



# *Photon and CGC*



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# *Photon from Early Dynamics*



## **Photon from Saturated Gluons (conventional)**

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**Physics Letters B791, 11-16 (2019)**

[arXiv:1807.03806 [hep-ph]]

## **Photon from Strong Magnetic Field (speculative)**

K. Fukushima, X.-G. Huang, M. Ruggieri

We launched a project one year ago...but  
we were all quite busy and no result yet...

# **I — Conventional Part**

# *What we (can) calculate*



## **Prompt Photons**

**Direct Photons**

**← Isolated Photons**

**Fragmentation Photons**



**This is measured  
and calculated.**

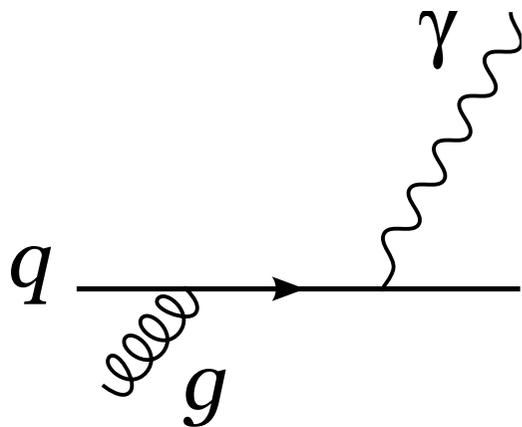
# What we (can) calculate



## Prompt Photons

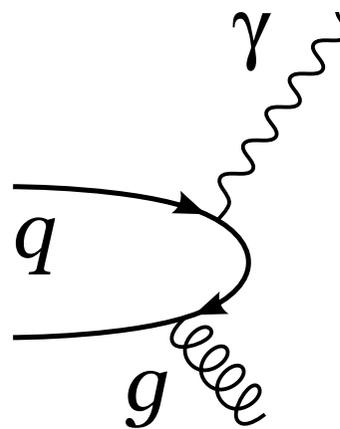
### Direct Photons

$$gq \rightarrow \gamma q$$



**Compton**

$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow \gamma g$$



+ crossed

**Annihilation**

# What we (can) calculate



## Prompt Photons

## Fragmentation Photons

$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow gg \rightarrow \text{jets} \rightarrow \gamma$$

**We can perturbatively calculate direct photons  
and want to drop fragmentation photons  
(but calculable in principle)**

# What we (can) calculate



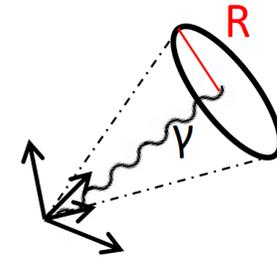
**Prompt Photons**

+

**Isolation Cut**

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$$\theta\left(\sqrt{(\eta_\gamma - \eta)^2 + (\phi_\gamma - \phi)^2} - R\right) \sim 0.4$$



**Isolated Photons** ← Experimentally measured

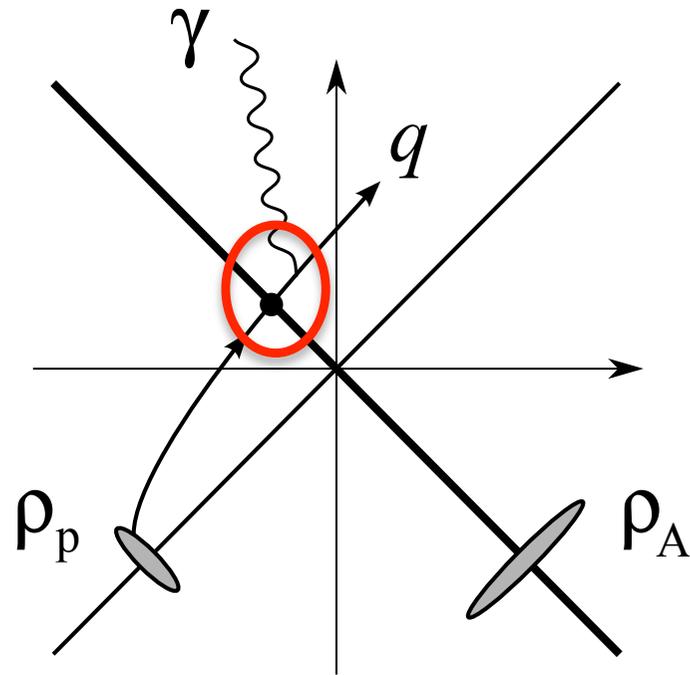
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**Isolated Direct Photons** ← Theoretically predicted

**Fragmentation photons almost (not perfectly) dropped**

# LO Photon in pA

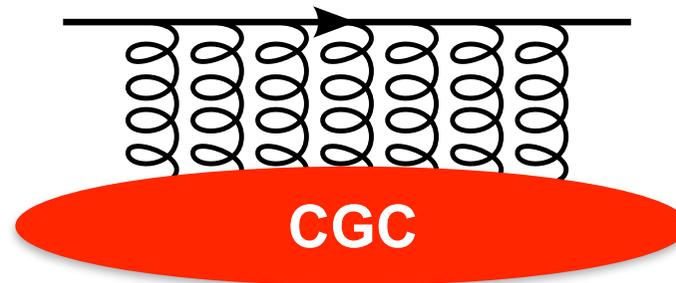
**Gauge choice:**  $A \sim \rho_A \sim \delta(x^+)$       Gelis-Mehtar-Tani (2006)  
 (Coulomb gauge + Light cone gauge)



$$\sim \alpha_e n_q \langle \underline{UU^\dagger} \rangle$$

**Gelis-Jalilian-Marian (2002)**

**Multiple Scattering**  $q$



$$U \sim \underline{1} + igA + \frac{1}{2}(igA)^2 + \dots$$

**“Leading Twist”**  $\rightarrow k_t$ -factorized

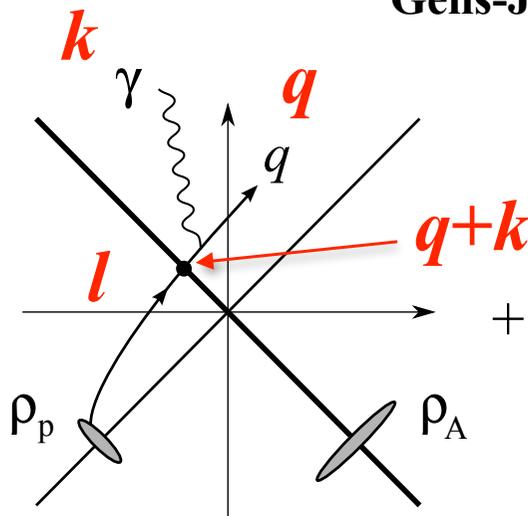
# LO Photon in pA

$$\frac{1}{A_{\perp}} \frac{d\sigma^{q \rightarrow q\gamma}}{d^2\mathbf{k}_{\perp}} = \frac{2\alpha_e}{(2\pi)^4 \mathbf{k}_{\perp}^2} \int_0^1 dz \frac{1 + (1-z)^2}{z} \int d^2\mathbf{l}_{\perp} \frac{l_{\perp}^2 C(\mathbf{l}_{\perp})}{(\mathbf{l}_{\perp} - \mathbf{k}_{\perp}/z)^2}$$

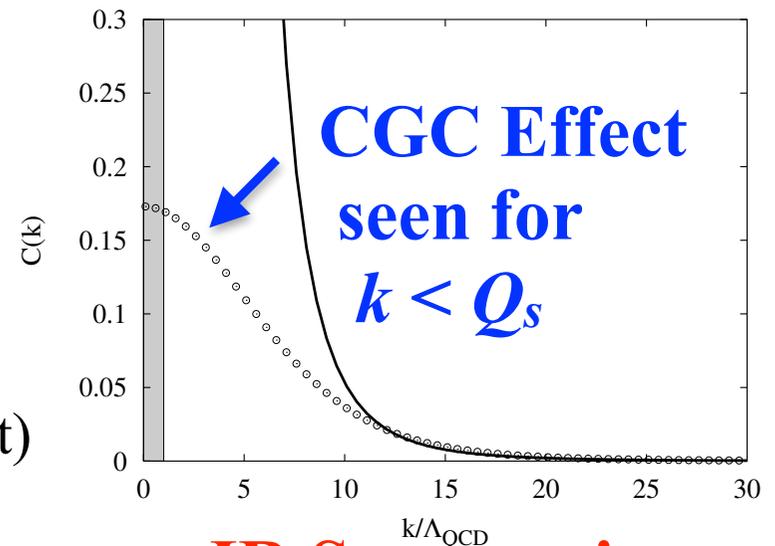
$$C(\mathbf{l}_{\perp}) \equiv \int d^2\mathbf{x}_{\perp} e^{i\mathbf{l}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{x}_{\perp}} e^{-B_2(\mathbf{x}_{\perp})} = \int d^2\mathbf{x}_{\perp} e^{i\mathbf{l}_{\perp} \cdot \mathbf{x}_{\perp}} \langle U(0)U^{\dagger}(\mathbf{x}_{\perp}) \rangle_{\rho}$$

$$B_2(\mathbf{x}_{\perp} - \mathbf{y}_{\perp}) \equiv Q_s^2 \int d^2\mathbf{z}_{\perp} [G_0(\mathbf{x}_{\perp} - \mathbf{z}_{\perp}) - G_0(\mathbf{y}_{\perp} - \mathbf{z}_{\perp})]^2$$

