

# Resummed azimuthal decorrelation and transverse momentum imbalance of dijets at the LHC

-- resolving Non-global logarithms via the Winner-take-all scheme



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# Motivation

## 3D Tomography

Single-spin asymmetries in dijet production at polarized proton-proton colliders probe 3D proton structure and TMD PDFs. [Boer, Vogelsang '04; Bomhof, Mulders, Vogelsang Yuan '07; Qiu, Vogelsang, Yuan '07 ...]

## Factorization Violation

Transverse momentum dependent (TMD) factorization is violated in dijet production. [Collins, Qiu '07; Collins '07, Vogelsang, Yuan '07; Rogers, Mulders '10 ...]

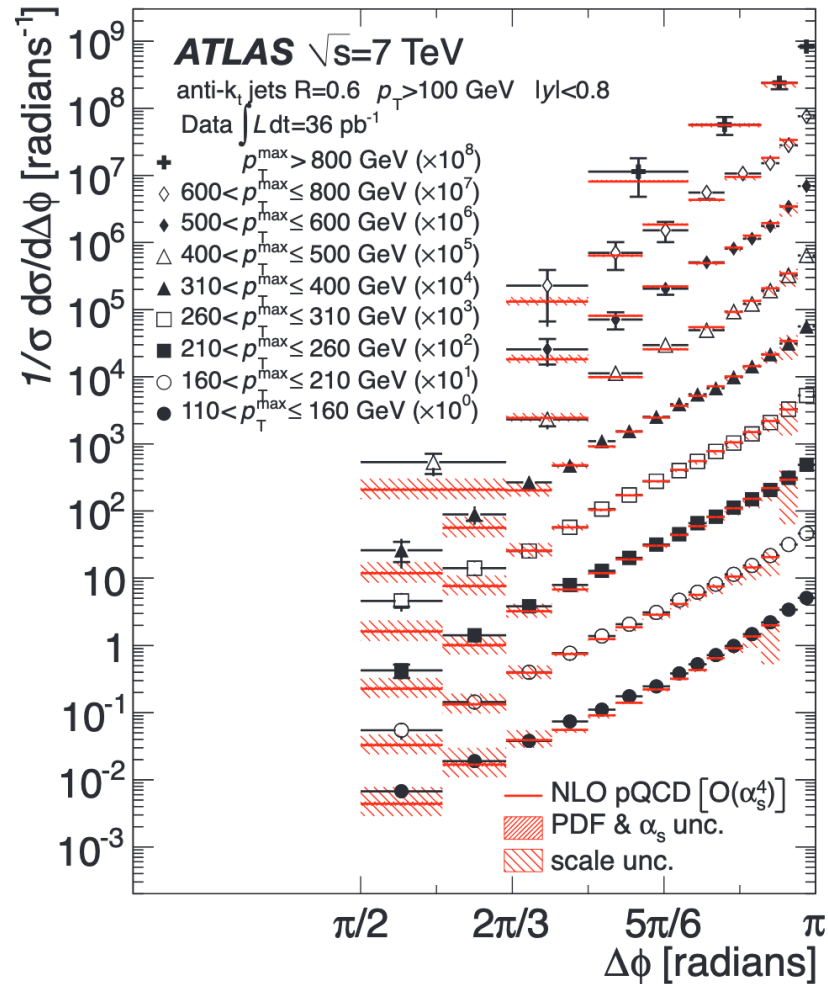
## Jet calibration

The transverse momentum imbalance is used, for example, in jet calibration. [The CMS Collaboration '11; The ATLAS Collaboration '12]

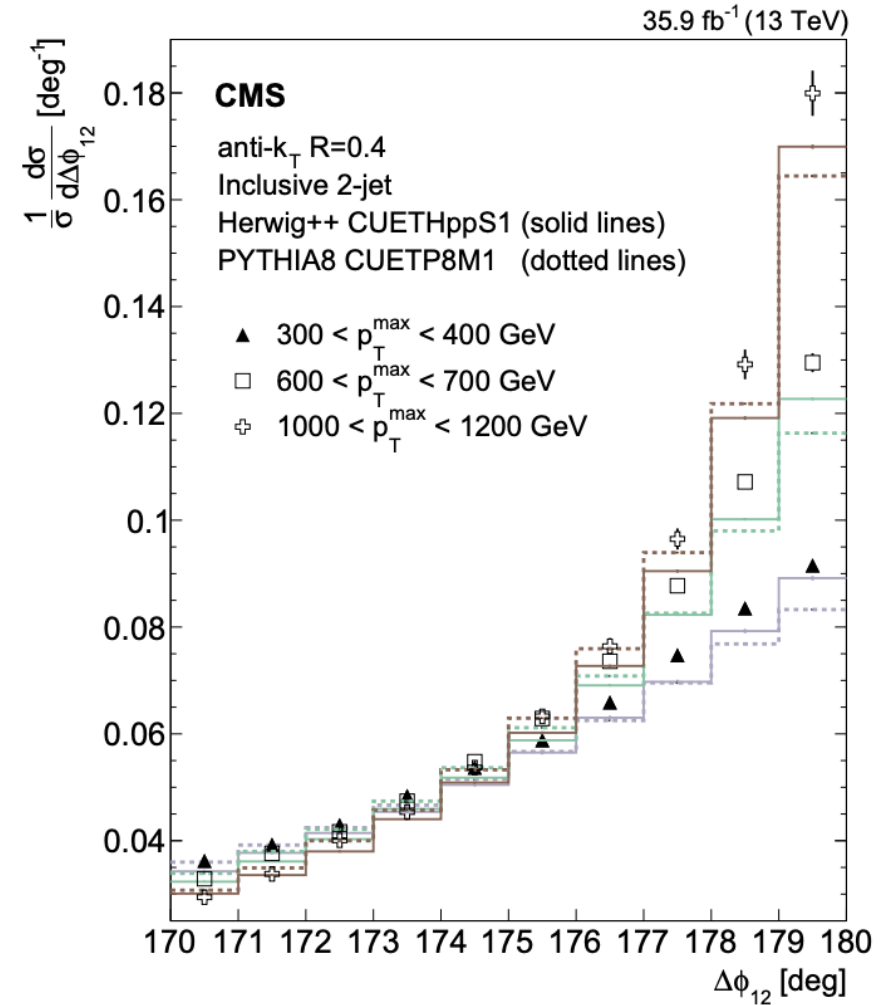
## $q_T$ -slicing for multiple jet

By defining the slicing variable with WTA jet momentum, we can generalize  $q_T$ -slicing to colored multi-jet systems. [RJF, Rahn, Shao, Waalewijn, Wu '24]

# TMD Measurement at LHC



[The ATLAS Collaboration '11]



[The CMS Collaboration '19]

# Azimuthal decorrelation $\delta\phi$ and transverse momentum imbalance $q_T$



## Back-to-Back Dynamics

In dijet production, momentum conservation in the transverse plane enforces the back-to-back alignment at the Born level.



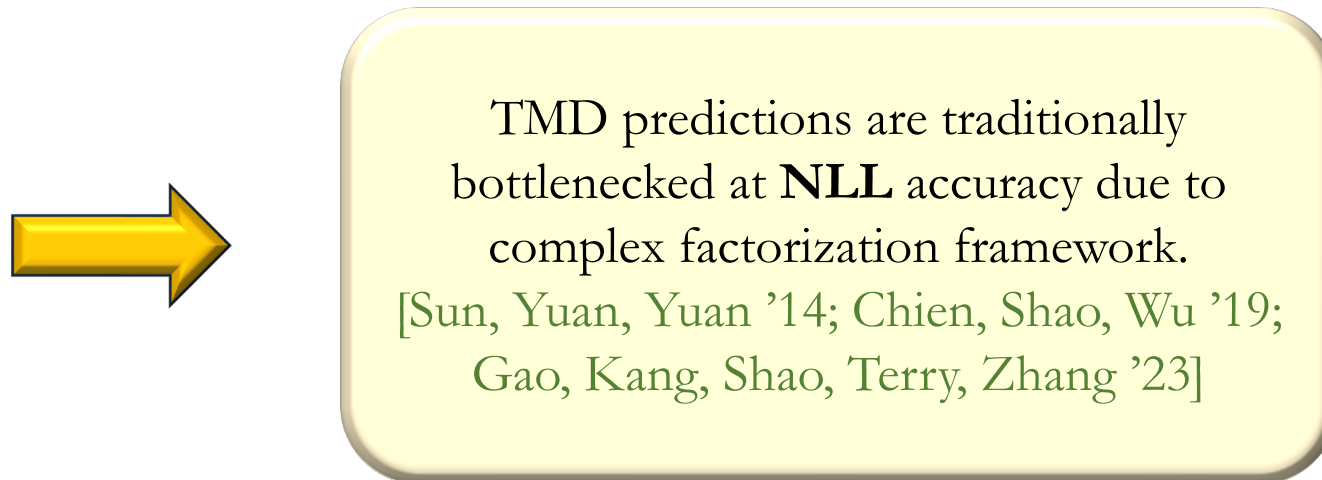
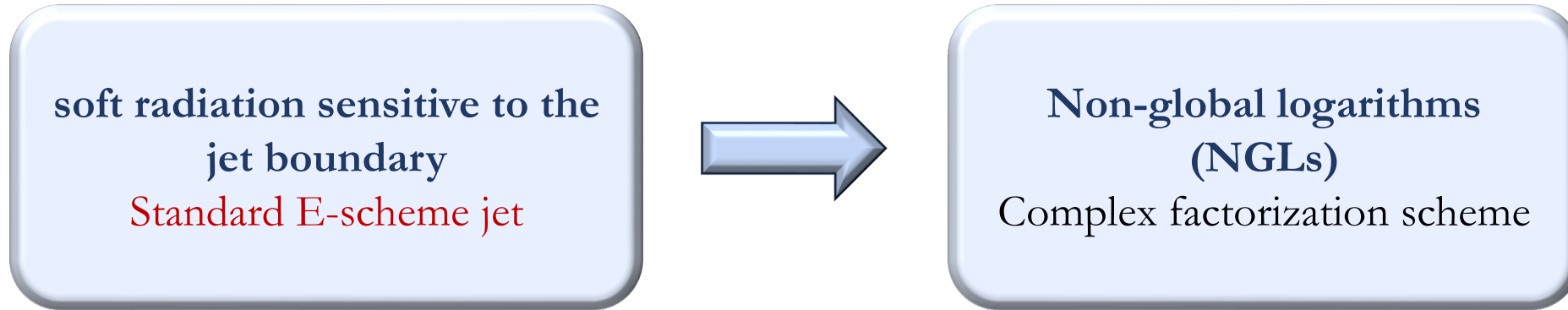
## Radiation Imbalance

