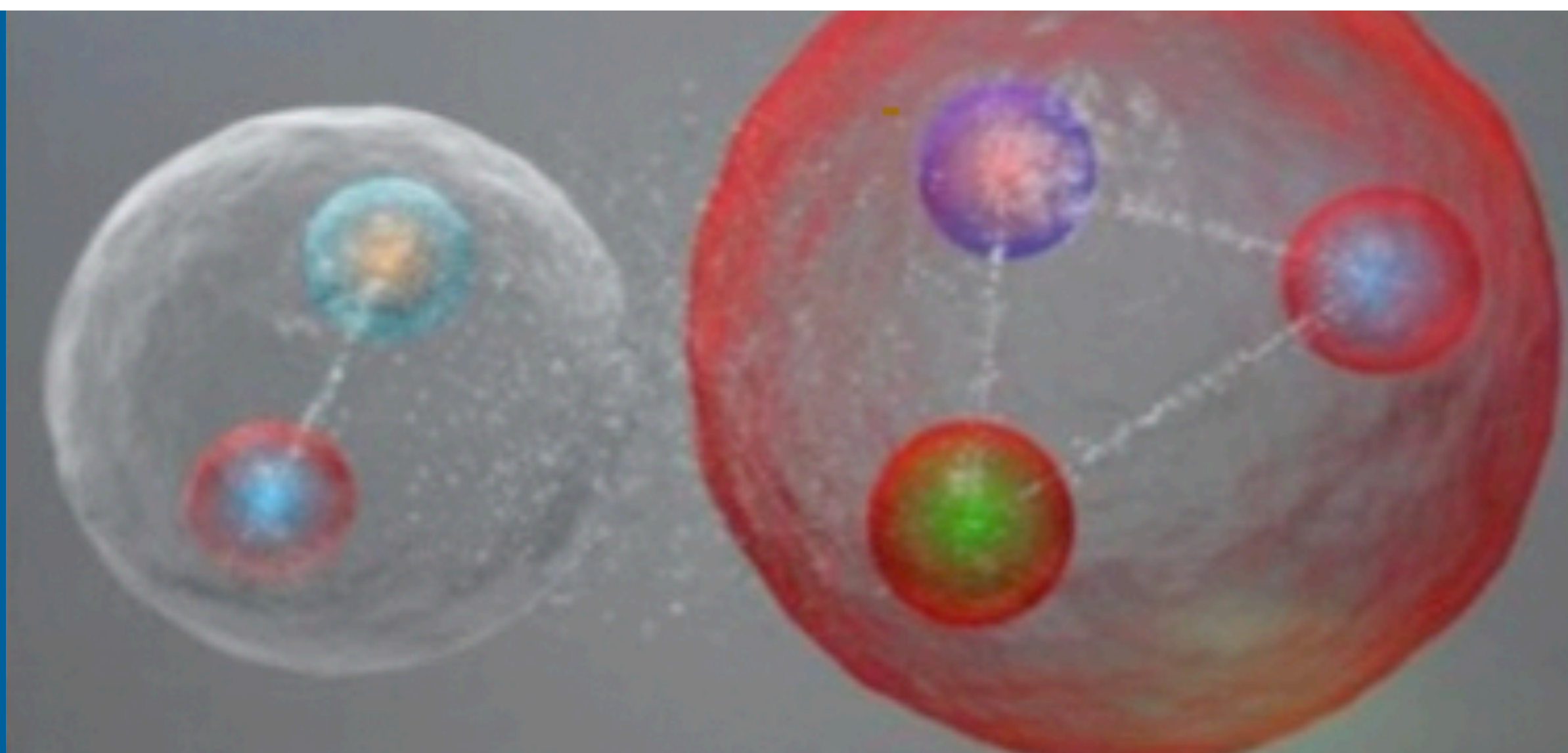


# FROM THE PROTON MASS TO PENTAQUARKS

## NEW RESULTS ON THRESHOLD $J/\psi$ PRODUCTION FROM HALL C



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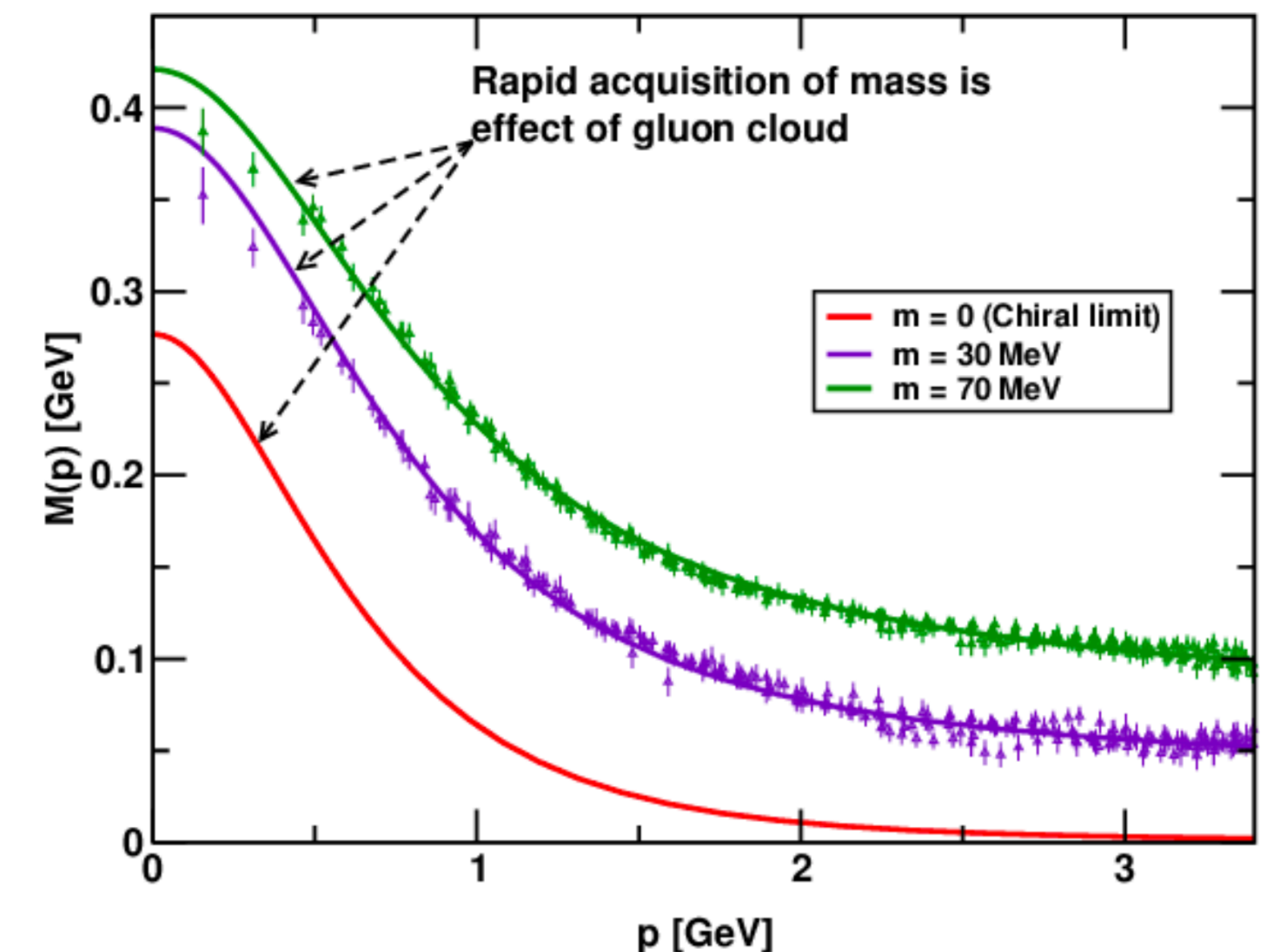
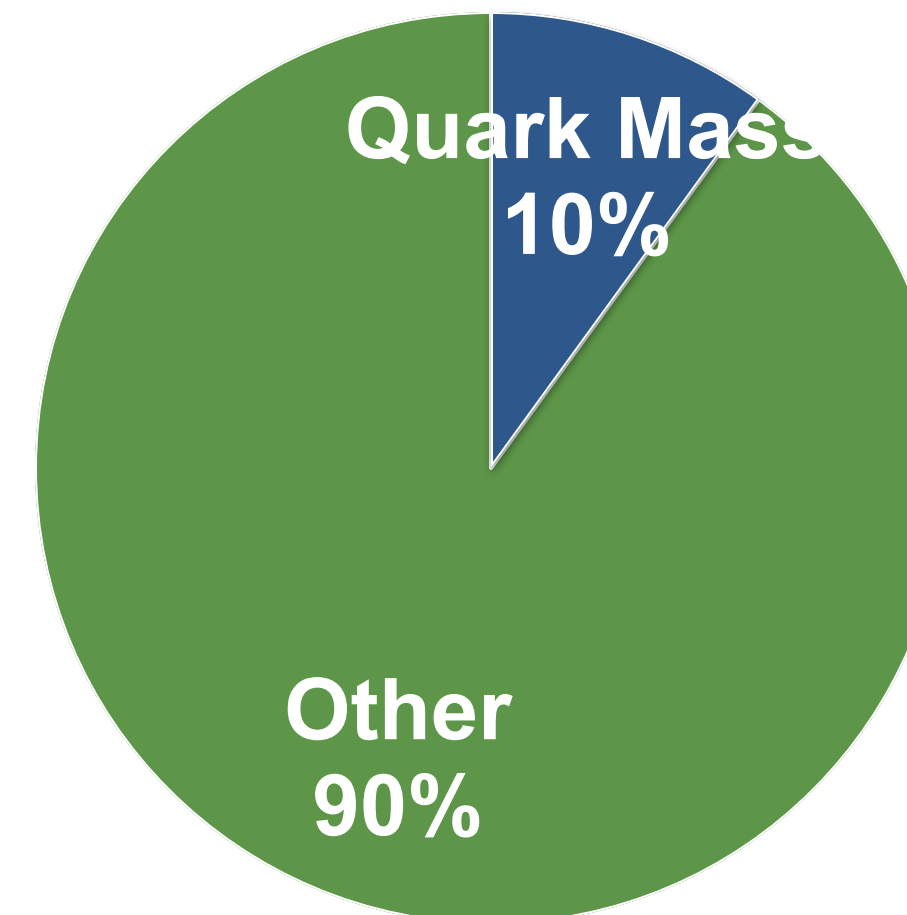
NEW RESULTS ON BEHALF OF  
THE HALL C  $J/\psi$ -007 COLLABORATION



# WHY IS THE PROTON SO HEAVY?

## Nucleon mass is an emergent phenomenon

- The proton mass is much larger than the mass sum of its constituents
- Calculations have shown that even in the massless limit, the proton mass would be almost unchanged
- This implies interactions with the Standard Model Higgs field are largely irrelevant for “normal” matter



M. S. Bhagwat et al., Phys. Rev. C 68, 015203 (2003)  
I. C. Cloet et al., Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 77, 1-69 (2014)

How do massless gluons provide for the large proton mass?

How is the proton mass distributed inside its confinement size?

# PROTON MASS: REST-FRAME DECOMPOSITION

## Disentangling the proton mass in its rest frame

- Proton mass is the matrix element of the QCD Hamiltonian in the proton rest frame

$$H_{\text{QCD}} = \int d^3x T^{00}(0, \vec{x})$$

$$= \underbrace{H_q}_{\text{green}} + \underbrace{H_m}_{\text{orange}} + \underbrace{H_g}_{\text{red}} + \underbrace{H_a}_{\text{blue}}$$

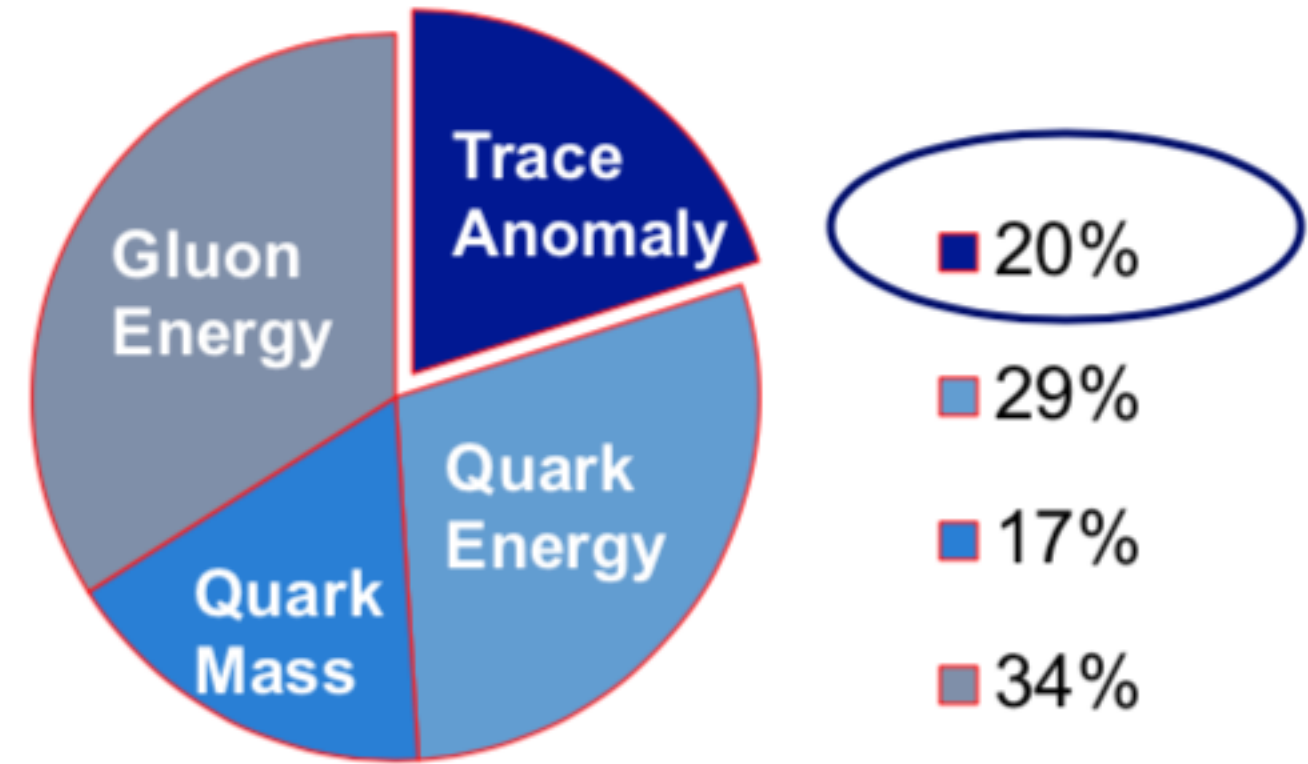
At leading order:

$$\underbrace{M_q}_{\text{green}} = \frac{3}{4} \left( a - \frac{b}{1 + \gamma_m} \right) M$$

$$\underbrace{M_m}_{\text{orange}} = \frac{4 + \gamma_m}{4(1 + \gamma_m)} b M$$

$$\underbrace{M_g}_{\text{red}} = \frac{3}{4} (1 - a) M$$

$$\underbrace{M_a}_{\text{blue}} = \frac{1}{4} (1 - b) M$$



$a(\mu)$  related to PDFs, well constrained

$b(\mu)$  related trace anomaly, unconstrained

# GRAVITATIONAL FORM FACTORS (GFFS)

## The matter structure of the proton

GFFs are the form factors of the EMT for quarks and gluons

$$\langle N' | T_{q,g}^{\mu,\nu} | N \rangle = \bar{u}(N') \left( A_{g,q}(t) \gamma^{\{\mu} P^{\nu\}} + B_{g,q}(t) \frac{iP^{\{\mu} \sigma^{\nu\}} \rho \Delta_{\rho}}{2M} + C_{g,q}(t) \frac{\Delta^{\mu} \Delta^{\nu} - g^{\mu\nu} \Delta^2}{M} + \bar{C}_{g,q}(t) M g^{\mu\nu} \right) u(N)$$

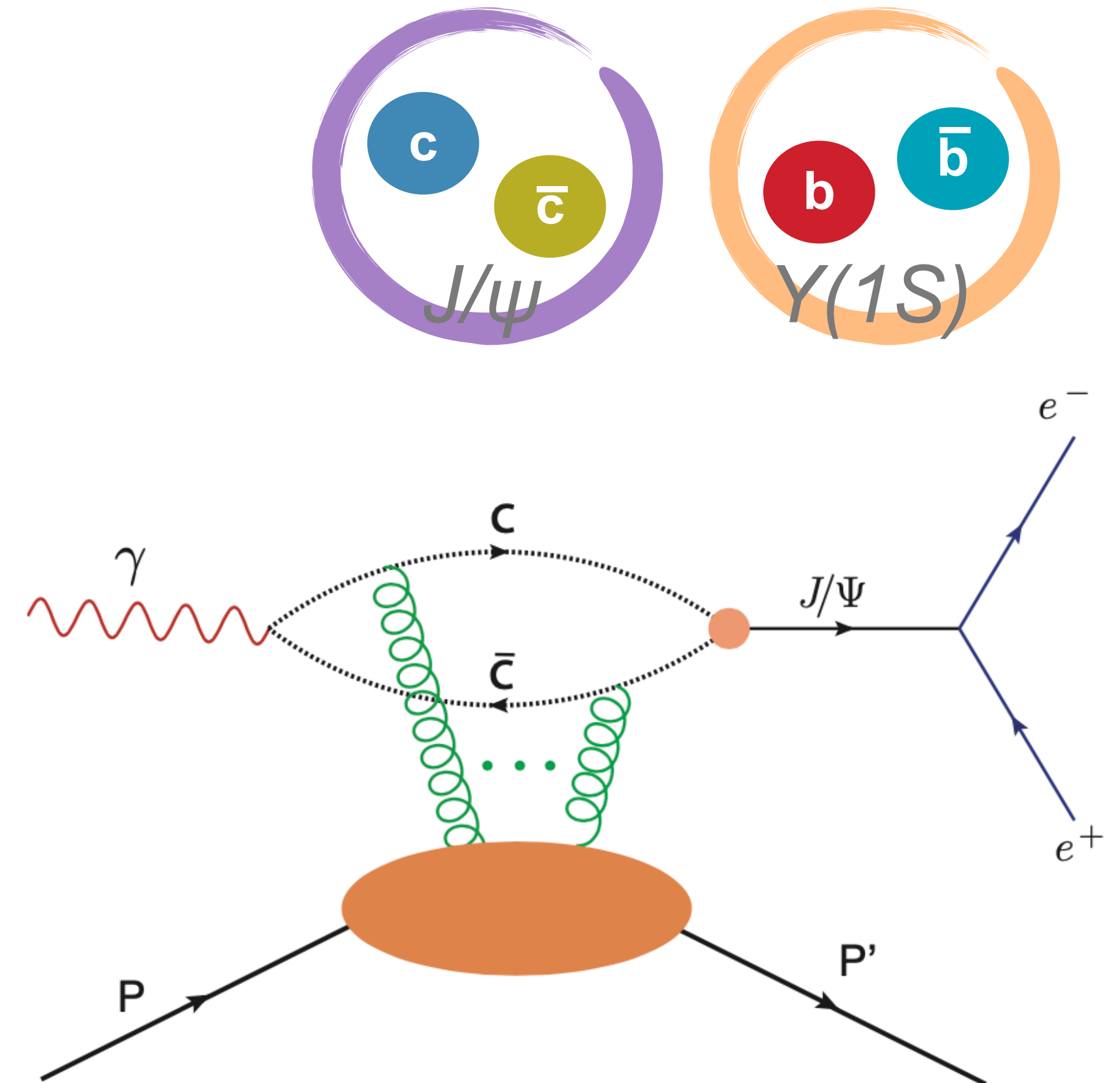
Physics encoded in these GFFs:

- $A_{g,q}(t)$ : Related to quark and gluon momenta,  $A_{g,q}(0) = \langle x_{q,g} \rangle$
- $J_{g,q}(t) = 1/2 \left( A_{g,q}(t) + B_{g,q}(t) \right)$ : Related to angular momentum,  $J_{\text{tot}}(0) = 1/2$
- $D_{g,q}(t) = 4C_{g,q}(t)$ : Related to pressure and shear forces

# WHY QUARKONIUM PRODUCTION NEAR THRESHOLD

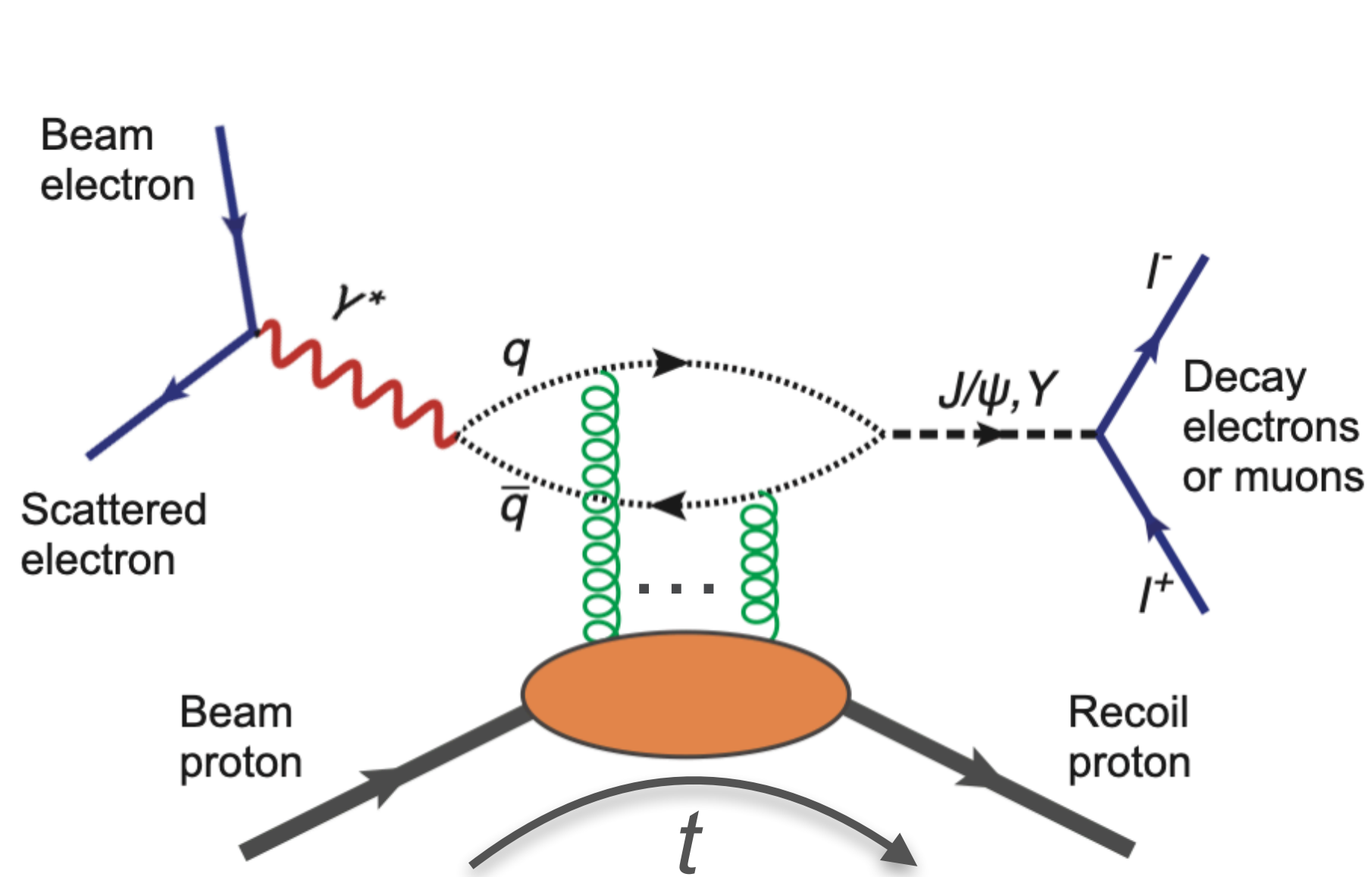
## Gluons are hard to probe

- Electromagnetic charge and spin of the proton well-studied through electron scattering
- Gluons are harder to directly access, as they do not carry electromagnetic charge
  - Description of mass still in infancy, as most energy (and hence mass) carried by the gluons
  - $J/\psi$  and  $Y(1S)$  only couple to gluons, not light quarks
  - Differential cross section of quarkonium near threshold promising channel to directly probe gluons
  - Sufficient data at different photon energies can constrain the GFF slopes and magnitudes in the forward limit ( $t=0$ )
  - **Access the matter distribution, mass radius, and potentially the trace anomaly of the EMT.**



# EXCLUSIVE QUARKONIUM PRODUCTION

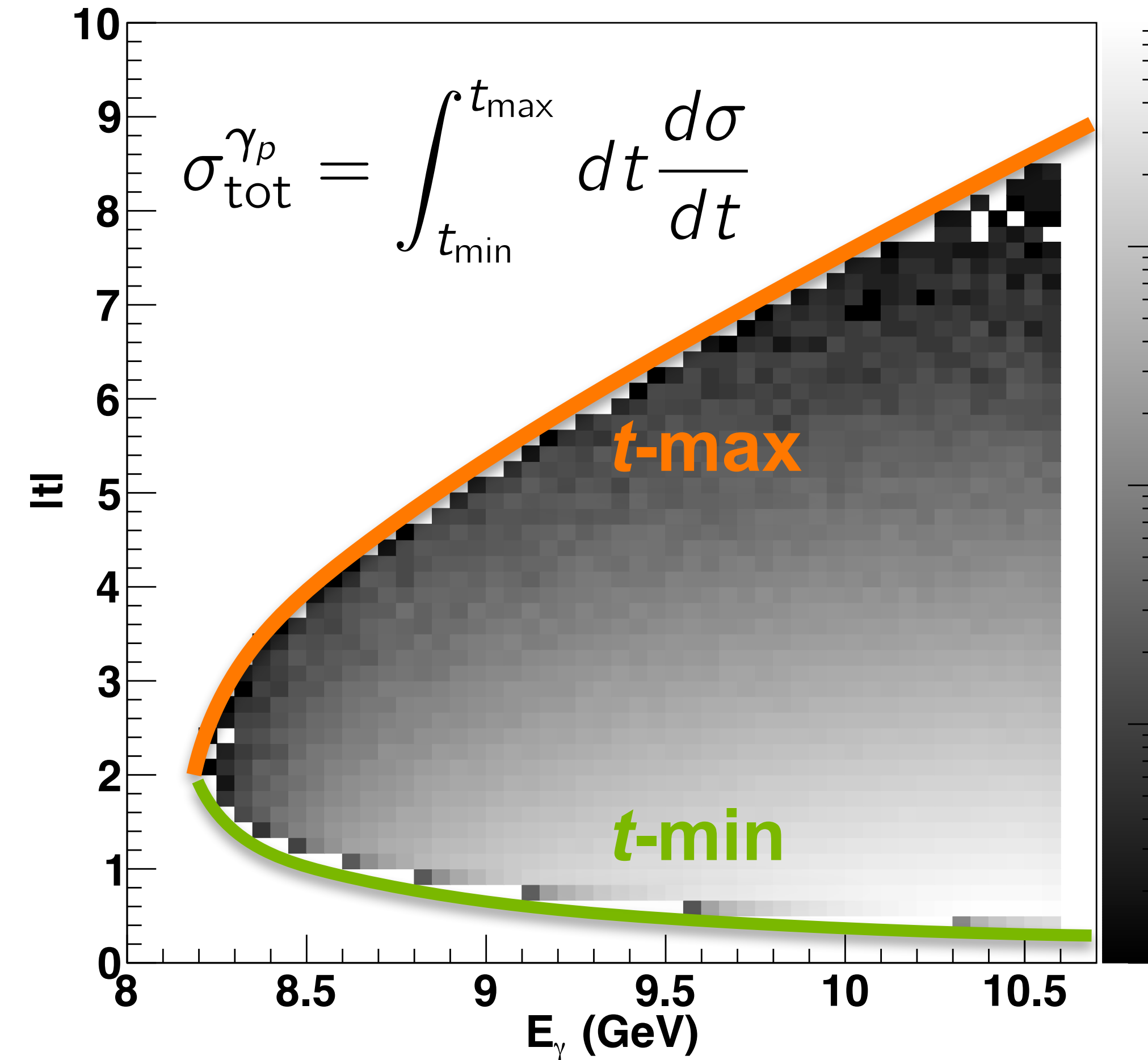
## The basics



$J/\psi$  threshold:  
 $W \approx 4.04\text{GeV}$   
 $E_\gamma^{\text{lab}} \approx 8.2\text{GeV}$   
 $t \approx -1.5\text{GeV}^2$

