

# Large Angle Energy Flow in Medium Modified Jets

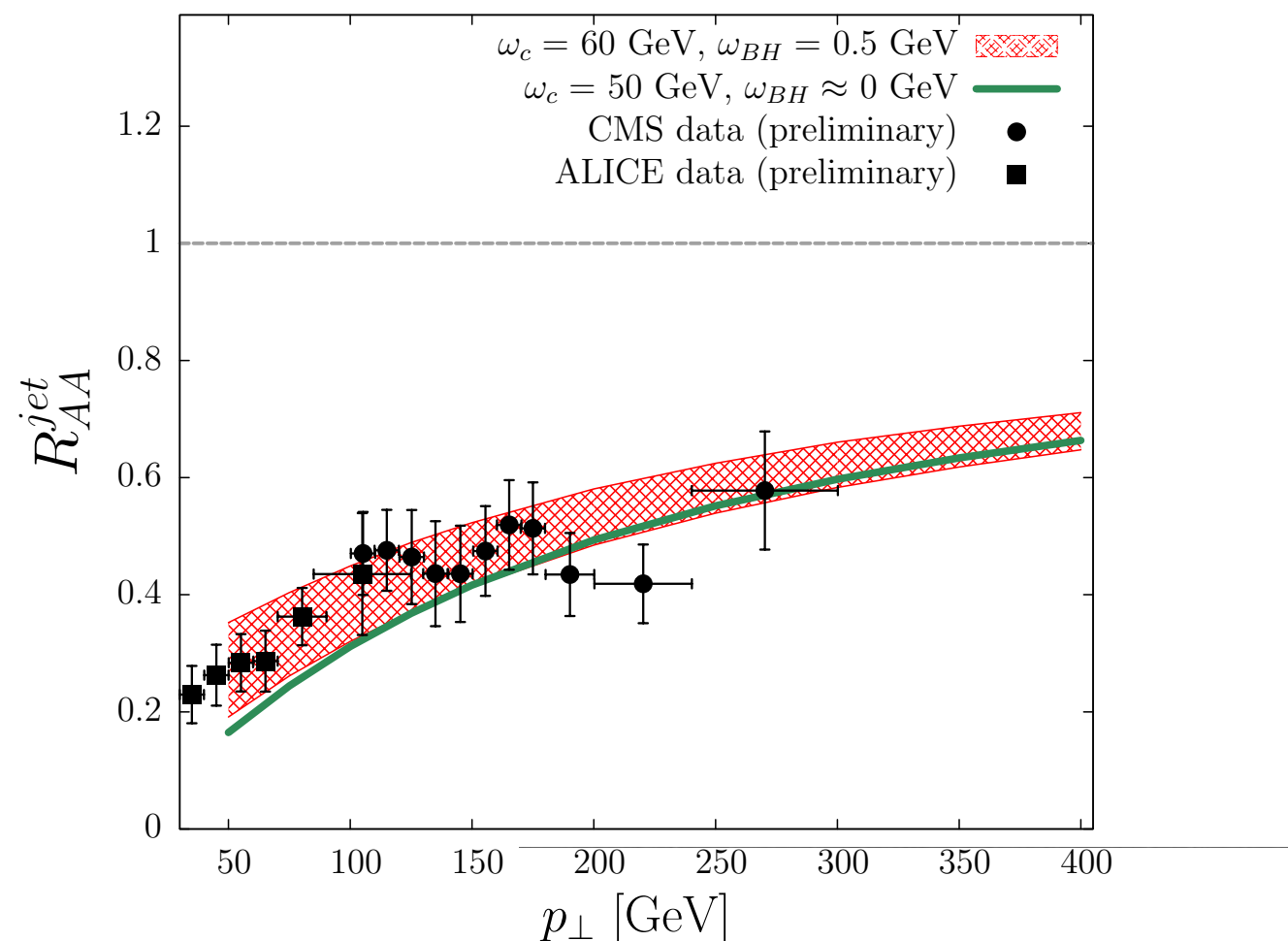
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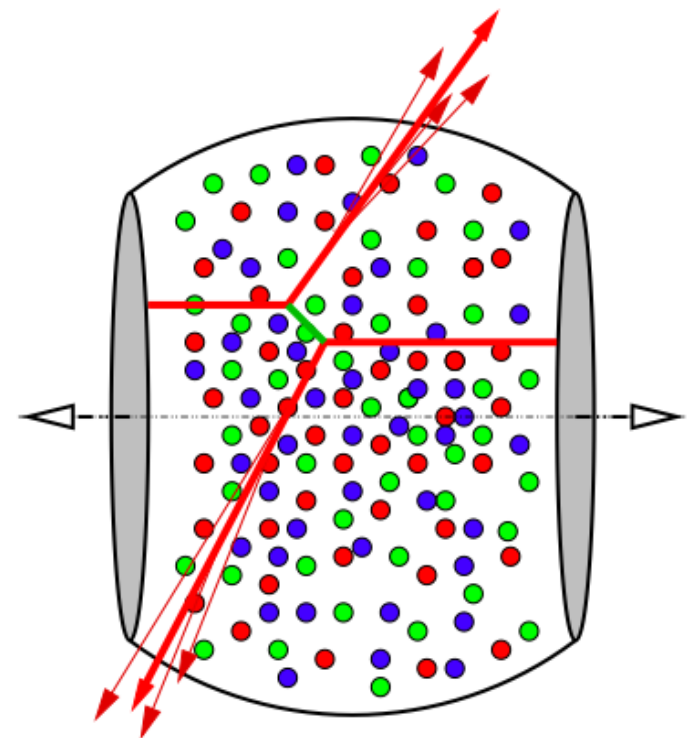
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# Jet Nuclear Modification Factor

Jets or high pt partons lose energy mostly by radiating gluons at large angles: Jet in Pb-Pb collisions are strongly suppressed compared to proton-proton collisions



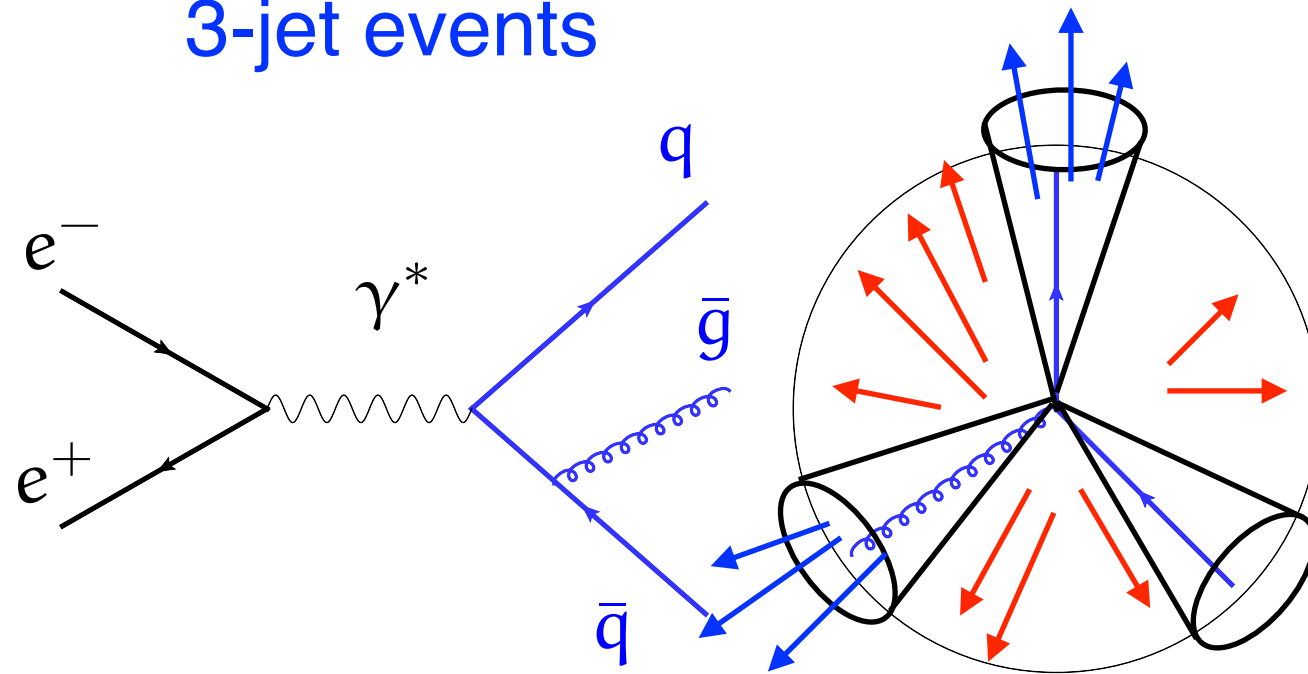
$$R_{AA} \equiv \frac{1}{N_{coll}} \frac{dN_{AA}}{dN_{pp}}$$



# Jets in $e^+e^-$

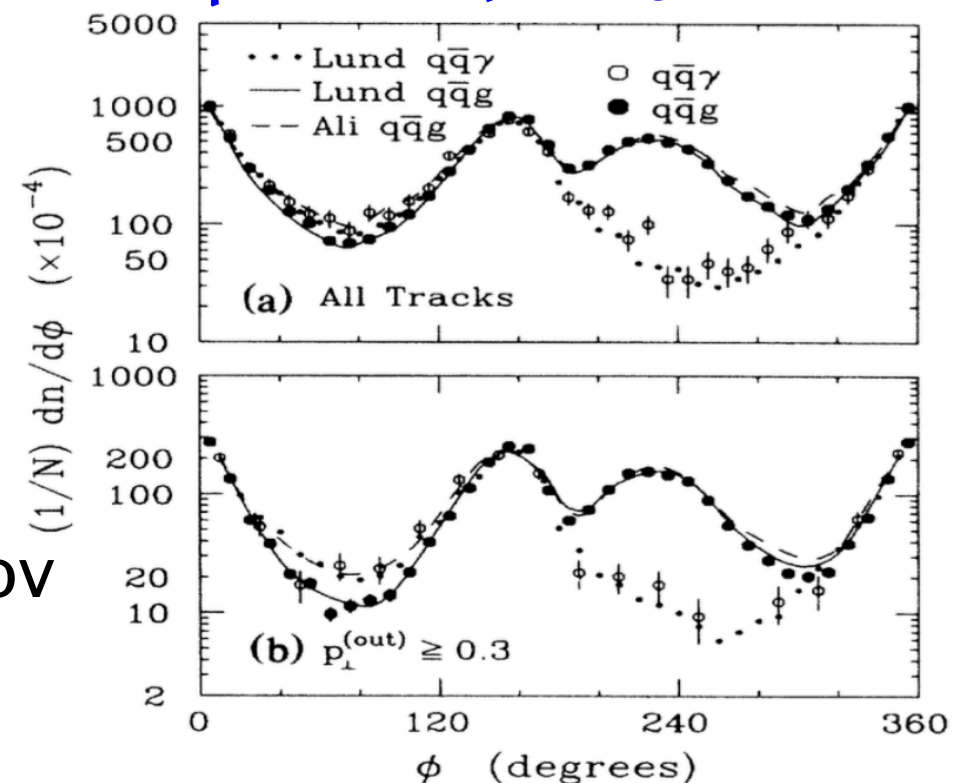
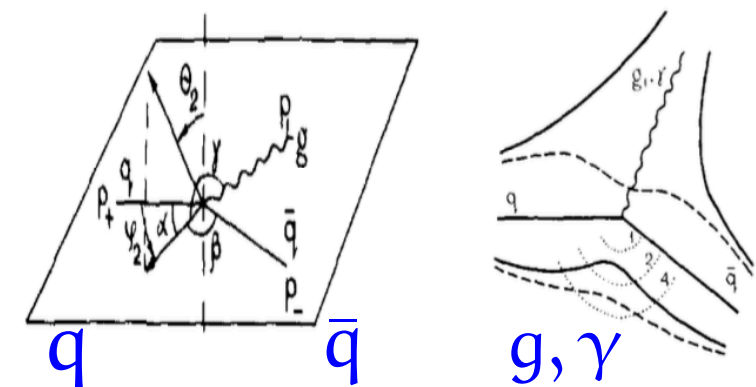
[Azimov, Dokshitzer, Khoze, Troyan (1985)]

