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Transverse momentum imaging

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Plan of these lectures

1. DIS and partons
2. From DIS to SIDIS
3. Symmetries and universality
4. Factorization, evolution, matching
5. Phenomenology

4.1 TMD factorization

Factorized cross section

$$pp \longrightarrow \gamma / Z \longrightarrow l\bar{l} + X$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_T} \sim \mathcal{H} f_1(x_a, k_{T_a}, Q, Q^2) f_1(x_b, k_{T_b}, Q, Q^2) \delta^{(2)}(q_T - k_{T_a} - k_{T_b})$$

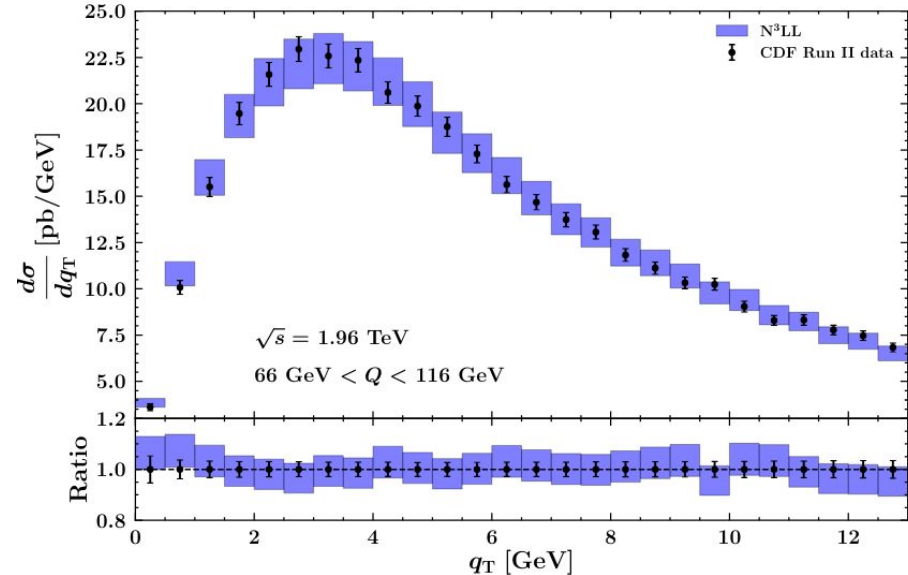
Renormalized
TMDs

[TMD region, $q_T \ll Q$]

+ $\mathcal{O}(q_T/Q) + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda/Q)$ [large q_T and low Q corrections]

Description of data:
essential an
approach with
predictive power

Factorization \rightarrow renormalization
(evolution) of TMDs

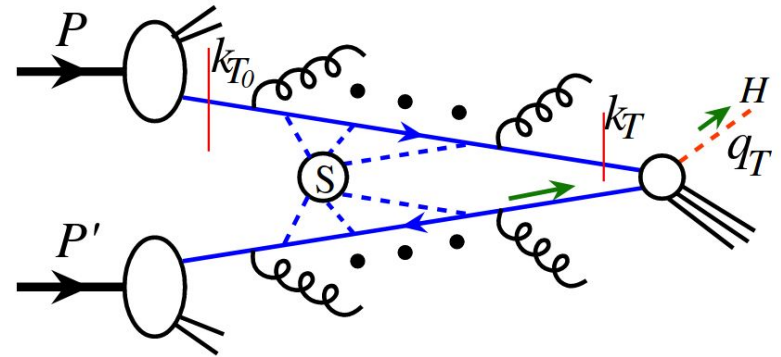


Physical intuition

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- The TMDs reproduce the structure of the **IR poles** in the cross section (same non-perturbative physics)
- The **observed transverse momentum** is accounted for by the transverse momenta of **quarks**
- The quark transverse momentum has **radiative** (perturbative) and **intrinsic** (non-perturbative) components
- Renormalization = **evolution** equations tell us how to distinguish between the two



TMD factorizable processes

Quark TMDs:

- Drell-Yan
- Electron-positron annihilation into two hadrons
- Semi-Inclusive DIS

Gluon TMDs:

- Pseudo-scalar quarkonium production in pp collision
- Higgs production in pp collisions

Processes with jets:

- jet-SIDIS, SIDIS with a identified hadron inside a jet, etc.
- Di-jet production
- e^+e^- into a jet and a hadron
- ...