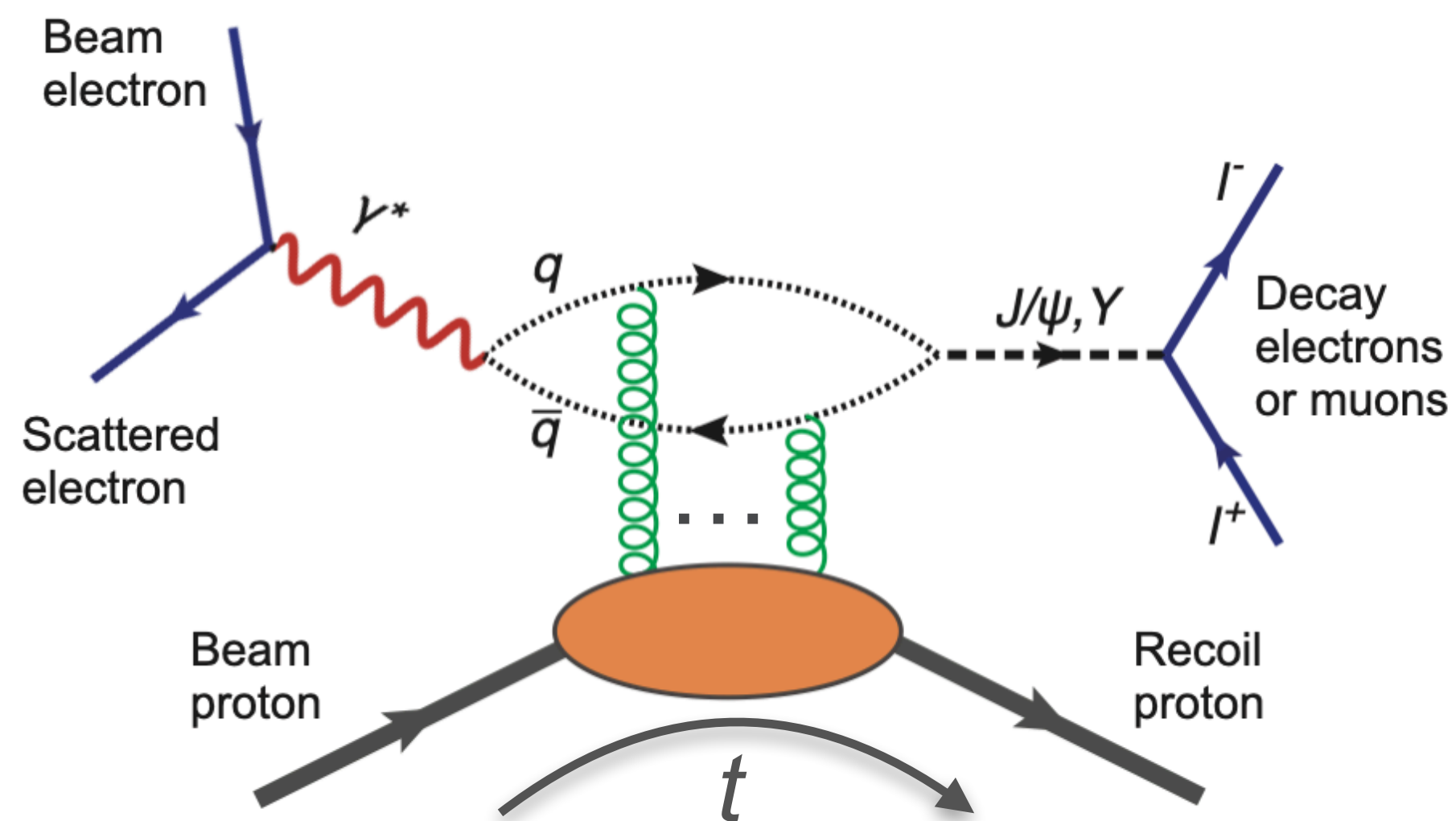
$Y(1S)$  threshold:  
 $W \approx 10.4\text{GeV}$   
 $t \approx -8.1\text{GeV}^2$

- Phase space limits defined by quarkonium direction
  - Forward (with photon):  $t = t_{\min}$
  - Backward (with proton):  $t = t_{\max}$
- Forward direction preferred:  $t$ -dependence  $\sim$ exponential

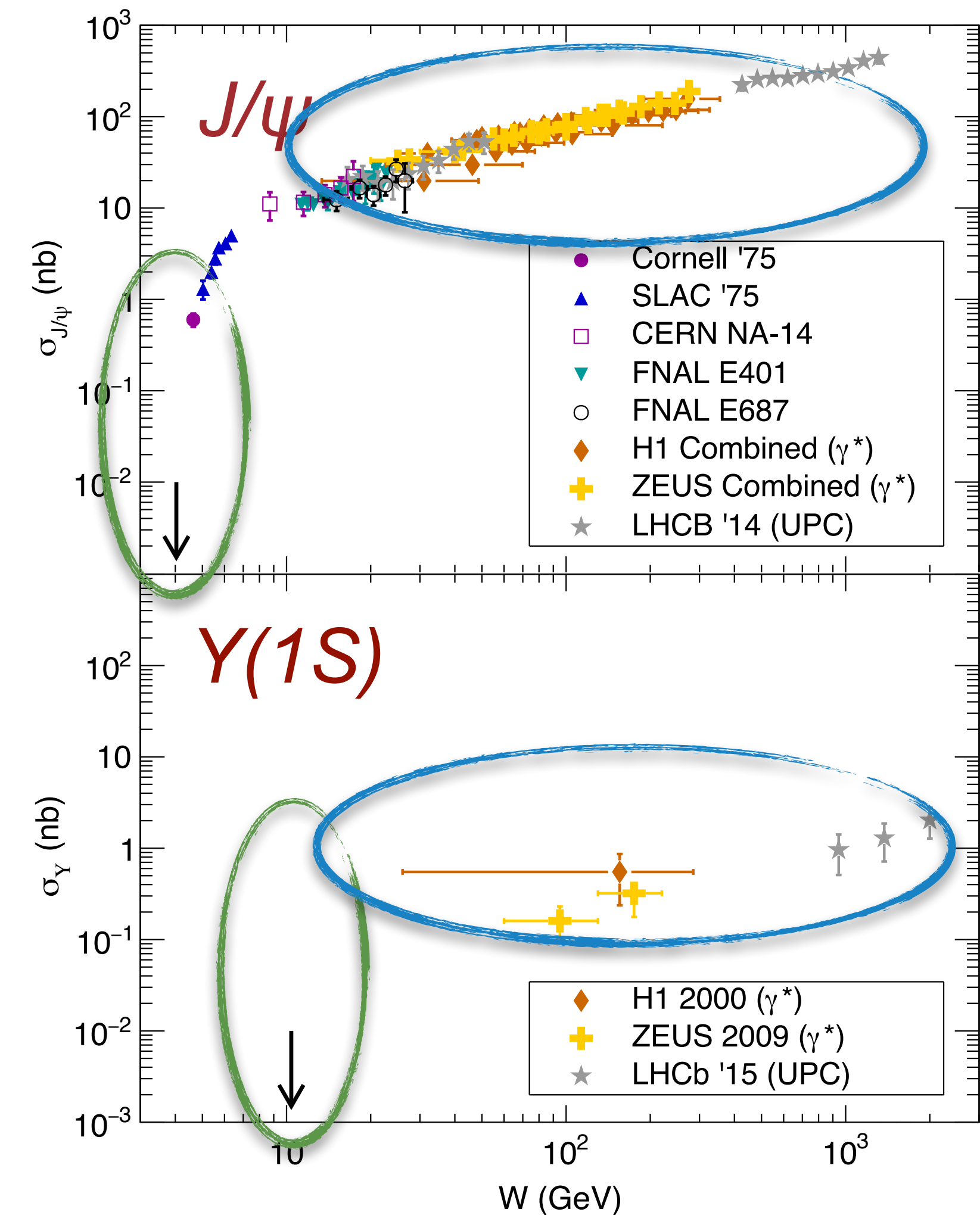


# EXCLUSIVE QUARKONIUM PRODUCTION

## Before Jefferson Lab 12 GeV



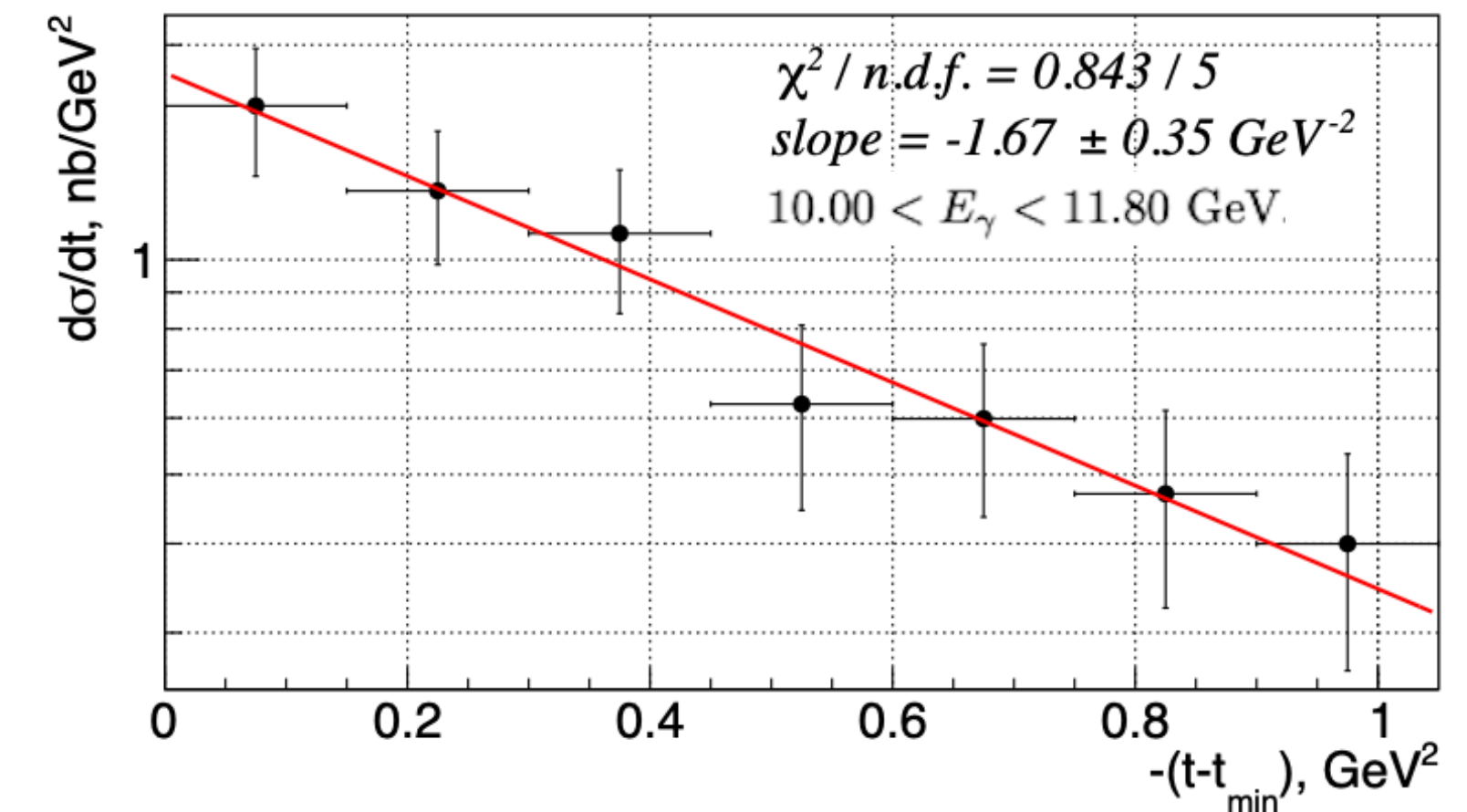
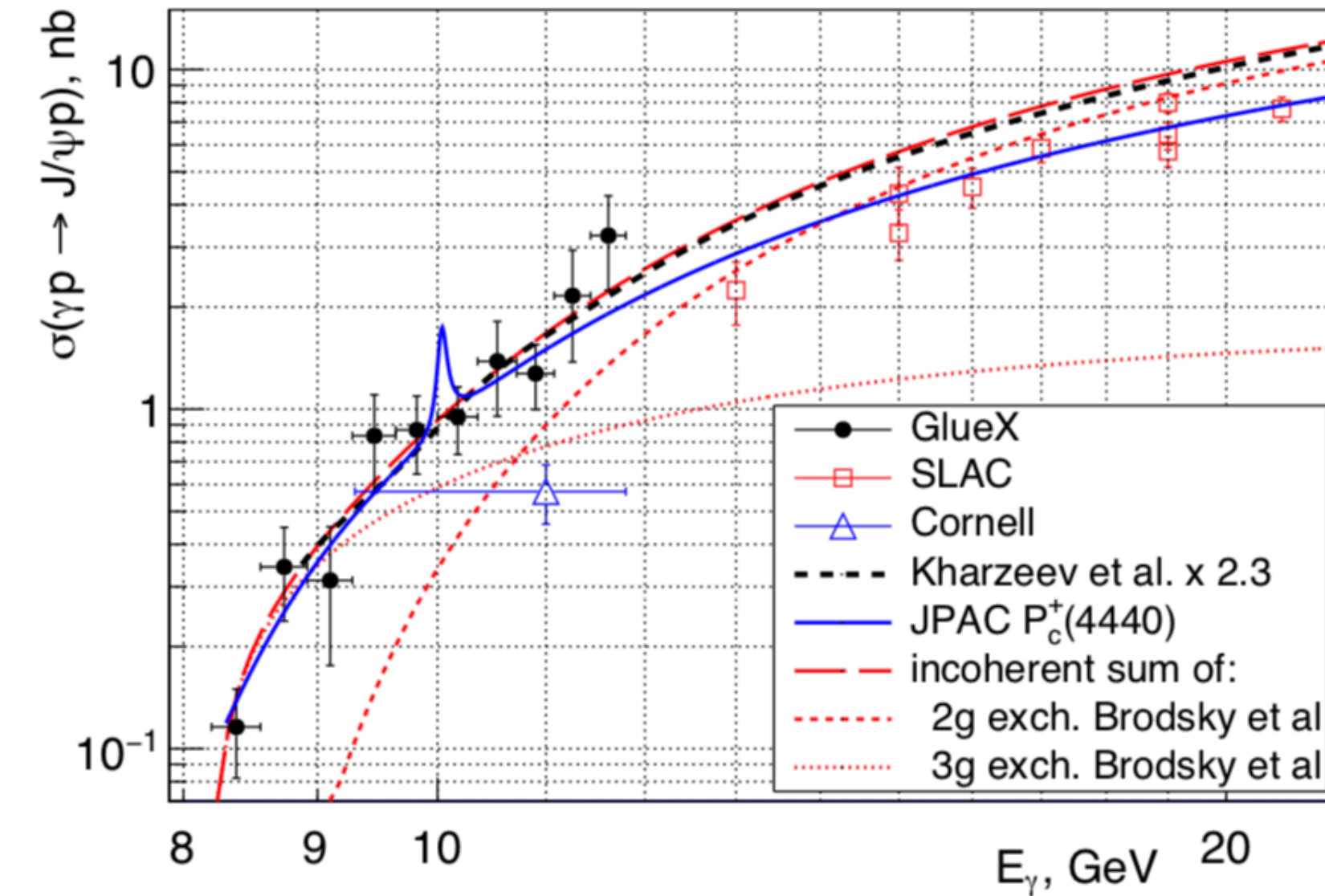
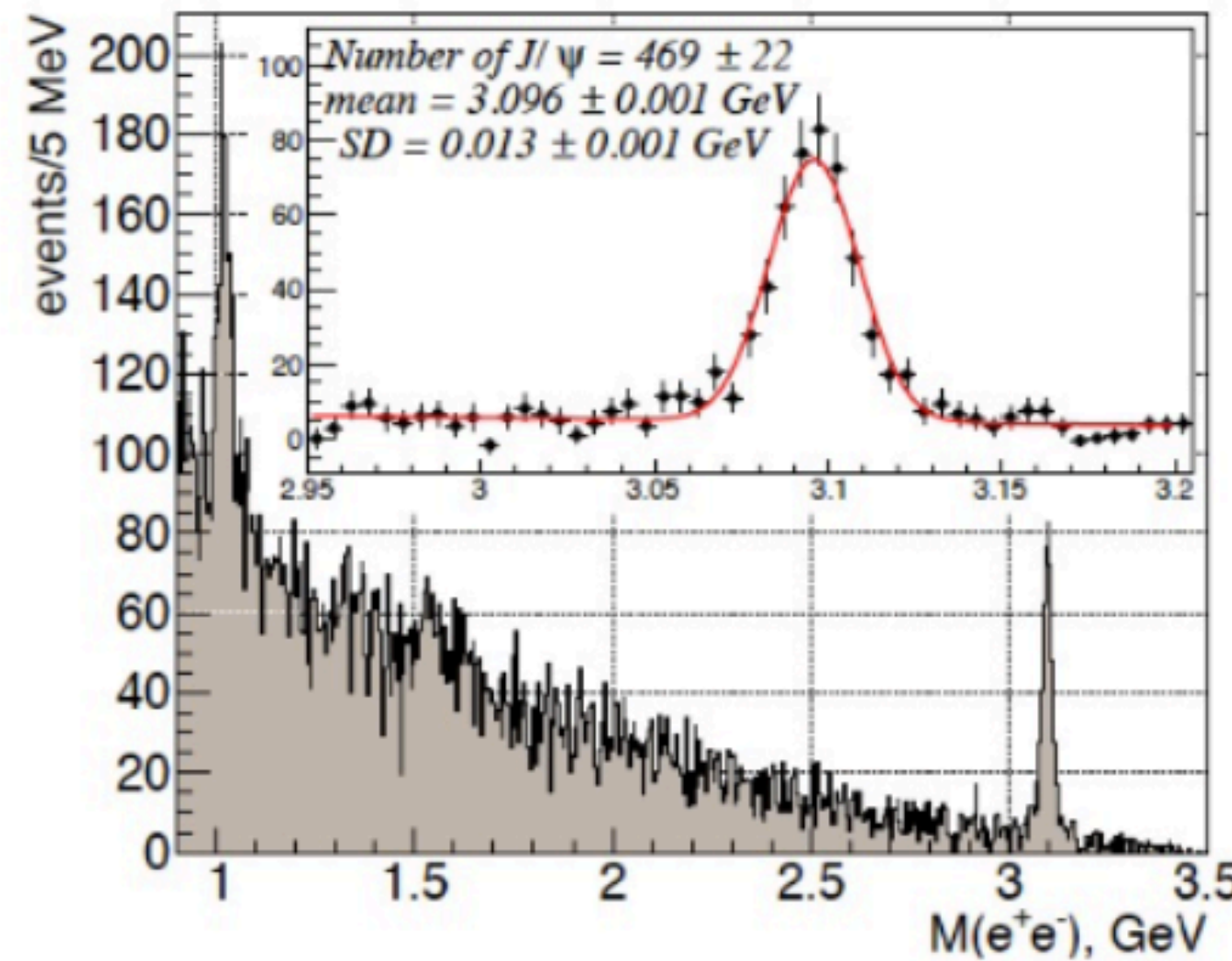
- $J/\psi$  well constrained for high energies in photoproduction
- $Y(1S)$ : not much available
- No significant electroproduction data available
- **Almost no data near threshold before JLab 12 GeV**



# J/Ψ NEAR THRESHOLD IN HALL D

First J/ψ results from JLab, published in PRL 123, 072001 (2019)

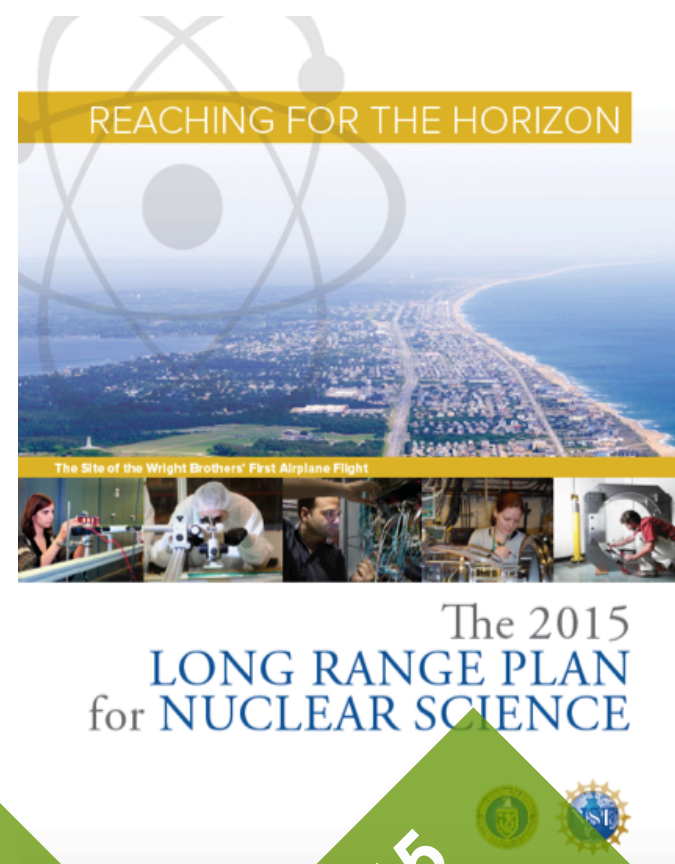
- 1D cross section (~469 counts)
- Trends significantly higher than old measurements
- Also released a single 1D t-profile
- Did not see evidence for hidden-charm pentaquarks
- Preliminary new results with 4x more statistics (see Lubomir's talk)





# The proton mass: An important topic in contemporary hadronic physics!

## RAPIDLY EVOLVING



**The Proton Mass**  
At the heart of most visible matter.  
Temple University, March 28-29, 2016

$M_p = 2m_u^{eff} + m_d^{eff}$

$H_{QCD} = H_q + H_m + H_g + H_a$

Quark kinetic and potential energy  
 $H_q = \int d^3x \psi^\dagger (-D \cdot \alpha) \psi$

Quark masses  
 $H_m = \int d^3x \psi^\dagger m \psi$

Gluon kinetic and potential energy  
 $H_g = \int d^3x \frac{1}{2} (E^2 + B^2)$

Trace anomaly  
 $H_a = \int d^3x \frac{\beta(\alpha_s)}{4\alpha_s} (E^2 - B^2)$

Speakers: Stan Brodsky (SLAC), Xiandong Ji (Maryland), Diana Khazanchi (Stony Brook & BNL), Keh-Fu Liu (University of Kentucky), David Richards (JLab), Craig Roberts (ANL), Martin Savage (University of Washington), Stepan Stepanyan (JLab), George Sterman (Stony Brook)

Moderator: Alfred Mueller (Columbia)

Local Organizers: Zein-Eddine Meziani (Temple U), Jianwei Chen (Temple U)

Workshop Topics: Hadron Mass Calculations, Lattice QCD and Other Methods, Hadron Mass Spectroscopy

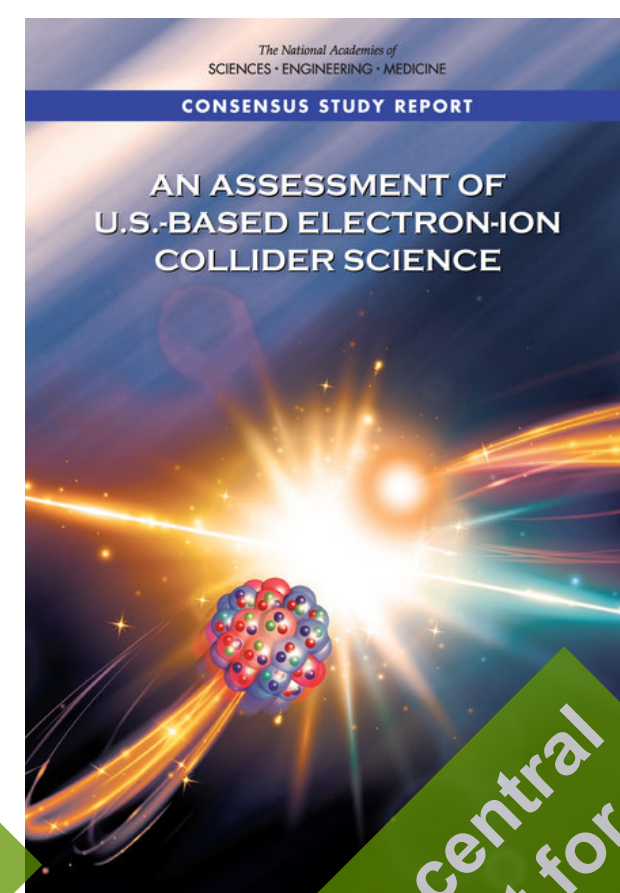
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EUROPEAN CENTRE FOR THEORETICAL STUDIES IN NUCLEAR PHYSICS AND RELATED AREAS  
TRENTO, ITALY

**The Proton Mass: At the Heart of Most Visible Matter**  
Trento, April 3 - 7, 2017

Main Topics: Hadron mass decomposition in terms of constituents, Uniqueness of the decomposition, Quark mass and quark and gluon energy contribution, Anomaly contribution, Lattice QCD (and individual mass components), Approximate analytical methods, Phenomenological model approaches, Experimental access to hadron mass components, Exclusive heavy quarkonium production in B-meson, nuclear geometry through polarized nuclear structure factors...

