

Extract Hadron's Partonic Structure from Lattice QCD Calculations

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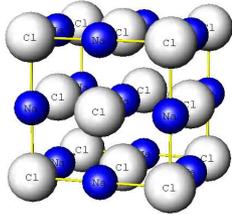
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Based on work done with
T. Ishikawa, Y.-Q. Ma, S. Yoshida, ...
and work by many others, ...

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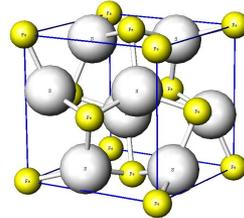
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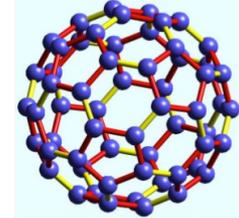
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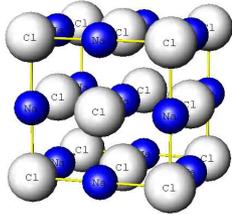
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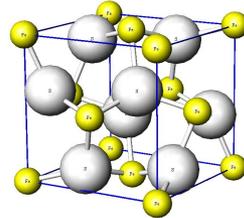
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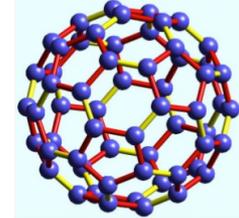
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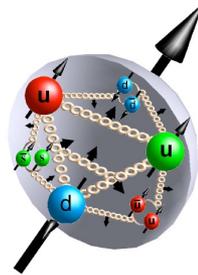
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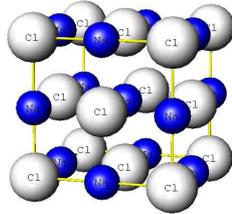
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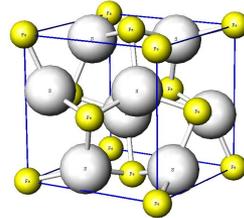
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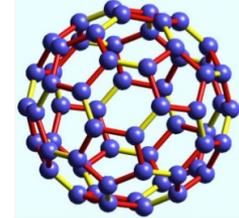
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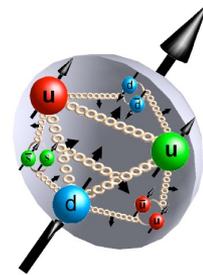
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□ Accessible hadron's partonic structure?

= Universal matrix elements of quarks and/or gluons

1) can be related to **good** physical cross sections of hadron(s)

with controllable approximation,

2) can be calculated in lattice QCD, ...

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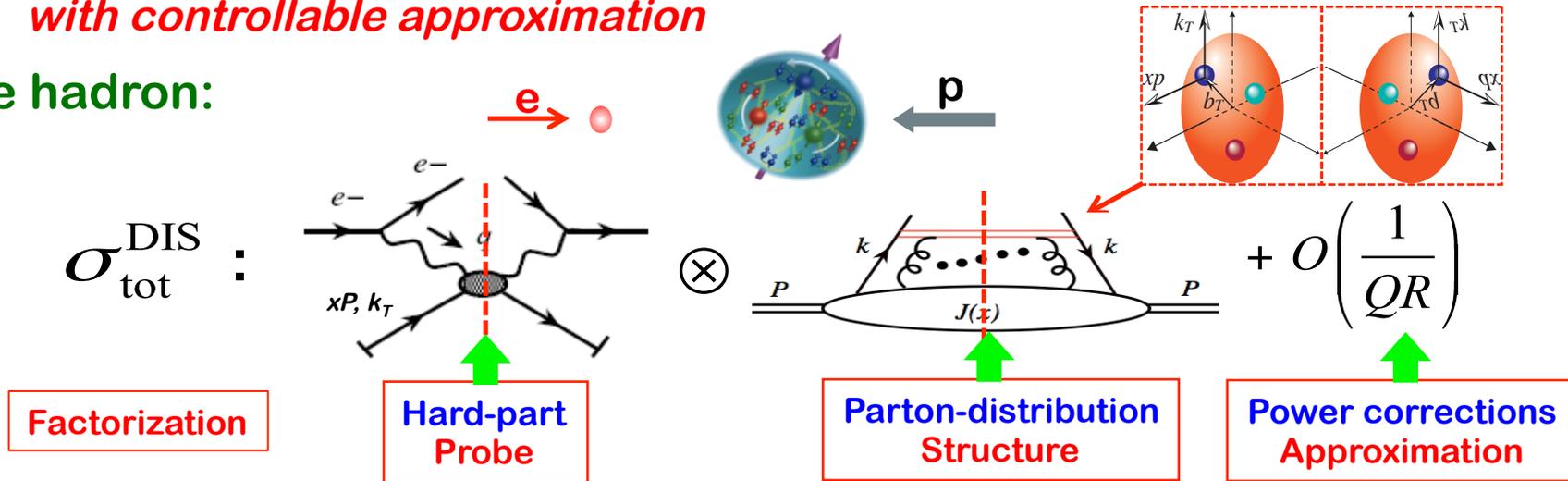
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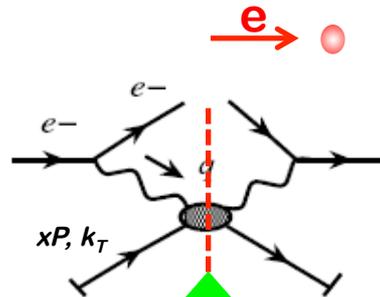
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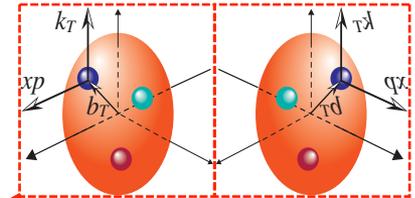
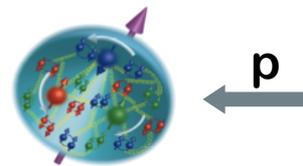
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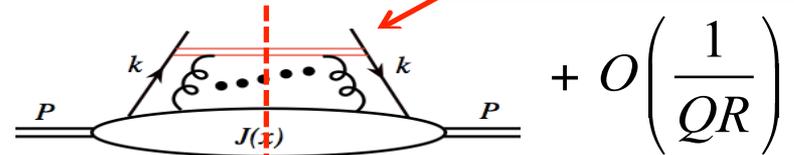


