

Baryon Distribution Amplitudes:



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Form factors from Baryon DAs via LCSR

To describe the transition of a baryon B to a baryon N via the current j_μ

$$B(P') \xrightarrow{j_\mu} N(P), \quad P' = P - q$$

Start with a correlation function

$$T_\mu(P, q) = \int d^4x e^{-ipx} \langle 0 | T \{ \eta(0) j_\mu(x) \} | N(P) \rangle$$

■ Interpolating field η : “creating B from the vacuum”

e.g. $\eta_{\text{CZ}}(x) = \varepsilon^{ijk} [u^i(x)(C\not{x})u^j(x)] (\gamma_5\not{x}) d_\delta^k(x) \Rightarrow \text{B} = \text{Proton}$

or $\eta_{\text{Ioffe}}(x) = \varepsilon^{ijk} [u^i(x)(C\gamma_\nu)u^j(x)] (\gamma_5\gamma^\nu) d_\delta^k(x) \Rightarrow \text{B} = \text{Proton}$

■ Current j_μ

e.g. $j_\mu^{\text{em}}(x) = e_u \bar{u}(x)\gamma_\mu u(x) + e_d \bar{d}(x)\gamma_\mu d(x) \Rightarrow \text{em form factors}$

e.g. $j_\mu^{\text{weak}}(x) = \bar{u}(x)\gamma_\mu(1 - \gamma_5)d(x) \Rightarrow \text{weak decay}$

Now: Express T_μ in two different ways



Example: EM form factors of the Nucleon

- Rosenbluth-formula (1955) for elastic e^- -N scattering (1 photon exchange)

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right) = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{Mott} \left[\frac{G_E^2(Q^2) + \tau G_M^2(Q^2)}{1 + \tau} + 2\tau G_M^2(Q^2) \tan^2 \frac{\theta_e}{2} \right]$$

$$Q^2 = -q^2, \quad \tau = \frac{Q^2}{4M^2c^2}, \quad \theta_e = \text{scattering - angle of } e^-$$

- Electric $G_E(Q^2)$ and magnetic $G_M(Q^2)$ Sachs form factors
- Interpretation in Breit frame:
 - $G_E(Q^2)$ Fourier transform of electric charge distribution
 - $G_M(Q^2)$ Fourier transform of magnetization density
- Relation of Dirac and Pauli form factors to Sachs form factors

$$G_M(Q^2) = F_1(Q^2) + F_2(Q^2), \quad G_E(Q^2) = F_1(Q^2) - \frac{Q^2}{4M^2} F_2(Q^2).$$

- $G_M^p(0) = \mu_p = 2.79$, $G_M^n(0) = \mu_n = -1.91$.
- Def.: $\langle P', s | j_\mu^{\text{em}} | P \rangle = \bar{N}(P') \left[\gamma_\mu F_1 - i \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu}{2m_p} F_2 \right] N(P)$



L.H.S. of the sum rule

Inserting a full set of one-particle states in the correlation function we obtain

$$T_\mu(P, q) = \frac{1}{m_p^2 - (P')^2} \sum_s \langle 0 | \eta_p | P', s \rangle \langle P', s | j_\mu^{\text{em}} | P \rangle + \dots$$

where the dots represent contributions of higher resonances.

The arising matrix elements read

- $\langle 0 | \eta_{\text{CZ}} | P \rangle = f_N P \not{z} N(P)$ or $\langle 0 | \eta_{\text{Ioffe}} | P \rangle = \lambda_1 m_p N(P)$
with the non-perturbative constants f_N, λ_1
- $\langle P', s | j_\mu^{\text{em}} | P \rangle = \bar{N}(P') \left[\gamma_\mu F_1 - i \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu}{2m_p} F_2 \right] N(P)$

$$\Rightarrow T_\mu = T_\mu(F_1, F_2)$$

Which η to use?