Confirmed speakers and participants: Alessandro Contino (CERN), Daniela D'Adamo (INFN), Stefano Dalmeida (University of Cape Town), Jian-Wei Chen (Temple University), Stan Brodsky (SLAC), Xiandong Ji (Maryland), Diana Khazanchi (Stony Brook & BNL), Keh-Fu Liu (University of Kentucky), David Richards (JLab), Craig Roberts (ANL), Martin Savage (University of Washington), Stepan Stepanyan (JLab), George Sterman (Stony Brook), Alfred Mueller (Columbia), Zein-Eddine Meziani (Temple U), Jianwei Chen (Temple U)

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Workshop Overview

INT WORKSHOP INT-2022-77  
Origin of the Visible Universe: Unraveling the Proton Mass  
June 13, 2022 - June 17, 2022

HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSE

VIEW SCHEDULE  
PARTICIPANT LIST  
EXIT SURVEY

2012 Temple U. Workshop on heavy quarkonia

Featured in the 2015 Long Range plan

2016 Temple U. Workshop on the proton mass

2017 ECT\* Workshop on the proton mass

2018 Proton mass central in NAS assessment for EIC

2021 Remote Workshop on the proton mass

2022 INT Workshop on the proton mass

2015 LHCb finds resonance in J/ψ-p channel consistent with pentaquarks

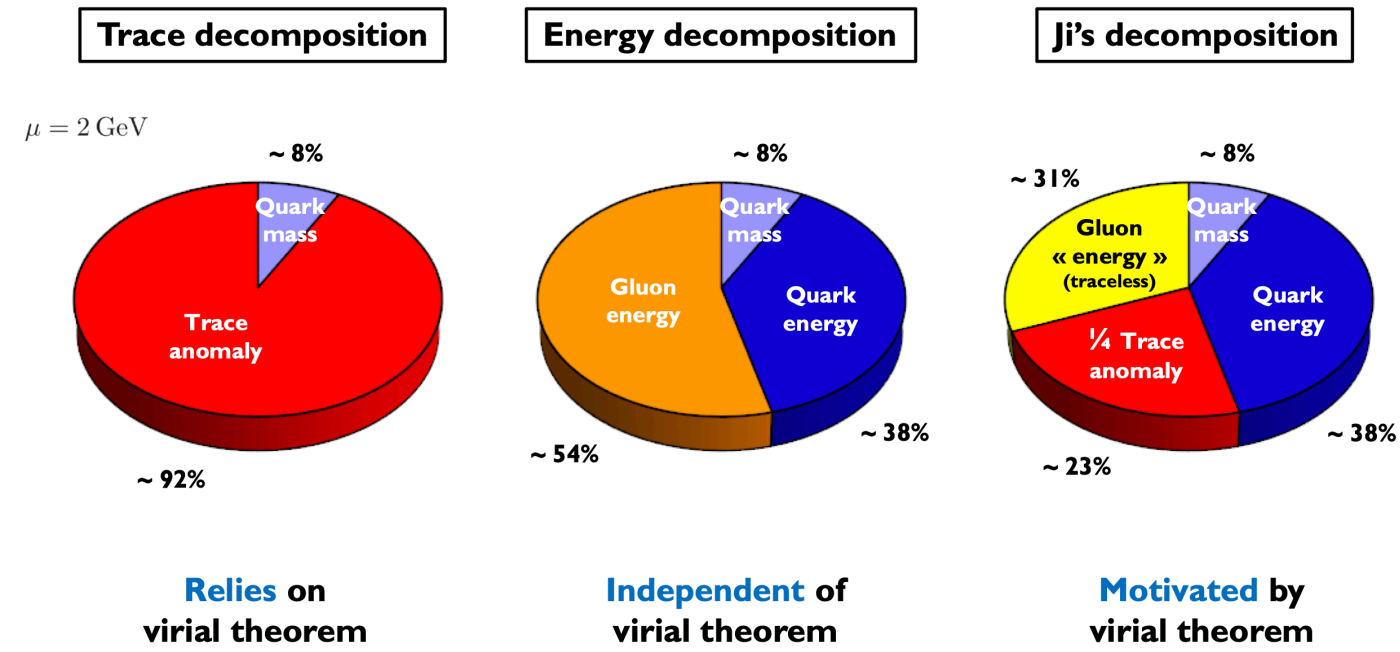
2016 Proposal for Hall C Pentaquark search

2019 First GlueX near-threshold J/ψ results

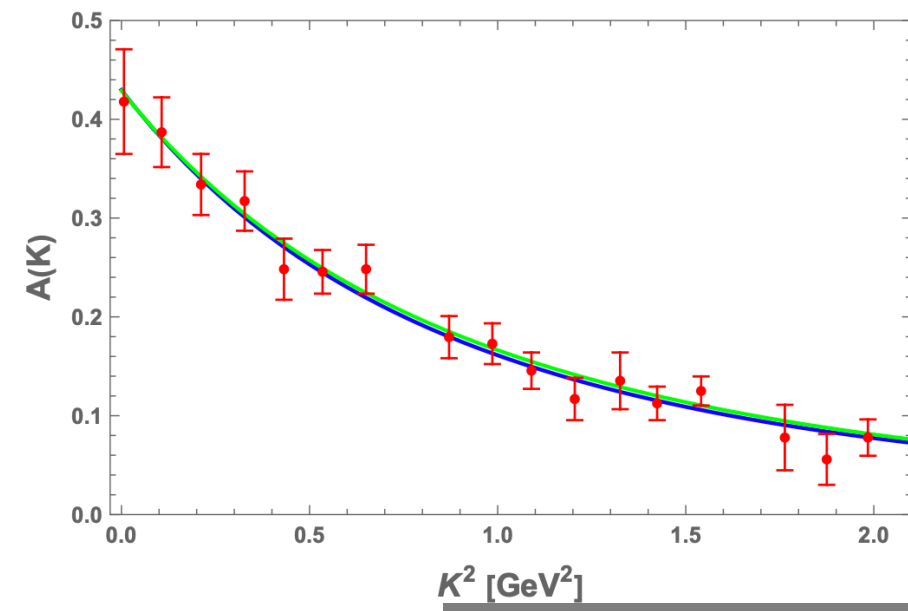
2021 First Hall C results on the pentaquark search

2022 First 2D near-threshold J/ψ results from Hall C

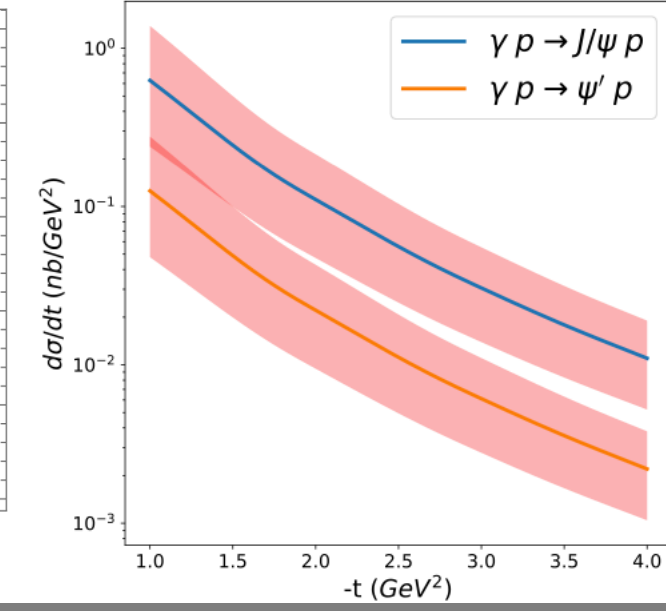
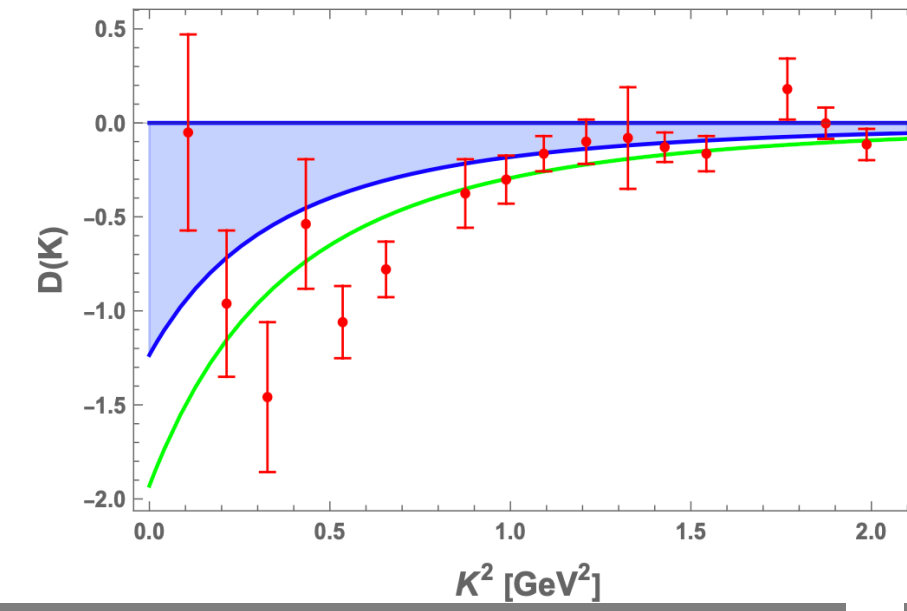
# PROMINENT RECENT DEVELOPMENTS



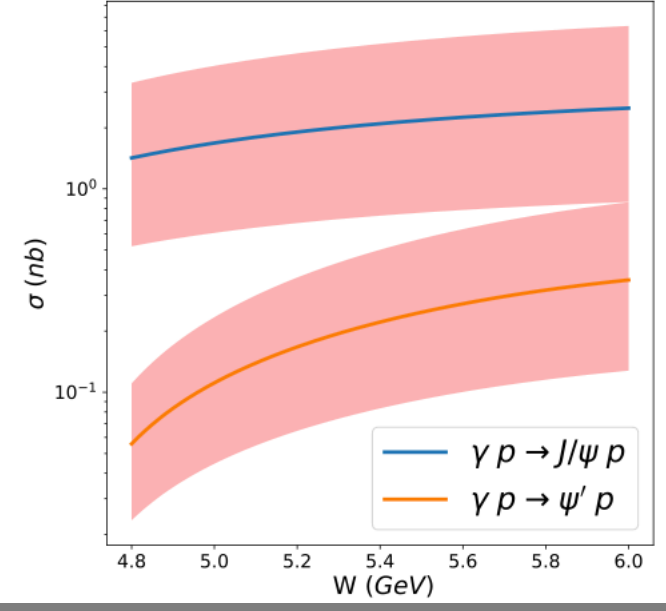
Proton mass budget decompositions, C. Lorce (from 2022 INT workshop)



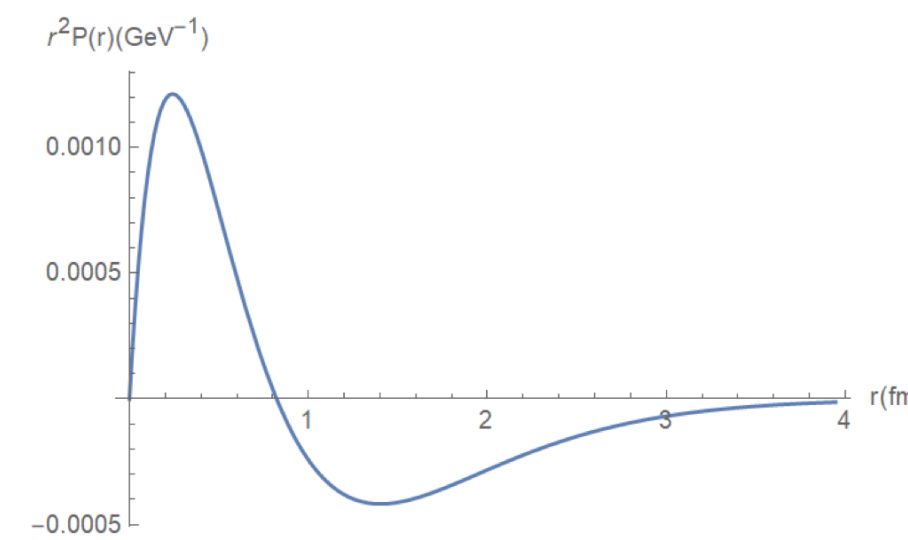
Proton gravitational form factors holographic QCD compared with Lattice, K. Mamo & I. Zahed (2022)



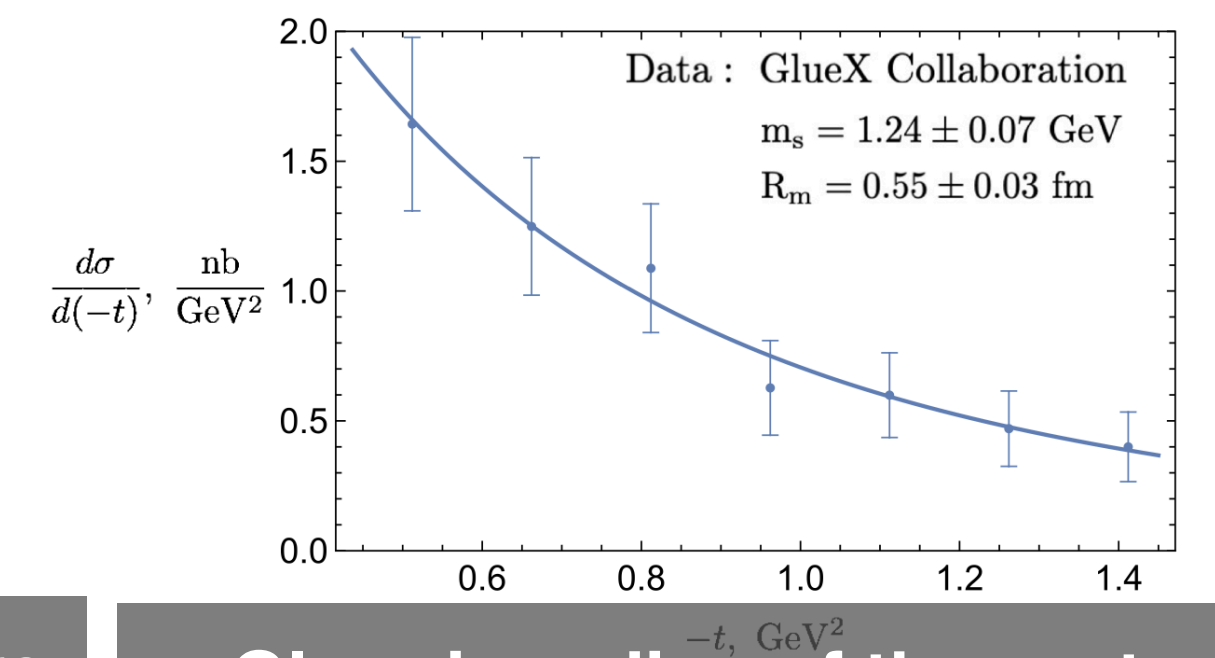
Near-threshold heavy quarkonium production at large momentum transfer, P. Sun, X-B. Tong, F. Yuan (PRD 2022)



- A hot topic: many theoretical developments, and pace of publications only speeding up!
- Many extractions depend on extrapolating to the forward limit ( $t=0$ ), which introduces theoretical systematic uncertainties. Precise high- $t$  as a function photon energy crucial.



Gluon contribution to pressure in GPD formalism, Y. Guo, X. Ji, Y. Liu, (PRD 2021)



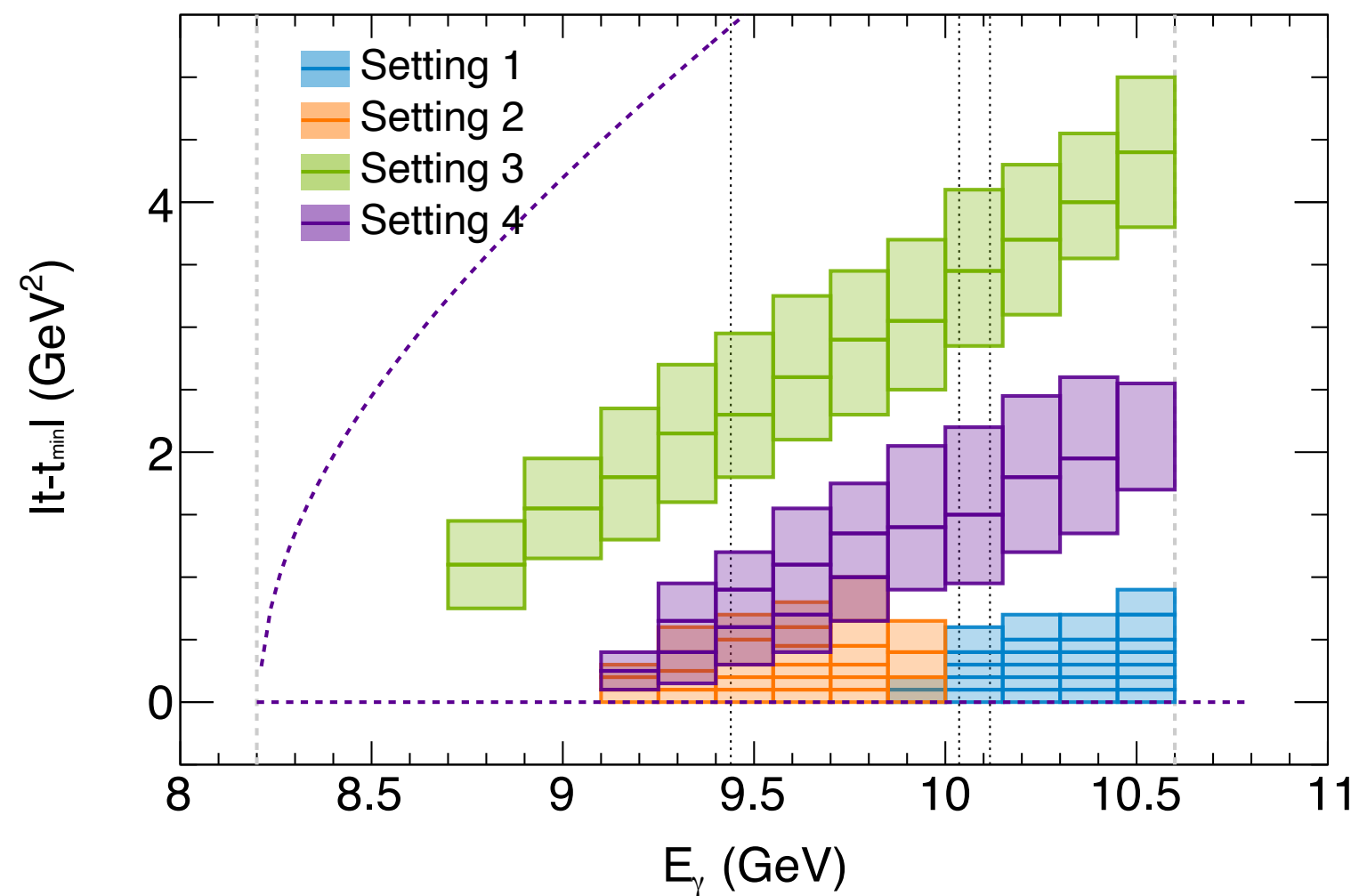
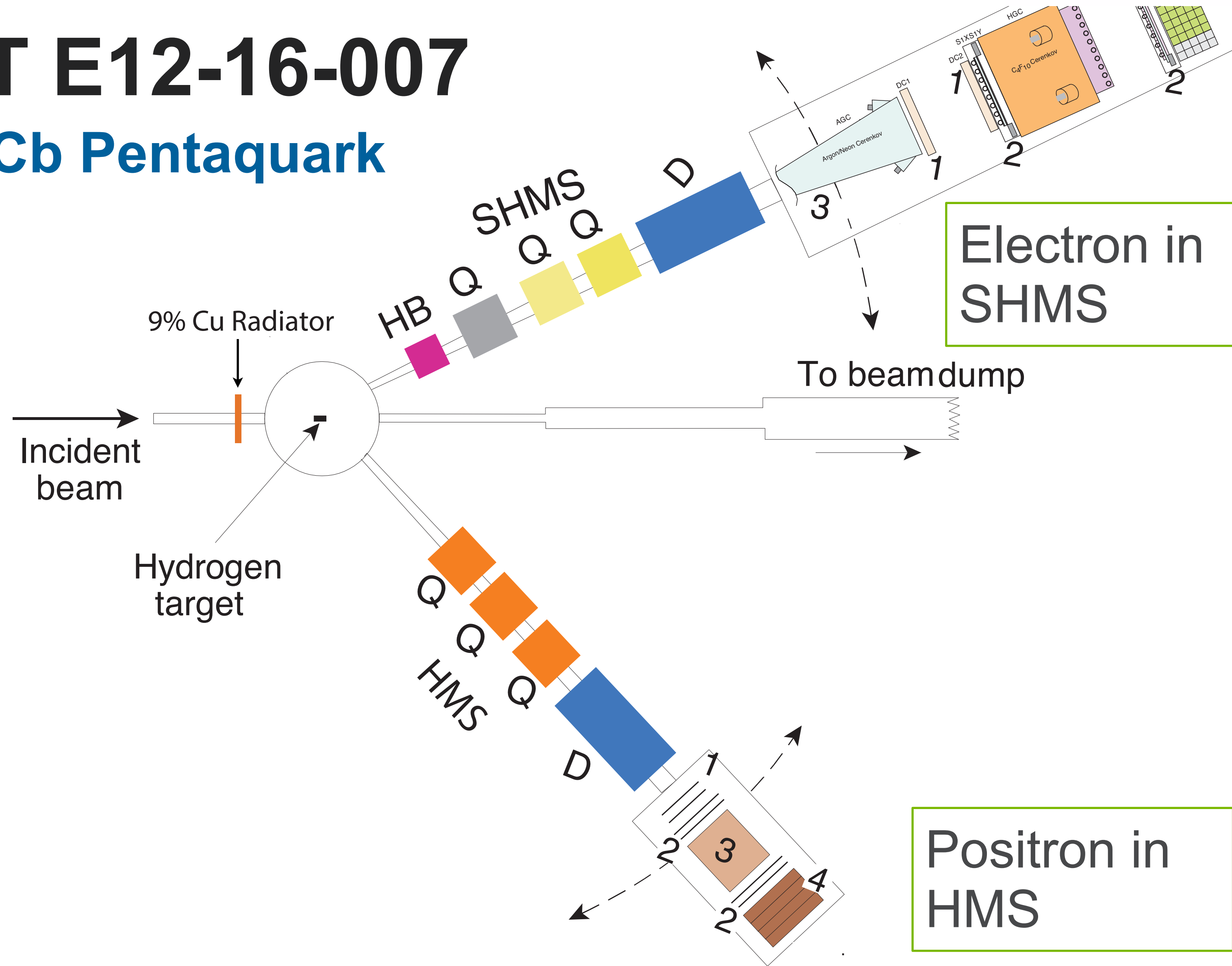
Gluonic radius of the proton based on 1D GlueX results, D. Kharzeev (PRD 2021)



