

# Effects of jet-medium interactions versus vacuum like emissions on jet azimuthal angular decorrelations

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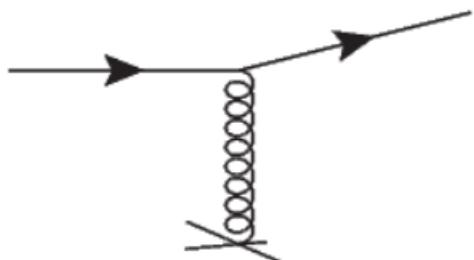
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[S. Adhya, K. Kutak, W. Płaczek, MR, K. Tywoniuk, arxiv: 2409.06675]

# Processes in jets in the medium

Scattering:



Momentum transfer!

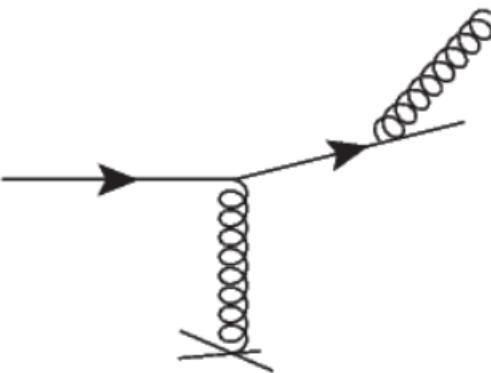
$$p \rightarrow p + Q$$

Scattering Kernel:

$$\frac{\partial^3 \mathcal{P}_{\text{scat}}}{\partial t \partial^2 \mathbf{Q}} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} w(\mathbf{Q})$$

Average transfer:  $\hat{q}$

Induced radiation:



Momentum distribution:

$$p \rightarrow zp$$

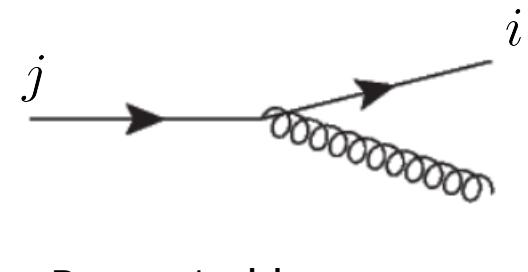
+Momentum transfer:

$$p \rightarrow zp + Q$$

Kernel:  $\frac{\partial^4 \mathcal{P}_{\text{split}}}{\partial t \partial z \partial^2 \mathbf{Q}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{(2\pi)^2} \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{Q}, z, p_+)$

**Jet-Medium interactions**

Splitting:



Bremsstrahlung as  
in vacuum.

Momentum distribution:  
 $p \rightarrow zp$

**DGLAP-Kernel:**

$$\frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{P}_{\text{split}}}{\partial t \partial z} \propto \frac{1}{t} P_{ij}(z)$$

**Emissions in Vacuum,  
Vacuum Like  
Emissions in medium**

# Coherent emission

...à la BDMPS-Z [Baier, Dokshitzer, Mueller, Peigné, Schiff, Zakharov]

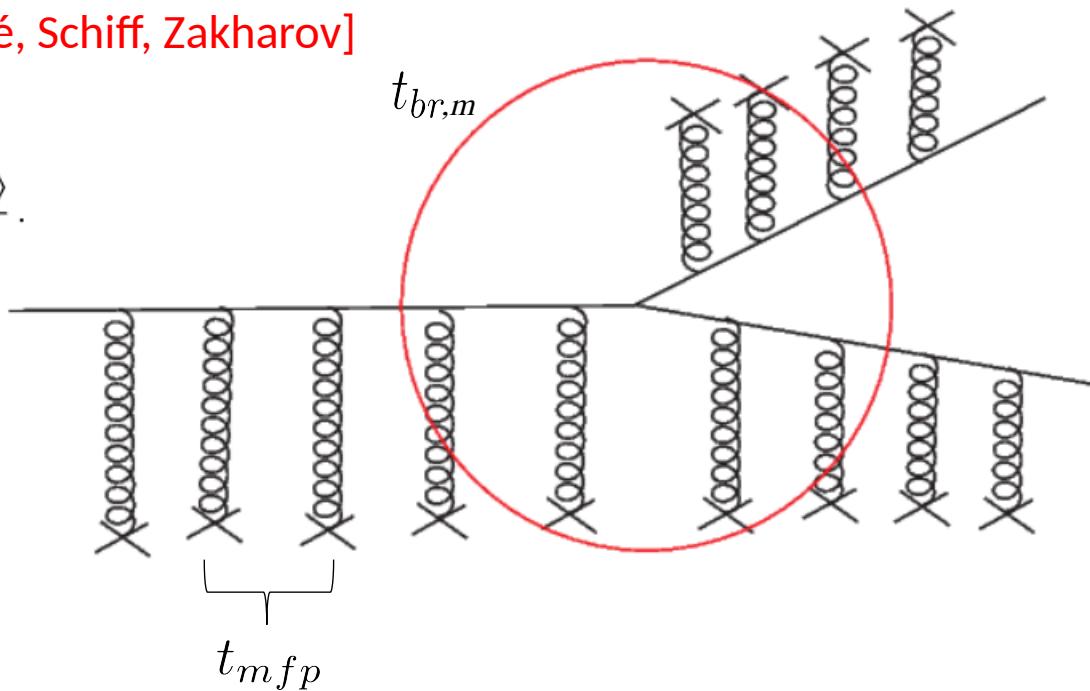
$$t_{br,m} \sim \sqrt{\frac{2\omega}{\hat{q}}}$$

$$\hat{q} = \frac{d\langle k_\perp^2 \rangle}{dt}.$$

$t_{br,m} \sim t_{mfp}$ : one scattering + radiation  
...Bethe-Heitler spectrum

$t_{br,m} \gg t_{mfp}$ : coherent radiation

$$\omega \frac{dI}{d\omega} \sim \alpha_s \frac{L}{t_{br,m}} = \alpha_s \sqrt{\frac{\omega_c}{\omega}}$$



Look at range:  $\omega_{BH} < \omega < \omega_c$

need effective kernel:  $\mathcal{K}(z, k_T)$

cf. [Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, Mehtar-Tani: JHEP 1301 (2013) 143 ]  
[Blanco, Kutak, Płaczek, MR, Tywoniuk, arxiv: 2109.05918]

# Splitting Kernels for Quarks and Gluons

[Blanco, Kutak, Płaczek, MR, Tywoniuk, arxiv: 2109.05918], [Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, Mehtar-Tani: JHEP 1301 (2013) 143 ]

$$\mathcal{K}_{ij}(\mathbf{Q}, z, p_0^+) = \frac{2P_{ij}(z)}{z(1-z)p_0^+} \sin\left(\frac{\mathbf{Q}^2}{2k_{\text{br}}^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{\mathbf{Q}^2}{2k_{\text{br}}^2}\right)$$

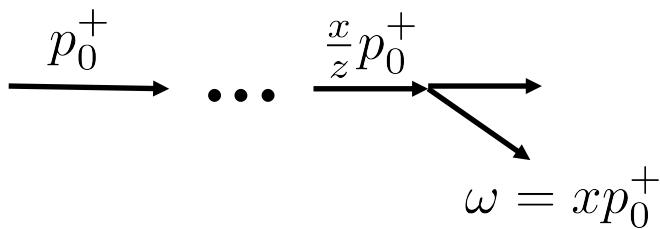
$$k_{\text{br}}^2 = \sqrt{z(1-z)p_0^+ f_{ij}(z) \frac{\hat{q}}{N_c}}$$

$$f_{gg}(z) = (1-z)C_A + z^2C_A$$

$$f_{qg}(z) = C_F - z(1-z)C_A,$$

$$f_{gq}(z) = (1-z)C_A + z^2C_F$$

$$f_{qq}(z) = zC_A + (1-z)^2C_F$$



$$\frac{\partial^2 \mathcal{P}_{\text{split}}}{\partial t \partial x} = 2\pi \frac{1}{\sqrt{xt^*}} \int dz \sqrt{z} \mathcal{K}(z)$$

$$\sqrt{xt^*} \propto t_{\text{br},m}$$

$$\frac{\partial^4 \mathcal{P}_{\text{split}}}{\partial t \partial z \partial^2 \mathbf{Q}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{(2\pi)^2} \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{Q}, z, p_+)$$

$$\frac{\partial^5 \mathcal{P}_{\text{split}}}{\partial t \partial x \partial z \partial^2 \mathbf{Q}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{(2\pi)^2} \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{Q}, z, \frac{x}{z} p_+^+)$$

$$\downarrow \int_0^\infty d^2 \mathbf{Q} \times$$

$$\frac{\partial^3 \mathcal{P}_{\text{split}}}{\partial t \partial x \partial z} = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{xt^*}} \sqrt{z} \mathcal{K}(z)$$

$$\frac{1}{t^*} = \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{q}}{p_0^+}}$$

Generalization of BDMPS-Z approach

# Scattering Kernels

Used right now:

$$w_g(\mathbf{q}) = \frac{16\pi^2\alpha_s^2 N_c n_{\text{med}}}{\mathbf{q}^4} \quad w_g(\mathbf{q}) = \frac{g^2 m_D^2 T}{\mathbf{q}^2(\mathbf{q}^2 + m_D^2)}, \quad g^2 = 4\pi\alpha_s$$

