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Medium Modifications to Jet Angularities and semi-inclusive jet function

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Outline

- Jet substructure observable: Angularities
- Angularities in pp collision
- Medium modifications on jet angularities
- Groomed angularities
- Semi-inclusive jet function
- Summary and outlook

Jet Angularities

- Angularities are a class of jet substructure observables that characterize the angular and momentum distribution of partons inside a jet through a continuous free parameter a

- In e^+e^- collisions, the jet angularity is defined as

$$\tau_a^{e^+e^-} = \frac{1}{2E_J} \sum_{i \in J} |\vec{p}_T^i| e^{-|\eta_i|(1-a)} \quad \tau_a = \left(\frac{2E_J}{p_T} \right)^{2-a} \tau_a^{e^+e^-}$$

- Special cases

Thrust:

$$\tau = \frac{1}{2E_J} \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} |\vec{p}_T^i| e^{-|\eta_i|} \quad (a = 0)$$

Broadening:

$$\tau = \frac{1}{2E_J} \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} |\vec{p}_T^i| \quad (a = 1)$$

- Varying the exponent ' a ' changes the sensitivity of the observable to collinear and soft radiation in the jet.
- For $a < 1$, the observable weighs collinear radiation more strongly while for a close to 1, the effect of soft radiation to the measured value of the observable cannot be ignored.

Soft Collinear Effective Theory

- SCET describes the interactions of soft and collinear degrees of freedom

Collinear \rightarrow Inhomogeneous momenta $\rightarrow Q(1, \lambda^2, \lambda)$ $Q \rightarrow$ Hard scale

Soft \rightarrow homogeneous momenta $\rightarrow Q(\lambda, \lambda, \lambda)$ $\lambda \rightarrow$ Power counting parameter

$$\mathcal{L}(\xi_n, \xi_{\bar{n}}, A_n, A_{\bar{n}}, A_s) = \mathcal{L}_n(\xi_n, A_n) + \mathcal{L}_{\bar{n}}(\xi_{\bar{n}}, A_{\bar{n}}) + \mathcal{L}_s(A_s)$$

$$\chi_n(x) = U_n^\dagger(x) \xi_n(x) \quad \mathcal{B}_{n,\perp}^\mu(x) = \frac{1}{g} U_n^\dagger(x) i D_{n,\perp}^\mu U_n(x) \quad \text{Gauge invariant fields}$$

- Scaling with angularity exponent

$$p_n \sim Q(\lambda^2, 1, \lambda) \quad p_s \sim Q(\lambda^{2-a}, \lambda^{2-a}, \lambda^{2-a}) \quad \lambda \sim \tau_a^{\frac{1}{2-a}}$$

- For the case $a < 1$ of angularities, this soft mode always scales smaller than λ

$$p_s^2 \ll p_c^2 \Rightarrow \text{SCET}_{\perp}$$

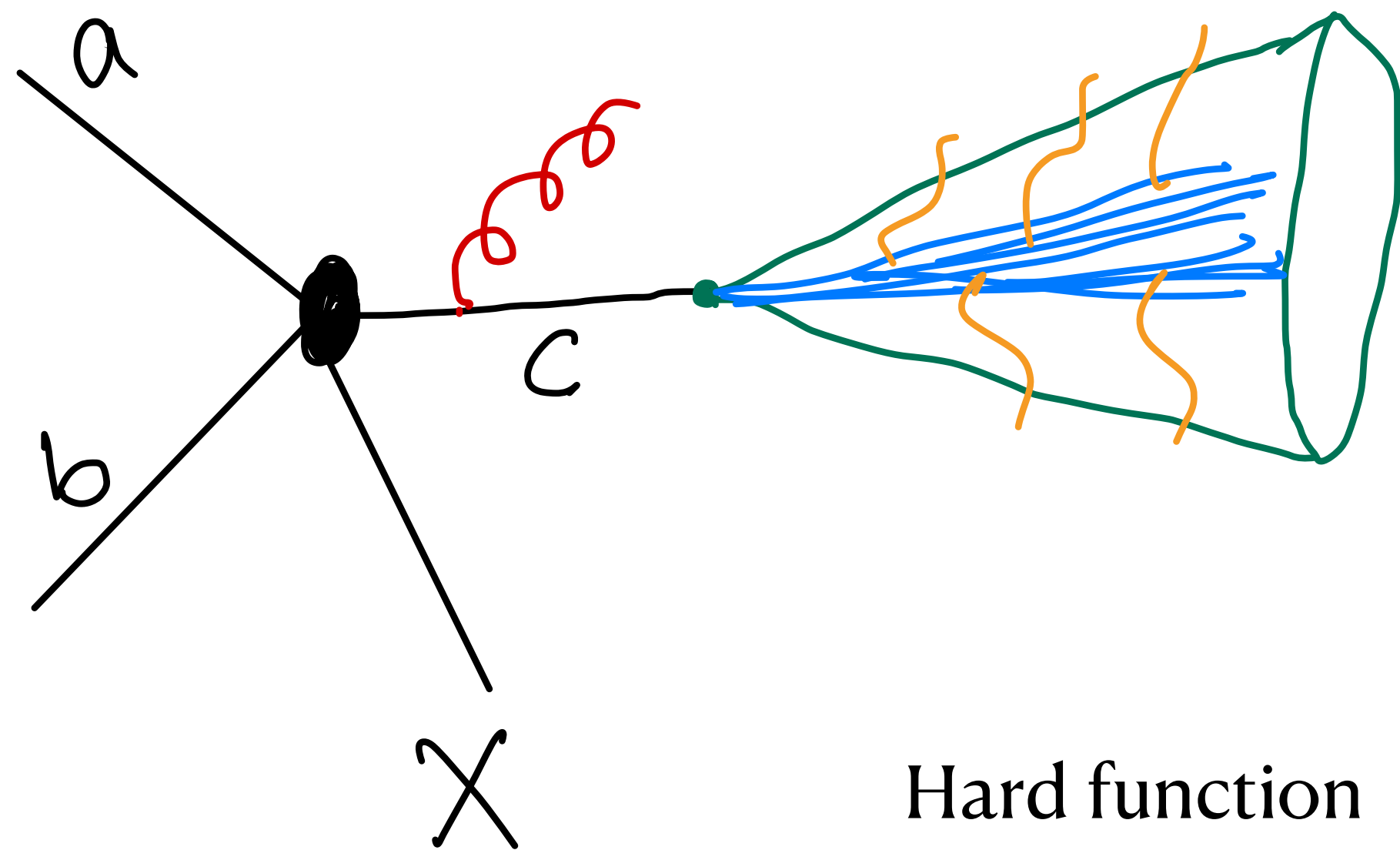
Factorization Theorem for Angularities

- For $a < 1$ angularities and $\tau_a^{2-a} \ll R$, the factorized differential distribution is

