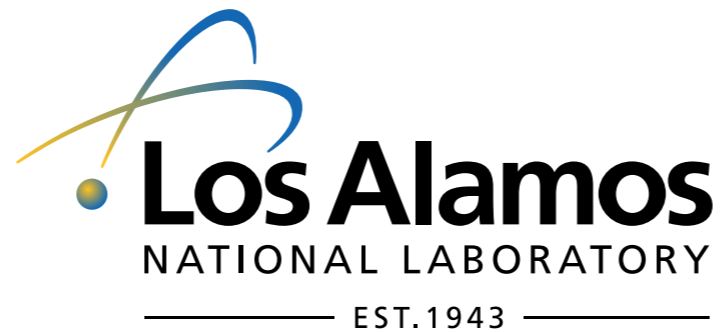


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# Introduction

# Motivation to study heavy-ion collisions



AA at 10GeV

Picture from <http://www-subatech.in2p3.fr/~theo/qmd/hic/hic3.html>

- Plenty of experimental data available
- To study the properties of **Quark Gluon Plasma**, predicted by **QCD**
- Connection to **Early Universe** (a few microseconds after the **Big Bang**)

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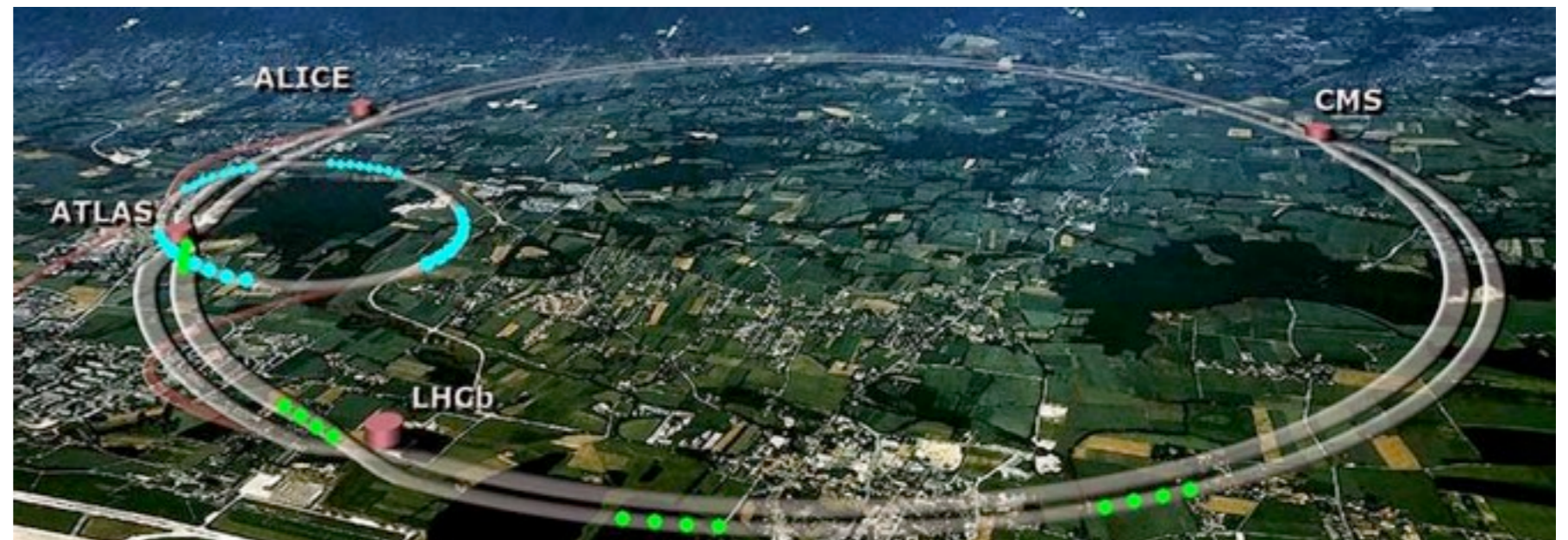
$E_{NN}=2.76\text{TeV}$  LHC (1 month)

5.5TeV in AA

8.8TeV in pA

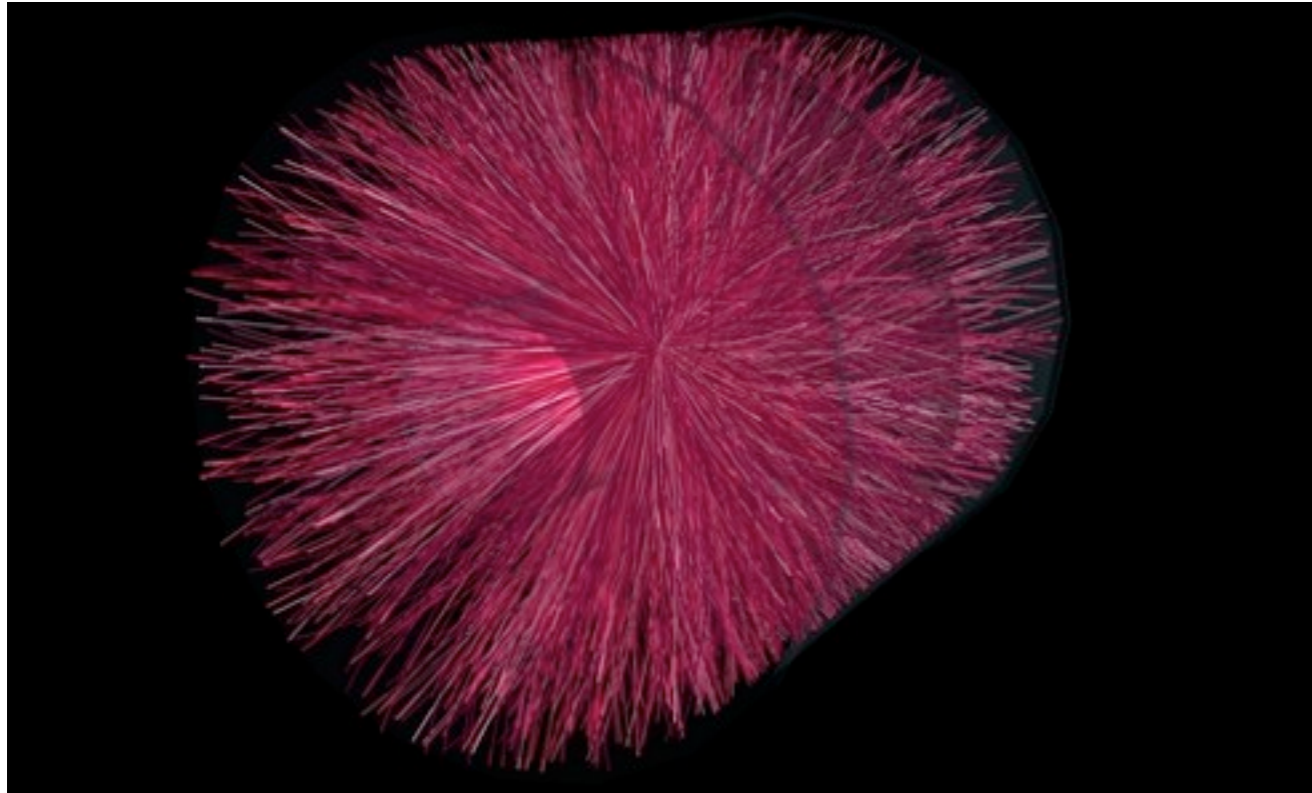
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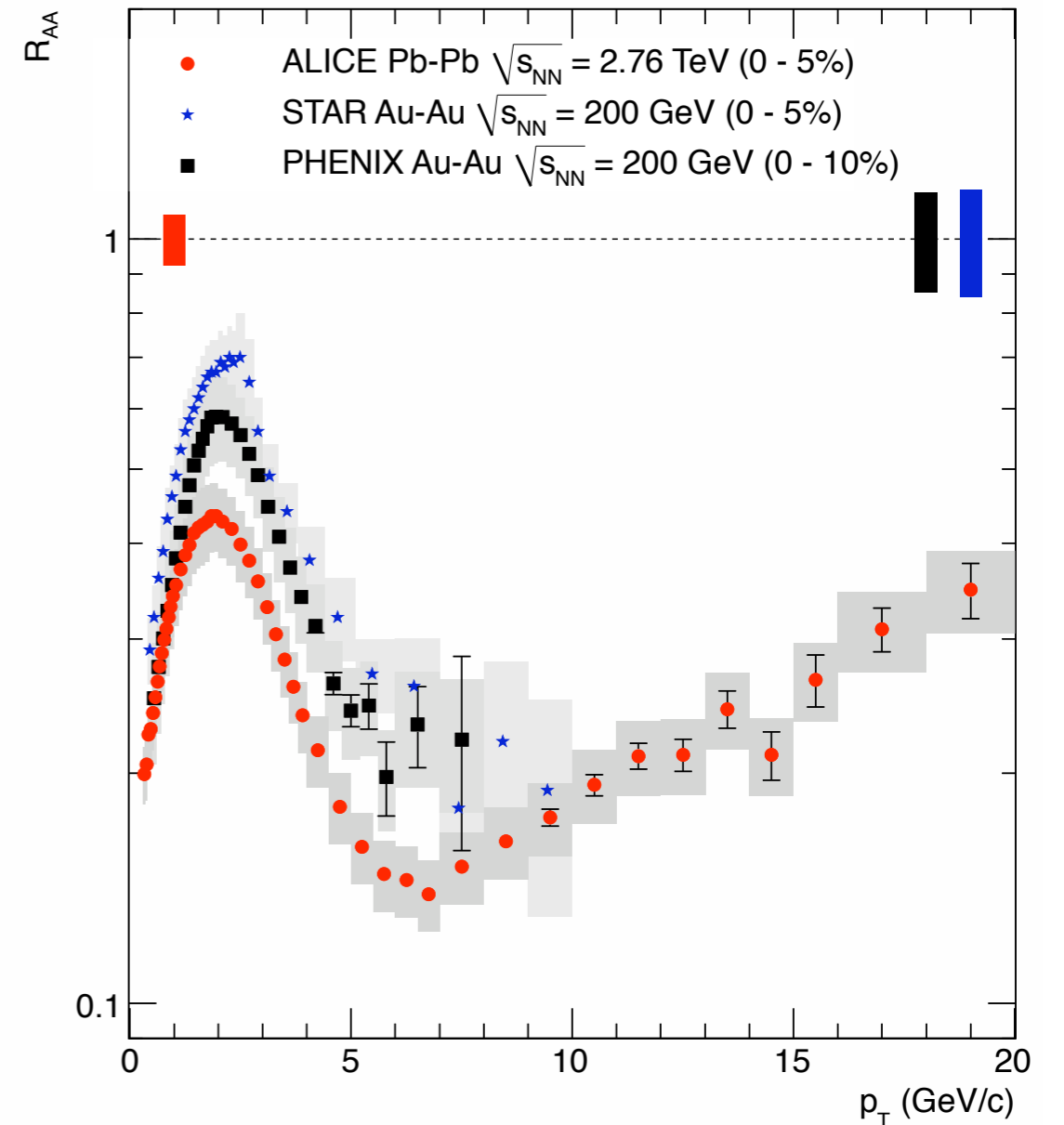




# New LHC heavy ion data!



ALICE collaboration, 11-12/2010



$$R_{AA}(p_T) = \frac{(1/N_{evt}^{AA}) d^2N_{ch}^{AA} / d\eta dp_T}{\langle N_{coll} \rangle (1/N_{evt}^{pp}) d^2N_{ch}^{pp} / d\eta dp_T},$$

the number of binary nucleon-nucleon collisions

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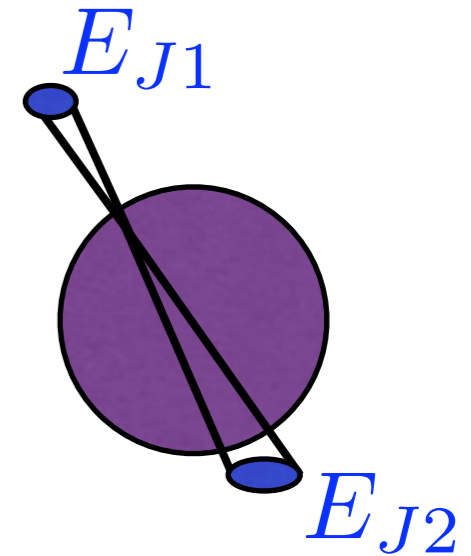
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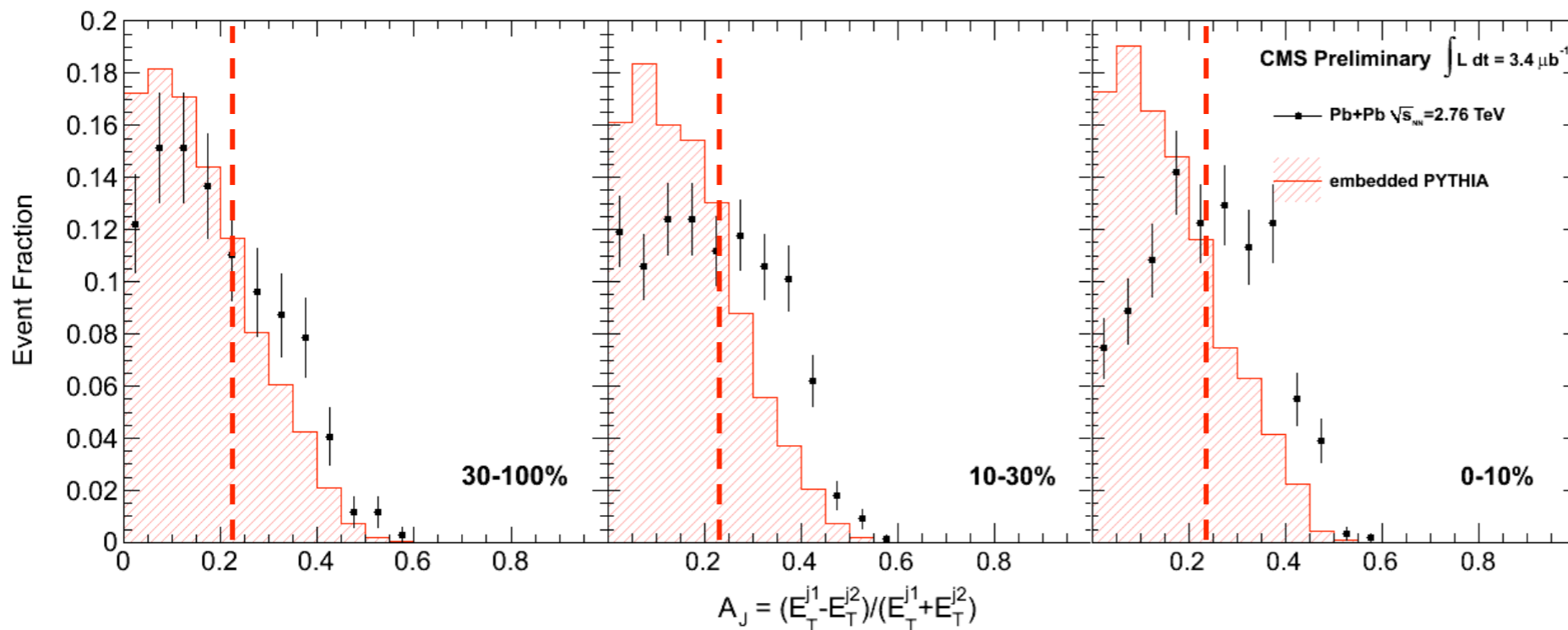
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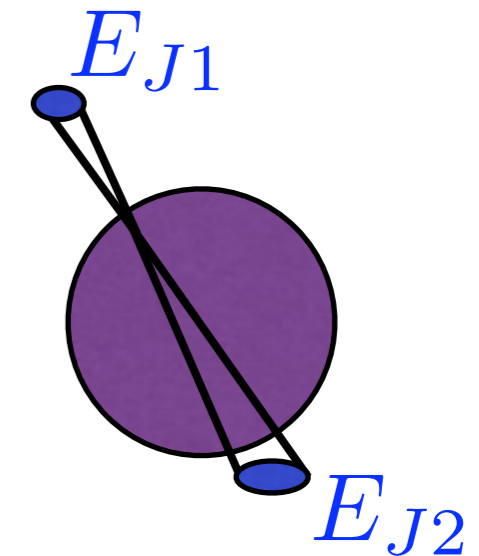
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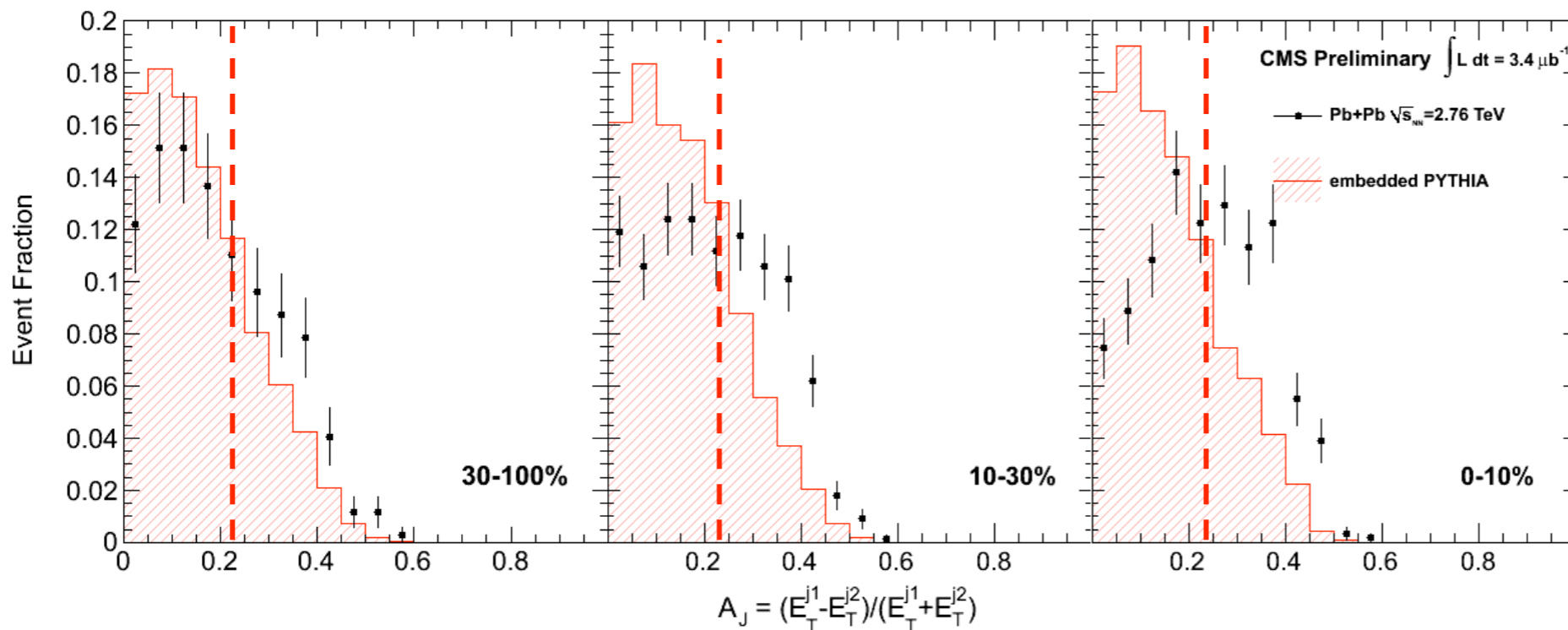
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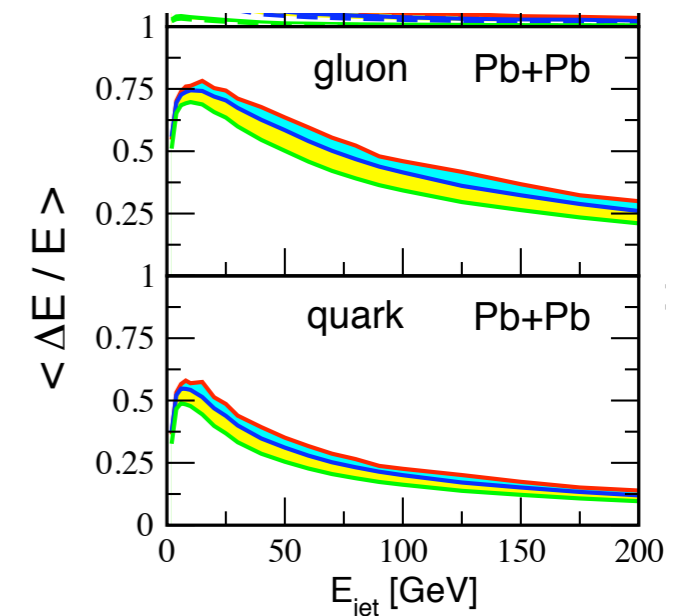