3-jet events



**Interjet hadronic activity:**  
Dragg effect: “stringy”  
fragmentation from QCD

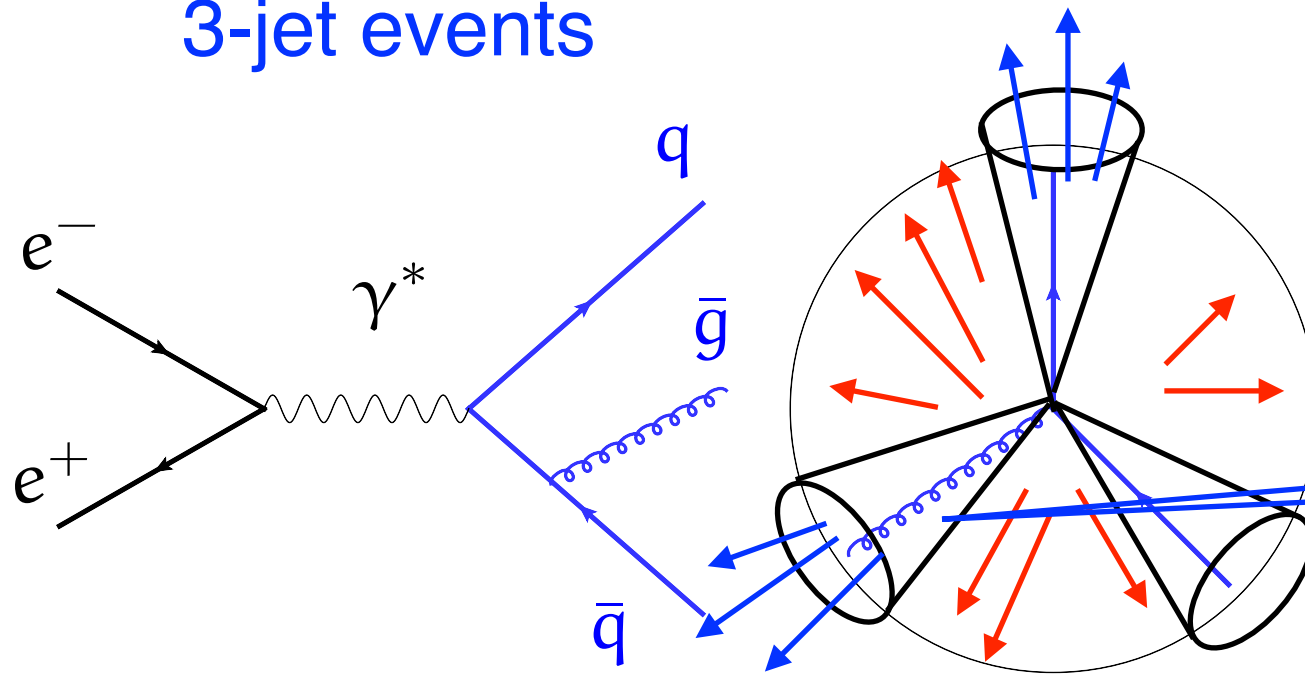
- **Large angle soft gluon radiation:** sensitive to total charge of the jet
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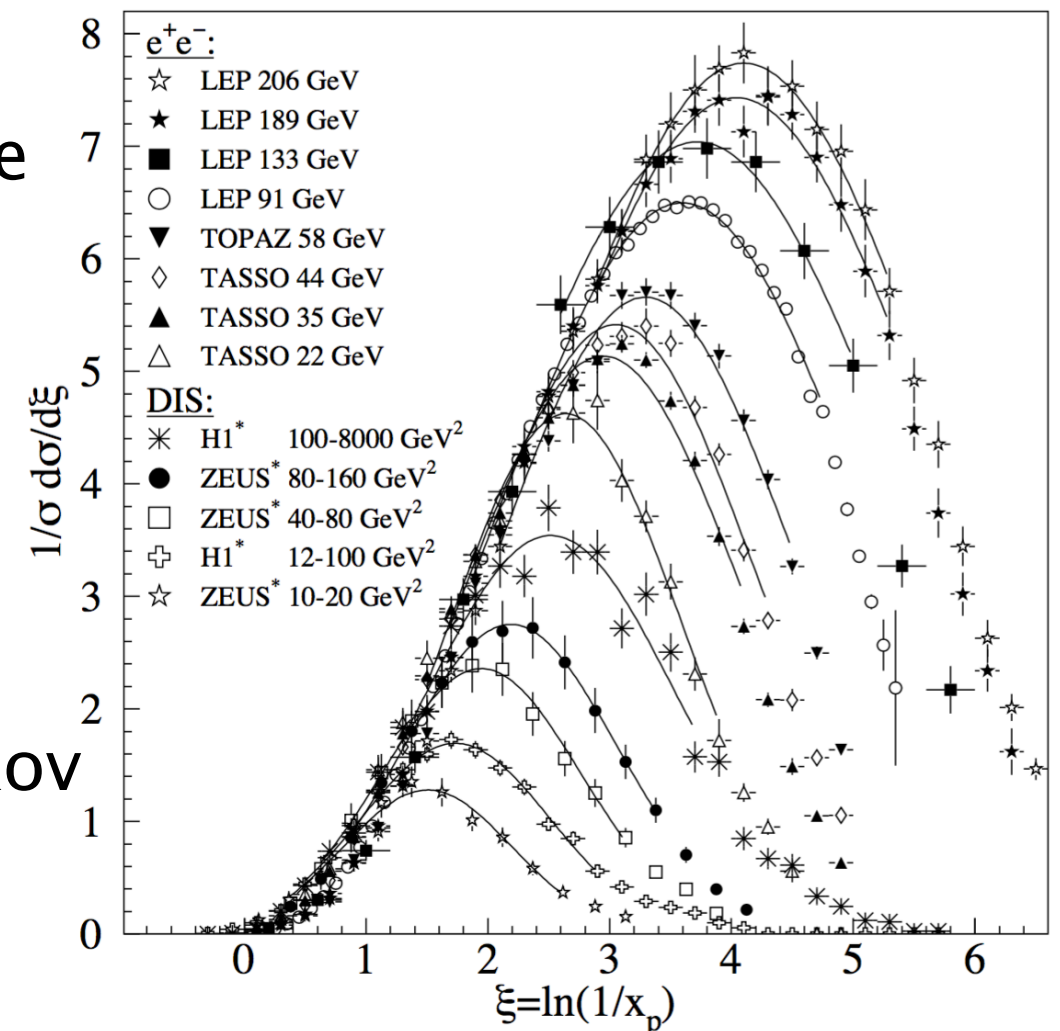
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Fragmentation function:  
Intrajet distribution

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# Jets in the QGP

- **Color Decoherence:** Coherence suppressed by in-medium **color randomization**

[MT, Salgado, Tywoniuk (2010–2011)  
Casalderrey–Solana, Iancu (2011)]

- Additional component: **large angle medium-induced gluon cascade** (This talk)
- No logarithmic enhancements for the medium-induced part but **length enhancement**

New (obvious) time scale: the medium length  $L$

- In the presence of QCD medium:

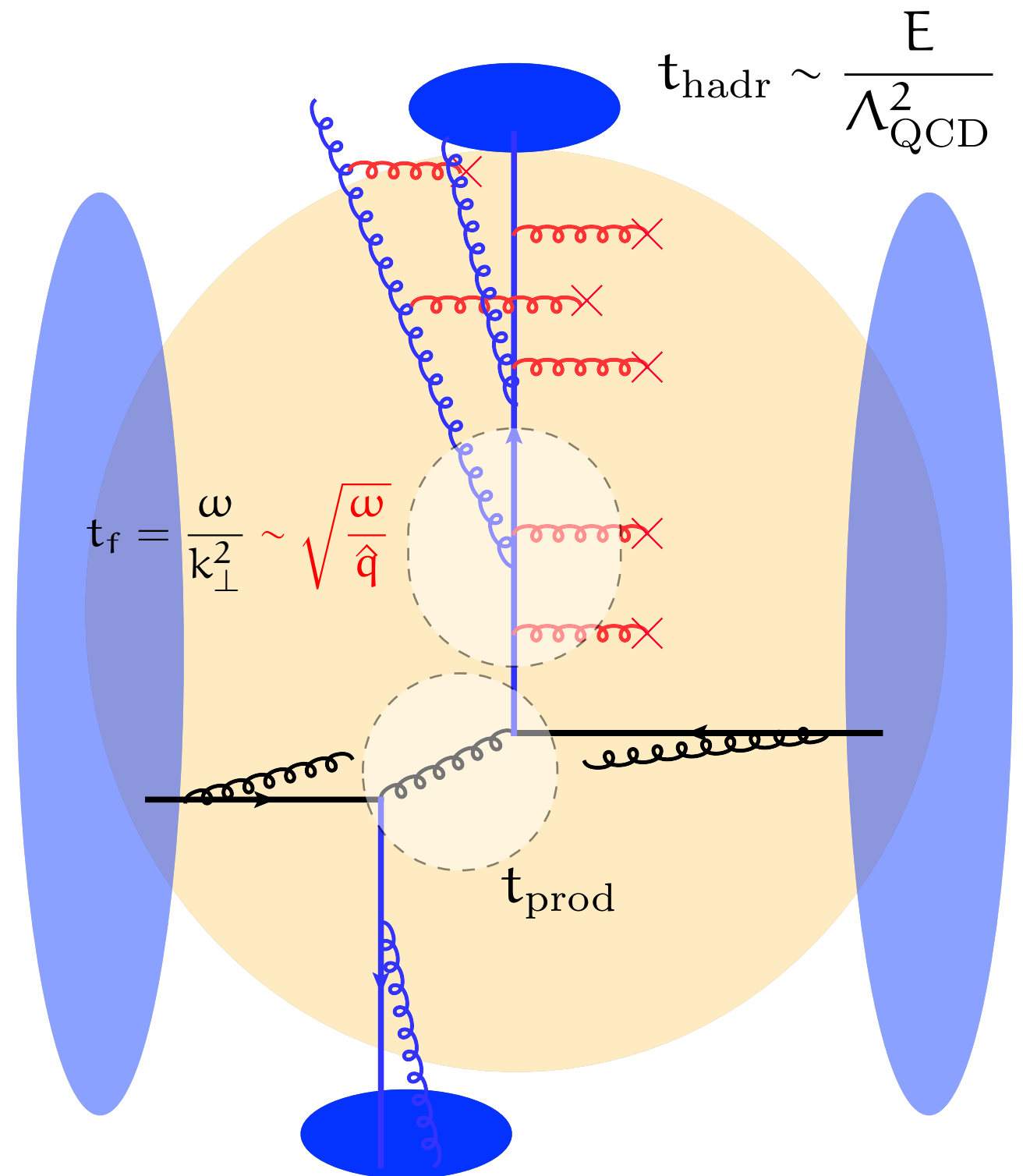
- Final state rescattering

$$\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle \equiv \hat{q} L$$

- Coherent medium-induced soft gluon radiation: no logarithm enhancement but **length enhancement**

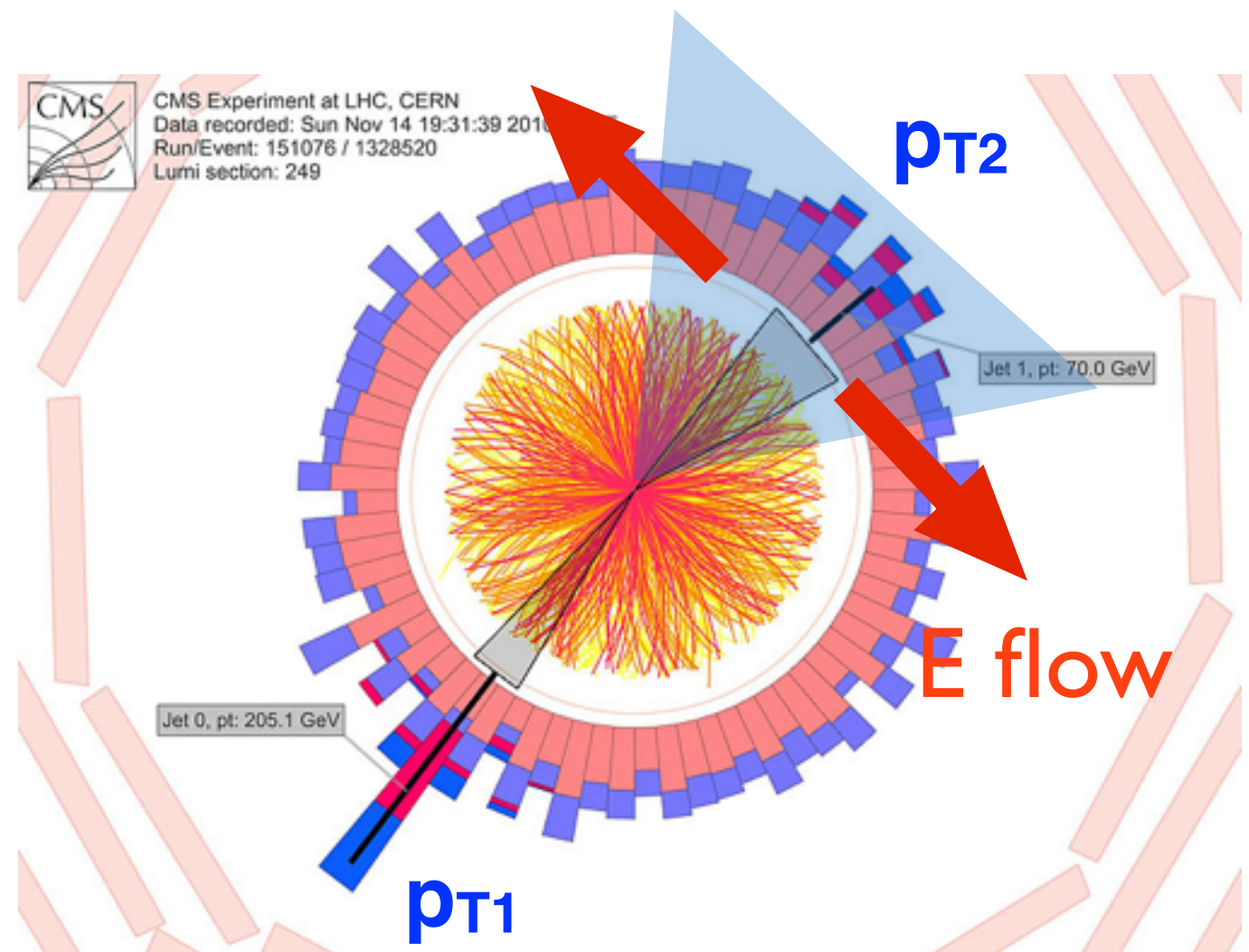
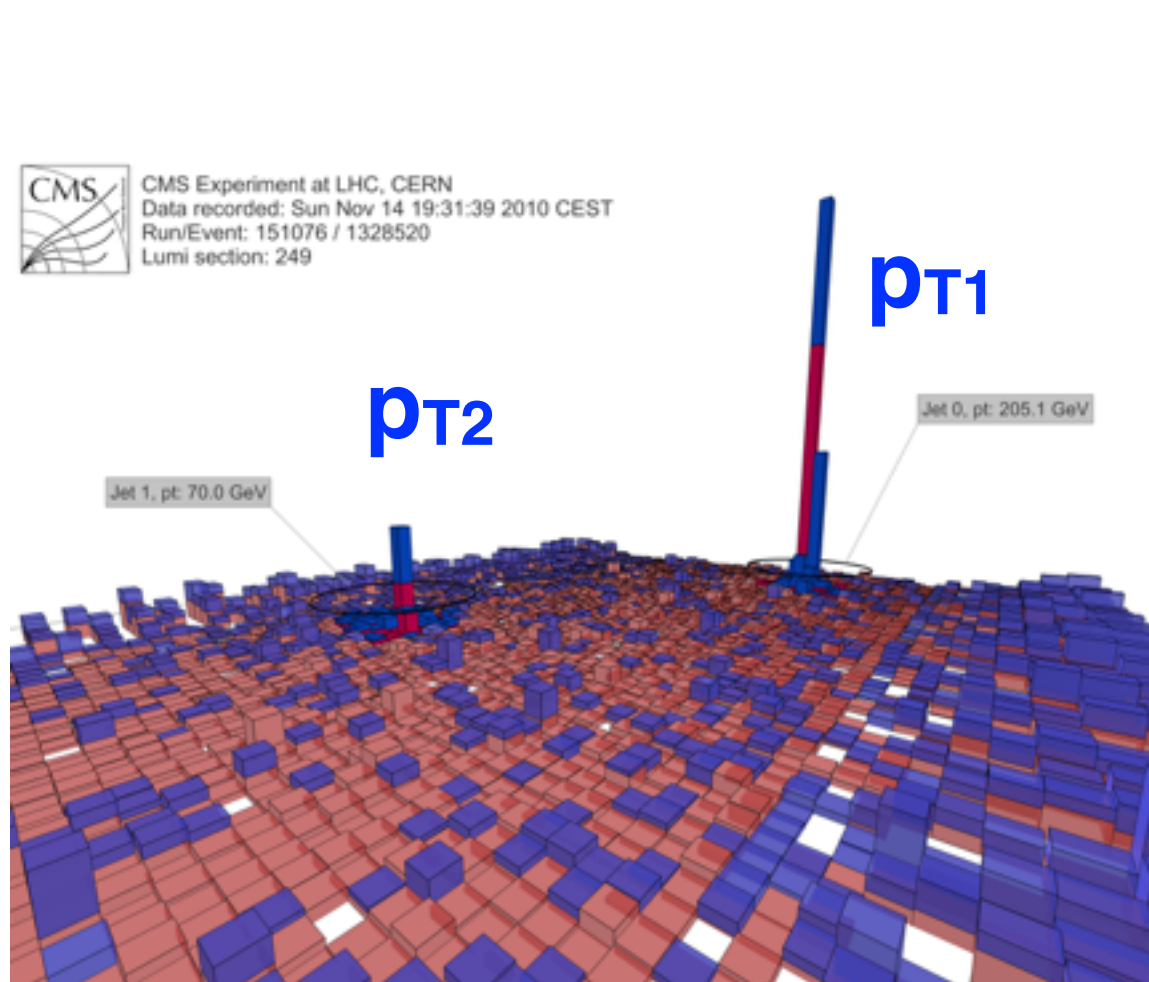
$$\omega \frac{dN}{d\omega} = \alpha_s \frac{\textcircled{L}}{t_f} \equiv \alpha_s N_{eff}$$

