

High-energy OPE: i) sub-eikonal spin corrections ii) Odderon and twist-3 light ray operators

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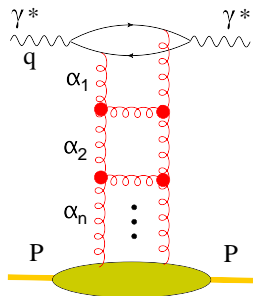
- Motivation
- Brief review Operator Product Expansion at high-energy
- Operator Product Expansion at high-energy with sub-eikonal corrections
 - Quark propagator with sub-eikonal corrections
- Leading Order Impact Factor for sub-eikonal spin correction
- Conclusions

- Unpolarized DIS at low- x : dynamics is driven by gluon structure functions
 - gluon structure function grows as $(1/x)^\lambda$ with $\lambda > 1$.
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- Compare with results obtained in the Leading Log approximation by [Bartels-Ermolaev-Ryskin-\(1995-1996\)](#) and recent work in Saturation formalism obtained by [Kovchegov-Pytoniak-Sievert \(2016-2017\)](#)

- DGLAP: resums $\left(\alpha_s \ln \frac{Q^2}{\mu}\right)^n$ BFKL: resums $\left(\alpha_s \ln \frac{1}{x}\right)^n$
- overlap region resums $\left(\alpha_s \ln \frac{1}{x} \ln \frac{Q^2}{\mu}\right)^n$
- Scattering amplitude with fermion in t-channel in Regge limit we have $\left(\alpha_s \ln^2 \frac{1}{x}\right)^n$ contributions
 - such contribution not included in DGLAP asymptotic $x \rightarrow 0$
- Double Log of energy of quark distribution
 - unpolarized case: are not relevant since are suppressed by gluon distribution
 - polarized case: are relevant Bartels-Ermolaev-Ryskin-(1995-1996)

p_1^μ, p_2^μ light-cone vectors $\Rightarrow k^\mu = \alpha p_1^\mu + \beta p_2^\mu + k_\perp^\mu$
 $\alpha_1 \gg \alpha_2 \dots \gg \alpha_n$



Fields are ordered in their rapidities \Rightarrow

- large α gluons are treated as quantum fields
- low α fields are treated as classical fields

Propagation in the shock wave: Wilson line (Spectator frame)



Boost of the fields

$$A_{\bullet}(x_{\bullet}, x_*, x_{\perp}) \rightarrow \lambda A_{\bullet}(\lambda^{-1}x_{\bullet}, \lambda x_*, x_{\perp})$$

$$A_*(x_{\bullet}, x_*, x_{\perp}) \rightarrow \lambda^{-1} A_*(\lambda^{-1}x_{\bullet}, \lambda x_*, x_{\perp})$$

$$A_{\perp}(x_{\bullet}, x_*, x_{\perp}) \rightarrow A_{\perp}(\lambda^{-1}x_{\bullet}, \lambda x_*, x_{\perp})$$

λ is the boost parameter.

$$\langle x | \frac{i}{\not{p} + i\epsilon} | y \rangle \rightarrow \langle x | \frac{i}{\not{p} + \alpha \frac{2}{s} \not{p}_2 A_{\bullet} + i\epsilon} | y \rangle$$

$$[\hat{\alpha}, \hat{A}_{\mu}^{cl}] = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{s}} p^+ \quad \text{and} \quad \not{p}_2 \propto \gamma^+$$

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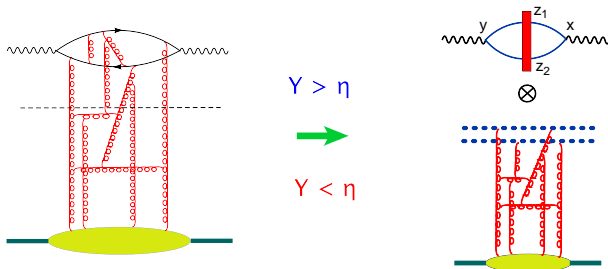
Eikonal interactions give a Wilson lines

$$U_z = [\infty p_1 + z_\perp, -\infty p_1 + z_\perp]$$

$$[x, y] = P e^{ig \int_0^1 du (x-y)^\mu A_\mu(ux+(1-u)y)} \quad p^\mu = \alpha p_1^\mu + \beta p_2^\mu + p_\perp^\mu$$

High-Energy Operator Product Expansion

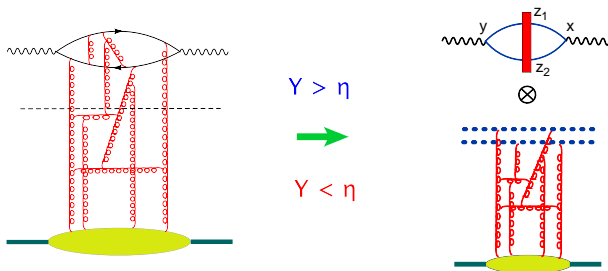
DIS amplitude is factorized in rapidity: η



$|B\rangle$ is the target state.