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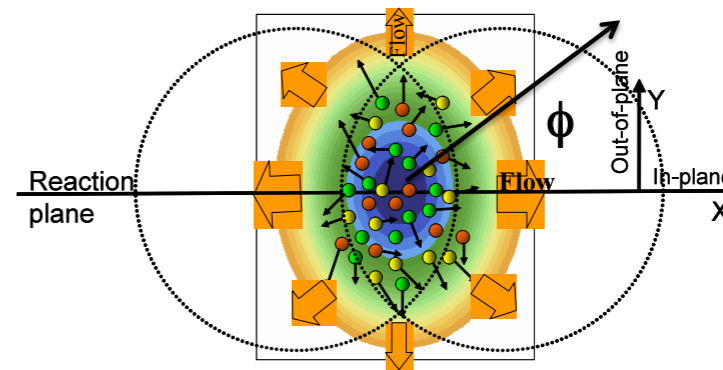
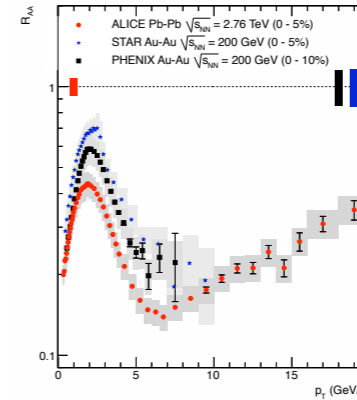
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Energy loss  $\sim 40\%$  in agreement with prediction in Vitev, 06



# Strong indications of QGP production

- $R_{AA}$  suppression (RHIC, LHC)
- Azimuthal angle di-hadron(Jet) correlations  $I_{AA}$  (RHIC, LHC)
- Elliptic flow  $v_2$  (RHIC, LHC)

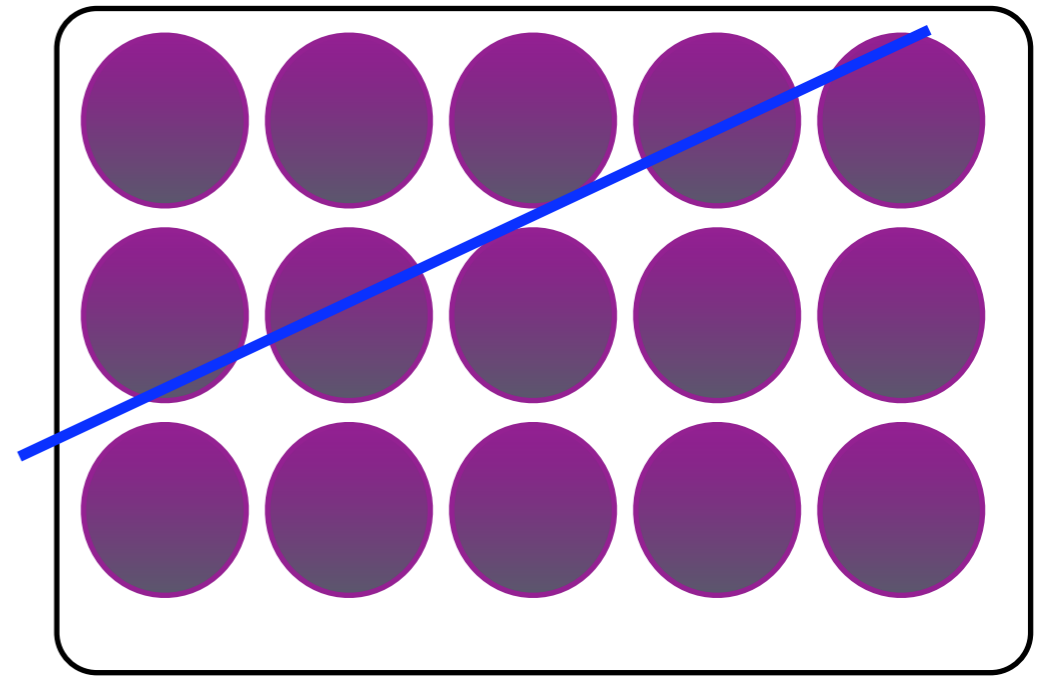


So far  $R_{AA}$  and  $I_{AA}$  have been analyzed using leading particle approach

Using jets is a new promising direction in heavy ion collisions

# Theoretical Approaches

- PQCD
- Thermal Field Theory
- Lattice QCD
- Hydrodynamics
- AdS/CFT symmetry



# Gyulassy-Wang model

Gyulassy, Wang, 94

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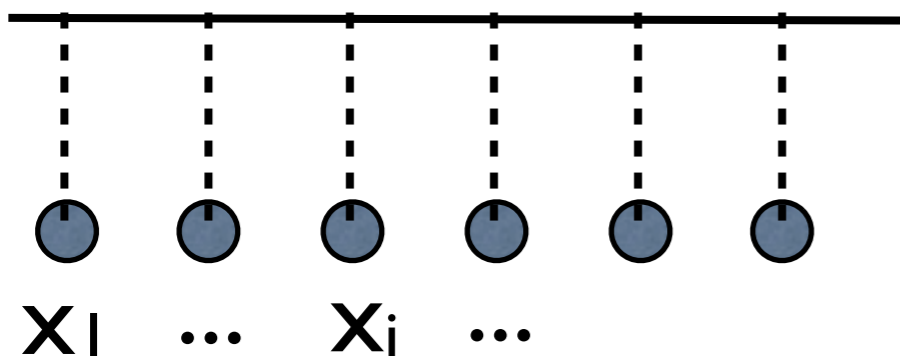
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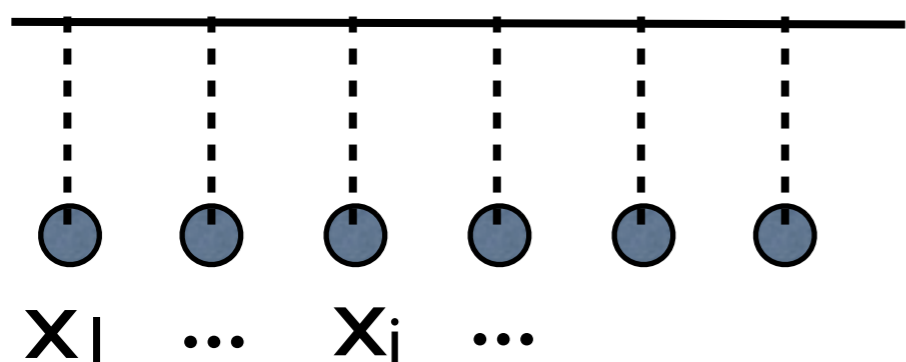
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- The momentum scaling of the exchange gluon is that of the Glauber gluon:

