## Transverse momentum dependence in structure functions in hard scattering processes

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## Chapter 1

# High energy processes with hadrons

## 1.1 Diagrammatic approach

The basic degrees of freedom that feel the strong interactions, quarks and gluons, are confined into hadrons, strongly interacting particles. Considering the nucleons (light hadrons), the characteristic energy and distance scales are given by the nucleon mass,  $\Lambda \sim M_N$ , or taking into account the color degrees of freedom one may prefer a scale  $\Lambda \sim M_N/N_c \sim 300$  MeV. We refer to this as  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  or  $\mathcal{O}(M)$  if we consider high-energy processes, characterised by hard kinematical variables that are of order Q with  $Q^2 \gg \Lambda^2$ . The high-energy scale Q could be the CM energy,  $Q \sim \sqrt{s}$  or it could be a measure of the exchanged momentum.



Figure 1.1: Schematic illustration of the contribution of a hard subprocess,  $parton(p_1) + parton(p_2) \rightarrow parton(k_1) + parton(k_2)$ , to the (2-particle inclusive) scattering process hadron $(P_1)$  + hadron $(P_2) \rightarrow$  hadron $(K_1)$  + hadron $(K_2)$  + X, at the level of the amplitude.

Hadrons do not correspond to free particle states created via the quark and gluon operators in QCD as is for instance the case for electrons in QED. In the latter case one knows how in the calculation of an S-matrix element contraction of annihilation and creation operator in the field and particle state lead to the spinor wave function. For positive times  $\xi^0 = t$ , thus multiplied with a function  $\theta(\xi^0)$ , one has

$$\langle 0|\psi_i(\boldsymbol{\xi})|p\rangle = \langle 0|\psi_i(\boldsymbol{\xi}) b^{\dagger}(\boldsymbol{p})|0\rangle = \langle 0|\psi_i(0)|p\rangle e^{-i\,p\cdot\boldsymbol{\xi}} = u_i(\boldsymbol{p})\,\exp\left(-i\,E_pt + i\,\boldsymbol{p}\cdot\boldsymbol{\xi}\right),\tag{1.1}$$

with  $E_p = \sqrt{p^2 + m^2}$ . Such a matrix element is 'untruncated' as seen e.g. from

$$\langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)|p\rangle\,\theta(t) = \theta(t)\int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} \,e^{-ik\cdot\xi}\,\frac{i(k+m)}{k^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon}\,\frac{u_i(p)}{2m}\,(2\pi)^3\,2E_p\,\delta^3(k-p).$$
(1.2)



In a process involving a composite hadronic state  $|P\rangle$  the state may involve contractions with one or several of the quark and gluon operators, leading to nonzero matrix elements for a quark between the hadron state and a remainder, but also for nonzero matrix elements involving multiparton field combinations,

$$\langle X|\psi_i(\xi)|P\rangle, \ \langle X|A^{\mu}(\eta)\,\psi(\xi)|P\rangle,\ldots$$

#### Correlators, describing parton distributions

For a particular hadron and a parton field combination, one may collect those operators that involve hadron  $|P\rangle$  into (distribution) correlators

$$\Phi_{ij}(p;P) = \sum_{X} \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 \, 2E_X} \left\langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) | X \right\rangle \left\langle X | \psi_i(0) | P \right\rangle \delta^4(p + P_X - P)$$
(1.3)

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \ \psi_i(\xi) | P \rangle, \tag{1.4}$$

or correlators involving matrix elements of the form

$$\Phi^{\mu}_{ij}(p,p_1;P) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^8} \int d^4\xi \, d^4\eta \, e^{i\,(p-p_1)\cdot\xi} \, e^{i\,p_1\cdot\eta} \, \langle P|\overline{\psi}_j(0) \, A^{\mu}(\eta) \, \psi_i(\xi)|P\rangle, \tag{1.5}$$

pictorially,



We will not attempt to calculate these, but leave them as the soft parts, requiring nonperturbative QCD methods to calculate them. In particular, although being 'untruncated' in the quark legs, they should no longer exhibit poles corresponding to free quarks. These are fully unintegrated parton correlators for initial state hadrons, in general quite problematic quantities. For example, they are by themselves not even color gauge-invariant, an issue to be discussed below. We will later also discuss similar correlators for final state hadrons. When more hadrons are involved, one could consider two-hadron correlators, involving two-hadron states (or correlators involving hadronic states in initial and final state), etc. If the hadrons are well-separated in momentum phase-space with  $P_i \cdot P_j \sim Q^2$ , one expects on dimensional grounds that incoherent contributions are suppressed by  $1/(P_i - P_j)^2 \sim 1/Q^2$ . Such a separation in momentum space requires a hard inclusive scattering process  $(Q^2 \sim s)$ , which then at high energy and/or for large momentum transfer still can be factorized into forward correlators. The inclusive character is needed to assure that partons originate from *one* hadron, leaving a (target) jet. In turn, partons decay into a jet in which we limit ourselves to the consideration of an identified hadronic state (which could in principle also be a multi-particle, e.g. two-pion state).

The basic idea in the diagrammatic approach is to realize that the correlator involves hadronic states and quark and gluon operators. They can be studied independent from the hard process, provided we have solved the issue of color gauge invariance. The correlator is the Fourier transform in the space-time arguments of the quark and gluon fields. In the correlators, all momenta of hadrons and quarks and gluons (partons) inside the hadrons are soft which means that  $p^2 \sim p \cdot P \sim P^2 = M_N^2 \ll Q^2 \sim s$ . The off-shellness being of hadronic order implies that in the hard process partons are in essence on-shell. Consistency of this may be checked by using QCD interactions to give partons a large off-shellness of  $\mathscr{O}(Q)$  and check the behavior as a function of the momenta. In these considerations one must also realize that beyond tree-level one has to distinguish bare and renormalized fields, involving absorption of singularities.

#### Correlators, describing parton fragmentation

For the fragmentation of quarks (with momentum k) into hadrons (with momentum  $P_h$ ) we combine the decay matrix elements in the (fragmentation) correlator

$$\Delta_{ij}(k, P_h; C) = \sum_X \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)|P_h, X\rangle \langle P_h, X|\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)a_h^{\dagger}a_h\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle, \qquad (1.6)$$

where an averaging over color indices is implicit. Pictorially we have



There are a number of subtleties in these definitions. The use of intermediate states X and in addition one specified state with momentum  $P_h$  needs some explanation. First note that the unit operator can be written as

$$\mathscr{I} \equiv \sum_{X} |X\rangle \langle X| = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathscr{I}_n \tag{1.7}$$

with

$$\mathscr{I}_n = \frac{1}{n!} \int d\tilde{K}_1 \dots d\tilde{K}_n \ a^{\dagger}(K_1) \dots a^{\dagger}(K_n) |0\rangle \langle 0|a(K_1) \dots a(K_n)$$
(1.8)

containing the *n*-particle states (with  $d\tilde{K}$  being the invariant one-particle phase-space). Thus

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$$\sum_{X} |P_{h}, X\rangle \langle P_{h}, X| = |P_{h}\rangle \langle P_{h}| + \int d\tilde{K}_{1} |P_{h}, K_{1}\rangle \langle P_{h}, K_{1}| + \frac{1}{2!} \int d\tilde{K}_{1} d\tilde{K}_{2} |P_{h}, K_{1}, K_{2}\rangle \langle P_{h}, K_{1}, K_{2}| + \dots = a_{h}^{\dagger} \mathscr{I} a_{h} = a_{h}^{\dagger} a_{h}.$$

$$(1.9)$$

After integrating over  $P_h$  one obtains

$$\int d\tilde{P}_h \sum_X |P_h, X\rangle \langle P_h, X| = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n \mathscr{I}_n, \qquad (1.10)$$

which is the number operator  $N_h$ . This will become relevant when one integrates over the phase-space of particles in the final state to go from 1-particle inclusive to inclusive scattering processes.

#### Inclusion of spin

In principle hadrons could be polarized, having additional degrees of freedom,  $|P, \alpha\rangle$ , etc. In order to treat the spin of initial states, one then can explicitly work with distribution correlators in the hadron spin-space,

$$\Phi_{ij,\beta\alpha}(p;P) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{i\,p\cdot\xi} \ \langle P,\beta | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \ \psi_i(\xi) | P,\alpha \rangle.$$
(1.11)

It is convenient to include the off-diagonal elements in the definition. Having a non-pure initial state described by a spin density matrix  $\rho(P, S) = \sum_{\alpha} |P, \alpha\rangle \operatorname{Prob}_{\alpha} \langle P, \alpha|$  one then finds the spin-dependent correlator

$$\Phi_{ij}(p; P, S) \equiv \rho_{\alpha\beta}(P, S) \,\Phi_{ij,\beta\alpha}(p; P). \tag{1.12}$$

A single spin vector S is sufficient to parameterize the density matrix for a spin 1/2 hadron. For hadrons with higher spins one needs additional parameters (e.g. a spin vector *and* a symmetric traceless tensor to describe spin 1).

For fragmentation correlators, the role of spin is different. In that case not only the specific kind of hadron in the final state, but also its spin state is fixed. This means that besides having Dirac structure, we also include spin states (off-diagonal to remain as general as possible)

$$\Delta_{ij,\beta\alpha}(k,P_h) = \sum_{X} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{ik\cdot\xi} \langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)|P_h,\alpha,X\rangle \langle P_h,\beta,X|\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle.$$
(1.13)

In many applications we will use a spin-dependent fragmentation correlator  $\Delta_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h)$  by defining

$$\Delta_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) \equiv (2S_h + 1) \,\Delta_{ij,\beta\alpha}(k, P_h) \,\rho_{\alpha\beta}(P_h, S_h),\tag{1.14}$$

where  $\rho(P_h, S_h)$  is the usual spin density matrix. The factor  $(2S_h + 1)$  assures that for  $S_h = 0$  one ends up with a sum over spins for the produced hadron. Note that in most applications  $S_h$  will be replaced by the analyzing power  $A_h(P_h, f)$  of the decay channel (with f representing the final state variables) of the produced particle, e.g. in the case of production of  $\Lambda$ 's or  $\rho$ 's, rather than the tunable polarization for initial states (see section on spin vectors).

## **1.2** Sudakov decompositions and n-dependence

In a hard process, the parton fields that appear in the different correlators correspond to partons in the subprocess for which the momenta satisfy  $p_i \cdot p_j \sim Q^2$ . In the study of a particular correlator it implies the presence of a 'hard' environment. To connect the correlator to the hard part of the process, it is useful to introduce for each correlator with hadron momentum P, a dimensionless null-vector n, such that  $P \cdot n \sim Q$ . It is actually more convenient to replace  $n/(P \cdot n)$  by a dimensionful null-vector  $n \sim 1/Q$ , such that  $P \cdot n = 1$ . The vectors P and n can be used to keep track of the importance of various terms in the correlators and in the components of momentum and spin vectors<sup>1</sup>. The *n*-vector will acquire a meaning in the explicit applications or play an intermediary role. At leading order, it will turn out that the precise form of n doesn't matter, but at subleading (1/Q) order one needs to be careful.

For parton momenta we can write

$$p = x P + p_T + \underbrace{(p \cdot P - x M^2)}_{\sigma} n, \qquad (1.15)$$

where the term  $x P \sim Q$ ,  $p_T \sim M$  and  $\sigma n \sim M^2/Q$ . We have the exact relations  $p \cdot p_T = p_T^2 = (p - x P)^2$ . The momentum fraction

$$x = p \cdot n \tag{1.16}$$

is  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ . Note that one can construct *two* conjugate null-vectors,

$$n_{+} = P - \frac{1}{2} M^2 n \quad \text{and} \quad n_{-} = n,$$
 (1.17)

satifying  $n_+ \cdot n_- = 1$  and  $n_+^2 = n_-^2 = 0$ , that can be used to define light-cone components<sup>2</sup>  $a^{\pm} = a \cdot n_{\mp}$ . The symmetric and antisymmetric 'transverse' projectors are defined as

$$g_T^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} - n_+^{\{\mu} n_-^{\nu\}} \approx g^{\mu\nu} - P^{\{\mu} n^{\nu\}}$$
(1.18)

$$\epsilon_T^{\mu\nu} = \epsilon^{n_+ n_- \mu\nu} = \epsilon^{-+\mu\nu} = \epsilon^{Pn\mu\nu}. \tag{1.19}$$

The decomposition of spin vectors is discussed at the end of this chapter.

#### Different *n*-vectors

A choice of a different null-vector n', in principle leads to different x',  $\sigma'$  and  $p_{T'}$  as well as different transverse projectors. With  $P \cdot n' = 1$ , one easily finds that the difference,  $x' - x = p \cdot n' - p \cdot n = p_T \cdot n' = -p_{T'} \cdot n$ , is of  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$  and having up to that order  $p \approx xP + p_T \approx x'P + p_{T'}$  one finds

$$x = p \cdot n \approx x' = p \cdot n' , \qquad (1.20)$$

$$p_T \approx p_{T'} - (p_{T'} \cdot n)P \approx p_{T'T}$$
, (1.21)

$$p_{T'} \approx p_T - (p_T \cdot n')P \approx p_{TT'} , \qquad (1.22)$$

$$p_T^2 \approx p_{T'}^2. \tag{1.23}$$

Given two (hard) hadronic momenta hadronic P and P' one can (up to  $1/Q^2$  corrections) use  $P'/(P \cdot P')$ as the null-vector n for the hadron with momentum P. We note that this implies that  $x \approx (p \cdot P')/(P \cdot P')$ for any of the other hard (hadronic) momenta P' involved in the process. We note that the integration

$$\int d^4p = \int dx \, d^2p_T \, d\sigma = \int d(p \cdot n) \, d^2p_T \, d(p \cdot P), \qquad (1.24)$$

is insensitive to the choice of n-vector.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>If one prefers a dimensionless vector, one must make a choice  $P \cdot n \sim Q$ . In that case all further appearances of n in this section should simply be replaced by  $n/(P \cdot n)$ .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>There is an arbitrariness in the definition of these vectors, allowing  $n_+ \rightarrow \alpha n_+$  and  $n_- \rightarrow n_-/\alpha$ . In this way one can make dimensionless vectors. In the explicit appearance of vectors such a rescaling corresponds to a boost.

#### Regions of importance in parton kinematics

We want to illustrate the kinematics for partons and translate it to physically intuitive quantities, the off-shellness  $p^2$  for partons or the invariant mass squared  $M_R^2 = (P - p)^2$  of the residual (spectator) hadronic system and the (spacelike) transverse momentum squared  $p_T^2 = -p_T^2$ . We can do this for partons in hadrons (distributions), but also for the production of hadrons from partons (fragmentation),





$$P_{h}$$

$$k = z^{-1}P_{h} + k_{T} + \sigma_{k} n_{k}$$

$$P_{h} \cdot n_{k} = P_{h}^{-} \equiv 1$$

$$z^{-1} = k \cdot n_{k} = k^{-}$$

$$\sigma_{k} = k \cdot P_{h} - z^{-1}M_{h}^{2}$$

$$n_{-} \equiv P_{h} - \frac{1}{2}M_{h}^{2} n_{k}$$

$$k^{+} = k \cdot n_{-} = k \cdot P_{h} - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}M_{h}^{2}$$

The kinematic freedom for the partons is illustrated in a plot of the off-shellness  $p^2$  versus  $2p \cdot P$ , where it is convenient to slightly shift the zeropoints to get a nice symmetry. The relations

$$p^{2} - M^{2} = 2x \left( p \cdot P - M^{2} \right) + p_{T}^{2}$$
  
-  $(1 - x)^{2} M^{2}$ , (1.25)  
$$p^{2} - M^{2} = 2 \left( p \cdot P - M^{2} \right) + M_{R}^{2}$$
, (1.26)

determine lines of constant  $M_R$  or  $p_T^2$ . They are used to map out the physical region determined by  $p_T^2 = -\mathbf{p}_T^2 \leq 0$  and  $M_R^2 \geq 0$ . We note that for x = 1 the region disappears shrinking to the line  $M_R = 0$  or x = 1. We note the symmetry x = 1/z in jumping from distributions of partons into hadrons to fragmentation of partons into hadrons. We assume that the dominant contributions come from the regions where  $p^2 \sim p \cdot P \sim M_R^2 \sim M^2$ , thus  $\Phi$  disappearing as a function of these variables.

## **1.3** Distribution correlators in high-energy processes

In a hard process, the different importance of the various components allows up to specific orders in 1/Q, an integrations over some components of the parton momenta. The fact that the main contribution in  $\Phi(p; P)$  is assumed to come from regions where  $p \cdot P \leq M^2$ , whereas the momenta have characteristic scale Q, allows performing the  $\sigma$ -integration up to  $M^2/Q^2$  contributions (and possible contributions from tails). Transverse momentum dependent (TMD) correlators are light-front correlators, integrated over  $\sigma$  or  $p \cdot P$ ,

$$\Phi_{ij}(x, p_T; n) = \int d(p \cdot P) \ \Phi_{ij}(p; P) = \int d\sigma_p \ d\tau_p \ \delta(\tau_p - 2x \ \sigma_p - p_T^2 - x^2 M^2) \ \Phi_{ij}(p; P) \quad (1.27)$$

$$= \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P) d^2 \xi_T}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \psi_i(\xi) | P \right\rangle \Big|_{LF} , \qquad (1.28)$$

where we have suppressed the dependence on hadron momentum P and the subscript LF refers to lightfront, implying  $\xi \cdot n = 0$ . The light-cone correlators are the correlators containing the parton distribution functions depending only on the light-cone momentum fraction x,

$$\Phi_{ij}(x;n) = \int d(p \cdot P) \, d^2 p_T \, \Phi_{ij}(p;P) = \int d\sigma_p \, d\tau_p \, \theta(2x \, \sigma_p - \tau_p + x^2 M^2) \, \Phi_{ij}(p;P) \quad (1.29)$$

$$= \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \psi_i(\xi) | P \right\rangle \Big|_{LC} , \qquad (1.30)$$

where the subscript LC refers to light-cone, implying  $\xi \cdot n = \xi_T = 0$ . This integration is generally allowed (again up to  $M^2/Q^2$  contributions and contributions coming from tails, e.g. logarithmic corrections from  $1/p_{\tau}^2$  tails) if we are interested in hard processes, in which only hard scales (large invariants ~  $Q^2$  or ratios thereof, angles, rapidities) are measured. If one considers hadronic scale observables (correlations or transverse momenta in jets, slightly off-collinear configurations) one may need the TMD correlations.

The fact that the matrix elements involve operators on the light-front, allows for specific operators, the so-called good operators in front-form quantization, an easy interpretation in terms of partons. These partons are the quanta created by the good fields. The good fields are

$$\psi_{+} = \frac{1}{2} \not h_{+} \not h_{-} \psi = \frac{1}{2} P \not h \psi \quad \text{and} \quad A_{T}^{\mu} = g_{T}^{\mu\nu} A_{\nu}.$$
(1.31)

In front-form quantization the other components of the fields can be expressed in the good fields using equations of motion, at least after imposing the gauge  $A^+ = A \cdot n = 0$ . More important, however, for the description of hard processes is that matrix elements involving these good fields turn out to be the leading ones in an expansion in the inverse hard scale 1/Q.

As argued above (and made more explicit in applications to hard scattering processes) the correlators involve collinear momenta (soft with respect to each other), but for use within the hard process an external direction shows up, represented by a null vector n, which will acquire a meaning in the explicit applications or play an intermediary role. It can be used in the projection of components or in an expansion of fields or field combinations, e.g.

$$\psi = \psi_{+} + \psi_{-} = \frac{1}{2} P \hbar \psi + \frac{1}{2} \hbar P \psi, \qquad (1.32)$$

$$A^{\mu} = (A \cdot n)P^{\mu} + A^{\mu}_{T} + (A \cdot P)n^{\mu}.$$
(1.33)

$$\overline{\psi}\gamma^{\mu}\psi = (\overline{\psi}\hbar\psi)P^{\mu} + \overline{\psi}\gamma^{\mu}_{T}\psi + (\overline{\psi}P\psi)n^{\mu}.$$
(1.34)

Examples of orders of magnitude of the fields within the matrix elements appearing in hard processes are

$$\langle n \cdot A \rangle \sim n \cdot P = 1,$$
(1.35)

$$\langle A_T^{\alpha} \rangle \sim \langle G_T^{n\alpha} \rangle \sim p_T^{\alpha} \sim M,$$
 (1.36)

$$\langle \psi \rangle \sim M^{3/2},$$

$$\langle \overline{\psi} \not h \psi \rangle \sim \langle \overline{\psi} [\not h, \gamma_T^{\mu}] \psi \rangle \sim \langle G_T^{n\alpha} G_T^{n\beta} \rangle \sim M^2.$$

$$\langle \overline{\psi} \psi \rangle \sim \langle \overline{\psi} D^n \psi \rangle \sim \langle \overline{\psi} \gamma_T^{\mu} \psi \rangle \sim M^3,$$

$$(1.37)$$

$$(1.38)$$

$$(1.39)$$

$$\langle \psi \not h \psi \rangle \sim \langle \psi [\not h, \gamma_T^{\mu}] \psi \rangle \sim \langle G_T^{n\alpha} G_T^{n\beta} \rangle \sim M^2.$$
 (1.38)

$$\langle \psi \psi \rangle \sim \langle \psi D^n \psi \rangle \sim \langle \psi \gamma_T^{\mu} \psi \rangle \sim M^3 , \qquad (1.39)$$

$$\langle \overline{\psi} D^{\alpha}_{T} \psi \rangle \sim \langle \overline{\psi} \mathcal{P} \psi \rangle \sim M^{4} , \qquad (1.40)$$

These results are obvious because  $\langle \overline{\psi} \gamma^{\mu} \psi \rangle$  in a matrix element of the form  $\Phi(p; P)$  must be proportional to momenta  $p^{\mu}$  or  $P^{\mu}$  for the components of which we know the order of magnitude in a hard scattering process. The above integrated or the TMD correlators also can depend on  $n^{\mu}$ , e.g. appearing via the transverse tensors  $g_T^{\mu\nu}$  or  $\epsilon_T^{\mu\nu}$  (both being of order unity).

#### Gauge choices and *n*-dependence

We already remarked that for a given hadron, it is certainly convenient to also use n as a vector that fixes a light-like gauge  $A^+ = A \cdot n = 0$ . This is essential when one wants to discuss or interpret the correlator and the fields appearing in it in front form quantization. Such a treatment, however, is considered problematic in the treatment of the hard process to which the soft parts couple. Here a light-like gauge choice produces additional poles for which one must introduce prescriptions. Moreover if one has several soft parts one can only make one gauge choice in the calculation.

The freedom in choosing n, even choosing n different for each hadron involved, also allows the treatment of an arbitrary axial gauge  $A \cdot v = 0$  with  $v^2 \neq 0$ , applied in the treatment of the full process. We simply could take n as<sup>3</sup>

$$v \equiv (v \cdot n_{+}) n + \frac{v^{2}}{2(v \cdot n_{+})} n_{+} \approx (P \cdot v) n + \frac{v^{2}}{2(P \cdot v)} P.$$
(1.41)

Consider a gluon with polarization  $\mu$  and momentum  $p = x P + p_T + (p \cdot P - x M^2) n$  connecting a soft part and the truncated hard part  $H_{\mu}(p, \ldots; v)$ , which we assume to be  $\mathcal{O}(Q^d)$ . For an on-shell gluon with momentum  $p_0 = x P + p_T - (p_T^2/2x) n$  (differing from p by a vector proportional to  $M^2 n$ ) one has  $p_0 \cdot H(p_0, \ldots; v) = 0$ . This implies for a gluon attached to the correlator

$$p \cdot H(p,\ldots;v) \propto \underbrace{M^2 n \cdot H(p,\ldots;v)}_{\mathscr{O}(Q^{d-1})},$$

showing that for Ward identities the gluons in the soft part can, up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections (compared to the expectation  $Q^{d+1}$ ), be considered to behave as on-shell partons. With the above *n*-choice one sees, moreover, that

$$\frac{n \cdot H(p,\ldots;v)}{P \cdot n} = \frac{v \cdot H(p,\ldots;v)}{P \cdot v} + \frac{v^2}{2(P \cdot v)^2} P \cdot H(p,\ldots;v)$$
$$\approx \frac{v \cdot H(p,\ldots;v)}{P \cdot v} + \underbrace{\frac{v^2}{2x(P \cdot v)^2} p_T \cdot H(p,\ldots;v)}_{\mathscr{O}(1/Q^{d-2})},$$

which means that for the soft part omitting the  $n \cdot A$  gluons (putting  $n \cdot H = 0$ ) implies<sup>4</sup> at leading order also the omission of the  $v \cdot A$  gluons ( $v \cdot H = 0$ ).

#### Color gauge invariance

The field combinations considered sofar in the correlators are not color gauge invariant since they involve the A-fields and, more important, because they involve nonlocal field combinations. At each specific order in Q gauge invariant combinations are expected. Along the light-cone, the leading ones involve the 'parton fields'

$$\not h \psi(\xi) = \not h \psi_+(\xi) \quad \text{and} \quad G^{n\alpha}(\xi),$$

while  $A^+ = A^n = n \cdot A$  operators appear in gauge links along the light-cone ( $\xi^+ = n \cdot \xi = \xi_T = 0$ ),

$$U_{[0,\xi]}^{[n]} = \mathscr{P} \exp\left(-i\int_0^{\xi} d(\eta \cdot P) \, n \cdot A(\eta)\right),\tag{1.42}$$

which are needed to connect colored parton fields. Which n appears in a correlator is fixed by the hard process, although some freedom in n may remain. We note that the exponent in the gauge link is in essence built from 'operators'  $(n \cdot \partial)^{-1} n \cdot A$ , which are  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ . Actually, the gauge invariant correlators will in some cases appear multiplied with the parton momentum,  $p^{\mu} \Phi(p; P)$ , etc., which implies a derivative  $\partial_{\xi}^{\mu}$  in the matrix element, which is e.g. standard in the matrix elements involving gluon fields  $G^{\mu\nu}$ . The color gauge invariant light-cone correlators for quarks and gluons are

$$\Phi_{ij}(x;n) = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) U_{[0,\xi]}^{[n]} \psi_i(\xi) | P \right\rangle \Big|_{LC}, \qquad (1.43)$$

$$\Gamma^{\alpha\beta}(x;n) = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | \operatorname{Tr} \left( G^{n\beta}(0) U^{[n]}_{[0,\xi]} G^{n\alpha}(\xi) U^{[n]}_{[\xi,0]} \right) | P \right\rangle \Big|_{LC},$$
(1.44)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Note that the length of v is irrelevant; making it dimensionless one has  $P \cdot v/\sqrt{|v^2|} \sim Q$  or we could give it dimension energy<sup>-1</sup>, allowing setting  $P \cdot v = 1$ . It is possible to include a small transverse piece  $v_T$  on the righthandside of the expression for v, which implies (taking  $v \cdot n_+ = 1$ ) writing  $n \to n + v_T - \frac{1}{2}v_T^2 n_+$ . If one assumes  $v_T \sim M/Q^2$  (thus smaller than  $v \sim 1/Q$ ) it might serve as a regulator.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Here the condition on the smallness of a possible  $v_T$  in defining n becomes important.

while for the TMD light-front correlators

$$\Phi_{ij}(x, p_T; n, C) = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P) d^2 \xi_T}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) U_{[0,\xi]}^{[n,C]} \psi_i(\xi) | P \right\rangle \Big|_{LF},$$
(1.45)

$$\Gamma^{\alpha\beta}(x, p_T; n, C, C') = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P) d^2 \xi_T}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | \operatorname{Tr} \left( G^{n\beta}(0) U^{[n,C]}_{[0,\xi]} G^{n\alpha}(\xi) U^{[n,C']}_{[\xi,0]} \right) | P \right\rangle \Big|_{LF}, (1.46)$$

where we in passing mention that path dependence (indicated by the arguments C and C') will arise because of the (necessary) transverse piece(s) in the gauge link.

#### Sum rules

Completing the integration over the correlators, one ends up with a local matrix element

$$\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\Phi) = \int dx \, d^2 p_T \, \Gamma_{ji}(x, p_T) \, \Phi_{ij}(x, p_T)$$
$$= \left. \left\langle P | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \, \Gamma_{ji}(i\partial_{\xi}) \, U^{[n,C]}_{[0,\xi]} \, \psi_i(\xi) | P \right\rangle \right|_{\xi=0}.$$
(1.47)

In particular when the operator  $\overline{\psi}\Gamma U\psi$  is an operator with simple or known expectation values between plane wave states (including possibly spin dependence) this provides interesting sum rules for the functions appearing in the correlator.

Useful relations to relate correlators or in sum rule applications are

$$i \,\partial_{\xi}^{n} \,U_{[0,\xi]}^{[n]} = U_{[0,\xi]}^{[n]} \,iD^{n}(\xi), \tag{1.48}$$

$$ig G^{n\alpha}(\xi) = [iD^{n}(\xi), iD^{\alpha}_{T}(\xi)] = [iD^{n}(\xi), g A^{\alpha}_{T}(\xi)] - [i\partial^{\alpha}_{\xi}, g A^{n}(\xi)],$$
(1.49)

$$[i\partial_{\xi}^{n}, U_{[\eta,\xi]}^{[n]} gA_{T}^{\alpha}(\xi) U_{[\xi,\eta]}^{[n]}] = U_{[\eta,\xi]}^{[n]} (ig \, G^{n\alpha}(\xi) + [i\partial_{T}^{\alpha}, gA^{n}(\xi)]) U_{[\xi,\eta]}^{[n]},$$
(1.50)

$$[iD_{T}^{\alpha}(\eta), U_{[\eta,\xi]}^{[n]}] = \int_{\eta^{-}}^{\xi} d(\zeta \cdot P) \ U_{[\eta,\zeta]}^{[n]} \underbrace{[iD^{n}(\zeta), iD_{T}^{\alpha}(\zeta)]}_{ig \ G^{n\alpha}(\zeta)} U_{[\zeta,\xi]}^{[n]}.$$
(1.51)

## 1.4 Fragmentation correlators in high-energy processes

In high-energy processes, it is useful to employ the Sudakov decomposition of the momenta. We write for the parton momentum

$$k = \frac{1}{z} P_h + k_T + \left(k \cdot P_h - \frac{M_h^2}{z}\right) n_h,$$
 (1.52)

where  $P_h \cdot n_h \equiv 1$  and thus  $k \cdot n_h = 1/z$ . The above equation defines the coordinates of k for fixed  $P_h$ . Fixing the quark momentum, one can consider variations of  $P_h$  in which case  $P_h = z k + P_{h\perp} + (k \cdot P_h - M_h^2) n_k$ with  $k \cdot n_k = 1$ . Taking  $n_k = z n_h$  one has  $P_{h\perp} = -z k_T$ . One thus has

$$\int dz \, d^2 k_T \, d(k \cdot P_h) = \int z^2 \, d(k \cdot n_h) \, d^2 k_T \, d(k \cdot P_h) = \int z^2 \, d^4 k \dots |_{P_h} = \\ = \int \frac{1}{z^2} \, d(P_h \cdot n_k) \, d^2 P_{h\perp} \, d(P_h \cdot k) = \int \frac{1}{z^2} \, d^4 P_h \dots |_k.$$
(1.53)

We consider the integrated correlators

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{ij}(z,k_{T};n,C) &= \frac{1}{4z} \int d(k \cdot P_{h}) \ \Delta_{ij}(k,P_{h};C) \\ &= \sum_{X} \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P_{h}) \ d^{2}\xi_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \ \langle 0|U_{[a,\xi]}^{[n,C]}\psi_{i}(\xi)|P_{h},X\rangle \langle P_{h},X|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)U_{[0,a]}^{[n,C]}|0\rangle \Big|_{LF} (1.54) \end{aligned}$$

where LC refers to the light-front,  $\xi \cdot n_h = 0$ . Integrating over the transverse momenta, we define

$$\Delta_{ij}(z;n) = \int d^2 P_{h\perp} \,\Delta_{ij}(z,k_T;n,C) = \frac{z}{4} \int d(k \cdot P_h) \,d^2 k_T \,\Delta_{ij}(k,P_h;C) = \sum_X \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P_h)}{(2\pi)} \,e^{ik \cdot \xi} \,\langle 0|U_{[a,\xi]}^{[n]} \psi_i(\xi)|P_h,X\rangle \langle P_h,X|\overline{\psi}_j(0)U_{[0,a]}^{[n]}|0\rangle \Big|_{LC}$$
(1.55)

where *LC* refers to the light-cone,  $\xi \cdot n_h = \xi_T = 0$ .

We note that issues on dependence on  $n_h$  can be taken over from the distribution functions, including issues on gauge choices and the possibility to get for time-like axial gauges a natural regulator from the transverse momenta.

#### Sum rules for fragmentation functions

Since for fragmentation correlators, the hadrons are produced, one can construct observables by summing and integrating over them including particular (in principle spin dependent) weights,

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{h} \int dz \, d^{2} P_{h\perp} \, O^{h}_{\alpha\beta}(z, P_{h\perp}) \, \Delta_{ij,\beta\alpha} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int d(\xi \cdot P_{h}) \, d^{2} \xi_{T} \, e^{ik \cdot \xi} \, \sum_{h} \int \frac{dz \, d^{2} P_{h\perp}}{2z(2\pi)^{3}} \, \langle 0| U^{[n,C]}_{[a,\xi]} \psi_{i}(\xi) | P_{h}, \alpha, X \rangle \, O^{h}_{\alpha\beta}(P_{h}) \, \langle P_{h}, \beta, X | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) U^{[n,C]}_{[0,a]} | 0 \rangle \Big|_{LF} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int d(\xi \cdot P_{h}) \, d^{2} \xi_{T} \, e^{ik \cdot \xi} \, \left\langle 0| U^{[n,C]}_{[a,\xi]} \psi_{i}(\xi) \, \hat{O} \, \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) U^{[n,C]}_{[0,a]} | 0 \rangle \Big|_{LF} \end{split}$$
(1.56)

where

$$\hat{O} = \sum_{h} \int \frac{dz \, d^2 P_{h\perp}}{2z(2\pi)^3} |P_h, \alpha, X\rangle \, O^h_{\alpha\beta}(P_h) \, \langle P_h, \beta, X| \tag{1.57}$$

If the operator  $\hat{O}$  is also known at the parton level,

$$\hat{O} = \sum_{s} \int \frac{d(p \cdot n) \, d^2 p_T}{2 \, (p \cdot n) \, (2\pi)^3} \, b^{\dagger}(p, s) o(p, s) b(p, s), \tag{1.58}$$

we obtain

$$\sum_{h} \int dz \, d^2 P_{h\perp} \, O^{h}_{\alpha\beta}(z, P_{h\perp}) \, \Delta_{ij,\beta\alpha} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{s} u_i(p, s) o(p, s) \overline{u}_j(p, s) \\ = \left[ \frac{k}{2} \left( \frac{o(k, s) + o(k, -s)}{2} + \gamma_5 \not \leqslant \frac{o(k, s) - o(k, -s)}{2} \right) \right]_{ij} . (1.59)$$

## 1.5 Large transverse momenta

We started out with the assumption that the support of the correlators  $\Phi$  and  $\Delta$  is restricted to regions where the scalar products of the momenta involved are of hadronic size, or stated differently the fall-off as a function of these invariants should be sufficiently fast. To check consistency requires consideration of large transverse momenta generated after emission of hard partons. These will produce 'their own' hadrons and can at that stage be treated as on-shell partons. As our first case we look at parton $(p_0) \rightarrow$ parton(p)+parton(l) (with  $p = p_0 - l$ ), the emission of an on-shell parton with momentum l by a parton with momentum  $p_0$  (of which we will first neglect  $p_{0T}$ ). The momentum fraction is reduced from  $p_0.n = x/x_p$  $(x \le x_p \le 1)$  to the lower value p.n = x and producing at the same time a (moderately large) transverse momentum  $p_T$ . We neglect the  $\mathcal{O}(M)$  contributions.

For the invariant momenta we have

$$p_0^2 \approx l^2 \approx 0$$
 and  $p^2 \approx \frac{p_T^2}{1 - x_p}$ 



The situation for fragmentation is analogous.

The figure to the left shows the support region as also discussed previously, but now neglecting all  $\mathcal{O}(M)$  contributions. Thus  $p \cdot P \approx \sigma_p \approx p^-$  and

$$p^2 \approx 2x \,\sigma_p + p_T^2$$
.

Although we assumed  $\Phi$  to vanish for large values of the variables  $p \cdot P$  and  $p^2$ , these can take larger values, e.g. after parton braching, as discussed above. In that case the additional variables entering are the fraction  $p_0 \cdot n = x/x_p$  of the original parton and (considered below) its transverse momentum  $p_{0T}$  with  $x \leq x_p \leq 1$ . By varying  $x_p$  from 1 (minimal loss of longitudinal momentum along P) to  $x_p = x$  (maximal loss) we scan the full physical region of  $\Phi(x, p_T)$ . For given x and  $p_T$ , the values of the invariants are fixed for a given  $x_p$ ,

$$\begin{split} \tau_p &\approx p^2 \approx \frac{p_T^2}{1-x_p}, \\ \sigma_p &\approx p \cdot P \approx \frac{x_p}{1-x_p} \frac{p_T^2}{2x}. \end{split}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{k}_{0} &\approx \frac{z_{k}}{z} P_{h} \\ l &\approx \frac{(1-z_{k})}{z_{k}} k_{0} - k_{T} - \frac{z_{k} k_{T}^{2}}{2(1-z_{k})(k_{0} \cdot n)} n \approx \frac{(1-z_{k})}{z} P_{h} - k_{T} - \frac{z k_{T}^{2}}{2(1-z_{k})} n, \\ k &\approx z_{k}^{-1} k_{0} + k_{T} + \frac{z_{k} k_{T}^{2}}{2(1-z_{k})(k_{0} \cdot n)} n \approx z^{-1} P_{h} + k_{T} + \underbrace{\frac{z k_{T}^{2}}{2(1-z_{k})}}_{\sigma_{k}} n. \end{aligned}$$

For the invariant momenta, we have

$$k^2 \approx l^2 \approx 0$$
 and  $k^2 \approx \frac{z_k}{1 - z_k} k_T^2$ .

We will now give the explicit integrations including also small transverse momenta  $p_{0T}$  for distributions (and  $k_{0T}$  for fragmentation). We get

$$\Phi(x, p_T) = \int d\sigma_p \, d\tau_p \, \delta(\tau_p - 2x \, \sigma_p - p_T^2) \int d^4 l \, \delta(l^2) \, \dots \Phi_0(p_0) \tag{1.60}$$

$$= \int d\sigma_p \, d\tau_p \, \delta(\tau_p - 2x \, \sigma_p - p_T^2) \int d(p_0 \cdot n) \, d^2 p_{0T} \, d(p_0 \cdot P) \, \delta(l^2) \, \dots \Phi_0(p_0), \quad (1.61)$$

The integration over  $p_0 \cdot n = x/x_p$  is easily turned into an  $x_p$ -integration, the integration over  $p_0 \cdot P$  can be performed to get  $\Phi_0(x/x_p, p_{0T})$  and in the evaluation of  $l^2$  we have (note  $l_T = p_{0T} - p_T$ ). Using

$$l^{2} = (p_{0} - p)^{2} = (p_{T} - p_{0T})^{2} - \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}} 2x \sigma_{p}, \qquad (1.62)$$

we find

$$\Phi(x, p_{T}) = \int d\sigma_{p} d\tau_{p} dx_{p} d^{2}p_{0T} \frac{x}{x_{p}^{2}} \delta\left(\tau_{p} - 2x \sigma_{p} - p_{T}^{2}\right) \\ \times \delta\left(p_{T}^{2} - 2p_{0T} \cdot p_{T} + p_{0T}^{2} - \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}} 2x \sigma_{p}\right) \dots \Phi_{0}\left(\frac{x}{x_{p}}, p_{0T}\right) \\ = \int d\sigma_{p} d\tau_{p} dx_{p} d^{2}p_{0T} \frac{x}{x_{p}^{2}} \delta\left(\tau_{p} - 2x \sigma_{p} - p_{T}^{2}\right) \\ \times \delta\left(\frac{p_{T}^{2}}{x_{p}} - 2p_{0T} \cdot p_{T} + p_{0T}^{2} - \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}} \tau_{p}\right) \dots \Phi_{0}\left(\frac{x}{x_{p}}, p_{0T}\right) \\ = \int_{x}^{1} \frac{dx_{p} d^{2}p_{0T}}{2x_{p} (1 - x_{p})} \dots \Phi_{0}\left(\frac{x}{x_{p}}, p_{0T}\right),$$
(1.63)

where in the integrand invariants like  $\tau_p$  and  $\sigma_p$  are fixed,

$$\tau_p = p^2 = \frac{1}{1 - x_p} p_T^2 - \frac{2x_p}{1 - x_p} p_{0T} \cdot p_T + \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} p_{0T}^2, \qquad (1.64)$$

$$2x \sigma_p = p^2 - p_T^2 = \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} p_T^2 - \frac{2x_p}{1 - x_p} p_{0T} \cdot p_T + \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} p_{0T}^2.$$
(1.65)

We note that

$$\frac{1}{p^2} = \frac{(1-x_p)}{p_T^2} \left( 1 + 2x_p \frac{p_{0T} \cdot p_T}{p_T^2} + 4x_p^2 \frac{(p_{0T} \cdot p_T)^2}{(p_T^2)^2} - x_p \frac{p_{0T}^2}{p_T^2} + \mathcal{O}(p_{0T}^3) \right)$$
(1.66)

$$\frac{1}{(p^2)^2} = \frac{(1-x_p)^2}{(p_T^2)^2} \left( 1 + 4x_p \frac{p_{0T} \cdot p_T}{p_T^2} + 12x_p^2 \frac{(p_{0T} \cdot p_T)^2}{(p_T^2)^2} - 2x_p \frac{p_{0T}^2}{p_T^2} + \mathcal{O}(p_{0T}^3) \right).$$
(1.67)

For fragmentation functions, we get

$$l^{2} = (k_{0} - k)^{2} = (k_{T} - k_{0T})^{2} - (1 - z_{k}) 2z^{-1} \sigma_{k}, \qquad (1.68)$$

and we find

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(z,k_{T}) &= \int d\sigma_{k} \, d\tau_{k} \, dz_{k} \, d^{2}k_{0T} \, \frac{1}{z \, z_{k}} \, \delta\left(\tau_{k} - 2z^{-1} \, \sigma_{k} - k_{T}^{2}\right) \\ &\times \delta\left(k_{T}^{2} - 2k_{0T} \cdot k_{T} + k_{0T}^{2} - (1 - z_{k}) \, 2z^{-1} \, \sigma_{k}\right) \, \dots \, \Delta_{0}\left(\frac{z}{z_{k}}, k_{0T}\right) \\ &= \int d\sigma_{k} \, d\tau_{k} \, dz_{k} \, d^{2}k_{0T} \, \frac{1}{z \, z_{k}} \, \delta\left(\tau_{k} - 2z^{-1} \, \sigma_{k} - k_{T}^{2}\right) \\ &\times \delta\left(z_{k} \, k_{T}^{2} - 2k_{0T} \cdot k_{T} + k_{0T}^{2} - (1 - z_{k}) \, \tau_{k}\right) \, \dots \, \Delta_{0}\left(\frac{z}{z_{k}}, k_{0T}\right) \\ &= \int_{x}^{1} \frac{dz_{k} \, d^{2}k_{0T}}{2(1 - z_{k})} \, \dots \, \Delta_{0}\left(\frac{z}{z_{k}}, k_{0T}\right), \end{aligned}$$
(1.69)

where in the integrand invariants like  $\tau_k$  and  $\sigma_k$  are fixed,

$$\tau_k = k^2 = \frac{z_k}{1 - z_k} k_T^2 - \frac{2}{1 - z_k} k_{0T} \cdot k_T + \frac{1}{1 - z_k} k_{0T}^2, \qquad (1.70)$$

$$2z^{-1}\sigma_k = k^2 - k_T^2 = \frac{1}{1 - z_k} k_T^2 - \frac{2}{1 - z_k} k_{0T} \cdot k_T + \frac{1}{1 - z_k} k_{0T}^2.$$
(1.71)

We note that

$$\frac{1}{k^2} = \frac{(1-z_k)}{z_k k_T^2} \left( 1 + 2 \frac{p_{0_T} \cdot p_T}{z_k k_T^2} + 4 \frac{(k_{0_T} \cdot k_T)^2}{z_k^2 (k_T^2)^2} - \frac{k_{0_T}^2}{z_k k_T^2} + \mathcal{O}(k_{0_T}^3) \right)$$
(1.72)

$$\frac{1}{(k^2)^2} = \frac{(1-z_k)^2}{z_k^2 (k_T^2)^2} \left( 1 + 4 \frac{k_{0T} \cdot k_T}{z_k k_T^2} + 12 \frac{(k_{0T} \cdot k_T)^2}{z_k^2 (k_T^2)^2} - 2 \frac{k_{0T}^2}{z_k k_T^2} + \mathcal{O}(k_{0T}^3) \right).$$
(1.73)

## Appendix: Spin vectors

For the hadron spin vector satisfying  $S^2 = -1$  and  $P \cdot S = 0$ , we can write

$$S = S_{L} \frac{P}{M} + S_{T} - S_{L} M n \approx S_{L} \frac{P}{M} + S_{T}, \qquad (1.74)$$

satisfying  $S_L^2 + \boldsymbol{S}_T^2 = 1$ . The quantity  $S_L$  is the light-cone helicity,  $S_T$  the transverse spin vector. One has

$$S_{\scriptscriptstyle L} = M \, S \cdot n \qquad \text{and} \qquad S_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^{\mu} = g_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^{\mu\nu} S_{\nu}. \tag{1.75}$$

The spin vector is used in the parametrization of the density matrix. Often, therefore, the transverse spin will be defined with respect to a hadron momentum P' using

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} - \frac{P'^{\{\mu}P^{\nu\}}}{P \cdot P'}.$$
(1.76)

If the hadron momentum P' is hard with respect to the original hadron, i.e.  $P \cdot P'$  large, one still has a useful expansion in which P' has the role as an (approximate) null-vector. One has (first expression exact)

$$S = S_{||} \frac{P}{M\sqrt{1-\delta}} + S_{\perp} - S_{||} M \frac{P'}{(P \cdot P')\sqrt{1-\delta}} \approx S_{||} \frac{P}{M} + S_{\perp},$$
(1.77)

with  $\delta = M^2 M'^2 / (P \cdot P')^2$ , which satisfies  $S_{||}^2 + S_{\perp}^2 = 1$  and where

$$S_{||} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\delta}} \frac{MS \cdot P'}{P \cdot P'} \approx \frac{MS \cdot P'}{P \cdot P'} \quad \text{and} \quad S_{\perp} = g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} S_{\nu}.$$
(1.78)

Comparing both expansions order by order in (1/Q), we find

$$S_{||} - S_{\scriptscriptstyle L} = \frac{M \, S \cdot P'}{P \cdot P'} - M \, S \cdot n = \frac{M \, S_{\scriptscriptstyle T} \cdot P'}{P \cdot P'} = -M \, S_{\perp} \cdot n,$$

and one finds using that  $S\approx S_{\scriptscriptstyle L}\,\frac{P}{M}+S_{\scriptscriptstyle T}\approx S_{||}\,\frac{P}{M}+S_{\perp}$  that

$$S_{L} \approx S_{||} \approx M S \cdot n \approx \frac{M S \cdot P'}{P \cdot P'},$$
 (1.79)

$$S_T \approx S_{\perp} - (S_{\perp} \cdot n) P \approx S_{\perp T} , \qquad (1.80)$$

$$S_{\perp} \approx S_{T} - \frac{S_{T} \cdot P'}{P \cdot P'} P \approx S_{T\perp}$$
 (1.81)

Using

$$p \cdot S = p_T \cdot S_T + \frac{p \cdot P - xM^2}{M} S_L = p_{T'} \cdot S_{T'} + \frac{p \cdot P - x'M^2}{M} S_{L'}, \qquad (1.82)$$

and the fact that the differences x - x' and  $S_L - S_{L'}$  are  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$  we have

$$p_T \cdot S_T \approx p_{T'} \cdot S_{T'},\tag{1.83}$$

which also holds if we use an approximate  $n' \approx P'/P \cdot P'$ .

## Appendix: polarization sums for gluons

A useful feature is the fact that the polarization sum for on-shell gluons satisfying  $v \cdot A = 0$  is approximately equal to the sum for gluons satisfying  $n \cdot A = 0$ , at least if n is constructed from v and P as in Eq. 1.41. This is important because at some point on-shell (cut) gluons in the hard part need to be considered to study the large transverse momentum dependence of correlators. In the section on 'Moderate transverse momenta' we have shown the kinematics for the branching  $parton(p_0) \rightarrow parton(p) + parton(l)$  (with  $p = p_0 - l$ ) in case of the emission of an on-shell parton with momentum l. Looking at the polarization sum for the cases that either l or p are gluons, we need the products of these vectors with the gauge vector (assume  $P \cdot v = 1$ ),

$$l \cdot v = \frac{x}{x_p} \left[ 1 - x_p + \eta \frac{x_p^2}{1 - x_p} \right],$$
  
$$p \cdot v = x \left[ 1 - \eta \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} \right] \approx x.$$

with

$$\eta = -v^2 \, \frac{p_T^2}{4x^2} = v^2 \, \frac{|p_T^2|}{4x^2},$$

serving as a small regulator. We note that in  $p \cdot v$  the  $\eta$ -term is not harmful (no extra poles),

$$\eta \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} = -\frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} \frac{v^2 p_T^2}{4 x^2} \approx -\frac{v^2 (p \cdot P)}{2x} \approx -\frac{v^2 (p \cdot P) (P \cdot n)}{2 (p \cdot n) (P \cdot v)^2} \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{M^2}{Q^2}\right)$$

(in last step we wrote the expression for the cases that the lengths of n and v are not fixed).

We can write for the polarization sum

$$d^{\mu\nu}(l;v) = -g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{l^{\mu}v^{\nu} + l^{\nu}v^{\mu}}{l\cdot v} - \frac{v^{2}l^{\mu}l^{\nu}}{(l\cdot v)^{2}} = \sum_{i} d^{\mu\nu}_{(i)}(l;v)$$
(1.84)

with

$$d_{(1)}^{\mu\nu}(l;v) = \frac{1-x_p}{\left(1-x_p+\eta \frac{x_p^2}{1-x_p}\right)} d^{\mu\nu}(l;n), \qquad (1.85)$$

$$d_{(2)}^{\mu\nu}(l;v) = \eta \frac{x_p^2}{1-x_p} \frac{-g^{\mu\nu}}{\left(1-x_p+\eta \frac{x_p^2}{1-x_p}\right)}$$
(1.86)

$$d_{(3)}^{\mu\nu}(l;v) = -\eta \frac{4x_p^2}{|p_T^2|} \frac{l^{\mu} l^{\nu}}{\left(1 - x_p + \eta \frac{x_p^2}{1 - x_p}\right)^2}$$
(1.87)

$$d_{(4)}^{\mu\nu}(l;v) = \eta \frac{2 x x_p}{|p_T^2|} \frac{l^{\mu} P^{\nu} + l^{\nu} P^{\mu}}{\left(1 - x_p + \eta \frac{x_p^2}{1 - x_p}\right)}.$$
(1.88)

We note that for a time-like gauge choice  $(v^2 > 0)$  one has  $\eta > 0$  and one avoids hitting the poles. Similarly we find for the polarization sum when the parton with momentum p is a gluon the sum

$$\frac{d^{\mu\nu}(p;v)}{p^2} = \frac{1}{p^2} \left[ -g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{p^{\mu}v^{\nu} + p^{\nu}v^{\mu}}{p \cdot v} - \frac{v^2 p^{\mu} p^{\nu}}{(p \cdot v)^2} \right] = \frac{1}{p^2} \sum_i d^{\mu\nu}_{(i)}(p;v)$$
(1.89)

with

$$\frac{d_{(1)}^{\mu\nu}(p;v)}{p^2} = \frac{1}{p^2 \left(1 - \eta \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p}\right)} d^{\mu\nu}(p;n) \approx -\frac{(1 - x_p)}{|p_T^2|} d^{\mu\nu}(p;n)$$
(1.90)

$$\frac{d_{(2)}^{\mu\nu}(p;v)}{p^2} = -\eta \frac{x_p}{1-x_p} \frac{1}{p^2} \frac{-g^{\mu\nu}}{\left(1-\eta \frac{x_p}{1-x_p}\right)} \approx -\eta \frac{x_p}{|p_T^2|} g^{\mu\nu}$$
(1.91)

$$\frac{d_{(3)}^{\mu\nu}(p;v)}{p^2} = -\eta \frac{4}{|p_T^2|} \frac{1}{p^2} \frac{p^{\mu} p^{\nu}}{\left(1 - \eta \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p}\right)^2} \approx \eta \frac{4(1 - x_p)}{|p_T^2|^2} p^{\mu} p^{\nu}$$
(1.92)

$$\frac{d_{(4)}^{\mu\nu}(p;v)}{p^2} = \eta \frac{2x}{|p_T^2|} \frac{1}{p^2} \frac{p^{\mu} P^{\nu} + p^{\nu} P^{\mu}}{\left(1 - \eta \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p}\right)} \approx -\eta \frac{2x(1 - x_p)}{|p_T^2|^2} \left(p^{\mu} P^{\nu} + p^{\nu} P^{\mu}\right).$$
(1.93)

## Chapter 2

# Specific processes

## 2.1 Introduction to electroweak processes

We will consider the following three types of processes,

- The lepton-hadron scattering process  $\ell H \to \ell' X$
- The annihilation process  $\ell \bar{\ell} \to X$
- The lepton-pair production process  $AB \to \ell \bar{\ell} X$  (Drell-Yan process).

All these processes involve electroweak currents, coupling to the leptons in a known way. The basic advantage of electroweak processes lies in the fact that the process is accurately described in terms of the exchange of one photon (for electromagnetic processes), since the coupling,  $\alpha = e^2/4\pi \approx 1/137$ , is weak. The same is true for the weak vector bosons. On the hadronic side, the coupling to the quarks is known, but the structure of hadrons in terms of quarks and gluons is the unknown part. The fact that the coupling to the quarks is known, however, enables the study of hadron structure.

For lepton-hadron scattering we consider the inclusive measurement  $\ell H \to \ell' X$  and the 1-particle inclusive or semi-inclusive measurement  $\ell H \to \ell' h X$ . The invariants are defined,



The variable  $x_B$  is the Bjorken scaling variable. Since the invariant mass squared of the hadronic final state satisfies

$$W_X^2 = (P+q)^2 = \frac{1-x_B}{x_B} Q^2 + M^2 \ge M^2, \qquad (2.5)$$

one has  $0 \le x_B \le 1$ , with  $x_B = 1$  corresponding to elastic scattering, i.e.  $W_X^2 = M^2$ . In this case a hadron is probed with a spacelike (virtual) photon, for which one can consider a frame in which the momentum only has a spatial component, from which it is clear that the resolving power of the probing photon is of the order  $\lambda \approx 1/Q$ . Roughly spoken one probes a nucleus (1 - 10 fm) with  $Q \approx 10 - 100$  MeV, baryon or meson structure (with sizes in the order of 1 fm) with  $Q \approx 0.1 - 1$  GeV and one probes deep into the nucleon (< 0.1 fm) with Q > 2 GeV. As we will see, the invariants  $z \approx z_h$  for the case of *one* leading jet (to which h belongs) in the limit that  $Q^2 \to \infty$ .

For the annihilation process we distinguish the *inclusive* measurement  $\ell \bar{\ell} \to X$ , the 1-particle inclusive measurements  $\ell \bar{\ell} \to hX$  and the 2-particle inclusive measurements  $\ell \bar{\ell} \to h_1 h_2 X$  (hadrons belonging to back-to-back jets). The invariants are defined



In the case of production of hadrons with a timelike (virtual) photon one can consider the rest-frame of the virtual photon, in which case it is clear that Q is a measure of the excitation energy.

For the Drell-Yan process we only consider the *inclusive* case, which already involves two hadrons. We restrict ourselves to lepton pairs with small transverse momentum (compared to Q), for which we have the invariants



### 2.2 The hadronic tensor

### 2.2.1 Lepton-hadron scattering

Consider the process  $\ell + H \rightarrow \ell' + h + X$ , in which a lepton with momentum k scatters off a hadron H with momentum P and one hadron h with momentum  $P_h$  is measured in coincidence with the scattered lepton with momentum k'. The lepton emits a highly virtual photon with momentum

$$q^{\mu} = k^{\mu} - k^{\prime \mu}, \tag{2.12}$$

with  $Q^2 \equiv -q^2 > 0$ . The unobserved outstate will be denoted by  $|P_X\rangle$ , having a total momentum  $P_X^{\mu}$ . We will consider the most general case of a pure incoming spin state, characterized by the spin vectors  $S^{\mu}$ , an observed hadronic spin state characterized by the spin vector  $S_h$  and lepton helicities  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda'$ .

We have the following relations

$$P^2 = M^2, \quad P_h^2 = M_h^2, \tag{2.13}$$

$$k^2 = m^2 \approx 0, \quad k'^2 = m'^2 \approx 0,$$
 (2.14)

$$(k+P)^2 = s, (2.15)$$

$$S^2 = S_h^2 = -1, (2.16)$$

$$P \cdot S = P_h \cdot S_h = 0. \tag{2.17}$$

We will work in the limit where  $Q^2$ ,  $P \cdot q$  and  $P_h \cdot q$  are large keeping the ratios  $Q^2/2P \cdot q$  and  $2P_h \cdot q/Q^2$  finite. The invariant ampitude for the process is given by

$$\mathscr{M} = \bar{u}(k',\lambda')\gamma^{\mu}u(k,\lambda)\frac{e^2}{Q^2}\langle P_X; P_hS_h|J_{\mu}(0)|PS\rangle.$$
(2.18)

The square of this amplitude can be split into a purely leptonic and a purely hadronic part, according to

$$|\mathscr{M}|^{2} = \frac{e^{4}}{Q^{4}} L^{(\ell H)}_{\mu\nu} H^{\mu\nu(\ell H)}, \qquad (2.19)$$

with the lepton tensor (neglecting the lepton masses) being

$$L^{(\ell H)}_{\mu\nu}(k\lambda;k'\lambda') = \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \left( 2k_{\mu}k'_{\nu} + 2k_{\nu}k'_{\mu} - Q^2 g_{\mu\nu} + 2i\lambda \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}q^{\rho}k^{\sigma} \right).$$
(2.20)

The product of hadronic current matrix elements is written as

$$H_{\mu\nu}^{(\ell H)}(P_X; PS; P_h S_h) = \langle PS | J_\mu(0) | P_X; P_h S_h \rangle \langle P_X; P_h S_h | J_\nu(0) | PS \rangle,$$
(2.21)

where a summation over spins of the unobserved out state is understood. The total cross section is given by

$$d\sigma = \frac{1}{F} |\mathscr{M}|^2 d\mathscr{R}, \tag{2.22}$$

with the flux factor

$$F = 4\sqrt{(P \cdot k)^2 - M^2 m^2} \approx 2s$$
 (2.23)

and the Lorentz invariant phase space

$$d\mathscr{R} = (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (k + P - k' - P_X - P_h) \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} \frac{d^3 k'}{(2\pi)^3 2 k'^0} \frac{d^3 P_h}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_h^0}.$$
 (2.24)

Integrating  $H_{\mu\nu}$  over  $P_X$ , gives the usual hadron tensor

$$2M\mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu}^{(\ell H)}(q; PS; P_h S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(q + P - P_X - P_h) H_{\mu\nu}^{(\ell H)}(P_X; PS; P_h S_h).$$
(2.25)

The phase space for the scattered lepton can be rewritten as

$$\frac{d^3k'}{(2\pi)^3 2k'^0} = \frac{E'\,dE'\,d\Omega}{16\pi^3},\tag{2.26}$$

where  $\Omega$  is the lepton scattering angle and E' the energy of the scattered lepton. Thus one gets

$$\frac{2E_h \, d\sigma^{(\ell H)}}{d^3 P_h \, d\Omega dE'} = \frac{2ME'}{s} \frac{\alpha^2}{Q^4} L^{(\ell H)}_{\mu\nu} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu(\ell H)},\tag{2.27}$$

where the lepton tensor is given by the expression between brackets in Eq. (2.20) and the hadron tensor by Eq. (2.25).

Note that for inclusive scattering one obtains the familiar result

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(\ell H)}}{d\Omega dE'} = \frac{2ME'}{s} \frac{\alpha^2}{Q^4} L^{(\ell H)}_{\mu\nu} W^{\mu\nu(\ell H)}, \qquad (2.28)$$

with the hadron tensor given by

$$2M W_{\mu\nu}^{(\ell H)}(q; PS) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(q + P - P_X) \langle PS | J_\mu(0) | P_X \rangle \langle P_X | J_\nu(0) | PS \rangle$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int d^4x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \ \langle PS | [J_\mu(x), J_\nu(0)] | PS \rangle.$$
(2.29)

### 2.2.2 Electron-positron annihilation

Consider the process  $e^- + e^+ \rightarrow h_1 + h_2 + X$ , where two hadrons belonging to opposite jets emerge with momenta  $P_1^{\mu}$  and  $P_2^{\mu}$ . The annihilating incoming leptons with momenta  $k^{\mu}$  and  $k'^{\mu}$  produce a high mass photon with momentum

$$q^{\mu} = k^{\mu} + k^{\prime \mu}, \qquad (2.30)$$

with  $Q^2 \equiv q^2 > 0$ . The unobserved outstate will be denoted by  $|P_X\rangle$ . We will consider the general case of polarized leptons with helicities  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda'$  and production of hadrons of which the spin states are characterized by spin vectors  $S_1^{\mu}$  and  $S_2^{\mu}$ , respectively. We have the following relations

$$P_1^2 = M_1^2, \quad P_2^2 = M_2^2, \tag{2.31}$$

$$k^2 = k'^2 = m^2 \approx 0, \tag{2.32}$$

$$S_1^2 = S_2^2 = -1, (2.33)$$

$$P_1 \cdot S_1 = P_2 \cdot S_2 = 0. \tag{2.34}$$

We will work in the limit where  $Q^2$ ,  $P_1 \cdot q$  and  $P_2 \cdot q$  are large, keeping the ratios  $2P_1 \cdot q/Q^2$  and  $2P_2 \cdot q/Q^2$  finite. The invariant ampitude for the process is given by

$$\mathscr{M} = \bar{v}(k',\lambda')\gamma^{\mu}u(k,\lambda)\frac{e^2}{Q^2}\langle P_X; P_1S_1; P_2S_2|J_{\mu}(0)|0\rangle.$$
(2.35)

The square of this amplitude can be split into a purely leptonic and a purely hadronic part, according to

$$|\mathscr{M}|^{2} = \frac{e^{4}}{Q^{4}} L^{(e^{+}e^{-})}_{\mu\nu} H^{\mu\nu(e^{+}e^{-})}, \qquad (2.36)$$

with the lepton tensor (neglecting the lepton masses) being

$$L^{(e^+e^-)}_{\mu\nu}(k\lambda;k'\lambda') = \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \left( 2k_{\mu}k'_{\nu} + 2k_{\nu}k'_{\mu} - Q^2 g_{\mu\nu} + 2i\lambda \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}k^{\rho}k'^{\sigma} \right).$$
(2.37)

The product of hadronic current matrix elements is written as

$$H_{\mu\nu}^{(e^+e^-)}(P_X; P_1S_1; P_2S_2) = \langle 0|J_{\mu}(0)|P_X; P_1S_1; P_2S_2\rangle \langle P_X; P_1S_1; P_2S_2|J_{\nu}(0)|0\rangle,$$
(2.38)

where a summation over spins of the unobserved out state is understood. The total cross section is given by

$$d\sigma = \frac{1}{F} |\mathscr{M}|^2 d\mathscr{R}, \tag{2.39}$$

with the flux factor

$$F = 4\sqrt{(k \cdot k')^2 - k^2 k'^2} \approx 2Q^2$$
(2.40)

and the Lorentz invariant phase space

$$d\mathscr{R} = (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (k + k' - P_X - P_1 - P_2) \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} \frac{d^3 P_1}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_1^0} \frac{d^3 P_2}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_2^0}.$$
 (2.41)

Integrating  $H_{\mu\nu}$  over  $P_X$ , gives the usual hadron tensor

$$\mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu}^{(e^+e^-)}(q;P_1S_1;P_2S_2) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^3P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(q - P_X - P_1 - P_2) H_{\mu\nu}^{(e^+e^-)}(P_X;P_1S_1;P_2S_2).$$
(2.42)

One obtains the cross section (including a factor 1/2 from averaging over incoming polarizations)

$$\frac{P_1^0 P_2^0 \, d\sigma^{(e^+e^-)}}{d^3 P_1 \, d^3 P_2} = \frac{\alpha^2}{4 \, Q^6} L^{(e^+e^-)}_{\mu\nu} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu(e^+e^-)}, \tag{2.43}$$

where the lepton tensor is given by the expression between brackets in Eq. (2.37) and the hadron tensor by Eq. (2.42).

Note that for a single produced hadron one finds

$$E_h \frac{d\sigma}{d^3 P_h} = \frac{\alpha^2}{2 Q^6} L^{(e^+e^-)}_{\mu\nu} W^{\mu\nu(e^+e^-)}, \qquad (2.44)$$

where the hadron tensor is given by

$$W_{\mu\nu}^{(e^+e^-)}(q;P_hS_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)} \int \frac{d^3P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(q - P_X - P_h) \langle 0|J_\mu(0)|P_X;P_hS_h\rangle \langle P_X;P_hS_h|J_\nu(0)|0\rangle.$$
(2.45)

For the annihilation cross section one finds

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \to hadrons) = \frac{4\pi^2 \,\alpha^2}{Q^6} L^{(e^+e^-)}_{\mu\nu} R^{\mu\nu(e^+e^-)}, \qquad (2.46)$$

where the tensor  $R_{\mu\nu}$  is given by

$$R_{\mu\nu}^{(e^+e^-)}(q) = \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(q - P_X) \langle 0|J_\mu(0)|P_X\rangle \langle P_X|J_\nu(0)|0\rangle$$
  
= 
$$\int d^4x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \ \langle 0|[J_\mu(x), J_\nu(0)]|0\rangle.$$
(2.47)

#### 2.2.3 The Drell-Yan process

Consider the process  $A + B \rightarrow \ell + \bar{\ell} + X$ , where two spin- $\frac{1}{2}$  hadrons with momenta  $P_A^{\mu}$  and  $P_B^{\mu}$  interact and two outgoing leptons (considered massless) are measured with momenta  $k^{\mu}$  and  $k'^{\mu}$ . The leptons are assumed to originate from a high mass photon with momentum

$$q^{\mu} = k^{\mu} + k'^{\mu}, \tag{2.48}$$

with  $Q^2 \equiv q^2 > 0$ . The unobserved outstate will be denoted by  $|P_X\rangle$ , having a total momentum  $P_X^{\mu}$ . We will consider the case of pure incoming spin states, characterized by the spin vectors  $S_A^{\mu}$  and  $S_B^{\mu}$ , respectively, and observed lepton helicities  $\lambda$  and  $\lambda'$ . We have the following relations

$$P_A^2 = M_A^2, \quad P_B^2 = M_B^2, \tag{2.49}$$

$$(P_A + P_B)^2 = s, (2.50)$$

$$k^2 = k'^2 = m^2 \approx 0, \tag{2.51}$$

$$S_A^2 = S_B^2 = -1, (2.52)$$

$$P_A \cdot S_A = P_B \cdot S_B = 0. \tag{2.53}$$

In the deep inelastic limit  $Q^2, s \to \infty$ , with the ratio  $\tau = Q^2/s$  fixed. The invariant amplitude for the process is given by

$$\mathscr{M} = \bar{u}(k,\lambda)\gamma^{\mu}v(k',\lambda')\frac{e^2}{Q^2}\langle P_X|J_{\mu}(0)|P_AS_A;P_BS_B\rangle.$$
(2.54)

The square of this amplitude can be split into a purely leptonic and a purely hadronic part, according to

$$|\mathscr{M}|^2 = \frac{e^4}{Q^4} L^{(DY)}_{\mu\nu} H^{\mu\nu(DY)}, \qquad (2.55)$$

with the lepton tensor (neglecting the lepton masses) being

$$L^{(DY)}_{\mu\nu}(k\lambda;k'\lambda') = \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \left( 2k_{\mu}k'_{\nu} + 2k_{\nu}k'_{\mu} - Q^2 g_{\mu\nu} + 2i\lambda \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}q^{\rho}k^{\sigma} \right).$$
(2.56)

The product of hadronic current matrix elements is written as

$$H_{\mu\nu}^{(DY)}(P_X; P_A S_A; P_B S_B) = \langle P_A S_A; P_B S_B | J_\mu(0) | P_X \rangle \langle P_X | J_\nu(0) | P_A S_A; P_B S_B \rangle,$$
(2.57)

where a summation over spins of the unobserved out state is understood. The total cross section is given by

$$d\sigma = \frac{1}{F} |\mathscr{M}|^2 d\mathscr{R}, \tag{2.58}$$

with the flux factor

$$F = 4\sqrt{(P_A \cdot P_B)^2 - M_A^2 M_B^2} \approx 2s$$
 (2.59)

and the Lorentz invariant phase space

$$d\mathscr{R} = (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (P_A + P_B - P_X - k - k') \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3 2k^0} \frac{d^3 k'}{(2\pi)^3 2k'^0}.$$
 (2.60)

Integrating  $H_{\mu\nu}$  over  $P_X$ , gives the usual hadron tensor

$$\mathcal{W}_{\mu\nu}^{(DY)}(q; P_A S_A; P_B S_B) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (P_A + P_B - P_X - q) \\ \times H_{\mu\nu}^{(DY)}(P_X; P_A S_A; P_B S_B) \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \langle P_A S_A; P_B S_B | [J_\mu(0), J_\nu(x)] | P_A S_A; P_B S_B \rangle.$$
(2.61)

For the last equality completeness of the out states and causality has been used. The remaining phase space is conveniently written as

$$\frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3 2k^0} \frac{d^3k'}{(2\pi)^3 2k'^0} = \frac{d^4q}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{d\Omega}{32\pi^2},\tag{2.62}$$

where the angles are those of the lepton axis in the rest frame of the two leptons. In terms of the finestructure constant  $\alpha \equiv e^2/4\pi$ , we then obtain the Drell-Yan cross section (including a factor 2 from the summation over the lepton polarizations)

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(DY)}}{d^4 q \, d\Omega} = \frac{\alpha^2}{2s \, Q^4} L^{(DY)}_{\mu\nu} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu(DY)},\tag{2.63}$$

where the lepton tensor is given by the symmetric part in Eq. (2.56) and the hadron tensor by Eq. (2.61).

## 2.3 Deep inelastic kinematics

In order to deal with the hard processes, it is convenient to consider a Cartesian set of vectors constructed from the momenta. These start with defining  $q^{\mu}$  as a spacelike or timelike direction depending on the process. Then one proceeds using vectors that are orthogonal to q. Such vectors  $\tilde{a}$  are obtained subtracting from a the projection along q,

$$\tilde{a}^{\mu} \equiv \tilde{g}^{\mu\nu} a_{\nu} = a^{\mu} - \frac{a \cdot q}{q^2} q^{\mu}, \qquad (2.64)$$

where

$$\tilde{g}^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu\nu} - \frac{q^{\mu}q^{\nu}}{q^2}.$$
(2.65)

Another set of vectors that is useful, in particular for the theoretical description of the structure of hadrons, are a set of light-like vectors,  $n_{-}^{\mu}$  and  $n_{+}^{\mu}$  ( $n_{+}^{2} = n_{-}^{2} = 0$ ,  $n_{+} \cdot n_{-} = 1$ ) that are in essence hadronic momenta divided by the large scale Q. If  $P/Q = a n_{+} + b n_{-}$  and  $a \sim 1$  then  $b \sim M^{2}/Q^{2} \ll a$ . Hadronic momenta divided by Q are thus in essence proportional to one light-like vector, the hard momentum q/Q, however, involves two light-like vectors. We will use for four vectors the notations  $p = (p^{0}, p^{1}, p^{2}, p^{3})$  or  $p = [p^{-}, p^{+}, p^{1}, p^{2}]$  where  $p^{\pm} \equiv (p^{0} \pm p^{3})/\sqrt{2}$ , depending on the fact if we use a Cartesian set of basisvectors or a set with two light-like vectors. In the latter case one must be aware of the metric, having e.g.  $p^{\pm} = p \cdot n_{\pm}$ .

We will consider two different sets of frames, the first set (type I) has  $q_{\perp} \equiv (q^1, q^2) = \mathbf{0}_{\perp}$ , i.e. the virtual photon has no transverse components. We note that there is still freedom to parametrize q, e.g. in lepton-hadron scattering,

$$q \stackrel{I}{=} \left[ -\frac{1}{A} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, A \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{\perp} \right].$$

The quantity A specifies a particular frame. Frames with different A are connected via a simple boost along the z-axis. The second set of frames (type II) are those where the hadrons have no perpendicular momentum, relevant in cases where two hadrons play a role. In these frames the transverse momenta are indicated with  $p_T$  and thus  $P_T = P_{hT} = \mathbf{0}_T$ . Note that q in such a frame in general does have transverse components,

$$q \stackrel{II}{=} \left[ -\frac{1}{A} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, A \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{q}_{T} \right].$$

with  $q_T^2 = Q_T^2$  and  $Q^2 = \tilde{Q}^2 + Q_T^2$ . The connection between frames of type I and II can be made by a Lorentz transformation, e.g. one that leaves the minus component unchanged <sup>1</sup> and involves a parameter  $b^-$  and a two-component vector **b** 

$$[a^{-}, a^{+}, a] \longrightarrow \left[a^{-}, a^{+} - \frac{a \cdot b}{b^{-}} + \frac{b^{2} a^{-}}{2(b^{-})^{2}}, a - \frac{a^{-}}{b^{-}} b\right].$$
(2.66)

In most of the following we will assume that all hadrons and the virtual photon are in essence parallel, i.e.  $Q_{\tau} \ll Q$  and up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections  $\tilde{Q} \approx Q$ . This implies for semi-inclusive lepton-hadron just one leading jet containing the produced hadron, for 2-particle inclusive lepton annihilation just two back-to-back jets and for Drell-Yan only lepton-pairs with transverse momentum  $\ll Q$ .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>To do this one needs in the two parametrizations boost factors A differing by a factor  $Q/\tilde{Q}$ .



Figure 2.1: Kinematics of lepton hadron scattering in a frame where target hadron and virtual photon momentum are parallel (including target rest frame).

### 2.3.1 Lepton-hadron scattering

For lepton-hadron scattering the starting point of defining a Cartesian set is a spacelike direction defined by the momentum transfer  $q^{\mu}$ . Using the target hadron momentum  $P^{\mu}$  one can construct an orthogonal four vector  $\tilde{P}^{\mu} = P^{\mu} - (P \cdot q/q^2) q^{\mu}$ , which is timelike and satisfies  $\tilde{P}^2 = \kappa P \cdot q$  with

$$\kappa = 1 + \frac{M^2 Q^2}{(P \cdot q)^2} = 1 + \frac{4 M^2 x_B^2}{Q^2}.$$
(2.67)

taking into account mass corrections  $\propto M^2/Q^2$  which will vanish for large  $Q^2$  ( $\kappa \to 1$ ). Defining

$$Z^{\mu} \equiv -q^{\mu}, \tag{2.68}$$

$$T^{\mu} \equiv \frac{Q^2}{P \cdot q} \frac{\tilde{P}^{\mu}}{\sqrt{\kappa}} = \frac{q^{\mu} + 2x_B P^{\mu}}{\sqrt{\kappa}}, \qquad (2.69)$$

we have  $Z^2 = -Q^2$  and  $T^2 = Q^2$  and will mostly consider normalized vectors  $\hat{z}^{\mu} = Z^{\mu}/Q$  and  $\hat{t}^{\mu} = T^{\mu}/Q$ . Note that  $P \cdot T = \sqrt{\kappa} P \cdot q$  and  $\tilde{P}^2 = (P \cdot \hat{t})^2 = \kappa (P \cdot \hat{z})^2$ . In the space orthogonal to  $\hat{z}$  and  $\hat{t}$  one has the tensors

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} + \hat{q}^{\mu}\hat{q}^{\nu} - \hat{t}^{\mu}\hat{t}^{\nu}, \qquad (2.70)$$

$$\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \equiv \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \hat{t}_{\rho} \hat{q}_{\sigma} = \frac{1}{(P \cdot q)\sqrt{\kappa}} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} P_{\rho} q_{\sigma}.$$
(2.71)

A relevant vector in the perpendical space appears if we have more than one hadron, e.g. in 1-particle inclusive leptoproduction. For instance  $P_{h\perp} = g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} P_{h\nu}$ , defining the orientation of the production plane in semi-inclusive leptoproduction,  $\hat{h}^{\mu} = P_{h\perp}^{\mu}/|\mathbf{P}_{h\perp}|$  (see figure 2.1).

We can also construct a timelike direction using the vector vector  $P_h$ . The vector  $\tilde{P}_h = P_h^{\mu} - (P_h \cdot q/q^2) q^{\mu}$ satisfies  $\tilde{P}_h^2 = \kappa_h (P_h \cdot q)^2$  with

$$\kappa_h = 1 + \frac{M_h^2 Q^2}{(P_h \cdot q)^2} = 1 + \frac{4 M_h^2}{z_h^2 Q^2}.$$
(2.72)

One has  $\tilde{P} \cdot \tilde{P}_h = (P \cdot \hat{t})(P_h \cdot \hat{t})$  and  $\tilde{P}_h^2 = M_h^2 + (P_h \cdot \hat{z})^2 = (P_h \cdot \hat{t})^2 - \mathbf{P}_{h\perp}^2 = \kappa_h (P_h \cdot \hat{z})^2$ . One can extend the Cartesian set with

$$X^{\mu} \equiv \frac{(P_h \cdot T) \tilde{P}^{\mu} - (P \cdot T) \tilde{P}_h^{\mu}}{(P \cdot \hat{t})(P_h \cdot \hat{z}) - (P \cdot \hat{z})(P_h \cdot \hat{t})}$$
(2.73)

$$Y^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}P_{\nu}P_{h\rho}q_{\sigma}}{(P\cdot\hat{t})(P_{h}\cdot\hat{z}) - (P\cdot\hat{z})(P_{h}\cdot\hat{t})} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{\kappa}}\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\perp}X_{\nu}.$$
(2.74)

Explicitly one has

$$X^{\mu} = q^{\mu} + x_{B} P^{\mu} \left[ \frac{2}{1 - \frac{(P \cdot T)(P_{h} \cdot q)}{(P \cdot q)(P_{h} \cdot T)}} \right] - \frac{P_{h}^{\mu}}{z_{h}} \left[ \frac{2}{1 - \frac{(P \cdot q)(P_{h} \cdot T)}{(P \cdot T)(P_{h} \cdot q)}} \right]$$
  

$$\approx q^{\mu} + x_{B} P^{\mu} - \frac{P_{h}^{\mu}}{z_{h}}, \qquad (2.75)$$

the last expression being without the mass corrections, valid up to  $1/Q^2$  corrections.

Introducing

$$\kappa_{h\perp} = 1 + \frac{M_{h\perp}^2 Q^2}{(P_h \cdot q)^2} = 1 + \frac{4 M_{h\perp}^2}{z_h^2 Q^2}, \qquad (2.76)$$

where  $M_{h\perp}^2 = M_h^2 + \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}^2$ , one can write

$$X^{\mu} = q^{\mu} + x_B P^{\mu} \left[ \frac{2}{1 + \sqrt{\frac{\kappa}{\kappa_{h\perp}}}} \right] - \frac{P_h^{\mu}}{z_h} \left[ \frac{2}{1 + \sqrt{\frac{\kappa_{h\perp}}{\kappa}}} \right], \qquad (2.77)$$

from which one e.g. immediately sees that

$$X^{2} = \frac{P_{h\perp}^{2}}{z_{h}^{2}} \left(\frac{2}{1 + \sqrt{\frac{\kappa_{h\perp}}{\kappa}}}\right)^{2}.$$
 (2.78)

or using z instead of  $z_h$ ,

$$X^{2} = \frac{P_{h\perp}^{2}}{z^{2}} \frac{\kappa}{\left(1 - (1 - \kappa)\frac{M_{h\perp}^{2}}{z^{2}Q^{2}}\right)}.$$
(2.79)

Next we introduce two simple light-like vectors  $(n_+ \cdot n_- = 1, n_+^2 = n_-^2 = 0)$ , such that we have

$$P^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\hat{Q}}{\xi\sqrt{2}} n_{+}^{\mu} + \frac{\xi M^2}{\tilde{Q}\sqrt{2}} n_{-}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.80)$$

$$P_{h}^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\zeta \hat{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{-}^{\mu} + \frac{M_{h}^{2}}{\zeta \tilde{Q} \sqrt{2}} n_{+}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.81)$$

$$q^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\dot{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{-}^{\mu} - \frac{\dot{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{+}^{\mu} + q_{T}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.82)$$

where  $q_T^2 \equiv -Q_T^2$  and  $\tilde{Q}^2 = Q^2 - Q_T^2$ . Note that the variables  $\xi$  and  $\zeta$  are equal to the invariants  $x_B$  and  $z_h$  or z up to corrections of order  $M^2/Q^2$ ,  $M_h^2/Q^2$  and  $Q_T^2/Q^2$ . Furthermore one has that  $X^2 = -Q_T^2 = -q_T^2$ .

It is possible to take several kinematic corrections into account by starting with the above parametrization in terms of  $\xi$  and  $\zeta$  and calculate the invariants. Inversion gives

$$\begin{split} \xi &= x_B \frac{\tilde{Q}^2}{Q^2} \frac{2}{\left(1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{\tilde{Q}^2}{Q^2} \frac{4M^2 x_B^2}{Q^2}}\right)} \\ \zeta &= z_h \frac{Q^2}{\tilde{Q}^2} \frac{\left(1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{\tilde{Q}^2}{Q^2} \frac{4M_h^2}{z_h^2 Q^2}}\right)}{2}, \end{split}$$

or instead of the last one in terms of z instead of  $z_h$ ,

$$\zeta = z \frac{\left(1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{4x_B^2 M^2 M_h^2}{z^2 Q^4}}\right)}{\left(1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{\tilde{Q}^2}{Q^2}} \frac{4x_B^2 M^2}{Q^2}\right)}.$$

 $Q_T$  is determined from  $P_{h\perp}$  or implicitly from z,  $z_h$  and  $x_B$  (e.g. equating the two expressions for  $\zeta$ ). For inclusive lepton-hadron scattering one has  $Q_T = 0$  and  $\xi = 2x_B/(1 + \sqrt{\kappa})$ . This quantity is referred to as the Nachtmann scaling variable.

	lepton-hadron:				
momentum	frame I	frame II	relations		
q = k - k'	$\left[rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},-rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},-rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$	$oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} = -rac{1}{z}oldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}$		
Р	$\left[rac{x_BM^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},rac{Q}{x_B\sqrt{2}},0_{\perp} ight]$	$\left[\frac{x_B M^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{x_B\sqrt{2}}, 0_T\right]$	$x_{\scriptscriptstyle B} = -\frac{q^+}{P^+} \approx \frac{Q^2}{2P \cdot q} \approx -\frac{P_h \cdot q}{P_h \cdot P}$		
$P_h$	$\left[rac{z_hQ}{\sqrt{2}},rac{M_{h\perp}^2}{z_hQ\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{P}_{h\perp} ight]$	$\left[rac{z_hQ}{\sqrt{2}},rac{M_h^2}{z_hQ\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_T ight]$	$z_h = \frac{P_h^-}{q^-} \approx -\frac{2P_h \cdot q}{Q^2} \approx \frac{P \cdot P_h}{P \cdot q}$		
$q_{T}$	$\left[0\;,-2rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \ , 0 \ , oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} \end{bmatrix}$	$oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2=Q_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2$		

We give the hadronic momenta in the frames I and II, including the vector  $q_T$ , up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$ . We do this omitting the 'boost' factors 1/A and A multiplying – and + components respectively.

The important thing to notice is that the momentum  $q_T$  introduced as the transverse part of q in frame II, produces in frame I a term in the +-direction, which will produce effects only suppressed by 1/Q, rather than mass effects which always will appear suppressed by  $1/Q^2$ .

The forms of the vectors in the Cartesian set and the vectors  $n_{\pm}$  and  $q_{\tau}$  including transverse momentum corrections, but neglecting mass corrections (order  $1/Q^2$ ) are explicitly given below.

$\ell H  ext{ and } e^- e^+$				
vector	frame I	frame II		
Т	$\left[ rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} \;,\; rac{Q^2}{ ilde{Q}\sqrt{2}} \;,\; oldsymbol{0}_{ot}  ight]$	$\left[ rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} \;,\; rac{ ilde{Q}^2+2Q_T^2}{ ilde{Q}\sqrt{2}} \;,\; oldsymbol{q}_T  ight]$		
Ζ	$\left[-rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}\;,\;rac{Q^2}{ ilde{Q}\sqrt{2}}\;,\;oldsymbol{0}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[-rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}\;,\;rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}\;,\;-oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$		
Х	$\left[ egin{array}{cccc} 0 \ , \ 0 \ , \ oldsymbol{q}_{T}  ight]$	$\left[ egin{array}{c} 0 \ , \ 2 rac{Q_T^2}{ar Q \sqrt{2}}, \ oldsymbol{q}_T  ight]$		
<i>n</i> _	$\left[1, \frac{Q_T^2}{\tilde{Q}^2}, -\frac{\boldsymbol{q}_T\sqrt{2}}{\tilde{Q}}\right]$	$[1 \ , \ 0 \ , \ 0_{\scriptscriptstyle T}]$		
$n_+$	$[0 \ , \ 1 \ , \ \boldsymbol{0}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}]$	$[0 \ , \ 1 \ , \ \boldsymbol{0}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}]$		
$q_T$	$\left[ \begin{array}{c} 0 \ , -2 rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}} \ , \ oldsymbol{q}_T \end{array}  ight]$	$[\ 0 \ , \ 0 \ , \ {oldsymbol{q}}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}]$		

Later on we will need to transform from the theoretically useful vectors  $n_{\pm}$  and  $q_{\tau}$  to the quantities appearing in the expansion of the hadronic tensor,  $\hat{t}$ ,  $\hat{z}$  and  $\hat{x}$ ,

$$n_{-}^{\mu} = \frac{1}{\tilde{Q}\sqrt{2}} \left( \left( 1 + \frac{Q_{T}^{2}}{Q^{2}} \right) T^{\mu} - \left( 1 - \frac{Q_{T}^{2}}{Q^{2}} \right) Z^{\mu} - 2 X^{\mu} \right) \approx \frac{T^{\mu} - Z^{\mu} - 2 X^{\mu}}{Q\sqrt{2}}$$
(2.83)

$$n_{+}^{\mu} = \frac{\tilde{Q}^{2}}{Q^{2}} \frac{T^{\mu} + Z^{\mu}}{\tilde{Q}\sqrt{2}} \approx \frac{T^{\mu} + Z^{\mu}}{Q\sqrt{2}}$$
(2.84)

$$q_T^{\mu} = X^{\mu} - \frac{Q_T^2}{Q^2} \left( T^{\mu} + Z^{\mu} \right) \tag{2.85}$$

Again inclusion of mass corrections can be done by using the exact inverse of the expressions for  $P, P_h$  and q,

$$n_{+} = \frac{\xi\sqrt{2}}{\tilde{Q}} \frac{\left(P - \frac{\xi M^2}{\zeta \bar{Q}^2} P_h\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{\xi^2 M^2 M_h^2}{\zeta^2 Q^4}\right)},$$
$$n_{-} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\zeta \tilde{Q}} \frac{\left(P_h - \frac{\xi M_h^2}{\zeta \bar{Q}^2} P\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{\xi^2 M^2 M_h^2}{\zeta^2 Q^4}\right)},$$

and rewriting q, P, and  $P_h$  in terms of Z, T, and X.

