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Our goal and the dream machine

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SM expectation for the muon collider



A lot of particle physics is missing in the Standard Model

- Why Electroweak Symmetry Breaking occurs? What is the history of the Electroweak Phase Transition?
- The reason for the Hierarchy in Fermion Masses and their Flavor Structure

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- The Nature of Dark Matter
- The origin of the Matter-Antimatter Asymmetry
- The generation of Neutrino Masses
- The cause of the Universe's accelerated expansion Dark Energy
- What are the quantum properties of Gravity?
- What caused Cosmic Inflation after the Big Bang?

The SM is silent about all above, BSM physics is at the core of it all



The colliders

Our goal is to "Address the Big Questions" and to "Explore the unknown"

Study known phenomena at high energies looking for indirect evidence of BSM physics Higgs Factories ⇒ Probe TeV scale via precision measurements

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 Search for direct evidence of BSM physics at the energy frontier Directly reach the multi-TeV scale

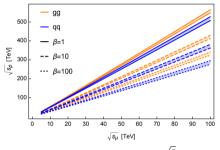
Current Colliders

- ► Hadron colliders collide **composite particles** ⇒ To reach high energies Generate large QCD backgrounds and you use a fraction of the energy of beam for physics
- ightharpoonup Lepton colliders collide **fundamental particles** \Rightarrow To reach high precisions Exploit the full energy and avoid large QCD backgrounds



Dream machine: A multi-TeV level lepton collider

Get use of the full machine energy



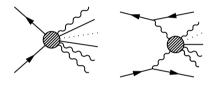
Discovery reach: $M \sim \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}$

[2103.14043 "Muon Smasher's Guide"]

 $\label{eq:muC} \begin{array}{l} \text{muC}@10\,\text{TeV} \sim pp@70\,\text{TeV} \\ \text{10 TeV is not the limit} \end{array}$

More than lepton collisions:

Two mechanisms: Annihilation VS Fusion



\Rightarrow VBF collider:









Need to resum the large Logs

⇒ The partonic picture is needed



The partonic picture

[T. Han, YM, K. Xie, 2007.14300, 2103.09844]



Hadron colliders and the Parton Distribution Function (PDF)

ullet Recall the hadron colliders: the $\mathrm{Sp\bar{p}S}$, the Tevatron, or the LHC



• Factorization formalism : PDFs \otimes partonic cross sections

- Hadrons are composite a, b are the "partons" from the beam particles A and B.
- **PDFs**

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 $f_{a/A}$, $f_{b/B}$ are the probabilities to find a parton a (b) from the beam particle A(B) with a momentum fraction x_a (x_b).



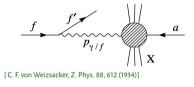


"Parton" of a lepton

Leptons are elementary particles ⇒ "Equivalent photon approximation (EPA)"

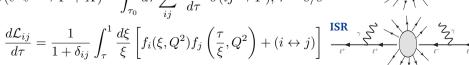
Treat photon as a parton constituent in the electron

$$\sigma(\ell^- + a \to \ell^- + X) = \int dx \, f_{\gamma/\ell} \hat{\sigma}(\gamma a \to X)$$
$$f_{\gamma/\ell, \text{EPA}}(x_\gamma, Q^2) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \frac{1 + (1 - x_\gamma)^2}{x_\gamma} \ln \frac{Q^2}{m_\ell^2}$$



At lepton colliders
$$\sigma(\ell^+\ell^- \to F + X) = \int_{\tau_0}^1 d\tau \sum_{ij} \frac{d\mathcal{L}_{ij}}{d\tau} \, \hat{\sigma}(ij \to F), \, \tau = \hat{s}/s$$

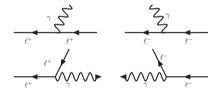
$$d\mathcal{L}_{ij} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\tau_0}^1 d\xi \left[f_{\tau}(\xi, Q^2) f_{\tau}(\tau, Q^2) + (i, t, s) \right]^{\text{ISR}} \, dS$$



[E.]. Williams, Phys. Rev. 45, 729 (1934)]



- $\ell^+\ell^-$ annihilation
- **FPA** and ISR



- "Effective W Approx." (EWA)
- [G. Kane, W. Repko, and W. Rolnick, PLB 148 (1984) 367]
- [S. Dawson, NPB 249 (1985) 42]



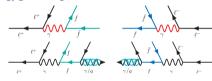


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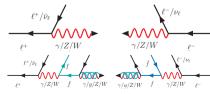
[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2007.14300, 2103.09844]

