

QCD challenges at the LHC

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Opportunities and ideas at the QCD Frontier

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QCD in the future

In the FUTURE

Perturbative: Amplitudes, Amplitudes, Amplitudes... Numerical: Hamiltonian Truncation, Q-Computers Lorentzian-fragmentation, diffraction,...



David Gross: Fifty Years of Quantum Chromodynamics

强子的碎裂机制?







Polarized fragmentation functions

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$$\tilde{f}_{i/p_S}^{[\Gamma]0(u)}(x, \mathbf{b}_T, \epsilon, \tau, xP^+) =$$

$$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}b^{-}}{2\pi} e^{-ib^{-}(xP^{+})} \left\langle p(P,S) \middle| \left[\bar{\psi}^{i}(b^{\mu}) W_{\Box}(b^{\mu},0) \frac{\Gamma}{2} \psi^{i}(0) \right]_{\tau} \middle| p(P,S) \right\rangle$$



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TMD handbook 2304.03302

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$$f_{i/p_{s}}^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}, \mu, \zeta) = S_{L} g_{1}(x, k_{T}) - \frac{k_{T} \cdot S_{T}}{M} g_{1T}^{\perp}(x, k_{T}),$$

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$$- \frac{\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}}{M^{2}} \left(\frac{1}{2} g_{T}^{\alpha\rho} + \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\rho}}{\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}}\right) S_{T\rho} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x, k_{T}) - \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\rho} k_{T\rho}}{M} \kappa h_{1}^{\perp}(x, k_{T})$$

Transverse momentum distributions of quarks

• Three classical processes used to probe quark TMDs



• Typical "two-scale" problem:

transverse momentum of final particle (q_T) << scattering energy (Q)

• Theory tools: factorization theorem; renormalization group evolution; effective field theory ...

QCD factorization

Collinear factorization

$$\sigma_{\text{DIS}} \propto \left| \frac{\int_{q} \frac{d}{\partial e_{p}}}{\int_{P} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}}} \right|^{2} \approx \left| \frac{\int_{p} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}}}{\int_{P} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}}} \right|^{2} \approx \left| \frac{\int_{q} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}}}{\int_{Q} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}}} \right|^{2} \approx \left| \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \right|^{2} \approx \left| \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \right|^{2} \approx \left| \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \frac{d}{\partial e_{i}} \right|^{2} = \sum_{i} e_{i}^{2} \left\{ \frac{2\alpha^{2}}{Q^{2}s} \left[\frac{1 + (1 - y)^{2}}{y^{2}} \right] \right\} f_{i/p}(x)$$
$$= \sum_{i} f_{i/p} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{i}.$$

TMD factorization



QCD fragmentation functions

In QCD, fragmentation is described by fragmentation functions (FFs) defined via the quarkquark correlator

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\Delta}_{h/i}^{[\Gamma]0(\mathbf{u})}(z,\mathbf{b}_{T},\epsilon,\tau,P^{+}/z) &= \frac{1}{4N_{c}z} \mathrm{Tr} \int \frac{\mathrm{d}b^{-}}{2\pi} \sum_{X} e^{ib^{-}(P^{+}/z)} \Gamma_{\alpha\alpha'}^{+} \\ &\times \left\langle 0 \Big| \big[(W_{\perp}\psi_{i}^{0\alpha})(b) \big]_{\tau} \Big| h(P,S), X \right\rangle \left\langle h(P,S), X \Big| \big[(\bar{\psi}_{i}^{0\alpha'}W_{\neg})(0) \big]_{\tau} \Big| 0 \right\rangle \\ \Delta_{h/i}(z,\mathbf{p}_{T} = -z\mathbf{p}_{T}',\mu,\zeta) &= \int \frac{\mathrm{d}^{2}\mathbf{b}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{2}} e^{-i\mathbf{p}_{T}'\cdot\mathbf{b}_{T}} \tilde{\Delta}_{h/i}(z,\mathbf{b}_{T},\mu,\zeta) \end{split}$$

		Quark Polarization				
		Un-Polarized (U)	Longitudinally Polarized (L)	Transversely Polarized (T)		
Unpolarized (or Spin 0) Hadrons		$D_1 = \bigcirc$ Unpolarized		$H_1^{\perp} = \underbrace{\uparrow}_{\text{Collins}} - \underbrace{\downarrow}_{\text{Collins}}$		
Polarized Hadrons	L		$G_1 = \underbrace{\bullet }_{\text{Helicity}} - \underbrace{\bullet }_{\text{Helicity}}$	$H_{1L}^{\perp} = \underbrace{\checkmark}_{\text{Worm-gear}} $		
	т	$D_{1T}^{\perp} = \underbrace{\bullet}^{\uparrow}_{\text{Sivers-type}} - \underbrace{\bullet}_{\downarrow}$	$G_{1T}^{\perp} = \underbrace{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\bullet}}_{\text{Worm-gear}} - \underbrace{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\bullet}}_{\text{Worm-gear}}$	$H_{1} = \underbrace{\downarrow}_{\text{Transversity}} - \underbrace{\uparrow}_{\text{Transversity}} \\ H_{1T}^{\perp} = \underbrace{\uparrow}_{\text{Pretzelosity}} - \underbrace{\checkmark}_{\text{C}} $		
→ Hadron Spin (→ Quark Spin [Figure from TMD Handbook]						

TMD FFs

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Twist-2 TMD FFs defined via quark-quark correlator



Leading twist (twist 2)

D, G, H: quark un-, longitudinally, transversely polarized

quark	polariz hadron	ation pictorially	TMD FFs (8)	integrated over $k_{F\perp}$	name
	U		$D_1(z,k_{F\perp})$	$D_1(z)$	number density
U	Т	• - •	$D_{1T}^{\perp}(z,k_{F\perp})$	×	Sivers-type function
T	L		$G_{1L}(z,k_{F\perp})$	$G_{1L}(z)$	spin transfer (longitudinal)
L	Т	-	$G_{1T}^{\perp}(x,k_{\perp})$	×	
	U	() – ()	$H_1^{\perp}(z,k_{F\perp})$	×	Collins function
	T (//)	-	$H_{1T}(z,k_{F\perp})$	$H_{1T}(z)$	spin transfer (transverse)
T	$T(\perp)$	2 - 2	$H_{1T}^{\perp}(z,k_{F\perp})$		
	L	?→ - 	$H_{1L}^{\perp}(z,k_{F\perp})$	×	

