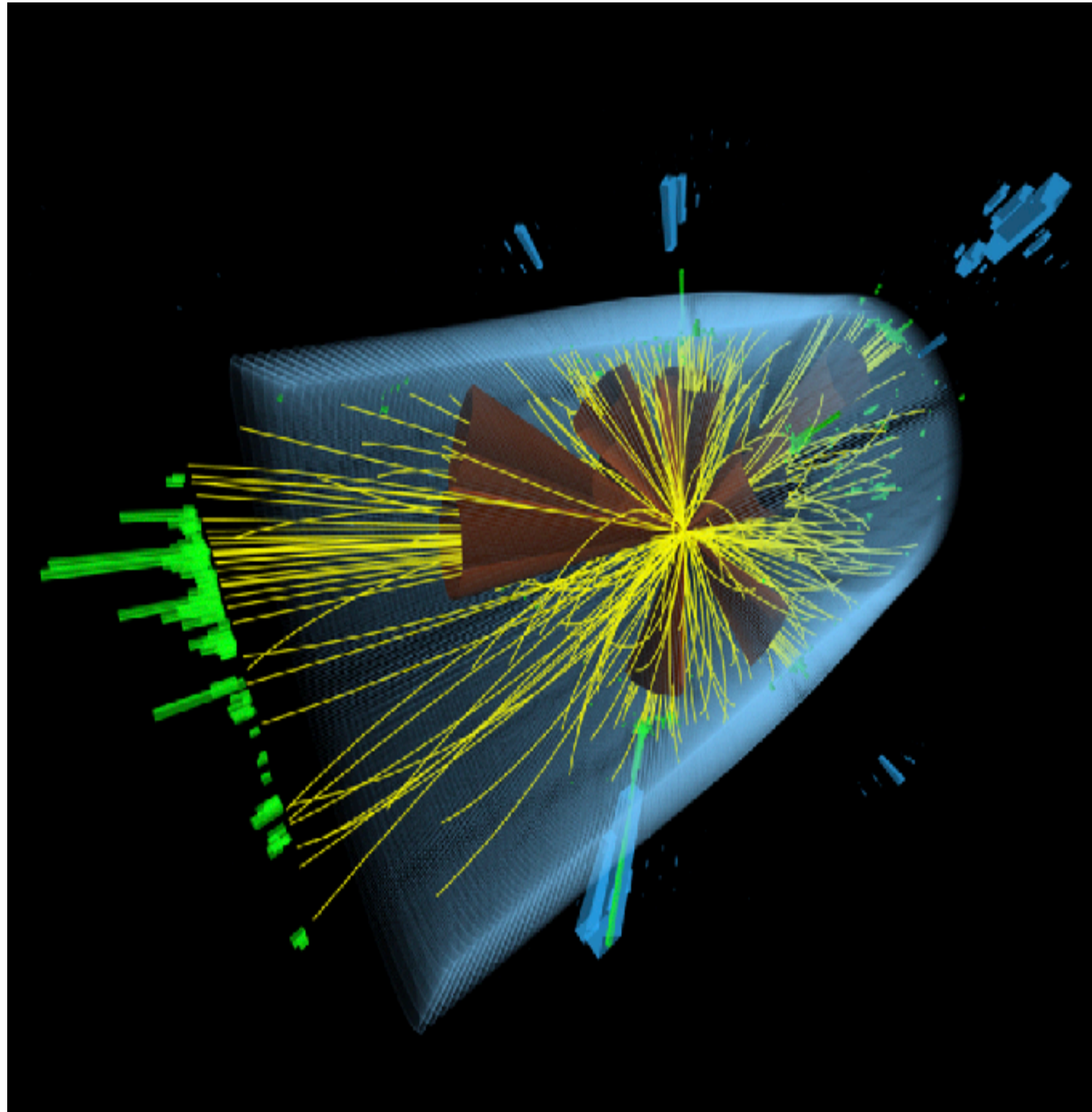


Energy correlators for heavy ion collisions



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Jet-soft dynamical medium interaction in high-energy heavy-ion collision C3NT, Wuhan

Correlation functions

- ▶ Correlation functions measure how different parts of a system are related to each other

$$\langle O_1 O_2 \dots O_N \rangle$$

Spatial correlations

-how a quantity varies across space at different points

$$\langle O_1(x) O_2(y) \rangle$$

Temporal correlations

-how a quantity evolves over time

$$\langle O_1(t) O_2(t') \rangle$$

Angular correlations

-how a quantity depends on direction

$$\langle O_1(\theta) O_2(\phi) \rangle$$

For a given system, the object O determines what aspect of it we want to probe

Temperature fluctuation

Question: How temperatures at different points related to each other?

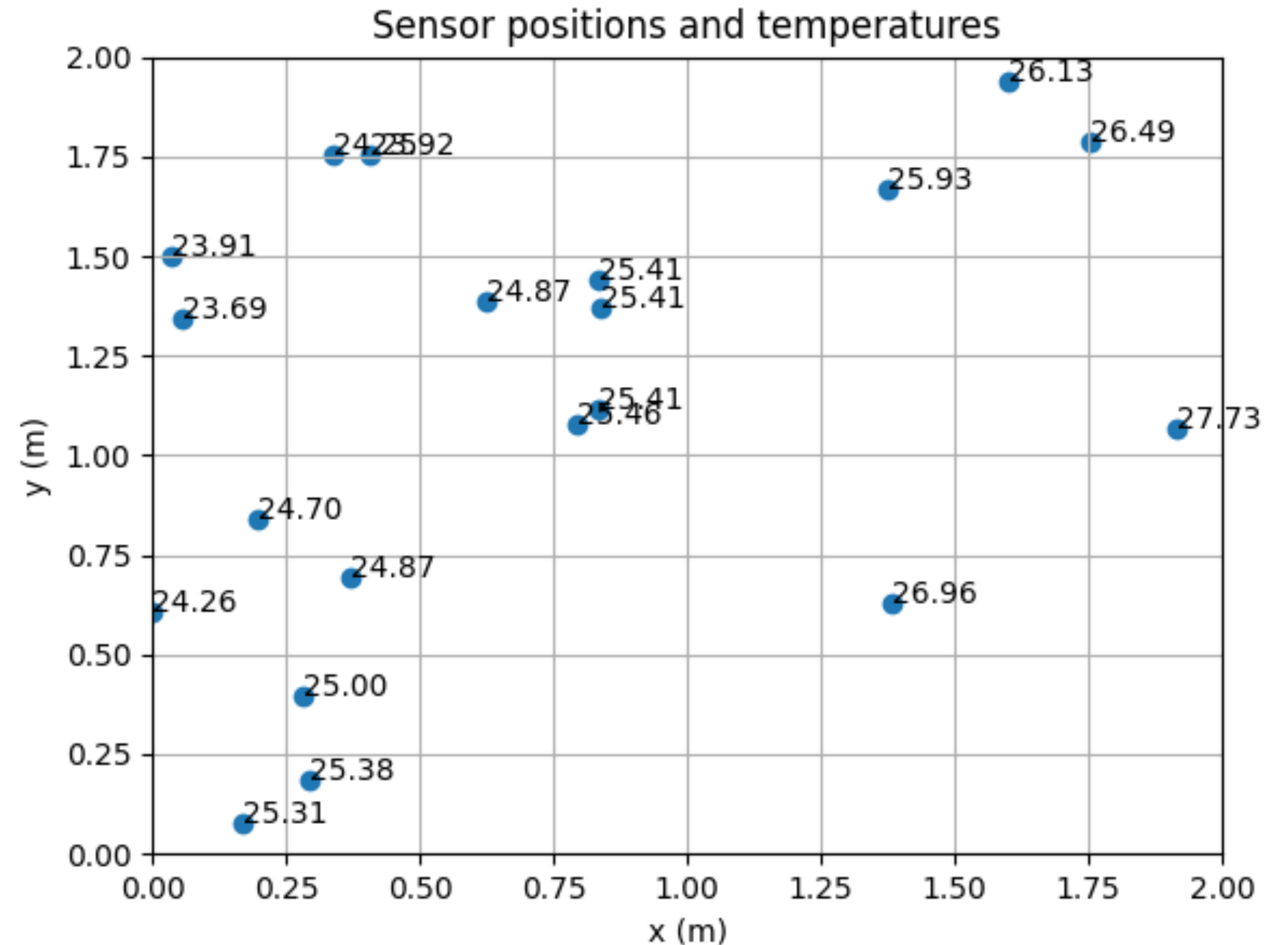
A sensor associated to each point measures the temperature of a 2D room

$$(x_i, y_i) \rightarrow T_i$$

We can think of temperature as a field $T(x_i, y_i)$ and we will focus on its fluctuations

$$\delta T(x, y) = T(x, y) - \bar{T}$$

\bar{T} is mean temperature



Correlation of temperature fluctuations

We now want to calculate spatial correlation of temperature fluctuations and define the quantity

$$C(r) = \langle \delta T(x_i, y_i) \delta T(x_j, y_j) \rangle$$

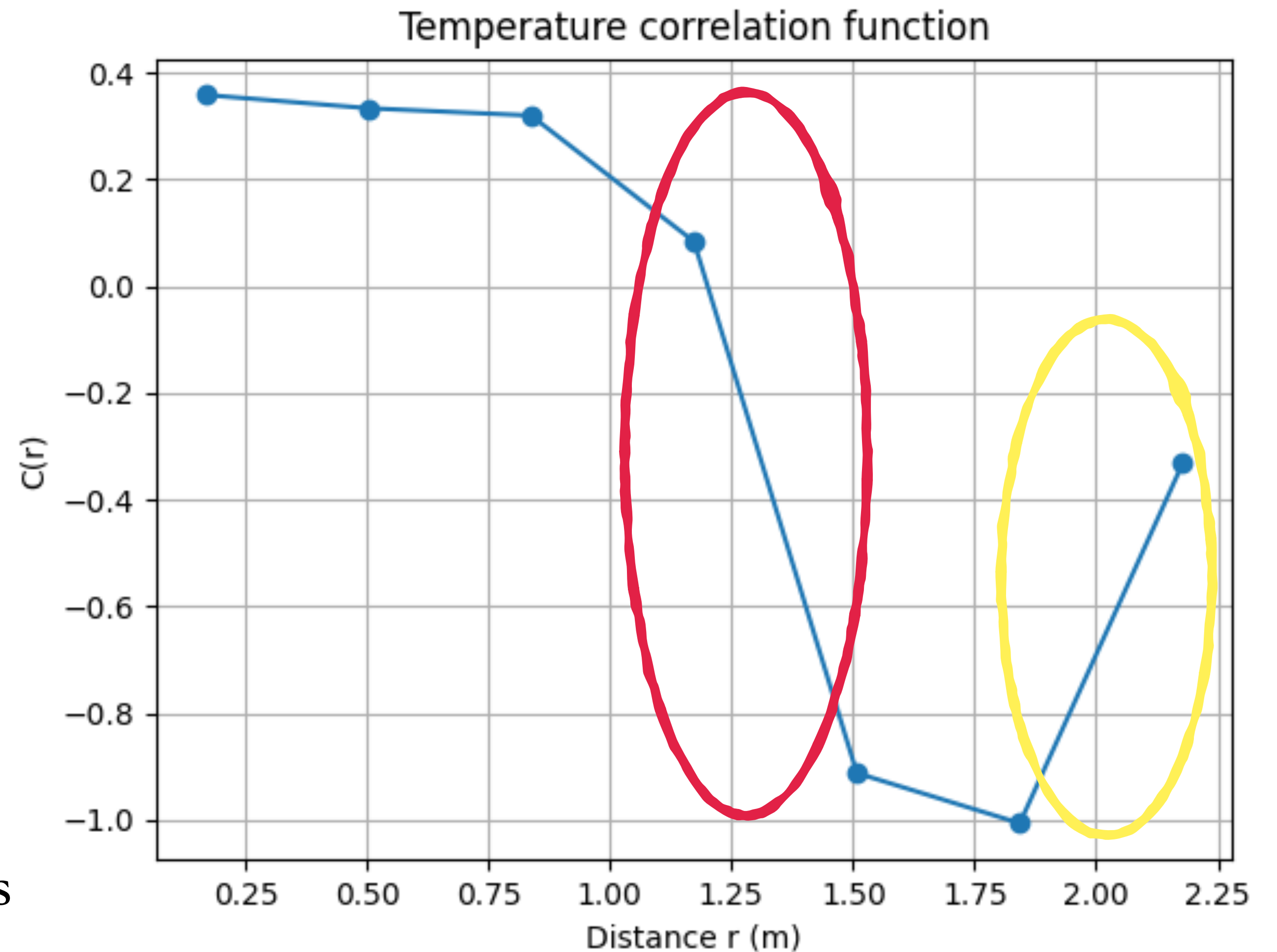
r is distance between the sensors defined as

$$r_{ij} = \sqrt{(x_i - x_j)^2 + (y_i - y_j)^2}$$

$C(r)$ measures how temperature fluctuation correlation vary as r

Can obtain some qualitative behavior of correlations

Not governed by underlying theory so not universal!



From temperature to energy correlations

- ▶ In high energy collision, particles carry energy flowing into the detector

$$\delta T_i \rightarrow E_i$$

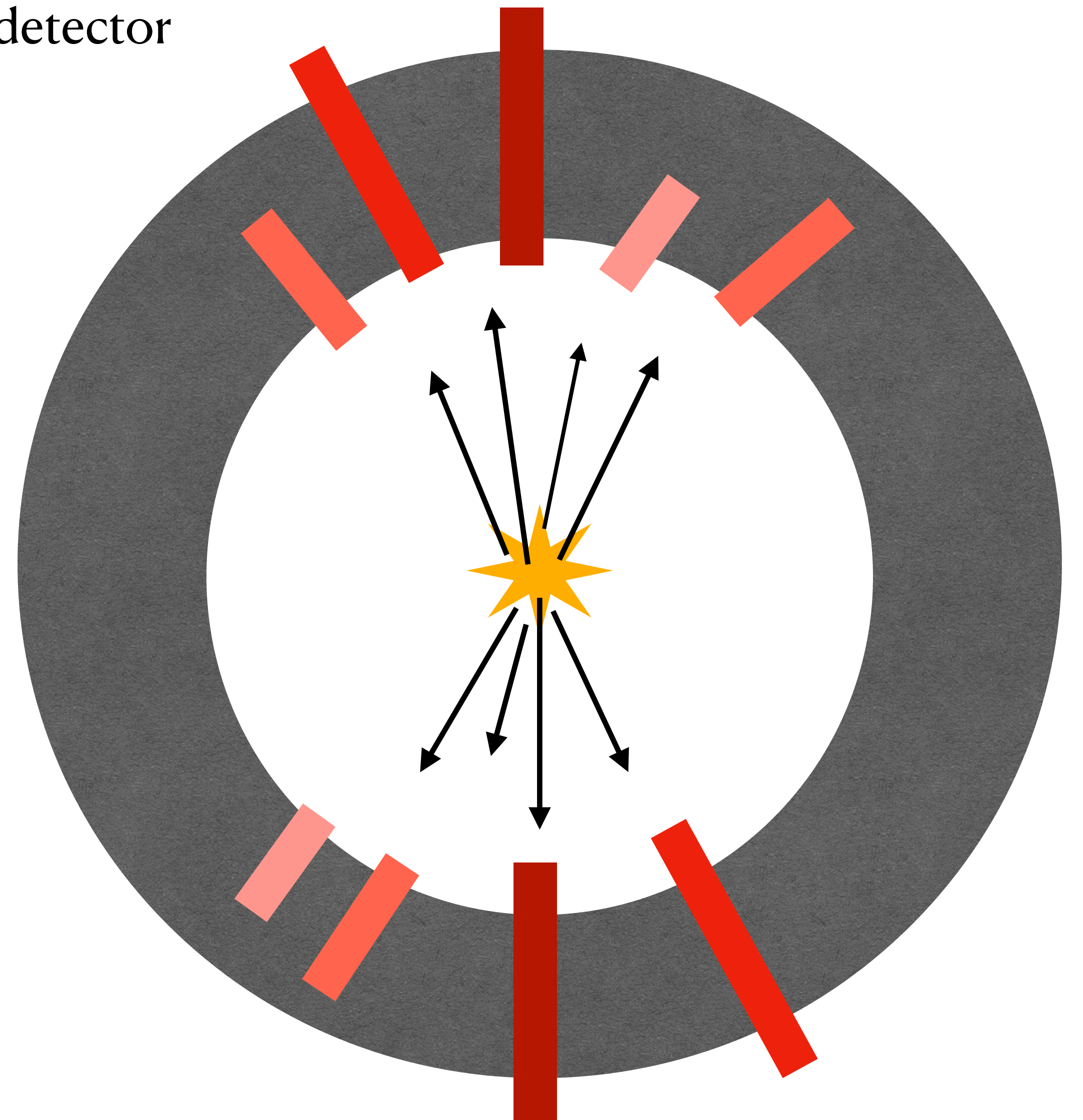
$$x_i, y_i \rightarrow \eta_i, \phi_i$$

$$r \rightarrow \theta$$

- ▶ Instead of temperature fluctuation, we study energy correlators

$$\langle \delta T_i \delta T_j \rangle \rightarrow \langle E_i E_j \rangle$$

- ▶ Particles and their interactions are governed by underlying theory
- ▶ Energy correlations probe the fundamental properties of underlying theory, **universal scalings**



ECs in particle collisions

Energy correlators (ECs) characterize angular structure of energy flow into the detector

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dR_L} = \sum_{ij} \int d\sigma(R'_L) \frac{p_{T,i} p_{T,j}}{p_{T,jet}^2} \delta(R'_L - R_L)$$

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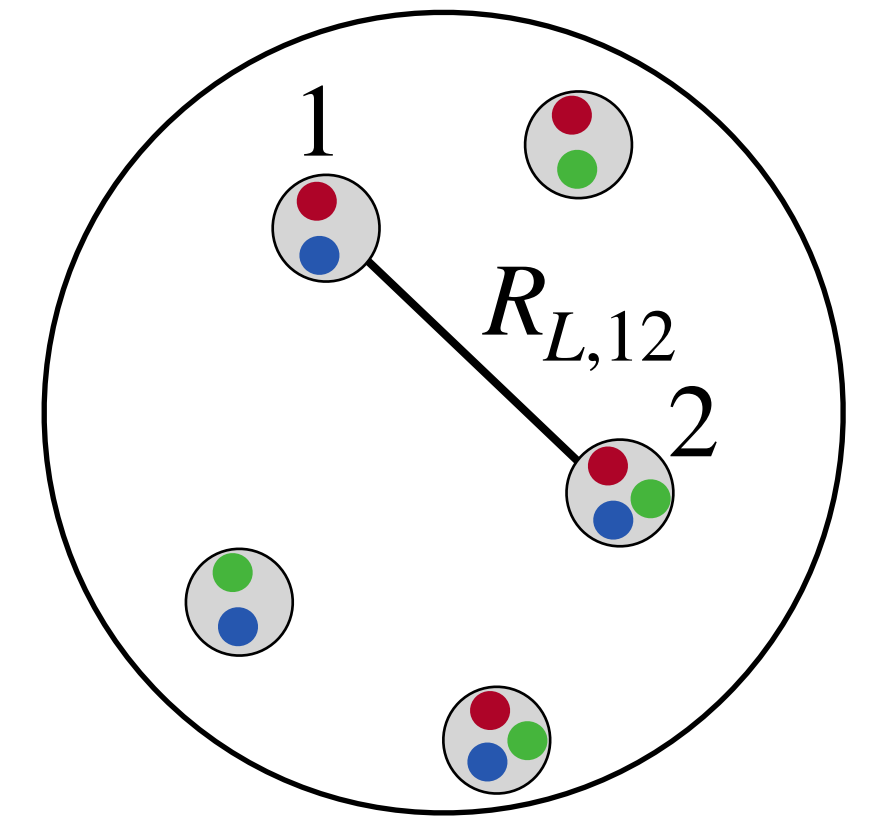
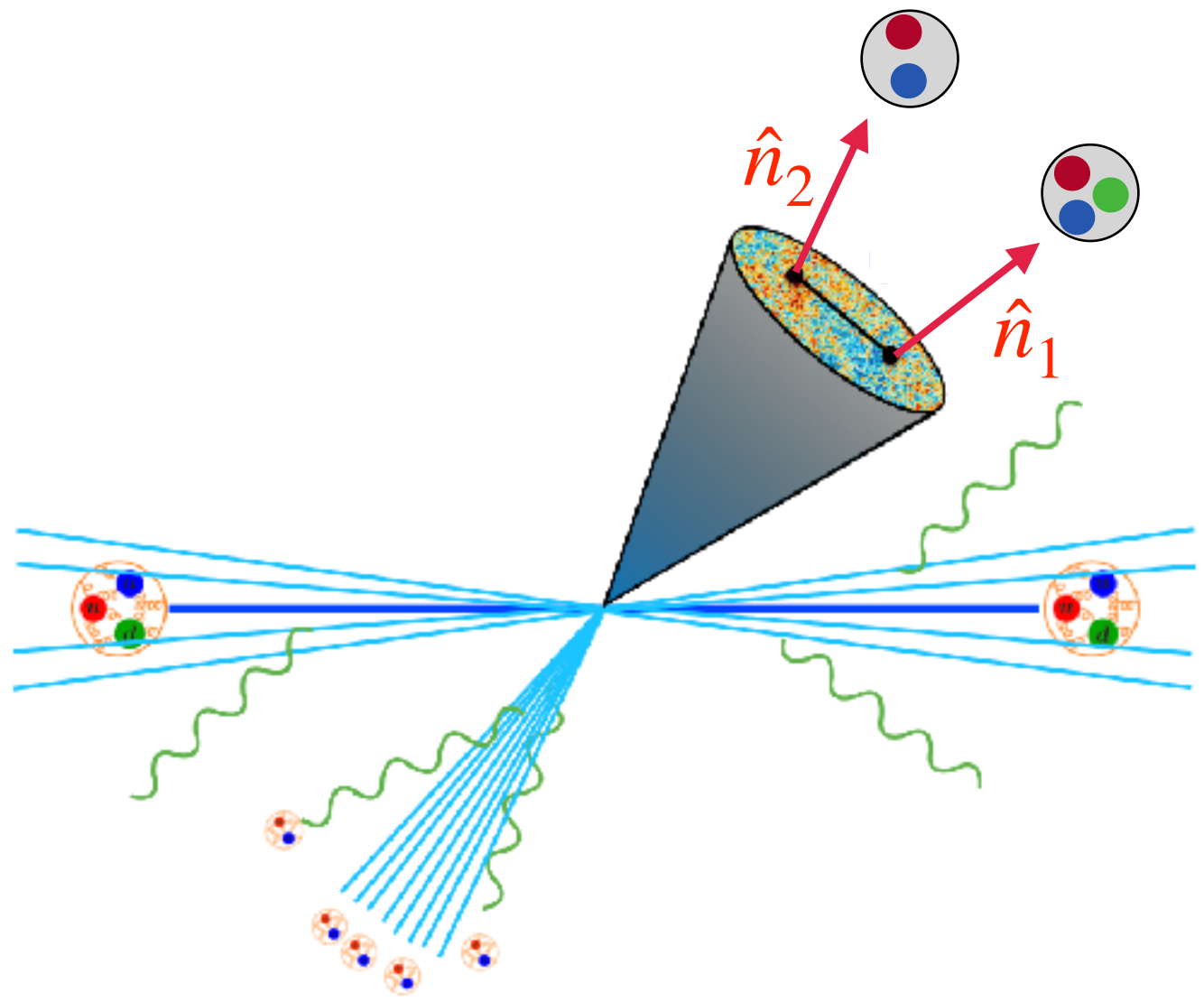
Angular separation

$$R_L = \sqrt{\Delta\eta_{ij}^2 + \Delta\phi_{ij}^2}$$

Energy weights

$$\frac{p_{T,1} p_{T,2}}{p_{T,jet}^2}$$

$$\mathcal{E}(\vec{n}) = \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\infty} dt r^2 n^i T_{0i}(t, r\vec{n})$$



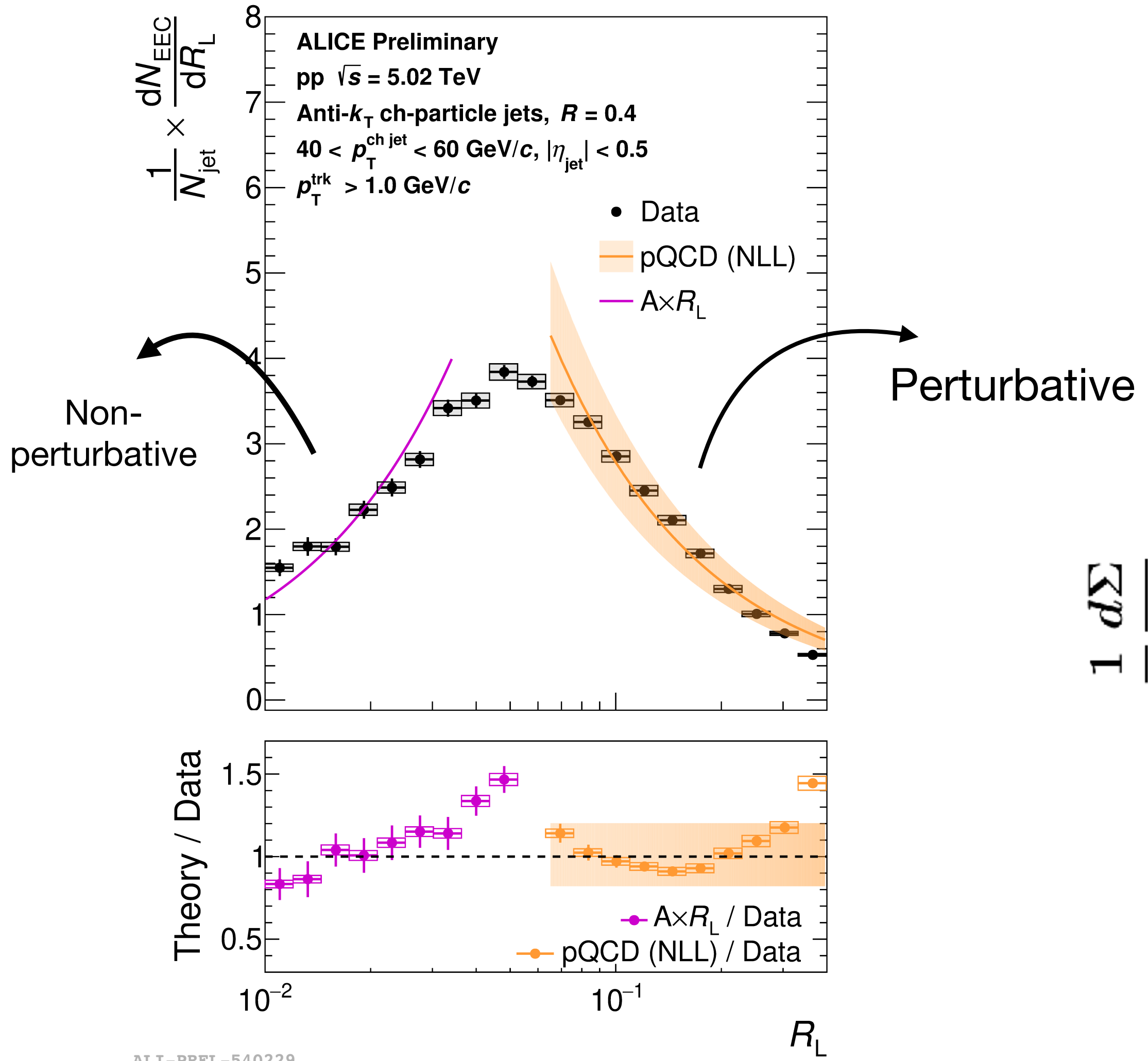
► IRC safe and well defined in QFT

Particle distribution inside the jet is defined by energy flow operators $\mathcal{E}(\vec{n})$

Energy correlators $\rightarrow \langle \Psi | \mathcal{E}(\vec{n}_1) \mathcal{E}(\vec{n}_2) \dots \mathcal{E}(\vec{n}_k) | \Psi \rangle$

Talk by Andrey and Joao

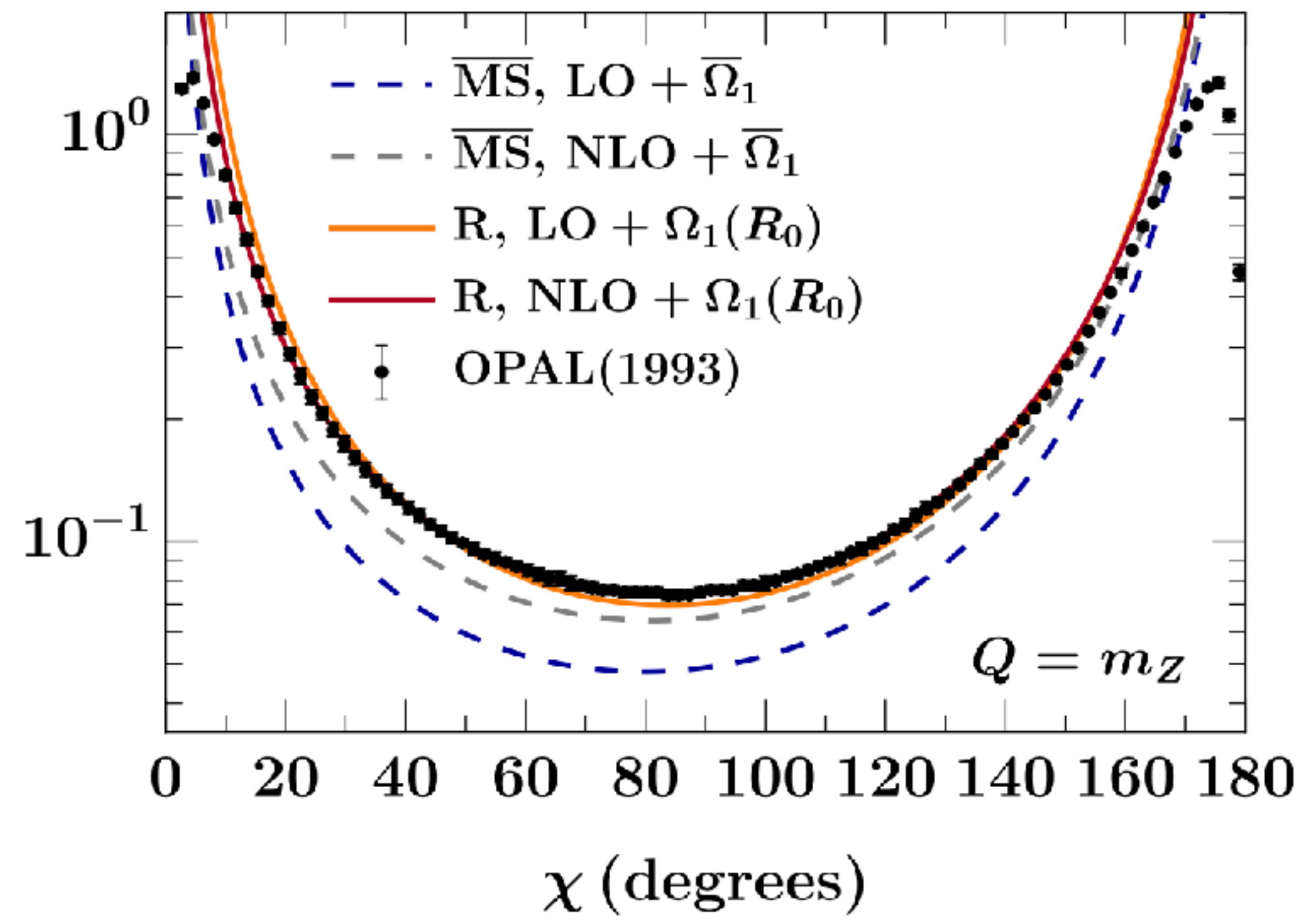
Why ECs?



