Production of like-sign W pairs via double parton scattering

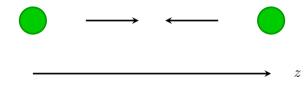
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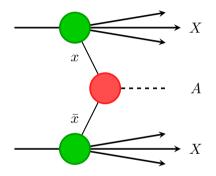
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Single parton scattering



$$v^{\pm} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v^0 \pm v^3)$$

Drell-Yan process: $pp' \longrightarrow A + X$



 $cross\ section = parton\ distribution\ functions\ imes\ parton-level\ cross\ section$

Parton Distribution Function (PDF)

Definition of PDFs:

$$F_{q}(x;\mu) = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dz^{-}}{2\pi} e^{ixP^{+}z^{-}} \langle p | \bar{q}(-z/2) \Gamma q(z/2) | p \rangle \big|_{z^{+}=|\mathbf{z}|=0}.$$
 (1)

$$\Gamma = \gamma^+, \, \gamma^5 \gamma^+.$$



Double parton scattering

$$pp' \to A_1 + A_2 + X$$

 A_i – produced in hard processes, X – summed over.

Hard scales: $Q_1, Q_2 \gg \Lambda$.

See: M. Buffing, M. Diehl, T. Kasemets 2021 [arXiv:1708.03528]

This work:

$$pp' \longrightarrow W^{\pm}W^{\pm} + X$$

Like-sign W pair production: SPS vs DPS

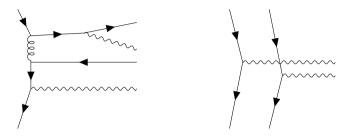


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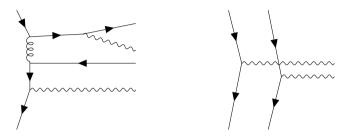


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- $\sigma_{SPS} \propto \mathcal{O}(\alpha_S^2)$ with ≥ 2 jets.
- $\sigma_{DPS} \propto \mathcal{O}(\alpha_S^0)$,
- First observation of double parton scattering CMS, Phys.Rev.Lett. 131 (2023).

Double parton factorization - an initial picture

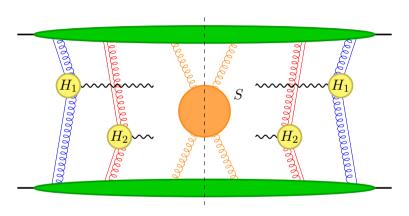
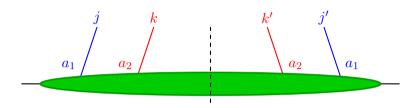


Figure: The general form of a leading-power graph representing the DPS.

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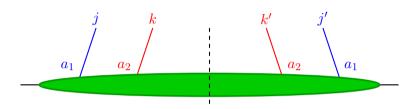


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Notation

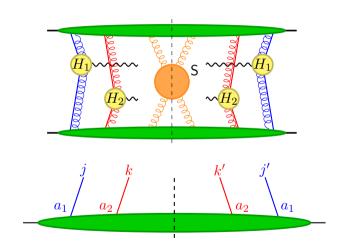
 $^{R_1R_2}F_{a_1a_2}$ for parton a_i in representation R_i . $\dim(R_1)=\dim(R_2)$.

Evolution of DPDs

Roughly:

 $\mu_1, \mu_2 \leftrightarrow \text{cut-off on}$ virtuality of parton 1 and 2.

- \rightarrow Double DGLAP evolution.
- $\zeta \leftrightarrow$ cut-off on soft gluons rapidities.
- \rightarrow Collins-Soper equation.



Double Drell-Yan production of $W^{\pm}W^{\pm}$

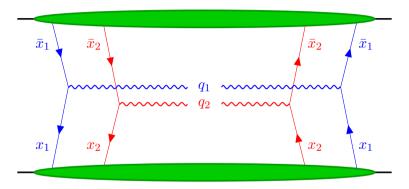


Figure: LO Feynman diagram representing the DPD contribution to $W^{\pm}W^{\pm}$ production.