Λ polarization



弱衰变, 宇称破坏

$$\frac{dN}{d\Omega^*} = \frac{N}{4\pi} (1 + \alpha_H P_H \cos\theta^*)$$



) → Hadron Spin

One of the most important discoveries in QCD and hadron physics over the past decades is the measurements of large spin asymmetries

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Transverse Quark Polarization in Large- p_T Reactions, e^+e^- Jets, and Leptoproduction: A Test of Quantum Chromodynamics

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quarks. We discuss how to test the predictions. At least for the cases when P is small, tests should be available soon in large- p_T production [where currently $P(\Lambda) = 25\%$ for $p_T \gtrsim 2 \text{ GeV}/c$], and e^+e^- reactions. While fragmentation effects could dilute polarizations, they cannot (by parity considerations) induce polarization. Consequently, observation of significant polarizations in the above reactions would contradict either QCD or its applicability.

Proton-proton

EXP on transverse Apolarization a long history



Transverse Λ polarization in electron positron collisions

Simplest anthe cheanest way to access fragmentation functions

Simplest and cleanest process



Want to test Universality Belle Transverse Λ polarization at the LEP

OPAL '97



No significant transverse polarization is observed at the LEP

Transverse Λ polarization at the Belle



Belle '18 PRL





 $e^+e^- \to \Lambda^{\uparrow}(\text{Thrust}) X$

 $e^+e^- \to \Lambda^\uparrow \, h \, X$

Back-to-back Λ+h fragmentation TMD Factorization

TMD factorization theorems for back-to-back

 $e^{-}(\ell) + e^{+}(\ell') \to \gamma^{*}(q) \to h(P_h) + \Lambda(P_\Lambda, S_\perp) + X$







Spin-dependent cross section is factorized as:

$$\frac{d\sigma\left(\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}\right)}{d\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}d^{2}\boldsymbol{q}_{\perp}} = \sigma_{0}\left\{\mathcal{F}\left[D_{\Lambda/q}D_{h/\bar{q}}\right] + |\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\sin\left(\phi_{S}-\phi_{\Lambda}\right)\frac{1}{z_{\Lambda}M_{\Lambda}}\mathcal{F}\left[\hat{\boldsymbol{P}}_{\Lambda T}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\Lambda\perp}D_{1T,\Lambda/q}^{\perp}D_{h/\bar{q}}\right] + \cdots\right\}$$

PFFs: Polarizing Fragmentation Functions

Fitting of PFFs from Λ+h data

Chen, Liang, Pan, Song, Wei '21

Kang, Terry, Vossen, Xu, Zhang '21







... ...

Light bands: the uncertainty from the fit to Belle data

Dark bands: the simultaneous fit of the Belle data and the EIC pseudo-data

Theory framework on transiverse trapotanization ocess

$$e^+e^- \to \Lambda^{\uparrow} h X$$
 $e^+e^- \to \Lambda^{\uparrow} (\text{Thr})$

Collins-Soper-Sterman, Ji-Ma-Yuan, Soft-Collinear Effective Theory... ... $e^+e^-
ightarrow \Lambda^{\uparrow}(\text{Thrust}) X$???

TMD factorization two scale problem

 $\Lambda_{QCD} \lesssim j_\perp \ll Q$

Is it the same (polarizing) fragmentation function in these two measurements ???

TMD factorization for Λ(thrust)



Parton fragmentation and hadronization





From short to long distances in quantum field theory

$$J(\text{ scale }\mu_2) \sim J(\text{ scale }\mu_1) \exp\left[\int_{\mu_1}^{\mu_2} \frac{d\mu'}{\mu'} \int dx P(x, \alpha_s(\mu'))\right]$$

"Jets from Quantum Chromodynamics" Sterman & Weinberg '77

TMD factorization formula on the jet broadening

(Becher, Rahn, DYS '17 JHEP)

Definition of the broadening:

$$b_N = \sum_{i \in jets} \left| \vec{p}_i^{\perp} \right|$$



Construction of the theory formalism $b_N \ll Q$

- Two scales in the problem
- Rely on effective field theory: SCET + Jet Effective Theory (Becher, Neubert, Rothen, DYS '16 PRL)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{db_N} = \sum_{f=q,\bar{q},g} \int db_N^s \int d^{d-2} p_N^{\perp} \mathcal{J}_f\left(b_N - b_N^s, p_N^{\perp}\right) \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \left\langle \mathcal{H}_m^f(\{\underline{n}\}, Q) \otimes \mathcal{S}_m\left(\{\underline{n}\}, b_N^s, -p_N^{\perp}\right) \right\rangle$$

Rapidity divergence cancellation is verified at two-loop order !!!

Factorization on single hadron unpolarized TMDs

Case-I: $e^-e^+ \rightarrow h_1h_2 + X$ $\frac{d\sigma}{d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T} \sim H \otimes D_{h_1} \otimes D_{h_2} \otimes S$ Global observable, standard TMD factorization Collins, "Foundations of perturbative QCD" **Case-II:** $e^-e^+ \rightarrow h + X$ $rac{d\sigma}{d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T} \sim D_h \otimes \sum_m \mathcal{H}_m \otimes \mathcal{S}_m$ Kang, DYS, Zhao '20 JHEP Non-global observable; new TMD factorization hard: $p_h \sim Q(1, 1, 1)$ collinear: $p_c \sim Q(\lambda^2, 1, \lambda)$ $\lambda = j_T/Q \ll 1$ **soft**: $p_s \sim Q(\lambda, \lambda, \lambda)$ **NLO hard function: NLO soft function:** $\frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi^2} \frac{e^{\epsilon \gamma_E}}{\Gamma(1-\epsilon)} \int \frac{dk^+ dk^-}{2} \left(\frac{\mu^2}{\vec{\lambda}_T^2}\right)^{\epsilon} \frac{2n \cdot \bar{n}}{k^+ k^-} \delta^+ (k^+ k^- - \vec{\lambda}_T^2) \left|\frac{\nu}{2k_z}\right|^{\eta} \theta \left(1 - \frac{k^+}{k^-}\right)$ $= \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} C_F \left[\frac{2}{\eta} \left(-\frac{1}{\epsilon} - \ln\left(\frac{\mu^2}{\mu_b^2}\right)\right) + \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} - \frac{1}{\epsilon} \ln\left(\frac{\nu^2}{\mu^2}\right)\right]$ Divergences are half of the hard function in case-I Divergences are half of the soft function in case-I

