

Distribution Amplitudes in a Diquark-Quark approach

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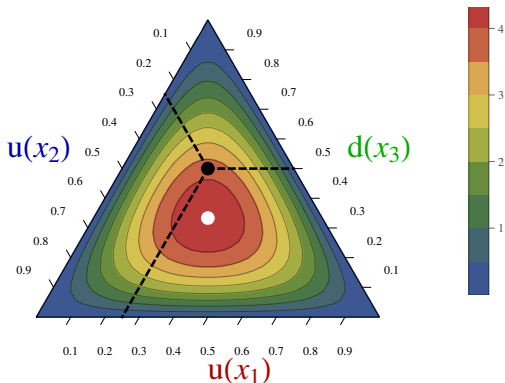
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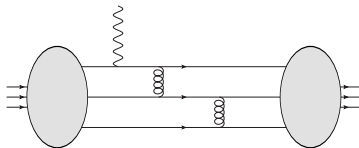
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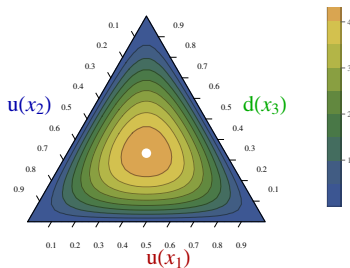
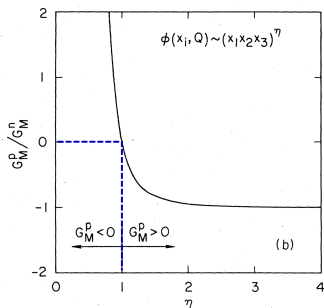
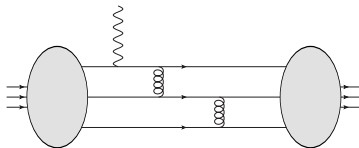
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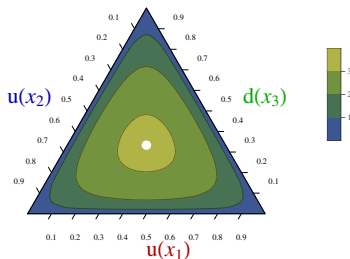
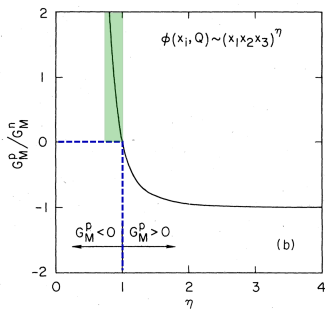
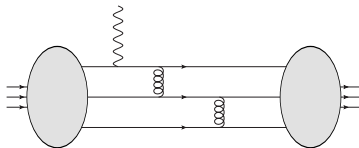
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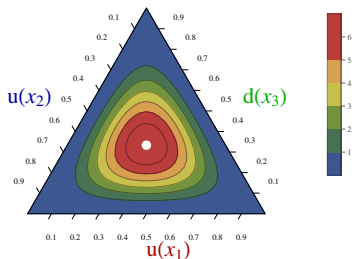
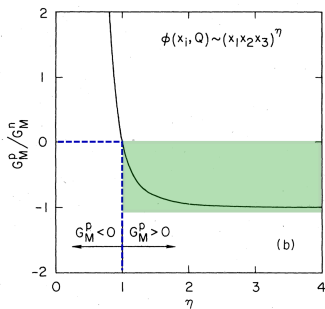
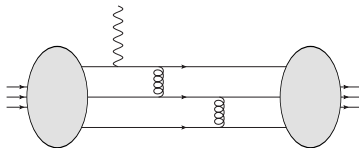


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- QCD Sum Rules
 - ▶ V. Chernyak and I. Zhitnitsky, Nucl. Phys. B 246 (1984)
- Relativistic quark model
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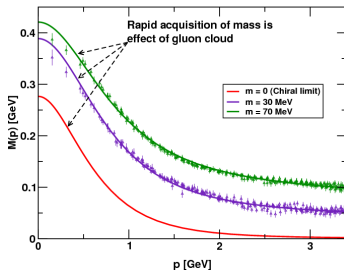
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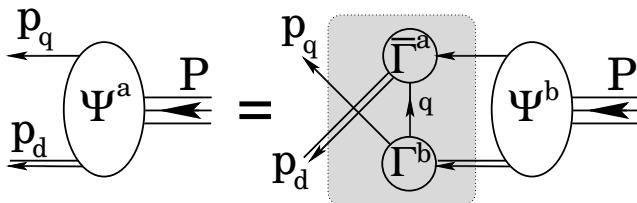
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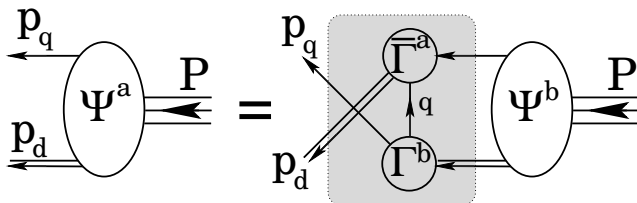
- $S(q)^{-1} = i \not{q} A(q^2) + B(q^2)$
- Non-perturbative description of the quark mass
- Dynamical mass generation
- Figure from Bashir *et al.* (2012)

