

Double PDFs and new positivity constraints

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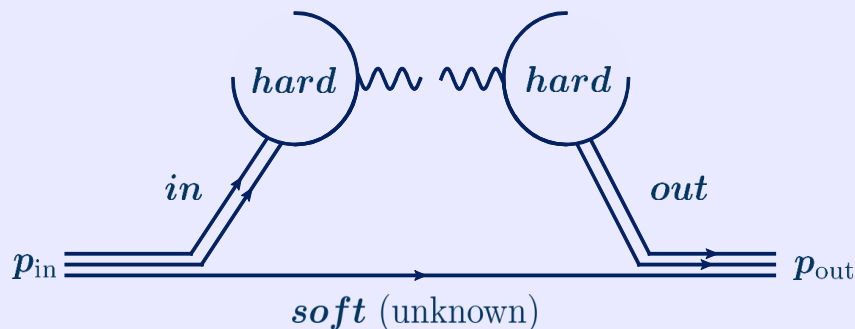
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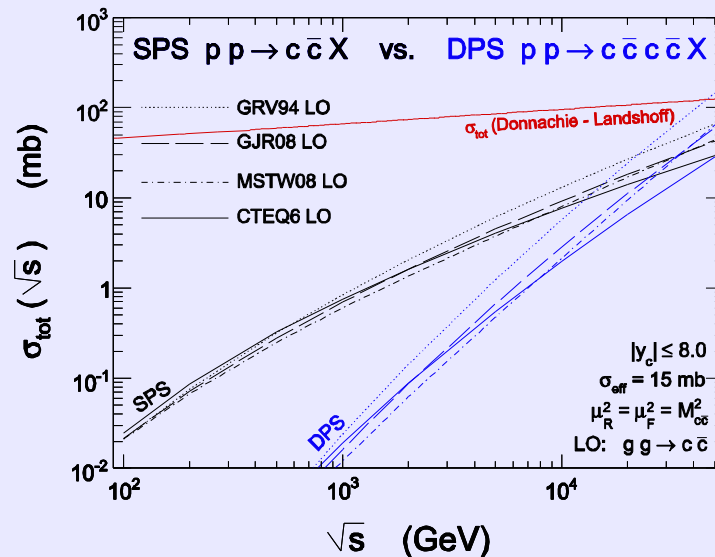
Motivation

- Proton-proton scattering and optical theorem
- Double Parton Scattering (DPS) at $\sqrt{s} \approx 10^4 \text{ GeV}$ becomes more prominent

→ typical scale at LHC



Soft part of the proton-proton scattering after the optical theorem



Total LO cross section for $pp \rightarrow c\bar{c}X$ for single parton scattering (SPS) and double parton scattering (DPS)

[Łuszczak, Maciuła, Szczurek | 2012]

Single-Parton Correlator

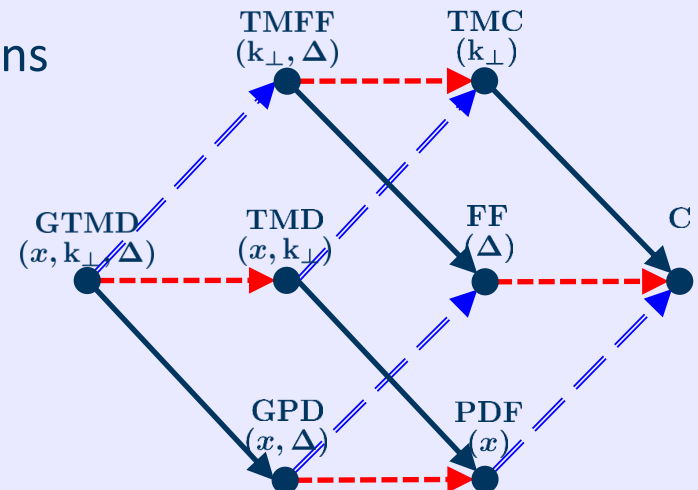
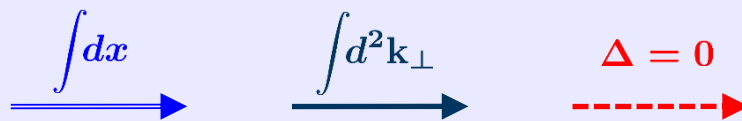
- Single-parton correlator | proton-proton scattering

$$f_{\alpha\beta}^{[\Gamma]}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \Delta) \equiv \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dz^-}{2\pi} \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{z}_\perp}{(2\pi)^2} e^{ixz^- \bar{p}^+} e^{-i\ell_\perp \mathbf{z}_\perp} \langle p', \Lambda' | : \bar{\psi}_\alpha(-\frac{z}{2}) \Gamma \psi_\beta(\frac{z}{2}) : | p, \Lambda \rangle$$