Numerical results

Kang, DYS, Zhao '20 JHEP



- Our TMD resummation formula gives a good description of the shape of *j*_T distribution as z_h < 0.65
- As z_h > 0.65, one needs to also include threshold resummation effects

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dz_h d^2 \vec{j}_T} \propto \frac{1}{\pi \sigma_{j_T}^2} \exp\left(-j_T^2/\sigma_{j_T}^2\right)$$



Joint threshold and TMD factorization

Kang, DYS, Zhao '20 JHEP

Joint factorization: $z_h \rightarrow 1$ & $j_T \ll Q$

Joint TMD and threshold resummation is first developed in Li '98 & Laenen, Sterman, Vogelsang '01

in the threshold region, a new mode: collinear-soft (c-soft) modes contribute









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- The Gaussian width of the j_T distribution given by the TMD formalism freeze to a certain value.
- After including joint threshold and TMD resummation effects, the theoretical predictions are consistent with the data

Factorization on transverse polarized Λ hyperon production with the thrust axis

Gamberg, Kang, DYS, Terry, Zhao '21 PLB



$$P_{\perp}^{\Lambda}(z_{\Lambda}, j_{\perp}) = \left. \frac{d\Delta\sigma}{dz_{\Lambda}d^{2}\boldsymbol{j}_{\perp}} \right/ \left. \frac{d\sigma}{dz_{\Lambda}d^{2}\boldsymbol{j}_{\perp}} \right)$$

Theory results are consistent with Belle data



This result provides proof of principle that the experimental data can be described using the factorization and resummation formalism that we have introduced.

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Twist-3 theory formula including QCD evolution

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\Delta\sigma}{dz_{\Lambda} d^2 p_{\Lambda\perp}} &= -\sin(\phi_s - \phi_{\Lambda}) \frac{2N_c \alpha_{\rm em}^2}{Q^4 z_{\Lambda}} \left(\frac{4M_{\Lambda}}{Q}\right) \frac{p_{\Lambda\perp}}{Q} \\ &\times \frac{1}{z_{\Lambda}^3} \sum_q e_q^2 \frac{D_{T,\Lambda/q}(z_{\Lambda},Q)}{z_{\Lambda}} \,. \end{aligned}$$
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z_{\Lambda}} D_{T,\Lambda/q}(z_{\Lambda},Q) &= -\left(1 - z_{\Lambda} \frac{d}{dz_{\Lambda}}\right) D_{1T,\Lambda/q}^{\perp(1)}(z_{\Lambda},Q) \\ &- 2\int_0^1 d\beta \frac{\Im \left[\hat{D}_{FT}^{qg}(z_{\Lambda},Q,\beta)\right]}{(1 - \beta)^2} \,. \end{aligned}$$

Theory predictions



Transverse Lambda polarization and jet charge

(Gamberg, Kang, DYS, Terry, Zhao in progress)

As shown in (Kang, Liu, Mantry, DYS '20 PRL), the jet charge observable is a novel probe of flavor structure for the hadron spin



Thrust and Jet measurements are closely related Want to test Universality Belle BeS BaBar + EIC



Drawing by Zhong-Bo Kang

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$$\begin{split} \frac{d\sigma^{p(S_A)+e(\lambda_c)\to e+(jet h(S_h))+X}}{dp_T^2 dy_J d^2 q_T dz_h d^2 j_\perp} &= F_{UU,U} + \cos(\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h) F_{UU,U}^{\cos(\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h)} \\ &+ \lambda_p \Big\{ \lambda_e F_{LL,U} + \sin(\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h) F_{LU,U}^{\sin(\phi_q - \phi_h)} \Big\} \\ &+ S_T \Big\{ \sin(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A}) F_{TU,U}^{\sin(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A})} + \lambda_e \cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A}) F_{TL,U}^{\cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A})} \\ &+ \sin(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h) F_{TU,U}^{\sin(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h)} + \sin(2\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h - \phi_{S_A}) F_{TU,U}^{\sin(2\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h - \phi_{S_A})} \Big\} \\ &+ \lambda_h \Big\{ \lambda_e F_{UL,L} + \sin(\hat{\phi}_h - \phi_q) F_{UU,L}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_q)} + \lambda_p \Big[F_{LU,L} + \cos(\hat{\phi}_h - \phi_q) F_{LU,L}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_q)} \Big] \\ &+ S_T \Big[\cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A}) F_{TU,L}^{\cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A})} + \lambda_e \sin(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A}) F_{TL,L}^{\pi} \\ &+ \cos(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h) F_{TU,L}^{\cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A})} + \lambda_e \sin(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h) F_{TU,L}^{\cos(2\phi_q - \phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h)} \Big] \Big\} \\ &+ S_{h\perp} \Big\{ \sin(\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{UU,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_A})} + \lambda_e \cos(\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{UL,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h)} F_{UU,T}^{\pi} \\ &+ \sin(\hat{\phi}_{S_h} - \phi_q) F_{UU,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} + \lambda_e (2\phi_q - \phi_{S_h} - \phi_q) F_{UU,T}^{\sin(2\phi_h - \phi_{S_h} - \phi_q)} \\ &+ \lambda_p \Big[\cos(\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{UU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h} - \phi_q)} + \lambda_e \sin(\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{LL,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \Big] \Big\} \\ + S_T \Big[\cos(\phi_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{UU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h} - \phi_q)} + \lambda_e \sin(\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{UL,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \\ &+ \cos(2\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h} - \phi_q)} + \lambda_e \sin(\hat{\phi}_h - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{U,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \right] \\ + S_T \Big[\cos(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_{S_h}) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_A - \phi_{S_h} - \phi_{S_h})} + \cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_h}) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} + \cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_h}) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} + \cos(\phi_q - \phi_{S_h}) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \sin(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A}) \\ &+ \cos((\phi_h - \phi_{S_h}) \sin(\phi_q - \phi_{S_A}) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \sin(\phi_{\phi_A - \phi_{S_h})} \\ &+ \cos((\phi_h - \phi_{S_h}) \sin(\phi_{S_A} - \phi_q) F_{TU,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \sin(\phi_{S_A} - \phi_q) \\ &+ \lambda_e \cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h}) \sin(\phi_{S_A} - \phi_q) F_{TL,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \sin(\phi_{S_A} - \phi_q) \\ &+ \lambda_e \sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h}) \cos(\phi_{S_A} - \phi_q) F_{TL,T}^{\cos(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h})} \sin(\phi_{S_A} - \phi_q) \\ &+ \lambda_e \sin(\phi_h - \phi_{S_h}) \cos(\phi_{S_A}$$

