12-GeV era Hall C SIDIS experiments

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Analysis from three Hall C experiments in 2018-2019

- Pt-SIDIS wide range of Pt for six (x,Q²) settings with detection of SIDIS π⁺ and π⁻ from proton, deuteron, and aluminum, for 0.3<z<0.9. No graduate student at present. Mostly being analyzed by myself.
- CSV-SIDIS: 26 more settings in (x,Q²) for π⁺ and p and π⁻ from deuteron (and some proton) but limited Pt coverage, again 0.3<z<0.9. Graduate students Hem Bhatt and Shuo Jia.
- Kaon-LT: inelastic π^+ and K⁺ on proton target useful for measuring SIDIS at high z , including the ratio $R = \sigma_L / \sigma_T$

Semi-Inclusive Deep Inelastic Scattering (SIDIS)



We can use SIDIS and the formalism of Londergan et. al. to extract the CSV of quark distributions Londergan, Pang and Thomas PRD54, 3154 (1996)

Few kinematic quantities :

- $x = Q^2 / 2M_p v$: Fraction of proton's momentum carried by the quark (Bjorken x)
- $M_p = mass of proton$
- v = energy Transfer in lab frame (E E')
- $Q^2 = 4$ momentum transfer squared = 4EE'sin²(Θ /2)
- z = fraction of energy transfer carried by outgoing hadron (pion) = $E_h / v = \sqrt{(m_\pi^2 + p_\pi^2) / v}$

Experiments overview

- HMS spectrometer detects electrons at scattering angles from 13 to 49 degrees, momenta from 1 to 6 GeV. Twenty-eight distinct settings: each divided into two (x,Q²) bins. Solid angle 4 msr. Also detects π⁻ and K⁻.
- SSMS detects particles on opposite side of the beam line. At angles from 6 to 30 degrees, momenta from 2 to 7 GeV.
- Beam energy mostly 10.6 GeV, beam currents 2 to 70 μ A
- Targets are 10 cm liquid hydrogen and deuterium, and "dummy' to measure aluminum endcap contributions.
- Trigger was time coincidence between two spectrometers. Typical rate about 3000 Hz.
- Only one hadron per event (unlike open detectors such as CLAS)

Kinematic coverage in (x,Q²) Solid circles are from t-SIDIS, open circles CSV SIDIS CLAS coverage extends to lower x and lower Q²

each circle has 10,000 to 1000,000 events



Kinematic coverage in P_t and ϕ



Additional kinematic coverage provided by electron in SHMS and pion in HMS (only for negative pions)

Data Analysis Tasks Completed (more or less)

- Determination of beam energy and position
- Calibration of beam current monitors
- Beam current correction to liquid target density
- Computer dead time correction
- Debugging and improvements to tracking code
- Electronic dead time correction
- Corrections for multiple trigger signals
- Calibration of spectrometer optics
- Determination of fiducial volume where spectrometer matched to calibration data and Monte Carlo code (SIMC)
- Calibration of all spectrometer detectors
- Mapping of detector efficiencies and purity.
- Processing of raw data into tracked particles with corresponding detector response

Binning For each of 56 (x,Q²) settings With separate files for π , K

- 6 target/polity bins (p+, d+, Al+, p-, d-, Al-)
- 20 bins in z from 0.1 1 to 1 (bin 1 for excl. bin 2 for Delta)
- 15 bins in phi from 0 to 360 degrees
- 16 bins in Pt from 0 to 1 GeV

For each bin:

- 3 choices of PID/efficiency
- Monte Carlo predicted rate for 4 processes

Typically 500 bins with >50 counts for pt-SIDIS, 100 for CSV-SIDIS, kLT Bins used individually in global fitting

Acceptence and radiative corrections using Monte Carlo SIMC

- => Models beam characteristics
- \Rightarrow Models target
- \Rightarrow Transports particles through spectrometer and detectors
- => Includes multiple scattering, ionization energy loss, particle decay
- \Rightarrow Includes Bremstrahlung radiation of incoming and outgoing electron
- \Rightarrow "Internal" radiation in equivalent radiator approximation
- \Rightarrow Four separate reactions are simulated:
- a) SIDIS model assuming factorization, excluding b), c), and d). Run with rad. Corr. On/off.
- b) Exclusive pion production (e N \rightarrow e π N)
- c) Quasti-excluisive production (e N \rightarrow e $\pi \Delta$)
- d) Dirffractive rho production with one pion detected from rho decay

Improvements to SIMC

- Better random number generator
- Checked that parm3000 works sort of o.k. for exclusive pion cross sections from all 3 experiments., but up to 60% discrepancies at some settings. New param2021 in progress.
- Found that param3000 is too big in resonance region: changed to use a look-up table from MAID (resonance region is accessed in radiative corrections)
- Made rough fit to our data on e p -> e π⁻ Delta⁺⁺ reaction since no fit available from anyone else. Also modeled smaller cross sections e p -> e pi+ Delta0, e n-> e pi+ Delta-, e n-> e pi- Delta+
- Made two iterations of fitting the SIDIS data and re-running SIMC. Model has converged to give good agreement in almost all kinematic settings.

