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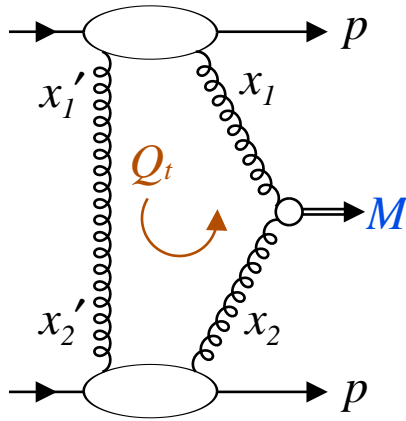


uPDF uncertainties for exclusive Higgs

- Higgs à la Khoze, Martin, Ryskin
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Exclusive Diffractive Higgs



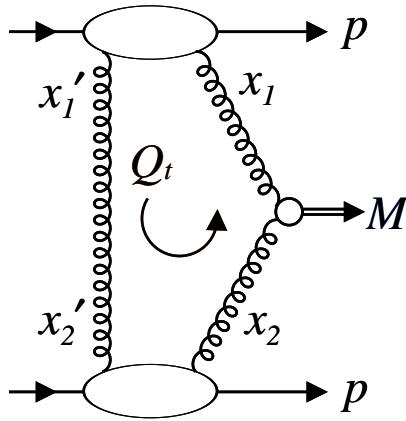
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f_g is the amplitude related to the un-integrated, off-diagonal gluon density.

S^2 is a soft survival probability

b comes from the approximation of the probability for a proton

to remain intact $\int_0^\infty \exp(b(p_f - p_i)^2) d(p_f - p_i) = \frac{1}{b}$



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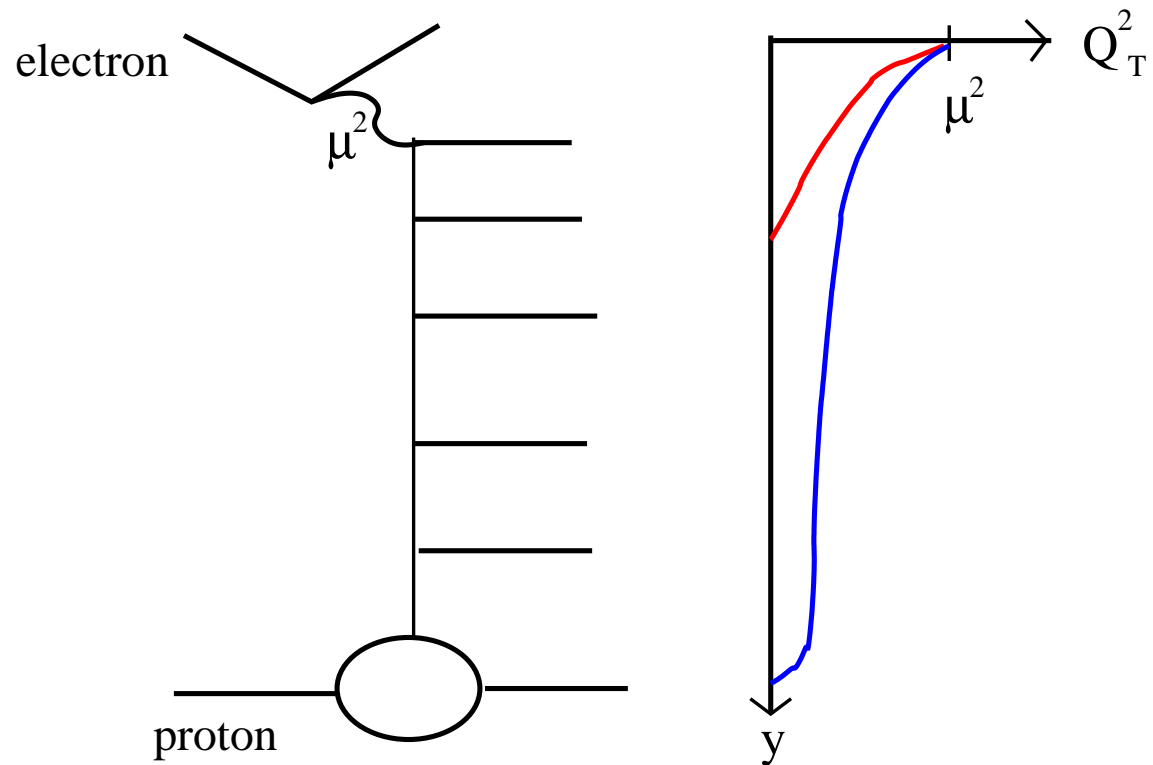
$$R_g(x, Q_t^2) \approx 1 + (0.82 + 0.56\lambda)\lambda, \quad \lambda = d \ln(xg(x, Q_t^2)) / d \ln(1/x)$$