Neglecting the mass and transverse momentum corrections of order  $1/Q^2$  (but keeping those of order 1/Q) we obtain

$$g_T^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - n_+^{\mu} n_-^{\nu} - n_-^{\mu} n_+^{\nu} = g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{Q_T}{Q} \hat{q}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}} + \frac{Q_T}{Q} \hat{t}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}}, \qquad (2.86)$$

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = g_{T}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{\sqrt{2} n_{+}^{\{\mu} q_{T}^{\nu\}}}{Q}$$
(2.87)

Using normalized vectors is important to see which are the terms containing transverse vectors that should be kept at order 1/Q. Note that for any vector that in frame II is of the form  $[0, 0, \boldsymbol{a}_T]$  with  $|\boldsymbol{a}_T| \sim 1$ , i.e.  $\sim Q^0$ , one has up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  the relation

$$a_T^{\mu} \approx g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} a_{T\nu} - \frac{a_T \cdot q_T}{Q^2} q^{\mu} + \frac{a_T \cdot q_T}{Q^2} T^{\mu}.$$
(2.88)

Note that the first term on the righthand side has in frame I the form  $[0, 0, a_T]$ . We will sometimes simply use the notation  $a^{\mu}_{\perp} = g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} a_{T\nu}$  for it, but one must be careful not to confuse this with the vector  $g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} a_{\nu}$ . An example of such a vector is  $S_T$ , part of the spin vector characterizing the spin of a spin 1/2 hadron, for which one has

$$P^{\mu} = \frac{M^2}{2P^+} n^{\mu}_{-} + P^+ n^{\mu}_{+}, \qquad (2.89)$$

$$S^{\mu} = -S_{hL} \frac{M}{2P^{+}} n^{\mu}_{-} + S_{hL} \frac{P^{+}}{M} n^{\mu}_{+} + S^{\mu}_{T}, \qquad (2.90)$$

such that  $P \cdot S = 0$  and  $-S^2 = 1 = S_{hL}^2 + S_T^2$ . Also for the quark transverse momentum vectors  $k_T$  this relation will become important.

Also the lepton momenta k and k' = k - q can be expanded in  $\hat{t}$ ,  $\hat{z}$  and a perpendicular component using the scaling variable  $y = P \cdot q/P \cdot k$  (in the target restframe reducing to  $y = \nu/E$ ). The result is

$$k^{\mu} = \frac{2-y}{y} \frac{1}{\kappa} T^{\mu} - \frac{1}{2} Z^{\mu} + k^{\mu}_{\perp} = \frac{Q}{2} \hat{q}^{\mu} + \frac{(2-y)}{2y} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{\kappa}} \hat{t}^{\mu} + \frac{\sqrt{1-y} + \frac{1}{4}(1-\kappa)y^2}{y} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{\kappa}} \hat{\ell}^{\mu} + \frac{Q^2 \to \infty}{2} \frac{Q}{2} \hat{q}^{\mu} + \frac{(2-y)Q}{2y} \hat{t}^{\mu} + \frac{Q\sqrt{1-y}}{y} \hat{\ell}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.91)$$

where  $\hat{\ell}^{\mu} = k_{\perp}^{\mu}/|\mathbf{k}_{\perp}|$ , is a spacelike unit-vector in the perpendicular direction lying in the (lepton) scattering plane. The kinematics in the frame where virtual photon and target are collinear (including target rest frame) is illustrated in Fig. 1. With the definition of  $\hat{\ell}$ , we have for the leptonic tensor<sup>2</sup> neglecting mass corrections ( $\kappa = 1$ )

$$L_{(\ell H)}^{\mu\nu} = \frac{Q^2}{y^2} \left[ -2\left(1 - y + \frac{1}{2}y^2\right) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} + 4(1 - y)\hat{t}^{\mu}\hat{t}^{\nu} + 4(1 - y)\left(\hat{\ell}^{\mu}\hat{\ell}^{\nu} + \frac{1}{2}g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) + 2(2 - y)\sqrt{1 - y}\,\hat{t}^{\{\mu}\hat{\ell}^{\nu\}} - i\lambda_e\,y(2 - y)\,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} - 2i\lambda_e\,y\sqrt{1 - y}\,\hat{t}^{[\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho}\hat{\ell}_{\rho} \right].$$
(2.92)

 $^{2}\mathrm{A}$  useful relation is

 $\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} g_{\alpha\beta} = \epsilon_{\alpha\nu\rho\sigma} g_{\mu\beta} + \epsilon_{\mu\alpha\rho\sigma} g_{\nu\beta} + \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha\sigma} g_{\rho\beta} + \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\alpha} g_{\sigma\beta}$ 

or for a vector  $a_{\perp}$  orthogonal to  $\hat{t}$  and  $\hat{q}$ ,

$$\begin{split} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \hat{z}_{\rho} a_{\perp\sigma} &= \hat{t}^{[\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho} a_{\perp\rho}, \\ \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \hat{t}_{\rho} a_{\perp\sigma} &= -\hat{z}^{[\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho} a_{\perp\rho} \end{split}$$

For completeness, we also give the full tensor including mass corrections

$$\begin{split} L^{\mu\nu}_{(\ell H)} &= \frac{1}{\kappa} \frac{Q^2}{y^2} \Biggl[ -2 \left( 1 - y + \frac{1}{4} \left( 1 + \kappa \right) y^2 \right) g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} + 4 \left( 1 - y + \frac{1}{4} (1 - \kappa) y^2 \right) \hat{t}^{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu} \\ &+ 4 \left( 1 - y + \frac{1}{4} (1 - \kappa) y^2 \right) \left( \hat{\ell}^{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\nu} + \frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} \right) + 2(2 - y) \sqrt{1 - y + \frac{1}{4} (1 - \kappa) y^2} \, \hat{t}^{\{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\nu\}} \\ &- i\lambda_e \sqrt{\kappa} \, y(2 - y) \, \epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} - 2i\lambda_e \sqrt{\kappa} \, y \sqrt{1 - y + \frac{1}{4} (1 - \kappa) y^2} \, \hat{t}^{[\mu} \epsilon^{\nu]\rho}_{\perp} \hat{\ell}_{\rho} \Biggr]. \end{split}$$

The lepton-momenta also can be written down in the frames discussed above using that up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections

$$y = \frac{q^-}{k^-} \approx \frac{P \cdot q}{P \cdot k} = \frac{Q^2}{x_B s},\tag{2.93}$$

which in the target rest frame  $(A = x_{\scriptscriptstyle B} M/Q)$  equals  $y = \nu/E$ .

lepton-hadron:momentumframe Iframe IIrelationsk
$$\left[\frac{1}{A}\frac{Q}{y\sqrt{2}}, A\frac{(1-y)Q}{y\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\right]$$
 $\left[\frac{1}{A}\frac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}}, A\frac{\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}}{yQ\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{T}\right]$  $\mathbf{k}_{T} = \mathbf{k}_{\perp} + \frac{\mathbf{q}_{T}}{y}$ k' $\left[\frac{1}{A}\frac{(1-y)Q}{y\sqrt{2}}, A\frac{Q}{y\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\right]$  $\left[\frac{1}{A}\frac{(1-y)Q}{y\sqrt{2}}, A\frac{y(\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}-2\mathbf{k}_{T}\cdot\mathbf{q}_{T})}{(1-y)Q\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{T} - \mathbf{q}_{T}\right]$  $\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} = \frac{1-y}{y^{2}}Q^{2}$ 

The lepton phase space becomes  $d^3k'/E' = E'dE'd\Omega = \pi y s dx_B dy$ , and one obtains for Eq. 2.27

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(\ell H)}}{dx_B \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \, dy} = \frac{\pi \, \alpha^2}{2Q^4} \, yz \, L^{(\ell H)}_{\mu\nu} \, 2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu(\ell H)}.$$
(2.94)

For the inclusive process one finds

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(\ell H)}}{dx_B \, dy} = \frac{\pi \, \alpha^2}{Q^4} \, y \, L^{(\ell H)}_{\mu\nu} \, 2M W^{\mu\nu(\ell H)}. \tag{2.95}$$

### 2.3.2 The annihilation process

For  $e^-e^+$  annihilation the starting point is the timelike direction defined by q. Then it is often convenient to use one of the hadron momenta, say  $P_2$  to construct an orthogonal spacelike vector proportional to  $\tilde{P}_2 = P_2 - (P_2 \cdot q/q^2)q$ .

$$T^{\mu} \equiv q^{\mu} \stackrel{I}{=} \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{\perp}\right], \qquad (2.96)$$

$$Z^{\mu} \equiv \frac{q^2}{P_2 \cdot q} \frac{\tilde{P}_2^{\mu}}{\sqrt{\kappa_2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\kappa_2}} \left(\frac{2}{z_2} P_2^{\mu} - q^{\mu}\right) \stackrel{I}{=} \left[-\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{\perp}\right],$$
(2.97)

For these vectors we have  $T^2 = Q^2$  and  $Z^2 = -Q^2$  while

$$\kappa_2 = 1 + \frac{M_2^2 Q^2}{(P \cdot q)^2} = 1 + \frac{4 M_2^2}{z_2^2 Q^2}.$$
(2.98)

The quantity  $\kappa_2$  takes into account mass corrections  $\propto M_2^2/Q^2$  which will vanish for large  $Q^2$  ( $\kappa_2 \rightarrow 1$ ). Note that  $P_2 \cdot Z = -\sqrt{\kappa_2} P_2 \cdot q$ . We will mostly consider normalized vectors  $\hat{t}^{\mu} = T^{\mu}/Q$  and  $\hat{z}^{\mu} = Z^{\mu}/Q$ . In the space orthogonal to  $\hat{z}$  and  $\hat{t}$  one has the tensors

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - \hat{q}^{\mu}\hat{q}^{\nu} + \hat{z}^{\mu}\hat{z}^{\nu}, \qquad (2.99)$$

$$\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \equiv -\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \hat{q}_{\rho} \hat{z}_{\sigma} = \frac{1}{(P_2 \cdot q)\sqrt{\kappa_2}} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} P_{2\rho} q_{\sigma}, \qquad (2.100)$$

Vectors in the orthogonal space are for instance obtained using the other hadronic momentum  $P_1$  (see figure 2.2). The following Cartesian vectors can be defined,



Figure 2.2: Kinematics of the annihilation process in the lepton center of mass frame

$$X^{\mu} \equiv \frac{-(P_1 \cdot Z) \,\tilde{P}_2^{\mu} + (P_2 \cdot Z) \,\tilde{P}_1^{\mu}}{(P_1 \cdot \hat{t})(P_2 \cdot \hat{z}) - (P_1 \cdot \hat{z})(P_2 \cdot \hat{t})},\tag{2.101}$$

$$Y^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}P_{2\nu}P_{1\rho}q_{\sigma}}{(P_{1}\cdot\hat{t})(P_{2}\cdot\hat{z}) - (P_{1}\cdot\hat{z})(P_{2}\cdot\hat{t})}, = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{\kappa_{2}}}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}X_{\nu}.$$
(2.102)

We define in frame I  $X = [0, 0, \boldsymbol{q}_T]$ , with length  $X^2 = -\boldsymbol{q}_T^2 \equiv -Q_T^2$ . The proportionality constant for X is chosen such that  $X^{\mu} = q^{\mu} + \ldots P_1^{\mu} + \ldots P_2^{\mu} \approx q^{\mu} - P_1^{\mu}/z_1 - P_2^{\mu}/z_2$ . This choice implies that in frame II, in which  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  do not have transverse momentum, one has the transverse component of q precisely equal to  $\boldsymbol{q}_T$ . In frame II we, moreover, choose two simple light-like vectors  $(n_+ \cdot n_- = 1)$ , such that we have

$$P_1^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\zeta_1 \tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_-^{\mu} + \frac{M_1^2}{\zeta_1 \tilde{Q} \sqrt{2}} n_+^{\mu}, \qquad (2.103)$$

$$P_2^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\zeta_2 \tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_+^{\mu} + \frac{M_2^2}{\zeta_2 \tilde{Q} \sqrt{2}} n_-^{\mu}, \qquad (2.104)$$

$$q^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{-}^{\mu} + \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{+}^{\mu} + q_{T}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.105)$$

where  $\tilde{Q}^2 = Q^2 + Q_T^2$ . Note that up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q^2)$  the variables  $\zeta_1 \approx z_1$ ,  $\zeta_2 \approx z_2$  and  $\tilde{Q} \approx Q$ . Explicitly the hadronic momenta in the frames I and II up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q^2)$ , including the vector  $q_T$  are given below.

electron-positron:					
momentum	frame I	frame II	relations		
q = k + k'	$\left[rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_{T} ight]$	$oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}=-rac{1}{z_1}oldsymbol{P}_{1\perp}$		
$P_2$	$\left[rac{M_2^2}{z_2Q\sqrt{2}},rac{z_2Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{M_2^2}{z_2Q\sqrt{2}},rac{z_2Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_T ight]$	$z_2 = \frac{P_2^+}{q^+} \approx \frac{2P_2 \cdot q}{Q^2} \approx \frac{P_1 \cdot P_2}{P_1 \cdot q}$		
$P_1$	$\left[rac{z_1Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{M_{1\perp}^2}{z_1Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{P}_{1\perp} ight]$	$\left[rac{z_1Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{M_1^2}{z_1Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_T ight]$	$z_1 = \frac{P_1^-}{q^-} \approx \frac{2P_1 \cdot q}{Q^2} \approx \frac{P_2 \cdot P_1}{P_2 \cdot q}$		
$q_{T}$	$\left[0\;,-2rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$	$\left[0 \hspace{0.1cm}, 0 \hspace{0.1cm}, {oldsymbol q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$	$oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2=Q_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2$		

The forms of the vectors T, Z, X,  $n_{\pm}$  and  $q_{\tau}$  are identical to the case of lepton-hadron scattering. Neglecting the mass and transverse momentum corrections of order  $1/Q^2$  (but keeping those of order 1/Q)

we obtain

$$g_T^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - n_+^{\mu} n_-^{\nu} - n_-^{\mu} n_+^{\nu} = g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{Q_T}{Q} \hat{z}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}} + \frac{Q_T}{Q} \hat{q}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}}, \qquad (2.106)$$

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = g_{T}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{\sqrt{2} n_{+}^{\{\mu} q_{T}^{\nu\}}}{Q}$$
(2.107)

Using normalized vectors is important to see which are the terms containing transverse vectors that should be kept at order 1/Q. Note that for any vector that in frame II is of the form  $[0, 0, \boldsymbol{a}_T]$  with  $|\boldsymbol{a}_T| \sim 1$ , i.e.  $Q^0$ , one has up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  the relation

$$a_T^{\mu} \approx g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} a_{T\nu} + \frac{a_T \cdot q_T}{Q^2} Z^{\mu} + \frac{a_T \cdot q_T}{Q^2} q^{\mu}.$$
 (2.108)

We will sometimes simply use the notation  $a^{\mu}_{\perp} = g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} a_{T\nu}$ , but one must be careful not to confuse it with the vector  $g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} a_{\nu}$ .

Also the leptonic momenta can be expanded in the Cartesian directions. Using the scaling variable  $y = P_2 \cdot k/P_2 \cdot q$ , we obtain up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections

$$k^{\mu} = \frac{1}{2}q^{\mu} + \frac{1-2y}{2}Z^{\mu} + k^{\mu}_{\perp} = \frac{Q}{2}\hat{q}^{\mu} + \frac{(1-2y)Q}{2}\hat{z}^{\mu} + Q\sqrt{y(1-y)}\hat{\ell}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.109)$$

where  $\hat{\ell}^{\mu} = k_{\perp}^{\mu}/|\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}|$ . This leads to the leptonic tensor

$$L_{(e^-e^+)}^{\mu\nu} = Q^2 \left[ -\left(1 - 2y + 2y^2\right) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} + 4y(1-y)\hat{z}^{\mu}\hat{z}^{\nu} - 4y(1-y)\left(\hat{\ell}^{\mu}\hat{\ell}^{\nu} + \frac{1}{2}g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) - 2(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\,\hat{z}^{\{\mu}\hat{\ell}^{\nu\}} + i\lambda\left(1 - 2y\right)\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} - 2i\lambda\sqrt{y(1-y)}\,\hat{\ell}_{\rho}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\left[\mu\right]}\hat{z}^{\nu\right]} \right].$$
(2.110)

The lepton-momenta also can be written down in the frames I and II using

$$y = \frac{k^-}{q^-} \approx \frac{P_2 \cdot k}{P_2 \cdot q},\tag{2.111}$$

which in the lepton rest frame equal  $y = (1 \pm \cos \theta_2)/2$  with  $\theta_2$  the angle of hadron (or jet) with respect to the momentum of the incoming leptons.

Electron-positron:					
momentum	frame I	frame II	relations		
k	$\left[rac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}},rac{(1-y)Q}{\sqrt{2}},m{k}_{\perp} ight]$	$\left[rac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}},rac{oldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{yQ\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{k}_{T} ight]$	$\boldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} = \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} + y \boldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$		
k'	$\left[rac{(1-y)Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}},-oldsymbol{k}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{(1-y)Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{(oldsymbol{k}_T^2-2oldsymbol{k}_T\cdotoldsymbol{q}_T)}{(1-y)Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_T-oldsymbol{k}_T ight]$	$\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^2 = y(1-y)Q^2$		

In the  $e^-e^+$  rest frame  $d^3P_1d^3P_2/P_1^0P_2^0 = (dz_1/z_1)(z_2Q^2 dz_2/4)d\mathbf{P}_{1\perp}d\Omega_2 = \pi Q^2 z_1z_2 dz_1 dz_2 dy d^2 \mathbf{q}_T$ , so Eq. 2.43 becomes

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(e^+e^-)}}{dz_1 dz_2 d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T dy} = \frac{\pi \, \alpha^2}{2Q^4} \, z_1 z_2 \, L^{(e^+e^-)}_{\mu\nu} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu(e^+e^-)}.$$
(2.112)

For the production of a single hadron

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(e^+e^-)}}{dz\,dy} = \frac{\pi\,\alpha^2}{Q^4}\,z\,L^{(e^+e^-)}_{\mu\nu}W^{\mu\nu(e^+e^-)}.$$
(2.113)



Figure 2.3: Kinematics of the Drell-Yan process in the lepton center of mass frame

#### 2.3.3 Drell-Yan scattering

For Drell-Yan scattering, for which  $q^{\mu}$  is timelike, one can define the following four orthogonal vectors that can be used to expand any vector. Starting with  $q^{\mu}$  defining the timelike vector  $T^{\mu}$ ,

$$T^{\mu} \equiv q^{\mu} \stackrel{I}{=} \left[ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{\perp} \right], \qquad (2.114)$$

$$Z^{\mu} \equiv \frac{P_B \cdot q}{P_B \cdot P_A} \tilde{P}^{\mu}_A - \frac{P_A \cdot q}{P_A \cdot P_B} \tilde{P}^{\mu}_B = \frac{P_B \cdot q}{P_B \cdot P_A} P^{\mu}_A - \frac{P_A \cdot q}{P_A \cdot P_B} P^{\mu}_B \stackrel{I}{=} \left[ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{\perp} \right], \quad (2.115)$$

$$X^{\mu} \equiv \frac{(P_B \cdot Z) \dot{P}^{\mu}_A - (P_A \cdot Z) \dot{P}^{\mu}_B}{(P_A \cdot \hat{t})(P_B \cdot \hat{z}) - (P_A \cdot \hat{t})(P_B \cdot \hat{z})},$$
(2.116)

$$Y^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}P_{A\nu}P_{B\rho}q_{\sigma}}{(P_A\cdot\hat{t})(P_B\cdot\hat{z}) - (P_A\cdot\hat{t})(P_B\cdot\hat{z})}.$$
(2.117)

These vectors satisfy  $T^2 = Q^2$  and up to mass corrections  $Z^2 \approx -Q^2$ . We will use normalized versions  $\hat{t}^{\mu} \equiv T^{\mu}/Q$  and  $\hat{z}^{\mu} \equiv Z^{\mu}/\sqrt{-Z^2}$ . We note that in this case both hadrons are used to define the spacelike direction, in contrast to e.g.  $e^+e^-$  annihilation (compare figs 2.2 and 2.3). In the space transverse to T = q and Z we can use the *perpendicular* tensors

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - \hat{t}^{\mu}\hat{t}^{\nu} + \hat{z}^{\mu}\hat{z}^{\nu}$$
(2.118)

$$\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \equiv -\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \hat{t}_{\rho} \hat{z}_{\sigma} = -\frac{1}{Q^2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} q_{\rho} Z_{\sigma}.$$
(2.119)

We define in frame I  $X = [0, 0, \boldsymbol{q}_T]$ , with length  $X^2 = -\boldsymbol{q}_T^2 \equiv -Q_T^2$ . The proportionality constant for X is chosen such that  $X^{\mu} = q^{\mu} + \ldots P_A^{\mu} + \ldots P_B^{\mu} \approx q^{\mu} - x_A P_A^{\mu} - x_B P_B^{\mu}$ . This choice implies that in frame II, in which  $P_A$  and  $P_B$  do not have transverse momentum one has the transverse component of q precisely equal to  $\boldsymbol{q}_T$ . In frame II we, moreover, choose two simple light-like vectors  $(n_+ \cdot n_- = 1)$ , such that

$$P_A^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\hat{Q}}{\xi_A \sqrt{2}} n_+^{\mu} + \frac{\xi_A M_A^2}{\tilde{Q} \sqrt{2}}, n_-^{\mu}.$$
 (2.120)

$$P_B^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\xi_B \sqrt{2}} n_-^{\mu} + \frac{\xi_B M_B^2}{\tilde{Q} \sqrt{2}} n_+^{\mu}, \qquad (2.121)$$

$$q^{\mu} \equiv \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{-}^{\mu} + \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} n_{+}^{\mu} + q_{T}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.122)$$

where  $\tilde{Q}^2 = Q^2 + Q_T^2$ . Note that up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q^2)$  the variables  $\xi_A \approx x_A$ ,  $\xi_B \approx x_B$  and  $\tilde{Q} \approx Q$ . Next, we explicitly give the hadronic momenta and  $q_T$  in the frames I and II, up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q^2)$ .

	Drell-Yan:					
momentum	frame I	frame II	relations			
q = k + k'	$\left[rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$				
$P_A$	$\left[\frac{x_A M_{A\perp}^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{x_A\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{\boldsymbol{q}_T}{2x_A}\right]$	$\left[rac{x_A M_A^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, rac{Q}{x_A\sqrt{2}}, 0_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$	$x_{\scriptscriptstyle A} = \frac{q^+}{P_A^+} \approx \frac{Q^2}{2P_A \cdot q} \approx \frac{P_B \cdot q}{P_B \cdot P_A}$			
$P_B$	$\left[rac{Q}{x_B\sqrt{2}},rac{x_BM_{B\perp}^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},-rac{oldsymbol{q}_T}{2x_B} ight]$	$\left[rac{Q^2}{x_BQ\sqrt{2}},rac{x_BM_B^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{0}_T ight]$	$x_B = \frac{q^-}{P_B^-} \approx \frac{Q^2}{2P_B \cdot q} \approx \frac{P_A \cdot q}{P_A \cdot P_B}$			
$q_T$	$\left[-rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},-rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_T ight]$	$\left[0\;,0\;,oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$	$oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2=Q_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2$			

The precise forms of the vectors in the Cartesian set and the vectors  $n_{\pm}$  and  $q_{\tau}$  are explicitly given below (omitting 'boost' factors 1/A and A multiplying – and + components respectively).

	DY				
vector	frame I	frame II			
Т	$\left[ rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}} \;,\; rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}} \;,\; 0_{\perp}  ight]$	$\left[ rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} \;,\; rac{ ilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}} \;,\; oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}  ight]$			
Ζ	$\left[-rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}\;,\;rac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}\;,\;oldsymbol{0}_{\perp} ight]$	$\left[-\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}} \ , \ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}} \ , \ -0_{T}\right]$			
X	$[\ 0 \ , \ 0 \ , \ {oldsymbol{q}}_{_T}]$	$\left[ \; rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \; rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \; rac{ ilde{Q}}{Q}  oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}  ight]$			
$n_{-}$	$\left[rac{ ilde{Q}+Q}{2Q},rac{ ilde{Q}-Q}{2Q},-rac{oldsymbol{q}_{T}}{Q\sqrt{2}} ight]$	$\left[1\;,\;0\;,\;0_{\scriptscriptstyle T} ight]$			
$n_+$	$\left[ rac{ ilde{Q}-Q}{2Q}, rac{ ilde{Q}+Q}{2Q}, -rac{oldsymbol{q}_T}{Q\sqrt{2}}  ight]$	$[0 , 1 , 0_{\scriptscriptstyle T}]$			
$q_T$	$\left[-rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}},-rac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}\;,rac{ ilde{Q}}{Q}oldsymbol{q}_T ight]$	$[\ 0 \ , \ 0 \ , \ {oldsymbol q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}]$			

Later on we will need to transform from the theoretically useful vectors  $n_{\pm}$  and  $q_{\tau}$  to the quantities appearing in the expansion of the hadronic tensor,  $\hat{t}$ ,  $\hat{z}$  and  $\hat{x}$ ,

$$n_{-}^{\mu} = \frac{1}{Q\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{\tilde{Q}}{Q} T^{\mu} - Z^{\mu} - X^{\mu} \right) \approx \frac{T^{\mu} - Z^{\mu} - X^{\mu}}{Q\sqrt{2}}$$
(2.123)

$$n_{+}^{\mu} = \frac{1}{Q\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{\tilde{Q}}{Q} T^{\mu} - Z^{\mu} - X^{\mu} \right) \approx \frac{T^{\mu} + Z^{\mu} - X^{\mu}}{Q\sqrt{2}}$$
(2.124)

$$q_T^{\mu} = \frac{\tilde{Q}}{Q} X^{\mu} - \frac{Q_T^2}{Q^2} T^{\mu} \approx X^{\mu} - \frac{Q_T^2}{Q^2} T^{\mu}$$
(2.125)

The last relation is important to keep track of transverse momentum effects at order 1/Q. Neglecting the mass and transverse momentum corrections of order  $1/Q^2$  (but keeping those of order 1/Q) we obtain

$$g_T^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - n_+^{\mu} n_-^{\nu} - n_-^{\mu} n_+^{\nu} = g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{Q_T}{Q} \hat{q}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}},$$
(2.126)

$$g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = g_{T}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{n_{+}^{\{\mu}q_{T}^{\nu\}}}{Q\sqrt{2}} - \frac{n_{-}^{\{\mu}q_{T}^{\nu\}}}{Q\sqrt{2}}.$$
 (2.127)

Using normalized vectors is important to see which are the terms containing transverse vectors that should be kept at order 1/Q. Note that for any vector that in frame II is of the form  $[0, 0, \boldsymbol{a}_T]$  with  $|\boldsymbol{a}_T| \sim 1$ , i.e.  $\sim Q^0$ , one has up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  the relation

$$a_T^{\mu} \approx g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} a_{T\nu} + \frac{a_T \cdot q_T}{Q^2} q^{\mu}.$$
 (2.128)

We will sometimes simply use the notation  $a^{\mu}_{\perp} = g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} a_{T\nu}$ , but one must be careful not to confuse it with the vector  $g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} a_{\nu}$ .

Also the lepton momenta can be expressed in the cartesian vectors. For DY we have

$$k^{\mu} = \frac{1}{2}T^{\mu} + \frac{1-2y}{2}Z^{\mu} + k^{\mu}_{\perp} = \frac{Q}{2}\hat{q}^{\mu} + \frac{(1-2y)Q}{2}\hat{z}^{\mu} + Q\sqrt{y(1-y)}\hat{\ell}^{\mu}, \qquad (2.129)$$

where  $\hat{\ell}^{\mu} = k_{\perp}^{\mu}/|\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}|$ . This leads to the leptonic tensor

$$L^{\mu\nu}_{(DY)} = Q^{2} \left[ -\left(1 - 2y + 2y^{2}\right) g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} + 4y(1 - y)\hat{z}^{\mu}\hat{z}^{\nu} - 4y(1 - y)\left(\hat{\ell}^{\mu}\hat{\ell}^{\nu} + \frac{1}{2}g^{\mu\nu}_{\perp}\right) - 2(1 - 2y)\sqrt{y(1 - y)}\,\hat{z}^{\{\mu}\hat{\ell}^{\nu\}} - i\lambda\left(1 - 2y\right)\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\perp} + 2i\lambda\sqrt{y(1 - y)}\,\hat{\ell}_{\rho}\epsilon^{\rho\left[\mu}_{\perp}\hat{z}^{\nu\right]} \right].$$

$$(2.130)$$

The lepton momenta can also be written down in frames I and II using

$$y = \frac{k^-}{q^-} \approx \frac{k'^+}{q^+},$$
 (2.131)

which in the lepton rest frame equal  $y = (1 \pm \cos \theta)/2$  with  $\theta$  the angle of the leptons with respect to an axis that is approximately parallel to the momentum of hadrons A and B (the z-direction).

Drell-Yan:					
momentum	frame I	frame II	relations		
k	$\left[rac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}},rac{(1-y)Q}{\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{k}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}},rac{oldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{yQ\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{k}_{T} ight]$	$oldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}=oldsymbol{k}_{\perp}+rac{1}{2}oldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$		
k'	$\left[rac{(1-y)Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{yQ}{\sqrt{2}},-oldsymbol{k}_{ot} ight]$	$\left[rac{(1-y)Q}{\sqrt{2}},rac{(oldsymbol{k}_T^2-2oldsymbol{k}_T\cdotoldsymbol{q}_T)}{(1-y)Q\sqrt{2}},oldsymbol{q}_T-oldsymbol{k}_T ight]$	$\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^2 = y(1-y)Q^2$		

Eq. 2.63 becomes

$$\frac{d\sigma^{(DY)}}{dx_A \, dx_B \, d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \, dy} = \frac{\pi \, \alpha^2}{Q^4} \, L^{(DY)}_{\mu\nu} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu(DY)}. \tag{2.132}$$

## 2.4 Spin vectors, ...

In the next section it will turn out that the most convenient way to describe the spin vector of the target is via an expansion of the form

$$S^{\mu} = -S_{hL} \frac{Mx_B}{Q\sqrt{2}} n_- + S_{hL} \frac{Q}{Mx_B\sqrt{2}} n_+ + S_T.$$
(2.133)

One has up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections  $S_{\scriptscriptstyle L} \approx M(S \cdot q)/(P \cdot q)$  and  $S_{\scriptscriptstyle T} \approx S_{\perp}$ . For a pure state one has  $S_{\scriptscriptstyle L}^2 + \mathbf{S}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2 = 1$ , in general this quantity being less or equal than one.

The final state spin vector  $S_h$  in the case of detection of a spin 1/2 hadron (e.g. a  $\Lambda$ -baryon) will be expanded in the same way. This vector can e.g. be determined from the decay products (e.g. the  $N\pi$ system in case of a  $\Lambda$ ). It satisfies  $P_h \cdot S_h = 0$  and is written

$$S_h^{\mu} = S_{hL} \frac{z_h Q}{M_h \sqrt{2}} n_- - S_{hL} \frac{M_h}{z_h Q \sqrt{2}} n_+ + S_{hT}.$$
(2.134)

Up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections one has  $S_{hL} \approx M_h (S_h \cdot q)/(P_h \cdot q)$ , but note that one has  $S_{hT} \approx S_{h\perp} - S_{hL} P_{h\perp}/M_h$ . In general one has  $S_{hL}^2 + S_{hT}^2 \leq 1$ .

## Chapter 3

# Quark correlation functions

## 3.1 Distributions: from hadron to quarks

We consider now the most general form of the two-quark correlation function

$$\Phi_{ij}(k,P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \psi_i(\xi) | P, S \rangle, \tag{3.1}$$

where a summation over color indices is implicit, diagrammatically represented in Fig. 3.1. In order to render the definition color gauge-invariant each quark field needs to be accompanied by a path ordered exponential (link operator) of the form

$$\mathscr{U}(a,\xi) = \mathscr{P}\exp\left(-ig\int_{a}^{\xi} dz^{\mu} A_{\mu}(z)\right).$$
(3.2)

For the relevant correlation functions  $\Phi$  in a hard scattering process, we will encounter only those cases in which the link involves gluons of the type  $A \cdot n$ , where n is a lightlike vector (see Fig. 3.2).

Constraints on the correlation function  $\Phi$  come from hermiticity, parity and time reversal invariance. We know how the states behave under such transformations and we know how the fields transform. This gives consistency conditions. One finds

$$\Phi^{\dagger}(k, P, S) = \gamma_0 \,\Phi(k, P, S) \,\gamma_0 \quad [\text{Hermiticity}]$$
(3.3)

$$\Phi(k, P, S) = \gamma_0 \,\Phi(\bar{k}, \bar{P}, -\bar{S}) \,\gamma_0 \quad \text{[Parity]} \tag{3.4}$$

$$\Phi^*(k, P, S) = (-i\gamma_5 C) \Phi(\bar{k}, \bar{P}, \bar{S}) (-i\gamma_5 C) \quad [\text{Time reversal}]$$
(3.5)

where  $C = i\gamma^2\gamma_0$ ,  $-i\gamma_5 C = i\gamma^1\gamma^3$  and  $\bar{k} = (k^0, -k)$ .

We will give the explicit proof of these properties. Starting with hermiticity,

$$\begin{split} (\Phi^{\dagger})_{ij} &= \Phi_{ji}^{*} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}\xi \; e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \psi_{k}^{\dagger}(0)(\gamma_{0})_{ki} \psi_{j}(\xi) | P, S \rangle^{*} \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}\xi \; e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \psi_{j}^{\dagger}(\xi)(\gamma_{0})_{ik} \psi_{k}(0) | P, S \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}\xi \; e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{l}(0)(\gamma_{0})_{lj}(\gamma_{0})_{ik} \psi_{k}(\xi) | P, S \rangle \\ &= (\gamma_{0})_{ik} \; \Phi_{kl}(\gamma_{0})_{lj}, \end{split}$$



Figure 3.1: The diagrammatic representation of the quark-quark correlation function  $\Phi(k, P, S)$ .



Figure 3.2: The link as can be obtained from  $A^+$  gluon blobs (see sections 3 and 7) in the case of  $\xi^+ = \xi_T = 0$  (left) and the case  $\xi^+ = 0, \xi_T \neq 0$  (right).

where from second to third line translation invariance has been used. Next considering parity

$$\begin{split} \Phi_{ij}(k,P,S) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \mathscr{P}^{\dagger} \mathscr{P} \overline{\psi}_j(0) \mathscr{P}^{\dagger} \mathscr{P} \psi_i(\xi) \mathscr{P}^{\dagger} \mathscr{P} | P, S \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle \bar{P}, -\bar{S} | \overline{\psi}_l(0)(\gamma_0)_{lj}(\gamma_0)_{ik} \psi_k(\bar{\xi}) | \bar{P}, -\bar{S} \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i \, \bar{k} \cdot \xi} \langle \bar{P}, -\bar{S} | \overline{\psi}_l(0)(\gamma_0)_{lj}(\gamma_0)_{ik} \psi_k(\xi) | \bar{P}, -\bar{S} \rangle \\ &= (\gamma_0)_{ik} \ \Phi_{kl}(\bar{p}, \bar{P}, -\bar{S}) (\gamma_0)_{lj}, \end{split}$$

where  $\mathscr{P}\psi(\xi)\mathscr{P}^{\dagger} = \gamma_0\psi(\bar{\xi})$  and from second to third line  $k \cdot \xi = \bar{k} \cdot \bar{\xi}$  and  $d^4\xi = d^4\bar{\xi}$  has been used. Finally time reversal invariance (with  $\mathscr{T}$  anti-unitary),

$$\begin{split} \Phi_{ij}^*(k,P,S) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \mathscr{T}^\dagger \mathscr{T} \overline{\psi}_j(0) \mathscr{T}^\dagger \mathscr{T} \psi_i(\xi) \mathscr{T}^\dagger \mathscr{T} | P, S \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle \bar{P}, \bar{S} | \overline{(-i\gamma_5 C \psi)}_j(0) (-i\gamma_5 C \psi)_i (-\bar{\xi}) | \bar{P}, \bar{S} \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i \, \bar{k} \cdot \xi} \langle \bar{P}, \bar{S} | \overline{(-i\gamma_5 C \psi)}_j(0) (-i\gamma_5 C \psi)_i(\xi) | \bar{P}, \bar{S} \rangle \\ &= (-i\gamma_5 C)_{ik} \ \Phi_{kl}(\bar{k}, \bar{P}, \bar{S}) \ (-i\gamma_5 C)_{lj}, \end{split}$$

where  $\mathscr{T}\psi(\xi)\mathscr{T}^{\dagger} = -i\gamma_5 C\psi(-\bar{\xi}).$ 

Including the link-operator these properties will be different. For the gauge link one has

$$\mathscr{U}^{\dagger}(a,\xi) = \mathscr{U}(\xi,a), \tag{3.6}$$

$$\mathscr{P}\mathscr{U}(a,\xi)\mathscr{P}^{\dagger} = \mathscr{U}(\bar{a},\bar{\xi}), \tag{3.7}$$

$$\mathscr{T}\mathscr{U}(a,\xi) \mathscr{T}^{\dagger} = \mathscr{U}(-\bar{a},-\bar{\xi}),$$
(3.8)

for which we used  $A^{\dagger}_{\mu} = A_{\mu}$ ,  $\mathscr{P}A_{\mu}(\xi) \mathscr{P}^{\dagger} = \bar{A}_{\mu}(\bar{\xi})$  and  $\mathscr{T}A_{\mu}(\xi) \mathscr{T}^{\dagger} = \bar{A}_{\mu}(-\bar{\xi})$ . This means that the space-reversed (time-reversed) correlation function has a different link structure running from  $\bar{a}$   $(-\bar{a})$  respectively. However, if the common point is defined with respect to the two fields in the matrix element, no problem arises. For example the straight line link with path  $z^{\mu}(s) = (1-s) 0^{\mu} + s \xi^{\mu}$  gives a path  $\bar{z}^{\mu}$  after applying parity, but after the change of variables one ends up with the same path; similarly for time-reversal.

The most general structure implementing the constraints from hermiticity and parity is

$$\Phi(k, P, S) = M A_1 + A_2 P + A_3 \not{k} + i A_4 \frac{[P, \not{k}]}{2M} + i A_5 (k \cdot S) \gamma_5 + M A_6 \not{S} \gamma_5 + A_7 \frac{(k \cdot S)}{M} P \gamma_5 + A_8 \frac{(k \cdot S)}{M} \not{k} \gamma_5 + A_9 \frac{[P, \not{S}]}{2} \gamma_5 + A_{10} \frac{[\not{k}, \not{S}]}{2} \gamma_5 + A_{11} \frac{(k \cdot S)}{M} \frac{[P, \not{k}]}{2M} \gamma_5 + A_{12} \frac{\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \gamma^{\mu} P^{\nu} k^{\rho} S^{\sigma}}{M}, \qquad (3.9)$$

where the first four terms do not involve the hadron polarization vector. Hermiticity requires all the amplitudes  $A_i = A_i(k \cdot P, k^2)$  to be real. The amplitudes  $A_4$ ,  $A_5$  and  $A_{12}$  vanish when also time reversal invariance applies.

momenta k, P or S.

For the applications, it is useful to introduce besides the lightlike vector  $n \equiv n_{-}$  a lightlike vector  $n_{+}$ , such that one has  $n_{+}^{2} = n_{-}^{2} = 0$  and  $n_{+} \cdot n_{-} = 1$ . The vector  $n_{+}$  is fixed by the hadronic momentum such that

$$P = \frac{M^2}{2P^+} n_- + P^+ n_+, \qquad (3.10)$$

$$S = -\lambda \frac{M}{2P^{+}} n_{-} + \lambda \frac{P^{+}}{M} n_{+} + S_{T}, \qquad (3.11)$$

$$k = k^{-} n_{-} + x P^{+} n_{+} + k_{T}.$$
(3.12)

The parametrization satisfies  $P^2 = M^2$  and  $P \cdot S = 0$ . One immediately deduces  $k^- = (k^2 + k_T^2)/2xP^+$ , while  $2x k \cdot P = k^2 + k_T^2 + x^2M^2$ . Depending on the use of the soft parts one may need integrations over one or more components of k. At that point the lightlike vector  $n_-$  will become relevant.

The fully integrated result leads to a local matrix element, omitting the dependence on hadron momentum and spin vectors (P, S),

$$\Phi_{ij} = \int d^4k \, \Phi_{ij}(k, P, S) = \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \, \psi_i(0) | P, S \rangle, \qquad (3.13)$$

It is parametrized as

Because the matrix element is local the gauge link will vanish and there will be no dependence on the lightlike vectors. Projecting using a basis of  $4 \times 4$  Dirac matrices ( $\Gamma$ ) and defining

$$\Phi^{[\Gamma]} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} \left( \Phi \Gamma \right), \qquad (3.15)$$

one finds

$$2\Phi^{[\gamma^{\mu}]} = \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma^{\mu} \psi(0) | P, S \rangle = g_V 2P^{\mu}, \qquad (3.16)$$

$$2\Phi^{[\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}]} = \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5} \psi(0) | P, S \rangle = g_{A} 2M S^{\mu}, \qquad (3.17)$$

$$2\Phi^{[i\sigma^{\mu\nu}\gamma_5]} = \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \, i\sigma^{\mu\nu}\gamma_5 \, \psi(0) | P, S \rangle = g_T \, 2 \, S^{[\mu}, P^{\nu]} \tag{3.18}$$

$$2\Phi^{[1]} = \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \psi(0) | P, S \rangle = g_S 2M, \qquad (3.19)$$

$$2\Phi^{[i\gamma_5]} = \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \, i\gamma_5 \, \psi(0) | P, S \rangle = 0. \tag{3.20}$$

Note that  $g_V = n$  (number of quarks minus antiquarks),  $g_A$  is the axial charge for quarks and antiquarks of a particular flavor,  $g_T$  is the tensor charge. Multiplying  $g_S$  with the quark mass one finds precisely the contribution of the quark mass term to the nucleon mass. The first two matrix elements are special because the operators correspond to conserved currents (for the axial current up to mass terms). The anomalous dimensions of these operators vanish.

In inclusive deep inelastic scattering one needs to consider the correlation functions

$$\Phi_{ij}(x) = \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, dk^- \left. \Phi_{ij}(k, P, S) \right|_{k^+ = xP^+} \\ = \int \frac{d\xi^-}{2\pi} e^{ik \cdot \xi} \left\langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \, \mathscr{U}(0, \xi) \, \psi_i(\xi) | P, S \right\rangle \Big|_{\xi^+ = \xi_T = 0},$$
(3.21)

This correlation function is in general the result of a large number of diagrams, as it not only includes matrix elements that contain only quark fields,  $\overline{\psi}\psi$ , but also matrix elements of the type  $\overline{\psi}A^+ \dots A^+\psi$ . All of these will contribute in leading order in 1/Q. It will turn out that in a full calculation gluonic
matrix elements containing  $A^+$  fields precisely form the for color gauge invariance necessary link, which runs along the minus direction (see Fig. 3.2). Working in the gauge  $A^+ = 0$  none of the gluonic matrix elements will appear and the link in Eq. 3.21 becomes unity.

The quantity  $\Phi(x)$  can be parametrized as

$$\Phi(x) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ f_1(x) \not h_+ + \lambda g_1(x) \gamma_5 \not h_+ + h_1(x) \frac{\gamma_5 [\not S_T, \not h_+]}{2} \right\} + \frac{M}{2P^+} \left\{ e(x) + g_T(x) \gamma_5 \not S_T + \lambda h_L(x) \frac{\gamma_5 [\not h_+, \not h_-]}{2} \right\} + \frac{M}{2P^+} \left\{ -\lambda e_L(x) i\gamma_5 - f_T(x) \epsilon_T^{\rho\sigma} \gamma_\rho S_{T\sigma} + h(x) \frac{i [\not h_+, \not h_-]}{2} \right\} + \frac{M^2}{2(P^+)^2} \left\{ f_3(x) \not h_- + \lambda g_3(x) \gamma_5 \not h_- + h_3(x) \frac{\gamma_5 [\not S_T, \not h_-]}{2} \right\},$$
(3.22)

The factors of  $(M/P^+)$  are the ones required from Lorentz invariance. As we will see, each factor  $1/P^+$  gives rise to a suppression factor of 1/Q in cross sections. From the structure of the above matrix element, being of the form  $\Lambda_H^{t-2}/(P^+)^{t-2}$  one defines the quantity t, the *(operational) twist* of the profile or distribution functions appearing in the parametrization.

To be slightly more specific, using the amplitude expansion for the quark-quark correlation function one can easily analyze the effect of the integration over  $k^-$  and  $k_{\tau}$  for the different Dirac projections of the quark correlation functions (twist analysis). For instance

$$\Phi^{[1]}(x) = \frac{1}{2} \int dk^{-} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} Tr(1 \Phi(k, P, S)) \Big|_{k^{+}=xP^{+}}$$
  
$$= \frac{M}{P^{+}} \int d(2k \cdot P) dk^{2} \pi A_{1}(k^{2}, k \cdot P) \theta(2x k \cdot P - x^{2}M^{2} - k^{2})$$
  
$$\equiv \frac{M}{P^{+}} e(x), \qquad (3.23)$$

where  $x = k^+/P^+$  and the integration over  $k_T$  is rewritten as an integration over  $k^2$  using  $k_T^2 = 2x k \cdot P - x^2 M^2 - k^2$ . In rewriting the matrix element in this way one has separated it in a function e(x) which we refer to as a distribution or *profile function*. This function, containing only hadron and quark momenta and scalar products of them which are of hadronic size  $(\Lambda_H)$ , is of  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ . It is multiplied with some factor that contains some powers of  $P^+$  and momenta of hadronic size of which the consequence has already been mentioned. The functions  $e_L$ ,  $f_T$  and h are expected to vanish because of time-reversal symmetry. They involve the amplitudes  $A_4$ ,  $A_5$  and  $A_{12}$ . We have kept them here, because they will have potential relevance later and furthermore are useful for comparison with fragmentation functions. The functions are referred to as T-odd.

Projecting with the various Dirac matrices one finds the 'leading' (twist two) distribution functions

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(x) = f_1(x), \qquad (3.24)$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+\gamma_5]}(x) = \lambda g_1(x), \qquad (3.25)$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_5]}(x) = S_T^i h_1(x), \qquad (3.26)$$

the twist three distribution functions

$$\Phi^{[1]}(x) = \frac{M}{P^+} e(x), \tag{3.27}$$

$$\Phi^{[i\gamma_5]} = \frac{M}{P^+} e_L(x), \tag{3.28}$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^i]}(x) = -\frac{M \epsilon_T^{i\rho} S_{T\rho}}{P^+} f_T(x), \qquad (3.29)$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^{i}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = \frac{M S_{T}^{i}}{P^{+}} g_{T}(x), \qquad (3.30)$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{+-}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = \frac{M}{P^{+}} \lambda h_{L}(x), \qquad (3.31)$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_5]}(x) = \frac{M}{P^+} \epsilon_T^{ij} \lambda h(x), \qquad (3.32)$$

and the twist four functions

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^{-}]}(x) = \left(\frac{M}{P^{+}}\right)^{2} f_{3}(x), \qquad (3.33)$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^-\gamma_5]}(x) = \left(\frac{M}{P^+}\right)^2 \lambda g_3(x), \qquad (3.34)$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{i-}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = \left(\frac{M}{P^{+}}\right)^{2} S_{T}^{i} h_{3}(x).$$
(3.35)

By rewriting  $\Phi$  in Eq. 3.14 as

$$\Phi = \frac{P^{+}}{2} \left\{ g_{V} \not{h}_{+} + \lambda g_{A} \gamma_{5} \not{h}_{+} + g_{T} \frac{[\not{\beta}_{T}, \not{h}_{+}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} + \frac{M}{2} \left\{ g_{S} + g_{A} \gamma_{5} \not{\beta}_{T} + \lambda g_{T} \frac{[\not{h}_{+}, \not{h}_{-}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} + \frac{M^{2}}{2P^{+}} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} g_{V} \not{h}_{-} + \frac{1}{2} \lambda g_{A} \gamma_{5} \not{h}_{-} + \frac{1}{2} g_{T} \frac{[\not{\beta}_{T}, \not{h}_{-}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right\}.$$
(3.36)

it follows from  $\Phi = \int dk^+ \Phi(x) = P^+ \int dx \Phi(x)$  (assuming convergence and integrating over all x-values, which will be discussed later) that

$$\int dx \ f_1(x) = 2 \int dx \ f_3(x) = g_V, \tag{3.37}$$

$$\int dx \ g_1(x) = \int dx \ g_T(x) = -2 \int dx \ g_3(x) = g_A, \tag{3.38}$$

$$\int dx \ h_1(x) = \int dx \ h_L(x) = 2 \int dx \ h_3(x) = g_T, \tag{3.39}$$

$$\int dx \ e(x) = g_s, \tag{3.40}$$

$$\int dx \ e_L(x) = \int dx \ f_T(x) = \int dx \ h(x) = 0.$$
(3.41)

Making use of support properties of the distribution functions  $(-1 \le x \le 1)$  and symmetry relations between quark and antiquark distributions (the latter to be discussed in the next section),  $f_1(x) = -\bar{f}_1(-x)$ , and finally the fact that the vector charge  $g_V$  is in fact the definition of the flavor quantum number, i.e.  $g_V \equiv n_q$ , the first line turns into the number sum rule

$$\int_0^1 dx \ \left( f_1(x) - \bar{f}_1(x) \right) = n. \tag{3.42}$$

In semi-inclusive deep inelastic scattering or Drell-Yan processes, the matrix elements that are needed for the hadron  $\rightarrow$  quark pieces in the hard scattering processes are the ones in which the integration over  $\boldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$  is not yet performed, namely

$$\Phi_{ij}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{-} \Phi_{ij}(k, P, S) \Big|_{k^{+} = xP^{+}, k_{T}}$$
  
$$= \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) \mathscr{U}(0, \infty) \mathscr{U}(\infty, \xi) \psi_{i}(\xi) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{\xi^{+} = 0}.$$
(3.43)

In this case one is sensitive to transverse separation  $\xi_T$ . We consider, however, only gauge links attached to each quark along the minus direction, i.e. built from matrix elements with additional  $A^+$  fields, which contribute at the same order in an 1/Q expansion (see Fig. 3.2). That this is the result in an actual diagrammatic expansion needs to be proven. It will turn out that the bilocal quark-quark matrix element will be supplemented with links running from 0 to  $[0, \infty, \mathbf{0}_T]$  and one running from  $[0, \infty, \boldsymbol{\xi}_T]$  to  $[0, \xi^-, \boldsymbol{\xi}_T]$  respectively, With the physical condition that any matrix element involving  $\overline{\psi}(0) A_T(\eta^- = \pm \infty, \eta^+, \eta_T) \psi(\xi)$ vanishes, the links can be connected and one has a color gauge invariant quantity, for which after gauge fixing the link becomes unity. At this point it is useful to mention that quark-quark-gluon matrix elements with gluon fields other than  $A^+$  need to be considered separately (see chapter 4).

We write down the expression for  $\Phi(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$  in terms of  $n_+$ ,  $n_-$  and transverse vectors up to  $\mathcal{O}(M/P^+)$ , including T-odd parts, but restricting ourselves to twist-two ( $\propto 1$ ) and twist-three ( $\propto M/P^+$ ) parts. Simple kinematic arguments already show that factorization of  $\mathbf{k}_T$ -dependent functions cannot hold beyond twistthree.

$$\Phi(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2} \Biggl\{ f_{1}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \not{n}_{+} + f_{1T}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\gamma^{\mu}n_{+}^{\nu}k_{T}^{\rho}S_{T}^{\sigma}}{M} + g_{1s}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \gamma_{5} \not{n}_{+} \\ + h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\gamma_{5} [\not{s}_{T}, \not{n}_{+}]}{2} + h_{1s}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\gamma_{5} [\not{k}_{T}, \not{n}_{+}]}{2M} + h_{1}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{i [\not{k}_{T}, \not{n}_{+}]}{2M} \Biggr\} \\ + \frac{M}{2P^{+}} \Biggl\{ e(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) + f^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\not{k}_{T}}{M} - f_{T}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \epsilon_{T}^{\rho\sigma}\gamma_{\rho}S_{T\sigma} \\ -\lambda f_{L}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{\rho\sigma}\gamma_{\rho}k_{T\sigma}}{M} - e_{s}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) i\gamma_{5} \\ + g'_{T}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \gamma_{5} \not{s}_{T} + g_{s}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\gamma_{5} \not{k}_{T}}{M} + h_{T}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\gamma_{5} [\not{s}_{T}, \not{k}_{T}]}{2M} \\ + h_{s}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{\gamma_{5} [\not{n}_{+}, \not{n}_{-}]}{2} + h(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{i [\not{n}_{+}, \not{n}_{-}]}{2} \Biggr\}.$$

$$(3.44)$$

We have here use the shorthand notation

$$g_{1s}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) \equiv \lambda g_{1L}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) + g_{1T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) \frac{(\boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_T)}{M}, \qquad (3.45)$$

and similarly for other functions, e.g.  $h_{1s}^{\perp}$ ,  $g_s^{\perp}$  and  $h_s$ . Included are also T-odd functions  $f_{1T}^{\perp}$ ,  $h_1^{\perp}$ ,  $f_T$ ,  $f_L^{\perp}$ ,  $e_s$  and h.

Again we can analyze the Dirac content of the correlation function (twist analysis). For instance for the unit matrix the effect of the integration over  $k^-$  is

$$\Phi^{[1]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2} \int dk^{-} Tr(1 \Phi(k, P, S)) \Big|_{k^{+} = xP^{+}, k_{T}}$$
  
$$= \frac{M}{P^{+}} \int d(2k \cdot P) dk^{2} A_{1}(k^{2}, k \cdot P) \delta(\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} + k^{2} - 2x k \cdot P + x^{2} M^{2})$$
  
$$\equiv \frac{M}{P^{+}} e(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.46)$$

where  $x = k^+/P^+$  and  $k_T$  is the transverse component of the quark momentum k in the frame where P has no transverse components, i.e. frame II discussed in the previous section. The profile function e only depends on x and  $k_T^2$ . It is expressed as an integral in which all momenta and products thereof are of hadronic size  $(\Lambda_H)$ , and is multiplied with a factor of the form  $\Lambda_H^{t-4}/(P^+)^{t-2}$ , defining the operational twist. It is this factor that will lead in the cross section to a suppression factor  $1/Q^{t-2}$ .

The various (T-even) Dirac projections  $\Phi^{[\Gamma]} = (1/2) \operatorname{Tr}(\Phi\Gamma)$  appearing in here are explicitly

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = f_1(x, \mathbf{k}_T) - \frac{\epsilon_T^{ij} k_{Ti} S_{Tj}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.47)$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+ \gamma_5]}(x, k_T) = \lambda \, g_{1L}(x, k_T) + g_{1T}(x, k_T) \, \frac{(k_T \cdot S_T)}{M}, \tag{3.48}$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = S_{T}^{i} h_{1T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{iJ} k_{Tj}}{M} h_{1}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}),$$

$$= S_{T}^{i} h_{1}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\lambda k_{T}^{i}}{M} h_{1L}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$- \frac{\left(k_{T}^{i} k_{T}^{j} + \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{ij}\right) S_{Tj}}{M^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij} k_{Tj}}{M} h_{1}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.49)$$

and the profile functions that appear multiplied by a factor  $M/P^+$  (twist three) are

$$\Phi^{[1]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{M}{P^+} e(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$$
(3.50)

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^{i}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{P^{+}} f^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.51)$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^{i}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{M S_{T}^{i}}{P^{+}} g_{T}'(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{P^{+}} g_{s}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$
$$= \frac{M S_{T}^{i}}{P^{+}} g_{T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\lambda k_{T}^{i}}{P^{+}} g_{L}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \frac{\left(k_{T}^{i}k_{T}^{j} + \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}g_{T}^{ij}\right) S_{Tj}}{M^{2}} g_{T}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \quad (3.52)$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_5]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{S_T^i k_T^j - k_T^i S_T^j}{P^+} h_T^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T)$$
(3.53)

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{+-}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{M}{P^{+}}h_{s}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}).$$
(3.54)

Note that sometimes it may be useful to work with the functions projected using  $\sigma_{\mu\nu}$  instead of  $i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_5$ . These are

$$\Phi^{[\sigma^{i+1}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \epsilon_T^{ij} S_{Tj} h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \frac{\epsilon_T^{ij} k_{Tj}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.55)$$

$$\Phi^{[\sigma^{ij}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{M \,\epsilon_T^{ij}}{P^+} \,h_s(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T), \tag{3.56}$$

$$\Phi^{[\sigma^{+-}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{\epsilon_T^{ij} \, k_{Ti} S_{Tj}}{P^+} \, h_T^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T).$$
(3.57)

The integrated results  $f_1(x)$  etc. discussed before are obtained from  $f_1(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2)$  etc., where one must be aware that  $g_1 = g_{1L}$ ,  $h_1 = h_{1T} + (\mathbf{k}_T^2/2M^2)h_{1T}^{\perp} \equiv h_{1T} + h_{1T}^{\perp(1)}$  and  $g_T = g'_T + (\mathbf{k}_T^2/2M^2)g_T^{\perp} \equiv g'_T + g_T^{\perp(1)}$ . Besides the  $k_T$ -integrated functions shown before, it is useful to consider  $k_T^{\alpha}$ -weighted functions,

$$\frac{1}{M}\Phi^{\alpha}_{\partial}(x) \equiv \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, \frac{k_T^{\alpha}}{M} \, \Phi(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.58)$$

$$\frac{1}{M^2} \Phi_{\partial\partial}^{\alpha\beta}(x) \equiv \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, \frac{\left(k_T^{\alpha} k_T^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{k}_T^2 \, g_T^{\alpha\beta}\right)}{M^2} \, \Phi(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T). \tag{3.59}$$

Note that the operator structure involved is

$$\Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = k_{T}^{\alpha} \Phi(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \\
= \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{i\boldsymbol{k}\cdot\boldsymbol{\xi}} \langle P, S | i\partial_{T}^{\alpha} \left(\overline{\psi}(0) \,\mathscr{U}(0, \infty) \,\mathscr{U}(\infty, \xi) \,\psi(\xi)\right) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\xi}^{+}=0} \\
= \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{i\boldsymbol{k}\cdot\boldsymbol{\xi}} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \,\mathscr{U}(0, \infty) \,i\partial_{T}^{\alpha} \,\mathscr{U}(\infty, \xi) \,\psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\xi}^{+}=0}.$$
(3.60)

Note that in this case choosing the gauge  $A^+ = 0$ , one cannot just neglect the link operator, because it contains  $\xi_T$  dependence. We will return to this in the chapter 4. Note, however, that in the way defined here, the correlation function  $\Phi_{\partial}$  is color gauge invariant.

We use the following properties for integrating  $k_T^2$  dependent functions over  $k_T$ ,

$$\int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{i} \dots = -\frac{1}{2} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{\alpha i} \dots$$

$$\int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} k_{T}^{i} k_{T}^{i} d_{T}^{j} \dots = \frac{1}{8} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \mathbf{k}_{T}^{4} \left( g_{T}^{\alpha i} g_{T}^{\beta j} + g_{T}^{\alpha j} g_{T}^{\beta i} + g_{T}^{\alpha \beta} g_{T}^{i j} \right) \dots,$$

$$\int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} \left( k_{T}^{i} k_{T}^{j} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{i j} \right) \dots = \frac{1}{8} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \mathbf{k}_{T}^{4} \left( g_{T}^{\alpha i} g_{T}^{\beta j} + g_{T}^{\alpha j} g_{T}^{\beta i} - g_{T}^{\alpha \beta} g_{T}^{i j} \right) \dots,$$

$$\int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \left( k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{\alpha \beta} \right) \ \left( k_{T}^{i} k_{T}^{j} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{i j} \right) \dots = \frac{1}{8} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \mathbf{k}_{T}^{4} \left( g_{T}^{\alpha i} g_{T}^{\beta j} + g_{T}^{\alpha j} g_{T}^{\beta i} - g_{T}^{\alpha \beta} g_{T}^{i j} \right) \dots,$$

Nonvanishing for twist two are

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[\gamma^+\gamma_5]}(x) = S_T^{\alpha} \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{2M^2} \, g_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) \equiv S_T^{\alpha} \, g_{1T}^{(1)}(x), \tag{3.61}$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = -g_{T}^{\alpha i} \lambda \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \, \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}} \, h_{1L}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \equiv -g_{T}^{\alpha i} \, \lambda \, h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}(x), \tag{3.62}$$

$$\frac{1}{M^2} \Phi_{\partial\partial}^{\alpha\beta[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_5]}(x) = -\frac{1}{2} \left( g_T^{\alpha i} S_T^\beta + g_T^{\beta i} S_T^\alpha - g_T^{\alpha\beta} S_T^i \right) \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \left( \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{2M^2} \right)^2 h_{1T}^\perp(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$$
$$\equiv -\frac{1}{2} \left( g_T^{\alpha i} S_T^\beta + g_T^{\beta i} S_T^\alpha - g_T^{\alpha\beta} S_T^i \right) h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}(x), \tag{3.63}$$

and for twist three

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[\gamma^{i}]}(x) = -g_{T}^{\alpha i} \frac{M}{P^{+}} f^{\perp(1)}(x), \qquad (3.64)$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[\gamma^{i}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = -g_{T}^{\alpha i} \frac{M}{P^{+}} \lambda g_{L}^{\perp(1)}(x)$$
(3.65)

$$\frac{1}{M^2} \Phi_{\partial\partial}^{\alpha\beta[\gamma^i\gamma_5]}(x) = -\frac{M}{2P^+} \left( g_T^{\alpha i} S_T^\beta + g_T^{\beta i} S_T^\alpha - g_T^{\alpha\beta} S_T^i \right) g_T^{\perp(2)}(x)$$
(3.66)

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_5]}(x) = \frac{M}{P^+} \left( g_T^{\alpha i} S_T^j - g_T^{\alpha j} S_T^i \right) h_T^{\perp(1)}(x), \tag{3.67}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \exp\left[ i \sigma^{i-\gamma_5} \right]_{(2)} = \frac{M}{P^+} \exp\left[ i \sigma^{\alpha j} \left( 1 \right)_{(2)} \right]_{(2)} \tag{3.67}$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{+-}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = \frac{M}{P^{+}} S_{T}^{\alpha} h_{T}^{(1)}(x).$$
(3.68)

We obtain now besides the integrated results, the  $k_{\scriptscriptstyle T}\text{-weighted}$  results

$$\Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha}(x) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ -g_{1T}^{(1)}(x) S_{T}^{\alpha} \not{h}_{+} \gamma_{5} - \lambda h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}(x) \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not{h}_{+}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} 
+ \frac{M}{2P^{+}} \left\{ -f^{\perp(1)}(x) \gamma^{\alpha} + \lambda g_{L}^{\perp(1)}(x) \gamma^{\alpha} \gamma_{5} 
+ h_{T}^{\perp(1)}(x) \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not{S}_{T}]\gamma_{5}}{2} + h_{T}^{(1)}(x) S_{T}^{\alpha} \frac{[\not{h}_{+}, \not{h}_{-}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} (3.69) 
\Phi_{\partial\partial}^{\alpha\beta}(x) = -\frac{1}{2} h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}(x) \left( \frac{S_{T}^{\{\alpha}[\gamma^{\beta}], \not{h}_{+}]\gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta}[\not{S}_{T}, \not{h}_{+}]\gamma_{5}}{4} \right) 
+ \frac{M}{2P^{+}} g_{T}^{\perp(2)}(x) \left( \frac{S_{T}^{\{\alpha}\gamma^{\beta}\}\gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta}\not{S}_{T}\gamma_{5}}{2} \right) (3.70)$$

For the matrix elements  $\Phi_{\partial}^+(x)$  no new functions come in. Working in  $A^+ = 0$  gauge (or using  $\partial^+ \mathscr{U}(0,\xi) = \mathscr{U}(0,\xi)D^+$ , see chapter 4) one sees that

$$\Phi_{\partial}^{+}(x) = xP^{+} \Phi(x) = \int \frac{d\xi^{-}}{2\pi} e^{ik\cdot\xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) \mathscr{U}(0,\xi) i D^{+} \psi_{i}(\xi) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{\xi^{+} = \xi_{T} = 0}, \qquad (3.71)$$

and hence using the parametrization of  $\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}$ ,

$$2\Phi_{\partial}^{+[\gamma^{+}]} = P^{+} \int dx \operatorname{Tr} \left(\Phi_{\partial}^{+}(x)\gamma^{+}\right) = (P^{+})^{2} \int dx x \operatorname{Tr} \left(\Phi\gamma^{+}\right)$$
$$= 2(P^{+})^{2} \underbrace{\int dx x f_{1}(x)}_{\epsilon_{q}} = \langle P, S | \underbrace{\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma^{+} iD^{+}\psi(0)}_{\theta_{q}^{++}} | P, S \rangle.$$
(3.72)

Realizing that  $\theta_q^{++}$  is only part of the energy-momentum tensor, it leads to the momentum sumrule  $\int dx \ x f_1(x) = \epsilon_q \leq 1$ . Using the support properties of the distribution functions  $(-1 \leq x \leq 1)$  and the symmetry relation  $f_1(x) = -\bar{f}_1(-x)$ , the sum rule reads

$$\int_0^1 dx \ x \left( f_1(x) + \bar{f}_1(x) \right) = \epsilon_q \le 1.$$
(3.73)

#### **3.2** Antiquark distribution functions

The profile functions for antiquarks in a hadron are obtained from the matrix elements

$$\overline{\Phi}_{ij}(k,P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \mathscr{U}(0,\xi) \psi_i(\xi) \overline{\psi}_j(0) | P, S \rangle$$
$$= -\frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \mathscr{U}(0,\xi) \psi_i(\xi) | P, S \rangle.$$
(3.74)

For a definition of the profile functions that is consistent with the definition of free particle and antiparticle states, one needs the correlation function  $\Phi^c$  that is defined analogous to  $\Phi$  but using the conjugate spinors  $\psi^c = C \overline{\psi}^T$ , where  $C \gamma^T_{\mu} C^{\dagger} = -\gamma_{\mu}$ ,

$$\Phi_{ij}^{c}(k,P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}\xi \ e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}^{c}(0) \mathscr{U}(0,\xi) \psi_{i}^{c}(\xi) | P, S \rangle.$$
(3.75)

The relation between these quantities is  $\Phi^c = -C \overline{\Phi}^T C^{\dagger}$ . Using  $\Phi^{c[\Gamma]}$  to define the antiquark profile functions,  $\overline{f}(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$ , etc., one must be aware of the relative sign  $(\pm)$  between  $\overline{\Phi}^{[\Gamma]}$  and  $\Phi^{c[\Gamma]}$  depending on  $\Gamma = \mp C \Gamma^T C^{\dagger}$ . Explicitly,

$$\begin{split} \overline{\Phi}^{[\Gamma]} &= + \Phi^{c[\Gamma]} \qquad \text{for } \Gamma = \gamma_{\mu}, \sigma_{\mu\nu} \text{ or } i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_5, \\ \overline{\Phi}^{[\Gamma]} &= - \Phi^{c[\Gamma]} \qquad \text{for } \Gamma = 1, \ \gamma_{\mu}\gamma_5 \text{ and } i\gamma_5, \end{split}$$

We note also that (at the twist two and twist three level) the anticommutation relations for fermions can be used to obtain the symmetry relation

$$\overline{\Phi}_{ij}(k,P,S) = -\Phi_{ij}(-k,P,S).$$
(3.76)

For the profile functions this gives the symmetry relations

$$\overline{f}_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = -f_{1}(-x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2})$$
(3.77)

and identically for  $g_{1T}$ ,  $h_{1T}$ ,  $h_{1T}^{\perp}$ ,  $g_L^{\perp}$  and  $h_L$  (C-even functions), while

$$\overline{g}_{1L}(x, k_T^2) = g_{1L}(-x, k_T^2)$$
(3.78)

and identically for  $h_{1L}^{\perp}$ ,  $e, f^{\perp}, g_T^{\perp}, g_T^{\perp}, h_T^{\perp}$  and  $h_T$  (C-odd functions).

Explicitly we get (fixing  $k^-$  and integrating over  $k^+$ )

$$\frac{1}{2} \int dk^{+} \overline{\Phi}(k, P, S) \Big|_{k^{-}=xP^{-}, k_{T}} = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \overline{f}_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \not|_{a} + \overline{g}_{1s}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \not|_{a} - \gamma_{5} - \overline{h}_{1T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_{5}S_{T}^{\mu}n_{-}^{\nu} - \overline{h}_{1s}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \frac{i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_{5}k_{T}^{\mu}n_{-}^{\nu}}{M} \right\} \\
+ \frac{M}{4P^{-}} \left\{ -\overline{e}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \overline{f}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \frac{\not|_{T}}{M} + \overline{g}_{T}'(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \not|_{T} \gamma_{5} + \overline{g}_{s}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \frac{\not|_{T}}{M} \right\} \\
- \overline{h}_{T}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \frac{i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_{5}S_{T}^{\mu}k_{T}^{\nu}}{M} - \overline{h}_{s}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_{5}n_{-}^{\mu}n_{+}^{\nu} \right\}.$$
(3.79)

and the projections for twist two are

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\gamma^{-}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \overline{f}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.80)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\gamma - \gamma_5]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = -\overline{g}_{1s}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.81)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[i\sigma^{i-}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = S_{T}^{i} \,\overline{h}_{1T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{M} \,\overline{h}_{1s}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.82)$$

while those of twist three are

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[1]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = -\frac{M}{P^{-}} \overline{e}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.83)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\gamma^i]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{k_T^i}{P^-} \overline{f}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.84)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\gamma^i\gamma_5]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = -\frac{MS_T^i}{P^-} \overline{g}_T'(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) - \frac{k_T^i}{P^-} \overline{g}_s^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.85)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_5]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{S_T^i k_T^j - k_T^i S_T^j}{P^-} \overline{h}_T^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.86)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[i\sigma^{-+}\gamma_5]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{M}{P^{-}} \overline{h}_s(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T).$$
(3.87)

Using  $\sigma_{\mu\nu}$  instead of  $i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_5$  one has

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\sigma^{i-}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = -\epsilon_{T}^{ij} S_{Tj} \overline{h}_{1T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij} k_{Tj}}{M} \overline{h}_{1s}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.88)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\sigma^{ij}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = -\frac{M \,\epsilon_{T}^{ij}}{P^{-}} \,\overline{h}_{s}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.89)$$

$$\overline{\Phi}^{[\sigma^{-+}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = -\frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij} k_{Ti} S_{Tj}}{P^{-}} \overline{h}_{T}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}).$$
(3.90)

The integrated results for antiquarks are

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \int dk^{+} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \overline{\Phi}(k,P,S) \Big|_{k^{-}=xP^{-}} &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \overline{f}_{1}(x) \not h_{-} + \lambda \overline{g}_{1}(x) \not h_{-}\gamma_{5} + \overline{h}_{1}(x) \frac{[\not \beta_{T}, \not h_{-}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &\quad + \frac{M}{4P^{-}} \left\{ -\overline{e}(x) + \overline{g}_{T}(x) \not \beta_{T}\gamma_{5} + \lambda \overline{h}_{L}(x) \frac{[\not h_{-}, \not h_{+}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\}, \tag{3.91} \\ \frac{1}{2} \int dk^{+} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M} \overline{\Phi}(k,P,S) \Big|_{k^{-}=xP^{-}} &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \overline{g}_{1T}^{(1)}(x) S_{T}^{\alpha} \not h_{-}\gamma_{5} - \lambda \overline{h}_{1L}^{\perp(1)}(x) \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not h_{-}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &\quad + \frac{M}{4P^{-}} \left\{ -\overline{f}^{\perp(1)}(x) \gamma^{\alpha} - \lambda \overline{g}_{L}^{\perp(1)}(x) \gamma^{\alpha}\gamma_{5} \\ &\quad + \overline{h}_{T}^{\perp(1)}(x) \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not \beta_{T}]\gamma_{5}}{2} + \overline{h}_{T}^{(1)}(x) S_{T}^{\alpha} \frac{[\not h_{-}, \not h_{+}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \tag{3.92} \\ \frac{1}{2} \int dk^{+} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \ \frac{\left(k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{\alpha\beta}\right)}{M^{2}} \overline{\Phi}(k,P,S) \Big|_{k^{-}=xP^{-}} \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{4} \overline{h}_{1T}^{\perp(2)}(x) \left( \frac{S_{T}^{\{\alpha}(\gamma^{\beta}\}, \not h_{-}]\gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta}(\not \beta_{T}, \not h_{-})\gamma_{5}}{4} \right) \\ &\quad - \frac{M}{4P^{-}} \overline{g}_{T}^{\perp(2)}(x) \left( \frac{S_{T}^{\{\alpha}(\gamma^{\beta}\}, \gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta}, \not \beta_{T}\gamma_{5}}{2} \right) \tag{3.93} \end{split}$$

#### **3.3** Result for an ensemble of free quarks (parton model)

It is instructive to calculate the correlation function for a free quark. This is given by

$$\phi_{ij}(p,s;k) = u_i(k,s)\overline{u}_j(k,s)\delta^4(k-p) = \frac{1}{2} \big( (\not\!k+m)(1+\gamma_5 \not\!s) \big)_{ij} \delta^4(k-p), \tag{3.94}$$

where the momentum and spin of the quark are parametrized as

$$k = \left[\frac{k_{T}^{2} + m^{2}}{2k^{+}}, k^{+}, k_{T}\right], \qquad (3.95)$$

$$s = \left[ -\frac{m\lambda_q}{2k^+} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{s}_{qT}}{k^+} + \frac{\lambda_q \, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2}{2m \, k^+}, \, \frac{\lambda_q \, k^+}{m}, \, \boldsymbol{s}_{qT} + \frac{\lambda_q}{m} \boldsymbol{k}_T \right]$$
(3.96)

in terms of a quark lightcone helicity  $\lambda_q$  and a quark lightcone transverse polarization  $s_{qT}$ , such that  $k \cdot s = 0$  and  $\lambda_q^2 + s_{qT}^2 = -s^2 = 1$ . Note that this helicity only is a true helicity for a quark with infinite momentum. It is then straightforward to calculate the projections for a free quark target. For twist two

$$\phi^{[\gamma^+]}(k) = \delta\left(\xi - 1\right)\delta^2(\boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T) = f_{q\uparrow/q\lambda} + f_{q\downarrow/q\lambda},\tag{3.97}$$

$$\phi^{[\gamma^+\gamma_5]}(k) = \lambda_q \,\delta\left(\xi - 1\right) \delta^2(\boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T) = f_{q\uparrow/q\lambda} - f_{q\downarrow/q\lambda},\tag{3.98}$$

$$\phi^{[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_{5}]}(k) = s^{i}_{qT}\,\delta\,(\xi-1)\,\delta^{2}(k_{T}-p_{T}) = f_{q\to/q}s_{T} - f_{q\leftarrow/q}s_{T}, \qquad (3.99)$$

where  $\xi = k^+/p^+$ , and we have indicated the intuitive interpretation in terms of probabilities of finding quarks in a quark with spin given by  $\lambda$  and  $s_{\tau}$  (see below). For twist three we get

$$\phi^{[1]}(k) = \frac{m}{k^+} \delta\left(\xi - 1\right) \delta^2(\boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T), \qquad (3.100)$$

$$\phi^{[\gamma^{i}]}(k) = \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{k^{+}} \delta\left(\xi - 1\right) \delta^{2}(k_{T} - p_{T}), \qquad (3.101)$$

$$\phi^{[\gamma^{i}\gamma_{5}]}(k) = \frac{(m \, \boldsymbol{s}_{q_{T}}^{i} + \lambda_{q} \, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{i})}{k^{+}} \,\delta\left(\xi - 1\right) \delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}), \qquad (3.102)$$

$$\phi^{[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_5]}(k) = \frac{s_{q_T}^i k_T^j - k_T^i s_{q_T}^j}{k^+} \,\delta\left(\xi - 1\right) \delta^2(k_T - p_T),\tag{3.103}$$

$$\phi^{[i\sigma^{+-}\gamma_{5}]}(k) = \frac{m\,\lambda_{q} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{s}_{qT}}{k^{+}}\,\delta\left(\xi - 1\right)\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}).$$
(3.104)

In a parton model description of the target, one uses the expansion for the free quark field to get

$$\Phi_{ij}(k) = 2\,\delta(k^2 - m^2) \left[\theta(x)u_i^{(\beta)}(k)\mathscr{P}_{\beta\alpha}(k)\bar{u}_j^{(\alpha)}(k) - \theta(-x)v_i^{(\beta)}(-k)\overline{\mathscr{P}}_{\beta\alpha}(-k)\bar{v}_j^{(\alpha)}(-k)\right],\tag{3.105}$$

where  $x = k^+/P^+$ . The use of lightcone coordinates is convenient because of the integration over  $k^-$  that is needed in deep inelastic processes. The functions  $\mathscr{P}$  and  $\overline{\mathscr{P}}$  are given by

$$\mathscr{P}_{\beta\alpha}(k) = \mathscr{P}_{\beta\alpha}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) \equiv \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^{3}} \int \frac{dx' d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}'}{(2\pi)^{3} 2x'} \langle PS|b_{\alpha}^{\dagger}(k')b_{\beta}(k)|PS\rangle, \qquad (3.106)$$

$$\overline{\mathscr{P}}_{\beta\alpha}(k) = \overline{\mathscr{P}}_{\beta\alpha}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \equiv \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{dx' \, d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T'}{(2\pi)^3 \, 2x'} \langle PS | d^{\dagger}_{\beta}(k') d_{\alpha}(k) | PS \rangle.$$
(3.107)

Note that  $\mathscr{P}_{\beta\alpha}(k)$  is a production matrix in the quark spin-space of which the trace is the quark density operator evaluated in the target. The Dirac structure can be parametrized as

$$u^{(\beta)}(k,s)\mathscr{P}_{\beta\alpha}(k)\bar{u}^{(\alpha)}(k,s) = \mathscr{P}(k)(\not k+m)\left(\frac{1+\gamma_5\not s(k)}{2}\right)$$
(3.108)

$$v^{(\beta)}(k,s)\overline{\mathscr{P}}_{\beta\alpha}(k)\bar{v}^{(\alpha)}(k,s) = \overline{\mathscr{P}}(k)(\not k - m)\left(\frac{1 + \gamma_5 \overline{\not s}(k)}{2}\right)$$
(3.109)

in terms of a positive definite quark and antiquark densities  $\mathscr{P}(k)$  and  $\overline{\mathscr{P}}(k)$  and spin densities s(k) and  $\overline{s}(k)$  which satisfy  $0 \leq -s^2(k) \leq 1$  or  $0 \leq \lambda_q^2(k) + s_{q\tau}^2(k) \leq 1$ . Inserting the free field expansion in the current expectation value  $\langle PS|\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma^{\mu}\psi(0)|PS\rangle = 2P^{\mu}(N-\overline{N})$ , where N and  $\overline{N}$  are total number of quarks and antiquarks respectively one obtains from the +-component the normalizations  $\int_0^1 dx \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \mathscr{P}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2) = N$ and  $\int_0^1 dx \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \overline{\mathscr{P}}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2) = \overline{N}$ . Integrating over  $k^-$  one obtains the result

$$\frac{1}{2} \int dk^{-} \Phi(k) = \theta(x) \frac{\mathscr{P}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2})}{2k^{+}} (\not{k} + m) \left(\frac{1 + \gamma_{5} \not{s}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T})}{2}\right) \\ - \theta(-x) \frac{\overline{\mathscr{P}}(-x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2})}{2k^{+}} (\not{k} + m) \left(\frac{1 + \gamma_{5} \not{s}(-x, -\boldsymbol{k}_{T})}{2}\right).$$
(3.110)

This gives (for x > 0)

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(k) = \mathscr{P}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \mathscr{P}_{RR} + \mathscr{P}_{LL} = \mathscr{P}_{\alpha\alpha} + \mathscr{P}_{\beta\beta}, \qquad (3.111)$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+\gamma_5]}(k) = \lambda_q(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) \,\mathscr{P}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \mathscr{P}_{RR} - \mathscr{P}_{LL},\tag{3.112}$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_5]}(k) = \boldsymbol{s}^i_{q_T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) \,\mathscr{P}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \mathscr{P}_{\alpha\alpha} - \mathscr{P}_{\beta\beta}, \qquad (3.113)$$

where the indices R/L and  $\alpha/\beta$  are particular (chiral and transverse spin) projections for the fermion fields or spinors, obtained using the projection operators  $P_{R/L} = (1 \pm \gamma_5)/2$  and  $Q^i_{\alpha/\beta} = (1 \pm \gamma^i \gamma_5)/2$ . The interpretation of the first equation is that of the probability for finding quarks in a target. The second

equation is interpreted as the probability for righthanded quarks minus that for lefthanded quarks. The third equation is interpreted as the probability for quarks with spin parallel to the transverse direction *i* minus that for quarks with spin opposite. The chiral structure of these functions is  $\overline{R}L + \overline{L}R$  and they are referred to as *chirally odd* distribution functions. Equating these unpolarized and polarized densities to the distribution functions defined in the previous section,

$$\mathscr{P}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = f_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.114)$$

$$\lambda_q(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) \mathscr{P}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \lambda g_{1L}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_T}{M} g_{1T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = g_{1s}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.115)$$

$$\boldsymbol{s}_{q_{T}}^{i}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \mathscr{P}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \boldsymbol{S}_{T}^{i} h_{1T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{i}}{M} \left[ h_{1L}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})\lambda + h_{1T}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} \right]$$
$$= \boldsymbol{S}_{T}^{i} h_{1T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{i}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.116)$$

shows how the functions  $g_{1L}$ ,  $g_{1T}$ ,  $h_1$ ,  $h_{1L}^{\perp}$  and  $h_{1T}^{\perp}$  are to be interpreted as longitudinal and transverse spin distributions given the spin of the hadron ( $\lambda$  and  $S_T$ ). For the antiquarks the same relations hold between the antiquark helicity  $\overline{\lambda}_q$  and transverse polarization  $\overline{s}_T$  on the one hand and the antiquark distributions on the other hand. Extending to all x, results are obtained in accordance with the symmetry relations in the previous section, e.g.  $f_1(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \theta(x) \mathscr{P}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2) - \theta(-x) \overline{\mathscr{P}}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2)$ .

We note that at the twist two level this parton interpretation can be made rigorous as the distribution functions can be expressed as densities involving the socalled good components of  $\psi$ ,  $\psi_+ \equiv P_+\psi$  obtained with the projection operator  $P_+ = \frac{1}{2}\gamma^-\gamma^+$ . In lightfront quantization a Fourier expansion for the good components (at  $x^+ = 0$ ) can be written down in which the Fourier coefficients can be interpreted as particle and antiparticle creation and annihilation operators The different spin-distributions involve projection operators ( $P_{R/L}$  and  $Q^1_{\alpha/\beta}$ ) that commute with  $P_+$ . At twist three the analysis of the quark - quark correlation functions lead to a number of new distribution functions. For an ensemble of free quarks they can also be expressed in the quark densities and in this way related to the (six) twist two distribution functions. Explicitly one has for the ensemble of free quarks,

$$e(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{m}{Mx} f_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.117)$$

$$f^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{x} f_{1}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.118)$$

$$g'_{T}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{m}{Mx} h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.119)$$

$$g_s^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{1}{x} g_{1s}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \frac{m}{Mx} h_{1s}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.120)$$

$$h_T^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{1}{x} h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.121)$$

$$h_s(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{m}{Mx} g_{1s}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \frac{k_T \cdot S_T}{Mx} h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \frac{k_T^2}{M^2 x} h_{1s}^{\perp}.$$
 (3.122)

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As we will show in one of the next sections, the above results are not generally true; the presence of nonvanishing quark - quark - gluon correlation functions causes deviations from these naive parton model results.

Summarizing we get for  $\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$  and  $\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x)$ , ordered according to twist, chirality and time-reversal behavior for unpolarized (U), longitudinally polarized (L) and transversely polarized (T) (spin 1/2) hadrons:

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$\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T})$		T-even	T-odd	T-even	T-odd		$\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x)$
twist 2	U L T	$\begin{array}{c} f_1 \\ g_{1L} \\ g_{1T} \end{array}$	$f_{1T}^{\perp}$	$egin{array}{c} h_{1L}^\perp\ h_{1T} & h_{1T}^\perp \end{array}$	$h_1^{\perp}$		twist 2
twist 3	U L T	$egin{array}{c} f^\perp \ g^\perp_L \ g'_T \ g^\perp_T \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c}g^{\perp}\\f_{L}^{\perp}\\f_{T}^{\prime}&f_{T}^{\perp}\end{array}$	$e \\ h_L \\ h_T  h_T^\perp$	$\begin{array}{c} h \\ e_L \\ e_T & e_T^{\perp} \end{array}$		twist 3

#### 3.4 Fragmentation: from quarks to hadron

For the fragmentation of quarks into hadrons we need the correlation function

$$\Delta_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \sum_X \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle 0|\mathscr{U}(0, \xi)\psi_i(\xi)|P_h, X\rangle \langle P_h, X|\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle 0|\mathscr{U}(0, \xi)\psi_i(\xi)a_h^{\dagger}a_h\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle, \qquad (3.123)$$

where an averaging over color indices is implicit. We note, however that fragmentation is into a hadron in a specified spin state.

The use of intermediate states X and in addition one specified state with momentum  $P_h$  needs some explanation. First note that the unit operator can be written as

$$\mathscr{I} \equiv \sum_{X} |X\rangle \langle X| = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \mathscr{I}_{p}$$
(3.124)

with

$$\mathscr{I}_p = \frac{1}{p!} \int d\tilde{k}_1 \dots d\tilde{k}_p \ a^{\dagger}(k_1) \dots a^{\dagger}(k_p) |0\rangle \langle 0|a(k_1) \dots a(k_p)$$
(3.125)

containing the *p*-particle states (with  $d\bar{k}$  being the invariant one-particle phase-space). Thus

$$\sum_{X} |P_h, X\rangle \langle P_h, X| = |P_h\rangle \langle P_h| + \int d\tilde{k}_1 |P_h, k_1\rangle \langle P_h, k_1| + \frac{1}{2!} \int d\tilde{k}_1 d\tilde{k}_2 |P_h, k_1, k_2\rangle \langle P_h, k_1, k_2| + \dots = a_h^{\dagger} \mathscr{I} a_h = a_h^{\dagger} a_h.$$
(3.126)

After integrating over  $P_h$  one obtains

$$\int d\tilde{P}_h \sum_X |P_h, X\rangle \langle P_h, X| = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} p \mathscr{I}_p, \qquad (3.127)$$

which is the number operator  $N_h$ . This will become relevant when one integrates over the phase-space of particles in the final state to go from 1-particle inclusive to inclusive scattering processes.

For the Dirac structure the same expansion as before can be written down,

$$\Delta(k, P_h, S_h) = M_h B_1 + B_2 P_h + B_3 \not k + (B_4/M_h) \sigma^{\mu\nu} P_{h\mu} k_\nu + i B_5 (k \cdot S_h) \gamma_5 + M_h B_6 \not S_h \gamma_5 + (B_7/M_h) (k \cdot S_h) P_h \gamma_5 + (B_8/M_h) (k \cdot S_h) \not k \gamma_5 + i B_9 \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 S_{h\mu} P_{h\nu} + i B_{10} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 S_{h\mu} k_\nu + i (B_{11}/M_h^2) (k \cdot S_h) \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 k_\mu P_{h\nu} + (B_{12}/M_h) \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \gamma^{\mu} P_h^{\nu} k^{\rho} S_h^{\sigma}, \qquad (3.128)$$

where the amplitudes  $B_i$  depend on  $P_h \cdot k$  and  $k^2$ . As the states  $|P_h, X\rangle$  in the above expression for  $\Delta_{ij}$  are not plane waves, one cannot apply time-reversal invariance. So the amplitudes  $B_4$ ,  $B_5$  and  $B_{12}$  do not vanish.

