

How does f change with scale μ ???

1 $d\tilde{f}$

DGLAP Evolution Equation

DIS

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NLO

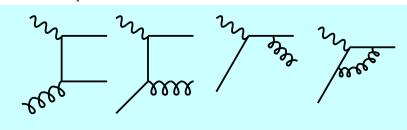
DIS at NLO



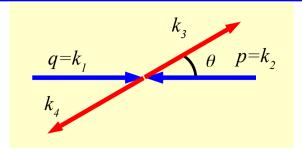
Sample NLO contributions to DIS

Electron

Proton





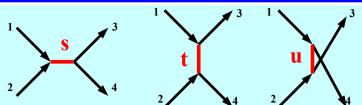


$$k_1 \equiv q^{\mu} = \left(\frac{s - Q^2}{2\sqrt{s}}, 0, 0, \frac{(s + Q^2)}{2\sqrt{s}}\right) - q^2 = Q^2 > 0$$

$$k_2 \equiv p^{\mu} = \left(\frac{s+Q^2}{2\sqrt{s}}, 0, 0, \frac{-(s+Q^2)}{2\sqrt{s}}\right)$$
 $p^2 = 0$

$$k_3^{\mu} = \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}(1, +\sin\theta, 0, +\cos\theta)$$
 $k_3^2 = 0$

$$k_4^{\mu} = \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2} (1, -\sin\theta, 0, -\cos\theta)$$
 $k_4^2 = 0$



$$s = (k_1 + k_2)^2 \equiv (k_3 + k_4)^2$$

$$t = (k_1 - k_3)^2 \equiv (k_2 - k_4)^2$$

$$u = (k_1 - k_4)^2 \equiv (k_2 - k_3)^2$$

$$s + t + u = m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_3^2 + m_4^2$$

{s,t,u} are partonic

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$$s = +Q^2 \frac{(1-x)}{x}$$
 $t = -Q^2 \frac{(1-z)}{2x}$ $u = -Q^2 \frac{(1+z)}{2x}$

Homework Part 2

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2n \cdot a} \qquad x \subset [0, 1]$$

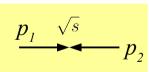
$$z \equiv \cos \theta$$
 $z \subset [-1, 1]$

Homework

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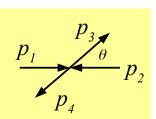
1) Let's work out the general $2\rightarrow 2$ kinematics for general masses.



a) Start with the incoming particles. Show that these can be written in the general form:

$$p_1 = (E_1, 0, 0, +p)$$
 $p_1^2 = m_1^2$
 $p_2 = (E_2, 0, 0, -p)$ $p_2^2 = m_2^2$

... with the following definitions:



$$E_{1,2} = \frac{\hat{s} \pm m_1^2 \mp m_2^2}{2\sqrt{\hat{s}}} \qquad p = \frac{\Delta(\hat{s}, m_1^2, m_2^2)}{2\sqrt{\hat{s}}}$$

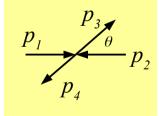
$$\Delta(a,b,c) = \sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2-2(ab+bc+ca)}$$

Note that $\Delta(a,b,c)$ is symmetric with respect to its arguments, and involves the only invariants of the initial state: s, m_1^2, m_2^2 .

b) Next, compute the general form for the final state particles, p, and p,. Do this by first aligning p, and p_4 along the z-axis (as p_1 and p_2 are), and then rotate about the y-axis by angle θ .

PROBLEM #2: Consider the reaction: $pp \to pp \ (12 \to 34)$ with CMS scattering angle θ . The CMS energy is $\sqrt{s} = 2 \, TeV$.

- a) Compute the boost from the CMS frame to the rest frame of #2 (lab frame)
- b) Compute the energy of #1 in the lab frame.
- c) Compute the scattering angle θ_{lab} as a function of the CMS θ and invariants.



Hint: by using invariants you can keep it simple. I.e., don't do it the way Goldstein does.

