## "How Strange is the Proton?

Neutrinos DIS and the Strange Quark Asymmetry

A collection of interesting puzzles

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\* Because it's there!

What is the structure of hadrons? What is the character of the QCD theory? ... the other forces are comparatively weak

\* Because we need this information for any hadron-induced process.

Compare these machines:

LEP	$e^+e^-$	$\sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$
HERA	ep	$\sqrt{s} = 314 \text{ GeV}$
RHIC	NN	$\sqrt{s} = N \times 100 \text{ GeV}$
Tevatron	p - p-bar	$\sqrt{s} = 2000 \text{ GeV}$
LHC	рр	$\sqrt{s} = 14,000 \text{GeV}$

#### **The Search For New Physics**



ZEUS Collaboration, ZPC74, 207 (1997)

CDF Collaboration PRL 77, 438 (1996)

#### **Precision PDF's are essential**

**The Basic Processes** 

Deeply Inelastic Scattering (DIS)

Drell- Yan (DY)



Use data to extract PDF, then make predictions for other processes Factorization: Convolution of independent probabilities  $\tau_{INT} < \tau_{HAD}$ : If  $\tau_{INT} \sim 1/Q$  and  $\tau_{HAD} \sim 1/M$ , then  $\Rightarrow Q/M > 1$ 

What if  $Q/M \le 1$  ??? Higher Twist

#### What about Higher Twist???

### Deeply Inelastic Scattering (DIS)

## Drell-Yan (DY)



- Factorization breaks down
- Lose Universality
- No "First Principles" model
  - ... sometimes parameterized as a  $1/Q^2$  correction

#### What data are used in global fit to extract PDF's



\* Precision data essential to PDF, and hence, "new physics" searches
\* Both Fixed Target and Collider data needed to map out full {x,Q} space
\* Note "cuts" in {x,Q} space; many data points outside these cuts

Extended theoretical understanding of the "higher twist" region would allow us to include the wealth of data available in this region.

## Drell0Yan: Fermilab E866/NuSea Detector



- Forward  $x_{p}$  high mass  $\mu$ -pair spectrometer
- Liquid hydrogen and deuterium targets
- Two acceptance defining magnets (SM0, SM12)
- Also used solid W, Be, Fe targets

- Beam dump (4.3m Cu)
- Hadronic absorber (13.4 I<sub>0</sub>-Cu, C, CH<sub>2</sub>)
- Momentum analyzing magnet (SM3)
- Three tracking stations
- Muon identifier wall & 4<sup>th</sup> tracking

Donald Isenhower (ACU) DIS'04

## E866 quark sea distributions:



DIS'04

## **Drell- Yan Cross Section in large x limit**



DIS'04

J. C. Webb, et al. [NuSea Collaboration], hep-ex/0302019

#### Proton Valence Structure: d/u for large x



Is a Hadron simply a sum of its parts? The EMC Effect



We're simplying parameterizing our ignorance

## Knowledge of Nuclear Effects with Neutrinos: essentially NON-EXISTENT





 $F_2$  / nucleon changes as a function of A. Measured in  $\mu$ /e - A not in  $\nu$  - A

#### Good reason to consider nuclear effects are DIFFERENT in v - A.

- Presence of axial-vector current.
- ▼ SPECULATION: Much stronger shadowing for v -A but somewhat weaker "EMC" effect.
- ▼ Different nuclear effects for valance and sea --> different shadowing for xF<sub>3</sub> compared to F<sub>2</sub>.
- ▼ Different nuclear effects for d and u quarks.

