

Perturbative T-odd proton-helicity asymmetry in SIDIS

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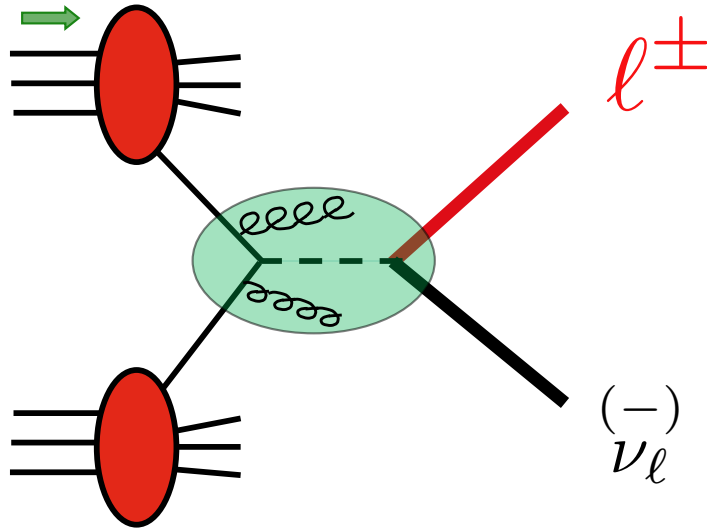
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W bosons at RHIC:

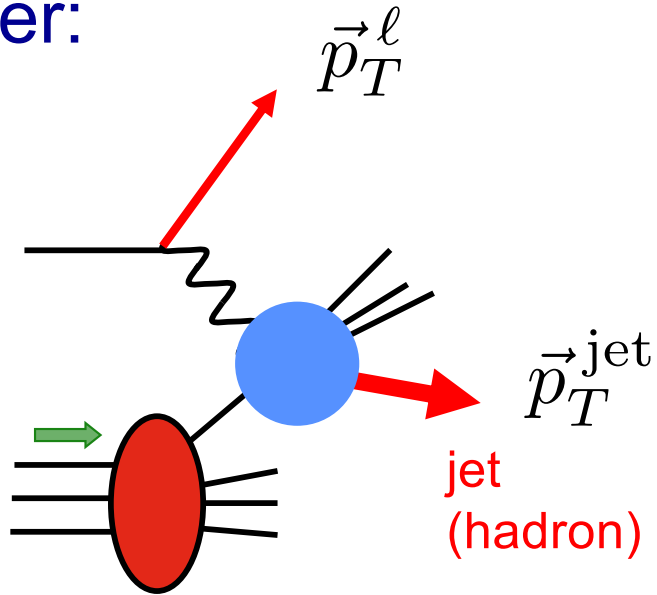


$$\vec{p} \ p \rightarrow l^\pm \ X$$

$$A_L = \frac{\sigma^+ - \sigma^-}{\sigma^+ + \sigma^-}$$

$A_L \neq 0$ requires parity violation ($\vec{S}_L \cdot \vec{p}_T^\ell$)

- however:



P even
T-odd

$$\vec{S}_L \cdot (\vec{p}_T^\ell \times \vec{p}_T^{\text{jet}}) \sim \sin \phi$$

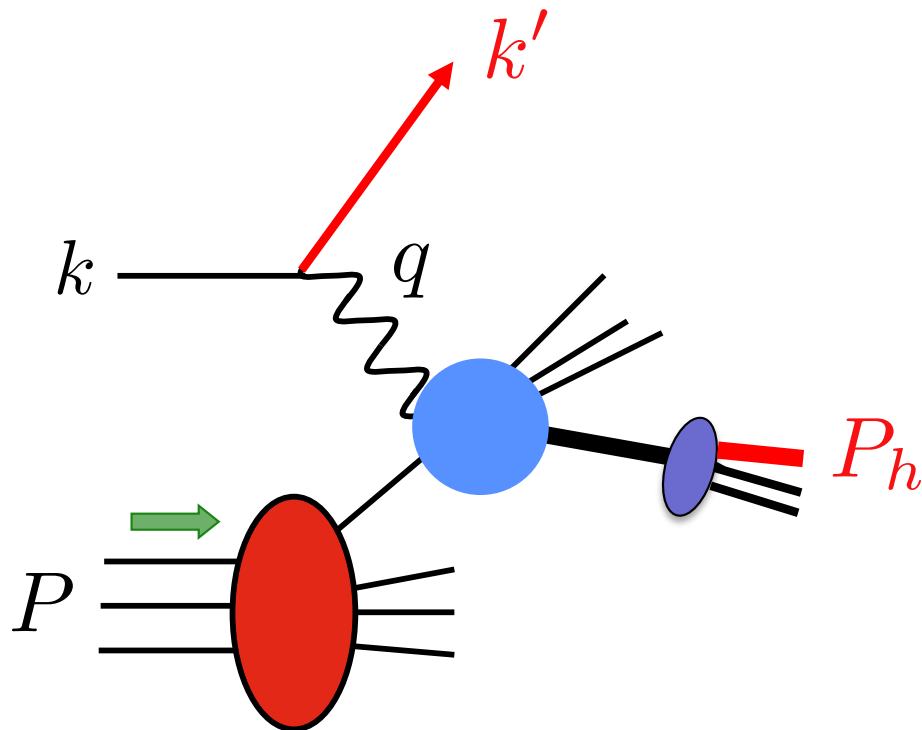
$$\vec{S}_L \cdot (\vec{p}_T^\ell \times \vec{p}_T^{\text{jet}}) (\vec{p}_T^\ell \cdot \vec{p}_T^{\text{jet}}) \sim \sin(2\phi)$$

