

# On sum rules for double and triple parton distribution functions and Pythia's model of multiple parton interactions

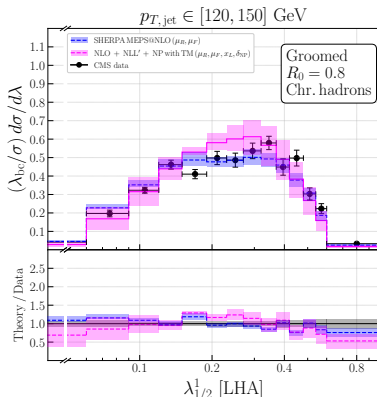
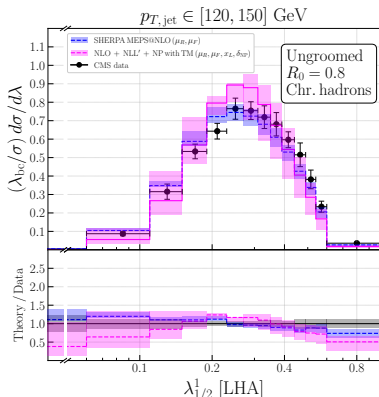
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Comparison of theoretic predictions (MC and resummation) against recent CMS data for the Jet Thrust angularity,  $p_{T, \text{jet}} \in [120, 150] \text{ GeV}$

Data: [2109.03340](#); Theory: [2104.06920](#)

A master formula for DPS can be schematically written as

$$\sigma_{hh'}^{\text{DPS}} = \sum_{\text{partons}} \int \prod_{i=1}^2 dx_i dx'_i d^2 b \times \\ \times \Gamma_h(\{x_i\}, \mathbf{b}, \{Q_i\}) \Gamma_{h'}(\{x'_i\}, \mathbf{b}, \{Q_i\}) [\dots],$$

which for the TPS becomes

$$\sigma_{hh'}^{\text{TPS}} = \sum_{\text{partons}} \int \prod_{i=1}^3 dx_i dx'_i d^2 b_i d^2 b \times \\ \times \Gamma_h(\{x_i\}, \mathbf{b}_i, \{Q_i\}) \Gamma_{h'}(\{x'_i\}, \{\mathbf{b}_i - \mathbf{b}\}, \{Q_i\}) [\dots].$$

A standard assumption on factorization into longitudinal and transverse parts reads

$$\Gamma_h(\{x_i\}, \mathbf{b}_i, \{Q_i\}) \approx T_h(\{x_i\}, \{Q_i\}) \sum_i f(\mathbf{b}_i).$$

## The sum rules for dPDFs and tPDFs are

$$\sum_{j_2} \int_0^{1-x_1} dx_2 x_2 D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q) = (1-x_1) f_{j_1}(x_1, Q),$$

$$\sum_{j_3} \int_0^{1-x_1-x_2} dx_3 x_3 T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) = (1-x_1-x_2) D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q),$$

$$\int_0^{1-x_1} dx_2 D_{j_1 j_2 v}(x_1, x_2, Q) = (N_{j_2 v} - \delta_{j_1 j_2} + \delta_{j_1 \bar{j}_2}) f_{j_1}(x_1, Q),$$

$$\int_0^{1-x_1-x_2} dx_3 T_{j_1 j_2 j_3 v}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) = (N_{j_3 v} - \delta_{j_3 j_1} - \delta_{j_3 j_2} + \delta_{\bar{j}_3 j_1} + \delta_{\bar{j}_3 j_2}) \times \\ \times D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q).$$

## According to the PYTHIA8 model

$$\begin{aligned}T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) &= f_{j_1}^r(x_1, Q) f_{j_2}^{m \leftarrow j_1, x_1}(x_2, Q) f_{j_3}^{m \leftarrow j_1, x_1; j_2, x_2}(x_3, Q), \\D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q) &= f_{j_1}^r(x_1, Q) f_{j_2}^{m \leftarrow j_1, x_1}(x_2, Q).\end{aligned}$$

- To construct tPDFs one needs to access sPDFs used in PYTHIA8 at different generation stages.
- The tPDFs are constructed in a Monte Carlo way by taking an average over a large sample of “events”.
- The approach can be applied to construct nPDFs as well!