$$\langle R_g \rangle \approx 1.2(1.4) \text{ at LHC (Tevatron)}$$

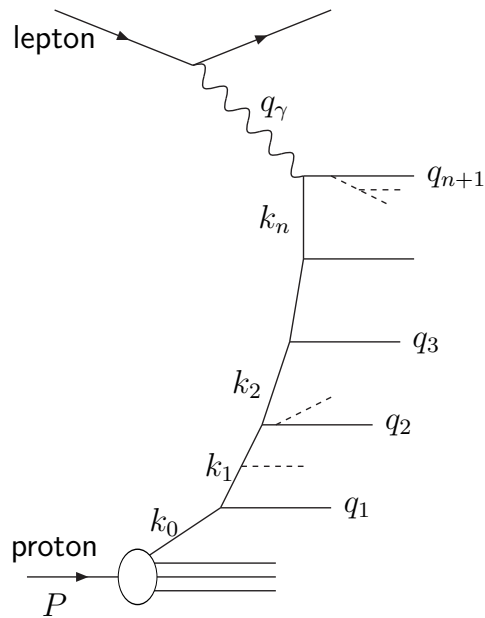
$T(Q_t, M/2)$ is the Sudakov form factor, hard survival probability (Square root since only one gluon couples to the Higgs at large scale.)



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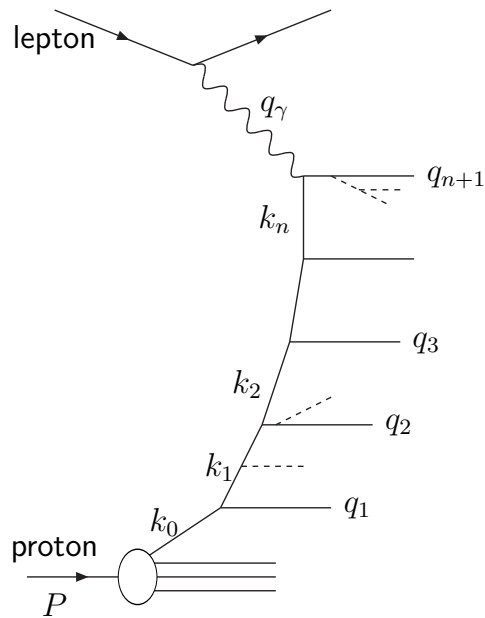
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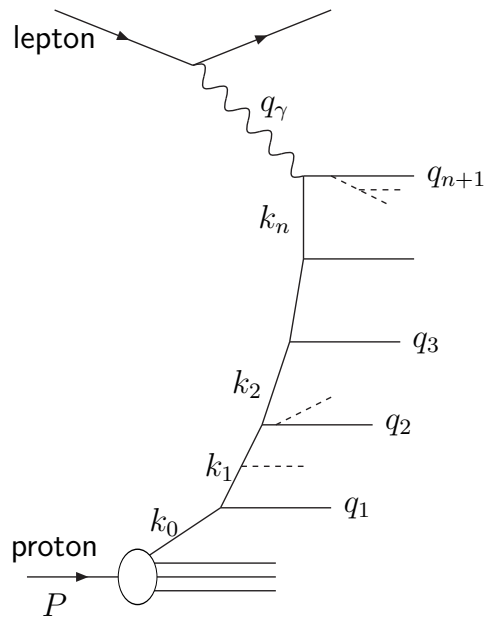
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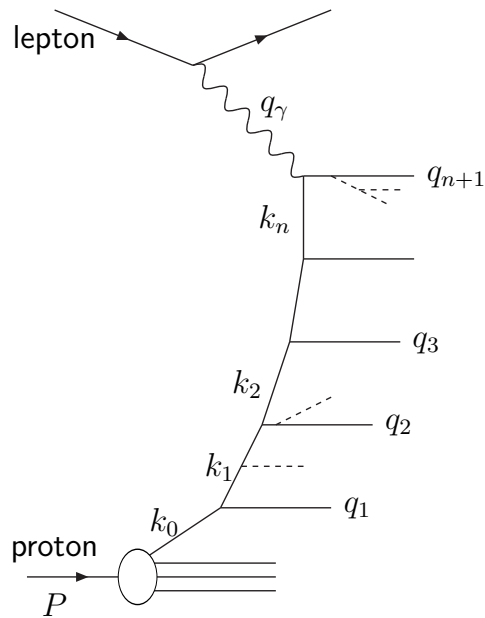
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- Generates the unintegrated densities directly



