

# Pseudo and quasi quark PDF in the BFKL approximation

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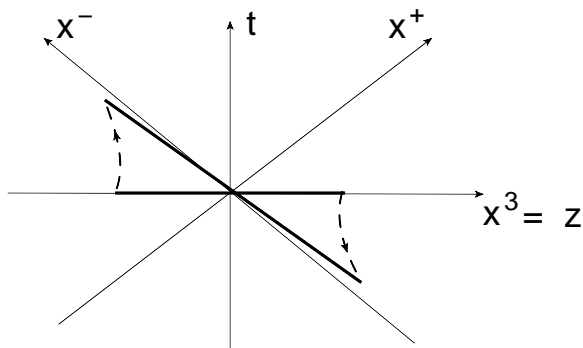
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$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(x^+) \gamma^+ [x^+, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle \rightarrow \langle P | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^3 [z, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle + \mathcal{O} \left( \frac{\Lambda^2}{(P^3)^2} \right)$$



$$x^\pm = \frac{x^0 \pm x^3}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{loffe-time } \varrho \equiv z \cdot P \quad z^2 \neq 0$$

$$M^\alpha(z, P) \equiv \langle P | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^\alpha [z, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle$$

$$M^\alpha(z, P) = 2P^\alpha \mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2) + 2z^\alpha \mathcal{N}(\varrho, z^2)$$

- The pseudo-ITD  $\mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2)$  contains (not only) the leading twist term
- $\mathcal{N}(\varrho, z^2)$  contains higher twists terms
- higher twist:  $\mathcal{O}(z^2 \Lambda_{QCD})$
- $P = (E, 0, 0, P^3) \quad z = (0, 0, 0, z^3);$ 
  - ▶ for  $\alpha = 0$  one isolate  $\mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2)$ .

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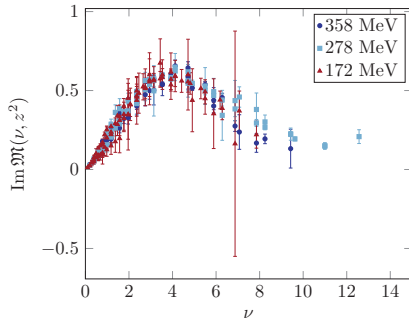
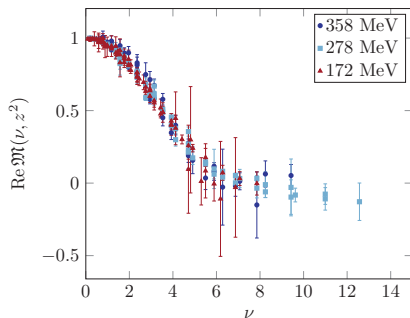
$$M^\alpha(z, P) = 2P^\alpha \mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2) + 2z^\alpha \mathcal{N}(\varrho, z^2)$$

- Reduced pseudo-ITD removes the UV divergences.

$$\mathfrak{M}(\varrho, z^2) = \frac{\mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2)}{\mathcal{M}(0, z^2)}$$

- Logarithmic singularity  $\ln(-z^2)$  in  $\mathfrak{M}(\varrho, z^2)$  (and in  $\mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2)$ )
  - ▶  $\Rightarrow$  DIS logarithmic scaling violation with respect to the photon virtuality  $Q^2$ .

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loffe-time  $\nu \equiv z \cdot P$        $z^\mu$  space-like vector       $i = 1, 2$

This talk:  $\nu \rightarrow \varrho$

## Pseudo Ioffe-time distribution

$$\mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2) \equiv \frac{z^\mu}{2\varrho} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(z) \gamma^\mu [z, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle$$

loffe-time  $\varrho \equiv z \cdot P$        $z^\mu$  space-like vector       $i = 1, 2$

## Ioffe-time distribution at high energy

$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(L, x_\perp) \gamma^- [Ln^\mu + x_\perp, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle$$

# Definition of the pseudo and quasi quark PDF

offe-time  $\varrho \equiv z \cdot P$       $z^\mu$  space-like vector      $i = 1, 2$

