

T_F^2 -Contributions to 3-Loop Deep-Inelastic Wilson Coefficients and the Asymptotic Representation of Charged Current DIS

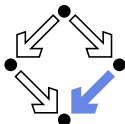
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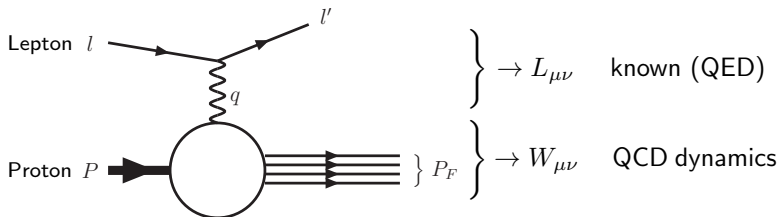
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Deep-Inelastic Scattering (DIS)

DIS [inclusive, unpolarized, electromagnetic] gives a clean probe of the proton substructure.



kinematic variables: $Q^2 = -q^2$, $x = \frac{Q^2}{2P \cdot q}$, $y = \frac{P \cdot q}{P \cdot l}$

parametrization of the hadronic tensor with **structure functions**

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_{\mu\nu}(q, P, s) &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^4\xi \exp(iq\xi) \langle P, s | [J_\mu^{em}(\xi), J_\nu^{em}(0)] | P, s \rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{2x} \left(g_{\mu\nu} - \frac{q_\mu q_\nu}{q^2} \right) F_L(x, Q^2) + \frac{2x}{Q^2} \left(P_\mu P_\nu + \frac{q_\mu P_\nu + q_\nu P_\mu}{2x} - \frac{Q^2}{4x^2} g_{\mu\nu} \right) F_2(x, Q^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

\rightarrow **contributions of massive and massless quarks**

Light cone expansion of the current commutator:

[Wilson 1969 PR, Zimmermann 1970, Brandt, Preparata 1971 NPB, Frishman 1971 AP]

$$\lim_{\xi^2 \rightarrow 0} [J(\xi), J(0)] \propto \sum_{i, N, \tau} \underbrace{c_{i, \tau}^N(\xi^2, \mu^2)}_{\text{Wilson coefficients}} \xi_{\mu_1} \dots \xi_{\mu_N} \underbrace{O_{i, \tau}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_N}(0, \mu^2)}_{\text{local operators}} + O\left(\frac{\Lambda^2}{Q^2}\right).$$

At leading twist τ the structure functions factorize

$$F_{(2, L)}(x, Q^2) = \sum_j \mathcal{C}_{j, (2, L)}\left(x, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2}\right) \otimes f_j(x, \mu^2)$$

into **perturbative Wilson coefficients** and **nonperturbative parton densities (PDFs)**.

\otimes denotes the Mellin convolution

$$f(x) \otimes g(x) \equiv \int_0^1 dy dz \delta(x - yz) f(y) g(z),$$

which simplifies to a product upon Mellin transformation

$$\hat{f}(N) := \int_0^1 dx x^{N-1} f(x).$$

→ following computations in Mellin space

Divide the Wilson coefficients into massless and massive parts:

$$\mathbb{C}_{j,(2,L)} \left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right) = C_{j,(2,L)} \left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} \right) + H_{j,(2,L)} \left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right)$$

For $Q^2 \gg m^2$ ($Q^2 \gtrsim 10m^2$ für F_2) the massive Wilson coefficients factorize

$$H_{j,(2,L)} \left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right) = \sum_i C_{i,(2,L)} \left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} \right) A_{ij} \left(\frac{m^2}{\mu^2}, N \right),$$

[Buza, Matiounine, Smith, van Neerven 1996 NPB]

into massless Wilson coefficients $C_{i,(2,L)}$ and massive operator matrix elements (OMEs); OMEs are local operators O_i sandwiched between partonic states $j = q, g$

$$A_{ij} \left(\frac{m^2}{\mu^2}, N \right) = \langle j | O_i | j \rangle.$$

The $C_{i,(2,L)}$ are known at 3 loops [Moch, Vermaseren, Vogt, 2005].

→ compute $A_{ij} \left(\frac{m^2}{\mu^2}, N \right)$ at 3 loops!

