

# Anisotropic jet broadening and jet shape

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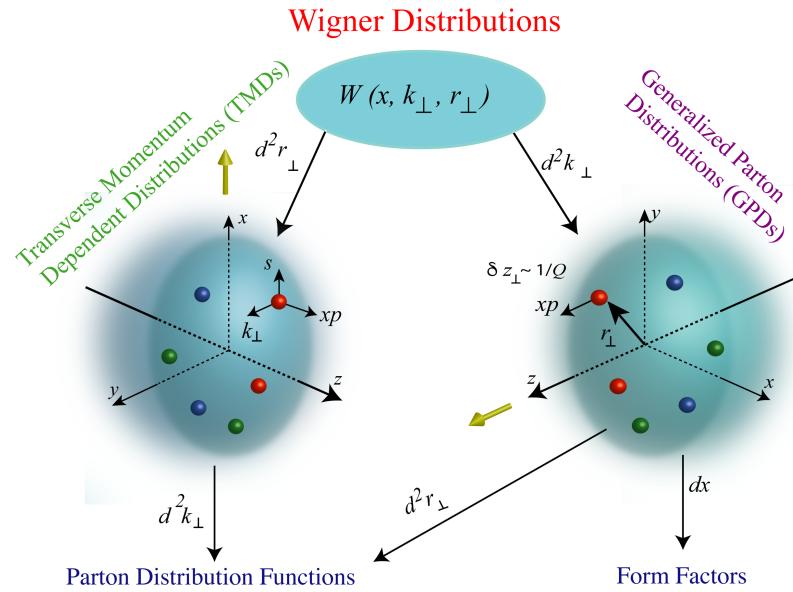
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# *Background*

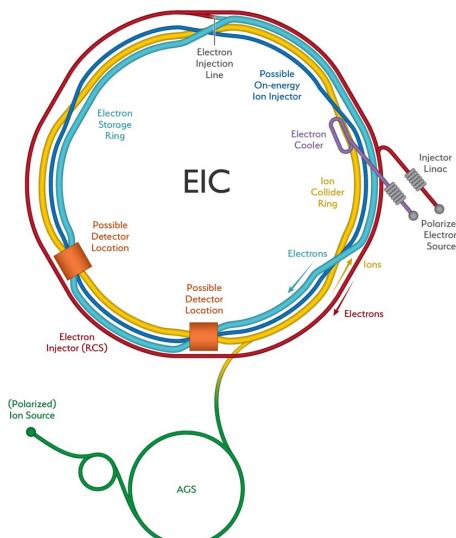
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# Imaging hadronic structure and nuclear matter

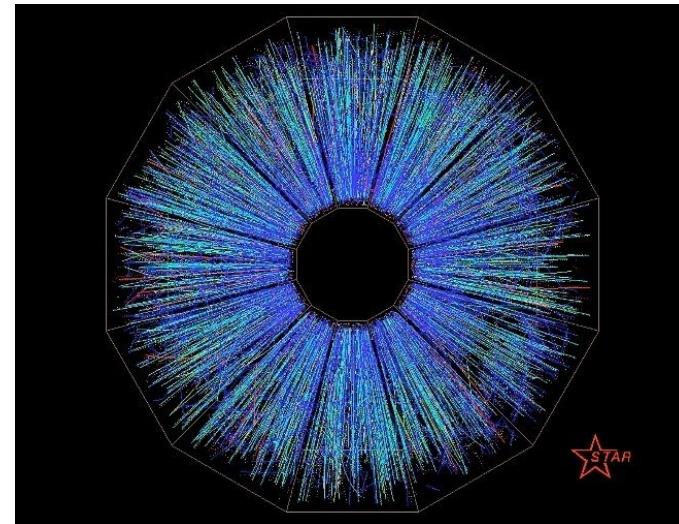
## DIS experiments for hadron tomography



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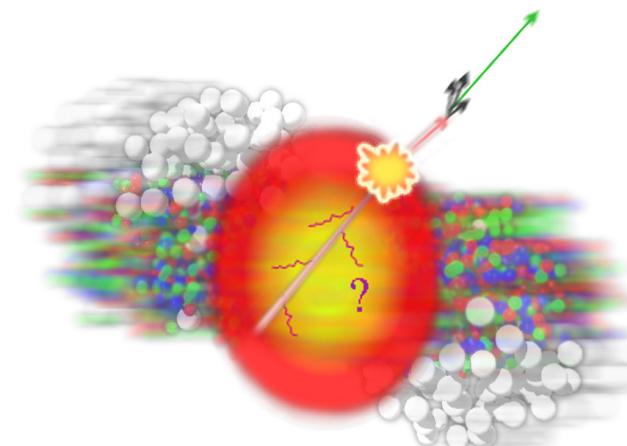


## Heavy Ion experiments for QCD medium



$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SCET}_G}(\xi_n, A_n, A_G) = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SCET}}(\xi_n, A_n) + \mathcal{L}_G(\xi_n, A_n, A_G),$$

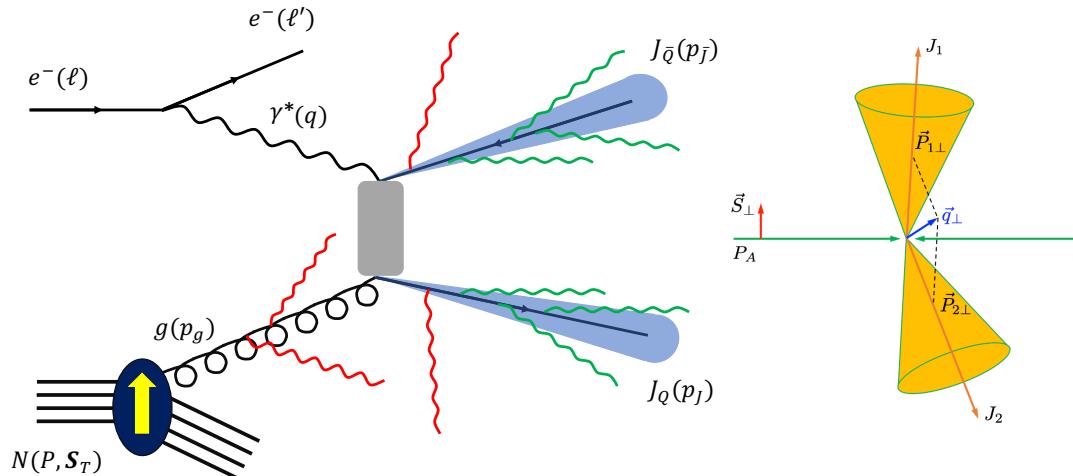
$$\mathcal{L}_G(\xi_n, A_n, A_G) = \sum_{p,p'} e^{-i(p-p')x} \left( \bar{\xi}_{n,p'} \Gamma_{q\bar{q}A_G}^{\mu,a} \frac{\not{p}}{2} \xi_{n,p} - i \Gamma_{ggA_G}^{\mu\nu\lambda,abc} (A_{n,p'}^c)_\lambda (A_{n,p}^b)_\nu \right) A_{G\mu,a}(x)$$



# How and why are jets useful?

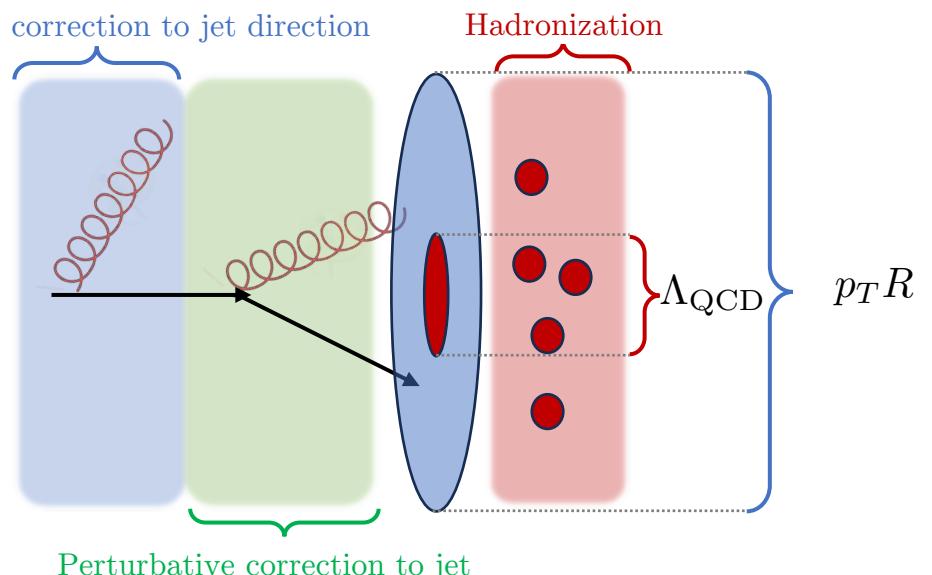
Jets act as a clean proxy for the direction of the parent parton