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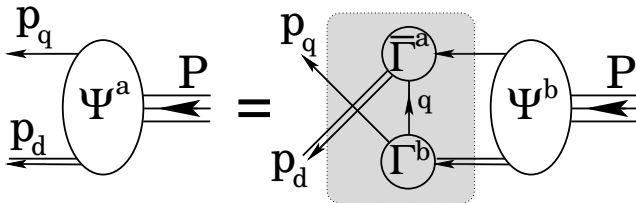


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- Can we understand the nucleon DA in terms of quark-diquarks correlations?

Propagator:

- Complex conjugate poles:

$$S(p) = \sum_j \frac{\alpha_j}{-i\not{p} + m_j} + \text{c.c.}$$

Amplitude:

- Nakanishi representation:

$$F(p, K) \propto \sum_j \int \frac{dz \, \rho_{\nu_j}(z)}{\left[\left(p - \frac{1-z}{2} K \right)^2 + \Lambda_j^2 \right]^{\nu_j}}$$

- The parameters m_j , α_j , ν_j and Λ_j are fitted on the numerical solution of the DSEs.
- Both have been successfully used in the case of the mesons DSE/Bethe-Salpeter equation.
- The Nakanishi representation will be at the center of the following work.

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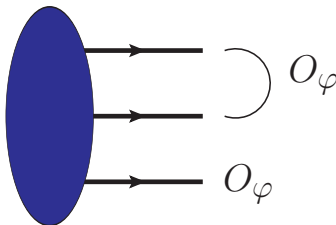
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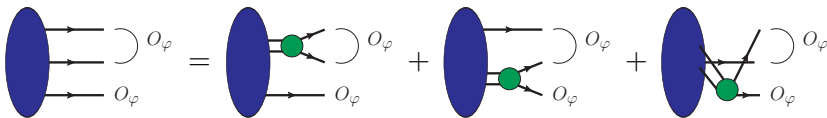
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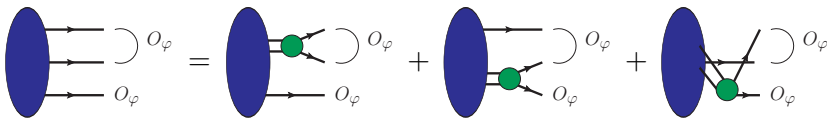
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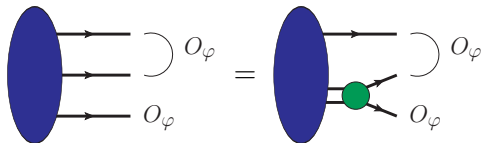
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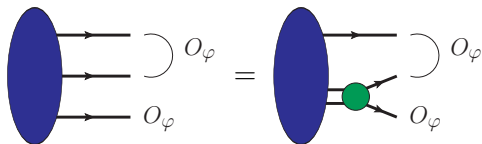


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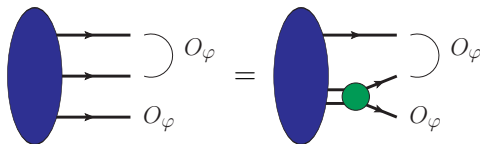


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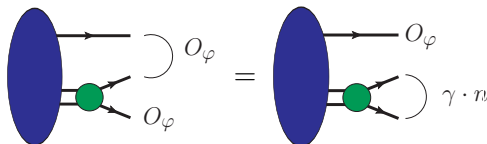


