# Factorization of jet cross sections in heavy-ion collisions

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## Hard and soft probes in heavy-ion collisions





- Highly energetic particles and jets
- QCD factorization and universality?

- Charged particle counting
- Elliptic flow/collectivity

Extract properties of the medium

Jet 1, pt: 70.0 GeV

#### Jets in heavy-ion collisions

 $pp \to \text{jet} + X$ 



#### Subtract background

Inclusive jet cross section

 $\frac{d\sigma^{pp \to jet + X}}{dp_T d\eta}$ 

Nuclear modification factor

$$R_{\rm AA} = \frac{d\sigma^{\rm PbPb \to jet + X}}{\langle N_{\rm coll} \rangle \, d\sigma^{pp \to jet + X}}$$

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 $AA \rightarrow \text{jet} + X$ 

#### Inclusive jet production at the LHC

• Proton-proton



• Fixed order - NNLO

Currie, Glover, Pires `16

• All order resummation

Threshold and jet radius Dasgupta, Dreyer, Salam, Soyez `14 Liu, Moch, FR `17

Precision physics

see talk by Bernhard Mistlberger

ATLAS, JHEP 1805 (2018) 195

#### Inclusive jet production at the LHC



ALICE, PLB 746 (2015) 1

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#### Inclusive jet production at the LHC



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This talk ...

- Phenomenological approach
- Minimal theory input/approximations
- QCD factorization?
- Universality?



Hadron  $R_{AA}$ 

#### Jet substructure



→ see Yang-Ting Chien's talk

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#### QCD factorization

• Inclusive jet production  $pp \rightarrow \text{jet} + X$ 

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Ellis, Kunszt, Soper `90 Currie, Glover, Pires `16

#### QCD factorization

• Inclusive jet production  $pp \rightarrow \text{jet} + X$ 

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• DGLAP 
$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} J_i = \sum_j P_{ji} \otimes J_j$$

• Separation of scales  
• Resummation of 
$$\alpha_s^n \ln^n R$$

 $\mu_J = p_T R$ 

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- Currie, Glover, Pires `16
- Dasgupta, Dreyer, Salam, Soyez `15
- Kaufmann, Mukherjee, Vogelsang`15
  - Kang, FR, Vitev `16
  - Dai, Kim, Leibovich `16

#### Jet functions in the vacuum

Kang, FR, Vitev `16

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#### Jet functions in the vacuum

Kang, FR, Vitev `16

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#### QCD factorization

• Proton-proton

- Proofs: Drell-Yan process Collins, Soper, Sterman `85, Bodwin `85, see Iain Stewart's talk
- Partial proofs:  $pp \rightarrow h + X$  Nayak, Qiu, Sterman `05
- Phenomenologically established: Global analyses of PDFs gives a consistent picture! ABMP, CJ, CT, JAM, MMHT, NNPDF ...

 $\frac{d\sigma^{pp\to \text{jet}X}}{dp_T d\eta} = \sum_{a,b,c} f_a \otimes f_b \otimes H^c_{ab} \otimes J_c$ 

- Heavy-ion
  - Possibly broken. If so, how large is the effect?

Gyulassy, Wang `94, Baier, Dokshitzer, Mueller, Peigne, Schiff `96, Zakharov `96, Gyulassy, Levai, Vitev `01, Wang, Guo `01, Arnold, Moore, Yaffe `02, Qiu, Vitev `06, Armesto et al. `12

#### QCD factorization in heavy-ion collisions

• Starting point is the factorization in the vacuum

 $\frac{d\sigma^{pp\to jet X}}{dp_T d\eta} = \sum_{a,b,c} f_a \otimes f_b \otimes H^c_{ab} \otimes J_c$ 

- Factorization is an approximation
- Corrections are suppressed by inverse powers of a hard scale
- Corrections at subleading power in heavy-ion collisions are expected to be enhanced due to medium properties
- Coherent corrections
  - Potential problems with cancellation of Glaubers?
- Incoherent power corrections
  - Can be written in form of leading power factorization?

