

# DY PRODUCTION AT SMALL $Q_T$ AND THE COLLINEAR ANOMALY

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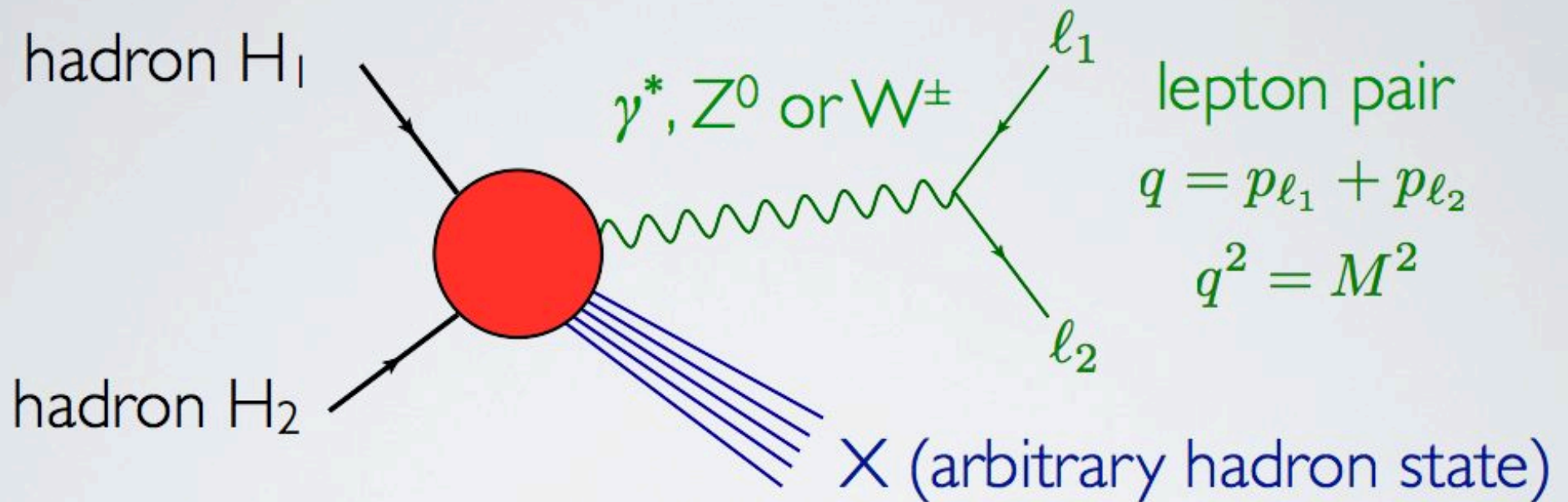
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# OUTLINE

- Introduction
  - Drell-Yan process
  - Soft-Collinear Effective Theory
- Factorization at low transverse momentum  $q_T$ 
  - The collinear anomaly and the definition of transverse position dependent PDFs
  - Resummation of large log's, relation to CSS formalism
- Expansions from hell and non-perturbative short-distance physics at low  $q_T$ . Numerical results.
- More anomalous factorization: jet broadening

# DRELL-YAN PROCESSES



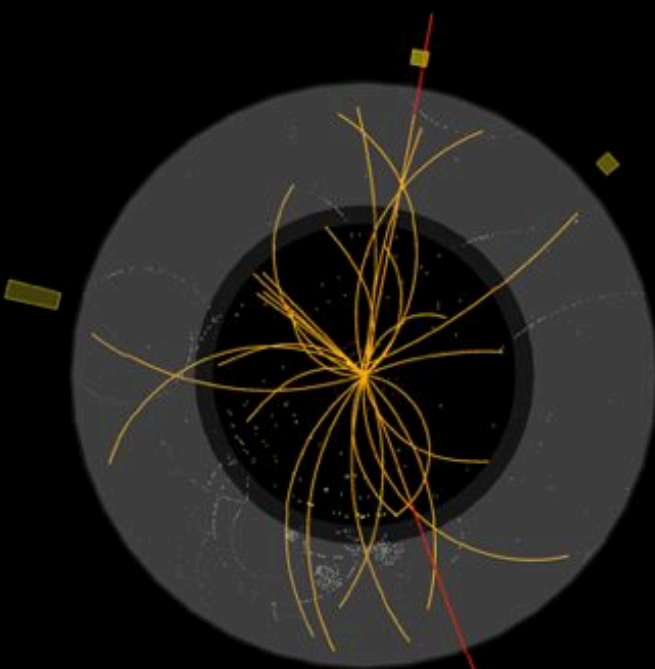
The production of a lepton pair with large invariant mass is the most basic hard-scattering process at a hadron collider.





# ATLAS EXPERIMENT

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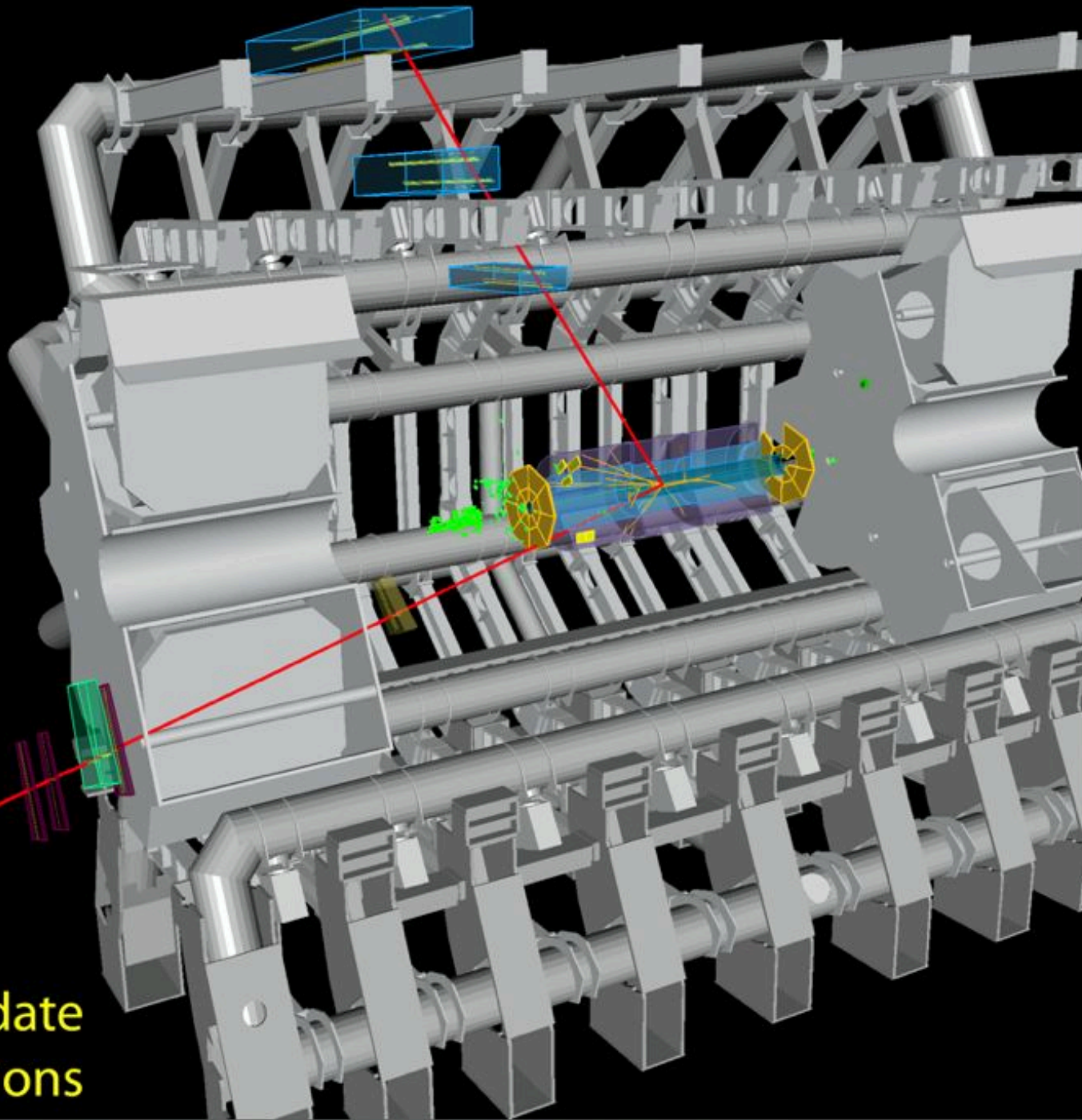


$p_T(\mu^-) = 27 \text{ GeV}$   $\eta(\mu^-) = 0.7$   
 $p_T(\mu^+) = 45 \text{ GeV}$   $\eta(\mu^+) = 2.2$

$M_{\mu\mu} = 87 \text{ GeV}$



**$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$  candidate  
in 7 TeV collisions**



# DRELL-YAN PROCESSES

The production of a single electroweak boson  $\gamma^*$ ,  $Z$ ,  $W^\pm$ ,  $H$  is of great interest for

