

Polarized light ion physics with EIC



OAM in QCD

Based on [\[C.L., Mantovani, Pasquini \(2018\)\]](#)

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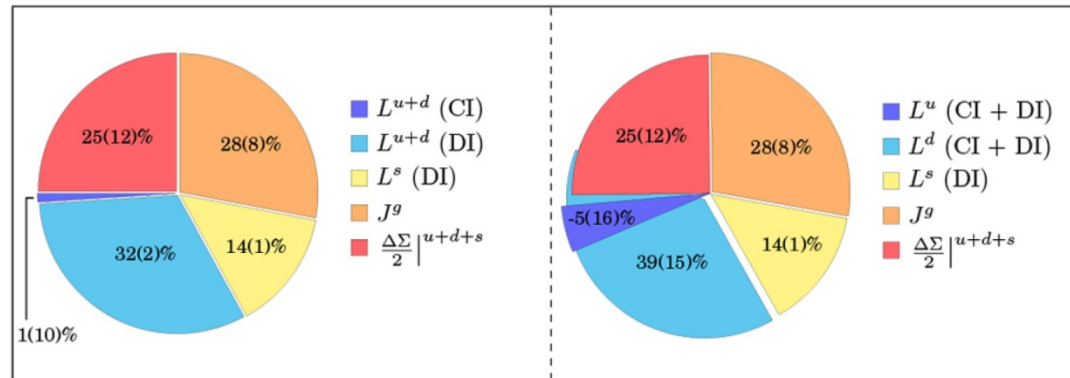
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- 1. Angular momentum in QFT**
- 2. Energy-momentum tensor**
- 3. 3D distributions in Breit frame**
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- 5. Results in scalar diquark model**

Orbital angular momentum

Large contribution to nucleon spin \longrightarrow relativistic nature of the system



χ QCD collaboration [Deka et al. (2015)]

Responsible for most of spin asymmetries \longrightarrow fine structure and spin-orbit correlation

Quark polarization

Nucleon polarization

ρ_X	U	L	T_x	T_y
U	● $\langle 1 \rangle$	$\langle S_L^q \ell_L^q \rangle$	$\langle S_x^q \ell_x^q \rangle$	$\langle S_y^q \ell_y^q \rangle$
L	$\langle S_L \ell_L^q \rangle$	● $\langle S_L S_L^q \rangle$	$\langle S_L \ell_L^q S_x^q \ell_x^q \rangle$	$\langle S_L \ell_L^q S_y^q \ell_y^q \rangle$
T_x	$\langle S_x \ell_x^q \rangle$	$\langle S_x \ell_x^q S_L^q \ell_L^q \rangle$	● $\langle S_x S_x^q \rangle$	$\langle S_x \ell_x^q S_y^q \ell_y^q \rangle$
T_y	$\langle S_y \ell_y^q \rangle$	$\langle S_y \ell_y^q S_L^q \ell_L^q \rangle$	$\langle S_y \ell_y^q S_x^q \ell_x^q \rangle$	● $\langle S_y S_y^q \rangle$

FFs, GPDs, TMDs,
GTMDs, ...

PDFs

[C.L., Pasquini (2016)]

Angular momentum

Quantum mechanics

$$\vec{J} = \vec{L} + \vec{S}$$

$$\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$$

Quantum field theory

$$J^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) = L^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) + S^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x)$$

$$L^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) = x^\alpha T^{\mu\beta}(x) - x^\beta T^{\mu\alpha}(x)$$

Poincaré covariance

$$\partial_\mu J^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) = 0, \quad \partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu}(x) = 0$$



$$T^{[\alpha\beta]}(x) = -\partial_\mu S^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x)$$

Absent in GR

Canonical, kinetic or Belinfante?

