

Implementation of the Goloskokov-Kroll model pseudoscalar meson production in PARTONS

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Goloskokov-Kroll Model

- Factorization for electroproduction of mesons has been proven only for longitudinally polarized photons [Collins-Frankfurt-Strikman '97]
- For transversely polarized photons, cross section is power suppressed by $1/Q$ [Collins-Frankfurt-Strikman '97]
- But in some kinematics, it is apparent that transversely polarized photons contributes substantially [HERMES Collaboration, arXiv:0907.2596[hep-ex]]

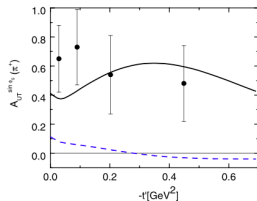


Fig. 2 (Color online) The $\sin \phi_S$ moment for a transversely polarized target at $Q^2 \simeq 2.45 \text{ GeV}^2$ and $W = 3.99 \text{ GeV}$. The prediction from our handbag approach is shown as a *solid line*. The *dashed line* is obtained disregarding the twist-3 contribution. Data are taken from [10]

Figure: [Goloskokov-Kroll '10]

- Contributions from transversely polarized photons can be computed as a twist-3 effect in the handbag mechanism [Goloskokov-Kroll '10]
- In pseudoscalar meson production, the following amplitudes are relevant in GK model

$$\mathcal{M}_{0+,0+} = \sqrt{1-\xi^2} \frac{e}{Q} [\langle \tilde{H} \rangle - \frac{\xi^2}{1-\xi^2} \langle \tilde{E} \rangle]$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{0-,0+} = \frac{e}{Q} \frac{-t'}{2m} [\xi \langle \tilde{E} \rangle]$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{0-,++} = \sqrt{1-\xi^2} e \langle H_T \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{0+,\mu+} = -\frac{e}{4m} \sqrt{-t'} \langle \bar{E}_T \rangle$$

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- Generically, $\langle F \rangle$ represents a convolution of a GPD F with an appropriate subprocess amplitude

$$\langle F \rangle = \sum_{\lambda} \int_{-1}^1 dx \mathcal{H}_{\mu'\lambda, \mu\lambda}(x, \xi, Q^2) F(x, \xi, t)$$

where λ denotes unobserved helicities of the partons.

- Subprocesses are calculated in the so-called modified perturbative approach: Transverse momenta of the quark and the anti-quark in the meson are kept and gluon radiations are taken into account through Sudakov factor
- GPDs appear in the following combination

$$F^0(x, \xi, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(e_u F^u(x, \xi, t) - e_d F^d(x, \xi, t) \right)$$

$$F^+(x, \xi, t) = F^u(x, \xi, t) - F^d(x, \xi, t)$$

- In impact space

$$\mathcal{H}_\pi = \int d\tau d^2\vec{b} \hat{\Psi}_\pi(\tau, -\vec{b}) \hat{\mathcal{F}}_\pi^i(\bar{x}, \xi, \tau, Q^2, \vec{b}) \alpha_s(\mu_R) \exp(-S(\tau, \vec{b}, Q^2))$$

- Hard scattering kernels has the following forms in momentum space

$$\mathcal{F}_{\pi^0}^q = \frac{N_c^2 - 1}{2N_c} \sqrt{\frac{2}{N_c}} \frac{Q}{\xi} \left[\frac{1}{k_\perp^2 + \tau(\bar{x} + \xi)Q^2/(2\xi) - i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{k_\perp^2 - \bar{\tau}(\bar{x} - \xi)Q^2/(2\xi) - i\epsilon} \right]$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{\pi^+}^q = \frac{N_c^2 - 1}{2N_c} \sqrt{\frac{2}{N_c}} \frac{Q}{\xi} \left[\frac{e_d}{k_\perp^2 + \tau(\bar{x} + \xi)Q^2/(2\xi) - i\epsilon} - \frac{e_u}{k_\perp^2 - \bar{\tau}(\bar{x} - \xi)Q^2/(2\xi) - i\epsilon} \right]$$

- A Gaussian meson wave function is used at twist-2

$$\Psi_\pi(\tau, \vec{b}) \sim \tau(1 - \tau) \exp\left[\frac{\tau(\tau - 1)}{4} \frac{\vec{b}^2}{a_\pi^2}\right]$$

- Sudakov factor has the form

$$S(\tau, b, Q) = s(\tau, b, Q) + s(\bar{\tau}, b, Q) - \frac{4}{\beta_0} \ln \frac{\ln(\mu_R/\Lambda_{QCD})}{\hat{b}}$$

where

$$s(\tau, b, Q) = \frac{8}{3\beta_0} \left(\hat{q} \ln\left(\frac{\hat{q}}{\hat{b}}\right) - \hat{q} + \hat{b} \right) + NLL$$

$$\hat{b} = -\ln(b \Lambda_{QCD})$$

$$\hat{q} = \ln(\tau Q / (\sqrt{2} \Lambda_{QCD}))$$

- Twist-3 meson wave function

$$\Psi_\pi(\tau, \vec{b}) \sim \exp\left[-\frac{\vec{b}^2}{8a_\pi^2}\right] I_0\left(\frac{\vec{b}^2}{8a_\pi^2}\right)$$