Di-jet decorrelations in ep



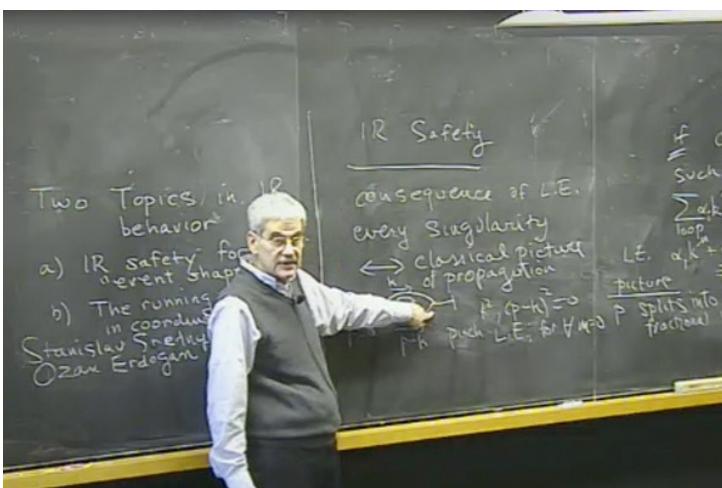
Anatomy of a jet

Perturbative correction to jet direction

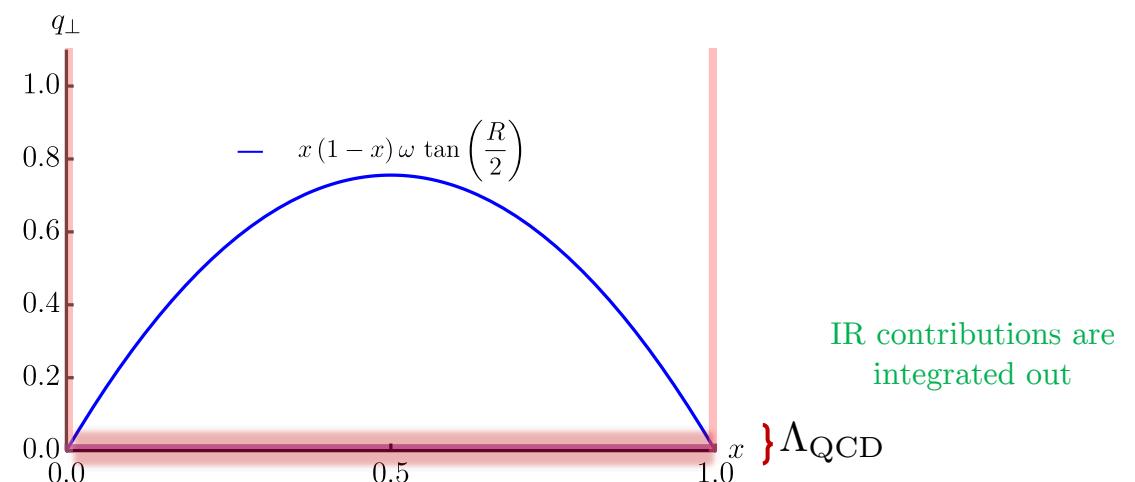


Hadronization effects do not affect the direction of the jet in the limit that

Sterman Weinberg 1977

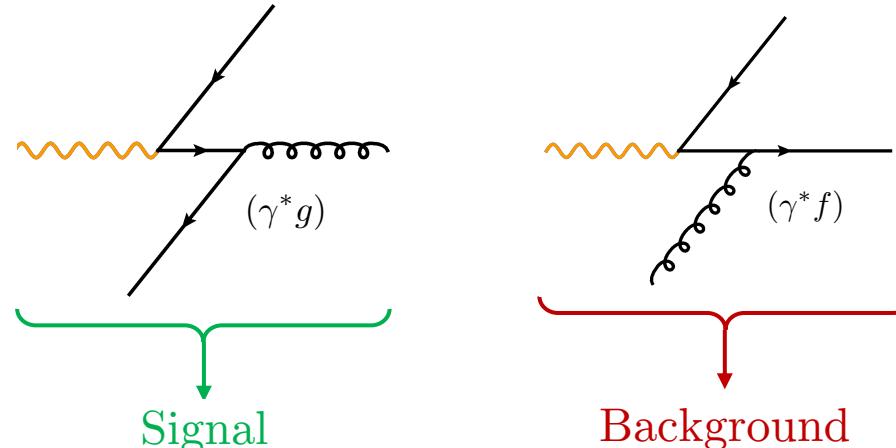
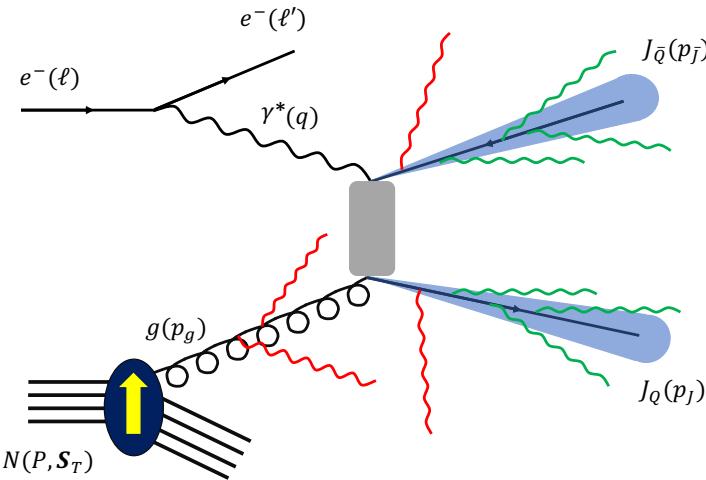


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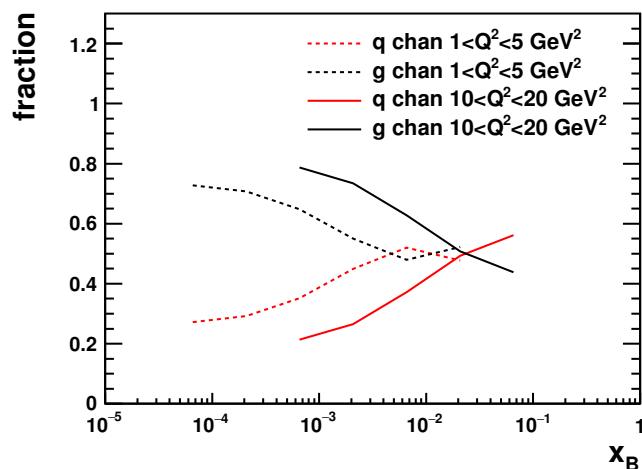


# Limitations of jets

Often physical processes contain background effects, jets are limited in their ability to limit this



We can reduce the background kinematically, but this is not ideal



Castillo, Echevarria, Makris, Scimemi 2021

Kang, Reiten, Shao, Terry 2021

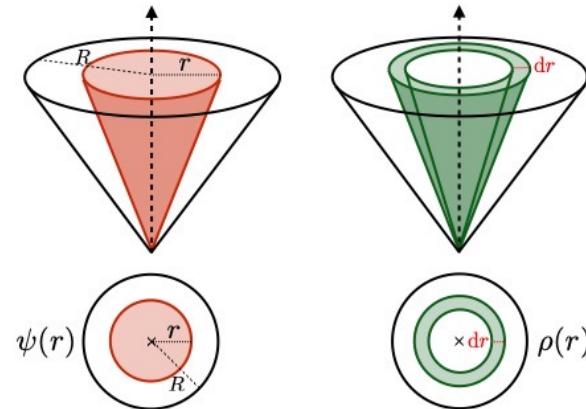
Zheng, Aschenauer, et al 2018

Accessing the gluon distributions  
at moderate to large  $x$  becomes  
difficult

# Jet substructure observables

*The pattern of radiation is correlated with the quantum numbers of the parent parton*

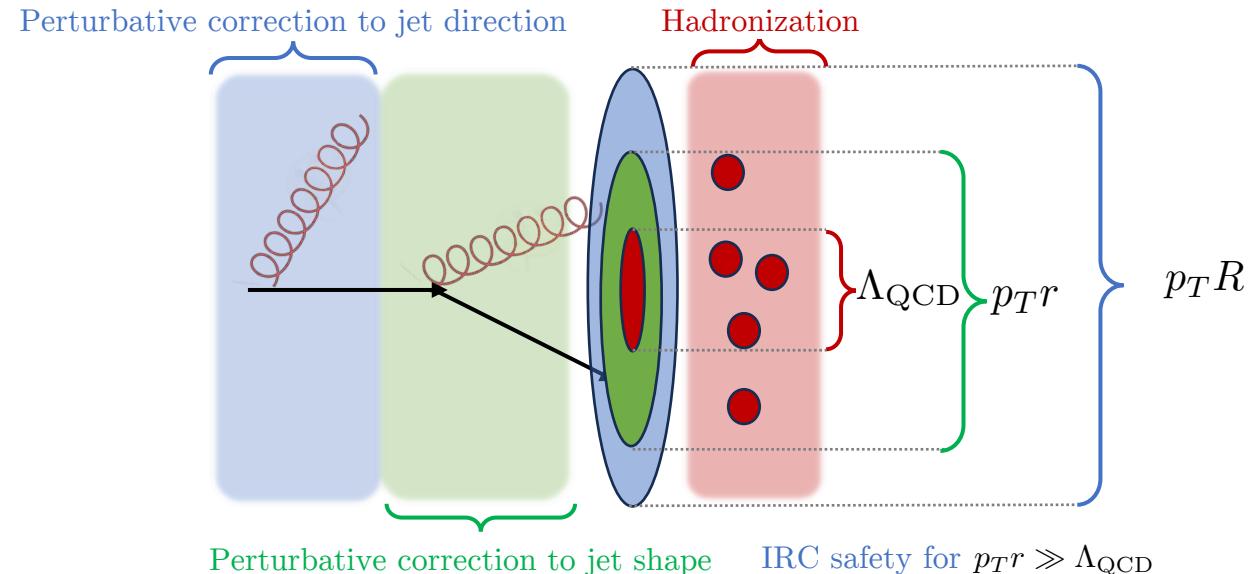
Jet shape: Provides information for the energy of the jet as a function of the sub-jet radius



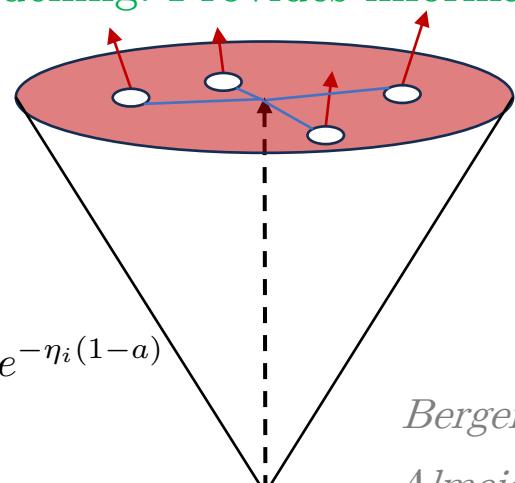
*Ellis, Kunszt, Soper 1992*

$$\psi(r, R) = \sum_{i \in J} \bar{n}_J \cdot p_i / \sum_{i \in J} \bar{n}_J \cdot p_i$$

$$\rho(r, R) = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \psi(r, R)$$



Jet broadening: Provides information for the width of the jet as a function of the sub-jet radius



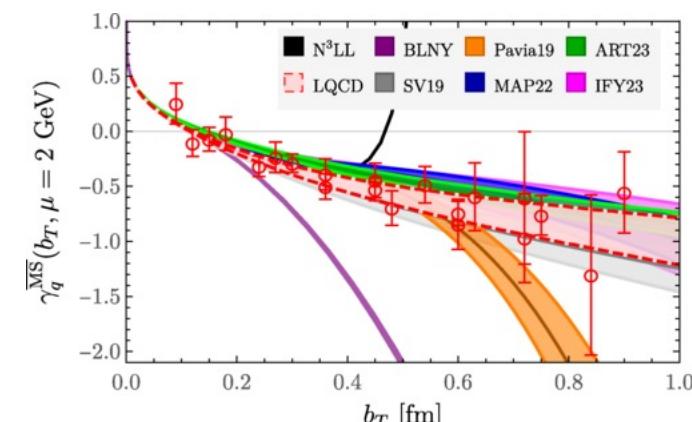
$$\tau_a = \frac{1}{2E_J} \sum_{i \in J} |p_T^i| e^{-\eta_i(1-a)}$$

*Berger, Kucs, Sterman 2003*

Perturbative for  $\tau_a \gg \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/E_J$

Contains some non-perturbative contributions for  
 $\tau \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/E_J$