Gelis-Jalilian-Marian (2002)



+ crossed diagram  
(photon emitted first)



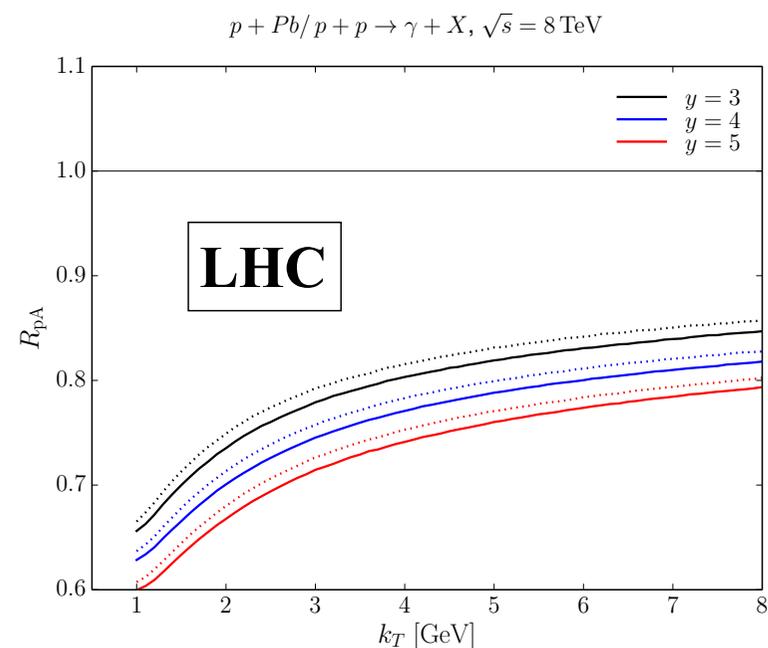
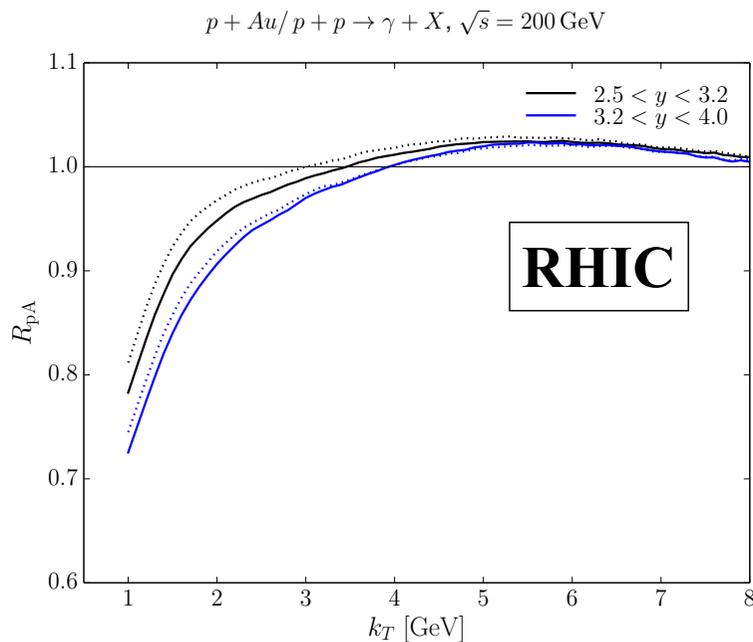
**IR Suppression**

# LO Photon in pA



Ducloue-Lappi-Mantysaari (2017)

$$R_{pA} = \frac{dN^{pA}}{N_{\text{bin}} dN^{pp}}$$



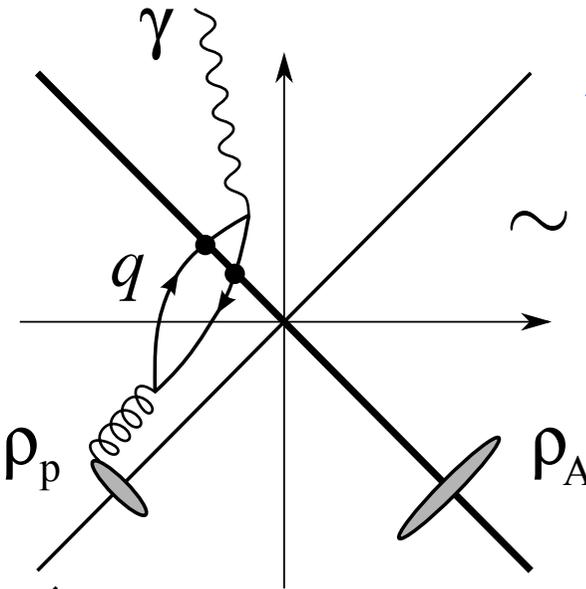
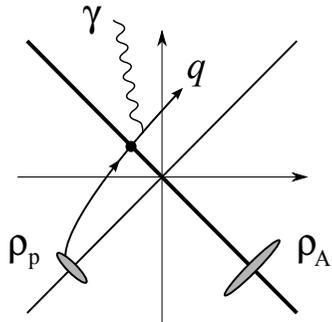
**Gelis-Jalilian-Marian formula + isolation cut**

**Dense — Wilson lines : MV model + rcBK**

**Dilute — PDF : CTEQ6**

**Rapidity Dependence**

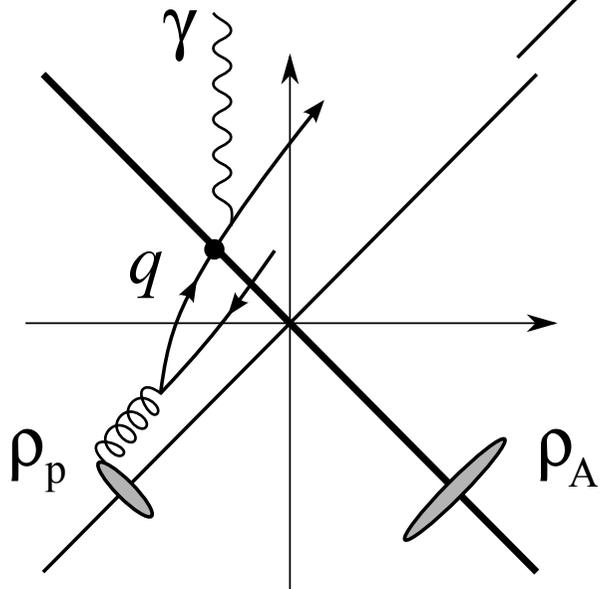
# NLO Photon in $pA$



**Annihilation**

$$\sim \alpha_e \langle (g\rho_p)^2 \rangle \langle UU^\dagger UU^\dagger \rangle$$

**Benic-Fukushima (2016)**



**Bremsstrahlung**

$$\sim \alpha_e \delta n_q \langle UU^\dagger \rangle$$

$$\sim \alpha_e \langle (g\rho_p)^2 \rangle \langle UU^\dagger UU^\dagger \rangle$$

**Benic-Fukushima-  
-Garcia-Montero-Venugopalan (2016)**

# *LO vs. NLO with CGC*



$$\mathbf{LO:} \quad \sim \alpha_e n_q \langle UU^\dagger \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{NLO:} \quad \sim \alpha_e \langle (g\rho_p)^2 \rangle \langle UU^\dagger UU^\dagger \rangle$$

$$(g\rho_p)^4 < n_q < (g\rho_p)^2$$

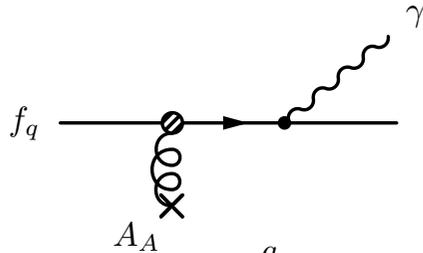
**NLO is overwhelming (i.e., saturation dominant)  
but the pA (dilute) expansion still works**

