# Three-point energy correlation in the coplanar limit 

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## Hadron production at $e^{+} e^{-}$colliders

- Large cross section of $q \bar{q}$ production
- High luminosity at the CEPC, generate more than $10^{11} q \bar{q}$ events at $Z$ pole and more than $10^{8}$ events at 240 Gev .

- These large number of events can reduce the statistical uncertainty dramatically.
- High energy can suppress the hadronization effects.

Figure: Total cross section at $e^{+} e^{-}$colliders

| Operation <br> mode | $\sqrt{s}$ <br> $(\mathbf{G e V})$ | $L$ per IP <br> $\left(10^{34} \mathbf{c m}^{-2} \mathbf{s}^{-1}\right)$ | Years | Total $\int L$ <br> $\left(\mathbf{a b}^{-1}, \mathbf{2 ~ I P s}\right)$ | Event <br> yields |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $H$ | 240 | 3 | 7 | 5.6 | $1 \times 10^{6}$ |
| $Z$ | 91.2 | $32\left({ }^{*}\right)$ | 2 | 16 | $7 \times 10^{11}$ |
| $W^{+} W^{-}$ | $158-172$ | 10 | 1 | 2.6 | $2 \times 10^{7}(\dagger)$ |

Figure: Luminosity and sample event yields at the CEPC[CEPC conceptual design report, 2018]

## Event shape observables

see also last talk of WanLi Ju

- Event shape observables were designed to obtain useful information from the large number of $q \bar{q}$ events.
- From experiment side, being only composed of kinematics of final state particles, they are easy to extract from data.
- From theory side, they are designed to be infrared and collinear safe therefore can be reliably calculated in PQCD .
- Can be used to extract $\alpha_{s}$ by comparing theory and data.
- Study of hadronization effects.
- For example, Thrust $T$ [Brandt et all., 1964; Farhi, 1977], $C$-parameter [Parisi, 1978; Donoghue et al, 1979; Ellis, 1981], wide $B_{W}$ and total $B_{T}$ jet broadenings [Rakow and Webber,
1981; Ellis and Webber, 1986; Catani et
al., 1992], normalized heavy jet mass $M_{H}^{2} / s$ [clavelli, 1979], the energy-energy correlations (EEC) [Basham et al, 1978]


## Event Shapes in the Dijet limit

 see also last talk of WanLi Ju- At lepton colliders, event shape observables in the dijet limit have been well studied, to NNLO and $\mathrm{N}^{3} \mathrm{LL}$ accuracy [Ridder et al, 2007; Weinzierl, 2008, 2009; Becher et al, 2008; Abbate et al, 2011; Chien et al, 2010; Hoang et al, 2014].
- Determination of $\alpha_{s}$ from thrust[Abbate, et al., 2010]

$\alpha_{s}\left(m_{Z}\right)=0.1135 \pm(0.0002)_{\exp } \pm$ $(0.0005)_{\text {hadr }} \pm(0.0009)_{\text {pert }}$
- Determination of $\alpha_{s}$ from $C$-parameter [Hoang et al., 2015 ]

$\alpha_{s}\left(m_{Z}\right)=0.1123 \pm(0.0002)_{\exp } \pm$ $(0.0007)_{\text {hadr }} \pm(0.0014)_{\text {pert }}$


## Event Shapes in the Trijet Limit

- However, only a few event shapes in the trijet limit were studied.
- Thrust minor $T_{m}$ [Banfi et al, 2001]
- $D$-parameter: the three-jet coplanar region was studied[Banfi et al, 2001]; And recently all regions of $D \rightarrow 0$ were studied to perform the full resummation up to NLL[Larkoski and Procita, 2018]

(a)


Figure: A typical three jets event from LEP
(b)
[Larkoski and Procita, 2018]

## Why a new event shape: three-point energy correlation

- Allow an all order factorization formula in the coplanar limit
- Ingredients of factorization formula known to higher orders
- Allow us to get NLO+ NNLL accuracy
- Allow an operator definition, can be conveniently used to study non-perturbative effects



## Review of the EEC

The Energy-Energy Correlation (EEC) is defined as [Basham et al, 1978]

$$
\mathrm{EEC}=\frac{1}{\sigma_{\mathrm{tot}}} \sum_{i j} \int d \sigma \frac{E_{i} E_{j}}{Q^{2}} \delta\left(\cos \chi-\cos \theta_{i j}\right)
$$

which measures the correlations of energy deposited in two detectors separated with angle $\chi$.