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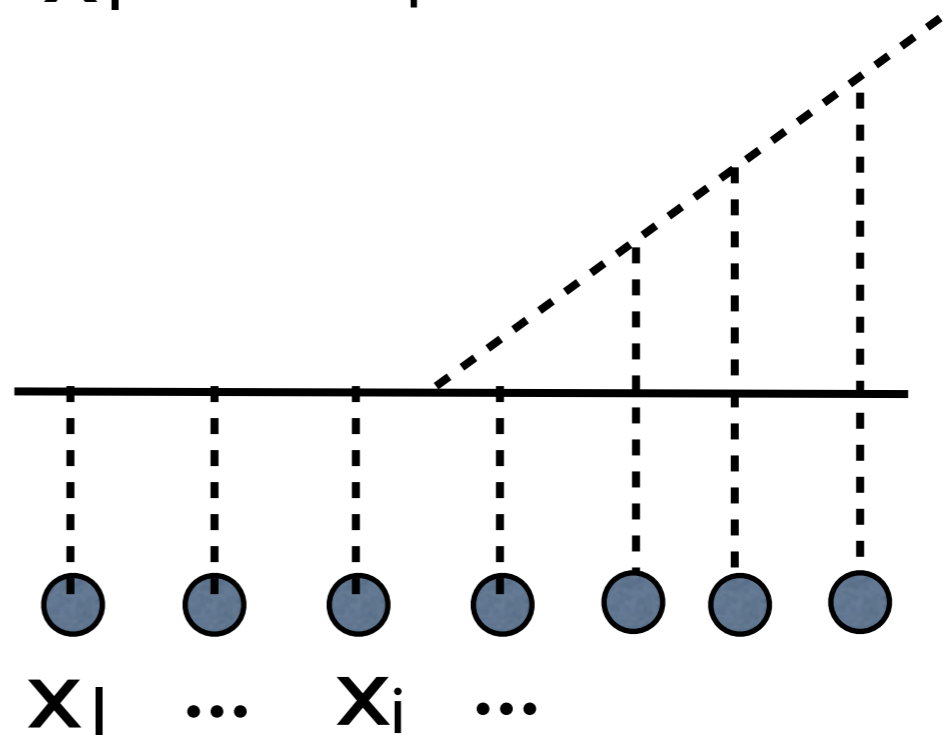
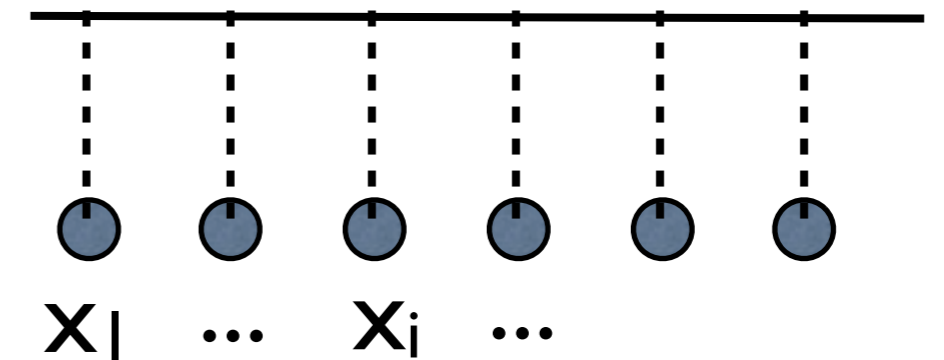
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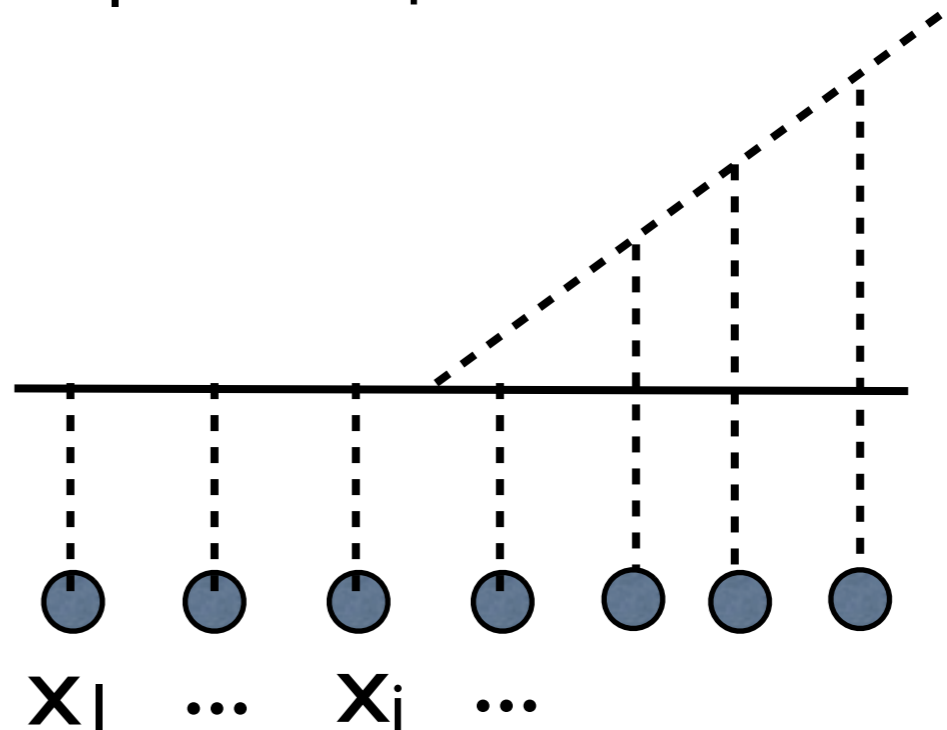
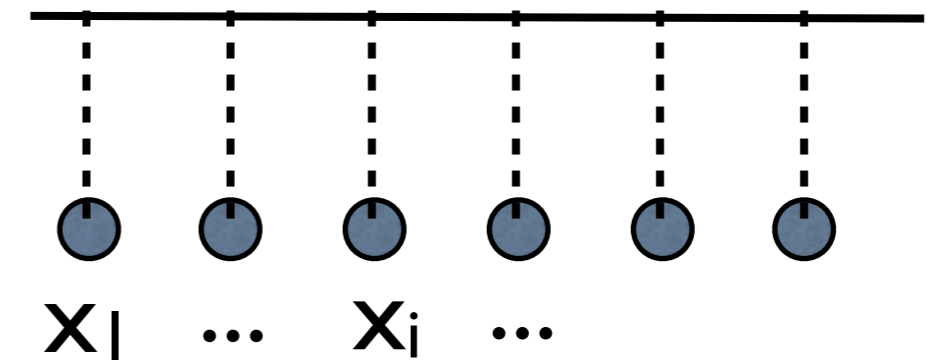
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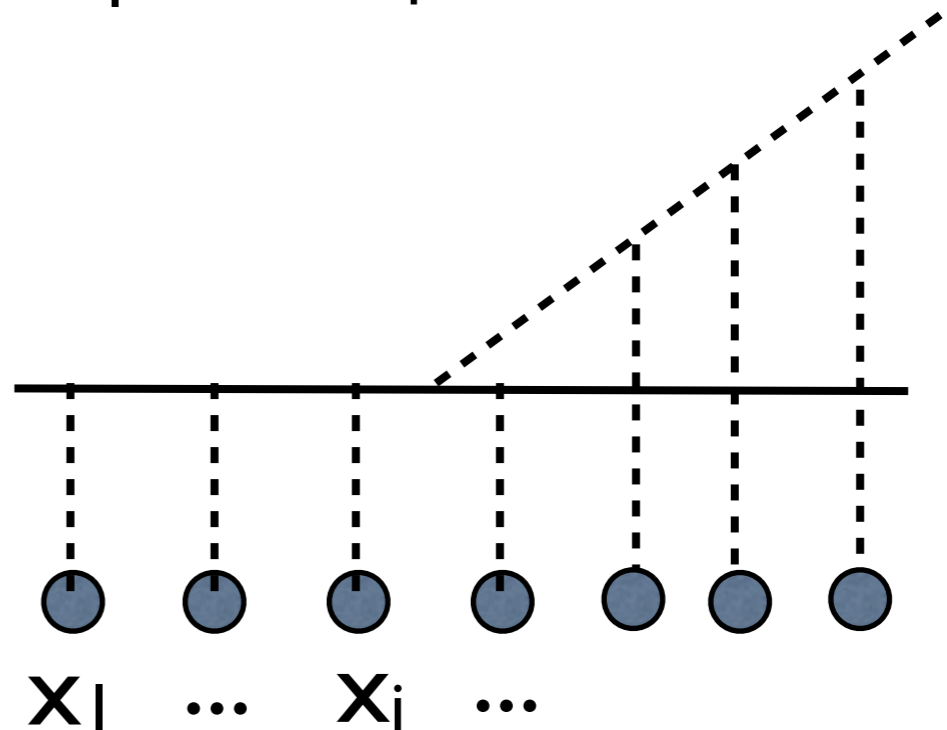
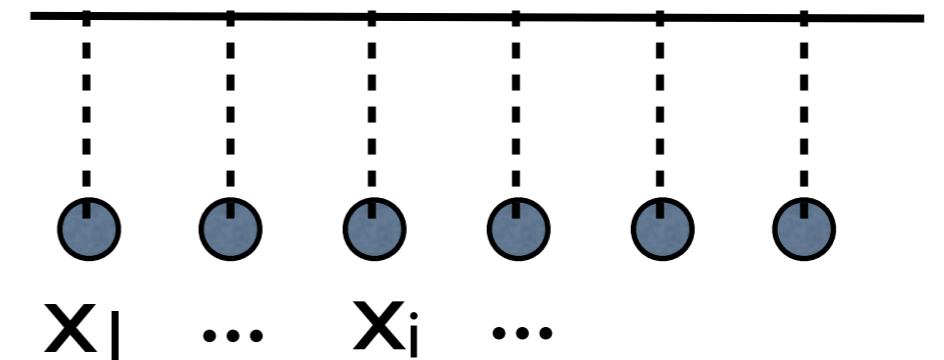
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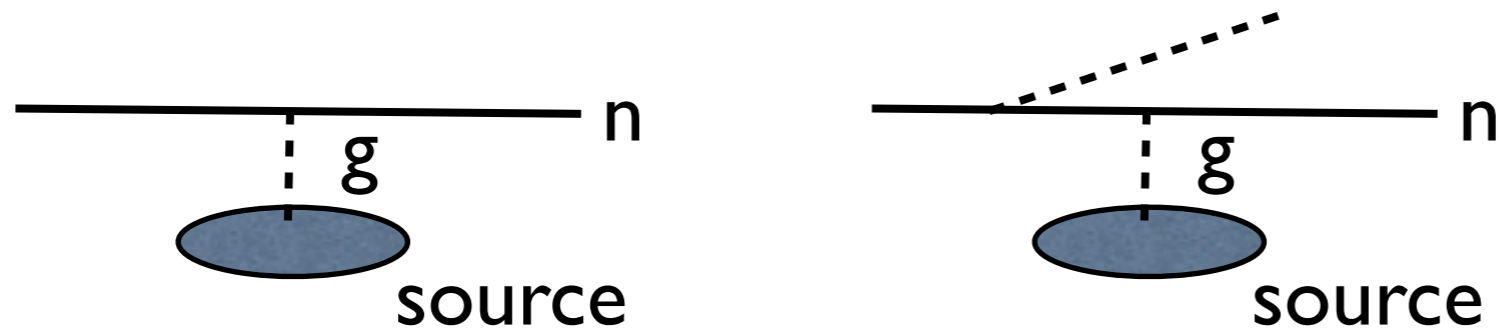
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This talk: How to derive Jet broadening and Radiative energy loss using Effective Field Theory?

# Effective Theory for Jets in the medium

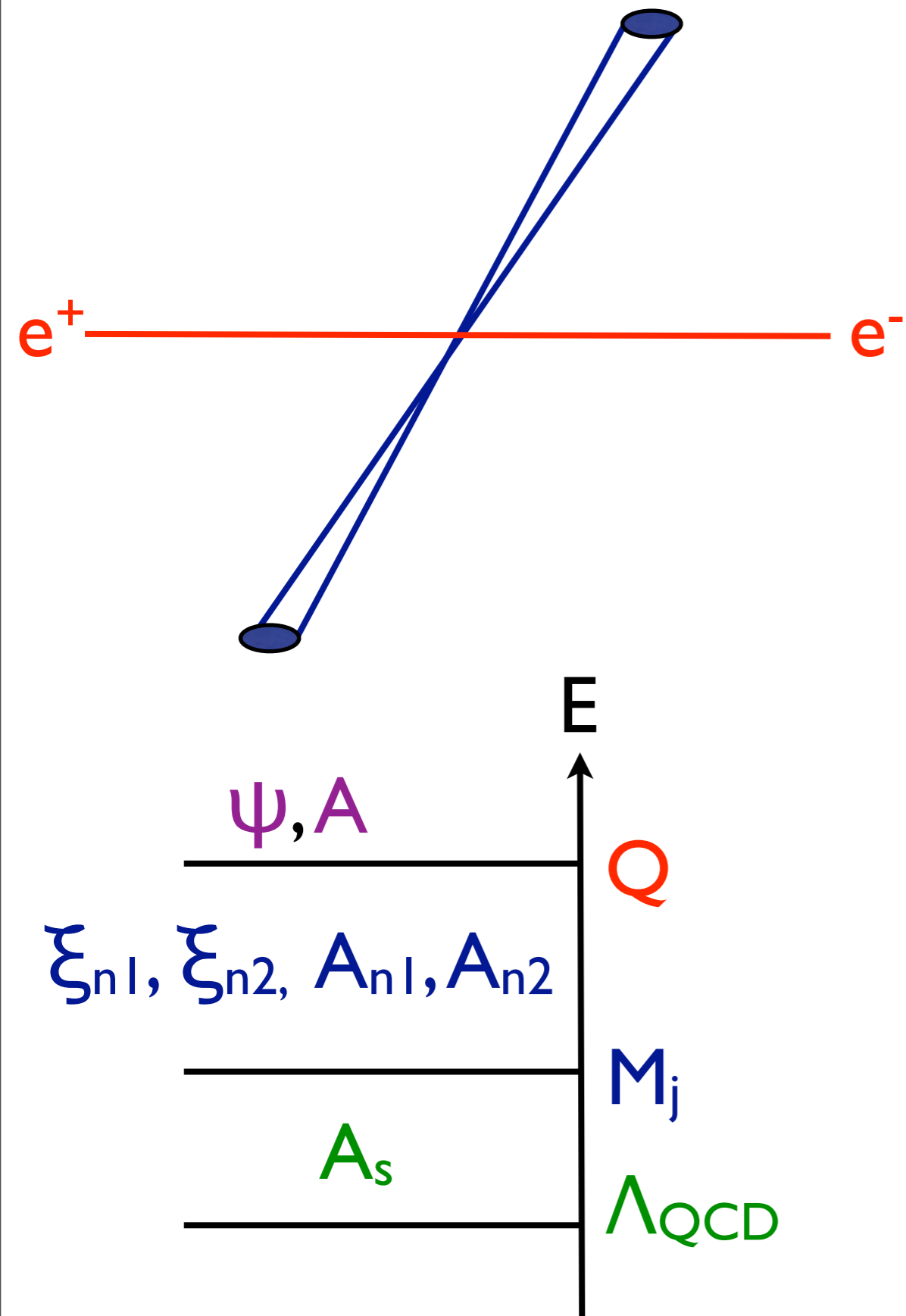
# Expectations from the effective theory



- Our goal is to construct an **effective theory** for highly energetic **quarks** and **gluons** in the **medium**
- **Soft Collinear Effective Theory(SCET)** is a good start
- Need to add the transverse(**Glauber**) gluons to the **SCET** lagrangian: **SCET<sub>G</sub>**
- We want to go beyond the **static source** approximation
- Check gauge invariance of the **broadening** and **bremstrahlung**