[Guylassy, Wang, Baier, Dokshitzer, Mueller, Peigné, Schiff, Zakharov, Vitev, Levai, Wiedemann, Arnold, Moore, Yaffe (1992–2000)]



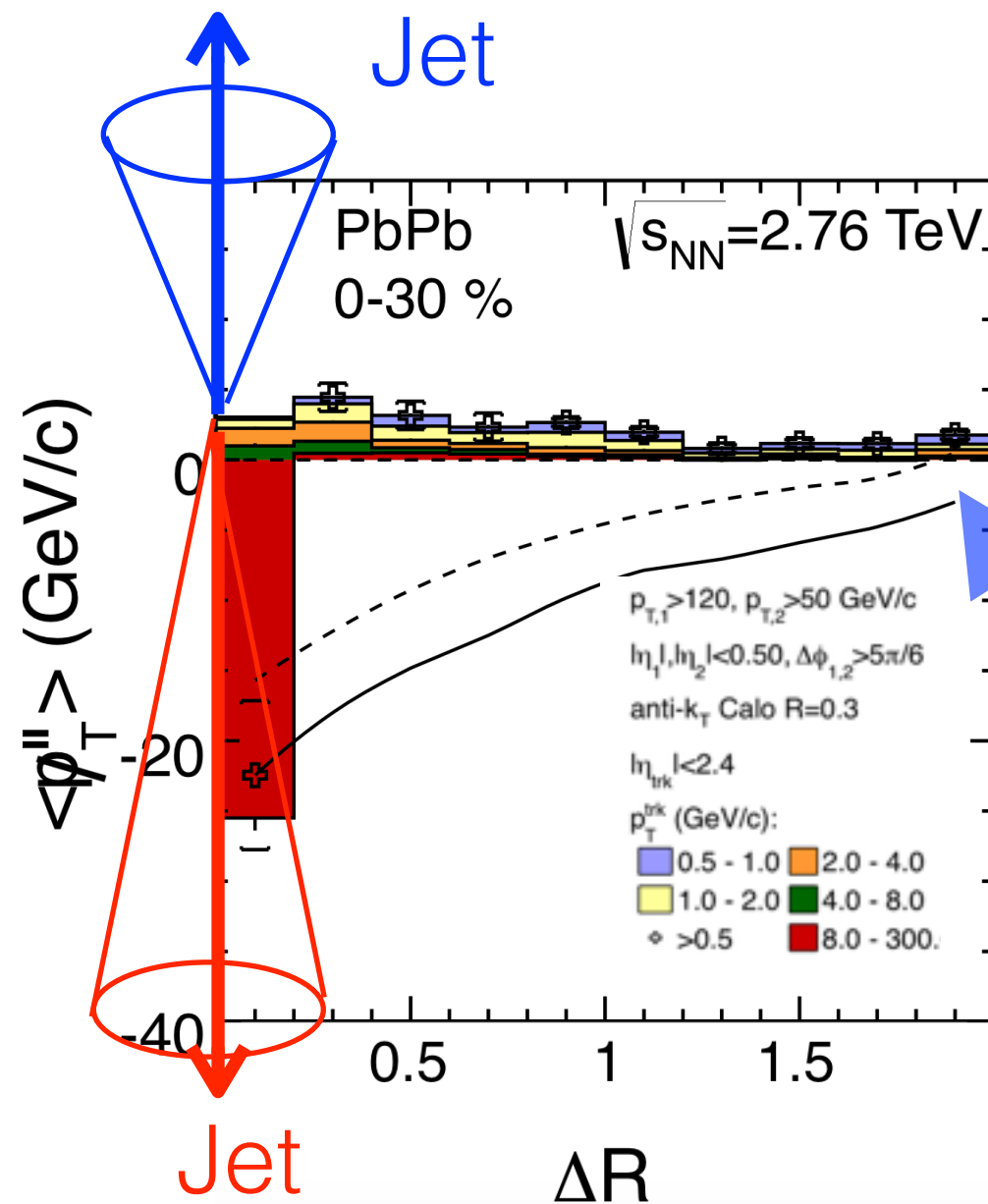
# Missing energy in asymmetric dijets

- Selection of dijet events with large momentum Imbalance  
 $p_{T1} > 120$  GeV and  $p_{T2} > 50$  GeV



CMS: energy is lost in soft particles at large angles

# Out-of-cone energy distribution



- Recovering the missing energy (angular distribution of particles away from the jet axis)

momentum imbalance:

Projection of particle  $p_T$ 's along the jet axis.

$$\langle p^{\parallel} \rangle = (k_1 - k_2)^{\parallel}$$

Vanishes due to mom. conservation when  $\Delta R = \pi$

CMS (2014–2015): energy is lost in soft particles at large angles

# Coupling to the medium

- The jet couples to the medium via (local) transport coefficient

$$\hat{q} \equiv \frac{m_D^2}{\lambda} \sim \frac{(\text{Debye mass})^2}{\text{mean free path}}$$

$$\text{pt-broadening } \langle k_\perp^2 \rangle \sim \hat{q} L$$

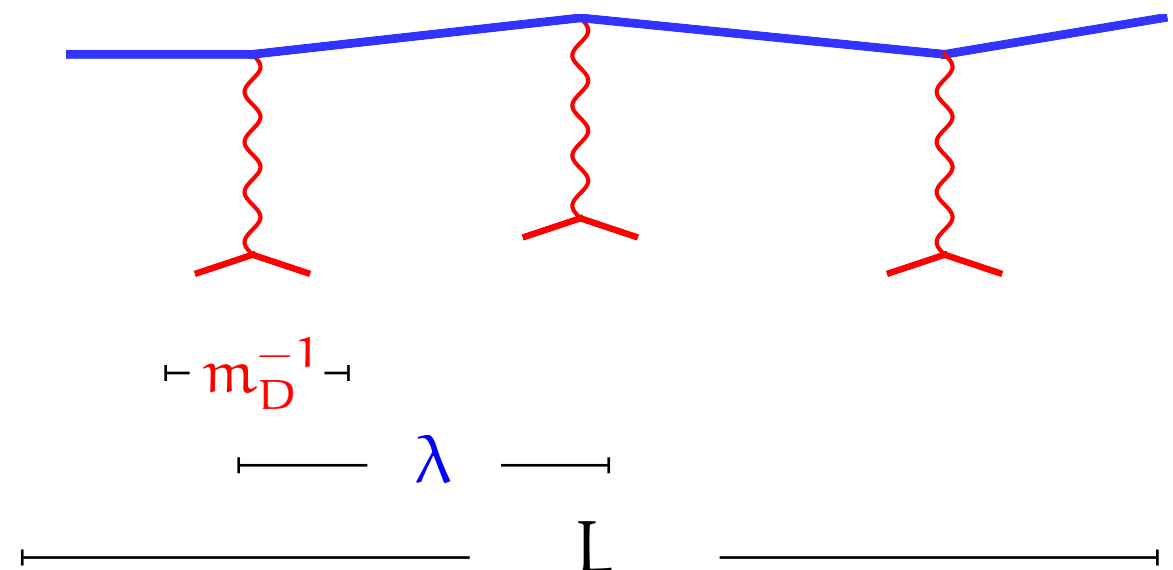
- Weak coupling:  
Independent multiple  
scattering  
approximation

[Baier, Dokshitzer, Mueller, Peigné, Schiff (1995–2000)]

$$\text{correlation length} \ll \text{mean-free-path} \ll L$$

- Formally: **Wilson lines**

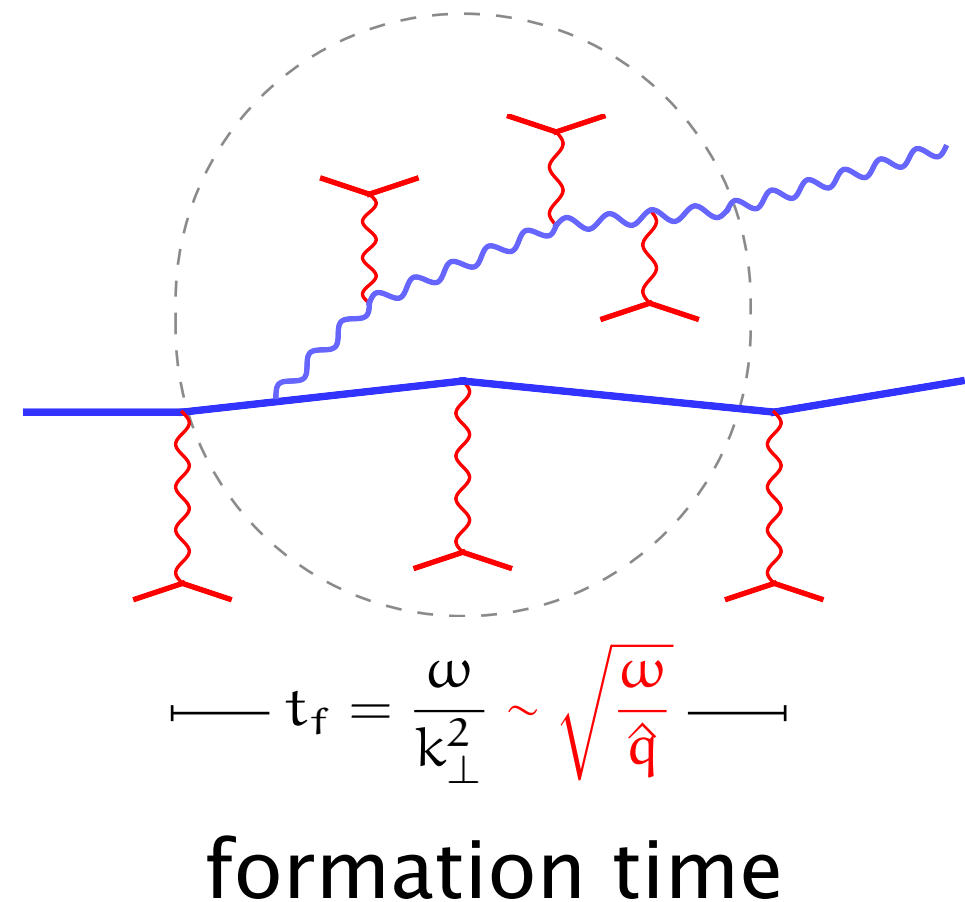
$$U(\mathbf{x}) \equiv \mathcal{P} \exp \left( ig \int_0^L dx^+ A^-(\mathbf{x}, x^+) \right)$$



# In-medium radiation mechanism

- Radiation triggered by multiple scatterings
- Landau-Pomeranchuk-Migdal suppression (coherent radiation)

$$\omega \frac{dN}{d\omega} = \alpha_s \frac{L}{t_f} \equiv \alpha_s N_{eff}$$



- Maximum suppression when  $t_f \gtrsim L \quad \Rightarrow \quad \omega > \omega_c = \hat{q}L^2$
- Minimum radiation angle  $\theta > \theta_c \equiv 1/\sqrt{\hat{q}L^3}$

[Baier, Dokshitzer, Mueller, Peigné, Schiff (1995–2000) Zakharov (1996)]

[Gyulassy, Levai, Litev (2001) Wiedemann (2001) Arnold, Moore, Yaffe (2002)]



