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GENERAL HELICITY FORMALISM FOR TWO-HADRON PRODUCTION IN e^+e^- collisions and the Λ **POLARIZING FRAGMENTATION** FUNCTION

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$\Box e^+e^- \rightarrow h_1 h_2 + X$: theory

- ✓ TMD helicity formalism & FFs for Spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ hadrons
- Transverse Λ polarization

Phenomenology

- Fit of Belle data and extraction of the polarizing FF
- ✓ Predictions for SIDIS@EIC
- Concluding remarks



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- $e^+e^- \rightarrow h_1(P_1)$ jet X
 - TMD factorization, role of soft factors, universality Kang, Shao, Zhao 2020 Boglione, Simonelli 2021 – Gamberg, Kang, Shao, Terry, Zhao 2021
 - ✓ access to the intrinsic transverse momentum within a simplified TMD model (see also Anselmino, Kishore, Mukherjee 2019)
 - Improved TMD analysis UD, Gamberg, Murgia, Zaccheddu 2021 [talk by M. Zaccheddu]



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$$\int_{\lambda_{h_1},\lambda'_h}^{h_1,S_1} \rho_{\lambda_{h_2},\lambda'_{h_2}}^{h_2,S_2} \frac{d\sigma^{e^+e^- \rightarrow h_1h_2X}}{d\cos\theta dz_1 d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp 1} dz_2 d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp 2}}$$

$$= \sum_{q_c,\bar{q}_d} \sum_{\{\lambda\}} \frac{1}{32\pi s} \frac{1}{4} \hat{M}_{\lambda_c \lambda_d,\lambda_a \lambda_b} \hat{M}^*_{\lambda'_c \lambda'_d,\lambda_a \lambda_b} \hat{D}^{\lambda_{h_1},\lambda'_{h_1}}_{\lambda_c,\lambda'_c}(z_1, \mathbf{p}_{\perp 1}) \hat{D}^{\lambda_{h_2},\lambda'_{h_2}}_{\lambda_d,\lambda'_d}(z_2, \mathbf{p}_{\perp 2})$$







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$$\rho_{\lambda_{h_{1}},\lambda_{h_{1}}'}^{h_{1},S_{1}}\rho_{\lambda_{h_{2}},\lambda_{h_{2}}'}^{h_{2},S_{2}}\frac{d\sigma^{e^{+}e^{-}\rightarrow h_{1}h_{2}X}}{d\cos\theta dz_{1}d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1}dz_{2}d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 2}}$$

$$=\sum_{q_{c},\bar{q}_{d}}\sum_{\{\lambda\}}\frac{1}{32\pi s}\frac{1}{4}\hat{M}_{\lambda_{c}\lambda_{d},\lambda_{a}\lambda_{b}}\hat{M}_{\lambda_{c}'\lambda_{d}',\lambda_{a}\lambda_{b}}^{*}\hat{D}_{\lambda_{c},\lambda_{c}'}^{\lambda_{h_{1}},\lambda_{h_{1}}'}(z_{1},\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1})\hat{D}_{\lambda_{d},\lambda_{d}'}^{\lambda_{h_{2}},\lambda_{h_{2}}'}(z_{2},\mathbf{p}_{\perp 2})$$
Scaling variables
$$z_{p}=2|\mathbf{P}_{h}|/\sqrt{s}\quad z_{h}=2E_{h}/\sqrt{s}$$
quark/antiquark momenta
$$q_{2}\simeq\left(\frac{\sqrt{s}}{2},-\frac{p_{\perp 2}}{z_{p_{2}}}\cos\varphi_{2},-\frac{p_{\perp 2}}{z_{p_{2}}}\sin\varphi_{2},-\frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}\right)$$
Hadron frame
$$q_{1}=-\mathbf{q}_{2}$$



