

# Mass effects in the Higgs $q_T$ spectrum

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# Outline.

## Introduction

- $q_T$  factorization and resummation in SCET
- Higgs  $q_T$  spectrum
- measurement of the Yukawa coupling

## Quark initiated Higgs production

- N<sup>3</sup>LL' + aN<sup>3</sup>LO prediction for  $\bar{b}bH$ ,  $\bar{c}cH$  and  $\bar{s}sH$

## $y_b y_t$ interference in gluon fusion

- state of the literature
- different regimes
- cancellation of endpoint divergences

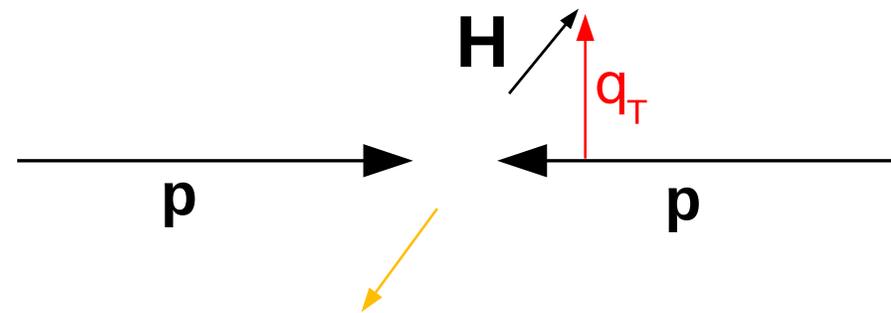
## Summary

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## Kinematic distributions

- kinematic distributions and differential cross sections are particularly interesting
- for Higgs production: most Higgs bosons are produced with small transverse momentum  $q_T$
- in this kinematic region the fixed-order perturbative expansion is no longer valid
- **cross section diverges and needs to be resummed!**



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- for  $q_T \rightarrow 0$  logs become large  $\alpha_s \log^2(q_T/Q) \approx 1$
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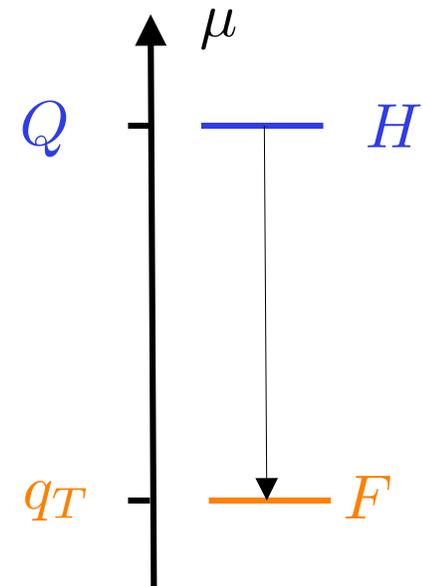
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$$\sigma(Q, q_T) = H(Q, \mu_H) \exp \left[ \int_{\mu_H}^{\mu_F} \mu \frac{d}{d\mu} (\dots) \right] \times F(q_T, \mu_F)$$

→ Logs resummed to all orders by exponential

• LL, NLL, etc. corresponds to loop orders of  $H, F, \Gamma$  and  $\gamma$



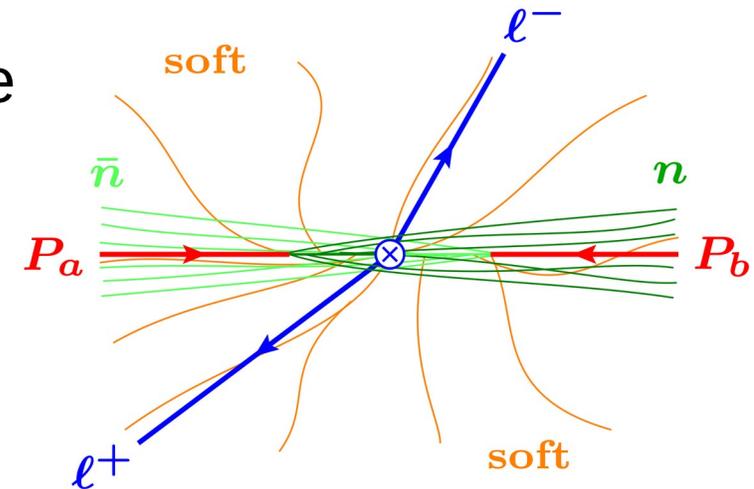
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## $q_T$ factorization

- SCET factorization theorem separates scales at cross section level

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_T} = H(\mu_H) \times B(\mu_B) \otimes B(\mu_B) \otimes S(\mu_S) \left[ 1 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{q_T^2}{m_H^2}\right) \right]$$

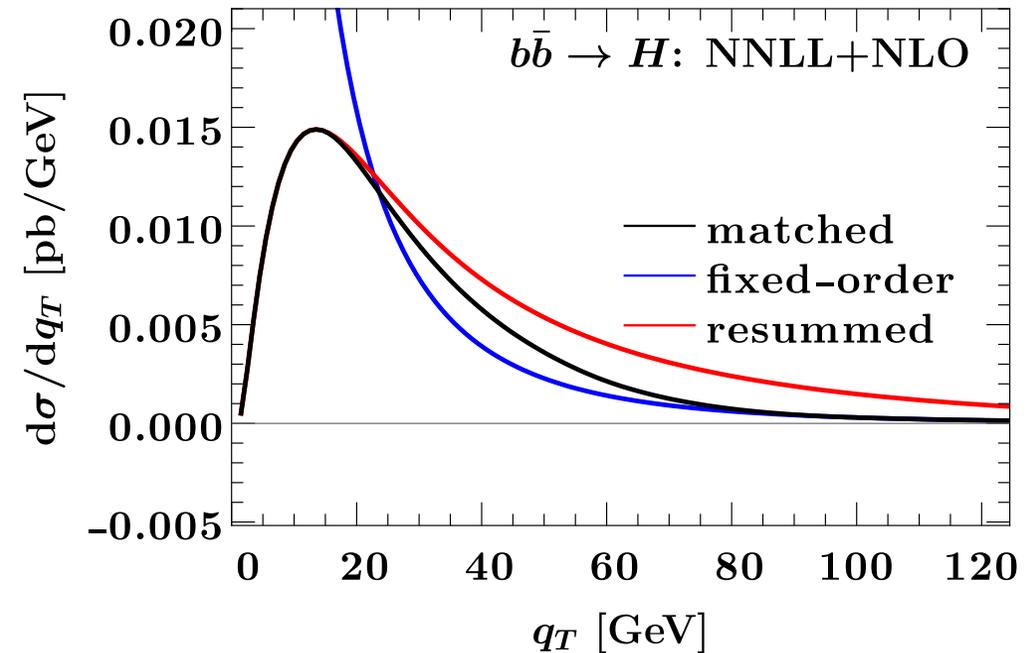
- Hard function: virtual contributions on hard scale
- Beam function: collinear radiation
- Soft function: soft, isotropic radiation



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## Resummed cross section

- solve RGEs for  $H(\mu_H)$ ,  $B(\mu_B)$  and  $S(\mu_S)$  to resum logs
- resummation generates Sudakov peak for  $q_T \ll Q$
- for  $q_T \sim Q$  the fixed-order prediction is sufficient
- transition connects fixed-order and resummed prediction



# Motivation.

## Higgs $q_T$ spectrum

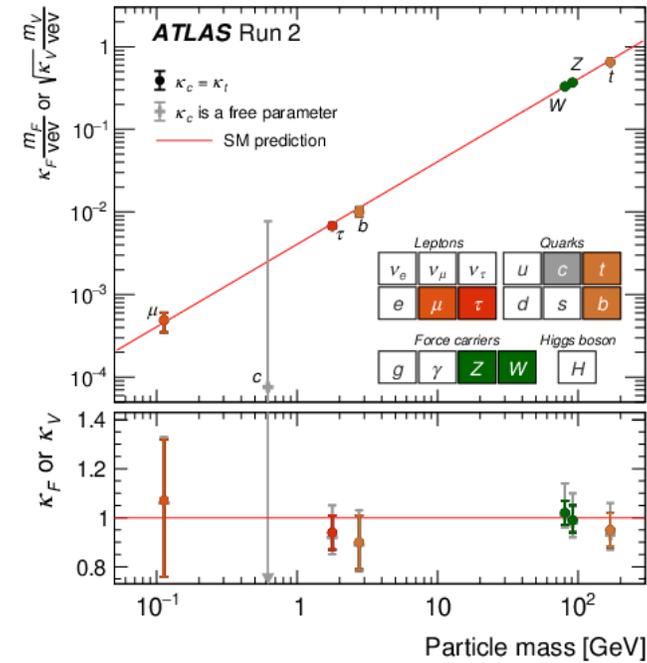
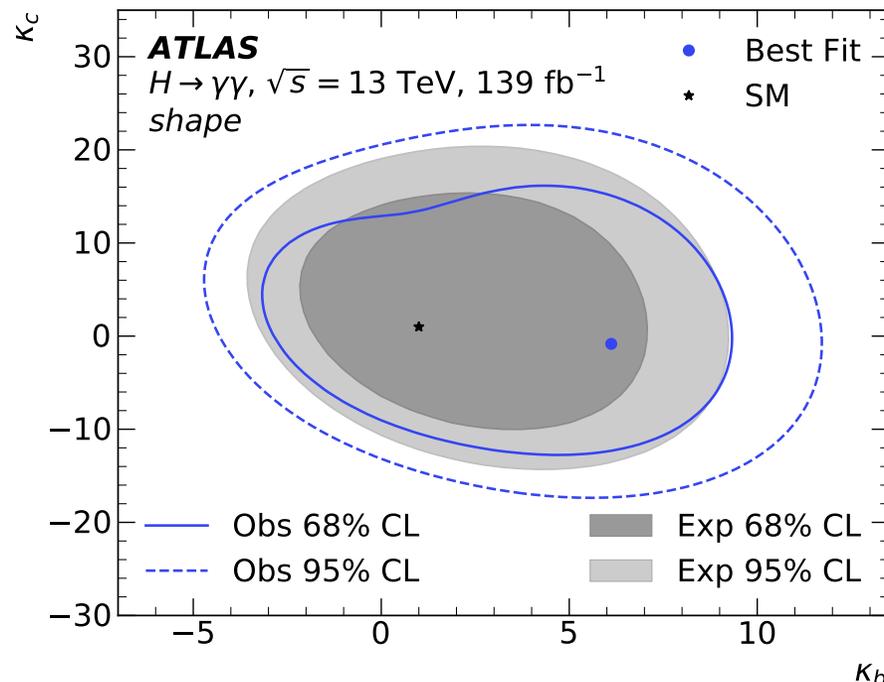
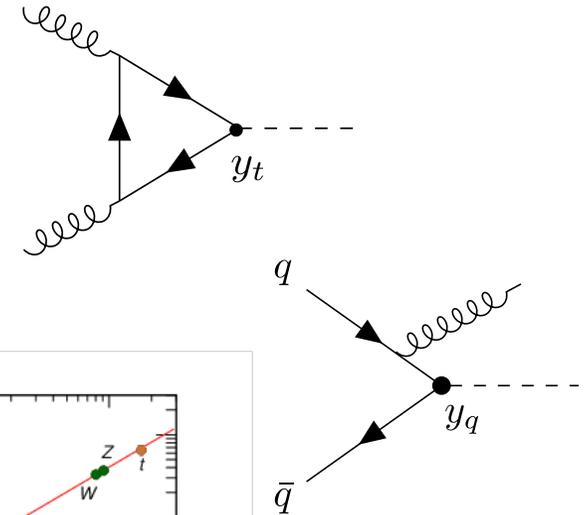
- allows to access quark Yukawa couplings from Higgs production
  - ▶ complementary to measuring it from the final state
- initial state discrimination [Ebert et al. '16, Bishara et al. '16]
  - ▶ the  $q_T$  spectra of gluon fusion and quark-initiated Higgs productions have different shapes
- **goal: combine different prediction and fit the Yukawa coupling**

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## Yukawa coupling from Higgs production

- fit to the the  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$   $q_T$  spectrum
- N<sup>3</sup>LL ' prediction for gluon fusion
- No resummed prediction for quark initiated production!



