## **Hadron Structure**

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## **Hadron Structure**

How are

- charge and currents
- momentum
- spin and angular momentum

apportioned amongst the quarks and gluons that make up a hadron?

Encapsulated in

- electromagnetic form factors
- unpolarized structure functions and Transverse-momentum-dependent distributions (TMDs)
- polarized structure functions, Generalized Parton Distributions (GPDs), TMDs





### **Paradigm: Pion EM form factor**







#### **Anatomy of a Matrix Element Calculation - I**

*Pion Interpolating Operator* 

Sequential-source propagator

$$\Gamma_{\pi^+\mu\pi^+}(t_f,t;\vec{p},\vec{q}) = \sum_{\vec{x},\vec{y}} \langle 0|\phi(\vec{x},t_f)V_\mu(\vec{y},t)\phi^\dagger(\vec{0},0)|0\rangle e^{-i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{x}}e^{-i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{y}},$$

 $V_{\mu}^{\text{cont}} = Z_V V_{\mu}^{\text{lattice}}; Z_V = 1$  for conserved current





#### Anatomy of a Matrix Element Calculation - II

#### **Construction of three-point function**

Introduce quark propagators

 $U^{ij}_{\alpha\beta}(x,y) = \langle u^i_{\alpha}(x)\bar{u}^j_{\beta}(y)\rangle$  $D^{ij}_{\alpha\beta}(x,y) = \langle d^i_{\alpha}(x)\bar{d}^j_{\beta}(y)\rangle,$ 

Then U-contribution to three-point function given by

 $\Gamma^{U}_{\pi^{+}\mu\pi^{+}} = e_{u} \sum_{\vec{x},\vec{y}} e^{-i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{x}-i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{y}} \text{Tr} \left\{ \gamma_{5}U(x,y)\gamma_{\mu}U(y,0)\gamma_{5}D(0,x) \right\}$ Quark propagator:  $G^{ij}_{\alpha\beta}(x,y) = \langle q^{i}_{\alpha}(x)\bar{q}^{j}_{\beta}(y) \rangle$  satisfies

$$M_{\alpha\gamma}^{ik}(x,z)G_{\gamma\beta}^{kj}(z,y) = \delta_{ij}\delta_{\alpha\beta}\delta_{xy}; \quad G(y,x) = \gamma_5 G(x,y)^{\dagger}\gamma_5$$

Introduce Sequential Quark Propagator  $H^{u}(y,0;t_{f},\vec{p}) = \sum_{\vec{x}} e^{i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{x}}U(y,x)\gamma_{5}D(x,0)\gamma_{5}$ Satisfies:  $M(z,y)H^{u}(y,0;t_{f},\vec{p}) = \delta_{t_{z},t_{f}}e^{i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{z}}\gamma_{5}D(z,0)\gamma_{5}$ 

Finally:  $\Gamma^U_{\pi^+\mu\pi^+} = e_u \sum_{\vec{y}} e^{-i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{y}} \operatorname{Tr}\left\{H^u(y,0;t_f,\vec{p})^{\dagger}\gamma_5\gamma_{\mu}U(y,0)\gamma_5\right\}$ 





#### Anatomy of a Matrix Element Calculation - II

$$\Gamma_{\pi^+\mu\pi^+}(t_f,t;\vec{p},\vec{q}) = \sum_{\vec{x},\vec{y}} \langle 0|\phi(\vec{x},t_f)V_{\mu}(\vec{y},t)\phi^{\dagger}(\vec{0},0)|0\rangle e^{-i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{x}}e^{-i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{y}},$$

Resolution of unity - insert states

 $\langle 0 \mid \phi(0) \mid \pi, \vec{p} + \vec{q} \rangle \langle \pi, \vec{p} + \vec{q} \mid V_{\mu}(0) \mid \pi, \vec{p} \rangle \langle \pi, \vec{p} \mid \phi^{\dagger} \mid 0 \rangle e^{-E(\vec{p}(t-t_i)} e^{-E(\vec{p}+\vec{q})(t_f-t)})$ 







#### **Pion Form Factor**



Charge radius Nguyen et al, 1102.3652

$$\langle r^2 \rangle = 6 \left. \frac{dF(q^2)}{dq^2} \right|_{q^2 = 0}$$

LHPC, Bonnet et al, Phys.Rev. D72 (2005) 054506









### **Nucleon EM Form Factors**

Two form factors

$$\langle p_f \mid V_\mu \mid p_i \rangle = \bar{u}(p_f) \left[ \gamma_\mu F_1(q^2) + iq_\nu \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu}}{2m_N} F_2(q^2) \right] u(p_i)$$