Importance of massive quark contributions at 3 loops

Massive quark contributions:

- ▶ amount to 20–30% for small x
- ▶ contribute scaling violations which differ in shape from those of massless quarks
- ▶ are sensitive to the gluon and sea quark PDFs for small x
- ▶ allow for the determination of the strange PDF via charged current DIS
- ▶ necessary for the **precision determination of α_s** at 3 loops
- ▶ note: asymptotic representation holds at the 1%-level for F_2

Status of massive quark contributions

Leading Order: [Witten 1976, Babcock, Sivers 1978, Shifman, Vainshtein, Zakharov 1978, Leveille, Weiler 1979, Glück, Reya 1979, Glück, Hoffmann, Reya 1982]

NLO:

[Laenen, van Neerven, Riemersma, Smith 1993]

$Q^2 \gg m^2$: via IBP [Buza, Matiounine, Smith, Migneron, van Neerven 1996]

via ${}_pF_q$'s, more compact [Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein, 2007]

$O(\alpha_s^2 \varepsilon)$ -contributions (for all- N) [Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein, Schneider 2008]

[Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009]

NNLO: $Q^2 \gg m^2$

moments of F_2 : $N = 2 \dots 10(14)$ [Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009]

contributions to transversity: $N = 1 \dots 13$ [Blümlein, Klein, Tödtli 2009]

n_f -contributions to F_2 (all- N): [Ablinger, Blümlein, Klein, Schneider, Wißbrock 2011]

Known at 3 Loop:

- ▶ $A_{qq,Q}^{\text{PS}}, A_{qg,Q}$: **complete**
- ▶ $A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS,(TR)}}, A_{gq,Q}, A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}}$: **complete** (\rightarrow A. De Freitas' & M. Round's talks)
- ▶ $A_{Qg}, A_{gg,Q}$: all $O(n_f T_F^2 C_{A/F})$ -contributions known
- ▶ $A_{gg,Q}$: $O(T_F^2 C_{A/F})$ -contributions ($m_1 = m_2$) \rightarrow [this talk](#)
- ▶ $A_{gg,Q}$: Moments for ($m_1 \neq m_2$)-contributions \rightarrow [this talk](#)

Computing Graphs with two
massive quark lines
(T_F^2 -graphs, $m_1 = m_2$)

Hypergeometric series for T_F^2 -graphs

Start from the calculation paradigm:

- ▶ rewrite integrals in terms of hypergeometric functions at 1
- ▶ represent them in terms of a convergent series
- ▶ solve the sums with Sigma [C. Schneider]

→ successful in all 2-loop contributions to the massive OMEs and large classes of 3-loop [cf. page 7]

Graphs with two massive lines of equal masses ($m_1^2 = m_2^2$):

- ▶ Feynman parameterization contains

$$(z_1 x + z_2 y(1-x))^{a+b\varepsilon} = \int_{-i\infty}^{i\infty} d\sigma \frac{\Gamma(-\sigma)\Gamma(\sigma - a - b\varepsilon)}{2\pi i \Gamma(-a - b\varepsilon)} \frac{[z_2 y(1-x)]^\sigma}{(z_1 x)^{-a-b\varepsilon+\sigma}}$$

- ▶ Mellin-Barnes-Representation $\rightarrow B(c + N - \sigma, d + \sigma)$
- ▶ unbalanced factor $\Gamma(c + N - \sigma) \rightarrow$ sum of residues diverges

Hypergeometric series for T_F^2 -graphs

Solution:

- ▶ observe:

$$B(c + N - \sigma, d + \sigma) = \int_0^1 dx x^{c+N-1} (1-x)^{d-1} \left(\frac{1-x}{x} \right)^\sigma$$

→ direction for closing the contour **depends on x**

- ▶ split x -integral into two parts $x < \frac{1}{2}$ and $x \geq \frac{1}{2}$

→ incomplete beta function, **integrate later**

- ▶ close contour differently → convergent sum of residues

→ ε -expansion and summation: SumProduction, EvaluateMultiSums, Sigma [C. Schneider]

