# Sudakov form factor from Markov property

Unitarity

P(``some emission'') + P(``no emission'')  $= P(0 < t \le T) + \bar{P}(0 < t \le T) = 1 .$ 

Multiplication law (no memory)

$$\bar{P}(0 < t \le T) = \bar{P}(0 < t \le t_1)\bar{P}(t_1 < t \le T)$$

### Sudakov form factor from Markov property

Unitarity

$$P(\text{``some emission''}) + P(\text{``no emission''})$$
 
$$= P(0 < t \le T) + \bar{P}(0 < t \le T) = 1 .$$

Multiplication law (no memory)

$$\bar{P}(0 < t \le T) = \bar{P}(0 < t \le t_1)\bar{P}(t_1 < t \le T)$$

Then subdivide into *n* pieces:  $t_i = \frac{i}{n}T, 0 \le i \le n$ .

$$\begin{split} \bar{P}(0 < t \le T) &= \lim_{n \to \infty} \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} \bar{P}(t_i < t \le t_{i+1}) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} \left( 1 - P(t_i < t \le t_{i+1}) \right) \\ &= \exp\left( -\lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} P(t_i < t \le t_{i+1}) \right) = \exp\left( -\int_0^T \frac{\mathrm{d}P(t)}{\mathrm{d}t} \mathrm{d}t \right) \end{split}$$

٠

#### Sudakov form factor

Again, no-emission probability!

$$\bar{P}(0 < t \le T) = \exp\left(-\int_0^T \frac{\mathrm{d}P(t)}{\mathrm{d}t} \mathrm{d}t\right)$$

So,

$$dP(\text{first emission at } T) = dP(T)\overline{P}(0 < t \le T)$$
$$= dP(T)\exp\left(-\int_0^T \frac{dP(t)}{dt}dt\right)$$

That's what we need for our parton shower! Probability density for next emission at *t*:

dP(next emission at t) =

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{S}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\,\exp\left[-\int_{t_{0}}^{t}\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{S}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\right]$$

Probability density:

dP(next emission at t) =

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{\mathrm{S}}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\,\exp\left[-\int_{t_{0}}^{t}\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{\mathrm{S}}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\right]$$

Conveniently, the probability distribution is  $\Delta(t)$  itself.

Probability density:

dP(next emission at t) =

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{S}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\,\exp\left[-\int_{t_{0}}^{t}\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{S}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\right]$$

Conveniently, the probability distribution is  $\Delta(t)$  itself. Hence, parton shower very roughly from (HERWIG):

- 1. Choose flat random number  $0 \le \rho \le 1$ .
- **2**. If  $\rho < \Delta(t_{\text{max}})$ : no resolbable emission, stop this branch.
- 3. Else solve  $\rho = \Delta(t_{\text{max}})/\Delta(t)$ (= no emission between  $t_{\text{max}}$  and t) for t. Reset  $t_{\text{max}} = t$  and goto 1.

Determine *z* essentially according to integrand in front of exp.

Probability density:

dP(next emission at t) =

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{S}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\,\exp\left[-\int_{t_{0}}^{t}\frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t}\int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}}\frac{\alpha_{S}(z,t)}{2\pi}\hat{P}(z,t)\mathrm{d}z\right]$$

Conveniently, the probability distribution is  $\Delta(t)$  itself.

- ► That was old HERWIG variant. Relies on (numerical) integration/tabulation for Δ(*t*).
- Pythia, now also Herwig++, use the Veto Algorithm.
- Method to sample *x* from distribution of the type

$$dP = F(x) \exp\left[-\int^x dx' F(x')\right] dx .$$

Simpler, more flexible, but slightly slower.

#### Parton cascade

Get tree structure, ordered in evolution variable *t*:



Here:  $t_1 > t_2 > t_3$ ;  $t_2 > t_{3'}$  etc. Construct four momenta from  $(t_i, z_i)$  and (random) azimuth  $\phi$ .

#### Parton cascade

#### Get tree structure, ordered in evolution variable *t*:



Here:  $t_1 > t_2 > t_3$ ;  $t_2 > t_{3'}$  etc. Construct four momenta from  $(t_i, z_i)$  and (random) azimuth  $\phi$ .

Not at all unique! Many (more or less clever) choices still to be made.

#### Parton cascade

#### Get tree structure, ordered in evolution variable *t*:



- *t* can be  $\theta$ ,  $Q^2$ ,  $p_{\perp}$ , ...
- ▶ Choice of hard scale *t*<sub>max</sub> not fixed. "Some hard scale".
- ► *z* can be light cone momentum fraction, energy fraction, ...
- Available parton shower phase space.
- Integration limits.
- Regularisation of soft singularities.

