

Transverse Momentum Distributions from Effective Field Theory

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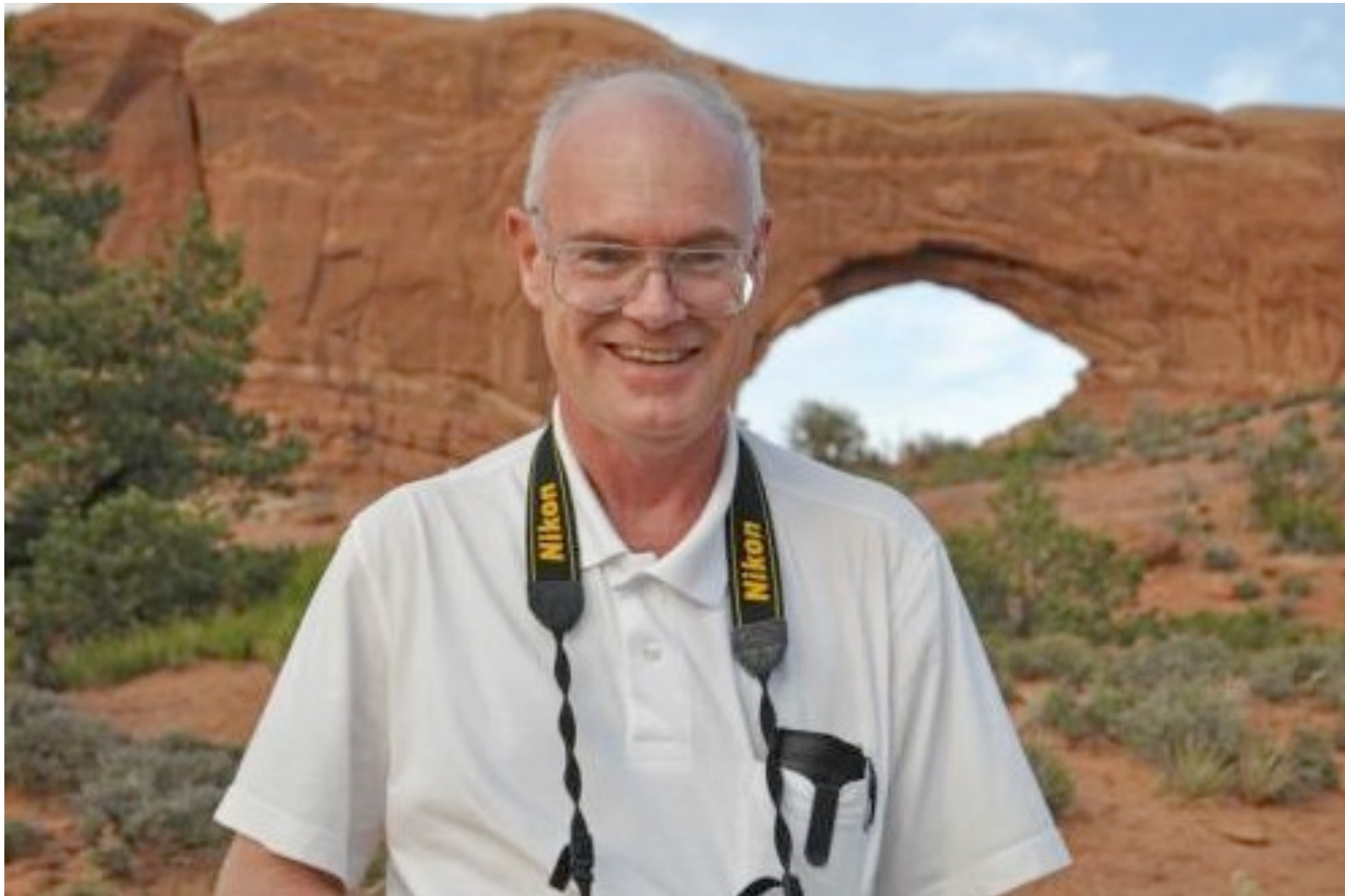
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(more in progress with Ye Li and Frank Petriello)

LoopFest X: Argonne National Lab and Northwestern University

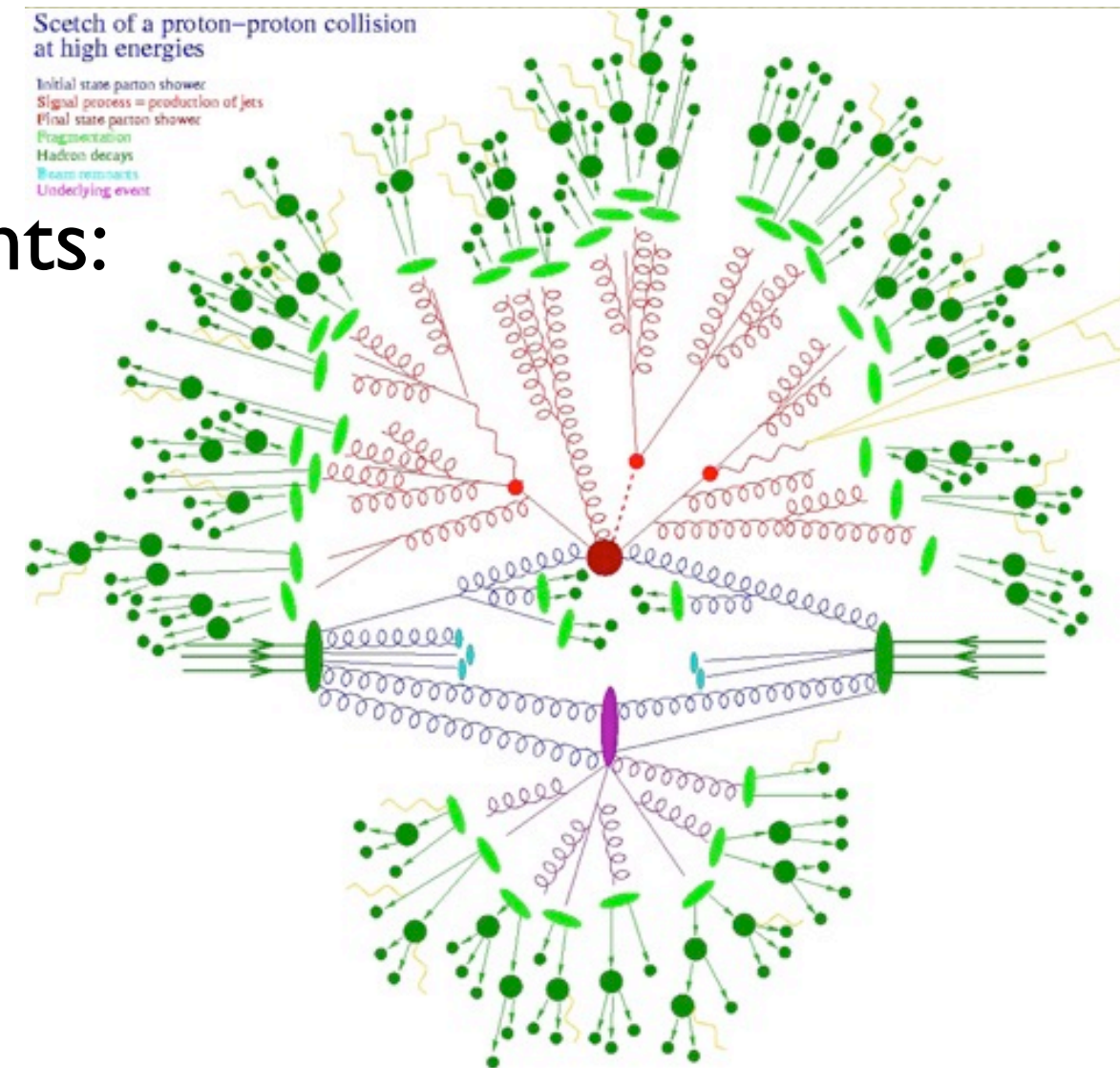


Prof. Uli Baur
(1957-2010)

The Big Picture

- Colliders are complicated environments:

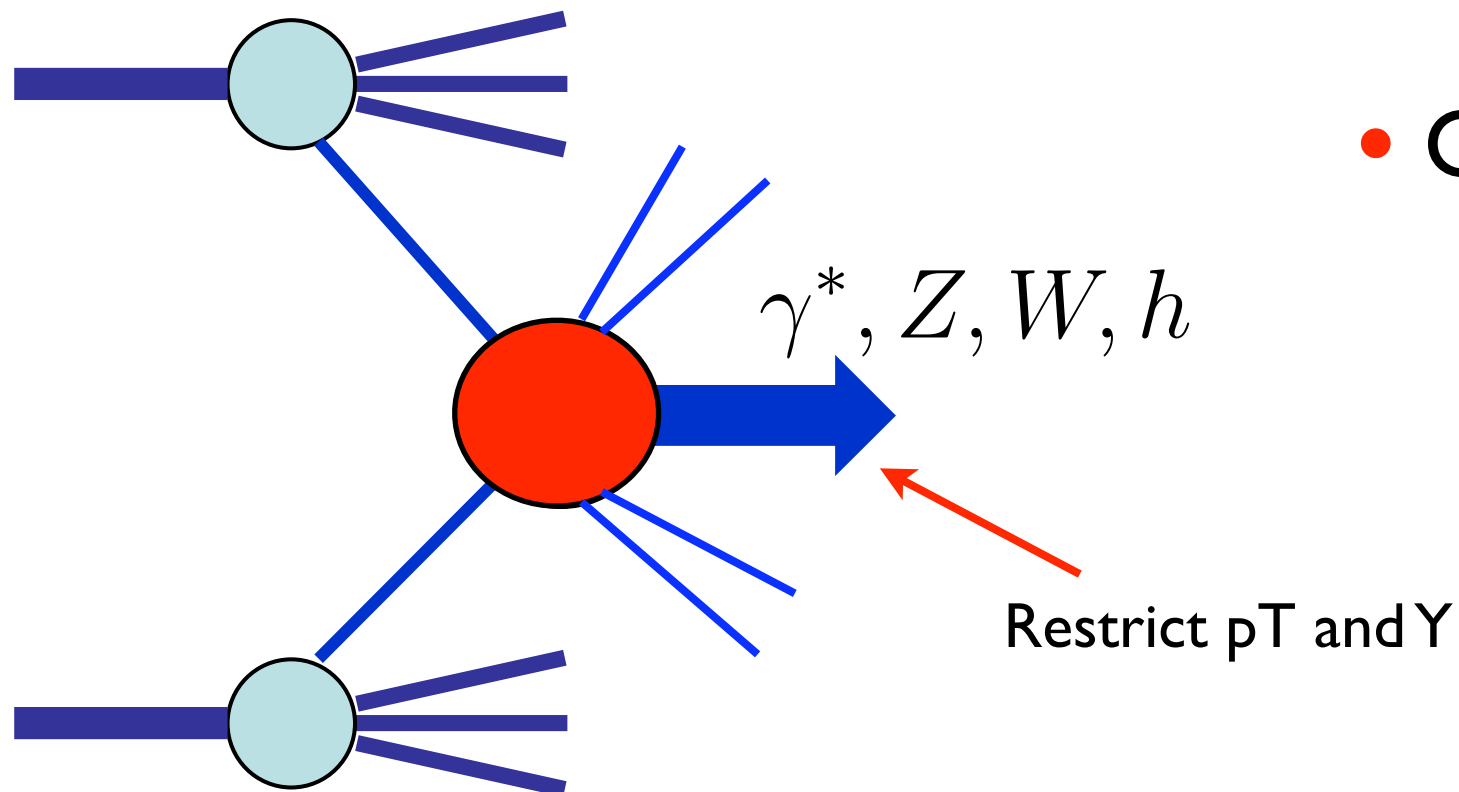
- Initial state parton shower
- Hard interaction of signal process
- Multijet final states
- Underlying events
- Final state parton shower
- Hadronization
- Beam remnants
- ...



- Recent developments in EFT methods:

- Factorization, Resummation, parton showers, jets, ...
- Isolated Drell-Yan, Event shapes, jet vetoes (Stewart, Tackmann, Waalewijn; Kelley, Schwartz,...)
- Higgs Production, Threshold resummation (Becher, Neubert, Pecjak,...)
- Fragmentation functions (Procura, Stewart,...)
- Parton Showers (Bauer, Baumgart, Hornig, Schwartz, Stewart, Tackmann, Thaler, ...)
- many others...