The fact that the time-reversal-odd amplitudes do not vanish is a consequence of the final state interactions of the produced hadron h. To see this, it is instructive (even necessary) to treat  $|P_h, X\rangle$ as physical states. In that case they should be labeled as outstates. Consider the multi-channel matrix

$$\Delta_{ij}^{(ff')} = \sum_{X} \int d^{4}\xi \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle 0|\psi_{i}(\xi)|f; \text{out}\rangle \langle f'; \text{out}|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)|0\rangle$$
(3.129)

(Note that  $\Delta^{(f'f)} = \Delta^{(ff')\dagger}$ ). The behavior of  $\Delta^{(ff')}$  under time reversal involves

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$$\begin{aligned} f'; \operatorname{out}|\overline{\psi}_{j}(\xi)|0\rangle &= \langle \tilde{f}'; \operatorname{in}|(\overline{-i\gamma_{5}C\psi})_{j}(-\bar{\xi})|0\rangle^{*} \\ &= \langle \tilde{f}'; \operatorname{out}|S^{\dagger}(\overline{-i\gamma_{5}C\psi})_{j}(-\bar{\xi})|0\rangle^{*} \end{aligned}$$
(3.130)

from which one finds that the combination

$$\tilde{\Delta}^{ff} = (\sqrt{S})^{ff_1} \Delta^{f_1 f_2} (\sqrt{S^{\dagger}})^{f_2 f}$$
(3.131)

behaves as

$$\tilde{\Delta}^*(k, P_h, S_h) = (-i\gamma_5 C) \,\tilde{\Delta}(\bar{k}, \bar{P}_h, \bar{S}_h) \,(-i\gamma_5 C). \tag{3.132}$$

If the final state would be one unique channel obtains zero because  $S = e^{2i\delta}$ . For two channels the S-matrix can e.g. be parametrized as

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \epsilon & -\sin \epsilon \\ \sin \epsilon & \cos \epsilon \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{2i\delta_1} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{2i\delta_2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \epsilon & \sin \epsilon \\ -\sin \epsilon & \cos \epsilon \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (3.133)

Working in channel space with the diagonal S-matrix one has

$$\tilde{\Delta}^{ff} = \begin{pmatrix} \Delta^{(11)} & e^{i(\delta_1 - \delta_2)} \Delta^{(12)} \\ e^{-i(\delta_1 - \delta_2)} \Delta^{(21)} & \Delta^{(22)} \end{pmatrix}.$$
(3.134)

From the hermiticity condition one knows that for  $\Delta$  the amplitude analysis requires real amplitudes  $B_i^{(ff')}$  for i = 1, 12. The time-reversal invariance condition applied to  $\tilde{\Delta}$  requires  $\tilde{B}_i^* = \tilde{B}_i$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3, 6, \ldots, 11$  and  $\tilde{B}_i^* = -\tilde{B}_i$  for i = 4, 5, 12. Thus one finds

$$B_i^{(11)} = B_i^{(22)} = 0 \qquad (i = 1, 2, 3, 6, \dots, 11)$$
(3.135)

$$\sin(\delta_1 - \delta_2) B_i^{(12)} = 0 \qquad (i = 1, 2, 3, 6, \dots, 11)$$
(3.136)

$$\cos(\delta_1 - \delta_2) B_i^{(12)} = 0 \qquad (i = 4, 5, 12), \tag{3.137}$$

In general one can make a partial wave expansion of the final state in states  $|J, M\rangle$  and one finds

$$\sum_{J,J'} \sin(\delta_J - \delta_{J'}) \ B_i^{(JJ')} = 0 \qquad (i = 1, 2, 3, 6, \dots, 11)$$
(3.138)

$$\sum_{J,J'} \cos\left(\delta_J - \delta_{J'}\right) B_i^{(JJ')} = 0 \qquad (i = 4, 5, 12), \tag{3.139}$$

The first equation is a constraint between partial waves which is trivially satisfied in the absence of final state interactions. The second equation implies in the absence of final state interactions that the amplitudes  $B_4$ ,  $B_5$  and  $B_{12}$  vanish.

For the fragmentation a twist analysis of  $\Delta$  considering the projections

$$\Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{4z} \int dk^{+} Tr(\Delta \Gamma) \Big|_{k^{-} = P_{h}^{-}/z, \ k_{T}}$$
$$= \int \frac{d\xi^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{4z \ (2\pi)^{3}} \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} Tr\langle 0| \mathscr{U}(0, \xi) \psi(\xi) a_{h}^{\dagger} a_{h} \overline{\psi}(0) \Gamma |0\rangle \Big|_{\xi^{-} = 0}, \qquad (3.140)$$

leads to the following set of twist two profile functions, which depend on  $z = P_h^-/k^-$  and  $k_{\tau}^2 = -k_{\perp}^2$ ,

$$\Delta^{[\gamma^{-}]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = D_{1}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij}k_{Ti}S_{hTj}}{M_{h}} D_{1T}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.141)$$

$$\Delta^{[\gamma^-\gamma_5]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = G_{1s}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T)$$
(3.142)

$$\Delta^{[i\sigma^{i}-\gamma_{5}]}(z,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = S^{i}_{hT} H_{1T}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k^{i}_{T}}{M_{h}} H^{\perp}_{1s}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\epsilon^{ij}_{T}k_{Tj}}{M_{h}} H^{\perp}_{1}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \quad (3.143)$$

and those of twist three are

$$\Delta^{[1]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{M_{h}}{P_{h}^{-}} E(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.144)$$

$$\Delta^{[\gamma^{i}]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{P_{h}^{-}} D^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\lambda_{h} \epsilon_{T}^{ij} k_{Tj}}{P_{h}^{-}} D_{L}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{M_{h} \epsilon_{T}^{ij} S_{hTj}}{P_{h}^{-}} D_{T}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$\Delta^{[i\gamma_5]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{M_h}{P_h^-} E_s(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.146)$$

$$\Delta^{[\gamma^{i}\gamma_{5}]}(z,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{M_{h} S_{h_{T}}^{i}}{P_{h}^{-}} G_{T}'(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{i}}{P_{h}^{-}} G_{s}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.147)$$

$$\Delta^{[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_5]}(z,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{S_{hT}^i k_T^j - k_T^i S_{hT}^j}{P_h^-} H_T^\perp(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) + \frac{M_h \,\epsilon_T^{ij}}{P_h^-} H(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.148)$$

$$\Delta^{[i\sigma^{-+}\gamma_5]}(z, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{M_h}{P_h^-} H_s(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T).$$
(3.149)

Again it may sometimes be useful to work with the functions projected using  $\sigma_{\mu\nu}$  instead of  $i\sigma_{\mu\nu}\gamma_5$ . These are

$$\Delta^{[\sigma^{i-}]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = -\epsilon_T^{ij} S_{hTj} H_{1T}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) - \frac{\epsilon_T^{ij} k_{Tj}}{M_h} H_{1s}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) + \frac{k_T^i}{M_h} H_1^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T), \quad (3.150)$$

$$\Delta^{[\sigma^{ij}]}(z, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = -\frac{M_{h} \epsilon_{T}^{ij}}{P_{h}^{-}} H_{s}(z, -z\mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.151)$$

$$\Delta^{[\sigma^{-+}]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = -\frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij} \, \boldsymbol{k}_{Ti} S_{hTj}}{P_{h}^{-}} \, H_{T}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{M_{h}}{P_{h}^{-}} \, H(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}).$$
(3.152)

The shorthand notations  $G_{1s}$  etc. stands for

$$G_{1s}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \lambda_{h} G_{1L}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + G_{1T}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \frac{(\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{hT})}{M_{h}}.$$
(3.153)

The integrated profile functions are defined as

$$\Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z) = z^2 \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{z}{4} \int dk^+ d^2 \mathbf{k}_T Tr(\Delta \Gamma) \Big|_{k^- = P_h^-/z}$$
$$= \frac{z}{8\pi} \int d\xi^+ e^{ik \cdot \xi} Tr\langle 0|\mathscr{U}(0, \xi)\psi(\xi)a_h^\dagger a_h\overline{\psi}(0)\Gamma|0\rangle \Big|_{\xi^- = \xi_T = 0}, \qquad (3.154)$$

Besides these we have nonvanishing  $k_{T}$ -weighted functions in analogy to the distribution functions.

The Dirac structure of the fragmentation correlation function integrated over  $k^+$  then becomes up to twist three

The integrated results are

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{4} \int dk^{+} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \,\Delta(k, P_{h}, S_{h}) \Big|_{k^{-}=P_{h}^{-}/z} &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ D_{1}(z) \,\not h_{-} - \lambda_{h} \,G_{1}(z) \,\not h_{-}\gamma_{5} + H_{1}(z) \frac{[\not h_{hT}, \not h_{-}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &+ \frac{M_{h}}{4P_{h}^{-}} \left\{ D_{T}(z) \,e^{\rho\sigma} \gamma_{\rho} S_{h\tau\sigma} + E(z) - \lambda_{h} \,E_{L}(z) \,i\gamma_{5} \right. \\ &- G_{T}(z) \,\not S_{h\tau}\gamma_{5} + \lambda_{h} \,H_{L}(z) \frac{[\not h_{-}, \not h_{+}]\gamma_{5}}{2} + i \,H(z) \frac{[\not h_{-}, \not h_{+}]}{2} \right\}, \quad (3.156) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{4} \int dk^{+} \,d^{2} \,\mathbf{k}_{T} \,\frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M_{h}} \,\Delta(k, P_{h}, S_{h}) \Big|_{k^{-}=P_{h}^{-}/z} &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ -G_{1T}^{(1)}(z) \,S_{h\tau}^{\alpha} \,\not h_{-}\gamma_{5} - \lambda_{h} \,H_{1L}^{\perp(1)}(z) \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not h_{-}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &+ \frac{1}{4} \left\{ D_{1T}^{(1)}(z) \,\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\alpha} \gamma_{\mu} n_{-\nu} S_{h\tau\rho} + \lambda_{h} \,H_{1}^{\perp(1)}(z) \frac{i[\not h_{-}, \gamma^{\alpha}]}{2} \right\} \\ &+ \frac{M_{h}}{4P_{h}^{-}} \left\{ -D^{\perp(1)}(z) \,\gamma^{\alpha} + \lambda_{h} \,G_{L}^{\perp(1)}(z) \,\gamma^{\alpha}\gamma_{5} + H_{T}^{\perp(1)}(z) \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not h_{h}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &+ H_{T}^{(1)}(z) \,S_{h\tau}^{\alpha} \,\frac{[\not h_{-}, \not h_{+}]\gamma_{5}}{2} \right\}, \quad (3.157) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{z}{4} \int dk^{+} \,d^{2} \,\mathbf{k}_{T} \,\frac{\left(k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} \,g_{T}^{\alpha\beta}\right)}{M_{h}^{2}} \,\Delta(k, P_{h}, S_{h}) \bigg|_{k^{-}=P_{h}^{-}/z} = \\ &- \frac{1}{4} \,H_{1T}^{\perp(2)}(z) \,\left(\frac{S_{h\tau}^{(\alpha} [\gamma^{\beta}], \not h_{-}]\gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \,\beta_{h\tau}\gamma_{5}}{2}\right) \\ &+ \frac{M_{h}}{4P_{h}^{-}} \,G_{T}^{\perp(2)}(z) \,\left(\frac{S_{h\tau}^{(\alpha} \gamma^{\beta})\gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \,\beta_{h\tau}\gamma_{5}}{2}\right). \quad (3.158) \end{aligned}$$

The appropriate normalization of the fragmentation functions can be obtained via a momentum sum rule. For this consider the following integral for the fragmentation function  $D_1$ ,

$$\int dz \ z D_1(z) = \int dz \ d^2 P_{h\perp} \ z D_1(z, \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp})$$
  
= 
$$\int dz \ d^2 P_{h\perp} \ \int \frac{d\xi^+ d^2 \boldsymbol{\xi}_T}{4 \ (2\pi)^3} \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \ Tr\langle 0|\psi(\xi) a_h^\dagger a_h \overline{\psi}(0)\gamma^-|0\rangle \Big|_{\xi^-=0}$$
(3.159)

(we have omitted the links along the  $n_+$ -direction, but including them all subsequent arguments remain valid). Considering the integrand for fixed quark momentum k and choosing this to have no perpendicular component, the  $P_{h\perp}$  dependence is only contained in  $a_h^{\dagger}a_h$  and summing over all produced hadrons (for a given quark) one obtains

$$\sum_{h} \int dz \ z D_{1}(z) = \int \frac{d\xi^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{2k^{-}} \left. e^{ik \cdot \xi} \operatorname{Tr} \langle 0 | \psi(\xi) \sum_{h} \int \frac{dP_{h}^{-} d^{2} P_{h\perp}}{(2\pi)^{3} 2P_{h}^{-}} a_{h}^{\dagger} P_{h}^{-} a_{h} \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma^{-} | 0 \rangle \right|_{\xi^{-}=0}$$

$$= \int \frac{d\xi^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{2k^{-}} \left. e^{ik \cdot \xi} \operatorname{Tr} \langle 0 | \psi(\xi) P^{-} \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma^{-} | 0 \rangle \right|_{\xi^{-}=0}$$
(3.160)

Inserting a complete set of quark states one obtains

$$\sum_{h} \int dz \ z D_{1}(z) = \int \frac{d\xi^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{2k^{-}} \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \operatorname{Tr} \langle 0|\psi(\xi) \int \frac{dk'^{-} d^{2}k'_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3} 2k'^{-}} \sum_{s'} |k', s'\rangle k'^{-} \langle k', s'|\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma^{-}|0\rangle \bigg|_{\xi^{-}=0} \\ = \int \frac{dk'^{-} d^{2}k'_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int \frac{d\xi^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{4k^{-}} \ e^{i(k-k')\cdot\xi} \sum_{s'} \bar{u}(k', s')\gamma^{-}u(k', s') \bigg|_{\xi^{-}=0} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad (3.161)$$

and hence

$$\sum_{h} \sum_{S_{h}} \int dz \ z \ D_{1}(z) = 1.$$
(3.162)

#### 3.5 Antiquark fragmentation functions

For the fragmentation of antiquarks the profile functions are obtained from

$$\overline{\Delta}_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \sum_X \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-ik \cdot \xi} \langle 0 | \overline{\psi}_j(0) | P_h, X \rangle \langle P_h, X | \mathscr{U}(0, \xi) \psi_i(\xi) | 0 \rangle,$$
(3.163)

considering the projections

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\Delta}^{[\Gamma]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) &= \left. \frac{1}{4z} \int dk^{-} Tr(\overline{\Delta}\Gamma) \right|_{k^{+} = P_{h}^{+}/z, \, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}} \\ &= \left. \pm \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{4z \, (2\pi)^{3}} \, e^{-ik \cdot \xi} \, \langle 0 | \overline{\psi}(0) \Gamma \, a_{h}^{\dagger} a_{h} \, \mathscr{U}(0, \xi) \psi(\xi) | 0 \rangle \right|_{\xi^{+} = 0}, \end{aligned} \tag{3.164}$$

and they are denoted  $\overline{D}(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T)$ , etc. The functions  $\overline{E}$  and  $\overline{G}$  acquire a sign compared with the quark profile functions. For the antiquark fragmentation functions we have

The symmetry relations in z are  $\overline{D}_1(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T'^2) = D_1(-z, \boldsymbol{k}_T'^2)$  and identically for  $D_T$ ,  $G_{1T}$ ,  $H_{1T}$ ,  $H_{1T}^{\perp}$ ,  $E_T$ ,  $G_L^{\perp}$ , H and  $H_L$ , while  $\overline{G}_{1L}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T'^2) = -G_{1L}(-z, \boldsymbol{k}_T'^2)$  and identically for  $D_{1T}^{\perp}$ ,  $H_{1L}^{\perp}$ ,  $H_1^{\perp}$ , E,  $D^{\perp}$ ,  $D_L^{\perp}$ ,  $E_L$ ,  $G_T'$ ,  $G_T^{\perp}$ ,  $H_T^{\perp}$  and  $H_T$ . The integrated results are

$$\begin{split} \frac{z}{4} \int dk^{-} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \,\overline{\Delta}(k, P_{h}, S_{h}) \Big|_{k^{+} = P_{h}^{+}/z} &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \overline{D}_{1}(z) \, \not{h}_{+} + \lambda_{h} \,\overline{G}_{1}(z) \, \not{h}_{+} \gamma_{5} + \overline{H}_{1}(z) \, \frac{[\not{\beta}_{hT}, \not{h}_{+}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &+ \frac{M_{h}}{4P_{h}^{+}} \left\{ -\overline{D}_{T}(z) \, \varepsilon_{T}^{\rho\sigma} \gamma_{\rho} S_{h\tau\sigma} - \overline{E}(z) + \lambda_{h} \,\overline{E}_{L}(z) \, i\gamma_{5} \right. \\ &+ \overline{G}_{T}(z) \, \beta_{h\tau} \gamma_{5} + \lambda_{h} \,\overline{H}_{L}(z) \, \frac{[\not{h}_{+}, \not{h}_{-}] \gamma_{5}}{2} + i \,\overline{H}(z) \, \frac{[\not{h}_{+}, \not{h}_{-}]}{2} \right\}, \quad (3.166) \\ &\frac{z}{4} \int dk^{-} \, d^{2} k_{T} \, \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M_{h}} \,\overline{\Delta}(k, P_{h}, S_{h}) \Big|_{k^{+} = P_{h}^{+}/z} = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \overline{G}_{1T}^{(1)}(z) \, S_{h\tau}^{\alpha} \, \not{h}_{+} \gamma_{5} - \lambda_{h} \,\overline{H}_{1L}^{(1)}(z) \, \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not{h}_{+}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right\} \\ &+ \frac{M_{h}}{4P_{h}^{+}} \left\{ -\overline{D}^{\perp(1)}(z) \, \gamma^{\alpha} - \lambda_{h} \, \overline{G}_{L}^{\perp(1)}(z) \, \gamma^{\alpha} \gamma_{5} + \overline{H}_{T}^{\perp(1)}(z) \, \frac{[\gamma^{\alpha}, \not{\beta}_{hT}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right. \\ &+ \overline{H}_{T}^{(1)}(z) \, S_{h\tau}^{\alpha} \, \frac{[\not{h}_{+}, \not{h}_{-}] \gamma_{5}}{2} \right\}, \quad (3.167) \\ &\frac{z}{4} \int dk^{-} \, d^{2} k_{T} \, \frac{\left(k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} k_{T}^{2} g_{T}^{\alpha}\right)}{M_{h}^{2}} \, \overline{\Delta}(k, P_{h}, S_{h}) \bigg|_{k^{+} = P_{h}^{+}/z} = \\ &- \frac{1}{4} \,\overline{H}_{1T}^{\perp(2)}(z) \, \left( \frac{S_{h\tau}^{\{\alpha} (\gamma^{\beta}\}, \not{h}_{+}] \gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} (\beta_{h\tau}, \not{h}_{+}] \gamma_{5}}{4} \right) \\ &- \frac{M_{h}}{4P_{h}^{+}} \, \overline{G}_{T}^{\perp(2)}(z) \, \left( \frac{S_{h\tau}^{\{\alpha} \gamma^{\beta}\} \gamma_{5} - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \beta_{h\tau} \gamma_{5}}{2} \right). \quad (3.168) \end{split}$$

### 3.6 The parton picture for fragmentation functions

Similar as in the case of distribution functions, it is instructive to consider the correlation function for the case of a free quark, given by

$$\delta_{ij}(p,s;k) = u_i(k,s)\overline{u}_j(k,s)\delta^4(k-p) = \frac{1}{2} \big( (\not\!\!k+m)(1+\gamma_5 \not\!\!s) \big)_{ij} \delta^4(k-p), \tag{3.169}$$

where the momentum and spin of the quark are parametrized as

$$k = \left[k^{-}, \frac{k_{T}^{2} + m^{2}}{2k^{-}}, k_{T}\right], \qquad (3.170)$$

$$s = \left[\frac{\lambda_q k^-}{m}, -\frac{m \lambda_q}{2k^-} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{s}_{qT}}{k^-} + \frac{\lambda_q \boldsymbol{k}_T^2}{2m k^-}, \, \boldsymbol{s}_{qT} + \frac{\lambda_q}{m} \boldsymbol{k}_T\right]$$
(3.171)

in terms of a quark light cone helicity  $\lambda_q$  and a quark light cone transverse polarization  $s_{qT}.$  The projections become for twist two

$$\delta^{[\gamma^{-}]}(k) = \frac{1}{2}\delta\left(\zeta - 1\right)\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2}D_{q\lambda/q\uparrow} + \frac{1}{2}D_{q\lambda/q\downarrow}, \qquad (3.172)$$

$$\delta^{[\gamma^{-}\gamma_{5}]}(k) = \frac{1}{2}\lambda_{q}\,\delta\left(\zeta-1\right)\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}-\boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2}D_{q\lambda/q\uparrow} - \frac{1}{2}D_{q\lambda/q\downarrow},\tag{3.173}$$

$$\delta^{[i\sigma^{i}-\gamma_{5}]}(k) = \frac{1}{2} \boldsymbol{s}_{qT}^{i} \,\delta\left(\zeta-1\right) \delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}-\boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2} D_{q} \boldsymbol{s}_{T/q \rightarrow} - \frac{1}{2} D_{q} \boldsymbol{s}_{T/q \leftarrow}, \qquad (3.174)$$

where  $\zeta = p^{-}/k^{-}$  and we have given the intuitive interpretation in terms of probabilities for quarks to fragment into quarks with spin characterized by  $\lambda$  and  $s_{\tau}$ . For twist three we get

$$\delta^{[1]}(k) = \frac{m}{2k_{-}^{-}} \,\delta\left(\zeta - 1\right) \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}), \tag{3.175}$$

$$\delta^{[\gamma^i]}(k) = \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T^i}{2k^-} \,\delta\left(\zeta - 1\right) \delta^2(\boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T),\tag{3.176}$$

$$\delta^{[\gamma^i \gamma_5]}(k) = \frac{(m \, \boldsymbol{s}^i_{q_T} + \lambda_q \, \boldsymbol{k}^i_T)}{2k^-} \,\delta\left(\zeta - 1\right) \delta^2(\boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T),\tag{3.177}$$

$$\delta^{[i\sigma^{ij}\gamma_{5}]}(k) = \frac{s_{q_{T}}^{i} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{j} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{i} s_{q_{T}}^{j}}{2k^{-}} \,\delta\left(\zeta - 1\right) \delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}), \qquad (3.178)$$

$$\delta^{[i\sigma^{-+}\gamma_5]}(k) = \frac{m\,\lambda_q - \boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{s}_{qT}}{2k^-}\,\delta\left(\zeta - 1\right)\delta^2(\boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T).\tag{3.179}$$

Inserting the expansion for the free quark field gives

$$\Delta_{ij}(k) = 4z\,\delta(k^2 - m^2) \left[\theta(z)u_i^{(\beta)}(k)\mathscr{D}_{\beta\alpha}(k)\bar{u}_j^{(\alpha)}(k) - \theta(-z)v_i^{(\beta)}(-k)\overline{\mathscr{D}}_{\beta\alpha}(-k)\bar{v}_j^{(\alpha)}(-k)\right],\tag{3.180}$$

where  $z = P_h^-/k^-$ . The use of lightcone coordinates is convenient because of the integration over  $k^+$  that is needed in deep inelastic processes. The functions  $\mathscr{D}$  and  $\overline{\mathscr{D}}$  are given by

$$\mathscr{D}_{\beta\alpha}(k) = \mathscr{D}_{\beta\alpha}(z, z^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \equiv \frac{1}{4z(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{dz' \, d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T'}{(2\pi)^3 \, 2z'} \, \langle 0|b_\beta(k')a_h a_h^\dagger b_\alpha^\dagger(k)|0\rangle, \tag{3.181}$$

$$\overline{\mathscr{D}}_{\beta\alpha}(k) = \overline{\mathscr{D}}_{\beta\alpha}(z, z^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \equiv \frac{1}{4z(2\pi)^3} \int \frac{dz' d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T'}{(2\pi)^3 2z'} \langle 0|d_\alpha(k')a_h a_h^{\dagger} d_{\beta}^{\dagger}(k)|0\rangle.$$
(3.182)

Note that  $\mathscr{D}_{\beta\alpha}(k)$  is a decay matrix in the quark spin-space. Most easily to deal with is the 'momentum sum rule'

$$\sum_{h} \int z dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{hT} \, \mathscr{D}_{\beta\alpha}(z, \boldsymbol{P}_{hT}^2) = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dz' d^2 \boldsymbol{k}'_T}{(2\pi)^3 \, 2z'} \frac{1}{k^-} \langle 0|b_\beta(k') \sum_h \int \frac{dP_h^- d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{hT}}{(2\pi)^3 \, 2P_h^-} a_h P_h^- a_h^\dagger b_\alpha^\dagger(k)|0\rangle \\ = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dz' d^2 \boldsymbol{k}'_T}{(2\pi)^3 \, 2z'} \frac{1}{k^-} \langle 0|b_\beta(k') \, \mathscr{P}_{\text{op}}^- b_\alpha^\dagger(k)|0\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \,\delta_{\beta\alpha}.$$
(3.183)

Integrating over  $k^-$  one obtains the twist two results (for z > 0)

$$\Delta^{[\gamma^{-}]}(k) = \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{RR} + \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{LL} = \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{\alpha\alpha} + \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{\beta\beta}, \qquad (3.184)$$

$$\Delta^{[\gamma^-\gamma_5]}(k) = \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{RR} - \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{LL}, \qquad (3.185)$$

$$\Delta^{[i\sigma^{i-}\gamma_{5}]}(k) = \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{\alpha\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}\mathscr{D}_{\beta\beta}, \qquad (3.186)$$

using the same projection operators as for the distribution functions. In this way an interpretation in terms of quark decay functions is obtained, again rigorous for the twist two functions. In this 'parton picture' the twist three results can also for the fragmentation functions be expressed in the twist two functions.

Summarizing we get for  $\Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T)$  and  $\Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z)$ , ordered according to twist, chirality and timereversal behavior for production of unpolarized (U), longitudinally polarized (L) and transversely polarized (T) (spin 1/2) hadrons:

FRAGMENTATION								
		χ-е	ven	$\chi$ -odd				
$\Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z, -z oldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T})$		T-even	T-odd	T-even	T-odd			
	U	$D_1$			$H_1^{\perp}$			
twist 2	$\mathbf{L}$	$G_{1L}$		$H_{1L}^{\perp}$				
	Т	$G_{1T}$	$D_{1T}^{\perp}$	$H_{1T}$ $H_{1T}^{\perp}$				
	U	$D^{\perp}$	$G^{\perp}$	E	Н			
twist 3	$\mathbf{L}$	$G_L^{\perp}$	$D_L^{\perp}$	$H_L$	$E_L$			
	Т	$G'_T \ G^{\perp}_T$	$D'_T  D^\perp_T$	$H_T  H_T^{\perp}$	$E_T  E_T^{\perp}$			

FRAGMENTATION							
		χ-е	ven	$\chi$ -odd			
$\Delta^{[\Gamma]}(z)$		T-even	T-odd	T-even	T-odd		
	U	$D_1$					
twist 2	L	$G_1$					
	Т			$H_1$			
	U			E	Н		
twist 3	L			$H_L$	$E_L$		
	Т	$G_T$	$D_T$				

### **3.7** Structure of $H \rightarrow q$ profile functions

In order to study the structure of the profile functions, we will first give the expressions in terms of the amplitudes  $A_i(\sigma, \tau)$ , where  $\sigma = 2 k \cdot P$  and  $\tau = k^2$ ,

$$f_1(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \, [A_2 + xA_3], \qquad (3.187)$$

$$g_{1L}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \left[ -A_6 - \left( \frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M^2} \right) (A_7 + xA_8) \right], \qquad (3.188)$$

$$g_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2) = \int \dots [A_7 + xA_8],$$
 (3.189)

$$h_{1T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \left[ -(A_9 + xA_{10}) \right],$$
 (3.190)

$$h_{1L}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int \dots \left[ A_{10} - \left( \frac{\sigma - 2xM^{2}}{2M^{2}} \right) A_{11} \right], \qquad (3.191)$$

$$h_{1T}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int \dots [A_{11}],$$
 (3.192)

$$e(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int \dots [A_{1}], \qquad (3.193)$$

$$f^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2) = \int \dots \, [A_3], \qquad (3.194)$$

$$g'_T(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2) = \int \dots [-A_6],$$
 (3.195)

$$g_L^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \left[ -\left(\frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M^2}\right) A_8 \right], \qquad (3.196)$$

$$g_T^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \ [A_8], \qquad (3.197)$$

$$h_T^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \ [-A_{10}], \qquad (3.198)$$

$$h_L(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \left[ -(A_9 + xA_{10}) - \left(\frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M^2}\right) A_{10} + \left(\frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M^2}\right)^2 A_{11} \right], \quad (3.199)$$

$$h_T(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int \dots \left[ -\left(\frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M^2}\right) A_{11} \right], \qquad (3.200)$$

where

$$\int \dots = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta(\mathbf{k}_{\tau}^{2} + x^{2}M^{2} + \tau - x\sigma)$$
$$= \int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta(x\eta M^{2} + \tau - x\sigma), \qquad (3.201)$$

with

$$\eta = x + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T^2}{xM^2}.\tag{3.202}$$



Figure 3.3: The region  $k_{\tau}^2 \ge 0$  which contributes in the integration over  $\sigma$  and  $\tau$  in the expressions for the distribution functions and fragmentation functions

The integrated functions also can be expressed as an integral over amplitudes, e.g.

$$f_1(x) = \pi \int d\sigma d\tau \ \theta(x^2 M^2 + \tau - x\sigma) \left[A_2 + xA_3\right], \qquad (3.203)$$

now involving a  $\theta$ -function to ensure contributions from the physical region  $p_T^2 \ge 0$ , indicated in the figure. Implicitly, there are several relations which can be traced back to the fact that there are less amplitudes than profile functions. Useful are the following relations for  $k_T^2$ -weighted functions: If we have

$$f^{(n)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta(\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} + x^{2}M^{2} + \tau - x\sigma) \,\left(\frac{\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}}\right)^{n} F(x, \sigma, \tau),$$

$$f^{\prime(n)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta(\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} + x^{2}M^{2} + \tau - x\sigma) \,\left(\frac{\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}}\right)^{n} \frac{\partial F}{\partial x}(x, \sigma, \tau),$$

$$g^{(n)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) = -\int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta(\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} + x^{2}M^{2} + \tau - x\sigma) \,\left(\frac{\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}}\right)^{n} \frac{\sigma - 2xM^{2}}{2M^{2}} F(x, \sigma, \tau), \quad (3.204)$$

one easily proves the relations

$$\frac{d}{dx} f^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) = -g(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + f'^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + 2M^{2} \frac{d}{d\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}} g^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}),$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f^{(1)}(x) = -g(x) + f'^{(1)}(x) + 2M^{2} g^{(1)}(x, 0),$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) = -2g^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + f'^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + 2M^{2} \frac{d}{d\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}} g^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}),$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f^{(2)}(x) = -2g^{(1)}(x) + f'^{(2)}(x) + 2M^{2} g^{(2)}(x, 0).$$
(3.205)
(3.206)

For the five g-functions this leads to the two relations (assuming  $g^{(n\geq 1)}(x,0)$  to vanish)

$$g_T(x) = g_1(x) + \frac{d}{dx} g_{1T}^{(1)}, \qquad (3.207)$$

$$g_L^{\perp}(x) = -\frac{d}{dx} g_T^{\perp(1)}$$
 and  $2 g_L^{\perp(1)}(x) = -\frac{d}{dx} g_T^{\perp(2)},$  (3.208)

while for the six h-functions three relations are found, where the one for  $h_T^{\perp}$  is trivial,

$$h_L(x) = h_1(x) - \frac{d}{dx} h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}, \qquad (3.209)$$

$$h_T(x) = -\frac{d}{dx} h_{1T}^{\perp(1)}$$
 and  $2 h_T^{(1)}(x) = -\frac{d}{dx} h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}$ , (3.210)

$$h_T^{\perp(n)}(x) = h_T^{(n)}(x) - h_{1L}^{\perp(n)}(x).$$
(3.211)

Similarly we have for the fragmentation functions expressions of the profile functions in terms of the amplitudes  $B_1$  to  $B_{12}$ . This gives relations analogous to the distribution functions,

$$2z D_1(z, z^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\,\delta\left(\boldsymbol{k}_T^2 + \frac{M_h^2}{z^2} + \tau - \frac{\sigma}{z}\right) \,\left[B_2 + \frac{1}{z} B_3\right],\tag{3.212}$$

etc. with now in addition some time reversal odd functions,

$$2z D_{1T}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int \dots \ [B_{12}], \qquad (3.213)$$

$$2z H_1^{\perp}(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T) = \int \dots \ [-B_4], \qquad (3.214)$$

$$2z D_L^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots \ [-B_{12}], \qquad (3.215)$$

$$2z D_T(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots \left[ -\left(\frac{\sigma - 2M_h^2/z}{2M_h^2}\right) B_{12} \right].$$
(3.216)

$$2z E_L(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots \left[ -\left(\frac{\sigma - 2M_h^2/z}{2M_h^2}\right) B_5 \right].$$
(3.217)

$$2z E_T(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots [B_5], \qquad (3.218)$$

$$2z H(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots \left[ \left( \frac{\sigma - 2M_h^2/z}{2M_h^2} \right) B_4 \right].$$
(3.219)

The integrated functions are given by

$$\frac{2}{z}D_1(z) = \pi \int d\sigma d\tau \ \theta \left(\frac{\sigma}{z} - \tau - \frac{M_h^2}{z^2}\right) \left[B_2 + \frac{1}{z}B_3\right],\tag{3.220}$$

with an integration region also indicated in the figure. The following relations can be derived in the case of fragmentation functions: If we have

$$2z D^{(n)}(z, z^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta \left(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} + \frac{M_{h}^{2}}{z^{2}} + \tau - \frac{\sigma}{z}\right) \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M_{h}^{2}}\right)^{n} F(z, \sigma, \tau),$$

$$2z D^{\prime(n)}(z, z^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta \left(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} + \frac{M_{h}^{2}}{z^{2}} + \tau - \frac{\sigma}{z}\right) \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M_{h}^{2}}\right)^{n} \frac{\partial F}{\partial z}(z, \sigma, \tau),$$

$$2z G^{(n)}(z, z^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = -\int d\sigma d\tau \,\delta \left(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} + \frac{M_{h}^{2}}{z^{2}} + \tau - \frac{\sigma}{z}\right) \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M_{h}^{2}}\right)^{n} \frac{\sigma - 2M_{h}^{2}/z}{2M_{h}^{2}} F(z, \sigma, \tau), \quad (3.221)$$

one easily proves the relations

$$z^{2} \frac{d}{dz} \left[ z D^{(1)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) \right] = z G(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + z^{3} D^{\prime(1)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + 2M_{h}^{2} \frac{d}{d\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}} \left[ z G^{(1)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) \right],$$

$$z^{2} \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{D^{(1)}(z)}{z} \right] = \frac{G(z)}{z} + z D^{\prime(1)}(z) + 2M_{h}^{2} \frac{G^{(1)}(z, 0)}{z},$$

$$z^{2} \frac{d}{dz} \left[ z D^{(2)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) \right] = 2z G^{(1)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + z^{3} D^{\prime(2)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) + 2M_{h}^{2} \frac{d}{d\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}} \left[ z G^{(2)}(z, z^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}) \right],$$

$$z^{2} \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{D^{(2)}(z)}{z} \right] = 2 \frac{G^{(1)}(z)}{z} + z D^{\prime(1)}(z) + 2M_{h}^{2} \frac{G^{(1)}(z, 0)}{z}.$$
(3.223)

For the five G-functions this leads to two relations (assuming  $G^{(n\geq 1)}(z,0)$  to vanish,

$$\frac{G_T(z)}{z} = \frac{G_1(z)}{z} - z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{G_{1T}^{(1)}(z)}{z} \right], \qquad (3.224)$$

$$\frac{G_L^{\perp}(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{G_T^{\perp(1)}(z)}{z} \right] \quad \text{and} \quad 2 \frac{G_L^{\perp(1)}(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{G_T^{\perp(2)}(z)}{z} \right]. \quad (3.225)$$

For the eight H-functions this leads to 4 relations,

$$\frac{H_L(z)}{z} = \frac{H_1(z)}{z} + z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{H_{1L}^{\perp(1)}(z)}{z} \right], \qquad (3.226)$$

$$\frac{H_T(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{H_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z)}{z} \right] \quad \text{and} \quad 2 \frac{H_T^{(1)}(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{H_{1T}^{\perp(2)}(z)}{z} \right], \quad (3.227)$$

$$H_T^{\perp(n)}(z) = H_T^{(n)}(z) - H_{1L}^{\perp(n)}(z), \tag{3.228}$$

$$\frac{H(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{H_1^{\perp(1)}(z)}{z} \right].$$
(3.229)

The last equation relates time reversal odd functions. Other relations between time reversal odd functions are,

$$\frac{E_L(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{E_T^{(1)}(z)}{z} \right], \qquad (3.230)$$

and

$$\frac{D_T(z)}{z} = z^2 \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z)}{z} \right],$$
(3.231)

$$D_L^{\perp(n)}(z) = -D_{1T}^{\perp(n)}(z).$$
(3.232)

Using the splitting of the twist three profile functions in a piece that is expressed in terms of partonic (twist two) functions and a remainder ('true' twist three piece) that as we will see in the next chapter can be expressed in terms of 'good' quark and gluon fields. This is achieved by using the 'free' quark results or equivalently the results for quark-quark-gluon correlation functions using the QCD equations of motion,

$$e(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{m}{Mx} f_{1}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) + \tilde{e}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.233)$$

$$f^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{x} f_{1}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) + \tilde{f}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.234)$$

$$g'_{T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{m}{Mx} h_{1T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \tilde{g}'_{T}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.235)$$

$$g_{L}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{x} g_{1L}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{m}{Mx} h_{1L}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \tilde{g}_{L}^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}), \qquad (3.236)$$

$$g_T^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{1}{x} g_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \frac{m}{Mx} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \tilde{g}_T^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.237)$$

$$g_T(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{1}{x} g_{1T}^{(1)}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) + \frac{m}{Mx} h_1(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) + \tilde{g}_T(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (3.238)$$

$$h_T^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{1}{x} h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) + \tilde{h}_T^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.239)$$

$$h_L(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{m}{Mx} g_{1L}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) - \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{M^2 x} h_{1L}^{\perp} + \tilde{h}_L(x, \mathbf{k}_T), \qquad (3.240)$$

$$h_T(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \frac{m}{Mx} g_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) - \frac{h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T)}{x} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{M^2 x} h_{1T}^{\perp} + \tilde{h}_T(x, \mathbf{k}_T).$$
(3.241)

The functions  $\tilde{e}$ , etc. can be immediately seen as the functions appearing in the twist three projections of the quark-quark-gluon correlation functions.

Comparing the above expression with the second relations found for the g-functions one has

$$g_T = \frac{g_{1T}^{(1)}}{x} + \frac{m}{M} \frac{h_1}{x} + \tilde{g}_T = g_1 + \frac{d}{dx} g_{1T}^{(1)}, \qquad (3.242)$$

from which one obtains the relation

$$x^{2} \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{g_{1T}^{(1)}}{x}\right) = -x g_{1} + \frac{m}{M} h_{1} + x \tilde{g}_{T}, \qquad (3.243)$$

that can be used to eliminate  $g_{1T}^{(1)}$ ,

$$\frac{d}{dx}(g_T - g_1) = \frac{d}{dx}g_2 = -\frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}(xg_1) + \frac{m}{M}\frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}h_1 + \frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}(x\tilde{g}_T),$$
(3.244)

or (provided sufficient convergent behavior at the endpoints)

$$g_2(x) = -\left[g_1(x) - \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{g_1(y)}{y}\right] + \frac{m}{M} \left[\frac{h_1(x)}{x} - \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{h_1(y)}{y^2}\right] + \left[\tilde{g}_T(x) - \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{\tilde{g}_T(y)}{y}\right].$$
(3.245)

Similarly we obtain from the expression for  $h_L$  above and the second of the *h*-relations

$$h_L = \frac{m}{M} \frac{g_1}{x} - 2 \frac{h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}}{x} + \tilde{h}_L = h_1 - \frac{d}{dx} h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}, \qquad (3.246)$$

from which one obtains the relation

$$x^{3} \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}}{x^{2}} \right) = x h_{1} - \frac{m}{M} g_{1} - x \tilde{h}_{L}, \qquad (3.247)$$

which can be used to eliminate  $h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}$ ,

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{h_L - h_1}{x}\right) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{h_2}{2x}\right) = -\frac{1}{x^2}\frac{d}{dx}(xh_1) + \frac{m}{M}\frac{1}{x^2}\frac{d}{dx}g_1 + \frac{1}{x^2}\frac{d}{dx}(x\tilde{h}_L),$$
(3.248)

or (provided sufficient convergent behavior at the endpoints)

$$\frac{1}{2}h_2(x) = -\left[h_1(x) - 2x\int_x^1 dy \,\frac{h_1(y)}{y^2}\right] + \frac{m}{M} \left[\frac{g_1(x)}{x} - 2x\int_x^1 dy \,\frac{g_1(y)}{y^3}\right] \\ + \left[\tilde{h}_L(x) - 2x\int_x^1 dy \,\frac{\tilde{h}_L(y)}{y^2}\right].$$
(3.249)

Continuing with the twist-three functions we have

$$h_T = -\frac{h_1}{x} - \frac{h_{1T}^{\perp(1)}}{x} + \frac{m}{M} \frac{g_{1T}}{x} + \tilde{h}_T = -\frac{d}{dx} h_{1T}^{\perp(1)}, \qquad (3.250)$$

from which one obtains the relation

$$x^{2} \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{h_{1T}^{\perp(1)}}{x} \right) = h_{1} - \frac{m}{M} g_{1T} + x \,\tilde{h}_{T}, \qquad (3.251)$$

which can be used to eliminate  $h_{1T}^{\perp(1)}$ ,

$$\frac{d}{dx}h_T = -\frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}h_1 + \frac{m}{M}\frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}g_{1T} + \frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}(x\tilde{h}_T),$$
(3.252)

or (provided sufficient convergent behavior at the endpoints)

$$h_T(x) = -\left[\frac{h_1(x)}{x} - \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{h_1(y)}{y^2}\right] + \frac{m}{M} \left[\frac{g_{1T}(x)}{x} - \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{g_{1T}(y)}{y^2}\right] + \left[\tilde{h}_T(x) - \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{\tilde{h}_T(y)}{y}\right].$$
 (3.253)

For the second  $k_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^2$ -moment one obtains

$$h_T^{(1)} = -\frac{h_1^{(1)}}{x} - \frac{h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}}{x} + \frac{m}{M} \frac{g_{1T}^{(1)}}{x} + \tilde{h}_T^{(1)} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dx} h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}, \qquad (3.254)$$

from which one obtains the relation

$$x^{2} \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}}{x^{2}} \right) = 2 \frac{h_{1}^{(1)}}{x} - 2 \frac{m}{M} \frac{g_{1T}^{(1)}}{x} - 2 \tilde{h}_{T}^{(1)}, \qquad (3.255)$$

which can be used to eliminate  $h_{1T}^{\perp(2)}$ ,

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{h_T^{(1)}}{x}\right) = -\frac{1}{x^2}\frac{d}{dx}h_{1T}^{(1)} + \frac{m}{M}\frac{1}{x^2}\frac{d}{dx}g_{1T}^{(1)} + \frac{1}{x^2}\frac{d}{dx}(x\tilde{h}_T^{(1)}),$$
(3.256)

or (provided sufficient convergent behavior at the endpoints)

$$h_T^{(1)}(x) = -\left[\frac{h_1^{(1)}(x)}{x} - 2x\int_x^1 dy \,\frac{h_1^{(1)}(y)}{y^3}\right] + \frac{m}{M} \left[\frac{g_{1T}^{(1)}(x)}{x} - 2x\int_x^1 dy \,\frac{g_{1T}^{(1)}(y)}{y^3}\right] \\ + \left[\tilde{h}_T^{(1)}(x) - 2x\int_x^1 dy \,\frac{\tilde{h}_T^{(1)}(y)}{y^2}\right].$$
(3.257)

It is sometimes useful to realize that the moments of combinations appearing above are

$$\int_0^1 dx \ x^{n-1} \left[ f(x) - k \, x^{k-1} \int_x^1 dy \, \frac{f(y)}{y^k} \right] = \frac{n-1}{n+k-1} \int_0^1 dx \ x^{n-1} \, f(x) \qquad \text{(for } n \ge 1, \ k \ge 1\text{)}. \tag{3.258}$$

Therefore all first moments (n = 1) of the expressions between brackets above vanish, at least if the first moments of the function f is finite.

## Chapter 4

# Deep inelastic processes

#### 4.1 The point cross sections

In section 1 we have discussed the formalism for three types of hard processes, the Drell-Yan process,  $e^+e^-$  annihilation and lepton-hadron scattering,

$$A + B \rightarrow \ell + \overline{\ell} + X, \qquad (DY)$$
  

$$e^- + e^+ \rightarrow h_1 + h_2 + X, \qquad (e^- e^+)$$
  

$$\ell + H \rightarrow \ell' + h + X. \qquad (\ell H)$$

The underlying processes are:

$$DY: \qquad q + \overline{q} \to \ell + \overline{\ell}, \tag{4.1}$$

$$e^-e^+: e^- + e^+ \to q + \overline{q},$$
 (4.2)

$$\ell H: \qquad \ell + q \ \to \ \ell' + q. \tag{4.3}$$

The cross sections for these processes would be quite similar to the (observable) lepton cross sections. The annihilation cross section  $e^-e^+ \rightarrow \mu^-\mu^+$ , neglecting lepton masses is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt}(e^-e^+ \to \mu^-\mu^+) = \frac{2\pi\,\alpha^2\,(t^2+u^2)}{s^4},\tag{4.4}$$

or the equivalent expressions in terms of  $y = -t/s = (1 + \cos \theta_{cm})/2$ ,

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_{cm}}(e^-e^+ \to \mu^-\mu^+) = \frac{\alpha^2}{4s} \left(1 + \cos^2\theta_{cm}\right),\tag{4.5}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dy}(e^-e^+ \to \mu^-\mu^+) = \frac{4\pi\,\alpha^2}{s}\left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^2\right).$$
(4.6)

The total cross section becomes

$$\sigma(e^-e^+ \to \mu^-\mu^+) = \frac{4\pi \,\alpha^2}{3 \,s}.$$
(4.7)

The cross section for  $e^-\mu^+ \rightarrow e^-\mu^+$ , neglecting lepton masses is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt}(e^{-}\mu^{+} \to e^{-}\mu^{+}) = \frac{2\pi\,\alpha^{2}\,(s^{2}+u^{2})}{s^{2}\,t^{2}},\tag{4.8}$$

or using y = -t/s,

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dy}(e^{-}\mu^{+} \to e^{-}\mu^{+}) = \frac{4\pi\,\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\left(\frac{y^{2}}{2} + 1 - y\right).$$
(4.9)

Also useful is the cross section for a virtual (transverse) photon, given by

$$\sigma(\gamma_T^*\mu^+ \to \mu^+) = \frac{4\pi^2\alpha}{Q^2} \delta\left(\frac{s}{Q^2} - 1\right). \tag{4.10}$$

#### 4.2 The Drell-Yan process

The hadronic tensor in this case is rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu}(q; P_A S_A; P_B S_B) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (P_A + P_B - P_X - q) \\ &\times \langle P_A S_A; P_B S_B | J_\mu(0) | P_X \rangle \langle P_X | J_\nu(0) | P_A S_A; P_B S_B \rangle, \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 x \; e^{-iq \cdot x} \langle P_A S_A; P_B S_B | J_\mu(x) \; J_\nu(0) | P_A S_A; P_B S_B \rangle, \end{aligned}$$

which in tree approximation (Born terms) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{-iq \cdot x} \left\langle P_A S_A; P_B S_B \right| : \overline{\psi}_j(x) (\gamma_\mu)_{jk} \psi_k(x) : \\ &\times : \overline{\psi}_l(0) (\gamma_\nu)_{li} \psi_i(0) : |P_A S_A; P_B S_B \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{3} \int d^4x \ e^{-iq \cdot x} \left\langle P_A S_A | \overline{\psi}_j(x) \psi_i(0) | P_A S_A \right\rangle (\gamma_\mu)_{jk} \\ &\qquad \left\langle P_B S_B | \psi_k(x) \overline{\psi}_l(0) | P_B S_B \right\rangle (\gamma_\nu)_{li} \\ &+ \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{3} \int d^4x \ e^{-iq \cdot x} \left\langle P_A S_A | \psi_k(x) \overline{\psi}_l(0) | P_A S_A \right\rangle (\gamma_\nu)_{li} \\ &\qquad \left\langle P_B S_B | \overline{\psi}_j(x) \psi_i(0) | P_B S_B \right\rangle (\gamma_\mu)_{jk}, \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^4p \ d^4k \ \delta^4(p+k-q) \ \mathrm{Tr} \left( \Phi(p) \gamma_\mu \overline{\Phi}(k) \gamma_\nu \right) + \left\{ \begin{array}{c} q \leftrightarrow -q \\ \mu \leftrightarrow \nu \end{array} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$
(4.11)

where we have used

$$\Phi_{ij}(p) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{-ip \cdot x} \langle P_A S_A | \overline{\psi}_j(x) \psi_i(0) | P_B S_B \rangle,$$
  
$$\overline{\Phi}_{kl}(k) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{-ik \cdot x} \langle P_B S_B | \psi_k(x) \overline{\psi}_l(0) | P_B S_B \rangle,$$

and its symmetry properties (see section 2). Note that since in both  $\Phi$  (quark production) and  $\overline{\Phi}$  (antiquark production) summations over colors are assumed, a factor 1/3 appears in the result in Eq. 4.11

Using the lightcone representation of the momenta in frame II (see section 1) it is easy to see that if the quark momenta in the matrix elements  $\Phi$  are limited, i.e.  $p^2$ ,  $p \cdot P_A$  are of hadronic scale and similarly in the matrix elements  $\overline{\Phi}$  for  $k^2$  and  $k \cdot P_B$ , one can write the delta function up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  as

$$\delta^4(p+k-q) \approx \delta(p^+ - q^+) \,\delta(k^- - q^-) \,\delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{q}_T), \tag{4.12}$$

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The result in leading order is then

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Figure 4.1: Born diagrams for Drell-Yan scattering

where

$$I[f_1 \overline{f}_1] = \int d^2 p_T \, d^2 k_T \, \delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{q}_T) \, f_1(x_A, \boldsymbol{p}_T) \overline{f}_1(x_B, \boldsymbol{k}_T).$$
(4.14)

Using the contraction with the leptonic tensor,

$$L^{\mu\nu} \left( -g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{q_{\mu}q_{\nu}}{q^2} + \frac{Z_{\mu}Z_{\nu}}{Z^2} \right) = 4Q^2 \left( \frac{1}{2} - y + y^2 \right)$$
$$= Q^2 \left( 1 + \cos^2 \theta_{\mu\mu} \right), \tag{4.15}$$

the cross section becomes

$$\frac{d\sigma(AB \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B \, d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \, d\Omega_{\mu\mu}} = \frac{\alpha^2}{12 \, Q^2} \left(1 + \cos^2 \theta_{\mu\mu}\right) \, I[f_1 \, \overline{f}_1]. \tag{4.16}$$

Integrated over the transverse momenta of the produced mu pair,

$$\frac{d\sigma(AB \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B \, d\Omega_{\mu\mu}} = \frac{\alpha^2}{12 \, Q^2} \left(1 + \cos^2 \theta_{\mu\mu}\right) \, f_1(x_A) \, \overline{f}_1(x_B),\tag{4.17}$$

and integrated over the muon angular distribution,

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_A \, dx_B} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{9 \, Q^2} \, f_1(x_A) \, \overline{f}_1(x_B), \tag{4.18}$$

or including the summation over quarks and antiquarks,

$$\frac{d\sigma(AB \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{9 \, Q^2} \sum_a e_a^2 f_{1\,a/A}(x_A) \,\overline{f}_{1\,\overline{a}/B}(x_B) 
= \frac{1}{3} \sum_a f_{1\,a/A}(x_A) \,\overline{f}_{1\,\overline{a}/B}(x_B) \,\hat{\sigma}(a\overline{a} \to \mu^- \mu^+),$$
(4.19)

where the quark-antiquark annihilation cross section is given by

$$\hat{\sigma}(a\overline{a} \to \mu^- \mu^+) = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3Q^2} e_a^2. \tag{4.20}$$

and the factor 1/3 multiplying the summation is the color factor that can be naturally understood because only quarks of the same color can annihilate and we have seen that the definitions of the quark distribution functions included a summation over colors.

Introducing the virtuality of the photon (i.e. the invariant mass  $\hat{s}$  of the produced mu pair) as a variable one can consider the Drell-Yan cross section as a function of s. Writing

$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{dQ^2} \left( a\overline{a} \to \mu^- \mu^+ \right) = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{3 \, Q^2} \, e_a^2 \, \delta(\hat{s} - Q^2), \tag{4.21}$$

one has

$$\frac{d\sigma(AB \to \mu^- \mu^+ X)}{dQ^2 \, dx_A \, dx_B} = \frac{1}{3} \sum_a f_{1\,a/A}(x_A) \,\overline{f}_{1\,\overline{a}/B}(x_B) \,\frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{dQ^2}(a\overline{a} \to \mu^- \mu^+) \\
= \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{9Q^4} \sum_a e_a^2 \, f_{1\,a/A}(x_A) \,\overline{f}_{1\,\overline{a}/B}(x_B) \,\delta\left(\frac{s}{Q^2} \, x_A x_B - 1\right),$$
(4.22)

which exhibits explicitly the scaling in  $\tau = s/Q^2$  for the cross section  $Q^4 d\sigma/dQ^2$ .

#### 4.3 Electron-positron annihilation

The hadronic tensor in this case is rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu}(q;P_{1}S_{1};P_{2}S_{2}) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int \frac{d^{3}P_{X}}{(2\pi)^{3}2P_{X}^{0}} (2\pi)^{4} \delta^{4}(q-P_{X}-P_{1}-P_{2}) \\ &\times \langle 0|J_{\mu}(0)|P_{X};P_{1}S_{1};P_{2}S_{2}\rangle \langle P_{X};P_{1}S_{1};P_{2}S_{2}|J_{\nu}(0)|0\rangle, \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}x \ e^{iq\cdot x} \ \langle 0|J_{\mu}(x)\sum_{X} |X;P_{1}S_{1};P_{2}S_{2}\rangle \langle X;P_{1}S_{1};P_{2}S_{2}|J_{\nu}(0)|0\rangle, \end{aligned}$$

which in tree approximation (Born terms) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \; e^{iq \cdot x} \langle 0| : \overline{\psi}_j(x)(\gamma_{\mu})_{jk} \psi_k(x) : \sum_X |X; P_1 S_1; P_2 S_2 \rangle \\ &\times \langle X; P_1 S_1; P_2 S_2| : \overline{\psi}_l(0)(\gamma_{\nu})_{li} \psi_i(0) : |0 \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} 3 \int d^4x \; e^{iq \cdot x} \langle 0| \overline{\psi}_j(x) \sum_{X_2} |X_2; P_2 S_2 \rangle \langle X_2; P_2 S_2 | \psi_i(0) | PS \rangle (\gamma_{\mu})_{jk} \\ &\quad \langle 0| \psi_k(x) \sum_{X_1} |X_1; P_1 S_1 \rangle \langle X_1; P_1 S_1 | \overline{\psi}_l(0) | 0 \rangle (\gamma_{\nu})_{li} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} 3 \int d^4x \; e^{iq \cdot x} \langle 0| \psi_k(x) \sum_{X_2} |X_2; P_2 S_2 \rangle \langle X_2; P_2 S_2 | \overline{\psi}_l(0) | 0 \rangle (\gamma_{\nu})_{li} \\ &\quad \langle 0| \overline{\psi}_j(x) \sum_{X_1} |X_1; P_1 S_1 \rangle \langle X_1; P_1 S_1 | \psi_i(0) | 0 \rangle (\gamma_{\mu})_{jk}, \end{aligned}$$

$$= 3 \int d^4p \; d^4k \; \delta^4(q - k - p) \; \mathrm{Tr} \left( \overline{\Delta}(p) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \gamma_{\nu} \right) + \left\{ \begin{array}{c} q \leftrightarrow -q \\ \mu \leftrightarrow \nu \end{array} \right\}, \tag{4.23}$$

where we have used

$$\Delta_{kl}(k) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{ik \cdot x} \ \langle 0|\psi_k(x) \sum_{X_1} |X_1; P_1S_1\rangle \langle X_1; P_1S_1|\overline{\psi}_l(0)|0\rangle,$$
  
$$\overline{\Delta}_{ij}(p) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{ip \cdot x} \ \langle PS|\overline{\psi}_j(x) \sum_{X_2} |X_2; P_2S_2\rangle \langle X_2; P_2S_2|\psi_i(0)|PS\rangle,$$

and its symmetry properties (see section 2). Note that since both in  $\Delta$  (quark decay) and  $\overline{\Delta}$  (antiquark decay) an averaging over colors is assumed, we get a color factor of 3 in Eq. 4.23. We have only considered two hadrons in different jets, i.e. no fragmentation parts involving matrix elements of the form  $\langle 0|\psi_j(x)\sum_X |X; P_1S_1; P_2S_2\rangle \langle X; P_1S_1; P_2S_2|\psi_i(0)|0\rangle$  are considered.

Using the lightcone representation of the momenta in frame II (see section 1) it is easy to see that if the quark momenta in the matrix elements  $\overline{\Delta}$  are limited, i.e.  $p^2$ ,  $p \cdot P_2$  are of hadronic scale and similarly in the matrix elements  $\Delta$  for  $k^2$  and  $k \cdot P_1$ , one can write the delta function up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  as

$$\delta^4(q-k-p) \approx \delta(q^- - k^-) \,\delta(q^+ - p^+) \,\delta^2(\boldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}), \tag{4.24}$$

The result in leading order is then

$$\mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = 3 \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} \delta^{2} (\boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) \operatorname{Tr} \left( [\int dp^{-} \overline{\Delta}(p)] \gamma_{\mu} [\int dk^{+} \Delta(k)] \gamma_{\nu} \right) \Big| \begin{array}{l} k^{-} = P_{1}^{-} / z_{1} \\ p^{+} = P_{2}^{+} / z_{2} \end{array} \\
= \left( \frac{q_{\mu}q_{\nu}}{q^{2}} - g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{Z_{\mu}Z_{\nu}}{Z^{2}} \right) 12 z_{1} z_{2} I[D_{1} \overline{D}_{1}], \quad (4.25)$$

where

$$I[D_1 \overline{D}_1] = \int d^2 k_T \, d^2 p_T \, \delta^2(\boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{p}_T) \, D_1(z_1, -z_1 \boldsymbol{k}_T) \overline{D}_1(z_2, -z_2 \boldsymbol{p}_T).$$
(4.26)

Using the contraction with the leptonic tensor,

$$L^{\mu\nu} \left( -g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{q_{\mu}q_{\nu}}{q^2} + \frac{Z_{\mu}Z_{\nu}}{Z^2} \right) = 4Q^2 \left( \frac{1}{2} - y + y^2 \right)$$
$$= Q^2 \left( 1 + \cos^2 \theta \right), \qquad (4.27)$$

where  $\theta$  is the angle of the produced hadrons  $h_2$  in the  $e^-e^+$  rest frame. The cross section becomes

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to h_1 h_2 X)}{d\Omega \, dz_1 \, dz_2 \, d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T} = \frac{3 \, \alpha^2}{4 \, Q^2} \, \left(1 + \cos^2 \theta\right) z_1^2 z_2^2 \, I[D_1 \, \overline{D}_1]. \tag{4.28}$$

Integrated over transverse momenta of hadron  $h_1$  one finds,

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to h_1 h_2 X)}{d\Omega \, dz_1 \, dz_2} = \frac{3 \, \alpha^2}{4 \, Q^2} \, \left(1 + \cos^2 \theta\right) D_1(z_1) \, \overline{D}_1(z_2), \tag{4.29}$$

Including the summation over quarks and antiquarks one obtains

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to h_1 h_2 X)}{d\Omega \, dz_1 \, dz_2} = \frac{3 \, \alpha^2}{4 \, Q^2} \left(1 + \cos^2 \theta\right) \sum_a e_a^2 D_{1 \, h_1/a}(z_1) \, \overline{D}_{1 \, h_2/\overline{a}}(z_2)$$

$$= 3 \sum_a \frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{d\Omega} (e^-e^+ \to a\overline{a}) \, D_{1 \, h_1/a}(z_1) \, \overline{D}_{1 \, h_2/\overline{a}}(z_2),$$
(4.30)

where the annihilation cross section into a quark-antiquark pair is given by

$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{d\Omega}(e^-e^+ \to a\overline{a}) = \frac{\alpha^2}{4Q^2} \left(1 + \cos^2\theta\right). \tag{4.31}$$

The factor 3 multiplying the cross section can be naturally understood as the definitions of each fragmentation function includes an averaging over color and the annihilation can be into a quark-antiquark pair of any of the three colors. The result for the production of a single hadron is obtained by considering hadron 2 as the jet with  $\overline{D}_1 = \delta(1 - z_2)$ , thus

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to hX)}{d\Omega \, dz} = \frac{3 \, \alpha^2}{4 \, Q^2} \left(1 + \cos^2 \theta\right) \sum_a e_a^2 \, D_{1 \, h/a}(z)$$
$$= 3 \sum_a \frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{d\Omega} (e^-e^+ \to a\overline{a}) \, D_{1 \, h/a}(z). \tag{4.32}$$

Integrating over the jet direction gives

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to hX)}{dz} = \frac{4\pi \,\alpha^2}{Q^2} \sum_a e_a^2 D_{1\,h/a}(z)$$
$$= 3\sum_a \hat{\sigma}(e^-e^+ \to a\overline{a}) D_{1\,h/a}(z). \tag{4.33}$$

Finally the jet cross section is found by taking  $D_1(z) = \delta(1-z)$ ,

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to jets)}{d\Omega} = \frac{3\alpha^2}{4Q^2} (1 + \cos^2\theta) \sum_a e_a^2$$
$$= 3\sum_a \hat{\sigma}(e^-e^+ \to a\overline{a}), \qquad (4.34)$$

and the total cross section

$$\sigma(e^-e^+ \to \text{hadrons}) = \frac{4\pi \alpha^2}{Q^2} \sum_a e_a^2$$
  
=  $3 \sum_a \hat{\sigma}(e^-e^+ \to a\overline{a})$   
=  $\sigma(e^-e^+ \to \mu^-\mu^+) 3 \sum_a e_a^2.$  (4.35)

Note that integrating over z the multiplicities of produced particles enter,

$$\int dz \, \frac{d\sigma(e^-e^+ \to hX)}{dz} = \langle n_h^{e^-e^+} \rangle \sigma(e^-e^+ \to \text{hadrons}) \tag{4.36}$$

given by

$$\langle n_h^{e^-e^+} \rangle = \frac{\sum_a e_a^2 n_{h/a}}{\sum_a e_a^2},$$
(4.37)

where  $n_{h/a} = \int dz D_{1h/a}(z)$ .

#### 4.4 lepton-hadron scattering

The hadronic tensor in this case is rewritten as

$$2M\mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu}(q; PS; P_h S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^3 P_X}{(2\pi)^3 2 P_X^0} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(q + P - P_X - P_h) \\ \times \langle PS | J_\mu(0) | P_X; P_h S_h \rangle \langle P_X; P_h S_h | J_\nu(0) | PS \rangle, \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \ \langle PS | J_\mu(x) \sum_X | X; P_h, S_h \rangle \langle X; P_h S_h | J_\nu(0) | PS \rangle,$$

which in tree approximation (Born terms) becomes

$$2M\mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu}(q; PS; P_hS_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \langle PS| : \overline{\psi}_j(x)(\gamma_\mu)_{jk}\psi_k(x) : \sum_X |X; P_hS_h\rangle \\ \times \langle X; P_hS_h| : \overline{\psi}_l(0)(\gamma_\nu)_{li}\psi_i(0) : |PS\rangle \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \langle PS|\overline{\psi}_j(x)\psi_i(0)|PS\rangle(\gamma_\mu)_{jk} \\ \langle 0|\psi_k(x)\sum_X |X; P_hS_h\rangle\langle X; P_hS_h|\overline{\psi}_l(0)|0\rangle(\gamma_\nu)_{li} \\ + \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{iq \cdot x} \langle PS|\psi_k(x)\overline{\psi}_l(0)|PS\rangle(\gamma_\nu)_{li} \\ \langle 0|\overline{\psi}_j(x)\sum_X |X; P_hS_h\rangle\langle X; P_hS_h|\psi_i(0)|0\rangle(\gamma_\mu)_{jk}, \\ = \int d^4p \ d^4k \ \delta^4(p+q-k) \ \mathrm{Tr} \left(\Phi(p)\gamma_\mu\Delta(k)\gamma_\nu\right) + \left\{ \begin{array}{c} q \leftrightarrow -q \\ \mu \leftrightarrow \nu \end{array} \right\}, \quad (4.38)$$

where we have used

$$\Phi_{ij}(p) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{ip \cdot x} \langle PS | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \psi_i(x) | PS \rangle,$$
  
$$\Delta_{kl}(k) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{ik \cdot x} \langle 0 | \psi_k(x) \sum_X | X; P_h S_h \rangle \langle X; P_h S_h | \overline{\psi}_l(0) | 0 \rangle,$$

and its symmetry properties (see section 2). Note that in  $\Phi$  (quark production) a summation over colors is assumed, while in  $\Delta$  (quark decay) an averaging over colors is assumed. We have not considered possible target fragmentation parts involving matrix elements of the form  $\langle PS|\psi_j(x)\sum_X |X;P_hS_h\rangle$  $\langle X;P_hS_h|\psi_i(0)|PS\rangle$ .

Using the lightcone representation of the momenta in frame II (see section 1) it is easy to see that if the quark momenta in the matrix elements  $\Phi$  are limited, i.e.  $p^2$ ,  $p \cdot P$  are of hadronic scale and similarly in the matrix elements  $\Delta$  for  $k^2$  and  $k \cdot P_h$ , one can write the delta function up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  as

$$\delta^4(p+q-k) \approx \delta(p^++q^+) \,\delta(q^--k^-) \,\delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_{_T}+\boldsymbol{q}_{_T}-\boldsymbol{k}_{_T}), \tag{4.39}$$

The result in leading order is then

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \delta^{2} (\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \operatorname{Tr} \left( [\int dp^{-} \Phi(p)] \gamma_{\mu} [\int dk^{+} \Delta(k)] \gamma_{\nu} \right) \Big| \begin{array}{l} p^{+} = x_{B} P^{+} \\ k^{-} = P_{h}^{-} / z \end{array}$$
$$= \left( \frac{q_{\mu}q_{\nu}}{q^{2}} - g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{\tilde{P}_{\mu}\tilde{P}_{\nu}}{\tilde{P}^{2}} \right) 2z I[f_{1} D_{1}], \tag{4.40}$$

where

$$I[f_1 D_1] = \int d^2 p_T d^2 k_T \, \delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \, f_1(x_B, \boldsymbol{p}_T) D_1(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_T).$$
(4.41)

Using the contraction with the leptonic tensor,

$$L^{\mu\nu}\left(\frac{q_{\mu}q_{\nu}}{q^2} - g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{\tilde{P}_{\mu}\tilde{P}_{\nu}}{\tilde{P}^2}\right) = \frac{4Q^2}{y^2}\left(\frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y\right),\tag{4.42}$$

the cross section becomes

$$\frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' hX)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \left(\frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y\right) \, x_B I[f_1 \, D_1],\tag{4.43}$$

or integrated over  $\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}$ ,

$$\frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' hX)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \left(\frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y\right) \, x_B f_1(x_B) \, D_1(z). \tag{4.44}$$

The case of inclusive electroproduction is easily obtained using the result  $D_1(z) = \delta(1-z)$  for quark production off a quark, giving

$$\frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' X)}{dx_B \, dy} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \left(\frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y\right) \, x_B f_1(x_B). \tag{4.45}$$

This leads to the well-known result for electroproduction of hadrons h (now also including the summation over quarks and antiquarks, where the latter come from the second contribution in Eq. 4.38)

$$\frac{\frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' hX)}{dx \, dy \, dz}}{\frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell'X)}{dx \, dy}} = \frac{N_h^{\ell H}(x, z)}{\sum_a e_a^2 f_{1\,a/H}(x)} = \frac{\sum_a e_a^2 f_{1\,a/H}(x) D_{1\,h/a}(z)}{\sum_a e_a^2 f_{1\,a/H}(x)}.$$
(4.46)

Upon integration over z one obtains

$$\int dz \, \frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' hX)}{dx \, dy \, dz} = \langle n_h^{\ell H}(x) \rangle \frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' X)}{dx \, dy} \tag{4.47}$$

where  $\langle n_h(x) \rangle$  represents the average number of produced particles as a function of x,

$$\langle n_h^{\ell H}(x) \rangle = \frac{\sum_a e_a^2 n_{h/a} f_{1\,a/H}(x)}{\sum_a e_a^2 f_{1\,a/H}(x)},\tag{4.48}$$

where  $n_{h/a} = \int dz D_{1h/a}(z)$ .

Finally we note that we can write the inclusive cross section for different values of  $s = Q^2/x_B y$  in terms of the virtual photon-quark cross section  $\sigma \left(\gamma^*(Q^2) a \to a\right)$  as

$$\frac{d\sigma(\ell H \to \ell' X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dQ^2} = \frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{1}{y} \left( \frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y \right) \sum_a f_{1a/H}(x_B) \, \sigma \left( \gamma^*(Q^2) a \to a \right) \\
= \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{Q^4} \frac{1}{y} \left( \frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y \right) \, f_{1a/H}(x_B) \, \delta \left( \frac{s}{Q^2} x_B y - 1 \right),$$
(4.49)

which is quite analogous to the situation in the Drell-Yan process.

#### 4.5 Inclusion of longitudinal gluon contributions

We will consider in this section the inclusion of diagrams with gluons connecting the soft and hard part (see fig. 4.2).

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_1;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} \, \frac{d^4\eta}{(2\pi)^4} \, e^{i\,k_1\cdot\xi + i(k-k_1)\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_j(0)\,gA^{\alpha}(\eta)\psi_i(\xi)|P,S\rangle \tag{4.50}$$

(satisfying  $\gamma_0 \Phi_A^{\alpha\dagger}(k,k_1)\gamma_0 = \Phi_A^{\alpha}(k_1,k)$ ), and

$$\Delta^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_1;P_h,S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \, d^4\eta \, e^{i\,k_1\cdot(\xi-\eta)+i\,k\cdot\eta} \langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)\,A^{\alpha}_{_T}(\eta)\,a^{\dagger}_h a_h\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle, \tag{4.51}$$

(satisfying  $\gamma_0 \Delta_A^{\alpha\dagger}(k, k_1)\gamma_0 = \Delta_A^{\alpha}(k_1, k)$ ). Performing the integrations  $dk^- d^2 \mathbf{k}_T$  and  $dk_1^- d^2 \mathbf{k}_{1T}$  one finds, using  $k^+ = x P^+$  and  $k_1^+ = y P^+$ , the lightcone correlation functions corresponding to multiparton matrix elements, e.g.

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(x,y) \equiv P^{+} \int dk^{-} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \, dk_{1}^{-} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{1T} \, \Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_{1};P,S) 
= P^{+} \int \frac{d\xi^{-}}{2\pi} \frac{d\eta^{-}}{2\pi} \, e^{i\,k_{1}\cdot(\xi-\eta)+ik\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)\,gA^{\alpha}(\eta)\psi_{i}(\xi)|P,S\rangle\Big|_{LC},$$
(4.52)



Figure 4.2: The quark-quark-gluon correlation functions



Figure 4.3: Quark-quark-gluon correlation functions in lepton-hadron scattering

where the subscript *LC* refers to 'lightcone',  $\xi^+ = \eta^+ = \xi_\tau = \eta_\tau = 0$ . Whatever way one parametrizes the above matrix elements, it is clear that in a process the index  $\alpha$  being + requires a + component of one of the vectors of the soft part (*P*, *S*), which are of order *Q* after expanding in  $n_{\pm}$  as discussed in the previous chapters. These thus give the dominant contribution. We will analyse them first for lepton-hadron scattering. We obtain four contributions as given in figure 4.3. Two of them have gluons connected to the lower soft part (the hadron  $\rightarrow$  quark part), the others gluons connected to the upper soft part (the quark  $\rightarrow$  hadron part). Including the contribution of the handbag one has

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \, \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \Phi(p)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)\gamma_{\nu} \right] \\ - \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, d^{4}p_{1} \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \left\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\alpha} \, \frac{(\not{k}-\not{p}_{1}+m)}{(k-p_{1})^{2}-m^{2}+i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\nu} \Phi^{\alpha}_{A}(p,p-p_{1})\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k) \right] \\ + \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\mu} \, \frac{(\not{k}-\not{p}_{1}+m)}{(k-p_{1})^{2}-m^{2}-i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\alpha}\Delta(k)\gamma_{\nu} \Phi^{\alpha}_{A}(p-p_{1},p) \right] \right\} \\ - \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, d^{4}k_{1} \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \left\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\nu} \, \frac{(\not{p}-\not{k}_{1}+m)}{(p-k_{1})^{2}-m^{2}+i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\alpha}\Phi(p)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta^{\alpha}_{A}(k-k_{1},k) \right] \\ + \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\alpha} \, \frac{(\not{p}-\not{k}_{1}+m)}{(p-k_{1})^{2}-m^{2}-i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\mu}\Delta^{\alpha}_{A}(k,k-k_{1})\gamma_{\nu}\Phi(p) \right] \right\}.$$

$$(4.53)$$

[Note that we have for a quark-quark-gluon blob used momentum  $p_1$  (or  $k_1$ ) for the gluon and  $p - p_1$  (or  $k - k_1$ ) for the quark. This is easier to extend when we consider multiple gluon correlation functions.] In the remainder of this section we will often omit the standard integration  $\int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k)$ . The momenta  $p_1$  and  $k_1$  connected to the soft hadronic parts are parametrized according to

$$p = \left[p^{-}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}\right], \qquad p_{1} = \left[p_{1}^{-}, \frac{x_{1}Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_{1T}\right], \qquad p - k_{1} = \left[-z_{1}\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ldots\right], \quad (4.54)$$

$$k = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, k^{+}, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}\right], \qquad k_{1} = \left[\frac{z_{1}Q}{\sqrt{2}}, k_{1}^{+}, \boldsymbol{k}_{1T}\right], \qquad k - p_{1} = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -x_{1}\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \dots\right], \quad (4.55)$$

The momentum appearing in the extra fermion propagator is  $p - p_1 + q = k - p_1$  with  $(k - p_1)^2 = -x_1 Q^2$ , or  $k - k_1 - q = p - k_1$  with  $(p - k_1)^2 = -z_1 Q^2$ . Thus one has in leading order in 1/Q,

$$\frac{\not k - \not p_1 + m}{(k - p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} = \frac{\gamma^-}{Q\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\gamma^+}{(-x_1 + i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\gamma_{_T} \cdot (k_{_T} - p_{_1T}) - m}{(-x_1 + i\epsilon)Q^2},$$
(4.56)

$$\frac{\not p - k_1 + m}{(p - k_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} = \frac{\gamma^+}{Q\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\gamma^-}{(-z_1 + i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\gamma_T \cdot (p_T - k_{1T}) - m}{(-z_1 + i\epsilon)Q^2}.$$
(4.57)

This can be used to consider separately the contributions of transverse  $(A_T^{\alpha})$  and longitudinal  $(A^+)$  gluons. For the transverse gluons, the trace of the first gluonic contribution becomes

 $-\int d^4 p_1 \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\alpha} \frac{\not k - \not p_1 + m}{(k - p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \gamma_{\nu} \Phi^{\alpha}_A(p, p - p_1) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \right]$ 

$$\int \frac{d^4 p_1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \int d^4 \eta \ e^{i (p-p_1)\cdot\xi + i p_1\cdot\eta} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_\alpha \gamma^-}{Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_\nu \ g A^\alpha_{\scriptscriptstyle T}(\eta) \ \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle,$$

which starts off at order 1/Q and at this order requires leading parts from  $\Phi_A^{\alpha}$  (proportional to  $P_+ \Phi_A^{\alpha} P_-$ ) and leading parts from  $\Delta$  (proportional to  $P_- \Delta P_+$ ). As  $\{\gamma^-, \gamma_T^{\alpha}\} = 0$  and  $\gamma^- P_+ = P_- \gamma^- = 0$  only the  $\gamma^- = P_+ \gamma^- P_-$  part in Eq. 4.56 contributes. This term is independent of any of the components of  $p_1$ , and we thus can immediately consider the distributions  $\int d^4 p_1 \Phi_A^{\alpha}(p, p - p_1)$ , or explicitly

$$\int d^{4}\xi \ e^{i p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_{\alpha} \gamma^{-}}{Q \sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} g A^{\alpha}_{T}(\xi) \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle.$$
(4.58)

This contribution will be studied in the next section. Note that it can be written in terms of the covariant derivative as

$$\int d^{4}\xi \ e^{i p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_{\alpha} \gamma^{-}}{Q \sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} i D_{T}^{\alpha}(\xi) \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle$$
$$- p_{T}^{\alpha} \int d^{4}\xi \ e^{i p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_{\alpha} \gamma^{-}}{Q \sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle.$$
(4.59)

In this section we consider next the contributions of longitudinal gluons  $(A^+)$ . They lead to traces of the form

$$-\int d^4p_1 \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma^- \frac{\not k - \not p_1 + m}{(k - p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \gamma_\nu \Phi_A^+(p, p - p_1) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \right]$$

The first term in Eq. 4.56 does not contribute. The second term contributes at  $\mathscr{O}(1)$  as the dominant contribution in  $\Phi_A^+$  is the part projected out by  $\int dp_1^- P_+ \Phi_A^+ P_-$  which is of  $\mathscr{O}(Q)$ . Explicitly, we get for the first correction in Eq. 4.53

$$-\int \frac{d^4 p_1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \int d^4 \eta \ e^{i \, (p-p_1) \cdot \xi + i \, p_1 \cdot \eta} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \gamma^- \frac{\gamma^+}{(x_1 - i\epsilon) \, Q \sqrt{2}} \gamma_\nu \ g A^+(\eta) \ \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle$$

$$= \int \frac{dx_1}{2\pi} \int d^4 \xi \int d\eta^- \ \frac{e^{i \, x_1 \, p^+(\eta^- - \xi^-)}}{x_1 - i\epsilon} \ e^{i \, p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \ \frac{\gamma^- \gamma^+}{2} \gamma_\nu \ g A^+(\eta) \ \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle \Big| \qquad \eta^+ = \xi^+ \eta_T = \xi_T$$

$$= \int d^4 \xi \int d\eta^- \ \theta(\eta^- - \xi^-) \ e^{i \, p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \ P_+ \gamma_\nu \ i g A^+(\eta^-) \ \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle$$

$$= -\int d^4 \xi \ e^{i \, p \cdot \xi} \ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \ P_+ \gamma_\nu \ i g \int_{\infty}^{\xi^-} d\eta^- A^+(\eta^-) \ \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle. \tag{4.60}$$

The second term in Eq. 4.53 gives

$$-\int d^4 p_1 \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\mu} \frac{(\not k - \not p_1 + m)}{(k - p_1)^2 - m^2 - i\epsilon} \gamma^- \Delta(k) \gamma_{\nu} \Phi_A^+(p - p_1, p) \right]$$
  
$$= \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i p \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \ ig \int_{\infty}^0 d\eta^- A^+(\eta^-) \gamma_{\mu} P_- \Delta(k) \gamma_{\nu} \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle$$
(4.61)

The last two terms in Eq. 4.53 give

$$-\int d^{4}k_{1} \Biggl\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\nu} \frac{(\not p - \not k_{1} + m)}{(p - k_{1})^{2} - m^{2} + i\epsilon} \gamma^{+} \Phi(p) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta_{A}^{-}(k_{1}, k) \right] \\ + \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma^{+} \frac{(\not p - \not k_{1} + m)}{(p - k_{1})^{2} - m^{2} - i\epsilon} \gamma_{\mu} \Delta_{A}^{-}(k, k - k_{1}) \gamma_{\nu} \Phi(p) \right] \Biggr\} \\ = \int d^{4}\xi \ e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \Biggl\{ \operatorname{Tr} \langle 0|\psi(\xi) \, a_{h}^{\dagger} a_{h} \, ig \int_{-\infty}^{0} d\eta^{+} \, A^{-}(\eta^{+}) \, \overline{\psi}(0) \, \gamma_{\nu} \, P_{+} \, \Phi(p) \, \gamma_{\mu} | 0 \rangle \\ - \operatorname{Tr} \langle 0|\psi(\xi) \, ig \int_{-\infty}^{\xi^{+}} d\eta^{+} \, A^{-}(\eta^{+}) \, a_{h}^{\dagger} a_{h} \, \overline{\psi}(0) \, \gamma_{\nu} \, \Phi(p) \, P_{-} \, \gamma_{\mu} | 0 \rangle \Biggr\}.$$

The result of multiple  $A^+$ - or  $A^-$ -gluons together with the tree-level result gives in leading order in 1/Q (when the projectors  $P_+$  and  $P_-$  don't matter) the exponentiated path-ordered result

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \, \operatorname{Tr}\left[\Phi(p)\gamma_\mu \Delta(k)\gamma_\nu\right] \tag{4.62}$$

with

$$\Phi_{ij}(p,P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i p \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \mathscr{U}(0,\infty;0_T) \ \mathscr{U}(\infty,\xi^-;\xi_T) \psi_i(\xi) | P, S \rangle, \tag{4.63}$$

$$\Delta_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{ik \cdot \xi} \ \langle 0|\mathscr{U}(-\infty, \xi^+; \xi_T)\psi_i(\xi) \ a_h^{\dagger} a_h \ \overline{\psi}_j(0)\mathscr{U}(0, -\infty; 0_T)|0\rangle.$$
(4.64)

Provided we assume that matrix elements containing bilocal operators  $\overline{\psi}(0) A_T(\eta^{\pm} = \mp \infty, \eta_T) \psi(\xi)$  vanish for physical states, the above links can be connected resulting in a color gauge-invariant matrix element that must be used in the definition of the correlation functions.

Before considering the transverse gluons let us check the case of two  $A^+$  gluons. For instance considering a gauge choice  $A^- = 0$ , one needs only to consider the absorption of the  $A^+$  gluons in the 'distribution' part. Dressing the diagram leading to the first of the four terms above with another 'parallel' gluon one obtains a contribution

$$\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{d^{4}p_{1}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \frac{d^{4}p_{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}\xi \int d^{4}\eta_{1} \, d^{4}\eta_{2} \, e^{i \, (p-p_{1}-p_{2})\cdot\xi+i \, p_{1}\cdot\eta_{1}+i \, p_{2}\cdot\eta_{2}} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)\gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma^{+}}{(x_{2}-i\epsilon) \, Q\sqrt{2}} \, \gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma^{+}}{(x_{1}+x_{2}-i\epsilon) \, Q\sqrt{2}} \, \gamma_{\nu} \, gA^{+}(\eta_{2}) \, gA^{+}(\eta_{1}) \, \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle \\ = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{dx_{1}}{2\pi} \frac{dx_{2}}{2\pi} \int d^{4}\xi \int d\eta_{1}^{-} \, d\eta_{2}^{-} \, \frac{e^{i \, (x_{1}+x_{2})p^{+}(\eta^{-}-\xi^{-})} \, e^{i \, x_{2}p^{+}(\eta^{-}-\eta^{-})}}{(x_{1}+x_{2}-i\epsilon) \, (x_{2}-i\epsilon)} \, e^{i \, p \cdot \xi} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k) P_{+}^{2} \, \gamma_{\nu} \, gA^{+}(\eta_{2}) \, gA^{+}(\eta_{1}) \, \psi(\xi) | P, S \rangle. \tag{4.65}$$

The integration over  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  gives

$$i\theta(\eta_1^- - \xi^-) \, i\theta(\eta_2^- - \eta_1^-),$$
 (4.66)

leading to the path ordering.

### Chapter 5

## Gluon fields and correlation functions

#### 5.1 Quark-gluon correlation functions

For the analysis beyond the twist two level, it is necessary to include quark-gluon correlation functions. We define

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_1;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} \, \frac{d^4\eta}{(2\pi)^4} \, e^{i\,k_1\cdot(\xi-\eta)+ik\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_j(0)\,gA^{\alpha}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}(\eta)\psi_i(\xi)|P,S\rangle \tag{5.1}$$

(satisfying  $\gamma_0 \Phi_A^{\alpha\dagger}(k, k_1)\gamma_0 = \Phi_A^{\alpha}(k_1, k)$ ). Performing the integrations  $dk^- d^2 \mathbf{k}_T$  and  $dk_1^- d^2 \mathbf{k}_{1T}$  one finds, using  $k^+ = x P^+$  and  $k_1^+ = y P^+$ , the lightcone correlation functions corresponding to multiparton matrix elements,

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(x,y) \equiv P^{+} \int dk^{-} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \, dk_{1}^{-} \, d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{1T} \, \Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_{1};P,S) 
= P^{+} \int \frac{d\xi^{-}}{2\pi} \frac{d\eta^{-}}{2\pi} \, e^{i\,k_{1}\cdot(\xi-\eta)+ik\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)\,gA^{\alpha}_{T}(\eta)\psi_{i}(\xi)|P,S\rangle \Big|_{LC},$$
(5.2)

where the subscript *LC* refers to 'lightcone',  $\xi^+ = \eta^+ = \xi_T = \eta_T = 0$ . Up to the twist three level it is often not necessary to consider this general three-field matrix element, but it is sufficient to consider the bilocal matrix elements obtained after integration over  $d^4k_1$ ,

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k;P,S) = \int \frac{d^{4}\xi}{(2\pi)^{4}} e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)\,gA^{\alpha}_{T}(\xi)\psi_{i}(\xi)|P,S\rangle 
= \int d^{4}k_{1}\,\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_{1};P,S),$$
(5.3)
$$(\gamma_{0}\Phi^{\alpha\dagger}_{A}\gamma_{0})_{ij}(k;P,S) = \int \frac{d^{4}\xi}{(2\pi)^{4}}\,e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)\,gA^{\alpha}_{T}(0)\psi_{i}(\xi)|P,S\rangle 
= \int d^{4}k_{1}\,\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k_{1},k;P,S).$$
(5.4)



Figure 5.1: The quark-quark-gluon correlation function

We already mention here a third possible bilocal matrix element,

$$\Phi_{A\,ij}^{\prime\alpha}(k;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S | \overline{\psi}_j(0)\psi_i(0) g A_T^{\alpha}(\xi) | P,S \rangle \\
= \int d^4k_1 \, \Phi_{A\,ij}^{\alpha}(k+k_1,k_1;P,S).$$
(5.5)

One-argument lightcone correlation functions are obtained after integration over  $dk^- d^2 k_T$ ,

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(x) \equiv \int dk^- \, d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \,\, \Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k; P, S).$$
(5.6)

A factor  $P^+$  has been included in the definition of  $\Phi^{\alpha}_A(x, y)$ , such that one has for the one-argument lightcone correlation functions  $\Phi^{\alpha}_A(x) = \int dy \, \Phi^{\alpha}_A(x, y)$ , etc. First, as before the same constraints as before from parity and time reversal invariance can be used. Including only terms that potentially contribute at the twist three level one obtains using only parity the general form

$$F^{\alpha}(k,P,S) = C_{1}Pk_{\perp}^{\alpha} + MC_{2}[\gamma^{\alpha},P] + (C_{3}/M)[P,\not{k}_{\perp}]k_{\perp}^{\alpha} + iC_{4}\epsilon_{\nu\rho\sigma}^{\alpha}\gamma^{\nu}\gamma_{5}P^{\rho}k_{\perp}^{\sigma} + MC_{5}P\gamma_{5}S_{\perp}^{\alpha} + (C_{6}/M)P\gamma_{5}k_{\perp}^{\alpha}(k\cdot S) + C_{7}[P,\gamma^{\alpha}]\gamma_{5}(k\cdot S) + C_{8}[\not{k}_{\perp},P]\gamma_{5}S^{\alpha} + C_{9}[\not{\beta}_{\perp},P]\gamma_{5}k_{\perp}^{\alpha} + (C_{10}/M^{2})[\not{k}_{\perp},P]\gamma_{5}k_{\perp}^{\alpha}(k\cdot S) + iMC_{11}\epsilon_{\nu\rho\sigma}^{\alpha}\gamma^{\nu}P^{\rho}S_{\perp}^{\sigma} + i(C_{12}/M)\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\gamma^{\mu}P^{\nu}k_{\perp}^{\rho}S_{\perp}^{\sigma}k_{\perp}^{\alpha} + i(C_{13}/M)\epsilon_{\nu\rho\sigma}^{\alpha}\gamma^{\nu}P^{\rho}k_{\perp}^{\sigma}(k\cdot S)$$

$$(5.7)$$

$$F^{\alpha\dagger}(k,P,S) = \gamma_0 \Big( C_1^* \not P k_{\perp}^{\alpha} - M C_2^* [\gamma^{\alpha}, \not P] + \dots \Big) \gamma_0.$$

$$(5.8)$$

All amplitudes only depend on  $P \cdot k$  and  $k^2$ . By choosing our conventions such that the Dirac structures multiplying  $C_2$ ,  $C_3$ ,  $C_4$ , and  $C_{11}$ ,  $C_{12}$ ,  $C_{13}$  are antihermitean ( $\Gamma^{\dagger} = -\gamma_0 \Gamma \gamma_0$ ) and hermitean ( $\Gamma^{\dagger} = \gamma_0 \Gamma \gamma_0$ ) otherwise, all amplitudes are real when time reversal invariance applies.