**Systematic calculations feasible**

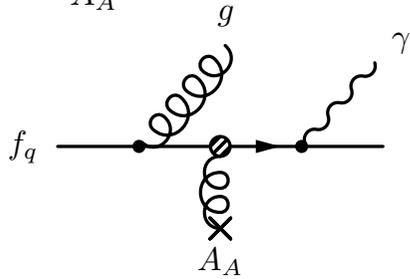
**Not small corrections but dominant at high energies**

# Diagrams (schematic)

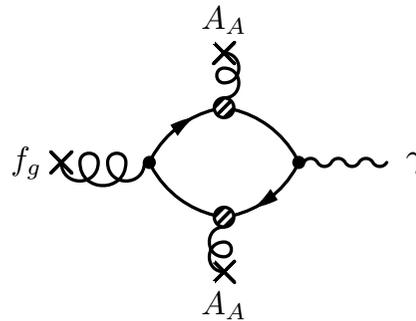
**LO**



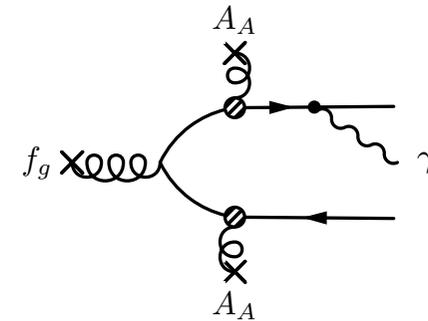
**NLO**



Included in  
quark PDF  
(LO+evolution)



Negligibly  
small



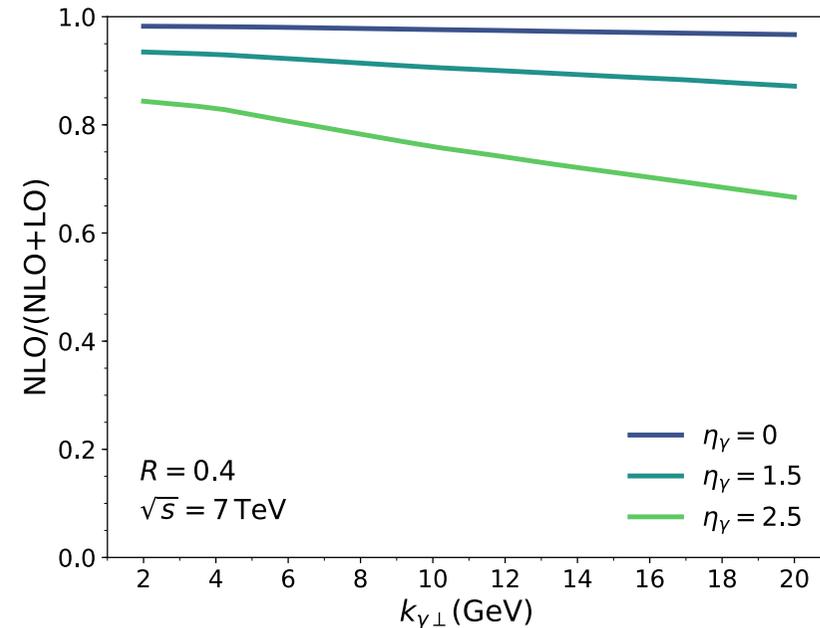
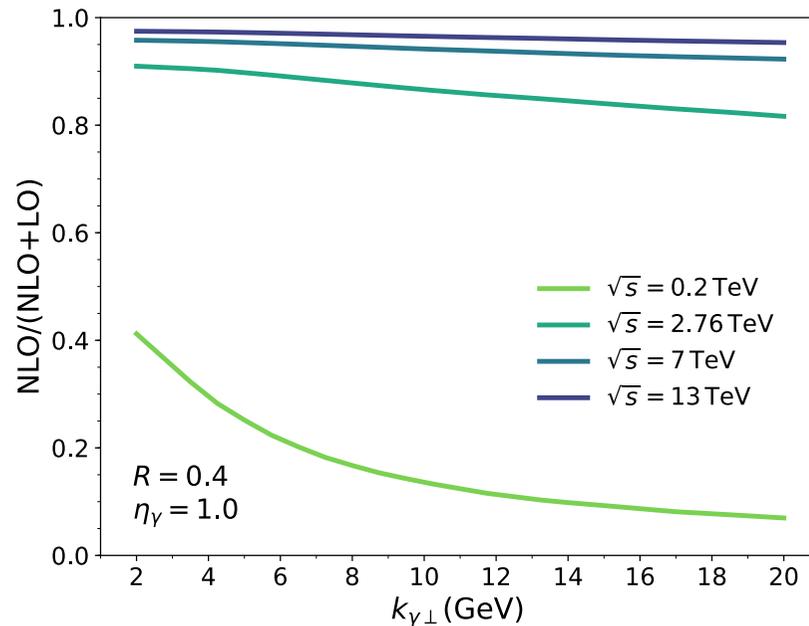
**Discussed here!**

**This is only a schematic picture,  
and the reality involves many other diagrams**

# LO vs. NLO with CGC



**Benic-Fukushima-Garcia-Montero-Venugopalan (2018)**

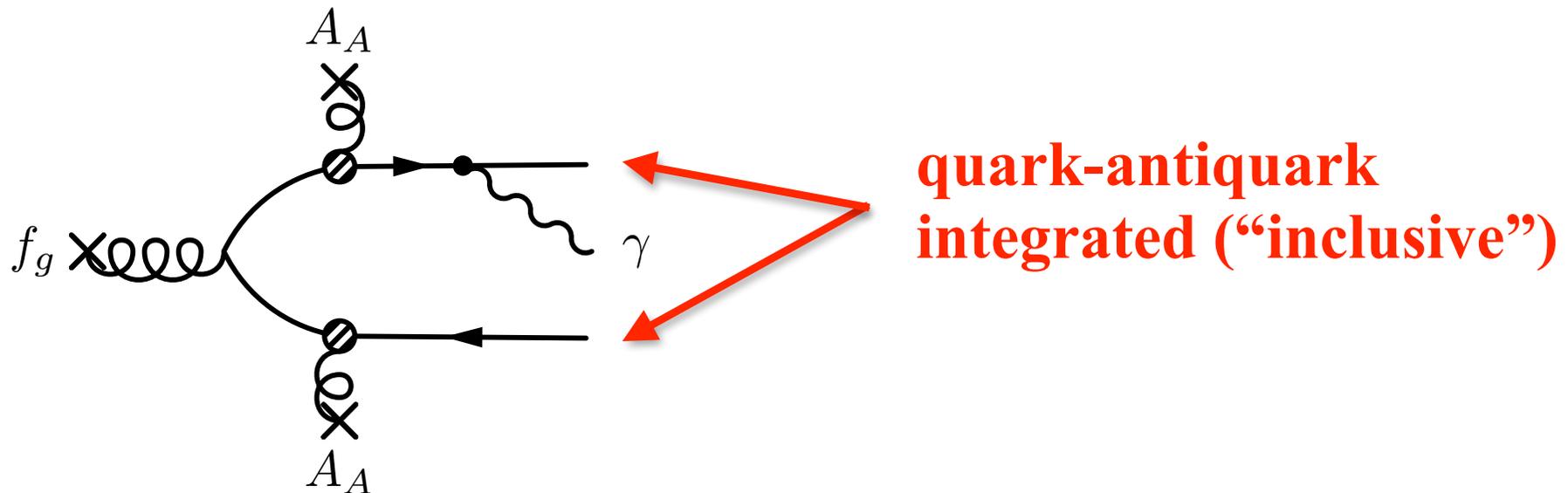


**NLO becomes dominant at higher energies  
and with smaller photon momentum (rapidity)**

# Kinematics

Hard photons  $\rightarrow$  Hard gluons  
(more  $k_t$ -factorized)

