

JETS AT NNLO

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Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements





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ANATOMY OF NNLO CALCULATIONS



Non-trivial cancellation of infrared singularities

NNLO USING SUBTRACTION

$$\sigma_{\rm NNLO} = \int_{\Phi_{\rm Z+3}} \left(d\sigma_{\rm NNLO}^{\rm RR} - d\sigma_{\rm NNLO}^{\rm S} \right)$$

$$+ \int_{\Phi_{\mathrm{Z}+2}} \left(\mathrm{d} \sigma_{\mathrm{NNLO}}^{\mathrm{RV}} - \mathrm{d} \sigma_{\mathrm{NNLO}}^{\mathrm{T}} \right)$$

$$+ \int_{\Phi_{\mathrm{Z}+1}} \left(\mathrm{d}\sigma^{\mathrm{VV}}_{\mathrm{NNLO}} - \mathrm{d}\sigma^{\mathrm{U}}_{\mathrm{NNLO}} \right)$$

► $d\sigma_{NNLO}^{S}, d\sigma_{NNLO}^{T}$: mimic $d\sigma_{NNLO}^{RR}, d\sigma_{NNLO}^{RV}$ in unresolved limits

•
$$d\sigma_{NNLO}^{T}$$
, $d\sigma_{NNLO}^{U}$:
analytic cancellation of
poles in $d\sigma_{NNLO}^{RV}$, $d\sigma_{NNLO}^{VV}$

 \sum finite -0

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ANTENNA FACTORIZATION

- antenna formalism operates on *colour-ordered* amplitudes
- exploit universal factorisation properties in IR limits

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathcal{A}_{m+1}^{0}(\dots,i,j,k,\dots)|^{2} & \xrightarrow{j \text{ unresolved}} & X_{3}^{0}(i,j,k) & |\mathcal{A}_{m}^{0}(\dots,\widetilde{I},\widetilde{K},\dots)|^{2} \\ \overbrace{\text{colour-ordered amplitude}}^{i \text{ unresolved}} & \overbrace{\text{antenna function}}^{i \text{ unresolved}} & |\mathcal{A}_{m}^{0}(\dots,\widetilde{I},\widetilde{K},\dots)|^{2} \\ \xrightarrow{\text{reduced ME}} & + \underset{\{p_{i},p_{j},p_{k}\} \rightarrow \{\widetilde{p}_{I},\widetilde{p}_{K}\}}^{i \text{ unresolved}} \end{aligned}$$

captures multiple limits and smoothly interpolates between them*

limit	$X_3^0(i,j,k)$	mapping
$p_j \to 0$	$\frac{2s_{ik}}{s_{ij}s_{jk}}$	$\widetilde{p}_I ightarrow p_i$, $\widetilde{p}_K ightarrow p_k$
$p_{j} \parallel p_{i}$	$rac{1}{s_{ij}}P_{ij}(z)$	$\widetilde{p}_I \to (p_i + p_j), \ \widetilde{p}_K \to p_k$
$p_{j}\parallel p_{k}$	$\frac{1}{s_{jk}} P_{kj}(z)$	$\widetilde{p}_I \rightarrow p_i, \ \widetilde{p}_K \rightarrow (p_j + p_k)$

* c.f. dipoles: $X_3^0(i, j, k) \sim \mathcal{D}_{ij,k} + \mathcal{D}_{kj,i}$

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Processes computed using the antenna subtraction method

▶ pp $\rightarrow V$	@ NNLO	► $pp \rightarrow H$ (ggH)	\bigcirc N ³ LO
▶ pp $\rightarrow V + j$	@ NNLO	▶ pp \rightarrow H + j (ggH)	@ NNLO
$\hookrightarrow V \to \ell \bar{\ell}$ (V)	${ m Z}={ m Z}/\gamma^*,~{ m W}^\pm$)	▶ $pp \rightarrow H + 2j$ (VBF)	@ NNLO
▶ $pp \rightarrow jets$ (inc. je	ts, 2j) @ NNLO	$\hookrightarrow \mathcal{H} \to \gamma \gamma, \ \tau \tau, \ V \gamma, \mathcal{V}$	VV
▶ pp $\rightarrow \gamma + j$	@ NNLO	▶ $pp \to VH$	@ NNLO
▶ $ep \rightarrow 1j$	\bigcirc N ³ LO	$\hookrightarrow H \to bb$	
▶ $ep \rightarrow 2j$	@ NNLO	▶	
► $e^+e^- \rightarrow 3$ jets	@ NNLO		