Determine f_N, λ_1, \dots



R.H.S. of the sum rule

Do all possible Wick-contractions in T_μ :

$$T_\mu(P, q) \propto \int d^4x e^{-ipx} \dots \Gamma_1^{\alpha\beta} \Gamma_2^{\delta\gamma} 4 \langle 0 | \epsilon_{ijk} u_\alpha^i u_\beta^j d_\gamma^k | N(P) \rangle$$

and insert the Baryon DA

$$4 \langle 0 | \epsilon_{ijk} u_\alpha^i u_\beta^j d_\gamma^k | N(P) \rangle = \sum \Gamma_3^{\alpha\beta} \Gamma_4^\gamma F$$

with Dirac structures Γ_i and 24 distribution amplitudes F

In the end all DAs can be reduced to eight non-perturbative parameters

$$\Rightarrow T_\mu = T_\mu(f_N, \lambda_1, \lambda_2, V_1^d, A_1^u, f_1^d, f_1^u, f_2^d)$$

Determine f_N, λ_1, \dots



Combining L.H.S. and R.H.S.

In order to combine the two expressions for T_μ we perform first a projection

$$\Rightarrow \Lambda_+ T_z = pz (m_p \mathcal{A}_1^{\text{em}} + \not{q}_\perp \mathcal{B}_1^{\text{em}}) N^+(P)$$

with $z^2 = 0 = qz$; $p_\mu = P_\mu - z_\mu m_p^2 / (2Pz)$; $\Lambda^+ = \not{p}z / (2pz)$; $\Lambda^+ N = N^+$

$$\mathcal{B}_1^{\text{em}} = \frac{\lambda_1 F_2^{\text{em}}}{m_p^2 - P'^2} = -2e_d \int_0^1 \frac{dx_3}{(q - x_3 P)^2} \int_0^{1-x_3} dx_1 120 x_1 x_2 x_3 \delta(1-x_1-x_2-x_3) f_N + \dots$$

To suppress the contributions of higher resonances we perform a Borel trafo

$$F_2^{\text{em}} = 2e_d \frac{1}{\lambda_1} \int_{x_0}^1 \frac{dx}{x} \int_0^{1-x} dx_1 120 x_1 x_2 x \delta(1-x_1-x_2-x) f_N + \dots$$



Current activities - including higher twist DAs

- The nucleon DA up to twist 6
Braun, Fries, Mahnke, Stein, 2000
- LCSR: em form factors of the nucleon
use η_{CZ} ; x^2 -corrections to V_1
Braun, A.L., Mahnke, Stein, 2001
- LCSR: em form factors of the nucleon
use isospin conserving $\eta_{Im.}$
A.L., Wittmann, Stein, 2003
- LCSR: form factors of the nucleon, $n \rightarrow p$
use $\eta_{CZ}, \eta_{Im.}, \eta_{Ioffe}$; x^2 -correct. to A_1, T_1
estimate of non-perturbative parameters
Braun, A.L., Wittmann, 2006
- LCSR: $N \rightarrow \Delta$
Braun, A.L., Peters, Radyushkin, 2005
- LCSR: $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p l \bar{\nu}$
 x^2 -corrections to V_1, A_1, T_1
Huang, Wang, 2004
- LCSR: Scalar form-factor of the nucleon
use η_{CZ}
Z. Wang, Wan, Yang, 2006
- LCSR: axial and induced pseudoscalar form-factor of the nucleon
use η_{CZ}
Z. Wang, Wan, Yang, 2006
- LCSR: $\Lambda_c \rightarrow \Lambda l \bar{\nu}$
Axial Λ -DAs of leading conformal spin
Huang, Wang, 2006
- LCSR: $\Sigma \rightarrow N$
use η_{Ioffe}
Z. Wang, 2006



