# Jets at an EIC: A Window on the Partons

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#### Outline

- Underlying Event Characteristics
- Accessing Gluon Spin with Dijets
- Detector Smearing

#### Simulation Details / Particle Cuts

- Electron Proton events generated at  $\sqrt{s} = 141$  GeV using PYTHIA
- Cut on inelasticity:  $0.01 \le y \le 0.95$
- Jet Algorithm: Anti\_k<sub>T</sub> (R = 1.0)
- Jets found in Breit frame
- Particles used in jet finding:
  - Stable
  - p<sub>T</sub> ≥ 250 MeV
  - η ≤ 4.5
  - Parent cannot originate from scattered electron



# **Underlying Event Study**

- E<sub>T</sub> (GeV) ep events are expected to be very EIC ep dijet event clean with little underlying event 2 Want to systematically quantify the amount of underlying event present in a typical event 0 2 0 **2**p -2 φ Away **Trigger Jet** Direction Transverse Divide event into regions based on Df position of a trigger jet Toward f Trigger Transverse regions sensitive to Jet underlying event contribution Transverse Transverse Toward Transverse Away For this study: Dijet events from ۲ Resolved, QCDC, and PGF subprocesses;
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Away

 $Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ;  $p_{T1} > 5$ ,  $p_{T2} > 4.5 \text{ GeV/c}$ 

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#### **Underlying Event Characteristics**



- Plot average number of charged particles per event as a function of azimuthal angle from trigger jet
- Also plot the average summed particle p<sub>T</sub>
- See little dependence on trigger jet p<sub>T</sub>
- The number of charged particles and p<sub>T</sub> sum in transverse region is small

# **Underlying Event Characteristics**



- Underlying event activity for Resolved, QCDC, and PGF event classes similar to that seen in pp collisions at STAR at Vs = 200 GeV
- Studies with Q<sup>2</sup> > 1 GeV<sup>2</sup> forthcoming

- Plot the average number of charged particles and average summed p<sub>T</sub> for the three regions as a function of trigger jet p<sub>T</sub>
- See that these quantities are independent of the trigger jet pT in transverse region



#### Accessing ∆G in DIS

 Several observables are sensitive to ΔG in DIS but golden measurement at an EIC would be scaling violation of g<sub>1</sub>(x,Q<sup>2</sup>)

$$\frac{dg_1(x,Q^2)}{dln(Q^2)} \approx -\Delta g(x,Q^2)$$

- Current DIS constraints on ΔG hampered by limited x & Q<sup>2</sup> coverage
- EIC would greatly expand kinematic reach and precision of g<sub>1</sub>(x,Q<sup>2</sup>) measurements!



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- At lower Q2, resolved processes in which the photon assumes a hadronic structure begin to dominate
- Asymmetry is a convolution of polarized PDF from the proton and polarized photon structure – which is completely unconstrained
- Would like to suppress the resolved component

#### **Gluon Polarization with Di-jets**

Reconstructed X\_Gamma: Q2 = 10-100 GeV^2



Reco Vs True X\_Proton (X\_Gamma > 0.8): PGF: Q2 = 10-100 GeV\*2



Reco Vs True X\_Gamma: hQCD: Q2 = 10-100 GeV^2



- Reconstruct virtual photon momentum fraction x<sub>γ</sub>; direct processes concentrate toward 1 with resolved processes at lower values
- Cut of  $x_v > 0.8$  enhances the direct fraction
- Can also reconstruct momentum fraction of parton from the proton, x<sub>p</sub>
- Both x<sub>v</sub> and x<sub>P</sub> accurately reconstructed

$$w = \overset{\land \land \land}{a(s,t,\mu^2,Q^2)} \bullet \frac{\Delta f_a^{\gamma^*}(x_a,\mu^2)}{f_a^{\gamma^*}(x_a,\mu^2)} \bullet \frac{\Delta f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}{f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}$$



- PYTHIA does not include parton polarization effects, but an asymmetry can be formed by assigning each event a weight depending on the hard-scattering asymmetry and (un)polarized photon and proton PDFs
- Expected asymmetry is then the average over weights
- Weights are sharply spiked near zero -> expect small asymmetries

# A<sub>LL</sub> Vs Di-jet Mass



- Plot the expected A<sub>LL</sub> as a function of di-jet invariant mass for each sub-process separately as well as the combined sample
- PGF asymmetry is nearly canceled out by QCDC asymmetry with opposite sign – would like to reduce QCDC contribution
- Need high integrated luminosity and high energy to probe the high-mass region where asymmetries can be sizable
- Control of systematics will be essential