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Hard-part
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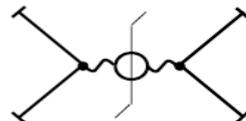
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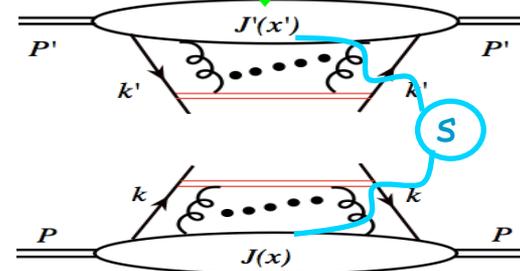
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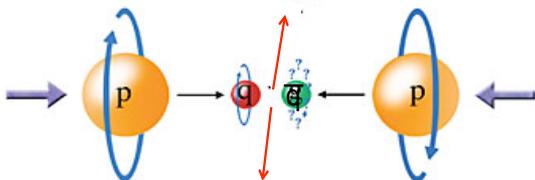
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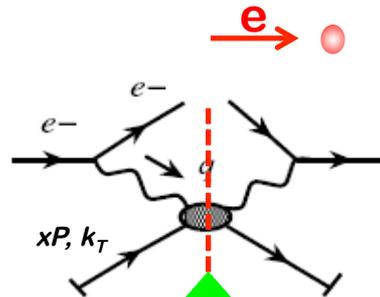
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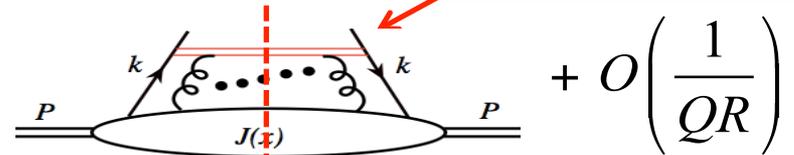
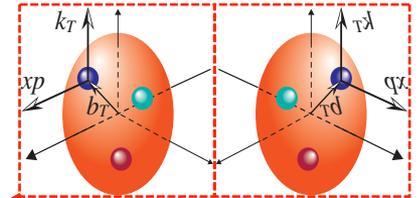
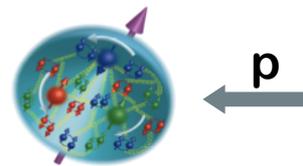
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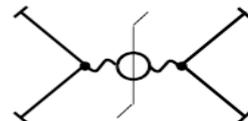
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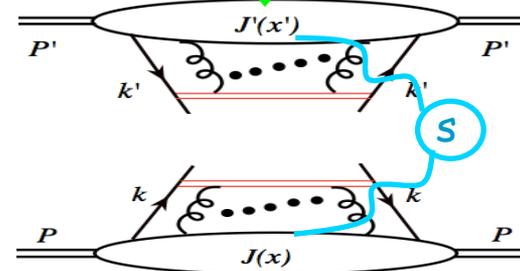
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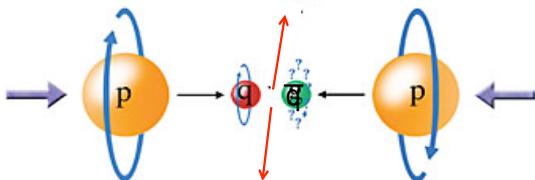
(X)



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❑ Quasi-PDFs:

Ji, arXiv:1305.1539

$$\tilde{q}(x, \mu^2, P_z) \equiv \int \frac{d\xi_z}{4\pi} e^{-ixP_z\xi_z} \langle P | \bar{\psi}(\xi_z) \gamma_z \exp \left\{ -ig \int_0^{\xi_z} d\eta_z A_z(\eta_z) \right\} \psi(0) | P \rangle$$

