

Novel results for gluon TMDs in nucleon

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Introduction

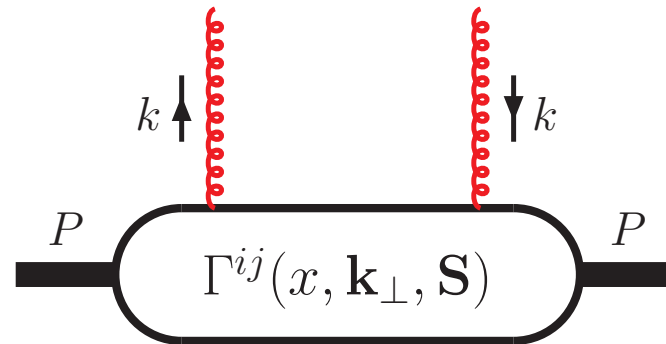
Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Using LFWFs for $g + 3q$ Fock component in nucleon we derive gluon TMDs
- TMDs — factorized product of two LFWFs and gluonic matrix encoding information about both T-even and T-odd TMDs
- TDMs obey Mulders-Rodrigues inequalities, small- x and large- x behavior
- New sum rules (SRs) involving TMDs

Summary

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Mulders and Rodrigues, PRD63, 094021 (2001):
Expansion of gluon correlator $\Gamma^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{S})$ in QCD



- i, j – gluon polarization indices; nucleon spin $S^\mu = (0, \mathbf{S})$ and $\mathbf{S} = (S_L, \mathbf{S}_T)$
- $S_L = \cos \theta$ and $\mathbf{S}_T = (\cos \phi \sin \theta, \sin \phi \sin \theta)$
- θ and ϕ – polar and azimuthal angles (orientation of the spin-vector \mathbf{S})
- $k_\perp^\mu = (0, 0, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = \sqrt{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2} (0, 0, \cos \phi_k, \sin \phi_k)$ with $k_\perp^2 = -\mathbf{k}_\perp^2$,
 ϕ_k – azimuthal angle (orientation of \mathbf{k}_\perp in the transverse plane).

Gluon TMDs in QCD

Leading Gluon TMDPDFs  Nucleon Spin  Gluon Operator Helicities

		Gluon Operator Polarization		
		Un-Polarized	Helicity 0 antisymmetric	Helicity 2
Nucleon Polarization	U	$f_1^g = \text{○}$ Unpolarized		$h_1^{\perp g} = \text{○} \uparrow \uparrow + \text{○} \downarrow \downarrow$ Linearly Polarized
	L		$g_{1L}^g = \text{○} \uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow - \text{○} \downarrow \uparrow \rightarrow$ Helicity	$h_{1L}^{\perp g} = \text{○} \nearrow + \text{○} \searrow$
	T	$f_{1T}^{\perp g} = \text{○} \uparrow - \text{○} \downarrow$	$g_{1T}^{\perp g} = \text{○} \nearrow - \text{○} \searrow$	$h_{1T}^g = \text{○} \uparrow \uparrow + \text{○} \downarrow \downarrow$ Transversity $h_{1T}^{\perp g} = \text{○} \nearrow + \text{○} \searrow$

Picture taken from R. Boussarie et al. "TMD Handbook," arXiv:2304.03302 [hep-ph]

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- $U(2)$ group acting in 2D transverse space:
3 symmetric g_T^{ij} , η_T^{ij} , ξ_T^{ij} and 1 antisymmetric ϵ_T^{ij} transverse tensors

$$g_T^{ij} = -\delta^{ij} = \text{diag}(-1, -1)$$

$$\eta_T^{ij} = \tau_3^{ij} \cos 2\phi_k + \tau_1^{ij} \sin 2\phi_k = \begin{pmatrix} \cos 2\phi_k & \sin 2\phi_k \\ \sin 2\phi_k & -\cos 2\phi_k \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\xi_T^{ij} = -\tau_3^{ij} \sin 2\phi_k + \tau_1^{ij} \cos 2\phi_k = \begin{pmatrix} -\sin 2\phi_k & \cos 2\phi_k \\ \cos 2\phi_k & \sin 2\phi_k \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\epsilon_T^{ij} = i\tau_2^{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- In Mulders-Rodrigues: 5 tensors for the classification of gluon TMD, including

$$\omega_T^{ij} = 2 \left[\xi_T^{ij} \mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp + \eta_T^{ij} e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp} \right] = 2 |\mathbf{S}_T| |\mathbf{k}_\perp| \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \delta & \cos \delta \\ \cos \delta & \sin \delta \end{pmatrix}, \quad \delta = \phi + \phi_k$$