Two distinct scaling behaviors, **additive**

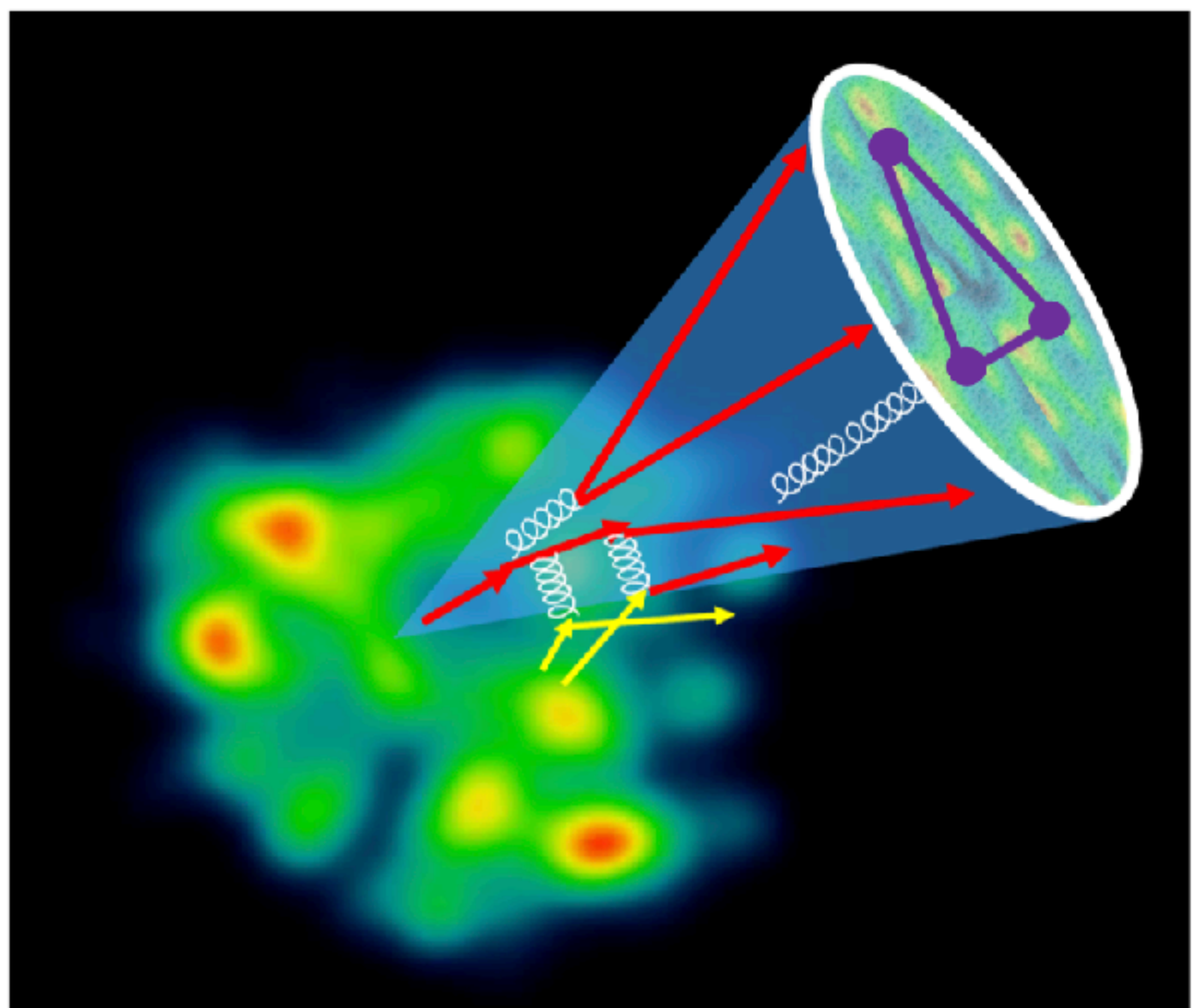
Impressive agreement with the data

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\Sigma}{d\chi}$$



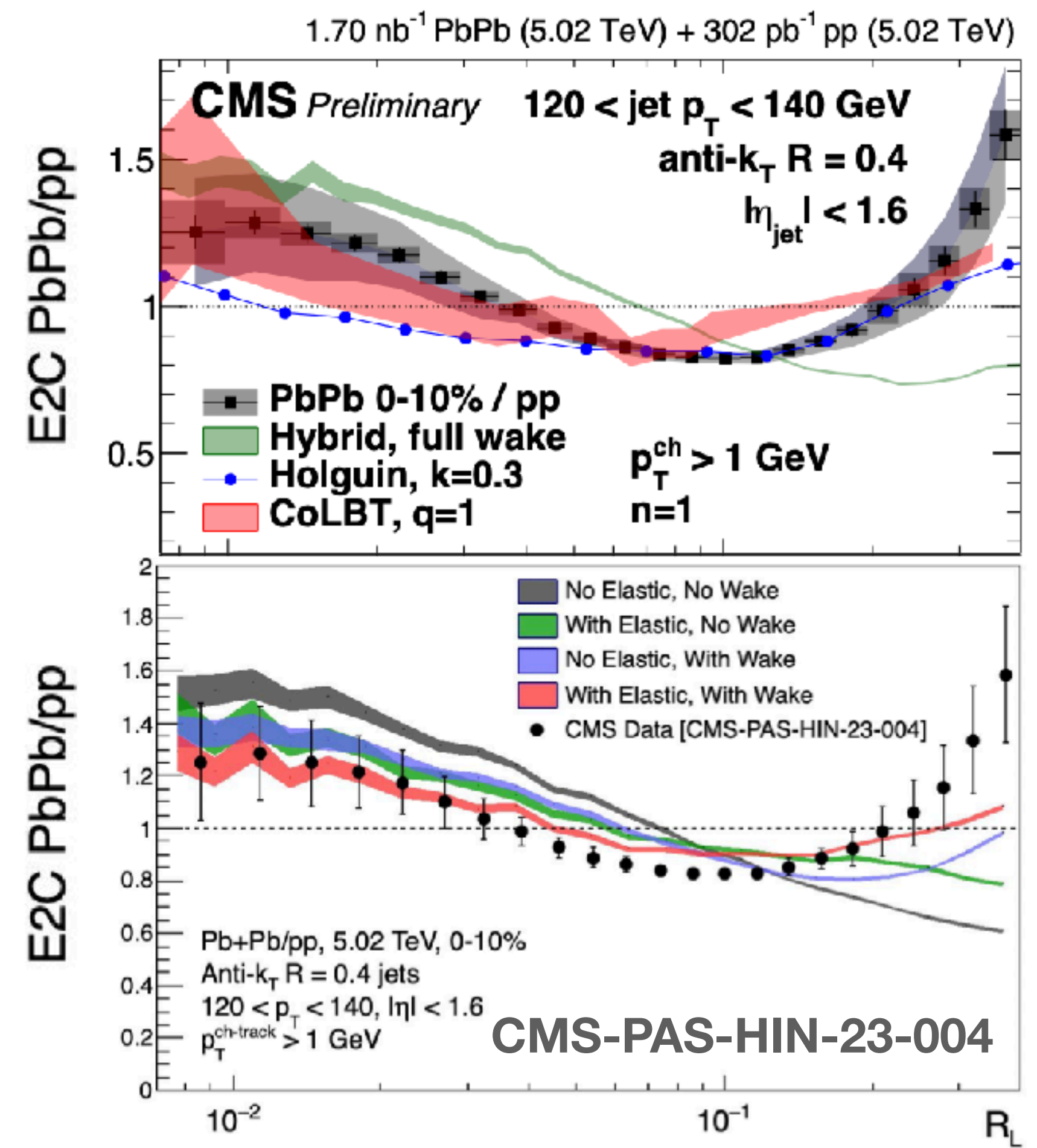
Schindler, Stewart, Sun '23

ECs in HICs



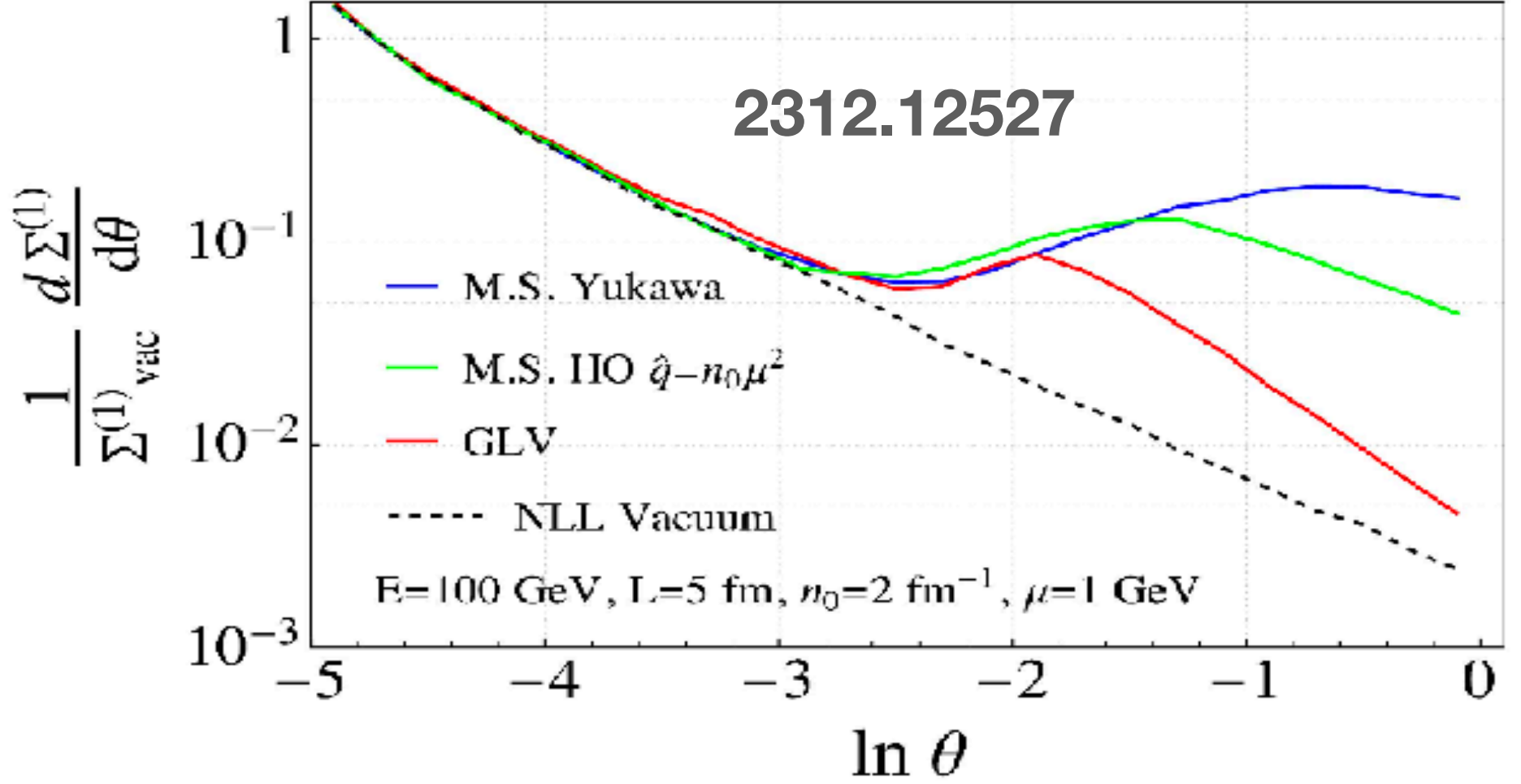
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Imprints of medium interactions appears in the modification of scaling behavior

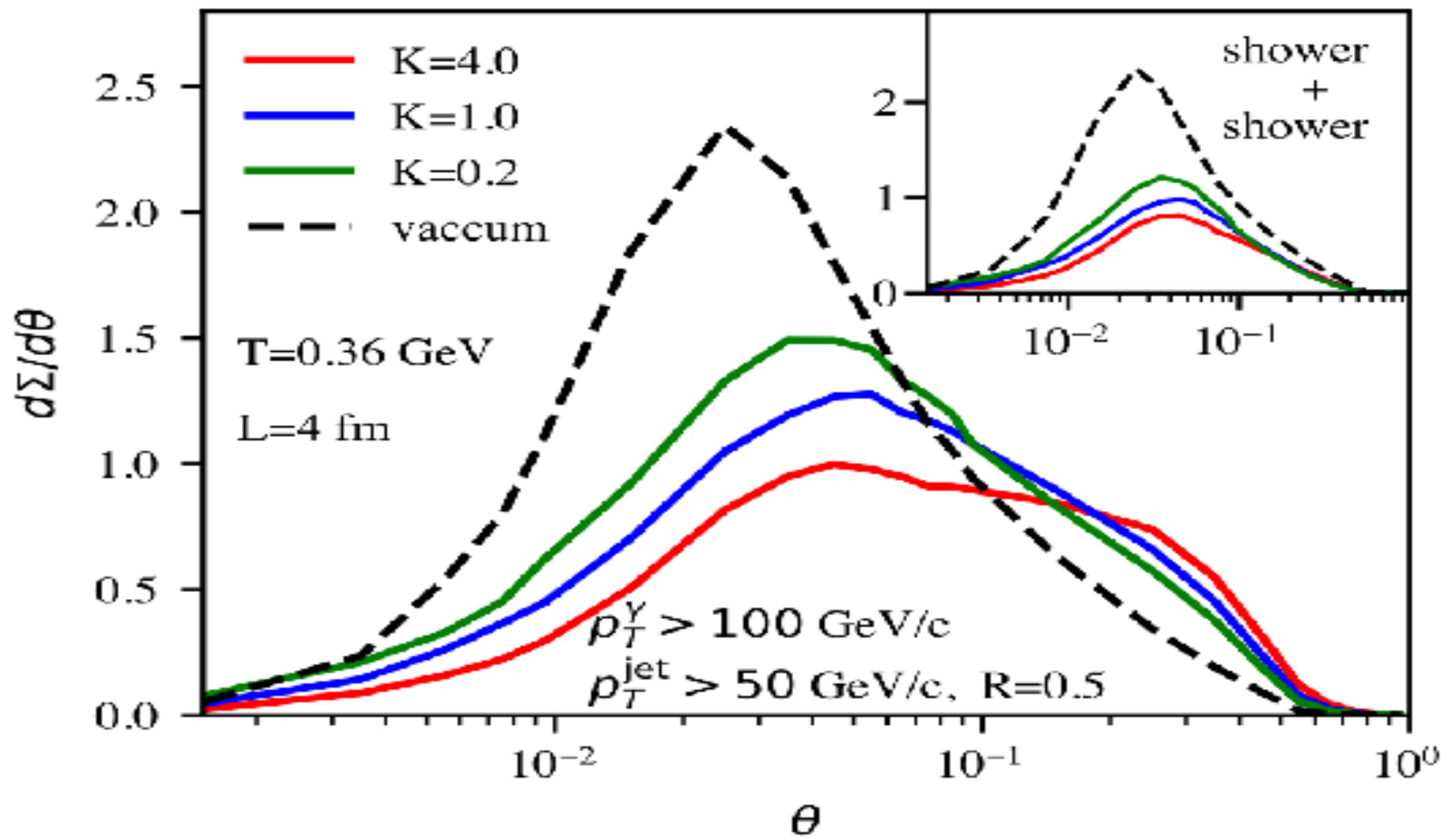


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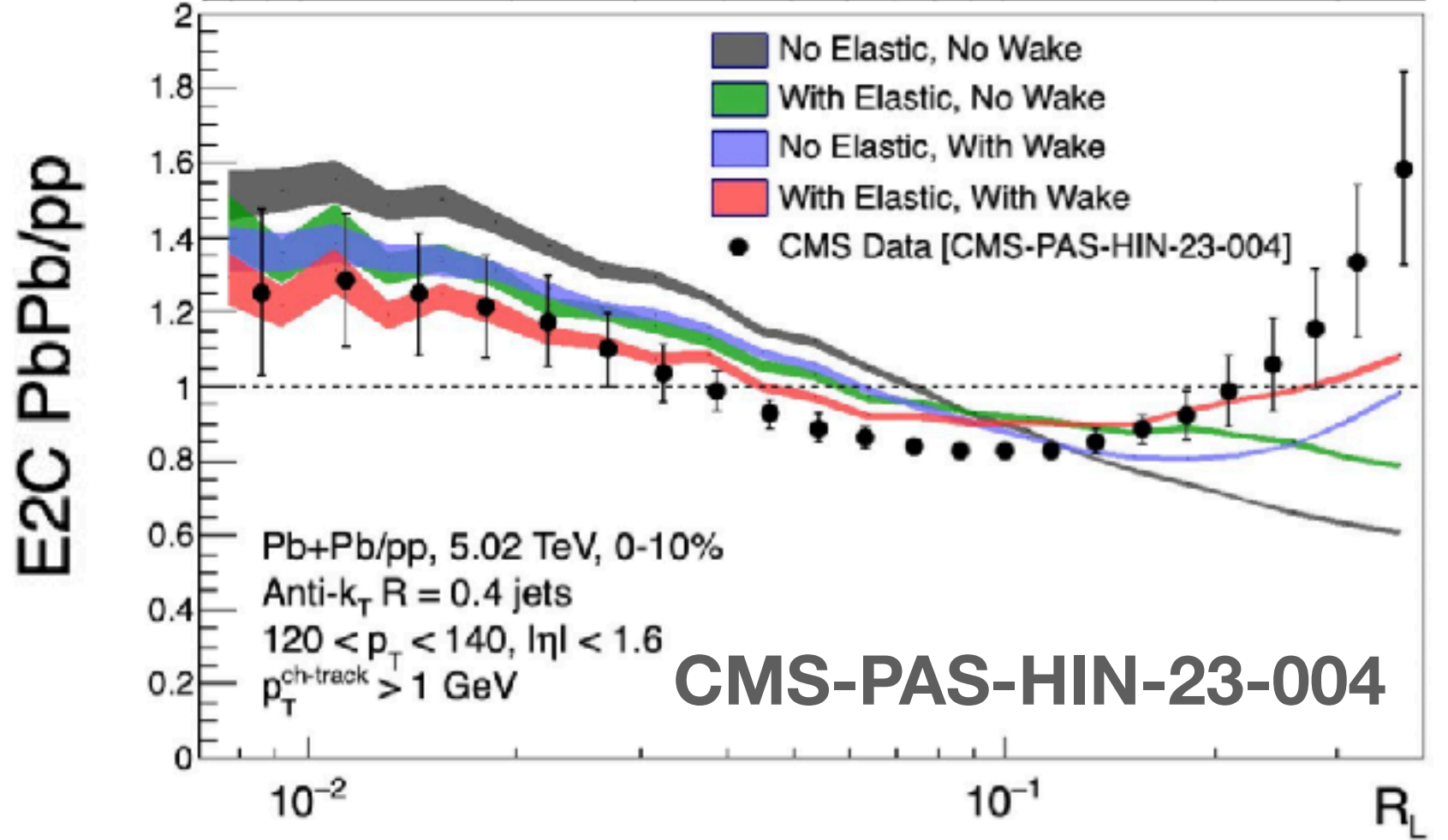
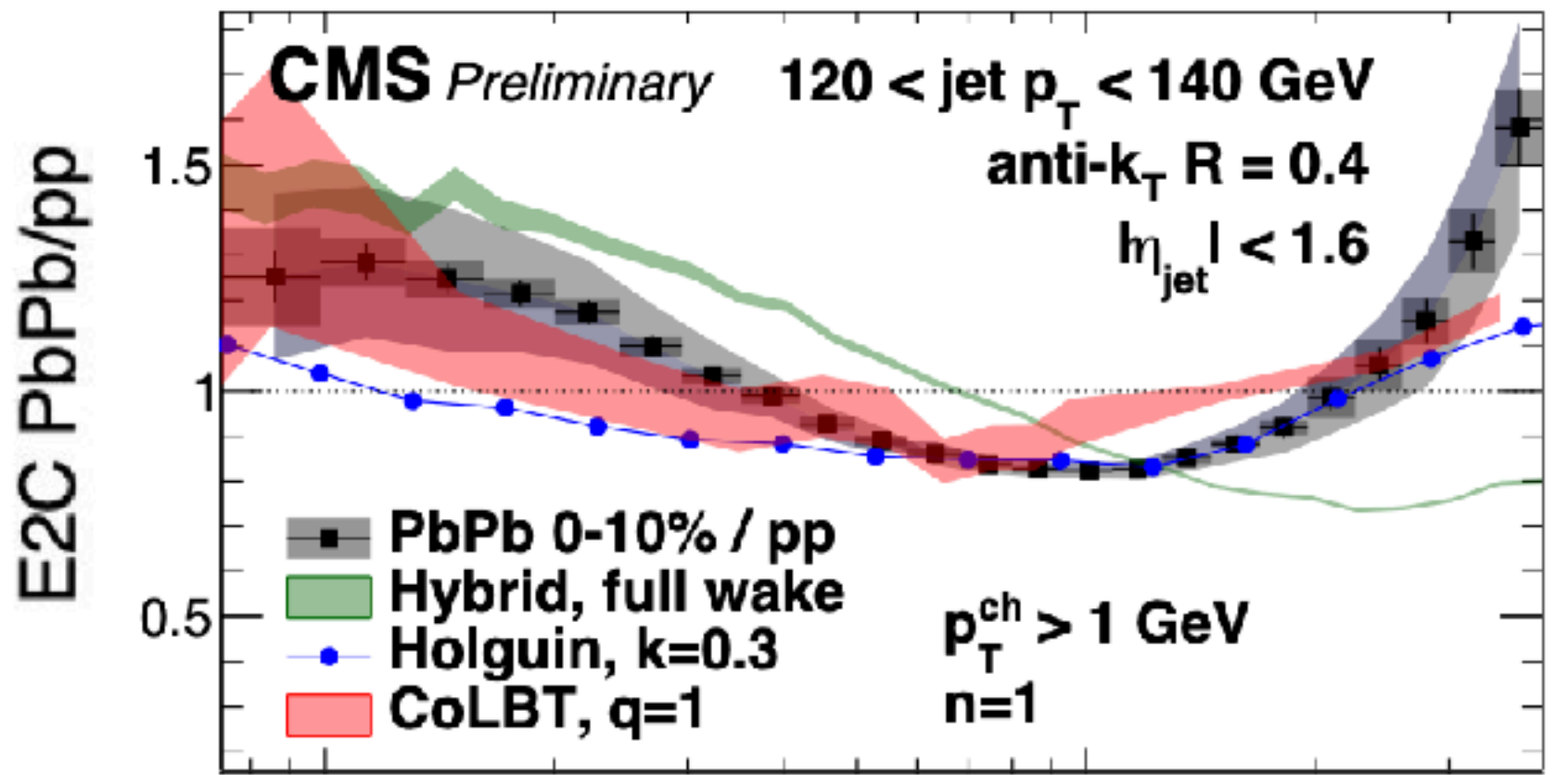
Two-Point Energy Correlator
Comparing Medium Models



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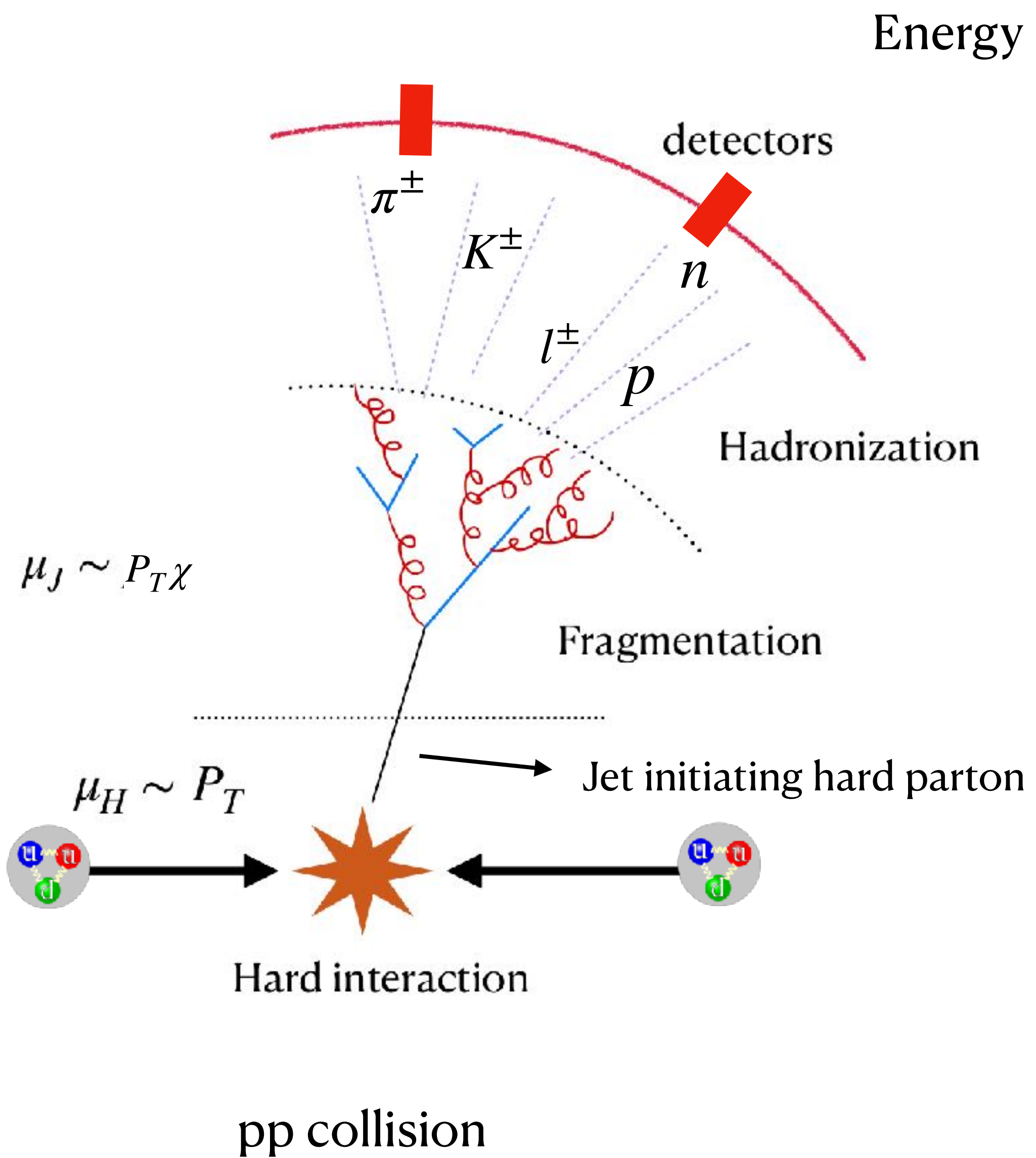


1.70 nb⁻¹ PbPb (5.02 TeV) + 302 pb⁻¹ pp (5.02 TeV)

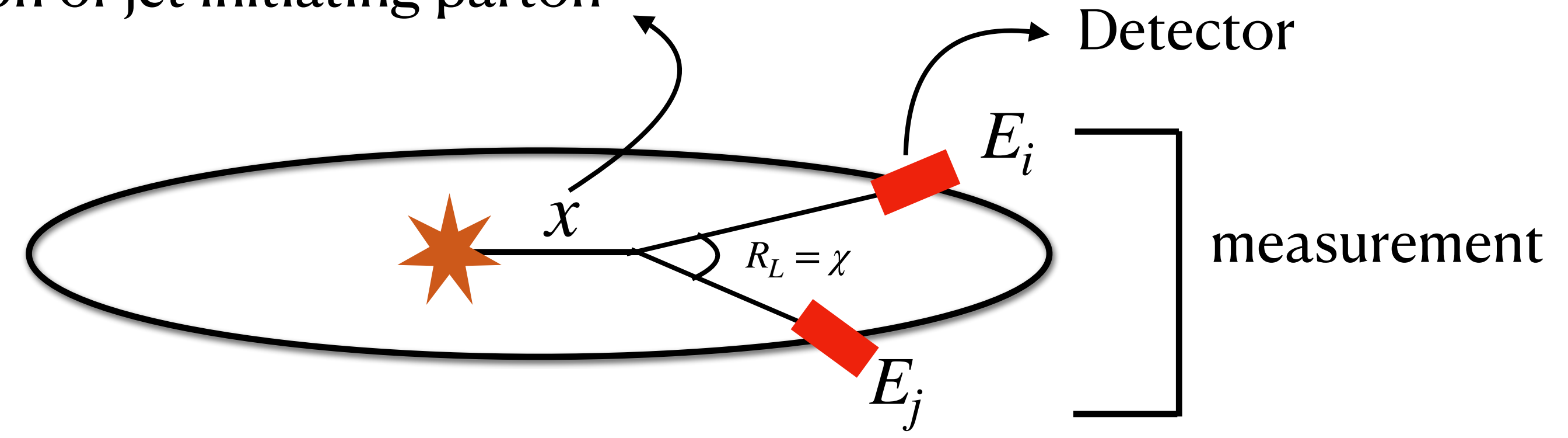


I will focus on factorization and general class of ECs

Factorization approach in pp collision



Energy fraction of jet initiating parton



- ▶ E_i and E_j are energies of two particles
- ▶ In pp collision environment only two scales
- ▶ For $\chi \ll 1$ two scales are widely separated

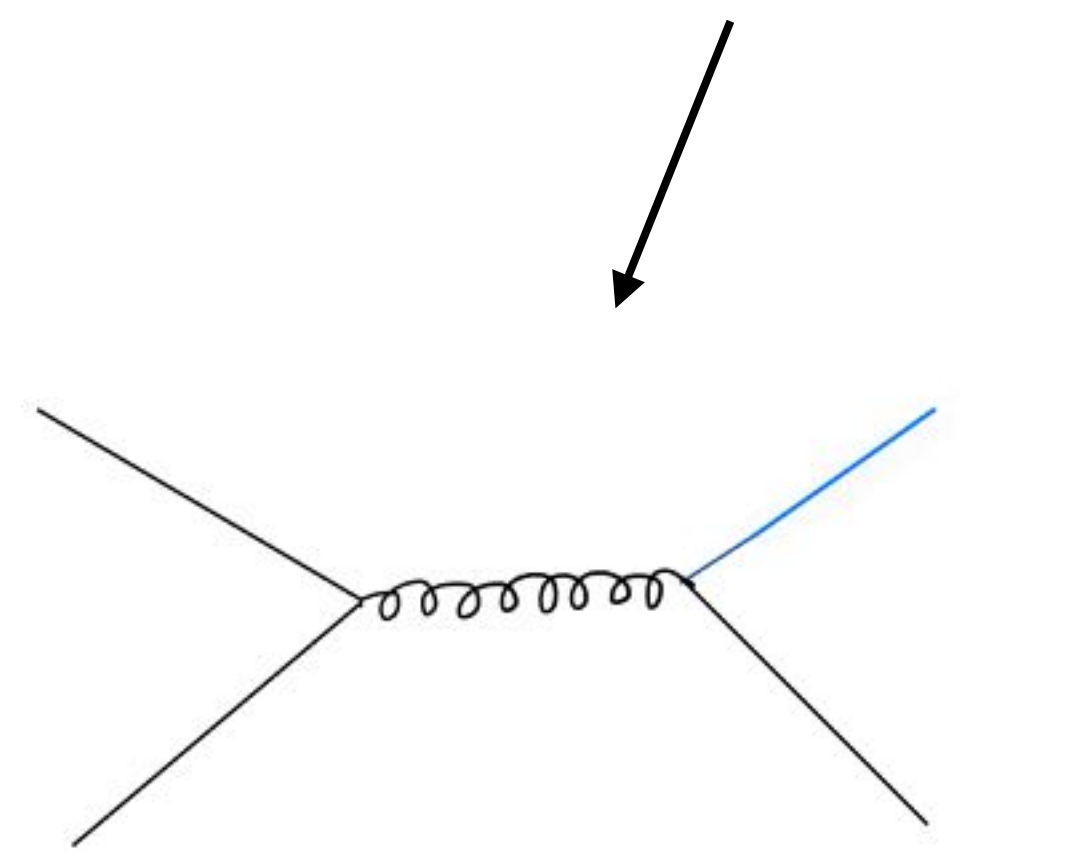
$$\mu_H \gg \mu_J$$

Factorization approach in pp collision

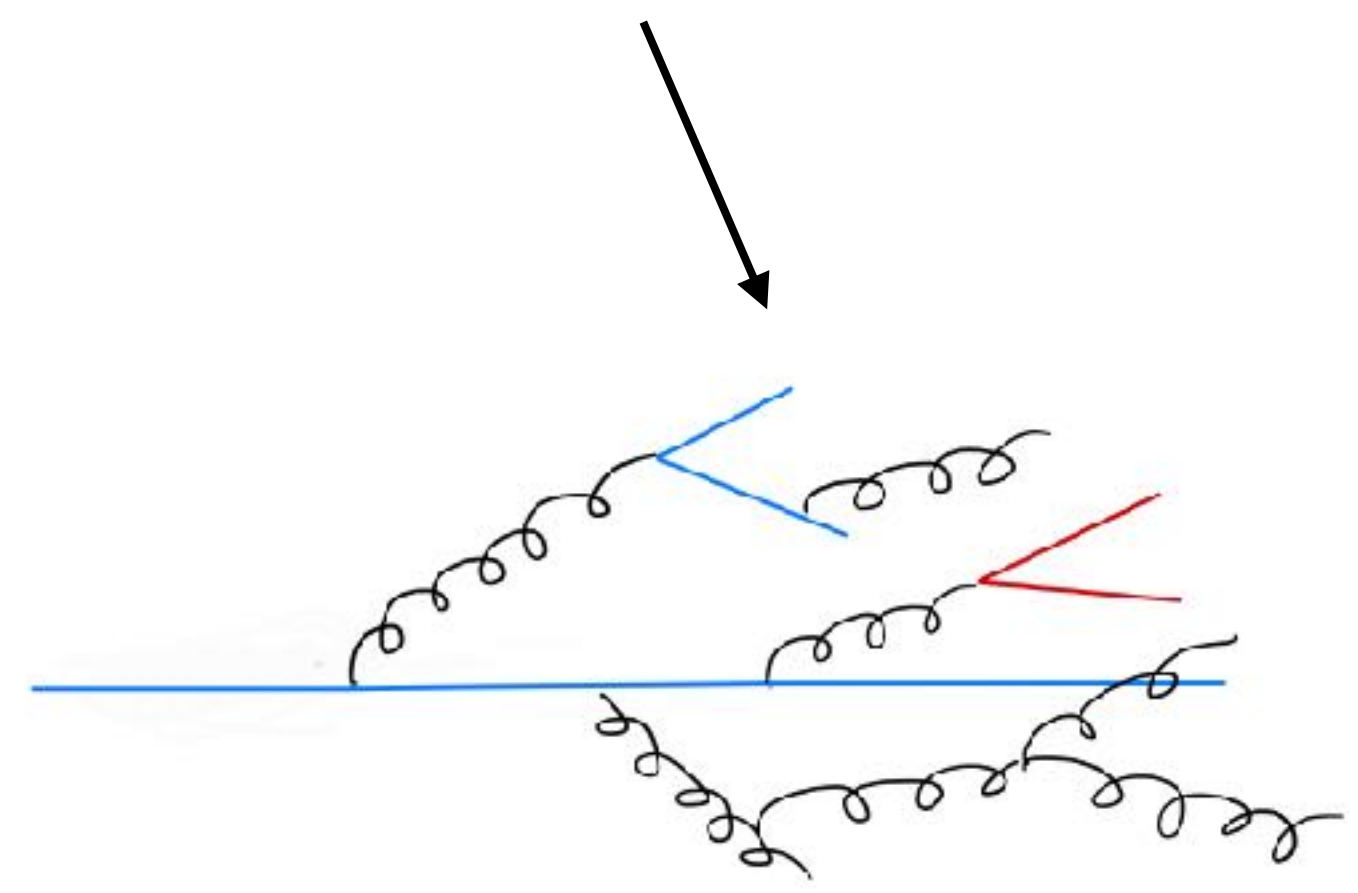
► Differential cross section can be factorized

