



Diffraction dijet and Gluon Wigner Distributions

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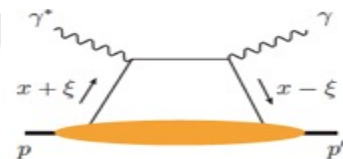
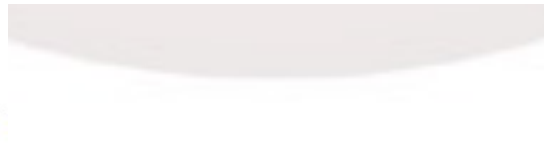
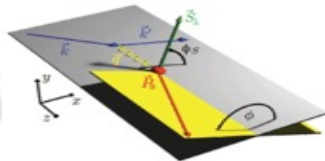
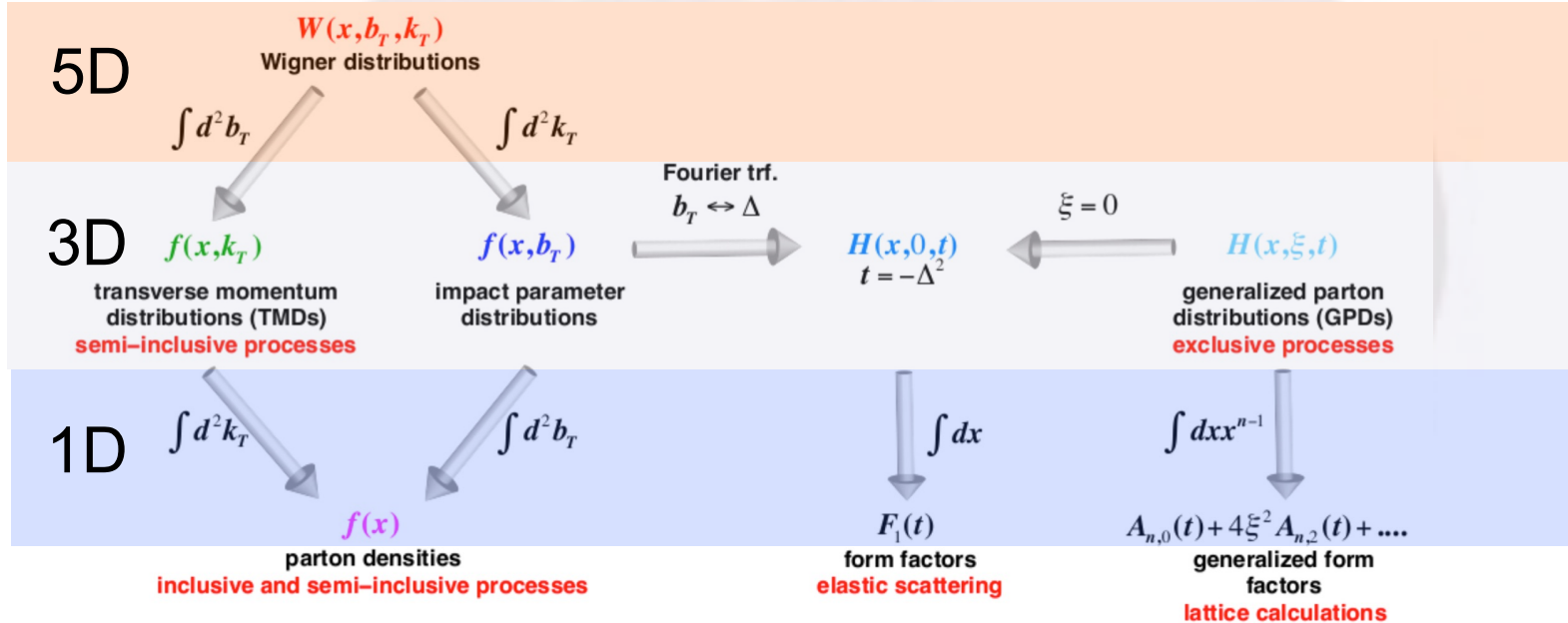
Diffractive Dijet to Probe Gluon Tomography

- Contribute to the key physics goals at the EIC
 - Spin/tomography of nucleon, e.g., probe the Gluon GPD
 - Gluon Orbital Angular Momentum
 - Small-x gluon saturation
 - ...