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PDF JFF	$ ilde{f}_1$	$ ilde{f}_{1T}^{\perp(1)}$	\widetilde{g}_{1L}	${ ilde g}_{1T}^{(1)}$
\mathcal{D}_1	1	$\sin(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$	1	$\cos(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$
\mathcal{D}_{1T}^{\perp}	$\sin(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})$	$\sin(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})\sin(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$	$\sin(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})$	$\sin(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})\cos(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$
\mathcal{G}_{1L}	1	$\sin(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$	1	$\cos(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$
\mathcal{G}_{1T}	$\cos(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})$	$\cos(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})\sin(\phi_{S_A}-\phi_q)$	$\cos(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})$	$\cos(\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h})\cos(\phi_q-\phi_{S_A})$
PDF JFF	$ ilde{h}_1^{\perp(1)}$	$ ilde{h}_{1L}^{\perp(1)}$	$ ilde{h}_1$	$ ilde{h}_{1T}^{\perp(2)}$
\mathcal{H}_1^\perp	$\cos(\hat{\phi}_h-\phi_q)$	$\sin(\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h)$	$\sin(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h)$	$\sin(2\phi_q-\hat{\phi}_h-\phi_{S_A})$
\mathcal{H}_{1L}^{\perp}	$\sin(\hat{\phi}_h-\phi_q)$	$\cos(\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h)$	$\cos(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_h)$	$\cos(2\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_h - \phi_{S_A})$
\mathcal{H}_1	$\sin(\hat{\phi}_{S_h}-\phi_q)$	$\cos(\phi_q - \hat{\phi}_{S_h})$	$\cos(\phi_{S_A} - \hat{\phi}_{S_h})$	$\cos(2\phi_q-\hat{\phi}_{S_h}-\phi_{S_A})$
\mathcal{H}_{1T}^{\perp}	$\sin(2\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h}-\phi_q)$	$\cos(2\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h}-\phi_q)$	$\cos(2\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h}-\phi_{S_A})$	$\cos(2\hat{\phi}_h-\hat{\phi}_{S_h}+\phi_{S_A}-2\phi_q)$

Spin Asymmetries in Electron-jet Production at the EIC

Kang, Lee, DYS, Zhao '21 '22 JHEP

We present a general theoretical framework for the hadron distribution in a jet, where both incoming particles and outgoing hadrons inside the jet have general polarizations.

$$p(p_A, S_A) + e(p_B, \lambda_e) \rightarrow \left[\operatorname{jet}(p_C) h(z_h, \boldsymbol{j}_\perp, \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp})\right] + e(p_D) + X$$

We investigate all possible azimuthal asymmetries.



Polarized event shape

Spin asymmetry of EEC in the large angle limit

- Many spin asymmetries arise from the azimuthal correlations
- Azimuthal angle dependence in the small angle limit Chen, Moult, & Zhu '20; Li, Liu, Yuan, Zhu '23
- Fracture Functions Chen, Ma, Tong '24
- NEEC, long-range azimuthal correlation and entanglement Guo, Liu, Yuan, Zhu '24
- We extend the EEC in the back-to-back by considering azimuthal asymmetries associated with the EEC Kang, Lee, DYS, Zhao '23

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_{\rm tot}} \frac{d\Sigma_{\rm e^+e^-}}{d\tau d\phi} = \frac{\left\langle \mathcal{OE}\left(\vec{n}_1\right) \mathcal{E}\left(\vec{n}_2\right) \mathcal{O}^{\dagger} \right\rangle}{\left\langle \mathcal{OO}^{\dagger} \right\rangle}$$

$$\operatorname{EEC}_{e^+e^-}(\tau,\phi) \equiv \frac{d\Sigma_{e^+e^-}}{d\tau d\phi} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{1,2} \int d\sigma z_1 z_2 \,\delta\left(\tau - \frac{1 + \cos\theta_{12}}{2}\right) \delta(\phi - \phi_{12})$$

Azimuthal dependent EEC in e⁺e⁻

• The standard TMD factorization for the back-to-back di-hadron process

$$\begin{split} \frac{d\sigma}{dz_{i}dz_{j}d^{2}\boldsymbol{q}_{T}} &= \sigma_{0}\,H(Q,\mu)\sum_{q}e_{q}^{2}\int d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{1\perp}d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{2\perp}d^{2}\boldsymbol{\lambda}_{\perp}\delta^{2}\left(\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{1\perp}}{z_{1}}+\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{2\perp}}{z_{2}}-\boldsymbol{\lambda}_{\perp}+\boldsymbol{q}_{T}\right)S(\boldsymbol{\lambda}_{\perp}^{2},\mu,\nu)\\ &\times\left[D_{1,h_{1}/q}^{(u)}(z_{1},\boldsymbol{p}_{1\perp}^{2},\mu,\zeta/\nu^{2})D_{1,h_{2}/\bar{q}}^{(u)}(z_{2},\boldsymbol{p}_{2\perp}^{2},\mu,\zeta/\nu^{2})+\cos(2\phi_{12})\left(\hat{\boldsymbol{q}}_{T,\alpha}\hat{\boldsymbol{q}}_{T,\beta}-\frac{1}{2}g_{\perp,\alpha\beta}\right)\right.\\ &\times\left.\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{1\perp}^{\alpha}}{z_{1}M_{1}}H_{1,h_{1}/q}^{\perp(u)}(z_{1},\boldsymbol{p}_{1\perp}^{2},\mu,\zeta/\nu^{2})\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{2\perp}^{\beta}}{z_{2}M_{2}}H_{1,h_{2}/\bar{q}}^{\perp(u)}(z_{2},\boldsymbol{p}_{2\perp}^{2},\mu,\zeta/\nu^{2})\right]. \end{split}$$

$$z_{i} = \frac{2P_{hi} \cdot q}{Q^{2}} = \frac{2E_{i}}{Q} \quad \text{Energy fraction}$$
$$D_{1,h/q}^{(u)}(z, \mathbf{p}_{\perp}^{2}, \mu, \zeta/\nu^{2}) \quad \text{Unpolarized TMD FF}$$
$$H_{1,h/q}^{\perp(u)}(z, \mathbf{p}_{\perp}^{2}, \mu, \zeta/\nu^{2}) \quad \text{Collins TMD FF}$$