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$$\frac{d\sigma^{pp \rightarrow (\text{jet } \tau_a) X}}{d\tau_a dp_T d\eta} = \frac{2p_T}{s} \sum_{abc} \sum_i \int_{x_a^{\min}}^1 \frac{dx_a}{x_a} f_a(x_a, \mu) \int_{x_b^{\min}}^1 \frac{dx_b}{x_b} f_b(x_b, \mu) \int_{z^{\min}}^1 \frac{dz}{z^2} H_{ab}^c(x_a, x_b, \hat{s}, \hat{\eta}, p_T/z, \mu) \mathcal{H}_{c \rightarrow i}(z, p_T R, \mu) J(\tau_a^c, p_T, \mu) \otimes S(\tau_a^s, p_T, R, \mu)$$

$$x_a^{\min} = W \quad x_b^{\min} = \frac{1-V}{1-VW/x_a} \quad z^{\min} = \frac{1-V}{x_b} + \frac{VW}{x_a}$$



Step 1: Factorized jet production

$$f_a \otimes f_b \otimes H_{ab}^c \otimes \mathcal{H}_c(z, \tau_a, R)$$

Step 2: $\tau_a^{1/2-a} \ll R$

Hard function \rightarrow Observable independent

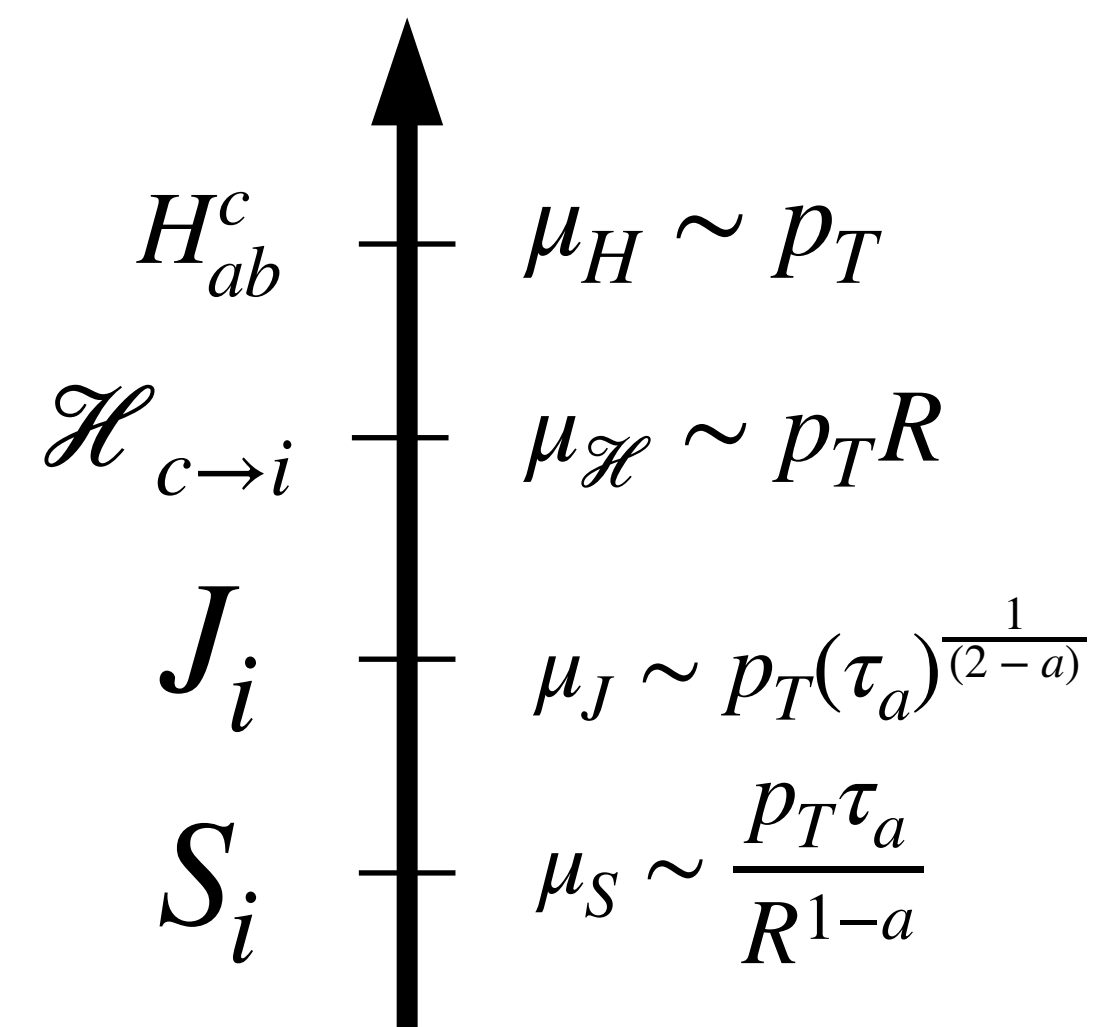
$$\mathcal{H}_c(z, \tau_a, R) = \mathcal{H}_{c \rightarrow i}(z) \otimes J(\tau_a^c) \otimes S(\tau_a^s)$$

Hard function

• For H_{ab}^c : we compute all processes up-to next-to-leading-order.

• $\mathcal{H}_{c \rightarrow i}$ satisfies a DGLAP-type evolution equation

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \mathcal{H}_{c \rightarrow i}(z, p_T R, \mu) = \sum_k \int_z^1 \frac{dz'}{z'} \gamma_{ck} \left(\frac{z}{z'}, p_T R, \mu \right) \mathcal{H}_{k \rightarrow i}(z', p_T R, \mu)$$



For $c=q$:

H_{ab}^c :

- $qq \rightarrow qX$
- $q\bar{q} \rightarrow q/\bar{q}X$
- $qg \rightarrow q/\bar{q}X$
- $gg \rightarrow qX$

For $c=g$

H_{ab}^c :

- $gg \rightarrow gX$
- $qg \rightarrow gX$
- $q\bar{q} \rightarrow gX$
- $qq \rightarrow gX$

Hard matching function encodes radiation at virtuality $p_T R$.