Soft and collinear radiation induces deviations from this topology, generating imbalances in the transverse momentum  $q_T$  or azimuthal angle  $\delta\phi$ .

$$q_T = |\vec{p}_{1,T} + \vec{p}_{2,T}|$$
$$\delta\phi = |\pi - |\phi_1 - \phi_2|| \approx \frac{q_y}{p_{1,T}}$$

**All-order resummation** is required in the back-to-back limit!

# Non-global logarithms (NGLs)



# Winner-take-all recombination scheme

- **Standard E-scheme** simply sums the four-momenta of all particles within the jet.
- **Winner-take-all (WTA) scheme:** [Bertolini, Chan, Thaler '13]  
Clustering step: for the closest emission pair  $i$  and  $j$ :

$$p_{T,r} = p_{T,i} + p_{T,j}, \quad \hat{n}_r = \begin{cases} \hat{n}_i, & p_{T,i} \geq p_{T,j} \\ \hat{n}_j, & p_{T,i} < p_{T,j} \end{cases}$$

- The WTA scheme is *recoil-free*.
- For the azimuthal decorrelation  $\delta\phi$ , the WTA scheme eliminates non-global logarithms (NGLs) entirely. [Chien, Rahn, Velzen, Shao, Waalewijn, Wu '20; Chien, Rahn, Shao, Waalewijn, Wu '22]
- For the transverse momentum imbalance  $q_T$ , the standard NGLs of  $q_T$  disappear and the NGLs of jet radius  $R$  in the small  $R$  limit is isolated in the soft sector. [RJF, Rahn, Shao, Waalewijn, Wu '26]

# WTA Transverse Momentum


- Consider a multijet scattering process at LHC:  $p(P_a) + p(P_b) \rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^N J(p_i) + X$ .
- The total transverse momentum of the final jets is defined as:

$$\vec{q}_T \equiv \sum_{i=1}^N \vec{p}_{i,T}^{\text{WTA}} = \sum_{i=1}^N \left( \sum_{k \in \text{jet-}i} p_{k,T} \right) \vec{n}_{W_i,T}.$$

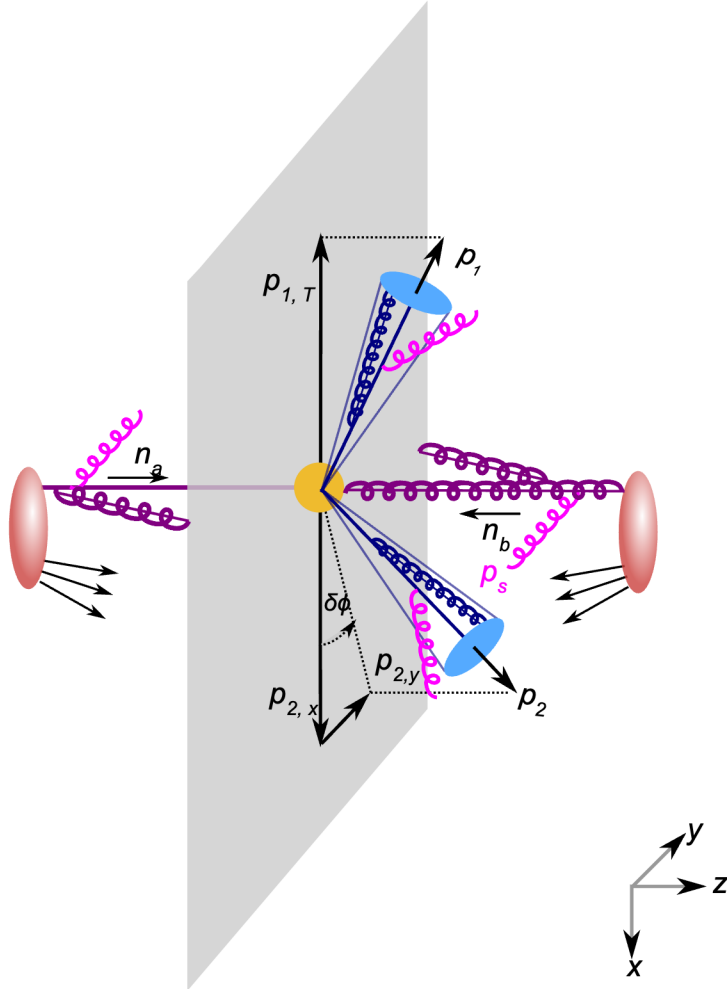
$$\vec{q}_T = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{k \in \text{jet-}i} (p_{k,T} \vec{n}_{W_i,T} - \vec{p}_{k,T}) - \vec{p}_{a,T} - \vec{p}_{b,T} - \vec{p}_{s,T}$$

$$= - \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{k \in \text{jet-}i} \vec{p}_{k,\perp}^{(i)} - \vec{p}_{a,T} - \vec{p}_{b,T} - \vec{p}_{s,T},$$

with  $\vec{p}_{k,\perp}^{(i)} \equiv \vec{p}_{k,T} - p_{k,T} \vec{n}_{W_i,T}$ ,  $k \in \text{jet-}i$ .

$\vec{p}_{k,\perp}^{(i)} \cdot \vec{n}_{W_i,T} = 0 + \mathcal{O}\left(p_{k,T} (\phi_k - \phi_i^{\text{WTA}})^2\right)$   In-cone contribution  $\vec{p}_{k,\perp}^{(i)}$  is perpendicular to the jet and the beam axis at leading power.

# Azimuthal decorrelation $\delta\phi \equiv |\pi - |\phi_1^{\text{WTA}} - \phi_2^{\text{WTA}}||$ .



- In the back-to-back limit ( $\delta\phi \ll 1$ )  $\delta\phi \approx \frac{q_y}{p_T}$

- **hard:**  $p_h^\mu \sim p_T(1, 1, 1)$ ,
- $n_{a,b}$ -**collinear:**  $p_c^\mu \sim p_T(\delta\phi^2, 1, \delta\phi)n_i\bar{n}_i$ ,
- **soft:**  $p_s^\mu \sim p_T(\delta\phi, \delta\phi, \delta\phi)$ ,
- $n_{1,2}$ -**collinear:**  $p_c^\mu \sim p_T(\delta\phi^2, 1, \delta\phi)n_i\bar{n}_i$ .

- SCET-II Factorization formula:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^4\sigma}{d\eta_1 d\eta_2 dp_T dq_y} &= \sum_{ijkl} \frac{x_a x_b}{16\pi \hat{s}^2} \frac{2p_T}{1 + \delta_{kl}} \mathcal{H}_{ij \rightarrow kl, JI}(p_T, \eta_1 - \eta_2, \mu) \\ &\times \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{db_y}{2\pi} e^{ib_y q_y} \mathcal{S}_{ijkl, IJ}(b_y, \eta_1, \eta_2, \mu, \nu) \mathcal{J}_k(b_y, \omega_1, \mu, \nu) \mathcal{J}_l(b_y, \omega_2, \mu, \nu) \\ &\times B_{i/p}(x_a, b_y, \omega_a, \mu, \nu) B_{j/p}(x_b, b_y, \omega_b, \mu, \nu) \end{aligned}$$

# Resummation formula for $\delta\phi$



**R**apidity **R**enormalization **G**roup [Chiu, Jain, Neill, Rothstein '11]

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d^4\sigma}{d\eta_1 d\eta_2 dp_T dq_y} &= \sum_{ijkl} \frac{x_a x_b}{16\pi\hat{s}^2} \frac{2p_T}{1 + \delta_{kl}} \int_0^\infty \frac{db_y}{\pi} \cos(b_y q_y) \prod_{i=a,b,1,2} \left( \frac{\nu_s}{\nu_i} \right)^{\Gamma_\nu^i(b_y, \mu_f)} \\
 &\times \sum_{KK'} \exp \left\{ \int_{\mu_h}^{\mu_f} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \left[ \gamma_{\text{cusp}}(\alpha_s) \left( C_H \ln \frac{\hat{s}}{\mu^2} + \lambda_K + \lambda_{K'}^* \right) + 2\gamma_H(\alpha_s) \right] \right\} \\
 &\times \mathcal{H}_{ij \rightarrow kl, KK'}(p_T, \eta_1 - \eta_2, \mu_h) \mathcal{S}_{ijkl, K'K}(b_y, \eta_1, \eta_2, \mu_f, \nu_s) \\
 &\times B_{i/p}(x_a, \omega_a, b_y, \mu_f, \nu_a) B_{j/p}(x_b, \omega_b, b_y, \mu_f, \nu_b) \\
 &\times \mathcal{J}_k(b_y, \omega_1, \mu_f, \nu_1) \mathcal{J}_l(b_y, \omega_2, \mu_f, \nu_2) \\
 &\times \exp \left[ -S_{\text{NP}}^i(b_y, Q_0, \omega_a) - S_{\text{NP}}^j(b_y, Q_0, \omega_b) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

# Transverse momentum imbalance $q_T$

$$\vec{q}_T \equiv \sum_{i=1}^N \vec{p}_{i,T}^{\text{WTA}} = - \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{k \in \text{jet-}i} \vec{p}_{k,\perp}^{(i)} - \vec{p}_{a,T} - \vec{p}_{b,T} - \vec{p}_{s,T}$$

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- Only soft function is new: Outside the jet ( $\vec{q}_T$ ), inside the jet ( $q_y$ ).