[ATLAS Collaboration '22]

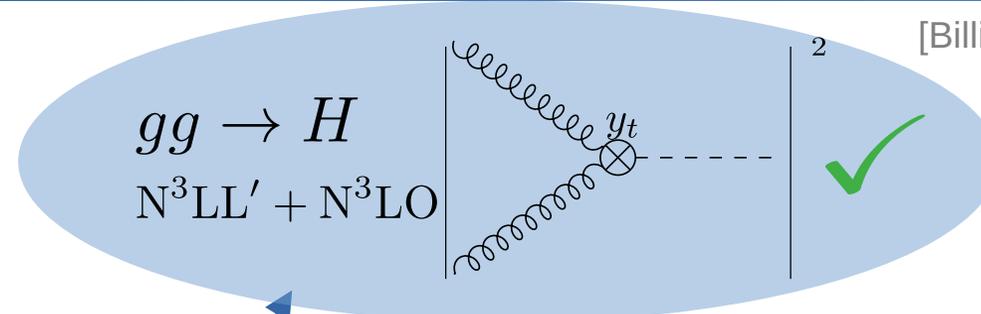
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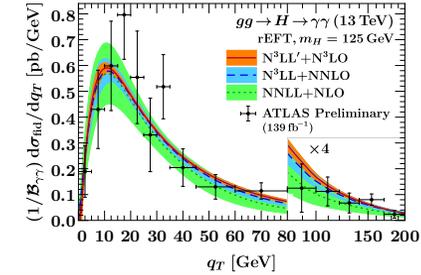
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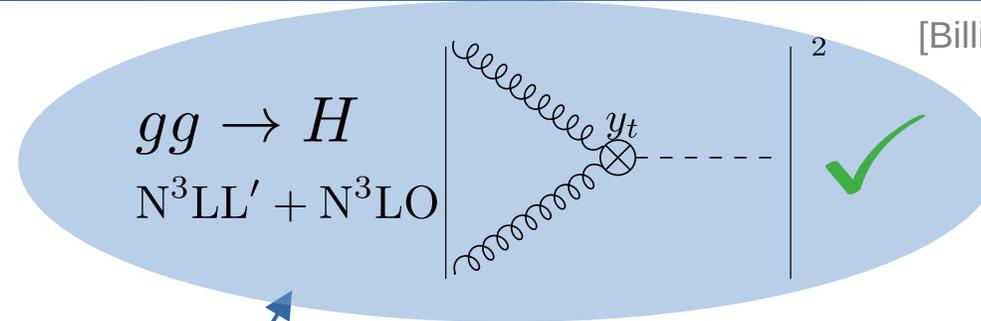
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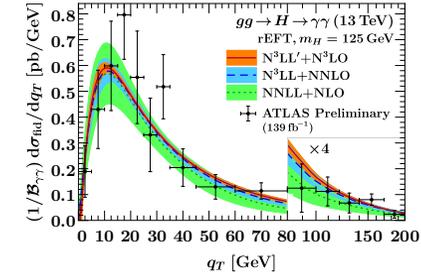
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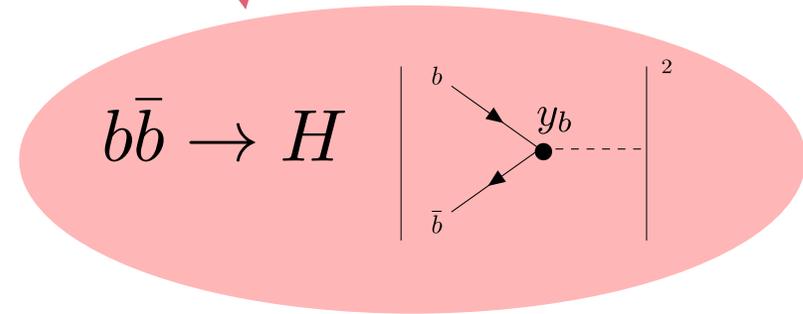
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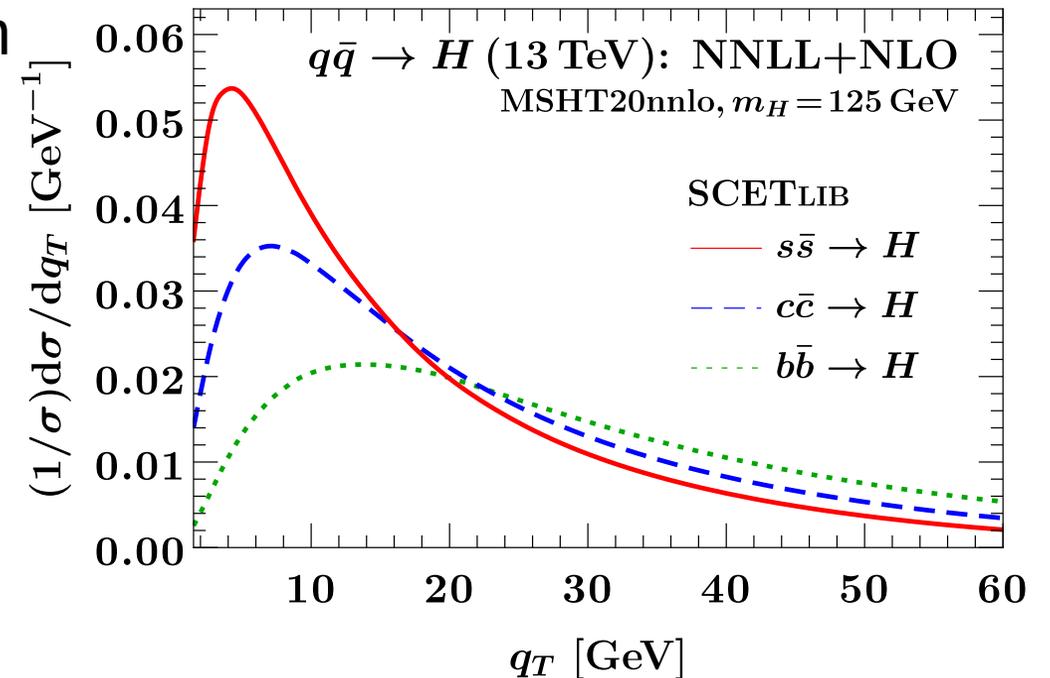
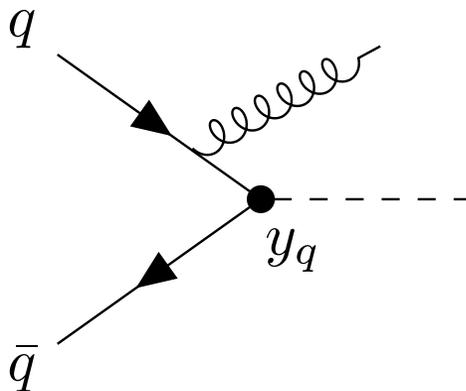


The  $q_T$  spectrum for quark initiated Higgs production.

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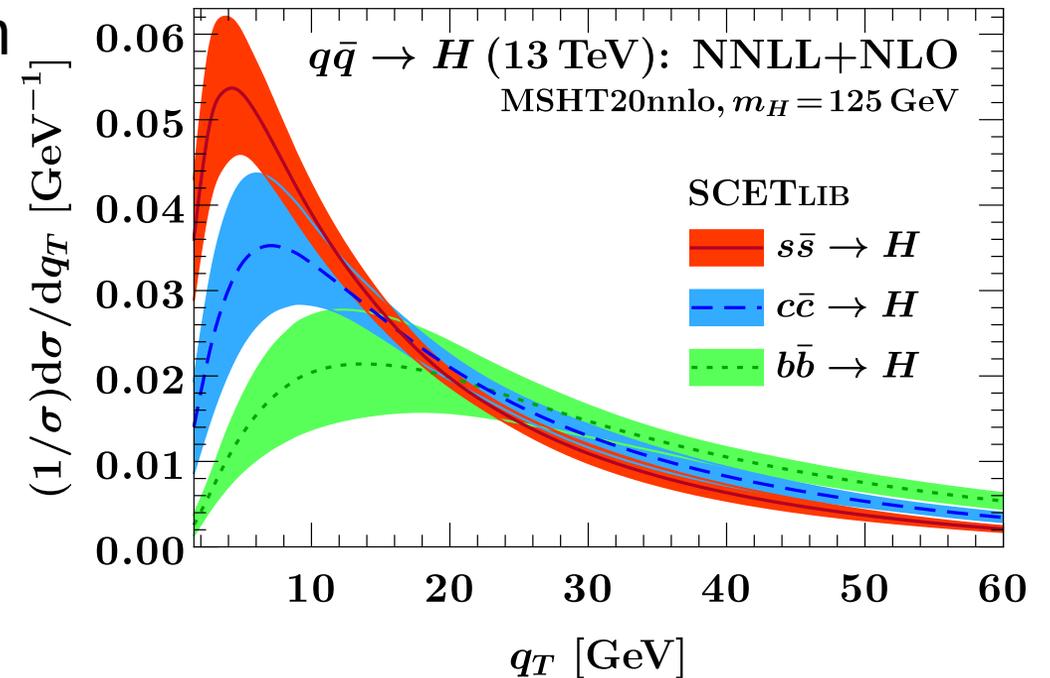
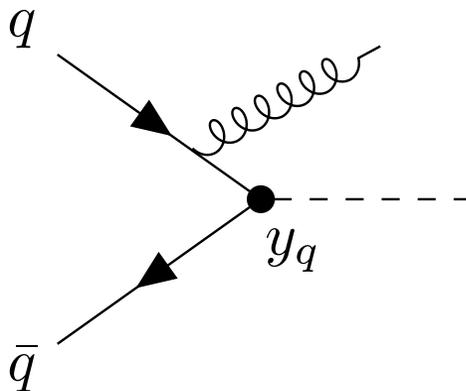
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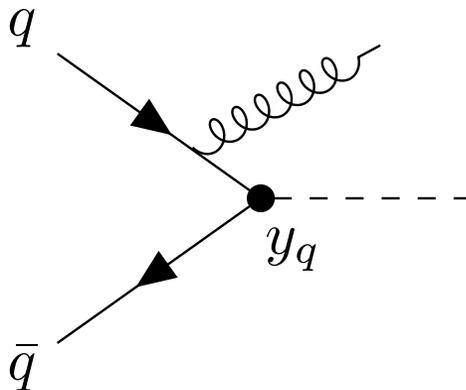
## Resummation at N<sup>3</sup>LL'

- resummation with SCETlib in  $b_T$  space [Billis, Ebert, Michel, Tackmann]
- ingredients for N<sup>3</sup>LL' resummation
  - ▶ Hard function at N<sup>3</sup>LO [Gehrmann, Kara`14, Ebert, Michel, Tackmann`17]
  - ▶ Beam function at N<sup>3</sup>LO [Luo, Yang, Zhu, Zhu`19, Ebert, Mistelberger, Vita`20]
  - ▶ Soft function at N<sup>3</sup>LO [Liu, Zhu, Neill`16, Li, Zhu`16]
  - ▶ 4-loop cusp and 3-loop non-cusp anom. dim.  
[Henn, Korchemsky, Mistelberger`20, v. Manteuffel, Panzer, Schabinger`20] [Li, Zhu`16, Valdimirov`16]
- for  $q_T \sim m_H$  use hybrid profile scales to turn off resummation