# $MINER \nu A (Main INjector ExpeRiment v-A)$



Assume 4.0x10<sup>20</sup> in LE v beam, 8x10<sup>20</sup> in ME, 1.5x10<sup>20</sup> in HE and and 2.5x10<sup>20</sup> in HEbar

$v_{\mu}$ Event Rates in 3 fiducial tons of CH					
Process	CC	NC	CCbar		
Quasi-elastic	835 K	275 K	105 K		
Resonance	1605 K	495 K	130 K		
Transition	2000 K	635 K	230 K		
DIS	4080 K	1215 K	455 K		
Coherent	85 K	43 K	20 K		
TOTAL	8600 K	2665 K	940 K		

Typical Fiducial Volume = 3-5 tons CH, 0.6 ton C, ≈ 1 ton Fe and ≈ 1 ton Pb 8.6 - 14.3 M ∨ events in CH 1.0 - 1.5 M ∨ events in CH 1.4 M ∨ events in C 2.9 M ∨ events in Fe 2.9 M ∨ events in Pb

16 Million total CC events in a 4 - year run

**Examples of available statistics** 

**Transition Region** 

## 2 M events

**DIS and Structure Functions** 

**Nuclear PDF's and Effects** 

4 M DIS events (W > 2, Q > 1)

C:1.4 M, Fe: 2.9 M and Pb: 2.9 M  $_{20}$ 

For the global analysis, we prefer to reduce nuclear data to the isoscalar case; but this reduction is not trivial

## The NuTeV experiment at FNAL





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**DIS 2004** 



#### **Could this be evidence for an heavy neutral lepton?**



Three µµ events observed

< 0.07 µµ event expected

 $N^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu\nu$  ???

#### δxF<sub>3</sub> Structure Function



#### Can we make the problem go away?



PRD64: 033003, 2001

Question?

# $\Delta \mathbf{x}\mathbf{F}_3 \sim \mathbf{4} \mathbf{x} (\mathbf{s} - \mathbf{c})$

Could something strange be happening with the heavy quarks?

#### **Electroweak Mixing Angle Measurement**



Paschos-Wolfenstein Relation:

$$R^{-} \equiv \frac{\sigma(\nu_{\mu}N \rightarrow \nu_{\mu}X) - \sigma(\overline{\nu}_{\mu}N \rightarrow \overline{\nu}_{\mu}X)}{\sigma(\nu_{\mu}N \rightarrow \mu^{-}X) - \sigma(\overline{\nu}_{\mu}N \rightarrow \mu^{+}X)}$$
$$\approx \left(\frac{1}{2} - \sin^{2}\theta_{W}\right)$$

**NuTeV Result:**  $\sin^2 \theta_W^{(on-shell)} = 0.2277 \pm 0.0031(stat) \pm 0.0009(syst)$ 

**Standard Model Fit:** 

 $\sin^2 \theta_W^{(o\,n-shell)} = 0.2227 \pm 0.0004$  LEP EWWG A 3  $\sigma$  difference

G.P. Zeller, (NuTeV) et al., PRL 88:091802 (2002); PRD 65:111103 (2002)

SOURCE OF UNCERTAINTY	$\delta \sin^2  heta_W$	$\delta R^{ u}$	$\delta R^{\overline{ u}}$
Data Statistics	0.00135	0.00069	0.00159
Monte Carlo Statistics	0.00010	0.00006	0.00010
TOTAL STATISTICS	0.00135	0.00069	0.00159
$ u_e, \overline{\nu}_e  ext{ Flux} $	0.00039	0.00025	0.00044
Energy Measurement	0.00018	0.00015	0.00024
Shower Length Model	0.00027	0.00021	0.00020
Counter Efficiency, Noise, Size	0.00023	0.00014	0.00006
Interaction Vertex	0.00030	0.00022	0.00017
TOTAL EXPERIMENTAL	0.00063	0.00044	0.00057
Charm Production, Strange Sea	0.00047	0.00089	0.00184
Charm Sea	0.00010	0.00005	0.00004
$\sigma^{\overline{ u}}/\sigma^{ u}$	0.00022	0.00007	0.00026
Radiative Corrections	0.00011	0.00005	0.00006
Non-Isoscalar Target	0.00005	0.00004	0.00004
Higher Twist	0.00014	0.00012	0.00013
$R_L$	0.00032	0.00045	0.00101
TOTAL MODEL	0.00064	0.00101	0.00212
TOTAL UNCERTAINTY	0.00162	0.00130	0.00272

Largest model uncertainty arises from charm production and s(x)

s and s-bar difference can have large effect

... relative uncertainty is reduced for combination

TABLE I. Uncertainties for both the single parameter  $\sin^2 \theta_W$  fit and for the comparison of  $R^{\nu}$  and  $R^{\overline{\nu}}$  with model predictions.

