Monte Carlo símulation of pion and kaon structure functions at JLEIC

TRIESTE (ITALY)



Possibility of measurement for pi/K structure functions at EIC

Jul. 18-22, 2017 Kijun Park



Motivation

Protons, neutrons, pions and kaons are the main building blocks of nuclear matter !! •

1) The pion, or a meson cloud, explains light-quark asymmetry in the nucleon sea 3) Kaon exchange is similarly related to the LambdaN interaction 4) Mass is enigma – cannibalistic gluons vs massless Goldstone bosons

in meson PDFs

Origin of the mass: see Craig's Talk

• scale

PDFs: see Alberto's Talk



Why pi/K structure function is interesting?

Kaon structure function & Gluon content of kaon

- ♦ Valence quarks carry 95% of kaon's momentum at perturbative hadronic scale (in LQCD&DSE)
- Owing to heavier mass of intermediate states that can introduce sea-quarks, therefore sea-quark content of kaon is effectively zero !!
- LF-momentum fraction carried by glue as a parameter through u-quark ratio in K/pi

Tagged DIS (TDIS) technique optimized to probe the

partonic components of the meson cloud of the nucleon

- Extraction of the pion/kaon structure function
- Testing of fundamental QCD
- ♦ No kaon data at all !
- The pi/k data crucial complimentary for understanding of the important background

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NA3 Collaboration @ CERN (1980)



DSE prediction for the ratio of u-quark distributions in the kaon and pion

only Drell-Yan data !!!OLD DATA





Tagged Deep Inelastic Scattering (TDIS)

- Sullivan Process lacksquareprocess)
- Direct measure the mesonic-nucleon content lacksquare





.. provides reliable access to a meson target as t becomes space-like (the meson pole dominance of the



Pion and Kaon Structure at an Electron-Ion Collider

1–2 June 2017, Physics Division, Argonne National Laboratory



Introduction

This workshop at Argonne National Laboratory will explore opportunities provided by an EIC to study the quark and gluon structure of the pion and kaon.

Invited Speakers:

- Whitney Armstrong (Argonne National Laboratory) [talk]
- Tanja Horn (The Catholic University of America) [R. Trotta] [T. Horn]
- Garth Huber (University of Regina) [talk]
- Huey-Wen Lin (Michigan State University) [talk]
- Wally Melnitchouk (Jefferson Lab) [talk]
- Pavel Nadolsky (Southern Methodist University) [talk]
- Kijun Park (Jefferson Lab) [talk]
- Jen-Chieh Peng (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign) [talk]
- Stephane Platchkov (CERN) [talk]





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Workshop on Pion and Kaon Structure at an **Electron-Ion Collider** June 1-2 2017



PAC45-JLAB12GeV



Dissociation Mode



MC GEATN4 Simulation



-> help to guide a baseline far-forward detector

How to Implement Model into Event Generator Present Preliminary Simulation Results



Event Generator (EG)

Implementing accelerator info

- Beam emittances($\epsilon_{e,i}^n$, $\beta_{e,i}^*$) IP, Cross-angle: 50 mrad, [$E_e x E_D$] = [5×100] GeV², p_R < 300 MeV - Longitudinal p and angular spread of the beam: $dp/p = 3 \times 10^{-4}$, $d\theta = 2 \times 10^{-4}$
- User inputs:
 - cross-section model/ nucleon Struc.Func./ deuteron Wav.Func./ pi/k single meson exchange models / various regularization forms
- Resolution and Uncertainty
 - Initial State Smearing (ISS) is $\ll \pm 1\%$
 - Intrinsic MC Statistical Uncertainty is < 1%
 - Sufficient t' resolution for the onshell-extrapolation
 - FSI (D, on-going work, developement of theorety code)
- Codes are built with C^{++} (phase-space) and ROOT v5.34.34
- Very compact and stand alone code**(running MacOS/CentOS6.5)
 - TDISMC_EIC.cpp, TDISMC_EIC.h for proton tagged
 - TDISMC_EICn.cpp, TDISMC_EICn.h for neutron tagged
 - Theory Inputs:
 - moment_ld2b.dat
 - cteq/cteqpdf.h
 - cteq-tbls/ctq66m/ctq66.00.pds
- Produce outputs: (various output formats) - TDIS-MC05×100.root (Ntuple/Histograms)
 - TDIS_lund.txt (ASCII/GEMC Input)