# Fixed order prediction.

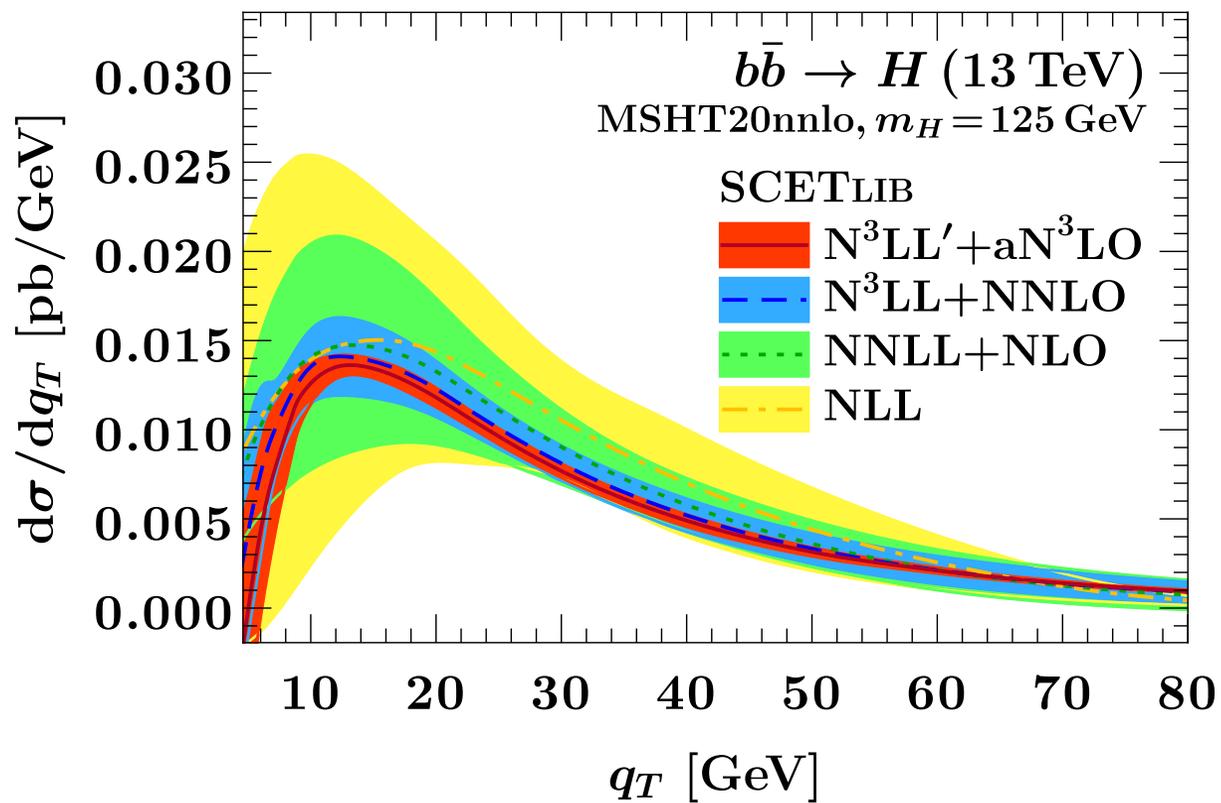
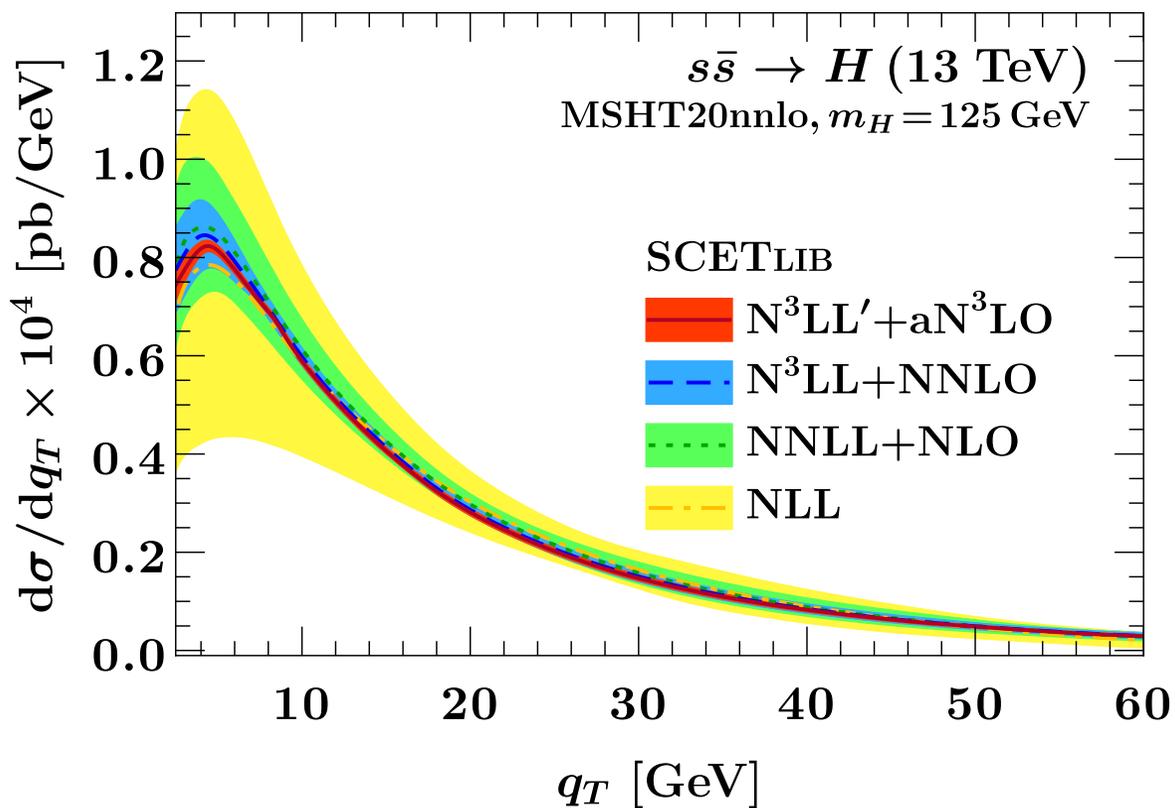
## $qqH + \text{jet prediction}$

- LO<sub>1</sub> analytic expression implemented in SCETlib
- NLO<sub>1</sub> implemented  $qqH$  in MC event generator Geneva [Alioli et al. '14]
  - ▶ Use OpenLoops matrix elements [Bucciconi et al. '19]
- aNNLO<sub>1</sub>: approximate something that could be NNLO<sub>1</sub>



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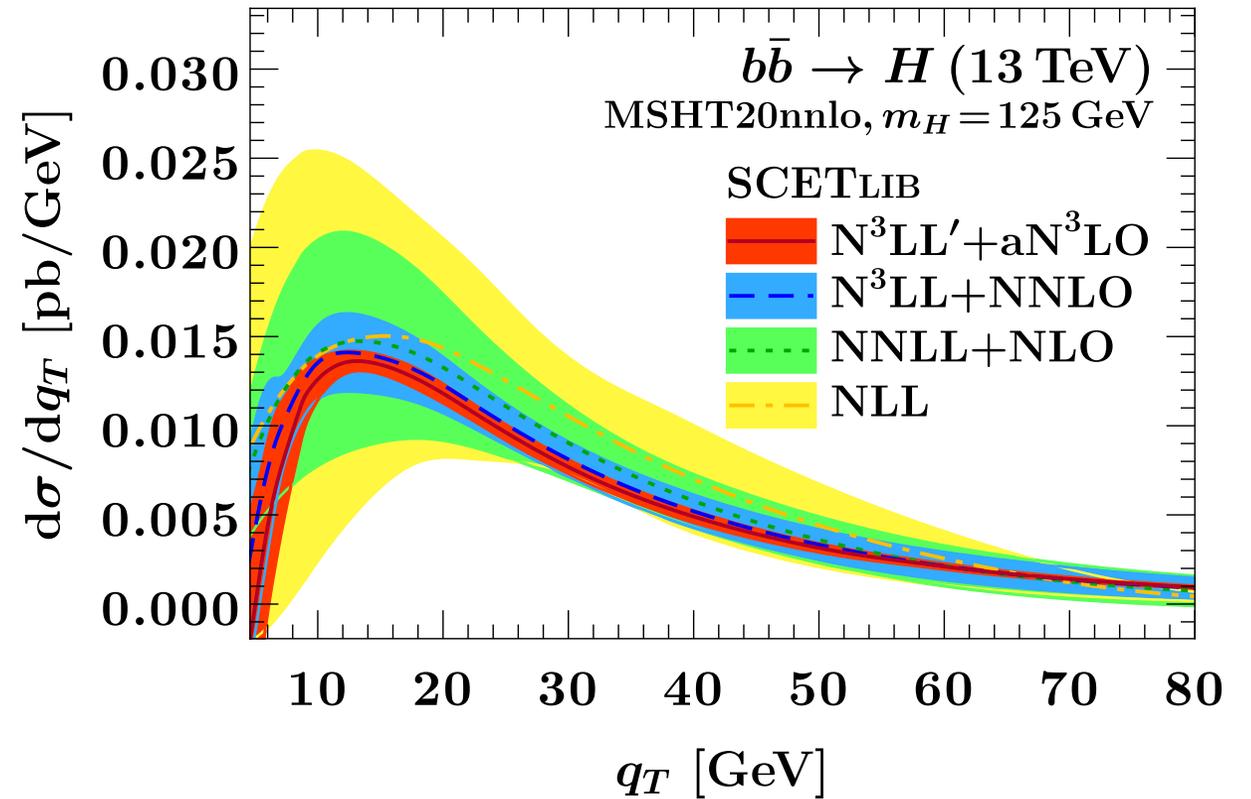


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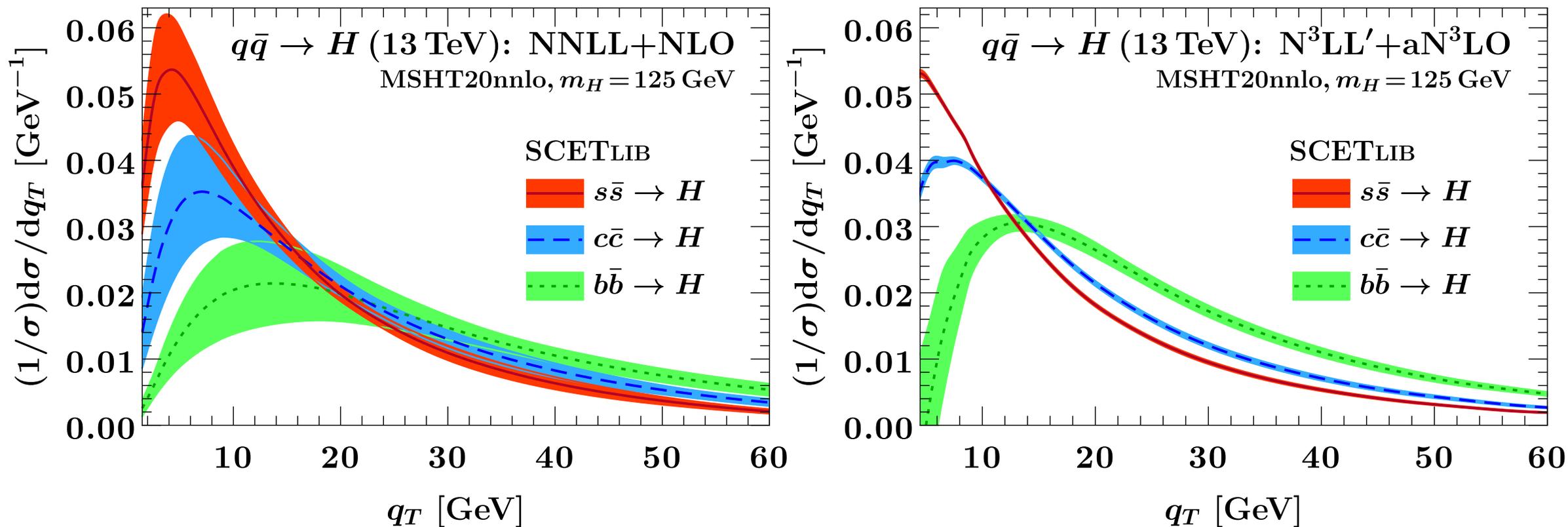
- note: plot is cut at 5 GeV
- using factorization theorem for massless quarks
  - ▶ b-quark mass effects become relevant
  - ▶ need to include mass effects!
- not an issue for c and s because they are much lighter



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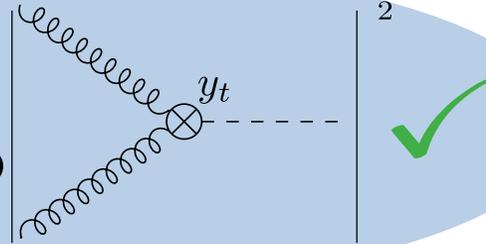


- theory precision high enough uncertainties to allow clear distinction!

