# The Sivers effect in $p\bar{p}$ -interactions

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# **General strategy**

1. Factorization

$$\sigma \propto (\text{pert. part}) \otimes (\text{non-pert. part}) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q}\right)$$

- required for interpretation
- does not hold for each hard process
- required scale:  $Q > 1 \,\mathrm{GeV}$
- 2. Universality
  - allows one to make predictions
  - can be non-trivial

### **Inclusive deep-inelastic scattering**



• Optical theorem

$$\sigma_{\gamma^*N \to X} \propto \operatorname{Im} A(\gamma^*N \to \gamma^*N, \vartheta = 0)$$

• Parton model



# **Parton densities**

1. Forward parton densities



• Unpolarized pdf

$$f_1(x) = \int \frac{d\xi^-}{4\pi} e^{ixP^+\xi^-} \langle P, S | \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^+ \psi(\xi^-) | P, S \rangle$$
$$\xi^- = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (t-z) \qquad \xi^+ = \xi_T = 0$$

• Helicity pdf

 $g_1(x) \propto \langle \mid ar{\psi}(0) \, oldsymbol{\gamma^+ \gamma_5} \, \psi(\xi^-) \mid 
angle$ 

• Transversity pdf

$$h_1(x) \propto \langle | \bar{\psi}(0) \, i \sigma^{i+} \gamma_5 \, \psi(\xi^-) \, | \, 
angle \qquad \sigma^{\mu
u} = rac{i}{2} [\gamma^{\mu}, \gamma^{
u}]$$

2.  $p_T$ -dependent parton densities (Boer, Mulders, 1998)

$$\int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \vec{\xi}_{T}}{2(2\pi)^{3}} e^{i(xP^{+}\xi^{-} - \vec{p}_{T} \cdot \vec{\xi}_{T})} \langle P, S | \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^{+} \psi(\xi^{-}, \vec{\xi}_{T}) | P, S \rangle$$
$$= f_{1}(x, \vec{p}_{T}^{2}) - \frac{\varepsilon_{T}^{ij} p_{Ti} S_{Tj}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}(x, \vec{p}_{T}^{2})$$

#### Parameterization of

$$\Phi^{[\Gamma]}(x,\vec{p}_T,S) = \int \frac{d\xi^- d^2 \vec{\xi}_T}{2(2\pi)^3} e^{i(xP^+\xi^- - \vec{p}_T \cdot \vec{\xi}_T)} \langle P, S \mid \bar{\psi}(0) \Gamma \psi(\xi^-,\vec{\xi}_T) \mid P, S \rangle$$

Leading order (8 functions, 2 T-odd)

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^{+}]} = f_{1} - \frac{\varepsilon_{T}^{ij} p_{Ti} S_{Tj}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}$$

$$\Phi^{[\gamma^{+}\gamma_{5}]} = \lambda g_{1L} + \frac{\vec{p}_{T} \cdot \vec{S}_{T}}{M} g_{1T}$$

$$\Phi^{[i\sigma^{i+}\gamma_{5}]} = S_{T}^{i} h_{1T} + \frac{p_{T}^{i}}{M} \left(\lambda h_{1L}^{\perp} + \frac{\vec{p}_{T} \cdot \vec{S}_{T}}{M} h_{1T}^{\perp}\right) - \frac{\varepsilon_{T}^{ij} p_{Tj}}{M} h_{1}^{\perp}$$

### **Semi-inclusive processes**

1. Semi-inclusive deep-inelastic scattering  $e \ N \rightarrow e' \ H \ X$ 





Factorization formula depends on kinematics

- $\sigma$  integrated upon  $P_{hT}$
- $\sigma$  differential in  $P_{hT}$  and  $P_{hT} \approx Q$
- $\sigma$  differential in  $P_{hT}$  and  $P_{hT} \ll Q$