Pseudo-PDF: Fourier transform with respect to  $P$  keeping its orientation fixed

A. Radyushkin (2017)

$$Q_p(x_B, z^2) = \int \frac{d\varrho}{2\pi} e^{-i\varrho x_B} \mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2)$$

Quasi-PDF: Fourier transform with respect to  $z$  keeping its orientation fixed

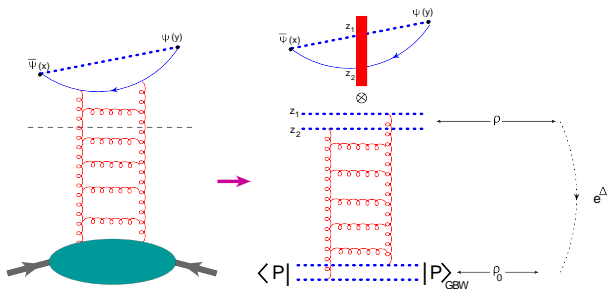
X. Ji (2013)

$$Q_q(x_B, P_\xi) = P_\xi \int \frac{d\varsigma}{2\pi} e^{-i\varsigma P_\xi x_B} \mathcal{M}(\varsigma P_\xi, \varsigma^2)$$

$$\xi^\mu = \frac{z^\mu}{|z|} \quad P_\xi = P \cdot \xi$$

# High-energy OPE for loffe-time distribution

$$\langle P | \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma^- [x, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle = \int d^2 z_2 d^2 z_1 I_q(z_1, z_2; x) \langle P | \text{tr} \{ U(z_1) U^\dagger(z_2) \} | P \rangle$$

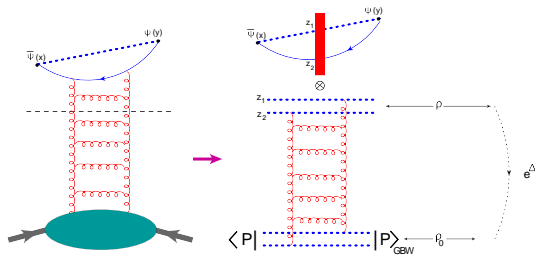


- Calculate coefficient functions (impact factors)  $I_q$
- Convolute them with the solution of the evolution equation of relative matrix elements



# High-energy operator product expansion

$$\mathcal{V}(z_1, z_2) = \frac{1}{z_{12}^2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{N_c} \text{tr} \{ U_{z_1} U_{z_2}^\dagger \} \right)$$



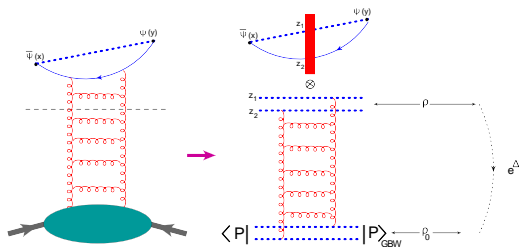
Resum  $\alpha_s \ln \rho$  with BFKL eq.

$$a = -\frac{2x^+y^+}{(x-y)^2 a_0}$$

$$2a \frac{d}{da} \mathcal{V}_a(z_\perp) = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi^2} \int d^2 z' \left[ \frac{\mathcal{V}_a(z'_\perp)}{(z-z')_\perp^2} - \frac{(z, z')_\perp \mathcal{V}_a(z_\perp)}{z_\perp^2 (z-z')_\perp^2} \right]$$

solution 
$$\mathcal{V}^a(z_{12}) = \int \frac{d\nu}{2\pi^2} (z_{12}^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}+i\nu} \left( \frac{a}{a_0} \right)^{\frac{N(\gamma)}{2}} \int d^2 \omega (\omega_\perp^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}-i\nu} \mathcal{V}^{a_0}(\omega_\perp)$$