Angularity jet function

- Jet function is related to spin averaged QCD splitting function with appropriate phase factors

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$$J_i(\dots) = \left(\frac{\mu^2 e^{\gamma_E}}{4\pi} \right)^\epsilon 2g_s^2 \sum_{i^1 i^2 \dots i^n} \int \prod_{n=1}^m \frac{d^d k_n}{(2\pi)^{d-1}} P_{i \rightarrow i^1 i^2 \dots i^n} \delta(\dots) \delta(k_n^2)$$



$$\hat{\tau} = \left(\frac{2E_j}{p_T} \right)^{2-a} \frac{1}{2E_j} \left(|\vec{k}_T| e^{-|m|(1-a)} + |\vec{q}_T| e^{-|m|(1-a)} \right)$$

- Measurement function is angularity

$$\delta(\tau_a - \hat{\tau}_a) \quad \hat{\tau}_a = p_T^{a-2} k_\perp^{2-a} (x^{a-1} + (1-x)^{a-1})$$

$$P_{i \rightarrow jk}(x, k_\perp) = \frac{1}{k_\perp^2} P_{i \rightarrow jk}(x) \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{Vacuum splitting functions}$$

- Vacuum jet function

$$J(\tau_a, p_T, \mu) = \delta(\tau_a) + \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi (2-a)} \left(\delta(\tau_a) f_1 + \left[\frac{1}{\tau_a} \right]_+ f_2 + \left[\frac{\ln \tau_a}{\tau_a} \right]_+ f_3 \right)$$

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Angular soft function

- RGE for vacuum jet function

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} J_i^{\text{vac}}(\tau_a, p_T, R, \mu) = \int d\tau'_a \gamma_{J_i}(\tau_a - \tau'_a, p_T, R, \mu) J_i^{\text{vac}}(\tau'_a, p_T, R, \mu)$$

- Jet algorithm function

$$\Theta_{\text{alg}} \equiv \Theta\left(\omega x(1-x) \tan \frac{R}{2} - k_{\perp}\right)$$

$$\gamma_{J_i} = \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \left[\delta(\tau_a) \left(2b_i + \frac{(2-a)}{(1-a)} \ln\left(\frac{\mu^2}{p_T^2}\right) C_i \right) - \frac{2}{(1-a)} C_i \left[\frac{1}{\tau_a} \right]_+ \right]$$

- Soft function $S_g(\dots) = \frac{1}{N^2 - 1} \langle 0 | \bar{Y}_n \delta(\dots) Y_{\bar{n}} | X \rangle \langle X | \bar{Y}_{\bar{n}} Y_n | 0 \rangle$ 1001,0014

- RGE for soft function

$$\gamma_{S_i} = \frac{2\alpha_s(\mu) C_i}{\pi(1-a)} \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{\tau_a} \right]_+ - \ln\left(\frac{\mu R^{1-a}}{p_T}\right) \delta(\tau_a) \right\}$$

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} S_i^{\text{vac}}(\tau_a, p_T, R, \mu) = \int d\tau'_a \gamma_{S_i}(\tau_a - \tau'_a, p_T, R, \mu) S_i^{\text{vac}}(\tau'_a, p_T, R, \mu)$$

Non-perturbative effects via Shape function

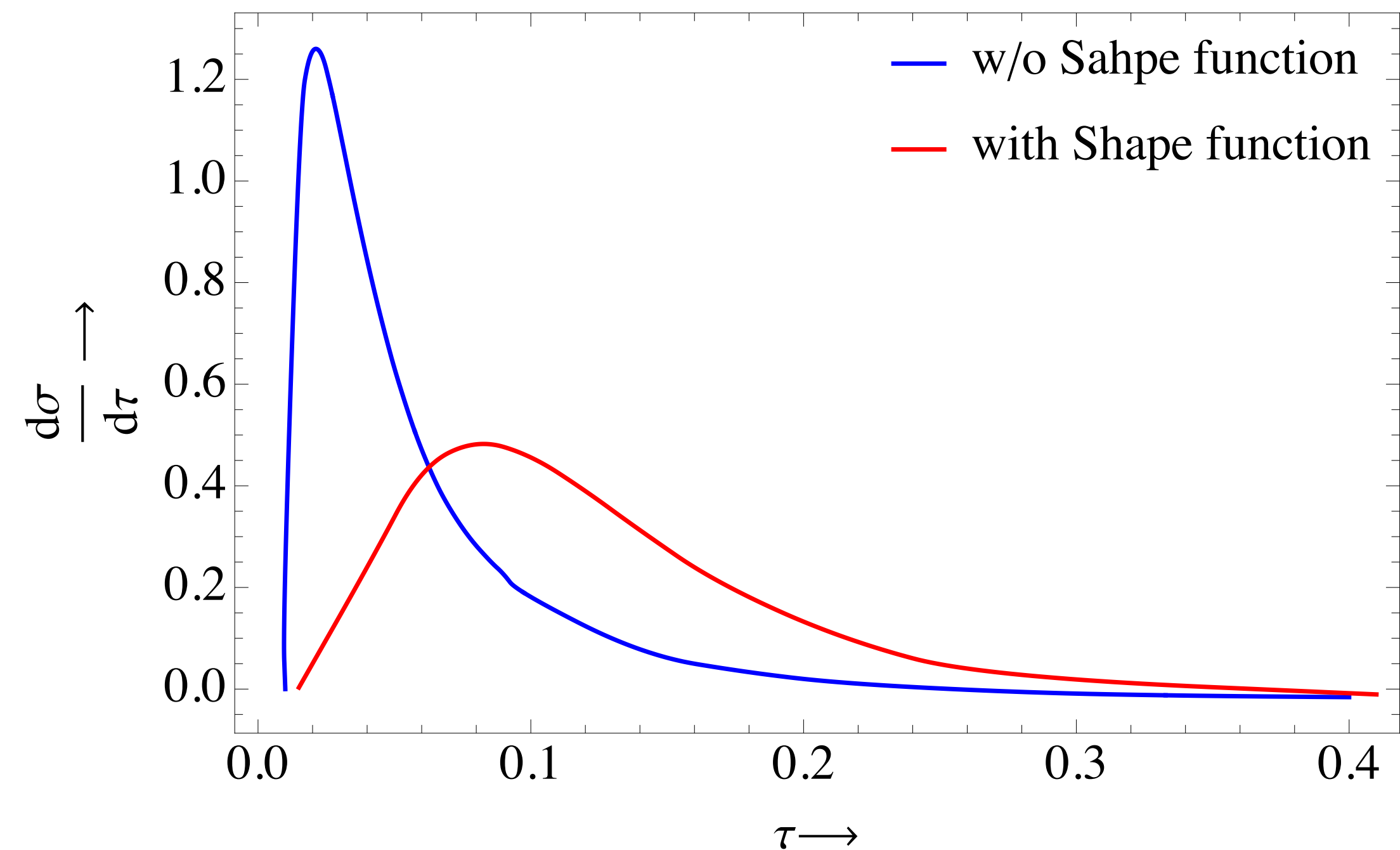
- As $\mu_S \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$, non-perturbative effects become relevant \rightarrow incorporate through a shape function

$$S_{NP}(k) = \frac{4k}{\Omega_a^2} \exp(-2k/\Omega_a) \quad \text{with} \quad \Omega_a = \frac{\Omega_0}{1-a} \quad \Omega_0 \sim 1 \text{ GeV}$$

