Transverse Momentum Distributions from Effective Field Theory

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Outline

- Introduction
- Effective field theory Approach
- Numerical Results and Comparison with Data
- Non-perturbative transverse momentum region
- Conclusions

Transverse Momentum Spectrum



Observable of interest





Motivations

- Higgs Boson searches
- W-mass measurement
- Tests of pQCD
- Transverse nucleon structure



Low pT Region

 ${\mbox{ \bullet The schematic perturbative series for the pT distribution for }pp \longrightarrow h + X$



 Resummation has been studied in great detail in the Collins-Soper-Sterman formalism.

(Davies, Stirling; Arnold, Kauffman; Berger, Qiu; Ellis, Veseli, Ross, Webber; Brock, Ladinsky Landry, Nadolsky; Yuan; Fai, Zhang; Catani, Emilio, Trentadue; Hinchliffe, Novae; Florian, Grazzini, Cherdnikov, Stefanis; Belitsky, Ji,....)

Resummation has also been studied recently using the EFT approach.
 (Idilbi, Ji, Juan; Gao, Li, Liu; SM, Petriello; Becher, Neubert)

Low pT Region

 $A(P_A) + B(P_B) \rightarrow C(Q) + X$, $C = \gamma^*, W^{\pm}, Z, h$

• The transverse momentum distribution in the CSS formalism is schematically given by:





- Important in region of small Q_T .
- Treated with resummation.

- Obtained from fixed order calculation.
- Less Singular terms.
- Important in region of large Q_{T} .

EFT Framework

EFT framework

 Low pT region dominated by soft and collinear emissions from initial state:



• Soft and Collinear emissions dominate the low pT distribution: $p_n \sim m_h(\eta^2, 1, \eta), \ p_{\bar{n}} \sim m_h(1, \eta^2, \eta), \ p_s \sim m_h(\eta, \eta, \eta),$

$$\eta \sim \frac{p_T}{m_h}$$

 Hierarchy of scales suggests EFT approach with well defined power counting.

$$m_h \gg p_T \gg \Lambda_{QCD}, \qquad p_T \sim \Lambda_{QCD}$$

EFT framework

 Low pT region dominated by soft and collinear emissions from initial state:



- Colliding parton is part of initial state pT radiation beam/jet:
 - P_a Jet b P_a Jet b P_a Jet b P_b Jet a Jet b P_b Jet b Jet a Jet b P_b Jet b Soft
- Gives rise to impact-parameter Beam Functions (SM,Petriello)
 Analogous beam functions arise in other processes:

(Stewart, Tackmann, Waalewijin; Fleming, Leibovich, Mehen)

Soft recoil radiation is restricted. Gives rise to a soft function.



EFT framework

 $QCD(n_f = 6) \rightarrow QCD(n_f = 5) \rightarrow SCET_{p_T} \rightarrow SCET_{\Lambda_{QCD}}$



Integrating out the top



• Effective Higgs production operator

$$\mathcal{L}_{m_t} = C_{GGh} \frac{h}{v} G^a_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu}_a , \qquad C_{GGh} = \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi} \left\{ 1 + \frac{11}{4} \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) \right\}$$
Two loop result for Wilson coefficient.

(Chetyrkin, Kniehl, Kuhn, Schroder, Steinhauser, Sturm)

Matching onto SCET



• Effective SCET operator:

 $\mathcal{O}(\omega_1, \omega_2) = g_{\mu\nu} h T \{ \operatorname{Tr} \left[S_n (g B_{n\perp}^{\mu})_{\omega_1} S_n^{\dagger} S_{\bar{n}} (g B_{\bar{n}\perp}^{\nu})_{\omega_2} S_{\bar{n}}^{\dagger} \right] \}$