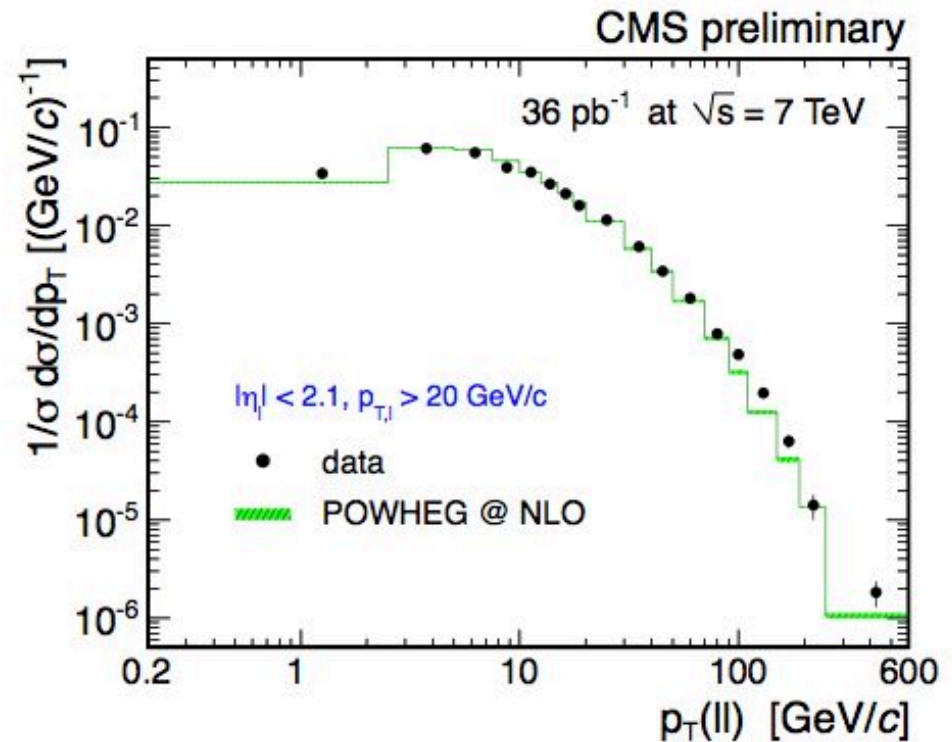
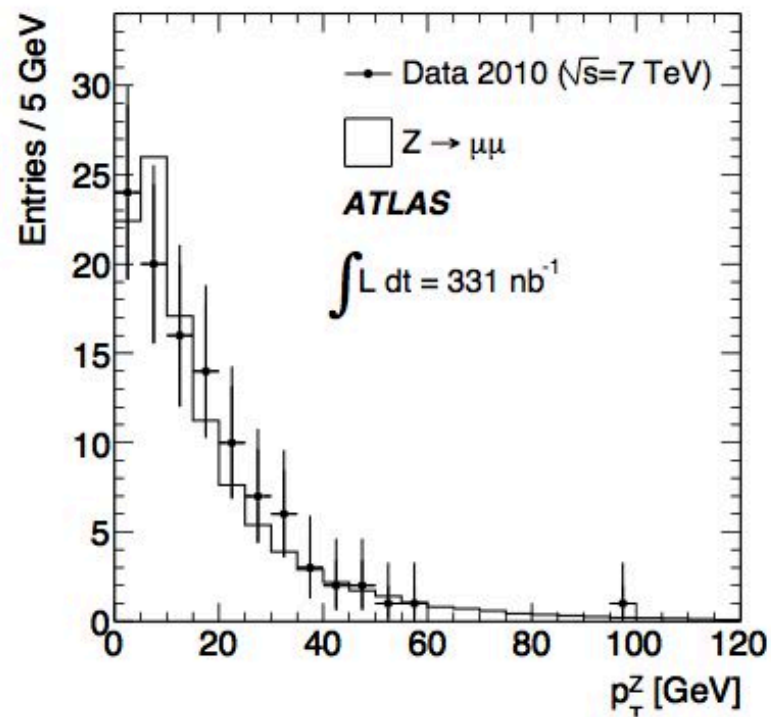
- $W$  mass and width measurements,
- PDF determinations, luminosity monitoring,
- New physics searches at high  $q^2$

Low transverse momentum  $q_T$  is particularly relevant

- to extract  $W$  mass
- to reduce background for Higgs search

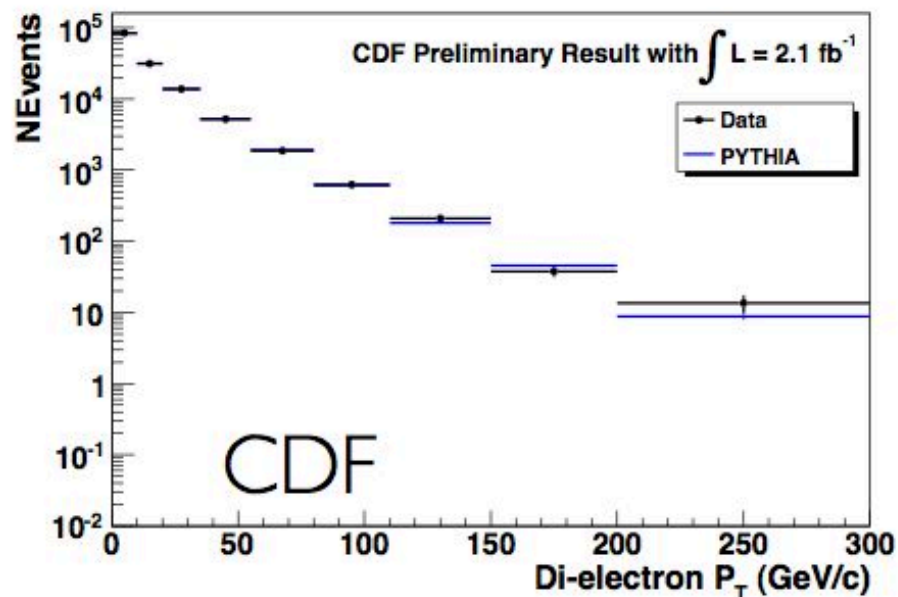
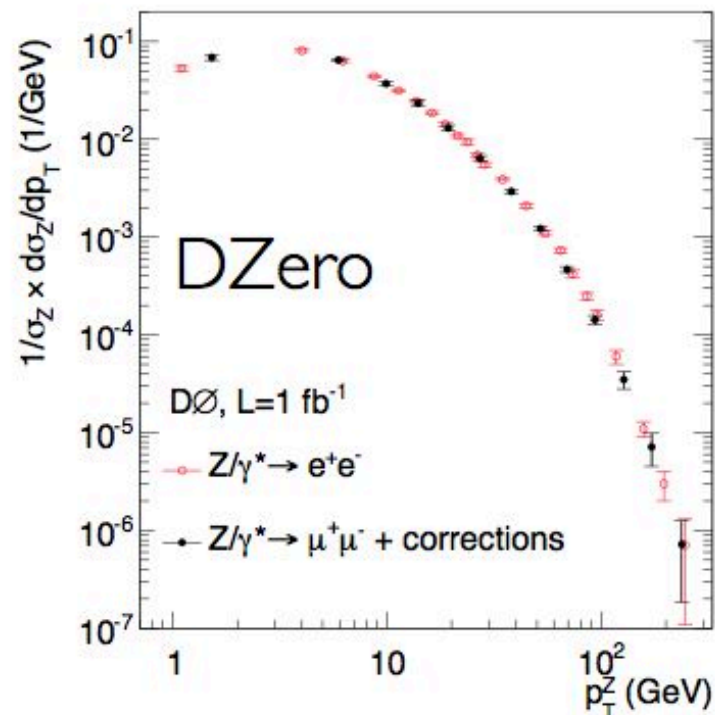


# Z-PRODUCTION AT LHC



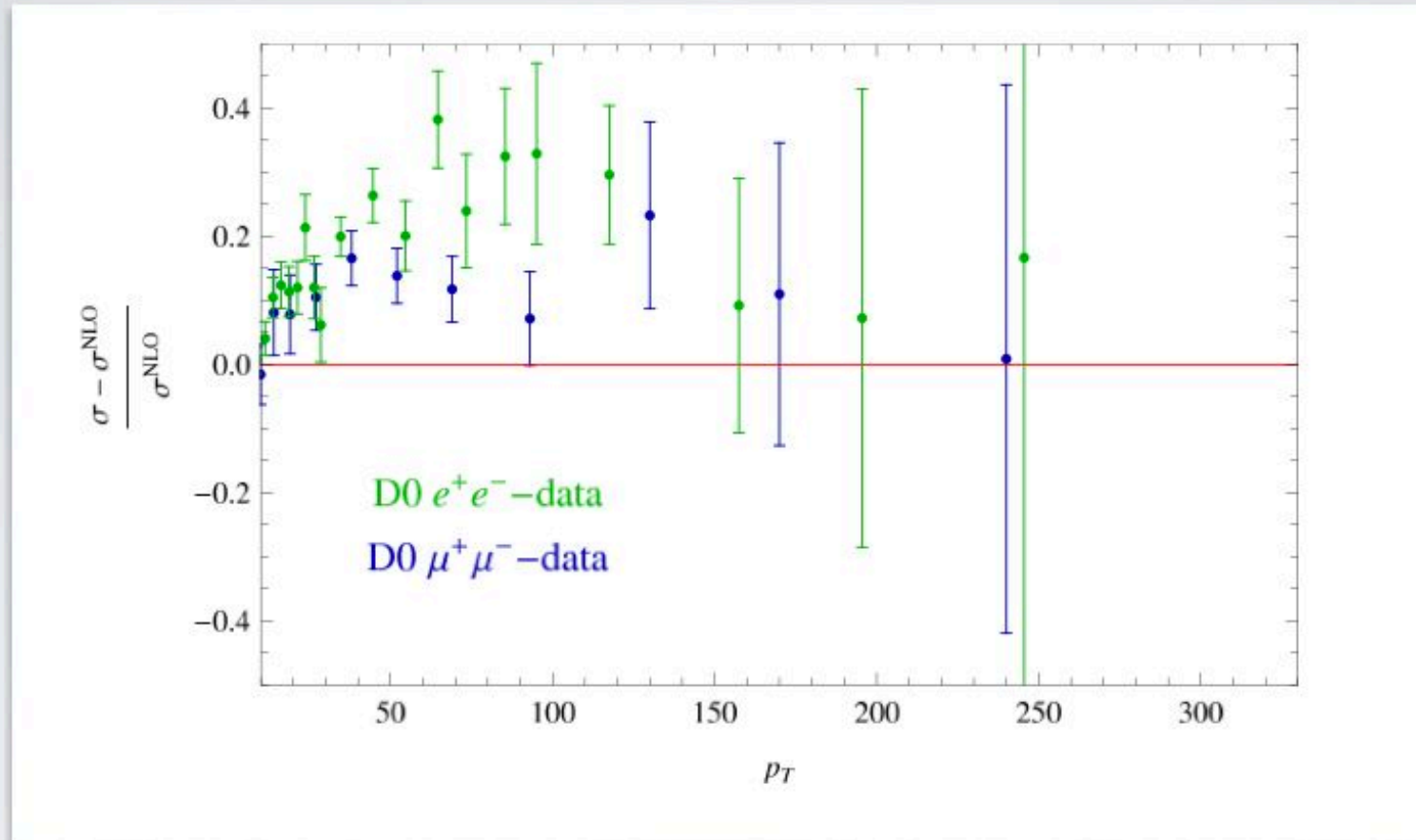
ATLAS distribution based on  $300 \text{ nb}^{-1}$ . Update?

# Z-PRODUCTION AT THE TEVATRON



- DZero, arXiv:1006.0618, 0712.0803.

# SIDE REMARK



- Agreement between DZero  $e$  and  $\mu$  does not look as nice on a linear scale...



