

III. FACTORIZATION AND EVOLUTION

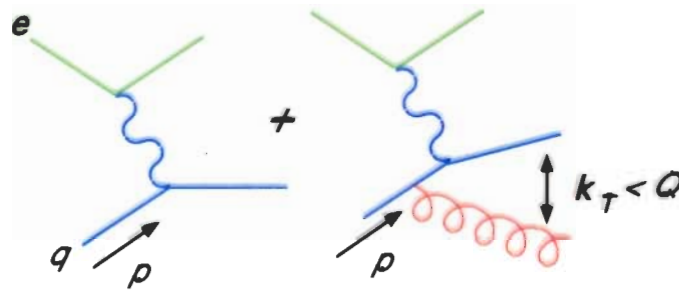
1. Factorization as a generalization of the Parton Model
2. Evolution
3. Hard hadron-hadron scattering
4. Prologue: QCD beyond the basic theorems

1. FACTORIZATION AS A GENERALIZATION OF THE PARTON MODEL

- **Challenge:** use AF in observables (cross sections (σ) (also some amplitudes ...)) that are *not infrared safe*
- Possible *if*: σ has a short-distance subprocess. Separate *IR Safe* from **IR**: *this is factorization*
- *IR Safe* part (short-distance) is *calculable in pQCD*
- *Infrared part* – *example: parton distribution – measurable and universal*
- *Infrared safe* – *insensitive to soft gluon emission collinear rearrangements*
- Just like Parton Model except in Parton Model the infrared safe part is $\sigma_{\text{Born}} \Rightarrow \phi(x)$ *normalized uniquely*
- In pQCD must define parton distributions more carefully – *yet another scheme:*
the factorization scheme

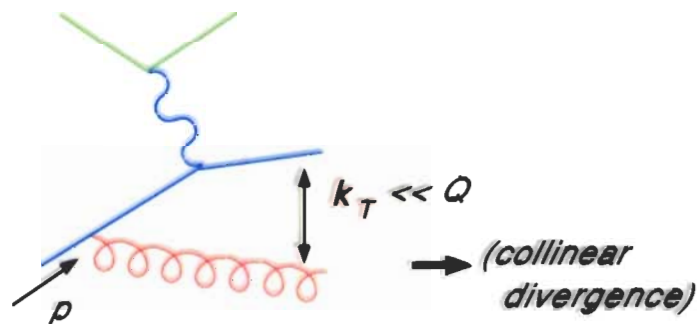
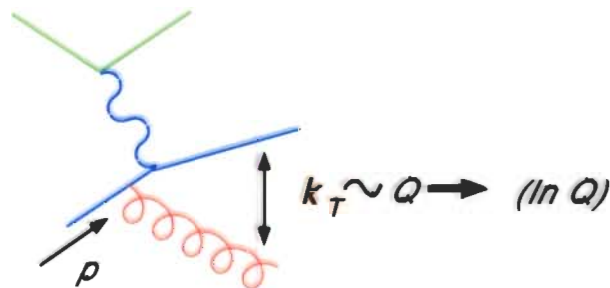
FIELD THEORY CORRECTIONS: DIS

Basic observation: virtual states not truly frozen.
Some states fluctuate on scale $1/Q$:



Short-lived states $\Rightarrow \ln(Q)$

Long-lived states $\Rightarrow$ Collinear Logs (IR)



RESULT: FACTORIZED DIS

$$\begin{aligned} F_2^{\gamma q}(x, Q^2) &= \int_x^1 d\xi \, C_2^{\gamma q} \left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \frac{Q}{\mu}, \frac{\mu_F}{\mu}, \alpha_s(\mu) \right) \\ &\quad \times \phi_{q/q}(\xi, \mu_F, \alpha_s(\mu)) \\ &\equiv C_2^{\gamma q} \left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \frac{Q}{\mu}, \frac{\mu_F}{\mu}, \alpha_s(\mu) \right) \otimes \phi_{q/q}(\xi, \mu_F, \alpha_s(\mu)) \end{aligned}$$

- ϕ has $\ln(\mu_F/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) \dots$
- C has $\ln(Q/\mu), \ln(\mu_F/\mu)$
- Often pick $\mu = \mu_F$ and often pick $\mu_F = Q$. So often see:

$$F_2^{\gamma q}(x, Q^2) = C_2^{\gamma q} \left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \alpha_s(Q) \right) \otimes \phi_{q/q}(\xi, Q^2)$$

- But we still need to specify what we *really* mean by factorization: *scheme as well as scale*
- For this, compute $F_2^{\gamma q}(x, Q)$
- Keep $\mu = \mu_F$ for simplicity