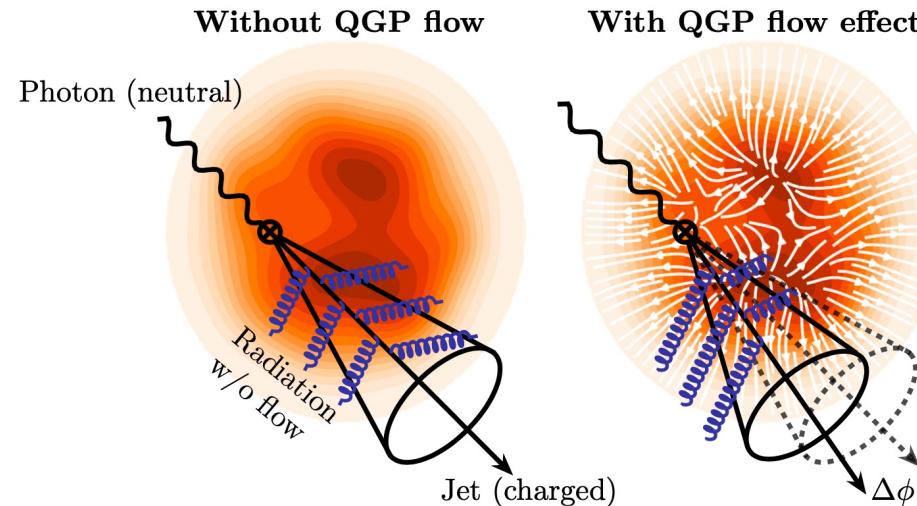
$$\tau \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/E_J$$



*Almeida, Lee, Perez, Sterman, Sung, Virzi 2008*

# Problems with jet substructure: Flowing matter

Medium-induced emissions are frequent and wide-angled. Emissions are enhanced along medium velocity



Sadofyev, Sievert, Vitev 2021

See also the talk by Joseph Bahder from week 2

Traditional jet substructure observables can tell us whether the jet is altered but they cannot tell us if it is altered more in one direction due to azimuthal integration.

$$E \frac{dN^{(1)}}{d^2k_\perp dx d^2p_\perp dE} = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi^2 x} \left( E \frac{dN^{(0)}}{d^2p_\perp dE} \right) \int_0^L dz \rho \int d^2q_\perp \bar{\sigma}(q_\perp^2)$$
$$\times \left\{ \frac{2\mathbf{k}_\perp \cdot \mathbf{q}_\perp}{k_\perp^2(k-q)_\perp^2} \left( 1 - \cos \left( \frac{(k-q)_\perp^2}{2xE(1-u_z)} z \right) \right) + \frac{q_\perp^2}{k_\perp^2(q_\perp^2 + \mu^2)} \frac{\mathbf{u}_\perp \cdot \mathbf{k}_\perp}{2(1-u_z)x E} \right\}$$

*Isotropic emissions*      *Anisotropic emissions*

$q^\mu$  Medium gluon

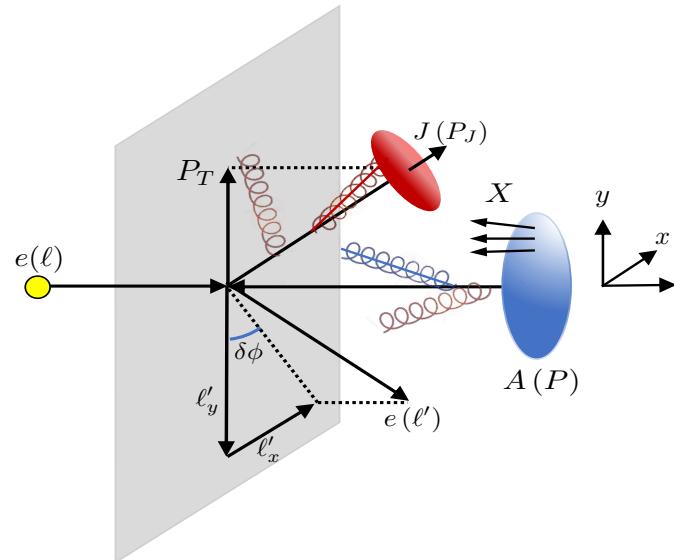
$k^\mu$  Stimulated emission

$v^\mu$  Medium velocity

# Problems with jet substructure: Spin dynamics

Table of the 8 leading twist quark TMDs

$N \setminus q$	U	L	T
N	$f_1$		$h_1$
U		$g_1$	$h_{1L}^+$
T	$f_{1T}$	$g_{1T}$	$h_1$ $h_{1T}^+$



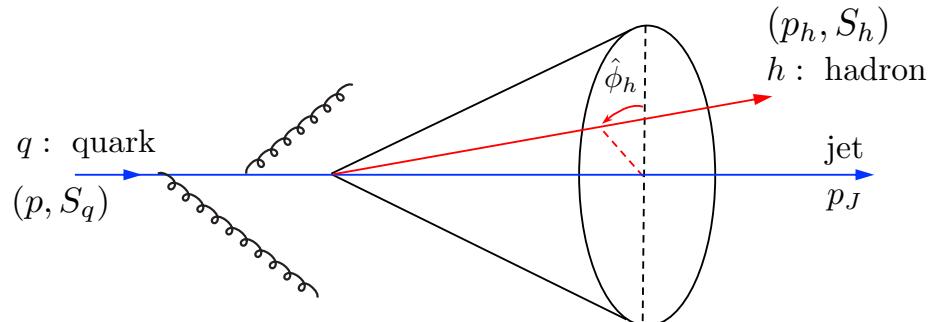
Spin information is encoded in correlations that scale like

$$J_q \sim \int d^2 q_T \left( P_{qq}(q_T) + \frac{\mathbf{q}_T \cdot \mathbf{S}}{E_J} \hat{P}_{qq}(q_T) \right)$$

Spin independent piece

Transverse spin dependence

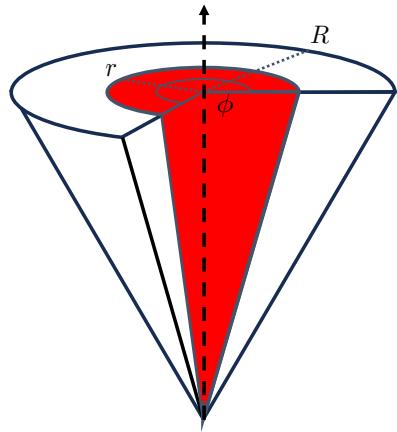
Polarized jet fragmentation functions are excellent probes of hadronization effects, but they introduce non-perturbative content from hadronization



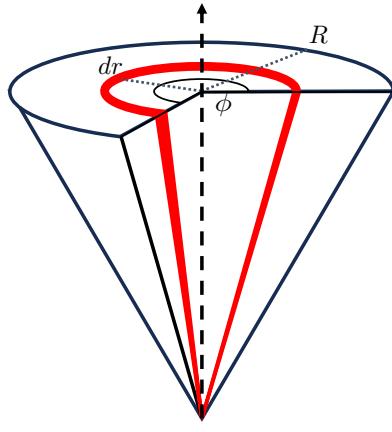
Chien, Kang, Ringer, Vitev, Xing 2015  
Kang, Lee, Zhao 2020

# Azimuthal-dependent jet substructure

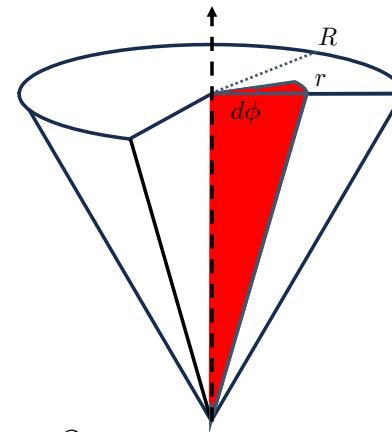
Measure the energy going into a wedge within the jet. Azimuthal-dependent jet shape



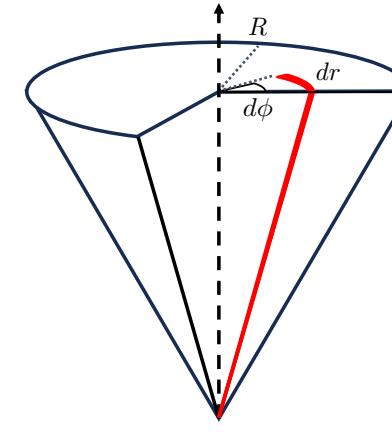
$$\psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f)$$



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f),$$

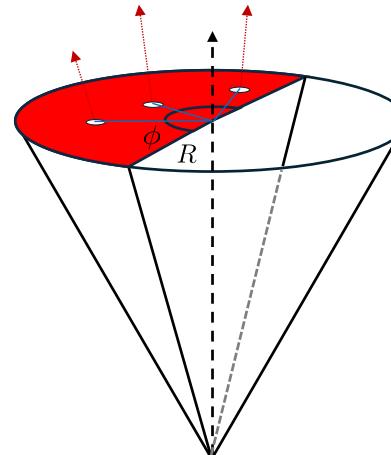


$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi_f} \psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f),$$



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi_f} \psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f)$$

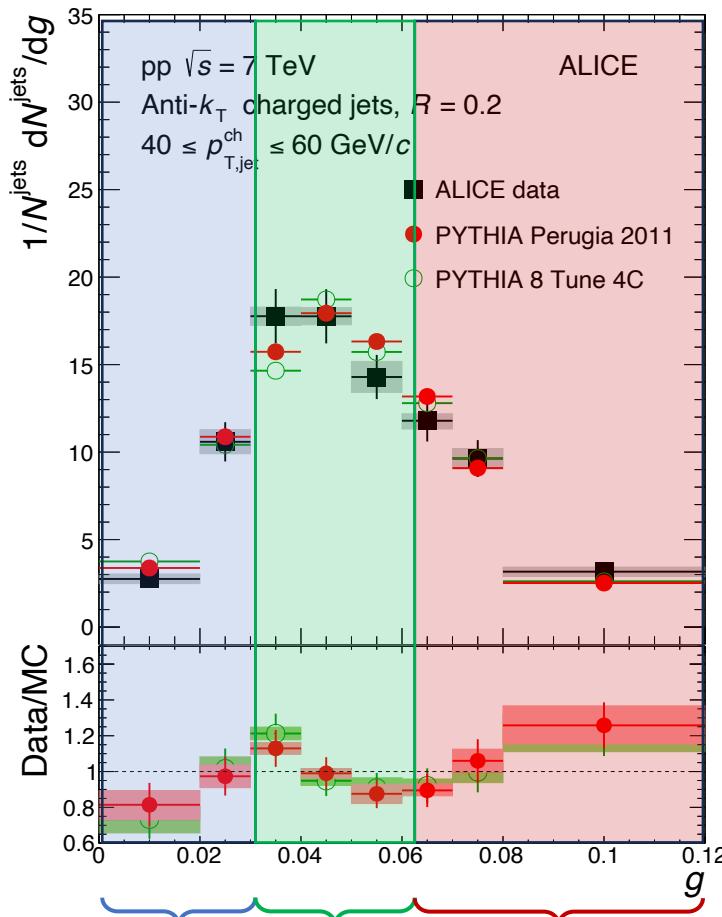
Measure the width of the wedge in the jet. Azimuthal-dependent jet broadening