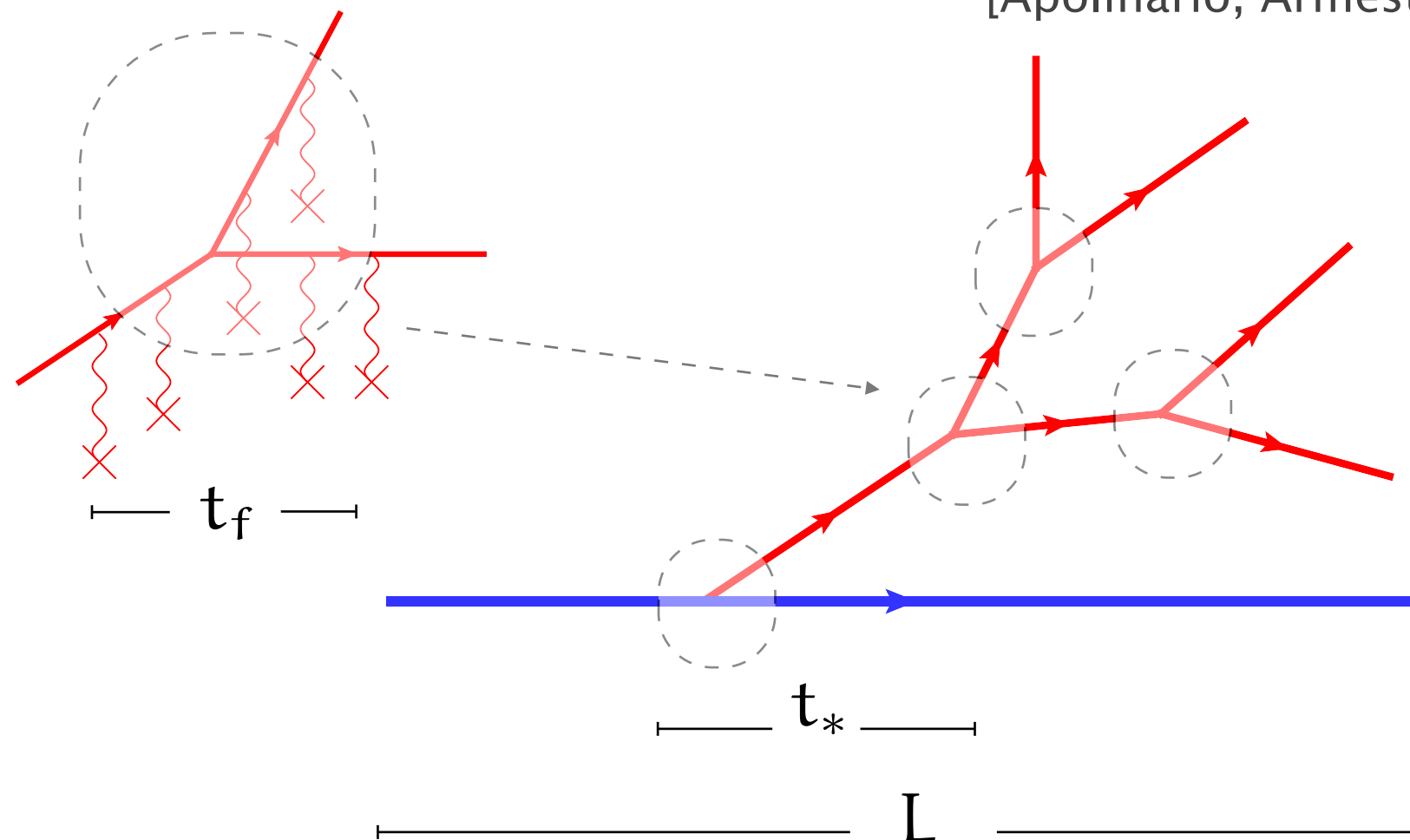
# Probabilistic picture

- Multiple (independent) branchings regime:

$$t_f \ll t_* \ll L$$

- Incoherent branchings: randomization of color due to rescatterings

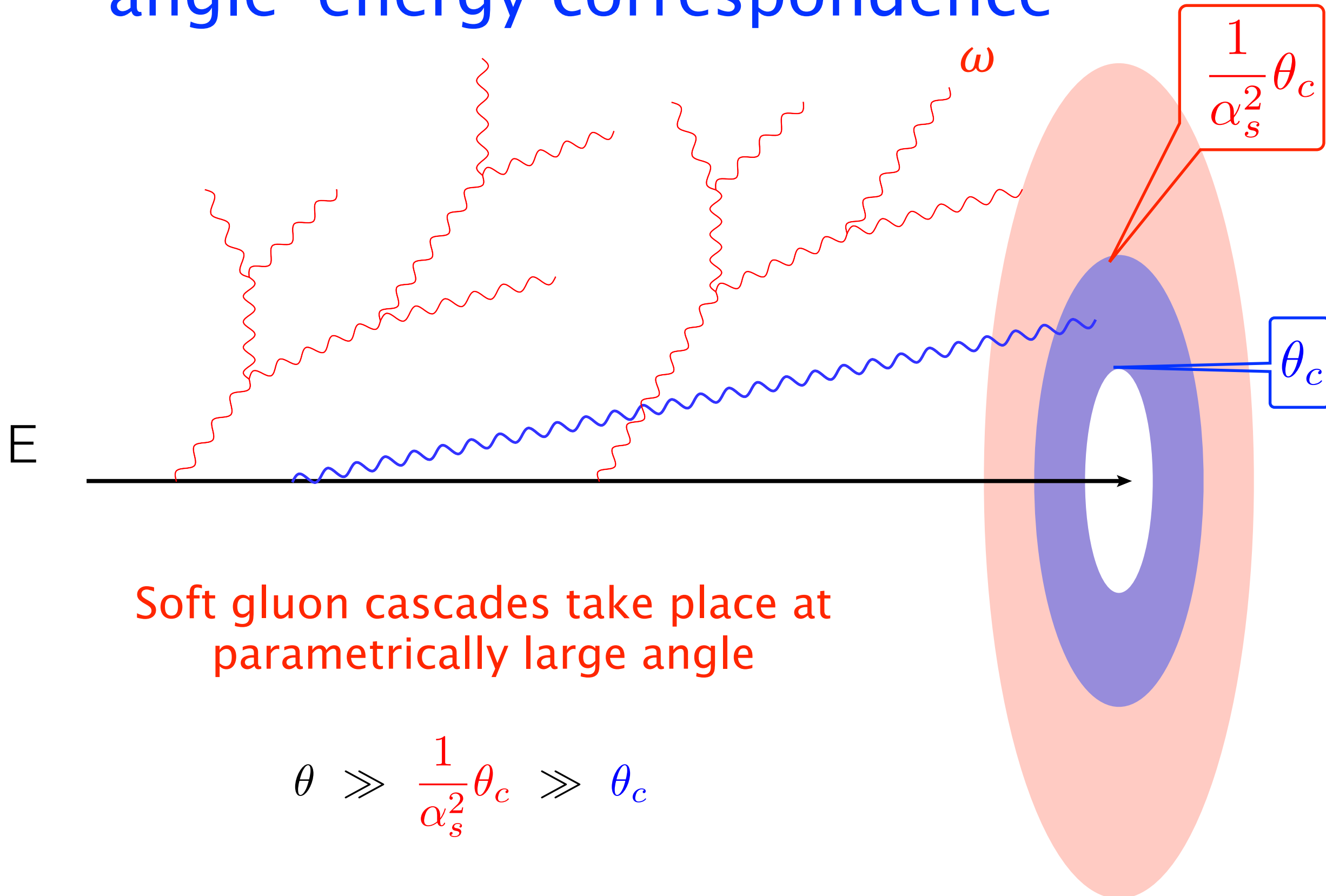
[Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, MT (2013–2014)]  
[Apolinário, Armesto, Milhano, Salgado (2014)]



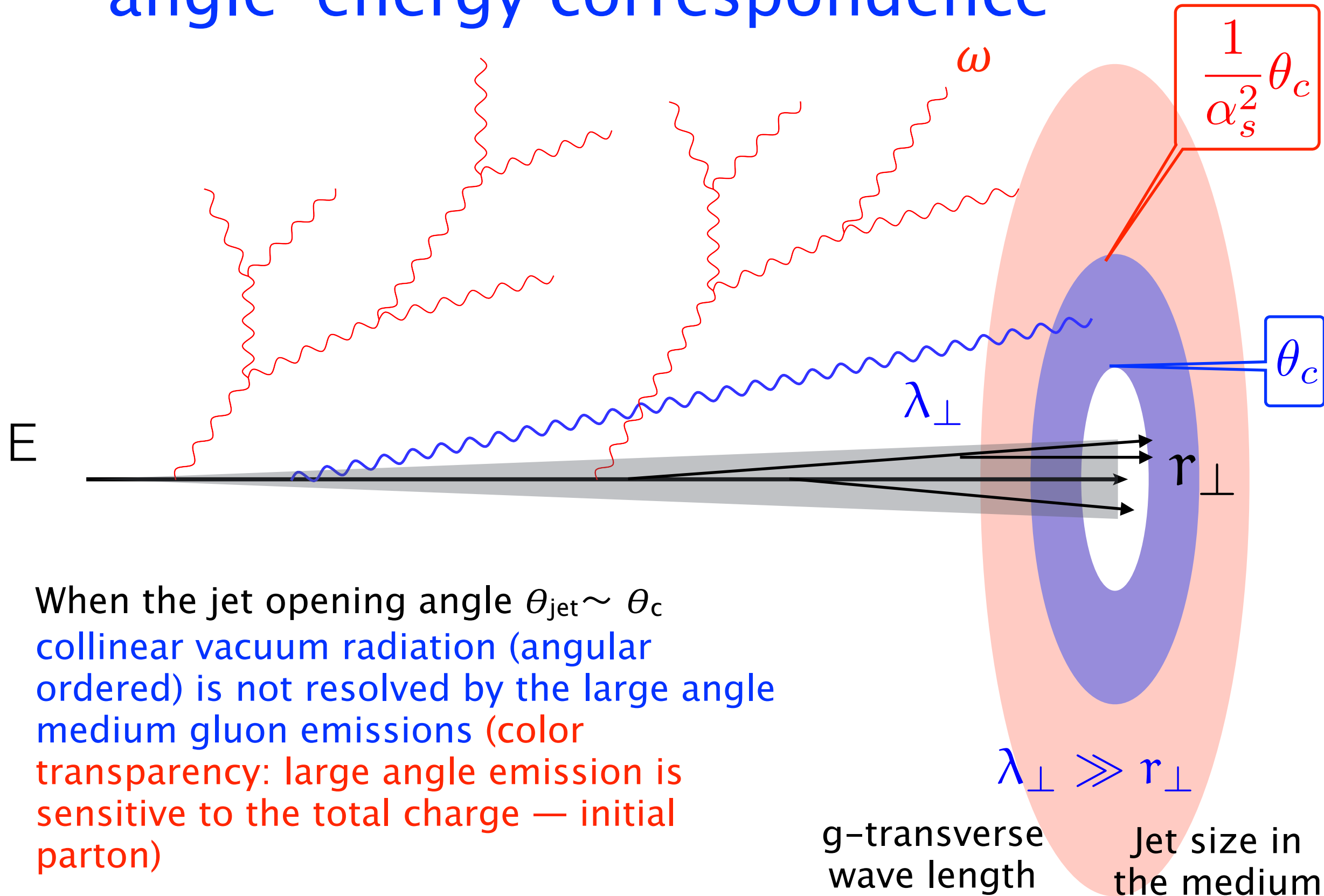
effective  
inelastic mean  
free path

$$t_*(\omega) \sim \frac{1}{\alpha_s} t_f(\omega)$$

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Numerical estimate:  $L = 5 \text{ fm}$ ,  $\hat{q} = 2 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{fm}$ ,  $\alpha_s = 0.3$

$$\frac{1}{\alpha_s^2} \theta_c \sim 1 \gg \theta_{\text{jet}} = 0.3$$

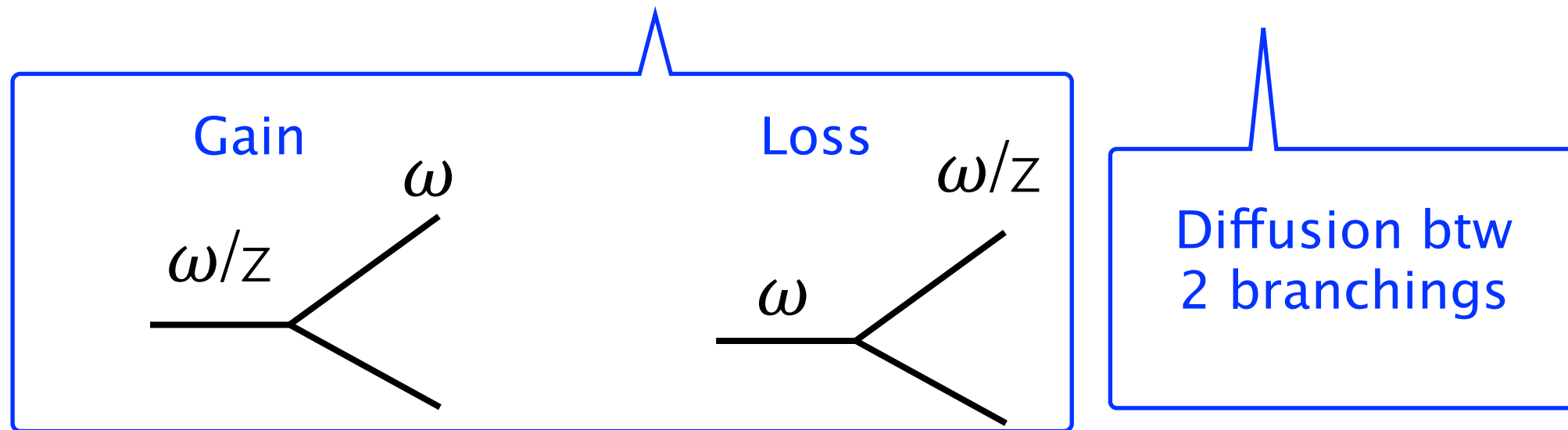
⇒ Geometrical separation between **medium–induced multiple gluon branchings** and collimated **vacuum shower**