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Above μ_{QCD} : QED \otimes QCD q/g emerge



Above $\mu_{\rm EW}=M_Z$: EW \otimes QCD EW partons / corrections to the above





The PDF evolution: DGLAP

► The DGLAP equations

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}f_i}{\mathrm{d}\log Q^2} = \sum_I \frac{\alpha_I}{2\pi} \sum_i P_{ij}^I \otimes f_j$$

The initial conditions

$$f_{\ell/\ell}(x, m_{\ell}^2) = \delta(1-x)$$

- Three regions and two matchings
 - $ightharpoonup m_{\ell} < Q < \mu_{\text{OCD}}$: QED
 - $\triangleright Q = \mu_{\text{OCD}} \leq 1 \text{ GeV}$: $f_a \propto P_{ax} \otimes f_x$, $f_a = 0$
 - $\blacktriangleright \mu_{\rm OCD} < Q < \mu_{\rm EW}$: QED \otimes QCD
 - $Q = \mu_{EW} = M_Z$: $f_V = f_t = f_W = f_Z = f_{\gamma Z} = 0$
 - $\blacktriangleright \mu_{\rm EW} < Q$: EW \otimes QCD.

$$\begin{pmatrix} f_B \\ f_{W^3} \\ f_{BW^3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_W^2 & s_W^2 & -2c_W s_W \\ s_W^2 & c_W^2 & 2c_W s_W \\ c_W s_W & -c_W s_W & c_W^2 - s_W^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} f_\gamma \\ f_Z \\ f_{\gamma Z} \end{pmatrix}$$

We work in the (B, W) basis. The technical details can be referred to the backup slides.



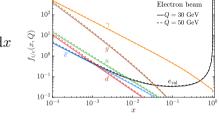
The QED QCD PDFs for lepton colliders

- **Electron PDFs**: $f_{e_{\text{val}}}$, f_{γ} , $f_{\ell_{\text{sea}}}$, f_q , f_q
- Scale uncertainty: 10% for $f_{a/e}$

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▶ The averaged momentum fractions $\langle x_i \rangle = \int x f_i(x) dx$

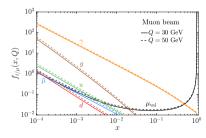
$Q(e^{\pm})$	e_{val}	γ	ℓsea	q	g
30 GeV	96.6	3.20	0.069	0.080	0.023
50 GeV	96.5	3.34	0.077	0.087	0.026
M_Z	96.3	3.51	0.085	0.097	0.028



SM expectation for the muon collider

- Muon PDFs: $f_{\mu_{\text{vol}}}$, f_{γ} , $f_{\ell_{\text{sea}}}$, f_{q} , f_{q}
- \triangleright Scale uncertainty: 20% for $f_{a/\mu}$
- ▶ The averaged momentum fractions $\langle x_i \rangle = \int x f_i(x) dx$

$Q(\mu^{\pm})$	μ_{val}	γ	ℓsea	q	g
30 GeV	98.2	1.72	0.019	0.024	0.0043
50 GeV	98.0	1.87	0.023	0.029	0.0051
M_Z	97.9	2.06	0.028	0.035	0.0062





The PDFs of a lepton beyond the EW scale

► All SM particles are partons

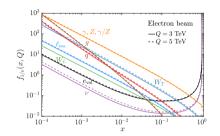
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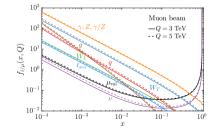
► The sea leptonic and quark PDFs show up

$$\nu = \sum_{i} (\nu_{i} + \bar{\nu}_{i}),
\ell \text{sea} = \bar{\mu} + \sum_{i \neq \mu} (\ell_{i} + \bar{\ell}_{i}),
q = \sum_{i=d}^{t} (q_{i} + \bar{q}_{i})$$

There is even neutrino due to the EW sector

- $ightharpoonup W_L$ does not evolve at the leading order.
- The EW correction is not small: $\sim 50\%$ (100%) for $f_{d/e}$ ($f_{d/\mu}$) due to the relatively large SU(2) gauge coupling. [T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2103.09844]
- \blacktriangleright Scale uncertainty: $\sim 15\%$ (20%) between Q=3 TeV and Q=5 TeV







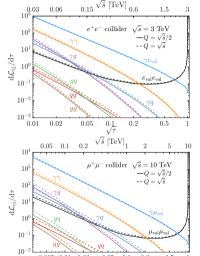
Parton luminosities at high-energy lepton colliders

