# SIDIS with CLAS12

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Physics motivation k<sub>T</sub>-effects and Collins asymmetry TMD studies from unpolarized target data TMD studies from polarized target data Target fragmentation Summary



Describe the complex nucleon structure in terms of quark and gluon degrees of freedom using SIDIS



Transverse spin effects are observable as correlations of transverse spin and transverse momentum of quarks.

### Transverse momentum of quarks

$$\mathbf{P} \underbrace{\mathbf{S}}_{\text{(u)ark}} \mathbf{P} \underbrace{\mathbf{k}}_{\text{T}} \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{x} \mathbf{P} + \mathbf{k}_{\text{T}}$$

Mulders & Tangerman (twist-2)



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\cdot k_{T} – leads to 3D description with 8PDFs
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light-cone wave functions.

➢ Gauge invariant definition of k<sub>T</sub>-dependent PDFs introduced
 ➢ Universality of k<sub>T</sub>-dependent distribution and fragmentation functions proven. Sign flip for f<sub>1T</sub>⊥, h<sub>1</sub>⊥ from DY to SIDIS predicted.
 ➢ Factorization proven for small k<sub>T</sub>.

#### CLAS12: Kinematical coverage



### Large Q<sup>2</sup> accessible with CLAS12 are important for separation of HT contributions

### CLAS12: kinematic distributions using LUND-MC



Wide kinematical coverage of CLAS12 allows fine binning in all relevant kinematical variables for all 3 pions.

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### Collins fragmentation: Longitudinally polarized target



•Measure the twist-2 Mulders TMD (real part of interference of L=0 and L=1 wave functions)
•Study the Collins asymmetry with longitudinally polarized target will provide independent information on the Collins function.

### CLAS12: Mulders TMD projections





Simultaneous measurement of, exclusive  $\rho$ , $\rho$ +, $\omega$  with a longitudinally polarized target important to control the background.

### Collins fragmentation: Transverse target



### CLAS12: Transversity projections



Simultaneous measurement of, exclusive  $\rho$ , $\rho$ +, $\omega$  with a transversely polarized target

Collins function required to extract transversity from transverse target SSA measurements

#### **Collins asymmetry & Boer-Mulders Effect**



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More info will be available from SIDIS (HERMES,COMPASS,ZEUS,EIC) and DY (RHIC,GSI)

#### **BM-distribution and transversity GPDs**



Both Lattice and GPD model calculations confirm large BM function! 1



0.04

0.02

-0.02

0

A<sub>UT</sub>(Sivers)

π

0.5

0

Sivers effect

 $\pi$ 

0.5

$$\sigma_{\text{UT}}^{\text{Sivers}} \sim (2-2y+y^2) f_{1\text{T}}^{\perp} \mathbf{D}_{1}$$

π



•L/R SSA generated in distribution

•Hadrons from struck quark have the same sign SSA

•Opposite effect in target fragmentation

Requires: non-trivial phase from the FSI + interference between different helicity states

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### **CLAS12**: Sivers effect projections



Sivers function extraction from  $A_{UT}$  ( $\pi^0$ ) does not require information on fragmentation function. It is free of HT and diffractive contributions.

 $A_{IIT}(\pi^0)$  on proton and neutron will allow flavor decomposition w/o info on FF.



Longitudinally polarized quarks in the transverse target

$$\sigma_{LT}^{\cos\phi} \propto \lambda_e S_T y (1 - y/2) \cos(\phi - \phi_S) \sum_{q,\bar{q}} e_q^2 x g_{1T}^q(x) D_1^q(z)$$



Superior beam polarization at JLAB makes feasible A<sub>LT</sub> measurement (comes for free with transverse target)

### **Higher Twist SSAs**



With  $H_1^{\perp}(\pi^0) \approx 0$  (or measured) Target and Beam SSA can be a valuable source of info on HT T-odd distribution functions

### **Target SSA measurements at CLAS**



No indication of Collins effect for  $\pi^0$  (x20 more data expected)

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#### Beam SSA: CLAS @ 12 GeV



Measurements of kinematic  $(x,Q^2,z,P_T)$  dependences of beam SSA will provide a test of its HT nature and will probe HT distribution functions

### k<sub>T</sub>-dependent SIDIS



Precision measurements of azimuthal moments required to study kinematic and flavor dependences ( $\mu_0^{\ u}$  and  $\mu_0^{\ d}$ ) of transverse momentum distributions of quarks



Analysis of the polarized data, requires detailed knowledge of quark transverse momentum dependent distributions from unpolarized data and may provide additional info on difference in widths of  $k_{\tau}$  distributions