# Off-time distribution in the saddle-point approximation

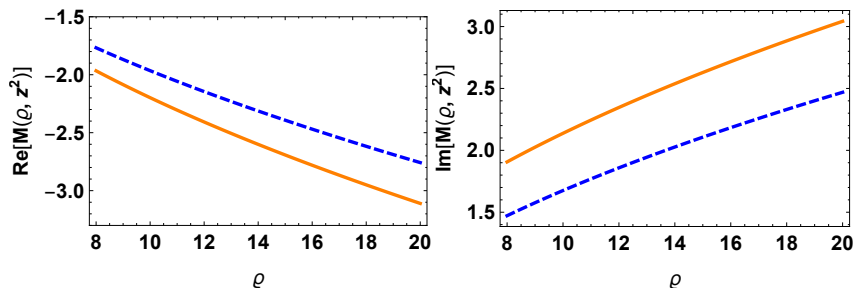


## Saddle point approximation

$$\mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2) \simeq \frac{i N_c Q_s \sigma_0}{64 |z|} \left( \frac{2\varrho^2}{z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\bar{\alpha}_s 2 \ln 2} \frac{e^{-\frac{\ln^2 \frac{Q_s |z|}{2}}{7\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( \frac{2\varrho^2}{z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}}{\sqrt{7\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( \frac{2\varrho^2}{z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}$$

saturation scale  $Q_s$ ,  $\sigma_0 = 29.1 \text{ mb}$ ,  $M_N$  mass of the nucleon

# Plot of the Ioffe-time amplitude in BFKL approximation



**Figure :** In the left and right panel we plot the real and imaginary part, respectively, of the Ioffe-time amplitude; we compare the numerical evaluation with its saddle point approximation (blue dashed curve). To obtain the plots we used  $|z| = 0.5$ , and  $M_N = 1$  GeV.

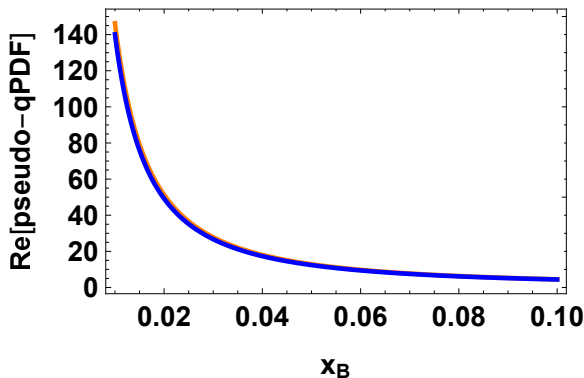
Pseudo-PDF: Fourier transform with respect to  $z \cdot P$

$$Q_p(x_B, z^2) = \int \frac{d\varrho}{2\pi} e^{-i\varrho x_B} \mathcal{M}(\varrho, z^2)$$

Saddle point approximation

$$Q_p(x_B, z^2) \simeq -\frac{i N_c Q_s \sigma_0 \bar{\alpha}_s \ln 2}{32 |z| |x_B|} \frac{e^{\frac{-\ln^2 \frac{Q_s |z|}{2}}{7\zeta(3) \bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( \frac{2}{x_B^2 z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}}{\sqrt{7\zeta(3) \bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( \frac{2}{x_B^2 z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}} \left( \frac{2}{x_B^2 z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\bar{\alpha}_s 2 \ln 2}$$

## Plot of the quark pseudo-PDF



**Figure :** The plot presents the quark pseudo PDF by comparing the numerical evaluation (illustrated by the orange curve) with its saddle point approximation (portrayed by the blue curve).

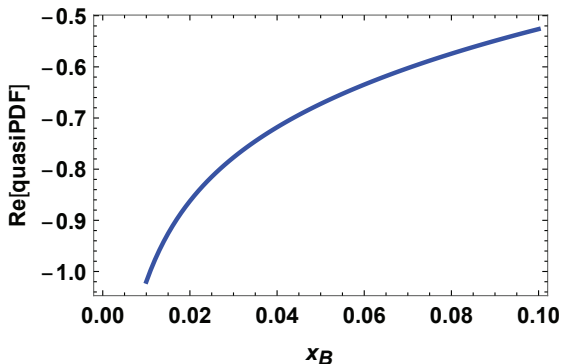
Quasi-PDF: Fourier transform with respect to  $z^\mu$  keeping its orientation fixed