$$\langle B|T\{\hat{j}_\mu(x)\hat{j}_\nu(y)\}|B\rangle = \int \frac{d^2z_1 d^2z_2}{z_{12}^4} I_{\mu\nu}^{\text{LO}}(x, y; z_1, z_2) \langle B|\text{tr}\{\hat{U}_{z_1}^\eta \hat{U}_{z_2}^{\dagger\eta}\}|B\rangle + \dots$$

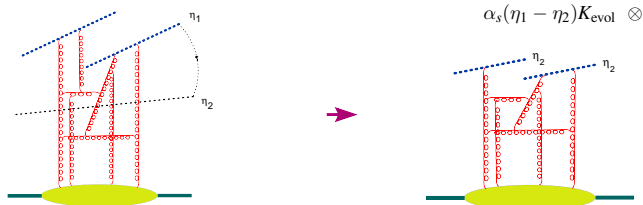
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- If we use a model to evaluate $\langle B|\text{tr}\{\hat{U}_{z_1}^\eta \hat{U}_{z_2}^{\dagger\eta}\}|B\rangle$ we can calculate the DIS cross-section.
- If we want to include energy dependence to the DIS cross section, we need to find the evolution of $\langle B|\text{tr}\{\hat{U}_{z_1}^\eta \hat{U}_{z_2}^{\dagger\eta}\}|B\rangle$ with respect to the rapidity parameter η .

Evolution Equation



- Separate fields in quantum and classical according to low and large rapidity.

Formally we may write:

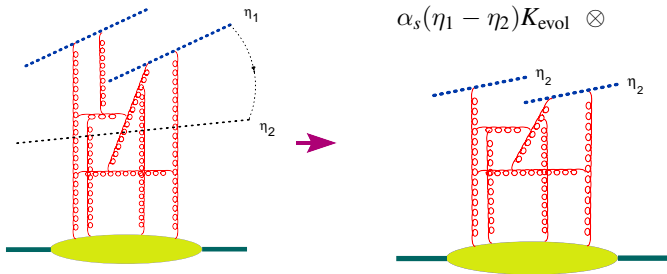
$$\langle B | \mathcal{O}^m | B \rangle \rightarrow \langle \mathcal{O}^m \rangle_A \rightarrow \langle \mathcal{O}'^m \otimes \mathcal{O}^m \rangle_A$$

- Integrate over the quantum fields and get one-loop rapidity evolution of the operator \mathcal{O}

$$\langle \mathcal{O}^m \rangle_A = \alpha_s(\eta_1 - \eta_2)K_{\text{evol}} \otimes \langle \mathcal{O}'^m \rangle_A$$

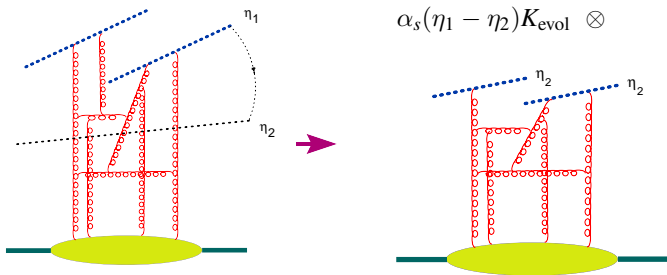
- Where in principle \mathcal{O} and \mathcal{O}' may be different operators.

Non-linear evolution equation



■ Linear case $\mathcal{O}^{\eta_1} = \alpha_s \Delta\eta K_{\text{evol}} \otimes \mathcal{O}^{\eta_2}$

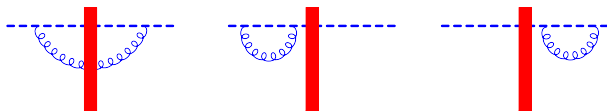
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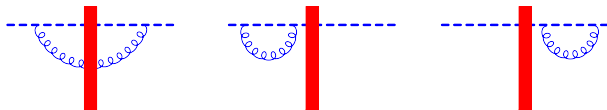


$$\langle \{U_x^{\eta_1}\}_{ij} \rangle_A = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi^2} \Delta\eta \int \frac{d^2 z_\perp}{(x-z)_\perp^2} \left[\langle \text{tr} \{U_x^{\eta_2} U_z^{\eta_2 \dagger}\} \{U_z^{\eta_2}\}_{ij} \rangle_A - \langle \frac{1}{N_c} \{U_x^{\eta_2}\}_{ij} \rangle_A \right]$$

$$\Delta\eta = \eta_1 - \eta_2$$

$$\{U_x^{\dagger\eta_1}\}_{ij}, \quad \{U_x^{\eta_1} U_y^{\eta_1}\}_{ij}, \quad \{U_x^{\eta_1} U_y^{\dagger\eta_1}\}_{ij}, \quad \{U_x^{\dagger\eta_1} U_y^{\dagger\eta_1}\}_{ij}$$

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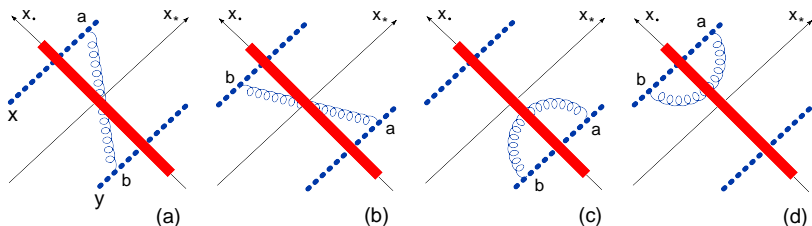
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- Obtain a set of rules that allow one to get the LO evolution of any trace or product of traces of Wilson lines
- Hierarchy of evolution equation: B-JIMWLK equation.