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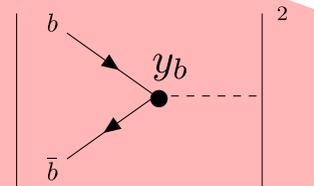
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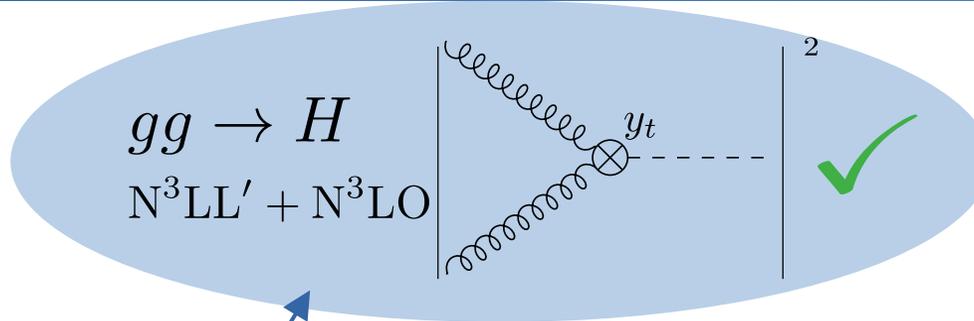
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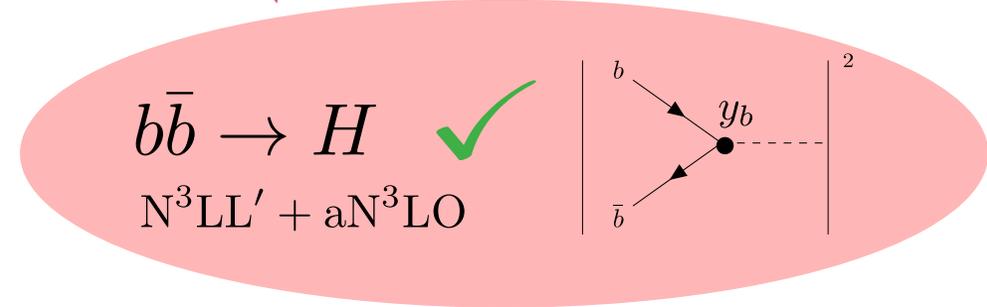
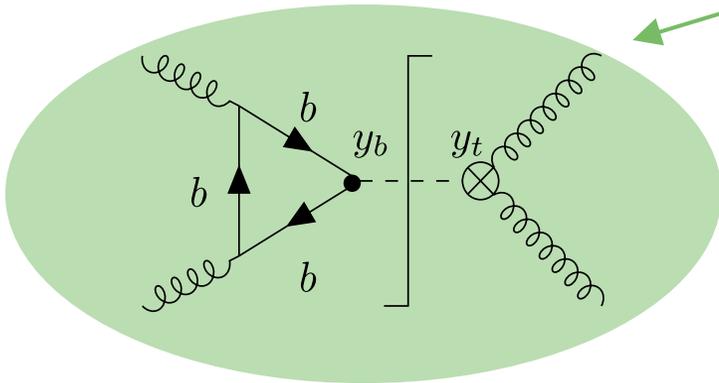


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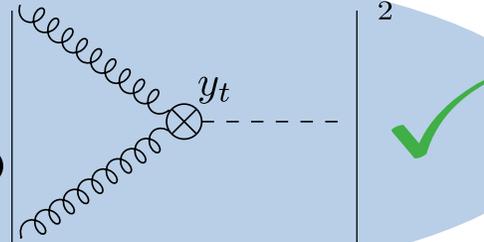


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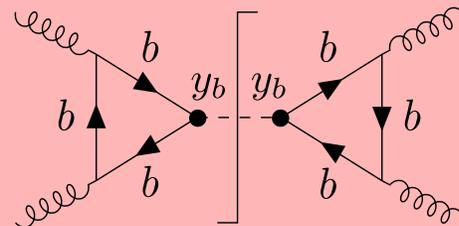
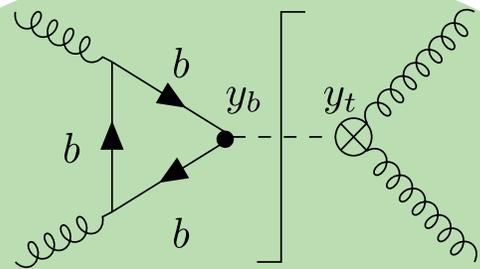
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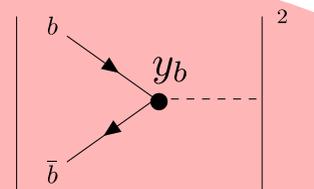


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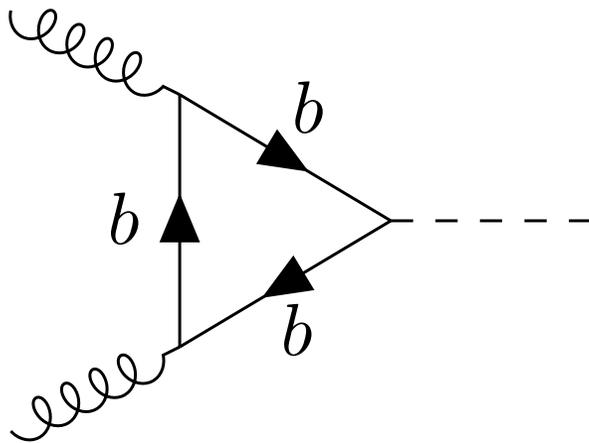


**bottom-mass effects in  $gg \rightarrow H$ .**

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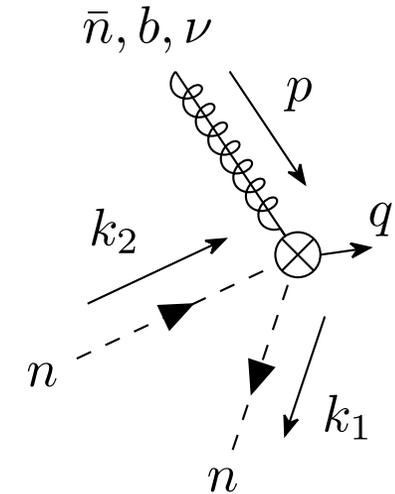
- **now:** consider  $gg \rightarrow H$  with massive bottom-quark loop
- usually consider top-quark loop since  $m_t \gg m_q$
- bottom loop gives  $\mathcal{O}(5 - 10\%)$  contribution from interference with top-quark
- lighter quarks only make up for a few percent of the Higgs cross section



# Notation and conventions.

## Lightcone momenta

- use lightcone coordinates  $p = (p^+, p^-, p_\perp)$
- power-counting: small parameter  $\lambda = m_b/m_H \ll 1$ 
  - ▶ collinear  $p^\mu \sim (\lambda^2, 1, \lambda)$
  - ▶ anti-collinear  $p^\mu \sim (1, \lambda^2, \lambda)$
  - ▶ soft  $p^\mu \sim (\lambda, \lambda, \lambda)$
- Higgs minus momentum  $q^- = \omega_n$
- fraction of total minus momentum:  $\xi = k_2^- / \omega_n$



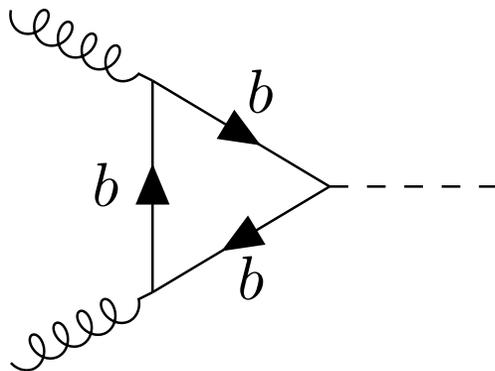
$$n^\mu = (1, 0, 0, 1), \quad \bar{n}^\mu = (1, 0, 0, -1), \quad p^\mu = \frac{n^\mu}{2} p^- + \frac{\bar{n}^\mu}{2} p^+ + p_\perp^\mu, \quad p^- = \bar{n} \cdot p, \quad p^+ = n \cdot p$$

# Mass effects in $gg \rightarrow H$

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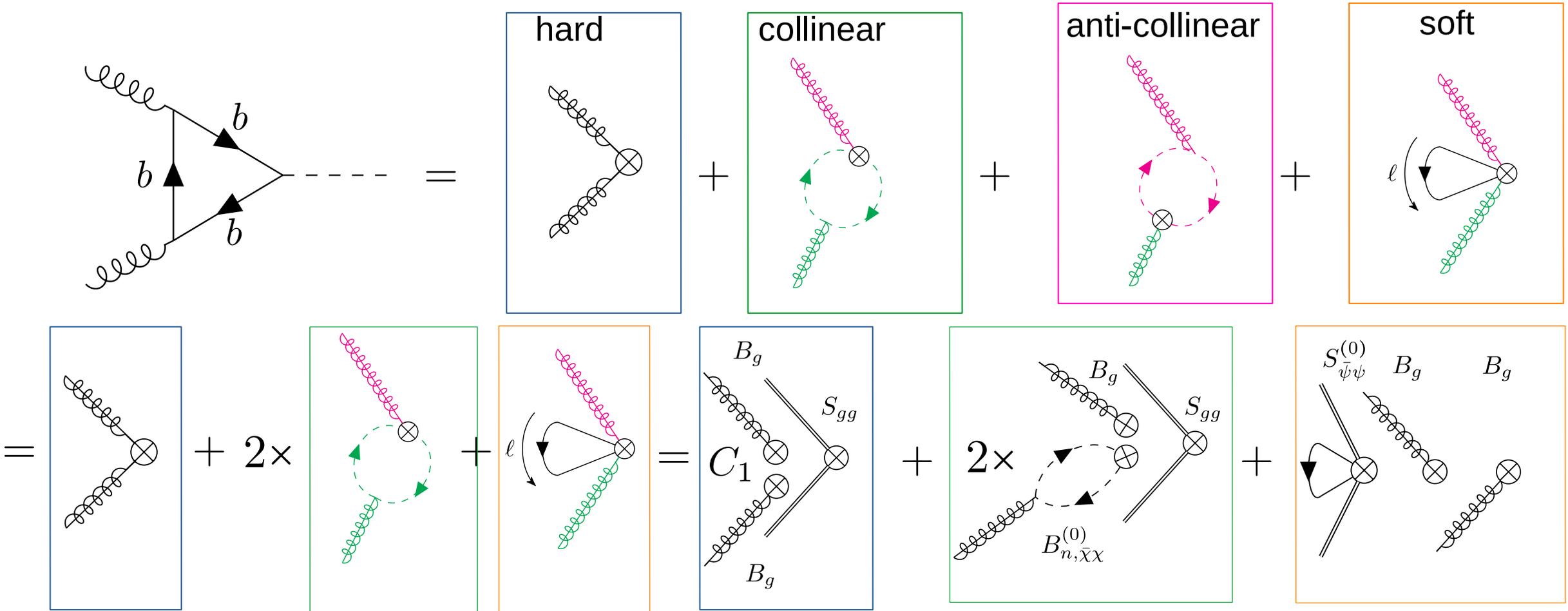


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[Beneke, Ji, Wang '24]

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## Notation LO NLP diagram



# Endpoint divergences at LO.

- regulate endpoint divergences just like rapidity divergences
- example: LO NLP collinear contribution:

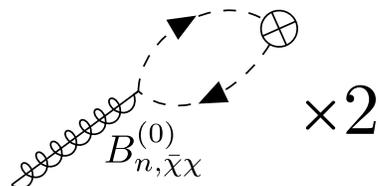
$$C_{bbg}^{(0)}(\xi) = \frac{1}{\xi} + \frac{1}{1-\xi}$$

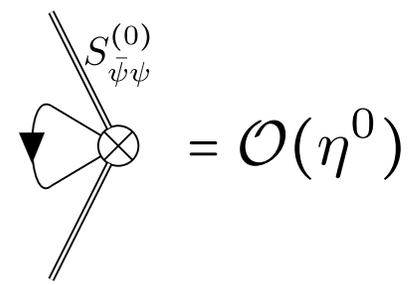
$$\rightarrow \int d\xi \left( \frac{1}{\xi} \left| \frac{\xi \omega_n}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} + \frac{1}{1-\xi} \left| \frac{(1-\xi)\omega_n}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} \right) \text{ [diagram of a loop with a gluon line and a ghost line] } \propto \frac{1}{\eta} + \mathcal{O}(\eta^0)$$

- $\frac{1}{\eta}$  is **not** a rapidity divergence!
- the “true” rapidity divergence (related to  $q_T$  spectrum) comes later from the phase space integral over  $k$ !