# Soft Collinear Effective Theory

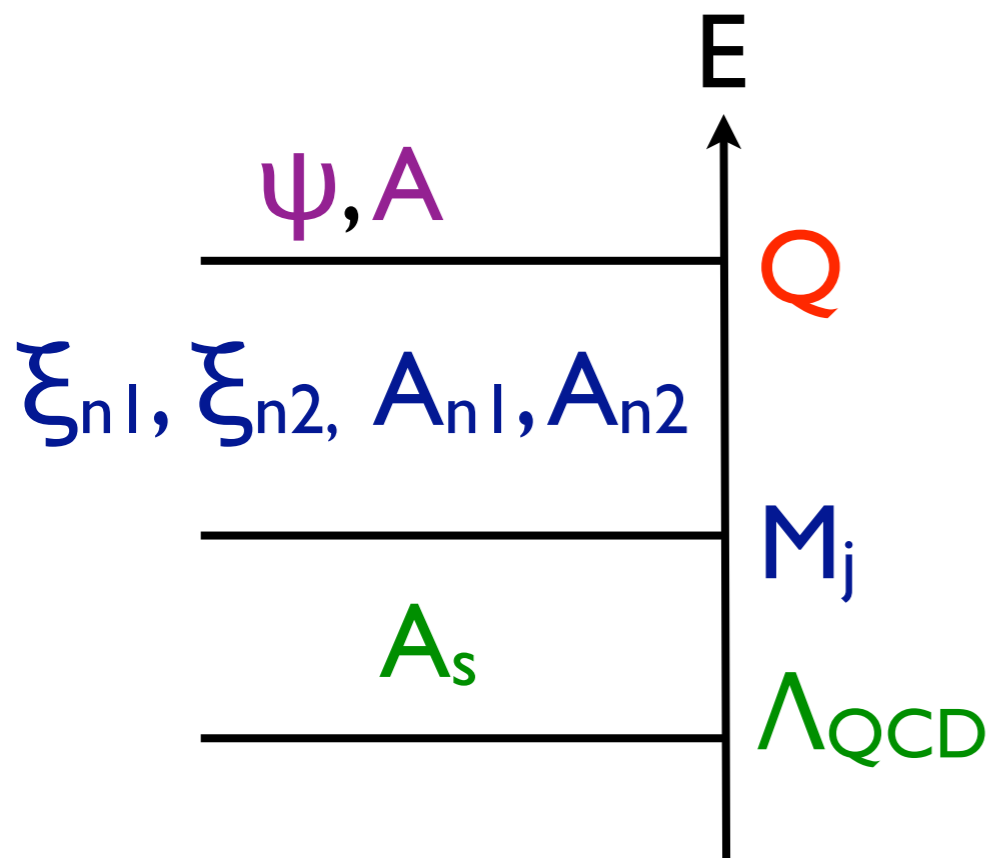
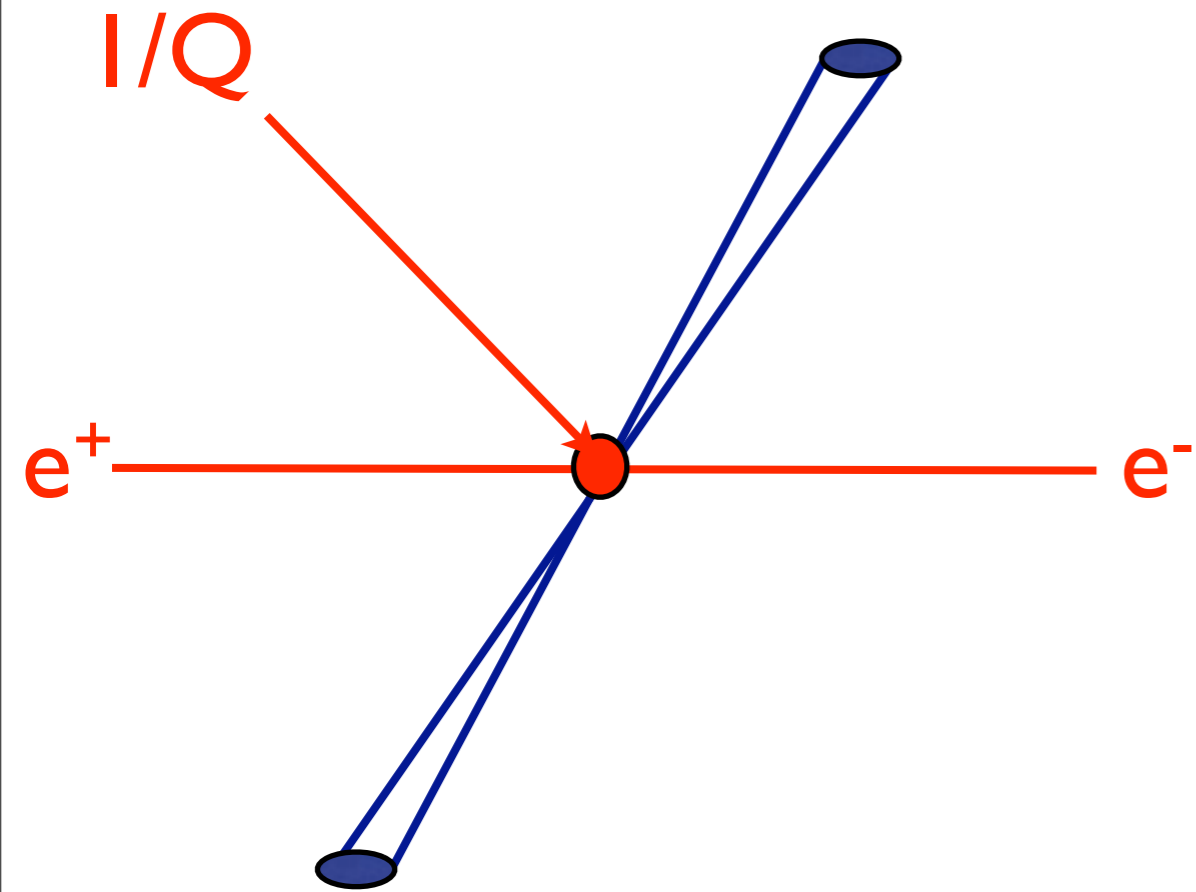
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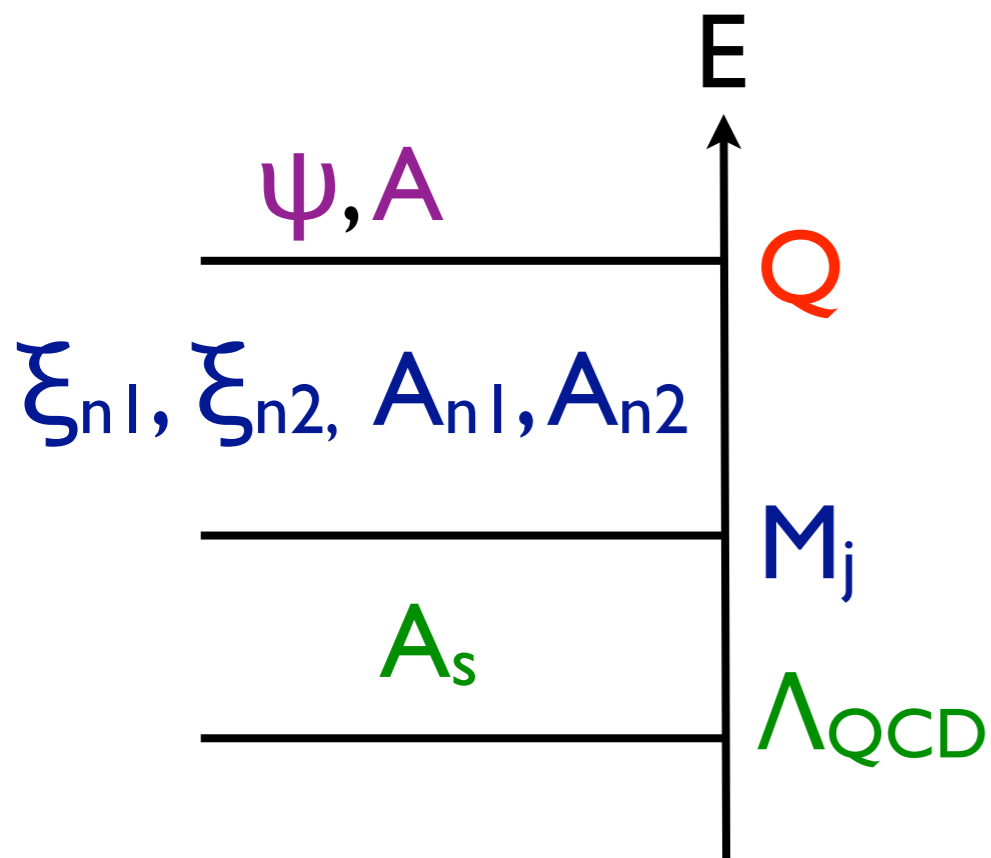
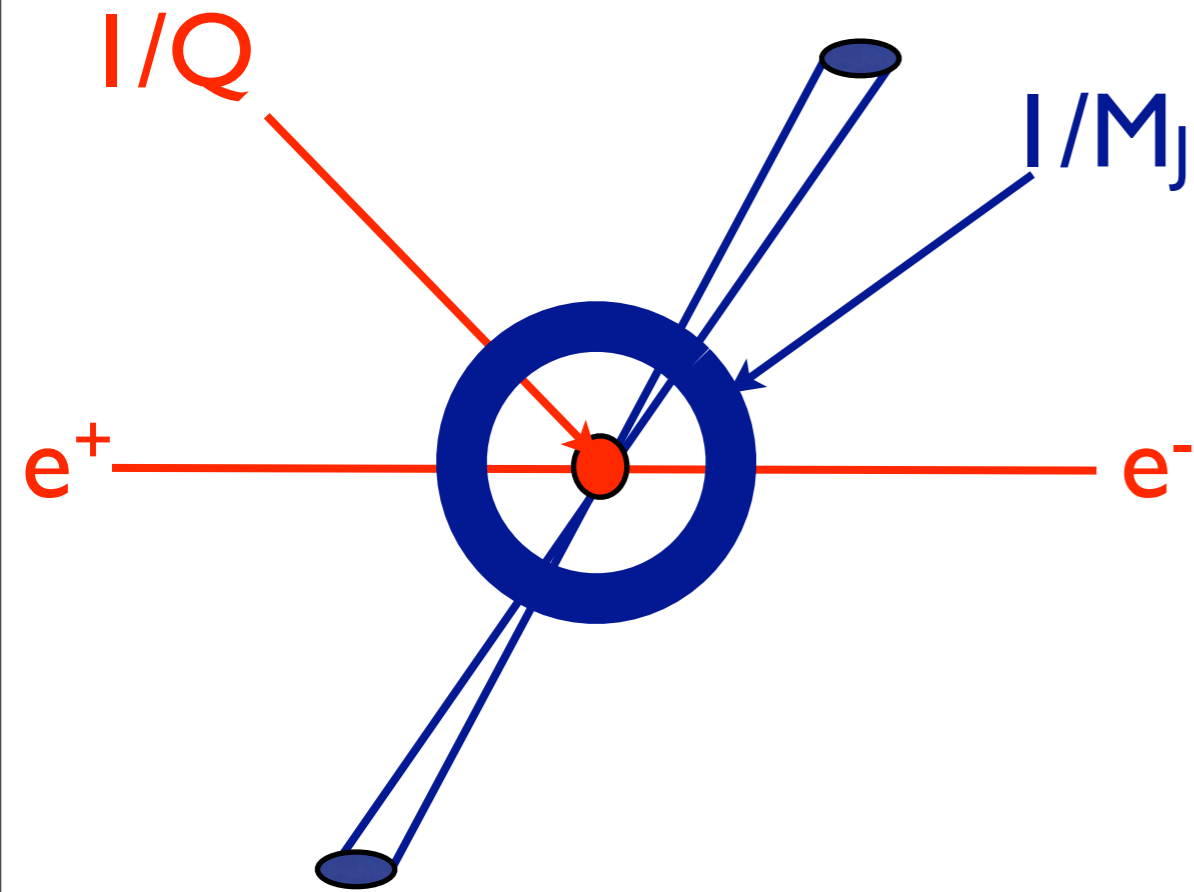
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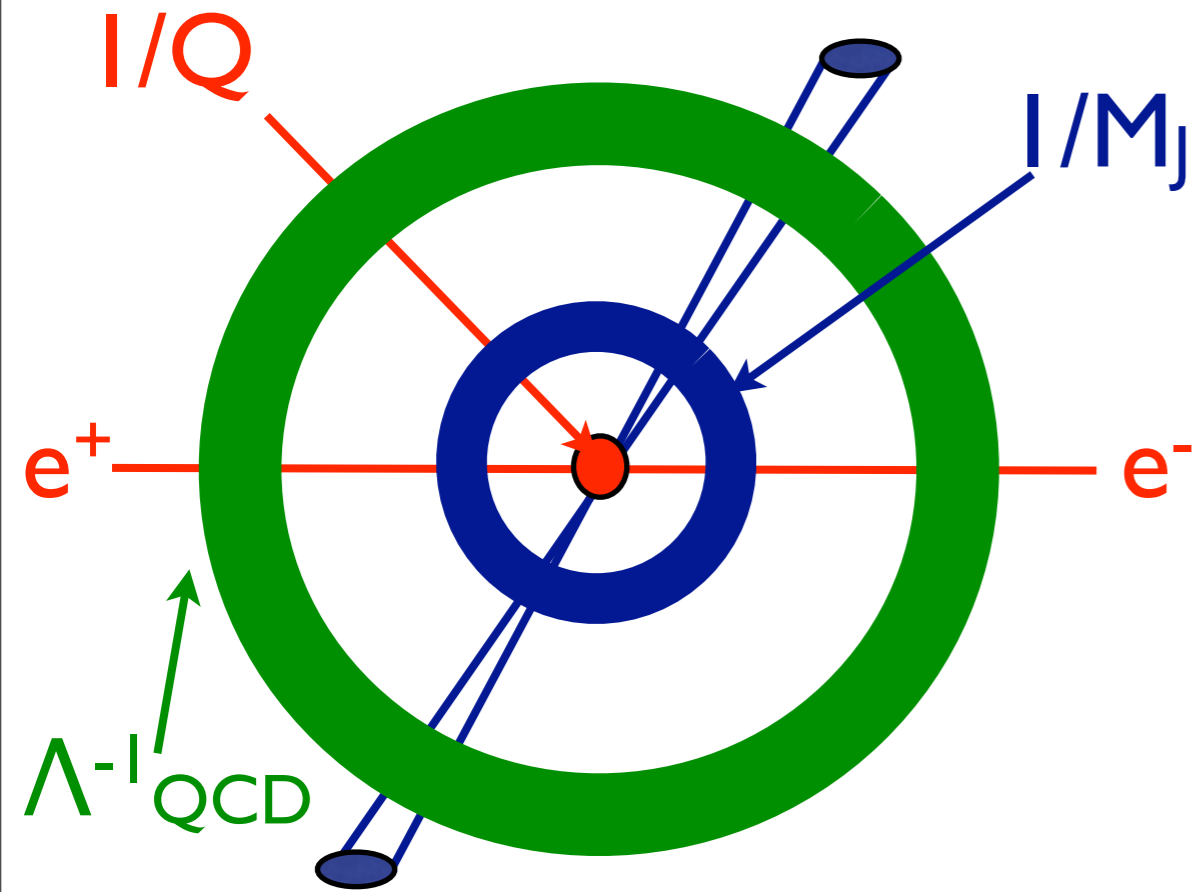


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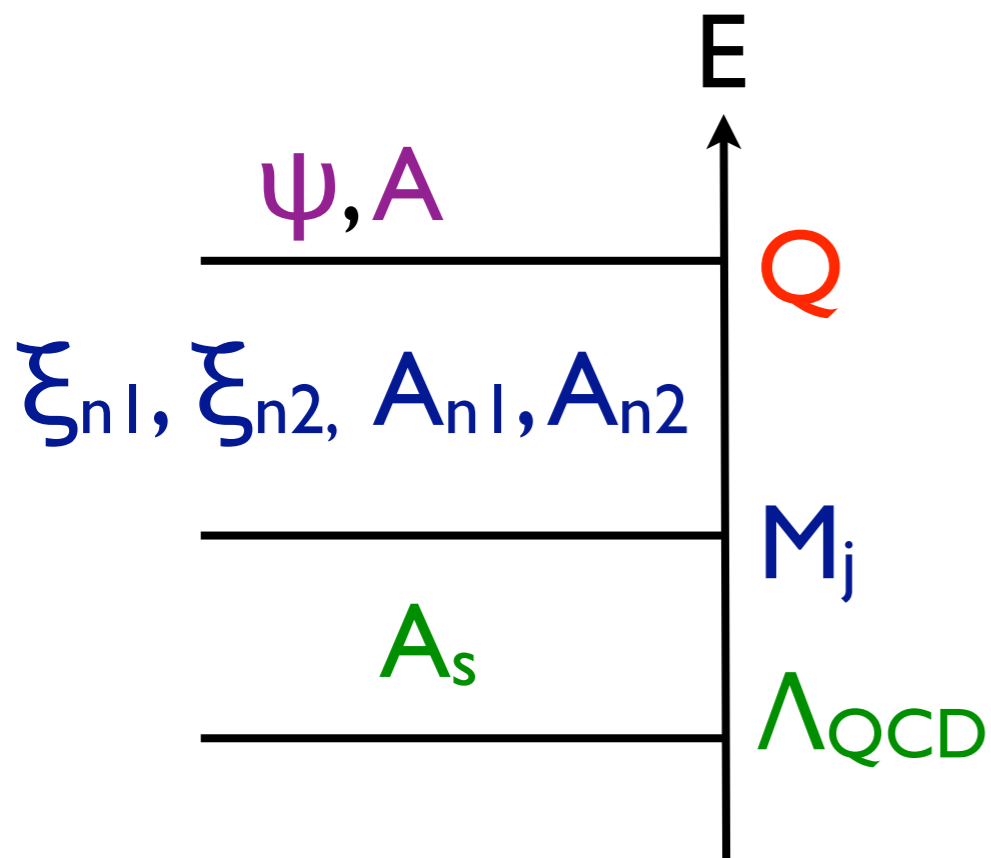


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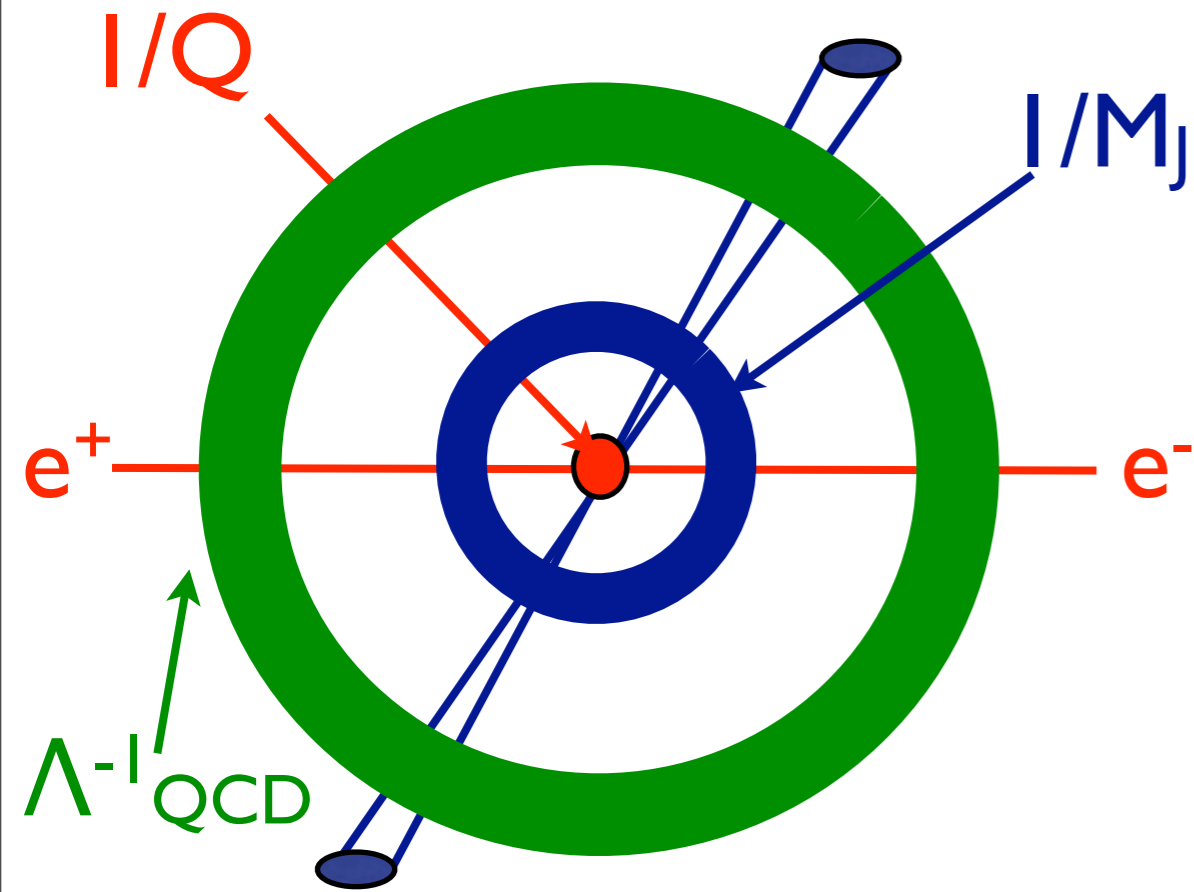