## As a baseline we use “naive” approach to tPDFs and dPDFs

$$\begin{aligned}T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) &= f_{j_1}^r(x_1, Q) f_{j_2}^r(x_2, Q) f_{j_3}^r(x_3, Q) \theta(1 - x_1 - x_2 - x_3). \\D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q) &= f_{j_1}^r(x_1, Q) f_{j_2}^r(x_2, Q) \theta(1 - x_1 - x_2).\end{aligned}$$

Let's check momentum rule first

$x_1$	$x_2$	$j_1$	$j_2$	PYTHIA tPDFs	"Naive" tPDFs
$10^{-6}$	$10^{-4}$	$u$	$u$	0.996	0.996
$10^{-3}$	$10^{-4}$	$u$	$u$	0.997	0.997
$10^{-1}$	$10^{-4}$	$u$	$u$	1.007	1.096
0.2	$10^{-4}$	$u$	$u$	1.008	1.195
0.4	$10^{-4}$	$u$	$u$	1.007	1.390
0.8	$10^{-4}$	$u$	$u$	1.002	1.626

Test of the momentum sum rule for the tPDFs.

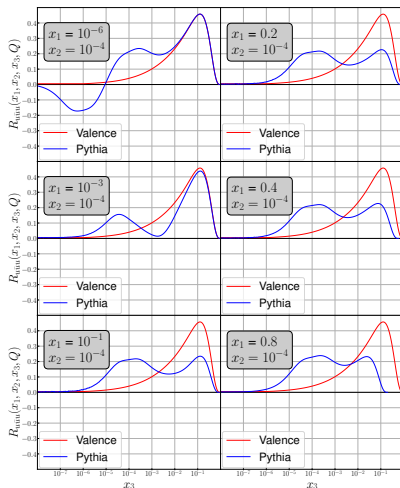
Note that the factor  $\theta(1 - x_1 - x_2 - x_3)$  in the definition of "naive" tPDFs does not imply that tPDFs obey the momentum sum rule!

Now let's check number rule

We define

$$R_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) \equiv x_3 \frac{T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) - T_{j_1 j_2 \bar{j}_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q)}{D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q)},$$

which can be seen as a response of the valence sPDF  $f_{j_3 v}(x_3, Q)$  to the first two interactions.



The responses of the valence  $u$ -quark sPDF  $R_{u\bar{u}u}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q)$  as function of  $x_3$  for  $x_1 \in [10^{-6}, 0.8]$  and  $x_2 = 10^{-4}$ . The response functions are averaged over  $10^7$  function calls.



The numerical integration over the response function yields

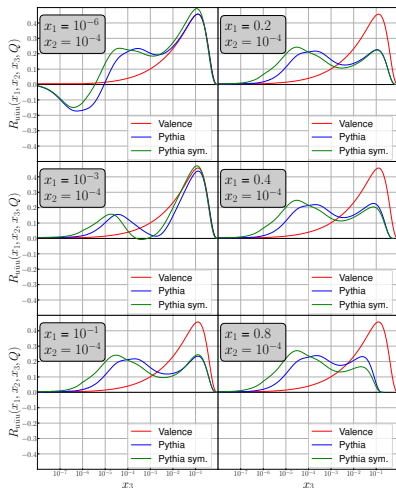
$x_1$	$x_2$	$N_{u_v}$ PYTHIA	$N_{u_v}$ "Naive"
$10^{-6}$	$10^{-4}$	2.019	2.006
$10^{-3}$	$10^{-4}$	2.005	2.006
$10^{-1}$	$10^{-4}$	2.001	2.005
0.2	$10^{-4}$	2.000	2.005
0.4	$10^{-4}$	1.999	1.997
0.8	$10^{-4}$	1.995	1.708

Integration over  $R_{u\bar{u}u}$  response function with respect to  $x_3$  at fixed  $x_1, x_2$ .