- Longitudinal **momentum fraction** $x \equiv k^+ / \bar{p}^+$
- Relative **transverse momentum** $\mathbf{k}_\perp \equiv \bar{\ell}_\perp - x \bar{\mathbf{p}}_\perp$
- Proton **momentum transfer** $\Delta \equiv p' - p$
- Expansion in **large** p^+ $\Gamma \in \{\gamma^+, \sigma^{+1}, \sigma^{+2}, \gamma^+ \gamma^5\}$

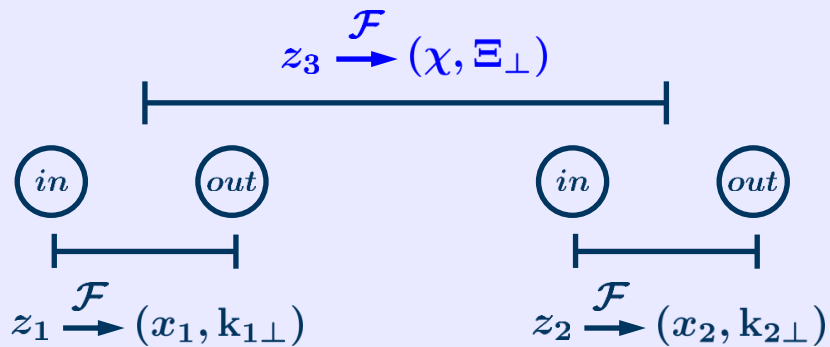
- Different reductions lead to different functions

e.g. [Lorcé, Pasquini, Vanderhaeghen | 2011]



Double-Parton Correlator

- **Double-parton correlator** $f_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{[\Gamma_1\Gamma_2]}(x_1, x_2, \mathbf{k}_{1\perp}, \mathbf{k}_{2\perp}, \chi, \Xi_{\perp}, \xi, \Delta_{\perp})$
- New: **momentum transfer** between **active partons**



- **Symmetry** under the exchange of the active partons

$$f_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{[\Gamma_1\Gamma_2]}(x_1, x_2, \mathbf{k}_{1\perp}, \mathbf{k}_{2\perp}, \chi, \Xi_{\perp}, \xi, \Delta_{\perp})$$

$$= f_{\gamma\delta\alpha\beta}^{[\Gamma_2\Gamma_1]}(x_2, x_1, \mathbf{k}_{2\perp}, \mathbf{k}_{1\perp}, -\chi, -\Xi_{\perp}, \xi, \Delta_{\perp})$$

- **Double PDFs:** $f_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{[\Gamma_1\Gamma_2]}(x_1, x_2)$

Single-Parton Soffer Bound

- Three independent Single PDFs

$$f_1^q(x) \equiv f_{qq}^{[\gamma^+]}(x) \quad g_1^q(x) \equiv f_{qq}^{[\gamma^+\gamma^5]}(x) \quad h_1^q(x) \equiv \frac{1}{2} \left(f_{qq}^{[\sigma^{+1}]}(x) + f_{qq}^{[\sigma^{+2}]}(x) \right)$$

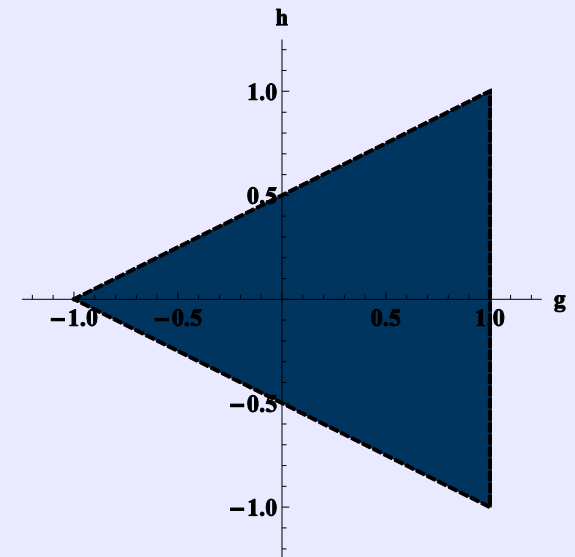
- Rewrite PDFs with **helicity amplitudes** $|\lambda, \Lambda\rangle$

