

THE HIGH ENERGY JETS FRAMEWORK

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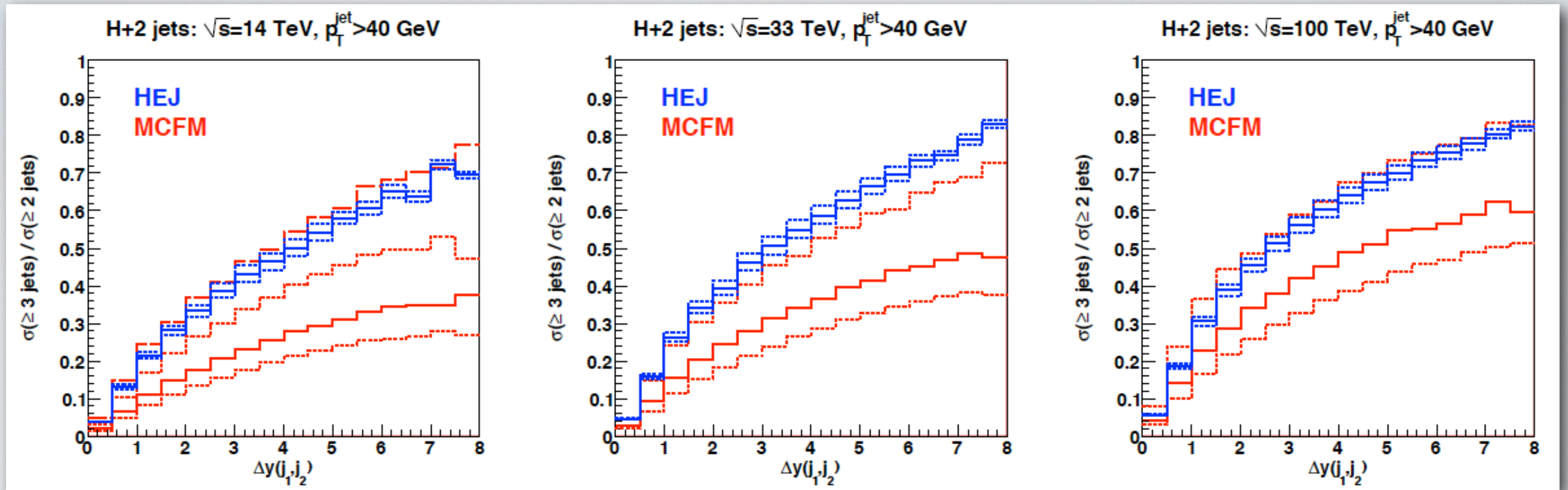
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REGGE THEORY

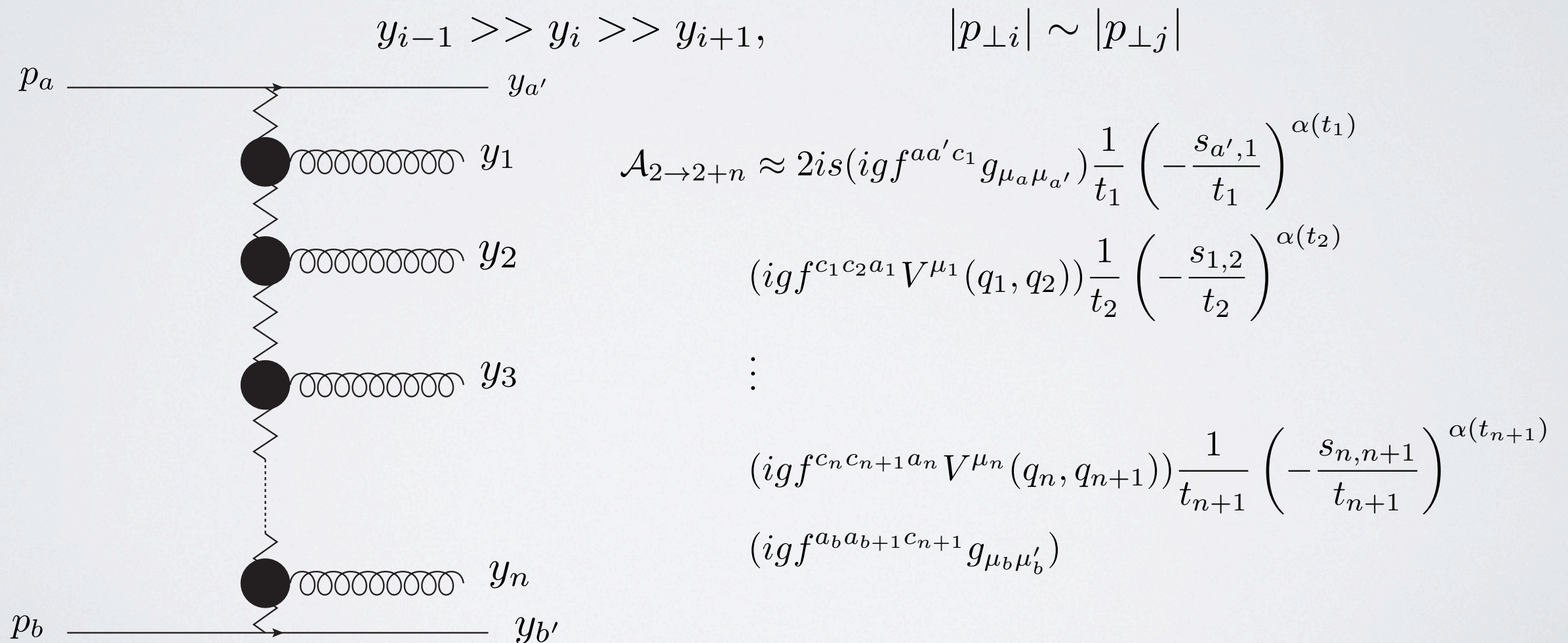
- Regge limit: $s \gg -t$, soft process
- S matrix properties
 - Unitarity
 - Analyticity
 - Crossing symmetry