$$Q_q(x_B, P_\xi) = P_\xi \int \frac{d\zeta}{2\pi} e^{-i\zeta P_\xi x_B} \mathcal{M}(\zeta P_\xi, \zeta^2)$$

$$\xi^\mu = \frac{z^\mu}{|z|} \quad P_\xi = P \cdot \xi$$

$$Q_q(x_B, P_\xi) \simeq \frac{i N_c P_\xi Q_s \sigma_0}{64\pi} \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\bar{\alpha}_s 2 \ln 2} \\ \times \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{d\zeta}{|\zeta|} e^{-i\zeta P_\xi x_B} \frac{e^{-\frac{\ln^2 \frac{Q_s |\zeta|}{2}}{7\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}}{\sqrt{7\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}$$

# Plot of the quark quasi-PDF



**Figure :** Plot of the real part of the numerical evaluation with  $P_\xi = 4$  GeV,  $\bar{\alpha}_s = 0.2$ , and  $M_N = 1$  GeV.

## $n$ -th moment of the structure function

The  $Q^2$  behavior of DIS structure function is obtained from the anomalous dimension of twist-two operators

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} F_{\xi_+}^a \nabla_+^{n-2} F_+^{a \xi} = \gamma(\alpha_s, n) F_{\xi_+}^a \nabla_+^{n-2} F_+^{a \xi}$$

Dipole DIS cross-section can be written as

$$\sigma^{\gamma^* p}(x_B, Q^2) = \int d\nu F(\nu) x_B^{-\aleph(\nu)-1} \left( \frac{Q^2}{P^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}+i\nu}$$

$-q^2 = Q^2 \gg P^2$ , and  $s = (P+q)^2 \gg Q^2$

$\aleph(\gamma)$  BFKL pomeron intercept.  $\gamma = \frac{1}{2} + i\nu$

The  $n$ -th moment of the structure function is

$$\int_0^1 dx_B x_B^{n-1} \sigma^{\gamma^* p}(x_B, Q^2) = \int_{\frac{1}{2}-i\infty}^{\frac{1}{2}+i\infty} d\gamma \frac{F(\gamma)}{n-1-\aleph(\gamma)} \left( \frac{Q^2}{P^2} \right)^\gamma$$

Integrating over  $\gamma$ -parameter we get the anomalous dimensions of the leading and higher twist operators at the *unphysical point*  $n = 1$ .



$$\int_0^1 dx_B x_B^{n-1} \sigma^{\gamma^* P}(x_B, Q^2) = \int_{\frac{1}{2}-i\infty}^{\frac{1}{2}+i\infty} d\gamma \frac{F(\gamma)}{\omega - \aleph(\gamma)} \left(\frac{Q^2}{P^2}\right)^\gamma$$

Analytic continuation:  $n - 1 \rightarrow \omega$  complex continuous variable

$$\alpha_s \ln \frac{1}{x_B} \sim 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{\alpha_s}{\omega} \sim 1 \quad x_B \rightarrow 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \omega \rightarrow 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  Residues  $\omega = \aleph(\gamma)$ ; expand  $\aleph(\gamma)$  for small  $\gamma$  and solve for  $\gamma$

$$\gamma(\alpha_s, \omega) = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi \omega} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2), \quad F(\omega, Q^2) \sim \left(\frac{Q^2}{P^2}\right)^{\frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi \omega}}$$

Thus, we get the analytic continuation of anomalous dimension at the unphysical point  $j \rightarrow 1$  of twist-2 gluon operator  $F_{\xi+}^a \nabla^{-1} F_{+}^{\xi a}$

Analytic continuation of light-ray operators at  $j = 1$  (or  $\omega \rightarrow 0$ )

$$F_{\xi+}^a(x) \nabla_+^{j-2} F_+^{a\xi}(x) \Big|_{x=0} = \frac{\Gamma(2-j)}{2\pi i} \int_0^{+\infty} du u^{1-j} F_{\xi+}^a(0) [0, un]^{ab} F_+^{b\xi}(un)$$