“Compute quark-photon scattering” – *What does this mean?*

- Must use an *IR-regulated* theory
- Extract the *IR Safe part* then take away the regularization
- *Let's see how it works ...*
- **At zeroth order – no interactions:**
- $C^{\gamma q_f(0)} = Q_f^2 \delta(1 - x/\xi)$
(Born cross section; parton model)
- $\phi_{q_f/q_{f'}}^{(0)}(\xi) = \delta_{ff'} \delta(1 - \xi)$
(at zeroth order, momentum fraction conserved)

$$\begin{aligned} F_2^{\gamma q_f(0)}(x, Q^2) &= \int_x^1 d\xi \, C_2^{\gamma q_f(0)}\left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \frac{Q}{\mu}, \frac{\mu_F}{\mu}, \alpha_s(\mu)\right) \\ &\quad \times \phi_{q_f/q_f}^{(0)}(\xi, \mu_F, \alpha_s(\mu)) \\ &= Q_f^2 \int_x^1 d\xi \, \delta(1 - x/\xi) \, \delta(1 - \xi) \\ &= Q_f^2 \, x \, \delta(1 - x) \end{aligned}$$

- *On to one loop ...*

$F^{\gamma q}$ @ AT ONE LOOP: FACTORIZATION SCHEMES

Start with F_2 for a *quark*:

$$\left| \begin{array}{c} \text{diagram 1} \\ \text{diagram 2} \end{array} \right|^2 \quad \text{"real"}$$

$$+ 2 \operatorname{Re} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{diagram 3} \end{array} \right)^* \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{diagram 4} \\ \text{diagram 5} \end{array} \right) \quad \text{"virtual"}$$

Have to combine final states with different phase space



“Plus Distributions”:

$$\int_0^1 dx \frac{f(x)}{(1-x)_+} \equiv \int_0^1 dx \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{(1-x)}$$

$$\int_0^1 dx f(x) \left(\frac{\ln(1-x)}{1-x} \right)_+ \equiv \int_0^1 dx (f(x) - f(1)) \frac{\ln(1-x)}{(1-x)}$$

and so on ... where

- $f(x)$ will be parton distributions
- $f(x)$ term: real gluon, with momentum fraction $1-x$
- $f(1)$ term: virtual, with elastic kinematics

A Special Distribution

DGLAP “evolution kernel” = “splitting function”

$$P_{qq}^{(1)}(x) = C_F \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left[\frac{1+x^2}{1-x} \right]_+$$

- **Will see:** P_{qq} a probability per unit $\log k_T$

Expansion and Result:

$$F_2^{\gamma q}(x, Q^2) = \int_x^1 d\xi \, C_2^{\gamma q} \left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \frac{Q}{\mu}, \frac{\mu_F}{\mu}, \alpha_s(\mu) \right) \\ \times \phi_{q/q}(\xi, \mu_F, \alpha_s(\mu))$$

$$F_2^{\gamma q_f}(x, Q^2) = C_2^{(0)} \phi^{(0)} \\ + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} C^{(1)} \phi^{(0)} \\ + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} C^{(0)} \phi^{(1)} + \dots$$

$$F_2^{\gamma q_f}(x, Q^2) = Q_f^2 \left\{ x \delta(1-x) \right. \\ + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} C_F \left[\frac{1+x^2}{1-x} \left(\frac{\ln(1-x)}{x} \right) + \frac{1}{4} (9-5x) \right]_+ \\ \left. + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} C_F \int_0^{Q^2} \frac{dk_T^2}{k_T^2} \left[\frac{1+x^2}{1-x} \right]_+ \right\} + \dots$$

$$F_1^{\gamma q_f}(x, Q^2) = \frac{1}{2x} \left\{ F_2^{\gamma q_f}(x, Q^2) - C_F \alpha \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi^2} 2x \right\}$$

Factorization Schemes

$\overline{\text{MS}}$

$$\phi_{q/q}^{(1)}(x, \mu^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi^2} P_{qq}(x) \int_0^{\mu^2} \frac{dk_T^2}{k_T^2}$$

With k_T -integral “IR regulated”.

Advantage: technical simplicity; not tied to process.

$$C^{(1)}(x)_{\overline{\text{MS}}} = (\alpha_s/2\pi) P_{qq}(x) \ln(Q^2/\mu^2) + \mu\text{-independent}$$

DIS:

$$\phi_{q/q}(x, \mu^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi^2} F^{\gamma q f}(x, \mu^2)$$

Absorbs all uncertainties in DIS into a PDF.