$$A \sim s^{\alpha(t)}$$

- Also gluons reggeizes

MULTI REGGE KINEMATICS

- Leading Logarithmic approximation $\left[\alpha_s \ln \left(\frac{s}{|t|} \right) \right]^n$



HIGH ENERGY LIMIT

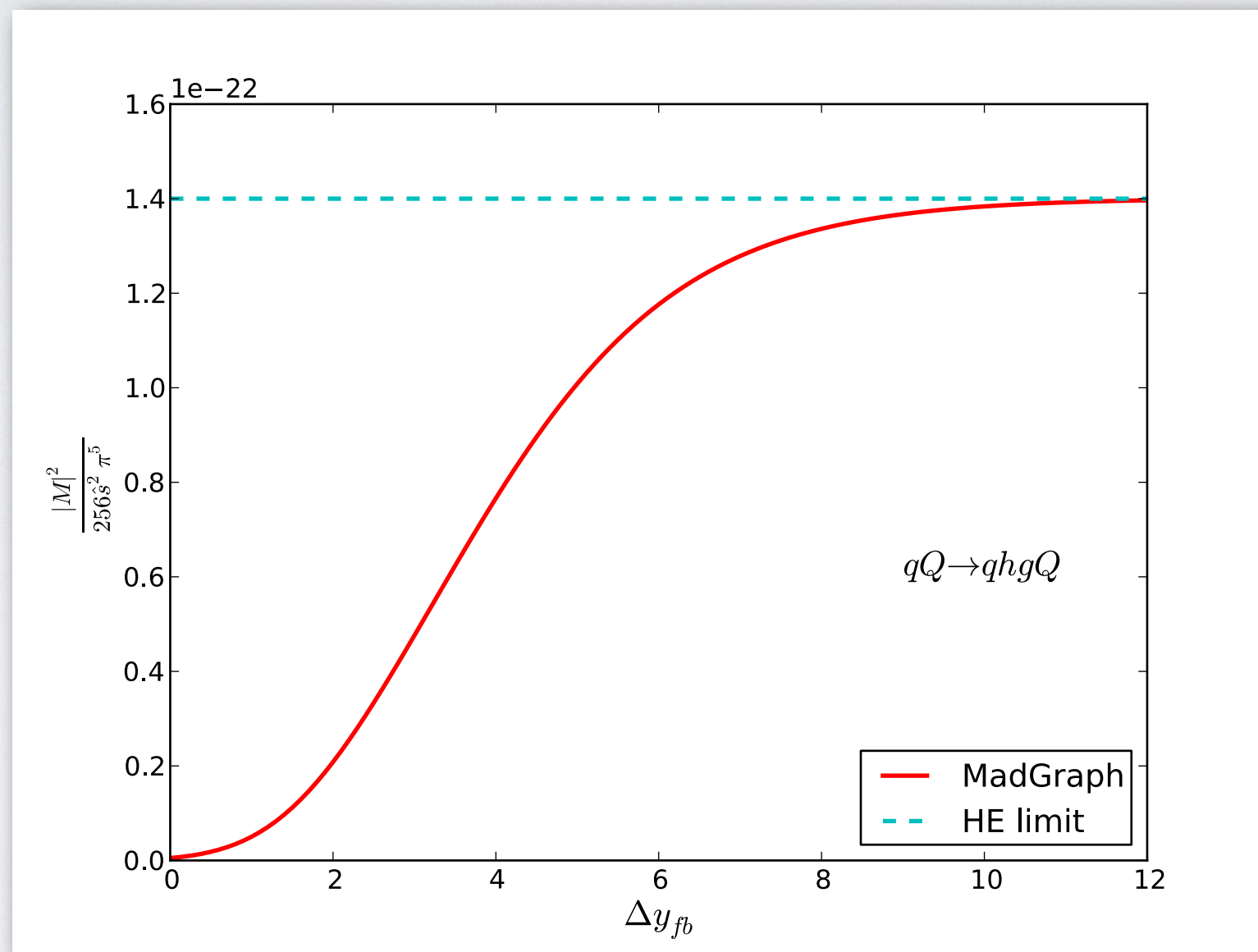
- Is this a good approximation?
- Squared matrix element:

$$|\mathcal{M}^{qQ \rightarrow qhgQ}|^2 = \frac{4\hat{s}^2}{8} \frac{C_f g_s^2}{|p_{0\perp}|^4} |C^H(q_{a\perp}, q_{b\perp})|^2 \frac{4C_A g_s^2}{|p_{1\perp}|^4} \frac{C_f g_s^2}{|p_{2\perp}|^4}$$

$$C^H = i \frac{\alpha_s}{6\pi v} (|p_{h\perp}|^2 - |q_{a\perp}|^2 - |q_{b\perp}|^2)$$

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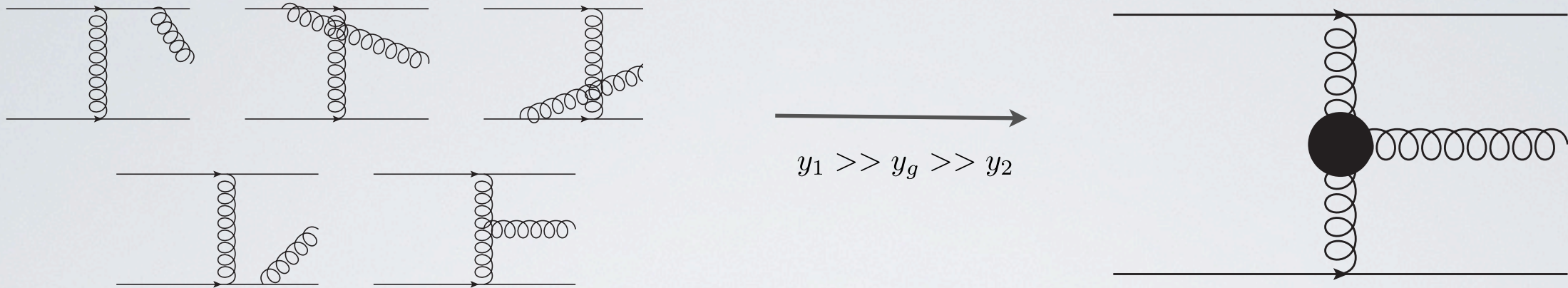
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HEJ FORMALISM

- t-channel factorization as above, but also
 - (1) full virtual 4-momenta
 - (2) gauge invariance in all the phase space

EFFECTIVE VERTEX



$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{A} = & (ig_s)^3 T_{1i}^g T_{ia}^d T_{2b}^d \varepsilon_{1\nu} \frac{\langle 1|\nu|g\rangle \langle g|\mu|a\rangle + 2p_1^\nu \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle}{s_{1g} t_{b2}} \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \\
 & + (ig_s)^3 T_{1i}^d T_{ia}^g T_{2b}^d \varepsilon_{1\nu} \frac{2p_a^\nu \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle - \langle 1|\mu|g\rangle \langle g|\nu|a\rangle}{t_{ag} t_{b2}} \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \\
 & + (ig_s)^3 T_{2i}^g T_{ib}^d T_{1a}^d \varepsilon_{1\nu} \frac{\langle 2|\nu|g\rangle \langle g|\mu|b\rangle + 2p_2^\nu \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle}{s_{2g} t_{a1}} \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \\
 & + (ig_s)^3 T_{2i}^d T_{ib}^g T_{1a}^d \varepsilon_{1\nu} \frac{2p_b^\nu \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle - \langle 2|\mu|g\rangle \langle g|\nu|b\rangle}{t_{bg} t_{a1}} \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \\
 & - g_s^3 f^{\alpha\beta\gamma} T_{1a}^\alpha T_{2b}^\beta \varepsilon_{1\nu} \frac{\langle 1|\rho|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle}{t_{a1} t_{b2}} \left(2p_g^\mu g^{\nu\rho} - 2p_g^\rho g^{\mu\nu} - (q_1 + q_2)^\nu g^{\mu\rho} \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

EFFECTIVE VERTEX

$$\mathcal{A}^{\text{Eik}} = -ig_s^3 \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \varepsilon_{1\nu} \times \left(\frac{2p_1^\nu}{s_{1g}t_{b2}} T_{1i}^g T_{ia}^d T_{2b}^d + \frac{2p_a^\nu}{t_{ag}t_{b2}} T_{1i}^d T_{ia}^g T_{2b}^d + \frac{2p_2^\nu}{t_{a1}s_{2g}} T_{2i}^g T_{ib}^d T_{1a}^d + \frac{2p_b^\nu}{t_{bg}t_{a1}} T_{2i}^d T_{ib}^g T_{1a}^d \right).$$

