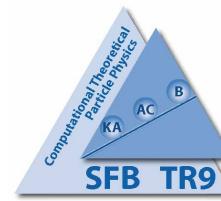


# Recent Results on Three Loop Corrections to Heavy Quark Contributions to DIS Structure Functions

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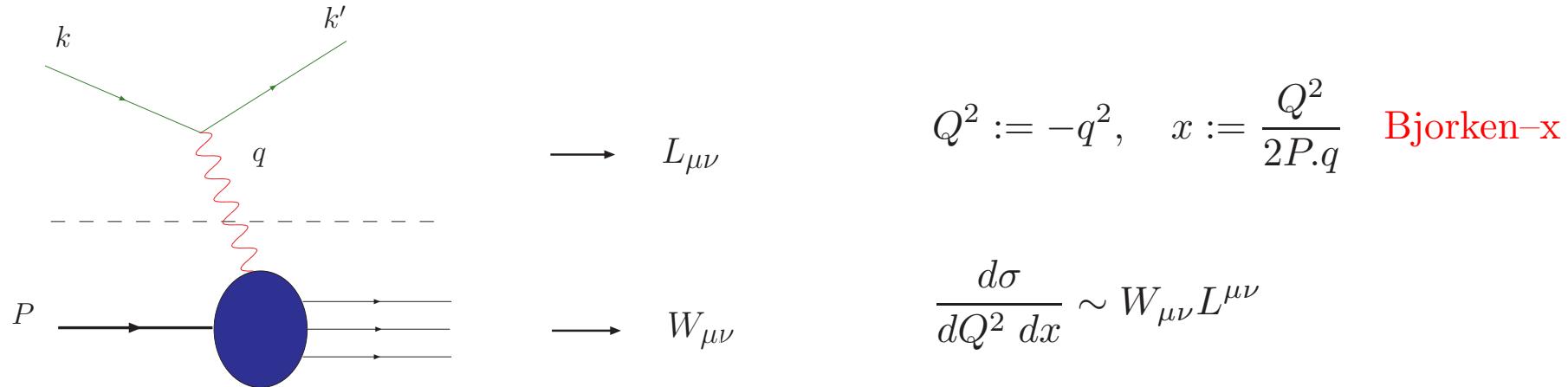


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# Introduction

Unpolarized Deep-Inelastic Scattering (DIS):



$$\begin{aligned}
 W_{\mu\nu}(q, P, s) &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^4\xi \exp(iq\xi) \langle P, s | [J_\mu^{em}(\xi), J_\nu^{em}(0)] | P, s \rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{2x} \left( g_{\mu\nu} - \frac{q_\mu q_\nu}{q^2} \right) F_L(x, Q^2) + \frac{2x}{Q^2} \left( P_\mu P_\nu + \frac{q_\mu P_\nu + q_\nu P_\mu}{2x} - \frac{Q^2}{4x^2} g_{\mu\nu} \right) F_2(x, Q^2) .
 \end{aligned}$$

Structure Functions:  $F_{2,L}$

contain light and heavy quark contributions.

# Factorization of the Structure Functions

At leading twist the structure functions factorize in terms of a Mellin convolution

$$F_{(2,L)}(x, Q^2) = \sum_j \underbrace{\mathbb{C}_{j,(2,L)} \left( x, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right)}_{perturbative} \otimes \underbrace{f_j(x, \mu^2)}_{nonpert.}$$

into (pert.) Wilson coefficients and (nonpert.) parton distribution functions (PDFs).

$\otimes$  denotes the Mellin convolution

$$f(x) \otimes g(x) \equiv \int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 dz \delta(x - yz) f(y) g(z) .$$

The subsequent calculations are performed in Mellin space, where  $\otimes$  reduces to a multiplication, due to the Mellin transformation

$$\hat{f}(N) := \int_0^1 dx x^{N-1} f(x) .$$

Wilson coefficients:

$$\mathbb{C}_{j,(2,L)} \left( N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right) = \textcolor{blue}{C}_{j,(2,L)} \left( N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} \right) + H_{j,(2,L)} \left( N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right) .$$

At  $Q^2 \gg m^2$  the heavy flavor part

$$H_{j,(2,L)} \left( N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}, \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right) = \sum_i \textcolor{blue}{C}_{i,(2,L)} \left( N, \frac{Q^2}{\mu^2} \right) \textcolor{red}{A}_{ij} \left( \frac{m^2}{\mu^2}, N \right)$$

[Buza, Matiounine, Smith, van Neerven 1996 Nucl.Phys.B]

factorizes into the light flavor Wilson coefficients  $C$  and the massive operator matrix elements (OMEs) of local operators  $O_i$  between partonic states  $j$

$$\textcolor{red}{A}_{ij} \left( \frac{m^2}{\mu^2}, N \right) = \langle j \mid O_i \mid j \rangle .$$

→ additional Feynman rules with local operator insertions for partonic matrix elements.

The unpolarized light flavor Wilson coefficients are known up to NNLO

[Moch, Vermaseren, Vogt, 2005 Nucl.Phys.B].

For  $F_2(x, Q^2)$ : at  $Q^2 \gtrsim 10m^2$  the asymptotic representation holds at the 1% level.

# The Heavy Flavor Wilson Coefficients

$$\begin{aligned}
L_{2,q}^{\text{NS}}(n_f) &= a_s^2 \left[ A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS},(2)}(n_f) + \hat{C}_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(2)}(n_f) \right] \\
&+ a_s^3 \left[ A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS},(3)}(n_f) + A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS},(2)}(n_f) C_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(1)}(n_f) + \hat{C}_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(3)}(n_f) \right] \\
\tilde{L}_{2,q}^{\text{PS}}(n_f) &= a_s^3 \left[ \tilde{A}_{qq,Q}^{\text{PS},(3)}(n_f) + A_{gg,Q}^{(2)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) + \hat{\tilde{C}}_{2,q}^{\text{PS},(3)}(n_f) \right] \\
\tilde{L}_{2,g}^{\text{S}}(n_f) &= a_s^2 A_{gg,Q}^{(1)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) \\
&+ a_s^3 \left[ \tilde{A}_{qg,Q}^{(3)}(n_f) + A_{gg,Q}^{(1)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(2)}(n_f + 1) + A_{gg,Q}^{(2)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + A_{Qg}^{(1)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,q}^{\text{PS},(2)}(n_f + 1) + \hat{\tilde{C}}_{2,g}^{(3)}(n_f) \right] \\
H_{2,q}^{\text{PS}}(n_f) &= a_s^2 \left[ A_{Qq}^{\text{PS},(2)}(n_f) + \tilde{C}_{2,q}^{\text{PS},(2)}(n_f + 1) \right] \\
&+ a_s^3 \left[ A_{Qq}^{\text{PS},(3)}(n_f) + \tilde{C}_{2,q}^{\text{PS},(3)}(n_f + 1) + A_{gg,Q}^{(2)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + A_{Qq}^{\text{PS},(2)}(n_f) C_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(1)}(n_f + 1) \right] \\
H_{2,g}^{\text{S}}(n_f) &= a_s \left[ A_{Qg}^{(1)}(n_f) + \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) \right] \\
&+ a_s^2 \left[ A_{Qg}^{(2)}(n_f) + A_{Qg}^{(1)}(n_f) C_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(1)}(n_f + 1) + A_{gg,Q}^{(1)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(2)}(n_f + 1) \right] \\
&+ a_s^3 \left[ A_{Qg}^{(3)}(n_f) + A_{Qg}^{(2)}(n_f) C_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(1)}(n_f + 1) + A_{gg,Q}^{(2)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(1)}(n_f + 1) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + A_{Qg}^{(1)}(n_f) \left[ C_{2,q}^{\text{NS},(2)}(n_f + 1) + \tilde{C}_{2,q}^{\text{PS},(2)}(n_f + 1) \right] + A_{gg,Q}^{(1)}(n_f) \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(2)}(n_f + 1) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \tilde{C}_{2,g}^{(3)}(n_f + 1) \right].
\end{aligned}$$

# Status of OME calculations

**Leading Order:** [Witten, 1976 Nucl.Phys.B; Babcock, Sivers, 1978 Phys.Rev.D; Shifman, Vainshtein, Zakharov, 1978 Nucl.Phys.B; Leveille, Weiler, 1979 Nucl.Phys.B; Glück, Reya, 1979 Phys.Lett.B; Glück, Hoffmann, Reya, 1982 Z.Phys.C.]