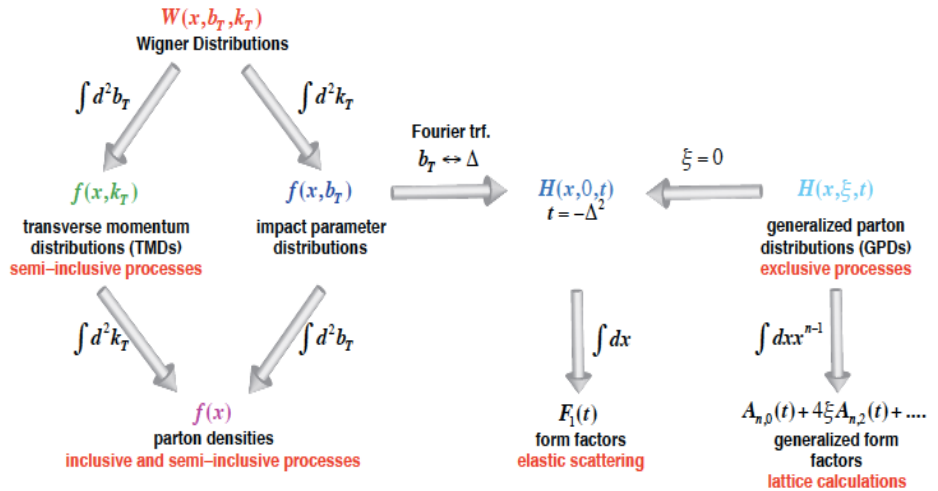
See, talks by Marquet and Hatta

Unified view of the Nucleon

□ Wigner distributions (Belitsky, Ji, Yuan)

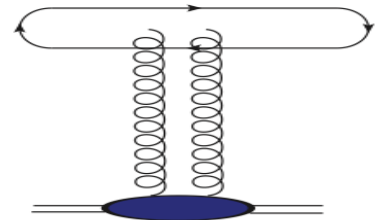


Small-x Approximation



Small-x

$$\frac{1}{N_c} \left\langle \text{Tr} \left[U(R_\perp) U^\dagger(R'_\perp) \right] \right\rangle_x$$



Hatta-Xiao-Yuan, 1601.01585
 earlier: Mueller, NPB 1999

TMDs at small-x

- Consistency between the collinear TMD definitions and the small-x dipole calculations have been established
 - Dominguez-Marquet-Xiao-Yuan 2011
- They are the most studied subjects in small-x phenomenology: inclusive, semi-inclusive processes
- **Unique predictions of the TMDs from small-x formalism**
 - Significant linear polarization for the gluon (Metz-Zhou 2011)
 - Spin (of hadron) dependence offers nontrivial QCD dynamics (Zhou et al, 2015; Kovchegov et al, 2016-2023)

Small-x gluon distribution with TMD resummation

$xG^{(1)}(x, k_{\perp}, \zeta_c = \mu_F = Q)$ \rightarrow Hard scale entering TMD Factorization, e.g., Higgs

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \rightarrow -\frac{2}{\alpha_S} \int \frac{d^2 x_{\perp} d^2 y_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^4} e^{ik_{\perp} \cdot r_{\perp}} \mathcal{H}^{WW}(\alpha_S(Q)) e^{-\mathcal{S}_{sud}(Q^2, r_{\perp}^2)} \\
 & \times \mathcal{F}_{Y=\ln 1/x}^{WW}(x_{\perp}, y_{\perp}),
 \end{aligned}$$

Small-x evolution

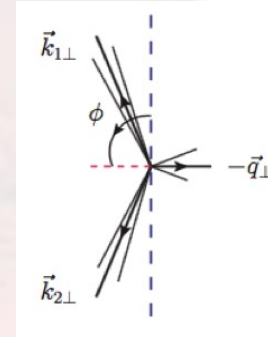
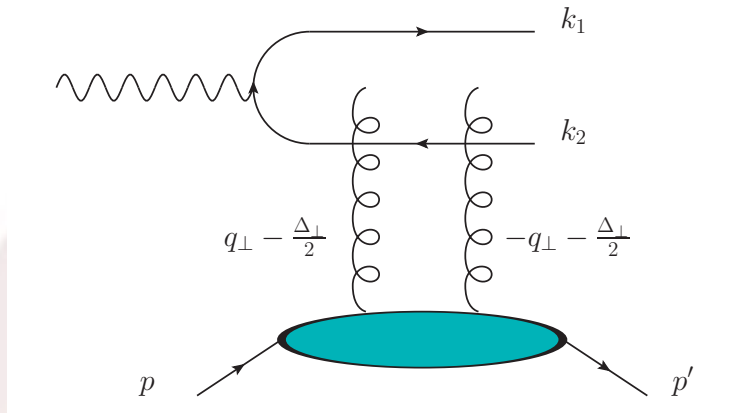
Pert. corrections

Sudakov resum.

Prediction Power!!

Directly measure the gluon Wigner distribution?

