

p_T -dependent semi-inclusive scattering in QCD

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In some sense, all processes used to determine the partonic structure of hadrons are "semi inclusive" and involve high- p_T final states....

Today: discuss a few pQCD aspects relevant to processes "sensitive to OAM"

Outline:

- Introduction
- Single-scale processes
- Two-scale processes

Introduction

Reactions with measured p_T play crucial role in QCD:

- Probes of nucleon structure
- Involved in most of today's Hadron Collider physics ("New Physics")
- Test our understanding of QCD at high energies, and our ability to do "first-principles" computations

Cornerstones: factorization & asymptotic freedom

Distinguish:

Processes with single measured hard scale p_T

- Examples:
 $pp \rightarrow \pi X \quad \gamma p \rightarrow \pi X$
- Collinear factorization
- Typically, fixed-order hard scattering (NLO, ...)
- "DGLAP" evolution
= resummation of logs
$$\alpha_s^k \log^k(p_T/Q_0)$$

to all orders

Two-scale problems: small measured q_T and hard scale Q

- Examples:
"TMD-SIDIS", Higgs- q_T
- For simplest observables:
TMD factorization
- Perturbation theory:
double-logs
$$\alpha_s^k \log^{2k}(q_T/Q)$$
- TMD evolution
= resummation of these logs

Connections between the two:

- q_T - integrated (weighted) cross sections revert to single-scale problem
- this typically involves formal relations such as

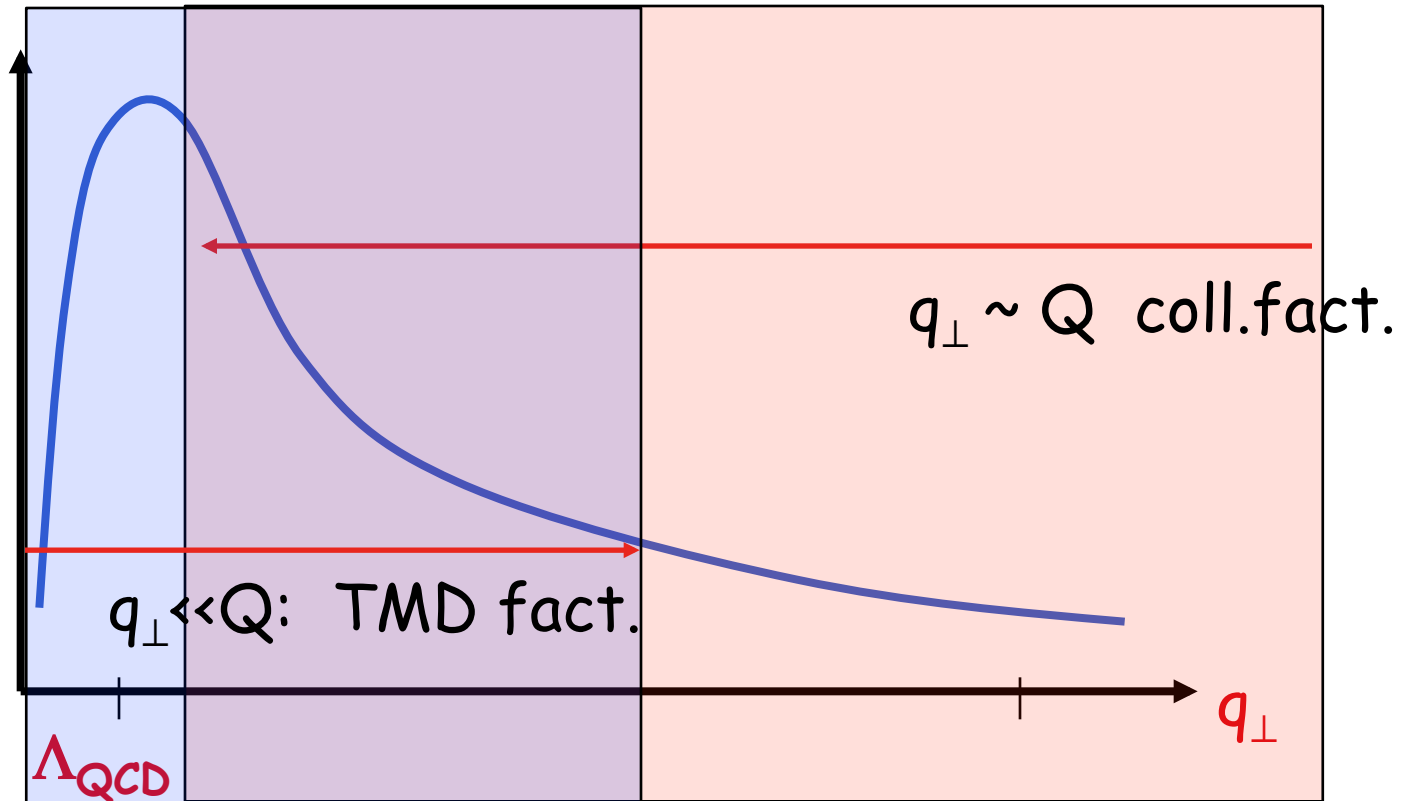
$$T_F(x, x) = - \int \frac{d^2 \vec{k}_\perp}{2\pi} \frac{\vec{k}_\perp^2}{M^2} (f_{1T}^\perp(x, k_\perp))_{\text{DIS}}$$

("sign puzzle" Kang, Qiu, WV, Yuan - see Kang's talk)

- likewise:

Ji, Qiu, WV, Yuan;
 Koike, WV, Yuan; Zhou, Yuan, Liang;
 Bacchetta, Boer, Diehl, Mulders

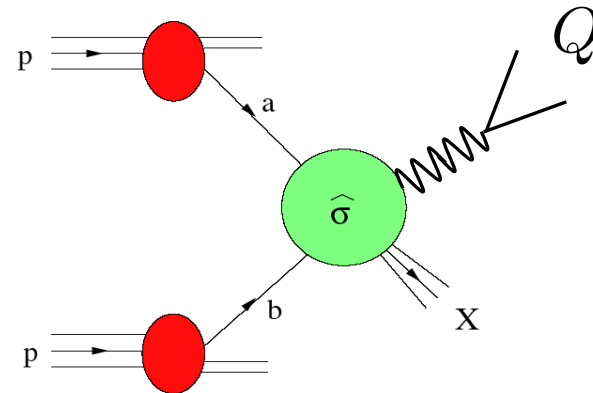
$d\sigma/dq_{\perp}$



$\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll q_{\perp} \ll Q$ same physics

Single-scale processes

Factorized cross section: e.g. Drell-Yan



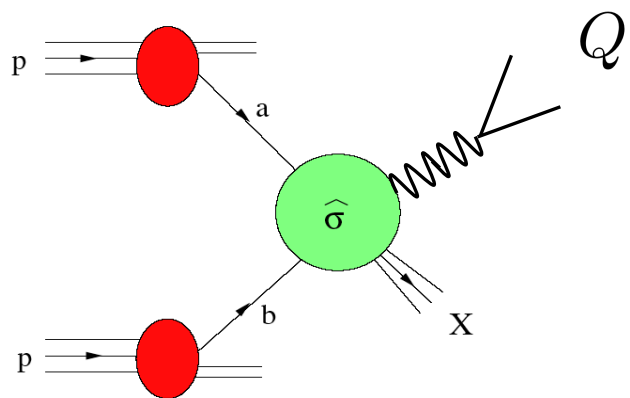
$$Q^4 \frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} = \sum_{ab} \int dx_a dx_b f_a(x_a, \mu) f_b(x_b, \mu) \omega_{ab} \left(z = \frac{Q^2}{\hat{s}}, \alpha_s(\mu), \frac{Q}{\mu} \right) + \dots$$

- $f_{a,b}$ parton distributions: **non-pert., but universal**
- ω_{ab} partonic cross sections: **process-dep., but pQCD**

$$\omega_{ab} = \omega_{ab}^{(\text{LO})} + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \omega_{ab}^{(\text{NLO})} + \dots$$

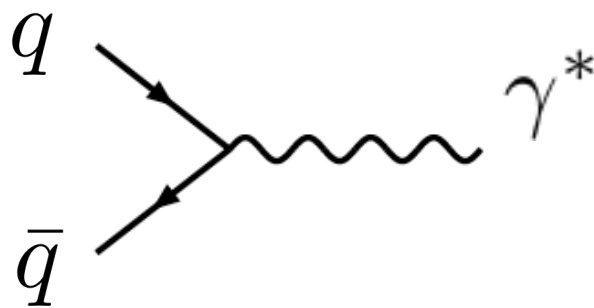
- $\mu \sim Q$ factorization / renormalization scale

Numerous applications: $f(x)$, $\Delta f(x)$, $T_F(x, x')$, \dots



LO :

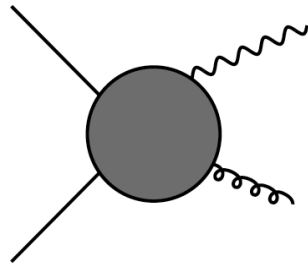
\hat{s} {



$$z = \frac{Q^2}{\hat{s}}$$

$$\omega_{q\bar{q}}^{(\text{LO})} \propto \delta(1 - z)$$

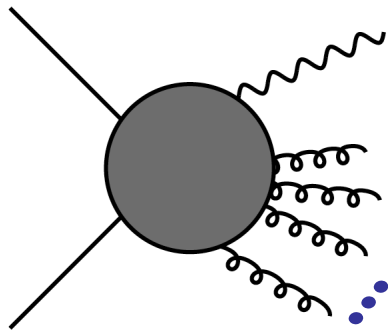
- **NLO** correction:



$$z \rightarrow 1 :$$

$$\omega_{q\bar{q}}^{(\text{NLO})} \propto \alpha_s \left(\frac{\log(1-z)}{1-z} \right)_+ + \dots$$

- higher orders:



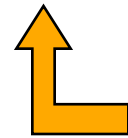
$$\omega_{q\bar{q}}^{(\text{N}^k\text{LO})} \propto \alpha_s^k \left(\frac{\log^{2k-1}(1-z)}{1-z} \right)_+ + \dots$$

“threshold logarithms”

- for $z \rightarrow 1$ real radiation inhibited
- (so, not really a “single-scale” problem)

- logs emphasized by parton distributions :

$$d\sigma \sim \int_{\tau}^1 \frac{dz}{z} \mathcal{L}_{q\bar{q}} \left(\frac{\tau}{z} \right) \omega_{q\bar{q}}(z) \quad \tau = \frac{Q^2}{S}$$



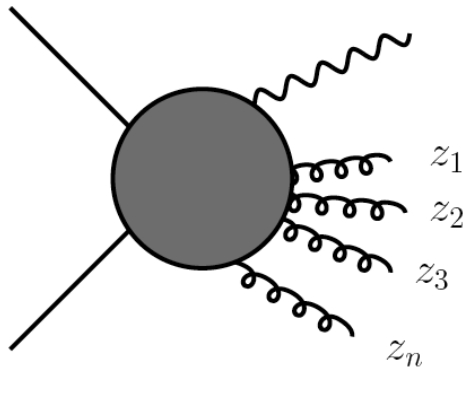
$z = 1$ relevant,
in particular as $\tau \rightarrow 1$

- logs more relevant at lower hadronic energies

Large logs can be resummed to all orders

Catani, Trentadue; Sterman; ...

