

# DIFFERENTIAL SOFT RESUMMATION

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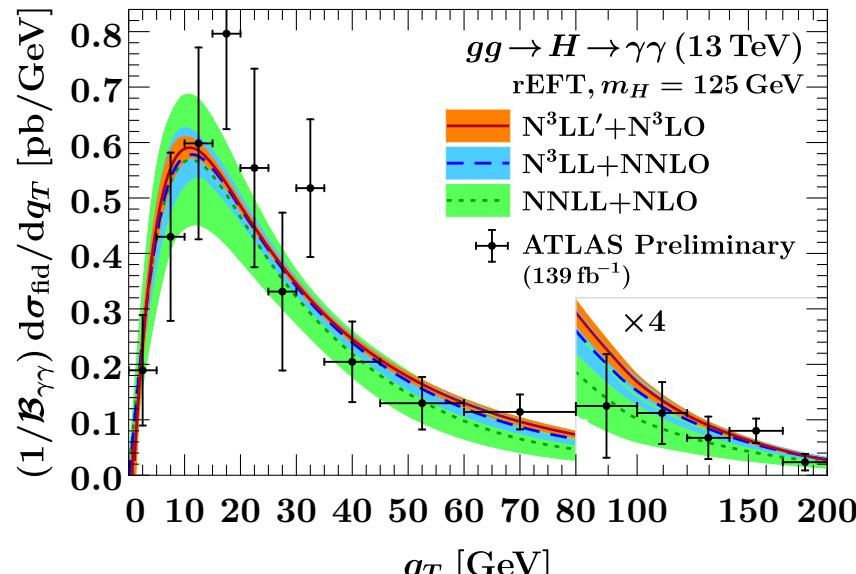
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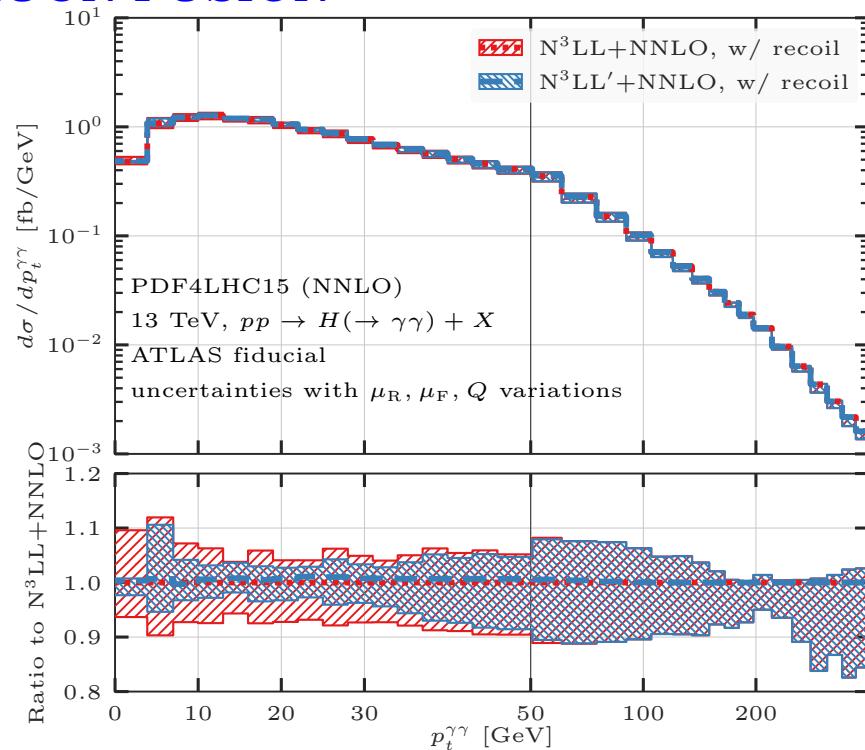
# RESUMMATION TODAY

