

# Gauge Links and TMD-Factorization

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***Status overview of transverse momentum dependent factorization theorems with an emphasis on evolution, universality/non-universality, and the issue of factorization breaking:***

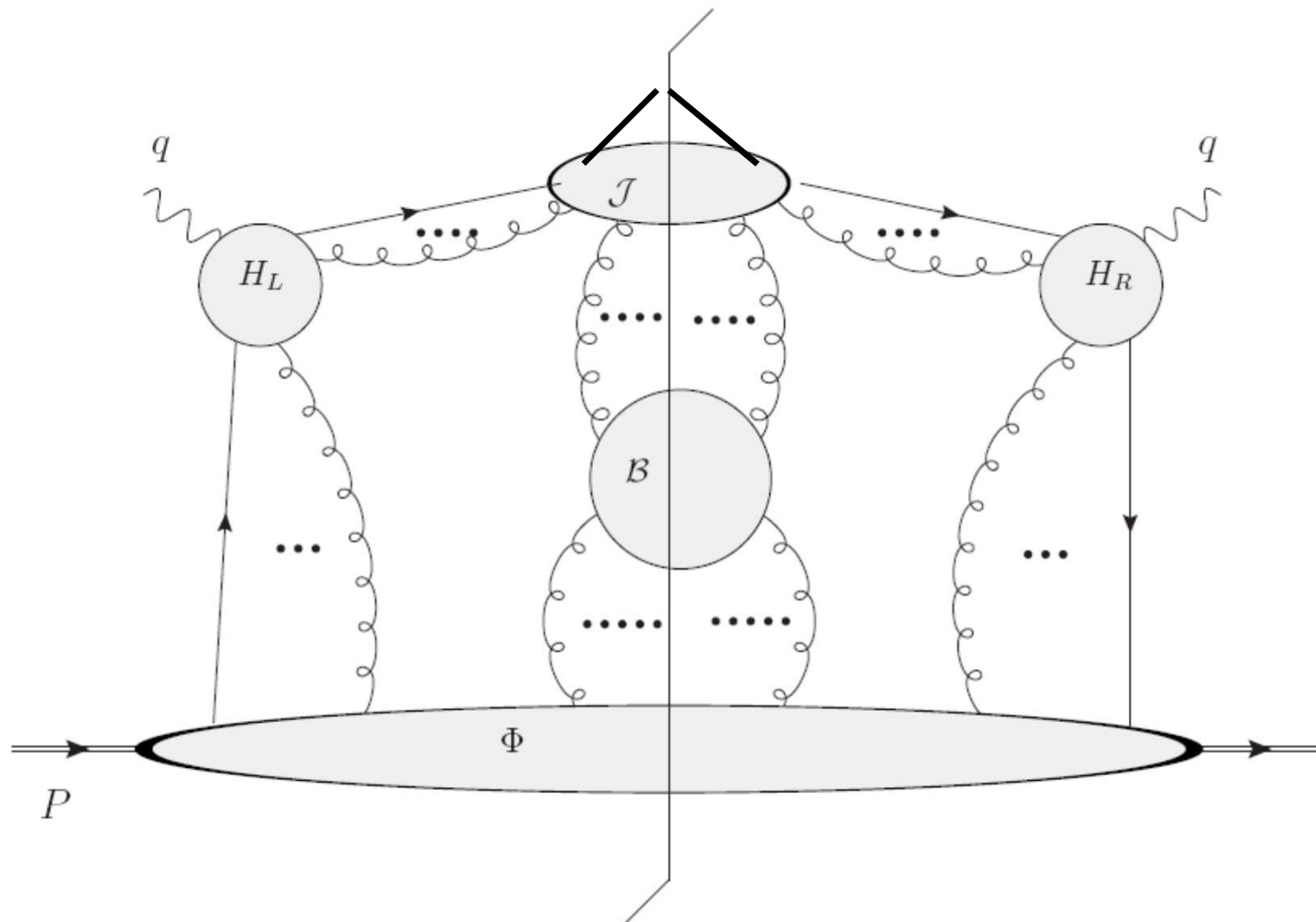
- Review basic concepts and complications with definitions.
- Factorization Breaking.
- Combining existing fits into evolved, momentum space TMDs.
- Future directions.

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# TMD-Factorization:

- Approximations

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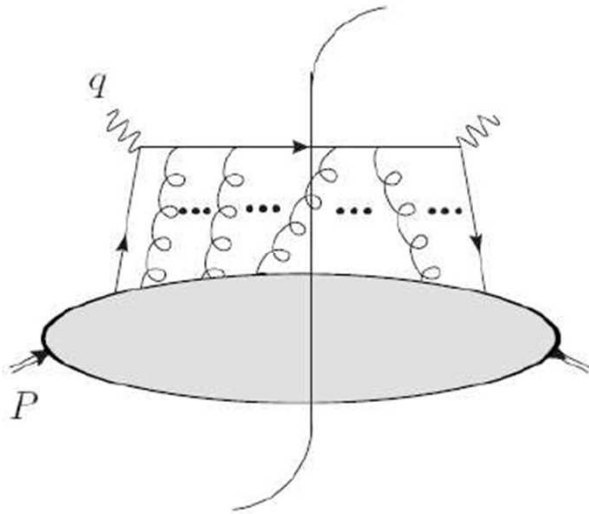
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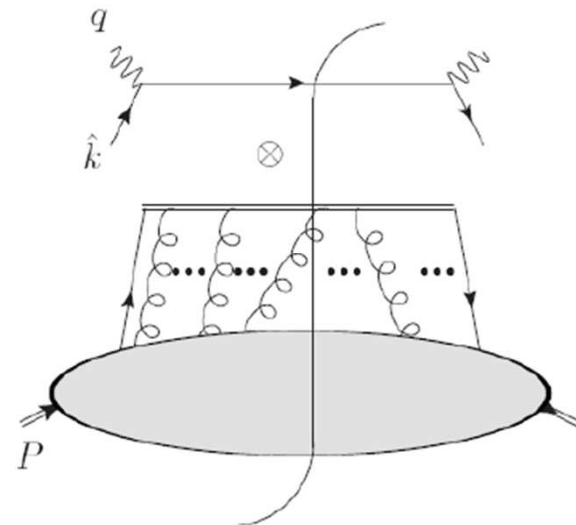
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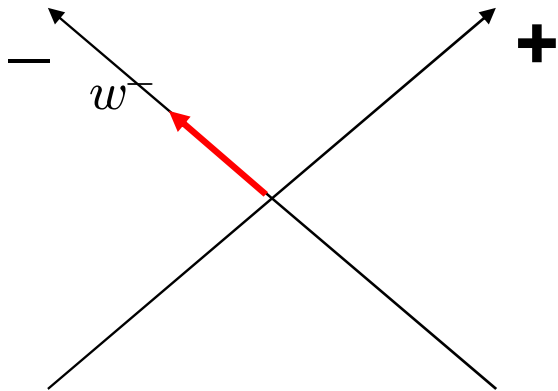


