



Electroweak parton distributions and fragmentations for high-energy lepton colliders

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[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2007.14300]

[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2103.09844]

[T.Han, Y.Ma, K.Xie, work in progress]

Background: PDF of a lepton

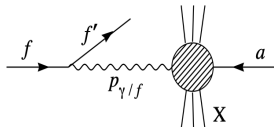
“Equivalent photon approximation (EPA)”

[C. F. von Weizsacker, Z. Phys. 88, 612 (1934)]

Treat photon as a parton constituent in the electron [E. J. Williams, Phys. Rev. 45, 729 (1934)]

$$\sigma(\ell^- + a \rightarrow \ell^- + X) = \int dx f_{\gamma/\ell} \hat{\sigma}(\gamma a \rightarrow X)$$

$$f_{\gamma/\ell, \text{EPA}}(x_\gamma, Q^2) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \frac{1 + (1 - x_\gamma)^2}{x_\gamma} \ln \frac{Q^2}{m_\ell^2}$$



Extra terms:

[Frixione, Mangano, Nason, Ridolfi 2103.09844]

[Budnev, Ginzburg, Meledin, Serbo, Phys. Rept.(1975)]

Applications at muon collider

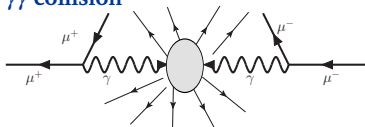
- Production cross sections

$$\sigma(\ell^+ \ell^- \rightarrow F + X) = \int_{\tau_0}^1 d\tau \sum_{ij} \frac{d\mathcal{L}_{ij}}{d\tau} \hat{\sigma}(ij \rightarrow F), \quad \tau = \hat{s}/s$$

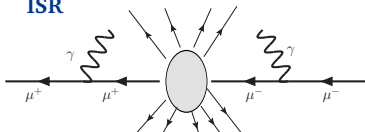
- Partonic luminosities

$$\frac{d\mathcal{L}_{ij}}{d\tau} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{ij}} \int_{\tau}^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} \left[f_i(\xi, Q^2) f_j\left(\frac{\tau}{\xi}, Q^2\right) + (i \leftrightarrow j) \right]$$

$\gamma\gamma$ collision



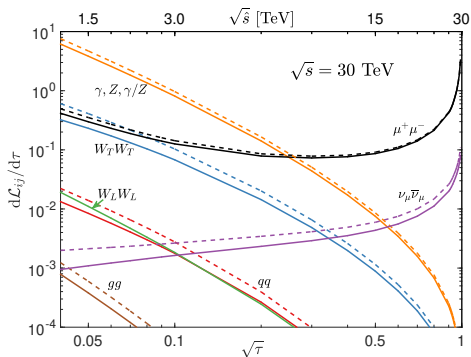
ISR



HE muon collider: An EW version of HE LHC

- All SM particles are partons when the machine energy is high
- We are able to determine the partons with their different polarizations

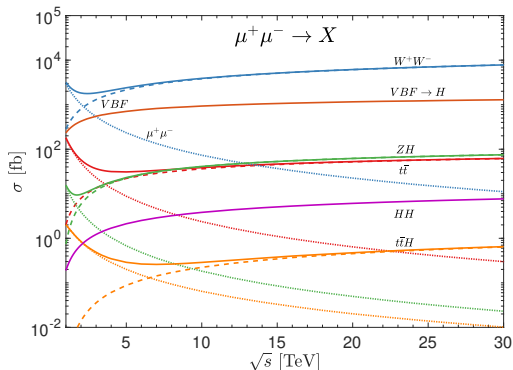
The EW parton luminosities of a 30 TeV muon collider



[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2007.14300]

The full picture: Semi-inclusive processes

Just like in hadronic collisions: $\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow$ exclusive particles + remnants



[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2007.14300]

Some observations:

- The annihilations decrease as $1/s$.
- ISR needs to be considered, which can give over 10% enhancement.
- The fusions increase as $\ln^p(s)$, which take over at high energies.
- The large collinear logarithm $\ln(s/m_\mu^2)$ needs to be resummed, set $Q = \sqrt{\hat{s}}/2$.