Leading order evolution equation

$$\frac{d}{d\eta} \text{tr}\{\hat{U}_x \hat{U}_y^\dagger\} = K_{\text{LO}} \text{tr}\{\hat{U}_x \hat{U}_y^\dagger\} + \dots \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{d}{d\eta} \langle \text{tr}\{\hat{U}_x \hat{U}_y^\dagger\} \rangle_{\text{shockwave}} = \langle K_{\text{LO}} \text{tr}\{\hat{U}_x \hat{U}_y^\dagger\} \rangle_{\text{shockwave}}$$



$$x_\bullet = \sqrt{\frac{s}{2}} x^-$$

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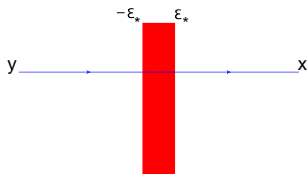
Non linear evolution equation: Balitsky-Kovchegov equation

$$\hat{U}(x, y) \equiv 1 - \frac{1}{N_c} \text{tr}\{\hat{U}(x_\perp)\hat{U}^\dagger(y_\perp)\}$$

$$\frac{d}{d\eta}\hat{U}(x, y) = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{2\pi^2} \int \frac{d^2z (x-y)^2}{(x-z)^2(y-z)^2} \left\{ \hat{U}(x, z) + \hat{U}(z, y) - \hat{U}(x, y) - \hat{U}(x, z)\hat{U}(z, y) \right\}$$

- LLA for DIS in pQCD \Rightarrow BFKL
 - (LLA: $\alpha_s \ll 1, \alpha_s \eta \sim 1$): describes proliferation of gluons.
- LLA for DIS in semi-classical-QCD \Rightarrow BK eqn
 - background field method: describes recombination process.
- Note: if $x_\perp \rightarrow z_\perp$ or $y_\perp \rightarrow z_\perp$ divergences cancel out.

Shock-wave with finite width



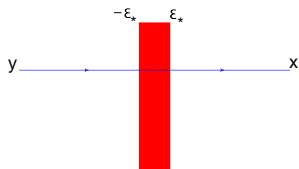
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- $p^\mu = \alpha p_1^\mu + \beta p_2^\mu + p_\perp^\mu$
- **small** α gluons are **classical** fields **large** α gluons are **quantum** fields.
- Longitudinal sized **classical fields**: $\epsilon_* = \frac{\alpha s}{l_\perp^2}$ with l_\perp trans. mom. of classical fields
- Distance traveled by **quantum fields**: $z_* = \frac{\alpha s}{k_\perp^2}$ with k_\perp trans. mom. of classical fields
- We are in the case $l_\perp \sim k_\perp$

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sub-eikonal terms go like $\frac{1}{\lambda}$

$$\langle x | \frac{i}{\not{p} + i\epsilon} | y \rangle \rightarrow \langle x | \not{p} \frac{i}{p^2 + 2\alpha A_\bullet + ig\frac{2}{s}\not{p}_2\gamma^i F_{\bullet i} + \frac{1}{2}F_{ij}\sigma^{ij} + \dots + i\epsilon} | y \rangle$$

■ Note: $[\hat{\alpha}, \hat{A}_\mu^{cl}] = 0$ with $\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{s}}p^+$ and $\not{p}_2 \propto \gamma^+$

$$e^{i\frac{\hat{p}_2^2}{\alpha s}z_*} \hat{A}_\bullet(z_*) e^{-i\frac{\hat{p}_2^2}{\alpha s}z_*} \simeq A_\bullet(z_*) - \frac{z_*}{\alpha s} \{p^i, F_{\bullet i}(z_*)\} - \frac{z_*^2}{2\alpha^2 s^2} \{p^j, \{p^i, D_j F_{\bullet i}(z_*)\}\} + \dots$$