$$A_L = \mathcal{A} \sin \phi + \mathcal{B} \sin(2\phi)$$

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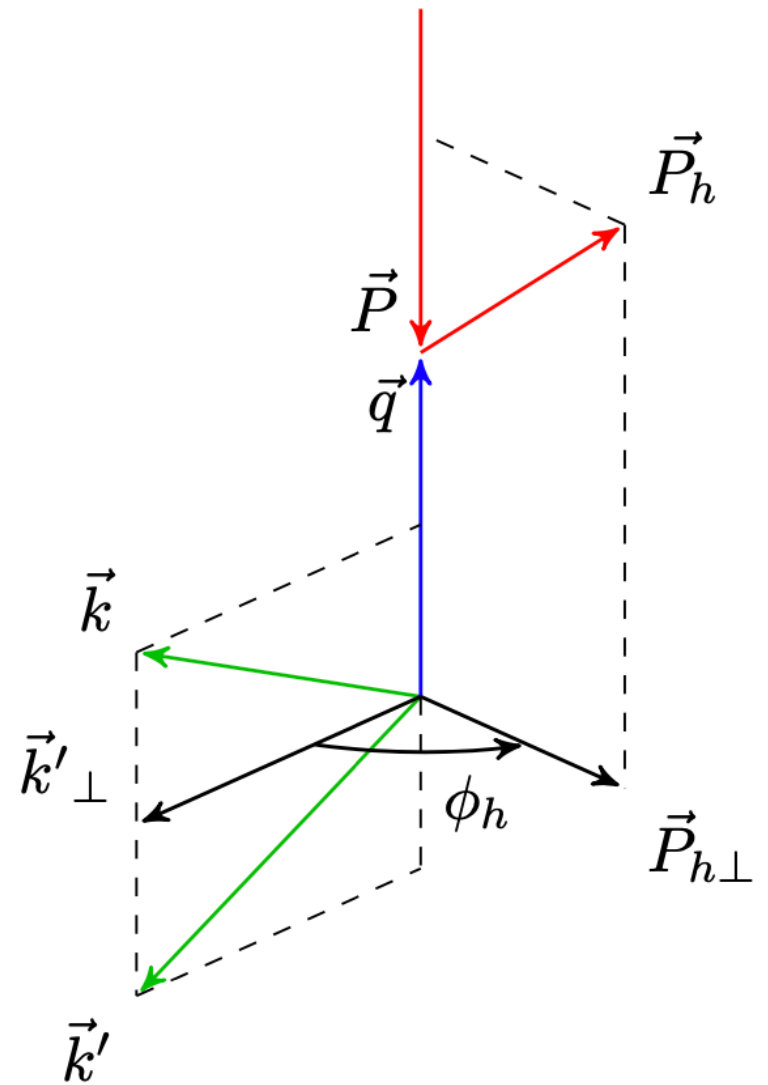
Perturbative T-odd observable in SIDIS

- SIDIS kinematics:



$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2P \cdot q} \quad y = \frac{P \cdot q}{P \cdot k}$$

$$z = \frac{P \cdot P_h}{P \cdot q}$$



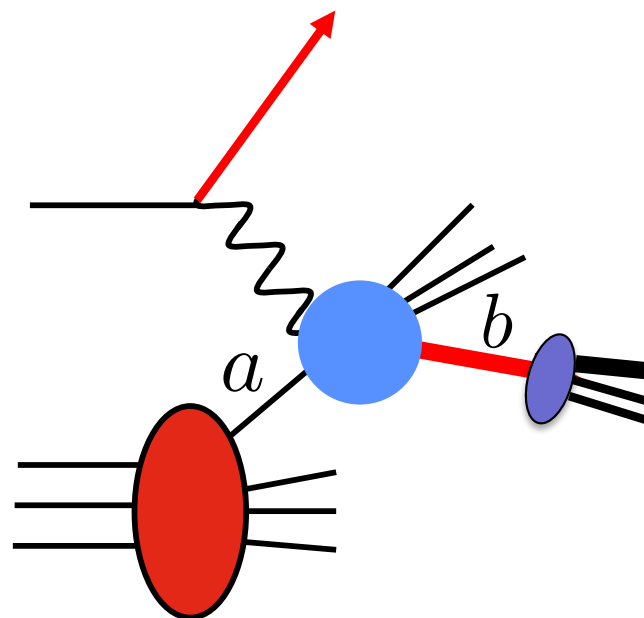
Gourdin; Kotzinian;
 Mulders, Tangerman;
 Bacchetta, Diehl, Goeke, Metz,
 Mulders, Schlegel

- one-photon exchange:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d\sigma}{dx dy dz d\phi_h dq_T^2} &= \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{yQ^4} \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L} \right. \\
 &\quad + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \cos(2\phi_h) \\
 &\quad + S_{\parallel} \lambda_e \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} F_{LL} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LL}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h \right] \\
 &\quad + S_{\parallel} \left[\sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UL}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} \sin(2\phi_h) \right] \\
 &\quad \left. + \lambda_e \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LU}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h \right\} \\
 q_T^2 &\equiv \frac{P_{h\perp}^2}{z^2} \quad \varepsilon \equiv \frac{1-y}{1-y+y^2/2} \quad F_{\text{pol}}^{\text{trig}(\phi)}
 \end{aligned}$$

