# Transversity from Dihadron Transverse-Spin Observables

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#### **Motivations**

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- TMD+CT3 pheno in tension with other analyzes (delta u)
- Radici, Bacchetta, and Benel, Courtoy, Ferro-Hernandez used collinear di-hadron observables to extract tensor charges
- New fresh look at collinear di-hadron pheno

Observable	Reactions	Non-Perturbative Function(s)	$\chi^2/\mathrm{npts}$	Exp. Refs.
$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h - \phi_S)}$	$e + (p,d)^{\uparrow} \to e + (\pi^+,\pi^-,\pi^0) + X$	$f_{1T}^{\perp}(x,ec{k}_T^2)$	182.9/166 = 1.10	[22, 24, 27]
$A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_h + \phi_S)}$	$e + (p, d)^{\uparrow} \to e + (\pi^+, \pi^-, \pi^0) + X$	$h_1(x,ec{k}_T^2), H_1^{\perp}(z,z^2ec{p}_T^2)$	181.0/166 = 1.09	[22, 24, 27]
* $A_{UT}^{\sin \phi_S}$	$e + p^{\uparrow}  ightarrow e + (\pi^+, \pi^-, \pi^0) + X$	$h_1(x), \tilde{H}(z)$	18.6/36 = 0.52	[22, 24, 27]
$A_{UC/UL}$	$e^+ + e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-(UC,UL) + X$	$H_1^\perp(z,z^2\vec{p}_T^{2})$	154.9/176 = 0.88	[29–32]
$A_{T,\mu^+\mu^-}^{\sin\phi_S}$	$\pi^- \! + p^\uparrow \to \mu^+ \mu^- + X$	$f_{1T}^{\perp}(x,ec{k}_T^2)$	6.92/12 = 0.58	[34]
$A_N^{W/Z}$	$p^{\uparrow} + p  ightarrow (W^+, W^-, Z) + X$	$f_{1T}^{\perp}(x,ec{k}_T^2)$	30.8/17 = 1.81	[35]
$A_N^{\pi}$	$p^\uparrow + p  o (\pi^+,\pi^-,\pi^0) + X$	$h_1(x), F_{FT}(x,x) = rac{1}{\pi} f_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(x), H_1^{\perp(1)}(z),  ilde{H}(z)$	70.4/60 = 1.17	[7, 9, 10, 13]
Lattice $g_T$		$h_1(x)$	1.82/1 = 1.82	[89]