Quark propagator with sub-eikonal corrections

$$x_* = \sqrt{\frac{s}{2}} x^+ \quad x_\bullet = \sqrt{\frac{s}{2}} x^- \quad \sqrt{\frac{2}{s}} p^+$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle x | \frac{i}{\not{p} + i\epsilon} | y \rangle \\ &= \left[\int_0^{+\infty} \frac{d\alpha}{2\alpha} \theta(x_* - y_*) - \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{d\alpha}{2\alpha} \theta(y_* - x_*) \right] e^{-i\alpha(x_\bullet - y_\bullet)} \frac{1}{\alpha s} \langle x_\perp | e^{-i\frac{\hat{p}_\perp^2}{\alpha s} x_*} \left\{ \not{p} \not{p}_2 [x_*, y_*] \not{p} \right. \\ &+ \frac{ig}{2\alpha} \int_{y_*}^{x_*} d\frac{2}{s} \omega_* \left[\not{p} \not{p}_2 [x_*, \omega_*] \frac{1}{2} F_{ij}(x_*) \sigma^{ij} [\omega_*, y_*] \not{p} + \not{p} \not{p}_2 \{ p^i, [x_*, \omega_*] \frac{2}{s} \omega_* F_{i\bullet}(\omega_*) [\omega_*, y_*] \} \not{p} \right. \\ &+ g \int_{\omega_*}^{x_*} d\frac{2}{s} \omega'_* \not{p} \not{p}_2 \frac{2}{s} (\omega_* - \omega'_*) [x_*, \omega'_*] F_{i\bullet}(\omega'_*) [\omega'_*, \omega_*] F_{i\bullet}[\omega_*, y_*] \not{p} \\ &+ \not{p} \not{p}_2 [x_*, \omega_*] (i\not{D}_\perp \frac{1}{2} F_{ij} \sigma^{ij}) [\omega_*, y_*] + \frac{2}{s} \omega_* \not{p} \not{p}_2 \left(ig \gamma_\perp^\rho [x_*, \omega_*] F_{i\bullet}(\omega_*) F_\rho^i(\omega_*) [\omega_*, y_*] \right) \\ &+ (\epsilon_{mij} \epsilon_{mlk} - \epsilon_{mjk} \epsilon_{mil}) \frac{2}{s} \omega_* \not{p} \not{p}_2 \left(\{ p_i, [x_*, \omega_*] (iD_j \gamma_k F_{l\bullet}) [\omega_*, y_*] \} \right. \\ &\left. \left. - (iD_i [x_*, \omega_*]) (iD_j \gamma_k F_{l\bullet}) [\omega_*, y_*] - [x_*, \omega_*] (iD_i \gamma_j F_{k\bullet}) (iD_l [\omega_*, y_*]) \right) \right\} e^{i\frac{\hat{p}_\perp^2}{\alpha s} y_*} | y_\perp \rangle \end{aligned}$$

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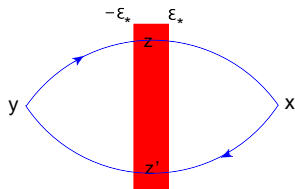
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■ Leading-eikonal term

■ Sub-eikonal terms

Quark propagator with sub-eikonal corrections



Let $|B\rangle$ be proton or nuclear target

$$\langle B|J^\mu(x)J^\nu(y)|B\rangle \rightarrow \langle J^\mu(x)J^\nu(y)\rangle_A = \text{Tr}\left\{\gamma^\mu\langle x|\frac{i}{\not{p}+i\epsilon}|y\rangle\gamma^\nu\langle y|\frac{i}{\not{p}+i\epsilon}|y\rangle\right\}$$

$$\langle P, S | \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma^\mu \psi(x) \bar{\psi}(y) \gamma^\nu \psi(y) | P, S \rangle$$

$$\stackrel{x_* > 0 > y_*}{=} \int d^2 z_1 d^2 z_2 \frac{\text{tr}\{X_1 \not{p}_2 \not{Y}_1 \gamma^\nu \not{Y}_2 \not{p}_2 X_2 \gamma^\mu\}}{4\pi^6 x_*^4 y_*^4 Z_1^3 Z_2^3} \text{tr}\{[x_*, y_*]_{z_1} [y_*, z_*]_{z_2}\}$$

$$-g \int d^2 z_1 d^2 z_2 \frac{\text{tr}\{X_1 \not{p}_2 \not{Y}_1 \gamma^\nu \not{Y}_2 \not{p}_2 \sigma^{\rho\sigma} X_2 \gamma^\mu\}}{64\pi^6 x_*^4 y_*^4 Z_1^3 Z_2^2}$$

$$\times \int_{y_*}^{x_*} d\omega_* \left[\text{tr}\{[x_*, y_*]_{z_1} [y_*, \omega_*]_{z_2} F_{\rho\sigma}^\perp[\omega_*, x_*]_{z_2}\} + \text{tr}\{[x_*, \omega_*]_{z_2} F_{\rho\sigma}^\perp[\omega_*, y_*]_{z_2} [y_*, x_*]_{z_1}\} \right]$$

$$Z_i \equiv \frac{(x - z_i)_\perp^2}{x_*} - \frac{(y - z_i)_\perp^2}{y_*} - \frac{4}{s}(x_\bullet - y_\bullet)$$

$$X_i \equiv x - z_i \quad \text{and} \quad Y_i \equiv y - z_i$$

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- Leading Order Impact Factor for unpolarized case known for 40 years
- Leading Order Impact Factor for polarized case next slide

$$\frac{\text{tr}\{X_1 \not{p}_2 \not{Y}_1 \gamma^\nu \not{Y}_2 \not{p}_2 \sigma^{ij} X_2 \gamma^\mu\}}{64\pi^6 x_*^4 y_*^4 Z_1^3 Z_2^2} = \frac{i}{8\pi^6 x_*^4 y_*^4 Z_1^3 Z_2^2} \left\{ \Phi_1^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) + \Phi_2^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) \right. \\ \left. + \Phi_3^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) + \Phi_4^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) - (\mu \leftrightarrow \nu, x \leftrightarrow y) \right. \\ \left. + \Phi_5^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) + \Phi_6^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) \right\} - i \leftrightarrow j$$