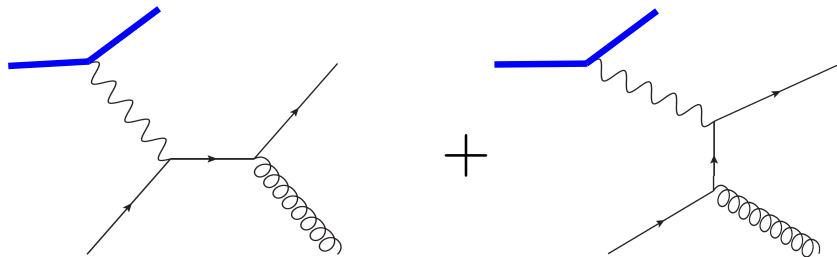
- QCD hard scattering, collinear factorization:

$$\hat{x} = \frac{Q^2}{2p_a \cdot q} \quad \hat{z} = \frac{p_b \cdot p_a}{p_a \cdot q}$$

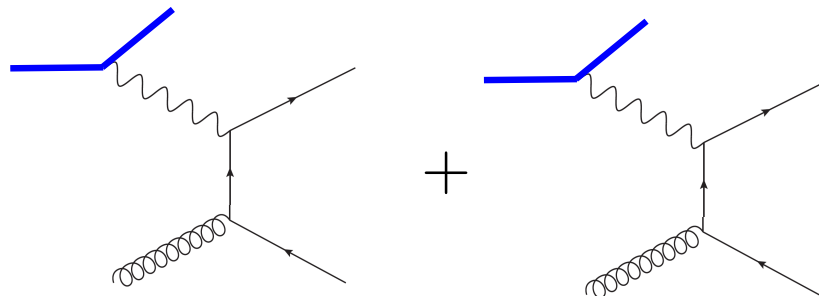


$$F_{\text{pol}}^{\text{trig}(\phi_h)} \left(x, z, \frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} \right) = \sum_{a,b} \text{PDF}_a \otimes C_{\text{pol}}^{\text{trig}(\phi_h), a \rightarrow b} \left(\hat{x}, \hat{z}, \frac{q_T^2}{Q^2}, \alpha_s(\mu) \right) \otimes \text{FF}_b$$

- lowest order, $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$



$$\gamma^* q \rightarrow qq$$



$$\gamma^* g \rightarrow qq$$

- all T-even pieces populated by LO pQCD:

Mendez;
Koike, Nagashima, WV

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d\sigma}{dx dy dz d\phi_h dP_{h\perp}^2} &= \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{xyQ^2} \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L} \right. \\
 &+ \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \cos(2\phi_h) \\
 &+ S_{\parallel} \lambda_e \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} F_{LL} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LL}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h \right] \\
 &+ S_{\parallel} \left[\sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UL}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} \sin(2\phi_h) \right] \\
 &\left. + \lambda_e \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LU}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

- how about T-odd?

- compare $|i\rangle \rightarrow |f\rangle$ and $|\tilde{i}\rangle \rightarrow |\tilde{f}\rangle$, where $|\tilde{i}\rangle, |\tilde{f}\rangle$ are states with reversed momenta and spins

- T-odd effect:
$$0 \neq |\mathcal{M}_{fi}|^2 - |\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{f}\tilde{i}}|^2$$

$$= -2 \operatorname{Im} \left(\mathcal{M}_{fi}^* \alpha_{fi} \right) - |\alpha_{fi}|^2$$

↑ absorptive part

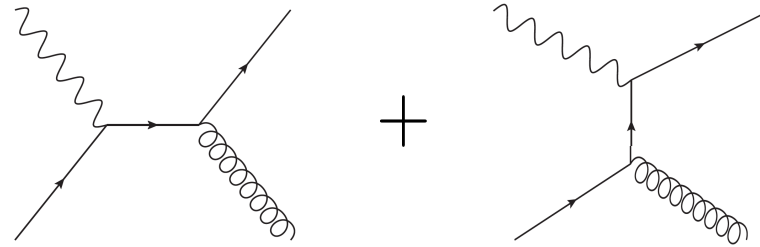
$$i\alpha_{fi} = \mathcal{M}_{fi} - \mathcal{M}_{if}^*$$

