



Nucleon Tomography with 0-jettiness



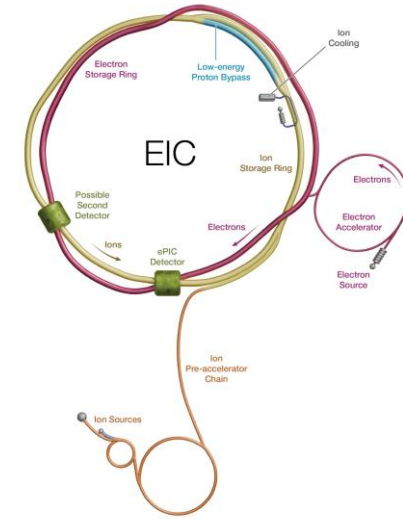
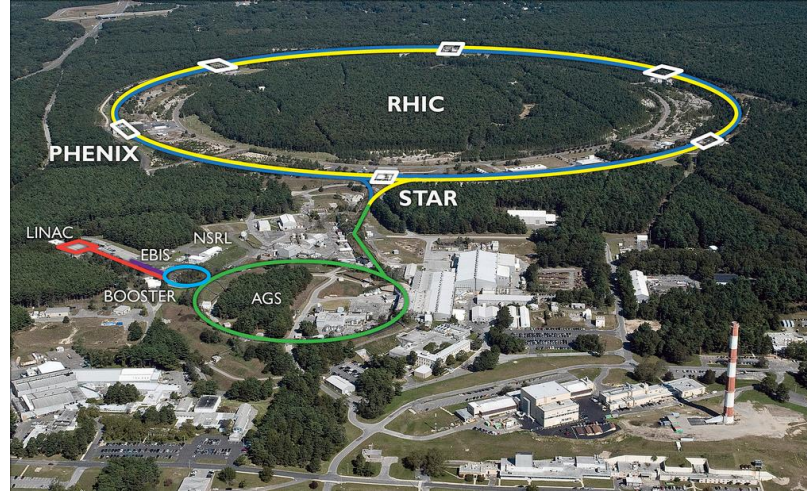
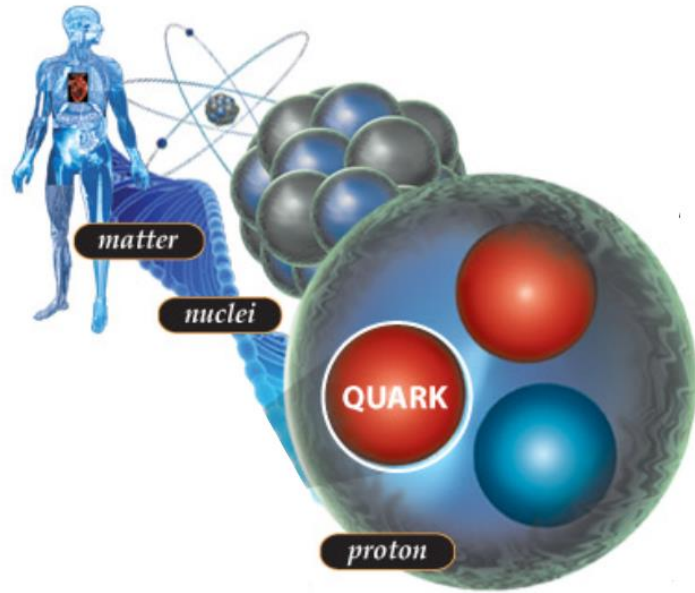
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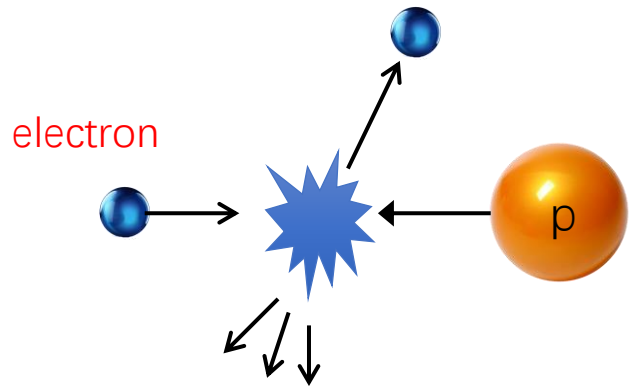
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Nucleon Tomography : a fundamental quest

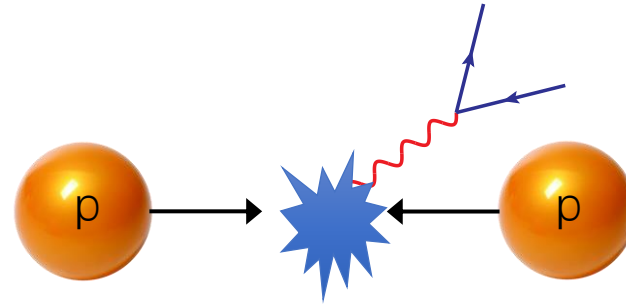


- Understand the Composition of Matter
- Understand the Strong Interaction: QCD
- Use Protons as Tools for Discovery (e.g., LHC)

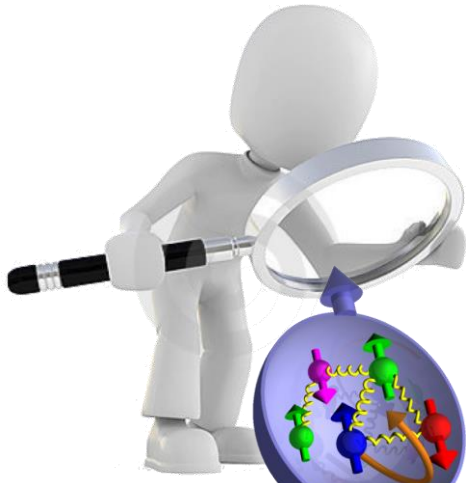
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Electron-Proton collisions



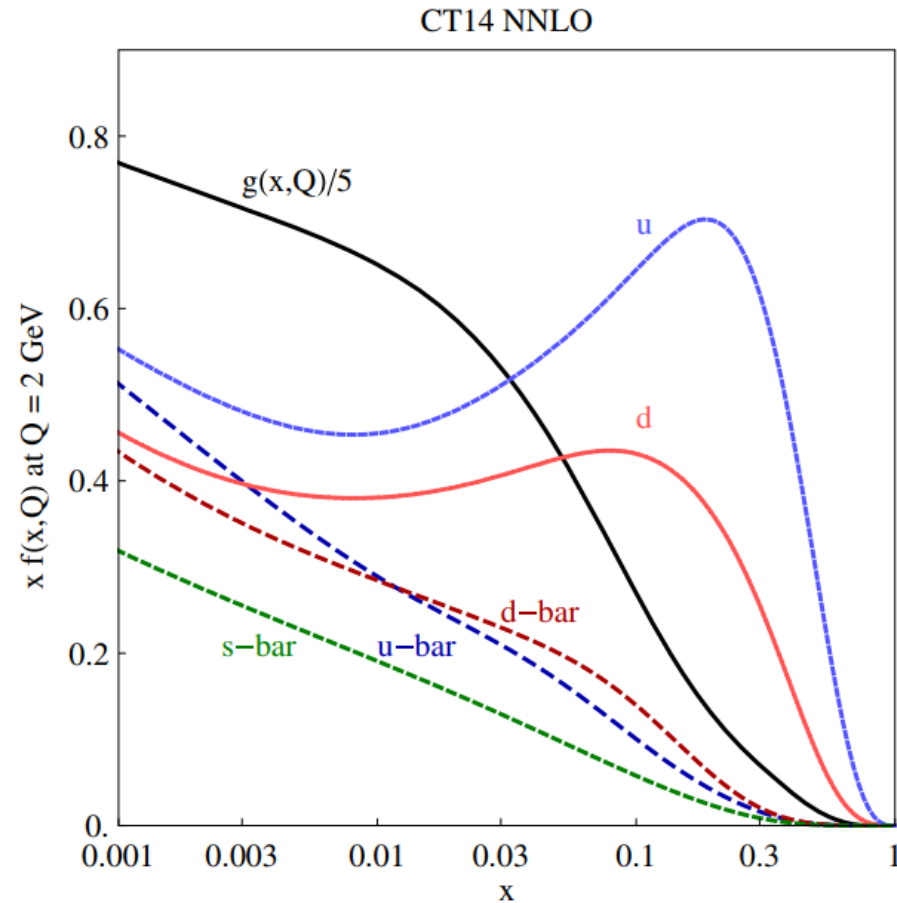
Proton-Proton collisions



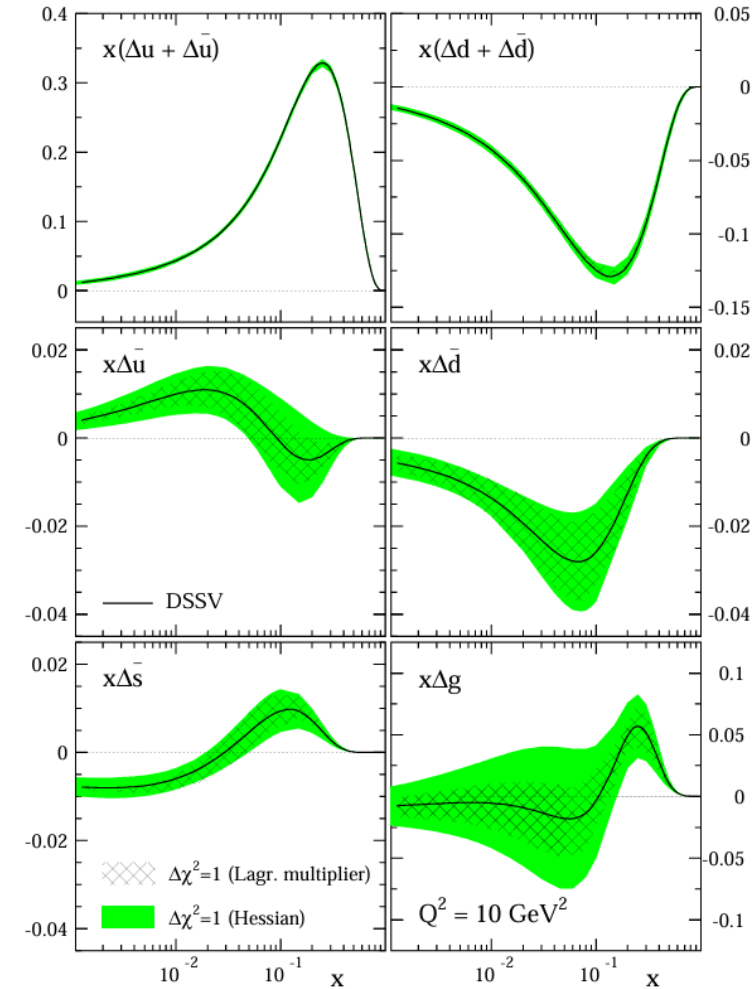
$$\sigma(Q) = \underbrace{f_{q,g}(x)} \otimes \underbrace{\hat{\sigma}_{q,g}(Q)}$$