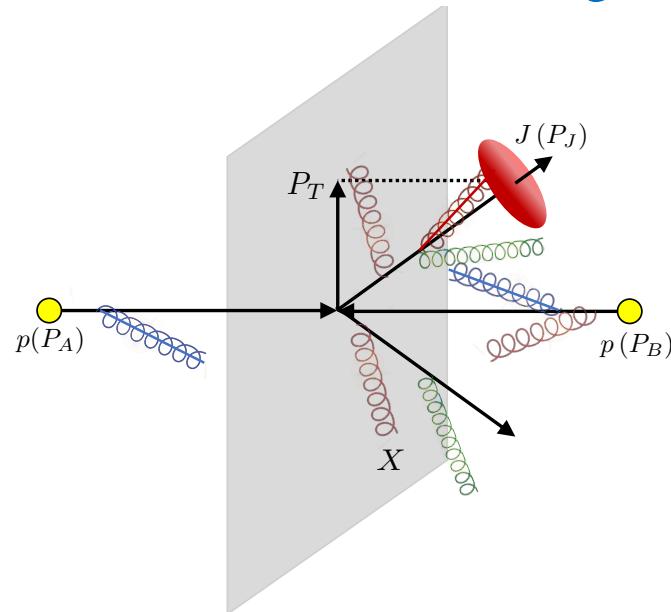
# *Methodology*

# Power counting

*Jet substructure is a multi-scale problem*



*Cross section for single-inclusive jet production*



$$d\sigma \sim H \otimes f_1 \otimes f_2 \otimes G$$

*Jet substructure contained in jet function*

*Gluon jets take on the form*

$$\hat{G}_{i \text{ alg}}^{\text{SJA}(1)}(\varphi, \tau, \omega_J, R, \mu, \zeta) = 2 \int dx d\Phi_{lq} (2\pi)^{d-1} \delta(\omega_J - \bar{n}_J \cdot l) \delta^{d-2}(l_\perp) \\ \times |\mathcal{M}|_i^2 \Theta_{(jk) \text{ alg}}^{\text{SJA}} \delta_\tau^{\text{SJA}} \delta\left(1 - x - \frac{\bar{n} \cdot q}{\bar{n} \cdot l}\right),$$

$$G_i(z, \tau, \omega_J, R, \mu, \zeta) = H_{ij}(z, \omega_J, \mu) \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} \frac{d\kappa}{2\pi i} \exp\left(\frac{\kappa\tau}{e^{\gamma_E}}\right) \mathcal{C}_j\left(\kappa, \omega_J, R, \mu, \frac{\zeta}{\nu^2}\right) \mathcal{S}_j(\kappa, \omega_J, R, \mu, \nu)$$

$$N^k \text{LL} \sim \sum_{n=1+[k/2]}^{\infty} \alpha_s^n \ln^{2n-k}\left(\frac{\tau}{R}\right),$$

*Resummed through rapidity RG*

$$p_c \sim E_J(\tau^2, 1, \tau) \quad p_s \sim E_J \frac{\tau}{R} (R^2, 1, R)$$

# Soft-Collinear Effective Theory (SCET)

SCET is an EFT which captures soft and collinear emissions along the directions

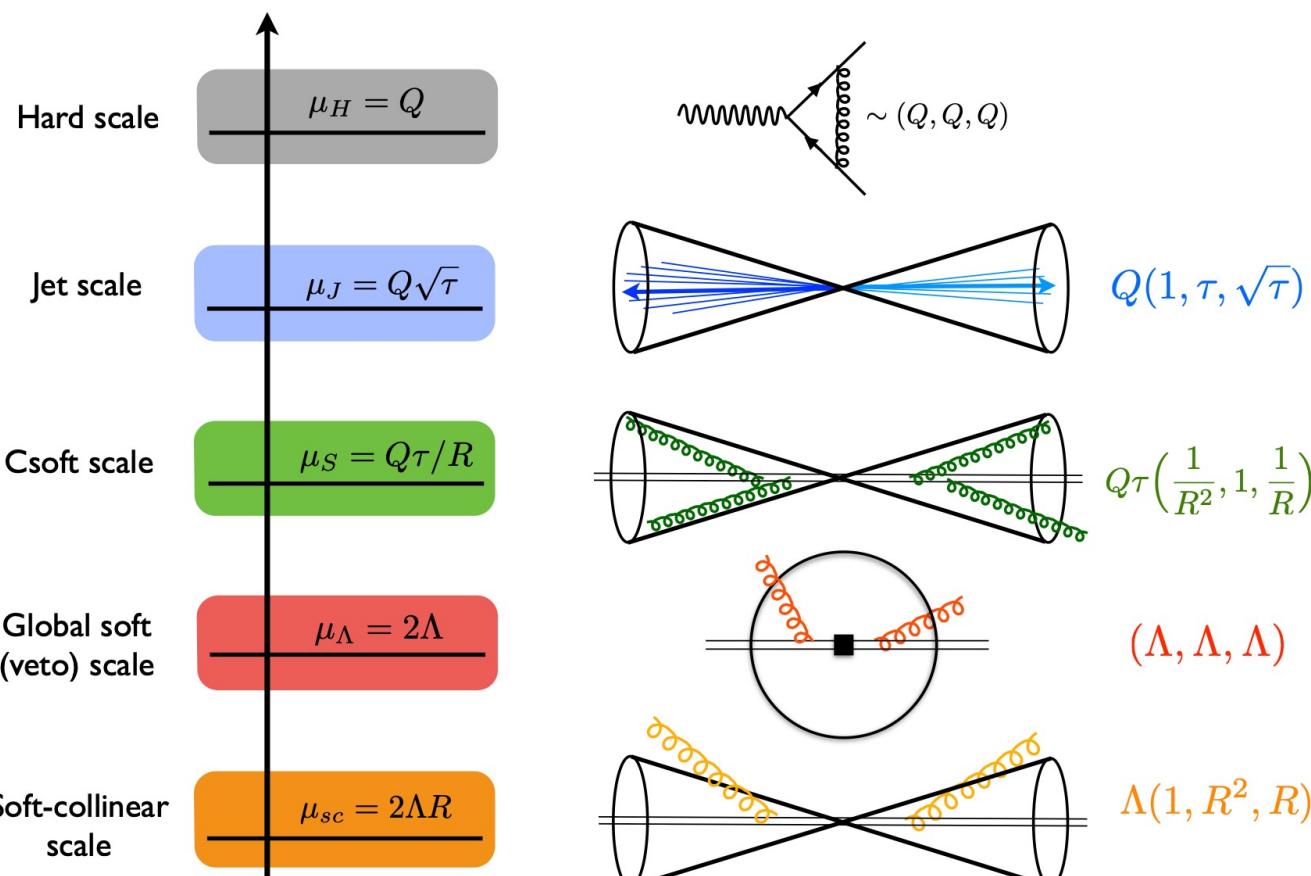
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = \sum_q \bar{\psi} i \not{D} \psi - \frac{1}{4} G_{\mu\nu}^A G^{A\mu\nu} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{gauge-fix}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{ghost}}$$

$$\psi \rightarrow \psi_s + \psi_c \quad A^\mu \rightarrow A_s^\mu + A_c^\mu$$



$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SCET}} = \bar{\psi}_s i \not{D}_s \psi_s - \frac{1}{4} G_{\mu\nu s}^A G_s^{A\mu\nu}$$

$$+ \xi \frac{\not{n}}{2} \left[ i n \cdot D + i \not{D}_{c\perp} \frac{1}{i \bar{n} \cdot D_c} i \not{D}_{c\perp} \right] \xi - \frac{1}{4} G_{\mu\nu c}^A G_c^{A\mu\nu}$$



Bauer, Fleming, Luke 2000

Bauer, Fleming, Pirjol, Stewart 2001

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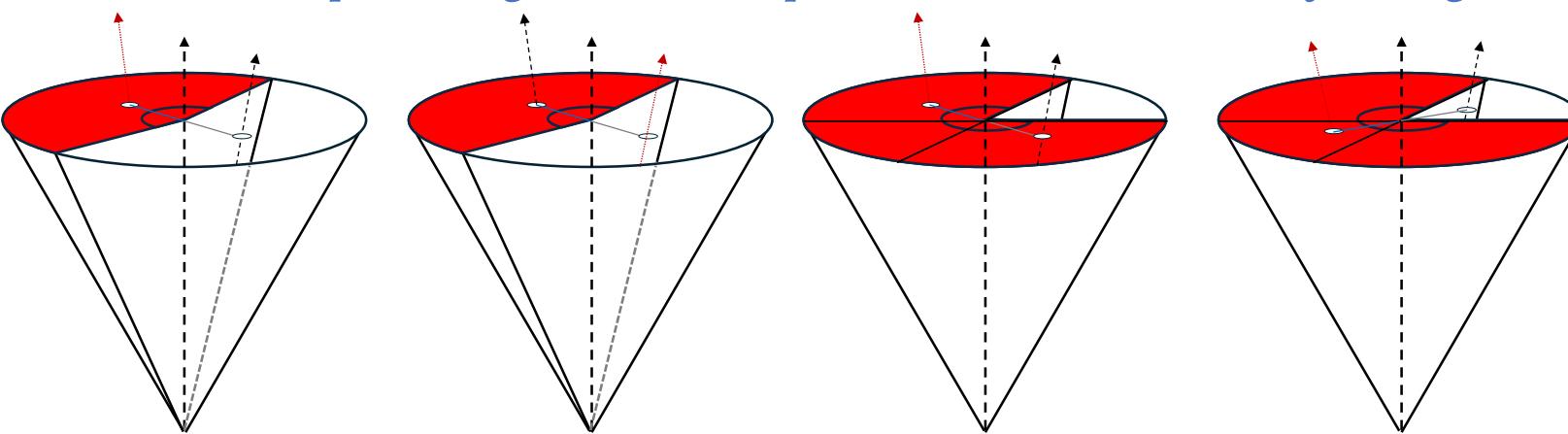
Hill, Neubert 2003