The power of invariants

Collinear Divergences

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$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 = \frac{s}{-t} + \frac{-t}{s} + \frac{2uQ^2}{st}$$

For the real 2→2 graph:

$$\simeq \frac{2(1-x)}{(1-z)} + \frac{2(1-z)}{(1-x)} + \frac{2x(1+z)}{(1-x)(1-z)}$$

Singular at z=1

$$z \to 1$$
, $\cos \theta \to 1$
 $\theta \to 0$, $t \to 0$



Collinear Singularity

Separate infinity, and subtract

Singular at x=1 $x \to 1$, $s \to 0$



Soft Singularity

Separate infinity, cancel with virtual graphs

The Plan

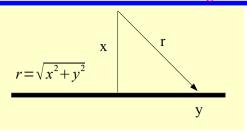
Soft Singularities

Plan Plan 1) Separate ∞ at z=1 1) Separate ∞ at x=1Looks like a PDF splitting 2) Cancel between Real and Virtual graphs 2) Subtract ... (should be part of PDF) function Method Method Need to regulate ∞ Need to regulate ∞ Choices Choices 1) Dimensional Regularization 1) Dimensional Regularization 2) Quark Mass 2) Gluon Mass 3) θ Cut 3) ...

Dimensional Regularization meets Freshman E&M

M. Hans, Am.J.Phys. 51 (8) August (1983). p.694 C. Kaufman, Am.J.Phys. 37 (5), May (1969) p.560 B. Delamotte, Am.J.Phys. 72 (2) February (2004) p.170

Regularization, Renormalization, and Dimensional Analysis: Dimensional Regularization meets Freshman E&M. Olness & Scalise, arXiv:0812.3578 [hep-ph]



$$dV = \frac{1}{4\pi \,\epsilon_0} \, \frac{dQ}{r}$$

$$\lambda = Q/y$$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dy \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \infty$$

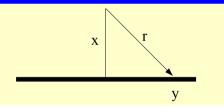
Note: ∞ can be very useful

Scale Invariance

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Cutoff Method

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$$V(kx) = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dy \frac{1}{\sqrt{(kx)^2 + y^2}}$$

$$= \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\left(\frac{y}{k}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y/k)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dz \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2}}$$

$$= V(x)$$

$$V(kx) = V(x)$$

Naively Implies: V(kx) - V(x) = 0

Note:
$$\infty + \mathbf{c} = \infty$$

 $\infty - \infty = 0$

How do we distinguish this from

$$\infty - \infty = c+17$$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-L}^{+L} dy \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \log \left[\frac{+L + \sqrt{L^2 + x^2}}{-L + \sqrt{L^2 + x^2}} \right]$$

V(x) depends on artificial regulator L

We cannot remove the regulator L

All physical quantities are independent of the regulator:

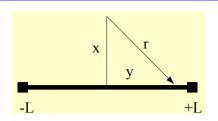
Electric Field

$$E(x) = \frac{-dV}{dx} = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 x} \frac{L}{\sqrt{L^2 + x^2}} \rightarrow \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0 x}$$

Energy

$$\delta V = V(x_1) - V(x_2) \xrightarrow[L \to \infty]{} \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \log \left[\frac{x_2^2}{x_1^2} \right]$$

Problem solved at the expense of an extra scale L **AND** we have a broken symmetry: translation invariance



Shift:
$$y \rightarrow y' = y - c$$

 $y=[+L+c, -L+c]$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_{-L+c}^{+L+c} dy \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \log \left[\frac{+(L+c) + \sqrt{(L+c)^2 + x^2}}{-(L-c) + \sqrt{(L-c)^2 + x^2}} \right]$$

V(r) depends on "y" coordinate!!!

