Dip-bump structures in pp elastic scattering and single diffractive dissociation

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Elastic pp scattering and single diffractive dissociation



Leading order Pomeron exchange graph contributing to pp elastic scattering and to pp single diffractive dissociation



Schematic rapidity distribution of outgoing particles in pp elastic scattering and in pp single diffractive dissociation

Structures in elastic pp differential cross section

 measurements at CERN ISR in the 1970s revealed the characteristic structures of the high energy elastic pp differential cross section



Elastic pp $d\sigma_{el}/dt$ measurements at medium and high |t|

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- basic assumptions:
 - the asymptotic behaviour of the scattering amplitude A(s,t) is determined by an isolated *j*-plane pole of the second order (dipole)
 - the residue at the pole is independent of *t*, *t*-dependence enters only through the trajectory
- the partial wave amplitude is obtained as a derivative of a simple pole:

$$a_j(t) \equiv a(j,t) = \frac{d}{d\alpha(t)} \left[\frac{\beta(j)}{j - \alpha(t)} \right] = \frac{\beta(j)}{[j - \alpha(t)]^2}$$

the dipole scattering amplitude is obtained as a derivative of a simple pole scattering amplitude:

$$A^{\rm DP}(s,\alpha) = \frac{d}{d\alpha} A^{\rm SP}(s,\alpha) = e^{-\frac{i\pi\alpha}{2}} \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha} \left[G'(\alpha) + \left(L - \frac{i\pi}{2}\right)G(\alpha)\right]$$

$$A^{SP}(s,\alpha) = e^{-\frac{i\pi\alpha}{2}}G(\alpha)\left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha} \qquad \alpha = \alpha(t) \qquad L \equiv ln\frac{s}{s_0}$$

Dipole Regge model

$$A^{\rm DP}(s,\alpha) = e^{-\frac{i\pi\alpha}{2}} \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha} \left[G'(\alpha) + \left(L - \frac{i\pi}{2}\right)G(\alpha)\right]$$

- motivated by the shape of the diffraction cone (exponential decrease), the paramterization of $G'(\alpha)$ is: $G'(\alpha) = ae^{b[\alpha - \alpha_0]} \qquad (\alpha_0 \text{ is the intercept of the trajectory})$
- $G(\alpha)$ is obtained by by integrating $G'(\alpha)$:

$$G(\alpha) = \int G'(\alpha) d\alpha = a \left(\frac{e^{b[\alpha - \alpha_0]}}{b} - \gamma \right)$$

• introducing that $\varepsilon = \gamma b$ the amplitude can be rewritten as:

$$A^{\rm DP}(s,t) = i\frac{a}{b}\left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha_0} e^{-\frac{i\pi}{2}(\alpha_0 - 1)} \left[r_1^2(s)e^{r_1^2(s)[\alpha(t) - \alpha_0]} - \varepsilon r_2^2(s)e^{r_2^2(s)[\alpha(t) - \alpha_0]}\right]$$

= L(S)

$$r_1^2(s) = b + L(s) - i\pi/2$$
 $r_2^2(s)$

Model for elastic pp and $\overline{p}p$ scattering amplitude

$$A(s,t)_{pp}^{\overline{p}p} = A_P^{DP}(s,t) + A_f^{SP}(s,t) \pm [A_0^{DP}(s,t) + A_{\omega}^{SP}(s,t)]$$

the dipole pomeron and odderon amplitudes are:

$$\begin{split} A_{P}^{DP}(s,t) &= e^{-\frac{i\pi\alpha_{P}(t)}{2}} \left(\frac{s}{s_{0P}}\right)^{\alpha_{P}(t)} \left[G'_{P}(t) + \left(L_{P}(s) - \frac{i\pi}{2}\right)G_{P}(t)\right] & A_{0}^{DP}(s,t) = -iA_{P\rightarrow0}^{DP}(s,t) \\ G'_{P}(t) &= a_{P}e^{b_{P}[\alpha_{P}(t) - \alpha_{P}(0)]} & G_{P}(t) = a_{P}\left(e^{b_{P}[\alpha_{P}(t) - \alpha_{P}(0)]}/b_{P} - \gamma_{P}\right) & \text{(with free parameters labeled by "O")} \\ \hline L_{P}(s) &= \ln\frac{s}{s_{0P}} & \alpha_{P}(t) = 1 + \delta_{P} + \alpha'_{P}t \end{split}$$