- factorization of matrix elements in soft limit
- and of phase space when integral transform is taken:



$$\delta \left(1 - z - \sum_{i=1}^n z_i \right) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C dN e^{N(1-z-\sum_{i=1}^n z_i)}$$

$$z_i = \frac{2E_i}{\sqrt{\hat{s}}}$$

$\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme

$$\tilde{\omega}_{q\bar{q}}^{(\text{res})}(N) \propto \exp \left[2 \int_0^1 dy \frac{y^N - 1}{1 - y} \int_{\mu^2}^{Q^2(1-y)^2} \frac{dk_{\perp}^2}{k_{\perp}^2} A_q(\alpha_s(k_{\perp}^2)) + \dots \right]$$

$$A_q(\alpha_s) = C_F \left\{ \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} + \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^2 \left[\frac{C_A}{2} \left(\frac{67}{18} - \zeta(2) \right) - \frac{5}{9} T_R n_f \right] + \dots \right\}$$

- **logs enhance cross section !**

LL :

$$\tilde{\omega}_{q\bar{q}}^{(\text{res})}(N) \propto \exp \left[+ \frac{2C_F}{\pi} \alpha_s \ln^2 N + \dots \right]$$

to NLL :

Catani, Mangano, Nason, Trentadue

$$\tilde{\omega}_{q\bar{q}}^{(\text{res})}(N) \propto \exp \left\{ 2 \ln \bar{N} h^{(1)}(\lambda) + 2h^{(2)} \left(\lambda, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} \right) \right\}$$

LL

NLL

$$\lambda = \alpha_s(\mu^2) b_0 \log(N e^{\gamma_E})$$

$$h^{(1)}(\lambda) = \frac{A_q^{(1)}}{2\pi b_0 \lambda} [2\lambda + (1 - 2\lambda) \ln(1 - 2\lambda)] \quad h^{(2)} = \dots$$

Note,

$$\tau = \frac{Q^2}{S}$$

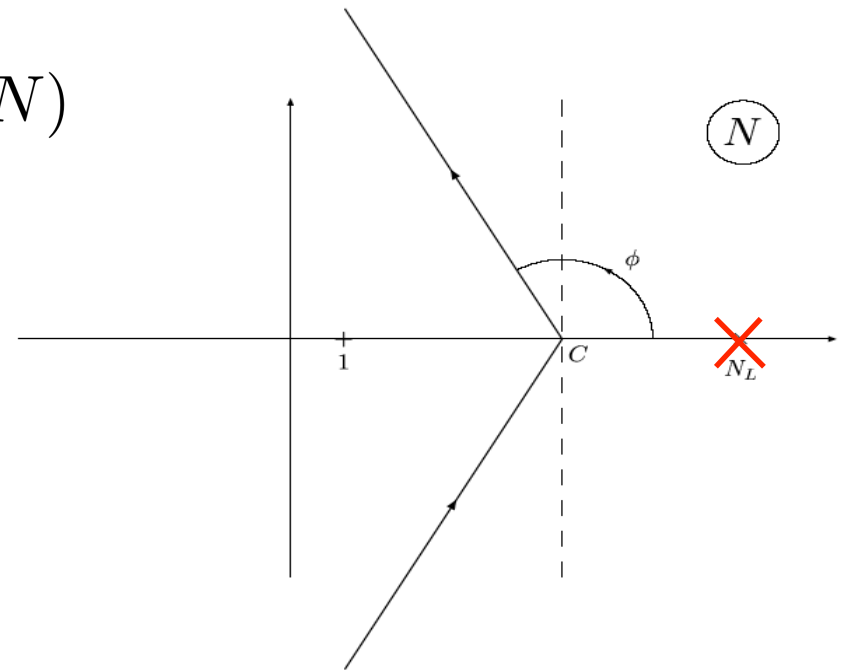
$$\int_0^1 d\tau \tau^{N-1} \frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} \propto \sum_{ab} \left(\int_0^1 dx_a x_a^N f_a \right) \left(\int_0^1 dx_b x_b^N f_b \right) \tilde{\omega}_{ab}(N)$$

Inverse transform:

$$\sigma^{\text{res}} = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C-i\infty}^{C+i\infty} dN \tau^{-N} \tilde{\sigma}^{\text{res}}(N)$$

"Minimal prescription"

Catani, Mangano, Nason, Trentadue

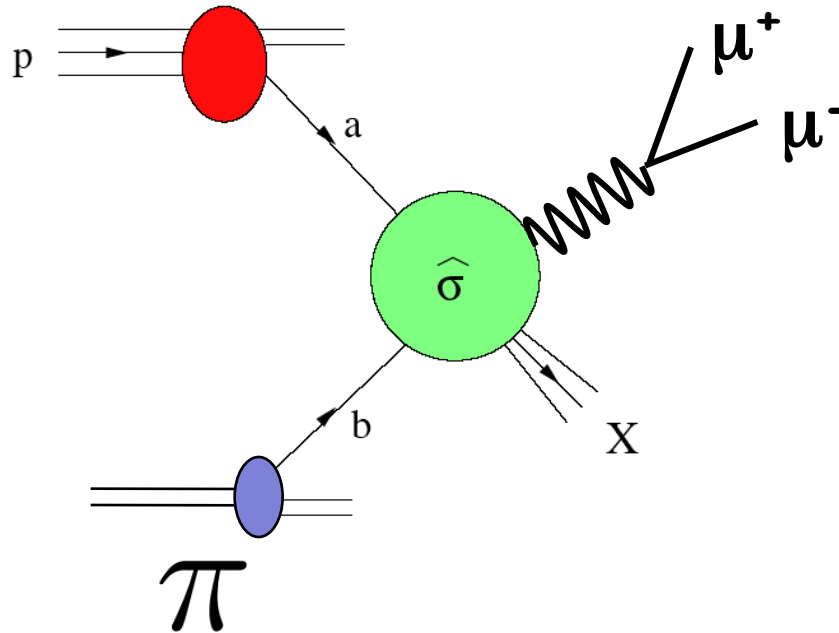


Drell-Yan process in πN scattering

M. Aicher, A.Schäfer, WV

- Drell-Yan process has been main source of information on pion structure:

E615, NA10

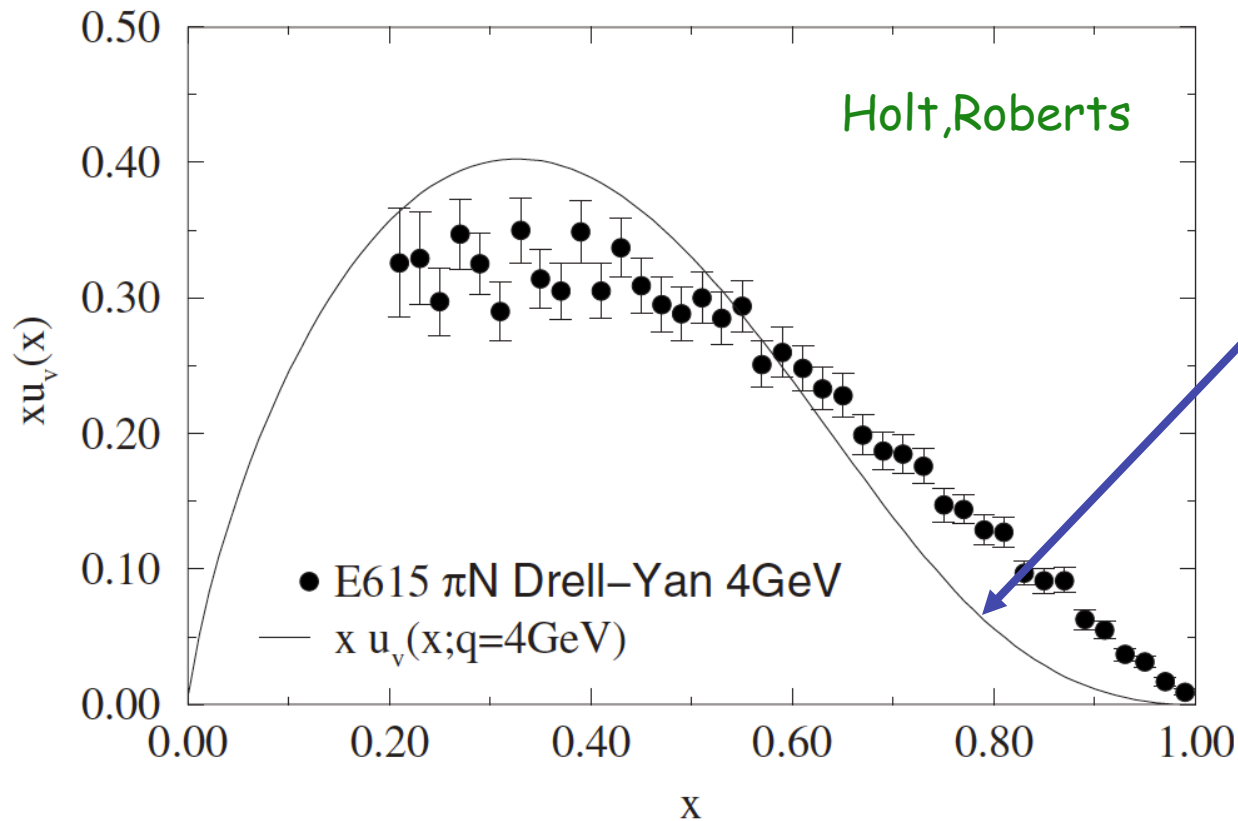


$$d\sigma = \sum_{ab} \int dx_a \int dx_b f_a^\pi(x_a, \mu) f_b(x_b, \mu) d\hat{\sigma}_{ab}(x_a P_a, x_b P_b, Q, \alpha_s(\mu), \mu)$$

- Kinematics such that data mostly probe valence region:
~200 GeV pion beam on fixed target

- LO extraction of u_v from E615 data:

$$\sqrt{S} = 21.75 \text{ GeV}$$



Holt, Roberts

$$\sim (1 - x)^2$$

QCD counting rules

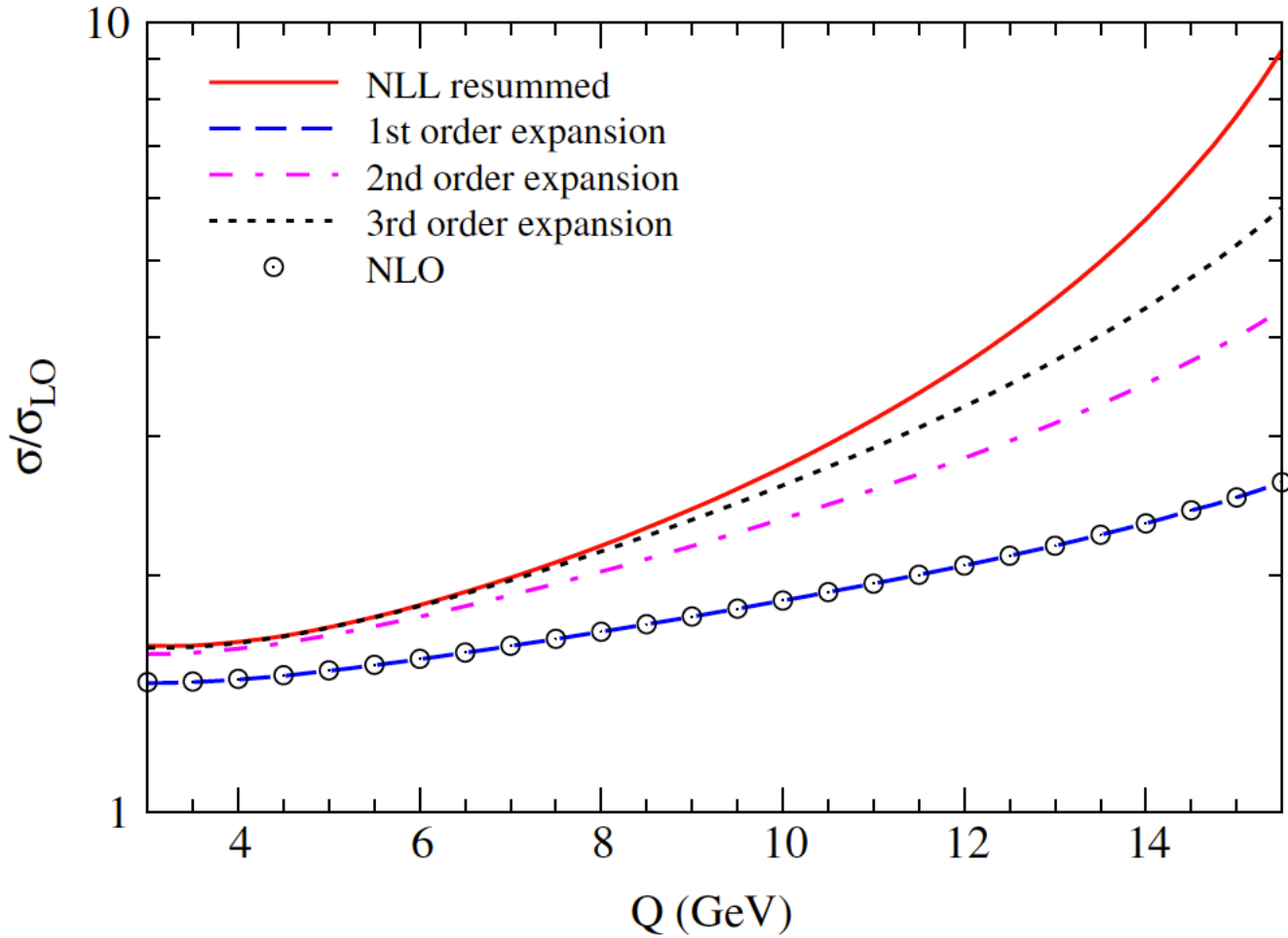
Farrar, Jackson;
 Berger, Brodsky; Yuan
 Blankenbecler, Gunion,
 Nason

Dyson-Schwinger

Hecht et al.