OPE in light-ray operators in QCD (Balitsky, Braun (1989))

2-point function in BFKL limit (Balitsky; Balitsky, Kazakov, Sobkov (2013-2018))

2-point function in triple Regge limit (Balitsky 2018)

Light-ray operators in CFT (e.g. Kravchuk, Simmons-Duffin (2018))

So, we can show that the Mellin transform of the pseudo-ITD is equivalent to the analytic continuation of twist-2 operator with point splitting.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{x_{\perp}^2 M_N}^{+\infty} dL L^{-j} \frac{1}{2P^-} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(L, x_{\perp}) \gamma^- [nL + x_{\perp}, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle \\
 &= \int_{\Delta_{\perp}^2 M_N}^{+\infty} dL L^{-j} \frac{N_c}{\pi^3 \Delta_{\perp}^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\nu \left( \frac{Q_s^2 \Delta_{\perp}^2}{4} \right)^{\gamma} \frac{\Gamma^3(1 + \gamma) \Gamma^2(1 - \gamma)}{\Gamma(2 + 2\gamma)} \\
 & \quad \times \left( -\frac{2}{\Delta_{\perp}^2} \frac{P^- L^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\frac{\Re(\gamma)}{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{2} + i\nu$$

# Performing the Mellin transform

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Delta_{\perp}^2 M_N}^{+\infty} dL L^{-j} \langle \bar{\psi}(L, x_{\perp}) \gamma^{-} [L n^{\mu} + x_{\perp}, y^{+} n^{\mu} + y_{\perp}] \psi(y^{+}, y_{\perp}) \rangle \\ &= \frac{N_c}{\pi^3 \Delta_{\perp}^2} \int_{\frac{1}{2}-i\infty}^{\frac{1}{2}+i\infty} d\gamma \theta(\Re[\omega - \aleph(\gamma)]) \frac{(\Delta_{\perp}^2 M_N)^{-\omega + \aleph(\gamma)}}{\omega - \aleph(\gamma)} \left( \frac{Q_s^2 \Delta_{\perp}^2}{4} \right)^{\gamma} \\ & \times \frac{\Gamma^3(1 + \gamma) \Gamma^2(1 - \gamma)}{\Gamma(2 + 2\gamma)} \left( -\frac{2}{\Delta_{\perp}^2} \frac{P^{-2}}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\frac{\aleph(\gamma)}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Taking residue for  $\omega - \aleph(\tilde{\gamma}) = 0$  and then perform the Inverse Mellin transform we get back the BFKL resummed result

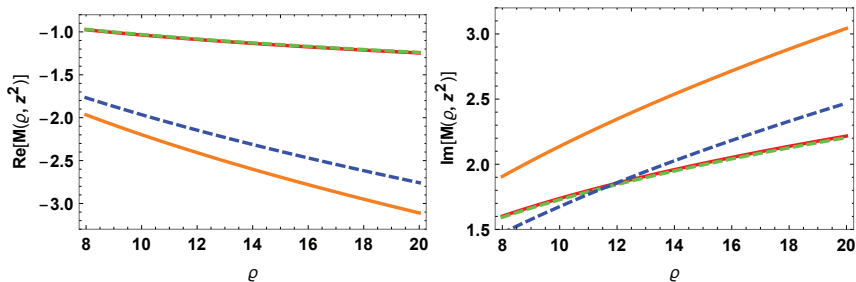
Instead, assume overlapping regime DGLAP-BFKL

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha_s}{\omega} \sim 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \alpha_s \ll \omega \ll 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{1-i\infty}^{1+i\infty} d\omega L^\omega \int_{x_\perp^2 M_N}^{+\infty} dL L^{-j} \frac{1}{2P^-} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(L, x_\perp) \gamma^- [nL + x_\perp, 0] \psi(0) | P \rangle \\ &= \frac{iN_c Q_s^2 \sigma_0}{24\pi^2 \bar{\alpha}_s} \left( \frac{4\bar{\alpha}_s \left| \ln \frac{Q_s |z|}{2} \right|}{\ln \left( \frac{2\varrho^2}{z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{Q_s^2 |z|^2}{5} \right) I_1(u) + \mathcal{O} \left( \frac{Q_s^4 |z|^4}{16} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$u = \left[ 4\bar{\alpha}_s \left| \ln \frac{Q_s |z|}{2} \right| \ln \left( \frac{2\varrho^2}{z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