Closer to experiment for DIS.

$$C^{(1)}(x)_{\overline{\text{DIS}}} = (\alpha_s/2\pi) P_{qq}(x) \ln(Q^2/\mu^2) + 0$$

*Using the Regulated Theory
and
Getting Parton Distributions for Real Hadrons*

IR-regulated QCD is not *REAL* QCD

BUT it only differs at low momenta

THUS we can use it for IR Safe functions: $C_2^{\gamma q}$, etc.

This enables us to get PDFs for real hadrons:

- Compute $F_2^{\gamma q}, F_2^{\gamma G} \dots$
- Define factorization scheme; find IR Safe C 's
- Use factorization in the full theory

$$F_2^{\gamma N} = \sum_{a=q_f, \bar{q}_f, G} C^{\gamma a} \otimes \phi_{a/N}$$

- **Measure F_2 ; then use the known C 's to derive $\phi_{a/N}$**
- Multiple flavors and cross sections complicate technicalities; not logic (Global Fits)

NOW HAVE $\phi_{a/N}(\xi, \mu^2)$

USE IT IN ANY OTHER PROCESS THAT FACTORIZES

2. EVOLUTION

- Q^2 -dependence

- In general, Q^2/μ^2 dependence still in $C_a(x/\xi, Q^2/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu))$
Choose $\mu = Q$

$$F_2^{\gamma A}(x, Q^2) = \sum_a \int_x^1 d\xi C_2^{\gamma a} \left(\frac{x}{\xi}, 1, \alpha_s(Q) \right) \phi_{a/A}(\xi, Q^2)$$

$Q \gg \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \rightarrow$ compute C 's in PT .

$$C_2^{\gamma a} \left(\frac{x}{\xi}, 1, \alpha_s(Q) \right) = \sum_n \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^n C_2^{\gamma a(n)} \left(\frac{x}{\xi} \right)$$

But still need PDFs at $\mu = Q$: $\phi_{a/A}(\xi, Q^2)$

- Remarkable result: **EVOLUTION**

Can use $\phi_{a/A}(x, Q_0^2)$

to determine $\phi_{a/A}(x, Q^2)$ and hence $F_{1,2,3}(x, Q^2)$
for any Q !

So long as $\alpha_s(Q)$ is still small

- Illustrate by a ‘nonsinglet’ distribution

$$F_a^{\gamma\text{NS}} = F_a^{\gamma p} - F_a^{\gamma n}$$

$$F_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}(x, Q^2) = \sum_a \int_x^1 d\xi \, C_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}\left(\frac{x}{\xi}, \frac{Q}{\mu}, \alpha_s(\mu)\right) \phi_{\text{NS}}(\xi, \mu^2)$$

Gluons, antiquarks cancel

At one loop: $C_2^{\text{NS}} = C_2^{\gamma N}$

- ‘Mellin’ Moments and Anomalous Dimensions

$$\bar{f}(N) = \int_0^1 dx \, x^{N-1} f(x)$$

- Reduces convolution to a product

$$f(x) = \int_x^1 dy \, g\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) h(y) \rightarrow \bar{f}(N) = \bar{g}(N) \bar{h}(N+1)$$

- Moments applied to NS structure function:

$$\bar{F}_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}(N, Q^2) = \bar{C}_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}\left(N, \frac{Q}{\mu}, \alpha_s(\mu)\right) \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2)$$

(Note $\phi_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) \equiv \int_0^1 d\xi \xi^N \phi(\xi, \mu^2)$ here.)

- $\bar{F}_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}(N, Q^2)$ is PHYSICAL

$$\Rightarrow \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{F}_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}(N, Q^2) = 0$$

- ‘Separation of variables’

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \ln \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) = -\gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu))$$

$$\gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu)) = \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \ln \bar{C}_2^{\gamma\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu))$$

- Because α_s is the only variable held in common!

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \ln \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) = -\gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu))$$

$$\gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu)) = \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \ln \bar{C}_2^{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu))$$

- Only need to know C 's $\Rightarrow \gamma_n$ from IR regulated theory!