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$$\begin{split} \rho_{\lambda_{h_{1}},\lambda_{h_{1}}}^{h_{1},S_{1}}\rho_{\lambda_{h_{2}},\lambda_{h_{2}}}^{h_{2},S_{2}} \frac{d\sigma^{e^{+}e^{-} \rightarrow h_{1}h_{2}X}}{d\cos\theta dz_{1}d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1}dz_{2}d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 2}} \\ = \sum_{q_{c},\bar{q}_{d}}\sum_{\{\lambda\}} \frac{1}{32\pi s} \frac{1}{4}\hat{M}_{\lambda_{c}\lambda_{d},\lambda_{a}\lambda_{b}}\hat{M}_{\lambda_{c}'\lambda_{d}',\lambda_{a}\lambda_{b}}^{*}\hat{D}_{\lambda_{c},\lambda_{c}'}^{\lambda_{h_{1}},\lambda_{h_{1}}'}(z_{1},\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1})\hat{D}_{\lambda_{d},\lambda_{d}'}^{\lambda_{h_{2}},\lambda_{h_{2}}'}(z_{2},\mathbf{p}_{\perp 2}) \\ \mathbf{Scaling variables} \\ z_{p} = 2|\mathbf{P}_{h}|/\sqrt{s} \quad z_{h} = 2E_{h}/\sqrt{s} \\ \mathbf{q}_{uark/antiquark momenta} \\ q_{2} \simeq \left(\frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}, -\frac{p_{\perp 2}}{z_{p_{2}}}\cos\varphi_{2}, -\frac{p_{\perp 2}}{z_{p_{2}}}\sin\varphi_{2}, -\frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}\right) \\ \mathbf{d}_{c}\sigma^{e^{+}e^{-} \rightarrow h_{1}(S_{1})h_{2}(S_{2})X} \\ \mathbf{d}_{c}\sigma\theta dz_{1}dz_{2}d^{2}\mathbf{P}_{1T}} = \int d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 2} d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1} \delta^{2}(\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1} - \mathbf{P}_{1} + \mathbf{p}_{\perp 2} z_{p_{1}}/z_{p_{2}}) \frac{d\sigma^{e^{+}e^{-} \rightarrow h_{1}(S_{1})h_{2}(S_{2})X}}{d\cos\theta dz_{1}d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 1}dz_{2}d^{2}\mathbf{p}_{\perp 2}} \end{split}$$



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$$\mathbf{P}^{h} = (P_{T}^{h} \cos \phi_{h}, P_{T}^{h} \sin \phi_{h}, P_{Z}^{h})$$

polarization components in the hadron helicity frame

Hadron helicity
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$$\hat{D}_{h/q,s_T} = \hat{D}_{h/q}(z, p_{\perp}) + \frac{1}{2} \Delta \hat{D}_{h/s_T}(z, \mathbf{p}_{\perp})$$
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$$\begin{split} \rho_{\lambda_{h},\lambda_{h}'}^{h,S_{h}}\hat{D}_{h/q,s_{q}}(z,\mathbf{p}_{\perp}) &= \sum_{\lambda_{q},\lambda_{q}'} \rho_{\lambda_{q},\lambda_{q}'}^{q} \left(\begin{array}{c} \lambda_{h},\lambda_{h}'\\ \lambda_{q},\lambda_{q}' \end{array} \right) \\ \begin{array}{c} D_{++}^{++}, D_{-+}^{++}, D_{++}^{++}, D_{++}^{+-}, D_{-+}^{++}\\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{p}_{++}^{++}, D_{-+}^{++}, D_{++}^{++}, D_{++}^{++}, D_{-+}^{++}\\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{p}_{++}^{++}, D_{-+}^{++}, D_{++}^{++}, D_{++}^{++}, D_{-+}^{++}\\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{p}_{+}^{h,q,s_{q}} &= (D_{++}^{++} + D_{-+}^{++}) + 2P_{T}^{q} \mathrm{Im} D_{++}^{++} \sin (\phi_{s_{q}} - \phi_{h})\\ P_{Z}^{h} \hat{D}_{h/q,s_{q}} &= P_{L}^{q} (D_{++}^{++} - D_{-+}^{++}) + 2P_{T}^{q} \mathrm{Re} D_{++}^{++} \cos (\phi_{s_{q}} - \phi_{h})\\ P_{X}^{h} \hat{D}_{h/q,s_{q}} &= 2P_{L}^{q} \mathrm{Re} D_{++}^{++} + P_{T}^{q} (D_{+-}^{+-} + D_{-+}^{+-}) \cos (\phi_{s_{q}} - \phi_{h})\\ P_{Y}^{h} \hat{D}_{h/q,s_{q}} &= -2 \mathrm{Im} D_{++}^{+-} + P_{T}^{q} (D_{+-}^{+-} - D_{-+}^{+-}) \sin (\phi_{s_{q}} - \phi_{h}) \\ \end{array} \\ \end{split}$$





