

# Useful relations and sum rules for PDFs and multiparton distribution functions of spin-1 hadrons

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# Spin parameters for spin-1 hadrons

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- Vector polarization  $S$  (3 parameters): same as the case of proton
- Tensor polarization  $T$  (5 Parameters): unique, investigated in this talk

$$T^{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{4}{3} S_{LL} \frac{(P^+)^2}{M^2} \bar{n}^\mu \bar{n}^\nu - \frac{2}{3} S_{LL} (\bar{n}^{\{\mu} n^{\nu\}} - g_T^{\mu\nu}) + \frac{1}{3} S_{LL} \frac{M^2}{(P^+)^2} n^\mu n^\nu \right. \\ \left. + \frac{P^+}{M} \bar{n}^{\{\mu} S_{LT}^{\nu\}} - \frac{M}{2P^+} n^{\{\mu} S_{LT}^{\nu\}} + S_{TT}^{\mu\nu} \right],$$

$$n^\mu = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1, 0, 0, -1), \quad \bar{n}^\mu = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1, 0, 0, 1)$$

# Tensor-polarized PDFs of spin-1 hadrons

$$\Phi(x, P, T) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ S_{LL} \not{n} f_{1LL}(x) + \frac{M}{P^+} S_{LL} e_{LL}(x) + \frac{M}{P^+} S_{LT} f_{LT}(x) + \frac{M^2}{(P^+)^2} S_{LL} \not{n} f_{3LL}(x) \right]$$

Twist-2

Twist-3

Twist-4

similar as  $g_1$  in proton

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Can we derive similar relations as the proton case?

- 1) Decomposition of  $g_T$
- 2) Wandzura-Wilczek (WW) relation
- 3) Burkhardt-Cottingham (BC) sum rule

# QCD operator expansion

Fock-Schwinger gauge is used for gluon field.

$$x_\mu A^\mu(x) = 0$$

Gluon field can be expressed as

$$A^\nu(\xi) = \int_0^1 dt t \xi_\mu G^{\mu\nu}(t\xi)$$

$$G^{\mu\nu} = \partial^\mu A^\nu - \partial^\nu A^\mu - ig [A^\mu, A^\nu]$$

If move to the light-cone limit of  $x$ , light-cone gauge is obtained.

$$A^+ = 0$$

# QCD operator expansion

Try to reexpress the twist-3 operator:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) (\vec{\partial}^\mu \gamma^\alpha - \vec{\partial}^\alpha \gamma^\mu) \psi(\xi) = g \int_0^1 dt \bar{\psi}(0) \left[ i(t - \frac{1}{2}) G^{\alpha\mu}(t\xi) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma_5 \tilde{G}^{\alpha\mu}(t\xi) \right] \xi_\mu \not{\xi} \psi(\xi) \longrightarrow \text{quark-gluon-quark terms} \\
 & + \frac{g}{2} \int_0^1 dt \bar{\psi}(0) \left[ \xi_\mu \xi^\alpha \tilde{G}^{\mu\sigma}(t\xi) - \xi^2 \tilde{G}^{\alpha\sigma}(t\xi) \right] \gamma_\sigma \gamma_5 \psi(\xi) \longrightarrow \text{twist-4 terms} \\
 & - \frac{i}{2} \xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) \sigma^{\alpha\mu} (\overrightarrow{D} - m_q) \psi(\xi) - \frac{i}{2} \xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) (\overleftarrow{D} + m_q) \sigma^{\alpha\mu} \psi(\xi) + \frac{i}{2} \xi_\mu \bar{\partial}_\rho \{ \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^\rho \sigma^{\alpha\mu} \psi(\xi) \} \\
 & \underbrace{\hspace{15em}}_{\text{Equation of motion term}} \qquad \qquad \qquad \searrow \text{Total derivative term}
 \end{aligned}$$