- Born contributions are real, but 1-loop amplitudes have imaginary parts

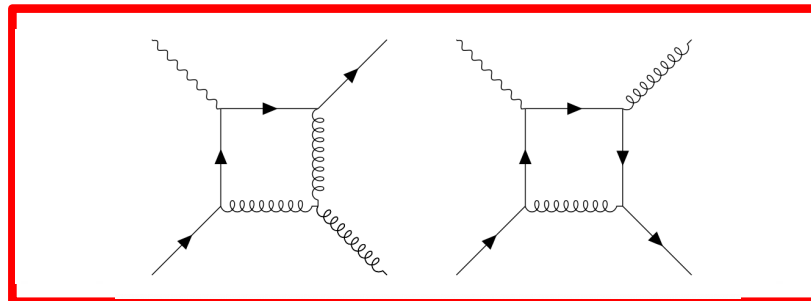
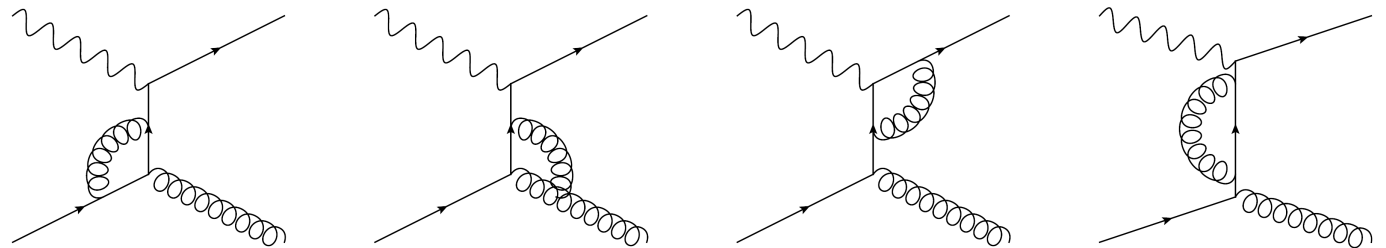
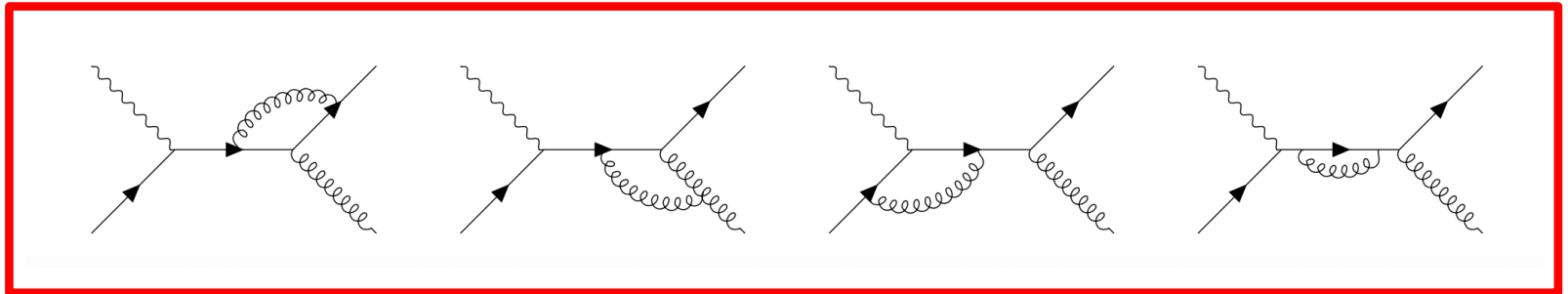
→ consider their interference, $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$

De Rujula, Kaplan, De Rafael;
Körner, Kramer, ...;
Hagiwara, Hikasa, Kai

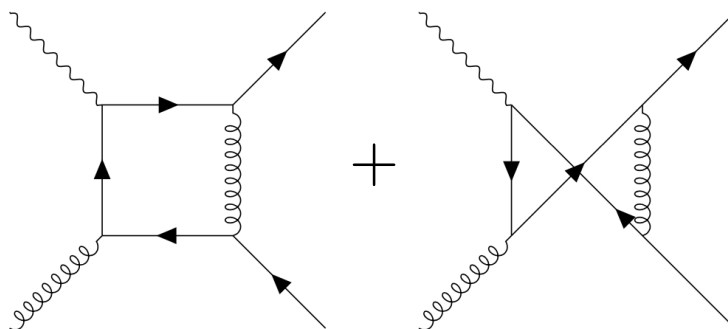
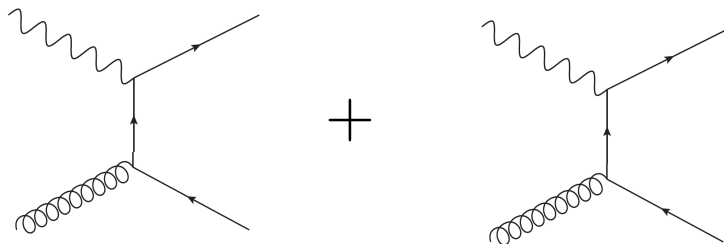
- Born diagrams:



- 1-loop



- plus, gluon channel:



- calculation quite straightforward
- imaginary part must be finite (no place for poles)
- still, individual diagrams have poles
 - dimensional regularization
 - need γ^5 and $\varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$ ('t Hooft-Veltman-Breitenlohner-Maison)

- structure functions at $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$:

$$F_{UL}^{\sin(n\phi_h)} \left(x, z, \frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} \right) = \sum_{a,b} \int_x^1 \frac{d\hat{x}}{\hat{x}} \int_z^1 \frac{d\hat{z}}{\hat{z}} \Delta f_a \left(\frac{x}{\hat{x}}, \mu^2 \right) C_{UL}^{\sin(n\phi_h), a \rightarrow b} (\hat{x}, \hat{z}) D_b^h \left(\frac{z}{\hat{z}}, \mu^2 \right) \times \delta \left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} - \frac{(1-\hat{x})(1-\hat{z})}{\hat{x}\hat{z}} \right)$$