- Similar checks can be made for other flavour combinations.
- PYTHIA8 tPDFs preserve the sum rules at about 1% accuracy level.
- PYTHIA8 tPDFs do not obey DGLAP evolution equation and are asymmetric.

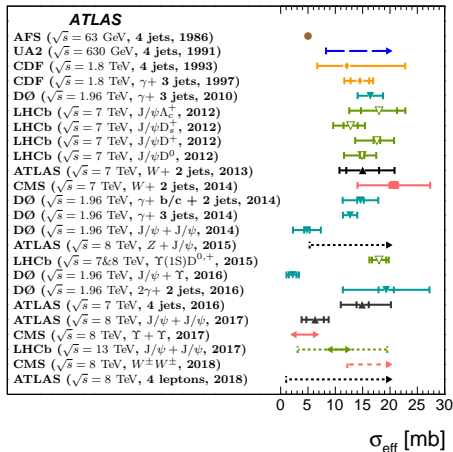
## Summary and possible next steps

- We generalized the GS sum rules for the case of tPDFs.
- The sketch of proof of sum rules for “bare” and renormalized tPDFs is given.
- We demonstrated how one can construct asymmetric dPDFs, tPDFs (and nPDFs!) using PYTHIA8 code.
- Our attempt to construct symmetric tPDFs was not successful. However, the largest violations of the sum rules by symmetric tPDFs appear in the “deep valence region” ( $x > 0.4$ ).
- Try to modify PYTHIA8 model to suppress large violations of the sum rules by symmetrized PYTHIA8 tPDFs.
- Make a phenomenological study with a tPDFs for different TPS production states. (e.g. to extend 4-jet DPS predictions of [2008.08347](#) to the TPS case using PYTHIA8 tPDFs).



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Experiment (energy, final state, year)



From [1811.11094](#). See also recent  $pp$  [1909.06265](#) and  $pA$  [2007.06945](#) measurements. Also in [CMS-PAS-BPH-21-004](#) the presence of TPS was observed!

The sum rules for dPDFs were proposed by Gaunt & Stirling some time ago

$$\sum_{j_2} \int_0^{1-x_1} dx_2 x_2 D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q) = (1-x_1) f_{j_1}(x_1, Q),$$
$$\int_0^{1-x_1} dx_2 D_{j_1 j_{2v}}(x_1, x_2, Q) = (N_{j_{2v}} - \delta_{j_1 j_2} + \delta_{j_1 \bar{j}_2}) f_{j_1}(x_1, Q).$$

- The GS sum rules state conservation of momentum and describe changes in the number of valence partons after a DPS processes.
- Originally were proved using the Light-cone representation of dPDFs
- More rigorous proof was given later in [1811.00289](#)

Let's start with momentum rule.

We get a chain of coupled equations:

$$\sum_{j_2} \int_0^{1-x_1} dx_2 x_2 D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q) = (1-x_1) f_{j_1}(x_1, Q),$$

$$\sum_{j_3} \int_0^{1-x_1-x_2} dx_3 x_3 T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) = (1-x_1-x_2) D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2, Q).$$

The Light-cone formalism for “bare” PDFs implies

$$D_{j_1 j_2}(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{N, \{\beta_i\}} \int [dz]_N [d^2 \mathbf{k}]_N |\Phi_N(\{\beta_i, z_i, \mathbf{k}_i\})|^2 \times \\ \times \sum_i^N \delta(x_1 - z_i) \delta_{j_1 p_i} \sum_{k \neq i}^N \delta(x_2 - z_k) \delta_{j_2 p_k},$$

$$T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum_{N, \{\beta_i\}} \int [dz]_N [d^2 \mathbf{k}]_N |\Phi_N(\{\beta_i, z_i, \mathbf{k}_i\})|^2 \times \\ \times \sum_i^N \delta(x_1 - z_i) \delta_{j_1 p_i} \sum_{k \neq i}^N \delta(x_2 - z_k) \delta_{j_2 p_k} \sum_{l \neq i, k}^N \delta(x_3 - z_l) \delta_{j_3 p_l},$$

where

$$[dz]_N \equiv \prod_{i=1}^N dz_i \delta\left(1 - \sum_i z_i\right), \\ [d^2 \mathbf{k}]_N \equiv \prod_{i=1}^N d^2 \mathbf{k}_i \delta^2\left(\sum_i \mathbf{k}_i\right).$$