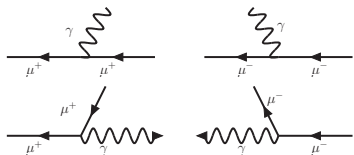
Go beyond the EPA at a high-energy muon collider

We have been doing:

- $\ell^+\ell^-$ annihilation



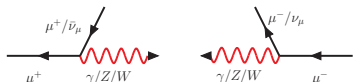
- EPA and ISR



- “Effective W Approx.” (EWA)

[G. Kane, W. Repko, and W. Rolnick, PLB 148 (1984) 367]

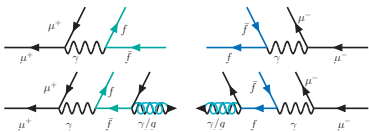
[S. Dawson, NPB 249 (1985) 42]



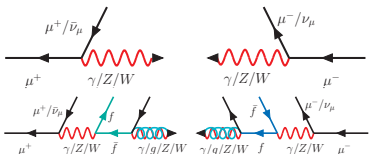
We will add:

[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2007.14300, 2103.09844]

- Above μ_{QCD} : $\text{QED} \otimes \text{QCD}$
 q/g emerge



- Above $\mu_{\text{EW}} = M_Z$: $\text{EW} \otimes \text{QCD}$
EW partons emerge



In the end, everything is parton, i.e. **the full SM PDFs.**

The PDFs for a muon collider

■ QED \otimes QCD PDFs:

$$f_{\mu_{\text{val}}}, f_{\gamma}, f_{\ell_{\text{sea}}}, f_q, f_g$$

■ Scale uncertainty: 20% for $f_{g/\mu}$

■ The averaged momentum fractions

$$\langle x_i \rangle = \int x f_i(x) dx$$

$Q(\mu^\pm)$	μ_{val}	γ	ℓ_{sea}	q	g
30 GeV	98.2	1.72	0.019	0.024	0.0043
50 GeV	98.0	1.87	0.023	0.029	0.0051
M_Z	97.9	2.06	0.028	0.035	0.0062

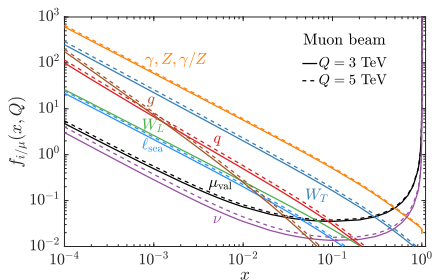
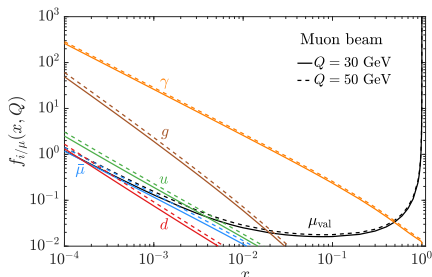
■ EW PDFs: All SM particles

Q	μ	$\gamma, Z, \gamma/Z$	W^\pm	ν	ℓ_{sea}	q	g
M_Z	97.9	2.06	0	0	0.028	0.035	0.0062
3 TeV	91.5	3.61	1.10	3.59	0.069	0.13	0.019
5 TeV	89.9	3.82	1.24	4.82	0.077	0.16	0.022

■ Scale uncertainty: $\sim 20\%$ between $Q = 3$ TeV and $Q = 5$ TeV

■ The EW correction is not small: $\sim 100\%$ for $f_{d/\mu}$ due to **relatively large SU(2) gauge coupling**.

■ W_L does not evolve

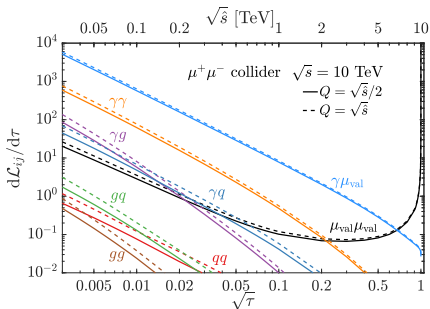
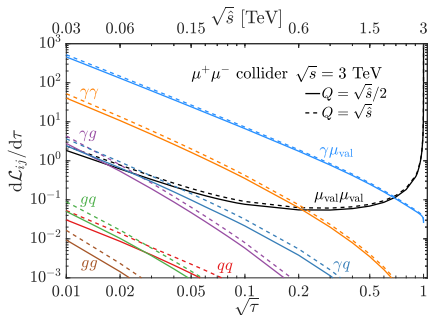


