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MK-model improvement

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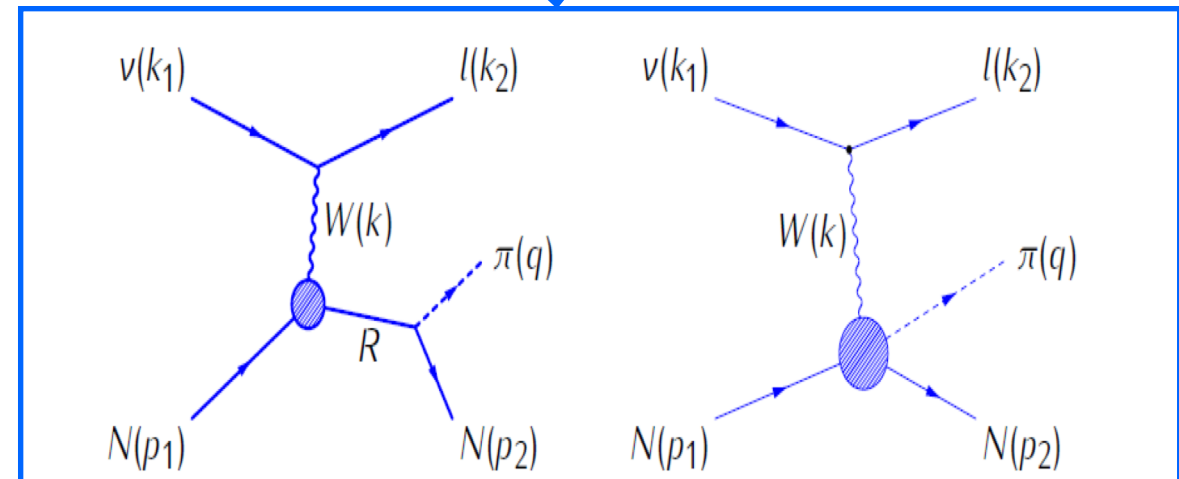
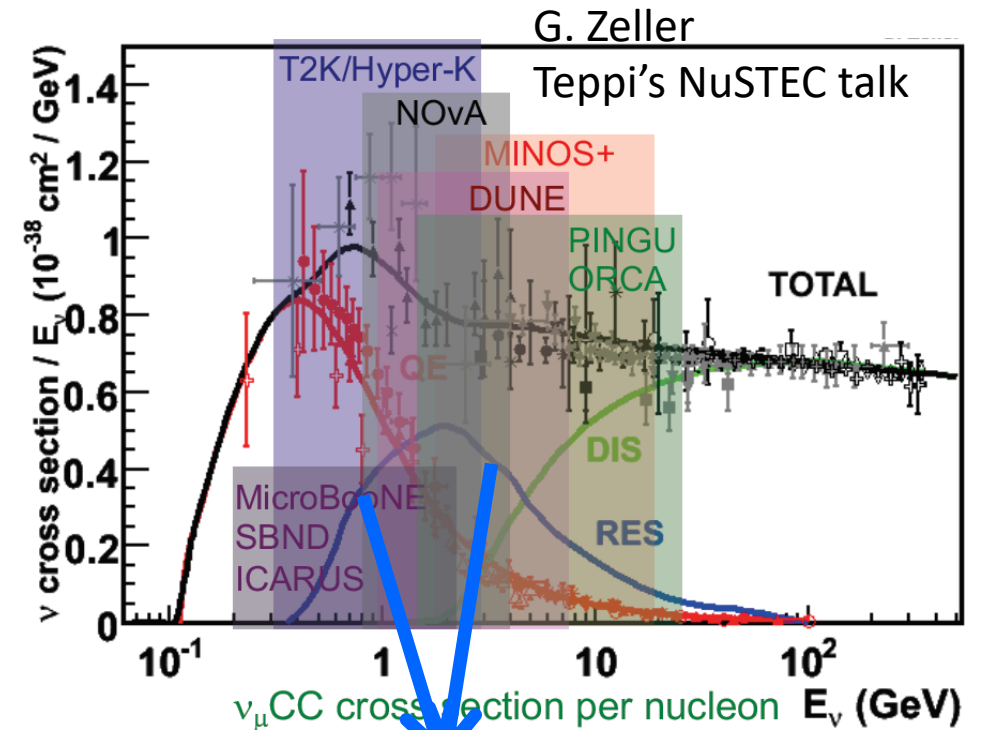
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Single pion production

- Single pion can be produced via decay of resonance excitations or non-resonant interactions.

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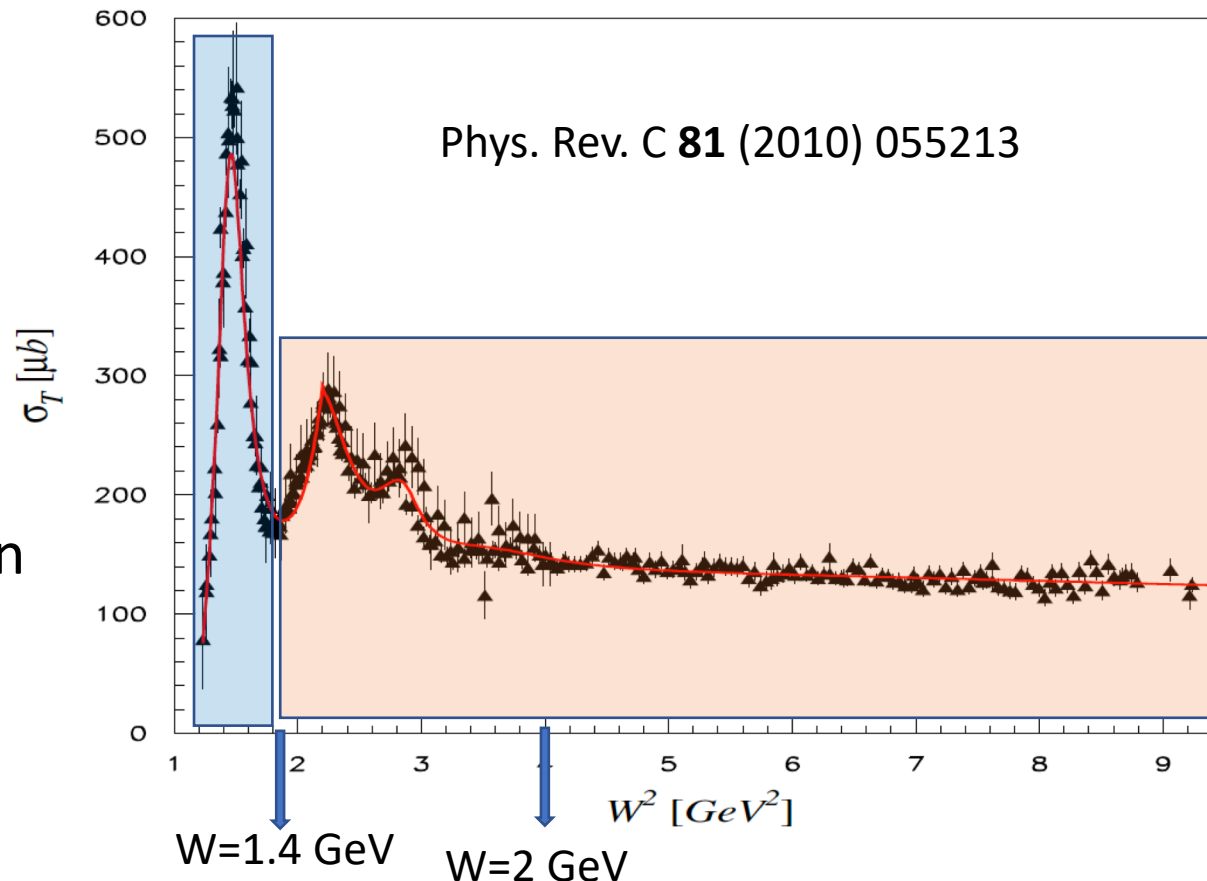


Inclusive electron scattering data

- For $E_\nu < 1$ GeV only Δ resonance contributes but for higher energy (DUNE) all resonances contribute to single pion production.