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d\sigma}{d\chi} = \sum_{i \in \{q, \bar{q}, g\}} \int dx x^2 H_i(xQ, \mu) J_i(xQ, \chi, \mu)$$

hard function
Jet function



Production mechanism

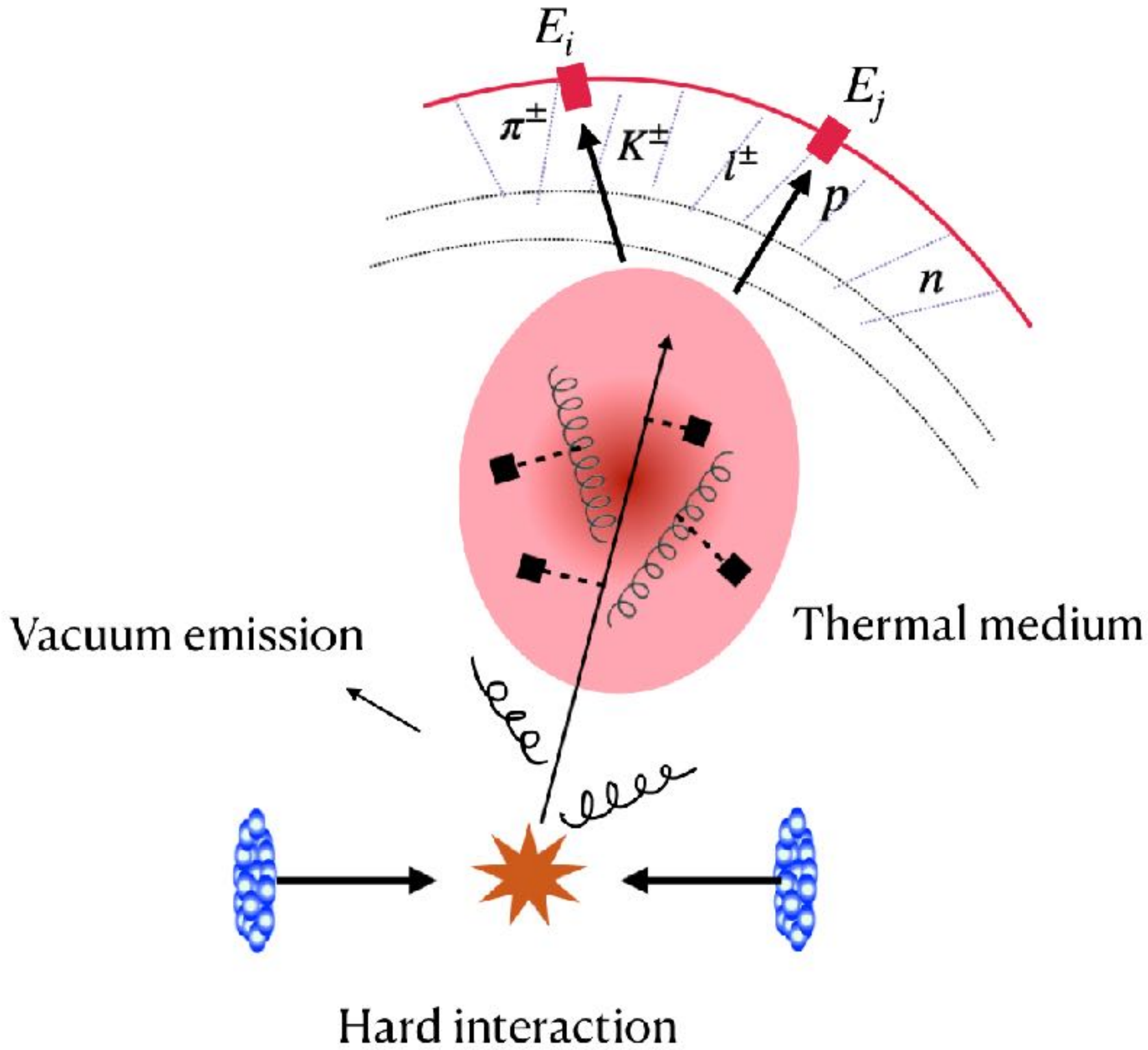


Subsequent evolution of jet

- **Hard function:** production of jet initiating parton, known to higher order
- **Jet function:** subsequent evolution in vacuum, known to higher orders
- Hard function does not depend on the measurement imposed on final state particles
- μ is factorization scale

Jets in a medium

► Presence of medium introduces many direct and indirect scales



$l_{\text{mfp}} \rightarrow$ mean free path

$T \sim m_D \rightarrow$ medium temperature

$\tau_f \sim \frac{\omega}{q_{\perp}^2} \rightarrow$ formation time

Direct scales

$\hat{q} \rightarrow$ jet quenching parameter

$\theta_c \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{\hat{q}L^3}} \rightarrow$ critical angle

emergent scales

Scale hierarchy: $\mu_H \gg \mu_J \gg T \sim m_D \geq \Lambda_{QCD}$

We will use these scales to as a guide for the EFT

Soft Collinear Effective Theory (SCET)

SCET 1410.1892

► SCET is an EFT of QCD designed to study **collinear** and **soft** radiations

Systematically obtained from QCD

collinear: Boosted along jet direction $p^- \gg p_\perp \gg p^+$

soft: No preferred direction $p^- \sim p_\perp \sim p^+$

$$n^\mu = (1, 0, 0, 1) \quad \bar{n}^\mu = (1, 0, 0, -1)$$

$$n \cdot \bar{n} = 2$$

$$p^\mu = (p^-, p^+, \vec{p}_\perp)$$

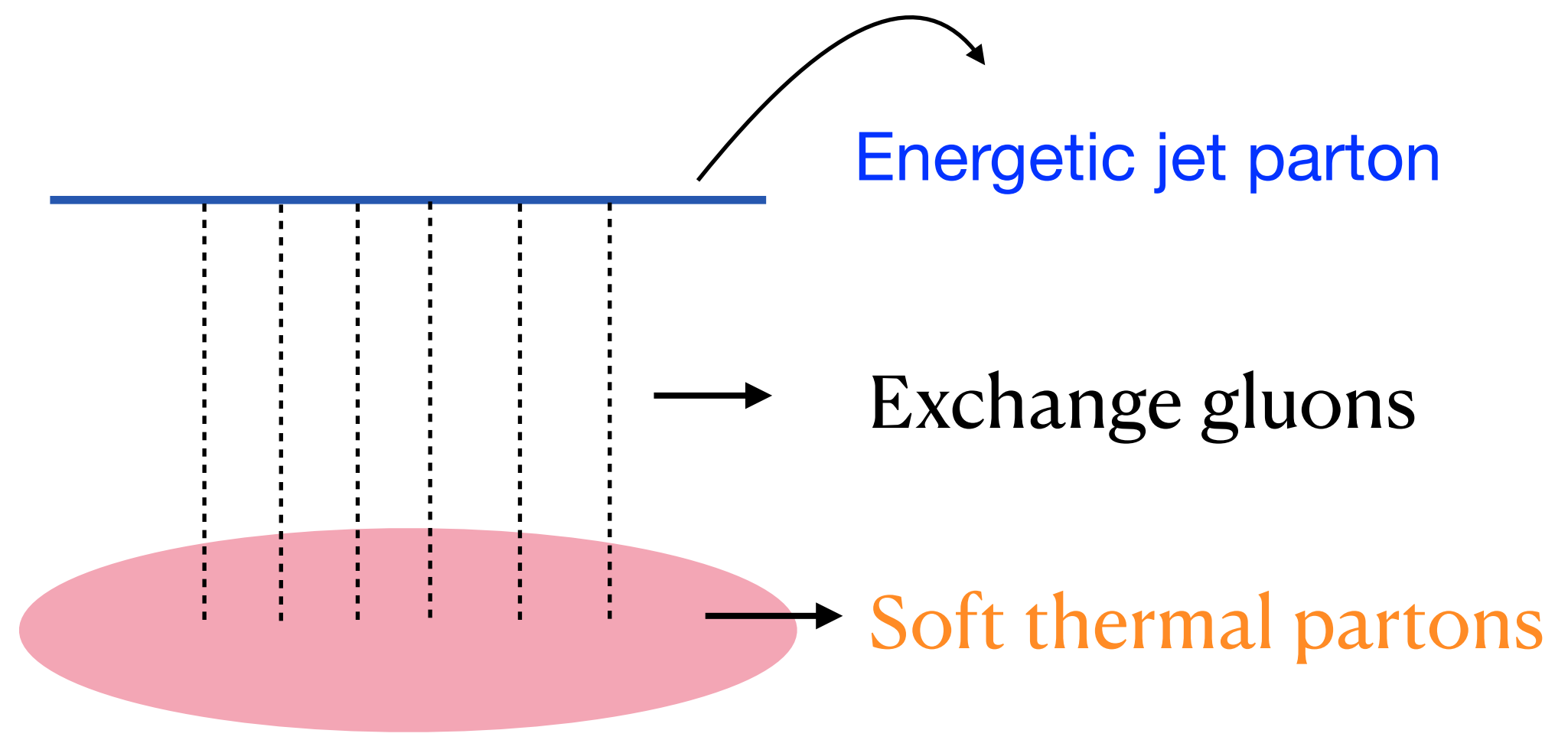
$$p^+ = n \cdot p \quad p^- = \bar{n} \cdot p$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SCET}}^0 = \mathcal{L}_s(\psi_s, A_s) + \sum_{n_i} \mathcal{L}_{n_i}^0(\xi_{n_i}, A_{n_i}) + \mathcal{L}_G(\xi_{n_i}, A_{n_i}, \psi_s, A_s)$$

► All hard emission \mathcal{L}_n^0

► Medium interactions \mathcal{L}_s

► Jet and medium interactions \mathcal{L}_G



EFT modes

► At least need four types of momentum modes

Production : hard mode $p_h \sim Q(1,1,1)$

Jet : collinear mode $p_c \sim Q(1,\lambda^2,\lambda)$

Medium : soft mode $p_s \sim Q(\lambda,\lambda,\lambda)$ with $Q\lambda = T \approx Q_{\text{med}}$

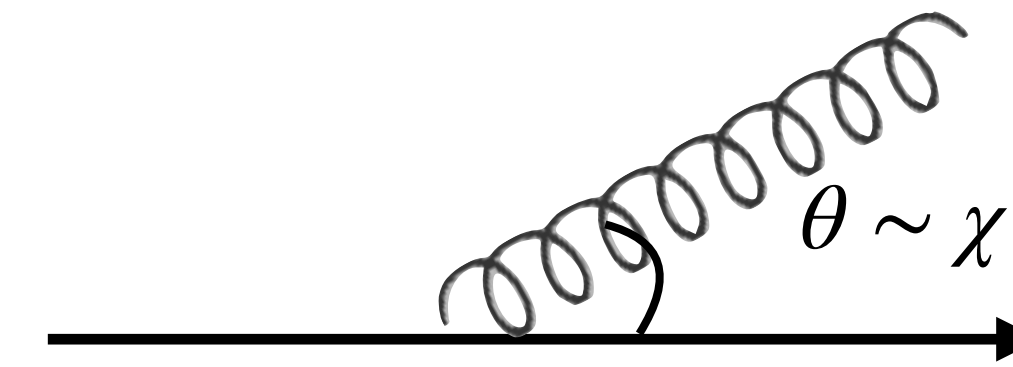
Glauber : Scale such that interaction should not change the off-shellness of collinear or soft modes $k \sim Q(\lambda,\lambda^2,\lambda)$

Region I : $Q \gg Q\chi \sim Q_{\text{med}} = [2 - 3] \text{ GeV}$ for $\hat{q} = [1 - 2] \text{ GeV}^2 \text{ fm}^{-1}$ and $L = 5 \text{ fm}$

Region II : $Q \gg Q\chi \gg Q_{\text{med}}$, two stage EFT

Medium induced emissions : **collinear soft** $p_{cs} \sim Q\lambda(1,\lambda,\lambda^2)$

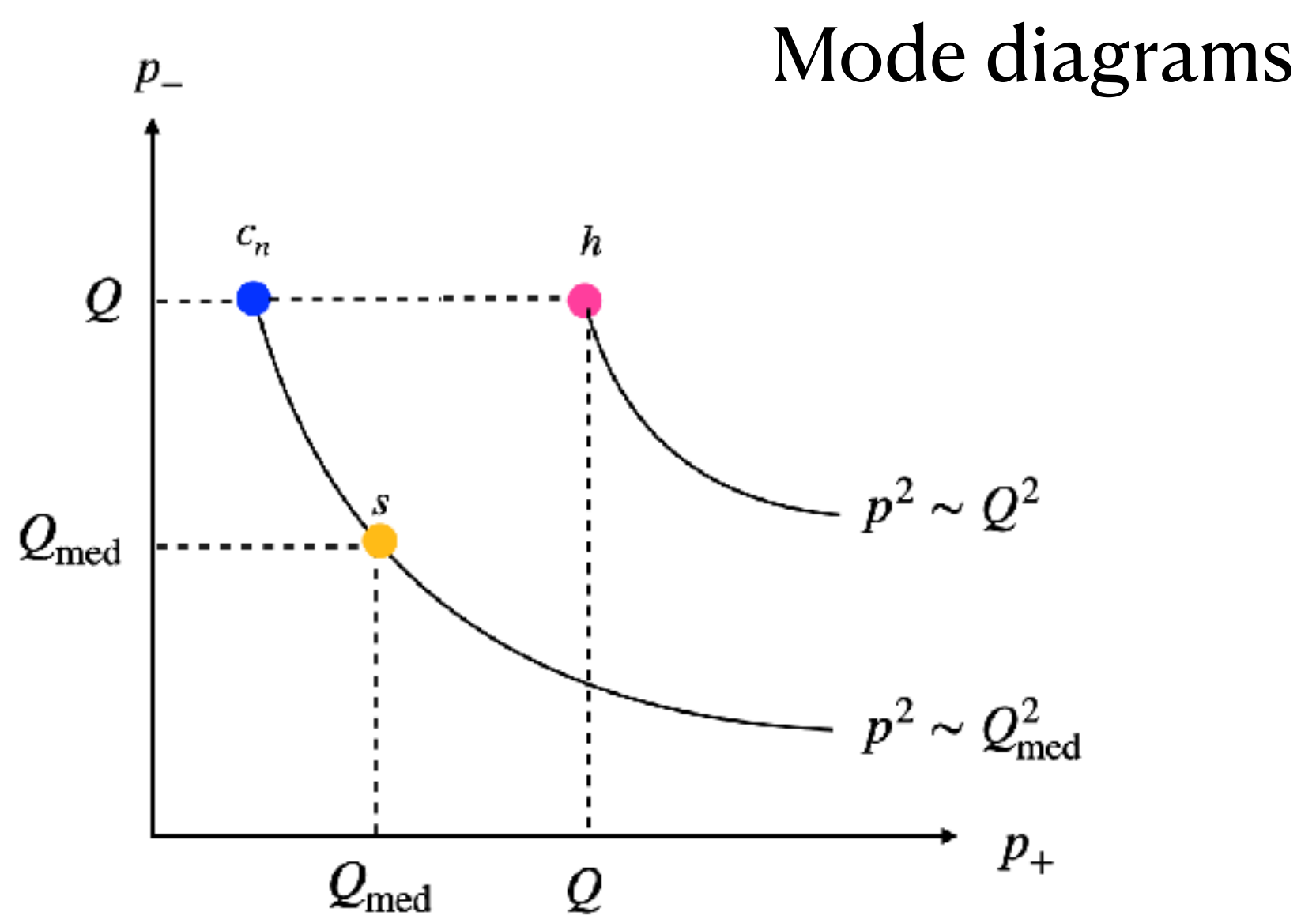
Transverse momentum scaling of c mode is fixed by the measurement $p_{c\perp} = Q\chi$, which is χ



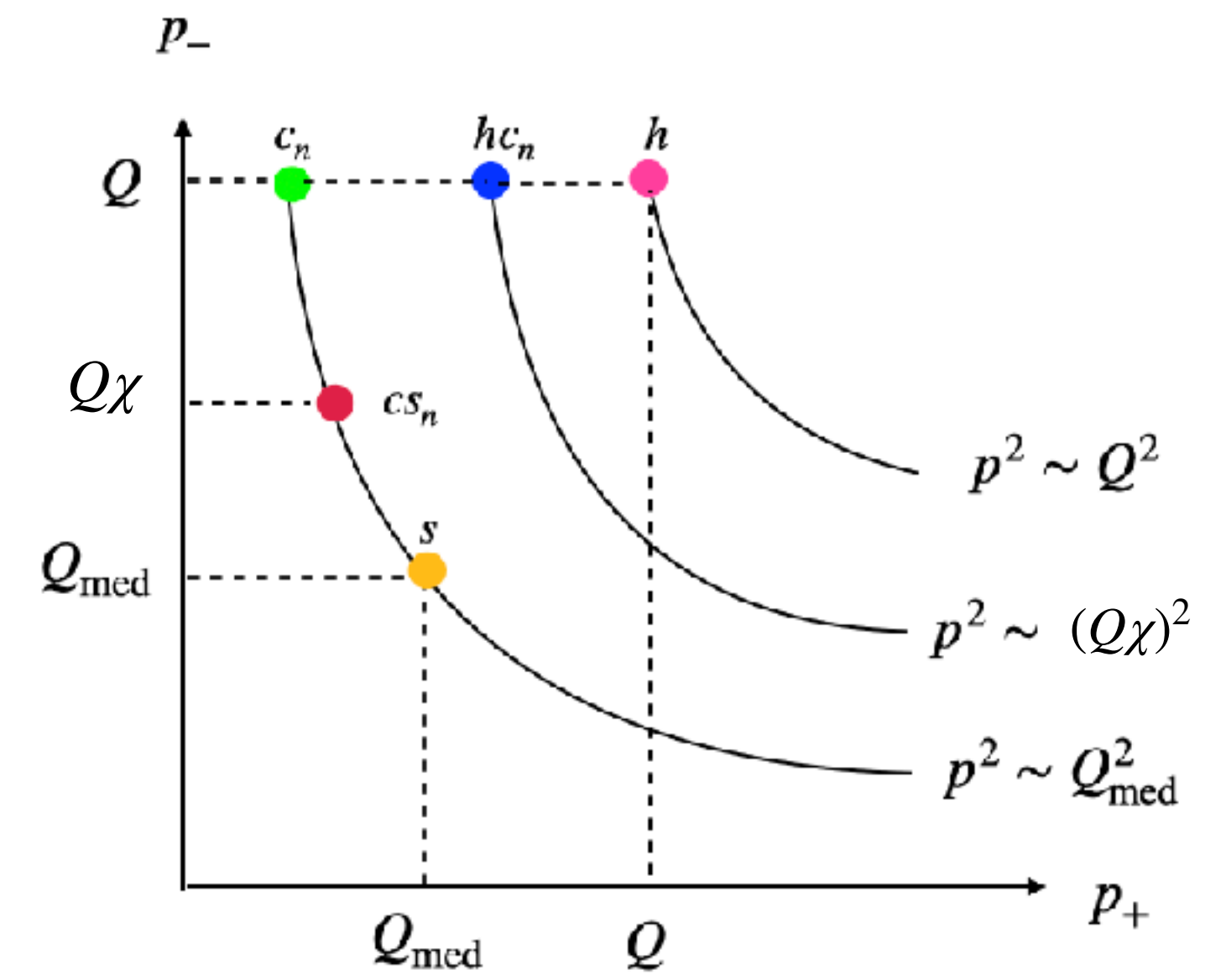
cs modes are also collinear modes but softer than collinear modes but energy larger than medium partons

Logs and runnings

- ▶ Mode diagram with onshell condition $p^2 = p^+ p^- - p_\perp^2 = 0$
- ▶ Soft and collinear soft modes sits on same mass hyperbola

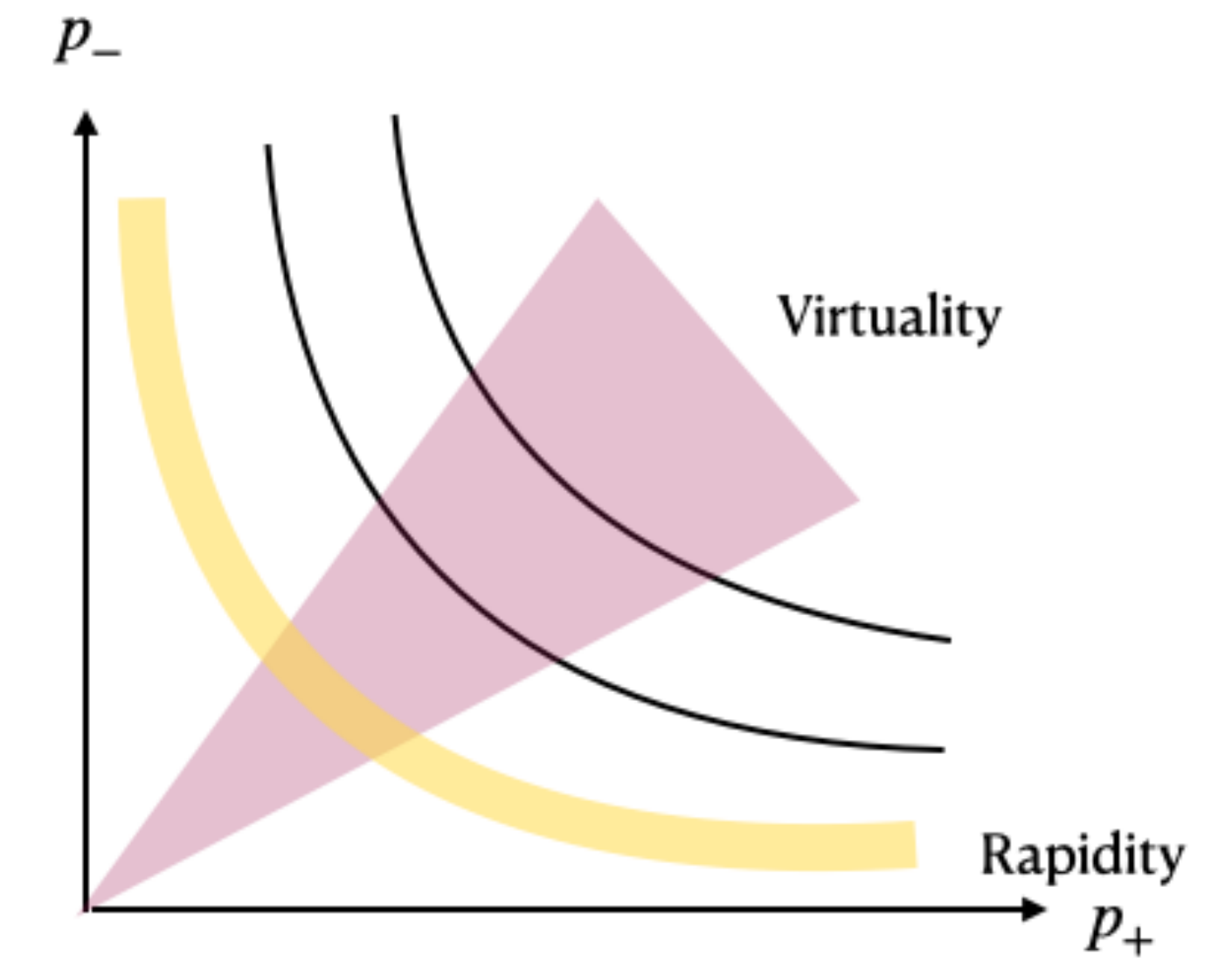


$$Q\chi \sim Q_{\text{med}}$$



$$Q\chi \gg Q_{\text{med}}$$

RG runnings

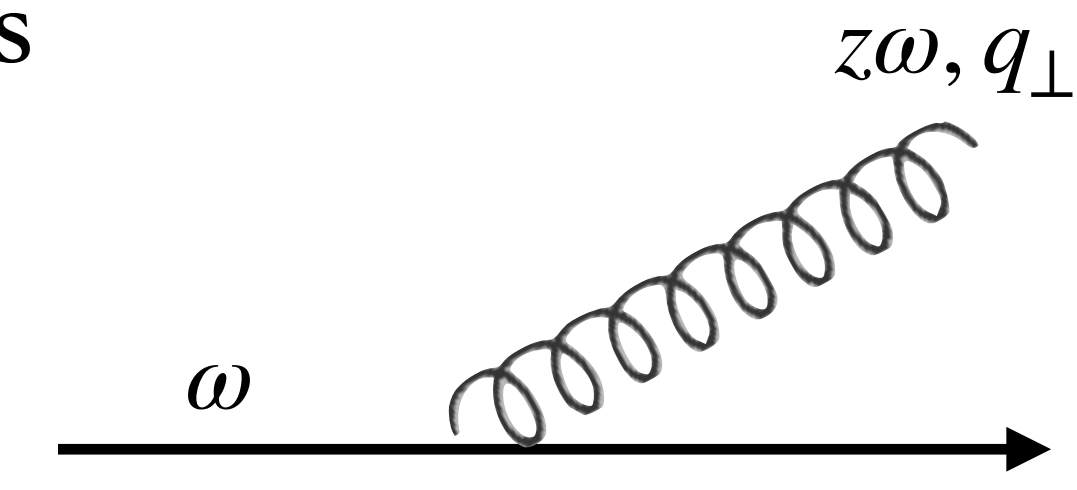


- ▶ Non-trivial running in both virtuality and rapidity, DGLAP and BFKL

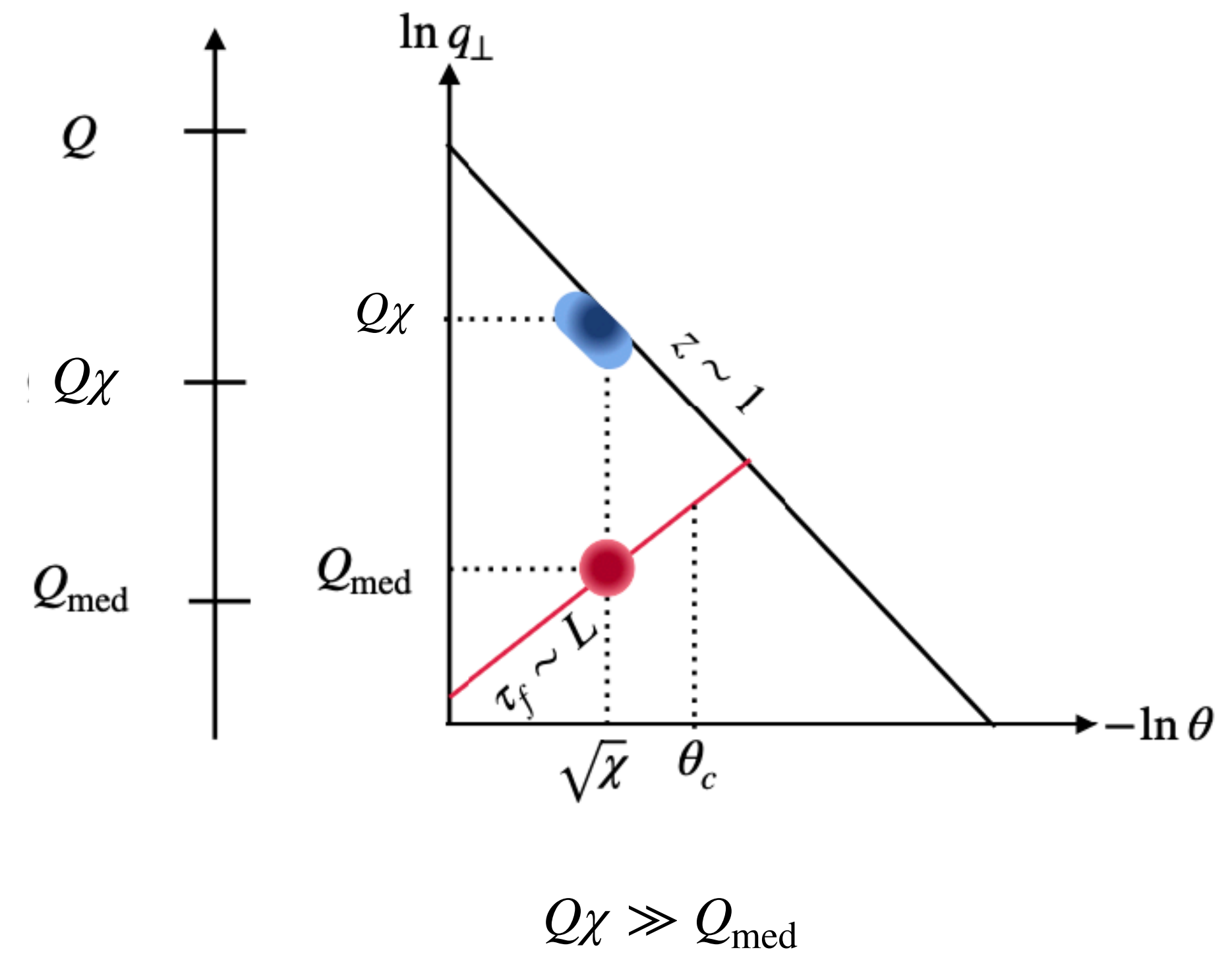
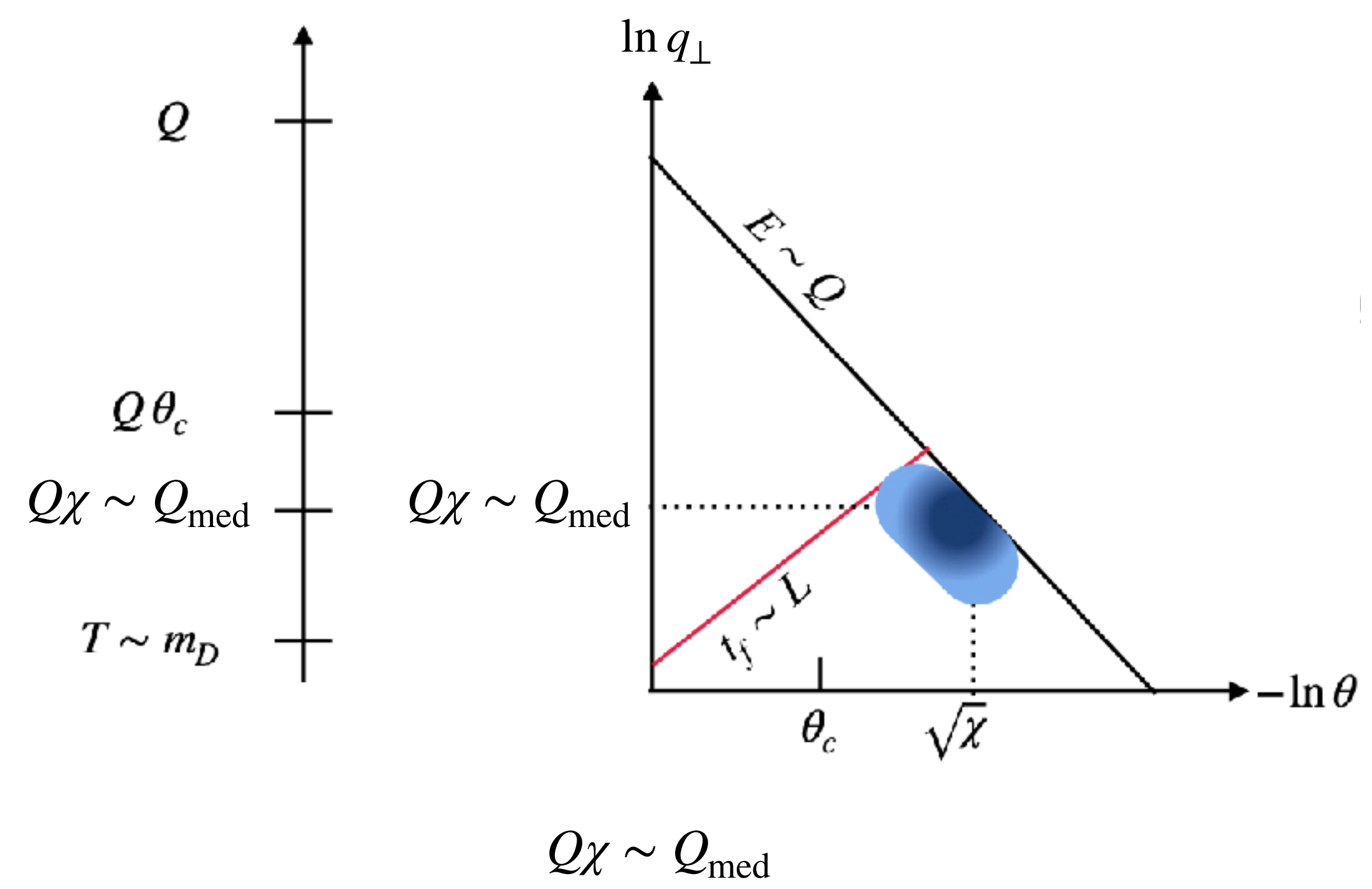
Lund plane representation