Proposed
matching:

$$\tilde{q}(x, \mu^2, P_z) = \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} Z \left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{\mu}{P_z} \right) q(y, \mu^2) + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{\Lambda^2}{P_z^2}, \frac{M^2}{P_z^2} \right)$$

+ gluon contribution beyond LO

❑ Pseudo-PDFs:

$$\mathcal{M}^\alpha(\nu = p \cdot \xi, \xi^2) \equiv \langle p | \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^\alpha \Phi_\nu(0, \xi, \nu \cdot A) \psi(\xi) | p \rangle$$

Radyushkin, 2017

$$\equiv 2p^\alpha \mathcal{M}_p(\nu, \xi^2) + \xi^\alpha (p^2/\nu) \mathcal{M}_\xi(\nu, \xi^2) \approx 2p^\alpha \mathcal{M}_p(\nu, \xi^2)$$

$$\mathcal{P}(x, \xi^2) \equiv \int \frac{d\nu}{2\pi} e^{ix\nu} \frac{1}{2p^+} \mathcal{M}^+(\nu, \xi^2) \quad \text{with } \xi^2 < 0$$

Off-light-cone extension of PDFs: $f(x) = \mathcal{P}(x, \xi^2 = 0)$ with $\xi^\mu = (0^+, \xi^-, 0_\perp)$

❑ Other approaches, ...

“OPE without OPE” (Chambers et al. 2017), Hadronic tensor (Liu et al. 1994, ...), ...

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□ **Good “Lattic cross sections”:**

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$$\mathcal{O}_{j_1 j_2}(\xi) \equiv \xi^{d_{j_1} + d_{j_2} - 2} Z_{j_1}^{-1} Z_{j_2}^{-1} j_1(\xi) j_2(0)$$

with

d_j : Dimension of the current

Z_j : Renormalization constant of the current

Sample currents:

$$j_S(\xi) = \xi^2 Z_S^{-1} [\bar{\psi}_q \psi_q](\xi),$$

$$j_{V'}(\xi) = \xi Z_{V'}^{-1} [\bar{\psi}_q \gamma \cdot \xi \psi_{q'}](\xi),$$

$$j_V(\xi) = \xi Z_V^{-1} [\bar{\psi}_q \gamma \cdot \xi \psi_q](\xi),$$

$$j_G(\xi) = \xi^3 Z_G^{-1} [-\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu}^c F_{\mu\nu}^c](\xi), \dots$$

□ Quasi- and pseudo-PDFs:

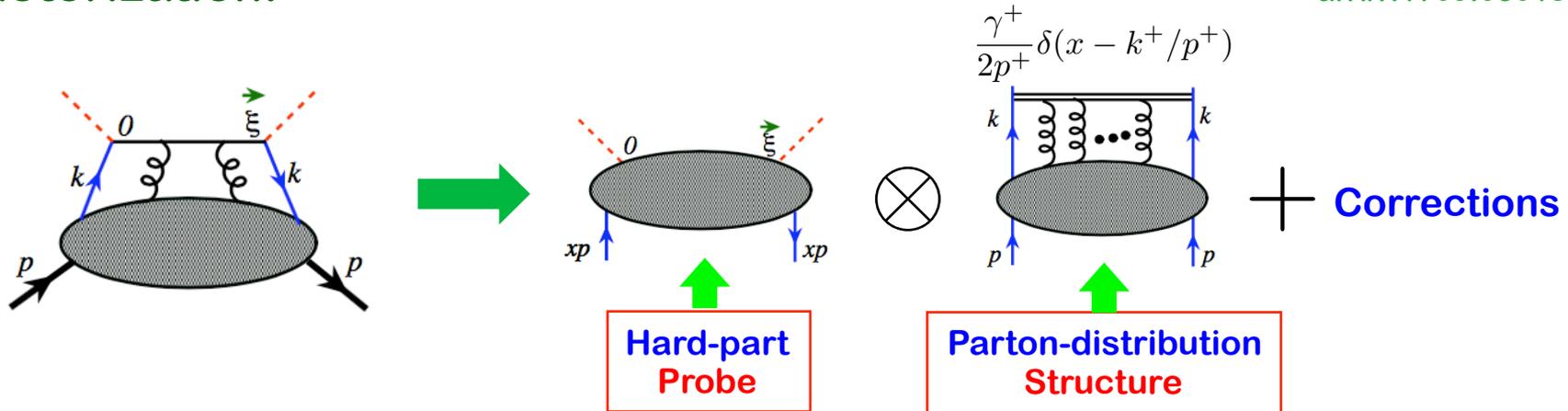
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Complementarity and advantages:

- ✧ Complementary to existing approaches for extracting PDFs,
- ✧ Quasi-PDFs and pseudo-PDFs are special cases,
- ✧ Have tremendous potentials:

Neutron PDFs, ... (no free neutron target!)

Meson PDFs, such as pion, ...

More direct access to gluons – gluonic current, quark flavor, ...