Proton structure: encoded in PDFs

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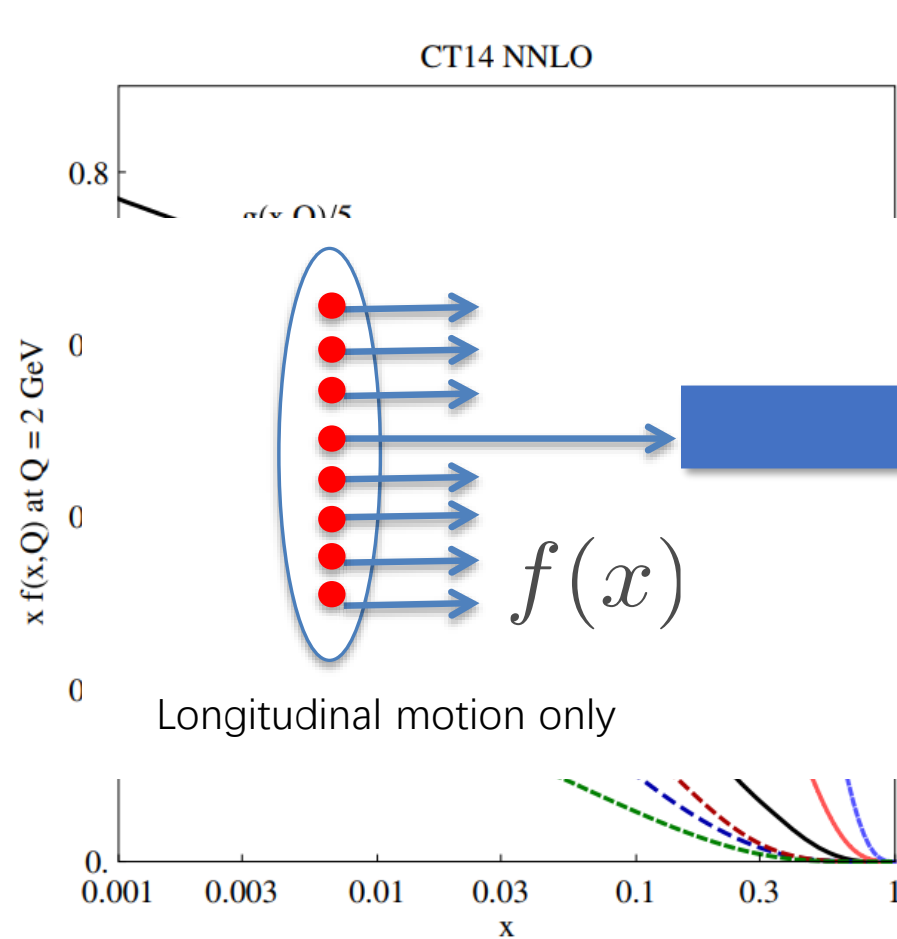


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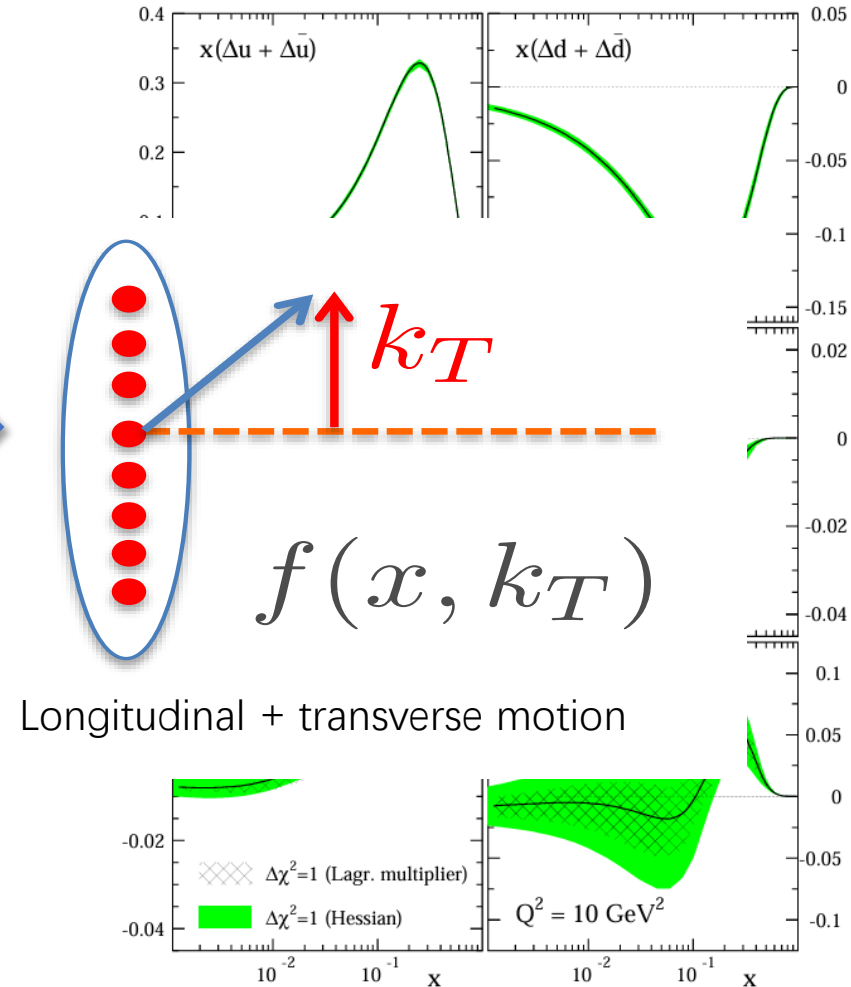


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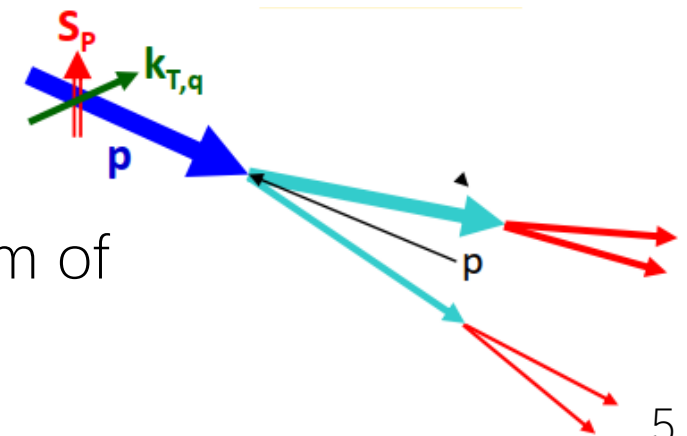
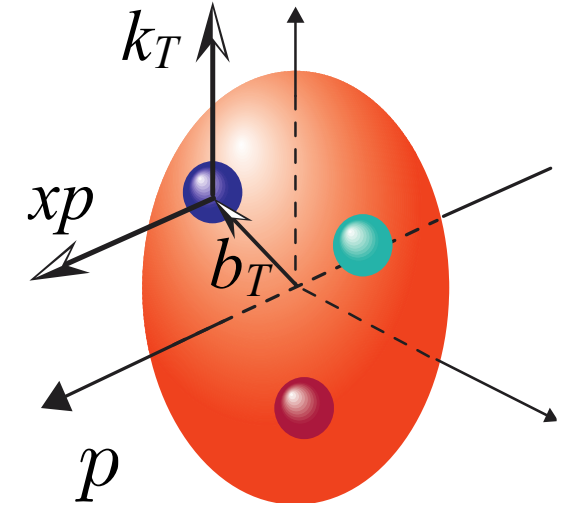
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TMDs: center piece of nucleon structure

- Phenomenological needs
- Both longitudinal and transverse motion of partons inside proton
- Quantum correlation: spin-spin, spin-momentum (orbit) correlations
- Orbital motion
 - Most TMDs would vanish in the absence of parton orbital angular momentum
- Universality issue, QCD factorization
- Information on the color glass condensate —a unique form of nuclear matter at small x



TMDs: center piece of nucleon structure

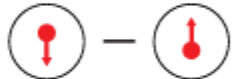
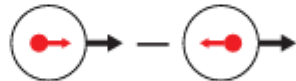
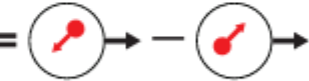
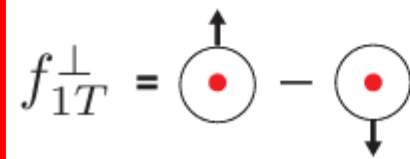
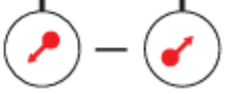
Leading Quark TMDPDFs

 Nucleon Spin
  Quark Spin

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		Un-Polarized (U)	Longitudinally Polarized (L)	Transversely Polarized (T)
Nucleon Polarization	U	$f_1 = $  Unpolarized		$h_1^\perp = $  -  Boer-Mulders
	L		$g_1 = $  -  Helicity	$h_{1L}^\perp = $  -  Worm-gear
	T	$f_{1T}^\perp = $  -  Sivers	$g_{1T}^\perp = $  -  Worm-gear	$h_1 = $  -  Transversity $h_{1T}^\perp = $  -  Pretzelosity

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One example: Sivers function

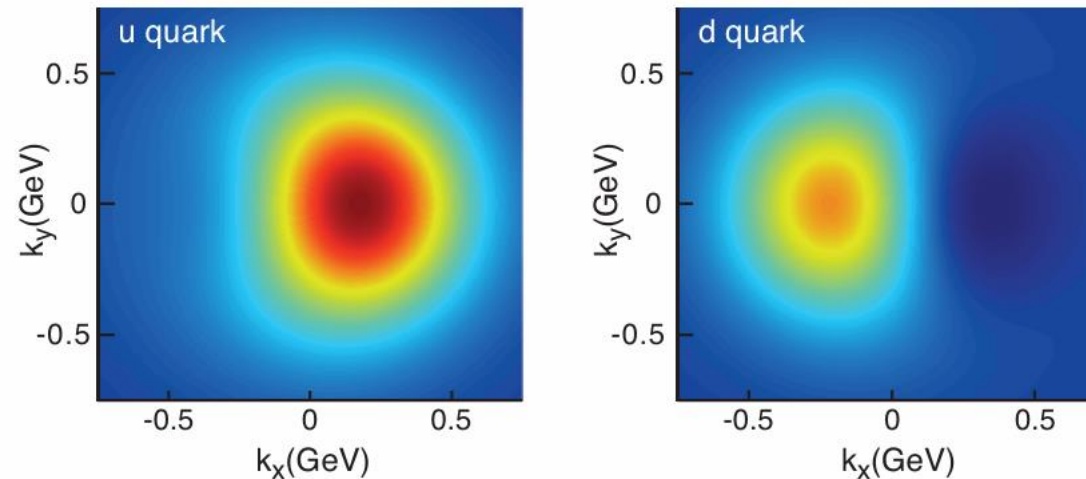
- Sivers function describes the transverse momentum distribution correlated with the transverse polarization vector of the nucleon.

$$f_{q/h^\uparrow}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \vec{S}) \equiv \underbrace{f_{q/h}(x, k_\perp)}_{\text{Spin-independent}} - \frac{1}{M} \underbrace{f_{1T}^\perp(x, k_\perp)}_{\text{Spin-dependent}} \vec{S} \cdot (\hat{p} \times \mathbf{k}_\perp)$$

Spin-independent

Spin-dependent

$\times f_1(x, k_T, S_T)$



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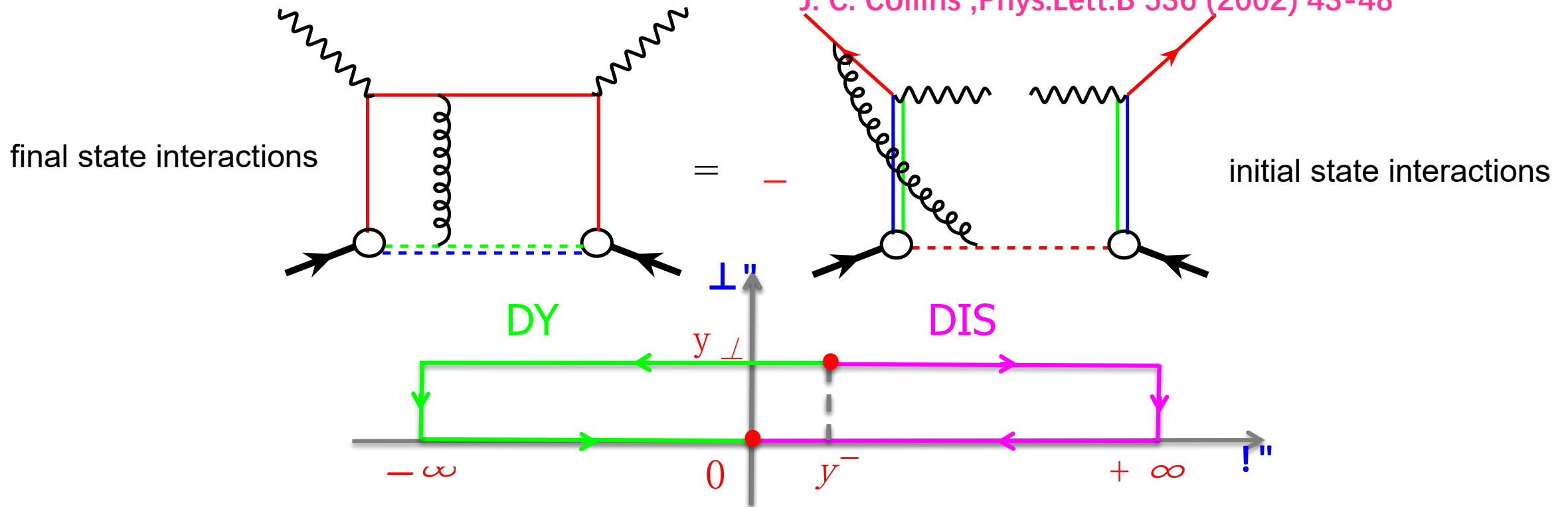
- The quark distribution will be azimuthally asymmetric in the transverse momentum space in a transversely polarized nucleon.