Sum over  
graphs



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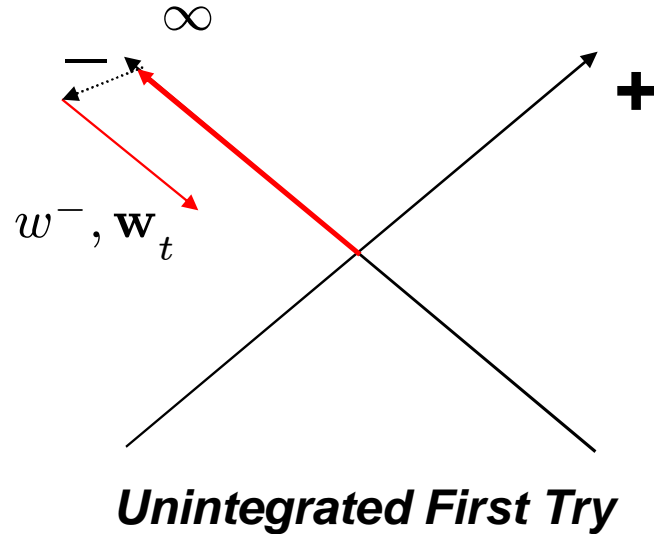
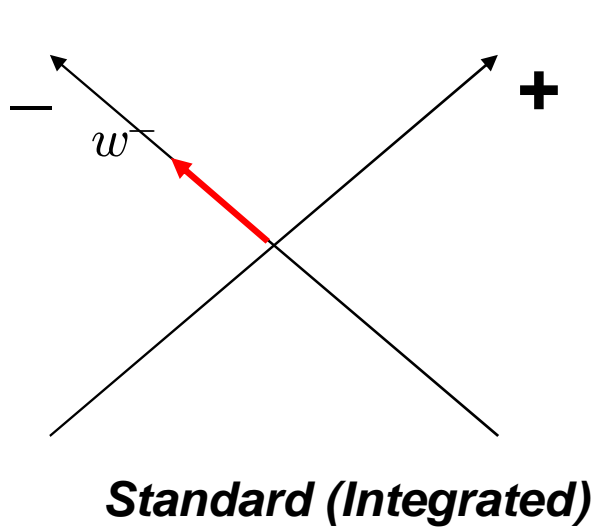
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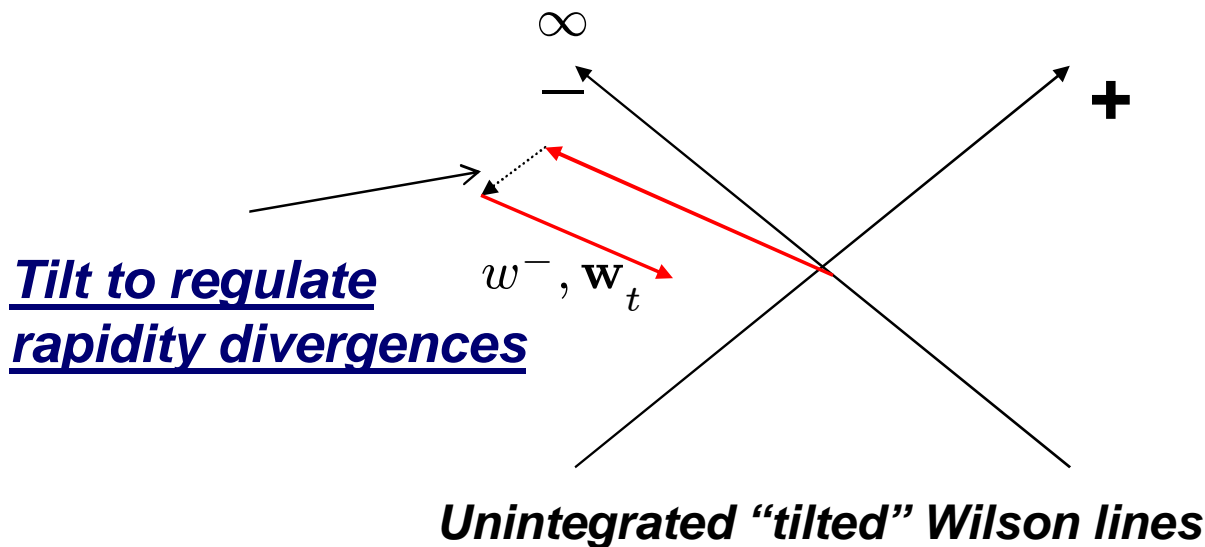
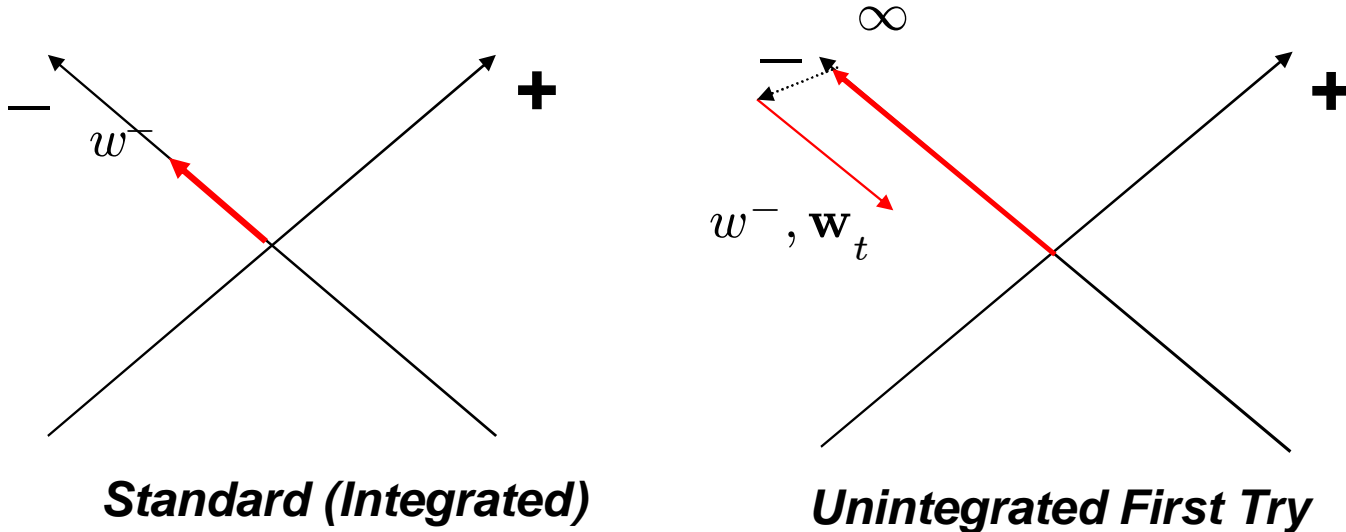
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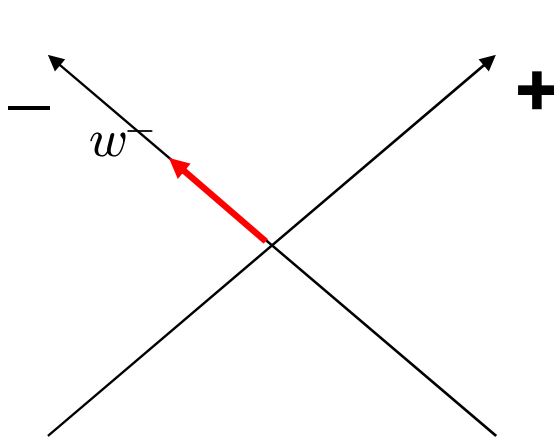
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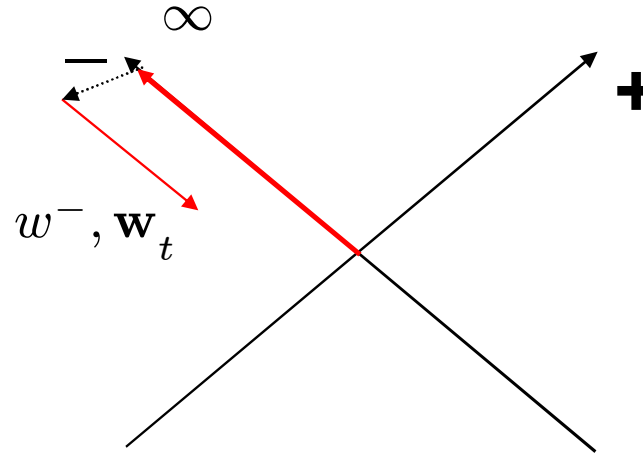