(Compass kinematics)

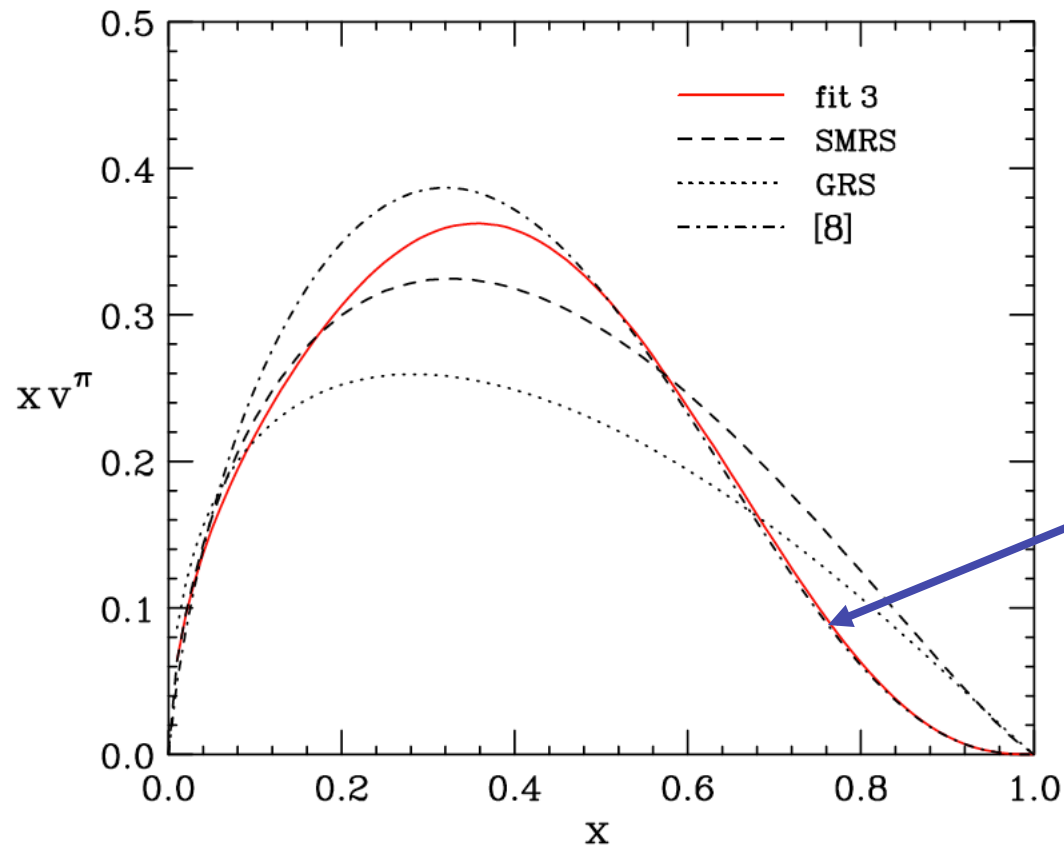
$$\sqrt{S} = 19 \text{ GeV}$$



Aicher, Schäfer, WV
(earlier studies: Shimizu, Sterman, WV, Yokoya)

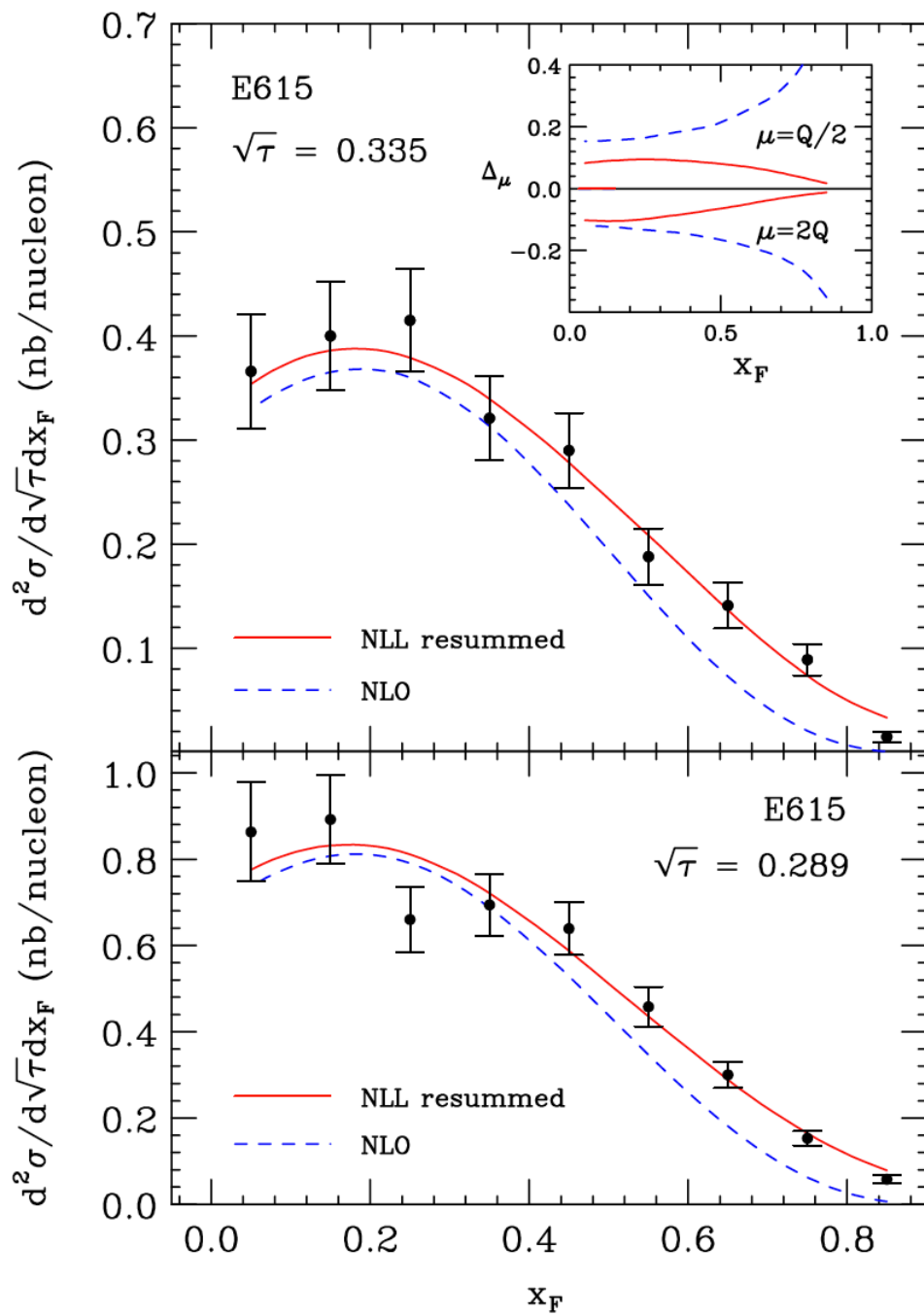
$$xv^\pi(x, Q_0^2) = N_\nu x^\alpha (1-x)^\beta (1+\gamma x^\delta)$$

| Fit | $2\langle xv^\pi \rangle$ | α | β | γ | K | χ^2 (no. of points) |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | 0.55 | 0.15 ± 0.04 | 1.75 ± 0.04 | 89.4 | 0.999 ± 0.011 | 82.8 (70) |
| 2 | 0.60 | 0.44 ± 0.07 | 1.93 ± 0.03 | 25.5 | 0.968 ± 0.011 | 80.9 (70) |
| 3 | 0.65 | 0.70 ± 0.07 | 2.03 ± 0.06 | 13.8 | 0.919 ± 0.009 | 80.1 (70) |
| 4 | 0.7 | 1.06 ± 0.05 | 2.12 ± 0.06 | 6.7 | 0.868 ± 0.009 | 81.0 (70) |