$$\Phi_1^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) = p_2^\nu x_* \left[(Y_{1\perp}^\mu Y_2^j - Y_{2\perp}^\mu Y_1^j)(z_1^i - z_2^i) + Y_2^j Y_1^i (X_{2\perp}^\mu + X_{1\perp}^\mu) \right]$$

$$\Phi_2^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) = \frac{4}{s} p_1^\mu p_2^\nu x_*^2 Y_1^i Y_2^j$$

$$\Phi_3^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) = 2x_* y_* g^{j\nu} (z_1^i - z_2^i) \left(\frac{2}{s} x_* p_1^\mu + X_{2\perp}^\mu \right)$$

$$\Phi_4^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) = x_* p_2^\nu g^{\mu i} \left(Y_2^j (Y_1, z_1 - z_2) - Y_1^j (Y_2, z_1 - z_2) + (Y_1, Y_2)(z_1^j - z_2^j) \right)$$

$$\Phi_5^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) = p_2^\nu p_2^\mu \left[(X_2, Y_1) Y_2^i X_1^j + (X_1, Y_2) X_2^j Y_1^i + (X_2, X_1) Y_2^j Y_1^i + (Y_1, Y_2) X_2^i X_1^j \right. \\ \left. + (X_2, Y_2) Y_1^j X_1^i + (Y_1, X_1) X_2^i Y_2^j \right]$$

$$\Phi_6^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) = x_* y_* g_\perp^{\mu i} g_\perp^{j\nu} (z_1 - z_2)_\perp^2$$

$$\frac{\text{tr}\{X_1 \not{p}_2 \not{Y}_1 \gamma^\nu \not{Y}_2 \not{p}_2 \sigma^{ij} X_2 \gamma^\mu\}}{64\pi^6 x_*^4 y_*^4 Z_1^3 Z_2^2} = \frac{i}{8\pi^6 x_*^4 y_*^4 Z_1^3 Z_2^2} \left\{ \Phi_1^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) + \Phi_2^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) \right. \\ \left. + \Phi_3^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) + \Phi_4^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) - (\mu \leftrightarrow \nu, x \leftrightarrow y) \right. \\ \left. + \Phi_5^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) + \Phi_6^{\mu\nu,ij}(x, y; z_1, z_2) \right\} - i \leftrightarrow j$$

- Impact factor is
 - Gauge invariant
 - Conformal invariant in SL(2,C)

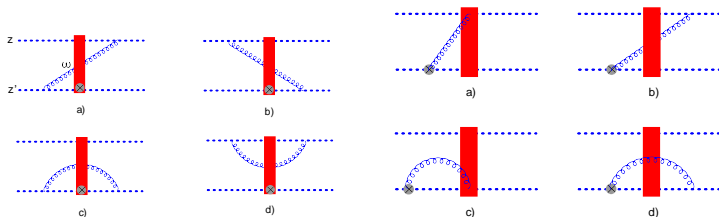
Evolution of sub-eikonal operator

Consider, for example, the following sub-eikonal operator

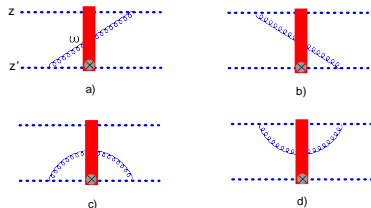
$$\int_{y_*}^{x_*} d\omega_* \text{tr}\{U_z[-\infty, \omega_*]_{z'} gF_{ij}(\omega_*, z'_\perp)[\omega_*, +\infty]_{z'}\}$$

Background field method: split fields in quantum and classical and integrate out the quantum fields

Sample of diagrams:



sample of BK-type diagrams

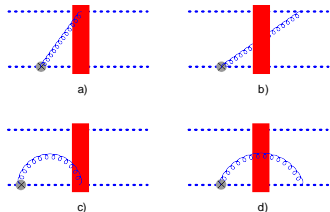


- $\int_0^{+\infty} \frac{d\alpha}{\alpha}$ rapidity divergence
- if $\omega_{\perp} \rightarrow z_{\perp}$ divergence cancel out.
- if $\omega_{\perp} \rightarrow z'_{\perp}$ divergence **does not** cancel out.
 - we have $(\alpha_s \ln^2 \frac{1}{x})$ type of contribution

Summing real and virtual diagrams we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\omega_* \langle \text{tr} \{ [\infty, -\infty]_z [-\infty, \omega_*]_{z'} gF_{ij}(\omega_*) [\omega_*, \infty]_{z'} \} \rangle_{\text{BK-type}} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} d\omega_* \int_0^{+\infty} \frac{d\alpha}{\alpha} \int d^2\omega \frac{(z - z'_{\perp})^2}{(z - \omega)_{\perp}^2 (z' - \omega)_{\perp}^2} \\
 & \times \left[\text{tr} \{ U_z U_{\omega}^{\dagger} \} \text{tr} \{ U_{\omega} [-\infty, \omega_*]_{z'} gF_{ij}(\omega_*, z'_{\perp}) [\omega_*, \infty]_{z'} \} - N_c \text{tr} \{ U_z [-\infty, \omega_*]_{z'} gF_{ij}(\omega_*, z'_{\perp}) [\omega_*, \infty]_{z'} \} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

- Diagram with gluon propagator **without sub-eikonal** corrections has no rapidity divergence



- \Rightarrow Need sub-eikonal corrections also in gluon propagator.