Q -DEPENDENCE DETERMINED BY PT

EVOLUTION

THIS WAS HOW WE FOUND OUT QCD IS 'RIGHT'

**THIS IS HOW QCD PREDICTS PHYSICS
AT NEW SCALES**

γ_{NS} AT ONE LOOP

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s) &= \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \ln \bar{C}_2^{\gamma_{\text{NS}}}(N, \alpha_s(Q)) \\
 &= \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \left\{ (\alpha_s/2\pi) \bar{P}_{qq}(N) \ln(Q^2/\mu^2) + \mu \text{ indep.} \right\} \\
 &= -\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \int_0^1 dx x^{N-1} P_{qq}(x) \\
 &= -\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} C_F \int_0^1 dx \left[(x^{N-1} - 1) \frac{1+x^2}{1-x} \right] \\
 &= -\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} C_F \left[4 \sum_{m=2}^N \frac{1}{m} - 2 \frac{2}{N(N+1)} + 1 \right] \\
 &\equiv -\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \gamma_{\text{NS}}^{(1)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hint:

$$(1-x^2)/(1-x) = 1+x \dots (1-x^k)/(1-x) = \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} x^i$$

SOLUTION: SCALE BREAKING

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) = -\gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu)) \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) &= \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu_0^2) \\ &\times \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \int_{\mu_0^2}^{\mu^2} \frac{d\mu'^2}{\mu'^2} \gamma_{\text{NS}}(N, \alpha_s(\mu')) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, Q_0^2) = \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, Q_0^2) \left(\frac{\ln(Q^2/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2)}{\ln(Q_0^2/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2)} \right)^{-2\gamma_N^{(1)}/\beta_0}$$

Hint:

$$\alpha_s(Q) = \frac{4\pi}{\beta_0 \ln(Q^2/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2)}$$

So also:

$$\bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, Q^2) = \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, Q_0^2) \left(\frac{\alpha_s(Q_0^2)}{\alpha_s(Q^2)} \right)^{-2\gamma_N^{(1)}/\beta^{(1)}}$$

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- Mild' scale breaking
- For $\alpha_s \rightarrow \alpha_0 \neq 0$, get a power Q -dependence:

$$(Q^2)^{\gamma^{(1)} \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi}}$$

- QCD's consistency with the Parton Model (73-74)

again:

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) = -\gamma_N(\alpha_s(\mu)) \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2)$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(N, \mu^2) = \int_x^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} P_{\text{NS}}(\xi, \alpha_s(\mu)) \bar{\phi}_{\text{NS}}(\xi, \mu^2)$$

Splitting function $\leftrightarrow$ Moments

$$\int_0^1 dx x^{N-1} P_{qq}(x, \alpha_s) = \gamma_{qq}(N, \alpha_s)$$

BEYOND NONSINGLET

COUPLED EVOLUTION

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \bar{\phi}_{q/A}(N, \mu^2) = \sum_{b=q, \bar{q}, G} \int_x^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} P_{ab}(\xi, \alpha_s(\mu)) \bar{\phi}_{b/A}(\xi, \mu^2)$$

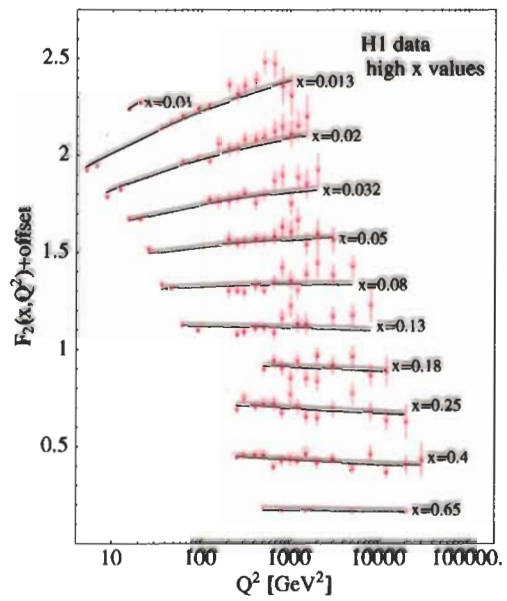
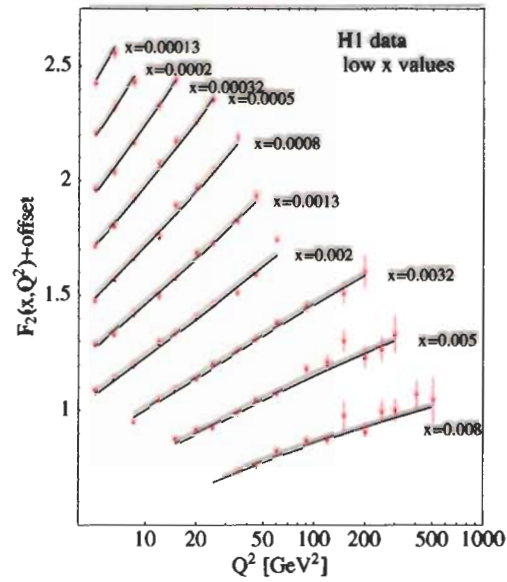
Physical Context of Evolution

- **Parton Model:** $\phi_{a/A}(x)$ density of parton a with momentum fraction x , assumed independent of Q
- **PQCD:** $\phi_{a/A}(x, \mu)$: same density, but with transverse momentum $\leq \mu$
- If there were a maximum transverse momentum Q_0 , $\phi(x, Q_0)$ would freeze for $\mu \geq Q_0$
- *Not so* in renormalized PT
- Scale breaking measures the change in the density as maximum transverse momentum increases

- Cross sections we compute still depend on our choice of μ through uncomputed “higher orders” in C and evolution

But in an asymptotically free theory, “higher order” means “smaller”.