Hatta-Xiao-Yuan, 1601.01585



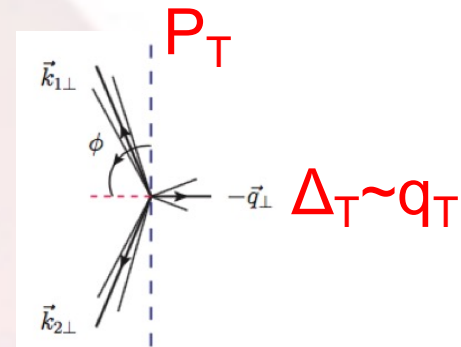
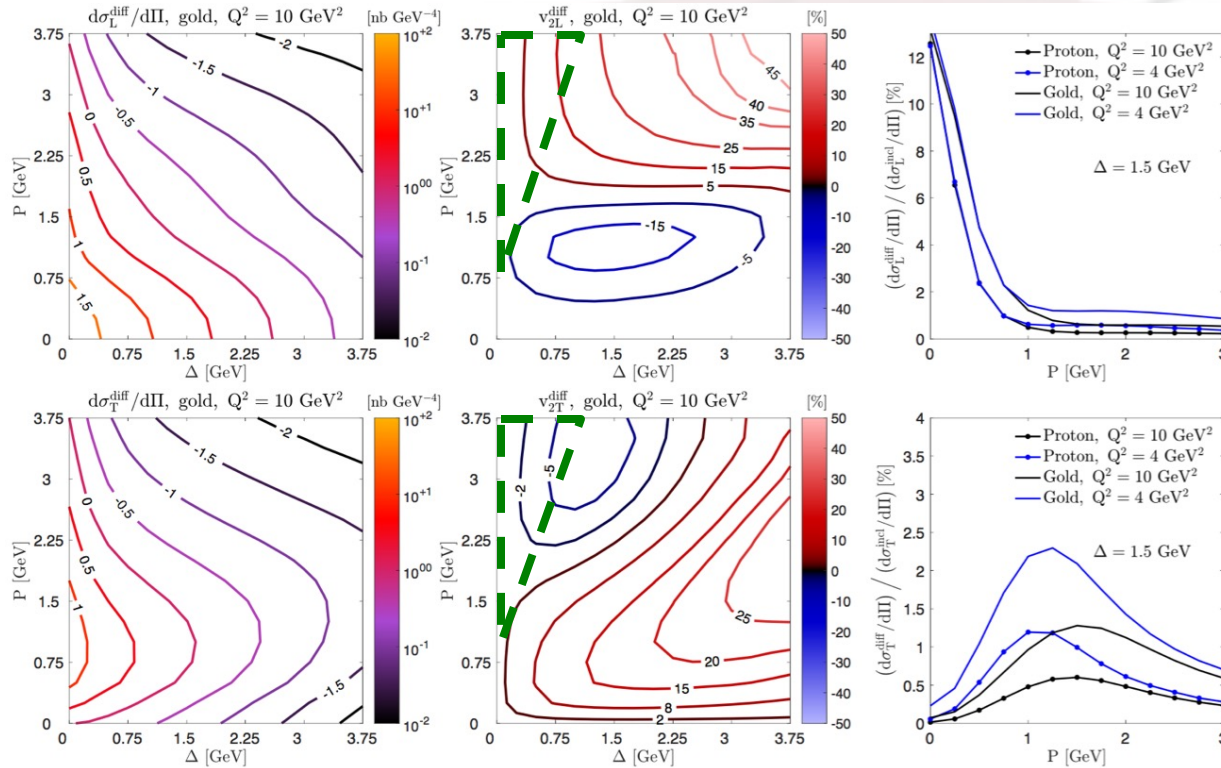
$\cos(2\phi)$
anisotropy

- In the Breit frame, by measuring the recoil of final state proton, one can access Δ_T . By measuring jets momenta, one can approximately access q_T .
- The diffractive dijet cross section is proportional to the square of the Wigner distribution \rightarrow nucleon/nucleus tomography

$$x\mathcal{W}_g^T(x, |\vec{q}_\perp|, |\vec{b}_\perp|) + 2 \cos(2\phi)x\mathcal{W}_g^\epsilon(x, |\vec{q}_\perp|, |\vec{b}_\perp|)$$

\hookrightarrow **Anisotropy ~ few %**

This has generated a lot of interests...