**Next-to-Leading Order :** [Laenen, van Neerven, Riemersma, Smith, 1993 Nucl. Phys. B]

[Large  $Q^2/m^2$ : Buza, Matiounine, Smith, Migneron, van Neerven, 1996 Nucl.Phys.B] IBP

[Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein, 2007 Nucl.Phys.B] via  ${}_pF_q$ 's, more compact results

[Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2008 Nucl.Phys.B, 2009 Phys.Lett.B]:  $O(\alpha_s^2 \varepsilon)$  contributions (all  $N$ )

**NNLO:** [Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009 Nucl.Phys.B] Moments for  $F_2$ :  $N = 2 \dots 10(14)$

[Blümlein, Klein, Tödtli 2009 Phys. Rev. D] contrib. to transversity:  $N = 1 \dots 13$

[Ablinger, Blümlein, Klein, Schneider, Wißbrock 2011 Nucl.Phys.B] contrib.  $\propto n_f$  to  $F_2$  (all  $N$ ):

At 3-loop order known:

- $A_{qq,Q}^{\text{PS}}, A_{qg,Q}$ : complete;  $A_{Qg}, A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}}, A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}}, A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS,TR}}$ : all terms of  $O(n_f T_F^2 C_{A/F})$
- $A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}}, A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}} A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS,TR}}$ : all terms of  $O(T_F^2 C_{A/F})$
- $A_{gq,Q}, A_{gg,Q}$ : see [this talk](#) → all terms of  $O(n_f T_F^2 C_{A/F})$
- Ladder and Benz topologies with a single massive line: first results [this talk](#).

## VFNS Relations for PDFs

The matching conditions for the VFNS:

[Buza, Matiounine, Smith, van Neerven 1998 Eur.Phys.J.C] → NLO

[Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009 Nucl.Phys.B] → NNLO

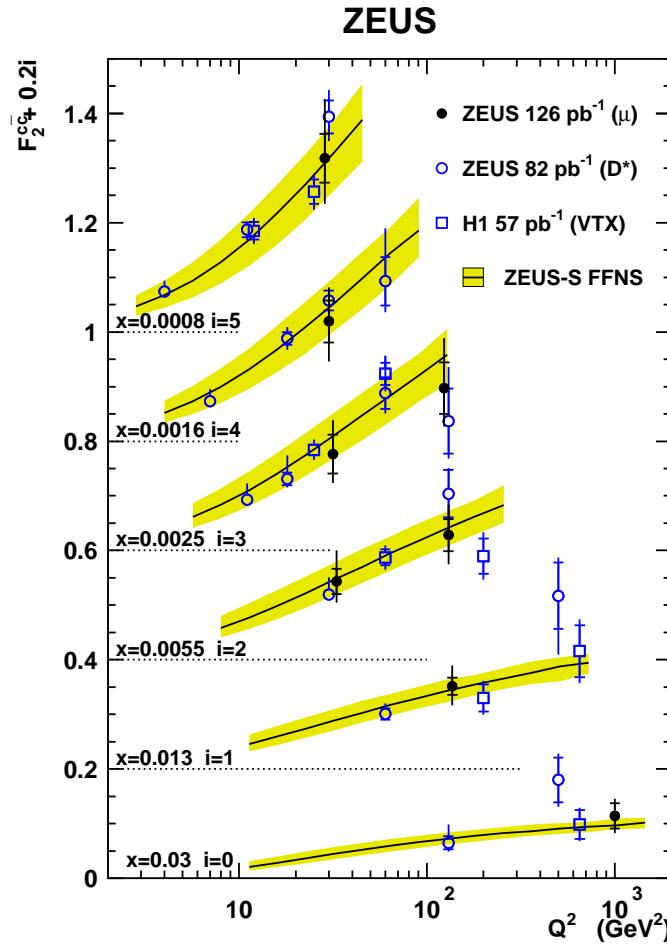
$$\begin{aligned} f_k(N, n_f + 1, \mu^2, m^2) + f_{\bar{k}}(N, n_f + 1, \mu^2, m^2) \\ = A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS}} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes [f_k(N, n_f, \mu^2, m^2) + f_{\bar{k}}(N, n_f, \mu^2, m^2)] \\ + \frac{1}{n_f} A_{qq,Q}^{\text{PS}} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes \Sigma(N, n_f, \mu^2, x) + \frac{1}{n_f} A_{qg,Q} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes G(N, n_f, \mu^2, x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_Q(N, n_f + 1, \mu^2, m^2) + f_{\bar{Q}}(N, n_f + 1, \mu^2, m^2) \\ = A_{Qq}^{\text{PS}} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes \Sigma(N, n_f, \mu^2, m^2) + A_{Qg} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes G(N, n_f, \mu^2, m^2) \end{aligned}$$

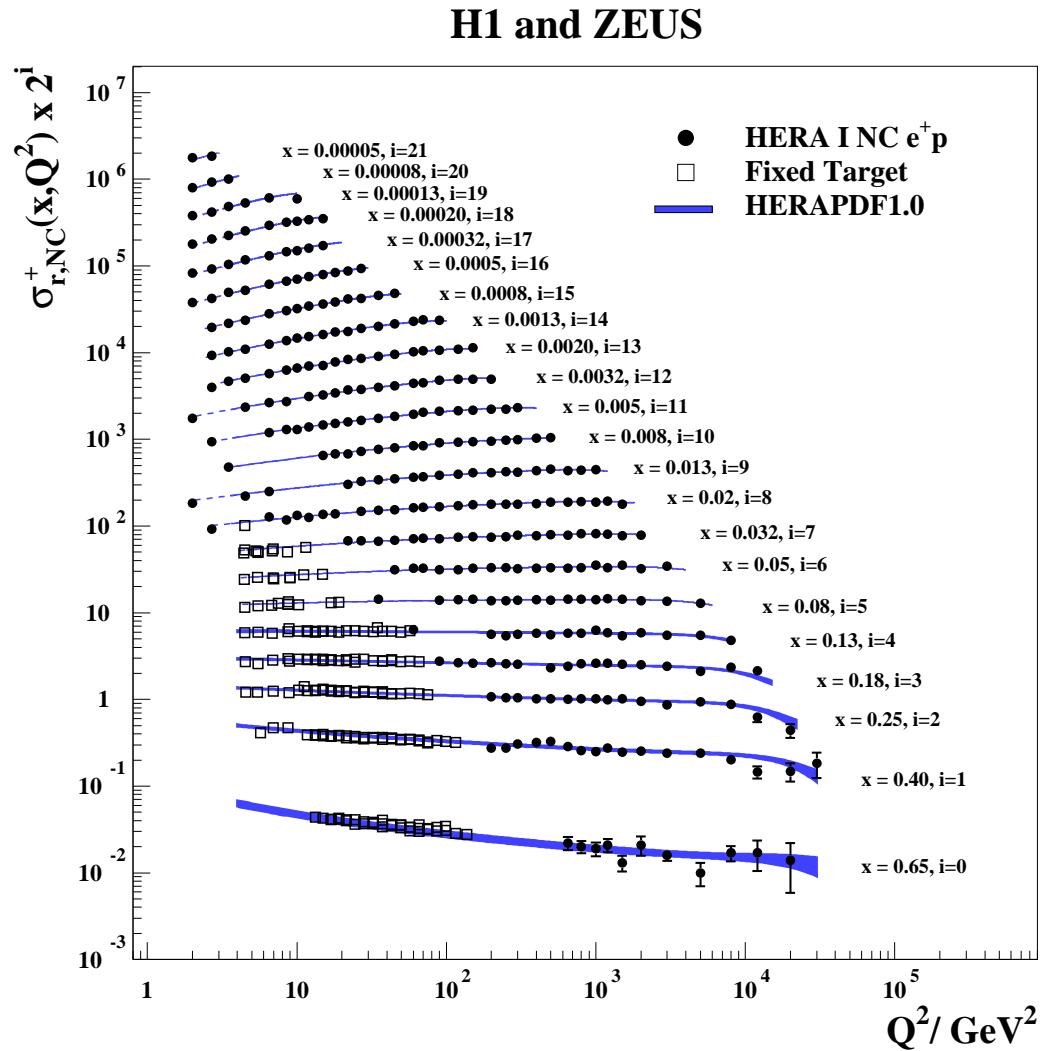
$$\begin{aligned} G(N, n_f + 1, \mu^2, m^2) \\ = A_{gq,Q} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes \Sigma(N, n_f, \mu^2, m^2) + A_{gg,Q} \left( N, n_f, \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} \right) \otimes G(N, n_f, \mu^2, m^2) \end{aligned}$$