Canonical (Jaffe-Manohar)

$$T_{\text{can},q}^{\mu\nu}(x) = \bar{\psi}(x)\gamma^\mu \frac{i}{2} \overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\nu \psi(x)$$



Kinetic (Ji)

$$T_{\text{kin},q}^{\mu\nu}(x) = \bar{\psi}(x)\gamma^\mu \frac{i}{2} \overleftrightarrow{D}^\nu \psi(x)$$



Belinfante

$$T_{\text{Bel}}^{\mu\nu}(x) = T^{\mu\nu}(x) + \partial_\lambda G^{\lambda\mu\nu}(x), \quad G^{[\lambda\mu]\nu}(x) = 0$$

superpotential

$$\begin{aligned} J_{\text{Bel}}^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) &= J^{\mu\alpha\beta}(x) + \partial_\lambda [x^\alpha G^{\lambda\mu\beta} - x^\beta G^{\lambda\mu\alpha}] \\ &= x^\alpha T_{\text{Bel}}^{\mu\beta} - x^\beta T_{\text{Bel}}^{\mu\alpha} \quad \longrightarrow \quad T_{\text{Bel}}^{[\alpha\beta]}(x) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Energy-momentum tensor

Matrix elements

$$P = \frac{p' + p}{2}, \quad \Delta = p' - p, \quad t = \Delta^2$$

$$\langle p', s' | T^{\mu\nu}(0) | p, s \rangle =$$

$$\bar{u}(p', s') \left[\frac{P^\mu P^\nu}{M} A(t) + \frac{P^{\{\mu} i \sigma^{\nu\}\lambda} \Delta_\lambda}{4M} (A + B)(t) + \frac{\Delta^\mu \Delta^\nu - g^{\mu\nu} \Delta^2}{M} C(t) \right. \\ \left. + M g^{\mu\nu} \bar{C}(t) + \frac{P^{[\mu} i \sigma^{\nu]\lambda} \Delta_\lambda}{4M} D(t) \right] u(p, s)$$

Non-conservation

Intrinsic spin

Mass-shell conditions

$$p'^2 = p^2 = M^2$$



$$P^2 = M^2 - \frac{t}{4},$$

Timelike



« frame »



$$P \cdot \Delta = 0$$



Spacelike



« position »

Energy-momentum form factors

Mellin moment of twist-2 vector GPDs

$$\langle p', s' | T^{++}(0) | p, s \rangle$$

$$\int dx x H(x, \xi, t) = A(t) + 4\xi^2 C(t)$$

[Ji (1996)]

$$\int dx x E(x, \xi, t) = B(t) - 4\xi^2 C(t)$$

Poincaré covariance

$$\langle p', s' | T_q^{[\alpha\beta]}(0) | p, s \rangle = -i\Delta_\mu \langle p', s' | S_q^{\mu\alpha\beta}(0) | p, s \rangle$$

$$D_q(t) = -G_A^q(t)$$

[C.L., Mantovani, Pasquini (2018)]

No contribution to AM from $\bar{C}(t)$

3D distribution in Breit frame

Lorentz factors

$$p^0 = \gamma M, \quad p'^0 = \gamma' M$$

Breit frame

$$\vec{P} = \vec{0} \quad \xrightarrow{\quad \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\vec{p}'} \\ \xleftarrow{\vec{p}} \end{array} \quad} \quad \Delta^0 = \frac{\vec{P} \cdot \vec{\Delta}}{P^0} = 0$$

Initial ψ



Final ψ'^*



$$\Delta^0 \neq 0$$



$$\Delta^0 = 0$$

$$\rho \sim \psi^* \psi$$

3D distribution of OAM

$$\langle L^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = -i\epsilon^{ijk} \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{x}} \frac{\partial \langle T^{0k} \rangle_{\text{BF}}}{\partial \Delta^j}$$

$$\langle T^{\mu\nu} \rangle_{\text{BF}} \equiv \frac{\langle \frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2}, \vec{s} | T^{\mu\nu}(0) | -\frac{\vec{\Delta}}{2}, \vec{s} \rangle}{2P^0}$$