- GPDs are constructed from double distribution ansatz

$$F_i^a(\bar{x}, \xi, t) = \int_{-1}^1 d\rho \int_{-1+|\rho|}^{1-|\rho|} d\eta \delta(\rho + \xi\eta - \bar{x}) f_i^a(\rho, \eta, t)$$

where for valence-quark GPDs;

$$f_i(\rho, \eta, t) = \exp[(b_i - \alpha'_i \ln \rho)t] F_i^a(\rho, \xi = t = 0) \frac{3}{4} \frac{(1 - \rho)^2 - \eta^2}{(1 - \rho)^3} \Theta(\rho)$$

- Parameters of the forward limits

\tilde{H} : DSSV, [Phys. Rev. D **80**, 034030 \(2009\)](#)

H_T : ABM, [Phys. Rev. D **86**, 054009 \(2012\)](#) and DSSV, [Phys. Rev. D **80**, 034030 \(2009\)](#)

\tilde{E} : LHPC Collaboration, [Phys. Rev. D **77**, 094502 \(2008\)](#)

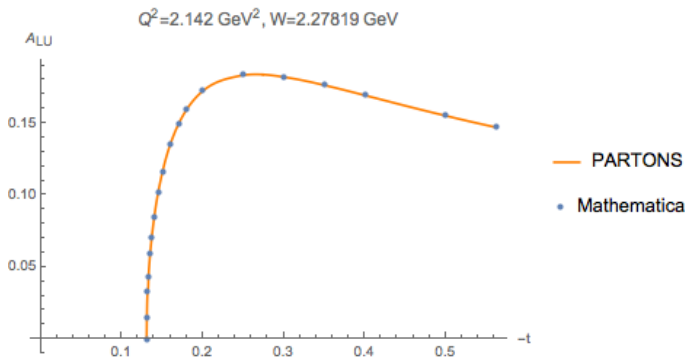
\bar{E}_T : QCDSF and UKQCD Collaborations, [Phys. Rev. Lett. **98**, 222001 \(2007\)](#)

- To compute the longitudinal cross section, we need:
Twist-2 meson wave function, kernel, running coupling, Sudakov factor and GPDs \tilde{H} and \tilde{E} .
- To compute the transverse cross section, we need:
Twist-3 meson wave function, kernel, running coupling, Sudakov factor and GPDs H_T and \tilde{E}_T .
- 3 dimensional integrals, over \bar{x}, τ and b , are performed in impact space
- π^+ electroproduction also receives a pion pole contribution, besides the handbag contribution

- $3D$ integrals are time consuming
- Standard integration routines take hours to compute an observable at a single point
- To speed up, we use VEGAS Monte Carlo integration implemented in gsl library
 - can choose number of evaluations
 - can choose χ^2 range
- As a result, an observable can be computed at a single point within a minute or two with a good accuracy

PARTONS vs. Mathematica

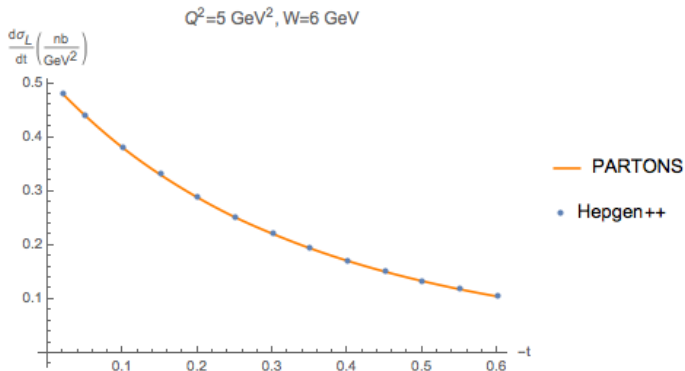
Comparison between PARTONS and Mathematica codes in π^+ electroproduction



PARTONS \approx 35 min, whereas Mathematica \approx 5 days

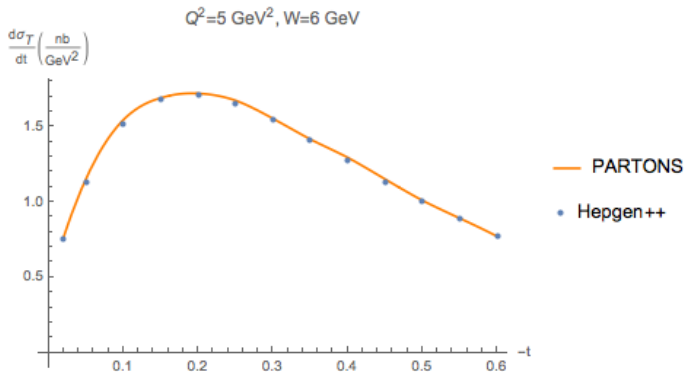
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