A $3 \, \text{TeV} \, e^+ e^-$ machine and a $10 \, \text{TeV} \, \mu^+ \mu^-$ machine

Partonic luminosities for

$$\ell^+\ell^-, \gamma\ell, \gamma\gamma, qq, \gamma q, \gamma g, gq, \text{ and } gg$$

- $ightharpoonup \gamma \gamma$ gives the largest partonic luminosity
- ► The luminosity of $\gamma q + \gamma q$ is $\sim 50\%$ (20%) of $\gamma \gamma$
- The luminosities of qq, qq, and qq are $\sim 2\%$ (0.5%) of $\gamma\gamma$
- Given the stronger QCD coupling, sizable QCD cross sections are expected.
- \triangleright Scale uncertainty is $\sim 20\%$ (50%) for photon (gluon) initiated processes.



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The SM expectation

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[T. Han, YM, K. Xie, 2007,14300, 2103,09844]

What do we get if the machine is turned on?

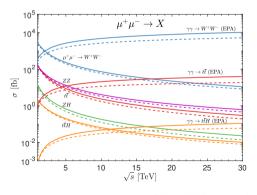
- What is the SM physics picture?
- What is the largest background signal?
- Where can we see the possible BSM physics?



Apply EPA at high-energy lepton colliders

A high-energy muon collider at first glance

What do people expect from a high-energy lepton (muon) collider?



[T. Han, YM, K.Xie 2007.14300]

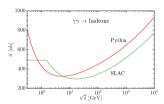
Some "commonsense":

- ightharpoonup The annihilations decrease as 1/s.
- ISR needs to be considered, which can give over 10% enhancement.
- The fusions increase as $\ln^p(s)$, which take over at high energies.
- The large collinear logarithm $\ln(s/m_\ell^2)$ needs to be resummed, set $Q = \sqrt{\hat{s}}/2$,
- $ightharpoonup \gamma \gamma
 ightarrow W^+W^-$ production has the largest cross section.

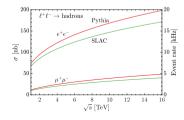


Photon induced hadronic production at high-energy lepton colliders

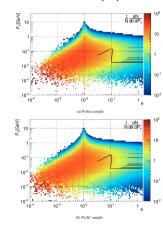
ightharpoonup Model-dependent $\hat{\sigma}_{\gamma\gamma}$



 $ightharpoonup \sigma_{\ell\ell}$ may reach nano-barns



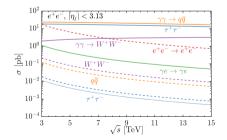
ightharpoonup The events populate at low p_T regime

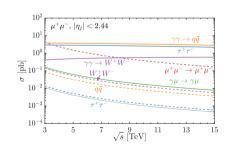




What are the dominant processes in the high p_T range?

- Detector angle & Threshold: $\theta_{\rm cut} = 5^{\circ} (10^{\circ}) \iff |\eta| < 3.13(2.44), m_{ij} > 20 \,\text{GeV}$
- ▶ To separate from the nonperturbative hadronic production: $p_T > \left(4 + \frac{\sqrt{s}}{3 \, \text{TeV}}\right) \, \text{GeV}$
- * Leading-order: $\ell^+\ell^- \to \ell^+\ell^-$, $\tau^+\tau^-$, $q\bar{q}$, W^+W^- , and $\gamma\ell \to \gamma\ell$
- * $\gamma\gamma$ scatterings: $\gamma\gamma \to \tau^+\tau^-$, $q\bar{q}$, W^+W^-





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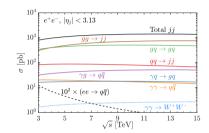
The full background: Di-Jet production at high-energy lepton colliders

- Consider all the "partons"
 - \Rightarrow perturbatively computable processes

$$\gamma\gamma \to q\bar{q}, \ \gamma g \to q\bar{q}, \ \gamma q \to gq,$$

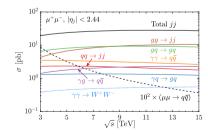
 $qq \to qq \ (gg), \ gq \to gq \ {\rm and} \ gg \to gg \ (q\bar{q}).$

- ightharpoonup Large $lpha_s \ln(Q^2)$ brings a $6\% \sim 15\%$ ($30\% \sim 40\%$) enhancement if Q = 2Q
- The QCD contributions result in total cross section.
- qq initiated cross sections are large for the multiplicity
- gq initiated cross sections are large for the **luminosity**.
- $ightharpoonup \gamma \gamma$ gives smaller cross sections than the EPA does.