# PERTURBATIVE EXPANSION

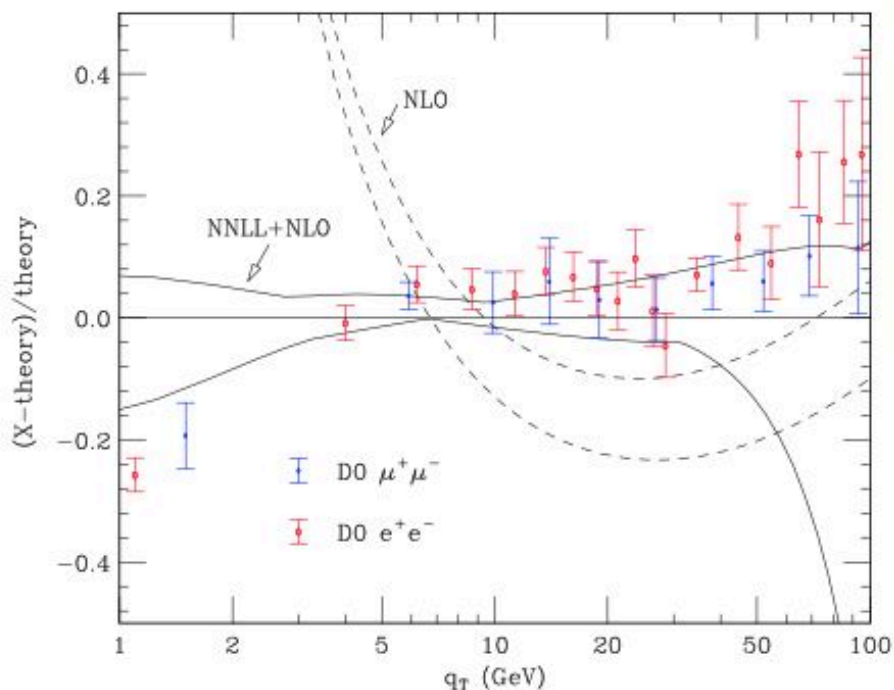
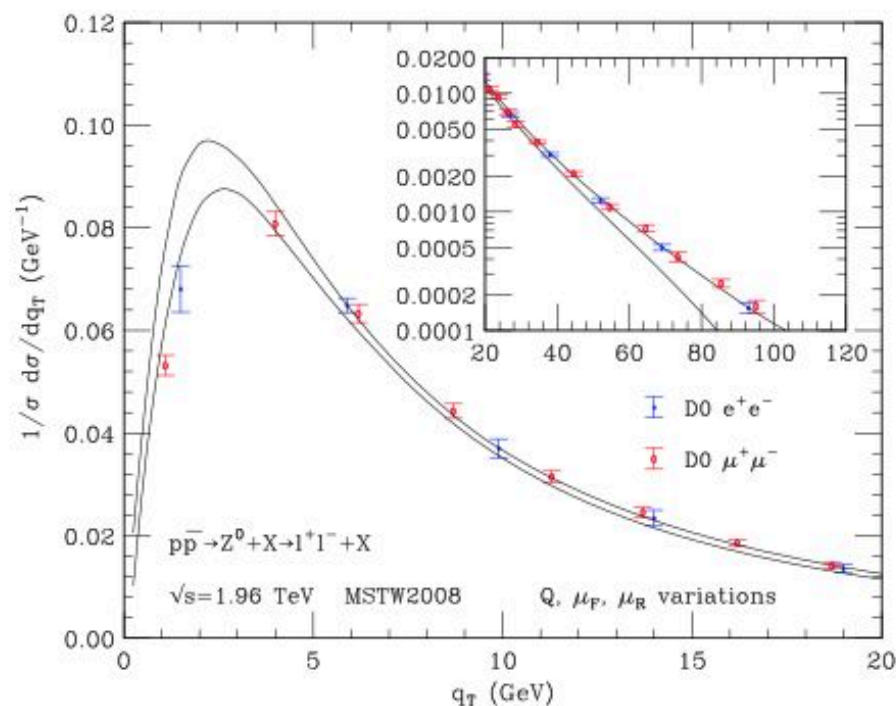
The perturbative expansion of the  $q_T$  spectrum contains singular terms of the form ( $M$  is the invariant mass of the lepton pair)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_T^2} = \frac{1}{q_T^2} \left[ A_1^{(1)} \alpha_s \ln \frac{M^2}{q_T^2} + \alpha_s A_0^{(1)} + A_3^{(2)} \alpha_s^2 \ln^3 \frac{M^2}{q_T^2} + \dots \right. \\ \left. + A_{2n-1}^{(n)} \alpha_s^n \ln^{2n-1} \frac{M^2}{q_T^2} + \dots \right] + \dots$$

which ruin the perturbative expansion at  $q_T \ll M$  and must be resummed to all orders.

Classic example of an observable which needs resummation!  
Achieved by Collins, Soper and Sterman (CSS) '84.

# NNLL RESUMMATION



Bozzi, Catani, Ferrera, de Florian, Grazzini '10

- Fixed order codes: QT (Gonsalves); MCFM (Campbell & Ellis), FEWZ (Melnikov & Petriello), DYNNLO (Grazzini et al.).
- NNLL resummation: RESBOS (Balazs, Nadolsky, Yuan); Bozzi et al.



# SOFT-COLLINEAR EFFECTIVE THEORY

Bauer, Pirjol, Stewart et al. 2001, 2002; Beneke et al. 2002; ...

CSS used diagrammatic methods to factorize contributions with different scales, we will instead use effective field theory.

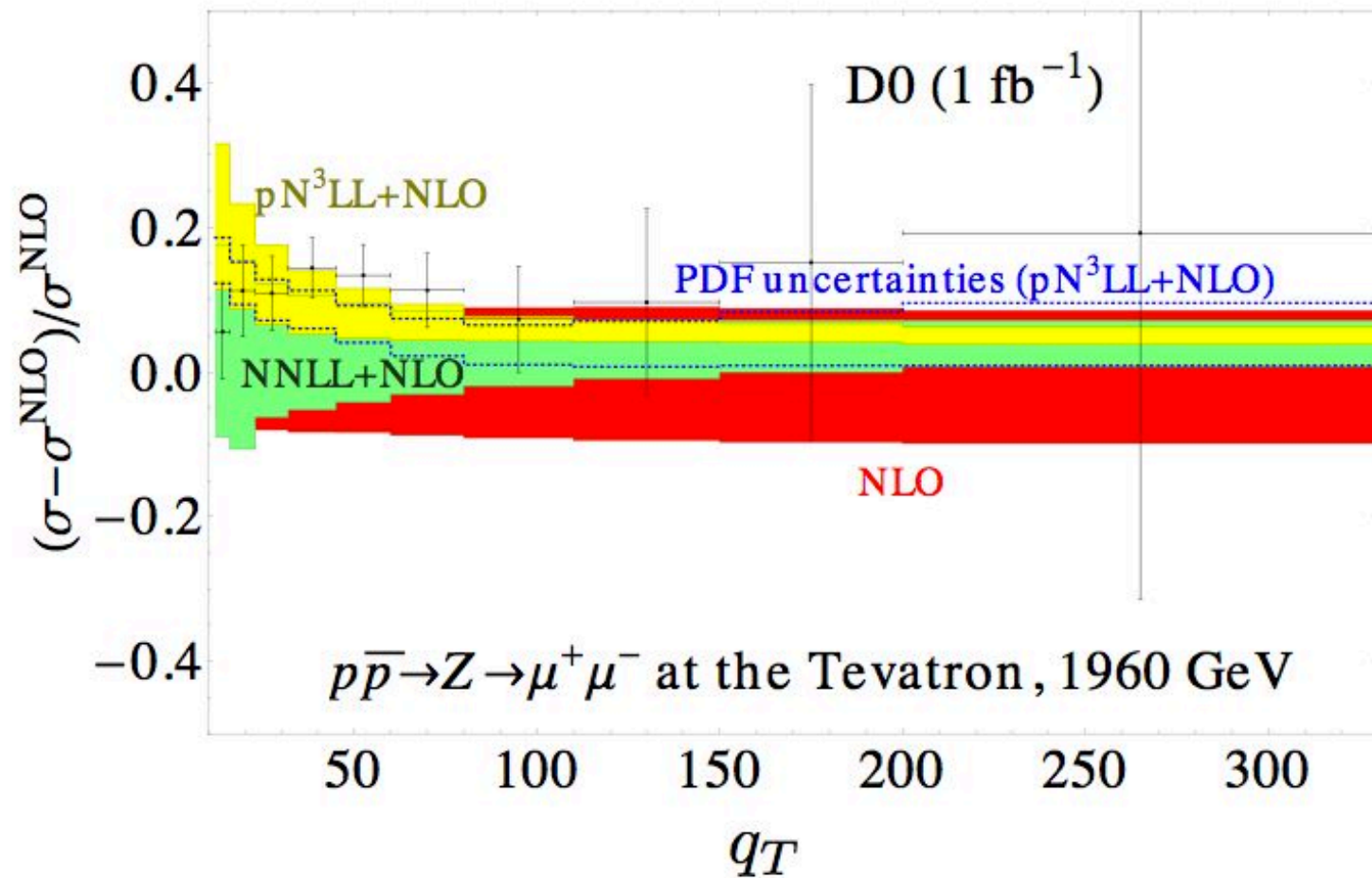
SCET has been used to perform soft gluon resummation for many processes:

- DIS at large  $x$ , Drell-Yan rapidity spectrum, inclusive Higgs production, top production, direct photon production, single top production,  $e^+e^-$  event shapes, ...

Would like to use framework to resum higher logs in multi-jet processes at hadron colliders. To do so, we first need to understand “initial state showering”.

- The  $q_T$ -spectrum in DY provides simple setting to study issue





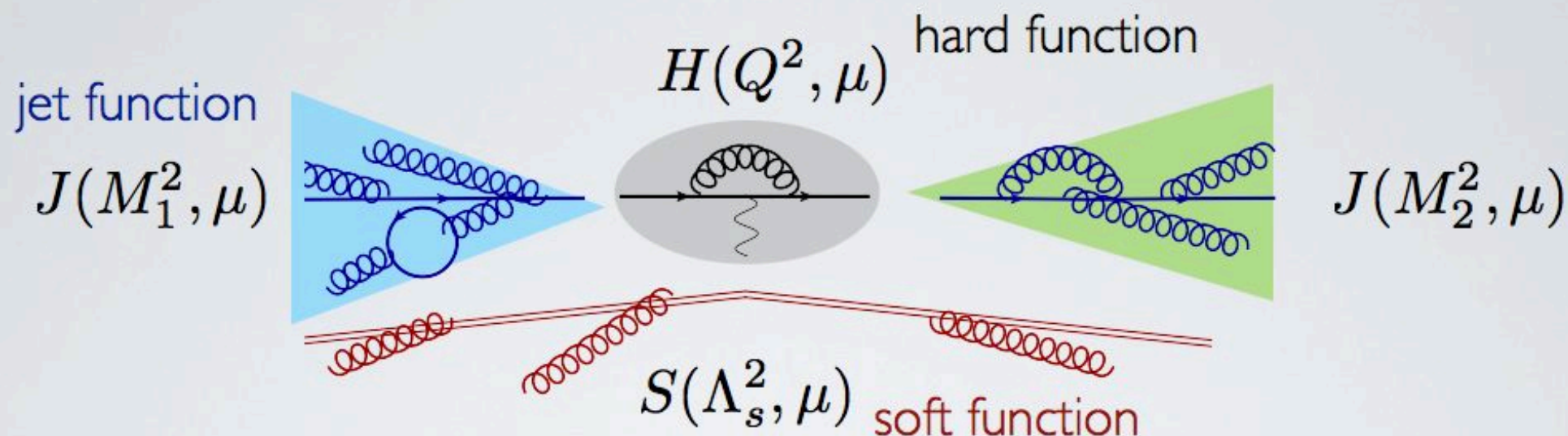
Focus here on low  $q_T$ , but we have also performed soft-gluon resummation for high- $q_T$  spectrum.