Approximations

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Large transverse
momentum
corrections:
"Matching" to collinear
factorization at large q_T



Higher twist corrections:
Multiparton correlations (?)

We will probably see an example in
one of the recitation sessions

Approximations

See <https://inspirehep.net/literature/1732230>
(recommended!)

Semi-Inclusive Deep-Inelastic Scattering: Nachtmann variable(s)

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Nachtmann and Bjorken-x are the same up to target mass corrections

$$z_{\text{N}} = \frac{P_{\text{B}}^-}{q^-}$$

$$z_{\text{N}} = \frac{Q^4 x_{\text{N}} z_{\text{h}} \left(1 \pm \sqrt{1 - \frac{4M^2 M_{\text{B}}^2 x_{\text{Bj}}^2 (Q^4 + x_{\text{N}}^2 M^2 \mathbf{q}_{\text{T}}^2)}{Q^8 z_{\text{h}}^2}} \right)}{2x_{\text{Bj}} (Q^4 + x_{\text{N}}^2 M^2 \mathbf{q}_{\text{T}}^2)} \stackrel{\text{Fixed } x_{\text{N}}, z_{\text{h}}, \mathbf{q}_{\text{T}}}{=} z_{\text{h}} \left(1 + O\left(\frac{m^4}{Q^4}\right) \right)$$

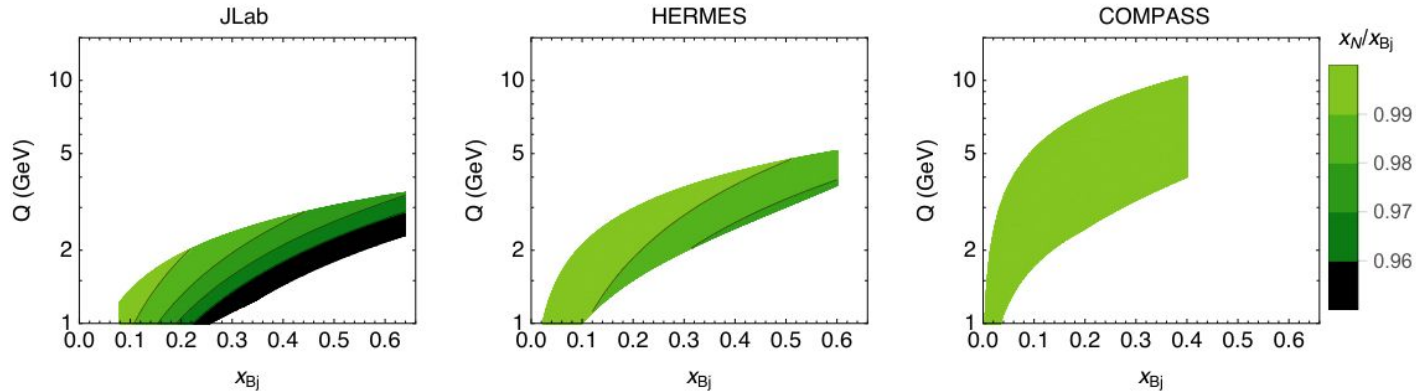
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4.2 TMD evolution

Evolution equations

$$F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu, \zeta) = \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T e^{i \mathbf{k}_T \cdot \mathbf{b}_T} F_a(x, k_T^2; \mu, \zeta)$$

← Fourier transform of a TMD PDF
(b_T conjugated to k_T)

$$\frac{d \ln F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu, \zeta)}{d \ln \zeta} = -D(b_T \mu, \alpha_s(\mu)) , \quad \text{rapidity}$$

$$\frac{d \ln F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu, \zeta)}{d \ln \mu} = \gamma_F \left(\alpha_s(\mu), \frac{\zeta}{\mu^2} \right) , \quad \text{UV}$$

$$\frac{d D(b_T \mu, \alpha_s(\mu))}{d \ln \mu^2} = \frac{1}{2} \gamma_K(\alpha_s(\mu)) , \quad \text{UV}$$

$$\frac{d \gamma_F \left(\alpha_s(\mu), \frac{\zeta}{\mu^2} \right)}{d \ln \zeta} = -\gamma_K(\alpha_s(\mu)) . \quad \text{rapidity}$$