$\begin{array}{c} \underset{(\text{SET}_{n}, -5)}{\bigoplus} & \underset{(\text{SET}_{n}, -5)}{\text{SEET}_{n}} \\ & \underset{(\text{SET}_{n}, -5)}{\bigoplus} & \underset{(\text{SET}_{n}, -5)}{\bigoplus} \\ & \underset{(\text{SET}_{n}, -5)}{\bigoplus} & \underset{(\text{SET}_{n}, -5)}{\bigoplus} \\ & \underset{(\text{SET}$

Schematic form of SCET cross-section:

iBF

PDF



 iBFs and soft functions field theoretically defined as the fourier transform of:

$$J_{n}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_{1},x^{-},x_{\perp},\mu) = \sum_{\text{initial pols.}} \langle p_{1} | \left[gB_{1n\perp\beta}^{A}(x^{-},x_{\perp})\delta(\bar{\mathcal{P}}-\omega_{1})gB_{1n\perp\alpha}^{A}(0) \right] | p_{1} \rangle$$

$$J_{\bar{n}}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_{1},y^{+},y_{\perp},\mu) = \sum_{\text{initial pols.}} \langle p_{2} | \left[gB_{1n\perp\beta}^{A}(y^{+},y_{\perp})\delta(\bar{\mathcal{P}}-\omega_{2})gB_{1n\perp\alpha}^{A}(0) \right] | p_{2} \rangle$$

$$S(z,\mu) = \langle 0 | \bar{T} \left[\text{Tr} \left(S_{\bar{n}}T^{D}S_{\bar{n}}^{\dagger}S_{n}T^{C}S_{n}^{\dagger} \right) (z) \right] T \left[\text{Tr} \left(S_{n}T^{C}S_{n}^{\dagger}S_{\bar{n}}T^{D}S_{\bar{n}}^{\dagger} \right) (0) \right] | 0 \rangle$$

Equivalence of Zero-Bin & Soft Subtractions

• Zero-bin iBF reproduces soft graphs. This is the equivalence of zero-bin and soft subtractions in SCET. (Stewart, Hoang; Lee, Sterman; Idilbi, Mehen; Chiu, Fuhrer, Kelly, Hoang, Manohar;...)

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2dY} \sim H \otimes B_n \otimes B_{\bar{n}} \otimes S$$

Zero-bin Subtraction in order to avoid double counting the soft region.

Equivalent to soft graphs

Factorization in SCET

 $(\text{QCD} (n_f = 5))$

PD

We are here

$$\frac{d^{2}\sigma}{du \, dt} = \frac{(2\pi)}{(N_{c}^{2}-1)^{2}8Q^{2}} \int dn \cdot p_{h} \int d\bar{n} \cdot p_{h} \int d^{2}k_{h}^{\perp} \int dk_{n}^{+}d^{2}k_{n}^{\perp} \int dk_{n}^{-}d^{2}k_{n}^{\perp} \int d^{4}k_{s} \\
\times \int \frac{dx^{-}d^{2}x_{\perp}}{2(2\pi)^{3}} \int \frac{dy^{-}d^{2}y_{\perp}}{2(2\pi)^{3}} \int \frac{d^{4}z}{(2\pi)^{4}} e^{\frac{i}{2}k_{n}^{+}x^{-}-i\vec{k}_{n}^{+}\cdot x_{\perp}} e^{\frac{i}{2}k_{n}^{-}y^{+}-i\vec{k}_{n}^{\perp}\cdot y_{\perp}} e^{ik_{s}\cdot z} \\
\times \delta \left(u - m_{h}^{2} + Q\bar{n} \cdot p_{h}\right) \delta \left(t - m_{h}^{2} + Qn \cdot p_{h}\right) \delta \left(\bar{n} \cdot p_{h}n \cdot p_{h} - \vec{k}_{h}^{2} - m_{h}^{2}\right) \\
\times \int d\omega_{1}d\omega_{2}|C(\omega_{1},\omega_{2},\mu)|^{2}J_{n}^{\alpha\beta}(\omega_{1},x^{-},x_{\perp},\mu) J_{\bar{n}\alpha\beta}(\omega_{2},y^{+},y_{\perp},\mu) S(z,\mu) \\
\times \delta \left(\omega_{1} - \bar{n} \cdot p_{h} - k_{\bar{n}}^{-} - k_{s}^{-}\right) \delta(\omega_{2} - p_{h}^{+} - k_{s}^{+}) \delta^{(2)}(k_{s}^{\perp} + k_{n}^{\perp} + k_{\bar{n}}^{\perp} + k_{h}^{\perp}),$$
Residual light-cone momenta regulate spurious rapidity divergences.