Transverse Momentum Spectrum

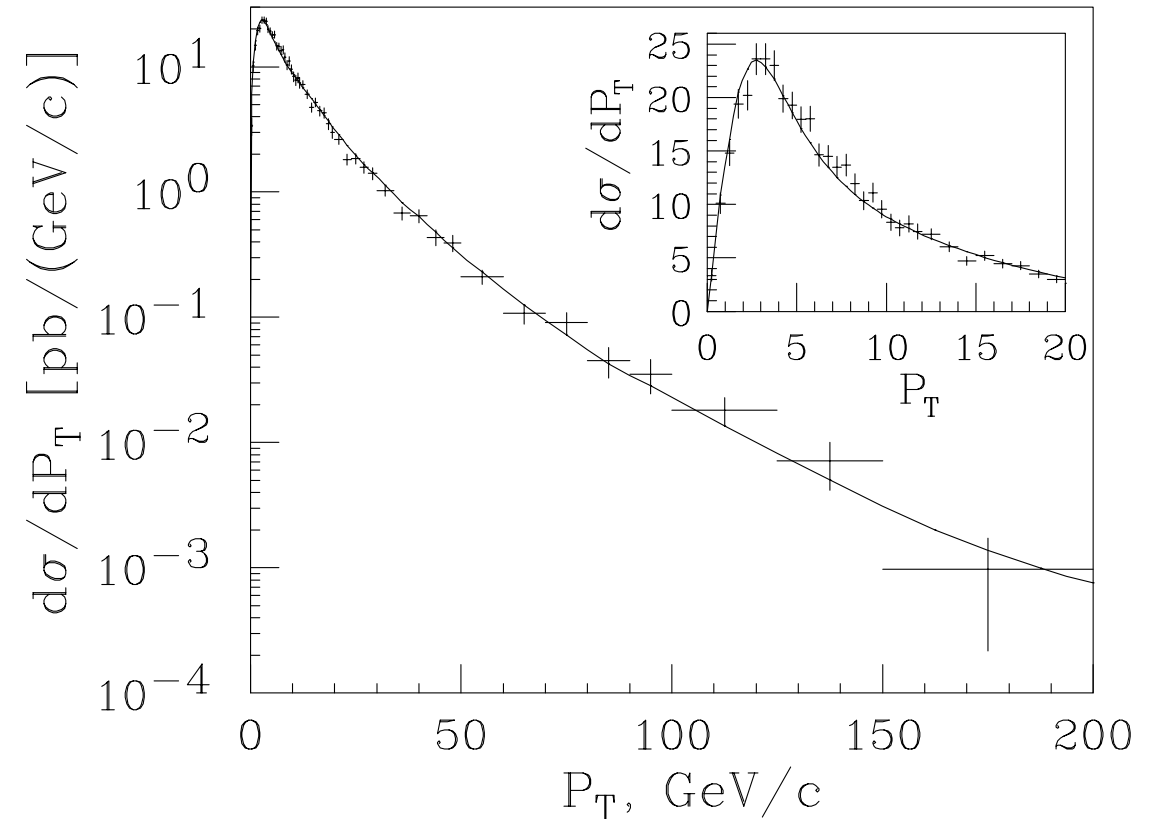


- Observable of interest

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY}$$

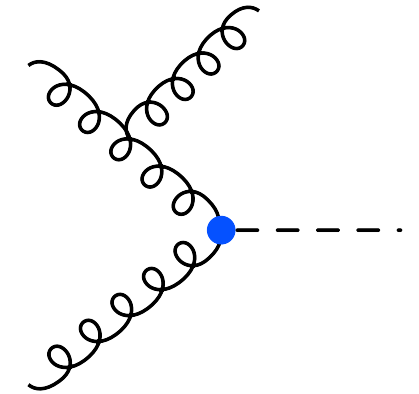
Motivations

- Higgs Boson searches
- W-mass measurement
- Tests of pQCD
- Transverse nucleon structure



CDF Data
for Z-production

Low p_T Region



- The schematic perturbative series for the p_T distribution for $pp \rightarrow h + X$

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^2} \simeq \frac{1}{p_T^2} \left[A_1 \alpha_S \ln \frac{M^2}{p_T^2} + A_2 \alpha_S^2 \ln^3 \frac{M^2}{p_T^2} + \dots + A_n \alpha_S^n \ln^{2n-1} \frac{M^2}{p_T^2} + \dots \right]$$



Large Logarithms spoil
perturbative convergence

- Resummation has been studied in great detail in the **Collins-Soper-Sterman** formalism.

(Davies, Stirling; Arnold, Kauffman; Berger, Qiu; Ellis, Veseli, Ross, Webber; Brock, Ladinsky Landry, Nadolsky; Yuan; Fai, Zhang; Catani, Emilio, Trentadue; Hinchliffe, Novae; Florian, Grazzini, Cherdnikov, Stefanis; Belitsky, Ji,....)

- Resummation has also been studied recently using the **EFT** approach.

(Idilbi, Ji, Yuan; Gao, Li, Liu; SM, Petriello; Becher, Neubert)

Low pT Region

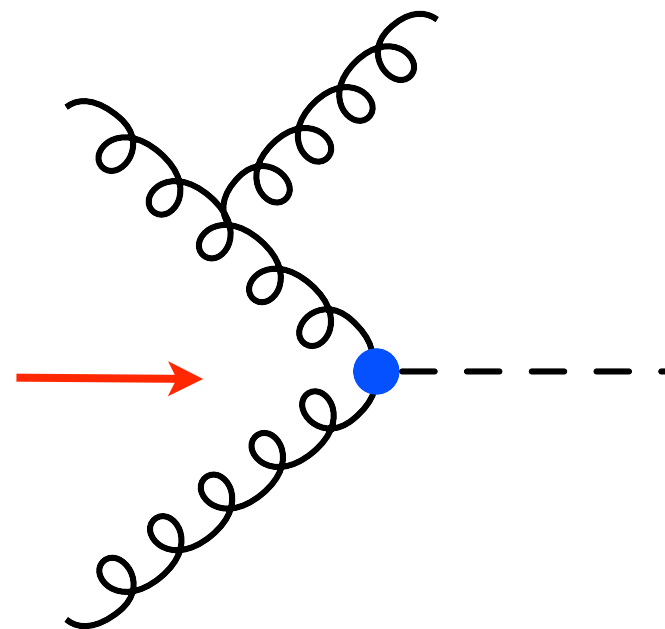
$$A(P_A) + B(P_B) \rightarrow C(Q) + X, \quad C = \gamma^*, W^\pm, Z, h$$

- The transverse momentum distribution in the CSS formalism is schematically given by:

$$\frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2} = \frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(\text{resum})}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2} + \frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(Y)}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2}$$

Most singular
contribution

Soft or collinear
pT emission



Low pT Region

Focus of this talk

$$\frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2} = \frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(\text{resum})}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2} + \frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(Y)}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2}$$

- Singular as at least Q_T^{-2} as $Q_T \rightarrow 0$

- Important in region of small Q_T .

- Treated with resummation.

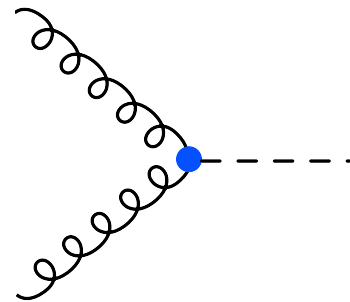
$$\frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(Y)}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2} = \frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(\text{pert})}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2} - \frac{d\sigma_{AB \rightarrow CX}^{(\text{asym})}}{dQ^2 dy dQ_T^2}$$

- Obtained from fixed order calculation.
- Less Singular terms.
- Important in region of large Q_T .

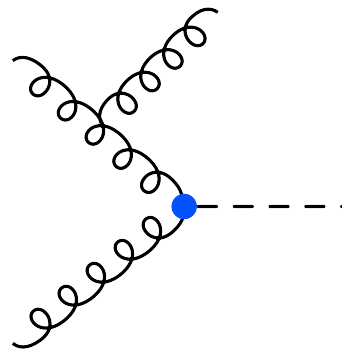
EFT Framework

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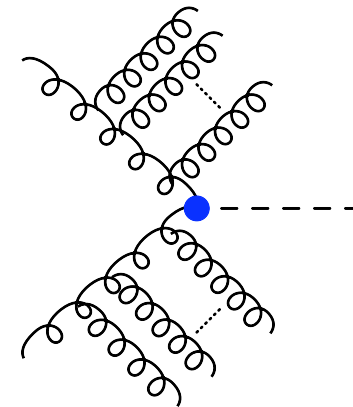
- Low p_T region dominated by soft and collinear emissions from initial state:



$p_T=0$



finite p_T



finite p_T

- Soft and Collinear emissions dominate the low p_T distribution:

$$p_n \sim m_h(\eta^2, 1, \eta), \quad p_{\bar{n}} \sim m_h(1, \eta^2, \eta), \quad p_s \sim m_h(\eta, \eta, \eta),$$

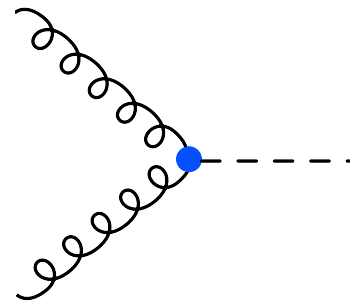
$$\eta \sim \frac{p_T}{m_h}$$

- Hierarchy of scales suggests EFT approach with well defined power counting.

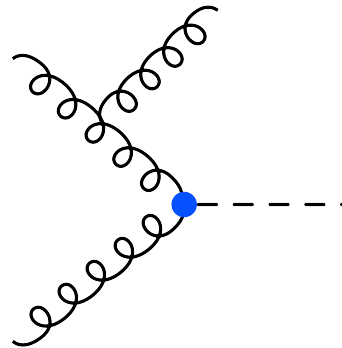
$$m_h \gg p_T \gg \Lambda_{QCD}, \quad p_T \sim \Lambda_{QCD}$$

EFT framework

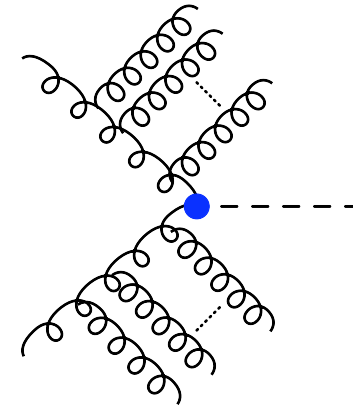
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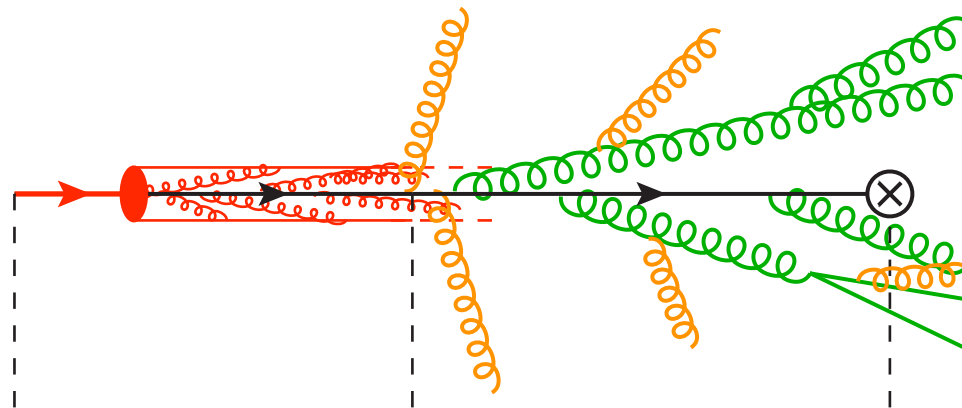


finite p_T



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- Colliding parton is part of initial state p_T radiation beam jet:



← Initial State jet of p_T radiation

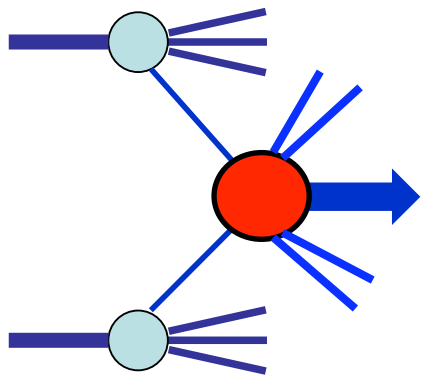
- Gives rise to **impact-parameter Beam Functions (iBFs)**. (SM, Petriello)

Analogous beam functions arise in other processes:

(Stewart, Tackmann, Waalewijn; Fleming, Leibovich, Mehen)

- Soft recoil radiation is restricted. Gives rise to a **soft function**.

EFT framework



$$\text{QCD}(n_f = 6) \rightarrow \text{QCD}(n_f = 5) \rightarrow \text{SCET}_{p_T} \rightarrow \text{SCET}_{\Lambda_{QCD}}$$

Top quark
integrated out.



Matched onto
SCET.



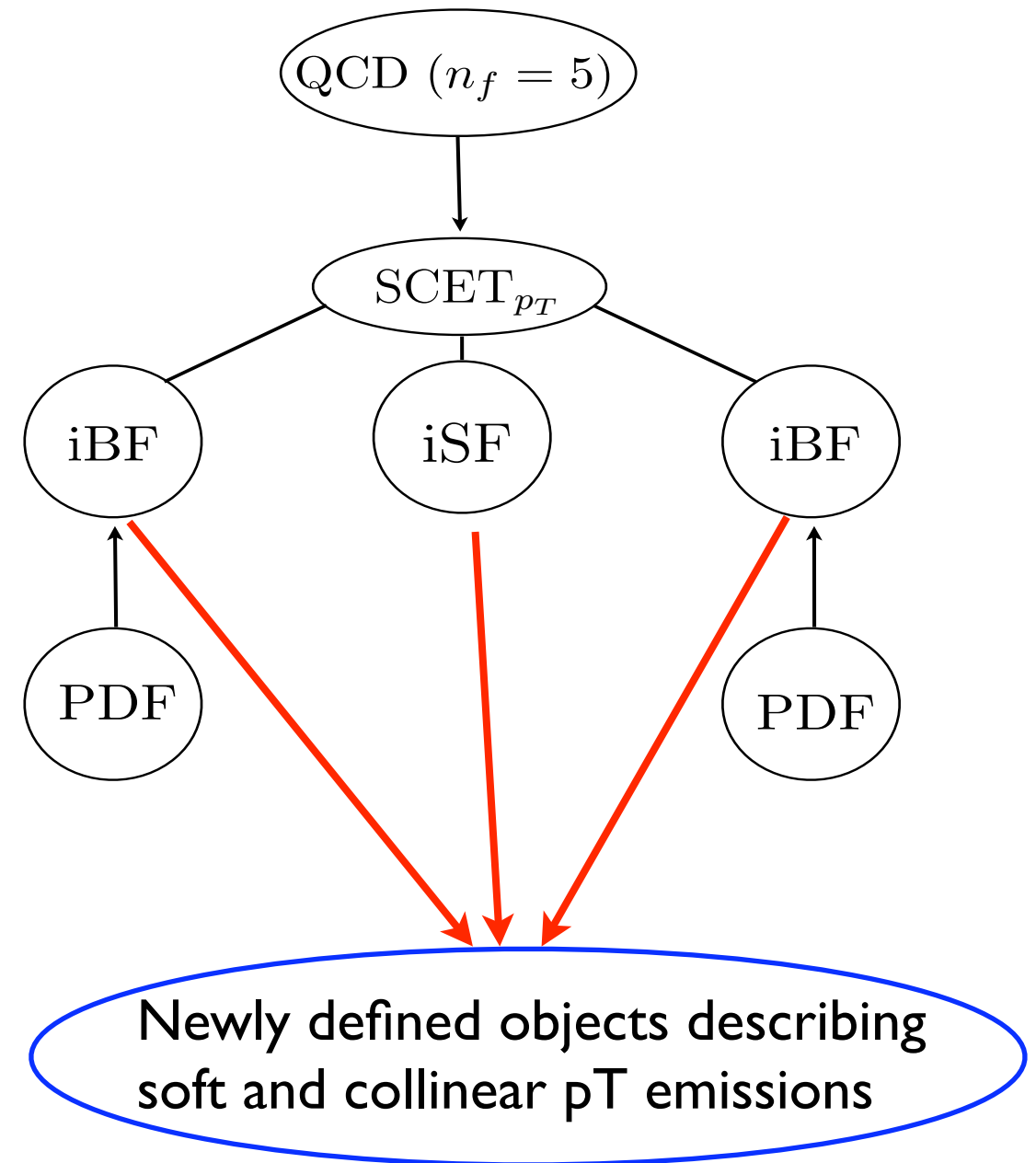
Soft-collinear
factorization.