- Evolution in DIS (with CTEQ6 fits)



3. HADRON HADRON SCATTERING

- Same generalization from Parton Model as DIS
- For final state system F , mass Q

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{AB \rightarrow F}(Q) = & \sum_{a,b=q,\bar{q},G} \int_0^1 d\xi d\eta \phi_{a/A}(x, \mu) \phi_{b/B}(\eta, \mu) \\ & \times \hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow F(Q)}(xp_A, yp_B, Q, \mu, \alpha_s(\mu)) \\ & \times \theta(\xi\eta p_A \cdot p_B - Q^2)\end{aligned}$$

Convolution form:

$$\sigma_{AB \rightarrow F(Q)} = \hat{\phi}_{a/A} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow F} \otimes \hat{\phi}_{b/B}$$

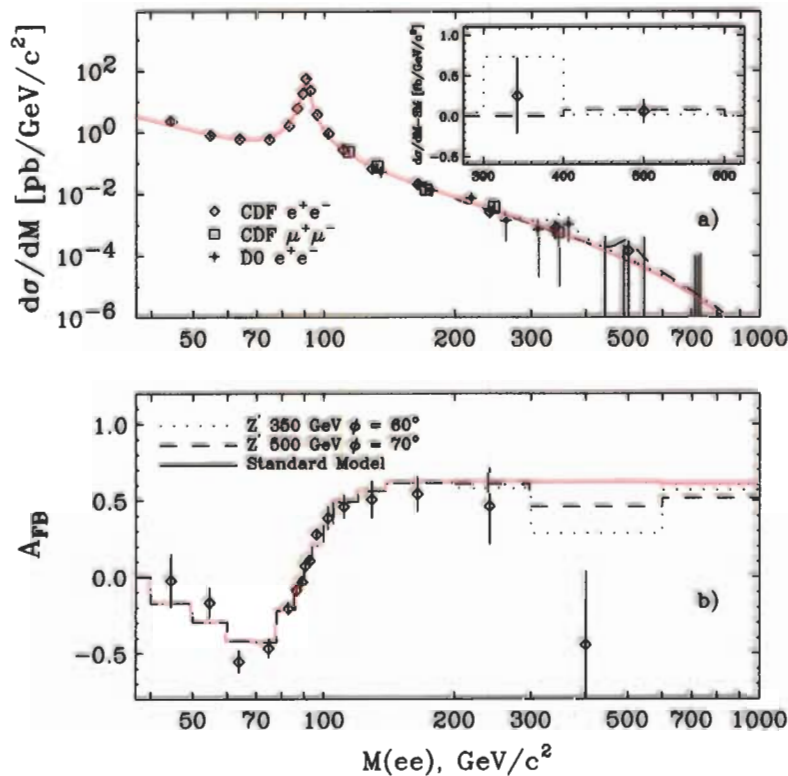
- Depends on choice of μ through uncomputed “higher orders” in $\hat{\sigma}$ and evolution

- A typical $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$ (NLO) hard-scattering cross section at one loop: $\hat{\sigma}_{\bar{q}q}$ for Drell-Yan

$$\hat{\sigma}_{\bar{q}q} = \sigma_{\text{Born}}(Q^2) \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \right) \left\{ 2(1+z^2) \left[\frac{\ln(1+z^2)}{1-z} \right]_+ - \frac{[(1+z^2)\ln z]}{(1-z)} + \left(\frac{\pi^2}{3} - 4 \right) \delta(1-z) \right\}$$

$\mathcal{L} + P \ln Q^2/\mu^2$

- σ_{Born} describes Electroweak annihilation of $q\bar{q}$
- Compared to data at high energy (γ and Z) with forward-backward asymmetry in σ_{Born}



- This way, detect “new” physics in the hard scattering

- Factorized hadron-hadron scattering
“Collinear factorized”

$$\sigma_{AB \rightarrow F(Q)} = \hat{\phi}_{a/A} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow F} \otimes \hat{\phi}_{b/B}$$