#### Good choices needed here to describe wealth of data!

. . .

- Only *collinear* emissions so far.
- ▶ Including *collinear+soft*.
- Large angle+soft also important.

- Only *collinear* emissions so far.
- Including collinear+soft.
- Large angle+soft also important.

Soft emission: consider *eikonal factors*, here for  $q(p+q) \rightarrow q(p)g(q)$ , soft *g*:

$$u(p) \not \in \frac{\not p + \not q + m}{(p+q)^2 - m^2} \longrightarrow u(p) \frac{p \cdot \varepsilon}{p \cdot q}$$

soft factorisation. Universal, *i.e.* independent of emitter. In general:

$$d\sigma_{n+1} = d\sigma_n \frac{d\omega}{\omega} \frac{d\Omega}{2\pi} \frac{\alpha_S}{2\pi} \sum_{ij} C_{ij} W_{ij} \quad ("QCD-Antenna")$$

with

$$W_{ij} = \frac{1 - \cos \theta_{ij}}{(1 - \cos \theta_{iq})(1 - \cos \theta_{qj})}$$

#### We define

$$W_{ij} = \frac{1 - \cos \theta_{ij}}{(1 - \cos \theta_{iq})(1 - \cos \theta_{qj})} \equiv W_{ij}^{(i)} + W_{ij}^{(j)}$$

with

$$W_{ij}^{(i)} = rac{1}{2} \left( W_{ij} + rac{1}{1 - \cos heta_{iq}} - rac{1}{1 - \cos heta_{qj}} 
ight) \; .$$

 $W_{ij}^{(i)}$  is only collinear divergent if  $q \| i$  etc.

#### We define

$$W_{ij} = \frac{1 - \cos \theta_{ij}}{(1 - \cos \theta_{iq})(1 - \cos \theta_{qj})} \equiv W_{ij}^{(i)} + W_{ij}^{(j)}$$

with

$$W_{ij}^{(i)} = \frac{1}{2} \left( W_{ij} + \frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta_{iq}} - \frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta_{qj}} \right)$$

٠

 $W_{ij}^{(i)}$  is only collinear divergent if  $q \| i$  etc . After integrating out the azimuthal angles, we find

$$\int \frac{d\phi_{iq}}{2\pi} W_{ij}^{(i)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{1 - \cos \theta_{iq}} & (\theta_{iq} < \theta_{ij}) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

#### That's angular ordering.

Radiation from parton *i* is bound to a cone, given by the colour partner parton *j*.



Results in angular ordered parton shower and suppresses soft gluons viz. hadrons in a jet.



#### Events with 2 hard (> 100 GeV) jets and a soft 3rd jet ( $\sim$ 10 GeV)



FIG. 14. Observed R distribution compared to the predictions of (a) HERWIG; (b) ISAJET; (c) PYTHIA; (d) PYTHIA+. tions of (a) HERWIG; (b) ISAJET; (c) PYTHIA; (d) PYTHIA+.

F. Abe et al. [CDF Collaboration], Phys. Rev. D 50 (1994) 5562.

Best description with angular ordering.

## Colour coherence from CDF

#### Events with 2 hard (> 100 GeV) jets and a soft 3rd jet ( $\sim$ 10 GeV)



F. Abe et al. [CDF Collaboration], Phys. Rev. D 50 (1994) 5562.

#### Best description with angular ordering.

#### Initial state radiation



Similar to final state radiation. Sudakov form factor (x' = x/z)

$$\Delta(t, t_{\max}) = \exp\left[-\sum_{b} \int_{t}^{t_{\max}} \frac{\mathrm{d}t}{t} \int_{z_{-}}^{z_{+}} \mathrm{d}z \frac{\alpha_{S}(z, t)}{2\pi} \frac{x' f_{b}(x', t)}{x f_{a}(x, t)} \hat{P}_{ba}(z, t)\right]$$

Have to divide out the pdfs.

Evolve backwards from hard scale  $Q^2$  *down* towards cutoff scale  $Q_0^2$ . Thereby increase *x*.



With parton shower we undo the DGLAP evolution of the pdfs.

# Exact kinematics when recoil is taken by spectator(s).

- Dipole showers.
- Ariadne.
- Recoils in Pythia.



Exact kinematics when recoil is taken by spectator(s).

- Dipole showers.
- Ariadne.
- Recoils in Pythia.
- New dipole showers, based on
  - Catani Seymour dipoles.
  - QCD Antennae.
  - Goal: matching with NLO.
- ► Generalized to IS–IS, IS–FS.