$\Delta(1232)$ region ($1.08\text{ GeV} < W < 1.4\text{ GeV}$)

- Δ resonance dominates
- Only single pion can be produced



Beyond Δ region $W > 1.4\text{ GeV}$

- No single resonance dominates
- Several comparable resonances overlap
- Multi-pion and other mesons can be produced

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The RS model is improved by including the pion angles and non-resonant interactions

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|----------------|-------|------------|----------|
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Output of the modified RS model

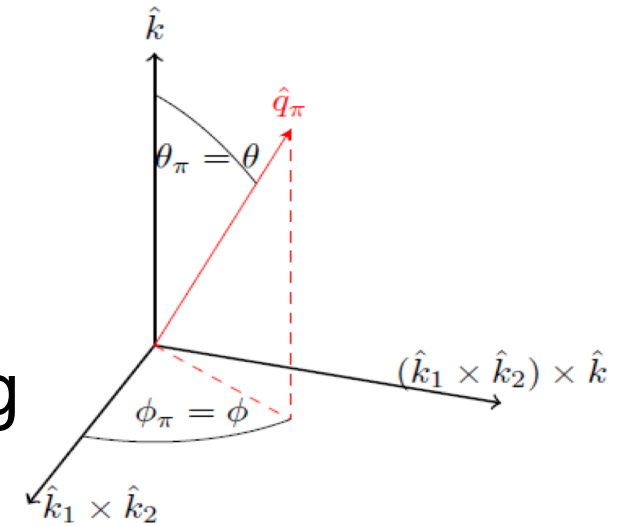
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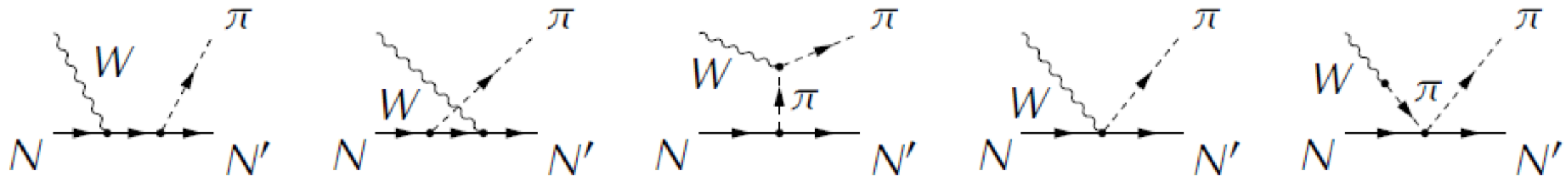
MK-model (past)

M. Kabirnezhad,
Phys. Rev. D **97**, 013002

- MK model is a model for single pion production i.e. resonant and nonresonant interactions including **the interference effects**.
- Uses Rein-Sehgal model to describe resonant interaction (17 resonances) up to $W=2$ GeV.
- Lepton mass is included.
- **Non-resonant background** is defined by a set of diagrams determined by HNV model.

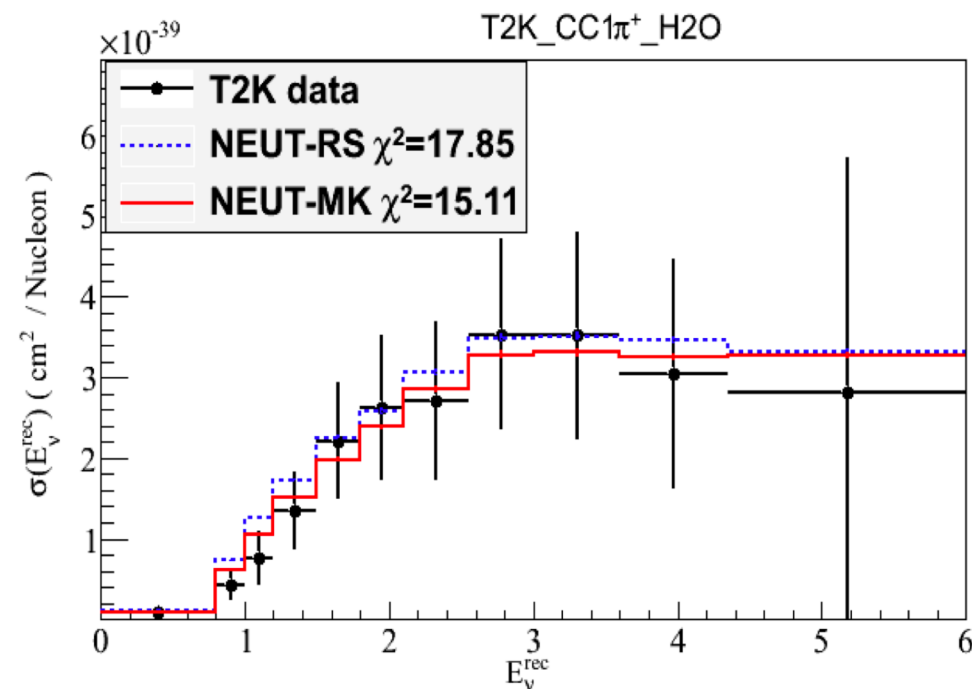
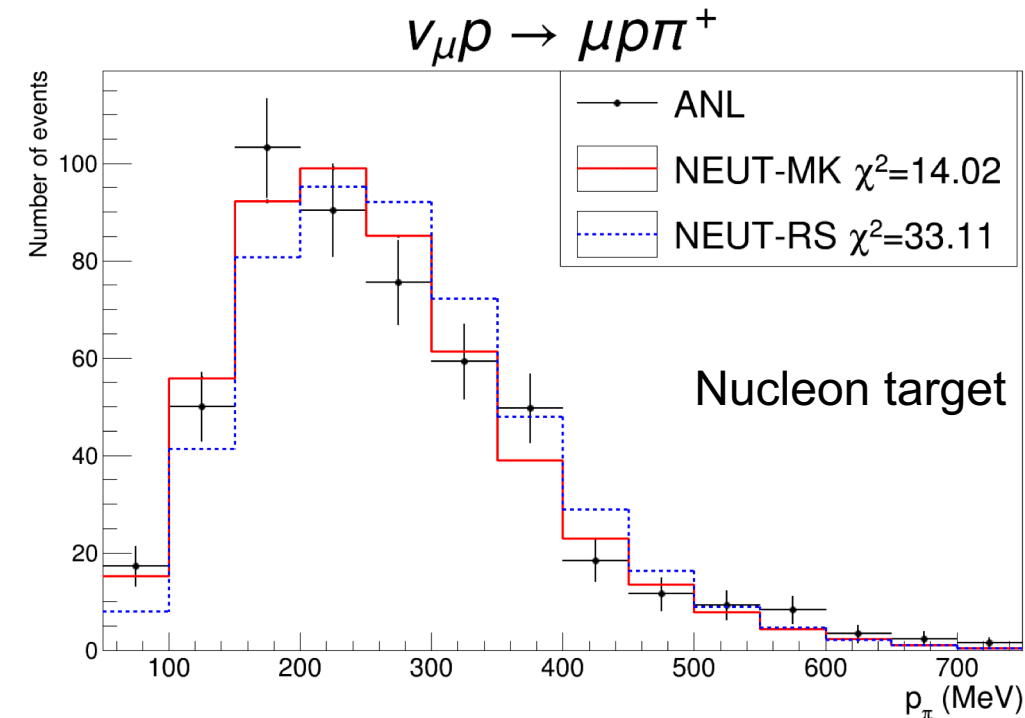
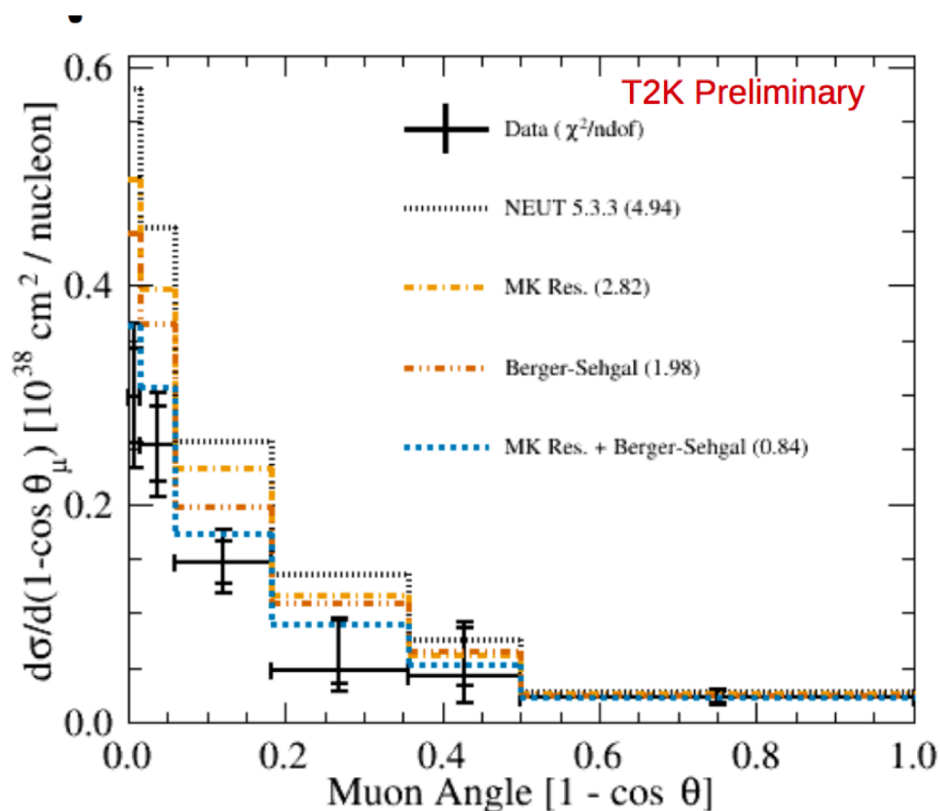