LDC needs a cutoff, $k_{\perp 0}$, below that we use non-perturbative input densities.

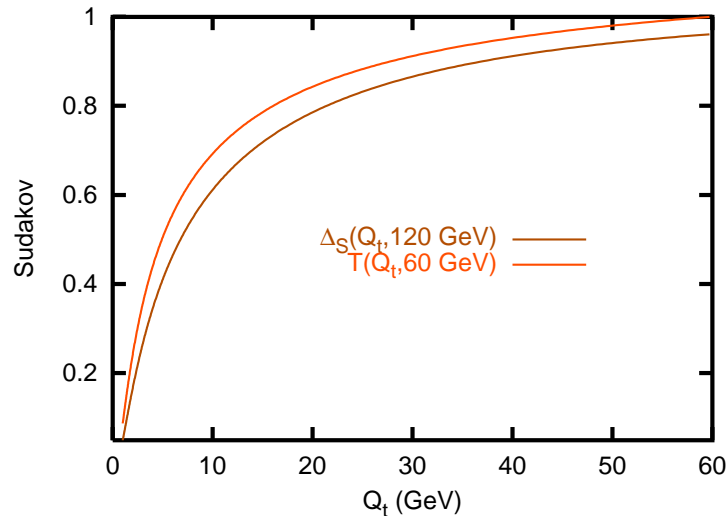
$$L = \left[\frac{\pi}{(N_c^2 - 1)b} \left(\int_{k_{\perp 0}^2}^{M^2} \frac{dQ_t^2}{Q_t^4} R_g^2 \mathcal{G}(x, Q_t^2, Q_t^2) \mathcal{G}(x, Q_t^2, Q_t^2) \Delta_S(Q_t^2, M^2) + R_g^2 g_0(x, k_{\perp 0}^2) g_0(x, k_{\perp 0}^2) \Delta_S(k_{\perp 0}^2, M^2) / k_{\perp 0}^2 \right) \right]^2$$

$$f_g(x, x', Q_t^2, M^2) = R_g \sqrt{\Delta_S(Q_t^2, M^2)} \mathcal{G}(x, Q_t^2, Q_t^2)$$



$$\ln T(Q_t, M/2) = - \int_{Q_t^2}^{M^2/4} \frac{\alpha_s(k_\perp^2)}{2\pi} \frac{dk_\perp^2}{k_\perp^2} \int_0^{\frac{M}{M+2k_\perp}} [zP_{gg}(z) + n_f P_{qg}(z)] dz$$

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To estimate the uncertainties from the unintegrated structure function we have used three different LDC unintegrated gluon distributions which differs in the treatment of non-leading terms.