 $\sigma \propto \hat{\sigma}_{pert} \otimes pdf \otimes ff \otimes soft$ 

(Collins, Soper, 1981; Collins, Soper, Sterman, 1985; Ji, Ma, Yuan, 2004; Collins, Metz, 2004) 2. Drell-Yan process  $H_1 H_2 \rightarrow l^+ l^- X$ 



3. Electron-positron annihilation  $e^+ e^- \rightarrow H_1 H_2 X$ 



## **T-odd parton densities**

• (Sivers, 1990)

$$\int \frac{d\xi^{-} d^{2} \vec{\xi}_{T}}{2(2\pi)^{3}} e^{i(xP^{+}\xi^{-} - \vec{p}_{T} \cdot \vec{\xi}_{T})} \langle P, \uparrow | \bar{\psi}(0) \gamma^{+} \psi(\xi^{-}, \vec{\xi}_{T}) | P, \uparrow \rangle$$
$$= f_{1}(x, \vec{p}_{T}^{2}) - \frac{(\vec{p}_{T} \times \vec{S}_{T}) \cdot \hat{P}}{M} f_{1T}^{\perp}(x, \vec{p}_{T}^{2})$$

 $\rightarrow$  single-spin/azimuthal asymmetry

• (Boer, Mulders, 1998)

$$h_1^{\perp}(x, \vec{p}_T^{\ 2}) \propto \langle P, \operatorname{unp} | \, \bar{\psi}(0) \, i \sigma^{i+} \gamma_5 \, \psi(\xi^-, \vec{\xi}_T) \, | \, P, \operatorname{unp} \rangle$$

Time-reversal:

 $f_{1T}^{\perp} = -f_{1T}^{\perp} = 0 \qquad \qquad h_1^{\perp} = 0$ 

# **Color** gauge invariance

1. Forward partonic functions

$$\int d\xi^{-} e^{ixP^{+}\xi^{-}} \langle |\bar{\psi}(0) \Gamma \mathcal{L}(0;\xi^{-}) \psi(\xi^{-})| \rangle$$
$$\mathcal{L}(0;\xi^{-}) = \mathcal{P} \exp\left(-ig \int_{0}^{\xi^{-}} d\eta^{-} A^{+}(0,\eta^{-},\vec{0}_{T})\right)$$

Gauge-link generated by rescattering



2.  $p_T$ -dependent partonic functions

$$\int d\xi^{-} d^{2} \vec{\xi}_{T} e^{i(xP^{+}\xi^{-} - \vec{p}_{T} \cdot \vec{\xi}_{T})} \langle | \bar{\psi}(0) \Gamma \mathcal{L}(0, \vec{0}_{T}; \xi^{-}, \vec{\xi}_{T}) \psi(\xi^{-}, \vec{\xi}_{T}) | \rangle$$



- $\mathcal{L}(0, \vec{0}_T; \xi^-, \vec{\xi}_T) = \mathcal{L}(0, \vec{0}_T; \infty, \vec{0}_T) \times \mathcal{L}(\infty, \vec{0}_T; \infty, \vec{\xi}_T) \times \mathcal{L}(\infty, \vec{\xi}_T; \xi^-, \vec{\xi}_T)$ (Belitsky, Ji, Yuan, 2002)
- Gauge-link → T-odd pdfs can be non-zero (Brodsky, Hwang, Schmidt, 2002; Collins, 2002)
- Different links for semi-inclusive DIS and Drell-Yan  $\rightarrow$  Universality? Time-reversal:  $f_{1T}^{\perp}|_{DY} = -f_{1T}^{\perp}|_{DIS}$   $h_1^{\perp}|_{DY} = -h_1^{\perp}|_{DIS}$ (Collins, 2002)

### Universality of non-perturbative factors

- 1. Problem
  - Semi-inclusive DIS

 $\sigma|_{DIS} \propto \hat{\sigma}_{pert} \otimes \mathrm{pdf} \otimes \mathrm{ff} \otimes \mathrm{soft}$ 