$n_{\text{med}}$  ... density of scatterers

$m_D$  ... Debye mass

$T$  ... medium temperature

$$w_q(\mathbf{q}) = \frac{C_F}{C_A} w_g(\mathbf{q})$$

# Monte-Carlo algorithms

Probabilities of interaction:

$$\Phi_g(x) = \alpha_s \int_{\epsilon}^{1-\epsilon} dz \int_{q>0} \frac{d^2\mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^2} \left[ \mathcal{K}_{gg}(\mathbf{q}, z, xp_+) + \mathcal{K}_{qg}(\mathbf{q}, z, xp_+) \right] + \int_{q>q_{\min}} \frac{d^2\mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^2} w_g(\mathbf{q}),$$
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Probability of no interaction for particle A over time ( $t_2 - t_1$ ):

$$\Delta_A(x, t_2 - t_1) = \exp(-\Phi_A(x)(t_2 - t_1)) \quad \dots \text{Sudakov factor}$$

TMDICE code:

- Written in C++
- Source code available at

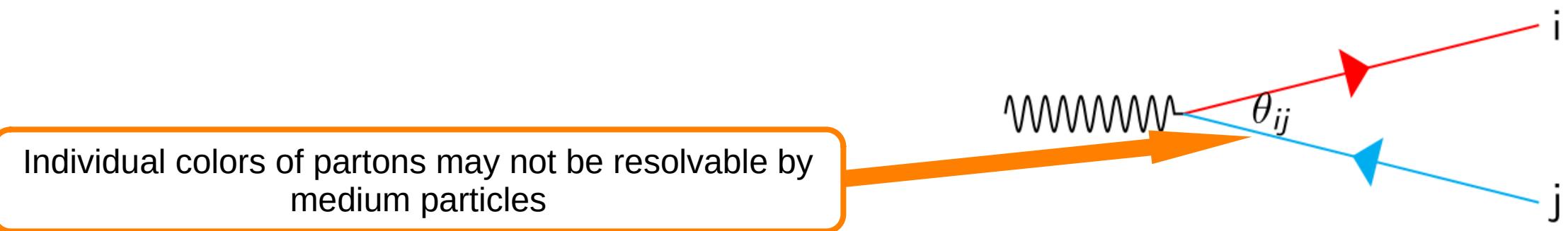
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Other codes implementing  
BDMPS-Z spectra:

MARTINI, JEWEL, QPYTHIA, ...

# Emission of Bremsstrahlung

- In vacuum → parton cascades in vacuum
- In medium?



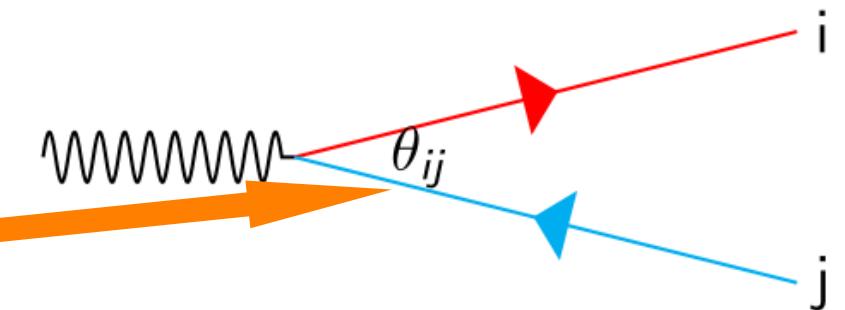
# Color Resolution

$$\hat{q} = \frac{d\langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle}{dt}.$$

- Transverse length of dipole:  $r_t \sim \theta_{ij} t$

- Momentum transfer from medium:  $Q_s = \sqrt{\hat{q} t}$

Individual colors of partons may not be resolvable by medium particles



$$t_{decoh} \approx \left( \frac{12}{\hat{q} \theta_{ij}^2} \right)^{1/3}$$

[Mehtar-Tani, Salgado, Tywoniuk, JHEP 10 (2012)197]

# Branching time

Uncertainty principle in particle rest-frame:

$$\Delta m \Delta t_{\text{rest}} \geq \frac{\hbar}{2}$$

⇒ Estimation of particle life-time in the rest frame:

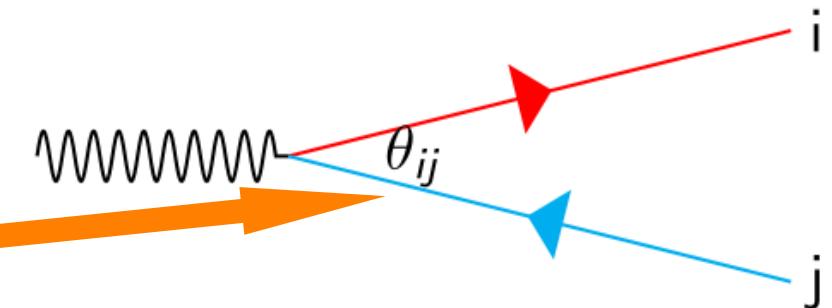
$$\Delta t_{\text{rest}} \sim \frac{\hbar}{2\Delta m} \sim \frac{1}{Q}$$

Branching time, boosted to Lab-frame:

$$t_{br} \approx \frac{2E}{Q^2}$$

# Color Coherence

Individual colors of partons may not be resolvable by medium particles



Phenomenological estimation of color resolution via  
Decoherence time:

$$t_{\text{decoh}} \approx \left( \frac{12}{\hat{q} \theta_{ij}^2} \right)^{1/3}, \quad \hat{q} = \frac{d\langle k_\perp^2 \rangle}{dt}.$$

and Branching time:  $t_{\text{br}} \approx 2E_i/Q_i^2$ .

No color resolution if  $t_{\text{br}} < t_{\text{decoh}}$   
=> Branching as in Vacuum

# Vacuum Like Emissions (VLE)

**DGLAP-Evolution as in Vacuum**  
Branching probability:

$$P_{qq}(z) = C_F \frac{1+z^2}{1-z},$$

$$P_{gq}(z) = P_{qq}(1-z),$$

$$P_{qg}(z) = T_R \left[ z^2 + (1-z)^2 \right],$$

$$P_{gg}(z) = C_A \left[ \frac{1-z}{z} + \frac{z}{1-z} + z(1-z) \right].$$

$$\frac{d^2\mathcal{P}_{ji}}{dQ^2 dz} = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \frac{1}{Q^2} P_{ji}(z),$$

Evolve as long as  $t_{\text{br}} < t_{\text{decoh}}$  or  $t_{\text{decoh}} < t_L$ ,

Then: In-Medium Evolution

# Jet-photon Production:

Cross section =

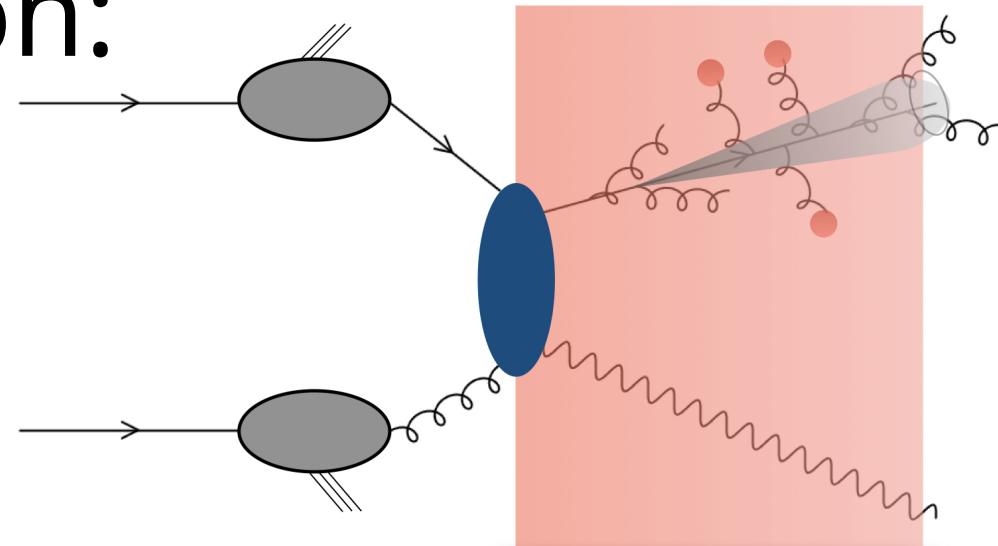
PDF\*TMD

\*hard cross section

\*fragmentation of jet

} Here via KATIE

[van Hameren: Comput.Phys.Commun. 224 (2018) 371-380]



$k_T$ -factorization:

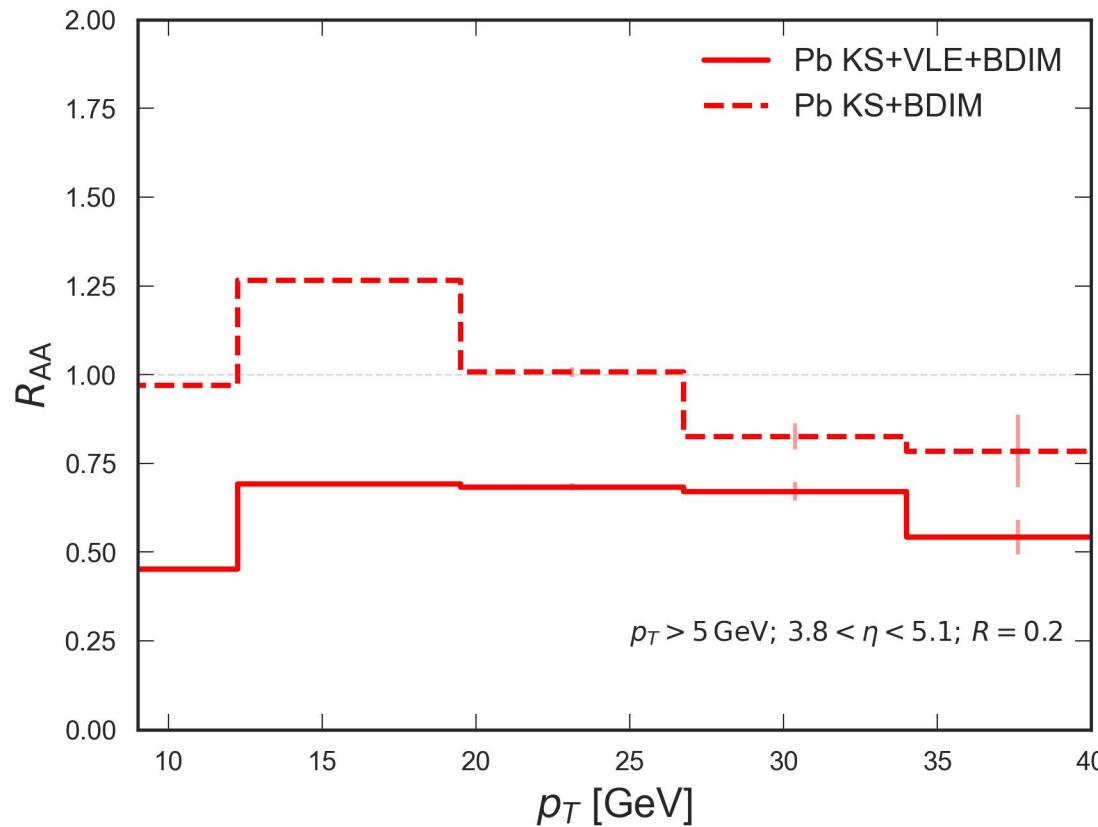
$$\frac{d\sigma^{AA \rightarrow \gamma + \text{jet} + X}}{dy_1 dy_2 dp_{1T} dp_{2T} d\Delta\phi} = \frac{p_{1T} p_{2T}}{8\pi^2 (x_1 x_2 s)^2} \sum_a x_1 f_{a/A}(x_1, \mu_F^2) |\mathcal{M}_{ag^* \rightarrow \gamma a}^{\text{off-shell}}|^2 \mathcal{F}(x_2, k_{2T}^2, \mu_F^2)$$

cf. [I. Ganguli, A. van Hameren, P. Kotko, K. Kutak, Eur.Phys.J.C 83 (2023) 9, 868]

TMDs used:

- NCTEQ [K. Kovarik, et al., Phys. Rev. D 93 (8)(2016) 085037]
- Pb KS [K. Kutak, S. Sapeta: Phys. Rev. D 86 (2012) 094043, M. A. Al-Mashad, A. van Hameren, H. Kakkad, P. Kotko, K. Kutak, P. van Mechelen, S. Sapeta, JHEP 12 (2022) 131]
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# Photon-jet production

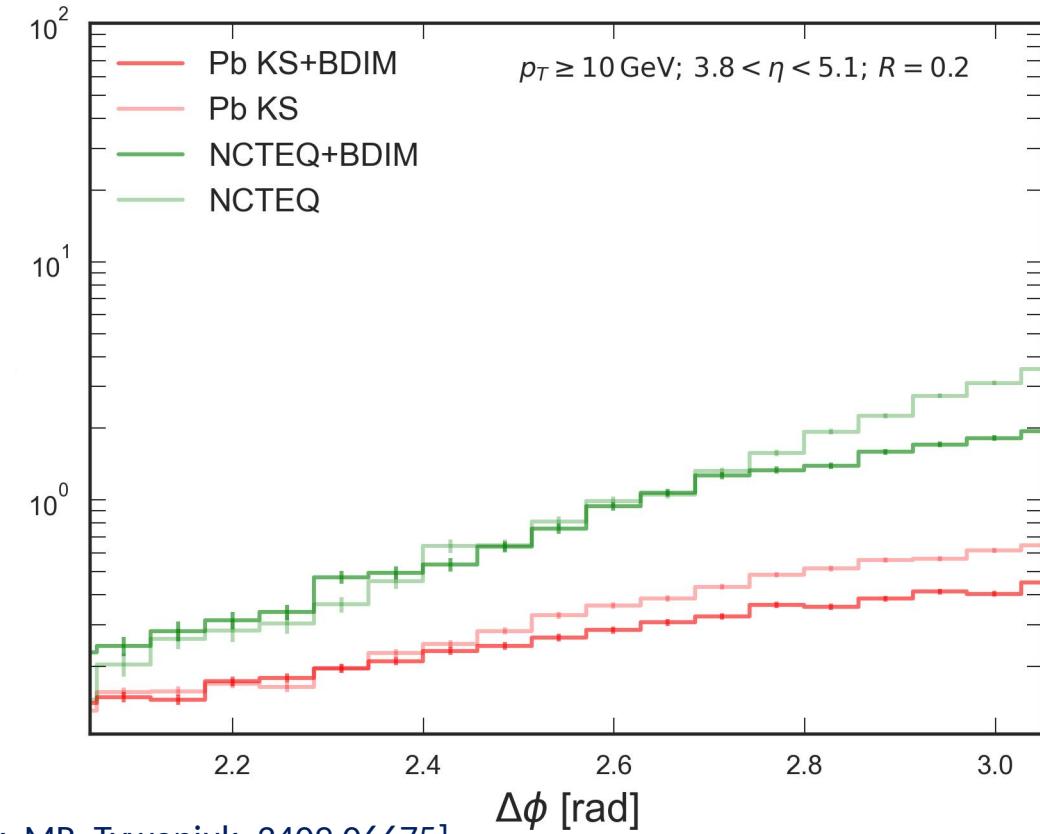
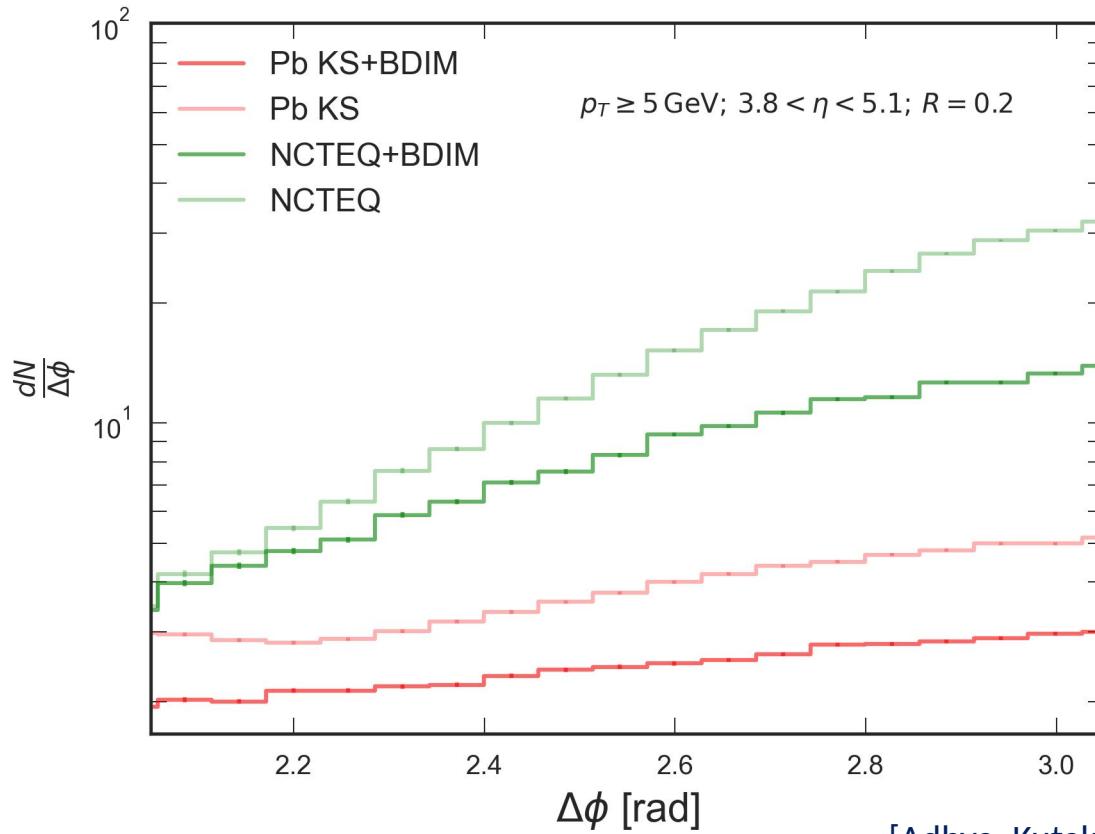


$L = 5 \text{ fm} T = 250 \text{ MeV} :$

$n_{\text{med}}$	$\hat{q}$	$m_D$
$0.08 \text{ GeV}^3$	$0.29 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{fm}$	$0.61 \text{ GeV}$

[Adhya, Kutak, Płaczek, MR, Tywoniuk: 2409.06675]