Determining the Nucleon DA upto twist 6 I

$$\begin{aligned}
4\langle 0 | \varepsilon^{ijk} u_\alpha^i(a_1 x) u_\beta^j(a_2 x) d_\gamma^k(a_3 x) | P \rangle = & \\
& \mathcal{S}_1 M C_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{S}_2 M^2 C_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{P}_1 M (\gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} N_\gamma + \mathcal{P}_2 M^2 (\gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} N)_\gamma \\
& + \left(\mathcal{V}_1 + \frac{x^2 m_N^2}{4} \mathcal{V}_1^M \right) (\not{P} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{V}_2 M (\not{P} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{V}_3 M (\gamma_\mu C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 N)_\gamma \\
& + \mathcal{V}_4 M^2 (\not{x} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{V}_5 M^2 (\gamma_\mu C)_{\alpha\beta} (i\sigma^{\mu\nu} x_\nu \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{V}_6 M^3 (\not{x} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} \gamma_5 N)_\gamma \\
& + \left(\mathcal{A}_1 + \frac{x^2 m_N^2}{4} \mathcal{A}_1^M \right) (\not{P} \gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} N_\gamma + \mathcal{A}_2 M (\not{P} \gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} N)_\gamma + \mathcal{A}_3 M (\gamma_\mu \gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma^\mu N)_\gamma \\
& + \mathcal{A}_4 M^2 (\not{x} \gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} N_\gamma + \mathcal{A}_5 M^2 (\gamma_\mu \gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} (i\sigma^{\mu\nu} x_\nu N)_\gamma + \mathcal{A}_6 M^3 (\not{x} \gamma_5 C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} N)_\gamma \\
& + \left(\mathcal{T}_1 + \frac{x^2 m_N^2}{4} \mathcal{T}_1^M \right) (i\sigma_{\mu P} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{T}_2 M (i\sigma_{xP} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{T}_3 M (\sigma_{\mu\nu} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 N)_\gamma \\
& + \mathcal{T}_4 M (P^\nu \sigma_{\mu\nu} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\sigma^{\mu\rho} x_\rho \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{T}_5 M^2 (x^\nu i\sigma_{\mu\nu} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{T}_6 M^2 (i\sigma_{xP} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\not{x} \gamma_5 N)_\gamma \\
& + \mathcal{T}_7 M^2 (\sigma_{\mu\nu} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\sigma^{\mu\nu} \not{x} \gamma_5 N)_\gamma + \mathcal{T}_8 M^3 (x^\nu \sigma_{\mu\nu} C)_{\alpha\beta} (\sigma^{\mu\rho} x_\rho \gamma_5 N)_\gamma
\end{aligned}$$

BFMS 2000

- * The 24 functions $\mathcal{F}^{(i)} = \mathcal{S}_i, \mathcal{P}_i, \mathcal{A}_i, \mathcal{V}_i, \mathcal{T}_i$ can be related to 8 LCDAs of twist-3 to twist-6.
- * In leading conformal spin we have 3 parameters: $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, f_N$
- * in NL conformal spin we have 5 parameters: $V_1^d, A_1^u, f_1^d, f_1^u, f_2^d$
- * \mathcal{V}_1^M : BLMS 2001
- * $\mathcal{A}_1^M, \mathcal{T}_1^M$: Huang, Wang 2004; BLW 2006.



Determining the Nucleon DA upto twist 6 II

Definition of the non-perturbative parameters

$$\begin{aligned}\langle 0 | \varepsilon^{ijk} [u^i(0)(C\not{z}) u^j(0)] (\gamma_5 \not{z}) d_\delta^k(0) | P \rangle &= f_N p z \not{z} N(P) \\ \langle 0 | \varepsilon^{ijk} [u^i(0)(C\gamma_\mu) u^j(0)] (\gamma_5 \gamma^\mu) d_\delta^k(0) | P \rangle &= \lambda_1 m_N N(P) \\ \langle 0 | \varepsilon^{ijk} [u^i(0)(C\sigma_{\mu\nu}) u^j(0)] (\gamma_5 \sigma^{\mu\nu}) d_\delta^k(0) | P \rangle &= \lambda_2 m_N N(P) \\ \langle 0 | \varepsilon^{ijk} [u^i(0)(C\not{z}) u^j(0)] (\gamma_5 \not{z}) (iz\vec{D}d_\delta^k)(0) | P \rangle &= f_N V_1^d(pz)^2 \not{z} N(P) \\ &\dots \qquad \dots\end{aligned}$$