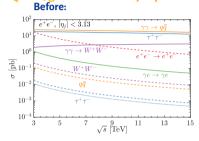
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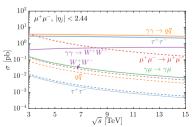
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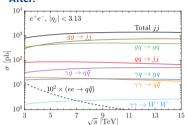


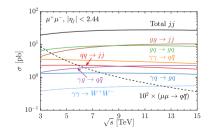
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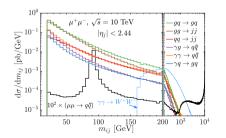
Summary and prospects

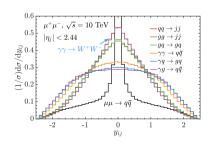
Rather a conservative set up: $\theta=10^\circ$

► Some physics:

Two different mechanisms: $\mu^+\mu^-$ annihilation VS Fusion processes

- Annihilation is more than 2 orders of magnitude smaller than fusion process.
- Annihilation peaks at $m_{ij} \sim \sqrt{s}$;
- Fusion processes peak near m_{ij} threshold.
- Annihilation is very central, spread out due to ISR;
- Fusion processes spread out, especially for γq and γq initiated ones.

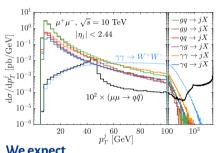


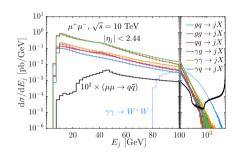




Inclusive jet distributions at a 10 TeV muon collider

Important guidelines for future analysis





We expect

- Jet production dominates over WW production until $p_T > 60$ GeV;
- WW production takes over around energy ~ 200 GeV.

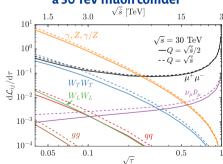
The SM EW sector, as well as any possible BSM, can only be seen in the high $p_T(E_i)$ range.



The full picture a multi-TeV lepton collider: An EW version of LHC

- All SM particles are partons
- ▶ We are allowed to determine the partons with their different polarizations

The EW parton luminosities of a 30 TeV muon collider

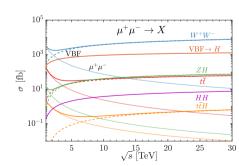


Just like in hadronic collisions:

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 $\mu^+\mu^- \to {\rm exclusive~particles} + {\rm remnants}$





Compare the "EW LHC" with LHC

pp VS $\mu\mu$

$$\mathcal{L}_{W_{\lambda_1}^+ W_{\lambda_2}^-} = \int_{\tau}^1 \frac{\mathrm{d}\xi}{\xi} f_{W_{\lambda_1}}(\xi, \mu_f) f_{W_{\lambda_1}}(\frac{\tau}{\xi}, \mu_f)$$

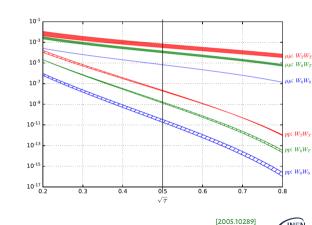
Consider the two colliders in the same ring

$$\sqrt{s}_{\mu\mu} = \sqrt{s}_{pp}$$

For $2 \rightarrow 1$ processes, take a benchmark

$$\sqrt{\tau} = \frac{M}{\sqrt{s}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

The ratio $\mu\mu/pp$ is larger than 10^4 !

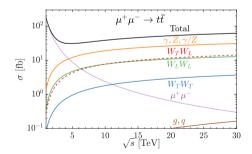


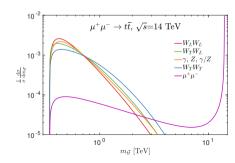
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One example: $t\bar{t}$ production at a future muon collider

- Two different mechanisms: **Annihilation** and **Fusion**
- \blacktriangleright The VBF processes exceed the $\mu^+\mu^-$ annihilation at high energies
- ► The EW PDF formalism allows to determine different partons/polarizations
- ► The resummation effects lie in the tails.