# Azimuthal decorrelations (1/2)

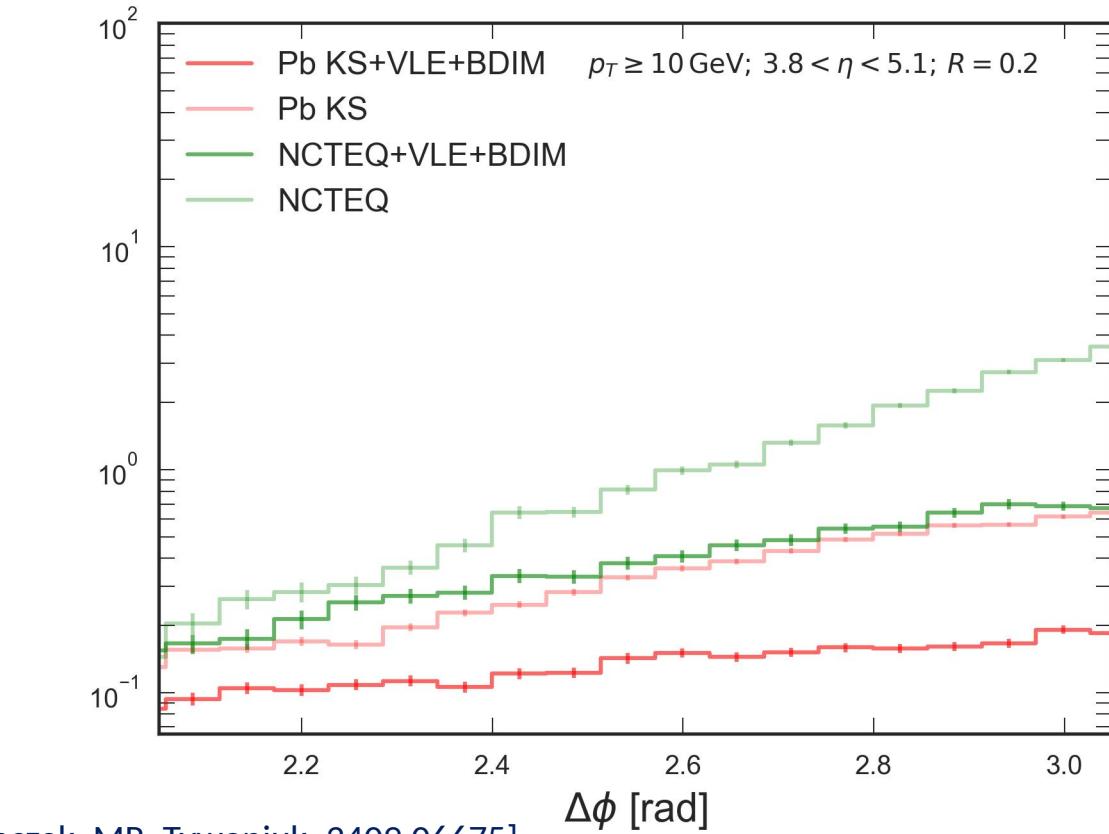
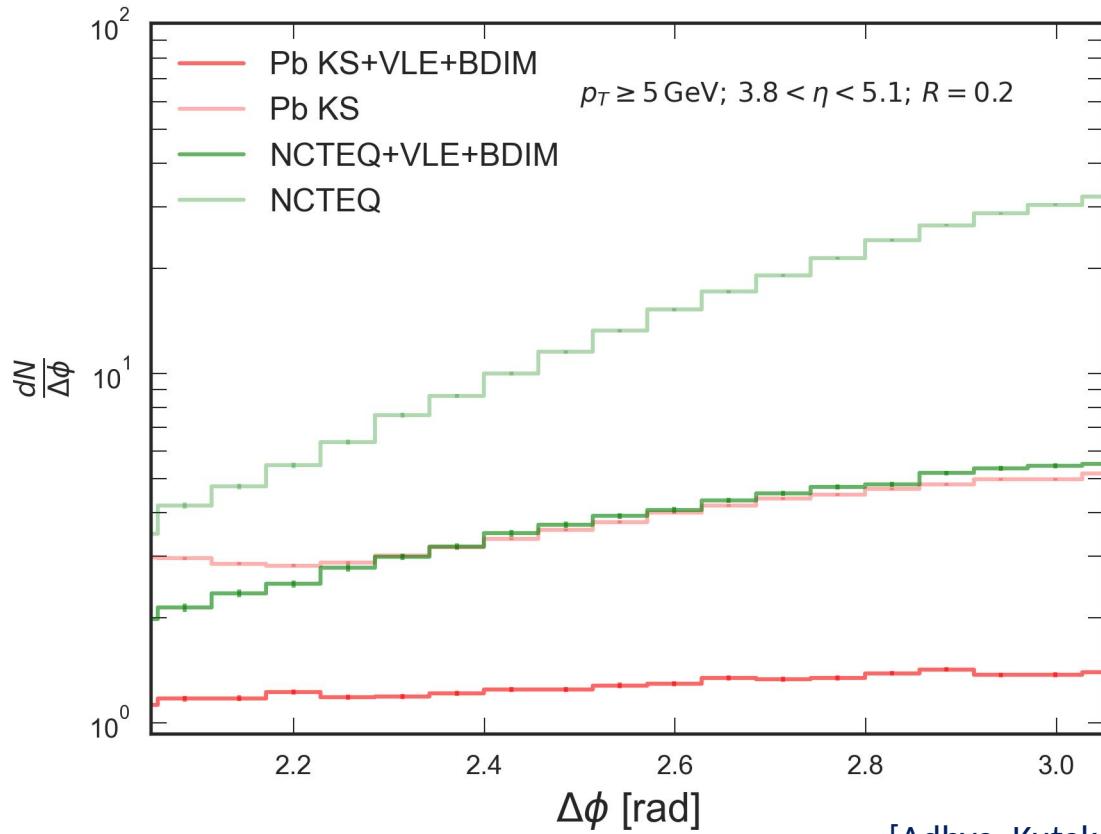


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# Azimuthal decorrelations (2/2)



[Adhya, Kutak, Płaczek, MR, Tywoniuk: 2409.06675]

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# Summary & Outlook:

- Estimation of photon-jet events in forward direction (FOCAL-range) via Monte-Carlo algorithms
  - Quenching:  $k_T$  Broadening and jet suppression.
    - Emissions at low energies
  - Inclusion of VLE in quenching:
    - VLE yield strong suppression broadening effects
  - Gluon-saturation effects survive after jet quenching.

## Outlook:

- More realistic Media (e.g.: expanding media; Temperature profiles)
- Study dijets.

Thank you for your attention!

# Back-up slides

# Parameters

- Medium: continuous field of length  $L=5\text{fm}$  and constant jet medium interactions:

$n_{\text{med}}$	$\hat{q}$	$m_D$
$0.08 \text{ GeV}^3$	$0.29 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{fm}$	$0.61 \text{ GeV}$

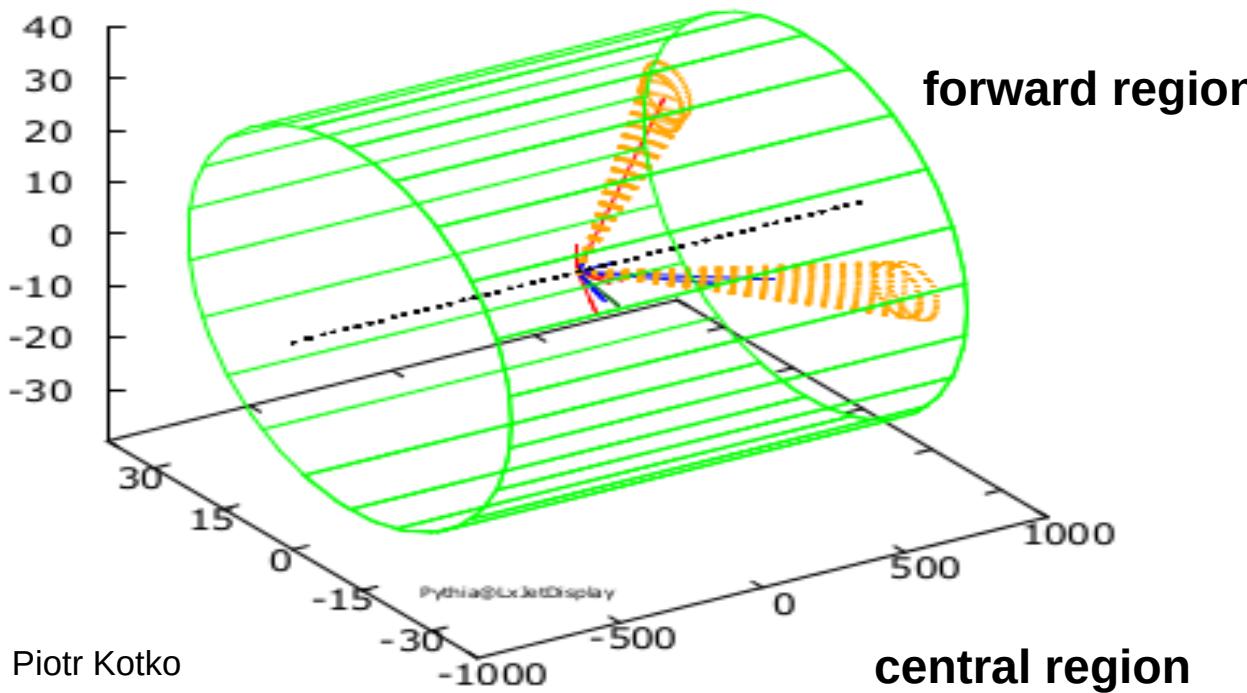
- TMD without saturation effects: NCTEQ

[E. Blanco, A. van Hameren, H. Jung, A. Kusina, K. Kutak, Phys. Rev. D 100 (5) (2019) 054023]