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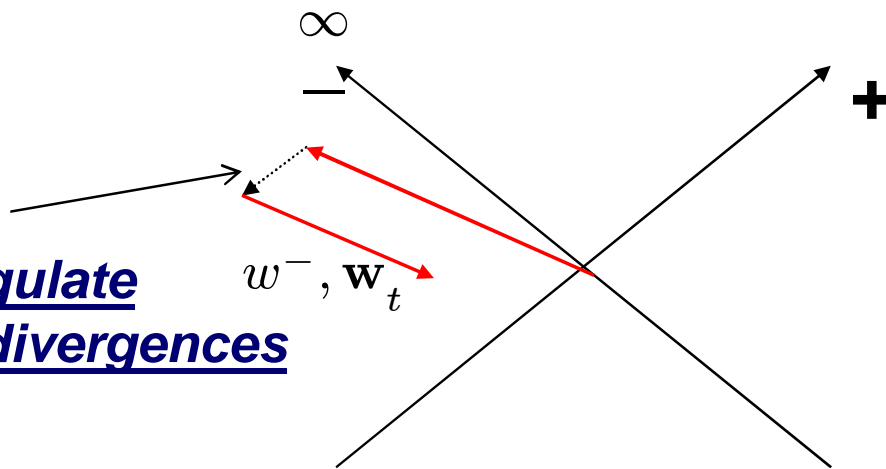
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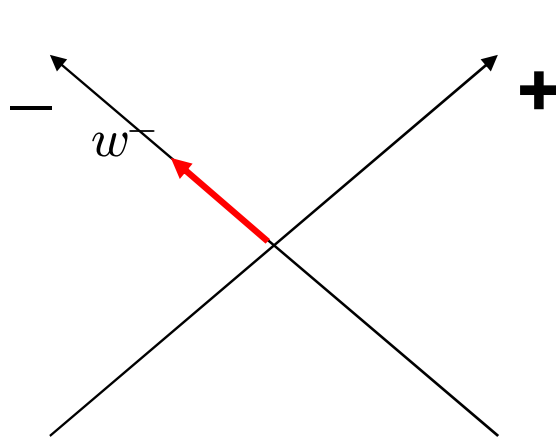
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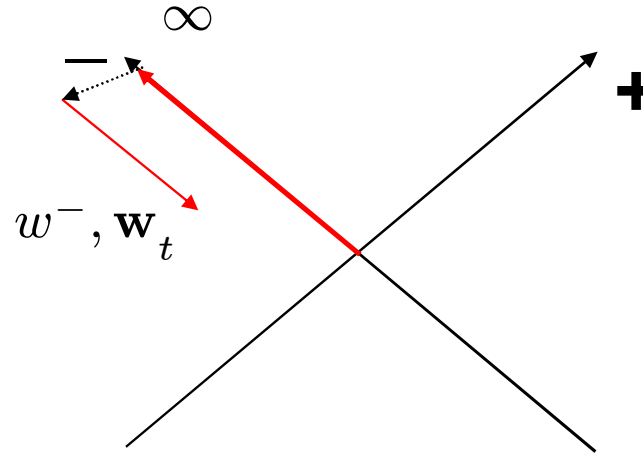
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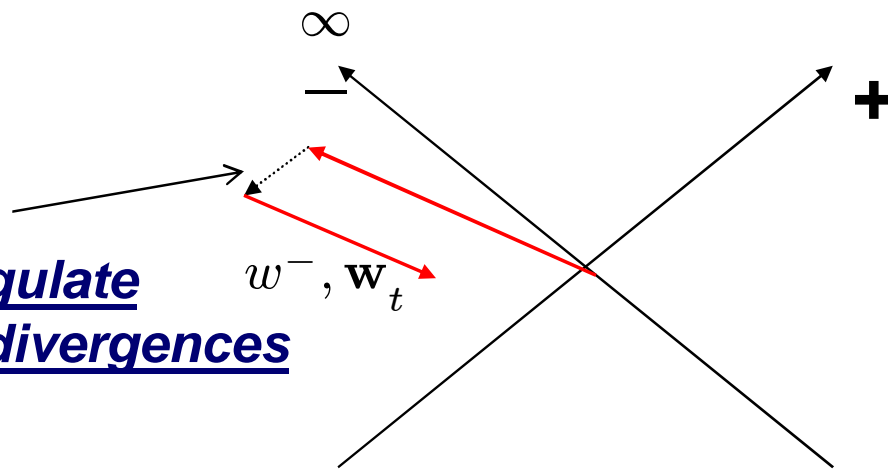
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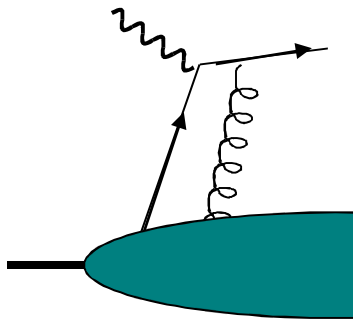
**More on definitions to come!**

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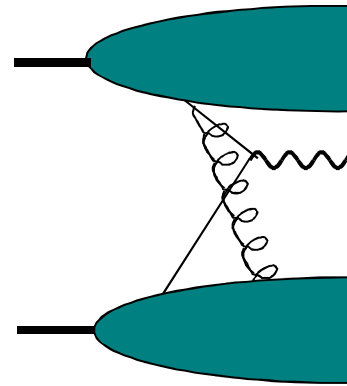
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# Universality

- Direction of “gauge link” in the TMD definition matters!



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*Drell-Yan*

- Direction of gauge links matters.
  - Sivers function - sign-flip.

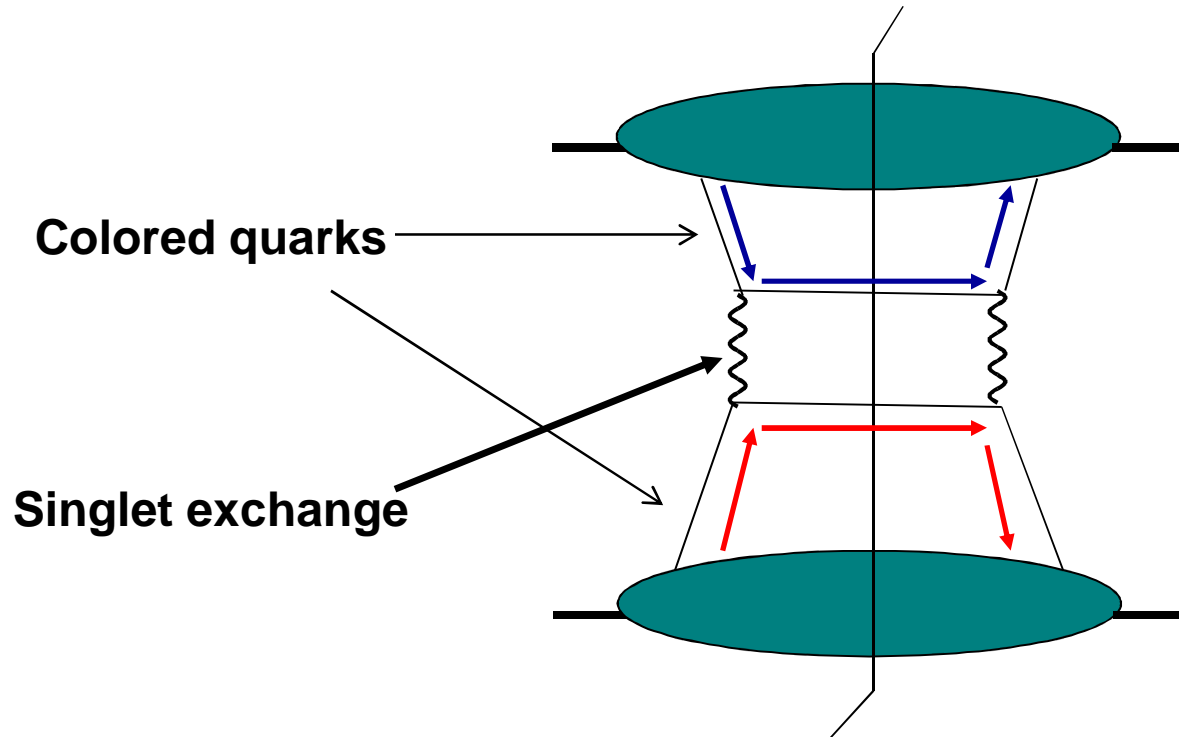
*(Brodsky, Hwang, Schmidt (2002);  
Collins (2002))*