E. Hernandez, J. Nieves and M. Valverde,
Phys. Rev. D **76** (2007) 033005



The MK-model in NEUT

NEUT comparisons with data shows improvement with MK-model.



MK-model improvement

- **Verifying the model is difficult with limited neutrino data sets!**
- Existing neutrino data on “free” nucleon are old and with large error and it is very unlikely to be improved. ☹️



A practical solution is to split the model

1. Vector part (electron scattering)
2. Axial part (pion scattering)

MK-model improvement

Vector part

1. Updating vector form-factor

- MK model used to have two form-factors (RS & GS)
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- GSK is the updated form-factor for MK model. (see next slide)

2. fitting phases between resonance and non-resonance amplitudes with electron scattering data.

Graczyk-Sobczyk form-factor

- They equivalent the RS model with Lalakiluch et al model (Rarita-Schwinger formalism)

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it does not agree well with the existing electromagnetic data.

GS use the Lalakulich fit to e.m. data

$$C_3^V = 2.13 \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{4M_V^2}\right)^{-1} \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_V^2}\right)^{-2},$$

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Is there a typo in C_5 ?

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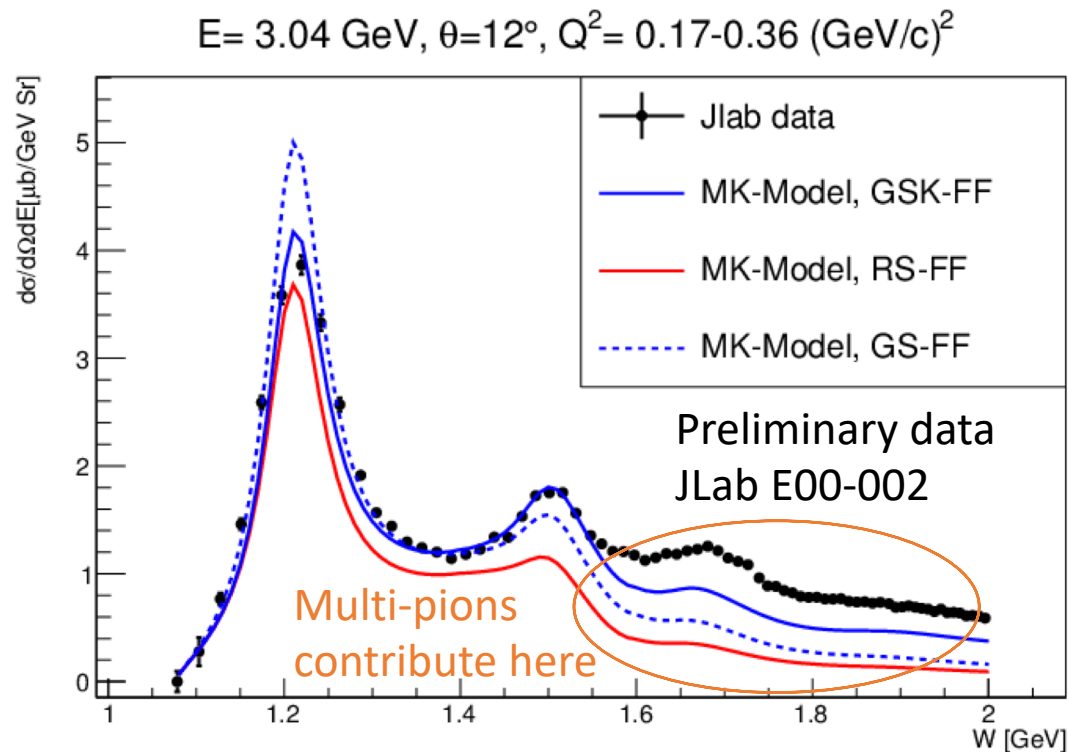
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We should check
the actual solution
within MK-model

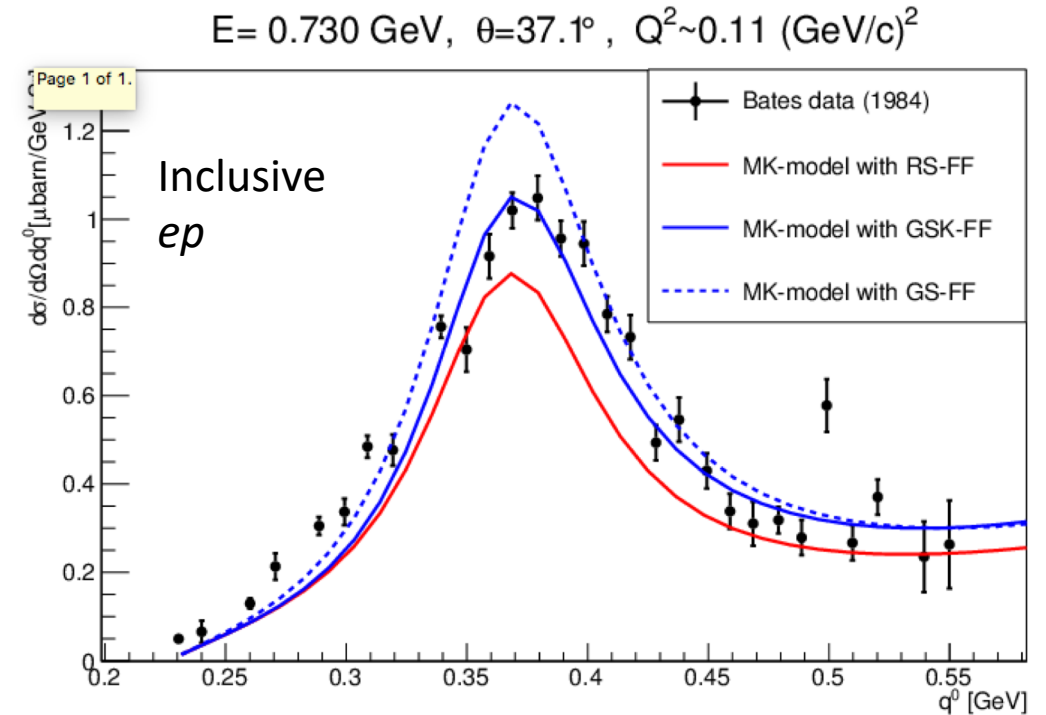
GSK
form-factor

MK-model improvement (Vector part)

- MK-model with Graczyk-Sobczyk (GS) form factor does not agree with inclusive electron scattering data.