- Requirements: same as for IR Safety in e^+e^- cross sections
- Insensitivity to soft emission, collinear rearrangement
- Continuous dependence on particle momenta
- Numerous Cases

$p + p \rightarrow$ high p_T jets
 high p_T particles, heavy particles :
 $W, Z \dots$
 $H, \tilde{q}, \dots$
 $Q \bar{Q} \dots$

- PDFs ϕ 's same as in DIS (experiment) same evolution
- $PT \rightarrow \hat{\sigma}_{ab}$'s (IR-regulated theory)
- ‘New physics’ in $\hat{\sigma}_{ab}$

- **Evolution $\rightarrow$ ability to extrapolate to new energy scales**
- **Predictions in hadron-hadron cross sections**

- Lorentz contracted fields of incident particles do not overlap until the moment of the scattering!
- Initial-state interaction disappear at high enough energies!
- $\Rightarrow$ Repalced by parton distributions
- Interactions after the scattering are too late to affect large momentum transfer, creation of heavy particle, etc.
- $\Rightarrow$ Cross section for hard scattering is IR safe



$$\sigma_{AB \rightarrow F(Q)} = \hat{\phi}_{a/A} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow F} \otimes \hat{\phi}_{b/B}$$

4. PROLOGUE (QCD & BEYOND)

A. Lectures by x and p

Melnitchouk
Bodek
Tung
Kowalski
Venugopalan

Bass
Mrenna
Soper

Stankus
Owens
Qiu
Lecompte
Ellis
Campbell
Olness
Jacak
Varelas
Gary
Houston
Kilgore
Hau

Hadron
Structure

Low x
Saturation

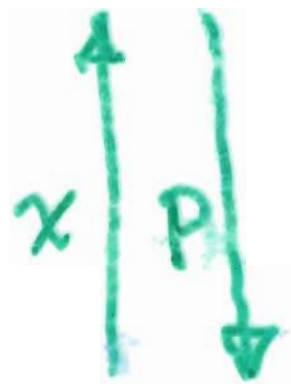
Transport
Hadronization
Factorization

photons

heavy quarks

vector bosons
jets

QCD $\rightarrow$
beyond
std model



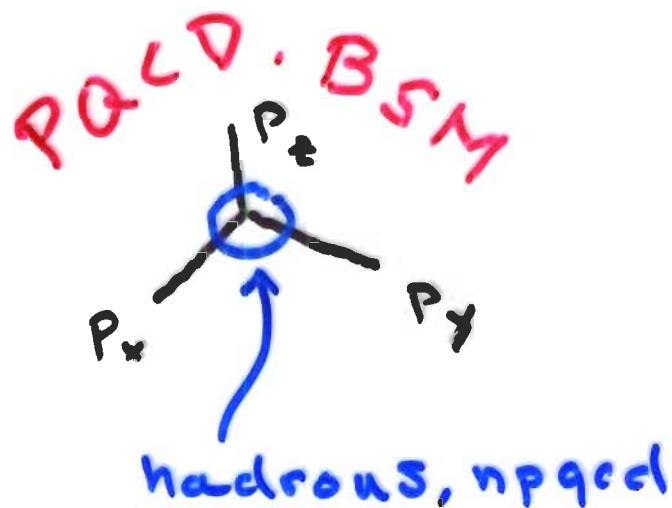
B. Connections to some non-perturbative topics...

Low- x

Chiral Symmetry Breaking (CSB)

Evolution in high-density AA collisions

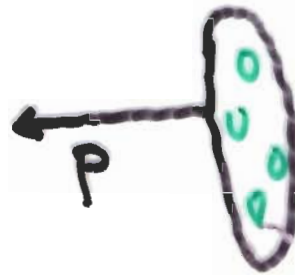
Phases in QCD



Low- x in the electron
rest frame

'The electron's quantum
dreams come true'