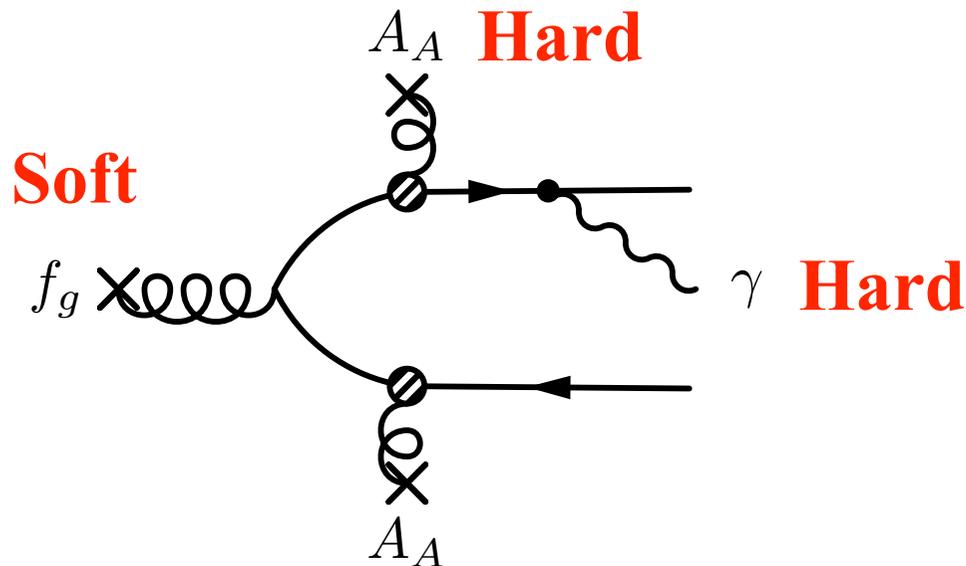
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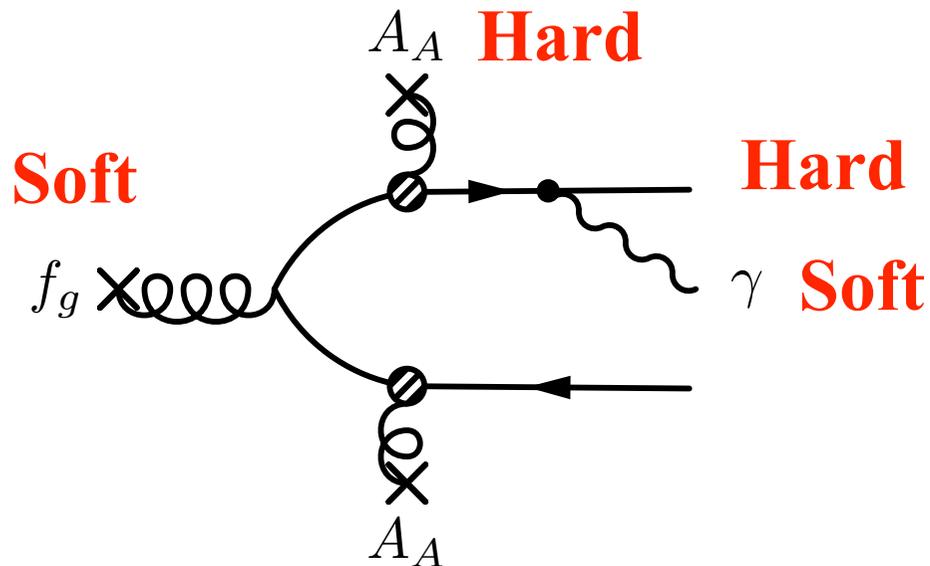
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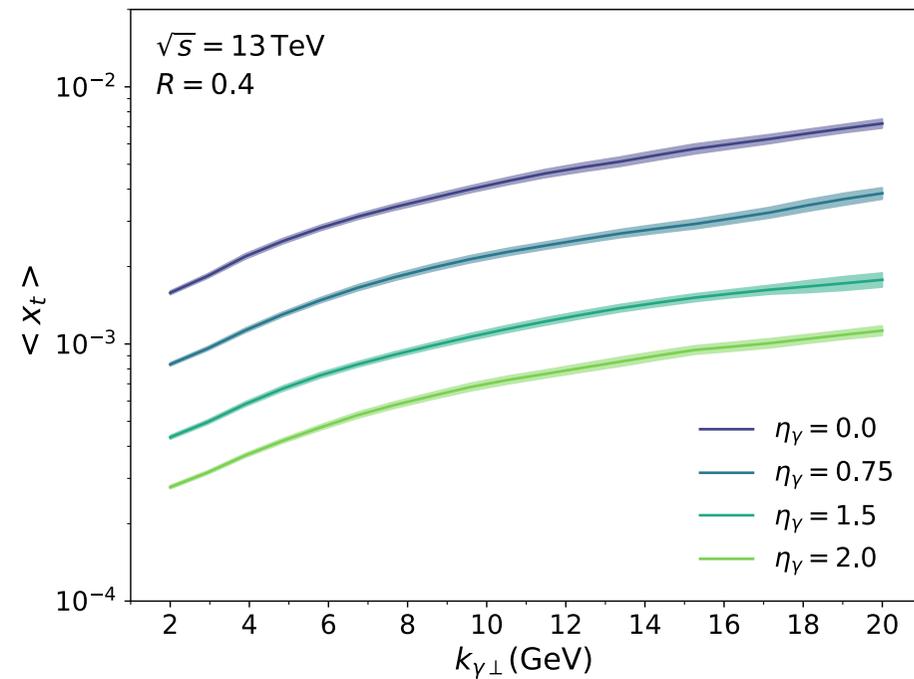
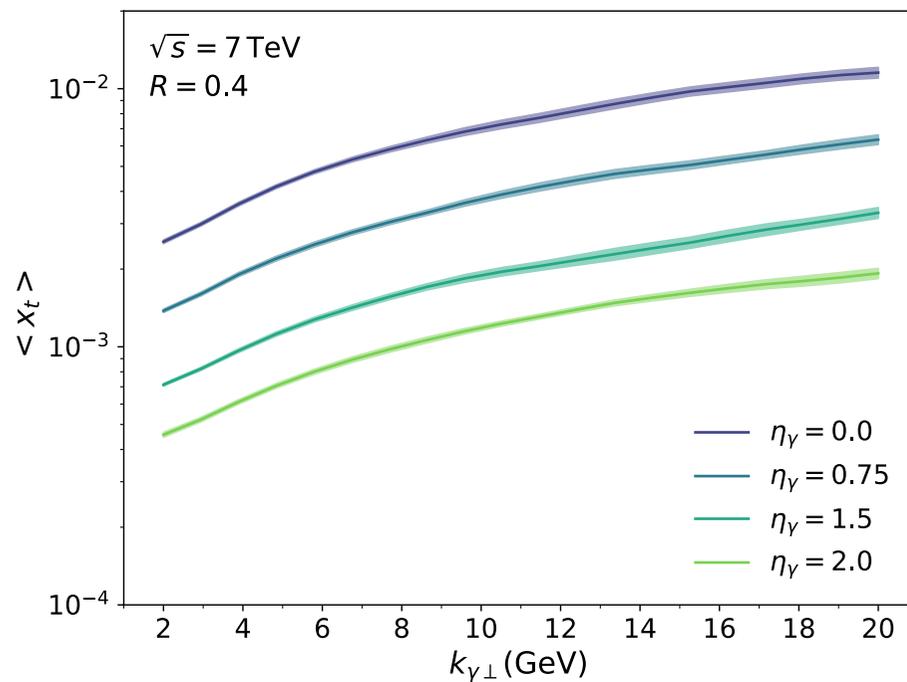
Such processes not  
prohibited by kinematics...

# Relevant $x$



**Benic-Fukushima-Garcia-Montero-Venugopalan (2018)**

**Averaged  $x$  over integrand (dominant contributions)**

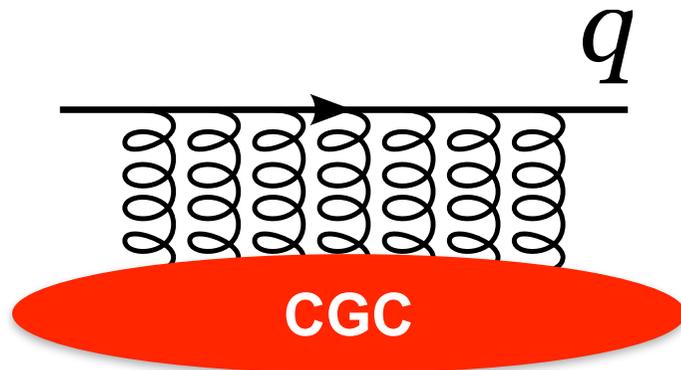


$\log x \sim \log 10^{-3}$  must be resummed  $\rightarrow$  small- $x$  evolution

# Comparison w/wo Resummation



$k_T$  factorized approximation from the expansion of the Wilson line (**no CGC resummation**)