# Rate equation for the gluon distribution

Evolution of the gluon distribution  
up to  $t = L$  in collinear branching approx.

$$D(\omega, \theta) \equiv \omega \frac{dN}{d\omega d\theta^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} D(\omega, \theta) = \int_0^1 dz \mathcal{K}(z) \left[ \frac{D(\omega/z, \theta)}{t_*(\omega/z)} - \frac{D(\omega, \theta)}{t_*(\omega)} \right] - \frac{\hat{q}}{\omega^2} \nabla_\theta^2 D(\omega, \theta)$$



**Energy loss:** Baier, Mueller, Schiff, Son [2001], Moore, Jeon [2003]

**Energy recovery:** Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, MT [2013]

Splitting kernel

$$\mathcal{K}(z) \sim \frac{1}{z^{3/2}(1-z)^{3/2}}$$

Inelastic mean-free-path

$$t_*(\omega) = \frac{1}{\alpha_s} \sqrt{\frac{\omega}{\hat{q}}}$$

# Rate equation for the gluon distribution

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Broadening due to branchings logarithmically enhanced

Mueller, Liou, Wu [2013]

This large correction can be fully absorbed in a renormalization of the quenching parameter

$$\hat{q} \equiv \hat{q}_0 \left( 1 + \frac{2\alpha_s N_c}{\pi} \ln^2 \frac{k_\perp^2}{m_D^2} \right)$$

Blaizot, MT [2014]



# Solution of the rate equation

Blaizot, Dominguez, Iancu, MT, PRL 111 (2013)

Integrating over angles  $D(\omega) = \int d^2\theta D(\omega, \theta)$

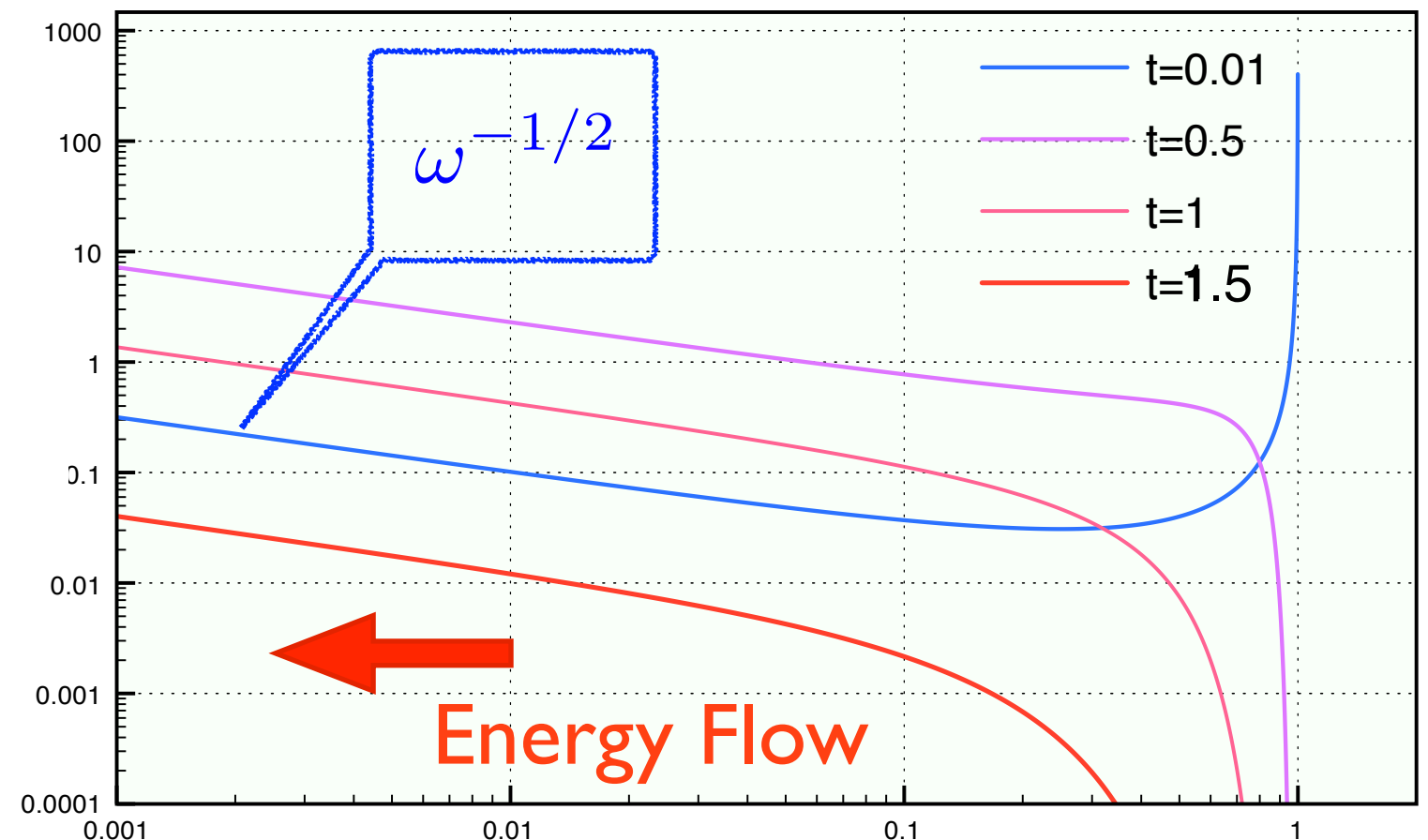
Initial condition  $D_0(\omega) = \delta(\omega - E)$

Scaling solution (for  $\omega \ll E$ )  $\Rightarrow$  Fixed-point of the collision term

$$D(\omega) \sim \frac{\tau}{\sqrt{\omega}} e^{-\pi\tau^2}$$

where

$$\tau = \frac{L}{t_*(E)}$$



# Energy flow at low frequencies

Although the rate equation conserves energy at each branching, the integrated energy is not conserved

$$\int_0^E d\omega D(\omega) = E e^{-\pi\tau} < E$$

Where does the missing energy go?

# Energy flow at low frequencies

The flow of energy is positive and constant in the soft sector

$$\mathcal{F}(\omega) = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{\omega}^E d\omega' D(\omega')$$

$$\tau = \frac{L}{t_*(E)}$$

At low frequencies  $\omega \ll \omega_s$

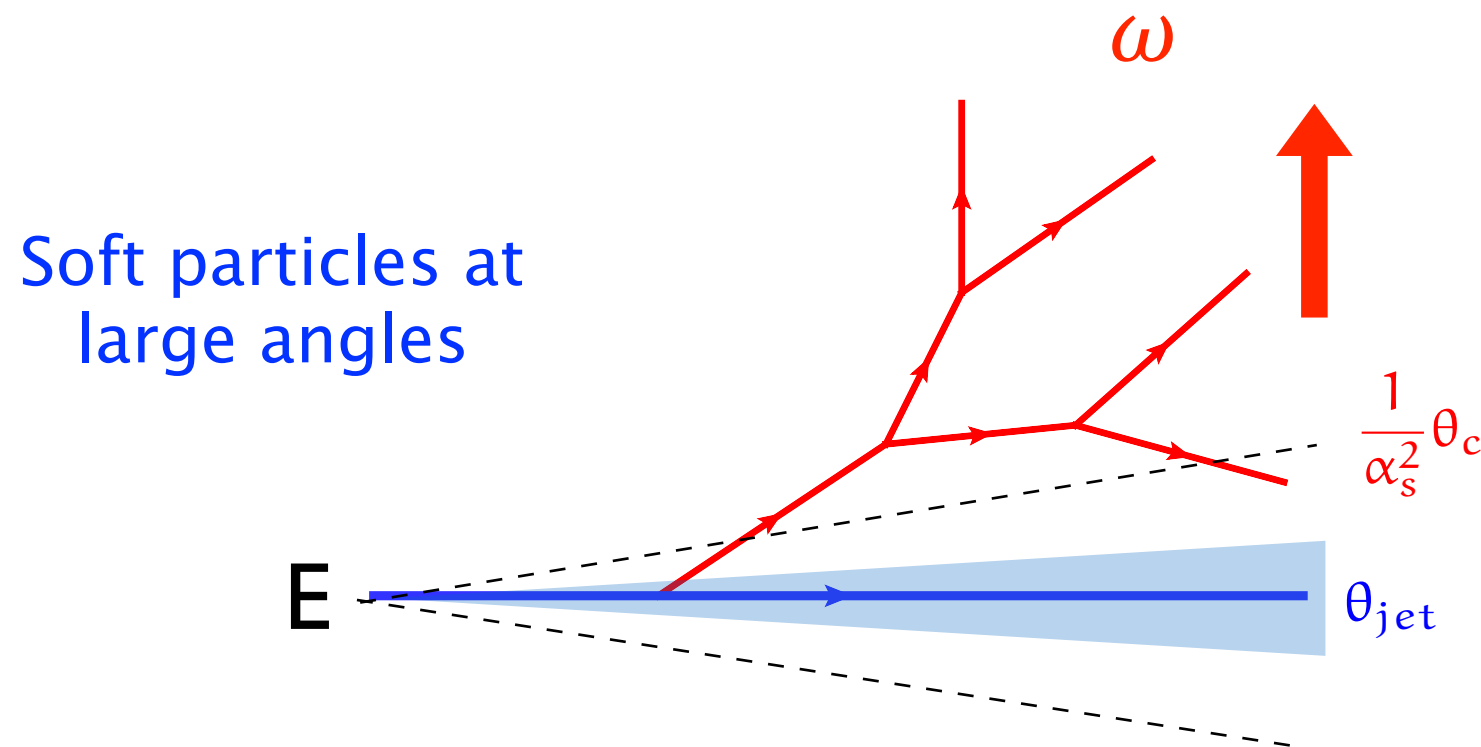
$$\mathcal{F}(\omega) = 2\pi\tau e^{-\pi\tau^2}$$

**Condensation:** Energy accumulates at  $\omega = 0$  (in real life energy dissipates at  $\omega =$  temperature of the QGP)

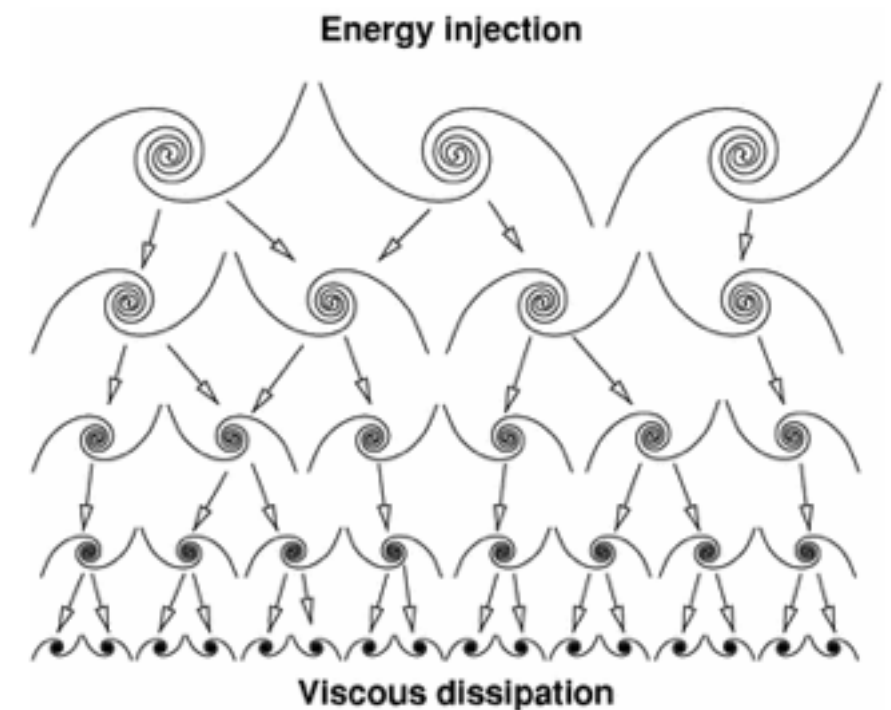
For a jet that escapes the medium  $t_*(E) \gg L$  ( or  $\tau \ll 1$  )  
the energy that is injected in the medium is

$$E_0 = \pi \omega_s \sim \alpha_s^2 \hat{q} L^2$$

# Wave Turbulence in Jets



## Richardson Cascade 1921



- Gain = Loss  $\Rightarrow$  Constant Energy Flow
- Inertial range: Energy flows from high to low frequencies without accumulating (inverse energy cascade)