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Exclusion of ω_T^{ij} from expansion of gluon correlator has several advantages:
 - (i) Reduction the number of tensors ($5 \rightarrow 4$) involved in the expansion
 - (ii) $\omega_T^{\mu\nu}$ involves transverse spin, while other 4 tensors ($g_T^{\mu\nu}, \eta_T^{\mu\nu}, \xi_T^{\mu\nu}, \epsilon_T^{\mu\nu}$) are manifestly independent on S_T
 - (iii) Substitution of $\omega_T^{\mu\nu}$ (linear combination of $\eta_T^{\mu\nu}$ and $\xi_T^{\mu\nu}$) gives separation of T-odd transversity TMDs with L-polarized gluons in T-polarized nucleon:
 - Symmetric transversity TMD $h_{1T}^{+g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ standing at structure $\xi_T^{\mu\nu} S_T \mathbf{k}_\perp$ symmetric under $S_T \leftrightarrow \mathbf{k}_\perp$ interchange
 - Antisymmetric transversity TMD $h_{1T}^{-g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ standing at $\eta_T^{\mu\nu} e^{S_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}$ structure antisymmetric under $S_T \leftrightarrow \mathbf{k}_\perp$ interchange

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Mulders-Rodrigues: Gluon correlator $\Gamma^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{S}) = \sum_{P=U,L,T} \Gamma_P^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{S})$

- Γ_U^{ij} (U-polarized nucleon): U-polarized $f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ and L-polarized $h_{1L}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$

$$\Gamma_U^{ij} = -g_T^{ij} f_1^g + \eta_T^{ij} h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}$$

- Γ_L^{ij} (L-polarized nucleon): C-polarized $g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ and L-polarized $h_{1L}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$

$$\Gamma_L^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{S}) = -i\epsilon_T^{ij} S_L g_{1L}^g + \xi_T^{ij} S_L h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}$$

- Γ_T^{ij} (T-polarized nucleon): U-polarized $f_{1T}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$, C-polarized $g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ and two L-polarized $h_{1T}^{+g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ and $h_{1T}^{-g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$

$$\Gamma_T^{ij} = -g_T^{ij} \frac{e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} f_{1T}^{\perp g} - i\epsilon_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}{M_N} g_{1T}^g + \xi_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}{M_N} h_{1T}^{+g} + \eta_T^{ij} \frac{e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} h_{1T}^{-g}$$

$$\text{TMD}^{(1/2)} = \frac{|\mathbf{k}_\perp|}{M_N} \text{TMD}, \quad \text{TMD}^{(n)} = \left[\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} \right]^n \text{TMD}$$

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Our decomposition

$$\Gamma_T^{ij} = -g_T^{ij} \frac{e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} f_{1T}^{\perp g} - i\epsilon_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}{M_N} g_{1T}^g + \xi_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}{M_N} h_{1T}^{+g} + \eta_T^{ij} \frac{e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} h_{1T}^{-g}$$

- Comparison with Mulders-Rodrigues (MR): our L-polarized gluon TMDs $h_{1T}^{\pm g}$ are related to the corresponding MR TMDs – linearity ΔH_T and pretzelosity ΔH_T^\perp

$$h_{1T}^{\pm g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = -\frac{1}{2} \left[\Delta H_T(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \pm \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} \Delta H_T^\perp(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]$$

- Comparison with Boer et al: analogous sets $(h_{1T}^g, h_{1T}^{\perp g})$ and $(h_1, h_{1T}, h_{1T}^\perp)$ used in PRL116, 122001 (2016) and JHEP10, 13 (2016)

$$h_{1T}^{+g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = h_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) - h_{1T}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{2} \left[h_1(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} h_{1T}^\perp(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]$$

$$h_{1T}^{-g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = h_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{2} \left[h_1(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) - \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} h_{1T}^\perp(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right] = \frac{1}{2} h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Full gluon correlation tensor in more compact form:

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{S}) &= -g_T^{ij} F_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2; \mathbf{S}_T) - i\epsilon_T^{ij} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{G}_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\ &+ \eta_T^{ij} H_1^{(\eta)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2; \mathbf{S}_T) + \xi_T^{ij} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{H}_1^{(\xi)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\end{aligned}$$

where

$$F_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2; \mathbf{S}_T) = f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) + \frac{e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} f_{1T}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \quad U - \text{polarized gluon}$$

$$\mathbf{G}_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \left(g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2), \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp}{M_N} g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right) \quad C - \text{polarized gluon}$$

$$H_1^{(\eta)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2; \mathbf{S}_T) = h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) + \frac{e^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} h_{1T}^{-g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \quad L - \text{polarized gluon}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_1^{(\xi)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \left(h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2), \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp}{M_N} h_{1T}^{+g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right) \quad L - \text{polarized gluon}$$

and $\mathbf{S} = (S_L, \mathbf{S}_T)$

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Following Mulders-Rodrigues expand the gluon tensor in the nucleon spin basis

$$\Gamma^{ii'}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{S}) = \sum_{\Lambda, \Lambda'} \rho_{\Lambda' \Lambda}(\mathbf{S}) \Gamma_{\Lambda \Lambda'}^{ii'}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp), \quad \rho(\mathbf{S}) = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{1} + \mathbf{S} \sigma)$$