Parton luminosities at a possible muon collider

Consider a 3 TeV and a 10 TeV machine

■ Partonic luminosities for

$$\mu^+\mu^-, \gamma\mu, \gamma\gamma, qq, \gamma q, \gamma g, gq, \text{ and } gg$$



- The partonic luminosity of $\gamma g + \gamma q$ is $\sim 20\%$ of the $\gamma\gamma$ one
- The partonic luminosities of $qq, gq,$ and gg are $\sim 0.5\%$ of the $\gamma\gamma$ one
- Given the stronger QCD coupling, **sizable QCD cross sections are expected.**
- Scale uncertainty is $\sim 20\%$ ($\sim 50\%$) for photon (gluon) initiated processes.

Jet production at a possible lepton collider

- Low- p_T range: photon induced non-perturbative hadronic production

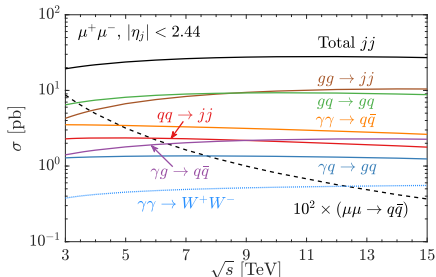
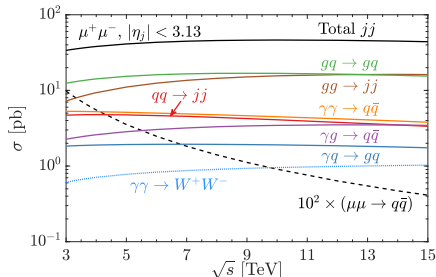
[Chen, Barklow, and Peskin, hep-ph/9305247; Drees and Godbole, PRL 67, 1189, T. Barklow, et al, LCD-2011-020]

- High- p_T range [$p_T > (4 + \sqrt{s}/3 \text{ TeV}) \text{ GeV}$]: perturbatively computable

$$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}, \gamma g \rightarrow q\bar{q}, \gamma q \rightarrow gq,$$

$$qq \rightarrow qq (gg), gq \rightarrow gq \text{ and } gg \rightarrow gg (q\bar{q}).$$

- $Q = \sqrt{\hat{s}}/2$, due to large $\alpha_s \ln(Q^2)$, a 30 ~ 40% enhancement if $Q = \sqrt{\hat{s}}$



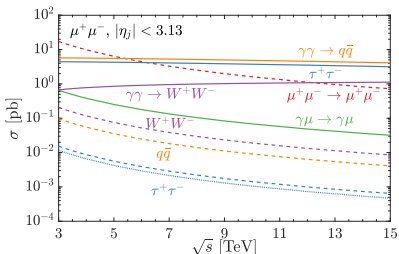
- Including the QCD contribution leads to much larger total cross section.
- gg initiated cross sections are large for its large multiplicity;
- gq initiated cross sections are large for its large luminosity.
- $\gamma\gamma$ initiated cross sections here are smaller than the EPA results.

Refresh the picture of high-energy muon colliders

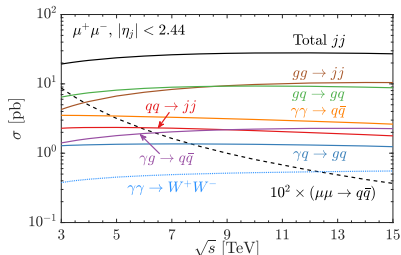
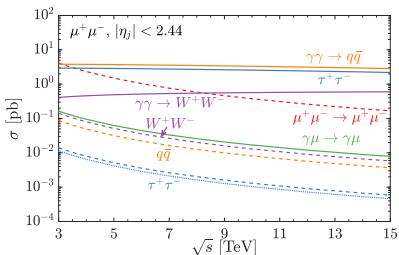
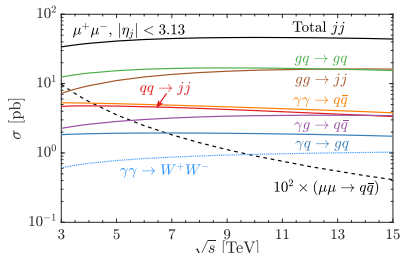
What is the dominant process at a high-energy muon collider?