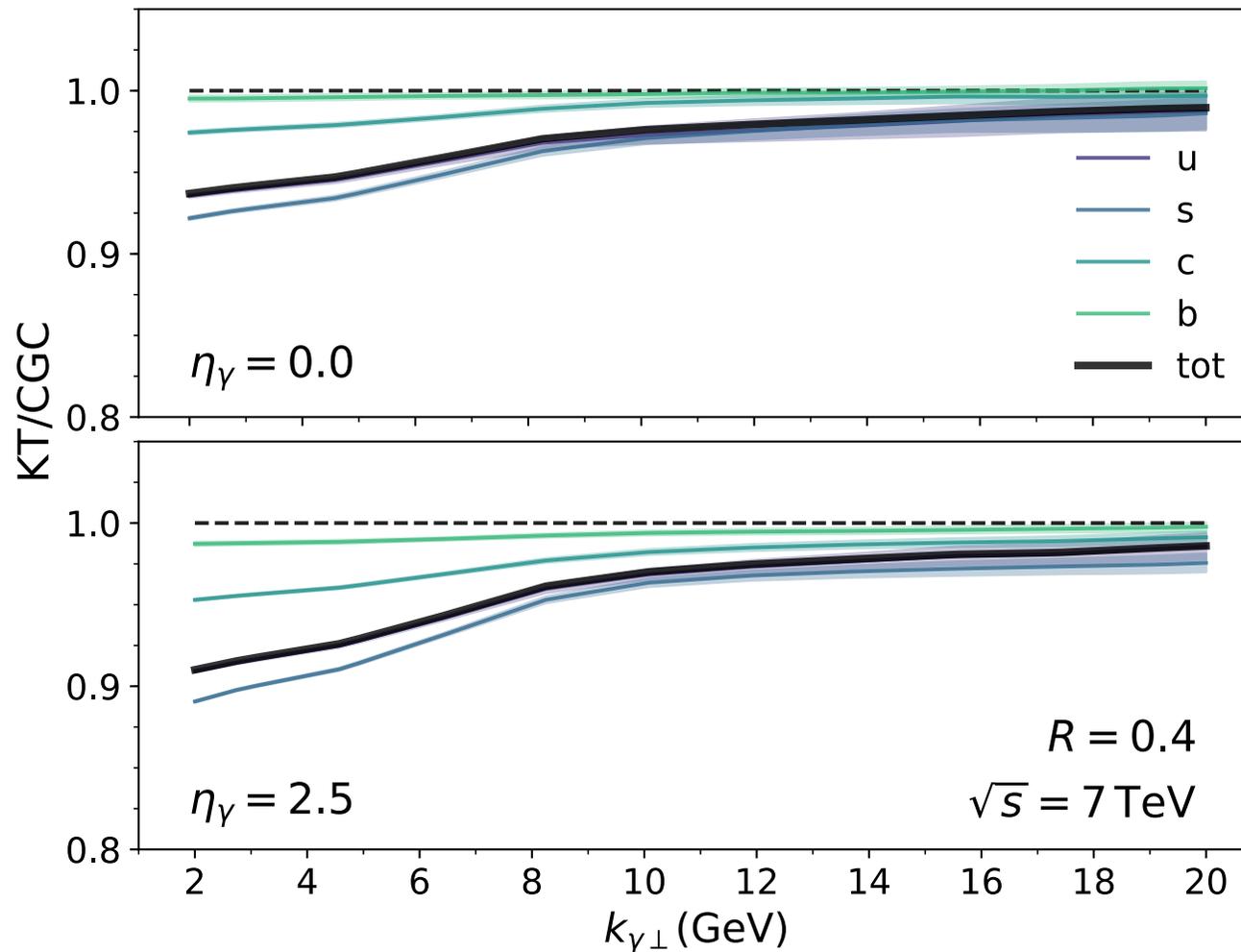


$$U \sim 1 + igA + \frac{1}{2}(igA)^2 + \dots$$

This approximation makes sense when a large momentum (or quark mass) is involved in the considered process

**Many complicated PDF reduced to only one**

# Comparison w/wo Resummation



**10% difference**

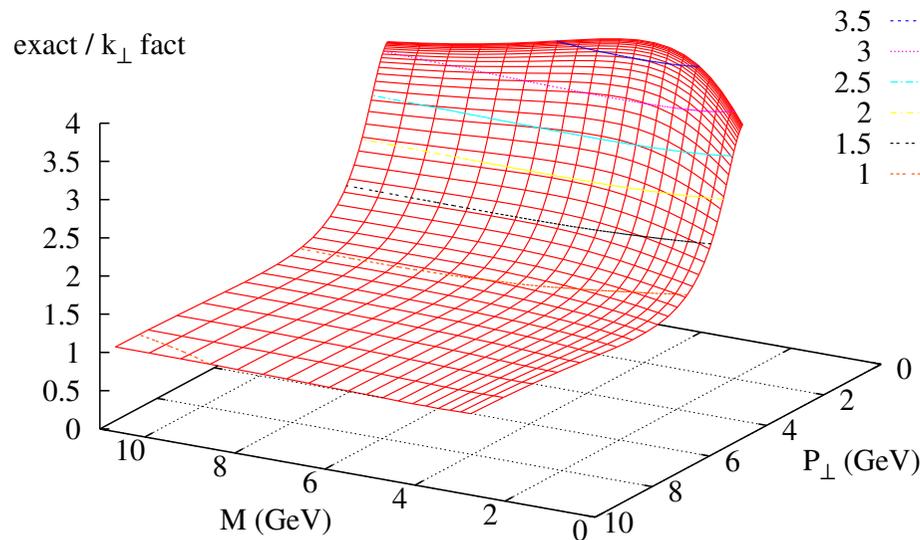
**10% enhancement by saturation (not suppression!)**

# Comparison w/wo Resummation

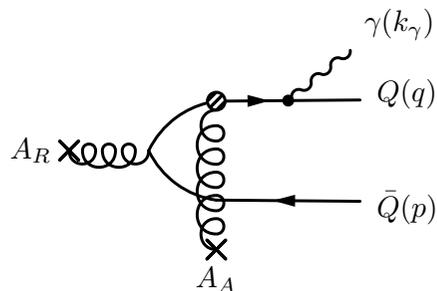


## Similar enhancement also in quark-antiquark

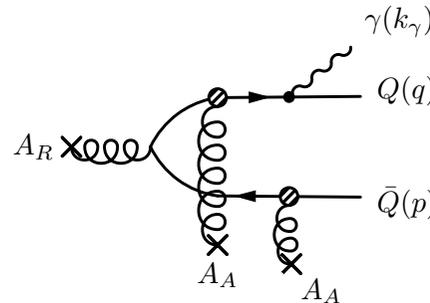
Fujii-Gelis-Venugopalan (2006)



**Enhancement attributed to more phase space**



**Kept**



**Dropped**

# Calculation Details



## LO + NLO (Bremsstrahlung)

(full-CGC) 10-dimensional numerical integration

( $k_T$ -factorized) 8-dimensional numerical integration

**$k_T$ -factorization reduces different PDFs to the same**

**Quark PDF**            CTEQ6M

**Gluon PDF**            MV + rcBK matched to CTEQ6M

(small- $x$  evol. but DGLAP not considered yet...)