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OBSERVABLES (EXAMPLES)

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$$\cos\phi_{h_{1}} \simeq \frac{P_{1T}}{p_{\perp 1}} \cos(\phi_{1} - \varphi_{2}) - \frac{z_{p_{1}}}{z_{p_{2}}} \frac{p_{\perp 2}}{p_{\perp 1}} \sin\phi_{h_{1}} = \frac{P_{1T}}{p_{\perp 1}} \sin(\phi_{1} - \varphi_{2})$$



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TENSORIAL ANALYSIS

 ϕ_1 dependence – S_i scalar functions

$$\begin{aligned} T^{i} &= \frac{1}{P_{1T}} \int d^{2} \mathbf{p}_{\perp 2} \, p_{\perp 2}^{i} \, \Delta D^{h_{1}}(z_{1}, p_{\perp 1}) \, \Delta D^{h_{2}}(z_{2}, p_{\perp 2}) \\ T^{ij} &= \frac{1}{P_{1T}^{2}} \int d^{2} \mathbf{p}_{\perp 2} \, p_{\perp 2}^{i} \, p_{\perp 2}^{j} \, \Delta D^{h_{1}}(z_{1}, p_{\perp 1}) \, \Delta D^{h_{2}}(z_{2}, p_{\perp 2}) \\ T^{ij} &= \frac{P_{1T}^{i}}{P_{1T}^{2}} \int d^{2} \mathbf{p}_{\perp 2} \, p_{\perp 2}^{i} \, p_{\perp 2}^{j} \, \Delta D^{h_{1}}(z_{1}, p_{\perp 1}) \, \Delta D^{h_{2}}(z_{2}, p_{\perp 2}) \\ T^{ij} &= \frac{P_{1T}^{i}}{P_{1T}^{2}} S_{2}(P_{1T}) + \delta^{ij} \, S_{3}(P_{1T}) \end{aligned}$$



STRUCTURE FUNCTIONS (EXAMPLES)

$$\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Unpol.}\\ \textbf{cross section} \end{array} \quad \frac{d\sigma^{e^+e^- \to h_1 h_2 X}}{d\cos\theta dz_1 dz_2 d^2 \mathbf{P}_{1T}} = \frac{3\pi\alpha^2}{2s} \bigg\{ \big(1 + \cos^2\theta\big) F_{UU} + \sin^2\theta \cos(2\phi_1) F_{UU}^{\cos(2\phi_1)} \bigg\} \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} &\cos(2\phi_{1}) F_{UU}^{\cos(2\phi_{1})} & \text{Tensorial analysis} \\ &= \sum_{q} e_{q}^{2} \int d^{2} \boldsymbol{p}_{\perp 2} \frac{1}{4} \Big[\frac{P_{1T}}{p_{\perp 1}} \cos(\phi_{1} + \varphi_{2}) - \frac{z_{p_{1}}}{z_{p_{2}}} \frac{p_{\perp 2}}{p_{\perp 1}} \cos(2\varphi_{2}) \Big] \Delta^{N} D_{h_{1}/q^{\uparrow}} \Delta^{N} D_{h_{2}/\bar{q}^{\uparrow}} \\ &= \cos(2\phi_{1}) \mathcal{C} \Big[\frac{1}{4} \Big\{ \frac{P_{1T}}{p_{\perp 1}} \hat{\boldsymbol{p}}_{\perp 2} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{P}}_{1T} - \frac{z_{p_{1}}}{z_{p_{2}}} \frac{p_{\perp 2}}{p_{\perp 1}} \Big[2 \big(\hat{\boldsymbol{p}}_{\perp 2} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{P}}_{1T} \big)^{2} - 1 \Big] \Big\} \Delta^{N} D_{h_{1}/q^{\uparrow}} \Delta^{N} D_{h_{2}/\bar{q}^{\uparrow}} \Big] \\ &= \cos(2\phi_{1}) \mathcal{C} \Big[\Big\{ \frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp 2} \cdot \boldsymbol{P}_{1T}}{z_{1}z_{2}} - \Big[2 \Big(\frac{\boldsymbol{p}_{\perp 2} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{P}}_{1T}}{z_{2}} \Big)^{2} - \frac{p_{\perp 2}^{2}}{z_{2}^{2}} \Big] \Big\} \frac{H_{1}^{\perp} \bar{H}_{1}^{\perp}}{M_{h_{1}} M_{h_{2}}} \Big], & \text{Access to} \\ &\text{the Collins function} \end{aligned}$$