Gluon propagator in the light-cone gauge with sub-eikonal corrections is

$$\begin{aligned} \langle TA_\mu(x)A_\nu(y) \rangle &= \left[-\int_0^{+\infty} \frac{d\alpha}{2\alpha} \theta(x_* - y_*) + \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{d\alpha}{2\alpha} \theta(y_* - x_*) \right] \\ &\times \langle x_\perp | e^{-i\frac{p_\perp^2}{\alpha s} x_*} \mathcal{O}(x_*, y_*) e^{i\frac{p_\perp^2}{\alpha s} y_*} | y_\perp \rangle + i \langle x | \frac{p_{2\mu} p_{2\nu}}{p_*^2} | y \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{O}(x_*, y_*) = [x_*, y_*] - \frac{2ig}{\alpha s^2} \int_{y_*}^{x_*} dz_* (z_* \{p^j, [x_*, z_*] F_{\bullet j}[z_*, y_*]\} + \dots)$$

see Balitsky – Tarasov 2016

- Quark propagator with sub-eikonal corrections is good for
 - spin-dependent TMDs: SIDIS, Weizsäcker-Williams TMD at low- x
 - spin g_1 structure function at low- x
- New operators appears if we consider spin
- OPE at high-energy extended to include sub-eikonal spin corrections
- LO Impact Factor for sub-eikonal spin correction is calculated
- Sub-eikonal corrections to BK-equation are now also possible
 - Although these are suppressed in the unpolarized case
- Future...include NLO corrections with spin

What is the local operator whose anomalous dimension analytically continued to the *unphysical* point reproduces the Odderon intercept?

- Twist-2 gluon operator and anomalous dimension of light-ray operators.
- Odderon in dipole-Wilson lines formalism.
- Odderon and twist-3 operator.
- Scale dependence of Twist-3 operator and spinor formalism.
- Conclusions and Outlook.

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After diagonalization of mixing matrix we get the multiplicatively renormalizable operators

$$Q^2 \frac{d}{dQ^2} \langle P | \mathcal{O}_{n,j}^a(0) | P \rangle = \gamma_n^a(j) \langle P | \mathcal{O}_{n,j}^a(0) | P \rangle$$

Perurbative series of anomalous dimension:

$$\gamma_n^a(j) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n^a(k, j) \left(\frac{\alpha_s(Q^2)}{\pi} \right)^k$$

- Regge behavior of structure function: $F(x_B, Q^2) \sim x_B^{1-\alpha}$ ($\alpha - 1$ is the intercept)
- Scale dependence of structure function at low- x_B
 - for $x_B \rightarrow 0$, $F(j, Q^2)$ has poles at $j \sim 1$: *unphysical point*
 - analytically continue the anomalous dimension $\gamma_n^a(j)$ from integer $j \geq 2$ to $j \sim 1$ and then invert the moments of structure functions
- Twist $n = 2$: use DGLAP expression for $\gamma_{n=2}^a(j)$
- Twist $n \geq 3$ case is difficult already at $j \geq 2$
 - Number of operators increases with twist
 - size of corresponding matrices depends on j
 - \Rightarrow analytical continuation to *unphysical* point of the anomalous dimension of twist $n = 3$ operator is even more difficult.

Alternative strategy

- Calculate small- x behavior of structure functions $F(x_B, Q^2)$ within the BFKL formalism.
- and compare it with twist expansion of the moments of the structure functions $F(j, Q^2)$ (Jaroszewicz (1982))

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- Q^2 behavior of gluon structure function are driven by the anomalous dimension of twist-2 gluonic operator

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} F_{\mu+}^a \nabla_+^{j-2} F_+^{\mu a} = \gamma(\alpha_s, j) F_{\mu+}^a \nabla_+^{j-2} F_+^{\mu a}$$

- $\gamma^* \gamma^*$ scattering amplitude

$$A(s) = \int d\nu f(\nu) \left(\frac{s}{Q_1 Q_2} \right)^{N(\nu)} \left(\frac{Q_1}{Q_2} \right)^{i\nu}$$

- DIS structure function: $Q_1^2 = Q^2 = -q^2$ and $p^2 = -Q_2^2$
 - DIS at small- x : $s \gg Q^2 \gg p^2$
- Gluonic structure function obtained in the BFKL formalism

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- To write the low- x_B structure function in this form at NLO one has to
 - use the NLO impact factor obtained with the composite Wilson line formalism (I. Balitsky G.A.C (2012))
 - and use the NLO BFKL eigenfunctions (G.A.C, Yu. Kovchegov (2013))

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{2} + i\nu$$

$$F(j, Q^2) = \int_0^1 dx_B x_B^{j-2} F(x_B, Q^2) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\frac{1}{2}-i\infty}^{\frac{1}{2}+i\infty} d\gamma \frac{f(\gamma)}{j-2-N(\gamma)} \left(\frac{Q^2}{P^2}\right)^\gamma$$

- analytic continuation: $j-2 \rightarrow \omega$ complex continuous variable;
- Residues $\omega = N(\gamma)$; expand $N(\gamma)$ for small γ and solve for γ

$$\gamma(\alpha_s, \omega) = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi\omega} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2), \quad F(\omega, Q^2) \sim \left(\frac{Q^2}{P^2}\right)^{\frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi\omega}}$$

We get the analytic continuation of anomalous dimension at the *unphysical* point $j \rightarrow 1$ of twist-2 operators: $F_{\mu+}^a \nabla_+^{-1} F_+^{\mu a}$

- This procedure does not tell us the explicit form of the operator $F_{\mu+}^a \nabla_+^{\omega-1} F_+^{\mu a}$ at the *unphysical* point $\omega \rightarrow 0$.
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- What can we say about twist-3 operators?
- What has to do Odderon with all this?