Using approximations $p_a \sim p_1 = p_+$, $p_b \sim p_2 = p_-$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}^{\text{Eik}} &\simeq -ig_s^3 \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \varepsilon_{1\nu} \\ &\times \left(\frac{p_+^\nu}{(p_+ \cdot p_g)t_{b2}} T_{3b}^d (T_{1i}^g T_{ia}^d - T_{1i}^d T_{ia}^g) + \frac{p_-^\nu}{(p_- \cdot p_g)t_{a1}} T_{1a}^d (T_{2i}^g T_{ib}^d - T_{2i}^d T_{ib}^g) \right) \\ &= g_s^3 \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \varepsilon_{1\nu} f^{gde} \left(\frac{p_+^\nu}{(p_+ \cdot p_g)t_{b2}} T_{2b}^d T_{1a}^e + \frac{p_-^\nu}{(p_- \cdot p_g)t_{a1}} T_{1a}^d T_{2b}^e \right) \\ &= g_s^3 \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \varepsilon_{1\nu} f^{gde} T_{2b}^d T_{1a}^e \frac{1}{t_{a1}t_{b2}} \left(\frac{p_+^\nu}{(p_+ \cdot p_g)} t_{a1} - \frac{p_-^\nu}{(p_- \cdot p_g)} t_{b2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Restore the original momenta

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}^{\text{Eik}} &\simeq g_s^3 \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \varepsilon_{1\nu} f^{gde} T_{2b}^d T_{1a}^e \frac{1}{t_{a1}t_{b2}} \\ &\times \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{p_a^\nu}{(p_a \cdot p_g)} t_{a1} + \frac{p_1^\nu}{(p_1 \cdot p_g)} t_{a1} - \frac{p_b^\nu}{(p_b \cdot p_g)} t_{b2} - \frac{p_2^\nu}{(p_2 \cdot p_g)} t_{b2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

EFFECTIVE VERTEX

Three gluon vertex diagram

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{A}^{3gv} &\simeq - \frac{g_s^3 f^{\alpha\beta\gamma} T_{1a}^\alpha T_{2b}^\beta \varepsilon_{1\nu}}{t_{a1} t_{b2}} \left(8 (p_g \cdot p_- p_+^\nu - p_g \cdot p_+ p_-^\nu) - (q_1 + q_2)^\nu \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \right) \\
 &= - \frac{g_s^3 f^{\alpha\beta\gamma} T_{1a}^\alpha T_{2b}^\beta \varepsilon_{1\nu}}{t_{a1} t_{b2}} \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \left(4 \left(\frac{p_g \cdot p_-}{\hat{s}} p_+^\nu - \frac{p_g \cdot p_+}{\hat{s}} p_-^\nu \right) - (q_1 + q_2)^\nu \right) \\
 &= - \frac{g_s^3 f^{\alpha\beta\gamma} T_{1a}^\alpha T_{2b}^\beta \varepsilon_{1\nu}}{t_{a1} t_{b2}} \langle 1|\mu|a\rangle \langle 2|\mu|b\rangle \\
 &\quad \times \left(-(q_1 + q_2)^\nu + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{p_g \cdot p_b}{p_a \cdot p_b} p_a^\nu + \frac{p_g \cdot p_2}{p_a \cdot p_2} p_a^\nu + \frac{p_g \cdot p_b}{p_1 \cdot p_b} p_1^\nu + \frac{p_g \cdot p_2}{p_1 \cdot p_2} p_1^\nu \right. \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \left. - \frac{p_g \cdot p_a}{p_a \cdot p_b} p_b^\nu - \frac{p_g \cdot p_1}{p_b \cdot p_1} p_b^\nu - \frac{p_g \cdot p_a}{p_a \cdot p_2} p_2^\nu - \frac{p_g \cdot p_1}{p_1 \cdot p_2} p_2^\nu \right) \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