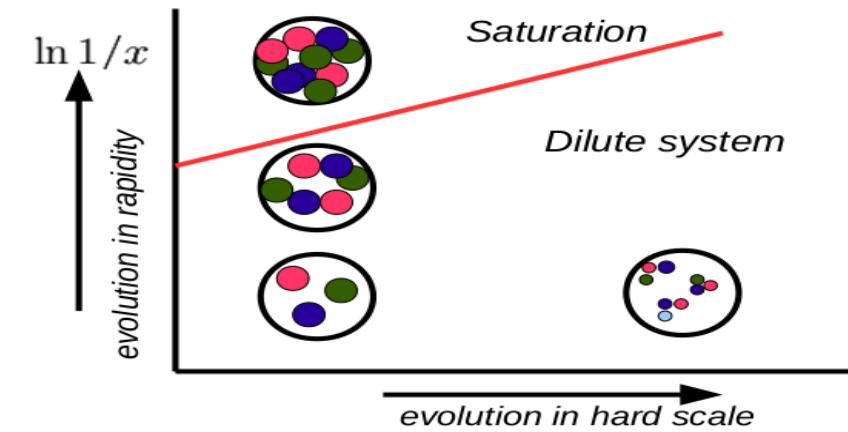
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# $p - A$ (dilute-dense) forward-forward di-jets



From: Piotr Kotko  
LxJet



It originated from the aim to provide predictions for forward-forward jet production at the LHC

# The saturation problem: suppressing gluons below $Q_s$

Originally formulated in coordinate space

Balitsky '96, Kovchegov '99

Fit AAMQS '10

NLO accuracy

Balitsky, Chirilli '07

and solved

Lappi, Mantysaari '15

Kinematic corrections

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Solved  $b$  dependent

Stasto, Golec-Biernat '02

with kinematic

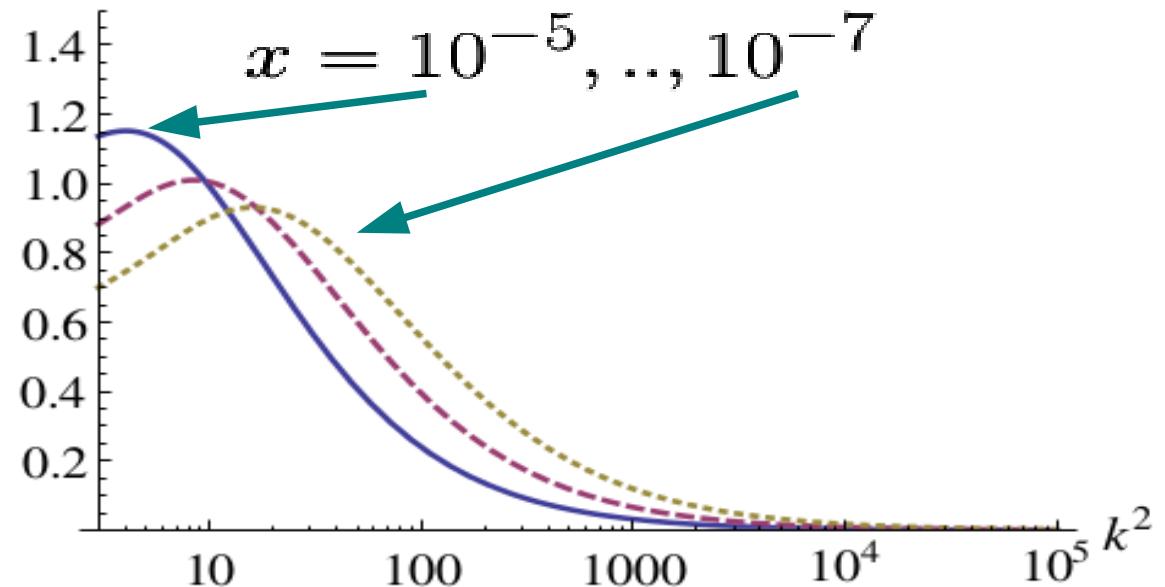
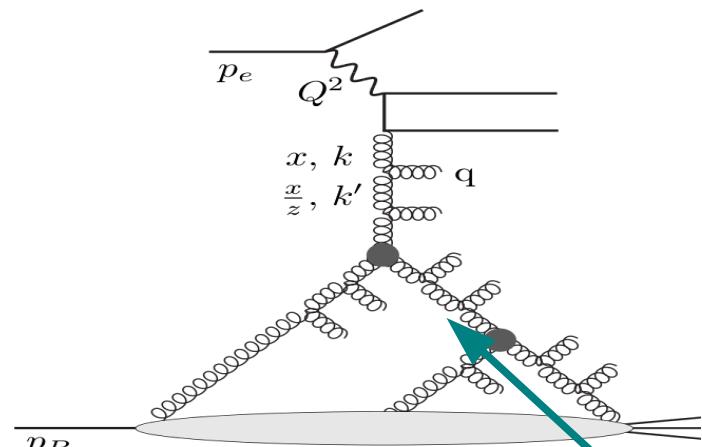
corrections and  $b$

Cepila, Contreras, Matas '18

The momentum space BK equation for dipole gluon density

$$\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}_0 + K \otimes \mathcal{F} - \frac{1}{R^2} V \otimes \mathcal{F}^2$$

hadron's radius



solution of Balitsky-Kovchegov directly for dipole gluon density

Kwiecinski, Kutak '02

Nikolaev, Schafer '06

Fit to  $F_2$  data  
KK. Sapeta '12

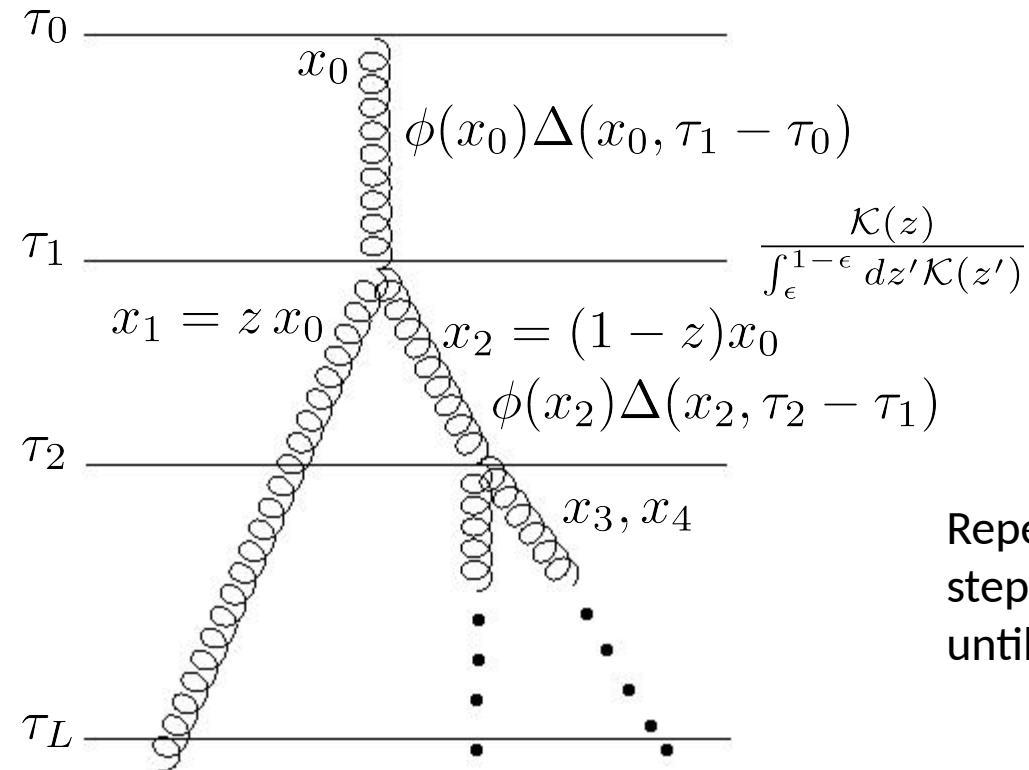
Accounts for kinematical constraint,

Nonsingular parts of splitting function,  
running coupling

# Monte-Carlo algorithms

Other codes implementing  
BDMPS-Z spectra:

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Analogous for the  $k_T$  dependent equation in  $x, k_T$ , and,  $\tau$  and system of equations!