In OFT, gauge symmetries are important. E.g., Ward identies Compute in n-dimensions

$$dy \to d^n y = \frac{d\Omega_n}{2} y^{n-1} dy$$

$$\Omega_n = \int d\Omega_n = \frac{2\pi^{n/2}}{\Gamma(n/2)}$$

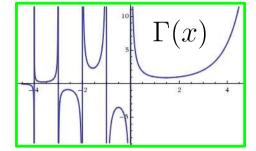
$$\Omega_n = \int d\Omega_n = \frac{2\pi^{n/2}}{\Gamma(n/2)}$$
 $\Omega_{1,2,3,4} = \{2, 2\pi, 4\pi, 2\pi^2\}$

 $V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int_0^{+\infty} d\Omega_n \frac{y^{n-1}}{\mu^{n-1}} \frac{dy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$

Each term is individually dimensionaless

 $n = 1 - 2\epsilon$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{\mu^{2\epsilon}}{x^{2\epsilon}} \frac{\Gamma[\epsilon]}{\pi^{\epsilon}} \right)$$



Why do we need an extra scale μ ???

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Dimensional Regularization

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$$dV = \frac{1}{4\pi \,\epsilon_0} \, \frac{dQ}{r}$$

$$\lambda = Q/y$$

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\,\epsilon_0} f(x)$$

All physical quantities are independent of the regulators:

Electric Field

$$E(x) = \frac{-dV}{dx} = \frac{\lambda}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{2\epsilon \mu^{2\epsilon} \Gamma[\epsilon]}{\pi^{\epsilon} x^{1+2\epsilon}} \right] \xrightarrow{\epsilon \to 0} \frac{\lambda}{2\pi \epsilon_0} \frac{1}{x}$$

Energy

$$\delta V = V(x_1) - V(x_2) \xrightarrow{\epsilon \to 0} \frac{\lambda}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \log \left[\frac{x_2^2}{x_1^2} \right]$$

Problem solved at the expense of an extra scale μ **AND** regulator ε

Translation invariance is preserved!!!

Dimensional Regularization respects symmetries

$$V \to \frac{\lambda}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \ln \left[\frac{e^{-\gamma_E}}{\pi} \right] + \ln \left[\frac{\mu^2}{x^2} \right] \right]$$

Original

$$V \to \frac{\lambda}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \ln \left[\frac{e^{-\gamma_E}}{\pi} \right] + \ln \left[\frac{\mu^2}{x^2} \right] \right]$$

MS

$$V \to \frac{\lambda}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \ln \left[\frac{e^{-\gamma_E}}{\pi} \right] + \ln \left[\frac{\mu^2}{x^2} \right] \right]$$

MS-Bar

Physical quantities are independent of renormalization scheme!

$$V_{\overline{MS}}(x_1) - V_{\overline{MS}}(x_2) = \delta V = V_{MS}(x_1) - V_{MS}(x_2)$$

But only if performed consistently:

$$V_{\overline{MS}}(x_1) - V_{\overline{MS}}(x_2) \neq \delta V \neq V_{\overline{MS}}(x_1) - V_{\overline{MS}}(x_2)$$

This was the potential from our "Toy" calculation:

$$V \to \frac{\lambda}{4\pi \epsilon_0} \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \ln \left[\frac{e^{-\gamma_E}}{1 \pi} \right] + \ln \left[\frac{\mu^2}{x^2} \right] \right]$$

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This is a partial result from a <u>real</u> NLO Drell-Yan Calculation: *Cf., B. Potter*

$$\frac{D(\epsilon)}{\epsilon} = \left(\frac{4\pi \mu^2}{Q^2}\right) \frac{\Gamma(1-\epsilon)}{\Gamma(1-2\epsilon)} \rightarrow \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon} + \ln\left[\frac{e^{-\gamma_E}}{4\pi}\right] + \ln\left[\frac{\mu^2}{Q^2}\right]\right]$$

Recap

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Regulator provides unique definition of V, f, ω

Cutoff regulator L:

simple, but does NOT respect symmetries

Dimensional regulator ε:

respects symmetries: translation, Lorentz, Gauge invariance introduces new scale μ

All physical quantities (E, dV, $\sigma)$ are independent of the regulator AND the new scale μ

Renormalization group equation: $d\sigma/d\mu=0$

We can define renormalized quantities (V,f,ω)

Renormalized (V,f,ω) are scheme dependent and arbitrary Physical quantities (E,dV,σ) are unique and scheme independent if we apply the scheme consistently **Apply**