Determining the Nucleon DA upto twist 6 III

■ Leading twist: f_N, V_1^d, A_1^d

- ◆ QCD SR: Chernyak, Zhitnitsky 1984; King, Sachrajda 1987; Gari, Stefanis 1987; Chernyak, Ogloblin, Zhitnitsky 1988, 1989; Bolz, Kroll 1996.

$$f_N = (5.0 \pm 0.5) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{GeV}^2 \quad A_1^u = 0.38 \pm 0.15 \quad V_1^d = 0.23 \pm 0.03$$

- ◆ Lattice: Martinelli, Sachrajda 1989; Aoki et al. 2006.

- ◆ Asymptotic:

$$A_1^u = 0 \quad V_1^d = 1/3$$

- ◆ LCSR: BLW 2006

$$A_1^u = 0.13 \quad V_1^d = 0.30$$

■ Higher twist

- ◆ leading conformal spin: λ_1, λ_2 - QCD SR: BFMS 2000, BLW 2006

$$\lambda_1 = -(2.7 \pm 0.9) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{GeV}^2 \quad \lambda_2 = (5.4 \pm 1.9) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{GeV}^2$$

- ◆ next-to-leading conformal spin: f_1^d, f_1^u, f_2^d

Method	f_1^d	f_1^u	f_2^d	authors
QCD SR	0.40 ± 0.05	0.07 ± 0.05	0.22 ± 0.05	BFMS 2000, BLW 2006
LCSR	0.33	0.09	0.25	BFMS 2000, BLW 2006
asymptotic	0.30	0.10	4/15	



LCSR for the nucleon form factors

- EM - form factors using η_{CZ} : BLMS 2001
 - ◆ Higher twist is important
- EM - form factors using isospin conserving η_{IM} : LWS 2004
 - ◆ η_{CZ} leads to unphysical isospin violating effects
- EM and weak form factors, compare different η s: BLW 2006
 - ◆ surprisingly good description of data

$\Rightarrow \eta_{\text{Ioffe}}$ seems to be the best choice

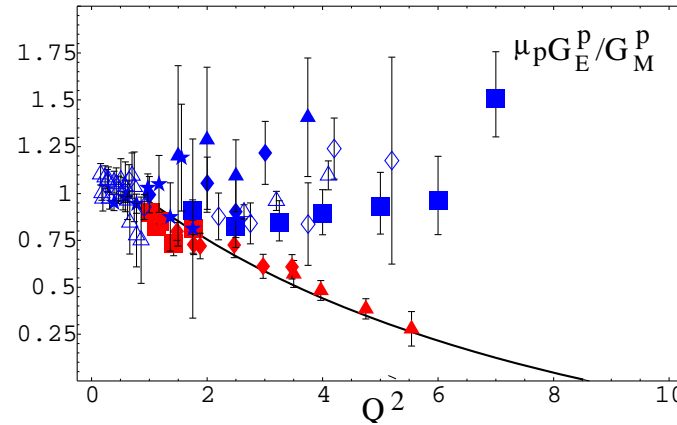
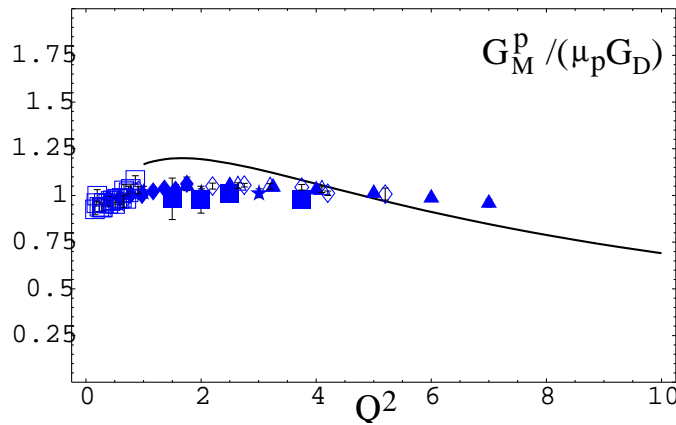
- Scalar form factor of the nucleon using η_{CZ} : Wang, Wan 2006
- Axial and ps form factor of the nucleon using η_{CZ} : Wang, Wan 2006