- Quark/gluon initiated jet production dominates

Before:



After:



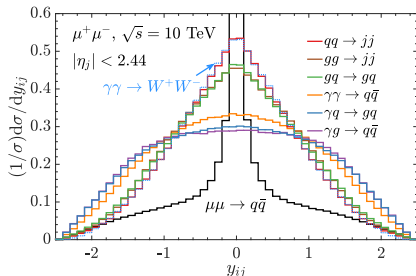
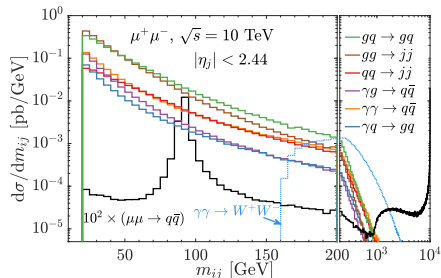
Di-jet distributions at a muon collider

Rather a conservative set up: $\theta = 10^\circ$

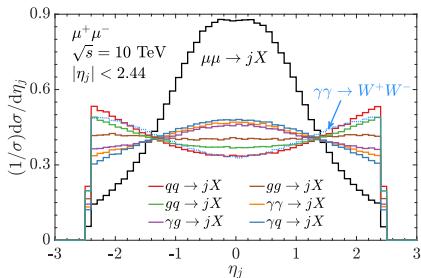
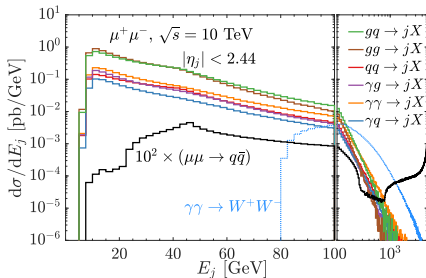
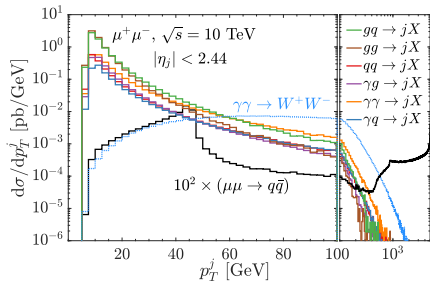
■ Some physics:

Two different mechanisms: $\mu^+\mu^-$ annihilation VS Fusion processes

- Annihilation is more than 2 orders of magnitude smaller than fusion process.
- Annihilation peaks at $m_{ij} \sim \sqrt{s}$;
- Fusion processes peak near m_{ij} threshold.
- Annihilation is very central, spread out due to ISR;
- Fusion processes spread out, especially for γq and γg initiated ones.



Inclusive jet distributions at a muon collider

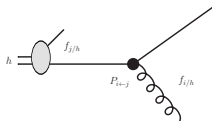


- Jet production dominates over WW production until $p_T > 60$ GeV;
- WW production takes over around energy ~ 200 GeV.
- QCD contributions are mostly forward-backward; $\gamma\gamma$, γq , and γg initiated processes are more isotropic.

Work in progress: EW FSR

- At future super high-energy colliders, collinear splittings also happen to energetic final state particles \Rightarrow **EW jet factories**
- One treatment is the electroweak fragmentation functions (EW FFs)
- Both parton distributions (f_i) and fragmentations (d_i) are controlled by the DGLAP equations.
- The evolutions (splittings) are in opposite directions.