Cross-section integrated over transverse momenta

$$\frac{d\sigma_{DPS}}{\prod_{i=1,2} dx_i d\bar{x}_i} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{A_1 A_2}} \sum_{a,b} \hat{\sigma}_{a_1 b_1 \to A_1} \hat{\sigma}_{a_2 b_2 \to A_2}
\times \int d^2 \mathbf{y} \sum_{R_1} \sum_{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2}^{coll.} (x_i, \mathbf{y})^{\bar{R}_1 \bar{R}_2} F_{b_1 b_2}^{coll.} (\bar{x}_i, \mathbf{y}) .$$
(2)

Collinear DPDs



 \mathbf{y} – transverse distance between partons 1 and 2.

DTMD in the transverse position space

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$$\times \int d^2 \mathbf{y} \, \sum_{R_i} {}^{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2} (x_i, \mathbf{k}_i, \mathbf{y})^{\bar{R}_1 \bar{R}_2} F_{b_1 b_2} (\bar{x}_i, \bar{\mathbf{k}}_i, \mathbf{y}) . \quad (3)$$

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(4)

DTMD in the transverse position space



 $\mathbf{y}_{\pm} = \mathbf{y} \pm \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{z}_1 - \mathbf{z}_2)$ – distance between parton pairs on the left/right.



Large transverse momenta

$$\frac{d\sigma^{DPS}}{\prod_{i=1,2} dx_i d\bar{x}_i d^2 \mathbf{q}_i}$$

$$\propto \sum_{a_{1},a_{2},b_{1},b_{2}} \hat{\sigma}_{a_{1}b_{1}}(Q_{1}^{2};\mu_{1})\hat{\sigma}_{a_{2}b_{2}}(Q_{2}^{2};\mu_{2})
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We need to consider 2 sub-regions:

- $|\mathbf{y}| \sim |\mathbf{z}| \ll \Lambda^{-1}$: DTMD can be expressed in terms of PDFs (splitting) and twist-four distributions.
- $|\mathbf{y}| \gg |\mathbf{z}|$: use operator product expansion to match DTMDs onto collinear double parton distributions (DPDF).

Large \mathbf{y} approximation

Assume $|\mathbf{y}| \gg |\mathbf{z}_i|$.

Let us apply the operator product expansion to operators defining DTMDs:

$${}^{R}\mathcal{O}_{a}(x_{i}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}) = \sum_{b} \sum_{R'} {}^{R\bar{R}'}C_{ab}(x', \mathbf{z}) \underset{x}{\otimes} {}^{R'}\mathcal{O}_{b}(x', \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} = 0).$$

$$(5)$$

Matrix elements of a product of two $\mathcal{O}_b(x', \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} = 0)$ define collinear DPDFs.

$\mathsf{Large} \; \mathbf{y} \; \mathsf{approximation}$

Matching formula

$$\frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1, a_2} \left(x, \bar{x}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}_i; \mu_{0i}, \zeta \right) = \sum_{b_1, b_2} \sum_{R'_1, R'_2} \frac{R_1 \bar{R}'_1}{C_{a_1 b_1}} \sum_{x_1} \frac{R_2 \bar{R}'_2}{x_1} C_{a_2 b_2} \sum_{x_2} \frac{R'_1 R'_2}{x_2} F_{b_1 b_2}^{coll.} \left(x'_i, \mathbf{y}; \mu_{0i}, \zeta \right), \tag{6}$$

with the kernels

$${}^{R_1\bar{R}'_1}C_{a_1b_1} = {}^{R_1\bar{R}'_1}C_{a_1b_1}(x_1, \mathbf{z}_1; \mu_{01}, x_1^2\zeta), \tag{7}$$

known up to order α_S in both colour channels.

For reference see: M. Buffing, M. Diehl, T. Kasemets 2021 [arXiv:1708.03528]



Scales in the problem

ullet The natural choice of scales, at which DPDFs is computed, is given by $|\mathbf{y}^*|$:

$$\mathbf{y}^* = \begin{cases} \sim \mathbf{y} & \text{for } |\mathbf{y}| \ll y_{max} \\ \sim y_{max} & \text{for } |\mathbf{y}| \gtrsim y_{max} \end{cases}$$
(8)

• Matching should be computed at scales $\mu_{0i} \propto 1/|\mathbf{z}_i|$ \rightarrow evolve DPDFs to the matching scales using DGLAP equation.

Scales in the problem

ullet Rapidity dependence o use the Collins-Soper equation for the matching kernels:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \log \sqrt{\zeta}} R_1 R_1' C_{a_1 b_1} (x_1, \mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1, \zeta) = R_1 K_{a_1} (\mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1)^{R_1 R_1'} C_{a_1 b_1} (x_1, \mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1, \zeta) . \tag{9}$$

 $^{R_1}K_{a_1}=$ colour factor imes singlet TMD Collins-Soper kernel.