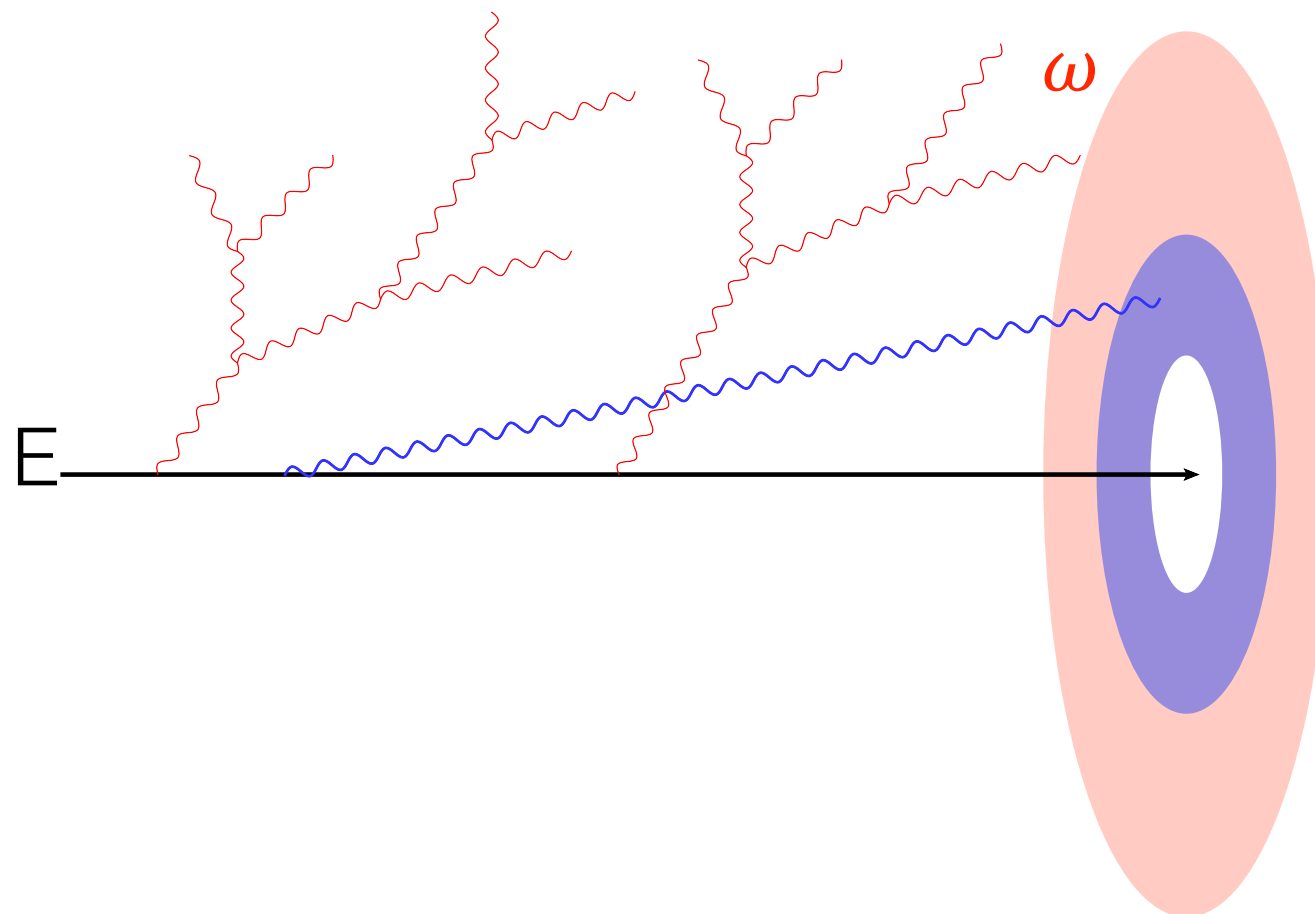
Efficient mechanism for energy transport to large angles

# Angular distribution

I — Leading particle  $\omega \sim E$

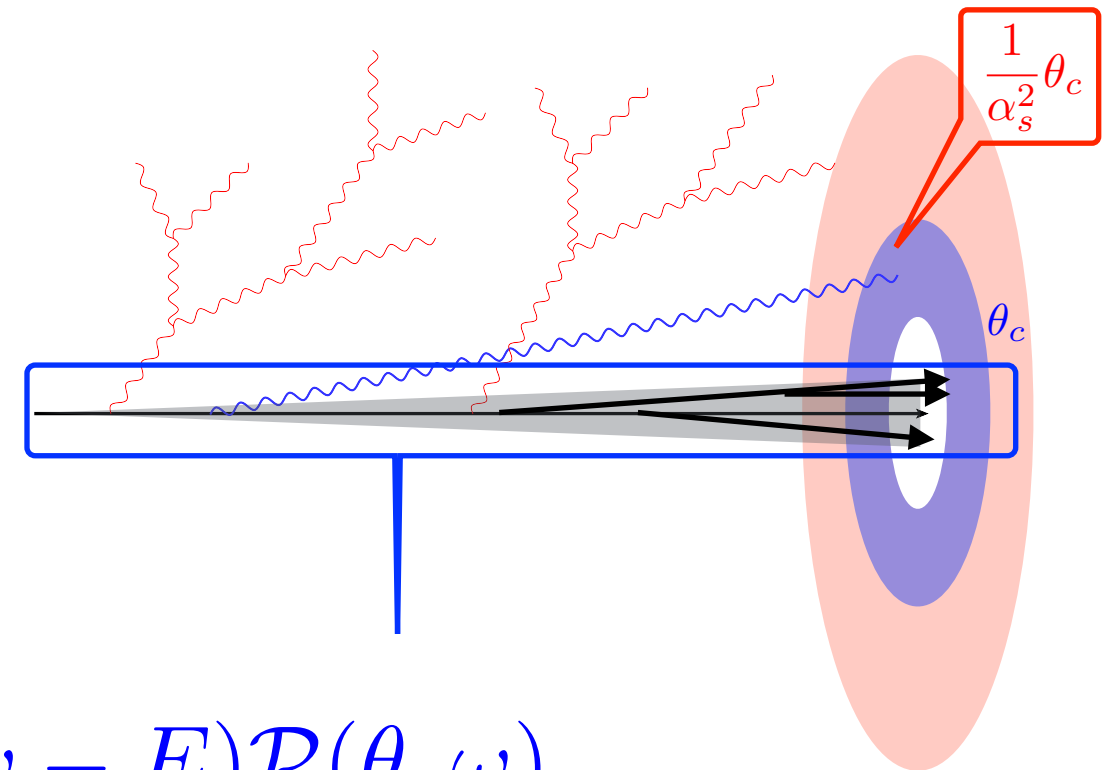
II — Rare BDMPS radiation:  $\omega_s \ll \omega \ll \omega_c < E$

III — Multiple branching regime  $\omega \ll \omega_s \ll E$



# I — Leading particle $\omega \sim E$

Not sensitive to gluon radiation (or only via the renormalized quenching parameter)



$$D(\omega, \theta) \sim D(\omega) \mathcal{P}(\theta, \omega) \sim \omega \delta(\omega - E) \mathcal{P}(\theta, \omega)$$

- Broadening Prob.

$$\mathcal{P}(\theta, \omega) \equiv \frac{4\pi}{\langle \theta \rangle^2} e^{-\theta^2 / \langle \theta \rangle^2}$$

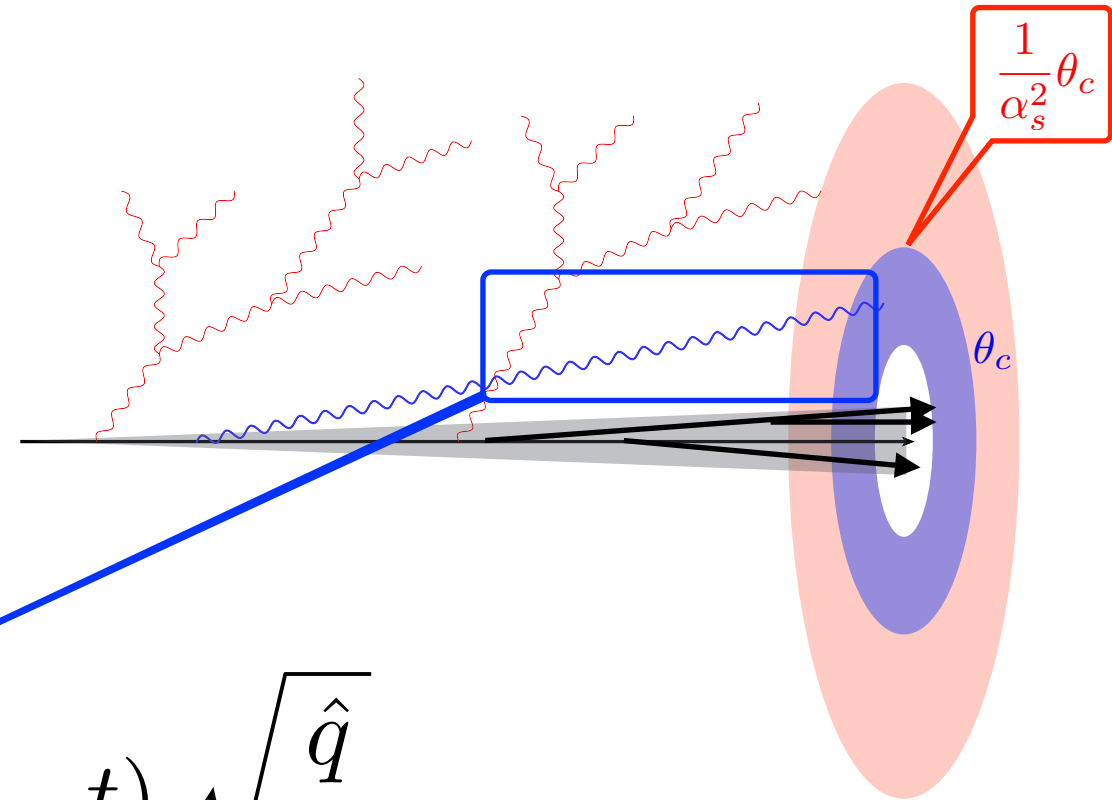
$$\langle \theta \rangle^2 \equiv \frac{\hat{q}L}{E^2} \quad (\sim 0.001)$$

The deflection of the jet is negligible!



## II — Rare BDMPS radiation: $\omega_s \ll \omega \ll \omega_c < E$

Single gluon radiation  $O(\alpha_s)$ .  
The broadening is determined  
by the diffusion of the radiated  
gluon

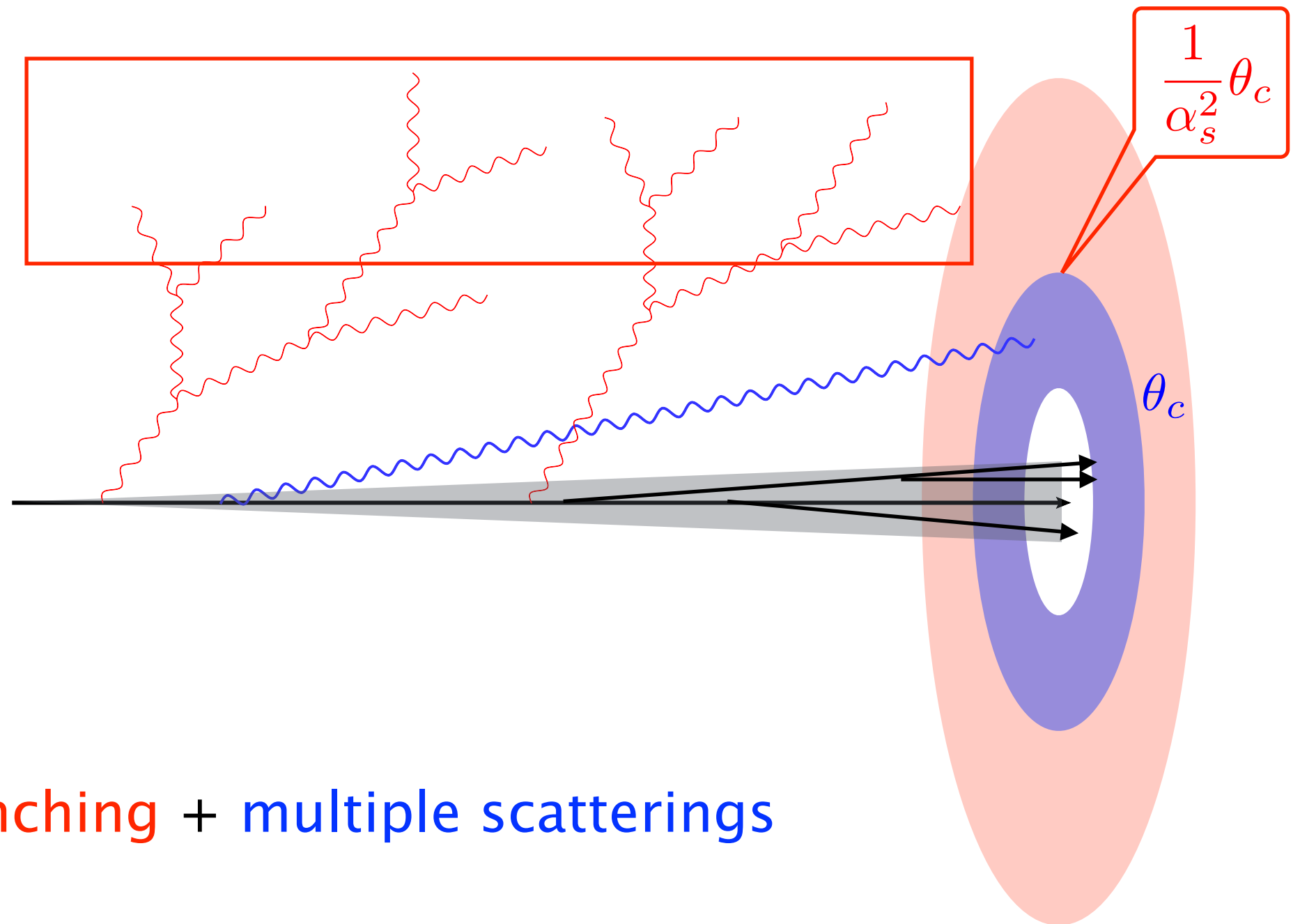


$$D(\omega, \theta) \simeq \alpha_s \int_0^L dt \mathcal{P}(\theta, \omega, L - t) \sqrt{\frac{\hat{q}}{\omega}}$$

The typical angular broadening reads (the  
factor **1/2** comes from the time integral)

$$\langle \theta^2 \rangle \equiv \frac{\langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle}{\omega^2} = \frac{\hat{q}L}{2\omega^2} > \theta_c^2$$

