

Global Recoil Methods in Dipole Showers

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Parton Showers

- Bridge between hard matrix element and non-perturbative physics
- Facilitates resummation of leading logarithmic contributions
- Uses **emission kernels** to describe rate of emission for a propagating quark/gluon to emit an additional quark/gluon
- Contains **mapping** to factorise emissions within the phase space

$$d\sigma = d\sigma_{hard}(Q) \times PS(Q \rightarrow \mu) \times Had(\mu \rightarrow \Lambda) \times \dots$$

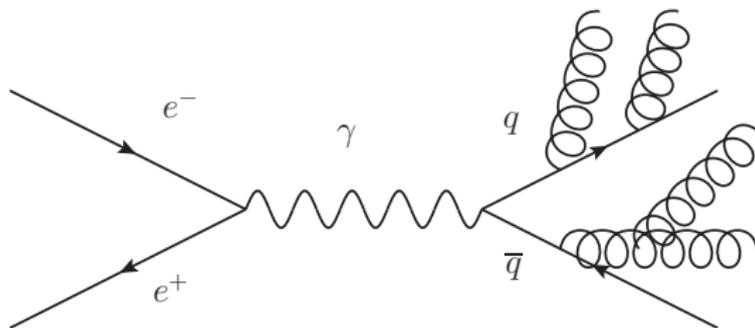


Diagram of an e^+e^- collision and possible parton shower

Recoil in parton showers

Existing methods :

- Dipole shower, recoil is absorbed locally, within dipole
- Angular shower, recoil treated globally after all emissions
- Issues at leading colour for two emissions²

New approaches:

- Improved shower algorithm, colour correlations beyond leading colour, CVolver³
- Global recoil in dipole shower framework
- Extend framework beyond one emission
- Improve simulation for non-global observables

²Dasgupta et al. 2018; Bewick et al. 2019.

³Angelis, Forshaw, and Plätzer 2020; Forshaw, Holguin, and Plätzer 2020.

Building a parton shower

■ Key components:

- Kinematic mapping
- Emission kernels/splitting functions
- Choice of evolution variable and recoil scheme

Current implementation in Herwig (dipole shower):

$$\text{Emitter} \rightarrow q_i = zp_i + y(1 - z)p_r + k_t ,$$

$$\text{Emission} \rightarrow k_1 = (1 - z)p_i + zyp_r - k_t ,$$

$$\text{Spectator} \rightarrow q_r = (1 - y)p_r ,$$

■ Develop a new mapping in order to:

- Distribute recoils globally
- Easier extension to multiple emissions

Multi-emission mapping, one emission case

Mapping with soft and collinear parameters:

$$q_i = \frac{1}{\hat{\alpha}} \Lambda \left[(1 - \alpha_{i1}) p_i + (y_i - (1 - \alpha_{i1}) \beta_{i1}) n_i - \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{i1}} \sqrt{\alpha_{i1} \beta_{i1}} n_{\perp,1}^{(i)} \right],$$
$$k_{i1} = \frac{1}{\hat{\alpha}} \Lambda \left[\alpha_{i1} p_i + (1 - \alpha_{i1}) \beta_{i1} n_i + \sqrt{1 - \alpha_{i1}} \sqrt{\alpha_{i1} \beta_{i1}} n_{\perp,1}^{(i)} \right],$$
$$q_r = \frac{1}{\hat{\alpha}} \Lambda p_r, \quad (r = (1, \dots, n), \quad r \neq i)$$

- Above case is single emitter q_i with one emission k_{i1} , in this case $\alpha_{i1} \rightarrow (1 - z)$ and $y_i = \beta_{i1}$
- Includes soft limit ($\alpha_{i1}, y_i, \beta_{i1} \rightarrow 0$) and collinear limit ($y_i, \beta_{i1} \rightarrow 0$)
- n_{\perp} represents the transverse component (k_t)
- Includes global treatment of recoil via Lorentz transformation, Λ

Action of Lorentz transformation

- Momentum conservation requires: $q_i + k_{i1} + q_r = p_i + p_r = Q$
- Use Lorentz transformation(LT) to distribute recoil
- n -vector gives backwards direction $n_i = Q - \frac{Q^2}{2p_i \cdot Q} p_i$

Can be expressed as:

$$\Lambda^{\mu}_{\nu} [Q^{\nu} + N^{\nu}] = \hat{\alpha} Q^{\mu}, \quad N = \sum_{i \in \mathbf{S}} y_i n_i$$