- * \Rightarrow use η_{Ioffe} to compare experiment and LCSR
- * FF depend on 5 Parameters $\lambda_1/f_N, A_1^u, V_1^d, f_1^d, f_1^u$

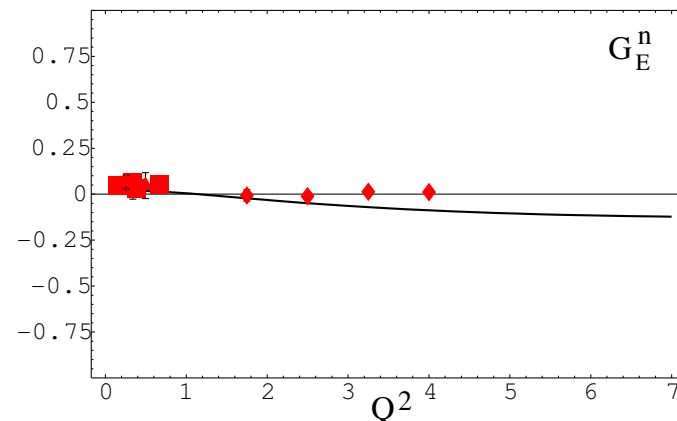
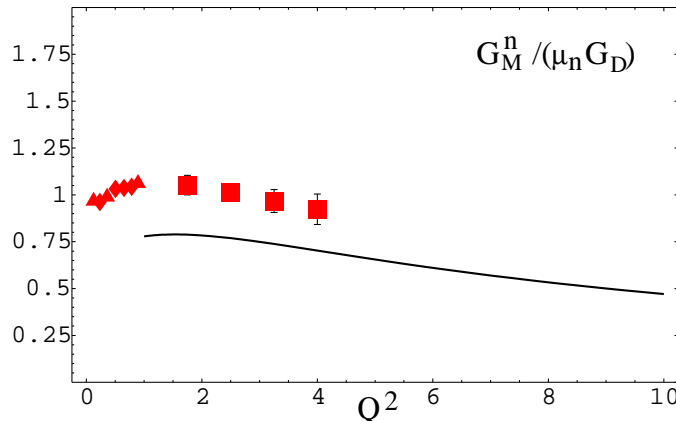


Nucleon electromagnetic form factors

$$\langle N(P') | j_\mu^{\text{em}}(0) | N(P) \rangle = \bar{N}(P') \left[\gamma_\mu F_1(Q^2) - i \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu}{2m_N} F_2(Q^2) \right] N(P)$$