Before starting with the twist-analysis we will discuss the issue of color gauge invariance. First of all, we of course need to employ correlation functions containing the covariant derivative  $i D_{\mu}(\xi) = i\partial_{\mu} + g A_{\mu}(\xi)$  and field strength tensor  $G_{\rho\sigma}(\xi) = (i/g)[D_{\rho}(\xi), D_{\sigma}(\xi)]$  instead of the  $A_{\mu}$  fields. These are

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{D\,ij}(k,k_1;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} \, \frac{d^4\eta}{(2\pi)^4} \, e^{i\,k_1\cdot(\xi-\eta) + ik\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_j(0)\,iD^{\alpha}(\eta)\psi_i(\xi)|P,S\rangle,\tag{5.9}$$

and

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{G\,ij}(k,k_1;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{d^4\eta}{(2\pi)^4} e^{i\,k_1\cdot(\xi-\eta)+ik\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_j(0)\,gG^{+\alpha}(\eta)\psi_i(\xi)|P,S\rangle,\tag{5.10}$$

and as before the lightcone correlation functions

$$\Phi_{D\,ij}^{\alpha}(x,y) = \int \frac{d\xi^{-}}{2\pi} \frac{d\eta^{-}}{2\pi} e^{i\,k_{1}\cdot(\xi-\eta)+ik\cdot\eta} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_{j}(0)\,iD^{\alpha}(\eta)\psi_{i}(\xi)|P,S\rangle \bigg|_{LC},$$
(5.11)

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{G\,ij}(x,y) = \int \frac{d\xi^-}{2\pi} \left. \frac{d\eta^-}{2\pi} \, e^{i\,k_1 \cdot (\xi-\eta) + ik \cdot \eta} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \, g G^{+\alpha}(\eta) \psi_i(\xi) | P, S \rangle \right|_{LC}. \tag{5.12}$$

Bilocal correlation functions are again obtained after integration over one momentum,

$$\Phi_{D\,ij}^{\alpha}(k;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_j(0)\,iD_T^{\alpha}(\xi)\psi_i(\xi)|P,S\rangle$$
$$= \int d^4k_1 \,\Phi_{D\,ij}^{\alpha}(k,k_1;P,S).$$
(5.13)

and the function

$$\Phi_{G\,ij}^{\prime\alpha}(k;P,S) = \int \frac{d^4\xi}{(2\pi)^4} e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|\overline{\psi}_j(0)\,\psi_i(0)\,G^{+\alpha}(\xi)|P,S\rangle. \\
= \int d^4k_1\,\Phi_{G\,ij}^{\alpha}(k+k_1,k_1;P,S) = -ik^+ \int d^4k_1\,\Phi_{A\,ij}^{\alpha}(k+k_1,k_1;P,S). \quad (5.14)$$

The above expressions (without link) are only useful in the gauge  $A^+ = 0$ , in which case the relation between  $A_T^{\alpha}$  and  $G^{+\alpha}$  is simple,  $G^{+\alpha} = \partial^+ A_T^{\alpha} = \partial_- A_T^{\alpha}$ . Possible inversions are (only considering the dependence on the minus component),

$$A_{T}^{\alpha}(\eta^{-}) = A_{T}^{\alpha}(\infty) - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\zeta^{-} \ \theta(\zeta^{-} - \eta^{-}) \ G^{+\alpha}(\zeta^{-})$$
  
$$= A_{T}^{\alpha}(-\infty) + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\zeta^{-} \ \theta(\eta^{-} - \zeta^{-}) \ G^{+\alpha}(\zeta^{-})$$
  
$$= \frac{A_{T}^{\alpha}(\infty) + A_{T}^{\alpha}(-\infty)}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\zeta^{-} \ \epsilon(\zeta^{-} - \eta^{-}) \ G^{+\alpha}(\zeta^{-})$$
(5.15)

or using the representation for the  $\theta$ -function,

$$\pm i\,\theta(\pm\xi) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \,\frac{e^{ik\xi}}{k\mp i\epsilon}, \qquad i\,\epsilon(\xi) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi}\,\mathrm{PP}\frac{e^{ik\xi}}{k},\tag{5.16}$$

one obtains (omitting the hadron momenta and spin vectors)

$$\Phi_{A}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}) = \delta(k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}) \Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}) + \frac{i}{k^{+} - k_{1}^{+} - i\epsilon} \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}) 
= \delta(k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}) \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}) + \frac{i}{k^{+} - k_{1}^{+} + i\epsilon} \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}) 
= \delta(k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}) \frac{\Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}) + \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1})}{2} + \operatorname{PP} \frac{i}{k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}} \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(k,k_{1}), \quad (5.17)$$

where

$$\delta(k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}) \Phi^{\alpha}_{A(\pm\infty)\,ij}(k,k_{1}) \\ \equiv \int \frac{d^{4}\xi}{(2\pi)^{4}} \frac{d^{4}\eta}{(2\pi)^{4}} e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} e^{i\,(k-k_{1})\cdot\eta} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) g A^{\alpha}_{T}(\pm\infty,\eta^{+},\eta_{T}) \psi_{i}(\xi) | P, S \rangle, \quad (5.18)$$

and

$$\delta(k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}) \left[ \Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(k, k_{1}) - \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(k, k_{1}) \right] = 2\pi \,\delta(k^{+} - k_{1}^{+}) \,\Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(k, k_{1}) \tag{5.19}$$

The constraints following from hermiticity, parity and time-reversal are the following,

$$\Phi_D^{\alpha \dagger}(k, k_1; P, S) = \gamma_0 \, \Phi_D^{\alpha}(k_1, k; P, S) \gamma_0, \tag{5.20}$$

$$\Phi_D^{\alpha}(k,k_1;P,S) = \gamma_0 \, \Phi_{D\alpha}(\bar{k},\bar{k}_1;\bar{P},-\bar{S})\gamma_0, \qquad (5.21)$$

$$\Phi_D^{\alpha*}(k,k_1;P,S) = (-i\gamma_5 C) \Phi_{D\alpha}(\bar{k},\bar{k}_1;\bar{P},\bar{S})(-i\gamma_5 C).$$
(5.22)

Similar properties hold for  $\Phi_A$  and with a minus sign for the last relation (time reversal) also for  $\Phi_G$ . We note the following for the boundary condition terms defined in Eq. 5.18 under time-reversal:

$$(2\pi)\,\delta(k^+ - k_1^+)\,\Phi^{\alpha*}_{A(\infty)}(P,S;k,k_1) = (2\pi)\,\delta(\bar{k}^+ - \bar{k}_1^+)\,(-i\gamma_5 C)\,\Phi^{\alpha}_{A(-\infty)}(\bar{P},\bar{S};\bar{k},\bar{k}_1)\,(-i\gamma_5 C).$$
(5.23)

This is the consequence of the fact that the point  $\eta^- = \infty$  is defined by  $\eta \cdot n_+ = \infty$ , which after time reversal transforms into the point  $\eta \cdot \bar{n}_+ = -\infty$ . Since the component  $\bar{\eta}^-$  is not integrated over the minus sign is not removed by a change of variables as is the case in  $\Phi_A(k, k_1)$  (analoguously to the case spelled out for  $\Phi$  in the first paragraph of chapter 2). Thus we see that the left and right sides of Eqs 5.17 are consistent.

Integrating over  $dk^- d^2 k_T$  and  $dk_1^- d^2 k_{1T}$  one finds

$$\Phi_{A}^{\alpha}(x,y) = \delta(x-y) \Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) + \frac{i}{x-y-i\epsilon} \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(x,y)$$

$$= \delta(x-y) \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) + \frac{i}{x-y+i\epsilon} \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(x,y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \delta(x-y) \underbrace{\Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) + \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(x)}_{\equiv 2\pi \Phi_{BC}^{\alpha}(x)} + \operatorname{PP} \frac{i}{x-y} \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(x,y), \qquad (5.24)$$
where

$$\delta(x-y) \Phi^{\alpha}_{A(\pm\infty)\,ij}(x) = P^{+} \int \frac{d\xi^{-}}{2\pi} \frac{d\eta^{-}}{2\pi} e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} e^{i\,(k-k_{1})\cdot\eta} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) g A^{\alpha}_{T}(\pm\infty,0,\mathbf{0}_{T})\psi_{i}(\xi) | P, S \rangle \bigg|_{LC}$$
(5.25)

$$\delta(x-y) \underbrace{\left[\Phi^{\alpha}_{A(\infty)}(x) - \Phi^{\alpha}_{A(-\infty)}(x)\right]}_{2\pi \Phi^{\alpha}_{G}(x,x)} = 2\pi \,\delta(x-y) \,\Phi^{\alpha}_{G}(x,y).$$
(5.26)

We note that the constraints from hermiticity, parity and time reversal relate functions at different momenta. However, for the lightcone fractions x and y the same fraction appears right and left since they are expansions of quark momenta in hadron momenta,  $k = x P + \ldots$  and  $\bar{k} = x \bar{P} + \ldots$ , all of which become bar-ed. Further, we note that if  $\Phi_G(x, x) \neq 0$  a pole appears in  $\Phi_A$ , hence the name 'gluonic pole'.

In order to define color gauge invariant functions it is necessary to include the link operator,

$$\mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi) = \mathcal{P}\exp\left(-ig\int_{\eta^-}^{\xi^-} d\zeta^{\mu} A_{\mu}(\zeta))\right),\tag{5.27}$$

where we will implicitly understand that the path runs along the minus direction with  $\xi^+ = \eta^+ = 0$  and  $\xi_T = \eta_T$ . Of course this means that relations hereafter need to be integrated over the minus components of the momenta. The path-ordered integral is defined as

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi) &= \mathcal{P}\exp\left(-ig\int_{0}^{1} ds \, \frac{d\zeta^{\mu}(s)}{ds} \, A_{\mu}(\zeta(s))\right) \\
&\equiv 1 - ig\int_{0}^{1} ds \, \frac{d\zeta^{\mu}(s)}{ds} \, A_{\mu}(\zeta(s)) \\
&+ (ig)^{2}\int_{0}^{1} ds_{1} \, \frac{d\zeta^{\mu}(s)}{ds_{1}} \, A_{\mu}(\zeta(s_{1})) \int_{s_{1}}^{1} ds_{2} \, \frac{d\zeta^{\mu}(s_{2})}{ds_{2}} \, A_{\mu}(\zeta(s_{2})) + \mathcal{O}(g^{3}), \quad (5.28)
\end{aligned}$$

where  $\zeta(s)$  is a path running from  $\eta = \zeta(0)$  to  $\xi = \zeta(1)$ . The path ordered exponential is just the (infinite) product of infinitesimal link operators of the form

$$\mathcal{U}(\xi, \xi + d\xi) = 1 - ig \, d\xi^{\mu} A_{\mu}(\xi).$$
(5.29)

From this infinitesimal form one checks that a counter-clockwise plaquette of four links, is given by

$$U(\xi,\xi+d\xi)U(\xi+d\xi,\xi+d\xi+d\eta)U(\xi+d\xi+d\eta,\xi+d\eta)U(\xi+d\eta,\xi) = 1 - ig\,d\xi^{\rho}d\eta^{\sigma}\,G_{\rho\sigma}(\xi).$$
 (5.30)

From the infinitesimal forms of links and plaquettes the following properties follow

$$i\partial_{\xi}^{+}\mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi) = \mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi)\,iD^{+}(\xi) \tag{5.31}$$

$$iD_{T}^{\alpha}(\eta)\mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi) = \mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi) iD_{T}^{\alpha}(\xi) + \int_{\eta^{-}}^{\xi^{-}} d\zeta^{-}\mathcal{U}(\eta,\zeta) \left[iD^{+}(\zeta), iD_{T}^{\alpha}(\zeta)\right] \mathcal{U}(\zeta,\xi)$$
$$= \mathcal{U}(\eta,\xi) iD_{T}^{\alpha}(\xi) + ig \int_{\eta^{-}}^{\xi^{-}} d\zeta^{-}\mathcal{U}(\eta,\zeta) G^{+\alpha}(\zeta) \mathcal{U}(\zeta,\xi),$$
(5.32)

where  $\alpha = 1,2$  (transverse), and hence along the link (where  $\zeta_T = \xi_T$ )  $iD_T^{\alpha}(\zeta) = i\partial_{\xi}^{\alpha} + gA_T^{\alpha}(\zeta)$ . Including links we start with the gauge invariant definition of  $\Phi_{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$ ,

$$\Phi_{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^2 \boldsymbol{\xi}_T}{(2\pi)^3} \left. e^{ik \cdot \xi} \left\langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \mathcal{U}(0, \infty) \mathcal{U}(\infty, \xi) \psi_i(\xi) | P, S \right\rangle \right|_{\xi^+ = 0}.$$
(5.33)

A note can be made at this point about the behavior of the correlation functions with a link (to be discussed in more detail below). Under time reversal the correlation function  $\Phi_{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$  will not transform into itself, but the link will run via  $\xi^- = -\infty$  instead of  $\xi^- = \infty$ . Only when the matrix element in Eq. 5.18 vanishes or after integration over transverse momenta time reversal can be used to constrain the

parametrization of  $\Phi$  and similarly other correlation functions. Multiplying the correlation function with the quark momentum we obtain,

$$k^{\mu} \Phi_{ij}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int \frac{d\xi^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle P, s | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) \mathcal{U}(0, \infty) i \partial^{\mu} \mathcal{U}(\infty, \xi) \psi_{i}(\xi) | P, S \rangle \bigg|_{\xi^{+} = 0},$$
(5.34)

where  $i\partial^{\mu}$  can be read as  $i \partial_{0}^{\mu}$  or  $i \partial_{\xi}^{\mu}$ . Depending on the Lorentz index of the derivative, one can use the link relations given before to rewrite the derivative in terms of correlation functions containing the covariant derivative,

$$\left(\Phi_D^{\alpha}\right)_{ij}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \frac{d\xi^{-}d^2\boldsymbol{\xi}_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^3} \left. e^{i\,\boldsymbol{k}\cdot\boldsymbol{\xi}} \langle \boldsymbol{P},\boldsymbol{S} | \overline{\psi}_j(0)\,\mathcal{U}(0,\infty)\,\mathcal{U}(\infty,\boldsymbol{\xi})\,iD_T^{\alpha}(\boldsymbol{\xi})\psi_i(\boldsymbol{\xi}) | \boldsymbol{P},\boldsymbol{S} \rangle \right|_{\boldsymbol{\xi}^+=0}.$$
(5.35)

First of all, one of the correlation functions (with covariant derivative) is trivial. Because of the choice of link, which lies along the minus direction in the point  $\xi$  (except for the points  $\xi^- = \infty$ ), one has for the +-component the relation

$$k^{+} \Phi_{ij}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{ik \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) \mathcal{U}(0, \infty) \mathcal{U}(\infty, \xi) i D^{+} \psi_{i}(\xi) | P, S \rangle \bigg|_{\xi^{+} = 0}.$$
(5.36)

For the transverse component one finds

$$k_{T}^{\alpha} \Phi_{ij}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = (\Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha})_{ij}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$= \int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2}\boldsymbol{\xi}_{T}}{(2\pi)^{3}} e^{i\boldsymbol{k}\cdot\boldsymbol{\xi}} \left\{ \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) \mathcal{U}(0, \infty) i D_{T}^{\alpha} \psi_{i}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\xi}^{+}=0} - (\Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha})_{ij}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}_{j}(0) \mathcal{U}(0, \infty) \int_{\infty}^{\boldsymbol{\xi}^{-}} d\eta^{-} \mathcal{U}(\infty, \eta) g G^{+\alpha}(\eta) \mathcal{U}(\eta, \boldsymbol{\xi}) \psi_{i}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{\boldsymbol{\xi}^{+}=0} \right\}.$$
(5.37)

Performing the  $k_{T}$  integration this leads to

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{\partial}(x) = \Phi^{\alpha}_{D}(x) - \Phi^{\alpha}_{A(\infty)}(x) - \int dy \ \frac{i}{x - y - i\epsilon} \Phi^{\alpha}_{G}(x, y) = \Phi^{\alpha}_{D}(x) - \Phi^{\alpha}_{A}(x).$$
(5.38)

The sensitivity to background gluonic fields appears through the boundary terms, i.e. the matrix elements  $\Phi_{A(\pm\infty)}^{\alpha[\Gamma]}(x)$ . We have already encountered the antisymmetric combination. We define also the symmetric combination. Thus

$$2\pi \Phi_{BC}^{\alpha}(x) = \left[ \Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) + \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) \right]$$
$$2\pi \Phi_{G}^{\alpha}(x,x) = \left[ \Phi_{A(\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) - \Phi_{A(-\infty)}^{\alpha}(x) \right]$$

where the important observation is that these two combinations have opposite behavior under time-reversal (even and odd, respectively). In later calculations we will typically see the following combination showing up,

$$\int dy \frac{x-y}{x-y-i\epsilon} \Phi_A(x,y) = \int dy \frac{i}{x-y-i\epsilon} \Phi_G(x,y)$$
$$= \Phi_D^{\alpha}(x) - \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha}(x) - \pi \Phi_{BC}^{\alpha}(x) - \pi \Phi_G^{\alpha}(x,x)$$

Considering the above as one object,  $\Phi_A^{\alpha(eff)}(x)$  one needs in the parametrization T-odd functions if  $\Phi_G^{\alpha}(x,x) \neq 0$ . It is consistent with the observation that the presence of links prohibits the use of T-reversal constraints for  $\Phi(x, \mathbf{k}_T)$ .

The projections obtained for the quark-gluon correlation functions with transverse gluon fields are not independent from the ones defined for the quark-quark correlation functions, either. They can be connected to quark-quark correlation functions with one good and one bad quark field using the QCD equation of motion,  $(iD - m)\psi(x) = 0$ . From this equation it is straightforward to derive the relations

$$iD^{\mu}\psi + \sigma^{\mu\nu}D_{\nu}\psi - m\gamma^{\mu}\psi = 0, \qquad (5.39)$$

$$i\gamma^{\mu}D^{\nu}\psi - i\gamma^{\nu}D^{\mu}\psi + im\,\sigma^{\mu\nu}\psi + i\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\gamma_{\sigma}\gamma_{5}\,iD_{\rho}\psi = 0.$$
(5.40)

or explicitly

$$iD^+\psi - i\sigma^{+-}iD^+\psi + i\sigma^{\alpha+}iD_{\alpha}\psi - m\gamma^+\psi = 0, \qquad (5.41)$$

$$\gamma^{+} i D^{\alpha} \psi - i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \gamma^{+} \gamma_{5} i D_{\beta} \psi = i m \sigma^{\alpha+} \psi + \gamma^{\alpha} i D^{+} \psi - i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \gamma_{\beta} \gamma_{5} i D^{+} \psi, \qquad (5.42)$$

where  $\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} = \epsilon^{-+\alpha\beta}$ . This immediately leads to the (T-even) relations

$$\Phi_{D\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha+}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \epsilon_{T\alpha\beta} \Phi_{D}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = i \left(Mx \, e - m \, f_{1}\right) + \epsilon_{Tij} \, k_{T}^{i} S_{T}^{j} \, x h_{T}^{\perp}$$

$$\Phi_{D\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = Mx \, h_{s} - m \, q_{1s},$$
(5.43)

$$\int_{D\alpha}^{[i\sigma \to \gamma_5]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = Mx \, h_s - m \, g_{1s}, \tag{5.44}$$

$$i(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \Phi_{D\beta}^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = k_{T}^{\alpha} x f^{\perp} - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} k_{T\beta} \left( x g_{s}^{\perp} - \frac{m}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp} \right)$$

$$- i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \left( M x g_{T}^{\prime} - m h_{1T} \right).$$

$$(5.45)$$

or including the T-odd possibilities

 $\Phi_D^{\alpha[\gamma]}$ 

$$\Phi_{D\,\alpha}^{\left[\sigma^{\alpha^{+}}\right]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \epsilon_{T\alpha\beta}\,\Phi_{D}^{\alpha\left[i\sigma^{\beta^{+}}\gamma_{5}\right]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = i\left(Mx\,e-m\,f_{1}-iMx\,h\right) \\ + \epsilon_{Tij}\,k_{T}^{i}S_{T}^{j}\left(xh_{T}^{\perp}+i\,\frac{m}{M}\,f_{1T}^{\perp}\right)$$
(5.46)

$$\Phi_{D\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = Mx\,h_{s} - m\,g_{1s} + i\,Mx\,e_{s}, \qquad (5.47)$$

$$\Phi_{D}^{\alpha[\gamma^{+}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}\,\Phi_{D\beta}^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = k_{T}^{\alpha}\left(xf^{\perp} + i\,\frac{m}{M}\,h_{1}^{\perp}\right) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}k_{T\beta}\left(xg_{s}^{\perp} - \frac{m}{M}\,h_{1s}^{\perp} - i\lambda\,x\,f_{L}^{\perp}\right) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{T\beta}\left(Mx\,g_{T}^{\prime} - m\,h_{1T} - iMx\,f_{T}\right). \qquad (5.48)$$

These relations for  $\Phi_D$  can actually be considered as defining relations for the twist three correlation functions, again including  $k_{T}$ -dependence. Integrating the  $k_{T}$ -dependence the most general form for  $\Phi_D^{\alpha}(x,y)$  actually is

$$\Phi_{D}^{\alpha}(x,y) = \frac{M}{2P^{+}} \Biggl\{ G_{D}(x,y) \, i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \not\!\!/_{+} + \tilde{G}_{D}(x,y) \, S_{T}^{\alpha} \, \gamma_{5} \not\!/_{+} \\ + H_{D}(x,y) \, \lambda \, \gamma_{5} \gamma_{T}^{\alpha} \not\!/_{+} + E_{D}(x,y) \, \gamma_{T}^{\alpha} \not\!/_{+} \Biggr\}.$$
(5.49)

with hermiticity leading to

$$G_D^*(x,y) = -G_D(y,x), (5.50)$$

$$G_D^*(x,y) = G_D(y,x),$$
 (5.51)

$$H_D^*(x,y) = H_D(y,x), (5.52)$$

$$E_D^*(x,y) = -E_D(y,x).$$
(5.53)

The equations of motion are then giving the relations

$$\int dy \ G_D(x,y) = G_D(x) = C(x) + ix \ f_T(x), \tag{5.54}$$

$$\int dy \; \tilde{G}_D(x,y) = \tilde{G}_D(x) = C(x) + x \, g_T(x) - \frac{m}{M} \, h_1(x), \tag{5.55}$$

$$2\int dy \ H_D(x,y) = 2 \ H_D(x) = x \ h_L(x) - \frac{m}{M} \ g_1(x) + ix \ e_L(x), \tag{5.56}$$

$$2\int dy \ E_D(x,y) = 2 \ E_D(x) = -x \ e(x) + \frac{m}{M} \ f_1(x) + ix \ h(x), \tag{5.57}$$

where the function C(x) cannot be given in terms of quark-quark correlation functions.

From  $\Phi_D$ , we can get  $\Phi_A$ , in essence as  $\Phi_A = \Phi_D - \Phi_\partial$ . For the T-even case this leads to

$$g\Phi_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha+1}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \epsilon_{T\alpha\beta} g\Phi_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$
  

$$\equiv iMx \,\tilde{e} + \epsilon_{Tij} \,k_{T}^{j} S_{T}^{j} \,x\tilde{h}_{T}^{\perp}$$
  

$$= i \,(Mx \,e - m \,f_{1}) - \epsilon_{Tij} \,k_{T}^{i} S_{T}^{j} \,(h_{1T} - xh_{T}^{\perp})$$
(5.58)

or  

$$g\Phi_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - g\Phi_{A}^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$\equiv i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} Mx \,\tilde{e} - \left(S_{T}^{\alpha}k_{T}^{\beta} - k_{T}^{\alpha}S_{T}^{\beta}\right) x\tilde{h}_{T}^{\perp},$$

$$= i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \left(Mx \,e - m \,f_{1}\right) + \left(S_{T}^{\alpha}k_{T}^{\beta} - k_{T}^{\alpha}S_{T}^{\beta}\right) \left(h_{1T} - xh_{T}^{\perp}\right),$$
(5.59)

$$g\Phi_{A\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \equiv Mx\,\tilde{h}_{s} = Mx\,h_{s} - m\,g_{1s} - (k_{T}\cdot S_{T})\,h_{1T} - \frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M}\,h_{1s}^{\perp},\tag{5.60}$$

$$g\Phi_{A}^{\alpha[\gamma^{+}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} g\Phi_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$\equiv k_{T}^{\alpha} x \tilde{f}^{\perp} - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} k_{T\beta} x \tilde{g}_{s}^{\perp} - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} M x \tilde{g}_{T}'$$

$$= k_{T}^{\alpha} (x f^{\perp} - f_{1}) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} k_{T\beta} \left( x g_{s}^{\perp} - g_{1s} - \frac{m}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp} \right) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \left( M x g_{T}' - m h_{1T} \right),$$
(5.61)

which are useful objects as they appear as soft quark-quark-gluon parts in a diagrammatic expansion of hard scattering processes. As the operators  $\Gamma$  used in  $\Phi_A^{\alpha[\Gamma]}$  are hermitean in the sense that  $\Gamma^{\dagger} = \gamma_0 \Gamma \gamma_0$  one has

$$(\gamma_0 \Phi_A^{\alpha \dagger} \gamma_0)^{[\Gamma]} = \left(\Phi_A^{\alpha [\Gamma]}\right)^*.$$
(5.62)

Integrated over  $\boldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$  the above relations become

$$g\Phi_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha+1}]}(x) = \epsilon_{\tau\alpha\beta} g\Phi_A^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_5]}(x) \equiv i Mx \,\tilde{e} = i \left(Mx \,e - m \,f_1\right), \tag{5.63}$$
  
or

$$g\Phi_A^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_5]}(x) - g\Phi_A^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_5]}(x) \equiv i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} Mx \,\tilde{e} = i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} \left(Mx \,e - m \,f_1\right), \tag{5.64}$$

$$g\Phi_{A\,\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = \lambda \, Mx \, \tilde{h}_{L} = \lambda \left( Mx \, h_{L} - m \, g_{1} + 2M \, h_{1L}^{\perp(1)} \right), \tag{5.65}$$

$$g\Phi_A^{\alpha[\gamma^+]}(x) - i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} g\Phi_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^+\gamma_5]}(x) \equiv -i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} Mx \,\tilde{g}_T = -i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \left(Mx \,g_T - m \,h_1 - M \,g_{1T}^{(1)}\right) (5.66)$$

where the upper index (1) denotes

$$f^{(1)}(x) = \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{2M^2} f(x, \mathbf{k}_T).$$
(5.67)

The tilde functions are precisely the parts vanishing for the free quark case. This was the way they have been introduced in chapter 2.

With the same parametrization for  $\Phi^{\alpha}_{A}(x, y)$  as the one for  $\Phi^{\alpha}_{D}(x, y)$  given above one obtains (including now the T-odd functions)

$$\int dy \ G_A(x,y) = G_A(x) = C(x) + ix \ f_T(x) + i \ f_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(x), \tag{5.68}$$

$$\int dy \ \tilde{G}_A(x,y) = \tilde{G}_A(x) = C(x) + x \, g_T(x) - \frac{m}{M} h_1(x) - g_{1T}^{(1)}(x), \tag{5.69}$$

$$2\int dy \ H_A(x,y) = 2 \ H_A(x) = x \ h_L(x) - \frac{m}{M} \ g_1(x) + 2 \ h_{1L}^{\perp(1)}(x) + ix \ e_L(x), \tag{5.70}$$

$$2\int dy \ E_A(x,y) = 2 \ E_A(x) = -x \ e(x) + \frac{m}{M} \ f_1(x) + ix \ h(x) + 2i \ h_1^{\perp(1)}(x).$$
(5.71)

For the antiquarks one needs to consider matrix elements

$$\overline{\Phi}^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{-i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|\psi_i(\xi)A^{\alpha}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}(\xi)\overline{\psi}_j(0)|P,S\rangle = -\Phi^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(-k,P,S), \quad (5.72)$$

$$(\gamma_0 \overline{\Phi}_A^{\alpha\dagger} \gamma_0)_{ij}(k, P, S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle P, S | \psi_i(\xi) \, A_T^{\alpha}(0) \overline{\psi}_j(0) | P, S \rangle.$$

$$(5.73)$$

For them one obtains, using for the nonlocal quark-quark matrix element

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{-ik\cdot\xi} \langle P, S|\psi_i(\xi)\mathcal{U}i\partial^\mu\mathcal{U}\overline{\psi}_j(0)|P,S\rangle = -k^\mu\overline{\Phi}_{ij}(k,P,S)$$
(5.74)

(where  $i\partial^{\mu}$  can be read as  $i \stackrel{\leftarrow}{\partial_{\xi}^{\mu}} \text{ or } i \stackrel{\rightarrow}{\partial_{0}^{\mu}}$ ) and the equations of motion, the relations

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha^{-}}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = -\epsilon_{\tau\alpha\beta} g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta^{-}}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$
$$= i \left(Mx \,\overline{e} - m \,\overline{f}_{1}\right) - \epsilon_{\tau i j} \,k_{T}^{i} S_{T}^{j} \left(\overline{h}_{1T} - x \overline{h}_{T}^{\perp}\right)$$
(5.75)

or  

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta-}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_{5}]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$(5.76)$$

$$= -i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} \left( Mx \,\overline{e} - m \,\overline{f}_1 \right) - \left( S_T^{\alpha} k_T^{\beta} - k_T^{\alpha} S_T^{\beta} \right) \left( \overline{h}_{1T} - x \overline{h}_T^{\perp} \right), \tag{5.76}$$

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A\,\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_5]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = -Mx\,\overline{h}_s + m\,\overline{g}_{1s} + (k_T\cdot S_T)\,\overline{h}_{1T} + \frac{k_T^2}{M}\,\overline{h}_{1s}^{\perp},$$

$$\overline{\mathbf{x}}^{\alpha[\gamma^-]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_T) = -Mx\,\overline{h}_s + m\,\overline{g}_{1s} + (k_T\cdot S_T)\,\overline{h}_{1T} + \frac{k_T^2}{M}\,\overline{h}_{1s}^{\perp},$$
(5.77)

$$g\Phi_{A}^{\alpha} \stackrel{i}{} \stackrel{i}{} (x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} g\Phi_{A\beta}^{\alpha} \stackrel{i}{} \stackrel{i}{} \stackrel{i}{} (x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$

$$= -k_{T}^{\alpha} (x\overline{f}^{\perp} - \overline{f}_{1}) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} k_{T\beta} \left( x\overline{g}_{s}^{\perp} - \overline{g}_{1s} - \frac{m}{M} \overline{h}_{1s}^{\perp} \right) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \left( Mx \,\overline{g}_{T}' - m \,\overline{h}_{1T} \right).$$

$$(5.78)$$

The  $k_{T}$ -integrated result is

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha-}]}(x) = -\epsilon_{\tau\alpha\beta} \, g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta-}\gamma_5]}(x) = i \left(Mx\,\overline{e} - m\,\overline{f}_1\right),\tag{5.79}$$
or

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta-}\gamma_{5}]}(x) - g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = -i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}\left(Mx\,\overline{e} - m\,\overline{f}_{1}\right),\tag{5.80}$$

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_5]}(x) = -\lambda \left( Mx\,\overline{h}_L - m\,\overline{g}_1 - 2M\,\overline{h}_{1L}^{\perp\,(1)} \right),\tag{5.81}$$

$$g\overline{\Phi}_{A}^{\alpha[\gamma^{-}]}(x) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} g\overline{\Phi}_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^{-}\gamma_{5}]}(x) = i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \left( Mx \,\overline{g}_{T} - m \,\overline{h}_{1} - M \,g_{1T}^{(1)} \right).$$
(5.82)

For the fragmentation part one needs to consider the matrix elements

$$\Delta^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k,k_1;P_h,S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \, d^4\eta \, e^{i\,k_1\cdot(\xi-\eta)+i\,k\cdot\eta} \langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)\,A^{\alpha}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}(\eta)\,a^{\dagger}_h a_h\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle, \quad (5.83)$$

or after integration over  $k_1$  the bilocal matrix elements

$$\Delta^{\alpha}_{A\,ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle 0|\psi_i(\xi) \, A^{\alpha}_T(\xi) \, a^{\dagger}_h a_h \overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\rangle, \tag{5.84}$$

$$(\gamma_0 \Delta_A^{\alpha \dagger} \gamma_0)_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle 0 | \psi_i(\xi) \, a_h^{\dagger} a_h \, A_T^{\alpha}(0) \, \overline{\psi}_j(0) | 0 \rangle.$$
(5.85)

The twist analysis for the projections

$$\Delta_A^{\alpha[\Gamma]}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{1}{4z} \int dk^+ Tr\left(\Delta_A^{\alpha}\Gamma\right) \Big|_{k^- = P_h^-/z, \, \boldsymbol{k}_T} \\ = \int \frac{d\xi^+ d^2 \xi_\perp}{4z \, (2\pi)^3} \, e^{i \, k \cdot \xi} \, Tr\left\langle 0 | \psi(\xi) \, A_T^{\alpha}(\xi) \, a_h^{\dagger} a_h \, \overline{\psi}(0) \Gamma | 0 \right\rangle \Big|_{\xi^- = 0}, \quad (5.86)$$

is completely analogous to the distribution part. The equation of motion together with

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{ik\cdot\xi} \left\langle 0|\psi_i(\xi)\,i\partial^\mu\,a_h^\dagger a_h\,\overline{\psi}_j(0)|0\right\rangle = k^\mu\,\Delta_{ij}(k,P_h,S) \tag{5.87}$$

(where  $i\partial^{\mu}$  can be read as  $i \overleftarrow{\partial_{\xi}^{\mu}}$  or  $i \overrightarrow{\partial_{0}^{\mu}}$ ), now give the relations

$$g\Delta_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha-}]} = -\epsilon_{\alpha\beta} g\Delta_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta-}\gamma_{5}]} = i\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{E} - i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{H}\right)$$
$$-\epsilon_{ij}k_{T}^{i}S_{hT}^{j}\left(\frac{1}{z}\tilde{H}_{T}^{\perp} + i\frac{m}{M_{h}}\tilde{D}_{1T}^{\perp}\right)$$
$$= i\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}E - mD_{1} - i\frac{M_{h}}{z}H + i\frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M_{h}}H_{1}^{\perp}\right)$$
$$+\epsilon_{ij}k_{T}^{i}S_{hT}^{j}\left(H_{1T} - \frac{1}{z}H_{T}^{\perp} - i\frac{m}{M_{h}}D_{1T}^{\perp}\right),$$
(5.88) or

$$g\Delta_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta-}\gamma_{5}]} - g\Delta_{A}^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_{5}]} = -i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{E} - i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{H}\right) - \left(S_{hT}^{\alpha}k_{T}^{\beta} - k_{T}^{\alpha}S_{hT}^{\beta}\right) \left(\frac{1}{z}\tilde{H}_{T}^{\perp} + i\frac{m}{M_{h}}\tilde{D}_{1T}^{\perp}\right) = -i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}E - mD_{1} - i\frac{M_{h}}{z}H + i\frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M_{h}}H_{1}^{\perp}\right) + \left(S_{hT}^{\alpha}k_{T}^{\beta} - k_{T}^{\alpha}S_{hT}^{\beta}\right) \left(H_{1T} - \frac{1}{z}H_{T}^{\perp} - i\frac{m}{M_{h}}D_{1T}^{\perp}\right),$$
(5.89)

$$g\Delta_{A\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_{5}]} = \frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{H}_{s} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{E}_{s}$$
  
$$= \frac{M_{h}}{z}H_{s} - mG_{1s} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}E_{s} - (k_{T}\cdot S_{hT})H_{1T} - \frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M_{h}}H_{1s}^{\perp}, \qquad (5.90)$$

$$g\Delta_{A}^{\alpha[\gamma^{-}]} + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} g\Delta_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^{-}\gamma_{5}]} = k_{T}^{\alpha} \left(\frac{\tilde{D}^{\perp}}{z} + i\frac{m}{M_{h}}\tilde{H}_{1}^{\perp}\right) - \frac{\left(k_{T}^{\alpha}k_{T}^{i} + \frac{1}{2}k_{T}^{2}g_{T}^{\alpha i}\right)\epsilon_{T}i_{J}S_{hT}^{j}}{M_{h}}\tilde{D}_{1T}^{\perp} + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}k_{T\beta} \left(\frac{\tilde{G}_{s}^{\perp}}{z} - i\lambda_{h}\frac{\tilde{D}_{L}^{\perp}}{z}\right) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{h\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{G}_{T}^{\prime} - iM_{h}\frac{\tilde{D}_{T}}{z}\right) = k_{T}^{\alpha} \left(\frac{1}{z}D^{\perp} - D_{1} + i\frac{m}{M_{h}}H_{1}^{\perp}\right) - \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M_{h}}\epsilon_{ij}k_{T}^{i}S_{hT}^{j}D_{1T}^{\perp} + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}k_{T\beta} \left(\frac{1}{z}G_{s}^{\perp} - G_{1s} - \frac{m}{M_{h}}H_{1s}^{\perp} - i\lambda_{h}\frac{D_{L}^{\perp}}{z}\right) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{hT\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}G_{T}^{\prime} - mH_{1T} - iM_{h}\frac{D_{T}}{z}\right),$$
(5.91)

and  $\Delta_A^{\alpha\dagger[\Gamma]} = (\Delta_A^{\alpha[\Gamma]})^*$ . Note that the twist two profile functions  $D_{1T}^{\perp}$ ,  $H_1^{\perp}$  and the twist three profile functions  $E_L$ ,  $E_T$  and H, that are odd under time reversal, enter as the imaginary parts in  $\Delta_A^{\alpha[\Gamma]}$ . Again the tilde functions are the 'interaction-dependent' distribution functions. Note that the time reveral odd functions are interaction-dependent, e.g.  $D_{1T}^{\perp} = \tilde{D}_{1T}^{\perp}$ , etc. We have, however, made the choices  $D_T = \tilde{D}_T - z D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}$  and  $H = \tilde{H} - z H_1^{\perp(1)}$  which guarantee the absence of  $D_{1T}^{\perp}$  and  $H_1^{\perp}$  in the integrated results.

The  $\boldsymbol{k}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}\text{-integrated results are}$ 

$$g\Delta_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha^{-}}]}(z) = -\epsilon_{\alpha\beta} g\Delta_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta^{-}}\gamma_{5}]}(z) = i\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{E} - i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{H}\right)$$
$$= i\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}E - mD_{1} - iM_{h}\left(\frac{H}{z} + 2H_{1}^{\perp(1)}\right)\right)$$
$$= i\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}E - mD_{1} - iM_{h}\frac{d}{dz}\left[zH_{1}^{\perp(1)}\right]\right)$$
(5.92)

or

$$g\Delta_A^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta-\gamma_5}]}(z) - g\Delta_A^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha-\gamma_5}]}(z) = -i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} \left(\frac{M_h}{z}\tilde{E} - i\frac{M_h}{z}\tilde{H}\right),$$
$$= -i\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} \left(\frac{M_h}{z}E - mD_1 - iM_h\left(\frac{H}{z} + 2H_1^{\perp(1)}\right)\right), \tag{5.93}$$

$$g\Delta_{A\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha-}\gamma_{5}]}(z) = \lambda_{h}\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{H}_{L} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{E}_{L}\right) = \lambda_{h}\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}H_{L} - mG_{1} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}E_{L} - 2M_{h}H_{1L}^{\perp(1)}\right),(5.94)$$

$$g\Delta_{A}^{\alpha[\gamma^{-}]}(z) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}g\Delta_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^{-}\gamma_{5}]}(z) = i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{h\tau\beta}\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{G}_{T} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\tilde{D}_{T}\right)$$
$$= i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{h\tau\beta}\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}G_{T} - mH_{1} - M_{h}G_{1T}^{(1)} + iM_{h}\left(\frac{D_{T}}{z} + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}\right)\right)$$
$$= i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{h\tau\beta}\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}G_{T} - mH_{1} - M_{h}G_{1T}^{(1)} - iM_{h}z\frac{d}{dz}\left[D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}\right]\right), (5.95)$$

where

$$D^{(1)}(z) = z^2 \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{2M_h^2} \, D_1(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T).$$
(5.96)

For the antiquark fragmentation part one needs to consider the matrix elements

$$\overline{\Delta}_{A\,ij}^{\alpha}(k, P_h, S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle 0 | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \, A_T^{\alpha}(\xi) \, a_h^{\dagger} a_h \psi_i(\xi) | 0 \rangle = -\Delta_{A\,ij}^{\alpha}(-k, P_h, S_h), \ (5.97)$$
$$(\gamma_0 \overline{\Delta}_A^{\alpha \dagger} \gamma_0)_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4 \xi \ e^{-i \, k \cdot \xi} \langle 0 | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \, a_h^{\dagger} a_h \, A_T^{\alpha}(0) \, \psi_i(\xi) | 0 \rangle. \tag{5.98}$$

Using the equation of motion together with

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{-ik\cdot\xi} \left\langle 0|\overline{\psi}_j(0) \, i\partial^\mu \, a_h^\dagger a_h \, \psi_i(\xi)|0\right\rangle = -k^\mu \,\overline{\Delta}_{ij}(k, P_h, S) \tag{5.99}$$

(where  $i\partial^{\mu}$  can be read as  $i \overleftarrow{\partial_{0}^{\mu}}$  or  $i \overrightarrow{\partial_{\xi}^{\mu}}$ ), now give the relations

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A\,\alpha}^{\,[\sigma^{\alpha+}]} = \epsilon_{\alpha\beta} \, g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_{5}]} = i\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\,\overline{E} - m\,\overline{D}_{1} + i\,\frac{M_{h}}{z}\,\overline{H} - i\,\frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M_{h}}\,\overline{H}_{1}^{\perp}\right) \\ + \epsilon_{ij} \,k_{T}^{i}S_{hT}^{j}\,(\overline{H}_{1T} - \frac{1}{z}\,\overline{H}_{T}^{\perp} + i\,\frac{m}{M_{h}}\,\overline{D}_{1T}^{\perp}), \tag{5.100}$$
or

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_{5}]} - g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]} = i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\overline{E} - m\overline{D}_{1} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\overline{H} - i\frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M_{h}}\overline{H}_{1}^{\perp}\right) - \left(S_{hT}^{\alpha}k_{T}^{\beta} - k_{T}^{\alpha}S_{hT}^{\beta}\right)(\overline{H}_{1T} - \frac{1}{z}\overline{H}_{T}^{\perp} + i\frac{m}{M_{h}}\overline{D}_{1T}^{\perp}), \quad (5.101)$$

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A\,\alpha}^{\left[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}\right]} = -\frac{M_{h}}{z}\overline{H}_{s} + m\overline{G}_{1s} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\overline{E}_{s} + (k_{T}\cdot S_{hT})\overline{H}_{1T} + \frac{k_{T}^{2}}{M_{h}}\overline{H}_{1s}^{\perp}, \qquad (5.102)$$

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\alpha[\gamma^{+}]} - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} g\overline{\Delta}_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]} = -k_{T}^{\alpha} \left(\frac{1}{z}\overline{D}^{\perp} - \overline{D}_{1} - i\frac{m}{M_{h}}\overline{H}_{1}^{\perp}\right) - \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M_{h}}\epsilon_{ij}k_{T}^{i}S_{hT}^{j}\overline{D}_{1T}^{\perp}$$
$$-i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}k_{T\beta} \left(\frac{1}{z}\overline{G}_{s}^{\perp} - \overline{G}_{1s} - \frac{m}{M_{h}}\overline{H}_{1s}^{\perp} + i\lambda_{h}\frac{\overline{D}_{L}^{\perp}}{z}\right)$$
$$-i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}S_{hT\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}\overline{G}_{T}^{\prime} - m\overline{H}_{1T} + i\frac{M_{h}}{z}\overline{D}_{T}\right).$$
(5.103)

The  $k_{T}$ -integrated results are

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A\,\alpha}^{\,[\sigma^{\alpha^+}]}(z) = \epsilon_{\alpha\beta}\,g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta^-}\gamma_5]}(z) = i\left(\frac{M_h}{z}\,\overline{E} - m\,\overline{D}_1 + i\,\frac{M_h}{z}\,\overline{H} - 2i\,M_h\,\overline{H}_1^{\perp\,(1)}\right) \tag{5.104}$$
or

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\alpha[i\sigma^{\beta+}\gamma_{5}]}(z) - g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\beta[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_{5}]}(z) = i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta}\left(\frac{M_{h}}{z}E - m\,\overline{D}_{1} + i\,\frac{M_{h}}{z}\,\overline{H} - 2i\,M_{h}\,\overline{H}_{1}^{\perp(1)}\right),\tag{5.105}$$

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A\,\alpha}^{[i\sigma^{\alpha+}\gamma_5]}(z) = -\lambda_h \left(\frac{M_h}{z}\overline{H}_L - m\overline{G}_1 - i\frac{M_h}{z}\overline{E}_L - 2M_h\overline{H}_{1L}^{\perp(1)}\right),\tag{5.106}$$

$$g\overline{\Delta}_{A}^{\alpha[\gamma^{+}]}(z) - i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} g\overline{\Delta}_{A\beta}^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]}(z) = -i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{hT\beta} \left(\frac{M_{h}}{z} \overline{G}_{T} - m \overline{H}_{1} - M_{h} \overline{G}_{1T}^{(1)} - i M_{h} \overline{D}_{1T}^{\perp(1)} + i \frac{M_{h}}{z} \overline{D}_{T}\right).$$

$$(5.107)$$

# 5.2 Gluon distribution functions (new)

The simplest gauge invariant correlator involving two gluon fields are the lightfront correlator

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu}(x, p_T; n, C, C') = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P) d^2 \xi_T}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i p \cdot \xi} \langle P | G^{n\nu}(0) U^{[n,C]}_{[0,\xi]} G^{n\mu}(\xi) U^{[n,C']}_{[\xi,0]} | P \rangle \Big|_{LF}, \qquad (5.108)$$

where a color trace over the operator is understood, and the lightcone correlator

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu}(x;n) = \int d^2 p_T \, \Gamma^{\mu\nu}(x, p_T; n, C, C') = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} \, e^{i \, x P \cdot \xi} \, \langle P | G^{n\nu}(0) \, U^{[n]}_{[0,\xi]} \, G^{n\mu}(\xi) \, U^{[n]}(\xi, 0) | P \rangle \bigg|_{LC}$$
(5.109)

For a proper treatment of the transverse moments we need the weighted correlator

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu;\alpha}_{\partial}(x;n,C,C') = \int d^2 p_T \ p_T^{\alpha} \Gamma^{\mu\nu}(x,p_T;n,C,C')$$
(5.110)

and the three-gluon correlators

$$\Gamma_{D}^{\mu\nu;\alpha}(x;n) = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} e^{i \, x P \cdot \xi} \left\langle P | G^{n\nu}(0) \, U_{[0,\xi]}^{[n]} \left[ D^{\alpha}(\xi), G^{n\mu}(\xi) \right] U_{[\xi,0]}^{[n]} | P \rangle \right|_{LC}, \tag{5.111}$$

$$\Gamma_{[G]}^{\mu\nu;\alpha}(x,x-x';n) = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} \frac{d(\eta \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} e^{i(x-x')P \cdot \xi} e^{ix'P \cdot \eta} \\ \times \left\langle P | G^{n\nu}(0) U_{[0,\eta]}^{[n]} \left[ G^{n\alpha}(\eta), U_{[\eta,\xi]}^{[n]} G^{n\mu}(\xi) U_{[\xi,\eta]}^{[n]} \right] U_{[\eta,0]}^{[n]} | P \rangle \right|_{LC}, \quad (5.112)$$

$$\Gamma_{\{G\}}^{\mu\nu;\alpha}(x,x-x';n) = \int \frac{d(\xi \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} \frac{d(\eta \cdot P)}{(2\pi)} e^{i(x-x')P \cdot \xi} e^{ix'P \cdot \eta} \\ \times \left\langle P | G^{n\nu}(0) U_{[0,\eta]}^{[n]} \left\{ G^{n\alpha}(\eta), U_{[\eta,\xi]}^{[n]} G^{n\mu}(\xi) U_{[\xi,\eta]}^{[n]} \right\} U_{[\eta,0]}^{[n]} | P \rangle \right|_{LC}.$$
 (5.113)

Of the latter two matrix elements given as multi-parton correlator, we actually need the case x' = 0, the gluonic pole matrix elements. Making the (suppressed) color trace in the latter two matrix elements explicit one sees that one deals with fully antisymmetric or fully symmetric matrix elements, in lightcone gauge

$$i f_{abc} \langle P | G_a^{n\nu}(0) G_b^{n\alpha}(\eta) G_c^{n\mu}(\xi) | P \rangle \bigg|_{LC},$$

and

# $d_{abc} \left\langle P | G_a^{n\nu}(0) \, G_b^{n\alpha}(\eta) \, G_c^{n\mu}(\xi) | P \right\rangle \bigg|_{LC}.$

# 5.3 Gluon distribution functions

When one considers QCD corrections to the tree-level results one will also encounter gluon-gluon correlation functions, leading to gluon distributions. In a diagram one needs

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P, S | A^{\nu}(0) A^{\mu}(\xi) | P, S \rangle, \tag{5.114}$$

but the gauge invariant object to consider is

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k;P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|F^{\mu\nu}(0)\,\mathcal{U}(0,\xi)\,F^{\rho\sigma}(\xi)|P,S\rangle.$$
(5.115)

The constraints following from hermiticity, parity and time reversal are

$$\Gamma^{\rho\sigma;\mu\nu*}(k,P,S) = \Gamma^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k,P,S) \qquad [\text{Hermiticity}] \tag{5.116}$$

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k,P,S) = \Gamma_{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(\bar{k},\bar{P},-\bar{S}) \qquad \text{[Parity]} \tag{5.117}$$

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma*}(k,P,S) = \Gamma_{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(\bar{k},\bar{P},\bar{S}) \qquad \text{[Time reversal]}$$
(5.118)

where  $\bar{k} = (k^0, -k)$ .

In order to find antisymmetric structures we use the following tensor structures and relations

between tensors,

$$\begin{split} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}, \\ g^{[\mu}{}_{\rho}g^{\nu]}{}_{\sigma} &= g^{\mu}{}_{[\rho}g^{\nu}{}_{\sigma}] = g^{\mu}{}_{\rho}g^{\nu}{}_{\sigma} - g^{\nu}{}_{\rho}g^{\mu}{}_{\sigma}, \\ A^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}B^{\sigma]} &= g^{\nu\rho}A^{\mu}B^{\sigma} + g^{\mu\sigma}A^{\nu}B^{\rho} - g^{\mu\rho}A^{\nu}B^{\sigma} - g^{\nu\sigma}A^{\mu}B^{\rho}. \\ \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \epsilon_{\rho\sigma\alpha\beta} &= -2 g^{[\mu}{}_{\rho}g^{\nu]}{}_{\sigma}, \\ \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alphaA} \epsilon^{\rho\sigma}{}_{\alpha}{}^{B} &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \epsilon^{\rho\sigma}{}_{\alpha\beta} g^{AB} - B^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}A^{\sigma]} \\ \epsilon^{\mu\nuAB} \epsilon^{\rho\sigma CD} &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \epsilon^{\rho\sigma}{}_{\alpha\beta} (g^{AC}g^{BD} - g^{AD}g^{BC}) \\ &\quad -C^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}A^{\sigma]} g^{BD} + C^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}B^{\sigma]} g^{AD} + D^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}A^{\sigma]} g^{BC} - D^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}B^{\sigma]} g^{AC} \\ &\quad -C^{[\mu}D^{\nu]} A^{[\rho}B^{\sigma]}, \\ \epsilon^{\mu\nuA[\sigma}B^{\rho]} + \epsilon^{\rho\sigma A[\nu}B^{\mu]} &= \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} g^{AB}, \\ \epsilon^{\mu\nuA[\sigma}B^{\rho]} - \epsilon^{\mu\nuB[\sigma}A^{\rho]} &= \epsilon^{AB\nu\rho} g^{\mu\rho} + \epsilon^{AB\mu\rho} g^{\nu\sigma} - \epsilon^{AB\mu\sigma} g^{\nu\rho} - \epsilon^{AB\nu\rho} g^{\mu\sigma}. \\ &= \epsilon^{AB\mu[\rho}g^{\sigma]\nu} - \epsilon^{AB\nu[\rho}g^{\sigma]\mu} &= g^{\rho[\mu}\epsilon^{\nu]\sigma AB} - g^{\sigma[\mu}\epsilon^{\nu]\rho AB}. \end{split}$$

For changing from matrix elements with  $F_{\mu\nu}$  to matrix elements containing  $\tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \equiv -(1/2)\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}F^{\rho\sigma}$ , we note that

$$\begin{split} &-\frac{1}{2}\,\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\phantom{\mu\nu}\kappa\lambda}\,\,\epsilon^{\kappa\lambda\rho\sigma}\,=\,\left(g^{\mu\rho}g^{\nu\sigma}-g^{\mu\sigma}g^{\nu\rho}\right),\\ &-\frac{1}{2}\,\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\phantom{\mu\nu}\kappa\lambda}\,\,\epsilon^{\kappa\lambda\alpha\beta}\,\,\epsilon^{\rho\sigma}_{\phantom{\rho\sigma}\alpha\beta}\,=\,2\,\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\\ &-\frac{1}{2}\,\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\phantom{\mu\nu}\kappa\lambda}\,\,\epsilon^{\kappa\lambda\alpha A}\,\,\epsilon^{\rho\sigma}_{\phantom{\rho\sigma}\alpha}{}^{B}\,=\,\epsilon^{\rho\sigma B[\nu}A^{\mu]},\\ &-\frac{1}{2}\,\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\phantom{\mu\nu}\kappa\lambda}\,\,\epsilon^{\kappa\lambda\alpha B}\epsilon^{\rho\sigma CD}\,=\,A^{[\mu}B^{\nu]}\,\epsilon^{\rho\sigma CD},\\ &-\frac{1}{2}\,\epsilon^{\mu\nu}_{\phantom{\mu\nu}\kappa\lambda}\,\,\epsilon^{\kappa\lambda\alpha[\sigma}B^{\rho]}\,=\,-A^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}B^{\sigma]}. \end{split}$$

A possible parametrization of  $\Gamma^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}$  is

$$\begin{split} \Gamma^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k;P,S) &= & M^2 X_1 \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \epsilon^{\rho\sigma}{}_{\alpha\beta} \\ &+ X_2 P^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ X_3 k^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}k^{\sigma]} \\ &+ (X_4 + i X_5) P^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ (X_4 - i X_5) k^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ (X_6/M^2) P^{[\mu}k^{\nu]} P^{[\rho}k^{\sigma]} \\ &- 2 M X_7 \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ i M X_8 \epsilon^{\mu\nu\nu[\sigma}S^{\rho]} \\ &+ i M X_9 \epsilon^{\mu\nus[\sigma}P^{\rho]} \\ &+ i M X_1 \epsilon^{\mu\nus[\sigma}P^{\rho]} \\ &+ i (X_{12}/M) \epsilon^{\mu\nu\nu[\sigma}P^{\rho]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ i (X_{13}/M) \epsilon^{\mu\nu\nu[\sigma}k^{\rho]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ i (X_{14}/M) \epsilon^{\mu\nu\nu[\sigma}k^{\rho]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ i (X_{15}/M) \epsilon^{\mu\nu\nu[\sigma}k^{\rho]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ i (X_{16} + i X_{17})/M) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma rs} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ ((X_{16} + i X_{17})/M) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma rs} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ ((X_{16} + i X_{17})/M) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma rs} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ ((X_{16} - i X_{17})/M) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma rs} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} \\ &+ ((X_{20} + i X_{21})/M) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma kr} p^{[\mu}S^{\sigma]} \\ &+ ((X_{22} - i X_{23})/M) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma kr} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ ((X_{24} + i X_{25})/M^3) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma kr} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ ((X_{24} - i X_{25})/M^3) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma kr} k^{[\mu}P^{\nu]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ ((X_{24} - i X_{25})/M^3) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma kr} k^{[\mu}P^{\sigma]} (k \cdot S) \\ &+ ((X_{24} - i X_{25})/M^3) \epsilon^{\rho\sigma kr} k^{[\mu}P^{\nu]} (k \cdot S), \end{split}$$

with  $X_5$ ,  $X_7$ ,  $X_{16}$ ,  $X_{18}$ ,  $X_{20}$ ,  $X_{22}$  and  $X_{24}$  being T-odd. The constraints from hermiticity imply that one finds real amplitudes  $X_i$  if the tensors symmetric under  $\mu\nu \leftrightarrow \rho\sigma$  are multiplied with 1, while the tensors antisymmetric under  $\mu\nu \leftrightarrow \rho\sigma$  are multiplied with *i*; the constraint from parity requires that even numbers of  $\epsilon$ -tensors are combined only with vectors *k* and *P*, while odd numbers of  $\epsilon$ -tensors are combined with the axial vector *S* and furthermore vectors *k*, *P*; finally the constraint from time-reversal requires that any  $\epsilon$ -tensor appears multiplied with *i* and for the rest real stuff.

For the amplitudes with an odd number of  $\epsilon$ -tensors, it is useful to realize that the quantity

$$\tilde{\Gamma}^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k;P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4\xi \ e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle P,S|\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}(0)\,\mathcal{U}(0,\xi)\,F^{\rho\sigma}(\xi)|P,S\rangle.$$
(5.120)

has the structure

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\Gamma}^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k;P,S) &= \dots + M X_7 \, \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \, \epsilon^{\rho\sigma}{}_{\alpha\beta} \, (k \cdot S) \\ &\quad -i \, M \, X_8 \, P^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} S^{\sigma]} \\ &\quad -i \, M \, X_{10} \, k^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} S^{\sigma]} \\ &\quad -i \, M \, X_{11} \, S^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} K^{\sigma]} \\ &\quad -i \, (X_{12}/M) \, P^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} K^{\sigma]} \, (k \cdot S) \\ &\quad -i \, (X_{13}/M) \, k^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} K^{\sigma]} \, (k \cdot S) \\ &\quad -i \, (X_{14}/M) \, P^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} K^{\sigma]} \, (k \cdot S) \\ &\quad -i \, (X_{15}/M) \, k^{[\mu}g^{\nu][\rho} P^{\sigma]} \, (k \cdot S) \\ &\quad + ((X_{16} + i \, X_{17})/M) \, P^{[\mu} S^{\nu]} k^{[\rho} P^{\sigma]} \\ &\quad - ((X_{16} - i \, X_{17})/M) \, \epsilon^{\mu\nu\kappa\rho} \, \epsilon^{\rho\sigma\kappa\beta} \\ &\quad + ((X_{18} + i \, X_{19})/M) \, k^{[\mu} P^{\nu]} P^{[\rho} S^{\sigma]} \\ &\quad - ((X_{20} - i \, X_{21})/M) \, k^{[\mu} P^{\nu]} k^{[\rho} S^{\sigma]} \\ &\quad - ((X_{22} - i \, X_{23})/M) \, \epsilon^{\mu\nu\kappa\rho} \, \epsilon^{\rho\sigma\kappa\rho} \\ &\quad + ((X_{24} + i \, X_{25})/M^3) \, \epsilon^{\mu\nu\kappa\rho} \, \epsilon^{\rho\sigma\kappa\rho} \, (k \cdot S). \end{split}$$

In the next step we try to isolate the dominant parts by expanding the vectors in lightlike and transverse vectors, and the invariants  $\sigma \equiv 2k \cdot P$  and  $\tau = k^2$ ,

$$P = A n_{+}^{\mu} + \frac{M^2}{2A} n_{-}^{\mu}, \qquad (5.122)$$

$$k = xA n_{+}^{\mu} + k_{T}^{\mu} + \frac{\sigma - xM^{2}}{2A} n_{-}^{\mu}, \quad \text{or} \quad k - xP = k_{T}^{\mu} + \frac{\sigma - 2xM^{2}}{2P \cdot n_{-}} n_{-}^{\mu}, \tag{5.123}$$

$$S = \lambda \frac{A}{M} n_{+}^{\mu} + S_{T} - \lambda \frac{M}{2A} n_{-}^{\mu}, \quad \text{or} \quad S - \lambda \frac{P}{M} = S_{T}^{\mu} - \lambda \frac{M}{P \cdot n_{-}} n_{-}^{\mu}, \quad (5.124)$$

and we have

$$k \cdot S = \lambda \, \frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M} + k_{\scriptscriptstyle T} \cdot S_{\scriptscriptstyle T}. \tag{5.125}$$

The tensors can be expressed as

$$g^{\mu\nu} = n_{+}^{\{\mu} n_{-}^{\nu\}} + g_{T}^{\mu\nu}, \qquad (5.126)$$
  

$$\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = -n_{+}^{[\mu} n^{\nu]} \epsilon_{\tau}^{\rho\sigma} + n_{+}^{[\mu} n^{\rho]} \epsilon_{\tau}^{\nu\sigma} - n_{-}^{[\mu} n^{\sigma]} \epsilon_{\tau}^{\nu\rho}$$

$$-n_{+}^{[\nu}n_{-}^{\rho]}\epsilon_{T}^{\mu\sigma} + n_{+}^{[\nu}n_{-}^{\sigma]}\epsilon_{T}^{\mu\rho} - n_{+}^{[\rho}n_{-}^{\sigma]}\epsilon_{T}^{\mu\nu}.$$
(5.127)

The dominant parts are the ones containing the hightest powers of  $A = P^+$ , e.g. for the unpolarized part we have in order of importance,

$$\Gamma^{+\alpha;+\beta}(k,P,S) = A^2 \left\{ -g_T^{\alpha\beta} \left[ X_2 + 2x \, X_4 + x^2 \, X_3 \right] + \frac{k_T^{\alpha} k_T^{\beta}}{M^2} \, X_6 \right\},\tag{5.128}$$

$$\Gamma^{+\alpha;+-}(k,P,S) = A k_T^{\alpha} \left[ (X_4 + x X_3) - i X_5 + \left(\frac{\sigma - 2xM^2}{2M^2}\right) X_6 \right]$$
(5.129)

$$\Gamma^{+\alpha;\beta\gamma}(k,P,S) = A g_T^{\alpha[\beta} k_T^{\gamma]} \bigg[ (X_4 + x X_3) + i X_5 \bigg],$$
(5.130)

etc. Integrating over  $k^-$  we then find that the leading functions ( $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  being transverse) are

$$\Gamma_{2}^{\alpha\beta}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{-} \Gamma^{+\alpha;+\beta}(k;P,S) \\
= \frac{x P^{+}}{2} \left( -g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} G(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij} k_{Ti} S_{Tj}}{M} G_{T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right. \\
\left. + \left( k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} \right) \frac{H^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T})}{M^{2}} \right. \\
\left. - i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \left[ \lambda \Delta G_{L}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} \Delta G_{T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right] \right. \\
\left. - \frac{k_{T}^{\{\alpha} \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\}i} k_{Ti}}{2M^{2}} \left[ \lambda \Delta H_{L}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} \Delta H_{T}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right] \right. \\
\left. - \frac{k_{T}^{\{\alpha} \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\}i} S_{Ti} + S_{T}^{\{\alpha} \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\}i} k_{Ti}}{4M} \left[ \Delta H_{T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \Delta H_{T}^{\perp(1)}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right] \right). \quad (5.131)$$

These give the leading (twist two) distribution functions,  $G_T$ ,  $\Delta H_s^{\perp}$  and  $\Delta H_T$  being T-odd. Note that the tensor multiplying  $G_T$  is actually the antisymmetric version of the tensor multiplying  $\Delta H_T$ . The use of the combination  $\Delta H_T' \equiv \Delta H_T + \Delta H_T^{\perp(1)}$  where  $\Delta H_T^{\perp(1)} = (\mathbf{k}_T^2/2M^2)\Delta H_T^{\perp}$  will become clear when we consider explicit representations. At subleading order we have

$$\Gamma_{3}^{\alpha}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{-} \Gamma^{+\alpha;+-}(k;P,S)$$
  
$$= \frac{x M}{2} \left( i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{T\beta} \Delta G'_{3T}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} k_{T\beta}}{M} \Delta G^{\perp}_{3s}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M} G^{\perp}_{3}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right), \quad (5.132)$$

where the imaginary parts of these functions are T-odd. Furthermore

$$\Gamma_{3}^{\alpha;\beta\gamma}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{-} \Gamma^{+\alpha;\beta\gamma}(k;P,S) = \frac{x M}{2} \left( \frac{g_{T}^{\alpha[\beta}k_{T}^{\gamma]}}{M} H_{3}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + i \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\gamma} S_{T}^{\alpha} \Delta H_{3T}'(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + i \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\gamma} \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M} \Delta H_{3s}^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right) (5.133)$$

where the imaginary parts of these functions are T-odd.

After integration over the transverse momenta, we obtain

$$\Gamma_2^{\alpha\beta}(x) = \frac{x P^+}{2} \left( -g_T^{\alpha\beta} G(x) + i \epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} \lambda \Delta G(x) \right),$$
(5.134)

$$\Gamma_3^{\alpha}(x) = \frac{x M}{2} i \,\epsilon_T^{\alpha\beta} \, S_{T\beta} \, \Delta G_{3T}(x), \qquad (5.135)$$

$$\Gamma_3^{\alpha;\beta\gamma}(x) = \frac{x\,M}{2}\,i\,\epsilon_T^{\beta\gamma}\,S_T^{\alpha}\,\Delta H_{3T}(x),\tag{5.136}$$

where  $\Delta G_{3T} = \Delta G'_{3T} + \Delta G^{\perp(1)}_{3T}$  and  $\Delta H_{3T} = \Delta H'_{3T} + \Delta H^{\perp(1)}_{3T}$ , of which the imaginary parts are T-odd. Examples of the amplitude expansion for the various functions are

$$xG(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int \dots \left[ X_{2} + 2x X_{4} + x^{2} X_{3} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}} X_{6} \right], \qquad (5.137)$$

$$xH^{\perp}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int \dots [X_{6}], \qquad (5.138)$$

$$\mathcal{R}e \, x G_3^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots \left[ (X_4 + x \, X_3) + \left( \frac{\sigma - 2x M^2}{2M^2} \right) X_6 \right], \tag{5.139}$$

$$\mathcal{I}m \, x G_3^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \int \dots \left[ -X_5 \right] \tag{5.140}$$

where

$$\int \ldots = \int d\sigma d\tau \,\,\delta(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} + x^{2}M^{2} + \tau - x\sigma).$$

From the matrix elements and the commutation properties of the gluon fields one immediately gets symmetry relations like G(-x) = -G(x), etc. This differs from the case of quarks, where similar relations connect quark and antiquark distributions at positive and negative x-values. About the normalization, we note that for an unpolarized target

$$\int dk^+ \ \Gamma_2^{\alpha\beta}(x) = -g_T^{\alpha\beta} \, \frac{(P^+)^2}{2} \, \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \ x G(x).$$
(5.141)

The left-handside is equal to

$$\int d^4k \ \Gamma^{+\alpha;+\beta}(k;P,S) = \langle P|F^{+\alpha}(0)F^{+\beta}(0)|P\rangle.$$
(5.142)

Contracting  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , using the support restrictions  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$  and the symmetry relation G(-x) = -G(x), one finds that

$$\int d^4k \, \Gamma^{+\alpha;+}{}_{\alpha}(k;P,S) = 2(P^+)^2 \underbrace{\int_0^1 dx \, xG(x)}_{\epsilon_G} = \langle P | \underbrace{F^{+\alpha}(0)F^+{}_{\alpha}(0)}_{\theta_G^{++}(0)} | P \rangle \tag{5.143}$$

and realizing that the right-handside is only the gluonic part of the energy momentum tensor,  $\int_0^1 dx \, x G(x) = \epsilon_G \leq 1$ , while the chosen normalization assures the complementarity with the quark part of the energy momentum tensor discussed earlier,  $\epsilon_q + \epsilon_G = 1$ .

#### 5.4 Explicit spin representation

The correlator  $\Gamma_2^{\alpha\beta}$  contains two transverse gluon fields and can be interpreted in terms of gluon distribution functions. To make the gluon spin explicit, it is useful to consider the explicit matrix  $M^{\alpha\beta} = (2/xP^+)\Gamma_2^{\alpha\beta}$ with  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  being transverse indices. The result for M is

$$\begin{pmatrix} G + \frac{k_T \wedge S_T}{M} G_T + \frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \cos 2\phi \ H^{\perp} & -i S_L \ \Delta G_L - i \ \frac{k_T \cdot S_T}{M} \ \Delta G_T + \frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \sin 2\phi \ H^{\perp} \\ + \frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \sin 2\phi \ \Delta H_s^{\perp} + \frac{(k_T^1 S_T^2 + k_T^2 S_T^1)}{2M} \ \Delta H_T' & -\frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \cos 2\phi \ \Delta H_s^{\perp} - \frac{(k_T^1 S_T^1 - k_T^2 S_T^2)}{2M} \ \Delta H_T' \\ i S_L \ \Delta G_L + i \ \frac{k_T \cdot S_T}{M} \ \Delta G_T + \frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \sin 2\phi \ H^{\perp} & G + \frac{k_T \wedge S_T}{M} \ G_T - \frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \cos 2\phi \ A H_s^{\perp} - \frac{(k_T^1 S_T^1 - k_T^2 S_T^2)}{2M} \ \Delta H_T' \\ - \frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \cos 2\phi \ \Delta H_s^{\perp} - \frac{(k_T^1 S_T^1 - k_T^2 S_T^2)}{2M} \ \Delta H_T' & -\frac{k_T^2}{2M^2} \sin 2\phi \ H^{\perp} \\ \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(5.144)$$

where (for later convenience given also in spherical vector components and in matrix form in the nucleon spin-space)

$$\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{T} = k_{T}^{1} S_{T}^{1} + k_{T}^{2} S_{T}^{2} = -g_{T}^{kS} = -(k_{T}^{+} S_{T}^{-} + k_{T}^{-} S_{T}^{+}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & |k_{T}| e^{-i\phi} \\ |k_{T}| e^{+i\phi} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (5.145)$$

$$\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \wedge \boldsymbol{S}_{T} = k_{T}^{1} S_{T}^{2} - k_{T}^{2} S_{T}^{1} = \epsilon_{T}^{kS} = -i(k_{T}^{+} S_{T}^{-} - k_{T}^{-} S_{T}^{+}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i|k_{T}|e^{-i\phi} \\ i|k_{T}|e^{+i\phi} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, (5.146)$$

$$k_T^1 S_T^1 - k_T^2 S_T^2 = k_T^+ S_T^+ + k_T^- S_T^- = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & |k_T| e^{+i\phi} \\ |k_T| e^{-i\phi} & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$
(5.147)

$$k_T^1 S_T^2 + k_T^2 S_T^1 = -i(k_T^+ S_T^+ - k_T^- S_T^-) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i |k_T| e^{+i\phi} \\ i |k_T| e^{+i\phi} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (5.148)

We now have used transverse gluon polarizations. Instead we can use circular polarizations,

$$|+\rangle = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( |x\rangle + i |y\rangle \right),$$
  
$$|-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( |x\rangle - i |y\rangle \right),$$
  
(5.149)

and we obtain

$$\begin{pmatrix} M^{++} & M^{+-} \\ M^{-+} & M^{--} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(M^{11} + M^{22}) - \operatorname{Im} M^{12} & -\frac{1}{2}(M^{11} - M^{22}) + i\operatorname{Re} M^{12} \\ -\frac{1}{2}(M^{11} - M^{22}) - i\operatorname{Re} M^{12} & \frac{1}{2}(M^{11} + M^{22}) + \operatorname{Im} M^{12} \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (5.150)

For the above matrix we find for circularly polarized gluons

$$\begin{pmatrix}
G + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \wedge \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} G_{T} + S_{L} \Delta G_{L} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} \Delta G_{T} & -\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}} e^{-2i\phi} \left[ H^{\perp} + i \Delta H_{s}^{\perp} \right] - i \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{-} S_{T}^{-}}{M} \Delta H_{T}' \\
- \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}} e^{+2i\phi} \left[ H^{\perp} - i \Delta H_{s}^{\perp} \right] + i \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{+} S_{T}^{+}}{M} \Delta H_{T}' & G + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \wedge \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} G_{T} - S_{L} \Delta G_{L} - \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{T}}{M} \Delta G_{T} \end{pmatrix}$$
(5.151)

Extended into a  $4\times 4$  matrix in gluon  $\otimes$  nucleon spin space we obtain

$$\begin{array}{ccc} G + \Delta G & \frac{|k_T|e^{-i\phi}}{M} \left[ \Delta G_T - i \, G_T \right] & -e^{-2i\phi} \left[ H^{\perp(1)} + i \, \Delta H_L^{\perp(1)} \right] & -i \frac{|k_T|e^{-3i\phi}}{M} \, \Delta H_T^{\perp(1)} \\ \\ \frac{|k_T|e^{+i\phi}}{M} \left[ \Delta G_T + i \, G_T \right] & G - \Delta G & -i \frac{|k_T|e^{-i\phi}}{M} \, \Delta H_T & -e^{-2i\phi} \left[ H^{\perp(1)} - i \, \Delta H_L^{\perp(1)} \right] \\ \\ -e^{+2i\phi} \left[ H^{\perp(1)} - i \, \Delta H_L^{\perp(1)} \right] & i \frac{|k_T|e^{+i\phi}}{M} \, \Delta H_T & G - \Delta G & -\frac{|k_T|e^{-i\phi}}{M} \left[ \Delta G_T + i \, G_T \right] \\ \\ i \frac{|k_T|e^{+3i\phi}}{M} \, \Delta H_T^{\perp(1)} & -e^{+2i\phi} \left[ H^{\perp(1)} + i \, \Delta H_L^{\perp(1)} \right] & -\frac{|k_T|e^{+i\phi}}{M} \left[ \Delta G_T - i \, G_T \right] & G + \Delta G \end{array} \right)$$

$$\tag{5.152}$$

# 5.5 Gluon fragmentation functions

For the fragmentation functions one needs the matrix element

$$\hat{\Gamma}^{\mu\nu;\rho\sigma}(k;P_h,S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \sum_X \int d^4\xi \ e^{i\,k\cdot\xi} \langle 0|F^{\mu\nu}(\xi)|P_h,X\rangle \ \langle P_h,X|F^{\rho\sigma}(0)|0\rangle.$$
(5.153)

In this case no constraints arise from time reversal invariance and the most general expansion of the matrix element becomes,

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{2}^{\alpha\beta}(z,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{+} \hat{\Gamma}^{-\alpha;-\beta}(k;P_{h},S_{h})$$

$$= P_{h}^{-} \left( -g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \hat{G}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \frac{\epsilon_{T}^{ij} k_{Ti} S_{hTj}}{M_{h}} \hat{G}_{T}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \left(k_{T}^{\alpha} k_{T}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2} g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}\right) \frac{\hat{G}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T})}{M_{h}^{2}} + i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \left[ \lambda_{h} \Delta \hat{G}_{L}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{hT}}{M_{h}} \Delta \hat{G}_{T}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right] \\ + \frac{k_{T}^{\{\alpha} \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\}i} k_{Ti}}{M_{h}^{2}} \left[ \lambda_{h} \Delta \hat{G}_{L}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{hT}}{M_{h}} \Delta \hat{G}_{T}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right] \\ + \frac{k_{T}^{\{\alpha} \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\}i} S_{hTi} + S_{hT}^{\{\alpha} \epsilon_{T}^{\beta\}i} k_{Ti}}{2M_{h}} \Delta \hat{G}_{T}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T})} \right).$$
(5.154)

These give the leading (twist two) fragmentation functions. At subleading order we have

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{3}^{\alpha}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{+} \hat{\Gamma}_{3}^{-\alpha;-+}(k; P, S)$$

$$= M_{h} \left( i \,\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \,S_{hT\beta} \,\Delta \hat{G}_{3T}'(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{i \,\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \,k_{T\beta}}{M} \,\Delta \hat{G}_{3s}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M_{h}} \,\hat{G}_{3}^{\perp}(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right).$$
(5.155)

Furthermore

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{3}^{\alpha;\beta\gamma}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{+} \hat{\Gamma}^{-\alpha;\beta\gamma}(k;P,S) \\
= M_{h} \left( \frac{g_{T}^{\alpha[\beta}k_{T}^{\gamma]}}{M_{h}} \hat{H}_{3}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + \frac{k_{T}^{[\beta}S_{hT}^{\gamma]}}{M_{h}} \frac{i\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\delta}k_{T\delta}}{M_{h}} \hat{H}_{3T}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \\
+ i\epsilon_{T}^{\beta\gamma}S_{hT}^{\alpha}\Delta\hat{H}_{3T}'(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) + i\epsilon_{T}^{\beta\gamma}\frac{k_{T}^{\alpha}}{M_{h}}\Delta\hat{H}_{3s}^{\perp}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \right). \quad (5.156)$$

After integration over the transverse momenta, we obtain

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{2}^{\alpha\beta}(z) = \frac{P_{h}^{-}}{z^{2}} \left( -g_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \hat{G}(z) + i \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} \lambda_{h} \Delta \hat{G}(z) \right).$$
(5.157)

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{3}^{\alpha}(z) = \frac{M_{h}}{z^{2}} \epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} S_{hT\beta} \,\Delta \hat{G}_{3T}(z), \qquad (5.158)$$

$$\hat{\Gamma}_{3}^{\alpha;\beta\gamma}(x) = \frac{M_{h}}{z^{2}} i \,\epsilon_{T}^{\beta\gamma} S_{hT}^{\alpha} \,\Delta \hat{H}_{3T}(z), \qquad (5.159)$$

with  $\Delta \hat{G}_{3T} = \Delta \hat{G}'_{3T} + \Delta \hat{G}^{\perp(1)}_{3T}$ , and  $\Delta \hat{H}_{3T} = \Delta \hat{H}'_{3T} + \Delta \hat{H}^{\perp(1)}_{3T}$ .

# Chapter 6

# Drell-Yan up to $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$

#### 6.1 The hadron tensor

Up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  one needs to include the contributions of the handbag diagram, now calculated up to this order with in addition irreducible diagrams with one gluon coupling either to the soft part involving hadron A or the soft part involving hadron B. The expressions thus involve the quark-gluon correlation functions. The full result is neglecting  $1/Q^2$  contributions given by

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = \int dk_a^- dk_b^+ d^2 \mathbf{k}_{aT} d^2 \mathbf{k}_{bT} \,\delta^2 (\mathbf{k}_{aT} + \mathbf{k}_{bT} - \mathbf{q}_T) \\ \left\{ \operatorname{Tr} \left( \Phi(k_a) \gamma_\mu \overline{\Phi}(k_b) \gamma_\nu \right) \right. \\ \left. - \operatorname{Tr} \left( \gamma_\alpha \frac{\not{h}_+}{-2q^-} \gamma_\nu \Phi_A^\alpha(k_a) \gamma_\mu \overline{\Phi}(k_b) \right) - \operatorname{Tr} \left( \gamma_\mu \frac{\not{h}_+}{-2q^-} \gamma_\alpha \overline{\Phi}(k_b) \gamma_\nu \Phi_A^{\alpha\dagger}(k_a) \right) \right. \\ \left. - \operatorname{Tr} \left( \gamma_\nu \frac{\not{h}_-}{(2q^+)} \gamma_\alpha \Phi(k_a) \gamma_\mu \overline{\Phi}_A^{\alpha\dagger}(k_b) \right) - \operatorname{Tr} \left( \gamma_\alpha \frac{\not{h}_-}{(2q^+)} \gamma_\mu \overline{\Phi}_A^\alpha(k_b) \gamma_\nu \Phi(k_a) \right) \right\}. \quad (6.1)$$

Here the terms with  $h_{\pm}$  arise from fermion propagators in the hard part neglecting contributions that will appear suppressed by powers of  $Q^2$ , i.e.

$$\frac{\not p_1 - \not q + m}{(p_1 - q)^2} = \frac{(p_1^+ - q^+)\gamma^-}{-2(p_1^+ - q^+)q^-} = \frac{\gamma^-}{-2q^-} = \frac{\not h_+}{-2q^-} = \frac{x_A P_A}{Q^2},\tag{6.2}$$

The full result expressed in terms of the twist two and twist three distribution functions and perpendicular tensors and vectors is [Check sign of  $g_1 \bar{g}_1$  and 1/Q terms]

$$\begin{split} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2} k_{aT} d^{2} k_{bT} \delta^{2} (k_{aT} + k_{bT} - q_{T}) \times \left\{ -g_{1}^{\mu\nu} \left[ f_{1} \bar{f}_{1} + g_{1s} \bar{g}_{1s} \right] \right. \\ &- \frac{k_{aJ}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu)}}{M_{A} M_{B}} + (k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{D\perp}) g_{1}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{b\perp}^{(\mu} S_{A\perp}^{\nu)} + (k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}) g_{1}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{B}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} \right. \\ &- \frac{k_{aL}^{(\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu)}}{M_{A}} + (k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{D\perp}) g_{1}^{\mu\nu}} h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} - \left( S_{A\perp}^{(\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu)} + (S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}) g_{1}^{\mu\nu} \right) h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1T} \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{(\mu} k_{0\perp}^{\nu)}}{Q} \left[ -f_{1} \bar{f}_{1} + 2x_{A} f^{\perp} \bar{f}_{1} + g_{1s} \bar{g}_{1s} - 2x_{A} g_{s}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1s} \right. \\ &- \frac{M_{B}}{M_{A}} 2x_{b} h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{s} + \frac{m}{M_{A}} 2h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1s} - \frac{k_{b\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} \\ &- \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} + \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{B}} 2x_{A} h_{T}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} \\ &- S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1T} + S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} 2x_{A} h_{T}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1s} \\ &- S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1s} + \frac{m}{M_{A}} 2g_{1s} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} + \frac{k_{a\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1s}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{M_{A}}{M_{B}} 2x_{A} h_{b} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} - g_{1s} \bar{g}_{1s} + 2x_{B} g_{1s} g_{1s}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{M_{A}} \frac{\hat{z}^{(\mu} k_{0}^{\nu)}}{M_{A}} \left[ f_{1} \bar{f}_{1} - 2x_{B} f_{1} \bar{f}_{1} - g_{1s} \bar{f}_{1s} + 2x_{B} g_{1s} h_{1T} - \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1s} \bar{h}_{1s} \\ &+ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} + \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1s} \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} 2x_{B} h_{1s} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1T} - S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} 2x_{B} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1s}^{\perp} + \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} + \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} + \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot M_{b\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}$$

where the quark distribution functions in hadron A depend on  $x_A$  and  $\mathbf{k}_{aT}^2$ ,  $f_1(x_A, \mathbf{k}_{aT}^2)$  etc., while the antiquark distribution functions in hadron B depend on  $x_B$  and  $\mathbf{k}_{bT}^2$ ,  $\bar{f}_1(x_B, \mathbf{k}_{bT}^2)$  etc., and we use the shorthand notations

$$g_{1s} = \lambda_A g_{1L} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{A\perp}}{M_A} g_{1T},$$
$$\bar{g}_{1s} = \lambda_B \bar{g}_{1L} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{B\perp}}{M_B} \bar{g}_{1T}.$$

actions of the lepton tensor $L_{\mu\nu}$	with tensor structures appearing in the
$w^{\mu u}$	$L_{\mu u}w^{\mu u}$
$-g_{\perp}^{\mu u}$	$4Q^2 \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^2\right)$
$a_{\perp}^{\{\mu}b_{\perp}^{ u\}}-\left(a_{\perp}\cdot b_{\perp} ight)g_{\perp}^{\mu u}$	$-4Q^2 y (1-y)  \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}   \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}  \cos(\phi_a + \phi_b)$
$\frac{1}{2} \left( a_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} b_{\perp\rho} + b_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} a_{\perp\rho} \right)$	$4Q^2 y (1-y)  \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}   \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}  \sin(\phi_a + \phi_b)$
$\hat{z}^{\{\mu}a_{\perp}^{ u\}}$	$-4Q^2 (1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}  \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}  \cos \phi_a$
$\hat{z}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{ u angle ho}a_{\perp ho}$	$4Q^2 (1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}  \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}  \sin \phi_a$

Table 6.1: Contractions of the lepton tensor  $L^{(DY)}_{\mu\nu}$  with tensor structures appearing in the hadron tensor.

In many	cases it is c	convenient to	express t	he tensors	with	respect	$\operatorname{to}$	measured	directions,	i.e.	$\hat{x}$ :	and	$\hat{y},$	$\hat{y}^{\mu}$
$=\epsilon^{\mu\rho}_{\perp}\hat{x}_{\rho}.$	One can us	se												

$$\begin{aligned} a_{\perp}^{\mu} &= (\hat{\boldsymbol{x}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \hat{x}^{\mu} + (\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma} x_{\rho} a_{\perp\sigma}) \, \hat{y}^{\mu} \\ &= (\hat{\boldsymbol{x}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \hat{x}^{\mu} + (\hat{\boldsymbol{x}} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \hat{y}^{\mu} \\ &= (\hat{\boldsymbol{x}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \hat{x}^{\mu} + (\hat{\boldsymbol{y}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \hat{y}^{\mu} \\ &= a^{x} \, \hat{x}^{\mu} + a^{y} \, \hat{y}^{\mu}, \end{aligned}$$
(6.5)

where  $a_{\perp} \wedge b_{\perp} \equiv \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma} a_{\perp\rho} b_{\perp\sigma}$ . Other combinations give

$$\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\rho}a_{\perp\rho} = -a^y \,\hat{x}^\mu + a^x \,\hat{y}^\mu, \tag{6.6}$$

$$a_{\perp}^{\{\mu}b_{\perp}^{\nu\}} - (a_{\perp} \cdot b_{\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = (a^{x}b^{x} - a^{y}b^{y}) \left(2 \,\hat{x}^{\mu}\hat{x}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) + (a^{x}b^{y} + a^{y}b^{x}) \,\hat{x}^{\{\mu}\hat{y}^{\nu\}}, \tag{6.7}$$

$$a_{\perp}^{[\mu}b_{\perp}^{\nu]} = (a^{x}b^{y} - a^{y}b^{x}) \ \hat{x}^{[\mu}\hat{y}^{\nu]}, \tag{6.8}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( a_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} b_{\perp\rho} + b_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} a_{\perp\rho} \right) = - \left( a^{x} b^{y} + a^{y} b^{x} \right) \left( 2 \, \hat{x}^{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) + \left( a^{x} b^{x} - a^{y} b^{y} \right) \, \hat{x}^{\{\mu} \hat{y}^{\nu\}}.$$
(6.9)

Because the transverse direction is fixed by  $q_T = Q_T \hat{x}$ , one has specifically

$$k_{a\perp}^{\mu} + k_{b\perp}^{\mu} = Q_T \, \hat{x}^{\mu}, \tag{6.10}$$

$$k_{a\perp}^{\mu} - k_{b\perp}^{\mu} = \frac{k_{a\perp}^2 - k_{b\perp}^2}{Q_T} \hat{x}^{\mu} + 2 \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma} k_{a\perp}^{\rho} k_{b\perp}^{\sigma}}{Q_T} \hat{y}^{\mu}.$$
 (6.11)

This allows one to pull the tensor structure outside the integration over transverse momenta.

The contractions with the lepton tensor, given in Table 6.1 use azimuthal angles defined with respect to the orthogonal momentum  $\hat{\ell}$ ,

$$\hat{\ell} \cdot a_{\perp} = -|\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}| \cos(\phi_a), \tag{6.12}$$

$$\hat{\ell}_{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}a_{\perp\nu} = |\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}|\sin(\phi_a). \tag{6.13}$$

# 6.2 Drell-Yan after integration over transverse momenta

The hadronic tensor simplifies to

$$\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{3} \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ f_{1}(x_{A}) \bar{f}_{1}(x_{B}) + \lambda_{A} \lambda_{B} g_{1}(x_{A}) \bar{g}_{1}(x_{B}) \right] \\
- \left( S_{A\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}} - S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) h_{1}(x_{A}) \bar{h}_{1}(x_{B}) \\
- \lambda_{B} \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{A\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} x_{A} \left( g_{T}(x_{A}) + \tilde{g}_{T}(x_{A}) \right) \bar{g}_{1}(x_{B}) \\
- \lambda_{B} \frac{M_{B} \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{A\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} x_{B} h_{1}(x_{A}) \left( \bar{h}_{L}(x_{B}) + \bar{h}_{L}(x_{B}) \right) \\
+ \lambda_{A} \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} x_{A} \left( h_{L}(x_{A}) + \tilde{h}_{L}(x_{A}) \right) \bar{h}_{1}(x_{B}) \\
+ \lambda_{A} \frac{M_{B} \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} x_{B} g_{1}(x_{A}) \left( \bar{g}_{T}(x_{B}) + \bar{\tilde{g}}_{T}(x_{B}) \right) \right\},$$
(6.14)

where the twist three functions are the ones given in chapter 2,

$$\tilde{g}_T(x) = g_T(x) - \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{2M^2} \, \frac{g_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2)}{x} - \frac{m}{M} \frac{h_1(x)}{x}, \tag{6.15}$$

$$\tilde{h}_L(x) = h_L(x) + \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{M^2} \, \frac{h_{1L}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2)}{x} - \frac{m}{M} \frac{g_1(x)}{x}.$$
(6.16)

We will consider the various possibilities for unpolarized (O) and longitudinally (L) or transversely polarized (T) target hadrons.