Echevarria, Idilbi, Scimemi 2011

Chien, Hornig, Lee 2015

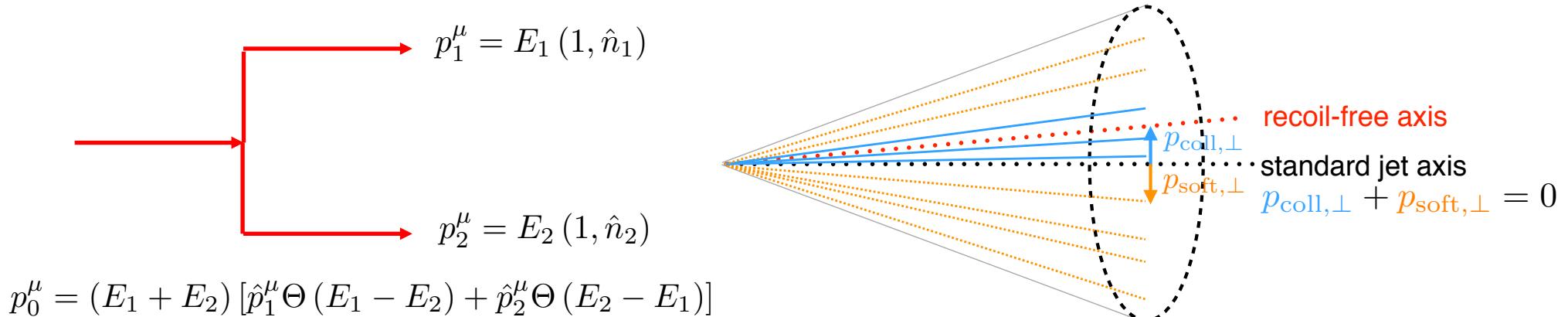
# Computational details

At one loop, we have to consider permuting the different partons that enter into the jet wedge



Computation is done with both a Standard Jet Axis (SJA) with an anti- $k_T$  algorithm and with a cone alg and a Winner Take All axis (WTA)

Larkoski, Neill, and Thaler (2014)

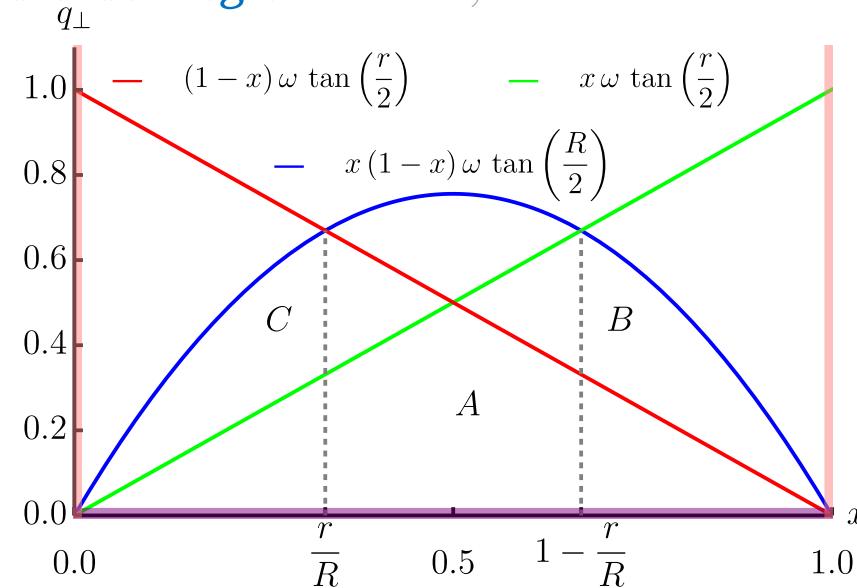


## *Results for the jet shape*

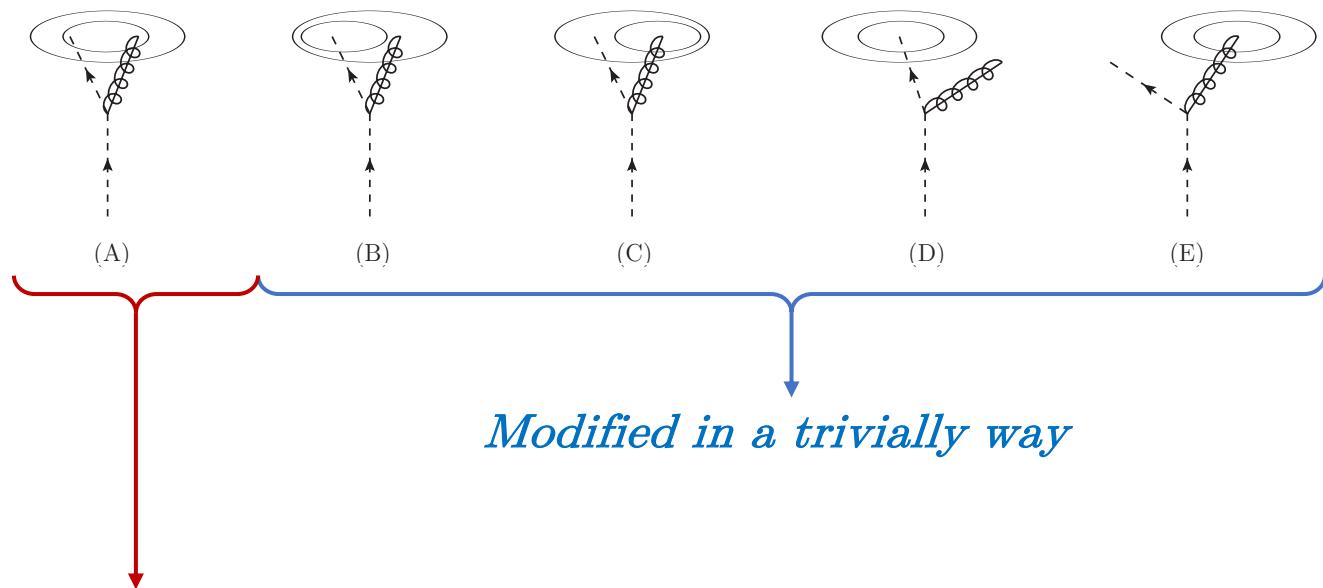
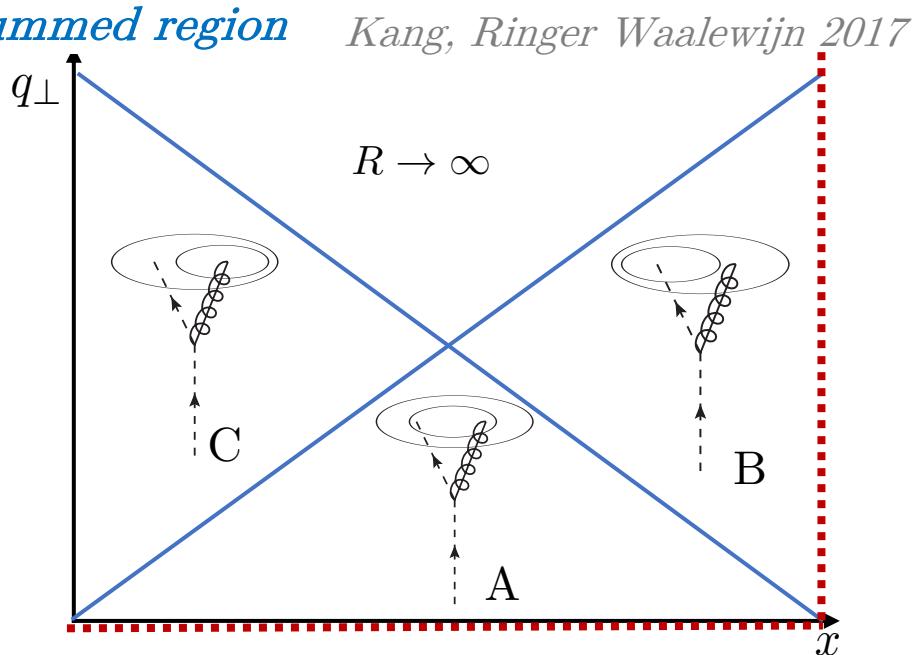
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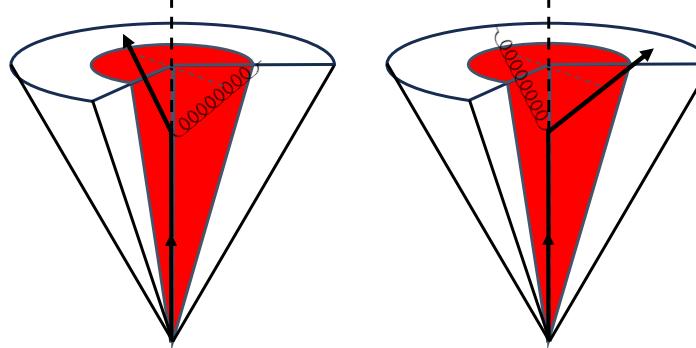
*Fixed order region*



*Resummed region*



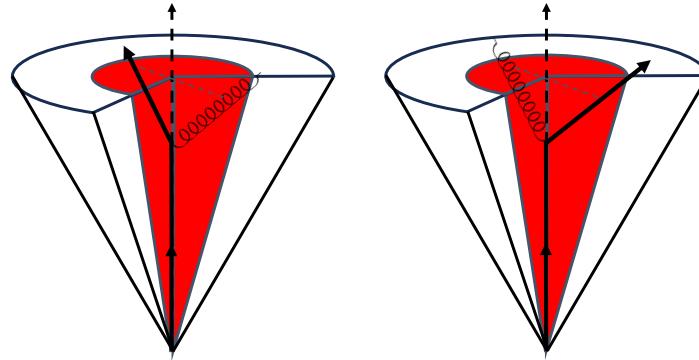
*Undergo a non-trivial modification*



*Fixed order and resummed regions are altered in the same way*

# Consideration of IR divergences

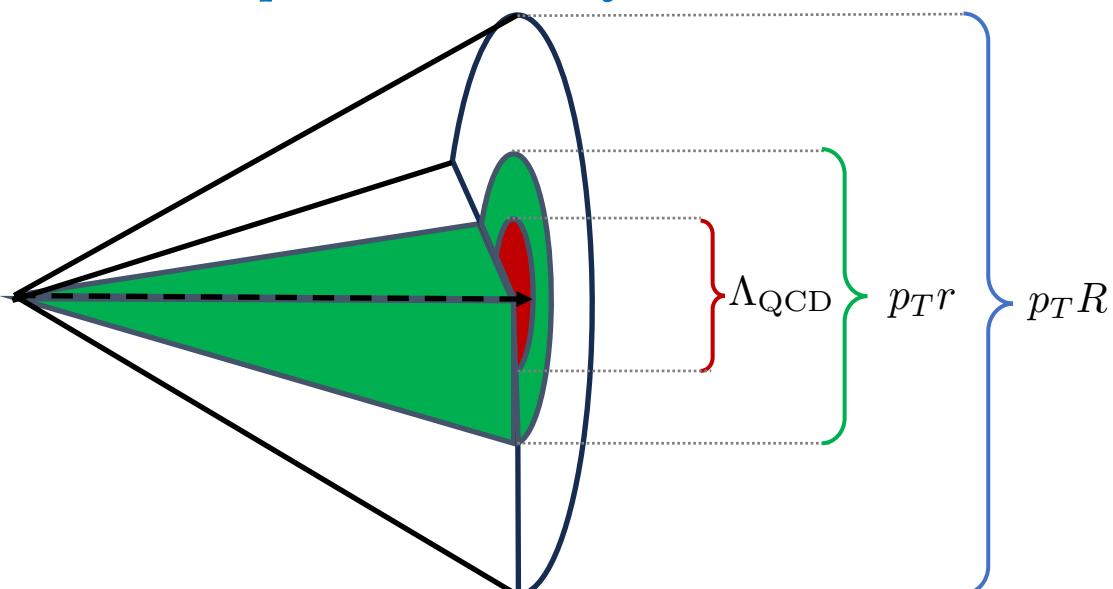
*Naive computation of the jet function results in IR divergences*