# JLAB EXPERIMENT E12-16-007

## J/ψ-007: Search for the LHCb Pentaquark

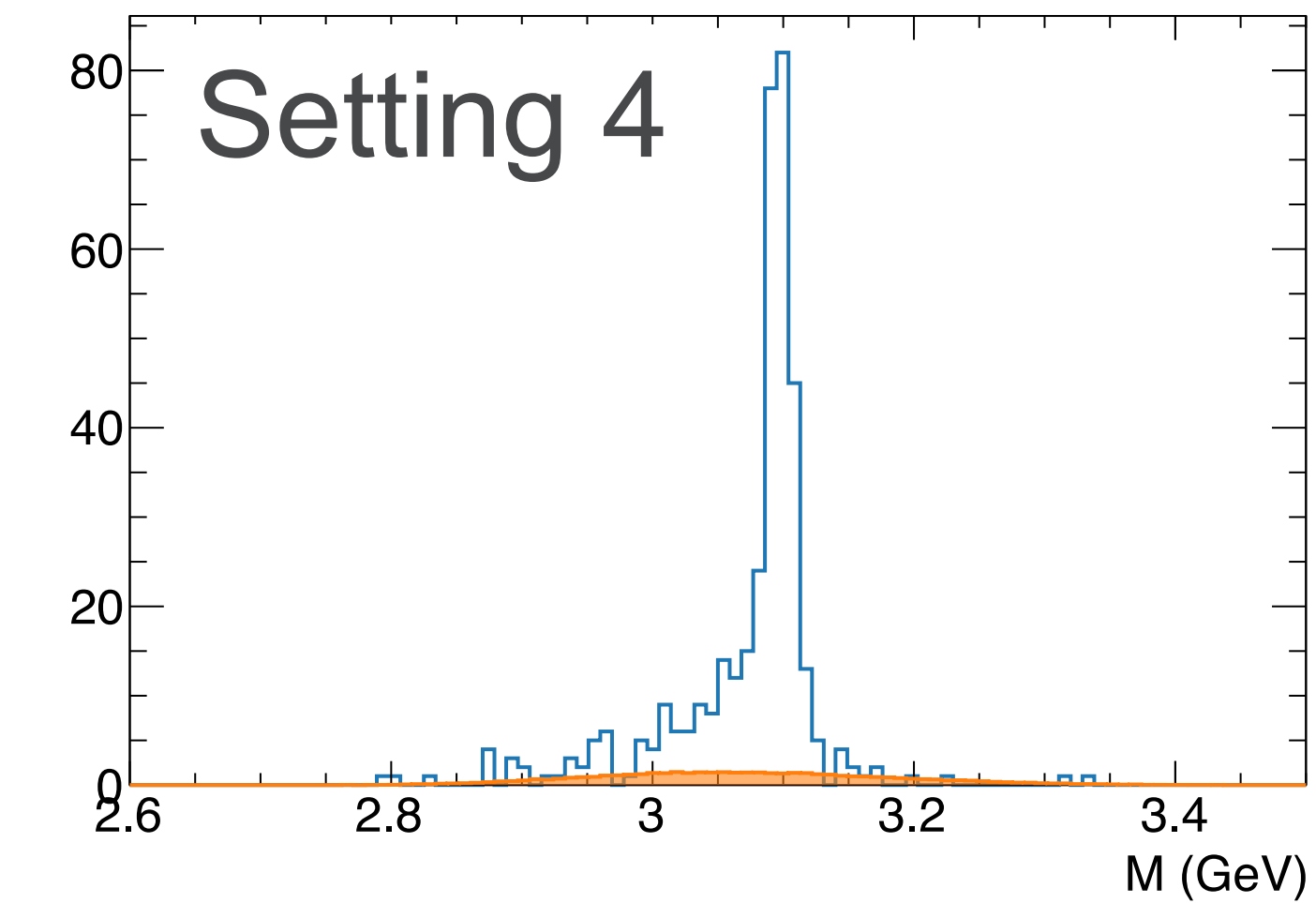
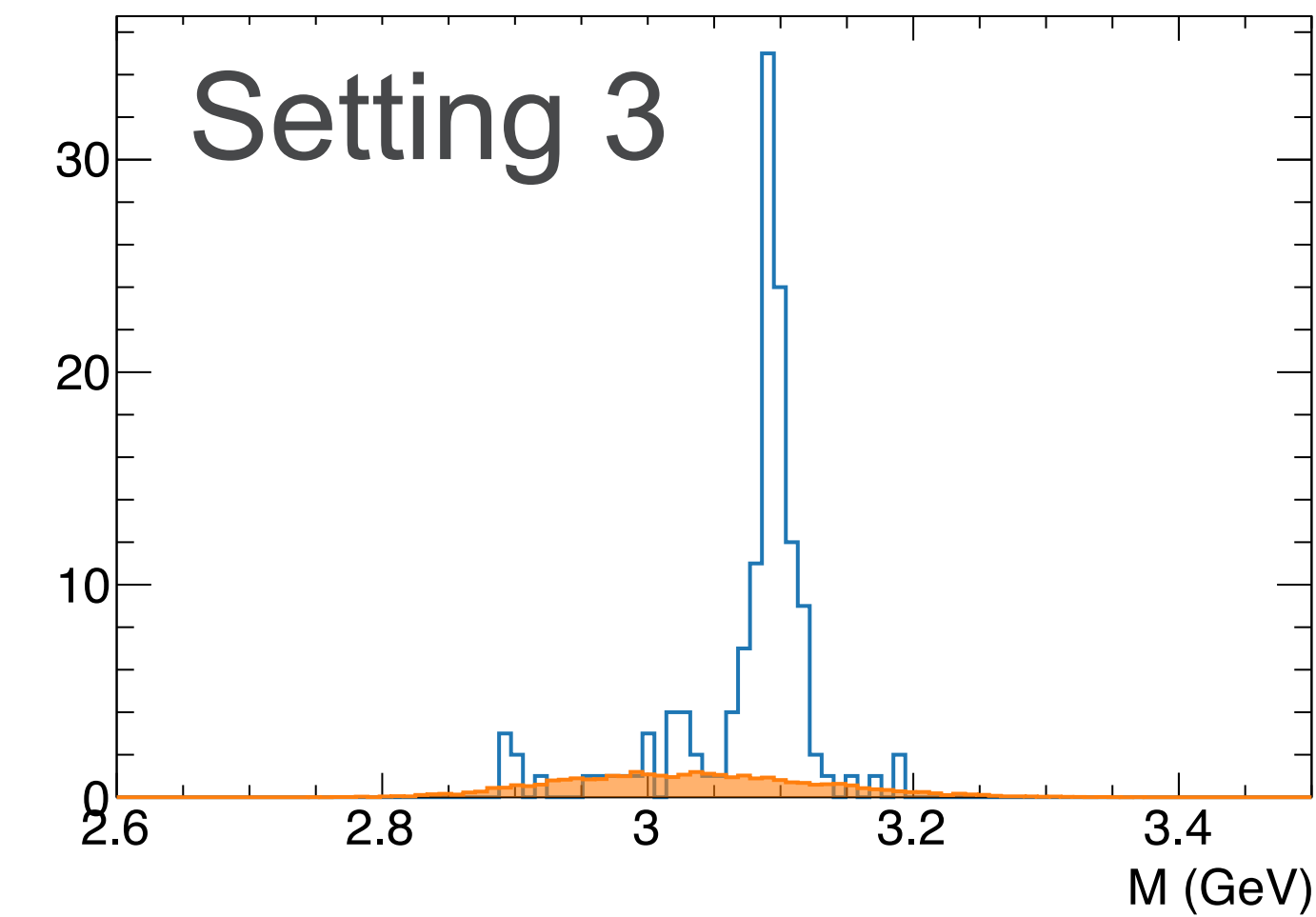
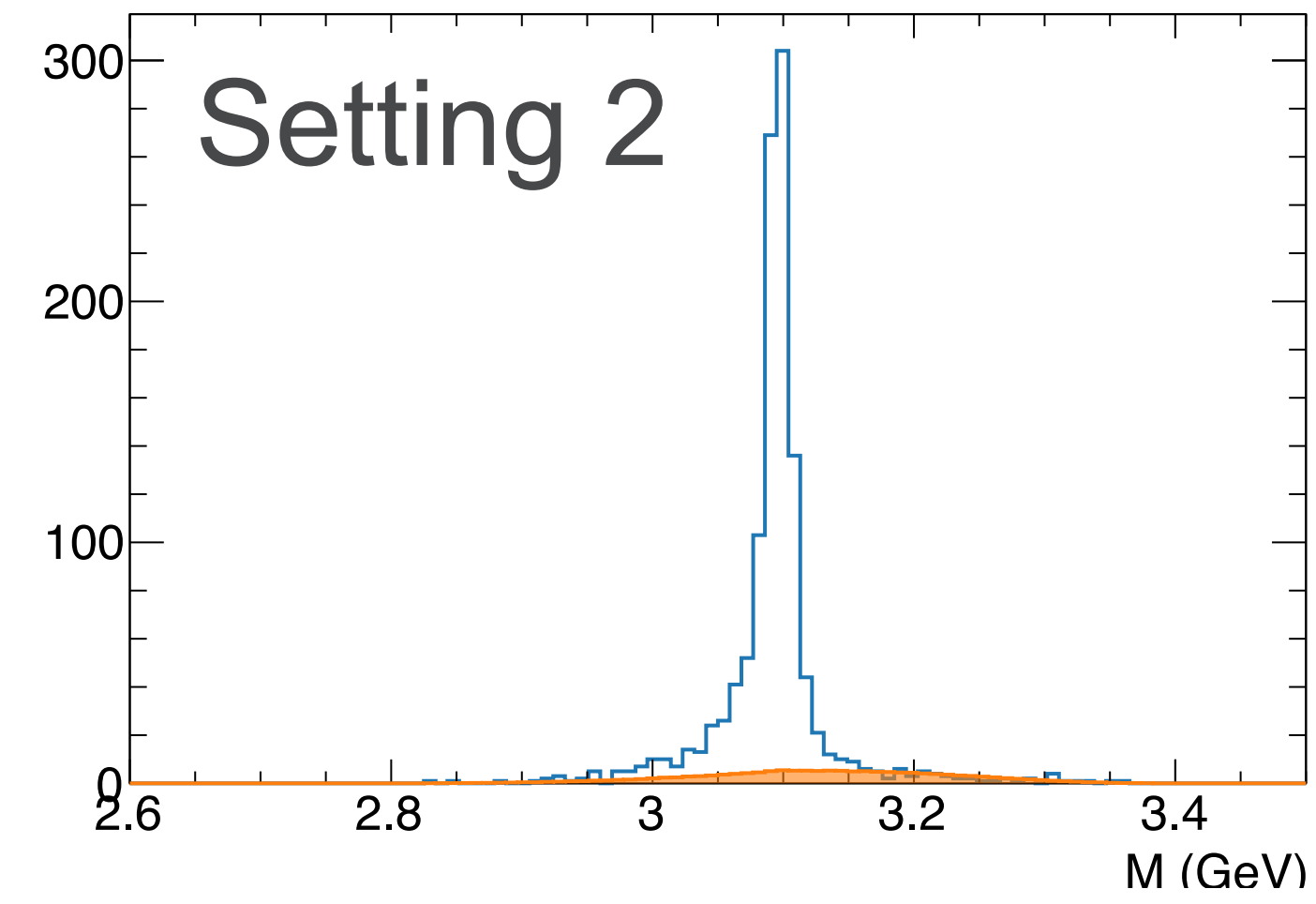
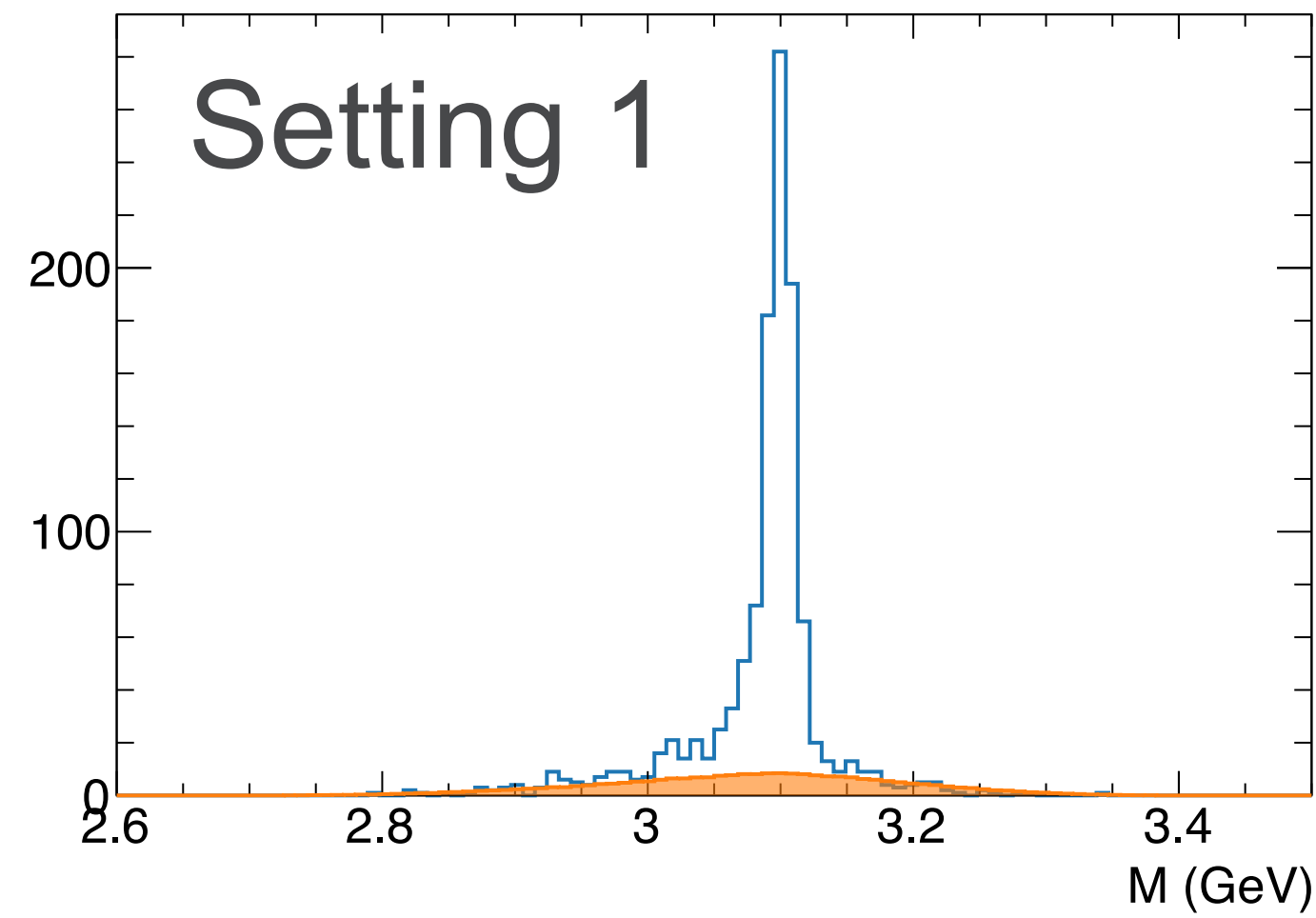
- Ran February 2019 for ~8 PAC days
- High intensity real photon beam (50μA electron beam on a 9% copper radiator)
- 10cm liquid hydrogen target
- Detect J/ψ decay leptons in coincidence
  - Bremsstrahlung photon energy fully constrained



# CLEAR J/ $\Psi$ SIGNAL WITH MINIMAL BACKGROUND

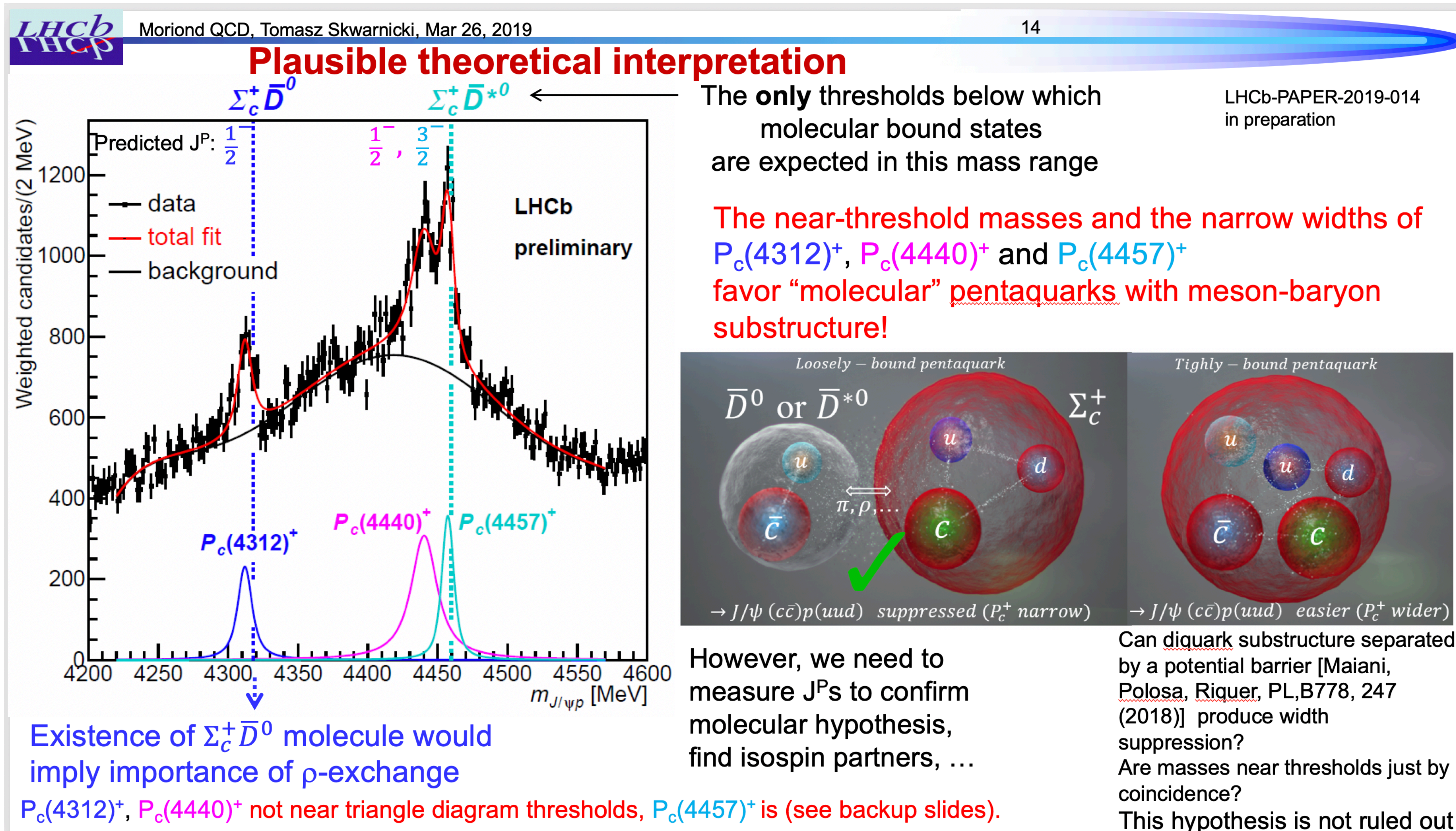
007<sup>J/ $\Psi$</sup>

settings	HMS	SHMS	target	charge [C]	goal
setting 1	19.1° at +4.95GeV	17.0° at -4.835GeV	LH2 with radiator dummy with radiator LH2, no radiator	5.2 0.6 0.1	low- <i>t</i> and high energy target wall electroproduction
setting 2	19.9° at +4.6GeV	20.1° at -4.3GeV	LH2 with radiator dummy with radiator	8.2 0.3	low- <i>t</i> and low energy target wall
setting 3	16.4° at +4.08GeV	30.0° at -3.5GeV	LH2 with radiator	13.8	high- <i>t</i>
setting 4	16.5° at +4.4GeV	24.5° at -4.4GeV	LH2 with radiator dummy with radiator	6.9 0.2	medium- <i>t</i> target wall



# LHCb sees strong evidence for 3 resonant states

## THE LHC-B CHARMED PENTAQUARKS



LHCb

Moriond QCD, Tomasz Skwarnicki, Mar 26, 2019

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LHCb-PAPER-2019-014  
in preparation

4% scale uncertainty on cross section

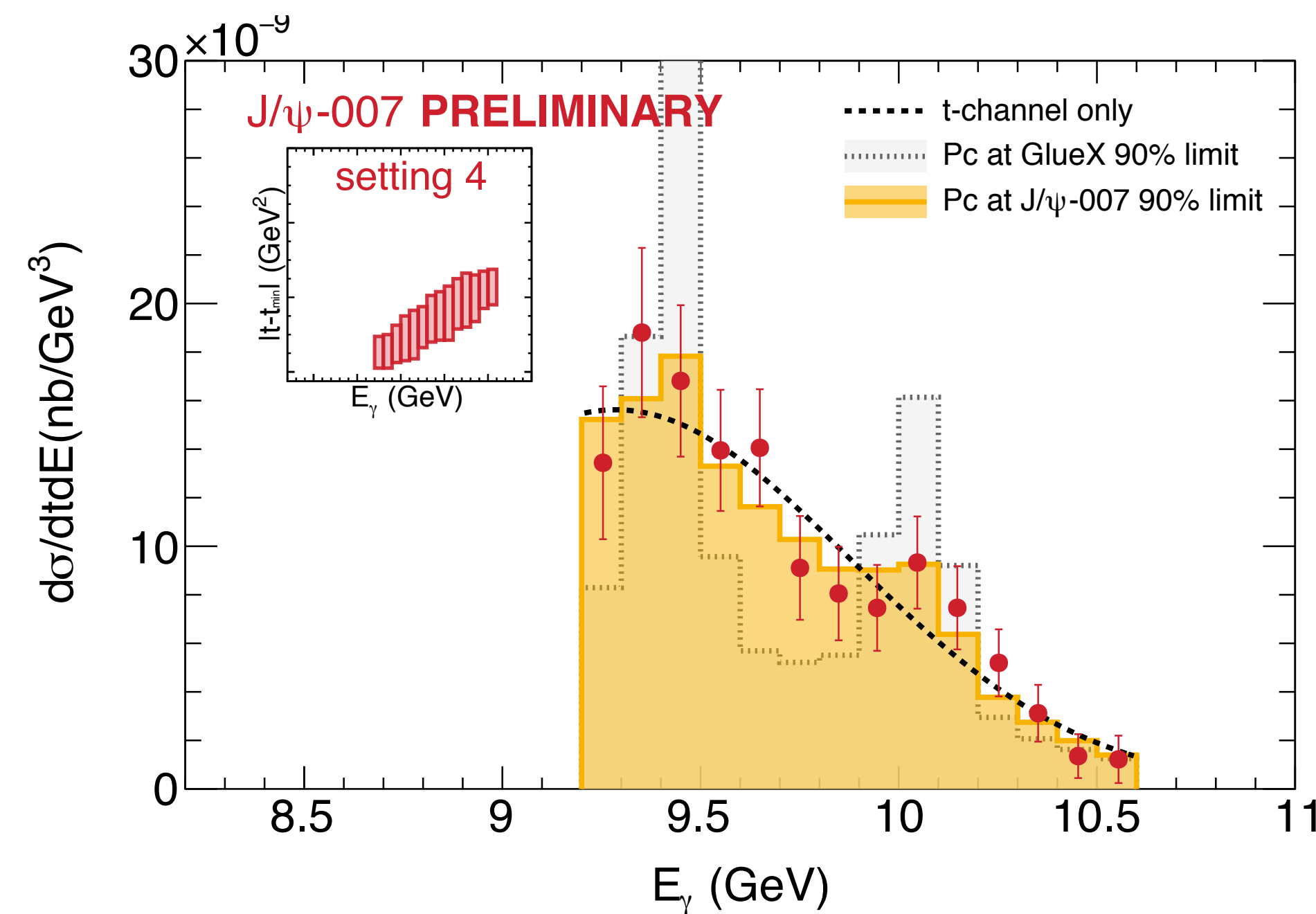
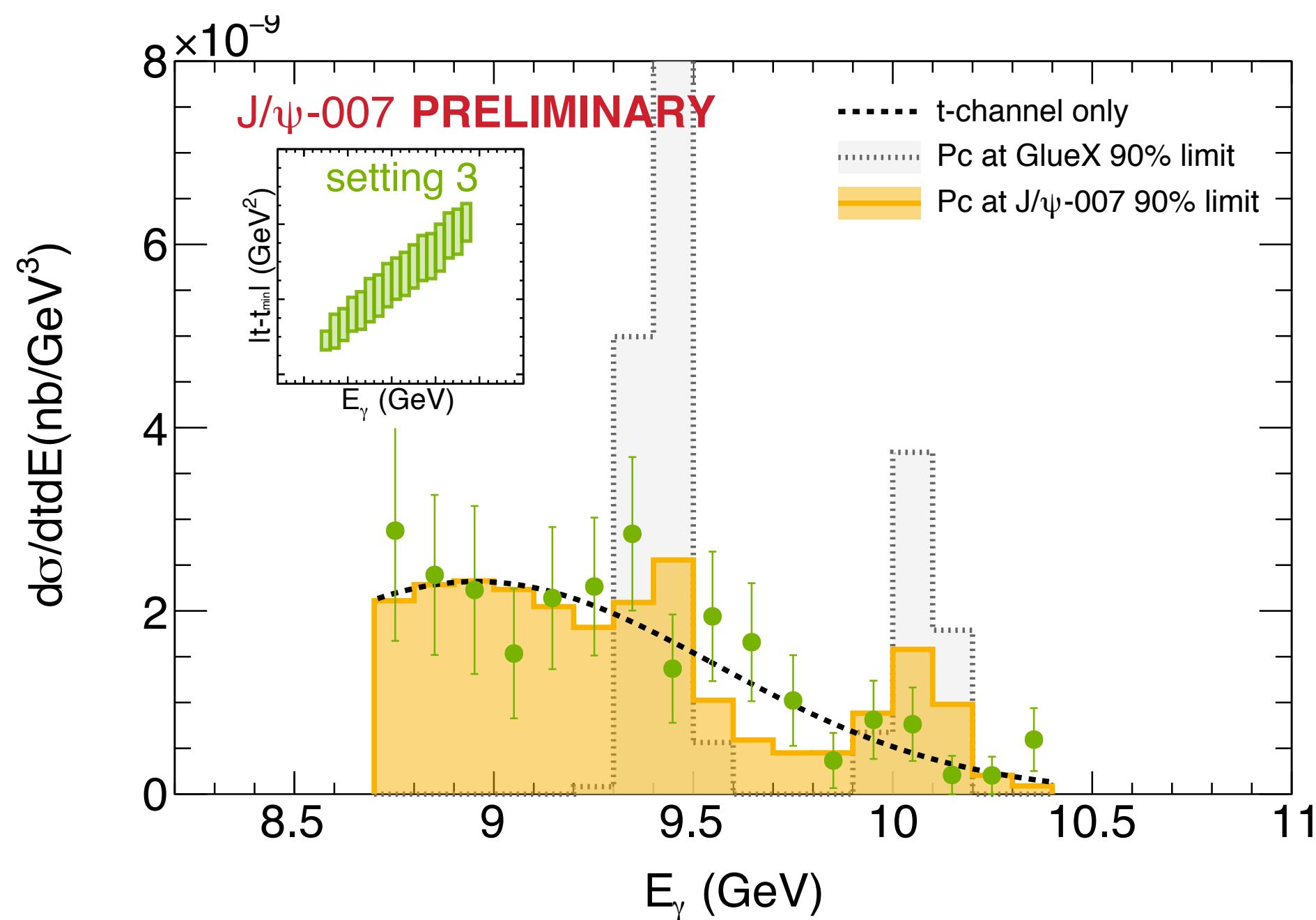
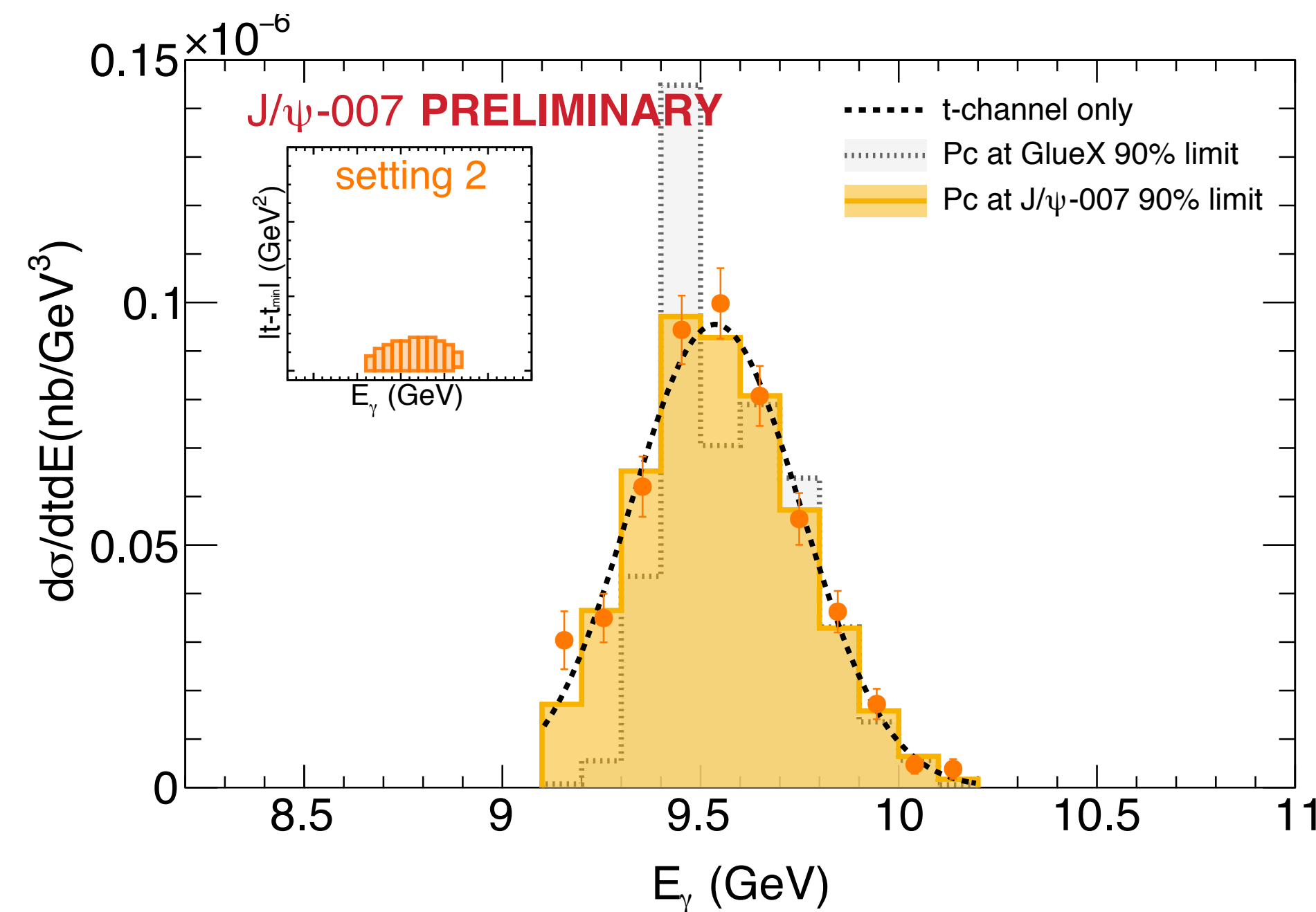
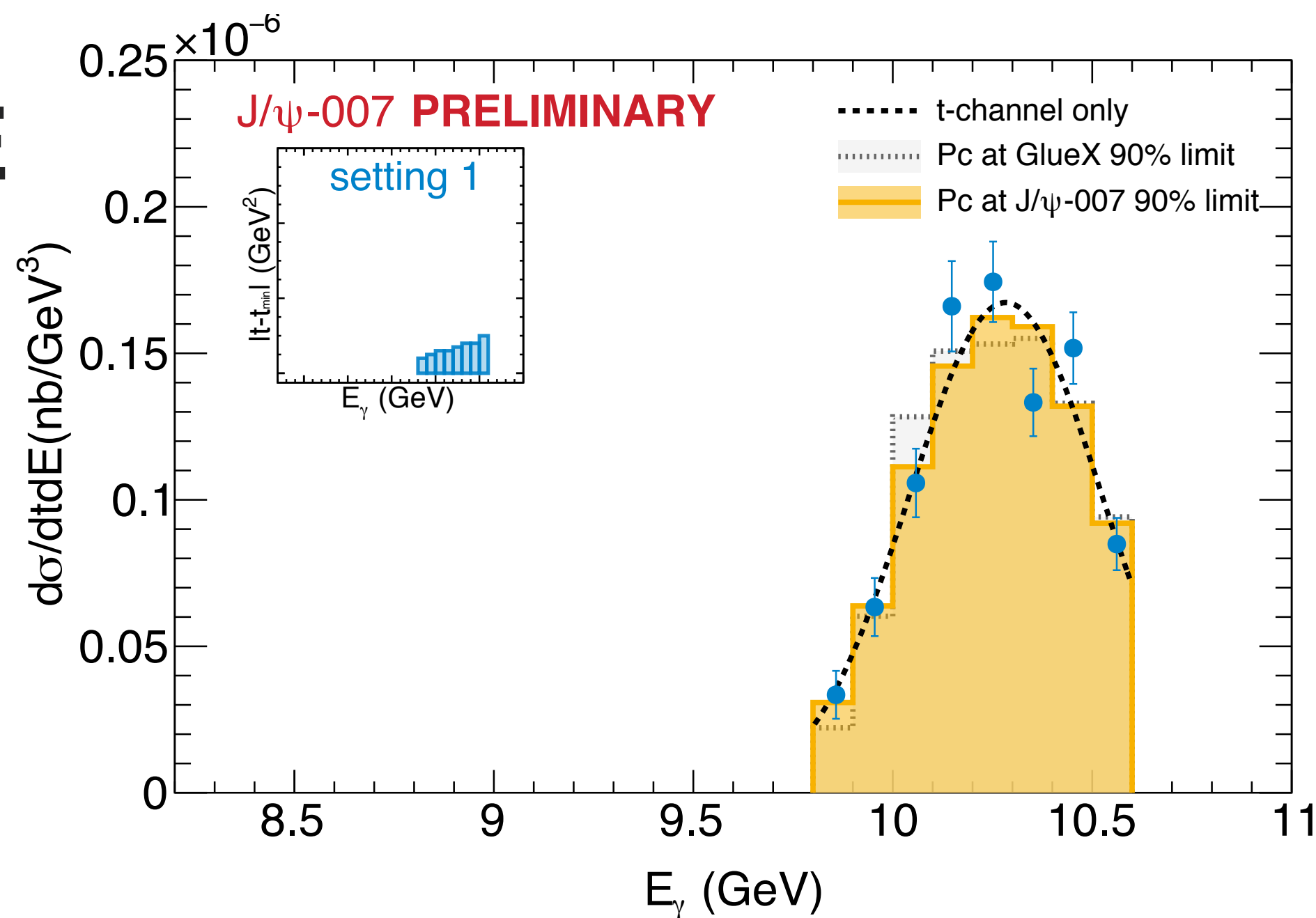
# SCANNING THE SPECTRUM

**Fit 1:** bare Gaussian shape describes the cross section well

**Fit 2:** Signal + background at 2019 GlueX upper limit (90% confidence interval). The resonances lead to major tension with the data at high- $t$ .