# Small- $R$ refactorization of $q_T$ -soft function ( $q_T/p_T \ll R \ll 1$ )

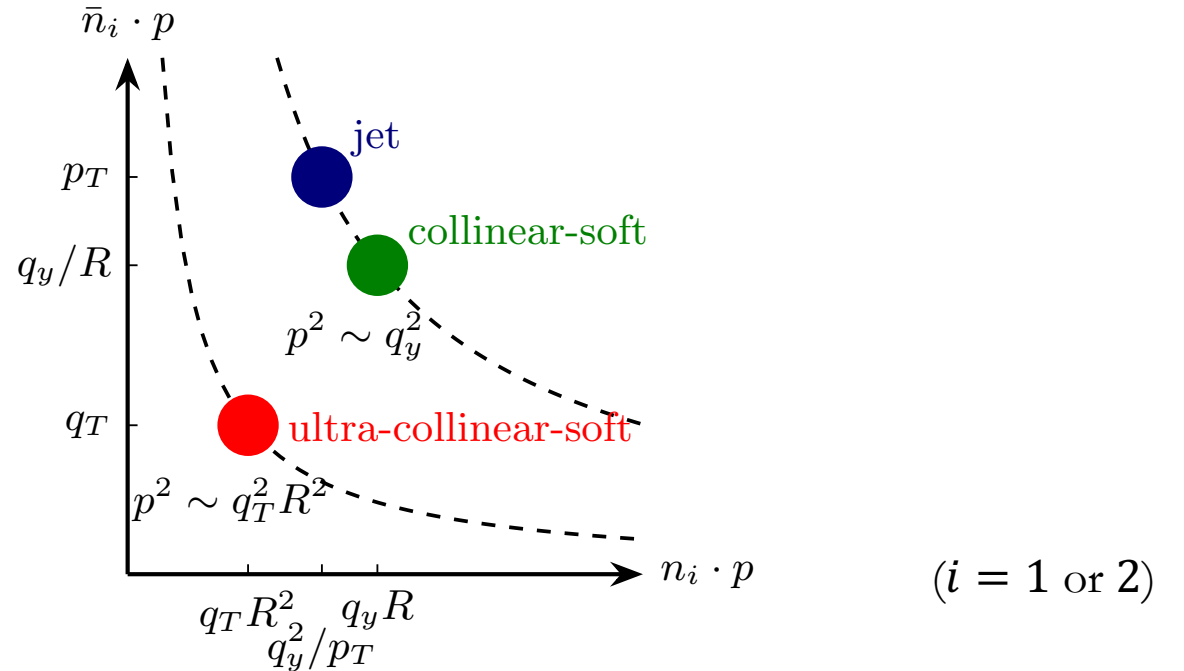
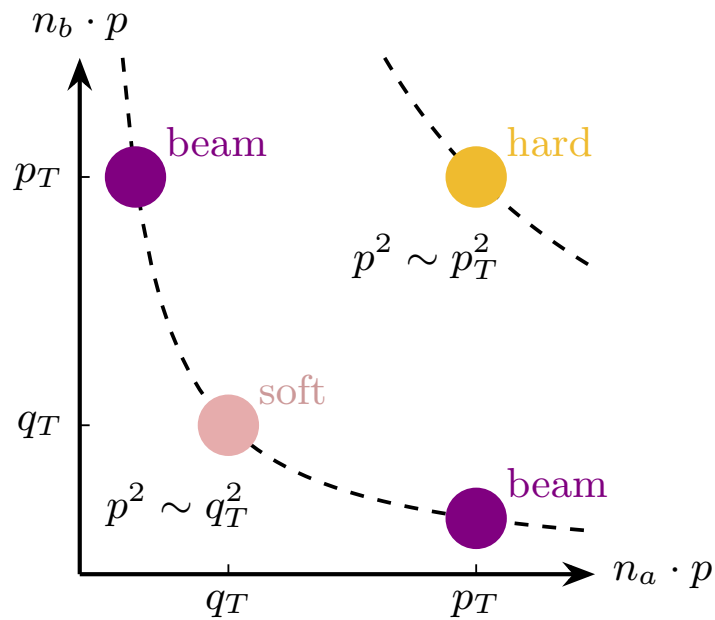
- In small- $R$  limit, the  $q_T$ -soft function refactorizes into global and “collinear-soft” contributions, up to power corrections in the jet radius.,

$$\mathcal{S}_{ijkl}(\vec{b}_T, R, \eta_1, \eta_2, \mu, \nu) = \mathcal{S}_{ijkl}^{\text{global}}(\vec{b}_T, \eta_1, \eta_2, \mu, \nu) \boxed{S_k(\vec{b}_T, \eta_1, R, \mu, \nu)} S_\ell(\vec{b}_T, \eta_2, R, \mu, \nu) + \mathcal{O}(R^{2n}).$$

Encoding the collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft modes

- **Non-Global Logarithms:**  $S_k(S_\ell)$  contains NGLs of the jet radius.
- Calculation Method 1: These can be computed using the **multiplicity-interacting EFT framework**. [Becher, Neubert, Rothen, Shao '15, '16; Becher, Pecjak, Shao '16; Larkoski, Moult, Neill '15]
- Calculation Method 2: Boosting along the jet axis reduces  $S_k(S_\ell)$  to the **hemisphere soft function**, separating the dependence:
  - **In-cone:** depends on  $b_\perp$
  - **Out-of-cone:** depends on  $b_-$

# SCET modes for $q_T$ distribution



- **hard:**  $p_h^\mu \sim p_T(1, 1, 1),$
- **$n_{a,b}$ -collinear:**  $p_{c_i}^\mu \sim (q_T^2/p_T, p_T, q_T)_{n_i \bar{n}_i},$
- **$n_{1,2}$ -collinear:**  $p_{c_i}^\mu \sim (q_y^2/p_T, p_T, q_y)_{n_i \bar{n}_i}.$
- **soft:**  $p_s^\mu \sim q_T(1, 1, 1),$
- **$n_{1,2}$ -collinear-soft:**  $p_{cs}^\mu \sim |q_y|/R(R^2, 1, R)_{n_i \bar{n}_i},$
- **$n_{1,2}$ -ultra-collinear-soft:**  $p_{ucs}^\mu \sim q_T(R^2, 1, R)_{n_i \bar{n}_i}.$

# Refactorization of $S_i$

- For the momentum  $k$  of ultra-collinear-soft mode, we have  $k^- \gg k^+, k_\perp$ .
- Under this hierarchy, the Fourier exponent associated with the out-of-cone measurement admits the power expansion

$$\underbrace{\vec{b}_T \cdot \vec{k}_T}_{\text{beam coordinates}} = -b \cdot k \approx \underbrace{-\frac{1}{2}b^+ k^-}_{\text{jet coordinates}},$$

with  $b^\mu = (0, b_x, b_y, 0)$  and  $b^+ = -b_x n_{i,x}$ .

- Momentum decomposition along the jet axis:  $p^\mu = (n_i \cdot p) \frac{\bar{n}_i^\mu}{2} + (\bar{n}_i \cdot p) \frac{n_i^\mu}{2} + p_\perp^\mu \equiv (n_i \cdot p, \bar{n}_i \cdot p, p_\perp^\mu)_{n_i \bar{n}_i}$
- Applying the factorization framework for non-global observables in the small  $R$  limit:  
[Becher, Neubert, Rothen, Shao '15, '16; Becher, Pecjak, Shao '16]

$$\begin{aligned} S_i(\vec{b}_T, \eta_i, R, \mu, \nu) &= \sum_{m_i=0}^{\infty} \prod_{j=1}^{m_i} \int \frac{d\Omega(\vec{u}_j)}{4\pi} \frac{1}{d_i} \text{Tr} [\mathcal{S}_{m_i}^{\text{CS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu, \nu) \mathcal{S}_{m_i}^{\text{UCS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_x, R, \mu)] \\ &:= \sum_{m_i=0}^{\infty} \langle \mathcal{S}_{m_i}^{\text{UCS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_x, R, \mu) \otimes \mathcal{S}_{m_i}^{\text{CS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu, \nu) \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

# Collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft functions

$$\mathcal{S}_{m_i}^{\text{CS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu, \nu) =$$

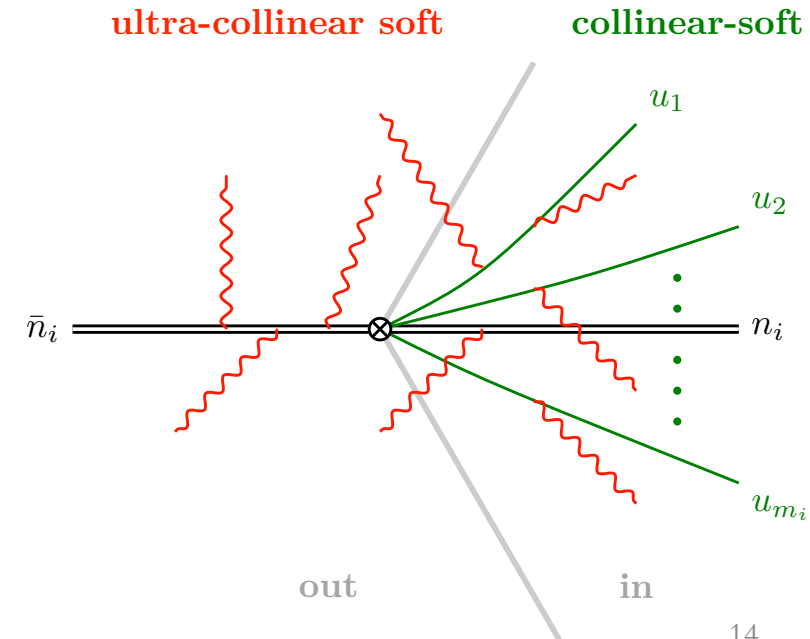
$$\prod_{j=1}^{m_i} \int \frac{dE_j E_j^{d-3}}{(2\pi)^{d-2}} |\mathcal{M}_{m_i}^{\text{CS}}(n_i, \bar{n}_i, \{\underline{p}\})\rangle \langle \mathcal{M}_{m_i}^{\text{CS}}(n_i, \bar{n}_i, \{\underline{p}\})| \exp\left(ib_y \sum_{k=1}^{m_i} p_{k,y}\right) \Theta_{\text{in}}^i(\{\underline{p}\}),$$