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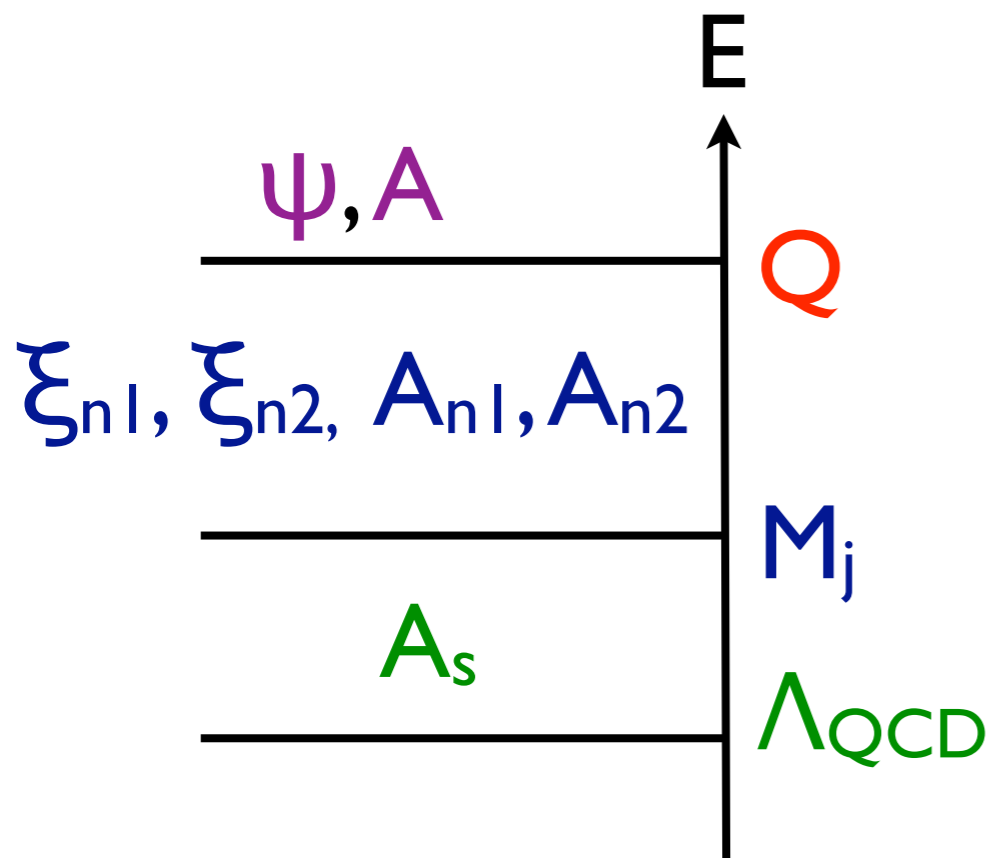
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Need to include **Glauber** gluons to **SCET**



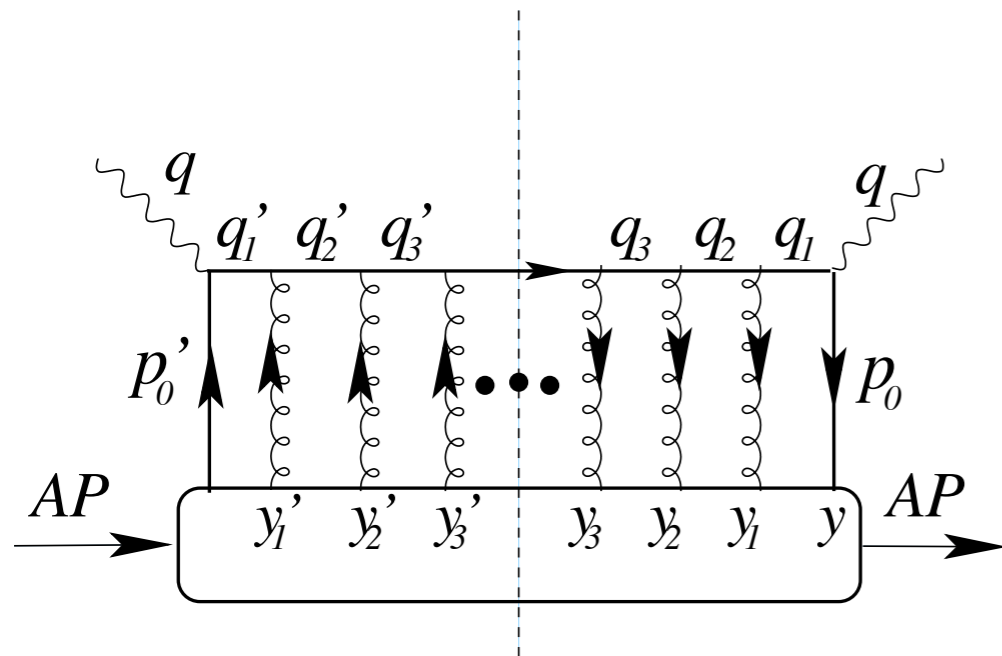
# SCET<sub>G</sub> = SCET + Glauber gluons

$$q(\lambda^2, \lambda^2, \lambda)$$

Idilbi, Majumder(08)

$$L_G(\xi_{\bar{n}}, A_G)$$

SIDIS



- n-collinear source
- covariant, light-cone gauge

D'Eramo, Liu, Rajagopal(10)

$$P(k_{\perp}) = \int d^2 x_{\perp} e^{-ik_{\perp} \cdot x_{\perp}} \mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{R}}(x_{\perp})$$

$$\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{R}}(x_{\perp}) = \frac{1}{d(\mathcal{R})} \left\langle \text{Tr} \left[ W_{\mathcal{R}}^{\dagger}[0, x_{\perp}] W_{\mathcal{R}}[0, 0] \right] \right\rangle$$

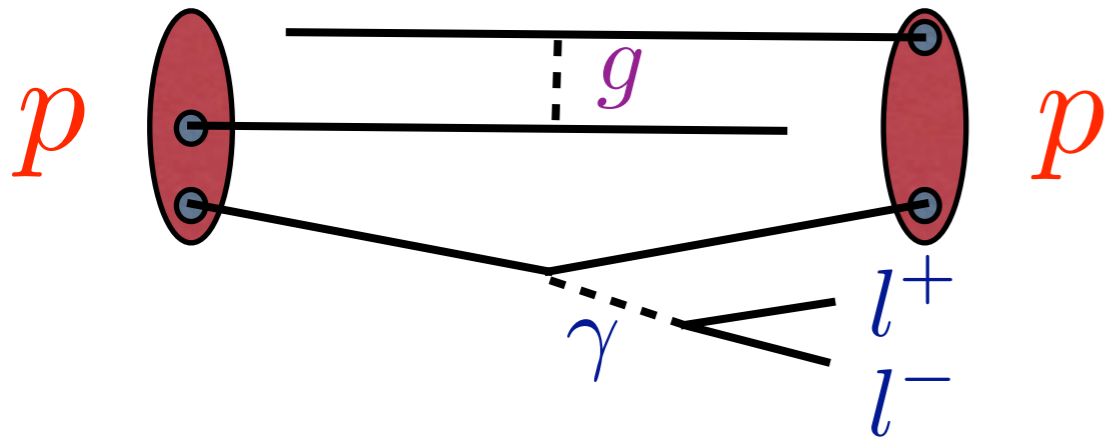
$$W_F[y^+, y_{\perp}] \equiv P \left\{ \exp \left[ ig \int_0^{L^-} dy^- A^+(y^+, y^-, y_{\perp}) \right] \right\}$$

- Probability density of the scattered jet is equal to exp.value of two **Wilson Lines**
- Derived in the **covariant gauge**

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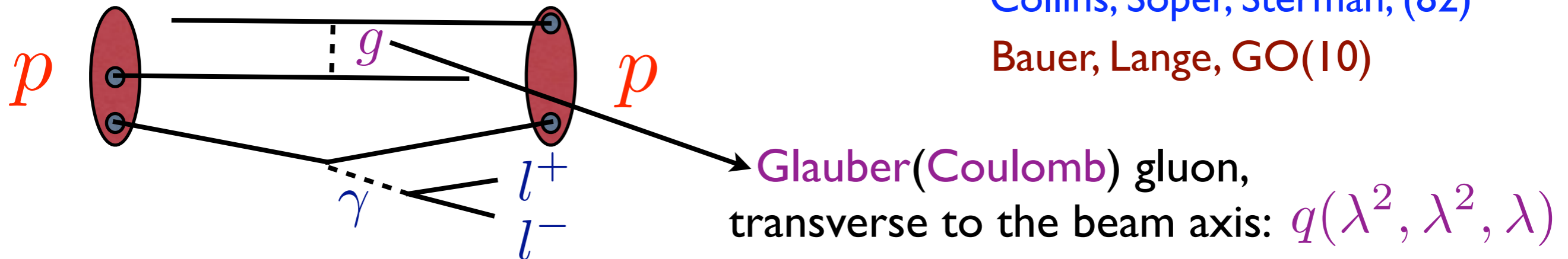


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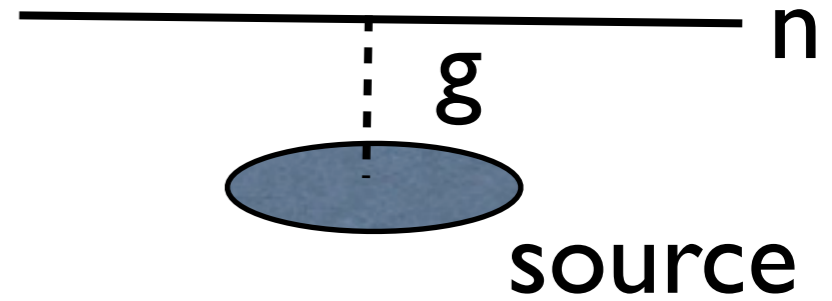
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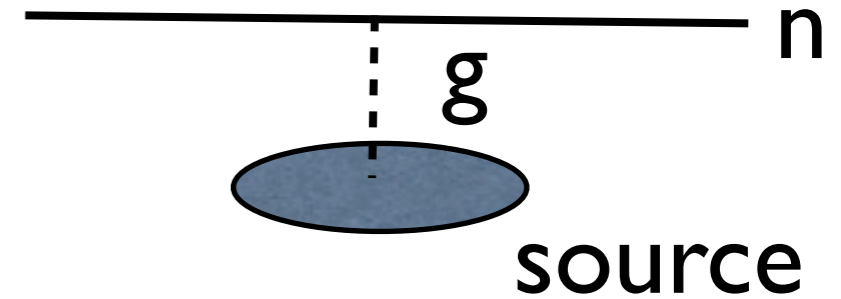
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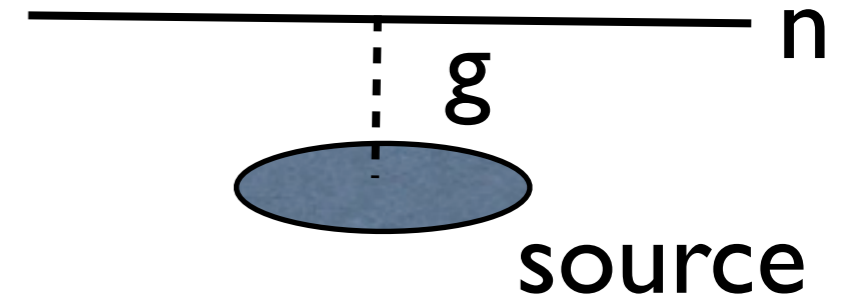


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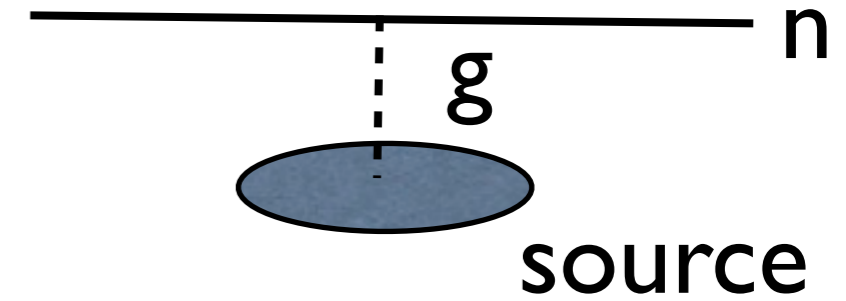


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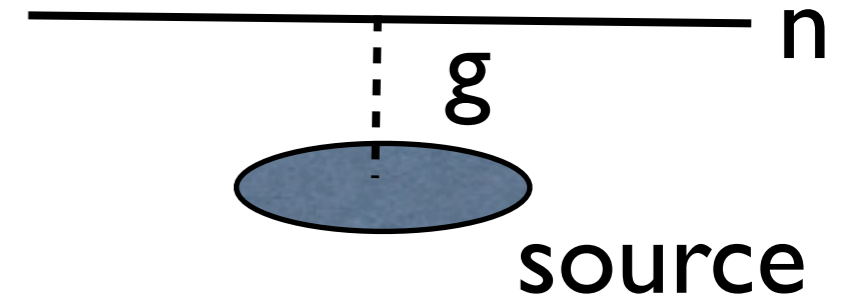


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Elements in the table:

$$\Gamma_1^\mu = igT^a n^\mu \frac{\vec{\eta}}{2},$$

$$\Sigma_1^{\mu,\nu,\lambda} = gf^{abc} n^\mu \left[ g^{\nu\lambda} \bar{n} \cdot q_1 + \bar{n}^\nu (q_{2\perp}^\lambda - q_{1\perp}^\lambda) - \bar{n}^\lambda (q_{2\perp}^\nu - q_{1\perp}^\nu) - \frac{1 - \frac{1}{\xi}}{2} (\bar{n}^\lambda q_1^\nu + \bar{n}^\nu q_2^\lambda) \right],$$

$$\Gamma_2^\mu = igT^a \frac{\gamma_\perp^\mu \not{p}_\perp + \not{p}'_\perp \gamma_\perp^\mu}{\bar{n} \cdot p} \frac{\vec{\eta}}{2},$$

$$\Sigma_2^{\mu,\nu,\lambda} = gf^{abc} \left[ g_\perp^{\mu\lambda} \left( -\frac{n^\nu}{2} q_1^+ + q_{1\perp}^\nu - 2q_{2\perp}^\nu \right) + g_\perp^{\mu\nu} \left( -\frac{n^\lambda}{2} q_1^+ + q_{2\perp}^\lambda - 2q_{1\perp}^\lambda \right) + g_\perp^{\nu\lambda} (n^\mu \bar{n} \cdot q_1 + q_{1\perp}^\mu + q_{2\perp}^\mu) \right]$$

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$$\Gamma_4^\mu = igT^a \gamma^\mu,$$

$$\Sigma_3^{\mu,\nu,\lambda} = gf^{abc} \left[ g_\perp^{\mu\lambda} \left( \frac{\bar{n}^\nu}{2} (q_1^- - 2q_2^-) + q_{1\perp}^\nu - 2q_{2\perp}^\nu \right) + g_\perp^{\mu\nu} \left( \frac{\bar{n}^\lambda}{2} (q_2^- - 2q_1^-) + q_{2\perp}^\lambda - 2q_{1\perp}^\lambda \right) + g_\perp^{\nu\lambda} (q_{1\perp}^\mu + q_{2\perp}^\mu) \right]$$

- Our Glauber Lagrangian is invariant under the gauge symmetries of **SCET**  $\mathcal{L}_G(\xi_n, A_n, \eta) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_G(W_n^\dagger \xi_n, \mathcal{B}_n(A_n), \eta) \equiv \mathcal{L}_G(\chi_n, \mathcal{B}_n, \eta)$
- We derived the Feynman rules for three types of sources: **collinear**, **static**, and **soft** quarks and three gauges: **covariant**, **A<sup>+</sup>=0** and **A<sup>-</sup>=0** gauges.