**Fit 3:** Same as 2, but with Pc at upper limit (90% confidence interval) from the preliminary J/ $\psi$ -007 results themselves

The data suggest a stringent upper limit on the resonant cross section (see next slide).



4% scale uncertainty on cross section limit

# RESULTS ON THE PENTAQUARK RESONANCES

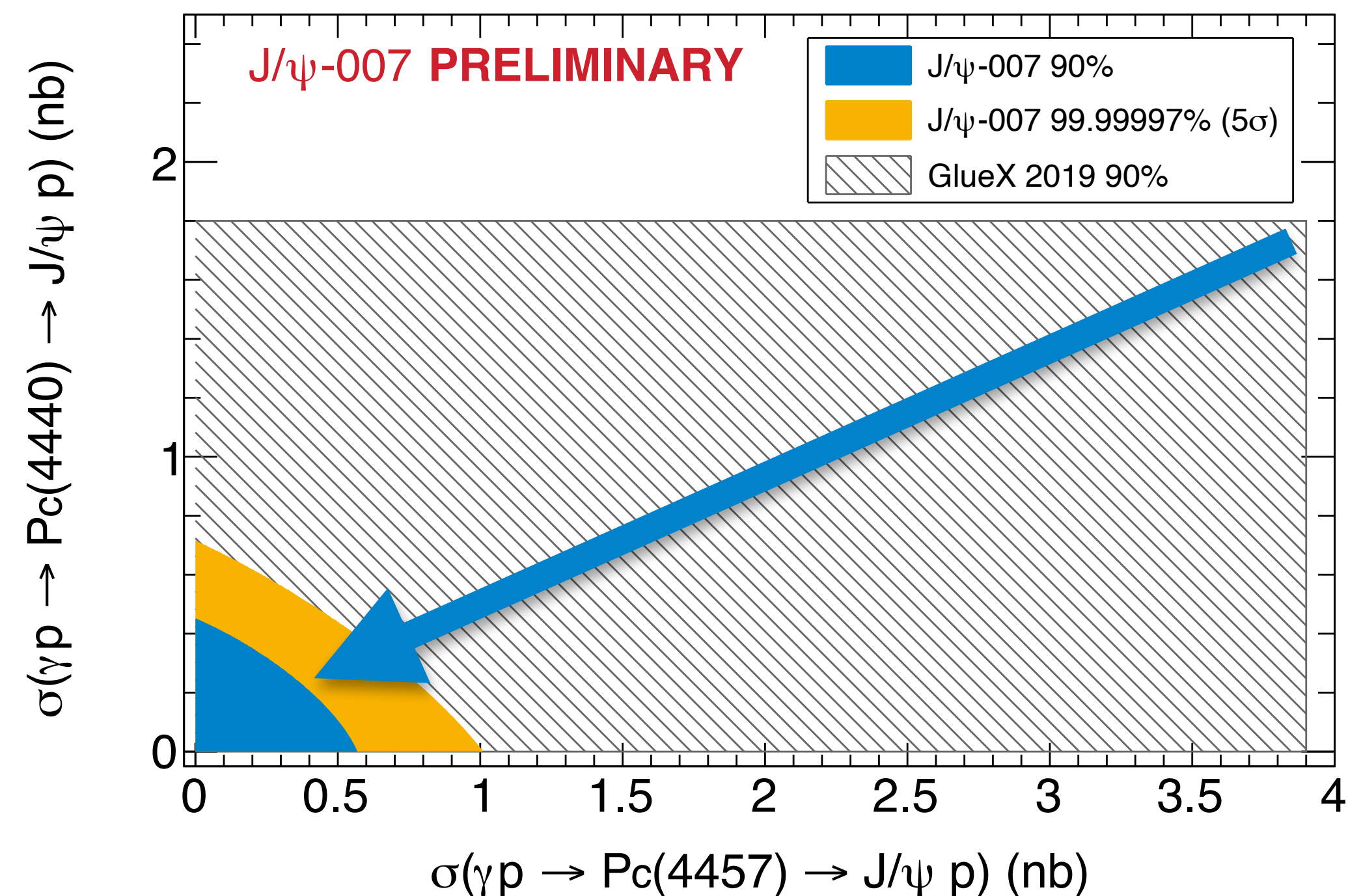
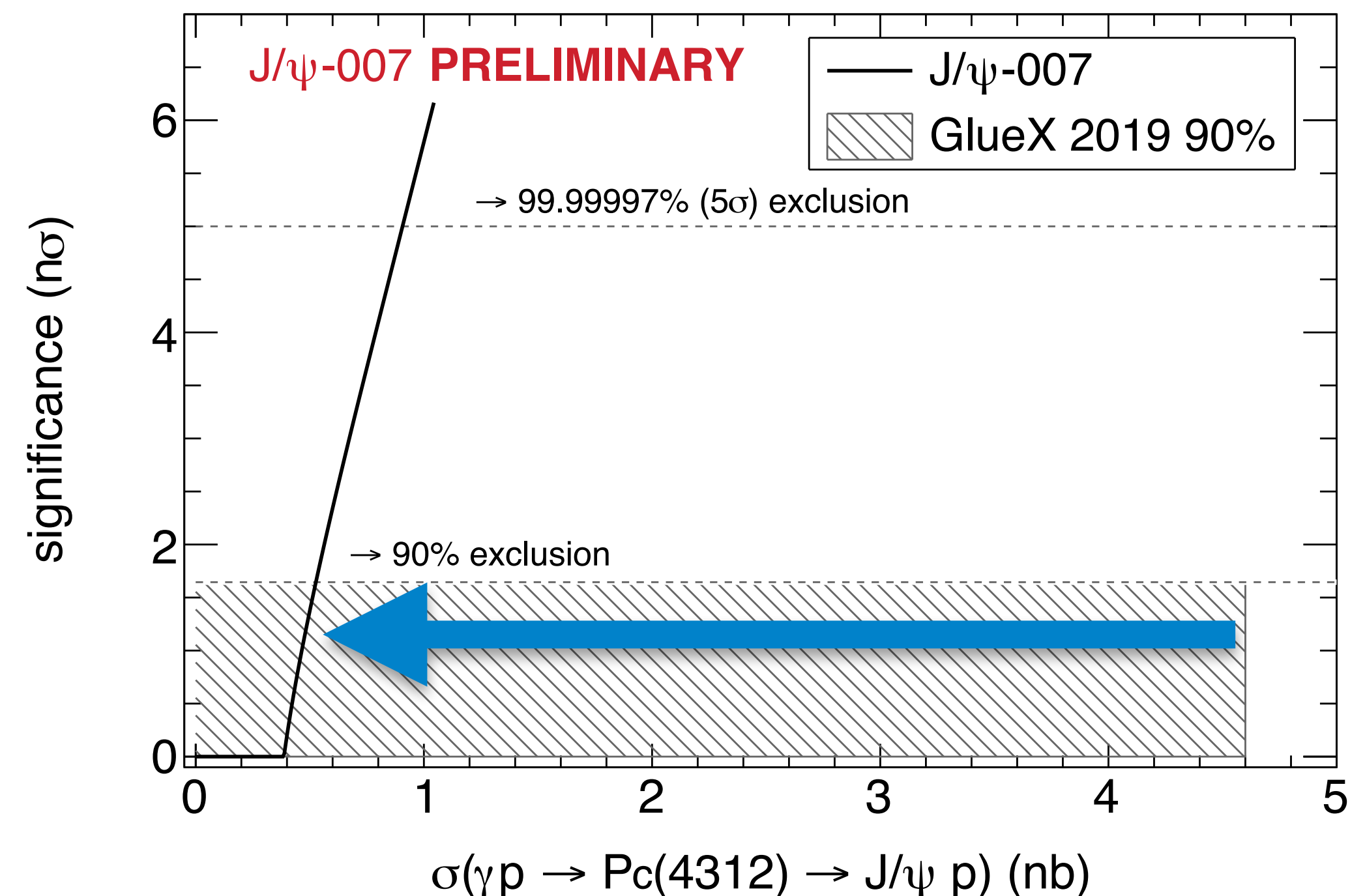
## Cross-section at the resonance peak for model-independent upper limits

Upper limit for  $P_c$  cross section almost order of magnitude below GlueX limit.

**Results are inconsistent with reasonable assumptions for true 5-quark states.**

**Door is still open for molecular states**, but will be very hard to measure in photoproduction due to small overlap with both  $\gamma p$  initial state and  $J/\psi p$  final state.

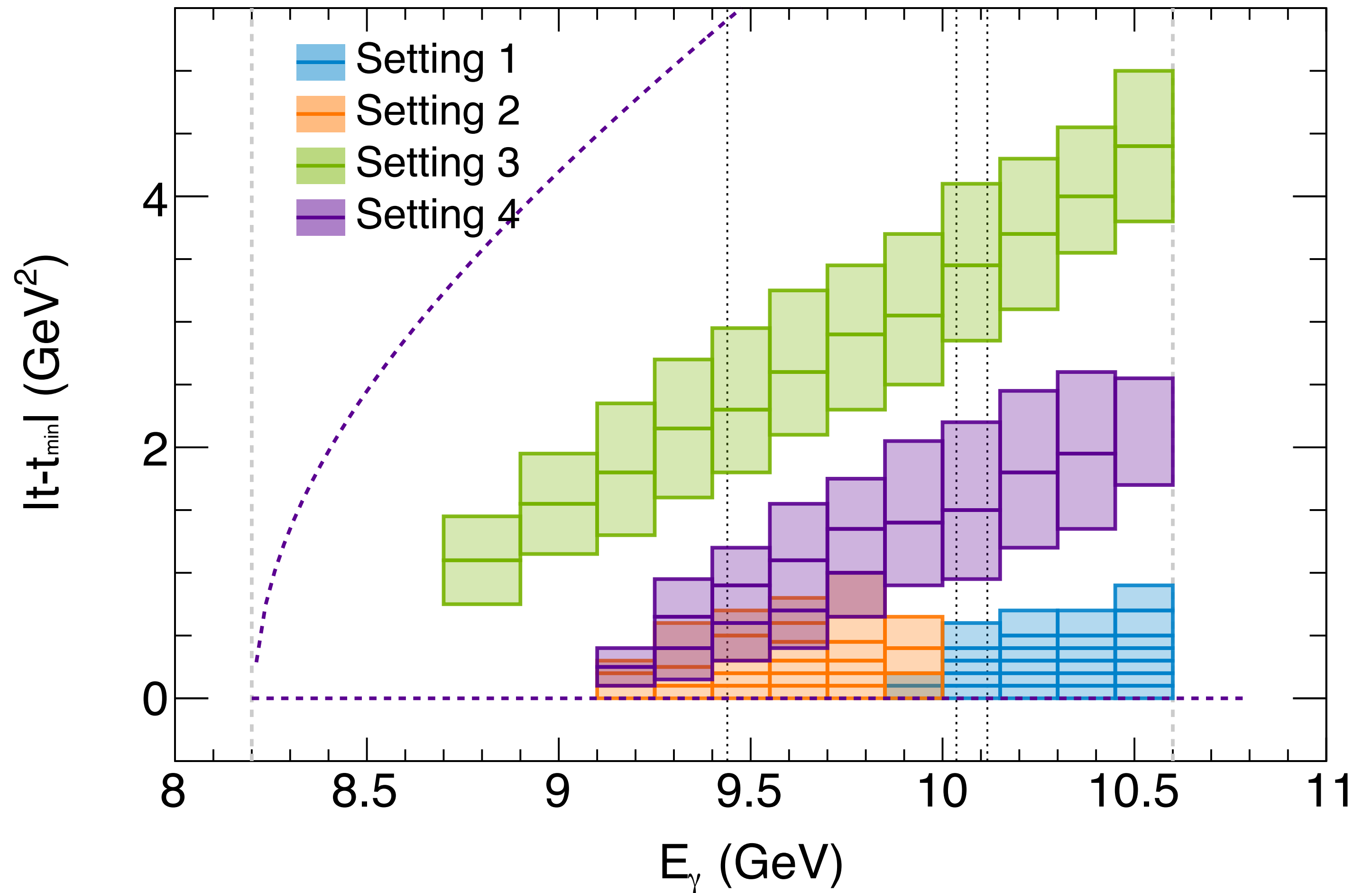
To learn more we need a large-acceptance high-intensity photoproduction experiment, and potentially access to polarization observables. **This can be achieved with the future SoLID- $J/\psi$  experiment at Jefferson Lab**



# PHASE SPACE COVERAGE

## Unprecedented access to large- $t$ region

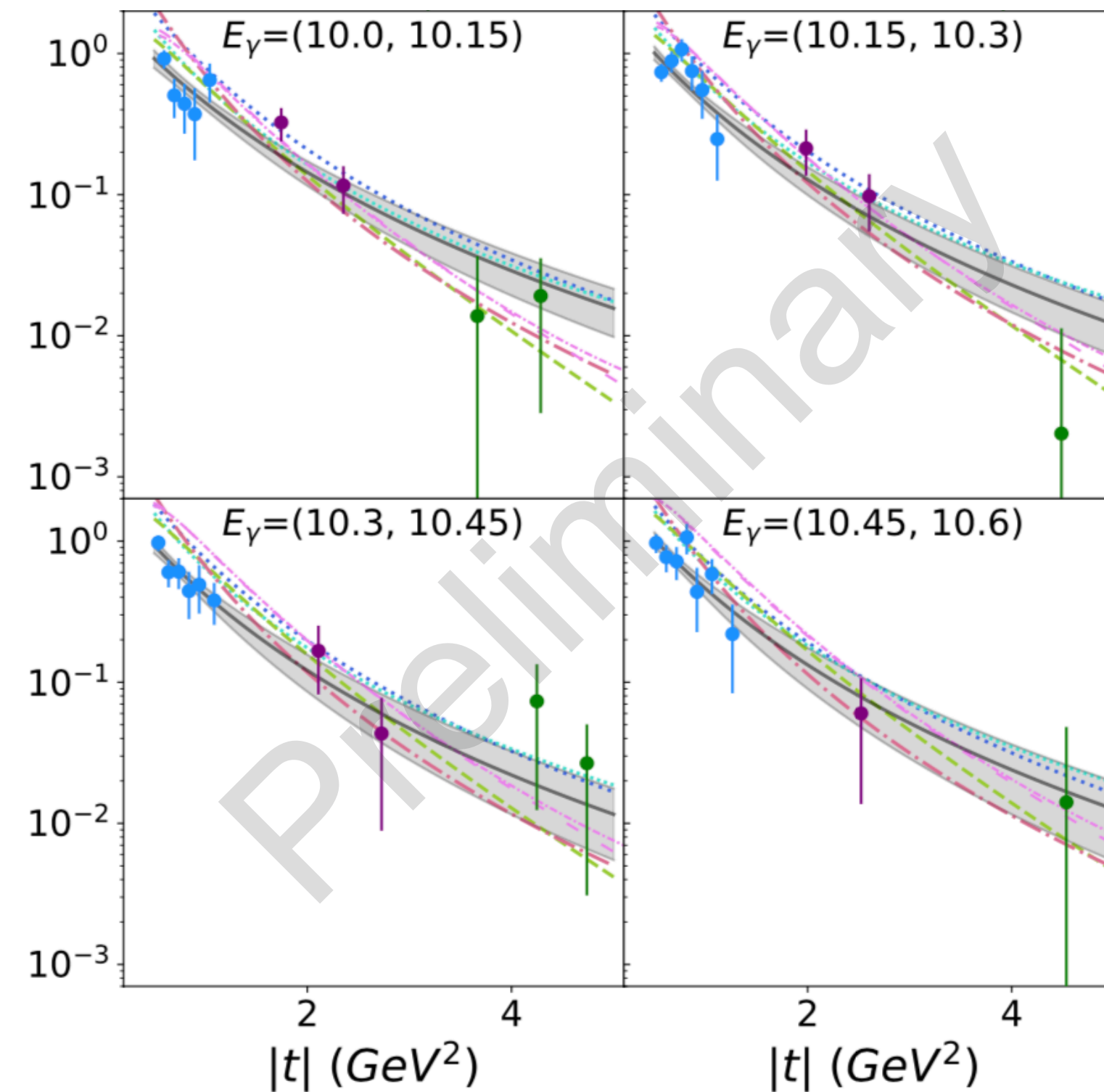
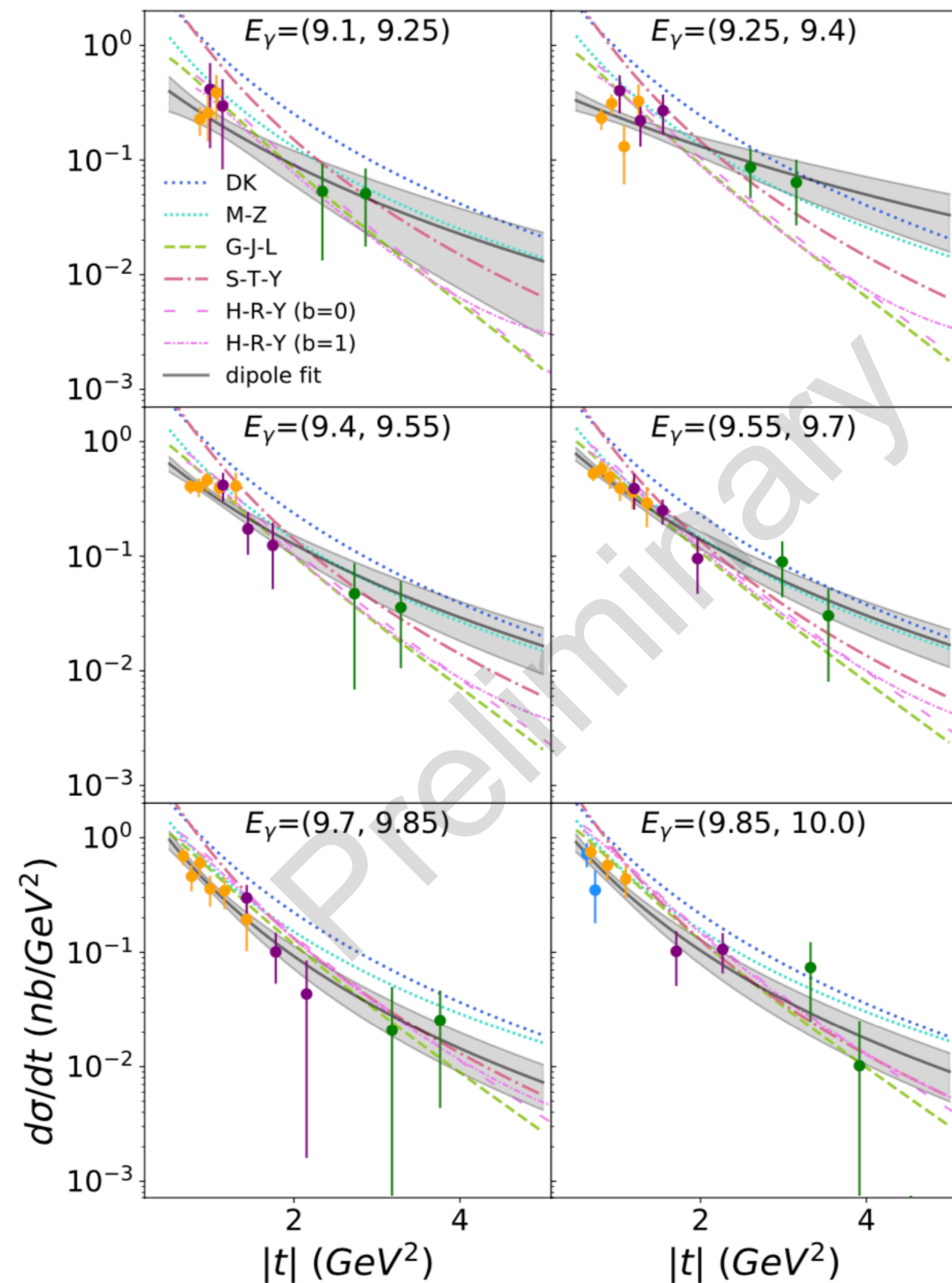
- Truly 2D measurement
- ~2000 counts in electron channel
- Additional 2000 counts in muon channel still under analysis



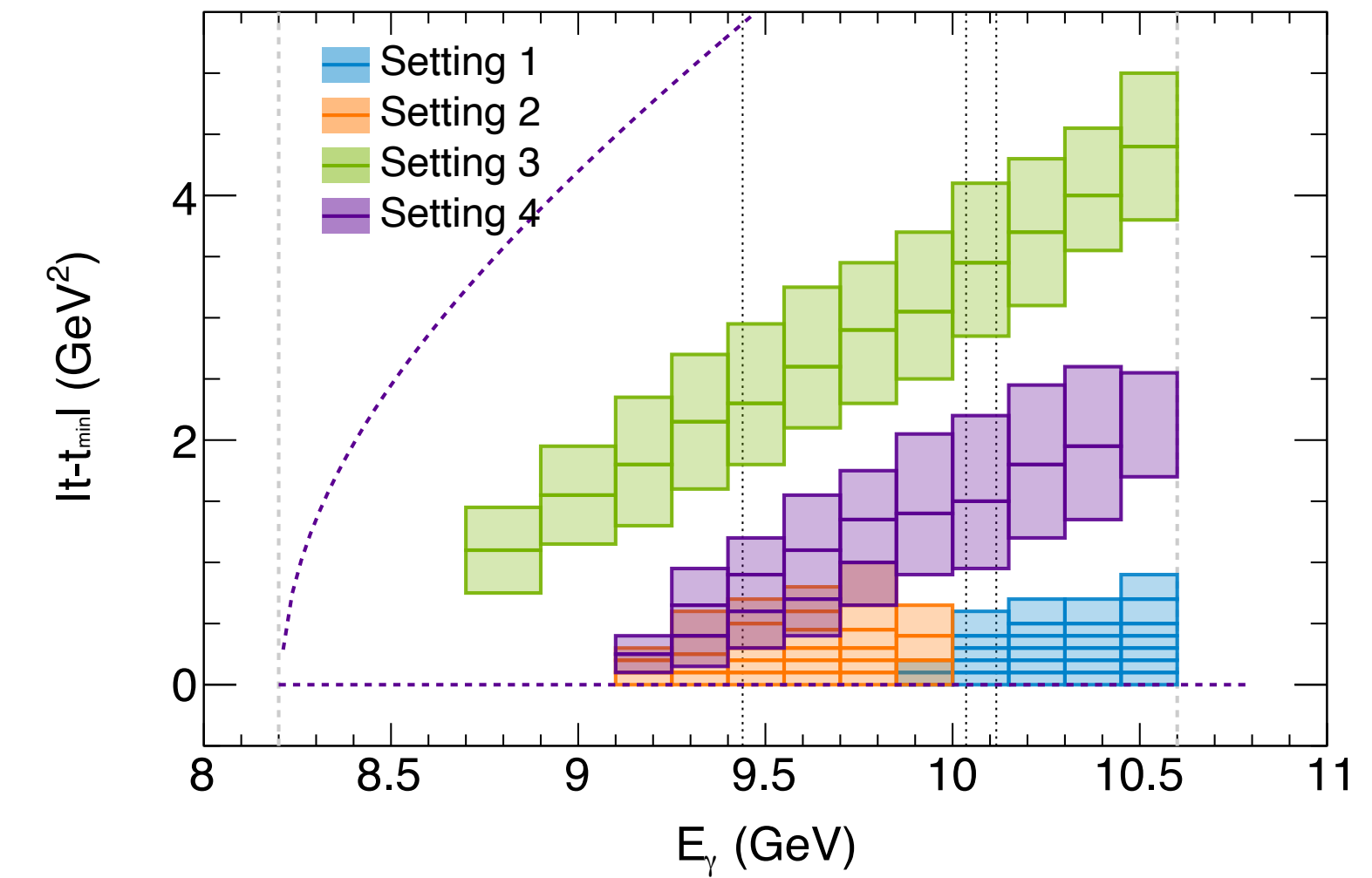


Results currently under peer-review

## PRELIMINARY 2D J/ψ CROSS SECTION RESULTS



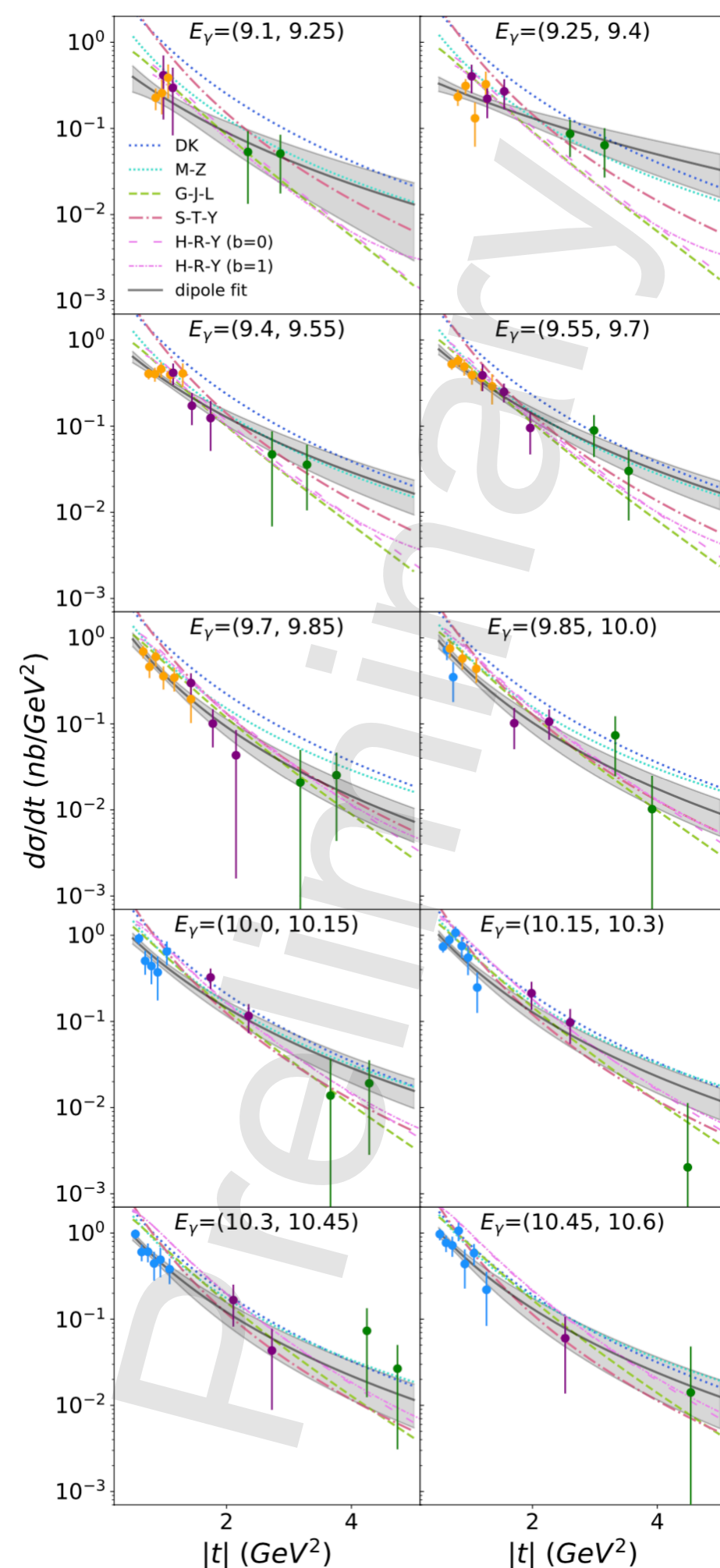
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**M-Z:** Mamo & Zahed, 2204.08857 (2022)  
**G-J-L:** Guo, Ji & Liu, Phys. Rev. D 103, 096010 (2021)  
**S-T-Y:** Sun, Tong & Yuan, Phys. Lett. B 822, 136655 (2021)  
**H-R-Y:** Hatta, Rajan & Yang, Phys. Rev. D 100, 014032 (2019)  
**Dipole fit:** Independent dipole fit to each of the t-spectra