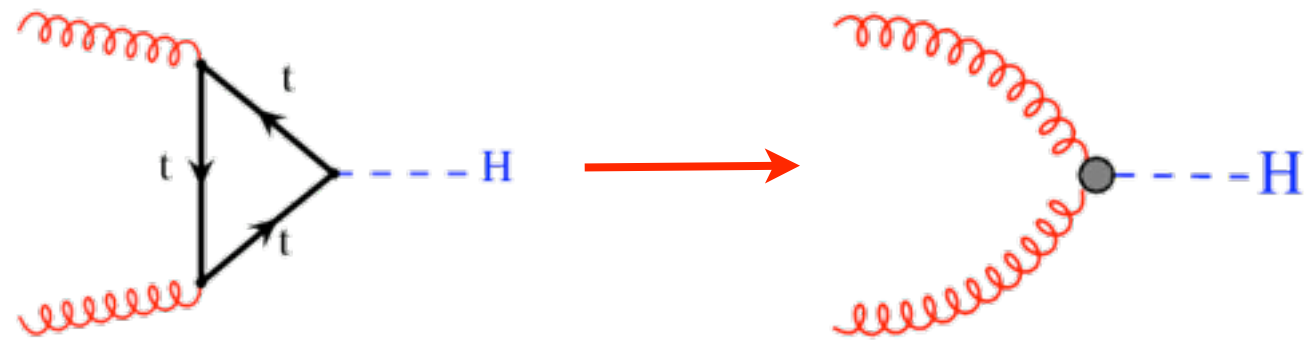
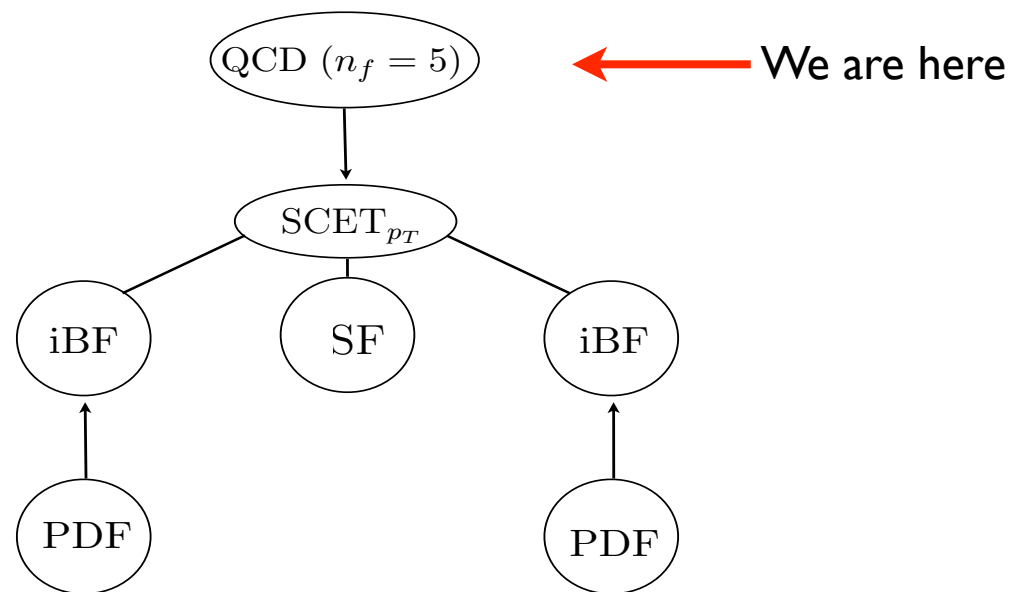
Matching onto
PDFs.



$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \mathcal{G}^{ij} \otimes f_i \otimes f_j$$



Integrating out the top



- Effective Higgs production operator

$$\mathcal{L}_{m_t} = C_{GGh} \frac{h}{v} G_{\mu\nu}^a G_a^{\mu\nu} \quad , \quad C_{GGh} = \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi} \left\{ 1 + \frac{11}{4} \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) \right\}$$

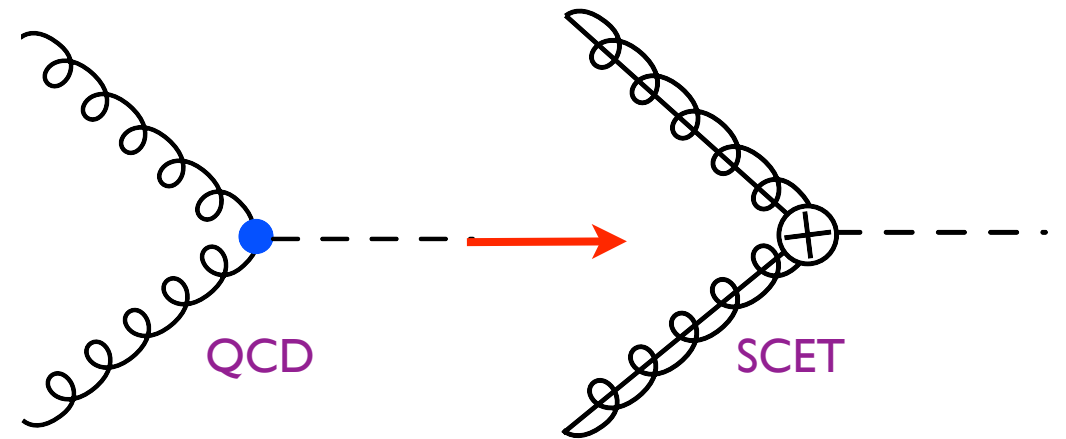
Two loop result for
Wilson coefficient.

(Chetyrkin, Kniehl, Kuhn, Schroder, Steinhauser, Sturm)

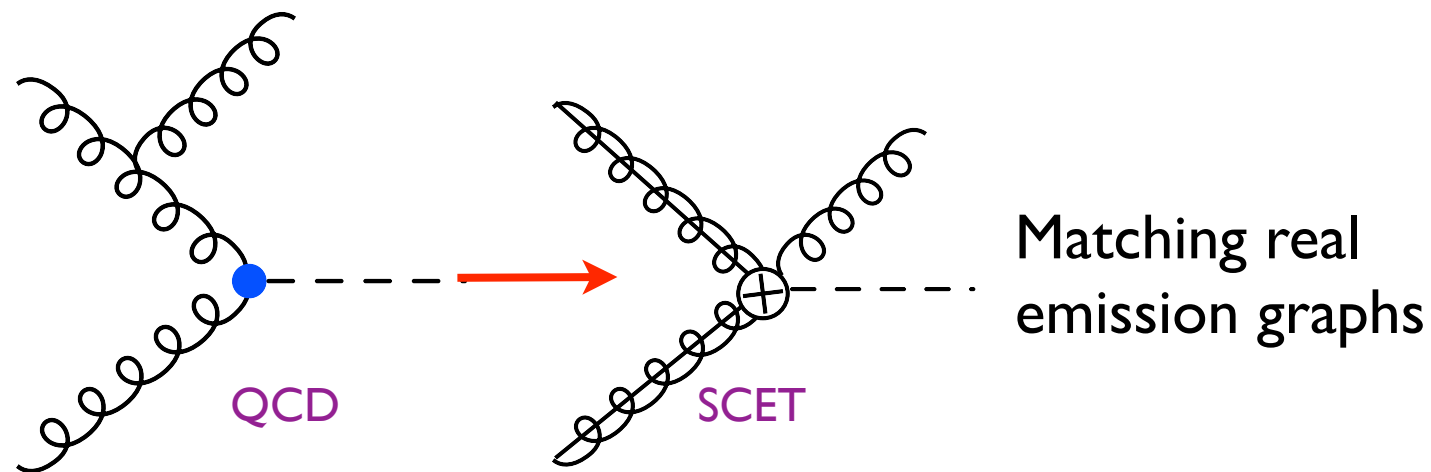
Matching onto SCET

- Matching equation:

$$O_{QCD} = \int d\omega_1 \int d\omega_2 C(\omega_1, \omega_2) \mathcal{O}(\omega_1, \omega_2)$$

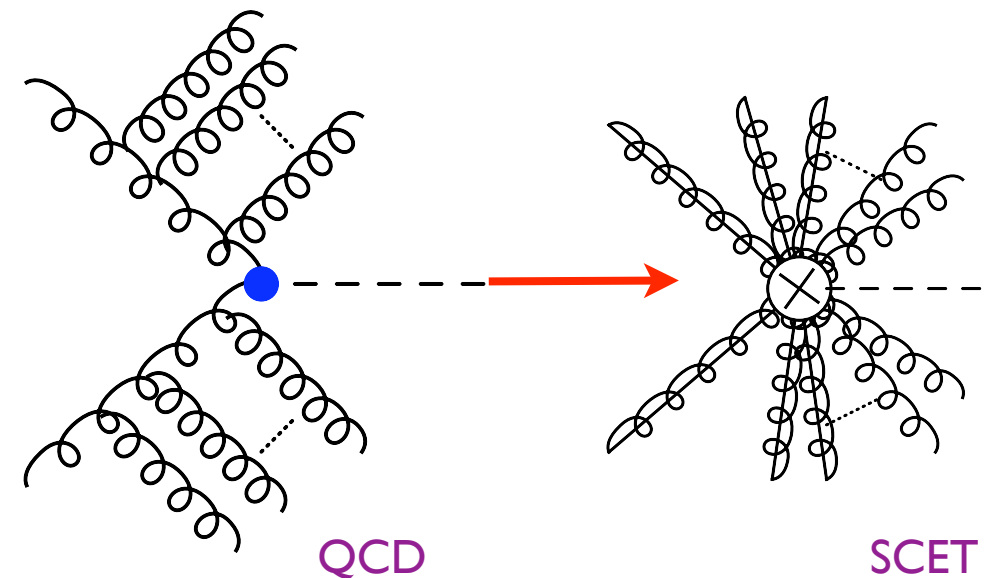


Tree level matching



Matching real emission graphs

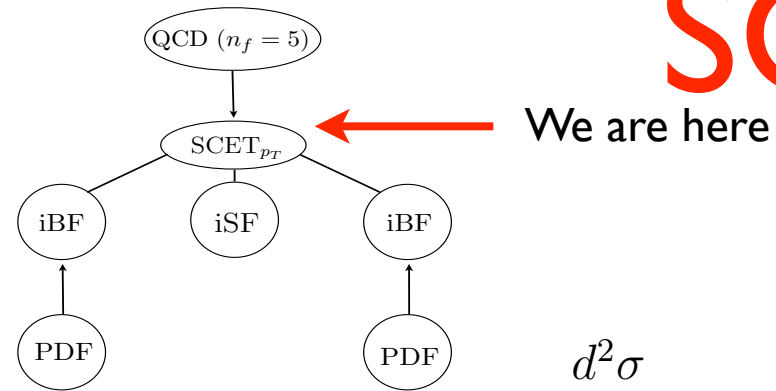
Soft and Collinear emissions build into Wilson lines determined by **soft and collinear gauge invariance** of SCET.