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Evolved TMD distribution

$$F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu, \zeta) = F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu_0, \zeta_0) \quad \rightarrow \text{TMD distribution at initial scales}$$

$$\times \exp \left[\int_{\mu_0}^{\mu} \frac{d\mu'}{\mu'} \gamma_F \left(\alpha_s(\mu'), \frac{\zeta}{\mu'^2} \right) \right] \quad \rightarrow \text{evolution in } \mu$$

$$\times \left(\frac{\zeta}{\zeta_0} \right)^{-D(b_T \mu_0, \alpha_s(\mu_0))} \quad \rightarrow \text{evolution in } \zeta$$

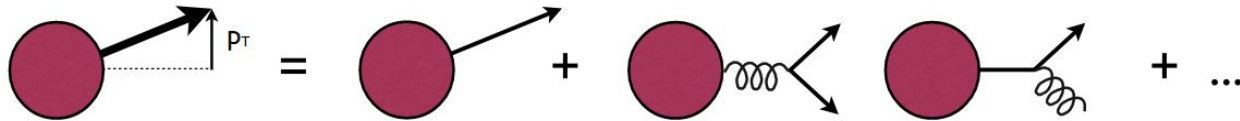
→ this solution is valid **at low b_T**

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Matching with collinear PDFs

→ Also the input TMD contains perturbative information **AT LOW b_T** :

$$F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu_0, \zeta_0) = \sum_b C_{a/b}(x, b_T^2, \mu_0, \zeta_0) \otimes f_b(x, \mu_0)$$



Perturbative transverse momentum generated by the splitting into other partons

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Non perturbative components

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$$\times \left(\frac{\zeta}{\zeta_0} \right)^{-D(b_T \mu_0, \alpha_s(\mu_0))} \boxed{+ g_K(b_T; \lambda)} \quad \rightarrow \text{evolution in } \zeta$$

Non-pert. correction to evolution (large b_T)

$$F_a(x, b_T^2; \mu_0, \zeta_0) = \sum_b C_{a/b}(x, b_T^2, \mu_0, \zeta_0) \otimes f_b(x, \mu_0) \boxed{F_{NP}(b_T; \lambda)}$$

Intrinsic contribution (large b_T)

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Predictive power

Small bT → **perturbative (radiation)** contributions to TMD PDF

Large bT → **non-perturbative (intrinsic)** contributions to TMD PDF

Exercise:

In which kinematic regions is the TMD PDF dominated by small / large bT contributions ?

(or, in which regions is the formalism **predictive** or dominated by **non-perturbative contributions**?)

Hint: think about the shape of the TMD PDF in bT space and where it peaks

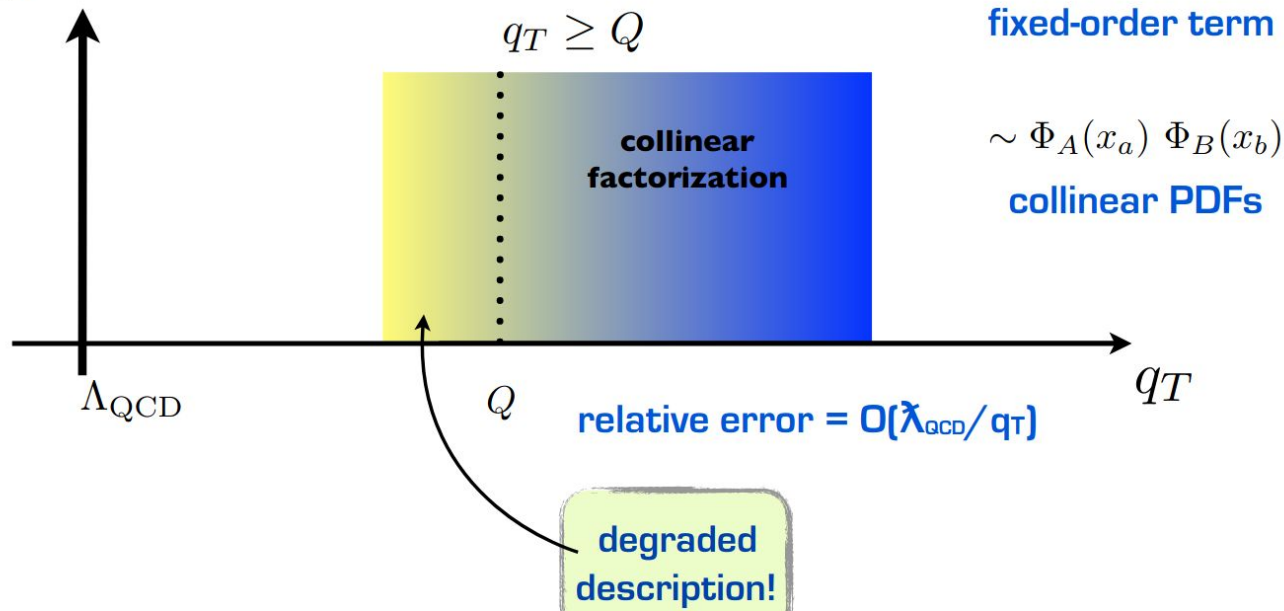
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4.3 Matching

