

Some kinematics - in the lab system

$$k^N = (E, 0, 0, E) = (E, \vec{k})$$

$$k'^N = (E', E' \sin \theta, 0, E' \cos \theta) = (E', \vec{k}')$$

$$q^N = (E - E', -E' \sin \theta, 0, E - E' \cos \theta) = (\nu, \vec{q})$$

$$Q^2 = -q^\mu q_\mu = -\nu^2 + \vec{q}^2 = (E - E' \cos \theta)^2 + E'^2 \sin^2 \theta - (E - E')$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= E^2 - 2EE' \cos \theta + E'^2 - E^2 - E'^2 + 2EE' \\ &= 2EE'(1 - \cos \theta) = 4EE' \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$p^N = (M, 0, 0, 0) = (M, \vec{0})$$

$$p'^N = p^N + q^N = (M + \nu, \vec{q})$$

$$\begin{aligned} p'^\mu p'_\mu &=: W^2 = M^2 + 2M\nu + \nu^2 - \vec{q}^2 \\ &= M^2 + 2M\nu - Q^2 \end{aligned}$$

Elastic Scattering: $W^2 \stackrel{!}{=} M^2$

$$\Rightarrow \nu_{el} \stackrel{!}{=} \frac{Q^2}{2M} \quad \text{or} \quad X_{el} = \frac{Q^2}{2M\nu_{el}} \stackrel{!}{=} 1$$

Elastic cross section - final form

$$\Delta \sigma = \frac{4z^2 \alpha^2 (\hbar c)^2}{Q^4} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \left[\underbrace{\frac{G_E^2 + \tau G_M^2}{1 + \tau}}_{\text{LONGITUDINAL (charge)}} + 2\tau \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \underbrace{G_M^2}_{\text{TRANSVERSE (magnetic)}} \right]$$

$\cdot E'^2 \Delta \Omega \frac{E'}{E}$
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$$\tau = \frac{\nu^2}{Q^2}, \quad G_E(Q^2), \quad G_M(Q^2):$$

Form Factors

Dirac Particle: $G_E = G_M = 1$ (const.)