- $4 \otimes 4$ matrix $\Gamma_{\Lambda \Lambda'}^{ii'}$, in the gluon-nucleon circular basis

$$\begin{pmatrix} F_1^+ & F_{1T}^+ & H_1^- & \Delta H_{1T} \\ (F_{1T}^+)^{\dagger} & F_1^- & H_{1T} & H_1^+ \\ (H_1^-)^{\dagger} & (H_{1T})^{\dagger} & F_1^- & F_{1T}^- \\ (\Delta H_{1T})^{\dagger} & (H_1^+)^{\dagger} & (F_{1T}^-)^{\dagger} & F_1^+ \end{pmatrix}$$

$$F_1^{\pm} = f_1^g \pm g_{1L}^g, \quad F_{1T}^{\pm} = \pm \frac{|\mathbf{k}_\perp|}{M_N} e^{-i\phi_k} \left[g_{1T}^g \pm i f_{1T}^{\perp g} \right],$$

$$H_1^{\pm} = -e^{-2i\phi_k} \left[h_1^{(1)\perp g} \pm i h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g} \right],$$

$$H_{1T} = \frac{i|\mathbf{k}_\perp|}{M_N} e^{-i\phi_k} \left[h_{1T}^{+g} + h_{1T}^{-g} \right], \quad \Delta H_{1T} = \frac{i|\mathbf{k}_\perp|}{M_N} e^{-3i\phi_k} \left[h_{1T}^{+g} - h_{1T}^{-g} \right]$$

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- Small- x behavior Boer et al, PRL116, 122001 (2016) and JHEP10, 13 (2016)
- U-polarized tensor

$$x\Gamma_U^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \xrightarrow{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^i \mathbf{k}_\perp^j}{M_N^2} e_U(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = -g_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} e_U(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) + \eta_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} e_U(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

- Leading to the identity

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} e_U(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = e_U^{(1)}(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

$e_U(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ – scalar function defining U-part of g Wilson loop LF correlator at small x

- L-polarized tensor

$$x\Gamma_L^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = 0$$

- Leading to the vanishing of the corresponding TMDs:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = 0, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_{1L}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = 0$$

Gluon TMDs in QCD

- T-polarized tensor

$$\begin{aligned} x\Gamma_T^{ij}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) &\xrightarrow{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^i \mathbf{k}_\perp^j}{M_N^2} \frac{\epsilon_T^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{M_N} e_T(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\ &= \frac{\epsilon_T^{\mathbf{S}_T \mathbf{k}_\perp}}{2M_N} \left[-g_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} e_T(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) + \eta_T^{ij} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} e_T(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right], \end{aligned}$$

$e_T(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ – scalar function defining T-part of g Wilson loop LF correlator at small x

- It follows

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x f_{1T}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_{1T}^{-g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_1(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\ &= -\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_{1T}^\perp(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_{1T}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\ &= \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2M_N^2} e_T(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = e_T^{(1)}(\mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x h_{1T}^{+g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = 0$$

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Following Brodsky-Hwang-Ma-Schmidt, NPB593, 311 (2001)
- We derive LFWFs $\psi_{\lambda_g; \lambda_X}^{\lambda_N}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$ for bound state of gluon (g) and 3q spectator $X = (uud)$ with helicities $\lambda_N = \uparrow, \downarrow$, $\lambda_g = \pm 1$, $\lambda_X = \pm \frac{1}{2}$:

$$\psi_{+1+\frac{1}{2}}^\uparrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = -\left[\psi_{-1-\frac{1}{2}}^\downarrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)\right]^\dagger = \frac{k^1 - ik^2}{\kappa} \varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp),$$

$$\psi_{+1-\frac{1}{2}}^\uparrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = +\left[\psi_{-1+\frac{1}{2}}^\downarrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)\right]^\dagger = \varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2),$$

$$\psi_{-1+\frac{1}{2}}^\uparrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = -\left[\psi_{+1-\frac{1}{2}}^\downarrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)\right]^\dagger = -\frac{k^1 + ik^2}{\kappa} (1-x) \varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2),$$

$$\psi_{-1-\frac{1}{2}}^\uparrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = \psi_{+1+\frac{1}{2}}^\downarrow(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = 0,$$

$\varphi^{(1,2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$ are expressed through the gluon PDF functions $G^\pm(x)$ as

$$\varphi^{(1)} = \frac{4\pi}{\kappa} \sqrt{G^+(x) - \frac{G^-(x)}{(1-x)^2}} \exp\left[-\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2\kappa^2}\right], \quad \varphi^{(2)} = \frac{4\pi}{\kappa} \frac{\sqrt{G^-(x)}}{1-x} \exp\left[-\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{2\kappa^2}\right]$$

$\kappa \sim 350 - 500$ MeV – scale parameter.