Solving the last Feynman parameter integral

Idea: solve the last integral in the space of cyclotomic HPLs

The occurring cyclotomic HPLs are iterated integrals built from the alphabet:

$$f_0(x) = \frac{1}{x}, \quad f_1(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}, \quad f_{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{1+x},$$

$$f_{(4,0)}(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}, \quad f_{(4,1)}(x) = \frac{x}{1+x^2},$$

e.g.: $H_{1,(4,1),0,0}(x) = \int_0^x dx_1 f_1(x_1) \int_0^{x_1} dx_2 f_{(4,1)}(x_2) \frac{1}{2} \ln^2(x_2).$

Furthermore, generalized letters occur: $f_{[i,\kappa]}(x) = f_i(\kappa x)$

→ many properties of cycl. HPLs and cycl. S-Sums are known

[Ablinger, Blümlein, Schneider 2011 JMP]

and implemented in the package HarmonicSums [J. Ablinger]

Solving the last Feynman parameter integral

- ▶ summation yields cyclotomic S-Sums $\hat{=}$ cycl. HPLs

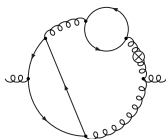
$$S_1(-x; \infty) = -H_{-1}(x)$$

$$S_{(1,0,1),(2,1,1)}(-x, 1; \infty) = -\frac{4H_{(4,0)}(\sqrt{x})}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{H_{(4,1)}(\sqrt{x})}{2x} - \frac{3}{2}H_{(4,1)}(\sqrt{x}) \\ - 2H_{(4,0),(4,0)}(\sqrt{x}) + \frac{15}{4}$$

...

- ▶ use generating function: $[f(x)]^N \rightarrow \frac{1}{1 - \kappa f(x)}$,
- ▶ integrate
- ▶ yield representation $\sum_{\vec{a}} c_{\vec{a}} H_{\vec{a}}(\kappa)$ such that each term has a Taylor expansion for $\kappa \approx 0$
- ▶ determine **N -th Taylor coefficient** (\rightarrow HarmonicSums [J. Ablinger]: Cauchy products, difference equations \rightarrow EvaluateMultiSums, Sigma [C. Schneider])

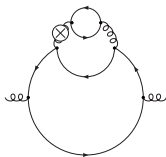
Results: A scalar graph



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Res} = & \frac{(-1)^N + 1}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{45\varepsilon^2(N+1)} - \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left[\frac{S_1(N)}{90(N+1)} + \frac{47N^3 + 20N^2 - 67N + 40}{1800(N-1)N(N+1)^2} \right] \right. \\
 & + \frac{105N^3 - 175N^2 + 56N + 96}{13440(N+1)^2(2N-3)(2N-1)4^N} \binom{2N}{N} \left[\sum_{j=1}^N \frac{4^j S_1(j)}{\binom{2j}{j} j^2} - \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{4^j}{\binom{2j}{j} j^3} - 7\zeta_3 \right] \\
 & + \frac{(5264N^3 - 2409N^2 - 12770N + 3528) S_1(N)}{100800(N+1)^2(2N-3)(2N-1)} + \frac{S_1(N)^2 + S_2(N) + 3\zeta_2}{360(N+1)} \\
 & \left. + \frac{S_3(N) - S_{2,1}(N) + 7\zeta_3}{420(N+1)} + \frac{P_{13}}{2268000(N-1)^2 N^2 (N+1)^3 (2N-3)(2N-1)} \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