Leading Quark TMDFFs					
		Quark Polarization			
		Un-Polarized (U)	Longitudinally Polarized (L)	Transversely Polarized (T)	
Unpolarized (or Spin 0) Hadrons		$D_1 = \bigcirc$ Unpolarized		$H_1^{\perp} = \underbrace{\uparrow}_{\text{Collins}} - \underbrace{\downarrow}_{\text{Collins}}$	
Polarized Hadrons	L		$G_1 = \underbrace{\bullet}_{Helicity} - \underbrace{\bullet}_{Helicity}$	$H_{1L}^{\perp} = \checkmark - \checkmark \rightarrow$	
	т	$D_{1T}^{\perp} = \underbrace{\bullet}^{\uparrow} - \underbrace{\bullet}_{Polarizing FF}$	$G_{1T}^{\perp} = \stackrel{\uparrow}{\bullet} - \stackrel{\uparrow}{\bullet}$	$H_{1} = \underbrace{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\blacktriangleright} - \stackrel{\uparrow}{\uparrow}}_{\text{Transversity}} - \underbrace{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\uparrow}}_{H_{1T}} = \underbrace{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\checkmark} - \underbrace{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\checkmark}}_{\bullet}$	

Azimuthal dependent EEC in e⁺e⁻

• The TMD factorization for the azimuthal-dependent EEC in the back-to-back limit

$$\text{EEC}_{e^+e^-}(\tau,\phi) = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_0 H(Q,\mu) \sum_q e_q^2 \int \frac{b \, db}{2\pi} \bigg[J_0(b\sqrt{\tau}Q) J_q(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{\bar{q}}(b,\mu,\zeta) + \frac{\cos(2\phi) \frac{b^2}{8} J_2(b\sqrt{\tau}Q) J_q^{\perp}(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{\bar{q}}^{\perp}(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{\bar{q}}^{\perp}(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{\bar{q}}(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{\bar{q}}$$

New term: azimuthal asymmetry "Collins-type" EEC jet functions

A similar structure for Winner-take-All jet function was given in W. Lai, X. Liu, M Wang, H. Xing '21 '22

• The unpolarized EEC jet function has a close relation to the unpolarized TMD FFs

$$J_q(b,\mu,\zeta) \equiv \sum_h \int_0^1 dz \, z \, \tilde{D}_{1,h/q}(z,b,\mu,\zeta)$$

Collins-type EEC jet functions are closely connected with the Collins FFs

$$J_q^\perp(b,\mu,\zeta)\equiv\sum_h\int_0^1 dz\,z\, ilde{H}_{1,h/q}^\perp(z,b,\mu,\zeta)$$

Collins-type EEC jet function

• We introduce Collins-type EEC jet function

$$J_{q}(\boldsymbol{b},\mu,\zeta) \equiv \sum_{h} \int_{0}^{1} dz z \tilde{D}_{1,h/q}(z,b,\mu_{b_{*}},\zeta_{i}) e^{-S_{\text{pert}}(\mu,\mu_{b_{*}*}) - S_{\text{NP}}^{D_{1}}(b,Q_{0},\zeta)} \left(\sqrt{\frac{\zeta}{\zeta_{i}}}\right)^{\kappa(b,\mu_{b_{*}})} J_{q}^{\perp}(\boldsymbol{b},\mu,\zeta) \equiv \sum_{h} \int_{0}^{1} dz z \tilde{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp}(z,b,\mu_{b_{*}},\zeta_{i}) e^{-S_{\text{pert}}(\mu,\mu_{b_{*}}) - S_{\text{NP}}^{H_{1}^{\perp}}(b,Q_{0},\zeta)} \left(\sqrt{\frac{\zeta}{\zeta_{i}}}\right)^{\kappa(b,\mu_{b_{*}})}$$

Collins function in *b*-space

• The OPE of the subtracted unpolarized and Collins TMD FFs gives

$$\begin{split} \tilde{D}_{1,h/q}(z,b,\mu,\zeta) &= \left[C_{j\leftarrow q} \otimes D_{1,h/j} \right] (z,b,\mu,\zeta) + \mathcal{O}(b^2 \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2), \\ \tilde{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp}(z,b,\mu,\zeta) &= \left[\delta C_{j\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}} \otimes \hat{H}_{1,h/j}^{\perp(3)} + A_{j\leftarrow q} \tilde{\otimes} \hat{H}_{F,h/j} \right] (z,b,\mu,\zeta) + \mathcal{O}(b^2 \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2), \\ \text{twist-3 FFs (H_F is ignored)} \\ \delta C_{q'\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}}(z,b,\mu,\zeta) &= \delta_{qq'} \left\{ \delta \left(1-z\right) + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left[C_F \delta \left(1-z\right) \left(-\frac{L_b^2}{4} + \frac{L_b}{2} \left(\frac{3}{2} + \ln \frac{\mu^2}{\zeta^2}\right) - \frac{\pi^2}{24} \right) \right. \\ &+ \left(\ln z - \frac{L_b}{2} \right) \hat{P}_{q\leftarrow q}^c (z) \left] \right\} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2), \end{split}$$

The OPE of the Collins TMD FFs

• The OPE of the subtracted unpolarized and Collins TMD FFs gives

$$\tilde{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp}(z,b,\mu,\zeta) = \left[\delta C_{j\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}} \otimes \hat{H}_{1,h/j}^{\perp(3)} + A_{j\leftarrow q} \tilde{\otimes} \hat{H}_{F,h/j}\right](z,b,\mu,\zeta) + \mathcal{O}(b^2 \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2)$$