3D distribution in Breit frame

Kinetic OAM

$$\langle L^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[s^i L(t) + [(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i - \vec{\Delta}^2 s^i] \frac{dL(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2}, \quad L(t) \equiv \frac{A(t) + B(t) + D(t)}{2}$$

Spin

$$\langle S^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[\frac{s^i}{2} G_A(t) - \frac{(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i}{4} \frac{dG(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2}, \quad \frac{dG(t)}{dt} \equiv \frac{1}{2P^0} \left[\frac{G_A(t)}{P^0 + M} + \frac{G_P(t)}{M} \right]$$

Belinfante total AM

$$\langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[s^i J(t) + [(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i - \vec{\Delta}^2 s^i] \frac{dJ(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2}, \quad J(t) \equiv \frac{A(t) + B(t)}{2}$$

$$\int d^3x [\langle L^i \rangle(\vec{x}) + \langle S^i \rangle(\vec{x})] = \int d^3x \langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle(\vec{x})$$

$$\int d^3x \leftrightarrow \vec{\Delta} = \vec{0}$$

But $\langle L^i \rangle(\vec{x}) + \langle S^i \rangle(\vec{x}) \neq \langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle(\vec{x})$ **!!!!**

3D distribution in Breit frame

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Superpotential

$$\langle M^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = - \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[\frac{(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i - \vec{\Delta}^2 s^i}{2} \frac{dG_A(t)}{dt} + \frac{(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i}{4} \frac{dG(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2}$$

$$\langle L^i \rangle(\vec{x}) + \langle S^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = \langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle(\vec{x}) + \langle M^i \rangle(\vec{x})$$

$$\int d^3x \langle M^i \rangle(\vec{x}) = 0$$

Link with other 3D distributions

Naive distribution

$$\langle J^i \rangle(\vec{x}) =$$

$$\underbrace{s^i \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} J(-\vec{\Delta}^2)}_{\langle J^i \rangle_{\text{naive}}(\vec{x})} + \underbrace{\int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[[(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i - \vec{\Delta}^2 s^i] \frac{dL(t)}{dt} - \frac{(\vec{\Delta} \cdot \vec{s})\Delta^i}{4} \frac{dG(t)}{dt} \right]}_{\langle J^i \rangle_{\text{corr}}(\vec{x})} \Bigg|_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2}$$

Polyakov's distribution

[Polyakov (2003)]
[Goeke *et al.* (2007)]

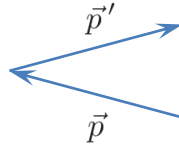
$$\langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle(\vec{x}) =$$

$$\underbrace{s^i \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[J(t) + \frac{2t}{3} \frac{dJ(t)}{dt} \right]}_{\langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle_{\text{mono}}(\vec{x})} \Bigg|_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2} + \underbrace{s^j \int \frac{d^3\Delta}{(2\pi)^3} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}\cdot\vec{x}} \left[(\Delta^j \Delta^i - \frac{1}{3} \delta^{ji} \vec{\Delta}^2) \frac{dJ(t)}{dt} \right]}_{\langle J_{\text{Bel}}^i \rangle_{\text{quad}}(\vec{x})} \Bigg|_{t=-\vec{\Delta}^2}$$

Discarded without justification

2D distribution in elastic frame

Elastic frame

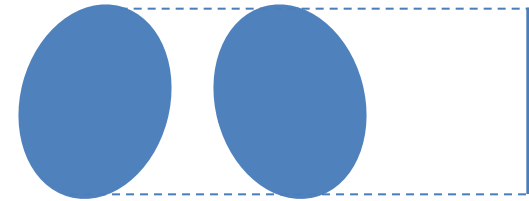


$$\vec{P} \neq \vec{0}, \quad \Delta^0 = 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \vec{P} \cdot \vec{\Delta} = 0$$

$$\vec{P} = (\vec{0}_\perp, P), \quad \vec{\Delta} = (\vec{\Delta}_\perp, 0)$$

$$\int dz \leftrightarrow \Delta^z = 0$$

Initial ψ **Final** ψ'^*



$$\rho_\perp \sim \int dz \psi^* \psi$$

2D distribution of longitudinal OAM

$$\langle L^z \rangle(\vec{b}_\perp) = -i\epsilon^{3jk} \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \cdot \vec{b}_\perp} \frac{\partial \langle T^{0k} \rangle_{\text{EF}}}{\partial \Delta_\perp^j}$$