#### **Analysis setup**

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Collaboration	References	Observable	Process	Nonperturbative function(s)
Belle	[64]	$d\sigma/dz dM_h$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-)X$ $e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-)(\pi^+\pi^-)X$	$D_1$ $D_1$ $H^{\triangleleft}$
HERMES	[112]	A $A_{UT}^{\text{SIDIS}}$	$e p^{\uparrow} \rightarrow e'(\pi^+\pi^-)X$	$D_1, H_1^{\triangleleft}, h_1$
COMPASS STAR	[117] [97,121]	$A_{UT}^{ ext{SIDIS}} \ A_{UT}^{pp}$	$\mu\{p,D\}^{\uparrow}  ightarrow \mu'(\pi^+\pi^-)X \ p^{\uparrow}p  ightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-)X$	$egin{array}{lll} D_1,H_1^{\lhd},h_1\ D_1,H_1^{\lhd},h_1 \end{array}$
ETMC PNDME	[77] [71]	δu, δd δu, δd	LQCD LQCD	$egin{array}{c} h_1 \ h_1 \ h_1 \end{array}$
$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}z\mathrm{d}M_h} = \frac{4\pi\hbar}{2}$	$\frac{V_c \alpha_{\rm em}^2}{3s} \sum_q \bar{e}_q^2 D_1^q$	$(z, M_h),$		$h_1(x;\mu^2)$ Transversity (TPDF) $H^{\triangleleft}(z, M; u^2)$ Interference EE (IEE)
$A^{e^+e^-}(z,M_h,$	$ar{z},ar{M}_h) = rac{\sin i \pi}{(1 - i)}$	$\frac{n^2 \theta \sum_q e_q^2 H_1^{\triangleleft,q}(z)}{+\cos^2 \theta \sum_q e_q^2 D}$	$(\overline{x}, \overline{M}_h) H_1^{\sphericalangle, \overline{q}}(\overline{z}, \overline{M}_h)  onumber \ H_1^{q}(\overline{z}, \overline{M}_h) D_1^{\overline{q}}(\overline{z}, \overline{M}_h)$	$M_1(z, M_h, \mu^2)$ Interference FF (IFF) $D_1(z, M_h; \mu^2)$ Dihadron FF (DiFFs)
$A_{UT}^{\mathrm{SIDIS}} = c(y)$	$\frac{\sum_{q} e_q^2 h_1^q(x) H}{\sum_{q} e_q^2 f_1^q(x) I}$	$D_1^{\sphericalangle,q}(z,M_h)  onumber \ D_1^q(z,M_h)$	$2P_{hT}\sum_{i}\sum_{a,b,c,d}\int_{X_{i}}$	$\int_{a}^{1} dx_a \int_{x_b^{\min}}^{1} \frac{dx_b}{z} h_1^a(x_a) f_1^b(x_b) \frac{d\Delta \hat{\sigma}_{a^{\uparrow}b \to c^{\uparrow}d}}{d\hat{t}} H_1^{\triangleleft,c}(z, M_h).$
			$A_{UT}^{i} = \frac{1}{2P_{hT}\sum_{i}\sum_{a.b.c.d}\int_{x}}$	$\int_{a}^{1} dx_a \int_{x_b}^{1} \frac{dx_b}{z} f_1^a(x_a) f_1^b(x_b) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab\to cd}}{d\hat{t}} D_1^c(z, M_h)$



![](_page_6_Figure_0.jpeg)

Same for  $H_1^{\triangleleft}(z, M_h; \mu^2)$  with transversely polarized splitting kernels

## Model assumptions in TPDF $h_1(x;\mu_0^2)$

• Traditional parametrization

$$h_1^i(x)=rac{N^i}{\mathcal{M}^i}x^{lpha^i}(1-x)^{eta^i}(1+\gamma^i\sqrt{x}+\delta^i x)$$

Reconstructed flavors

$$h_1^{u_v} \hspace{0.1in} h_1^{d_v} \hspace{0.1in} h_1^{ar{u}_v} \hspace{0.1in} h_1^{ar{d}_v}$$

- Flavor assumptions (due to lack of observables)
  - $h_1^{ar{u}} = -h_1^{ar{d}}$  Expectations from large Nc limit
- Impose Soffer bounds

$$|h_1^i(x;\mu)| \le \frac{1}{2} [f_1^i(x;\mu) + g_1^i(x;\mu)]$$

 Impose small-x constraints (Kovchegov, Sievert `19)

$$\alpha^{i} \xrightarrow{x \to 0} 1 - 2\sqrt{\frac{\alpha_{s}N_{c}}{2\pi}}$$
. = 0.170 ± 0.085  
Added 50% conservative

uncertainties

### **Model assumptions in DiFFs** $D_1^{\pi^+\pi^-/i}(z, M_h; \mu_0^2)$

• Mh grid based parametrization

$$D_1^i(z, \mathbf{M}_h^{i,j}) = \sum_{k=1,2,3} \frac{N_{jk}^i}{\mathcal{M}_{jk}^i} z^{\alpha_{jk}^i} (1-z)^{\beta_{jk}^i}$$

Reconstructed flavors

$$D_1^u$$
  $D_1^s$   $D_1^c$   $D_1^b$   $D_1^g$ 

• Flavor assumptions

$$D_1^u = D_1^d = D_1^{\bar{u}} = D_1^{\bar{d}},$$
  
 $D_1^s = D_1^{\bar{s}}, \qquad D_1^c = D_1^{\bar{c}}, \qquad D_1^b = D_1^{\bar{b}},$ 