in agreement with Boer, Jakob, Mulders 1997 - Pitonyak, Schlegel, Metz 2014

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$$\mathbf{P}_{T}^{h_{1}} = P_{X}^{h_{1}} \,\hat{\mathbf{X}}_{h_{1}} + P_{Y}^{h_{1}} \,\hat{\mathbf{Y}}_{h_{1}} = P_{x_{L}}^{h_{1}} \,\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{L} + P_{y_{L}}^{h_{1}} \,\hat{\mathbf{y}}_{L} = P_{T}^{h_{1}} (\cos \phi_{S_{1}}^{L} \,\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{L} + \sin \phi_{S_{1}}^{L} \,\hat{\mathbf{y}}_{L})$$

From the helicity to the lab frame

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Projection along the normal to the hadron plane [lab frame] (phenom.)

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{n}} \equiv (\cos \phi_n, \sin \phi_n, 0) = \frac{-\boldsymbol{P}_2 \times \boldsymbol{P}_1}{|\boldsymbol{P}_2 \times \boldsymbol{P}_1|} = -\sin \phi_1 \hat{\boldsymbol{x}}_L + \cos \phi_1 \hat{\boldsymbol{y}}_L, \qquad \boldsymbol{P}_n^{h_1} \equiv \mathbf{P}^{h_1} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} = \mathbf{P}_T^{h_1} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}}$$
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By integrating over \mathbf{P}_{1T} , the $\cos(2\phi_1)$ term is washed out, leaving



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$$P_n^{h_1}(z_1, z_2) = -\frac{F_{TU}^{\sin(\phi_1 - \phi_{S_1}^L)}}{F_{UU}} .$$
Direct access to the polarizing FF



PHENOMENOLOGY

□ First attempt to describe $P_T(\Lambda)$ data in unpolarized hadron-hadron collisions within a phenomenological TMD model *Anselmino, Boer, UD, Murgia 2001*

□ Twist-three approach: Kanazawa, Koike 2001



□ Belle data for $P_T(\Lambda)$ in $e^+e^- \to \Lambda^{\uparrow} h + X$ and $e^+e^- \to \Lambda^{\uparrow}(\text{jet}) + X$

Guan et al. (Belle Coll.) 2019



GAUSSIAN MODEL

$$\begin{split} D_{h/q}(z,p_{\perp}) &= D_{h/q}(z) \, \frac{e^{-p_{\perp}^2/\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle}}{\pi \langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle} & \langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle_{\text{pol}} = \frac{M_{\text{pol}}^2}{M_{\text{pol}}^2 + \langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle} \, \langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle \\ \Delta D_{h^{\uparrow}/q}(z,p_{\perp}) &= \Delta D_{h^{\uparrow}/q}(z) \frac{\sqrt{2e} \, p_{\perp}}{M_{\text{pol}}} \frac{e^{-p_{\perp}^2/\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle_{\text{pol}}}}{\pi \langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle} \end{split}$$

$$\Delta D_{\Lambda^{\uparrow}/q}(z) = N_q z^{a_q} (1-z)^{b_q} \frac{(a_q + b_q)^{(a_q + b_q)}}{a_q^{a_q} b_q^{b_q}} D_{\Lambda/q}(z)$$