proton



neutron

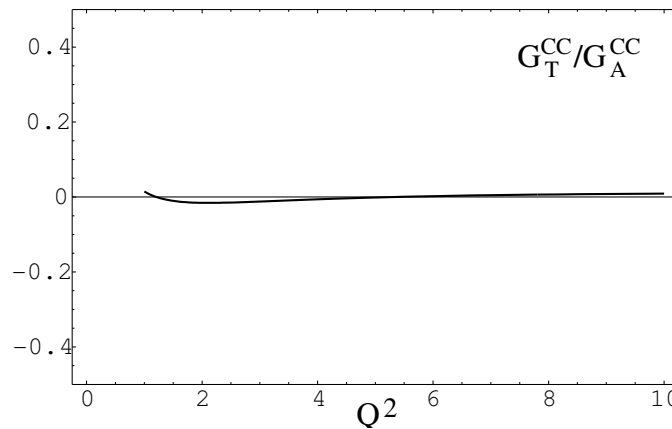
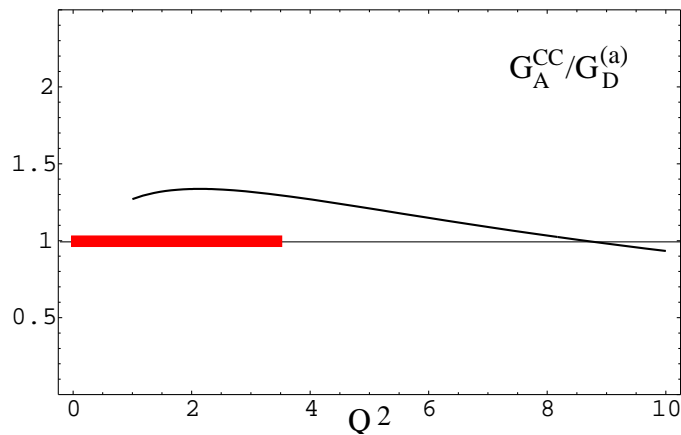
- Leading order LCSR, BLW distribution amplitudes

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Nucleon axial vector form factors

$$\langle N(P') | A_\mu(0) | N(P) \rangle = \bar{N}(P') \left[\gamma_\mu G_A(Q^2) - \frac{q_\mu}{2m_N} G_P(Q^2) - i \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu} q^\nu}{2m_N} G_T(Q^2) \right] \gamma_5 N(P)$$



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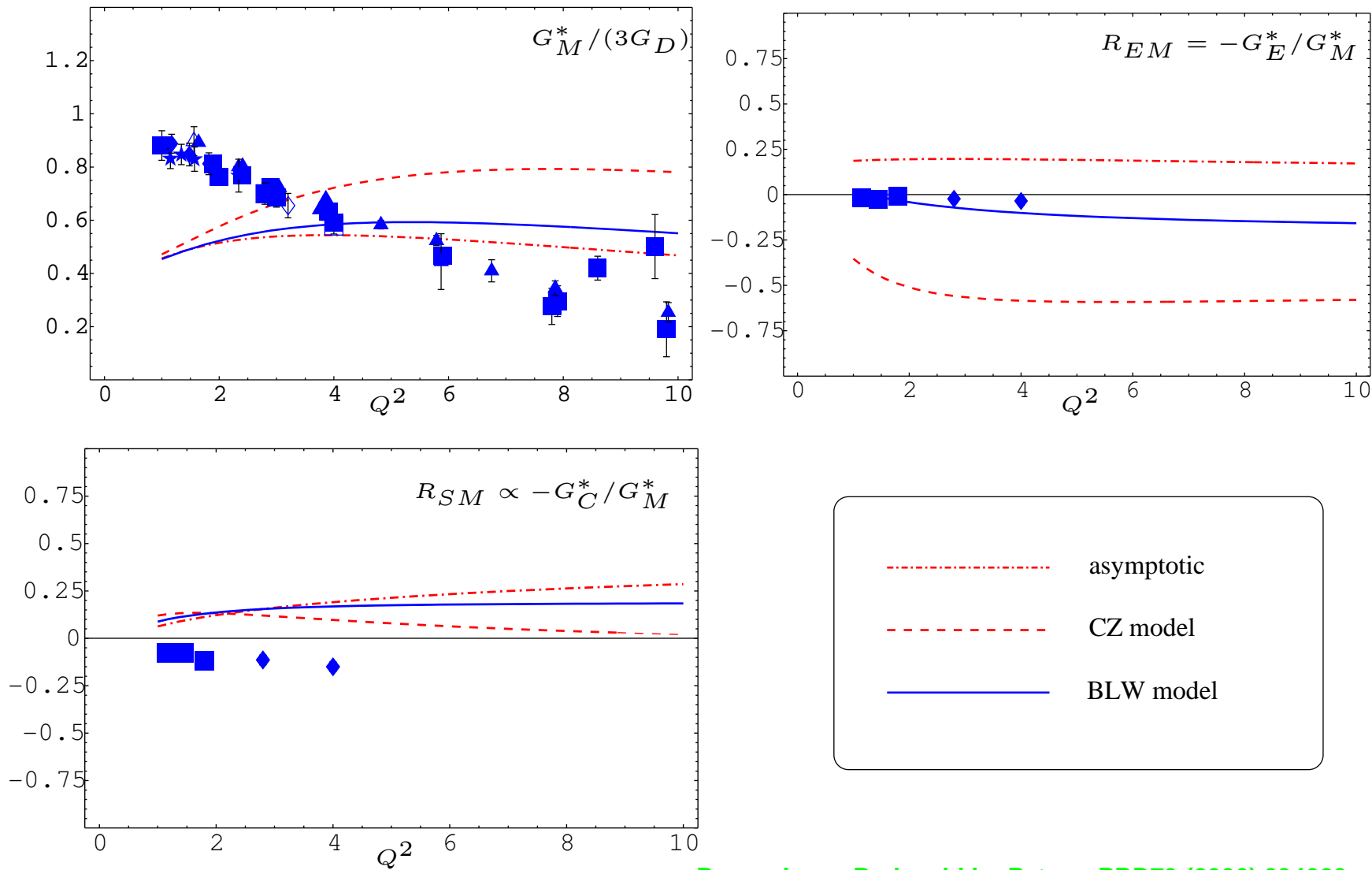
LCSR for transitions