- Effective SCET operator:

$$\mathcal{O}(\omega_1, \omega_2) = g_{\mu\nu} h T \{ \text{Tr} \left[S_n(gB_{n\perp}^\mu)_{\omega_1} S_n^\dagger S_{\bar{n}}(gB_{\bar{n}\perp}^\nu)_{\omega_2} S_{\bar{n}}^\dagger \right] \}$$

SCET Cross-Section



- SCET differential cross-section:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d^2\sigma}{du dt} = & \frac{1}{2Q^2} \left[\frac{1}{4} \right] \int \frac{d^2 p_{h\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} \int \frac{dn \cdot p_h d\bar{n} \cdot p_h}{2(2\pi)^2} (2\pi) \theta(n \cdot p_h + \bar{n} \cdot p_h) \delta(n \cdot p_h \bar{n} \cdot p_h - \vec{p}_{h\perp}^2 - m_h^2) \\
 & \times \delta(u - (p_2 - p_h)^2) \delta(t - (p_1 - p_h)^2) \sum_{\text{initial pols.}} \sum_X |C(\omega_1, \omega_2) \otimes \langle hX_n X_{\bar{n}} X_s | \mathcal{O}(\omega_1, \omega_2) | pp \rangle|^2 \\
 & \times (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)}(p_1 + p_2 - P_{X_n} - P_{X_{\bar{n}}} - P_{X_s} - p_h),
 \end{aligned}$$

- Schematic form of SCET cross-section:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim \int PS |C \otimes \langle \mathcal{O} \rangle|^2$$

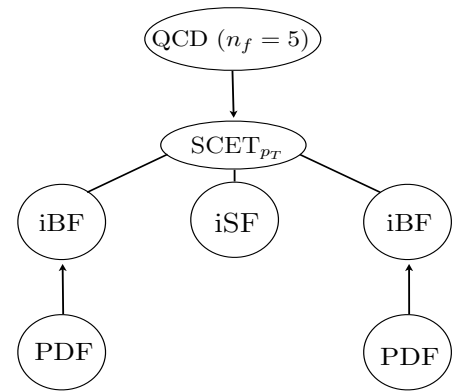
Phase space
integrals.

Hard
matching
coefficient.

SCET matrix
element.

Apply soft-collinear
decoupling

SCET Cross-Section



We are here

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes B_n \otimes B_{\bar{n}} \otimes S$$

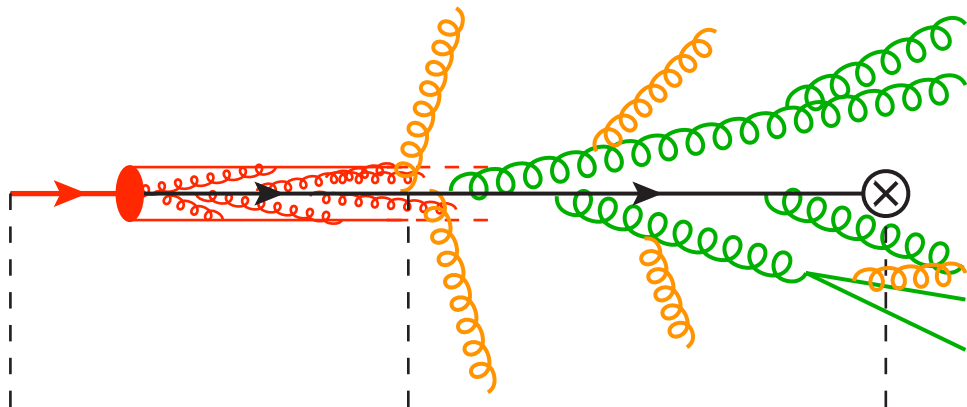
Hard function

Impact-parameter Beam
Functions
(iBFs)

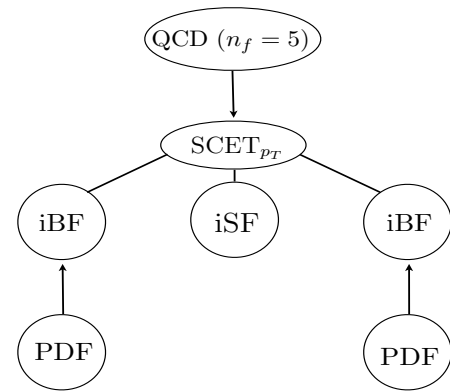
Soft function

Describes collinear
p_T emissions

Describes soft
p_T emissions



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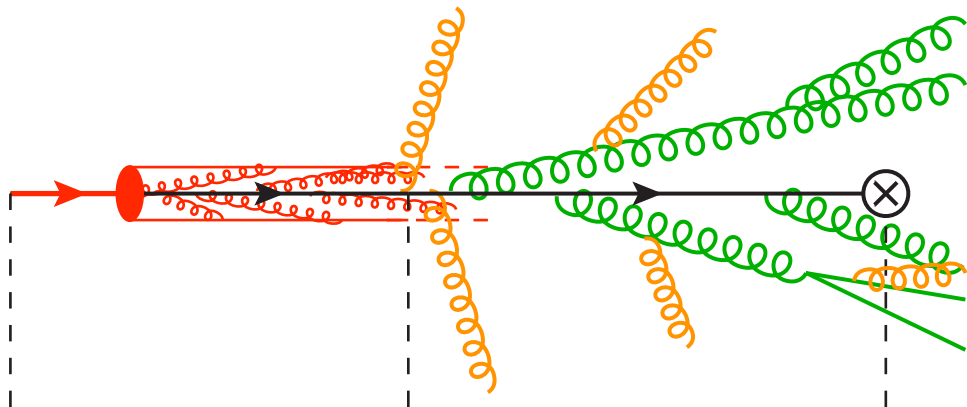
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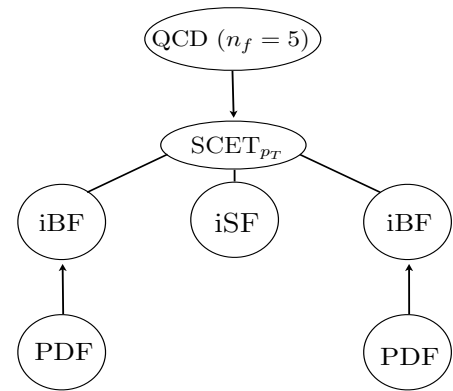
Describes collinear
p_T emissions

Describes soft
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Unintegrated
nucleon distribution functions



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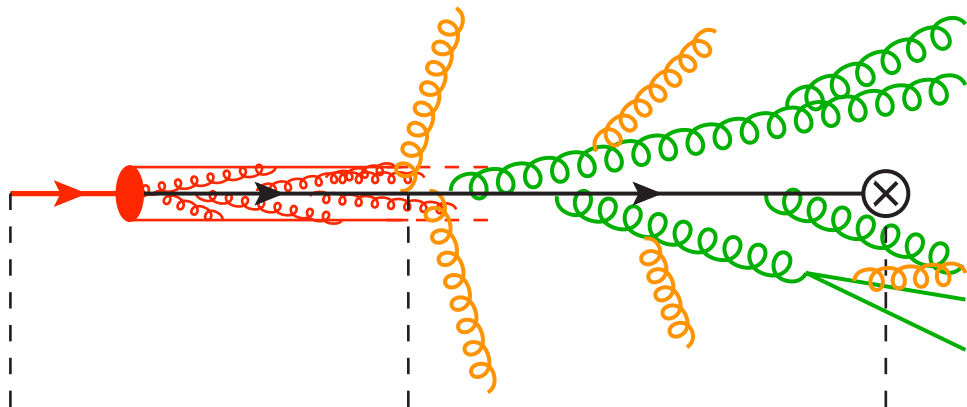
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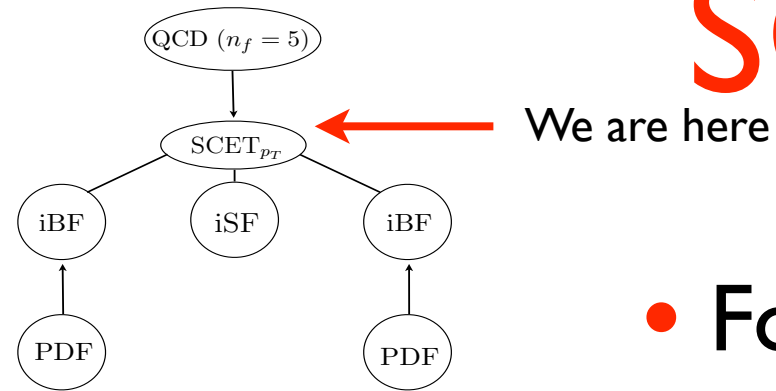
Describes collinear
p_T emissions

Describes soft
p_T emissions



Presence
of soft function.
Plays an important
role in the structure
of factorization.

SCET Cross-Section



- Formula in detail:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d^2\sigma}{du dt} = & \frac{(2\pi)}{(N_c^2 - 1)^2 8Q^2} \int dp_h^+ dp_h^- \int d^2 k_h^\perp \int \frac{d^2 b_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{k}_h^\perp \cdot \vec{b}_\perp} \\
 & \times \delta[u - m_h^2 + Qp_h^-] \delta[t - m_h^2 + Qp_h^+] \delta[p_h^+ p_h^- - \vec{k}_{h\perp}^2 - m_h^2] \int d\omega_1 d\omega_2 |C(\omega_1, \omega_2, \mu)|^2 \\
 & \times \int dk_n^+ dk_{\bar{n}}^- \underbrace{B_n^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_1, k_n^+, b_\perp, \mu)}_{\substack{\text{n-collinear} \\ \text{iBF}}} \underbrace{B_{\bar{n}\alpha\beta}(\omega_2, k_{\bar{n}}^-, b_\perp, \mu)}_{\substack{\text{bn-collinear} \\ \text{iBF}}} \underbrace{\mathcal{S}(\omega_1 - p_h^- - k_{\bar{n}}^-, \omega_2 - p_h^+ - k_n^+, b_\perp, \mu)}_{\text{Soft}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hard
↓

- iBFs and soft functions field-theoretically defined as the fourier transform of:

$$J_n^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_1, x^-, x_\perp, \mu) = \sum_{\text{initial pols.}} \langle p_1 | [g B_{1n\perp\beta}^A(x^-, x_\perp) \delta(\bar{\mathcal{P}} - \omega_1) g B_{1n\perp\alpha}^A(0)] | p_1 \rangle$$

$$J_{\bar{n}}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_1, y^+, y_\perp, \mu) = \sum_{\text{initial pols.}} \langle p_2 | [g B_{1n\perp\beta}^A(y^+, y_\perp) \delta(\bar{\mathcal{P}} - \omega_2) g B_{1n\perp\alpha}^A(0)] | p_2 \rangle$$

$$S(z, \mu) = \langle 0 | \bar{T} \left[\text{Tr} \left(S_{\bar{n}} T^D S_{\bar{n}}^\dagger S_n T^C S_n^\dagger \right) (z) \right] T \left[\text{Tr} \left(S_n T^C S_n^\dagger S_{\bar{n}} T^D S_{\bar{n}}^\dagger \right) (0) \right] | 0 \rangle.$$

Equivalence of Zero-Bin & Soft Subtractions

- Zero-bin iBF reproduces soft graphs. This is the equivalence of zero-bin and soft subtractions in SCET. (Stewart, Hoang; Lee, Sterman; Idilbi, Mehen; Chiu, Fuhrer, Kelly, Hoang, Manohar;...)

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes B_n \otimes B_{\bar{n}} \otimes S$$

Zero-bin Subtraction in order to avoid double counting the soft region. (Manohar, Stewart)

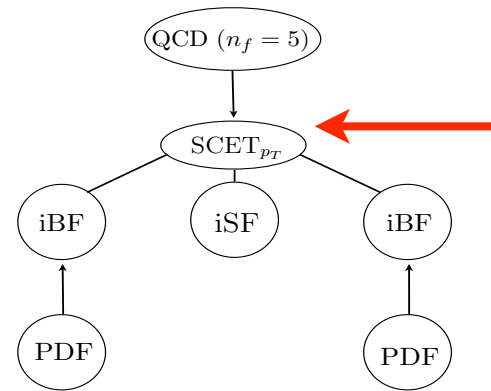
$$B_{n,\bar{n}}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega, k^\pm, b_\perp, \mu) = \tilde{B}_{n,\bar{n}}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega, k^\pm, b_\perp, \mu) - B_{\{n0,\bar{n}0\}}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega, k^\pm, b_\perp, \mu)$$

Purely Collinear iBF

“Naive” iBF

Zero-bin iBF
Equivalent to soft graphs

Factorization in SCET



$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$$

Hard function

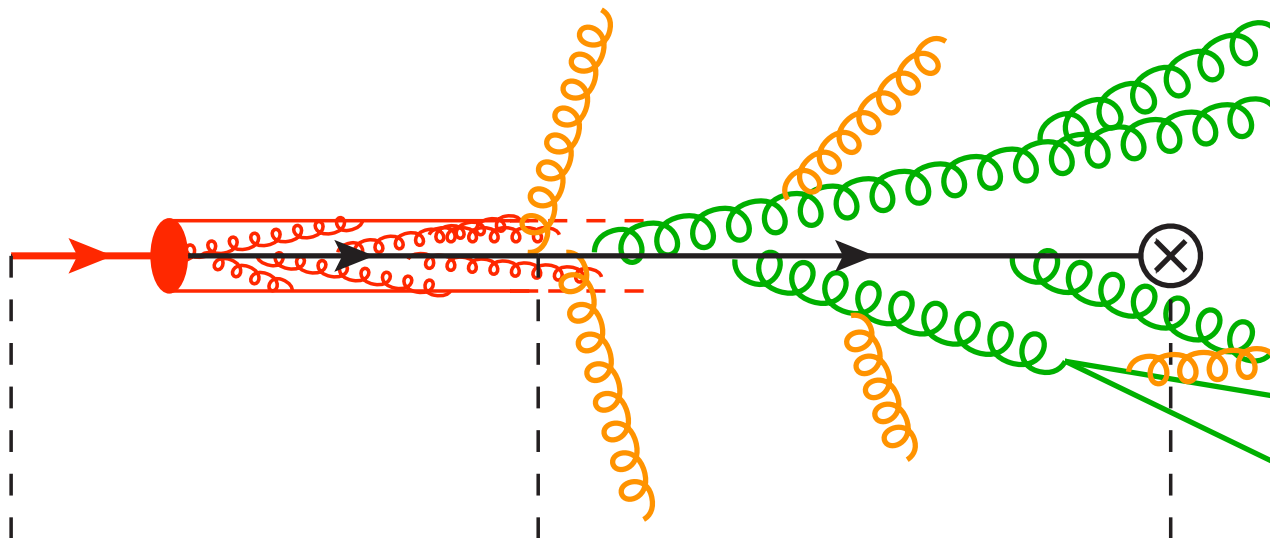
Impact-parameter Beam
Functions
(iBFs)

Inverse soft
function
(iSF)

Physics of hard scale.
Sums logs of m_h/p_T .