• Standard convolution $\left[C_{j\leftarrow q}\otimes F_{h/j}\right](z,b,\mu,\zeta) = \int_{z}^{1}\frac{dx}{x}C_{j\leftarrow q}\left(\frac{z}{x},b,\mu,\zeta\right)F_{h/j}(x,\mu)$

$$\begin{split} \delta C_{q'\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}}\left(z,b,\mu,\zeta\right) = & \delta_{qq'} \left\{ \delta\left(1-z\right) + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left[C_F \delta\left(1-z\right) \left(-\frac{L_b^2}{4} + \frac{L_b}{2} \left(\frac{3}{2} + \ln\frac{\mu^2}{\zeta^2}\right) - \frac{\pi^2}{24} \right) \right. \\ & \left. + \left(\ln z - \frac{L_b}{2}\right) \hat{P}_{q\leftarrow q}^c\left(z\right) \right] \right\} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) \,, \end{split}$$

 $\hat{H}_{1,h/j}^{\perp(3)}(z,\mu)$: twist-3 fragmentation function, related to the first k \perp -moment of the Collins TMD FF

Double convolution

$$\left[A_{j\leftarrow q}\tilde{\otimes}\hat{H}_{F,h/j}\right](z,b,\mu,\zeta) = \int_{z}^{1}\frac{dx}{x}\int\frac{dz_{1}}{z_{1}^{2}}\operatorname{PV}\left(\frac{1}{\frac{1}{x}-\frac{1}{z_{1}}}\right)A_{j\leftarrow q}\left(\frac{z}{x},z_{1},b,\mu,\zeta\right)\hat{H}_{F,h/j}\left(x,z_{1},\mu\right)$$

starts at the order $O(\alpha_S)$ and is ignored in our work

Sum rule

• The collinear functions in the OPE matching obey the sum rules

$$\sum_{h} \int_{0}^{1} dz \, z \, D_{1,h/j} \left(z, \mu
ight) = 1 \, ,$$

sum over longitudinal momentum fraction carried by the hadron is 1

$$\sum_{h} \int_{0}^{1} dz \, \hat{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp(3)}(z,\mu) = 0 \, .$$

the transverse momentum carried by the final hadron sum to 0 (Schafer-Teryaev sum rule)

• In the OPE region
$$J_q^{\perp}(b,\mu,\zeta) = \sum_h \int_0^1 dz \, z \, \tilde{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp}(z,b,\mu,\zeta)$$

 $= \sum_h \int_0^1 dz \int_z^1 \frac{dx}{x} \, \delta C_{q\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}}(\frac{z}{x},b,\mu_{b_*},\zeta) \hat{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp(3)}(x,\mu_{b_*}) e^{-S_{\text{pert}}(\mu,\mu_{b_*})}$
 $= \int_0^1 d\tau \delta C_{q\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}}(\tau,b,\mu_{b_*},\zeta) \left[\sum_h \int_0^1 dx \, \hat{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp(3)}(x,\mu_{b_*}) \right] e^{-S_{\text{pert}}(\mu,\mu_{b_*})}$
 $= 0, \qquad = 0$

 We find that the Collins-type EEC jet function becomes zero in the OPE region upon neglecting the off-diagonal matching terms.

Collins-type EEC with subsets of hadrons

- In the small angle limit, the track function formalism was used to study energy correlation between hadrons with specific quantum number (\(\mathcal{E}_{S_1}(\hat{n}_1)\mathcal{E}_{S_2}(\hat{n}_2)\))) Chang, Procura, Thaler, & Waalewijn '13; Y, Li, Moult, Schrijnder, Waalewijn, H. X. Zhu '21; Jaarsma, Y. Li, Moult, Waalewijn, Z. X. Zhua '22, '23 + H. Chen '22 '23
- In the large angle limit (TMD region), one can also use subset S of hadrons to define the LHC 13TeV, pp → Z + J_{WTA} + X
 - E.g. Tacking jet function for the recoil free jets

$$\bar{\mathscr{I}}_{q}^{(1)} = \mathscr{J}_{q}^{(1)} + 4C_{F} \int_{0}^{1} \mathrm{d}x \, \frac{1+x^{2}}{1-x} \ln \frac{x}{1-x} \int_{0}^{1} \mathrm{d}z_{1} \, T_{q}(z_{1},\mu)$$
$$\times \int_{0}^{1} \mathrm{d}z_{2} \, T_{g}(z_{2},\mu) [\theta(z_{1}x-z_{2}(1-x)) - \theta(x-\frac{1}{2})]$$

Chien, Rahn, DYS, Waalewijn & Wu '22 JHEP + Schrignder '21 PLB



- We explore a less inclusive version of EEC in the back-to-back limit that is only sensitive to the energy flow of subset $\mathbb S$ of hadrons

$$\sum_{h} \Rightarrow \sum_{h \in S}$$
E.g. $S = charged particles$

$$smaller energy resolution and smaller experimental uncertainties$$

$$S = h$$
Probe fragmentation function

Collins-type EEC with subsets of hadrons

• We define the modified jet functions

$$egin{aligned} &J_{q/\mathbb{S}}(b,\mu,\zeta)\equiv\sum_{h\in\mathbb{S}}\int_{0}^{1}dz\,z\, ilde{D}_{1,h/q}(z,b,\mu,\zeta)\,,\ &J_{q/\mathbb{S}}^{\perp}(b,\mu,\zeta)\equiv\sum_{h\in\mathbb{S}}\int_{0}^{1}dz\,z\, ilde{H}_{1,h/q}^{\perp}(z,b,\mu,\zeta)\,. \end{aligned}$$

• In the OPE region

 $F_{j \to \mathbb{S}} = \sum_{h \in \mathbb{S}} \int_0^1 dz \, z \, D_{1,h/j}(z,\mu_{b_*})$ average fraction of longitudinal momentum carried by \mathbb{S}

$$\begin{split} J_{q/\mathbb{S}}(b,\mu,\zeta) &= \sum_{j} F_{j\to\mathbb{S}} \int_{0}^{1} d\tau \,\tau \, C_{j\leftarrow q}(\tau,b,\mu_{b_{*}},\zeta) e^{-S_{\text{pert}}(\mu,\mu_{b_{*}})} \,, \\ J_{q/\mathbb{S}}^{\perp}(b,\mu,\zeta) &= \sum_{j} F_{j\to\mathbb{S}}^{\perp} \int_{0}^{1} d\tau \,\delta C_{j\leftarrow q}^{\text{Collins}}(\tau,b,\mu_{b_{*}},\zeta) e^{-S_{\text{pert}}(\mu,\mu_{b_{*}})} \,. \end{split}$$

$$F_{j\to\mathbb{S}}^{\perp} = \sum_{h\in\mathbb{S}} \int_0^1 dz \, \hat{H}_{1,h/j}^{\perp(3)}\left(z,\mu_{b_*}\right) \qquad \text{average transverse momentum carried by } \mathbb{S}$$