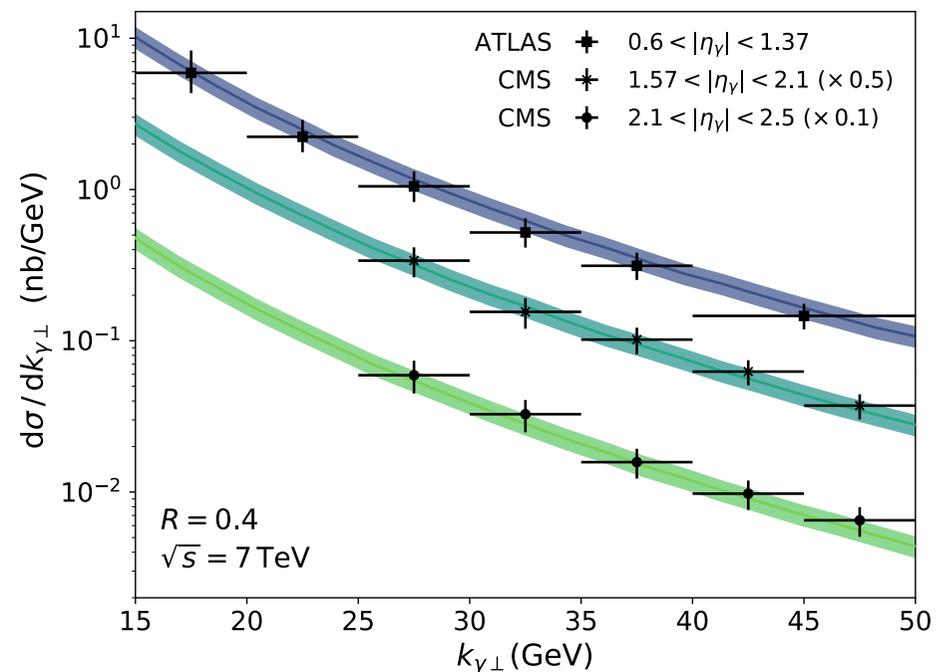
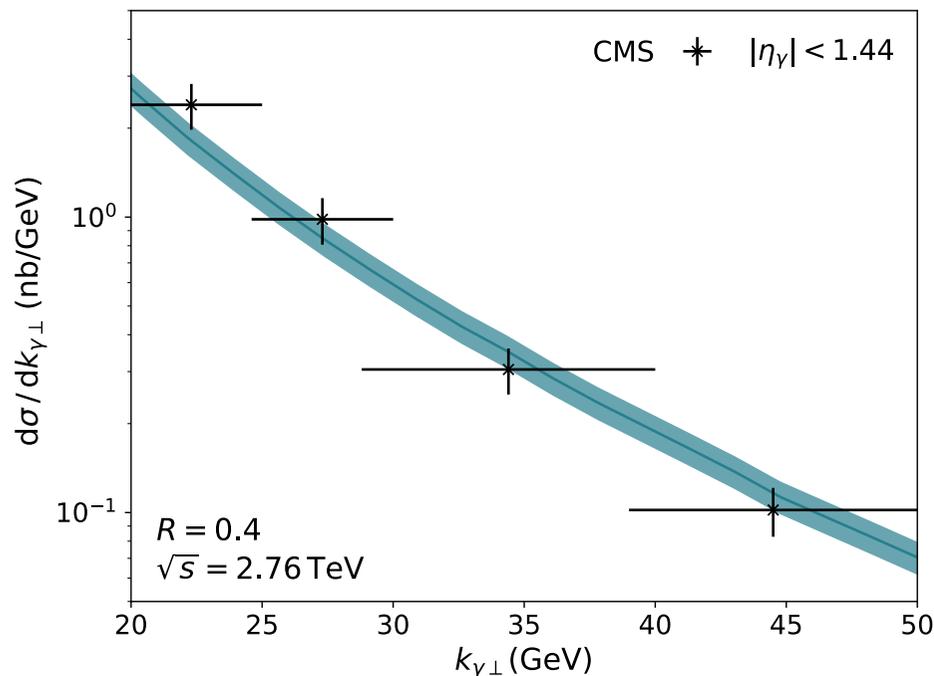
**$K$ -factor**             $K = 2.4$  (cf.  $K = 2.5$  for  $D$ -meson production)

# Comparison to Available Data



Benic-Fukushima-Garcia-Montero-Venugopalan (2018)

## Photons in $pp$ at LHC



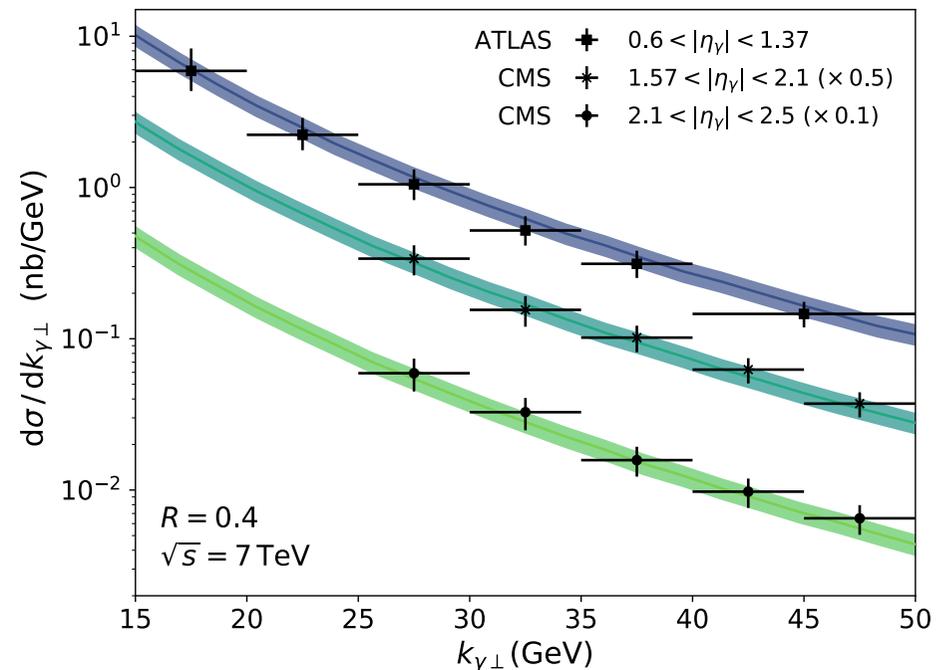
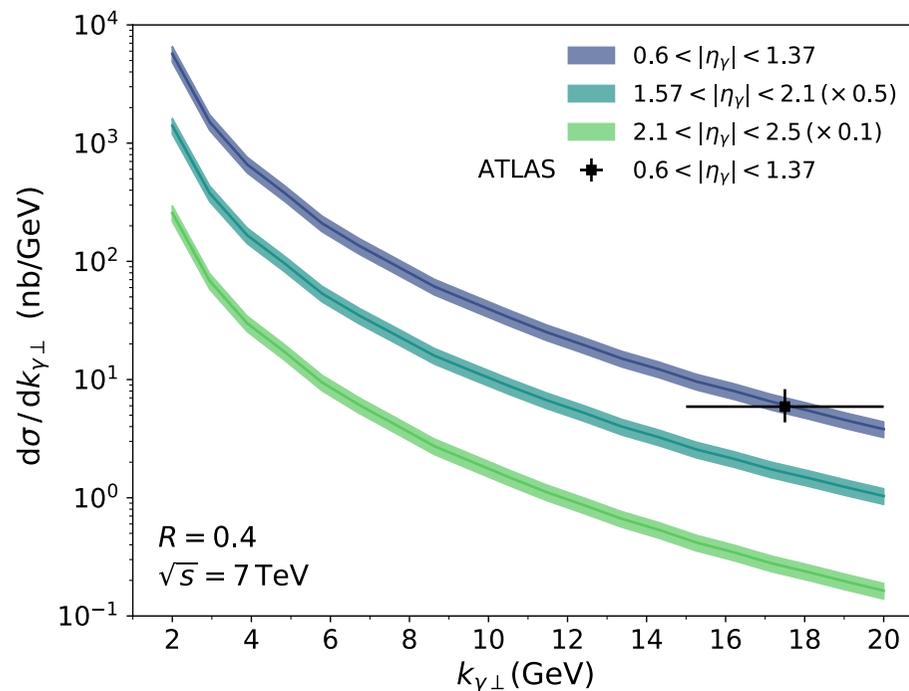
Maybe okay, but maybe DGLAP corrections...

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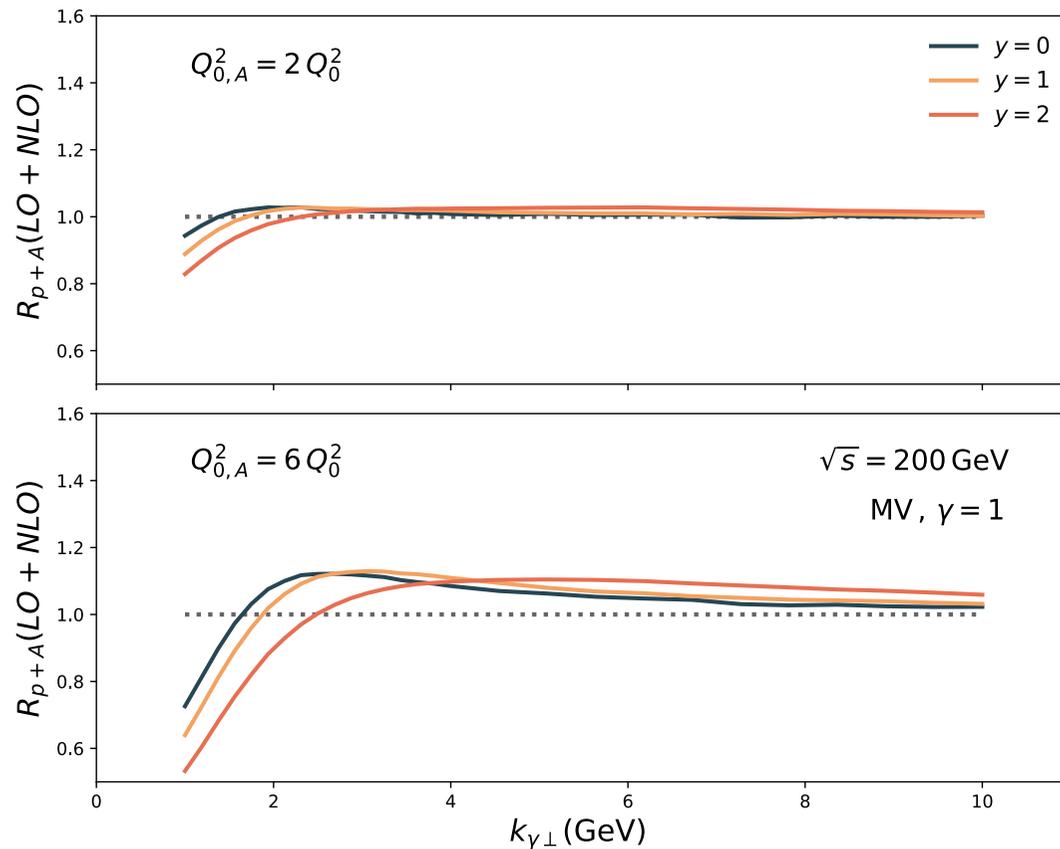