### Cahn effect in the target fragmentation



High statistics of CLAS12 will allow studies of Q<sup>2</sup> dependence of the Cahn effect in current and target fragmentation region

## Sivers effect in the target fragmentation



# High statistics of CLAS12 will allow studies of kinematic dependences of the Sivers effect in target fragmentation region

A polarization in the target fragmentation



### A.Kotzinian, J.Ellis

A polarization in TFR provides information on contribution of strange sea to proton spin



Wide kinematical coverage of CLAS12 allows studies of hadronization in the target fragmentation region

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## Summary

Study of azimuthal moments in pion production in SIDIS provide important

- Measurement of Collins asymmetry with unpolarized and polarized targets provide access to leading twist chirall-odd distribution functions (Boer-Mulders and transversity distributions)
- Measurement of Sivers function in a model independent way and study the FSI
- SSA measurements in a wide range of Q<sup>2</sup>, would allow studies of higher twist effects and probe T-odd distributions
- SSA measurements in a wide range of P<sub>T</sub> will allow to study the transition from non-perturbative to perturbative description.
- Wide physics acceptance of CLAS12 would allow detailed studies of target fragmentation effects.

## support slides...



Measurements of azimuthal moments in fine bins in x,  $Q^2$ , z and  $P_T$  for all pions will allow studies of flavor dependence of quark transverse momentum distributions.

## **Azimuthal Asymmetries in SIDIS**

• Intrinsic transverse momentum of partons (Cahn 1978)

$$-4\left(\frac{P_{\perp}^{2}}{Q^{2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\frac{a^{2}z}{b^{2}+z^{2}a^{2}}\frac{(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}}{1+(1-y)^{2}}$$

Higher twists (Berger 1980, Brandenburg et al 1995)

$$2\Big(\frac{P_{\perp}^2}{Q^2}\Big)^{\frac{1}{2}}\frac{1}{\mathbf{3}(1-z)}\frac{(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}}{1+(1-y)^2}$$



• Gluon bremsstrahlung (Georgi & Politzer, Mendez 1978) at  $z \rightarrow 1$  $-\frac{\alpha_s}{2}\sqrt{1-z}\frac{(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}}{1+(1-y)^2}$ 

Perturbative contribution negligible at low energies
All known contributions to <cos\$\$\phi\$> and <cos\$ are "flavor blind"</li>

## $\Lambda$ in target fragmentation

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 $\Lambda$  – unique tool for polarization study due to self-analyzing parity violating decay

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Accessing polarized PDFs

with unpolarized target!

(ud)-diquark is a spin and isospin singlet s-quark carries whole spin of  $\Lambda$ = uds  $|\Lambda\rangle$ 

As accessible in CLAS (even at large z) are mainly in the TFR region and can provide information on contribution of strange sea to proton spin

W.Melnitchouk and A.W.Thomas '96

0.9 0.8 0.7 0.6 0.5 0.4 0.3 0.2 0.1 0 **0.5**<sub>28</sub> -0.5 Λ J.Ellis, D.Kharzeev, A. Kotzinian '96 Avakian Dec 14 JLab

X<sub>F</sub>

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## As in TFR: LUND MC vs CLAS data



Shapes of distributions are consistent with LUND MC predictions. H.Avakian Dec 14 JLab



Wide kinematical coverage of CLAS allows studies of hadronization in the target fragmentation region

### SIDIS ( $\gamma^* p \rightarrow \pi X$ ) x-section at leading twist:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dxdydzd^{2}\vec{P}_{h}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}s}{Q^{4}} [x(1-y+y^{2}/2)F_{UU}^{(1)} \rightarrow \frac{f_{1}}{Q} - \frac{f_{$$

The structure functions depend on  $Q^2$ ,  $X_B$ , Z,  $P_{hT}$ 

Brodsky et al 2006

➢ Factorization of k<sub>T</sub>-dependent PDFs proven at low P<sub>T</sub> of hadrons (Ji et al Phys.Lett B 597, 299 (2004))

### **Boer-Mulders effect**



Sideways shift in distribution of transversely polarized quarks in the unpolarized proton may lead to Collins asymmetry for final state hadrons (Burkardt,Diehl,Hagler)

#### Collins asymmetry & Boer-Mulders Effect



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## Cahn effect in the target fragmentation

A.Kotzinian (hep-ph/05103159)



$$-4 \, rac{(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \mu_0^2 \, z_h \, |P_T|}{\mu_H^2 \, Q} \cos \phi_h$$
 $\mu_H^2 \, = \, \mu_D^2 + \, z_h^2 \mu_0^2$ 

Transverse momentum of current quark is balanced by the target remnant

High statistics of CLAS12 will allow studies of Q<sup>2</sup> dependence of the Cahn effect in current and target fragmentation region