- In the linear case the Odderon follows a dipole-BFKL type of evolution equation (Kovchegov-Szymanowski-Wallon (2003))
- To solve the evolution equation use BFKL eigenfunctions with odd n
 - $E^{n,\nu}(z_1, z_2) = \left(\frac{z_{12}}{z_1 z_2}\right)^{\frac{1+n}{2}+i\nu} \left(\frac{z_{12}^*}{z_1^* z_2^*}\right)^{\frac{1+n}{2}-i\nu} = (-1)^n E^{n\nu}(z_1, z_1)$
 - The leading high-energy intercept is $N_{odd} - 1 = 2\frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi} \chi(n=1, \nu=0) = 0$ (Bartels-Lipatov-Vacca (2000))
 - The odderon intercept is equal to 0 to all loop order in the planar Limit (Caron-Huot (2015))
 - Hint in this direction is also coming from integrability and AdS-CFT Correspondence (Alfimov Gromov Kazakov (2015)).

In Wilson line formalism Odderon is understood as

$$\text{tr}\{U(x_\perp)U^\dagger(y_\perp)\} - \text{tr}\{U^\dagger(x_\perp)U(y_\perp)\}$$

where $U(x_\perp) = \text{P} \left\{ ig \int dx^+ A^-(x^+ p_\perp + x_\perp) \right\}$ with p_\perp^μ light-con vector

- Let us find a relation between Odderon and light-ray operators
- choose $y_{\perp} = -x_{\perp}$ and expand Wilson lines for $x_{\perp} \rightarrow 0$ to the first non trivial order

$$\text{tr}\{U(x_{\perp})U^{\dagger}(-x_{\perp})\} \sim x^i x^j x^k \int dx_1 dx_2 dx_3 d^{abc} F_{+i}^a(x_1) F_{+j}^b(x_2) F_{+k}^c(x_3)$$

the resulting operator is a twist-3 operator. **This is the light-ray operator for the Odderon:** That is, the non local operator in the unphysical point

- Find its scale dependence
- Construct the local operator by analytic continuation

Scale dependence of twist-3 operator

Introduce spinor notation (Braun-Manashov-Rohrwild (2009); Braun-Manashov-Pirnay (2012))

$$F_{\alpha\beta,\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}} = \sigma_{\alpha\dot{\alpha}}^{\mu} \sigma_{\beta\dot{\beta}}^{\nu} F_{\mu\nu} = 2 \left(\epsilon_{\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}} f_{\alpha\beta} - \epsilon_{\alpha\beta} \bar{f}_{\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}} \right)$$

Here $f_{\alpha\beta}$ and $\bar{f}_{\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}}$ are chiral and antichiral symmetric tensors, $f^* = \bar{f}$, which belong to $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$ representations of the Lorentz group, respectively.

- Consider the following twist-3 operator (P_{ij} permutation operators acting on the fields coordinates)

$$\mathcal{F}^{\pm}(z) = 2g C_{\pm}^{abc} \tilde{s}^{\rho} (1 \mp P_{23} \pm P_{12}) F_{+}^{\nu,a}(z_1) F_{+\rho}^b(z_2) F_{+\nu}^c(z_3)$$

- rewrite it in spinor notation

$$\mathcal{F}^{\pm}(z) = -\frac{ig}{\sqrt{2}} C_{\pm}^{abc} \left\{ s_{\mu\lambda} \bar{f}_{++}^a(z_1) f_{++}^b(z_2) f_{++}^c(z_3) - s_{\lambda\bar{\mu}} f_{++}^a(z_1) \bar{f}_{++}^b(z_2) \bar{f}_{++}^c(z_3) \right\}$$

$$C_{+}^{abc} = f^{abc} \text{ and } C_{-}^{abc} = d^{abc}.$$

Scale dependence of twist-3 operator

We need d^{abc} since Odderon is odd under Charge conjugation.

$$\mathcal{F}^-(z) = -\frac{ig}{\sqrt{2}} d^{abc} \left\{ s_{\mu\lambda} \bar{f}_{++}^a(z_1) f_{++}^b(z_2) f_{++}^c(z_3) - s_{\lambda\bar{\mu}} f_{++}^a(z_1) \bar{f}_{++}^b(z_2) \bar{f}_{++}^c(z_3) \right\}$$

- Observation: $ff\bar{f}$ and $\bar{f}\bar{f}f$ types of operators do not mix under renormalization.