David Richards'
talk on Monday

Renormalization – Summary

□ Current-current correlators – take care by construction:

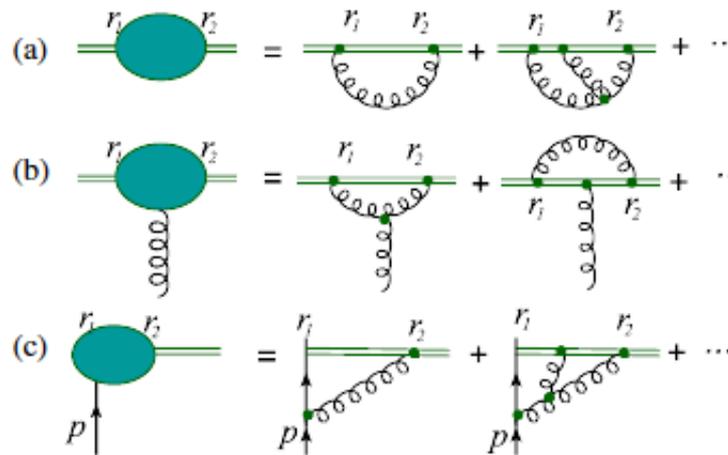
Construct operators by using renormalizable, or conserved currents

□ Renormalization of quasi- and pseudo-PDFs:

Quasi-quark distributions is multiplicatively renormalizable

$$\tilde{q}_i^R(\xi_z, \mu^2, p_z) = e^{-C_i|\xi_z|} Z_{wi}^{-1} Z_{vi}^{-1} \tilde{q}_i(\xi_z, \mu^2, p_z)$$

Three classes of elementary divergent diagrams:



Ishikawa, Ma, Qiu and Yoshida
arXiv: 1701.03108

Pseudo-quark distributions takes care of the UV renormalization by

$$\mathcal{P}(x, \xi^2) \equiv \int \frac{d\nu}{2\pi} e^{ix\nu} \mathcal{M}_{p=p^0}(\nu, \xi^2) / \mathcal{M}_{p=p^0}(0, \xi^2)$$

Different matching

Renormalization – quasi-quark

□ Coordinate-space definition:

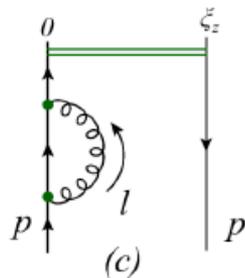
$$\tilde{F}_{q/p}(\xi_z, \tilde{\mu}^2, p_z) = \frac{e^{ip_z \xi_z}}{p_z} \langle h(p) | \bar{\psi}_q(\xi_z) \frac{\gamma_z}{2} \Phi_{n_z}^{(f)}(\{\xi_z, 0\}) \psi_q(0) | h(p) \rangle$$

□ Why the proof is hard:

- Because of z -direction dependence, Lorentz symmetry is broken, hard to exhaust all possible UV divergences
- Renormalization of composite operator is needed

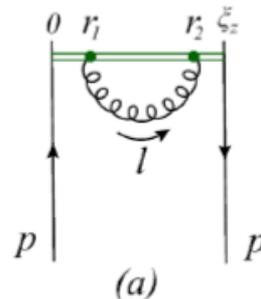
□ Broken Lorentz symmetry:

Both 3D and 4D loop-integration can generate UV divergences



UV: 4-D integration

$$\int \frac{d^d l}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{l^2 (p-l)^2}$$



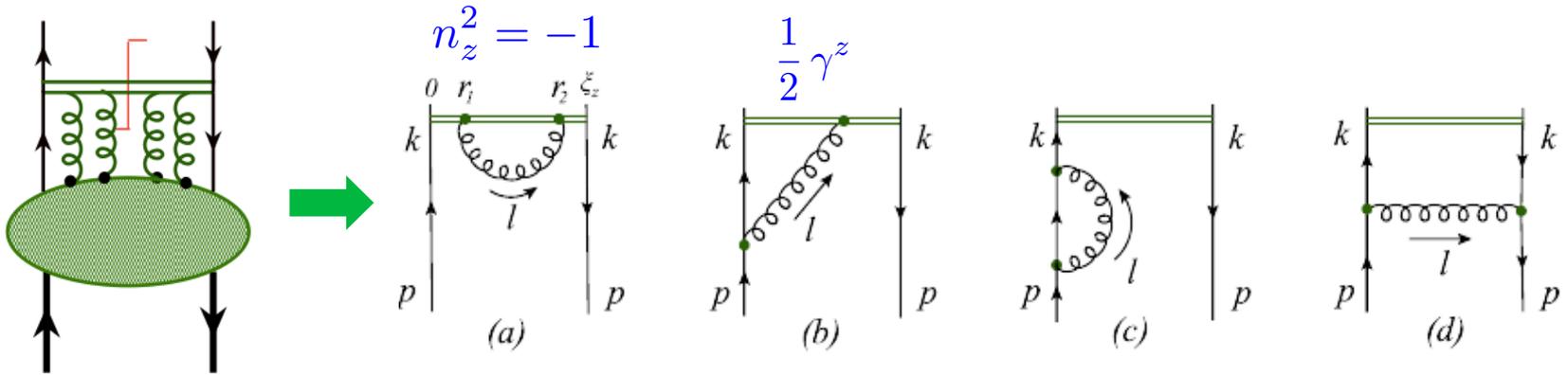
UV: 3-D integration

$$\int \frac{d^3 \bar{l}}{l^2} = \int \frac{d^3 \bar{l}}{\bar{l}^2 - l_z^2}$$

$$l^\mu = \bar{l}^\mu + l_z n_z^\mu$$

Renormalization – quasi-quark

□ Quasi-quark at one-loop:



□ Fig. 1(a):

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{1a} &= \frac{e^{ip_z \xi_z}}{p_z} \frac{1}{N_c} \text{Tr}_c [T^a T^a] \int_a^{\xi_z - 2a} dr_1 \int_{r_1 + a}^{\xi_z - a} dr_2 \\
 &\times \int \frac{d^4 l}{(2\pi)^4} e^{-ip_z \xi_z} e^{il_z(r_2 - r_1)} \left(\frac{-ig_{\mu\nu}}{l^2} \right) \\
 &\times (-ig_s n_z^\mu) (-ig_s n_z^\nu) \text{Tr} \left[\frac{1}{2} \not{p} \frac{1}{2} \gamma_z \right] \\
 &= \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4i\pi^3} \int_a^{\xi_z - 2a} dr_1 \int_{r_1 + a}^{\xi_z - a} dr_2 \int d^4 l \frac{e^{il_z(r_2 - r_1)}}{l^2}
 \end{aligned}$$



$$M_{1a} \stackrel{\text{div}}{=} -\frac{\alpha_s C_F}{\pi} \frac{|\xi_z|}{a} + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{\pi} \ln \frac{|\xi_z|}{a}$$

- ✧ Cutoff “a” between fields
- ✧ Conclusion independent of regulator
- ✧ 3D-integration: $d^4 l = d^3 \bar{l} dl_z$

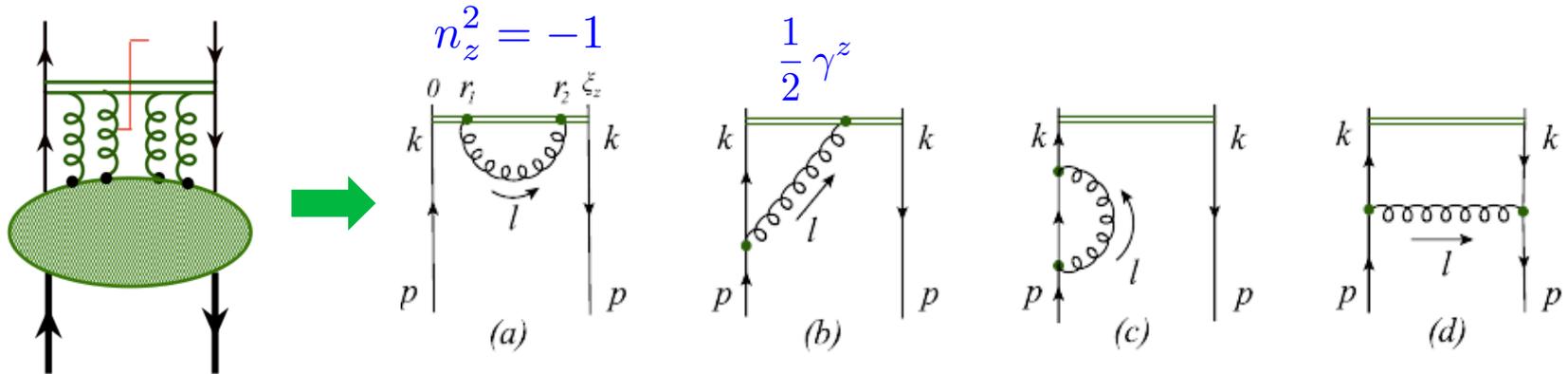
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 \int \frac{d^3 \bar{l}}{l^2} &= \int \frac{d^3 \bar{l}}{\bar{l}^2 - l_z^2} \\
 &= \int d^3 \bar{l} \left(\frac{1}{\bar{l}^2} + \frac{l_z^2}{(\bar{l}^2 - l_z^2)\bar{l}^2} \right) \\
 \int dl_z e^{il_z(r_2 - r_1)} &\stackrel{\sim}{=} 2\pi \delta(r_2 - r_1)
 \end{aligned}$$



1st term vanishes for $r_1 \neq r_2$

Renormalization – quasi-quark

□ Quasi-quark at one-loop:



□ Complete one-loop contribution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 M^{(1) \text{ div}} &\equiv M_{1a} + 2 \times M_{1b} + 2 \times \frac{1}{2} M_{1c} + M_{1d} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{\pi} \left(-\frac{|\xi_z|}{a} + 2 \ln \frac{|\xi_z|}{a} - \frac{1}{4\epsilon} \right).
 \end{aligned}$$

- ✧ At one-loop, all 3D integrations are finite
- ✧ Divergence only come from the region when all momentum components go to infinity

➡ Localized UV divergence in all directions!