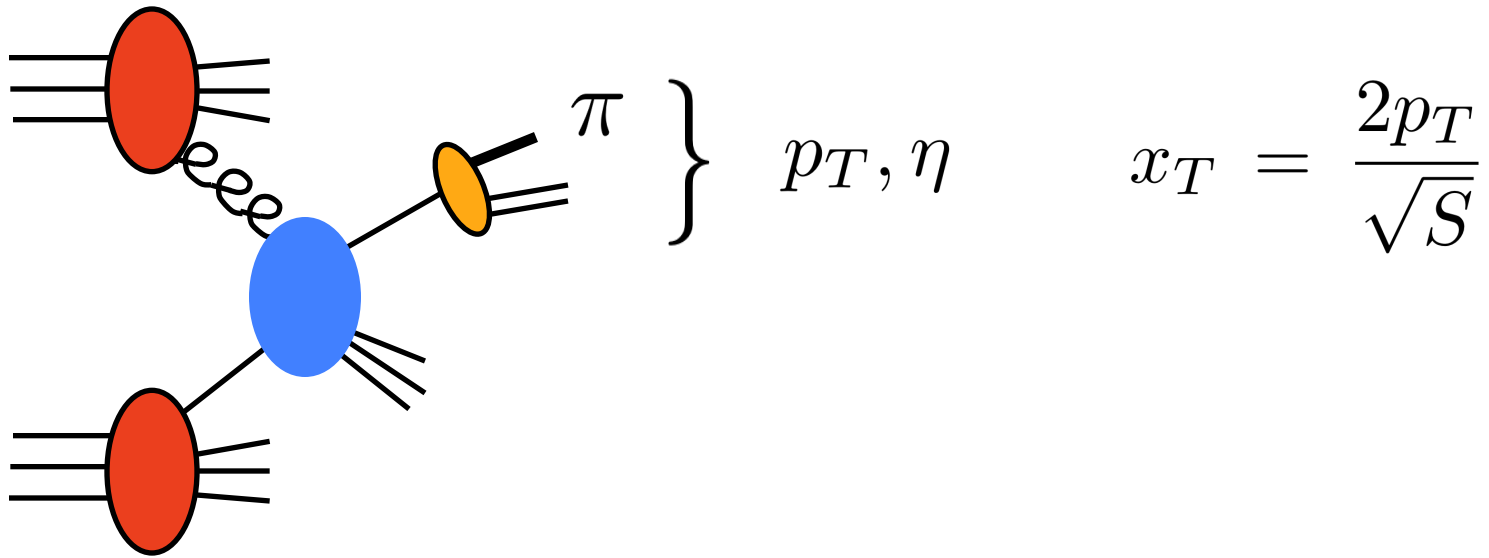


$Q = 4 \text{ GeV}$

$\sim (1-x)^{2.34}$



Hadron production



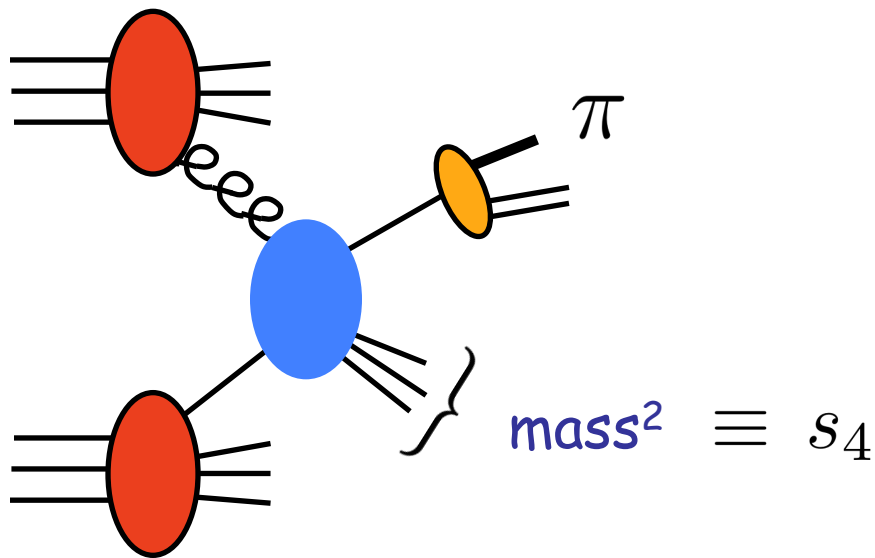
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T d\eta} = \int_{x_a^0}^1 dx_a \int_{x_b^0}^1 dx_b \int_{z_c^0}^1 dz_c f_a(x_a) f_b(x_b) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}}{dp_T d\eta} D_c(z_c)$$

$$x_a^0 = \frac{x_T e^\eta}{2 - x_T e^{-\eta}} \quad x_b^0 = \frac{x_a x_T e^{-\eta}}{2x_a - x_T e^\eta}$$

$$z_c^0 = \frac{2p_T}{\sqrt{\hat{s}}} \cosh \left(\eta - \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{x_a}{x_b} \right)$$

Partonic variables: $\hat{x}_T = \frac{2p_T}{z_c \sqrt{\hat{s}}}$ $\hat{\eta} = \eta - \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{x_a}{x_b}$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T d\eta} = \int_{x_a^0}^1 dx_a \int_{x_b^0}^1 dx_b \int_{z_c^0}^1 dz_c f_a(x_a) f_b(x_b) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}(\hat{x}_T, \hat{\eta})}{dp_T d\eta} D_c(z_c)$$



$$s_4 = \hat{s} (1 - \hat{x}_T \cosh \hat{\eta})$$

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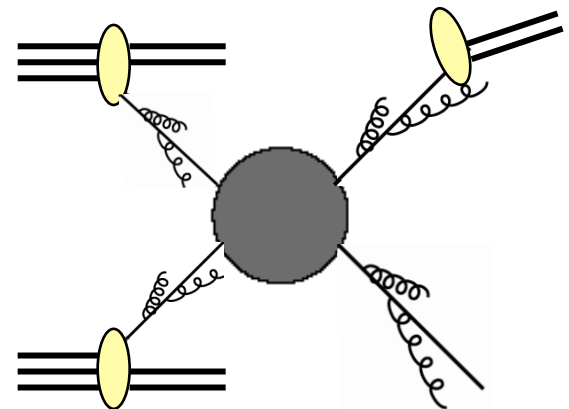
$$d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}^{(\text{LO})} \propto \delta\left(\frac{s_4}{\hat{s}}\right)$$

NLO :

$$d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}^{(\text{NLO})} \propto \alpha_s \left(\frac{\log(s_4/\hat{s})}{s_4/\hat{s}} \right)_+ + \dots$$

yet higher orders:

$$d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}^{(\text{N}^k\text{LO})} \propto \alpha_s^k \left(\frac{\log^{2k-1}(s_4/\hat{s})}{s_4/\hat{s}} \right)_+ + \dots$$



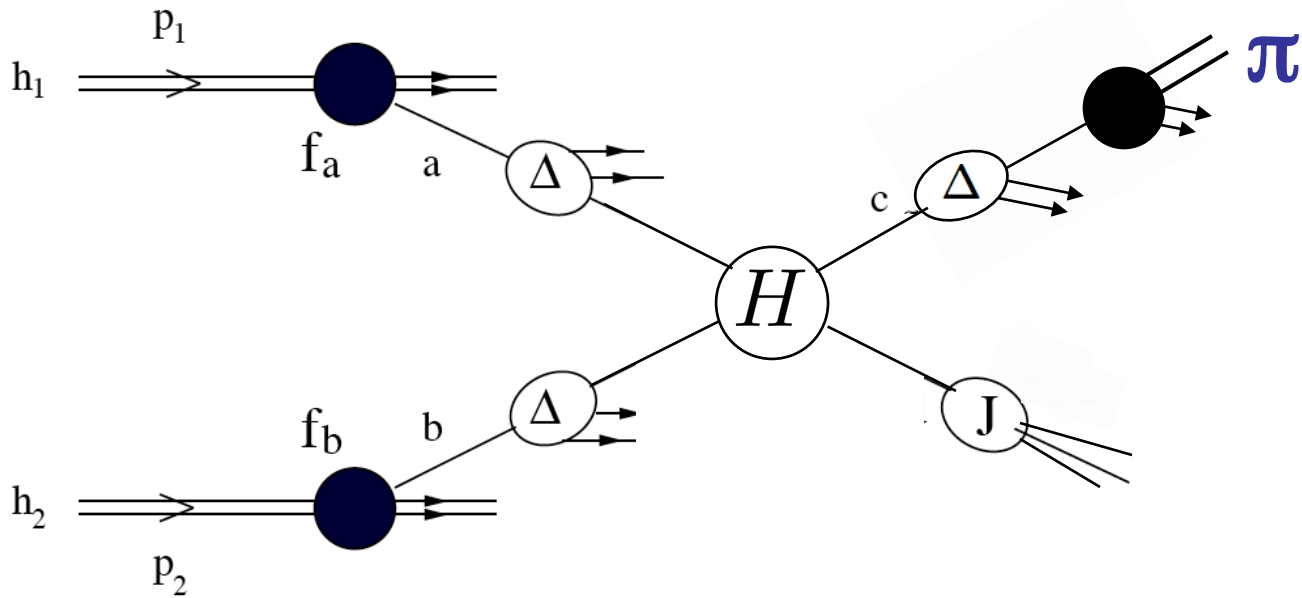
Resummation is more complicated now:

- color structure of hard scattering
- cross section does not simplify under Mellin-moments

$$\int_0^1 \frac{ds_4}{\hat{s}} \left(1 - \frac{s_4}{\hat{s}}\right)^N \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}^{\text{resum}}(\hat{x}_T, \hat{\eta})}{dp_T d\eta} = \underbrace{\Delta_a^N \Delta_b^N \Delta_c^N}_{\text{like DY}} J_{\text{recoil}}^N$$

$$\times \sum_{IK} [H_{IK}^{ab \rightarrow cd} S_{KI}^{ab \rightarrow cd}] (\hat{\eta}, N)$$

Kidonakis, Oderda, Sterman
 Bonciani, Catani, Mangano, Nason
 Banfi, Salam, Zanderighi
 Dokshitzer, Marchesini

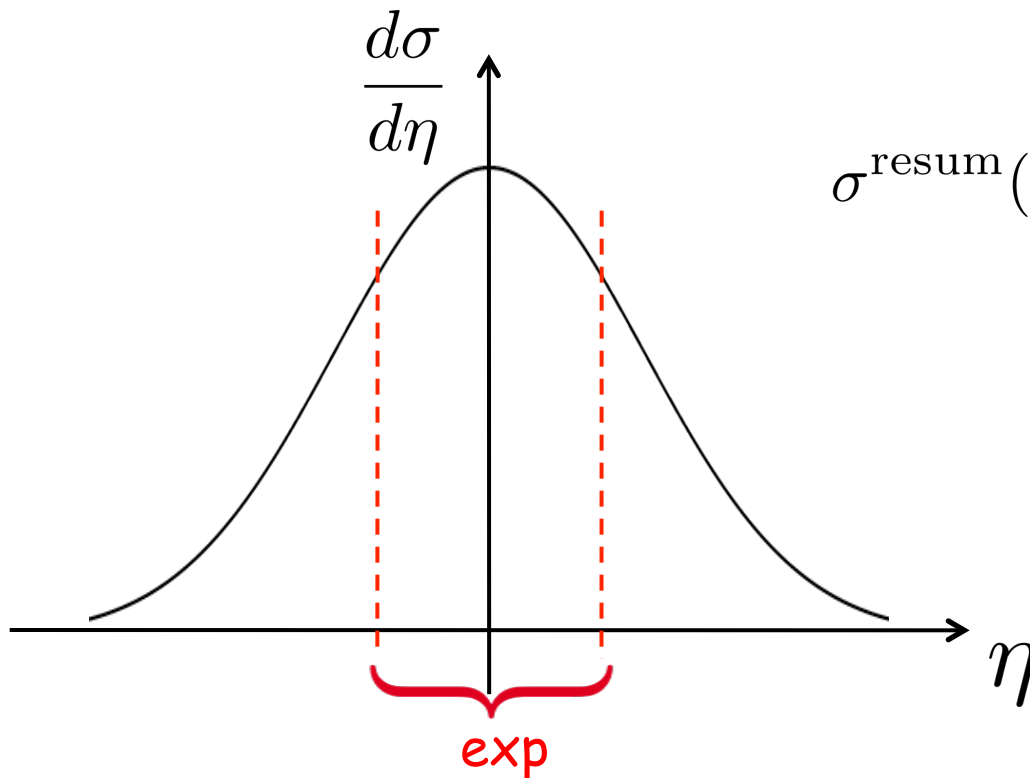


$$\int_{\text{full}} d\eta \frac{d\sigma}{dp_T d\eta}$$

$$= \int_{x_T^2}^1 dx_a \int_{x_T^2/x_a}^1 dx_b \int_{x_T/\sqrt{x_a x_b}}^1 dz_c f_a(x_a) f_b(x_b) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c} \left(\hat{x}_T = \frac{x_T}{z_c \sqrt{x_a x_b}} \right)}{dp_T} D_c(z_c)$$

→ used in studies until recently

de Florian, WV, ...