Describes collinear
 p_T emissions

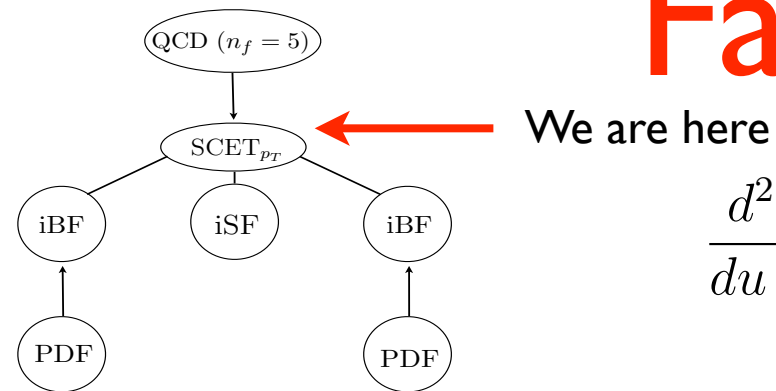
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Analogous factors and soft-subtractions also
appear in TMD-factorization formalism:
Drell-Yan, SIDIS

(J.C.Collins, F. Hautmann; X.-d.Ji,
J.P.Ma, F.Yuan; Belitsky; Aybat,
Rogers,...)

Factorization in SCET



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 &\times \int \frac{dx^- d^2x_\perp}{2(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{dy^- d^2y_\perp}{2(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{d^4z}{(2\pi)^4} e^{\frac{i}{2}k_n^+ x^- - i\vec{k}_n^\perp \cdot x_\perp} e^{\frac{i}{2}k_{\bar{n}}^- y^+ - i\vec{k}_{\bar{n}}^\perp \cdot y_\perp} e^{ik_s \cdot z} \\
 &\times \delta(u - m_h^2 + Q\bar{n} \cdot p_h) \delta(t - m_h^2 + Qn \cdot p_h) \delta(\bar{n} \cdot p_h n \cdot p_h - \vec{k}_{h\perp}^2 - m_h^2) \\
 &\times \int d\omega_1 d\omega_2 |C(\omega_1, \omega_2, \mu)|^2 J_n^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_1, x^-, x_\perp, \mu) J_{\bar{n}\alpha\beta}(\omega_2, y^+, y_\perp, \mu) S(z, \mu) \\
 &\times \delta(\omega_1 - \bar{n} \cdot p_h - k_{\bar{n}}^- - k_s^-) \delta(\omega_2 - p_h^+ - k_n^+ - k_s^+) \delta^{(2)}(k_s^\perp + k_n^\perp + k_{\bar{n}}^\perp + k_h^\perp),
 \end{aligned}$$

Residual light-cone momenta
regulate spurious rapidity
divergences.

- iBFs and iSF are regulated by kinematics of the process and free of rapidity divergences.
- iBFs are fully unintegrated nucleon distributions instead of TMD pdfs.

Comparison with TMD factorization

- SCET formula with Impact Parameter Beam functions:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$$

- SCET version of formula with TMDPDFs

(Gao, Li, Liu)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2\sigma}{du dt} = & \sum_{qijKL} \frac{\pi F^{KL;q}}{4Q^4 N_c^2} \int d^2k_\perp \int \frac{d^2b_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\vec{b}_\perp \cdot \vec{k}_\perp} \delta[\omega_u \omega_t - \vec{k}_\perp^2 - M_z^2] H_Z^{KL;ijq}(\omega_u, \omega_t, \mu_Q; \mu_T) \\ & \times J_n^q(\omega_u, 0, b_\perp, \mu_T) J_{\bar{n}}^{\bar{q}}(\omega_t, 0, b_\perp, \mu_T) \underbrace{S_{qq}(0, 0, b_\perp, \mu_T)}_{\text{Soft function}} \end{aligned}$$

- Field-theoretic operator definitions for TMDPDFs and Soft function exist also in the traditional TMD formulation:

(Collins; Aybat, Rogers)

TMDPDF:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{F}_{f/P}^{\text{unsub}}(x, \mathbf{b}_T; \mu; y_P - y_B) \\ = \text{Tr}_C \int \frac{dw^-}{2\pi} e^{-ixP^+ w^-} \langle P | \bar{\psi}_f(w/2) W(w/2, \infty, n_B)^\dagger \frac{\gamma^+}{2} W(-w/2, \infty, n_B) \psi_f(-w/2) | P \rangle_{c, \text{No S.I.}} \end{aligned}$$

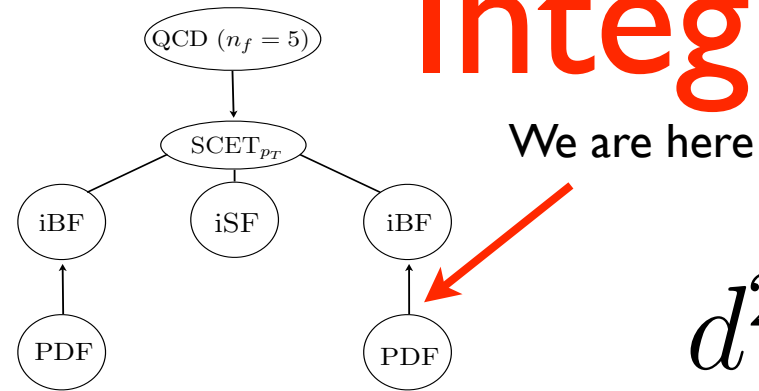
Soft function:

$$\tilde{S}_{(0)}(\mathbf{b}_T; y_A, y_B) = \frac{1}{N_c} \langle 0 | W(\mathbf{b}_T/2, \infty; n_B)_{ca}^\dagger W(\mathbf{b}_T/2, \infty; n_A)_{ad} W(-\mathbf{b}_T/2, \infty; n_B)_{bc} W(-\mathbf{b}_T/2, \infty; n_A)_{db}^\dagger | 0 \rangle_{\text{No S.I.}}$$

(Soft function and operator definitions absent in Becher-Neubert formula)

Perturbative pT

Integrating Out the pT Scale



$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$$

iBFs are proton matrix elements
and sensitive to the
non-perturbative scale

- The iBFs are matched onto PDFs to separate the perturbative and non-perturbative scales:

$$\tilde{B}_n = \mathcal{I}_{n,i} \otimes f_i,$$



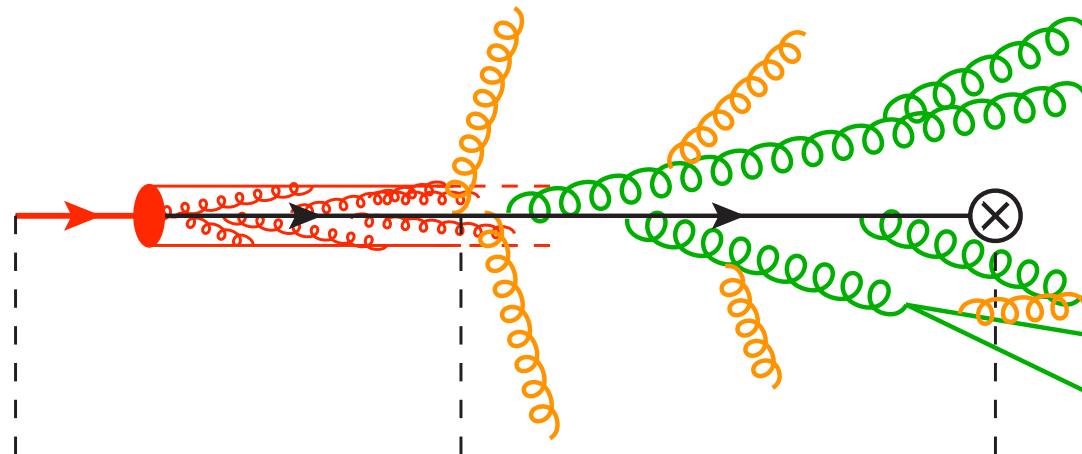
iBF



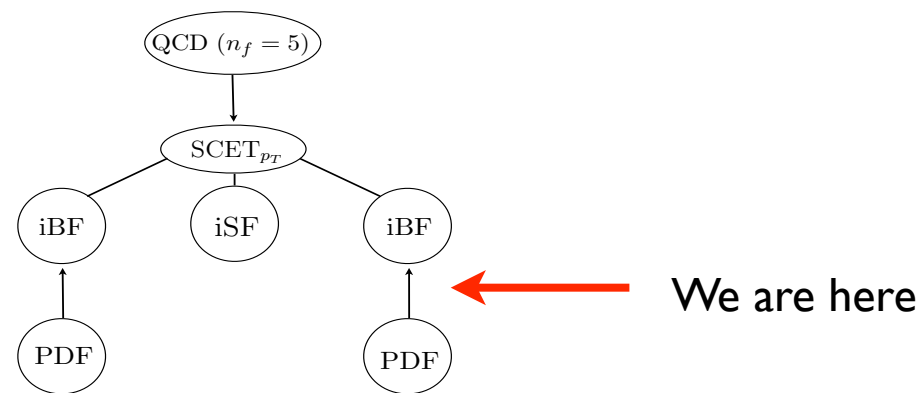
Matching
coefficient



PDF



iBFs to PDFs



- iBF is matched onto the PDF with matching coefficient defined as:

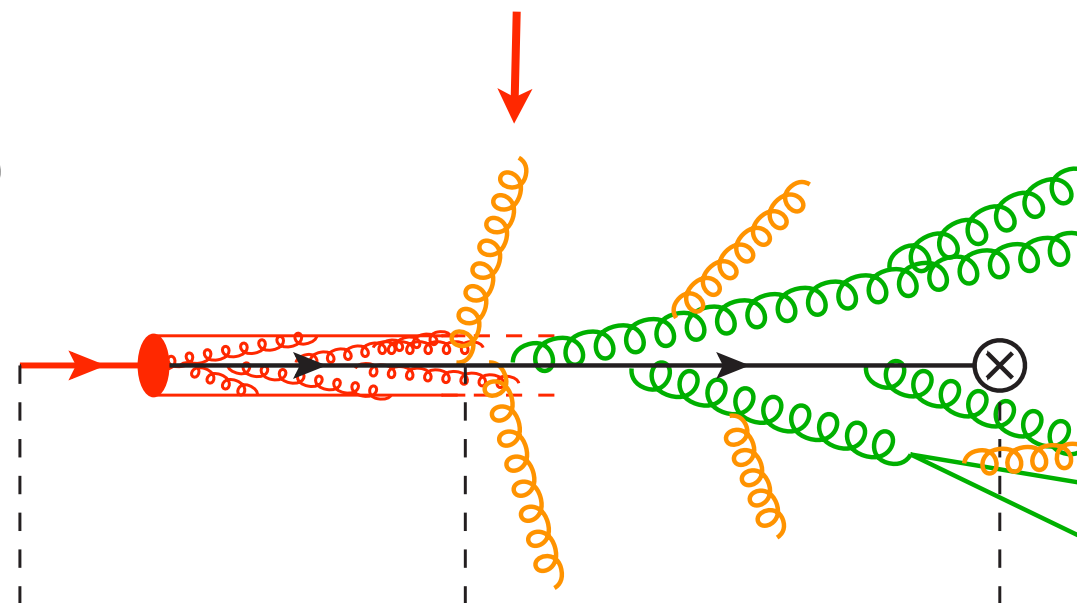
$$\tilde{B}_n^{\alpha\beta}(z, t_n^+, b_\perp, \mu) = -\frac{1}{z} \sum_{i=g, q, \bar{q}} \int_z^1 \frac{dz'}{z'} \mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}(\frac{z}{z'}, t_n^+, b_\perp, \mu) f_{i/P}(z', \mu)$$

Proton fragments into pT radiation beam jet

- Tree level matching

$$\mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{(0)\beta\alpha}(\frac{z}{z'}, t_n^+, b_\perp, \mu) = g^2 g_\perp^{\alpha\beta} \delta(t_n^+) \delta(1 - \frac{z}{z'})$$


- Finite part of iBF in dim-reg gives matching coefficient at higher orders.




Factorization Formula

- Factorization formula in full detail:



$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} = \frac{\pi^2}{4(N_c^2 - 1)^2 Q^2} \int_0^1 \frac{dx_1}{x_1} \int_0^1 \frac{dx_2}{x_2} \int_{x_1}^1 \frac{dx'_1}{x'_1} \int_{x_2}^1 \frac{dx'_2}{x'_2} \\ \times H(x_1, x_2, \mu_Q; \mu_T) \mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_1, x'_1, x_2, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) f_{i/P}(x'_1, \mu_T) f_{j/P}(x'_2, \mu_T)$$



Hard function.



Transverse momentum
function.

PDFs.