#### 6.2.1 Drell-Yan cross sections for unpolarized hadrons

Integrated over the transverse momenta of the produced mu pair one has for unpolarized hadrons,

$$\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{3} \ (-g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}) \ f_1(x_A) \bar{f}_1(x_B), \tag{6.17}$$

and the cross section up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(AB \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B \, dy} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{3 \, Q^2} \, \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^2\right) \, f_1(x_A) \, \overline{f}_1(x_B), \tag{6.18}$$

and integrated over the muon angular distribution,

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(AB \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{9 \, Q^2} \, f_1(x_A) \, \overline{f}_1(x_B). \tag{6.19}$$

#### 6.2.2 Longitudinal double spin asymmetry in Drell-Yan scattering

Integrated over transverse momenta, there are no single spin asymmetries. For the case that both hadrons are longitudinally polarized, the hadronic tensor is

$$\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{3} \lambda_A \lambda_B \ (-g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}) \ g_1(x_A) \bar{g}_1(x_B), \tag{6.20}$$

and the cross section up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{LL}(\vec{A}\vec{B}\to\mu^+\mu^-X)}{dx_A\,dx_B\,dy} = \frac{4\pi\,\alpha^2}{3\,Q^2}\,\left(\frac{1}{2}-y+y^2\right)\,\lambda_A\,\lambda_B\,g_1(x_A)\,\overline{g}_1(x_B),\tag{6.21}$$

and integrated over the muon angular distribution,

$$\frac{d\sigma_{LL}(\vec{A}\vec{B} \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{9 \, Q^2} \, \lambda_A \lambda_B \, g_1(x_A) \, \overline{g}_1(x_B). \tag{6.22}$$

#### 6.2.3 Transverse double spin asymmetry in Drell-Yan scattering

For the case that both hadrons are transversely polarized, the hadronic tensor is

$$\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = -\frac{1}{3} \left( S_{A\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}} - S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) h_1(x_A) \bar{h}_1(x_B)$$
(6.23)

and the cross section up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{TT}(\vec{A}\vec{B} \to \mu^+\mu^-X)}{dx_A \, dx_B \, dy} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{3 \, Q^2} \, |\mathbf{S}_{A\perp}| \, |\mathbf{S}_{B\perp}| \, y(1-y) \, \cos(\phi_s^A + \phi_s^B) \, h_1(x_A) \, \overline{h}_1(x_B), \tag{6.24}$$

and integrated over the muon angular distribution,

$$\frac{d\sigma_{TT}(\vec{A}\vec{B}\to\mu^+\mu^-X)}{dx_A\,dx_B} = \frac{2\pi\,\alpha^2}{9\,Q^2}\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{A\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{B\perp}|\,\cos(\phi_s^A+\phi_s^B)\,h_1(x_A)\,\overline{h}_1(x_B).\tag{6.25}$$

#### 6.2.4 Longitudinal-transverse double spin asymmetry in Drell-Yan scattering

For the case that one hadron is longitudinally polarized and the second transverse, the hadronic tensor is

$$\mathcal{W}^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{3} \lambda_A \left\{ \frac{M_A \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} x_A \left( h_L(x_A) + \tilde{h}_L(x_A) \right) \bar{h}_1(x_B) + \frac{M_B \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} x_B g_1(x_A) \left( \bar{g}_T(x_B) + \overline{\tilde{g}}_T(x_B) \right) \right\},$$
(6.26)

and the cross section up to  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{LT}(\vec{A}\vec{B} \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}X)}{dx_{A} dx_{B} dy} = -\frac{4\pi \alpha^{2}}{3 Q^{2}} \lambda_{A} |\mathbf{S}_{B\perp}| (1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)} \cos(\phi_{s}^{B}) \\
\times \left[ \frac{M_{A}x_{A}}{Q} \left( h_{L}(x_{A}) + \tilde{h}_{L}(x_{A}) \right) \bar{h}_{1}(x_{B}) + \frac{M_{B}x_{B}}{Q} g_{1}(x_{A}) \left( \bar{g}_{T}(x_{B}) + \bar{\tilde{g}}_{T}(x_{B}) \right) \right].$$
(6.27)

which vanishes upon integration over the muon angle.

#### 6.3 Azimuthal asymmetries in Drell-Yan scattering

We will consider separately the various possibilities involving unpolarized (O), longitudinally polarized (L) and transversely polarized (T) hadrons.

#### 6.3.1 Azimuthal asymmetries in unpolarized Drell-Yan scattering

The relevant result expressed in terms of the twist two and twist three distribution functions and perpendicular tensors and vectors is

$$\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{3} \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_{aT} d^2 \mathbf{k}_{bT} \,\delta^2 (\mathbf{k}_{aT} + \mathbf{k}_{bT} - \mathbf{q}_T) \times \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \Big[ f_1 \bar{f}_1 \Big] + \frac{\hat{z}^{\{\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \Big[ -f_1 \bar{f}_1 + 2x_A \, f^{\perp} \bar{f}_1 \Big] + \frac{\hat{z}^{\{\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \Big[ f_1 \bar{f}_1 - 2x_B \, f_1 \bar{f}^{\perp} \Big] \right\}, 
= -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} I[f_1 \bar{f}_1] + z^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}} \left( \frac{M_A}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_a^x}{M_A} \, x_A (f^{\perp} + \tilde{f}^{\perp}) \bar{f}_1 \right] - \frac{M_B}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_b^x}{M_B} \, x_B \, f_1 \, (\bar{f}^{\perp} + \bar{f}^{\perp}) \Big] \right),$$
(6.28)

where the last expression involves integrals of the type

$$I\left[k_{a}^{x} f^{\perp} \bar{f}_{1}\right](x_{A}, x_{B}, \boldsymbol{q}_{T}) = \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{aT} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{bT} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{k}_{aT} + \boldsymbol{k}_{bT} - \boldsymbol{q}_{T}) \,k_{aT}^{x} f^{\perp}(x_{A}, \boldsymbol{k}_{aT}) \bar{f}_{1}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}).$$
(6.29)

Note that a contribution proportional to  $\hat{z} {}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} \hat{x}_{\rho}$  appears, but it is multiplied with integrals of the type  $I[k_a^y f^{\perp}(x_A, |\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}|) \bar{f}_1(x_B, |Q_T \hat{x} - \mathbf{k}_{a\perp}|)]$ , which vanish.

The cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(AB \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B \, dy \, d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{Q^2} \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^2\right) I\left[f_1 \bar{f}_1\right] -(1 - 2y)\sqrt{y(1 - y)} \cos \phi \left(\frac{M_A}{Q} I\left[\frac{k_a^x}{M_A} x_A (f^\perp + \tilde{f}^\perp) \bar{f}_1\right] -\frac{M_B}{Q} I\left[\frac{k_b^x}{M_B} x_B f_1 (\bar{f}^\perp + \bar{f}^\perp)\right] \right\}. \quad (6.30)$$

#### 6.3.2 Azimuthal asymmetries in singly polarized Drell-Yan scattering

There is at tree level up to order 1/Q no azimuthal asymmetry in single spin asymmetries.

#### 6.3.3 Azimuthal asymmetries in doubly polarized LL-asymmetries

The relevant result expressed in terms of the twist two and twist three distribution functions and perpendicular tensors and vectors is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{aT} \, d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{bT} \, \delta^{2} (\mathbf{k}_{aT} + \mathbf{k}_{bT} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \\ &\times \lambda_{A} \lambda_{B} \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1L} \right] - \frac{k_{a\perp}^{\{\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{\{\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1L} - 2x_{A} g_{L}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1L} - \frac{M_{B}}{M_{A}} 2x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{L} + \frac{m}{M_{A}} 2 h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1L} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} \right] \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{\{\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ -g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1L} + 2x_{B} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp} + \frac{M_{A}}{M_{B}} 2x_{A} h_{L} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} - \frac{m}{M_{A}} 2 g_{1L} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} \right] \right\}, \\ &= \lambda_{A} \lambda_{B} \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} I \left[ g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1L} \right] - \left( 2 \, \hat{x}^{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) I \left[ \frac{k_{a}^{x} k_{b}^{x} - k_{a}^{y} k_{b}^{y}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} \right] \\ &+ \hat{z}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}} \left( -\frac{M_{A}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_{a}^{x}}{M_{A}} x_{A} \left( g_{\perp}^{\perp} + \tilde{g}_{\perp}^{\perp} \right) \bar{g}_{1L} \right] - \frac{M_{B}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_{a}^{x}}{M_{A}} x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} (\bar{h}_{L} + \bar{\bar{h}_{L}) \right] \\ &+ \frac{M_{B}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_{b}^{x}}{M_{B}} x_{B} g_{1L} (\bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] + \frac{M_{A}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_{b}^{x}}{M_{B}} x_{A} \left( h_{L} + \tilde{h}_{L} \right) \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp} \right] \right\}, \quad (6.31)$$

The cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{LL}(\vec{A}\vec{B} \to \mu^+ \mu^- X)}{dx_A \, dx_B \, dy \, d^2 q_T} = \frac{4\pi \, \alpha^2}{Q^2} \, \lambda_A \, \lambda_B \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^2\right) I\left[g_{1L}\bar{g}_{1L}\right] \\
+ y(1 - y) \, \cos 2\phi \, I\left[\frac{k_a^x k_b^x - k_a^y k_b^y}{M_A M_B} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp}\right] \\
+ (1 - 2y) \sqrt{y(1 - y)} \, \cos \phi \left(\frac{M_A}{Q} \, I\left[\frac{k_a^x}{M_A} x_A \left(g_L^{\perp} + \tilde{g}_L^{\perp}\right) \bar{g}_{1L}\right] \\
+ \frac{M_B}{Q} \, I\left[\frac{k_a^x}{M_A} x_B \, h_{1L}^{\perp} (\bar{h}_L + \bar{h}_L)\right] \\
- \frac{M_B}{Q} \, I\left[\frac{k_b^x}{M_B} \, x_B \, g_{1L} \left(\bar{g}_L^{\perp} + \bar{g}_L^{\perp}\right) \right] \\
- \frac{M_A}{Q} \, I\left[\frac{k_b^x}{M_B} \, x_A \left(h_L + \tilde{h}_L\right) \bar{h}_{1L}^{\perp}\right]\right) \right\}. \quad (6.32)$$

#### 6.3.4 Azimuthal asymmetries in doubly polarized LT-asymmetries

The relevant result expressed in terms of the twist two and twist three distribution functions and perpendicular tensors and vectors is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{aT} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{bT} \, \delta^{2} (\mathbf{k}_{aT} + \mathbf{k}_{bT} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \, \lambda_{A} \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ \frac{\mathbf{k}_{bT} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1T} \right] \right. \\ &\left. - \frac{k_{a\perp}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu)}}{M_{A} M_{B}} + (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{a\perp}^{(\mu} \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}^{\nu)}}{M_{A}} + (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{B}^{\perp} 2x_{A} g_{\perp}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1T} - \frac{M_{B}}{M_{A}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{T} \\ &\left. + \frac{\hat{x}^{(\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\nu)}}{M_{A}} \left[ \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{M_{B}} 2x_{A} g_{\perp}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1T} - \frac{M_{B}}{M_{A}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{T} \right] \\ &\left. + \frac{\hat{x}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu)}}{M_{A}} \left[ -\frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{g}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} \right] \\ &\left. + \frac{\hat{x}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu)}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1T} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} 2x_{B} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} \\ &\left. + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}}{M_{B}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1T} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2x_{B} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} \\ &\left. + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2x_{A} h_{L} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\mathbf{m}}{M_{B}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} 2g_{1L} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} \\ &\left. + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} + 2x_{B} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} - \frac{\mathbf{m}}{M_{B}} 2g_{1L} \bar{h}_{1T} \\ &\left. + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} 2x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{T}^{\perp} \\ &\left. + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} \\ &\left. + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp}^{2}}{M_{A} M_{B}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot$$

This can be rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{aT} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{bT} \, \delta^{2} (\mathbf{k}_{aT} + \mathbf{k}_{bT} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \, \lambda_{A} \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ g_{1L} \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} \, \bar{g}_{1T} \right] \right. \\ &\left. - \frac{k_{a\perp}^{\{\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}) \, g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \, \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{a\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}) \, g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A}} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{\hat{z}^{\{\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\nu\}}}{M_{A}} \left[ \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} \, x_{A} \left( g_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp} \right) \bar{g}_{1T} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} \, x_{B} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \bar{h}_{T} + \bar{\bar{h}}_{T} \right) \right] \\ &\left. + \frac{\hat{z}^{\{\mu} k_{b\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} \, x_{B} \, g_{1L} \left( \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} \right) + \frac{M_{A}}{M_{B}} \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_{b\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} \, x_{A} \left( h_{L} + \bar{h}_{L} \right) \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \, x_{B} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \bar{h}_{T}^{\perp} + \bar{\bar{h}}_{T}^{\perp} \right) \right] \\ &\left. + \frac{M_{B} \, \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ x_{B} \, g_{1L} \left( \bar{g}_{T}' + \bar{g}_{T}' \right) + \frac{M_{A}}{M_{B}} \, x_{A} \left( h_{L} + \tilde{h}_{L} \right) \bar{h}_{1T} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \, x_{B} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \bar{h}_{T}^{\perp} + \bar{\bar{h}}_{T}^{\perp} \right) \right] \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

 $\operatorname{or}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \lambda_{A} \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} S_{B}^{x} I \left[ \frac{k_{b}^{x}}{M_{B}} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1T} \right] - \left( \hat{x}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}} + S_{B}^{x} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) I \left[ \frac{k_{a}^{x}}{M_{A}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1} \right] \right. \\ &- \left( \left( 2\hat{x}^{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) S_{B}^{x} - \hat{x}^{\{\mu} \hat{y}^{\nu\}} S_{B}^{y} \right) \\ &\times I \left[ \frac{4 \, k_{a}^{x} (k_{b}^{x})^{2} - 2 \, k_{b}^{x} (k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}) - k_{a}^{x} \, k_{b\perp}^{2}}{2 \, M_{A} M_{B}^{2}} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} \right] \\ &+ \hat{z}^{\{\mu} S_{B\perp}^{\nu\}} \left( \frac{M_{B}}{Q} \, x_{B} \, I \left[ g_{1L} (\bar{g}_{T} + \bar{g}_{T}) \right] + \frac{M_{A}}{Q} \, x_{A} \, I \left[ (h_{L} + \tilde{h}_{L}) \, \bar{h}_{1} \right] \\ &- \frac{M_{B}}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}}{2 \, M_{A} M_{B}} \, x_{B} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} (\bar{h}_{T} - \bar{h}_{T}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{T} - \bar{h}_{T}^{\perp}) \right] \\ &- \frac{M_{A}}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}}{2 \, M_{A} M_{B}} \, x_{A} \left( g_{L}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{L}^{\perp} \right) \bar{g}_{1T} \right] \right) \\ &+ \left( \hat{z}^{\{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu\}} \, S_{B}^{x} - \hat{z}^{\{\mu} \hat{y}^{\nu\}} \, S_{B}^{y} \right) \left( \frac{M_{B}}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{2 \, (k_{b}^{x})^{2} - k_{b\perp}^{2}}{2 \, M_{B}^{2}} \, x_{B} \, g_{1L} \left( \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{T}^{\perp} \right) \right] \\ &+ \frac{M_{A}}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{2 \, (k_{b}^{x})^{2} - k_{b\perp}^{2}}{2 \, M_{B}^{2}} \, x_{B} \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \bar{h}_{T} + \bar{h}_{T}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{T} \right) \right] \\ &- \frac{M_{B}}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{2 \, k_{a}^{x} k_{b} - k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}}{2 \, M_{A} M_{B}} \, x_{A} \left( g_{L}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{L}^{\perp} \right) \bar{g}_{1T} \right] \right) \right\}. \tag{6.34}$$

The cross section is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma_{LT}(\vec{A}\vec{B} \to \mu^+\mu^- X)}{dx_A dx_B dy d^2 q_T} &= \frac{4\pi \alpha^2}{Q^2} \lambda_A |S_{B\perp}| \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^2\right) \cos(\phi - \phi_s^B) I\left[\frac{k_b^x}{M_B} g_{1L} \bar{g}_{1T}\right] \right. \\ &+ y(1 - y) \cos(\phi + \phi_s^B) I\left[\frac{k_a^x}{M_A} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_1\right] \\ &+ y(1 - y) \cos(3\phi - \phi_s^B) I\left[\frac{4 k_a^x (k_b^x)^2 - 2 k_b^x (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}) - k_a^x \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}^2}{2 M_A M_B^2} h_{1L}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp}\right] \\ &- (1 - 2y) \sqrt{y(1 - y)} \cos \phi_s^B \left(\frac{M_B}{Q} x_B I\left[g_{1L}(\bar{g}_T + \bar{g}_T)\right] + \frac{M_A}{Q} x_A I\left[(h_L + \tilde{h}_L) \bar{h}_1\right] \right. \\ &- \frac{M_B}{Q} I\left[\frac{\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{2 M_A M_B} x_B h_{1L}^{\perp} (\bar{h}_T - \bar{h}_T^{\perp} + \bar{h}_T - \bar{h}_T^{\perp})\right] \\ &- (1 - 2y) \sqrt{y(1 - y)} \cos(2\phi - \phi_s^B) \left(\frac{M_B}{Q} I\left[\frac{2 (k_b^x)^2 - \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}^2}{2 M_B^2} x_B g_{1L} (\bar{g}_T^{\perp} + \bar{g}_T^{\perp})\right] \\ &- \left. \left. \left. + \frac{M_A}{Q} I\left[\frac{2 (k_b^x)^2 - \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}^2}{2 M_A^2} x_A (h_L + \tilde{h}_L) \bar{h}_1^{\perp}\right] \right. \\ &- \left. \frac{M_B}{Q} I\left[\frac{2 (k_a^x k_b - \mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{2 M_A M_B} x_B h_{1L}^{\perp} (\bar{h}_T - \bar{h}_T^{\perp} + \bar{h}_T + \bar{h}_T) \right] \\ &- \left. \left. \left. \left. \left. \frac{M_B}{Q} I\left[\frac{2 (k_a^x k_b^x - \mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{2 M_A M_B} x_B h_{1L}^{\perp} (\bar{h}_T + \bar{h}_T^{\perp} + \bar{h}_T + \bar{h}_T) \right] \right. \\ &- \left. \left. \left. \left. \frac{M_B}{Q} I\left[\frac{2 (k_a^x k_b^x - \mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}}{2 M_A M_B} x_A (g_L^{\perp} + \tilde{g}_L^{\perp}) \bar{g}_{1T} \right] \right. \right\right) \right\}. \end{aligned} \right\}.$$
(6.35)

#### 6.3.5 Azimuthal asymmetries in doubly polarized TT-asymmetries

The relevant result expressed in terms of the twist two and twist three distribution functions and perpendicular tensors and vectors is

$$\begin{split} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2}k_{nT} d^{2}k_{bT} \delta^{2}(k_{nT} + k_{bT} - q_{T}) \times \left\{ -g_{T}^{\mu\nu} \left[ \frac{k_{n1} + S_{A1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{A1}}{M_{B}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{A1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{B}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{B}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{B}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{B1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{H1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{H1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{H1}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{h1} + S_{H1}}{M$$

which can be rewritten as

$$\begin{split} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{3} \int d^{2}k_{aT} d^{2}k_{bT} \, \delta^{2}(k_{aT} + k_{bT} - q_{T}) \times \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} g_{1T} \bar{g}_{1T} \right] \\ &- \frac{k_{a\perp}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{(\mu)} + (k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A} M_{B}} \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1T}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} \\ &- \frac{k_{b\perp}^{(\mu} S_{A\perp}^{(\mu)} + (k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{B}} h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} \\ &- \frac{k_{a\perp}^{(\mu} S_{B\perp}^{(\mu)} + (k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} h_{1T}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T} - \left( S_{A\perp}^{(\mu} S_{B\perp}^{(\mu)} + (S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) h_{1T} \bar{h}_{1T} \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{(\mu} k_{a\perp}^{(\mu)}}{M_{A}} \left[ - \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (g_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp}) \bar{g}_{1T} \\ &- \frac{M_{B}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (g_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp}) \bar{g}_{1T} \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{(\mu)}}{Q} \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}^{\perp}) \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp} + (S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}) x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}^{\perp}) \bar{h}_{1T} \right] \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{(\mu)}}{Q} \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{B} g_{1T} (\bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\perp}) \\ &+ \frac{\hat{z}^{(\mu} k_{b\perp}^{(\mu)}}{Q} \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{A\perp}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{B} g_{1T} (\bar{h}_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) - (S_{A\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}) x_{B} h_{1T} (\bar{h}_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) \right] \right] \\ &+ \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{(\mu} S_{b\perp}^{(\mu)}}}{Q} \left[ - \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (g_{\perp}^{\prime} + \bar{g}_{\perp}^{\prime}) \bar{g}_{1T} - \frac{M_{B}}{M_{A}} \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) \right] \\ &+ \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{(\mu} S_{b\perp}^{(\mu)}}}{Q} \left[ - \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) \right] \bar{h}_{1T} - \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{A}} x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) \right] \right] \\ \\ &+ \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{(\mu} (k_{b\perp}^{(\mu)})}{Q} \left[ - \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) \right] \\ &+ \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{(\mu} (k_{b\perp}^{\mu)})}{Q} \left[ - \frac{k_{b\perp} \cdot S_{B\perp}}{M_{B}} x_{A} (h_{\perp}^{\perp} + \bar{h}_{\perp}) \right] \\ \\ &+ \frac{M_{A} \hat{z}^{(\mu} (k_{b\perp}^{(\mu)})$$

or

$$\begin{split} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left( (\mathbf{S}_{A\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{B\perp}) I \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}}{2M_A M_B} g_{BT} \tilde{g}_{TT} \right] + \left( S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} - S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \right) I \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp}^{\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\mu} - k_{b\perp}^{\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\mu}}{2M_A M_B} g_{TT} \bar{g}_{TT} \right] \right) \\ &- \left( S_A^{\mu\mu} S_{d\perp}^{\mu} + (\mathbf{S}_{A\perp} + \mathbf{S}_{A\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) \left( I \left[ h_{1} \bar{h}_{1} \right] - I \left[ \frac{k_{a\perp}^{\mu} k_{a\perp}^{\mu}}{4M_A^{\mu} M_B^{\mu}} N_B^{\mu} \right] S_B^{\mu} \right) I \left[ \frac{(k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2 - (k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2}{2M_A^{\mu}} h_{1} \bar{h}_{1}^{\mu} \right] \right) \\ &- \left( \left( \tilde{x}^{(\mu} S_{\mu\perp}^{\mu)} + S_A^{\mu} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) S_A^{\mu} + \left( \tilde{y}^{(\mu} S_{\mu\perp}^{\mu)} + S_B^{\mu} g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) S_A^{\mu} \right) I \left[ \frac{(k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2 - (k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2}{2M_A^{\mu}} h_{1} \bar{h}_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \left( \left( 2 \tilde{x}^{\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) \left( S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} - S_B^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \right) - \tilde{x}^{(\mu} g^{\mu\nu)} S_A^{\mu} \right) I \left[ \frac{(k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2 - (k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2}{2M_A^{\mu}} h_{1} \bar{h}_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \left( \left( 2 \tilde{x}^{\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) \left( S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} - S_B^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \right) - \tilde{x}^{(\mu} g^{\mu\nu)} S_A^{\mu} \right) I \left[ \frac{(k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2 - (k_{\perp}^{\mu})^2}{2M_A^{\mu}} h_{1} \bar{h}_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \left( \left( 2 \tilde{x}^{\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) \left( S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} - S_B^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \right) - \tilde{x}^{(\mu} g^{\mu\nu)} S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} \overline{h}_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \left( \tilde{x}^{(\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu)} S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} M_{1}^{\mu} I \left[ \frac{k_{\perp}^{\mu}}{M_B} (k_{\perp}^{\mu} + k_{\perp}^{\mu} R_{\perp}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \tilde{x}^{(\mu} S_A^{\mu\nu)} S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} M_{1}^{\mu} I \left[ \frac{k_{\perp}^{\mu}}{M_B} N_{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \tilde{x}^{(\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu\nu)} S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} \right] \\ &- \left( \tilde{z}^{(\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu)} S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \tilde{z}^{\mu} S_A^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} H_{1}^{\mu} I \left[ \frac{k_{\perp}^{\mu}}{M_A^{\mu}} M_{\mu} n_{\mu} (k_{\perp}^{\mu} + \bar{h}_{1}^{\mu}) \right] \right) \\ &- \left( \tilde{z}^{(\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu}) S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} + \tilde{z}^{(\mu} \tilde{y}^{\mu}) S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \right) \left( \frac{M_{1}}{M_{1}} I \left[ \frac{k_{\perp}^{\mu} k_{\perp}^{\mu} k_{\mu}^{\mu}}{M_{1}} R_{\mu} r_{1} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^{\mu} \right] \right) \\ &- \left( \tilde{z}^{(\mu} \tilde{x}^{\mu}) S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} + \tilde{z}^{(\mu} \tilde{y}^{\mu}) S_A^{\mu} S_B^{\mu} \right) \left( \frac{k_{\perp}^{\mu} k_{\mu}^{\mu} k_{\mu}^{\mu}}{M_{1}} R_{\mu} r_{1} h_{1}^{\mu} h_{1}^$$

The cross section is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma_{\tau T}(\vec{A}\vec{B} \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}X)}{dx_{A} dx_{B} dy d^{2} q_{T}} &= \frac{4\pi \alpha^{2}}{Q^{2}} |S_{A\perp}| |S_{B\perp}| \left\{ \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^{2}\right) \cos(\phi_{s}^{A} - \phi_{s}^{B}) I\left[\frac{k_{a\perp} \cdot k_{b\perp}}{2 M_{A} M_{B}} g_{1T} \bar{g}_{1T}\right] \right. \\ &+ \left(\frac{1}{2} - y + y^{2}\right) \cos(\phi_{s}^{A} + \phi_{s}^{B} - 2\phi) I\left[\frac{k_{a}^{x} k_{b}^{x} - k_{a}^{y} k_{b}^{y}}{2 M_{A} M_{B}} g_{1T} \bar{g}_{1T}\right] \\ &+ y(1 - y) \cos(\phi_{s}^{A} + \phi_{s}^{B}) \left(I\left[h_{1} \bar{h}_{1}\right] - I\left[\frac{k_{a}^{2} \perp k_{b\perp}^{2}}{4 M_{A}^{2} M_{B}^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp}\right] \right) \\ &+ y(1 - y) \cos(2\phi + \phi_{s}^{A} - \phi_{s}^{B}) I\left[\frac{(k_{b}^{x})^{2} - (k_{b}^{y})^{2}}{2 M_{B}^{2}} h_{1} \bar{h}_{1T}^{\perp}\right] \\ &+ y(1 - y) \cos(2\phi - \phi_{s}^{A} + \phi_{s}^{B}) I\left[\frac{(k_{a}^{x})^{2} - (k_{a}^{y})^{2}}{2 M_{A}^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp} \bar{h}_{1}\right] \\ &+ \ldots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} & \cdots \\ -y(1-y)\cos(4\phi-\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi_{s}^{B})I\left[\frac{[(k_{s}^{A})^{2}-(k_{s}^{B})^{2}][(k_{s}^{A})^{2}-(k_{s}^{B})^{2}]-4k_{s}^{A}k_{s}^{A}k_{s}^{A}k_{s}^{A}}{h_{T}^{A}}\tilde{h}_{T}^{+}\right] \\ +(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\cos\phi_{s}^{A}\cos(\phi_{s}^{B}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{A}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{F}}{M_{B}}x_{s}\left(g_{T}+\tilde{g}_{T}\right)\tilde{g}_{1T}\right] \\ & +\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{F}}{M_{B}}x_{s}h_{1}\left(\bar{h}_{T}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ +(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin\phi_{s}^{A}\sin(\phi_{s}^{B}-\phi)\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{L}^{F}}{M_{Q}}x_{u}h_{1}\left(\bar{h}_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ +(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\cos(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\cos(\phi_{s}^{B}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{A}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{F}\left[(k_{s}^{A})^{2}-(k_{s}^{A})^{2}\right]}{2M_{A}^{A}M_{B}}x_{u}h_{1}^{i}T\left(\bar{h}_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ +\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{F}\left[(k_{s}^{A})^{2}-(k_{s}^{A})^{2}\right]}{2M_{A}^{A}M_{B}}x_{u}h_{1}^{i}T\left(\bar{h}_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ +\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}(k_{s}^{A})^{2}-(k_{s}^{A})^{2}}{2M_{A}^{A}M_{B}}x_{u}h_{1}^{i}T\left(\bar{h}_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ +(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{y}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{A}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}u_{s}^{K}w_{s}}{M_{A}^{A}M_{B}}x_{u}h_{1}^{i}T\left(\bar{h}_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ +(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{y}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{A}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}u_{s}^{K}w_{s}}{M_{A}^{A}M_{B}}x_{u}h_{1}^{i}T\left(\bar{h}_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+}\right)\right] \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{A}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}u_{s}^{K}w_{s}}{M_{A}}x_{u}(h_{T}+\bar{h}_{T})\bar{h}_{1}\right] \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\cos(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\cos(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}}{M_{A}}x_{u}(h_{T}+\bar{h}_{T})\bar{h}_{1}\right] \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\cos(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\cos(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}}{M_{A}}(k_{s}^{A}+\bar{h}_{T}^{+})\bar{h}_{1}^{+}\right] \right) \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}}{M_{A}}k_{s}^{K}}(h_{T}+\bar{h}_{T})\bar{h}_{1}^{+}\right] \right) \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}}{M_{A}}k_{s}^{K}}x_{u}(h_{T}^{+}+\bar{h}_{T})\bar{h}_{1}^{+}\right] \right) \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}}{M_{A}}k_{s}^{K}}(h_{T}+\bar{h}_{T})\bar{h}_{1}^{+}\right] \right) \\ -(1-2y)\sqrt{y(1-y)}\sin(2\phi-\phi_{s}^{A})\sin(\phi_{s}^{A}-\phi)\left(\frac{M_{B}}{Q}I\left[\frac{k_{s}^{K}}{$$

### 6.4 Convolutions and gaussian distributions

In order to study the behavior of the convolutions of distribution, it is useful to consider gaussian distributions,

$$f(x_A, \mathbf{k}_{aT}) = f(x_A, \mathbf{0}_T) \exp(-R_a^2 \mathbf{k}_{aT}^2) = f(x_A) \frac{R_a^2}{\pi} \exp(-R_a^2 \mathbf{k}_{aT}^2),$$
(6.39)

$$\bar{f}(x_B, \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}) = \bar{f}(x_B, \boldsymbol{0}_T) \exp(-R_b^2 \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}^2) = f(x_B) \underbrace{\frac{R_b^2}{\pi} \exp(-R_b^2 \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}^2)}_{\mathscr{P}(\boldsymbol{k}_{bT}, R_b)}, \tag{6.40}$$

In that case the convolution becomes

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$$I[f \bar{f}] = \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{aT} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{bT} \, \delta^{2} (\mathbf{k}_{aT} + \mathbf{k}_{bT} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \, f(x_{A}, \mathbf{k}_{aT}) \, \bar{f}(x_{B}, \mathbf{k}_{bT})$$
  
$$= \frac{\pi}{R_{a}^{2} + R_{b}^{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{Q_{T}^{2} R_{a}^{2} R_{b}^{2}}{R_{a}^{2} + R_{b}^{2}}\right) \, f(x_{A}, \mathbf{0}_{T}) \, \bar{f}(x_{B}, \mathbf{0}_{T})$$
  
$$= f(x_{A}) \, \bar{f}(x_{B}) \, \mathscr{P}(\mathbf{q}_{T}; R)$$
(6.41)

with  $R^2 = R_a^2 R_b^2 / (R_a^2 + R_b^2)$ . The other convolutions that appear in the cross sections are of the form

$$I\left[\frac{k_a^x}{M_a}f\,\bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^2}{R_a^2}\frac{Q_T}{M_a}\,I[f\,\bar{f}],\tag{6.42}$$

$$I\left[\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{aT} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}}{M_a M_b} f \,\bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^2}{M_a M_b R_a^2 R_b^2} \left(Q_T^2 \,R^2 - 1\right) \,I[f \,\bar{f}],\tag{6.43}$$

$$I\left[\frac{2(k_a^x)^2 - \mathbf{k}_{aT}^2}{2M_a^2} f \bar{f}\right] = I\left[\frac{(k_a^x)^2 - (k_a^y)^2}{2M_a^2} f \bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^4}{R_a^4} \frac{Q_T^2}{2M_a^2} I[f \bar{f}], \tag{6.44}$$

$$I\left[\frac{2\,k_a^x k_b^x - \mathbf{k}_{aT} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{bT}}{2M_a M_b}\,f\,\bar{f}\right] = I\left[\frac{k_a^x k_b^x - k_a^y k_b^y}{2M_a M_b}\,f\,\bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^4}{R_a^2 R_b^2}\,\frac{Q_T^2}{2M_a M_b}\,I[f\,\bar{f}],\tag{6.45}$$

$$I\left[\frac{k_a^x[(k_b^x)^2 - (k_b^y)^2]}{2M_a M_b^2} f \bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^4}{R_a^2 R_b^4} \frac{Q_T}{2M_a M_b^2} \left(Q_T^2 R^2 - 1\right) I[f \bar{f}],$$
(6.46)

$$I\left[\frac{k_b^x k_a^y k_b^y}{M_a M_b^2} f \,\bar{f}\right] = -\frac{R^4}{R_a^2 R_b^4} \frac{Q_T}{2M_a M_b^2} I[f \,\bar{f}],\tag{6.47}$$

$$\left[\frac{k_a^x [(k_b^x)^2 - (k_b^y)^2] - 2k_b^x k_a^y k_b^y}{2M_a M_b^2} f \bar{f}\right] \\
= I \left[\frac{4 k_a^x (k_b^x)^2 - 2 k_b^x (\mathbf{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}) - k_a^x \mathbf{k}_{b\perp}^2}{2M_a M_b^2} f \bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^6}{R_a^2 R_b^4} \frac{Q_T^3}{2M_a M_b^2} I[f \bar{f}], \quad (6.48)$$

$$I\left[\frac{\left[(k_a^x)^2 - (k_a^y)^2\right]\left[(k_b^x)^2 - (k_b^y)^2\right] - 4k_a^x k_a^y k_b^x k_b^y}{4M_a^2 M_b^2} f \bar{f}\right] = \frac{R^8}{R_a^4 R_b^4} \frac{Q_T^4}{4M_a^2 M_b^2} I[f \bar{f}].$$
(6.49)

Another way to deconvolute the results are using the following weighted quantities,

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T}{M_a} I \Big[ \frac{k_a^x}{M_a} f \, \bar{f} \Big] = 2 \, f^{(1)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}(x_B), \tag{6.50}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{M_a M_b} \, I \left[ \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{aT} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}}{M_a M_b} \, f \, \bar{f} \right] = 4 \, f^{(1)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}^{(1)}(x_B), \tag{6.51}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{M_a^2} \, I \Big[ \frac{2(k_a^x)^2 - \boldsymbol{k}_{aT}^2}{2M_a^2} \, f \, \bar{f} \Big] = 2 \, f^{(2)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}(x_B), \tag{6.52}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{M_a M_b} I \left[ \frac{2 \, k_a^x k_b^x - \boldsymbol{k}_{aT} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{bT}}{2 M_a M_b} f \, \bar{f} \right] = 4 \, f^{(1)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}^{(1)}(x_B), \tag{6.53}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^3}{M_a M_b^2} \, I \Big[ \frac{k_a^x [(k_b^x)^2 - (k_b^y)^2]}{2M_a M_b^2} \, f \, \bar{f} \Big] = 8 \, f^{(1)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}^{(2)}(x_B), \tag{6.54}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^3}{M_a M_b^2} I\left[\frac{k_b^x k_a^y k_b^y}{M_a M_b^2} f \, \bar{f}\right] = -4 \, f^{(1)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}^{(2)}(x_B), \tag{6.55}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} \, \frac{Q_{\scriptscriptstyle T}^3}{M_a M_b^2} \, I \Big[ \frac{4 \, k_a^x (k_b^x)^2 - 2 \, k_b^x \, (\boldsymbol{k}_{a\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{b\perp}) - k_a^x \, \boldsymbol{k}_{b\perp}^2}{2M_a M_b^2} \, f \, \bar{f} \Big] = 12 \, f^{(1)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}^{(2)}(x_B), \tag{6.56}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^4}{M_a^2 M_b^2} \, I \Big[ \frac{[(k_a^x)^2 - (k_a^y)^2] \, [(k_b^x)^2 - (k_b^y)^2] - 4k_a^x k_a^y k_b^x k_b^y}{4M_a^2 M_b^2} \, f \, \bar{f} \Big] = 24 \, f^{(2)}(x_A) \, \bar{f}^{(2)}(x_B), (6.57)$$

where  $f^{(n)}(x_A)$  indicate the  $(\mathbf{k}_{a\tau}^2/2M_a^2)^n$ -moments of  $f(x_A, \mathbf{k}_{a\tau}^2)$ ,

$$f^{(n)}(x_A) = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_{aT} \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{aT}^2}{2M_a^2}\right)^n f(x_A, \boldsymbol{k}_{aT}^2) = \frac{n!}{(2M_a^2 R_a^2)^n} f(x_A).$$
(6.58)

# Chapter 7

# Lepton-hadron up to $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$

#### 7.1 Inclusion of gluon contributions

We will consider in this section the inclusion of diagrams with gluons connecting the soft and hard part. The additional contribution is given by four diagrams. Two of them have gluons connected to the lower soft part (the hadron  $\rightarrow$  quark part), the others gluons connected to the upper soft part (the quark  $\rightarrow$  hadron part). Including the contribution of the handbag one has

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \, \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \Phi(p)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)\gamma_{\nu} \right] \\ - \int d^4p \, d^4k \, d^4p_1 \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \left\{ \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\alpha} \, \frac{(\not{k}-\not{p}_1+m)}{(k-p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\nu} \Phi^{\alpha}_A(p,p-p_1)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k) \right] \right. \\ \left. + \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\mu} \, \frac{(\not{k}-\not{p}_1+m)}{(k-p_1)^2 - m^2 - i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\alpha}\Delta(k)\gamma_{\nu} \Phi^{\alpha}_A(p-p_1,p) \right] \right\} \\ \left. - \int d^4p \, d^4k \, d^4k_1 \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \left\{ \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\nu} \, \frac{(\not{p}-\not{k}_1+m)}{(p-k_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\alpha}\Phi(p)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta^{\alpha}_A(k-k_1,k) \right] \right. \\ \left. + \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\alpha} \, \frac{(\not{p}-\not{k}_1+m)}{(p-k_1)^2 - m^2 - i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\mu}\Delta^{\alpha}_A(k,k-k_1)\gamma_{\nu}\Phi(p) \right] \right\} (7.1)$$

[Note that we have for a quark-quark-gluon blob used momentum  $p_1$  (or  $k_1$ ) for the gluon and  $p - p_1$  (or  $k - k_1$ ) for the quark. This is easier to extend when we consider multiple gluon correlation functions.] The momenta  $p_1$  and  $k_1$  connected to the soft hadronic parts are parametrized according to

$$p_1 = \left[p_1^-, \frac{x_1 Q}{\sqrt{2}}, p_{1T}\right],$$
 (7.2)

$$k_1 = \left[\frac{z_1 Q}{\sqrt{2}}, k_1^+, \boldsymbol{k}_{1T}\right],$$
 (7.3)

The momentum appearing in the extra fermion propagator is  $p - p_1 + q = k - p_1$  with  $(k - p_1)^2 = -x_1 Q^2$ , or  $k - k_1 - q = p - k_1$  with  $(p - k_1)^2 = -z_1 Q^2$ . Thus one has in leading order in 1/Q,

$$\frac{\not{k} - \not{p}_1 + m}{(k - p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} = \frac{\gamma^-}{Q\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\gamma^+}{(x_1 - i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\gamma_{\scriptscriptstyle T} \cdot (k_{\scriptscriptstyle T} - p_{1T}) - m}{(x_1 - i\epsilon)Q^2},$$
(7.4)

$$\frac{\not p - k_1 + m}{(p - k_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} = \frac{\gamma^+}{Q\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\gamma^-}{(z_1 - i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\gamma_T \cdot (p_T - k_{1T}) - m}{(z_1 - i\epsilon)Q^2}.$$
(7.5)

This can be used to consider separately the contributions of transverse  $(A_T^{\alpha})$  and longitudinal  $(A^+)$  gluons. For the transverse gluons, the trace of the first gluonic contribution becomes

$$\begin{split} &-\int d^4p \, d^4k \, d^4p_1 \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_\alpha \, \frac{\not k - \not p_1 + m}{(k-p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \, \gamma_\nu \Phi^\alpha_A(p,p-p_1) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \right] \\ &= \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \int \frac{d^4p_1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \int d^4y \, e^{i \, (p-p_1) \cdot x + i \, p_1 \cdot y} \\ & \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_\alpha \, \gamma^-}{Q \sqrt{2}} \, \gamma_\nu \, g A^\alpha_T(y) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle, \end{split}$$

which starts off at order 1/Q and at this order requires leading parts from  $\Phi_A^{\alpha}$  (proportional to  $P_+\Phi_A^{\alpha}P_-$ ) and leading parts from  $\Delta$  (proportional to  $P_-\Delta P_+$ ). As  $\{\gamma^-, \gamma_T^{\alpha}\} = 0$  and  $\gamma^- P_+ = P_-\gamma^- = 0$  only the  $\gamma^- = P_+\gamma^- P_-$  part in Eq. 7.4 contributes. This term is independent of any of the components of  $p_1$ , and we thus can immediately consider the distributions  $\int d^4p_1 \Phi_A^{\alpha}(p, p - p_1)$ , or explicitly

$$\int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \int d^4x \, e^{i \, p \cdot x} \, \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_\alpha \, \gamma^-}{Q\sqrt{2}} \, \gamma_\nu \, g A^\alpha_{\scriptscriptstyle T}(x) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle.$$
(7.6)

This contribution will be studied in the next section. Note that it can be written in terms of the covariant derivative as

$$\int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \int d^4x \, e^{i \, p \cdot x} \, \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_\alpha \, \gamma^-}{Q\sqrt{2}} \, \gamma_\nu \, i \, D^\alpha_T(x) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle$$
$$- \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \, p^\alpha_T \int d^4x \, e^{i \, p \cdot x} \, \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_\alpha \, \gamma^-}{Q\sqrt{2}} \, \gamma_\nu \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle. \tag{7.7}$$

In this section we consider next the contributions of longitudinal gluons  $(A^+)$ . They lead to traces of the form

$$-\int d^4p \, d^4k \, d^4p_1 \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \operatorname{Tr}\left[\gamma^- \frac{\not k - \not p_1 + m}{(k-p_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \, \gamma_\nu \Phi^+_A(p,p-p_1) \gamma_\mu \Delta(k)\right]$$

The first term in Eq. 7.4 does not contribute. The second term contributes at  $\mathscr{O}(1)$  as the dominant contribution in  $\Phi_A^+$  is the part projected out by  $\int dp_1^- P_+ \Phi_A^+ P_-$  which is of  $\mathscr{O}(Q)$ . Explicitly, we get for the first correction in Eq. 7.1

$$-\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{d^{4}p_{1}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}x \int d^{4}y \, e^{i(p-p_{1})\cdot x+ip_{1}\cdot y} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma^{+}}{(x_{1}-i\epsilon) Q \sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} \, g A^{+}(y) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle \\ = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{dx_{1}}{2\pi} \int d^{4}x \int dy^{-} \frac{e^{-ix_{1}p^{+}(x^{-}-y^{-})}}{x_{1}-i\epsilon} e^{ip\cdot x} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}}{2} \gamma_{\nu} \, g A^{+}(y) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle \Big|_{y^{+}=x^{+}, \ y_{T}=x_{T}} \\ = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int d^{4}x \int dy^{-} \, \theta(y^{-}-x^{-}) \, e^{ip\cdot x} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) P_{+} \gamma_{\nu} \, ig A^{+}(y^{-}) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle \\ = -\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int d^{4}x \, e^{ip\cdot x} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) P_{+} \gamma_{\nu} \, ig \int_{\infty}^{x^{-}} dy^{-} A^{+}(y^{-}) \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle.$$

$$(7.8)$$

The second term in Eq. 7.1 gives

$$-\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, d^{4}p_{1} \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\mu} \, \frac{(\not{k}-\not{p}_{1}+m)}{(k-p_{1})^{2}-m^{2}-i\epsilon} \, \gamma^{-}\Delta(k) \gamma_{\nu} \, \Phi^{+}_{A}(p-p_{1},p) \right] \\ = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int d^{4}x \, e^{i \, p \cdot x} \\ \times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \, ig \int_{\infty}^{0} dy^{-} \, A^{+}(y^{-}) \, \gamma_{\mu} \, P_{-} \, \Delta(k) \, \gamma_{\nu} \, \psi(x) | P, S \rangle$$
(7.9)

The last two terms in Eq. 7.1 give

$$\begin{split} &-\int d^4p \, d^4k \, d^4k_1 \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \Biggl\{ \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\nu} \, \frac{(\not\!\!p-k_1+m)}{(p-k_1)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \, \gamma^+ \Phi(p) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta_A^-(k_1,k) \right] \\ &+ \mathrm{Tr} \left[ \gamma^+ \, \frac{(\not\!\!p-k_1+m)}{(p-k_1)^2 - m^2 - i\epsilon} \, \gamma_{\mu} \Delta_A^-(k,k-k_1) \gamma_{\nu} \Phi(p) \right] \Biggr\} \\ &= \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \int d^4x \, e^{i \, k \cdot x} \\ &\times \Biggl\{ \mathrm{Tr} \, \langle 0|\psi(x) \, a_h^\dagger a_h \, ig \int_{-\infty}^0 dy^+ \, A^-(y^+) \, \overline{\psi}(0) \, \gamma_{\nu} \, P_+ \, \Phi(p) \, \gamma_{\mu} | 0 \rangle \\ &- \mathrm{Tr} \, \langle 0|\psi(x) \, ig \int_{-\infty}^{x^+} dy^+ \, A^-(y^+) \, a_h^\dagger a_h \, \overline{\psi}(0) \, \gamma_{\nu} \, \Phi(p) \, P_- \, \gamma_{\mu} | 0 \rangle \Biggr\}. \end{split}$$

The result of multiple  $A^+$ - or  $A^-$ -gluons together with the tree-level result gives in leading order in 1/Q (when the projectors  $P_+$  and  $P_-$  don't matter) the exponentiated path-ordered result

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{\mu\nu} = \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \, \operatorname{Tr}\left[\Phi(p)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)\gamma_{\nu}\right] \tag{7.10}$$

with

$$\Phi_{ij}(p,P,S) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{i\,p\cdot x} \langle P,S | \overline{\psi}_j(0) \mathscr{G}(0,\infty;0_T) \mathscr{G}(\infty,x^-;x_T) \psi_i(x) | P,S \rangle, \tag{7.11}$$

$$\Delta_{ij}(k, P_h, S_h) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{ik \cdot x} \ \langle 0|\mathscr{G}(-\infty, x^+; x_T)\psi_i(x) \ a_h^{\dagger} a_h \ \overline{\psi}_j(0)\mathscr{G}(0, -\infty; 0_T)|0\rangle.$$
(7.12)

Provided we assume that matrix elements containing bilocal operators  $\overline{\psi}(0) A_T(y^{\pm} = \mp \infty, y_T) \psi(x)$  vanish for physical states, the above links can be connected resulting in a color gauge-invariant matrix element that must be used in the definition of the correlation functions.

Before considering the transverse gluons let us check the case of two  $A^+$  gluons. For instance considering a gauge choice  $A^- = 0$ , one needs only to consider the absorption of the  $A^+$  gluons in the 'distribution' part. Dressing the diagram leading to the first of the four terms above with another 'parallel' gluon one obtains a contribution

$$\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{d^{4}p_{1}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \frac{d^{4}p_{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}x \int d^{4}y_{1} \, d^{4}y_{2} \, e^{i(p-p_{1}-p_{2})\cdot x+ip_{1}\cdot y_{1}+ip_{2}\cdot y_{2}} \\ \times \langle P, S|\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)\gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma^{+}}{(x_{2}-i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma^{+}}{(x_{1}+x_{2}-i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} \, gA^{+}(y_{2}) \, gA^{+}(y_{1}) \, \psi(x)|P,S \rangle \\ = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{dx_{1}}{2\pi} \frac{dx_{2}}{2\pi} \int d^{4}x \int dy_{1}^{-} \, dy_{2}^{-} \frac{e^{-i(x_{1}+x_{2})p^{+}(x^{-}-y_{1}^{-})} e^{-ix_{2}p^{+}(y_{1}^{-}-y_{2}^{-})}}{(x_{1}+x_{2}-i\epsilon)(x_{2}-i\epsilon)} e^{ip\cdot x} \\ \times \langle P, S|\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)P_{+}^{2}\gamma_{\nu} \, gA^{+}(y_{2}) \, gA^{+}(y_{1}) \, \psi(x)|P,S \rangle.$$

$$(7.13)$$

The integration over  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  gives

$$i\theta(y_1^- - x^-)\,i\theta(y_2^- - y_1^-),\tag{7.14}$$

leading to the path ordering.

Dressing a diagram with an  $A_T^{\alpha}$ -gluon with a longitudinal gluon leads to one contribution of the form

$$\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{d^{4}p_{1}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \frac{d^{4}p_{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}x \int d^{4}y_{1} \, d^{4}y_{2} \, e^{i(p-p_{1}-p_{2})\cdot x+ip_{1}\cdot y_{1}+ip_{2}\cdot y_{2}} \\ \times \langle P, S|\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)\gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma^{+}}{(x_{2}-i\epsilon)Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\alpha} \frac{\gamma^{-}}{Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} \, gA^{+}(y_{2}) \, gA^{\alpha}_{T}(y_{1}) \, \psi(x)|P,S \rangle \\ = \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{dx_{2}}{2\pi} \int d^{4}x \int dy_{2}^{-} \frac{e^{-ix_{2}p^{+}(x^{-}-y_{2}^{-})}}{x_{2}-i\epsilon} e^{ip\cdot x} \\ \times \langle P, S|\overline{\psi}(0)\gamma_{\mu}\Delta(k)P_{+} \frac{\gamma_{\alpha}\gamma^{-}}{Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} \, gA^{+}(y_{2}) \, gA^{\alpha}_{T}(x) \, \psi(x)|P,S \rangle.$$
(7.15)

The  $x_2$  integration gives  $\theta(y_2^- - x^-)$ , the first term of the link. Note that the  $A^+(y_1)A_T^{\alpha}(y_2)$  contribution vanishes at  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$  because of the nonmatching Dirac structure.

As a final note of this section, we look for the contribution that combines with Eq. 7.15 into a covariant derivative. Since the term we consider is  $\mathscr{O}(g^2)$  and  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  we expect the  $i\partial_T^{\alpha}$  to be in the  $\mathscr{O}(g)$  contribution also at  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$ . Again considering the  $A^- = 0$  gauge, the only part at  $\mathscr{O}(1/Q)$  that we sofar neglected is coming from the  $\gamma_T$  part of the fermion propagator instead of the  $\gamma^+$  in Eq. 7.8,

$$-\int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{d^{4}p_{1}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}x \int d^{4}y \, e^{i(p-p_{1})\cdot x+ip_{1}\cdot y}$$

$$\times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \gamma^{-} \frac{\gamma_{\alpha}(k^{\alpha}-p_{1}^{\alpha})}{(x_{1}-i\epsilon) Q^{2}} \gamma_{\nu} g A^{+}(y) \psi(x) | P, S \rangle$$

$$= \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \int \frac{dx_{1}}{2\pi} \int d^{4}x \int dy^{-} \frac{e^{-ix_{1}p^{+}(x^{-}-y^{-})}}{x_{1}-i\epsilon} e^{ip\cdot x}$$

$$\times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_{\alpha} \gamma^{-}}{Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} g A^{+}(y) i \partial_{T}^{\alpha} \psi(x) | P, S \rangle$$

$$+ \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, \delta^{4}(p+q-k) \left(k_{T}^{\alpha}-p_{T}^{\alpha}\right) \int \frac{dx_{1}}{2\pi} \int d^{4}x \int dy^{-} \frac{e^{-ix_{1}p^{+}(x^{-}-y^{-})}}{x_{1}-i\epsilon} e^{ip\cdot x}$$

$$\times \langle P, S | \overline{\psi}(0) \gamma_{\mu} \Delta(k) \frac{\gamma_{\alpha} \gamma^{-}}{Q\sqrt{2}} \gamma_{\nu} g A^{+}(y) \psi(x) | P, S \rangle. \tag{7.16}$$

We correctly obtain the first term in the link for the covariant derivative and the  $p_T^{\alpha}$ -term in Eq. 7.7 (and for as far as we now performed the calculation, namely in  $A^- = 0$  gauge the link contribution for the  $p_T$ -term arising from  $g A_T = i D_T - i \partial_T$  in the fragmentation part).
# 7.2 The $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$ contribution from transverse gluons

Up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q)$  one needs to include the contributions of the handbag diagram, now calculated up to this order with in addition irreducible diagrams with one gluon coupling either to the soft part involving hadron H or the soft part involving hadron h. The expressions thus involve the quark-gluon correlation functions.

The full expression for the symmetric and antisymmetric parts of the hadronic tensor are,

$$\begin{split} 2M \mathscr{G}_{2}^{wv} &= 2z_{h} \int d^{2}k_{\tau} d^{2}p_{\tau} \delta^{2}(p_{\tau} + q_{\tau} - k_{\tau}) \\ &\times \left\{ -g_{1}^{w} \bigg[ f_{1}D_{1} + g_{1k}G_{1s} + \frac{e_{1}^{e_{1}}k_{\perp}p_{1}S_{h}+\sigma}{M_{h}} f_{1}D_{1}^{+}\tau} \right] \\ &- \frac{k_{1}^{(p}p_{1}^{+)} + (k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp})g_{1}^{w}}{MM_{h}} h_{1s}^{+}H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{1}^{(p}p_{1}^{+)} + (k_{\perp} \cdot S_{L})g_{1}^{w}}{M_{h}} h_{1T}H_{1s}^{\perp} \right. \\ &- \frac{p_{1}^{(e_{1}^{e_{1}}p_{1}^{+})} + (p_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp})g_{1}^{w}}{M} h_{1s}^{+}H_{1T}^{\perp} - \left( S_{1}^{(e_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}p_{1}^{+})} + (S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp})g_{1}^{w}} \right) h_{1T}H_{1T}^{\perp} \\ &- \frac{(k_{1}^{(e_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}p_{1})} + p_{1}^{(e_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}p_{1})}}{2MM_{h}} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} - \left( \frac{(k_{1}^{(e_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}p_{1}^{+})} + (S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp})g_{1}^{w}}{2M_{h}} \right) h_{1T}H_{1}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{2i(w_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}})}{Q} \bigg[ -f_{1}D_{1} + f_{1}\frac{D^{\perp}}{z_{h}} - g_{1s}G_{1s} + g_{1s}\frac{S_{1}}{z_{h}}} \\ &+ \frac{H}{M_{h}}x_{w}h_{s}H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{m}{M_{h}}g_{1s}H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{p_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} \\ &+ \frac{p_{1} \cdot S_{h\perp}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}\frac{H_{1}^{\perp}}{z_{h}} - S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp}h_{1T}H_{1T} + S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp}h_{1T}\frac{H_{1}^{\perp}}{z_{h}} \bigg] \\ &+ \frac{2i(w_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}})}{Q} \bigg[ x_{n} f^{+}D_{1} + x_{n}g_{n}^{\perp}G_{1s} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}\frac{H_{s}}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M}h_{1s}^{\perp}G_{1s} + \frac{k_{s}^{2}}{MM_{h}} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} \bigg] \\ &+ \frac{2Mi^{(e_{1}}S_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}}{Q} \bigg[ x_{p}g_{1}G_{1s} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1T}\frac{H_{s}}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M}h_{1}G_{1s} + \frac{k_{s}^{2}}{MM_{h}} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} \bigg] \\ &+ \frac{2Mi^{(e_{1}}S_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}}}{Q} \bigg[ x_{p}g_{1}G_{1s} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1T}\frac{H_{s}}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M}h_{1}G_{1s} + \frac{k_{s}^{2}}{MM_{h}} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} \bigg] \\ &+ \frac{2Mi^{(e_{1}}S_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}}}{Q} \bigg[ x_{h}f_{1}h_{s}^{+}h_{s}^{+}h_{s}^{+}S_{h}h_{1}h_{1}H_{1} - \frac{p_{s}\cdotS_{h}}{M} h_{1}h_{1}H_{1} - \frac{k_{s}\cdot p_{s}}}{M}h_{h}h_{1}h_{s}H_{1}} \bigg] \\ &+ \frac{2Mi^{(e_{1}}S_{1}^{e_{1}^{+}}}{Q} \bigg[ \lambda_{h}f_{1}h_{s}^{+}h_{s}^{+}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{h}h_{s}h_{h}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{s}^{+}h_{h}h_{h}h_{s}h_{s}h_{h}h_$$

and

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{A}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{q}_{T} - \mathbf{k}_{T}) \\ \times \left\{ i \epsilon_{1}^{\mu\nu} \left[ f_{1}G_{1s} + g_{1s}D_{1} \right] + i \frac{k_{1}^{[\mu}S_{h]}^{\nu}}{M_{h}} g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} \\ + i \frac{2\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}k_{1}^{\nu]}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M}{M_{h}} x_{B} eH_{1}^{\perp} + \frac{m}{M_{h}} f_{1}H_{1}^{\perp} - \lambda_{h} g_{1s} \frac{D_{L}^{\perp}}{z_{h}} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp}}{M_{h}} g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} \\ + \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp}}{M_{h}} \frac{m}{m} h_{1s}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp}}{M_{h}} x_{B} g_{s}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} \\ -S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp} \frac{M}{M_{h}} x_{B} g_{T}D_{1T}^{\perp} + \mathbf{S}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp} \frac{m}{M_{h}} h_{1T}D_{1T}^{\perp} \right] \\ + i \frac{2\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}p_{1}^{\nu]}}{Q} \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp} \frac{\mathbf{E}_{s}}{z_{h}} + i \frac{2M\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}S_{1}^{\nu]}}{Q} \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1T} \frac{\mathbf{E}_{s}}{\mathbf{E}_{s}} \\ + i \frac{2M_{h}\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}S_{1}^{\mu]}}{Q} \left[ -g_{1s}\frac{D_{T}}{z_{h}} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{1}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} \frac{m}{h} h_{1s}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} \\ + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp}}{M_{h}^{2}} x_{B} g_{s}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} + \frac{\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{Mh_{h}} \frac{M}{M_{h}} h_{1s}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} \\ + \frac{2\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}e_{1}^{\nu]P}\mathbf{k}_{\perp P}}{Q} \left[ f_{1}\frac{G_{s}^{\perp}}{z_{h}} - f_{1}G_{1s} + g_{1s}\frac{D^{\perp}}{z_{h}} - g_{1s}D_{1} + \frac{M}{M_{h}} x_{B} eH_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{m}{M_{h}} f_{1}H_{1s}^{\perp} \right] \\ + i \frac{2\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}e_{1}^{\nu]P}p_{\perp P}}{Q} \left[ x_{B} f^{\perp}G_{1s} + x_{B} g_{s}^{\perp}D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp} \frac{\mathbf{E}}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}D_{1} \right] \\ + i \frac{2\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}e_{1}^{\nu]P}\mathbf{k}_{\perp P}}{Q} \left[ x_{B} g_{1}^{\perp}D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1T} \frac{\mathbf{E}}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M} h_{1s}D_{1} \right] \\ + i \frac{2\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}e_{1}^{\nu]P}S_{\perp P}}{Q} \left[ x_{B} g_{1}^{\perp}D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1T} \frac{\mathbf{E}}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M} h_{1T}D_{1} \right] \\ + i \frac{2M_{h}\hat{\ell}^{[\mu}e_{1}^{\nu]P}S_{\perp P}}{Q} \left[ f_{1}\frac{G_{T}}{z_{h}} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{2} \mathbf{k}_{B} eH_{1} - \frac{m}{M} h_{1}T} \right] \right\}.$$

$$(7.18)$$

Note that one can make the replacement  $\hat{t}^{[\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho} a_{\perp\rho} = \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} a_{\perp\rho} \hat{q}_{\sigma}$ . The quark distribution functions in hadron H depend on  $x_B$  and  $p_T^2$ ,  $f_1(x_B, p_T^2)$  etc., while the quark fragmentation functions into hadron h depend on  $z_h$  and  $-z_h k_T$  (the perpendicular momentum of hadron h with respect to the quark),  $D_1(z_h, -z_h k_T)$  etc., and we use the shorthand notations

$$g_{1s} = \lambda g_{1L} + \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}}{M} g_{1T},$$
  
$$G_{1s} = \lambda_h G_{1L} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}}{M_h} G_{1T}$$

The contractions with the lepton tensor, given in Table 7.1 use azimuthal angles defined with respect to the scattering plane and the (spacelike) virtual photon momentum,

$$\hat{\ell} \cdot a_{\perp} = -\hat{\ell} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} = -|\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}| \cos(\phi_a), \tag{7.19}$$

$$\hat{\ell}_{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}a_{\perp\nu} \equiv \hat{\ell} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} = |\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}|\sin(\phi_a), \qquad (7.20)$$

where we have used  $a_{\perp} \wedge b_{\perp} \equiv \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma} a_{\perp\rho} b_{\perp\sigma}$ . In many cases it is convenient to express the tensors in  $\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}$ 

$w^{\mu u}$	$L_{\mu u}w^{\mu u}$
$-g_{\perp}^{\mu u}$	$\frac{4Q^2}{y^2}\left(1-y+\frac{1}{2}y^2\right)$
$a_\perp^{\{\mu} b_\perp^{ u\}} - \left(a_\perp \cdot b_\perp  ight) g_\perp^{\mu u}$	$\frac{4Q^2}{y^2} \left(1 - y\right) \left  \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \right  \left  \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp} \right  \cos(\phi_a + \phi_b)$
$ \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \left( a_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} b_{\perp\rho} + b_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} a_{\perp\rho} \right) \\ &= a_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} b_{\perp\rho} - \left( \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma} a_{\perp\rho} b_{\perp\sigma} \right) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \\ &= a_{\perp}^{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\rho} b_{\perp\rho} + b_{\perp}^{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\rho} a_{\perp\rho} + \left( a_{\perp} \cdot b_{\perp} \right) \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \end{aligned} $	$-\frac{4Q^2}{y^2}\left(1-y\right) \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}  \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp} \sin(\phi_a+\phi_b)$
$\hat{t}^{\{\mu}a_{\perp}^{ u\}}$	$-\frac{4Q^2}{y^2}(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\left \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}\right \cos\phi_a$
$\hat{t}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{ u angle ho}a_{\perp ho}$	$\frac{4Q^2}{y^2}(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \sin\phi_a$
$i\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu u}$	$\lambda_e  rac{4Q^2}{y^2}  y \left(1 - rac{y}{2} ight)$
$ia_{\perp}^{[\mu}b_{\perp}^{ u]}$	$\lambda_e rac{4Q^2}{y^2} y \left(1-rac{y}{2} ight) \left oldsymbol{a}_{\perp} ight  \left oldsymbol{b}_{\perp} ight  \sin(\phi_b-\phi_a)$
$i\hat{t}^{[\mu}a_{ot}^{ u]}$	$-\lambda_e  \frac{4Q^2}{y^2}  y \sqrt{1-y}   \boldsymbol{a}_\perp   \sin \phi_a$
$i\hat{t}^{[\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{ u] ho}a_{\perp ho}$	$-\lambda_e  \frac{4Q^2}{y^2}  y \sqrt{1-y}   \boldsymbol{a}_\perp   \cos \phi_a$

Table 7.1: Contractions of the lepton tensor  $L_{\mu\nu}^{(\ell H)}$  with tensor structures appearing in the hadron tensor.

with respect to measured directions, i.e.  $\hat{x} = -\hat{h}$  and  $\hat{y}^{\mu} = \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \hat{x}_{\nu}$ ,

$$k_{\perp}^{\mu} - p_{\perp}^{\mu} = -P_{h\perp}/z = -Q_{T} \hat{h}^{\mu}, \qquad (7.21)$$

$$a_{\perp}^{\mu} = (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \hat{h}^{\mu} + (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \, \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\rho} \hat{h}_{\rho}, \qquad (7.22)$$

$$\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\rho} a_{\perp\rho} = -(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \hat{h}^{\mu} + (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\rho} \hat{h}_{\rho},$$

$$a_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}^{\nu\}} - (\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = \left[ 2 \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \right) \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp} \right) - (\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) \right] \left( 2 \hat{h}^{\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right)$$
(7.23)

$$b_{\perp}^{\nu\}} - (a_{\perp} \cdot b_{\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} = \left[ 2 \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \right) \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp} \right) - (\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) \right] \left( 2 \hat{h}^{\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) \\ + \left[ \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \right) \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp} \right) + \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \right) \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp} \right) \right] \hat{h}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\} \rho} \hat{h}_{\rho},$$
(7.24)

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( a_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} b_{\perp\rho} + b_{\perp}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} a_{\perp\rho} \right) = - \left[ (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) + (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) \right] \left( 2 \, \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\mu} \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \right) \\
+ \left[ 2 \, (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp}) (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) - (\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) \right] \, \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}_{\rho}, \tag{7.25}$$

$$a_{\perp}^{[\mu}b_{\perp}^{\nu]} = \left[ (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp})(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) - (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{a}_{\perp})(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp}) \right] \hat{h}^{[\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho}\hat{h}_{\rho} = (\boldsymbol{a}_{\perp} \wedge \boldsymbol{b}_{\perp})\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}.$$
(7.26)

This allows one to pull the tensor structure outside the integration over transverse momenta. A useful relation is  $\hat{h} \cdot (p_{\perp} + k_{\perp}) = (p_{\perp}^2 - k_{\perp}^2)/Q_{\tau}$ .

In the next sections we will consider the cases of production of unpolarized and polarized leptoproduction separately, that means either one sums over all final state configurations of, say, a produced particle, or one determines from the final state configurations the spin vector  $S_h$  (characterized by  $\lambda_h$  and  $S_{hT}$ ) that determines the production matrix. For each of the above cases we will consider separately the case of unpolarized (O) and longitudinally polarized (L) leptons and of unpolarized (O), longitudinally polarized (L) or transversely polarized initial hadron state (T).

## 7.3 Lepto-production integrated over transverse momenta

The hadronic tensor simplifies to

$$2M \int d^{2}P_{h\perp} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \Biggl\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \Bigl[ f_{1}D_{1} + \lambda\lambda_{h} g_{1}G_{1} \Bigr] - \Biggl( S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp}) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \Biggr) h_{1}H_{1} \\ + i\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \Bigl[ f_{1}\lambda_{h}G_{1} + \lambda g_{1}D_{1} \Bigr] \\ + \lambda_{h} \frac{2M \hat{t}^{\{\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \Biggl[ x_{B} g_{T}G_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1} \Biggl( \frac{H_{L}}{z_{h}} + H_{1L}^{\perp(1)} - \frac{m}{M_{h}}G_{1} \Biggr) \Biggr] \\ + \lambda \frac{2M_{h} \hat{t}^{\{\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \Biggl[ \frac{M}{M_{h}} x_{B} h_{L}H_{1} + g_{1} \Biggl( \frac{G_{T}}{z_{h}} - G_{1T}^{(1)} - \frac{m}{M_{h}}H_{1} \Biggr) \Biggr] \\ + \frac{2M_{h} \hat{t}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}} S_{\perp\rho}}{Q} h_{1} \Biggl( \frac{H}{z_{h}} + H_{1}^{\perp(1)} \Biggr) + \frac{2M_{h} \hat{t}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}} S_{h\perp\rho}}{Q} f_{1} \Biggl( \frac{D_{T}}{z_{h}} + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)} \Biggr) \\ + i\lambda_{h} \frac{2M \hat{t}^{[\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu]}}{Q} \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1} \frac{E_{L}}{z_{h}} - i\lambda \frac{2M_{h} \hat{t}^{[\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{Q} g_{1} \Biggl( \frac{D_{T}}{z_{h}} + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)} \Biggr) \\ + i\frac{2M_{h} \hat{t}^{[\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]} S_{\perp\rho}}{Q} \Biggl[ x_{B} g_{T} D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} h_{1} \Biggl( \frac{E}{z_{h}} - \frac{m}{M_{h}} D_{1} \Biggr) \Biggr] \Biggr\},$$
(7.27)

where the quark distribution functions in hadron H depend on  $x_B$ , while the quark fragmentation functions into hadron h depend on  $z_h$ .

#### 7.3.1 Unpolarized leptons and hadrons

The relevant part of the hadronic tensor is

$$2M \int d^2 P_{h\perp} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} 2z f_1(x_B) D_1(z) + \frac{2M_h \hat{t}^{\{\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho} S_{h\perp\rho}}{Q} 2z f_1(x_B) \left(\frac{D_T}{z_h}(z) + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z)\right).$$
(7.28)

The semi-inclusive cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(\ell H \to \ell' \vec{h} X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \left\{ \left( \frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y \right) x_B f_1(x_B) \, D_1(z) + 2|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}| \, (2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \sin(\phi_s^h) \, \frac{M_h}{Q} \, x_B \, f_1(x_B) \, \left( \frac{D_T}{z_h}(z) + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z) \right) \right\}.$$
(7.29)

We remind that  $D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}$  is related to  $D_T$  via

$$D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z) = -z \int_{z}^{1} dy \ \frac{D_{T}(y)}{y^{3}},$$
(7.30)

or equivalently

$$\frac{D_T}{z_h}(z) + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z) = z \frac{d}{dz} D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}.$$
(7.31)

#### 7.3.2 Unpolarized leptons and longitudinally polarized hadrons

The relevant part of the hadronic tensor is

$$2M \int d^2 P_{h\perp} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \lambda \lambda_h 2z \, g_1(x_B) G_1(z) + \frac{2M_h \hat{t}^{\{\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \lambda \left[ \frac{M}{M_h} 2x_B z \, h_L(x_B) H_1(z) + 2z \, g_1(x_B) \frac{\tilde{G}_T(z)}{z} \right], \quad (7.32)$$

where

$$\frac{\tilde{G}_T(z)}{z} = \frac{G_T(z)}{z} - G_{1T}^{(1)}(z) - \frac{m}{M_h} H_1(z)$$
(7.33)

is a pure quark-quark-gluon (twist-three) matrix element. The semi-inclusive cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oL}(\ell\vec{H} \to \ell'\vec{h}X)}{dx_{B} \, dy \, dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2} \, s}{Q^{4}} \, \lambda \left\{ \lambda_{h} \left( \frac{y^{2}}{2} + 1 - y \right) \, x_{B} \, g_{1}(x_{B}) \, G_{1}(z) \right. \\ \left. -2|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}| \, (2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \cos(\phi_{s}^{h}) \left[ \frac{M}{Q} \, x_{B}^{2} \, h_{L}(x_{B}) H_{1}(z) + \frac{M_{h}}{Q} \, x_{B} \, g_{1}(x_{B}) \frac{\tilde{G}_{T}(z)}{z} \right] \right\} .$$

where  $\Delta \sigma_{oL}$  indicates that only the part involving polarization is given, which can be extracted as a cross section difference, e.g. between  $\lambda = 1$  and  $\lambda = -1$ .

#### 7.3.3 Unpolarized leptons and transversely polarized hadrons

The relevant part of the hadronic tensor is

$$2M \int d^{2}P_{h\perp} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = -\left(S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{S}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp})g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) 2z h_{1}(x_{B})H_{1}(z) + \frac{2M \hat{t}^{\{\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \lambda_{h} \left[2x_{B}z g_{T}(x_{B})G_{1}(z) + \frac{M_{h}}{M} 4z h_{1}(x_{B})\frac{\tilde{H}_{L}(z)}{z}\right] + \frac{2M_{h} \hat{t}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}S_{\perp\rho}}{Q} 2z h_{1}(x_{B})\frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z},$$
(7.35)

where

$$\frac{\tilde{H}_L(z)}{z} = \frac{H_L(z)}{z} + \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{2M_h^2} \, H_{1L}^{\perp}(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T) - \frac{m}{M_h} \, G_1(z) \tag{7.36}$$

$$\frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z} = \frac{H(z)}{z} + \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \, \frac{\mathbf{k}_T^2}{M_h^2} H_1^{\perp}(z, -z\mathbf{k}_T)$$
(7.37)

are pure quark-quark-gluon matrix elements. The semi-inclusive cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell\vec{H} \to \ell'\vec{h}X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, |\mathbf{S}_{\perp}| \left\{ 2 \, (2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \sin(\phi_s) \, \frac{M_h}{Q} \, x_B \, h_1(x_B) \, \frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z} -2\lambda_h \, (2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \cos(\phi_s) \left[ \frac{M}{Q} \, x_B^2 \, g_T(x_B) G_1(z) + \frac{M_h}{Q} \, x_B \, h_1(x_B) \frac{\tilde{H}_L(z)}{z} \right] -|\mathbf{S}_{h\perp}| \, (1-y) \, \cos(\phi_s + \phi_s^h) \, x_B \, h_1(x_B) H_1(z) \right\}.$$
(7.38)

## 7.3.4 Polarized leptons and unpolarized hadrons

The relevant part of the hadronic tensor is

$$2M \int d^2 P_{h\perp} \mathcal{W}^{\mu\nu} = i \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \lambda_h 2z f_1(x_B) G_1(z) + i \frac{2M_h \hat{t}^{[\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho} S_{h\perp\rho}}{Q} \left[ \frac{M}{M_h} 2x_B z e(x_B) H_1(z) + 2z f_1(x_B) \frac{\tilde{G}_T(z)}{z} \right].$$
(7.39)

The semi-inclusive cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LO}(\vec{\ell}H \to \ell'\vec{h}X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \,\lambda_e \left\{ \lambda_h \, y \, \left(1 - \frac{y}{2}\right) \, x_B \, f_1(x_B) \, G_1(z) \right. \\ \left. -2 \left| \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp} \right| \, y \sqrt{1 - y} \, \cos(\phi_s^h) \left[ \frac{M}{Q} \, x_B^2 \, e(x_B) H_1(z) + \frac{M_h}{Q} \, x_B \, f_1(x_B) \frac{\tilde{G}_T(z)}{z} \right] \right\}. (7.40)$$

#### 7.3.5 Polarized leptons and longitudinally polarized hadrons

The relevant part of the hadronic tensor is

$$2M \int d^2 P_{h\perp} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = i \,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,\lambda \,2z \,g_1(x_B) D_1 - i \frac{2M_h \,\hat{t}^{\,[\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{Q} \,\lambda \,2z \,g_1(x_B) \,\left(\frac{D_T}{z_h}(z) + D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z)\right) \,. \tag{7.41}$$

The semi-inclusive cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LL}(\vec{\ell}\vec{H}\to\ell'\vec{h}X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\lambda_e\,\lambda\left\{y\,\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\,x_Bg_1(x_B)\,D_1(z)\right.\\ \left.+2\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}|\,y\sqrt{1-y}\,\sin(\phi_s^h)\,\frac{M_h}{Q}\,x_B\,g_1(x_B)\,\left(\frac{D_T}{z_h}(z)+D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z)\right)\right\}.$$
(7.42)

#### 7.3.6 Polarized leptons and transversely polarized hadrons

The relevant part of the hadronic tensor is

$$2M \int d^2 P_{h\perp} \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = i \frac{2M_h \hat{t}^{[\mu} S_{\perp}^{\nu]}}{Q} \lambda_h 2z h_1(x_B) \frac{E_L(z)}{z} + i \frac{2M \hat{t}^{[\mu} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu]\rho} S_{\perp\rho}}{Q} \bigg[ 2x_B z g_T(x_B) D_1(z) + \frac{M_h}{M} 2z h_1(x_B) \frac{\tilde{E}(z)}{z} \bigg], \quad (7.43)$$

where

$$\frac{\tilde{E}(z)}{z} = \frac{E(z)}{z} - \frac{m}{M_h} D_1(z).$$
(7.44)

The semi-inclusive cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LT}(\vec{\ell}\vec{H}\to\ell'\vec{h}X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,\lambda_{e}\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\left\{-2\,y\sqrt{1-y}\,\cos(\phi_{s})\left[\frac{M}{Q}\,x_{B}^{2}\,g_{T}(x_{B})D_{1}(z)+\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,x_{B}\,h_{1}(x_{B})\frac{\tilde{E}(z)}{z}\right]\right. -2\,\lambda_{h}\,y\sqrt{1-y}\,\sin(\phi_{s})\,\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,x_{B}\,h_{1}(x_{B})\,\frac{\tilde{E}_{L}(z)}{z}\right\}.$$
(7.45)

## 7.4 Transverse momenta in lepto-production without polarization in the final state

In the case that no polarization in the final state is observed or for the case that a spin 0 particle is produced (e.g. semi-inclusive leptopionproduction, the hadronic tensor simplifies to:

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2} \mathbf{p}_{T} d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{T} \, \delta^{2} (\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{q}_{T} - \mathbf{k}_{T} \times \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} 2z \, f_{1} D_{1} + i \, \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} 2z \, g_{1s} D_{1} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{\left( k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + p_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} k_{\perp}^{\nu\}} \right)}{2M h_{h}} 2z h_{\perp s}^{\perp} H_{\perp}^{\perp} + \frac{\left( k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} S_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + S_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} k_{\perp}^{\nu\}} \right)}{2M_{h}} 2z h_{1T} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \\ \left. + \frac{\hat{t} \left( \mu k_{\perp}^{\nu} \right)}{Q} \left[ -4z \, f_{1} D_{1} + 4 \, f_{1} D^{\perp} \right] + \frac{\hat{t} \left( \mu p_{\perp}^{\nu} \right)}{Q} 4xz \, f^{\perp} D_{1} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M}{M_{h}} 4xz \, h_{s} H_{\perp}^{\perp} + \frac{m}{M_{h}} 4z \, g_{1s} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] \\ \left. + \frac{p_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 \, h_{\perp s}^{\perp} H - \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{MM_{h}} 4z \, h_{\perp s} H_{\perp}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M_{h}} 4xz \, h_{T}^{\perp} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] \\ \left. + \frac{M \, S_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu\}} \hat{t}^{\nu}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 \, h_{1s} H - \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{MM_{h}} 4z \, h_{1T} H_{\perp}^{\perp} + \frac{k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}}{M_{h}} 4xz \, h_{T}^{\perp} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] \\ \left. + i \frac{\hat{t}^{\left[\mu k_{\perp}^{\nu\right]}}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 xz \, eH_{\perp}^{\perp} + \frac{m}{M_{h}} 4z \, f_{1} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] \\ \left. + i \frac{k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\left[\mu\left\{\nu\right\}} \hat{t}^{\nu}}}{Q} \left[ 4g_{1s} D^{\perp} - 4z \, g_{1s} D_{\perp} \right] \\ \left. + i \frac{M \, S_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\left[\mu\left\{\nu\right\}} \hat{t}^{\nu}}}{Q} \left[ 4xz \, g_{\perp}^{s} D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 \, h_{\perp s} E - \frac{m}{M} 4z \, h_{\perp s} D_{1} \right] \\ \left. + i \frac{M \, S_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\left[\mu\left\{\nu\right\}} \hat{t}^{\nu}}}{Q} \left[ 4xz \, g_{\perp}^{s} D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 \, h_{\perp T} E - \frac{m}{M} 4z \, h_{\perp T} D_{1} \right] \right\}$$

$$(7.46)$$

We will again consider all situations separately for different polarizations of the lepton and target hadrons.

# 7.4.1 $\ell H \rightarrow \ell' h X$ (unpolarized hadrons)

The hadronic tensor is given by

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \times \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,2z \,f_{1}D_{1} + \frac{\hat{t}^{\{\mu}\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \Big[ -4z \,f_{1}D_{1} + 4 \,f_{1}D^{\perp} \Big] + \frac{\hat{t}^{\{\mu}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \,4xz \,f^{\perp}D_{1} \right\}$$
  
$$= -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,2z \,I[f_{1}D_{1}] + \frac{\hat{t}^{\{\mu}\hat{h}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left( 4z \,I\left[ (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}) \,f_{1} \left( \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_{1} \right) \right] + 4xz \,I\left[ (\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) \,f^{\perp}D_{1} \right] \right), \quad (7.47)$$

where the last expression involves integrals of the type

$$I\left[\left(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}\right)f^{\perp}D_{1}\right](x_{B},z) = \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T}+\boldsymbol{q}_{T}-\boldsymbol{k}_{T})\left(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{T}\right)f^{\perp}(x_{B},\boldsymbol{p}_{T})D_{1}(z,-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}),\qquad(7.48)$$

with  $\boldsymbol{q}_{T} = -\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}/z = Q_{T} \hat{\boldsymbol{h}}$ . Note that a contribution proportional to  $\hat{h}_{\rho} \epsilon^{\rho \{\mu \hat{t}^{\nu}\}}$  appears, but it is multiplied with integrals of the type  $I[(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \wedge \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})f_{1}(x_{B}, |\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|)D(z, z|Q_{T} \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} - \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|)]$ , which vanish.

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The most explicit differential cross section is immediately obtained from the first expression for the hadronic tensor and is given by

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(\ell + H \to \ell' + h + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \mathbf{P}_{h\perp} \, d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \left\{ \left( \frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y \right) \, x_B f_1 \, D_1 + 2(2 - y)\sqrt{1 - y} \, \frac{|\mathbf{P}_{h\perp}|}{zQ} \, \cos(\phi_h) \, x_B f_1 \left( \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_1 \right) - 2(2 - y)\sqrt{1 - y} \, \frac{|\mathbf{p}_{\perp}|}{Q} \, \cos(\phi_j) \left( x_B^2 f^{\perp} D_1 - x_B f_1 D_1 + x_B f_1 \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} \right) \right\}, (7.49)$$

where the arguments of distribution and fragmentation functions are  $f_1(x_B, p_{\perp}), D_1(z, P_{h\perp} - zp_{\perp})$ , etc.

The semi-inclusive cross section where the jet direction is not determined can be found also from the (first) most general expression above, but this is cumbersome, since one must be aware that integrating over  $d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp}$ , the argument of the fragmentation functions depend on  $\mathbf{P}_{h\perp} - z\mathbf{p}_{\perp}$ . It is easier to start with the second expression for the hadronic tensor and obtain

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(\ell + H \to \ell' + h + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \left\{ \left(\frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y\right) \, I[x_B f_1 \, D_1] -2(2 - y)\sqrt{1 - y} \, \cos(\phi_h) \left(\frac{M_h}{Q} \, I\left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_\perp}{M_h} \, x_B f_1\left(\frac{D^\perp}{z} - D_1\right)\right] + \frac{M}{Q} \, I\left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_\perp}{M} \, x_B^2 f^\perp D_1\right] \right) \right\},$$
(7.50)

which involves the above defined convolutions over distribution and fragmentation functions.

Returning to the previous cross section, one can integrate over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons in the jet and find

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(\ell + H \rightarrow \ell' + h + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_\perp} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \left\{ \left(\frac{y^2}{2} + 1 - y\right) \, x_B f_1(x_B, \boldsymbol{p}_\perp) \, D_1(z) -2(2 - y)\sqrt{1 - y} \, \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_\perp|}{Q} \, \cos(\phi_j) \, x_B^2 f^\perp(x_B, \boldsymbol{p}_\perp) D_1(z) \right\}, \quad (7.51)$$

where the arguments of distribution and fragmentation functions are  $f_1(x_B, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}), D_1(z)$ , etc. Integrating also over the transverse momentum of the jet we obtain the result discussed earlier,

$$\frac{d\sigma_{oO}(\ell+H\to\ell'+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\left(\frac{y^2}{2}+1-y\right)\,x_Bf_1(x_B)D_1(z).$$

# 7.4.2 $\ell \vec{H} \rightarrow \ell' h X$ (longitudinally polarized target)

The hadronic tensor is given by

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \\ \times \lambda \left\{ \frac{\left( k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + p_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} k_{\perp}^{\nu\}} \right)}{2MM_{h}} 2zh_{1L}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} \\ + \frac{k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M}{M_{h}} 4xzh_{L}H_{1}^{\perp} + \frac{m}{M_{h}} 4zg_{1L}H_{1}^{\perp} \right] \\ + \frac{p_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu\}}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M_{h}}{M} 4h_{1L}^{\perp}H - \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}}{MM_{h}} 4zh_{1L}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} \right] \right\}.$$

$$= \lambda \left\{ \hat{h}_{\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu\}} 2zI \left[ \frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp})(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) - \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} h_{1L}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} \right] \\ - \hat{h}_{\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu\}} \left( \frac{M}{Q} 4zI \left[ \frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}}{M_{h}} \left( xh_{L} - \frac{m}{M} g_{1L} \right) H_{1}^{\perp} \right] \\ + \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4zI \left[ \frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{M} h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \frac{H}{z} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} H_{1}^{\perp} \right) \right] \right) \right\}.$$
(7.52)

The most explicit differential cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oL}(\ell + \vec{H} \to \ell' + h + jet + X)}{dx_{B} dy dz d^{2} P_{h\perp} d^{2} p_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2} s}{Q^{4}} \lambda \left\{ -(1-y) \frac{|P_{h\perp}| |p_{\perp}|}{zMM_{h}} \sin(\phi_{h} + \phi_{j}) x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} H_{1}^{\perp} +(1-y) \frac{p_{\perp}^{2}}{MM_{h}} \sin(2\phi_{j}) x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} H_{1}^{\perp} -2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \frac{|P_{h\perp}|}{zQ} \sin\phi_{h} \frac{M}{M_{h}} x_{B} \left( x_{B}h_{L} - \frac{m}{M} g_{1L} \right) H_{1}^{\perp} +2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \frac{|p_{\perp}|}{Q} \sin\phi_{j} \left[ \frac{M}{M_{h}} x_{B} \left( x_{B}h_{L} - \frac{m}{M} g_{1L} \right) H_{1}^{\perp} +\frac{M_{h}}{M} x_{B} h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \frac{H}{z} + \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} H_{1}^{\perp} \right) \right] \right\}, \quad (7.53)$$

where the arguments of distribution and fragmentation functions are  $h_{1L}^{\perp}(x_{\scriptscriptstyle B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})$ , etc. and  $H_1^{\perp}(z, \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp} - z\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})$ , etc. The cross section averaged over the jet angle is found from the second form for  $\mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}$ ,

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oL}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+h+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,\lambda\left\{(1-y)\,\sin(2\phi_{h})\,I\left[\frac{2\,(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp})(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})-\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}}\,x_{B}h_{1L}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}\right] +2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\sin\phi_{h}\left(\frac{M}{Q}\,I\left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}}{M_{h}}\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{L}-\frac{m}{M}g_{1L}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\right] +\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,I\left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{M}\,x_{B}h_{1L}^{\perp}\left(\frac{H}{z}+\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}}\,H_{1}^{\perp}\right)\right]\right)\right\}.(7.54)$$

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Integrating over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons in the jet one obtains

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oL}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+h+\text{jet}+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,\lambda\left\{+2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{Q}\,\sin\phi_{j}\,\frac{M_{h}}{M}\,x_{B}h_{1L}^{\perp}(x_{B},\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})\frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z}\right\},\qquad(7.55)$$

where  $h_{1L}^{\perp}(x_B, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})$  is a 'leading twist' distribution and the fragmentation function  $\tilde{H}(z)$ ,

$$\frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \; \frac{\tilde{H}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_T)}{z} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \left( \frac{H}{z} + \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T^2}{M_h^2} H_1^\perp \right), \tag{7.56}$$

is a 'twist three' quark-quark-gluon matrix element.