## From CMB to Colliders

- In the research of the Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB), two- and three-point correlation functions were studied
- Instead of only one universe at the CMB, we have numerous events at the lepton colliders
- There exists color evolutions of multiple Wilson lines and therefore more differential structures at the colliders.
- The general form of three-point correlations is a multivariable function


Figure: CMB [Wikipedia]


Figure: One Event at the Lepton Collider

## Definition of the ETPC

- We define a NEW observable, the Energy Triple-Product Correlation (ETPC), it can be defined as a straightforward generalization of EEC

$$
\sum_{i j k} \int d \sigma \frac{E_{i} E_{j} E_{k}}{Q^{3} \sigma_{\mathrm{tot}}} \delta\left(\cos \chi_{1}-\cos \theta_{i j}\right) \delta\left(\cos \chi_{2}-\cos \theta_{i k}\right) \delta\left(\cos \chi_{3}-\cos \theta_{j k}\right)
$$

- $i, j, k$ run over all the different final state particles
- It depends on three variables $\chi_{1}, \chi_{2}$ and $\chi_{3}$
- It is not convenient to go on by using this definition
- We seek a one variable definition as a first step


## Definition of the ETPC

- One variable definition of ETPC can be written as

$$
E T P C=\frac{1}{\sigma_{\text {tot }}} \frac{d \Sigma}{d \tau_{p}}=\sum_{i j k} \int d \sigma \frac{E_{i} E_{j} E_{k}}{Q^{3} \sigma_{\text {tot }}} \delta\left(\tau_{p}-\tau_{i j k}\right)
$$

- $\tau_{i j k}=\left|\left(\hat{n}_{i} \times \hat{n}_{j}\right) \cdot \hat{n}_{k}\right|$ is the volume of the parallelepiped formed by $\hat{n}_{i}, \hat{n}_{j}$ and $\hat{n}_{k}$ which are unit vectors of three momentum $p_{i}, p_{j}$ and $p_{k}$ of final state particles
- $\tau_{i j k} \rightarrow 0$ corresponds that $i, j, k$ are in the coplanar limit [This work]



## The Relation between the ETPC and the $D$-Parameter

- The $D$-parameter is product of three eigenvalues $\lambda_{1}, \lambda_{2}, \lambda_{3}$ of the spherocity tensor $\Theta_{\alpha \beta}=\frac{1}{Q} \sum_{i} \frac{p_{i \alpha} p_{i \beta}}{E_{i}}, \alpha, \beta$ is the spatial component of four momentum [Parisi, 1978; Donoghue et al, 1979]
- In the case all the final particles are massless

$$
\begin{aligned}
D & =27 \lambda_{1} \lambda_{2} \lambda_{3} \\
& =\frac{27}{6}\left\{\left(\lambda_{1}+\lambda_{2}+\lambda_{3}\right)\left[\left(\lambda_{1}+\lambda_{2}+\lambda_{3}\right)^{2}-3\left(\lambda_{1}^{2}+\lambda_{2}^{2}+\lambda_{3}^{2}\right)\right]+2\left(\lambda_{1}^{3}+\lambda_{2}^{3}+\lambda_{3}^{3}\right)\right\} \\
& =\frac{27}{6}\left\{\operatorname{Tr} \Theta\left[(\operatorname{Tr} \Theta)^{2}-3 \operatorname{Tr} \Theta^{2}\right]+2 \operatorname{Tr} \Theta^{3}\right\} \\
& =\frac{27}{Q^{3}} \sum_{i<j<k} \frac{\left|\left(\vec{p}_{i} \times \vec{p}_{j}\right) \cdot \vec{p}_{k}\right|^{2}}{E_{i} E_{j} E_{k}} \\
& =\frac{27}{Q^{3}} \sum_{i<j<k} E_{i} E_{j} E_{k} \tau_{i j k}^{2}
\end{aligned}
$$