Collinear-soft amplitudes:  $|\mathcal{M}_{m_i}^{\text{CS}}(n_i, \bar{n}_i, \{\underline{p}\})\rangle = \langle \{\underline{p}\} | S(n_i) S^\dagger(\bar{n}_i) | 0 \rangle$

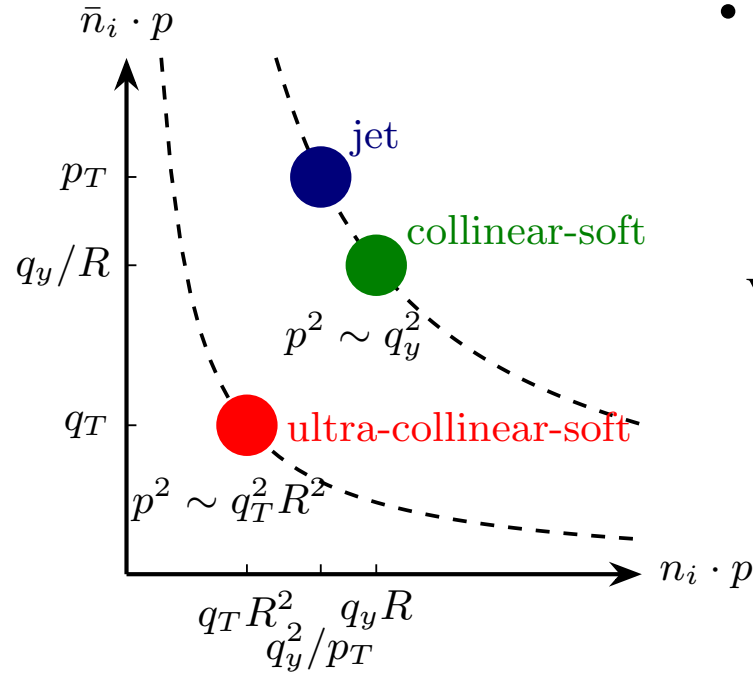
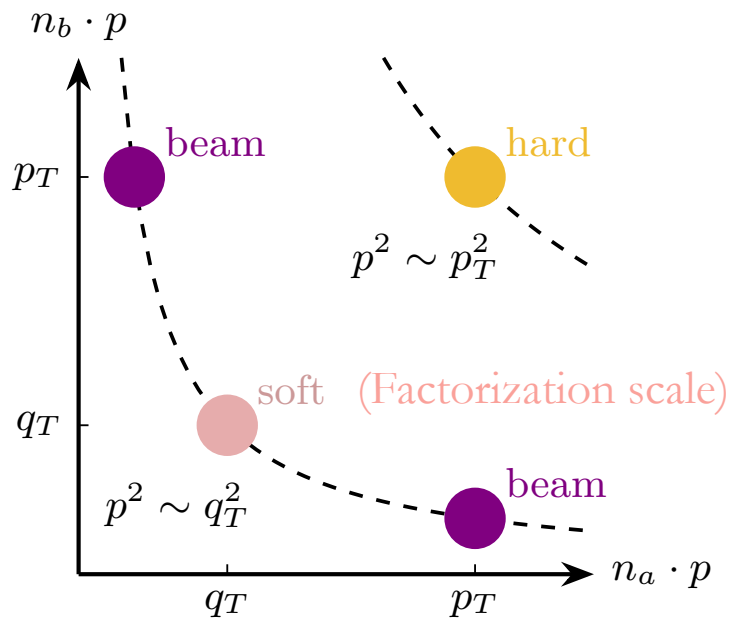
In-cone constraint:  $\Theta_{\text{in}}^i(\{\underline{p}\}) = \prod_{j=1}^{m_i} \Theta\left(R_i^2 - \frac{n_i \cdot p_j}{\bar{n}_i \cdot p_j}\right), \quad R_i = \frac{R}{2 \cosh \eta_i}.$

$$\mathcal{S}_{m_i}^{\text{UCS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_x, R, \mu) = \sum_{X_{\text{UCS}}} \langle 0 | U_{m_i}^\dagger(u_{m_i}) \cdots U_1^\dagger(u_1) U_b^\dagger(\bar{n}_i) U_a^\dagger(n_i) | X_{\text{UCS}} \rangle$$

$$\langle X_{\text{UCS}} | U_a(n_i) U_b(\bar{n}_i) U_1(u_1) \cdots U_{m_i}(u_{m_i}) | 0 \rangle \exp\left(-\frac{i}{2} b^+ \sum_{j \notin \text{jet-}i} k_j^-\right)$$



# RRG and global RG evolutions



- Two sets of RRG evolution:

$$\prod_{i=ab} \left( \frac{\nu_s}{\nu_i} \right)^{\Gamma_\nu^i(b_T, \mu_f)} \prod_{i=12} \left( \frac{\nu_{cs,i}}{\nu_i} \right)^{\Gamma_\nu^i(b_y, \mu_{cs})}$$

with the rapidity scales

$$\nu_i \sim \omega_i \quad (i = a, b, 1, 2), \quad \nu_s \sim b_0/b_T,$$

$$\nu_{cs,i} \sim b_0/(|b_y|R_i) \quad (i = 1, 2).$$

- Typical scales in RG evolution:  $\mu_h \sim 2p_T$ ,  $\mu_b \sim \mu_s \sim b_0/b_T$ ,  $\mu_{cs} \sim \mu_j \sim b_0/|b_y|$ ,  $\mu_{ucs} \sim R b_0/(2|b_x|)$ .
- The RG evolution of the hard function is analogous to that for the  $q_y$  distribution.
- The RG evolution of the jet function from  $\mu_j$  to  $\mu_f \sim b_0/b_T$  should be included to resum the large logarithms  $\ln(|b_y|/b_T)$  that arise in the limit  $\sin \phi_b \rightarrow 0$ .

# Non-global RG evolution

- The evolution matrix for the collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft functions:

$$\prod_{i=1,2} \exp \left[ \int_{\mu_{cs}}^{\mu_f} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \Gamma_i^{\text{CS}} + \int_{\mu_{ucs}}^{\mu_f} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \Gamma_i^{\text{UCS}} \right] U_{\text{NG}}^i(\mu_{ucs}, \mu_{cs}).$$

- We resum the leading non-global logarithms  $\ln R$ ,

$$U_{\text{NG}}^i(\mu_{ucs}, \mu_{cs}) \stackrel{\text{LLR}}{=} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \langle \mathbf{1} \hat{\otimes} \mathbf{U}_{m0}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, \mu_{ucs}, \mu_{cs}) \rangle$$

- Dasgupta–Salam parametrization [Dasgupta, Salam, '01]

$$U_{\text{NG}}^i(\mu_{ucs}, \mu_{cs}) \approx \exp \left( -C_A C_i \frac{\pi^2}{3} u^2 \frac{1 + (au)^2}{1 + (bu)^c} \right), \quad u = \frac{1}{\beta_0} \ln \frac{\alpha_s(\mu_{ucs})}{\alpha_s(\mu_{cs})},$$

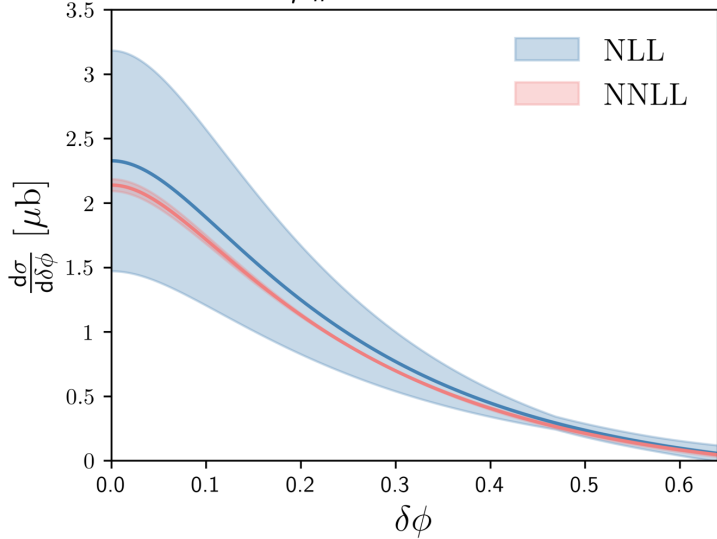
with  $a = 0.85C_A$ ,  $b = 0.86C_A$ ,  $c = 1.33$ .