→ new nested sums occur

Results: A QCD graph



$$\begin{aligned}
 I_{560} = & \frac{2P_4}{3N(N+1)^2(N+2)(2N-5)(2N-3)(2N-1)} \frac{1}{4^N} \binom{2N}{N} \left[\sum_{j=1}^N \frac{4^j S_1(j)}{\binom{2j}{j} j^2} - \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{4^j}{\binom{2j}{j} j^3} - 7\zeta_3 \right] \\
 & + \frac{N^2 + N + 2}{27(N-1)N^2(N+1)} \left[-144S_{2,1}(N) - 36\zeta_2 S_1(N) - 4S_1(N)^3 + 36S_2(N)S_1(N) + 88S_3(N) + 312\zeta_3 \right] \\
 & - \frac{4P_2}{6075(N-2)^2(N-1)^4 N^5 (N+1)^4 (N+2)(2N-5)(2N-3)(2N-1)} - \frac{64(N^2 + N + 2)}{9\epsilon^3(N-1)N^2(N+1)} \\
 & + \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} \left\{ -\frac{32P_6}{27(N-1)^2 N^3 (N+1)^2 (N+2)} - \frac{32(N^2 + N + 2)}{9(N-1)N^2(N+1)} S_1(N) \right\} \\
 & + \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left\{ -\frac{8P_7}{405(N-2)(N-1)^3 N^4 (N+1)^3 (N+2)} - \frac{16P_6}{27(N-1)^2 N^3 (N+1)^2 (N+2)} S_1(N) \right. \\
 & \left. - \frac{8(N^2 + N + 2)(S_1(N)^2 - 3S_2(N) + 3\zeta_2)}{9(N-1)N^2(N+1)} - \frac{8(55N^3 + 235N^2 - 52N + 20)}{15(N-2)(N-1)N(N+1)^2(N+2)} \right\} \\
 & - \frac{4P_5 S_1(N)}{81(N-1)^3 N^4 (N+1)^3 (N+2)(2N-5)(2N-3)(2N-1)} - \frac{4P_6(S_1(N)^2 - 3S_2(N) + 3\zeta_2)}{27(N-1)^2 N^3 (N+1)^2 (N+2)} \\
 & - \frac{4P_1}{225(N-2)^2(N-1)^2 N^2 (N+1)^3 (N+2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

T_F^2 -contributions to A_{ggQ} for $m_1 = m_2$

- ▶ inverse binomial sums occur:

$$\sum_{j=1}^N \frac{4^j S_1(j)}{\binom{2j}{j} j^2} - \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{4^j}{\binom{2j}{j} j^3} = \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^N - 1}{1-x} \int_x^1 dy \frac{1}{y\sqrt{1-y}} \\ \times \left[\ln(1-y) - \ln(y) + 2 \ln(2) \right]$$

(\rightarrow cf. C. Raab's talk)

- ▶ removable poles at $N = 1/2$, $N = 3/2$, $N = 5/2$
- ▶ used for the calculation of **all scalar graphs** consistent with $A_{gg,Q}^{(3)}$
(\rightarrow proof of principle)
- ▶ applied to QCD graphs in the T_F^2 -contribution to $A_{gg,Q}^{(3)}$
 \rightarrow [Ablinger, Blümlein, Hasselhuhn, Round, Schneider in prep.]
- ▶ checks with MATAD [M. Steinhauser 2000]
- ▶ graphs are similar to the case $m_1 \neq m_2 \rightarrow$ same ideas are applicable with generalization

Moments from graphs with two massive lines of unequal mass (charm and bottom)

Moments for graphs with two massive lines ($m_1 \neq m_2$)

- There are 8 different OMEs:

$A_{Qg}, A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS(TR)}}, A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}}, A_{gg,Q}, A_{gq,Q}, A_{qg,Q}, A_{qq,Q}^{\text{PS}}$
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> Contain contributions with b- and c-quarks Completely known </div>

OME	# diagrams
$A_{Qg}^{(3)}$	272
$A_{Qq}^{(3),\text{PS}}$	16
$A_{qq,Q}^{(3),\text{NS}}$	4
$A_{qq,Q}^{(3),\text{NS,TR}}$	4
$A_{gq,Q}^{(3)}$	4
$A_{gg}^{(3)}$	76
Σ	376

- $m_c^2/m_b^2 \simeq 1/10$ expansion parameter \rightarrow moments $N = 2, 4, 6$ done
- renormalization of the 2-mass case has been performed
- But: **Charm cannot be treated massless** at the scale $\mu \simeq m_b$.

Moments for graphs with two massive lines ($m_1 \neq m_2$)