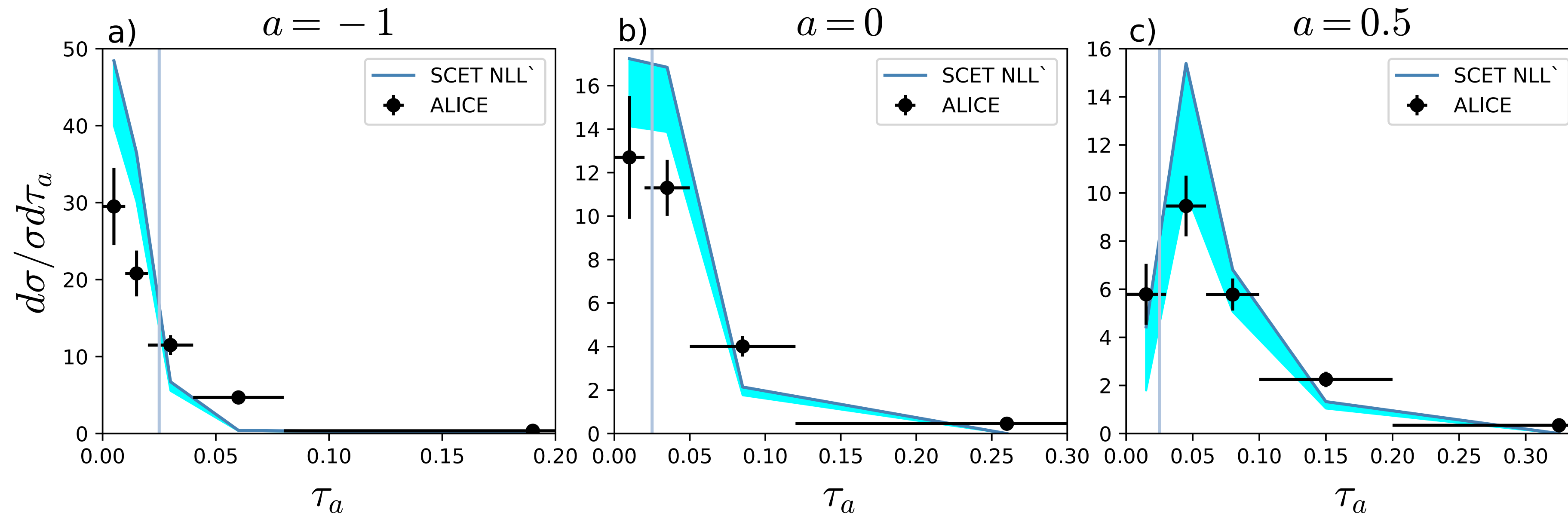
- Ω_0 can be universally obtained by a global fit
- The final angularity cross-section is then

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T d\tau} = \int \frac{d\sigma^{\text{pert}}}{dp_T d\tau} (\tau - \tau_{\text{shift}}(k)) S_{NP}(k) dk$$

$$\tau_{\text{shift}}(k) = \frac{k}{p_T R}$$



Resummed Distributions for pp-collisions



- Bands are obtained by varying μ from $p_T - 2p_T$

$$R = 0.4 \quad 80 < p_T < 100 \quad \Omega_0 = 0.35 \text{ GeV}$$

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Soft Collinear Effective Theory with Glaubers

- Glaubers are off-shell modes
- Scaling of the Glaubers depends on the source that emits these modes

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_G &\sim Q(\tilde{\lambda}^2, \tilde{\lambda}^2, \tilde{\lambda}) & p_S &\sim Q(1, 1, \tilde{\lambda}) & p_S &\sim Q(\tilde{\lambda}^2, 1, \tilde{\lambda}) & \tilde{\lambda} &\sim \frac{T}{Q} \\
 p_G &\sim Q(\tilde{\lambda}, \tilde{\lambda}^2, \tilde{\lambda}) & p_S &\sim Q(\tilde{\lambda}, \tilde{\lambda}, \tilde{\lambda})
 \end{aligned}$$

- Glauber Lagrangian in addition to SCET Lagrangian

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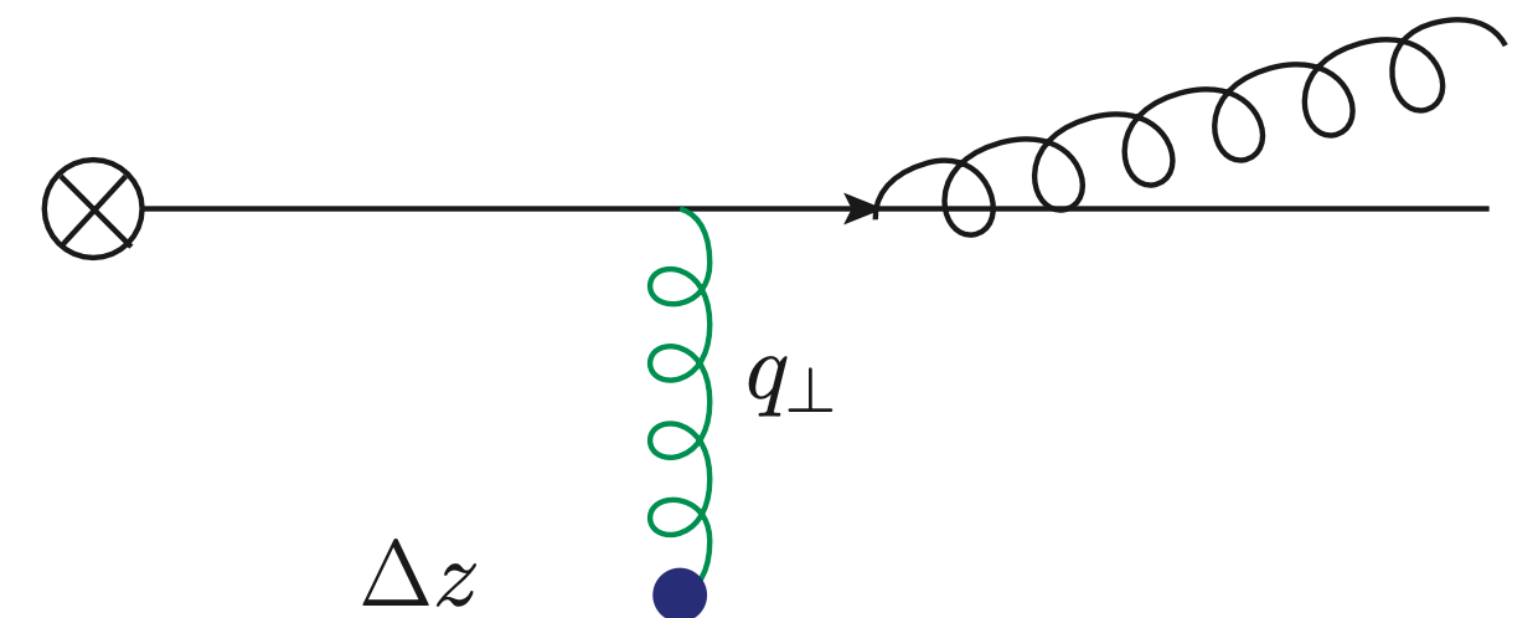
$$\mathcal{L}_G(\chi_n, \mathcal{B}_n, \eta) = \sum_{q,p,p'} e^{-i(q+p-p') \cdot x} \left(\frac{1}{2} \bar{\chi}_{n,p'} \Gamma^{\nu,a} \gamma_{\mu} \bar{n}^{\mu} \chi_{n,p} - i \Gamma_{ggG}^{\nu\mu\lambda,abc} (\mathcal{B}_{n,p'}^c)_{\lambda} (\mathcal{B}_{n,p}^b)_{\nu} \right) \bar{\eta} \Gamma_s^{\delta,a} \eta \Delta_{\nu\delta}(q)$$