- Unfolded 2D cross section results compared to various model predictions informed by the 2019 1D GlueX results
- All models work reasonably well at higher energies but deviate at lower energies

# EXTRACTING GFFS FROM THE 2D PROFILES

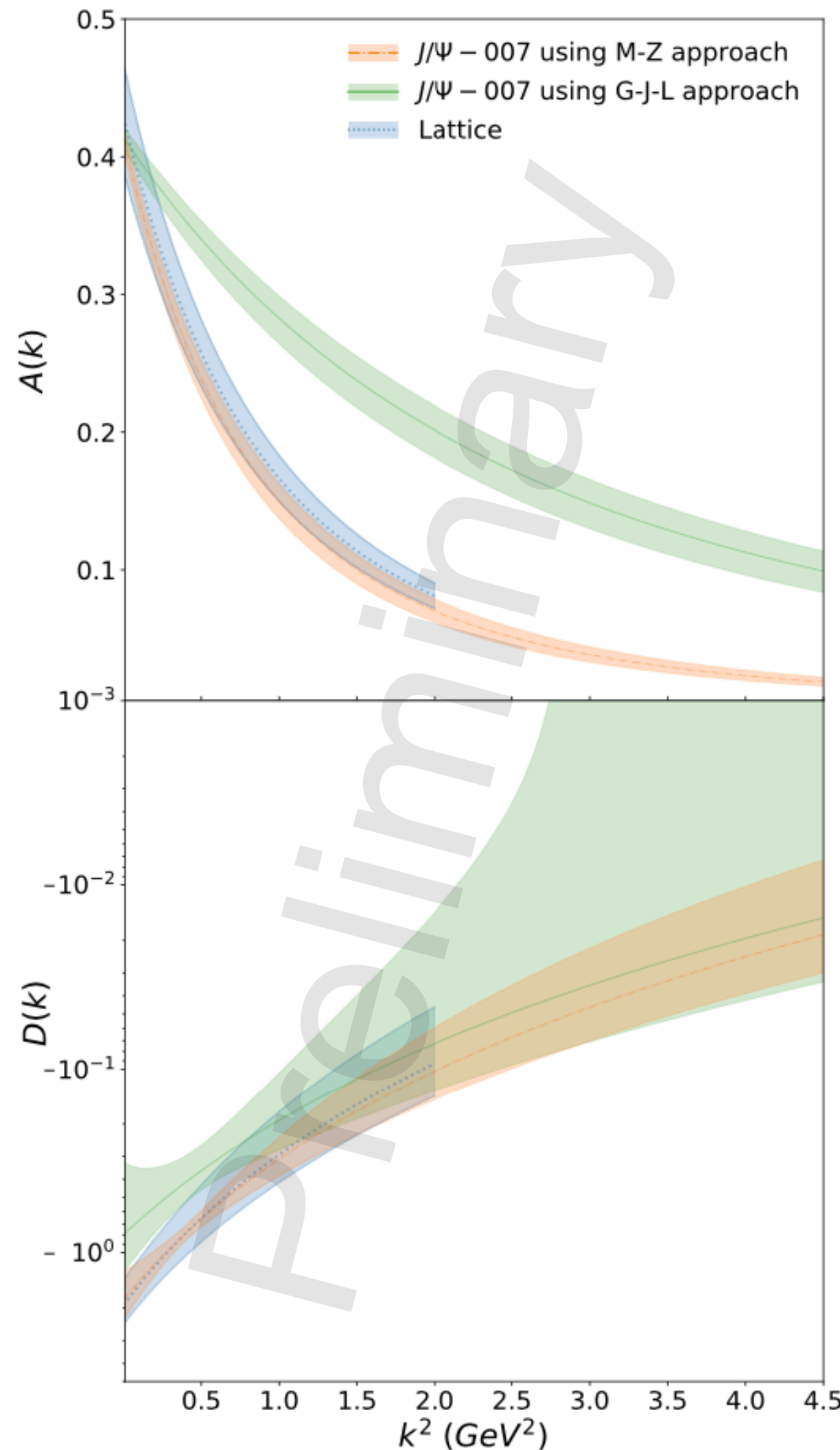
First ever extraction of gluonic GFFs from purely experimental data!



- **Model dependent extractions** using the available approaches in the literature
  - Holographic QCD approach: K. Mamo & I. Zahed, PRD 103, 094010 (2021) and 2204.08857 (2022)
  - GPD+VMD approach: Y. Guo, X. Ji, Y. Liu, PRD 103, 096010 (2021)
  - In both cases assume  $B_g(t)$  contributes little (supported by lattice)
- Use tripole form for  $A_g(t)$  and  $C_g(t)$  (differences with dipole negligible)
- Use  $A_g(0) = \langle x_g \rangle$  from the CT18 global fit, fit remaining 3 parameters ( $m_A, C_g(0), m_C$ ) to 2D cross section results.

# GLUONIC GFF RESULTS

Good agreement between Holographic QCD and Lattice results!



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**G-J-L:** Y. Guo, X. Ji, Y. Liu, PRD 103, 096010 (2021)  
**Lattice:** D. Pefkou, D. Hackett, P. Shanahan, Phys. Rev. D 105, 054509 (2022).

- Results from the 2D gluonic GFF fits
- Gluonic  $A_g(t)$  and  $D_g(t) = 4C_g(t)$  form factors
- $\chi^2/\text{n.d.f.}$  in both cases very close to 1
- M-Z (holographic QCD) approach fit to only experimental data gives results very close to the latest lattice results!
- In both cases the extracted mass radius is substantially smaller than the proton charge radius, hinting at a picture where the proton has a dense, energetic core surrounded by a larger quark region.

$$\langle r_m^2 \rangle = \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \left. \frac{dA_g(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} \quad \left| \quad \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \frac{C_g(0)}{M_N^2} \right.$$

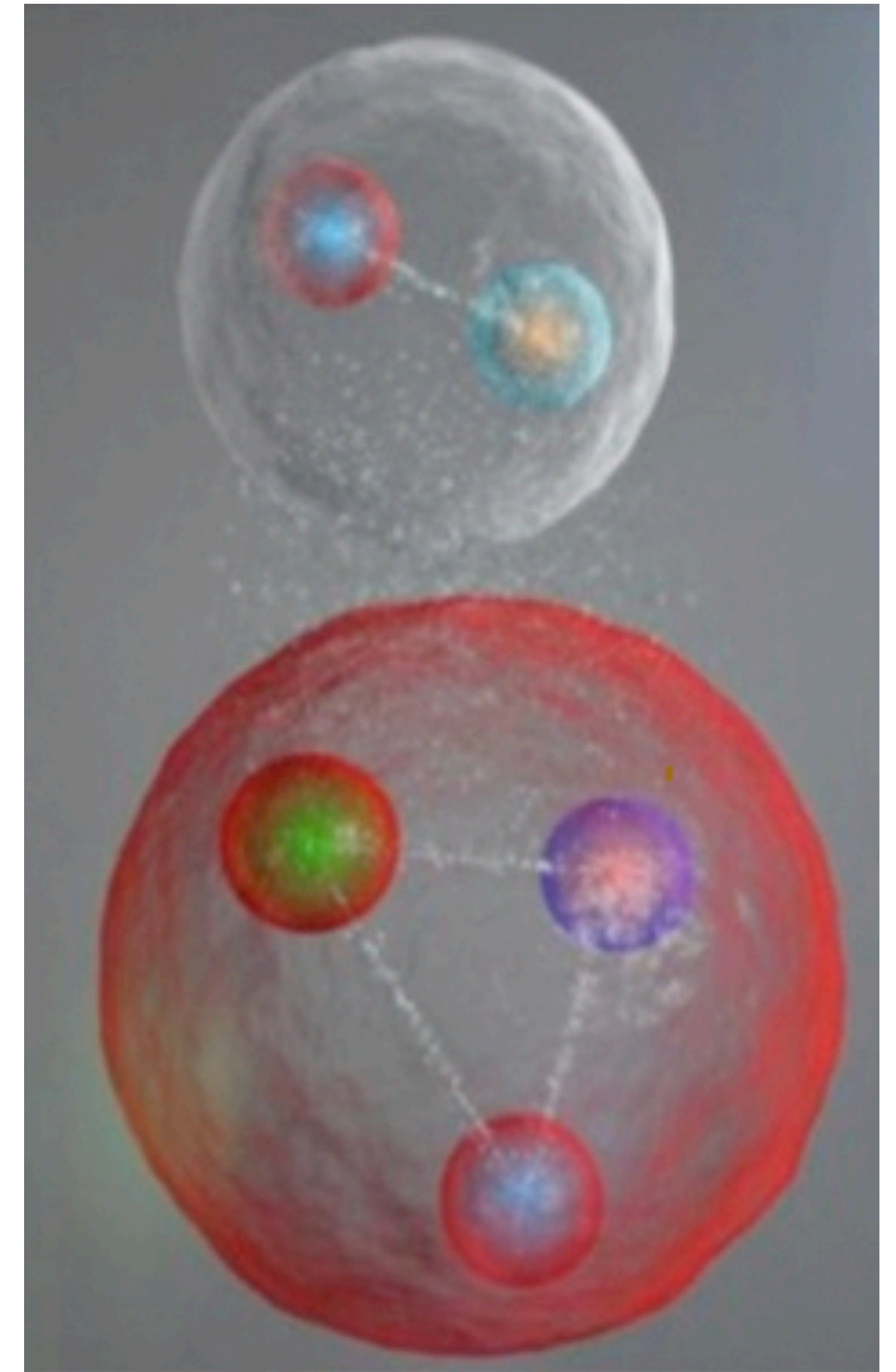
# J/Ψ EXPERIMENTS AT JLAB COMPARED

	GlueX HALL D	HMS+SHMS HALL C	CLAS 12 with upgrade <sup>1</sup> HALL B	SoLID HALL A
J/ψ counts (photo-prod.)	<b>469 published</b> <b>~10k phase I + II</b>	<b>2k electron channel</b> <b>2k muon channel</b>	<b>14k</b>	<b>804k</b>
J/ψ Rate (electro- prod.)	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>1k</b>	<b>21k</b>
Features	Good reach to threshold. No high-t reach.	Can reach high-t only at higher energies. Low statistics.	No high-t reach. Electroproduction low statistics.	Enough luminosity to reach high t. High precision.
When?	Finished/Ongoing	Finished	Ongoing/Proposed	Future

<sup>1</sup>The CLAS12 projected count rates assume the proposed CLAS12 luminosity upgrade to  $2 \times 10^{35}/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$

# CONCLUSION

- The Hall C J/ψ-007 experiment has the first near-threshold 2D J/ψ cross section results in this area, currently under peer review.
  - Stringent exclusion limit for the LHCb charmed pentaquarks in photoproduction
  - New window on the gluonic GFFs in the proton
  - Does the proton have a dense energetic core?
- The matter structure of the proton and threshold quarkonium production are rapidly evolving topics that reach from Jefferson Lab to the EIC.

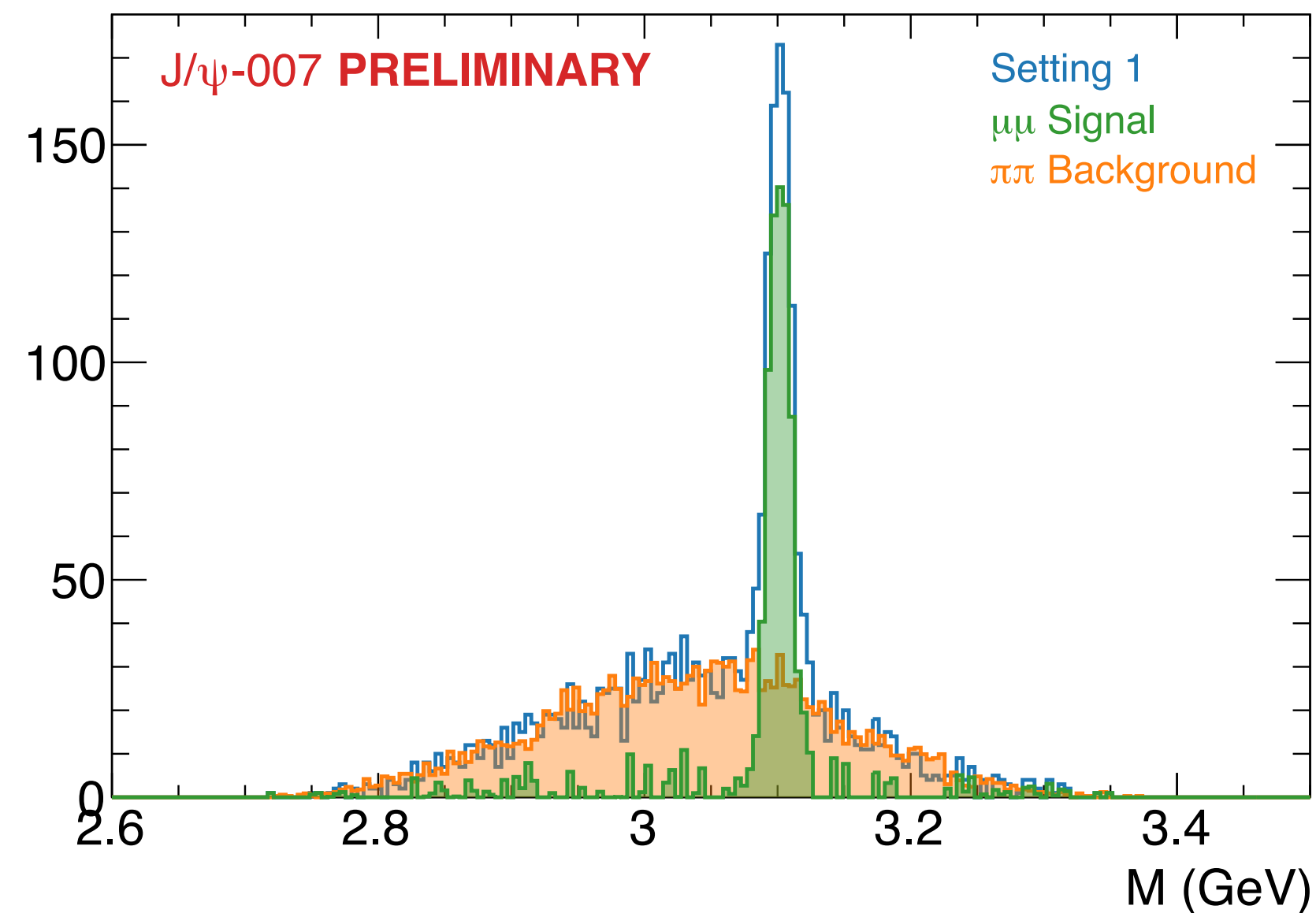
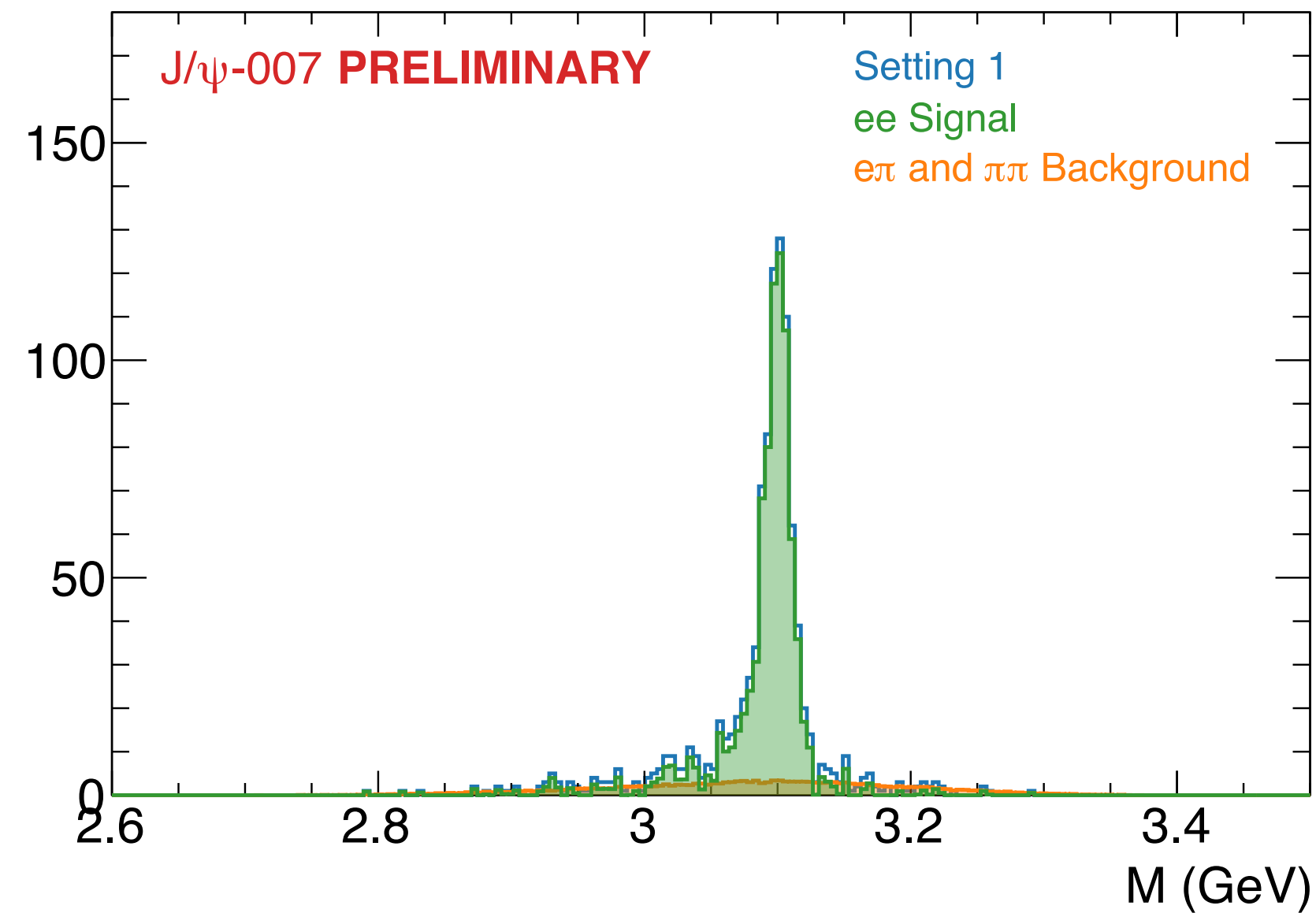


An illustration on a teal background. On the left, a hand in a black suit sleeve reaches out. On the right, a hand in a grey suit sleeve reaches out. Three glowing yellow lightbulbs with radiating lines are positioned between the hands. Three large black question marks are scattered in the upper left area. The text 'QUESTIONS?' is written in white, bold, sans-serif font across the bottom left.

**QUESTIONS?**

# ELECTRON AND MUON CHANNELS

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- Electron and muon channels independent measurements, same statistics but different systematics
- Electrons:
  - Low background with Cherenkov and ECAL for PID
  - Undergo multiple scattering and more sensitive to radiative losses
  - Slightly worse resolution (10MeV)
- Muons
  - More background using only ECAL (require coincidence MIP in 4 layers in HMS and 2 layers in SHMS), but still reasonable
  - Background dominated by 2-pion events, can get shape from dataset
  - Less sensitive to multiple scattering and radiative losses
  - Better resolution (8MeV)
- Invariant mass position *stable* between phases, well described by Monte Carlo!

# MASS AND SCALAR RADII

Extracted from gluonic GFF results following M-Z and G-J-L

$$\langle r_m^2 \rangle = \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \left. \frac{dA_g(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} - \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \frac{C_g(0)}{M_N^2} \quad \langle r_s^2 \rangle = \frac{6}{A_g(0)} \left. \frac{dA_g(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} - \frac{18}{A_g(0)} \frac{C_g(0)}{M_N^2}$$

Theoretical approach GFF functional form	$\chi^2/\text{n.d.f}$	$m_A$ (GeV <sup>2</sup> )	$m_C$ (GeV <sup>2</sup> )	$C_g(0)$	$\sqrt{\langle r_m^2 \rangle}$ (fm)	$\sqrt{\langle r_s^2 \rangle}$ (fm)
Holographic QCD Tripole-tripole	0.925	1.575±0.059	1.12±0.21	-0.45±0.132	0.755±0.035	1.069±0.056
GPD + VMD Tripole-tripole	0.924	2.71±0.19	1.28±0.50	-0.20±0.11	0.472±0.042	0.695±0.071
Lattice Tripole-tripole		1.641±0.043	1.07±0.12	-0.483±0.133	0.7464±0.025	1.073±0.066

In all cases the extracted  $r_m$  is substantially smaller than the proton charge radius



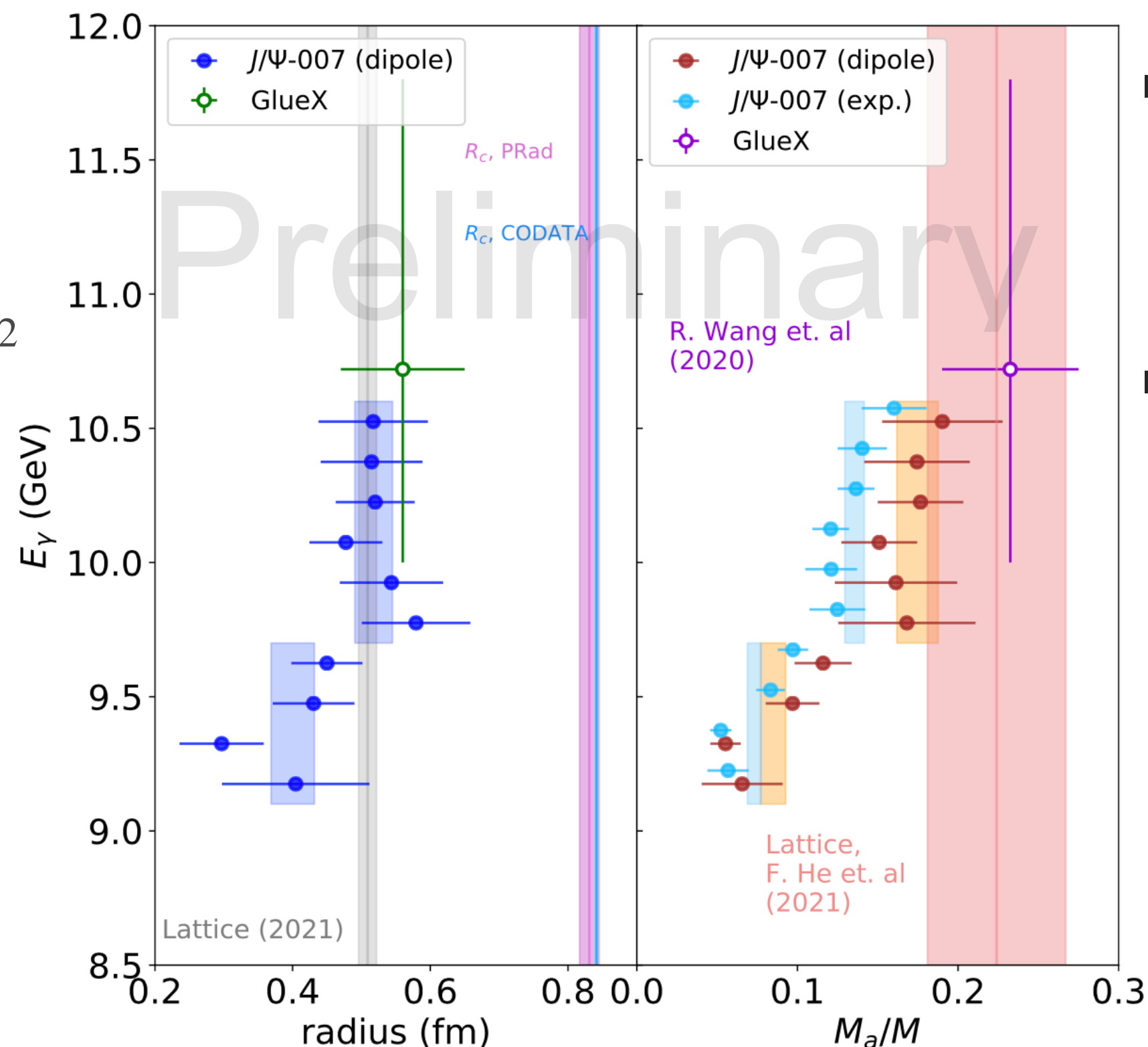
# VARIOUS MODEL-DEPENDENT EXTRACTIONS

Radius (following DK), and  $M_a/M$  (following Ji), for each energy slice

D-K formalism for radius

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = \frac{1}{64\pi s} \frac{1}{|p_{\gamma,cm}|^2} (Q_e c_2)^2 \left( \frac{16\pi^2 M^2}{b} \right)^2 G(t)^2$$

$$\langle r_m^2 \rangle = \frac{6}{M} \left. \frac{dG}{dt} \right|_{t=0} = \frac{12}{m_s^2}$$