► Phase space region populated by each mode is assessed using Lund diagrams

$$q_{\perp} = z\omega\theta \quad z\omega = \tau_f q_{\perp}^2$$



► Emissions with $\theta > \theta_c$ are resolved by the medium



Jet as open quantum system

1. Factorized total initial density matrix

$$\rho(0) = |e^+e^-\rangle\langle e^+e^-| \otimes \rho_E(0) \quad \rho_E = \frac{e^{-\beta H_E}}{\text{Tr}[e^{-\beta H_E}]}$$

2. Time evolution of the jet is defined through system density matrix evolution

$$\rho(t) = e^{-iHt}\rho(0)e^{iHt} \longrightarrow \text{Can be solved to get Lindblad equation}$$

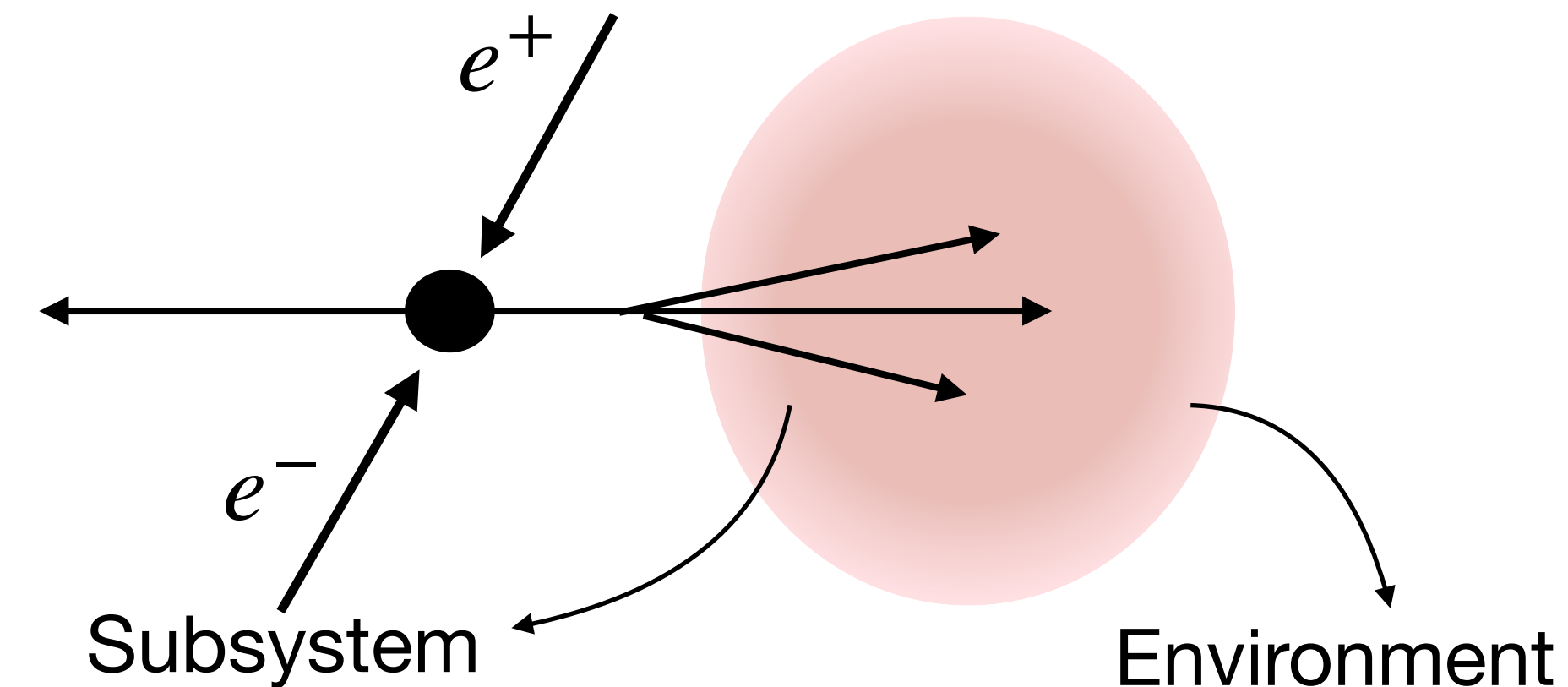
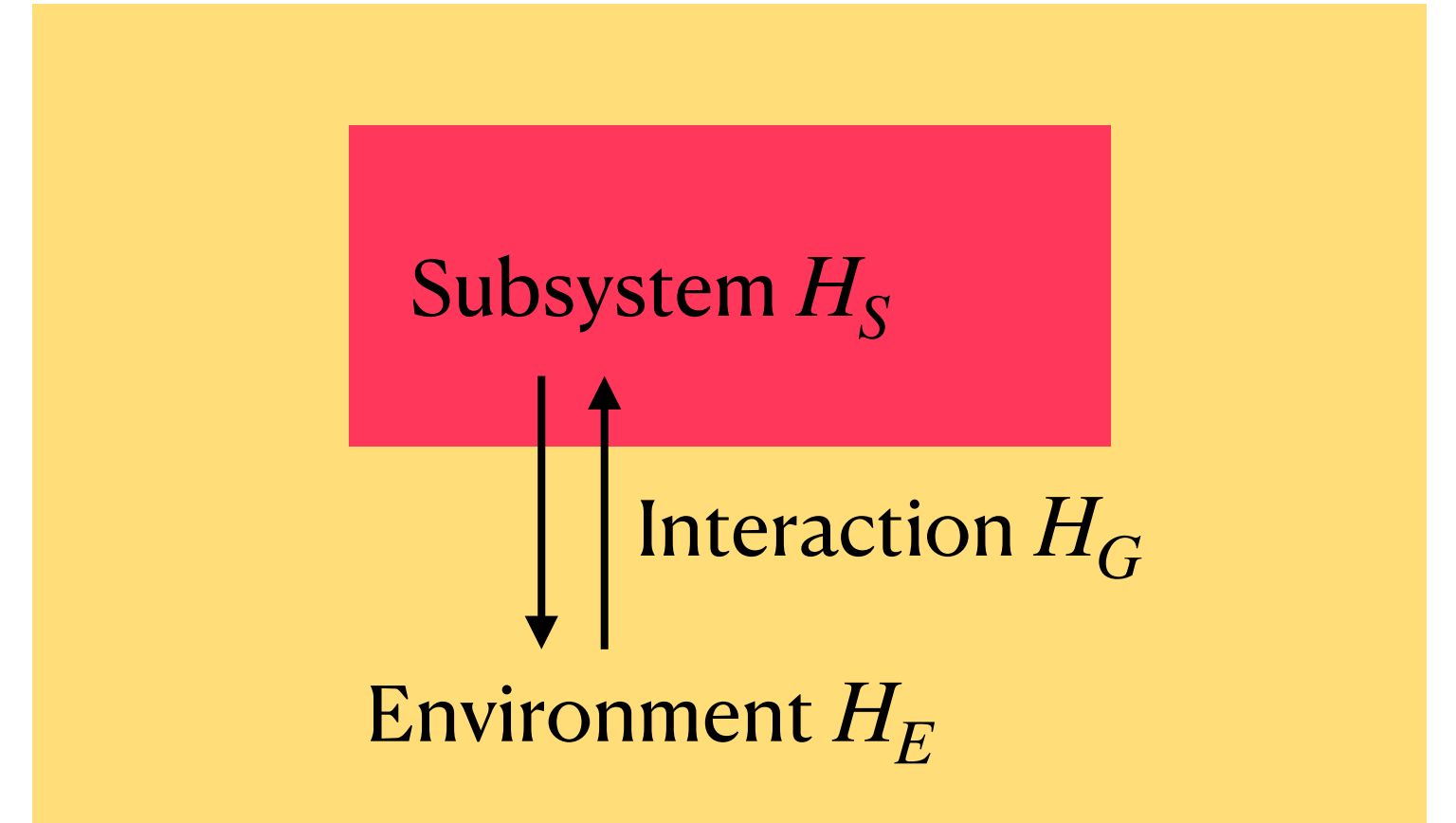
$$H = H_S + H_E + H_G + C(Q)l^\mu j_\mu \equiv H_0 + \mathcal{O}_H$$

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Hard interaction

$$j^\mu = \bar{\chi}_n \gamma^\mu \chi_n$$

3. Hard operator creates hard scattering event that produces the jet

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\chi} = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \text{Tr}[\rho(t)\mathcal{M}] = |C(Q)|^2 L_{\mu\nu} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int d^4x d^4y e^{iq \cdot (x-y)} \text{Tr}[e^{-iH_0 t} j^\mu(x) \rho(0) \mathcal{M} j^\nu(y) e^{iH_0 t}]$$

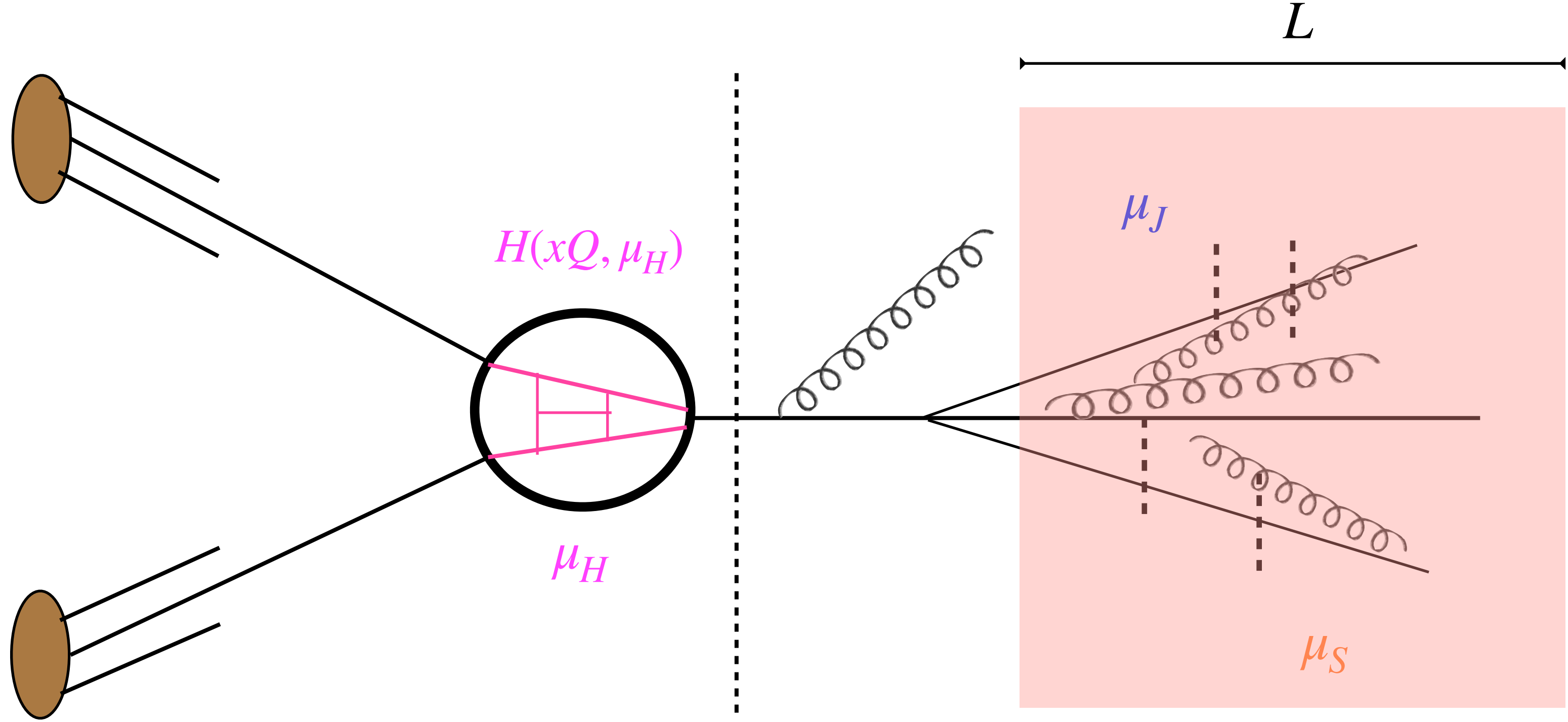
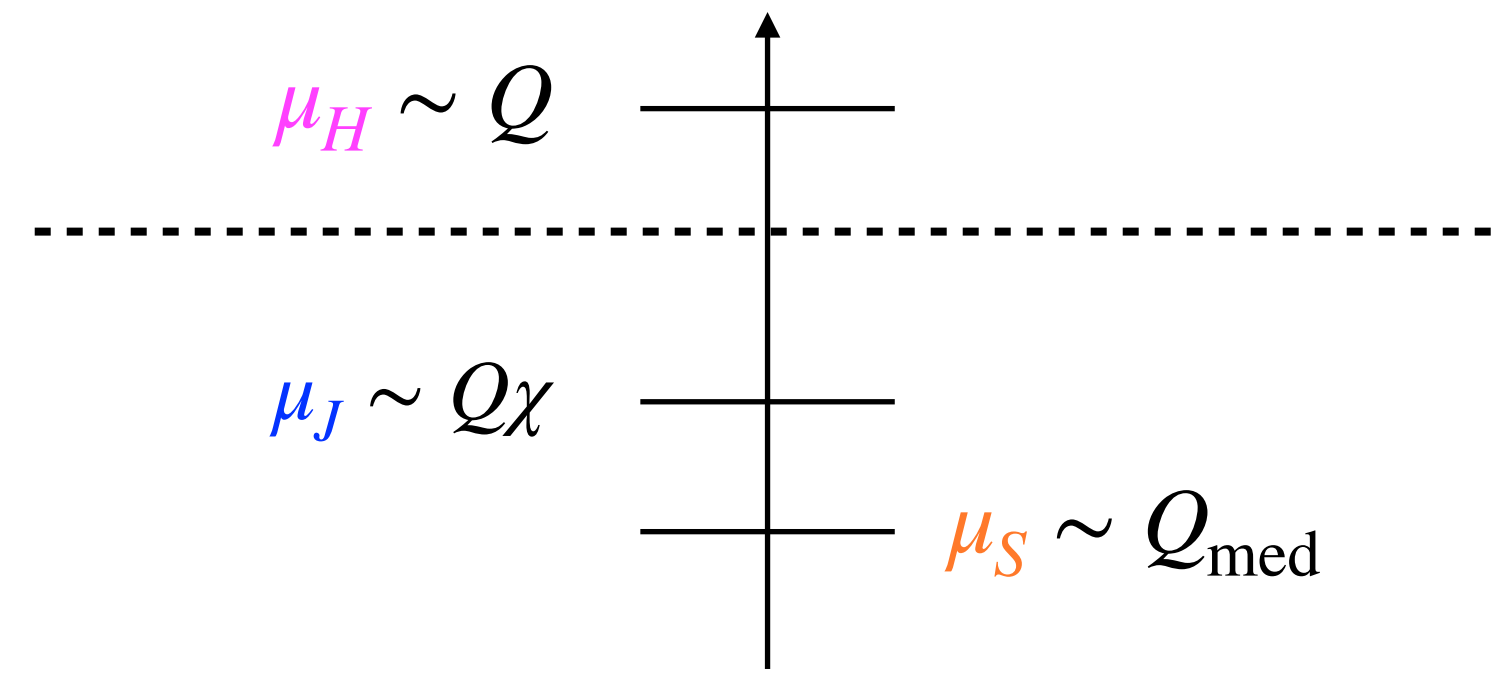


Factorizing hard function

- ▶ OPE for factorizing hard scales

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\chi} = \sum_{i \in \{q, \bar{q}, g\}} \int dx x^2 H_i(xQ, \mu) J_i(xQ, \chi, \mu)$$

- ▶ At this stage $J(xQ, \chi, \mu)$ contains both vacuum and medium physics



Soft scale depends only on the Glauber momentum which is transferred to the jet by the medium

Measurement factorization

$$J_q(\chi) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \sum_X \text{Tr} \left[\rho_E(0) \frac{\bar{n}}{2} e^{iH_{ns}t} \underbrace{\bar{\mathbf{T}} \left\{ e^{-i \int_0^t dt' H_{G,I}(t')} \chi_{n,I}(0) \right\}}_{\text{Glauber interaction}} \mathcal{M} |X\rangle \langle X| \underbrace{\mathbf{T} \left\{ e^{-i \int_0^t dt' H_{G,I}(t')} \bar{\chi}_{n,I}(0) \right\}}_{\text{Glauber interaction}} e^{-iH_{ns}t} \right]$$

$$|X\rangle = |X_n\rangle \otimes |X_s\rangle$$

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Factorizing measurement function

$$\mathcal{M} = \hat{E}(\chi) |X\rangle = \frac{1}{Q} \sum_{i \in \{X_n, X_s\}} \left(E_{i,n} \Theta(\chi - \theta_{n,i}) + E_{i,s} \Theta(\chi - \theta_{s,i}) \right) |X_n\rangle |X_s\rangle$$

- ▶ Soft contributions to the measurement are power suppressed
- ▶ Glaubers being off-shell modes do not contribute to the measurement
- ▶ Now we can separate vacuum and medium induced jet function in J_q

Vacuum jet function

$$J_q(\omega, \chi, \mu) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} J_q^{(i)}(\omega, \chi, \mu)$$

Expansion in Glauber Hamiltonian

▶ Leading order

$$J_q(\omega, \chi, \mu) = J_q^{(0)}(\omega, \chi, \mu)$$

$i = 0$, vacuum

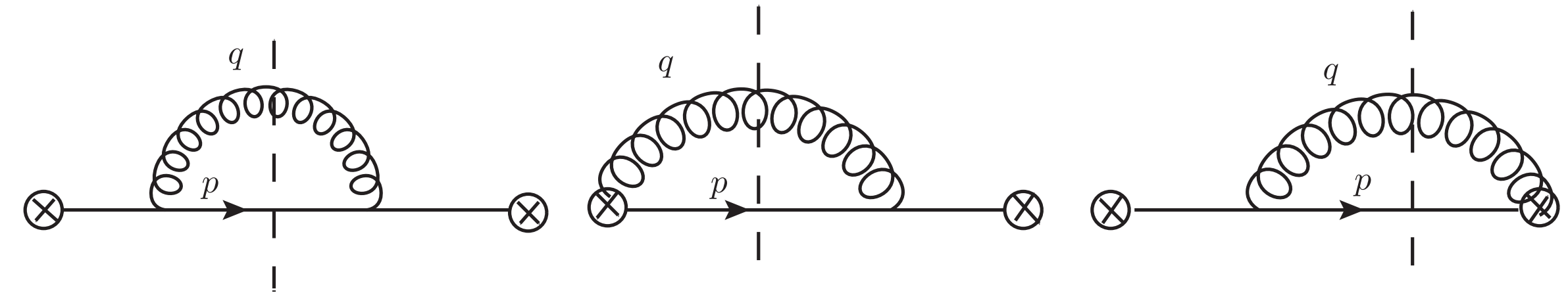
$i = 2$, single scattering

$i \geq 4$, multiple scattering

▶ Soft function does not depend on the measurement and becomes identity

$$J_q^{(0)}(\omega, \chi, \mu) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \sum_{X_n} \text{Tr} \left[\frac{\bar{n}}{2} \langle 0 | \chi_n(0) \mathcal{M} | X_n \rangle \langle X_n | \delta(\omega - \bar{n} \cdot \mathcal{P}) \delta^2(\mathbb{P}_\perp) \bar{\chi}_n(0) | 0 \rangle \right]$$

Vacuum jet function diagrams



$$\omega = xQ$$

Log in cumulant

$$J_q^{(0)}(\omega, \chi) = \delta(\chi) + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{\pi} \left(-\frac{3}{2\epsilon} \delta(\chi) + \frac{3}{2} \left[\frac{1}{\chi} \right]_+ - \frac{3}{2} \delta(\chi) \ln \left(\frac{\mu^2}{\omega^2} \right) - \frac{19}{3} \delta(\chi) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon) \right)$$

$$\frac{3}{2} \left[\frac{\mu^2}{\omega^2 \chi} \right]_+$$

Medium induced jet function

$$J_{q2}(\chi) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \sum_X \text{Tr} \left[\rho_E(0) \frac{\bar{n}}{2} e^{iH_{ns}t} \int_0^t dt' H_{G,I}(t') \chi_{n,I}(0) \mathcal{M} |X\rangle \langle X| \int_0^t dt' H_{G,I}(t') \bar{\chi}_{n,I}(0) e^{-iH_{ns}t} \right] + c.c.$$

Collinear and soft operators act on their corresponding states so can be separated

Glauber Hamiltonian

$$H_G = c \sum_{i,j \in q,g} \int d^3\mathbf{y} \mathcal{O}_n^{ia}(\mathbf{y}) \frac{1}{\mathcal{P}_\perp^2} \mathcal{O}_s^{ja}(\mathbf{y})$$

$$\mathcal{O}_n^{qA} = \bar{\chi}_n T^A \frac{\not{\chi}}{2} \chi_n$$

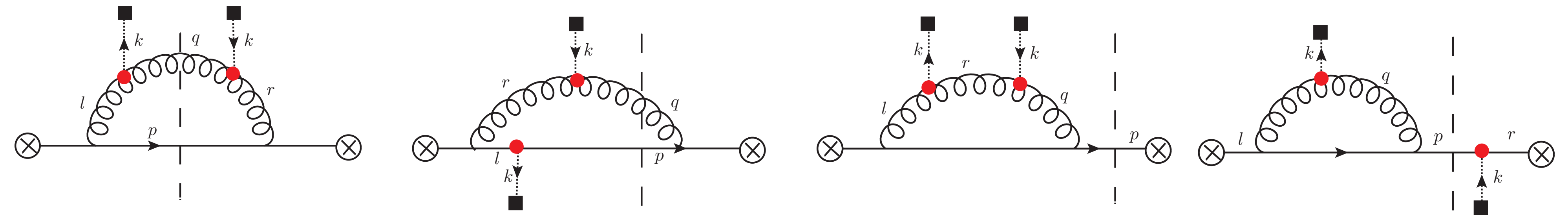
$$\mathcal{O}_s^{qA} = \bar{\chi}_s T^A \frac{\not{\chi}}{2} \chi_s$$

$$J_{q2}(\chi; L) = L \int \frac{d^2k_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} \mathbf{J}_{q2}(\chi, k_\perp, L) \otimes \mathbf{B}(k_\perp)$$

Production of medium induced emissions

Medium correlator

Medium induced jet function diagrams



Medium induced jet function

Medium induced jet function in the soft limit

$$\mathbf{J}_{q_2}(\chi, \omega, k_\perp) = \frac{4C_F N_c g^2 L}{\pi} \int \frac{dz}{z} \int \frac{d^2 q_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} \underbrace{\frac{\vec{q}_\perp \cdot \vec{k}_\perp}{\vec{q}_\perp^2 \vec{k}_\perp^2}}_{\vec{k} = \vec{q}_\perp - \vec{k}_\perp} \left(1 - \underbrace{\frac{z\omega}{\vec{k}_\perp^2 L} \sin\left[\frac{L\vec{k}^2}{z\omega}\right]}_{\text{LPM}} \right) 2z \delta\left(\chi^2 - \frac{q_\perp^2}{z^2 \omega^2}\right)$$

Agreement with GLV
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Divergent if measurement
is not energy

Comes from
measurement
function

Divergence require a regulator and in this set-up its a rapidity regulator and corresponding resummation resums the logs of energies

For two point energy correlator the divergence is expected to appear and NNLO accuracy

Medium function

- ▶ Thermal expectation value of soft operators

$$\mathbf{B}(k) = \int d^4r e^{ik \cdot r} \langle \rho_E O_s^a(r) O_s^a(0) \rangle$$

Weak dependence on transverse momentum

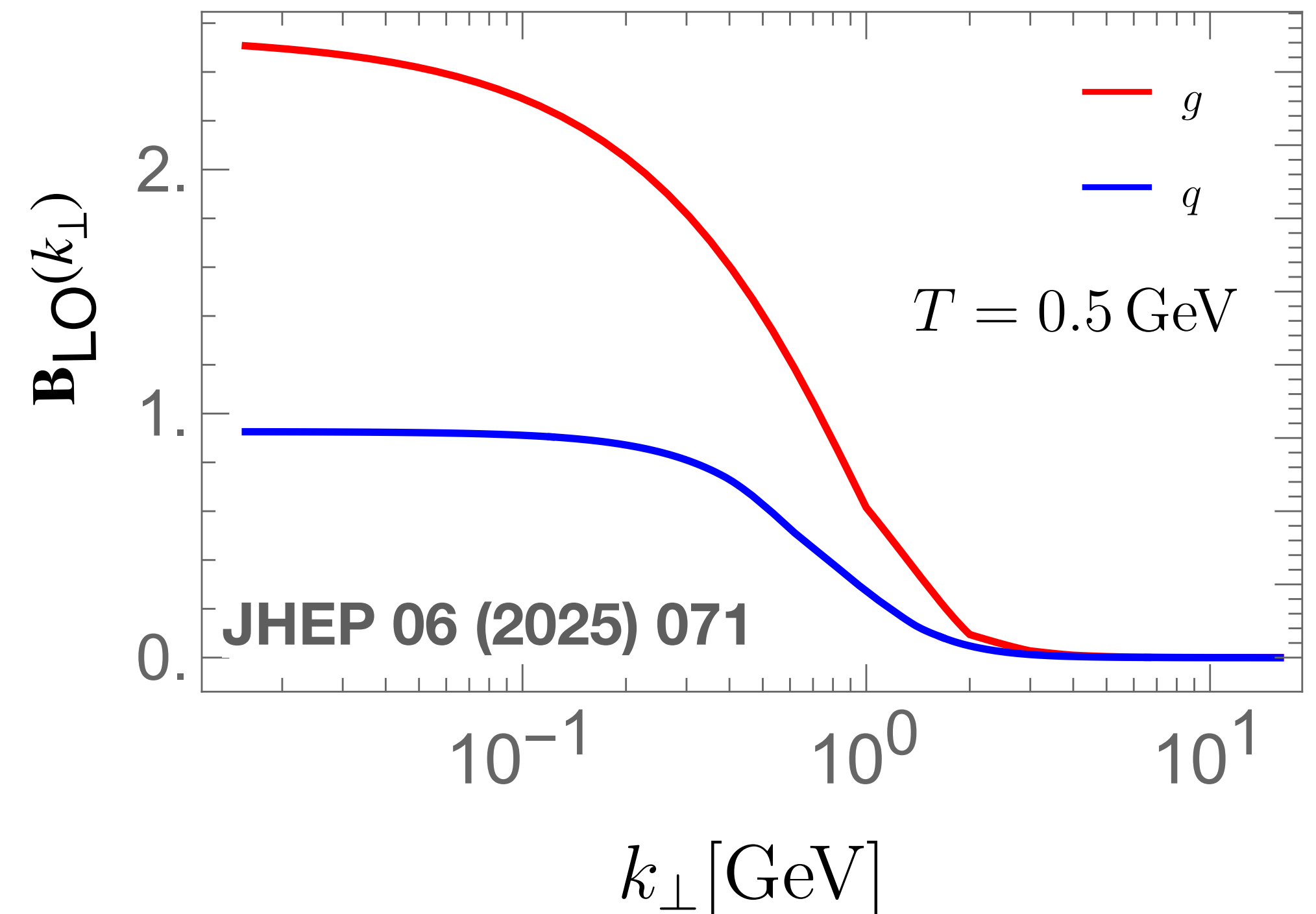
$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{LO}}(k_\perp) \approx \frac{f(k_\perp)}{k_\perp^4} \equiv \frac{f(k_\perp)}{(k_\perp^2 + m_D^2)^2}$$

Soft loop correction on Glauber propagator

Medium function has BFKL anomalous dimension

- ▶ Allows for dynamic treatment of the medium through medium correlation function
- ▶ Medium function can be computed non-perturbatively using lattice gauge theory to give fully model independent description of jet-medium interactions