- To see the LPM effect, we require minimum two scattering sources. To leading order, in the small x-limit

$$x \frac{dN_{q \rightarrow qg}}{dx d^2k_{\perp}} = \tilde{\alpha} \int_0^{\bar{L}} \frac{d\Delta z}{\lambda} d^2q_{\perp} \frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{d^2q_{\perp}} \frac{2k_{\perp} \cdot q_{\perp}}{k_{\perp}^2 (q_{\perp} - k_{\perp})^2} \left[1 - \cos \left(\frac{(q_{\perp} - k_{\perp})^2 \Delta z}{x\omega} \right) \right]$$

with

$$\tau_f = \frac{x\omega}{(q_{\perp} - k_{\perp})^2}$$



Medium modified jet function

- Medium modification to the jet function are incorporated via splitting functions

$$J_i^{\text{med}}(\tau_a, p_T, \mu) = \int d\Phi_2^c \sigma_2^c \delta(\tau_a - p_T^{2-a} \{x^{a-1} k_\perp^{2-a} + (1-x)^{a-1} q_\perp^{2-a}\})$$

$$d\Phi_2^c = 2(2\pi)^{3-2\epsilon} (2E_J) \int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^{d-1}} \delta(k^2) \theta(k^0) \int \frac{d^d q}{(2\pi)^{d-1}} \delta(q^2) \theta(q^0) \delta(2E_J - k^+ - q^+) \delta^{d-2}(k_\perp + q_\perp)$$

- No new divergence in $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$ limit

$$\sigma_2^c = \sum_{j,k} \left(\frac{\mu^2 e^{\gamma_E}}{4\pi} \right)^\epsilon 2g_s^2 P_{i \rightarrow jk}^{\text{med}}(x, k_\perp)$$

- Explicit divergence in $a \rightarrow 2$ limit

$$J_i^{\text{med}}(\tau_a, p_T, \mu) = \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \frac{1}{2-a} \frac{\mu^{2\epsilon} e^{\epsilon\gamma_E}}{\Gamma(1-\epsilon)} \frac{1}{\tau_a^{\frac{2\epsilon-a}{2-a}}} \sum_{j,k} \int dx (x^{a-1} + (1-x)^{a-1})^{\frac{2\epsilon-2}{2-a}} P_{i \rightarrow jk}^{\text{med}} \left(x, \frac{p_T \tau_a^{\frac{1}{2-a}}}{(x^{a-1} + (1-x)^{a-1})^{\frac{1}{2-a}}} \right)$$

Medium modifications

- Total jet function

$$J_i(\tau_a, p_T, R, \mu) = J_i^{med}(\tau_a, p_T, R, \mu) + J_i^{vac}(\tau_a, p_T, R, \mu)$$

- Jet energy loss

$$\epsilon_g = 2\pi \left(\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} dx x + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 dx (1-x) \right) \int_{2p_T x(1-x)\tan \frac{R}{2}}^{2p_T x(1-x)\tan \frac{R_0}{2}} dk_{\perp} k_{\perp} \left[P_{g \rightarrow gg}^{med}(x, k_{\perp}) + 2N_f P_{g \rightarrow q\bar{q}}^{med}(x, k_{\perp}) \right]$$

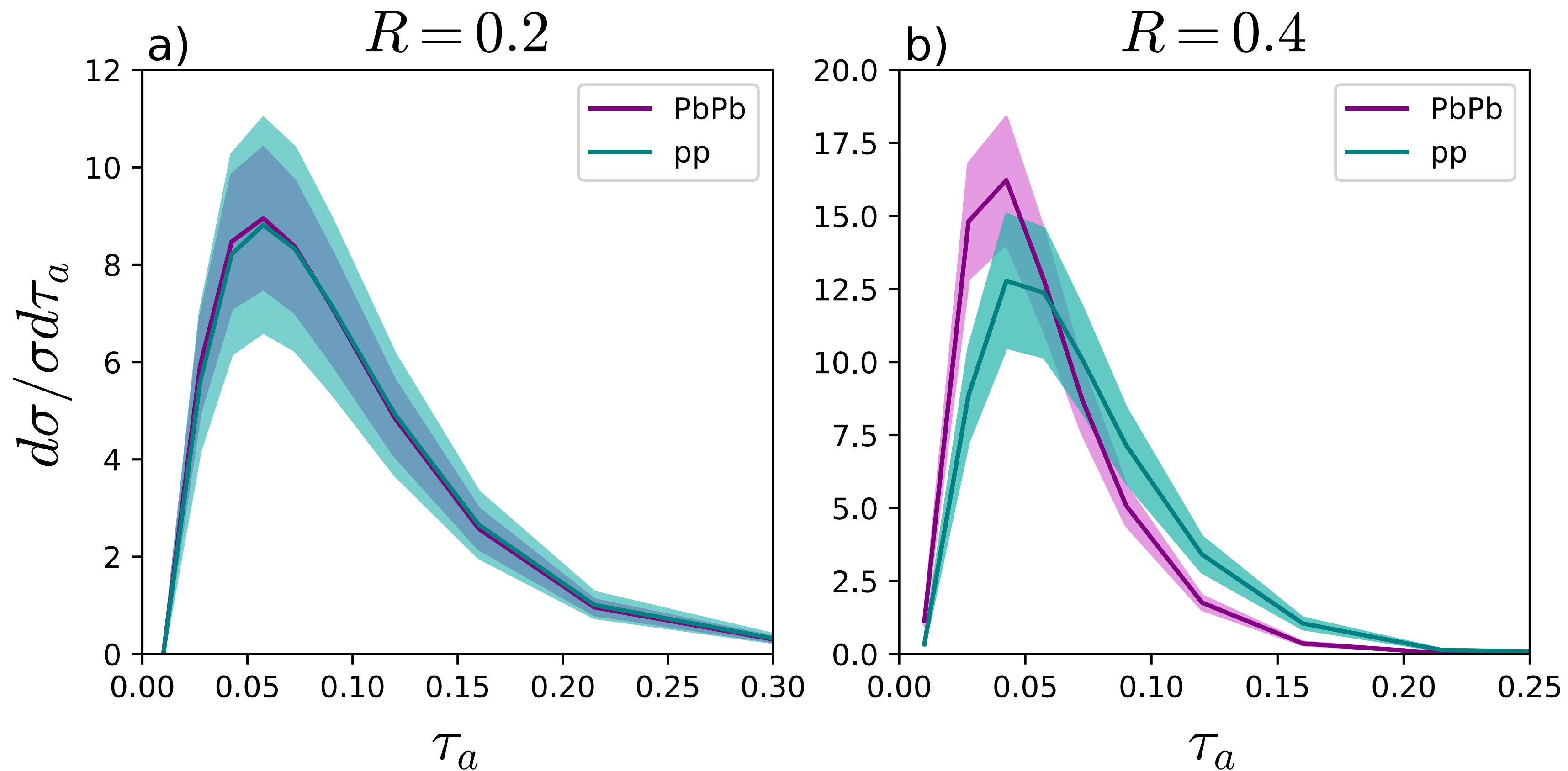
- Medium parameters are averaged quantities

$$L(b) = \frac{\int d^2r l(b, r, \theta) P(b, r, \theta)}{\int d^2r P(b, r, \theta)}$$