where:  $\left( \Sigma(N, n_f, \dots) = \sum_{k=1}^{n_f} (f_k + f_{\bar{k}}), \quad n_f = 3 \right)$

$$F_2^{c\bar{c}}(x, Q^2)$$



- different scaling violations compared to massless  $F_2(x, Q^2)$
- massive contributions at lower values of  $x$  are of order 20% – 35%.



- Comparable theoretical precision required.
- Massive contributions needed!

# The $O(n_f T_F^2 \alpha_s^3)$

calculation of the  $O(N_F T_F^2)$  contributions:

- generation of Diagrams with **QGRAF** [Nogueira 1993 J. Comput. Phys] → for gluonic OMEs: 76 Diagrams
- momentum integrals (regularized in  $4 + \varepsilon$  dimensions) → Feynman parameterization → finite sums and hypergeometric functions
- All- $\varepsilon$  representation: maximum nestedness 4, hypergeometric functions  ${}_3F_2$

Moments were tested using earlier calculations based on **MATAD** by [M. Steinhauser, 2000 CPC].

Then the package **Sigma** [C. Schneider, 2005–] is used for:

- reducing the sums to a small number of key sums
  - expanding the summands in  $\varepsilon$
  - simplifying by symbolic summation algorithms based on  $\Pi\Sigma$ -fields [Karr 1981 J. ACM, Schneider 2005–]
  - harmonic sums are algebraically reduced using the package **HarmonicSums** (Ablinger) [Ablinger, Blümlein, Schneider 2011]
- harmonic sums and  $\zeta$ -values

$$S_{a_1, \dots, a_m}(N) = \sum_{n_1=1}^N \sum_{n_2=1}^{n_1} \dots \sum_{n_m=1}^{n_{m-1}} \frac{(\text{sign}(a_1))^{n_1}}{n_1^{|a_1|}} \frac{(\text{sign}(a_2))^{n_2}}{n_2^{|a_2|}} \dots \frac{(\text{sign}(a_m))^{n_m}}{n_m^{|a_m|}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
A_{ggQ}^{n_f T_f^2 \text{1PI}} = & S_\varepsilon^3 a_s^3 n_f T_F^2 \frac{1 + (-1)^N}{2} \left( \frac{m^2}{\mu^2} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}\varepsilon} \left\{ \frac{1}{\varepsilon^3} \left( \textcolor{red}{C_A} \left[ \frac{512}{27} S_1 - \frac{64(3N^4 + 6N^3 + 13N^2 + 10N + 16)}{27(N-1)N(N+1)(N+2)} \right] \right. \right. \\
& - \textcolor{red}{C_F} \frac{512(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{9(N-1)N^2(N+1)^2(N+2)} \Big) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} \left( \textcolor{red}{C_A} \left[ \frac{1280}{81} S_1 - \frac{16P_1}{81(N-1)N^2(N+1)^2(N+2)} \right] \right. \\
& + \textcolor{red}{C_F} \frac{1}{(N-1)(N+2)} \left[ \frac{128(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{9N^2(N+1)^2} S_1 - \frac{128P_2}{27N^3(N+1)^3} \right] \Big) \\
& + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left( \textcolor{red}{C_A} \frac{1}{(N-1)(N+2)} \left[ -\frac{4P_8}{81N^3(N+1)^3} - \frac{8(3N^4 + 6N^3 + 13N^2 + 10N + 16)}{9N(N+1)} \zeta_2 \right. \right. \\
& + \frac{32P_9}{27N^2(N+1)^2} S_1 + \frac{64}{9}(N-1)(N+2)\zeta_2 S_1 \Big] + \textcolor{red}{C_F} \frac{1}{(N-1)(N+2)} \left[ -\frac{160(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{9N^2(N+1)^2} S_1^2 \right. \\
& - \frac{64(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{3N^2(N+1)^2} \zeta_2 + \frac{32(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{3N^2(N+1)^2} S_2 - \frac{64P_{10}}{81N^4(N+1)^4} + \frac{64P_{11}}{27N^3(N+1)^3} S_1 \Big] \Big) \\
& + \textcolor{red}{C_A} \frac{1}{(N-1)(N+2)} \left[ \frac{4P_3}{27N^2(N+1)^2} S_1^2 + \frac{8P_4}{729N^3(N+1)^3} S_1 + \frac{160}{27}(N-1)(N+2)\zeta_2 S_1 \right. \\
& - \frac{448}{27}(N-1)(N+2) \zeta_3 S_1 + \frac{P_5}{729N^4(N+1)^4} - \frac{2P_6}{27N^2(N+1)^2} \zeta_2 - \frac{4P_7}{27N^2(N+1)^2} S_2 \\
& \left. + \frac{56(3N^4 + 6N^3 + 13N^2 + 10N + 16)}{27N(N+1)} \zeta_3 \right] + \textcolor{red}{C_F} \frac{1}{(N-1)(N+2)} \left[ \frac{112(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{27N^2(N+1)^2} S_1^3 \right. \\
& - \frac{16P_{12}}{27N^3(N+1)^3} S_1^2 + \frac{32P_{13}}{81N^4(N+1)^4} S_1 + \frac{16(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{3N^2(N+1)^2} \zeta_2 S_1 + \frac{16(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{3N^2(N+1)^2} S_2 S_1 \\
& - \frac{32P_{14}}{243N^5(N+1)^5} - \frac{16P_2}{9N^3(N+1)^3} \zeta_2 + \frac{448(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{9N^2(N+1)^2} \zeta_3 + \frac{16P_{15}}{9N^3(N+1)^3} S_2 - \frac{160(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{27N^2(N+1)^2} \zeta_3 S_3 \Big] \Big\}
\end{aligned}$$

General structure of unrenormalized OMEs:  $A_{ij}^{(3)} = \frac{1}{\varepsilon^3} A_{ij}^{(-3)} + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} A_{ij}^{(-2)} + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} A_{ij}^{(-1)} + a_{ij}^{(3)}$