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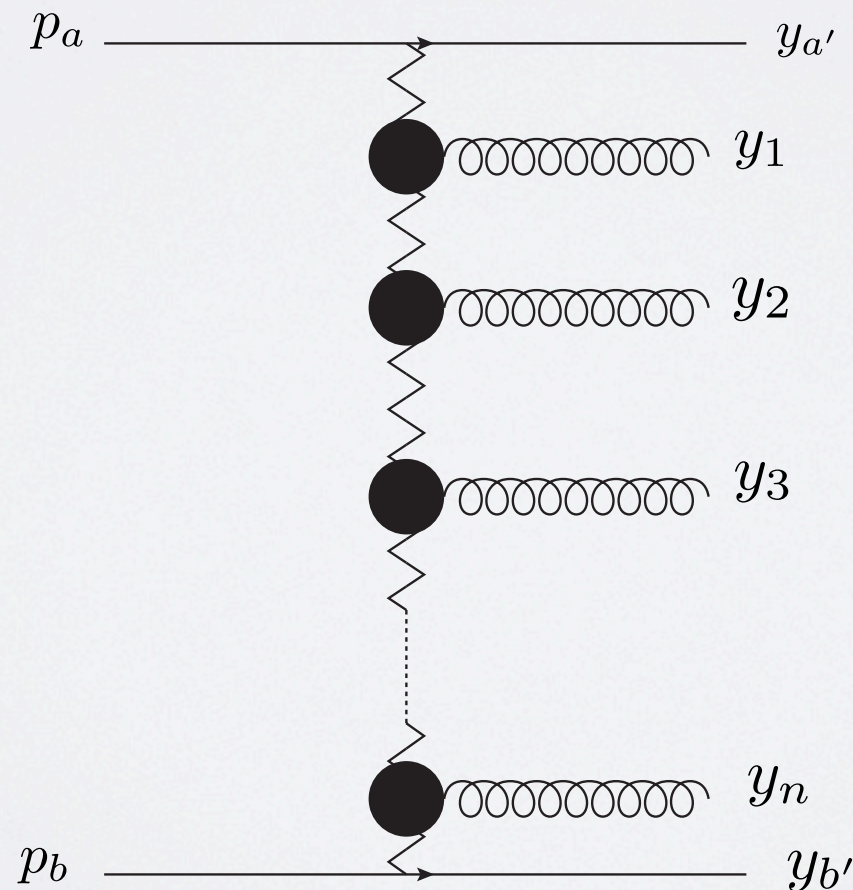
- Amplitude can be written as a contraction of two currents times an effective vertex

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{A} = g_s^3 \mathcal{C}_g \epsilon_\nu \frac{S_{qQ \rightarrow qQ}}{q_1^2 q_2^2} V^\nu & \quad V^\nu = -(q_1 + q_2)^\nu \\
 & + \frac{p_a^\nu}{2} \left(\frac{q_1^2}{(p_a \cdot p_g)} + \frac{p_g \cdot p_b}{p_a \cdot p_b} + \frac{p_g \cdot p_2}{p_a \cdot p_2} \right) + p_a \leftrightarrow p_1 \\
 & - \frac{p_b^\nu}{2} \left(\frac{q_2^2}{(p_b \cdot p_g)} + \frac{p_g \cdot p_a}{p_a \cdot p_b} - \frac{p_g \cdot p_1}{p_b \cdot p_1} \right) - p_b \leftrightarrow p_2
 \end{aligned}$$