where

$$C_{UL}^{\sin \phi_h, q \rightarrow q}(\hat{x}, \hat{z}) = \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 e_q^2 C_F \left(C_A(1-\hat{x}) + C_F(\hat{x}-1-\hat{z}+3\hat{x}\hat{z}) + \frac{1}{C_A}(1-2\hat{x}) \frac{\hat{z} \ln \hat{z}}{1-\hat{z}} \right) \frac{Q}{q_T}$$

$$C_{UL}^{\sin \phi_h, g \rightarrow q}(\hat{x}, \hat{z}) = \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 \frac{e_q^2}{C_A} \frac{1-\hat{x}}{2\hat{z}^2} \left(\hat{x}\hat{z}(1-2\hat{z}) - (1-\hat{x}) \ln(1-\hat{z}) + (1-\hat{x}) \frac{\hat{z} \ln(\hat{z})}{1-\hat{z}} \right) \frac{Q}{q_T}$$

$$C_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h, q \rightarrow q}(\hat{x}, \hat{z}) = \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 e_q^2 C_F(1-\hat{x}) \left(\frac{1}{C_A} \frac{(1-2\hat{z}) \ln \hat{z}}{1-\hat{z}} - (C_A + (1-3\hat{z})C_F) \right) \frac{Q^2}{q_T^2}$$

$$C_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h, g \rightarrow q}(\hat{x}, \hat{z}) = \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 e_q^2 \frac{1}{C_A} \frac{(1-\hat{x})^2}{2\hat{z}^3} \left(\hat{z}(2(1-\hat{z})\hat{z}-1) - (1-\hat{z}) \ln(1-\hat{z}) - \frac{\hat{z}^2 \ln \hat{z}}{1-\hat{z}} \right) \frac{Q^2}{q_T^2}$$

($q \rightarrow g$ by crossing)

- so, pQCD at $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$ also gives T-odd terms:

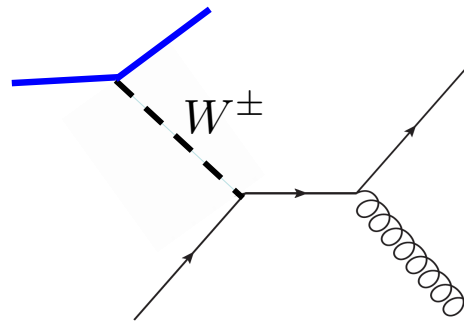
$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{d\sigma}{dx dy dz d\phi_h dP_{h\perp}^2} &= \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{xyQ^2} \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L} \right. \\
&+ \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \cos(2\phi_h) \\
&+ S_{\parallel} \lambda_e \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} F_{LL} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LL}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h \right] \\
&+ S_{\parallel} \left[\sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UL}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} \sin(2\phi_h) \right] \\
&+ \lambda_e \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LU}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h \left. \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Hagiwara, Hikasa, Kai,
Ahmed, Gehrmann

Cross-checks / results in previous literature:

- T-odd (and P-odd) effect in unpol. SIDIS with neutrino beam

Hagiwara, Hikasa, Kai



- crossing of T-odd effects in e^+e^-

Körner, Melic, Merebashvili

- 2021 calculation of SIDIS A_{UT}

Benic, Hatta, Kaushik, Li

involves g_T and its Wandzura-Wilczek part

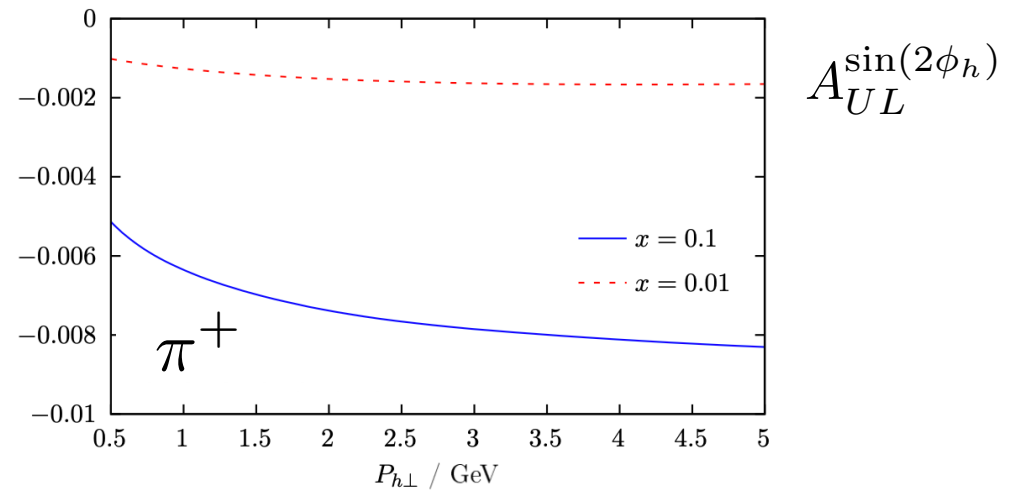
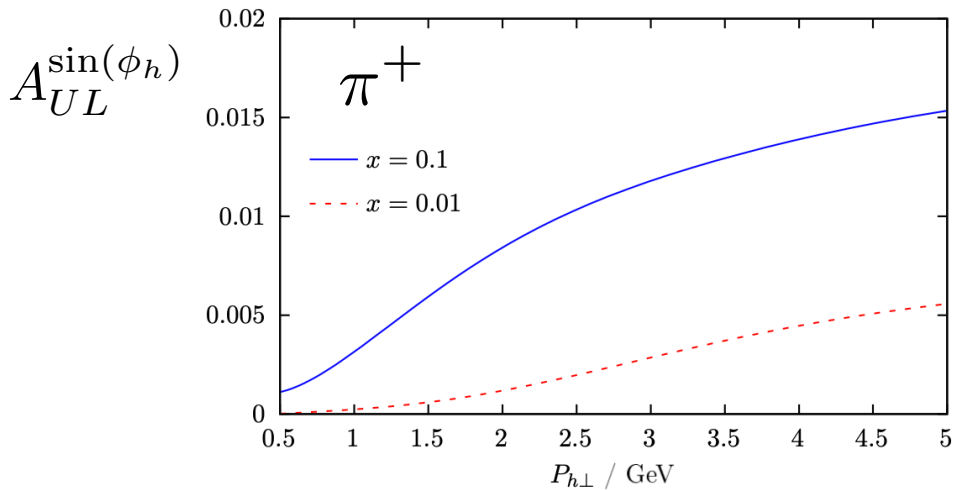
$$g_T^{WW}(x) = \int_x^1 \frac{dx'}{x'} \Delta q(x')$$