The renormalization determines the **coefficients of the  $\varepsilon$ -poles** in terms of lower order quantities:

The structure of the unrenormalized OME: [Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009 Nucl.Phys.B]

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{A}_{gg,Q}^{(3)} &= \left(\frac{\hat{m}^2}{\mu^2}\right)^{3\varepsilon/2} \left[ \frac{1}{\varepsilon^3} \left( -\frac{\gamma_{gq}^{(0)} \hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(0)}}{6} \left[ \gamma_{gg}^{(0)} - \gamma_{qq}^{(0)} + 6\beta_0 + 4n_f \beta_{0,Q} + 10\beta_{0,Q} \right] - \frac{2\gamma_{gg}^{(0)} \beta_{0,Q}}{3} \left[ 2\beta_0 + 7\beta_{0,Q} \right] \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. - \frac{4\beta_{0,Q}}{3} \left[ 2\beta_0^2 + 7\beta_{0,Q}\beta_0 + 6\beta_{0,Q}^2 \right] \right) + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} \left( \frac{\hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(0)}}{6} \left[ \gamma_{gq}^{(1)} - (2n_f - 1)\hat{\gamma}_{gq}^{(1)} \right] + \frac{\gamma_{gq}^{(0)} \hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(1)}}{3} - \frac{\hat{\gamma}_{gg}^{(1)}}{3} \left[ 4\beta_0 + 7\beta_{0,Q} \right] \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \frac{2\beta_{0,Q}}{3} \left[ \gamma_{gg}^{(1)} + \beta_1 + \beta_{1,Q} \right] + \frac{2\gamma_{gg}^{(0)} \beta_{1,Q}}{3} + \delta m_1^{(-1)} \left[ -\hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(0)} \gamma_{gq}^{(0)} - 2\beta_{0,Q} \gamma_{gg}^{(0)} - 10\beta_{0,Q}^2 - 6\beta_{0,Q}\beta_0 \right] \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left( \frac{\hat{\gamma}_{gg}^{(2)}}{3} - 2(2\beta_0 + 3\beta_{0,Q}) \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{gg},Q}^{(2)} - n_f \hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(0)} \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{gq},Q}^{(2)} + \gamma_{gq}^{(0)} \mathbf{a}_{\mathbf{Qg}}^{(2)} + \beta_{1,Q}^{(1)} \gamma_{gg}^{(0)} + \frac{\gamma_{gq}^{(0)} \hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(0)} \zeta_2}{16} \left[ \gamma_{gg}^{(0)} - \gamma_{qq}^{(0)} \right. \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. \left. + 2(2n_f + 1)\beta_{0,Q} + 6\beta_0 \right] + \frac{\beta_{0,Q} \zeta_2}{4} \left[ \gamma_{gg}^{(0)} \{2\beta_0 - \beta_{0,Q}\} + 4\beta_0^2 - 2\beta_{0,Q}\beta_0 - 12\beta_{0,Q}^2 \right] \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + \delta m_1^{(-1)} \left[ -3\delta m_1^{(-1)} \beta_{0,Q} - 2\delta m_1^{(0)} \beta_{0,Q} - \hat{\gamma}_{gg}^{(1)} \right] + \delta m_1^{(0)} \left[ -\hat{\gamma}_{qg}^{(0)} \gamma_{gq}^{(0)} - 2\gamma_{gg}^{(0)} \beta_{0,Q} - 4\beta_{0,Q}\beta_0 - 8\beta_{0,Q}^2 \right] \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. \left. + 2\delta m_2^{(-1)} \beta_{0,Q} \right) + a_{gg,Q}^{(3)} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

We **confirm** the  $n_f T_F^2$  part of the 3-Loop anomalous dimension in a first diagrammatic recalculation:

[Moch, Vermaseren, Vogt 2004 Nucl.Phys.B]

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\gamma}_{gg}^{(2)} &= n_f T_F^2 \mathbf{C_A} \left[ -\frac{32(8N^6 + 24N^5 - 19N^4 - 78N^3 - 253N^2 - 210N - 96)}{27(N-1)N^2(N+1)^2(N+2)} S_1 \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{8(87N^8 + 348N^7 + 848N^6 + 1326N^5 + 2609N^4 + 3414N^3 + 2632N^2 + 1088N + 192)}{27(N-1)N^3(N+1)^3(N+2)} \right] \\ &\quad + n_f T_F^2 \mathbf{C_F} \left[ \frac{64(N^2 + N + 2)^2}{3(N-1)N^2(N+1)^2(N+2)} (S_1^2 - 3S_2) - \frac{16P_1}{27(N-1)N^4(N+1)^4(N+2)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{128(4N^6 + 3N^5 - 50N^4 - 129N^3 - 100N^2 - 56N - 24)}{9(N-1)N^3(N+1)^3(N+2)} S_1 \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}P_1 &= 33N^{10} + 165N^9 + 256N^8 - 542N^7 - 3287N^6 - 8783N^5 - 11074N^4 - 9624N^3 \\ &\quad - 5960N^2 - 2112N - 288\end{aligned}$$

Furthermore the  $O(n_f T_F^2)$  contributions to the OME  $A_{gq,Q}$  have been computed.

Here we **confirm** the  $n_f$  contribution to the anomalous dimension  $\gamma_{gq}^{(2)}$

[Moch, Vermaseren, Vogt 2004 Nucl.Phys.B] in an independent calculation.

Results for the  $O(n_f T_F^2)$  contributions to the polarized OMEs  $A_{Qg}^{(3)}$ ,  $A_{qg,Q}^{(3)}$ ,  $A_{gg,Q}^{(3)}$ ,  $A_{gq,Q}^{(3)}$ ,  $A_{qq,Q}^{\text{PS},(3)}$  and  $A_{Qq}^{\text{PS},(3)}$  have also been obtained.

# Graphs with $m_c$ and $m_b$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_{Qg}^{(3)}(N=6) = & T_F^2 C_A \left\{ \frac{69882273800453}{367569090000} - \frac{395296}{19845} \zeta_3 + \frac{1316809}{39690} \zeta_2 + \frac{832369820129}{14586075000} x + \frac{1511074426112}{624023544375} x^2 - \frac{84840004938801319}{690973782403905000} x^3 \right. \\
& + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{11771644229}{194481000} + \frac{78496}{2205} \zeta_2 - \frac{1406143531}{69457500} x - \frac{105157957}{180093375} x^2 + \frac{2287164970759}{7669816654500} x^3 \right] \\
& + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{2668087}{79380} + \frac{112669}{661500} x - \frac{49373}{51975} x^2 - \frac{31340489}{34054020} x^3 \right] + \ln^3\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{324148}{19845} + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{156992}{6615} \\
& + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{128234}{3969} - \frac{112669}{330750} x + \frac{98746}{51975} x^2 + \frac{31340489}{17027010} x^3 \right] + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln^2\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{68332}{6615} \\
& + \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{83755534727}{583443000} + \frac{78496}{2205} \zeta_2 + \frac{1406143531}{69457500} x + \frac{105157957}{180093375} x^2 - \frac{2287164970759}{7669816654500} x^3 \right] \\
& + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{2668087}{79380} + \frac{112669}{661500} x - \frac{49373}{51975} x^2 - \frac{31340489}{34054020} x^3 \right] + \ln^3\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{412808}{19845} \Big\} \\
& + T_F^2 C_F \left\{ - \frac{3161811182177}{71471767500} + \frac{447392}{19845} \zeta_3 + \frac{9568018}{4862025} \zeta_2 - \frac{64855635472}{2552563125} x + \frac{1048702178522}{97070329125} x^2 + \frac{1980566069882672}{2467763508585375} x^3 \right. \\
& + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{1786067629}{204205050} - \frac{111848}{15435} \zeta_2 - \frac{128543024}{24310125} x - \frac{22957168}{3361743} x^2 - \frac{2511536080}{2191376187} x^3 \right] \\
& + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{3232799}{4862025} + \frac{752432}{231525} x + \frac{177944}{40425} x^2 + \frac{127858928}{42567525} x^3 \right] - \ln^3\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{111848}{19845} - \ln^2\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{223696}{46305} \\
& + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{22238456}{4862025} - \frac{1504864}{231525} x - \frac{355888}{40425} x^2 - \frac{255717856}{42567525} x^3 \right] + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{\mu^2}\right) \ln^2\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{223696}{46305} \\
& + \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ - \frac{24797875607}{1021025250} - \frac{111848}{15435} \zeta_2 + \frac{128543024}{24310125} x + \frac{22957168}{3361743} x^2 + \frac{2511536080}{2191376187} x^3 \right] \\
& + \ln^2\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \left[ \frac{3232799}{4862025} + \frac{752432}{231525} x + \frac{177944}{40425} x^2 + \frac{127858928}{42567525} x^3 \right] - \ln^3\left(\frac{m_c^2}{\mu^2}\right) \frac{1230328}{138915} \Big\} + O(x^4 \ln^3(x))
\end{aligned}$$