One example: Sivers function

- Naïve time-reversal-odd, and its existence requires a phase (generate through interactions)

S. J. Brodsky, D. S. Hwang, and I. Schmidt,
Phys.Lett.B 530 (2002) 99-107

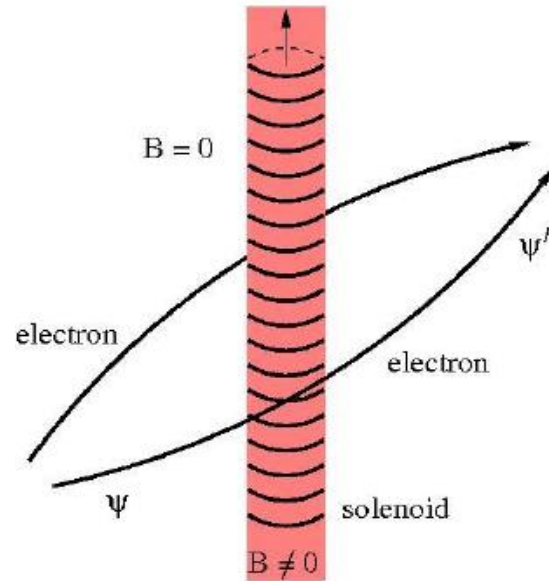
J. C. Collins, Phys.Lett.B 536 (2002) 43-48



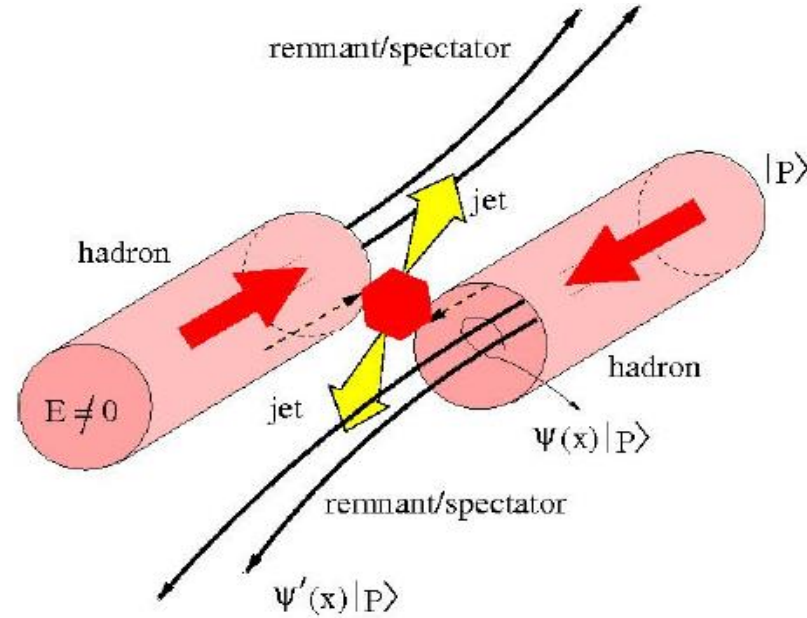
$$f_{1T}^{\perp, \text{DIS}}(x, k_{\perp}) = - f_{1T}^{\perp, \text{DY}}(x, k_{\perp})$$

One example: Siverts function

➤ Akin to Aharonov-Bohm Effect



$$\psi' = e^{ie \int ds \cdot A} \psi$$



$$\psi_i(x)|P\rangle = e^{-ig \int_x^{x'} ds_\mu A^\mu} \psi_i(x')|P\rangle$$

Sivers Function and Qiu-Sterman Function

➤ Qiu-Sterman Function

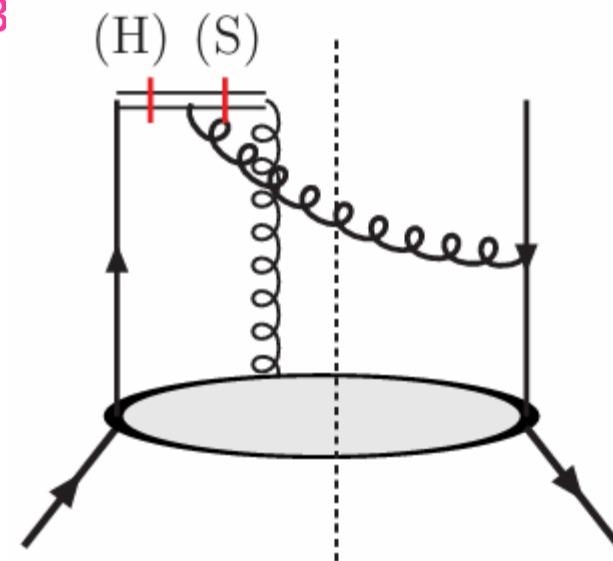
$$T_F(x_2, x'_2) \equiv \int \frac{d\zeta^- d\eta^-}{4\pi} e^{i(x_2 P^+ \eta^- + (x'_2 - x_2) P_B^+ \zeta^-)} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\beta\alpha} S_{\perp\beta} \\ \times \langle PS | \bar{\psi}(0) \mathcal{L}(0, \zeta^-) \gamma^+ g F_{\alpha}^+(\zeta^-) \mathcal{L}(\zeta^-, \eta^-) \psi(\eta^-) | PS \rangle$$

$$➤ T_F(x, x) = \int \frac{d^2 \vec{k}_{\perp}}{2\pi} \frac{\vec{k}_{\perp}^2}{M^2} f_{1T}^{\perp} |_{DY}(x, k_{\perp})$$

D. Boer, P. J. Mulders and F. Pijlman,
Nucl. Phys. B 667, 201 (2003)

➤ Sivers function at large kt

$$f_{1T}^{\perp}(z, k_{\perp}) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi^2} \frac{M}{(k_{\perp}^2)^2} \int \frac{dx}{x} \left\{ \frac{C_A}{2} T_F(x, z) \frac{1+\xi}{(1-\xi)_+} + T_F(x, x) \frac{-1}{2N_c} \frac{D-2}{2} (1-\xi) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{2N_c} \left[\left(x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} T_F(x, x) \right) (1+\xi^2) + T_F(x, x) \frac{(1-\xi)^2(2\xi+1)-2}{(1-\xi)_+} \right] \right. \\ \left. + T_F(x, x) \delta(1-\xi) C_F \left(\ln \frac{x^2 \zeta^2}{k_{\perp}^2} - 2 \right) \right\}.$$

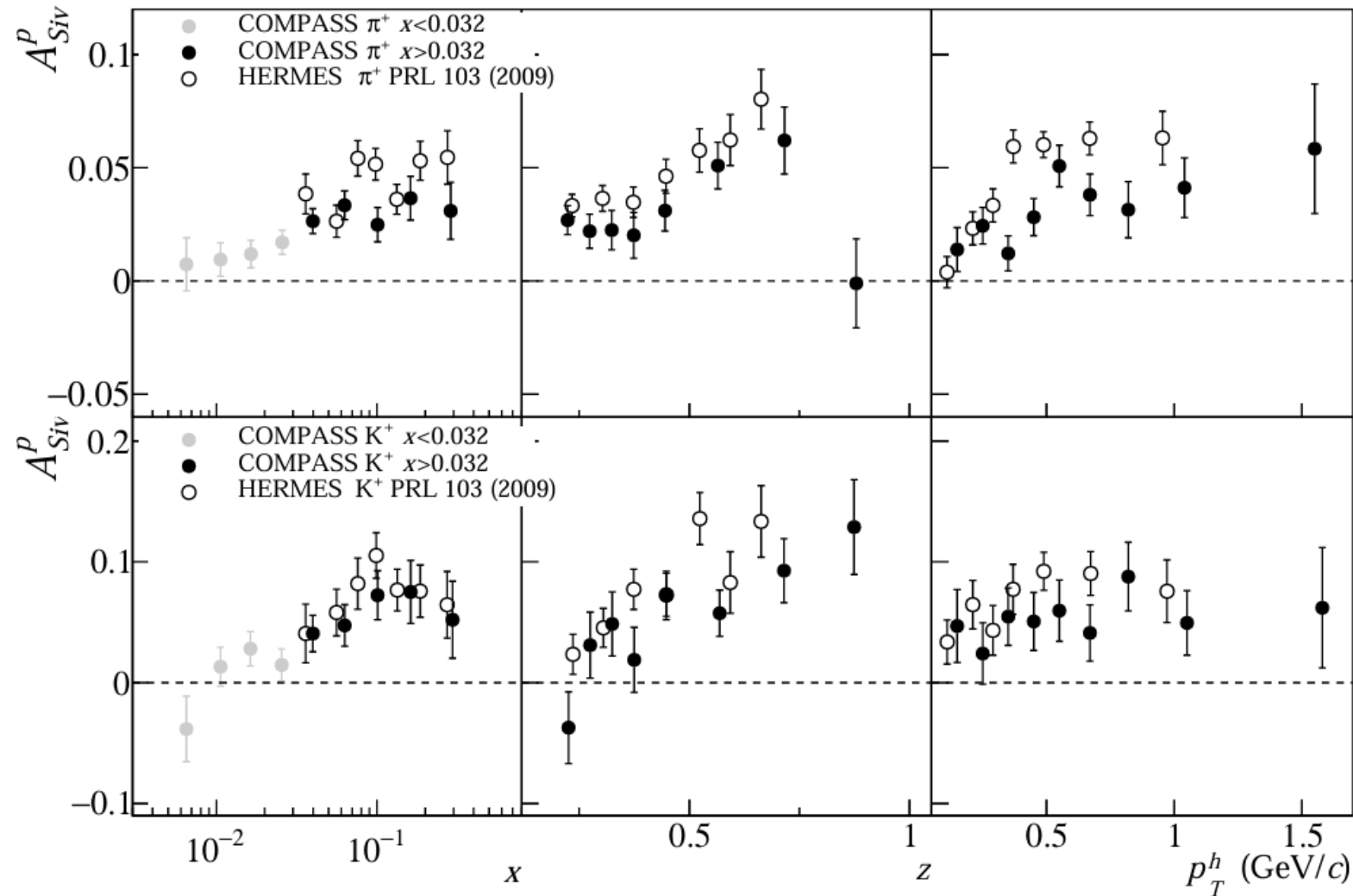


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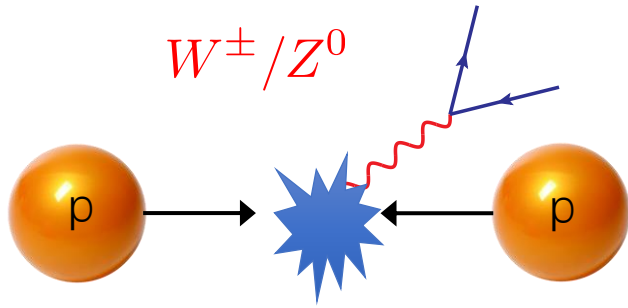
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Transverse single spin asymmetries in SIDIS