2D distribution in elastic frame

Kinetic OAM

$$\langle L^z \rangle(\vec{b}_\perp) = s^z \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \cdot \vec{b}_\perp} \left[L(t) + t \frac{dL(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2}$$

Spin

$$\langle S^z \rangle(\vec{b}_\perp) = \frac{s^z}{2} \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \cdot \vec{b}_\perp} G_A(-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2)$$

Belinfante total AM

$$\langle J_{\text{Bel}}^z \rangle(\vec{b}_\perp) = s^z \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \cdot \vec{b}_\perp} \left[J(t) + t \frac{dJ(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2}$$

Superpotential

$$\langle M^z \rangle(\vec{b}_\perp) = -\frac{s^z}{2} \int \frac{d^2 \Delta_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{-i\vec{\Delta}_\perp \cdot \vec{b}_\perp} \left[t \frac{dG_A(t)}{dt} \right]_{t=-\vec{\Delta}_\perp^2}$$

P -independent !

$P = 0$

$P \rightarrow \infty$

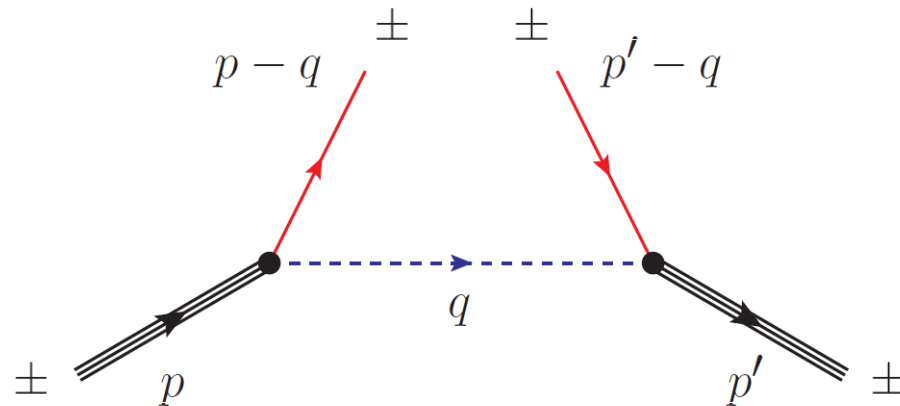
Breit frame

Infinite momentum frame



Light-front
distribution

Scalar diquark model



Light-front wave functions

$$\psi_+^+(x, \vec{k}_\perp) = \psi_-^-(x, \vec{k}_\perp) = (xM + m) \phi(x, \vec{k}_\perp^2)$$

$$\psi_-^+(x, \vec{k}_\perp) = -[\psi_+^-(x, \vec{k}_\perp)]^* = -(k^x + ik^y) \phi(x, \vec{k}_\perp^2)$$