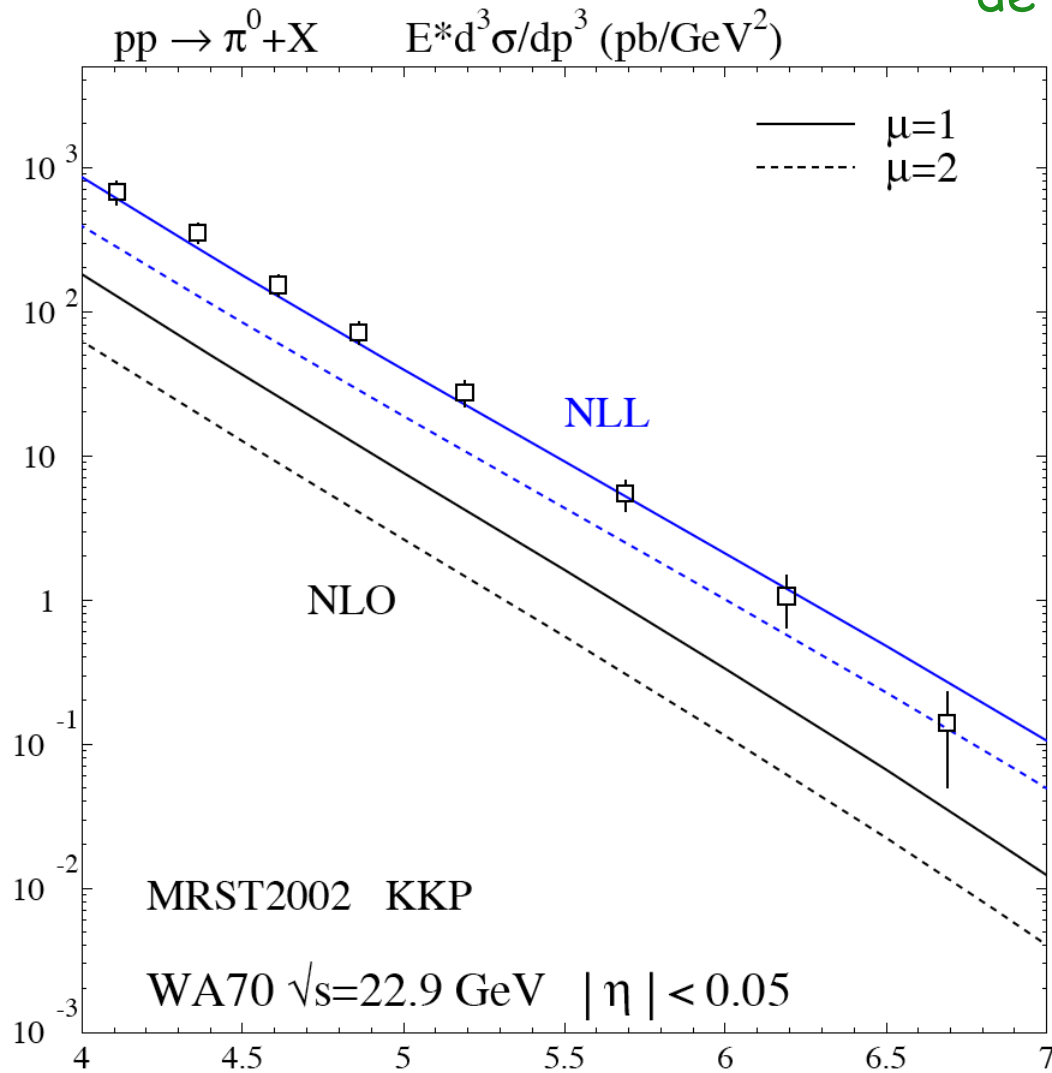


$$\sigma^{\text{resum}}(\eta \in \text{exp}) \approx \sigma^{\text{resum}}(\text{all } \eta)$$

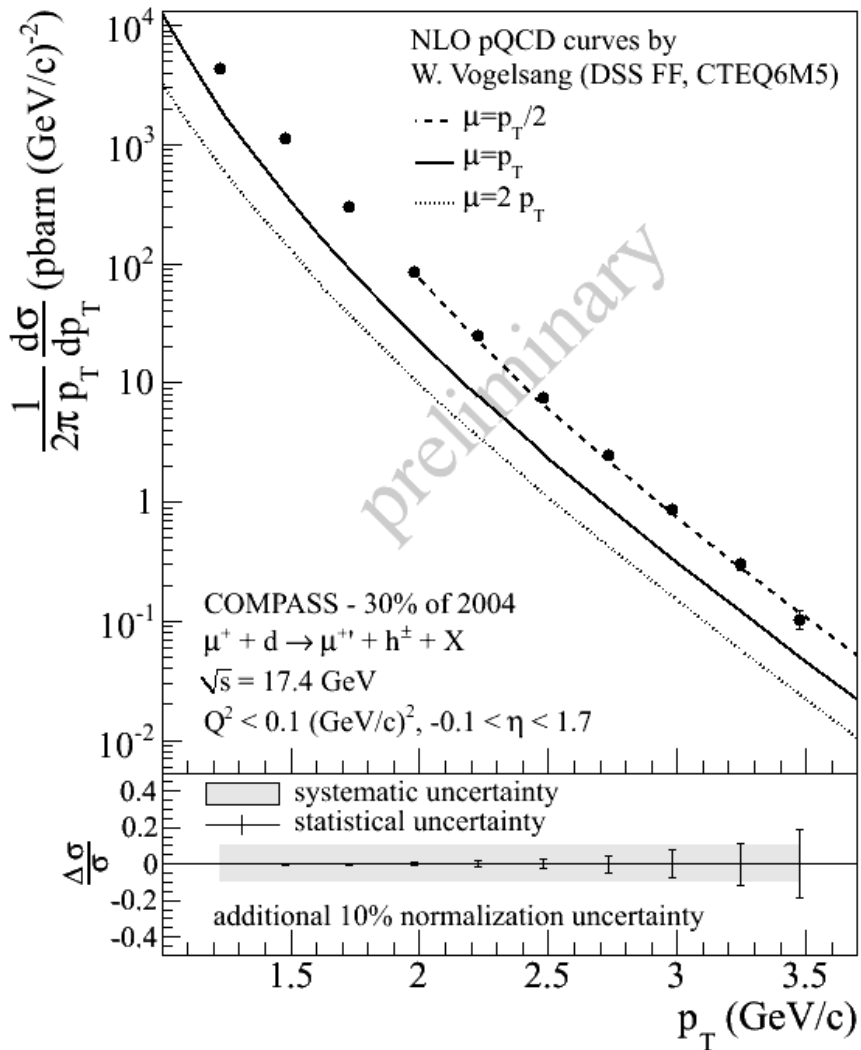
$$\times \frac{\sigma^{\text{NLO}}(\eta \in \text{exp})}{\sigma^{\text{NLO}}(\text{all } \eta)}$$

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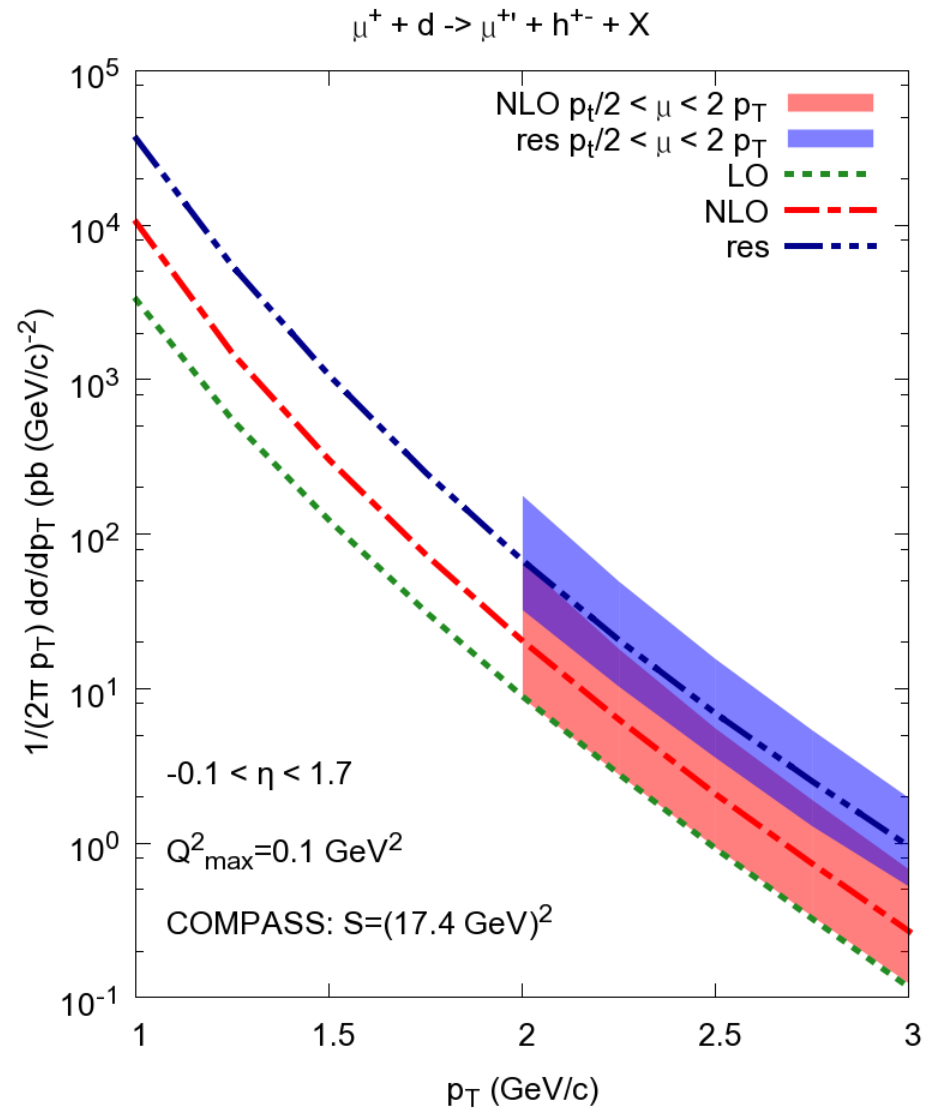
de Florian, WV



(effects at RHIC more modest)



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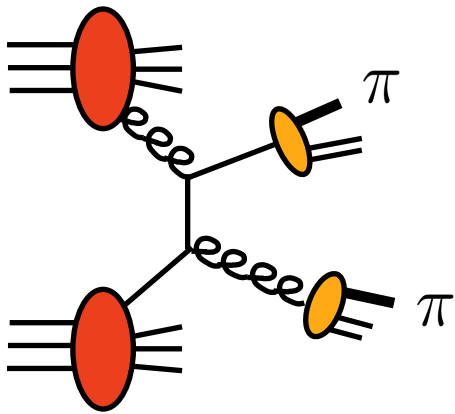


de Florian, Pfeuffer,
Schäfer, WV (prel.)

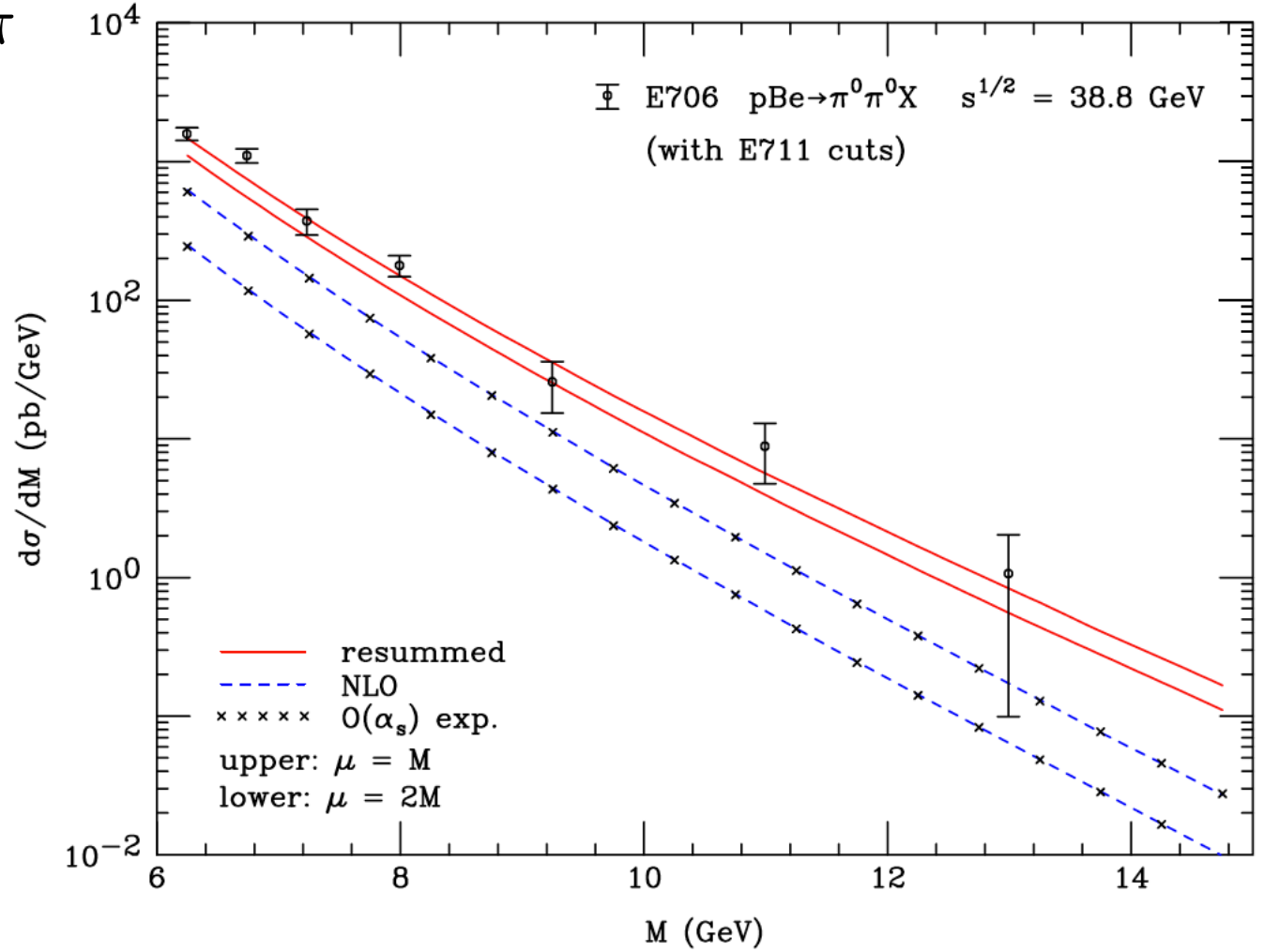
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T d\eta} = \int_{x_a^0}^1 dx_a f_a(x_a) \int_{x_b^0}^1 dx_b f_b(x_b) \int_{z_c^0}^1 dz_c \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow c}(\hat{x}_T, \hat{\eta})}{dp_T d\eta} D_c(z_c)$$