These moments have been calculated referring [qexp](#) by Steinhauser et al. [with operator insertions](#). Despite being [universal](#), these contribution do not belong to the charm or bottom PDF. [This is not compatible with the VFNF](#).

## Renormalization of the OMEs:

[Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009 Nucl.Phys.B]

1. include contributions from **reducible** diagrams
2. perform on-shell **mass** renormalization
3. renormalize the **coupling in a MOM-scheme**, using the background field method
4. remove remaining UV singularities through the **Z-factors** of the local operators
5. remove **collinear singularities** via coll. factorization (being different from the former one)
6. transform **coupling constant to  $\overline{\text{MS}}$**
7. choice:  $m$  on-shell or  $m_{\overline{\text{MS}}}$

→ **Generalization** for OMEs with **two different masses** is needed.

# Renormalized result for the OME $A_{qqQ}^{\text{NS},(3)}(m_b, m_c)$

$$\begin{aligned}
A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS},(3)}(m_c^2, m_b^2, Q^2, N) = & T_F^2 C_F \left\{ \left( \frac{2 + 3N + 3N^2}{N(1+N)} - 4S_1 \right) \times \right. \\
& \left( \left[ \frac{128}{2835} \ln^2(x) - \frac{9014}{99225} \ln(x) + \frac{283396}{3472875} \right] x^3 \right. \\
& + \left[ \frac{8}{35} \ln^2(x) - \frac{4232}{3675} \ln(x) + \frac{897044}{385875} \right] x^2 + \left[ -\frac{64}{15} \ln(x) + \frac{1504}{225} \right] x \\
& \frac{496}{27} \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{Q^2}\right) + \frac{496}{81} \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{Q^2}\right) + \frac{32}{27} \ln^3\left(\frac{m_c^2}{Q^2}\right) + \frac{16}{9} \ln^3\left(\frac{m_b^2}{Q^2}\right) \\
& \left. + \frac{16}{9} \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{Q^2}\right) \ln^2\left(\frac{m_c^2}{Q^2}\right) \right) \\
& + \left( \ln\left(\frac{m_c^2}{Q^2}\right) + \ln\left(\frac{m_b^2}{Q^2}\right) \right)^2 \left( -\frac{320}{27} S_1 + \frac{64}{9} S_2 + \frac{8}{27} \frac{P_1(N)}{N^2(1+N)^2} \right) \\
& + \frac{64}{729} S_1 - \frac{1280}{27} \zeta_3 S_1 + \frac{256}{81} S_2 + \frac{1280}{81} S_3 - \frac{256}{27} S_4 \\
& \left. + \frac{320}{27} \frac{(2 + 3N + 3N^2) \zeta_3}{N(1+N)} - \frac{8}{729} \frac{P_2(N)}{N^4(1+N)^4} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

- Results for contributions with two fermions of equal and non-equal mass have also been computed for the OMEs  $A_{Qq}^{\text{PS},(3)}$  and  $A_{qq,Q}^{\text{NS},\text{Tr},(3)}$ .
- The computation of these contributions to the OME  $A_{Qg}$  is in progress.

## New topologies:

New topologies are studied using various methods:

- Representation in terms of **higher hypergeometric functions** (e.g.: Appell functions)
- **Mellin-Barnes** techniques
- Integration in terms of **hyperlogarithms**

Various functions appear in intermediary and final results:

- Hyperlogarithms
- Generalized harmonic Sums:

$$S_{a_1, \dots, a_m}(x_1, \dots, x_m)(N) = \sum_{n_1=1}^N \sum_{n_2=1}^{n_1} \dots \sum_{n_m=1}^{n_{m-1}} \frac{(\text{sign}(a_1))^{n_1} x_1^{n_1}}{n_1^{|a_1|}} \frac{(\text{sign}(a_2))^{n_2} x_2^{n_2}}{n_2^{|a_2|}} \dots \frac{(\text{sign}(a_m))^{n_m} x_m^{n_m}}{n_m^{|a_m|}}$$

[Moch, Uwer, Weinzierl, 2002]

- Cyclotomic sums and cyclotomic HPLs [Ablinger, Blümlein, Schneider, 2011]

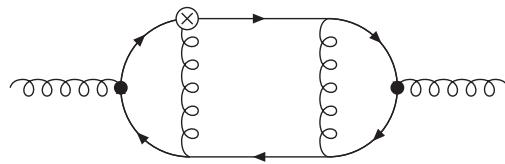
In very recent calculations of diagrams with two massive fermions also a **new** class of **sums** has been observed:

$$\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{4^i}{i} \frac{1}{\binom{2i}{i}} S_2(i-1) = \int_0^1 \frac{dz}{\sqrt{1-z}} \left\{ \ln^2 \left( \frac{1-\sqrt{1-z}}{1+\sqrt{1-z}} \right) - \zeta_2 \right\} \frac{z^N - 1}{z - 1}$$

# Calculation of Convergent Massive 3-Loop Graphs

- Aim:
  - Compute fixed Mellin moments of convergent 3-loop diagrams
  - Find general  $N$  representations for all convergent 3-loop topologies
- Here we work in the  $\alpha$ -representation to calculate the integrals.
- The corresponding graph polynomials of a graph  $G$  are given by
  - $U = \sum_T \prod_{l \notin T} \alpha_l$ , where  $T$  denotes the spanning trees of  $G$
  - $V = \sum_{l \in massive} \alpha_l$
  - different Dodgson polynomials, which can be derived from the corresponding tadpole diagram, for the operator insertions