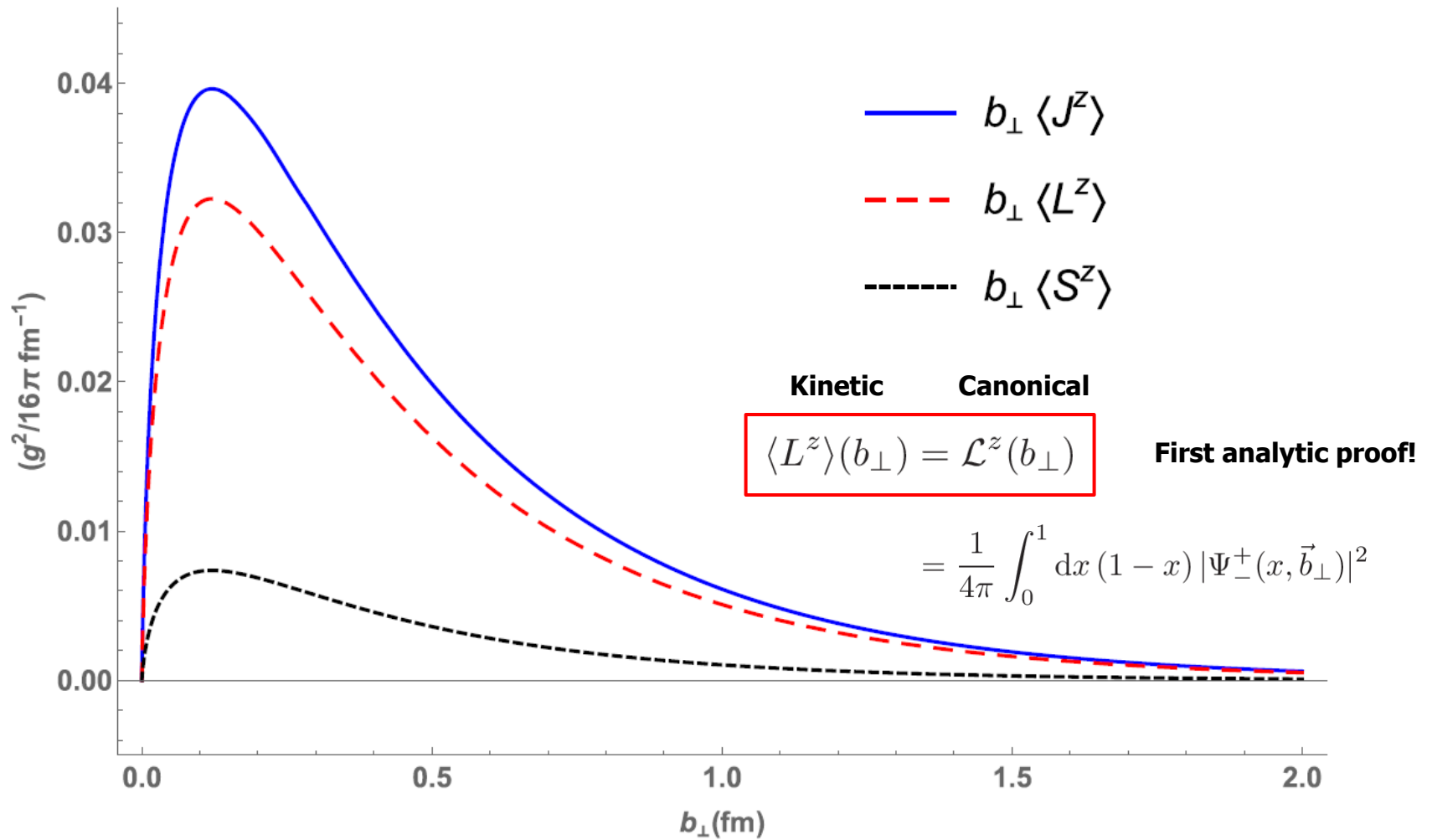
$$\phi(x, \vec{k}_\perp^2) = -\frac{g\sqrt{1-x}}{\vec{k}_\perp^2 - \Lambda^2}, \quad \Lambda^2 = xm_D^2 + (1-x)m^2 - x(1-x)M^2$$