The coordinate is not necessary light cone

Compare with the case for  $g_1$  and  $g_T$  in proton:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) (\partial^\mu \gamma^\sigma - \partial^\sigma \gamma^\mu) \gamma_5 \psi(\xi) \\
 & \xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) (\partial^\mu \gamma^\sigma - \partial^\sigma \gamma^\mu) \gamma_5 \psi(\xi) = g \int_0^1 dt \bar{\psi}(0) \left\{ i\gamma_5 \left( t - \frac{1}{2} \right) G^{\sigma\rho}(t\xi) - \frac{1}{2} \tilde{G}^{\sigma\rho}(t\xi) \right\} \xi_\rho \not{\xi} \psi(\xi) \\
 & \quad + 2m_q \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma_5 \sigma^{\sigma\rho} \xi_\rho \psi(\xi) \\
 & \quad + \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma_5 \sigma^{\sigma\rho} \xi_\rho (i\overrightarrow{D} - m_q) \psi(\xi) - \bar{\psi}(0) (i\overleftarrow{D} + m_q) \gamma_5 \sigma^{\sigma\rho} \xi_\rho \psi(\xi)
 \end{aligned}$$

We shall have a similar expression, one more term which is proportional to quark mass  $m_q$

See the papers

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## Twist-3 level operator relation

$$\xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) (\partial^\mu \gamma^\alpha - \partial^\alpha \gamma^\mu) \psi(\xi) = g \int_0^1 dt \bar{\psi}(0) \left[ i \left( t - \frac{1}{2} \right) G^{\alpha\mu}(t\xi) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma_5 \tilde{G}^{\alpha\mu}(t\xi) \right] \xi_\mu \not{\xi} \psi(\xi)$$

Try to calculate the matrix elements of the above relation, express them with parton distributions.

Left side:  $\xi_\mu \bar{\psi}(0) (\partial^\mu \gamma^\alpha - \partial^\alpha \gamma^\mu) \psi(\xi)$



First calculate the derivatives, then take the light-cone limit.

PDFs definitions in spin-1 hadrons

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle P, T | \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^\mu \psi(\xi) | P, T \rangle_{\xi^+=0, \vec{\xi}_T=0} \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{-ixP^+ \xi^-} 2P^+ \left[ S_{LL} \bar{n}^\mu f_{1LL}(x) + \frac{M}{P^+} S_{LT}^\mu f_{LT}(x) + \frac{M^2}{(P^+)^2} S_{LL} n^\mu f_{3LL}(x) \right] \end{aligned}$$

## PDFs definitions at twist 3 with an arbitrary vector of $\xi$

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle P, T | \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^\mu \psi(\xi) | P, T \rangle \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{-ixP \cdot \xi} [ \xi \cdot T \cdot \xi \{ A(x) P^\mu + B(x) \xi^\mu \} + C(x) T^{\mu\nu} \xi_\nu ] \end{aligned}$$

$$A(x) = \frac{3 M^2}{(P \cdot \xi)^2} \left[ f_{1LL}(x) - \frac{4}{3} f_{LT}(x) \right], \quad B(x) = \frac{3 M^4}{2(P \cdot \xi)^3} \left[ -f_{1LL}(x) + \frac{8}{3} f_{LT}(x) \right]$$

$$C(x) = \frac{4 M^2}{P \cdot \xi} f_{LT}(x),$$

Minus x indicates the antiquark distribution.

Substitute the above relation into the matrix element of left side:

$$\begin{aligned} & \xi_\mu \langle P, T | \bar{\psi}(0) (\partial^\mu \gamma^\alpha - \partial^\alpha \gamma^\mu) \psi(\xi) | P, T \rangle \\ &= 2M S_{LT}^\alpha \int_{-1}^1 dx e^{-ixP^+ \xi^-} \left[ -\frac{3}{2} f_{1LL}(x) + f_{LT}(x) - \frac{d}{dx} \{ x f_{LT}(x) \} \right] \quad \text{---} \rightarrow \quad S_{LT} \text{ polarization} \end{aligned}$$