# A<sub>LL</sub> Vs Di-jet Mass: x<sub>P</sub> Cuts



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Dijet Mass

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**Diiet Mass** 

 Largest x<sub>P</sub> values have roughly equal amounts EIC Users Meeting - Trieste

#### **Simulating Detector Response**

- Need to study the effect that detector smearing will have on jet observables and kinematic quantities reconstructed from jets
- Do this via a fast smearing program based on the BeAST detector design
- Electromagnetic calorimeter coverage spans range of +/- 4 in pseudorapidity with resolution between 7 and 15%/VE
  - EM clusters assumed to be massless
- Tracking coverage spans range of +/- 3.5 in pseudorapidity
  - Tracks assumed to have pion mass
- Hadronic calorimetry in forward region between 1 and 4 in pseudorapidity with resolution of 50%/VE
  - Neutral Hadrons (Neutrons & K<sub>L</sub>s) at mid-rapidity are not included in jet finding

#### Particle – Detector $\Delta R$



Particle - Detector Level ∆ R: PGF

- For each smeared jet, find the particle level jet such that ΔR is smallest
- Plot ΔR for the low detector p<sub>T</sub> jet vs that for the high p<sub>T</sub> jet
- Most ΔR values are less than 0.1 meaning jet thrust axis is not altered very much by detector smearing

#### Particle – Detector Comparison

Particle Vs Detector Level Jet Pt: PGF

Particle Vs Detector Level Jet Rapidity: PGF



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#### Particle – Detector Comparison

Particle Vs Detector Level Reco x,: PGF



- Both x<sub>γ</sub> and x<sub>P</sub> show good agreement between the particle level and smeared values
- Level of smearing is similar to that seen between particle level and generated values

- Have seen that the individual jet quantities are well reproduced after smearing
- What about quantities derived from jet properties such as x<sub>y</sub> and x<sub>p</sub>?



#### Summary

- Characterization of the underlying event was made and the contribution was found to be rather small
- A method for accessing the gluon polarization using dijets to tag photon-gluon fusion events was presented and expected asymmetries given various cuts were found
- Impacts of detector effects on jet observables are being investigated using a fast smearing package and BeAST detector parameters
- Bonus: Studies on the possibility of discriminating between quark and gluon initiated jets can be found in the backup
- See Also: the paper by Xiaoxuan Chu et al on the use of dijets to tag resolved process events for studies of the photon structure (arXiv:1705.08831)

#### Backup

#### **Dijet Phase Space**



#### Jets at an EIC: Points to Remember



- Lower center of mass energies will lead to lower jet / di-jet yields and more limited p<sub>T</sub> / mass reach
- Will need largest available energies and high luminosity to accumulate reasonable statistics at high  $p_T$  / mass use  $\sqrt{s} = 141$  GeV for all that follows



#### Jets at an EIC: Points to Remember

Number of Particles in Jet Vs Jet Pt



- Jets contain relatively few particles overall
- Events are quite clean with little underlying event activity
- Typical particle p<sub>T</sub> is small -> precision tracking important for reducing jet energy scale uncertainties

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#### **UE Method Comparison**



#### Quark – Gluon Discrimination

- Can we discriminate between jets arising from quarks and those arising from gluons?
- For this study, only consider light quarks: u, d, and s. Assume that heavy quark tagging will employ different methods
- Jets (part of a di-jet) are found in the Breit frame from events with Q<sup>2</sup> = 10 100 GeV<sup>2</sup> and resolved, QCDC, and PGF subprocess
- Look only at jets with  $p_T \ge 10$  GeV as the separation between quark and gluon jets is more pronounced



#### **Input Variables**



Girth<sup>2</sup> = 
$$\sum_{i} \frac{p_{Ti}}{p_{Tjet}} |r_i|^2$$

2 Point = 
$$\frac{1}{p_{Tjet}^2} \sum_{i \neq j} p_{Ti} * p_{Tj} * |r_{ij}|^{\beta}$$

#### **Method Comparison**



- Characterize a number of multivariate methods by percentage of background rejected vs signal retained
- All methods performed roughly the same
- For the following, use MLPBNN which is a neural network implementation

# **Cut Optimization**



For current study, place cut where signal purity = signal efficiency

- TMVA evaluates all input and maps them to a single variable with more signallike events having a higher value
- Plot signal & background efficiency, signal purity, significance, etc as a function of this cut value
- This plot shows where to place cut in order to maximize purity, efficiency, or whatever an analysis requires