- The average of the D-parameter is the third moment of the ETPC

$$
\langle D\rangle=\frac{9}{2} \int d \tau_{p} \tau_{p}^{2} E T P C\left(\tau_{p}\right)
$$

## Trijet Coplanar limit

- The coplanar limit also contain collinear or back-to-back configurations, in this work, we only consider trijet coplanar limit, this means the coplanar three jets are well separated.
- In the work of [Banfi et al., 2001], the trijet resolution variable $y_{3}$ is required to be larger than a parameter

$$
y_{3}>y_{\mathrm{cut}}
$$

- $y_{3}$ is defined to be the minimum value of $y_{h h^{\prime}}$ according to the $k_{T}$ (Durham)


Figure: Trijet Coplanar Limit algorithm [Catani, 1991]

$$
y_{h h^{\prime}}=2\left(1-\cos \theta_{h h^{\prime}}\right) \min \left(E_{h}^{2}, E_{h^{\prime}}^{2}\right) / Q^{2}
$$

## Trijet Coplanar Limit for the ETPC

For the ETPC, we apply two methods to approach the trijet coplanar limit

1 In each event, choose the three particles set $\{i, j, k\}$ such that

$$
\sin \theta_{i j}>a_{\mathrm{cut}}, \quad \sin \theta_{j k}>a_{\mathrm{cut}}, \quad \sin \theta_{k i}>a_{\mathrm{cut}}
$$

where $0<a_{\text {cut }}<\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ is a parameter that control the size of the allowed phase space.


## Trijet Coplanar Limit for the ETPC

2 Use the $k_{T}$ algorithm to find three jets, we keep the event only if $y_{3}>y_{\text {cut }}$, and modify the definition of the ETPC to

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sum_{\substack{i \in J_{1} \\
j \in J_{2} \\
k \in J_{3}}} \int d \sigma \frac{E_{i} E_{j} E_{k}}{E_{J_{1}} E_{J_{2}} E_{J_{3}} \sigma_{\mathrm{tot}}} \delta\left(\tau_{p}-\tau_{i j k}\right) \\
& J_{3} \text { denote three jets. } \\
& \text { The phase space of three } \\
& \text { particles, with } y_{\text {cut }}=0.1 \\
& \text { Here } x_{i}=2 E_{i} / Q
\end{aligned}
$$

where $J_{1}, J_{2}, J_{3}$ denote three jets.

## Using PYTHIA8.2

## Preliminary!

- Use PYTHIA8.2 [Sjöstrand et al., 2015] to generate events
- Turn on/off hadronization
- The hadronization effect is roughly $\frac{1}{Q}$-dependent
- $a_{\text {cut }}=0.6$





## Using PYTHIA8.2

## Preliminary!

- $y_{\text {cut }}=0.1$



- This Pythia results can only be used as a reference.
- Pythia only contains lowest order hard matrix element, $e^{+} e^{-} \rightarrow q \bar{q}$ here, and LL resummation.
- Pythia can not estimate the scale uncertainty.
- We seek an analytical method to study ETPC in the coplanar limit.


## Factorization

An all order factorization formula in the coplanar limit

$$
\frac{1}{\hat{\sigma}_{0}} \frac{d \sigma}{d \tau_{p}}=\int_{D} d v d \omega H \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d b}{2 \pi \xi} 2 \cos \left(b \tau_{p} / \xi\right) S J_{q} J_{\bar{q}} J_{g}
$$

## Factorization: Kinematics

There are two sources dominate the ETPC in the trijet coplanar limit

- The recoil effect of soft radiations.

- Collinear fragmentation

- The final state hardron carrys longitudinal fraction momentum $z_{i}^{h}$ from it's parent jet, i.e. $\vec{k}_{i}^{h}=z_{i}^{h} \vec{p}_{i}$.


## Factorization: Kinematics

There are two sources dominate the ETPC in the trijet coplanar limit

- The recoil effect of soft radiations.