However, life is more complicated, ☹️

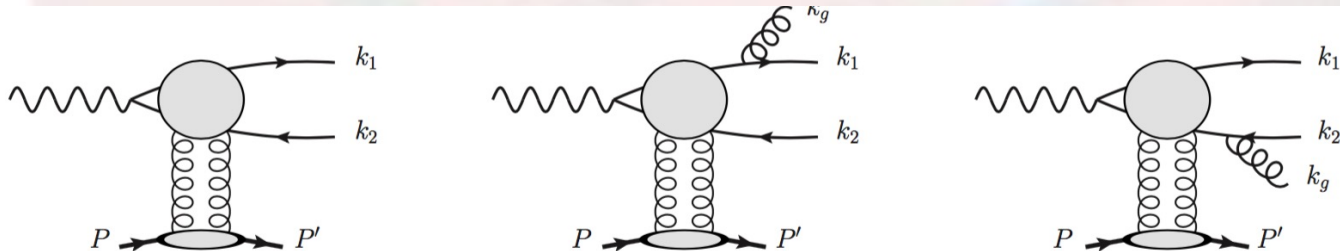
- Gluon radiation adds additional complications
 - Because final state jet carries color, soft gluon contribution will modify the intuitive and simple picture
 - Nontrivial azimuthal angular correlations can come from soft gluon radiation, Hatta-Xiao-Yuan-Zhou 2021
- On the other hand, gluon radiation offers a unique opportunity to study different perspective of gluon saturation, Iancu-Mueller-Triantafyllopoulos, 2112.06353
 - We may have a direct way to compute the so-called diffractive parton distributions

Soft gluon radiation

- Gluon radiation tends to be aligned with the jet direction

$$S_J(q_\perp) = \delta(q_\perp) + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi^2} \int dy_g \left(\frac{k_1 \cdot k_2}{k_1 \cdot k_g k_2 \cdot k_g} \right)_{\vec{q}_\perp = -\vec{k}_{g\perp}}$$

$$S_{J0}(|q_\perp|) + 2 \cos(2\phi) S_{J2}(|q_\perp|) + \dots$$



[Catani-Grazzini-Sargsyan, 1703.08468](#); [Hatta-Xiao-Yuan-Zhou, 2010.10774](#)

More broad context of quantum interference effects, [Chen, Mout, Zhu, 2011.02492](#)

Leading power contributions, explicit result at α_s

$$S_J(q_\perp) = S_{J0}(|q_\perp|) + 2 \cos(2\phi) S_{J2}(|q_\perp|)$$

$$S_{J0}(q_\perp) = \delta(q_\perp) + \frac{\alpha_0}{\pi} \frac{1}{q_\perp^2}, \quad S_{J2}(q_\perp) = \frac{\alpha_2}{\pi} \frac{1}{q_\perp^2},$$

where

$$\alpha_0 = \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi} 2 \ln \frac{a_0}{R^2}, \quad \alpha_2 = \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi} 2 \ln \frac{a_2}{R^2}.$$

In the small-R limit, $\langle \cos(2\phi) \rangle$ goes to 1

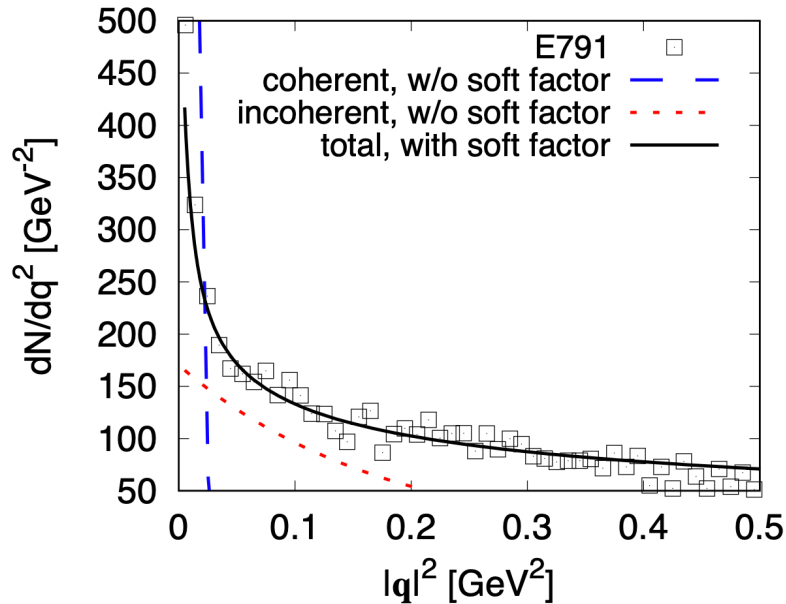
Additional gluon radiation contributions,

- In the momentum space, it will be a convolution
 - $q_T = k_{g1} + k_{g2} + \dots$
 - Dominant contributions will be ϕ -independent
- It is convenient to perform resummation in Fourier-b space