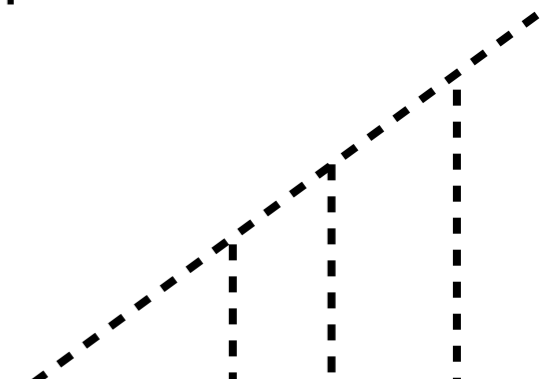
# Results for jet broadening and jet energy loss

# Diagrams to be evaluated

Jet broadening

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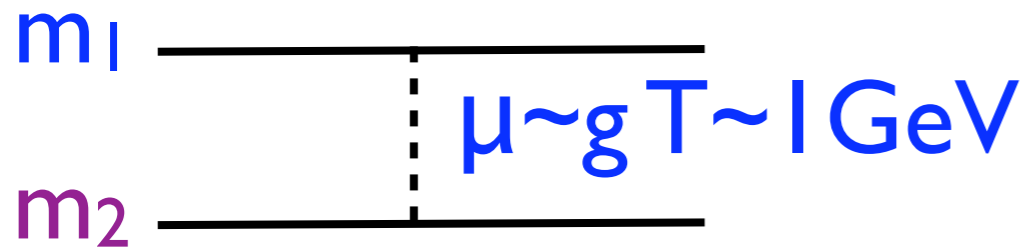
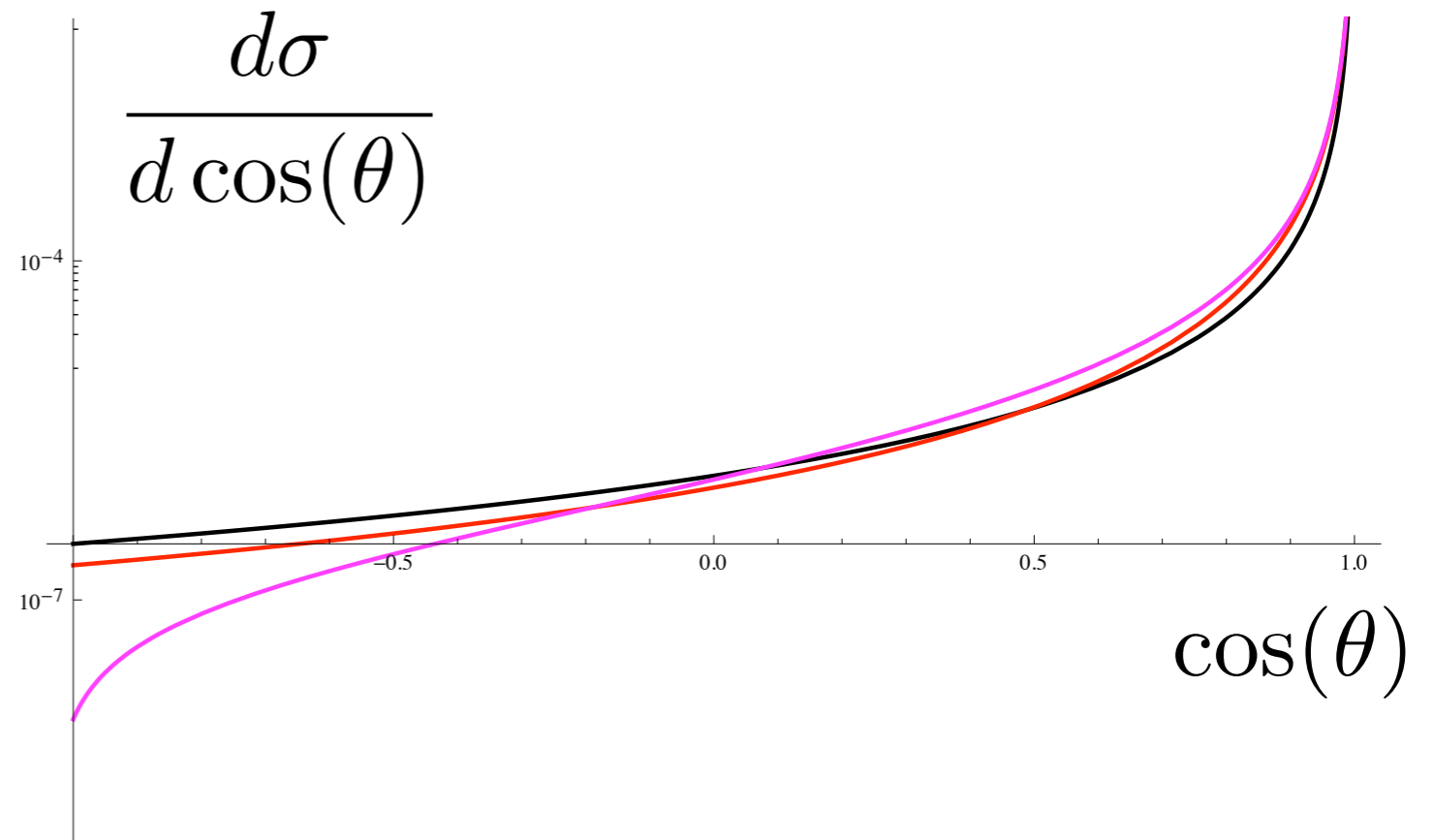
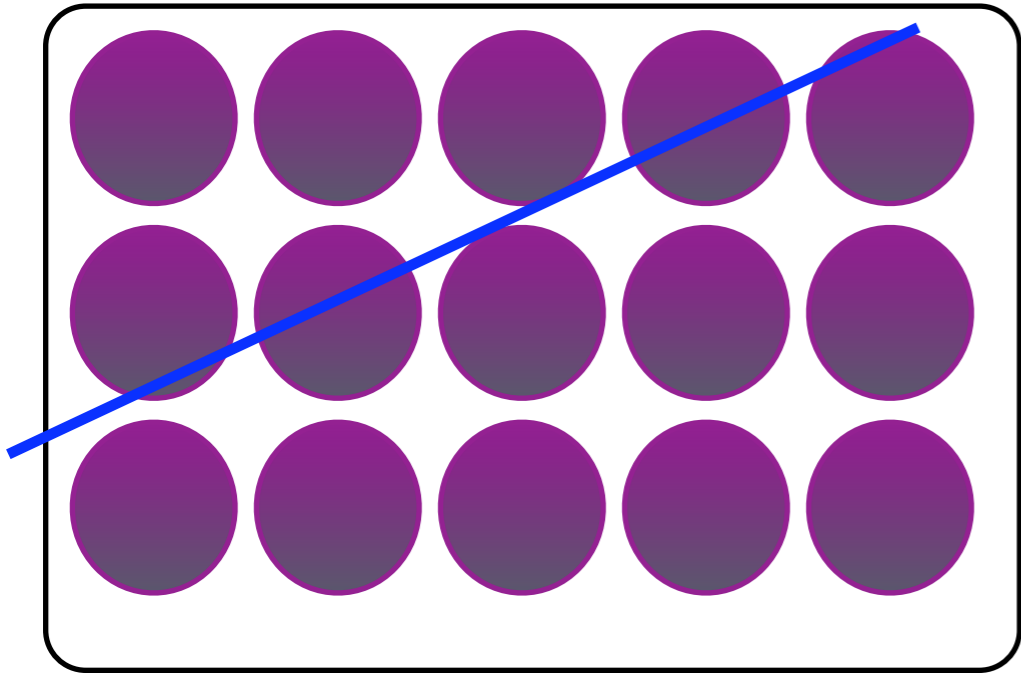
Radiative energy loss

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$n$ -opacity

What kinematics should we assume for the source term?

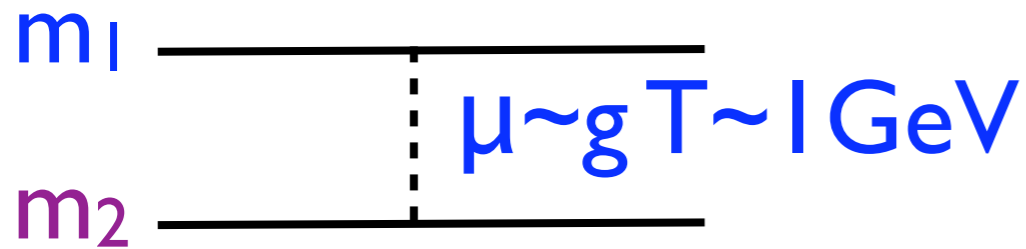
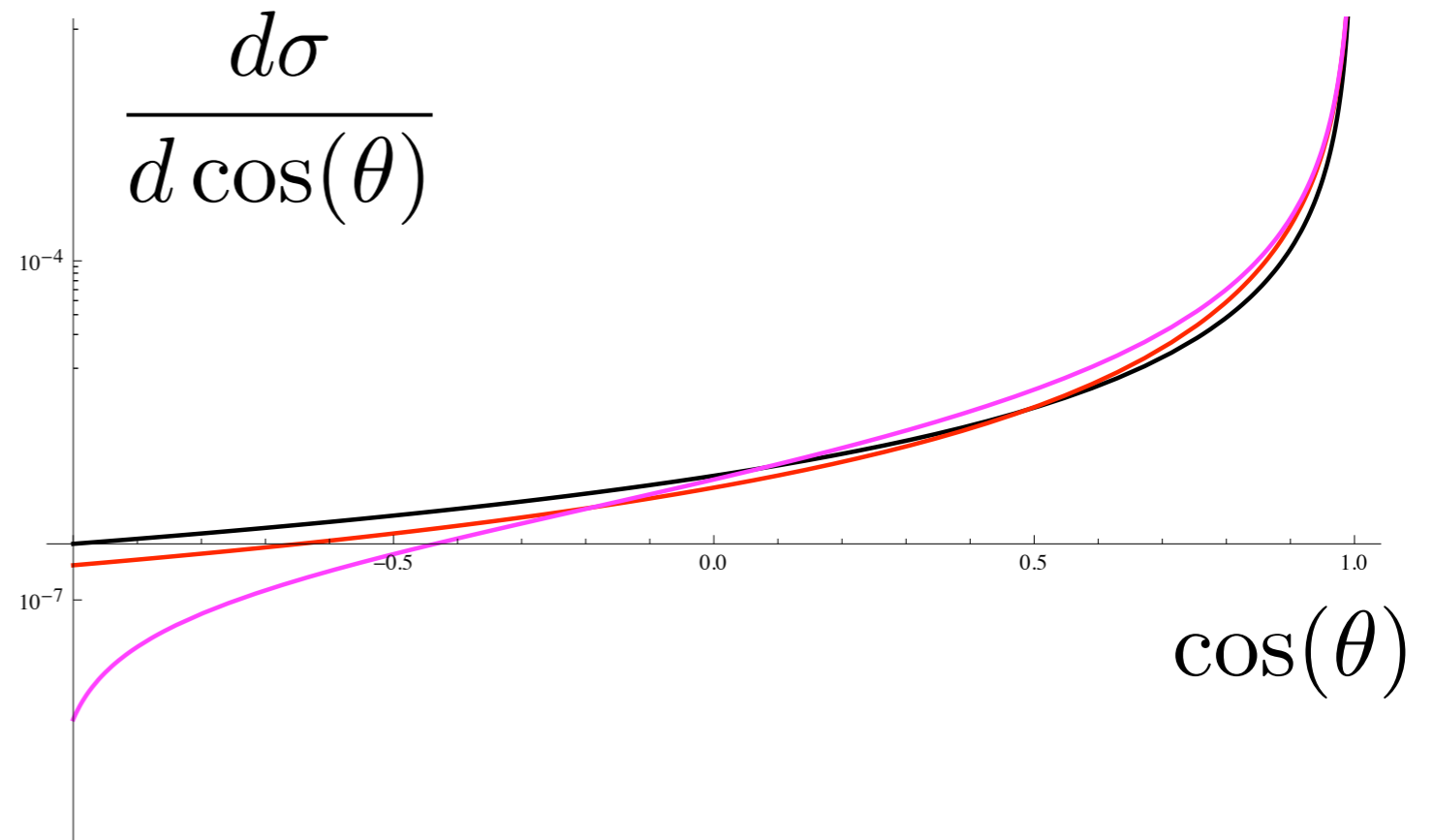
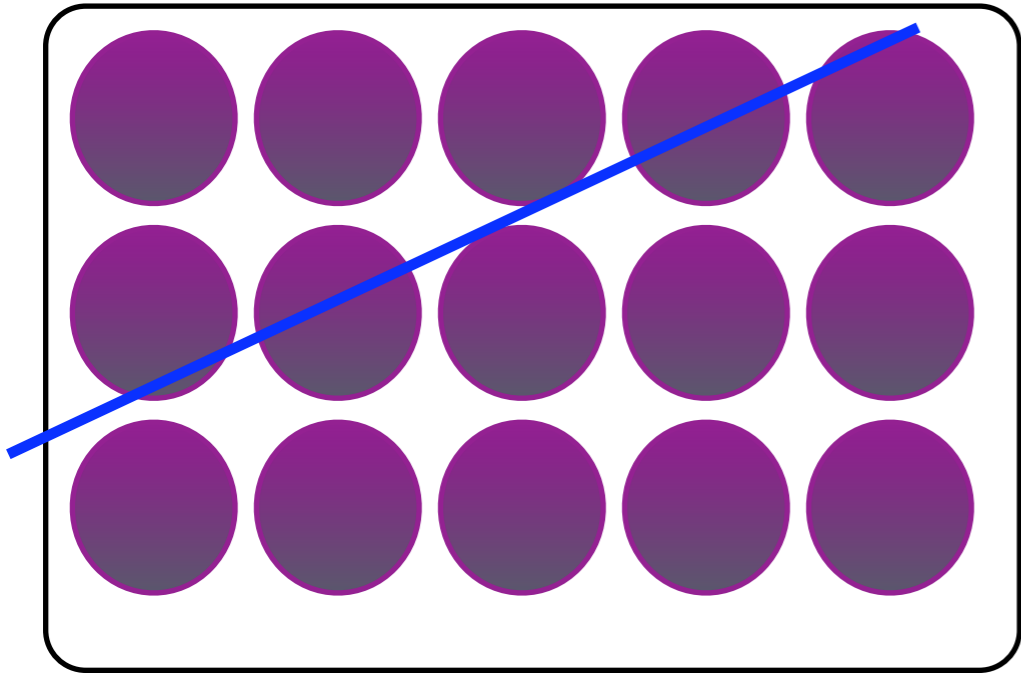
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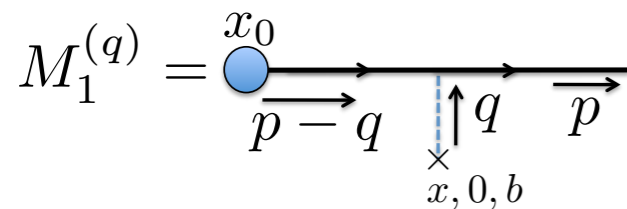
Static source is a realistic assumption

# Gauge invariance

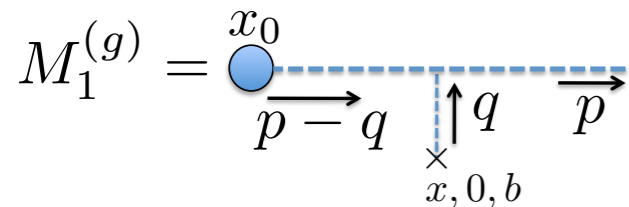
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$$\mathcal{L}_G(\xi_n, A_n, \eta) = \sum_{p, p', q} e^{-i(p-p'+q)x} \left( \bar{\xi}_{n, p'} \Gamma_{qqA_G}^{\mu, a} \frac{\vec{\eta}}{2} \xi_{n, p} - i \Gamma_{ggA_G}^{\mu\nu\lambda, abc} \left( A_{n, p'}^b \right)_\nu \left( A_{n, p}^c \right)_\lambda \right) \bar{\eta} \Gamma_s^{\nu, a} \eta \Delta_{\mu\nu}(q)$$

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Prescription	$\frac{1}{[k^+]}$	$\Delta_{A^+}$	$\Delta_{A^-}$
+i0	$\frac{1}{k^+ + i0}$	1	0
-i0	$\frac{1}{k^+ - i0}$	0	-1
PV	$\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{k^+ + i0} + \frac{1}{k^+ - i0} \right)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$
ML	$\frac{1}{k^+ + i0 \text{sign}(k^-)}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$

The light-cone prescription dependence suggest that a new Wilson line be introduced

**Idilbi, Scimemi, 10**

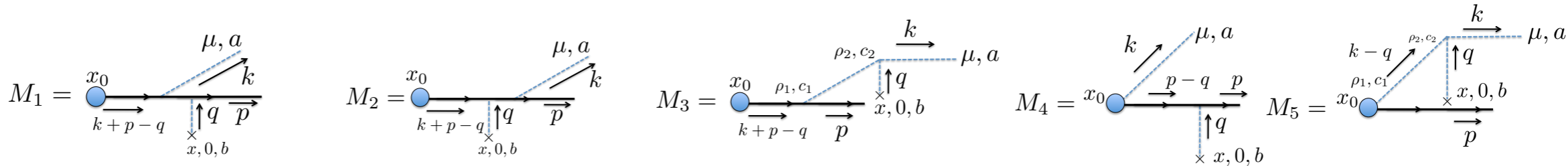
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## Radiative Energy Loss