TB, Lorentzen, Schwartz, to appear soon



# FACTORIZATION

Standard soft-collinear factorization:



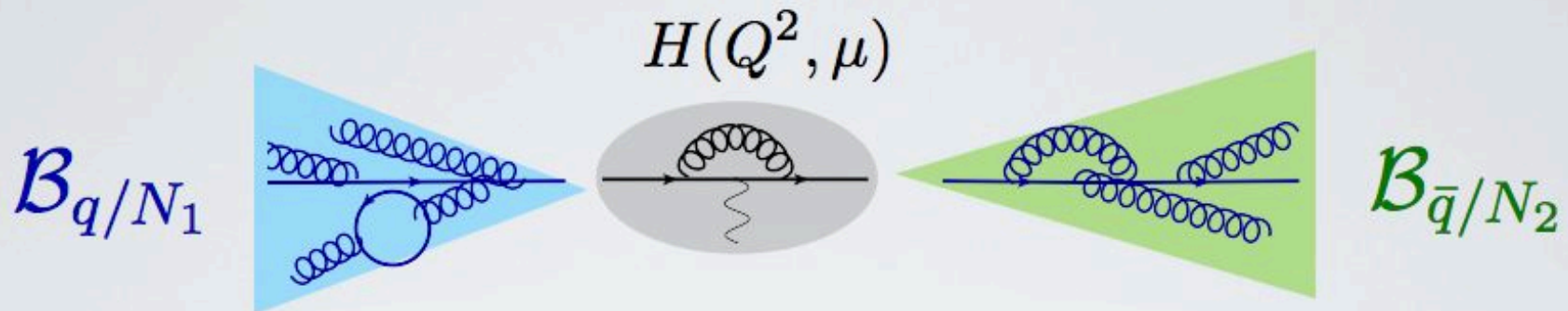
Transverse momentum of soft partons is suppressed compared to the transverse momentum of the partons inside the jets

$$q_T^{\text{soft}} \sim \frac{(q_T^{\text{jet}})^2}{Q}$$

Soft contribution to  $q_T$  spectrum can be neglected. Sum over all soft emissions: KLN cancellation.



# NAIVE FACTORIZATION



“hard function”  $\times$  “transverse PDF”  $\times$  “transverse PDF”

Transverse PDF

light-cone vector in  $\bar{q}$  direction

$$\mathcal{B}_{q/N}(z, x_T^2, \mu) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int dt e^{-izt\bar{n} \cdot p} \langle N(p) | \bar{\chi}(t\bar{n} + x_\perp) \frac{\not{n}}{2} \chi(0) | N(p) \rangle$$

this spells trouble: well known that transverse PDF not well defined w/o additional regulators

# CROSS SECTION

$$\frac{d^3\sigma}{dM^2 dq_T^2 dy} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3N_c M^2 s} |H(M^2, \mu)|^2 \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2x_\perp e^{-iq_\perp \cdot x_\perp}$$

$\xi_{1/2} = \frac{M}{\sqrt{s}} e^{\pm y}$

$$\times \sum_q e_q^2 \left[ \mathcal{B}_{q/N_1}(\xi_1, x_T^2, \mu) \mathcal{B}_{\bar{q}/N_2}(\xi_2, x_T^2, \mu) + (q \leftrightarrow \bar{q}) \right] + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{q_T^2}{M^2}\right)$$

The resummation would then be obtained by solving the RG equation

$$\frac{d}{d \ln \mu} H(M^2, \mu) = \left[ 2\Gamma_{\text{cusp}}^F(\alpha_s) \ln \frac{M^2}{\mu^2} + 4\gamma^q(\alpha_s) \right] H(M^2, \mu)$$

see SCET papers: Gao, Li, Liu 2005; Idilbi, Ji, Yuan 2005; Mantry, Petriello 2009

This cannot be correct! If  $\mathcal{B}_{q/N_1}(\xi_1, x_T^2, \mu) \mathcal{B}_{\bar{q}/N_2}(\xi_2, x_T^2, \mu)$  is independent of  $M$ , the above cross section is  $\mu$  dependent!



# COLLINEAR ANOMALY

RG invariance of cross section implies that the product of transverse PDFs  $\mathcal{B}_{q/N_1}(\xi_1, x_T^2, \mu)$   $\mathcal{B}_{\bar{q}/N_2}(\xi_2, x_T^2, \mu)$  must contain hidden  $M^2$  dependence.

Analyzing the relevant diagrams, one finds that an additional regulator is needed to make transverse PDFs well defined. In the product of the two PDFs, this regulator can be removed, but anomalous  $M^2$  dependence remains. Can refactorize

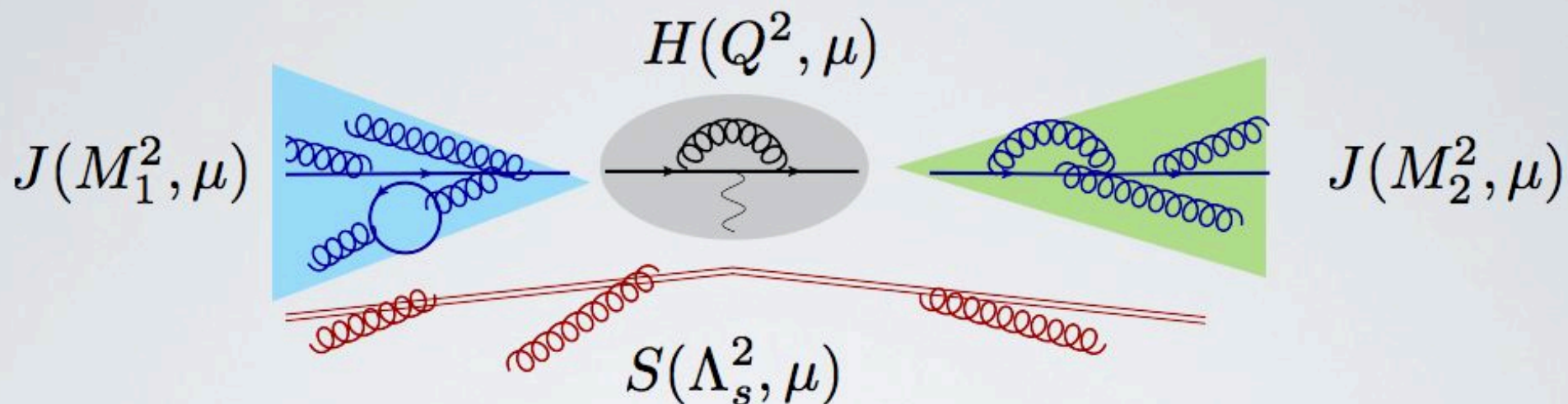
$$[\mathcal{B}_{q/N_1}(z_1, x_T^2, \mu) \mathcal{B}_{\bar{q}/N_2}(z_2, x_T^2, \mu)]_{M^2} = \left( \frac{x_T^2 M^2}{4e^{-2\gamma_E}} \right)^{-F_{q\bar{q}}(x_T^2, \mu)} \mathcal{B}_{q/N_1}(z_1, x_T^2, \mu) \mathcal{B}_{\bar{q}/N_2}(z_2, x_T^2, \mu),$$

$$\text{with } \frac{dF_{q\bar{q}}(x_T^2, \mu)}{d \ln \mu} = 2\Gamma_{\text{cusp}}^F(\alpha_s)$$

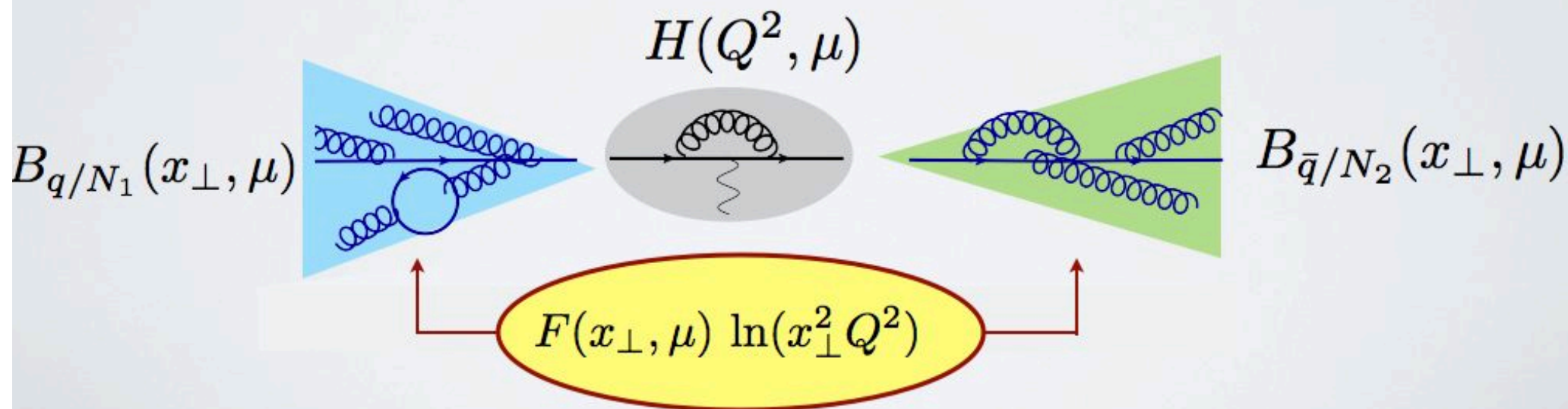
Note that  $M^2$  dependence exponentiates!