More data comparison in backup



- Vector form factor is updated version of GS form factor. It is called "GSK" form factor to distinguish.

Cross-section definition in electron scattering

$$\frac{d\sigma_{em}}{d\Omega' dE' d\Omega_{\pi}^*} = \Gamma_{em} \left\{ \sigma_T + \varepsilon \sigma_L + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} \sigma_{LT} \cos \phi_{\pi}^* \right. \\ \left. + h \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} \sigma_{LT'} \sin \phi_{\pi}^* + \varepsilon \sigma_{TT} \cos 2\phi_{\pi}^* \right\}$$

$$\Gamma \equiv \frac{\alpha}{2\pi^2} \frac{E'}{E} \frac{(W^2 - m_p^2)}{2m_p Q^2} \frac{1}{1 - \epsilon}$$

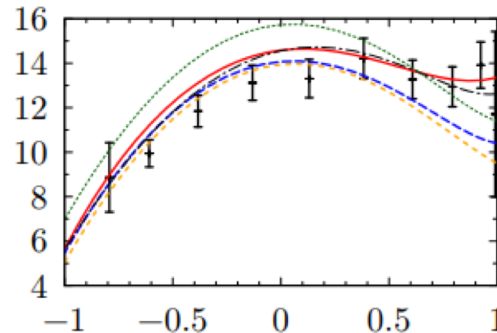
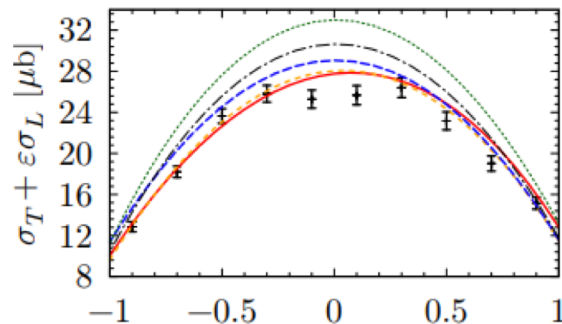
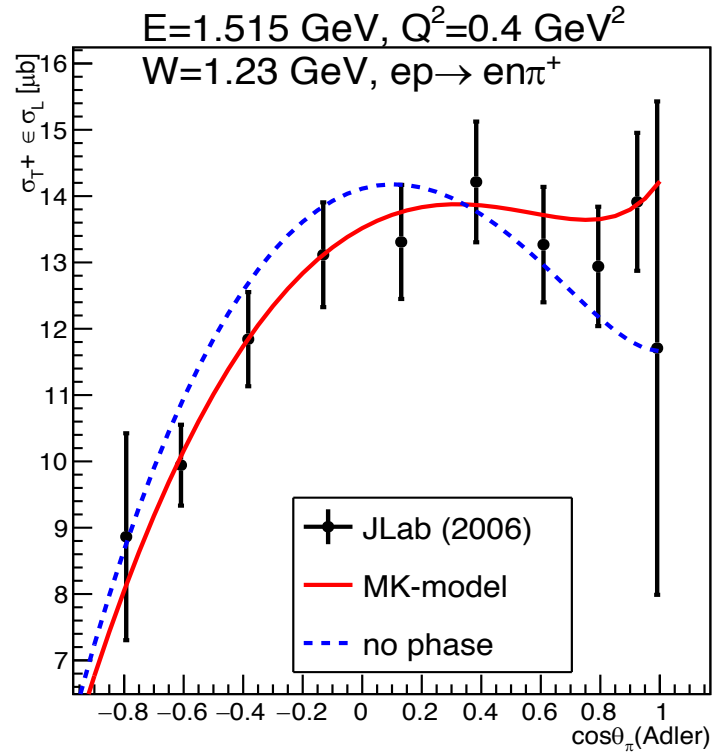
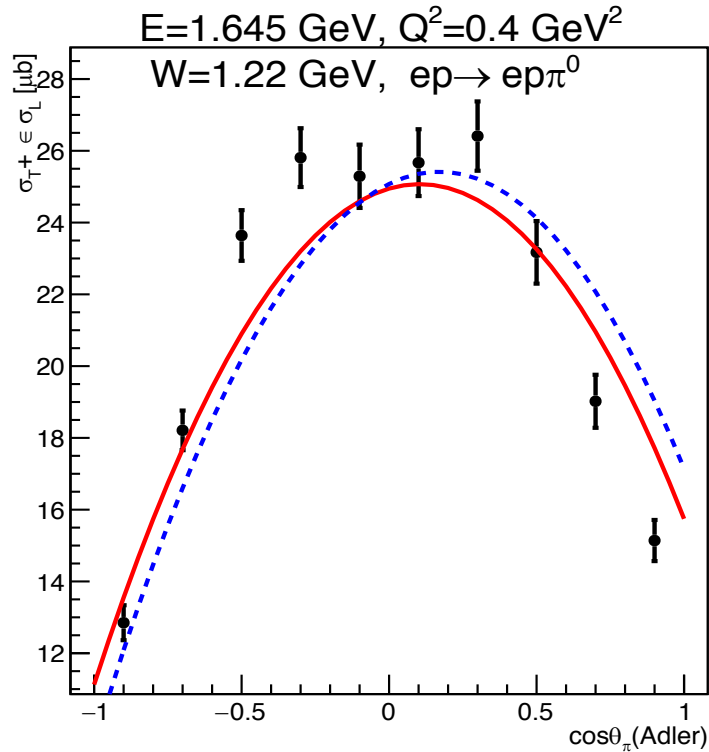
$$\epsilon \equiv \left(1 + 2 \frac{|\mathbf{q}|^2}{Q^2} \tan^2 \frac{\theta_e}{2} \right)^{-1},$$

Γ is virtual photon flux factor

New Parameters:

1. A coefficient to form-factor of individual resonances.
2. A phase between resonance and bkg amplitudes.

MK model comparison with J-lab exclusive data

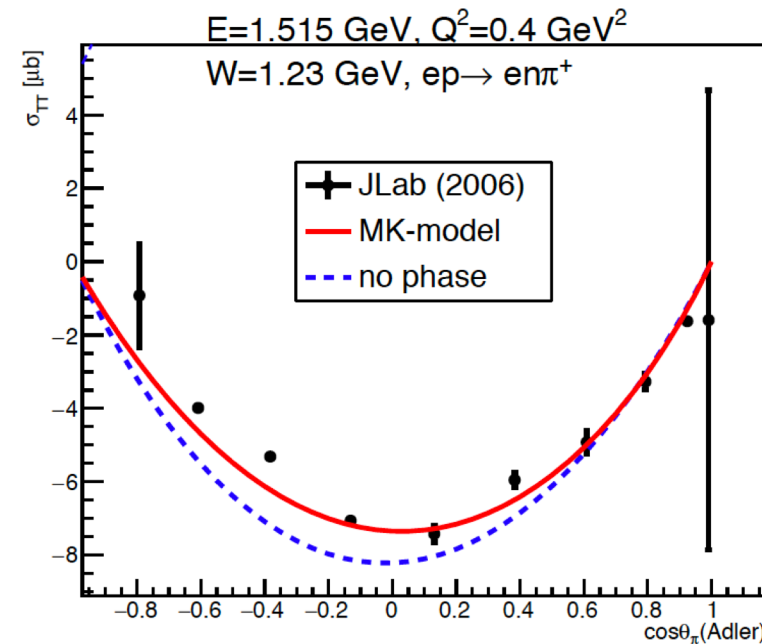
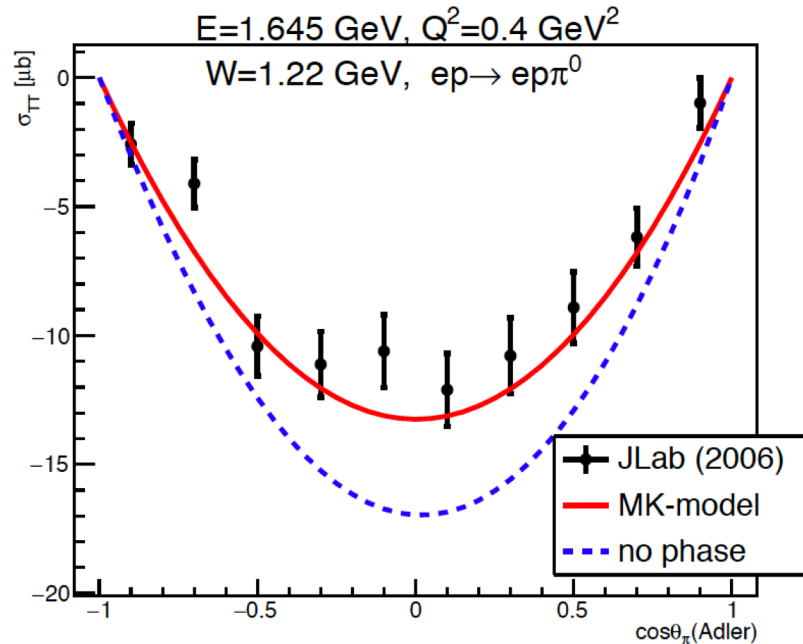