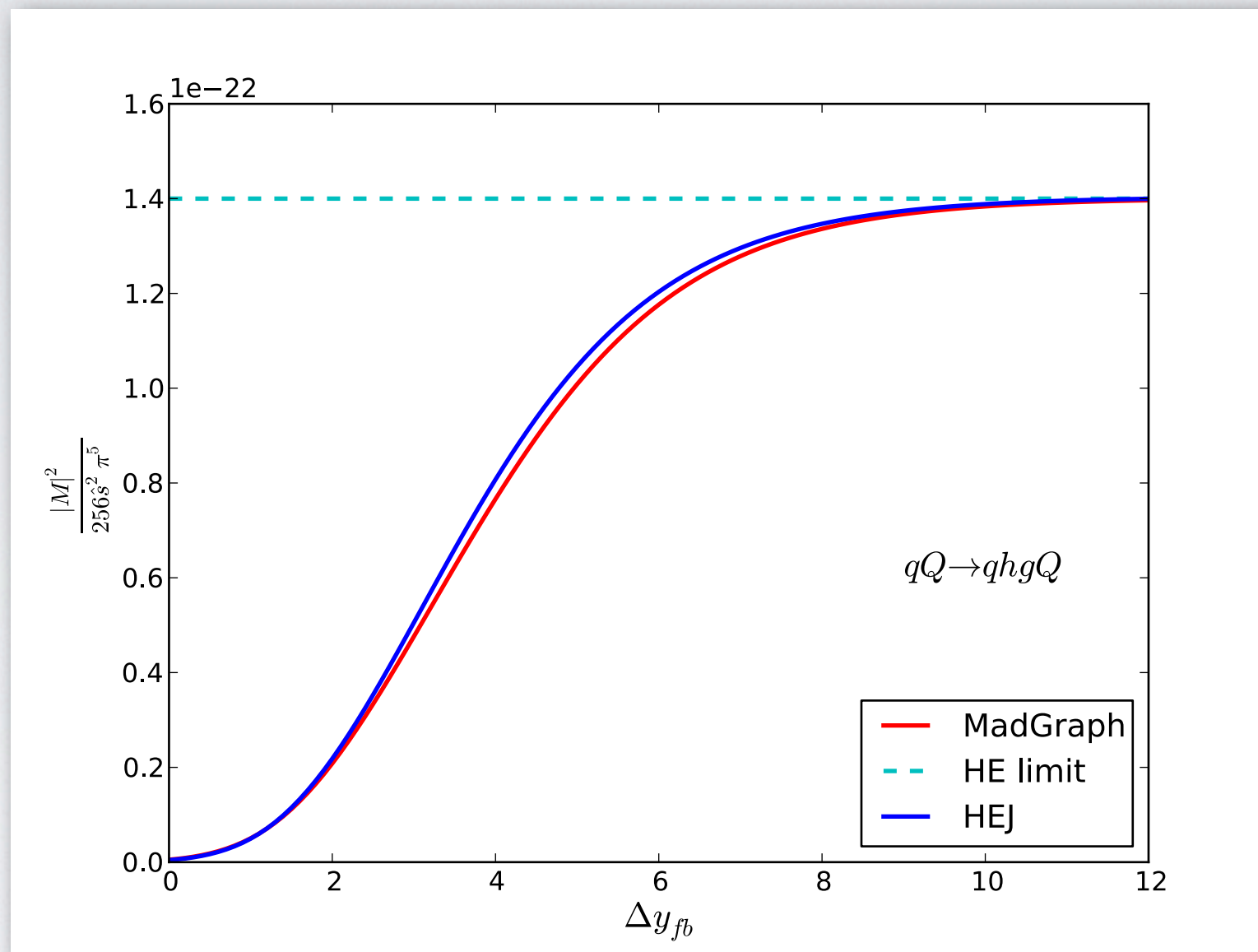
- Gauge invariant $p_g \cdot V = 0$

TREE LEVEL MATRIX ELEMENT

$$\left| \overline{\mathcal{M}}_{qQ \rightarrow qg \dots gQ}^t \right|^2 = \frac{1}{4(N_c^2 - 1)} \|S_{qQ \rightarrow qQ}\|^2 \left(g^2 C_F \frac{1}{t_1} \right) \left(g^2 C_F \frac{1}{t_{n-1}} \right) \prod_{i=1}^{n-2} \left(\frac{-g^2 C_A}{t_i t_{i+1}} V^\mu(q_i, q_{i+1}) V_\mu(q_i, q_{i+1}) \right)$$



DOES IT WORK?



VIRTUAL CORRECTIONS

- Lipatov ansatz:

Replace gluon propagator with reggeized propagator

$$\frac{1}{t_i} \rightarrow \frac{1}{t_i} \exp[\alpha(q_i)(y_{y-1} - y_1)]$$

$$\alpha(q_i) = -g^2 C_a \frac{\Gamma(1 - \epsilon)}{(4\pi)^{2+\epsilon}} \frac{2}{\epsilon} (\mathbf{q}^2 / \mu^2)^\epsilon$$

CANCELLATION OF POLES

- In the soft limit $|p_{g,i}| \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{-1}{t_i t_{i+1}} V^\mu(q_i, q_{i+1}) V_\mu(q_i, q_{i+1}) \rightarrow \frac{4}{\mathbf{p}_i^2}$$

- Integrating over the soft region yields

$$\int_0^\lambda \frac{d^{2+2\epsilon} \mathbf{p}_i dy_i}{(2\pi)^{2+2\epsilon} 4\pi} \frac{4}{\mathbf{p}_i^2} \mu^{-2\epsilon} = \frac{4\Delta_{y_{i-1}, i+1}}{(2\pi)^{2+2\epsilon} 4\pi} \frac{\pi^{1+\epsilon}}{\Gamma(1+\epsilon)\epsilon} (\lambda^2/\mu^2)^\epsilon$$

- The poles cancel and we are left with

$$\Delta_{y_{i-1}, i+1} \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi} \ln \left(\frac{\lambda^2}{\mathbf{q}^2} \right)$$

MATRIX ELEMENT

$$\begin{aligned} |\overline{\mathcal{M}^{\text{reg}}}|^2 &= \frac{1}{4(N_c^2 - 1)} \|S_{qQ \rightarrow qQ}\|^2 \left(g^2 C_F \frac{1}{t_1}\right) \left(g^2 C_F \frac{1}{t_{n-1}}\right) \\ &\prod_{i=1}^{n-2} \left(\frac{-g^2 C_A}{t_i t_{i+1}} V^\mu(q_i, q_{i+1}) V_\mu(q_i, q_{i+1}) - \frac{g^2 C_A^4}{\mathbf{p}_i^2} \theta(\mathbf{p}_i^2 < \lambda^2) \right) \\ &\prod_{j=1}^{n-1} \exp[\omega^0(q_j, \lambda)(y_{j-1} - y_j)], \end{aligned}$$

$$\omega^0(q_j, \lambda) = -\frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi} \ln \frac{\mathbf{q}_j^2}{\lambda^2}$$