Which can be written

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{j_3} \int_0^{1-x_1-x_2} dx_3 \, x_3 \, T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \sum_{N, \{\beta_i\}} \int [dz]_N [d^2 \mathbf{k}]_N |\Phi_N(\{\beta_i, z_i, \mathbf{k}_i\})|^2 \times \\
 & \times \sum_{j_3} \int_0^{1-x_1-x_2} dx_3 \sum_i^N \delta(x_1 - z_i) \delta_{j_1 p_i} \sum_{k \neq i}^N \delta(x_2 - z_k) \delta_{j_2 p_k} \sum_{l \neq i, k}^N \delta(x_3 - z_l) \delta_{j_3 p_l} = \\
 & = \sum_{N, \{\beta_i\}} \int [dz]_N [d^2 \mathbf{k}]_N |\Phi_N(\{\beta_i, z_i, \mathbf{k}_i\})|^2 \sum_i^N \delta(x_1 - z_i) \delta_{j_1 p_i} \times \\
 & \times \sum_{k \neq i}^N \delta(x_2 - z_k) \delta_{j_2 p_k} \sum_{j_3} \sum_{l \neq i, k}^N z_l \delta_{j_3 p_l}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The last sum in equation above can be written as

$$\sum_{j_3} \sum_{l \neq i, k}^N z_l \delta_{j_3 p_l} = \sum_l^N z_l - z_i - z_k = 1 - x_1 - x_2,$$

which allows to recover expression for the momentum sum rule!



RGE can be used to proof the sum rules for renormalized tPDFs

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{j_1 j_2 j_3}(x_1, x_2, x_3, Q) &= \sum_{j'_1 j'_2 j'_3} Z_{j_1 j'_1}(Q) \otimes_1 Z_{j_2 j'_2}(Q) \otimes_2 Z_{j_3 j'_3}(Q) \otimes_3 T_{j'_1 j'_2 j'_3}^B(z_1, z_2, z_3) \\
 &+ \sum_{j'_1 j'_2} Z_{j_1 j'_1}(Q) \otimes_1 Z_{j_2 j_3 j'_2}(Q) \otimes_{23} D_{j'_1 j'_2}^B(z_1, z_2) + (\text{permutations}) \\
 &+ \sum_{j'_1} Z_{j_1 j_2 j_3 j'_1}(Q) \otimes_{123} f_{j'_1}^B(z_1)
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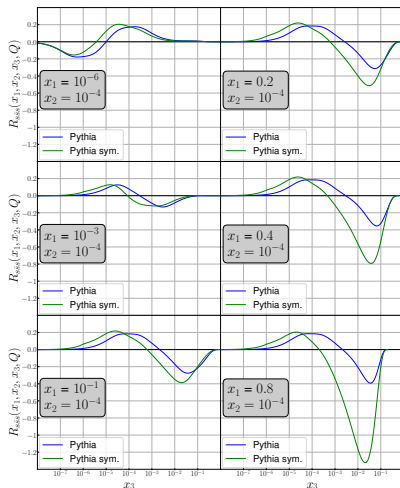
where

$$\begin{aligned}
 A \otimes_1 B &= \int \frac{dz}{z} A\left(\frac{x_1}{z}\right) B(z), \\
 A \otimes_{12} B &= \int \frac{dz}{z^2} A\left(\frac{x_1}{z}, \frac{x_2}{z}\right) B(z), \\
 A \otimes_{123} B &= \int \frac{dz}{z^3} A\left(\frac{x_1}{z}, \frac{x_2}{z}, \frac{x_3}{z}\right) B(z).
 \end{aligned}$$

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