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INCLUSIVE JET PRODUCTION



- many scale choices possible:
 - \blacktriangleright "event based" $p_{\rm T,max}$, $\langle p_{\rm T} \rangle$, $\hat{H}_{\rm T}$, …

• "jet based" —
$$p_{\mathrm{T}}$$
 , …

Inclusive Jet Production — Scales p_T v.s. $p_{T,1}$



• NNLO (anti- $k_{\rm T}$ R=0.4) $\mu_0 = p_{{\rm T},1}$ $\mu_0 = p_{{\rm T}}$

• high- $p_{\rm T}$ 🗸

both scales coincide

• low- $p_{\rm T}$

- significant differences 15–20%
- non-overlapping bands $NLO \rightarrow NNLO$ (larger)
- $p_{\rm T}$ closer to data

Large effects from scales ambiguity!

INCLUSIVE JET PRODUCTION — SCALE CHOICES (R=0.4)



- ► most common choice: $\mu = p_T \& \mu = p_{T,max}$ \hookrightarrow worst perturbative behaviour
- ► harder scales preferred: $\mu = 2 p_T \& \mu = \hat{H}_T$ \hookrightarrow show good properties
- origin: infrared sensitivity of the inclusive-jet observable
 - \hookrightarrow driven by 2nd leading jet distribution $p_{\mathrm{T}}^{j_2}$ (very small @ NLO)
 - \hookrightarrow mismatch between real & virtual corrections (alleviated with larger R)

Inclusive Jet Production – Scale \hat{H}_{T}



[Currie, Gehrmann–De Ridder, Gehrmann, Glover, AH, Pires '18]



• desirable properties

- $\,\cdot\,\,$ small NNLO corrections $\,\,\checkmark\,\,$
- $\,\cdot\,\,$ overlapping bands $\checkmark\,$
- convergence of individual spectra \checkmark (especially stability of $p_{T,2}$)
- good description of exp. data

INCLUSIVE JET PRODUCTION — LES HOUCHES

[Bellm at al.`19]



• fixed order v.s. PS {=====}

- ► NLO+PS (Sherpa, Herwig, Powheg) \simeq NLO
- ► $R \sim 0.7$ found to be a *sweet spot*
- "hard" NNLO not captured by PS



► accidental $\delta_{scl} \sim 0$ @ $R \sim 0.4$ (depends on $p_T, \mu_0, ...$)

> small $R \rightsquigarrow$ resummation [Dasgupta, Dreyer, Salam, Soyez '16] [Liu, Moch, Ringer '17 '18]

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DI-JET PRODUCTION — SCALES m_{jj} V.S. $\langle p_{\rm T} \rangle$

[Currie, Gehrmann-De Ridder, Gehrmann, Glover, AH, Pires '17]

 $0.0 < |y^{st}| < 0.5$





- central both scales good behaviour
- forward $\langle p_T \rangle$ larger NLO corr. & unc. (neg. for $|y^*| > 2$)

At NNLO scales mutually compatible!

TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DI-JET CROSS SECTION



study different
 kinematic regimes

disentangle momentum
fractions $x_1 \& x_2$

TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DI-JET CROSS SECTION @ NNLO

[Gehrmann-De Ridder, Gehrmann, Glover, AH, Pires '19]



 $- NLO - NNLO - NNLO \otimes NP \otimes EWK$

improved description of data & reduced uncertainties!

> NNLO calculation: O(100k) CPUh \Rightarrow prohibitive in PDF & a_s fits!