$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_{q \text{ k}_T}^{\text{SJA (1)}} (\varphi, z_w, R, \omega_J, \mu) = & \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi} \left\{ \frac{\varphi}{2\pi} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon^2} - \frac{L_R}{\epsilon} + \frac{3}{2\epsilon} + \frac{L_R^2}{2} - \frac{3}{2} L_R - \frac{17}{12} \pi^2 + 13 \right) \delta(1-z_w) \right. \\ & + \left( \frac{2\pi - \varphi}{2\pi} \right) [(P_{gq}(z_w) + P_{qq}(z_w)) (L_R + 2 \ln(z_w(1-z_w))) + 1] \\ & \left. + \left( \frac{2}{3}\pi^2 - \frac{13}{2} \right) \delta(1-z_w) - \frac{1}{\epsilon_{\text{IR}}} \min \left( \frac{\varphi}{2\pi}, \frac{2\pi - \varphi}{2\pi} \right) [P_{qq}(z_w) + P_{gq}(z_w)] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

*Small kicks of transverse momentum associated with hadronization can alter the energy spectrum*

*Naive computation of the jet function results in IR divergences*



$$\psi_{\text{alg}}^{\text{axis}} (\varphi, r, R) \sim \int dz_w z_w \mathcal{G}_{i \text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}} (\varphi, z_w, R, \omega_J, \mu)$$

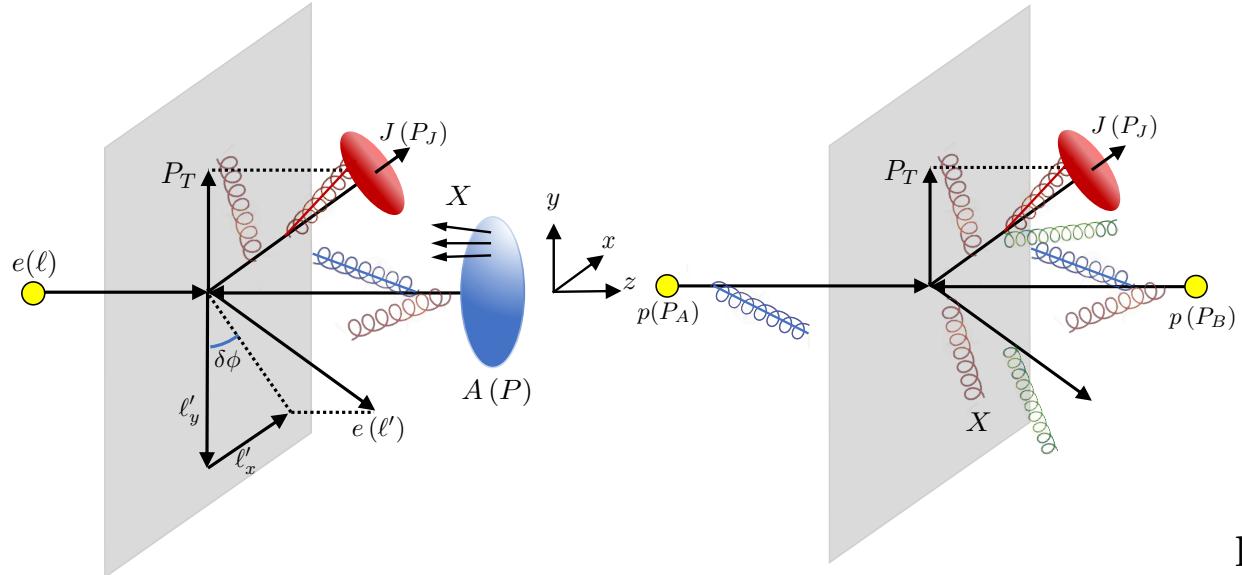
$$\frac{1}{\epsilon_{\text{IR}}} \sum_i \int dz_w z_w P_{ji}(z_w) = 0$$

*The average momentum flow into and out of the wedge is zero*

*See for instance Moult, Zhu 2018*

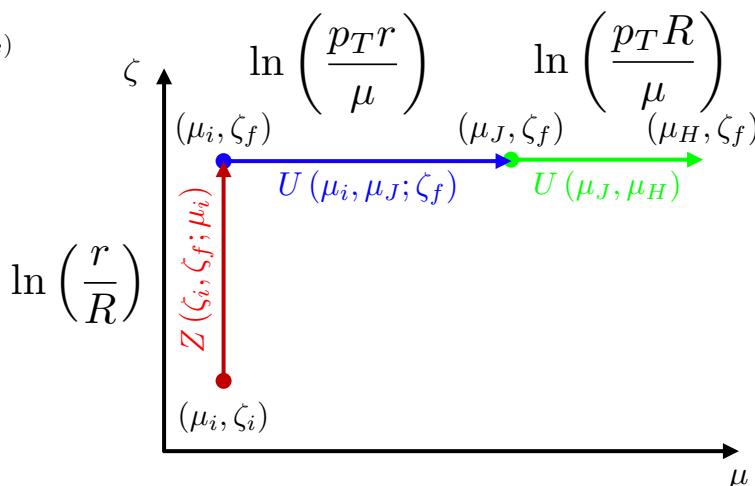
# Consistency checks

To apply the jet function to multiple processes, the jet function must satisfy the evolution equation



$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\mathcal{PS}} = d\hat{\sigma} \otimes J \rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{dz_w d\mathcal{PS}} = d\hat{\sigma} \otimes \mathcal{G}(z_w)$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\ln \mu} = 0$$



The sub-jet functions obey the standard evolution equations for the exclusive and semi-inclusive jet functions

$$\frac{d}{d\ln \mu} J_{i\text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}}(p_T, R, \mu) = \frac{d}{d\ln \mu} \mathcal{G}_{i\text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}}(\varphi, z_w, p_T, R, \mu)$$

$$\frac{d}{d\ln \mu} J_{i\text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}}(z, p_T, R, \mu) = \frac{d}{d\ln \mu} \mathcal{G}_{i\text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}}(z, \varphi, z_w, p_T, R, \mu)$$

The jet shape obeys the limit

$$\lim_{\varphi \rightarrow 2\pi} \psi_{i\text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}}(\varphi, r, R) = \psi_{i\text{ alg}}^{\text{axis}}(r, R)$$

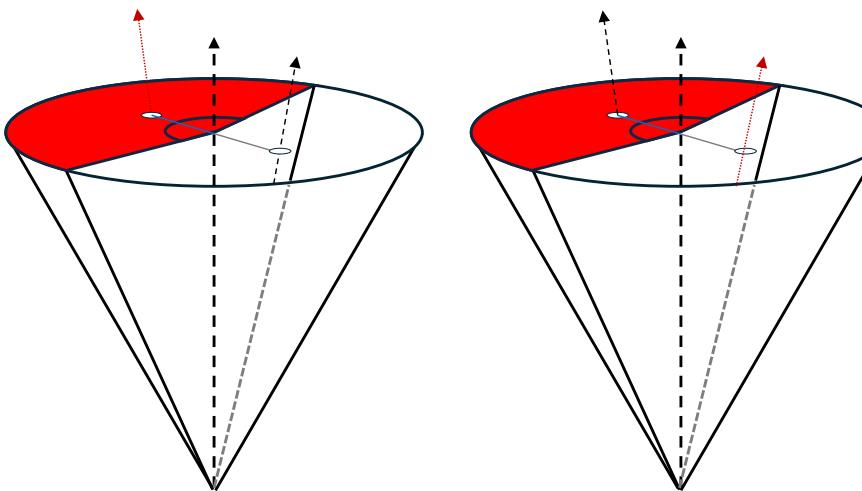
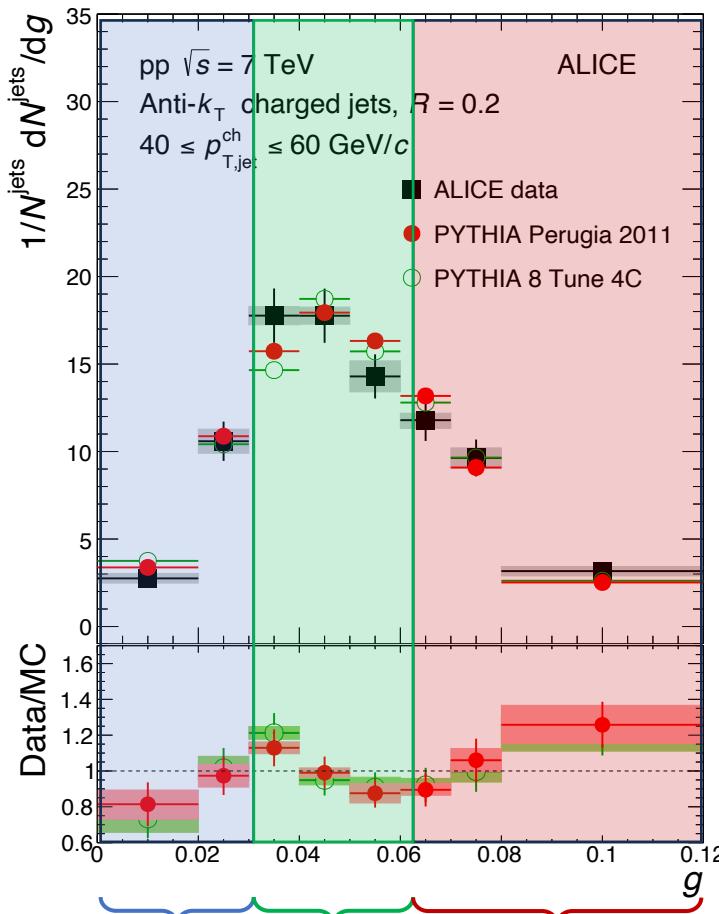
We find that this holds for all choices of axis, alg, and i

## *Results for the jet broadening*

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# Azimuthal-dependent jet broadening

The computation of the jet broadening is simpler, no new non-perturbative effects