Diquark

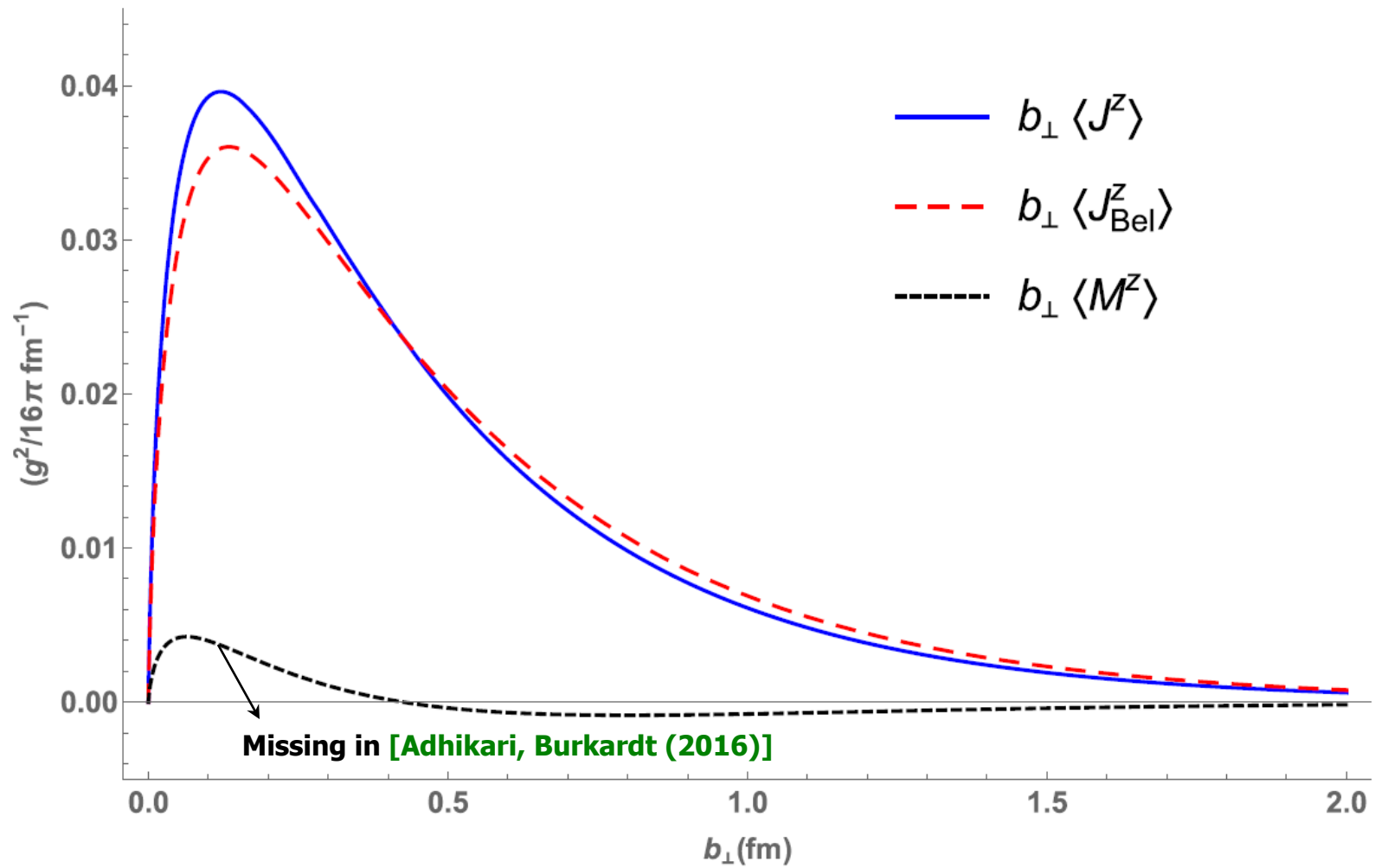
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Nucleon