Solution

$$R_1 R_1' C_{a_1 b_1}(x_1, \mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1, \zeta') = \exp\left(R_1 K_{a_1}(\mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1) \log \frac{\sqrt{\zeta'}}{\sqrt{\zeta}}\right) R_1 R_1' C_{a_1 b_1}(x_1, \mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1, \zeta). \tag{10}$$

Scales in the problem

Finally, matched DTMDs are evolved to the final scales $\sim Q_i$

Evolution equations for DTMDs

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \log \sqrt{\zeta}} {}^{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2} = \left[{}^{R_1} J(\mathbf{y}; \mu_i) + {}^{R_1} K(\mathbf{z}_1; \mu_1) + {}^{R_2} K(\mathbf{z}_2; \mu_2) \right] {}^{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2} ,
\frac{\partial}{\partial \log \mu_1} {}^{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2} = \left[\gamma_{a_1} - \gamma_{K, a_1} \log \frac{x_1 \sqrt{\zeta}}{\mu} \right] {}^{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2} .$$
(11)

 $^{1}J=0$ at all orders!

Effects of the rapidity evolution

Solution of the Collins-Soper equation for DTMDs

$$R_{1}R_{2}F_{a_{1}a_{2}}(x_{i}, \mathbf{z}_{i}, \mathbf{y}; \mu_{0i}, \zeta)$$

$$= \exp\left(\left[R_{1}J(\mathbf{y}; \mu_{0i}) + R_{1}K(\mathbf{z}_{1}; \mu_{01}) + R_{2}K(\mathbf{z}_{2}; \mu_{02})\right] \log \frac{\sqrt{\zeta}}{\sqrt{\zeta_{0}}}\right) R_{1}R_{2}F_{a_{1}a_{2}}(x_{i}, \mathbf{z}_{i}, \mathbf{y}; \mu_{0i}, \zeta_{0}).$$
(12)

Large-y behavior of the Collins-Soper kernel J – see [arXiv:2310.16432]

$$^{R}J(\mathbf{y};\mu_{i}) = ^{R}J^{pert.}(\mathbf{y}^{*};\mu_{i}) + \Delta ^{R}J(\mathbf{y}), \quad \mathbf{y}^{*} - \text{regularized distance},$$
 (13)

 $\Delta^{8}J$ is $\mathcal{O}(-1)$ at large y.

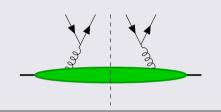
For large final scales one has a strong suppression of the color non-singlet channel at large y.

Cross section in the large-y approximation

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(14)

Initial conditions for collinear DPDs

Splitting part



Perturbative splitting at scale $\propto |\mathbf{y}^*|^{-1}$ \times Gaussian to suppress at large \mathbf{y} .

Intrinsic part

Product of PDFs \times further factors, see Diehl, Gaunt, Lang, Plößl, Schäfer [2001.10428].

$$R_1 R_2 F_{ab}^{intr.} = \text{colour factor}(R_1 R_2) \times {}^{11} F_{ab}^{intr.}$$
 (15)

This form saturates the positivity bounds in colour space.

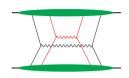


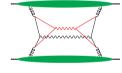
Combining the intrinsic and splitting parts

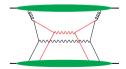
$$2v2 \leftrightarrow F^{intr.}F^{intr.}$$

$$1v1 \, \leftrightarrow \, F^{spl.} \, F^{spl.}$$

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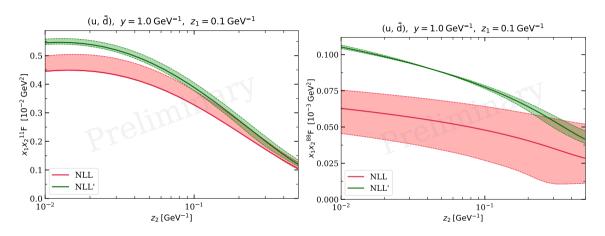
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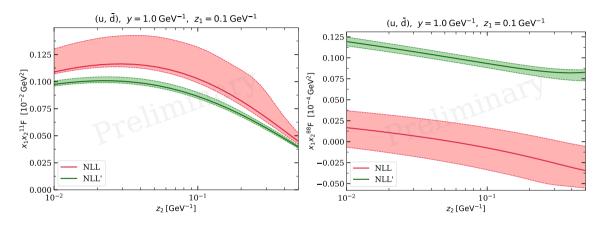


