Introduction
The virtual cascade
Exclusice FinalStates

DIPSY
a new generator for
minimum bias and heavy ion collisions

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Outline

- The modified Mueller dipole model
- Obtaining exclusive final states
- Heavy Ion Collisions
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Muellers formulation of BFKL
\[ \frac{dP}{dy} = \frac{\bar{\alpha}}{2\pi} d^2 r_2 \frac{r_{01}^2}{r_{02}^2 r_{12}^2} \]

Dipoles in impact parameter space, evolved in rapidity
Builds up virtual Fock-states of the proton
Non-leading effects

- Running $\alpha_s$
- Introduce $k_\perp \sim 1/r$ to get energy–momentum conservation.
  (Ordering in $p_+$ and $p_-$ gives a dynamic cutoff)
- Non-perturbative regularization with small gluon mass (confinement effects)
The interaction

- Dipole–dipole interaction:
  \[ F = \sum_{ij} f_{ij} f_{(12)(34)} \propto \alpha_s^2 \ln^2 \left( \frac{r_{13}r_{24}}{r_{14}r_{23}} \right) \]

- Unitarize to get saturation effects (pomeron loops):
  \[ F \to 1 - e^{-F} \]

- Without energy conservation we get exponential growth of small dipoles which do not interact

- Non-perturbative regularization with small gluon mass

- Rederive Mueller’s expression above in transverse momentum space for final states.
The Swing

- The unitarized interaction probability gives pomeron loops only in the interaction frame.
- To be Lorentz invariant we want them also in the evolution.
- Accomplished by the Swing (colour reconnection).
- Two dipoles with the same colour may reconnect.
- Does not reduce the number of dipoles, but smaller dipoles are favoured, and these have weaker interactions.
- In the end we get saturation in both evolution and interaction.
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Real gluons

We have generated the gluonic Fock-states of the colliding protons.

Most of the gluons in this state are simply virtual fluctuations, which will not make it to the final state.

In the momentum picture all gluons in the proton with large $p_+$ will be off-shell with a negative $p_-$ component.

Only those gluons which actually collides (or have children which collides) with gluons from the proton with large $p_-$ will be able to come on-shell. All others must be reabsorbed.
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But... energy–momentum conservation effects were taken into account assuming all gluons were real. When some are reabsorbed the kinematics will change.

Also some sequences of emissions in the evolution will correspond to local hard scatterings in some frame, and these will not get the proper $\sim 1/q^4_\perp$ behavior.

In the end we want to just have primary (a.k.a. backbone) gluons left, which are ordered in both $q_+$ and $q_-$ (and hence also in rapidity).

These are the ones we know gives the non-vanishing contributions to the cross section.
Choose which dipoles interact: $1 - e^{-F_{ij}}$

- Take away non-interacting gluons
- Take away kinematically impossible interactions/gluons
- Take away wrongly distributed sub-scatterings
- Take away non-ordered gluons
Final state radiation and hadronization

The primary gluons are now sent to ARIADNE for final-state showering.

This is a unitary procedure and only emissions which are unordered in $q_+$ and $q_-$ w.r.t. the primary gluons are allowed.

Then we send everything to PYTHIA8 for hadronization.
Frame-independence

We have quite a lot of parameters:

- $R_{\text{max}}$: Non-perturbative regularization
- $R_p$: Proton size ($\approx R_{\text{max}}$)
- $w_p$: Fluctuations in the initial proton size (small)
- $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$: in the running $\alpha_s$
- $\lambda_r$: Swing parameter (saturated)

Most of these can be fit to the total and elastic cross sections.

But there are also a lot of choices made for which no guidance can be found in perturbative QCD, especially for the selection of the real gluons.

Most of these can be fixed by requiring frame-independence.
Minimum-Bias Observables

Charged multiplicity \( \geq 6 \) at 900 GeV, track \( p_\perp > 500 \text{ MeV} \)

- ATLAS data
- DIPSY
- Pythia8
- Pythia8(ND)
- DIPSY(asym)
Charged multiplicity $\geq 6$ at 7 TeV, track $p_\perp > 500$ MeV

More plots on [http://home.thep.lu.se/~leif/DIPSY.html](http://home.thep.lu.se/~leif/DIPSY.html)
An ion starts as $A$ nucleons (dipole triangles) distributed in transverse space.

- Wood-Saxon with hard core.

The swings, within and between nucleons, describe the saturation in the evolution.

Get a full partonic picture with both momentum and transverse position.

Dynamically describes all fluctuations and correlations.

No new model dependence! (only nucleon distribution) Everything tuned from $pp$ and $\gamma^*p$.

(DIPSY is a bit too slow right now, $\sim 30$ min for an LHC event)

Results from $\gamma^*A$ and $pA$ are on their way.
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