- FOCUS ON HIGGS SIGNAL+ BACKGROUND
- RESUMMATION OF FIDUCIAL OBSERVABLES
- HIGH LOGARITHMIC ACCURACY
- MATCHING OF FIXED ORDER TO TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM RESUMMATION

## HIGGS IN GLUON FUSION



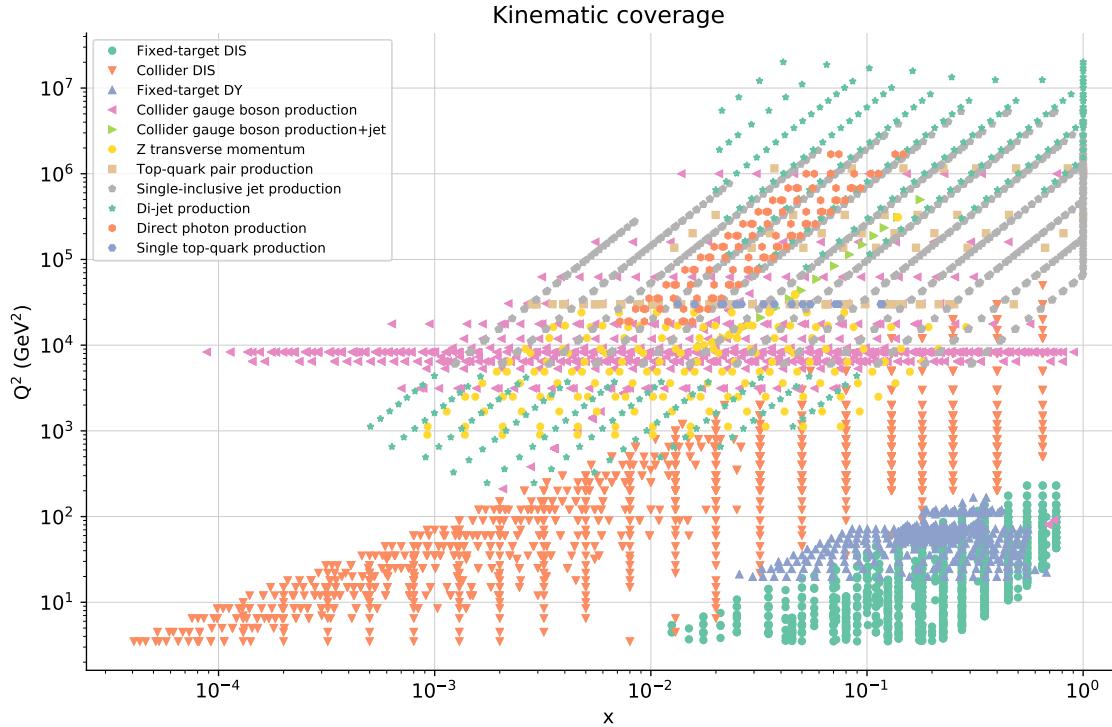
(Billie et al., 2021)



(Re, Rottoli, Torrielli, 2021)

# PRECISION SM PHYSICS PDF DETERMINATION

## THE NNPDF4.0 DATASET



- $W$  AND  $Z$  RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTIONS PLAY A DOMINANT ROLE
- $Z$   $p_T$  ALSO RELEVANT
- VERY HIGH EXPERIMENTAL PRECISION
- TREATED WITH PURE FIXED ORDER NNLO QCD
- WHAT ABOUT SOFT RESUMMATION?