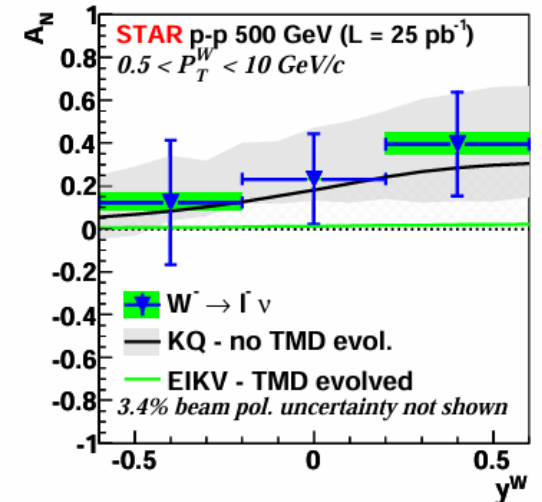
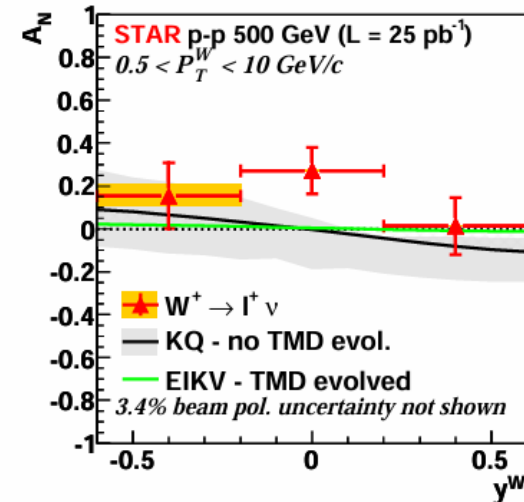
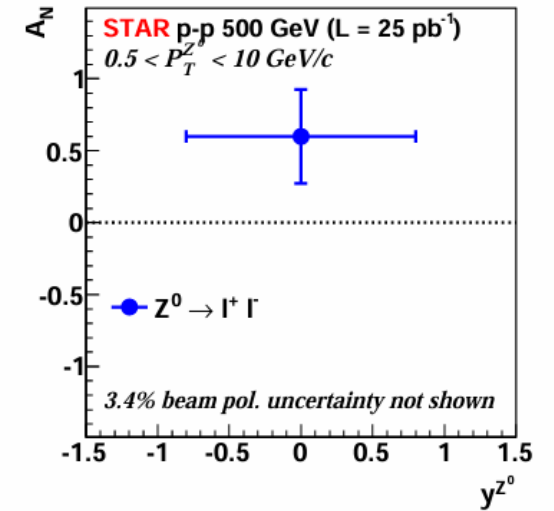
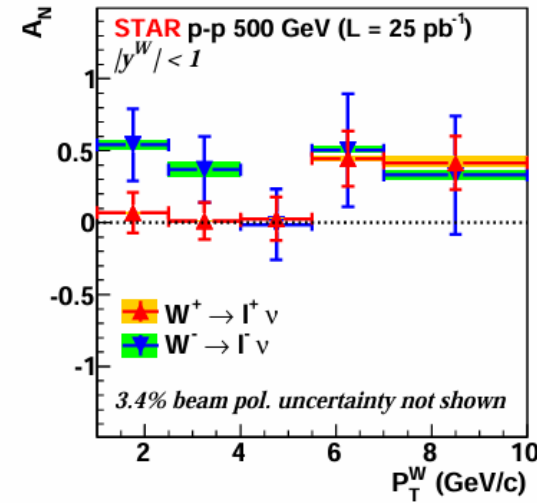


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Transverse single spin asymmetries in weak boson production



STAR Collaboration,
Phys. Rev. Lett. 116, 132301 (2016)



Resummation

Soft gluon radiation leads to Sudakov Logarithms

$$\ln(Q^2 b_\perp^2) \sim \ln \frac{Q^2}{q_\perp^2}$$

The large logs will be resummed into the exponential form factor

$$W(Q, b) = e^{-\int_{1/b}^Q \frac{d\mu}{\mu} (\ln \frac{Q}{\mu} A+B)} C \otimes f_1 C \otimes f_2$$

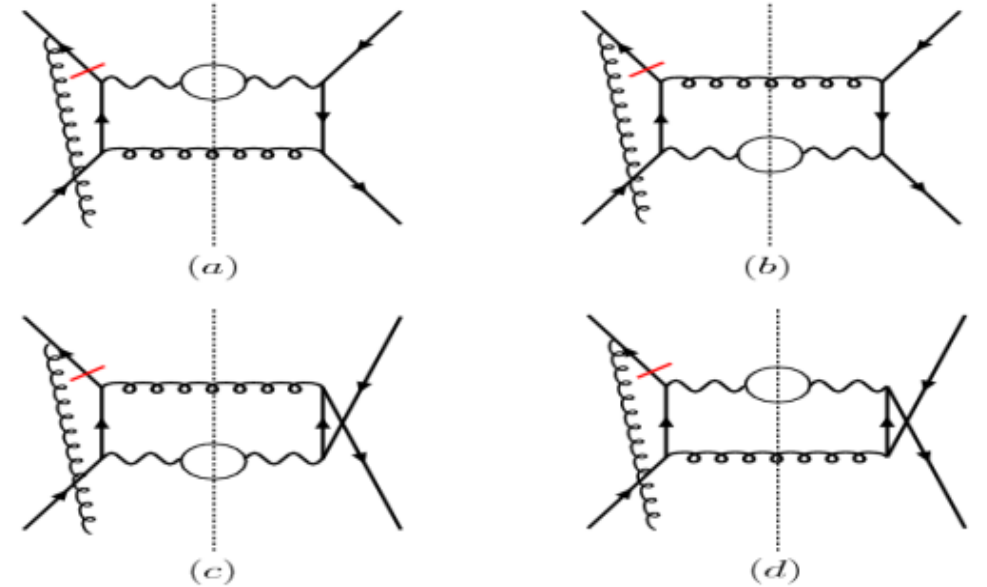
Phenomenological applications of the QCD resummation to the transverse momentum spectrum have been very successful

Resummation

Z.-B. Kang, B.-W. Xiao, and F. Yuan, Phys.Rev.Lett. 107 (2011) 152002

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma(S_{\perp})}{dydQ^2d^2q_{\perp}} = \sigma_0 \epsilon^{\alpha\beta} S_{\perp}^{\alpha} W_{UT}^{\beta}(Q; q_{\perp})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{W}_{UT}^{\alpha}(Q; b) &= e^{-S_{UT}(Q^2, b)} \widetilde{W}_{UT}^{\alpha}(C_1/b, b) \\ &= (-ib_{\perp}^{\alpha}/2) e^{-S_{UT}(Q^2, b)} \Sigma_{i,j} \\ &\quad \times \Delta C_{qi}^T \otimes f_{i/A}^{(3)}(z_1) C_{\bar{q}j} \otimes f_{j/B}(z_2) \end{aligned}$$

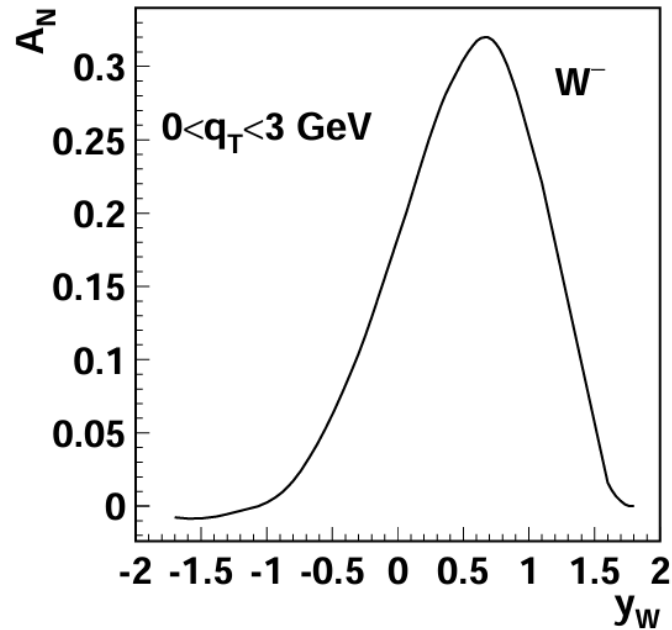


$$\begin{aligned} S_{UT}(Q^2, b) &= \int_{C_1^2/b^2}^{C_2^2 Q^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left[\ln \left(\frac{C_2^2 Q^2}{\mu^2} \right) A_{UT}(C_1; g(\mu)) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + B_{UT}(C_1, C_2; g(\mu)) \right] , \end{aligned}$$

Sudakov factor S_{UT} have the same form as that for the spin-average case

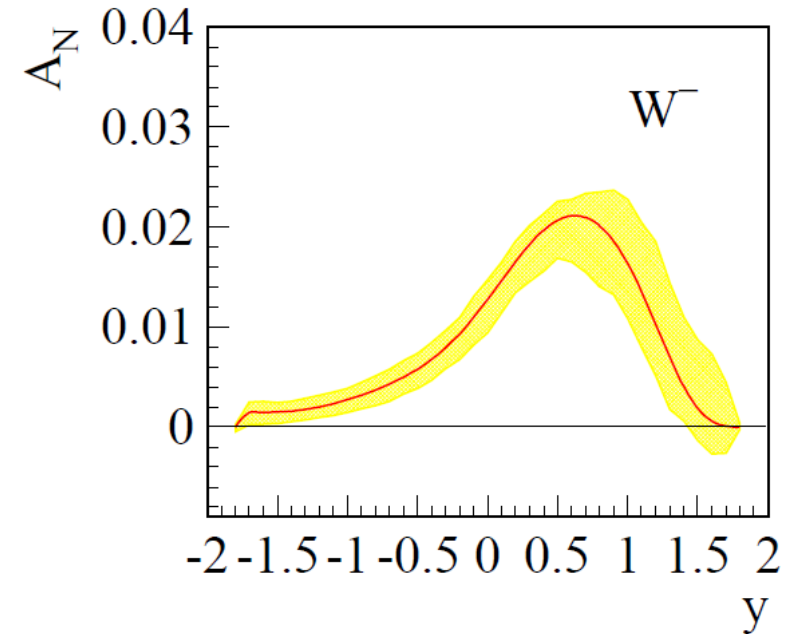
TMD evolution effect

Without TMD evolution



Z.B Kang, J.W Qiu,
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With TMD evolution



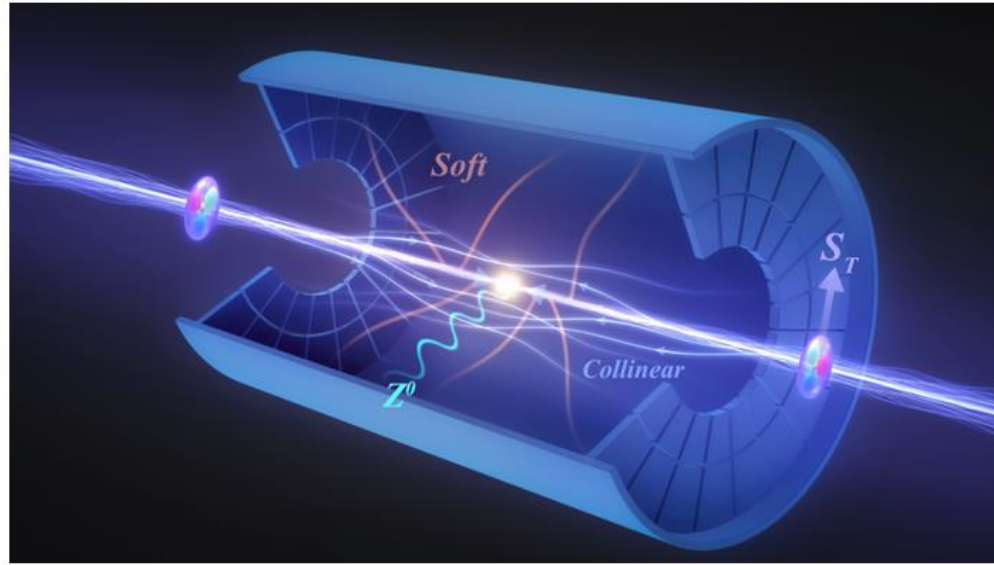
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Vitev, Phys.Rev.D 89 (2014) 074013

TMD evolution reduces the asymmetry.

How to enhance the asymmetry?