Numerical results – matched intrinsic DTMDs in z-space



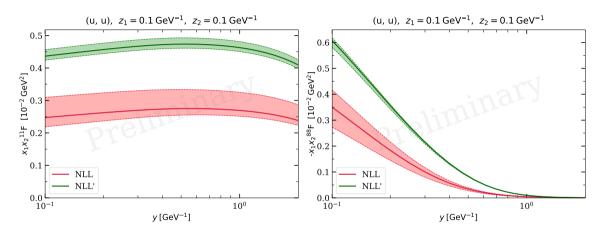
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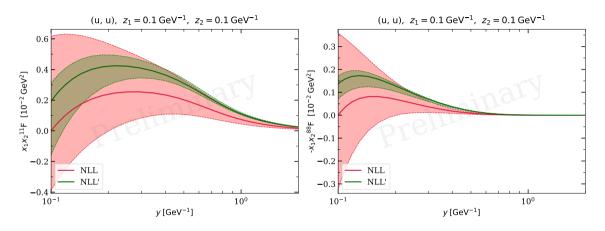
The same, but for longitudinally polarized quarks. Left: singlet, right: colour octet. Bands represent the uncertainty estimation obtained by varying the matching scales.

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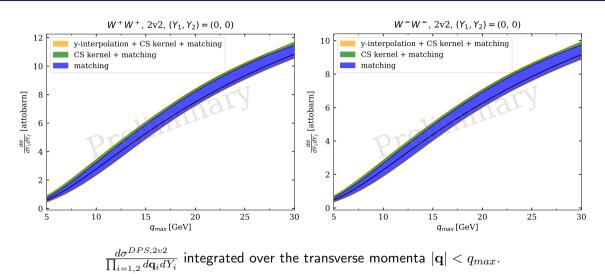
Numerical results – cross section of $W^{\pm}W^{\pm}$ production

- Singlet contributions much larger than nonsinglet:
 - like-sign W: $\sigma^{\text{singlet}} \sim 10^3 \times \sigma^{\text{nonsinglet}}$.
 - opposite-sign W: $\sigma^{\text{singlet}} \sim 10^2 \times \sigma^{\text{nonsinglet}}$.

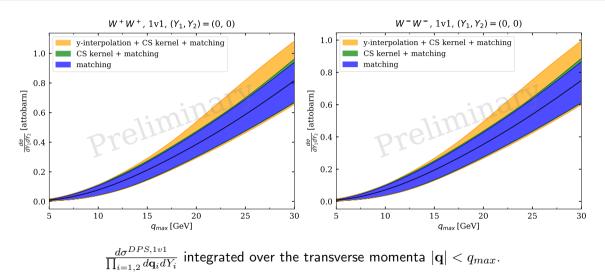
• For like-sign W pair cross section dominated by the intrinsic part: $\sigma^{intr.} \sim 10 \times \sigma^{1v2} \sim 20 \times \sigma^{split.}$

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Partially integrated cross-sections – 2v2

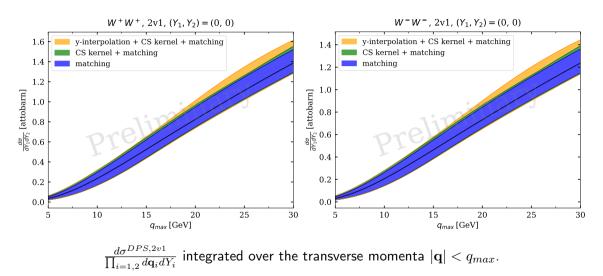


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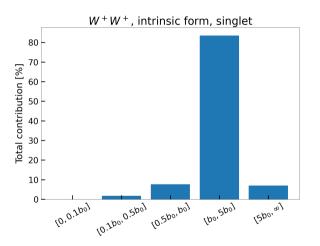


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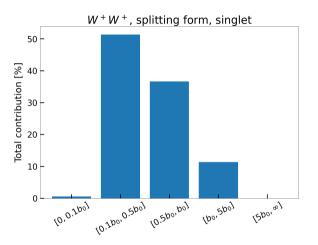


Contributions from different y-regions - intrinsic DPDFs.



