# Y near threshold production in EIC

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## **Physics motivation**

- Near threshold photo-production of  $\Upsilon$  (total cross section,  $d\sigma/dt$ ) has been aroused plenty of interests from theory community
  - May be sensitive to proton gluonic gravitational form factor (although the connections still under debate)
     PRD 101(11) (2020) 114004

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- Extract the  $\Upsilon$  -p scattering length  $$_{\rm PRD\ 102,\ 014016\ (2020)}$$
- Understanding origin of proton mass EPJC 80 (6) (2020) 507
- Proton mass radius
   PRD 105, 096033 (2022) 096033
   PLB 803 (2020) 135321
- Short range correlation from sub-threshold production interaction interactio
- Gluon saturation from exclusive production in eA

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## Origin of proton mass

### Decomposition of proton mass

$$\begin{split} M_q &= \frac{3}{4} \left( a - \frac{b}{1 + \gamma_m} \right) M_N \quad \text{quark energy contribution} \\ M_g &= \frac{3}{4} (1 - a) M_N, \quad \text{gluon energy contribution} \\ M_m &= \frac{4 + \gamma_m}{4(1 + \gamma_m)} b M_N, \quad \text{quark mass contribution} \\ M_a &= \frac{1}{4} (1 - b) M_N, \quad \text{trace anomaly} \end{split}$$



From EIC Yellow report

- Understanding proton mass from the shape / amplitude of J/psi (Upsilon)  $d\sigma/dt$  at near threshold.
- a: momentum fraction carried by all quarks
   constrained from PDF
  b: the magnitude of the QCD trace anomaly contribution
  - less known

0.05 GeV M<sup>m</sup> (4.9 %)



$$\frac{\left. \frac{d\sigma_{J/\Psi N \to J/\Psi N}}{dt} \right|_{t=0}}{f_{t=0}} = \frac{1}{64\pi} \frac{1}{m_{J/\Psi}^2 (\lambda^2 - m_N^2)} \left| F_{J/\Psi N} \right|^2}{F_{J/\Psi N} \simeq r_0^3 d_2 \frac{2\pi^2}{27} 2M_N^2 (1-b)}$$

X. Ji, PRL 74 (1995) 1071, PRD 52 (1995) 271 R. Wang et al, EPJC 80 (6) (2020) 507 Simulations results of  $\Upsilon$  near threshold production in ep collisions (from ATHENA)

## Event generator and photon flux

• Event generator: *eStarlight* detail intro: PRC 99, 015203 (2019) <u>source code: https://github.com/eic/estarlight</u>

$$\sigma(eA \rightarrow eAV) = \int \frac{dW}{W} \int dk \int dQ^2 \frac{d^2 N_{\gamma}}{dk dQ^2} \sigma_{\gamma^*A \rightarrow VA}(W, Q^2)$$
W: photon-p center of mass energy  
k: photon energy  
Q<sup>2</sup>: photon virtuality
$$\frac{d^2 N_{\gamma}}{dk dQ^2} = \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{dk dQ^2}{Q^2} \left[ 1 - \frac{k}{Ee} + \frac{k^2}{2E_e^2} - \left( 1 - \frac{k}{Ee} \right) \left| \frac{Q_{\min}^2}{Q^2} \right| \right]$$

$$E_e \text{ is the electron energy} \quad Q^2_{\min} = \frac{m_e^2 k^2}{E_e(E_e - k)}$$

$$Heavy \text{ meson cross-section:}$$

$$\sigma_{\gamma^*A \rightarrow VA}(W, Q^2) = f(M_V)\sigma(W, Q^2 = 0) \left( \frac{M_V^2}{M_V^2 + Q^2} \right)^n$$

$$n = c_1 + c_2(Q^2 + M_V^2)$$

$$\sigma(W, Q^2 = 0) = \sigma_P W^e$$

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## Kinematics of $e \leftarrow \Upsilon$ at near threshold



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## Y distributions in –t and W ( $|\eta_e|$ <3.5)

Efficiency of  $Y \rightarrow ee$ , h|<3.5

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Efficiency of  $Y \rightarrow ee, hl < 3.5$ 

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ep 10×100 GeV, Q<sup>2</sup><1 GeV

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 $ep 18 \times 275 GeV, Q^2 < 1 GeV$ 

0.9

0.8

0.7

0.6

0.5

0.4

0.3 0.2

0.1

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0.1

18

19 20

W (GeV)

19

W (GeV)

20



total upsilon counts •  $\Upsilon$  near threshold production limited by  $\eta$ acceptance in ep 18x275 GeV collisions

Efficiency (only considering

daughters |eta|<3.5

acceptance):

 Situation got much improved in lower collision energies, e.g. ep 10x100 GeV

Projected  $\Upsilon(1S) \rightarrow e^+e^-$  signals

#### From full ATHENA simulation





 Wider mass resolution in forward rapidity (near threshold) due to worse momentum resolution in forward compared to central.



## Projected $\Upsilon(nS)$ signals



- Separation of Υ different states requires mass resolution ~ 100 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>
- Clear separation of Υ 3 states signals in from ATHENA simulation Υ(1S) mass resolution |y|<1, 49 MeV/c<sup>2</sup> |y|>1, 65.9 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>
- Looking forward to full Detector-1 simulation

## Projected $\Upsilon$ production yield at near threshold



Plots are from full ATHENA simulation

Measurements on Υ near threshold production crosssection are promising in future EIC.



## Projected Y $d\sigma/dt$ at ep 10x100 GeV collisions

From full ATHENA simulation



$$t = (p'_{\text{proton}} - p_{\text{proton}})^2)$$

- Differential measurements of Y near threshold production is feasible in EIC ep 10x100 GeV collisions.
  - Expected EIC will have separation power for different model calculations.

Twist-4 : PLB 822:10(2021), 136655 QCD (GPD factorization) : PRD 103, 096010 (2021) LARGER: PRD 102, 014016 (2020)

## Summary

- Measurements on  $\boldsymbol{\Upsilon}$  near threshold production at EIC is promising.
  - Physics observable: total cross section, differential cross section  $d\sigma/dt$ (slope,  $d\sigma/dt(t = 0)$  etc).
- Detector acceptance is cut-off at ep 18x275 GeV collisions at near threshold but feasible for lower energy collisions e.g. 10x100 GeV, 5x41 GeV etc.
- Outlook
  - Full simulation from Detector-1 in both ep and eA collisions

• Back ups

## Upsilon(1S) cross section

Zeus: Phys. Lett. B 437:432-444,1998 Phys. Lett. B 680:4-12, 2009 H1: Phys. Lett. B 483:23-35, 2000 CMS: Eur. Phys. J. C 79:277, 2019



eStarlight/Lager prediction on the slope

LAGER: PRD 102, 014016 (2020)