the simple pole f and ω reggeon amplitudes are:

$$A_{f}(s,t) = -a_{f}e^{-\frac{i\pi\alpha_{f}(t)}{2}}(s/s_{0f})^{\alpha_{f}(t)}e^{b_{f}t}$$

$$\alpha_{\rm f}(t) = \alpha_{\rm f}^0 + \alpha_{\rm f}' t$$

$$\mathbf{A}_{\boldsymbol{\omega}}(\mathbf{s},\mathbf{t}) = -\mathbf{i}\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{f}\to\boldsymbol{\omega}}(\mathbf{s},\mathbf{t})$$

(with free parameters labeled by "ω")

ISR $d\sigma_{el}/dt$ data and the model



pomeron	odderon	f-reggeon	ω-reggeon
$\delta_P = 0.043$	$\delta_0 = 0.14$	$\alpha_f^0=0.69$	$\alpha^0_\omega = 0.44$
$\alpha'_P = 0.36$	$\alpha'_{O} = 0.13$	$lpha_{f}^{\prime}=0.84$	$lpha'_{\omega}=0.93$
$a_{P} = 9.10$	$a_0 = 0.029$	$a_f = 15.4$	$a_{\omega} = 9.69$
$b_P = 8.47$	$b_0 = 6.96$	$b_f = 4.78$	$b_{\omega} = 3.5$
$\gamma_P = 0$	$\gamma_0 = 0.11$	-	-
$s_{0P} = 2.88$	$s_{00} = 1$	$s_{0f} = 1$	$s_{0\omega} = 1$

Fit to proton-proton and proton-antiproton differential cross section data at ISR energy region, and to ρ and total cross section data from 5 GeV up to the highest energies

$d\sigma_{el}/dt$ with P and O contribution, ρ and σ_{tot} w/o O







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SPS + TEVATRON + LHC $d\sigma_{el}/dt$ data and the model

fit to proton-proton and proton-antiproton differential cross section data, and to ρ and total cross section data from 0.5 TeV up to the highest energies

Pomeron	Odderon	
$\delta_P = 0.02865$	$\delta_{O} = 0.2042$	
$\alpha'_P = 0.4284$	$\alpha'_O = 0.1494$	
$a_P = 45.63$	$a_0 = 0.01934$	
$b_P = 4.873$	$b_0 = 2.160$	
$\gamma_P = 0.06085$	$\gamma_O = 0.4866$	
$s_{0P} = 11.26$	$s_{00} = 1.03$	





$d\sigma_{el}/dt$ with P and O contribution, ρ and σ_{tot} w/o O

0.30

0.25

0.20

pp data
 pp data

mode

model
 pomeron

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Dip and bump position in $d\sigma_{el}/dt$ in a dipole Regge model

$$A^{DP}(s,\alpha) = e^{-\frac{i\pi\alpha}{2}} \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha} \left[G'(\alpha) + \left(L - \frac{i\pi}{2}\right)G(\alpha)\right]$$

$$\overline{G'(\alpha)} = ae^{b[\alpha-1-\delta]} \qquad \overline{G(\alpha)} = a\left(\frac{e^{b[\alpha-1-\delta]}}{b} - \gamma\right)$$

$$\overline{\alpha} = 1 + \delta + \alpha't \qquad \overline{L} = \ln\frac{s}{s_0}$$

$$-t_{min} = \frac{1}{\alpha'b}\ln\frac{b+L}{\gamma bL}$$

$$-t_{max} = \frac{1}{\alpha'b}\ln\frac{4(b+L)^2 + \pi^2}{\gamma b(4L^2 + \pi^2)}$$

the position of the dip and of the bump goes to smaller –t values as slope parameter rises