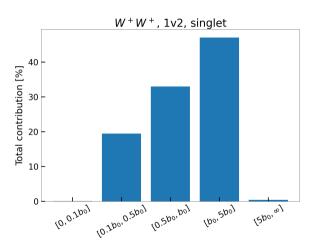
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- Splitting part (known only at LO)

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$$\mathbf{y}_{\pm} = \mathbf{y} \pm \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{z}_1 - \mathbf{z}_2) . \tag{17}$$

Note: no LO splitting contribution for like-sign W production.

Only one initial scale (contrary to the large-y case), chosen as

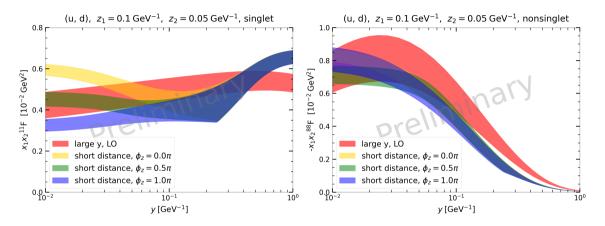
$$\mu_0(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}_1, \mathbf{z}_2) = b_0 / \sqrt{|\mathbf{y}_+^*| \times |\mathbf{y}_-^*|}.$$
 (18)

Rapidity dependence

Collins-Soper equation for DTMDs at small distances mixes color representations:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \log \zeta} F_{a_1 a_2}(x_i, y; \mu, \zeta)
= \frac{1}{2} F_{a_1 a_2}(x_i, y; \mu, \zeta)
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(19)

Numerical results – short-distance vs large-y DTMDs in y-space.



Intrinsic DTMDs in two approximations. Left: singlet, right: colour octet. Presented are results for $\mathbf{y} \perp (\mathbf{z}_1 - \mathbf{z}_2)$ and different angles between \mathbf{z}_1 and \mathbf{z}_2 .

Cross section in the short-distance region

 $\int d^2\mathbf{y} \; \sum_R ^{R_1R_2} F_{a_1a_2} {}^{\bar{R}_1\bar{R}_2} F_{b_1b_2} \; \text{depends on angle between } \mathbf{z}_1 \; \text{and} \; \mathbf{z}_2 \\ \Longrightarrow \; \text{cannot reduce the Fourier transform to integrals with} \; J_0.$

One can write

$$\int d^2 \mathbf{y} \sum_{R} {}^{R_1 R_2} F_{a_1 a_2} {}^{\bar{R}_1 \bar{R}_2} F_{b_1 b_2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \cos(n \varphi_z) W_{a_1 a_2 b_1 b_2, n}(|\mathbf{z}_i|), \tag{20}$$

where φ_z is angle between \mathbf{z}_1 and \mathbf{z}_2 .



Cross section in the short-distance region

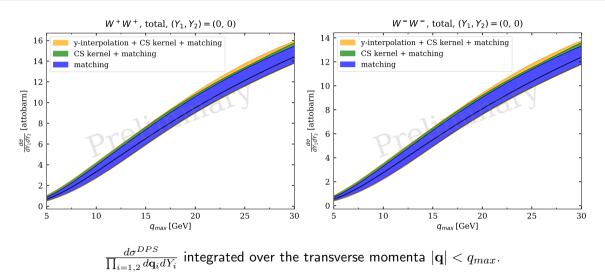
$$\frac{d\sigma_{DPS}}{\prod_{j=1,2} dx_i d\bar{x}_i d^2 \mathbf{q}_i} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{A_1 A_2}} \sum_{a,b} \hat{\sigma}_{a_1 b_1} \hat{\sigma}_{a_2 b_2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \cos(n\phi_q) \times \prod_{i=1,2} \int dz_i \frac{z_i}{2\pi} J_n(|\mathbf{q}_i| z_i) W_{a_1 a_2 b_1 b_2, n}(|\mathbf{z}_i|).$$
(21)

 ϕ_q - angle between \mathbf{q}_1 and \mathbf{q}_2 .