FIT OF BELLE DATA

No isospin symmetry constraint

$$N_u = 0.67^{+0.33}_{-0.32} \quad N_d = -0.65^{+0.32}_{-0.35}$$

$$N_s = -1.00^{+0.02}_{-0.00} \quad N_{\text{sea}} = -0.40^{+0.18}_{-0.28}$$

$$a_s = 2.17^{+0.76}_{-0.71}$$

$$b_u = 3.36^{+3.15}_{-2.31} \quad b_{\text{sea}} = 2.14^{+3.06}_{-1.92}$$

$$\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle_{\text{pol}} = 0.056^{+0.026}_{-0.019} \text{ GeV}^2$$

 $\Lambda + \pi/K$ data fit : $\chi^2_{dof} = 1.26$

✓ 8 parameter fit
✓ No TMD evolution
(fixed-scale analysis)

Similar analysis *Callos, Kang, Terry 2020*

isospin symmetry constraint

Chen, Liang, Pan, Song, Wei 2021



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- kaon, some tension (unpol FFs?, parametriz. of polFF?)
- u, d, s AND isospin symmetry $\rightarrow \chi^2 \sim 2$
- u, d, s plus charm w/wo isospin symm. $\rightarrow \chi^2 \sim 1.27$ [& better $\chi^2(K)$]



First moments of the polarizing FF $D_{1T}^{\perp(1)}(z) = \int d^2 \mathbf{p}_{\perp} \frac{p_{\perp}}{2zm_{\perp}} \Delta D_{h^{\uparrow}/q}(z, p_{\perp})$



Full-data (including Λ (jet)) and Λ -had extractions Consistency: central lines and (overlapping) uncertainty bands!!!

 $e^+e^- \rightarrow h_1(P_1)$ jet X within a simplified TMD scheme

 $\mathcal{P}_T(z_1, p_{\perp 1}) = \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 \Delta D_{h_1^{\uparrow}/q}(z_1, p_{\perp 1})}{\sum_q e_q^2 D_{h_1/q}(z_1, p_{\perp 1})}$

orthogonal to the thrust plane



Inclusive Λ production [full-data analysis]



Full-data fit leads to $\chi^2_{
m dof} = 1.94$

- Less good description...but not so bad!
- Theory
 - ✓ Polarization = 0 at p_{\perp} = 0
 - $\checkmark P(\Lambda) = P(\overline{\Lambda})$
- not *clearly* visible in the data
- Reanalysis within TMD factorization [next talk by M. Zaccheddu]



TRANSVERSE A POLARIZATION IN SIDIS

$$P_T(x_{\rm B}, z_h) = \frac{\sqrt{2e\pi}}{2M_p} \frac{\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle_{\rm pol}^2}{\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle_{\rm pol} + \xi_p^2 \langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle}} \times \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 f_{q/p}(x_{\rm B}) \Delta D_{\Lambda^{\uparrow}/q}(z_h)}{\sum_q e_q^2 f_{q/p}(x_{\rm B}) D_{\Lambda/q}(z_h)}$$

Transverse w.r.t. the target- Λ plane







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NEXT

TMD analysis of inclusive production and role of charm and isospin symmetry (ongoing)

THANKS for the ATTENTION



BACK-UP SLIDES



FIT OF BELLE DATA

Data selection:

- $\Lambda + \pi/K$: $z_{\pi.K} = [0.5 0.9]$ excluded $\rightarrow \frac{96}{128}$ data points
- $\Lambda(\text{jet})$: $z_{\Lambda} = [0.5 0.9] \text{ excluded} \rightarrow 24/32 \text{ data points}$
- **Unpol. FFs**: DSS07 for π/K , AKK08 for Λ
 - $\langle p_{\perp}^2 \rangle = 0.2~{\rm GeV^2}$

$$D_{\Lambda/\bar{q}}(z_p) = (1 - z_p) D_{\Lambda/\bar{q}}(z_p)$$

flavour separation

Polarizing FF

$$\begin{split} \Delta D_{\Lambda^{\uparrow}/q}(z) = & N_q z^{a_q} (1-z)^{b_q} \frac{(a_q + b_q)^{(a_q + b_q)}}{a_q^{a_q} b_q^{b_q}} D_{\Lambda/q}(z) \\ & |N_q| \leq 1 \quad \text{Positivity bound} \end{split}$$

 $\checkmark\,$ No TMD evolution (fixed-scale analysis)