# Endpoint divergences.

## LO NLP contribution

$$\int d\xi \left( \frac{1}{\xi} \left| \frac{\xi \omega_n}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} + \frac{1}{1-\xi} \left| \frac{(1-\xi)\omega_n}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} \right)$$


$$+ \int dl^+ dl^- \frac{1}{l^+ l^-} \left| \frac{l^+ l^-}{\nu} \right|^{-\frac{\eta}{2}} |\sinh y_\ell|^{-\eta}$$


$$= \mathcal{O}(\eta^0)$$

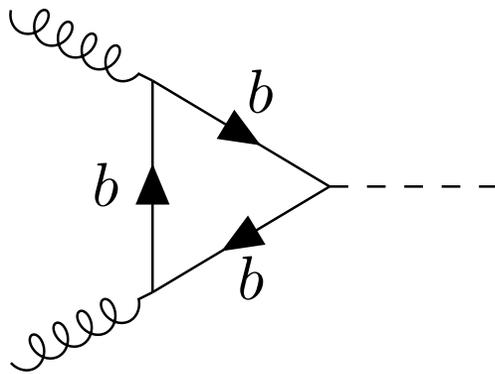
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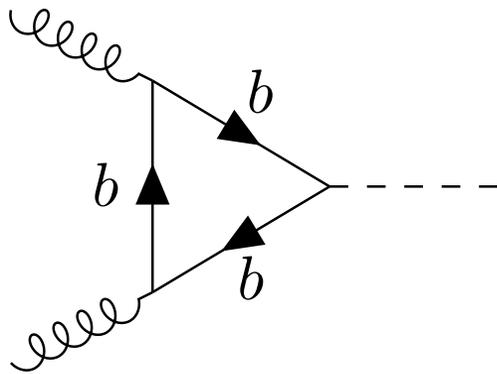
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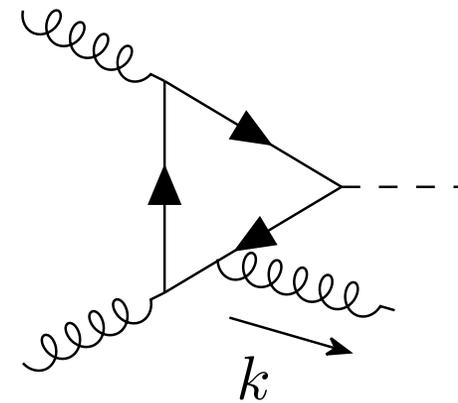


- $F(m_b, m_H)$  depends on two scales
- renormalization and treatment of endpoint divergences is active field of research

[Beneke, Ji, Wang '24]

## now: $q_T$ spectrum $d\sigma(q_T, m_b, m_H)$

- $q_T$  measurement adds additional scale  
→ three scale problem!

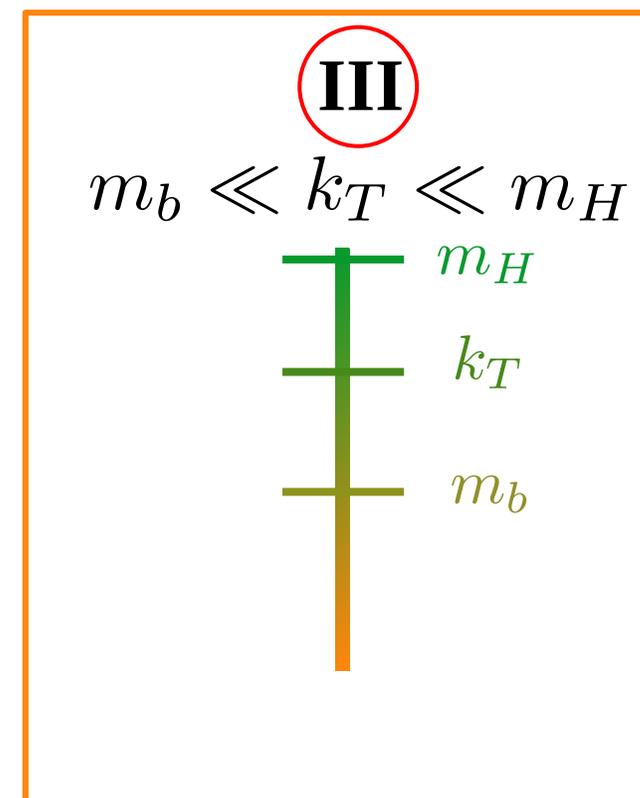
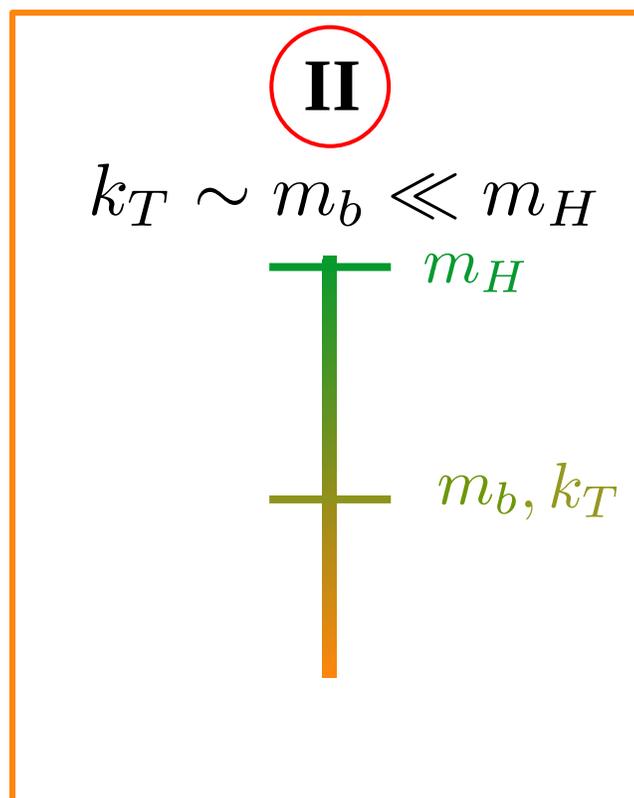
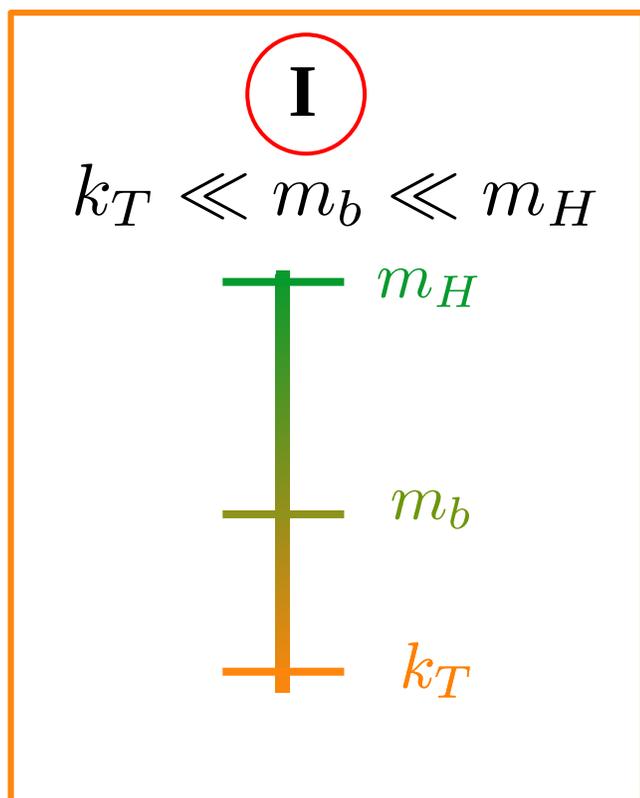


- add emission  $k_T \sim q_T$
- still have  $m_q \ll Q$ , but  $k_T$  can have different scalings

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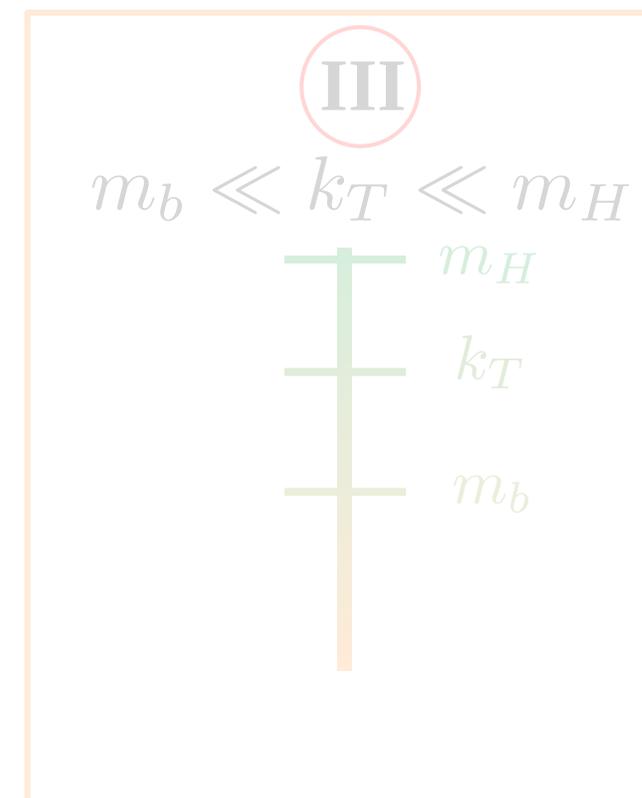
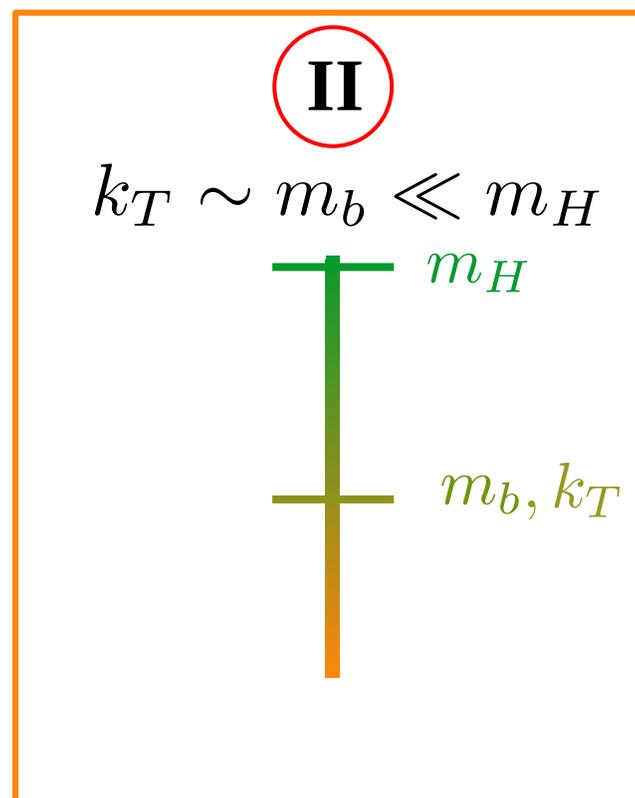
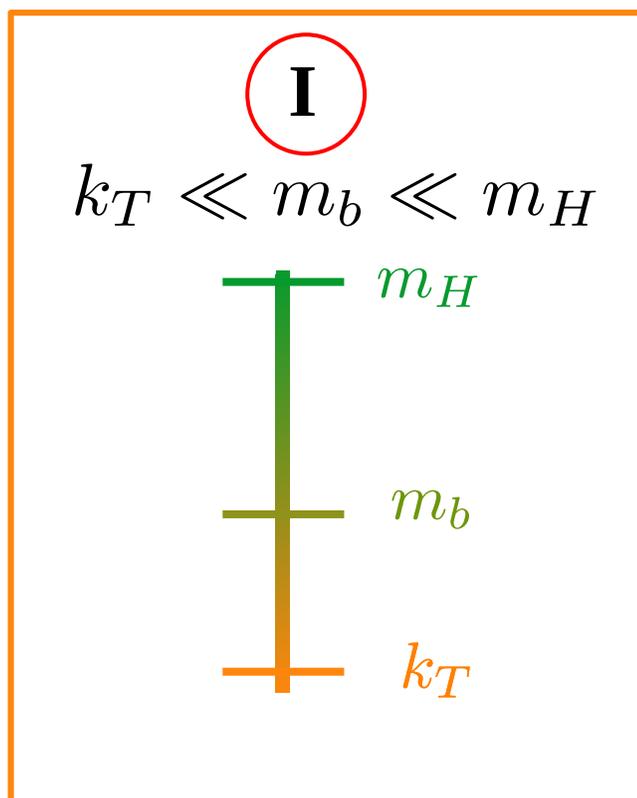
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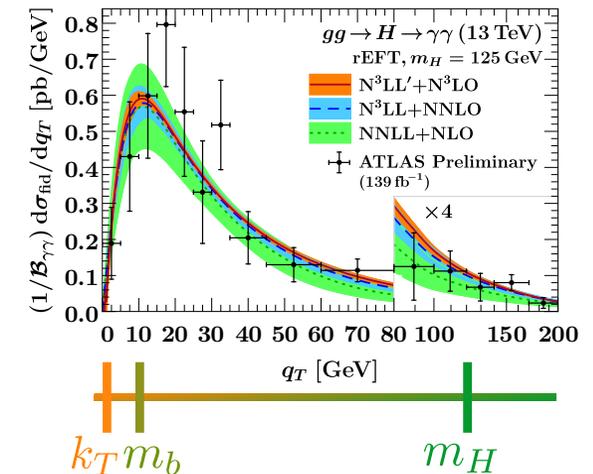