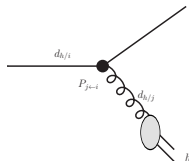
EW PDF



$$\frac{df_{i/h}}{d \log \mu^2} = P_{ij} \otimes f_{j/h}$$

$$\frac{d}{d \log \mu^2} \begin{pmatrix} e \\ \bar{e} \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{\ell\ell} & 0 & P_{\ell\gamma} \\ 0 & P_{\ell\ell} & P_{\ell\gamma} \\ P_{\gamma\ell} & P_{\gamma\ell} & P_{\gamma\gamma} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} e \\ \bar{e} \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix}.$$

EW FF



$$\frac{dd_{h/i}}{d \log \mu^2} = d_{h/j} \otimes P_{ji}$$

$$\frac{d}{d \log \mu^2} \begin{pmatrix} e \\ \bar{e} \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} e \\ \bar{e} \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} P_{\ell\ell} & 0 & P_{\ell\gamma} \\ 0 & P_{\ell\ell} & P_{\ell\gamma} \\ P_{\gamma\ell} & P_{\gamma\ell} & P_{\gamma\gamma} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Summary and prospects

Physics: EW PDFs and EW FFs

- At very high energies, the collinear splittings dominate.
- ISR: EW bosons should be treated as partons
 - High-energy lepton colliders \Rightarrow “Vector boson colliders”.
 - High-energy hadron colliders \Rightarrow corrections from the EW sector.
 - Other SM particles enter the picture via DGLAP \Rightarrow everything is parton.
- FSR: EW FFs (work in progress)
 - The energetic final state particles also have collinear radiations \Rightarrow “(EW) jet factories”.
 - Evolutions are also controlled by DGLAP, in opposite directions to the PDFs.

Machine: A high-energy muon collider is an EW version of HE LHC

- There are many things to work on: SUSY, DM, Higgs, etc.
- Two classes of processes: $\mu^+ \mu^-$ annihilation VS fusions

[T. Han, Y. Ma, K.Xie 2007.14300]

- **The main background of is the jet production:**

- Low p_T range: non-perturbative $\gamma\gamma$ initiated hadronic production dominates

[Chen, Barklow, and Peskin, hep-ph/9305247; Drees and Godbole, PRL 67, 1189, T. Barklow, etal, LCD-2011-020]

- High p_T range, q and g initiated jet production dominates

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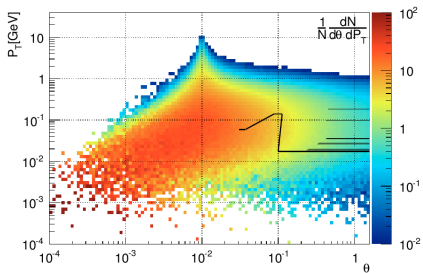
Jet production of possible lepton colliders (low p_T)

- Large photon induced non-perturbative hadronic production

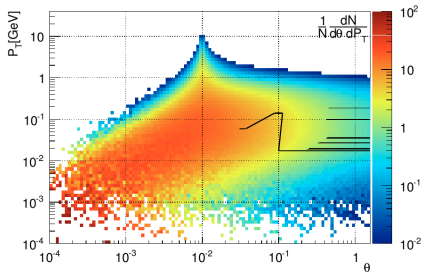
[Drees and Godbole, PRL 67 1189, hep-ph/9203219]

[Chen, Barklow, and Peskin, hep-ph/9305247; Godbole, Grau, Mohan, Pancheri, SrivastavaNuovo Cim. C 034S1]

- $\sigma_{\gamma\gamma}$ may reach micro-barns level at TeV c.m. energies
 - $\sigma_{\ell\ell}$ may reach nano-barns, after folding in the $\gamma\gamma$ luminosity
- The events populate at low p_T regime
So we can separate from this non-perturbative range via a p_T cut.



(a) Pythia sample



(b) SLAC sample

[T. Barklow, D. Dannheim, M. O. Sahin, and D. Schulte, LCD-2011-020]

The PDF evolution

- The DGLAP equations

$$\frac{df_i}{d\log Q^2} = \sum_I \frac{\alpha_I}{2\pi} \sum_j P_{ij}^I \otimes f_j$$

- The initial conditions

$$f_{\ell/\ell}(x, m_\ell^2) = \delta(1-x)$$

- Three regions and two matchings

- $m_\ell < Q < \mu_{\text{QCD}}$: QED
- $Q = \mu_{\text{QCD}} \lesssim 1 \text{ GeV}$: $f_q \propto P_{q\gamma} \otimes f_\gamma, f_g = 0$
- $\mu_{\text{QCD}} < Q < \mu_{\text{EW}}$: QED \otimes QCD
- $Q = \mu_{\text{EW}} = M_Z$: $f_\nu = f_t = f_W = f_Z = f_{\gamma Z} = 0$
- $\mu_{\text{EW}} < Q$: EW \otimes QCD.