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#### Factorization of jet cross sections in heavy-ion collisions

• Proton-proton at leading power

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see also Kang, FR, Vitev `17 He, Pang, Wang `18 Li, Vitev `18 Sirimanna, Cao, Majumder `19

#### Factorization of jet cross sections in heavy-ion collisions

• Proton-proton at leading power

$$\frac{d\sigma^{pp \to jet + X}}{dp_T d\eta} = \sum_{a,b,c} f_{a/p} \otimes f_{b/p} \otimes H^c_{ab} \otimes J_c$$

• Heavy-ion

$$\frac{d\sigma^{AA \to \text{jet}+X}}{dp_T d\eta} = \sum_{a,b,c} f_{a/A} \otimes f_{b/A} \otimes H^c_{ab} \otimes J^{\text{med}}_c$$

Initial state e.g. nPDFs

Medium jet functions

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$$\mu^2 \frac{d}{d\mu^2} J_i = \sum_j P_{ji} \otimes J_j$$

$$\mu^2 \frac{d}{d\mu^2} J_i = \sum_j P_{ji} \otimes J_j + \frac{1}{\mu^2} \Gamma \otimes T$$

$$\mu^2 \frac{d}{d\mu^2} T = \gamma \otimes T$$

- Modified DGLAP evolution?
- Relevant at low pT

Kang, Ma, Qiu, Sterman `I4

#### Relation to a parton shower picture

For example:

• LBT Li, Liu, Ma, Wang, Zhu `I I	<ul> <li>MATTER Majumder `I 3, Kordell, Majumder `I 7</li> </ul>	• Medium jet functions Qiu, FR, Sato, Zurita `19
vacuum shower	vacuum shower	vacuum shower
shower cutoff	$\sim \mathcal{O}(10{\rm GeV})$ medium modified shower	$p_T R$

Fit to data  

$$J(N, p_T) = \left(\frac{\alpha_s(p_T)}{\alpha_s(p_T R)}\right)^{-P^{(0)}(N)/\beta_0} J(N, p_T R)$$

see also JEWEL, Martini, Q-Pythia, JETSCAPE ...

## A first global analysis

Qiu, FR, Sato, Zurita `19

• Introduce medium modified jet function at the jet scale

$$J_c^{\text{med}}(z, p_T R, \mu_J) = W_c(z) \otimes J_c(z, p_T R, \mu_J)$$

$$W_c(z) = \epsilon_c \delta(1-z) + N_c \, z^{\alpha_c} (1-z)^{\beta_c}$$

• Momentum sum rule

$$\int_0^1 dz \, z \, J_c(z, p_T^c R, \mu) = 1$$

Monte Carlo sampling approach

NNPDF `17, JAM `16

nPDFs Eskola, Paakkinen, Paukkunen, Salgado `17, Kovarik et al. `16 de Florian, Sassot, Zurita, Stratmann `12 nFFs Sassot, Stratmann, Zurita `10 18

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#### Inclusive jet production PbPb at the LHC

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No initial state effects or nPDFs

#### The medium modified jet functions

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Potentially requires threshold resummation for  $z \rightarrow 1$ 

#### Quark/gluon jets

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- Gluons significantly more suppressed than quark jets
- Different than many model calculations
- But likely supported by other observables ...

#### Dependence of the $R_{AA}$ on the jet radius

• Large-R: Parton energy loss recovered in larger cone  $R_{AA}$   $\uparrow$ 

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- Large-R: Parton energy loss recovered in larger cone  $R_{AA}\uparrow$
- Small-R: For  $R \rightarrow 0$  the hadron R<sub>AA</sub> should be obtained  $R_{AA} \uparrow$

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#### Dependence of the $R_{AA}$ on the jet radius

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#### The jet radius dependence

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• Direct relation with the relative suppression of quarks and gluons

#### Factorization and universality

- Test framework by analyzing inclusive hadron cross sections
- Sensitivity to much smaller scales
- Modification of DGLAP?

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- Test universality using jet substructure observables
- Similar collinear factorization theorems

Hadrons and subjets inside jets

 $f_a \otimes f_b \otimes H^c_{ab} \otimes \mathcal{G}_{cd} \otimes D^h_d$ 

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Direct probe of in-medium jet functions

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#### Conclusions

- First global analysis of in-medium jet functions
- Support for the notion of QCD factorization in heavy-ion collisions
- Quark/gluon jets modified differently
- Include more data and other processes such as  $\ \gamma + {
  m jet}$
- Test of universality by using jet substructure data
- Understand the modification of the parton shower
- Provide guidance for constructing microscopic models of the QGP

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