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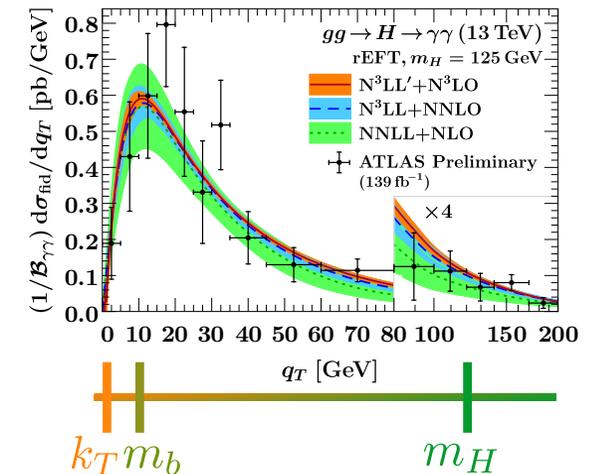
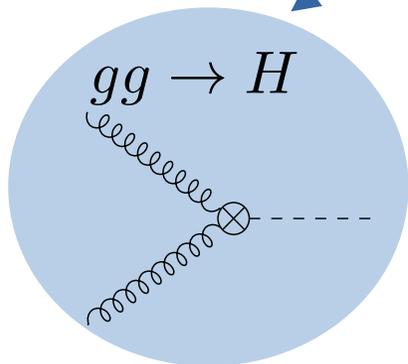


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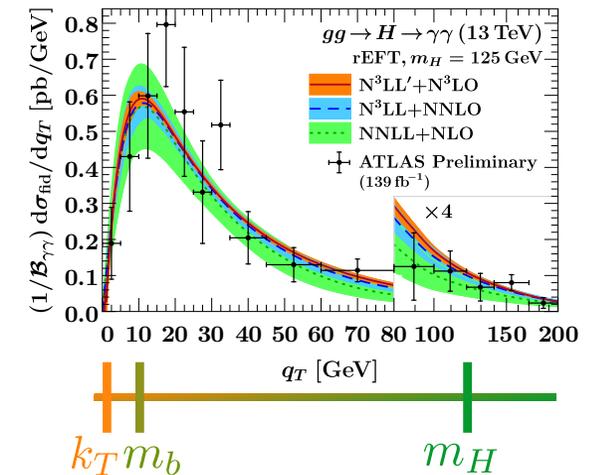
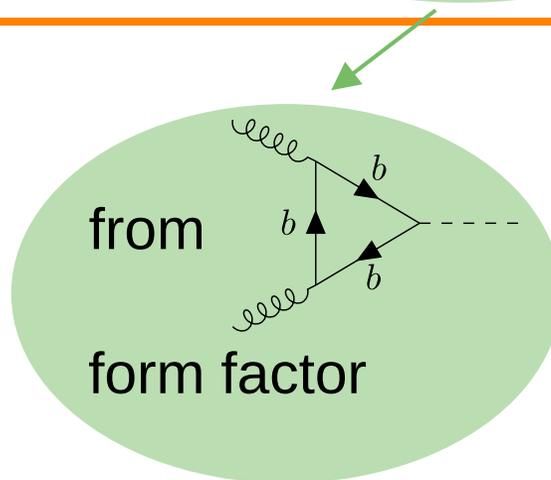
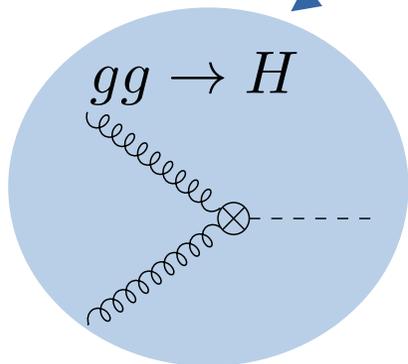


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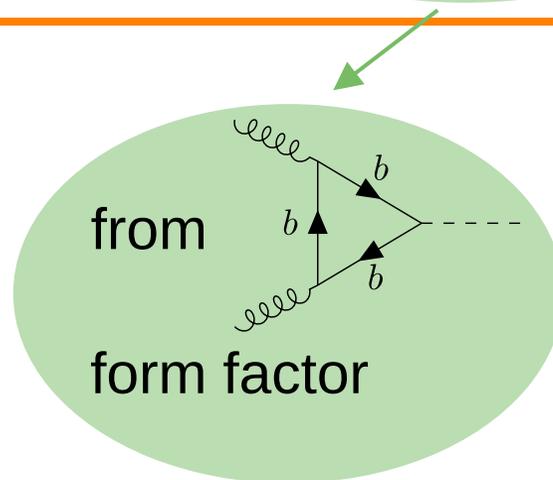
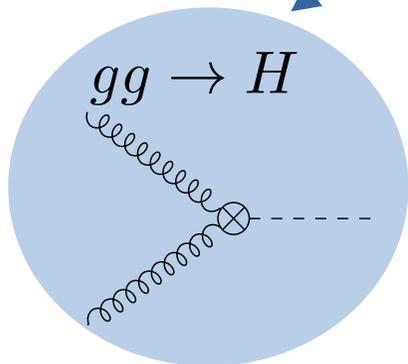


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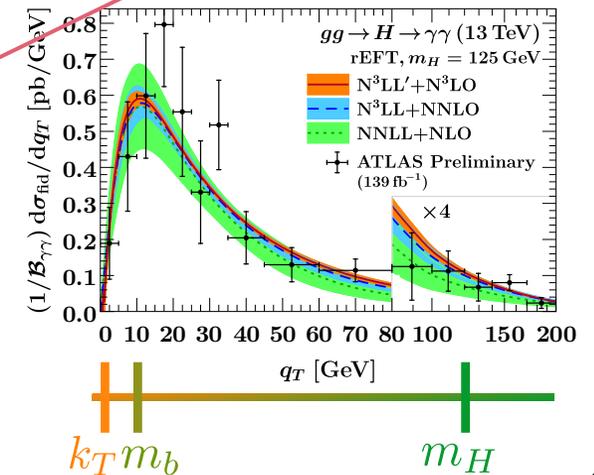
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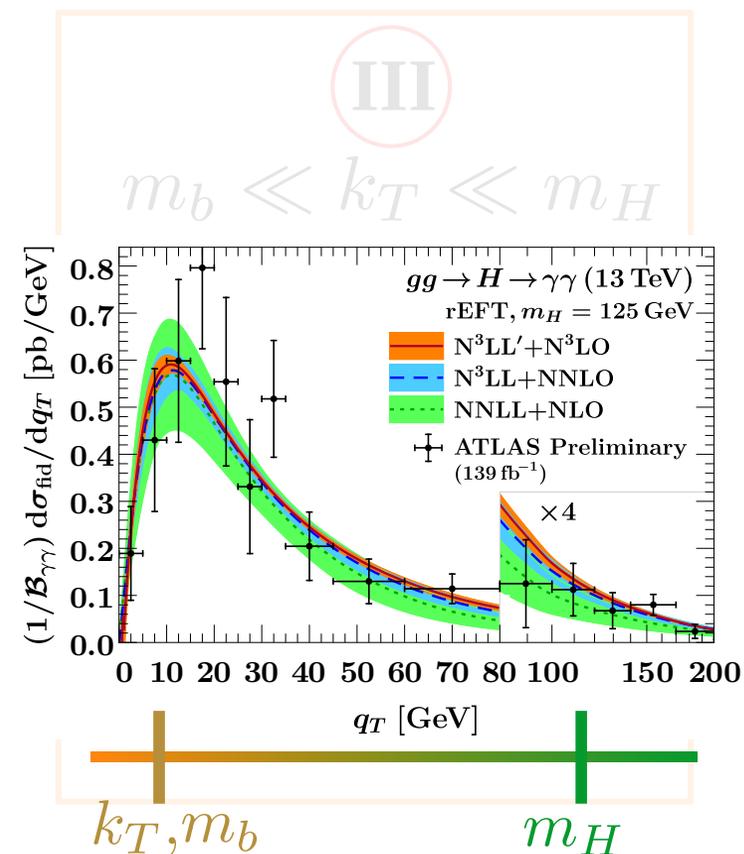
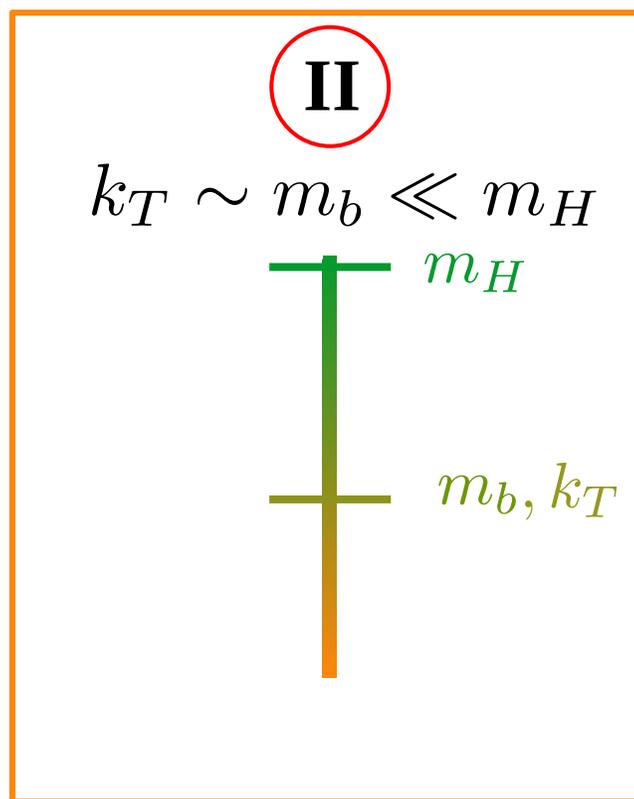
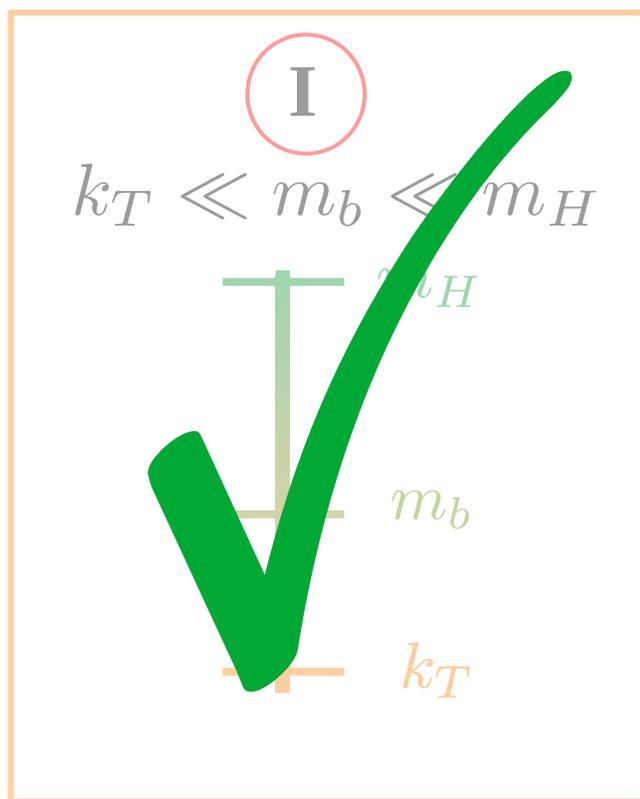
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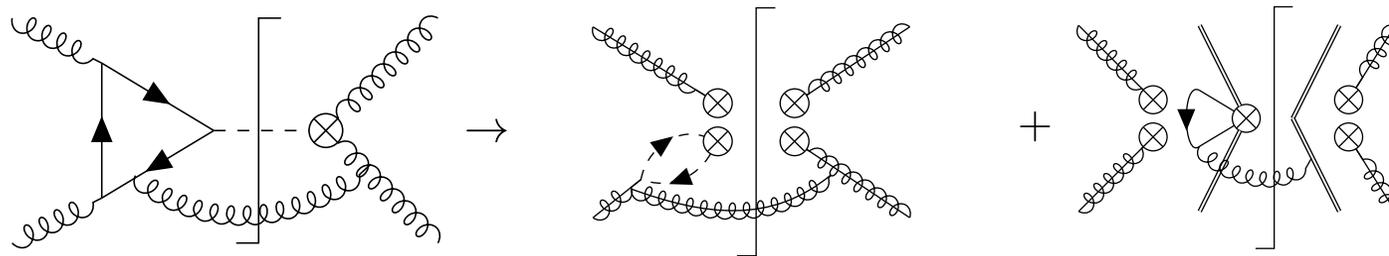


