EIC Yellow report activities in Jet and Heavy Flavor from Stony Brook University

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- Our Interest : Jet (Event) substructure
 - as it changes as a function of polarization
 - the effect of nuclear medium
 - emergence of jets as a function of CM energy
 - exploring the advantages of using observables in the Breit Frame

- Currently using event generators like PYTHIA-6/8, BeAGLE
 - Jet reconstruction using FASTJET

Jets Substructure/Spin dependent fragmentation inside jets – some ideas

- Reconstructing jets in Breit frame (referencing the photon)
- Tagging jets from struck quark (final-state radiation, FSR), initial-state radiation (ISR), and spectator (forward), and their correlations
- Tagging jet polarization using IRC safe observables, relating them to Collins and Sivers functions
- Tagging spectator jets to constrain the hard process and Parton distribution function
- Tagging photons within jets
- Constraining target fragmentation

And relevance of nuclei in studying these

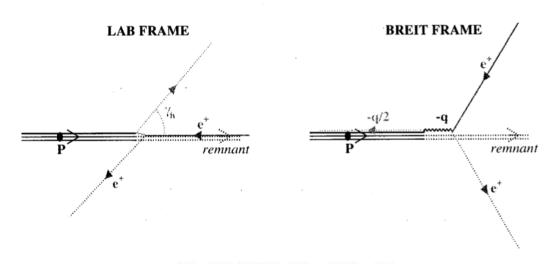
Jet substructure in ep

Jet reconstruction at generator level

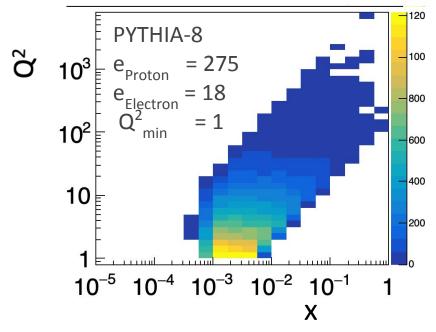
- Pythia-8 vs. Pythia-6
- Jets in Breit frame struck parton and proton remnant are in opposite directions
- Jets grooming

Using eic smear

- acceptance and efficiencies at forward rapidity
- eA can be used for same set of studies



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Jets in eA - effect of the nuclear medium

 Using BeAGLE event generator, compare observables across different systems and energies :

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e (10, 18) + Au (100) e (10, 18) + C (100) e (10, 18) + d (100)
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- Precision measurement of neutron PDF by tagging forward proton
- Insight into the nuclear structure relation between impact parameter and jet characteristics
- Definition of jets in a traditional sense as we vary the CM energy
- Interaction between forward jets and beam remnants (effect of spectator on hard processes)