 iBFs and iSF are regulated by kinematics of the process and free of rapidity divergences.

 iBFs are fully unintegrated nucleon distributions instead of TMD pdfs.

(see talks by M.Aybat, I. Cherednikov, J.C. Collins)

In singular gauges, transverse gauge links can be added (Garcia-Echevarria, Idilbi, Scimemi; Belitsky, Ji, Yuan)

Perturbative pT

 The iBFs are matched onto PDFs to separate the perturbative and non-perturbative scales:

• iBF is matched onto the PDF with matching coefficient defined as:

$$\tilde{B}_{n}^{\alpha\beta}(z,t_{n}^{+},b_{\perp},\mu) = -\frac{1}{z} \sum_{i=g,q,\bar{q}} \int_{z}^{1} \frac{dz'}{z'} \mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{\alpha\beta}(\frac{z}{z'},t_{n}^{+},b_{\perp},\mu) f_{i/P}(z',\mu)$$
Proton fragments into
pT radiation beam jet
$$\mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{(0)\beta\alpha}(\frac{z}{z'},t_{n}^{+},b_{\perp},\mu) = g^{2}g_{\perp}^{\alpha\beta}\delta(t_{n}^{+})\delta(1-\frac{z}{z'})$$
• Finite part of iBF in dim-reg gives
matching coefficient at higher
orders.

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 P_a

Factorization Formula

• Factorization formula in full detail:

$$\frac{d^{2}\sigma}{dp_{T}^{2} dY} = \frac{\pi^{2}}{4(N_{c}^{2}-1)^{2}Q^{2}} \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx_{1}}{x_{1}} \int_{0}^{1} \frac{dx_{2}}{x_{2}} \int_{x_{1}}^{1} \frac{dx'_{1}}{x'_{1}} \int_{x_{2}}^{1} \frac{dx'_{2}}{x'_{2}} \times H(x_{1}, x_{2}, \mu_{Q}; \mu_{T}) \mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_{1}, x'_{1}, x_{2}, x'_{2}, p_{T}, Y, \mu_{T}) f_{i/P}(x'_{1}, \mu_{T}) f_{j/P}(x'_{2}, \mu_{T})$$
Hard function.
Transverse momentum function.
PDFs.

• The transverse momentum function is a convolution of the iBF matching coefficients and the soft function:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_{1}, x_{1}', x_{2}, x_{2}', p_{T}, Y, \mu_{T}) &= \int dt_{n}^{+} \int dt_{\bar{n}}^{-} \int \frac{d^{2}b_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^{2}} J_{0}(|\vec{b}_{\perp}|p_{T}) \\ \text{Collinear pT emissions} &\longrightarrow \times \mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{\beta\alpha}(\frac{x_{1}}{x_{1}'}, t_{n}^{+}, b_{\perp}, \mu_{T}) \mathcal{I}_{\bar{n};g,j}^{\beta\alpha}(\frac{x_{2}}{x_{2}'}, t_{\bar{n}}^{-}, b_{\perp}, \mu_{T}) \\ \text{Soft pT emissions} &\longrightarrow \times \mathcal{S}^{-1}(x_{1}Q - e^{Y}\sqrt{p_{T}^{2} + m_{h}^{2}} - \frac{t_{\bar{n}}^{-}}{Q}, x_{2}Q - e^{-Y}\sqrt{p_{T}^{2} + m_{h}^{2}} - \frac{t_{n}^{+}}{Q}, b_{\perp}, \mu_{T}) \end{aligned}$$