# Hadronization

#### Parton shower



#### Parton shower $\longrightarrow$ hadrons



- Parton shower terminated at  $t_0$  = lower end of PT.
- Can't measure quarks and gluons.
- Degrees of freedom in the detector are hadrons.
- Need a description of confinement.

Self coupling of gluons  $\leftrightarrow$  "attractive field lines"



Self coupling of gluons  $\leftrightarrow$  "attractive field lines"

Linear static potential  $V(r) \approx \kappa r$ .





Supported by lattice QCD, hadron spectroscopy.

Older models:

- Flux tube model.
- Independent fragmentation.

Today's models.

- Lund string model (Pythia).
- Cluster model (Herwig).

# Independent fragmentation



Feynman–Field fragmentation ('78).

- qq̄ pairs created from vacuum to dress bare quarks.
- ► Fragmentation function f<sub>q→h</sub>(z) = density of momentum fraction z carried away by hadron h from quark q.
- Gaussian  $p_{\perp}$  distribution.

# Independent fragmentation



Feynman–Field fragmentation ('78).

- qq̄ pairs created from vacuum to dress bare quarks.
- ► Fragmentation function f<sub>q→h</sub>(z) = density of momentum fraction z carried away by hadron h from quark q.
- Gaussian  $p_{\perp}$  distribution.
- Problems:
  - "last quark".
  - not Lorentz invariant.
  - infrared safety.
  - ▶ ...
- Good at that time.
- Still usefull for inclusive descriptions.

String model of mesons. L = 0 mesons move in yoyo modes. *Area law:*  $m^2 \sim$  area.



String model of mesons. L = 0 mesons move in yoyo modes. *Area law*:  $m^2 \sim$  area. Simple model for particle production in  $e^+e^-$  annihilation:



 $q\bar{q}$  pair as pointlike source of string.



String energy  $\sim$  intense chromomagnetic field.  $\rightarrow$  Additional  $q\bar{q}$  pairs created by QM tunneling.

$$\frac{\mathrm{dProb}}{\mathrm{d}x\mathrm{d}t}\sim\exp\left(-\pi m_q^2/\kappa\right)\qquad\kappa\sim1\,\mathrm{GeV}\;.$$



String breaking expected long before yoyo point.



Works in both directions (symmetry). Lund symmetric fragmentation function

$$f(z,p_{\perp}) \sim \frac{1}{z}(1-z)^a \exp\left(-\frac{b(m_h^2+p_{\perp}^2)}{z}\right)$$

 $a, b, m_h^2$  main adjustable parameters. Note: diquarks  $\rightarrow$  baryons.

gluon = kink on string = motion pushed into the  $q\bar{q}$  system.



gluon = kink on string = motion pushed into the  $q\bar{q}$  system. SYMMETRIC PARTON CONFIGURATION **CONNER** HADRONIZATION INDEPENDENT LUND FRAGMENTATION PICTURE

gluon = kink on string = motion pushed into the  $q\bar{q}$  system.



"String effect"
#### Some remarks:

Originally invented without parton showers in mind.

### Some remarks:

- Originally invented without parton showers in mind.
- Stong physical motivation.
- Very successful desription of data.
- Universal description of data (fit at e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup>, transfer to hadron-hadron).
- ▶ Many parameters, ~ 1 per hadron.
- Too easy to hide errors in perturbative description?

#### Some remarks:

- Originally invented without parton showers in mind.
- Stong physical motivation.
- Very successful desription of data.
- Universal description of data (fit at e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup>, transfer to hadron-hadron).
- ▶ Many parameters, ~ 1 per hadron.
- Too easy to hide errors in perturbative description?
- $\longrightarrow$  try to use more QCD information/intuition.

## Colour preconfinement

Large  $N_C$  limit  $\longrightarrow$  planar graphs dominate. Gluon = colour — anticolourpair



## Colour preconfinement

Large  $N_C$  limit  $\longrightarrow$  planar graphs dominate. Gluon = colour — anticolourpair



Parton shower organises partons in colour space. Colour partners (=colour singlet pairs) end up close in phase space.

 $\rightarrow$  Cluster hadronization model









Primary cluster mass spectrum independent of production mechanism. Peaked at some low mass.

Primary Light Clusters



Primary cluster mass spectrum independent of production mechanism. Peaked at some low mass.

Cluster = continuum of high mass resonances. Decay into well-known lighter mass resonances = discrete spectrum of hadrons.

No spin information carried over, i.e. only phase space.