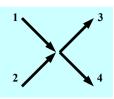
Dimensional

Regularization

to QFT

$$d\sigma = \frac{1}{2s} |\mathcal{M}|^2 d\Gamma$$

$$d\Gamma_i = rac{d^D k_i}{(2\pi)^D} \; (2\pi) \, \delta(k_i^2)$$
 1-particle



$$d\Gamma = d\Gamma_3 \, d\Gamma_4 \, (2\pi)^D \, \delta^D (k_1 + k_2 - k_3 - k_4)$$
 Final state

$$d\Gamma = \frac{1}{16\pi} \left(\frac{s}{16\pi}\right)^{-\epsilon} \frac{(1-z^2)^{-\epsilon}}{\Gamma[1-\epsilon]} dz$$

Final state

$$g \to g \, \mu^{\epsilon}$$

Enter, μ scale

$$d\Gamma = \frac{1}{16\pi} \, \left(\frac{16\pi\mu^2}{Q^2}\right)^{+\epsilon} \, \frac{1}{\Gamma[1-\epsilon]} \, \frac{x^\epsilon}{(1-x)^\epsilon} \, \frac{\text{All the pieces}}{(1-z^2)^{-\epsilon}} \, dz$$

#1) Show:

$$\frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3 2E} = \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} (2\pi) \delta^+(p^2 - m^2)$$

This relation is often useful as the RHS is manifestly Lorentz invariant

#2) Show that the 2-body phase space can be expressed as:

$$d\Gamma = \frac{d^3 p_3}{(2\pi)^3 2E_3} \frac{d^3 p_4}{(2\pi)^3 2E_4} (2\pi)^4 \delta(p_1 + p_2 - p_3 - p_4) = \frac{d\cos(\theta)}{16\pi}$$

Note, we are working with massless partons, and θ *is in the partonic CMS frame*

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Soft Singularities

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Soft Singularities



$$\frac{x^{\epsilon}}{(1-x)^{\epsilon}} \frac{1}{(1-x)} = \frac{1}{(1-x)_{+}} - \frac{1}{\epsilon} \delta(1-x)$$
From Soft Finite remainder space Singularity Finite remainder by virtual diagram

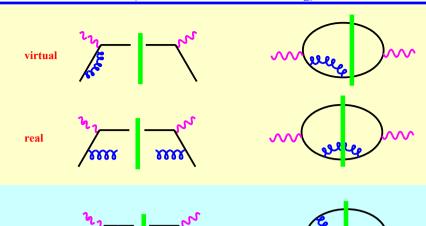
This only makes sense under the integral
$$\frac{f(x)}{(1-x)_{+}} = \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{(1-x)}$$

$$\int_0^1 dx f(x) \frac{x^{\epsilon}}{(1-x)^{1+\epsilon}} = \int_0^1 dx \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{(1-x)} - \frac{1}{\epsilon} \int_0^1 dx \, \delta(1-x) f(x)$$



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Collinear Singularities

Collinear Singularity

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How do we know what goes in ω and PDFs ???

Compute NLO Subtractions for a partonic target

 $\int_{-1}^{1} dz \, (1-z^2)^{-\epsilon} \, |\mathcal{M}|^2 \simeq -\underbrace{\frac{1}{\epsilon} \, \frac{(1+x^2)}{(1-x)}}_{\text{This looks like part of the PDF}} + \underbrace{\frac{1-4x+4(1+x^2) \, \ln 2}{2(1-x)}}_{\text{This is finite for } z=[-1,1]}$

... looks like a splitting kernel

Key Points

real

- 1) Subtract
- 2) This is defined by the scheme
- 3) Need to match schemes of $\,\omega$ and PDF ... MS, MS-Bar, DIS, ...
- 4) Note we have regulator ϵ and extra scale μ

for parton target

Basic Factorization Formula

$$\sigma = f \otimes \omega + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda^2/Q^2)$$

Higher Twist

At Zeroth Order:

$$\sigma^0 = f^0 \otimes \omega^0 + O(\Lambda^2/Q^2)$$

Use: $f^0 = \delta$ for a parton target.