$$\sigma_T + \epsilon \sigma_L$$

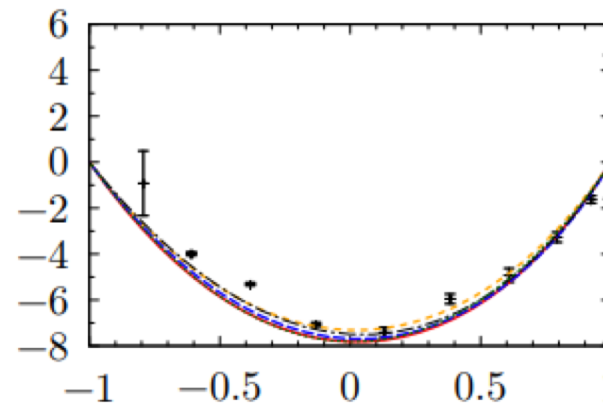
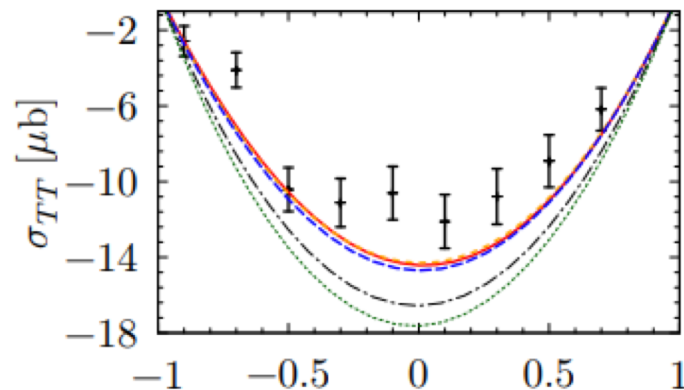
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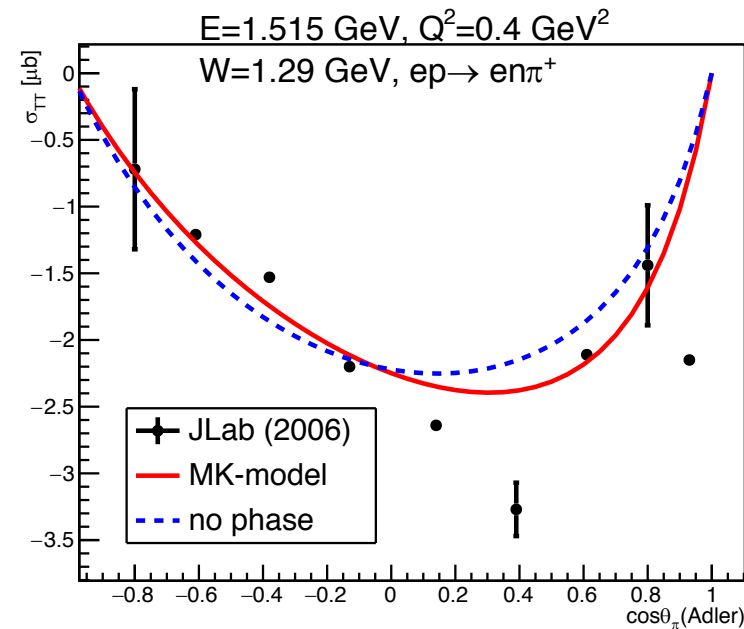
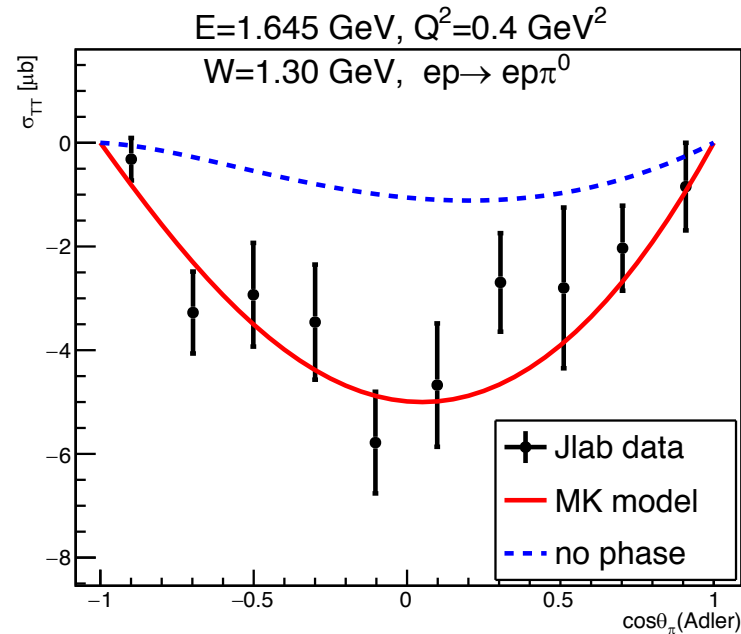
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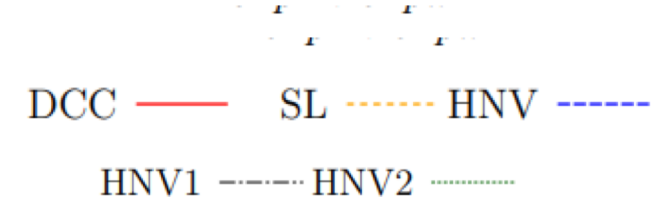
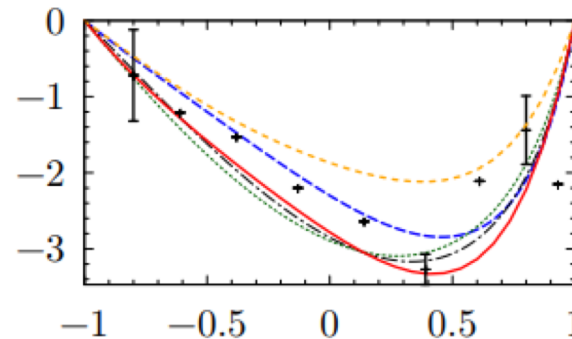
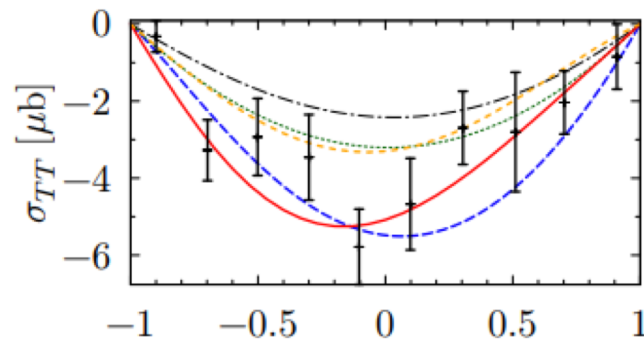
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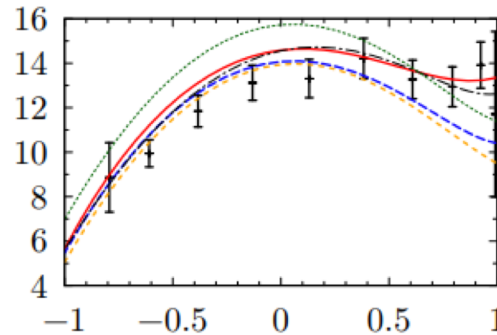
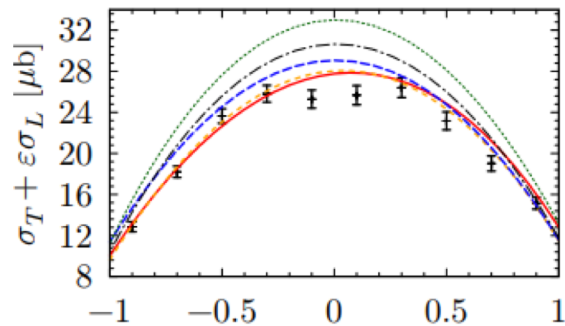
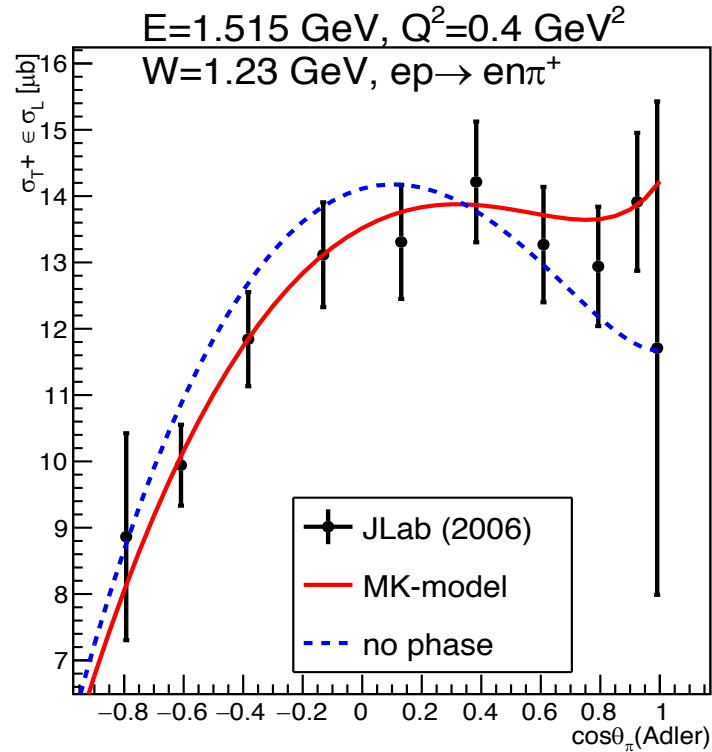
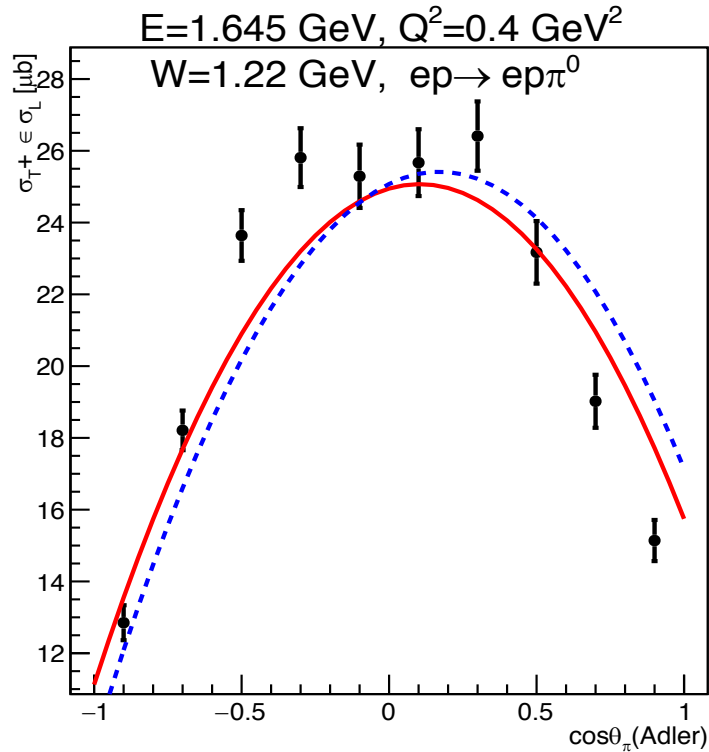


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2. fitting phases between resonance and non-resonance amplitudes with electron scattering data.

3. Fitting The axial form-factor at $Q^2=0$ (only $C_A^5(0)$)

Graczyk-Sobczyk axial form-factor

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$$\tilde{G}_A^{RS,+3,+1}(W, Q^2) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{(M+W)^2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[1 - \frac{W^2 - Q^2 - M^2}{8M^2}\right] C_5^A(Q^2), \quad \text{GS}$$

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$$\tilde{G}_A^{RS,+3,+1}(W = M_\Delta, Q^2 = 0) \approx \tilde{G}_A^{RS,+0}(W = M_\Delta, Q^2 = 0)$$

- In order to be able to get an agreement with both sets of data they choose GS form factor.
- MK model with GSK form-factor has better agreement with data