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_{Qg}^{(3)}(N=6) = & T_F^2 C_A \left\{ \frac{69882273800453}{367569090000} - \frac{395296}{19845} \zeta_3 + \frac{1316809}{39690} \zeta_2 + \frac{832369820129}{14586075000} x + \frac{1511074426112}{624023544375} x^2 - \frac{84840004938801319}{690973782403905000} x^3 \right. \\
 & + \ln\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{11771644229}{194481000} + \frac{78496}{2205} \zeta_2 - \frac{1406143531}{69457500} x - \frac{105157957}{180093375} x^2 + \frac{2287164970759}{7669816654500} x^3 \right] \\
 & + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{2668087}{79380} + \frac{112669}{661500} x - \frac{49373}{51975} x^2 - \frac{31340489}{34054020} x^3 \right] + \ln^3\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{324148}{19845} + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{156992}{6615} \\
 & + \ln\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{128234}{3969} - \frac{112669}{330750} x + \frac{98746}{51975} x^2 + \frac{31340489}{17027010} x^3 \right] + \ln\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln^2\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{68332}{6615} \\
 & + \ln\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{83755534727}{583443000} + \frac{78496}{2205} \zeta_2 + \frac{1406143531}{69457500} x + \frac{105157957}{180093375} x^2 - \frac{2287164970759}{7669816654500} x^3 \right] \\
 & + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{2668087}{79380} + \frac{112669}{661500} x - \frac{49373}{51975} x^2 - \frac{31340489}{34054020} x^3 \right] + \ln^3\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{412808}{19845} \left. \right\} \\
 & + T_F^2 C_F \left\{ -\frac{3161811182177}{71471767500} + \frac{447392}{19845} \zeta_3 + \frac{9568018}{4862025} \zeta_2 - \frac{64855635472}{2552563125} x + \frac{1048702178522}{97070329125} x^2 + \frac{1980566069882672}{2467763508585375} x^3 \right. \\
 & + \ln\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{1786067629}{204205050} - \frac{111848}{15435} \zeta_2 - \frac{128543024}{24310125} x - \frac{22957168}{3361743} x^2 - \frac{2511536080}{2191376187} x^3 \right] \\
 & + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{3232799}{4862025} + \frac{752432}{231525} x + \frac{177944}{40425} x^2 + \frac{127858928}{42567525} x^3 \right] - \ln^3\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{111848}{19845} - \ln^2\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{223696}{46305} \\
 & + \ln\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{22238456}{4862025} - \frac{1504864}{231525} x - \frac{355888}{40425} x^2 - \frac{255717856}{42567525} x^3 \right] + \ln\left(\frac{m_2^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln^2\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{223696}{46305} \\
 & + \ln\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[-\frac{24797875607}{1021025250} - \frac{111848}{15435} \zeta_2 + \frac{128543024}{24310125} x + \frac{22957168}{3361743} x^2 + \frac{2511536080}{2191376187} x^3 \right] \\
 & + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[\frac{3232799}{4862025} + \frac{752432}{231525} x + \frac{177944}{40425} x^2 + \frac{127858928}{42567525} x^3 \right] - \ln^3\left(\frac{m_1^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{1230328}{138915} \left. \right\} + O(x^4 \ln^3(x))
 \end{aligned}$$

→ q_2e/\exp [Harlander, Seidensticker, Steinhauser 1999] & MATAD [M. Steinhauser 2000]

Massive quarks in charged current DIS at 2 loops

Structure functions of charged current DIS

The cross section is parameterized introducing 3 structure functions.
For symmetry reasons consider the combinations

$$\frac{d\sigma^\nu}{dx dy} \pm \frac{d\sigma^{\bar{\nu}}}{dx dy} = \frac{G_F^2 s}{4\pi} \left\{ (1 + (1-y)^2) F_2^{W^+ \pm W^-} - y^2 F_L^{W^+ \pm W^-} + (1 - (1-y)^2) x F_3^{W^+ \pm W^-} \right\}.$$

The structure functions factorize in PDFs and Wilson coefficients

$$F_2^{W^+ + W^-} = 2 \left\{ (|V_{du}|^2 (d + \bar{d}) + |V_{su}|^2 (s + \bar{s}) + V_u (u + \bar{u})) (C_{2,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}} + L_{2,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}}) \right. \\ \left. + (|V_{dc}|^2 (d + \bar{d}) + |V_{sc}|^2 (s + \bar{s})) H_{2,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}} + 2V_c [H_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}} \Sigma + H_{2,g}^W G] \right. \\ \left. + 2V_u [(C_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}} + L_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}}) \Sigma + (C_{2,g}^W + L_{2,g}^W) G] \right\},$$

$$F_3^{W^+ + W^-} = 2 \left\{ (|V_{du}|^2 (d + \bar{d}) + |V_{su}|^2 (s + \bar{s}) - V_u (u + \bar{u})) (C_{3,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}} + L_{3,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}}) \right. \\ \left. + (|V_{dc}|^2 (d + \bar{d}) + |V_{sc}|^2 (s + \bar{s})) H_{3,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}} + 2V_c [H_{3,q}^{W, \text{PS}} \Sigma + H_{3,g}^W G] \right\}.$$

where $V_i := |V_{id}|^2 + |V_{is}|^2$, $i = u, c$, and $\Sigma = \sum_q (q + \bar{q})$.

factors (-1) due to **charge antisymmetry** of corresponding contributions.

