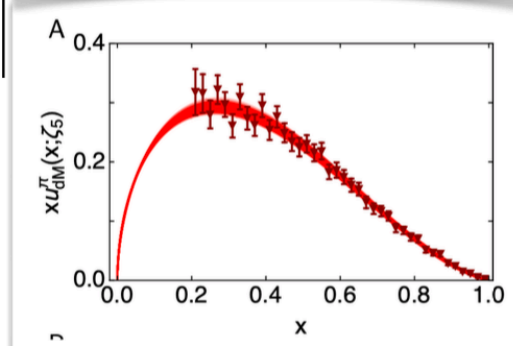
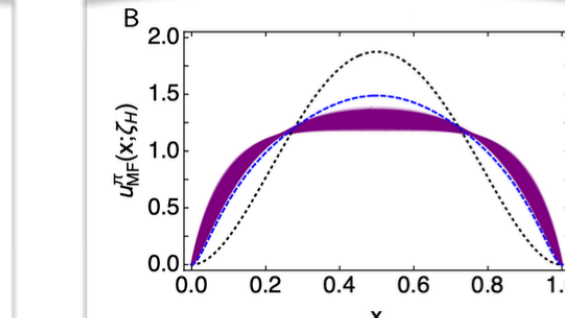
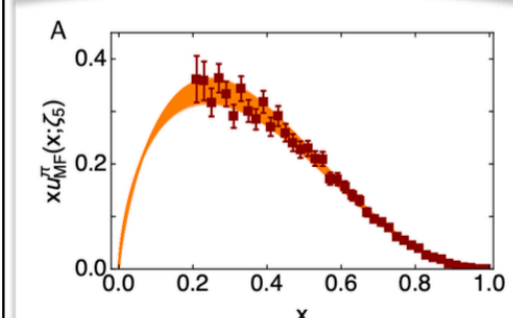
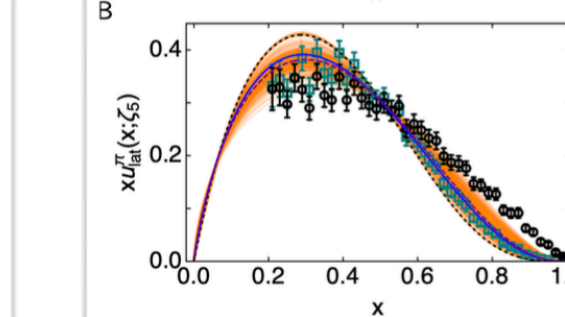
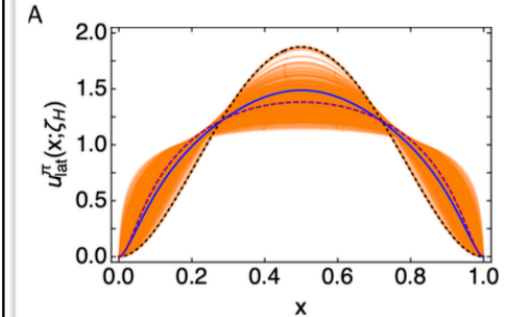
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