Related to familiar Sach's electromagnetic form factors through







# **Electromagnetic Form Factors**







# **Hadron Structure**







## **Structure Functions - I**



The structure functions are defined in terms of the hadronic tensor:

$$W_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int dz e^{iq \cdot z} \langle N(p,S) \mid J_{\mu}(z) J_{\mu}(0) \mid N(p,S) \rangle$$

Yields two unpolarized structure functions  $F_1(x,Q^2)$  and  $F_2(x,Q^2)$ , and two polarized structure functions  $g_1(x,Q^2)$  and  $g_2(x,Q^2)$ 

Leading twist structure functions: product of currents at light-like  $z^2 \rightarrow 0$ 

In Euclidean lattice QCD, use OPE to write in terms of local operators whose matrix elements we can compute in Euclidean space





#### Structure Functions - II



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#### **Axial-vector Charge**



Luxury of large statistical errors!  $m_{\pi} L < 4$ 

#### M Constantinou, arXiv:1511.00214





#### **Quark Momentum Fraction**

#### RBC/UKQCD 2010: DWF



• Need to go to approach physical lightquark masses: chiral behavior





## **Quark Momentum Helicities**

LHPC, 2010: DWF valence, Asqtad sea







#### **Moments of Parton Distributions**





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# **3D Imaging of Nucleon**







#### **Different Regimes in Different Experiments**



Form Factors transverse quark distribution in Coordinate space

Structure Functions longitudinal quark distribution in momentum space

#### **GPDs**

Fully-correlated quark distribution in both coordinate and momentum space





#### **Generalized Parton Distributions (GPDs)**



ξ is *skewness* 

#### Moments of GPD's

• Matrix elements of light-cone correlation functions

$$\mathcal{O}(x) = \int \frac{d\lambda}{4\pi} e^{i\lambda x} \bar{\psi}\left(-\frac{\lambda}{2}n\right) n P e^{-ig \int_{\lambda/2}^{\lambda/2} d\alpha \, n \cdot A(\alpha n)} \psi\left(\frac{\lambda}{2}n\right)$$

- Expand *O(x)* around light-cone  $O_q^{\{\mu_1\mu_2...\mu_n\}} = \bar{\psi}_q \gamma^{\{\mu_1} i D^{\mu_2} \dots D^{\mu_n\}} \psi_q$
- Off-forward matrix element





## **GPDs and Orbital Angular Momentum**

• Form factors of energy momentum tensor - *quark and gluon* angular momentum

#### Decomposition

- Gauge-invariant
- Renormalization-scale dependent
- Handle on Quark orbital angular momentum

Mathur et al., *Phys.Rev. D62 (2000) 114504* 





# **Origin of Nucleon Spin**







# **Origin of Nucleon Spin - II**







#### **Transverse Distribution - I**







#### **Transverse Distribution - II**

Lattice results consistent with narrowing of transverse size with increasing x

LHPC, Haegler et al., Phys. Rev. D 77, 094502 (2008)

Flattening of GFFs with increasing n







#### Transverse momentum distributions (TMDs)

#### from experiment, e.g., SIDIS (semi-inclusive deep inelastic scattering)

HERMES, COMPASS, JLab 6 GeV, JLab 12 GeV, ..., EIC



#### **Transverse-Momentum Distributions**



# Flavor-Singlet Hadron Structure





# **Flavor-singlet Quantities**







#### **Flavor-singlet: Disconnected Contributions**

#### Parity-violating electron scattering



![](_page_29_Picture_3.jpeg)

![](_page_29_Picture_5.jpeg)

# **Disconnected contributions**

Three-point correlator looks like

$$\begin{split} \Gamma^{\text{disc}}_{N\mu N}(t_f, t, 0; \vec{p}, \vec{q}) &= \sum_{\vec{x}, \vec{y}} \langle 0 \mid N(\vec{x}, t_f) \bar{s}(\vec{y}, t) \Gamma s(\vec{y}, t) \bar{N}(\vec{0}, 0) \mid 0 \rangle e^{-i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x}} e^{-i\vec{q} \cdot \vec{y}} \\ &= \sum_{\vec{x}} \langle 0 \mid N(\vec{x}, t_f) \left( \sum_{\vec{y}} \bar{s}(\vec{y}, t) \Gamma s(\vec{y}, t) e^{-i\vec{q} \cdot \vec{y}} \right) \bar{N}(\vec{0}, 0) \mid 0 \rangle e^{-i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x}} \end{split}$$