LO medium function



Resummed EEC jet function

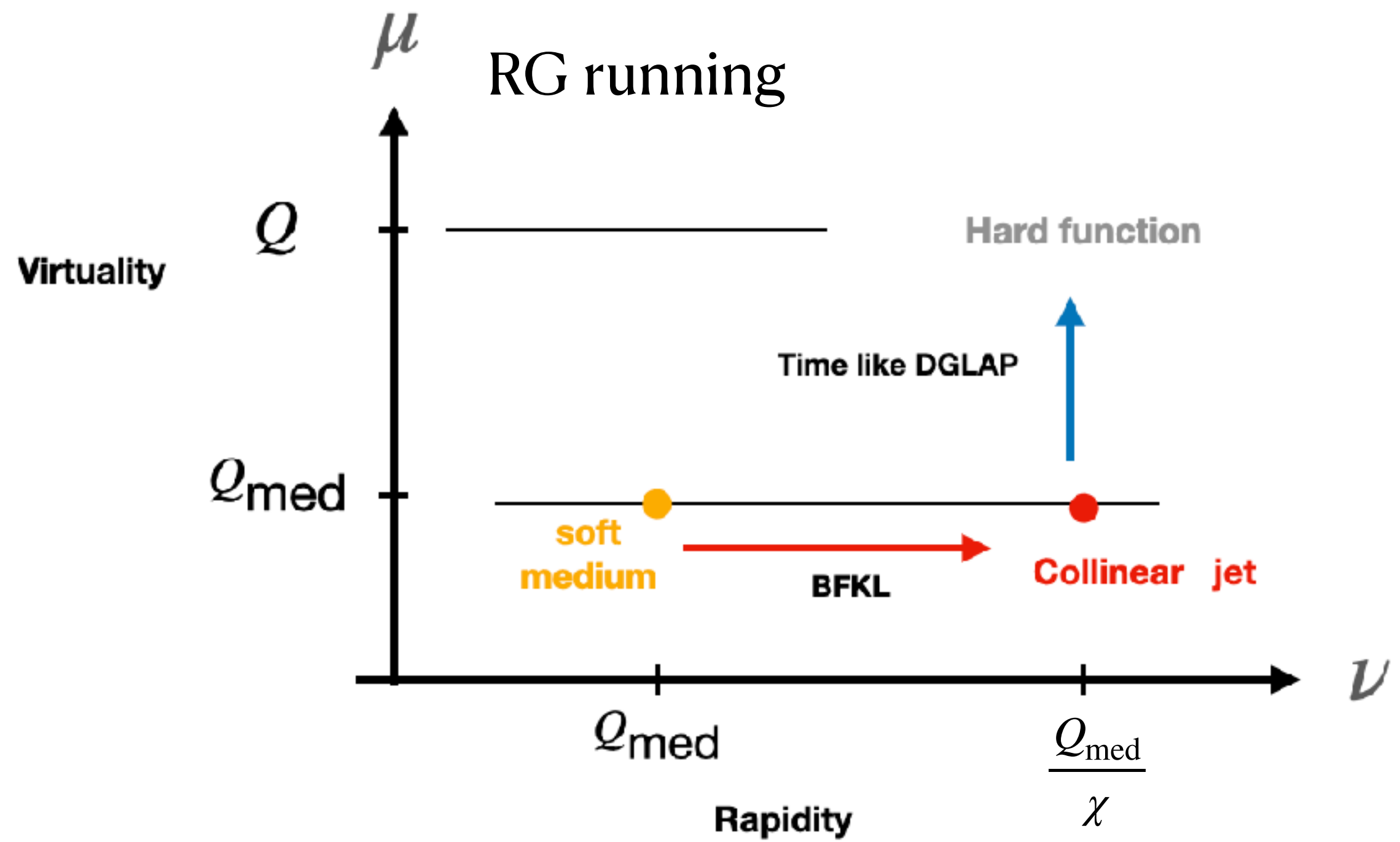
$$\mathbf{J}_{q_2}^R(k_\perp, \mu, \nu_f) = \int d^2 l_\perp \mathbf{J}_{q_2}(l_\perp, \mu, \nu_0) \int \frac{d\xi}{2\pi} k_\perp^{-1+2i\xi} l_\perp^{-1-2i\xi} e^{in(\phi_k - \phi_l)} e^{-\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)N_c}{\pi} \chi(n,r) \log \frac{\nu_f}{\nu_0}}$$

Scale for jet function

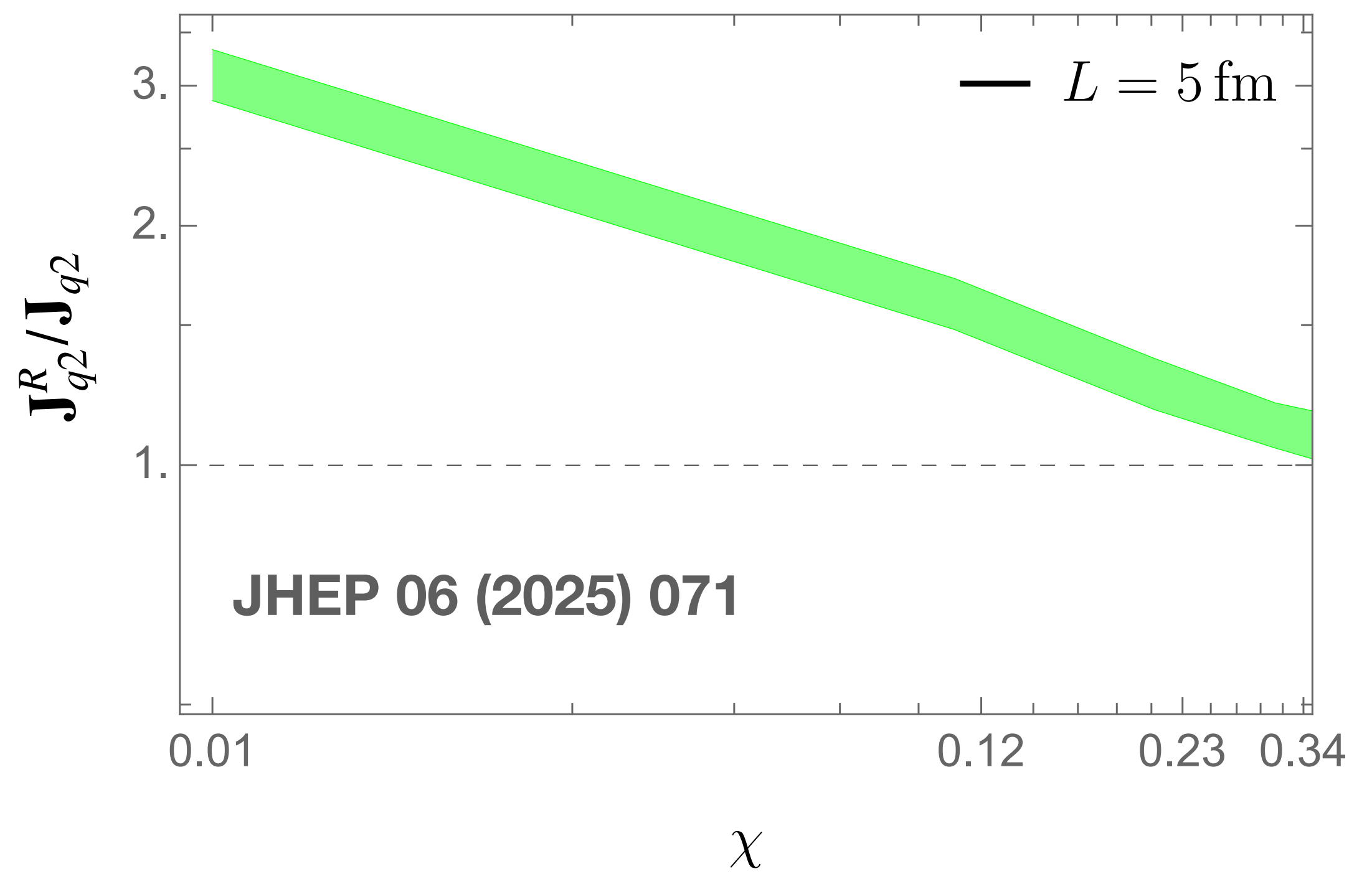
$$\nu_0 \sim \frac{Q_{\text{med}}}{\chi}$$

► Resums $\sim \alpha_s \log \chi$ terms which are relevant in small χ limit

Medium scale $\nu_f \sim Q_{\text{med}}$



Resummed and NLO ratio

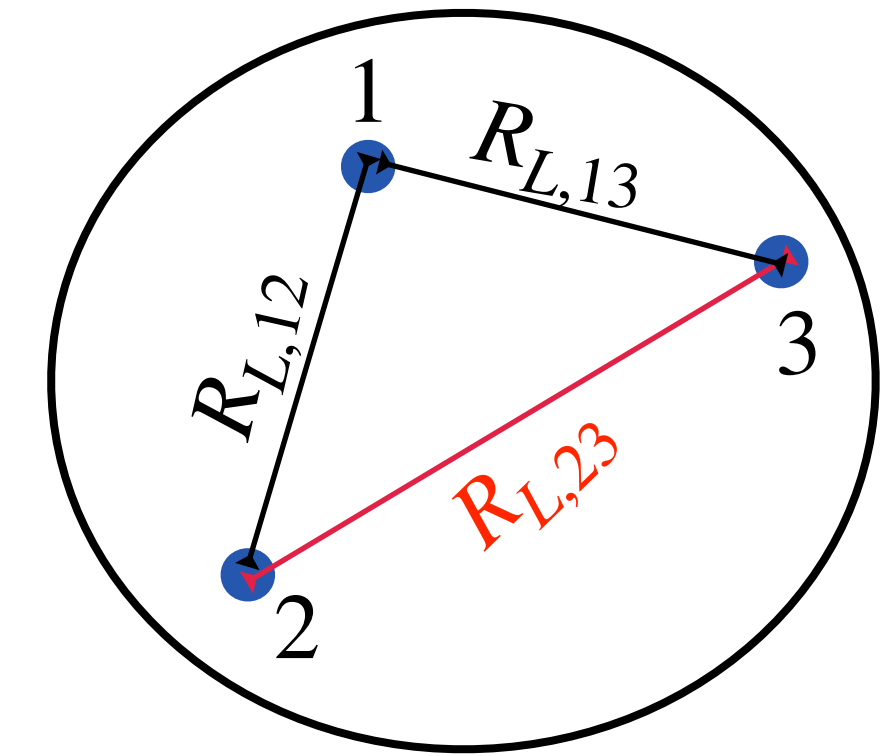


Projected energy correlators

- ▶ N-point projected energy correlators are defined for M number of particles

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$$\frac{d\sigma^{[N]}}{d\chi} = \sum_M \sum_{1 \leq i_1, \dots, i_N < M} \frac{1}{Q^N} \int d\sigma_{cd \rightarrow X_M} \left(\prod_{a=1}^N E_{i_a} \right) \delta(\chi - \max(\theta_{i_1 i_2}, \theta_{i_1 i_3}, \dots, \theta_{i_{N-1} i_N}))$$



$$\text{For } M=1 \quad \frac{E_{i_1}^N}{Q^N} \quad \text{For } M=2 \quad \frac{(E_{i_1} + E_{i_2})^N}{Q^N} - \frac{E_{i_1}^N}{Q^N} - \frac{E_{i_2}^N}{Q^N}$$

- ▶ These are binomial expansions and can be analytically continued to non-integer values $N \rightarrow \nu$

- ▶ ν can take any non-integer value

$$W_1^{[\nu]}(i_a) = \frac{E_{i_a}^\nu}{Q^\nu}$$

- ▶ For IRC safe $\nu > 0$

- ▶ Small ν values are sensitive to small- x physics

$$W_2^{[\nu]}(i_1, i_2) = \frac{(E_{i_1} + E_{i_2})^\nu}{Q^\nu} - \sum_{a=1,2} W_1^{[\nu]}(i_a)$$

Projected ν -correlators

$$\text{PENC}(\chi) \equiv \frac{d\sigma^{[N]}}{d\chi} = \sum_M \int d\sigma_X \left[\sum_{1 \leq b_1 \leq M} W_1^{[N]}(b_1) \delta(\chi) + \sum_{1 \leq b_1 < b_2 \leq M} W_2^{[N]}(b_1, b_2) \delta(\chi - \Delta R_{b_1, b_2}) + \dots \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{1 \leq b_1 < \dots < b_M = N} W_M^{[N]}(b_1, \dots, b_M) \delta(\chi - \max\{\Delta R_{b_1, b_2}, \dots, \Delta R_{b_{M-1}, b_M}\}) \right]$$

- ▶ ν -correlators are defined by analytic continuation of PENC with $N \rightarrow \nu$

$$W_1^{[\nu]}(i_a) = \frac{E_{i_a}^\nu}{\omega^\nu} \quad W_2^{[\nu]}(i_1, i_2) = \frac{(E_{i_1} + E_{i_2})^\nu}{\omega^\nu} - \sum_{a=1,2} W_1^{[\nu]}(i_a)$$

- ▶ ν can take any value even a complex number
- ▶ For IRC safe $\nu > 0$
- ▶ Small ν values are sensitive to small- x physics

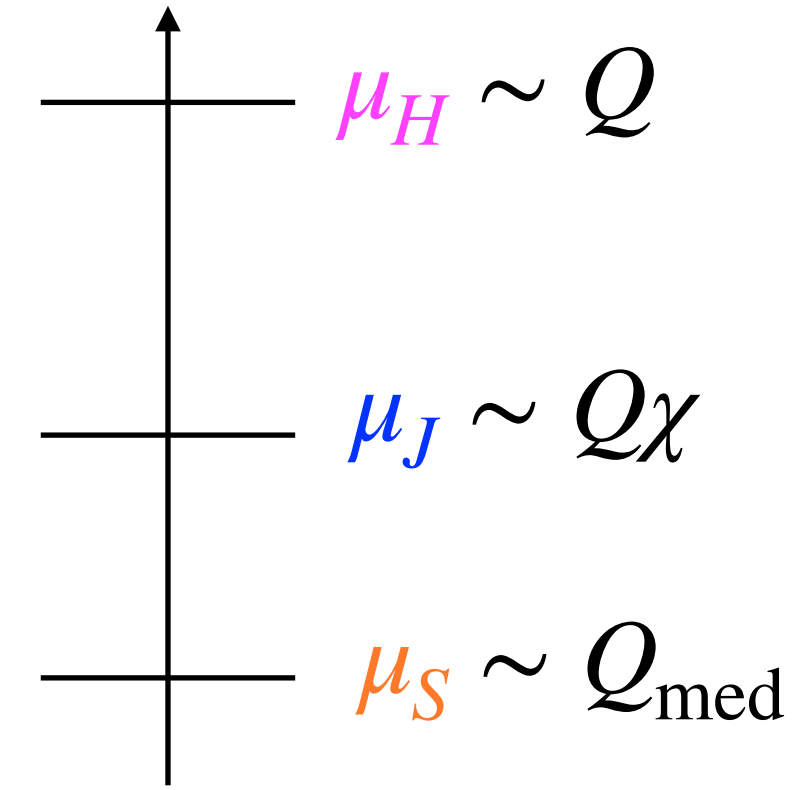
Factorization for ν -correlators

- ▶ Analytically continued energy weights do not change the power counting of the modes

- Does not affect the scalings of the modes

Factorization structure

$$\frac{d\sigma^{[\nu]}}{d\chi} = \sum_{i \in \{q, \bar{q}, g\}} \int dx x^\nu H_i(\omega = xQ, \mu) J_i^{[\nu]}(\omega, \chi, \mu)$$



$$J_{q^2}^{[\nu]}(\chi) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \sum_X \text{Tr} \left[\rho_E(0) \frac{\bar{n}}{2} e^{iH_{ns}t} \underbrace{\bar{\mathbf{T}} \left\{ e^{-i \int_0^t dt' H_{G,I}(t')} \chi_{n,I}(0) \right\}}_{\text{Glauber interaction}} \mathcal{M}^{[\nu]} |X\rangle \langle X| \underbrace{\mathbf{T} \left\{ e^{-i \int_0^t dt' H_{G,I}(t')} \bar{\chi}_{n,I}(0) \right\}}_{\text{Glauber interaction}} e^{-iH_{ns}t} \right]$$

$$J_q^{[\nu]}(\omega, \chi) = \underbrace{J_{q^0}^{[\nu]}(\omega, \chi)}_{\text{vacuum}} + \underbrace{J_{q^2}^{[\nu]}(\omega, \chi; L) + \dots}_{\text{medium induced}}$$

$$J_{q^2}^{[\nu]}(\chi; L) = L \int \frac{d^2 k_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} \mathbf{J}_{q^2}^{[\nu]}(\chi, k_\perp, L) \otimes \mathbf{B}(k_\perp)$$

ν -correlator jet function

$$\mathbf{J}_{q2}^{[\nu]}(\chi, \omega, k_{\perp}) = \underbrace{\mathbf{J}_{qR}^{[\nu]}(\chi, \omega, k_{\perp})}_{\text{real emission}} \mathcal{M}^{[\nu]} + \underbrace{\left[\mathbf{J}_{qR}^{[\nu]}(\chi, \omega, k_{\perp}) - \overbrace{\mathbf{J}_{qV}^{[\nu]}(\chi, \omega, k_{\perp})}^{\text{virtual}} \right]}_{=0} \delta(\chi)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{q2}^{[\nu]}(\chi, \omega, k_{\perp}) = \frac{4C_F N_c g^2 L}{\pi} \int \frac{dz}{z} \int \frac{d^2 q_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} \underbrace{\frac{\vec{q}_{\perp} \cdot \vec{k}_{\perp}}{\vec{q}_{\perp}^2 \vec{k}_{\perp}^2}}_{\vec{k} = \vec{q}_{\perp} - \vec{k}_{\perp}} \left(1 - \underbrace{\frac{z\omega}{\vec{k}_{\perp}^2 L} \sin\left[\frac{L\vec{k}^2}{z\omega}\right]}_{\text{LPM}} \right) \mathcal{M}^{[\nu]}$$

For $\nu = 2$ $\mathcal{M}^{[2]} = -2z [\delta(\chi) - \delta(\chi - \theta)]$

For $\nu = 0$ $\mathcal{M}^{[0]} = 0$ Exact real and virtual cancellation

For $\nu \ll 1$ $\mathcal{M}^{[\nu]} = z^{\nu} [\delta(\chi) - \delta(\chi - \theta)]$

Scaling behavior in vacuum

$$J_0^{[\nu]}(\chi) \propto \frac{1}{\chi} \qquad J_0^{[\nu]}(\chi) \propto \frac{1}{\chi^{1-\gamma(\nu+1)}}$$

Measurement function

$$\mathcal{M}^{[\nu]} = (z^{\nu} - \nu z) [\delta(\chi) - \delta(\chi - \theta)]$$

Measurement function is dominated by different terms

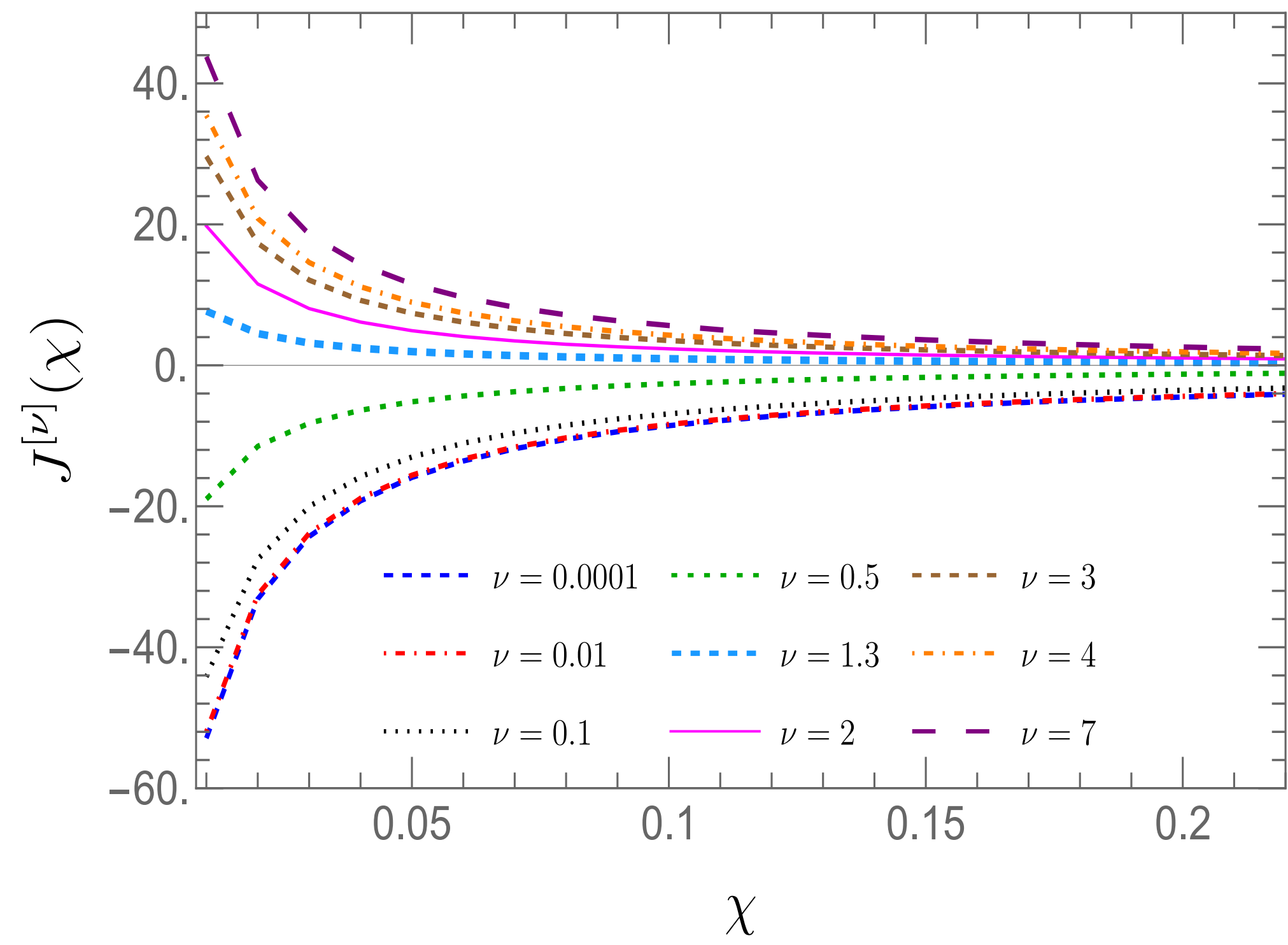
NLO jet function

Small ν point energy correlators are more sensitive to large angle radiations

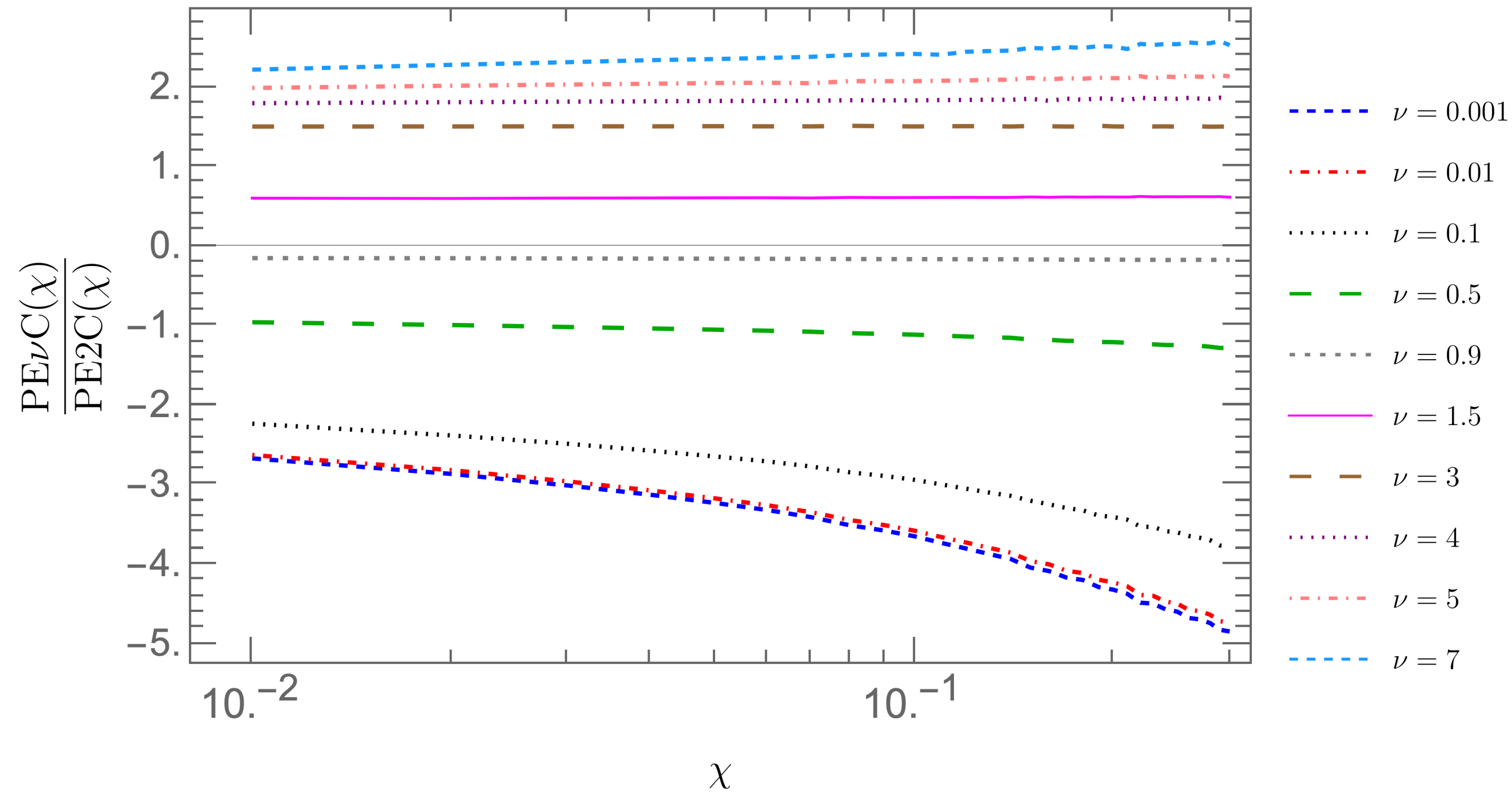
For small ν values correlators saturate at small ν values

$$L = 5 \text{ fm} \quad T = 0.5 \text{ GeV} \quad \alpha_s = 0.3$$

Jet function for various ν values



Ratio with two point EC

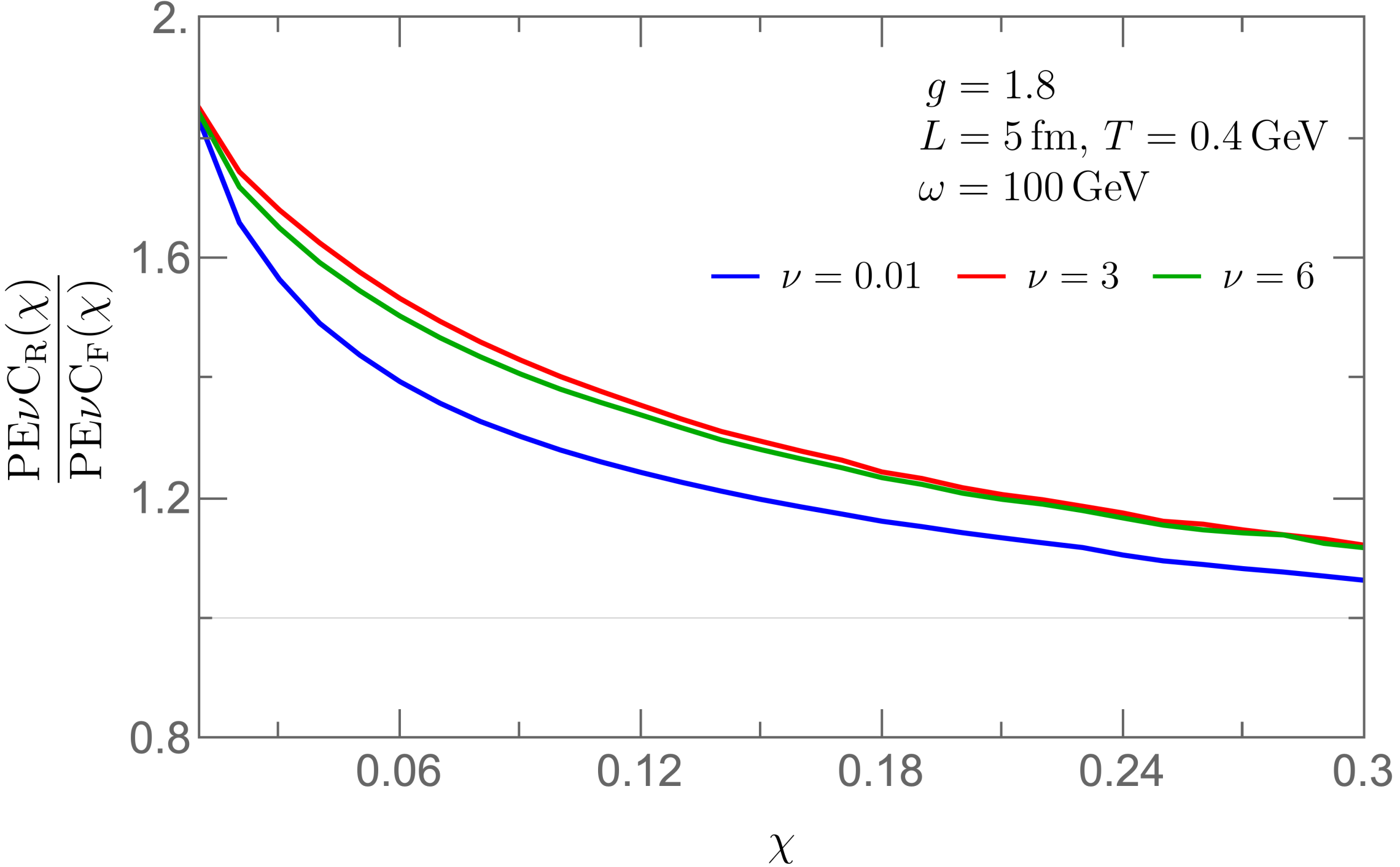


Resummed jet function

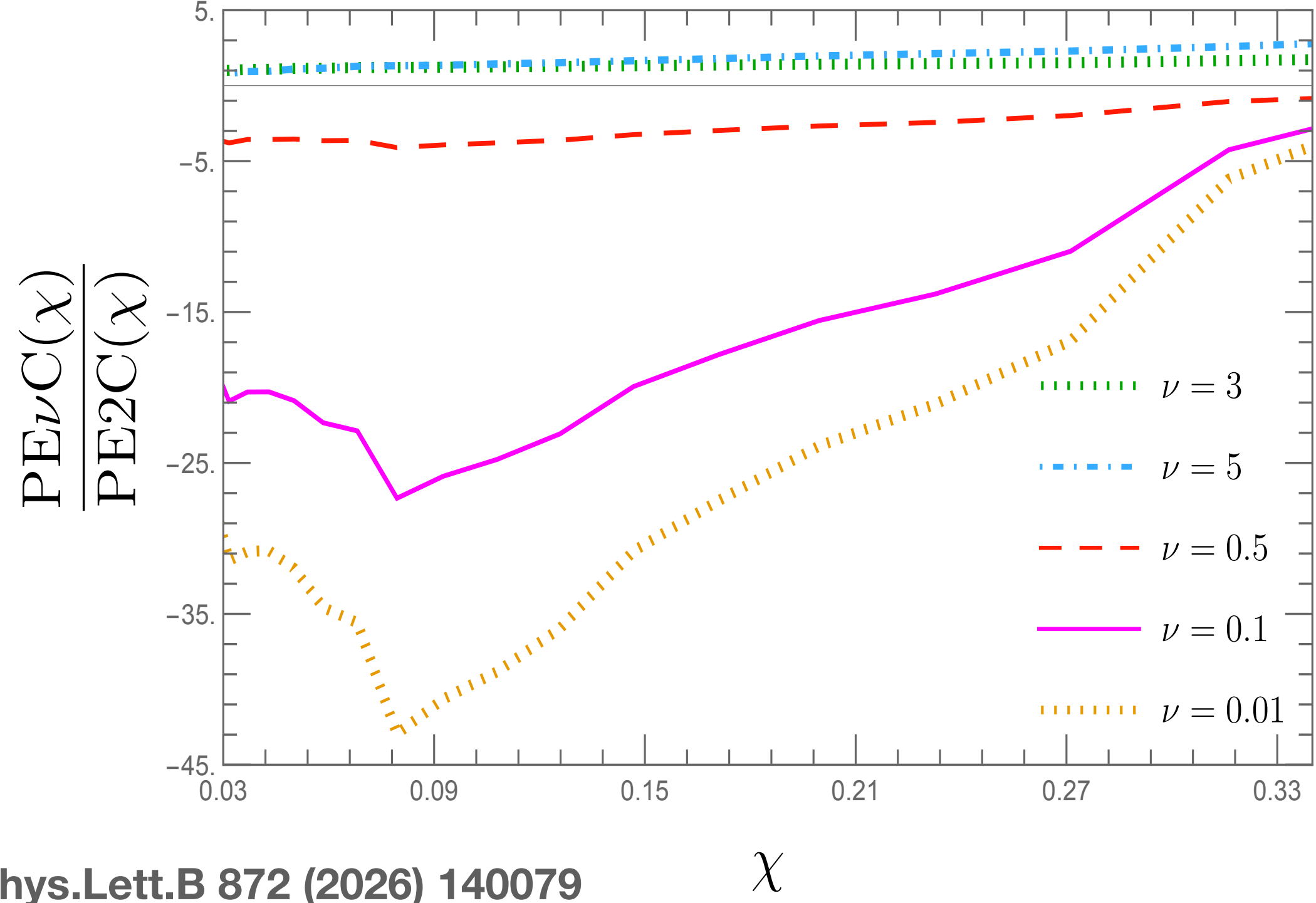
$$\mathbf{J}_R^{[\nu]}(\chi, k_\perp) = \frac{1}{\pi k_\perp} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{14\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}Y}} e^{(a_p-1)Y} \int d^2l_\perp \frac{\mathbf{J}^{[\nu]}(\chi, l_\perp)}{l_\perp} e^{-\frac{\log^2(k_\perp/l_\perp)}{14\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}Y}}$$

$$Y = \log(\nu'_0/\nu'_f) \quad \nu'_0 \sim \frac{Q_{\text{med}}}{\chi} \quad \nu'_f \sim Q_{\text{med}}$$