**Enhancement here could signal gluon saturation**

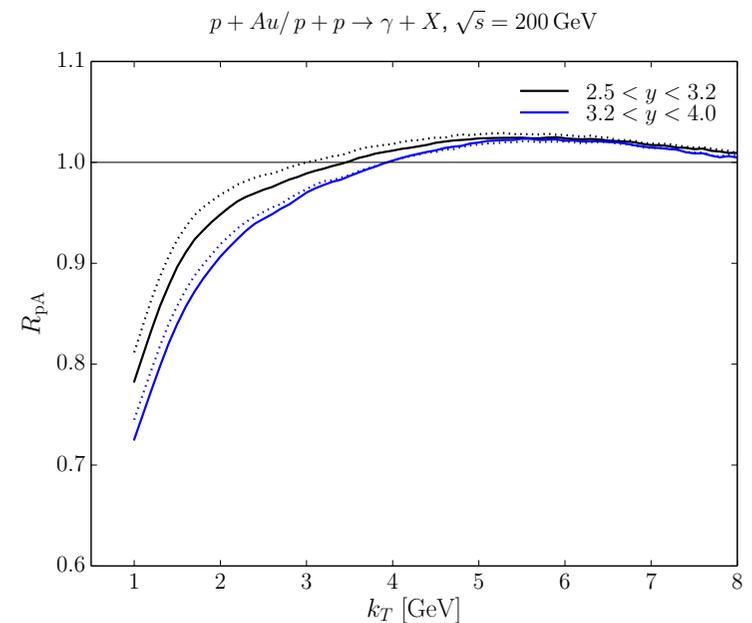
# $R_{pA} : Ours and Theirs$



## Preliminary Results yet...



## cf. Lappi et al's result

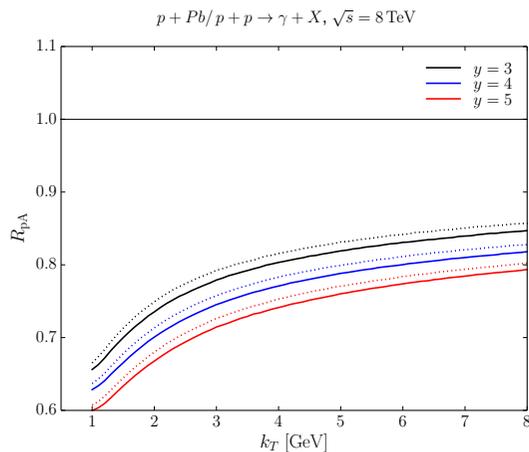
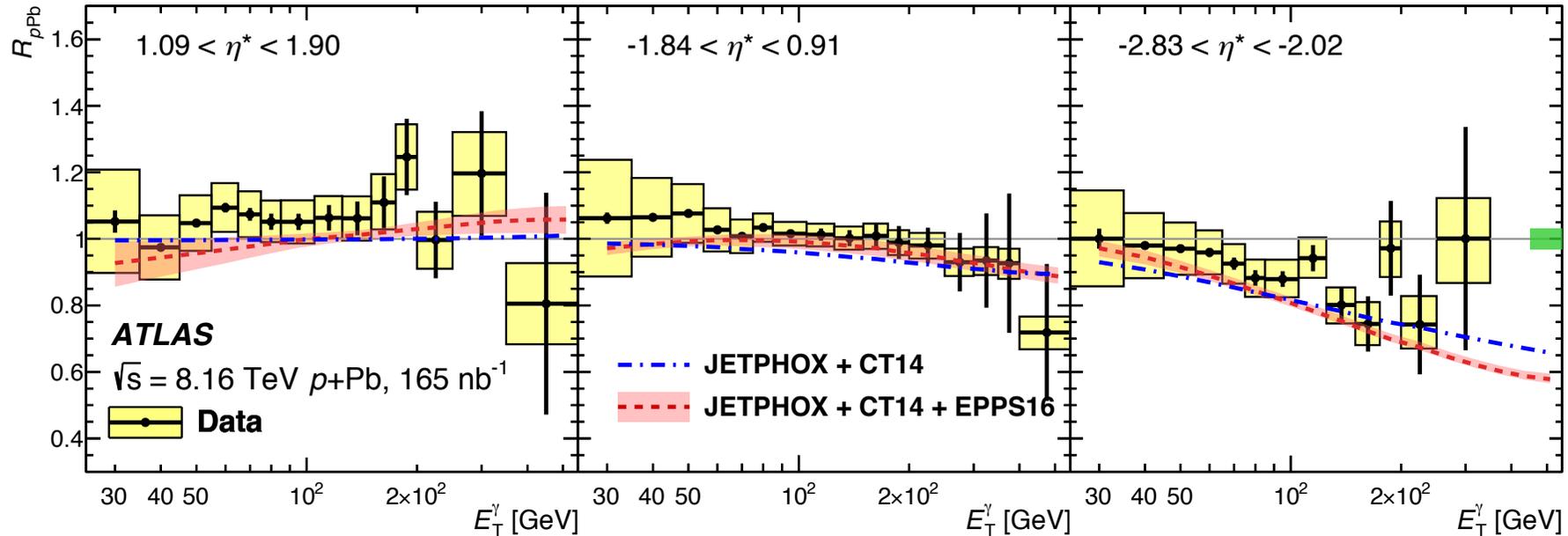


Qualitatively consistent...

# $R_{pA} : Ours and Theirs$



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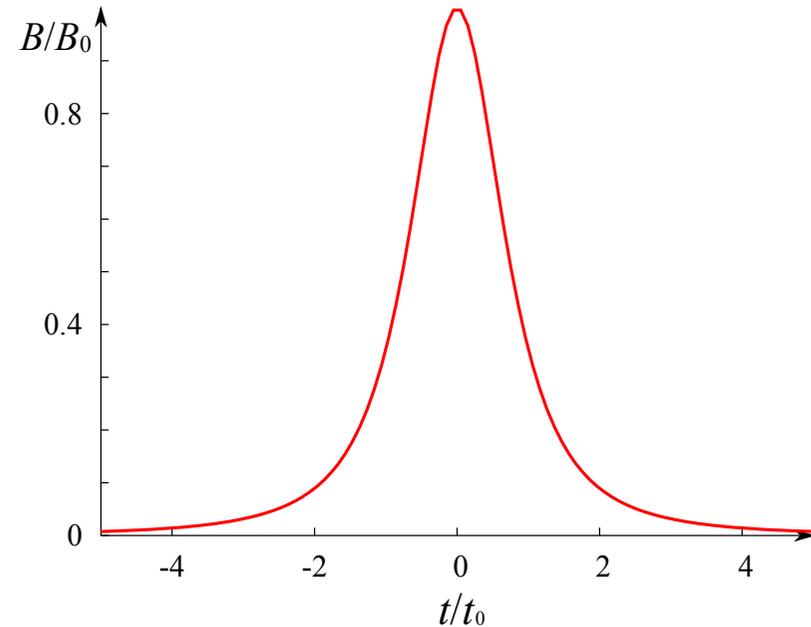
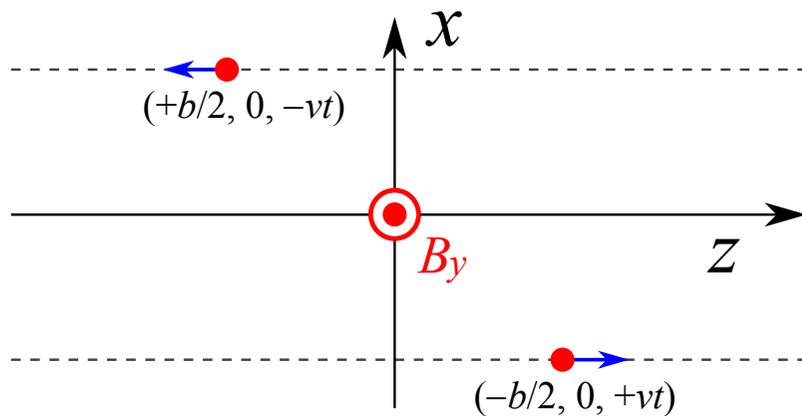