A little bit of phenomenology

$ep \rightarrow e\pi^+ X$ at the EIC $\sqrt{s} = 140$ GeV

DSSV pol. PDFs, NNPDF31 unpol., DSS fragmentation

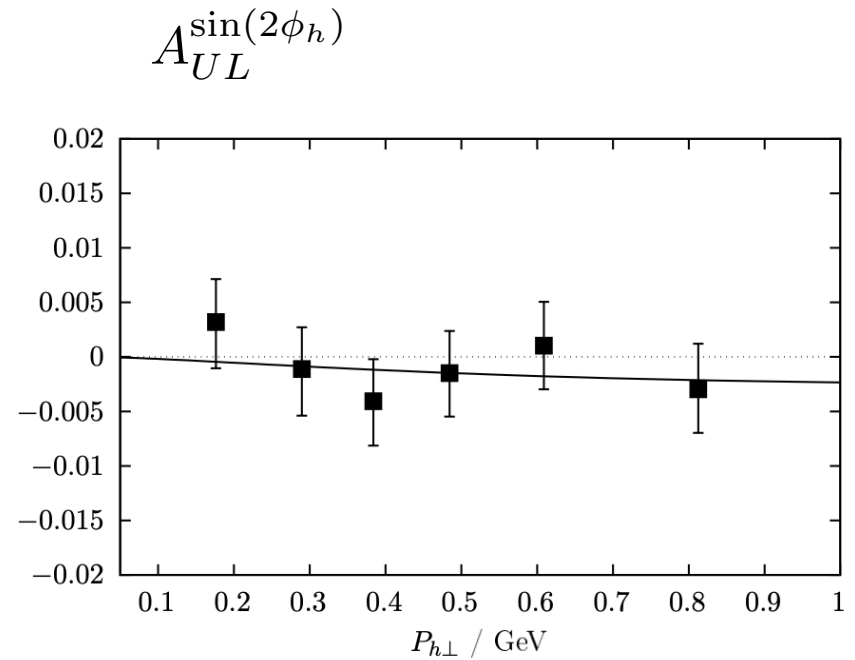
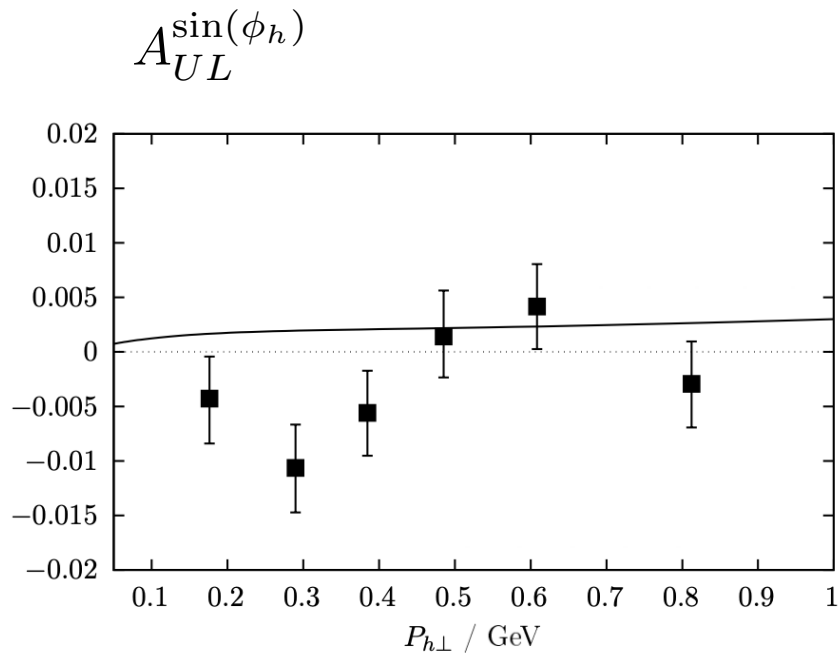
$x = 0.1, Q^2 \in [10, 100]$ GeV² $x = 0.01, Q^2 \in [2, 10]$ GeV²



(smaller for π^-)