- $\sum_{i=1}^{3} p_{i, y}=-k_{s, y}$,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sin \theta_{1}=\frac{p_{1, y}}{\left|\vec{p}_{i}\right|}=\frac{p_{1, y}}{E_{i}} \quad \bullet \sin \theta_{i}=\frac{k_{i, y}^{h}}{\left|\vec{k}_{i}^{h}\right|}=\frac{k_{i, y}^{h}}{z_{i}^{h} E_{i}} \\
& \left.\Rightarrow \quad \tau_{i j k}=\left|\frac{\left|\overrightarrow{p_{1}} \times \vec{p}_{2}\right|}{E_{1} E_{2} E_{3}}\right| \frac{k_{i, x}^{h}}{z_{i}^{h}}+\frac{k_{j, y}^{h}}{z_{j}^{h}}+\frac{k_{k, y}^{h}}{z_{k}^{h}}-k_{s, y} \right\rvert\,+\mathcal{O}\left(\tau_{p}^{2}\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

## The Factorization Formula

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \frac{1}{\sigma_{b}} \frac{d \sigma}{d \tau_{p}}=\int_{D} d v d \omega H(v, \omega, \mu) \sum_{i j k} \int d k_{i, y}^{h} \int d k_{j, y}^{h} \int d k_{k, y}^{h} \int d k_{s, y} \\
& \times \int d z_{i}^{h} d z_{j}^{h} d z_{k}^{h} z_{i}^{h} z_{j}^{h} z_{k}^{h} S\left(k_{s, y}, \mu, \nu\right) \delta\left(\tau_{p}-\xi\left|\frac{k_{i, y}^{h}}{z_{i}^{h}}+\frac{k_{j, y}^{h}}{z_{j}^{h}}+\frac{k_{k, y}^{h}}{z_{k}^{h}}-k_{s, y}\right|\right) \\
& \times F_{1 \rightarrow i}\left(k_{i, y}^{h}, z_{i}^{h}, \mu, \nu\right) F_{2 \rightarrow j}\left(k_{j, y}^{h}, z_{j}^{h}, \mu, \nu\right) F_{3 \rightarrow k}\left(k_{k, y}^{h}, z_{k}^{h}, \mu, \nu\right)+\text { power corr. }
\end{aligned}
$$

- $u=\left(p_{1}+p_{2}\right)^{2}, v=\left(p_{1}+p_{3}\right)^{2}, \omega=\left(p_{2}+p_{3}\right)^{2} ; i, j, k$ belong to the three different jets; $\sigma_{b}$ is the born cross section for $e^{+} e^{-} \rightarrow q \bar{q}$
D The domain of the integrals, constrained by the phase space cuts
H The hard function
S The soft function
F TMD fragmentation functions

$$
\begin{aligned}
F_{q \rightarrow h}\left(b, z_{h}\right) & =\frac{1}{4 z_{h} N_{c}} \sum_{X} \int \frac{d \xi^{+}}{2 \pi} e^{-i p_{h}^{-} \xi^{+} / z_{h}}\langle 0| \bar{\chi}_{n}(\xi)|X, h\rangle \not \hbar\langle X, h| \chi(0)|0\rangle \\
\xi & =\left(\xi^{+}, i b_{0} / \nu, b, 0\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

## Factorization Formula

Use Fourier representation of delta function, Fourier transformed TMD FFs and TMD SF
(1) $\delta\left(\tau-\xi\left|\frac{k_{i, y}^{h}}{z_{i}^{h}}+\frac{k_{j, y}^{h}}{z_{j}^{h}}+\frac{k_{k, y}^{h}}{z_{k}^{h}}-k_{s, y}\right|\right)$

$$
=\int \frac{d b}{2 \pi \xi} 2 \cos (b \tau / \xi) \exp \left[i b\left(\frac{k_{i, y}^{h}}{z_{i}^{h}}+\frac{k_{j, y}^{h}}{z_{j}^{h}}+\frac{k_{k, y}^{h}}{z_{k}^{h}}-k_{s, y}\right)\right]
$$

(2) $F_{i j}\left(\frac{b}{z_{i}}, z_{i}, \mu, \nu\right)=\int d k_{y, i}^{h} \exp \left(i \frac{b}{z_{i}} k_{i, y}^{h}\right) F_{i j}\left(k_{i, y}^{h}, z_{i}, \mu, \nu\right)$,
(3) $S(b, \mu, \nu)=\int d k_{s, y} \exp \left(i b k_{s, y}\right) S\left(k_{s, y}, \mu, \nu\right)$.

