Some initial studies on diffractive jets

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Intro

- I will present some initial studies on diffractive jet production
- I plan to concentrate on the prospects of proton-tagged study (as opposed to the rapidity-gap-selection method).
- One of the motivations for me is to find out whether forward jets in particular (eta >3.0) probe interesting kinematics.

What would you gain optimizing acceptance and resolution of forward (eta 3.0-4.0) calorimetry?

High-x physics (inclusive DIS, electron-jet Sivers and others TMDs) Low-x physics (forward jets sensitive to BFKL dynamics) Spin physics (polarized photoproduction)

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Diffractive jets ??
(quark and gluon GPDs, saturation)
High-x pi0/eta SIDIS ??

Motivation (Slide by Y. Hatta at https://indico.bnl.gov/event/7200/)

Probing Wigner (GTMD) in diffractive dijet production

YH, Xiao, Yuan (2016), see also, Altinoluk, Armesto, Beuf, Rezaeian (2015)

Simulation

- Pythia8, standard hard diffractive configuration see <u>https://indico.cern.ch/event/777996/</u> <u>contributions/3377409/attachments/</u> <u>1826185/2988817/PythiaDownUnder</u> <u>IH.pdf</u> for details, tuning, etc.
- Q2<1.0 GeV2
- Jets reconstructed in the lab frame with anti-kT R=0.5.
- Jet pT>3 GeV and eta<3.5
- Energy: 18 GeV x 275 GeV

Fast simulation carried out by Delphes

• <u>Delphes configuration for EIC detector is available in: https://github.com/miguelignacio/delphes_EIC</u> Jet reconstructed with the energy-flow algorithm

Xpom and t distribution

Question for you: where can I find latest estimate for acceptance of the forward protons? Which t and xpom ranges should be considered realistic?

Cross section, mean pseudorapidity

Jet energy vs pseudorapidity

Truth level

Xpom and t distribution of forward jets

Correlation of these variables is rather weak with jet eta.

Reconstructed distributions

Response matrices

Next step is to quantify resolution vs energy or eta

Conclusion

- First steps towards looking at diffractive jets kinematics, and detector smearing effects
- Next steps are to identify impact of very forward jet configurations, and quantify resolutions.