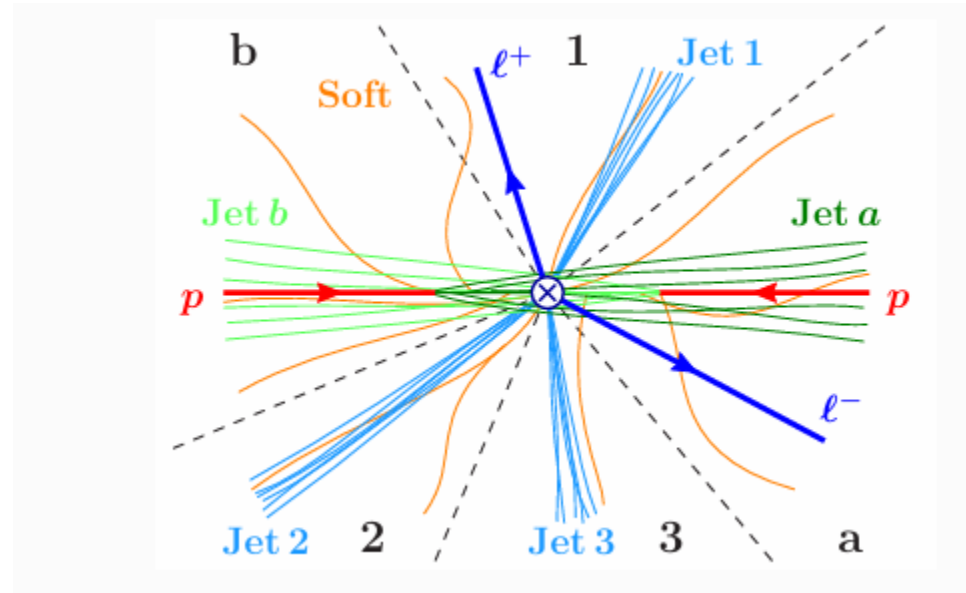
Our solution: 0-jettiness veto method

$$\tau \equiv \frac{2}{Q^2} \sum_i \min\{p_a \cdot l_i, p_b \cdot l_i\} = \sum_i \frac{|\vec{l}_{\perp,i}|}{Q} e^{|y_i - y|},$$
$$\tau < \tau_0$$



N-Jettiness

N-jettiness is a global event shape defined in terms of the beam $q_{a,b}$ and jet-directions q_j



$$\tau_N = \frac{2}{Q^2} \sum_k \min \{ q_a \cdot p_k, q_b \cdot p_k, q_1 \cdot p_k, \dots, q_N \cdot p_k \}$$

I.W. Stewart, F.J. Tackmann, W.J. Waalewijn, Phys.Rev.Lett.105:092002,2010

TMDs with 0-jettiness

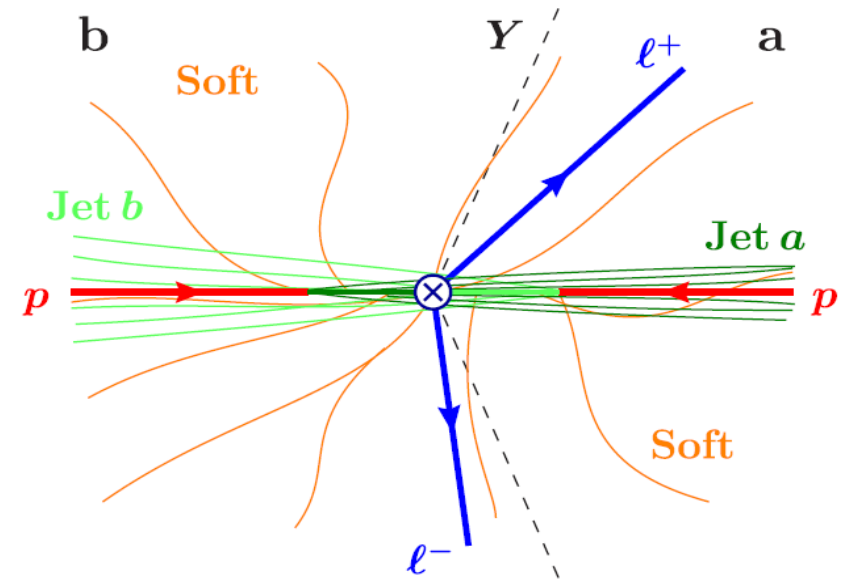
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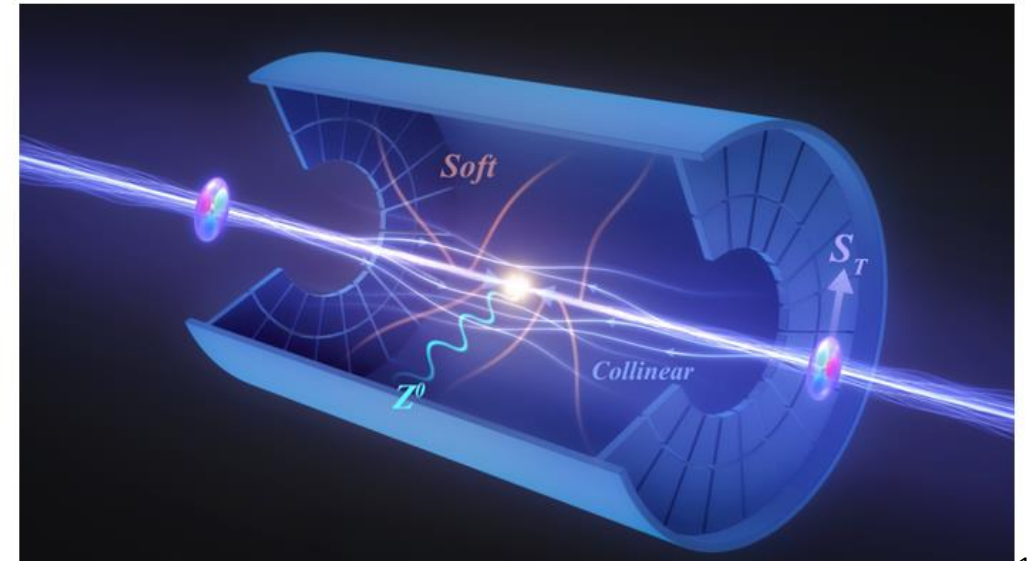
The sum runs over all particles i (excluding the gauge boson) with momentum l_i

$$\tau < \tau_0$$

- strongly suppresses central gluon radiation and effectively constrains initial state radiation.
- enhance the sensitivity to the intrinsic non-perturbative structure of TMDs



(b) Isolated Drell-Yan.



TMDs with 0-jettiness

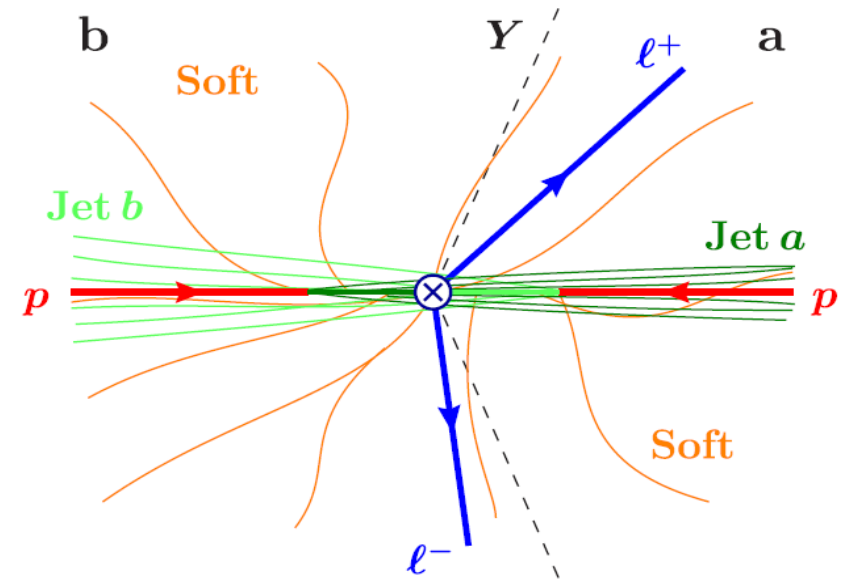
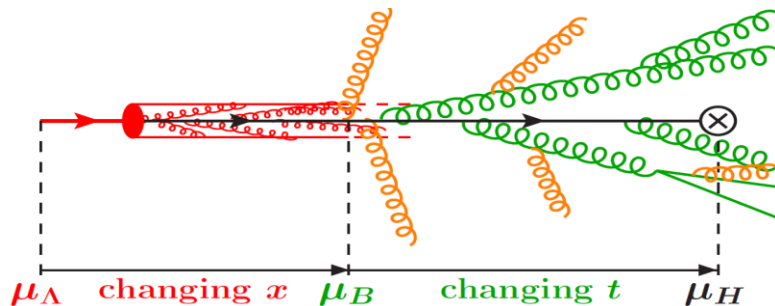
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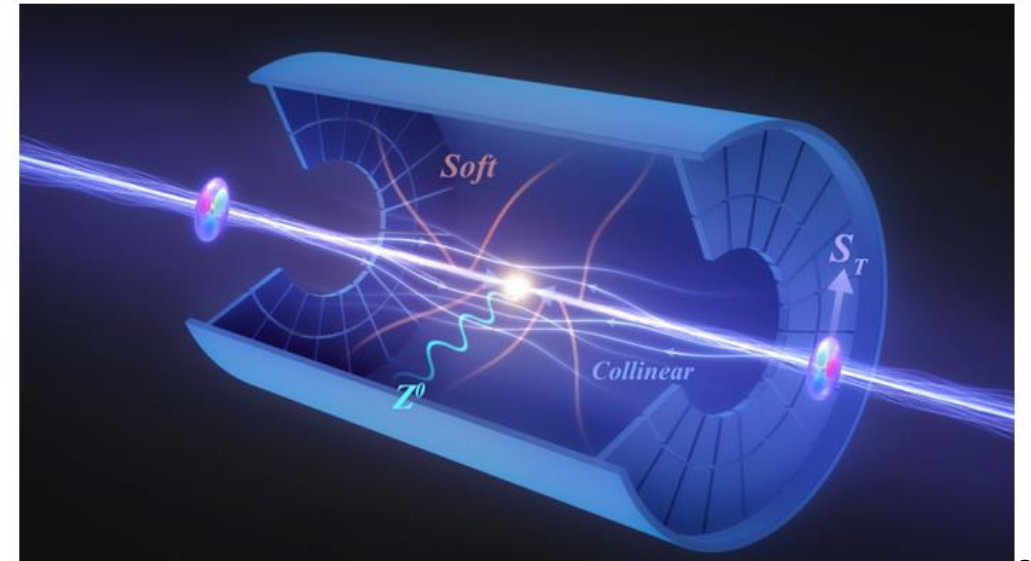
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- The restricted phase space has a significant impact on the resummation procedure



(b) Isolated Drell-Yan.