# Calculation of Convergent Massive 3-Loop Graphs



$$\begin{aligned}
 I_4(N) &= \int \cdots \int d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 d\alpha_3 d\alpha_4 d\alpha_5 d\alpha_6 d\alpha_7 d\alpha_8 \frac{\sum_{j=0}^N T_{4\alpha}^{N-j} T_{4b}^j}{U^2 V^2} \\
 T_{4\alpha} &= \alpha_5 \alpha_7 \alpha_4 + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_5 + \alpha_2 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 + \alpha_3 \alpha_5 \alpha_7 + \alpha_2 \alpha_5 \alpha_8 + \alpha_8 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 + \alpha_5 \alpha_7 \alpha_8 + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_8 \\
 &\quad + \alpha_7 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_6 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_3 \alpha_7 \alpha_2 + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_6 + \alpha_4 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_2 \alpha_6 \alpha_4 + \alpha_4 \alpha_7 \alpha_2 \\
 T_{4b} &= +\alpha_2 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 + \alpha_4 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_4 \alpha_7 \alpha_2 + \alpha_2 \alpha_5 \alpha_8 + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_5 + \alpha_7 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_3 \alpha_7 \alpha_2 + \alpha_8 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 \\
 &\quad + \alpha_5 \alpha_7 \alpha_4 + \alpha_4 \alpha_1 \alpha_8 + \alpha_1 \alpha_7 \alpha_4 + \alpha_3 \alpha_5 \alpha_7 + \alpha_5 \alpha_7 \alpha_8 + \alpha_8 \alpha_1 \alpha_7 + \alpha_1 \alpha_3 \alpha_7 \\
 U &= \alpha_2 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_5 + \alpha_1 \alpha_3 \alpha_5 + \alpha_5 \alpha_7 \alpha_4 + \alpha_1 \alpha_6 \alpha_4 + \alpha_1 \alpha_3 \alpha_6 + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_6 + \alpha_2 \alpha_6 \alpha_4 \\
 &\quad + \alpha_5 \alpha_6 \alpha_4 + \alpha_1 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 + \alpha_3 \alpha_5 \alpha_7 + \alpha_1 \alpha_3 \alpha_7 + \alpha_1 \alpha_7 \alpha_4 + \alpha_3 \alpha_7 \alpha_2 + \alpha_4 \alpha_7 \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 \alpha_5 \alpha_6 \\
 &\quad + \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_8 + \alpha_2 \alpha_5 \alpha_8 + \alpha_5 \alpha_7 \alpha_8 + \alpha_8 \alpha_5 \alpha_4 + \alpha_8 \alpha_5 \alpha_6 + \alpha_5 \alpha_3 \alpha_8 + \alpha_1 \alpha_8 \alpha_5 + \alpha_1 \alpha_8 \alpha_6 \\
 &\quad + \alpha_6 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_1 \alpha_8 \alpha_3 + \alpha_4 \alpha_1 \alpha_8 + \alpha_4 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_7 \alpha_2 \alpha_8 + \alpha_8 \alpha_1 \alpha_7 \\
 V &= \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_4 + \alpha_6 + \alpha_7
 \end{aligned}$$

- The integral above is a projective integral, one  $\alpha$ -parameter may be set 1
- The operators sit on on-shell diagrams which obey specific symmetries. These are generally not obeyed by the operator insertion.
- For the above example : after applying symmetry transformations  $\alpha_1 \rightarrow x_1 - \alpha_2$ ,  $\alpha_3 \rightarrow x_2 - \alpha_4$ ,  $\alpha_5 \rightarrow x_5 - \alpha_6$   $\alpha_2, \alpha_4, \alpha_6$  are only contained in the operator polynomials and may be integrated out at this stage.

# Calculation of Convergent Massive 3-Loop Graphs

- Feynman parameter integrals are performed in terms of **Hyperlogarithms**,

[Brown 2008 Comm. Math. Phys.]

$$L(\vec{w}, z) : \mathbb{C} \setminus \Sigma \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \text{ where}$$

- $\Sigma = \{\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_N\}$  are distinct points in  $\mathbb{C}$  which may contain variables
- $\vec{w}$  is a word over the alphabet  $\mathfrak{A} = \{a_0, a_1, \dots, a_N\}$  where each letter  $a_i$  corresponds to a point  $\sigma_i$
- $L(\vec{w}, z)$  is uniquely defined by the following properties

$$1. L(\{\}, z) = 1, \text{ and } L(0^n, z, ) = \frac{1}{n!} \log^n(z) \text{ for } n \geq 1$$

$$2. \frac{\partial}{\partial z} L(\{a_i \vec{w}\}, z) = \frac{1}{z - \sigma_i} L(\vec{w}, z) \text{ for } z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \Sigma$$

$$3. \text{ If } \vec{w} \text{ is not of the form } w = (0, 0, \dots, 0), \text{ then } \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} L(\vec{w}, z) = 0.$$

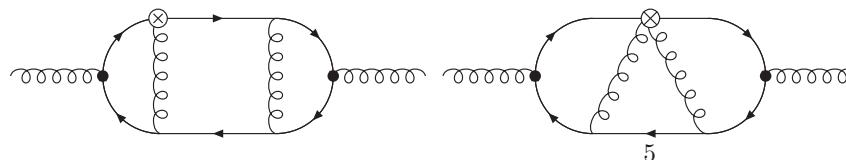
- e.g.  $L(a_i, z) = \log(z - \sigma_i) - \log(\sigma_i)$
- The weight of  $L(\vec{w}, z)$  is given by the number of letters in  $\vec{w}$

- The hyperlogarithms satisfy shuffle relations  $L(\vec{w_1}, z) L(\vec{w_2}, z) = L(\vec{w_1} \sqcup \vec{w_2}, z)$ , e.g.:  

$$L(\{a_1, a_2\}, z) L(\{a_3\}, z) = L(\{a_3, a_1, a_2\}, z) + L(\{a_1, a_3, a_2\}, z) + L(\{a_1, a_2, a_3\}, z)$$
- The indices  $a_i$  contain further **integration variables**.
- Using these properties after partial fractioning and integration by parts, one can express any primitive for expressions consisting of rational and hyperlogarithmic functions in terms of different hyperlogarithmic functions
- These primitives have to be evaluated at the respective integration limits
  - The limit at  $z \rightarrow 0$  is trivially obtained by computing the regularized Taylor series for the hyperlogarithmic functions
  - The limit at  $z \rightarrow \infty$  is more sophisticated. General idea:
    1. Choose the integration order (**Fubini**).
    2. Compute the derivative with respect to the next integration variable  $x$ , (this lowers the weight by one).
    3. Perform the series expansion of the derivative.
    4. Perform the indefinite integration with respect to  $x$ .
    5. Determine the respective integration constant.

## Fixed Mellin Moments

- Using this method we have computed a number of fixed Mellin-Moments from  $N = 0..19$   
e.g.:



N	Diag 4	Diag 5 <sub>a</sub>	Diag 5 <sub>b</sub>
0	$2 - 2\zeta_3$	$2\zeta_3$	$2\zeta_3$
1	$-2 + 2\zeta_3$	$-\frac{5}{2} - \zeta_3$	$-2 - 2\zeta_3$
2			
3			
4			
...	...	...	...
19	$-\frac{5825158236879253094413489658569181}{2503562235895708381108915200000}$ $-\frac{104899807174743864253}{54192375991353600} \zeta_3$	$-\frac{128090266890628029062643215783549}{13352331924777113659142144000}$ $+\frac{238388793949217497}{301068755507520} \zeta_3$	$-\frac{254116903575797385411050257769}{25288507433289983647564800000}$ $-\frac{1968329}{635040} \zeta_3$

## General Values of $N$

- Due to the operator-insertions leading to power-type functions, the integrals do not fit directly into the framework of the algorithm for general values of  $N$ .
- In order to use the algorithm also on integrals with general values of  $N$ , a generating function is constructed e.g. by the mapping

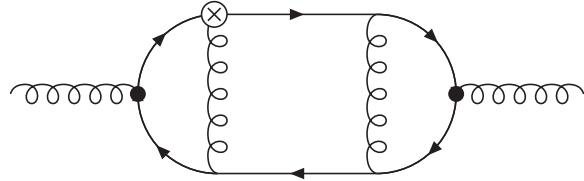
$$p(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)^N \rightarrow \frac{1}{1 - x p(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)} .$$