2-Loop corrections in the region $Q^2 \gg m^2$

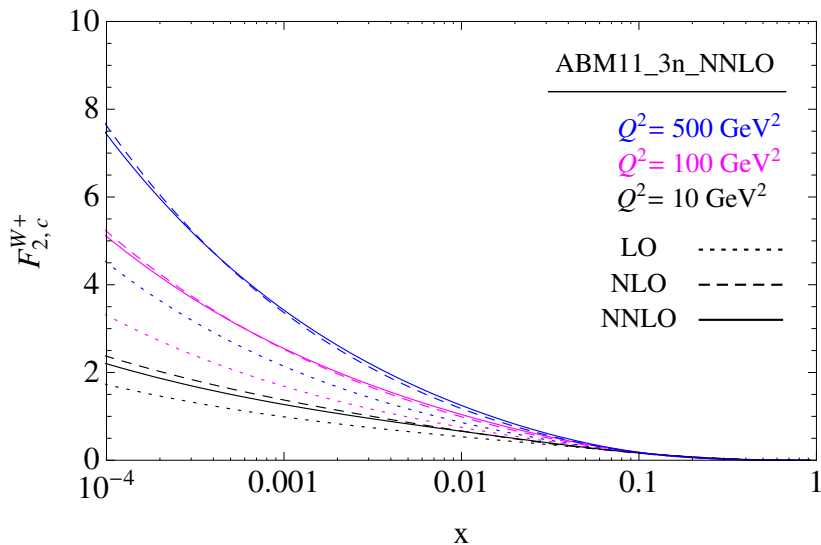
At 2-Loop order we derived the asymptotic representation using the transition to the variable flavor number scheme:

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_{2,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)} &= A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}, (2)} + C_{2,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)}(n_f + 1) - C_{2,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)}(n_f), \\
 H_{2,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)} &= A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}, (2)} + C_{2,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)}(n_f + 1), \\
 L_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}, (2)} &= C_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}, (2)}(n_f + 1) - C_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}, (2)}(n_f) = 0, \\
 H_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}, (2)} &= \frac{1}{2} A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}, (2)} + C_{2,q}^{W, \text{PS}, (2)}(n_f + 1), \\
 L_{2,g}^{W, (2)} &= A_{gg,Q}^{(1)} C_{2,g}^{W, (1)}(n_f + 1) + C_{2,g}^{W, (2)}(n_f + 1) - C_{2,g}^{W, (2)}(n_f), \\
 H_{2,g}^{W, (2)} &= A_{gg,Q}^{(1)} C_{2,g}^{W, (1)}(n_f + 1) + C_{2,g}^{W, (2)}(n_f + 1) \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \left(A_{Qg}^{(2)} + A_{Qg}^{(1)} C_{2,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}, (1)}(n_f + 1) \right), \\
 L_{3,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)} &= A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}, (2)} + C_{3,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)}(n_f + 1) - C_{3,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)}(n_f), \\
 H_{3,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)} &= A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}, (2)} + C_{3,q}^{W^+ \pm W^-, \text{NS}, (2)}(n_f + 1), \\
 H_{3,q}^{W, \text{PS}, (2)} &= -\frac{1}{2} A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}, (2)}, \\
 H_{3,g}^{W, (2)} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(-A_{Qg}^{(2)} - A_{Qg}^{(1)} C_{3,q}^{W^+ + W^-, \text{NS}, (1)}(n_f + 1) \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

