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ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES

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- QCD Factorization Controllable Approximation
- Explore the structure of nucleons and nuclei by using "controllable", "sharp" and "local" probes, ...
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Need to identify observables with two-momentum scales:

 $Q_1 \gg Q_2 \sim 1/R \sim \Lambda_{\rm QCD}$ 

 Hard scale: localizes the probe particle nature of quarks/gluons

Soft" scale: could be more sensitive to the hadron structure ~ 1/fm

Hit the hadron "very hard" without breaking it, clean information on the structure!



#### **Lepton-Hadron Deep Inelastic Scattering**



- $Q^2 \rightarrow$  Measure of resolution
- $\mathbf{y} \rightarrow \mathbf{M}$ easure of inelasticity
- $\mathbf{X} \rightarrow$  Measure of momentum fraction

of the struck quark in a proton

 $\mathbf{Q}^2 = \mathbf{S} \times \mathbf{y}$ 

 Many complementary probes at one facility: <u>Inclusive events</u>: e+p/A → e'+X
 Detect only the scattered lepton in the detector (Modern Rutherford experiment – Single hard scale!)
 <u>Semi-Inclusive events</u>: e+p/A → e'+h(p,K,p,jet)+X
 Detect the scattered lepton in coincidence with identified hadrons/jets (Initial hadron is broken – confined motion! – cleaner than h-h collisions)
 <u>Exclusive events</u>: e+p/A → e'+ p'/A'+ h(p,K,p,jet)
 Detect every things including scattered proton/nucleus (or its fragments)

(Initial hadron is NOT broken – tomography!



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#### **Low** $P_{hT}$ – TMD factorization:

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#### □ High P<sub>hT</sub> – Collinear factorization:

$$\sigma_{\text{SIDIS}}(Q, P_{h\perp}, x_B, z_h) = \hat{H}(Q, P_{h\perp}, \alpha_s) \otimes \phi_f \otimes D_{f \to h} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{P_{h\perp}}, \frac{1}{Q}\right)$$

# $\Box P_{hT} \text{ Integrated - Collinear factorization:} \\ \sigma_{\text{SIDIS}}(Q, x_B, z_h) = \tilde{H}(Q, \alpha_s) \otimes \phi_f \otimes D_{f \to h} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q}\right)$

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### **Surprise from COMPASS**

#### □ SIDIS production of charge hadron:

Also see Ted Rogers' talk



Data:M. Aghasyan et al. (COMPASS Collaboration), Phys. Rev. D97 (2018) 032006Theory:B. Wang et al. Phys. Rev. D99 (2019) 094029Jefferson Lab

#### **Theoretical Calculations**



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**Color neutralization needs:** 

- $\diamond$  Large enough phase space to shower
- Sufficiently high multiplicity

 $\diamond$  AND:  $E_{
m pions} \ll E_h$  for factorization

#### Near threshold – low multiplicity? Jefferson Lab

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 $\mathcal{O}\left(D_f(z)\right)$ 





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 $\diamond$  NL power:  $\sigma \propto \frac{1}{P_T^2} \mathcal{D}(z,...) \sim \frac{1}{P_T^2} \delta(1-z)$ 

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Hadronization – "pre-hadron state" – better chance to form hadron Jefferson Lab

#### Calculation of the $P_T$ -suppressed Power Correction

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arXiv:1907.06136 T. Liu & J.W. Qiu

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#### Two-parton fragmentation functions:

 $\times \mathcal{CP} \langle 0|\bar{q}'(y_1^-)[\Phi_n(y_1^-)]^{\dagger}[\Phi_n(0)]q(0)|h(P_h)X\rangle$ 

 $\times \langle h(P_h)X|\bar{q}(y^-)[\Phi_n(y^-)]^{\dagger}[\Phi_n(y^-+y_2^-)]q'(y^-+y_2^-)|0\rangle$ 



**Gauge link:** 

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**D** Pseudoscalar distribution amplitude:  $\phi_h(x,\mu)$ 

$$\begin{split} & \langle 0 | \bar{q}_{a,i} (y^- + y_1^-) (\gamma \cdot n\gamma_5)_{ij} U_{ab} (y^- + y_1^-, y^-) q_{b,j} (y^-) | h(P_h) \rangle \\ &= i P_h^+ f_h \int_0^1 dx \, e^{-ix P_h^+ y^- - i(1-x) P_h^+ (y^- + y_1^-)} \phi_h(x,\mu) \\ &= i P_h^+ f_h \, e^{-i P_h^+ y^-} \int_0^1 dx \, e^{-i(1-x) P_h^+ y_1^-} \phi_h(x,\mu), \end{split}$$

 $U_{ab}(y_2^-, y_1^-) = [\Phi_n(y_2^-)]_{ac}^{\dagger} [\Phi_n(y_1^-)]_{cb}$ 



#### **Partonic Hard Part at Next-to-Leading Power**

#### LO Feynman diagrams:

**Two possible channels** 





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#### **Numerical Estimate – Lower Limit**



#### **JLab Kinematics**

**Differential multiplicity:**  $E_{\text{beam}} = 11 \text{ GeV}, Q^2 = 3 \text{ GeV}^2, x_B = 0.2, \text{ and } z_h = 0.7$ 



#### Near Threshold – Lower $p_T$

□ Lower W<sup>2</sup> with sufficiently large Q<sup>2</sup> – less phase space to "shower":



#### Lower multiplicity!

Leading power TMD factorization should not work here!

**Color singlet pre-hadron states** 



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Formation of pre-hadron states is not a hard process  $1/Q^2$  – inclusive high twist terms should be small – duality



#### Lepton-hadron facility is an excellent one for QCD study:

- Any observables/probes at one facility
- $\diamond\,$  Probe the partonic structure by either breaking or not breaking the hadron
- ♦ Study the hadronization with controllable probes

#### **QCD** is fully color entangled:

- $\diamond\,$  QCD Factorization is an approximation with suppressed color entanglement
- Power "corrections" are important near the threshold

#### **G** "Power corrections" is much more important for hadronization:

- $1/P_{T}^{2}$ -type correction to fragmentation is important near threshold
- When lower W or PT, the 1/P<sub>T</sub><sup>2</sup>-type contribution to hadronization are much enhanced, or dominate
- ~~~~ 1/Q<sup>2</sup>-type high-twist contribution to SIDIS is small if Q is large enough

# Thank you!