- The transverse momentum function is a convolution of the iBF matching coefficients and the soft function:

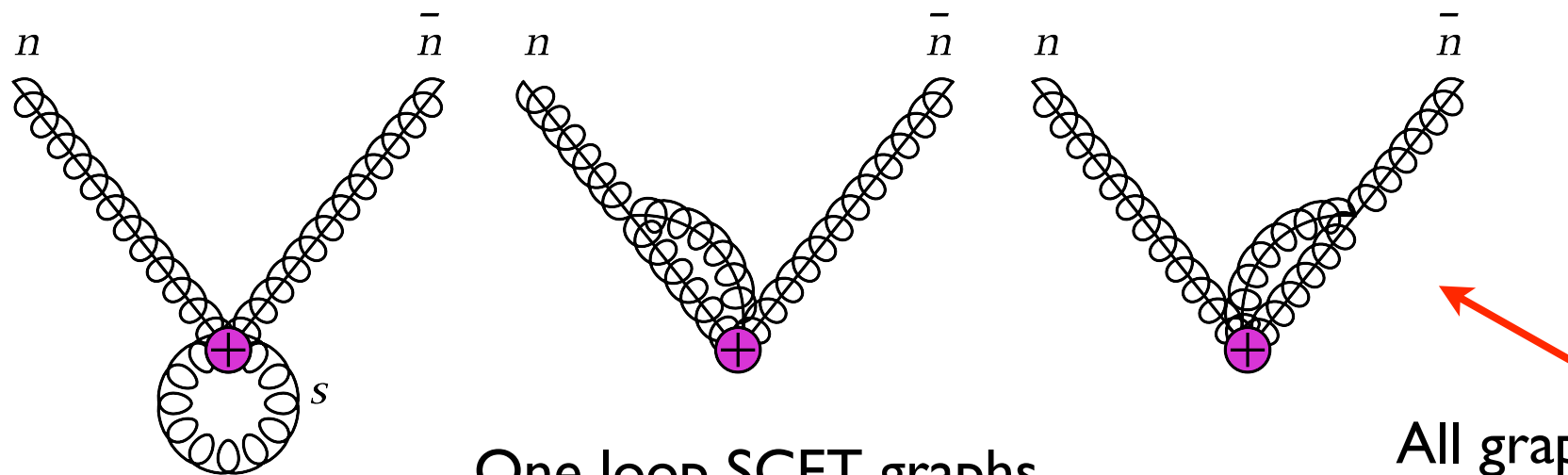
$$\mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_1, x'_1, x_2, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) = \int dt_n^+ \int dt_{\bar{n}}^- \int \frac{d^2 b_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} J_0(|\vec{b}_\perp| p_T) \\ \text{Collinear pT emissions} \longrightarrow \times \mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{\beta\alpha}\left(\frac{x_1}{x'_1}, t_n^+, b_\perp, \mu_T\right) \mathcal{I}_{\bar{n};g,j}^{\beta\alpha}\left(\frac{x_2}{x'_2}, t_{\bar{n}}^-, b_\perp, \mu_T\right) \\ \text{Soft pT emissions} \longrightarrow \times \mathcal{S}^{-1}\left(x_1 Q - e^Y \sqrt{p_T^2 + m_h^2} - \frac{t_{\bar{n}}^-}{Q}, x_2 Q - e^{-Y} \sqrt{p_T^2 + m_h^2} - \frac{t_n^+}{Q}, b_\perp, \mu_T\right)$$

Fixed order and Matching Calculations

Hard Function

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim \textcircled{H} \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$$

$$O_{QCD} = \int d\omega_1 \int d\omega_2 \textcircled{C(\omega_1, \omega_2)} \mathcal{O}(\omega_1, \omega_2)$$



All graphs scaleless and vanish in dimensional regularization.

- NLO hard Wilson coefficient:

$$C(\bar{n} \cdot \hat{p}_1 n \cdot \hat{p}_2, \mu) = \frac{c \bar{n} \cdot \hat{p}_1 n \cdot \hat{p}_2}{v} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} C_A \left[\frac{11}{2} + \frac{\pi^2}{6} - \ln^2 \left(-\frac{\bar{n} \cdot \hat{p}_1 n \cdot \hat{p}_2}{\mu^2} \right) \right] \right\}$$

- NNLO results known.

(Harlander, Kilgore; Anastasiou, Melnikov; Ravindran, Smith, Van Neerven; Ahrens, Becher, Neubert, Yang;)

Impact Parameter Beam Function (iBF)

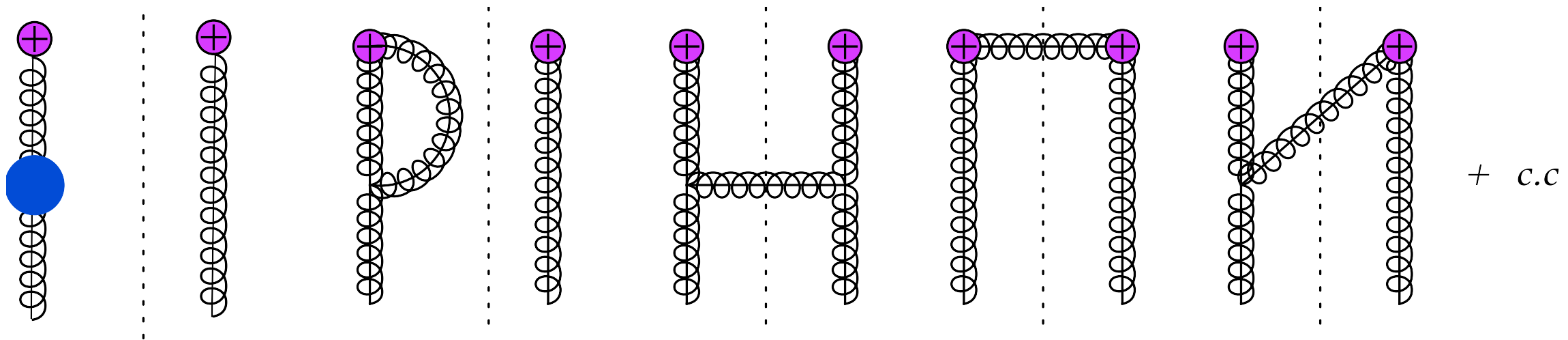
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“unintegrated Beam Function”
(perturbative region)

“unintegrated PDF”
(non-perturbative region)

- Field-theoretic operator definition:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{B}_n^{\alpha\beta}(x_1, t_n^+, b_\perp, \mu) = & \int \frac{db^-}{4\pi} e^{\frac{i}{2} \frac{t_n^+ b^-}{Q}} \sum_{\text{initial pols.}} \sum_{X_n} \langle p_1 | [g B_{1n\perp\beta}^A(b^-, b_\perp) | X_n \rangle \\ & \times \langle X_n | \delta(\bar{\mathcal{P}} - x_1 \bar{n} \cdot p_1) g B_{1n\perp\alpha}^A(0) | p_1 \rangle, \end{aligned}$$



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Inverse Soft function (iSF)

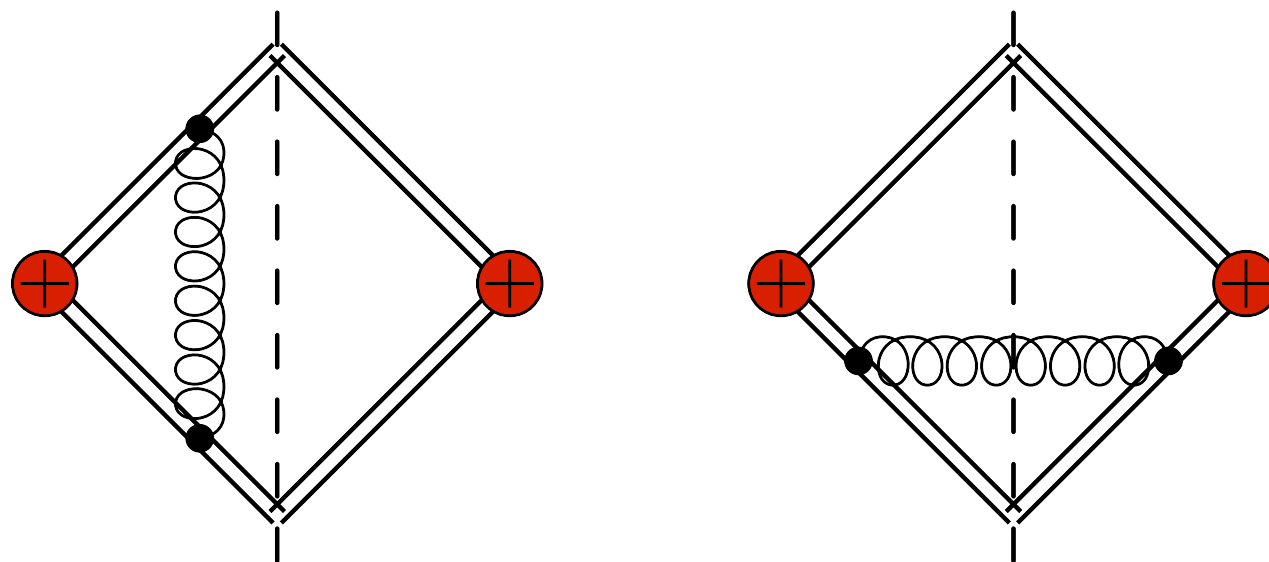
$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes \mathcal{S}^{-1}$$

- Field-theoretic operator definition in position space:

$$S(b, \mu) = \sum_{X_s} \langle 0 | \bar{T} \left[\text{Tr} \left(S_{\bar{n}} T^D Y_{\bar{n}}^\dagger S_n T^C S_n^\dagger \right) (b) \right] | X_s \rangle \langle X_s | T \left[\text{Tr} \left(S_n T^C S_n^\dagger S_{\bar{n}} T^D S_{\bar{n}}^\dagger \right) (0) \right] | 0 \rangle.$$

- iSF is defined as

$$\mathcal{S}^{-1}(\tilde{\omega}_1, \tilde{\omega}_2, b_\perp, \mu) = \int \frac{db^+ db^-}{16\pi^2} e^{ib^+ \tilde{\omega}_1/2} e^{ib^- \tilde{\omega}_2/2} S^{-1}(b^+, b^-, b_\perp)$$



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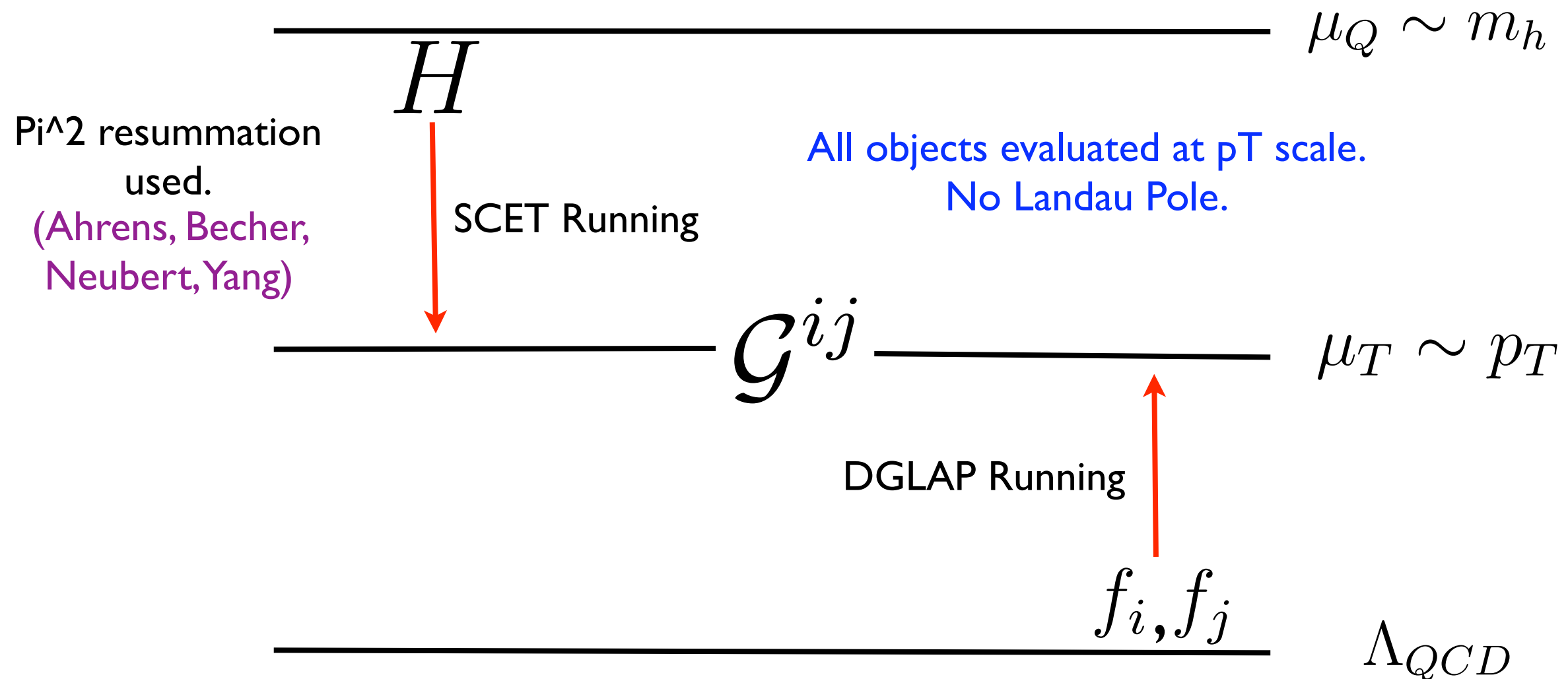
Running

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- Factorization formula:

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- Schematic picture of running:



Check of NLL with Fixed Order

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leading logarithmic : $\alpha_s^n L^{2n-1}$,