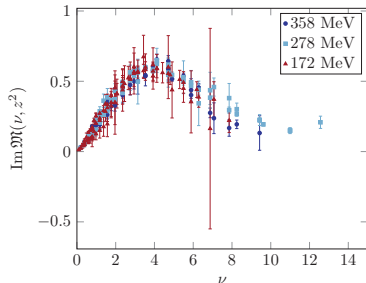
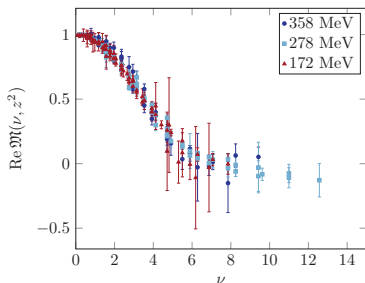
# Pseudo loffe-time distribution: leading twist vs BFKL resummation



**Figure :** In the left and right panel we plot the real and imaginary part, respectively of the loffe-time amplitude; we compare the numerical evaluation (orange curve) with its saddle point approximation, with the LT, (green dashed curve), and the NLT (red solid curve).

# Lattice calculation: results

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loffe-time  $\nu \equiv z \cdot P$        $z^\mu$  space-like vector       $i = 1, 2$

This talk:  $\nu \rightarrow \varrho$

Large loffe-time behavior is governed by higher-twists contributions which are not capture by Lattice calculation

# Pseudo quark PDF: leading twists vs BFKL resummation

## Leading and next-to-leading twist

$$Q_p(x_B, z^2) \simeq \frac{Q_s^2 \sigma_0}{24\pi^2 \alpha_s x_B} \left( \frac{\bar{\alpha}_s \left| \ln \frac{Q_s |x_\perp|}{2} \right|}{\ln \left( \frac{2}{x_\perp^2 x_B^2 M_N^2} \right)} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{Q_s^2 x_\perp^2}{5} \right) I_1(v)$$

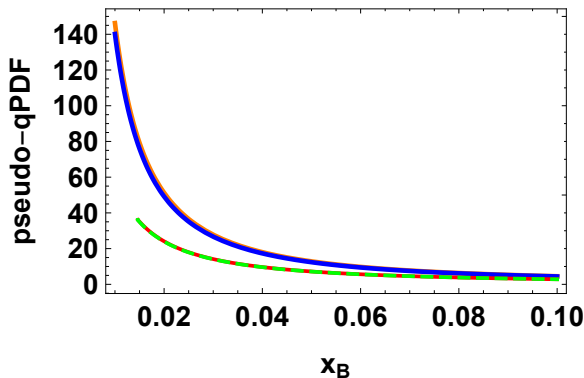
$$v \equiv \left[ 4\bar{\alpha}_s \left| \ln \frac{Q_s |x_\perp|}{2} \right| \ln \left( \frac{2}{x_\perp^2 x_B^2 M_N^2} \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

## BFKL resummation

$$Q_p(x_B, z^2) \simeq -\frac{i N_c Q_s \sigma_0 \bar{\alpha}_s \ln 2}{32 |z| |x_B|} \frac{e^{\frac{-\ln^2 \frac{Q_s |z|}{2}}{7\zeta(3) \bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( \frac{2}{x_B^2 z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}}{\sqrt{7\zeta(3) \bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( \frac{2}{x_B^2 z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}} \left( \frac{2}{x_B^2 z^2 M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\bar{\alpha}_s 2 \ln 2}$$



## Pseudo quark PDF: leading twists vs BFKL resummation



**Figure :** The plot presents the quark pseudo PDF by comparing the numerical evaluation (illustrated by the orange curve) with its saddle point approximation (portrayed by the blue curve). Furthermore, we display the leading twist (LT) (marked by the green dashed curve) and the next-to-leading twist (NLT) (signified by the solid red curve).