# 7.4.3 $\ell \vec{H} \rightarrow \ell' h X$ (transversely polarized target)

The hadronic tensor is given by

$$\begin{split} 2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} &= \int d^{2}p_{\tau} d^{2}k_{\tau} \, \delta^{2}(p_{\tau} + q_{\tau} - k_{\tau}) \\ &\times \left\{ \frac{\left(k_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\mu}(\mu_{\perp}^{\nu})^{+} + p_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\mu}(\mu_{\perp}^{\nu})\right)}{2MM_{h}} \frac{p_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M} \, 2zh_{1T}^{+} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \\ &+ \frac{\left(k_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\mu}(\mu_{\perp}^{\nu})^{+} + S_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\mu}(\mu_{\perp}^{\nu})\right)}{2M_{h}} \, 2zh_{1T} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \\ &- \frac{k_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\rho}(\mu_{\ell}^{\rho})}{Q} \frac{p_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M_{h}} \, 4z \left(x \, h_{\tau} - \frac{m}{M} \, g_{1T}\right) H_{\perp}^{\perp} \\ &- \frac{p_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\rho}(\mu_{\ell}^{\rho})}{Q} \left[ \frac{M_{h}}{M} \frac{p_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M} \, 4h_{1T}^{\perp} \left(H + \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} zH_{\perp}^{\perp}\right) + \frac{k_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M_{h}} \, 4xz \, h_{\perp}^{\perp} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] \\ &- \frac{M \, S_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\rho}(\mu_{\ell}^{\rho})}{Q} \left[ \frac{M_{h}}{M} \, 4h_{1T} \left(H + \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} zH_{\perp}^{\perp}\right) - \frac{k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} \, 4xz \, h_{\perp}^{\perp} H_{\perp}^{\perp} \right] \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\hat{h}_{\rho} e_{\perp}^{\rho}(\mu_{h}^{\rho})^{+} \left(\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}\right) I \left[ \frac{(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp})^{2}(\hat{h} \cdot k_{\perp}) - 2(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp})(k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp})}{2M^{2} M_{h}} \right] \right) \\ &+ \hat{h}_{\rho} e_{\perp}^{\rho}(\mu_{h}^{\rho})^{+} \left(\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}\right) I \left[ \frac{4(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp})^{2}(\hat{h} \cdot k_{\perp}) - 2(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp})(k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp})}{2M^{2} M_{h}} \right] \\ &+ \left(2 \hat{h}^{\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) \left(\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}\right) \\ &\times I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp})(k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}) + p_{\perp}^{2}(\hat{h} \cdot k_{\perp}) - 4(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp})^{2}(\hat{h} \cdot k_{\perp})}{2M^{2} M_{h}} \right] \right] \\ &- S_{\perp\rho} e_{\perp}^{\rho}(\mu_{\ell}^{\rho})^{\rho} \left(\frac{M}{Q} I \left[ \frac{k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}}{2MM_{h}} 4z \left(x_{\mu}h_{T} - \frac{m}{M} g_{1T} - x_{\mu}h_{T}^{\perp}\right) \right] \\ &+ \frac{M}{Q} I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot k_{\perp})(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp}) - k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}}{2M^{2}} 4z h_{1T}^{1T} \left(\frac{H}{z} + \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} H_{\perp}^{\perp}\right) \right] \\ &- \hat{h}^{\mu} (\mu_{\ell}^{\rho}) (\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}) \left(\frac{M_{h}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp}) - k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}}{2M^{2}} 4z h_{1T}^{1T} \left(\frac{H}{z} + \frac{k_{\perp}^{2}}{M_{h}^{2}} H_{\perp}^{\perp}\right) \right] \\ &- \hat{h}^{\mu} (\mu_{\ell}^{\rho}) (\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}) \left(\frac{M_{h}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp}) + k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}} + k_{\perp} + \frac{M_{h}}{M_{h}^{2}} H_{\perp}^{\perp}\right) \right] \\ &- \hat{h}^{\mu} (\mu_{\ell}^{\rho}) (\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}) \left(\frac{M_{h}}{Q} I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot p_{\perp}) + k_{\perp} \cdot p_{\perp}} + k_{\perp} + \frac{k_{\perp}}{M_{h}^{2}} H_{\perp}^{\perp}\right) \right] \\ &- \hat{h}^{\mu} (\mu_{\ell}^{\rho}) (\hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp}) \left(\frac{M_{h}$$

The most explicit differential cross section is given by

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+h+j\text{et}+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} &= \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\left\{(1-y)\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M_{h}}\,\sin(\phi_{j}+\phi_{s})\,x_{B}h_{1}H_{1}^{\perp}\right.\\ &+(1-y)\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|^{3}}{2\,M^{2}\,M_{h}}\,\sin(3\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}h_{1T}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &-(1-y)\frac{|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{zM_{h}}\,\sin(\phi_{h}+\phi_{s})\,x_{B}h_{1}H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &-(1-y)\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}\,|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{2\,M^{2}\,M_{h}}\,\sin(2\phi_{j}+\phi_{h}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}h_{1T}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &+2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,\sin(\phi_{s})\,x_{B}h_{1}\,\frac{\tilde{H}}{z}\\ &+2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2M^{2}}\,\sin(2\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}-x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &+2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2M_{h}\,Q}\,\sin(\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}-x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &+2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{2z\,M_{h}\,Q}\,\sin(\phi_{h}+\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}-x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &-2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{2z\,M_{h}\,Q}\,\sin(\phi_{h}-\phi_{j}+\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}+x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\\ &-2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{2z\,M_{h}\,Q}\,\sin(\phi_{h}-\phi_{j}+\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}+x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where the distribution functions depend on  $x_B$  and  $p_{\perp}$  and the fragmentation functions depend on z and  $z^2 k_{\perp}^2 = (P_{h\perp} - zp_{\perp})^2$ . We have used or can use

$$h_{1}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = h_{1T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) + \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}),$$

$$x_{B}h_{T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) - \frac{m}{M} g_{1T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) - x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = -2 h_{1}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) + x_{B}\tilde{h}_{1L}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}),$$

$$x_{B}h_{T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) - \frac{m}{M} g_{1T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) + x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = -\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}}{M^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) + x_{B} \left(\tilde{h}_{T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) + \tilde{h}_{T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T})\right). \quad (7.59)$$

Integrating only over the jet directions one obtains

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+h+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}P_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,|S_{\perp}| \left\{ (1-y)\,\sin(\phi_{h}+\phi_{s})\,I\left[\frac{\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}}{M_{h}}\,x_{B}h_{1}H_{1}^{\perp}\right] + (1-y)\,\sin(3\phi_{h}-\phi_{s})\,I\left[\frac{4(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})^{2}(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp})-2(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})(\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})-\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp})}{2\,M^{2}M_{h}}\,x_{B}h_{1T}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}\right] + 2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\sin(\phi_{s})\left(\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,I\left[x_{B}h_{1}\frac{\tilde{H}}{z}\right] + \frac{M}{Q}\,I\left[\frac{2\,(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp})-\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{2MM_{h}}\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}+x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\right]\right) + 2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\sin(2\phi_{h}-\phi_{s})\left(\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,I\left[\frac{2\,(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})^{2}-\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2M^{2}}\,x_{B}h_{1T}^{\perp}\frac{\tilde{H}}{z}\right] + \frac{M}{Q}\,I\left[\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}-2(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})(\hat{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp})}{2MM_{h}}\,x_{B}\left(x_{B}h_{T}-\frac{m}{M}\,g_{1T}-x_{B}h_{T}^{\perp}\right)\,H_{1}^{\perp}\right]\right)\right\}.$$

$$(7.60)$$

The cross section integrated over the transverse momenta of hadrons h within the jet becomes

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell + \vec{H} \to \ell' + h + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_{B} \, dy \, dz \, d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2} \, s}{Q^{4}} \left| \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp} \right| \left\{ 2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \frac{M_{h}}{Q} \, \sin\phi_{s} \, x_{B} h_{1}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) \frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z} + 2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y} \, \frac{M_{h}}{Q} \, \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2 \, M^{2}} \, \sin(2\phi_{j} - \phi_{s}) \, x_{B} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) \frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z} \right\}, (7.61)$$

where the fragmentation function is integrated over transverse momenta. Integrating further over the jet angle one finds

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+h+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\,2(2-y)\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{M_h}{Q}\,\sin\phi_s\,x_B\,h_1(x_B)\,\frac{\tilde{H}(z)}{z}.$$
(7.62)

# 7.4.4 $\vec{\ell}H \rightarrow \ell'hX$ (unpolarized hadrons)

The hadronic tensor is given by

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \,\delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \\ \times \left\{ i \frac{\hat{t}^{[\mu} k_\perp^{\nu]}}{Q} \left[ -\frac{M}{M_h} \,4xz \,eH_1^{\perp} + \frac{m}{M_h} \,4z \,f_1 H_1^{\perp} \right] \right\} \\ = -i \,\hat{t}^{[\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu]} \,\frac{M}{Q} \,4z \,I \left[ \frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_\perp}{M_h} \left( x \,e - \frac{m}{M} \,f_1 \right) \,H_1^{\perp} \right]$$
(7.63)

The most explicit differential cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LO}(\vec{\ell} + H \to \ell' + h + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp} \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \left\{ 2\lambda_e y \sqrt{1-y} \, \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{Q} \, \sin\phi_j \, \frac{M}{M_h} \, x_B \left( x_B e - \frac{m}{M} \, f_1 \right) \, H_1^{\perp} -2\lambda_e y \sqrt{1-y} \, \frac{|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{zQ} \, \sin\phi_h \, \frac{M}{M_h} \, x_B \left( x_B e - \frac{m}{M} \, f_1 \right) \, H_1^{\perp} \right\}, \quad (7.64)$$

where the arguments of distribution and fragmentation functions are  $\tilde{e}(x_B, p_{\perp})$ , etc. and  $H_1^{\perp}(z, P_{h\perp} - zp_{\perp})$ . Integrating over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons in the jet one obtains zero. Integrating over the jet angle the result is

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LO}(\vec{\ell} + H \to \ell' + h + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 s}{Q^4} 2\lambda_e y \sqrt{1-y} \sin\phi_h \, \frac{M}{Q} \, I \Big[ \frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_\perp}{M_h} \, x_B \, \Big( x_B e - \frac{m}{M} \, f_1 \Big) \, H_1^\perp \Big].$$
(7.65)

# 7.4.5 $\vec{\ell}\vec{H} \rightarrow \ell'hX$ (longitudinally polarized target)

The hadronic tensor is given by

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \times \lambda \left\{ i \,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,2z \,g_{1L} D_{1} \right. \\ \left. + i \frac{k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu]}}{Q} \left[ 4 \,g_{1L} D^{\perp} - 4z \,g_{1L} D_{1} \right] \right. \\ \left. + i \frac{p_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu]}}{Q} \left[ 4xz \,g_{\perp}^{\perp} D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} \,4 \,h_{1L}^{\perp} E - \frac{m}{M} \,4z \,h_{1L}^{\perp} D_{1} \right] \right\}. \\ \left. \lambda \left\{ i \,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,2z \,I \left[ g_{1L} D_{1} \right] + i \,\hat{h}_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{t}^{\nu]} \left( \frac{M_{h}}{Q} \,4z \,I \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}}{M_{h}} \,g_{1L} \left( \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_{1} \right) \right] \right. \\ \left. + \frac{M}{Q} \,4z \,I \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{M} \,x g_{\perp}^{\perp} D_{1} \right] + \frac{M_{h}}{Q} \,4z \,I \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{M} \,h_{1L}^{\perp} \left( \frac{E}{z} - \frac{m}{M} D_{1} \right) \right] \right\}.$$
(7.66)

The most explicit differential cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LL}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+h+jet+X)}{dx_B dy dz d^2 \mathbf{P}_{h\perp} d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 s}{Q^4} \lambda_e \lambda \left\{ y \left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right) x_B g_{1L} D_1 -2y\sqrt{1-y} \frac{|\mathbf{p}_{\perp}|}{Q} \cos(\phi_j) \left[ x_B^2 g_L^{\perp} D_1 + x_B g_{1L} \left(\frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_1\right) +\frac{M_h}{M} x_B h_{1L}^{\perp} \left(\frac{E}{z} - \frac{m}{M_h} D_1\right) \right] +2y\sqrt{1-y} \frac{|\mathbf{P}_{h\perp}|}{z Q} \cos(\phi_h) x_B g_{1L} \left(\frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_1\right) \right\},$$
(7.67)

where the distribution functions depend on  $x_B$  and  $p_{\perp}$  and the fragmentation functions depend on z and  $z^2 k_{\perp}^2 = (P_{h\perp} - zp_{\perp})^2$ . Integrating only over the jet angle one finds

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LL}(\vec{\ell} + \vec{H} \to \ell' + h + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \lambda_e \lambda \left\{ y \left(1 - \frac{y}{2}\right) \, I \left[x_B \, g_{1L} \, D_1\right] -2y\sqrt{1 - y} \, \cos(\phi_h) \left(\frac{M_h}{Q} \, I \left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_\perp}{M_h} \, x_B \, g_{1L} \left(\frac{D^\perp}{z} - D_1\right)\right] +\frac{M}{Q} \, I \left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_\perp}{M} \, x_B^2 g_L^\perp D_1\right] +\frac{M_h}{Q} \, I \left[\frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_\perp}{M} \, x_B h_{1L}^\perp \left(\frac{E}{z} - \frac{m}{M} D_1\right)\right] \right) \right\}. \quad (7.68)$$

Integrating over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons we obtain

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LL}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+h+j\text{et}+X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \lambda_e \lambda \left\{ y \left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right) x_B \, g_{1L} \, D_1 -2y\sqrt{1-y} \, \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{Q} \, \cos(\phi_j) \left[ x_B^2 \, g_L^{\perp} \, D_1 + \frac{M_h}{M} \, x_B \, h_{1L}^{\perp} \left(\frac{E}{z} - \frac{m}{M_h} \, D_1\right) \right] \right\} (7.69)$$

with the fragmentation function integrated over  $k_{\tau}$ , and thus only depending on z. Integrating also over the transverse jet momentum, one is left with the leading result for longitudinally polarized targets,

$$\frac{d\sigma_{LL}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\to\ell'+h+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\lambda_e\lambda\,y\,\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)x_B\,g_1(x_B)\,D_1(z).\tag{7.70}$$

7.4.6 
$$\vec{\ell}\vec{H} \rightarrow \ell'hX$$
 (transversely polarized target)

The hadronic tensor is given by

$$2M \mathcal{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} \, \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{q}_{T} - \mathbf{k}_{T}) \times \left\{ i \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M} 2 z \, g_{1T} D_{1} \right. \\ \left. + i \frac{k_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\rho}]}{Q} \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M} \left[ 4 g_{1T} D^{\perp} - 4 z \, g_{1T} D_{1} \right] \right. \\ \left. + i \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\rho}]}{Q} \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{M} \left[ 4 x z \, g_{T}^{\perp} D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 h_{1T}^{\perp} E - \frac{m}{M} 4 z \, h_{1T}^{\perp} D_{1} \right] \right. \\ \left. + i \frac{M S_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\rho}]}{Q} \left[ 4 x z \, g_{T}^{\prime} D_{1} + \frac{M_{h}}{M} 4 h_{1T} E - \frac{m}{M} 4 z \, h_{1T} D_{1} \right] \right\} . \\ = i \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left( \hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp} \right) 2 z \, I \left[ \frac{\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp}}{M} g_{1T} D_{1} \right] \\ \left. + i \hat{h}_{\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\rho}] \left( \hat{h} \cdot S_{\perp} \right) \left( \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) - \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp}}{2MM_{h}} g_{1T} \left( \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_{1} \right) \right] \right. \\ \left. + \frac{M}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})^{2} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2M^{2}} x g_{T}^{\perp} D_{1} \right] \\ \left. + i \hat{t} [^{\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu}] \left( \hat{h} \wedge S_{\perp} \right) \left( \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) - \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp}}{2MM_{h}} g_{1T} \left( \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_{1} \right) \right] \right) \\ \left. + i \hat{t} [^{\mu} \hat{h}^{\nu}] \left( \hat{h} \wedge S_{\perp} \right) \left( \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) - \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp}}{2MM_{h}} g_{1T} \left( \frac{D^{\perp}}{z} - D_{1} \right) \right] \right] \\ \left. + \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})^{2} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2M^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp} \left( \frac{E}{z} - \frac{m}{M} D_{1} \right) \right] \right) \\ \left. + i S_{\perp\rho} \epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho} [^{\mu} \hat{\ell}^{\nu}] \left( \frac{M}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ x g_{T} D_{1} \right] + \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})^{2} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2M^{2}} h_{1T}^{\perp} \left( \frac{E}{z} - \frac{m}{M} D_{1} \right) \right] \right) \\ \left. + \frac{M_{h}}{Q} 4 z \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{h} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp})^{2} - D_{1} \right] \right] \right).$$

$$(7.71)$$

The most explicit differential cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LT}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+h+jet+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,\lambda_{e}|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\left\{y\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M}\cos(\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\,g_{1T}\,D_{1}\right.\\\left.\left.-2y\sqrt{1-y}\,\cos(\phi_{s})\left[\frac{M}{Q}\,x_{B}^{2}\,g_{T}\,D_{1}+\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,x_{B}\,h_{1}\,\frac{\tilde{E}}{z}\right]\right.\\\left.\left.-2y\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2MQ}\,\cos(2\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\left[x_{B}^{2}\,g_{T}^{\perp}\,D_{1}+\frac{M_{h}}{M}\,x_{B}\,h_{1T}^{\perp}\,\frac{\tilde{E}}{z}\right]\right.\\\left.\left.-2y\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2MQ}\,\cos(\phi_{j})\,\cos(\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\,g_{1T}\,\frac{\tilde{D}^{\perp}}{z}\right.\\\left.\left.+2y\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{2zMQ}\,\cos(\phi_{h})\,\cos(\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\,g_{1T}\,\frac{\tilde{D}^{\perp}}{z}\right\},\qquad(7.72)$$

where the distribution functions depend on  $x_B$  and  $p_{\perp}$  and the fragmentation functions depend on z and  $z^2 k_{\perp}^2 = (P_{h\perp} - zp_{\perp})^2$ . Integrating only over the jet angle one obtains

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LT}(\vec{\ell} + \vec{H} \to \ell' + h + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \lambda_e |\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}| \left\{ y \left( 1 - \frac{y}{2} \right) \cos(\phi_h - \phi_s) \, I \left[ \frac{\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}}{M} \, g_{1T} D_1 \right] \right. \\ \left. - 2y\sqrt{1 - y} \, \cos(\phi_s) \left( \frac{M}{Q} \, I \left[ x^2 g_T D_1 \right] + \frac{M_h}{Q} \, I \left[ x h_1 \, \frac{\tilde{E}}{z} \right] \right. \\ \left. + \frac{M_h}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}}{2MM_h} \, x g_{1T} \, \frac{\tilde{D}^{\perp}}{z} \right] \right) \right. \\ \left. - 2y\sqrt{1 - y} \, \cos(2\phi_h - \phi_s) \left( \frac{M}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})^2 - \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^2}{2M^2} \, x^2 g_T^{\perp} D_1 \right] \right. \\ \left. + \frac{M_h}{Q} \, I \left[ \frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}) - \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}}{2MM_h} \, x g_{1T} \, \frac{\tilde{D}^{\perp}}{z} \right] \right) \right\}. \quad (7.73)$$

Integrating over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons we obtain

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LT}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+h+jet+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,\lambda_{e}|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\left\{y\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M}\cos(\phi_{j}-\phi_{s})\,x_{B}\,g_{1T}\,D_{1}\right.\\\left.\left.-2y\sqrt{1-y}\cos(\phi_{s})\left[\frac{M}{Q}\,x_{B}^{2}\,g_{T}\,D_{1}+\frac{M_{h}}{Q}\,x_{B}\,h_{1}\frac{\tilde{E}}{z}\right]\right.\\\left.+2y\sqrt{1-y}\,\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{2MQ}\cos(2\phi_{j}+\phi_{s})\left[x_{B}^{2}\,g_{T}^{\perp}\,D_{1}+\frac{M_{h}}{M}\,x_{B}\,h_{1T}^{\perp}\,\frac{\tilde{E}}{z}\right]\right\},\quad(7.74)$$

with the fragmentation function integrated over  $k_{\tau}$ , and thus only depending on z. Integrating also over the transverse jet momentum, one is left with

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LT}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+h+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz} = -\frac{4\pi\alpha^2 s}{Q^4}\,\lambda_e |\mathbf{S}_{\perp}|\,2y\sqrt{1-y}\,\cos(\phi_s)\left[\frac{M}{Q}\,x_B^2\,g_T(x_B)\,D_1(z) + \frac{M_h}{Q}\,x_B\,h_1(x_B)\frac{\tilde{E}(z)}{z}\right].$$
(7.75)

## 7.5 Transverse momenta in lepto-production with polarization in the final state

For the case that polarization in the final state is measured, we will restrict ourselves to the leading order (parton model) results. The hadronic tensor, omitting the unpolarized contribution discussed in the previous section becomes

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{q}_{T} - \mathbf{k}_{T}) \\ \times \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ 2z \,f_{1}D_{1} + 2z \,g_{1s}G_{1s} + \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}k_{\perp\rho}S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_{h}} \,2z \,f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp} \right] \\ - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{MM_{h}} \,2z \,h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{h}} \,2z \,h_{1T}H_{1s}^{\perp} \\ - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M} \,2z \,h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} - \left(S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{S}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) \,2z \,h_{1T}H_{1T} \\ + i \,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,2z \,f_{1}G_{1s} + i \frac{k_{\perp}^{[\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{M_{h}} \,2z \,g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} \right\}.$$

$$(7.76)$$

As before we will consider the various possibilities separately.

# **7.5.1** $\ell H \rightarrow \ell' \vec{h} X$

The hadronic tensor relevant for this situation is

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \, \delta^2 (\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \, (-g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}) \, \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma} k_{\perp\rho} S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_h} \, 2z \, f_1 D_{1T}^{\perp}. \tag{7.77}$$

The cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oO}(\ell + H \to \ell' + \vec{h} + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \mathbf{P}_{h\perp} \, d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, |\mathbf{S}_{h\perp}| \left\{ \left(1 - y + \frac{1}{2} \, y^2\right) \, \frac{|\mathbf{P}_{h\perp}|}{zM_h} \, \sin(\phi_h - \phi_s^h) \, x_B f_1 D_{1T}^{\perp} - \left(1 - y + \frac{1}{2} \, y^2\right) \, \frac{|\mathbf{p}_{\perp}|}{M_h} \, \sin(\phi_j - \phi_s^h) \, x_B f_1 D_{1T}^{\perp} \right\}.$$
(7.78)

Averaged over the transverse momenta of the hadrons h in the jet this gives zero.

# 7.5.2 $\ell \vec{H} \rightarrow \ell' \vec{h} X$ (longitudinally polarized target)

The symmetric hadronic tensor relevant for this situation is

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{q}_{T} - \mathbf{k}_{T}) \,\lambda \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \,2z \,g_{1L}G_{1s} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu} p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{MM_{h}} \,2z \,h_{1L}^{\perp} H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{h\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M} \,2z \,h_{1L}^{\perp} H_{1T} \right\}.$$
(7.79)

We will give only the cross section averaged over the transverse momenta of the hadrons in the jet. This is

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oL}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+\vec{h}+\text{jet}+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,\lambda\left\{\lambda_{h}\left(1-y-\frac{y^{2}}{2}\right)\,x_{B}\,g_{1L}(x_{B},\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})\,G_{1}(z)\right. \\ \left.\left.\left.\left.\left.\left|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}\right|\left(1-y\right)\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M}\,\cos(\phi_{j}+\phi_{s}^{h})\,x_{B}\,h_{1L}^{\perp}(x_{B},\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})\,H_{1}(z)\right.\right\}\right\}. \quad (7.80)$$

Integrating over the jet directions one obtains

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oL}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+\vec{h}+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\lambda\,\lambda_h\,\left(1-y-\frac{y^2}{2}\right)\,x_B\,g_1(x_B)\,G_1(z).\tag{7.81}$$

# 7.5.3 $\ell \vec{H} \rightarrow \ell' \vec{h} X$ (transversely polarized target)

The symmetric tensor relevant in this case is

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}}{M} \,2z \,g_{1T} G_{1s} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu} p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{MM_{h}} \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}}{M} \,2z \,h_{1T}^{\perp} H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M_{h}} \,2z \,h_{1T} H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M} \,2z \,h_{1T} H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}}{M} \,2z \,h_{1T} H_{1T} - \left(S_{\perp}^{\{\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + (\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}) \,g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\right) \,2z \,h_{1T} H_{1T} \right\}.$$
(7.82)

We will give only the cross section averaged over the transverse momenta of the hadrons in the jet. This is

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell + \vec{H} \to \ell' + h + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_{B} dy dz d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2} s}{Q^{4}} |\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}| \left\{ \lambda_{h} \left( 1 - y - \frac{y^{2}}{2} \right) \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M} \cos(\phi_{j} - \phi_{s}) x_{B} g_{1T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) G_{1}(z) - |\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}| \left[ (1 - y) \cos(\phi_{s} + \phi_{s}^{h}) x_{B} h_{1T}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) H_{1}(z) - (1 - y) \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}}{M^{2}} \cos(\phi_{j} + \phi_{s}^{h}) \cos(\phi_{j} - \phi_{s}) x_{B} h_{1T}^{\perp}(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}) H_{1}(z) \right] \right\}.$$
(7.83)

Integrating over the jet directions one obtains

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{oT}(\ell+\vec{H}\to\ell'+\vec{h}+X)}{dx_{B}\,dy\,dz} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^{2}\,s}{Q^{4}}\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}|\,(1-y)\,\cos(\phi_{s}+\phi_{s}^{h})\,x_{B}\,h_{1}(x_{B})\,H_{1}(z)$$
(7.84)  
7.5.4  $\vec{\ell}H\to\ell'\vec{h}X$ 

The hadronic tensor relevant for this situation is the antisymmetric tensor

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \, \delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \, (i \, \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}) \, 2z \, f_1 G_{1s}. \tag{7.85}$$

The cross section is given by

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LO}(\vec{\ell} + H \to \ell' + \vec{h} + \text{jet} + X)}{dx_B \, dy \, dz \, d^2 \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp} \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2 \, s}{Q^4} \, \lambda_e \left\{ \lambda_h \, y \, \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \, y\right) \, x_B \, f_1 G_{1L} + |\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}| \left[ y \, \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \, y\right) \, \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M_h} \, \cos(\phi_j + \phi_s^h) \, x_B \, f_1 G_{1T} - y \, \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \, y\right) \, \frac{|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{zM_h} \, \cos(\phi_h + \phi_s^h) \, x_B \, f_1 G_{1T} \right] \right\}, \quad (7.86)$$

where the distributions depend on  $x_B$  and  $p_{\perp}$  and the fragmentation functions depend on z and  $z^2 k_{\perp}^2$ . Averaged over the hadrons in the jet, one obtains

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LO}(\vec{\ell}+H\to\ell'+\vec{h}+\text{jet}+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz\,d^2\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\lambda_e\,\lambda_h\,y\,\left(1-\frac{1}{2}\,y\right)\,x_B\,f_1(x_B,\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp})G_1(z),\tag{7.87}$$

where  $G_1(z)$  is obtained by integrating  $G_{1L}$  over the transverse momenta. A similar expression discussed earlier is obtained after integrating over the transverse momentum of the jet.

# 7.5.5 $\vec{\ell}\vec{H} \rightarrow \ell'\vec{h}X$ (longitudinally polarized target)

The antisymmetric hadronic tensor relevant for this situation is

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \, \delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \left( i \frac{k_\perp^{[\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{M_h} \right) \, \lambda \, 2z \, g_{1L} D_{1T}^{\perp}. \tag{7.88}$$

An asymmetry is obtained in

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LL}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+\vec{h}+\text{jet}+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz\,d^2\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}\,d^2\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\lambda_e\,\lambda\left\{|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}|\left[-y\,\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|}{M_h}\,\sin(\phi_j-\phi_s^h)\,x_B\,g_{1L}\,D_{1T}^{\perp}\right.\right.\right. \\ \left.+y\,\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{zM_h}\,\sin(\phi_h-\phi_s^h)\,x_B\,g_{1L}\,D_{1T}^{\perp}\right]\right\}, \quad (7.89)$$

which vanishes upon integration over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons.

7.5.6 
$$\vec{\ell}\vec{H} \rightarrow \ell'\vec{h}X$$
 (transversely polarized target)

The antisymmetric tensor relevant in this case is

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu} = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \, \delta^2 (\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \left( i \frac{k_\perp^{[\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{M_h} \right) \, \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_\perp \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_\perp}{M} \, 2z \, g_{1T} D_{1T}^\perp. \tag{7.90}$$

An asymmetry is obtained in

$$\frac{d\Delta\sigma_{LT}(\vec{\ell}+\vec{H}\rightarrow\ell'+\vec{h}+\text{jet}+X)}{dx_B\,dy\,dz\,d^2\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}\,d^2\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\,s}{Q^4}\,\lambda_e\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp}|\left[-y\,\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\,\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^2}{MM_h}\,\sin(\phi_j-\phi_s^h)\,\cos(\phi_j-\phi_s)\,x_B\,g_{1T}\,D_{1T}^{\perp}\right. \\ \left.+y\,\left(1-\frac{y}{2}\right)\,\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}|\,|\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}|}{zMM_h}\,\sin(\phi_h-\phi_s^h)\,\cos(\phi_j-\phi_s)\,x_B\,g_{1T}\,D_{1T}^{\perp}\right], \tag{7.91}$$

which again vanishes upon integration over the transverse momenta of the produced hadrons.

## 7.6 Convolutions and gaussian distributions

In order to study the behavior of the convolutions of distribution and fragmentation functions it is useful to consider gaussian distributions,

$$f(x, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) = f(x, \boldsymbol{0}_{T}) \exp(-R_{H}^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2})$$
  
$$= f(x) \frac{R_{H}^{2}}{\pi} \exp(-R_{H}^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}) \equiv f(x) \mathscr{P}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T}; R_{H}), \qquad (7.92)$$

$$D(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = D(z, \boldsymbol{0}_{T}) \exp(-R_{h}^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}).$$
  
$$= D(z)\frac{R_{h}^{2}}{\pi z^{2}} \exp(-R_{h}^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \frac{D(z)}{z^{2}} \mathscr{P}(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}; R_{h}) = D(z) \mathscr{P}\left(-z\boldsymbol{k}_{T}; \frac{R_{h}}{z}\right), \quad (7.93)$$

In that case the convolution becomes

$$I[f D] = \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \, \delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \, f(x_{B}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T}) \, D(z, -z\boldsymbol{k}_{T})$$
  
$$= \frac{\pi}{R_{H}^{2} + R_{h}^{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{Q_{T}^{2} R_{H}^{2} R_{h}^{2}}{R_{H}^{2} + R_{h}^{2}}\right) \, f(x, \boldsymbol{0}_{T}) \, D(z, \boldsymbol{0}_{T})$$
  
$$= f(x_{B}) \, D(z) \, \frac{\mathscr{P}(\boldsymbol{q}_{T}; R)}{z^{2}}, \qquad (7.94)$$

where  $R^2 = R_H^2 R_h^2 / (R_H^2 + R_h^2)$ . The other convolutions that appear in the cross sections are of the form

$$I\left[\frac{\hat{h} \cdot p_{T}}{M} f D\right] = \frac{R^{2}}{R_{H}^{2}} \frac{Q_{T}}{M} I[f D] = \frac{R^{2}}{R_{H}^{2}} \frac{Q_{T}}{M} f(x_{B}) D(z) \frac{\mathscr{P}(\boldsymbol{q}_{T}; R)}{z^{2}},$$
(7.95)

$$I\left[\frac{\boldsymbol{h}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{T}}{M_{h}}fD\right] = -\frac{R^{2}}{R_{h}^{2}}\frac{Q_{T}}{M_{h}}I[fD],$$
(7.96)

$$I\left[\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{T}}{MM_{h}} f D\right] = \frac{R^{2}}{MM_{h}R_{H}^{2}R_{h}^{2}} \left(1 - Q_{T}^{2}R^{2}\right) I[f D], \qquad (7.97)$$

$$I\left[\frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{T})^{2}-\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}}fD\right] = \frac{R^{4}}{R_{H}^{4}}\frac{Q_{T}^{2}}{2M^{2}}I[fD],$$
(7.98)

$$I\left[\frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{T})^{2}-\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{2M_{h}^{2}}fD\right] = \frac{R^{4}}{R_{h}^{4}}\frac{Q_{T}^{2}}{2M_{h}^{2}}I[fD],$$
(7.99)

$$I\left[\frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{T})(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \boldsymbol{p}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{T}}{2MM_{h}} f D\right] = -\frac{R^{4}}{R_{H}^{2}R_{h}^{2}} \frac{Q_{T}^{2}}{2MM_{h}} I[f D],$$
(7.100)

$$I\left[\frac{4(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{T})^{2}(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{T})-2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{p}_{T})(\boldsymbol{p}_{T}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{T})-\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}}\cdot\boldsymbol{k}_{T})}{2M^{2}M_{h}}fD\right] = -\frac{R^{6}}{R_{H}^{4}R_{h}^{2}}\frac{Q_{T}^{3}}{2M^{2}M_{h}}I[fD].$$
(7.101)

Another way to deconvolute the results are the following weighted quantities,

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T}{M} \left[ \frac{\boldsymbol{h} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_T}{M} f \, D \right] = 2 f^{(1)}(x) \, D(z), \tag{7.102}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T}{M_h} I\left[\frac{\dot{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_T}{M_h} f D\right] = 2 f(x) D^{(1)}(z), \tag{7.103}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{MM_h} \, I \left[ \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_T}{MM_h} \, f \, D \right] = -4 \, f^{(1)}(x) \, D^{(1)}(z), \tag{7.104}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{M^2} \, I \Big[ \frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_T)^2 - \boldsymbol{p}_T^2}{2M^2} \, f \, D \Big] = 2 \, f^{(2)}(x) \, D(z), \tag{7.105}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{M_h^2} \, I \Big[ \frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_T)^2 - \boldsymbol{k}_T^2}{2M_h^2} \, f \, D \Big] = 2 \, f(x) \, D^{(2)}(z), \tag{7.106}$$

$$\int d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T \; \frac{Q_T^2}{MM_h} I \Big[ \frac{2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_T) \left( \hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_T \right) - \boldsymbol{p}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_T}{2MM_h} f \, D \Big] = -4 \, f^{(1)}(x) \, D^{(1)}(z), \tag{7.107}$$

$$\int d^{2}\boldsymbol{q}_{T} \frac{Q_{T}^{3}}{M^{2}M_{h}} I\Big[\frac{4(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{T})^{2}(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - 2(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{T})(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}(\hat{\boldsymbol{h}} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{T})}{2M^{2}M_{h}} f D\Big] = -12 f^{(2)}(x) D^{(1)}(z),$$
(7.108)

where  $f^{(n)}(x)$  indicate the  $(\mathbf{k}_T^2/2M^2)^n$ -moments of  $f(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2)$ , and similarly  $D^{(n)}(z)$  indicate the  $(\mathbf{k}_T^2/2M_h^2)^n$ -moments of  $D(z, z^2\mathbf{k}_T^2)$ , in terms of the Gaussian parametrizations given by

$$f^{(n)}(x) = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_T^2}{2M^2}\right)^n f(x, \boldsymbol{p}_T^2) = \frac{n!}{(2M^2 R_H^2)^n} f(x),$$
(7.109)

$$D^{(n)}(z) = z^2 \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_T^2}{2M^2}\right)^n \, D(z, -z^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) = \frac{n!}{(2M_h^2 R_h^2)^n} \, D(z). \tag{7.110}$$

# 7.7 Lepton-hadron semi-inclusive DIS including Z-exchange

 $[\mbox{Rainer Jakob, October 9, 1997}]$  Differential cross section for semi-inclusive lepton hadron scattering  $e+H \to e'+h+X$ 

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_B \, dy \, dz_h \, d^2 \boldsymbol{q}_T} = \frac{\pi \alpha_{em}^2}{2 \, Q^4} \, y \, z_h \, L_{\mu\nu}^{(\gamma\gamma)} \mathscr{W}_{(\gamma\gamma)}^{\mu\nu} 
+ \frac{\pi \alpha_w \alpha_{em}}{2 \, (Q^2 - M_Z^2 + i\Gamma_Z M_Z) \, Q^2} \, y \, z_h \, L_{\mu\nu}^{(Z\gamma)} \mathscr{W}_{(Z\gamma)}^{\mu\nu} 
+ \frac{\pi \alpha_w \alpha_{em}}{2 \, (Q^2 - M_Z^2 - i\Gamma_Z M_Z) \, Q^2} \, y \, z_h \, L_{\mu\nu}^{(\gamma Z)} \mathscr{W}_{(\gamma Z)}^{\mu\nu} 
+ \frac{\pi \alpha_w^2}{2 \, ((Q^2 - M_Z^2)^2 + \Gamma_Z^2 M_Z^2)} \, y \, z_h \, L_{\mu\nu}^{(ZZ)} \mathscr{W}_{(ZZ)}^{\mu\nu}$$
(7.111)

leptonic tensors for  $\mathrm{e^+e^-}$ 

$$L^{(\gamma\gamma)}_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\mu} \, \ell \gamma_{\nu} \, \ell' \frac{1 + \lambda \gamma_5 \, \sharp}{2} \right] = 2\ell_{\mu}\ell'_{\nu} + 2\ell_{\nu}\ell'_{\mu} - g_{\mu\nu}Q^2 + 2\mathrm{i}\,\lambda\,\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}q^{\rho}\ell^{\sigma} \tag{7.112}$$

$$L^{(Z\gamma)}_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \gamma_{\mu} \, \ell \left( \mathbf{g}^{\ell}_{\mathrm{V}} + \mathbf{g}^{\ell}_{\mathrm{A}} \gamma_{5} \right) \gamma_{\nu} \, \ell' \right] = \mathbf{g}^{\ell}_{\mathrm{A}} \left( 2\ell_{\mu}\ell'_{\nu} + 2\ell_{\nu}\ell'_{\mu} - \mathbf{g}_{\mu\nu}\mathbf{Q}^{2} \right) + 2\mathrm{i}\mathbf{g}^{\ell}_{\mathrm{V}}\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\ell^{\rho}\ell'^{\sigma} + \lambda \dots$$
(7.113)

$$L_{\mu\nu}^{(\gamma Z)} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} \left[ (g_{V}^{\ell} + g_{A}^{\ell} \gamma_{5}) \gamma_{\mu} \ell \gamma_{\nu} \ell' \right] = g_{A}^{\ell} \left( 2\ell_{\mu}\ell_{\nu}' + 2\ell_{\nu}\ell_{\mu}' - g_{\mu\nu}Q^{2} \right) + 2ig_{V}^{\ell} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \ell^{\rho} \ell'^{\sigma} + \lambda \dots$$
(7.114)

$$L_{\mu\nu}^{(ZZ)} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} \left[ (g_{V}^{\ell} + g_{A}^{\ell} \gamma_{5}) \gamma_{\mu} \, \ell (g_{V}^{\ell} + g_{A}^{\ell} \gamma_{5}) \gamma_{\nu} \, \ell' \right] = (g_{A}^{\ell\,2} + g_{V}^{\ell\,2}) \left( 2\ell_{\mu}\ell_{\nu}' + 2\ell_{\nu}\ell_{\mu}' - g_{\mu\nu}Q^{2} \right) + (2g_{A}^{\ell}g_{V}^{\ell}) 2i\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\ell^{\rho}\ell'^{\sigma} + \lambda \dots$$
(7.115)

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hadronic tensor for semi-inclusive lepton hadron scattering  $e+H \rightarrow e'+h+X$ 

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}_{(\gamma\gamma)} = \int dp^{-} dk^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{q}_{T}) \,\operatorname{Tr}\left[\Phi(\mathbf{p})\gamma^{\mu}\Delta(\mathbf{k})\gamma^{\nu}\right]$$
(7.116)

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{S(\gamma\gamma)}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{k}_{T} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \left\{ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ f_{1}D_{1} + g_{1s}G_{1s} + \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}\mathbf{k}_{\perp\rho}S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_{h}} f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}\mathbf{p}_{\perp\rho}S_{\perp\sigma}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1} - \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \ S_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp} \ \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} \right] - \left(S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \ \mathbf{S}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp}\right)h_{1T}H_{1T} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}p_{\perp}^{\nu\}}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \ \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{p}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} (h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} + h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}) - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \ \mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \ \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{M_{h}} h_{1T}H_{1s}^{\perp} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}p_{\perp\rho} + p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}p_{\perp\rho}}{2MM_{h}} (h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} - h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp})$$

$$+ \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}S_{h\perp\rho} + S_{h\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}p_{\perp\rho}}{2M} h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1T} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}S_{\perp\rho} + S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}\rho}k_{\perp\rho}}{2M_{h}} h_{1T}H_{1}^{\perp} \right\}$$

$$(7.117)$$

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}_{A(\gamma\gamma)} = 2z_h \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_T \ d^2 \mathbf{p}_T \ \delta^2(\mathbf{p}_T + \mathbf{k}_T - \mathbf{q}_T) \left\{ i \ \epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}(f_1 G_{1s} + g_{1s} D_1) - i \ \frac{p_{\perp}^{[\mu} S_{\perp}^{\nu]}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp} G_{1s} + i \ \frac{k_{\perp}^{[\mu} S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{M_h} g_{1s} D_{1T}^{\perp} \right\}$$
(7.118)

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}_{(Z\gamma)} = \int dp^{-} dk^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{q}_{T}) \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \Phi(\mathbf{p}) \left( \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{V}} + \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{A}} \gamma_{5} \right) \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(\mathbf{k}) \gamma^{\nu} \right]$$
(7.119)

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{S(Z\gamma)}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{k}_{T} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \Biggl\{ \\ -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \Biggl[ g_{V} \Biggl( f_{1}D_{1} + g_{1s}G_{1s} + \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}k_{\perp\rho}S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_{h}} f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}p_{\perp\rho}S_{\perp\sigma}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1} \Biggr) \\ -g_{A} \Biggl( f_{1}G_{1s} + g_{1s}D_{1} + \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}k_{\perp\rho}S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_{h}} g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}p_{\perp\rho}S_{\perp\sigma}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}G_{1s} \Biggr) \\ -g_{V} \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \mathbf{S}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp} \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1T}^{\perp} \Biggr] \\ - (S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}S_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp})g_{V}h_{1T}H_{1T} \\ - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{p}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} [g_{V}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} + h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}) - i g_{A}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} - h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp})] \\ - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp}}{MM_{h}} (g_{V}h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} + i g_{A}h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1T}) \\ - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}g_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{M} (g_{V}h_{1s}H_{1s}^{\perp} - h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp}) + i g_{A}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} + h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}) \Biggr] \\ + \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\Delta}}{2MM_{h}} \left[ g_{V}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} - h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp}) + i g_{A}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} + h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}) \Biggr] \\ - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\Delta}S_{L+} + S_{L+}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\perp\rho}}{2MM_{h}} \left[ g_{V}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} - h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp}) + i g_{A}(h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} + h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}) \Biggr] \\ - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\Delta}S_{L+} + S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\perp\rho}}{2M} \left( g_{V}h_{1T}H_{1}^{\perp} + i g_{A}h_{1T}H_{1s}^{\perp} \right)$$

$$- i g_{A} \frac{S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\Delta}S_{\perp} + S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\Delta}}{2} h_{1T}H_{1T} \Biggr\}$$

$$(7.120)$$

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{A(Z\gamma)}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{k}_{T} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \left\{ + i \,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ + g_{V}(f_{1}G_{1s} + g_{1s}D_{1}) - g_{A}(f_{1}D_{1} + g_{1s}G_{1s}) + g_{A} \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{\perp} \ S_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \cdot S_{h\perp} \ \mathbf{k}_{\perp} \cdot S_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} f_{1T}^{\perp} D_{1T}^{\perp} \right] - i \, \frac{p_{\perp}^{[\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu]}}{M} (g_{V}f_{1T}^{\perp}G_{1s} - g_{A}f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1}) + i \, \frac{k_{\perp}^{[\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{M_{h}} (g_{V}g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} - g_{A}f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp}) \right\}$$
(7.121)

**note:** for the interference of  $\gamma$  and Z exchange there are the simple relations for the symmetric (S) and anti-symmetric (A) parts

$$W_{S(\gamma Z)}^{\mu\nu} = \left(W_{S(Z\gamma)}^{\mu\nu}\right)^* \quad \text{and} \quad W_{A(\gamma Z)}^{\mu\nu} = -\left(W_{A(Z\gamma)}^{\mu\nu}\right)^* \tag{7.122}$$

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{(ZZ)}^{\mu\nu} = \int dp^{-} dk^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \, \delta^{2} (\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{q}_{T}) \\ \times \mathrm{Tr} \bigg[ \Phi(\mathbf{p}) \left( \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{V}} + \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{A}} \gamma_{5} \right) \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(\mathbf{k}) \left( \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{V}} + \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{A}} \gamma_{5} \right) \gamma^{\nu} \bigg] \quad (7.123)$$

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{S(ZZ)}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \int d^{2}\mathbf{k}_{T} \ d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{T} \ \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{T} + \mathbf{k}_{T} - \mathbf{q}_{T}) \Biggl\{ \\ - g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \Biggl[ (g_{V}^{2} + g_{A}^{2}) \Biggl( f_{1}D_{1} + g_{1s}G_{1s} + \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}p_{\perp\rho}S_{\perp\sigma}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1} - \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}k_{\perp\rho}S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_{h}} f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp} \\ + \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{k}_{\perp} \ S_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp} \ \mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp} \Biggr) \Biggr\} \\ + 2g_{V}g_{A} \Biggl( f_{1}G_{1s} + g_{1s}D_{1} + \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}k_{\perp\rho}S_{h\perp\sigma}}{M_{h}} g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}^{\rho\sigma}p_{\perp\rho}S_{\perp\sigma}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}G_{1s} \Biggr) \Biggr] \\ + (g_{V}^{2} - g_{A}^{2}) \Biggl[ - (S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{S}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp})h_{1T}H_{1T} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}p_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{p}_{\perp}}{MM_{h}} (h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp} + h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp}) \\ - \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{p}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{h\perp}}{M} h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1T} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu\}} + g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}\mathbf{k}_{\perp}\cdot\mathbf{S}_{\perp}}{M_{h}} h_{1T}H_{1s}^{\perp} \\ - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}^{\nu\rho}p_{\perp\rho} + p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}k_{\perp\rho}}{2MM_{h}} (h_{1s}^{\perp}H_{1}^{\perp} - h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1s}^{\perp}) \\ + \frac{p_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}^{\nu\rho}S_{h\perp\rho} + S_{h\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}p_{\perp\rho}}{2M} h_{1}^{\perp}H_{1T} - \frac{k_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}^{\nu\rho}S_{\perp\rho} + S_{\perp}^{\{\mu}\epsilon_{\perp}^{\nu\}}k_{\perp\rho}}{2M_{h}} h_{1T}H_{1}^{\perp} \Biggr] \Biggr\}$$
(7.124)

$$2M \mathscr{W}_{A(ZZ)}^{\mu\nu} = 2z_{h} \int d^{2}\boldsymbol{k}_{T} d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{T} \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{q}_{T}) \left\{ i \,\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} \left[ -2g_{V}g_{A} \left( f_{1}D_{1} + g_{1s}G_{1s} - \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \, \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp} - \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{h\perp} \, \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}_{\perp} }{MM_{h}} f_{1T}^{\perp} D_{1T}^{\perp} \right) + (g_{V}^{2} + g_{A}^{2}) \left( f_{1}G_{1s} + g_{1s}D_{1} \right) \right] + i \, \frac{p_{\perp}^{[\mu}S_{\perp}^{\nu]}}{M} \left[ + 2g_{V}g_{A}f_{1T}^{\perp}D_{1} - \left(g_{V}^{2} + g_{A}^{2}\right)f_{1T}^{\perp}G_{1s} \right] - i \, \frac{k_{\perp}^{[\mu}S_{h\perp}^{\nu]}}{M_{h}} \left[ + 2g_{V}g_{A}f_{1}D_{1T}^{\perp} - \left(g_{V}^{2} + g_{A}^{2}\right)g_{1s}D_{1T}^{\perp} \right] \right\}$$
(7.125)

# Chapter 8

# Calculations of distribution and fragmentation functions

## 8.1 Quark distribution functions in the bag model

The starting point is the calculation of the lightcone correlation function for a target at rest  $P = (M, \mathbf{0})$ , expressed as a spatial integral,

$$\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^{3}} \int da^{-} d^{2} \mathbf{a}_{T} \exp\left(-ixMa^{-}/\sqrt{2} + i\mathbf{k}_{T} \cdot \mathbf{a}_{T}\right) \left\langle P|\overline{\psi}(a)\Gamma\psi(0)|P\right\rangle|_{a^{+}=0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3}\sqrt{2}} \int d^{3}a \exp\left(ixMa_{z} + i\mathbf{k}_{T} \cdot \mathbf{a}_{T}\right) \left\langle P|\overline{\psi}(-a_{z}, \mathbf{a})\Gamma\psi(0)|P\right\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3}\sqrt{2}} \int d^{3}a \exp\left(ixMa_{z} + i\mathbf{k}_{T} \cdot \mathbf{a}_{T}\right) \left\langle P|\overline{\psi}(-a_{z}, \mathbf{a})\Gamma\psi(0)|P\right\rangle. \tag{8.1}$$

The  $k_T$ -integrated distribution functions become

$$\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{2}} \int da \, \exp\left(ixMa\right) \, \langle P|\overline{\psi}(-a,0,0,a)\Gamma\psi(0)|P\rangle. \tag{8.2}$$

In the bag model one can consider the bag as a wave packet, i.e. a superposition of plane waves centered around P = 0. The forward scattering off a bag gives the distribution function,

$$\Phi_{\text{bag}}^{[\Gamma]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{2M}{(2\pi)^3 \sqrt{2}} \int d^3 a \, \exp\left(ix M a_z + i \boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{a}_T\right) \\ \int_{\text{bag}} d^3 r \, \langle \text{bag} | \overline{\psi}(-a_z, \boldsymbol{r} + \boldsymbol{a}) \Gamma \psi(\boldsymbol{r}) | \text{bag} \rangle.$$
(8.3)

Assuming that all quarks in the bag are in the lowest eigenmode, i.e.  $\psi(x) = \sum_{n} \psi_n(x) a_n$  is restricted to one mode,

$$\psi_0(t, \boldsymbol{r}) = \psi_0(\boldsymbol{r}) \, e^{-i\omega t/R},\tag{8.4}$$

with for massless quarks  $\omega$  being the solution of  $j_0(\omega) = j_1(\omega)$ , i.e.  $\omega \approx 2.043$ , one obtains

$$\Phi_{\text{bag}}^{[\Gamma]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{2M}{(2\pi)^3 \sqrt{2}} \int d^3 a \, \exp\left(i\boldsymbol{k} \cdot \boldsymbol{a}\right) \, \int_{\text{bag}} d^3 r \, \overline{\psi}_0(\boldsymbol{r} + \boldsymbol{a}) \Gamma \psi_0(\boldsymbol{r}), \tag{8.5}$$

where  $\mathbf{k} \equiv (\mathbf{k}_T, (xMR - \omega)/R)$ . This can be rewritten as

$$\Phi_{\text{bag}}^{[\Gamma]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \left. \frac{2M}{(2\pi)^3} \overline{\psi}_0(\boldsymbol{k}) \frac{\Gamma}{\sqrt{2}} \psi_0(\boldsymbol{k}) \right|_{k_z = (xMR - \omega)/R},\tag{8.6}$$

where

$$\psi_0(\boldsymbol{k}) = \int_{\text{bag}} d^3 r \, \exp\left(-i\boldsymbol{k}\cdot\boldsymbol{r}\right) \, \psi_0(\boldsymbol{r}). \tag{8.7}$$

### 8.2 Quark distribution functions in the spectator model

To illustrate the calculation we will consider a simple nucleon-quark-diquark vertex connecting a nucleon with momentum P and mass M, a quark with momentum k and mass m and a scalar diquark. The essence of the model is that the diquark will be considered as an on-mass-shell spectator, i.e.  $(P - k)^2 = M_{\text{diquark}}^2$ . The quark-quark correlation function is then obtained as the product of the tree graph for  $N \rightarrow q + \text{diquark}$ .

The matrix element of a quark field interpolating between the nucleon state and a diquark state is

$$\langle X|\psi_i(0)|P,S\rangle = \frac{i}{k^2 + m^2 + i\epsilon} \,(\not\!k + m)_{ik} \,\Upsilon_{kl} \,U_l(P,S).$$

$$(8.8)$$

For a scalar diquark (with mass  $M_s$ ), the vertex will be taken

$$\Upsilon^{s}_{ij}(P,k,P-k) = (1)_{ij} g_s(k^2)$$
(8.9)

(to be discussed later). The quark-quark correlation function for a scalar diquark becomes

$$\Phi_{s\,ij}(k) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4x \ e^{-ik \cdot x} \langle PS | \overline{\psi}_j(x) \psi_i(0) | PS \rangle \\
= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{(\not k + m)_{ik}}{k^2 - m^2} \Upsilon_{kk'} U_{k'}(P, S) (2\pi) \,\delta \left( (P - k)^2 - M_s^2 \right) \overline{U}_{l'}(P, S) (\gamma_0 \Upsilon^{\dagger} \gamma_0)_{l'l} \frac{(\not k + m)_{lj}}{k^2 - m^2} \\
= \left[ (\not k + m)(P + M) \frac{(1 + \gamma_5 \not S)}{2} (\not k + m) \right]_{ij} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{g^2(k^2)}{(k^2 - m^2)^2} \,\delta \left( (P - k)^2 - M_s^2 \right) \\
\stackrel{S=0}{=} \left[ (\not k + m)(P + M)(\not k + m) \right]_{ij} \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^3} \frac{g^2(k^2)}{(k^2 - m^2)^2} \,\delta \left( (P - k)^2 - M_s^2 \right), \quad (8.10)$$

which gives for an unpolarized nucleon

$$\Phi_{s}(k) = \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{g^{2}(k^{2})}{(k^{2} - m^{2})^{2}} \delta\left((P - k)^{2} - M_{s}^{2}\right) \\ \times \left\{ \left(mM^{2} + m^{2}M - mM_{s}^{2} + (M + m)k^{2}\right) \\ - \left(k^{2} - m^{2}\right)P + \left((M + m)^{2} - M_{s}^{2} + k^{2} - m^{2}\right) k \right\}.$$

$$(8.11)$$

The result for  $\Phi_s(k)$  can be used to calculate the projections

$$\Phi_s^{[\Gamma]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{1}{2} \int dk^- \operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma \Phi_s) \Big|_{k^+ = xP^+}, \qquad (8.12)$$

which depend on  $x = k^+/P^+$  and  $k_T^2$ . The integration over  $k^-$  can be rewritten in covariant form as

$$\Phi_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int d(2k \cdot P) dk^{2} \,\delta\left(2x \,k \cdot P - x^{2} M^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} - k^{2}\right) \,\frac{\text{Tr}(\Gamma \Phi_{s})}{4 \, P^{+}} \\
= \int dP_{s}^{2} \,dk^{2} \,\delta\left(x(1-x) M^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} - (1-x) \,k^{2} - x \,P_{s}^{2}\right) \,\frac{\text{Tr}(\Gamma \Phi_{s})}{4 \, P^{+}},$$
(8.13)

where  $P_s = P - k$  and the latter form is suitable in the spectator model where one has the delta function  $\delta(P_s^2 - M_s^2)$  in the integrand. For the  $k_T$ -integrated functions,

$$\Phi_s^{[\Gamma]}(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} \left. \int dk^- dk_T^2 \operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma \Phi_s) \right|_{k^+ = xP^+},\tag{8.14}$$

one has

$$\Phi_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(x) = \pi \int dP_{s}^{2} dk^{2} \theta \left( x(1-x)M^{2} - (1-x)k^{2} - xP_{s}^{2} \right) \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\Phi_{s})}{4P^{+}} \\ = \pi \int_{P_{s}^{2}(min)}^{\infty} dP_{s}^{2} \int_{-\infty}^{xM^{2} - \frac{x}{1-x}P_{s}^{2}} dk^{2} \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\Phi_{s})}{4P^{+}},$$
(8.15)

Writing

$$\Phi_s(k) = \tilde{\Phi}_s(k)\,\delta(P_s^2 - M_s^2),\tag{8.16}$$

we get the 'spectator model' results

$$\Phi_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}) = \int dk^{2} \,\delta\left(x(1-x)M^{2}-\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}-(1-x)k^{2}-xM_{s}^{2}\right) \,\frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Phi}_{s})}{4P^{+}} \\
= \left.\frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Phi}_{s})}{4(1-x)P^{+}}\right|_{k^{2}=k^{2}(x,\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2})},$$
(8.17)

with

$$-k^{2}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}}{1-x} + \frac{x}{1-x} M_{s}^{2} - x M^{2}.$$
(8.18)

The  $k_{T}$ -integrated result is

$$\Phi_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(x) = \pi \int_{0}^{\infty} d\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Phi}_{s})}{4(1-x)P^{+}} \bigg|_{k^{2} = k^{2}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2})}$$
$$= \pi \int_{\frac{x}{1-x}M_{s}^{2} - xM^{2}}^{\infty} d(-k^{2}) \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Phi}_{s})}{4P^{+}}.$$
(8.19)

For the practical calculations it is convenient to introduce the quantities

$$\mu_s^2(x) = m^2(1-x) + xM_s^2 - x(1-x)M^2, \qquad (8.20)$$

$$\lambda_s^2(x) = \Lambda^2(1-x) + xM_s^2 - x(1-x)M^2, \qquad (8.21)$$

such that we have for the often appearing denominators,

$$m^{2} - k^{2} = \frac{k_{T}^{2} + \mu^{2}(x)}{1 - x},$$
(8.22)

$$\Lambda^2 - k^2 = \frac{k_T^2 + \lambda^2(x)}{1 - x}.$$
(8.23)

The function  $\mu_s^2(x)$  has endpoints  $\mu^2(0) = m^2$  and  $\mu^2(1) = M_s^2$ , acquiring a minimum at the point  $x_0 = (M^2 + m^2 - M_s^2)/2M^2$  with the value

$$\mu^{2}(x_{0}) = \frac{\left((m+M_{s})^{2} - M^{2}\right)\left(M^{2} - (m-M_{s})^{2}\right)}{4M^{2}},$$
(8.24)

which should be positive to avoid problems, i.e.  $|M - m| \le M_s \le M + m$  and  $|M - M_s| \le m \le M + M_s$ , at least if  $0 \le x_0 \le 1$ , implying  $|M_s^2 - m^2| \le M^2$ . The condition for a valid application of the spectator approach for distribution functions becomes

$$M_s \ge M - m,\tag{8.25}$$

$$M_s \ge M - \Lambda. \tag{8.26}$$

The condition on the quark mass m is only relevant if the 'quark propagator' pole is kept. In many cases it is convenient to cancel it by the choice of the vertex function  $g(k^2)$ .

#### 8.3 Quark-hadron vertices

The simplest way to construct valid quark-hadron vertices is to start with nonrelativistic (two-component) spinors and replace them by a (rest frame) Dirac spinor multiplied with the appropriate projection operator. Furthermore, to get the correct charge conjugation behavior, it is safest to start with the charge conjugation

operator acting on positive energy spinors. Thirdly, one starts writing down everything in the hadron rest frame. Technically, the ingredients are for the (renormalized) spinors (in the rest frame),

$$u^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1\\0\\0\\0 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad u^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0\\1\\0\\0 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad v^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0\\0\\1\\0 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad v^{(2)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0\\0\\0\\1 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad (8.27)$$

and for the charge conjugated *u*-spinors with  $C = i\gamma^2\gamma^0$ ,

$$C u^{(1)} = v^{(2)}, \qquad C u^{(2)} = -v^{(1)}.$$
(8.28)

Projection operators involving these spinors are in the hadron rest frame given by

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^{2} u^{(\alpha)} \overline{u}^{(\alpha)} = \frac{1+\gamma^{0}}{2} = \frac{P+M}{2M},$$
(8.29)

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^{2} v^{(\alpha)} \overline{v}^{(\alpha)} = \frac{\gamma^0 - 1}{2} = \frac{P - M}{2M},$$
(8.30)

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^{2} u^{(\alpha)} \overline{v}^{(\alpha)} = -\frac{(1+\gamma^0)\gamma_5}{2} = -\frac{(P+M)\gamma_5}{2M},$$
(8.31)

$$\sum_{\alpha=1}^{2} v^{(\alpha)} \overline{u}^{(\alpha)} = \frac{(1-\gamma^0)\gamma_5}{2} = -\frac{(\mathcal{P}-M)\gamma_5}{2M}.$$
(8.32)

For spin 1, the rest-system spin states are  $\epsilon_{+} = -(\epsilon_x + i\epsilon_y)/\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\epsilon_0 = \epsilon_z$  and  $\epsilon_- = (\epsilon_x - i\epsilon_y)/\sqrt{2}$ , or explicitly

$$\epsilon_{+} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \epsilon_{0} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \epsilon_{-} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad (8.33)$$

and the summation over states is

$$\sum_{\alpha} \epsilon_{\mu}^{(\alpha)} \epsilon_{\nu}^{(\alpha)*} = -g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{P_{\mu}P_{\nu}}{M^2}.$$
(8.34)

The  $pion \rightarrow$  quark-antiquark spin-space vertex is e.g. obtained by constructing a spin zero quark-antiquark combination,

$$\Upsilon(\pi)_{ij} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( u_i^{(1)} (C \, u^{(2)})_j^T - u_i^{(2)} (C \, u^{(1)})_j^T \right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( u_i^{(1)} \overline{v}_j^{(1)} + u_i^{(2)} \overline{v}_j^{(2)} \right),$$
(8.35)

i.e.

$$\Upsilon(\pi) \quad \propto \quad -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \, \frac{(P_{\pi} + M_{\pi})}{2M_{\pi}} \, \gamma_5 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \, \gamma_5 \, \frac{(P_{\pi} - M_{\pi})}{2M_{\pi}}, \tag{8.36}$$

$$\gamma_0 \Upsilon^{\dagger}(\pi) \gamma_0 \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \gamma_5 \frac{(P_{\pi} + M_{\pi})}{2M_{\pi}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{(P_{\pi} - M_{\pi})}{2M_{\pi}} \gamma_5.$$
 (8.37)

The expression for  $\Phi(k)$  is similar as for the nucleon with scalar diquark case with the expression between square brackets,

$$-\frac{1}{2}\left[\left(\not{k}+m\right)\frac{\left(\not{P}+M\right)}{2M}\gamma_{5}\left(\not{P}-M\right)\gamma_{5}\frac{\left(\not{P}+M\right)}{2M}\left(\not{k}+m\right)\right] \\ =\frac{1}{2}\left[\left(\not{k}+m\right)\left(\not{P}+M\right)\left(\not{k}+m\right)\right].$$
(8.38)

In this expression the 'spectator-antiquark' sum is taken to be P - M.

Combining the spinors to spin 1 one obtains the  $\rho \to$  quark-antiquark spin-space vertex, e.g. for the spin 0 component one has

$$\begin{split} \Upsilon_{ij}(\rho; S_z = 0) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( u_i^{(1)} (C \, u^{(2)})_j^T + u_i^{(2)} (C \, u^{(1)})_j^T \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( u_i^{(1)} \overline{v}_j^{(1)} - u_i^{(2)} \overline{v}_j^{(2)} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \left( \sigma_z u^{(1)} \right)_i \overline{v}_j^{(1)} + \left( \sigma_z u^{(2)} \right)_i \overline{v}_j^{(2)} \right), \end{split}$$
(8.39)

which using that  $\sigma_z u = \gamma_z \gamma_5 ((1+\gamma_0)/2) u$  gives the vertex for a vector meson,

$$\Upsilon^{\mu}(\rho) \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \gamma^{\mu} \frac{(P_{\rho} - M_{\rho})}{2M_{\rho}}, \qquad (8.40)$$

$$\gamma_0 \Upsilon^{\mu\dagger}(\rho) \gamma_0 \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{(P_{\rho} - M_{\rho})}{2M_{\rho}} \gamma^{\mu}.$$
 (8.41)

The 'spin' part in  $\Phi(k)$  becomes (for an unpolarized  $\rho$ -meson)

$$\frac{1}{2} \left[ (\not\!\!k + m) \, \gamma_{\mu} \frac{(\not\!\!P - M)}{2M} \, (\not\!\!P - M) \, \frac{(\not\!\!P + M)}{2M} \, \gamma_{\nu} \, (\not\!\!k + m) \right] \left( -g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{P^{\mu}P^{\nu}}{M^2} \right) \\ = \frac{1}{2} \left[ (\not\!\!k + m) \, (\not\!\!P + M) \, (\not\!\!k + m) \right]. \tag{8.42}$$

In this expression the 'spectator-antiquark' sum is taken to be -P + M.

In order to find the baryon  $\rightarrow$  quark-diquark vertex it is useful to first build a nucleon spinor either from a quark and a diquark with spin zero,

$$U_i^{(1)} = u_i^{(1)}, (8.43)$$

or to build a nucleon spinor from a quark and a diquark with spin one, e.g.

$$U_{i}^{(1)} = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \epsilon_{0} u_{i}^{(1)} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \epsilon_{+} u_{i}^{(2)}$$
  
$$= -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \epsilon_{0} \left(\sigma_{z} u^{(1)}\right)_{i} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} \epsilon_{+} \left(\sigma_{-} u^{(1)}\right)_{i}$$
  
$$= -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \left(\sigma \cdot \epsilon u^{(1)}\right)_{i}, \qquad (8.44)$$

from which one obtains the vertices

$$\begin{split} \Upsilon^{s}(N) &\propto 1, \quad (8.45) \\ \Upsilon^{a\,\mu}(N) &\propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left( \gamma_{\nu}\gamma_{5} \frac{(P+M)}{2M} \right) \left( -g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{P^{\mu}P^{\nu}}{M^{2}} \right) \\ &\propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\gamma_{5} \left( \gamma^{\mu} + \frac{P^{\mu}}{M} \right), \quad (8.46) \end{split}$$

$$\gamma_0 \Upsilon^{a\,\mu\dagger}(N)\gamma_0 \propto -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(\gamma^{\mu} + \frac{P^{\mu}}{M}\right)\gamma_5.$$
 (8.47)

For obtaining the short expressions note that a projection operator P + M on the 'nucleon side', i.e. left side, becomes irrelevant. From the symmetric SU(6) wave function one deduces that one (with the above factor in  $\Upsilon^a$ ) need both vertices  $\Upsilon^s$  and  $\Upsilon^a$  with equal relative strength. For the axial-vector diquark contribution to  $\Phi(k)$  the part between brackets in the scalar diquark case is replaced by

$$-\frac{1}{3} \left[ (\not\!\!k+m) \,\gamma_{\mu} \,\gamma_{5} \,\frac{(\not\!\!P+M)}{2M} \,(\not\!\!P+M) \,\frac{1+\gamma_{5} \,\not\!\!S}{2} \,\frac{(\not\!\!P+M)}{2M} \,\gamma_{5} \,\gamma_{\nu} \,(\not\!\!k+m) \right] \left( -g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{P^{\mu}P^{\nu}}{M^{2}} \right) \\ = \left[ (\not\!\!k+m) \,(\not\!\!P+M) \,\left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} \,\gamma_{5} \,\not\!\!S \right) \,(\not\!\!k+m) \right].$$
(8.48)

In this expression the spin-sum for the axial vector diquark is taken to be  $-g^{\mu\nu} + P^{\mu}P^{\nu}/M^2$ .

#### 8.4 Quark fragmentation functions in the spectator model

To illustrate this calculation we will also consider the simple nucleon-quark-diquark vertex connecting a nucleon with momentum P and mass M, a quark with momentum k and mass m and a scalar diquark. The essence again is that the diquark will be considered as an on-mass-shell spectator, i.e.  $(k - P_h)^2 = M_{\text{diquark}}^2$ . The quark-quark correlation function is then obtained as the product of the tree graph for  $q \to N + \text{diquark}$ .

For a scalar diquark (with mass  $M_s$ ), the vertex is as for the distribution functions,

$$\Upsilon^{s}_{ij}(P,k,P-k) = (1)_{ij} g_s(k^2), \qquad (8.49)$$

The correlation function that is the starting point for the calculation of the fragmentation functions is

which is the same expression as for the distribution function and gives for the production of an unpolarized nucleon

$$\Delta_{s}(k) = \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{g^{2}(k^{2})}{(k^{2} - m^{2})^{2}} \delta\left((k - P_{h})^{2} - M_{s}^{2}\right) \\ \times \left\{ \left(mM_{h}^{2} + m^{2}M_{h} - mM_{s}^{2} + (M_{h} + m)k^{2}\right) \\ - \left(k^{2} - m^{2}\right) \mathcal{P}_{h} + \left((M_{h} + m)^{2} - M_{s}^{2} + k^{2} - m^{2}\right) k \right\}.$$

$$(8.51)$$

The result for  $\Delta_s(k)$  can be used to calculate the projections

$$\Delta_s^{[\Gamma]}(z, \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}) = \frac{1}{4z} \int dk^+ \operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma \Delta_s) \Big|_{k^- = P_h^-/z; \ \boldsymbol{k}_T = -\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}/z},$$
(8.52)

which depend on  $z = P_h^-/k^-$  and  $P_{h\perp}^2$  or  $k_T^2$ . The integration over  $k^+$  can be rewritten in covariant form as

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(z, \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}) &= \frac{1}{2z} \int d(2k \cdot P_{h}) \, dk^{2} \, \delta\left(\frac{2k \cdot P_{h}}{z} - \frac{M_{h}^{2}}{z^{2}} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} - k^{2}\right) \left. \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\Delta_{s})}{4P_{h}^{-}} \right|_{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}=-\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}/z} \\ &= \frac{1}{2z} \int dP_{s}^{2} \, dk^{2} \, \delta\left(\frac{(1-z) \, k^{2}}{z} - \frac{(1-z) \, M_{h}^{2}}{z^{2}} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} - \frac{P_{s}^{2}}{z}\right) \left. \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\Delta_{s})}{4P_{h}^{-}} \right|_{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}=-\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}/z} \\ &= \frac{1}{2z} \, \Phi_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(1/z, -\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}/z), \end{aligned}$$
(8.53)

where  $P_s = k - P_h$  and the second form is suitable in the spectator model where one has the delta function  $\delta(P_s^2 - M_s^2)$  in the integrand.

For the  $\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}$ -integrated functions,

$$\Delta_s^{[\Gamma]}(z) = \frac{\pi z^2}{2} \int dk^+ d\mathbf{k}_T^2 \operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma \Delta_s) \bigg|_{k^- = P_h^-/z},$$
(8.54)

one has

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_s^{[\Gamma]}(z) &= \frac{\pi z}{2} \int dP_s^2 \, dk^2 \, \theta \left( \frac{(1-z) \, k^2}{z} - \frac{(1-z) \, M_h^2}{z^2} - \frac{P_s^2}{z} \right) \frac{\text{Tr}(\Gamma \Delta_s)}{4 \, P_h^-} \\ &= \frac{\pi z}{2} \int_{P_s^2(min)}^{\infty} dP_s^2 \int_{\frac{M_h^2}{z} + \frac{1}{1-z} \, P_s^2}^{\infty} dk^2 \, \frac{\text{Tr}(\Gamma \Delta_s)}{4 \, P_h^-} = \frac{1}{2} \, z \, \Phi_s^{[\Gamma]}(1/z), \end{aligned} \tag{8.55}$$

where  $P_s^2(min)$  is the minimum mass contributing in the antiquark-nucleon spectral function, which is larger than  $(M_h - m)^2$  in order to render the hadron h stable.

Writing

$$\Delta_s(k) = \tilde{\Delta}_s(k)\,\delta(P_s^2 - M_s^2),\tag{8.56}$$

we get the 'spectator model' results

$$\Delta_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(z, \boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}) = \frac{1}{2z} \int dk^{2} \,\delta\left(\frac{1-z}{z} k^{2} - \frac{(1-z)M_{h}^{2}}{z^{2}} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} - \frac{M_{s}^{2}}{z}\right) \left.\frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Delta}_{s})}{4P_{h}^{-}}\right|_{\boldsymbol{k}_{T}=-\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}/z} \\ = \frac{1}{2(1-z)} \left.\frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Delta}_{s})}{4P_{h}^{-}}\right|_{\boldsymbol{k}^{2}=k^{2}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2})},$$

$$(8.57)$$

with

$$k^{2}(z, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) = \frac{z}{1-z} \, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2} + \frac{M_{s}^{2}}{1-z} + \frac{M_{h}^{2}}{z}.$$
(8.58)

The  $\boldsymbol{P}_{h\perp}$ -integrated result is

$$\Delta_{s}^{[\Gamma]}(z) = \frac{\pi z^{2}}{2(1-z)} \int_{0}^{\infty} d\mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} \left. \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Delta}_{s})}{4P_{h}^{-}} \right|_{k^{2} = k^{2}(z, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2})}$$
$$= \frac{\pi z}{2} \int_{\frac{1}{1-z}}^{\infty} M_{s}^{2} + \frac{1}{z} M_{h}^{2} dk^{2} \left. \frac{\operatorname{Tr}(\Gamma\tilde{\Delta}_{s})}{4P_{h}^{-}} \right|_{k^{2} = k^{2}(z, \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2})}$$
(8.59)

For the practical calculations it is convenient to use the functions also encountered for the distribution functions,

$$\mu_s^2(1/z) = \frac{1-z}{z^2} M_h^2 + \frac{M_s^2}{z} - \frac{1-z}{z} m^2,$$
(8.60)

$$\lambda_s^2(1/z) = \frac{1-z}{z^2} M_h^2 + \frac{M_s^2}{z} - \frac{1-z}{z} \Lambda^2,$$
(8.61)

such that we have for the often appearing denominators,

$$k^{2} - m^{2} = \frac{z}{1 - z} \left( \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} + \mu^{2}(1/z) \right), \qquad (8.62)$$

$$k^{2} - \Lambda^{2} = \frac{z}{1 - z} \left( \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} + \lambda^{2} (1/z) \right).$$
(8.63)

With the argument 1/z and  $0 \le z \le 1$ , the function  $\mu_s^2(1/z)$  has endpoints  $\mu^2(1/z) \to M_h^2/z$  for  $z \to 0$ and  $\mu^2(1) = M_s^2$ , acquiring a minimum at the point  $z_0 = 2M_h^2/(M_h^2 + m^2 - M_s^2)$  with the value

$$\mu^2(1/z_0) = \frac{\left((m+M_s)^2 - M_h^2\right) \left(M_h^2 - (m-M_s)^2\right)}{4M_h^2},\tag{8.64}$$

which should be positive to avoid problems, i.e  $|M_h - m| \le M_s \le M_h + m$  and  $|M_h - M_s| \le m \le M_h + M_s$ , at least if  $0 \le z_0 \le 1$ , implying  $m^2 - M_s^2 \ge M_h^2$ . This implies the following condition for employment of the spectator model,

$$M_s \ge m - M_h,\tag{8.65}$$

$$M_s \ge \Lambda - M_h. \tag{8.66}$$

The first condition on the quark mass is not relevant if the pole in the quark propagator is cancelled by a special choice of  $g(k^2)$ .

# Chapter 9

# Perturbative corrections

#### 9.1 Inclusive leptoproduction

In order to illustrate the inclusion of perturbative QCD corrections, we start with inclusive lepton-hadron scattering, for which the tree level result, corresponding to  $\gamma^*(q) + q(p) \rightarrow q(k)$  with k = p + q in leading order in 1/Q is given by

$$2M W^{\mu\nu}(P,q) = \int dp^{-}dp^{+}d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \operatorname{Tr}\left(\Phi(p) \gamma^{\mu} \left(\not{p} + \not{q} + m\right) \gamma^{\nu}\right) \delta\left((p+q)^{2} - m^{2}\right)$$

$$\approx \int dp^{-}d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \operatorname{Tr}\left(\Phi(p) \gamma^{\mu} \frac{\not{q}}{2q^{-}} \gamma^{\nu}\right)$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{4} f_{1}(x_{B}) \operatorname{Tr}\left(\gamma^{-} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma^{+} \gamma^{\nu}\right) = -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} f_{1}(x_{B}) \qquad (9.1)$$

(Note that  $g_T^{\mu\nu} = g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}$  in this case as  $q_T = 0$ ).

Perturbative corrections to this result for the nonsinglet structure functions come from the process  $\gamma^*(q) + q(p) \rightarrow q(k) + G(l)$ . This leads (omitting mass and vertex corrections) to the following contributions at leading order in 1/Q,

$$2M W^{\mu\nu}(P,q) = \int dp^{-}d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \,\theta(\mu^{2}-\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{2}) \operatorname{Tr}\left(\Phi(p) \,\gamma^{\mu} \frac{\not{q}}{2q^{-}} \gamma^{\nu}\right) \\ + \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int d^{4}p \, d^{4}k \, d^{4}l \,\delta(l^{2}) \,\delta(k^{2}) \,\delta^{4}(p+q-k-l) \, d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \\ \times \left\{\theta\left(\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^{\prime 2}-\mu^{2}\right) \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}_{t} \gamma^{\mu} \not{k} \gamma^{\nu} \not{k}_{t} \gamma^{\beta}]/\hat{t}^{2} \right. \\ \left. + \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \not{k} \gamma^{\nu} \not{k}_{t} \gamma^{\beta}]/\hat{s}\hat{t} \right. \\ \left. + \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \not{k} \gamma^{\beta} \not{k}_{s} \gamma^{\nu}]/\hat{s}\hat{t} \right. \\ \left. + \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \not{k} \gamma^{\beta} \not{k}_{s} \gamma^{\nu}]/\hat{s}^{2} \right\},$$

$$(9.2)$$

where  $\mathbf{p}'_{\perp} = \mathbf{p}_{\perp} - \mathbf{l}_{\perp}$  and where  $d_{\alpha\beta}(l)$  is the gluon summation in the final state. This depends on the choice of gauge. For this a convenient choice is the axial gauge  $\hat{q} \cdot A = 0$ , in which case one has

$$d_{\alpha\beta}(l) = -g_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{l_{\alpha}q_{\beta} + q_{\alpha}l_{\beta}}{l \cdot q} - \frac{q^2 \, l_{\alpha} \, l_{\beta}}{(l \cdot q)^2}.$$
(9.3)

For any gluon field linked to a matrix element or constituting a final state (which means essentially onmass-shell compared to  $Q^2$ ), the above gauge choice implies a polarization summation that is equivalent to the gauge choice  $n_l \cdot A = 0$ , where  $n_l$  is the lightlike vector constructed from l and q,

$$n_l = \frac{x_p \sqrt{2}}{Q} \left( l + \frac{2l \cdot q}{Q^2} q \right). \tag{9.4}$$

As we have seen that gauge choice is important for a parton inpretation of the correlation functions. The theta functions cutting off or taking into account the first rung of the ladder contribution avoids double counting. Transverse momenta larger than  $\mu^2$  are not included in the soft part.

Implementing the energy-momentum conservation to eliminate integration over  $p^+$ ,  $k^-$  and  $l_{\perp}$ , using  $\delta(l^2)$  to eliminate the integration over  $l^+$ , introducing

$$f_1(x,\mu^2) = \int d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \,\theta(\mu^2 - \mathbf{p}_{\perp}^2) \,f_1(x,\mathbf{p}_{\perp}^2)$$
(9.5)

and going to components (assuming P and q to have no perpendicular components) one finds

$$2M W^{\mu\nu}(P,q) = -g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} f_{1}(x_{B},\mu^{2}) + \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int dp^{-} dk^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \frac{dl^{-}}{2l^{-}} \delta(k^{2}) d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \times \left\{ \theta \left( \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2} \right) \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\mu} \boldsymbol{k} \gamma^{\nu} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{t}^{2} + \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k} \gamma^{\nu} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{s} \hat{t} + \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k} \gamma^{\beta} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s} \hat{t} + \operatorname{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k} \gamma^{\beta} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s}^{2} \right\}.$$

$$(9.6)$$

After this step we can parametrize the momenta

$$k = \left[ z_k \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1-z_k)(1-x_p)}{x_p} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, k_\perp \right],$$
(9.7)

$$l = \left[ (1 - z_k) \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{z_k (1 - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} - \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \right],$$
(9.8)

$$q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{\perp}\right], \tag{9.9}$$

$$p = \left[ p^{-}, \frac{Q}{x_p \sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \right], \qquad (9.10)$$

and rewrite the integration for the  $\mathscr{O}(g^2)$  correction as

$$\frac{g^2 C_F}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{Q}{2\sqrt{2}} \int \frac{dx_p}{x_p^2} \int dz_k \int d^2 \mathbf{k}_\perp \,\delta\left(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2 - \frac{z_k(1-z_k)(1-x_p)}{x_p} Q^2\right) \int dp^- \,d^2 \mathbf{p}_\perp \,\dots\,. \tag{9.11}$$

The transverse momentum of the outgoing quark thus satisfies

$$\frac{\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^2}{Q^2} = \frac{z_k(1-z_k)(1-x_p)}{x_p}.$$
(9.12)

Positivity of  $k_{\perp}^2$  restricts the domain for  $z_k$  and  $x_p$  to the regions  $0 \le z_k \le 1$  and  $0 \le x_p \le 1$ , while the theta function provides (in the first term) a regularization near the endpoints, for  $x_p$  not too close to unity

$$\frac{x_p}{1-x_p} \frac{\mu^2}{Q^2} \le z_k \le 1 - \frac{x_p}{1-x_p} \frac{\mu^2}{Q^2}.$$
(9.13)

It is useful to have explicit expressions for the vectors

$$k_{s} = p + q = k + l = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, p_{\perp}\right], \qquad (9.14)$$

$$k_t = p - l = k - q = \left[ -(1 - z_k) \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1 - z_k + x_p z_k}{x_p} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_\perp \right],$$
(9.15)

$$k_{u} = k - p = q - l = \left[ z_{k} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{x_{p} + z_{k} - x_{p} z_{k}}{x_{p}} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \right].$$
(9.16)

The Mandelstam variables for the subprocess are

$$\hat{s} = k_s^2 = \frac{1 - x_p}{x_p} Q^2,$$
(9.17)

$$\hat{t} = k_t^2 = -\frac{1-z_k}{x_p} Q^2,$$
(9.18)

$$\hat{u} = k_u^2 = -\frac{z_k}{x_p} Q^2, \tag{9.19}$$

satisfying  $\hat{s} + \hat{t} + \hat{u} + Q^2 = 0$  and the inverse relations are:

$$x_p = \frac{Q^2}{\hat{s} + Q^2},\tag{9.20}$$

$$z_k = -\frac{\hat{u}}{\hat{s} + Q^2}.$$
 (9.21)

Useful inner products are:

$$2p \cdot q = \hat{s} + Q^2 = \frac{1}{x_p} Q^2 = -(\hat{u} + \hat{t}),$$
  

$$2k \cdot q = -(\hat{t} + Q^2) = -\frac{x_p + z_k - 1}{x_p} Q^2 = \hat{s} + \hat{u},$$
  

$$2l \cdot q = -(\hat{u} + Q^2) = \frac{z_k - x_p}{x_p} Q^2 = \hat{s} + \hat{t},$$
(9.22)

The vectors  $\hat{p} \propto x_p p\sqrt{2}/Q$ ,  $\hat{k} \propto x_p k\sqrt{2}/Q$  and  $\hat{l} \propto x_p l\sqrt{2}/Q$  are lightlike vectors, e.g.  $\hat{p} \propto n_+$ . For the transverse and longitudinal structure function in

$$2M W^{\mu\nu}(P,q) = -2 F_T(x_B,Q^2) g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu} + 2 F_L(x_B,Q^2) \frac{\tilde{P}^{\mu}\tilde{P}^{\nu}}{\tilde{P}^2}$$
(9.23)

(Note  $F_T = F_1 = M W_T = M W_1$  and  $2 F_L = F_2 / x_B - 2 F_1$ ) we then obtain the results

$$2 F_{T}(x_{B}, Q^{2}) = f_{1}(x_{B}, \mu^{2}) + \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int_{x_{B}}^{1} \frac{dx_{p}}{x_{p}} \int_{0}^{1} dz_{k} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{\perp} \, \delta \left( \mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \frac{z_{k}(1 - z_{k})(1 - x_{p})}{x_{p}} \, Q^{2} \right) \frac{1}{(x_{p} - z_{k})^{2}} f_{1} \left( \frac{x_{B}}{x_{p}} \right) \times \left\{ \frac{(1 - x_{p}) \left(x_{p}^{2} - 2x_{p}z_{k} - 2x_{p}^{2}z_{k} + 3z_{k}^{2} + 6x_{p}z_{k}^{2} + 2x_{p}^{2}z_{k}^{2} - 4z_{k}^{3} - 4x_{p}z_{k}^{3} + 2z_{k}^{4} \right) \\ - 2 \, z_{k} \left(x_{p} + z_{k} + x_{p}z_{k} - z_{k}^{2}\right) + \frac{(1 - z_{k}) \left(x_{p}^{2} + z_{k}^{2}\right)}{1 - x_{p}} \right\}$$

$$= f_{1}(x_{B}, \mu^{2}) \\ + \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int_{x_{B}}^{1} \frac{dx_{p}}{x_{p}} \int_{0}^{1} dz_{k} \int d^{2} \mathbf{k}_{\perp} \, \delta\left(\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \frac{z_{k}(1-z_{k})(1-x_{p})}{x_{p}} Q^{2}\right) \, f_{1}\left(\frac{x_{B}}{x_{p}}\right) \, \theta\left(\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2}\right) \\ \times \frac{2 - 2x_{p} + x_{p}^{2} - 2z_{k} + 4x_{p}z_{k} - 2x_{p}^{2}z_{k} + z_{k}^{2} - 2x_{p}z_{k}^{2} + 2x_{p}^{2}z_{k}^{2}}{(1-x_{p})(1-z_{k})}$$

$$= f_{1}(x_{B}, \mu^{2}) + \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int_{x_{B}}^{1} \frac{dx_{p}}{x_{p}} \int_{0}^{1} dz_{k} \theta \left(\frac{z_{k}(1-z_{k})(1-x_{p})}{x_{p}} Q^{2} - \mu^{2}\right) f_{1}\left(\frac{x_{B}}{x_{p}}\right) \times \left\{\frac{1+x_{p}^{2}}{(1-x_{p})(1-z_{k})} + \frac{1-z_{k}-2x_{p}+2z_{k}x_{p}-2z_{k}x_{p}^{2}}{1-x_{p}}\right\}$$
(9.24)

$$2F_L(x_B, Q^2) = \frac{g^2 C_F}{(2\pi)^3} \int_{x_B}^1 \frac{dx_p}{x_p} \int_0^1 dz_k d^2 \mathbf{k}_\perp \,\delta\left(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2 - \frac{z_k(1-z_k)(1-x_p)}{x_p} \,Q^2\right) \,4x_p z_k \,f_1\left(\frac{x_B}{x_p}\right).$$
(9.25)

The lower limit in the  $x_p$  integration comes from the support property of  $\Phi(p)$ , namely  $P^+ - p^+ \ge 0$  or  $p^+/P^+ = x_B/x_p \le 1$ . We note a singular part  $\propto 1/(1-z_k)$  in  $F_T$  coming from the first term in the calculation. This is a collinear singularity  $(\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^2 \to 0)$  which is regulated by the theta function.