Ratio of resummed and fixed order



Ratio with two point EC



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Less effect of resummation across different ν -values

JEWEL simulation

Vacuum vs vacuum like emissions

- ▶ Vacuum distribution scales as $1/\nu$

$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{vle}}^{[\nu]}}{d\chi} = \sum_{i,j \in J} \int dz d\theta_{ij} \frac{dP}{dz d\theta_{ij}} \mathcal{M}^{[\nu]}(z, \theta_{ij}, \chi) \quad \nu > 1, \sim \frac{\nu \alpha_s(\mu)}{\chi}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{vle}}^{[\nu]}}{d\chi} \sim \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\chi} \int dz (\nu - z^{\nu-1}) \equiv \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\chi} \left(\nu - \frac{1}{\nu} \right) \quad \nu < 1, \sim \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\nu \chi}$$

- ▶ In-medium emissions can be vacuum like and medium-induced emissions

Medium-induced emissions

- Produced by interactions with medium
- larger formation time

$$q_{\perp} \sim q_{\perp, \text{med}} = Q_{\text{med}}$$

$$\tau_{f, \text{med}} = \sqrt{\frac{z\omega}{\hat{q}}}$$

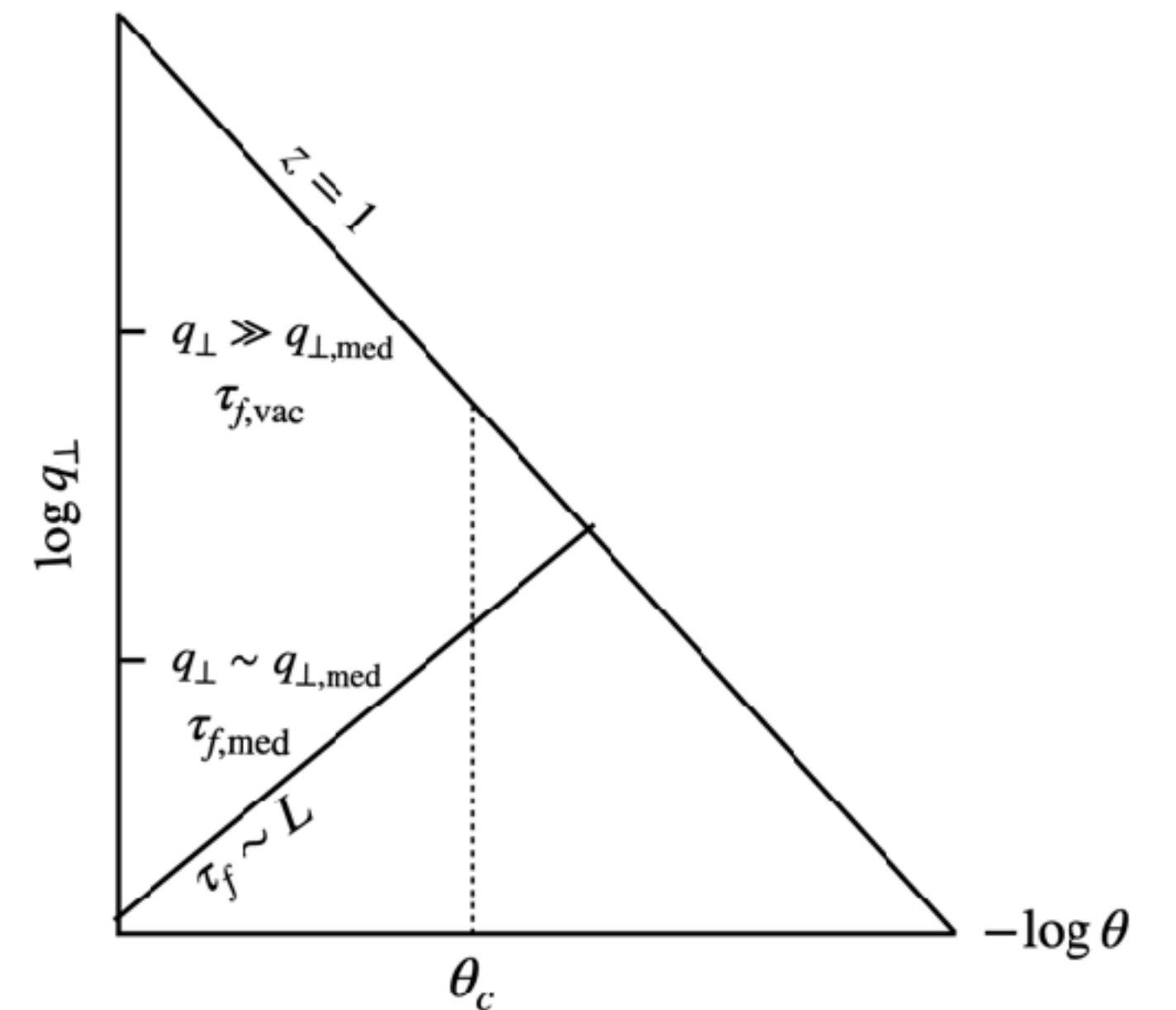
Vacuum like emissions

- Produced with large transverse momentum
- Short formation time

$$q_{\perp} \gg q_{\perp, \text{med}} = Q_{\text{med}}$$

$$\tau_{f, \text{vac}} \gg \tau_{f, \text{med}}$$

Lund diagram



Vacuum like emissions

► Differential distribution of VLEs

$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{vle}}^{[\nu]}}{d\chi} = \sum_{i,j \in J} \int dz d\theta_{ij} \frac{dP}{dz d\theta_{ij}} \mathcal{M}^{[\nu]}(z, \theta_{ij}, \chi)$$

$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{vle}}}{d\chi} \sim \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\chi} \int dz (\nu - z^{\nu-1}) \Theta(\tau_{f,\text{med}} - \tau_{f,\text{vac}}) \Theta(L - \tau_{f,\text{vac}})$$

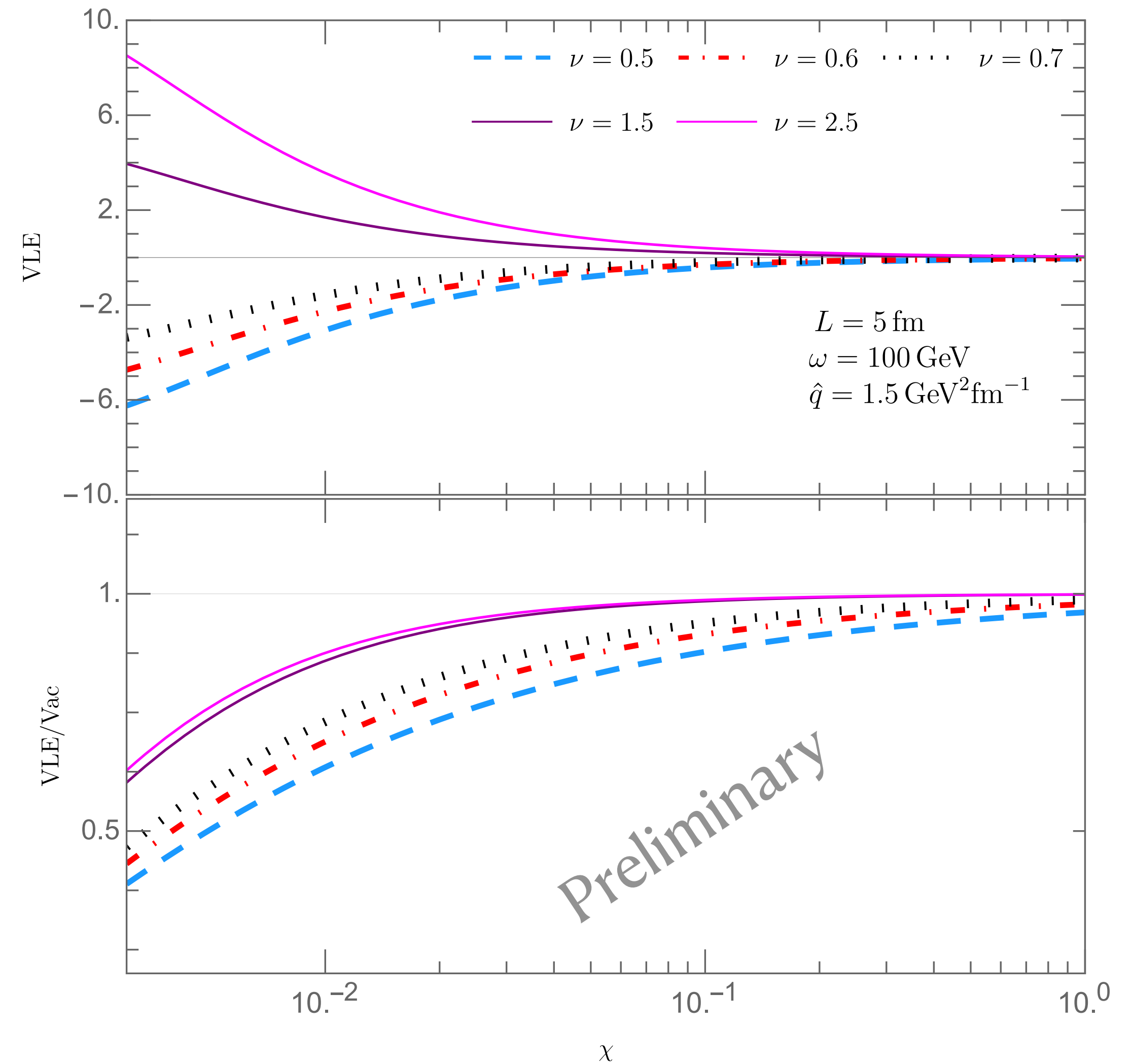
Restricts emissions inside the medium

$$\frac{d\Sigma_{\text{vle}}}{d\chi} \stackrel{\nu \rightarrow 0}{\equiv} \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\chi} \log\left(\frac{1}{\chi\omega L}\right) + \mathcal{O}(\nu)$$

► Phase space kills $1/\nu$ behavior of VLEs

Higher values of ν seems to be better

VLE distribution and ratio with vac



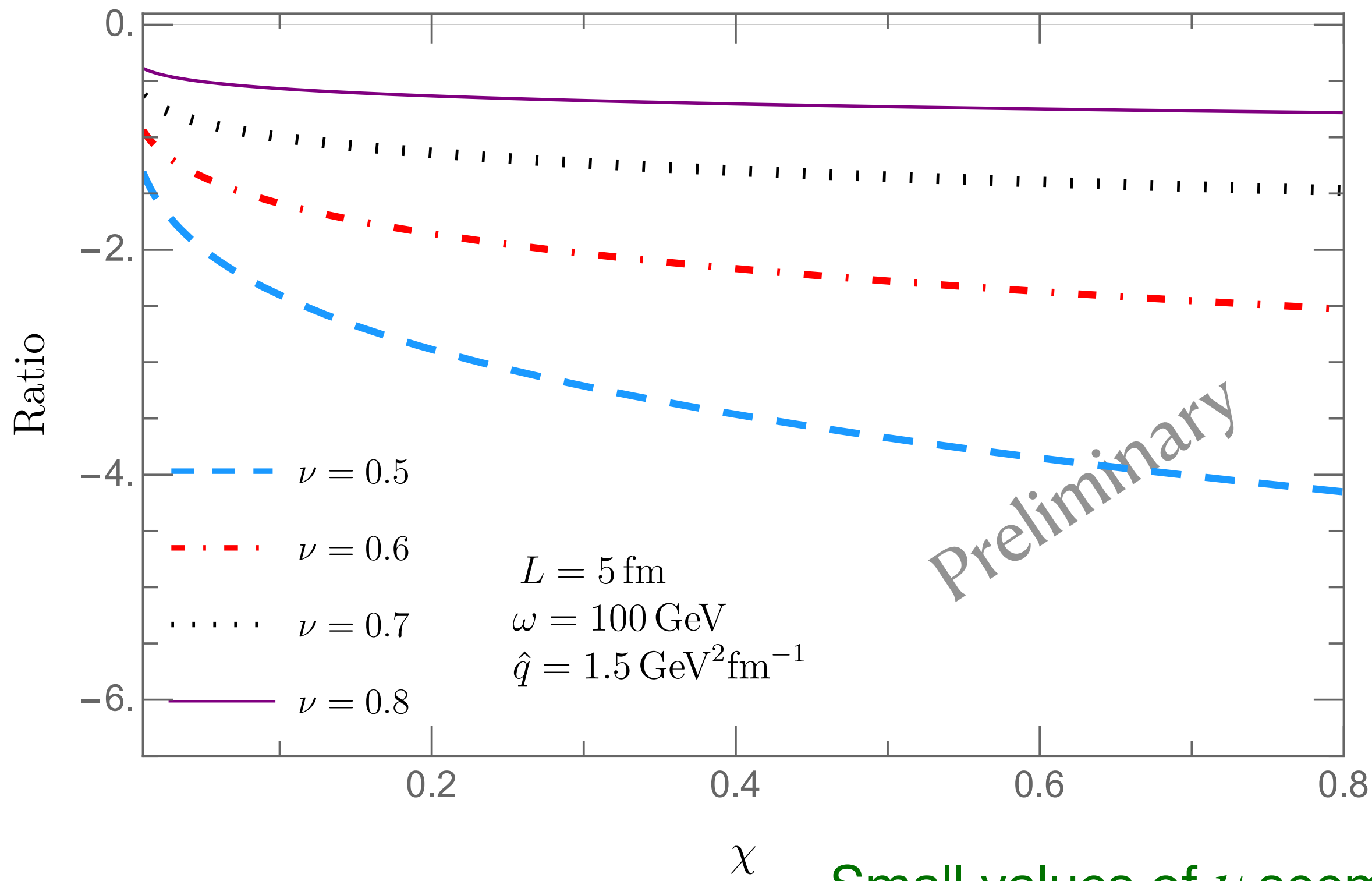
Medium induced emission

► BDMPS-Z splitting function

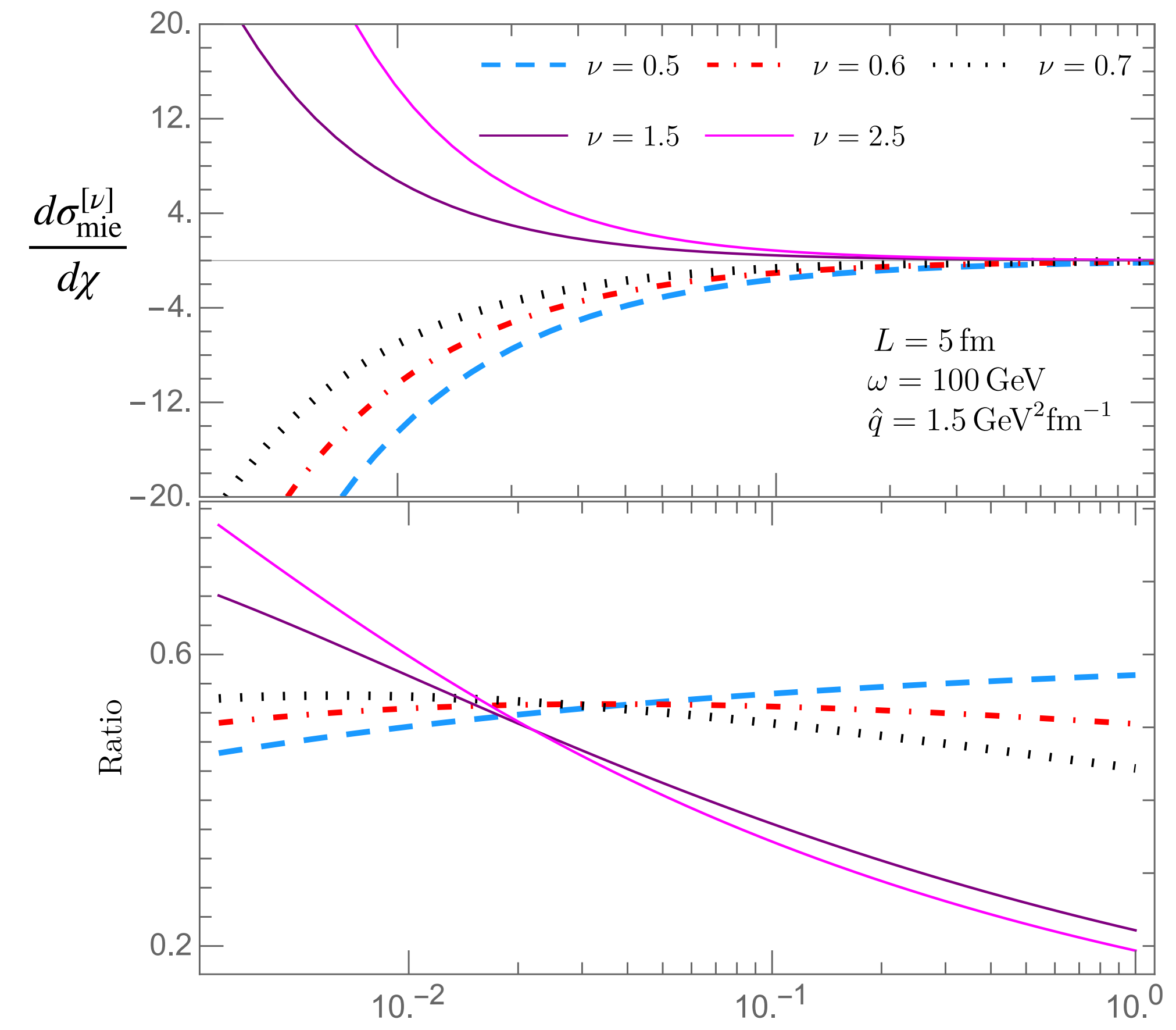
$$\frac{dP}{dzd\theta} = \frac{\alpha_{s,med}}{L} \sqrt{\frac{8\omega_c}{z^3\omega}} \Theta(\omega_c - z\omega)(\omega^2\theta) \int_0^L \frac{dt e^{-\frac{\omega^2\theta^2}{\hat{q}(L-t)}}}{\hat{q}(L-t)}$$

$L = 5 \text{ fm}$ $\hat{q} = 1.5 \text{ GeV}^2 \text{ fm}^{-1}$ $\omega = 100 \text{ GeV}$

Ratio with two point EC



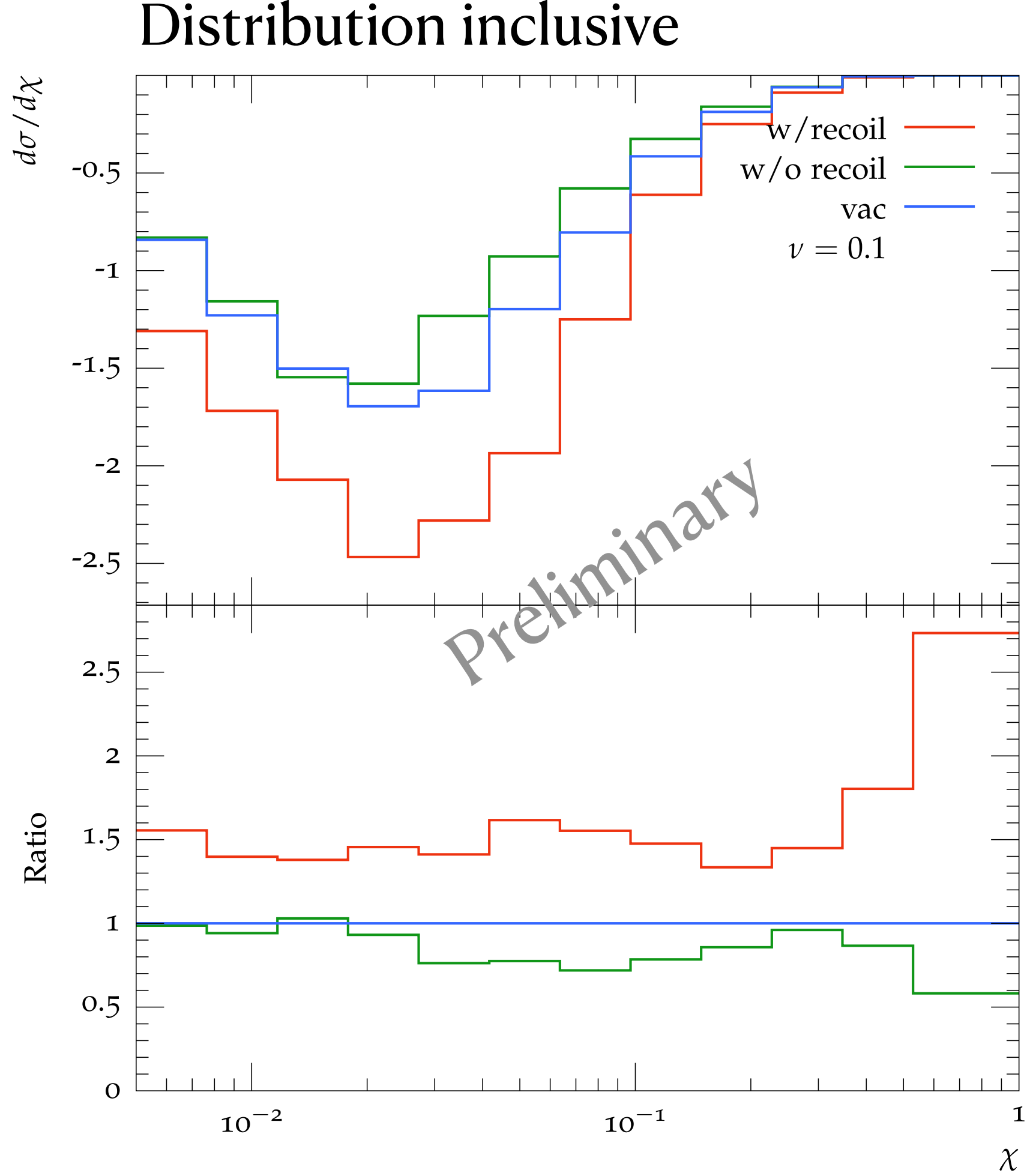
MIE distribution and ration with vac



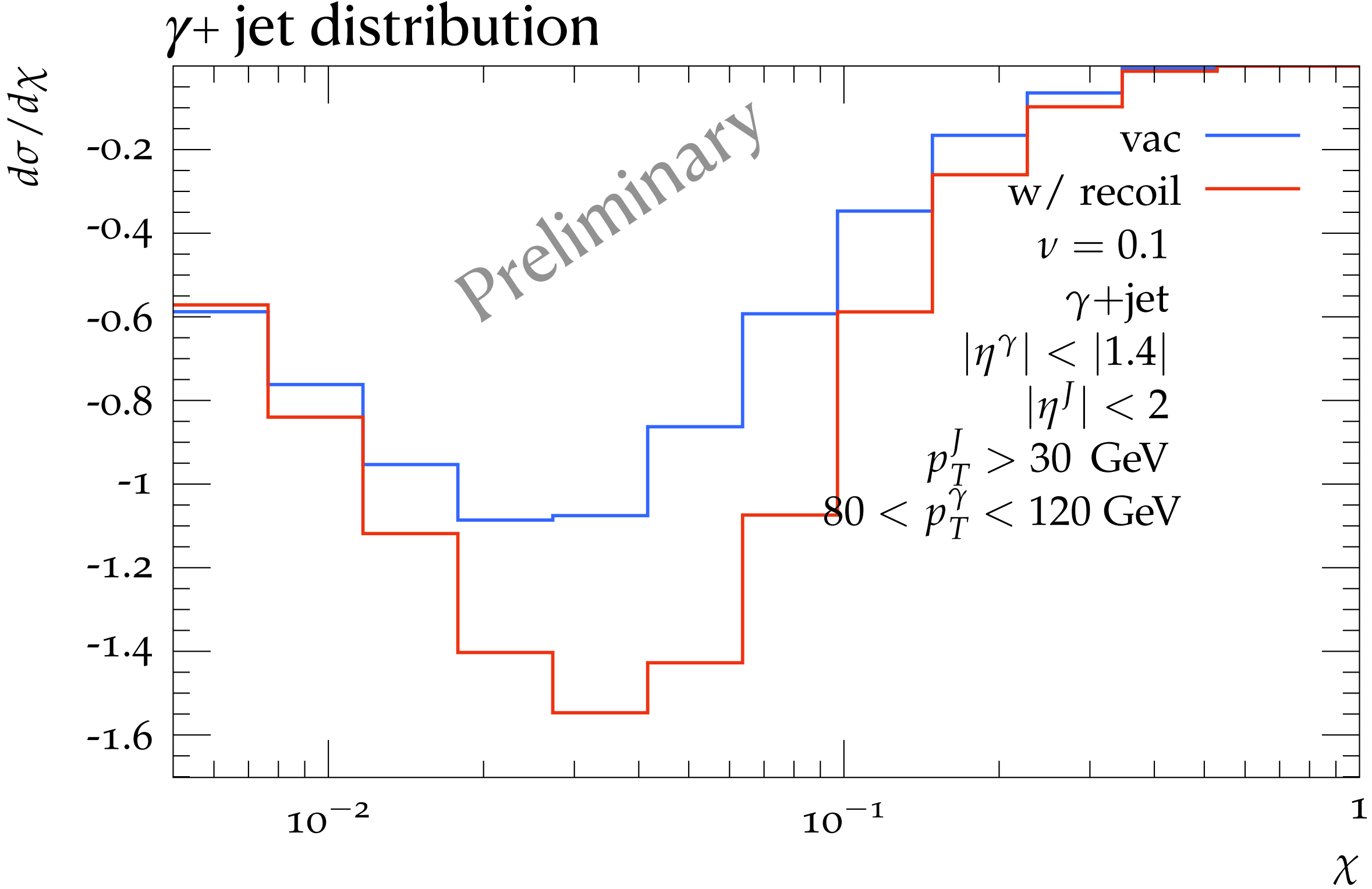
Small values of ν seems to be better for large angle MIE χ

JEWEL Simulations

► Medium induced distribution is enhanced in all ranges of angular separations



$100 < p_T < 120 \text{ GeV} \quad |\eta| < 1.9$



Small ν -values seems to be better for recoil

R Elyavalli, BS and V Vaidya, In preparation

Summary/conclusions

- ▶ EFT provides a systematically improvable framework for jet-medium interaction dynamics
- ▶ ν -correlators can be pivotal for separating the dynamics of large and small angle radiations.
- ▶ Smaller ν values are more sensitive to large angle scalings compared to $\nu > 1$
- ▶ General scaling of ν -correlators for large angle enhancement?
- ▶ Higher order jet function will be needed to fully understand the resummation effects on ν -correlators

Jet and Medium functions

- Soft/Medium function explicitly factors out

$$\mathbf{B}_{AB}(x, y) = \text{Tr} \left[\mathbf{T} \left\{ e^{-i \int dt_l H_{s,l}(t_l)} \left(\frac{1}{\mathbb{P}_\perp^2} \mathcal{O}_s^A(x) \right) \right\} \rho_M(0) \bar{\mathbf{T}} \left\{ e^{-i \int dt_r H_{s,l}(t_r)} \left(\frac{1}{\mathbb{P}_\perp^2} \mathcal{O}_s^B(y) \right) \right\} \right]$$

SCET operators

$$\mathcal{O}_n^{qA} = \bar{\chi}_n T^A \frac{\bar{n}}{2} \chi_n$$

$$\mathcal{O}_s^{qA} = \bar{\chi}_s T^A \frac{n}{2} \chi_s$$

- sinc function leads to LPM terms

$$J_{qR}(\chi, k_\perp; L) = \frac{e^{-i \frac{L}{2} (\mathbb{P}_+^A - \mathbb{P}_+^B)}}{2N_c} \text{sinc} \left[\frac{L}{2} (\mathbb{P}_+^A - \mathbb{P}_+^B) \right] \sum_X \text{Tr} \left[\frac{\bar{n}}{2} \bar{\mathbf{T}} \left\{ e^{-i \int dt H_n(t)} \left[\mathcal{O}_n^{qB}(0) \right] \chi_n(0) \right\} \mathcal{M} | X \rangle \langle X | \right. \\ \left. \mathbf{T} \left\{ e^{-i \int dt H_n(t)} \left[\mathcal{O}_n^{qB}(0) \right] \left[\bar{\chi}_n(0) \right] \right\} \right] + \mathcal{O}(H_G^4)$$

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$$J_{qV}(\omega, \chi, k_\perp; L) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \frac{1}{2} e^{-i \frac{L}{2} (\mathbb{P}_+^A + \mathbb{P}_+^B)} \text{sinc} \left[\frac{L}{2} (\mathbb{P}_+^A + \mathbb{P}_+^B) \right] \sum_X \text{Tr} \left[\frac{\bar{n}}{2} \langle 0 | \bar{\mathbf{T}} \left\{ e^{-i \int dt H_{n,l}(t)} \chi_n(0) \right\} \mathcal{M} | X \rangle \langle X | \mathbf{T} \left\{ e^{-i \int dt H_n(t)} \left[\mathcal{O}_n^A(0) \right] \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. \times \left[\mathcal{O}_n^B(0) \right] \left[\bar{\chi}_n(0) \right] \right\} | 0 \rangle \right] \delta^{AB} + c.c + \mathcal{O}(H_G^4)$$

Medium function

- Medium function can be obtained from spectral function which can be computed perturbatively and can also be evaluated on lattice

$$\mathbf{B}(k_{\perp}) = D_{>}^g(k) + D_{>}^q(k) \quad D_{>}(k) = (1 + f(k_0))\rho(k)$$

$D_{>}(k_{\perp})$ is Weightman correlator in a thermal medium and depends on the properties of the medium

- In SCET framework spectral function is obtained from soft operators in the medium and also depends on the local properties of the plasma through soft operators

$$D_E^{AB}(K) = \int_0^{\beta} d\tau \int d^3x e^{iK \cdot X} \left\langle \frac{1}{\mathbb{P}_{\perp}^2} O_s^{g_n A}(X) \frac{1}{\mathbb{P}_{\perp}^2} O_s^{g_n B}(0) \right\rangle \propto \delta^{AB} [\dots]$$