Incorporation of HG Cherenkov Efficiency into SIMC



Modeling of high-z region in SIMC



Formalism for P_t and $co(\phi)$ dependence

Cfrom Anselmino et al. 2005

In this way the \mathbf{k}_{\perp} integration in Eq. (1) can be performed analytically, leading to the result, valid up to $O(k_{\perp}/Q)$:

$$\frac{d^{5}\sigma^{\ell p \to \ell h X}}{dx_{B} dQ^{2} dz_{h} d^{2} \mathbf{P}_{T}} \simeq \sum_{q} \frac{2\pi\alpha^{2}e_{q}^{2}}{Q^{4}} f_{q}(x_{B}) D_{q}^{h}(z_{h}) \left[1 + (1-y)^{2} -4 \frac{(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \langle k_{\perp}^{2} \rangle z_{h} P_{T}}{\langle P_{T}^{2} \rangle Q} \cos \phi_{h}\right] \frac{1}{\pi \langle P_{T}^{2} \rangle} e^{-P_{T}^{2}/\langle P_{T}^{2} \rangle}, \qquad (2)$$

where $\langle P_T^2 \rangle = \langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle + z_h^2 \langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle$. The term proportional to $\cos \phi_h$ describes the Cahn effect [1].

By fitting the data [10] on unpolarized SIDIS we obtain the following values of the parameters: $\langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle = 0.25 \; (\text{GeV/c})^2$, $\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle = 0.20 \; (\text{GeV/c})^2$. The results are shown in Fig. 1.

I find $\langle k_t^2 \rangle = 0.10$ and $\langle p_t^2 \rangle 0.20$ works better (see next page). Same $\langle k_t^2 \rangle$ for u and d quarks, same $\langle P_{perp}^2 \rangle$ for favored, unfavored FF

Modeling of SIDIS in SIMC

Model assumes factorization: product of electron scattering (x,Q², epsilon) times fragmentation functions that give multiplicity (mainly a function of z, but added terms depending on Q² and W). Extracted favored and unfavored fragmentation functions for each kinematic setting from simultaneous fit to π^+ and π^- cross sections from deuteron and proton targets (when available). Only used p_{t} settings with complete ϕ^* coverage. Used 12 parameters each for favored and unfavored FF, and two parameters to describe the exponential slope versus p_t as on previous page. Found that using an empirical target mass-corrected variable zprime works better than using normal value of z.

Fit compared to data is shown on next page. By and large, there is a big improvement compared to using older models.



Overview of p_t-scan ratios

- Scans in P_t at two of three (x,Q²) and two large z bins
- Plots show ratios of specified data to data to data for π^{+} on proton
- Curves are predicted ratios from SIMC. Solid is with exclusive tails, dashed in without exclusive tails
- Larger SHMS angle is larger P_t
- Results averaged over ϕ^{*}
- SIMC used same P_t slopes for all cases
- Results show that pt-slope is about the same for π^+ and π^- and proton and deuteron.

Ratios to Hydrogen π+ 15- November-2020



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Fits to $cos(\phi)$, $cos(2\phi)$, and constant

For 0.4 < z < 0.6 VERY PRELIMINARY



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- Similar results at other (x,Q²) bins
- Within Anselmino framework, best fit more or less <k²>=0, if just considering Cahn cos(phi) term. Why is cos(φ) for π⁻ somewhat greater than zero?
- Similar results have been found in Hall C (6 GeV), CLAS, and HERMES for cos(phi) term.
- What other terms might contribute, aside from small positive contributions as in the paper for Brandenburg et al. (SLAC 1995)
- Note: CLAS with 6 GeV electrons also finds small cos(φ) compared to Cahn (Osipenko et al.)

Interpretation of data

- Target-mass corrections of $cos(\phi)$, $cos(2\phi)$ terms?
- Dynamic higher twist corrections
- R = sigL / sigT ?
- Include diffractive rho events in our fragmentation function extractions, or try to treat them separately (or both)
- How reliably can we extract charge symmetry violations from the data (i.e. is valance d in neutron not same as u in proton?
- How reliably can we extract average transverse momentum of u and d quarks from data, as in Anselmino framework?
- How to treat fragmentation from sea quarks (u, d, s)
- Role of photon-gluon contributions in our kinematics?
- Influence of maximum allowed P_t on P_t distributions (as discussed in CLAS 6 GeV paper.

To-do list

- Improve fit to exclusive pion cross sections (including the five (Q2, W) epsilon-separated pi+ values from KLT experiment)
- Improve fit to exclusive Delta(1234) production
- Both of these will benefit from analysis of electron in SHMS, piin HMS (in progress).
- Put new F2 DIS model into SIDIS model.
- Then re-do fit to SIDIS datal and do one final iteration on the radiative corrections. Publish pion SIDIS results
- Start study of SIDIS kaons, especially from KLT experiment because pt-SIDIS and CSV have low statistical accuracy.
- Extend SHMS dp/p coverage to as low as possible (for KLT SIDIS).
 Extract R at high z from KLT data for pi+ and K+ .
- Extract the beam SSA for exclusive and SIDIS