In order to perform the integration over  $z_k$  one notes that

$$\int_{0}^{1-\delta} dz_{k} \frac{f(z_{k})}{1-z_{k}} = \int_{0}^{1} dz_{k} \frac{f(z_{k}) - f(1)}{1-z_{k}} - f(1)\ln(\delta)$$
$$= \int_{0}^{1} dz_{k} \frac{f(z_{k})}{(1-z_{k})_{+}} - f(1)\ln(\delta), \qquad (9.26)$$
or in a functional sense

$$\frac{1}{1-z_k} = \frac{1}{(1-z_k)_+} - \delta(1-z_k) \ln \delta.$$
(9.27)

One obtains

$$2 F_T(x_B, Q^2) = f_1(x_B; \mu^2) + \frac{g^2 C_F}{8\pi^2} \int_{x_B}^1 \frac{dx_p}{x_p} f_1\left(\frac{x_B}{x_p}\right) \left\{ \frac{1 + x_p^2}{1 - x_p} \ln\left(\frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}\right) + \frac{1 + x_p^2}{1 - x_p} \ln\left(\frac{1 - x_p}{x_p}\right) + \frac{1 - 2x_p - 2x_p^2}{2(1 - x_p)} \right\}, \quad (9.28)$$

$$2F_L(x_B, Q^2) = \frac{g^2 C_F}{8\pi^2} \int_{x_B}^1 dx_p \ 2x_p f_1\left(\frac{x_B}{x_p}\right) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_{x_B}^1 \frac{dy}{y} \ 2C_F \frac{x_B}{y} f_1(y).$$
(9.29)

The first expressions gives the scale dependence of  $f_1(x; \mu^2)$ , the second the perturbative result for the longitudinal structure function. The scale dependence of the structure function is determined by the singular term and requires an appropriate treatment of the singularities near  $x_p = 1$ .

$$f_1(x_B; Q^2) = f_1(x_B; \mu^2) + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_{x_B}^1 \frac{dy}{y} P_{qq}\left(\frac{x_B}{y}\right) f_1(y) \ln\left(\frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}\right),$$
(9.30)

where

$$P_{qq}(z) = C_F \left[ \frac{1+z^2}{(1-z)_+} + \frac{3}{2} \delta(1-z) \right].$$
(9.31)

Since the singular piece only comes from the first of the four terms in the calculation, it is possible to obtain the evolution without considering the full process and only consider the gluon ladder graph contribution in the quark-quark correlation function. Implicitly here is of course the use in a hard scattering process with a large momentum scale, which defines the lightlike direction  $n_-$ . Requiring that  $k^+ = xP^+$  and implementing momentum conservation, the momenta for  $q(p) \rightarrow q(k) + G(l)$  can be parametrized as

$$k = \left[ p^{-} - \frac{x_{p}}{1 - x_{p}} \frac{(\mathbf{k}_{\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp})^{2}}{2x P^{+}}, xP^{+}, \mathbf{k}_{\perp} \right],$$

$$l = \left[ \frac{x_{p}}{1 - x_{p}} \frac{(\mathbf{k}_{\perp} - \mathbf{p}_{\perp})^{2}}{2x P^{+}}, \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}} xP^{+}, \mathbf{p}_{\perp} - \mathbf{k}_{\perp} \right],$$

$$p = \left[ p^{-}, \frac{x}{x_{p}} P^{+}, \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \right].$$
(9.32)

The quantities  $k^2$ ,  $2k \cdot P$  and  $(P-k)^2$  then can be expressed in  $k_T^2$  and  $x_p$ ,

$$\tau = k^2 = 2k^+ p^- - \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} \left( \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp}^2 - 2\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp} \cdot \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp} \right) - \frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^2}{1 - x_p} \approx -\frac{\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^2}{1 - x_p}.$$
(9.33)

$$\sigma = 2k \cdot P = -\frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} \frac{k_r^2}{x} + x M^2.$$
(9.34)

$$M_R^2 = (P-k)^2 \approx \left(\frac{x_p}{x} - 1\right) \frac{k_T^2}{x}.$$
(9.35)

In Fig. 9.1 we show the region limited by  $x \le x_p \le 1$  and  $k_T^2 \le \mu^2$ , which is described in the perturbative calculation. Using the 'large'  $(Q^2 \gg k_{\perp}^2)$  vector

$$q = \left[\frac{Q^2}{2x P^+}, \ -x P^+, \ \mathbf{0}_{\perp}\right]$$
(9.36)



Figure 9.1: The (dark-shaded) region  $k_T^2 \ge \mu^2$  and  $x \le x_p \le 1$  for x = 1/2 which is described by the ladder diagram.

for the choice of gauge, one obtains

$$\begin{split} \Phi^{[\gamma^{+}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) &= \theta(\mu^{2} - \mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2}) \Phi^{[\gamma^{+}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) \\ &+ \theta(\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2}) \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{1}{2} \int dk^{-} \int dl^{-} dl^{+} d^{2} \mathbf{l}_{\perp} \, \delta(l^{2}) \, d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \, \frac{\mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}\gamma^{+} \not{k}\gamma^{\beta}]}{(k^{2})^{2}} \\ &= \theta(\mu^{2} - \mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2}) \, \Phi^{[\gamma^{+}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) \\ &+ \theta(\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2}) \, \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dl^{+}}{2l^{+}} \, d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \, \frac{\int dp^{-} d^{2} \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}\gamma^{+} \not{k}\gamma^{\beta}]}{(k^{2})^{2}} \\ &= \theta(\mu^{2} - \mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2}) \, \Phi^{[\gamma^{+}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{\perp}) \\ &+ \theta(\mathbf{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2}) \, \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{dx_{p}}{x_{p}^{2}} \, \frac{x_{p}}{1 - x_{p}} \, d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \, \frac{\int dp^{-} d^{2} \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}\gamma^{+} \not{k}\gamma^{\beta}]}{(k^{2})^{2}} \end{split}$$

or

$$f_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}) = \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}) f_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}) + \theta(\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2}) \frac{\alpha_{s} C_{F}}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\pi \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}} \int dx_{p} \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}} f_{1}\left(\frac{x}{x_{p}}\right) \\ \times \frac{Q^{4} \left(1 + x_{p}^{2}\right) (1 - x_{p})^{2} + 2Q^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2} x_{p}^{3} \left(1 - x_{p}\right) + \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{4} x_{p}^{4}}{\left(Q^{2} \left(1 - x_{p}\right)^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2} x_{p}^{2}\right)^{2}} + \dots \\ = \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}) f_{1}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}) + \theta(\boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2} - \mu^{2}) \frac{\alpha_{s}(\mu^{2})}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\pi \boldsymbol{k}_{\perp}^{2}} \int_{x}^{1} \frac{dy}{y} P_{qq}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) f_{1}(y, \mu^{2}) + \dots (9.37)$$

where the last step includes the iteration of ladder graphs. The splitting function  $P_{qq}(z)$  is as given above. The appropriate coefficient of the  $\delta$  function  $\delta(1-z)$  is easily found by using the result for  $f_1(x, \mathbf{k}_{\perp})$  for a free quark. This requires that  $\int dz P_{qq}(z) = 0$ .

#### 9.2 Semi-inclusive leptoproduction

For 1-particle inclusive lepton-hadron scattering the tree-level result is given by

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}(q, P, P_h) = \int d^4p \, d^4k \, \delta^4(p+q-k) \operatorname{Tr}\left(\Phi(p) \, \gamma^{\mu} \, \Delta(k) \, \gamma^{\nu}\right) \, \theta\left(\mu^2 - \boldsymbol{p}_T^2\right) \, \theta\left(\mu^2 - \boldsymbol{k}_T^2\right) \\ = \int d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \, \theta\left(\mu^2 - \boldsymbol{p}_T^2\right) \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \, \theta\left(\mu^2 - \boldsymbol{k}_T^2\right) \, \delta^2(\boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T) \\ \int dp^- \int dk^+ \operatorname{Tr}\left[\Phi(p) \, \gamma^{\mu} \, \Delta(k) \, \gamma^{\nu}\right].$$
(9.38)

The natural frame to work in is the one in which the two hadrons do not have transverse components (frame II). The momenta of the photon and the hadrons can be parametrized

$$P_h = \left[ \bar{z}_h \, \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{M_h^2}{\bar{z}_h \tilde{Q} \sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T \right], \tag{9.39}$$

$$q = \left[\frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{q}_T\right], \qquad (9.40)$$

$$P = \left[\frac{\bar{x_B}M^2}{\tilde{Q}\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{\bar{x_B}}\frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right].$$
(9.41)

We note that  $Q^2 = \tilde{Q}^2 + Q_T^2$ , where  $Q_T^2 = q_T^2 = g_T^{\mu\nu}q_{\mu}q_{\nu}$ . We do not assume that  $Q_T^2$  is small at this point. Up to  $\mathcal{O}(1/Q^2)$  corrections one has

$$\bar{x_B} = -\frac{q^+}{P^+} = -\frac{P_h \cdot q}{P_h \cdot P},$$
(9.42)

$$\bar{z}_h = \frac{P_h^-}{q^-} = \frac{P \cdot P_h}{P \cdot q} \tag{9.43}$$

while the usual scaling variables become

$$x_{B} = \frac{Q^{2}}{2P \cdot q} = \bar{x_{B}} \frac{Q^{2}}{\tilde{Q}^{2}} = \bar{x_{B}} \left(1 - \frac{Q_{T}^{2}}{Q^{2}}\right)^{-1}, \qquad (9.44)$$

$$z_h = -\frac{2P_h \cdot q}{Q^2} = \bar{z}_h \frac{\tilde{Q}^2}{Q^2} = \bar{z}_h \left(1 - \frac{Q_T^2}{Q^2}\right).$$
(9.45)

The quark momenta are parametrized as

$$k = \left[ z_k \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, k^+, \boldsymbol{k}_T \right], \qquad (9.46)$$

$$p = \left[ p^{-}, \frac{1}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_T \right], \qquad (9.47)$$

with for the tree-level calculation after implementing energy-momentum conservation  $z_k = x_p = 1$ . This condition must be dropped when one considers perturbative corrections, in which case one obtains the additional contribution

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}(q, P, P_h) = \dots$$

$$+ \frac{g^2 C_F}{(2\pi)^3} \int d^4p \, d^4k \, d^4l \, \delta^4(p+q-k-l) \, \delta(l^2) \, d_{\alpha\beta}(l)$$

$$\times \left\{ \theta(\boldsymbol{p}_T^{\prime 2}-\mu^2) \, \theta(\mu^2-\boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}_t \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\nu} \not{k}_t \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{t}^2 \right.$$

$$+ \theta(\mu^2-\boldsymbol{p}_T^2) \, \theta(\mu^2-\boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not{k}_s \gamma^{\alpha} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\nu} \not{k}_t \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{s}\hat{t}$$

$$+ \theta(\mu^2-\boldsymbol{p}_T^2) \, \theta(\mu^2-\boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}_t \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\beta} \not{k}_s \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s}\hat{t}$$

$$+ \theta(\mu^2-\boldsymbol{p}_T^2) \, \theta(\boldsymbol{k}_T^{\prime 2}-\mu^2) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not{k}_s \gamma^{\alpha} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\beta} \not{k}_s \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s}^2 \right\}, \quad (9.48)$$

where  $p'_T = p_T - l_T$  and  $k'_T = k_T + l_T$ . Implementing energy-momentum conservation we get

$$2M \mathscr{W}^{\mu\nu}(q, P, P_{h}) = \dots + \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \int dp^{-} dk^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} dl^{-} dl^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{l}_{T} \, \delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T} - \boldsymbol{l}_{T}) \, \delta(l^{2}) \, d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \\ \times \left\{ \theta(\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{\prime 2} - \mu^{2}) \, \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k) \gamma^{\nu} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{t}^{2} \right. \\ \left. + \, \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}) \, \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k) \gamma^{\nu} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{s} \hat{t} \right. \\ \left. + \, \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}) \, \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k}_{t} \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k) \gamma^{\beta} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s} \hat{t} \right. \\ \left. + \, \theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}) \, \theta(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{\prime 2} - \mu^{2}) \, \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\alpha} \Delta(k) \gamma^{\beta} \boldsymbol{k}_{s} \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s}^{2} \right\}, \tag{9.49}$$

and the appropriate parametrization for the gluon momentum l is

$$l = \left[ (1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1 - x_p}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{l}_T \right], \qquad (9.50)$$

First we consider the Mandelstam variables starting with

$$k_{s} = p + q = k + l = \left[\frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1 - x_{p}}{x_{p}} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}'_{T}\right], \qquad (9.51)$$

$$k_t = p - l = k - q = \left[ -(1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, p'_T \right],$$
 (9.52)

$$k_{u} = p - k = l - q = \left[ -z_{k} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{x_{p}} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \right].$$
(9.53)

The Mandelstam variables for the subprocess are

$$\hat{s} = k_s^2 = \frac{1 - x_p}{x_p} \tilde{Q}^2 - 2 \, \boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{l}_T = \frac{1 - x_p}{x_p} \, Q^2 - \frac{Q_T^2}{x_p} - 2 \, \boldsymbol{p}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{q}_T, \tag{9.54}$$

$$\hat{t} = k_t^2 = -\frac{1-z_k}{x_p} \tilde{Q}^2 + 2 \, \boldsymbol{p}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{l}_T = -(1-z_k) \, Q^2 - z_k \, Q_T^2 + 2 \, \boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{q}_T, \qquad (9.55)$$

$$\hat{u} = k_u^2 = -\frac{z_k}{x_p} \tilde{Q}^2 = -\frac{z_k}{x_p} (Q^2 - Q_T^2), \qquad (9.56)$$

satisfying  $\hat{s} + \hat{t} + \hat{u} + Q^2 = 0$  and the inverse relations are:

$$x_p = \frac{\tilde{Q}^2}{\hat{s} + Q^2 + 2\,\boldsymbol{p}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{q}_T},\tag{9.57}$$

$$z_k = -\frac{\hat{t} + Q^2 - 2\,\boldsymbol{k}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{q}_T}{\tilde{Q}^2}.$$
(9.58)

The implementation of the *l*-integration and  $\delta(l^2)$  depends on which of the four terms one considers. For the first term,

in term 1: 
$$\int dl^{-} dl^{+} d^{2} \boldsymbol{l}_{T} \, \delta(l^{2}) = \int \frac{dl^{+}}{2l^{+}} \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T}' = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\bar{x_{B}}}^{1} \frac{dx_{p}}{x_{p}} \frac{1}{1 - x_{p}} \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T}', \quad (9.59)$$

(the range in  $x_p$  coming from the support of  $\Phi(p)$ ) leading to the contribution

$$\dots + \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{\prime} \,\theta(\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{\prime 2} - \mu^{2}) \,d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,\theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}) \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{\prime} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}) \,\frac{g^{2} \, C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \,\frac{1}{2} \int_{x_{B}^{-}}^{1} \frac{dx_{p}}{x_{p}} \,\frac{1}{1 - x_{p}} \\ \times \int dp^{-} \,d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} \int dk^{+} \,d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \,\mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \boldsymbol{k}_{t}\gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\nu} \boldsymbol{k}_{t}\gamma^{\beta}]/\hat{t}^{2}$$
(9.60)

with

in term 1: 
$$1 - z_k = \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} \frac{\boldsymbol{l}_T^2}{\tilde{Q}^2} = \frac{x_p}{1 - x_p} \frac{(\boldsymbol{p}_T' - \boldsymbol{p}_T)^2}{\tilde{Q}^2}.$$
 (9.61)

For the fourth term we rewrite

in term 4: 
$$dl^- dl^+ d^2 \boldsymbol{l}_T \,\delta(l^2) = \int \frac{dl^-}{2l^-} d^2 \boldsymbol{k}'_T = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\bar{z}_h}^1 dz_k \,\frac{1}{1 - z_k} \int d^2 \boldsymbol{k}'_T,$$
 (9.62)

(the support in  $z_k$  coming from the support of  $\Delta(k)$ ) and obtain

$$\dots + \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{T} \,\theta(\mu^{2} - \boldsymbol{p}_{T}^{2}) \,d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{\prime} \,\theta(\boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{\prime 2} - \mu^{2}) \,\delta^{2}(\boldsymbol{p}_{T} + \boldsymbol{q}_{T} - \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{\prime}) \,\frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \,\frac{1}{2} \int_{\bar{z}_{h}}^{1} dz_{k} \,\frac{1}{1 - z_{k}} \\ \times \int dp^{-} \int dk^{+} \,d^{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T} \,d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \,\mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not\!\!k_{s}\gamma^{\alpha} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\beta} \not\!\!k_{s}\gamma^{\nu}]/\hat{s}^{2}$$
(9.63)

with

in term 4: 
$$\frac{1-x_p}{x_p} = \frac{1}{x_p} - 1 = \frac{1}{1-z_k} \frac{\boldsymbol{l}_T^2}{\tilde{Q}^2} = \frac{1}{1-z_k} \frac{(\boldsymbol{k}_T' - \boldsymbol{k}_T)^2}{\tilde{Q}^2}.$$
 (9.64)

For the other two terms we use

in term 2 & 3: 
$$\int dl^- dl^+ d^2 \boldsymbol{l}_T \,\,\delta(l^2) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\bar{z}_h}^1 dz_k \int_{\bar{x}_B}^1 \frac{dx_p}{x_p^2} \int d^2 \boldsymbol{l}_T \,\,\delta\left(\frac{\boldsymbol{l}_T^2}{\tilde{Q}^2} - \frac{(1-z_k)(1-x_p)}{x_p}\right), \,\,(9.65)$$

leading to the contribution

$$\dots + \frac{g^2 C_F}{(2\pi)^3} \int d^2 \boldsymbol{p}_T \,\theta(\mu^2 - \boldsymbol{p}_T^2) \,d^2 \boldsymbol{k}_T \,\theta(\mu^2 - \boldsymbol{k}_T^2) \\ \times \frac{1}{2} \int_{z_h}^1 dz_k \int_{x_B^-}^1 \frac{dx_p}{x_p} \frac{1}{1 - x_p} \int d^2 \boldsymbol{l}_T \,\delta\left(\frac{\boldsymbol{l}_T^2}{\tilde{Q}^2} - \frac{(1 - z_k)(1 - x_p)}{x_p}\right), \\ \times \int dp^- \int dk^+ \,d_{\alpha\beta}(l) \Big\{ \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\mu} \not{k}_s \gamma^{\alpha} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\nu} \not{k}_t \gamma^{\beta}] / \hat{s}\hat{t} \\ + \mathrm{Tr}[\Phi(p)\gamma^{\alpha} \not{k}_t \gamma^{\mu} \Delta(k)\gamma^{\beta} \not{k}_s \gamma^{\nu}] / \hat{s}\hat{t} \Big\},$$
(9.66)

in which to use  $\boldsymbol{l}_T = \boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T - \boldsymbol{k}_T$  and consequently  $\boldsymbol{p}_T' = \boldsymbol{k}_T - \boldsymbol{q}_T$  and  $\boldsymbol{k}_T' = \boldsymbol{p}_T + \boldsymbol{q}_T$ .

#### 9.3 Evolution and transverse momentum dependence

In order to investigate generally the high  $p_T$ -tails of the distribution and fragmentation functions, we separate the transverse momentum dependence and Lorentz structure, relevant to determine the leading or subleading character of the correlation functions from the Dirac and target spin structure. Using  $p_T^{\alpha}$  and

$$p_T^{\alpha\beta} = p_T^{\alpha} p_T^{\beta} - \frac{1}{2} p_T^2 g_T^{\alpha\beta}, \qquad (9.67)$$

in order to make an angular expansion in the transverse momenta, we write (we use  $\gamma^+ = \not n$  and  $\gamma^- = \not P$  with a dimensionful *n*-vector, satisfying  $P \cdot n = 1$ )

$$\Phi(x, p_T) = \left[ \Phi_2(x, p_T^2) \mathcal{P} + \left(\frac{p_T \alpha}{M}\right) \Phi_2^{\alpha}(x, p_T^2) + \left(\frac{p_T \alpha \beta}{M^2}\right) \Phi_2^{\alpha \beta}(x, p_T^2) + \dots \right] \mathcal{P} \\
+ M \left[ \Phi_3(x, p_T^2) + \left(\frac{p_T \alpha}{M}\right) \Phi_3^{\alpha}(x, p_T^2) + \dots \right] \\
+ M^2 \left[ \Phi_4(x, p_T^2) + \left(\frac{p_T \alpha}{M}\right) \Phi_4^{\alpha}(x, p_T^2) + \dots \right] \not{h} \\
+ \dots \qquad (9.68)$$

where the quantities  $\Phi_t^{\alpha...}(x, p_T^2)$  are symmetric and traceless in the transverse indices  $(\alpha...)$  and depend on the arguments x and  $p_T^2$  and get the (transverse) Lorentz structure from the Dirac gamma-matrices and the spin vectors. The integrated and  $p_T$ -weighted quantities are given by

$$\Phi(x) = \int d^2 p_T \, \Phi(x, p_T) = \Phi_2(x) \, \mathcal{P} + M \, \Phi_3(x) + M^2 \, \Phi_4(x) \, \not h \tag{9.69}$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha}(x) = \int d^2 p_T \left(\frac{p_T^{\alpha}}{M}\right) \Phi(x, p_T) = \Phi_2^{\alpha(1)}(x) \mathcal{P} + M \Phi_3^{\alpha(1)}(x) + \dots$$
(9.70)

$$\frac{1}{M^2} \Phi_{\partial\partial}^{\alpha\beta}(x) = \int d^2 p_T \left(\frac{p_T \alpha\beta}{M^2}\right) \Phi(x, p_T^2) = \Phi_2^{\alpha\beta(2)}(x) P + \dots, \qquad (9.71)$$

with the transverse moments defined as

$$\Phi_t^{\alpha...(n)}(x, p_T^2) \equiv \left(\frac{-p_T^2}{2M^2}\right)^n \Phi_t^{\alpha...}(x, p_T^2).$$
(9.72)

Similarly we have the (integrated) quark-quark-gluon correlation functions

$$\Phi^{\alpha}_{A}(x,x_{1}) = M \Phi^{\alpha}_{A:3}(x,x_{1}) P + M^{2} \Phi^{\alpha}_{A:4}(x,x_{1}) + \dots, \qquad (9.73)$$

$$\Phi_{AA}^{\alpha\beta}(x, x_1, x_2) = M^2 \Phi_{AA;4}^{\alpha\beta}(x, x_1, x_2) P + \dots, \qquad (9.74)$$

and similarly  $\Phi^{\alpha}_{D}(x, x_{1})$ , etc. Of course, the non-integrated correlation functions can be expanded in the transverse momenta as done above. Some parts of  $\Phi^{\alpha}_{A}(x, x_{1})$  can after integration over one of the arguments be related to the (twist-three) quark-quark correlation functions  $\Phi_{3}(x)$  via the QCD equations of motion. In the above parametrization, the functions on the right-hand side depending on x and  $p_{T}^{2}$  have canonical dimension -2, while functions depending on x are dimensionless. Graphically represented we have



The quantity  $\Phi(x, k_T) = \int dk \cdot P \ \Phi(k; P, S)$  with canonical dimension -1 or after further integration the quantities  $\Phi(x)$  and  $\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\alpha}^{\alpha}(x)$ .

A hard part can be connected to the soft parts via an integration over the momenta of the soft part,  $\int d^4k \, d^4k_1 \dots$  Taking the dimensions following from this integration into account we get for the simplest kernel, starting with two quarks with the relevant momentum components being y and  $k_T$  and leaving two quarks with non-integrated momentum components x and  $p_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$ 

$$\int d^{4}k \dots H(p;k) = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ \not h \, H_{2,2}(y;x) \, P + H_{3,3}(y;x) + P \, H_{4,4}(y;x) \, \not h \right\} + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots P \, H_{4,2}(y,x) \, P \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ \not h \, H_{2,2}^{ij}(y,x) \, P + H_{3,3}^{ij}(y,x) + P \, H_{4,4}^{ij}(y,x) \, \not h \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ k_{Tij} \, \not h \, H_{2,2}^{'ij}(y,x) \, P + k_{Tij} \, H_{3,3}^{'ij}(y,x) + k_{Tij} \, P \, H_{4,4}^{'ij}(y,x) \, \not h \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ k_{Tij} \, \not h \, H_{2,2}^{'ij}(y,x) \, P + k_{Tj} \, H_{3,3}^{'ij}(y,x) + k_{Tj} \, P \, H_{4,4}^{'ij}(y,x) \, \not h \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ k_{Tj} \, \not h \, H_{2,2}^{'i}(y,x) \, P + k_{Tj} \, H_{3,3}^{'ij}(y,x) + k_{Tj} \, P \, H_{4,4}^{'ij}(y,x) \, \not h \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ h_{3,2}^{i}(y,x) \, P + k_{Ti} \, P \, H_{4,3}^{i}(y,x) \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ k_{Ti} \, H_{3,2}^{i}(y,x) \, P + k_{Ti} \, P \, H_{4,3}^{i}(y,x) \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \, p_{Ti} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ h_{2,3}^{i}(y,x) + h_{3,4}^{i}(y,x) \, \not h \right\} \\ + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, d^{2}k_{T} \dots \left\{ h_{2,3}^{i}(y,x) + h_{3,4}^{i}(y,x) \, \not h \right\}$$

$$(9.75)$$

(the Dirac structure preceding H refers to the fermions with momentum k, the structure following H to the fermions with momentum p). The kernel connecting the soft quark-quark-gluon correlator to a quark-quark correlator can be analyzed to contain (we now make the  $k_T$  dependence implicit)

$$\begin{split} \int d^{4}k \, d^{4}k_{1} \dots H_{A}^{\alpha}(p;k,k_{1}) &= \\ & \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ H_{A;4,2}^{\alpha}(y,y_{1};x)P + PH_{A;5,3}^{\alpha}(y,y_{1};x) \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ \hbar H_{A;3,2}^{\alpha}(y,y_{1};x)P + H_{A;4,3}^{\alpha;i}(y,y_{1};x) + PH_{A;5,4}^{\alpha;i}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ \hbar H_{A;3,2}^{\alpha}(y,y_{1};x)P + k_{Ti} H_{A;4,3}^{\prime,\alpha;i}(y,y_{1};x) + k_{Ti} PH_{A;5,4}^{\prime,\alpha;i}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ \hbar H_{A;3,3}^{\alpha}(y,y_{1};x) + H_{A;4,4}^{\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Tij}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ \hbar H_{A;3,3}^{\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x) + H_{A;4,4}^{\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Tij}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ \hbar H_{A;3,3}^{\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x) + k_{Tij} H_{A;4,4}^{\prime,\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ k_{Tij} \, \hbar H_{A;3,3}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x) + k_{Tij} \, H_{A;4,4}^{\prime,\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ k_{Tij} \, \hbar H_{A;3,3}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x) + k_{Tij} \, H_{A;4,4}^{\prime,\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} p_{Ti} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ k_{Tij} \, \hbar H_{A;3,4}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x) + k_{Tij} \, H_{A;4,4}^{\prime,\alpha;ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} p_{Ti} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \left\{ k_{Tij} \, \hbar H_{A;3,4}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x) + k_{Tj} \, H_{A;4,4}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \right\} \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots \hbar H_{A;3,4}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \\ & + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \, dy_{1} \dots k_{Ti} \, \hbar H_{A;3,4}^{\prime,ij}(y,y_{1};x)\hbar \\ & + \dots \end{split}$$

To include the qqGG soft contributions we need

Graphically the kernels are represented by



Combining the contributions we can extract the large- $p_T$ -behavior For instance, for the corrections to  $\Phi_2$ we find leading contributions proportional to  $\alpha_s/p_T^2$ . Collecting these and similarly for other quark-quark correlators, we get

$$\Delta \Phi_2(x, p_T^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{p_T^2} \int dy \ \Phi_2(y) \mathcal{P} \not{p} H_{2,2}(y; x)$$

$$\Delta \Phi_2^i(x, p_T^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2} \frac{M^2}{2} \Big[ \int dy \ \Phi_{2i}^{(1)}(y) H_{2,2}^{\prime\prime j,i}(y; x) + \int dy \ \Phi_3(y) H_{3,2}^i(y; x)$$
(9.78)

$$\Psi_{2}(x, p_{T}) = \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{1}{p_{T}^{2}} \left[ \int dy \, \Psi_{2j}^{i}(y) H_{2,2}^{i}(y; x) + \int dy \, \Psi_{3}(y) H_{3,2}(y; x) \right] \\ + \int dy \, dy_{1} \, \Phi_{A\alpha;3}(y, y_{1}) \mathcal{P} \not h H_{A;3,2}^{\alpha;i}(y, y_{1}; x) \right]$$
(9.79)

$$\Delta \Phi_2^{ij}(x, p_T^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{p_T^2} \frac{M^2}{p_T^2} \int dy \ \Phi_2(y) \mathcal{P} \hbar H_{2,2}^{ij}(y; x)$$
(9.80)

$$\Delta \Phi_{3}(x, p_{T}^{2}) = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \left[ \int dy \ \Phi_{3}(y) H_{3,3}(y; x) + \int dy \ \Phi_{2i}^{(1)}(y) \mathcal{P} \not{n} H_{2,3}^{'i}(y; x) \right. \\ \left. + \int dy \ dy_{1} \ \Phi_{A\alpha;3}(y, y_{1}) \mathcal{P} \not{n} H_{A;3,3}^{\alpha}(y, y_{1}; x) \right]$$

$$(9.81)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \Phi_{3}^{i}(x, p_{T}^{2}) &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \int dy \ \Phi_{2}(y) \mathcal{P} \not h H_{2,3}^{i}(y; x) \\ &+ \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{M^{2}}{p_{T}^{2}} \Big[ \int dy \ \Phi_{3j}^{(1)}(y) H_{3,3}^{\prime\prime;j,i}(y; x) + \int dy \ \Phi_{4}(y) \not h \mathcal{P} H_{4,3}^{i}(y; x) \\ &+ \int dy \ dy_{1} \ \Phi_{A\alpha;4}(y, y_{1}) H_{A;4,3}^{\alpha;i}(y, y_{1}; x) \\ &+ \int dy \ dy_{1} \ \Phi_{A\alpha;3j}(y, y_{1}) \mathcal{P} \not h H_{A;3,3}^{\prime\prime\alpha;j,i}(y, y_{1}; x) \\ &+ \int dy \ dy_{1} \ dy_{2} \ \Phi_{AA\alpha\beta;4}(y, y_{1}, y_{2}) \mathcal{P} \not h H_{AA;4,3}^{\alpha\beta;i}(y, y_{1}, y_{2}; x) \Big] \Big] \end{aligned}$$
(9.82)

$$\Delta \Phi_{3}^{ij}(x, p_{T}^{2}) = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \frac{M^{2}}{p_{T}^{2}} \Big[ \int dy \ \Phi_{3}(y) H_{3,3}^{ij}(y; x) \\ + \int dy \ \Phi_{A\alpha;3}(y, y_{1}) \mathcal{P} \not h H_{A;3,3}^{\alpha;ij}(y, y_{1}; x) \Big]$$
(9.83)

$$\Delta \Phi_{4}(x, p_{T}^{2}) = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \left[ \int dy \ \Phi_{4}(y) \not h P H_{4,4}(y; x) + \int dy \ \Phi_{3i}^{(1)}(y) P \not h H_{3,4}^{'i}(y; x) \right. \\ \left. + \int dy \ dy_{1} \ \Phi_{A\alpha;4}(y, y_{1}) H_{A;4,4}^{\alpha}(y, y_{1}; x) \right. \\ \left. + \int dy \ dy_{1} \ \Phi_{A\alpha;3i}^{(1)}(y, y_{1}) P \not h H_{A;3,4}^{'\alpha;i}(y, y_{1}; x) \right. \\ \left. + \int dy \ dy_{1} \ dy_{2} \ \Phi_{AA\alpha\beta;4}(y, y_{1}, y_{2}) P \not h H_{AA;4,4}^{\alpha\beta}(y, y_{1}, y_{2}; x) \right]$$
(9.84)

$$\Delta \Phi_4^i(x, p_T^2) = \frac{\alpha_s}{p_T^2} \left[ \int dy \, \Phi_3(y) H_{3,4}^i(y; x) + \int dy \, dy_1 \, \Phi_{A\,\alpha;3}(y, y_1) \mathcal{P} \not h H_{A;3,4}^{\alpha;i}(y, y_1; x) \right]$$
(9.85)

$$\Delta \Phi_{4}^{ij}(x, p_{T}^{2}) = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{p_{T}^{2}} \left[ \int dy \ \Phi_{4}(y) \not n P H_{4,4}^{ij}(y; x) + \int dy \ dy_{1} \ \Phi_{A \alpha;4}(y, y_{1}) H_{A;4,4}^{\alpha; ij}(y, y_{1}; x) + \int dy \ dy_{1} \ dy_{2} \ \Phi_{AA \alpha\beta;4}(y, y_{1}, y_{2}) P \not n H_{AA;4,4}^{\alpha\beta; ij}(y, y_{1}, y_{2}; x) \right]$$
(9.86)

#### 9.4 Equations of motion for various parts

For the matrix elements we write

$$\Phi = \gamma^{-} \Phi_{2} + \frac{M}{P^{+}} \Phi_{3} + \left(\frac{M}{P^{+}}\right)^{2} \gamma^{+} \Phi_{4}$$
(9.87)

$$= \frac{1}{2}\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\left[\gamma^{-}\Phi_{2} + \frac{M}{P^{+}}\Phi_{3}\right] + \frac{1}{2}\gamma^{+}\gamma^{-}\left[\frac{M}{P^{+}}\Phi_{3} + \left(\frac{M}{P^{+}}\right)^{2}\gamma^{+}\Phi_{4}\right], \qquad (9.88)$$

$$\gamma^{+} \Phi = \frac{1}{2} \gamma^{+} \gamma^{-} \left[ 2 \Phi_{2} + \frac{M}{P^{+}} \gamma^{+} \Phi_{3} \right], \qquad (9.89)$$

$$\gamma^{-} \Phi = \frac{1}{2} \gamma^{-} \gamma^{+} \left[ \frac{M}{P^{+}} \gamma^{-} \Phi_{3} + 2 \left( \frac{M}{P^{+}} \right)^{2} \Phi_{4} \right], \qquad (9.90)$$

$$\frac{1}{M}\Phi_D^{\alpha} = \gamma^- \Phi_{D,3}^{\alpha} + \frac{M}{P^+}\Phi_{D,4}^{\alpha} + \left(\frac{M}{P^+}\right)^2 \gamma^+ \Phi_{D,5}^{\alpha}$$
(9.91)

$$= \frac{1}{2}\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\left[\gamma^{-}\Phi^{\alpha}_{D,3} + \frac{M}{P^{+}}\Phi^{\alpha}_{D,4}\right] + \frac{1}{2}\gamma^{+}\gamma^{-}\left[\frac{M}{P^{+}}\Phi^{\alpha}_{D,4} + \left(\frac{M}{P^{+}}\right)^{2}\gamma^{+}\Phi^{\alpha}_{D,5}\right].$$
 (9.92)

The equations of motion imply:

$$\gamma^+ i D^- \psi + \gamma^- i D^+ \psi + \gamma^\alpha i D_\alpha \psi - m \,\psi = 0.$$
(9.93)

Multiplying with a good projector  $\gamma^-\gamma^+/2$ , we get for the matrix elements

$$\frac{1}{2}\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\left[\gamma^{-}\Phi_{D}^{+}+\gamma_{\alpha}\Phi_{D}^{\alpha}-m\Phi\right] = \frac{1}{2}\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\left[xP^{+}\gamma^{-}\Phi+\gamma_{\alpha}\Phi_{D}^{\alpha}-m\Phi\right] = 0$$
(9.94)

or for the leading (twist-3) part in the expansion

$$\gamma_{\alpha} \Phi^{\alpha}_{D,3} = x \Phi_3 - \frac{m}{M} \Phi_2. \tag{9.95}$$

#### 9.5 The unpolarized case

The quark-quark correlation function depending on  $k^+ = xP^+$  and  $\mathbf{k}_T$  is for a spin 0 or unpolarized hadron, including only leading  $(M/P^+)^0$  and subleading  $(M/P^+)^1$  contributions, given by

$$\Phi(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ f_{1}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) + i h_{1}^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{k_{T}}{M} \right\} \gamma^{-} + \frac{M}{2P^{+}} \left\{ e(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) + f^{\perp}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{k_{T}}{M} + i h(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) \frac{[\gamma^{-}, \gamma^{+}]}{2} \right\}$$
(9.96)

The  $k_{T}$ -integrated results are

$$\Phi(x) = \frac{1}{2} f_1(x) \gamma^- + \frac{M}{2P^+} \left\{ e(x) + i h(x) \frac{[\gamma^-, \gamma^+]}{2} \right\}, \qquad (9.97)$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha}(x) = \frac{1}{2} i h_{1}^{\perp(1)}(x) \gamma_{T}^{\alpha} \gamma^{-} \\
+ \frac{M}{2P^{+}} f^{\perp(1)}(x) \gamma_{T}^{\alpha}.$$
(9.98)

The relevant projections are (we do use the tensor  $\sigma^{+-} = (i/2)[\gamma^+, \gamma^-]$  but we use  $\gamma_T^{\alpha} \gamma^+$  instead of the tensor  $\sigma^{\alpha+} = i\gamma_T^{\alpha} \gamma^+$ ),

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(x, k_{\scriptscriptstyle T}) = f_1(x, k_{\scriptscriptstyle T}), \tag{9.99}$$

$$\Phi^{[1]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{M}{P^{+}} e(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}), \qquad (9.100)$$

$$\Phi^{[\sigma^{+-}]}(x, \mathbf{k}_{T}) = \frac{M}{P^{+}} i h(x, \mathbf{k}_{T})$$
(9.101)

$$\Phi^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha}\gamma^+]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = -i \, k_T^{\alpha} \, h_1^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \quad \text{and} \quad \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[\gamma^{\beta}\gamma^+]}(x) = -i \, g_T^{\alpha\beta} \, h_1^{\perp(1)}(x), \tag{9.102}$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{M}{P^+} k_T^{\alpha} f^{\perp}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T). \quad \text{and} \quad \Phi_{\partial}^{\alpha[\gamma^{\beta}]}(x) = g_T^{\alpha\beta} \frac{M}{P^+} f^{\perp(1)}(x).$$
(9.103)

For the  $\overline{\psi}(0) i D_T^{\alpha} \psi(x)$  correlation function (bilocal, i.e. integrated over  $d^4k_1$ ) one obtains from the equations of motion

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_D^{\alpha[\gamma^+]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{k_T^{\alpha}}{M} \left( x f^{\perp} + i \, \frac{m}{M} \, h_1^{\perp} \right) \tag{9.104}$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{D\alpha}^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha}\gamma^+]}(x, \mathbf{k}_T) = (x e - m f_1 - i x h)$$
(9.105)

Using the quark-quark correlations multiplied with  $k_{T}^{\alpha}$ ,

$$\frac{k_T^{\alpha}}{M} \Phi^{[\gamma^+]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{k_T^{\alpha}}{M} f_1(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (9.106)$$

$$\frac{k_{T\alpha}}{M} \Phi^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha}\gamma^+]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{1}{M} \Phi^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha}\gamma^+]}_{\partial\alpha}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = 2i h_1^{\perp(1)}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T), \qquad (9.107)$$

the difference  $\Phi^{\alpha}_{A}=\Phi^{\alpha}_{D}-k^{\alpha}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}\,\Phi$  is given by

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_A^{\alpha[\gamma^+]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \frac{k_T^{\alpha}}{M} \left( \underbrace{xf^{\perp} - f_1}_{x\bar{f}^{\perp}} + i \frac{m}{M} h_1^{\perp} \right)$$
(9.108)

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{A\alpha}^{[\sigma^{\alpha+1}]}(x, \boldsymbol{k}_T) = \underbrace{x e - \frac{m}{M} f_1}_{x\tilde{e}} \underbrace{-ixh - 2ih_1^{\perp(1)}}_{-ix\tilde{h}}$$
(9.109)

The most general form of quark-quark-gluon correlation functions integrated over all transverse momenta but not integrated over  $x_1$  are

$$\Phi_D^{\alpha}(x, x_1) = \frac{M}{2P^+} E_D(x, x_1) \gamma_T^{\alpha} \gamma^-, \qquad (9.110)$$

from which one finds that

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_D^{\alpha}(x) = \int dx_1 \ E_D(x, x_1) \, \gamma_T^{\alpha} \, \gamma^- \tag{9.111}$$

(similarly for  $\Phi_A(x, x_1)$ ). The projections are

$$\Phi_{D\alpha}^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha}\gamma^+]}(x,x_1) = 2 \, \frac{M}{P^+} \, E_D(x,x_1) \tag{9.112}$$

$$\frac{1}{M} \Phi_{D\alpha}^{[\gamma_T^{\alpha} \gamma^+]}(x) = 2 \int dx_1 \ E_D(x, x_1).$$
(9.113)

#### 9.6 Sample calculations

#### 9.6.1 The fermion propagator

We will demonstrate perturbative calculations, in particular when one uses a lightcone gauge in detail for the example of the self-energy contribution to  $\Gamma^{(2)}(p)$ . Writing the (truncated) Green's function as

$$\Gamma^{(2)}(k) = -i \left( S_F \right)^{-1}(k) = -i [k - m_0 - \Sigma(k)], \qquad (9.114)$$

one has the expansion

$$S_F(k) = \frac{1}{\not k - m_0} + \frac{1}{\not k - m_0} \Sigma(k) \frac{1}{\not k - m_0} + \dots$$
(9.115)

The contribution of the one-loop diagram,



to the self-energy in the lightcone gauge is given by

$$\Sigma(k) = -ig^2 C_F \int \frac{d^4l}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{\gamma^{\alpha}(k - l + m_0)\gamma^{\beta} d_{\alpha\beta}(l)}{(l^2 + i\epsilon) \left((k - l)^2 - m_0^2 + i\epsilon\right)},$$
(9.116)

with

$$d^{\alpha\beta}(l) = g^{\alpha\beta} - \frac{l^{\alpha}n_{-}^{\beta} + n_{-}^{\alpha}l^{\beta}}{l^{+}}.$$
(9.117)

The numerator can be written as

numerator = 
$$-2(\not k - \not l) + 4m_0 + \gamma^+ \frac{(\not k - \not l + m_0)\not l}{l^+} + \frac{\not l(\not k - \not l + m_0)}{l^+}\gamma^+$$

Because of the expansion around the zeroth order result, it is convenient to rewrite l/as  $(k-m_0)-(k-l/-m_0)$ , leading for the numerator to

numerator = 
$$-2(\not k - \not l) + 4m_0$$
  
 $-\gamma^+ \frac{(\not k - \not l + m_0)(\not k - m_0)}{l^+} - \frac{(\not k - m_0)(\not k - \not l + m_0)}{l^+} \gamma^+$   
 $+\gamma^+ \frac{(\not k - \not l + m_0)(\not k - \not l - m_0)}{l^+} + \frac{(\not k - \not l - m_0)(\not k - \not l + m_0)}{l^+} \gamma^+.$ 

We consider the case  $k_T \approx k^- \approx 0$  and  $k^+ = x P^+$ , while  $l^- = \alpha l_T^2/2P^+$  and  $l^+ = y P^+$ . We need the following integrals<sup>1</sup>

$$\begin{split} \Sigma_{1}(k) &= -i \frac{g^{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}l \frac{1}{(l^{2} + i\epsilon) \left((k - l)^{2} - m_{0}^{2} + i\epsilon\right)} \\ &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi^{2}} \int \frac{d^{2}l_{T}}{l_{T}^{2}} \int dy \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha y - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha (y - x) - 1 + i\epsilon)} \\ &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi^{2}} \int \frac{d^{2}l_{T}}{l_{T}^{2}} \int dy \; \Theta_{11}^{0}(y, y - x) \\ &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi^{2}} \int \frac{d^{2}l_{T}}{l_{T}^{2}} \\ &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi} \ln \Lambda^{2}, \end{split}$$
(9.118)  
$$\Sigma_{2}(k) \equiv -i \frac{g^{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}l \; \frac{k^{+}}{(l^{2} + i\epsilon) \left((k - l)^{2} - m_{0}^{2} + i\epsilon\right) l^{+}} \\ &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi^{2}} \int \frac{d^{2}l_{T}}{l_{T}^{2}} \int dy \; \frac{x}{y} \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha y - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha (y - x) - 1 + i\epsilon)} \\ &= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{4\pi^{2}} \int \frac{d^{2}l_{T}}{l_{T}^{2}} \int dy \; \frac{x}{y} \; \Theta_{11}^{0}(y, y - x) \\ &= \Sigma_{1} \int \frac{dy}{y} \; x \Theta_{11}^{0}(y, y - x). \end{split}$$
(9.119)

<sup>1</sup>reminder:  $\Theta_{11}^0(y, y - x) = \frac{1}{x} \left[\theta(y) \,\theta(x - y) - \theta(-y) \,\theta(y - x)\right]$ , thus one has for the y-integration (for positive x)  $\int_0^x dy$ 

We also need the integral

$$-i \frac{g^2}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4l \, \frac{l^+}{(l^2 + i\epsilon) \left((k - l)^2 - m_0^2 + i\epsilon\right) k^+} \\ = \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi^2} \int \frac{d^2l_r}{l_r^2} \int dy \, \frac{y}{x} \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha y - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha (y - x) - 1 + i\epsilon)} \\ = \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi^2} \int \frac{d^2l_r}{l_r^2} \int dy \, \frac{y}{x} \Theta_{11}^0(y, y - x) \\ = \frac{1}{2} \Sigma_1.$$
(9.120)

It is useful to have the following integrals

$$\mathcal{L}_{1}(k) \equiv -i \frac{g^{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}l \, \frac{\not\!\!\!\!/}{(l^{2} + i\epsilon) \left((k-l)^{2} - m_{0}^{2} + i\epsilon\right)} \\
= \frac{1}{2} \not\!\!\!\!/ \Sigma_{1}$$
(9.121)

$$\mathcal{L}_{2}(k) \equiv -i \frac{g^{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}l \, \frac{\not k - \not l - m_{0}}{(l^{2} + i\epsilon) \left((k - l)^{2} - m_{0}^{2} + i\epsilon\right)} \\
= \frac{1}{2} \not k \, \Sigma_{1} - m_{0} \, \Sigma_{1},$$
(9.122)

$$R_{1}(k) \equiv -i \frac{g^{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}l \frac{\not k - \not l - m_{0}}{(l^{2} + i\epsilon) ((k-l)^{2} - m_{0}^{2} + i\epsilon) l^{+}} \\ = \frac{1}{k^{+}} \left[ \not k \underbrace{(\Sigma_{2} - \Sigma_{1})}_{\Sigma_{3}} - m_{0} \Sigma_{2} \right],$$
(9.123)

$$\mathcal{R}_{2}(k) \equiv -i \frac{g^{2}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int d^{4}l \frac{\not k - \not l + m_{0}}{(l^{2} + i\epsilon) ((k-l)^{2} - m_{0}^{2} + i\epsilon) l^{+}} \\
= \frac{1}{k^{+}} \left[ \not k \underbrace{(\Sigma_{2} - \Sigma_{1})}_{\Sigma_{3}} + m_{0} \Sigma_{2} \right] = \mathcal{R}_{1}(k) + \frac{2m_{0}}{k^{+}} \Sigma_{2},$$
(9.124)

where one should realize that the only nonvanishing contribution in l is  $l = l^+ \gamma^- = \frac{l^+}{k^+} k$ . Note that  $\gamma^+ R_2(k) = 2\Sigma_3 - R_1(k)\gamma^+$  and  $R_2(k)\gamma^+ = 2\Sigma_3 - \gamma^+ R_1(k)$ . It is now straightforward to find the result

Inserting in the expansion for  $S_F(k)$  one obtains

$$S_{F}(k) = \frac{(1-\Sigma_{1})}{(\not{k}-m_{0})} + \frac{1}{(\not{k}-m_{0})} 3m_{0} \Sigma_{1} \frac{1}{(\not{k}-m_{0})} - \frac{1}{(\not{k}-m_{0})} \gamma^{+} R_{2}(k) - R_{2}(k) \gamma^{+} \frac{1}{(\not{k}-m_{0})} = \underbrace{(1-R_{2}(k)\gamma^{+})}_{U_{2}^{-1}(k)} \frac{(1-\Sigma_{1})}{(\not{k}-m_{0}(1+3\Sigma_{1}))} \underbrace{(1-\gamma^{+}R_{2}(k))}_{U_{1}(k)} = U_{2}^{-1}(k) \frac{(1-\Sigma_{1})}{(\not{k}-m)} U_{1}(k)$$
(9.126)

with  $m = m_0(1 + 3\Sigma_1)$  and up to the required (first order) precision

$$U_{1}(k) = 1 - \gamma^{+} \mathcal{R}_{2}(k) = 1 - 2\Sigma_{3} + \mathcal{R}_{1}(k)\gamma^{+}$$
  
=  $1 - \frac{1}{k^{+}} \Sigma_{3}(k) \gamma^{+} \not{k} - \frac{m}{k^{+}} \Sigma_{2}(k) \gamma^{+}$  (9.127)

$$U_{2}(k) = 1 + \mathcal{R}_{2}(k)\gamma^{+} = 1 + 2\Sigma_{3} - \gamma^{+}\mathcal{R}_{1}(k)$$
  
$$= 1 + \frac{1}{k^{+}}\Sigma_{3}(k)\not k\gamma^{+} + \frac{m}{k^{+}}\Sigma_{2}(k)\gamma^{+}.$$
 (9.128)

### 9.7 Evolution of $f_1(x)$

The tree level contribution is given by

$$f_1^{[\alpha_s^0]}(x) = \frac{1}{4} f_1(x) \operatorname{Tr} \left[\gamma^- \gamma^+\right]$$
(9.129)

$$= f_1(x). (9.130)$$

The ladder graph gives using

$$k = \left[\frac{\alpha}{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}, x, k_{T}\right], \qquad (9.131)$$

$$l = \left[\frac{\alpha}{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}, x - y, \boldsymbol{k}_{T}\right], \qquad (9.132)$$

$$p = [0, y, 0_T], \qquad (9.133)$$

and the trace

the result

$$f_{1}^{[\alpha_{s}^{1}, \text{ladder}]}(x) = -i\pi \frac{g^{2} C_{F}}{(2\pi)^{4}} \int \frac{dy \, d\alpha}{2} \frac{d^{2} k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \frac{[2(x+y)-4x^{2} \alpha]}{(x-y) [\alpha(x-y)-1+i\epsilon] [\alpha x-1+i\epsilon]^{2}} f_{1}(y)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2} k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \int dy \left[ \frac{(x+y)}{(x-y)} \Theta_{21}^{0}(x,x-y) - \frac{2x^{2}}{(x-y)} \Theta_{21}^{1}(x,x-y) \right] f_{1}(y)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2} k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \int dy \left[ \frac{(y^{2}+x^{2})}{y(y-x)} \Theta_{11}^{0}(x,x-y) + \frac{x}{y} \delta(x) \right] f_{1}(y)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2} k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \int dy \frac{(y^{2}+x^{2})}{y(y-x)} \Theta_{11}^{0}(x,x-y) f_{1}(y)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2} k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \int_{x}^{\infty} \frac{dy}{y} \frac{(y^{2}+x^{2})}{y(y-x)} f_{1}(y) \qquad (9.135)$$

(note that the support of  $f_1(y)$  is  $-1 \le y \le 1$ ). For the self-energy graphs on the two fermion legs we need the traces

$$\operatorname{Tr}\left[\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\frac{1}{k}\Sigma(k)\right] = \operatorname{Tr}\left[\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\frac{1}{k}\left(-k\Sigma_{1}+kR(k)\gamma^{+}+\gamma^{+}R(k)k\right)\right]$$
$$= \operatorname{Tr}\left[\gamma^{-}\gamma^{+}\frac{1}{k}\left(-k\Sigma_{1}-kk\frac{\gamma^{+}}{k^{+}}\Sigma_{3}-\frac{\gamma^{+}}{k^{+}}kk\Sigma_{3}\right)\right]$$
$$= -4\Sigma_{1}-16\Sigma_{3}=4(3\Sigma_{1}-4\Sigma_{2}), \qquad (9.136)$$
$$\operatorname{Tr}\left[\gamma^{-}\Sigma(k)\gamma^{+}\frac{1}{k}\right] = 4(3\Sigma_{1}-4\Sigma_{2}). \qquad (9.137)$$

Then (taking into account a factor 1/2)

$$f_{1}^{[\alpha_{s}^{1},\text{self}]}(x) = (-\Sigma_{1} - 4\Sigma_{3}) f_{1}(x) = (3\Sigma_{1} - 4\Sigma_{2}) f_{1}(x)$$

$$= \Sigma_{1} \left( 3 - 4 \int \frac{dy}{y} x \Theta_{11}^{0}(y, y - x) \right) f_{1}(x)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2}k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \left\{ \frac{3}{2} f_{1}(x) - 2 f_{1}(x) \int dy \frac{x}{x - y} \Theta_{11}^{0}(y, y - x) \right\}$$
(9.139)

Using

$$\int dy \, \frac{x}{x-y} \left[\Theta_{11}^0(y,y-x) + \Theta_{11}^0(x,x-y)\right] = 0. \tag{9.140}$$

the total result becomes

$$f_1^{[\alpha_s^1]}(x) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi^2} C_F \int \frac{d^2 k_T}{k_T^2} \left\{ \int dy \left[ \frac{y^2 + x^2}{y(y - x)} f_1(y) - \frac{2x}{y - x} f_1(x) \right] \Theta_{11}^0(x, x - y) + \frac{3}{2} f_1(x) \right\}$$

The integral runs from  $x \le y \le \infty$ , but for the first term it is limited to  $x \le y \le 1$  using the support properties of  $f_1$ . In the next step we introduce  $\beta = x/y$  and find that

$$\begin{array}{ll} x \leq y \leq 1 & \Longleftrightarrow & x \leq \beta \leq 1, \\ x \leq y \leq \infty & \Longleftrightarrow & 0 \leq \beta \leq 1, \end{array}$$

Thus

$$f_{1}^{[\alpha_{s}^{1}]}(x) = \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2}k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \left\{ \int_{x}^{1} \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \frac{1+\beta^{2}}{(1-\beta)} f_{1}\left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right) - 2f_{1}(x) \int_{0}^{1} d\beta \frac{1}{1-\beta} + \frac{3}{2}f_{1}(x) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2}k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \int_{x}^{1} \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \left[ \frac{1+\beta^{2}}{(1-\beta)_{+}} + \frac{3}{2}\delta(1-\beta) \right] f_{1}\left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi^{2}} C_{F} \int \frac{d^{2}k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} \int_{x}^{1} \frac{d\beta}{\beta} P^{[f]}(\beta) f_{1}\left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right).$$
(9.141)

#### **9.8** Gribov-Lipatov reciprocity and evolution of $D_1$

For the fragmentation function  $D_1$ , the tree level contribution is given by

$$D_1^{[\alpha_s^0]}(z) = \frac{1}{4} D_1(z) \operatorname{Tr} \left[\gamma^+ \gamma^-\right] = D_1(z).$$
(9.142)

We note that the result can be obtained from the distribution functions by interchanging everywhere the + and - components and then later make replacements  $x \to 1/z$  and  $f_1(x) \to f_1(1/z) \to D_1(z)$ .

The momenta for the ladder graph in the case of fragmentation can be written

$$k = \left[x, \frac{\alpha}{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}, k_{T}\right] \longrightarrow \left[\frac{1}{z}, \frac{\alpha}{2} \boldsymbol{k}_{T}^{2}, k_{T}\right], \qquad (9.143)$$

$$l = \begin{bmatrix} x - y, \frac{\alpha}{2} \mathbf{k}_T^2, k_T \end{bmatrix}$$
(9.144)

$$p = [y, 0, 0_T], \qquad (9.145)$$

involving also simply an interchange of the lightcone components.

We now look at the evolution equations of fragmentation functions (FF) by looking at those for distribution functions (DF) in the domain  $x \ge 1$ . Starting with the result for DF's obtained via  $f_1^{[\alpha_s^1]}(x)$ ,

$$\frac{d}{d\tau}f(x,\tau) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi}C_F \int_0^\infty dy \left[\frac{\mathscr{N}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)}{1-\frac{x}{y}}f(y) - \frac{\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)\mathscr{N}(1)}{1-\frac{x}{y}}f(x)\right]\Theta_{11}(x,x-y), \quad (9.146)$$

allowing for different numerators in order to treat the various distribution functions  $(f_1, g_1 \text{ and } h_1)$ . We consider  $\mathcal{N}(\beta) = 2 \beta^p$ , which will make it easy to get the results for  $\mathcal{N}(\beta) = 1 + \beta^2$  or  $\mathcal{N}(\beta) = 2\beta$ . In

all these cases  $\mathcal{N}(1) = 2$ , the numerator result coming from the fermion self energy. We find (defining  $\beta = x/y$ ) for the DF

$$\frac{d}{d\tau}f(x) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_0^1 \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \left[\underbrace{\frac{2\beta^p}{1-\beta}f\left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right)}_{x \le \beta \le 1} - \underbrace{\frac{2\beta}{1-\beta}f(x)}_{0 \le \beta \le 1}\right].$$
(9.147)

For the FF we employ an continuation to the region  $x \ge 1$  and then a substitution  $x \to 1/z$ . For a quark with  $k^- = xP_h^-$  to produce a hadron with  $P_h^-$  the radiated gluon can have momentum  $\ell^- = (x - y)P_h^$ with  $1 \le y \le x$ . This is obtained via the generalized  $\Theta$ -functions if one uses for the timelike fragmenting quark a propagator prescription  $1/(p^2 - m^2 - i\epsilon)$ . Thus one has

$$\begin{split} \Theta_{11}^{0}(x_{1},x_{2}) &= \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha x_{1}-1+i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2}-1+i\epsilon)} &= \frac{\left[\theta(x_{1})\,\theta(-x_{2})-\theta(-x_{1})\theta(x_{2})\right]}{x_{1}-x_{2}} \\ &= \frac{\theta(x_{1})-\theta(x_{2})}{x_{1}-x_{2}} = \frac{\theta(-x_{2})-\theta(-x_{1})}{x_{1}-x_{2}}, \\ \Theta_{\underline{1}1}^{0}(x_{1},x_{2}) &= \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha x_{1}-1-i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2}-1+i\epsilon)} &= -\frac{\left[\theta(x_{1})\,\theta(x_{2})-\theta(-x_{1})\theta(-x_{2})\right]}{x_{1}-x_{2}} \\ &= -\frac{\theta(x_{1})-\theta(-x_{2})}{x_{1}-x_{2}} = -\frac{\theta(x_{2})-\theta(-x_{1})}{x_{1}-x_{2}}, \end{split}$$

and for positive *x*-values

$$\begin{split} \Theta_{11}^0(x, x-y) & \stackrel{x \ge 0}{=} \quad \frac{\theta(y-x)}{y}, \\ \Theta_{\underline{1}1}^0(x, x-y) & \stackrel{x \ge 0}{=} \quad -\frac{\theta(x-y)}{y} \end{split}$$

This modification happens only for the ladder graph, not for the self-energy. With the further replacements  $z \to 1/x$  and  $f(x) \to f(1/z) \to D(z)$  one obtains

$$\frac{d}{d\tau} f(x) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_1^\infty \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \underbrace{\frac{\mathscr{N}(\beta)}{\beta-1} f\left(\frac{x}{\beta}\right)}_{1 \le \beta \le x} - \int_0^1 \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \frac{\beta \mathscr{N}(1)}{1-\beta} f(x),$$

$$\frac{d}{d\tau} D(z) = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_1^\infty \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \underbrace{\frac{\mathscr{N}(\beta)}{(\beta-1)} D(\beta z)}_{1 \le \beta \le 1/z} - \int_0^1 \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \underbrace{\frac{\beta \mathscr{N}(1)}{1-\beta} D(z)}_{0 \le \beta < 1} = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_0^1 \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \left[ \underbrace{\frac{\beta \mathscr{N}(1/\beta)}{(1-\beta)} D\left(\frac{z}{\beta}\right)}_{z \le \beta \le 1} - \underbrace{\frac{\beta \mathscr{N}(1)}{1-\beta} D(z)}_{0 \le \beta < 1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \int_z^1 \frac{d\beta}{\beta} \frac{\beta \mathscr{N}(1/\beta)}{(1-\beta)_+} D\left(\frac{z}{\beta}\right) \qquad (9.148)$$

We find the splitting functions

$$P^{[f]}(\beta) = \frac{\mathcal{N}(\beta)}{(1-\beta)_+},\tag{9.149}$$

$$P^{[D]}(\beta) = \frac{\beta \mathcal{N}(1/\beta)}{(1-\beta)_{+}}.$$
(9.150)

For a polynomial  $\mathscr{N}(\beta)=2\,\beta^p$  the moments become

$$\begin{split} P^{[f]}(\beta) &= \frac{2\beta^{p}}{(1-\beta)_{+}} \\ &\longrightarrow \quad A_{n}^{[f]} = 2\int_{0}^{1} d\beta \; \frac{\beta^{n-1+p}-1}{1-\beta} = -2\sum_{j=1}^{n-1+p} \frac{1}{j} = -2\sum_{j=1}^{n} \frac{1}{j} \underbrace{-\frac{2}{n+1} \cdots -\frac{2}{n-1+p}}_{+\mathscr{A}(n)} \\ P^{[D]}(\beta) &= \frac{2\beta^{p-1}}{(\beta-1)_{+}} \\ &\longrightarrow \quad A_{n}^{[D]} = 2\int_{1}^{\infty} d\beta \; \frac{\beta^{p-n-2}-1}{\beta-1} \\ P^{[D]}(\beta) &= \frac{2\beta^{1-p}}{(1-\beta)_{+}} \\ &\longrightarrow \quad A_{n}^{[D]} = 2\int d\beta \; \frac{\beta^{n-p}-1}{1-\beta} = -2\sum_{j=1}^{n-p} \frac{1}{j} = -2\sum_{j=1}^{n} \frac{1}{j} + \frac{2}{n} \underbrace{+\frac{2}{n-1} \cdots +\frac{2}{n-p+1}}_{+\mathscr{A}(-n)} \end{split}$$

## Appendix A

# Lightcone coordinates

We use two different notations for four-vectors,

$$a^{\mu} = (a^0, a^1, a^2, a^3) = (a^0, \boldsymbol{a}),$$
 (A.1)

$$a^{\mu} = [a^{-}, a^{+}, a^{1}, a^{2}] = [a^{-}, a^{+}, a_{T}].$$
 (A.2)

The metric tensor is given by  $g_{00} = -g_{11} = -g_{22} = -g_{33} = 1$  or  $g_{++} = g_{--} = 0$  and  $g_{+-} = 1$  and defines the scalar product

$$a \cdot b = g_{\mu\nu} a^{\mu} b^{\nu} \equiv g^{ab}. \tag{A.3}$$

The first vector notation corresponds to the expansion of a vector in a Cartesian basis with orthogonal vectors  $\hat{t}^{\mu}$ ,  $\hat{x}^{\mu}$ ,  $\hat{y}^{\mu}$ ,  $\hat{z}^{\mu}$  with t timelike  $(t^2 = 1)$  and the others spacelike  $(\hat{x}^2 = -1, \text{ etc.})$ , the second notation with an expansion in two lightlike vectors  $n^{\mu}_{+}$  and  $n^{\mu}_{-}$   $(n^{2}_{+} = n^{2}_{-} = 0 \text{ and } n_{+} \cdot n_{-} = 1)$ . The antisymmetric tensor  $\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$  is fixed by

$$\epsilon^{0123} = \epsilon^{-+12} = 1. \tag{A.4}$$

We employ the notation

$$\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}a_{\mu}b_{\nu}c_{\rho}d_{\sigma} \equiv \epsilon^{abcd}.\tag{A.5}$$

A useful property is the following way of bringing a vector into the antisymmetric combination,

$$\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} g^{\alpha\beta} = \epsilon^{\alpha\nu\rho\sigma} g^{\mu\beta} + \epsilon^{\mu\alpha\rho\sigma} g^{\nu\beta} + \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\sigma} g^{\rho\beta} + \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\alpha} g^{\sigma\beta}.$$
(A.6)

The following fourth rank tensor is also useful in many applications,

$$S^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = g^{\mu\nu} g^{\rho\sigma} - g^{\mu\rho} g^{\nu\sigma} + g^{\mu\sigma} g^{\nu\rho}.$$
(A.7)

In several cases we will also be dealing only with transverse vectors, projected out by

$$g_T^{\mu\nu} \equiv g^{\mu\nu} - n_+^{\mu} n_-^{\nu} - n_-^{\mu} n_+^{\nu}, \qquad (A.8)$$

with as only nonvanishing elements  $g_T^{11} = g_T^{22} = -1$  and the corresponding antisymmetric tensor with  $\epsilon_{\tau}^{12} = 1$  given by

$$\epsilon_{T}^{\alpha\beta} = \epsilon^{-+\alpha\beta} \tag{A.9}$$

(or equivalently  $g_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}$  and  $\epsilon_{\perp}^{\mu\nu}$ ). Given a transverse vector  $a_T^{\mu}$ , in the appropriate frame determined by two components  $(a^1, a^2)$  or determined by its length  $|a_T| = \sqrt{-a_T^2}$  and an azimuthal angle  $\phi_a$ , such that

$$a_T^{\mu} = (a^1, a^2) = |a_T|(\cos\phi_a, \sin\phi_a), \tag{A.10}$$

we can consider the vector

$$\bar{a}_{T}^{\mu} = \epsilon_{T}^{\mu\nu} a_{\nu} = (-a^{2}, a^{1}), \tag{A.11}$$

which has the same length,  $|\boldsymbol{a}_{T}| = |\bar{\boldsymbol{a}}_{T}|$  but an azimuthal angle  $\phi_{\bar{a}} = \phi_{a} + \pi/2$ . We note that  $\bar{\bar{a}}_{T}^{\mu} = -a_{T}^{\mu}$ . Again we use the notation with vectors as indices, e.g.

$$g_T^{ab} \equiv g_T^{\mu\nu} a_\mu b_\nu = a_T \cdot b_T = -\boldsymbol{a}_T \cdot \boldsymbol{b}_T, \qquad (A.12)$$

$$\epsilon_T^{ab} \equiv \epsilon_T^{\mu\nu} a_{T\mu} b_{T\nu} \equiv a_T \wedge b_T = a_T \cdot \bar{b}_T, \tag{A.13}$$

and we note that we can write  $a_T^{\mu} = g_T^{a\mu}$  and  $\bar{a}_T^{\mu} = g_T^{\bar{a}\mu} = \epsilon_T^{\mu a}$ . The symmetric traceless tensor constructed from two (transverse) four vectors is denoted

$$S_T^{a\mu b\nu} = a_T^{\{\mu} b_T^{\nu\}} - (a_T \cdot b_T) g_T^{\mu\nu}.$$
(A.14)

In terms of the azimuthal angles,

$$g_T^{ab} = -|\boldsymbol{a}_T| |\boldsymbol{b}_T| \cos(\phi_b - \phi_a), \tag{A.15}$$

$$\epsilon_T^{ab} = |\boldsymbol{a}_T| |\boldsymbol{b}_T| \sin(\phi_b - \phi_a), \tag{A.16}$$

$$S_T^{abcd} = |\boldsymbol{a}_T| |\boldsymbol{b}_T| |\boldsymbol{c}_T| |\boldsymbol{d}_T| \cos(\phi_b + \phi_d - \phi_a - \phi_c).$$
(A.17)

For products of tensors we have the relations

$$g_{T}^{ij} g_{T}^{ab} = g_{T}^{ib} g_{T}^{ja} + \epsilon_{T}^{ia} \epsilon_{T}^{jb}, \tag{A.18}$$

$$\epsilon_T^{ij} \, \epsilon_T^{ab} = g_T^{ia} \, g_T^{jb} - g_T^{ib} \, g_T^{ja}, \tag{A.19}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_T^{ij} \, \epsilon_T^{ab} &= g_T^{aa} \, g_T^{jb} - g_T^{ib} \, g_T^{ja}, \\ \epsilon_T^{ab} \, g_T^{ij} &= \epsilon_T^{ib} \, g_T^{aj} + \epsilon_T^{ai} \, g_T^{bj}. \end{aligned} \tag{A.19}$$

Employing two unit-length transverse vectors  $\hat{x}^{\mu}$  and  $\hat{y}^{\mu} = \hat{x}^{\mu}$ , one easily derives the expansions

$$a_{T}^{\mu} = g_{T}^{a\mu} = -g_{T}^{ax} g_{T}^{x\mu} - g_{T}^{ay} g_{T}^{y\mu} = a^{x} \hat{x}^{\mu} + a^{y} \hat{y}^{\mu}, \qquad (A.21)$$

$$\bar{a}_{T}^{\mu} = \epsilon_{T}^{\mu a} = g_{T}^{\bar{a}\mu} = g_{T}^{ay} g_{T}^{x\mu} - g_{T}^{ax} g_{T}^{y\mu} = -a^{y} \hat{x}^{\mu} + a^{x} \hat{y}^{\mu}.$$
(A.22)

where  $a^x \equiv -(a_T \cdot \hat{x}) = a_T \cdot \hat{x}$  and  $a^y \equiv -(a_T \cdot \hat{y}) = \hat{x} \wedge a_T$ . For second rank tensors one obtains

$$a_T^{\{\mu}b_T^{\nu\}} - (a_T \cdot b_T) = S_T^{a\mu b\nu} = S_T^{axbx} S_T^{x\mu x\nu} + S_T^{axby} S_T^{x\mu y\nu} = (a^x b^x - a^y b^y) (2\hat{x}^{\mu} \hat{x}^{\nu} + g_T^{\mu\nu}) + (a^x b^y + a^x b^y) \hat{x}^{\{\mu} \hat{y}^{\nu\}},$$
(A.23)

$$a_{T}^{[\mu}b_{T}^{\nu]} = g_{T}^{a[\mu}g_{T}^{\nu]b} = \epsilon_{T}^{ab}\,\epsilon_{T}^{\mu\nu} = (a^{x}b^{y} - a^{y}b^{x})\,\epsilon_{T}^{\mu\nu},\tag{A.24}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( a_T^{\{\mu} \bar{b}_T^{\nu\}} + b_T^{\{\mu} \bar{a}_T^{\nu\}} \right) = -S_T^{axby} S_T^{x\mu x\nu} + S_T^{axbx} S_T^{x\mu y\nu} 
= -(a^x b^y + a^x b^y) \left( 2\hat{x}^\mu \hat{x}^\nu + g_T^{\mu\nu} \right) + (a^x b^x - a^y b^y) \hat{x}^{\{\mu} \hat{y}^{\nu\}}, \quad (A.25)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( a_T^{\{\mu} \bar{b}_T^{\nu\}} - b_T^{\{\mu} \bar{a}_T^{\nu\}} \right) = \epsilon_T^{ab} g_T^{\mu\nu} = \left( a^x b^y - a^y b^x \right) g_T^{\mu\nu}, \tag{A.26}$$

Finally we want to give the following useful way of transforming a tensor involving external momenta  $q_T$  into quark transverse momenta  $k_T$  and  $p_T$ . Having  $p_T + k_T = q_T$  one sees that

$$S_{T}^{q\alpha q\beta} = S_{T}^{p\alpha p\beta} + S_{T}^{k\alpha k\beta} + 2 S_{T}^{p\alpha k\beta}.$$
  
$$= S_{T}^{p\alpha p\beta} + S_{T}^{k\alpha k\beta} + 2 S_{T}^{p\alpha \sigma\beta} p_{T\rho} k_{T\sigma}.$$
 (A.27)

## Appendix B

# Frames in leptoproduction

#### B.1 The inclusive case

Consider  $\ell(k) + H(P) \rightarrow \ell'(k') + X$  in which the momentum transfer is q = k - k'. Using lightcone coordinates the momenta k, q and P satisfying  $q^2 = -Q^2, 2P \cdot q = Q^2/x$  and  $P \cdot q = yP \cdot k$  are given by

$$k = \left[\frac{1}{y}\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{y\ell_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \underbrace{\frac{1}{y}q_T + Q\frac{\sqrt{1-y}}{y}\hat{\ell}_T}_{\ell_T}\right],\tag{B.1}$$

$$q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q_T^2 - Q^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{q}_T\right],\tag{B.2}$$

$$P = \left[ \left( \frac{xM}{Q\sqrt{2}} \right), \frac{Q}{x\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T \right], \tag{B.3}$$

where  $P^- = M^2/2P^+$  will be neglected in the rest. Here we have allowed for an arbitrary transverse momentum in q being  $\boldsymbol{q}_T = Q_T \hat{q}_T$ . We note that the parton momenta satisfying  $p^2 = (p+q)^2 = 0$  (up to mass effects and with  $|\boldsymbol{p}_T| \ll Q$ ) and the final state remnant momenta are given by

$$p = xP + p_T = \left[0, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, (\boldsymbol{p}_T)\right],\tag{B.4}$$

$$p' = p + q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q_T^2}{Q\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{q}_T\right],\tag{B.5}$$

$$P' = P - p = \left[0, \frac{(1-x)}{x} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],$$
(B.6)

$$P' + p' = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{xQ_T^2 + (1-x)Q^2}{xQ\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{q}_T\right].$$
 (B.7)

Note that the hadronic mass is given by

$$W^2 = \frac{(1-x)}{x}Q^2$$
 or  $x = \frac{Q^2}{W^2 + Q^2}$ . (B.8)

Specific frames are: (1)  $Q_T = 0.$ 

In this frame one has for the momenta

$$k = \left[\frac{1}{y}\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1-y)}{y}\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, Q\frac{\sqrt{1-y}}{y}\hat{\ell}_{T}\right],$$
(B.9)

$$q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],\tag{B.10}$$

$$P = \left[0, \frac{Q}{x\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],\tag{B.11}$$

$$k' = k - q = \left[\frac{(1-y)}{y} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{1}{y} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, Q \frac{\sqrt{(1-y)}}{y} \hat{\ell}_{T}\right],$$
(B.12)

$$p' = xP + q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_T\right]. \tag{B.13}$$

(2)  $\boldsymbol{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T} = -Q\sqrt{1-y}\,\hat{\ell}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}$  (HERA frame). In this frame the electron and target hadron are parallel and one has

$$k = \left[\frac{1}{y} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],\tag{B.14}$$

$$q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -y\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -Q\sqrt{1-y}\,\hat{\ell}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}\right],\tag{B.15}$$

$$P = \left[0, \frac{Q}{x\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],\tag{B.16}$$

$$k' = k - q = \left[\frac{(1-y)}{y} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, y \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, Q \frac{\sqrt{(1-y)}}{y} \hat{\ell}_{T}\right],$$
(B.17)

$$p' = xP + q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, (1-y)\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, Q\frac{\sqrt{(1-y)}}{y}\hat{\ell}_{T}\right].$$
(B.18)

(3)  $Q_T = Q$ .

In this frame one has in essence that q is transverse, implying for the hadronic momenta

$$q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, Q\,\hat{q}_{\scriptscriptstyle T}\right],\tag{B.19}$$

$$P = \left[0, \frac{Q}{x\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right]. \tag{B.20}$$

(4)  $Q_T \downarrow Q$  (Bjorken frame).

First boosting the original momenta by multiplying the plus components with a factor  $\sqrt{Q_T^2 - Q^2}/Q$  and the minus components with the inverse factor one obtains

$$q = \left[\sqrt{\frac{Q_T^2 - Q^2}{2}}, \sqrt{\frac{Q_T^2 - Q^2}{2}}, Q\,\hat{q}_T\right],\tag{B.21}$$

$$P = \left[0, \frac{Q^2}{x\sqrt{2(Q_T^2 - Q^2)}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right].$$
 (B.22)

In the limit  $Q_T \downarrow Q$  this frame has a purely transverse momentum exchange and an infinite momentum for the target hadron.

### B.2 Diffractive scattering

For diffractive scattering one can proceed in steps by starting with the hadron momentum P, taking out a momentum  $x_P P$ , from which one takes a parton momentum  $\beta x_P P$ . One has

$$P = \left[0, \frac{Q}{\beta x_P \sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right],\tag{B.23}$$

$$k_P = x_P P = \left[0, \frac{Q}{\beta\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right],\tag{B.24}$$

$$p = \beta k_P = \beta x_P P = \left[0, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right], \tag{B.25}$$

$$q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],\tag{B.26}$$

$$p' = p + q = \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_T\right]. \tag{B.27}$$

$$k'_{P} = k_{P} - p = \left[0, \frac{(1-\beta)}{\beta} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T}\right],$$
(B.28)

$$P' = P - k_P = \left[0, \frac{1 - x_P}{x_P} \frac{Q}{\beta\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right],\tag{B.29}$$

Note that

$$W^{2} = (p' + p'_{P} + P')^{2} = \frac{1 - \beta x_{P}}{\beta x_{P}} Q^{2} \quad \text{or} \quad \beta x_{P} = \frac{Q^{2}}{Q^{2} + W^{2}}, \quad (B.30)$$

$$M_X^2 = (p' + k_P')^2 = \frac{(1-\beta)}{\beta} Q^2$$
 or  $\beta = \frac{Q^2}{Q^2 + M_X^2}$ . (B.31)

# Appendix C

# **Kinematics**

### C.1 Single parton case: absorption of hard momentum

$$\mathbf{q} \qquad \mathbf{k} \qquad \qquad p \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix} \qquad \qquad q^2 = -Q^2$$

$$\mathbf{p} \qquad \qquad \mathbf{k} \approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ -\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix} \qquad \qquad q^2 = -Q^2$$

$$\mathbf{k} \approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ 0, \ \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

### C.2 Single-parton distribution: branching

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{p}' & p \approx \left[ 0, \ \frac{1}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_T \right] \\ \mathbf{p} & l \approx \left[ (1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \frac{(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ -\mathbf{p}_T \right] & \mathbf{p}_T^2 = \frac{(1 - z_k)(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \tilde{Q}^2 \\ p' \approx \left[ -(1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{p}_T \right] & p'^2 = -\frac{1}{(1 - x_p)} \mathbf{p}_T^2 \end{aligned}$$

### C.3 Single-parton fragmentation: branching

$$\mathbf{k} = l^2 = 0$$

$$k \approx \begin{bmatrix} z_k \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$k \approx \begin{bmatrix} z_k \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$k \approx \begin{bmatrix} (1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$k_T^2 = \frac{(1 - z_k)(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$k' \approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$k'^2 = \frac{z_k}{(1 - z_k)} \mathbf{k}_T^2$$

#### C.4 Single-parton case: absorption and branching



#### C.5 Multi-parton distribution: absorption

$$p \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0}, \ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p_{1} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ x_{1} \ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p_{1} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ x_{1} \ \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$q^{2} = -Q^{2}$$

$$p_{1}^{2} = p^{2} = p \cdot p_{1} = k^{2} = 0$$

$$k \approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \ 0, \ \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

In general  $(p = \sum p_i)$ :

$$k - p_i \approx \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -x_i \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right] \qquad (k - p_i)^2 = -x_i Q^2$$
$$q + p_i \approx \left[\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -(1 - x_i) \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_T\right] \qquad (q + p_i)^2 = -(1 - x_i) Q^2$$

#### C.6 Multi-parton fragmentation: absorption



In general  $(k = \sum k_i)$ :

$$k_{i} - p \approx \left[ z_{i} \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T} \right] \qquad (k_{i} - p)^{2} = -z_{i} Q^{2}$$
$$k_{i} - q \approx \left[ -(1 - z_{i}) \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{Q}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{0}_{T} \right] \qquad (q - k_{i})^{2} = -(1 - z_{i}) Q^{2}$$

### C.7 Multi-parton distribution: branching

$$\mathbf{p}^{-1} \stackrel{\uparrow}{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\mid}} \qquad p \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ \frac{1}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{p}^{-1} \stackrel{\uparrow}{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\mid}} \qquad p_1 \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ \frac{x_1}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{p}^{-1} \stackrel{\uparrow}{\stackrel{\uparrow}{\mid}} \qquad p_1 \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ \frac{x_1}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{0}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$l \approx \begin{bmatrix} (1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \frac{(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ -\mathbf{p}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{p}_T^2 = \frac{(1 - z_k)(1 - x_p)}{x_p} \tilde{Q}^2$$

$$p_1^2 = p^2 = p \cdot p_1 = l^2 = 0$$

$$p' \approx \begin{bmatrix} -(1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \mathbf{p}_T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p'^2 = -\frac{1}{1 - x_p} \mathbf{p}_T^2$$

In general  $(p = \sum p_i)$ :

$$l - p_i \approx \left[ (1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{((1 - x_i) - x_p)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, -\boldsymbol{p}_T \right] \qquad (l - p_i)^2 = -\frac{x_i}{(1 - x_p)} \boldsymbol{p}_T^2$$
$$p' - p_i \approx \left[ -(1 - z_k) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(x_p - x_i)}{x_p} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \boldsymbol{p}_T \right] \qquad (p' - p_i)^2 = -\frac{(1 - x_i)}{(1 - x_p)} \boldsymbol{p}_T^2$$

Equivalently one can also use the following parametrization (where l defines the minus direction)

$$\begin{split} p &\approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{T}|}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \boldsymbol{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \\ p_{1} &\approx \begin{bmatrix} 0, \ x_{1} \ \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{T}|}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \boldsymbol{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \\ l &\approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{T}|}{(1-x_{p})\sqrt{2}}, \ 0, \ \boldsymbol{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \\ l &\approx \begin{bmatrix} \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{T}|}{(1-x_{p})\sqrt{2}}, \ 0, \ \boldsymbol{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \\ p' &\approx \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{T}|}{(1-x_{p})\sqrt{2}}, \ \frac{|\boldsymbol{p}_{T}|}{\sqrt{2}}, \ \boldsymbol{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \end{split}$$

## C.8 Multi-parton fragmentation: branching

$$\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{k}_{1} \mid \mathbf{k}_{1} \qquad \qquad k \approx \begin{bmatrix} z_{k} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{k}_{1} \approx \begin{bmatrix} z_{1} z_{k} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{k}_{1} \approx \begin{bmatrix} z_{1} z_{k} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, 0, \mathbf{0}_{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{k}_{1} \approx \begin{bmatrix} (1 - z_{k}) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1 - x_{p})}{x_{p}} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2} = \frac{(1 - z_{k})(1 - x_{p})}{x_{p}} \tilde{Q}^{2}$$

$$\mathbf{k}_{1}^{2} = k^{2} = k \cdot k_{1} = l^{2} = 0 \qquad \qquad k' \approx \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1 - x_{p})}{x_{p}} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{T} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \qquad k'^{2} = \frac{z_{k}}{(1 - z_{k})} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}$$

In general  $(k = \sum k_i)$ :

$$k_{i} + l \approx \left[ (1 - (1 - z_{i})z_{k}) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{(1 - x_{p})}{x_{p}} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, \mathbf{k}_{T} \right] \qquad (l + k_{i})^{2} = -\frac{z_{i}z_{k}}{(1 - z_{k})} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}$$
$$k_{i} - k' \approx \left[ -(1 - z_{i}z_{k}) \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{(1 - x_{p})}{x_{p}} \frac{\tilde{Q}}{\sqrt{2}}, -\mathbf{k}_{T} \right] \qquad (k_{i} - k')^{2} = -\frac{(1 - z_{i})z_{k}}{(1 - z_{k})} \mathbf{k}_{T}^{2}$$

# Appendix D

# Useful formulae

### D.1 Combining denominators

Feynman trick:

$$\frac{1}{AB} = \int_0^1 dx \, \frac{1}{\left(xA + (1-x)B\right)^2}.$$
(D.1)

$$\frac{1}{A_1 A_2 \dots A_n} = \int_0^1 dx_1 \dots dx_n \ \delta\left(\sum x_i - 1\right) \frac{(n-1)!}{(x_1 A_1 + \dots + x_n A_n)^n}.$$
 (D.2)

### D.2 Some indefinite integrals

(D = 2) 
$$\int dp \,\sqrt{p^2 \pm m^2} = \frac{1}{2} p \sqrt{p^2 \pm M^2} + \frac{1}{2} M^2 \ln\left(p + \sqrt{p^2 \pm M^2}\right)$$
(D.3)

(D = 0) 
$$\int dp \, \frac{1}{\sqrt{p^2 \pm M^2}} = \ln\left(p + \sqrt{p^2 \pm M^2}\right)$$
 (D.4)

(D = 0) 
$$\frac{\pi}{2} \int dp \; \frac{p}{p^2 \pm M^2} = \pi \ln \left( p^2 \pm M^2 \right)$$
 (D.5)

(D = -1) 
$$\int dp \, \frac{1}{p^2 + M^2} = \frac{1}{M} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{p}{M}\right),$$
 (D.6)

(D = -1) 
$$\int dp \, \frac{1}{p^2 - M^2} = \frac{1}{M} \ln \left| \frac{p - M}{p + M} \right|,$$
 (D.7)

### D.3 Special functions

Beta function

$$B(\mu,\nu) = \int_0^1 dx \ x^{\mu-1} (1-x)^{\nu-1}$$
(D.8)

$$= \int_0^\infty dy \ y^{\nu-1} (1+y)^{-\mu-\nu}$$
(D.9)

$$= 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} d\theta \, \sin^{2\mu-1}\theta \, \cos^{2\nu-1}\theta \tag{D.10}$$

$$= \frac{\Gamma(\mu)\Gamma(\nu)}{\Gamma(\mu+\nu)}.$$
 (D.11)

The Gamma function is defined for  $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 0$  as

$$\Gamma(z) = \int_0^\infty dx \ x^{z-1} \exp(-x) \tag{D.12}$$

and satisfies  $\Gamma(n)=(n-1)!,\,\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})=\pi^{1/2}$  and the relation

$$z \Gamma(z) = \Gamma(z+1). \tag{D.13}$$

The function has simple poles with residue  $(-)^n(1/n!)$  at the points z = -n. Near negative integers the expansion can be obtained from

$$\Gamma(1+\epsilon) = 1 + \int_0^\infty dx \ (\epsilon \ln x + \frac{1}{2}\epsilon^2 \ln^2 x + ...) \exp(-x)$$
(D.14)

$$= 1 - \epsilon \gamma_E + \epsilon^2 \left( \frac{1}{2} \gamma_E^2 + \frac{1}{12} \pi^2 \right) + \dots,$$
 (D.15)

where  $\gamma_E \approx 0.5772$  is Euler's constant. One has

$$\Gamma(z) \stackrel{z\approx 0}{=} \frac{1}{z} - \gamma_E + \mathcal{O}(z), \tag{D.16}$$

$$\Gamma(z) \stackrel{z \approx -n}{=} \frac{(-)^n}{n!(z+n)} - \gamma_E + 1 + \dots + \frac{1}{n} + \mathcal{O}(z+n),$$
(D.17)

#### D.4 Dimensional regularization

Minkowski space integrals can easily be turned into Euclidean integrals using

$$ik_E^0 = k^0, (D.18)$$

$$i\,d^nk_E = d^nk \tag{D.19}$$

$$-k_E^2 = k^2.$$
 (D.20)

Basically n-dimensional Euclidean integrals are performed via the angular decomposition and integration

$$\int d^n x = \int_0^\infty dr \ r^{n-1} \int_0^\pi d\theta_{n-1} \ \sin^{n-2} \theta_{n-1} \int_0^\pi d\theta_{n-2} \ \sin^{n-3} \theta_{n-2} \dots \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta_1, \qquad (D.21)$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} d\theta \,\sin^m \theta = \sqrt{\pi} \,\frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{m+2}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{m+2}{2}\right)}.\tag{D.22}$$

Radial and one-dimensional integrals are

$$\int d^n x \ f(r) = \frac{2 \ \pi^{n/2}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)} \int dr \ r^{n-1} \ f(r), \tag{D.23}$$

$$\int dx \, \frac{x^{\beta}}{(x^2 + m^2)^{\alpha}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\beta+1}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\alpha - \frac{\beta+1}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(\alpha) \, (m^2)^{\alpha - (\beta+1)/2}}.\tag{D.24}$$

A basic integral is

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{1}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = i \int d^{n}k_{E} \, \frac{1}{(-k_{E}^{2} - M^{2})^{s}} \tag{D.25}$$

$$= i (-)^{s} \pi^{n/2} \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(s)} (M^{2})^{n/2-s}$$
(D.26)

$$= \frac{i(-)^{s} \pi^{n/2}}{\left(s - \frac{n}{2}\right)} \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(s)} (M^{2})^{n/2 - s}$$
(D.27)

$$\approx \frac{i\left(-\right)^{s}\pi^{s}}{\left(s-\frac{n}{2}\right)}\frac{1}{\Gamma(s)}\left[1-\left(s-\frac{n}{2}\right)\left[\gamma_{E}+\ln(\pi M^{2})\right]+\ldots\right],\qquad(D.28)$$

where the last expansion is near n = 2s, or with  $n = 2s - \epsilon$ ,

$$\int d^{2s-\epsilon}k \, \frac{1}{(k^2 - M^2 + i\epsilon)^s} \approx \frac{i(-)^s \, \pi^s}{\Gamma(s)} \left[\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma_E - \ln(\pi \, M^2) + \mathscr{O}(\epsilon)\right]. \tag{D.29}$$

Note that one needs to be careful with factors like

$$M^{\epsilon} = e^{\epsilon \ln M} = 1 + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln M^2 + \mathscr{O}(\epsilon),$$
  
$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^n} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{2s-\epsilon}} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^s} \left[ 1 + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \ln(4\pi^2) + \mathscr{O}(\epsilon) \right].$$

Thus one has

$$M^{\epsilon} \int \frac{d^{n}k}{(2\pi)^{n}} \frac{1}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} \stackrel{n=2s-\epsilon}{\approx} \frac{i(-)^{s}}{(4\pi)^{s}\Gamma(s)} \left[\frac{2}{\epsilon} - \gamma_{E} + \ln(4\pi) + \mathscr{O}(\epsilon)\right].$$
(D.30)

Including numerators we have for instance

$$\int d^n k \, \frac{1}{((k-p)^2 - M^2 + i\epsilon)^s} = i \, (-)^s \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s} \tag{D.31}$$

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{k_{\mu}}{((k-p)^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = -ip_{\mu} \, (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s} \tag{D.32}$$

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{k_{\mu}k_{\nu}}{((k-p)^{2}-M^{2}+i\epsilon)^{s}} = i \left[ p_{\mu}p_{\nu} - \frac{1}{2} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s-\frac{n}{2}-1\right)}{\Gamma\left(s-\frac{n}{2}\right)} \, M^{2} \, g_{\mu\nu} \right] \\ \times (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s-\frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s}. \tag{D.33}$$

Actually the above integrals can be obtained by realizing that the proper averaging requires

$$k_{\mu}k_{\nu} \longrightarrow \frac{1}{n}k^{2}g_{\mu\nu},$$
  

$$k_{\mu}k_{\nu}k_{\rho}k_{\sigma} \longrightarrow \frac{1}{n(n+2)}(k^{2})^{2}(g_{\mu\nu}g_{\rho\sigma} + g_{\mu\rho}g_{\nu\sigma} + g_{\mu\sigma}g_{\nu\rho}).$$

This leads to

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{1}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = i \, (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s}$$

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{k^{2}}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = -i \, (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{n}{2} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2} - 1\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s-2}$$

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{k_{\mu}k_{\nu}}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = -i \, (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{1}{2} \, g_{\mu\nu} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2} - 1\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s-2}$$

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{(k^{2})^{2}}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = i \, (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{n(n+2)}{4} \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2} - 2\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s-4}$$

$$\int d^{n}k \, \frac{k_{\mu}k_{\nu}k_{\rho}k_{\sigma}}{(k^{2} - M^{2} + i\epsilon)^{s}} = i \, (-)^{s} \, \pi^{n/2} \, \frac{1}{4} \, (g_{\mu\nu}g_{\rho\sigma} + g_{\mu\rho}g_{\nu\sigma} + g_{\mu\sigma}g_{\nu\rho}) \, \frac{\Gamma\left(s - \frac{n}{2} - 2\right)}{\Gamma(s)} \, M^{n-2s-4}$$

Finally because  $g_{\mu\nu}g^{\mu\nu} = g^{\mu}_{\mu} = n$  one has in n dimensions

$$\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{\mu} = n, \tag{D.34}$$

$$\gamma^{\nu} \gamma_{\mu} = n, \tag{D.34}$$

$$\gamma_{\mu} \gamma^{\rho} \gamma^{\mu} = -(n-2) \gamma^{\rho}, \tag{D.35}$$

$$\gamma_{\nu} \gamma^{\rho} \gamma^{\sigma} \gamma^{\mu} = 4 q^{\rho\sigma} - (4-n) \gamma^{\rho} \gamma^{\sigma}. \tag{D.36}$$

$$\gamma_{\mu}\gamma^{\nu}\gamma^{\sigma}\gamma^{\mu} = 4 g^{\rho\sigma} - (4-n)\gamma^{\rho}\gamma^{\sigma},$$
(D.36)  

$$\gamma_{\mu}\gamma^{\nu}\gamma^{\rho}\gamma^{\sigma}\gamma^{\mu} = -2\gamma^{\sigma}\gamma^{\rho}\gamma^{\nu} + (4-d)\gamma^{\nu}\gamma^{\rho}\gamma^{\sigma}.$$
(D.37)

#### D.5Some useful relations involving distributions

The integral representation of the step functions are

$$\theta(\pm x) = \pm \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \, \frac{e^{i\alpha x}}{\alpha \mp i\epsilon},\tag{D.38}$$

$$\epsilon(\pm x) = \mathbf{P} \int \frac{d\alpha}{\pi i} \, \frac{e^{i\alpha x}}{\alpha} = \theta(x) - \theta(-x). \tag{D.39}$$

The derivatives satisfy  $\theta'(x) = \delta(x)$  and  $\epsilon'(x) = 2\,\delta(x)$ . Other useful relations are

$$\frac{1}{x - i\epsilon} = P \frac{1}{x} + i\pi \,\delta(x), \tag{D.40}$$
$$\ln(x - i\epsilon) = \ln|x| - i\pi \,\theta(-x). \tag{D.41}$$

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In order to treat endpoint singularities in  $\int dx f(x)/(1-x)$  near x = 1 one usually employs the "+" prescription,

$$(F(x))_{+} \equiv \lim_{\beta \to 0} \left[ F(x) \,\theta(1 - \beta - x) + \delta(1 - \beta - x) \int_{0}^{1 - \beta} dy \, F(y) \right],\tag{D.42}$$

satisfying  $\int_0^1 dx (F(x))_+ = 0$ . Note that for an integral not running between 0 and 1 one has

$$\int_{x}^{1} dz \, \frac{G(z)}{(1-z)_{+}} = \int_{x}^{1-\beta} dz \, \frac{G(z)}{(1-z)} - G(1-\beta) \int_{0}^{1-\beta} dz \, \frac{1}{1-z}$$
$$= \int_{x}^{1} dz \, \frac{G(z) - G(1)}{1-z} - G(1) \int_{0}^{x} dz \, \frac{1}{1-z}$$
$$= \int_{x}^{1} dz \, \frac{G(z) - G(1)}{1-z} + G(1) \ln(1-x)$$
(D.43)

One thus has regularized via the endpoint of the integration leading to

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = -\ln\beta \,\,\delta(1-x) + \frac{1}{(1-x)_+} + \mathscr{O}(\beta). \tag{D.44}$$

One can also use

$$\frac{1}{(1-x)^{1-\epsilon}} = -\frac{1}{\epsilon}\,\delta(1-x) + \frac{1}{(1-x)_+} + \mathscr{O}(\epsilon).$$

To see how this works, consider for a small  $\epsilon$ 

$$\begin{split} \int_{x}^{1} dx \, \frac{G(z)}{(1-z)^{1-\epsilon}} &= \int_{x}^{1} dx \, \frac{G(z) - G(1)}{(1-z)^{1-\epsilon}} + G(1) \int_{x}^{1} dx \, \frac{1}{(1-z)^{1-\epsilon}} \\ &= \int_{x}^{1} dx \, \frac{G(z) - G(1)}{(1-z)} + G(1) \int_{0}^{1-x} dy \, y^{\epsilon-1} \\ &= \int_{x}^{1} dx \, \frac{G(z) - G(1)}{(1-z)} - G(1) \, \frac{1}{\epsilon} + G(1) \, \ln(1-x). \end{split}$$

Another useful "+" function is

$$\int_{x}^{1} dz \ G(z) \left(\frac{\ln(1-z)}{1-z}\right)_{+} = \int_{x}^{1} dz \ \frac{(G(z)-G(1))\ln(1-z)}{1-z} + \frac{1}{2} G(1) \ln^{2}(1-x).$$
(D.45)

#### Theta functions **D.6**

Often it is useful to attack loop-integrals via lightcone variables leading to specific integrals of the type

$$\Theta_{n_1 n_2 \dots}^m(x_1, x_2, \dots) = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{\alpha^m}{(\alpha x_1 - 1 + i\epsilon)^{n_1} (\alpha x_2 - 1 + i\epsilon)^{n_2} \dots}.$$
 (D.46)

In these integrals m can be reduced via

$$\Theta_{111\dots}^m(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) = \frac{1}{(x_1 - x_2)} \left[ \Theta_{11\dots}^{(m-1)}(x_2, x_3, \dots) - \Theta_{11\dots}^{(m-1)}(x_1, x_3, \dots) \right].$$
(D.47)

Proof:

$$\Theta_{111}^{m}(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}) = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{\alpha}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{3} - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{(x_{1} - x_{2})} \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{(\alpha x_{1} - 1) - (\alpha x_{2} - 1)}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{3} - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$

The lower index can be lowered together with an upper index via

$$\Theta_{n_1\dots}^m(x_1,\dots) = -(n_1-1)\frac{d}{dx_1}\,\Theta_{(n_1-1)\dots}^{(m-1)}(x_1,\dots).$$
(D.48)

Proof:

$$\Theta_{21}^{1}(x_{1}, x_{2}) = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{\alpha}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)^{2}(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$
$$= -\frac{d}{dx_{1}} \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$

The reduction of  $\Theta^0_{111...}$  to  $\Theta_{11...}$  is achieved via

$$\Theta_{111\dots}^{0}(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) = \frac{x_2 \,\Theta_{11\dots}^{0}(x_2, x_3) - x_1 \,\Theta_{11\dots}^{0}(x_1, x_3)}{x_1 - x_2}.$$
(D.49)

Proof:

$$\Theta^{0}_{111...}(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}) = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$
  
$$= \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{\alpha x_{1} - (\alpha x_{1} - 1)}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$
  
$$= x_{1} \Theta^{1}_{11...}(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}) - \Theta^{0}_{11}(x_{2}, x_{3})$$

and using the previous relation.