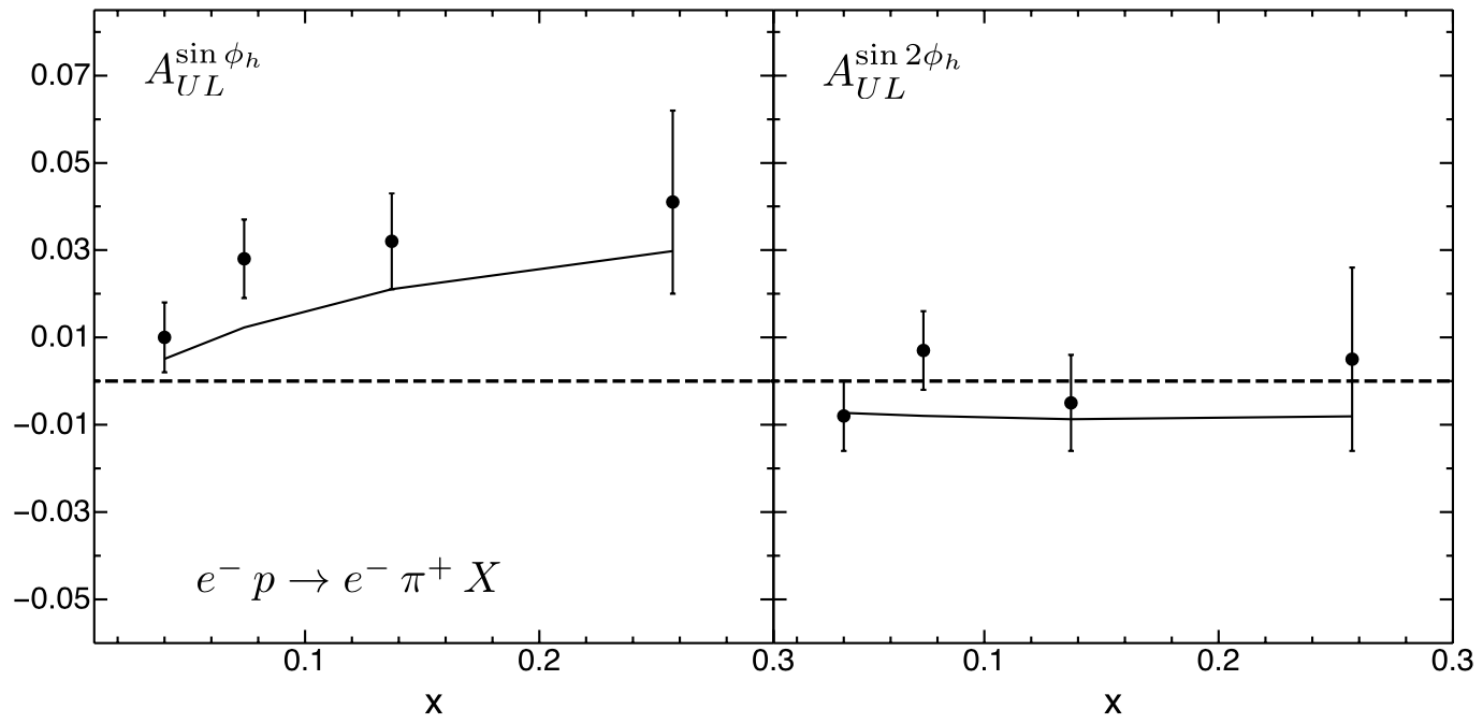
$\mu d \rightarrow \mu h^+ X$ at COMPASS $\sqrt{s} = 17.4$ GeV

$x \in [0.004, 0.7], Q^2 \in [1, 100]$ GeV²



$ep \rightarrow e\pi^+ X$ at HERMES $\sqrt{s} = 7.25$ GeV

$P_{h\perp} \sim 0.5$ GeV



Behavior at low q_T – toward the TMD regime

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d\sigma}{dx dy dz d\phi_h dP_{h\perp}^2} &= \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{xyQ^2} \frac{y^2}{1-\varepsilon} \left\{ F_{UU,T} + \varepsilon F_{UU,L} \right. \\
 &+ \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UU}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h} \cos(2\phi_h) \\
 &+ S_{\parallel} \lambda_e \left[\sqrt{1-\varepsilon^2} F_{LL} + \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LL}^{\cos\phi_h} \cos\phi_h \right] \\
 &+ S_{\parallel} \left[\sqrt{2\varepsilon(1+\varepsilon)} F_{UL}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h + \varepsilon F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} \sin(2\phi_h) \right] \\
 &\left. + \lambda_e \sqrt{2\varepsilon(1-\varepsilon)} F_{LU}^{\sin\phi_h} \sin\phi_h \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

- for example,

$$F_{UU,T} \sim \sum_q e_q^2 \int d^2 p_T d^2 k_T \delta^{(2)}(\vec{p}_T - \vec{k}_T - \vec{q}_T) f_q(x, p_T^2) D_q^h(z, k_T^2)$$

- on the other hand, can expand pQCD result toward low q_T :

$$\frac{1}{\hat{x}\hat{z}} \delta\left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} - \frac{(1-\hat{x})(1-\hat{z})}{\hat{x}\hat{z}}\right) = \delta(1-\hat{z})\delta(1-\hat{x}) \ln\left(\frac{Q^2}{q_T^2}\right) + \frac{\delta(1-\hat{z})}{(1-\hat{x})_+} + \frac{\delta(1-\hat{x})}{(1-\hat{z})_+} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2}\right)$$