→ positive semi-definite matrix $|+, +\rangle, |+, -\rangle, |-, +\rangle, |-, -\rangle$

$$\mathcal{A}^q = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} f_1^q + g_1^q & 0 & 0 & 2h_1^q \\ 0 & f_1^q - g_1^q & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & f_1^q - g_1^q & 0 \\ 2h_1^q & 0 & 0 & f_1^q + g_1^q \end{pmatrix}$$

- Constraints on PDFs → **“Soffer bound”**

$$\begin{aligned} f_1^q(x) &\geq 0 \\ f_1^q(x) &\geq |g_1^q(x)| \\ 2|h_1^q(x)| &\leq f_1^q(x) + g_1^q(x) \end{aligned}$$



Graphical representation of the Soffer bound for $f_1^q(x) = 1$

Double-Parton Bounds I

- Seven (almost) independent Double PDFs

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_2(x_1, x_2) &\equiv f^{[\gamma^+, \gamma^+]}(x_1, x_2) & \tilde{f}_2(x_1, x_2) &\equiv f^{[\gamma^+ \gamma^5, \gamma^+ \gamma^5]}(x_1, x_2) \\
 f_{T2}(x_1, x_2) &\equiv \frac{1}{2} \left(f^{[\sigma^{+1}, \sigma^{+1}]}(x_1, x_2) + f^{[\sigma^{+2}, \sigma^{+2}]}(x_1, x_2) \right) \\
 g_2^\alpha(x_1, x_2) &\equiv f^{[\gamma^+, \gamma^+ \gamma^5]}(x_1, x_2) & \beta : \gamma^+ &\leftrightarrow \gamma^+ \gamma^5 \\
 h_2^\alpha(x_1, x_2) &\equiv \frac{1}{2} \left(f^{[\gamma^+, \sigma^{+1}]}(x_1, x_2) + f^{[\gamma^+, \sigma^{+2}]}(x_1, x_2) \right) & \beta : \gamma^+ &\leftrightarrow \sigma^{+i}
 \end{aligned}$$

- Rewrite DPDFs with **helicity amplitudes**

→ 8 × 8 positive semi-definite matrix → use \mathcal{P}

$$\begin{aligned}
 &|++ , +\rangle, | - + , -\rangle, | - - , +\rangle, | + - , -\rangle, \\
 &~~| - - , -\rangle, | + - , +\rangle, | + + , -\rangle, | - + , +\rangle~~
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{O}^{qq} := \begin{pmatrix}
 f_2 + g_2^\alpha + g_2^\beta + \tilde{f}_2 & 2h_2^\alpha & 2h_2^\beta & 0 \\
 2h_2^\alpha & f_2 + g_2^\alpha - g_2^\beta - \tilde{f}_2 & 2f_{T2} & 0 \\
 2h_2^\beta & 2f_{T2} & f_2 - g_2^\alpha + g_2^\beta - \tilde{f}_2 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & f_2 - g_2^\alpha - g_2^\beta + \tilde{f}_2
 \end{pmatrix}$$

Double-Parton Bounds II

- Reduced 4×4 positive semi-definite matrix
 $|++ , +\rangle , | - + , -\rangle , | -- , +\rangle , | + - , -\rangle$

$$\mathcal{O}^{qq} := \begin{pmatrix} f_2 + g_2^\alpha + g_2^\beta + \tilde{f}_2 & 2h_2^\alpha & 2h_2^\beta & 0 \\ 2h_2^\alpha & f_2 + g_2^\alpha - g_2^\beta - \tilde{f}_2 & 2f_{T2} & 0 \\ 2h_2^\beta & 2f_{T2} & f_2 - g_2^\alpha + g_2^\beta - \tilde{f}_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & f_2 - g_2^\alpha - g_2^\beta + \tilde{f}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- “naïve bounds” for DPDFs

$$f_2(x_1, x_2) \geq 0,$$

$$f_2(x_1, x_2) \geq |g_2^\alpha(x_1, x_2)| \text{ and } f_2(x_1, x_2) \geq |g_2^\beta(x_1, x_2)|,$$