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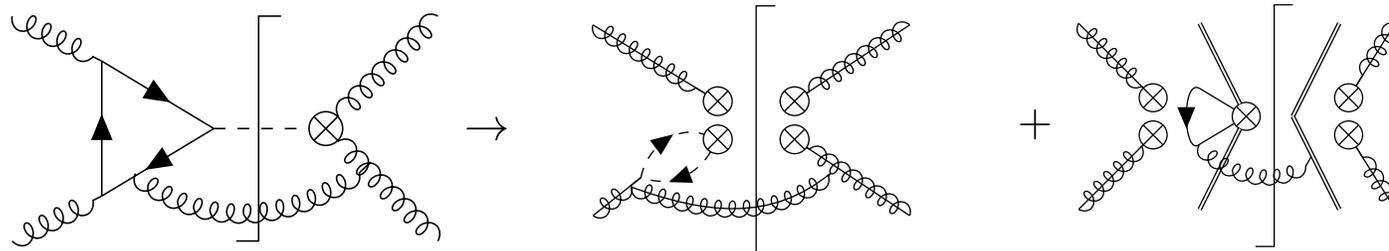
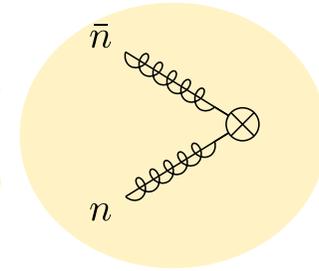


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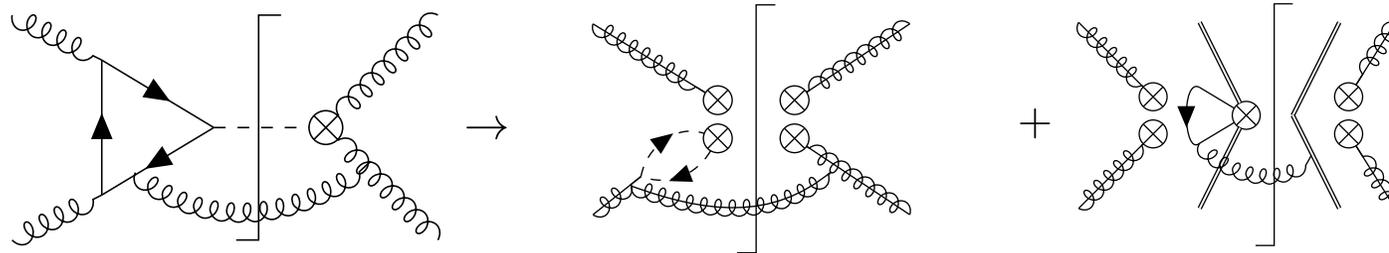
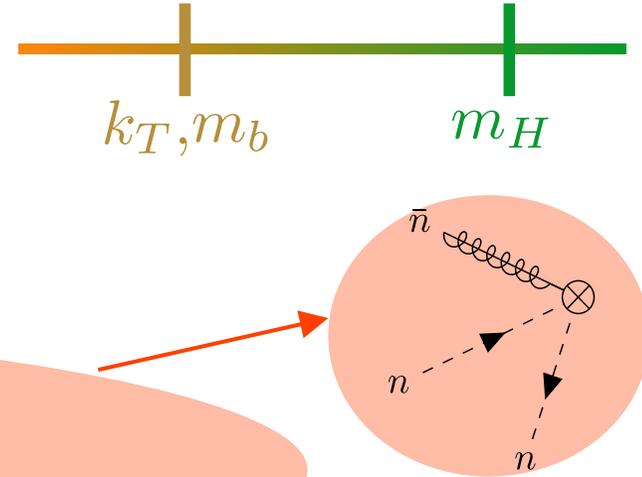
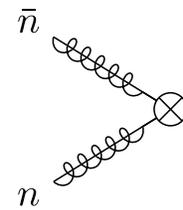


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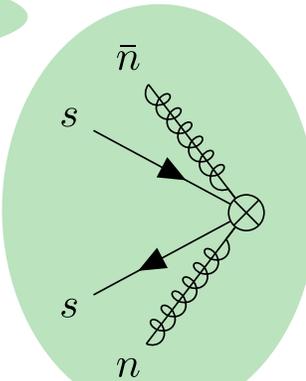
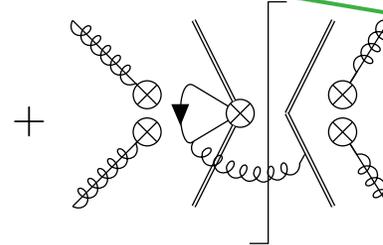
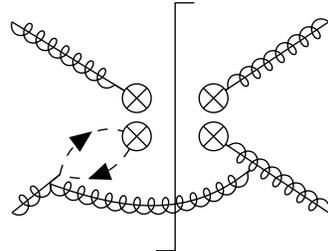
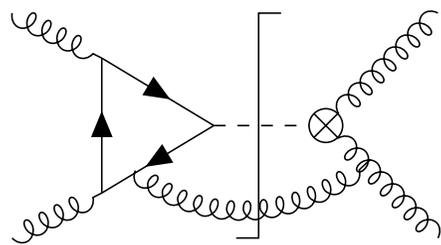
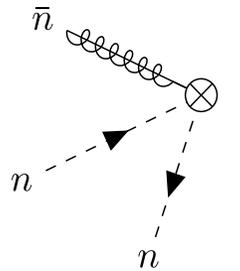
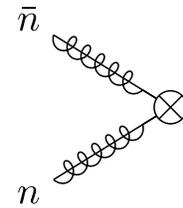
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$$\frac{1}{\ell^+ \ell^-}$$

lead to endpoint divergences! (just as for form factor)

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# Endpoint divergences.

- expect endpoint divergences in soft and collinear contribution
- form factor  $F(m_b, m_H)$  depends on two scales
- the spectrum introduces an additional scale  $k_T$

$$\frac{1}{\xi} f_n \left( \frac{m}{k_T} \right) \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{\ell^+ \ell^-} f_s \left( \frac{m}{k_T} \right)$$

- **how does the additional scale affect the structure of the endpoint divergences?**
- in general  $f_n(m/k_T)$  and  $f_s(m/k_T)$  can be non-trivial functions of  $m/k_T$

# Endpoint divergences.

## collinear NLP one-gluon contribution

- Now: add emission  $k_T$  to contribution from collinear loop

$$\int d\xi \left( \frac{1}{\xi} \left| \frac{\xi}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} + \frac{1}{1-\xi} \left| \frac{1-\xi}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} \right) \left( \begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 1} \\ \text{Diagram 2} \\ \text{Diagram 3} \\ \text{Diagram 4} \\ \text{Diagram 5} \end{array} \right)$$

$$= \left( \frac{A(k^-)}{4\eta\epsilon} + \frac{B(k^-)}{2\eta\epsilon} + \frac{A(k^-)}{4\eta\epsilon} + \frac{C(k^-)}{2\eta\epsilon} + \frac{C(k^-)}{2\eta\epsilon} \right)$$

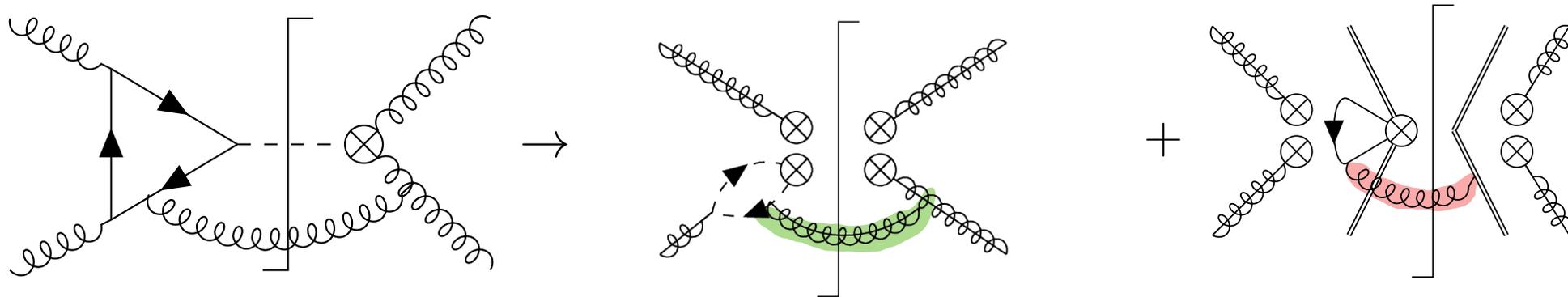
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- endpoint divergences partially cancel within the beam function but there are left-over poles

# Emission $k_T$ .

## soft vs. collinear emission

- emitted gluon can be **soft** or **collinear**
- endpoint divergences **have to cancel** within the same sector
- consider both sectors separately



# Endpoint divergences.

## collinear LP one-gluon contribution

- contribution from anti-collinear loop can have LP gluon emission

$$\int d\xi \left( \frac{1}{\xi} \left| \frac{\xi}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} + \frac{1}{1-\xi} \left| \frac{1-\xi}{\nu} \right|^{-\eta} \right) \left( \text{Diagram 1} + \text{Diagram 2} \right)$$

$= -\frac{A(k^-)}{2\eta\epsilon} - \frac{B(k^-)}{2\eta\epsilon}$

- endpoint divergences have the same sign as NLP collinear emission

# Endpoint divergences.

## collinear NLP and LP emissions

$$\int d\xi \left( \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\text{Diagram 1}} + \boxed{\text{Diagram 2}} + \boxed{\text{Diagram 3}} + \boxed{\text{Diagram 4}} + \boxed{\text{Diagram 5}} + \boxed{\text{Diagram 6}} + \boxed{\text{Diagram 7}} \end{array} \right)$$

$= \frac{A(k^-)}{\eta\epsilon} - \frac{B(k^-)}{\eta\epsilon}$

- **uncanceled endpoint divergences for collinear and anti-collinear loops!**

# Endpoint divergences.

## collinear emission

- has to be canceled by collinear LP emission and soft LO NLP!

$$\int dl^+ dl^- \left| \frac{l^+ l^-}{\nu} \right|^{-\frac{\eta}{2}} |\sinh y_\ell|^{-\eta} \left( \text{Diagram 1} + \text{Diagram 2} \right) = +\frac{A(k^-)}{\eta\epsilon} + \frac{B(k^-)}{\eta\epsilon}$$

- endpoint divergences cancel between diagrams with collinear emission!

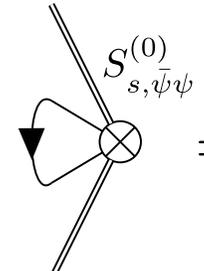
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- divergences cancel against LP collinear emission!
- mass and  $k_T$  dependence are factorized!