- Find flat region at higher energies, which seems to break below 9.7 GeV
- Good agreement with lattice in flat region ( $9.7 \text{ GeV} < E_\gamma < 10.6 \text{ GeV}$ )

- $\sqrt{\langle r_m^2 \rangle} = 0.52 \pm 0.03 \text{ fm}$
- $M_a/M = 0.175 \pm 0.013$

DK: D, Kharzeev, Phys. Rev. D 104, 054015 (2021)  
 Charge radius: CODATA  
 Lattice radius: D. Pefkou, D, Hackett, P. Shanahan, Phys. Rev. D 105, (2022)

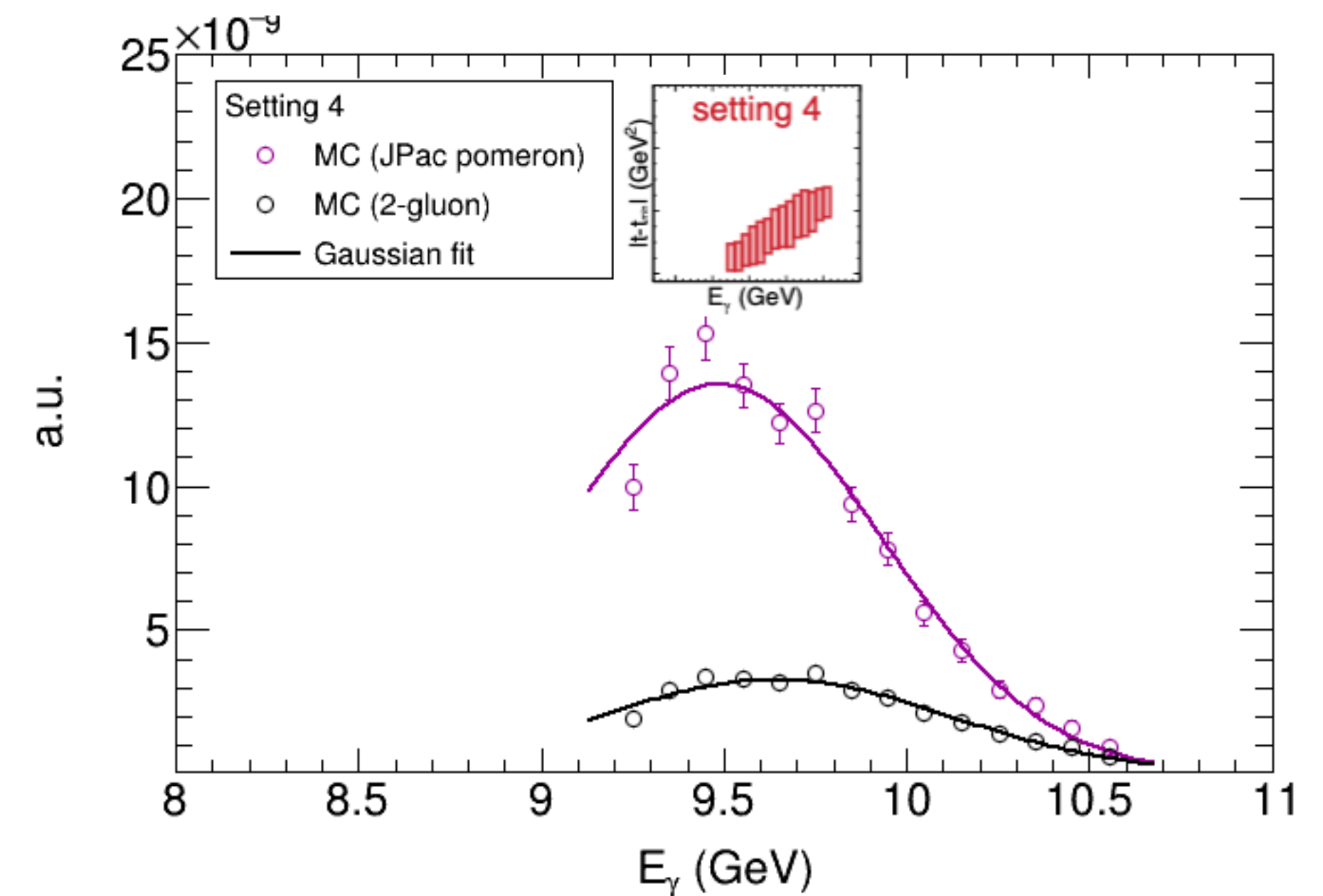
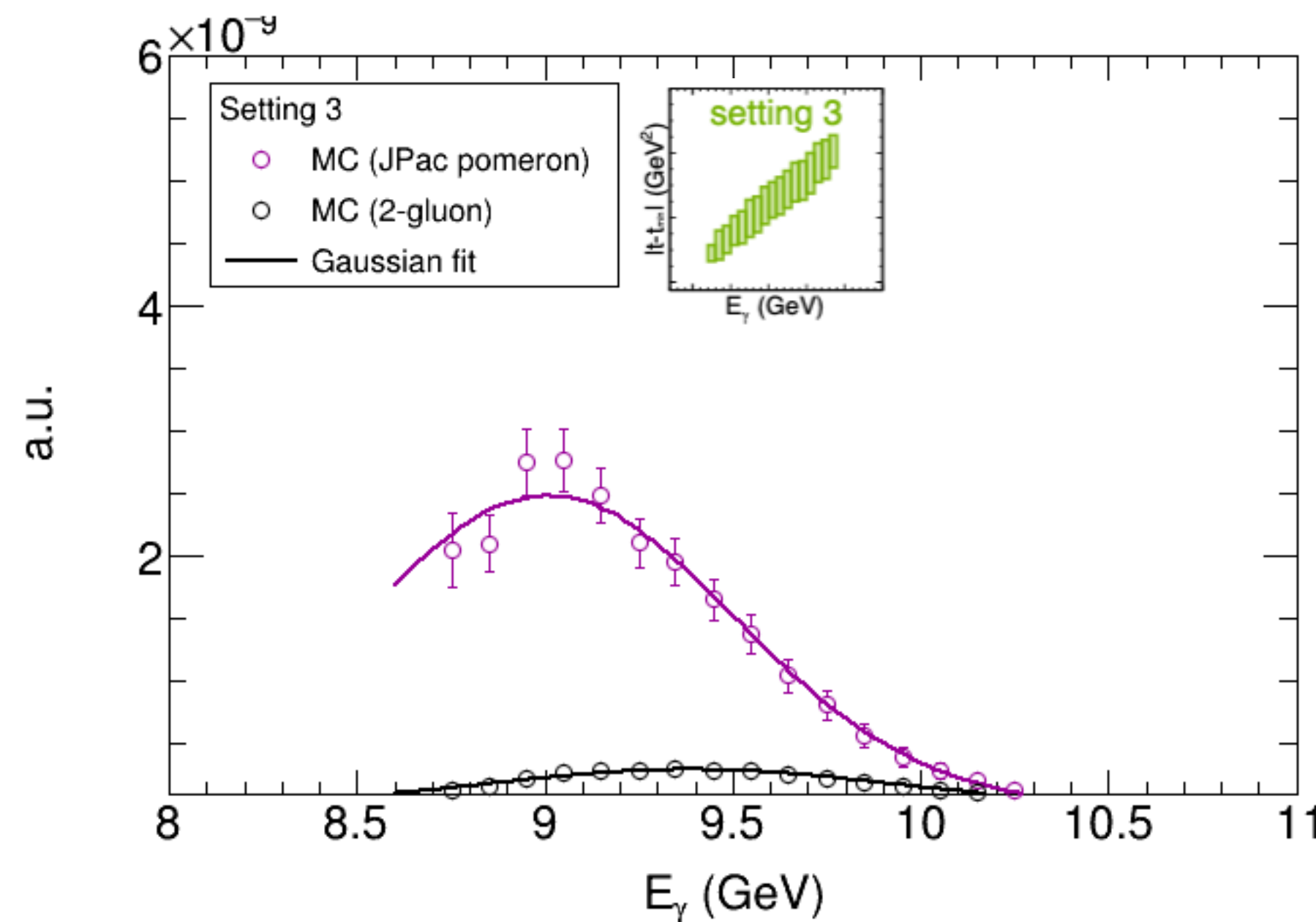
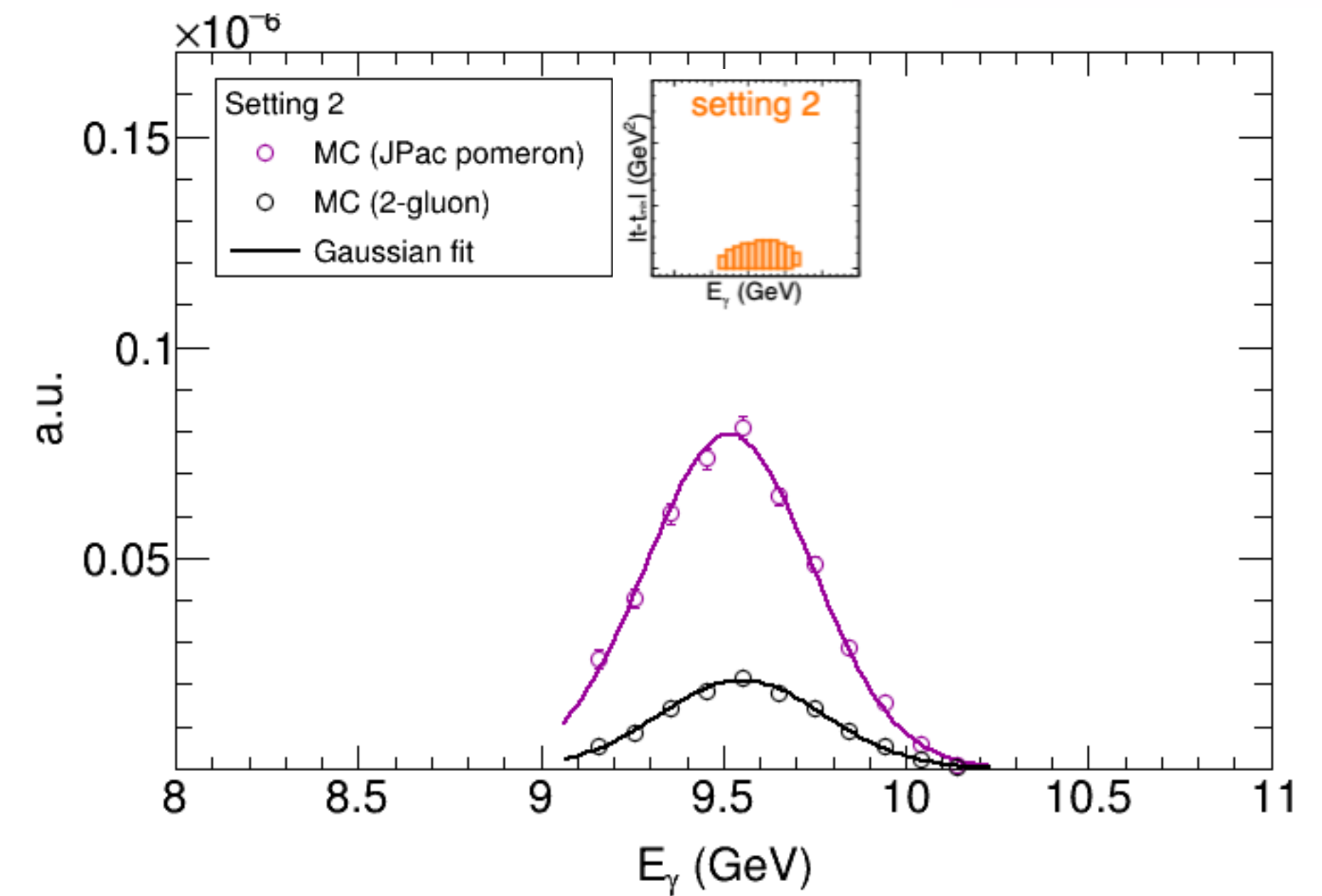
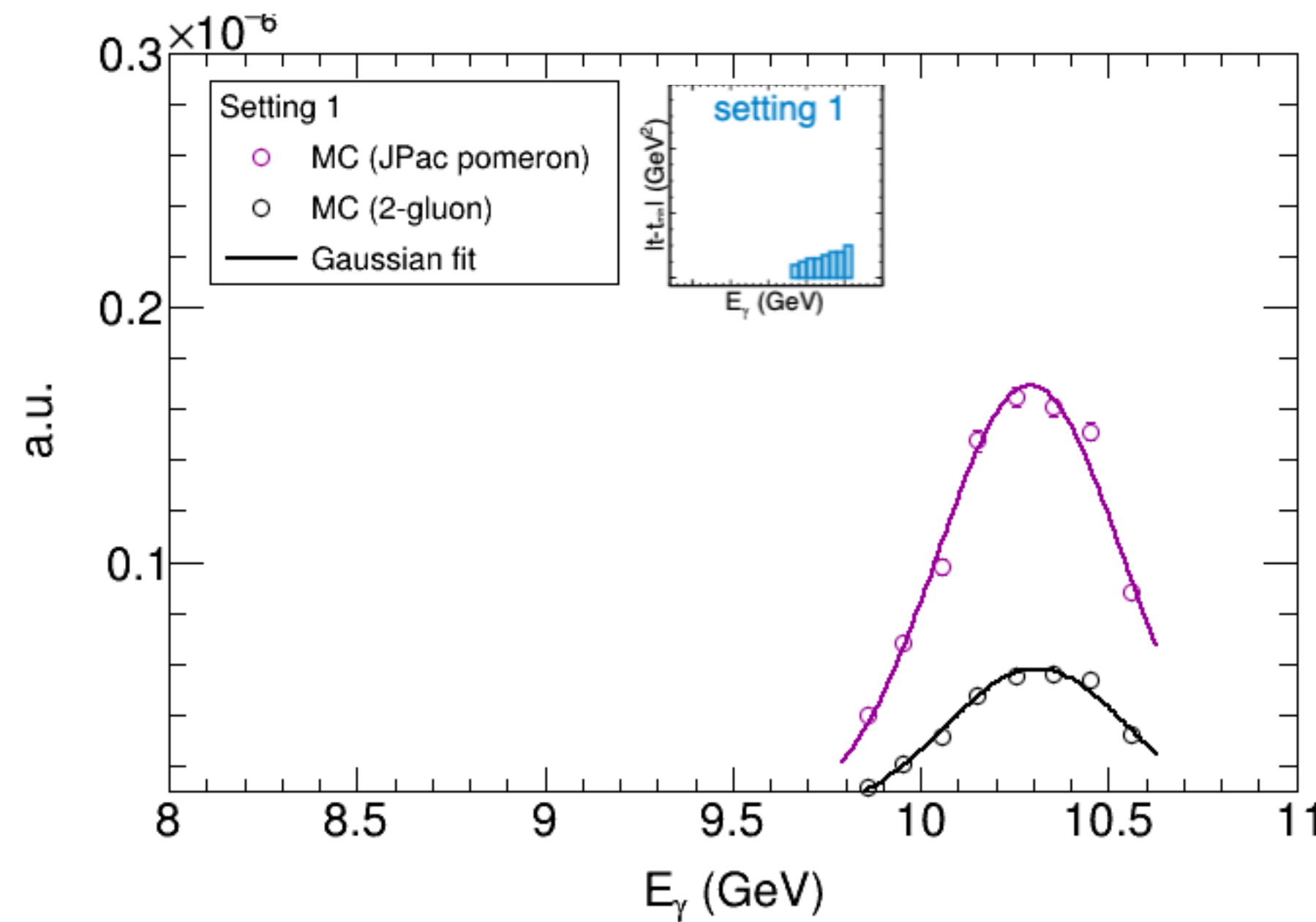
GlueX point: R. Wang, J. Evslin, X. Chen, Eur. Phys. J. C, 80, 507 (2020).  
 Approach: X. Ji, Phys. Rev. Lett. 74, 1071–1074 (1995), same procedure as the GlueX point  
 Lattice  $M_a$ : F. He, P. Sun, Y.-B. Yang, Phys. Rev. D 104, 074507 (2021)

# WHAT DOES A PURE T-CHANNEL BACKGROUND LOOK LIKE?

Need model-independent fit shape to fit the t-channel background **inside the spectrometer acceptance**

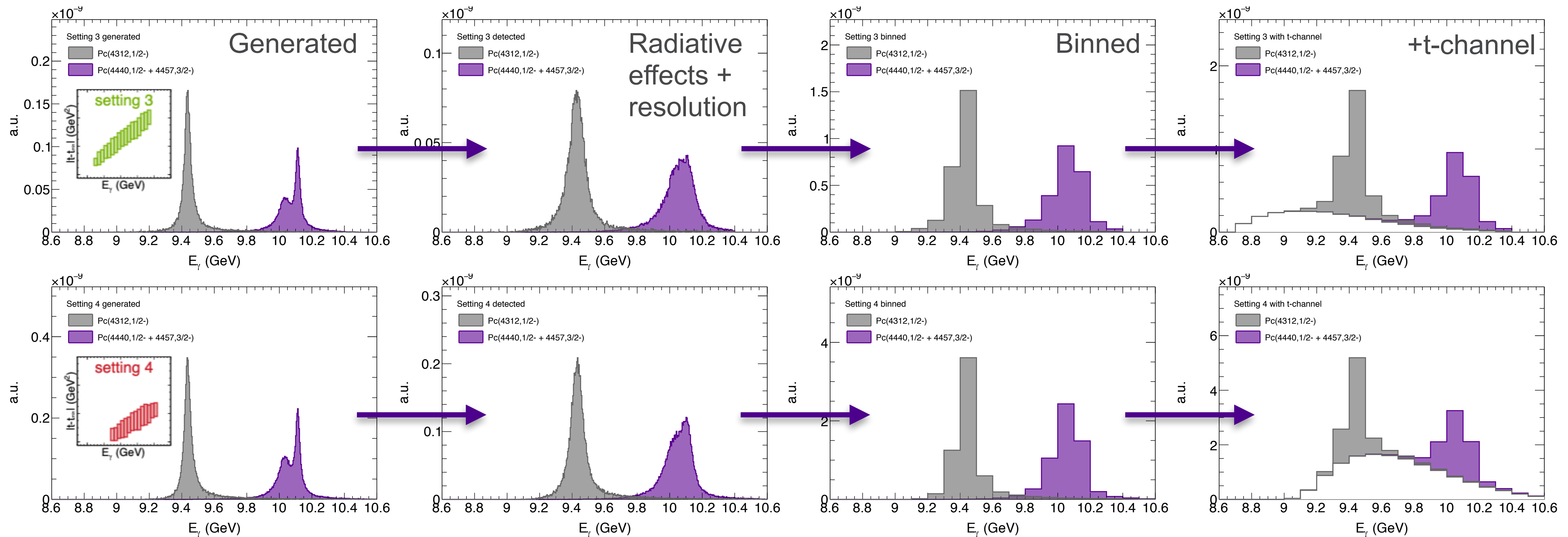
A **gaussian shape**, mostly driven by the spectrometer acceptance, does a good job describing both (very different!) Monte-Carlo models

For now used as **independent shapes** between the settings, could in principle gain more by leveraging the 2D t-profiles of the cross section



# PENTAQUARK MODEL

## Need to know pentaquark signatures in our experimental sample

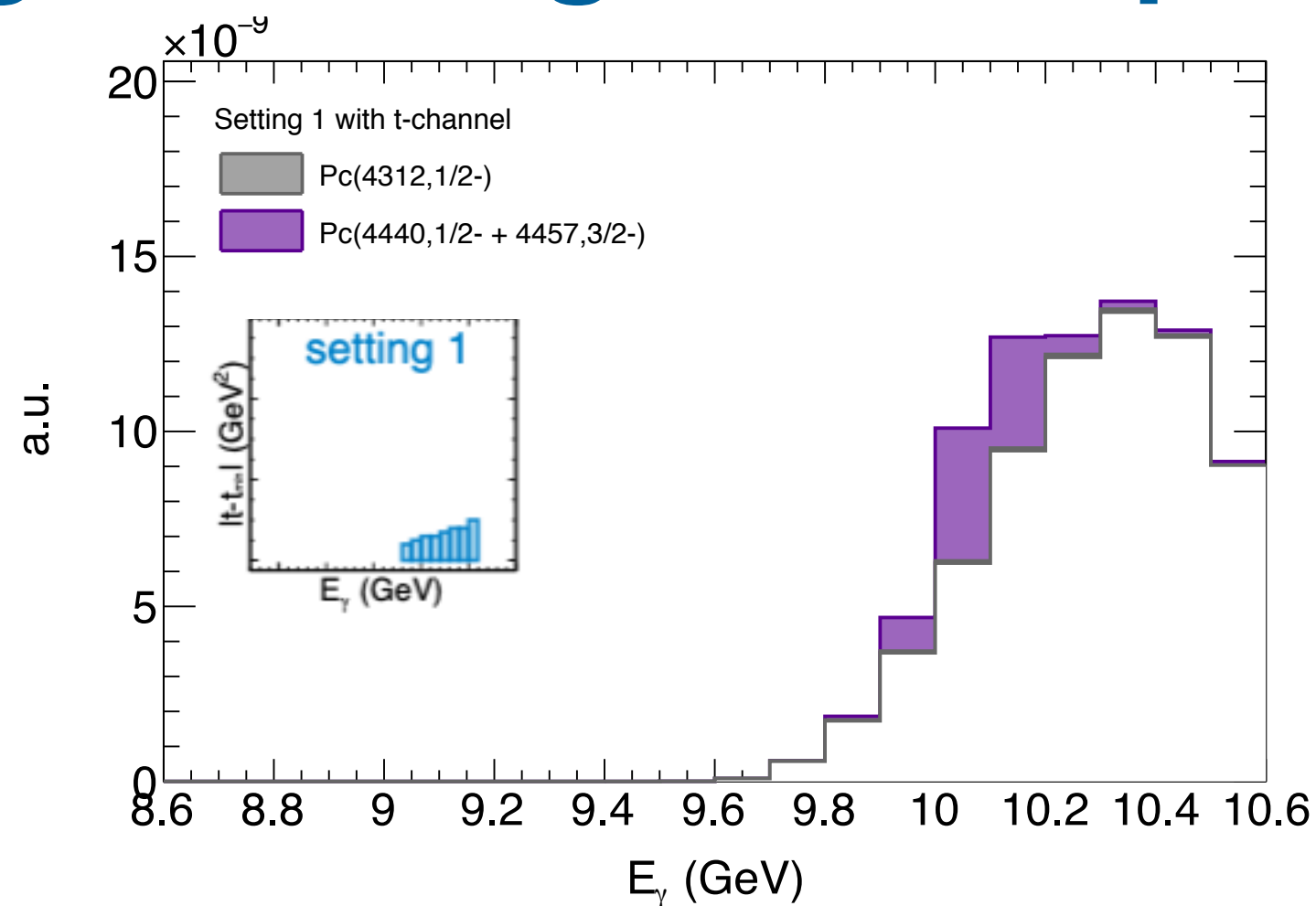
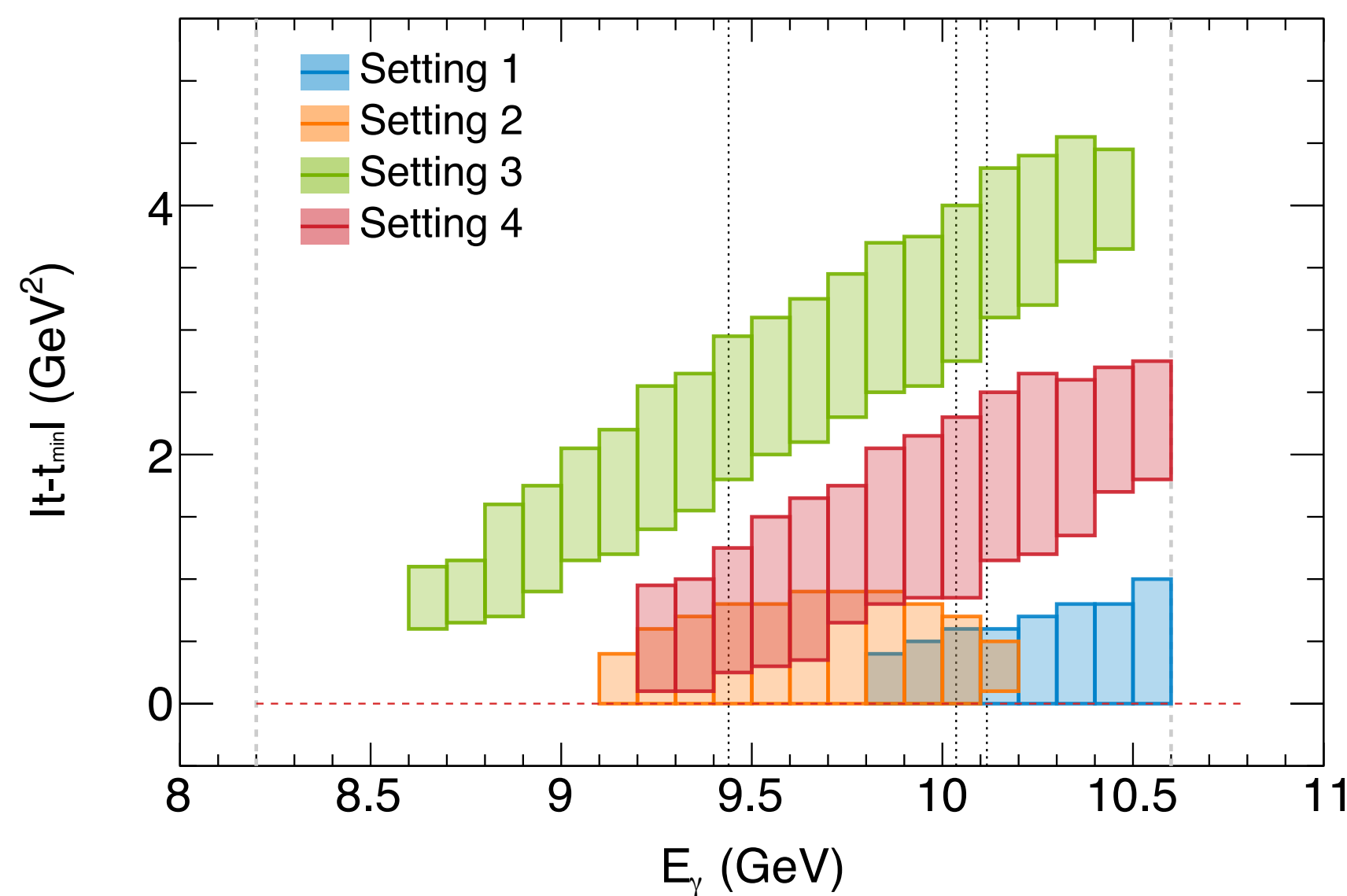


P<sub>c</sub> resonances calculated at GlueX 90% upper limit from MC (JPacPhoto + Detector Simulation)