Finally we can reduce n = 2 (for m = 0) via

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} dy \ \Theta_{21}^0(y, x_2) = (x_1 - x_0) \ \Theta_{111}^0(x_0, x_1, x_2) \tag{D.50}$$

Proof:

$$\int_{x_0}^{x_1} dy \,\Theta_{21}^0(y, x_2) = \int_{x_0}^{x_1} dy \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha y - 1 + i\epsilon)^2 (\alpha x_2 - 1 + i\epsilon)} \\ = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_{\alpha x_0}^{\alpha x_1} d(\alpha y) \,\frac{1}{(\alpha y - 1 + i\epsilon)^2 (\alpha x_2 - 1 + i\epsilon)}$$

and then using that

$$\frac{1}{(\alpha x_0 - 1)} - \frac{1}{(\alpha x_1 - 1)} = \frac{\alpha (x_1 - x_0)}{(\alpha x_0 - 1)(\alpha x_1 - 1)}$$

Further reduction for n = 2 and m = 0 then is possible, giving

$$\Theta_{21}^0(x_1, x_2) = -\frac{d}{dx_1} \left[ x_1 \,\Theta_{11}^0(x_1, x_2) \right]. \tag{D.51}$$

The only integral to be calculated actually is  $\Theta_{11}^0(x_1, x_2)$ , which is easily done via a contour integration in the complex plane. The explicit results for the simplest functions are then

$$\Theta_{11}^0(x_1, x_2) = \frac{\theta(x_1)\theta(-x_2) - \theta(-x_1)\theta(x_2)}{x_1 - x_2} = \frac{\theta(x_1) - \theta(x_2)}{x_1 - x_2},$$
(D.52)

$$\Theta_2^0(x) = \delta(x), \tag{D.53}$$

$$\Theta_{111}^0(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \frac{x_2}{(x_1 - x_2)} \Theta_{11}^0(x_2, x_3) - \frac{x_1}{(x_1 - x_2)} \Theta_{11}^0(x_1, x_3),$$
(D.54)

$$\Theta_{21}^{0}(x_1, x_2) = \frac{x_2}{(x_1 - x_2)} \Theta_{11}^{0}(x_1, x_2) - \frac{x_1}{(x_1 - x_2)} \delta(x_1), \tag{D.55}$$

$$\Theta_{21}^{1}(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{(x_1 - x_2)} \Theta_{11}^{0}(x_1, x_2) - \frac{1}{(x_1 - x_2)} \delta(x_1),$$
(D.56)

$$\Theta_{111}^1(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \frac{1}{(x_1 - x_2)} \left[ \Theta_{11}^0(x_2, x_3) - \Theta_{11}^0(x_1, x_3) \right].$$
(D.57)

We also will use the following equality for  $\Theta^0_{11}$  functions, seen using a principal value prescription,

$$\int dy \, \frac{x}{x-y} \left[\Theta_{11}^0(y,y-x) + \Theta_{11}^0(x,x-y)\right] = 0. \tag{D.58}$$

The singularities in the two terms come from  $y \uparrow x$  (first term) and  $y \downarrow x$  (right term) respectively. Notes on the  $i\epsilon$  prescription:

$$\Theta_{11}^{0}(x_{1}, x_{2}) = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 + i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)} = \frac{1}{x_{1} - x_{2}} \left[\theta(x_{1}) \theta(-x_{2}) - \theta(-x_{1})\theta(x_{2})\right]$$
$$\Theta_{\underline{1}1}^{0}(x_{1}, x_{2}) = \int \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi i} \frac{1}{(\alpha x_{1} - 1 - i\epsilon)(\alpha x_{2} - 1 + i\epsilon)} = \frac{1}{x_{1} - x_{2}} \left[\theta(x_{1}) \theta(x_{2}) - \theta(-x_{1})\theta(-x_{2})\right]$$

#### D.7 IR and UV singularities

In a D = 0 divergent integral one can separate the singularities e.g. as follows

$$\int \frac{d^2 k_T}{k_T^2} = \int d^2 k_T \left[ \frac{M^2}{k_T^2 (k_T^2 + M^2)} + \frac{1}{k_T^2 + M^2} \right].$$
(D.59)

Regularized one sees that

$$M^{\epsilon} \int \frac{d^{2-\epsilon}k_{T}}{k_{T}^{2}} = \underbrace{M^{\epsilon} \int d^{2-\epsilon}k_{T} \frac{M^{2}}{k_{T}^{2}(k_{T}^{2}+M^{2})}}_{-2\pi/\epsilon} + \underbrace{M^{\epsilon} \int d^{2-\epsilon}k_{T} \frac{1}{k_{T}^{2}+M^{2}}}_{2\pi/\epsilon}$$
(D.60)  
(IR-divergence)

# Appendix E

# Spin

#### E.1 Density matrices: definition and example for spin 1/2

In many applications in quantum mechanics one does not have a pure state to begin with. An impure state is described with a density operator

$$\rho = \sum_{i} |i\rangle p_{i} \langle i|, \qquad (E.1)$$

where  $|i\rangle$  are pure states, not necessarily orthogonal, and  $p_i$  are the probabilities (e.g. a beam of spin 1/2 electrons with 50 % spin along the z-axis, 25 % spin along x-axis and 25 % spin along y-axis). We do know

$$0 \le p_i \le 1$$
 and  $\sum_i p_i = 1.$ 

It is straightforward to obtain the following properties:

• Tr 
$$\rho = \sum_i p_i = 1$$

• 
$$\langle A \rangle = \sum_{i} p_i \langle i | A | i \rangle = \operatorname{Tr}(\rho A) = \operatorname{Tr}(A\rho) \text{ and } \operatorname{Tr}(\rho^2) \leq 1,$$

- $\rho$  is a positive definite, self-adjoint ( $\rho^{\dagger} = \rho$ ) operator,
- For a pure state  $\rho^2 = \rho \iff \text{Tr}(\rho^2) = 1$ . In that case  $\rho$  is a projection operator.

#### E.2 Spherical tensor operators

More general, for spin s one can use the spherical tensor operators  $R_M^L$ , defined as

$$\langle s, m | R_M^L | s, m' \rangle = (R_M^L)_{mm'} = \sqrt{2L+1} C_{m'Mm}^{s \ L \ s}$$

$$= (-)^L \sqrt{2L+1} C_{Mm'm}^{L \ s \ s}$$

$$= (-)^{s-m'} \sqrt{2s+1} C_{m-m'M}^{s \ s \ L}$$

$$= (-)^{s-m} \sqrt{(2s+1)(2L+1)} \begin{pmatrix} s \ s \ L \ m \ -m' \ -M \end{pmatrix}.$$
(E.2)

The last expression involves the so-called 3*j*-symbol. The properties of these tensor operators are:

- Tr  $R_M^L = (2s+1) \, \delta_{L0} \, \delta_{M0},$
- Tr  $(R_{M'}^{L'} R_{M}^{L^{\dagger}}) = (2s+1) \,\delta_{LL'} \,\delta_{MM'},$
- $R_M^L$  are real  $(2s+1) \times (2s+1)$  matrices,

• 
$$R_M^{L^{\dagger}} = (-)^M R_{-M}^L$$
.

Expanding the density matrix  $\rho$ ,

$$\rho \equiv \frac{1}{2s+1} \sum_{L=0}^{2s} \sum_{M=-L}^{L} \rho_M^{L*} R_M^L = \frac{1}{2s+1} \sum_{L=0}^{2s} \sum_{M=-L}^{L} \rho_M^L R_M^{L\dagger},$$
(E.3)

the quantities  $\rho_M^L$  are (complex) numbers satisfying

- $\rho_M^L = \text{Tr} (\rho R_M^L),$
- $\rho_M^L * = (-)^M \rho_{-M}^L$ , i.e.  $\rho_0^L$  real (because  $\rho$  is self-adjoint),
- $\rho_0^0 = 1$  (because Tr  $\rho = 1$ )
- $\sum_{L,M} |\rho_M^L|^2 \le 2s + 1$  (because Tr  $\rho^2 \le 1$ ).

#### E.3 Spin 1/2

Besides the tensor operators a Cartesian set is used, the Pauli matrices,

$$\sigma_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \sigma_y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (E.4)

The explicit tensor operators and their relation to the Cartesian operators are

$$R_0^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{1}, \tag{E.5}$$

$$R_{1}^{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\sigma_{x} + i\sigma_{y}),$$
(E.6)

$$R_0^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \sigma_z, \tag{E.7}$$

$$R_{-1}^{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0\\ \sqrt{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\sigma_{x} - i\sigma_{y}),$$
(E.8)

The  $R_m^1$  are precisely the spherical components of the spin vector  $\sigma$ . The explicit form of the density matrix is

$$\rho = \frac{1}{2} \left( \mathbf{1} + \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \boldsymbol{P} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \begin{array}{cc} \mathbf{1} + P_z & P_x - i P_y \\ \\ P_x + i P_y & \mathbf{1} - P_z \end{array} \right)$$
(E.9)

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{L=0}^{1} \sum_{M=-L}^{L} \rho_{M}^{L} R_{M}^{L^{\dagger}} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+\rho_{0}^{1} & \rho_{-1}^{1}\sqrt{2} \\ \\ -\rho_{1}^{1}\sqrt{2} & 1-\rho_{0}^{1} \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (E.11)

The vector  $\boldsymbol{P}$  is called the polarization vector or also the spin vector of a state. For a pure state  $|\boldsymbol{P}| = 1$ , for an unpolarized state  $|\boldsymbol{P}| = 0$  corresponding with  $\rho = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{1}$ . The numbers  $\rho_m^1$  are just the spherical components of the polarization vector,

$$\rho_1^1 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(P_x + iP_y), \tag{E.12}$$

$$\rho_0^1 = P_z, \tag{E.13}$$

$$\rho_{-1}^{1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (P_x - iP_y). \tag{E.14}$$

One has  $\operatorname{Tr} \rho^2 = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \boldsymbol{P}^2) \leq 1$ . The degree of polarization is  $0 \leq |\boldsymbol{P}| \leq 1$ .

We note that any matrix  $\tilde{M}$  in the spin-space can be transformed into a function depending on the polarization vector  $\boldsymbol{P}$ , which we write as

$$(P^i) = (S_T^1, S_T^2, S_L).$$
(E.15)

Explicitly we have

$$M(S) = \operatorname{Tr}\left(\rho(S)\,\tilde{M}\right).\tag{E.16}$$

where the density matrix is written as

$$\rho(S) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 + S_L & S_T^1 - i S_T^2 \\ S_T^1 + i S_T^2 & 1 - S_L \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} S_L & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} S_T^- \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} S_T^+ & \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} S_L \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (E.17)

The equivalence is

$$M(S) = M_O + S_L M_L + S_T^1 M_T^1 + S_T^2 M_T^2 = M_O + S_L M_L - S_T^+ M_T^- - S_T^- M_T^+$$
(E.18)

$$\tilde{M}_{mm'} = \begin{pmatrix} M_O + M_L & M_T^- \sqrt{2} \\ & & \\ -M_T^+ \sqrt{2} & M_O - M_L \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} M_O + M_L & M_T^1 - i M_T^2 \\ & & \\ M_T^1 + i M_T^2 & M_O - M_L \end{pmatrix}.$$
(E.19)

if the matrix  $\tilde{M}$  is written on the basis of eigenstates of  $\sigma_z$ .

The parameters in the density matrix in Eq. E.17 can be given an explicit probabilistic interpretation. Introducing  $p_m(\theta, \phi)$  as the probabilities to have spin-component *m* along the direction specified by  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ , we have

$$P_z = S_L = p_{1/2}(\hat{z}) - p_{-1/2}(\hat{z}) \tag{E.20}$$

$$P_x = S_T^1 = p_{1/2}(\hat{x}) - p_{-1/2}(\hat{x})$$
(E.21)

$$P_y = S_T^2 = p_{1/2}(\hat{y}) - p_{-1/2}(\hat{y}), \tag{E.22}$$

showing all these parameters to lie in the interval [-1, 1].

#### E.4 Spin 1

A Cartesian set transforming like a vector is given by the matrices

$$\Sigma_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma_y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ i & 0 & -i \\ 0 & i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (E.23)

A set of tensor operators of rank two (symmetric and traceless) is the set  $\Sigma_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \Sigma_{\{i} \Sigma_{j\}} - \frac{2}{3} \delta_{ij} \mathbf{1}$ ,

$$\Sigma_{xx} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma_{yy} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma_{zz} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
(E.24)  
$$\Sigma_{xy} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -i \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ i & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma_{xz} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Sigma_{yz} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ i & 0 & i \\ 0 & -i & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$
(E.25)

The explicit tensor operators and their relation to the Cartesian operators are

$$R_0^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{1}$$
 (E.26)

$$R_1^1 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( \Sigma_x + i \, \Sigma_y \right), \tag{E.27}$$

$$R_0^1 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \Sigma_z$$
(E.28)

$$R_{-1}^{1} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( \Sigma_{x} - i \, \Sigma_{y} \right), \tag{E.29}$$

$$R_2^2 = \sqrt{3} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( \Sigma_{xx} - \Sigma_{yy} + 2i \, \Sigma_{xy} \right)$$
(E.30)

$$R_1^2 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = -\sqrt{3} \left( \Sigma_{xz} + i \, \Sigma_{yz} \right)$$
(E.31)

$$R_0^2 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & -2 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}} \Sigma_{zz}$$
(E.32)

$$R_{-1}^{2} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0\\ 1 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{3} \left( \Sigma_{xz} - i \, \Sigma_{yz} \right)$$
(E.33)

$$R_{-2}^{2} = \sqrt{3} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( \Sigma_{xx} - \Sigma_{yy} - 2i \, \Sigma_{xy} \right)$$
(E.34)

The explicit form of the density matrix can be written in one of the following forms,

$$\rho = \frac{1}{3} \left( 1 + \frac{3}{2} \Sigma_i P_i + 3 \Sigma_{ij} T_{ij} \right)$$
(E.35)
$$\left( -\frac{1}{3} + \frac{P_z}{2} + \frac{T_{zz}}{2} - \frac{P_x - i P_y}{2} + \frac{T_{xz} - i T_{yz}}{2} - \frac{T_{xx} - T_{yy} - 2i T_{xy}}{2} \right)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{P_x + iP_y}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{T_{xz} + iT_{yz}}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{3} - T_{zz} & \frac{P_x - iP_y}{2\sqrt{2}} - \frac{T_{xz} - iT_{yz}}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{T_{xx} - T_{yy} + 2iT_{xy}}{2} & \frac{P_x + iP_y}{2\sqrt{2}} - \frac{T_{xz} + iT_{yz}}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{3} - \frac{P_z}{2} + \frac{T_{zz}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$
(E.36)

$$= \frac{1}{3} \sum_{L=0}^{2} \sum_{M=-L}^{L} \rho_{M}^{L} R_{M}^{L^{\dagger}}$$
(E.37)

$$= \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1+\rho_0^1\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}+\rho_0^2\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} & \rho_{-1}^1\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}+\rho_{-1}^2\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} & \rho_{-2}^2\sqrt{3} \\ -\rho_1^1\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}-\rho_1^2\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} & \rho_0^2\sqrt{2} & \rho_{-1}^1\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}-\rho_{-1}^2\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ \rho_2^2\sqrt{3} & -\rho_1^1\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}+\rho_1^2\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} & 1-\rho_0^1\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}+\rho_0^2\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \end{pmatrix},$$
(E.38)
where T is a traceless, symmetric tensor. One identifies

$$\rho_1^1 = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( P_x + i P_y \right), \tag{E.39}$$

$$\rho_0^1 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} P_z, \tag{E.40}$$

$$\rho_{-1}^{1} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( P_x - i P_y \right), \tag{E.41}$$

$$\rho_2^2 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( T_{xx} - T_{yy} + 2i \, T_{xy} \right) \tag{E.42}$$

$$\rho_1^2 = -\sqrt{3} \left( T_{xz} + i \, T_{yz} \right), \tag{E.43}$$

$$\rho_0^2 = \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}} T_{zz},\tag{E.44}$$

$$\rho_{-1}^2 = \sqrt{3} \left( T_{xz} - i \, T_{yz} \right), \tag{E.45}$$

$$\rho_{-2}^2 = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} \left( T_{xx} - T_{yy} - 2i \, T_{xy} \right) \tag{E.46}$$

One has  $\operatorname{Tr} \rho^2 = \frac{1}{3} (1 + \frac{3}{2} P^i P^i + 3 T^{ij} T^{ij}) \leq 1$ . The degree of polarization is defined as  $0 \leq [\frac{3}{4} P_i P_i + \frac{3}{2} T_{ij} T_{ij}]^{1/2} \leq 1$ .

Again one can establish the equivalence between a spin-dependent function M(S) and a matrix  $\tilde{M}$  in spin-space. If

$$(P^i) = (S_T^1, S_T^2, S_L)$$
(E.47)

$$(T^{ij}) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} S_{TT}^{11} - \frac{2}{3}S_{LL} & S_{TT}^{12} & S_{LT}^{1} \\ S_{TT}^{21} & S_{TT}^{22} - \frac{2}{3}S_{LL} & S_{LT}^{2} \\ S_{LT}^{1} & S_{LT}^{2} & \frac{4}{3}S_{LL} \end{pmatrix},$$
(E.48)

with  $S_{TT}^{22} = -S_{TT}^{11}$  and  $S_{TT}^{12} = S_{TT}^{21}$ . Explicitly we have

$$M(S) = \operatorname{Tr}\left(\rho(S)\,\tilde{M}\right).\tag{E.49}$$

where the density matrix is written as

$$\rho(S) = \begin{pmatrix}
\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}S_{L} + \frac{1}{3}S_{LL} & \frac{1}{2}(S_{T}^{-} + S_{LT}^{-}) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}S_{TT}^{1-} \\
-\frac{1}{2}(S_{T}^{+} + S_{LT}^{+}) & \frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{3}S_{LL} & \frac{1}{2}(S_{T}^{-} - S_{LT}^{-}) \\
-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}S_{TT}^{1+} & -\frac{1}{2}(S_{T}^{+} - S_{LT}^{+}) & \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2}S_{L} + \frac{1}{3}S_{LL}
\end{pmatrix}.$$
(E.50)

Note that  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}S_{TT}^{1-} = \frac{1}{2}(S_{TT}^{11} - iS_{TT}^{12}) = \frac{1}{4}(S_{TT}^{11} - S_{TT}^{22} - 2iS_{TT}^{12})$ . The equivalence is

$$M(S) = M_O + S_L M_L + 2 S_{LL} M_{LL} + S_T^i M_T^i + S_{LT}^i M_{LT}^i + S_{TT}^{1i} M_{TT}^{1i}$$
(E.51)

$$\tilde{M}_{mm'} = \begin{pmatrix} M_o + M_L + M_{LL} & M_T^- + M_{LT}^- & M_{TT}^{1-}\sqrt{2} \\ -(M_T^+ + M_{LT}^+) & M_o - 2M_{LL} & M_T^- - M_{LT}^- \\ -M_{TT}^{1+}\sqrt{2} & -(M_T^+ - M_{LT}^+) & M_o - M_L + M_{LL} \end{pmatrix}$$
(E.52)

if the matrix  $\tilde{M}$  is written on the basis of eigenstates of  $\Sigma_z$ .

The parameters in the density matrix in Eq. E.50 can be given an explicit probabilistic interpretation. Introducing  $p_m(\theta, \phi)$  as the probabilities to have spin-component *m* along the direction specified by  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ , we see from the diagonal elements

$$S_{LL} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ p_1(\hat{z}) + p_{-1}(\hat{z}) \right] - p_0(\hat{z}), \tag{E.53}$$

$$S_L = p_1(\hat{z}) - p_{-1}(\hat{z}), \tag{E.54}$$

implying  $-1 \le S_{LL} \le 1/2$  and  $-1 \le S_{L} \le 1$ .

## E.5 Reaction parameters

In general one can express the initial state density matrix as

$$\rho_i \equiv \frac{1}{2s_i + 1} \sum_{\ell,m} (\rho_i)_m^{\ell} R_m^{\ell}^{\dagger}, \qquad (E.55)$$

and obtain from that, given a transition matrix T, the final state density matrix

$$\rho_f = \frac{\mathscr{T}\rho_i \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}}{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathscr{T}\rho_i \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}\right)} = \frac{\sum_{\ell,m} \left(\rho_i\right)_m^{\ell} \mathscr{T} R_m^{\ell} \,^{\dagger} \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}}{\sum_{\ell,m} \left(\rho_i\right)_m^{\ell} \operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathscr{T} R_m^{\ell} \,^{\dagger} \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}\right)} \tag{E.56}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2s_f + 1} \sum_{\ell',m'} (\rho_f)_{m'}^{\ell'} R_{m'}^{\ell'}^{\dagger}, \qquad (E.57)$$

with

$$(\rho_f)_{m'}^{\ell'} = \frac{\sum_{\ell,m} (\rho_i)_m^{\ell} \operatorname{Tr} \left( \mathscr{T} R_m^{\ell} \, \overset{\dagger}{\mathscr{T}} R_{m'}^{\ell'} \right)}{\sum_{\ell,m} (\rho_i)_m^{\ell} \operatorname{Tr} \left( \mathscr{T} R_m^{\ell} \, \overset{\dagger}{\mathscr{T}} \right)}.$$
(E.58)

Defining spin transfer parameters

$$\langle \ell', m' | \ell, m \rangle \equiv \frac{\operatorname{Tr} \left( \mathscr{T} R_m^{\ell^{\dagger}} \mathscr{T}^{\dagger} R_{m'}^{\ell'} \right)}{\operatorname{Tr} \left( \mathscr{T} \mathscr{T}^{\dagger} \right)}, \tag{E.59}$$

one gets

$$(\rho_f)_{m'}^{\ell'} = \frac{\sum_{\ell,m} (\rho_i)_m^{\ell} \langle \ell', m' | \ell, m \rangle}{\sum_{\ell,m} (\rho_i)_m^{\ell} \langle 0, 0 | \ell, m \rangle}.$$
(E.60)

To illustrate the reaction parameters, let us consider the reaction parameters for a process with one spin 1/2 particle in initial and one spin 1/2 particle in the final state. in that case it is actually more common to use the Euclidean vector notation instead of the tensor operators. With the  $2 \times 2$  scattering matrix given by  $\mathscr{T}$  and

$$\rho_i = \frac{1}{2} \left( \mathbf{1} + \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \boldsymbol{P}_{\text{in}} \right),$$

one finds

$$\rho_f = \frac{\mathscr{T}\rho_i \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}}{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathscr{T}\rho_i \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}\right)} = \frac{\mathscr{T}\mathscr{T}^{\dagger} + P_{\mathrm{in}}^i \mathscr{T}\sigma^i \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}}{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathscr{T}\mathscr{T}^{\dagger} + P_{\mathrm{in}}^i \mathscr{T}\sigma^i \mathscr{T}^{\dagger}\right)}$$
(E.61)

or introducing the  $C^{ij}$  spin transfer parameters,

$$C^{ij} = \frac{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathscr{T}\sigma^{i}\,\mathscr{T}^{\dagger}\sigma^{j}\right)}{\operatorname{Tr}\left(\mathscr{T}\,\mathscr{T}^{\dagger}\right)},\tag{E.62}$$

with arguments i, j = 0, 1, 2, 3 using also the matrix  $\sigma^0 \equiv \mathbf{1}$  one obtains:

$$\rho_f = \frac{1}{2} \left( \mathbf{1} + \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \boldsymbol{P}_{\text{out}} \right),$$

with

$$P_{\rm out}^{i} = \frac{C^{0i} + P_{\rm in}^{j} C^{ji}}{C^{00} + P_{\rm in}^{k} C^{k0}}$$
(E.63)

 $(C^{00} = 1)$ . Note that the final state density matrix  $\rho_f$  can be used as the input density matrix for a decay process, in this way enabling polarimetry.

## E.6 Spin vectors

In situations such as deep inelastic scattering one likes to work with spin vectors in the cross sections just as with the momenta, e.g. one considers the hadronic tensor  $W^{\mu\nu}(q, P, S)$ , where q is the virtual photon momentum, P is the target momentum and S the spin vector. We will discuss the meaning of such spin vectors in initial and final state.

We start with a hadron in the initial state with momentum P, which is specified by a *density matrix*, for an ensemble of initial states indicated with  $\alpha$ ,

$$(\rho_i)_{\alpha\beta}(P,S) = \sum_i \langle P; \alpha | i \rangle p_i \langle i | P; \beta \rangle$$
  
<sup>H</sup> rest frame  $\frac{1}{2} \left( \delta_{\alpha\beta} + \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\alpha\beta} \cdot \boldsymbol{S} \right)$ 
(E.64)

Note that this in a general frame generalizes to a vector  $S^{\mu}(P)$  which satisfies  $P \cdot S = 0$  and  $-1 \leq S^2 \leq 0$ .

Then, let's assume that a particle h is produced in the final state with momentum  $P_h$ , which is analyzed via its decay products, e.g. a  $\Lambda$  decaying into  $p\pi^-$ . In that case the probability of finding a specific final state configuration (f) is contained in the *decay matrix* 

$$R_{\alpha'\beta'}^{(\text{decay})}(f) \propto \sum_{\lambda_f} \mathscr{T}_{\beta' \to \lambda_f}^*(f) \mathscr{T}_{\alpha' \to \lambda_f}(f)$$
  
= 
$$\sum_{\lambda_f} \langle P_h; \alpha' | \mathscr{T}^{\dagger} | f; \lambda_f \rangle \langle f; \lambda_f | \mathscr{T} | P_h; \beta' \rangle.$$
(E.65)

In this matrix one has summed over all final state spins or helicities  $(\lambda_f)$  in the decay channel (in the example the proton polarizations). The decay matrix depends on the phase space (f) of the decay channel (in the example  $\theta_{p\pi^+}^{cm}$ ). This and other examples are given below. In general we may write

$$R_{\alpha'\beta'}^{(\text{decay})}(P_h, f) \stackrel{\text{h rest frame}}{=} w(f) \left( \delta_{\alpha'\beta'} + \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{\alpha'\beta'} \cdot \boldsymbol{A}_h(f) \right)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{general frame}}{=} (2S_h + 1) w(f) \rho_{\alpha'\beta'}(P_h, A_h(P_h, f)), \quad (E.66)$$

normalized to  $\sum_{f} w(f) = 1$  and  $\sum_{f} A_h(P_h, f) w(f) = 0$ , or  $\sum_{f} R_{\alpha'\beta'}(f) = \delta_{\alpha'\beta'}$ . Note that the summation over f is just symbolic for all kinematic variables (usually angles) appearing in the decay. Sometimes one only integrates over a particular subset in f, in which case the righthandside is multiplied with a function depending on the remaining variables. This defines  $A_h$  as the analyzing power of the decay channel. Note that  $A_h$  depends on  $P_h$  and f, i.e.  $A_h(P_h, f)$ . In general it satisfies  $P_h \cdot A_h = 0$ . For a decaying particle h with a polarization state determined by a density matrix  $\rho(P_h, S_h)$  defined in the same way as  $\rho_{\rm in}$ , with  $P_h \cdot S_h = 0$  and  $-1 \leq S_h^2 \leq 0$ , the probability of a final state is given by

$$W(h \to f) = \operatorname{Tr}\left(\rho(P_h, S_h) R^{(\operatorname{decay})}(P_h, f)\right) \stackrel{\text{h rest frame}}{=} = w(f) \left[1 + \boldsymbol{S}_h \cdot \boldsymbol{A}_h(f)\right]$$

$$\stackrel{\text{general frame}}{=} = w(f) \left[1 - S_h(P_h) \cdot A_h(P_h, f)\right]. \quad (E.67)$$

Starting with some (general) initial state, the result for a semi-inclusive measurement in which the decay products of hadron h are detected employs the production matrix,

$$R^{(\text{prod})}_{\alpha\beta;\alpha'\beta'}(P;P_h) = \mathscr{T}^*_{\beta\to\beta'}(P,P_h) \mathscr{T}_{\alpha\to\alpha'}(P,P_h) = \langle P;\beta|\mathscr{T}^{\dagger}|P_h;\beta'\rangle \langle P_h;\alpha'|\mathscr{T}|P;\alpha\rangle.$$
(E.68)

The S- and  $S_h$ -dependent matrix elements can be introduced as

$$R_{\alpha'\beta'}^{(\text{prod})}(P,S;P_h) \equiv \rho_{\beta\alpha}(P,S) R_{\alpha\beta;\alpha'\beta'}^{(\text{prod})}(P,P_h), \tag{E.69}$$

$$\frac{1}{2S_h+1} R^{(\text{prod})}_{\alpha\beta}(P; P_h, S_h) \equiv R^{(\text{prod})}_{\alpha\beta;\alpha'\beta'}(P, P_h) \rho_{\beta'\alpha'}(P_h, S_h),$$
(E.70)

$$\frac{1}{2S_h+1} R^{(\text{prod})}(P,S;P_h,S_h) \equiv \rho_{\beta\alpha}(P,S) R^{(\text{prod})}_{\alpha\beta;\alpha'\beta'}(P,P_h) \rho_{\beta'\alpha'}(P_h,S_h), \quad (E.71)$$

in which the spin vectors (thus) can only appear linearly. Note that because of the definition of the decay matrix it is convenient to absorb a multiplicity factor in the final state spin-dependence. If this is not done, it will explicitly appear in the following expressions.

The probability to produce the final state configuration f via the decay of h is

$$W(i \to h \to f) = (\rho_{\rm in})_{\beta\alpha}(P, S) R^{(\rm prod)}_{\alpha\beta,\alpha'\beta'}(P; P_h) R^{(\rm decay)}_{\beta'\alpha'}(P_h, f)$$
  
$$= R^{(\rm prod)}_{\alpha'\beta'}(P, S; P_h) R^{(\rm decay)}_{\beta'\alpha'}(P_h, f).$$
(E.72)

Using the parametrization of  $R^{(\text{decay})}$  in terms of the analyzing power one has

$$W(i \to h \to f) = R^{(\text{prod})}(P, S; P_h, A_h(P_h, f)) w(f), \qquad (E.73)$$

while summing (or integrating) over the decay products of h one is not able to measure the polarization of h, and finds

$$\sum_{f} W(i \to h \to f) = \sum_{\alpha'} R^{(\text{prod})}_{\alpha'\alpha'}(P, S; P_h) = R^{(\text{prod})}(P, S; P_h, 0).$$
(E.74)

When the production is described as the product of a distribution and fragmentation part as in the case of the hadronic tensor in deep inelastic scattering,

$$R^{(\text{prod})}(P, S, P_h, S_h) = \text{Tr}_D \left[ \Phi(P, S) * H * \Delta(P_h, S_h) \right]$$
  
= 
$$\text{Tr}_D \left[ \left( \Phi_O(P) + S \cdot \Phi_S(P) \right) * H * \left( \Delta_O(P_h) + S_h \cdot \Phi_{S_h}(P_h) \right) \right] \quad (E.75)$$

where the  $\text{Tr}_D$  indicates tracing (and possibly integrating) over internal space, e.g. tracing in Dirac space and integrating over momenta for produced and fragmenting quarks including a hard part (H).

## E.7 Examples of analyzing power in decays

## E.7.1 $\Lambda$ decay

The decay amplitude for  $\Lambda \to N\pi$  is given by

$$\mathscr{T}_{m \to \lambda}(s, \Omega) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi}} A_{\lambda} D_{m\lambda}^{(1/2)*}(\Omega).$$
(E.76)

Explicitly,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{T}_{1/2 \to 1/2}(s,\Omega) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi}} A_{+}(s) \, \cos(\theta/2) \\ \mathscr{T}_{1/2 \to -1/2}(s,\Omega) &= -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi}} A_{-}(s) \, \sin(\theta/2) \, e^{i \, \phi} \\ \mathscr{T}_{-1/2 \to 1/2}(s,\Omega) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi}} A_{+}(s) \, \sin(\theta/2) \, e^{-i \, \phi} \\ \mathscr{T}_{-1/2 \to -1/2}(s,\Omega) &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi}} A_{-}(s) \, \cos(\theta/2) \end{aligned}$$

For a spin up or down  $\Lambda$  one then finds respectively

$$W_{+}(\theta,\phi) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} \cos^{2}(\theta/2) + |A_{-}|^{2} \sin^{2}(\theta/2) \right)$$
  
$$= \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} + |A_{-}|^{2} \right) + \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} - |A_{-}|^{2} \right) \cos \theta \qquad (E.77)$$
  
$$W_{-}(\theta,\phi) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} \sin^{2}(\theta/2) + |A_{-}|^{2} \cos^{2}(\theta/2) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} + |A_{-}|^{2} \right) - \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} - |A_{-}|^{2} \right) \cos \theta.$$
 (E.78)

For more general use we calculate the so-called decay matrix (summed over the final state helicities  $\lambda$ ),

$$R_{mn}(s,\Omega) \propto \sum_{\lambda} \mathscr{T}^*_{m \to \lambda}(s,\Omega) \mathscr{T}_{n \to \lambda}(s,\Omega),$$

which is equal to

$$R(\theta,\phi) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} + |A_{-}|^{2} \right) + \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} - |A_{-}|^{2} \right) \left( \begin{array}{c} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \, e^{-i\phi} \\ \sin\theta \, e^{i\phi} & -\cos\theta \end{array} \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} + |A_{-}|^{2} \right) \mathbf{1} + \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( |A_{+}|^{2} - |A_{-}|^{2} \right) \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{p}}^{\mathrm{cm}}, \tag{E.79}$$

appropriately normalized giving

$$R(\theta, \phi) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( \mathbf{1} + \alpha \,\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{p}}^{\rm cm} \right) \tag{E.80}$$

where  $\alpha = 0.642$  for the decay  $\Lambda \to p\pi^-$ . Thus one has

$$\boldsymbol{A}_{h}\left(\Omega_{p\pi^{-}}^{\mathrm{cm}}\right) \stackrel{\Lambda \text{ rest-frame}}{=} \alpha \, \hat{\boldsymbol{p}}^{\mathrm{cm}}. \tag{E.81}$$

Given a specific polarization for the decaying hadron  $(h = \Lambda)$  via a density matrix  $\rho(S_h)$  one finds a CM distribution

$$W(S_h; \theta, \phi) = \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \rho(S_h) R(\theta, \phi) \right]$$
  
= 1 + S<sub>h</sub> · A<sub>h</sub>(θ, φ)  
= 1 + α (S<sub>L</sub> cos θ + S<sup>1</sup><sub>T</sub> sin θ cos φ + S<sup>2</sup><sub>T</sub> sin θ sin φ). (E.82)

In covariant form (with  $P_{\Lambda} = P_p + P_{\pi}$ ) one obtains for the analyzing power,

$$A^{\mu}_{\Lambda}(P_{p}, P_{\pi}) = \alpha \left[ \frac{M^{2}_{\Lambda} - M^{2}_{p} + M^{2}_{\pi}}{M_{\Lambda}\sqrt{\Delta(M^{2}_{\Lambda}, M^{2}_{p}, M^{2}_{\pi})}} P^{\mu}_{p} - \frac{M^{2}_{\Lambda} + M^{2}_{p} - M^{2}_{\pi}}{M_{\Lambda}\sqrt{\Delta(M^{2}_{\Lambda}, M^{2}_{p}, M^{2}_{\pi})}} P^{\mu}_{\pi} \right], \quad (E.83)$$
$$= 0.642 \left[ 1.710 \frac{P^{\mu}_{p}}{M_{\Lambda}} - 9.38 \frac{P^{\mu}_{\pi}}{M_{\Lambda}} \right]$$

with  $\Delta(M_{\Lambda}^2, M_p^2, M_{\pi}^2) = (M_{\Lambda}^2 - (M_p + M_{\pi})^2) (M_{\Lambda}^2 - (M_p - M_{\pi})^2) = 4M_{\Lambda}^2 |\mathbf{p}^{\rm cm}|^2$ . This illustrates how the analyzing power in the final state is determined from momenta of the decay products. For instance the helicity  $A_{\Lambda L} = M_{\Lambda} A_{\Lambda}^- / P_{\Lambda}^-$  is given by

$$A_{\Lambda L} = \alpha \left[ \frac{M_{\Lambda}^2 - M_p^2 + M_{\pi}^2}{\sqrt{\Delta(M_{\Lambda}^2, M_p^2, M_{\pi}^2)}} \frac{z_p}{z_{\Lambda}} - \frac{M_{\Lambda}^2 + M_p^2 - M_{\pi}^2}{\sqrt{\Delta(M_{\Lambda}^2, M_p^2, M_{\pi}^2)}} \frac{z_{\pi}}{z_{\Lambda}} \right],$$
(E.84)

which takes the values  $A_{\Lambda L} = \alpha$  for the maximal value of  $z_p$ , namely  $(z_p)_{\text{max}} = 0.936 z_{\Lambda}$  and the value  $A_{\Lambda L} = -\alpha$  for  $(z_p)_{\min} = 0.756 z_{\Lambda}$ . Furthermore we have

$$A^{\mu}_{\Lambda T} = A^{\mu}_{\Lambda \perp} - A_{\Lambda L} \, \frac{P^{\mu}_{\Lambda \perp}}{M_{\Lambda}}.$$
 (E.85)

### E.7.2 $\rho$ decay

The decay amplitude for  $\rho \to \pi \pi$  is given by

$$\mathscr{T}_m(s,\Omega) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} A(s) D_{m0}^{(1)*}(\Omega).$$
(E.86)

Explicitly,

$$\mathcal{T}_1(s,\Omega) = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{8\pi}} A \sin \theta \, e^{i\phi}$$
$$\mathcal{T}_0(s,\Omega) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4\pi}} A \cos \theta$$
$$\mathcal{T}_{-1}(s,\Omega) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{8\pi}} A \sin \theta \, e^{-i\phi}$$

Next we calculate the decay matrix,

$$R_{mn}(s,\Omega) \propto \mathscr{T}_m^*(s,\Omega) \,\mathscr{T}_n(s,\Omega),$$

which is equal to

$$R(\theta,\phi) \propto \frac{|A(s)|^2}{4\pi} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{2} \sin^2 \theta & -\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \sin 2\theta \, e^{-i\phi} & -\frac{3}{2} \sin^2 \theta \, e^{-2i\phi} \\ -\frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \sin 2\theta \, e^{i\phi} & 3 \cos^2 \theta & \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \sin 2\theta \, e^{-i\phi} \\ -\frac{3}{2} \sin^2 \theta \, e^{-2i\phi} & \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \sin 2\theta \, e^{i\phi} & \frac{3}{2} \sin^2 \theta \end{pmatrix}.$$
 (E.87)

After normalization this gives

$$R(\theta, \phi) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left( \mathbf{1} + 3\Sigma_{ij} A_{ij} \right), \qquad (E.88)$$

with the tensor

$$(A_h)_{ij} (\Omega_{\pi\pi}^{\rm cm}) \stackrel{\rho \text{ rest-frame}}{=} \frac{1}{3} \delta_{ij} - \hat{p}_i^{\rm cm} \hat{p}_j^{\rm cm}.$$
(E.89)

and the vector part being zero.

Given a specific polarization for the decaying hadron  $(h = \rho)$  via a density matrix  $\rho(S_h)$  one finds a CM distribution

$$W(S_{h};\theta,\phi) = \operatorname{Tr}\left[\rho(S_{h}) R(\theta,\phi)\right] \\ = \frac{1}{4\pi} \left[1 + 3 (T_{h})_{ij} (A_{h})_{ij} (\theta,\phi)\right] \\ = \frac{3}{8\pi} \left(\frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{3} S_{LL} \left(3\cos^{2}\theta - 1\right) - S_{LT}^{1} \sin 2\theta \cos \phi - S_{LT}^{2} \sin 2\theta \sin \phi - S_{TT}^{11} \sin^{2}\theta \cos 2\phi - S_{TT}^{12} \sin^{2}\theta \sin 2\phi\right).$$
(E.90)

In covariant form (with  $P_h = P_1 + P_2$ ) we have

$$\hat{p}^{\mu}_{\rm cm} = \frac{P^{\mu}_1 - P^{\mu}_2}{\sqrt{M^2_{\rho} - 4M^2_{\pi}}},\tag{E.91}$$

giving

$$\begin{aligned} A_{h}^{\mu\nu} &= \frac{1}{M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2}} \left[ \frac{1}{2} P_{h}^{\{\mu} P_{h}^{\nu\}} - P_{1}^{\{\mu} P_{1}^{\nu\}} - P_{2}^{\{\mu} P_{2}^{\nu\}} \right] - \frac{1}{3} \left( g^{\mu\nu} - \frac{P_{h}^{\mu} P_{h}^{\nu}}{M_{\rho}^{2}} \right) \\ &= \frac{2(M_{\rho}^{2} - M_{\pi}^{2})}{3M_{\rho}^{2}(M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2})} P_{h}^{\{\mu} P_{h}^{\nu\}} - \frac{1}{M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2}} \left[ P_{1}^{\{\mu} P_{1}^{\nu\}} + P_{2}^{\{\mu} P_{2}^{\nu\}} \right] - \frac{1}{3} g^{\mu\nu} \\ &= \frac{2(M_{\rho}^{2} - M_{\pi}^{2})}{3M_{\rho}^{2}(M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2})} S^{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} P_{h\alpha} P_{h\beta} - \frac{1}{M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2}} \left[ S^{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} P_{1\alpha} P_{1\beta} + S^{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} P_{2\alpha} P_{2\beta} \right] \\ &= \frac{2(M_{\rho}^{2} - M_{\pi}^{2})}{3M_{\rho}^{2}(M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2})} S^{\mu} P_{h\nu} P_{h} - \frac{1}{M_{\rho}^{2} - 4M_{\pi}^{2}} \left[ S^{\mu} P_{1\nu} P_{1} + S^{\mu} P_{2\nu} P_{2} \right]. \end{aligned}$$
(E.92)

## E.8 Comment on BLT sumrule

### Spin sum rules

There are two spin sum rules that relate integrals over distribution functions to (local) QCD operators. One for *longitudinal spin*,

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{q} \int_{-1}^{1} dx \Delta q(x) + \int_{0}^{1} dx \Delta G(x) + L^{q} + L^{G}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{q} \int_{0}^{1} dx \left( \Delta q(x) + \Delta \overline{q}(x) \right) + \int_{0}^{1} dx \Delta G(x) + L^{q} + L^{G},$$
(E.93)

and one for transverse spin (O. Teryaev, B. Pire and J. Soffer, hep-ph/9806502; P.G. Ratcliffe, hep-ph/9811348)

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{q} \int_{-1}^{1} dx g_{T}^{q}(x) + \int_{0}^{1} dx \,\Delta G_{T}(x) + L_{T}^{q} + L_{T}^{G} \\
= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{q} \int_{0}^{1} dx \left( g_{T}^{q}(x) + g_{T}^{\bar{q}}(x) \right) + \int_{0}^{1} dx \,\Delta G_{T}(x) + L_{T}^{q} + L_{T}^{G} \tag{E.94}$$

In fact these two sum rules are expected to have the same contributions, at least for the quark spin part, where the equality is just the Burkhard-Cottingham sumrule. The equalities for the various terms are a consequence of Lorentz invariance. At the operator level the transverse spin sum rule involves quarkquark-gluon operators, exactly what one would expect since partons correspond to the quanta of good quark and gluon fields in front form quantization.

### Tensor charge

There is a sumrule for transverse spin polarization. It relates the integral over  $h_1^q(x) = \delta q(x) = \Delta_T q(x)$  to the tensor charge (local operator is  $\overline{\psi} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \psi$ ),

$$\sum_{q} \int_{-1}^{1} dx \,\delta q(x) = \sum_{q} \int_{0}^{1} dx \,\left(\delta q(x) - \delta \overline{q}(x)\right) = g_{T}.$$
(E.95)

#### Interpretation as spin densities

The leading twist distribution functions  $f_1^q(x) = q(x)$ ,  $g_1^1(x) = \Delta q(x)$  and  $h_1^q(x) = \delta q(x)$  can be interpreted as spin densities. They are 'quadratic' operators for good fields,  $\psi_+(x) \equiv P_+\psi(x) = \frac{1}{2}\gamma^+\gamma^-\psi(x)$  after taking (spin) projections,  $P_{R/L} = \frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \gamma_5)$  and  $P_{\uparrow/\downarrow} = \frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \gamma^1\gamma_5)$ . These spin projectors commute with  $P_+$ . One has

$$q(x) = q_R(x) + q_L(x) = q_{\uparrow}(x) + q_{\downarrow}(x), \qquad (E.96)$$

$$\Delta q(x) = q_R(x) - q_L(x) \tag{E.97}$$

$$\delta q(x) = q_{\uparrow}(x) - q_{\downarrow}(x), \tag{E.98}$$

#### Transverse spin

(a) From the interpretation one expects

$$\sum_{q} \int_{0}^{1} dx \, \left(\delta q(x) + \delta \overline{q}(x)\right) \tag{E.99}$$

to have a meaning as 'transverse spin'. It certainly is a measure for transverse polarization of quarks and antiquarks, but there is no local operator to which it can be equated.

One can write down an operator expression, but it is nonlocal. The starting point is  $\theta(x) \, \delta q(x) - \theta(-x) \, \delta q(-x)$ 

(b) For an ensemble of *free* quarks (and gluons) the quantity entering in the transverse spin sumrule is related to transverse spin density. One has

$$g_T(x) = \frac{m}{Mx} h_1(x).$$
 (E.100)

# Appendix F

# Kinematics in hard processes

## F.1 kinematics with a hard $2 \rightarrow 2$ subprocess

Consider the kinematics of a hard process,  $H_1 + H_2 \rightarrow h_1 + h_2 + X$ , including momenta

$$H_1(P_1) + H_2(P_2) \to h_1(K_1) + h_2(K_2) + X.$$
 (F.1)

This is an inclusive process, for which we will use the variables,

$$s = (P_1 + P_2)^2 \simeq 2 P_1 \cdot P_2,$$
 (F.2)

$$s' = (K_1 + K_2)^2 \simeq 2 K_1 \cdot K_2,$$
 (F.3)

$$t = (P_1 - K_1)^2 \simeq -2 P_1 \cdot K_1,$$
 (F.4)

$$t' = (P_2 - K_2)^2 \simeq -2 P_2 \cdot K_2,$$
 (F.5)

$$u' = (P_1 - K_2)^2 \simeq -2 P_1 \cdot K_2,$$
 (F.6)

$$u = (P_2 - K_1)^2 \simeq -2 P_2 \cdot K_1,$$
 (F.7)

All these invariants are assumed to be of order s. The corrections are  $\mathscr{O}(1)$ , that means suppressed by two orders of the hard scale,  $(\sqrt{s})$  indicated with the  $\simeq$  symbol between the entries. The dot-products can be used to expand the final state vectors  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  in terms of  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  and orthogonal parts,

$$K_1 \simeq -\frac{u}{s} P_1 - \frac{t}{s} P_2 + K_{1\perp},$$
 (F.8)

$$K_2 \simeq -\frac{t'}{s} P_1 - \frac{u'}{s} P_2 + K_{2\perp},$$
 (F.9)

where  $K_{1\perp} \cdot P_1 = K_{1\perp} \cdot P_2 = 0$  and  $K_{2\perp} \cdot P_1 = K_{2\perp} \cdot P_2 = 0$ . Note that  $K_{1\perp}^2 \simeq -tu/s$  and  $K_{2\perp}^2 \simeq -t'u'/s$  with  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  corrections, and

$$K_{1\perp} \cdot K_{2\perp} \simeq \frac{ss' - tt' - uu'}{2s}.$$
 (F.10)



In practice often used is the Feynman-x,  $x_{1F} \equiv K_{1z}^{\rm cm}/K_{1z}^{\rm cm(max)} \simeq 2 K_{1z}^{\rm cm}/\sqrt{s} = \simeq (t-u)/s$ . Scaling also the transverse momentum in the CM frame and using  $x_{1T} \equiv 2|K_{1\perp}^{\rm cm}|/\sqrt{s} \simeq 2\sqrt{tu}/s$ , or the CM scattering angle  $\theta_1$  one has  $\epsilon_1 \equiv 2 E_{K_1}^{\rm cm}/\sqrt{s} \simeq x_{1F}/\cos\theta_1 \simeq \sqrt{x_{1F}^2 + x_{1T}^2}$ . In terms of the CM (pseudo)-rapidity  $\eta_1$  one has  $x_{1F} \equiv x_{1T} \sinh \eta_1$  and  $\epsilon_1 \simeq x_{1T} \cosh \eta_1$ . It is related to  $\theta_1$  via  $\eta_1 \simeq -\ln \tan(\theta_1/2)$ . One has

$$t \simeq -2 E_{K_1}^{\rm cm} \sqrt{s} \sin^2(\theta_1/2) \simeq -\frac{s}{2} \left( \sqrt{x_{1F}^2 + x_{1T}^2} - x_{1F} \right) = -\frac{s}{2} x_{1T} e^{-\eta_1}, \tag{F.11}$$

$$u \simeq -2 E_{K_1}^{\rm cm} \sqrt{s} \cos^2(\theta_1/2) \simeq -\frac{s}{2} \left( \sqrt{x_{1F}^2 + x_{1T}^2} + x_{1F} \right) = -\frac{s}{2} x_{1T} e^{+\eta_1}, \tag{F.12}$$

$$t' \simeq -2 E_{K_2}^{\rm cm} \sqrt{s} \cos^2(\theta_2/2) \simeq -\frac{s}{2} \left( \sqrt{x_{2F}^2 + x_{2T}^2} + x_{2F} \right) = -\frac{s}{2} x_{2T} e^{+\eta_2}, \tag{F.13}$$

$$u' \simeq -2 E_{K_2}^{\rm cm} \sqrt{s} \sin^2(\theta_2/2) \simeq -\frac{s}{2} \left( \sqrt{x_{2F}^2 + x_{2T}^2} - x_{2F} \right) = -\frac{s}{2} x_{2T} e^{-\eta_2}, \tag{F.14}$$

(F.15)

and

$$\frac{s'}{s} = x_{1T} x_{2T} \cosh^2\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right).$$
(F.16)

The final state phase space can be expressed as

$$\frac{d^{3}K_{1}}{(2\pi)^{3} 2E_{K_{1}}} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{dt}{2t} d^{2}K_{1\perp} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{du}{2u} d^{2}K_{1\perp}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{dt \, du}{4s} \, d\phi_{1} = \frac{1}{16 \pi^{2}} \frac{dt \, du}{4s} \frac{d\phi_{1}}{2\pi}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{\sqrt{s}}{8 E_{K_{1}}^{cm}} dx_{1F} \, d|K_{1\perp}^{cm}|^{2} \, d\phi_{1} = \frac{s}{64 \pi^{2}} \frac{dx_{1F} \, dx_{1T}^{2}}{\sqrt{x_{1F}^{2} + x_{1T}^{2}}} \frac{d\phi_{1}}{2\pi}$$

$$\simeq \frac{s}{64 \pi^{2}} \, d\eta_{1} \, dx_{1T}^{2} \frac{d\phi_{1}}{2\pi}.$$
(F.17)

Similar relations can be written down for the momentum  $K_2$  involving t', u',  $x_{2T}$ , and  $x_{2F}$ .

The incoming hadrons produce two partons with momenta  $p_1$  and  $p_2$ , the outcoming hadrons are assumed to originate from partons  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ , in which case we assume approximate collinearity, implying  $p_i^2 \sim p_i \cdot P_i \sim P_i^2 = M_i^2$ . These partons participate in a hard process in which the momenta satisfy  $p_1 + p_2 = k_1 + k_2$ . For the subprocess we use

$$\hat{s} = (p_1 + p_2)^2 = (k_1 + k_2)^2 \simeq 2 \, p_1 \cdot p_2 \simeq 2 \, k_1 \cdot k_2,$$
 (F.18)

$$\hat{t} = (p_1 - k_1)^2 = (p_2 - k_2)^2 \simeq -2 \, p_1 \cdot k_1 \simeq -2 \, p_2 \cdot k_2,$$
 (F.19)

$$\hat{u} = (p_1 - k_2)^2 = (p_2 - k_1)^2 \simeq -2 \, p_1 \cdot k_2 \simeq -2 \, p_2 \cdot k_1,$$
 (F.20)

adding up to zero,  $\hat{s} + \hat{t} + \hat{u} \simeq 0$ . For the initial/final state partons, we write

$$p_i = x_i P_i + p_{iT} + \sigma_i n_i, \tag{F.21}$$

$$k_i = \frac{K_i}{z_i} + k_{iT} + \sigma_i n_i, \tag{F.22}$$

where the only condition on the vector  $n_i$  is that  $P_i \cdot n_i \sim K_i \cdot n_i \sim \sqrt{s}$ . The fraction  $x_i = p_i \cdot n_i / P_i \cdot n_i$  is a lightcone fraction. The quantity multiplying the vector  $n_i$  is the lightcone component conjugate to  $p_i \cdot n_i$  and is given by

$$\sigma_i = \frac{p_i^2 - p_{iT}^2 - x_i^2 M_i^2}{2 x_i P_i \cdot n_i} = \frac{p_i \cdot P_i - x_i M_i^2}{P_i \cdot n_i},$$
(F.23)

(and similar expressions for  $K_i$ ), quantities which are of order  $1/\sqrt{s}$ . Note that we have the exact relations  $p_{i\tau}^2 = (p_i - x_i P_i)^2$  and  $p_i \cdot p_{i\tau} = p_{i\tau}^2$ . The integration over parton momenta is

$$d^4 p_i = dx_i \, d^2 p_{i\tau} \, d(p_i \cdot P_i). \tag{F.24}$$

If we only consider the (large) momenta, defining

$$q_1 = x_1 P_1 - \frac{K_1}{z_1}$$
 with  $q_1^2 \simeq \frac{x_1}{z_1} t \simeq \hat{t}$ , (F.25)

$$q_2 = x_2 P_2 - \frac{K_2}{z_2}$$
 with  $q_2^2 \simeq \frac{x_2}{z_2} t' \simeq \hat{t}$ , (F.26)

their sum is of  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  and given by

$$q_1 + q_2 \approx -q_T, \tag{F.27}$$

where

$$q_T \equiv p_{1T} + p_{2T} - k_{1T} - k_{2T}. \tag{F.28}$$

When we use the  $\approx$  symbol the expression gets corrections one order suppressed in the hard scale. The small  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  momentum

$$r_{\perp} = \frac{K_{1\perp}}{z_1} + \frac{K_{2\perp}}{z_2}.$$
 (F.29)

is actually just the projection of the (small) transverse momenta in the perpendicular plane,  $r_{\perp} \approx q_{T\perp}$ , but it requires knowledge of  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ . It is convenient to introduce the *transverse energy*  $k_{\perp}$ , defined as  $k_{\perp} \equiv |k_{1\perp}| = |k_{2\perp}| \approx |K_{2\perp}|/z_2 \approx |K_{1\perp}|/z_1$  and its scaled version  $x_{\perp} = 2 k_{\perp}/\sqrt{s}$ .

## F.2 parton momentum fractions

In the next step we want to see how to obtain the parton momentum fractions from the external momenta using as basis the momentum conservation in the hard subprocess. By taking the product of the constraint  $p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2 = 0$  we get (omitting  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  corrections) the constraints

$$2P_1 \cdot (p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2) = 0 \simeq x_2 s + \frac{1}{z_1} t + \frac{1}{z_2} u' + 2P_1 \cdot q_T,$$
(F.30)

$$2P_2 \cdot (p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2) = 0 \simeq x_1 s + \frac{1}{z_1} u + \frac{1}{z_2} t' + 2P_2 \cdot q_T,$$
(F.31)

$$2K_1 \cdot (p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2) = 0 \simeq -x_1 t - x_2 u - \frac{1}{z_2} s' + 2K_1 \cdot q_T,$$
 (F.32)

$$2K_2 \cdot (p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2) = 0 \simeq -x_1 u' - x_2 t' - \frac{1}{z_1} s' + 2K_2 \cdot q_T,$$
 (F.33)

Instead of the latter two conditions we get for the  $\perp$ -components

$$2K_{1\perp} \cdot (p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2) = 0 \simeq 2 \frac{|K_{1\perp}|^2}{z_1} - 2 \frac{K_{1\perp} \cdot K_{2\perp}}{z_2} + 2K_{1\perp} \cdot q_T,$$
  
$$\simeq 2 \frac{t u}{z_1 s} + \frac{tt' + uu' - ss'}{z_2 s} + 2K_{1\perp} \cdot q_T, \qquad (F.34)$$

$$2K_{2\perp} \cdot (p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2) = 0 \simeq 2\frac{t'u'}{z_2s} + \frac{tt' + uu' - ss'}{z_1s} + 2K_{2\perp} \cdot q_T,$$
(F.35)

At leading order, the Mandelstam variables for the subprocess  $(\hat{s}, \hat{t} \text{ and } \hat{u})$  are related to variables in the full process through

$$\hat{s} \approx x_1 x_2 s \approx \frac{s'}{z_1 z_2} \approx 4 k_{\perp}^2 \cosh^2\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right),$$
 (F.36)

$$\hat{t} \approx \frac{x_1}{z_1} t \approx \frac{x_2}{z_2} t' \approx -2k_{\perp}^2 e^{-(\eta_1 - \eta_2)/2} \cosh\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right), \tag{F.37}$$

$$\hat{u} \approx \frac{x_1}{z_2} \, u' \approx \frac{x_2}{z_1} \, u \approx -2 \, k_\perp^2 \, e^{+(\eta_1 - \eta_2)/2} \, \cosh\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right),\tag{F.38}$$

or

$$\sqrt{ss'} = \sqrt{\frac{z_1 z_2}{x_1 x_2}} \hat{s},$$
 (F.39)

$$\sqrt{tt'} = -\sqrt{\frac{z_1 z_2}{x_1 x_2}} \,\hat{t},\tag{F.40}$$

$$\sqrt{uu'} = -\sqrt{\frac{z_1 z_2}{x_1 x_2}} \,\hat{u},\tag{F.41}$$

which are relations with  $\mathscr{O}(\sqrt{s})$  corrections. Looking only at the leading parts (~ s) in the above constraints, we obtain

$$s \, s' \approx \left(\sqrt{t \, t'} + \sqrt{u' \, u}\right)^2,$$
 (F.42)

and

$$x_1 z_2 \approx \sqrt{\frac{s't'}{st}},\tag{F.43}$$

$$x_2 z_2 \approx \sqrt{\frac{s' \, u'}{s \, u}},\tag{F.44}$$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} \approx \sqrt{\frac{t\,u}{t'\,u'}}.\tag{F.45}$$

We note that in an analysis of the hadrons in the final state jets one can determine  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  also when the jet momentum is assumed to be known. In that case

$$z_1 \approx \frac{K_1 \cdot K_2}{k_1 \cdot K_2},\tag{F.46}$$

$$z_2 \approx \frac{K_2 \cdot K_1}{k_2 \cdot K_1}.\tag{F.47}$$

## F.3 kinematics in the transverse plane

The approximations above (coming from the constraint  $p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2 = 0$ ) lead to Eq. F.42, which implies that

$$K_{1\perp} \cdot K_{2\perp} \approx \sqrt{tt'uu'}/s,$$
 (F.48)

i.e. the vectors  $K_{1\perp}$  and  $K_{2\perp}$  are almost parallel. Hence, the directions

$$e_{1\perp}^{\mu} \equiv \frac{K_{1\perp}^{\mu}}{|K_{1\perp}|} \simeq \sqrt{\frac{s}{tu}} K_{1\perp}^{\mu} \quad \text{and} \quad e_{2\perp}^{\mu} \equiv \frac{K_{2\perp}^{\mu}}{|K_{2\perp}|} \simeq \sqrt{\frac{s}{t'u'}} K_{2\perp}^{\mu}$$
(F.49)

are opposite in leading order,  $e_{1\perp} \approx -e_{2\perp}$ . In the following we will keep the small part, thus using Eq. F.10 instead of Eq. F.48, or  $e_{1\perp} \cdot e_{2\perp} \simeq -(tt' + uu' - ss')/2\sqrt{tt'uu'}$ , with corrections that are of  $\mathcal{O}(1/s)$ , The vectors

$$e_{\perp} \equiv \frac{1}{2} (e_{1\perp} - e_{2\perp})$$
. and  $\rho_N \equiv (e_{1\perp} + e_{2\perp})$ , (F.50)

are orthogonal ones. The small vector  $\rho_N$  has invariant length squared

$$\rho_N^2 = (e_{1\perp} + e_{2\perp})^2 \approx -\frac{(\sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'})^2 - ss'}{\sqrt{tt'uu'}} \approx -2\sqrt{\frac{ss'}{tt'uu'}} \left(\sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'} - \sqrt{ss'}\right).$$
(F.51)

where the last step again makes use of Eq. F.42.

We can define other (spacelike) vector in the transverse plane via

$$e_{1N}^{\mu} \equiv -\frac{\epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_1 \mu}}{P_1 \cdot P_2 |K_{1\perp}|} \simeq -\frac{2}{\sqrt{stu}} \epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_1 \mu}, \tag{F.52}$$

$$e_{2N}^{\mu} \equiv -\frac{\epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_2 \mu}}{P_1 \cdot P_2 |K_{2\perp}|} \simeq -\frac{2}{\sqrt{st'u'}} \epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_2 \mu}, \tag{F.53}$$

and  $e_N \equiv (e_{1N} - e_{2N})/2$ . We again note that  $e_{1N}$  and  $e_{2N}$  are approximately opposite.

Connecting the vectors to the angles, we have using the angle  $\delta \phi = \phi_2 - \phi_1 - \pi$  in the frame shown





and

$$\delta\phi^2 \approx 4 \sin^2\left(\frac{\delta\phi}{2}\right) \approx 2\sqrt{\frac{ss'}{tt'uu'}} \left(\sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'} - \sqrt{ss'}\right)$$

One can also relate  $r_{\perp}$  and  $\rho_N$ , which in leading order ( $\delta\phi$  is small) are related (both are approximately in the normal (N) direction),

$$r_{\perp} = \frac{|K_{1\perp}|}{z_1} \left( e_{1\perp} + \frac{z_1 |K_{2\perp}|}{z_2 |K_{1\perp}|} e_{2\perp} \right) \approx k_{\perp} \rho_N \approx -k_{\perp} \,\delta\phi \,e_N \tag{F.54}$$

where  $k_{\perp} = |K_{2\perp}|/z_2 \approx |K_{1\perp}|/z_1$ .

Another quantity of interest is the volume spanned by the four vectors  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$ ,  $K_1$  and  $K_2$ . From the above definition of vectors one immediately sees that

$$\epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_1 K_2} \simeq \frac{s}{2} |K_{1\perp}| |K_{2\perp}| \sin \delta \phi \simeq \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{t t' u u'} \sin \delta \phi.$$
 (F.55)

We can also calculate

$$\left( \epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_1 K_2} \right)^2 \simeq \frac{1}{16} \left( 2 \, ss'tt' + 2 \, ss'tt' + 2 \, tt' uu' - s^2 \, s'^2 - t^2 \, t'^2 - u^2 \, u'^2 \right)$$
  
 
$$\simeq \frac{1}{16} \left( -\sqrt{ss'} + \sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'} \right) \left( \sqrt{ss'} + \sqrt{tt'} - \sqrt{uu'} \right)$$
  
 
$$\times \left( \sqrt{ss'} - \sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'} \right) \left( \sqrt{ss'} + \sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'} \right).$$
 (F.56)

Since the first of these terms is explicitly  $\mathcal{O}(\sqrt{s})$  one can use the leading expressions for the other terms to obtain

$$\left(\epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_1 K_2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{s \, s' t \, t' \, u \, u'} \left(\sqrt{tt'} + \sqrt{uu'} - \sqrt{ss'}\right) \approx \frac{1}{4} \, tt' \, uu' \, \delta\phi^2 \tag{F.57}$$

The normal direction can be expanded as

$$e_{1N}^{\mu} \approx -\frac{2}{\sqrt{stu}} \epsilon^{P_1 P_2 K_1 \mu} \\ \approx \frac{2}{\sqrt{stu}} \frac{z_1}{x_1 x_2} \left[ -\epsilon^{p_1 p_2 k_1 \mu} + \epsilon^{p_1 r_2 p_2 k_1 \mu} + \epsilon^{p_1 p_2 r_k \mu} + \epsilon^{p_1 p_2 r_k \mu} \right]$$
(F.58)

Finally we give the results for the delta-function expressing momentum conservation for the partons using

$$\delta^4(R) \simeq \frac{s}{2} \,\delta(R \cdot P_1) \,\delta(R \cdot P_2) \,\delta(R \cdot e_{1\perp}) \,\delta(R \cdot e_{1N}), \tag{F.59}$$

(similarly with  $e_{2\perp}$  and  $e_{2N}$  or  $e_{\perp}$  and  $e_N$ ) using for  $R = p_1 + p_2 - k_1 - k_2$ . We find

$$R \cdot e_{1\perp} \simeq -\frac{|K_{2\perp}|}{z_2} e_{1\perp} \cdot e_{2\perp} + e_{1\perp} \cdot q_T, \tag{F.60}$$

$$R \cdot e_{2\perp} \simeq -\frac{|K_{1\perp}|}{z_1} e_{1\perp} \cdot e_{2\perp} + e_{2\perp} \cdot q_T, \tag{F.61}$$

$$R \cdot e_{\perp} \approx \frac{|K_{2\perp}|}{z_2} - \frac{|K_{1\perp}|}{z_1} \approx \frac{1}{z_2} \sqrt{\frac{t'u'}{s}} - \frac{1}{z_1} \sqrt{\frac{tu}{s}},\tag{F.62}$$

$$R \cdot e_{1N} \simeq \frac{|K_{2\perp}|}{z_2} \sin \delta \phi + e_{1N} \cdot q_T, \tag{F.63}$$

$$R \cdot e_{2N} \simeq -\frac{|K_{1\perp}|}{z_1} \sin \delta \phi + e_{2N} \cdot q_T, \tag{F.64}$$

$$R \cdot e_N \approx e_N \cdot q_T + \frac{1}{z_1} \sqrt{\frac{tu}{s}} \sin \delta \phi \approx e_N \cdot q_T + \frac{1}{z_2} \sqrt{\frac{t'u'}{s}} \sin \delta \phi$$
(F.65)

The parton momentum conservation delta-function thus can be written as

$$\delta^{4}(p_{1}+p_{2}-k_{1}-k_{2}) = 2s\delta\left(x_{2}s+\frac{1}{z_{1}}t+\frac{1}{z_{2}}u'\right)\delta\left(x_{1}s+\frac{1}{z_{1}}u+\frac{1}{z_{2}}t'\right) \\ \times\delta\left(\frac{1}{z_{2}}\sqrt{\frac{t'u'}{s}}-\frac{1}{z_{1}}\sqrt{\frac{tu}{s}}\right)\delta\left(e_{N}\cdot q_{T}+\frac{1}{z_{2}}\sqrt{\frac{t'u'}{s}}\sin\delta\phi\right)$$
(F.66)  
$$= \frac{2}{2}\delta\left(x_{1}-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{s't'}{s}}\right)\delta\left(x_{2}-\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{s'u'}{s}}\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{stu}} \delta \left( x_1 - \frac{1}{z_2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{st}} \right) \delta \left( x_2 - \frac{1}{z_2} \sqrt{\frac{s}{s}} \frac{u}{s} \right) \\ \times \delta \left( \frac{1}{z_1} - \frac{1}{z_2} \sqrt{\frac{t'u'}{tu}} \right) \delta \left( e_N \cdot q_T + \frac{1}{z_1} \sqrt{\frac{tu}{s}} \sin \delta \phi \right)$$
(F.67)

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{s \, t \, u}} \,\delta\left(x_1 - \frac{x_{1T}}{z_1} e^{\eta_1} - \frac{x_{2T}}{z_2} e^{\eta_2}\right) \,\delta\left(x_2 - \frac{x_{1T}}{z_1} e^{-\eta_1} - \frac{x_{2T}}{z_2} e^{-\eta_2}\right) \\ \times \,\delta\left(\frac{1}{z_1} - \frac{1}{z_2} \frac{x_{2T}}{x_{1T}}\right) \,\delta\left(e_N \cdot q_T + \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2} \frac{x_{2T}}{z_2} \sin\delta\phi\right). \tag{F.68}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{stu}} \delta\left(x_1 - \frac{x_\perp}{2} \left(e^{\eta_1} + e^{\eta_2}\right)\right) \delta\left(x_2 - \frac{x_\perp}{2} \left(e^{-\eta_1} + e^{-\eta_2}\right)\right)$$

$$\times \delta\left(\frac{1}{z_1} - \frac{x_\perp}{x_{1T}}\right) \delta\left(e_N \cdot q_T + \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2} x_\perp \sin \delta\phi\right), \quad (F.69)$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{stu}} \delta\left(x_1 - x_\perp e^{(\eta_1 + \eta_2)/2} \cosh\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right)\right)$$

$$\times \delta\left(x_2 - x_\perp e^{-(\eta_1 + \eta_2)/2} \cosh\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right)\right)$$

$$\times \delta\left(\frac{1}{z_1} - \frac{x_\perp}{x_{1T}}\right) \delta\left(e_N \cdot q_T + \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2} x_\perp \sin \delta\phi\right), \quad (F.70)$$

where  $x_{\perp} = 2 k_{\perp} / \sqrt{s}$ . Note that the transverse energy can be easily brought into the phase space integration which involves

$$\frac{1}{x_{1T}} dz_1^{-1} dz_2^{-1} dx_{1T} dx_{2T} \delta\left(\frac{1}{z_1} - \frac{x_{\perp}}{x_{1T}}\right) = \frac{1}{x_{1T} x_{2T}} dz_1^{-1} dz_2^{-1} dx_{\perp} dx_{1T} dx_{2T} \delta\left(\frac{1}{z_1} - \frac{x_{\perp}}{x_{1T}}\right) \delta\left(\frac{1}{z_2} - \frac{x_{\perp}}{x_{2T}}\right) (F.71)$$

which makes the kinematics nicely symmetric.

# F.4 Explicit frame dependence and *n*-dependence

In order to illustrate the n-dependence we start with looking at the momenta in a two-to-two hard scattering process,  $p_1 + p_2 = k_1 + k_2$ . In the CM system we have

 $k_1$  $\mathbf{p}_2$  $\mathbf{k}_2$ 

The Mandelstam variables for the (assumed massless) partons are:

$$\hat{s} = 2 p_1 \cdot p_2, -\hat{t} = 2 k_1 \cdot p_1 = \hat{s} \sin^2(\frac{1}{2}\theta), -\hat{u} = 2 k_1 \cdot p_2 = \hat{s} \cos^2(\frac{1}{2}\theta),$$

For the scattering angle in the parton CM system one has:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\hat{t} - \hat{u}}{\hat{s}},$$
$$\sin \theta = \frac{2\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}}}{\hat{s}}.$$

The explicit parton momenta are

$$p_{1} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\hat{s}} \begin{pmatrix} 1\\0\\0\\1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad p_{2} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\hat{s}} \begin{pmatrix} 1\\0\\0\\-1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad k_{1} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\hat{s}} \begin{pmatrix} 1\\\sin\theta\\0\\\cos\theta \end{pmatrix}, \quad k_{2} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\hat{s}} \begin{pmatrix} 1\\-\sin\theta\\0\\-\cos\theta \end{pmatrix}, \quad (F.72)$$

or in lightcone coordinates,  $[p^-, p^+, p_\perp]$ ,

$$p_{1} = \sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_{2} = \sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad k_{1} = \sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} -\hat{t}/\hat{s}\\-\hat{u}/\hat{s}\\\sqrt{2\hat{t}\hat{u}}/\hat{s}\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad k_{2} = \sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} -\hat{u}/\hat{s}\\-\hat{t}/\hat{s}\\-\sqrt{2\hat{t}\hat{u}}/\hat{s}\\0 \end{bmatrix}.$$
(F.73)

For the momenta  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  we have (using  $m_{1_T}^2 \equiv x_1^2 M_1^2 - p_{1_T}^2$ ,

$$P_{1} = \frac{1}{x_{1}} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} m_{1_{T}}^{2}/\hat{s} \\ 1 \\ -p_{1T}^{x}\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \\ -p_{1T}^{y}\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \end{bmatrix}, \quad P_{2} = \frac{1}{x_{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ m_{2T}^{2}/\hat{s} \\ -p_{2T}^{x}\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \\ -p_{2T}^{y}\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \end{bmatrix}.$$
(F.74)

Using  $(p^0, p^x, p^y, p^z)$  coordinates, one has for  $P_1$  and the (over an angle  $\theta$ ) rotated momentum  $K_1$  (fraction  $x_1 \rightarrow 1/z_1),$ 

$$P_{1} = \frac{1}{x_{1}} \frac{\sqrt{\hat{s}}}{2} \begin{pmatrix} (\hat{s} + m_{1_{T}}^{2})/\hat{s} \\ -2 p_{1_{T}}^{x}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \\ -2 p_{1_{T}}^{y}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \\ (\hat{s} - m_{1_{T}}^{2})/\hat{s} \end{pmatrix}, \quad K_{1} = z_{1} \frac{\sqrt{\hat{s}}}{2} \begin{pmatrix} (\hat{s} + m_{h_{1T}}^{2})/\hat{s} \\ 2\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}}(\hat{s} - m_{h_{1T}}^{2})/\hat{s}^{2} - 2(\hat{t} - \hat{u})k_{1_{T}}^{x'}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} \\ -2 k_{1_{T}}^{y}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \\ (\hat{t} - \hat{u})(\hat{s} - m_{h_{1T}}^{2})/\hat{s}^{2} + 4\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}} k_{1_{T}}^{x'}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (F.75)$$

where  $m_{h1_T}^2 \equiv z_1^{-2} M_{h1}^2 - k_{1_T}^2$ . In lightcone coordinates we get for  $K_1$  and  $K_2$ ,

$$K_{1} = z_{1}\sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} -\hat{t}/\hat{s} - 2\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}} k_{1T}^{x'}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} - \hat{u} m_{h1T}^{2}/\hat{s}^{2} \\ -\hat{u}/\hat{s} + 2\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}} k_{1T}^{x'}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} - \hat{t} m_{h1T}^{2}/\hat{s}^{2} \\ \sqrt{2\hat{t}\hat{u}}/\hat{s} - (\hat{t} - \hat{u})k_{1T}^{x'}\sqrt{2}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} - \sqrt{2\hat{t}\hat{u}} m_{h1T}^{2}/\hat{s}^{2} \\ -k_{1T}^{y}\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (F.76)$$

$$K_{2} = z_{2}\sqrt{\frac{\hat{s}}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} -\hat{u}/\hat{s} - 2\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}} k_{2T}^{x'}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} - \hat{t} m_{h2T}^{2}/\hat{s}^{2} \\ -\hat{t}/\hat{s} + 2\sqrt{\hat{t}\hat{u}} k_{2T}^{x'}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} - \hat{u} m_{h2T}^{2}/\hat{s}^{2} \\ -\sqrt{2\hat{t}\hat{u}}/\hat{s} - (\hat{t} - \hat{u})k_{2T}^{x'}\sqrt{2}/\hat{s}\sqrt{\hat{s}} + \sqrt{2\hat{t}\hat{u}} m_{h2T}^{2}/\hat{s}^{2} \\ -k_{2T}^{y}\sqrt{2}/\sqrt{\hat{s}} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (F.77)$$

We note that with  $n \sim p_2$  one finds exactly  $x_1 = p_1 \cdot n/P_1 \cdot n = p_1 \cdot p_2/P_1 \cdot p_2$ , while one has

$$p_1 = x_1 P_1 + p_{1T} + \frac{m_{1T}^2}{\hat{s}} p_2, \qquad (F.78)$$



with  $p_{1T} = p_{1T}^x \hat{x} + p_{1T}^y \hat{y}$ . Similarly with  $n \sim k_2$  one finds exactly  $1/z_1 = k_1 \cdot n/K_1 \cdot n = k_1 \cdot k_2/K_1 \cdot k_2$ , while one has

$$k_1 = z_1^{-1} K_1 + k_{1T} + \frac{m_{h1T}^2}{\hat{s}} k_2, \qquad (F.79)$$

with  $k_{1T} = k_{1T}^{x'} \hat{x}' + k_{1T}^y \hat{y}$ . To see what is happening for a different *n*, we start with our 'reference' case,

$$K_{1} = z_{1} k_{1} - z_{1} \begin{bmatrix} k_{1T}^{x'} \sin \theta / \sqrt{2} \\ -k_{1T}^{x'} \sin \theta / \sqrt{2} \\ k_{1T}^{x'} \cos \theta \\ k_{1T}^{y} \end{bmatrix} - z_{1} \frac{m_{h1T}^{2}}{\hat{s}} k_{2} \approx z_{1} k_{1} - z_{1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ k_{1T}^{x'} \cos \theta \\ k_{1T}^{y} \\ -k_{1T}^{x'} \sin \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

Using the choice  $n = p_2$  for  $K_1$  one finds

$$z_{1}' = \frac{K_{1} \cdot p_{2}}{k_{1} \cdot p_{2}} = z_{1} \left( 1 + 2\sqrt{\frac{\hat{t}}{\hat{u}}} \frac{k_{1T}^{x'}}{\sqrt{\hat{s}}} + \frac{\hat{t}}{\hat{u}} \frac{m_{h1T}^{2}}{\hat{s}} \right) = z_{1} \left( 1 + 2 \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \frac{k_{1T}^{x'}}{\sqrt{\hat{s}}} + \tan^{2}\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right), \frac{m_{h1T}^{2}}{\hat{s}} \right)$$
(F.80)

which differs at  $\mathcal{O}(1/\sqrt{\hat{s}})$  from  $z_1$  but causes  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  corrections to the x-, z- and time-component of  $k'_{1T}$ . We get

$$K_{1} \approx z_{1}' k_{1} - z_{1} \begin{pmatrix} k_{1_{T}}^{x'} \tan(\theta/2) \\ k_{1_{T}}^{x'} \\ k_{1_{T}}^{y'} \\ k_{1_{T}}^{y'} \\ -k_{1_{T}}^{x'} \tan(\theta/2) \end{pmatrix}.$$

The transverse momentum vector acquires a piece along  $k_1$ , but its length does not change.

## F.5 Limiting cases

Limiting cases are:

•  $H_1(P_1) + H_2(P_2) \to h_1(K_1) + j(k_2) + X$ :

$$z_2 = 1, \ k_{2T} = 0 \qquad (k_2 = K_2).$$
 (F.81)

•  $H_1(P_1) + H_2(P_2) \to \ell_1(k_1) + \ell_2(k_2) + X$  (Drell-Yan like process):

$$z_1 = z_2 = 1, \ k_{1T} = k_{2T} = 0, \tag{F.82}$$

$$q = k_1 + k_2,$$
 (F.83)

$$q_T = q - x_1 P_1 - x_2 P_2 = p_{1T} + p_{2T}, (F.84)$$

•  $\ell_1(p_1) + \ell_2(p_2) \rightarrow h_1(K_1) + h_2(K_2) + X$  (Annihilation type of process):

$$x_1 = x_2 = 1, \ p_{1T} = p_{2T} = 0, \tag{F.85}$$

$$q = p_1 + p_2,$$
 (F.86)

$$q_T = \frac{K_1}{z_1} + \frac{K_2}{z_2} - q = -k_{1T} - k_{2T}, \tag{F.87}$$

•  $\ell(p_1) + H(P) \rightarrow \ell'(k_1) + h(K) + X$  (Leptoproduction type of process):

$$x_1 = z_1 = 1, \ x_2 = x, \ z_2 = z, \ p_{1T} = k_{1T} = 0,$$
(F.88)  

$$a = n_1 - k_2$$
(F.89)

$$q = p_1 - k_1, \tag{F.89}$$

$$q_{T} = \frac{K}{z} - x P - q = p_{T} - k_{T}.$$
(F.90)

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