- Performing the Feynman-parameter integrations then leads to an expression which contains hyperlogarithms  $L_w(x)$  in the variable  $x$ .
- Finally the  $N$ th coefficient of this expression in  $x$  has to be extracted **analytically**. This has been done with the package **HarmonicSums** by J.Ablinger.
- Generalized harmonic sums occur:

$$S_{n_1, \dots, n_k}(a_1, \dots, a_k)(N), \quad n_i \in \mathbb{N}, a_i \in \mathbb{Q}$$

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# Six Massive Lines & Vertex Insertion



$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{I}_4 = & \frac{Q_1(N)}{2(1+N)^5(2+N)^5(3+N)^5} + \frac{Q_2(N)}{(1+N)^2(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} \zeta_3 + \frac{(-1)^N (65 + 101N + 56N^2 + 13N^3 + N^4)}{2(1+N)^2(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_{-3} \\
& + \frac{(-24 - 5N + 2N^2)}{12(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_1^3 - \frac{1}{2(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} S_2^2 + \frac{1}{(2+N)(3+N)} S_1^2 S_2 \\
& + \frac{Q_4(N)}{4(1+N)^3(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_1^2 - \frac{3}{2} [S_5] - \frac{Q_5(N)}{6(1+N)^2(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_3 - 2S_{-2,-3} - 2\zeta_3 S_{-2} - S_{-2,1} S_{-2} \\
& + \frac{(-1)^N (65 + 101N + 56N^2 + 13N^3 + N^4)}{(1+N)^2(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_{-2,1} + \frac{(59 + 42N + 6N^2)}{2(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} S_4 + \frac{(5+N)}{(1+N)(3+N)} \zeta_3 S_1 (2) \\
& - \frac{Q_6(N)}{4(1+N)^3(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_2 - \zeta_3 S_2 - \frac{3}{2} S_3 S_2 - 2S_{2,1} S_2 + \frac{(99 + 225N + 190N^2 + 65N^3 + 7N^4)}{2(1+N)^2(2+N)^2(3+N)} S_{2,1} \\
& + \frac{Q_3(N)}{(1+N)^4(2+N)^4(3+N)^4} S_1 - \frac{(11 + 5N)}{(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} \zeta_3 S_1 - \frac{Q_7(N)}{4(1+N)^2(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_2 S_1 - S_{2,3} \\
& + \frac{(53 + 29N)}{2(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} S_3 S_1 - \frac{3(3 + 2N)}{(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} S_1 S_{2,1} + \frac{(-79 - 40N + N^2)}{2(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} S_{3,1} - 3S_{4,1} \\
& + [S_{-2,1,-2}] + \frac{2^{\mathbf{N+1}} (-28 - 25N - 4N^2 + N^3)}{(1+N)^2(2+N)(3+N)^2} S_{1,2} \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) - \frac{(-7 + 2N^2)}{(1+N)(2+N)(3+N)} S_{2,1,1} \\
& + 5S_{2,2,1} + 6S_{3,1,1} + \frac{2^{\mathbf{N}} (-28 - 25N - 4N^2 + N^3)}{(1+N)^2(2+N)(3+N)^2} S_{1,1,1} \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1, 1 \right) \\
& - \frac{(5+N)}{(1+N)(3+N)} S_{1,1,2} \left( 2, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) - \frac{(5+N)}{2(1+N)(3+N)} S_{1,1,1,1} \left( 2, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 1 \right)
\end{aligned}$$

The  $2^N$  factors cancel in the large  $N$  limit:

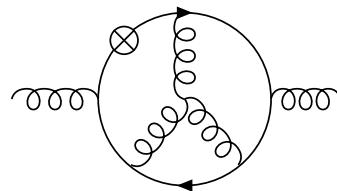
$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{I}_4 \approx & \zeta_2^2 \left[ \frac{1115231}{20N^{10}} - \frac{74121}{4N^9} + \frac{122951}{20N^8} - \frac{40677}{20N^7} + \frac{13391}{20N^6} - \frac{873}{4N^5} + \frac{1391}{20N^4} - \frac{417}{20N^3} + \frac{101}{20N^2} \right] \\
& + \zeta_3 \left[ \left( -\frac{95855}{2N^{10}} + \frac{31525}{2N^9} - \frac{10295}{2N^8} + \frac{3325}{2N^7} - \frac{1055}{2N^6} + \frac{325}{2N^5} - \frac{95}{2N^4} + \frac{25}{2N^3} - \frac{5}{2N^2} \right) \ln(N) \right. \\
& \left. - \frac{23280115}{2016N^{10}} + \frac{2093041}{1008N^9} - \frac{177251}{1008N^8} - \frac{25843}{336N^7} + \frac{2569}{48N^6} - \frac{155}{8N^5} + \frac{91}{24N^4} + \frac{2}{3N^3} - \frac{11}{12N^2} \right] \\
& + \zeta_2 \left[ \left( \frac{19171}{N^{10}} - \frac{6305}{N^9} + \frac{2059}{N^8} - \frac{665}{N^7} + \frac{211}{N^6} - \frac{65}{N^5} + \frac{19}{N^4} - \frac{5}{N^3} + \frac{1}{N^2} \right) \ln^2(N) \right. \\
& \left. + \left( \frac{103016863}{2520N^{10}} - \frac{3091261}{315N^9} + \frac{2571839}{1260N^8} - \frac{6215}{21N^7} - \frac{293}{20N^6} + \frac{2071}{60N^5} - \frac{103}{6N^4} + \frac{67}{12N^3} - \frac{1}{N^2} \right) \ln(N) \right. \\
& \left. + \frac{292993001621}{302400N^{10}} - \frac{4402272031}{30240N^9} + \frac{22261739}{840N^8} - \frac{78507473}{14112N^7} + \frac{180961}{144N^6} - \frac{111807}{400N^5} + \frac{629}{12N^4} - \frac{319}{72N^3} - \frac{7}{4N^2} \right] \\
& + \left( \frac{249223}{6N^{10}} - \frac{145015}{12N^9} + \frac{10295}{3N^8} - \frac{11305}{12N^7} + \frac{1477}{6N^6} - \frac{715}{12N^5} + \frac{38}{3N^4} - \frac{25}{12N^3} + \frac{1}{6N^2} \right) \ln^3(N) \\
& + \left( \frac{193493767}{10080N^{10}} + \frac{210658237}{10080N^9} - \frac{21541697}{2520N^8} + \frac{243269}{96N^7} - \frac{30539}{48N^6} + \frac{2123}{16N^5} - \frac{59}{3N^4} + \frac{5}{8N^3} + \frac{1}{2N^2} \right) \ln^2(N) \\
& + \left( -\frac{2207364771673}{4233600N^{10}} + \frac{1390655509}{352800N^9} + \frac{285594061}{22050N^8} - \frac{67234111}{14400N^7} + \frac{8617073}{7200N^6} - \frac{35209}{144N^5} + \frac{116}{3N^4} - \frac{119}{24N^3} + \frac{1}{N^2} \right) \ln(N) \\
& + \frac{1344226725047831}{889056000N^{10}} - \frac{165849841805771}{889056000N^9} + \frac{808151260279}{27783000N^8} - \frac{708430537}{120960N^7} + \frac{304474703}{216000N^6} \\
& - \frac{606811}{1728N^5} + \frac{1867}{24N^4} - \frac{1813}{144N^3} + \frac{1}{N^2} + O(N^{-11})
\end{aligned}$$