$$\left(\mu \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} + \beta(g) \frac{\partial}{\partial g} + \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \mathbb{H}^\pm \right) \mathcal{F}^\pm = 0$$

where

$$\mathbb{H}^\pm = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{H}_{QQ}^\pm & \mathbb{H}_{QF}^\pm \\ \mathbb{H}_{FQ}^\pm & \mathbb{H}_{FF}^\pm \end{pmatrix}$$

we are interested in gluodynamics so we only need $(b_0 = \frac{11}{3}N_c - \frac{2}{3}n_f)$

$$\mathbb{H}_{FF}^- = N_c \left(\widehat{\mathcal{H}}_{12} + \widehat{\mathcal{H}}_{23} + \widehat{\mathcal{H}}_{31} - 6(\mathcal{H}_{12}^- + \mathcal{H}_{13}^-) \right) - b_0$$

we also need the Bukhvostov, Frolov, Lipatov Kuraev (BFLK) kernels

$$[\widehat{\mathcal{H}} \varphi](z_1, z_2) = \int_0^1 \frac{d\alpha}{\alpha} \left[2\varphi(z_1, z_2) - \bar{\alpha}^{2j_1-1} \varphi(z_{12}^\alpha, z_2) - \bar{\alpha}^{2j_2-1} \varphi(z_1, z_{21}^\alpha) \right],$$

$$[\mathcal{H}^d \varphi](z_1, z_2) = \int_0^1 d\alpha \bar{\alpha}^{2j_1-1} \alpha^{2j_2-1} \varphi(z_{12}^\alpha, z_{12}^\alpha),$$

$$[\mathcal{H}^+ \varphi](z_1, z_2) = \int_0^1 d\alpha \int_0^{\bar{\alpha}} d\beta \bar{\alpha}^{2j_1-2} \bar{\beta}^{2j_2-2} \varphi(z_{12}^\alpha, z_{21}^\beta),$$

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$$[\mathcal{H}^- \varphi](z_1, z_2) = \int_0^1 d\alpha \int_{\bar{\alpha}}^1 d\beta \bar{\alpha}^{2j_1-2} \bar{\beta}^{2j_2-2} \varphi(z_{12}^\alpha, z_{21}^\beta),$$

$$[\mathcal{H}_{12}^{e,(k)} \varphi](z_1, z_2) = \int_0^1 d\alpha \bar{\alpha}^{2j_1-k-1} \alpha^{k-1} \varphi(z_{12}^\alpha, z_2),$$

- Odderon twist-3 operator in spinor notation

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr}\{U(x_\perp)U^\dagger(-x_\perp)\} &\sim x^i x^j x^k \int dx_1 dx_2 dx_3 d^{abc} F_{+i}^a(x_1) F_{+j}^b(x_2) F_{+k}^c(x_3) \\ &\propto [f_{++}^a(x_1) - \bar{f}_{++}^a(x_1)] [f_{++}^b(x_2) - \bar{f}_{++}^b(x_2)] [f_{++}^c(x_3) - \bar{f}_{++}^c(x_3)] \end{aligned}$$

- fff and $\bar{f}\bar{f}\bar{f}$ are 3/2 helicity operators and do not couple to the proton state,
- so in the forward matrix element only $ff\bar{f}$ and $\bar{f}\bar{f}f$ types of operator survive.
- It turns out that

$$\begin{aligned} &x^i x^j x^k d^{abc} \langle P | F_{+i}^a(x_1) F_{+j}^b(x_2) F_{+k}^c(x_3) | P \rangle \\ &\propto x^i d^{abc} \langle P | F_{+i}^a(u) F_{+j}^b(t) F_{+k}^c(x_3) + F_{+j}^a(x_1) F_{+i}^b(x_2) F_{+k}^c(x_3) + F_{+j}^a(x_1) F_{+k}^b(x_2) F_{+i}^c(x_3) | P \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Scale dependence of odderon twist-3 operator

- This operator is not multiplicative renormalizable so we cannot compute its anomalous dimension and its analytic continuation to the *unphysical* point.
- Idea:
 - We know that the Odderon intercept is 0: $\chi(n = 1, \nu = 0) = 0$
 - Consider the following forward light-ray operator and check whether it is 0 in the *unphysical* point.

$$\int_0^{+\infty} du u^{-\omega} \int_0^u dt [\mathbb{H}_{FF}^- + b_0] \otimes x_{\perp}^{\mu} \left[F_{+\mu}^a(u) F_{+j}^b(t) F_{+j}^c(0) + F_{+j}^a(u) F_{+\mu}^b(t) F_{+j}^c(0) + F_{+j}^a(u) F_{+j}^b(t) F_{+\mu}^c(0) \right]$$
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- next construct by analytic continuation the corresponding local operator.
 - This is opposite to the twist-2 case: there we new the local operator and constructed the by analytic continuation the operator in the *unphysical* point.
- Work in progress ...

- Light-ray operators are the analytic continuation to the *unphysical* point of twist-2 local operator.
- Expansion of the dipole-Wilson line Odderon generates twist-3 operators.
- Spinor formalism simplify the analysis of scale dependence of twist-3 operators.
- Outlook
 - Assemble the result for the scale dependence of Odderon-light ray operator at the unphysical point.
 - Construct by analytic continuation the local operator from the Odderon-light ray operator.