# SOFT RESUMMATION AT THE DIFFERENTIAL LEVEL

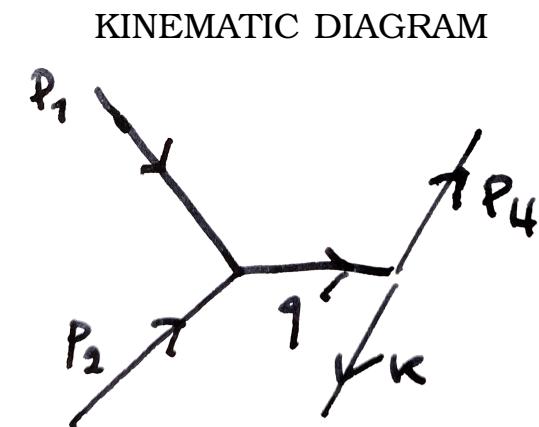
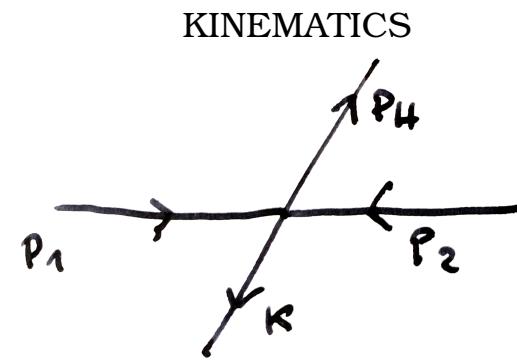
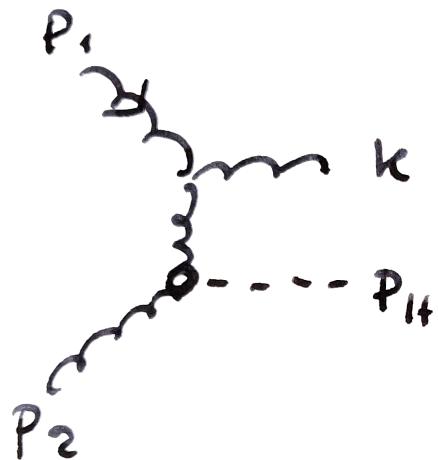
## WHAT DO WE KNOW?

### DOUBLE- AND TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DRELL-YAN/HIGGS

- **TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTIONS**
  - RESUM  $\ln N$  (MELLIN) AT **FIXED**  $p_T$
  - NLL ACCURACY (De Florian, Kulesza, Vogelsang, 2006)
  - GENERAL (SF, Ridolfi, Rota, 2021)
- $b$  **RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTIONS**: DOUBLE MELLIN  $N_1 = N + ib$ ,  $N_2 = N - ib$ 
  - RESUM  $\ln N$  AT FIXED  $b$ :  $b$  DEPENDENCE **SUBLEADING** (Bolzoni, 2006; Becher, Neubert, 2008)
  - RESUM  $\ln N_1$ ,  $\ln N_2$  IN **DOUBLE** SOFT LIMIT  $N_1, N_2 \rightarrow \infty$ : **FOLLOWS FROM INCLUSIVE** (Catani, Trentadue, 1989; Westmark, Owens, 2017; Ravindran et al, 2018)
  - RESUM  $\ln N_1$  IN **SINGLE** SOFT  $N_1 \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $N_2$  **FIXED**: SCET (MOMENTUM SPACE) (Lustermans, Michel, Tackmann, 2019, unpublished)
- **FULLY DIFFERENTIAL**
  - **UNKNOWN**

## 2 → 2 KINEMATICS

COLORLESS FINAL STATE: (SAY) HIGGS IN GLUON FUSION  
FEYNMAN DIAGRAM



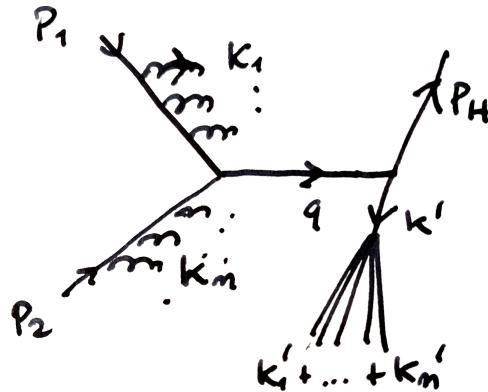
MOMENTA

$$p_1 + p_2 = p_h + k$$

PHASE SPACE

$$d\phi_2(p_1 + p_2; p_H, k) = \int \frac{dq^2}{2\pi} d\phi_1(p_1 + p_2; q) d\phi_2(q; p_H, k)$$