Summary and prospects

Muon collider is a fantastic platform - full of physics opportunities

- It combines the advantages of proton and of e^+e^- colliders
- It is an amazing precision tool but also can be discovery machine

A multi-TeV level muon collider is an Electroweak versions of the LHC

- Two classes of processes: $\mu^+\mu^-$ annihilation VS fusions
- The scale is far above the EW scale, all the SM particles are "partons"
- A proper set of PDFs is needed to describe the partonic picture
- Quark and gluon appear as partons of the muon via the DGLAP evolution
- The EW PDF formalism allows to determine the polarization of the partons

The main background is the jet production

- Low p_T range: non-perturbative $\gamma\gamma$ initiated hadronic production dominates
 - [Chen, Barklow, and Peskin, hep-ph/9305247; Drees and Godbole, PRL 67, 1189,T. Barklow, et al, LCD-2011-020]
- \blacktriangleright High p_T range, q and g initiated jet production dominates [T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2103.09844]



Summary and prospects

One example in precision physics: The Muon-Higgs Coupling

[T. Han, W. Kilian, N. Kreher, YM, T. Striegl, J. Reuter, and K. Xie, 2108.05362]

[E. Celada, T. Han, W. Kilian, N. Kreher, YM, F. Maltoni, D. Pagani, T. Striegl, J. Reuter, and K. Xie, in progress]

- Physics: We actually do not know whether the SM mass-generation mechanism applies just to the heavy particles, or also to the 1st/2nd generations.
- Logical possibility: Muon mass not (only) generated by SM Higgs.
 - \Rightarrow Why not have an arbitrary Yukawa coupling?

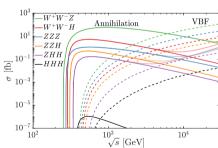


Multi-boson final states and the Muon-Higgs coupling

- ► SM: $\lambda({\rm Muon-Higgs}) \sim y_\mu^{\rm SM} = \sqrt{2} m_\mu^{\rm SM}/v$
- lacktriangle Possible BSM physics: $m_\mu=m_\mu^{
 m SM}$, $\lambda({
 m Muon-Higgs})\sim\kappa_\mu y_\mu^{
 m SM}$, e.g. $\kappa_\mu=0$

Two-boson final states

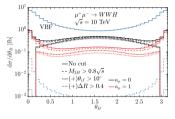
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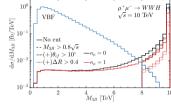


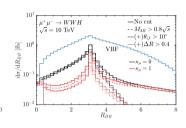
New physics signal shows up in the high energy region



WWH at a 10 TeV muon collider: Kinematics







- ► Background (VBF) is much larger than signal (annihilation)
- ▶ VBF events accumulate around threshold, and mostly forward
- Annihilation in the rest frame (central, and $M \sim \sqrt{s}$ spread by ISR)
- Annihilation also has forward dominance, due to the gauge splitting $W \to WH$



WWH at a 10 TeV muon collider: Cuts

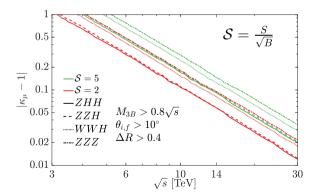
Cut flow	$\kappa_{\mu} = 1$	w/o ISR	$\kappa_{\mu} = 0 \ (2)$	CVBF	NVBF			
σ [fb]	WWH							
No cut	0.24	0.21	0.47	2.3	7.2			
$M_{3B} > 0.8\sqrt{s}$	0.20	0.21	0.42	$5.5\cdot 10^{-3}$	$3.7 \cdot 10^{-2}$			
$10^{\circ} < \theta_B < 170^{\circ}$	0.092	0.096	0.30	$2.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$2.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$			
$\Delta R_{BB} > 0.4$	0.074	0.077	0.28	$2.1 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$2.4 \cdot 10^{-4}$			
# of events	740	770	2800	2.1	2.4			
S/B	2.8							

- lacksquare Integrated luminosity $\mathcal{L}=(\sqrt{s}/10~{
 m TeV})^2\cdot 10~{
 m ab}^{-1}$ [1901.06150]
- $ightharpoonup S = N_{\kappa_{\mu}} N_{\kappa_{\mu}=1}, B = N_{\kappa_{\mu}=1} + N_{VBF}.$
- VBF and ISR are mostly excluded by invariant mass cut.
- Angular cut also weaken VBF further.