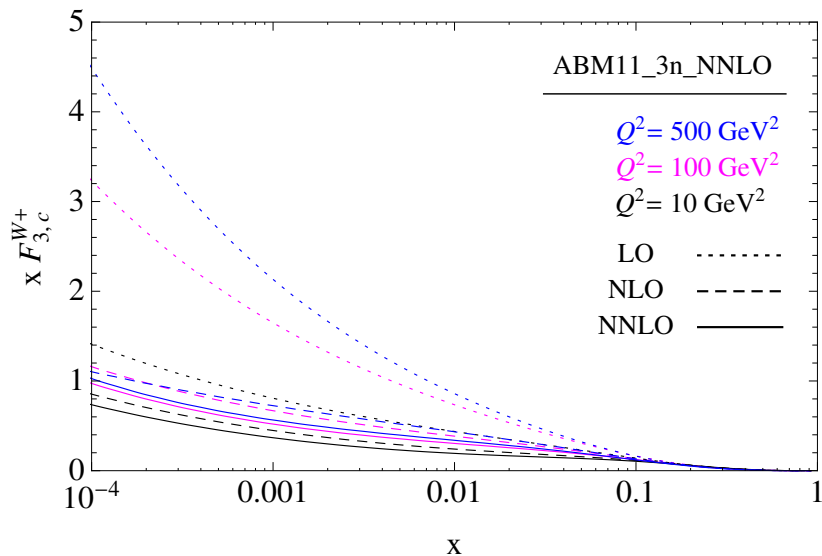
2-Loop corrections in the region $Q^2 \gg m^2$

- ▶ A previous derivation [Buza, van Neerven 1997 NPB] was corrected and completed.
- ▶ Using OMEs and massless Wilson coefficients from the literature, the massive Wilson coefficients in Mellin space and x -space have been constructed.
- ▶ The Mellin transformation implemented in HarmonicSums [J. Ablinger] was used.
- ▶ A FORTRAN implementation for the application to experimental data will be published soon. [Blümlein, Hasselhuhn, Pfoh 2013]
- ▶ The asymptotic representation is accurate since experimentally $Q^2 \gtrsim 100 \text{ GeV}^2$.

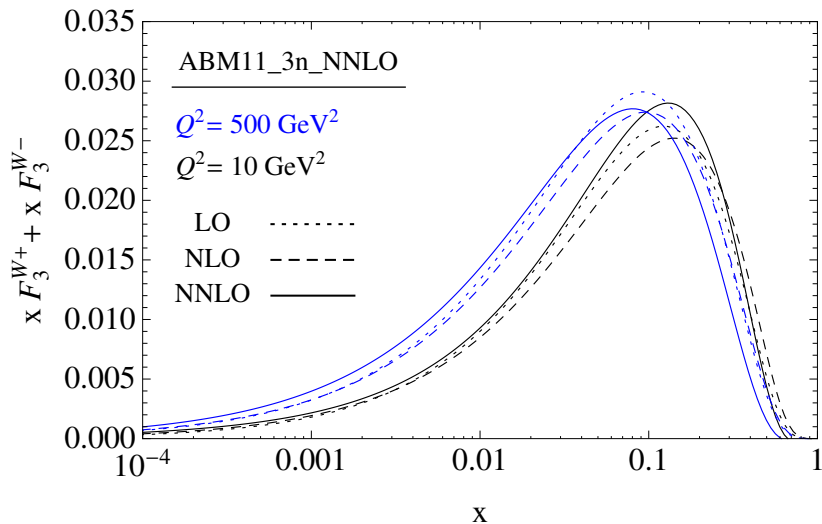
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Conclusions

- ▶ Heavy flavor contributions are needed at 3-loop order for the precise determination of α_s from DIS data.
- ▶ 6 out of 8 massive operator matrix elements have been completed recently.
- ▶ A method for the calculation of **graphs with two massive lines** of equal masses and operator insertions was presented, and applied to the corresponding contributions to $A_{gg,Q}^{(3)}$. The results and methods will be published → [Ablinger, Blümlein, Hasselhuhn, Round]
- ▶ The method can be generalized to the case of unequal masses.
- ▶ The moments for $N = 2, 4, 6$ for all graphs with two quark lines of unequal masses are now known, as well as the renormalization of these contributions.

Conclusions

- ▶ On the phenomenological side, the complete 2-loop heavy flavor contributions to charged current DIS were derived from light flavor Wilson coefficients and massive OMEs. They are implemented into a Mellin space program in FORTRAN and will be published soon
→ [Blümlein, Hasselhuhn, Pfoh 2013].
- ▶ The calculations of new 3-loop corrections can take advantage of rigorous computer algebra packages of our friends at RISC; at the same time techniques known to physicists or newly developed on practical problems lead to improvements in general purpose programs.