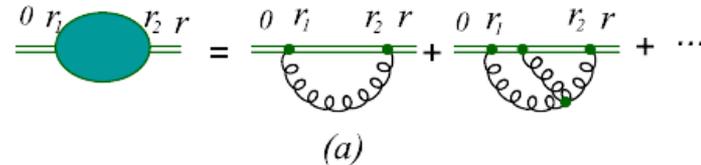
Very different from the UV behavior of normal PDFs: $(1, \lambda^2, \lambda)$, $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$

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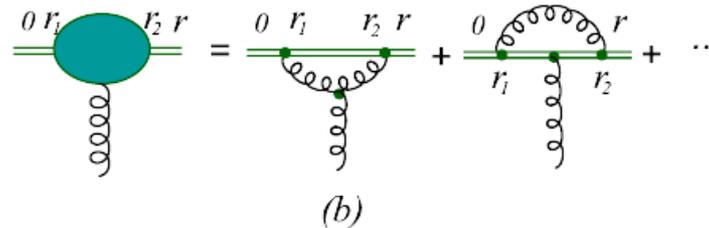
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□ Power counting and divergent sub-diagrams:

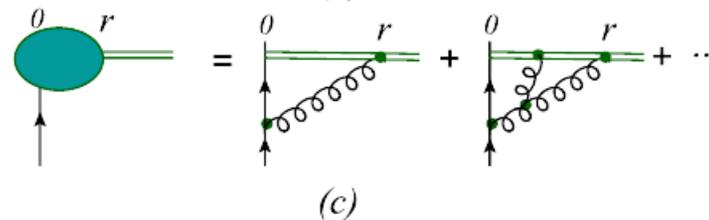
(a) - $1/a$, $\ln(1/a)$:



(b) - $\ln(1/a)$:

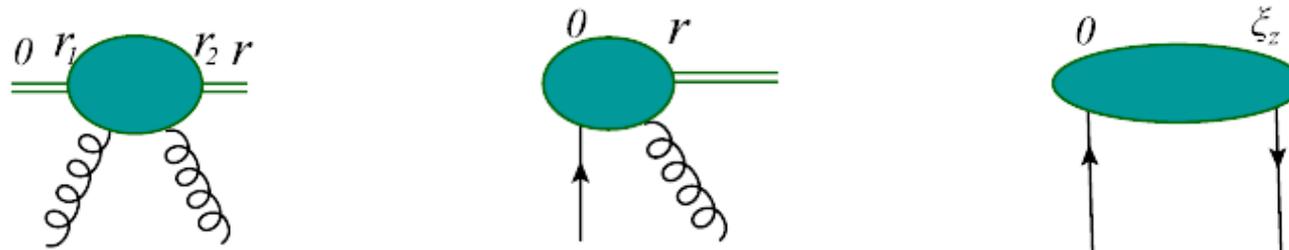


(c) - $\ln(1/a)$:



Happen only when all loop momenta go to infinity – localized!

□ Example of convergent sub-diagrams:



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□ Power divergence:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Diagram 1: } \overline{\overline{0 \quad r}} + \text{Diagram 2: } \overline{\overline{0 \quad r_1 \quad r}} + \text{Diagram 3: } \overline{\overline{0 \quad r_1 \quad r_2 \quad r}} + \dots \\
 & 1 + c \int_0^r dr_1 + c^2 \int_0^r dr_1 \int_{r_1}^r dr_2 + \dots \\
 & = \mathcal{P}e^{c \int_0^r dr'} = e^{c r},
 \end{aligned}$$

- It is allowed to introduce an overall factor $e^{-c|\xi_z|}$ to remove all power UV divergences

□ Interpretation:

- Mass renormalization of test particle

Dotsenko, Vergeles, NPB (1980)

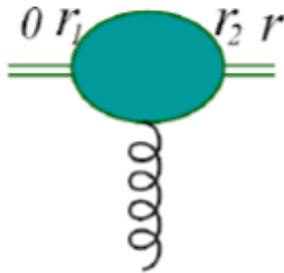
□ Log divergence in from gauge link:

- Besides power divergence, there are also logarithmic UV divergences
- It is known that these divergences can be removed by a “wave function” renormalization of the test particle, Z_{wq}^{-1} .

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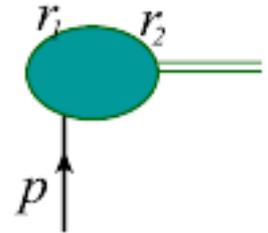
□ Log divergence from gluon-gauge link vertex:



- Logarithmic UV: can be absorbed by the coupling constant renormalization of QCD.

□ UV from vertex correction:

- The most dangerous UV diagram, may mix with other operators
- **Locality of UV divergence: no dependence on $r_2 - r_1$ or p**
- UV divergence is proportional to quark-gaugelink vertex at lowest order, with a constant coefficient
- A constant counter term is able to remove this UV divergence.