• Flavor separation using Pythia 6&8

$$rac{\sigma^{q=s,c,b}}{\sigma^{ ext{tot}}}$$
  $\square$ 

Generate Pythia data and assign uncertainties from various tunes

![](_page_8_Figure_10.jpeg)

• Impose positivity

$$D_1^i(z,M_h;\mu)>0,$$

- Error bars on Pythia stemming from different tunes.
- Simulated Pythia data at different energies to constrain the gluon DiFF Q=10.58 -91.19 GeV

![](_page_9_Figure_2.jpeg)

# Model assumptions in IFFs $H_1^{\triangleleft,\pi^+\pi^-/i}(z,M_h;\mu_0^2)$

• Mh grid based parametrization

$$H_1^{\triangleleft, u}(z, \mathbf{M}_h^{u, j}) = \sum_{k=1,2} \frac{N_{jk}^u}{\mathcal{M}_{jk}^u} z^{\alpha_{jk}^u} (1-z)^{\beta_{jk}^u}$$

Reconstructed flavors

$$H_1^{\triangleleft, u}$$

• Flavor assumptions

$$\begin{split} H_1^{\triangleleft,u} &= -H_1^{\triangleleft,d} = -H_1^{\triangleleft,\bar{u}} = H_1^{\triangleleft,\bar{d}}, \\ H_1^{\triangleleft,s} &= H_1^{\triangleleft,\bar{s}} = H_1^{\triangleleft,c} = H_1^{\triangleleft,\bar{c}} = H_1^{\triangleleft,\bar{b}} = H_1^{\triangleleft,\bar{b}} = 0. \end{split}$$

Impose positivity bounds

$$|H_1^{\triangleleft,i}(z,M_h;\mu)| < D_1^i(z,M_h;\mu)$$

![](_page_10_Figure_9.jpeg)

#### The results

				$\chi^2_{\rm red}$		0 < 0.8 < z < 0.85
				JAMDiFF		$0.0$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{1}$
Experiment	Binning	$N_{\rm dat}$	(w/ LQCD)	(no LQCD)	(SIDIS only)	$0.4$ A dzd $M_h$
Belle (cross section) [64]	$z, M_h$	1094	1.01	1.01	1.01	
Belle (Artru-Collins) [112]	$z, M_h \ M_h, \overline{M}_h \ z, \overline{z}$	55 64 64	1.27 0.60 0.42	1.24 0.60 0.42	1.28 0.60 0.41	
HERMES [118]	${x_{ m bj} \over M_h} \ z$	4 4 4	1.77 0.41 1.20	1.70 0.42 1.17	1.67 0.47 1.13	$M_h$
COMPASS ( <i>p</i> ) [117]	${x_{ m bj} \over M_h} \ z$	9 10 7	1.98 0.92 0.77	0.65 0.94 0.60	0.59 0.93 0.63	$-0.04$ $A^{e^+e^-}$
COMPASS (D) [117]	${x_{ m bj}} {M_h} {z}$	9 10 7	1.37 0.45 0.50	1.42 0.37 0.46	1.22 0.38 0.46	-0.08 0.10 0.82 < z < 1.00
STAR [121] $\sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$ R < 0.3	$M_{h}, \eta < 0 \ M_{h}, \eta > 0 \ P_{hT}, \eta < 0 \ P_{hT}, \eta < 0$	5 5 5	2.57 1.34 0.98 1.73	2.56 1.55 1.00 1.74	0.05	$-0.12 \underbrace{0.2}_{0.2} \underbrace{0.4}_{0.6} \underbrace{0.6}_{0.8} \underbrace{\overline{z}}_{\overline{z}}$
STAR [97] $\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$ R < 0.7	$egin{aligned} &\eta\ &M_h,\eta < 0\ &M_h,\eta > 0\ &P_{hT},\eta > 0\ &\eta \end{aligned}$	4 32 32 35 7	0.52 1.30 0.81 1.09 2.97	1.46 1.10 0.78 1.07 1.83	-0.05	$A_{UT}^{\text{SIDIS}}$ $\downarrow \text{HERMES}$ $\downarrow \text{COMPASS } p$ $\downarrow \text{COMPASS } D$
ETMC $\delta u$ [77] ETMC $\delta d$ [77] PNDME $\delta u$ [71] PNDME $\delta d$ [71]	·	1 1 1 1	0.71 1.02 8.68 0.04		-0.15	$\boxed{10^{-2}   10^{-1}   \boldsymbol{x_{bj}}}$
Total $\chi^2_{red}$ (N <sub>dat</sub> )			<b>1.01</b> (1475)	<b>0.98</b> (1471)	0.96 (1341)	