MASTER FORMULA

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_{2j}^{\text{resum,match}} &= \sum_{f_1, f_2} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \prod_{i=1}^n \left(\int_{p_{i\perp}=\lambda}^{p_{i\perp}=\infty} \frac{d^2 \mathbf{p}_{i\perp}}{(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{dy_i}{2} \right) \frac{|\mathcal{M}_{\text{HEJ}}^{f_1 f_2 \rightarrow f_1 g \cdots g f_2}(\{p_i\})|^2}{\hat{s}^2} \\
 &\times \sum_m \mathcal{O}_{mj}^e(\{p_i\}) w_{m\text{-jet}} \\
 &\times x_a f_{A, f_1}(x_a, Q_a) x_b f_{B, f_2}(x_b, Q_b) (2\pi)^4 \delta^2\left(\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbf{p}_{i\perp}\right) \mathcal{O}_{2j}(\{p_i\}) \\
 \\
 w_{n\text{-jet}} &\equiv \frac{|\mathcal{M}^{f_1 f_2 \rightarrow f_1 g \cdots g f_2}(\{p_{\mathcal{J}_l}^{\text{new}}(\{p_i\})\})|^2}{|\mathcal{M}^{t, f_1 f_2 \rightarrow f_1 g \cdots g f_2}(\{p_{\mathcal{J}_l}^{\text{new}}(\{p_i\})\})|^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