i) before



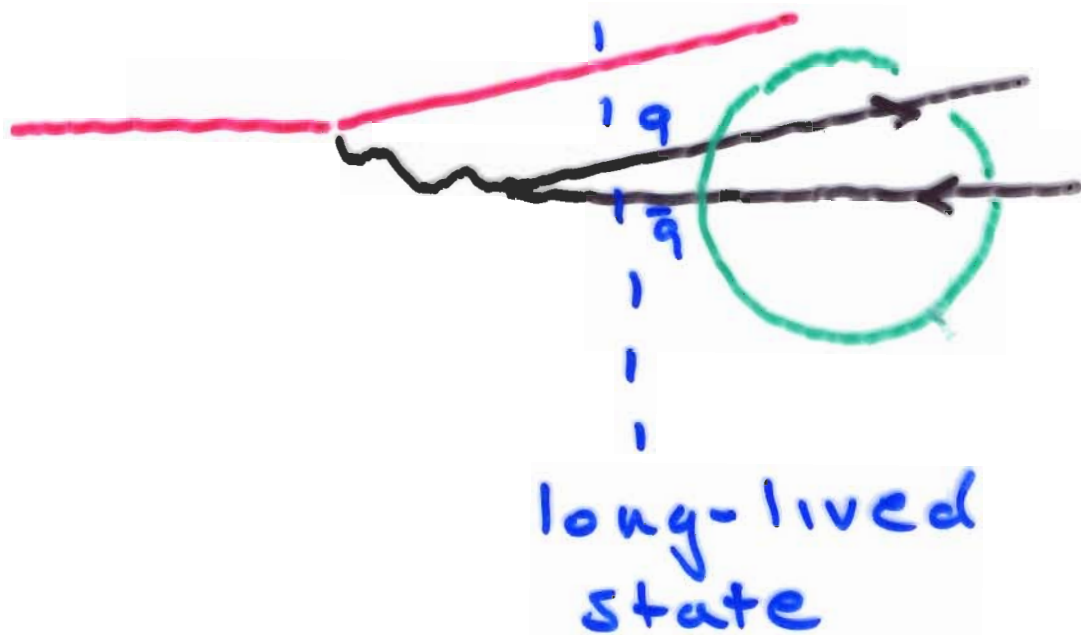
ii) after



"Infinite momentum frame"

Alternative

Target rest frame &
Dipole picture



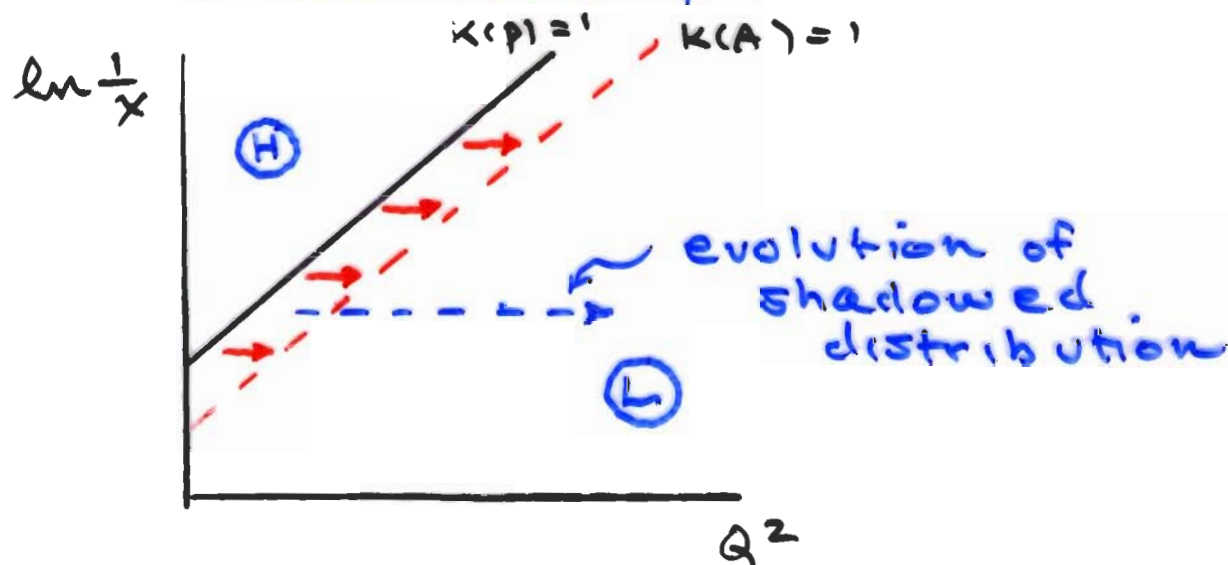
Here $q, \bar{q}$ are naturally
electron "constituents"

↔ very low x for hadron
target

Quantum mechanics implies
this generalization of
parton picture

(Low- x)