## Leading + next-to-leading twist

$$G_q(x_B, P_\xi) \simeq -\frac{N_c^2 Q_s^2 \sigma_0}{16\bar{\alpha}_s^2 \pi^3} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{1-i\infty}^{1+i\infty} d\omega \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\frac{\omega}{2}} \left( -\frac{4P_\xi^2 x_B^2}{Q_s^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\frac{\bar{\alpha}_s}{\omega}} \left( \omega + \frac{2\bar{\alpha}_s Q_s^2}{5} \frac{1}{P_\xi^2 x_B^2} \right)$$

## BFKL resummation

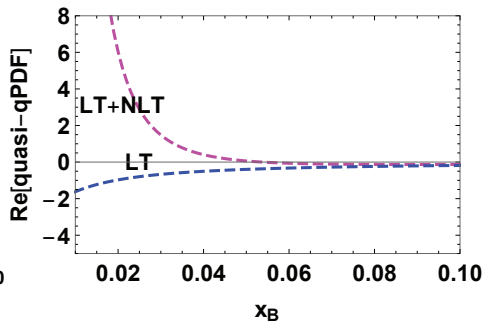
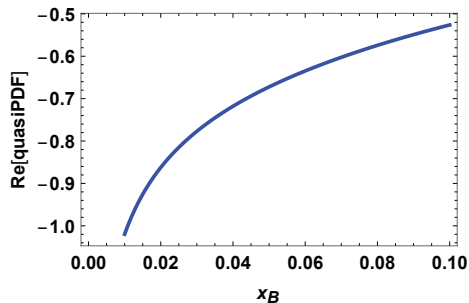
$$Q_q(x_B, P_\xi) \simeq \frac{i N_c P_\xi Q_s \sigma_0}{64\pi} \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\bar{\alpha}_s 2 \ln 2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{d\zeta}{|\zeta|} e^{-i\zeta P_\xi x_B} \frac{e^{-\frac{\ln^2 \frac{Q_s |\zeta|}{2}}{7\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}}{\sqrt{7\zeta(3)\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( -\frac{2P_\xi^2}{M_N^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}$$

Usual exponentiation of the BFKL pomeron intercept, which resums logarithms of  $x_B$ , is missing.

For low values of  $x_B$  and fixed values of P these corrections are enhanced rather than suppressed at this regime.

# quasi quark PDF

Here  $P_\xi = 4$  GeV.

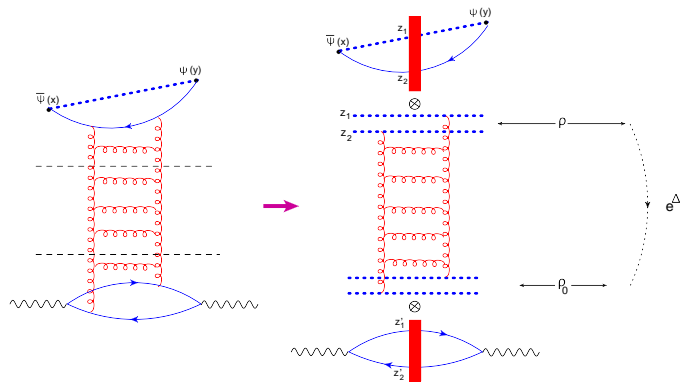


Left plot show BFKL resummed quark quasi-PDF; right plot is LT and NLT

Quasi-PDF have rather unusual behavior at low- $x_B$ .