Dip-bump structures in single diffractive dissociation?

 measurements of pp single diffractive dissociation at ISR do not show a dipbump structure at |t| values where such a structure is observed in elastic pp scattering

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- it can be explained in a framework of a dipole Regge model in which the dipbump structure moves to higher |t| values as the value of the slope parameter decreases
- a dipole odderon+pomeron Regge approach can be used to predict dipbump structures in pp single diffractive dissociation at LHC energies



Triple Regge approach for single diffraction (SD)



when $s \gg M^2 \gg t$, the differential cross section is given by a sum of triple-Reggeon contributions

 $\mathbb{P}\mathbb{P}$ $\mathbb{P}\mathbb{P}$ $f_2 f_2$ $f_2 f_2$ $f_2 I\!\!P$ $I\!Pf_2$ $f_2 I\!\!P$ $\omega I\!\!P$ $I\!\!P$ f_2 . . . $I\!\!P$ f_2 $I\!\!P$ f_2 $I\!\!P$ ω

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{SD}}{dt dM^2} = \sum_{ijk} \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{s_0}{s^2} g_{R_i pp}(t) g_{R_j pp}(t) \left(\frac{s}{M^2}\right)^{\alpha_i(t) + \alpha_j(t)} g_{R_i R_j R_k}(t) g_{R_k pp}(0) \left(\frac{M^2}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha_{R_k}(0)} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} \left(\alpha_i(t) - \alpha_j(t)\right)\right)$$

Dipole Regge approach for single diffraction (SD)

 in the triple Regge approach the triple pomeron vertex results the following contribution for the double differential SD cross section:

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{SD}^{PPP}}{dt dM^2} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{1}{M^2} g_{Ppp}^2(t) \left(\frac{s}{M^2}\right)^{2\alpha_P(t)-2} g_{PPP}(t) g_{Ppp}(0) (M^2)^{\alpha_{0P}-1}$$

- *g*_{PPP} is found to be t-independent
- assumption: the t-dependent part of the amplitude of the SD process has the form in case the pomeron a simple pole:

$$A_{SD}^{SP}(s, M^2, \alpha(t)) \sim \mathrm{e}^{-\frac{\mathrm{i}\pi\alpha}{2}} G(\alpha)(s/M^2)^{\alpha}$$

- $G(\alpha)$ incorporates the t-dependece coming from $g_{Ppp}(t)$
- a dipole pomeron amplitude is obtained as:

Dipole Regge approach for single diffraction (SD)

the double differential cross section for the SD process resulting from the dipole pomeron amplitude is:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}^{PPP}}{dtdM^2} = \frac{1}{M^2} \left(G_P{'}^2(\alpha_P) + 2L_{SD}G_P(\alpha_P)G_P{'}(\alpha_P) + G_P^2(\alpha_P) \left(L_{SD}^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{4} \right) \right) \left(\frac{s}{M^2} \right)^{2\alpha_P(t)-2} \sigma^{Pp}(M^2)$$

$$G'_P(\alpha_P) = a_P e^{b_P[\alpha_P - 1 - \delta_P]}$$

$$\alpha_P = 1 + \delta_P + \alpha'_P t$$

$$G_P(\alpha_P) = \int G'(\alpha_P) d\alpha_P = a_P \left(\frac{e^{b_P[\alpha_P - 1 - \delta_P]}}{b_P} - \gamma_P \right)$$

$$\sigma^{Pp}(M^2) = g_{PPP}g_{Ppp}(0)(M^2)^{\delta_P}$$

• Using the $\xi = M^2/s$ proton's relative momentum loss variable, we have:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}^{PPP}}{dtd\xi} = \left(G_P'^2(\alpha_P) + 2L_{SD}G_P(\alpha_P)G_P'(\alpha_P) + G_P^2(\alpha_P)\left(L_{SD}^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{4}\right)\right)\xi^{1-2\alpha_P(t)}\sigma^{Pp}(s\xi) \begin{bmatrix} L_{SD} \equiv \ln(s/M^2) \\ = -\ln\xi \end{bmatrix}$$

dip and bump appear at:

$$-t_{dip}^{SD} = \frac{1}{\alpha' b} \ln \frac{b + L_{SD}}{\gamma b L_{SD}} \qquad -t_{bump}^{SD} = \frac{1}{\alpha' b} \ln \frac{4(b + L_{SD})^2 + \pi^2}{\gamma b (4L_{SD}^2 + \pi^2)}$$