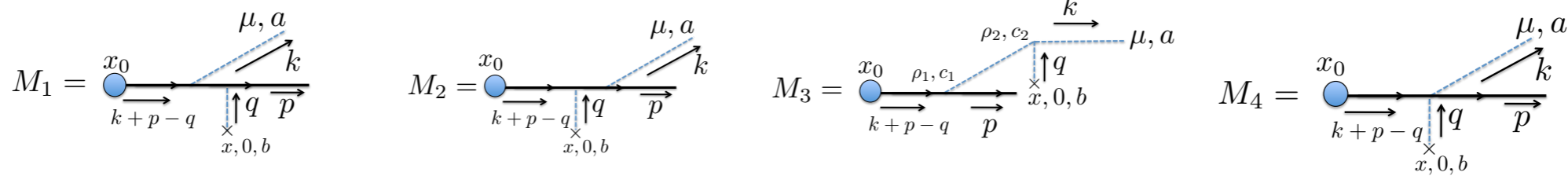
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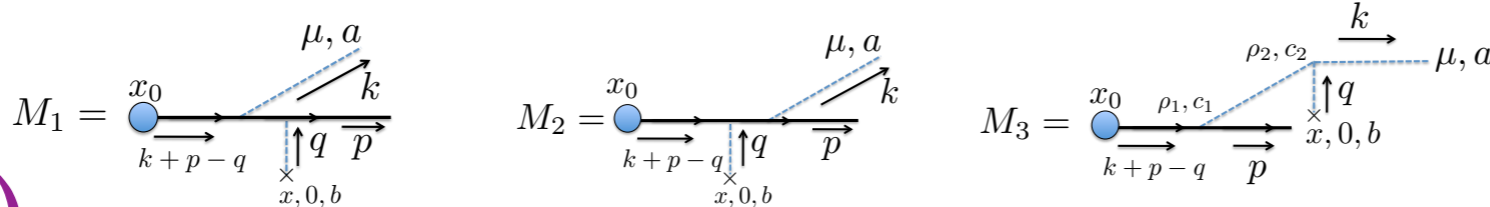
$R_\xi$



$A^+=0$



Hybrid  
 $R_\xi$  (glauber),  
 $A^+$  (collinear)



Again gauge invariance works non-trivially in all cases, up to T-Wilson line necessity in  $A^+=0$  gauge



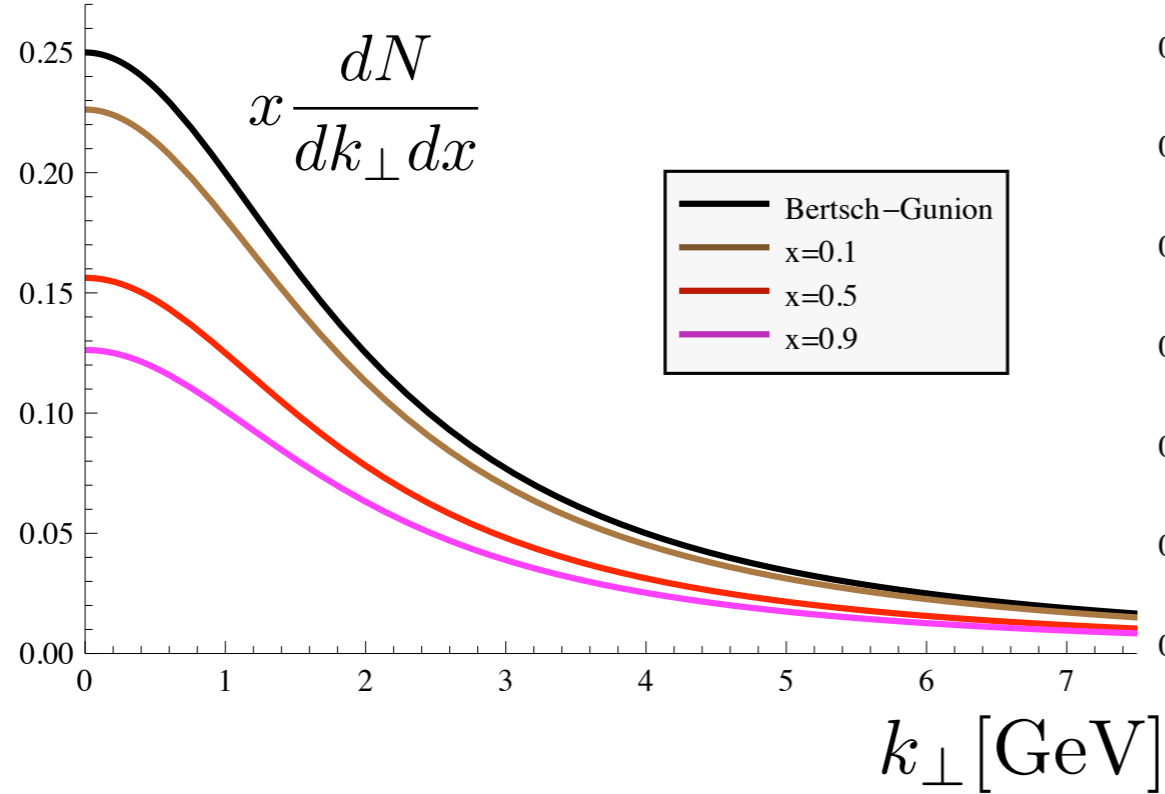
# Comparison with previous results

Gyulassy, Levai, Vitev, 00

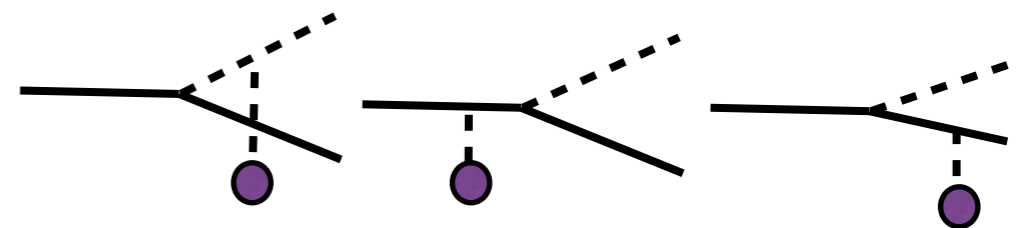
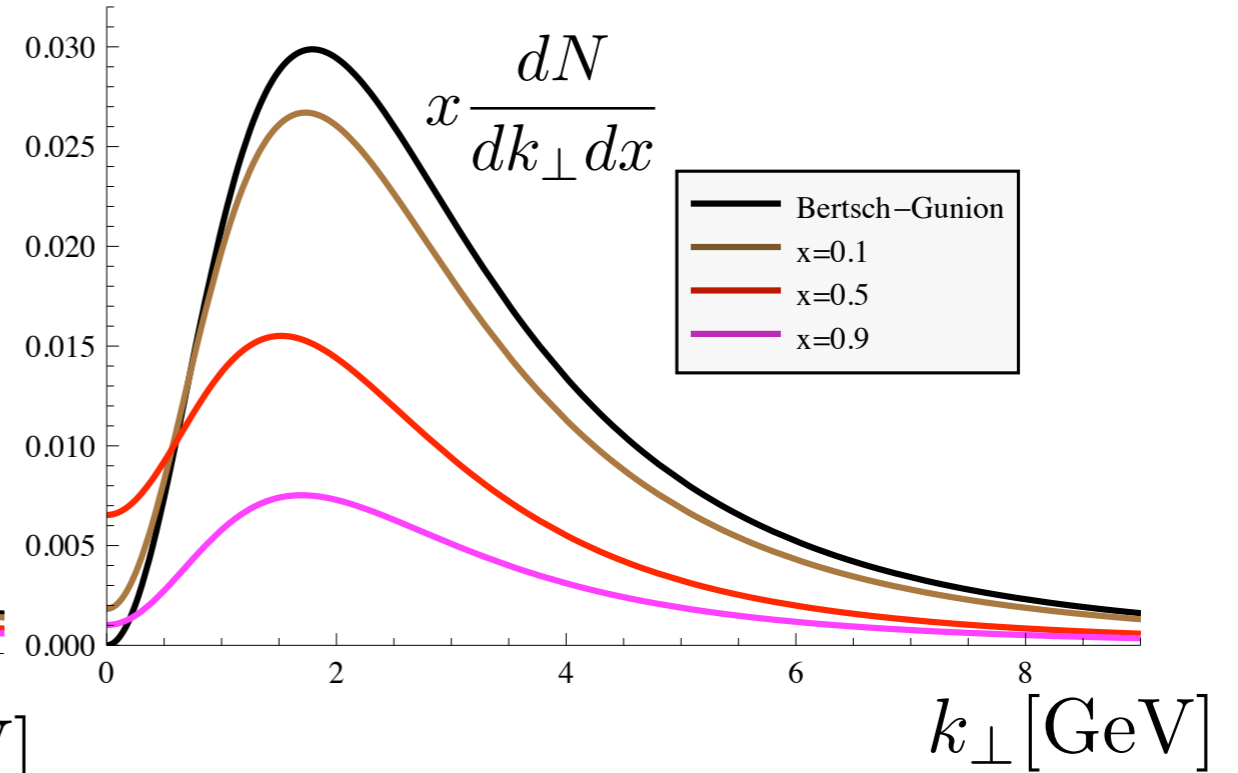
- For **Jet broadening** and **Radiative energy loss** we have verified that the scattering kernels are gauge invariant
- For the **Jet broadening** our results agree with previously derived results in **GLV** approach
- For the **Radiative energy loss** our results agree with **GLV** approach in the soft gluon approximation

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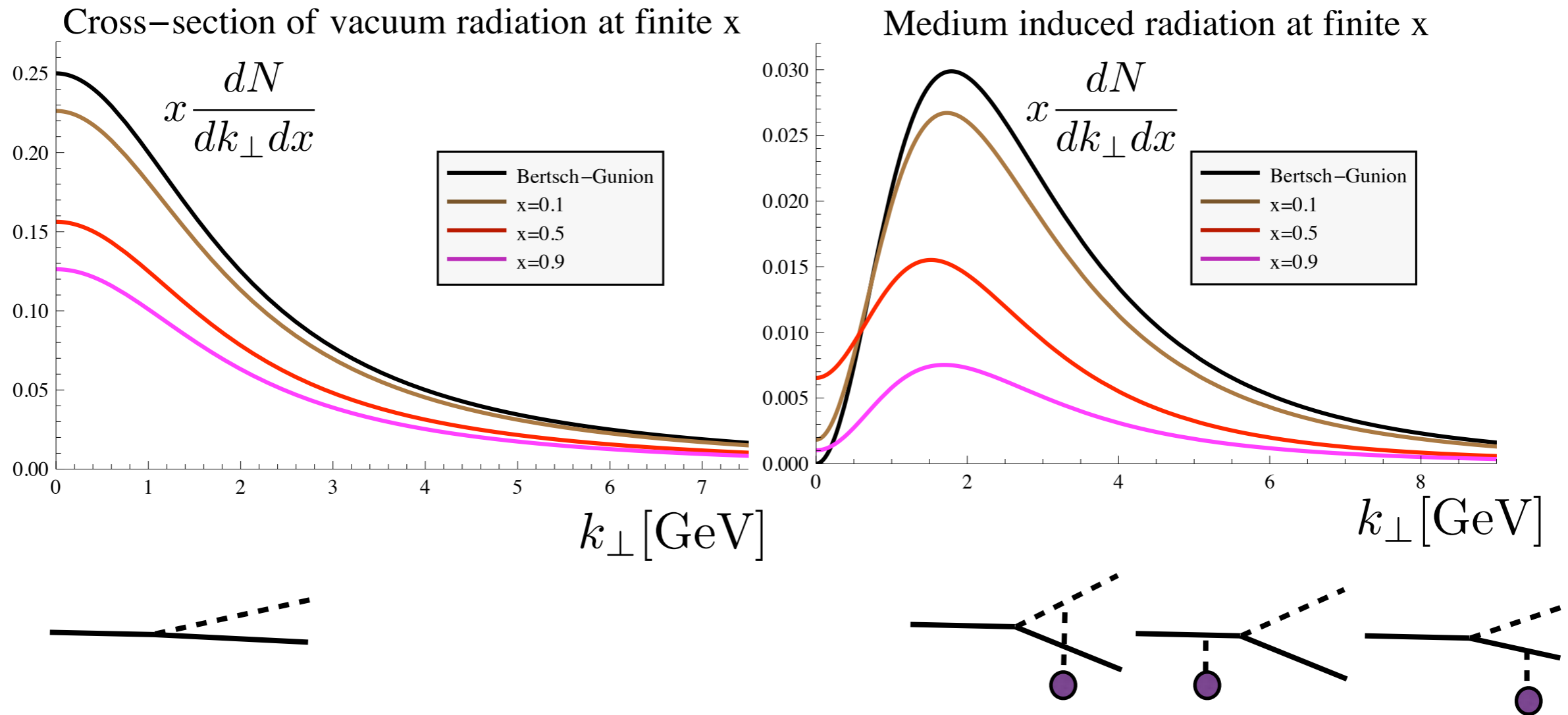
Cross-section of vacuum radiation at finite  $x$