#### What is relative uncertainty on PDFs' ???



CTEQ6: Pumplin, Stump, Huston, Lai, Nadolsky, Tung, JHEP 0207, 012 (2002)

#### What is true uncertainty on s-quark PDF???



this is not an exhaustive set

Warning: The Director General has determined the band of PDF's can greatly underestimate the true uncertainty



... we can do better ...

## **Dimuons are ideal signal of s(x)**



di- muon	NuTeV	CCFR	Combined
Neutrino	5012	5030	10042
Anti- Nu	1458	1060	2518

\* High stats & high precision data\* Best constraints on strange quark



## **Global Fit**

Total of 1991 data points

$\chi^2$ / DOF	CTEQ6M	Constrained	Mixed	Free
CCFR Nu	1.02	0.85	0.79	0.72
CCFR Nu-bar	0.58	0.54	0.59	0.59
NuTeV Nu	1.81	1.70	1.55	1.44
NuTeV Nu-bar	1.48	1.30	1.15	1.13
BCDMS F2p	1.11	1.11	1.11	1.11
BCDMS F2d	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.11
H1 96/97	0.94	0.95	0.94	0.94
H1 98/99	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.03
ZEUS 96/97	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.15
NMC F2p	1.52	1.50	1.51	1.49
NMC F2d/F2p	0.91	0.91	0.91	0.91
MC F2d/ F2p $< Q^2 >$	1.05	1.07	1.06	1.03
CCFR F2	1.70	1.71	1.81	1.88
CCFR F3	0.42	0.42	0.44	0.42
E605	0.82	0.82	0.82	0.83
NA51	0.62	0.61	0.52	0.52
CDF $\ell$ Asym	0.82	0.83	0.82	0.82
E866	0.39	0.40	0.39	0.38
D0 Jets	0.71	0.65	0.70	0.67
CDF Jets	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.47
TOTAL	2173	2144	2142	2133

Reasonable  $\chi^2$  values (CTEQ6 did not fit di-muon data)

More parameters, lower value of  $\chi^2$ 

Only di-muon data is sensitive to s(x) !!!

Idea: v and v-bar data separately determine s and s-bar distributions

CTEQ6: J. Pumplin, et al., JHEP 0207:012,2002

## Sign-selected beam separates v and v: Extract s and s

 $v \xrightarrow{\qquad V^+ \qquad } c \\ N \xrightarrow{\qquad S (x) \text{ proportional to } v}$ 



- \* Other data sets are insensitive to s(x)
- \* Caution: ensure quark number sum rule is satisfied

$$\int dx \big[ s(x) - \overline{s}(x) \big] = 0$$



Higher statistics for v-data  $\Rightarrow$  stronger pull for fit

#### What does the strange PDF look like?

 $\begin{array}{c}
\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w} \\
\mathbf{w} \\
\mathbf{v} \\
\mathbf{s} \\
\mathbf{N} \\
\mathbf{x}
\end{array}$ 

U



$$+0.40 \ge 100 \times [S^{-}] \ge -0.10$$



Olness et al.,Eur.Phys.J.C40:145-156,2005 Kretzer et al., Phys.Rev.Lett.93:041802,2004