Anomalous magnetic moment: $G_M \approx (1 + \kappa) G_E$

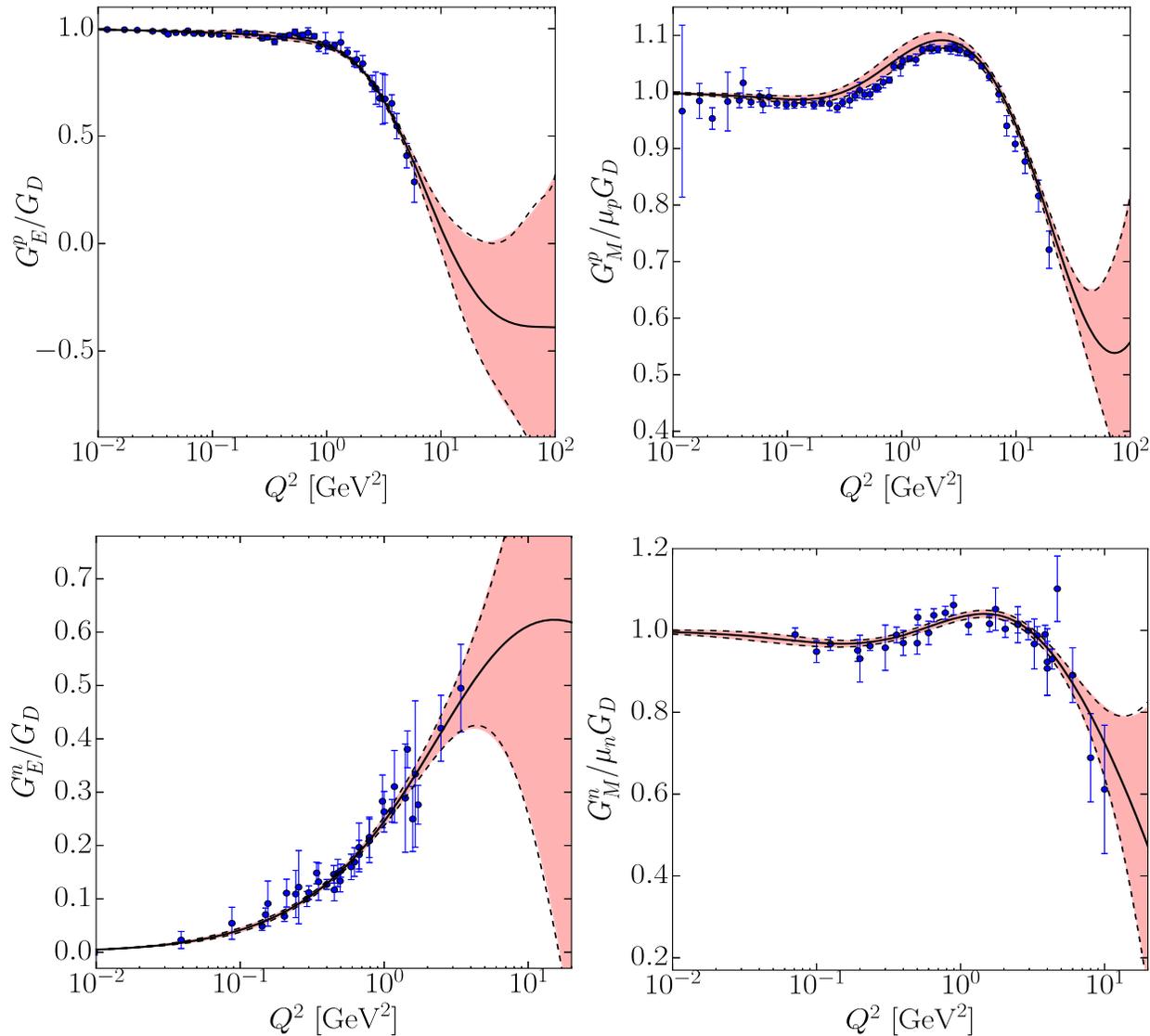
Extended Charge distribution:

$G_E(Q^2) \approx$ Fourier transform of $\rho(r)$

Ex: $\rho(r) \approx \frac{a^3}{8\pi} e^{-ar} \Rightarrow G_E(Q^2) \approx \left(\frac{1}{1 + \frac{Q^2}{a^2}} \right)^2$