- Large-distance behavior of the gluon and quark loffe-time distribution is computed
  - ▶ loffe-time  $\varrho$  acts as rapidity parameter.
    - ★  $\alpha_s \ln \varrho$  resummed by BFKL eq.
- Pseudo-PDF and quasi-PDF have a very different behavior at low- $x_B$ .
  - ▶ pseudo-PDF have typical rising behavior at low- $x_B$ .
  - ▶ quasi-PDF have rather unusual behavior at low- $x_B$ .
    - ★ usual exponentiation of the BFKL pomeron intercept, which resums logarithms of  $x_B$ , is missing.
- The power corrections in the quasi-PDF do not come in as inverse powers of  $P$  but as inverse powers of  $x_B P$ 
  - ▶ for low values of  $x_B$  and fixed values of  $P$  these corrections are enhanced rather than suppressed at this regime.

# loffe-time distribution with photon impact factor



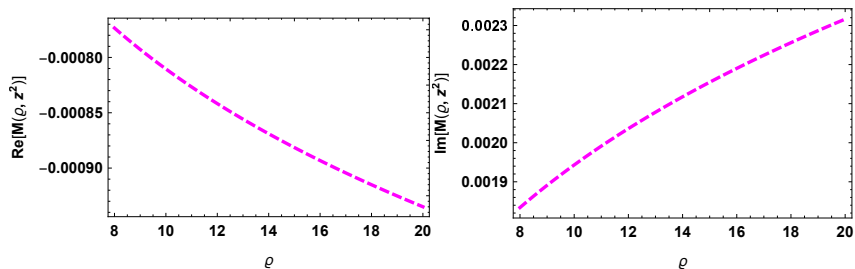
**Figure :** Here we diagrammatically illustrate the high-energy OPE with the photon impact factor model. The two black dashed lines represent the factorization in rapidity. The diagram at the bottom of the right panel is the diagram for the photon impact factor.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left\langle \frac{z^\alpha}{|z|} \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma_\alpha [x, y] \psi(y) \right\rangle \varepsilon^{\lambda, \mu} \varepsilon^{\lambda, \nu *} \int d^4 x' d^4 y' e^{iq \cdot (x' - y')} j^\mu(x') j^\nu(y') \rangle \\
 &= \frac{i \bar{\alpha}_s^2}{32 |Q| |\Delta_\perp|} \frac{9 \pi^3 \sqrt{\pi}}{512} \frac{e^{\frac{-\ln^2 \frac{Q^2 \Delta_\perp^2}{4}}{7 \zeta(3) \bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( -\frac{2\sqrt{2} \varrho^2}{\Delta_\perp^2 Q^2} + i\epsilon \right)}}}{\sqrt{7 \zeta(3) \bar{\alpha}_s \ln \left( -\frac{2\sqrt{2} \varrho^2}{\Delta_\perp^2 Q^2} + i\epsilon \right)}} \left( -\frac{2\sqrt{2} \varrho^2}{\Delta_\perp^2 Q^2} + i\epsilon \right)^{\bar{\alpha}_s 2 \ln 2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{1-i\infty}^{1+i\infty} d\omega L^\omega \int_{\Delta_\perp^2 \Delta E}^{+\infty} dL L^{-j} \\
 & \times \frac{z^\alpha}{|z|} \left\langle \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma_\alpha[x, y] \psi(y) \varepsilon^{\lambda, \mu} \varepsilon^{\lambda, \nu*} \int d^4 x' d^4 y' e^{iq \cdot (x' - y')} j_\mu(x') j_\nu(y') \right\rangle \\
 & = \frac{i}{288\pi} \frac{2\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \frac{4}{Q^2 \Delta_\perp^2}}{\ln \left( -\frac{2\sqrt{2}\rho^2}{\Delta_\perp^2 Q^2} + i\epsilon \right)} I_2(h) \left( 1 - \frac{3}{50} \frac{Q^2 \Delta_\perp^2}{4} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$h = \left[ 2\bar{\alpha}_s \ln \frac{4}{Q^2 \Delta_\perp^2} \ln \left( -\frac{2\sqrt{2}\rho^2}{\Delta_\perp^2 Q^2} + i\epsilon \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

# Plot of the loffe-time amplitude at LT and NLT with photon impact factor



**Figure :** In the left and right panel we plot the real and imaginary part, respectively of the loffe-time amplitude at the leading twist.