Regular soft-collinear factorization:



Anomalous factorization



# TRANSVERSE PDFs

*What God has joined together, let no man separate...*

The “operator definition of TMD PDFs is quite problematic [...] and is nowadays under active investigation”.

quote from Cherednikov and Stefanis '09. For reviews on TMD PDFs, see Collins '03, '08. For an elegant new definition by Collins, see arXiv:1101.5057.

Regularization of the individual transverse PDFs is delicate, but the **product is well defined**, and has **specific dependence on the hard momentum transfer  $M^2$** .

**Anomaly:** Classically,  $\langle N_1(p) | \bar{\chi}_{hc}(x_+ + x_\perp) \not{n} \chi_{hc}(0) | N_1(p) \rangle$  is invariant under a rescaling of the momentum of the other nucleon  $N_2$ . Quantum theory needs regularization. Symmetry cannot be recovered after removing regulator. Not an anomaly of QCD, but of the low energy theory.



# SIMPLIFICATION FOR $q_T^2 \gg \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$

For perturbative values of  $q_T$  we can perform an operator product expansion

$$\mathcal{B}_{i/N}(\xi, x_T^2, \mu) = \sum_j \int_\xi^1 \frac{dz}{z} \mathcal{I}_{i \leftarrow j}(z, x_T^2, \mu) \phi_{j/N}(\xi/z, \mu) + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2 x_T^2)$$

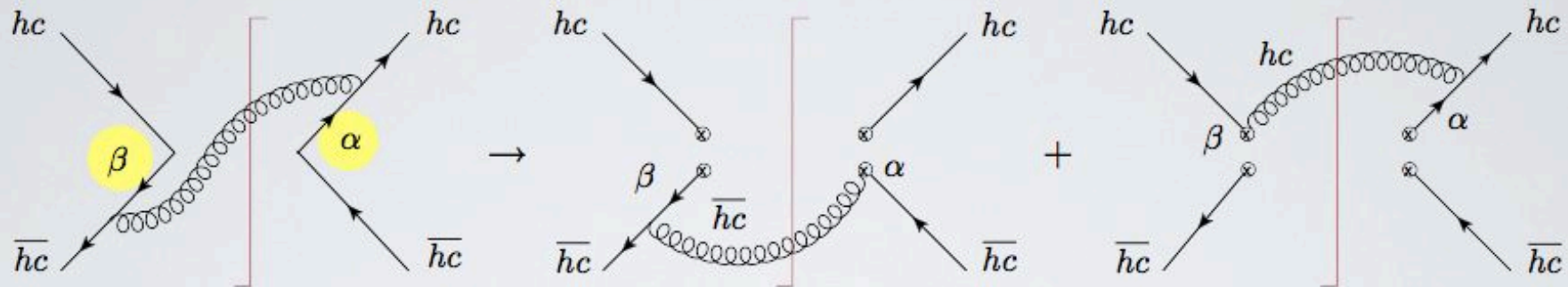
Again, only the product of two  $\mathcal{I}_{i \leftarrow j}(z, x_T^2, \mu)$  functions is well defined.

$$[\mathcal{I}_{q \leftarrow i}(z_1, x_T^2, \mu) \mathcal{I}_{\bar{q} \leftarrow j}(z_2, x_T^2, \mu)]_{q^2} = \left( \frac{x_T^2 q^2}{4e^{-2\gamma_E}} \right)^{-F_{q\bar{q}}(x_T^2, \mu)} I_{q \leftarrow i}(z_1, x_T^2, \mu) I_{\bar{q} \leftarrow j}(z_2, x_T^2, \mu)$$

Effective theory diagrams for  $\mathcal{I}_{i \leftarrow j}(z, x_T^2, \mu)$  are not well-defined in dim. reg.. Following [Smirnov '83](#), we use additional *analytical regularization*, which is very economical, since it does not introduce additional scales into the problem.



# ANALYTICAL REGULARIZATION

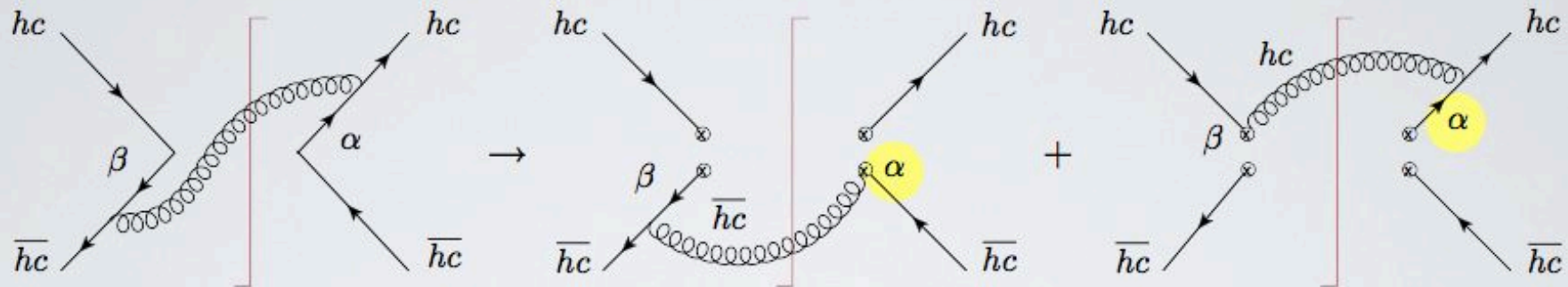


- Raise QCD propagators carrying large momentum  $p$ ,  $(\bar{p})$  to fractional powers  $\alpha$ ,  $(\beta)$ :

$$\frac{1}{-(p-k)^2 - i\varepsilon} \rightarrow \frac{\nu_1^{2\alpha}}{[-(p-k)^2 - i\varepsilon]^{1+\alpha}}$$

- Limit  $\alpha \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\beta \rightarrow 0$  is trivial for QCD, but effective theory diagrams have poles, which only cancel in the sum of collinear and anti-collinear diagrams.

# ANALYTICAL REGULARIZATION



- Regulators play double role. E.g.  $\alpha$  regulates  $hc$  propagators and  $\overline{hc}$  Wilson line

$$\frac{n^\mu}{n \cdot k - i\varepsilon} \rightarrow \frac{\nu_1^{2\alpha} n^\mu \bar{n} \cdot p}{(n \cdot k \bar{n} \cdot p - i\varepsilon)^{1+\alpha}}$$

- Regulator **breaks invariance** of anti-hard-collinear sector under a rescaling of the hard-collinear momentum  $p \rightarrow \lambda p$ .

# I-LOOP RESULT

Taking first  $\beta \rightarrow 0$ , then  $\alpha \rightarrow 0$ , one finds ( $L_{\perp} = \ln \frac{x_T^2 \mu^2}{4e^{-2\gamma_E}}$ )

$$\mathcal{I}_{q \leftarrow q}(z, x_T^2, \mu) = \delta(1-z) - \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{2\pi} \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} + L_{\perp} \right) \left[ \left( \frac{2}{\alpha} - 2 \ln \frac{\mu^2}{\nu_1^2} \right) \delta(1-z) + \frac{1+z^2}{(1-z)_+} \right] \right. \\ \left. + \delta(1-z) \left( -\frac{2}{\epsilon^2} + L_{\perp}^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{6} \right) - (1-z) \right\}$$

anomalous  $M^2$  dep.



$$\mathcal{I}_{\bar{q} \leftarrow \bar{q}}(z, x_T^2, \mu) = \delta(1-z) - \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{2\pi} \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} + L_{\perp} \right) \left[ \left( -\frac{2}{\alpha} + 2 \ln \frac{M^2}{\nu_1^2} \right) \delta(1-z) \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. + \frac{1+z^2}{(1-z)_+} \right] - (1-z) \right\}$$

In the product the  $1/\alpha$  divergences vanish, but anomalous  $M^2$  dependence remains.



- For the functions  $I$  and  $F$ , one then obtains

$$F_{q\bar{q}}(L_{\perp}, \alpha_s) = \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{\pi} L_{\perp} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$$

$$I_{q \leftarrow q}(z, L_{\perp}, \alpha_s) = I_{\bar{q} \leftarrow \bar{q}}(z, L_{\perp}, \alpha_s) = \delta(1-z) \left[ 1 + \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{4\pi} \left( L_{\perp}^2 + 3L_{\perp} - \frac{\pi^2}{6} \right) \right] \\ - \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{2\pi} \left[ L_{\perp} P_{q \leftarrow q}(z) - (1-z) \right] + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$$

$$I_{q \leftarrow g}(z, L_{\perp}, \alpha_s) = I_{\bar{q} \leftarrow g}(z, L_{\perp}, \alpha_s) = -\frac{T_F \alpha_s}{2\pi} \left[ L_{\perp} P_{q \leftarrow g}(z) - 2z(1-z) \right] + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$$

- Solving its RG and using Davies, Stirling and Webber '84 and de Florian and Grazzini '01, we extract the two-loop  $F$

$$F_{q\bar{q}}(L_{\perp}, \alpha_s) = \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \Gamma_0^F L_{\perp} + \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \right)^2 \left[ \frac{\Gamma_0^F \beta_0}{2} L_{\perp}^2 + \Gamma_1^F L_{\perp} + d_2^q \right]$$

$$d_2^q = C_F \left[ C_A \left( \frac{808}{27} - 28\zeta_3 \right) - \frac{224}{27} T_F n_f \right]$$

Casimir scaling

$$\frac{F_{q\bar{q}}(L_{\perp}, \alpha_s)}{C_F} = \frac{F_{gg}(L_{\perp}, \alpha_s)}{C_A}$$

All the necessary input for NNLL resummation!

# RESUMMED RESULT

$$\frac{d^3\sigma}{dM^2 dq_T^2 dy} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3N_c M^2 s} \sum_q e_q^2 \sum_{i=q,g} \sum_{j=\bar{q},g} \int_{\xi_1}^1 \frac{dz_1}{z_1} \int_{\xi_2}^1 \frac{dz_2}{z_2} \\ \times \left[ C_{q\bar{q} \rightarrow ij} \left( \frac{\xi_1}{z_1}, \frac{\xi_2}{z_2}, q_T^2, M^2, \mu \right) \phi_{i/N_1}(z_1, \mu) \phi_{j/N_2}(z_2, \mu) + (q, i \leftrightarrow \bar{q}, j) \right]$$

The hard-scattering kernel is

$$C_{q\bar{q} \rightarrow ij}(z_1, z_2, q_T^2, M^2, \mu) = \underbrace{H(M^2, \mu)}_{\text{hard function}} \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2x_\perp e^{-iq_\perp \cdot x_\perp} \underbrace{\left( \frac{x_T^2 M^2}{4e^{-2\gamma_E}} \right)^{-F_{q\bar{q}}(x_T^2, \mu)}}_{\text{anomaly}} \\ \times I_{q \leftarrow i}(z_1, x_T^2, \mu) I_{\bar{q} \leftarrow j}(z_2, x_T^2, \mu)$$

- Two sources of  $M$  dependence: **hard function** and **anomaly**
- Fourier transform can be evaluated numerically or analytically, if higher-log terms are expanded out.