We rewrite the factorization formula as

$$
\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{\sigma_{b}} \frac{d \sigma}{d \tau_{p}} & =\int_{D} d v d \omega H(v, \omega, \mu) \sum_{i j l} \int \frac{d b}{2 \pi \xi} 2 \cos (b \tau / \xi) \int d z_{i} d z_{j} d z_{k} \\
& \left(z_{i} z_{j} z_{k}\right) S(b, \mu, \nu) F_{i 1}\left(\frac{b}{z_{i}}, z_{i}, \mu, \nu\right) F_{j 2}\left(\frac{b}{z_{j}}, z_{j}, \mu, \nu\right) F_{l 3}\left(\frac{b}{z_{k}}, z_{k}, \mu, \nu\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

## Simplicity of the Factorization Formula

By operator product expansion, the TMDFF can be written as the convolution of the standard FF and matching coefficient

$$
F_{h 1}\left(\frac{b}{z_{h}}, z_{h}, \mu, \nu\right)=\sum_{m} f_{h / m}\left(z_{h}\right) \otimes \mathcal{I}_{m 1}\left(\frac{b}{z_{h}}, z_{h}\right) \cdot\left(1+\mathcal{O}\left(\Lambda_{\mathrm{QCD}}^{2} b^{2}\right)\right)
$$

Using the following equation

$$
\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i} \int d z_{i} z_{i} F_{i 1}\left(\frac{b}{z_{i}}, z_{i}, \mu, \nu\right) & =\sum_{i, m} \int d z_{i} z_{i} \int d \tau_{m} d x_{i} f_{i / m}\left(x_{i}\right) \mathcal{I}_{m 1}\left(\frac{b}{\tau_{m}}, \tau_{m}\right) \delta\left(z_{i}-\tau_{m} x_{i}\right) \\
& =\sum_{m} \int d \tau_{m} \tau_{m} \mathcal{I}_{m 1}\left(\frac{b}{\tau_{m}}, \tau_{m}\right)\left\{\sum_{i} \int d x_{i} x_{i} f_{i / m}\left(x_{i}\right)=1\right\} \\
& =\sum_{m} \int d \tau_{m} \tau_{m} \mathcal{I}_{m 1}\left(\frac{b}{\tau_{m}}, \tau_{m}\right) \equiv J_{1}(b, \mu, \nu)
\end{aligned}
$$

we simplify our formula to

$$
\frac{1}{\hat{\sigma}_{0}} \frac{d \sigma}{d \tau_{p}}=\int_{D} d v d \omega H(v, \omega, \mu) \int \frac{d b}{2 \pi \xi} 2 \cos \left(b \tau_{p} / \xi\right) S(b, \mu, \nu) J_{q}(b, \mu, \nu) J_{\bar{q}}(b, \mu, \nu) J_{g}(b, \mu, \nu)
$$

## Hard Function: process dependent part

The hard function incorporates virtual correlations for $e^{+} e^{-} \rightarrow 3$ Jets

- LO

- NLO [ Ellis et al., 1981; Fabricius et al.,

1981]


- NNLO(for future work) [Garland et all., 2001]



## Jet Functions: process independent

The jet functions encode the collinear fragmentations, they are universal and same as for EEC [Moult and Zhu, 2018].