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### Flavor decomposition of T-odd $f_{L}^{\perp}$ (g<sup>\pmu</sup>, $f_{1T}^{\perp}$ )

In jet SIDIS with massless quarks contributions from  $H_1^{\perp}$  vanish

$$\sigma_{UU} \propto \left(1 - y + y^2 / 2\right) \sum_{q,q} e_q^2 f_1^q(x) D_1^q(z)$$

$$\sin \phi \qquad G \qquad M \qquad \sqrt{1 - 2} \sum_{q,q} e_q^2 f_1^q(x) D_1^q(z)$$

$$\sigma_{UL}^{\sin\phi} \propto S_L \frac{m}{Q} y \sqrt{1 - y} \sum_{q,q} e_q^2 x f_L^{\perp q}(x) D_1^q(z) \longrightarrow \text{gauge link}$$

With SSA measurements for  $\pi^++\pi^-$  and  $\pi^0$  on neutron and proton  $(\pi=\pi^++\pi^-)$  assuming  $H^{fav}=H^{u\to\pi^+} \approx -H^{u\to\pi^-}=-H^{unfav}$ 

$$xf_{L}^{\perp u}(x) = \frac{4}{15} \Big[ A_{UL,p}^{\pi} \Big( 4u + d \Big) - A_{UL,n}^{\pi} \Big( d + u / 4 \Big) \Big]$$
$$xf_{L}^{\perp d}(x) = \frac{4}{15} \Big[ A_{UL,n}^{\pi} \Big( 4d + u \Big) - A_{UL,p}^{\pi} \Big( u + d / 4 \Big) \Big]$$

With H<sub>1</sub><sup>⊥</sup> (π<sup>0</sup>)≈0 (or measured) target and beam HT SSAs can be a valuable source of info on HT T-odd distribution functions

#### **Collins Effect: azimuthal modulation of the fragmentation function**



### SSA: $P_T$ -dependence of sin $\phi$ moment



Beam and target SSA for  $\pi$ + are consistent with increase with P<sub>T</sub> In the perturbative limit is expected to behave as 1/P<sub>T</sub> H.Avakian, Dec 14 JLab

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## Azimuthal Asymmetries in semi-exclusive limit

• Higher twists (Berger 1980, Brandenburg et al 1995)  $z \rightarrow 1$  dominant contribution u+e-  $\rightarrow$ e-  $\pi$ + d



Dominant contribution to meson wave function is the perturbative one gluon exchange and approach is valid at factor ~3 lower Q<sup>2</sup> than in case of hard exclusive scattering (Afanasev & Carlson 1997)

## Missing mass of pions in ep->e'πX





# Large Delta(1232) contribution makes $\pi$ -different (M<sub>x</sub>>1.5 GeV applied)

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### Azimuthal moments in SIDIS (1/Q<sup>2</sup>)

$$\begin{split} \frac{d^5 \sigma^{\ell p \to \ell h X}}{dx_B \, dQ^2 \, dz_h \, d^2 \mathbf{P}_T} \simeq &\sum_q \frac{2\pi \alpha^2 e_q^2}{Q^4} \, f_q(x_B) \, D_q^h(z_h) \Big[ 1 + (1-y)^2 \\ &+ \frac{4\mu_0^2(1-y)}{\mu_H^2 Q^2} (\mu_D^2 + \frac{z^2 \mu_0^2 P_T^2}{\mu_H^2}) \\ -4 \, \frac{(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \mu_0^2 \, z_h \, |\vec{P_T}|}{\mu_H^2 Q} \, \cos \phi_h + \frac{4\mu_0^4 z^2(1-y) P_T^2}{\mu_H^4 Q^2} \cos 2\phi_h \Big] \frac{1}{\pi \mu_H^2} \, e^{-P_T^2/\mu_H^2} \, , \end{split}$$

# $\cos 2\phi$ : predictions V.Barone



BM is the only mechanism with sign change from  $\pi$ + to  $\pi$ -

Significant asymmetry predicted for HERMES and CLAS
Asymmetry is LT! (not decreasing with 1/Q)

# **DY-experiments**

$$\pi^- + N \rightarrow \gamma^* + X \rightarrow \mu^+ + \mu^- + X$$

NA10(1986) 194-GeV π- tungsten target (145000 events)

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \sim 1 + \lambda \cos^2 \theta + \mu \sin 2\theta \cos \phi + \frac{\nu}{2} \sin^2 \theta \cos 2\phi \,.$$



Figure 3. Impression of possible contributions to  $\nu$  as function of  $Q_T$  compared to DY data of NA10 (for Q = 8 GeV). Dashed curve: contribution from perturbative one-gluon radiation. Dotted curve: contribution from a nonzero  $h_1^{\perp}$ . Solid curve: their sum.

$$h_1^{\perp a}(x, p_T^2) = \frac{\alpha_T}{\pi} c_H^a \frac{M_C M_H}{p_T^2 + M_C^2} e^{-\alpha_T p_T^2} f_1(x),$$
 (50)

E615 Fermilab 80-GeV π-, 252-GeV π+ (1989) – 36000 muon pairs

with 
$$M_C = 2.3 \text{ GeV}$$
,  $c_H^a = 1$  and  $\alpha_T = 1 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$ , which can be used to get rough estimates for other asymmetries.