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- $G^+ = G_{g\uparrow/N\uparrow}$ and $G^- = G_{g\downarrow/N\uparrow}$ – helicity-aligned and antialigned gluon PDFs.
- Gluon unpolarized $G = G^+ + G^-$ and polarized $\Delta G = G^+ - G^-$ PDFs.
- G and ΔG are expressed in terms of derived LFWFs $\psi_{\lambda_g; \lambda_X}^{\lambda_N}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} G(x) \\ \Delta G(x) \end{pmatrix} = \int \frac{d^2 \mathbf{k}_\perp}{16\pi^3} \left[|\psi_{+1+\frac{1}{2}}^+(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)|^2 + |\psi_{+1-\frac{1}{2}}^+(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)|^2 \pm |\psi_{-1+\frac{1}{2}}^+(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)|^2 \right]$$

- First calculation in QCD – Brodsky, Schmidt, PLB234, 144 (1990):

$$G^+(x) = N_g (1-x)^4 (1+4x)/x, \quad G^-(x) = N_g (1-x)^6/x$$

$$N_g = 0.8967 \text{ fixed from 1st moment } \langle x_g \rangle = \int_0^1 dx x G(x) = (10/21) N_g$$

- Lattice result: $\langle x_g \rangle = 0.427$ Alexandrou et al, PRD101, 094513 (2020)
- We are not strict to any explicit form of gluon PDFs and one can use results of world data analysis obey very important model-independent constraints

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Gluon correlator $\Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$ in LF QCD reads:

$$\Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = \sum_{i=1}^8 \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(i)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$$

$$\Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(i)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) = \psi_{\lambda_1\lambda_X}^{*\Lambda_1}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \frac{G_{\lambda,\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{\lambda_1\lambda_2;\Lambda_1\Lambda_2;\lambda_X\lambda'_X;(i)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)}{32\pi^3} \psi_{\lambda_2\lambda'_X}^{\Lambda_2}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$$

where $G^{(i)}$ are interaction kernels including both T-even and T-odd structures

- T-odd TMDs contain loop functions $R_{\text{TMD}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$ encoding $g - 3q$ rescattering
- Factorization

$$\psi^\dagger(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \int d^2\mathbf{k}'_\perp F_{\text{TMD}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{k}'_\perp) \psi(x, \mathbf{k}'_\perp) = \psi^\dagger(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) R_{\text{TMD}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \psi(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$$

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Tensorial structures

$$\begin{aligned}
 G^{(1)} &= \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \delta_{\Lambda\Lambda'} \delta_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \delta_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1} \delta_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X} \\
 G^{(2)} &= \tau_{\lambda\lambda'}^3 \sigma_{\Lambda\Lambda'}^3 \tau_{\lambda_1\lambda_2}^3 \sigma_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1}^3 \delta_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X} \\
 G^{(3)} &= \tau_{\lambda\lambda'}^3 \frac{(\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp)_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} \tau_{\lambda_1\lambda_2}^3 \frac{(\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp)_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1}}{M_N} \delta_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X} \\
 G^{(4)} &= \eta_{\lambda\lambda'} \delta_{\Lambda\Lambda'} \eta_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \delta_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1} \delta_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X} \\
 G^{(5)} &= \xi_{\lambda\lambda'} \sigma_{\Lambda\Lambda'}^3 (\tau^3\xi)_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \sigma_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1}^3 \tau_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X}^3 iR_{h_{1L}^g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\
 G^{(6)} &= \xi_{\lambda\lambda'} \frac{(\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp)_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} (\xi\tau^3)_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \frac{(\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp)_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1}}{M_N} \tau_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X}^3 iR_{h_{1T}^{+g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\
 G^{(7)} &= \eta_{\lambda\lambda'} \frac{(\epsilon^{\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp})_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} \eta_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \frac{(\epsilon^{\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp}\sigma^3)_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1}}{M_N} \tau_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X}^3 iR_{h_{1T}^{-g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\
 G^{(8)} &= \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \frac{(\epsilon^{\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp})_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} \delta_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \frac{(\epsilon^{\sigma\mathbf{k}_\perp}\sigma^3)_{\Lambda_2\Lambda_1}}{M_N} \tau_{\lambda_X\lambda'_X}^3 iR_{f_{1T}^{\perp g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Tensorial structures generate eight leading-twist gluon TMDs

$$\begin{aligned}\delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \delta_{\Lambda\Lambda'} f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \tau_{\lambda\lambda'}^3 \sigma_{\Lambda\Lambda'}^3 g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \tau_{\lambda\lambda'}^3 \frac{(\sigma \mathbf{k}_\perp)_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(3)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \eta_{\lambda\lambda'} \delta_{\Lambda\Lambda'} h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(4)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \xi_{\lambda\lambda'} \sigma_{\Lambda\Lambda'}^3 h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(5)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \xi_{\lambda\lambda'} \frac{(\sigma \mathbf{k}_\perp)_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} h_{1T}^{+g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(6)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \eta_{\lambda\lambda'} \frac{(\epsilon^{\sigma \mathbf{k}_\perp})_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} h_{1T}^{-g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(7)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \\ \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} \frac{(\epsilon^{\sigma \mathbf{k}_\perp})_{\Lambda\Lambda'}}{M_N} f_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'}^{(8)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)\end{aligned}$$

