Electroproduction of $p\pi^+\pi^-$ off protons at 2 GeV^2 $<$ Q^2 $<$ 5 GeV^2 and 1.3 GeV $<$ W $<$ 3 GeV

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One of the goals of the N* program at JLab is to understand the evolution of the dominant degrees of freedom (d.o.f) of QCD at varying length scales (Q^2). A method of probing this evolution is by studying how the electrocouplings - couplings of a virtual photon to the nucleon excited nuleon vertex ($\gamma_v NN^*$) - change with Q^2. In my presentation, I will provide an update on a new approach to obtain beam spin asymmetry observables from the reaction $\gamma_v p \to p\pi^+\pi^-$, that will be used to extract the electrocouplings for the Q^2 range of this analysis. The update will be preceded by a short introduction to the electrocouplings motivated observables and followed by a summary outlining the steps remaining before my analysis is complete.