# SIDIS moments: E665

find that most of the observed asymmetry arises from intrinsic transverse momentum consistent with the conclusions of the EMC analysis.

E665 experiment (490 GeV µp-12k, µd-49k)

60 < v < 500 GeV,  $Q^2 > 3.0 \text{GeV}^2/c^2$ ,  $0.1 < y_{\text{Bj}} < 0.85$ ,  $100 < W^2 < 900 \text{GeV}^2/c^4$   $x_{\text{Bj}} > 0.003$ .  $(= -\frac{4}{2} \sum (|n_1| - n_2))$ 





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# SIDIS moments: EMC(1986)

#### EMC experiment (280 GeV µp-27k)

280 GeV were incident on a 1 m long liquid hydrogen target  $Q^2 > 4 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $40 < W^2 < 450 \text{ GeV}^2$ , v > 20 (

#### y < 0.8

the model. Variations of the parameters of the model indicate that hard QCD processes contribute only a small amount to the non-zero  $\langle \cos \phi \rangle$ , while a value of  $\langle K_T^2 \rangle \ge (0.44 \text{ GeV})^2$  was indicated for the intrinsic  $K_T$  of the struck quark. The relatively minor contribution of hard QCD processes to the non-zero  $\langle \cos \phi \rangle$  was also suggested by studies of  $\langle \cos \phi \rangle$  as a function of  $p_T$ . The values of  $\langle \cos 2\phi \rangle$  and  $\langle \sin \phi \rangle$ 



## SIDIS moments: ZEUS(1999)

#### ZEUS experiment (38pb-1 ~7700 ev)

Figure 4 compares the data with two LO QCD calculations. Both calculations were made with Q as the appropriate scale, with the Binnewies et al. LO fragmentation function [31] and with the CTEQ4 LO proton parton densities [24]. The LO calculations result in a qualitatively similar behaviour to the LEPTO and ARIADNE Monte Carlo generator predictions.

The analytic calculation from ZEUS (based on the calculation of Chay et al. [5]) includes an estimation of the non-perturbative contribution, from intrinsic  $k_T$  and hadronisation  $p_T$ , and integrates over the whole kinematic range. The results of Ahmed & Gehrmann are purely perturbative at leading order in  $\alpha_s$  and are evaluated at the mean values  $\langle x \rangle = 0.022$  and  $\langle Q^2 \rangle = 750 \text{ GeV}^2$  of the data. The different implementations account for the observed difference in the two predictions; using  $\langle x \rangle$  and  $\langle Q^2 \rangle$  in the ZEUS perturbative calculation leads to agreement with the Ahmed & Gehrmann calculation.

#### **Systematics**

The major systematic errors can be divided into three types: uncertainties due to event reconstruction and selection; to track selection; and to the modelling of the hadronic system. No single systematic uncertainty was larger than the statistical error in the mean of either  $\cos \phi$  or  $\cos 2\phi$ . For both mean values, the largest effects, which approached the statistical uncertainties, were associated with: the inclusion of tracks not associated with the primary vertex; the use

kinematic region studied is 0.2 < y < 0.8 and 0.01 < x < 0.1, corresponding to a  $Q^2$  range  $180 < Q^2 < 7220$  GeV<sup>2</sup>.  $0.2 < z_h < 1.0$ 



Figure 4: The values of  $\langle \cos \phi \rangle$  and  $\langle \cos 2\phi \rangle$  are shown as a function of  $p_c$  in the kinematic region 0.01 < x < 0.1 and 0.2 < y < 0.8 for charged hadrons with  $0.2 < z_h < 1.0$ . The inner error bars represent the statistical errors, the outer are statistical and systematic errors added in quadrature. The lines are the LO predictions from ZEUS with perturbative and non-perturbative contributions (full line), ZEUS with the perturbative contribution only (dashed line) and Ahmed & Gehrmann (dotted line – see text for discussion). For the case of  $\langle \cos 2\phi \rangle$ , the ZEUS total and perturbative predictions are almost identical.