- ullet Angular correlations between momenta of produced W bosons.
- Double Bessel integrals of different orders computed using Levin's method implemented in ChiliPDF.
 - D. Levin Fast integration of rapidly oscillatory functions, J. of Computational and Applied Mathematics 67 (1996) 95-101



Final results for like-sign W pairs production

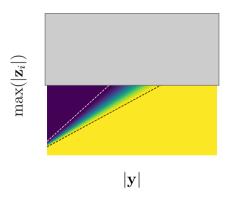


Summary

- Using the operator product expansion we obtain the description of DPS at large transverse momenta.
- ullet Large-y approximation o dominant contribution from the singlet intrinsic part in the region of nonperturbative $oldsymbol{y}$.
- Contribution from non-singlet DPDs to like-sign W production is strongly suppressed.
- Only the intrinsic part contributes to the short-distance part of like-sign W pair production cross section.
- Future work:
 - ullet Computation of the short-distance contribution to W^+W^- production.
 - Study of uncertainties in the short-distance region.

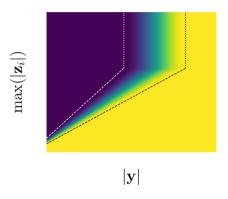


Backup – interpolating between two regions



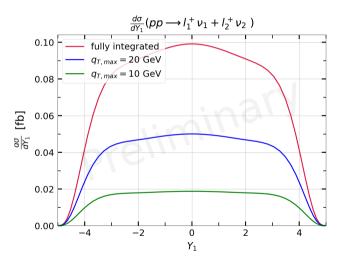
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Backup – extending the approximation to larger z

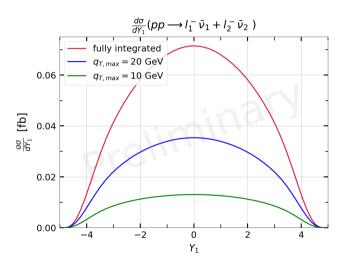


- Small $z \rightarrow$ interpolate between two approximations in the overlap region.
- $|\mathbf{y}| > y_{\text{max}} \implies$ match DTMD at regularized distances \mathbf{z}^* , multiply by $e^{-\text{const.} \times \mathbf{z}_i^2}$.
- ullet At small y extrapolate the short-distance result. Interpolate for intermediate ${f y}$.

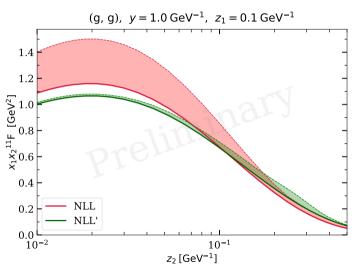
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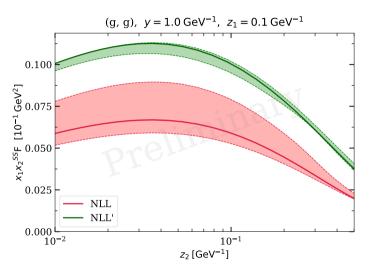
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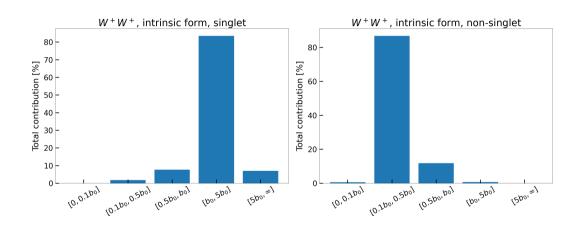
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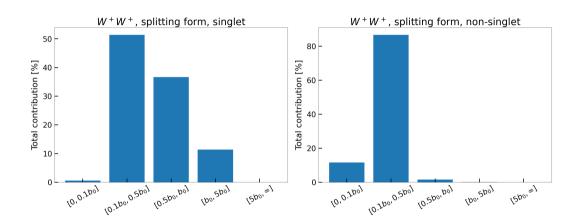
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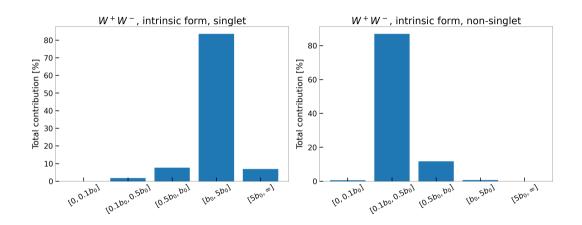
Backup – different y-regions for both color channels, intrinsic



Backup – different y-regions for both color channels, splitting



Backup – different y-regions for both color channels, opposite-sign W



Backup – different y-regions for both color channels, opposite-sign W