Parameter	0 – 10 %	10 – 30 %
b (fm)	3.34	7.01
L (fm)	4.96 ± 1.22	3.56 ± 0.99
T_0 (MeV)	456	437
T (MeV)	308 ± 84	248 ± 128

Results

- pp vs AA distributions

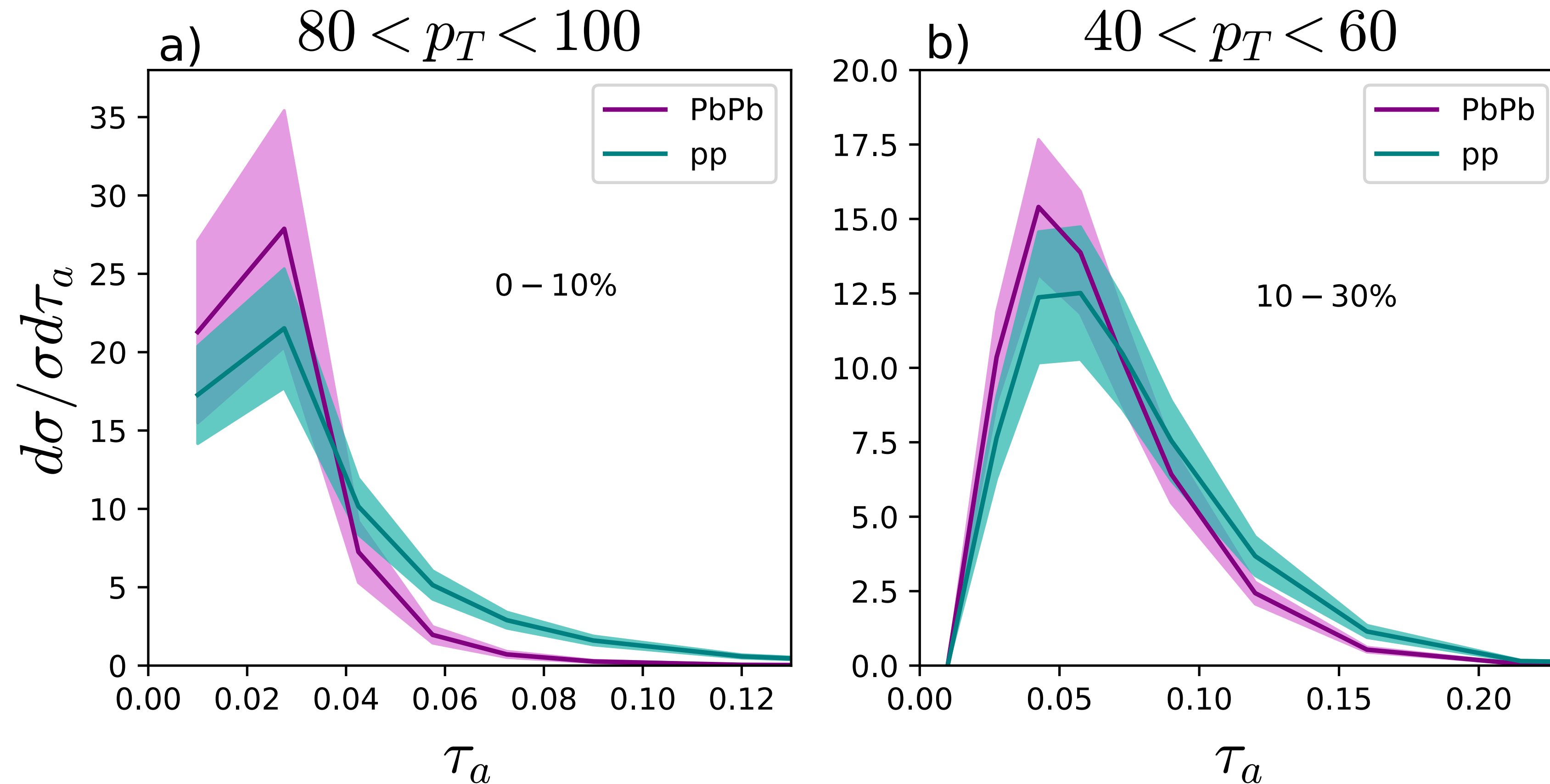


Normalised differential distributions in PbPb (central) and pp for $a = 0$, jet parameters $40 < p_T < 60$ and (a) $R = 0.2$, (b) $R = 0.4$.

The theoretical error bands correspond to variation in μ from p_T to $2p_T$.