Suppression of heavier particles (particularly baryons, can be problematic).

Cluster spectrum determined entirely by parton shower, i.e. perturbation theory. Hence,  $t_0$  crucial parameter.







- Only string and cluster models used in recent MC programs.
   Independent fragmentation only for inclusive observables.
- Strings started non-perturbatively, improved by parton shower.
- Cluster model started mostly on perturbative side, improved by string like cluster fission.

# **Hadronic Decays**

# Hadronic decays



# Hadronic decays



$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \bar{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \bar{\nu}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \bar{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \bar{v}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### EM decay.

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \overline{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \overline{v}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### Weak mixing.

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \overline{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \overline{\nu}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### Weak decay.

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \overline{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \overline{v}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### Strong decay.

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \bar{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \bar{\nu}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### Weak decay, $\rho^+$ mass smeared.

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \bar{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \bar{\nu}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### $\rho^+$ polarized, angular correlations.

$$B^{*0} \rightarrow \gamma B^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \overline{B}^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{-} \overline{\nu}_{e} D^{*+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} D^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow K^{-} \rho^{+}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$$

$$\hookrightarrow e^{+} e^{-} \gamma$$

#### Dalitz decay, $m_{ee}$ peaked.

Tedious. 100s of different particles, 1000s of decay modes, phenomenological matrix elements with parametrized form factors...

# Hadronic decays



# A few plots

- ▶  $e^+e^-$  → hadrons, mostly at LEP.
- Jet shapes, jet rates, event shapes, identified particles...
- 'Tuning' of parameters.
- ▶ Want to get *everything* right with *one* parameter set.
- Compare to literally 100s of plots.

#### Smooth interplay between shower and hadronization.



#### $N_{\rm ch}$ at LEP. Crucial for $t_0$ (Herwig++ 2.5.2)



Jet rates at LEP.

$$R_n = \sigma(n\text{-jets})/\sigma(\text{jets})$$
  
 $R_6 = \sigma(> 5\text{-jets})/\sigma(\text{jets})$ 

(Herwig++ 2.5.2)





Hadron Multiplicities at LEP (e.g.  $\pi^+$ ,  $\Lambda_b^0$ ).



 $p_{\perp}(Z^0) \rightarrow \text{intrinsic } k_{\perp} \text{ (LHC 7 TeV).}$ 



## Transverse thrust


#### not too hard, central $(30 < p_T/\text{GeV} < 40; 0 < |y| < 0.3)$



#### harder, more forward ( $80 < p_T/\text{GeV} < 110; 1.2 < |y| < 2.1$ )



#### W + jets, LHC 7 TeV.



Higher jets not covered by parton shower only  $\rightarrow$  matching.

# Multiple Partonic Interactions

(very sketchy)



















#### Mulitple hard interactions



Starting point: hard inclusive jet cross section.

$$\sigma^{\mathrm{inc}}(s;p_t^{\mathrm{min}}) = \sum_{i,j} \int_{p_t^{\mathrm{min}^2}} \mathrm{d}p_t^2 f_{i/h_1}(x_1,\mu^2) \otimes \frac{\mathrm{d}\hat{\sigma}_{i,j}}{\mathrm{d}p_t^2} \otimes f_{j/h_2}(x_2,\mu^2),$$

 $\sigma^{\text{inc}} > \sigma_{\text{tot}}$  eventually (for moderately small  $p_t^{\min}$ ).



Starting point: hard inclusive jet cross section.

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma}^{\mathrm{inc}}(s; p_t^{\mathrm{min}}) = \sum_{i,j} \int_{p_t^{\mathrm{min}^2}} \mathrm{d}p_t^2 f_{i/h_1}(x_1, \mu^2) \otimes \frac{\mathrm{d}\hat{\sigma}_{i,j}}{\mathrm{d}p_t^2} \otimes f_{j/h_2}(x_2, \mu^2) \,,$$

 $\sigma^{\text{inc}} > \sigma_{\text{tot}}$  eventually (for moderately small  $p_t^{\min}$ ).

Interpretation:  $\sigma^{\text{inc}}$  counts *all* partonic scatters that happen during a single *pp* collision  $\Rightarrow$  more than a single interaction.

$$\sigma^{\rm inc} = \bar{n}\sigma_{\rm inel}$$
.