**cf. Lappi et al's result**

**CGC not (yet?) seen...**

# II — Speculative Part

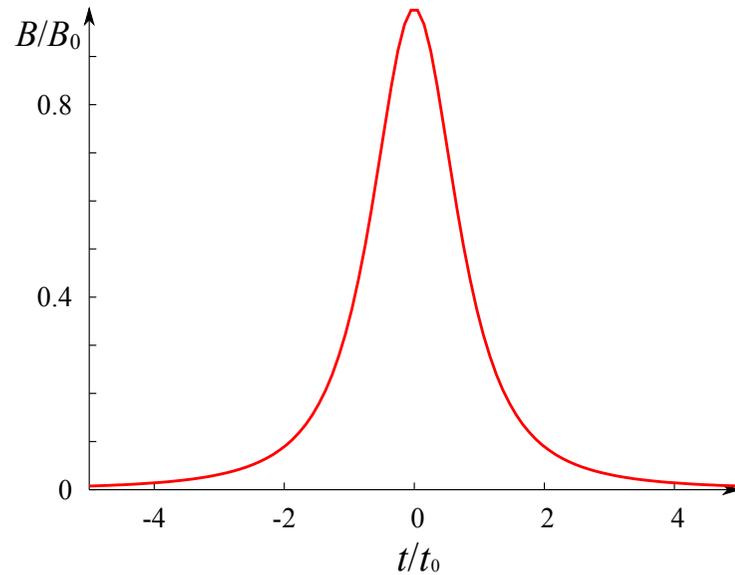
# Time-dependent Magnetic Field



$$eB_0 = \frac{8Z\alpha_e}{b^2} \sinh(Y) = (47.6 \text{ MeV})^2 \left(\frac{1\text{fm}}{b}\right)^2 Z \sinh(Y)$$

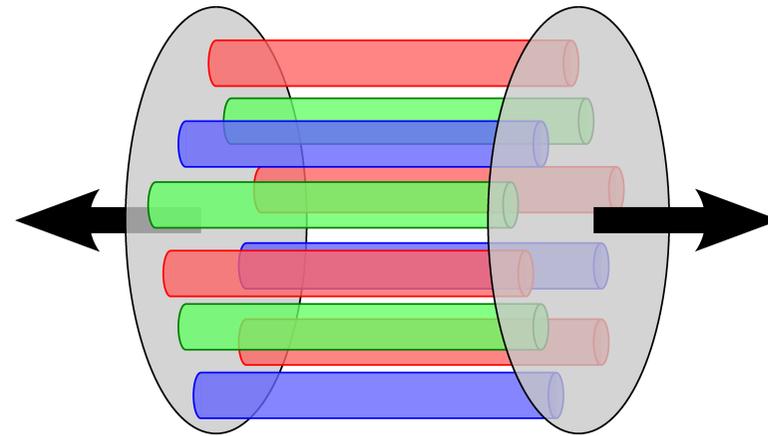
$$t_0 = \frac{b}{2 \sinh(Y)} \quad \text{comparable to } 1/Qs$$

# Time-dependent Magnetic Field



Spatial uniformity would be a good approximation.  
Supplying an energy  $\sim Qs$

## CGC Background



Supplying a momentum  $\sim Qs$



**Real Photon Emission**

# *Time-dependent Magnetic Field*



**This should be a very interesting calculation —**

**People ask: *what is expected from time-dependent  $B$  ?***

**CGC photon significantly affected by strong  $B$  !?  
(Sizable photon  $\nu_2$  can be expected...)**

**But, needless to say, straightforward calculation  
would be technically difficult (but feasible...)**

# Idea

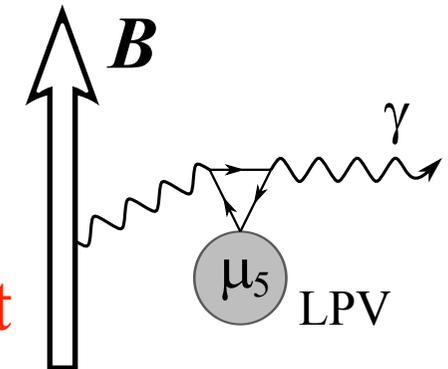
## Anomaly induced photon is easily estimated

Fukushima-Mameda (2012)

$$\mathcal{L}_P = \frac{N_c e^2 \text{tr}(Q^2)}{8N_f \pi^2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} [A_\mu (\partial_\nu A_\rho) + A_\mu \bar{F}_{\nu\rho}] \partial_\sigma \theta$$

Primakoff effect

Chiral magnetic effect



The form of the WZW action is fixed by the anomaly.

If  $B$  and  $\theta$  are space-time dependent,  $A$  can be a real photon.

# Idea

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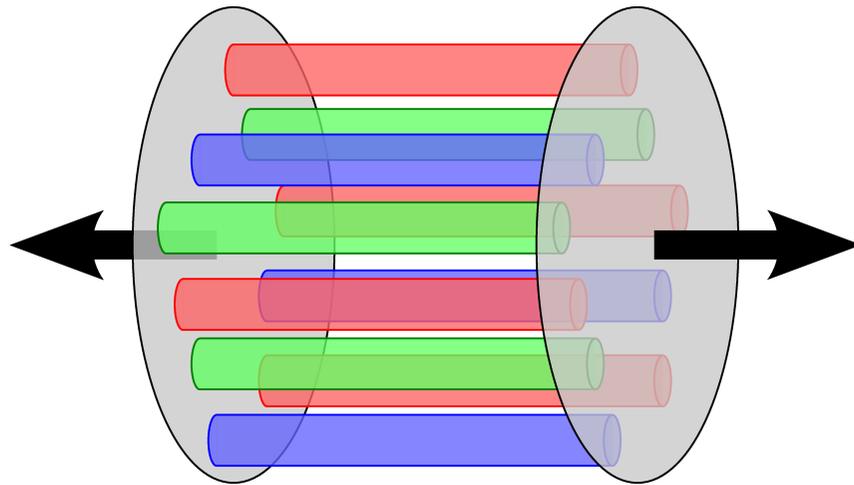
Fukushima-Mameda (2012)

$$\begin{aligned} q_0 \frac{dN_\gamma}{d^3q} &= q_0 \sum_i |\mathcal{M}(i; \mathbf{q})|^2 \\ &= \frac{1 - (q_y)^2 / \mathbf{q}^2}{2(2\pi)^3} \left( \frac{N_c e^2 \text{tr}(Q^2)}{2\pi^2} \int d^4x e^{-iq \cdot x} B(x) \mu_5(x) \right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

**Chiral chemical potential represents LPV, which is caused by initial Glasma fluxes.**

# Idea

**Anomaly induced photon is easily estimated**



**Fukushima-Mameda (2012)**

$$\mathcal{E} \cdot \mathcal{B} \neq 0$$

**Time-evolution of chiral charge can be given by**

$$n_5(t) = N_f \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} \int_0^t dt \operatorname{tr}[\tilde{G}_{\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu}] \quad \text{for massless quarks}$$

**This can be converted to chiral chemical potential.**

# *Idea*



**LPV : Implemented by the MV model**

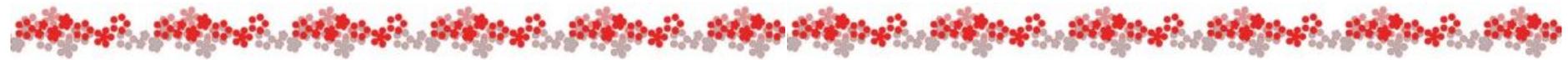
**Magnetic Field : Approximated by Lienard-Wiechert**

**Photon : Estimated by the WZW coupling**

**Rapid decay of the magnetic field emits photon  
catalyzed with the CGC topological background.**

**Concrete results are coming soon!**

# Summary



## ■ NLO+CGC completed

- NLO enhanced over LO by saturated gluons
- Technical developments

## ■ Applied to $pp$ yields and $R_{pA}$

- Enhancement of very soft ( $< 10\text{GeV}$ ) photon
- $R_{pA}$  shows sizable suppression

## ■ CGC+Magnetic Field as a major photon source

- Formulation already available
- Just a matter of time...