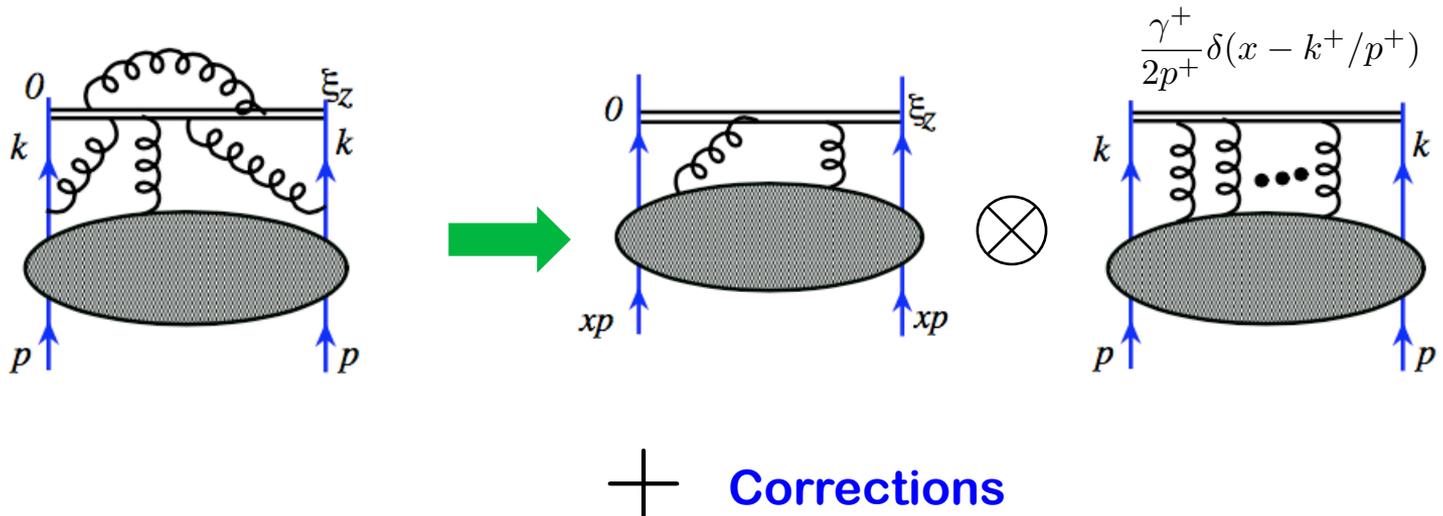


□ Renormalization to all orders:

- Using bookkeeping forests subtraction method, the net effect is to introduce a constant multiplicative renormalization factor Z_{vq}^{-1} for the quark-gaugelink vertex.

Factorization

- Does the renormalized lattice cross section and quasi-PDFs share the same CO properties with normal PDFs?
- Can we extract PDFs from lattice cross section or renormalized quasi-PDFs reliably?



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□ Factorized formula for lattice cross section:

$$\sigma_n(\omega, \xi^2, P^2) = \sum_a \int_{-1}^1 \frac{dx}{x} f_a(x, \mu^2) \times K_n^a(x\omega, \xi^2, x^2 P^2, \mu^2) + O(\xi^2 \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2)$$

with $f_a(x, \mu^2) = -f_a(-x, \mu^2)$

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- ✧ If we fix ξ to be short-distance, while we increase ω by adjusting p , we can't introduce any new perturbative divergence
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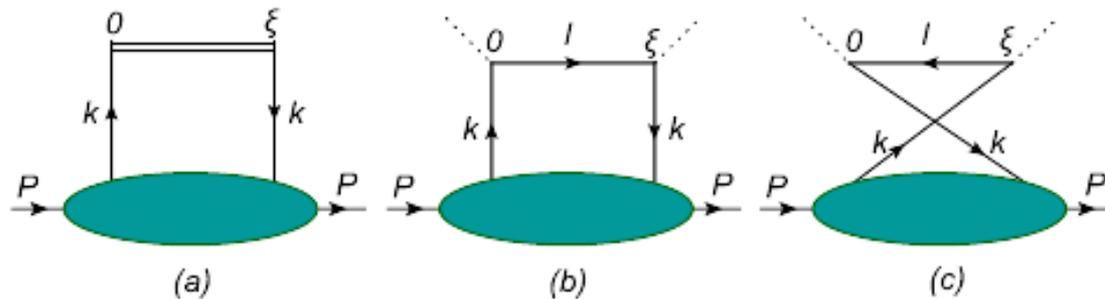


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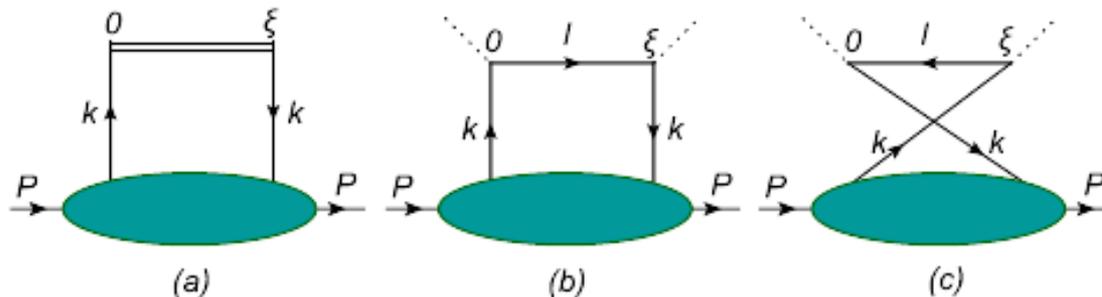


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Flavor change current
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modulo $O(\alpha_s)$ corrections and higher twist corrections.