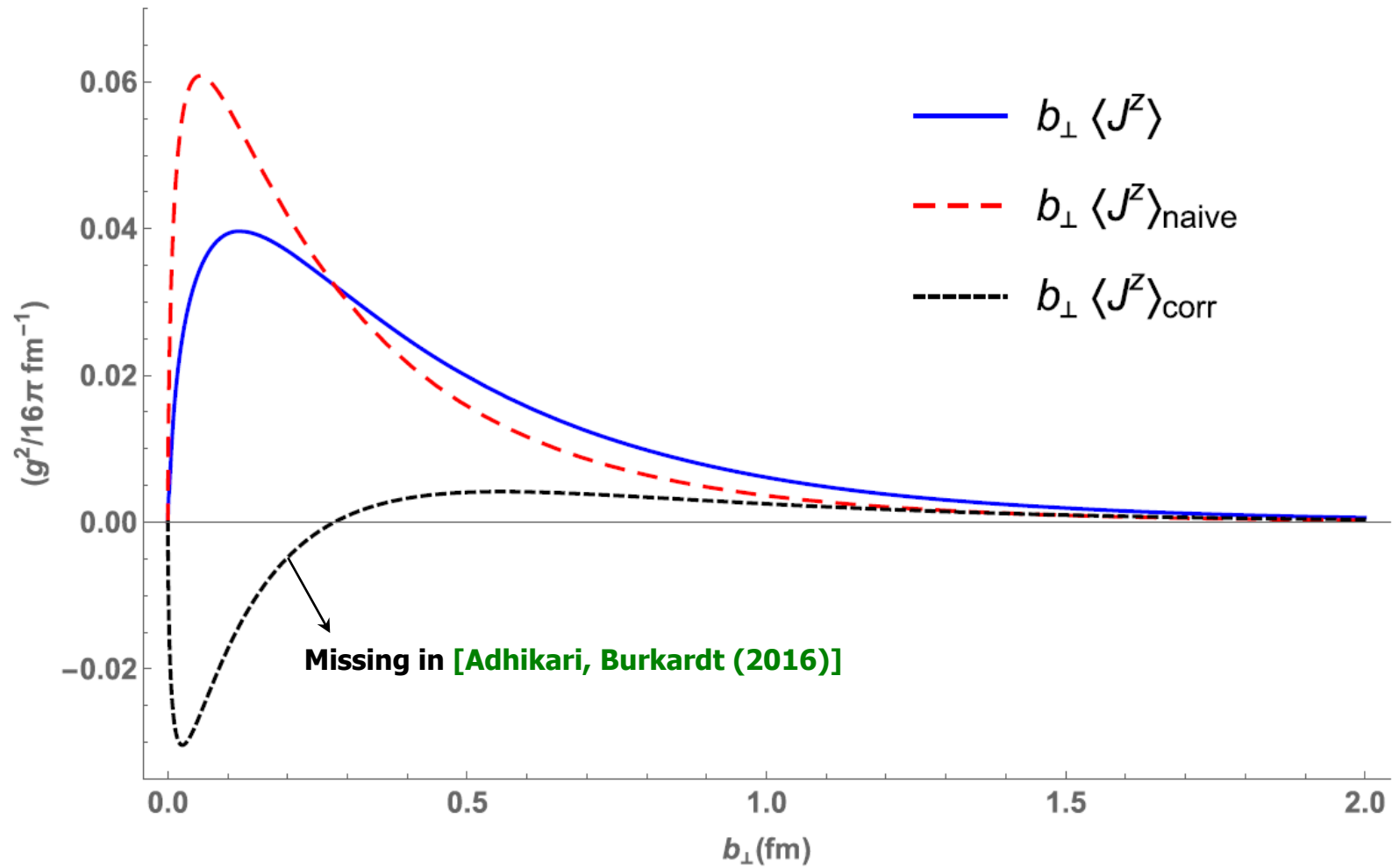
Scalar diquark model



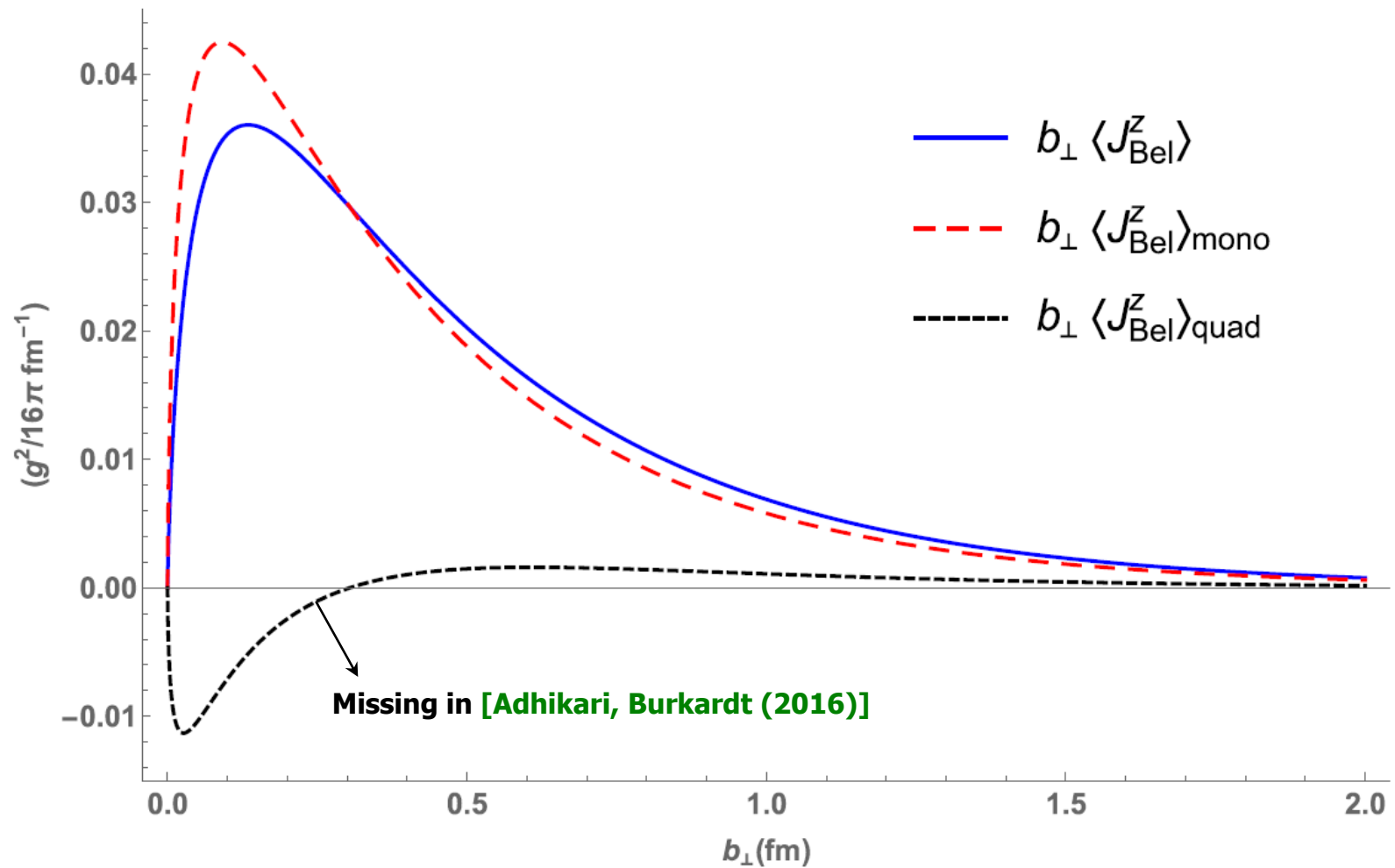
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Polarized light ions

Our results are valid for any spin-1/2 target !

Opportunities with light ions:

- **Flavor separation**
- **Nuclear OAM vs hadronic OAM**
- **Controlled OAM state ?**
- **Nuclear medium modification**
- **Higher spin**

Summary

- **Because of spin, the EMT is asymmetric**
- **AM can be defined at the distribution level**
- **Pay attention to contributions with vanishing integral**
- **Longitudinal AM does not depend on target momentum**
- **Scalar diquark model shows large OAM contribution**
- **Polarized light ions offer many interesting opportunities!**