Factorization Formula

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} = \frac{\pi^2}{4(N_c^2 - 1)^2 Q^2} \int_0^1 \frac{dx_1}{x_1} \int_0^1 \frac{dx_2}{x_2} \int_{x_1}^1 \frac{dx'_1}{x'_1} \int_{x_2}^1 \frac{dx'_2}{x'_2} \times H(x_1, x_2, \mu_Q; \mu_T) \mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_1, x'_1, x_2, x'_2, p_T, Y, \mu_T) f_{i/P}(x'_1, \mu_T) f_{j/P}(x'_2, \mu_T)$$

• One can express the formula entirely in momentum space:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}^{ij}(x_1, x_1', x_2, x_2', p_T, Y, \mu_T) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int dt_n^+ \int dt_n^- \int d^2 k_n^\perp \int d^2 k_n^\perp \int d^2 k_n^\perp \int d^2 k_s^\perp \frac{\delta(p_T - |\vec{k}_n^\perp + \vec{k}_n^\perp + \vec{k}_s^\perp|)}{p_T} \\ &\times \mathcal{I}_{n;g,i}^{\beta\alpha}(\frac{x_1}{x_1'}, t_n^+, k_n^\perp, \mu_T) \, \mathcal{I}_{\bar{n};g,j}^{\beta\alpha}(\frac{x_2}{x_2'}, t_n^-, k_{\bar{n}}^\perp, \mu_T) \\ &\times \, \mathcal{S}^{-1}(x_1 Q - e^Y \sqrt{p_T^2 + m_h^2} - \frac{t_{\bar{n}}}{Q}, x_2 Q - e^{-Y} \sqrt{p_T^2 + m_h^2} - \frac{t_n^+}{Q}, k_s^\perp, \mu_T) \end{aligned}$$

Fixed order and Matching Calculations

One loop Matching onto SCET

• Wilson Coefficient obtained from finite part in dimensional regularization of the QCD result for gg->h. At one loop we have:

$$C(\bar{n} \cdot \hat{p}_1 n \cdot \hat{p}_2, \mu) = \frac{c \,\bar{n} \cdot \hat{p}_1 n \cdot \hat{p}_2}{v} \left\{ 1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} C_A \left[\frac{11}{2} + \frac{\pi^2}{6} - \ln^2 \left(-\frac{\bar{n} \cdot \hat{p}_1 n \cdot \hat{p}_2}{\mu^2} \right) \right] \right\}$$

(Ahrens, Becher, Neubert, Yang; Harlander, Kilgore; Anastasiou, Melnikov; Ravindran, Smith, Van Neerven)

iBFs

Soft function

Soft function definition:

 $S(z) = \langle 0 | \operatorname{Tr} \left(\bar{T} \{ S_{\bar{n}} T^D S_{\bar{n}}^{\dagger} S_n T^C S_n^{\dagger} \} \right) (z) \operatorname{Tr} \left(T \{ S_n T^C S_n^{\dagger} S_{\bar{n}} T^D S_{\bar{n}}^{\dagger} \} \right) (0) | 0 \rangle$

Running

Running

• Factorization formula:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \mathcal{G}^{ij} \otimes f_i \otimes f_j$$

Schematic picture of running:

Running

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• Schematic picture of running:

Numerical Results

Prediction for Higgs boson pT distribution.

Z-production: Comparison with Data

- Good agreement with data.
- Theory curve determined completely by perturbative functions and standard PDFs.

Non-perturbative region of pT:

 $-p_T \sim \Lambda_{QCD}$

Distribution sensitive to transverse momentum dynamics in nucleon

• iBFs and iSF are non-perturbative:

 $\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$

• Non-perturbative region of pT:

- $p_T \sim \Lambda_{QCD}$

Distribution sensitive to transverse momentum dynamics in nucleon

Unintegrated nucleon

distribution amplitudes

(iBFs)

Inverse Soft function

(iSF)

iBFs and iSF are non-perturbative:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$$

Soft factor can be absorbed into iBFs.
 Plays an important role in TMD formalism.