Joint resummation of TMDs with 0-jettiness

Two types of large logs: $\ln \frac{Q^2}{q_{\perp}^2}$ $\ln \frac{1}{\tau_0}$

➤ The modified Sudakov factor with vetoes:

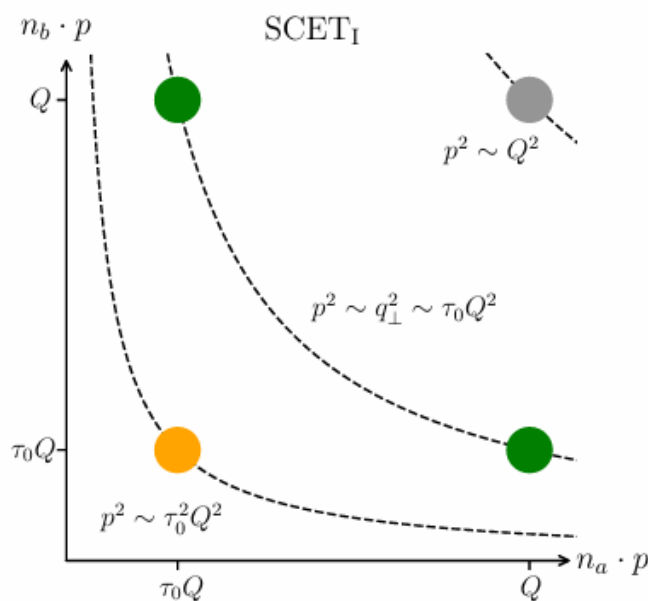
$$\frac{C_F}{\pi} \left[\int_{\mu_b^2}^t \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left(2 \ln \frac{t}{\mu^2} - \frac{3}{2} \right) - \int_{\mu_b^2}^{\tau_0 t} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \ln \frac{\tau_0 t}{\mu^2} + \int_t^{Q^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left(\ln \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} - \frac{3}{2} \right) + \int_{\tau_0 t}^t \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \ln \frac{\mu^2}{\tau_0 t} \right] \alpha_s(\mu)$$

➤ The standard Sudakov factor:

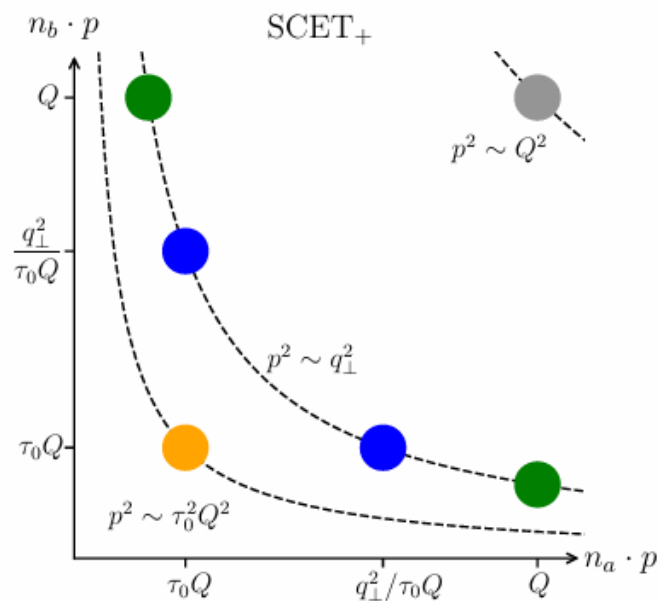
$$\frac{C_F}{\pi} \int_{\mu_b^2}^Q \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left(\ln \frac{Q}{\mu^2} - \frac{3}{2} \right) \alpha_s(\mu)$$

Formulation in SCET

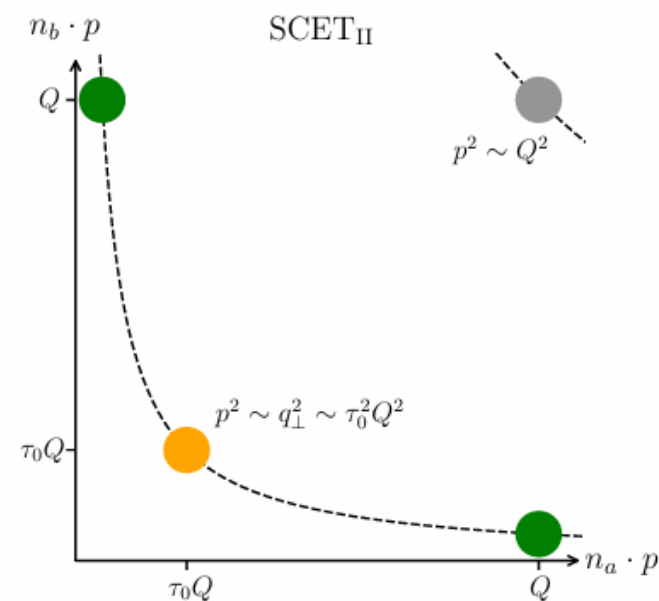
G. Lustermans, J. K. L. Michel, F. J. Tackmann, and W. J. Waalewijn, JHEP 03, 124 (2019), 1901.03331.
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$$\tau_0^2 Q^2 \ll q_\perp^2 \sim \tau_0 Q^2 \ll Q^2$$



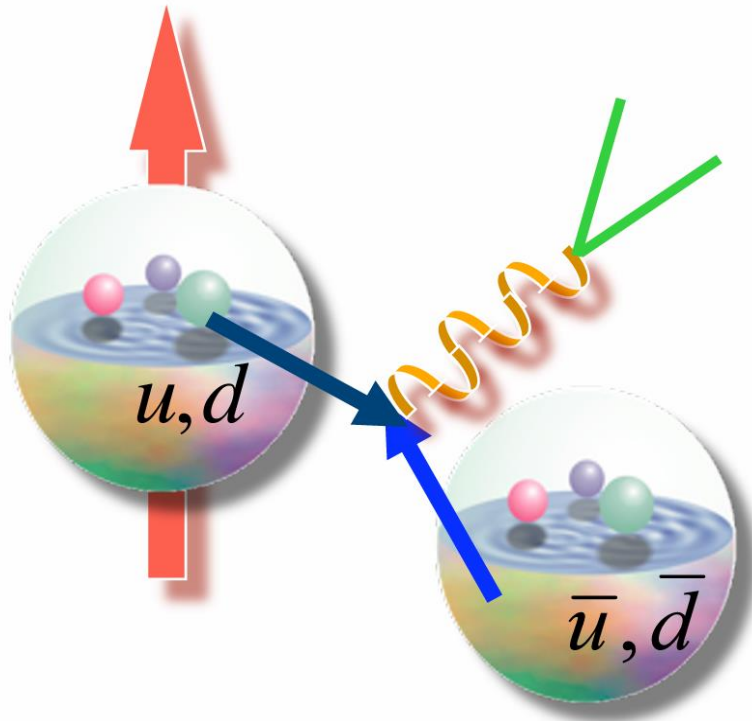
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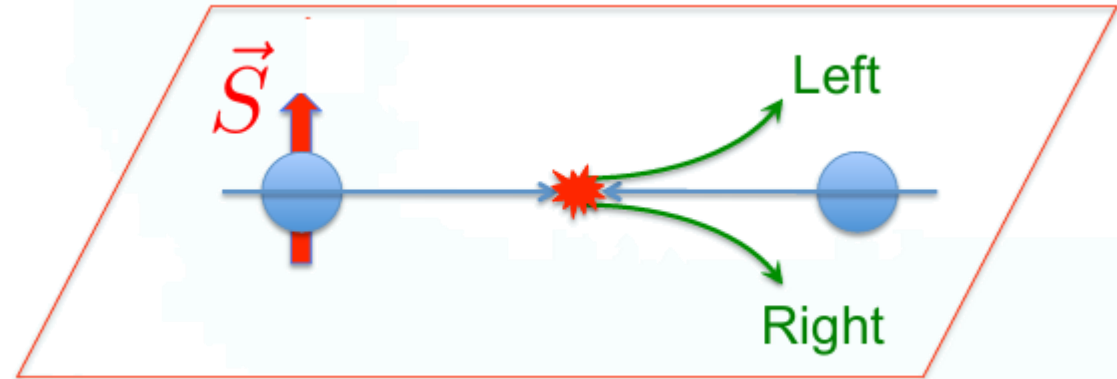
Impact of 0-jettiness on spin asymmetries

$$Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$$

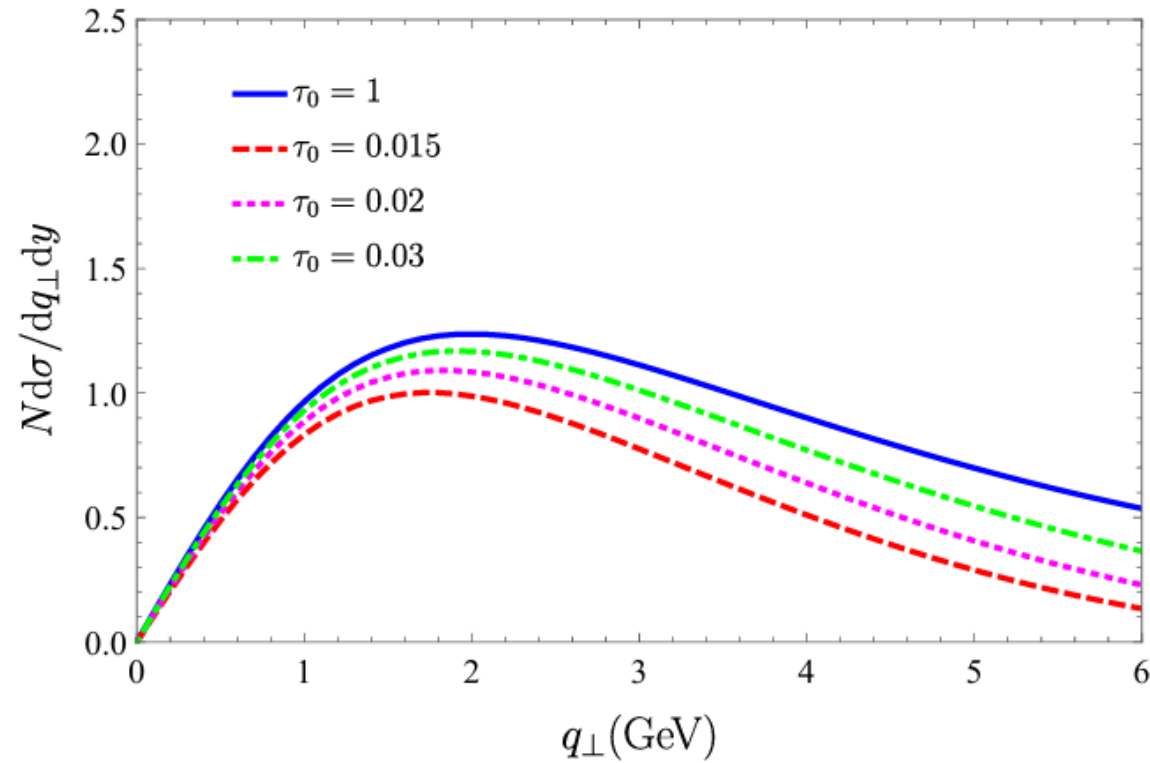


$$\frac{d\sigma_{UT}(S_{\perp})}{dy d^2\vec{q}_{\perp}} = -\sin(\phi_q - \phi_S) \sigma_0 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{b^2 db}{4\pi} J_1(b q_{\perp})$$

$$\times \sum_{q, q'} |V_{qq'}|^2 T_{F,q}(x_a, x_a, \mu_b) f_{q'}(x_b, \mu_b) e^{-S_P(b)}.$$