• All the non-perturbative information are captured by the moments of FFs in the OPE region

Collins-type EEC with subsets of hadrons

- From the perspective of Collins-type EEC jet function, we are motivated to consider the so-called favored and unfavored subset
- Twist-3 Collins fragmentation functions

$$\begin{split} \hat{H}_{\pi^+/\bar{u}}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) &= \hat{H}_{\pi^-/u}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) = \hat{H}_{\pi^-/\bar{d}}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) = \hat{H}_{\mathrm{unf}}\left(z,Q_0\right), \\ \hat{H}_{\pi^+/\bar{d}}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) &= \hat{H}_{\pi^-/d}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) = \hat{H}_{\mathrm{fav}}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) = \hat{H}_{\mathrm{fav}}\left(z,Q_0\right), \\ \hat{H}_{fav}^{(3)}\left(z,Q_0\right) &= N_u^c z^{\alpha_u}(\tau)^{\beta_u} D_{1,\pi^+/u}(z,Q_0), \\ \hat{H}_{unfav}^{(3)}(z,Q_0) &= N_d^c z^{\alpha_d}(\tau)^{\beta_d} D_{1,\pi^+/d}(z,Q_0), \\ \hat{H}_{s/\bar{s}}^{(3)}(z,Q_0) &= N_d^c z^{\alpha_d}(\tau)^{\beta_d} D_{1,\pi^+/s,\bar{s}}(z,Q_0), \end{split}$$

• The vanishing value of Collins-type EEC jet function in the OPE region can be understood as

$$F_{j \to \mathrm{fav}}^{\perp} \approx -F_{j \to \mathrm{unfav}}^{\perp}$$

• In phenomenology we consider

$$\mathbb{S} = \{\pi^+\}, \{\pi^-\}, \{\pi^0\}, \{\pi^+, \pi^-\}, \{\pi^+, \pi^-, \pi^0\}$$



Collins asymmetry in e+e-









Belle 2006

BESIII 2016

EEC in e⁺e⁻ : Collins asymmetry

We provide a prediction for Collins asymmetry at Belle kinematics

$$\begin{split} \text{EEC}_{e^+e^-}(\tau,\phi) &= \frac{d\Sigma_{e^+e^-}}{d\tau d\phi} = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_0 \sum_q e_q^2 \int d\boldsymbol{q}_T^2 \,\delta\left(\tau - \frac{\boldsymbol{q}_T^2}{Q^2}\right) Z_{uu} \left[1 + \cos(2\phi) \,\frac{Z_{\text{Collins}}}{Z_{uu}}\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\sigma_0 \sum_q e_q^2 \,Z_{uu} \,\left[1 + \cos(2\phi) \,A_{e^+e^-}(\tau Q^2)\right] \,, \end{split}$$



$$egin{aligned} Z_{uu} &= \int rac{bdb}{2\pi} J_0(bq_T) J_q(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{ar q}(b,\mu,\zeta) \,, \ Z_{ ext{Collins}} &= \int rac{bdb}{2\pi} rac{b^2}{8} J_2(bq_T) J_q^{ot}(b,\mu,\zeta) J_{ar q}^{ot}(b,\mu,\zeta) \,. \end{aligned}$$

- When choosing a subset of either positively or negatively charged pions detected in EEC, one observes sizable asymmetries, which worth further measurement.
- BESIII collaboration is performing this analysis

EEC in DIS

The definition of EEC in DIS Li, Marks, Vitev `21

$$\text{EEC}_{\text{DIS}}\left(\tau\right) \equiv \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a} \int d\theta_{a} dz_{a} z_{a} \frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{d\theta_{ap} d\phi_{ap} dz_{a}} \delta\left(\tau - \frac{1 + \cos \theta_{ap}}{2}\right)$$

We generalize the above definition



New probe for all TMDPDFs

Collins and Sivers asymmetry of EEC in DIS

Kang, Lee, DYS, Zhao '23 JHEP





Transversity and Collins function Kang, Prokudin, Sun, Yuan `15





Sivers function: Echevarria, Kang, Terry `20

Diffraction

Diffraction in ep collisions

- Hadronic diffraction processes and total cross sections have been described using the concept of 'pomeron exchange'.
- The simplest way to introduce the concept of pomeron is within the framework of Regge theory



- Some recent theory progress:
 - Fracture Functions: Chen, Ma, Tong '21 '24 + Chai '19
 - Glauber SCET: Lee, Schindler, Stewart '25

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Azimuthal decorrelation of QCD jets in ultra-peripheral collisions

(Zhang, Dai, DYS, '23 JHEP)



 $\frac{\mathrm{d}^{4}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}q_{x}\mathrm{d}p_{T}\mathrm{d}y_{1}\mathrm{d}y_{2}} = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}b_{x}}{2\pi} e^{iq_{x}b_{x}} \tilde{B}(b_{x}, p_{T}, y_{1}, y_{2}) H(p_{T}, \Delta y, \mu) \tilde{S}(b_{x}, y_{1}, y_{2}, \mu, \nu) \tilde{U}_{1}(b_{x}, R, y_{1}, \mu, \nu) J_{1}(p_{T}, R, \mu) \tilde{U}_{2}(b_{x}, R, y_{2}, \mu, \nu) J_{2}(p_{T}, R, \mu) \tilde{U}_{2}(b_{x}, R, y_{2}, \mu, \nu) J_{2}(b_{x}, R, y_{2}, \mu, \nu) J_{2}(p_{T}, R, \mu) \tilde{U}_{2}(b_{x}, R, y_{2}, \mu, \nu) J_{2}(p_{T}, R, \mu) \tilde{U}_{2}(b_{x}, R,$

Photon Wigner distribution: (Klein, Mueller, Xiao, Yuan, '20, also see Ji, '03; Belitsky, Ji, Yuan, '04, ...)