#### **MLPBNN Response**



#### Jet Rapidity Spectra



 After cut is applied, can plot quark and gluon jets vs any relevant variable

 Here we see that gluons dominate at higher rapidity

Look at jets with rapidity > 1.8 to further enhance gluon fraction

Dotted Red = All Quarks (11650) Dotted Blue = All Gluons (4511) Solid Red = Quarks After Cut (1964) Solid Blue = Gluons After Cut (2568) G/Q Before Cut = 0.39 G/Q After Cut = 1.31 G/(G+Q) Before = 28% G/(G+Q) After = 57%

#### Jet p<sub>T</sub> Spectra With Rapidity Cut



#### **Direct Vs Resolved Processes**

 $X_{\gamma} = \frac{1}{2E_{e}y} \left( m_{T1}e^{-y_{1}} + m_{T2}e^{-y_{2}} \right)$ 



- Plot reconstructed X<sub>γ</sub> for direct and resolved processes
- Direct processes should concentrate toward 1 while resolved processes are at lower values
- Direct processes dominate at higher Q<sup>2</sup> while resolved are more prevalent at low Q<sup>2</sup>
- Cut of X<sub>γ</sub> > 0.8 enhances the direct fraction at all Q<sup>2</sup>

#### X<sub>v</sub>: Reconstructed Vs True



- Will use virtual photon momentum fraction to discriminate between resolved and direct processes
- See good agreement between reconstructed and true X<sub>ν</sub> for all Q<sup>2</sup> ranges
- Di-jets found in Breit frame and required one jet with  $p_T \ge 5$  GeV and the other with  $p_T \ge 4$  GeV

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#### **Proton Partonic Kinematics**



Momentum fraction of the parton from proton is well reconstructed

$$X_{P} = \frac{1}{2E_{P}} \left( m_{T1} e^{y_{1}} + m_{T2} e^{y_{2}} \right)$$

#### **Proton Partonic Kinematics**

$$X_P = x_B \left( 1 + \frac{M^2}{Q^2} \right)$$

$$Q^{2} = syx_{B}$$

$$X_{P} = x_{B} + \underbrace{\frac{M^{2}}{sy}}_{y}$$

$$\approx \frac{100}{(20000 \times 0.95)} \approx 0.005$$

- To measure ΔG, need to probe the parton coming from the proton
- Momentum fraction of the parton from proton is well reconstructed
- X<sub>p</sub> is related to Bjorken-x and Q<sup>2</sup> at leading order
- Q<sup>2</sup> and Bjorken-x are also related via the collision energy and inelasticity
- Accessible X<sub>P</sub> range basically determined by beam energies
- Lowest X<sub>p</sub> we can probe is about 0.005

# $X_P$ For Different $Q^2$

Reco X Proton (X\_Gamma >= 0.8): Q2 = 10-100



- At lower Q<sup>2</sup>, contribution from resolved process increases while QCD Compton contribution decreases
- For a given di-jet mass range (10 20 GeV in this case), same X<sub>P</sub> can be reconstructed event-by-event and probed over large range of Q<sup>2</sup>
- This will allow for robust tests of the evolution of  $\Delta G$

#### Increasing Q<sup>2</sup>

$$w = \hat{a}(\hat{s}, \hat{t}, \mu^2, Q^2)$$

$$\frac{\Delta f_a^{\gamma^*}(x_a,\mu^2)}{f_a^{\gamma^*}(x_a,\mu^2)}$$

$$\frac{\Delta f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}{f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}$$

- Process-dependent hard scattering asymmetry is a function of Mandelstam variables (Cos(θ\*))
- The direct process distributions will be smeared by the additional depolarization term
  - Note that the asymmetry for PGF is negative



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Photon Delta\_f/f: Profile: Q2 = 10-100 GeV

$$\frac{\Delta f_a^{\gamma^*}(x_a,\mu^2)}{f_a^{\gamma^*}(x_a,\mu^2)}$$

$$\bullet \frac{\Delta f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}{f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}$$



- Second term is the ratio of the polarized to unpolarized photon PDFs
- Use maximal scheme for polarized and GRV-G for unpolarized
- For direct processes such as Photon-Gluon Fusion, this term is identically unity

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$$\frac{\Delta f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}{f_b^N(x_b,\mu^2)}$$

Proton Delta\_f/f: Profile (DSSV14): Q2 = 10-100 GeV



- Last term is the ratio of the polarized to unpolarized proton PDFs
- Use DSSV14 for polarized and CTEQ5M for unpolarized

# A<sub>LL</sub> Vs X<sub>Proton</sub>



- Asymmetry is plotted as a function of the momentum fraction of the parton from the proton
- Asymmetry shown for dijet invariant masses between 10 and 20 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>
- Error bars are statistical and scaled to the given integrated luminosity
- Different mass ranges will emphasize different momentum fraction ranges and subprocess mixes

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