# NNLL+LL<sub>R</sub> Resummation formula for $q_T$

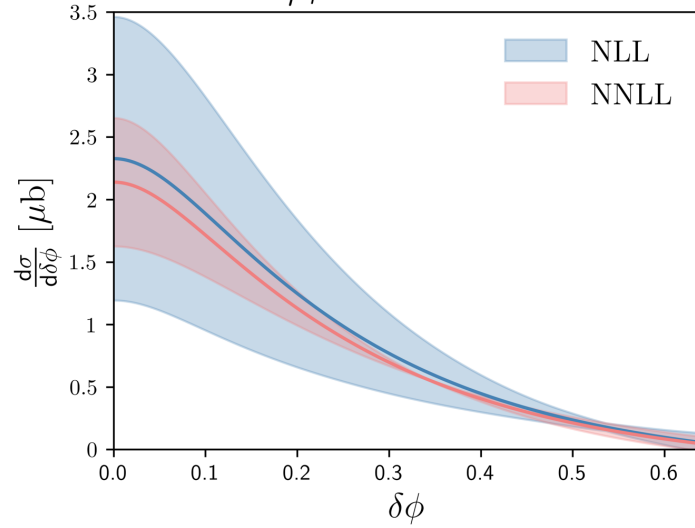
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{d^5\sigma}{d\eta_1 d\eta_2 dp_T dq_T d\phi_q} \\
 = & \sum_{ijkl} \frac{x_a x_b}{16\pi \hat{s}^2} \frac{2p_T}{1 + \delta_{kl}} q_T \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi_b \int_0^\infty \frac{b_T db_T}{(2\pi)^2} e^{i\vec{q}_T \cdot \vec{b}_T} \\
 & \times \sum_{KK'} \exp \left\{ \int_{\mu_h}^{\mu_f} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \left[ \gamma_{\text{cusp}}(\alpha_s) \left( C_H \ln \frac{\hat{s}}{\mu^2} + \lambda_K + \lambda_{K'}^* \right) + 2\gamma_H(\alpha_s) \right] \right\} \\
 & \times \prod_{p=ab} \left( \frac{\nu_s}{\nu_p} \right)^{\Gamma_\nu^p(b_T, \mu_f)} \prod_{p=12} \left( \frac{\nu_{cs,p}}{\nu_p} \right)^{\Gamma_\nu^p(b_y, \mu_{cs})} \\
 & \times \prod_{p=12} \exp \left[ \int_{\mu_{cs}}^{\mu_f} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} (\Gamma^{J_p} + \Gamma_p^{\text{cs}}) + \int_{\mu_{ucs}}^{\mu_f} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \Gamma_p^{\text{ucs}} \right] U_{\text{NG}}^p(\mu_{ucs}, \mu_{cs}) \\
 & \times \mathcal{H}_{ij \rightarrow kl, KK'}(p_T, \eta_1 - \eta_2, \mu_h) \mathcal{S}_{ijkl, K'K}^{\text{global}}(\vec{b}_T, \eta_1, \eta_2, \mu_f, \nu_s) \\
 & \times \prod_{p=12} \sum_{m_p=0}^{\infty} \left\langle \mathcal{S}_{m_p}^{\text{ucs}}(\{n_p, \bar{n}_p, \underline{u}\}, \vec{b}_T, R, \mu_{ucs}) \otimes \mathcal{S}_{m_p}^{\text{cs}}(\{n_p, \bar{n}_p, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu_{cs}, \nu_{cs,p}) \right\rangle \\
 & \times B_{i/p}(x_a, b_T, \omega_a, \mu_f, \nu_a) B_{j/p}(x_b, b_T, \omega_b, \mu_f, \nu_b) \mathcal{J}_k(b_y, \omega_1, \mu_j, \nu_1) \mathcal{J}_l(b_y, \omega_2, \mu_j, \nu_2) \\
 & \times \exp \left[ -S_{\text{NP}}^i(b_T, \omega_a, \nu_a) - S_{\text{NP}}^j(b_T, \omega_b, \nu_b) \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

# NLL and NNLL Resummation results

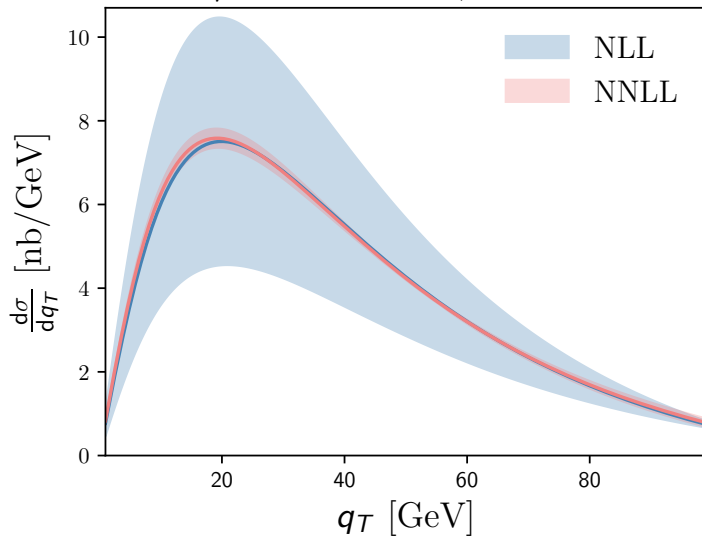
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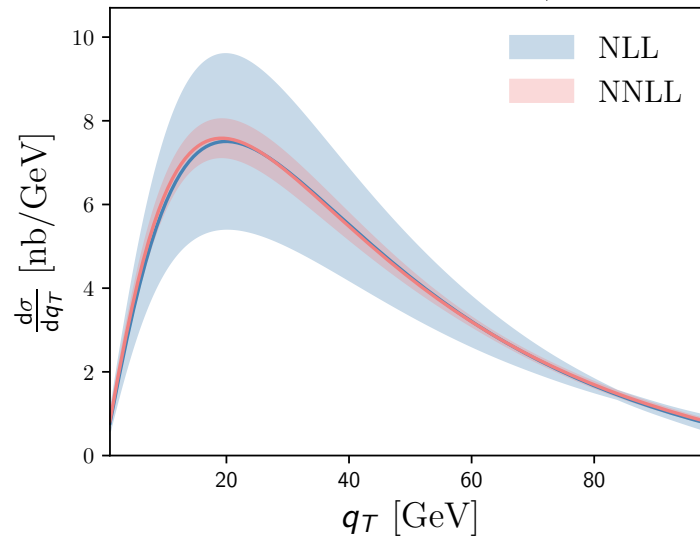
$\mu_f$  uncertainties



$\mu_h$  uncertainties,  $R = 0.5$



simultaneous uncertainties,  $R = 0.5$



- $b_*$ -prescription:

$$b_{T,*} = \frac{b_T}{\sqrt{1 + b_T^2/b_{\max}^2}}, \quad b_{y,*} = \frac{|b_y|}{\sqrt{1 + b_y^2/b_{\max}^2}}, \quad b_{x,*} = \frac{|b_x|}{\sqrt{1 + b_x^2/b_{\max}^2}}$$

- Scales in  $\delta\phi$  resummation:

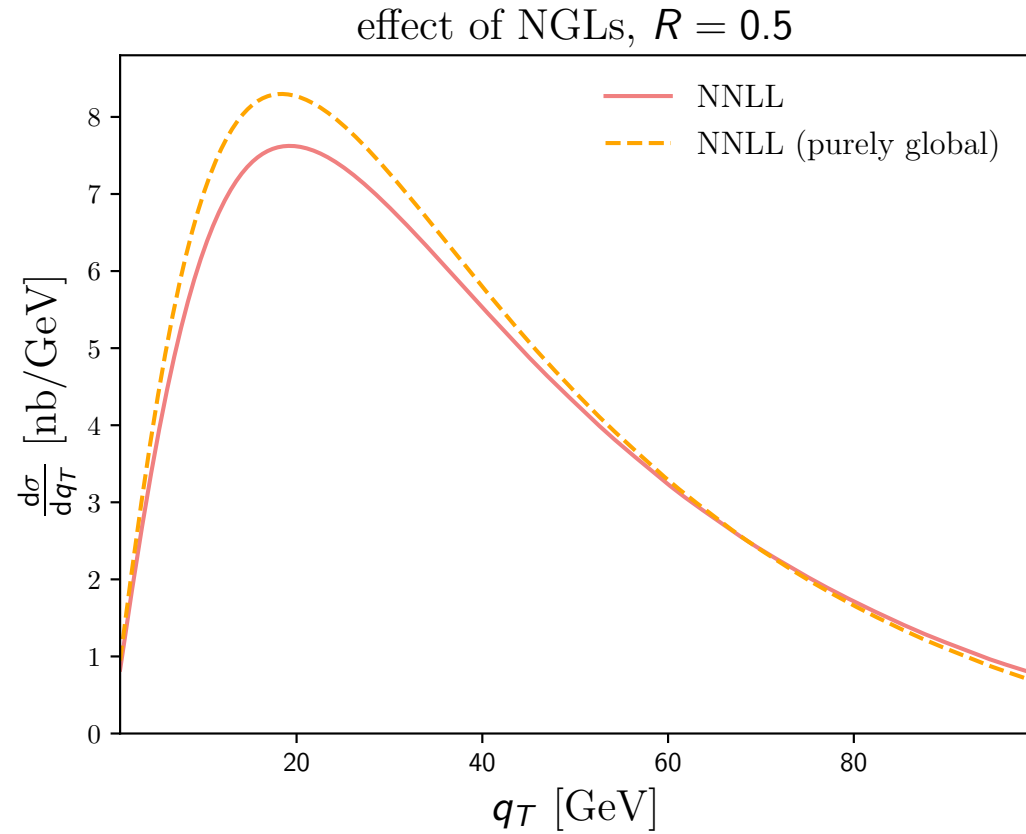
$$\mu_h = v_h \cdot 2p_T \quad \mu_f = \min\{v_f \cdot \mu_{b_{y,*}}, \mu_h\}$$