$$f_2(x_1, x_2) \geq |\tilde{f}_2(x_1, x_2)|$$



Graphical representation of the naïve bounds for DPDFs

Double-Parton Bounds III

- Reduced 4×4 positive semi-definite matrix
 $|++ , +\rangle , | - + , -\rangle , | - - , +\rangle , | + - , -\rangle$

$$\mathcal{O}^{qq} := \begin{pmatrix} f_2 + g_2^\alpha + g_2^\beta + \tilde{f}_2 & 2h_2^\alpha & 2h_2^\beta & 0 \\ 2h_2^\alpha & f_2 + g_2^\alpha - g_2^\beta - \tilde{f}_2 & 2f_{T2} & 0 \\ 2h_2^\beta & 2f_{T2} & f_2 - g_2^\alpha + g_2^\beta - \tilde{f}_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & f_2 - g_2^\alpha - g_2^\beta + \tilde{f}_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- **New bounds** for double- and single-PDFs

$$4(f_{T2}(x_1, x_2))^2 \leq (f_2(x_1, x_2) - \tilde{f}_2(x_1, x_2))^2 - (g_2^\alpha(x_1, x_2) - g_2^\beta(x_1, x_2))^2$$

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$$4(h_2^{\alpha, \beta}(x_1, x_2))^2 \leq (f_2(x_1, x_2) + g_2^{\alpha, \beta}(x_1, x_2))^2 - (\tilde{f}_2(x_1, x_2) + g_2^{\beta, \alpha}(x_1, x_2))^2$$

- Remember: single-parton Soffer bound $2|h_1^q(x)| \leq f_1^q(x) + g_1^q(x)$

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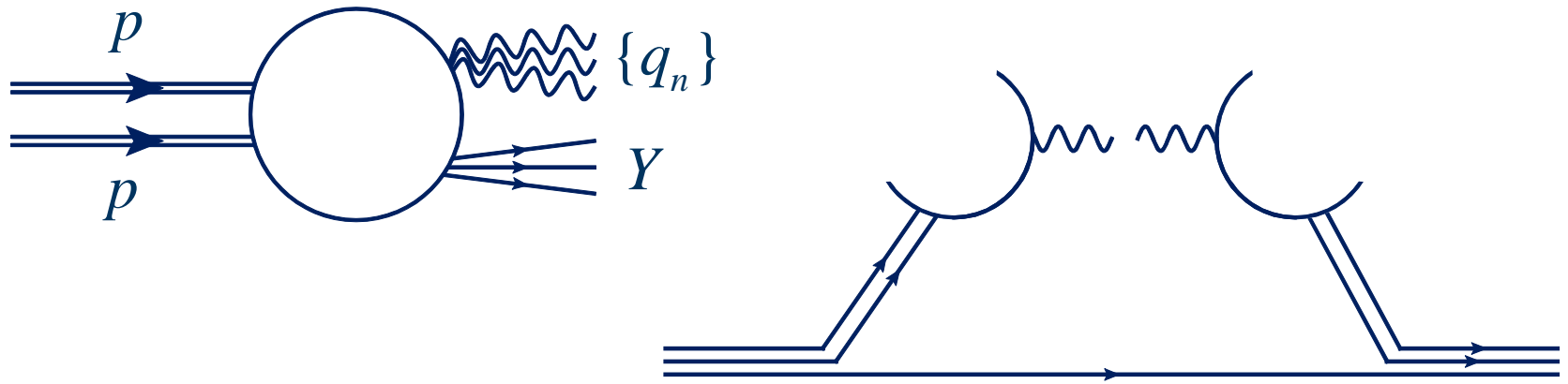
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$$4(h_2^{\alpha, \beta}(x_1, x_2))^2 \leq (f_2(x_1, x_2) + g_2^{\alpha, \beta}(x_1, x_2))^2 - (\tilde{f}_2(x_1, x_2) + g_2^{\beta, \alpha}(x_1, x_2))^2$$

- Remember: single-parton Soffer bound $2|h_1^q(x)| \leq f_1^q(x) + g_1^q(x)$

Summary

- **Double-parton correlator**
 - New double-parton functions
 - **Relations** between **single-parton** and **double-parton functions**
- New **Soffer-like positivity constraints**
 - Reduction of the single-parton positivity constraints
 - Eventually smaller region for PDFs



**Thanks for your
attention!**

Light-Front Notations

- Other arrangement of variables | mixture of known time and space coordinates

$$x^\pm \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(x^0 \pm x^3) \quad x_\perp \equiv (x_1, x_2)$$