- For single emitter $\hat{\alpha} = \sqrt{1 + y_i}$, in collinear limit $\hat{\alpha} \rightarrow 1$
- In collinear limit Λ acts as metric

Minimally modified mapping (Minmod)

Mapping with soft and collinear parameters:

$$q_i = \kappa \Lambda z p_i,$$

$$k_{i1} = \kappa \Lambda ((1 - z) p_i + (1 - y) p_r - k_t),$$

$$q_r = \kappa \Lambda y' p_r,$$

$$q_l = \kappa \Lambda p_r \quad \forall l \in \text{event} | l \neq i, r.$$

- Includes soft limit ($z, y \rightarrow 1$) and collinear limit ($y \rightarrow 1$)
- Transverse momentum balanced via Lorentz transformation, Λ
- $y' = 1$ gives minimal version, $y' = y$ reproduces mapping from PanGlobal⁴
- Requires partitioning of splitting kernels and modification of phase space

⁴Dasgupta et al. 2020.

Minmod, Lorentz transformation

For $y' = 1$ case the total momentum before transforming is:

$$T = Q - k_t + (1 - y)p_r ,$$

where Q is total momentum.

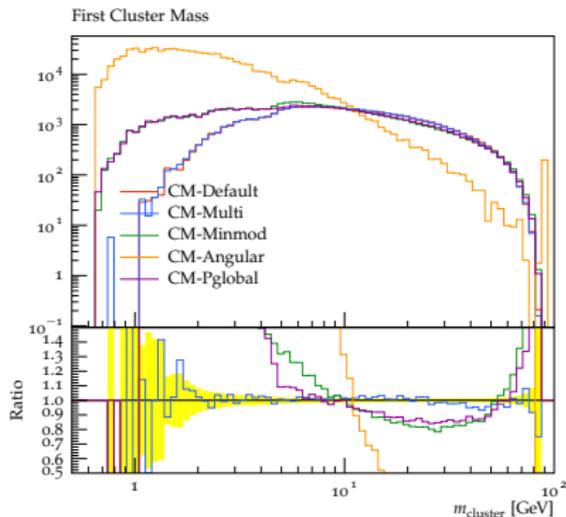
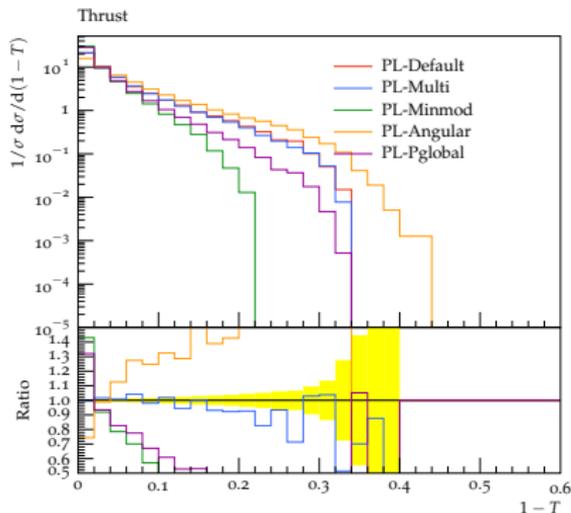
Momentum and energy conservation requires:

$$\kappa \Lambda^\mu{}_\nu T^\nu = Q^\mu , \quad \kappa = \sqrt{\frac{Q^2}{T^2}}$$

- In collinear limit Λ acts as metric and $\kappa \approx 1$
- Expression for y derived from on-shell conditions for momenta
- Transformation has the same form for $y' = y$ case, different expression for T
- Better describes anti-collinear limit for hard emission

Herwig Implementation

- Mappings inc. transform implemented in Dipole Shower
- Three mappings, Multi, Minmod ($y' = 1$ and $y' = y$)
- Parton level and cluster mass analyses
- Comparison to Herwig default dipole and angular showers



Plot of thrust and first cluster mass for 100,000 events (Preliminary plots)

Summary and WIP

Current progress:

- Global recoil treated by Lorentz transformation
- Multi mapping which is designed for multiple emissions
- Minmod recoil, balances k_t via transform, optional y'
- Phase space for mappings determined and partitioning expression

Work in progress:

- Implementation of splitting functions and phase space
- More analyses, specific non-global observables
- Steps towards two emission splitting functions and mapping in code

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