## What is the range of the s-s Asymmetry?



	#  pts	B+	Α	В	C	B-	
$A_1 + b$	12	-0.78	-0.99	-0.78	0	-0.78	
$[S^{-}] \times 100$	100	0.540	0.312	0.160	0.103	-0.177	
Dimuon	174	1.30	1.02	<i>1.00</i> (126)	1.01	1.26	CCFR
Inclusive I	194	0.98	0.97	1.00 (141)	1.03	1.09	CDHSW F <sub>3</sub>
Inclusive II	2097	1.00	1.00	<i>1.00</i> (2349)	1.00	1.00	CDF W- asym

## What is the status:

- Tremendous new information on s+s
- s-s: large uncertainty affected by:
  - charm fragmentation
  - charm mass
  - PDF set

 Strong interplay between the existing experimental constraints and the global theoretical constraints, particularly the # sum



## That was LO

# How do we make heavy quarks at NLO???



# **A Thought Experiment:**

What is the ideal way to learn about quark masses and their effects on a physical process?

As a theorists, I simply run my calculation over the full range of mass values from 0 to ∞, and study the behavior.

Wouldn't it be great if the experiments could do the same???

## What's really in the Experimental control room ...



Unfortunately, in real life, we can't vary parameters continuously

## The UP Side

Quark Masses Span Wide Dynamical Range ~  $10^4$ 



We can't vary the quark mass continuously, but these ``notches'' on our control panel give us a lot of flexibility

## The DOWN Side

Theorists would much prefer that quark masses only come in 2 varieties:

m = 0: Massless case. Mass plays no dynamic role Well understood. m = ∞: Infinite case. Mass Decouples. We can forget about this object MS-Bar Massless



### **Production of Heavy Quarks: The Problem**

Which is the correct production mechanism?



Quark	Channel
S	YES
t	NO
С	???
b	???

Heavy Creation (HC)

Quark	Channel		
S	NO		
t	YES		
С	???		
b	???		

If you can't beat 'em, join 'em.

## How to Join without `` Double Counting"???



### Heavy Excitation (HE)

Wait a minute! Since the heavy quark originally came from a gluon splitting, these diagrams are Double Counting



## Heavy Creation (HC)



## How to Join without `` Double Counting"???



#### Heavy Excitation (HE)

SUB removes the overlapping regions of phase space where the t- channel quark is collinear and on shell Heavy Creation (HC)



large  $P_{T}$ 

off-shell

Subtraction (SUB)

#### There is a rigorous factorization proof ...



An Example: How the separate pieces can conspire

Expand f(x) = x in Taylor Series about  $x_0$ .



# **The Moral**

It doesn't matter which expansion point you use; QCD will compensate (if you go to high enough order).

In practice ...

we are often limited to low-order calculations, so it is wise to choose your expansion point carefully.

#### NLO Analysis: In progress ...



\* Uses CSS Formalism to resum Log(q<sub>T</sub>/Q)
\* Uses ACOT Formalism to resum Log(M/Q)

Satisfies appropriate limits:

 $q_T \rightarrow Q$ , obtain usual perturbative result M  $\rightarrow 0$ , obtain usual massless result M,  $q_T \rightarrow 0$ , obtain usual Sudakov form

Theoretical basis for NLO Monte Carlo program ... provides full kinematic description



\* Di- Muon data incorporated in Global fit: Provides important information on s(x) Important for search for "New Physics" signals

\* NLO Experimental Dimuon analysis: NLO Experimental analysis in progress (D. Mason) NLO code (DISCO) is available (S. Kretzer)

\* Need to consider  $s \neq s$ -bar

This is real progress!!! We now can discriminate! Large uncertanties; must fully characterize effects; include NLO Analysis in progress

\* Resummation of large logarithms: Resummation of  $Log(q_T/Q)$  and Log(M/Q) (P. Nadolsky ...)

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\* Many outstanding puzzles, even with data already on tape: Higher Twist Up and Down PDF's at large x Nuclear corrections  $\Delta x F_3^{\nu} \sim 4x(s-c)$  $sin \theta_w$ 

\* Solving these will provide important information on proton structure

Important for search for "New Physics" signals

This is how we will make progress