In the fixed order region, any non-perturbative effects are power suppressed

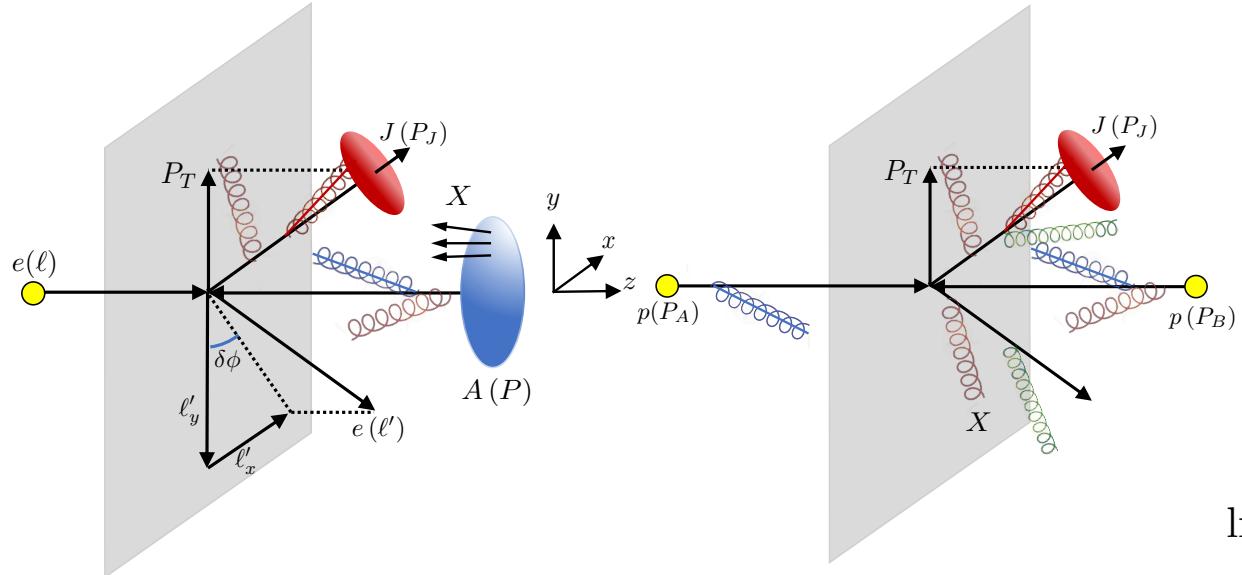
$$\tau \sim R \gg \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}{\omega_J}$$

In the resummed region, we have contamination from the Collins-Soper effects but these are already present in the azimuthally integrated case

$$R \gg \tau \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$$

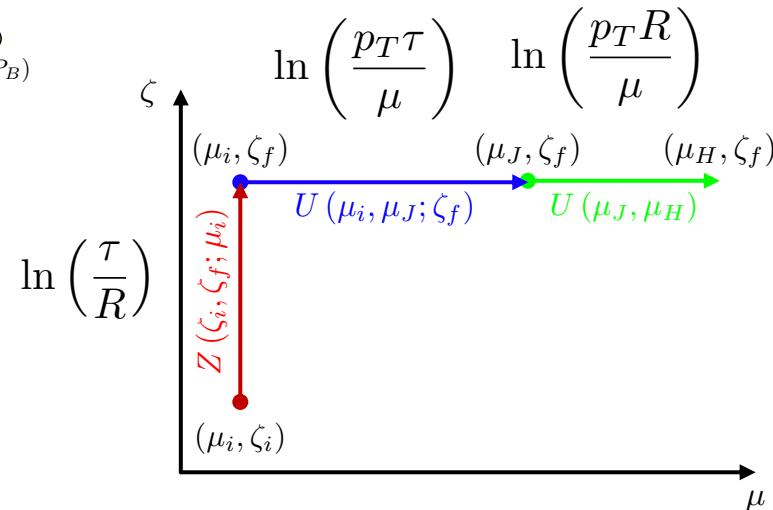
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Jet broadening functions obey the limit

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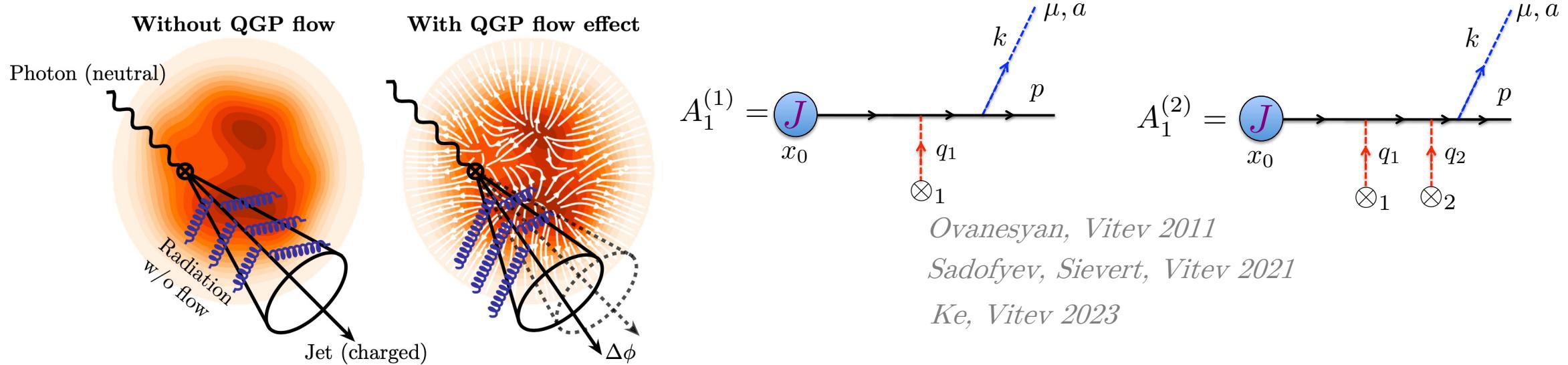
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## *Final words*

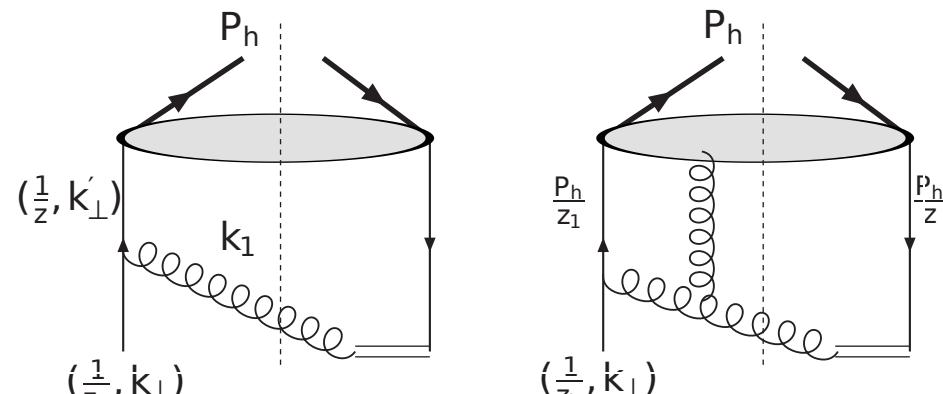
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# Future work

Future work can involve computing how QGP flow can alter the jet substructure, and study which observable is an optimal probe



Can introduce a transverse spin to a quark, the computation associated with altering the jet substructure involves a higher twist computation.



*Yuan, Zhou 2009*

# Conclusion

*For the azimuthal integrated case, we have introduced several new results*

	<i>Resummed (SJA)</i>	<i>Fixed order (SJA)</i>	<i>Resummed (WTA)</i>	<i>Fixed order (WTA)</i>
<i>Broadening</i>	<i>Becher-Bell 2012</i>	<i>Ke, Terry, Vitev 2024</i>	<i>Larkoski, Neill Thaler 2014</i>	<i>Ke, Terry, Vitev 2024</i>
<i>Jet shape</i>	<i>Kang, Ringer, Waalewijn 2017</i>	<i>Chien-Vitev 2014</i>	<i>Kang, Ringer, Waalewijn 2017</i>	<i>Kang, Ringer, Waalewijn 2017</i>

- *We have introduced two azimuthal-dependent jet substructure observables*
- *We have demonstrated that IR divergences enter into the new jet functions, but these are absent due to the energy weighting.*
- *We have also demonstrated that the azimuthal-dependent jet broadening does not introduce any new non-perturbative contributions.*
- *These new jet substructure observables have been computed in both the fixed order and resummed regions at one loop.*

# *Thank you to the INT*

*INT Research Experience for Undergraduates class of 2016*



*Questions?*

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# Refactorization of the jet function in the resummation limit

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The semi-inclusive jet angularity functions are given by the SCET matrix elements

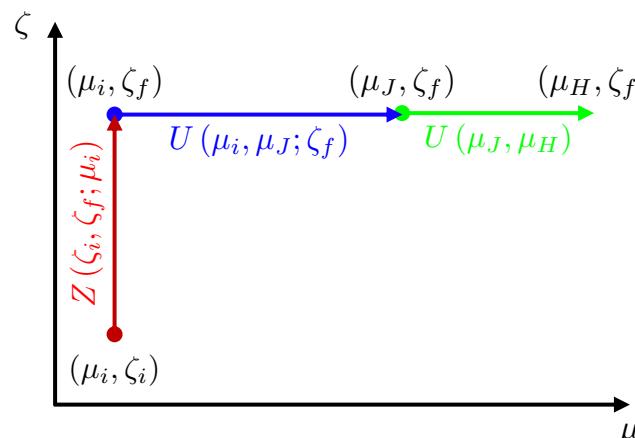
$$G_q(\tau, \omega_J, R, \mu) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{\not{\eta}_J}{2} \langle 0 | \delta(\omega_J - \bar{n}_J \cdot \mathcal{P}) \delta(\tau - \hat{\tau}) \chi_{n_J}(0) | J \rangle \langle J | \bar{\chi}_{n_J}(0) | 0 \rangle \right]$$

In the region where  $\tau \ll R$ , there are two momenta scalings which contribute to the observable

$$\begin{aligned} p_J^\mu &\sim \omega_J (R^2, 1, R) & p_c^\mu &\sim \omega_J (\lambda^2, 1, \lambda), & p_s^\mu &\sim \omega_J \frac{\lambda}{R} (R^2, 1, R) \\ \mu_J &\sim \omega_J R & \mu_c &\sim \mu_s \sim \omega_J \lambda, & \nu_c &\sim \omega_J, & \nu_s &\sim \omega_J \frac{\lambda}{R}, \end{aligned}$$

Rapidity evolution resums logs of the power counting parameters

$$G_i(z, \tau, \omega_J, R, \mu, \zeta) = H_{ij}(z, \omega_J, \mu) \int_{c-i\infty}^{c+i\infty} \frac{d\kappa}{2\pi i} \exp\left(\frac{\kappa\tau}{e^{\gamma_E}}\right) \mathcal{C}_j\left(\kappa, \omega_J, R, \mu, \frac{\zeta}{\nu^2}\right) \mathcal{S}_j(\kappa, \omega_J, R, \mu, \nu)$$



# Computation in the resummed limit

*Collinear graphs for the traditional and the one-dimensional broadening*

$$\tilde{C}_i^{\text{bare}} \left( \tilde{\tau}, \omega_J, \mu, \frac{\zeta}{\nu^2} \right) = \sum_j \int dx d^{d-2} q_\perp \hat{P}_{ji}(x, q_\perp) \delta \left[ \tilde{\tau} - \boxed{\frac{2q_\perp}{\omega_J}} \right] \left( \frac{\nu^2}{(1-x)^2 \zeta} \right)^{\eta/2}$$