$$\begin{pmatrix} f_B \\ f_{W^3} \\ f_{BW^3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_W^2 & s_W^2 & -2c_W s_W \\ s_W^2 & c_W^2 & 2c_W s_W \\ c_W s_W & -c_W s_W & c_W^2 - s_W^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} f_\gamma \\ f_Z \\ f_{\gamma Z} \end{pmatrix}$$

- We work in the (B, W) basis. The technical details can be referred to the backup slides.

The QED \otimes QCD DGLAP evolution

- The singlets and gauge bosons

$$\frac{d}{d \log Q^2} \begin{pmatrix} f_L \\ f_U \\ f_D \\ f_\gamma \\ f_g \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{\ell\ell} & 0 & 0 & 2N_\ell P_{\ell\gamma} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{uu} & 0 & 2N_u P_{u\gamma} & 2N_u P_{ug} \\ 0 & 0 & P_{dd} & 2N_d P_{d\gamma} & 2N_d P_{dg} \\ P_{\gamma\ell} & P_{\gamma u} & P_{\gamma d} & P_{\gamma\gamma} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{gu} & P_{gd} & 0 & P_{gg} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} f_L \\ f_U \\ f_D \\ f_\gamma \\ f_g \end{pmatrix}$$

- The non-singlets

$$\frac{d}{d \log Q^2} f_{NS} = P_{ff} \otimes f_{NS}.$$

- The averaged momentum fractions of the PDFs: $f_{\ell_{\text{val}}}$, f_γ , $f_{\ell_{\text{sea}}}$, f_q , f_g

$$\langle x_i \rangle = \int x f_i(x) dx, \quad \sum_i \langle x_i \rangle = 1$$

$$\frac{\langle x_q \rangle}{\langle x_{\ell_{\text{sea}}} \rangle} \lesssim \frac{N_c \left[\sum_i (e_{u_i}^2 + e_{\bar{u}_i}^2) + \sum_i (e_{d_i}^2 + e_{\bar{d}_i}^2) \right]}{e_{\ell_{\text{val}}}^2 + \sum_{i \neq \ell_{\text{val}}} (e_{\ell_i}^2 + e_{\bar{\ell}_i}^2)} = \frac{22/3}{5}$$

The EW isospin (T) and charge-parity (CP) basis

- The leptonic doublet and singlet in the (T,CP) basis

$$f_\ell^{0\pm} = \frac{1}{4} [(f_{\nu_L} + f_{\ell_L}) \pm (f_{\bar{\nu}_L} + f_{\bar{\ell}_L})], \quad f_\ell^{1\pm} = \frac{1}{4} [(f_{\nu_L} - f_{\ell_L}) \pm (f_{\bar{\nu}_L} - f_{\bar{\ell}_L})].$$
$$f_e^{0\pm} = \frac{1}{2} [f_{e_R} \pm f_{\bar{e}_R}]$$

- Similar for the quark doublet and singlets.
- The bosonic

$$f_B^{0\pm} = f_{B_+} \pm f_{B_-}, \quad f_{BW}^{1\pm} = f_{BW_+} \pm f_{BW_-},$$
$$f_W^{0\pm} = \frac{1}{3} \left[(f_{W_+^+} + f_{W_+^-} + f_{W_+^3}) \pm (f_{W_-^+} + f_{W_-^-} + f_{W_-^3}) \right],$$
$$f_W^{1\pm} = \frac{1}{2} \left[(f_{W_+^+} - f_{W_+^-}) \mp (f_{W_-^+} - f_{W_-^-}) \right],$$
$$f_W^{2\pm} = \frac{1}{6} \left[(f_{W_+^+} + f_{W_+^-} - 2f_{W_+^3}) \pm (f_{W_-^+} + f_{W_-^-} - 2f_{W_-^3}) \right].$$