- x^+ chosen as light-front time
- New metric to raise and lower indices

$$\eta^{\mu\nu} \xrightarrow{LF} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

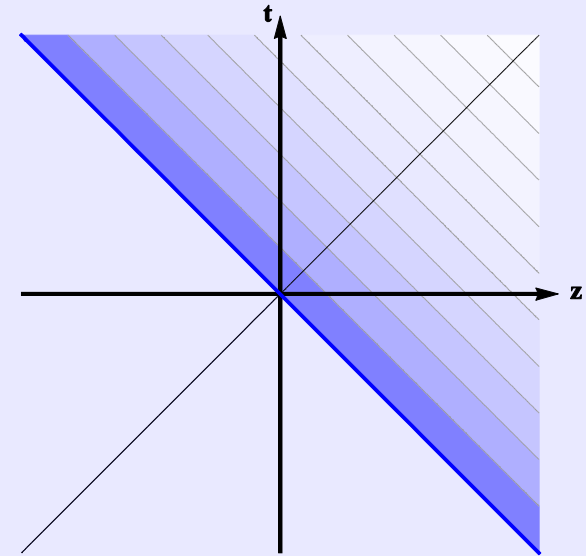
- Different scalar product

$$a^\mu b_\mu = a^+ b^- + a^- b^+ - a_\perp b_\perp$$

- Positivity for massive particles | no square roots

$$p^- = \frac{M^2 + p_\perp^2}{2p^+} \geq 0$$

$$\rightarrow \gamma^+ \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\gamma^0 + \gamma^3)$$



Graphical representation of the front form

Lepage-Brodsky Spinors

- Lepage-Brodsky spinors | Dirac equation $(m - \not{p})u = 0$ $(m + \not{p})v = 0$

$$u(p, \lambda) \equiv \left(\sqrt{2p^+}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(\sqrt{2p^+} + \gamma_0 m + \gamma_0 \gamma_{\perp} p_{\perp}\right) \times \begin{cases} \chi(\uparrow) & \text{for } \lambda = +1 \\ \chi(\downarrow) & \text{for } \lambda = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$v(p, \lambda) \equiv \left(\sqrt{2p^+}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(\sqrt{2p^+} - \gamma_0 m + \gamma_0 \gamma_{\perp} p_{\perp}\right) \times \begin{cases} \chi(\downarrow) & \text{for } \lambda = +1 \\ \chi(\uparrow) & \text{for } \lambda = -1 \end{cases}$$

- Twist 2 γ -matrices

Γ_2	$\frac{\bar{u}(q, \lambda)\Gamma u(p, \lambda)}{2\sqrt{p^+q^+}}$	$\frac{\bar{v}(q, \lambda)\Gamma v(p, \lambda)}{2\sqrt{p^+q^+}}$	$\frac{\bar{u}(q, -\lambda)\Gamma u(p, \lambda)}{2\sqrt{p^+q^+}}$	$\frac{\bar{v}(q, -\lambda)\Gamma v(p, \lambda)}{2\sqrt{p^+q^+}}$
γ^+	1	1	0	0
σ^{+1}	0	0	$i\lambda$	$-i\lambda$
σ^{+2}	0	0	-1	-1
$\gamma^+\gamma^5$	λ	$-\lambda$	0	0

- For quarks: $\gamma^+ \rightarrow 1$, $\sigma^{+1} \rightarrow \sigma^1$, $\sigma^{+2} \rightarrow \sigma^2$, $\gamma^+\gamma^5 \rightarrow \sigma^3$

Relations between the Correlators

- **Forward** correlator **reduction** at 3Q level ($\Delta = 0$)

$$\sum_{\lambda_\gamma \lambda_\delta} \delta^{f_\gamma f_\delta} \delta^{c_\gamma c_\delta} \int dx_2 d^2 k_{2\perp} {}^3 f_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}^{[\Gamma\gamma^+]}(x, x_2, \mathbf{k}_\perp, \mathbf{k}_{2\perp}, 0, \mathbf{0}_\perp) = {}^3 f_{\alpha\beta}^{[\Gamma]}(x, \mathbf{k}_\perp)$$

- Constraints on longitudinal momentum

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2}|\chi - \xi| &\leq x_1 < 1 - \frac{1}{2}|\chi + \xi| \\ \frac{1}{2}|\chi + \xi| &\leq x_2 < 1 - \frac{1}{2}|\chi - \xi| \\ 0 &\leq x_3 < 1 \end{aligned}$$