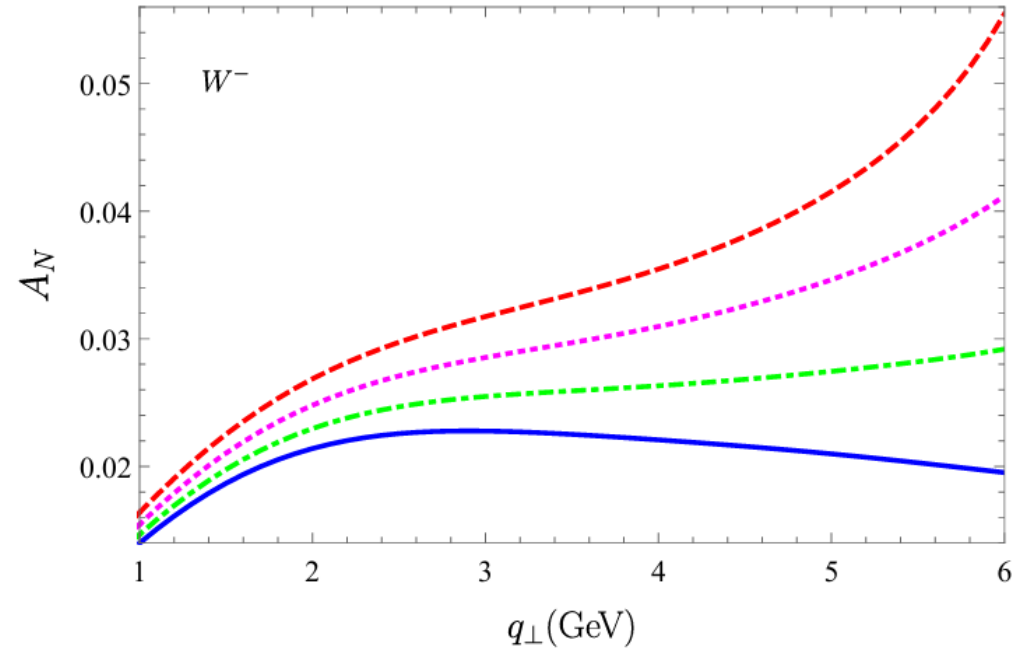
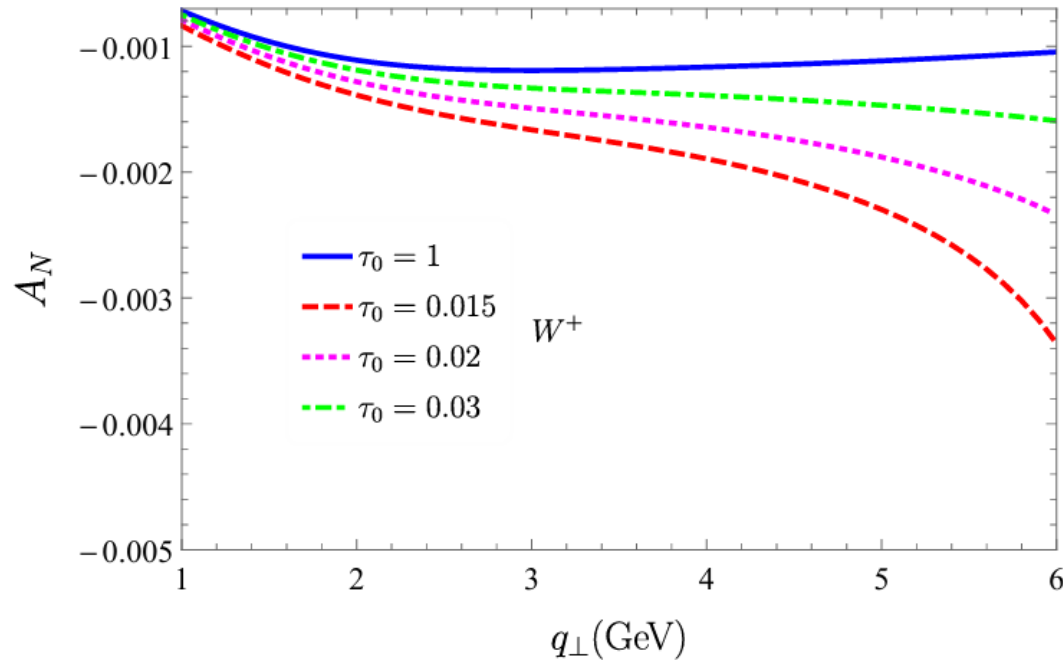
Numerical results



The normalized unpolarized cross section for Z^0 production at RHIC energy

The enhanced asymmetries

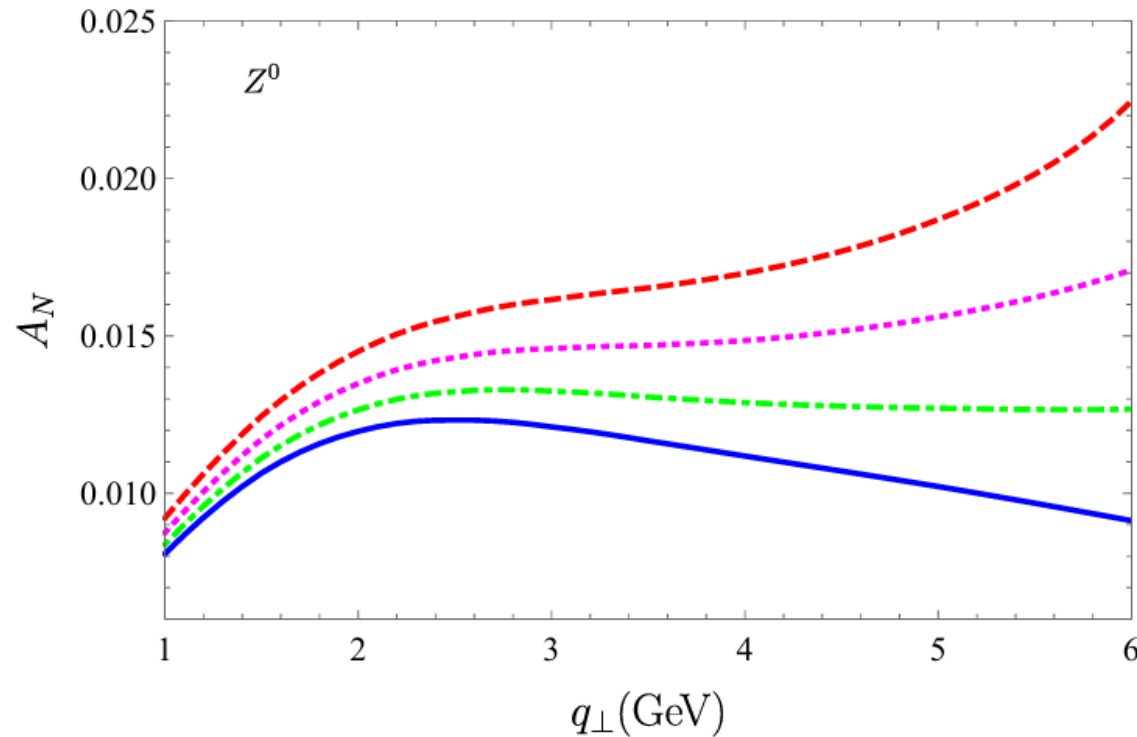
➤ Transverse single spin asymmetries in $W^\pm$ production



$$A_N = \frac{\int_0^{2\pi} d\phi_q \, 2 \sin(\phi_q - \phi_S) d\sigma_{UT}}{\int_0^{2\pi} d\phi_q d\sigma_{UU}}$$

The enhanced asymmetries

- Transverse single spin asymmetries in Z^0 production

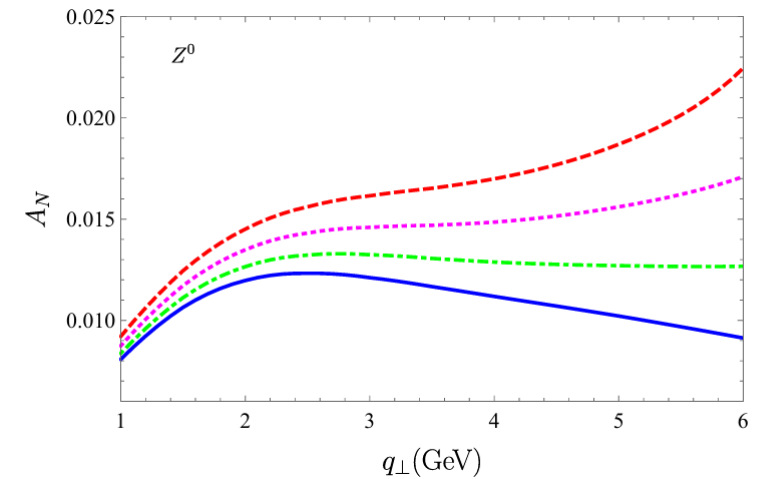
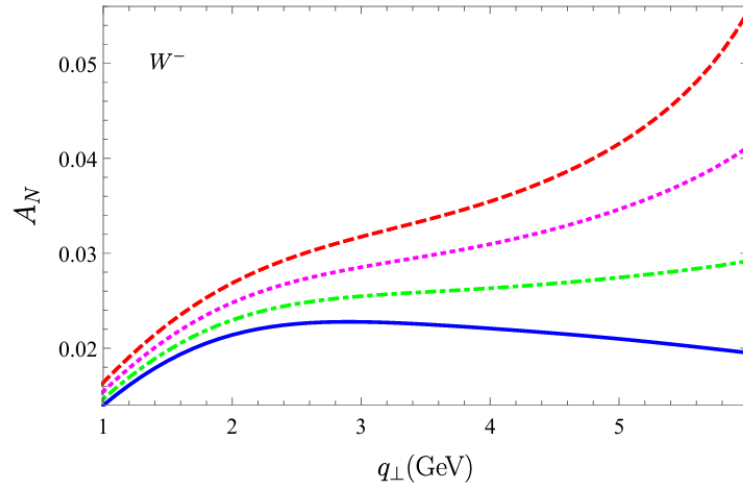
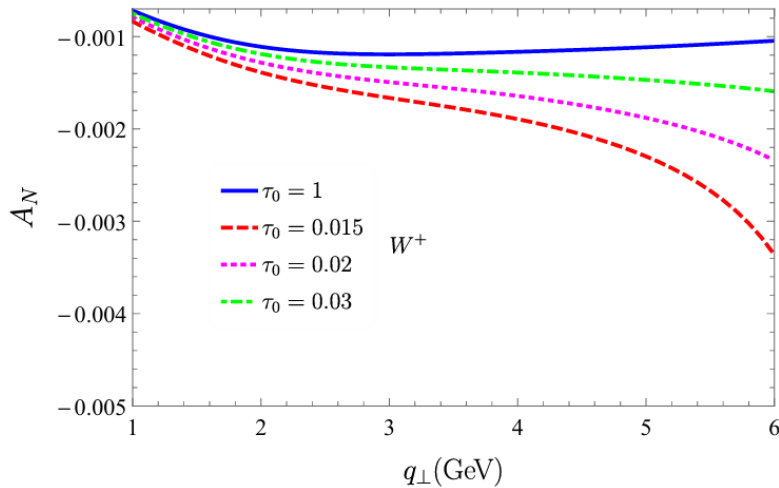


For Z^0 at $\tau_0 = 0.015$, the single-spin asymmetry is enhanced by approximately 83% at $q_{\perp} = 5\text{GeV}$

The enhanced asymmetries

$$\tau \equiv \frac{2}{Q^2} \sum_i \min\{p_a \cdot l_i, p_b \cdot l_i\} = \sum_i \frac{|\vec{l}_{\perp,i}|}{Q} e^{|y_i - y|}$$

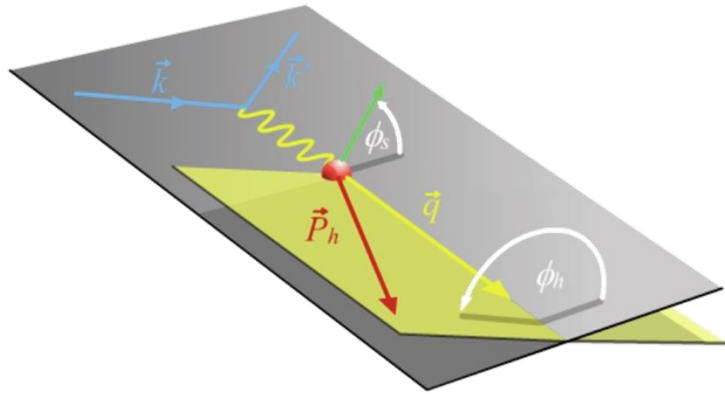
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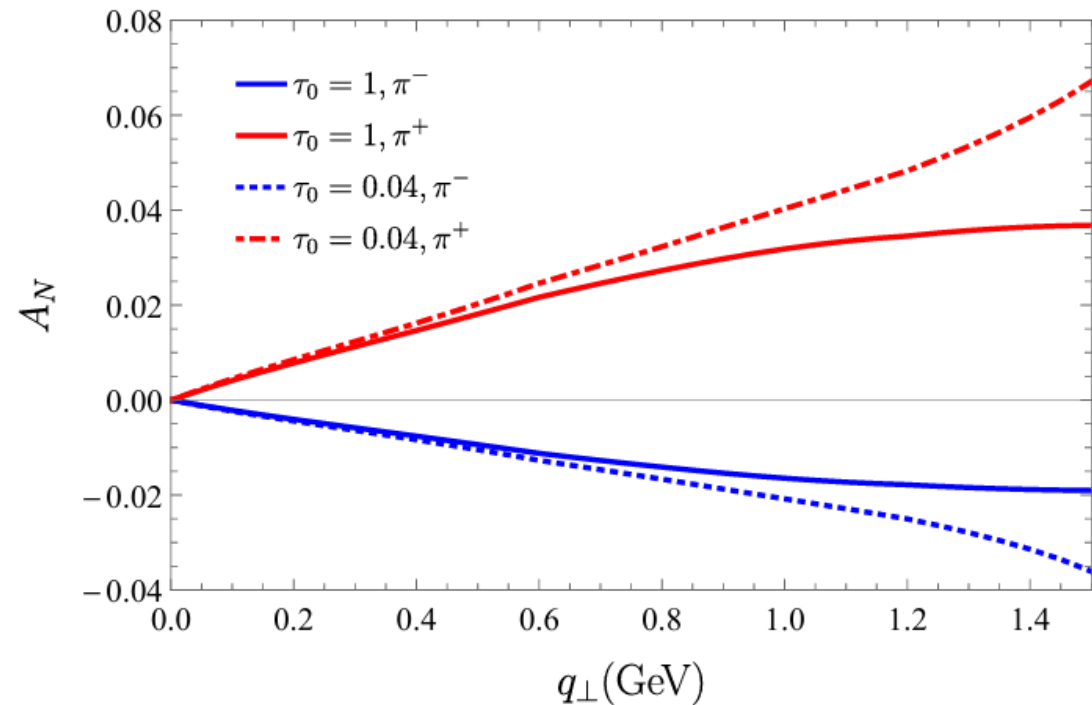
Implementing a 0-jettiness veto can significantly enhance the sensitivity of SSA measurements to the predicted sign flip of the Sivers function, thereby offering a more robust avenue for testing fundamental TMD dynamics in polarized collisions.