• The Evolution plane (GLR)



$$k = \frac{3\pi^2 \alpha_s}{2Q^2} \left(\frac{x G(x, Q^2)}{\pi R^2} \right) > 1 \quad \textcircled{H}$$

$$k < 1 \quad \textcircled{L}$$

$\uparrow$
 $() \sim A^{1/3}$

$k > 1$ all $\frac{G}{Q^2 R}$ power corrections

contribute: new evolution

BFKL

Balitsky, Kovchegov

McLerran,

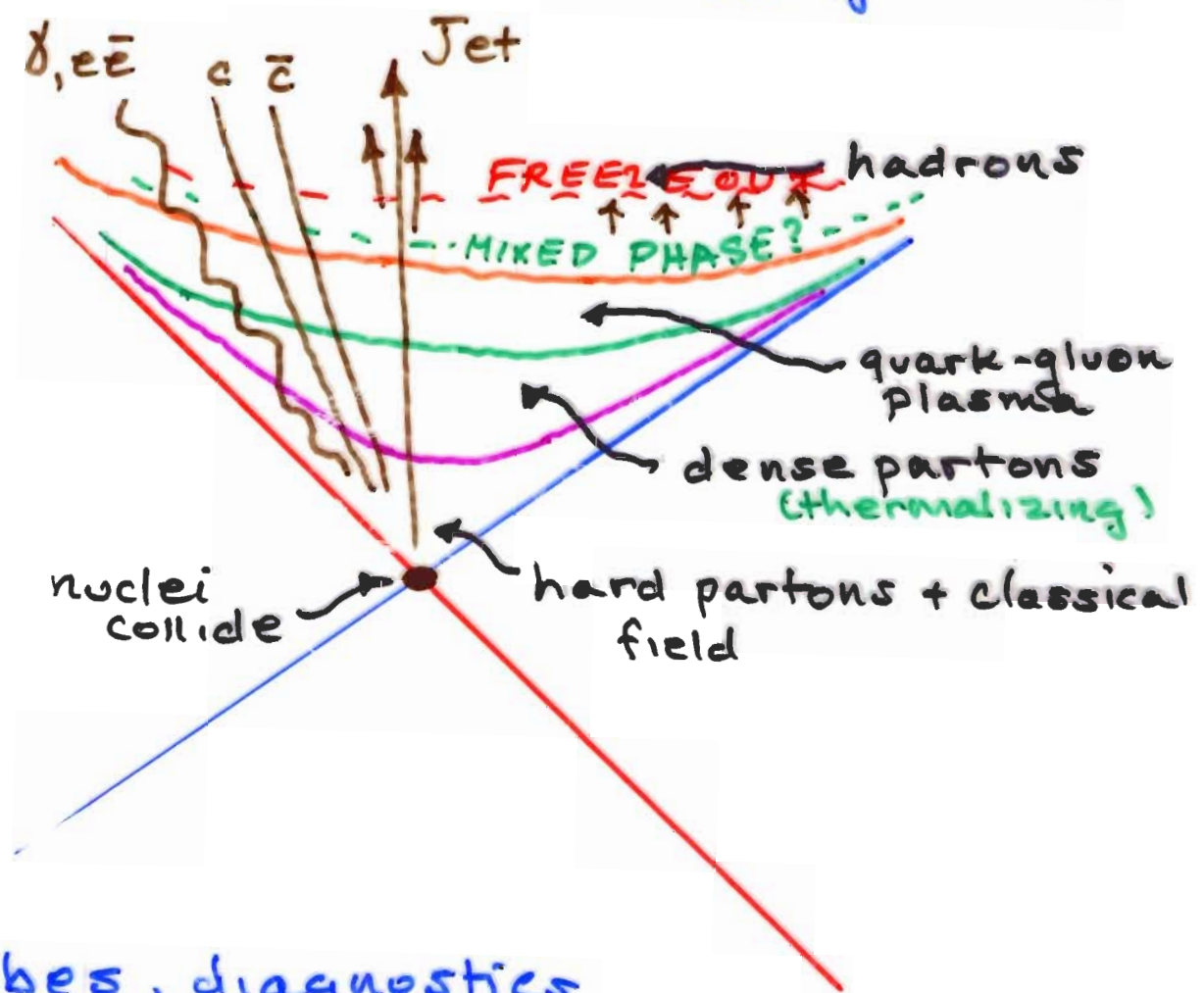
Venugopalan

AGL

$\textcircled{H}$ $k > 1$: Saturation

$\textcircled{L}$ $k < 1$: Shadowing = influence of A -dependence of $k=1$ line
Mueller, Qiu

- Plausible history: probes of early times



- Probes, diagnostics

- jets: energy loss

- 'LPM' analysis: multiple scattering

- enhances radiation with short formation time

$$\Delta E \propto L^2$$

- suppresses radiation with long formation time

- $c\bar{c}$: J/ψ suppression

- strange hadrons: enhanced by 'x restoration'

- $\gamma e e$: charged particles at early times

- hadrons: correlations, fluctuation at 'freeze-out'

SUMMARY