$$z_c^0 = \frac{2p_T}{\sqrt{\hat{s}}} \cosh(\hat{\eta}) = z_c \hat{x}_T \cosh(\hat{\eta}) \quad \left(\frac{z_c^0}{z_c}, \hat{\eta} \right)$$

- factorizes under Mellin-moments !
- technique allows to do resummation at fixed rapidity

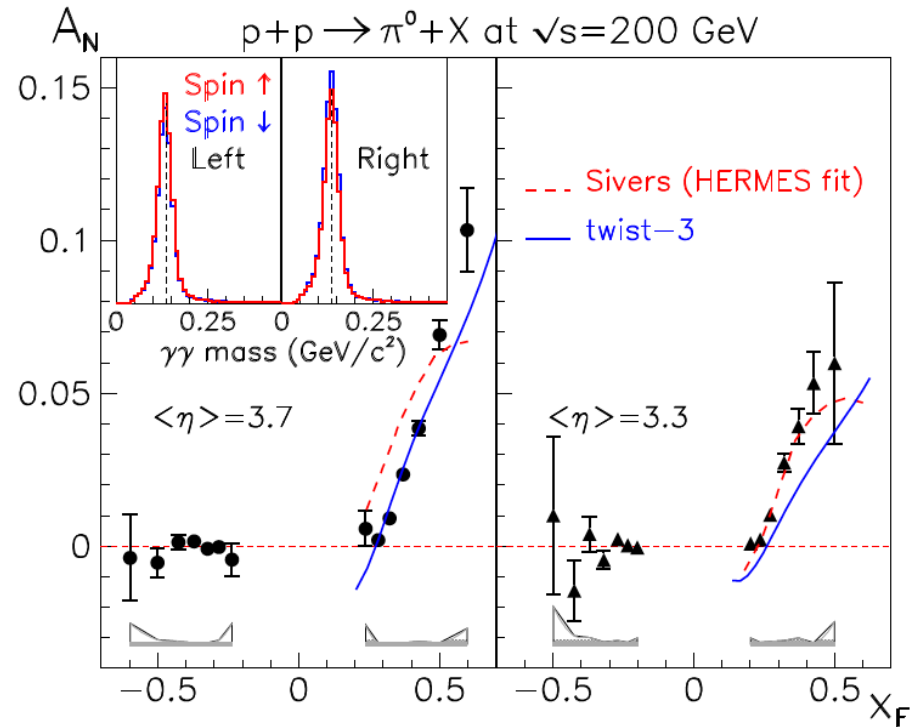
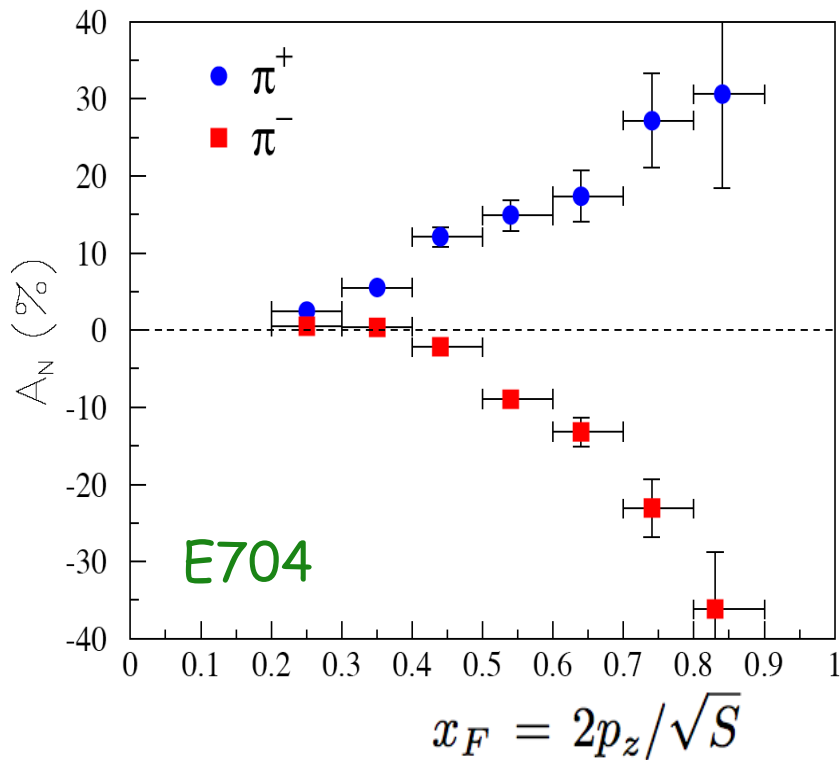


Almeida, Stermann, WV

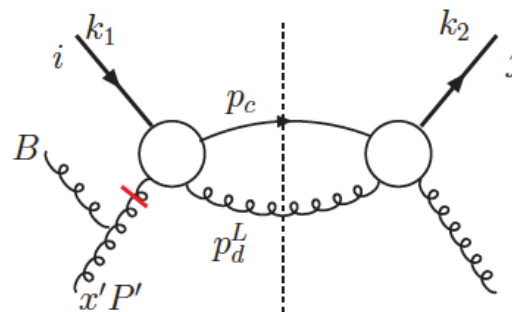


- should be very relevant for single-spin asymmetries in $pp \rightarrow \pi X$

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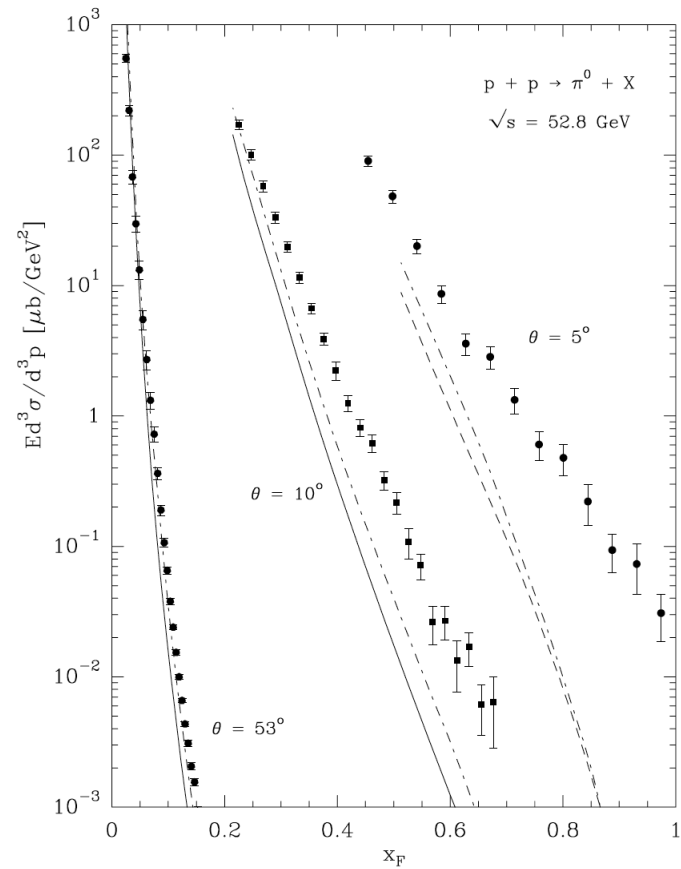
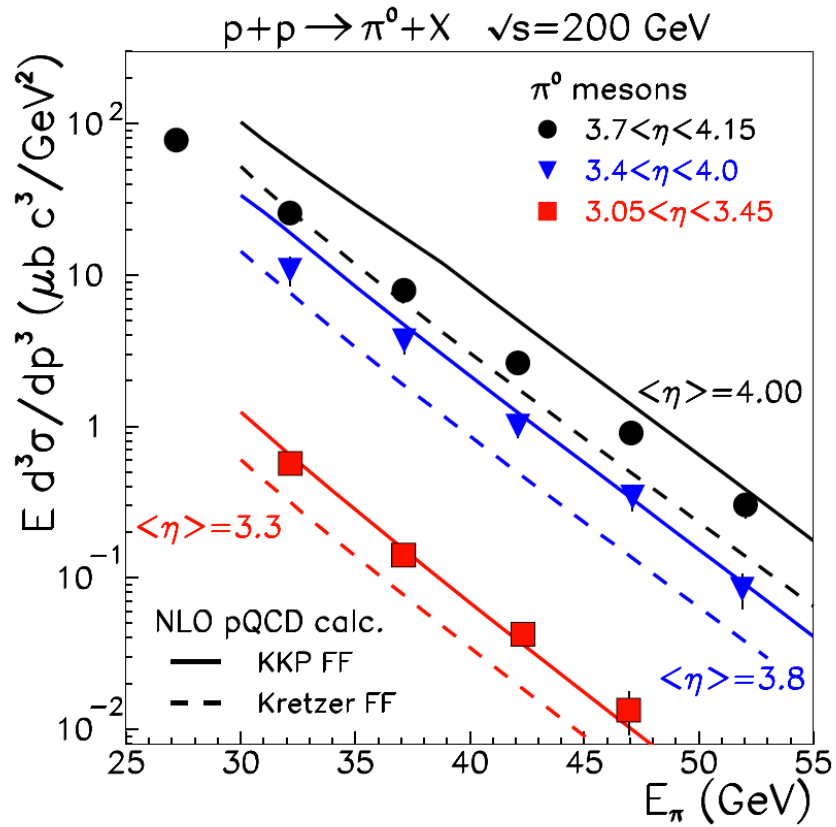


Used to extract TF:



Qiu, Stermann
Kouvaris et al.
Kanazawa, Koike
Kang, Prokudin

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Bourrely, Soffer

- expect large corrections at high- x_F
- cf. NLO calculation of Drell-Yan single-spin asymm.