Need efficient means of evaluating

$$\sum_{i} \operatorname{Tr}[M^{-1}(\vec{y}, t; \vec{y}, t)\Gamma]$$

Straightforward way: introduce noise vectors such that  $\langle \eta_i \rangle = 0; \quad \langle \eta_i \eta_j \rangle = \delta_{ij}$ 

Solve  $MX = \eta$ : then  $\langle M_{ij}^{-1} \rangle = \langle \eta_j X_i \rangle$ 

Error both from Gauge Noise and from Stochastic noise

Noise-reduction methods

- Partitioning ("dilution") sources have support on, say, 8 timeslices
- Hopping parameter expansion
- Different stochastic sources

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![](_page_31_Figure_1.jpeg)

Isotropic Clover Gauge Generation for Hadron Structure at ORNL and at BlueWaters

![](_page_31_Picture_4.jpeg)

# **Sea Quark Contributions**

![](_page_32_Figure_1.jpeg)

J. Green, <u>K. Orginos</u> et al., Phys. Rev. D 92, 031501 (2015)

![](_page_32_Figure_3.jpeg)

Using *Hierarchical Probing -* A. Stathopoulos, J. Laeuchli, <u>K. Orginos</u> (2013)

<u>A. Gambhir\*, K. Orginos</u>, A. Stathopoulos, arXiv:1603.05988. *\*William and Mary student with SCGSR fellowship at JLab* 

Synergy with computer scientists precision calculation of sea quark contributions now possible

![](_page_32_Picture_7.jpeg)

![](_page_32_Picture_10.jpeg)

# Mixing...

Quark and gluons mix under renormalization

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \ln \mu^2} \left( \begin{array}{c} q^S \\ g \end{array} \right) = \frac{\alpha_s(\mu^2)}{2\pi} \left( \begin{array}{c} P_{qq} & 2n_f P_{qg} \\ P_{gq} & P_{gg} \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{c} q^S \\ g \end{array} \right)$$

The local operators mix as follows:

$$O_{\mu_{1}\cdots\mu_{N}}^{qS} = \frac{1}{2^{N}} \overline{\psi} \gamma_{[\mu_{1}} \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu_{2}} \cdots \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu_{N}]} (1 \pm \gamma_{5}) \psi$$
$$O_{\mu_{1}\cdots\mu_{N}}^{gS} = \sum_{\rho} \operatorname{Tr} \left[ F_{[\mu_{1}\rho} \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu_{2}} \cdots \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu_{N-1}} F_{\rho\mu_{N}]} \right]$$

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#### **Flavor-separated and Gluon Contributions**

![](_page_34_Figure_1.jpeg)

Complete calculation of flavor-separated and gluonic contributions to nucleon spin

Deka et al, arXiv:1312.4816

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{4}\bar{\psi}\gamma_{(\mu}D_{\nu)}\psi + G_{\mu\alpha}G_{\nu\alpha} - \frac{1}{4}\delta_{\mu\nu}G^{2}; \langle P \mid T_{\mu\nu} \mid P \rangle = P_{\mu}P_{\nu}/M$$

![](_page_34_Picture_5.jpeg)

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# **Parton Distributions - II**

Formulation of LQCD in Euclidean space precludes direct calculation of light-cone correlation functions

 $\rightarrow$  LQCD computes Moments of parton distributions New ideas: calculations of QUASI-distributions in *infinite-momentum frame* 

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## ...Flavor Structure

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12 GeV; Future EIC Violation of Gottfried sum rule  $\bar{d}(x) > \bar{u}(x)$ 

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#### Summary

- Lattice Calculations of the simplest quantities are now appearing at physical values of the quark masses
- High-precision calculations of local matrix elements relevant for searches for new physics in, e.g. UCN.
  - To directly explore x distributions, there are now a slew of new ideas... Ji et al, Qiu et al.
- Major effort underway in US in generating lattices designed for hadron structure calculations.

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