The EW PDFs in the singlet/non-singlet basis

Construct the singlets and non-singlets

- Singlets

$$f_L^{0,1\pm} = \sum_i^{N_g} f_\ell^{0,1\pm}, \quad f_E^{0\pm} = \sum_i^{N_g} f_e^{0\pm},$$

- Non-singlets

$$f_{L,NS}^{0,1\pm} = f_{\ell_1}^{0,1\pm} - f_{\ell_2}^{0,1\pm}, \quad f_{E,NS}^{0\pm} = f_{e_1}^{0\pm} - f_{e_2}^{0\pm}$$

- The trivial non-singlets

$$f_{L,23}^{0,1\pm} = f_{E,23}^{0\pm} = 0$$

Reconstruct the PDFs for each flavors

- The leptonic PDFs

$$f_{\ell_1}^{0,1\pm} = \frac{f_L^{0,1\pm} + (N_g - 1)f_{L,NS}^{0,1\pm}}{N_g}, \quad f_{\ell_2}^{0,1\pm} = f_{\ell_3}^{0,1\pm} = \frac{f_L^{0,1\pm} - f_{L,NS}^{0,1\pm}}{N_g},$$
$$f_{e_1}^{0\pm} = \frac{f_E^{0\pm} + (N_g - 1)f_{E,NS}^{0\pm}}{N_g}, \quad f_{e_2}^{0\pm} = f_{e_3}^{0\pm} = \frac{f_E^{0\pm} - f_{E,NS}^{0\pm}}{N_g}.$$

- The quark components can be constructed as singlets/non-singlets, and reconstructed correspondingly as well.

The DGLAP in the singlet and non-singlet basis

$$\frac{d}{dL} \begin{pmatrix} f_L^{0\pm} \\ f_Q^{0\pm} \\ f_E^{0\pm} \\ f_U^{0\pm} \\ f_D^{0\pm} \\ f_B^{0\pm} \\ f_W^{0\pm} \\ f_g^{0\pm} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{LL}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & P_{LB}^{0\pm} & P_{LW}^{0\pm} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{QQ}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 & 0 & P_{QB}^{0\pm} & P_{QW}^{0\pm} & P_{Qg}^{0\pm} \\ 0 & 0 & P_{EE}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 & P_{EB}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & P_{UU}^{0\pm} & 0 & P_{UB}^{0\pm} & 0 & P_{Ug}^{0\pm} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & P_{DD}^{0\pm} & P_{DB}^{0\pm} & 0 & P_{Dg}^{0\pm} \\ P_{BL}^{0\pm} & P_{BQ}^{0\pm} & P_{BE}^{0\pm} & P_{BU}^{0\pm} & P_{BD}^{0\pm} & P_{BB}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 \\ P_{WL}^{0\pm} & P_{WQ}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & P_{WW}^{0\pm} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{gQ}^{0\pm} & 0 & P_{gU}^{0\pm} & P_{gD}^{0\pm} & 0 & 0 & P_{gg}^{0\pm} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} f_L^{0\pm} \\ f_Q^{0\pm} \\ f_E^{0\pm} \\ f_U^{0\pm} \\ f_D^{0\pm} \\ f_B^{0\pm} \\ f_W^{0\pm} \\ f_g^{0\pm} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{d}{dL} \begin{pmatrix} f_L^{1\pm} \\ f_Q^{1\pm} \\ f_W^{1\pm} \\ f_{BW}^{1\pm} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{LL}^{1\pm} & 0 & P_{LW}^{1\pm} & P_{LM}^{1\pm} \\ 0 & P_{QQ}^{1\pm} & P_{QW}^{1\pm} & P_{QM}^{1\pm} \\ P_{WL}^{1\pm} & P_{WQ}^{1\pm} & P_{WW}^{1\pm} & 0 \\ P_{ML}^{1\pm} & P_{MQ}^{1\pm} & 0 & P_{MM}^{1\pm} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} f_L^{1\pm} \\ f_Q^{1\pm} \\ f_W^{1\pm} \\ f_{BW}^{1\pm} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{d}{dL} f_W^{2\pm} = P_{WW}^{2\pm} \otimes f_{WW}^{2\pm}$$

The splitting functions can be constructed in terms of Refs. [\[Chen et al. 1611.00788, Bauer et al.\]](#)