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{S}_J(b_\perp) &= \int d^2 q_\perp e^{i q_\perp \cdot b_\perp} S_J(q_\perp) \\ &= \tilde{S}_{J0}(|b_\perp|) - 2 \cos(2\phi_b) \tilde{S}_{J2}(|b_\perp|) + \dots\end{aligned}$$

$$\tilde{S}_{J0}(b_\perp) = 1 + \alpha_0 \ln(\mu_b^2 / P_\perp^2), \quad \tilde{S}_{J2}(b_\perp) = \alpha_2$$

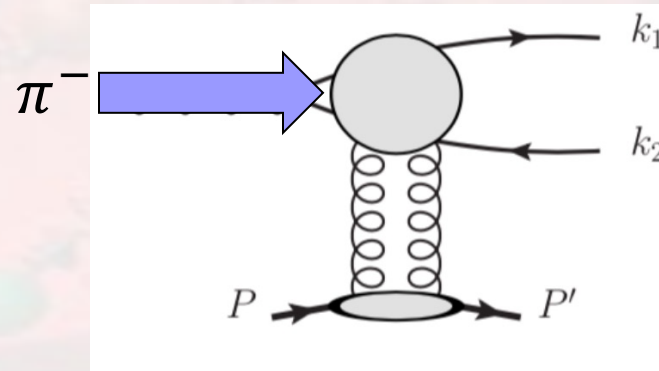
Soft gluon will affect the total transverse momentum distribution



Hatta et al, 1907.09491

E791: Pion (500 GeV) induced diffractive Dijet production on nuclear target

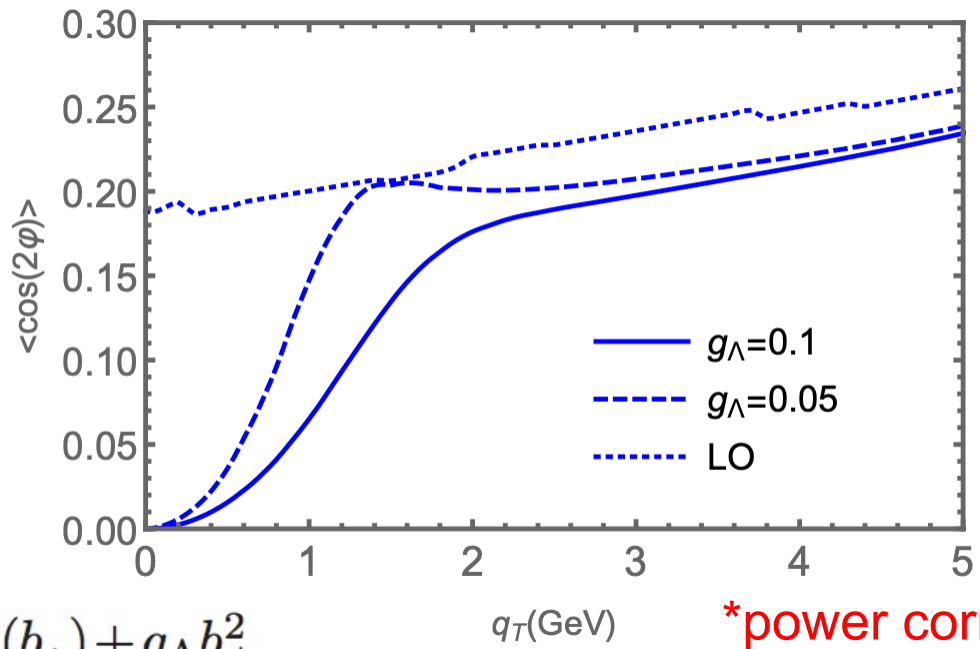
E791, PRL 2001



It also affects the angular distribution

$$\tilde{S}_{J0}(b_{\perp}) = e^{-\Gamma_0(b_{\perp})}, \quad \tilde{S}_{J2}(b_{\perp}) = \alpha_2 e^{-\Gamma_0(b_{\perp})} \quad \Gamma_0(b_{\perp}) = \int_{\mu_b^2}^{P_{\perp}^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \alpha_0$$

EIC
 Kinematics:
 $P_T \sim 15 \text{ GeV}$
 $R = 0.4$
 $y_1 = y_2$
 Non-pert. input:



$\alpha_2 / \alpha_0 \approx 0.14$

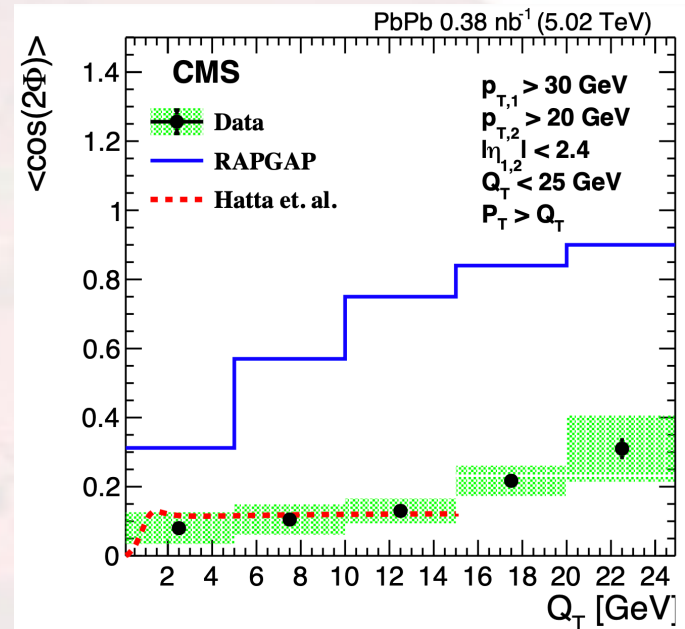
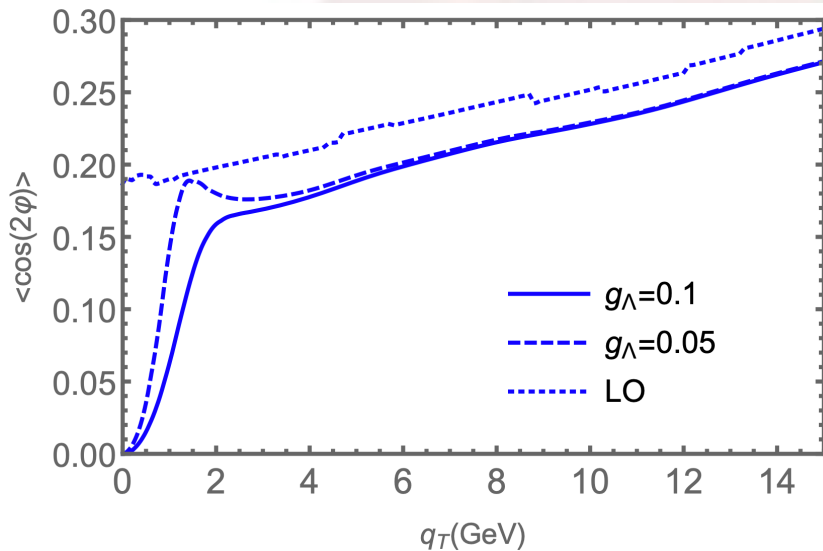
$$\Gamma_0(b_{\perp}) \implies \Gamma_0(b_*) + g_{\Lambda} b_{\perp}^2$$

*power corrections included



Compare to recent CMS measurement

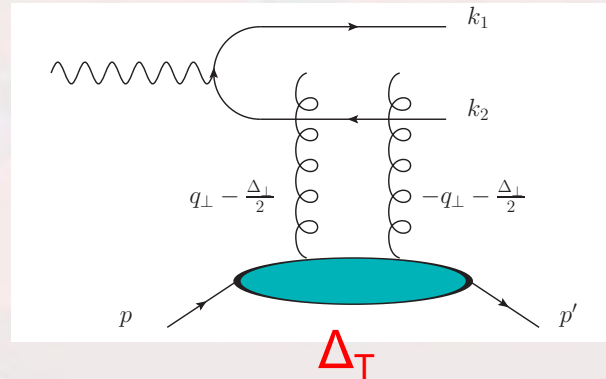
$P_T \sim 35 \text{ GeV}$, $R=0.4$, $y_1=y_2$



CMS, [2205.00045](#)

Comments

- To avoid the soft gluon radiation contribution, we need to reconstruct nucleon/nucleus recoil momentum to study the tomography