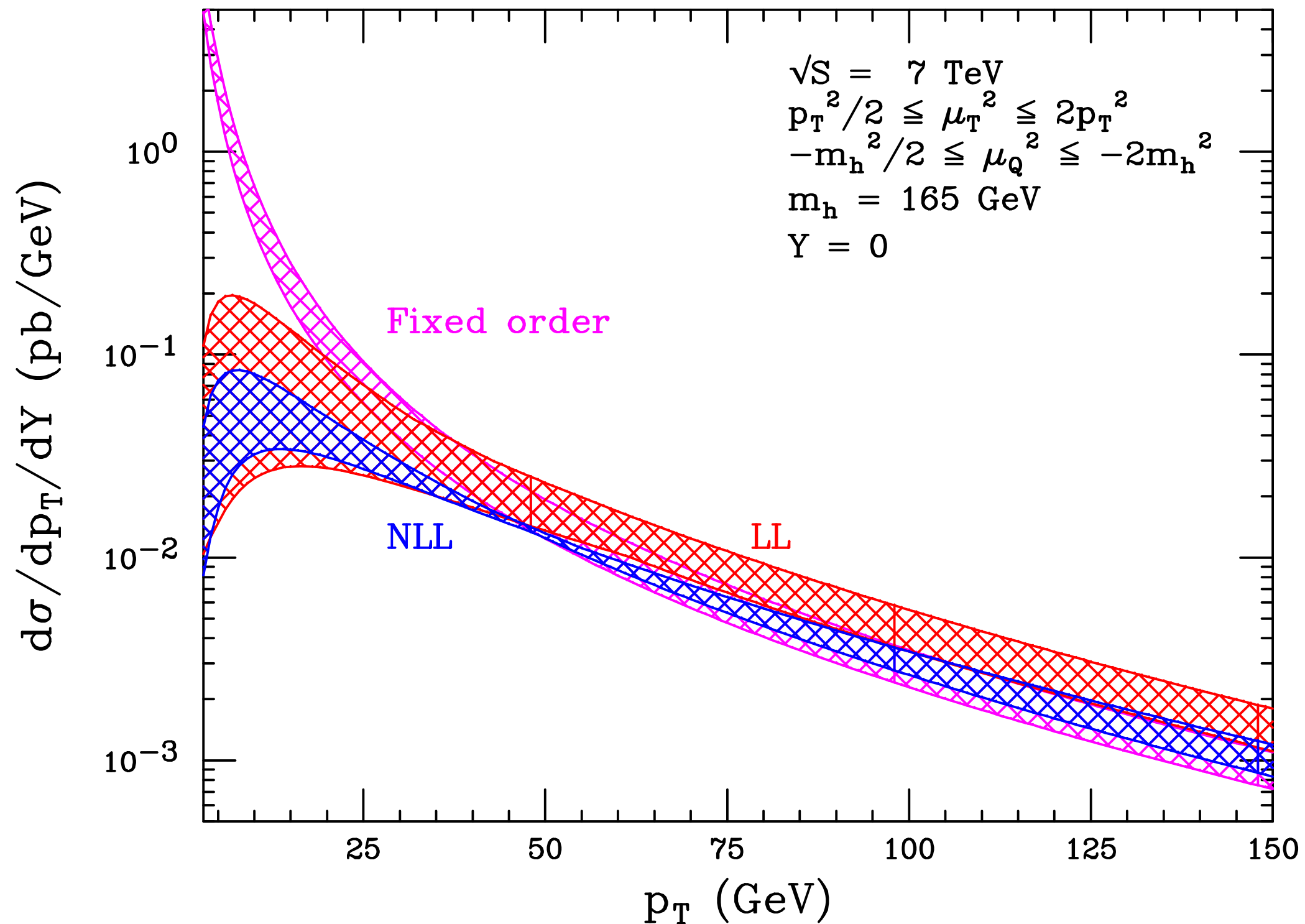
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|--|------|---|
| Checked | LL | ${}_1 D_1 = A^{(1)} f_A f_B,$ |
| | NLL | ${}_1 D_0 = B^{(1)} f_A f_B + f_B (P_{qq} \otimes f)_A + f_A (P_{qq} \otimes f)_B,$ |
| | LL | ${}_2 D_3 = -\frac{1}{2} [A^{(1)}]^2 f_A f_B,$ |
| | NLL | ${}_2 D_2 = -\frac{3}{2} A^{(1)} [f_B (P_{qq} \otimes f)_A + f_A (P_{qq} \otimes f)_B] - \left[\frac{3}{2} A^{(1)} B^{(1)} - \beta_0 A^{(1)} \right] f_A f_B,$ |
| Requires two loop iBF and iSF (in progress; Li, SM, Petriello) | NNLL | ${}_2 D_1 = \left\{ -A^{(1)} f_B (P_{qq} \otimes f)_A \ln \frac{\mu_F^2}{M_Z^2} - 2B^{(1)} f_B (P_{qq} \otimes f)_A - \frac{1}{2} [B^{(1)}]^2 f_A f_B \right.$ $\left. + \frac{\beta_0}{2} A^{(1)} f_A f_B \ln \frac{\mu_R^2}{M_Z^2} + \frac{\beta_0}{2} B^{(1)} f_A f_B - (P_{qq} \otimes f)_A (P_{qq} \otimes f)_B \right.$ $\left. - f_B (P_{qq} \otimes P_{qq} \otimes f)_A + \beta_0 f_B (P_{qq} \otimes f)_A \right\} + [A \leftrightarrow B].$ |

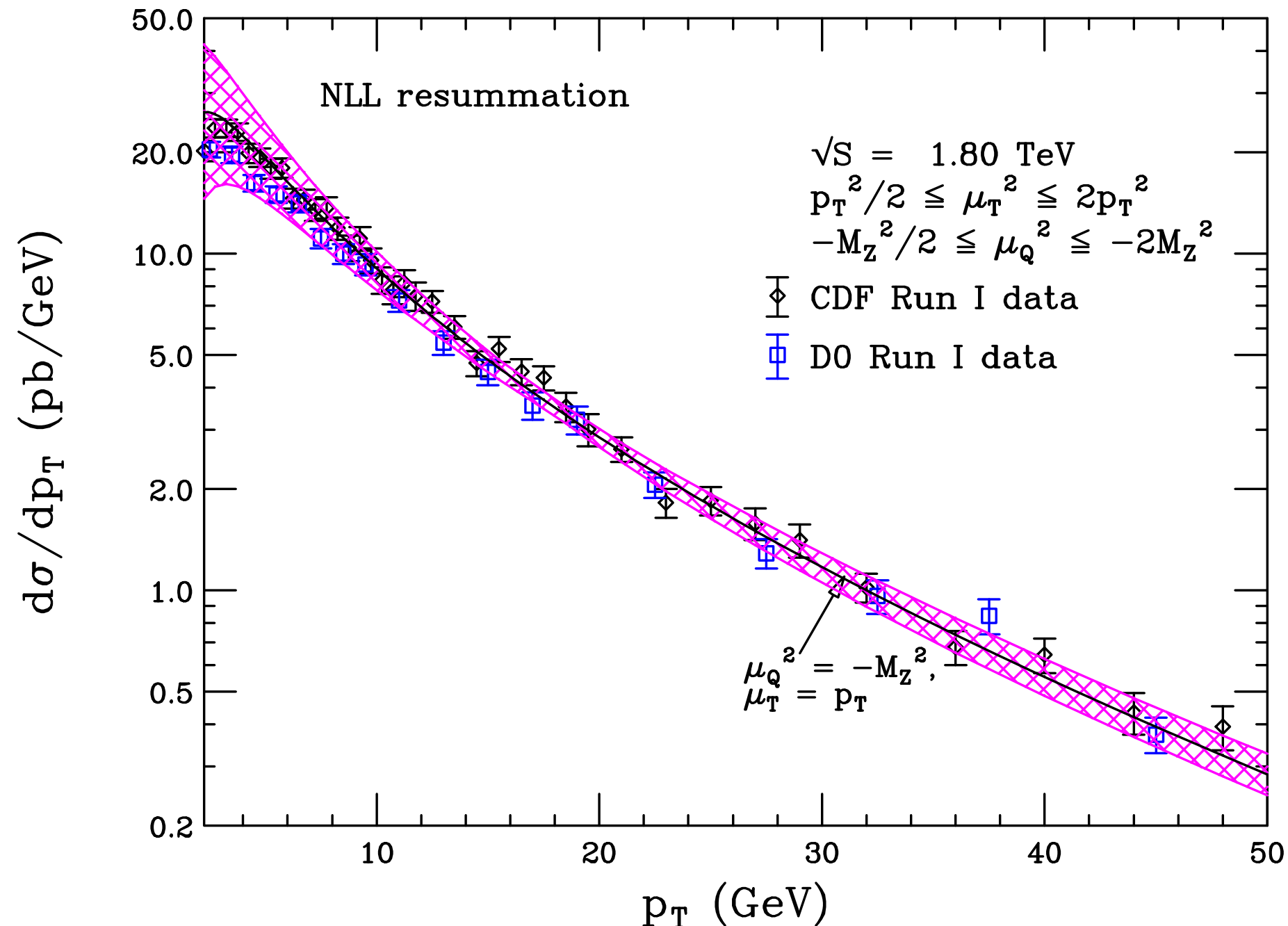
Numerical Results

Higgs pT Distribution



- Prediction for Higgs boson pT distribution.

Z-production: Comparison with Data

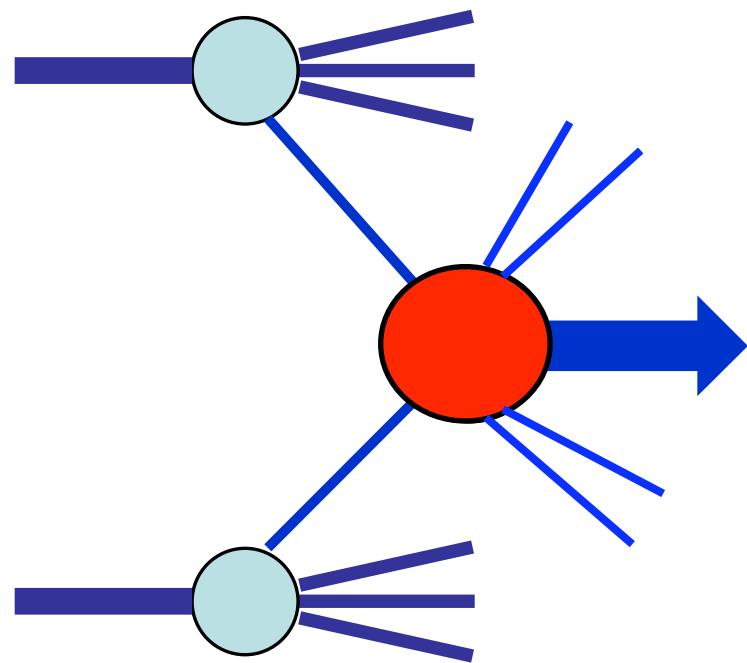


- Good agreement with data.
- Theory curve determined completely by perturbative functions and standard PDFs.

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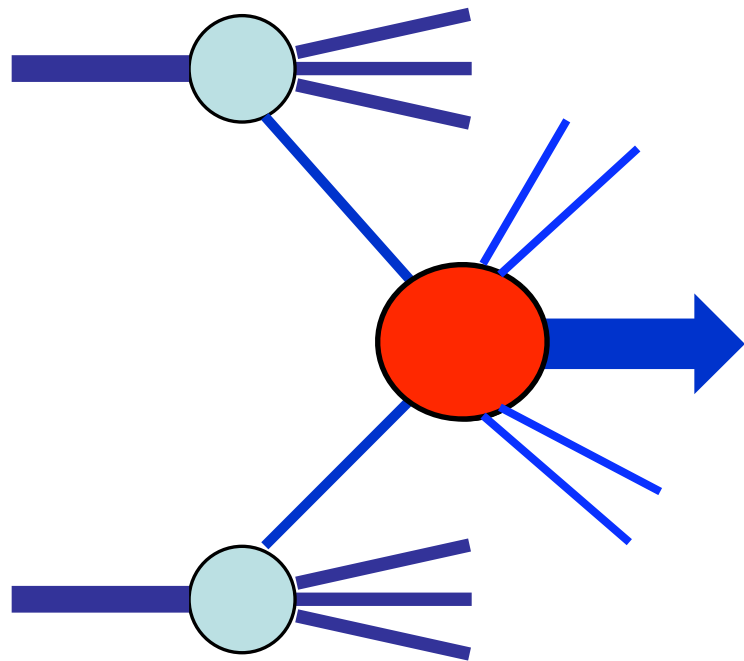
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- Soft factor can be absorbed into iBFs.
This is usually done in the TMDPDF formalism.

