Phenomenological extraction of a universal TMD fragmentation function from BELLE data

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e⁺e⁻ annihilations in two hadrons: $e^+ e^- \rightarrow h_1 h_2 X$



In e⁺e⁻ cross sections, distribution and fragmentation TMDs are convoluted. How can they be disentangled?



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e^+e^- annihilations in one hadron: $e^+e^- \rightarrow h X$





One of the cleanest ways to access TMD Fragmentation Functions*...

BUT

$D^{*}(P_{T})$ is not the same as $D(P_{T})$!!!

Soft Gluon contribution



Soft Gluon Factor:

Double hadron production



Non-Perturbative contribution

Evenly shared by the TMDs

Soft Gluons



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Soft Gluon Factor:

Perturbative contribution

 The TMD FF* is free from any soft gluon contributions

 $D(P_T)$ and $D^*(P_T)$ are different, BUT the relation between D and D* is known!

We can perform combined analyses and disentangle non-perturbative terms.

Relation between FF and FF*

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 $D = D^* \sqrt{M_S}$

SQUARE ROOT DEFINITION

Usual definition of TMDs. Soft Gluon Factor contributing to the cross section are included in the two TMDS and equally shared between them.

FACTORIZATION DEFINITION

Purely collinear TMD, totally free from any soft gluon contribution.

SOFT MODEL

The Soft Gluon Factor appearing in the cross section (process dependent) is **not** included in the TMD

- Same for Drell-Yan, SIDIS and 2-hadron production. (2-h class universality).
- Non-perturbative function (phenomenology).

The $e^+e^- \to hX$ process

The cross section is differential in:



Kinematic Regions

Depending on where the hadron is located within the jet the underlying kinematics can be remarkably different, resulting in different factorization theorems



Everything discussed above refers to Region 2

Rapidity divergencies and thrust in Region 2

ISSUES FROM TREATMENT OF RAPIDITY DIVERGENCES

- Peculiar interplay between soft and collinear contributions → some of the rapidity divergences are naturally regulated by the thrust, T, but those associated with terms which are strictly TMD parts of the cross section need an extra artificial regulator, which is a rapidity cut- off.
- This induces a redundancy, which generates an additional relation between the regulator, the transverse momentum and thrust.
- This relation inevitably spoils the picture in which the cross section factorizes into the convolution of a partonic cross section (encoding the whole T dependence) with a TMD FF (which encapsulates the whole P_T dependence).
- Thrust resummation is intertwined with the transverse momentum dependence, making the treatment of the large T behavior highly non-trivial.
- A proper phenomenological analysis of Region 2 must rely on a factorized cross section where the regularization of rapidity divergences is properly taken into account. All difficulties encountered in the theoretical treatment get magnified in the phenomenological applications.
- In this analysis we adopt some approximations, in order to simplify the structure of the factorization theorem without altering its main architecture.

$e^+e^- \rightarrow hX$ cross section

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Partonic cross section (NLO)

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$$\frac{d\sigma}{dz_h \, dT \, dP_T^2} = \pi \sum_f \int_{z_h}^1 \frac{dz}{z} \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_f}{dz_h/z \, dT} D_{1, \pi^{\pm}/f}(z, P_T, Q, (1-T) Q^2)$$

$$\frac{d\widehat{\sigma}_f}{dz\,dT} = \left[-\sigma_B e_f^2 N_C \frac{\alpha_S(Q)}{4\pi} C_F \delta(1-z) \left[\frac{3+8\log\tau}{\tau}\right] + \mathcal{O}\left(\alpha_S(Q)^2\right)\right] e^{-\frac{\alpha_S(Q)}{4\pi} 3C_F(\log\tau)^2 + \mathcal{O}\left(\alpha_S(Q)^2\right)}$$

TMD Fragmentation Function



Phenomenological parametrization: MD

$$M_D = \frac{2^{2-p} (b_T M)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p-1)} K_{p-1}(b_T M) \times F(b_T, z_h)$$

Power-law model

 $\mathcal{FT}\{M_D\}$

reminiscent of a propagator in $k_{\rm T}$ space

$$\frac{1}{\left(k_T^2 + M^2\right)^p}$$

Multiplicative function modulating the z dependece

Exponential behaviour at $b_T \rightarrow \infty$

Preliminary fits at fixed z show that

- the M and p parameters are VERY strongly correlated
- M requires some z-dependence while p does not vary much with z



$$M_{\rm D} = \frac{2^{2-p} (b_{\rm T} M_0)^{p-1}}{\Gamma(p-1)} K_{p-1} (b_{\rm T} M_0) \times F(b_{\rm T}, z_h)$$