• Drell-Yan

 $\sigma |_{DV} \propto \hat{\sigma}_{pert} \otimes pdf \otimes pdf \otimes soft$ 

$$pdf|_{DIS} \stackrel{?}{=} pdf|_{DY}$$
$$soft|_{DIS} \stackrel{?}{=} soft|_{DY}$$

- 2. Results
  - Parton densities:

Time-reversal:  $f_{1T}^{\perp}|_{DV} = -f_{1T}^{\perp}|_{DIS}$ 

$$\left.h_1^\perp\right|_{DY} = -h_1^\perp \right|_{DIS}$$

6 T-even pdfs are universal

• Soft factor:

Time-reversal and analytical structure: soft  $|_{DIS} = \text{soft} |_{DV}$ (Metz 2002; Collins, Metz, 2004)

Transverse SSA in  $p \, p^{\uparrow} \ o \pi \, X$ 



SSA vanishes in leading twist collinear pQCD-description  $\rightarrow$  (effective)  $p_T$ -dependent formalism, etc.

#### SSAs in semi-inclusive DIS

- 1. Longitudinal SSAs (twist-3,  $\propto 1/Q$ )
  - Target spin asymmetry  $A_{UL}$ : data from HERMES
  - Beam spin asymmetry  $A_{LU}$ : data from CLAS
- 2. Transverse SSA (leading twist)

 $egin{aligned} A_{UT} &\propto & \sin(\Phi_h + \Phi_S) \, h_1(x) \, H_1^{\perp}(z) + \sin(\Phi_h - \Phi_S) \, f_{1T}^{\perp}(x) \, D_1(z) \ &+ & \sin(3\Phi_h + \Phi_S) \ldots + \mathcal{O}(1/Q) \end{aligned}$ 





Also COMPASS data on  $l \ D^{\uparrow} \rightarrow l' \ H \ X$ 

#### **Phenomenology of the Sivers effect**

(Collins, Efremov, Goeke, Grosse-Perdekamp, Menzel, Meredith, Metz, Schweitzer, 2004, 2005)

Focus on Sivers effect in semi-inclusive DIS and Drell-Yan Effect also in  $p^{\uparrow} \bar{p} \to H X$ ,  $p^{\uparrow} \bar{p} \to H_1 H_2 X$  etc. (theoretically more involved)

1. Extraction of Sivers function  $f_{1T}^{\perp}$  from data on  $A_{UT}$   $(e p^{\uparrow} \rightarrow e \pi X)$ 

Input/approximations:

- HERMES data
- Neglect of soft gluon emission
- Gaussian  $p_T$ -behaviour, e.g.,

$$f_1(x, \vec{p}_T^{\ 2}) = rac{1}{\pi \langle p_T^2 
angle} f_1(x) \ e^{- \vec{p}_T^{\ 2} / \langle p_T^2 
angle}$$

• Exact result in large  $N_c$ -limit (Pobylitsa, 2003):

$$f_{1T}^{\perp u}(x, \vec{p}_T^{\ 2}) = -f_{1T}^{\perp d}(x, \vec{p}_T^{\ 2})$$



#### Extractions also by

- Anselmino, Boglione, D' Alesio, Kotzinian, Murgia, Prokudin, 2005
- Vogelsang, Yuan, 2005

Comparison in: Anselmino et al., hep-ph/0511017

2. Calculation of the Sivers asymmetry for Drell-Yan

$$y = rac{1}{2} \ln rac{x_1}{x_2} \qquad \qquad f_{1T}^{\perp(1)ar q}(x) = \pm rac{f_1^{ar u}(x) + f_1^{ar d}(x)}{f_1^u(x) + f_1^d(x)} f_{1T}^{\perp(1)q}(x)$$



 $\rightarrow$  Prediction  $\left.f_{1T}^{\perp}\right|_{DY}=-f_{1T}^{\perp}\big|_{DIS}$  can be checked experimentally



 $\rightarrow$  In *pp*-collisions strong sensitivity to  $f_{1T}^{\perp \bar{q}}$ 