Unintegrated nucleon
distribution amplitudes
(iBFs)

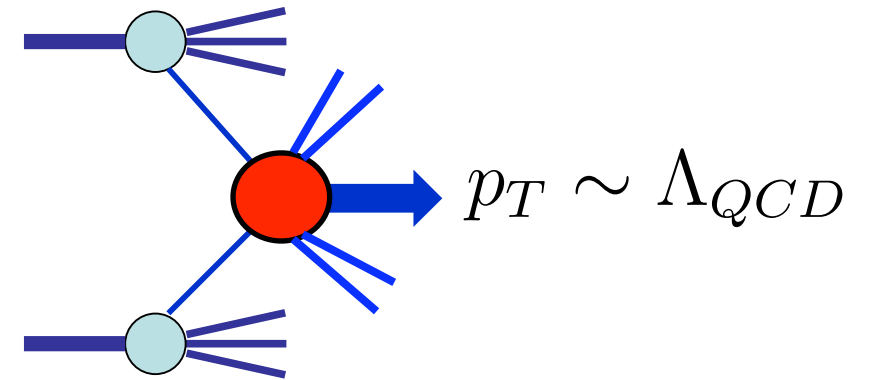
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Inverse Soft function
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- In order to smoothly connect non-perturbative and perturbative regions, we still write

$$\tilde{B}_n = \mathcal{I}_{n,i} \otimes f_i,$$

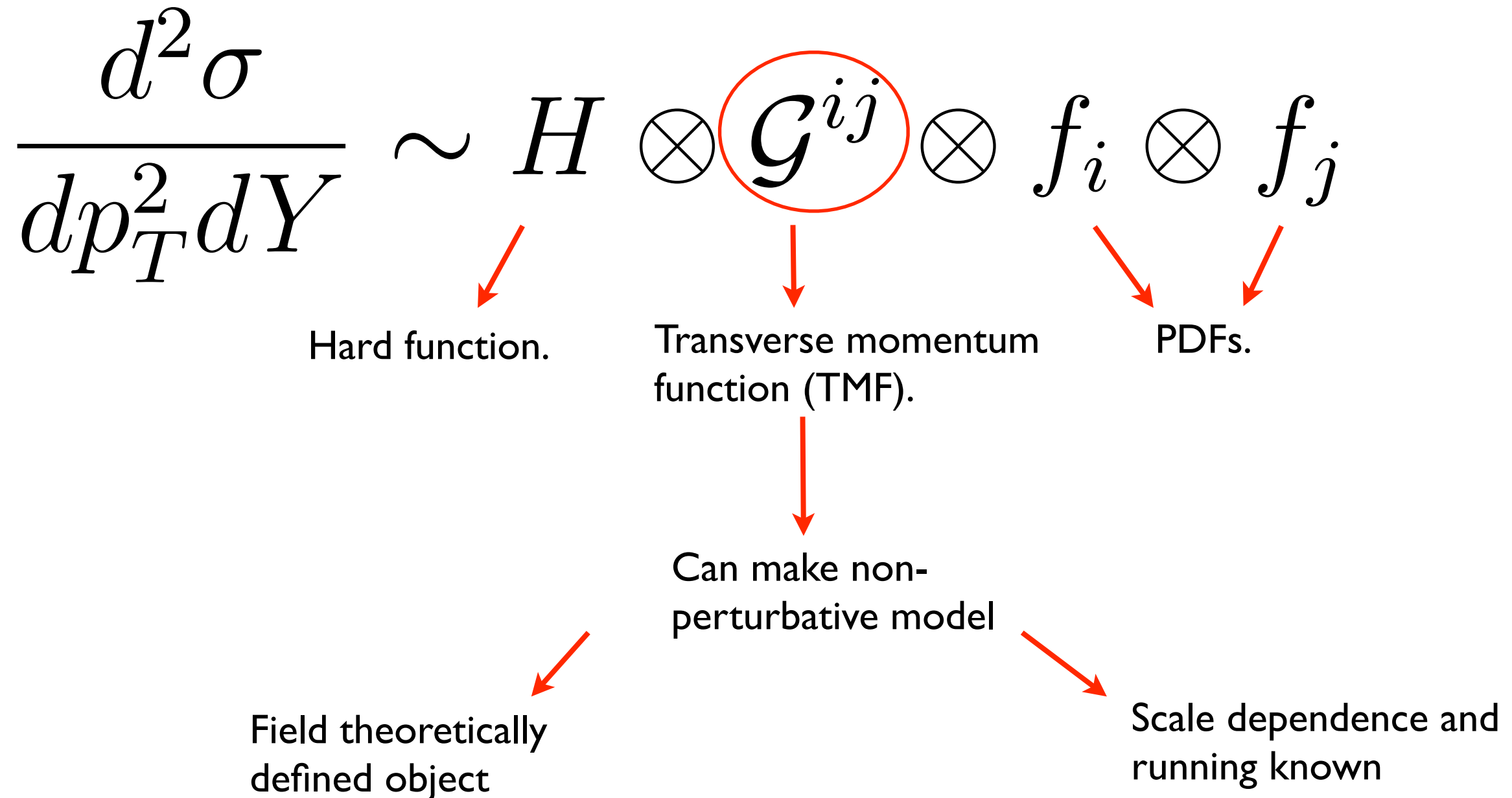

non-
perturbative

$$\tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} = \mathcal{I}_{\bar{n},j} \otimes f_j$$


non-
perturbative

Non-Perturbative pT Region

- Transverse momentum function (TMF) is now non-perturbative



Model for Non-Perturbative TMF

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \mathcal{G}^{ij} \otimes f_i \otimes f_j$$

$$\mathcal{G}^{qrs}(x_1, x_2, x'_1, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) = \int_0^\infty dp'_T \mathcal{G}_{\text{part.}}^{qrs}(x_1, x_2, x'_1, x'_2, p_T \sqrt{1 + (p'_T/p_T)^2}, Y, \mu_T) \\ \times G_{\text{mod}}(p'_T, a, b, \Lambda),$$

Model function

Partonic function

(Hoang, Ligeti, Stewart, Tackmann)

- Model function:

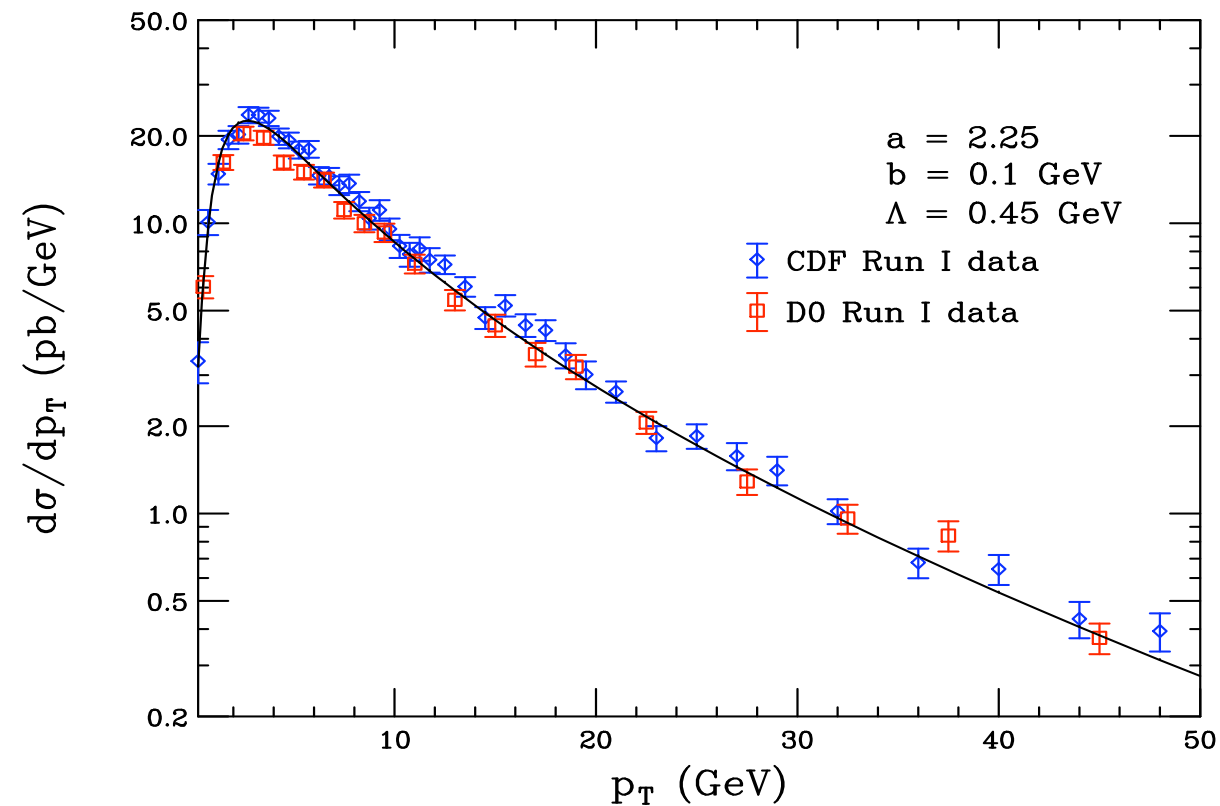
$$G_{\text{mod}}(p'_T, a, b, \Lambda) = \frac{N}{\Lambda^2} \left(\frac{p'^2_T}{\Lambda^2} \right)^{a-1} \exp \left[-\frac{(p'_T - b)^2}{2\Lambda^2} \right], \quad \int_0^\infty dp'_T G_{\text{mod}}(p'_T, a, b, \Lambda) = 1.$$

- Model reduces to the perturbative result for large pT:

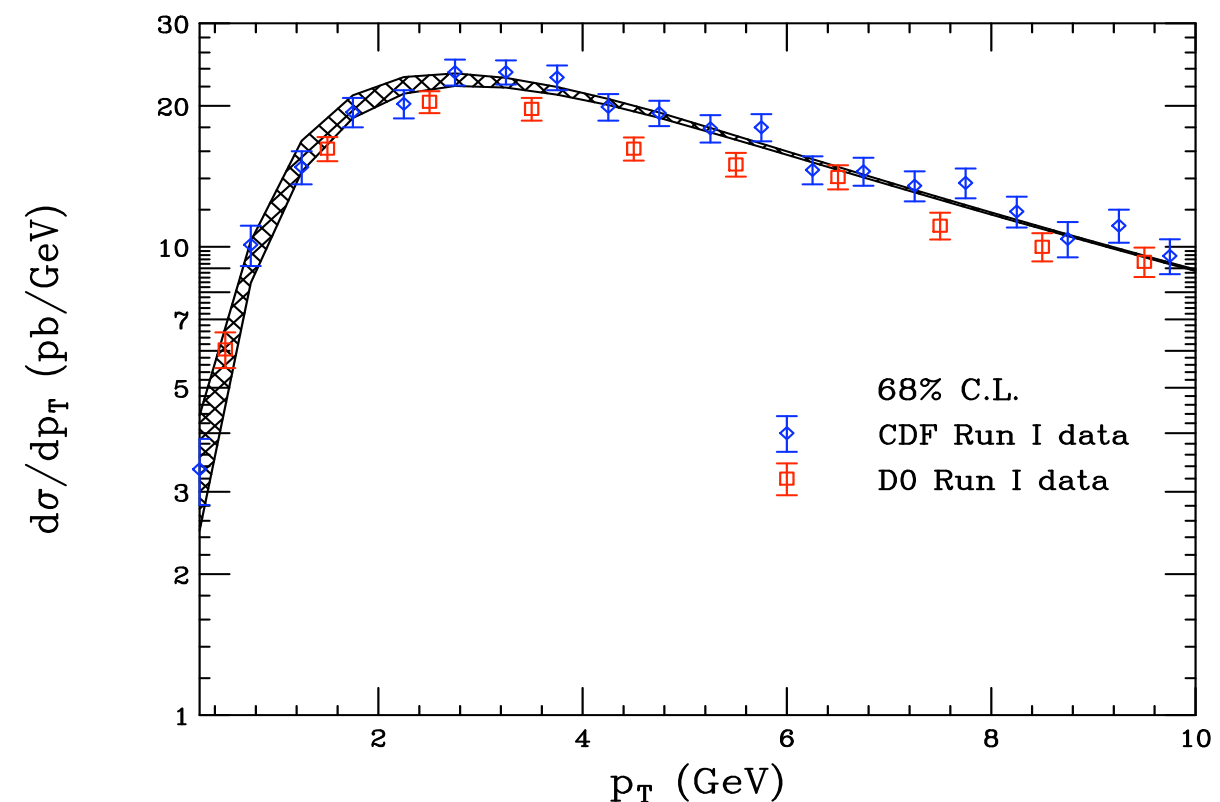
$$\mathcal{G}^{qrs}(x_1, x_2, x'_1, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) \Big|_{p_T \gg \Lambda_{QCD}} = \mathcal{G}_{\text{part.}}^{qrs}(x_1, x_2, x'_1, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\Lambda_{QCD}}{p_T}\right).$$

- Similar to analysis done in CSS with “bmax”.

Including the Non-Perturbative Region



- p_T spectrum including the non-perturbative region



- Model dependence restricted only to non-perturbative region as expected.

Summary

- Factorization formula:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \mathcal{G}^{ij} \otimes f_i \otimes f_j$$

- Perturbative pT distribution given in terms of perturbatively calculable functions and the standard PDFs.
- Non-perturbative pT region determined by unintegrated nucleon distributions (iBFs) and inverse soft function (iSF). Interesting objects worth further study; better understand relationship to the TMDPDF formalism
- Smooth transition for spectrum from non-perturbative pT to perturbative pT and large pT.
- Clear and well-defined field theoretic definitions of all objects in the factorization theorem.

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- One can express the formula entirely in momentum space:

$$\mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_1, x'_1, x_2, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int dt_n^+ \int dt_{\bar{n}}^- \int d^2k_n^\perp \int d^2k_{\bar{n}}^\perp \int d^2k_s^\perp \frac{\delta(p_T - |\vec{k}_n^\perp + \vec{k}_{\bar{n}}^\perp + \vec{k}_s^\perp|)}{p_T} \\ \times \mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{\beta\alpha}\left(\frac{x_1}{x'_1}, t_n^+, k_n^\perp, \mu_T\right) \mathcal{I}_{\bar{n};g,j}^{\beta\alpha}\left(\frac{x_2}{x'_2}, t_{\bar{n}}^-, k_{\bar{n}}^\perp, \mu_T\right) \\ \times \mathcal{S}^{-1}\left(x_1 Q - e^Y \sqrt{p_T^2 + m_h^2} - \frac{t_{\bar{n}}^-}{Q}, x_2 Q - e^{-Y} \sqrt{p_T^2 + m_h^2} - \frac{t_n^+}{Q}, k_s^\perp, \mu_T\right)$$

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