# Quark-gluon-quark distributions

$$S_{LT}^\nu F_{G,LT}(x_1, x_2) = -\frac{i}{2M} g \int \frac{d\xi_1^-}{2\pi} \frac{d\xi_2^-}{2\pi} e^{ix_1 P^+ \xi_1^-} e^{i(x_2-x_1)P^+ \xi_2^-} \\ \times \langle P, T \mid \bar{\psi}(0) \not{n}_\mu G^{\mu\nu}(\xi_2^-) \psi(\xi_1^-) \mid P, T \rangle$$

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Substitute the above relation into the matrix element of right side:

$$\int \frac{d(P \cdot \xi)}{2\pi} e^{ix_1 P \cdot \xi} \langle P, T \mid g \int_0^1 dt \bar{\psi}(0) \left[ i \left( t - \frac{1}{2} \right) G^{\alpha\mu}(t\xi) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma_5 \tilde{G}^{\alpha\mu}(t\xi) \right] \xi_\mu \not{\xi} \psi(\xi) \mid P, T \rangle_{\xi^+ = \xi_T^- = 0} \\ = -2M S_{LT}^\nu \mathcal{P} \int_{-1}^1 dx_2 \frac{1}{x_1 - x_2} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} \{ F_{G,LT}(x_1, x_2) + G_{G,LT}(x_1, x_2) \} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2} \{ F_{G,LT}(x_2, x_1) + G_{G,LT}(x_2, x_1) \} \right]$$

# Final expression

Combine the results

$$x \frac{df_{LT}(x)}{dx} = -\frac{3}{2} f_{1LL}(x) - f_{LT}^{(HT)}(x)$$

$$f_{LT}^{(HT)}(x) = -\mathcal{P} \int_{-1}^1 dy \frac{1}{x-y} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \{F_{G,LT}(x,y) + G_{G,LT}(x,y)\} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \{F_{G,LT}(y,x) + G_{G,LT}(y,x)\} \right]$$

Twist-2 PDF

Twist-3 quark-gluon-quark distributions

Decomposition of  $f_{LT}$  at twist-3 level

$$f_{LT}(x) = \frac{3}{2} \int_x^{\epsilon(x)} \frac{dy}{y} f_{1LL}(y) + \int_x^{\epsilon(x)} \frac{dy}{y} f_{LT}^{(HT)}(y)$$

Twist-3 PDF

Quark mass term does not exist compared with  $g_T$  in proton

# WW type relation and BC type sum rule in spin-1 hadrons

Introduce the plus function

$$f^+(x) \equiv f(x) + \bar{f}(x) = f(x) - f(-x), \quad f = f_{1LL}, f_{LT}, f_{LT}^{(HT)}, \quad x > 0$$

Then

$$f_{LT}^+(x) = \frac{3}{2} \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} f_{1LL}^+(y) + \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} f_{LT}^{(HT)+}(y)$$

Define the PDF  $f_{2LT}$

$$f_{2LT}(x) \equiv \frac{2}{3} f_{LT}(x) - f_{1LL}(x). \quad \text{---} \rightarrow \quad \text{Similar as } g_2 \text{ in proton}$$

## WW type relation and BC type sum rule in spin-1 hadron

$$f_{2LT}^+(x) = -f_{1LL}^+(x) + \underbrace{\int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} f_{1LL}^+(y)}_{\text{Twist-2 PDF}} + \frac{2}{3} \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} f_{LT}^{(HT)}(y)$$

Twist-2 PDF

→ Twist-3 quark-gluon-quark distributions

If the twist-3 term is neglected, we obtain a relation

$$f_{2LT}^+(x) = -f_{1LL}^+(x) + \int_x^1 \frac{dy}{y} f_{1LL}^+(y)$$

→

Wandzura-Wilczek (WW) type relation in spin-1 hadrons

$$\int_0^1 dx f_{2LT}^+(x) = 0$$

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Burkhardt-Cottingham (BC) type sum rule

# Summary

Relations for higher twist PDFs  
in spin-1 hadrons

Decomposition of  $f_{LT}$  in spin-1 hadrons

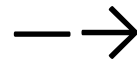
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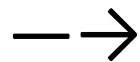
Possible measurements of those quantities can be conducted at **Fermilab**, **JLab** and **NICA**.

Tensor-polarized deuteron target at  
**Fermilab and JLab**



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