- NLO

- NNLO(RV) [Ming-xing Luo et al., appear soon]

- $\mathrm{NNLO}(\mathrm{RR})$ [Ming-xing Luo et al., appear soon]


## The soft function: process independent

$$
\left.S\left(n_{q}, n_{\bar{q}}, n_{g}, b_{x}\right)=\operatorname{tr}\langle 0| \mathrm{T}\left[Y_{n_{q}} Y_{n_{\bar{q}}} Y_{g}\left(0, b_{x}, 0,0\right)\right] \overline{\mathrm{T}}\left[Y_{n_{q}}^{\dagger} Y_{n_{\bar{q}}}^{\dagger} Y_{g}^{\dagger}(0,0,0,0)\right]\right]|0\rangle
$$

Figure: The spatial structure of the ETPC soft function. Each set of Wilson lines lies in the trijet plane, and their relative displacement is perpendicular to the plane

- Use the exponential regulator to deal with the rapidity divergences [Li et al., 2016]

$$
\int d^{d} k \theta\left(k^{0}\right) \delta\left(k^{2}\right) \rightarrow \int d^{d} k \theta\left(k^{0}\right) \delta\left(k^{2}\right) e^{-2 k^{0} \tau e^{-\gamma_{E}}}, \quad \nu=\frac{1}{\tau}
$$

## Soft function: Factorization

In general, soft functions involve correlations of multiple Wilson lines and are very complicated. In our case, the soft functions factorize into multiplication of three dipole soft functions(at least to two loops)

$$
S\left(n_{q}, n_{\bar{q}}, n_{g}, b_{x}, \mu, \nu\right)=\hat{S}_{q \bar{q}}\left(b_{x}, \mu, \nu, n_{q}, n_{\bar{q}}\right) \hat{S}_{q g}\left(b_{x}, \mu, \nu, n_{q}, n_{g}\right) \hat{S}_{\bar{q} g}\left(b_{x}, \mu, \nu, n_{\bar{q}}, n_{g}\right),
$$

this is the crucial reason that we can go to analytic high order calculations.

- Impossible to construct scaling invariant variables from three light-like vectors.


## - NLO



Figure: Only involve two Wilson lines

- NNLO(RR)


Figure: Can involve three Wilson lines, contribution cancles when summing all diagrams together [Catani and Grazzini, 1999]

## Soft function: Factorization

- NNLO(RV)[Catani and Grazzini, 2000]


Figure: The triple color correlations vanish due to the color algebra

$$
\begin{gathered}
i f_{a b c} T_{i}^{a} T_{j}^{b}\left(T_{i}^{c}+T_{j}^{c}\right)=-\delta_{i j} C_{A} T_{i}^{2} \\
\Longrightarrow i f_{a b c} T_{1}^{a} T_{2}^{b} T_{3}^{c}=-i f_{a b c} T_{1}^{a} T_{2}^{b}\left(T_{1}^{c}+T_{2}^{c}\right)=0
\end{gathered}
$$

$$
\text { Furthermore, } \quad \hat{S}_{i j}\left(b_{x}, \mu, \nu, n_{i}, n_{j}\right)=S_{i j}\left(b_{x}, \mu, \nu \sqrt{n_{i} \cdot n_{j} / 2}\right)
$$

where $S_{i j}$ the back-to-back dipole soft functions calculated to three loops[Li and Zhu, 2017].