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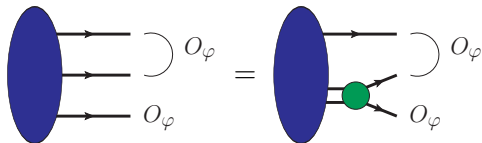
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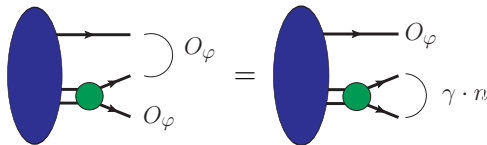
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We recognise the leading twist DA of a scalar diquark



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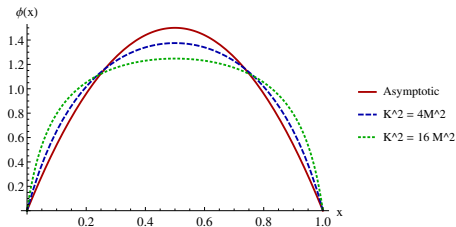
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- The Nakanishi case leads to a non trivial DA:

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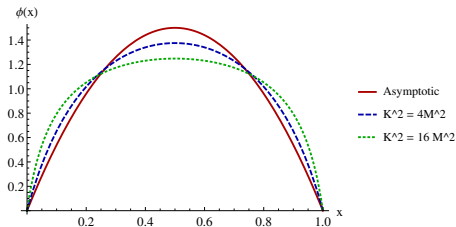
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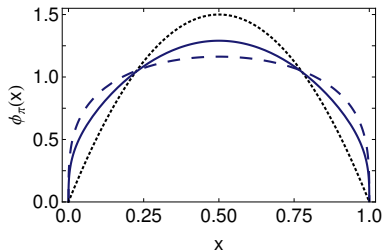


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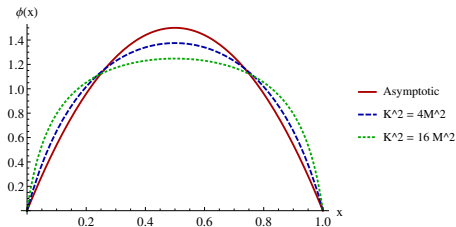
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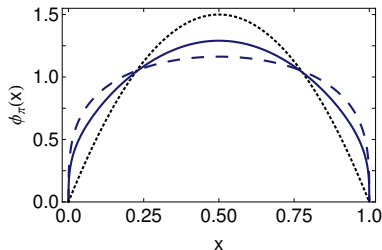
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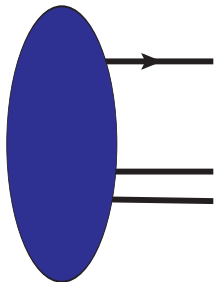


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This extended version of the DA seems promising!



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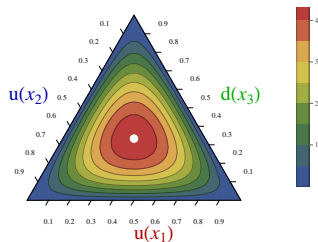
- Diquark propagator:

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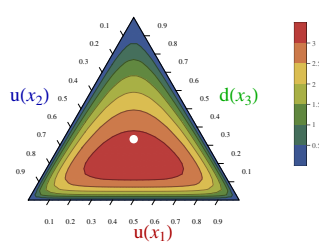
- Faddeev Amplitude:

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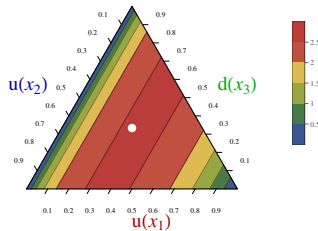
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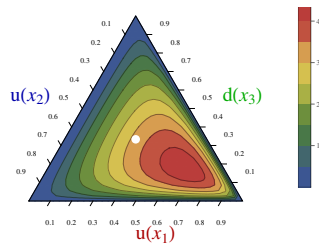
Asymptotic DA