CMS di-jet $d\sigma/(dp_T^{avg} \cdot dy_b \cdot dy^*)$ (\sqrt{s} =8 TeV), 0.0< y^* <1.0, 0.0< y_b <1.0



TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DI-JETS @ NNLO

[APPLgrid, fastNLO, NNLOJET]



scale

MMHT14

NNPDF3.1

CT18

ABM16

TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DI-JETS HERA DATA

[Jakob Stark (master thesis), Klaus Rabbertz (supervisor) '21]



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- NNLO nice agreement between the scales
 - gluon suppressed @ intermediate x, enhanced @ high x

TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DI-JETS — PDF & α_s

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• NNLO — as before, good agreement between scale choices

 $\alpha_s(M_z) = 0.1155 \pm 0.0012(\exp) {}^{+0.0008}_{-0.0017}(\text{scale})$ $p_{\text{T},1} e^{0.3y^*}$ $\alpha_s(M_z) = 0.1163 \pm 0.0013(\exp) {}^{+0.0010}_{-0.0004}(\text{scale})$ m_{jj}

JET DATA IN A GLOBAL PDF FIT

[NNLOJET + NNPDF '20]



- main impact on gluon PDFs (reduced uncertainties)
 - suppressed @ $0.01 \leq x \leq 0.1$ enhanced @ $0.1 \leq x \leq 0.4$
- qualitatively similar effect incl. jets v.s. di-jets
 - *di-jets:* stronger pull, better pert. behaviour, (slightly) better fit
- no deterioration of other data

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BACKUP.

DVOVOL!

TRIPLE-DIFFERENTIAL DI-JETS @ NNLO

CT18



----- CT18 \otimes ePump [Schmidt, Pumplin, Yuan '18]



TWO CALCULATIONS!

- NNLOJET [Currie, Glover, Pires '16]
- STRIPPER [Czakon, van Hameren, Mitov, Poncelet '19]
- ► excellent agreement
- sub-leading colour negligible (missing in NNLOJET)

ANTENNA SUBTRACTION — BUILDING BLOCKS

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{X}(\ldots) \text{ based on physical matrix elements} \quad & X = \widetilde{A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H} \\ & X_3^0(i, j, k) = \frac{|\mathcal{A}_3^0(i, j, k)|^2}{|\mathcal{A}_2^0(\widetilde{I}, \widetilde{K})|^2}, \qquad & X_4^0(i, j, k, l) = \frac{|\mathcal{A}_4^0(i, j, k, l)|^2}{|\mathcal{A}_2^0(\widetilde{I}, \widetilde{L})|^2}, \\ & X_3^1(i, j, k) = \frac{|\mathcal{A}_3^1(i, j, k)|^2}{|\mathcal{A}_2^0(\widetilde{I}, \widetilde{K})|^2} - X_3^0(i, j, k) \frac{|\mathcal{A}_2^1(\widetilde{I}, \widetilde{K})|^2}{|\mathcal{A}_2^0(\widetilde{I}, \widetilde{K})|^2}, \\ & A_3^0(i_q, j_g, k_{\overline{q}}) = \left| \overbrace{\overset{\gamma^*}{\longrightarrow}}^{i_q} \underbrace{|\overset{i_q}{\longrightarrow}}_{k_{\overline{q}}} \right|^2 / \left| \overbrace{\overset{\gamma^*}{\longrightarrow}}^{i_q} \underbrace{|\overset{i_q}{\longrightarrow}}_{K_{\overline{q}}} \right|^2 \end{aligned}$$

 \blacktriangleright integrating the antennae \longleftrightarrow phase-space factorization

$$d\Phi_{m+1}(\dots, p_i, p_j, p_k, \dots)$$

= $d\Phi_m(\dots, \widetilde{p}_I, \widetilde{p}_K, \dots) d\Phi_{X_{ijk}}(p_i, p_j, p_k; \widetilde{p}_I + \widetilde{p}_K)$
 $\mathcal{X}_3^{0,1}(i, j, k) = \int d\Phi_{X_{ijk}} X_3^{0,1}(i, j, k), \quad \mathcal{X}_4^0(i, j, k, l) = \int d\Phi_{X_{ijkl}} X_4^0(i, j, k, l)$