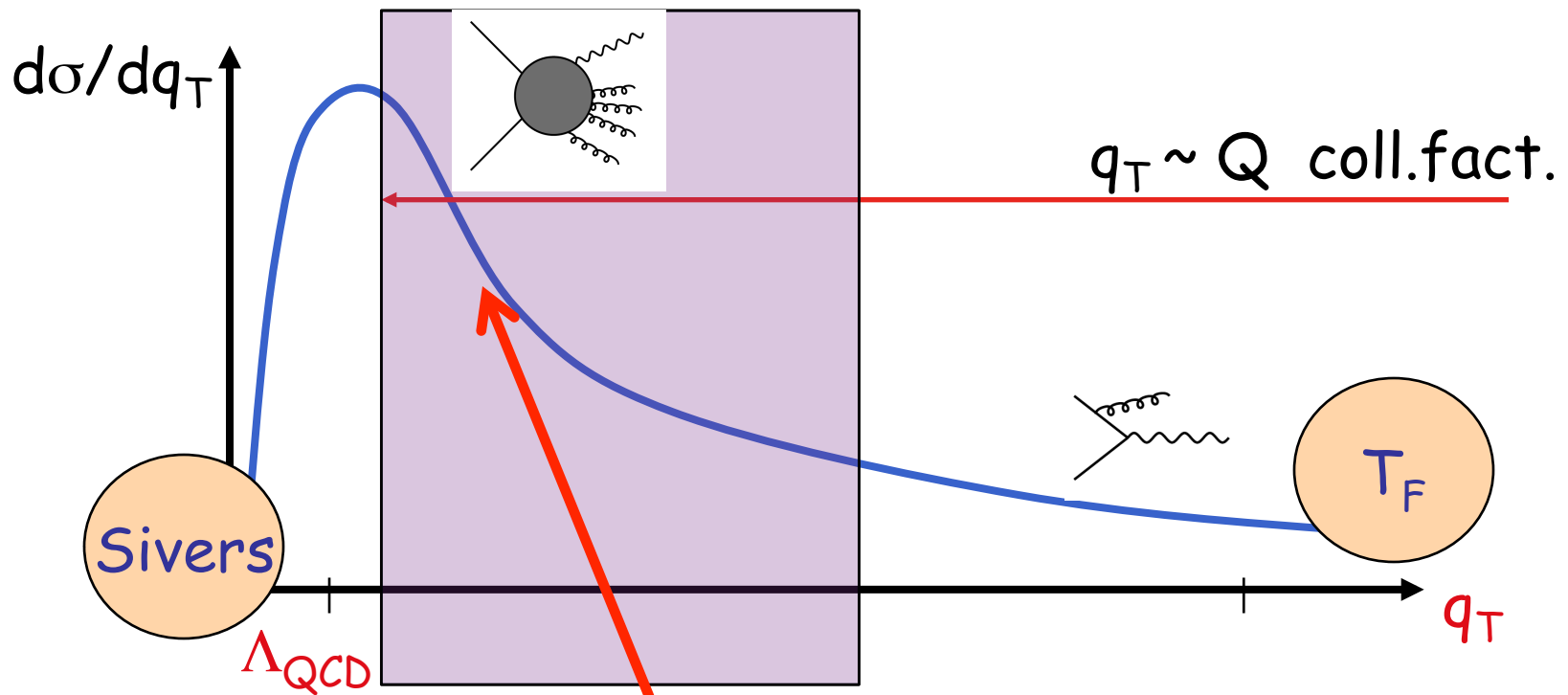
$$\frac{d\langle q_{\perp} \Delta\sigma(S_{\perp}) \rangle}{dQ^2}$$

Yuan, WV

$$= \sigma_0 \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int \frac{dx}{x} \frac{dx'}{x'} T_F(x, x; \mu^2) \bar{q}(x'; \mu^2) \left[8C_F \left(\frac{\ln(1-z)}{1-z} \right)_+ + \dots \right]$$

- affect phenomenological extraction of T_F ?

Two-scale processes

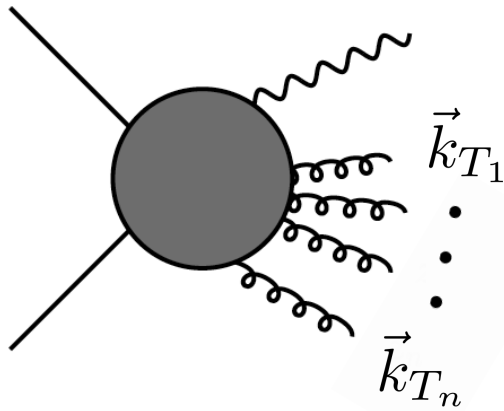


well-known feature: emergence of Sudakov logarithms

$$\alpha_s^k \frac{\log^{2k-1} \left(\frac{Q^2}{q_T^2} \right)}{q_T^2} + \dots$$

- these logs are related (although not identical) to the threshold logs
- all-order resummation for "ordinary" cross section understood for long time

Collins, Soper, Sterman; ...



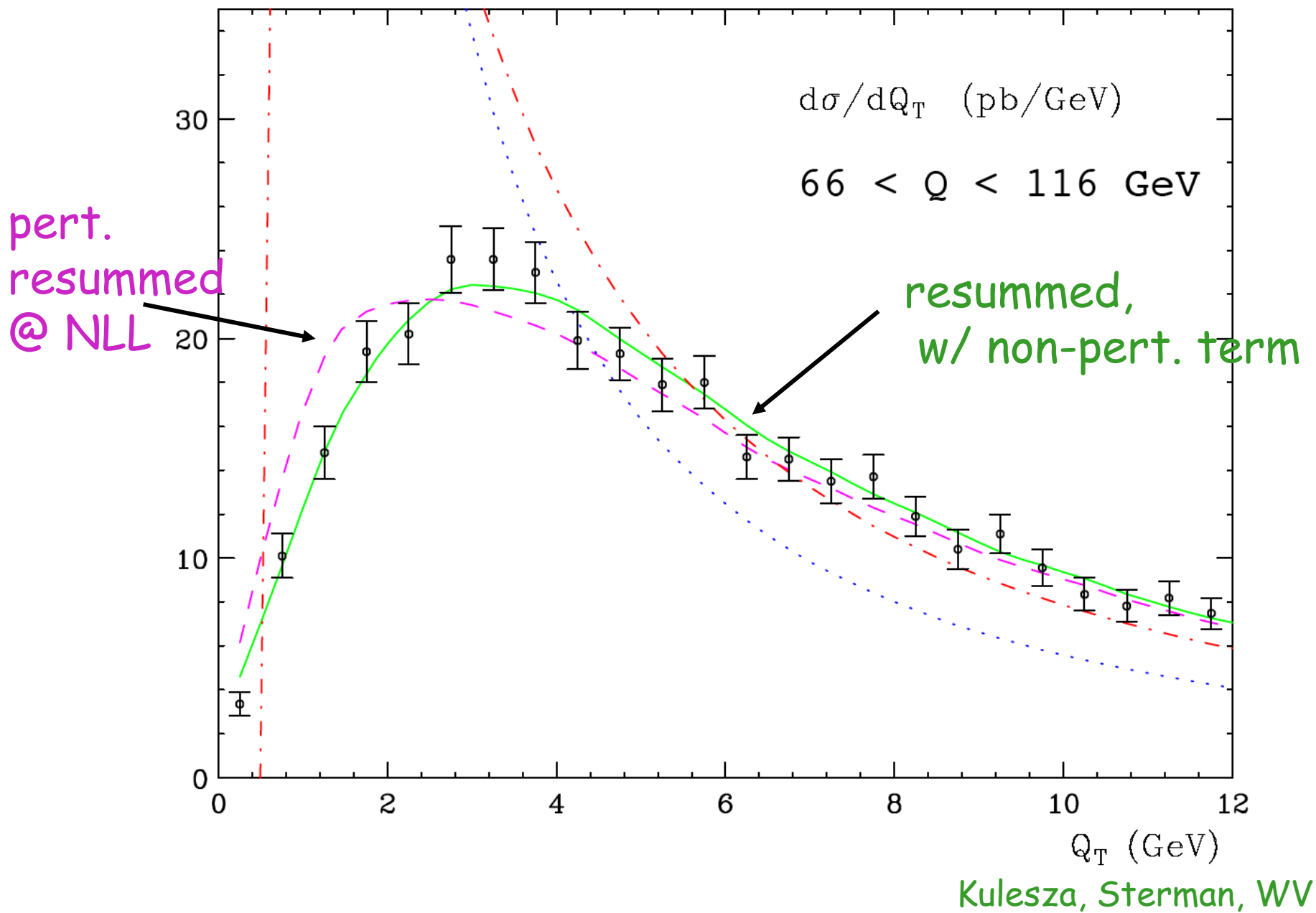
$$\delta^2 \left(\vec{q}_T + \sum_i \vec{k}_{T_i} \right) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int d^2b e^{-i\vec{b} \cdot (\vec{q}_T + \sum_i \vec{k}_{T_i})}$$

$$\frac{\log^{2k-1} \left(\frac{Q^2}{q_T^2} \right)}{q_T^2} \leftrightarrow \log^{2k}(bQ)$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^{(\text{resum})}(b) \propto \exp \left[2 \int_0^{Q^2} \frac{dk_{\perp}^2}{k_{\perp}^2} (J_0(bk_{\perp}) - 1) \left\{ A_q(\alpha_s(k_{\perp}^2)) \log \frac{Q^2}{k_{\perp}^2} + \dots \right\} \right]$$

(Sudakov exponent)

- **logs suppress cross section !**



- great strides forward recently on resummation formalism for single-spin observables

Kang, Xiao, Yuan
Aybat, Collins, Qiu, Rogers

- Kang, Xiao, Yuan: use full NLO calculation of $d\sigma/dq_T$ (in b-space)

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{UT}(b) \sim & \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \left(\frac{-ib_{\perp}^{\alpha}}{2} \right) \left\{ \left[-\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \ln \frac{4}{b^2 \mu^2} e^{-2\gamma_E} \right] (\mathcal{P}_{q/q} \otimes \bar{q}(z'_2)) \right. \\ & + \mathcal{P}_{qg \rightarrow qg}^T \otimes T_F(z'_1) + C_F(1 - \xi_2)\delta(1 - \xi_1) \\ & + \left(-\frac{1}{2N_c} \right) (1 - \xi_1)\delta(1 - \xi_2) + \delta(1 - \xi_1)\delta(1 - \xi_2) \\ & \left. \times \left[-\ln^2 \left(\frac{Q^2 b^2}{4} e^{2\gamma_E - \frac{3}{2}} \right) - \frac{23}{4} + \pi^2 \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

- **Aybat, Collins, Qiu, Rogers:**
organize in terms of simple parton-model TMD-like formula

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_{\perp}^2} \sim \sigma_0 \int d^2 k_{\perp,1} \int d^2 k_{\perp,2} F(x_1, k_{\perp,1}, Q) \bar{F}(x_2, k_{\perp,2}, Q) \delta^{(2)}(\vec{k}_{\perp,1} + \vec{k}_{\perp,2} - \vec{q}_{\perp})$$

- find (at large Q)

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{F}'_{1T}{}^f(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta_F) &= \sum_j \frac{M_p b_T}{2} \int_x^1 \frac{d\hat{x}_1 d\hat{x}_2}{\hat{x}_1 \hat{x}_2} \tilde{C}_{f/j}^{\text{Sivers}}(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, b_*; \mu_b^2, \mu_b, g(\mu_b)) T_{F j/P}(\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \mu_b) \\ &\quad \times \exp \left\{ \ln \frac{\sqrt{\zeta_F}}{\mu_b} \tilde{K}(b_*; \mu_b) + \int_{\mu_b}^{\mu} \frac{d\mu'}{\mu'} \left[\gamma_F(g(\mu'); 1) - \ln \frac{\sqrt{\zeta_F}}{\mu'} \gamma_K(g(\mu')) \right] \right\} \\ &\quad \times \exp \left\{ -g_{j/P}^{\text{Sivers}}(x, b_T) - g_K(b_T) \ln \frac{\sqrt{\zeta_F}}{Q_0} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

collinear piece

~ Sudakov

non-perturbative piece

- represents "evolution" of TMDs

Reason for non-perturbative piece:

$$\hat{\sigma}^{(\text{resum})}(b) \propto \exp \left[\frac{2C_F}{\pi} \int_0^{Q^2} \frac{dk_{\perp}^2}{k_{\perp}^2} (J_0(bk_{\perp}) - 1) \left\{ \alpha_s(k_{\perp}^2) \log \frac{Q^2}{k_{\perp}^2} + \dots \right\} \right]$$