Olness, Meng, Soper

- get

$$F_{UU,T} = \sum_q e_q^2 \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \frac{Q^2}{q_T^2} \left[-C_F \left(2 \ln\left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2}\right) + 3 \right) f_q(x) D_q^h(z) \right. \\ \left. + f_q(x) (P_{qq} \otimes D_q^h)(z) + (P_{qq} \otimes f_q)(x) D_q^h(z) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2}\right) \right]$$

- in this case, matches TMD evolution

- however, not always known to work

Boer, WV; Ji, Qiu, Yuan, WV;
Bacchetta, Boer, Diehl, Mulders

observable	low- q_T calculation			high- q_T calculation			leading powers match
	twist	order	power	twist	order	power	
$F_{UU,T}$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^2$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^2$	yes
$F_{UU,L}$	4			2	α_s	$1/Q^2$	
$F_{UU}^{\cos \phi_h}$	3	α_s	$1/(Q q_T)$	2	α_s	$1/(Q q_T)$	yes
$F_{UU}^{\cos 2\phi_h}$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^4$	2	α_s	$1/Q^2$	no
$F_{LU}^{\sin \phi_h}$	3	α_s^2	$1/(Q q_T)$	2	α_s^2	$1/(Q q_T)$	yes
$F_{UL}^{\sin \phi_h}$	3	α_s^2	$1/(Q q_T)$	2	α_s^2	$1/(Q q_T)$	yes
$F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h}$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^4$	2	α_s^2	$1/Q^2$	no
F_{LL}	2	α_s	$1/q_T^2$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^2$	yes
$F_{LL}^{\cos \phi_h}$	3	α_s	$1/(Q q_T)$	2	α_s	$1/(Q q_T)$	yes
$F_{UT,T}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)}$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^3$	3	α_s	$1/q_T^3$	yes
$F_{UT,L}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)}$	4			3	α_s	$1/(Q^2 q_T)$	
$F_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_S)}$	2	α_s	$1/q_T^3$	3	α_s	$1/q_T^3$	yes

- more precisely, find in $q \rightarrow q$ channel:

$$\begin{aligned}
F_{UL}^{\sin(\phi_h)} &= \sum_q e_q^2 \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 \frac{Q}{q_T} \frac{C_A}{2} \left\{ -C_F \left(2 \ln \left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} \right) + 3 \right) \Delta f_q(x) D_q^h(z) \right. \\
&\quad + \Delta f_q(x) \left(\delta P_{qq} \otimes D_q^h \right) (z) + \left(\delta P_{qq} \otimes \Delta f_q \right) (x) D_q^h(z) \\
&\quad \left. - \frac{2C_F}{C_A^2} \Delta f_q(x) \left[\frac{z^2}{1-z} \left(1 + \frac{\ln z}{1-z} \right) \otimes D_q^h \right] \right\} + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{q_T}{Q} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
F_{UL}^{\sin(2\phi_h)} &= - \sum_q e_q^2 \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 \frac{3C_A}{4} \left\{ -C_F \left(2 \ln \left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} \right) + 3 \right) \Delta f_q(x) D_q^h(z) \right. \\
&\quad + \Delta f_q(x) \left(\delta P_{qq} \otimes D_q^h \right) (z) + \left(\delta P_{qq} \otimes \Delta f_q \right) (x) D_q^h(z) \\
&\quad \left. - \frac{2C_F}{3C_A^2} \Delta f_q(x) \left[\frac{z^2}{(1-z)^2} \left(1 - 3z - 2(2z-1) \frac{\ln z}{1-z} \right) \otimes D_q^h \right] \right\} + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{q_T^2}{Q^2} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

- even more, in gluon channel:

$$F_{UL}^{\sin(\phi_h)} = \sum_q e_q^2 \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 \frac{Q}{q_T} \frac{1}{2C_A} D_q^h(z) \\ \times \left[(1-x) \ln \left(\frac{Q^2}{q_T^2} \right) + (1-x) \ln \left(\frac{1-x}{x} \right) - 1 \right] \otimes \Delta f_g$$

- in TMD formalism,

Bacchetta, Boer, Diehl, Mulders

$$F_{UL}^{\sin \phi_h} = \frac{2M}{Q} \mathcal{C} \left[-\frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{k}_T}{M_h} \left(x h_L H_1^\perp + \frac{M_h}{M} g_{1L} \frac{\tilde{G}^\perp}{z} \right) + \frac{\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_T}{M} \left(x f_L^\perp D_1 - \frac{M_h}{M} h_{1L}^\perp \frac{\tilde{H}}{z} \right) \right]$$

Collins fct.



$$F_{UL}^{\sin 2\phi_h} = \mathcal{C} \left[-\frac{2 (\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{k}_T) (\hat{\mathbf{h}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_T) - \mathbf{k}_T \cdot \mathbf{p}_T}{M M_h} h_{1L}^\perp H_1^\perp \right]$$



worm gear fct.

- detailed study of perturbative tails of TMDs

Scimemi, Tarasov, Vladimirov; Rodini, Vladimirov

Concluding remarks:

- pQCD predicts T-odd effects in SIDIS at $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$
- interesting prospects for phenomenology
- interesting features at low $q_T \leftrightarrow$ something to be learned about TMDs and their evolution
- relevant for matching in TMD studies
- application to other processes?
- higher-order corrections?