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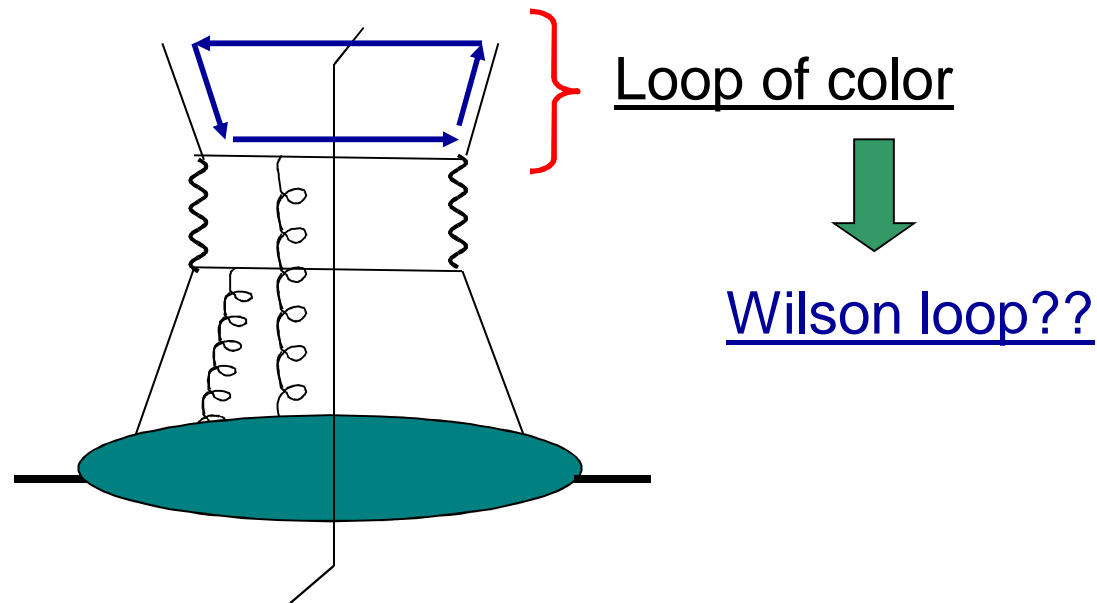
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- Gauge link is *at least* non-standard.

(Bomhof, Mulders, Pijlman (2004);  
Collins, Qiu (2007);  
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## “Generalized” TMD-Factorization

- “Generalized” TMD-Factorization: Formal factorization formula exists, but parton distributions are non-universal!

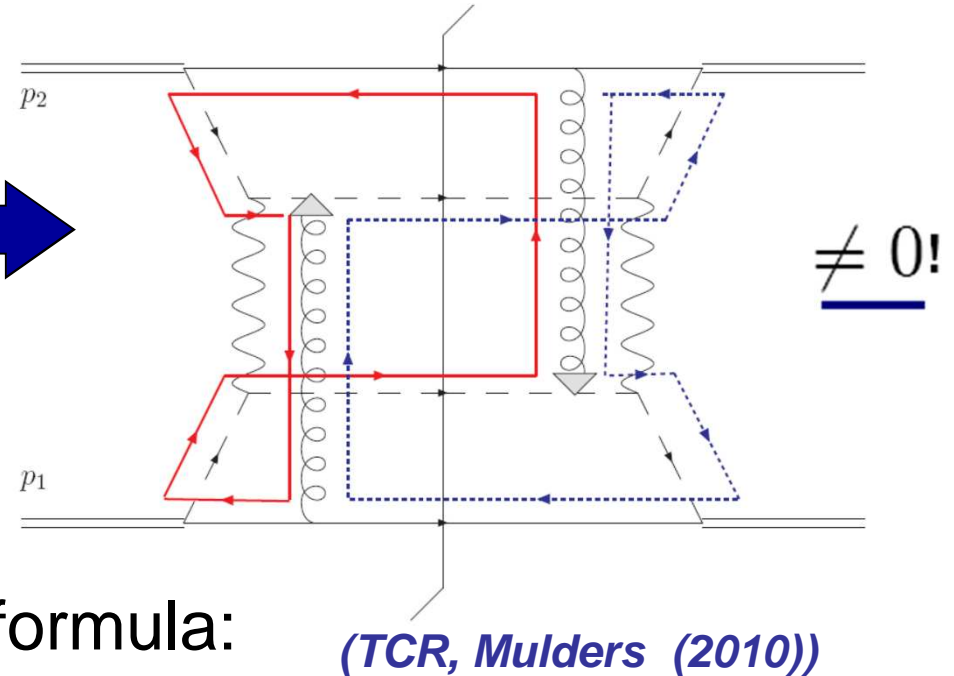
$$d\sigma \sim \mathcal{H} \otimes \Phi_{P_1}^{[+(\square)]}(x_1, k_{1T}) \otimes \Phi_{P_2}^{[+(\square)]}(x_2, k_{2T}) \otimes \dots$$

# Generalized TMD-factorization breaking:

- Gluons have color.

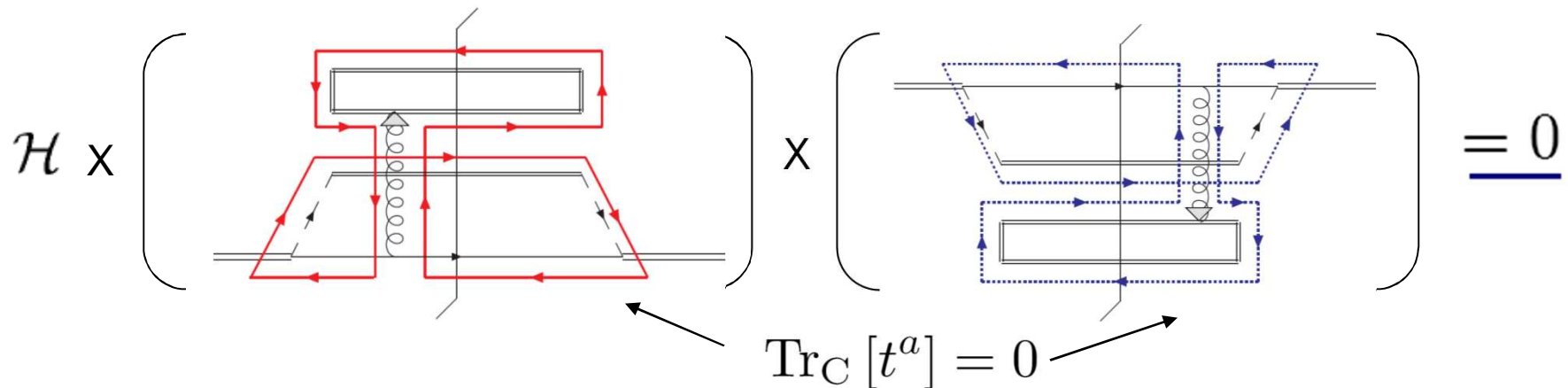
Actual color structure

Color Entanglement



- “generalized” factorization formula:

*(TCR, Mulders (2010))*



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***TMD PDF is not just non-universal,  
it is ill-defined at the operator level!***

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## Generalized Parton Model

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## Evolved Cross Section:

- Typical appearance of Collins-Soper-Sterman implementation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\sigma \sim & \int d^2\mathbf{b} e^{-i\mathbf{b}\cdot\mathbf{q}_T} && \text{\textit{\underline{(Contrast with GPM picture.)}}} \\
 & \times \int_{x_1}^1 \frac{d\hat{x}_1}{\hat{x}_1} \tilde{C}_{f/j}(x_1/\hat{x}_1, b_*; \mu_b^2, \mu_b, g(\mu_b)) f_{j/P_1}(\hat{x}_1, \mu_b) \\
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 & \times \exp \left[ \int_{1/b^2}^{Q^2} \frac{d\mu'^2}{\mu'^2} \left\{ \mathcal{A}(\alpha_s(\mu')) \ln \frac{Q^2}{\mu'^2} + \mathcal{B}(\alpha_s(\mu')) \right\} \right] \\
 & \times \exp \left[ -g_k(b) \ln \frac{Q^2}{Q_0^2} - g_1(x_1, b) - g_2(x_2, b) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

**Definition given in  
CSS derivation, but hard  
to indentify what should appear in tables.**

**+ Large  $q_T$  term**



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- **Full TMD formalism, including evolution.**

*(New Collins Definitions)*

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**Large Transverse Momentum Correction**

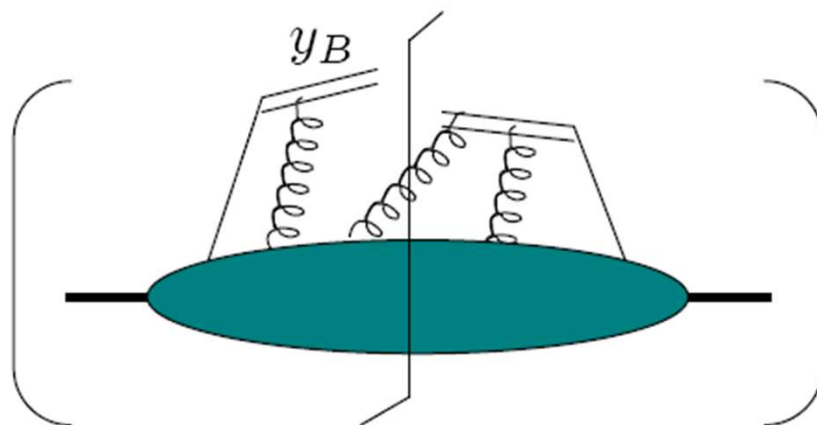
**Process dependence in hard part**

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## *More on Definitions*

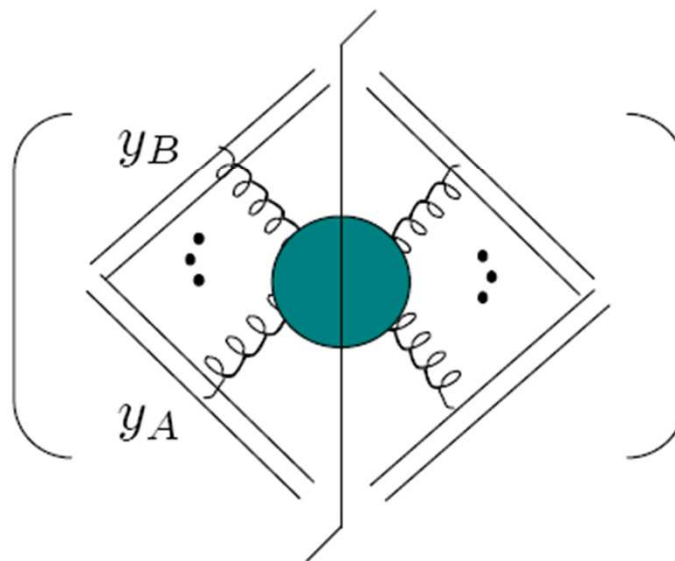
- “Unsubtracted” TMD PDF:

$$\tilde{F}_{f/P}^{\text{unsub}}(x, \mathbf{b}; \mu; y_P - y_B) \sim \text{F.T.}$$



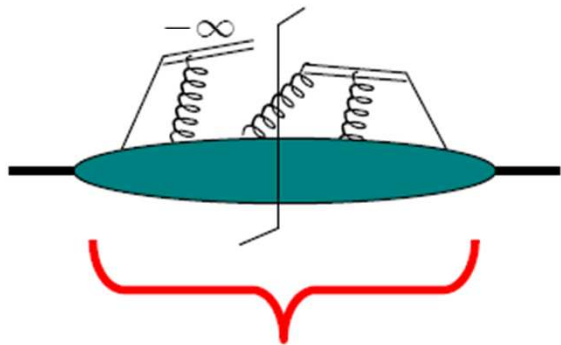
- Soft Factor:

$$\tilde{S}(\mathbf{b}; y_A, y_B) \sim \text{F.T.}$$

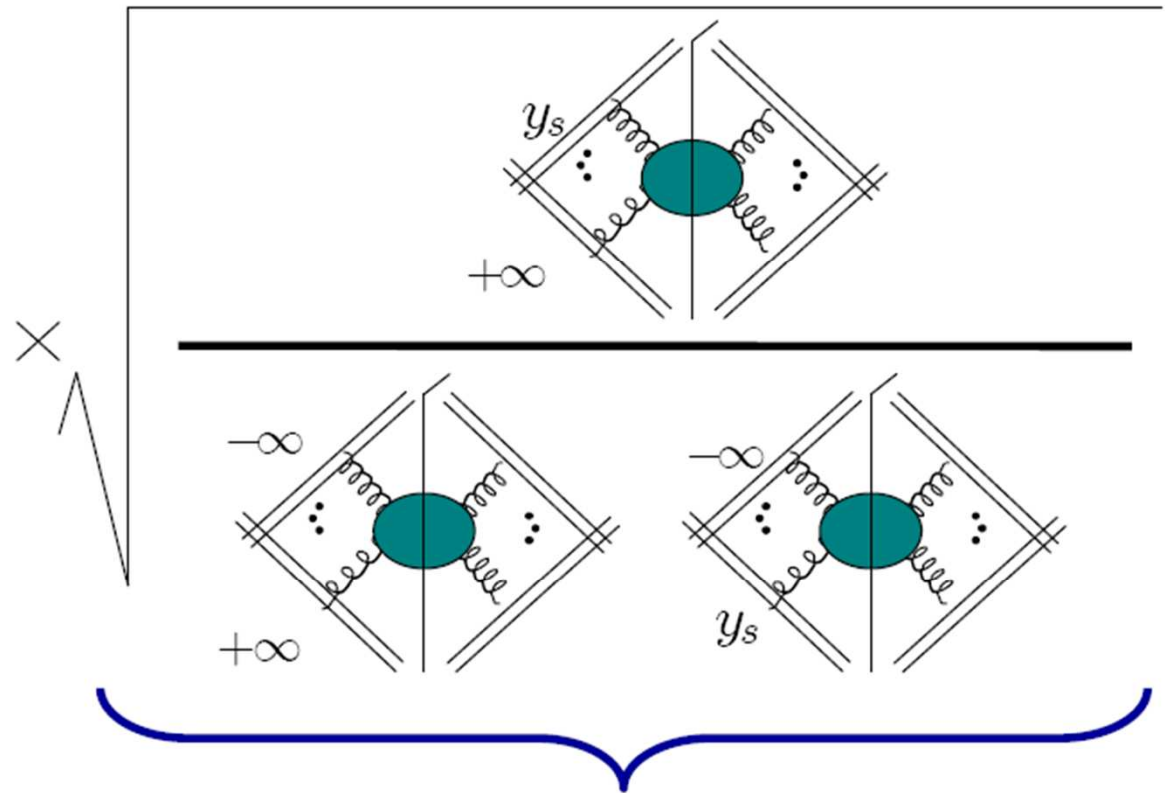


# TMD PDF, Complete Definition:

$$F_{f/P}(x, b; \mu; \zeta_F) =$$



“Unsubtracted”