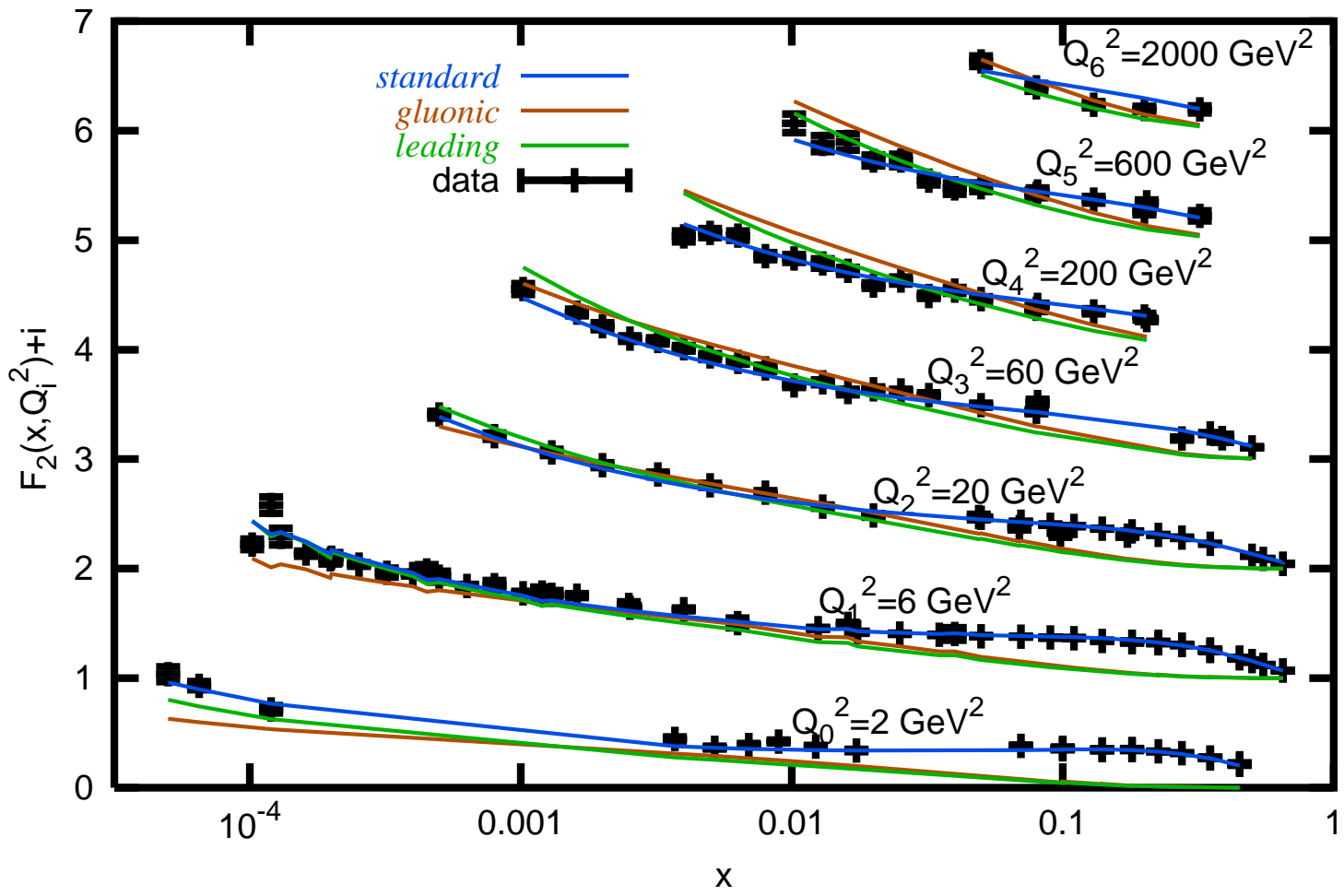
standard uses quark and gluon evolution with full splitting functions. Gives a good description of F_2 .