BK parameters do not depend on z
$$M_{\rm D} \text{ MODEL 1}$$

Z-dependence controlled by F
$$\boxed{\frac{\rm ID}{M_{\rm D} \bmod el} (1 + (b_{\rm T} M_z)^2)}_{1 + (b_{\rm T} M_z)^2} \int_{q}^{q} M_0, M_1$$

 $p = 1.51, q = 8$
 $M_z = -M_1 \log(z_h)$

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$$M_D = \frac{2^{2-p_z} (b_T M_z)^{p_z - 1}}{\Gamma(p_z - 1)} K_{p_z - 1} (b_T M_z) \times F(b_T, z_h)$$

BK parameters depend on z

M_D MODEL 2

controlled by the M_z and p_z barameters

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M_D MODEL 2



The z behaviour of M_D is constrained by requiring that the theory lines appropriately reproduce the peak and the width of the measured cross sections,



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0.8 0.9

In this analysis we consider hypothesis for which, asymptotically, $g_{\kappa} = o(b_{\tau})$

$g_{ m K}$ model					
A	$g_{\rm K} = \log \left(1 + (b_{\rm T} M_{\rm K})^{p_{\rm K}} \right)$	$M_{ m K},~p_{ m K}$			
В	$g_{\rm K} = M_{\rm K} b_{\rm T}^{(1-2p_{\rm K})}$	$M_{ m K},~p_{ m K}$			

See talk by A. Vladimirov and Phys. Rev. Lett. 125, 192002 (2020).

Testing different b_T behaviors of g_K allows us to give a reliable estimate of the uncertainties affecting our analysis

Phenomenological results – correlations

Model I



Data selection

 $0.375 \le z_h \le 0.725$, $0.750 \le T \le 0.875$.

 $q_{\rm T}/Q \leq 0.15$

3 parameter fit powers treated as nuisance parameters

-10 < 0.15 (-t- 168)									
$_{}q_{\mathrm{T}}/Q$	$q_{\rm T}/Q < 0.15 ~({\rm pts} = 168)$								
	IA	IB							
$\chi^2_{ m d.o.f.}$	1.25	1.19							
$M_0({ m GeV})$	$0.300\substack{+0.075\\-0.062}$	$0.003\substack{+0.089\\-0.003}$							
$M_1({ m GeV})$	$0.522\substack{+0.037\\-0.041}$	$0.520\substack{+0.027\\-0.040}$							
p^*	1.51	1.51							
q^*	8	8							
$M_{ m K}({ m GeV})$	$1.305\substack{+0.139\\-0.146}$	$0.904\substack{+0.037\\-0.086}$							
$p_{ m K}^{*}$	0.609	0.229							



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Phenomenological results – correlations

Model II



Data selection		$q_{ m T}/Q < 0.15~({ m pts}=168)$		
			IA	IB
$0.375 \le z_h \le 0.725$,	$0.750 \le T \le 0.875$,	$\chi^2_{ m d.o.f.}$	1.35	1.33
$q_{ m T}/Q \leq 0.15$		z0	$0.574\substack{+0.039\\-0.041}$	$0.556\substack{+0.047\\-0.051}$
		$M_{ m K}({ m GeV})$	$1.633\substack{+0.103\\-0.105}$	$0.687\substack{+0.102\\-0.106}$
	3 parameter fit (z₀, Mκ, pκ)	p_k	$0.588\substack{+0.127\\-0.141}$	$0.293\substack{+0.047\\-0.038}$

Phenomenological results – T dependence

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Phenomenological results



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Collins-Soper kernel: comparison to other analyses



Outlook





Extraction of the unpolarized TMD FF, D*, for charged pions from BELLE data (using factorization definition)



2. $e^+ e^- \rightarrow h_1 h_2 X$ Two non-perturbative functions: D*, known from step 1 Soft Model M_s, obtained as ratio: $M_S = D/D^*$



з. SIDIS

Three non-perturbative functions in the cross section D*, known from step 1.

Soft Model M_s, known from step 2.

Extraction of the TMD PDF, F* (in the factorization definition, $F^* \neq F$).

Outlook

The Soft Factor acquires a central role

The focus of phenomenological analyses moves from the TMDs considered as a whole, to the Soft Factor contribution (which encloses the full process dependent part of the TMD).

The Collins-Soper kernel acquires a central role

The focus of phenomenological analyses moves from the TMDs considered as a whole, to the gK function (which embeds the nonperturbative essence of the TMD evolution).

Back-up slides

Phenomenological results – z dependence



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