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*Soft graphs for the traditional and the one-dimensional broadening*

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{S}_i^{\text{bare}}(\tilde{\tau}, \omega_J, R, \mu, \nu) &= g^2 C_i \left( \frac{\mu^2 e^{\gamma_E}}{4\pi} \right)^\epsilon \int \frac{dl_J^+ dl_J^- d^{d-2} l_\perp}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{n_J \cdot \bar{n}_J}{n_J \cdot l \bar{n}_J \cdot l} 2\pi \delta(l^2) \\ &\quad \times \delta \left( \tilde{\tau} - \boxed{\frac{l_\perp}{\omega_J}} \right) \Theta \left( \tan^2 \frac{R}{2} - \frac{l^+}{l^-} \right) \left( \frac{2l_0}{\nu} \right)^\eta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_i^{\text{bare}}(\tau, \omega_J, R, \mu, \nu) &= g^2 C_i \left( \frac{\mu^2 e^{\gamma_E}}{4\pi} \right)^\epsilon \int \frac{dl_J^+ dl_J^- dl_x d^{d-3} l_\perp}{(2\pi)^d} 2\pi \delta(l^2) \frac{n_J \cdot \bar{n}_J}{n_J \cdot l \bar{n}_J \cdot l} \\ &\quad \times \delta \left( \tau - \boxed{\frac{l_x}{\omega_J}} \right) \Theta \left( \tan^2 \frac{R}{2} - \frac{l^+}{l^-} \right) \left( \frac{2l_0}{\nu} \right)^\eta \end{aligned}$$

Requires additional integration in d-3 dimensions

## *Fixed order computation*

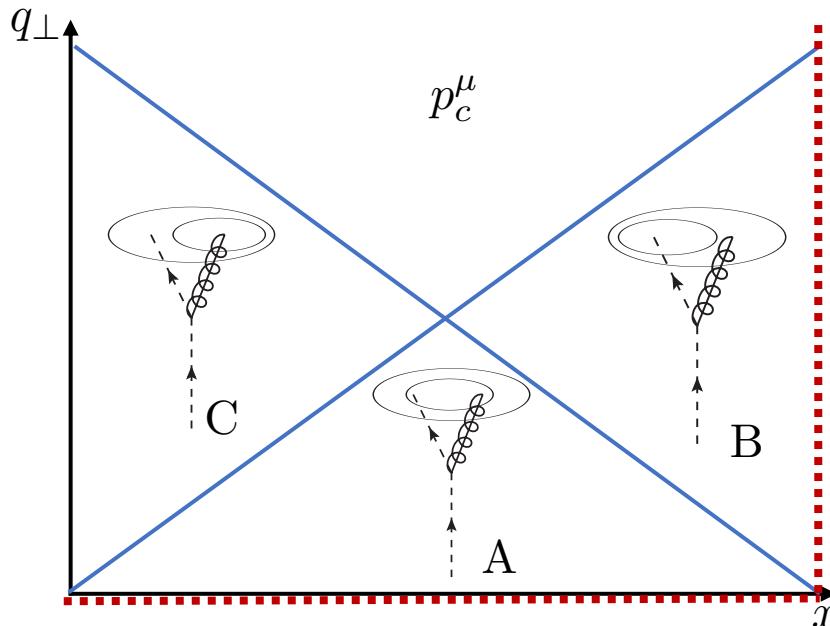
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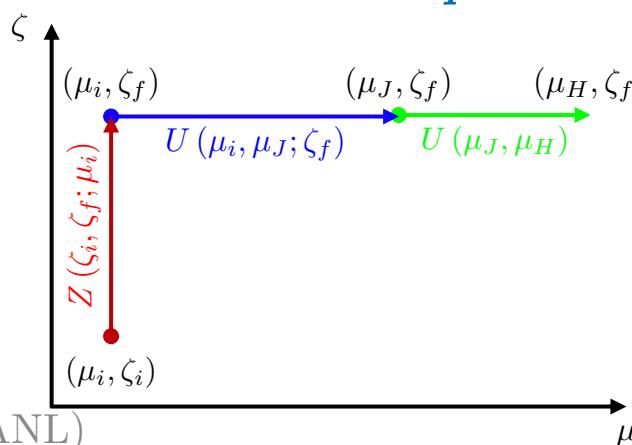
$$G_q(\tau, \omega_J, R, \mu) = \frac{1}{2N_c} \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{\not{\epsilon}_J}{2} \langle 0 | \delta(\omega_J - \bar{n}_J \cdot \mathcal{P}) \delta(\tau - \hat{\tau}) \chi_{n_J}(0) | J \rangle \langle J | \bar{\chi}_{n_J}(0) | 0 \rangle \right]$$

# Power counting and refactorization

In the region where  $r \ll R$ , the jet algorithm no longer regulates the rapidity divergences (SCET II). There are three modes that contribute to the observable



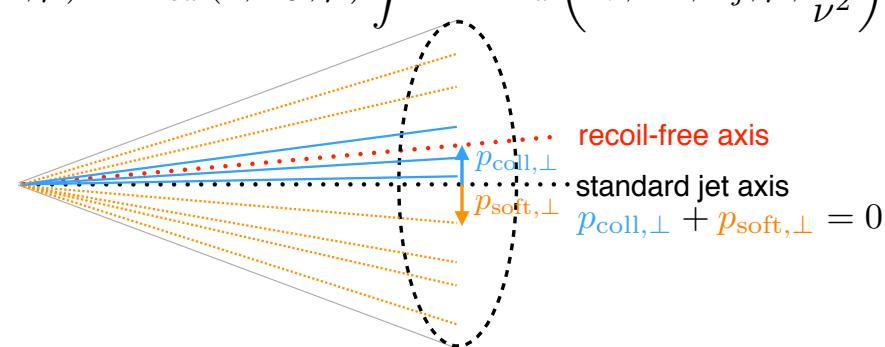
Evolution occurs in three parts



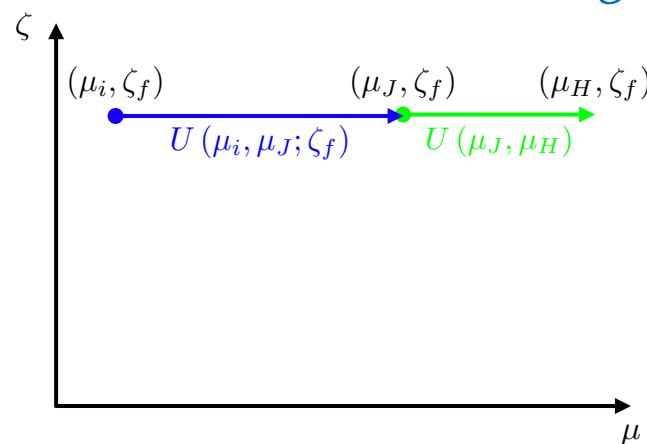
$$p_J^\mu \sim \omega_J (R^2, 1, R) \quad p_c^\mu \sim \omega_J (r^2, 1, r) \quad p_s^\mu \sim \omega_J \frac{r}{R} (R^2, 1, R)$$

$$\mu_J \sim \omega_J R \quad \mu_c \sim \mu_s \sim \omega_J r \quad \nu_s \sim \omega_J \frac{r}{R} \quad \nu_c \sim \omega_J$$

$$j_c(z, z_r, \omega_J, r, R, \mu) = H_{cd}(z, \omega_J, \mu) \int d^2 k_\perp C_d \left( z_r, k_\perp, \omega_j, \mu, \frac{\zeta}{\nu^2} \right) S_d(k_\perp, R, \omega_j, \mu, \nu)$$

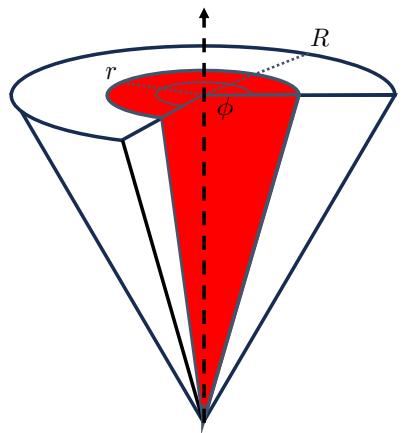


Recoil issue can be removed using a WTA axis

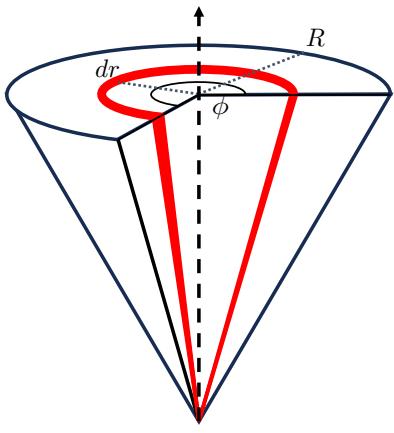


# The azimuthal dependent jet shape

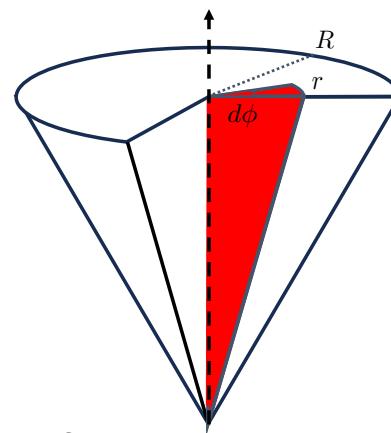
We generalize the jet shape to also contain azimuthal angle dependence



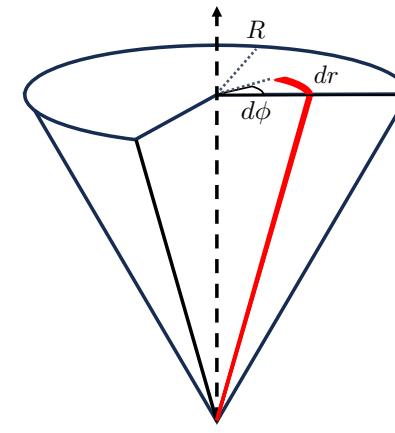
$$\psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f)$$



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f),$$



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi_f} \psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f),$$



$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \frac{\partial}{\partial \varphi_f} \psi(r, R, \varphi_i, \varphi_f)$$

Factorization is unchanged but the ingredients are modified

$$j_c(z, z_r, \varphi_i, \varphi_f, \omega_J, r, R, \mu) = H_{cd}(z, \omega_J, \mu) \int d^2 k_\perp C_d \left( z_r, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \varphi_i, \varphi_f, \omega_j, \mu, \frac{\zeta}{\nu^2} \right) S_d(\mathbf{k}_\perp, R, \mu, \nu)$$

Same as integrated at NLO

Tree level modified trivially  
Non-trivial NLO modification

Same as integrated at NLO

Anomalous dimension of jet shape unchanged