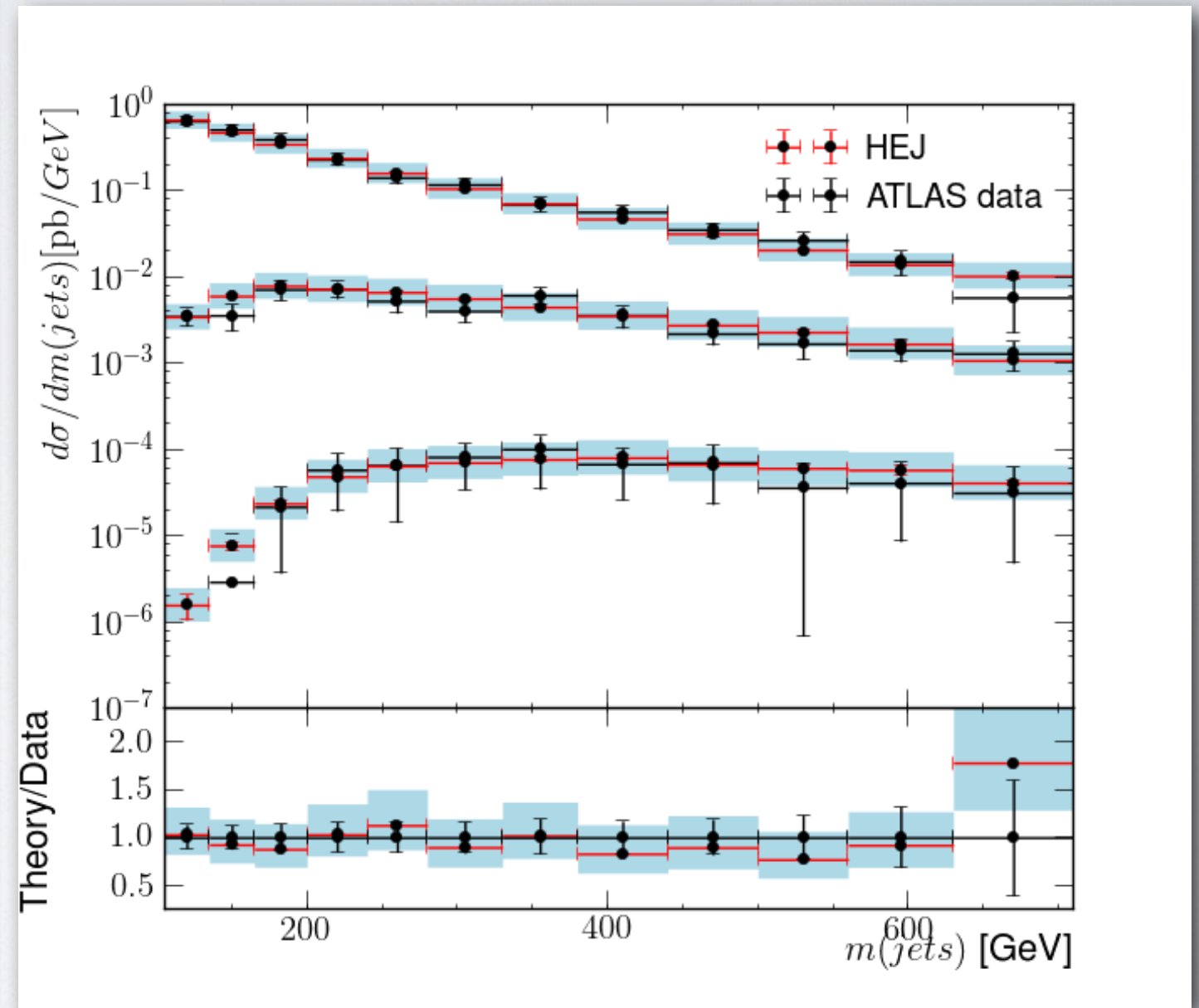
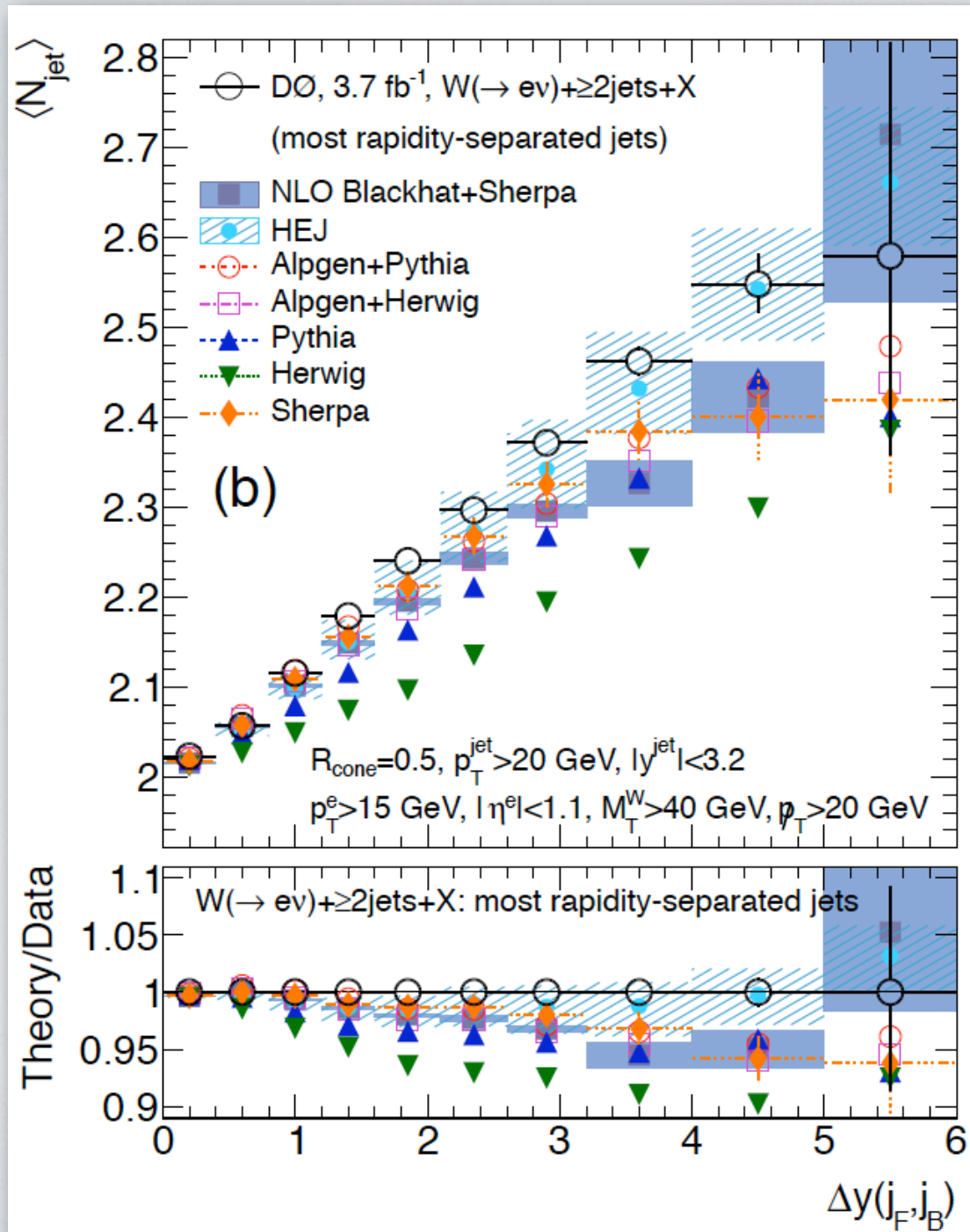
- Momentum shuffling for the matching

$$p_{\mathcal{J}_{l\perp}}^B = p_{\mathcal{J}_{l\perp}} + q_{\perp} * \frac{|p_{\mathcal{J}_{l\perp}}|}{P_{\perp}}$$

q_{\perp} pt of the sum of non-jet momenta

P_{\perp} Scalar sum of the jet pt

SOME RESULTS



FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

- Unordered emission
 - ▶ Done for the Higgs case
- NLO matching
 - ▶ Inverting HEJ formalism currently
- Matching with the parton shower(s)
 - ▶ solution exists: [10.1007/JHEP07\(2011\)110](https://arxiv.org/abs/10.1007/JHEP07(2011)110)

CONCLUSIONS

- HEJ designed to describe multi-jet events with large rapidity separation
- Simple form of the matrix elements allow effective phase space integration
- Possible to compare different description against the data