- Scales in  $q_T$  resummation:

$$\mu_s = \mu_b = \mu_f = \min\left\{v_f \frac{b_0}{b_{T,*}}, \mu_h\right\}, \quad \mu_j = \mu_{cs} = v_f \frac{b_0}{b_{y,*}}$$

$$\mu_h = v_h \cdot 2p_T \quad \mu_{ucs} = \min\left\{v_f \frac{Rb_0}{2b_{x,*}}, \mu_{cs}\right\}.$$

# Effects of NGLs

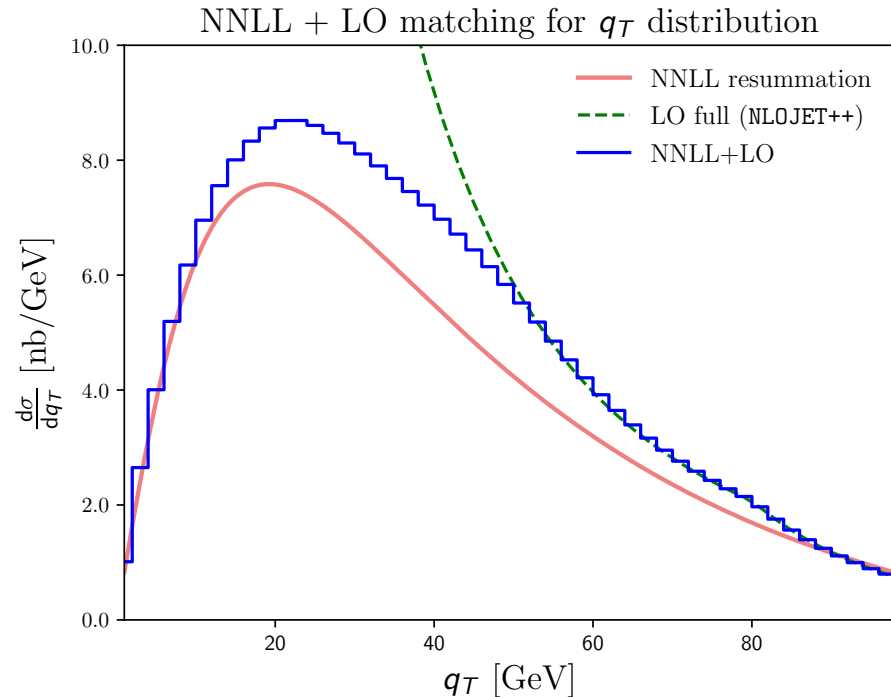
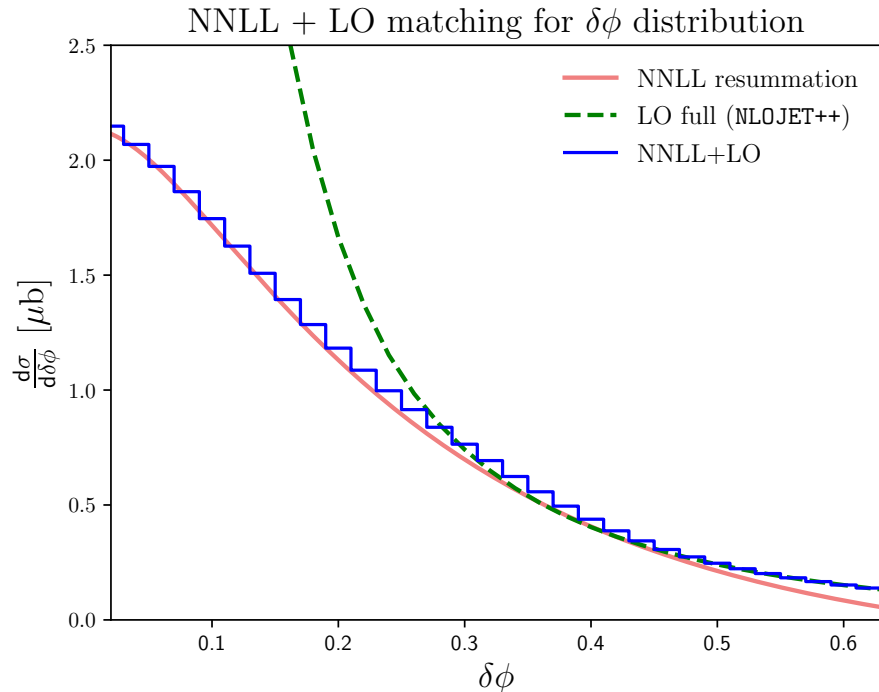


- The comparison reveals that the inclusion of the resummation of NGLs leads to a noticeable **suppression** of the cross-section in the peak region.

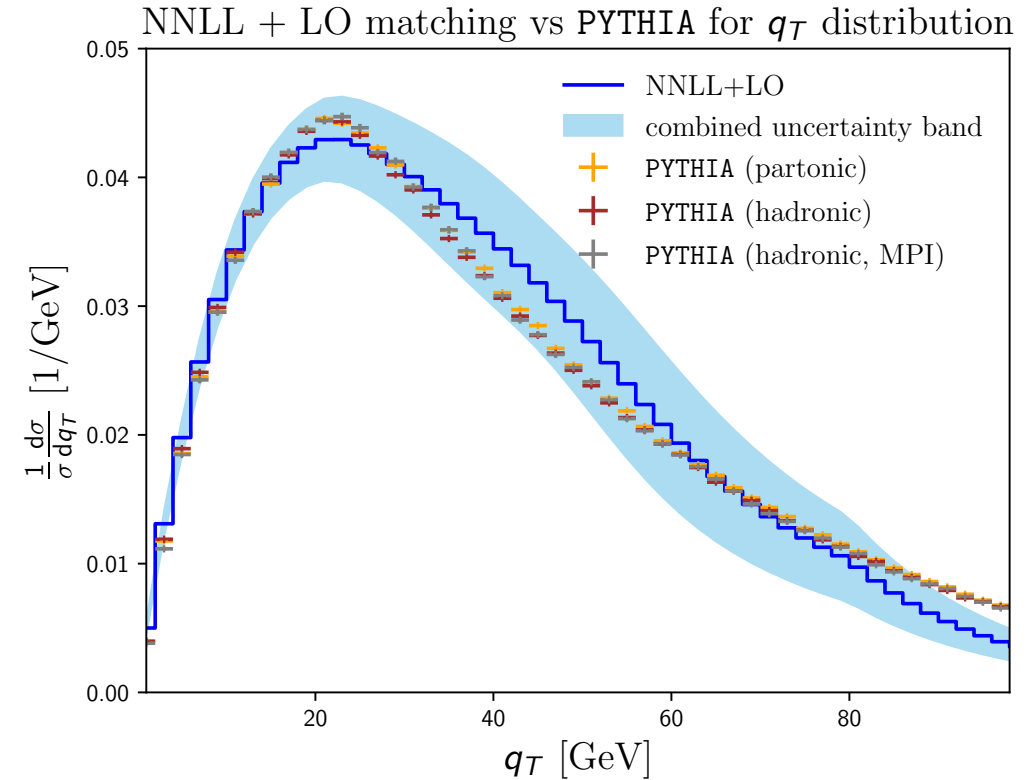
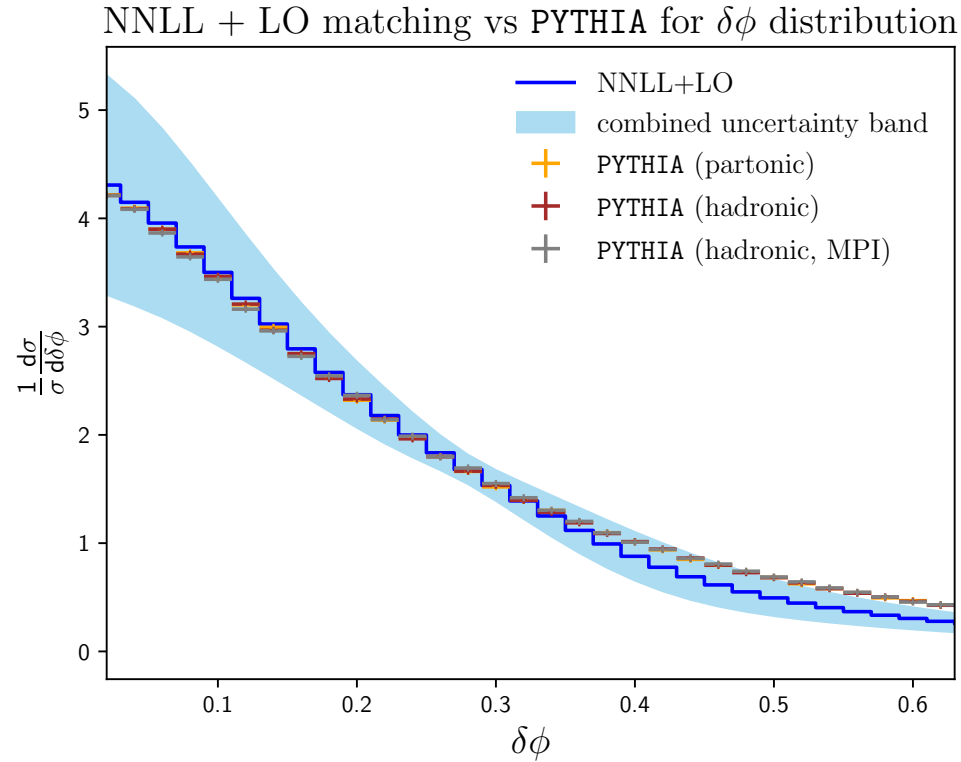
# NNLL+LO Matching

$$d\sigma_{\text{match}}(\text{NNLL} + \text{LO}) = (1 - t(\mathcal{O})) \left( d\sigma(\text{NNLL}) + U_H^{\text{eff}}(\mathcal{O}) d\sigma(\text{LO non-singular}) \right) + t(\mathcal{O}) d\sigma(\text{LO full}).$$

- The effective evolution matrix,  $U_H^{\text{eff}}(\mathcal{O}) = \exp \left[ \int_{2p_T}^{\mu_{\mathcal{O}}} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \left( \frac{\alpha_s(2p_T)}{\pi} 4C_A \ln \frac{4p_T^2}{\mu^2} \right) \right]$ ,  
is used to suppress the divergent non-singular terms in the infrared regime.
- The transition function  $t(\mathcal{O})$  acts as a smooth switch, transitioning from 0 in the resummation-dominated region to 1 in the fixed-order region.