- **Huang, Wang, 2004:** $\Lambda_b \rightarrow pl\nu$
 - ◆ Interpolating field: $\eta_{\Lambda_b} = \epsilon_{ijk} u^i C \not{d}^j \cdot \gamma_5 \not{b}^k$ vs. $\eta_{\Lambda_b} = \epsilon_{ijk} u^i C \not{d}^j \cdot \gamma_5 \not{h}_v^k$
 - ◆ Determine f_Λ from QCD-SR
 - ◆ HQET $\approx 1/10$ QCD!
- **BLPR 2005:** $N \rightarrow \Delta$
 - ◆ Disentangle $N \rightarrow N^*$ (spin 1/2)
 - ◆ Interpolating field: $\eta_\Delta = \epsilon_{ijk} (2u^i C \gamma_\mu d^j \cdot \not{z} u^k + u^i C \gamma_\mu u^j \cdot \not{z} d^k)$
- **BLW 2006:** $n \rightarrow p$
- **Huang, Wang, 2006:** $\Lambda_c \rightarrow \Lambda l\nu$
 - ◆ Determine Λ -DA up to twist-6 and leading conformal spin
 - ◆ Interpolating field: $\eta_{\Lambda_c} = \epsilon_{ijk} u^i C \gamma_5 \not{d}^j \cdot \not{z} c^k$
 - ◆ only tw-3 agrees with experiment
- **Wang, 2006:** $\Sigma \rightarrow N$
 - ◆ Interpolating field: $\eta_\Sigma = \epsilon_{ijk} d^i C \gamma_\mu d^j \cdot \gamma_5 \gamma^\mu s^k$
 - ◆ Wang compared results for $Q^2 = 0$ with the data!



$N\Delta\gamma$ transition form factors

- magnetic, electric and quadrupole form factors exist:



Braun, Lenz, Radyushkin, Peters; PRD73 (2006) 034020



Outlook

■ Nucleon DA

- ◆ α_s corrections to LCSR for form factors of the nucleon,
Compare LCSR to experiment and fit the non-perturbative parameters
Braun, A.L., Passek-Kumericki, Peters, in progress
- ◆ Lattice determination of the non-perturbative parameters

■ Decay of heavy baryons

- ◆ LCSR for $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p l \bar{\nu}$
A.L., Wankerl, in progress
- ◆ LCSR for $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c l + l$
A.L., Rohrwild, planned

■ LCSR for pion electro-production

Braun, Ivanov, A.L., Peters, in progress