Conclusion

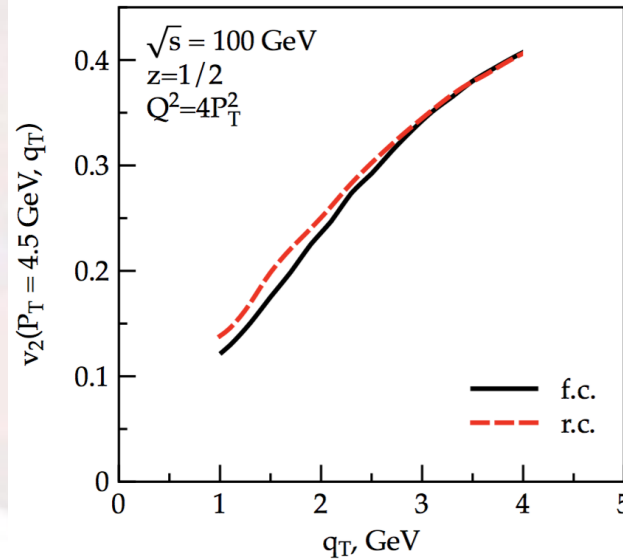
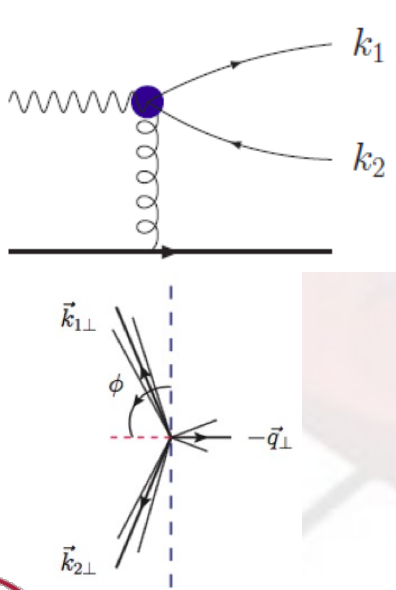
- Small-x physics provides a unique opportunity to explore nucleon tomography through parton Wigner distributions
 - Unified description with dipole amplitude starts to emerge
- Further developments are needed to explore the full potential of the future electron-ion collider
 - More processes to probe the dipole amplitudes, including its spin-dependence
 - Precision toward next-to-leading order computations!

Discussions

- For jet measurements, we need tracking
 - Kinematic reach, more studies needed
- For exclusive observables, we need measurement on the recoiled nucleon
 - Detector requirement
 - Luminosity requirement
- ...

Cos(2 ϕ) anisotropy has been widely applied for EIC...

- Probe the linearly polarized gluon distribution calculation



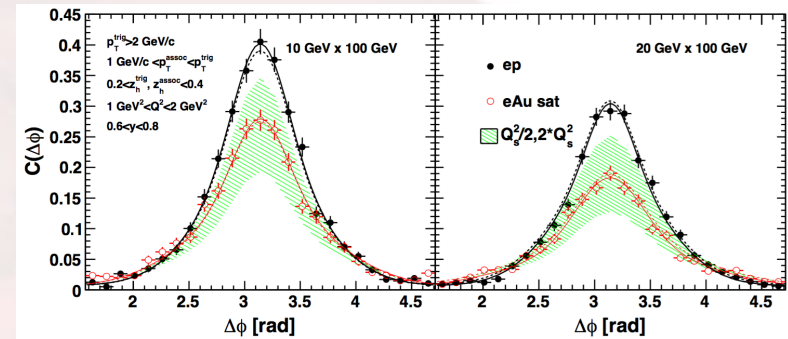
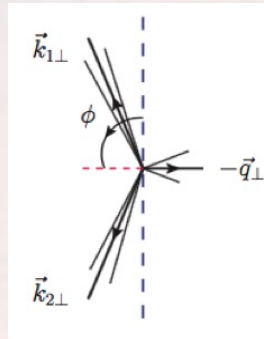
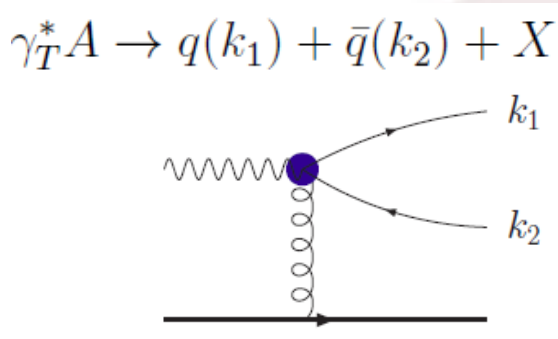
CGC calculation:
Dumitru-Lappi-Skokov,
1508.04438