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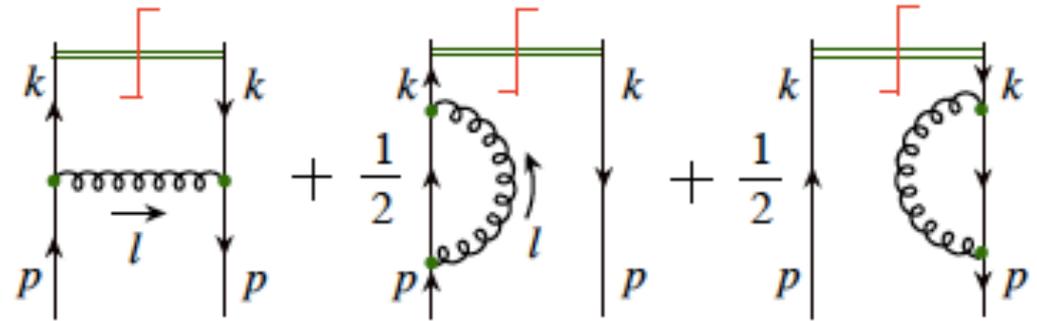
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Same diagrams for both

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But, in different gauge:

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□ Gluon propagator in $n_z \cdot A = 0$:

$$\tilde{d}^{\alpha\beta}(l) = -g^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{l^\alpha n_z^\beta + n_z^\alpha l^\beta}{l_z} - \frac{n_z^2 l^\alpha l^\beta}{l_z^2}$$

$$\text{with } n_z^2 = -1$$

One-loop “quasi-quark” distribution in a quark

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□ Real + virtual contribution:

$$\tilde{f}_{q/q}^{(1)}(\tilde{x}, \tilde{\mu}^2, P_z) = C_F \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \frac{(4\pi)^\epsilon}{\Gamma(1-\epsilon)} \int_0^{\tilde{\mu}^2} \frac{dl_\perp^2}{l_\perp^{2+2\epsilon}} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dl_z}{P_z} [\delta(1-\tilde{x}-y) - \delta(1-\tilde{x})] \left\{ \frac{1}{y} \left(1-y + \frac{1-\epsilon}{2} y^2 \right) \right. \\ \left. \times \left[\frac{y}{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + y^2}} + \frac{1-y}{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + (1-y)^2}} \right] + \frac{(1-y)\lambda^2}{2y^2\sqrt{\lambda^2 + y^2}} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2y\sqrt{\lambda^2 + (1-y)^2}} + \frac{1-\epsilon}{2} \frac{(1-y)\lambda^2}{[\lambda^2 + (1-y)^2]^{3/2}} \right\}$$

where $y = l_z/P_z$, $\lambda^2 = l_\perp^2/P_z^2$, $C_F = (N_c^2 - 1)/(2N_c)$

□ Cancellation of CO divergence:

$$\frac{y}{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + y^2}} + \frac{1-y}{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + (1-y)^2}} = 2\theta(0 < y < 1) - \left[\text{Sgn}(y) \frac{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + y^2} - |y|}{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + y^2}} + \text{Sgn}(1-y) \frac{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + (1-y)^2} - |1-y|}{\sqrt{\lambda^2 + (1-y)^2}} \right]$$

Only the first term is CO divergent for $0 < y < 1$, which is the **same** as the divergence of the normal quark distribution – **necessary!**

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Different treatment for the upper limit of l_\perp^2 integration - “scheme”

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CO, UV IR finite!

→

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where $\Lambda_t = \sqrt{\tilde{\mu}^2/P_z^2 + t^2} - |t|$, $\text{Sgn}(t) = 1$ if $t \geq 0$, and -1 otherwise.

□ Generalized “+” description:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dt \left[g(t) \right]_N h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dt g(t) [h(t) - h(1)]$$

For a testing function

$$h(t) \quad t = \tilde{x}/x$$

Explicit verification of the CO factorization at one-loop

Note: $\Lambda_t \rightarrow \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\tilde{\mu}}{P_z}\right)$ as $P_z \rightarrow \infty$ the linear power UV divergence!

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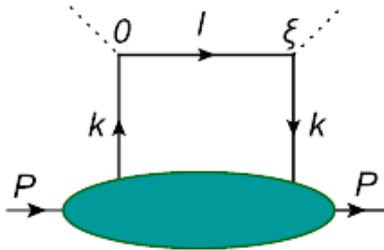
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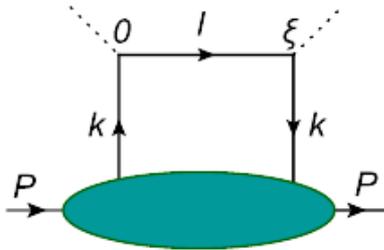
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