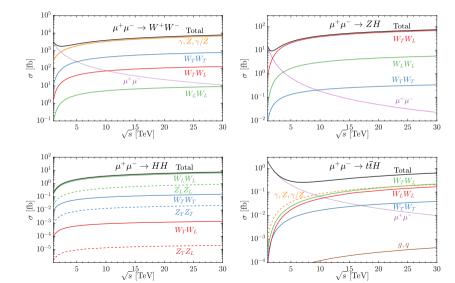
Test the muon Yukawa: statistical sensitivity

- ightharpoonup The most sensitive channels are ZHH and ZZH, similar probes due to GBET.
- Taking S=2 criterion, we can test the muon-Higgs coupling up to 10% (1%) precision at a 10 (30) TeV muon collider, corresponding to new physics scale $\Lambda_{\rm NP}\sim 30-100$ TeV.





Other processes: $W^+W^-, ZH, HH, t\bar{t}H$





The DGLAP

[T. Han, YM, K. Xie, 2007.14300, 2103.09844]



Solving the DGLAP: Singlet and Non-singlet PDFs

The singlets

$$f_L = \sum_{i=e,u,\tau} (f_{\ell_i} + f_{\bar{\ell}_i}), f_U = \sum_{i=u,c} (f_{u_i} + f_{\bar{u}_i}), f_D = \sum_{i=d,s,b} (f_{d_i} + f_{\bar{d}_i})$$

The non-singlets

- ▶ The only non-trivial singlet $f_{e,NS} = f_e f_{\bar{e}}$
- ▶ the leptons $f_{\ell_i,NS} = f_{\ell_i} f_{\bar{\ell}_i} (i=2,3), f_{\ell,12} = f_{\bar{e}} f_{\bar{\mu}}, f_{\ell,13} = f_{\bar{e}} f_{\bar{\tau}};$
- \blacktriangleright the up-type quarks $f_{u_i,NS} = f_{u_i} f_{\bar{u}_i}$, $f_{u,12} = f_u f_c$;
- lacktriangle and the down-type quarks $f_{d_i,NS}=f_{d_i}-f_{ar{d}_i},\ f_{d,12}=f_d-f_s,\ f_{d,13}=f_d-f_b.$

Reconstruction:

$$f_e = \frac{f_L + (2N_\ell - 1)f_{e,NS}}{2N_\ell}, f_{\bar{e}} = f_\mu = f_{\bar{\mu}} = f_\tau = f_{\bar{\tau}} = \frac{f_L - f_{e,NS}}{2N_\ell}.$$

$$f_u = f_{\bar{u}} = f_c = f_{\bar{c}} = \frac{f_U}{2N_u}, f_d = f_{\bar{d}} = f_s = f_{\bar{s}} = f_b = f_{\bar{b}} = \frac{f_D}{2N_d}.$$



The QED⊗QCD case

► The singlets and gauge bosons

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d} \log Q^{2}} \begin{pmatrix} f_{L} \\ f_{U} \\ f_{D} \\ f_{\gamma} \\ f_{z} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{\ell\ell} & 0 & 0 & 2N_{\ell}P_{\ell\gamma} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{uu} & 0 & 2N_{u}P_{u\gamma} & 2N_{u}P_{ug} \\ 0 & 0 & P_{dd} & 2N_{d}P_{d\gamma} & 2N_{d}P_{dg} \\ P_{\gamma\ell} & P_{\gamma u} & P_{\gamma d} & P_{\gamma \gamma} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{gu} & P_{gd} & 0 & P_{gg} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} f_{L} \\ f_{U} \\ f_{D} \\ f_{\gamma} \\ f_{z} \end{pmatrix}$$

The non-singlets

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}\log Q^2} f_{NS} = P_{ff} \otimes f_{NS}.$$

lacktriangle The averaged momentum fractions of the PDFs: $f_{\ell_{\rm val}}, \, f_{\gamma}, \, f_{\ell_{\rm sea}}, \, f_{q}, \, f_{g}$

$$\langle x_i \rangle = \int x f_i(x) dx, \ \sum_i \langle x_i \rangle = 1$$

$$\frac{\langle x_q \rangle}{\langle x_{\ell \neq 2} \rangle} \lesssim \frac{N_c \left[\sum_i (e_{u_i}^2 + e_{\bar{u}_i}^2) + \sum_i (e_{d_i}^2 + e_{\bar{d}_i}^2) \right]}{e_{\bar{x}}^2 + \sum_i \langle e_{u_i} \rangle} = \frac{22/3}{5}$$



The DGLAP for the full SM

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}L} \begin{pmatrix} f_{L}^{0\pm} \\ f_{Q}^{0\pm} \\ f_{E}^{0\pm} \\ f_{D}^{0\pm} \\$$



The splitting functions can be found in [Chen et al. 1611.00788, Bauer et al. 1703.08562,1808.08831]