- **Off-forward** correlator **reduction** at 3Q level

$$\chi \equiv \frac{1}{2}((x_2 - x'_2) - (x_1 - x'_1)) \qquad \xi = \frac{1}{2}((x_2 - x'_2) + (x_1 - x'_1))$$

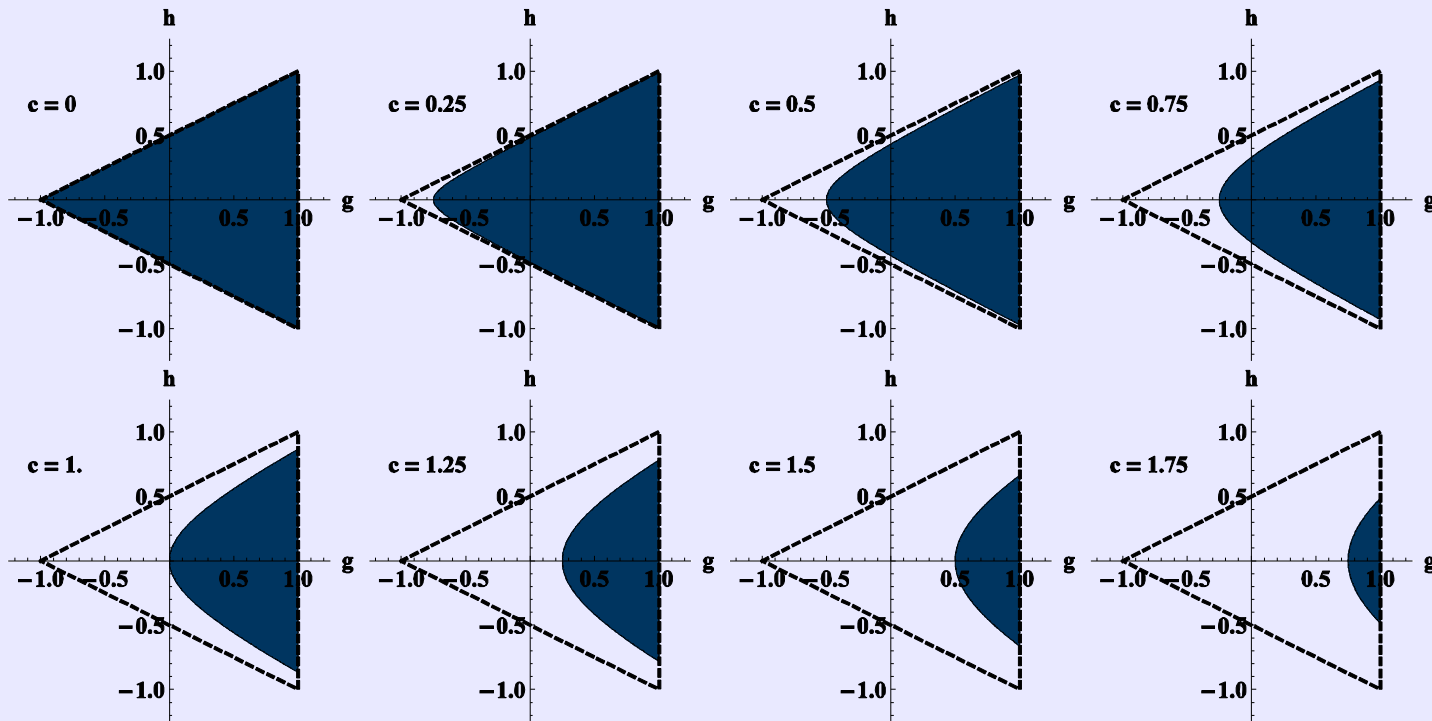
→ longitudinal $\chi \rightarrow -\xi$

→ transverse $\Xi_\perp \rightarrow \frac{1 - \bar{x}_1 + \bar{x}_2}{1 - \xi^2} \frac{\Delta_\perp}{2}$

Relation between Single- and Double-Bounds

- Possible reduction of single-parton constraints

$$\rightarrow 4(h_2^\alpha)^2 \leq (f_2 + g_2^\alpha)^2 - (\tilde{f}_2 + g_2^\beta)^2 \leq (f_2 + g_2^\alpha)^2 - (cf_2)^2$$



Graphical representation how the double-parton bounds reduce the possible region at $f_2^g(x_1, x_2) = 1$