$$xf_{\gamma}\left(x,k_{T};b_{\perp}\right) = \int \frac{d^{2}\Delta_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^{2}} e^{i\Delta_{\perp}\cdot b_{\perp}} \int \frac{d\xi^{-}d^{2}r_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{ixP^{+}\xi^{-}-ik_{T}\cdot r_{\perp}}$$
$$\times \left\langle A, -\frac{\Delta_{\perp}}{2} \right| F^{+\perp}\left(0, \frac{r_{\perp}}{2}\right) F^{+\perp}\left(\xi^{-}, -\frac{r_{\perp}}{2}\right) \left| A, \frac{\Delta_{\perp}}{2} \right\rangle$$



Numerical results

(Zhang, Dai, DYS, '23 JHEP)



- A good agreement with the ATLAS data in the nearly back-to-back region
- Photo-productions may enhance the dijet production rate, but should barely change the shape

Azimuthal Correlations within Exclusive Dijets with Large Momentum Transfer in Photon-Lead Collisions



A calculation based on the RAPGAP model, which is tuned to HERA results, predicts that $\langle cos(2\Phi) \rangle$ rises with QT, but overshoots the data by a factor of 3-5.

Diffractive dijets photo-production

• Diffractive di-jet production provide rich information on nucleon internal structure.



- In cases of diffractive tri-jet production, where a semi-hard gluon is emitted towards the target direction and remains undetected, the experimental signature of this process becomes indistinguishable from that of exclusive di-jet production.
- Recent studies have shown that the cross section for coherent tri-jet photo-production significantly surpasses that of exclusive di-jet production lancu, Mueller & Triantafyllopoulos '21
- The production of color octet hard quark-anti-quark dijets enables the emission of soft gluons from the initial state. This mechanism significantly influences the total transverse momentum q_⊥ distribution of the dijet.

Diffractive dijets photo-production



$$\gamma(x_{\gamma}p) + A \to q(k_1) + \bar{q}(k_2) + g(l) + A$$



 The Born cross section for semi-inclusive diffractive back-to-back dijet production is expressed as

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}y_1\,\mathrm{d}y_2\,\mathrm{d}^2\boldsymbol{P}_{\!\!\perp}\mathrm{d}^2\boldsymbol{q}_{\!\!\perp}} = \sigma_0 x_\gamma f_\gamma(x_\gamma) \int \frac{\mathrm{d}x_\mathbb{P}}{x_\mathbb{P}} x_g G_\mathbb{P}(x_g, x_\mathbb{P}, q_\perp)$$

• Within the CGC formalism, the gluon distribution of the pomeron is related to the gluon-gluon dipole scattering amplitude

$$x_g G_{\mathbb{P}}(x_g, x_{\mathbb{P}}, q_{\perp}) = \frac{S_{\perp}(N_c^2 - 1)}{8\pi^4(1 - x)} \left[\frac{xq_{\perp}^2}{1 - x} \int r_{\perp} \mathrm{d}r_{\perp} J_2(q_{\perp}r_{\perp}) K_2\left(\sqrt{\frac{xq_{\perp}^2 r_{\perp}^2}{1 - x}}\right) \mathcal{T}_g(x_{\mathbb{P}}, r_{\perp}) \right]^2$$

dipole amplitude

Factorizaton and resummation

 By treating the gluon DTMD as if it were an ordinary TMD, we assume that the standard TMD factorization framework can be used in the back-to-back region Hatta, Xiao & Yuan '22



• We refactorize the gluon DTMD as the matching coefficients and the integrated pomeron gluon function

DGLAP evolution of the pomeron gluon DPDF ?Glauber SCET Rothstein, Stewart, `16
$$G_{\mathbb{P}}(x_g, x_{\mathbb{P}}, k_{\perp}, \mu, \zeta) = \int_{x_g}^1 \frac{dz}{z} I_{g \leftarrow g}(z, k_{\perp}, \mu, \zeta) G_{\mathbb{P}}(x_g/z, x_{\mathbb{P}}, \mu) + G_{\mathbb{P}}(x_g, x_{\mathbb{P}}, k_{\perp})$$
 \uparrow additional static source term in the modified DGLAP equation
lancu, Mueller, Triantafyllopoulos, & Wei '23

Factorization and resummation

• Resummation formula

$$egin{aligned} rac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}y_1\,\mathrm{d}y_2\,\mathrm{d}^2m{P}_\perp\,\mathrm{d}^2m{q}_\perp} = & \sigma_0 x_\gamma f_\gamma(x_\gamma) \int rac{\mathrm{d}^2m{b}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{im{q}_\perp\cdotm{b}_\perp} e^{-\mathrm{Sud}_{\mathrm{pert}}(b_\perp)} ilde{S}^{\mathrm{rem}}(m{b}_\perp,\mu_b) \ & imes \int \mathrm{d}^2m{k}_\perp e^{-im{b}_\perp\cdotm{k}_\perp} \int rac{\mathrm{d}x_\mathbb{P}}{x_\mathbb{P}} x_g G_\mathbb{P}(x_g,x_\mathbb{P},k_\perp), \end{aligned}$$

• NLO azimuthal angle-dependent soft function



 $c_{\phi}\,=\,\cos\phi_b$

Numerical results and measurements in UPCs

DYS, Y. Shi, C. Zhang, J, Zhou, Y. Zhou '24 JHEP



- Incorporating the initial state gluon radiation offers a more accurate representation of the CMS data
- Difference remains.

$$\langle \cos(2\phi)
angle \equiv rac{\int \mathrm{d}\mathcal{P}.\mathcal{S}.\cos(2\phi) rac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}y_1 \mathrm{d}y_2 \mathrm{d}^2 P_\perp \mathrm{d}^2 q_\perp}}{\int \mathrm{d}\mathcal{P}.\mathcal{S}.rac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}y_1 \mathrm{d}y_2 \mathrm{d}^2 P_\perp \mathrm{d}^2 q_\perp}}$$

The azimuthal asymmetry: Our result underestimates the asymmetry at low q_{\perp} and overshoots it at high

Summary and Outlook

- We develop the factorization framework to study transverse polarization effects for Λ(thrust) production
- We present a comprehensive study of the azimuthal angle dependence of EEC in the back-to-back region
- We study azimuthal angular asymmetry in diffractive di-jet production. The production of color octet dijets expands the color space, enabling the emission of soft gluons in the initial state.

Thank you