# COLLINS SOPER STERMAN FORMULA

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^3\sigma}{dM^2 dq_T^2 dy} &= \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3N_c M^2 s} \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2x_\perp e^{-iq_\perp \cdot x_\perp} \sum_q e_q^2 \sum_{i=q,g} \sum_{j=\bar{q},g} \int_{\xi_1}^1 \frac{dz_1}{z_1} \int_{\xi_2}^1 \frac{dz_2}{z_2} \\ &\times \exp \left\{ - \int_{\mu_b^2}^{M^2} \frac{d\bar{\mu}^2}{\bar{\mu}^2} \left[ \ln \frac{M^2}{\bar{\mu}^2} A(\alpha_s(\bar{\mu})) + B(\alpha_s(\bar{\mu})) \right] \right\} \\ &\times \left[ C_{qi}(z_1, \alpha_s(\mu_b)) C_{\bar{q}j}(z_2, \alpha_s(\mu_b)) \phi_{i/N_1}(\xi_1/z_1, \mu_b) \phi_{j/N_2}(\xi_2/z_2, \mu_b) + (q, i \leftrightarrow \bar{q}, j) \right] \end{aligned}$$

- The low scale is  $\mu_b = b_0/x_T$ , and we set  $b_0 = 2e^{-\gamma_E}$ .
- Landau-pole singularity in the Fourier transform. To use the formula, one needs additional prescription to deal with this.



# RELATION TO CSS

If adopt the choice  $\mu = \mu_b = 2e^{-\gamma_E}/x_\perp$  in our result reduces to CSS formula, provided we identify

$$\left. \begin{aligned} A(\alpha_s) &= \Gamma_{\text{cusp}}^F(\alpha_s) - \frac{\beta(\alpha_s)}{2} \frac{dg_1(\alpha_s)}{d\alpha_s}, \\ B(\alpha_s) &= 2\gamma^q(\alpha_s) + g_1(\alpha_s) - \frac{\beta(\alpha_s)}{2} \frac{dg_2(\alpha_s)}{d\alpha_s}, \\ C_{ij}(z, \alpha_s(\mu_b)) &= [H(\mu_b^2, \mu_b)]^{1/2} I_{i \leftarrow j}(z, 0, \alpha_s(\mu_b)), \end{aligned} \right| \begin{aligned} &\text{anomaly contribution} \\ &g_1(\alpha_s) = F(0, \alpha_s) \\ &g_2(\alpha_s) = \ln H(\mu^2, \mu) \end{aligned}$$

Use these relations to derive unknown three-loop coefficient, necessary for NNLL resummation

$$A^{(3)} = \Gamma_2^F + \beta_0 g_1''(0) = 239.2 - 652.9 \neq \Gamma_2^F$$

Not equal to the cusp anom. dim. as was usually assumed!



# DIVERGENT EXPANSIONS, AND OTHER SURPRISES

# TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM SPECTRUM

The spectrum has a number of quite remarkable features which we now discuss in turn:

- Expansion in  $\alpha_s$  : strong factorial divergence
- $q_T$ -spectrum:
  - calculable, even near  $q_T = 0$
  - expansion around  $q_T = 0$  : extremely divergent
- Long-distance effects associated with  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$ 
  - small, but OPE breaks down



# LEADING MOMENTUM DEPENDENCE

Up to corrections suppressed by powers of  $\alpha_s$ , the  $q_T$ -dependence of our formula result has the form

$$\frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2 x_\perp e^{-i q_\perp \cdot x_\perp} e^{-\eta L_\perp - \frac{1}{4} a L_\perp^2} \equiv \frac{e^{-2\gamma_E}}{\mu^2} K\left(\eta, a, \frac{q_T^2}{\mu^2}\right)$$

with  $L_\perp = \ln \frac{x_T^2 \mu^2}{4e^{-2\gamma_E}}$ , and the two quantities

$$\eta = \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{\pi} \ln \frac{M^2}{\mu^2} = \mathcal{O}(1) \quad a = \alpha_s(\mu) \times \mathcal{O}(1)$$

Since  $a$  is suppressed one can try to expand  $K$  in it.

# FACTORIAL DIVERGENCE

Unfortunately, the series in  $a$  is strongly factorially divergent:

$$K(\eta, a, 1)|_{\text{exp}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2n)!}{n!} \left(-\frac{a}{4}\right)^n \left[ \frac{1}{(1-\eta)^{2n+1}} - e^{-2\gamma_E} \right] + \dots$$

first noted by Frixione, Nason, Ridolfi '99

Can Borel resum it, which makes the nonperturbative and highly nontrivial  $a$  dependence explicit

$$K(\eta, a, 1)|_{\text{Borel}} = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{a}} \left\{ e^{\frac{(1-\eta)^2}{a}} \left[ 1 - \text{Erf} \left( \frac{1-\eta}{\sqrt{a}} \right) \right] - e^{-2\gamma_E + \frac{1}{a}} \left[ 1 - \text{Erf} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} \right) \right] \right\} + \dots$$

In practice, it is simplest, to use the exact expression and evaluate  $K$ -function numerically.



## VERY LOW $q_T$

For moderate  $q_T$ , the natural scale choice is  $\mu = q_T$ .  
However, detailed analysis shows that near  $q_T \approx 0$  the Fourier integral is dominated by

$$\langle x_T^{-1} \rangle = q_* = M \exp \left( -\frac{\pi}{2C_F \alpha_s(q_*)} \right) = 1.75 \text{ GeV} \text{ for } M = M_Z$$

which corresponds to  $\eta=1$ .

→ Spectrum can be computed with short-distance methods down to  $q_T=0$ !

# INTERCEPT AT $Q_T=0$

- Dedicated analysis of  $q_T \rightarrow 0$  limit yields:

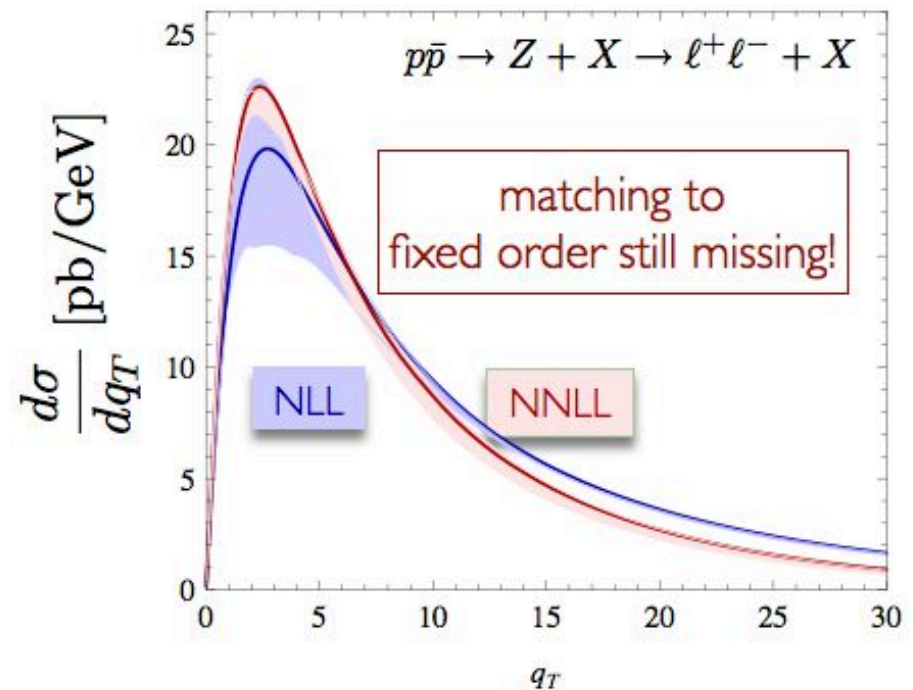
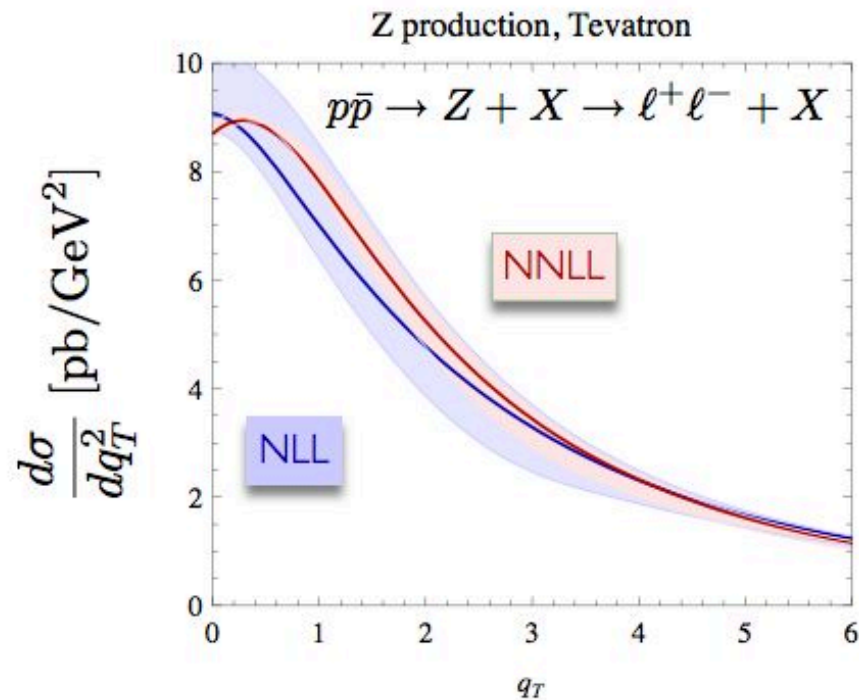
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_T^2} \sim \frac{\mathcal{N}}{\sqrt{\alpha_s}} e^{-\#/\alpha_s} (1 + c_1 \alpha_s + \dots)$$

Parisi, Petronzio 1979;  
Collins, Soper, Sterman 1985; Ellis, Veseli 1998

- We have computed the normalization  $\mathcal{N}$  and NLO coefficient  $c_1$
- Expression cannot be expanded about  $\alpha_s = 0$  (essential singularity)