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Analytical expressions for the gluon TMDs in terms of LFWFs are:
- T-even TMDs

$$f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{16\pi^3} \left[\left(\varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[1 + (1-x)^2 \right] \left(\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 \right]$$

$$g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{16\pi^3} \left[\left(\varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[1 - (1-x)^2 \right] \left(\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 \right]$$

$$g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) (1-x)$$

$$h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2 (1-x)$$

- T-odd TMDs

$$h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2 (1-x) R_{h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

$$h_{1T}^{\pm g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) R_{h_{1T}^{\pm g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

$$f_{1T}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) (1-x) R_{f_{1T}^{\perp g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- T-odd in terms of T-even without referring to specific choice of $\varphi^{(1,2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$

$$\begin{aligned} h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \frac{f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) - g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)}{1-x} R_{h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \\ &= h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) R_{h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$h_{1T}^{\pm g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)}{1-x} R_{h_{1T}^{\pm g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

$$f_{1T}^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) R_{f_{1T}^{\perp g}}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

Gluon TMDs in LF QCD

- Next, using our parametrization for the LFWFs one gets

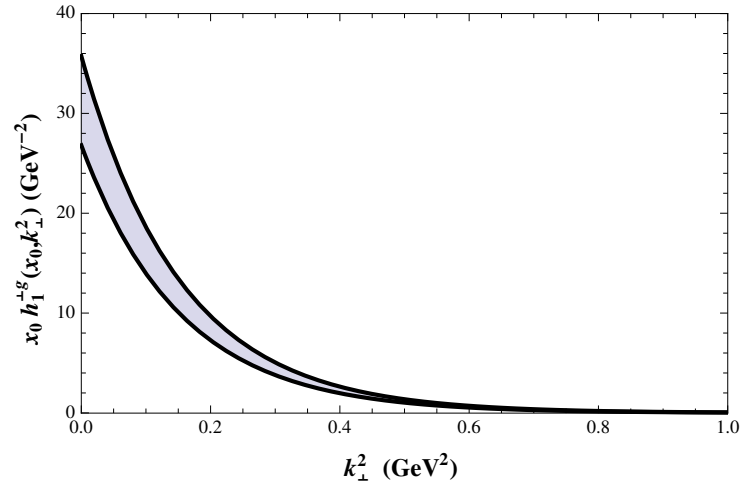
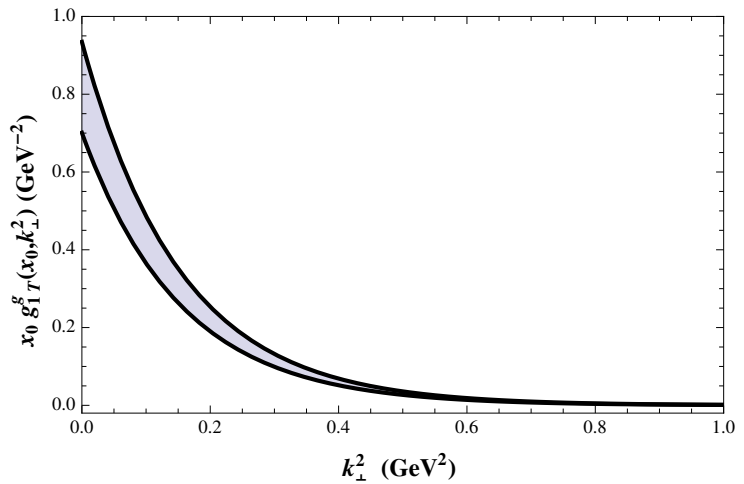
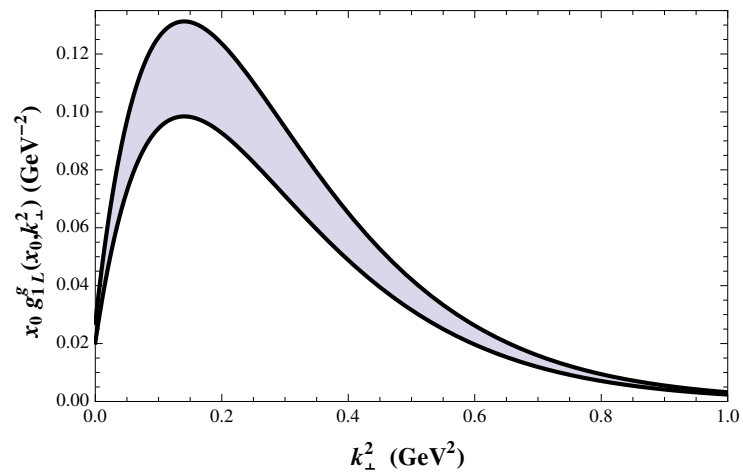
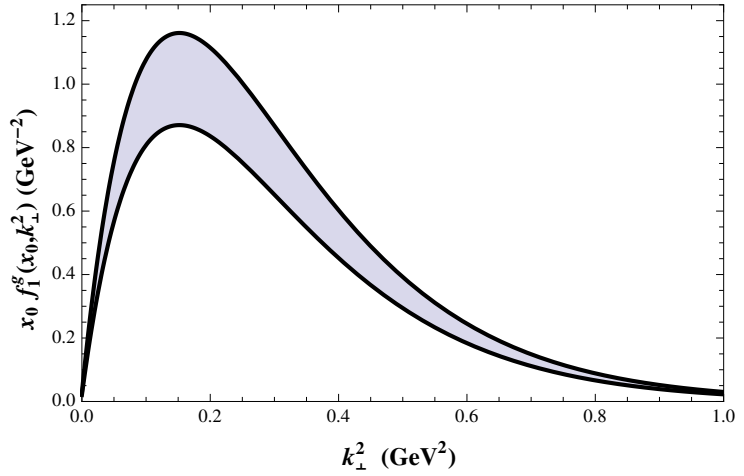
$$\begin{aligned}f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \frac{1}{\pi\kappa^2} \left[G(x) + G^-(x) \alpha_+(x) \left(\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\kappa^2} - 1 \right) \right] \exp \left[-\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\kappa^2} \right] \\g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \frac{1}{\pi\kappa^2} \left[\Delta G(x) + G^-(x) \alpha_-(x) \left(\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\kappa^2} - 1 \right) \right] \exp \left[-\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\kappa^2} \right] \\g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \frac{M_N}{\pi\kappa^3} \sqrt{G^2(x) - \Delta G^2(x)} \beta(x) \exp \left[-\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\kappa^2} \right] \\h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) &= \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\pi\kappa^4} \frac{G(x) - \Delta G(x)}{1-x} \exp \left[-\frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{\kappa^2} \right]\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\alpha_\pm(x) = \frac{1 \pm (1-x)^2}{(1-x)^2}, \quad \beta(x) = \sqrt{1 - \frac{G^-(x)}{G^+(x)(1-x)^2}}$$