# $2 \rightarrow 2 + X$ KINEMATICS: SOFT LIMITS KINEMATIC DIAGRAM



$$d\phi_{n+m+2}(p_1 + p_2; p_H, k_1, \dots, k_n, k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) = \\ \int \frac{dq^2}{2\pi} d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n) \int \frac{dk'^2}{2\pi} d\phi_2(q; p_H, k') d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1})$$

- MOMENTA  $k_1, \dots, k_n$  ARE SOFT
- MOMENTA  $k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}$  ARE COLLINEAR ( $m$  COLLINEAR EMISSIONS), RECOILING AGAINST “HIGGS”
- PHASE SPACE SPLIT ITERATIVELY (SF, Ridolfi, 2003; Jing, Shen, Guo 2021)
  - $d\phi_{n+1}$ : TWO INCOMING INTO ONE OFF-SHELL  $q$  &  $n$  SOFT
  - TWO-BODY INCOMING  $q$  INTO HIGGS + OFF-SHELL  $k'$
  - OFF-SHELL  $k'$  INTO  $m+1$  COLLINEAR

# RG APPROACH TO SOFT RESUMMATION

THE INCLUSIVE CASE (SF, Ridolfi, 2003)

RESUMMATION OF THE INCLUSIVE PARTONIC CROSS SECTION  $\hat{\sigma}(Q^2, x)$

$$\text{HIGGS: } Q^2 = m_H^2, x = \frac{m_H^2}{\hat{s}}$$

1. **KINEMATICS:** SOFT LIMIT  $\rightarrow$  PARTONIC CROSS SECTION ONLY DEPENDS ON SCALE VARIABLE  $Q^2(1-x)^2$  (HIGGS, DY;  $Q^2(1-x)$  FOR DIS)
2. **RG:** RG INVARIANT QUANTITY CAN ONLY DEPEND ON SCALE THROUGH  $\alpha_s$ 
  - USE MELLIN SPACE  $\Rightarrow \hat{\sigma} = \hat{\sigma}(Q^2, N)$
  - SOFT LIMIT  $\Rightarrow \hat{\sigma}(Q^2, N) = H\left(\frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \alpha_s(\mu^2)\right) J\left(\frac{Q^2/N^2}{\mu^2}, \alpha_s(\mu^2)\right)$
  - RG INVARIANT:  $\gamma^{\text{phys}} = \frac{d}{d \ln Q^2} \ln \hat{\sigma} = \gamma^c + \gamma^l; \gamma^c = \frac{d}{d \ln Q^2} \ln H \quad \gamma^l = \frac{d}{d \ln Q^2} \ln J$
  - RGE  $\frac{d}{d \mu^2} \gamma^{\text{phys}} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{d}{d \mu^2} \gamma^l = -\frac{d}{d \mu^2} \gamma^c \equiv g(\alpha_s(\mu^2))$

RGE SOLUTION: THE RESUMMED CROSS-SECTION

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\sigma}\left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu_F^2}, \alpha_s(Q^2)\right) &= \sigma^0\left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu_F^2}, \alpha_s(Q^2)\right) C_{\text{res}}(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu_F^2}, \alpha_s(Q^2)) \\ &= \sigma^0\left(N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu_F^2}, \alpha_s(Q^2)\right) H(\alpha_s(Q^2)) \exp \int_{\mu_F^2}^{Q^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \int_1^{N^2} \frac{dn}{n} g\left[\alpha_s(\mu^2/n)\right] \end{aligned}$$