Implements Subtractions/Cancellations

From *Foundations of Perturbative QCD*, J.C. Collins,  
(See also, Collins, TMD 2010 Trento Workshop)

## Current Strategy:

- Use evolution to combine existing fits into unified/global fits that include evolution.

*(S.M. Aybat, TCR (2011))*

– PDFs:

- Start with DY:

*(Landry et al, (2003); Konychev, Nadolsky (2006)) (BLNY)*

- Modify to match to SIDIS:

*(Schweitzer, Teckentrup, Metz (2010)) (STM)*

- Can supply explicit, evolved TMD PDF fit.



# Evolution

- Collins-Soper Equation:

$$- \frac{\partial \ln \tilde{F}(x, b_T, \mu, \zeta)}{\partial \ln \sqrt{\zeta}} = \tilde{K}(b_T; \mu)$$

*Perturbatively  
calculable from  
definition at small b.*

$$\tilde{K}(b_T; \mu) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial y_n} \ln \frac{\tilde{S}(b_T; y_n, -\infty)}{\tilde{S}(b_T; +\infty, y_n)}$$

- RG:

$$- \frac{d\tilde{K}}{d \ln \mu} = -\gamma_K(g(\mu))$$

$$- \frac{d \ln \tilde{F}(x, b_T; \mu, \zeta)}{d \ln \mu} = -\gamma_F(g(\mu); \zeta/\mu^2)$$

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# Implementing Evolution

- After evolution:

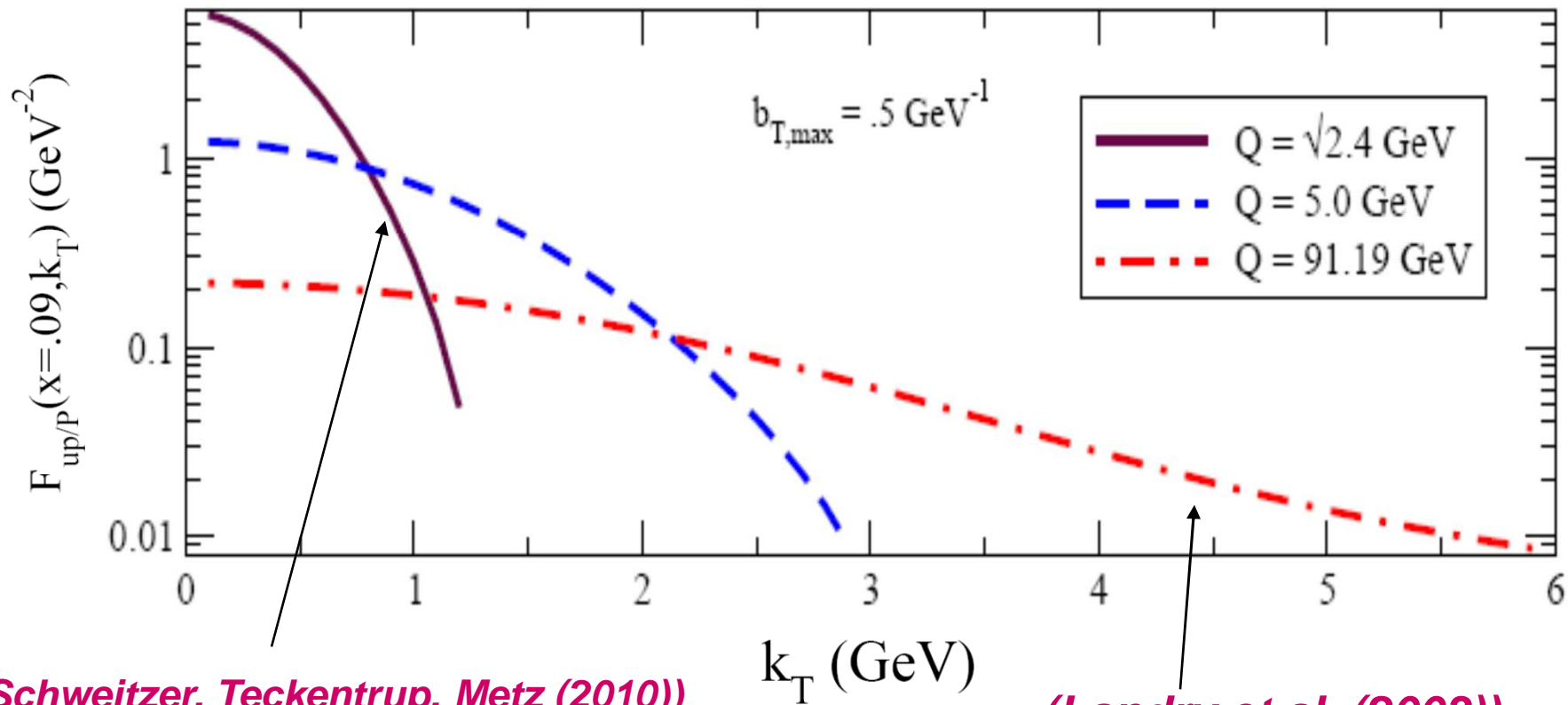
$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{F}_{f/H}(x, b_T, \mu, \zeta) &= \sum_j \int_x^1 \frac{d\hat{x}}{\hat{x}} \tilde{C}_{f/j}(x/\hat{x}, b_*; \mu_b, g(\mu_b)) f_{j/H}(x, \mu_b) \times \left. \vphantom{\sum_j} \right\} \text{A} \\
 &\times \exp \left\{ \ln \frac{\sqrt{\zeta}}{\mu_b} \tilde{K}(b_*; \mu_b) + \int_{\mu_b}^{\mu} \frac{d\mu'}{\mu'} \left[ \gamma_F(g(\mu'); 1) - \ln \frac{\sqrt{\zeta}}{\mu'} \gamma_K(g(\mu')) \right] \right\} \times \left. \vphantom{\exp} \right\} \text{B} \\
 &\times \exp \left\{ g_{j/H}(x, b_T) + g_K(b_T) \ln \frac{\sqrt{\zeta}}{Q_0} \right\} \left. \vphantom{\exp} \right\} \text{C}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$b_*(b_T) \equiv \frac{b_T}{\sqrt{1 + b_T^2/b_{max}^2}} \quad \mu_b(b_T) \sim 1/b_*$$