# PRELIM. NUMERICAL RESULTS

- Find smooth behavior down to very small  $q_T$





# SLOPE AT $Q_T=0$ ?

Given our result for the intercept, we can also try to obtain derivatives with respect to  $q_T^2$ . Leading term is obtained by expanding

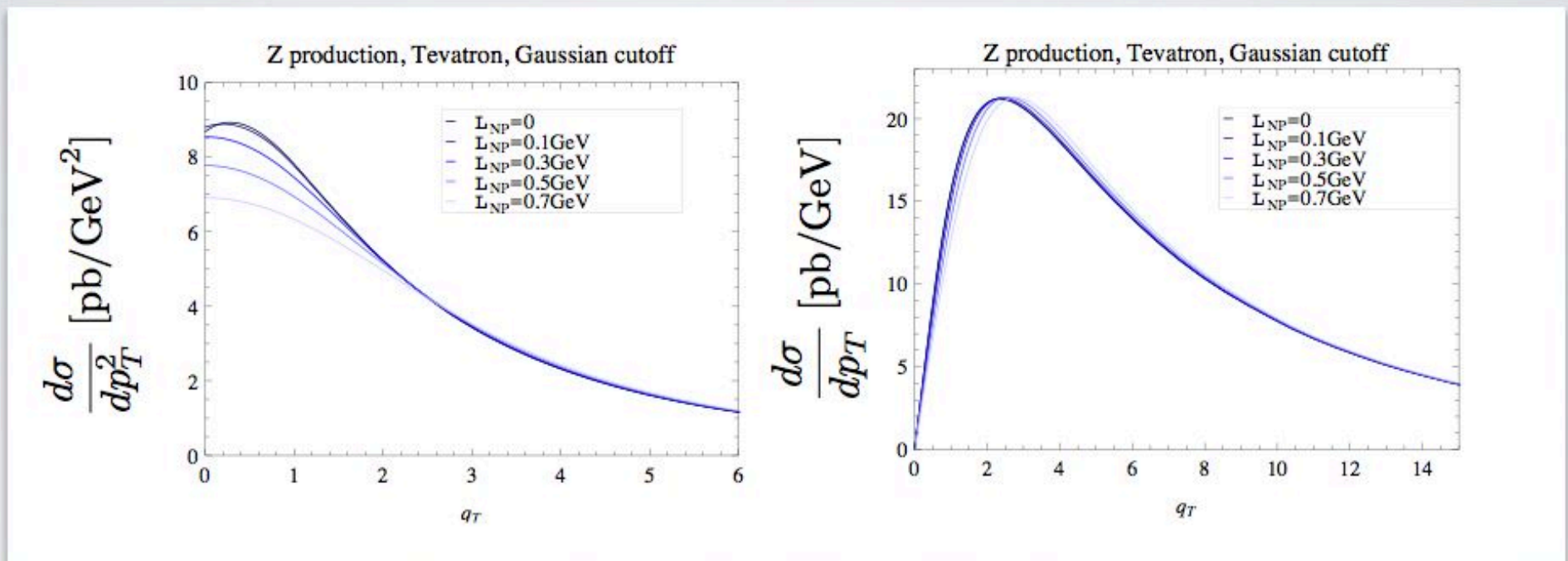
$$\frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^2x_{\perp} e^{-iq_{\perp} \cdot x_{\perp}} e^{-\eta L_{\perp} - \frac{1}{4}aL_{\perp}^2} \equiv \frac{e^{-2\gamma_E}}{\mu^2} K\left(\eta, a, \frac{q_T^2}{\mu^2}\right)$$

Yields violently divergent series

$$K(\eta = 1, a, q_T) \big|_{\text{exp}} \sim \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{\sqrt{a}} e^{n^2/a} \left(\frac{q_T^2}{q_*^2}\right)^{n-1}$$

# LONG-DISTANCE EFFECTS

- Can model long distance effect by cutting of Fourier integral, e.g. with a Gaussian  $e^{-\Lambda^2 x_T^2}$ .



- Small effects, but expansion in  $\Lambda^2/q_*^2$  has the same violent divergence as expansion in  $q_T^2/q_*^2$ .



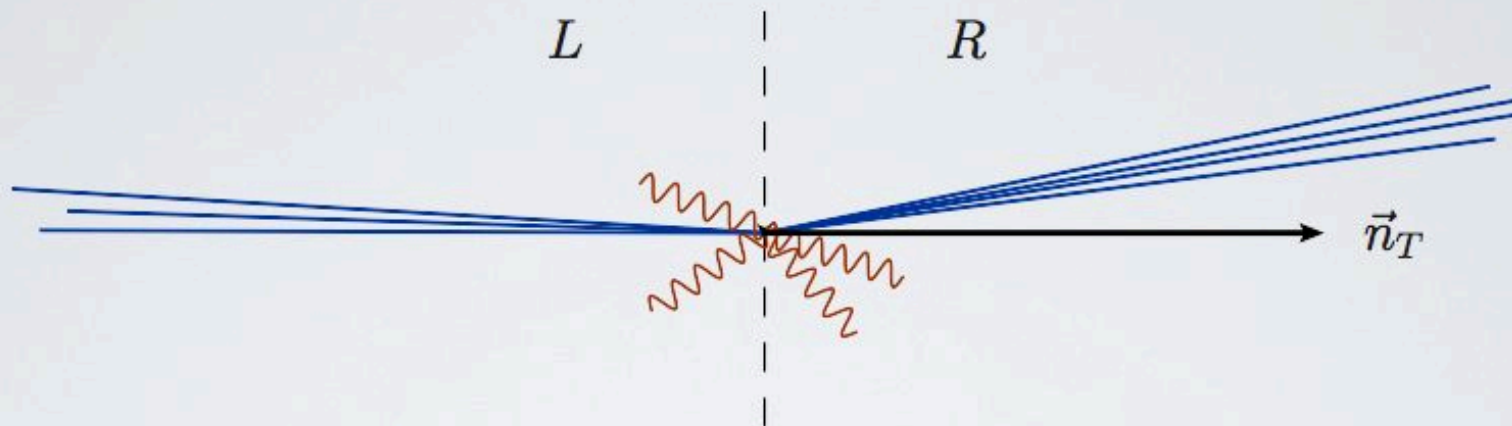
# MORE ANOMALOUS FACTORIZATION: JET BROADENING



The problem that individual jet and soft functions are not well defined without additional regularization also arises in other factorization theorems, for example

- Electroweak Sudakov resummation (and any other process at high momentum transfer with small, but non-negligible masses). Chiu, Golf, Kelley, Manohar
- Other variables sensitive only to transverse momenta, such as jet broadening. TB, Bell, Neubert, to appear

# JET BROADENING IN $e^+e^-$



- Broadening measures momentum relative to the thrust axis

$$b_L = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i |\vec{p}_i^\perp| = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i |\vec{p}_i \times \vec{n}_T|$$

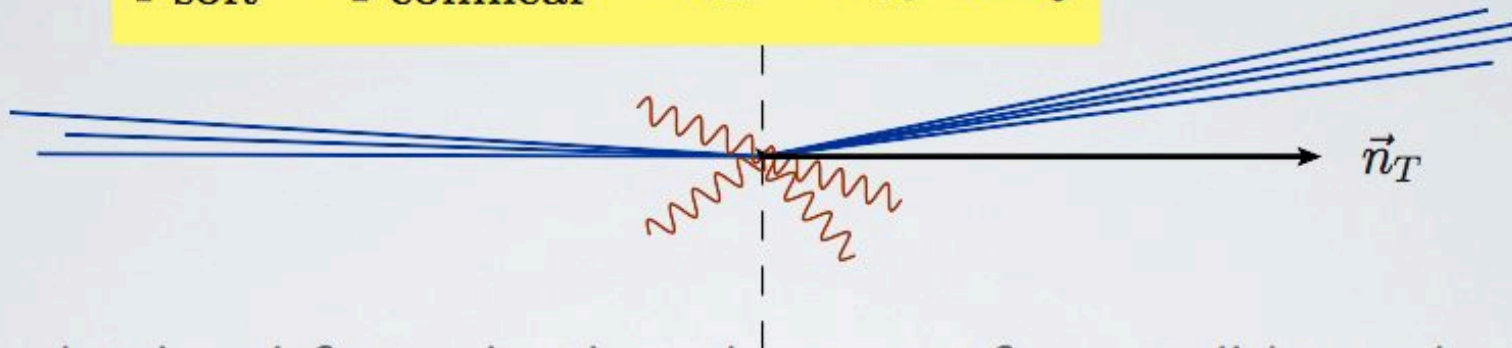
- Measured are the total and wide broadening

$$b_T = b_L + b_R;$$

$$b_W = \max(b_L, b_R)$$

# FACTORIZATION

$$p_{\text{soft}}^{\perp} \sim p_{\text{collinear}}^{\perp} \sim b_L \sim b_R \ll Q$$



- Have obtained factorization theorem for small broadening

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d^2\sigma}{db_L db_R} = H(Q^2, \mu) \int db_L^s \int db_R^s \int d^{d-2} p_L^{\perp} \int d^{d-2} p_R^{\perp}$$

$$\mathcal{J}_L(b_L - b_L^s, p_L^{\perp}, \mu) \mathcal{J}_R(b_R - b_R^s, p_R^{\perp}, \mu) \mathcal{S}(b_L^s, b_R^s, -p_L^{\perp}, -p_R^{\perp}, \mu) .$$

- Jet recoils against soft radiation!
- $\mathcal{J}$  and  $\mathcal{S}$  suffer again from coll. anomaly, analytic regulator



# LAPLACE AND FOURIER SPACE

- Have derived all-order form of anomalous  $Q$ -dependence

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\tau_L d\tau_R} = H(Q^2, \mu) \int dz_L \int dz_R (Q^2 \bar{\tau}_L^2)^{-F_B(\tau_L, z_L, \mu)} (Q^2 \bar{\tau}_R^2)^{-F_B(\tau_R, z_R, \mu)} \\ \times \bar{J}(\tau_L, z_L, \mu) \bar{J}(\tau_R, z_R, \mu) \bar{S}(\tau_L, \tau_R, z_L, z_R, \mu)$$

- One-loop anomaly coefficient is TB, Bell, Neubert, to appear

$$F_B(\tau, \mu) = \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{\pi} \left( \ln \mu \bar{\tau}_L + \ln \frac{\sqrt{1+z^2} + 1}{4} \right)$$

- To NLL tree-level jet and soft functions are sufficient

$$\bar{S} = 1 \qquad \bar{J} = z / (1 + z^2)^{3/2}$$

# NLL RESULT

- Because of the simple  $\tau$  dependence the Mellin inversion can be done analytically. Result for total broadening:

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d^2\sigma}{db_T} = H(Q^2, \mu) \frac{e^{-2\gamma_E\eta}}{\Gamma(2\eta)} \frac{1}{b_T} \left( \frac{b_T^2}{\mu^2} \right)^{2\eta} I^2(\eta)$$

- with

$$I(\eta) = \int_0^\infty dz \frac{z}{(1+z^2)^{3/2}} \left( \frac{\sqrt{1+z^2}+1}{4} \right)^{-\eta} \quad \text{and} \quad \eta = \frac{C_F \alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \ln \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}$$

- Equivalent to the result of Dokshitzer, Lucenti, Marchesini and Salam '98

# NNLL?

- Have operator definitions for the jet and soft functions, e.g.

$$\frac{\pi}{2}(\not{n})_{\alpha\beta} \mathcal{J}_L(b, p^\perp) = \sum_X (2\pi)^d \delta(\bar{n} \cdot p_X - Q) \delta^{d-2}(p_X^\perp - p^\perp) \\ \delta\left(b - \frac{1}{2} \sum_i |p_i^\perp|\right) \langle 0 | \chi_\alpha(0) | X \rangle \langle X | \bar{\chi}_\beta(0) | 0 \rangle$$

- For NNLL we need
  - one loop jet and soft functions and
    - (already have one-loop soft function)
  - two-loop anomaly function  $F$  (obtained from 2-loop divergence of the soft function).