### III — Multiple branching regime $\omega \ll \omega_s \ll E$



Multiple branching + multiple scatterings

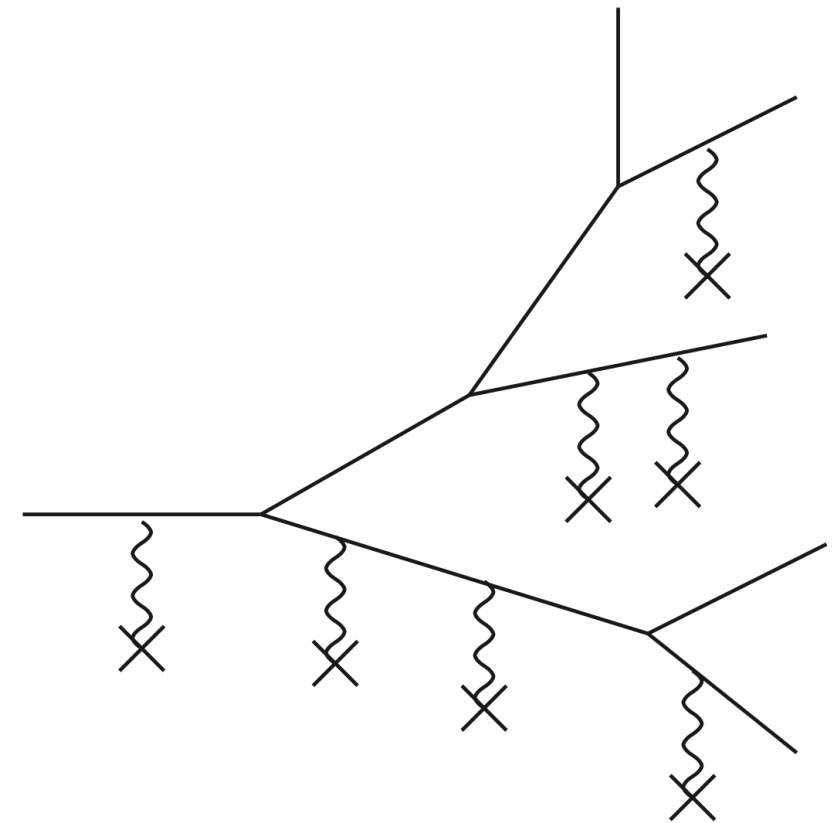
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The evolution equation may be solved in Fourier space ( $r_T \sim u_T/\omega \sim$  transverse dipole size)

$$D(\omega, \mathbf{u}) \equiv \int d^2\boldsymbol{\theta} D(\omega, \boldsymbol{\theta}) e^{-i\mathbf{u}\cdot\boldsymbol{\theta}}$$

**Opacity Expansion:** (order by order in elastic scatterings but all order in branchings)

$$D(\omega, \mathbf{u}) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} D_n(\omega, \mathbf{u}),$$



### III — Multiple branching regime $\omega \ll \omega_s \ll E$

The general term reads

$$D_n(\omega, \mathbf{u}) = c_n [\sigma(\omega, \mathbf{u}) t_*(\omega)]^n D(\omega)$$

dipole cross-section

where the coefficients  $c_n$  are solved recursively

$$c_n = \prod_{m=1}^n \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{3m}{2})}{\Gamma(\frac{3m+1}{2})}$$

Why  $t_*(\omega)$  and not  $L$ ? a gluon  $\omega$  can not survive in the medium longer than  $t_*(\omega)$  therefore, to be measured it must be produced close to the surface within the shell  $L - t_*(\omega)$

### III — Multiple branching regime $\omega \ll \omega_s \ll E$

The solution can be written in the factorized form

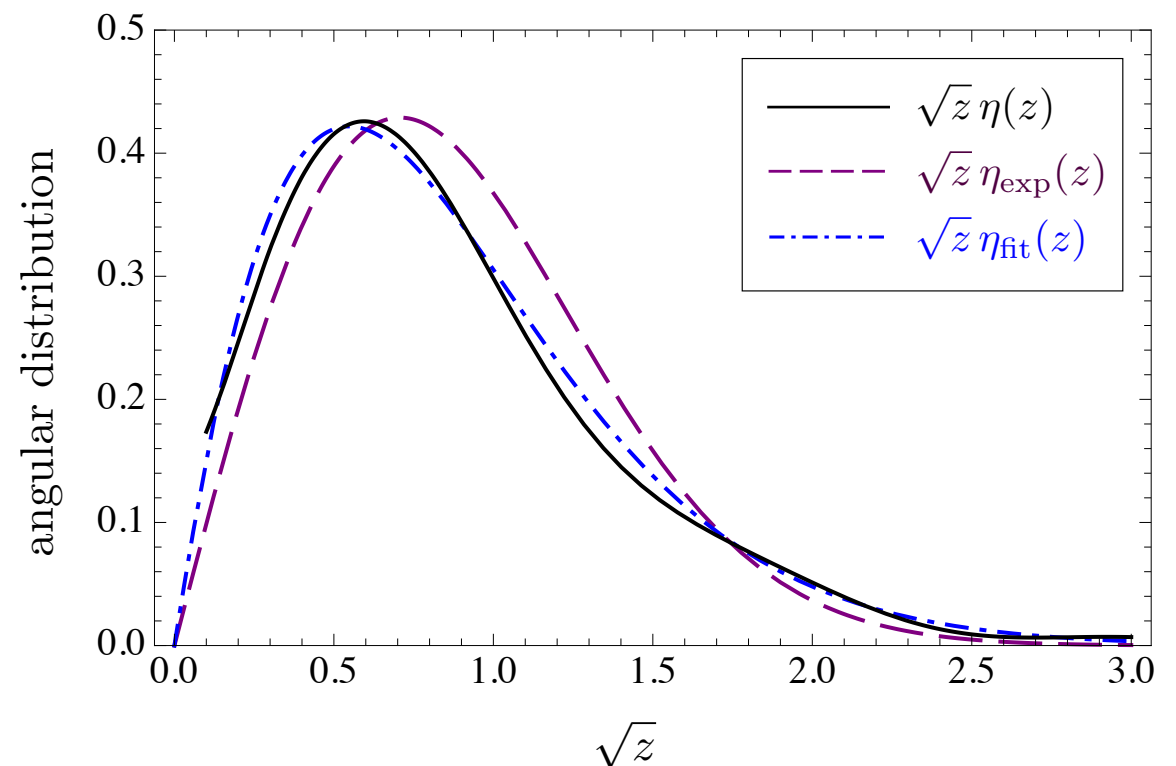
$$D(\omega, \theta) = D(\omega) \eta(\theta^2 / \theta_*^2(\omega)) \quad \text{where} \quad \theta_*^2(\omega) = \frac{1}{\alpha_s} \left( \frac{\hat{q}}{\omega} \right)^{1/2}$$

Normalized angular distribution (to all orders in opacity expansion)

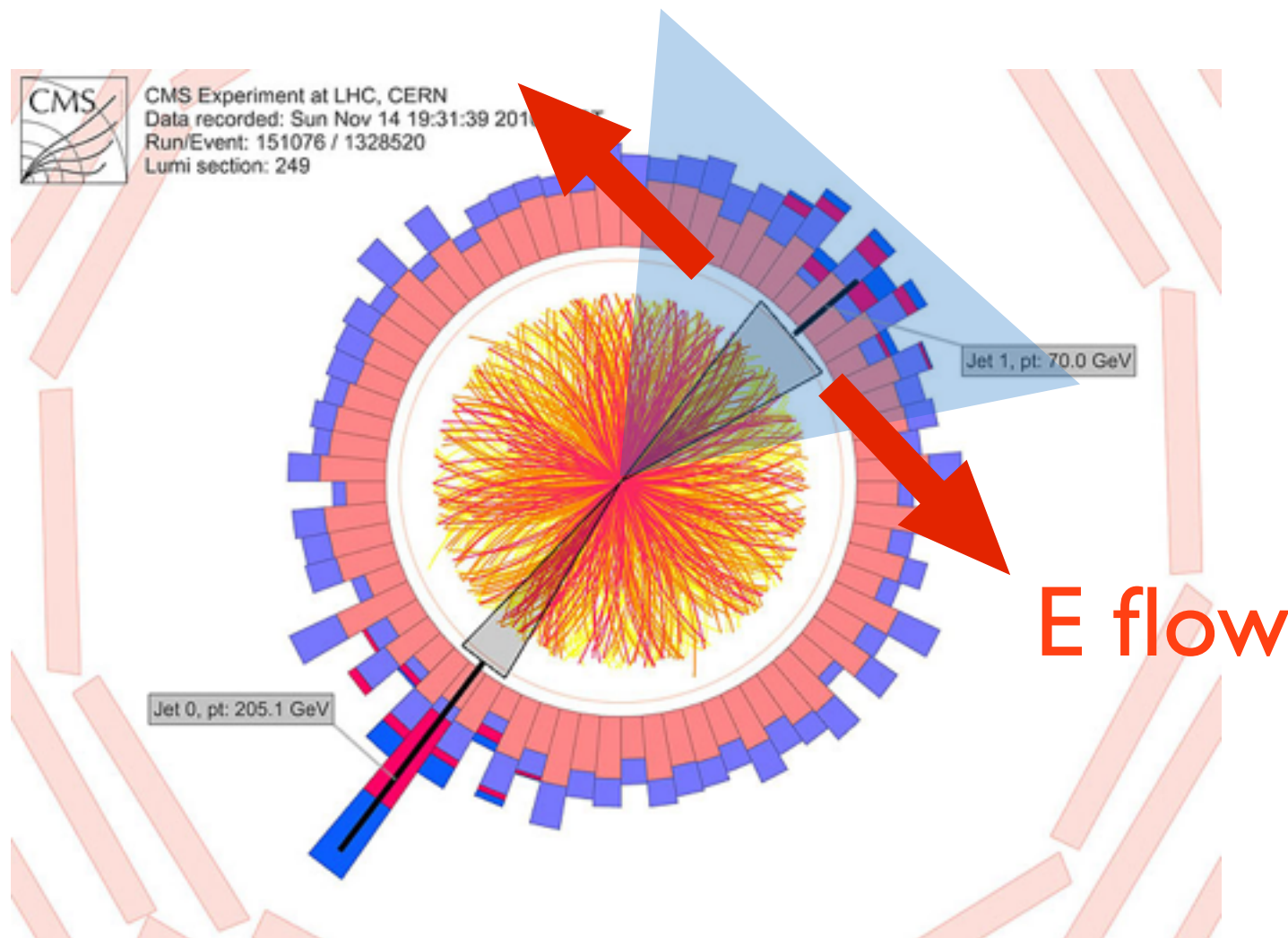
$$\eta(z) = \int_0^\infty d\beta J_0(2\sqrt{z\beta}) \sum_{n=0}^\infty (-1)^n c_n \beta^{2n}$$

$$\eta_{\text{fit}}(z) = \frac{4a^{3/2}}{3\sqrt{\pi}} e^{-az^{2/3}}$$

$$z = \theta^2 / \theta_*^2 \quad a \simeq 1.68$$



# Understanding Dijet asymmetry?

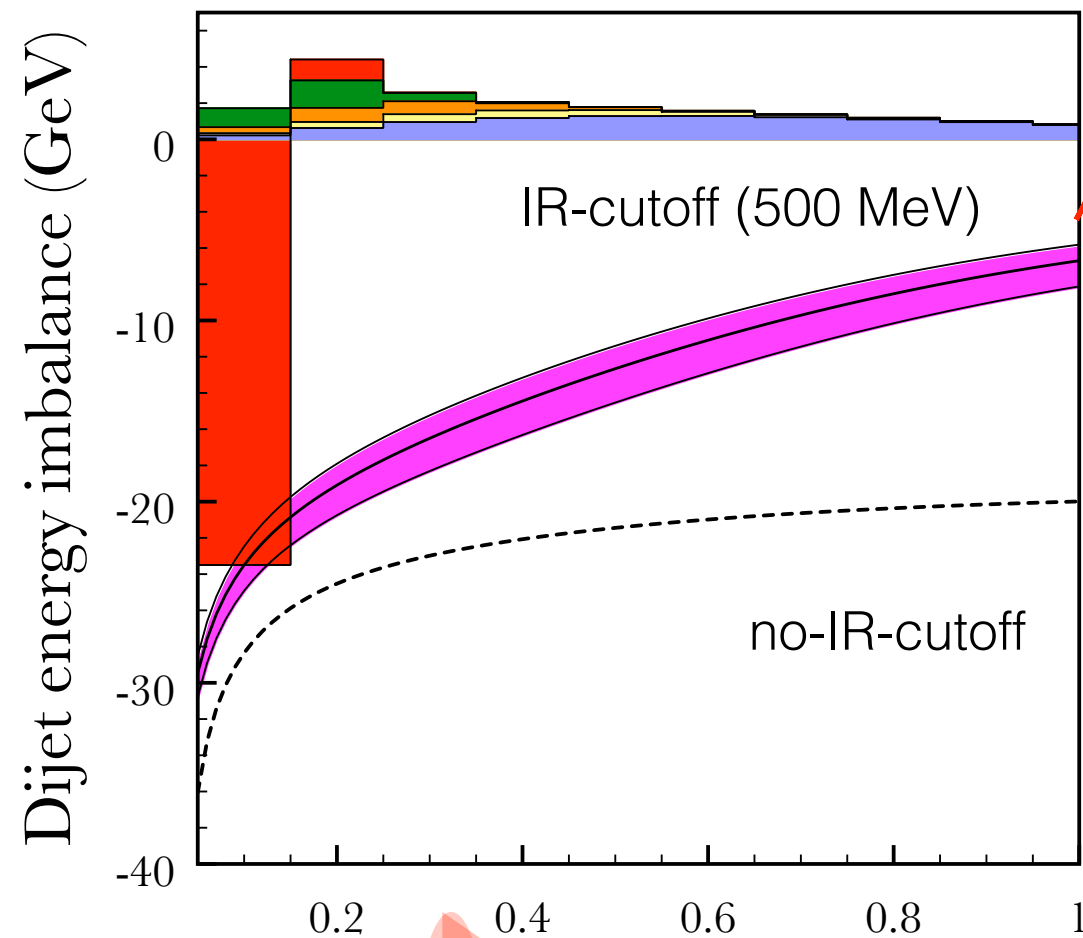


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# Dijet asymmetry (model vs. data)