**CSS matching procedure**

# Evolving TMD PDFs

Up Quark TMD PDF,  $x = .09$

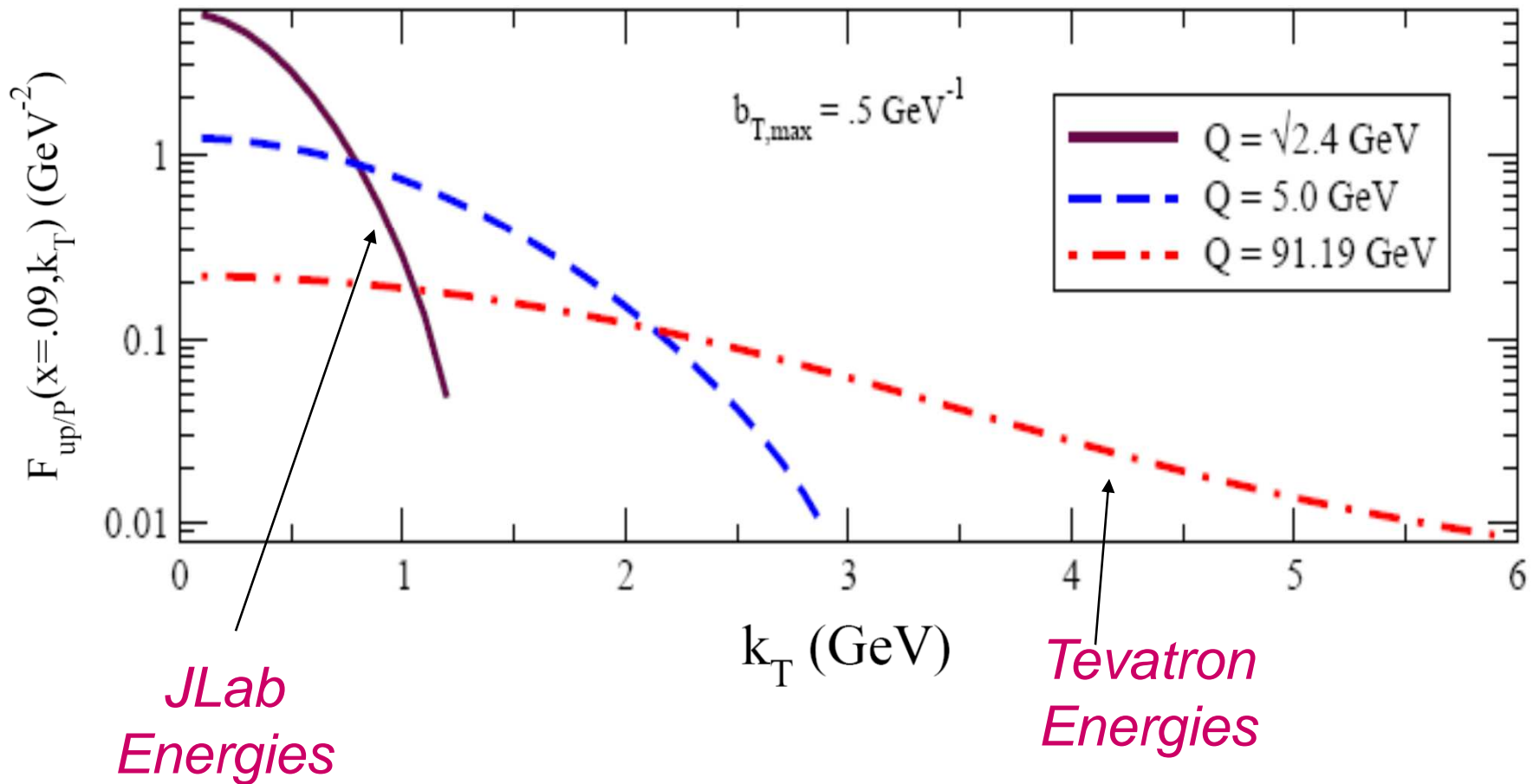


(Schweitzer, Teckentrup, Metz (2010))  
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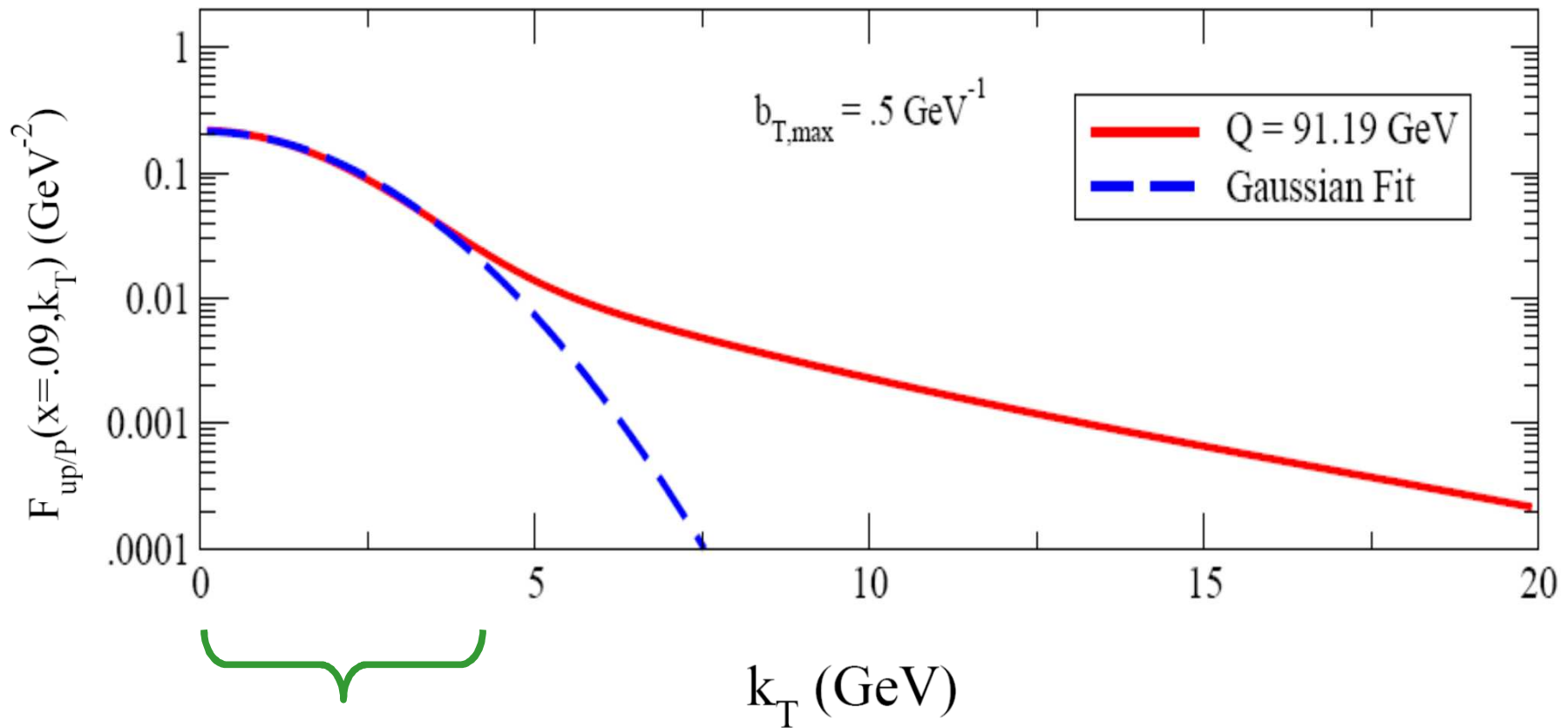
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# Evolving TMD PDFs

Up Quark TMD PDF,  $x = .09$ ,  $Q = 91.19$  GeV




Gaussian fit good at small  $k_T$ .