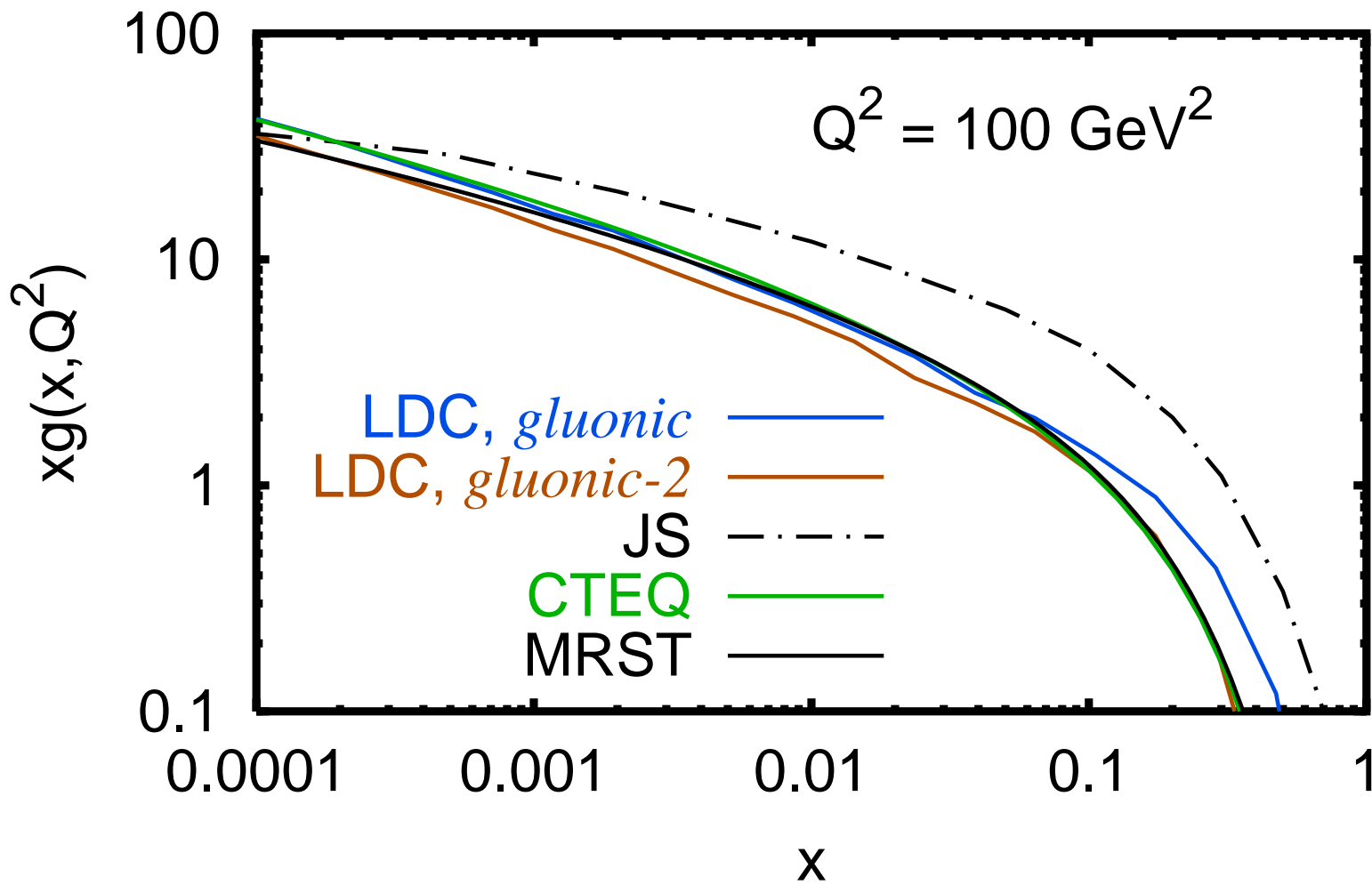
gluonic uses only gluons with full splitting function. Gives a good description of the integrated gluon.

leading uses only gluons with only singular terms in the splitting function. Gives a good description of forward jets and b-production at the Tevatron.

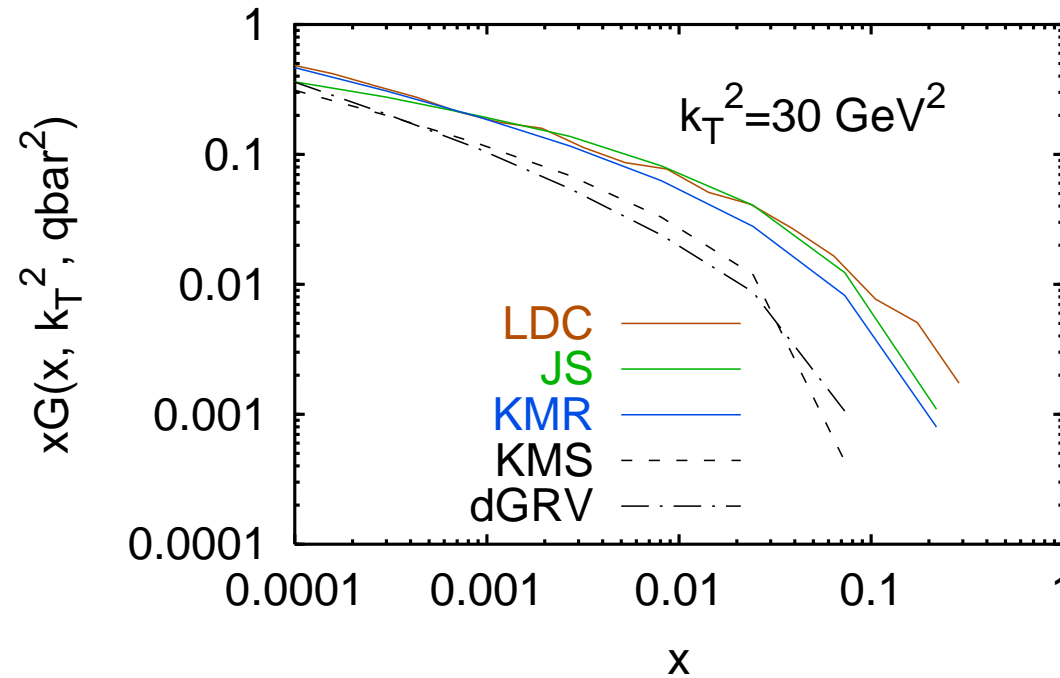
They are all extracted from generating a large number of DIS events with LDCMC and sampling the gluon density in bins of x and k_{\perp} .