#### **Reconstructed DiFFs**

![](_page_13_Figure_1.jpeg)

![](_page_13_Figure_2.jpeg)

- More di-hadron pairs are produced at small z
- Clear reconstruction of the resonances
- DiFFs trend towards zero as we approach the physical threshold of 2mpi
- DiFFs goes to zero at large Mh as wide angle radiation is suppressed
- The gluon DiFF is not fully consistent with zero and more realistic than what was done in the past.

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$$\langle M_h | z \rangle^i = \frac{\int \mathrm{d}M_h M_h D_1^i(z, M_h)}{\int \mathrm{d}M_h D_1^i(z, M_h)}$$

$$z = z_1 + z_2$$
$$M_h^2 = (P_{\pi^+} + P_{\pi^-})^2$$

- As expected, the invariant mass of the di-hadron pairs grows as z grows. Quark mass dependence becomes more important at large z
- At small z, large production of di-hadron pairs occurs, and quark masses does not influence the values of <Mh|z>
- Exception is the b-quark that due to its large mass generates larger Mh values

#### **Reconstructed IFFs**

![](_page_15_Figure_1.jpeg)

- Magnitude of IFF is proportional to DiFFs
- Marginal impact by positivity constraints
- The sign is not determined by the experimental data.

#### **Reconstructed TPDF**

![](_page_16_Figure_1.jpeg)

- Point-by-point in x constraints from data ends around x~0.3.
- Below x<0.3, the reconstructed transversity PDFs are consistent with Radici et al and TMD+CT3 (JAM3D) results.
- Beyond x>0.3, only the u quark PDF has non-vanishing signal with some differences wrt JAM3D\*
- JAM3D\* includes antiquarks and small x constraints

![](_page_16_Figure_6.jpeg)

#### **Reconstructed TPDF with LQCD**

![](_page_17_Figure_1.jpeg)

#### **Reconstructed TPDF with LQCD**

![](_page_18_Figure_1.jpeg)

		JAMDIFF
Experiment	(w/ LQCD)	(no LQCD)
Belle (cross section) [64]	1.01	1.01
	1.27	1.24
Belle (Artru-Collins) [112]	0.60	0.60
	0.42	0.42
	1.77	1.70
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	1.37	1.42
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	0.50	0.46
	2.57	2.56
STAR [121]	1.34	1.55
$\sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$	0.98	1.00
R < 0.3	1.73	1.74
	0.52	1.46
	1.30	1.10
STAR [97]	0.81	0.78
$\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$	1.09	1.07
R < 0.7	2.97	1.83
ETMC δu [77]	0.71	
ETMC δd [77]	1.02	
PNDME $\delta u$ [71]	8.68	
PNDME $\delta d$ [71]	0.04	
Total $\chi^2_{red}$ (N <sub>dat</sub> )	1.01 (1475)	<b>0.98</b> (1471)

 $\chi^2_{\rm red}$ 

![](_page_19_Figure_0.jpeg)

### Summary & outlook

- At present there is no significant tension between LQCD and experimental reconstruction of nucleon tensor charges
- Different reconstructions of tensor charges are mostly driven by large x data
- More high x data is needed to reach accurate reconstruction of TPDF above x>0.3
- Inclusion of LQCD calculations as priors are very informative/useful in QCD phenomenology
- The JAMDiFF results and JAM3D\* results are very similar and one can perform a combined analysis (TMD+CT3 & DiFF) -> indicates possible universal nature of all SSAs and nucleon tensor charges

![](_page_20_Figure_6.jpeg)