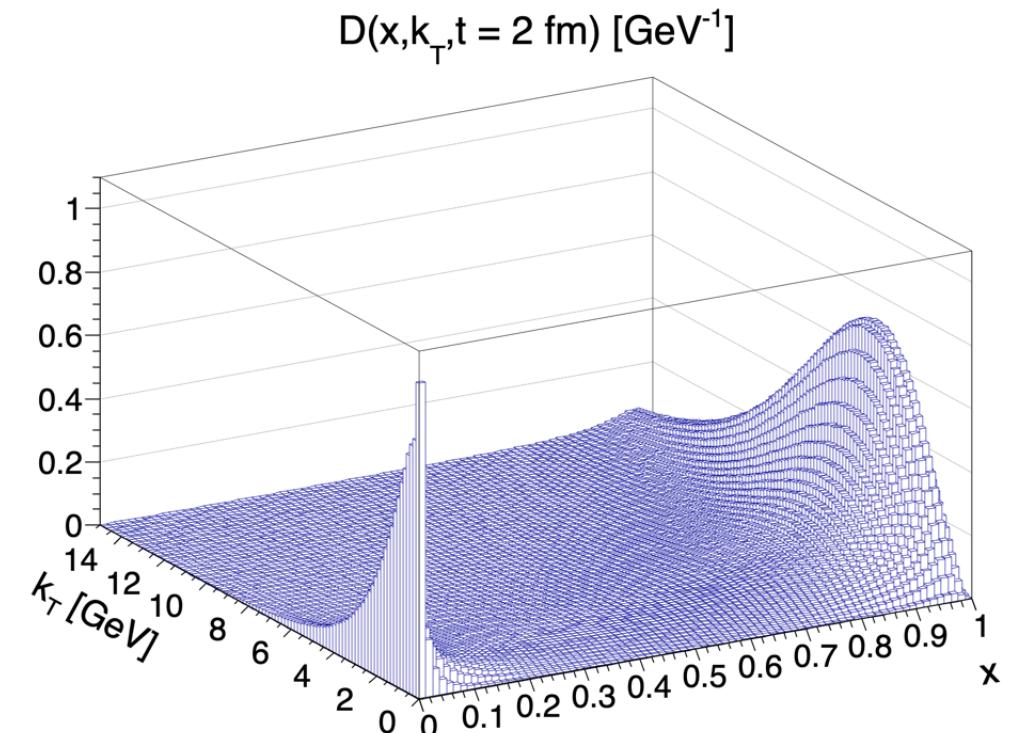
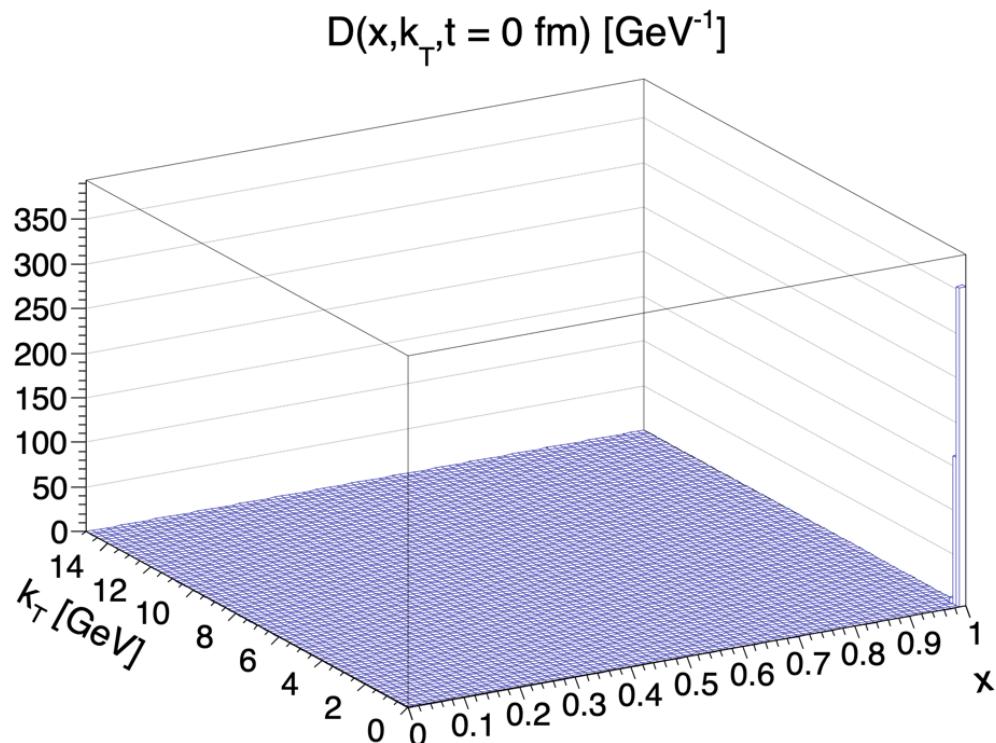
Repeat for all  
steps in  $\tau$  and  $x$   
until  $\tau > \tau_L$

TMDICE code: [MR, Comput.Phys.Commun. 276 (2022) 108343]

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# Evolution of $D(x, k_T, t)$

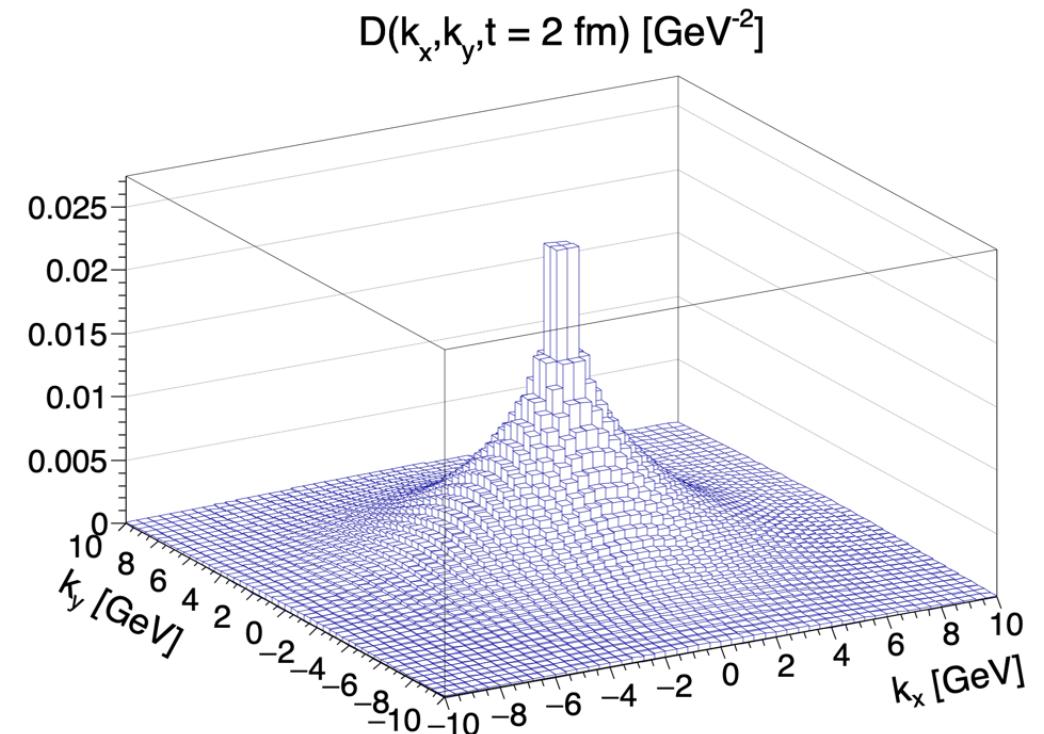
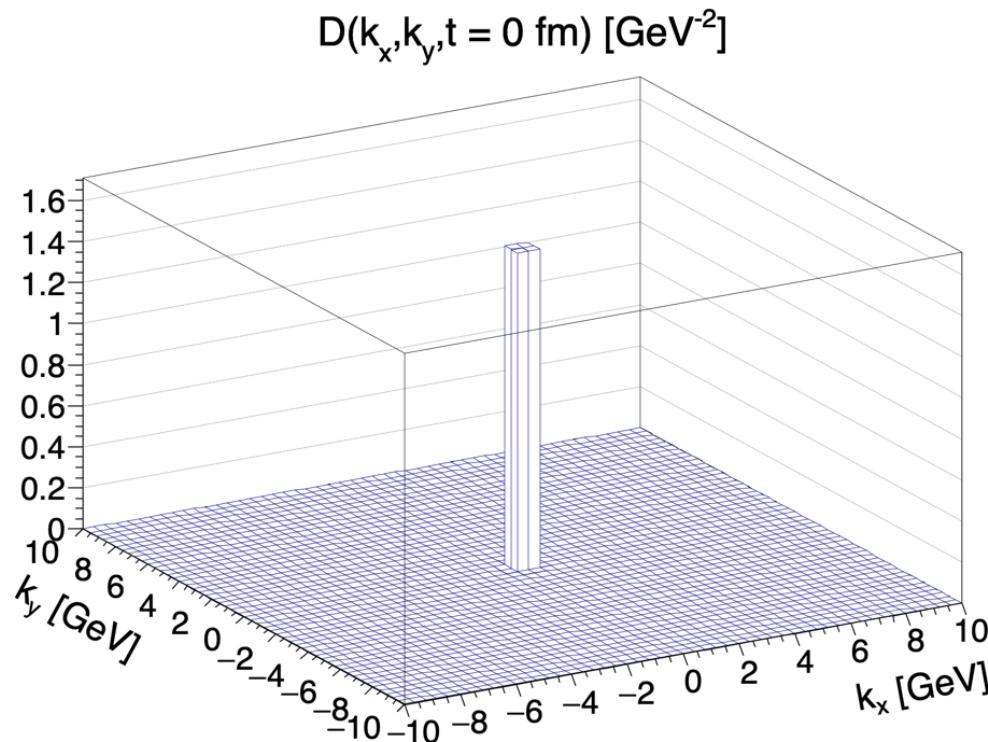
$$D(x, k_T, t) = x \frac{\partial^2 N(t)}{\partial x \partial k_T}$$



[Kutak, Płaczek, Straka: Eur.Phys.J. C79 (2019) no.4, 317]

# Evolution of $D(x, k_T, t)$

$$\mathcal{K}(z) \quad w(\mathbf{q}) = \frac{16\pi^2 \alpha_s^2 N_c n}{\mathbf{q}^2 (\mathbf{q}^2 + m_D^2)}$$



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# Departure from Gaussian broadening

Both:

- Parton Branching
- Scattering

Central Limit Theorem does not necessarily apply.

$$\begin{aligned} p &\rightarrow z_1 p \rightarrow z_1 p + \mathbf{q}_1 \\ &\rightarrow z_1 p + \mathbf{q}_1 + \mathbf{q}_2 \\ &\rightarrow z_2(z_1 + \mathbf{q}_1 + \mathbf{q}_2) \rightarrow \dots \end{aligned}$$