Gluon TMDs: selected results

- T-even x TMD(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) at $x = 0.1$ and for $\kappa = 380 \pm 30$ MeV
- Very good agreement with Pavia group, Bacchetta et al, EPJC80, 733 (2020)



Nucleon EM Form Factors: selected results

- Nucleon Dirac and Pauli FF $F_{1,2}^N$ ($N = p, n$) are related with valence quark distributions $F_{1,2}^q$ ($q = u, d$) in nucleons as

$$F_i^{p(n)}(Q^2) = \frac{2}{3}F_i^{u(d)}(Q^2) - \frac{1}{3}F_i^{d(u)}(Q^2).$$

- LF representation for the Dirac and Pauli quark FF:
Gutsche, Lyubovitskij, Schmidt, Eur. Phys. J. C **77**, 86 (2017)

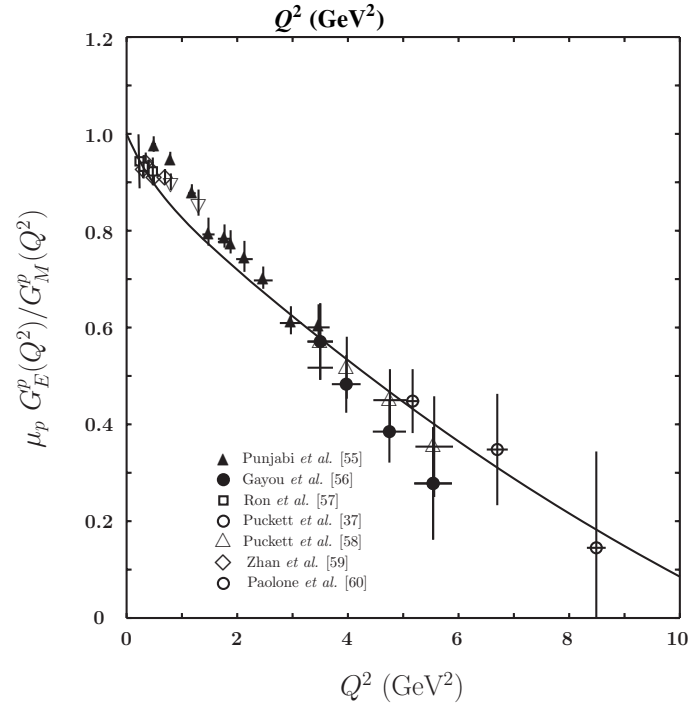
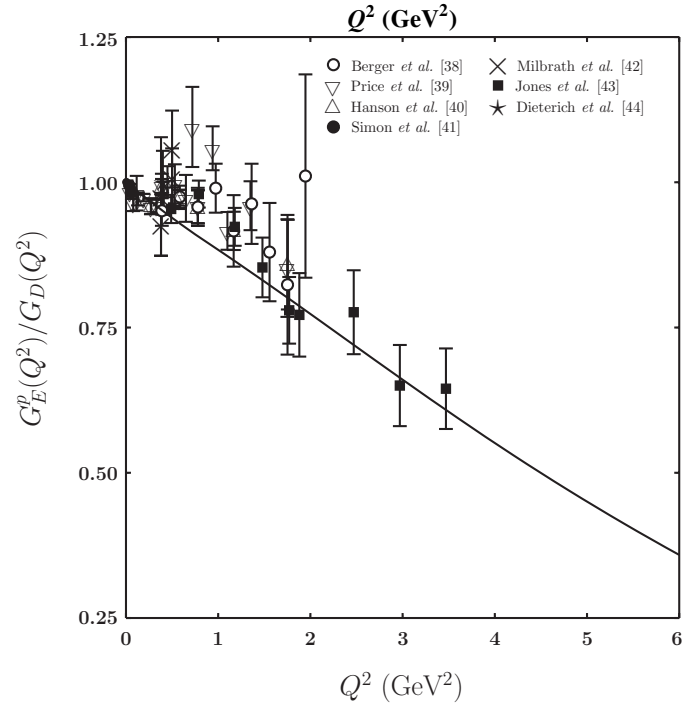
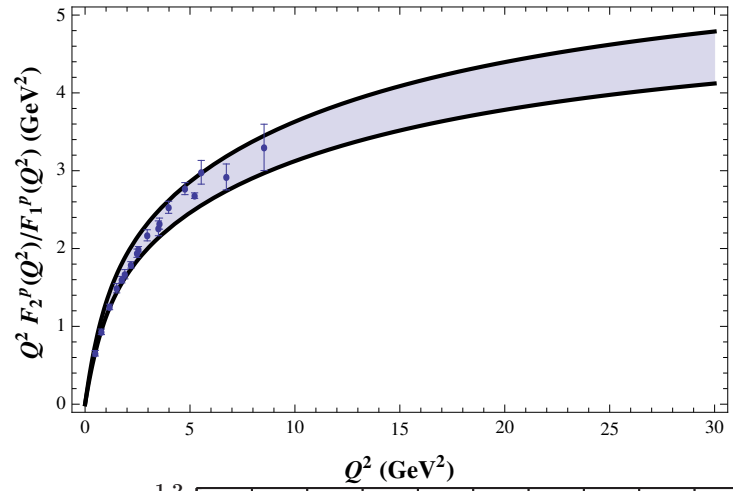
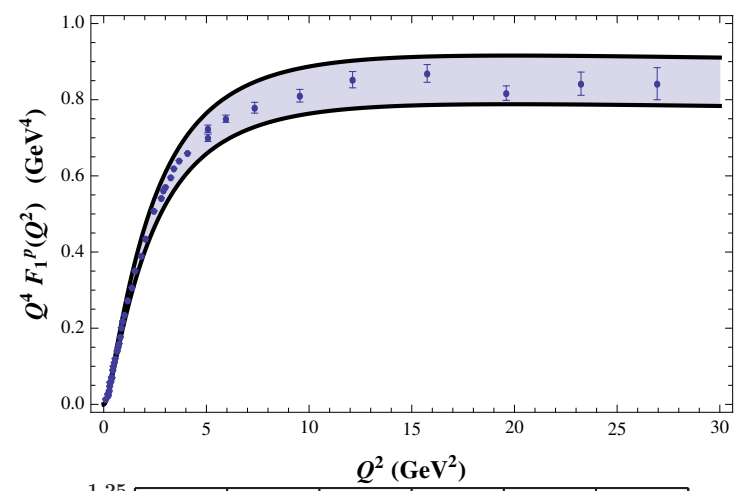
$$F_1^q(Q^2) = \int_0^1 dx \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{k}_\perp}{16\pi^3} \left[\psi_{+q}^{+*}(x, \mathbf{k}'_\perp) \psi_{+q}^+(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) + \psi_{-q}^{+*}(x, \mathbf{k}'_\perp) \psi_{-q}^+(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \right]$$

$$F_2^q(Q^2) = -\frac{2M_N}{q^1 - iq^2} \int_0^1 dx \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{k}_\perp}{16\pi^3} \left[\psi_{+q}^{+*}(x, \mathbf{k}'_\perp) \psi_{+q}^-(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \right. \\ \left. + \psi_{-q}^{+*}(x, \mathbf{k}'_\perp) \psi_{-q}^-(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp) \right]$$

where $\mathbf{k}'_\perp = \mathbf{k}_\perp + \mathbf{q}_\perp(1-x)$ is the transverse momentum of the recoiled nucleon; \mathbf{q}_\perp is the transverse momentum of the photon.

Nucleon EM: selected results

- $Q^4 F_1^p(Q^2)$, ratio $Q^2 F_2^p(Q^2)/F_1^p(Q^2)$, ratio of Sachs FF



Sum Rules for TMDs

- Using analytical expressions for the gluon T-even TMDs in terms of LFWFs

$$f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{16\pi^3} \left[\left(\varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[1 + (1-x)^2 \right] \left(\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 \right]$$

$$g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{16\pi^3} \left[\left(\varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 + \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[1 - (1-x)^2 \right] \left(\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right)^2 \right]$$

$$g_{1T}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \varphi^{(1)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) (1-x)$$

$$h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = \frac{1}{8\pi^3} \frac{\mathbf{k}_\perp^2}{M_N^2} \left[\varphi^{(2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2 (1-x)$$

- Two sum rules for T-even TMDs without referring to explicit form of $\varphi^{(1,2)}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$

$$\left[f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2 = \left[g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2 + \left[g_{1T}^{(1/2)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2 + \left[h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) \right]^2$$

$$f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) - g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2) = (1-x) h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

- Square of the unpolarized TMD = Sum of the squares of three polarized TMDs
- These two SR are derived at α_s^0