see also,
Boer-Brodsky-Mulders-Pisano
1011.4225

Metz-Zhou, 1105.1991
Boer et al., 1702.08195,
1605.07934

Mantysaari et al.,
1902.05087, 1912.05586

Semi-inclusive process: DIS dijet probes gluon TMDs

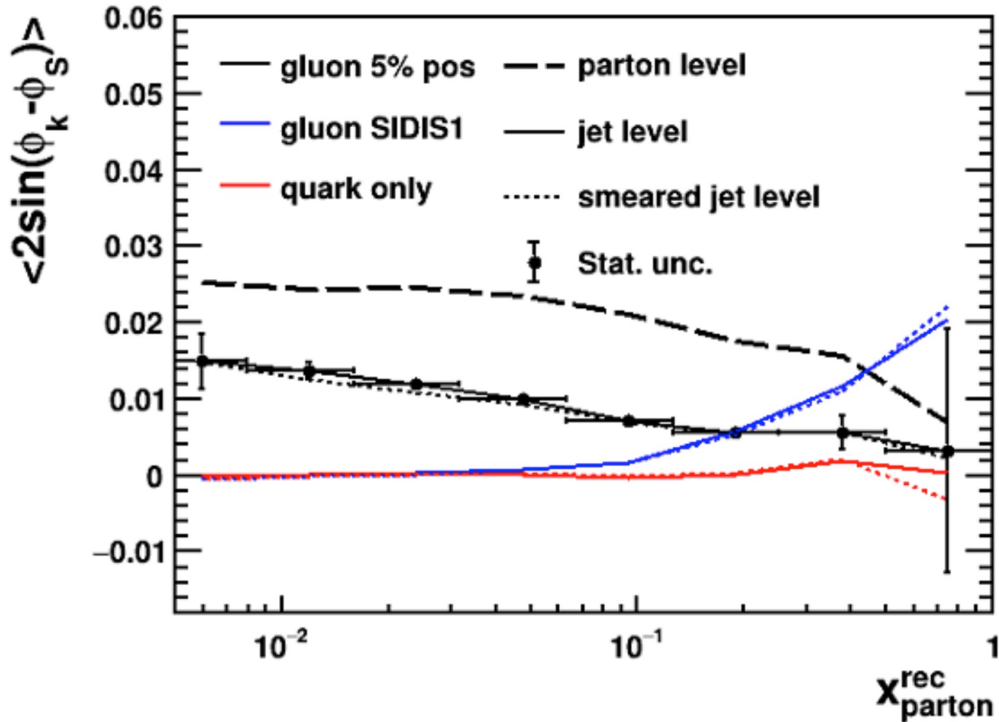


Zheng, et al., 1403.2413

- q_t -dependence measure the gluon distribution
 - Weizsacker-Williams gluon distribution in nucleus (CGC predictions)
- Various channels at the EIC: heavy flavor production, real and virtual photon

Dominguez-Marquet-Xiao-Yuan 2011

Gluon Sivers function at EIC



Kinematics:

- 18X275GeV, $Q > 1\text{GeV}$
Leading jet $> 4.5\text{GeV}$,
subleading jet $> 4\text{ GeV}$,
 $R=0.5$, $|\eta| < 2.5$

L. Zheng's talk at the jet
workshop, see also, 1805.05290

Impact to EIC measurements, photoproduction case ($Q^2=0$)

Kinematics:

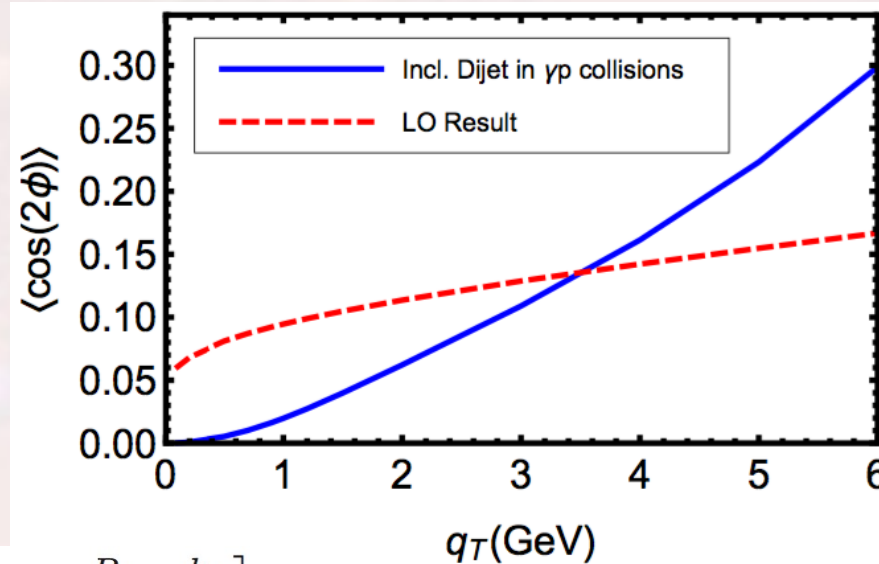
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$R=0.4$

$y_1=y_2$

Non-pert. input:

$$S_{\text{NP}}^{\gamma P} = \frac{C_A}{2C_F} \left[0.106 b_{\perp}^2 + 0.42 \ln \frac{P_{\perp}}{Q_0} \ln \frac{b_{\perp}}{b_*} \right]$$



There is no linearly
Polarized gluon
Contribution ($Q^2=0$)

Scaled from quark TMD (fitted to DY data)