## THE SOFT-RESUMMED CROSS SECTION (INCLUSIVE)

$$\begin{aligned} C_{\text{res}}(N, \alpha_s(Q^2)) &= g_0(\alpha_s(Q^2)) \exp \left[ \int_1^{N^2} \frac{dn}{n} \int_{Q^2 n}^{Q^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} g \left[ \alpha_s(\mu^2/n) \right] \right] \\ &= \hat{g}_0(\alpha_s) \exp \left[ 2 \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} \int_{Q^2}^{Q^2(1-x)^2} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \hat{g} \left[ \alpha_s(\mu^2) \right] \right] \\ &= \hat{g}_0(\alpha_s) \exp \left[ 2 \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} \int_{Q^2}^{(1-z)^2 Q^2} \frac{dq^2}{q^2} A \left( \alpha_s(q^2) \right) + B \left( \alpha_s((1-z)^2 Q^2) \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

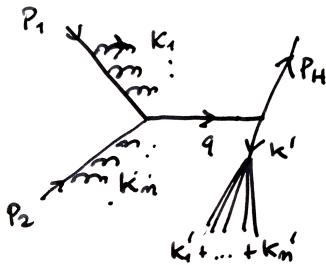
- PDFS EVALUATED AT  $\mu_F^2 = Q^2$
- $g$  DETERMINED BY MATCHING TO FIXED ORDER

## SWOT RG

- STRENGTH: SIMPLE INTERPRETATION AND DERIVATION
- WEAKNESS: RESUMMATION COEFFICIENTS DETERMINED BY MATCHING TO FIXED ORDER
- OPPORTUNITIES: GENERALIZATION TO MULTISCALE

# TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTIONS

(SF, Ridolfi, Rota, 2021)



$$\begin{aligned} d\phi_{n+m+2}(p_1 + p_2; p_H, k_1, \dots, k_n, k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) \\ = \int \frac{dq^2}{2\pi} d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n) \\ \int \frac{dk'^2}{2\pi} d\phi_2(q; p_H, k') d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) \end{aligned}$$

## SOFT LIMIT

**FIXED**  $p_T$ ,  $\hat{s} \rightarrow \hat{s}^{\min} = \left( \sqrt{m_H^2 + p_T^2} + \sqrt{p_T^2} \right)^2 \equiv Q^2$ ;  $x \equiv \frac{Q^2}{\hat{s}}$

**FIXED** ( $Q^2$ ,  $Qp_T$ ), ( $x \rightarrow 1 \leftrightarrow N \rightarrow \infty$  (MELLIN))

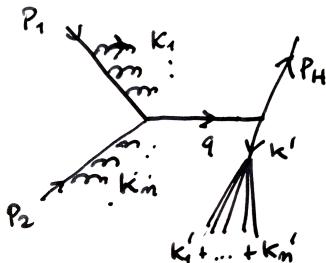
## SOFT KINEMATICS

$q^2$  SQUEEZED TO ITS MINIMUM  $q^2 \rightarrow q^2_{\min} = Q^2$ ;  $k'^2$  FORCED ON-SHELL  $k'^2 \rightarrow 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  HIGGS  $p_z \rightarrow 0$

## SOFT PHASE SPACE

- $Q^2 \leq q^2 \leq \hat{s} \Leftrightarrow q^2 - Q^2 = Q^2 \left( u \frac{1-x}{x} \right)$ ,  $0 \leq u \leq 1$
- $0 \leq k'^2 \leq Qp_T(1-x)u \Leftrightarrow k'^2 = uvQp_T(1-x)$ ,  $0 \leq v \leq 1$
- $dq^2 dk'^2 \rightarrow du dv$

# TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTIONS



$$d\phi_{n+m+2}(p_1 + p_2; p_H, k_1, \dots, k_n, k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) \\ \sim \int du dv d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n) \\ d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1})$$

## SOFT PHASE SPACES AND SCALES

- $d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n)$  INCLUSIVE HIGGS-LIKE, SCALE  $\frac{(s-q^2)^2}{q^2} = Q^2(1-x)^2$
- $d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1})$  DIS-LIKE, SCALE  $k'^2 = Qp_T(1-x)$