Sum Rules for TMDs

- Consistent with Mulders-Rodrigues positivity bounds

$$\sqrt{\left[g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\right]^2 + \left[g_{1T}^{(1/2)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\right]^2} \leq f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

$$\sqrt{\left[g_{1L}^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\right]^2 + \left[h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\right]^2} \leq f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

$$\sqrt{\left[g_{1T}^{(1/2)g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\right]^2 + \left[h_1^{(1)\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)\right]^2} \leq f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp^2)$$

Sum Rules for TMDs

- Based on the SR derived for T-even gluon TMDs, we make a conjecture that there should be two additional SRs involving T-odd gluon TMDs, valid at α_s and α_s^2
- We conjecture that the derived SRs are a consequence of the condition

$$\det \left[\Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'} \right] = 0$$

signaling that the gluon TMDs are not independent and are related via SRs

- 3 SRs at orders $\mathcal{O}(1)$, $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$, and $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$
- From $\det \left[\Gamma_{\lambda\lambda';\Lambda\Lambda'} \right] = 0$ follows the condition

$$\left[R_0 + 2R_1 + R_2 \right] \left[R_0 - 2R_1 + R_2 \right] = 0$$

- R_0, R_1, R_2 are the combinations of TMDs at orders $\mathcal{O}(1)$, $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$, $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$

Sum Rules for TMDs

- 3 Sum Rules

$$R_0 = \left[g_{1L}^g \right]^2 + \left[g_{1T}^{(1/2)g} \right]^2 + \left[h_1^{(1)\perp g} \right]^2 - \left[f_1^g \right]^2 = 0$$

$$R_1 = f_1^g h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g} + g_{1L}^g h_{1T}^{(1/2)+g} - g_{1T}^{(1/2)g} h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g} - h_1^{(1)\perp g} f_{1T}^{(1/2)\perp g} = 0$$

$$R_2 = \left[f_{1T}^{(1/2)\perp g} \right]^2 + \left[h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g} \right]^2 + \left[h_{1T}^{(1/2)+g} \right]^2 - \left[h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g} \right]^2 = 0$$

- 1st SR $R_0 = 0$ is exactly our SR involving four T-even TMDs
- 2nd SR $R_1 = 0$ couples T-even and T-odd TMDs
- 3rd SR $R_2 = 0$ involves only T-odd TMDs

Small- x behavior of TMDs

- Another amazing result: SRs $R_i = 0$ at $x \rightarrow 0$ reduce to QCD results (Boer et al)
- In particular, at small x we get:

$$f_1^g = h_1^{(1)\perp g}, \quad h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g} = f_{1T}^{(1/2)\perp g}$$

$$g_{1L}^g = g_{1T}^g = h_{1T}^{(1/2)+g} = 0.$$

- Dropping vanishing TMDs, the SRs $R_i = 0$ are simplified at small x as

$$R_0 = \left[h_1^{(1)\perp g} \right]^2 - \left[f_1^g \right]^2 = 0$$

$$R_1 = f_1^g h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g} - h_1^{(1)\perp g} f_{1T}^{(1/2)\perp g} = 0$$

$$R_2 = \left[f_{1T}^{(1/2)\perp g} \right]^2 - \left[h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g} \right]^2 = 0$$

- We establish small- x relations/behavior of our TMDs consistent with QCD looking at their expressions at $x \rightarrow 0$

Large- x behavior of TMDs

- Large- x scaling: $f_1^g \sim g_{1L}^g \sim (1-x)^4$, $g_{1T}^{(1/2)g} \sim h_1^{(1)\perp g} \sim (1-x)^5$
- Scaling of $f_{1T}^{(1/2)\perp g}$ and $h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}$ is similar to $g_{1T}^{(1/2)g}$, up to corresponding loop factors $R_{h_{1L}^{(1)\perp g}} \Big|_{x \rightarrow 1}$ and $R_{f_{1T}^{\perp g}} \Big|_{x \rightarrow 1}$, which are expected to be constants or power of $(1-x)$
- Scaling of $h_{1T}^{(1/2)\pm g}$ to f_1^g up to corresponding loop factor $R_{h_{1T}^{\pm g}} \Big|_{x \rightarrow 1}$, which is expected to be constant or power of $(1-x)$
- At large x SRs are simplified to

$$R_0 = [g_{1L}^g]^2 - [f_1^g]^2 = 0$$

$$R_1 = f_1^g [h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g} + h_{1T}^{(1/2)+g}] = 0$$

$$R_2 = [h_{1T}^{(1/2)+g}]^2 - [h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g}]^2 = 0$$

- From $R_1 = 0$ and $R_2 = 0$ follows $h_{1T}^{(1/2)+g} = -h_{1T}^{(1/2)-g}$

Summary

- New decomposition of gluon correlator producing TMDs at leading twist
- Clear interpretation of 2 transversity T-odd TMDs with L-polarization of gluons symmetric and antisymmetric under permutation of nucleon S_T and gluon q_T
- Gluon TMDs in LF QCD using LFWFs for $g + 3q$ Fock component in nucleon
- TMDs obey Mulders-Rodrigues inequalities, small- x and large- x behavior
- New Sum Rules involving TMDs
- Our study could serve as useful input for future experimental (SPD experiment) and phenomenological studies of gluon TMDs