Difficult to separate higher-mass states due to radiative and detector smearing, and limited statistics (coarse binning)

# HIGH-T SETTINGS CRUCIAL FOR SENSITIVITY

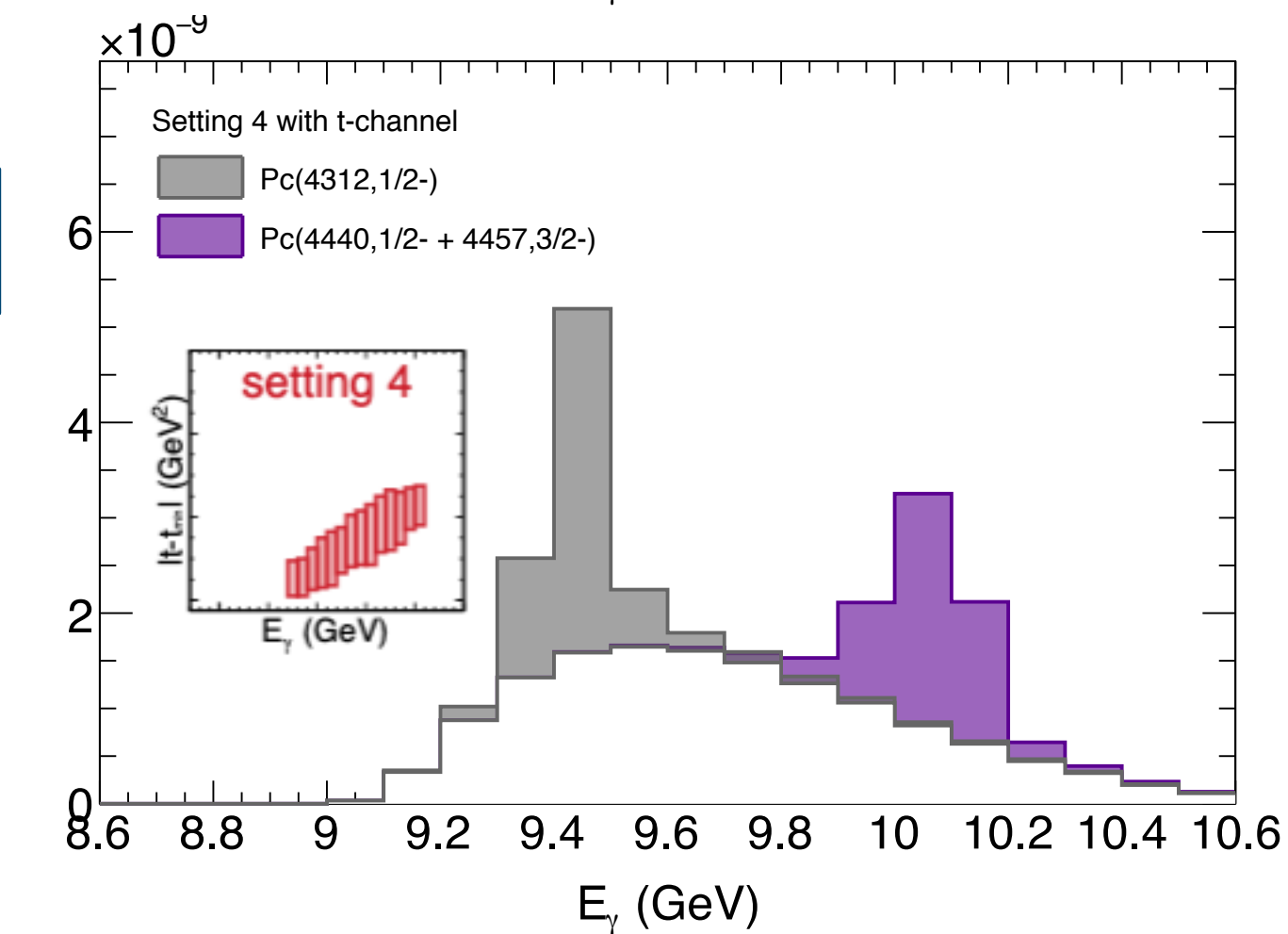
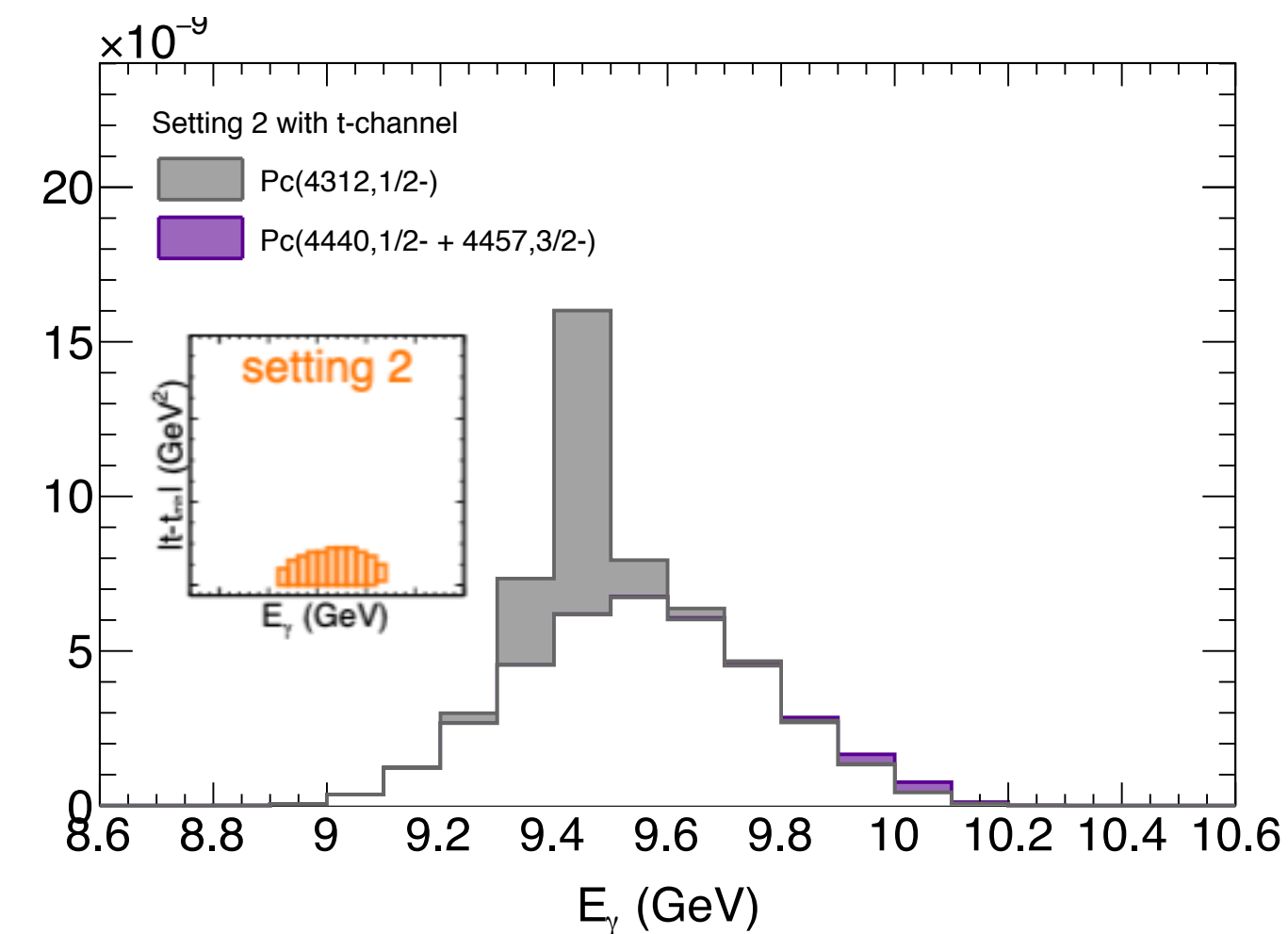
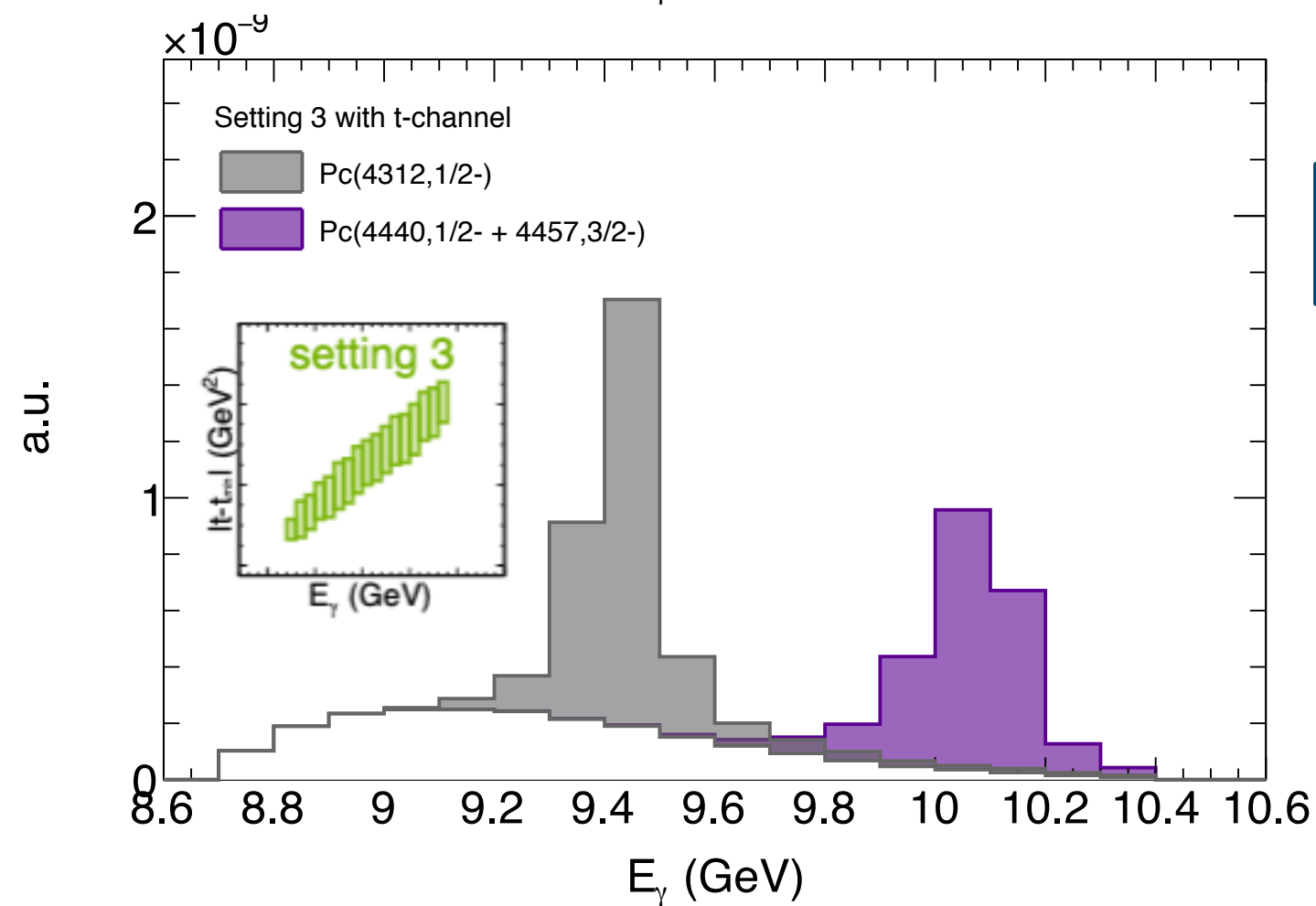
Improved sensitivity at high  $t$  for a given coupling



Low  $t$



High  $t$



4% scale uncertainty on cross section

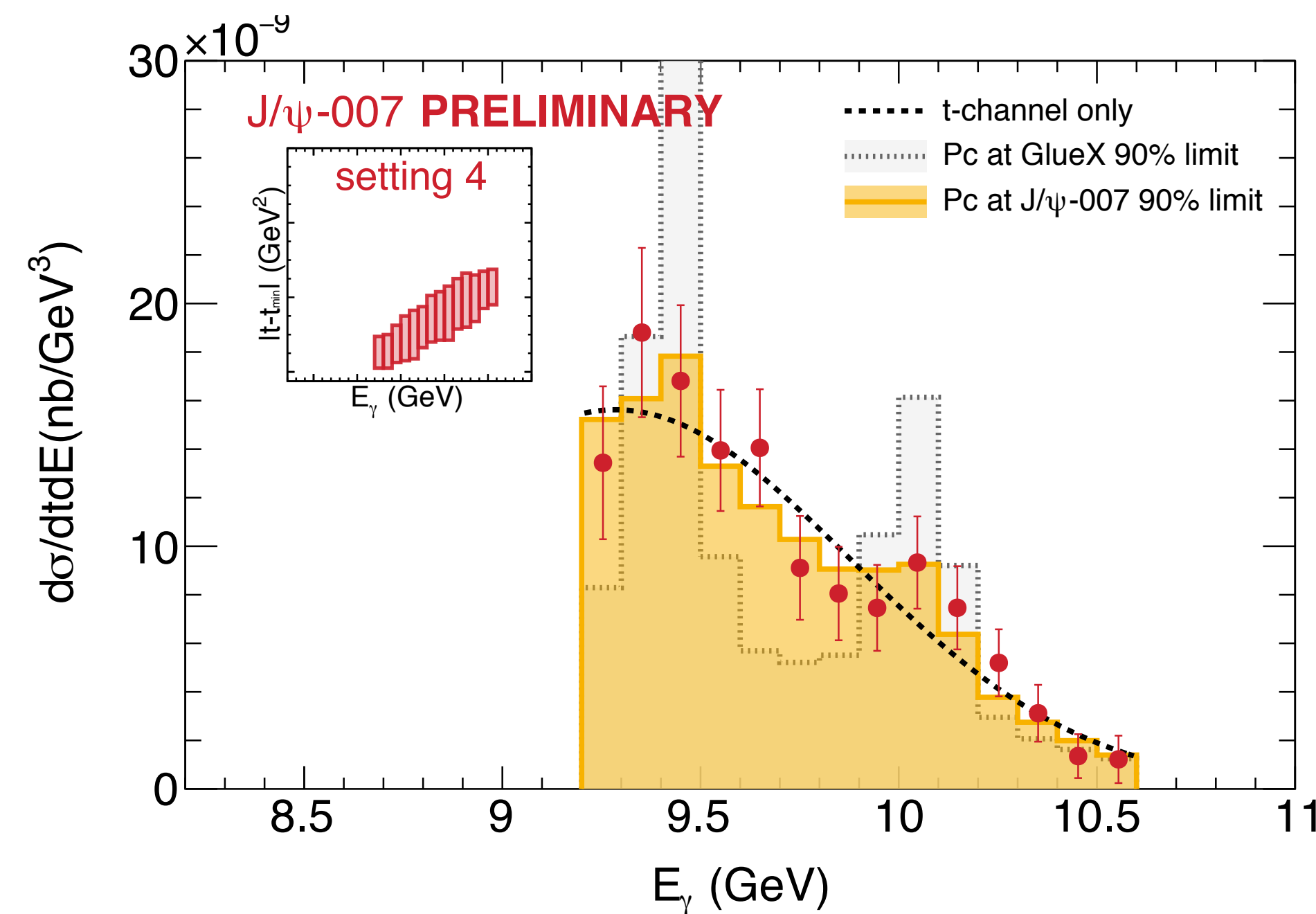
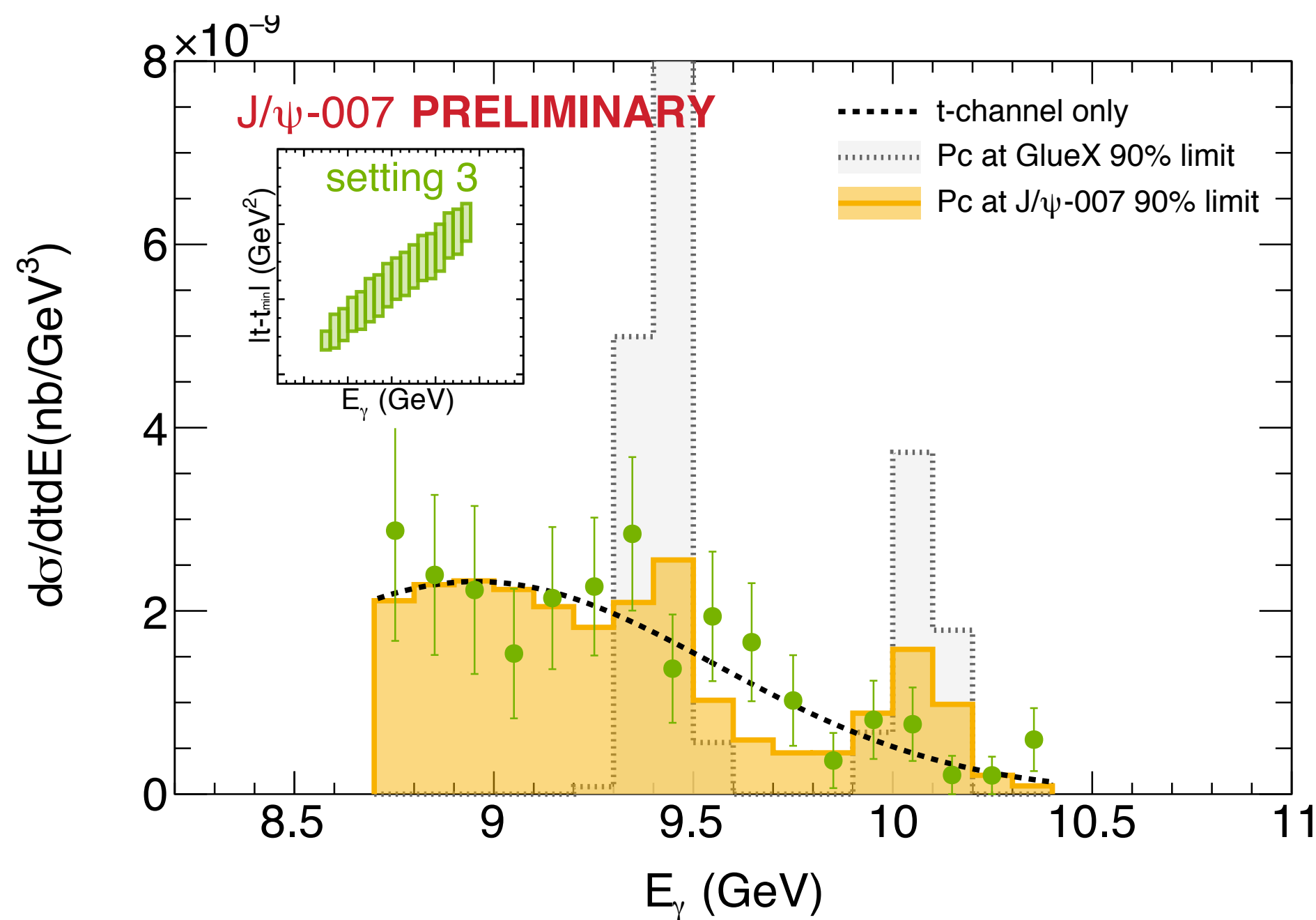
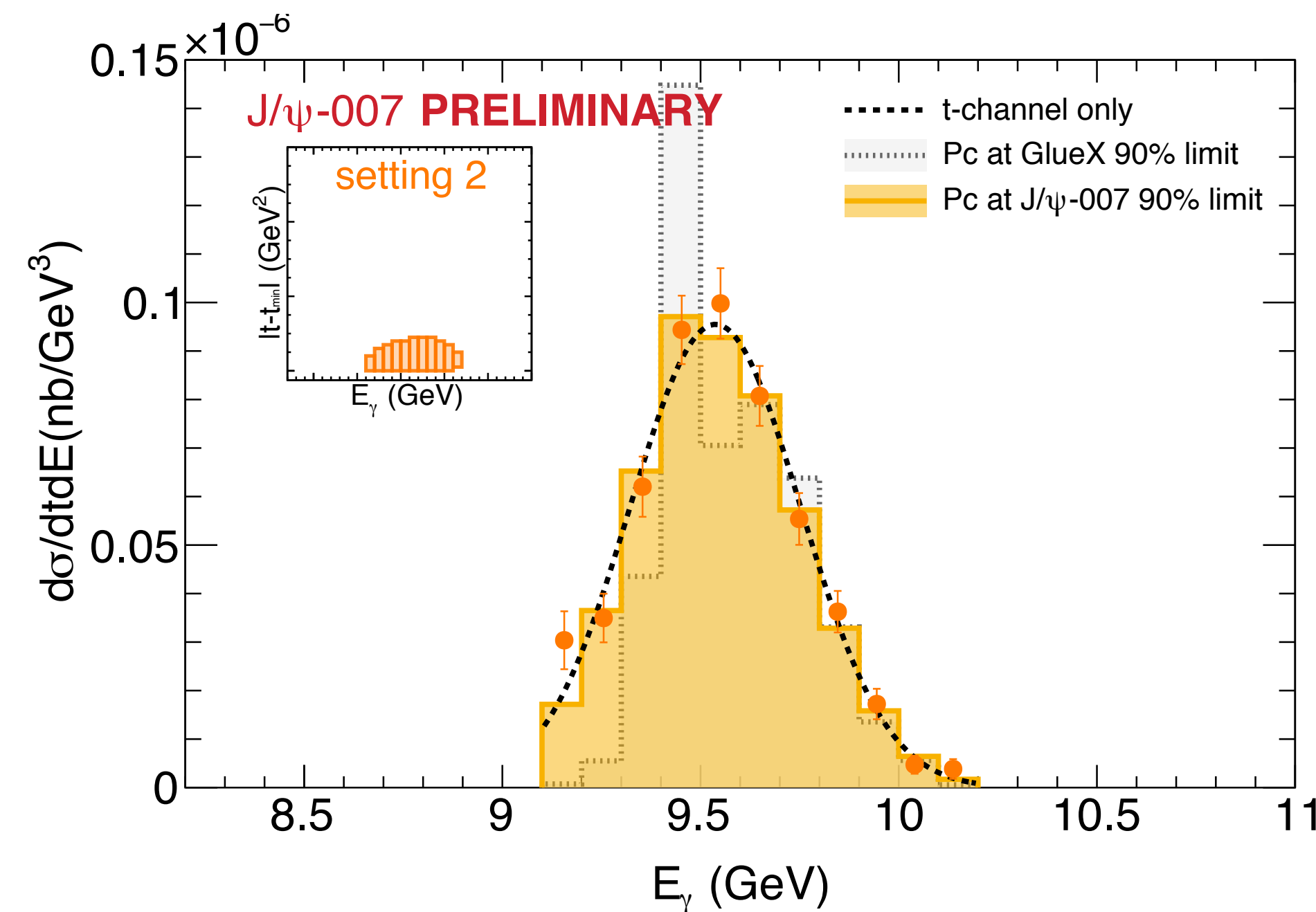
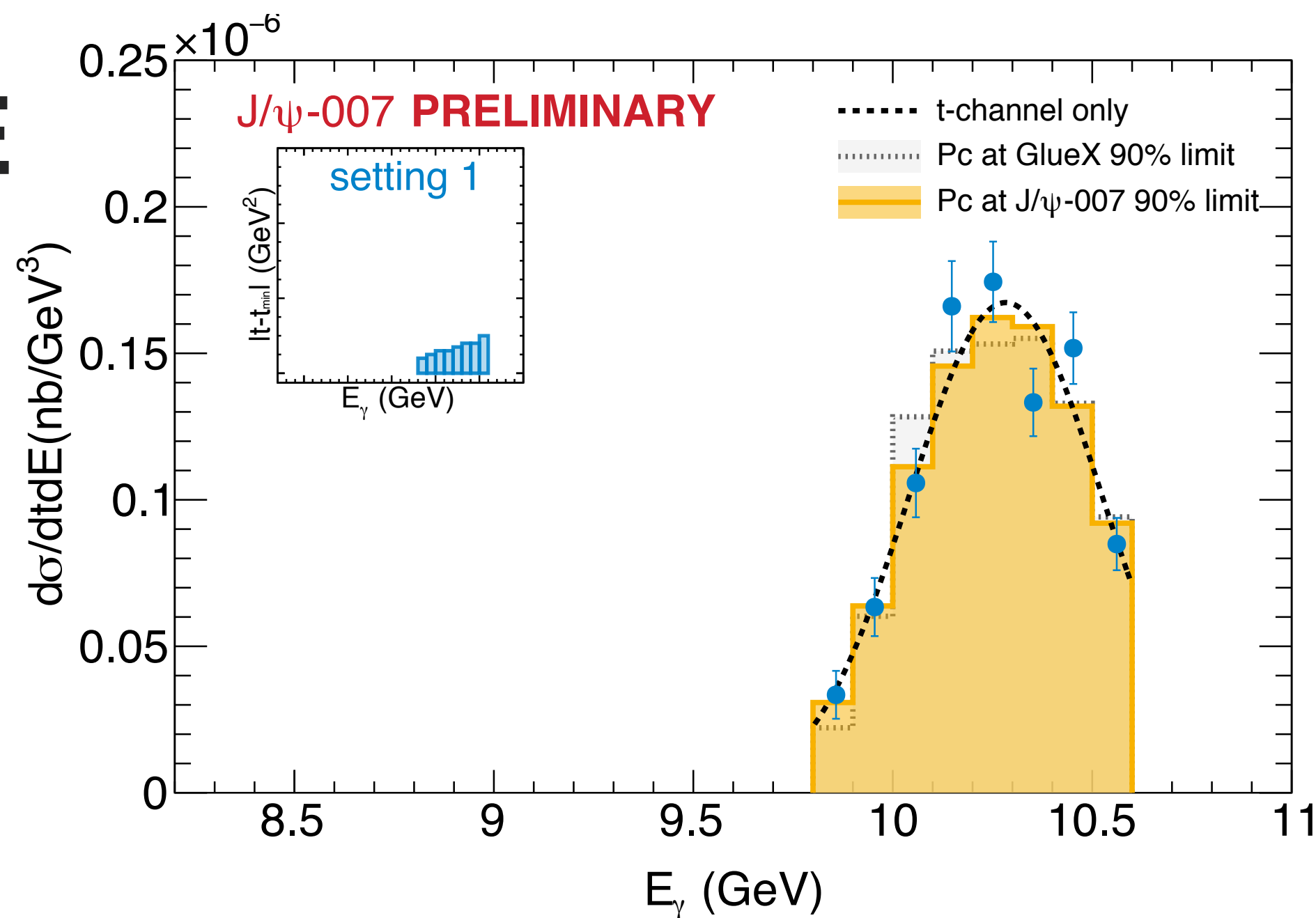
# SIGNIFICANCE FIT

**Fit 1:** bare Gaussian shape describes the cross section well

**Fit 2:** Signal + background at GlueX upper limit (90% confidence interval). The resonances lead to major tension with the data at high- $t$ .

**Fit 3:** Same as 2, but with Pc at upper limit (90% confidence interval) from the preliminary J/ $\psi$ -007 results themselves

The data suggest a stringent upper limit on the resonant cross section (see next slide).



4% scale uncertainty on cross section

# COMPARISON WITH T-CHANNEL MODEL CALCULATION

Measured 1D results show decent agreement with predictions from the JPac Pomeron model (constrained by old world data + GlueX 2019 results)

Largest deviations at lower energies

To get more sensitivity to details in the near-threshold cross section, we need the 2D cross section results (see next slide)