Odderon contribution in SD in form of an OOP vertex

 the odderon-odderon-pomeron vertex results the following contribution for the double differential SD cross section:

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{SD}^{OOP}}{dt dM^2} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{1}{M^2} g_{Opp}^2(t) (s/M^2)^{2\alpha_O(t)-2} g_{OOP}(t) g_{Ppp}(0) (M^2)^{\delta_P}$$

 assumption: g_{00P}(t) is t-independent and the t-dependent part of the odderon amplitude of the SD process has the form:

$$A_{SD}^{SP}(s,M^2,\alpha_0) \sim \mathrm{e}^{-\frac{\mathrm{i}\pi\alpha}{2}} G_0(\alpha_0) (s/M^2)^{\alpha_0}$$

$$G'_O(\alpha_O) = ae^{b[\alpha_O - 1]}$$

• $G_0(\alpha_0)$ incorporates the t-dependece coming from $g_{Opp}(t)$

$$G_O(\alpha_0) = \int G'_O(\alpha_0) d\alpha_0$$

a dipole odderon contribution to the cross section is obtained as:

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{SD}^{00P}}{dt dM^2} = \frac{1}{M^2} \left(G_0'^2(\alpha_0) + 2L_{SD}G_0(\alpha_0)G'(\alpha_0) + G_0^2(\alpha_0)\left(L_{SD}^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{4}\right) \right) (s/M^2)^{2\alpha_0(t)-2} \sigma^{Pp}(M^2)$$

(the *a* parameter of $G_O(\alpha_0)$ accounts also in the defference between g_{OOP} and g_{PPP}) 17

RRP and pion contribution in SD

RRP contribution:

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{SD}^{RRP}}{dt dM^2} = \frac{1}{M^2} a_R e^{b_R \alpha_R(t)} (s/M^2)^{2\alpha_R(t)-2} \sigma^{Pp}(M^2)$$

$$\alpha_R(t) = 1 + \delta_R + \alpha'_R t$$

the pion exchange contribution:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{d\xi dt} = f_{\pi/p}(\xi, t) \sigma^{\pi p}(s\xi)$$

$$f_{\pi/p}(\xi,t) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{g_{\pi pp}^2}{4\pi} \frac{|t|}{(t-m_{\pi}^2)^2} G_1^2(t) \xi^{1-2\alpha_{\pi}(t)} \qquad G_1(t) = \frac{2.3 - m_{\pi}^2}{2.3 - t} \qquad \frac{g_{\pi p}^2}{4\pi} = 13.3 \qquad \alpha_{\pi}(t) = \alpha_{\pi}' (t - m_{\pi}^2)$$

The full double SD differential cross section is written as:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}}{dtdM^2} = \frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}^{PPP}}{dtdM^2} + \frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}^{OOP}}{dtdM^2} + \frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}^{RRP}}{dtdM^2} + \frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}^{RRP}}{dtdM^2}$$



t dependence of the SD process at SPS energies



t dependence of the SD process at 630 GeV



ξ dependence of the SD process at 546 GeV and 1.8 TeV

t dependence of the SD process at 8 TeV

ξ dependence of the SD process at 7 and 8 TeV

dip-bump in -t at LHC

t, M^2 and s dependence of the SD process at LHC energies

 dip-bump structure is predicted in SD process and it results from a dipole odderon contribution

- as the M² rises the slope of the t distribution decreases and the position of the dip-bump structure goes to higher -t values
- the calculations predict a dip-bump structure in -t at LHC around 4 GeV²
- it would be interesting to check experimentally if such a dipbump structure is present in the SD process

Thank you for your attention!

t and ξ dependence of the SD process at LHC energies