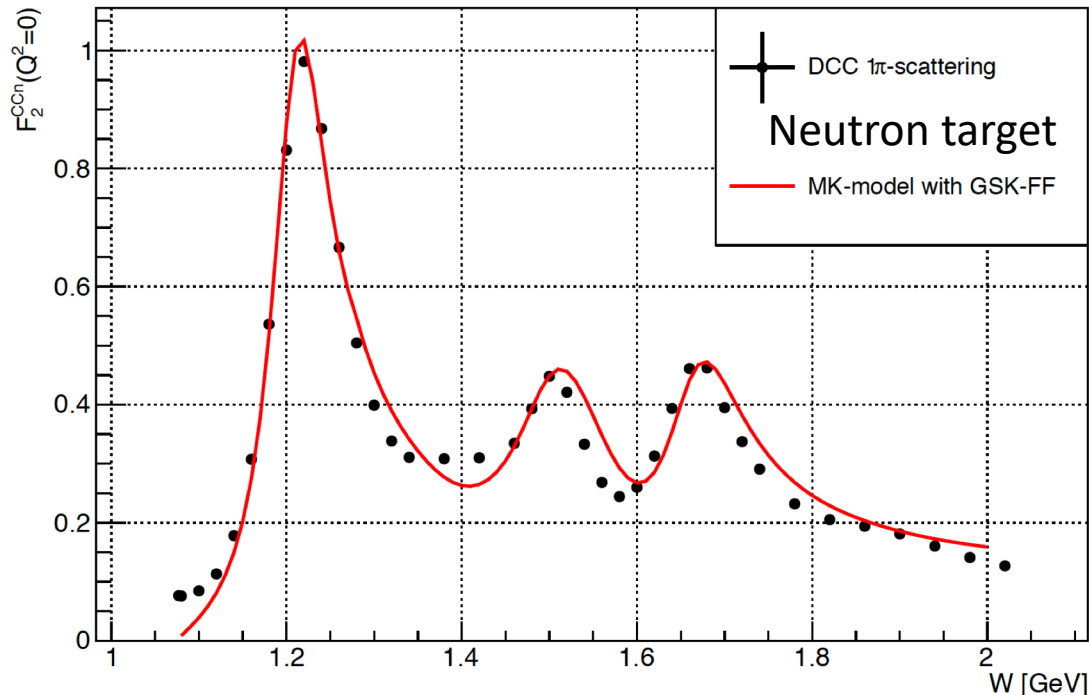
MK-model improvement (Axial part)

Cross section at $Q^2=0$ and $m_\mu=0$

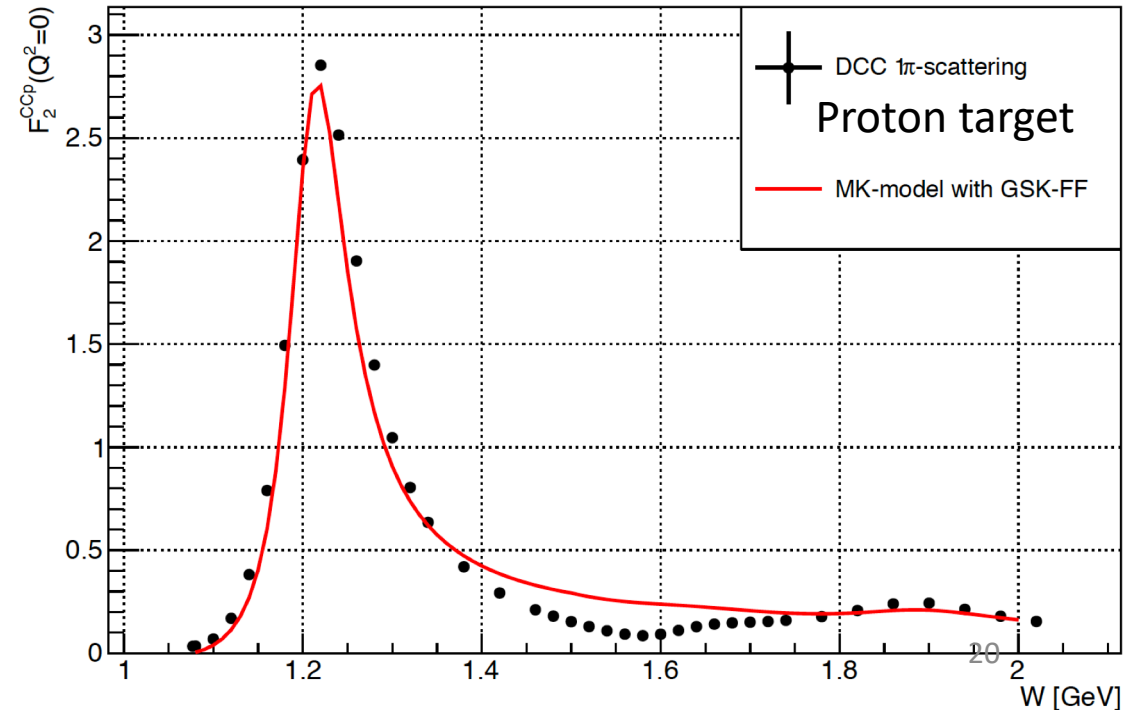
At this particular kinematics, the axial part of neutrino cross section is related to the πN cross section through the PCAC relation.

$$\frac{d\sigma^{CC}}{dE_l d\Omega_l} = \frac{G_F^2 V_{ud}^2}{2\pi^2} \frac{E'^2}{E - E'} F_2, \quad \text{PCAC} \quad F_2 = \frac{2f_\pi^2}{\pi} \sigma_{tot}(\pi + N)$$

$Q^2=0$



$Q^2=0$



Conclusion

- MK-model (single pion cross section model) consists of resonant and non-resonant interactions, **including the interference effects**.
- MK-model has a good agreement with hydrogen/deuterium target (neutrino/electron/pion) data after updating the vector form factor.
- Updated MK-model can have very different prediction for some channels.
- MK model implementation in NEUT consists of 14 (channels) functions which each function get E , Q^2 , W , θ_π , ϕ_π and returns to differential cross section ($d\sigma/dW dQ^2 d\Omega_\pi$) value for individual channels.
- GENIE implementation is not as easy as the NEUT implementation!

Backup

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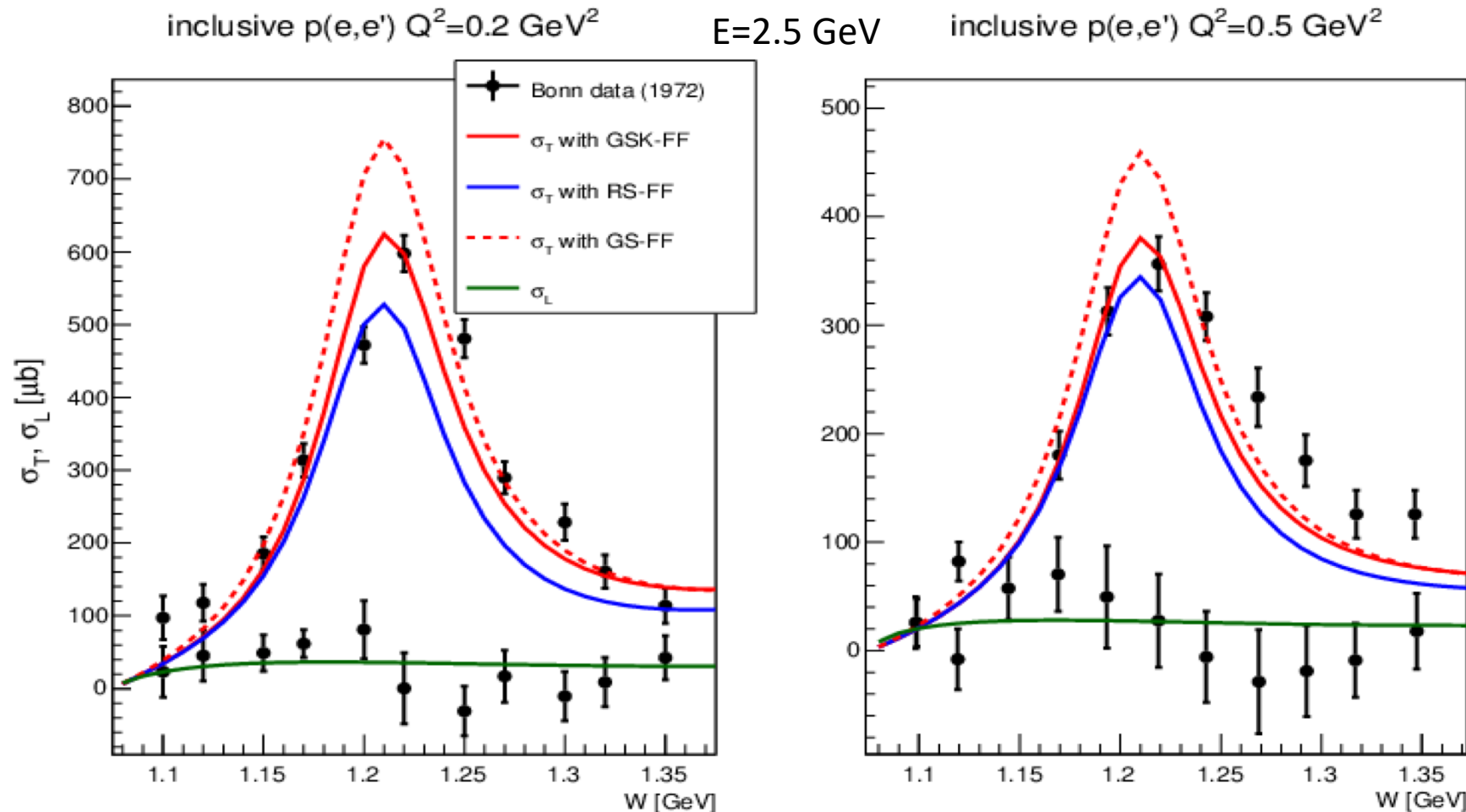
$$\frac{d^3 \sigma_{ep \rightarrow e'X}}{dE_{e'} d\Omega_{e'}} = \Gamma_\gamma [\sigma_T(W, Q^2) + \epsilon \sigma_L(W, Q^2)]$$