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	Pointlike	Extended	Lattice
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$\langle x_2 \rangle_\varphi$	0.323	0.286	0.319
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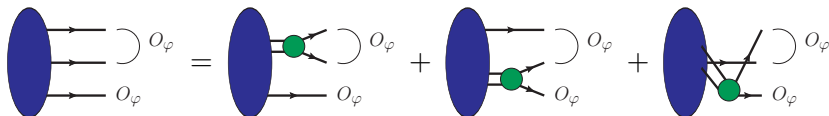
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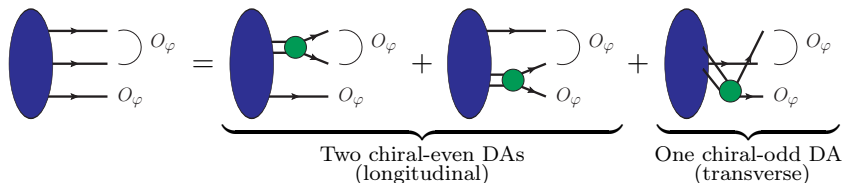
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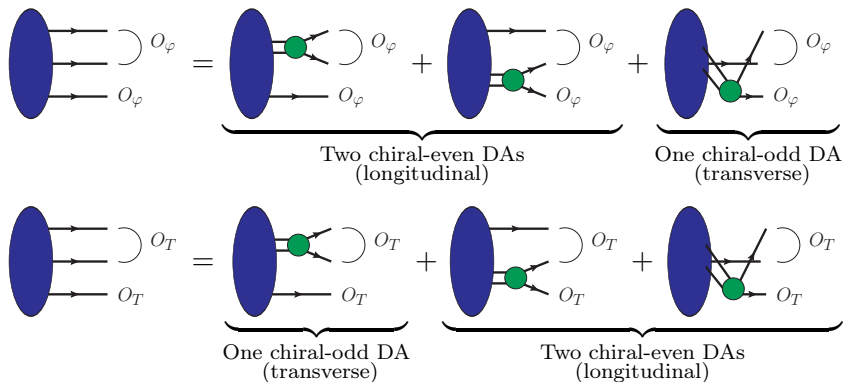
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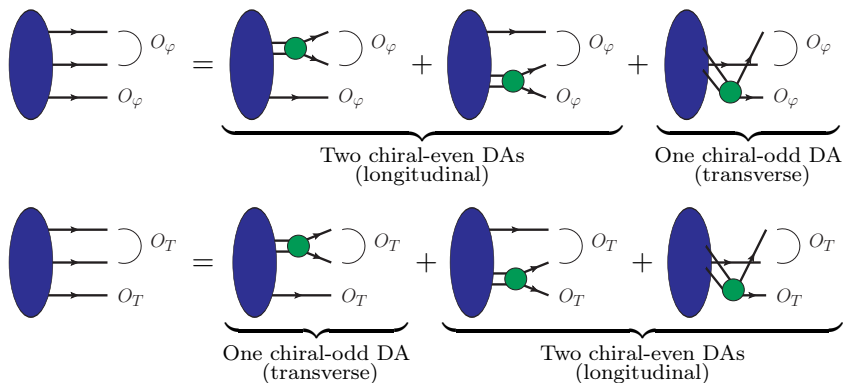
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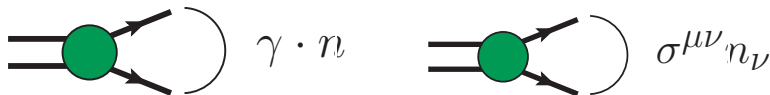


$$2T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \varphi(x_1, x_3, x_2) + \varphi(x_2, x_3, x_1)$$



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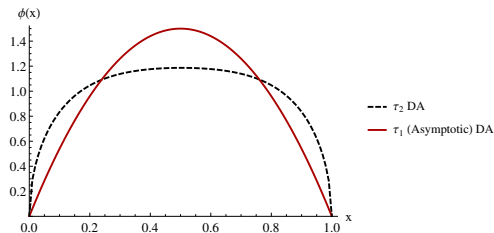
$$\Gamma_{\text{PL}}^\mu(q, K) = (\mathcal{N}_1 \tau_1^\mu + \mathcal{N}_2 \tau_2^\mu) C \int_{-1}^1 dz \frac{(1-z^2)}{\left[\left(q - \frac{1-z}{2} K \right)^2 + \Lambda_q^2 \right]}$$

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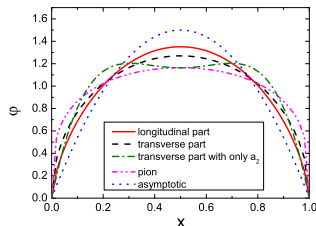
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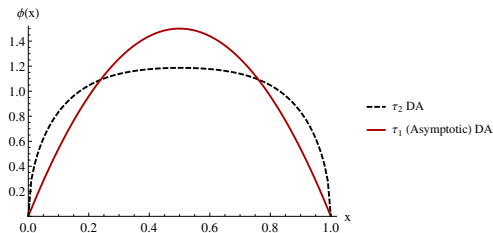
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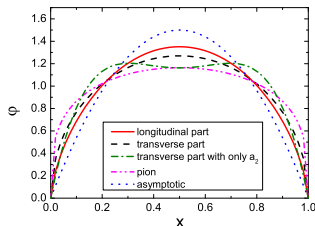
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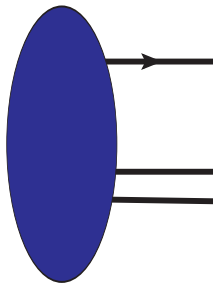