## Unambiguous Hard Part

- Higher orders follow systematically from definitions:

$$W^{\mu\nu} = |\mathcal{H}_f(Q; \mu/Q)^2|^{\mu\nu} F_{f/P_1} \otimes F_{f/P_2}$$


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*Space-like photon!*

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- SIDIS

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## *Long-Term Goal:*

- Repository of improved TMD fits with evolution.

<https://projects.hepforge.org/tmd/>

- Based on well-understood operator definitions.

*(Collins Definitions)*

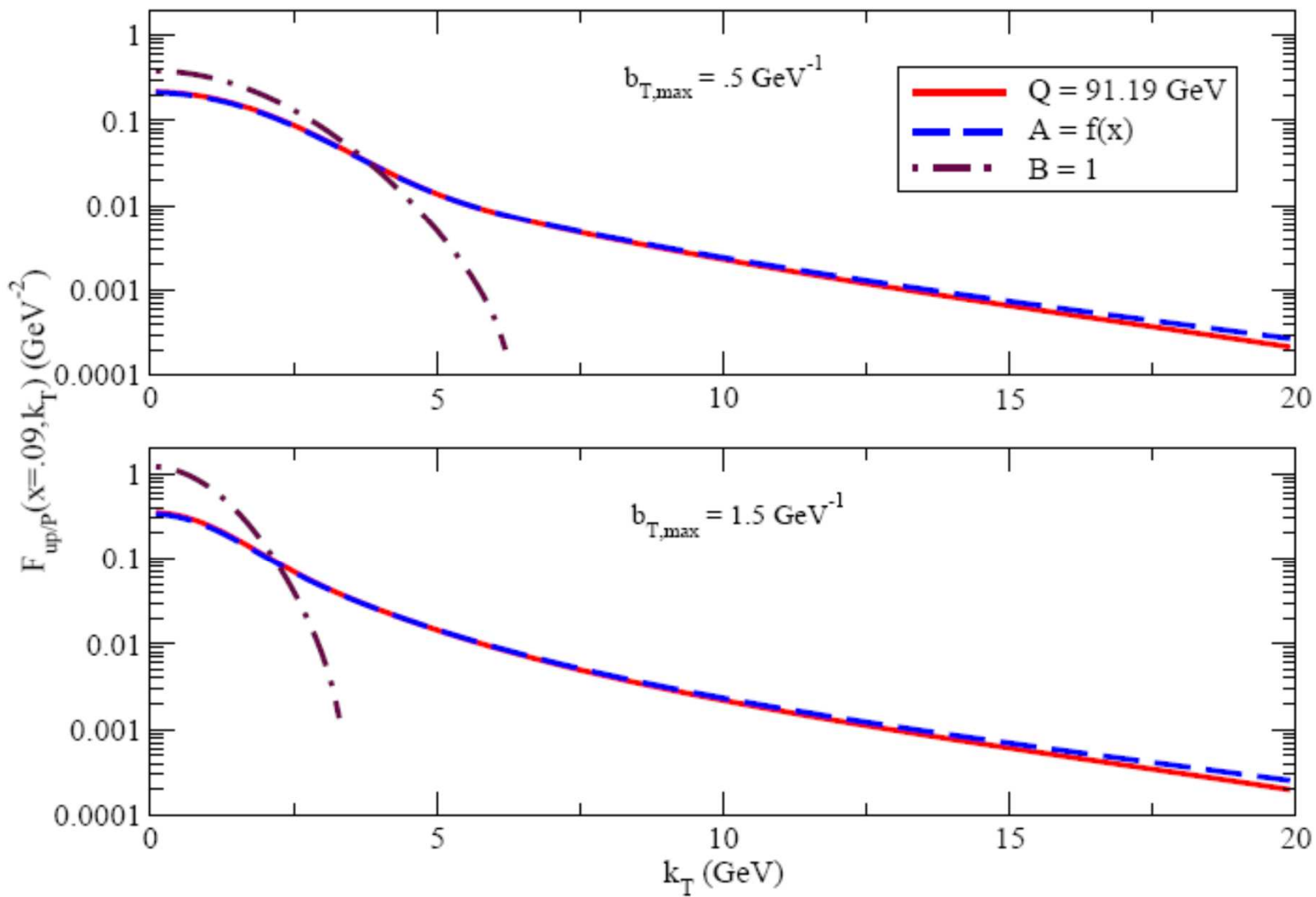
## Agenda:

- Extend to higher orders, calculate all Y-terms.  
Large/small  $b_T$  matching.  
Improved global fits including DY, SIDIS  $e+e^-$  annihilation...  
*(In progress...)*
- Extend to polarization dependent functions (Sivers, Boer-Mulders, etc...). *(In progress...)*
- TMD gluon distribution.  
*(Higgs...)*
- Factorization breaking??

*Thanks!*

# *Backup Slides*

Up Quark TMD PDF,  $x = .09$ ,  $Q = 91.19$  GeV



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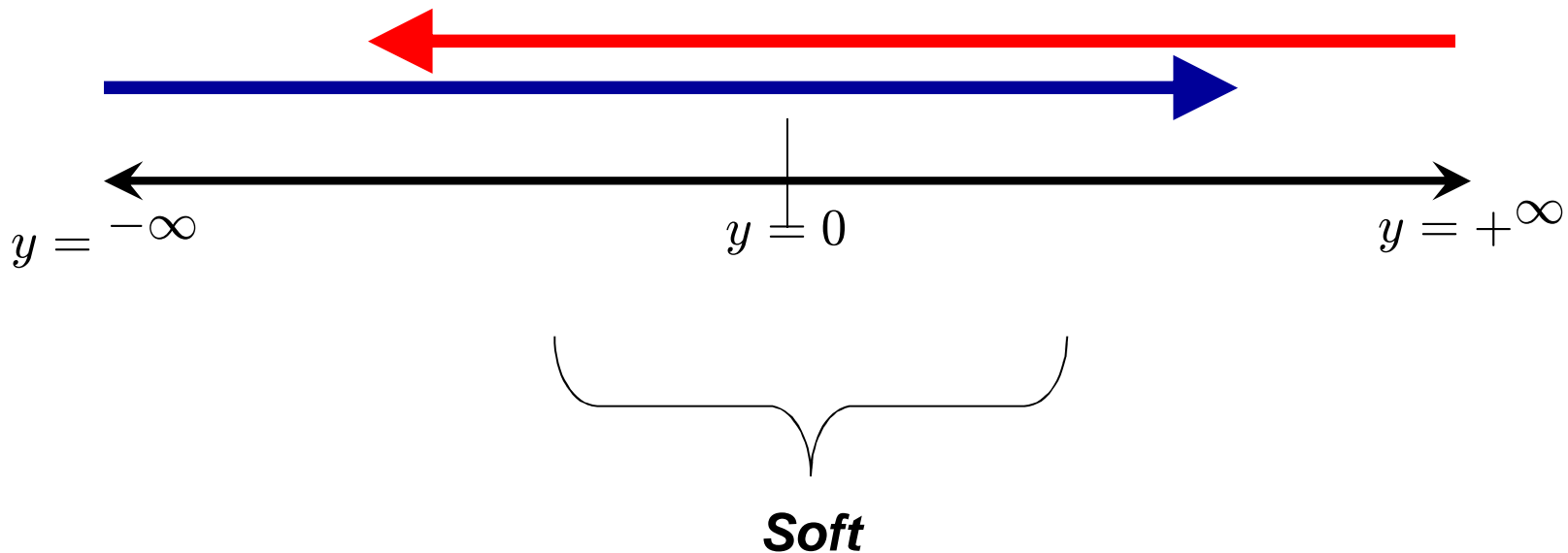


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- Separate soft part:

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*Separately  
Well-defined*

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