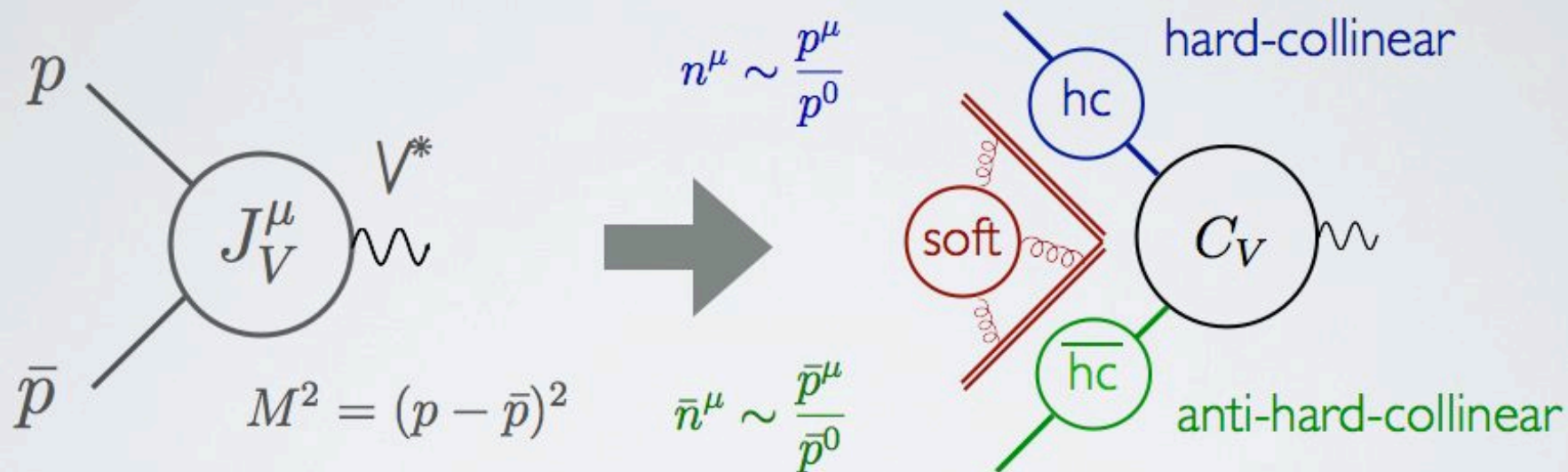
# CONCLUSION

- Have derived resummed result for Drell-Yan  $q_T$  spectrum. Naive factorization broken by collinear anomaly. Only the product of two transverse PDFs is well defined, but has anomalous dependence on the large momentum transfer
- Result is equivalent to CSS a special scale choice. Obtain three-loop coefficient  $A^{(3)}$ , the last missing piece needed for NNLL accuracy.
- Many surprising features:
  - emergence of nonperturbative scale  $q_* \sim 2\text{GeV}$ : spectrum is short-distance dominated, even at very low  $q_T$
  - strongly divergent expansions in  $\alpha_s$ ,  $q_T/q_*$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/q_*$ .
- Phenomenological analysis at NNLL+NLO is in progress.
- Have all-order factorization theorem for jet broadening
  - Necessary computations for NNLL resummation look feasible

EXTRA SLIDES

# SOFT-COLLINEAR FACTORIZATION

- Starting point is the factorization of the electroweak current in the Sudakov limit



- In Soft-Collinear Effective Theory (SCET) this can be written in operator form as

$$\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\psi \rightarrow C_V(M^2,\mu) \, \bar{\chi}_{\overline{hc}} S_{\bar{n}}^\dagger \gamma^\mu S_n \chi_{hc}$$

SCET hc quark field



The Drell-Yan cross section is obtained from the matrix element of two currents

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (-g_{\mu\nu}) \langle N_1(p) N_2(\bar{p}) | J_V^{\mu\dagger}(x) J_V^\nu(0) | N_1(p) N_2(\bar{p}) \rangle \rightarrow \frac{1}{2N_c} |C_V(M^2, \mu)|^2 \\
 & \times \hat{W}_{\text{DY}}(x) \langle N_1(p) | \bar{\chi}_{hc}(x) \frac{\not{n}}{2} \chi_{hc}(0) | N_1(p) \rangle \langle N_2(\bar{p}) | \bar{\chi}_{\bar{h}\bar{c}}(0) \frac{\not{\bar{n}}}{2} \chi_{\bar{h}\bar{c}}(x) | N_2(\bar{p}) \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$n$  and  $\bar{n}$  are light-cone reference vectors along  $p$  and  $\bar{p}$ .

The soft function contains a product of four Wilson lines along the directions of large energy flow

$$\hat{W}_{\text{DY}}(x) = \frac{1}{N_c} \langle 0 | \text{Tr} [S_n^\dagger(x) S_{\bar{n}}(x) S_{\bar{n}}^\dagger(0) S_n(0)] | 0 \rangle$$

$$S_n(x) = \mathbf{P} \exp \left[ i \int_{-\infty}^0 ds n \cdot A_s(x + sn) \right]$$

# DERIVATIVE EXPANSION

Final step is to expand the matrix elements in small momentum components, i.e. to perform a derivative expansion.

The light-cone components  $(n \cdot k, \bar{n} \cdot k, k_\perp)$  scale as

$$p_{hc} \sim M(\lambda^2, 1, \lambda), \quad p_{\overline{hc}} \sim M(1, \lambda^2, \lambda).$$

$$p_s \sim M(\lambda^2, \lambda^2, \lambda^2).$$

expansion parameter

$$\lambda = \frac{q_T}{M}$$

while the separation between the two currents scales as

$$x \sim M^{-1}(1, 1, \lambda^{-1})$$

$$\longrightarrow A_s^\mu(x) = A_s^\mu(0) + x \cdot \partial A_s^\mu(0) + \dots$$

power suppressed, can be dropped



# NAIVE FACTORIZATION

Dropping power suppressed  $x$ -dependence leads to the result

$$\underbrace{\hat{W}_{\text{DY}}(0)}_1 \times \text{“transverse PDF”} \times \text{“transverse PDF”}$$

KLN cancellation!

this spells trouble: well known that transverse PDF not well defined w/o additional regulators

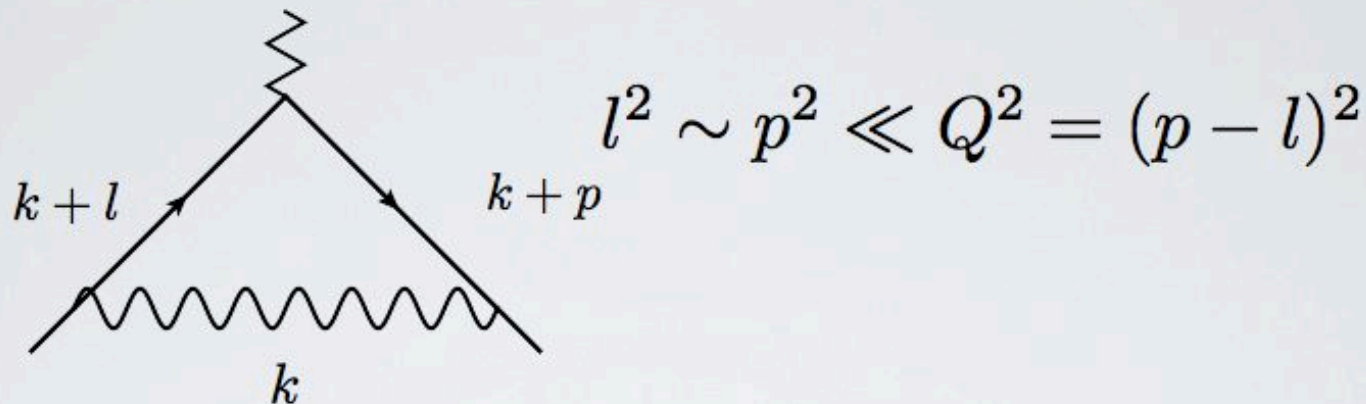
For comparison: for soft-gluon resummation, the result is

$$\hat{W}_{\text{DY}}(x_0) \langle N_1(p) | \bar{\chi}_{hc}(x_+) \frac{\not{x}}{2} \chi_{hc}(0) | N_1(p) \rangle \langle N_2(\bar{p}) | \bar{\chi}_{\bar{h}\bar{c}}(0) \frac{\not{x}}{2} \chi_{\bar{h}\bar{c}}(x_-) | N_2(\bar{p}) \rangle$$

“soft”  $\times$  “standard PDF”  $\times$  “standard PDF”



# EW SUDAKOV RESUMMATION



- For vanishing boson mass, the diagram receives a contribution from regions where the loop momentum  $k_\mu$  is
  - hard, **collinear to  $l_\mu$** , **collinear to  $p_\mu$**  and **ultra-soft  $k_\mu \sim p^2/Q$**
- For boson mass  $M^2 \sim p^2$  there is **no ultrasoft contribution** since in this region  $k^2 \ll M^2$  can be expanded out of the boson propagator; but at the same time the **two collinear regions are no longer separately well defined**  $\rightarrow$  **collinear anomaly**