# Comparison with PYTHIA 8.3



- Both the azimuthal decorrelation  $\delta\phi$  and the transverse momentum imbalance  $q_T$  are robust against hadronization and multi-parton interactions (MPI).

# Conclusions

- WTA scheme eliminates standard non-global logarithms (NGLs), simplifying the factorization;
- Small- $R$  Limit: Exploiting  $R \ll 1$  allows the soft function to be **refactorized** into global, collinear-soft, and ultra-collinear-soft modes, enabling the calculation of NGLs of  $R$ ;
- Joint resummation involving NNLL accuracy for global logarithms and LL accuracy for the small- $R$  NGLs.

**THANK YOU!**

# Backup: Combination of the collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft functions

- The perturbative expansion of  $S_i$  is organized as

$$S_i(b_\perp, b^+) = 1 + \frac{Z_\alpha \alpha_s(\mu)}{4\pi} S_i^{(1)}(b_\perp, b^+) + \left( \frac{Z_\alpha \alpha_s(\mu)}{4\pi} \right)^2 S_i^{(2)}(b_\perp, b^+) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$$

- NLO  $S_i$ :  $S_i^{(1)}(b_\perp, b^+) = \langle \mathbf{S}_0^{\text{ucs}(1)} \mathbf{S}_0^{\text{cs}(0)} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{S}_0^{\text{ucs}(0)} \mathbf{S}_0^{\text{cs}(0)} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{S}_1^{\text{ucs}(0)} \otimes \mathbf{S}_1^{\text{cs}(1)} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{S}_0^{\text{ucs}(1)} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{1} \otimes \mathbf{S}_1^{\text{cs}(1)} \rangle$

with:  $\langle \mathbf{1} \otimes \mathbf{S}_1^{\text{cs}(1)}(b_\perp) \rangle = C_i \left( \frac{\mu |b_\perp|}{b_0} \right)^{2\epsilon} \left( \frac{\nu |b_\perp| R_i}{b_0} \right)^\eta h_{\text{in}}$ ,  $\langle \mathbf{S}_0^{\text{ucs}(1)}(b^+) \rangle = C_i \left( \frac{i b^+ \mu}{b_0 R_i} \right)^{2\epsilon} s_{\text{out}}$ ,

$$h_{\text{in}} = \frac{2}{\epsilon^2} - \frac{4}{\eta\epsilon} - \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \left( -\frac{\eta}{\epsilon^3} + \frac{\pi^2\eta}{12\epsilon} - \frac{\zeta_3}{3}\eta - \frac{\pi^2\epsilon}{3\eta} - \frac{4\zeta_3}{3}\epsilon - \frac{17\pi^4}{1440}\eta\epsilon - \frac{4\zeta_3\epsilon^2}{3\eta} - \frac{3\pi^4}{80}\epsilon^2 - \frac{\pi^4\epsilon^3}{40\eta} \right)$$

$$s_{\text{out}} = -\frac{2}{\epsilon^2} - \frac{\pi^2}{2} + \left( -\frac{14\zeta_3}{3}\epsilon - \frac{7\pi^4}{48}\epsilon^2 \right)$$

# Backup: Combination of the collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft functions

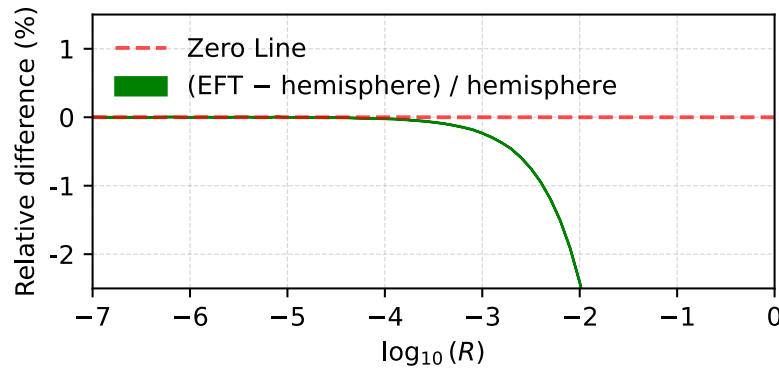
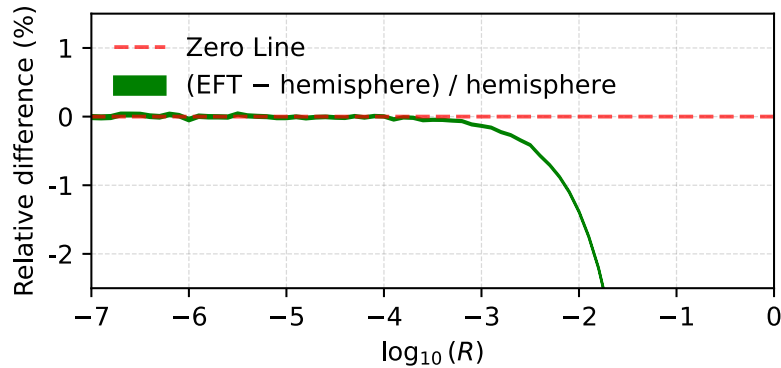
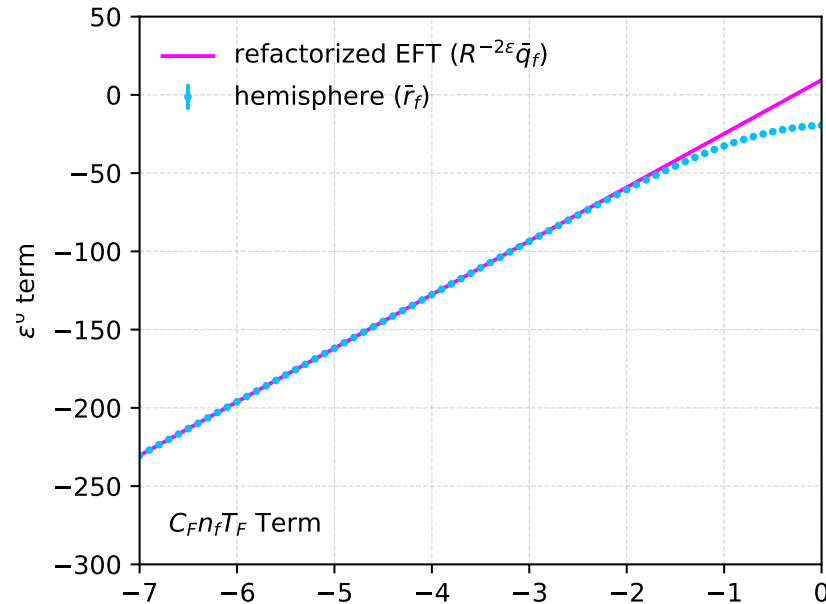
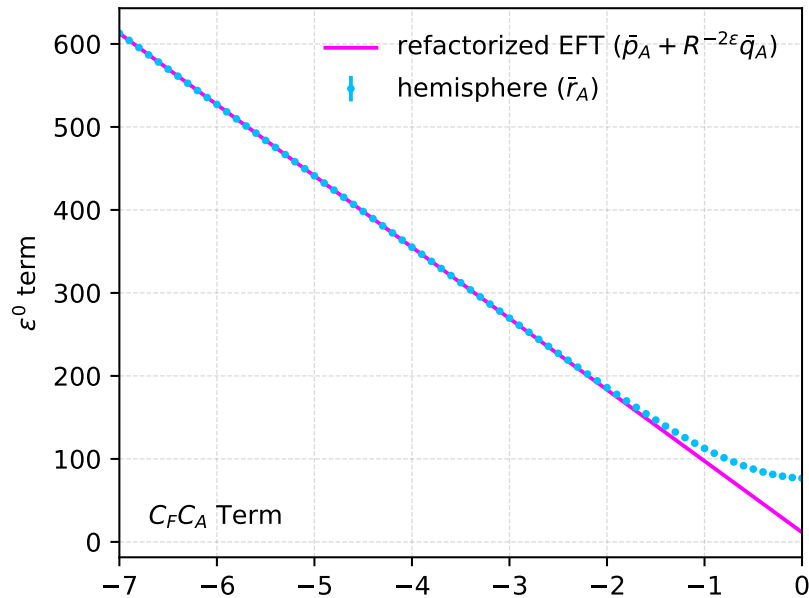
- NNLO  $S_i$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_i^{(2)}(b_\perp, b^+) &= \left(\frac{\mu|b_\perp|}{b_0}\right)^{4\epsilon} \left(\frac{\nu|b_\perp|R_i}{b_0}\right)^\eta \omega^2 \left[ \omega^2 \left(\frac{\nu|b_\perp|R_i}{b_0}\right)^\eta C_i^2 \frac{h_{\text{in}}^2}{2} + C_i C_A (h_A + v_A^{\text{in}}) + C_i n_f T_F h_f \right] \\
 &+ \left(\frac{ib^+ \mu}{b_0 R_i}\right)^{4\epsilon} \left[ C_i^2 \frac{s_{\text{out}}^2}{2} + C_i C_A (g_A + v_A^{\text{out}}) + C_i n_f T_F g_f \right] \\
 &+ \left(\frac{ib^+ \mu}{b_0 R_i}\right)^{4\epsilon} \left[ C_i C_A (s_A - g_A - v_A^{\text{out}}) + C_i n_f T_F (s_f - g_f) \right] \\
 &+ \left(\frac{\mu|b_\perp|}{b_0}\right)^{2\epsilon} \left(\frac{ib^+ \mu}{b_0 R_i}\right)^{2\epsilon} \left[ \left(\frac{\nu|b_\perp|R_i}{b_0}\right)^\eta \omega^2 C_i^2 h_{\text{in}} s_{\text{out}} + C_i C_{AP_A} \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