# Endpoint divergences.

## soft emission

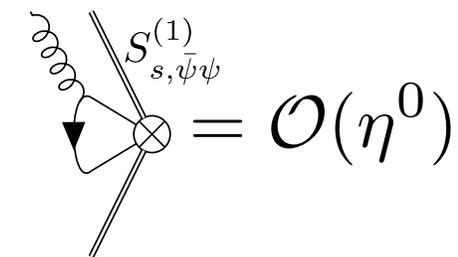
- sum of diagrams with collinear emission is finite
- **sum of diagrams with soft emission has to be finite as well!**
- free to choose regulator to regulate endpoint divergences in this subset of diagrams!
- LO NLP example for pure rapidity regulator [Ebert, Mout, Stewart, Tackmann, Vita, Zhu '18]

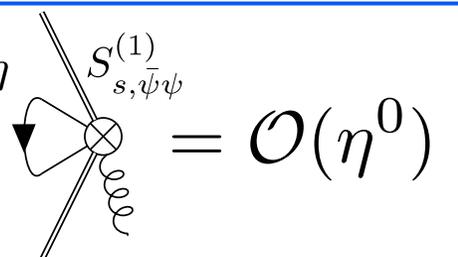
$$\int dl^+ dl^- \left( \frac{l^+}{l^-} \right)^{-\eta} \text{ (diagram)} = 0 \quad (\text{scaleless})$$


# Endpoint divergences.

## soft emission

- use the pure rapidity regulator for NLP soft diagram

$$\int d\ell^+ d\ell^- \left( \frac{\ell^+}{\ell^-} \right)^{-\eta} \text{diagram} = \mathcal{O}(\eta^0)$$
A Feynman diagram representing a soft emission process. It features a central vertex (a circle with a cross) where two lines meet. One line is a fermion line (double line with an arrow) entering from the top-left. The other is a fermion line (double line with an arrow) exiting towards the bottom-right. A wavy line representing a soft gluon emission is attached to the vertex from the left. The diagram is enclosed in a red rectangular box.

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- **both contributions are individually finite!**

# Endpoint divergences.

## soft emission

- what about the collinear LO NLP  $\times$  soft LP emission?

$$\int d\xi \left( \frac{1}{\xi} + \frac{1}{1-\xi} \right) \xi^{-\eta} (1-\xi)^{-\eta} \left( B_{n, \bar{\chi}\chi}^{(0)} \left( S_{gg}^{(1)} + S_{gg}^{(1)} \right) \right) = \frac{D(k^-)}{\eta}$$

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- endpoint divergences from  $n$ - and  $\bar{n}$ - collinear sector cancel!

# Endpoint divergences.

## Summary

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- all endpoint divergences cancel!
- $m$  and  $k_T$  dependence factorizes!

# Mass effects in $ggH$ .

## Next steps

- endpoint divergences cancel ✓
- calculate finite parts of the integrals ✓
- compare against full QCD amplitude in respective limit [Bauer, Glover 1989]
- phase space integral over emission  $k$
- write paper!

**Outlook and summary.**

# Outlook.

## Yukawa fits

- include finite mass effects for  $qqH$
- combine  $qqH$  and bottom-mass effects in gluon fusion

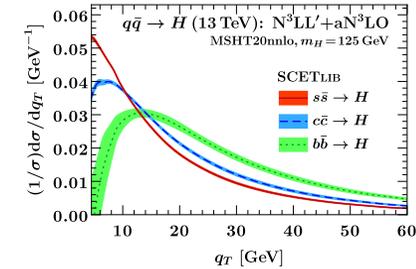
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- fit the bottom and charm Yukawa couplings from Higgs production!

# Summary.

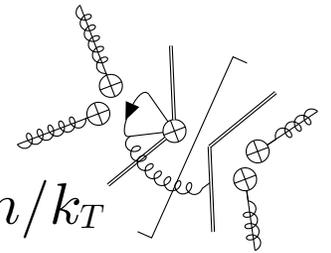
## $N^3LL' + aN^3LO$ prediction for $qqH$

- new prediction for quark initiated Higgs production
- at  $N^3LL' + aN^3LO$ : uncertainties no longer overlap!



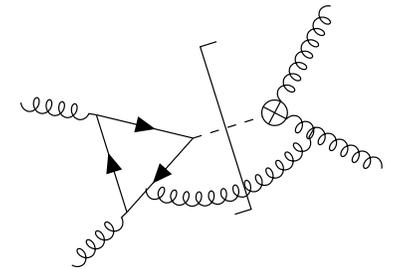
## $m_b$ effects in gluon fusion

- the emission  $k_T$  adds an extra scale to the problem
- coefficient functions of endpoint divergences could be non-trivial functions of  $m/k_T$
- $m$  and  $k_T$  dependence factorizes!
- endpoint divergences from soft and collinear emissions cancel separately



## Outlook

- put everything together and fit the Yukawa coupling



# Thank you!

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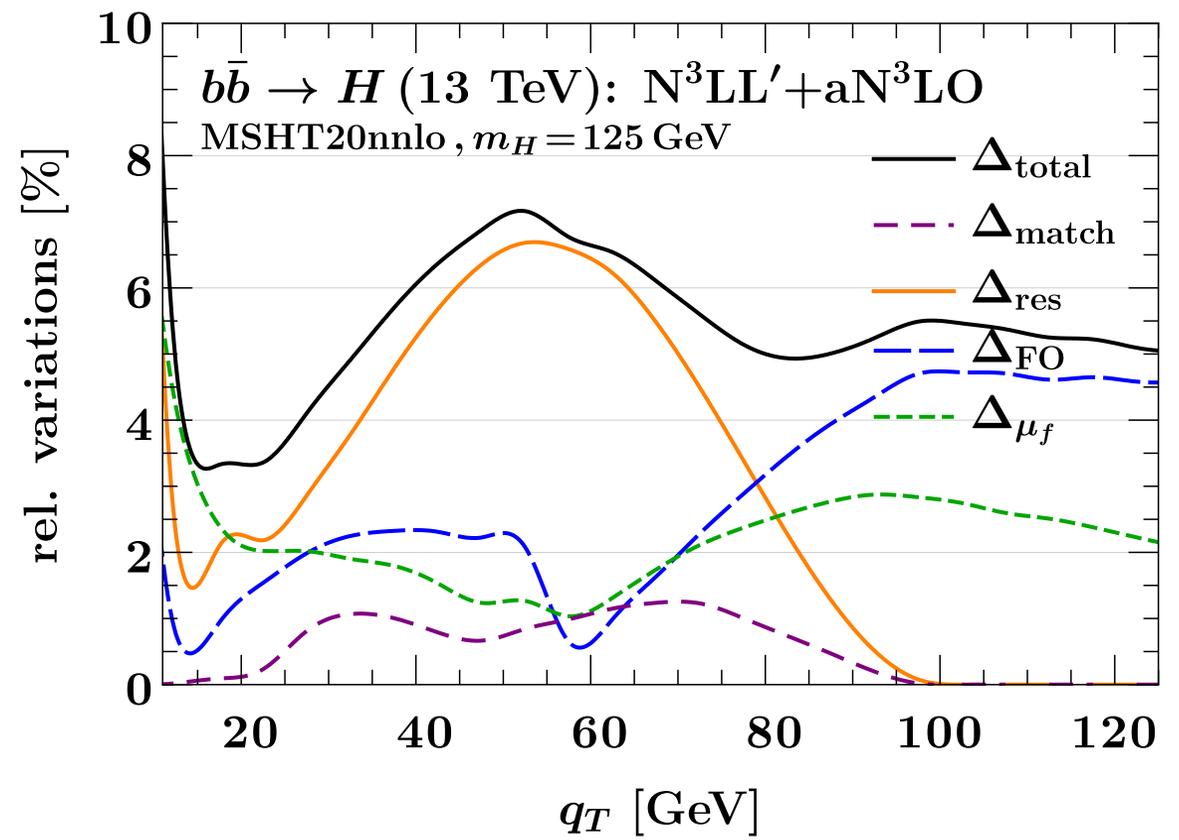
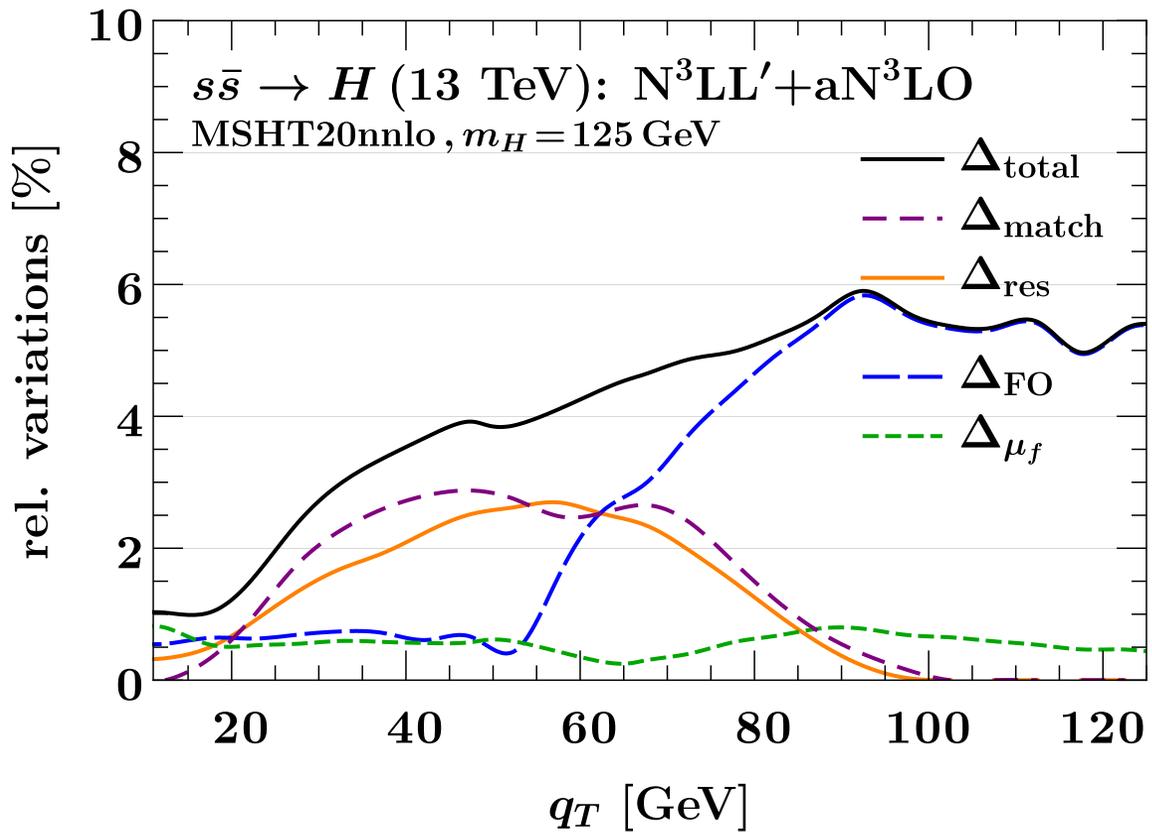


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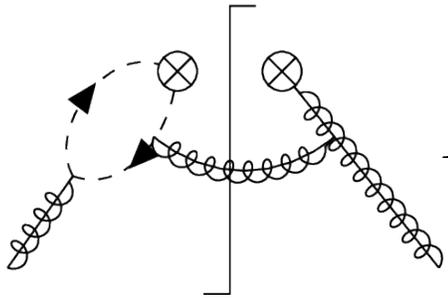
Back up.

# Impact plots.



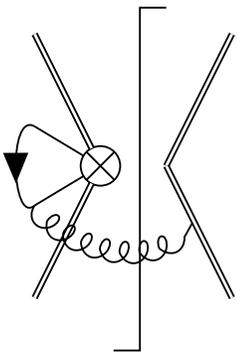
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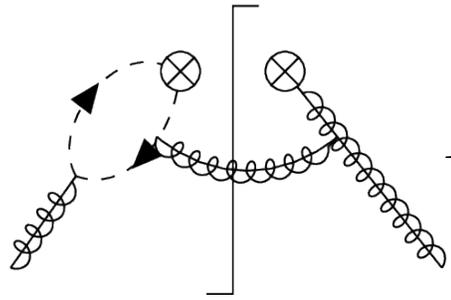


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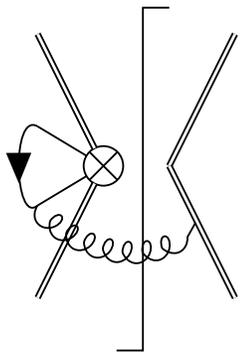
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