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ANTENNA SUBTRACTION @ NLO — $q\bar{q} \rightarrow ggZ$



$$\begin{split} &\int \left\{ d\sigma_{Z+1jet}^{R} - d\sigma_{Z+1jet}^{S} \right\} \\ &= \int d\Phi_{Z+2} \left\{ \left| \mathcal{A}_{4}^{0}(\mathbf{1}_{q}, \mathbf{3}_{g}, \mathbf{4}_{g}, \mathbf{2}_{\bar{q}}, \mathbf{Z}) \right|^{2} \mathcal{J}(\Phi_{Z+2}) \\ &\quad - d_{3}^{0}(\mathbf{1}_{q}, \mathbf{3}_{g}, \mathbf{4}_{g}) \left| \mathcal{A}_{3}^{0}(\mathbf{1}_{q}, \widetilde{(\mathbf{34})}_{g}, \mathbf{2}_{\bar{q}}, \mathbf{Z}) \right|^{2} \mathcal{J}(\widetilde{\Phi}_{Z+1}) \\ &\quad - d_{3}^{0}(\mathbf{2}_{\bar{q}}, \mathbf{4}_{g}, \mathbf{3}_{g}) \left| \mathcal{A}_{3}^{0}(\mathbf{1}_{q}, \widetilde{(\mathbf{34})}_{g}, \widetilde{\mathbf{2}}_{\bar{q}}, \mathbf{Z}) \right|^{2} \mathcal{J}(\widetilde{\Phi}_{Z+1}) \right\} + (3 \leftrightarrow 4) \\ &\int \left\{ d\sigma_{Z+1jet}^{V} - d\sigma_{Z+1jet}^{T} \right\} \\ &= \int d\Phi_{Z+1} \left\{ \left| \mathcal{A}_{3}^{1}(\mathbf{1}_{q}, \mathbf{3}_{g}, \mathbf{2}_{\bar{q}}, \mathbf{Z}) \right|^{2} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \left[\mathcal{D}_{3}^{0}(s_{13}) + \mathcal{D}_{3}^{0}(s_{23}) \right] \left| \mathcal{A}_{3}^{0}(\mathbf{1}_{q}, \mathbf{3}_{g}, \mathbf{2}_{\bar{q}}, \mathbf{Z}) \right|^{2} \right\} \mathcal{J}(\Phi_{Z+1}) \end{split}$$

ANTENNA SUBTRACTION @ NNLO

[J. Currie , E.W.N. Glover, S. Wells '13]



ANTENNA SUBTRACTION — CHECKS OF THE CALCULATION

Analytic pole cancellation

► Poles
$$\left(d\sigma^{\rm RV} - d\sigma^{\rm T} \right) = 0$$

► Poles $\left(d\sigma^{\rm VV} - d\sigma^{\rm U} \right) = 0$

DimReg: $D = 4 - 2\epsilon$

09:26:35maple/process/Z
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FORM 4.1 (Mar 13 2014) 64-bits
#-
poles = 0;
6.58 sec out of 6.64 sec

Unresolved limits

dσ^S → dσ^{RR} (single- & double-unresolved)
 dσ^T → dσ^{RV} (single-unresolved)

bin the ratio:
$$d\sigma^{S}/d\sigma^{RR} \xrightarrow{unresolved} 1$$

 $q \ \bar{q} \rightarrow \mathrm{Z} + \mathrm{g}_3 \ \mathbf{g}_4 \ \mathrm{g}_5$ (g₃ soft & $\mathbf{g}_4 \parallel \bar{q}$)



WHAT ABOUT ANGULAR TERMS?!

- Antenna subtraction: $X_n^l |\mathcal{A}_m|^2 \leftrightarrow \text{spin averaged}!$
- angular terms in gluon splittings:

$$P_{g \to q\bar{q}} = \frac{2}{s_{ij}} \left[-g^{\mu\nu} + 4z(1-z) \, \frac{k_{\perp}^{\mu} k_{\perp}^{\nu}}{k_{\perp}^{2}} \right]$$

 $\begin{array}{l} \hookrightarrow \text{ subtraction non-local in these limits!} \\ \hookrightarrow \text{ vanish upon azimuthal-angle (} \varphi \text{) average } (\Rightarrow \texttt{do not enter } \mathcal{X} \text{)} \end{array}$

sol. 1: supplement angular terms in the subtraction sol. 2: exploit φ dependence & average in the phase space