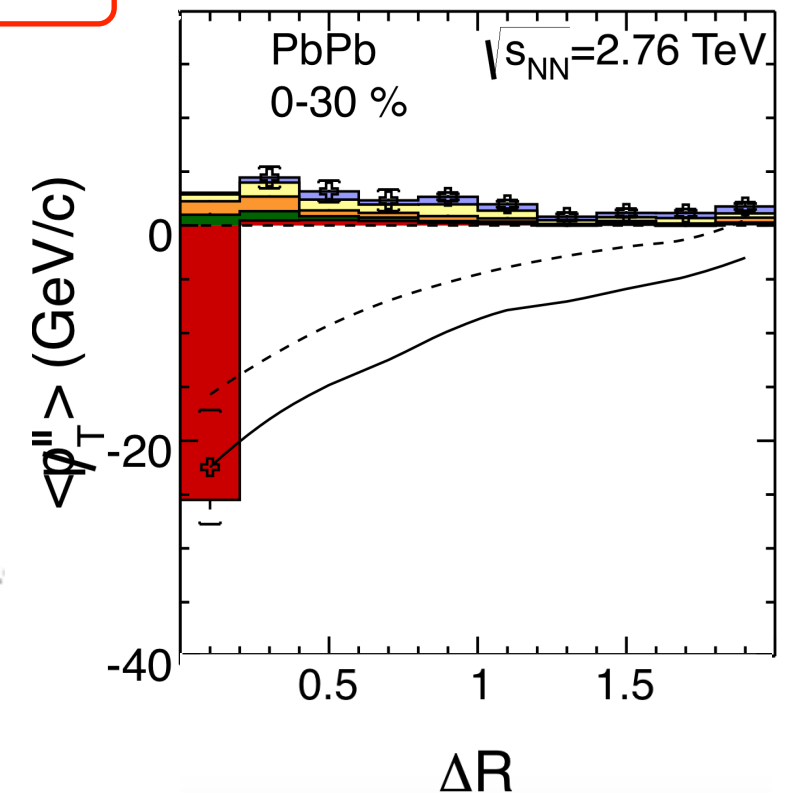
## Ideal cascade (model)



Cumulative  
Energy

$p_{T,1} > 120, p_{T,2} > 50$  GeV/c  
 $|\eta_1|, |\eta_2| < 0.50, \Delta\phi_{1,2} > 5\pi/6$   
 anti- $k_T$  Calo  $R=0.3$   
 $|\eta_{\text{trk}}| < 2.4$   
 $p_T^{\text{trk}}$  (GeV/c):  
 0.5 - 1.0 2.0 - 4.0  
 1.0 - 2.0 4.0 - 8.0  
 \* > 0.5 8.0 - 300.

## CMS DATA



with  $E = 120$  GeV  
 $\hat{q} = 2 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{fm}$ ,  
 $\alpha_s = 0.3$

Leading jet:  $L_1 = 1$  fm, Subleading jet:  $L_2 = 5$  fm,

# Summary and outlook

- Jets in HIC are composed of a **coherent inner** core and **large angle** decoherent gluon cascades that are characterized by a **constant energy flow** from **large** to **low momenta** down to the QCD scale where energy is dissipated.
- **Geometrical separation** : The cascade develop at parametrically large angles away from the jet axis. Genuine QCD phenomenon. Seen in CMS data on missing energy in imbalanced dijet events?
- Comparison with CMS data: need a Monte Carlo event generator (to deal with experimental biases) and a realistic treatment of the geometry of the collision, etc.

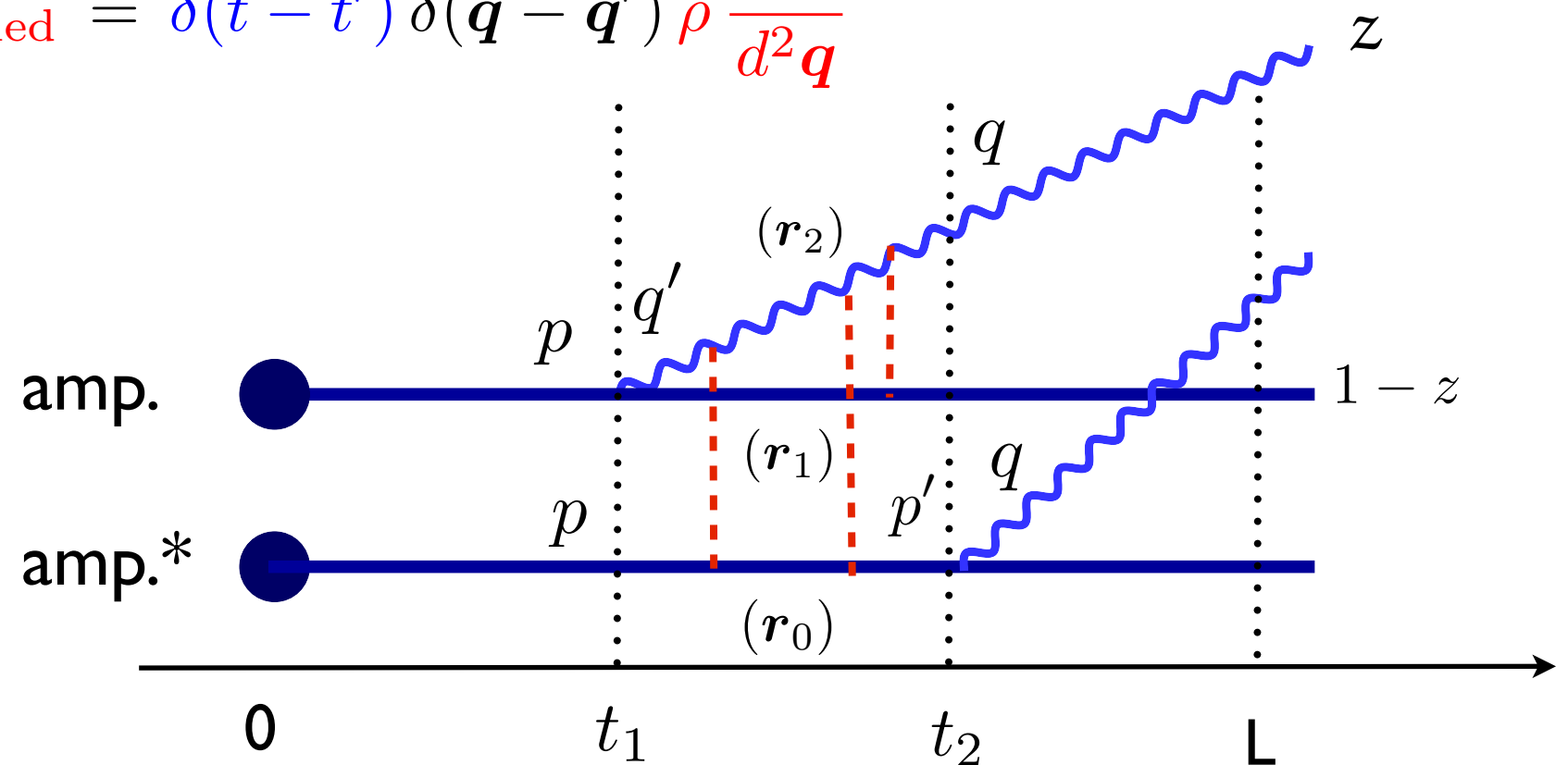
# Backup

# Inelastic rate $\mathcal{K}(z)$

Medium average

$$g^2 \langle A^-(\mathbf{q}, t) A^-(\mathbf{q}', t') \rangle_{\text{med}} = \delta(t - t') \delta(\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{q}') \rho \frac{d\sigma_{\text{el}}}{d^2\mathbf{q}}$$

- 3-point function correlator accounts for multiple instantaneous scatterings of a 3 dipole system



$$S^{(3)}(t_2, t_1) = S_0^{(3)}(t_2, t_1) + \int_{t_1}^{t_2} dt' S_0^{(3)}(t_2, t') \sigma_3(t') S^{(3)}(t', t_1)$$

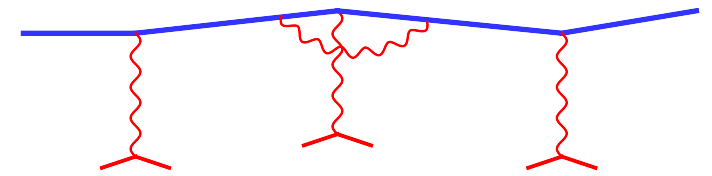
- It is related to the expectation value of 3 wilson lines at time-dependent transverse coordinates (Brownian motion in T-space)

$$\mathcal{K}(z) \sim S^{(3)} \sim \langle \text{tr } T^a U_F(\mathbf{r}_1) T^b U_F^\dagger(\mathbf{r}_0) U_{ab}(\mathbf{r}_2) \rangle_{\text{med}}$$

# (Universal) radiative corrections

- Radiative corrections to pt-broadening to **Double Log** accuracy

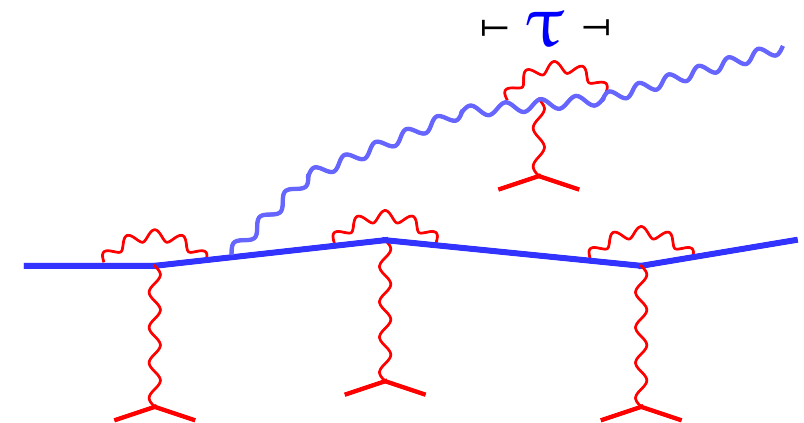
$$\langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle = \hat{q} L \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{2\pi} \ln^2 \frac{L}{\tau_0} \right)$$



[Wu (2011) Liou, Mueller, Wu (2014) Blaizot, Iancu, Dominguez, MT (2014)]

- Radiative corrections to energy loss

$$\Delta E \sim \alpha_s C_R \hat{q} L^2 \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{2\pi} \ln^2 \frac{L}{\tau_0} \right)$$



[Blaizot, MT (2014) Wu (2014)]

- Universality** and renormalization of  $\hat{q}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \tau} \hat{q}(\mathbf{k}, \tau) = \frac{\alpha_s N_c}{\pi} \int_{\hat{q}\tau}^{k^2} \frac{d\mathbf{k}'^2}{k'^2} \hat{q}(\mathbf{k}', \tau)$$

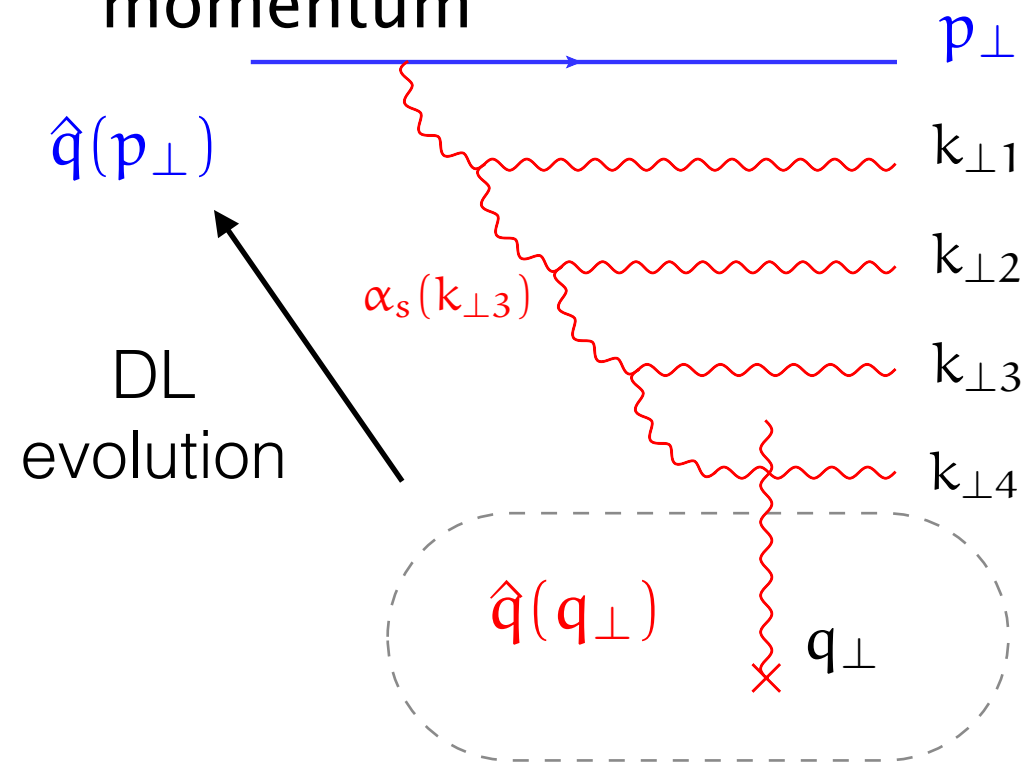
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# How is the jet coupled to the medium?

- QCD evolution of jet quenching parameter smoothly interpolates between hard medium scale and “non-perturbative” scale

- Strong ordering in transverse momentum

$$q_{\perp} \sim m_D \ll k_{\perp 1} \ll \dots \ll p_{\perp} \sim Q_s = \hat{q}L$$



“Non-perturbative” initial condition for the evolution of the quenching parameter:

- From HTL (LO+NLO)

[Aurenche, Gelis, Zaraket (2000) Caron-Huot (2008)  
Ghirghieri, Hong, Kurkela, Moore, Teaney (2013–2015)]

- Lattice

[Majumder (2012)]  
[Panero, Rummukainen, Schäfer (2013)]

- AdS/CFT

- **Eloss anomalous scaling:**  $\Delta E \sim L^{2+\gamma}$  with  $\gamma \equiv \sqrt{\frac{4\alpha_s N_c}{\pi}}$

- **Between BDMPS  $L^2$  and AdS/CFT results  $L^3$**  [Blaizot, MT (2014)]