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- Same “shape ordering” $\rightarrow \phi_{\perp}$ is flatter in both cases.
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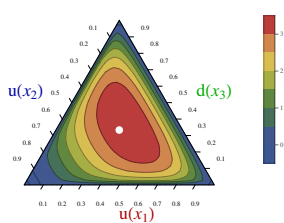
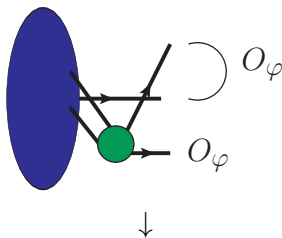
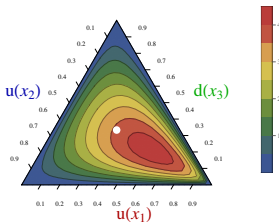
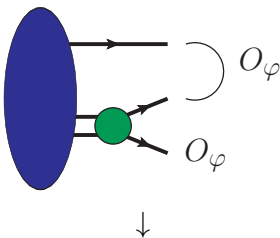
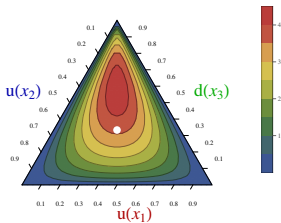
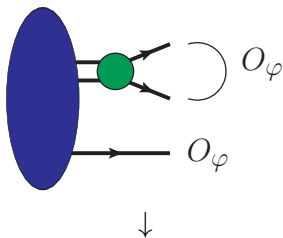
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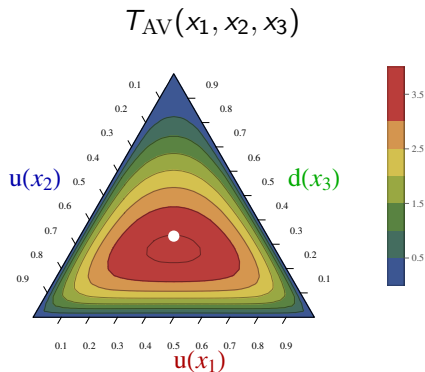
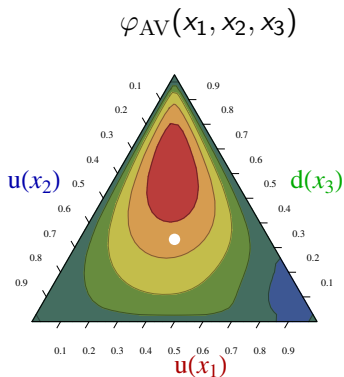
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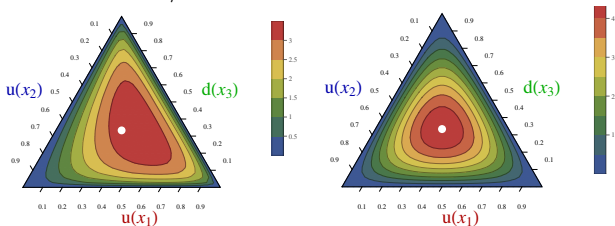
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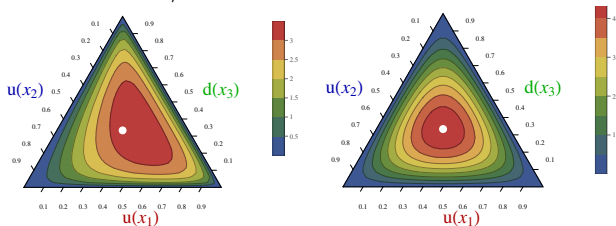
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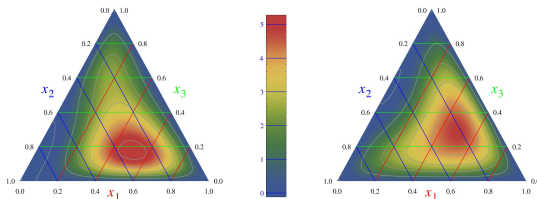
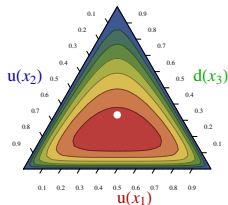
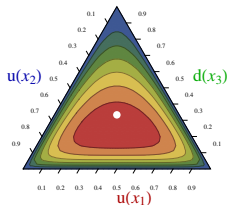