## SOFT RESUMMATION

$$C(N, Q^2/\mu^2, Qp_T/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) = C^{(c)} \left( \alpha_s(Q^2), \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} \right)$$

$$\times \exp \left[ \int_1^{N^2} \frac{dn_1}{n_1} \int_{n_1 \mu^2}^{Q^2} \frac{dk_1^2}{k_1^2} \bar{g}_1^{(i)}(\alpha_s(k_1^2)) + \int_1^N \frac{dn_2}{n_2} \int_{n_2 \mu^2}^{Qp_T} \frac{dk_2^2}{k_2^2} \bar{g}_2^{(j)}(\alpha_s(k_2^2)) \right]$$

# TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTIONS SOFT RESUMMATION

$$\begin{aligned}
C(N, Q^2/\mu^2, Qp_T/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) &= g_0(\alpha_s(Q^2)) \\
&\times \exp \left\{ \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} \left[ D[\alpha_s(Q^2(1-x)^2)] + \int_{\mu^2}^{Q^2(1-x)^2} \frac{dk^2}{k^2} A[\alpha_s(k^2)] \right] \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} \left[ B[Qp_T(1-x)] + \int_{\mu^2}^{Qp_T(1-x)} \frac{dk^2}{k^2} A[\alpha_s(k^2)] \right] \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

## NLL RESULT

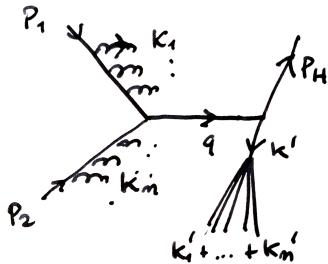
(De Florian, Kulesza, Vogelsang, 2006)

$$\begin{aligned}
C(N, Q^2/\mu^2, Qp_T/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) &= g_0(\alpha_s(Q^2)) \\
&\times \exp \left\{ 2 \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} \int_{\mu^2}^{Qp_T(1-x)^2} \frac{dq^2}{q^2} A(\alpha_s(q^2)) \right. \\
&+ \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} \left[ \int_{Qp_T(1-x)^2}^{Qp_T(1-x)} \frac{dq^2}{q^2} A(\alpha_s(q^2)) + B(\alpha_s(Qp_T(1-x))) \right] \left. + \int_0^1 dx \frac{x^{N-1} - 1}{1-x} A \ln \frac{p_T}{Q} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

- $\ln p_t$  TERM **EFFECTS SCALE CHANGE** TO NLL ACCURACY
- **AGREEMENT** AT NLL (NOTE  $D = 0$  AT NLL)
- NEW RESULT **GENERALIZES** TO ALL LOG ORDERS

# RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTIONS

(De Ros, SF, Tagliabue, WIP)



$$\begin{aligned} d\phi_{n+m+2}(p_1 + p_2; p_H, k_1, \dots, k_n, k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) \\ = \int \frac{dq^2}{2\pi} d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n) \\ \int \frac{dk'^2}{2\pi} d\phi_2(q; p_H, k') d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) \end{aligned}$$

## (PARTON) KINEMATICS

$$p_H = \left( \sqrt{m_H^2 + p_T^2} \cosh y, \vec{p}_T, \sqrt{m_H^2 + p_T^2} \sinh y \right), x_1 = \sqrt{x} e^y, x_2 = \sqrt{x} e^{-y} \Leftrightarrow x = x_1 x_2,$$

$$(Q^2 = m_H^2, x \equiv \frac{Q^2}{\hat{s}}), e^{2y} = \frac{x_1}{x_2} \Leftrightarrow \sqrt{x} \leq e^y \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$$