Use eikonal approximation (= independent scatters). Leads to Poisson distribution of number *m* of additional scatters,

$$P_m(\vec{b},s) = \frac{\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)^m}{m!} e^{-\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)}$$

Then we get  $\sigma_{\text{inel}}$ :

$$\sigma_{\mathrm{inel}} = \int \mathrm{d}^2 ec{b} \sum_{m=1}^\infty P_m(ec{b},s) = \int \mathrm{d}^2 ec{b} \left(1 - \mathrm{e}^{-ec{n}(ec{b},s)}
ight) \;.$$

Use eikonal approximation (= independent scatters). Leads to Poisson distribution of number *m* of additional scatters,

$$P_m(\vec{b},s) = \frac{\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)^m}{m!} e^{-\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)}$$

Then we get  $\sigma_{\text{inel}}$ :

$$\sigma_{\text{inel}} = \int d^2 \vec{b} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} P_m(\vec{b},s) = \int d^2 \vec{b} \left(1 - e^{-\hat{n}(\vec{b},s)}\right) \,.$$

Cf.  $\sigma_{\text{inel}}$  from scattering theory in eikonal approx. with scattering amplitude  $a(\vec{b},s) = \frac{1}{2i}(e^{-\chi(\vec{b},s)} - 1)$ 

$$\sigma_{\text{inel}} = \int d^2 \vec{b} \left( 1 - e^{-2\chi(\vec{b},s)} \right) \qquad \Rightarrow \quad \chi(\vec{b},s) = \frac{1}{2} \bar{n}(\vec{b},s) \; .$$

 $\chi(\vec{b},s)$  is called *eikonal* function.

Stefan Gieseke · CTEQ School 2013

Calculation of  $\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)$  from parton model assumptions:

$$\begin{split} \bar{n}(\vec{b},s) &= L_{\text{partons}}(x_1, x_2, \vec{b}) \otimes \sum_{ij} \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &= \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{1+\delta_{ij}} \int dx_1 dx_2 \int d^2 \vec{b}' \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &\times D_{i/A}(x_1, p_t^2, |\vec{b}'|) D_{j/B}(x_2, p_t^2, |\vec{b} - \vec{b}'|) \end{split}$$

Calculation of  $\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)$  from parton model assumptions:

$$\begin{split} \bar{n}(\vec{b},s) &= L_{\text{partons}}(x_1, x_2, \vec{b}) \otimes \sum_{ij} \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &= \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{ij}} \int dx_1 dx_2 \int d^2 \vec{b}' \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &\times D_{i/A}(x_1, p_t^2, |\vec{b}'|) D_{j/B}(x_2, p_t^2, |\vec{b} - \vec{b}'|) \\ &= \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{ij}} \int dx_1 dx_2 \int d^2 \vec{b}' \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &\times f_{i/A}(x_1, p_t^2) G_A(|\vec{b}'|) f_{j/B}(x_2, p_t^2) G_B(|\vec{b} - \vec{b}'|) \\ &= A(\vec{b}) \sigma^{\text{inc}}(s; p_t^{\text{min}}) \; . \end{split}$$

Calculation of  $\bar{n}(\vec{b},s)$  from parton model assumptions:

$$\begin{split} \bar{n}(\vec{b},s) &= L_{\text{partons}}(x_1, x_2, \vec{b}) \otimes \sum_{ij} \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &= \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{ij}} \int dx_1 dx_2 \int d^2 \vec{b}' \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &\times D_{i/A}(x_1, p_t^2, |\vec{b}'|) D_{j/B}(x_2, p_t^2, |\vec{b} - \vec{b}'|) \\ &= \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{ij}} \int dx_1 dx_2 \int d^2 \vec{b}' \int dp_t^2 \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{dp_t^2} \\ &\times f_{i/A}(x_1, p_t^2) G_A(|\vec{b}'|) f_{j/B}(x_2, p_t^2) G_B(|\vec{b} - \vec{b}'|) \\ &= A(\vec{b}) \sigma^{\text{inc}}(s; p_t^{\text{min}}) \;. \end{split}$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \chi(\vec{b},s) = \frac{1}{2}\bar{n}(\vec{b},s) = \frac{1}{2}A(\vec{b})\sigma^{\rm inc}(s;p_t^{\rm min})$$

Stefan Gieseke · CTEQ School 2013

.



$$\Rightarrow$$
 Two main parameters:  $\mu^2, p_t^{\min}$ .

# Unitarized cross sections



# Colour reconnection at hadron colliders



- Colour preconfinement
- Shorten colour string/lower mass clusters.

# Colour reconnection at hadron colliders



- Colour preconfinement
- Shorten colour string/lower mass clusters.



**3-6 month** fully funded studentships for current PhD students at one of the MCnet nodes. An excellent opportunity to really understand the Monte Carlos you use!

Application rounds every 3 months.



for details go to: www.montecarlonet.org