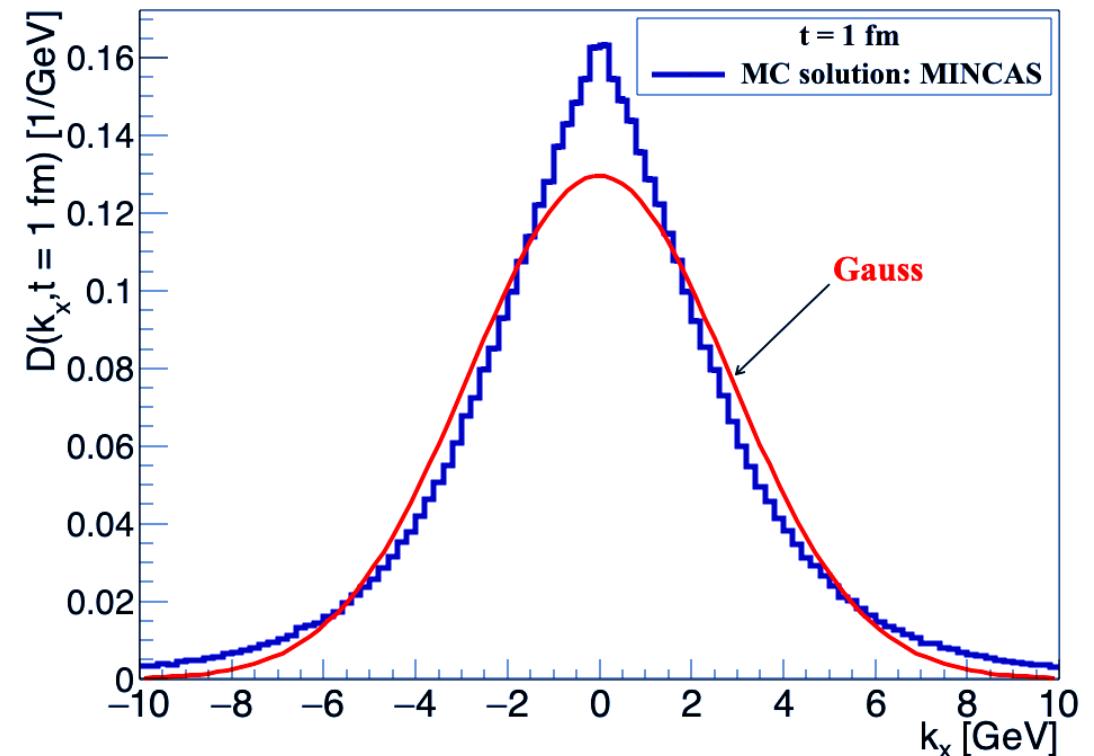
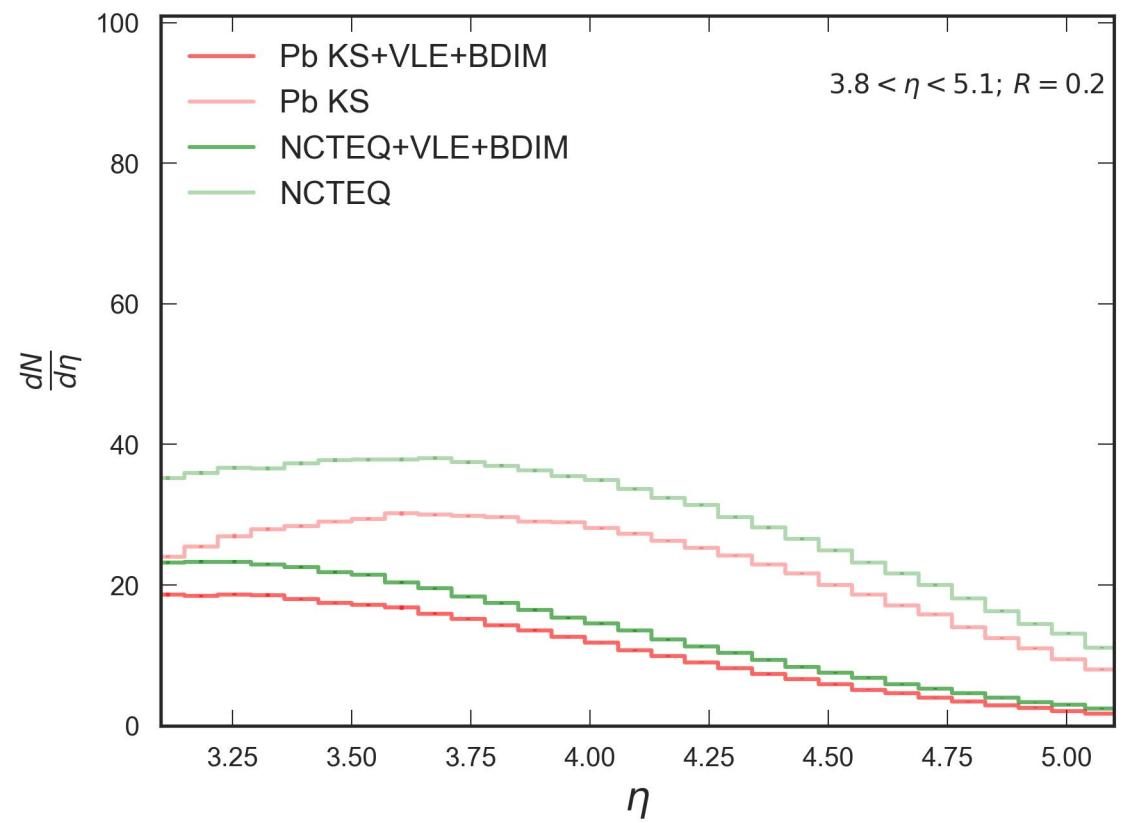
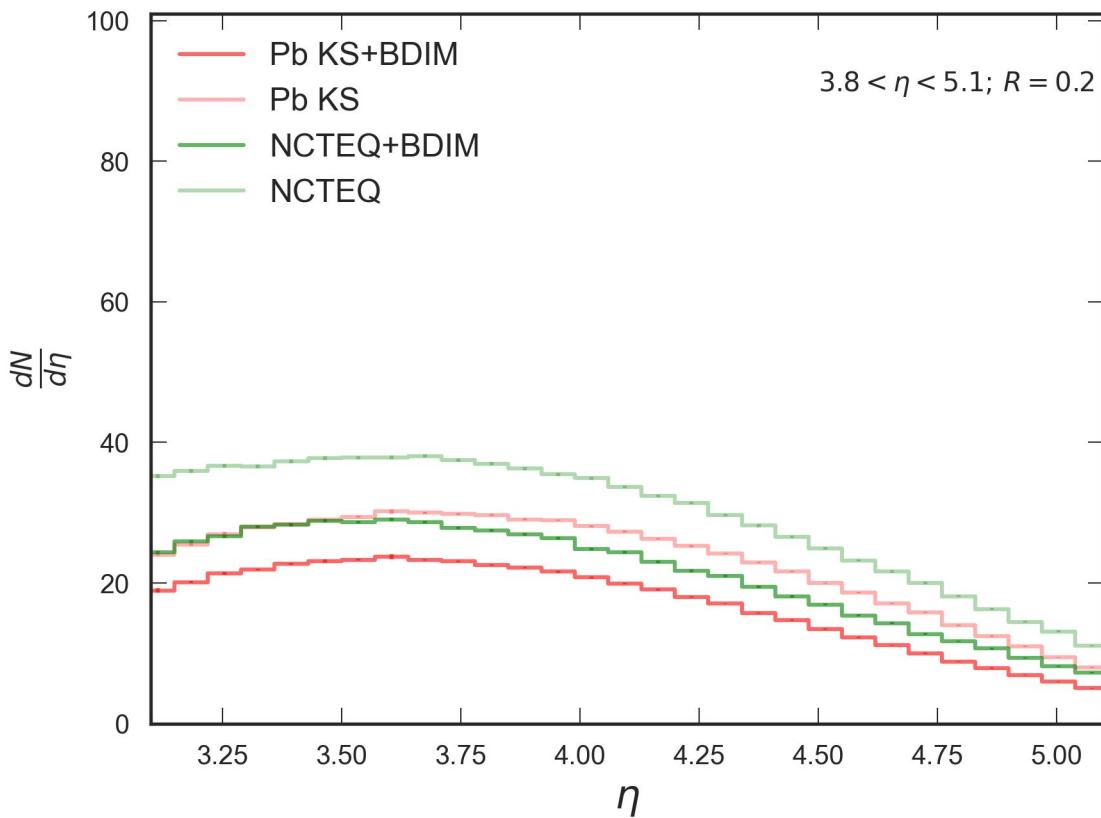


Figure: [Kutak, Płaczek, Straka: Eur.Phys.J. C79 (2019) no.4, 317]

# Rapidity spectra



[Adhya, Kutak, Płaczek, MR, Tywoniuk: 2409.06675]