Feynman diagrams

Splitting functions

$$f_N^{(\text{on})}(y) = \frac{g_A^2 M^2}{(4\pi f_\pi)^2} \int dk_\perp^2 \frac{y \left(k_\perp^2 + y^2 M^2\right)}{(1-y)^2 D_{\pi N}^2}$$

arXiv.org > hep-ph > arXiv:1512.04459

High Energy Physics – Phenomenology

Pion structure function from leading neutron electroproduction and SU(2) flavor asymmetry

J. R. McKenney, Nobuo Sato, W. Melnitchouk, Chueng-Ryong Ji

(Submitted on 14 Dec 2015)

 $f_{Y}^{(on)}(y) = y \int dk_{\perp}^{2} \frac{k_{\perp}^{2} + (My + \Delta)^{2}}{(1 - v)^{2} D_{v}^{2}} F$

arXiv.org > hep-ph > arXiv:1610.03333

High Energy Physics – Phenomenology

Strange quark asymmetry in the proton in chiral effective theory

X.G. Wang, Chueng-Ryong Ji, W. Melnitchouk, Y. Salamu, A.W. Thomas, P. Wang (Submitted on 11 Oct 2016)



On-shell Splitting Functions









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Detector Símulation for Acceptance

Plug event into GEMC: 5x100 GeV2, e/p beams



The architecture of gemc













At 5th Virtual

Particle Trajectory

At 10th Virtual Defector

At 9th Virtual Defector



s.Proton can be detected before 3rd Dipole s.pion can be detected before 3rd Dipole









Betore 1st Dipole

Dark red-disks are virtual detectors









let's build giant virtual detector cover this region L_{ength}=14 m $R_{IN} = 0.03 m$ $R_{OUT}=10 m$ Virtual Detector is aligned with the ion beam line 1st Dipole













Estimation of Errors kaon TDIS

x_B dependence middle Q²

$$f_{int} = 100$$

Br_{Decay} = 0.64(

Q² dependence small x_B









- Limited (pion) / no (kaon) experiment at all
- Help to understand flavor asymmetry of the nucleon sea Extraction of the pion and kaon structure functions
- Address what part of the nucleon pdf comes from the mesonic component
 - ➡ Fundamental QCD



TDIS technique allows to probe the partonic components of the meson cloud of the nucleon

The result of the studies is that one can use the Sullivan process to probe pion/kaon structure.



Ihank you for your attention!











off-shelness

Cite: arXiv:1702.06100v1, S. Qin, C. Roberts (2017)



The virtuality-dependence exhibited by one of the UV-dominant terms in the pion's Bethe-Salpeter amplitude



v-dependence of the virtuality eigenvalue

To check for pole-dominance, range of low t. Q1) In calculation, up to what values of t one may expect meson pole dominance?

Q2) How the internal structure of the pion is modified ?

scalar functions dominant amplitudes

1/Intro. a virtuality (V, off-shell) eigenvalue for the bound-states in the Bethe-Salpeter Eq. -> explore the off-shellness.

2/Virtuality < 31, all changes in pion internal structure are linear, modest.

3/Well-constrained extrapolation as used in experimental analysis should be reliable.

1/ Possible rearrangements of the pion's internal structure from studying the impact of V

2/ k²-dependence of the F_{virtual}/F_{real} of the leading *Chebyshev moment* for the UV

3/Shows an impact of nonzero V on the pion's internal structure is modest at V = 31(corresponds to $-t \sim 0.6 \text{ GeV}^2$) for length scales (\mathcal{L}) > 0.2 fm.

4/ By repeating this analysis and expanding to kaon, $s + \overline{s}$ pseudo-scalar bound-state 5/ Interpolating to the pion & kaon, the off-shell correlation serves

pions: $-t < 0.6 \text{ GeV}^2$, kaons: $-t < 0.9 \text{ GeV}^2$









kinematic variables

- $x (= x_{BJ})$: scaling variable, Bjorken x
- Q^2 : virtuality of the exchanged photon = $-(k_i k_f)^2$
- $y_e = \frac{Q^2}{x \cdot s}$: scaling variable, electron fractional energy loss in the target rest frame
- p^+ : proton momentum in light cone frame
- k^+ :meson momentum in light cone frame
- $y(\text{or } z) = \frac{k^+}{p^+}$: light-cone momentum fraction of the initial nucleon carried by the interacting meson
- $x_F = 1 y$: light-cone momentum fraction of the initial nucleon carried by the neutron

 \rightarrow leading neutron production at HERA

• $x_{\pi} = \frac{x}{x_{F}} = \frac{x}{1-v}$: pion momentum fraction ($x_{k} = kaon$ momentum fraction)