# Characteristics of associated Recursions

Diagram	rational			$\zeta_3$		
	# Moments	Degree	Order	# Moments	Degree	Order
$I_{1a}$	203	26	8	15	3	2
$I_{1b}$	269	36	9	15	3	2
$I_{2a}$	215	31	8	19	3	3
$I_{2b}$	269	42	9	35	6	3
$I_4$	623	90	13	131	24	6

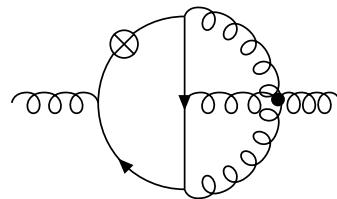
Diagram	$\varepsilon^{-2}$			$\varepsilon^{-1}$			$\varepsilon^0$ rat.			$\varepsilon^0 \zeta_2$		
	#	Deg.	Ord.	#	Deg.	Ord.	#	Deg.	Ord.	#	Deg.	Ord.
$I_{6a}$	15	3	2	55	11	3	142	25	5	15	3	2
$I_{6b}$	15	3	2	55	12	3	142	27	5	15	3	2
$I_{8a}$	19	4	2	69	14	3	164	30	5	19	4	2
$I_{8b}$	19	4	2	79	16	3	175	34	5	19	4	2
$I_9$	142	26	9	463	83	10	1199	210	16	142	26	5
$I_{10a}$	47	6	4	341	57	10	949	156	16	109	17	6
$I_{10b}$	109	17	6	323	53	10	911	152	16	47	6	4

# General Values of $N$ : Higher Topologies



$$\begin{aligned}
 I(x) &= \frac{1}{(1+N)(2+N)x} \left\{ \zeta_3 \left[ 2L(\{-1\}, x) - 2(-1+2x)L(\{1\}, x) - 4L(\{1,1\}, x) \right] - 3L(\{-1,0,0,1\}, x) \right. \\
 &\quad + 2L(\{-1,0,1,1\}, x) - 2xL(\{0,0,1,1\}, x) + 3xL(\{0,1,0,1\}, x) - xL(\{0,1,1,1\}, x) \\
 &\quad + (-3+2x)L(\{1,0,0,1\}, x) + 2xL(\{1,0,1,1\}, x) - (-1+5x)L(\{1,1,0,1\}, x) + xL(\{1,1,1,1\}, x) \\
 &\quad - 2L(\{1,0,0,1,1\}, x) + 3L(\{1,0,1,0,1\}, x) - L(\{1,0,1,1,1\}, x) + 2L(\{1,1,0,0,1\}, x) \\
 &\quad \left. + 2L(\{1,1,0,1,1\}, x) - 5L(\{1,1,1,0,1\}, x) + L(\{1,1,1,1,1\}, x) \right\} \\
 I(N) &= \frac{1}{(N+1)(N+2)(N+3)} \left\{ \frac{648 + 1512N + 1458N^2 + 744N^3 + 212N^4 + 32N^5 + 2N^6}{(1+N)^3(2+N)^3(3+N)^3} \right. \\
 &\quad - \frac{2 \left( -1 + (-1)^N + N + (-1)^N N \right)}{(1+N)} \zeta_3 - (-1)^N S_{-3} - \frac{N}{6(1+N)} S_1^3 + \frac{1}{24} S_1^4 \\
 &\quad - \frac{(7 + 22N + 10N^2)}{2(1+N)^2(2+N)} S_2 - \frac{19}{8} S_2^2 - \frac{1 + 4N + 2N^2}{2(1+N)^2(2+N)} S_1^2 + \frac{9}{4} S_2 - \frac{(-9 + 4N)}{3(1+N)} S_3 \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{4} S_4 - 2(-1)^N S_{-2,1} + \frac{(-1 + 6N)}{(1+N)} S_{2,1} + \frac{54 + 207N + 246N^2 + 130N^3 + 32N^4 + 3N^5}{(1+N)^3(2+N)^2(3+N)^2} S_1 \\
 &\quad \left. + 4\zeta_3 S_1 - \frac{(-2 + 7N)}{2(1+N)} S_2 S_1 + \frac{13}{3} S_3 S_1 - 7S_{2,1} S_1 - 7S_{3,1} + 10S_{2,1,1} \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

# General Values of $N$ : Higher Topologies



$$\begin{aligned}
 I(N) = & \frac{1}{(N+1)(N+2)} \left\{ \frac{2(1 - 13(-1)^N + (-1)^N 2^{3+N} + N - 7(-1)^N N + 3(-1)^N 2^{1+N} N)}{(1+N)(2+N)} \zeta_3 \right. \\
 & + \frac{1}{(2+N)} S_3 + \frac{(-1)^N}{2(2+N)} S_1^3 - \frac{(-1)^N (3+2N)}{2(1+N)^2(2+N)} S_2 + \frac{5(-1)^N}{2} S_2^2 \\
 & + \frac{(-1)^N (3+2N)}{2(1+N)^2(2+N)} S_1^2 - \frac{(-1)^N}{2} S_2 S_1^2 + \frac{3(-1)^N (4+3N)}{(1+N)(2+N)} S_3 + 3(-1)^N S_4 + \frac{2}{(2+N)} S_{-2,1} \\
 & + 2(-1)^N \zeta_3 S_{1,(2)} + \frac{2(-1)^N (3+N)}{(1+N)(2+N)} S_{2,1} - 12(-1)^N S_1 \zeta_3 \\
 & + \frac{(-1)^N (5+7N)}{2(1+N)(2+N)} S_1 S_2 + 3(-1)^N S_1 S_3 + 4(-1)^N S_{2,1} S_1 - 4(-1)^N S_{3,1} \\
 & - \frac{4((-1)^N 2^{2+N} - 3(-2)^N N + 3(-1)^N 2^{1+N} N)}{(1+N)(2+N)} S_{1,2} \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) - 5(-1)^N S_{2,1,1} \\
 & + \frac{2(-(-1)^N 2^{2+N} - 13(-2)^N N + 5(-1)^N 2^{1+N} N)}{(1+N)(2+N)} S_{1,1,1} \left( \frac{1}{2}, 1, 1 \right) \\
 & \left. - 2(-1)^N S_{1,1,2} \left( 2, \frac{1}{2}, 1 \right) - (-1)^N S_{1,1,1,1} \left( 2, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 1 \right) \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Conclusions

- A series of **moments** for the transition matrix elements  $A_{ij}$  at 3-loop order were given in [Bierenbaum, Blümlein, Klein 2009 Nucl. Phys. B].
- The corresponding quarkonic 3-loop contributions of  $O(n_f T_F^2 C_{A,F})$  to  $A_{qq}$  and  $A_{qg}$  were calculated in [Ablinger, Blümlein, Klein, Schneider, Wißbrock 2011 Nucl. Phys. B]. Now also  $A_{gg,Q}$  and  $A_{gq,Q}$  have been obtained for these color coefficients at general  $N$ .
- A series of OMEs were fully calculated  $A_{qq}$  and  $A_{qg}$  in  $O(T_F^2 C_{A,F})$
- The moments  $N = 2,4,6$  have been calculated for graphs depending on both  $m_c$  and  $m_b$ ; general  $N$  results in the **NS** and **PS** case have been obtained already. Starting with 3-loops, graphs exist which conflict with the ideology of the VFNS.
- Using **hyperlogarithms** non-divergent 3-loop graphs can be calculated, if moments are considered. For **general values of  $N$**  first analytic results have been obtained, including Benz- and ladder-topologies, performing the calculation automatically.
- 3-loop moments of **polarized** massive OMEs up to the constant terms have been calculated. The  $O(n_f T_F^2)$  contributions to these OMEs have been computed for general values of  $N$ .