## Renormalization Group Equations

$$
\begin{aligned}
\frac{d H}{d \ln \mu^{2}} & =\left[\frac{C_{A}+2 C_{F}}{2} \gamma_{\mathrm{cusp}}\left(\alpha_{s}\right) \ln \frac{Q^{2}}{\mu^{2}}+\gamma_{H}\left(y, z, \alpha_{s}\right)\right] H, \\
\frac{d \ln S}{d \ln \mu^{2}} & =\left[\frac{2 C_{F}+C_{A}}{2}\left(\gamma_{\text {cusp }}\left[\alpha_{s}\right] \ln \frac{\mu^{2}}{\nu^{2}}-\gamma_{s}\left[\alpha_{s}\right]\right)+\frac{C_{A}}{2} \gamma_{\mathrm{cusp}}\left[\alpha_{s}\right] \ln \frac{(1-u)^{2} u}{v \omega}\right. \\
& \left.+C_{F} \gamma_{\text {cusp }}\left[\alpha_{s}\right] \ln \frac{(1-v)(1-\omega)}{u}\right], \\
\frac{d \ln S}{d \ln \nu^{2}} & =\frac{2 C_{F}+C_{A}}{2}\left(\int_{\mu^{2}}^{b_{0}^{2} / b^{2}} \frac{d \bar{\mu}^{2}}{\bar{\mu}^{2}} \gamma_{\text {cusp }}\left(\alpha_{s}[\bar{\mu}]\right)+\gamma_{r}\left(\alpha_{s}\left[b_{0} / b\right]\right)\right), \\
\frac{d J_{i}}{d \ln \mu^{2}} & =\left(-\frac{1}{2} C_{i} \gamma_{\text {cusp }} \ln \frac{\left(2 p_{i}^{0}\right)^{2}}{\nu^{2}}+\gamma_{J, i}\right) J_{i}, \\
\frac{d J_{i}}{d \ln \nu^{2}} & =\frac{C_{i}}{2}\left(\int_{b_{0}^{2} / b^{2}}^{\mu^{2}} \frac{d \bar{\mu}^{2}}{\bar{\mu}^{2}} \gamma_{\text {cusp }}\left[\alpha_{s}(\bar{\mu})\right]-\gamma_{r}\left[\alpha_{s}\left(b_{0} / b\right)\right]\right) J_{i} .
\end{aligned}
$$

- All the anomalous dimensions are known to at least three loops
- RG invariant condition

$$
\gamma_{H}-\frac{C_{A}+2 C_{F}}{2} \gamma_{s}-2 \gamma_{J, q}-\gamma_{J, g}=0
$$

## Renormalization Group Evolution

Setting $\mu=\mu_{j}=b_{0} / b, \nu=\nu_{j}=Q$,


There is rapidity evolution for the soft function

## Numerical Implementation

- Apply the numerical code NLOJET++ [Nagy, 2001, 2003] to calculate the fixed-order ETPC: 4-jet LO + (5-jet real + 4-jet virtual) NLO
- Use two different settings:
(1) $a_{\text {cut }}=0.6\left(\sin \theta_{i j}>a_{\text {cut }}, \sin \theta_{j k}>a_{\text {cut }}, \sin \theta_{k i}>a_{\text {cut }}\right)$
(2) $y_{\text {cut }}=0.1\left(y_{3}>y_{\text {cut }}\right)$
- Verify our factorization formula by comparing the predicted singular fixed-order results with NLOJET++
- Resummation + power corrections


## Validation from NLOJET++

## Preliminary!

- Expanding the factorization formula with $\frac{\alpha_{s}}{4 \pi}$, then integrate over $b$ analytically

$$
\begin{aligned}
\frac{d \Sigma}{d \ln \tau_{p}} & =\int_{D} d v d \omega\left\{\left(\frac{\alpha_{s}}{4 \pi}\right)^{2}\left(c_{1} \ln \tau_{p}+c_{2}\right)\right. \\
& \left.+\left(\frac{\alpha_{s}}{4 \pi}\right)^{3}\left(c_{3} \ln ^{3} \tau_{p}+c_{4} \ln ^{2} \tau_{p}+c_{5} \ln \tau_{p}+c_{6}\right)+\mathcal{O}\left(\tau_{p}^{2}\right)\right\}
\end{aligned}
$$

- The predicted singular results of $\frac{d \Sigma}{d \ln \tau_{p}}$ is consistent with the full fixed-order results given by NLOJet ++ , in the $\tau_{p} \rightarrow 0$ limit. So our factorization formula is correct.




## Resummation

## Preliminary!



$$
a_{\text {cut }}=0.6
$$


$y_{\text {cut }}=0.1$

- The fixed-order results are unreasonable in the $\tau_{p} \rightarrow 0$ limit, resummation is necessary in this region
- The reduction of scale uncertainties from NLO to NNLL+NLO
- The perturbative corrections from NLL+LO to NNLL+NLO are large
- NLO LO do not overlap; NLL NNLL overlap, converge


## Conclusions

- We initiated the study of a new event shape observable called the Energy Triple-Product Correlation
- Derived an all order factorization formula for the ETPC in the coplanar limit
- Presented the results of NNLL matching with NLO
Thank You!