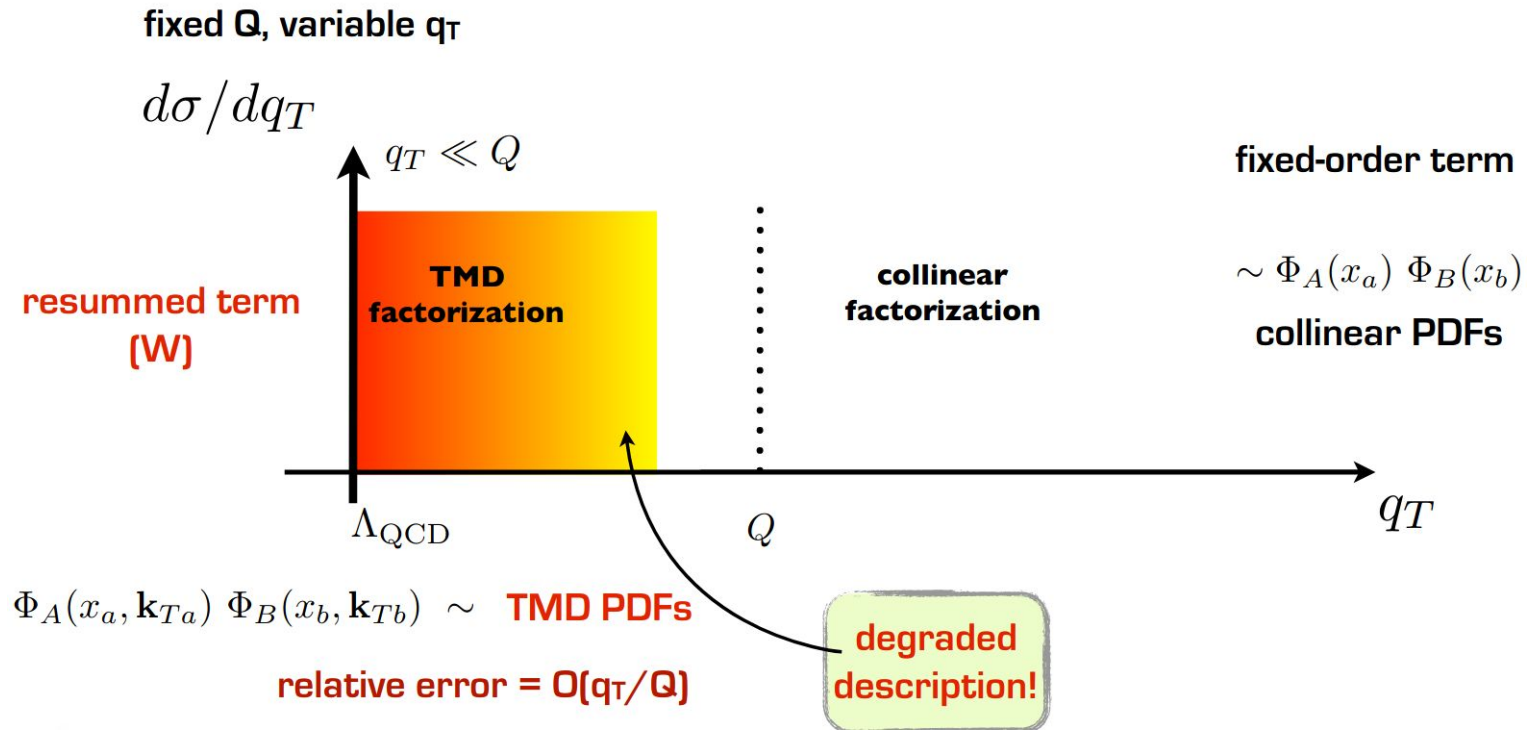
Large transverse momentum

fixed Q , variable q_T

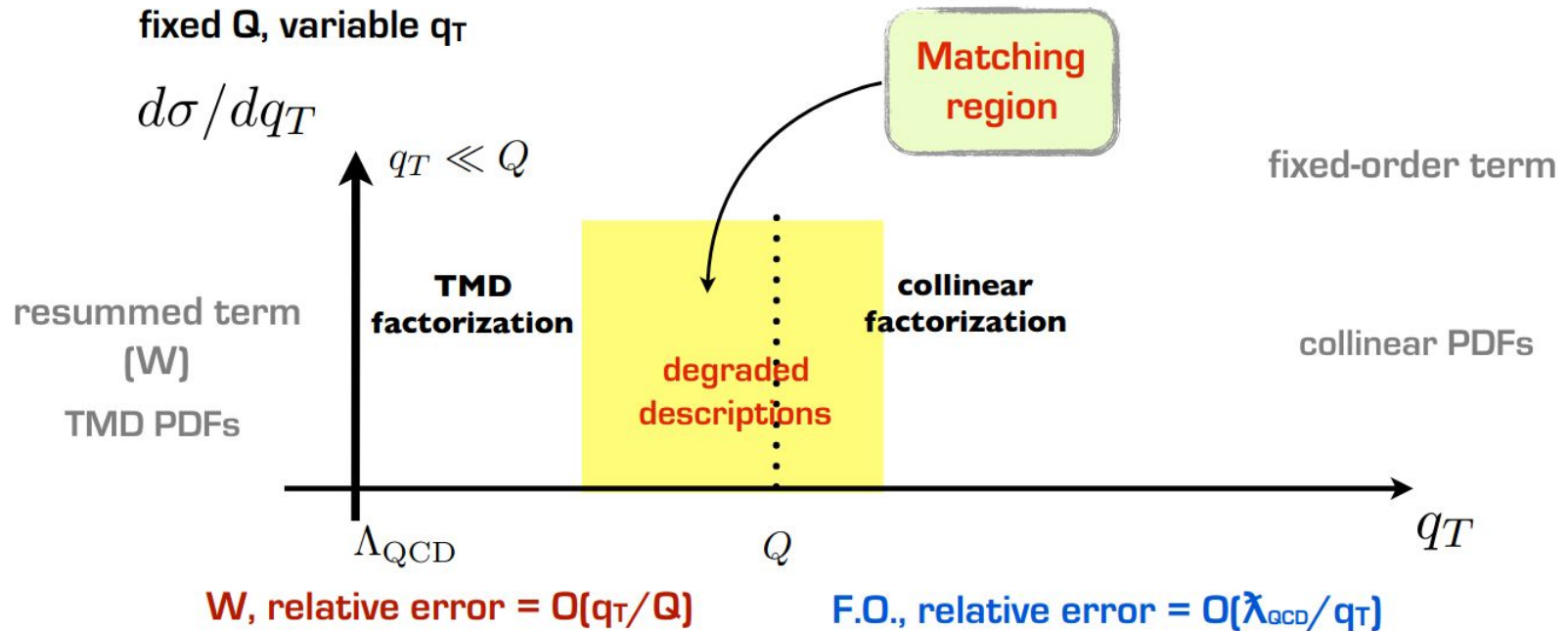
$d\sigma/dq_T$



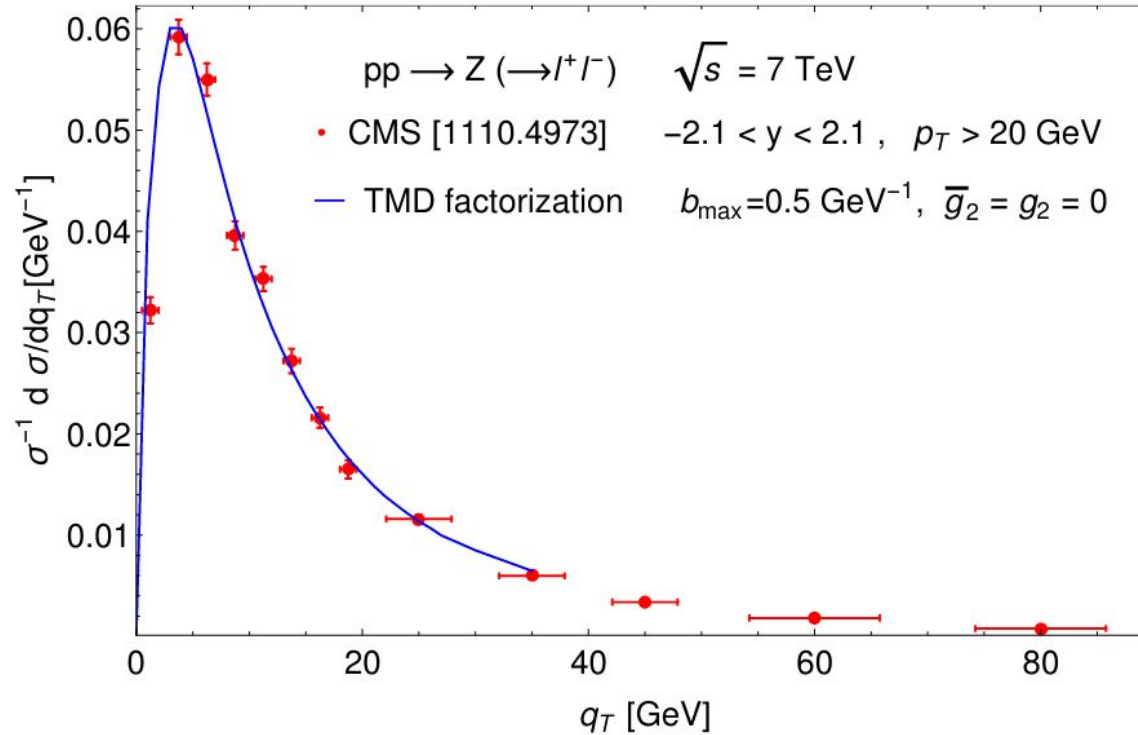
Small transverse momentum