- Double-real ultra-collinear-soft emissions, where one emission is in-cone and unobserved, while the other is emitted outside the jet cone and measured:

$$q_A = s_A - g_A - v_A^{\text{out}} = \left(-\frac{2}{3} + \frac{22\pi^2}{9} - 4\zeta_3\right) \frac{1}{\epsilon} + \frac{40}{9} - \frac{134\pi^2}{27} + \frac{44\zeta_3}{3} + \frac{8\pi^4}{45}, \quad q_f = s_f - g_f = \left(\frac{4}{3} - \frac{8\pi^2}{9}\right) \frac{1}{\epsilon} - \frac{68}{9} + \frac{64\pi^2}{27} - \frac{16\zeta_3}{3}.$$

# Backup: Refactorization of the hemisphere calculation and its power corrections



The comparison demonstrates that the two approaches are consistent in the small radius limit  $R \ll 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{r}_A &= \bar{p}_A + R^{-2\epsilon}\bar{q}_A + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0 R \ln R, \epsilon^0 R) \\
 &= \frac{2\pi^2}{3\epsilon^2} - \frac{2(3 - 11\pi^2 + 6\pi^2 \ln 2 - 18\zeta_3)}{9\epsilon} + \left[ \left( \frac{4}{3} - \frac{44\pi^2}{9} + 8\zeta_3 \right) \ln R \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{40}{9} + \frac{7\pi^4}{15} + \frac{\pi^2}{27}(-134 + 36 \ln^2 2) + \frac{44\zeta_3}{3} - 16\zeta_3 \ln 2 \right] + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0 R \ln R, \epsilon^0 R),
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{r}_f &= R^{-2\epsilon}\bar{q}_f + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0 R \ln R, \epsilon^0 R) \\
 &= \left( \frac{4}{3} - \frac{8\pi^2}{9} \right) \frac{1}{\epsilon} + \frac{8}{9}(-3 + 2\pi^2) \ln R + \frac{4}{27}(-51 + 16\pi^2 - 36\zeta_3) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0 R \ln R, \epsilon^0 R).
 \end{aligned}$$

# Back-up: Anomalous dimensions

- The standard form of the RG equations of collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft functions can be derived as,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{d \ln \mu} \mathcal{S}_m^{\text{CS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu, \nu) &= \sum_{l=0}^m \Gamma_{ml}^{\text{CS}} \mathcal{S}_l^{\text{CS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu, \nu) & \frac{d}{d \ln \mu} \mathcal{S}_l^{\text{UCS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_x, R, \mu) &= - \sum_{m=l}^{\infty} \mathcal{S}_m^{\text{UCS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_x, R, \mu) \hat{\otimes} \Gamma_{ml}^{\text{UCS}} \\ &= \sum_{l=0}^m \left( \Gamma^{\text{CS}} \delta_{ml} \mathbf{1} + \hat{\Gamma}_{ml} \right) \mathcal{S}_l^{\text{CS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_y, R, \mu, \nu), & &= \sum_{m=l}^{\infty} \mathcal{S}_m^{\text{UCS}}(\{n_i, \bar{n}_i, \underline{u}\}, b_x, R, \mu) \hat{\otimes} \left( \Gamma^{\text{UCS}} \delta_{ml} \mathbf{1} - \hat{\Gamma}_{ml} \right). \end{aligned}$$

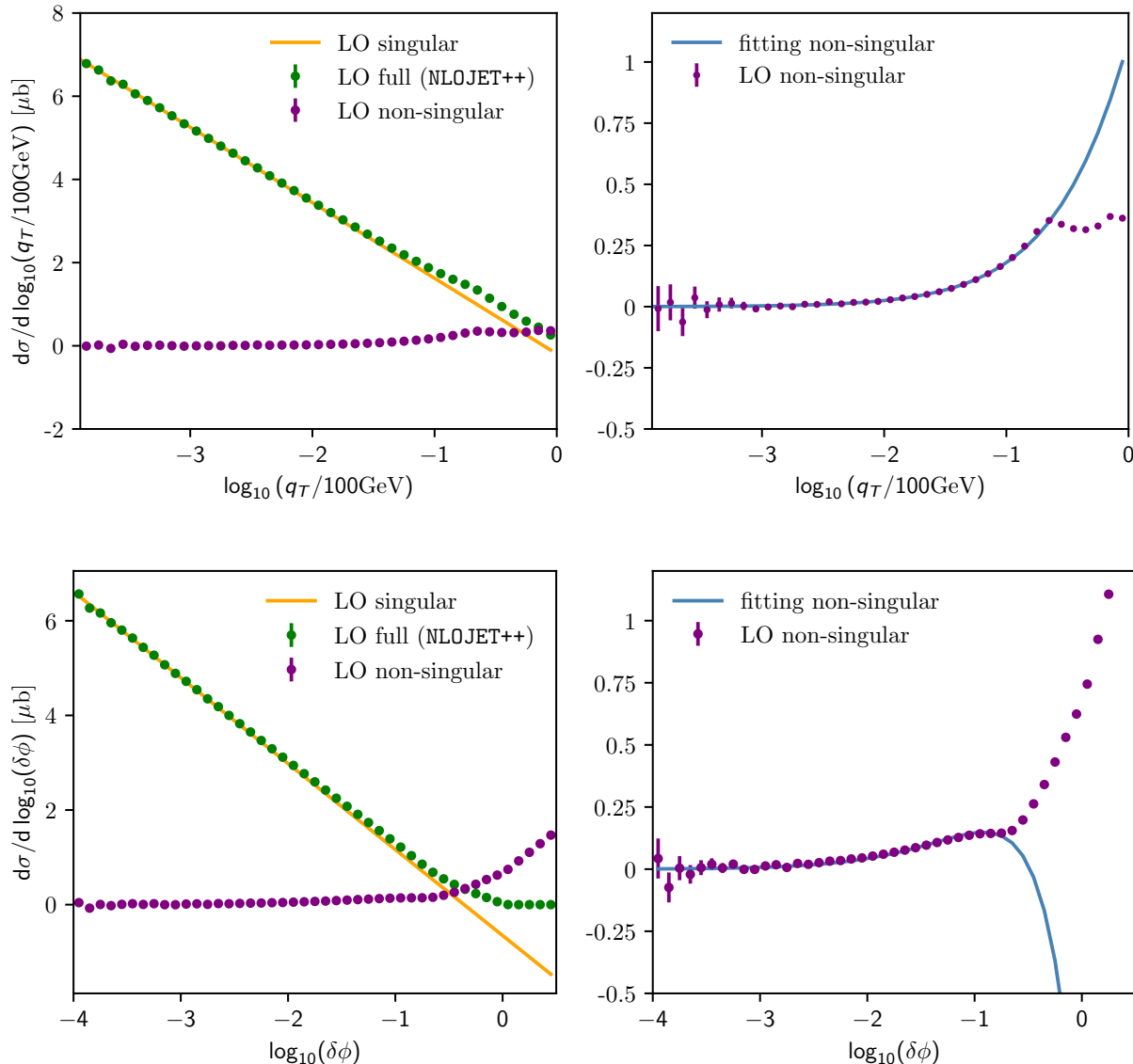
- Their combination  $S_i$ , evolves under the RG without any residual multiplicity mixing,

$$\frac{d}{d \ln \mu} S_i(\vec{b}_T, \eta_i, R, \mu, \nu) = (\Gamma^{\text{CS}} + \Gamma^{\text{UCS}}) S_i(\vec{b}_T, \eta_i, R, \mu, \nu).$$

- The two-loop global anomalous dimensions for the collinear-soft and ultra-collinear-soft functions are

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma^{\text{CS}}(\alpha_s, \{n_i, \bar{n}_i\}, R, \mu, \nu) &= 2C_i \gamma_{\text{cusp}}(\alpha_s) \ln \frac{\mu}{\nu R_i}, \\ \Gamma^{\text{UCS}}(\alpha_s, \{n_i, \bar{n}_i\}, b_x, R, \mu) &= -C_i \gamma_{\text{cusp}}(\alpha_s) \left[ \ln \frac{4\mu^2 b_x^2}{b_0^2 R^2} - i\pi \text{Sign}(b_x n_{i,x}) \right], \end{aligned}$$

# Validation of factorization and Power corrections



- The non-singular contribution ( $B_1 + B_0 \ln \mathcal{O}$ ) ( $\mathcal{O} = \delta\phi$  or  $q_T$ ) retains a logarithmic divergence as  $\mathcal{O} \rightarrow 0$ , despite being suppressed relative to the leading singular terms:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma(\text{LO full})}{d\log_{10} \mathcal{O}} &\simeq \frac{d\sigma(\text{LO singular})}{d\log_{10} \mathcal{O}} + \frac{d\sigma(\text{power corrections})}{d\log_{10} \mathcal{O}} \\ &= (A_1 \ln \mathcal{O} + A_0) + (B_1 \mathcal{O} + B_0 \mathcal{O} \ln \mathcal{O}), \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma(\text{LO full})}{d\mathcal{O}} \simeq \frac{A_1 \ln \mathcal{O} + A_0}{\mathcal{O}} + (B_1 + B_0 \ln \mathcal{O}).$$

- This logarithmic enhancement is characteristic of exclusive or jet-dependent observables. [Ebert, Tackmann '19; Salam, Slade '21; Grazzini, Wiesemann '17]