# Jet Production

Factorization for AA collisions:

$$\frac{d\sigma_{AA}}{d\Omega_p} = \int d\Omega_q \int d^2\mathbf{l} \int_0^1 \frac{d\tilde{x}}{\tilde{x}} \delta(p^+ - \tilde{x}q^+) \delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{l} - \mathbf{q}) D(\tilde{x}, \mathbf{l}, \tau(q^+)) \frac{d\sigma_{pp}}{d\Omega_q}$$



$$d\Omega_q = dq^+ d^2\mathbf{q} \quad \tau(q^+) = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{q}}{q^+}} L$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2\sigma_{AA}}{d\Omega_{p_1} d\Omega_{p_2}} &= \int d\Omega_{q_1} \int d\Omega_{q_2} \int d^2\mathbf{l}_1 \int d^2\mathbf{l}_2 \int_0^1 \frac{d\tilde{x}_1}{\tilde{x}_1} \delta(p_1^+ - \tilde{x}_1 q_1^+) \int_0^1 \frac{d\tilde{x}_2}{\tilde{x}_2} \delta(p_2^+ - \tilde{x}_2 q_2^+) \\ &\quad \delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{l}_1 - \mathbf{q}_1) \delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{l}_2 - \mathbf{q}_2) D(\tilde{x}_1, \mathbf{l}_1, \tau(q_1^+)) D(\tilde{x}_2, \mathbf{l}_2, \tau(q_2^+)) \frac{d^2\sigma_{pp}}{d\Omega_{q_1} d\Omega_{q_2}} \end{aligned}$$

# Vacuum like emissions

$$\frac{d^2\mathcal{P}_{ji}}{dQ^2dz} = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \frac{1}{Q^2} P_{ji}(z),$$

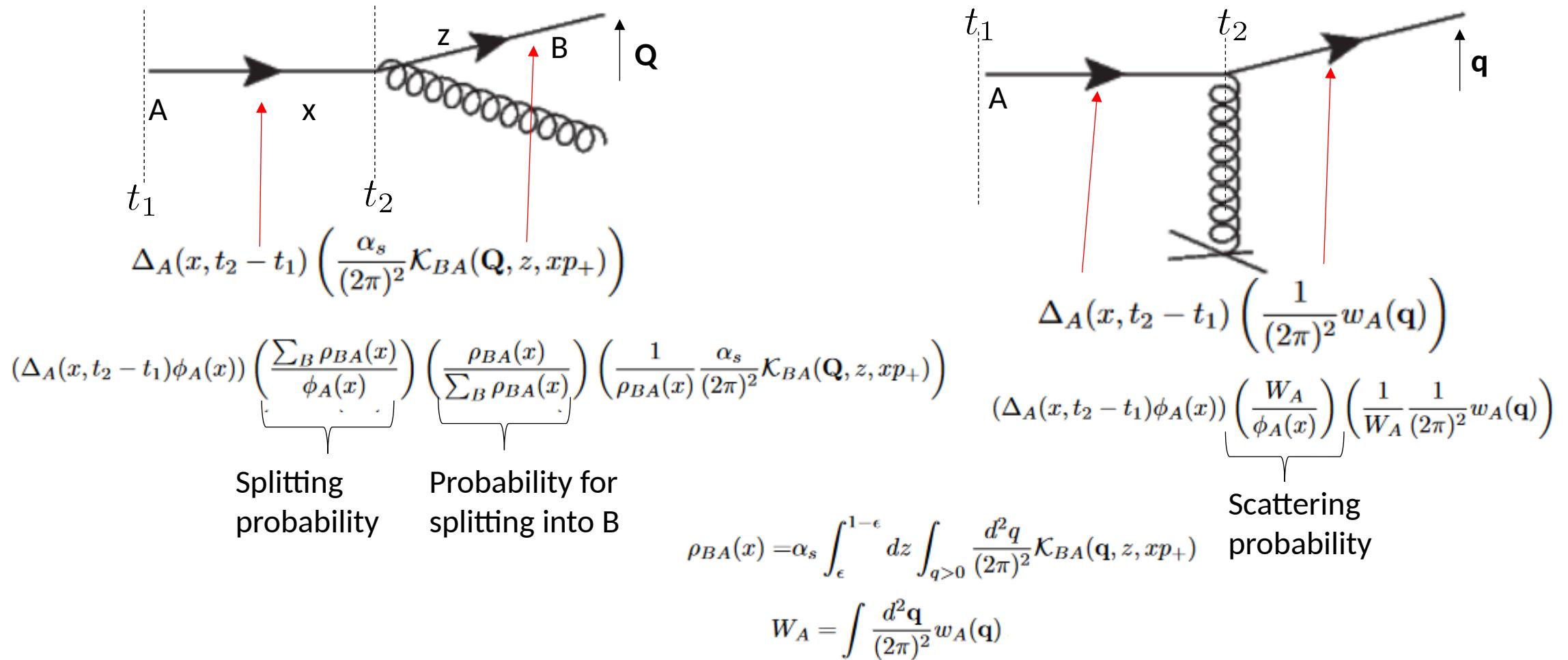
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# Probabilities for interactions



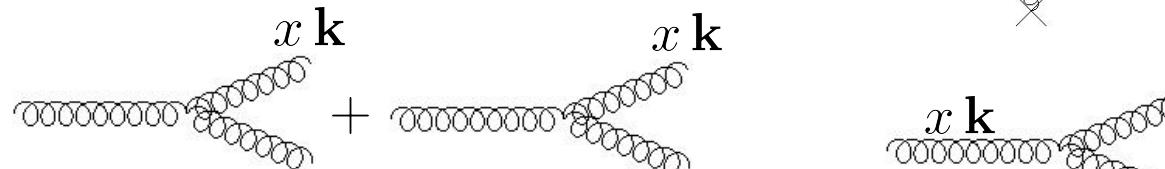
# BDIM Equation for Gluons

[Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, Mehtar-Tani: JHEP 1406 (2014) 075]

$$D(x, \mathbf{k}, t) = x \frac{\partial^3 N(x, \mathbf{k}, t)}{\partial x \partial^2 \mathbf{k}}$$

For gluon-jets:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} D(x, \mathbf{k}, t) &= \alpha_s \int_0^1 dz \int \frac{d^2 q}{(2\pi)^2} \left[ 2\mathcal{K}(\mathbf{Q}, z, \frac{x}{z} p_0^+) D\left(\frac{x}{z}, \mathbf{q}, t\right) - \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{q}, z, x p_0^+) D(x, \mathbf{k}, t) \right] \\ &\quad + \int \frac{d^2 \mathbf{l}}{(2\pi)^2} C(\mathbf{l}) D(x, \mathbf{k} - \mathbf{l}, t). \end{aligned}$$



Scattering:  $C(\mathbf{q}) = w(\mathbf{q}) - \delta(\mathbf{q}) \int d^2 \mathbf{q}' w(\mathbf{q}')$



Average Kernels over  $\mathbf{Q}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} D(x, \mathbf{k}, t) = \frac{1}{t^*} \int_0^1 dz \mathcal{K}(z) \left[ \frac{1}{z^2} \sqrt{\frac{z}{x}} D\left(\frac{x}{z}, \frac{\mathbf{k}}{z}, t\right) \theta(z - x) - \frac{z}{\sqrt{x}} D(x, \mathbf{k}, t) \right] + \int \frac{d^2 \mathbf{q}}{(2\pi)^2} C(\mathbf{q}) D(x, \mathbf{k} - \mathbf{q}, t)$$

Integrate over  $\mathbf{k}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} D(x, t) = \frac{1}{t^*} \int_0^1 dz \mathcal{K}(z) \left[ \sqrt{\frac{z}{x}} D\left(\frac{x}{z}, t\right) - \frac{z}{\sqrt{x}} D(x, t) \right]$$

$$D(x, t) = \int d^2 \mathbf{k} D(x, \mathbf{k}, t)$$

# System of Equations for quarks and gluons

[Blanco, Kutak, Płaczek, MR, Tywoniuk, arxiv: 2109.05918]

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} D_g(x, \mathbf{k}, t) = \int_0^1 dz \int \frac{d^2 q}{(2\pi)^2} \alpha_s \left\{ 2\mathcal{K}_{gg} \left( \mathbf{Q}, z, \frac{x}{z} p_0^+ \right) D_g \left( \frac{x}{z}, \mathbf{q}, t \right) + \mathcal{K}_{gq} \left( \mathbf{Q}, z, \frac{x}{z} p_0^+ \right) \sum_i D_{q_i} \left( \frac{x}{z}, \mathbf{q}, t \right) \right. \\ \left. - \left[ \mathcal{K}_{gg}(\mathbf{q}, z, xp_0^+) + \mathcal{K}_{qg}(\mathbf{q}, z, xp_0^+) \right] D_g(x, \mathbf{k}, t) \right\} + \int \frac{d^2 l}{(2\pi)^2} C_g(l) D_g(x, \mathbf{k} - \mathbf{l}, t),$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} D_{q_i}(x, \mathbf{k}, t) = \int_0^1 dz \int \frac{d^2 q}{(2\pi)^2} \alpha_s \left\{ \mathcal{K}_{qq} \left( \mathbf{Q}, z, \frac{x}{z} p_0^+ \right) D_{q_i} \left( \frac{x}{z}, \mathbf{q}, t \right) + \frac{1}{N_F} \mathcal{K}_{qg} \left( \mathbf{Q}, z, \frac{x}{z} p_0^+ \right) D_g \left( \frac{x}{z}, \mathbf{q}, t \right) \right. \\ \left. - \mathcal{K}_{qq}(\mathbf{q}, z, xp_0^+) D_{q_i}(x, \mathbf{k}, t) \right\} + \int \frac{d^2 l}{(2\pi)^2} C_q(l) D_{q_i}(x, \mathbf{k} - \mathbf{l}, t),$$

$$C_{q(g)}(\mathbf{l}) = w_{q(g)}(\mathbf{l}) - \delta(\mathbf{l}) \int d^2 l' w_{q(g)}(\mathbf{l}')$$