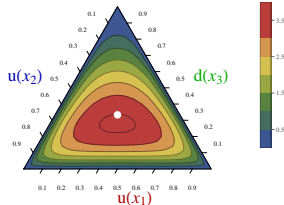
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62% Scalar



100% AV

- Like ϕ , T received both contributions from the scalar and AV diquarks.
- Both contributions are similar and thus contrary to ϕ , T is hardly modified.

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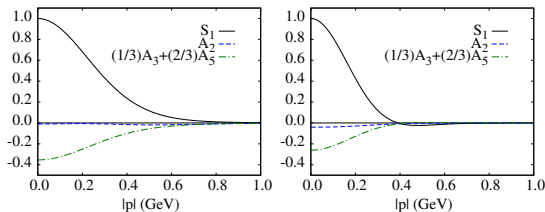
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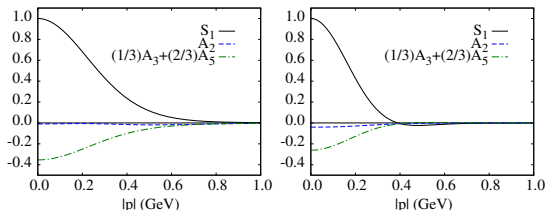
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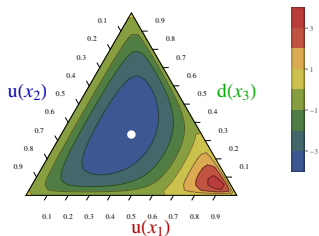


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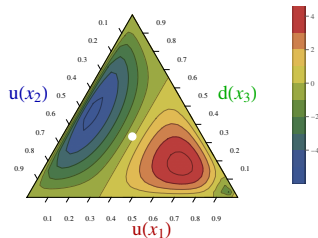
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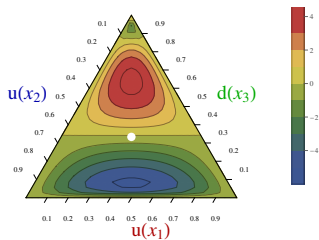
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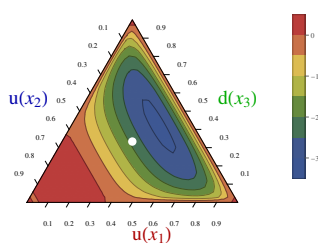
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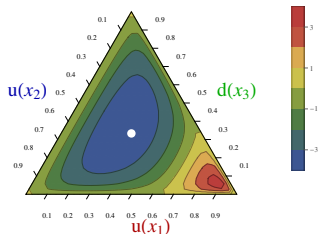


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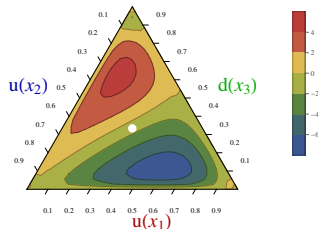


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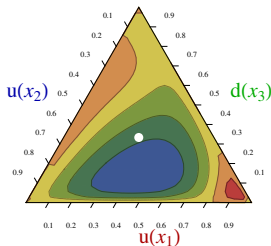
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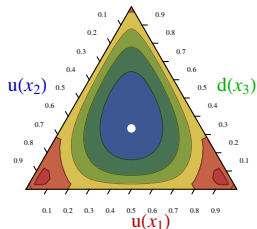


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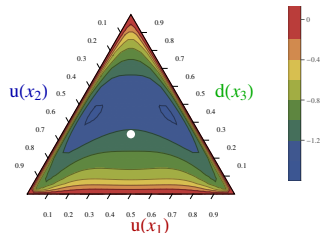


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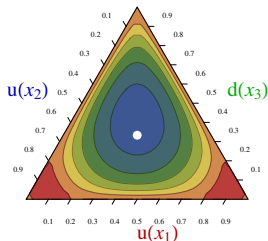
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- Both nucleon DAs φ and T can be described using a quark-diquark approximation.
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- Adding the full Dirac structure may help to correct the discrepancy.
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