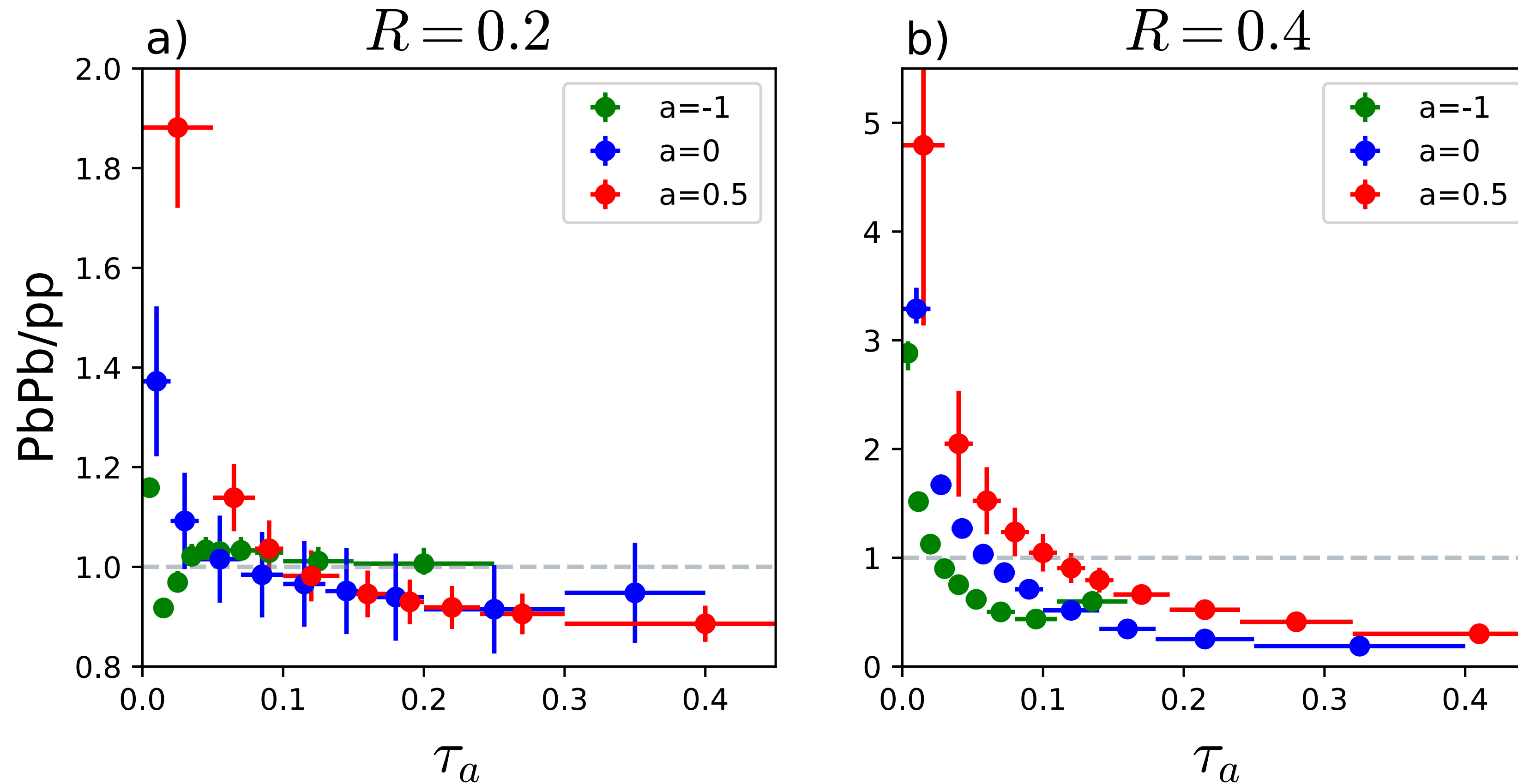
Results

- pp vs AA distributions



Normalised angularity distributions for $a = 0$ with (a) $80 < p_T < 100$, 0 – 10 % centrality and (b) $40 < p_T < 60$, 10 – 30 % centrality, for a jet with $R = 0.4$

Results



- For both the figures $40 < p_T < 60$ and centrality is 0-10%.
- Initial state energy loss is not included

Groomed angularities

- Less sensitive to soft radiation
- Factorization

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$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\eta dp_T d\tau_a} = \sum_{ijk} \int \frac{dx_i}{x_i} f_i(x_i, \mu) \int \frac{dx_j}{x_j} f_j(x_j, \mu) \int \frac{dz}{z} H_{ijk}(x_i, x_j, \eta, p_T/z, \mu) G_k(z, \tau_a, p_T R, z_{\text{cut}}, \beta, \mu)$$

$$G_i(z, \tau_a, p_T R, z_{\text{cut}}, \beta, \mu) = J_i(z, p_T R, \mu) \delta(\tau_a) + \delta(1 - z) \Delta G_i(z, \tau_a, p_T R, z_{\text{cut}}, \beta, \alpha_s(\mu))$$

- Measurement function

$$\Delta G_i(z, \tau_a, p_T R, z_{\text{cut}}, \beta, \alpha_s(\mu)) = \int d\Phi_2 \sigma_{2,i}^c \Theta\left(\omega x(1-x) \tan \frac{R}{2} - k_{\perp}\right) \left[\theta_1 \delta\left(\tau_a - p_T^{a-2} k_{\perp}^{2-a} (x^{a-1} + (1-x)^{a-1})\right) + \dots \right]$$

$$\theta_1 = \Theta\left(x > z_{\text{cut}} \left(\frac{\Delta R}{R}\right)^{\beta}\right) \Theta\left(1-x > z_{\text{cut}} \left(\frac{\Delta R}{R}\right)^{\beta}\right)$$

Semi-inclusive jet function

- Scales in the problem

Medium
 $T \sim (0.5-1) \text{ GeV}$

p_T	\rightarrow	Jet energy	$\lambda \sim R$	$P_c \sim p_T(1, \lambda^2, \lambda)$
$p_T R$	\rightarrow	Jet Virtuality	$\tilde{\lambda} \sim \frac{T}{Q}$	$P_M \sim (T, T, T)$
Λ_{QCD}	\rightarrow	Non-perturbative		

$\underbrace{p_T R}$
 Perturbative

- For a virtual photon probing the nuclear medium

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2P \cdot q} \quad x_{HIC} \sim \frac{(p_T R)^2}{2p_T T}$$

- Two regimes for x

Glauber $P_c \sim p_T(\lambda, \lambda^2, \lambda)$	{	$x \ll 1$	$x \sim 1$	}	SCET ₁
		$T \gg p_T R^2$	$T \sim p_T R^2$		
		$P_M \sim p_T(\tilde{\lambda}, \tilde{\lambda}, \tilde{\lambda})$	$P_M \sim p_T(R^2, R^2, R^2)$		
		$\lambda \sim \tilde{\lambda}$			

Factorization

- SCET1 subleading operators

$$\mathcal{L}^{(1)} = g\bar{\chi}_n \mathcal{B}_{us(n)} \cdot P_\perp \frac{\bar{n}}{\bar{\mathcal{P}}} \chi_n - 2g \left[P_\perp^\mu \mathcal{B}_n^\perp \right] \left[\mathcal{B}_{n\nu}^\perp, \mathcal{B}_{us\mu}^\perp \right] \quad \mathcal{L}^{(2)} = \bar{\chi}_n \left(t^a \gamma_\perp^\mu \frac{1}{\bar{P}} t^b \gamma_\perp^\nu \right) \frac{\bar{n}}{2} \chi_n \mathcal{B}_{us(n)}^{a\mu} \mathcal{B}_{us(n)}^{b\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_{us}^\mu = \left[\frac{1}{in \cdot \partial_{us}} in_\nu G_{us}^{b\nu\mu} \mathcal{Y}_n^b \right]$$

At leading order contribution comes from Wilson lines.