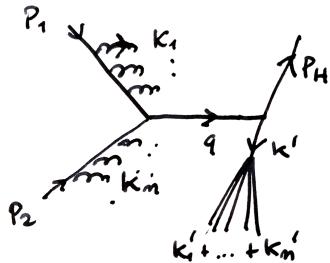
## SOFT LIMITS

- **SINGLE SOFT:** FIXED  $y$ ,  $\hat{s} \rightarrow \hat{s}^{\min} = \left( \sqrt{m_H^2 + p_z^2} + \sqrt{p_z^2} \right)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow$  FIXED  $(Q^2, x_2)$ ,  $x_1 \rightarrow 1 \Leftrightarrow$  FIXED  $N_2$ ,  $N_1 \rightarrow \infty$  (MELLIN)
- **DOUBLE SOFT:**  $y \rightarrow y^{\min} = 0$ ,  $\hat{s} \rightarrow \hat{s}^{\min} = m_H^2$   
 $\Rightarrow$  FIXED  $Q^2$ ,  $x_1 \rightarrow 1$ ,  $x_2 \rightarrow 1 \Leftrightarrow N_1 \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $N_2 \rightarrow \infty$  (MELLIN)
- **SINGLE SOFT:**  $q^2$  SQUEEZED TO ITS MINIMUM  $q^2 \rightarrow q^2_{\min}$ ;  $k'^2$  FORCED ON-SHELL  $k'^2 \rightarrow 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  HIGGS  $p_T \rightarrow 0$
- **DOUBLE SOFT:**  $q^2$  SQUEEZED TO ITS ABSOLUTE MINIMUM  $q^2 \rightarrow m_H^2$ ;  $k'^2$  FORCED ON-SHELL  $k'^2 \rightarrow 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  HIGGS  $p_T \rightarrow 0$   $p_z \rightarrow 0$

## SOFT PHASE SPACE

- $x_1^2 \hat{s} \leq q^2 \leq \hat{s} \Leftrightarrow q^2 - \hat{s} x_1^2 = \hat{s} u (1 - x_1^2)$ ,  $0 \leq u \leq 1$
- $0 \leq k'^2 \leq \hat{s} (1 - x_1) (1 - x_2) \Leftrightarrow k'^2 = u v \hat{s} (1 - x_1) (1 - x_2)$ ,  $0 \leq v \leq 1$
- $dq^2 dk'^2 \rightarrow du dv$

## RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTIONS



$$\begin{aligned}
 d\phi_{n+m+2}(p_1 + p_2; p_H, k_1, \dots, k_n, k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1}) \\
 \sim \int du dv d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n) \\
 d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1})
 \end{aligned}$$

## SOFT PHASE SPACES AND SCALES

- $d\phi_{n+1}(p_1 + p_2; q, k_1, \dots, k_n)$  INCLUSIVE HIGGS-LIKE; SCALE  $\frac{(s-q^2)^2}{q^2} = Q^2(1-x_1)^2$
- $d\phi_{m+1}(k'; k'_1, \dots, k'_{m+1})$  DIS-LIKE; SCALE  $k'^2 = Q^2(1-x_1)(1-x_2) \rightarrow Q^2(1-x_1)$

## SOFT RESUMMATION RESUMMED EXPONENT

$$\ln C(N_1, N_2, Q^2/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) = \left[ \int_1^{N_1^2} \frac{dn}{n} \int_{n\mu^2}^{Q^2} \frac{dk_1^2}{k_1^2} \bar{g}_1^{(i)}(\alpha_s(k_1^2)) + \int_1^{N_1 N_2} \frac{dn'}{n'} \int_{n'\mu^2}^{Q^2} \frac{dk_2^2}{k_2^2} \bar{g}_2^{(j)}(\alpha_s(k_2^2)) \right] + \text{non log.}$$

# RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTIONS

## DOUBLE SOFT RESUMMATION

HIGGS-LIKE TERM **SUBLEADING**; DIS-LIKE SURVIVES:

$$C(N_1, N_2, Q^2/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) = g_0(\alpha_s(Q^2)) \\ \times \exp \int_0^1 dx_1 dx_2 \frac{x_1^{N_1-1} - 1}{1 - x_1} \frac{x_2^{N_2-1} - 1}{1 - x_2} \left[ D[\alpha_s(Q^2(1-x_1)(1-x_2))] + \int_{\mu^2}^{Q^2(1-x_1)(1-x_2)} \frac{dk^2}{k^2} A[\alpha_s(k^2)] \right]$$

- DIFFERENTIAL OBTAINED FROM **INCLUSIVE** BY  $N^2 \rightarrow N_1 N_2$ :  $\ln \frac{Q^2}{N_1 N_2}$  RESUMMATION
- AGREEMENT WITH Catani, Trentadue, 1989; Westmark, Owens, 2017; Ravindran et al, 2018

## SINGLE SOFT RESUMMATION

- **SCALE** IS  $Q^2/N_1$
- RESUMMATION COEFFICIENTS ARE FUNCTIONS OF  $N_2$
- HIGGS-LIKE CONTRIBUTION (SCALE  $Q^2/N_1^2$ ) STARTS AT **SUBLEADING** ORDER

# RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTIONS

## SINGLE SOFT RESUMMATION (PRELIMINARY)

- SCALE IS  $Q^2/N_1$
- RESUMMATION COEFFICIENTS ARE FUNCTIONS OF  $N_2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\sigma}(N_1, N_2, Q^2/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) &= \sigma^{\text{LO}}(\alpha_s(Q^2)) g_0 \left( \alpha_s(Q^2), N_2 \right) \\
 &\times \exp \int_{Q^2}^{Q^2/N_1} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left[ A[\alpha_s(\mu^2)] \ln \frac{Q^2/N_1}{\mu^2} + \bar{D} \left( \alpha_s^2(\mu^2), N_2 \right) \right] \\
 &+ \sigma^{\text{NLO}}(\alpha_s(Q^2), N_1, N_2) \bar{g}_0 \left( \alpha_s(Q^2), N_2 \right) \exp \int_0^1 dx_1 \frac{x^{N_1-1} - 1}{1 - x_1} \int_{\mu^2}^{Q^2(1-x_1)^2} \frac{dk^2}{k^2} A[\alpha_s(k^2)]
 \end{aligned}$$

## SCET RESULT

(Lustermans, Michel, Tackmann, 2019, unpublished, our dQCD translation)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\sigma}(N_1, N_2, Q^2/\mu^2, \alpha_s(\mu^2)) &= \sigma^{\text{LO}}(\alpha_s(Q^2)) g_0 \left( \alpha_s(Q^2), N_2 \right) \\
 &\times \exp \int_{Q^2}^{Q^2/N_1} \frac{d\mu^2}{\mu^2} \left[ A[\alpha_s(\mu^2)] \ln \frac{Q^2/N_1}{\mu^2} + \hat{\gamma} \left( \alpha_s(\mu^2), N_2 \right) + \bar{\bar{D}} \left( \alpha_s^2(\mu^2), N_2 \right) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

- $\hat{\gamma}(\alpha_s(\mu^2), N_2) = \gamma(\alpha_s(\mu^2), N_2) - A(\alpha_s(\mu^2)) \ln \mu^2$ : NONSINGULAR ANOMALOUS DIMENSIONS
- AGREEMENT UP TO NLL, BEYOND?

## SUMMARY AND OUTLOOK

- RG APPROACH PROVIDES SIMPLE ALL-ORDER RESUMMATION,  
MUST MATCH TO FIXED ORDER
- EASILY GENERALIZED TO TWO SCALES
- TRANSVERSE MOMENTUM: SIMILAR TO INCLUSIVE, BUT TWO SCALES
- RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTION: DOUBLE SOFT OBTAINED FROM INCLUSIVE  
(SINGLE SCALE)
- RAPIDITY DISTRIBUTION, SINGLE SOFT: TWO SCALES