Medium induced radiation at finite  $x$



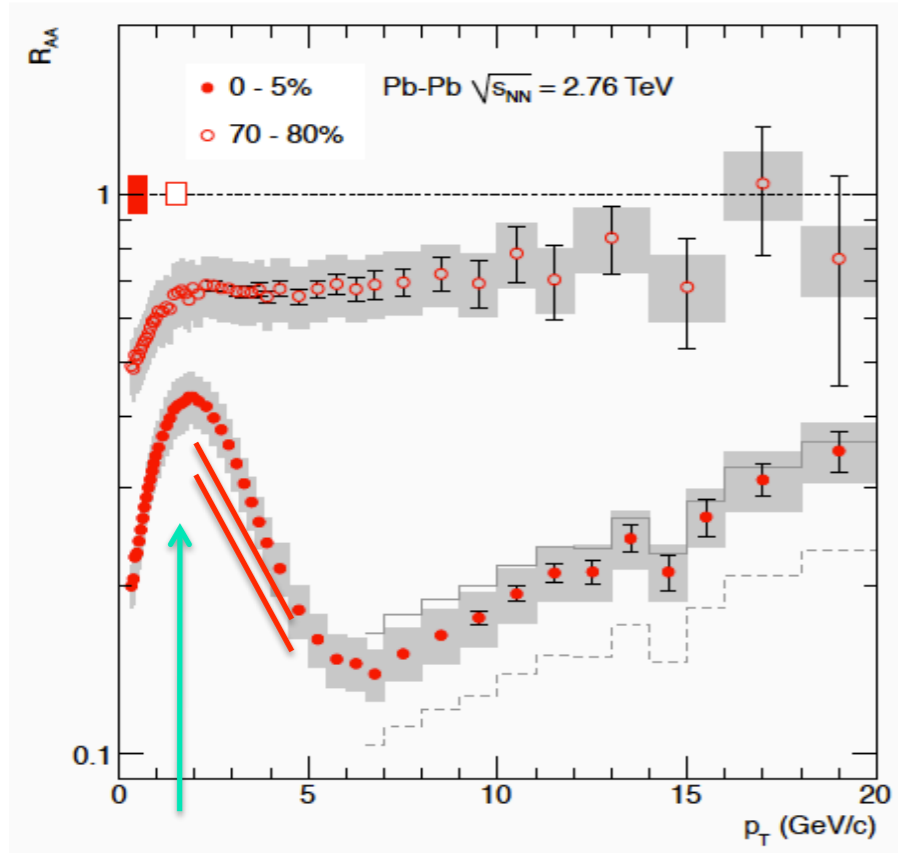
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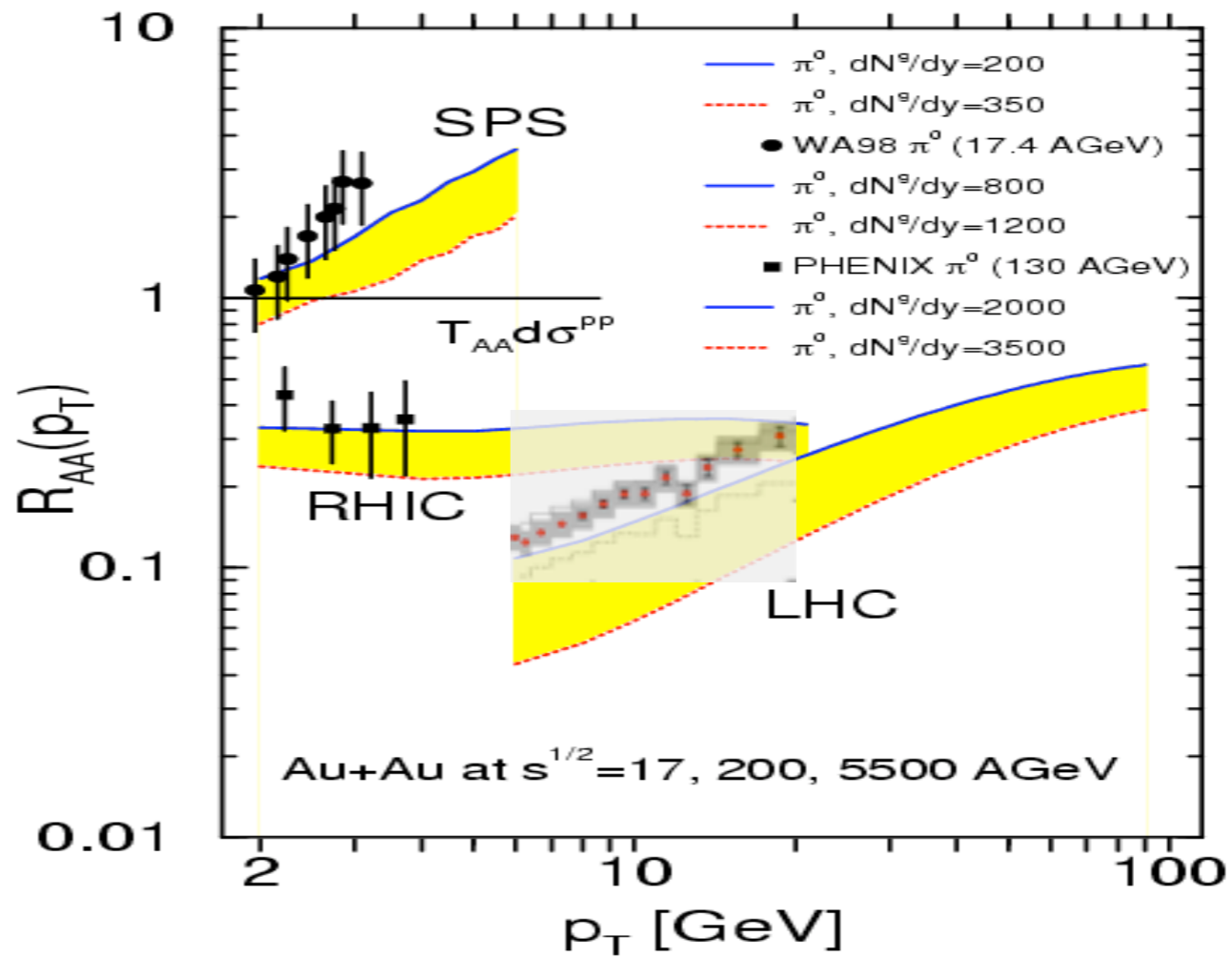
- Typical treatment of energy loss uses **soft gluon** approximation  $x \ll 1$
- Our results show that the **finite  $x$  effects** push towards the **smaller energy loss**

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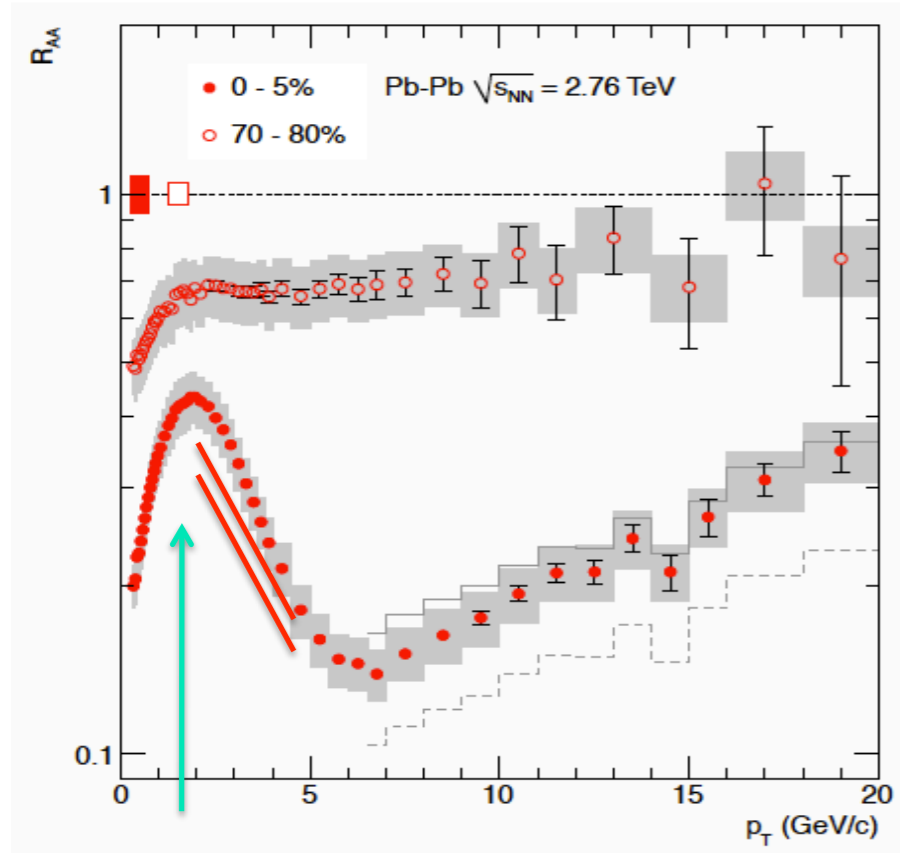


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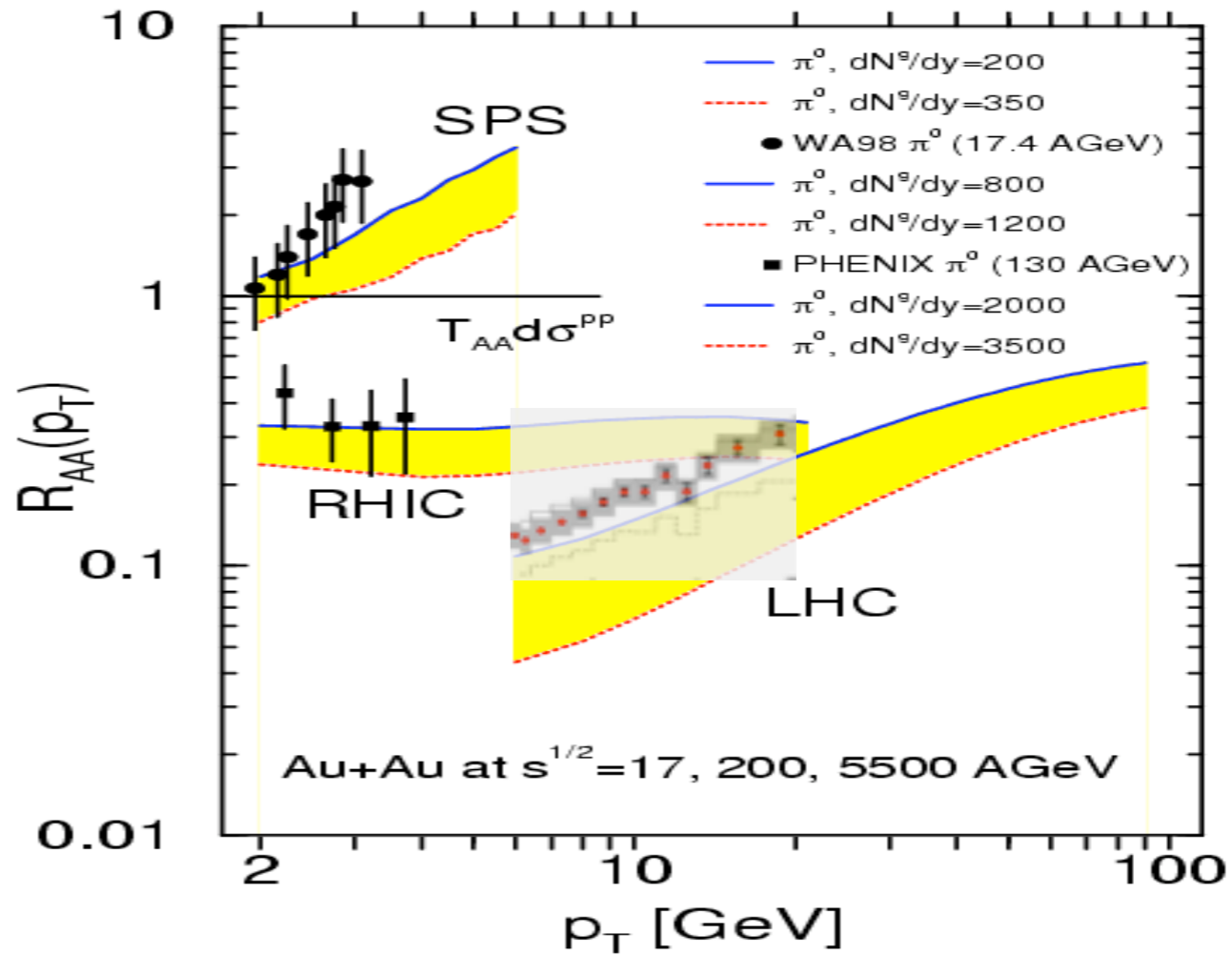
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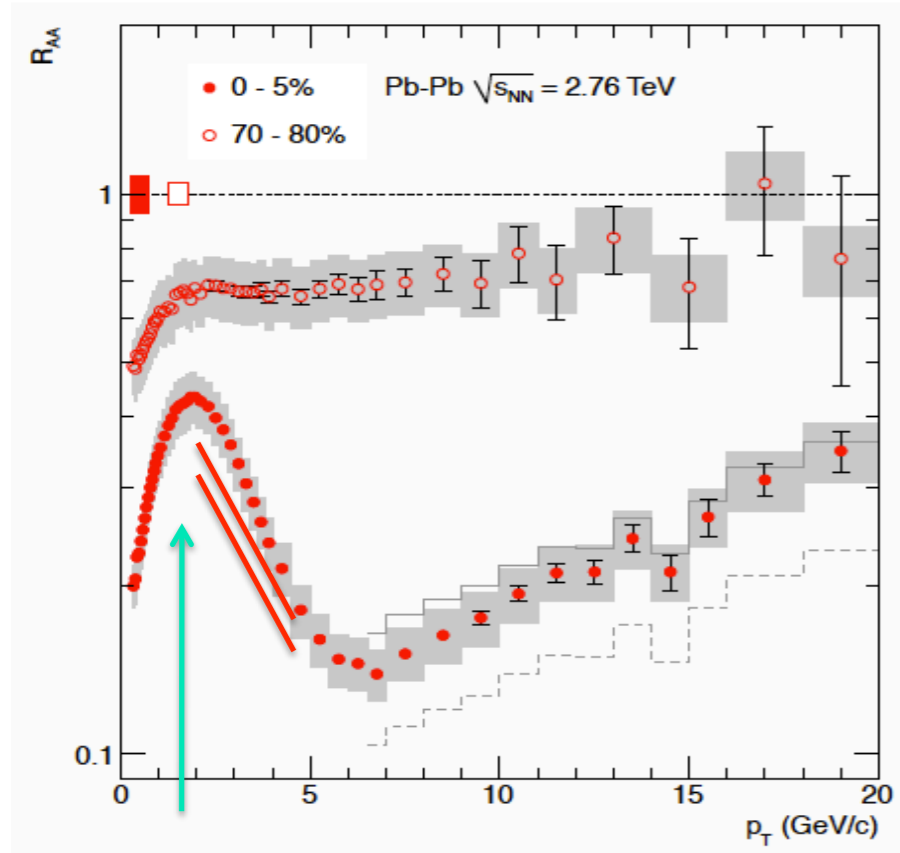
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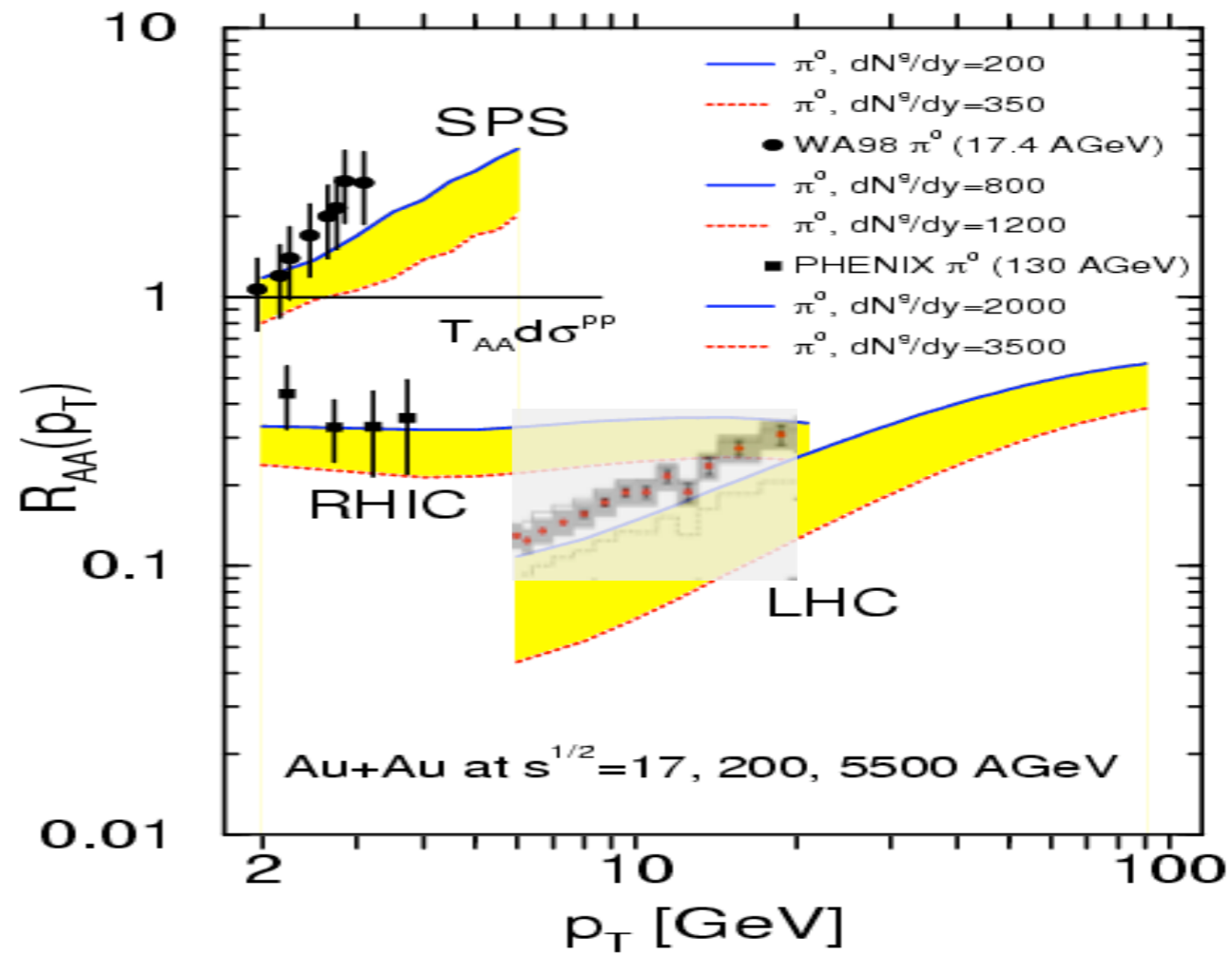
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# Conclusions

- We constructed **effective theory** for jet propagation in **medium**, including **collinear quarks** and **gluons**
- We formulated the **effective theory** in three different gauges and demonstrated the **gauge invariance** of the scattering kernels, derived previously in **PQCD** in **soft gluon approximation**
- **Effective theory** Feynman rules allowed us to go beyond the **soft gluon approximation**
- Constructed Lagrangian of **SCET<sub>G</sub>** needs to be completed with soft gluons
- Such effective theory should be applied to **factorization** of the **Drell-Yan** process