## Drell-Yan measurements in $p\bar{p}$ -interactions

- 1. Double-polarized
  - Transverse polarization:

$$A_{TT}^{p\bar{p}} = a_{TT} \frac{\sum_{q} e_{q}^{2} \left( h_{1}^{q/p}(x_{1}, Q^{2}) h_{1}^{\bar{q}/\bar{p}}(x_{2}, Q^{2}) \right) + \left( x_{1} \leftrightarrow x_{2} \right)}{\sum_{q} e_{q}^{2} \left( f_{1}^{q/p}(x_{1}, Q^{2}) f_{1}^{\bar{q}/\bar{p}}(x_{2}, Q^{2}) \right) + \left( x_{1} \leftrightarrow x_{2} \right)}$$

 $\rightarrow$  Unique tool to measure transversity  $h_1$ 

- Longitudinal polarization:  $A_{LL}^{par{p}} \propto g_1^{q/p} \, g_1^{ar{q}/ar{p}}$
- 2. Single-polarized
  - Transverse polarization:

 $A_{TU} \propto \sin(\Phi_q - \Phi_S) f_{1T}^{\perp}(x_1) f_1(x_2) + \sin(\Phi_q + \Phi_S) h_1(x_1) h_1^{\perp}(x_2) + \dots$  $\rightarrow$  Access to  $f_{1T}^{\perp}$  and  $h_1^{\perp}$ 

• Longitudinal polarization:  $A_{LU} \propto \sin(2\Phi_q) h_{1L}^{\perp}(x_1) h_1^{\perp}(x_2)$ 

- 3. Unpolarized
  - Unpolarized cross section: fixed order vs. resummation

$$z = \frac{Q^2}{x_1 x_2 s} = \frac{Q^2}{\hat{s}} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} = 1 & \text{at tree level} \\ < 1 & \text{at } \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s) \text{ and beyond} \end{array} \right.$$

k-loop calculation: 
$$\alpha_s^k \left( \frac{\ln^{2k-1}(1-z)}{1-z} \right)_+$$

 $\sqrt{s} = 14.5 \, {
m GeV}$  (Shimizu, Sterman, Vogelsang, Yokaya, 2005)



• Angular distribution

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \propto 1 + \lambda \,\cos^2\Theta + \mu \,\sin 2\Theta \cos\Phi + \frac{\nu}{2} \,\sin^2\Theta \cos 2\Phi$$

Collinear picture at  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$ :  $\lambda + 2\nu = 1$ (Lam, Tung, 1978)

(1) hardly modified at  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$ (2) strongly violated by data,  $\nu$  large

Possible explanation:

(Boer, 1999; Boer, Brodsky, Hwang, 2002; ...)

 $u \propto h_1^\perp(x_1) \, h_1^\perp(x_2)$ 

Relation of T-odd pdfs to generalized parton distributions: (Burkardt, 2004, 2005, 2006)

 $f_{1T}^{\perp} \propto E \qquad \qquad h_1^{\perp} \propto 2 H_T + E_T$ 

# Summary

- Sivers function can be non-zero
- Universality of non-perturbative factors
  - 1.  $f_{1T}^{\perp}|_{DY} = -f_{1T}^{\perp}|_{DIS}$   $h_1^{\perp}|_{DY} = -h_1^{\perp}|_{DIS}$ 2. soft $|_{DIS} = \text{soft}|_{DY}$
- Sign-reversal of Sivers function can be checked in  $p^{\uparrow} \bar{p} \to l^+ l^- X$  and/or  $p \, \bar{p}^{\uparrow} \to l^+ l^- X$
- Drell-Yan measurements (DY is cleanest hard *HH*-collision process)
  - 1. Information on nucleon structure:  $h_1$ ,  $g_1$ ,  $f_{1T}^{\perp}$ ,  $h_1^{\perp}$ , ...
  - 2. Application of pQCD to  $p \bar{p} \rightarrow l^+ l^- X$ ,  $HH \rightarrow \ldots$

Dedicated Drell-Yan program for proton-antiproton interactions would be valuable!