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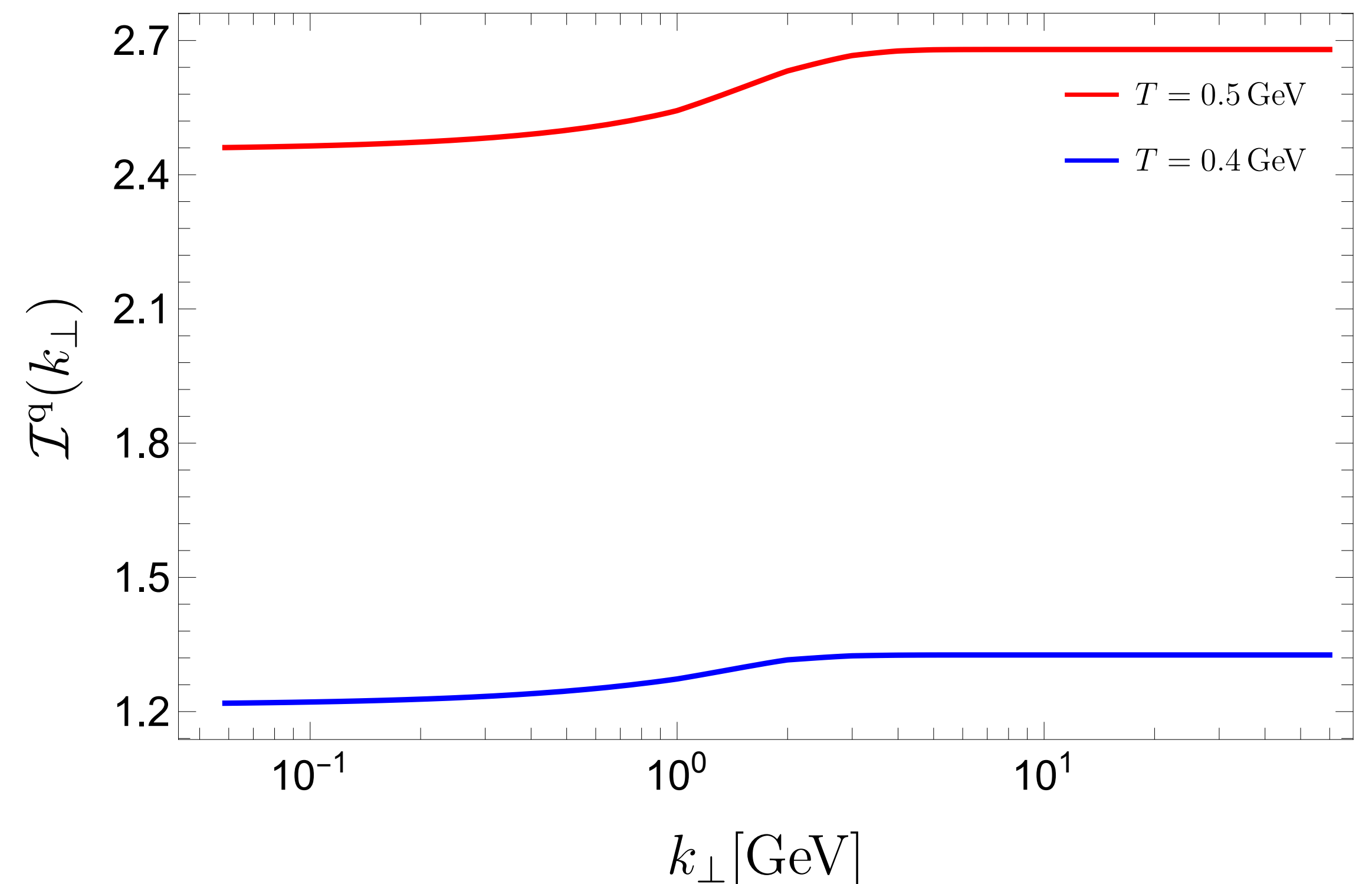
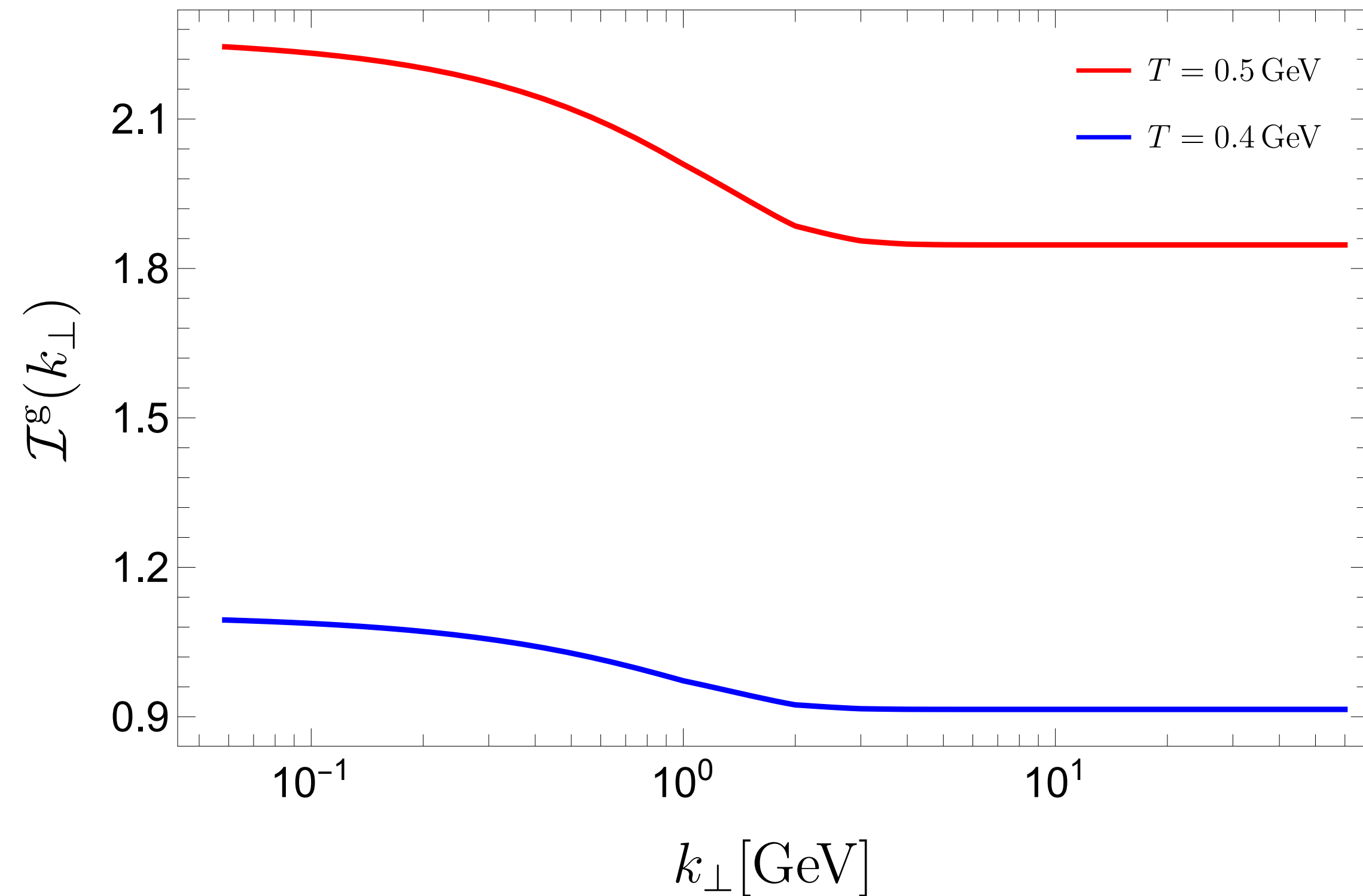
- Leading order medium function

$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{LO}}(k_{\perp}) = (8\pi\alpha_s)^2 \left(\frac{2\pi N_c^2}{16k_{\perp}^4} \mathcal{F}^g(k_{\perp}) + \frac{2\pi N_f}{k_{\perp}^4} \mathcal{F}^q(k_{\perp}) \right)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_s^{gA} = \frac{i}{2} f^{ACD} \mathcal{B}_{S\perp\mu}^C \frac{n}{2} \cdot (\mathcal{P} + \mathcal{P}^{\dagger}) \mathcal{B}_{S\perp}^{D\mu}$$

Medium function

- Bose enhance and Pauli blocking for quark and gluons
- At leading order medium function has somewhat weak dependence on Glauber momentum



BFKL evolution

- From RG consistency the jet function obeys BFKL evolution equation

$$\nu' \frac{d\mathbf{S}^{[\nu]}(k_{\perp}, \nu)}{d\nu'} = -\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)N_c}{\pi^2} \int d^2l_{\perp} \left[\frac{\mathbf{S}_1^{[\nu]}(l_{\perp}, \nu')}{(\vec{l}_{\perp} - \vec{k}_{\perp})^2} - \frac{k_{\perp}^2 \mathbf{S}_1^{[\nu]}(k_{\perp}, \nu')}{2l_{\perp}^2 (\vec{l}_{\perp} - \vec{k}_{\perp})^2} \right]$$

Scale for jet function

$$\nu_0 \sim \frac{Q_{\text{med}}}{\sqrt{\chi}}$$

- Fixed order NLO jet function sets the boundary condition
- Running from jet scale to medium scale

Medium scale

$$\nu_f \sim Q_{\text{med}}$$

$$\mathbf{S}_R^{[\nu]}(k_{\perp}, \mu, \nu_f) = \int d^2l_{\perp} \mathbf{S}_1^{[\nu]}(l_{\perp}, \mu, \nu_0) \int \frac{d\xi}{2\pi} k_{\perp}^{-1+2i\xi} l_{\perp}^{-1-2i\xi} e^{in(\phi_k - \phi_l)} e^{-\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)N_c}{\pi} \chi(n,r) \log \frac{\nu_f}{\nu_0}}$$

- Resums $(a_p - 1) \log(\nu_0/k_{\perp})$

- Solution for $k_{\perp} \sim l_{\perp}$

$$\mathbf{S}_R^{[\nu]}(\chi, k_{\perp}) = \frac{1}{\pi k_{\perp}} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{14\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}Y}} e^{(a_p-1)Y} \int d^2l_{\perp} \frac{\mathbf{S}^{[\nu]}(\chi, l_{\perp})}{l_{\perp}} e^{-\frac{\log^2(k_{\perp}/l_{\perp})}{14\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}Y}}$$

Medium induced jet function

- Real contribution with Glauber insertions

$$J_{q,o}(\chi, k_{\perp}; L) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \sum_X \int d^4x \Theta(L - x^-) \int d^4y \Theta(L - y^-) \text{Tr} \left[e^{iH_{n+s}t} \bar{\mathbf{T}} \left\{ H_{G,I}(x) \chi_{n,I}(0) \right\} \rho_M(0) \frac{\bar{n}}{2} \mathbf{T} \left\{ H_{G,I}(y) \delta^2(\mathbb{P}_{\perp}) \delta(\omega - \bar{n} \cdot \mathcal{P}) \bar{\chi}_{n,I}(0) \right\} e^{-iH_{n+s}t} \mathcal{M} \right] + \mathcal{O}(H_G^4)$$

- Medium and jet interaction constraint to medium length L

$$H_G(x) = \sum_{ij} C_{ij} O_{ns}^{ij}(x)$$

- \mathbb{P}_{\perp}^2 pulls out Glauber momentum

$$\mathcal{O}_{ns}^{qg} = O_n^{qA} \frac{1}{\mathbb{P}_{\perp}^2} O_s^{gA} \quad \mathcal{O}_{ns}^{qq} = O_n^{qA} \frac{1}{\mathbb{P}_{\perp}^2} O_s^{qA}$$

- Order by order factorization for jet and medium functions

$$J_{q,o}(\omega, \chi; L) = L \int \frac{d^2k_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} J_{q,R}(\omega, \chi, k_{\perp}, \mu, \nu; L) \otimes \mathbf{B}(k_{\perp}, \mu, \nu)$$

$\mathbf{B}(k_{\perp}, \mu, \nu) \rightarrow$ medium function

$J_{q,R}(\omega, \chi, k_{\perp}, \mu, \nu; L) \rightarrow$ single scattering jet function

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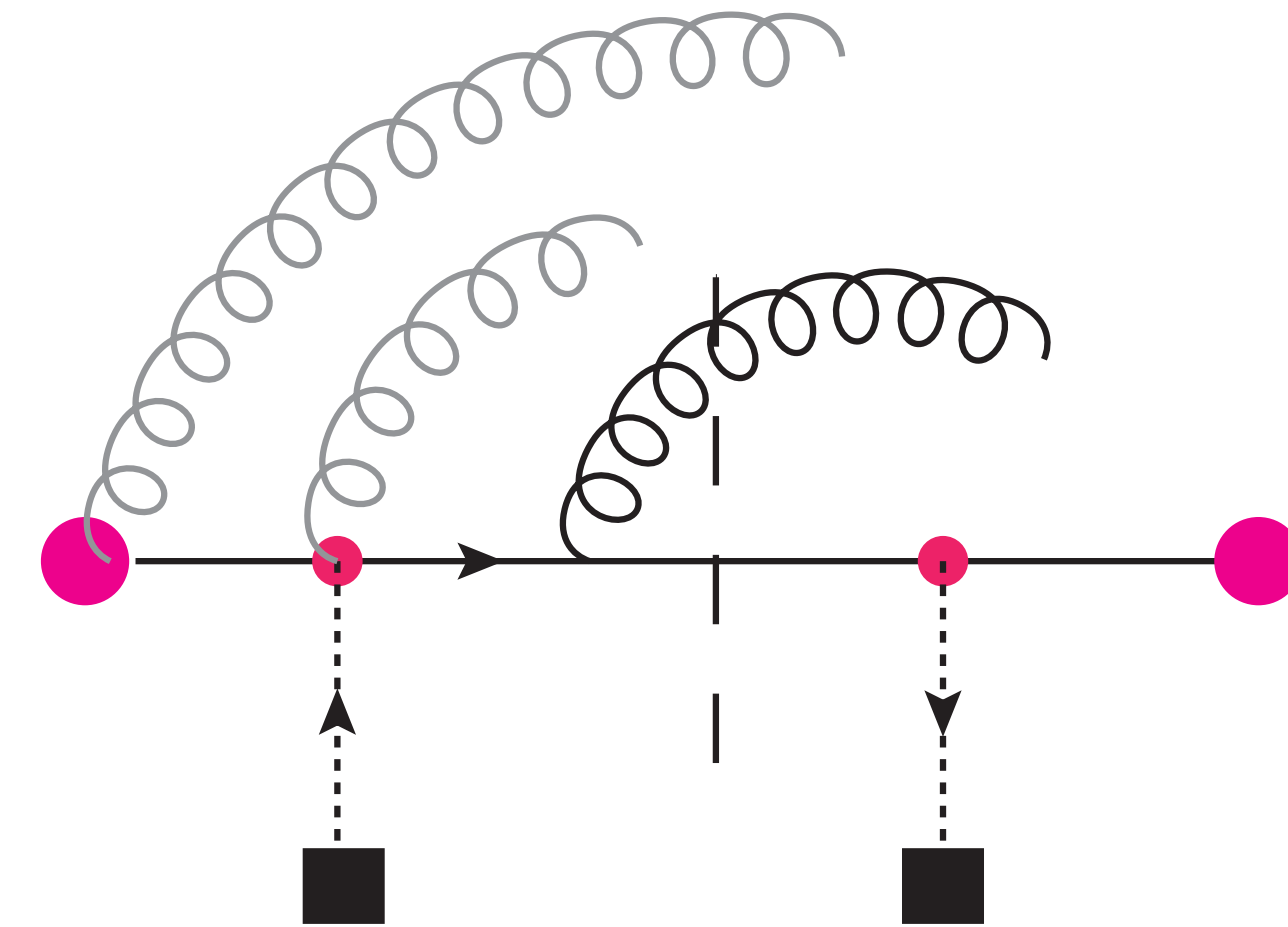
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- $J_{q,R}(\omega, \chi, k_{\perp}; L)$ now depends on medium parameters
- $\mathbf{B}(x, y)$ does not depend on measurement
- $\mathbf{B}(x, y)$ depends only on medium parameters

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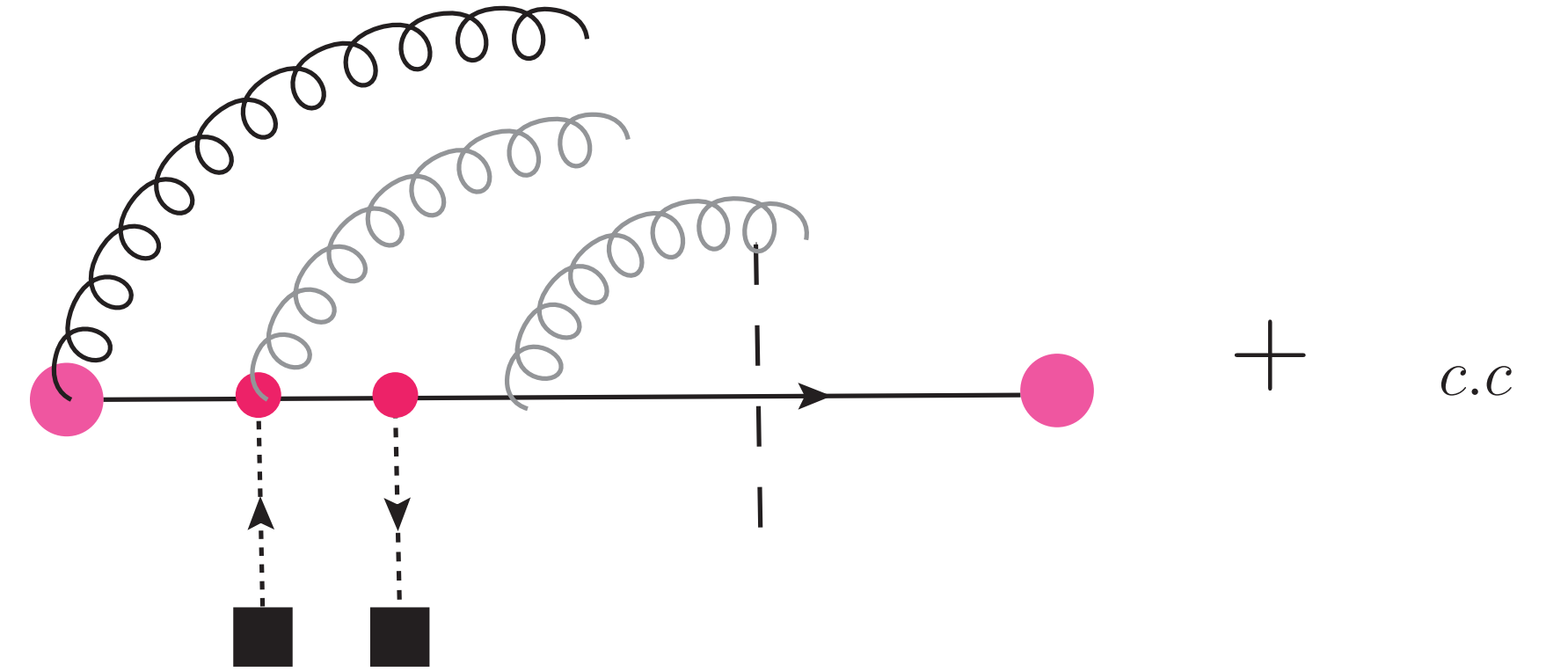
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- $\mathcal{O}(H_G^2)$ expansion at the same side

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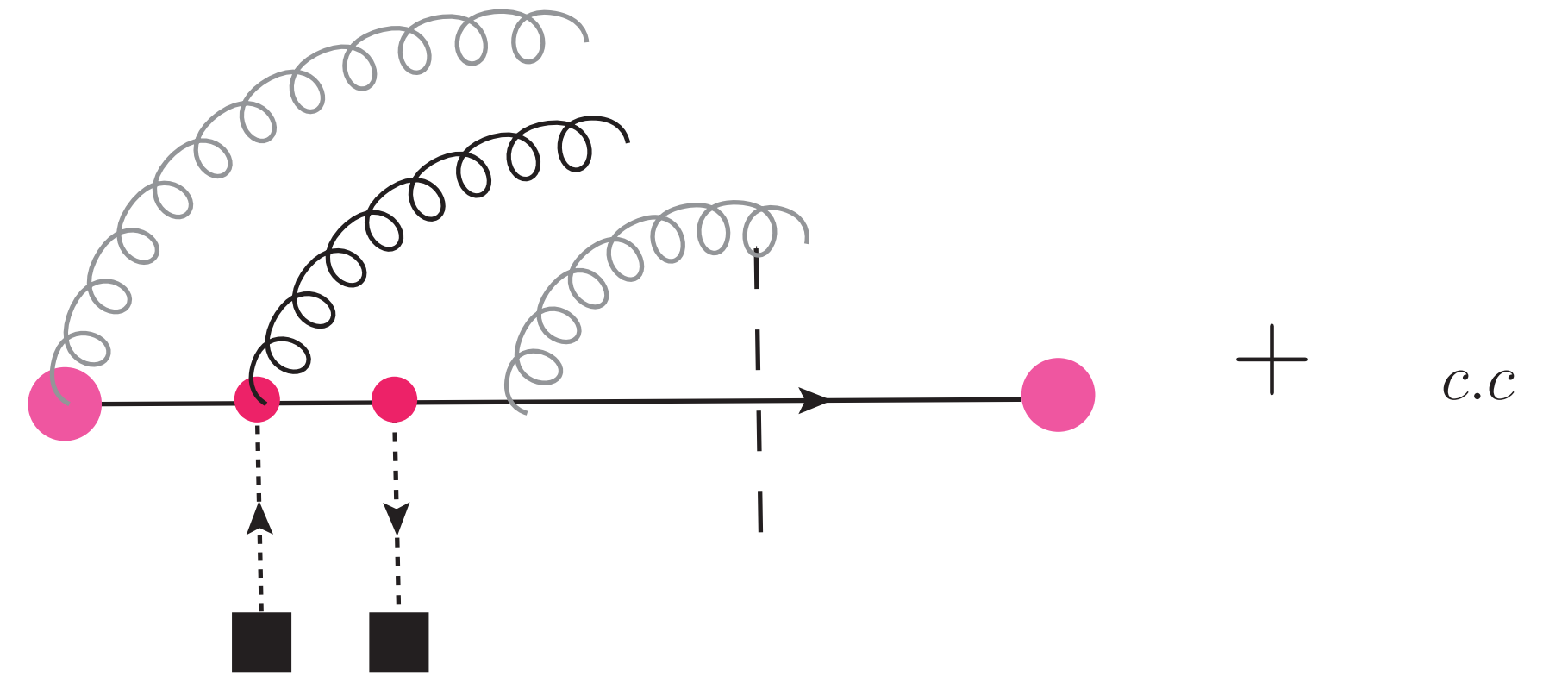
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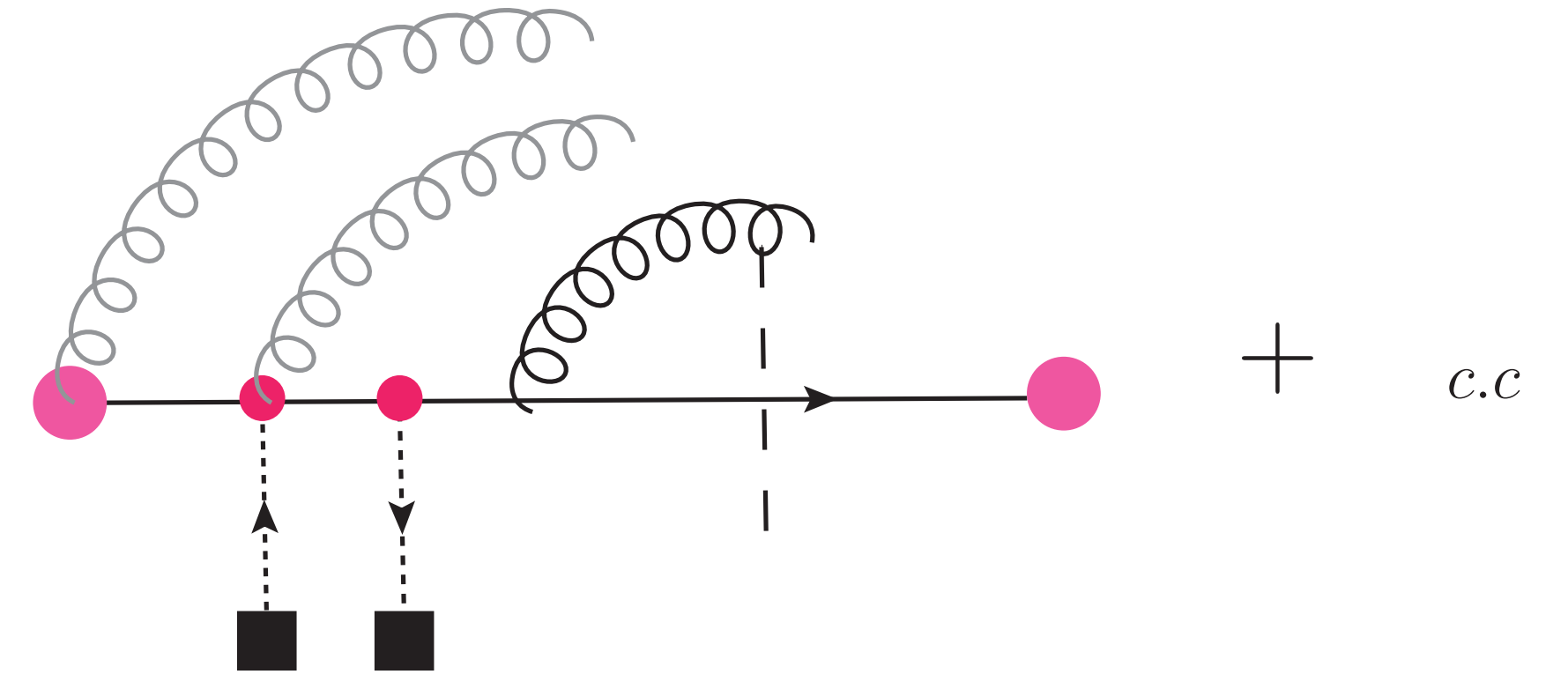
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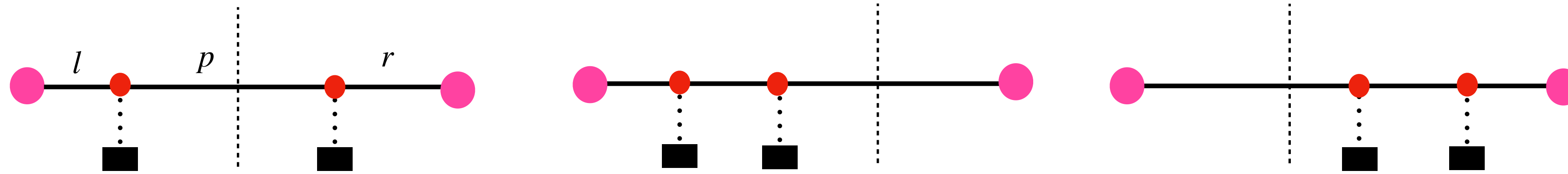


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Medium induced jet function

- At leading order jet parton gets kicks from the medium
- Both real and virtual contribution
- Measurement function is $\delta(\chi)$

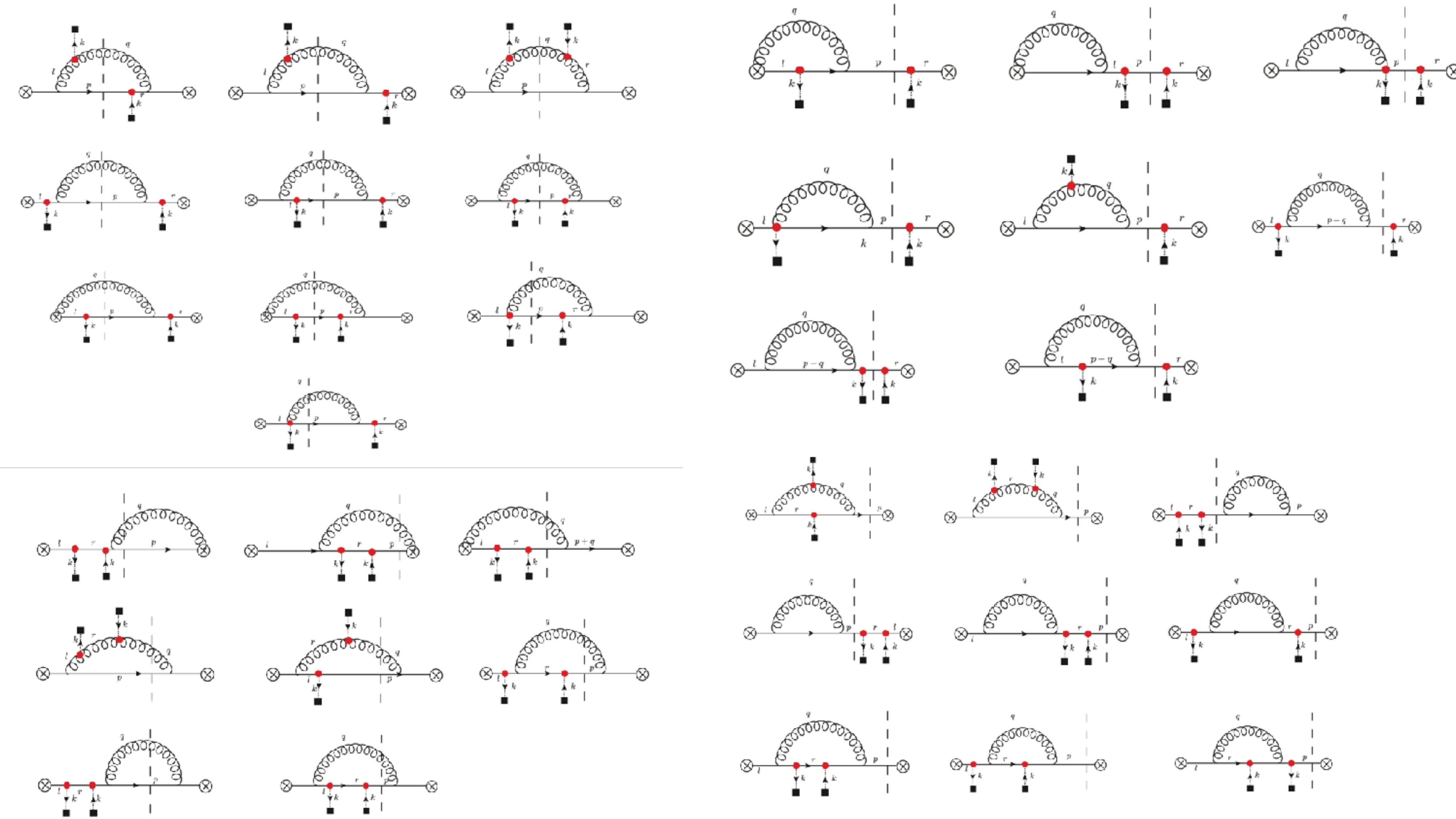


$$J_{R,LO}(\omega, \chi) = -\delta_{AB} \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \delta(p^2) \delta(p^- - \omega) \delta^2(\vec{p}_\perp - \vec{k}_\perp) \int \frac{dl^+}{2\pi} \int \frac{dr^+}{2\pi} \frac{\vec{n} \cdot l}{l^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{\vec{n} \cdot r}{r^2 - i\epsilon} \vec{n} \cdot p e^{-i(\frac{L}{2}(l^+ - r^+))} \text{Sinc} \left[\frac{L}{2}(l_+ - r_+) \right] \delta(\chi).$$

$$J_{R,LO} = -4\delta_{AB}\delta(\chi) \quad J_{V,LO} = -4\delta_{AB}\delta(\chi)$$