(See talk by M.Aybat, I. Cherednikov, J.C.Collins)

• Non-perturbative region of pT:

 $\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \tilde{B}_n \otimes \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} \otimes S^{-1}$

• In order to smoothly connect non-perturbative and perturbative regions, we still write

$$\begin{split} \tilde{B}_n = \mathcal{I}_{n,i} \otimes f_i, & \tilde{B}_{\bar{n}} = \mathcal{I}_{\bar{n},j} \otimes f_j \\ \downarrow \\ \text{non-perturbative} & \text{perturbative} \end{split}$$

• Transverse momentum function (TMF) is now non-perturbative

Model function:

$$G_{mod}(p'_{T}, a, b, \Lambda) = \frac{N}{\Lambda^{2}} \left(\frac{p'_{T}}{\Lambda^{2}}\right)^{a-1} \exp\left[-\frac{(p'_{T}-b)^{2}}{2\Lambda^{2}}\right], \qquad \int_{0}^{\infty} dp'_{T} G_{mod}(p'_{T}, a, b, \Lambda) = 1.$$

Model reduces to the perturbative result for large pT:

 $\mathcal{G}^{qrs}(x_1, x_2, x_1', x_2', p_T, Y, \mu_T) \Big|_{p_T \gg \Lambda_{QCD}} = \mathcal{G}^{qrs}_{\text{part.}}(x_1, x_2, x_1', x_2', p_T, Y, \mu_T) + \mathcal{O}(\frac{\Lambda_{QCD}}{p_T}).$

Similar to analysis done in CSS with "bmax".

Including the Non-Perturbative Region

 pT spectrum including the non-perturbative region

 Model dependence restricted only to non-perturbative region as expected.

Summary

• Factorization formula:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dp_T^2 dY} \sim H \otimes \mathcal{G}^{ij} \otimes f_i \otimes f_j$$

 Perturbative pT distribution given in terms of perturbatively calculable functions and the standard PDFs.

• Non-perturbative pT region determined by unintegrated nucleon distributions (iBFs) and inverse soft function (iSF).

 Smooth transition for spectrum from non-perturbative pT to perturbative pT and large pT.

 Performed NLL resummation and found good agreement with data.

Backup Slides

$$\frac{d^2 \sigma_{Z,q\bar{q}}}{dp_T^2 dY} = \frac{4\pi^2}{3} \frac{\alpha}{\sin^2 \theta_W} e_{q\bar{q}}^2 \frac{1}{s \, p_T^2} \sum_{m,n} \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu_R)}{2\pi}\right)^n {}_n D_m \ln^m \frac{M_Z^2}{p_T^2}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \mbox{leading logarithmic} : \ \alpha_s^n L^{2n-1}, \\ \ \mbox{next-to-leading logarithmic} : \ \alpha_s^n L^{2n-2}, \\ \ \mbox{next-to-leading logarithmic} : \ \alpha_s^n L^{2n-3}. \end{array}$$

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{du\,dt} = \sum_{qijKL} \frac{\pi F^{KL;q}}{4Q^4 N_c^2} \int d^2k_\perp \int \frac{d^2b_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\vec{b}_\perp \cdot \vec{k}_\perp} \delta \left[\omega_u \omega_t - \vec{k}_\perp^2 - M_z^2 \right] H_Z^{KL;ijq}(\omega_u, \omega_t, \mu_Q; \mu_T) \\
\times J_n^q(\omega_u, 0, b_\perp, \mu_T) J_{\bar{n}}^{\bar{q}}(\omega_t, 0, b_\perp, \mu_T) S_{qq}(0, 0, b_\perp, \mu_T)$$