Therefore: $\sigma^0 = f^0 \otimes \omega^0 = \delta \otimes \omega^0 = \omega^0$

$$\sigma^0 = \omega^0$$

Warning: This trivial result leads to many misconceptions at higher orders

Basic Factorization Formula

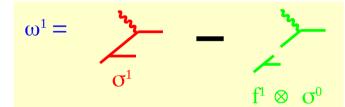
$$\sigma = f \otimes \omega + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda^2/Q^2)$$

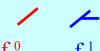
At First Order:

$$\sigma^{1} = f^{1} \otimes \omega^{0} + f^{0} \otimes \omega^{1}$$
$$\sigma^{1} = f^{1} \otimes \sigma^{0} + \omega^{1}$$

We used: $f^0 = \delta$ for a <u>parton</u> target.

Therefore: $\omega^1 = \sigma^1 - f^1 \otimes \sigma^0$





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 $f^1 \sim rac{lpha_s}{2\pi} P^{(1)}$

scheme choice

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Application of Factorization Formula at NLO

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HOMEWORK PROBLEM: NNLO WILSON COEFFICIENTS

Combined Result:

Complete NLO Term: ω^{-1}

$$\omega^{0} + \omega^{1} = \sigma^{0} + \sigma^{1} - f^{1} \otimes \sigma^{0}$$
TOT
$$LO \quad NLO \quad SUB_{Subtraction}$$

$$TOT = LO + NLO - SUB$$

Use the Basic Factorization Formula

$$\sigma = f \otimes \omega \otimes d + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda^2/Q^2)$$

At Second Order (NNLO):

$$\sigma^2 = f^2 \otimes \omega^0 \otimes d^0 + \dots$$
$$+ f^1 \otimes \omega^1 \otimes d^0 + \dots$$

Therefore:

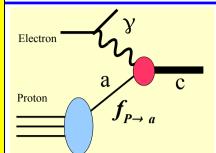
$$+f^1\otimes\omega^1\otimes d^0+\dots$$

 $\omega^2 = ???$

Compute ω^2 at second order. Make a diagrammatic representation of each term.

Include Fragmentation Functions d

Do we get different answers with different schemes???

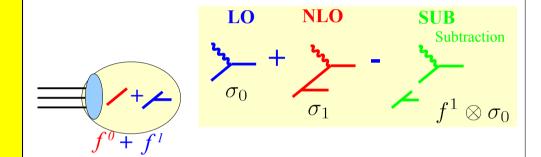


Parton Model

$$\sigma(Q^2) = f(\mu, \alpha_s) \otimes \widehat{\omega}(Q^2, \mu^2, \alpha_s)$$

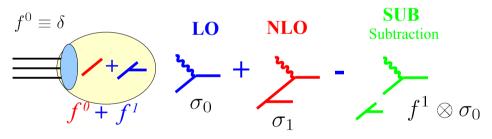
Evolution Equation

$$\frac{df}{\ln[\mu^2]} = P \otimes f$$



Pictorial Demonstration of Scheme Consistency

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$$\left[\delta+f^1
ight] \,\otimes\, \left[\sigma_0+\sigma_1-f^1\otimes\sigma_0
ight] \qquad f^1\sim rac{lpha_s}{2\pi}\,P^{(1)}$$

$$\sigma_0 + \sigma_1 + f^1 \otimes \sigma_0 - f^1 \otimes \sigma_0 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$$
 From NLO Subtraction From PDF Evolution and non-collinear region

P⁽¹⁾ defined by scheme choice

QCD is Bullet-proof Do we get different answers with different schemes???



NLO Theoretical Calculations:

Essential for accurate comparison with experiments

We encounter singularities:

Soft singularities: cancel between real and virtual diagrams

Collinear singularities: "absorb" into PDF

Regularization and Renormalization:

Regularize & Renormalize intermediate quantities

Physical results independent of regulators (e.g., L, or μ and ϵ)

Renormalization introduces scheme dependence (MS-bar, DIS)

Factorization works:

Hard cross section $\widehat{\sigma}$ or ω is not the same as σ

Scheme dependence cancels out (if performed consistently)

END OF LECTURE 3