- Total contribution vanishes

Medium induced jet function



Full NLO quark jet function

- NLO jet function for quark

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_{1,\text{NLO}}(\chi, \omega, k_\perp) = & \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi^2} \int dz z(1-z) \int d^2 q_\perp \left[\left\{ -\frac{2N_c(\vec{q}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp)}{q_\perp^2 \kappa_\perp^2} f(z) \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} - \frac{\sin \omega_2}{\omega_2} + \frac{\sin(\omega_2 - \omega_1)}{\omega_2 - \omega_1} \right) - \frac{4N_c(1-z)^2}{\kappa_\perp^2 Q_\perp^2} \left(\frac{\vec{q}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp}{z} \right. \right. \right. \\
 & + \left. \frac{\kappa_\perp^2 + \vec{q}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp}{2(1-z)} + \frac{\vec{k}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp}{2} + \frac{\kappa_\perp^2 z}{2(1-z)^2} \right) \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) + \frac{4N_c f(z)}{\kappa_\perp^2} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) + \frac{4C_F z}{q_\perp^2} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) + \frac{2}{3} \frac{z(1-z)^2}{q_\perp^2 Q_\perp^2} \\
 & \left(\frac{\vec{q}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp}{(1-z)^2} + \frac{\vec{k}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp}{1-z} \right) \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) - 2C_F \frac{z(1-z)^2}{Q_\perp^2} \left(k_\perp^2 + \frac{\kappa_\perp^2}{(1-z)^2} + \frac{\vec{k}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp}{(1-z)} \right) + \frac{4C_F(1-z)}{q_\perp^2 z} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) \\
 & - \frac{2}{3} \frac{(1-z) \sin \omega_1}{z Q_\perp^2 \omega_1} + \frac{2N_c(1-z)}{z q_\perp^2} \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) + \frac{2N_c(1-z)}{z Q_\perp^2} \left. \right\} \left(\frac{(z(1-z)\omega)^2 \delta(q_\perp - q_0)}{2|q_0 - k_\perp z \cos \theta|} - \delta(\chi) \right) \\
 & - \left\{ \frac{4C_F(1-z)}{q_\perp^2 z} - \frac{2N_c(\vec{q}_\perp \cdot \vec{\kappa}_\perp)}{q_\perp^2 \kappa_\perp^2} f(z) \left(\frac{\sin(\omega_2 - \omega_1)}{\omega_2 - \omega_1} - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) + \frac{2N_c}{q_\perp^2} f(z) \left(1 - \frac{\sin \omega_1}{\omega_1} \right) \right\} \\
 & \left. \left((z(1-z)\omega)^2 \delta(q_\perp^2 - [z(1-z)\omega]^2 \chi) - \delta(\chi) \right) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\omega_1 = \frac{L\kappa_\perp^2}{z(1-z)\omega}$$

$$\omega_2 = \frac{Lq_\perp^2}{z(1-z)\omega}$$

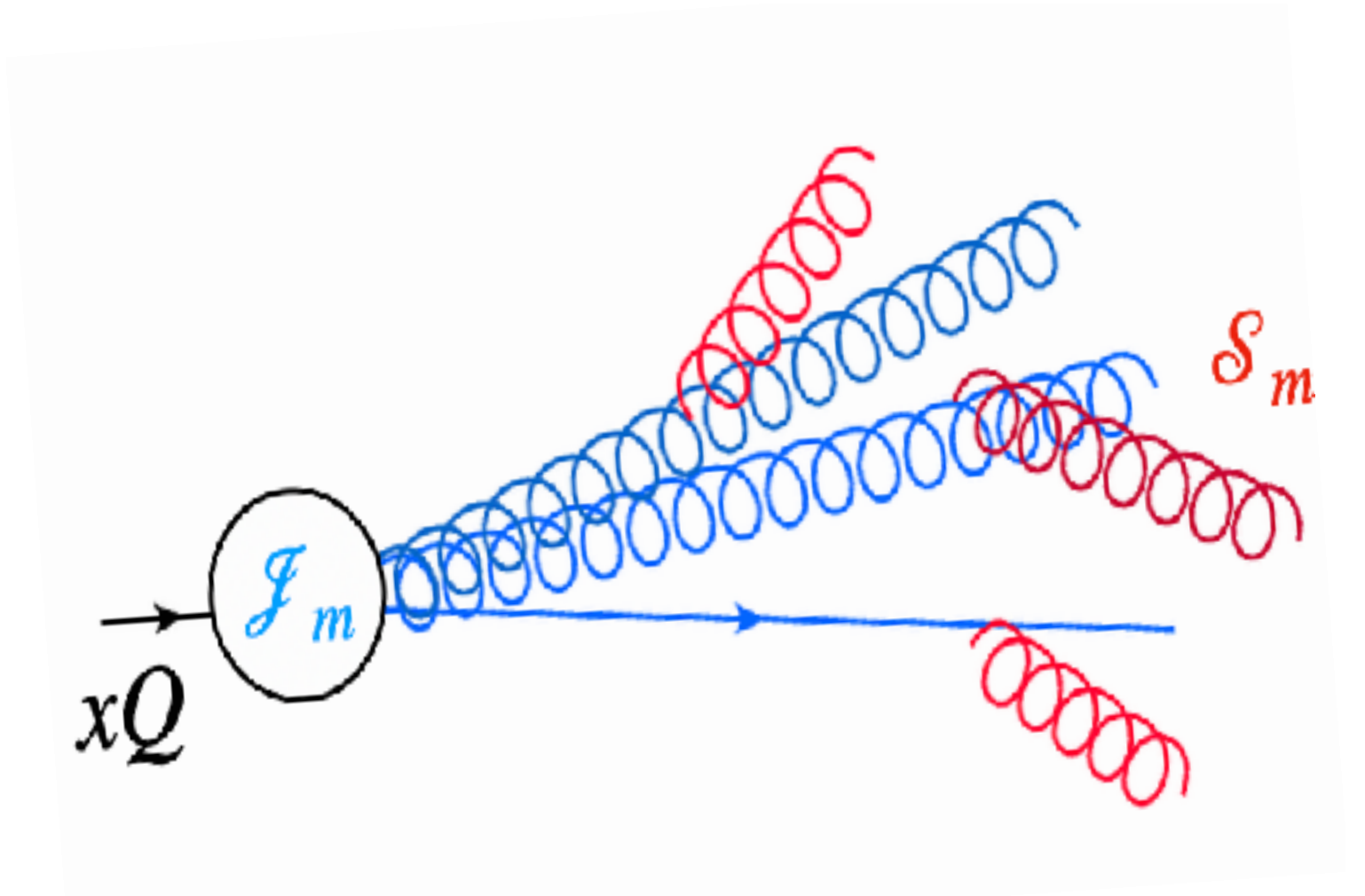
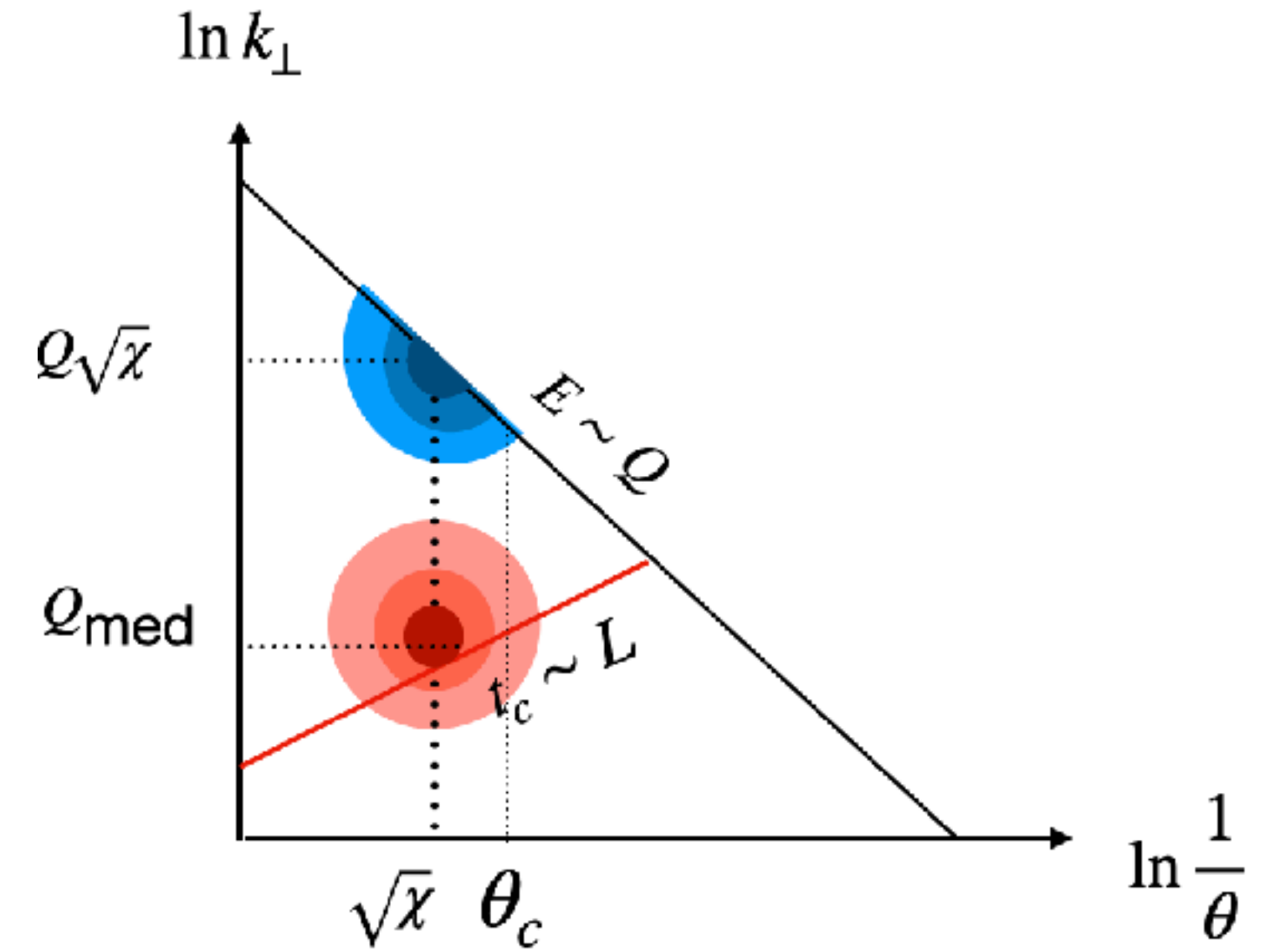
$$Q_\perp^2 = \omega(\kappa_\perp^2 q^- + q_\perp^2 p^-) - k_\perp^2 p^- q^-$$

$$\vec{\kappa}_\perp = \vec{q}_\perp - \vec{k}_\perp$$

Refactorization

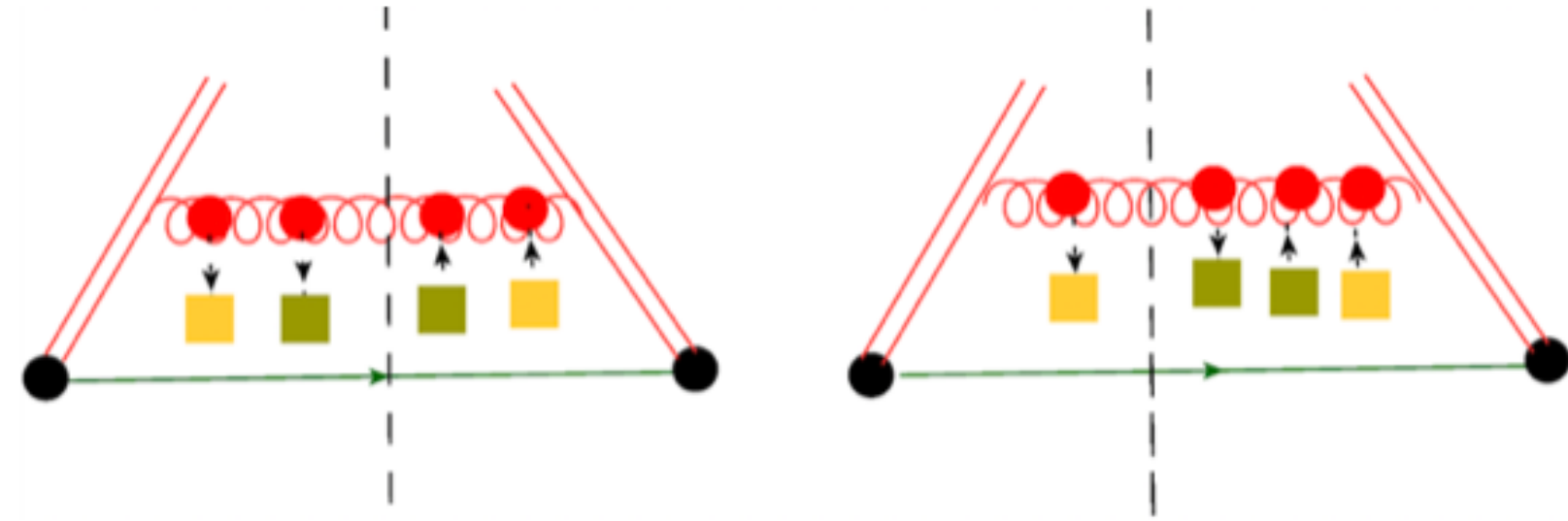
$$J_q = J_i^{(0)}(\omega, \chi, \mu) + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^m \underbrace{\mathcal{F}_{i \rightarrow m}^j(\{\underline{m}\}, \theta_c, \omega, \mu)}_{\text{Matching function}} \otimes_{\theta} \underbrace{\mathcal{S}_{m,j}(\{\underline{m}\}, \chi, \mu)}_{\text{Collinear-soft function}}$$

- Matching function describes the production of m resolved hard partons from initial parton i
- Collinear soft function describes the production of medium induced radiation
- Perturbative matching coefficient $\mathcal{F}_{i \rightarrow m}$ starts at $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^{m-1})$

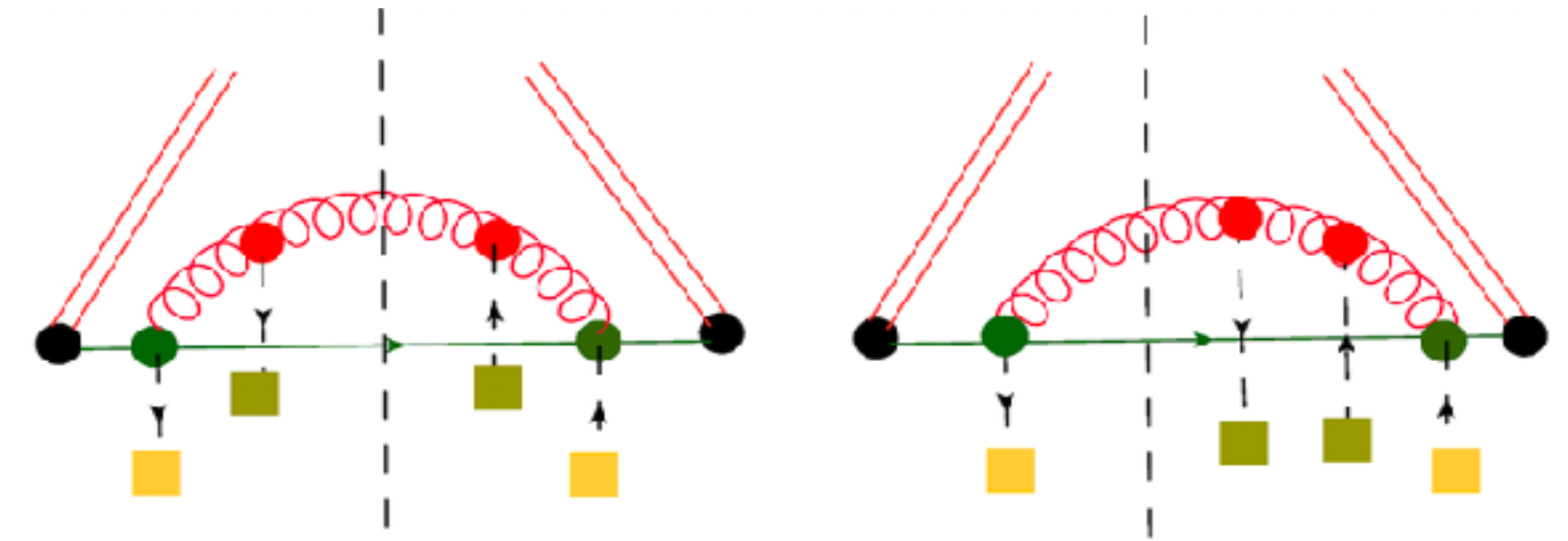


Multiple scatterings

Broadening of vacuum emission



Broadening of medium induced emission



- In the Markovian limit and $L \rightarrow \infty$ limit, i.e., $t_f \ll L$

Phase space constraint for the measurement
is $q_{f\perp}/\omega \sim R$

$$\mathbf{S}_B^{(n)}(\epsilon_L, k_{1\perp}, k_{2\perp}, \dots, k_{n\perp}) = \frac{\alpha_s(N_c^2 - 1)}{4\pi^2} \int d^2q_\perp \int \frac{dq^-}{q^-} \Theta\left(q_\perp - \frac{q^- R}{2}\right) \left[\delta(\epsilon_L) - \delta(q^- - \epsilon_L)\right] \int \frac{d^2p_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} \int \frac{d^2b e^{ip_\perp \cdot b}}{(p_\perp + q_\perp)^2} \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{(e^{-ik_{i\perp} \cdot b} - 1)}{k_{i\perp}^2}$$

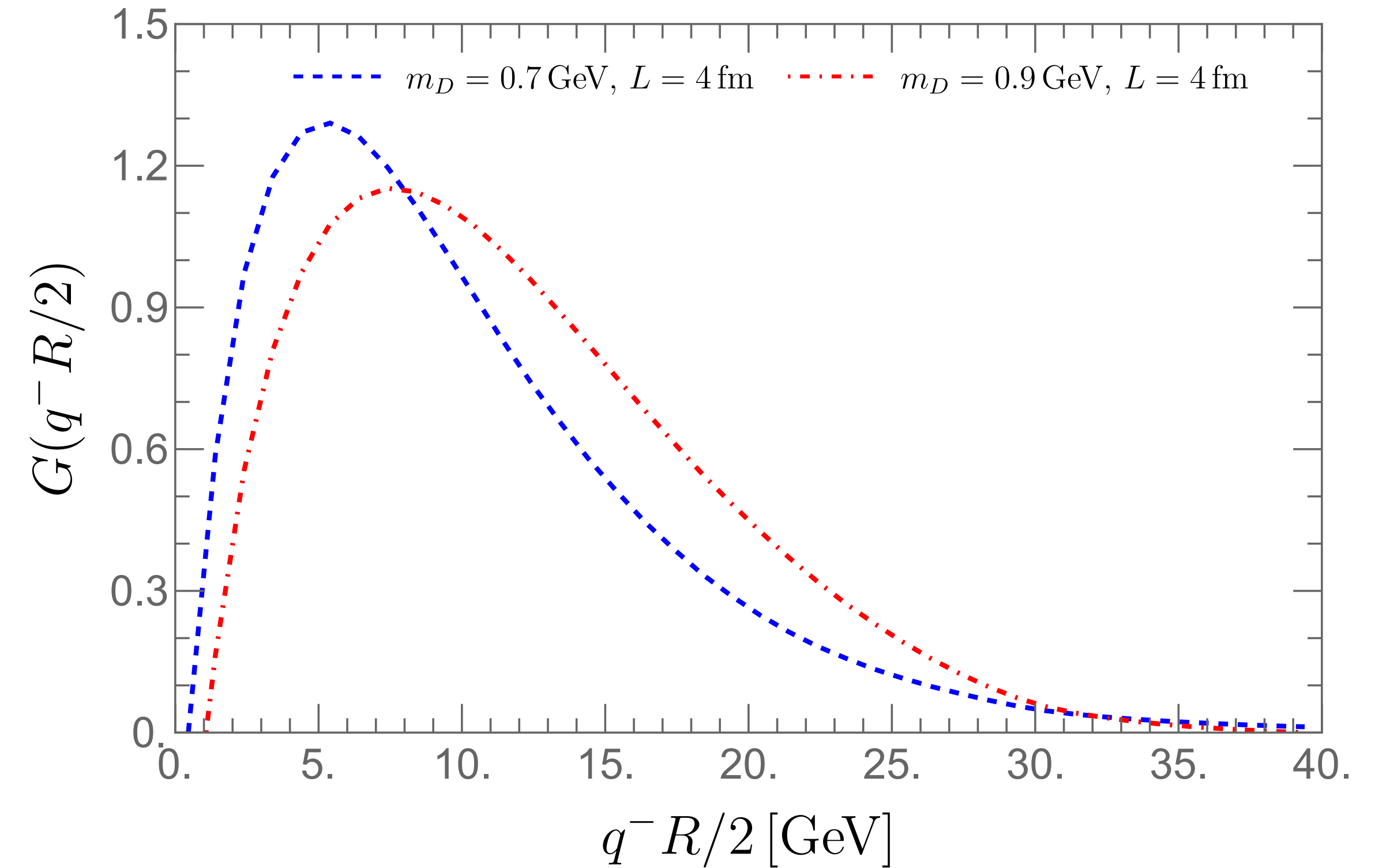
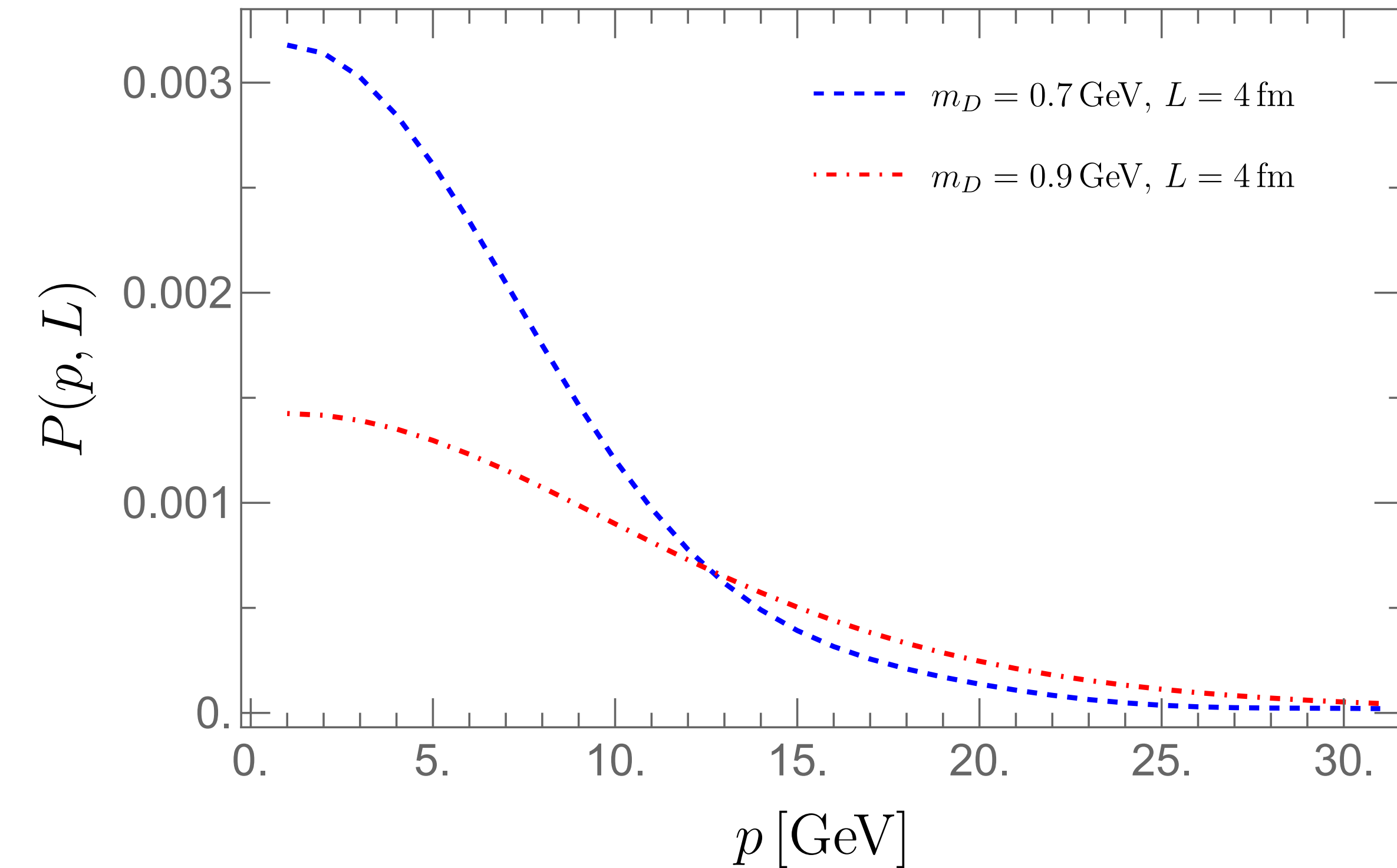
- The jet function can be written as a distribution in the impact parameter space

$$\mathcal{S}_{1,B}(\epsilon_L, \mu) \approx \frac{\alpha_s(N_c^2 - 1)}{4\pi^2} \int \frac{dq^-}{q^-} \left[\delta(\epsilon_L) - \delta(q^- - \epsilon_L)\right] \int \frac{d^2p_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} \int \frac{d^2q}{(q_\perp + p_\perp)^2} \Theta\left(q_\perp - \frac{q^- R}{2}\right) (P(p_\perp, L) - \delta^2(p_\perp))$$

Q_{med} scale

Multiple scatterings lead to larger momentum transfer from medium to jet parton

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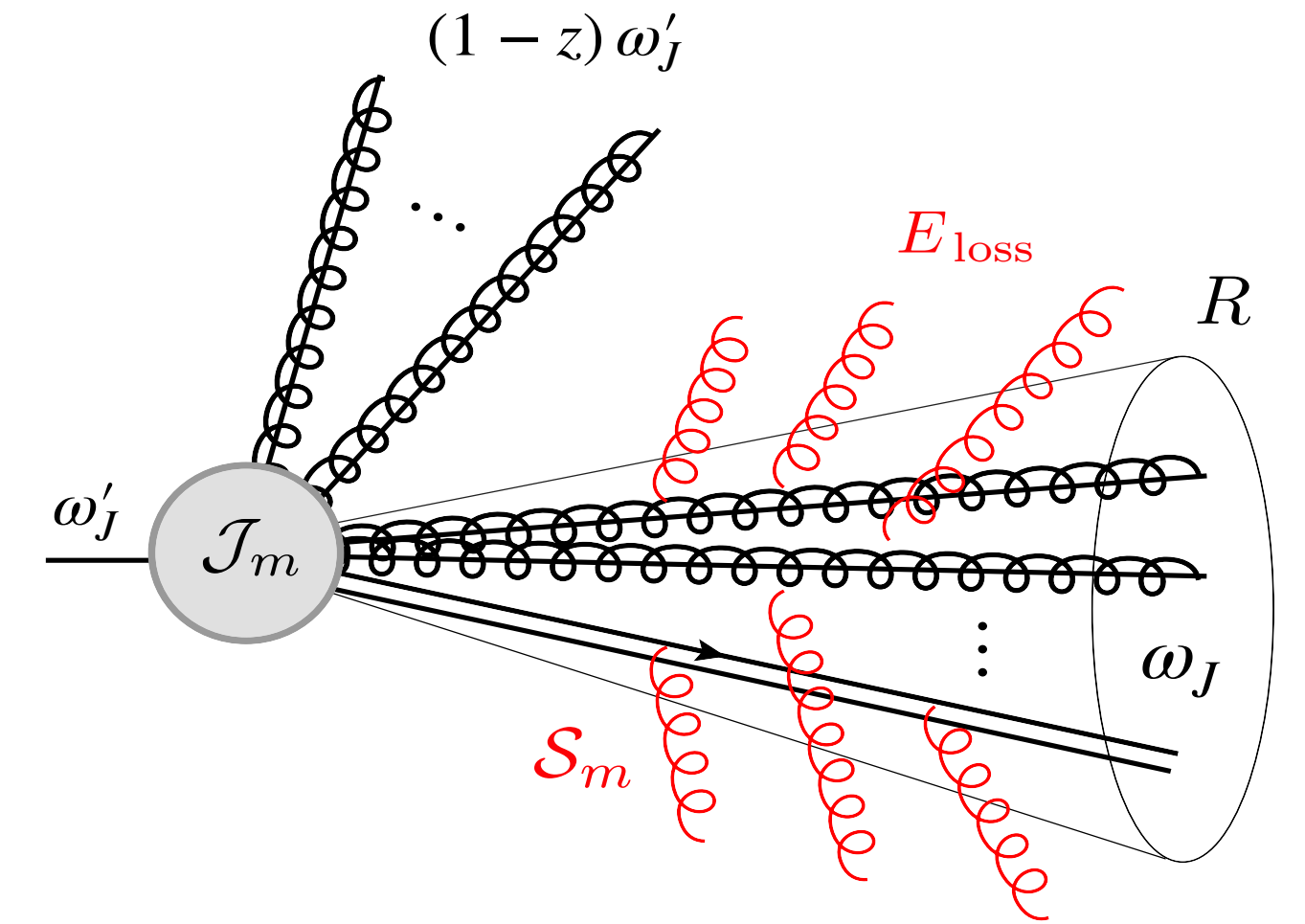
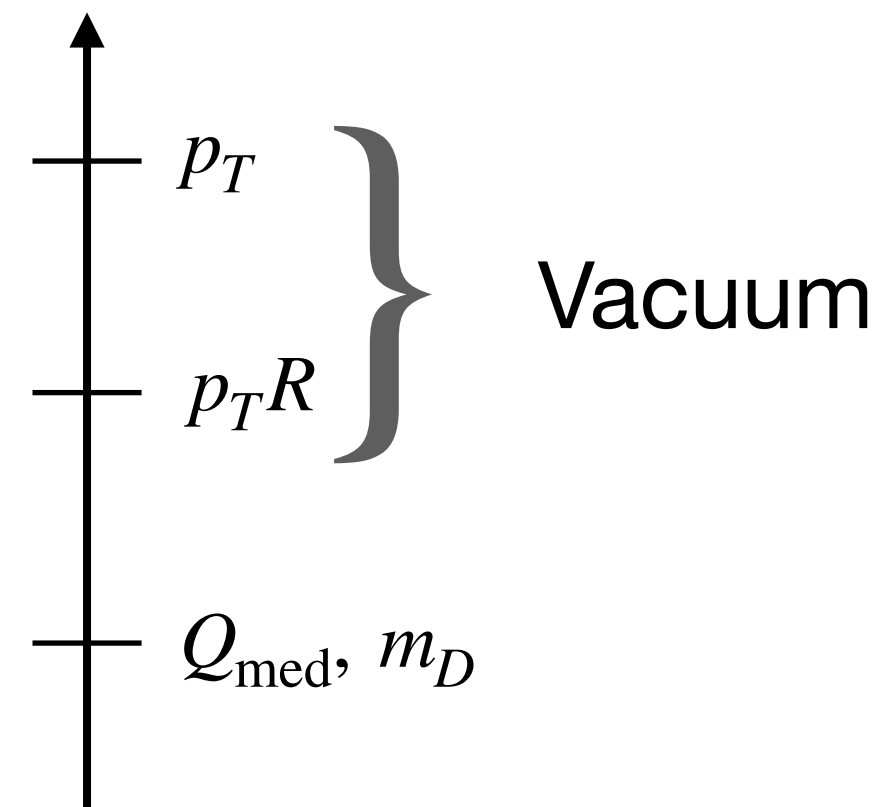
Peak in the distribution provides an estimate for the emergent scale Q_{med} through multiple scattering

- Exact value of the emergent scale depends on medium properties and parameters

Towards all order factorization

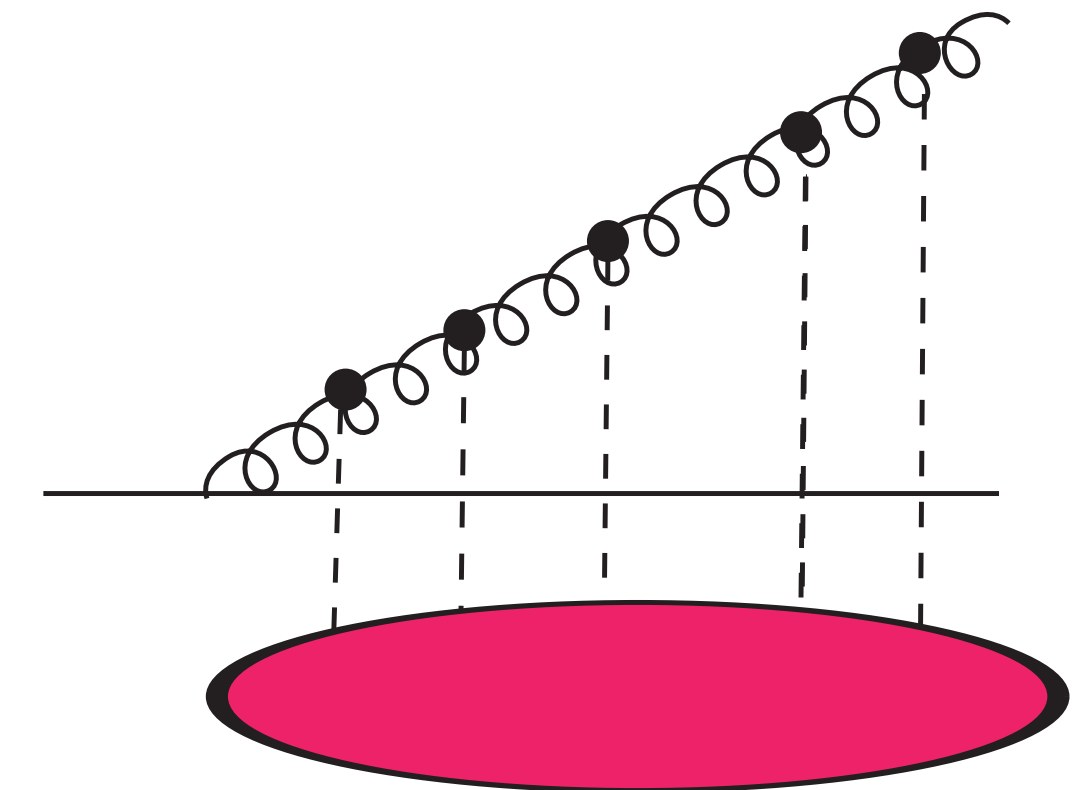
- For a dense medium multiple scatterings are important and can lead to non trivial evolution equations

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T d\eta} = \sum_{i \in q, \bar{q}, g} \int_0^1 \frac{dz}{z} H_i \left(\omega = \frac{\omega_J}{z}, \mu \right) J_i(z, \omega_J, \mu)$$



$$J_i(z, \omega_J, \mu) = \int_0^1 dz' \int_0^\infty d\epsilon_L \delta(\omega_J' - \omega_J - \epsilon_L) \sum_m \prod_{j=2}^m \int \frac{d\Omega(n_j)}{4\pi} \mathcal{F}_{i \rightarrow m} \left(\{\underline{n}\}, z', \omega_J' = \frac{z' \omega_J}{z}, \mu, \mu_{cs} \right) \mathcal{S}_m(\{\underline{n}\}, \epsilon_L, \mu_{cs})$$

$$\mathcal{S}_1^{(n)}(\epsilon_L, \mu) = |C_G|^{2n} \left[\prod_{i=1}^n \int_0^L dx_i^- \Theta(x_i^- - x_{i+1}^-) \int \frac{d^2 k_i}{(2\pi)^3} \mathbf{B}(k_{i\perp}, \mu, \nu', x_i^-) \right] \mathbf{S}_1^{(n)}(\epsilon_L; k_{1\perp}, \dots, k_{n\perp}; x_1^-, \dots, x_n^-; \nu')$$



The factorization formula assumes that medium correlators are not correlated beyond the scattering length

Angularity distribution non-perturbative effects

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\eta dp_T d\tau_a} = \int dk \frac{d\sigma^{\text{pert}}}{d\eta dp_T d\tau_a} \left(\tau_a - \frac{k}{p_T R} \right) \mathcal{S}_{\text{np}}(k).$$