Single spin asymmetry in SIDIS

➤ 1-jettiness



$$\ell + p^\uparrow \rightarrow \ell' + \pi(p_T) + X$$



The results show that the asymmetries are enhanced at moderately large pion transverse momentum when the veto is applied

Summary

- Introduced a 0-jettiness veto method to suppress TMD evolution effects and probe nucleon spin structure.
- Single-spin asymmetries (SSAs) in $W^\pm/Z^0$ production at RHIC are significantly enhanced with the veto.
- Other kinematic variable to constraint events

Thanks for your attention!

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Resummation

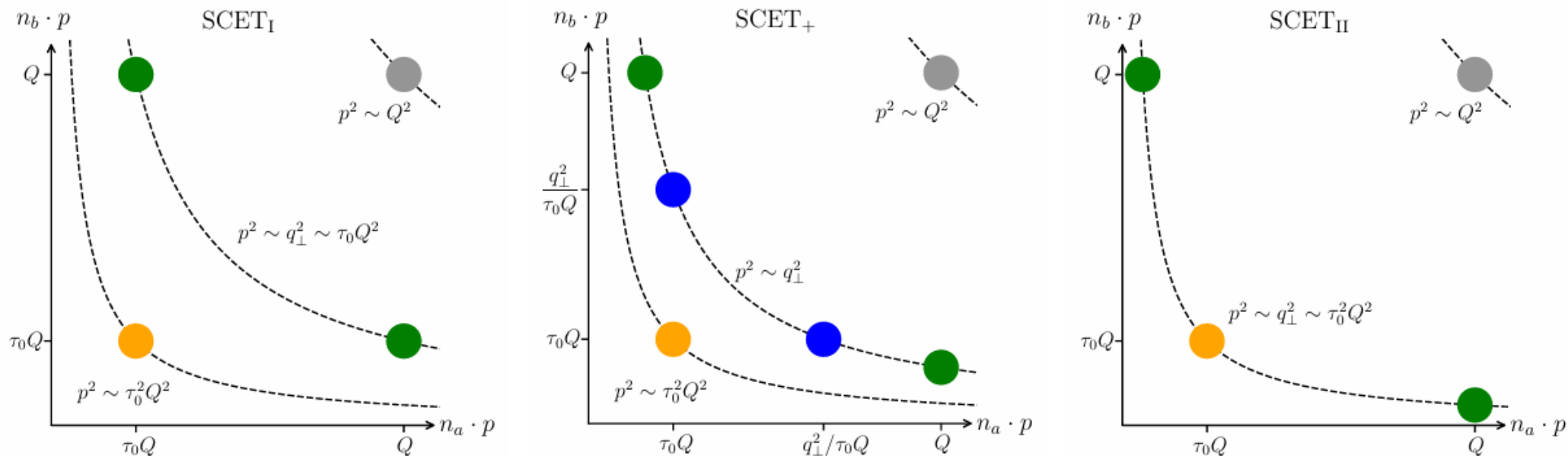
A. Idilbi, X. Ji, J.-P. Ma, F. Yuan, Phys.Rev.D 70 (2004) 074021

The scale evolution of the Sivers function at one-loop order,

$$\zeta \frac{\partial}{\partial \zeta} \partial_b^i q_T(x, b, \mu, x\zeta, \rho) = (K(b, \mu, \rho) + G(x\zeta, \mu, \rho)) \partial_b^i q_T(x, b, \mu, x\zeta, \rho)$$

K and G are the same as those for the unpolarized distribution.

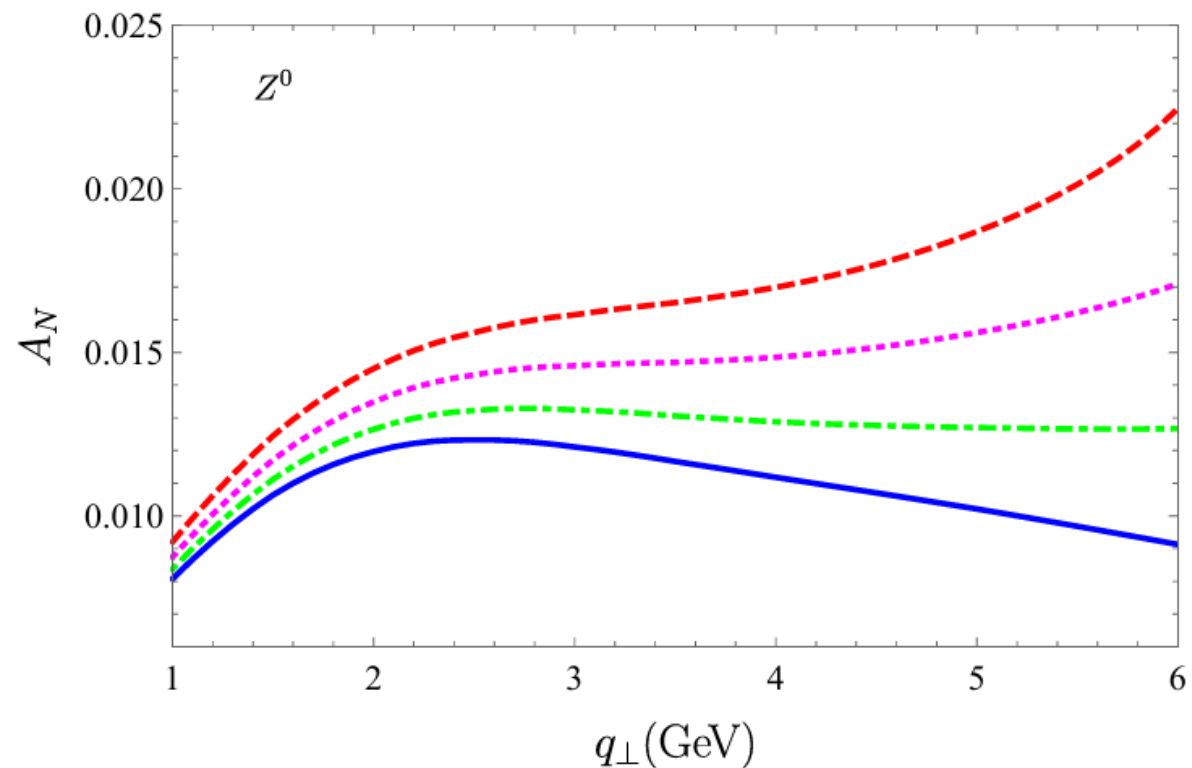
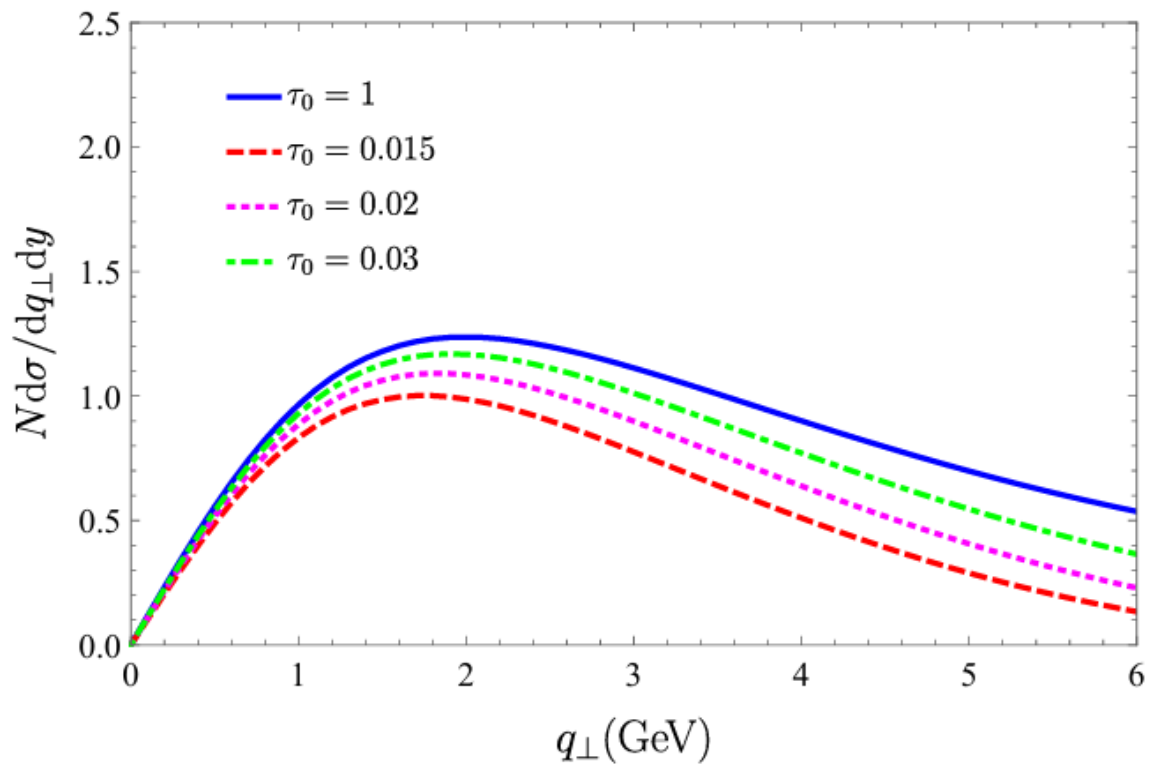
The scale evolution of polarization dependent TMDs is governed by the standard Collins–Soper equation, since the light-cone divergence have the same structure in polarized and unpolarized cases.



$$\tau_0^2 Q^2 \ll q_\perp^2 \sim \tau_0 Q^2 \ll Q^2 \quad \tau_0^2 Q^2 \ll q_\perp^2 \ll \tau_0 Q^2 \ll Q^2 \quad \tau_0^2 Q^2 \sim q_\perp^2 \ll \tau_0 Q^2 \ll Q^2;$$

We implement the transitions between these regimes using Heaviside θ functions, resulting in the final combined perturbative Sudakov factor:

$$S_P(b) = \frac{C_F}{\pi} \left[\int_{\tau_0 Q^2}^{\mu_b^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left(2 \ln \frac{\tau_0 Q^2}{\mu^2} - \frac{3}{2} \right) \theta(\mu_b^2 - \tau_0 Q^2) - \int_{\tau_0^2 Q^2}^{\mu_b^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \ln \frac{\tau_0^2 Q^2}{\mu^2} \theta(\mu_b^2 - \tau_0^2 Q^2) \right. \\ \left. + \int_{\mu_b^2}^{Q^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left(\ln \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right] \alpha_s(\mu).$$



Statistical error for $\tau_0=0.015$ increased by 27% compared to the unrestricted measurement of the SSA in Z^0 production.

The SSA is enhanced by approximately 42% in the same kinematic region.

Despite the statistical cost, the overall sensitivity of the analysis improves.