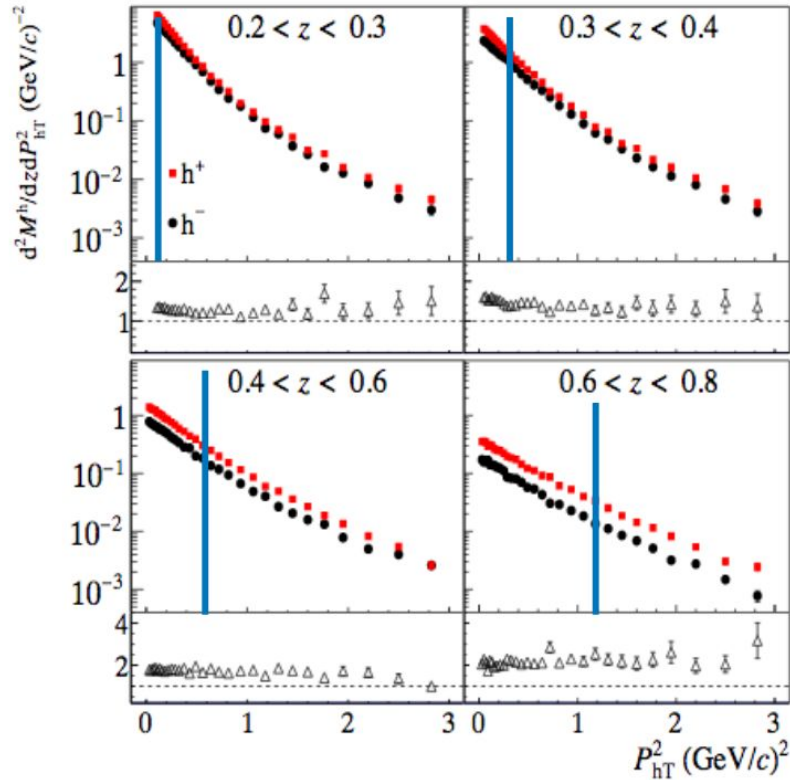
Matching region



Relevance for phenomenology



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SIDIS - TMD region

$$P_{hT}^2/z^2 \ll Q^2$$

Let's highlight

$$P_{hT}^2/z^2 \sim 0.25 Q^2$$

One of the bins with highest Q :

$$\langle Q^2 \rangle = 9.78 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$\langle x \rangle = 0.149$$

COMPASS unpolarized SIDIS multiplicities - [arxiv 1709.07374](https://arxiv.org/abs/1709.07374)