(Dipole Form). $\rho: a^2 = 0.71 \text{ GeV}^2$

Electromagnetic Form Factors



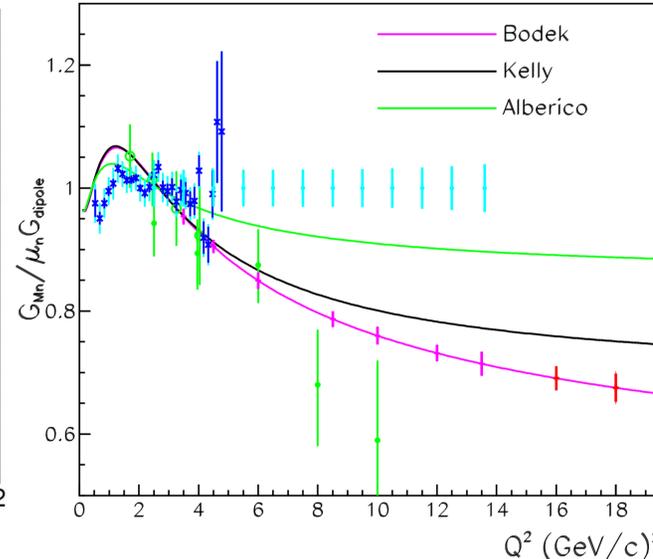
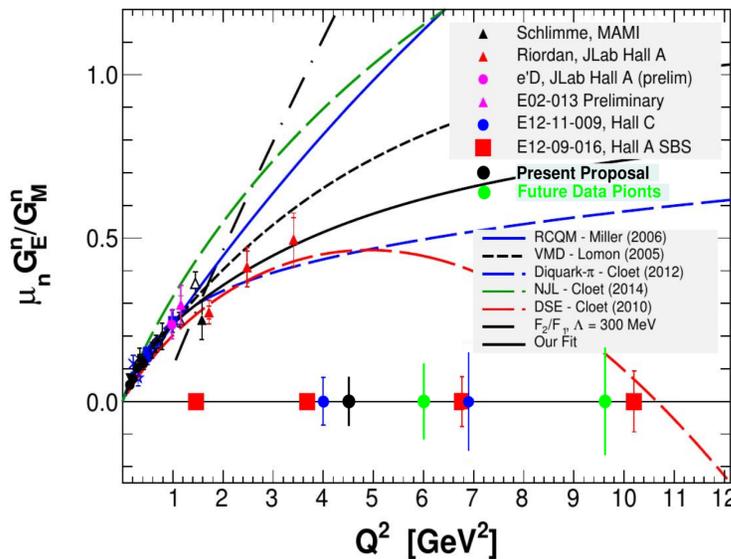
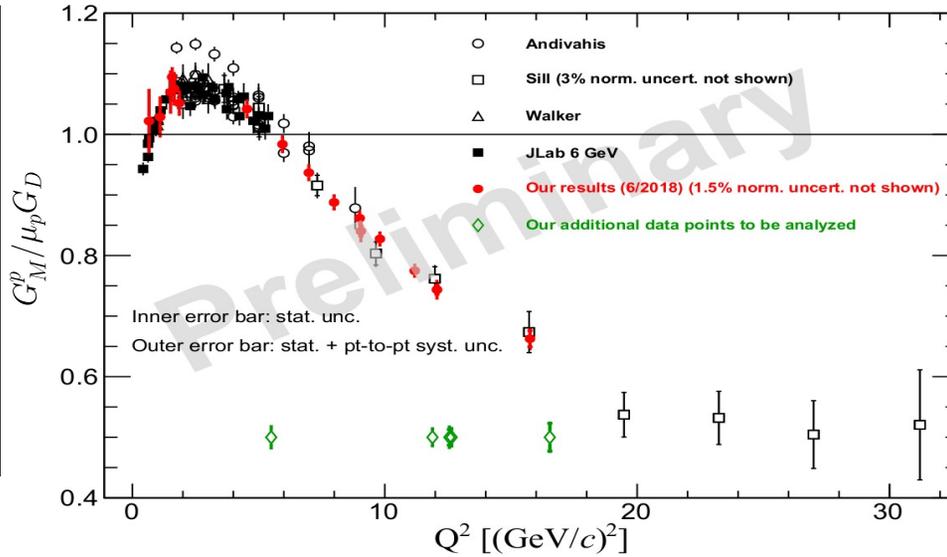
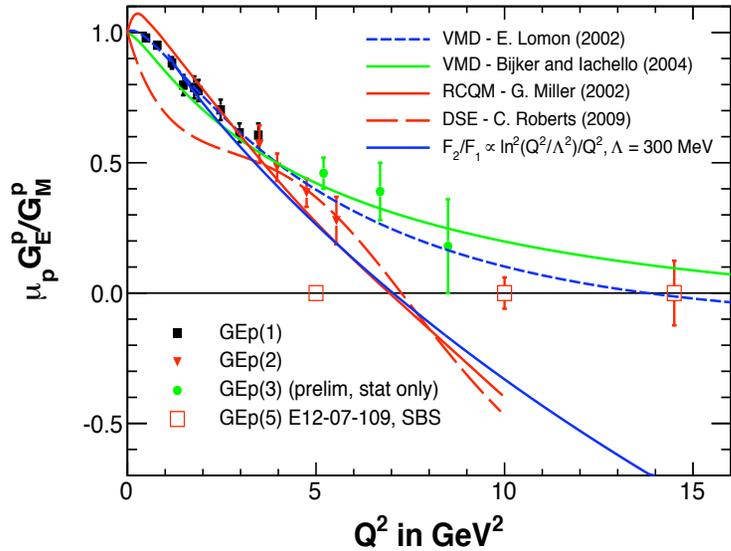
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$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_0 = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{\text{Mott}} \frac{\epsilon(G_E^N)^2 + \tau(G_M^N)^2}{\epsilon(1 + \tau)}$$

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JLab E012-07-108, $e-p$ elastic cross section



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