Logarithms are contained in

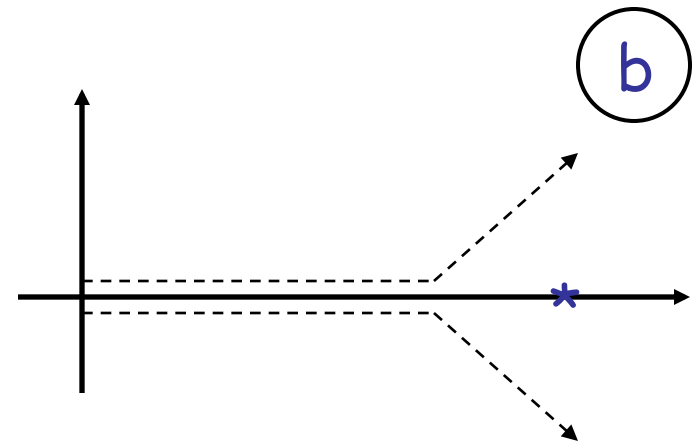
$$\exp \left[- \frac{2C_F}{\pi} \int_{1/b^2}^{Q^2} \frac{dk_{\perp}^2}{k_{\perp}^2} \left\{ \alpha_s(k_{\perp}^2) \log \frac{Q^2}{k_{\perp}^2} + \dots \right\} \right]$$

→ needs prescription for dealing with large- b

$$\int d^2b e^{-i\vec{b} \cdot \vec{q}_T} [\dots]$$

e.g. $b^* \equiv \frac{b}{\sqrt{1 + b^2/b_{\text{max}}^2}}$

or



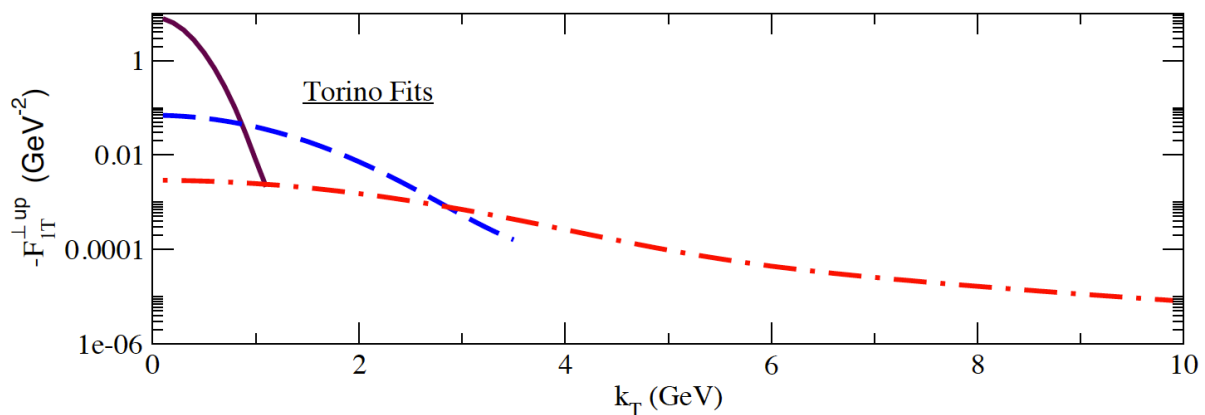
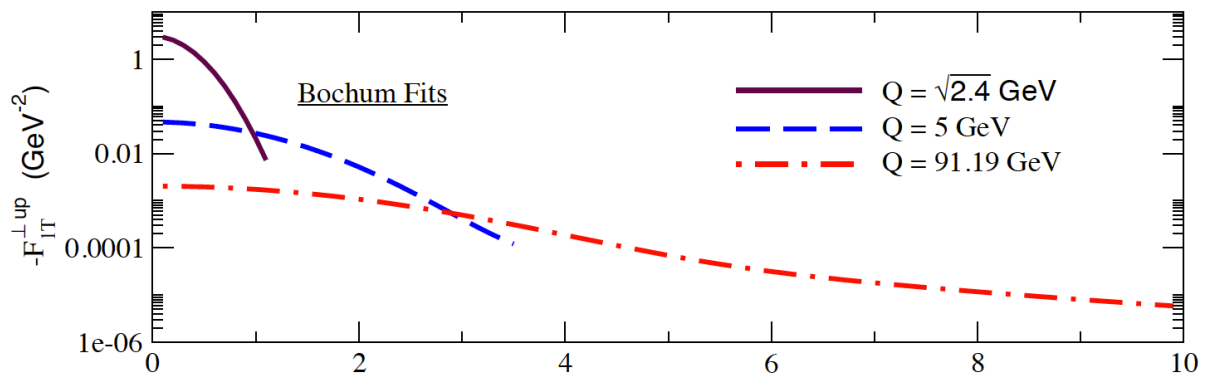
Contribution from very low k_{\perp}

$$\exp \left[- \underbrace{b^2 \frac{C_F}{\pi} \int dk_{\perp}^2 \alpha_s(k_{\perp}^2) \log \left(\frac{Q}{k_{\perp}} \right)}_{g_1 + g_2 \log \left(\frac{Q}{Q_0} \right)} \right]$$

- suggests Gaussian non-pert. contribution with logarithmic Q dependence
- expected to be universal (unpol. \leftrightarrow Sivers)
- “global” fits
Davies, Webber, Stirling; Landry et al., Ladinsky, Yuan; Qiu, Zhang; Konychev, Nadolsky
- values of g_1, g_2 depend on treatment of large-b region !

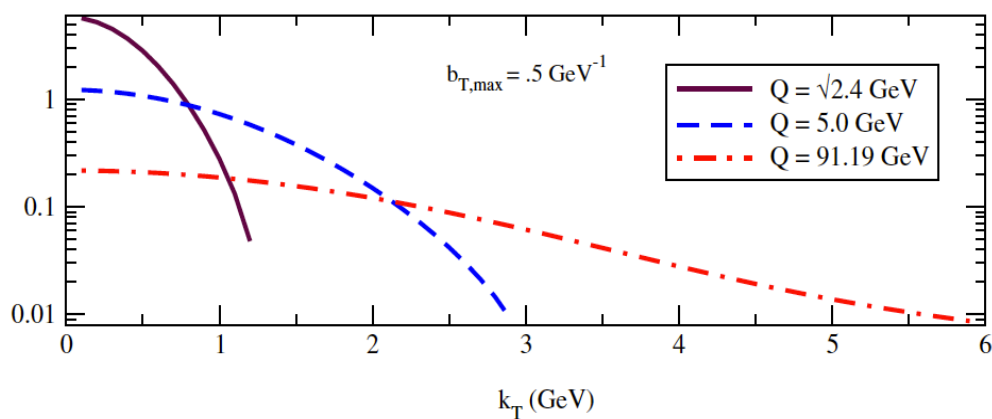
Up Quark Sivers Function

$x = 0.1$



cf. unpolarized TMD

Aybat, Rogers



Evolution of Sivers fcts. (Gaussian)

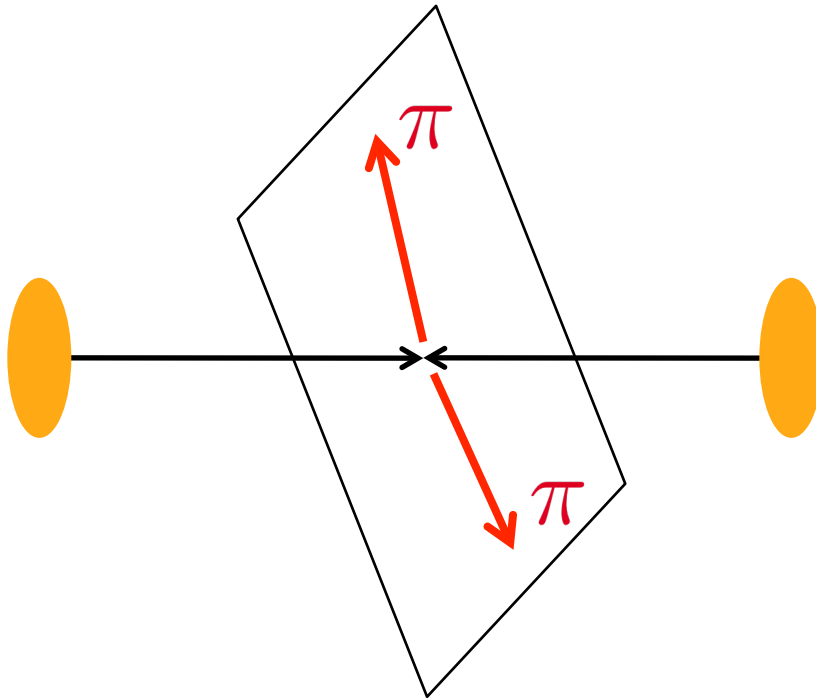
Aybat, Collins, Qiu, Rogers

- evolution for Sivers more sensitive to large b

Interesting “follow-up”:

- we know there is no TMD factorization for general QCD hard scattering

Bomhof, Mulders, Pijlman;
Collins, Qiu; Mulders, Rogers



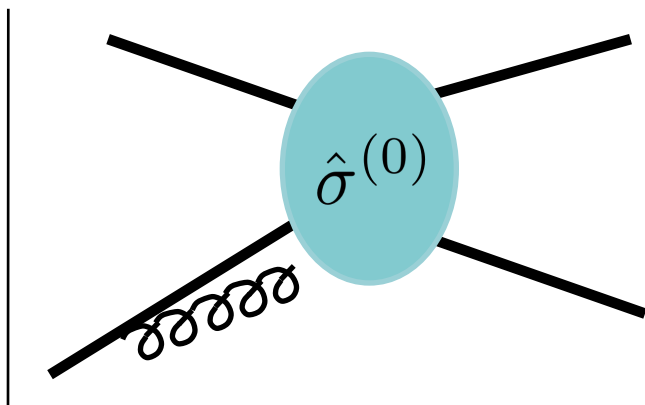
- gauge links in parton distributions “know” about full hard process
- what does this imply for perturbative resummation ?

- at some order, breakdown of “standard” formula should occur
- recent study of collinear singularities at high orders

Space-like (vs. time-like) collinear limits in QCD:
is factorization violated?

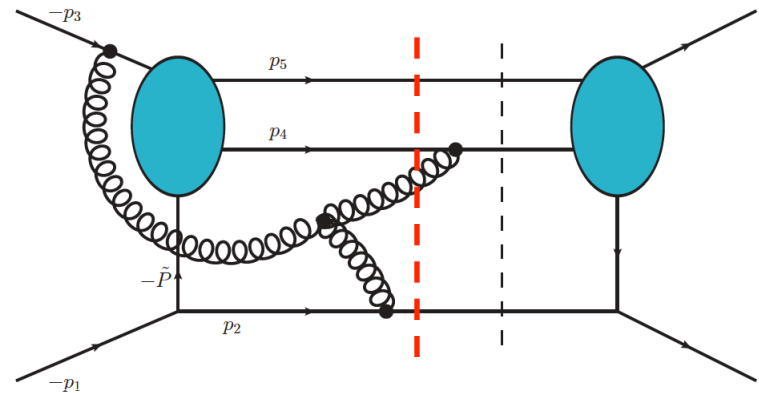
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usually,



$$\sim P_{qq} \otimes \hat{\sigma}^{(0)}$$

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Conclusions:

- numerous applications of QCD resummation to hadronic scattering:
Threshold-resum. / q_T -resum. → "joint" resummation?
Laenen, Sterman, WV
- many are relevant for the processes we use to determine nucleon structure
- great recent progress, in particular in TMD area