virtual photon flux factor

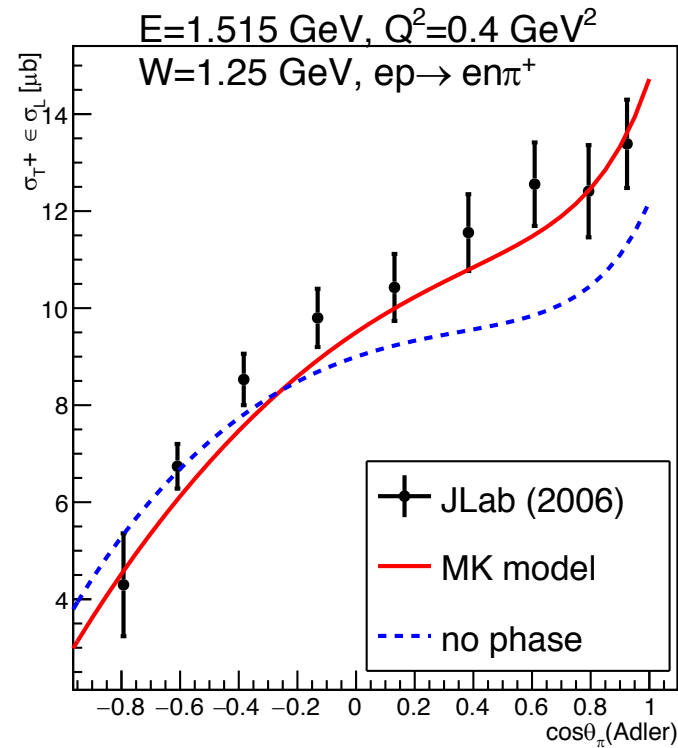
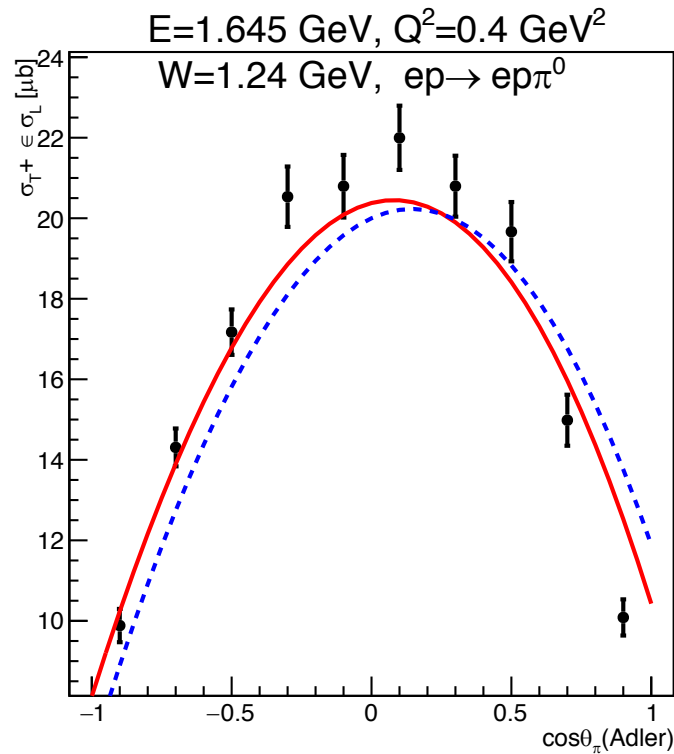
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No adjustable
parameter in
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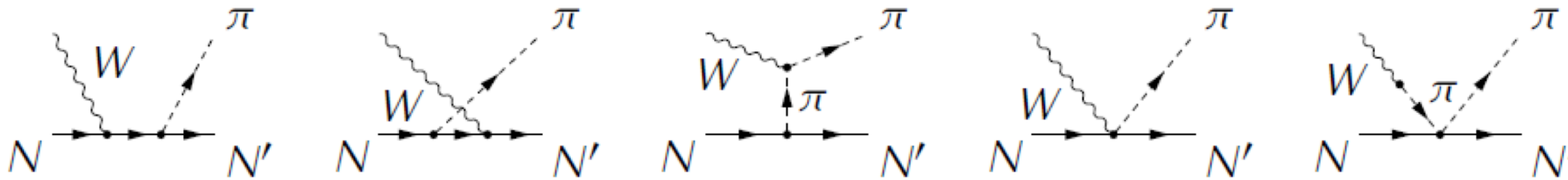
MK model comparison with J-lab data



$$\sigma_T + \epsilon \sigma_L$$

non-resonant background.

is defined by a set of diagrams determined by HNV model based on non-linear sigma model



Helicity amplitudes of above diagrams are calculated in the Adler frame.

- the model is based on chiral symmetry and it is not reliable at high energy and high W .
- Smooth transition to higher W ($1.4 \text{ GeV} < W < 1.6 \text{ GeV}$)
- The nonresonant background has no contribution at $W > 1.6 \text{ GeV}$

Dynamical coupled-channels (DCC) model

DCC analysis of meson production data

- **Fully combined** analysis of $\gamma N, \pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N, K\Lambda, K\Sigma$ data
 $\sim 27,000$ data points are fitted
- In first analysis of the pion- and photon-induced meson production reactions, we have already constructed a DCC model for the strong interaction and the electromagnetic current of the proton at $Q^2=0$.
- More than 440 parameters are determined to fit the obtained vector form factors.

$$F_{NN^*}^V(Q^2) \sim \sum_{n=0}^{\mathcal{N}} c_n^N (Q^2)^n$$

- All the other (406) parameters such as resonance parameters (masses & decay widths) and relative phases between resonant and nonresonant amplitudes have been extracted from the DCC model.

Vector and axial-vector currents

$q \cdot V (Q^2=0)=0$ Conservation of Vector current (CVC)

$q \cdot A(Q^2=0) \propto m_\pi^2 \neq 0$ axial current is not conserved. But it is partially conserved (PCAC) when $m_\pi \rightarrow 0$

→ Guiding principle to derive the axial current : **PCAC relation** with πN reaction amplitude

$$\langle X | q \cdot A(Q^2 \sim 0) | N \rangle \sim i f_\pi \langle X | T | \pi N \rangle$$