- Cross-section

$$\Sigma = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \text{Tr}[e^{iHt} \rho(0) e^{-iHt} \mathcal{M}] \quad \rho(0) = |e^+ e^-\rangle \langle e^+ e^-| \otimes \rho_M(0)$$

- Total Hamiltonian

$$H = H_n + H_{us} + H_{int} \theta(\tau - t) + CL_\mu J^\mu$$

$$H_{SCET} = H_n + H_{us} + H_{int}$$

$$\Sigma = C^2 L_{\mu\nu} \int d\omega^- H_{e^+e^- \rightarrow q}^{\mu\nu} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int d^4s d^4r e^{-i\omega r} \text{Tr} \left[e^{-iH_{HSET}t} (\bar{\chi}_{n,I} Y_n^\dagger)(0,s) \rho_M(0) \frac{\not{r}}{2} (Y_n \chi_{n,I})(r+s) e^{iH_{HSET}t} \theta_{alg} \right]$$

Factorization

- Factorization at $\mathcal{O}(H_{int}^0)$ reproduces the vacuum one

$$\Sigma = V C^2 L_{\mu\nu} \int d\omega^- H_{e^+e^- \rightarrow q}^{\mu\nu} \int dr^+ \int d^2 r_{\perp} e^{-i\omega^- r^+} \text{Tr} \left[\bar{\chi}_{n,I}(0) \frac{\vec{\gamma}}{2} \chi_{n,I}(r^+, r^{\perp}) \theta_{alg} \right]$$

- Factorization at $\mathcal{O}(H_{int}^2)$

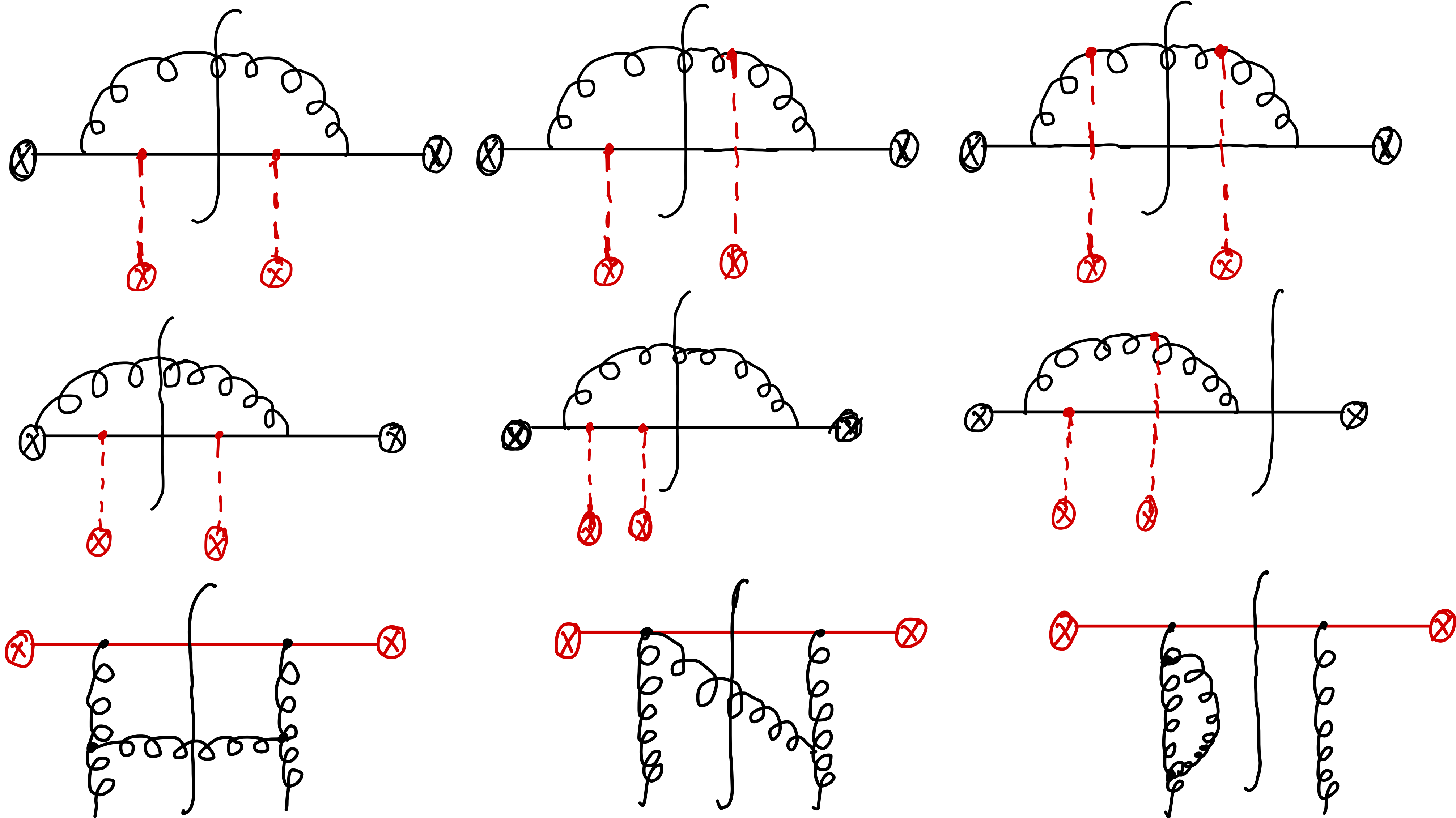
$$\Sigma_R^2 = V C^2 L_{\mu\nu} \int d\omega^- H_{e^+e^- \rightarrow q}^{\mu\nu} \int dr^+ \int d^2 r_{\perp} e^{-i\omega^- r^+} \int d^4 u d^4 v J_{\mu\nu}^{(2)}(u, v) U^{\mu\nu}(u, v)$$

$$U_{\mu\nu}(u, v) = \langle X_s | T \left[e^{-i \int dt_l H_{us}^{int}(t_l)} g \mathcal{B}_{us(n),I}^{\perp,\mu}(u^- + v^-, v^+, v^{\perp}) \right] \rho_M(0) \bar{T} \left[e^{-i \int dt_r H_{us}^{int}(t_r)} g \mathcal{B}_{us(n),I}^{\perp,\nu}(u^- - v^-, v^+, v^{\perp}) \right] | X_s \rangle$$

$$J_R^{(2)}(u, v) = \text{Tr} \left[T \left\{ \left(\bar{\chi}_n P_{\mu\perp} \frac{\vec{\gamma}}{\bar{P}} \chi_n \right) (v - u) \bar{\chi}_n(s) \right\} \frac{\vec{\gamma}}{2} \bar{T} \left\{ \left(\bar{\chi}_n P_{\nu\perp} \frac{\vec{\gamma}}{\bar{P}} \chi_n \right) (v + u) \chi_n(r^+ + s^+, s^-, s^{\perp} + r^{\perp}) \theta_{alg} \right\} \right]$$

Order by order factorization

Diagrams



Summary and outlook

- Jet angularities allow to study a class of substructure observables with sensitivity to collinear emissions controlled by a continuous parameter, a .
- Jet-medium interactions modelled through off-shell Glauber gluons generated by color gauge fields of the medium.
- For $a < 1$, all medium modifications consistently incorporated in the medium modified jet function through the medium splittings.
- For a cleaner understanding of medium effects on the jet core, one needs to look at groomed angularities \rightarrow less sensitive to hadronization and jet selection effects