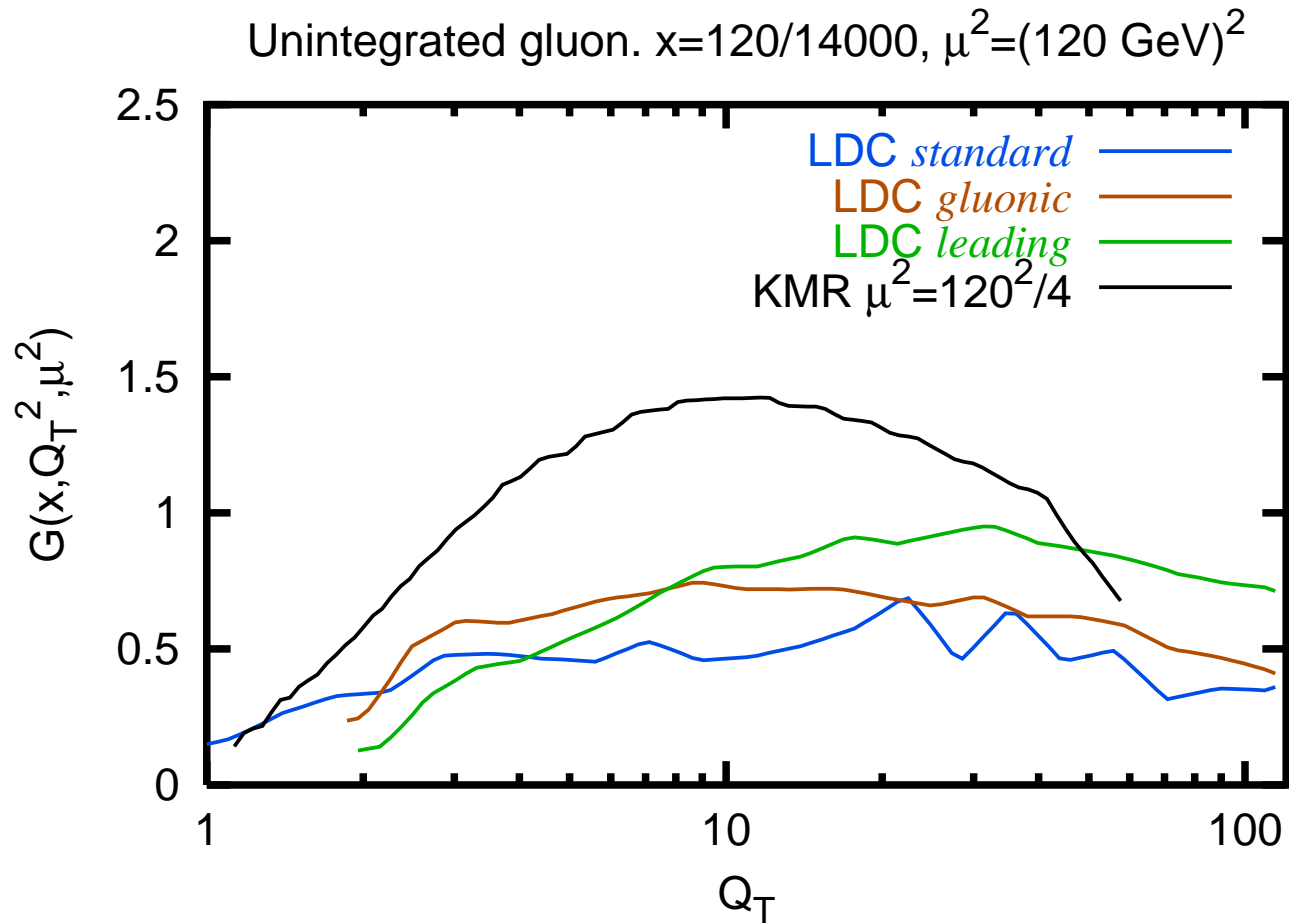






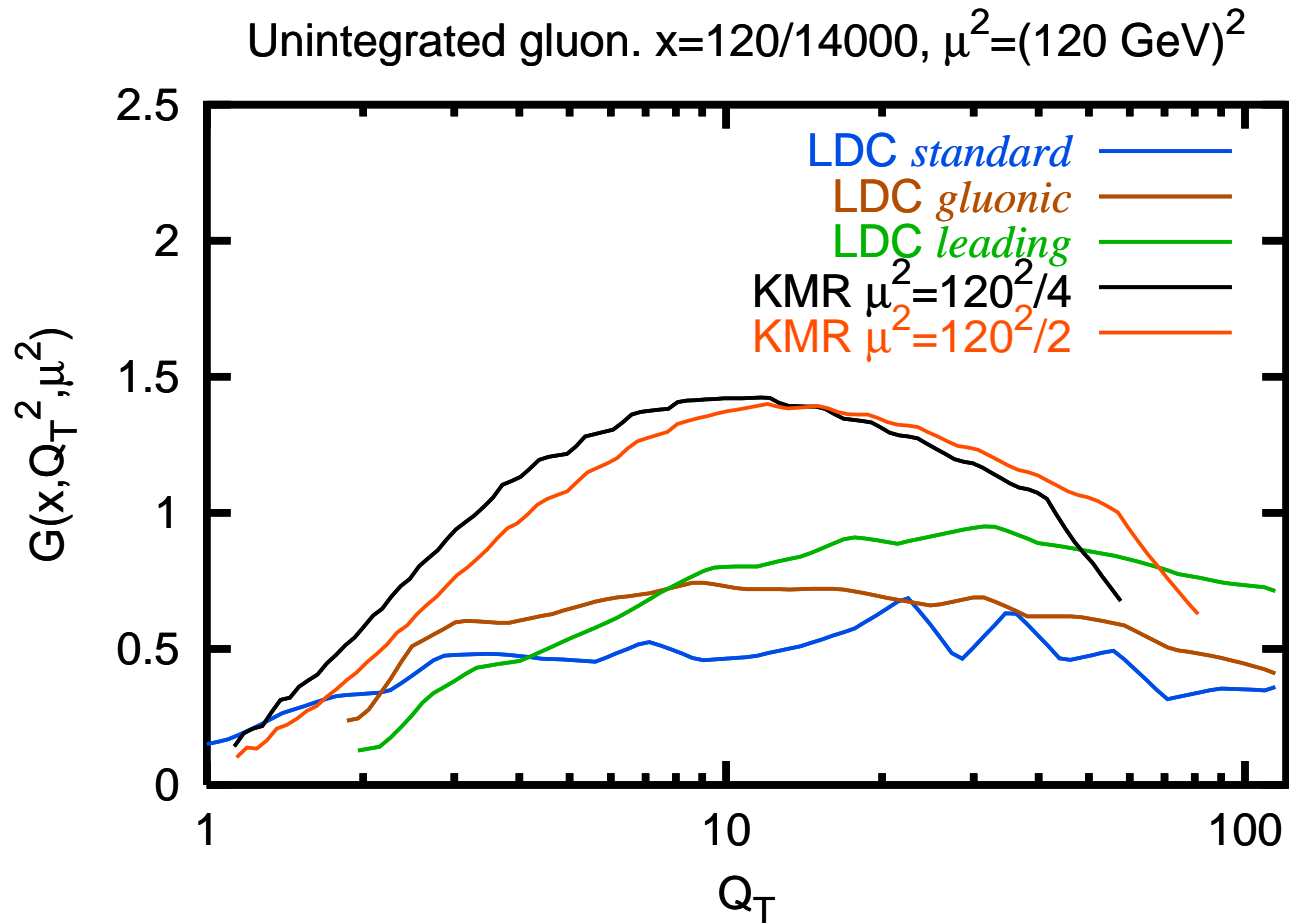
How well do we know the un-integrated gluon density?
($\mathcal{L} \propto \text{density}^4$)





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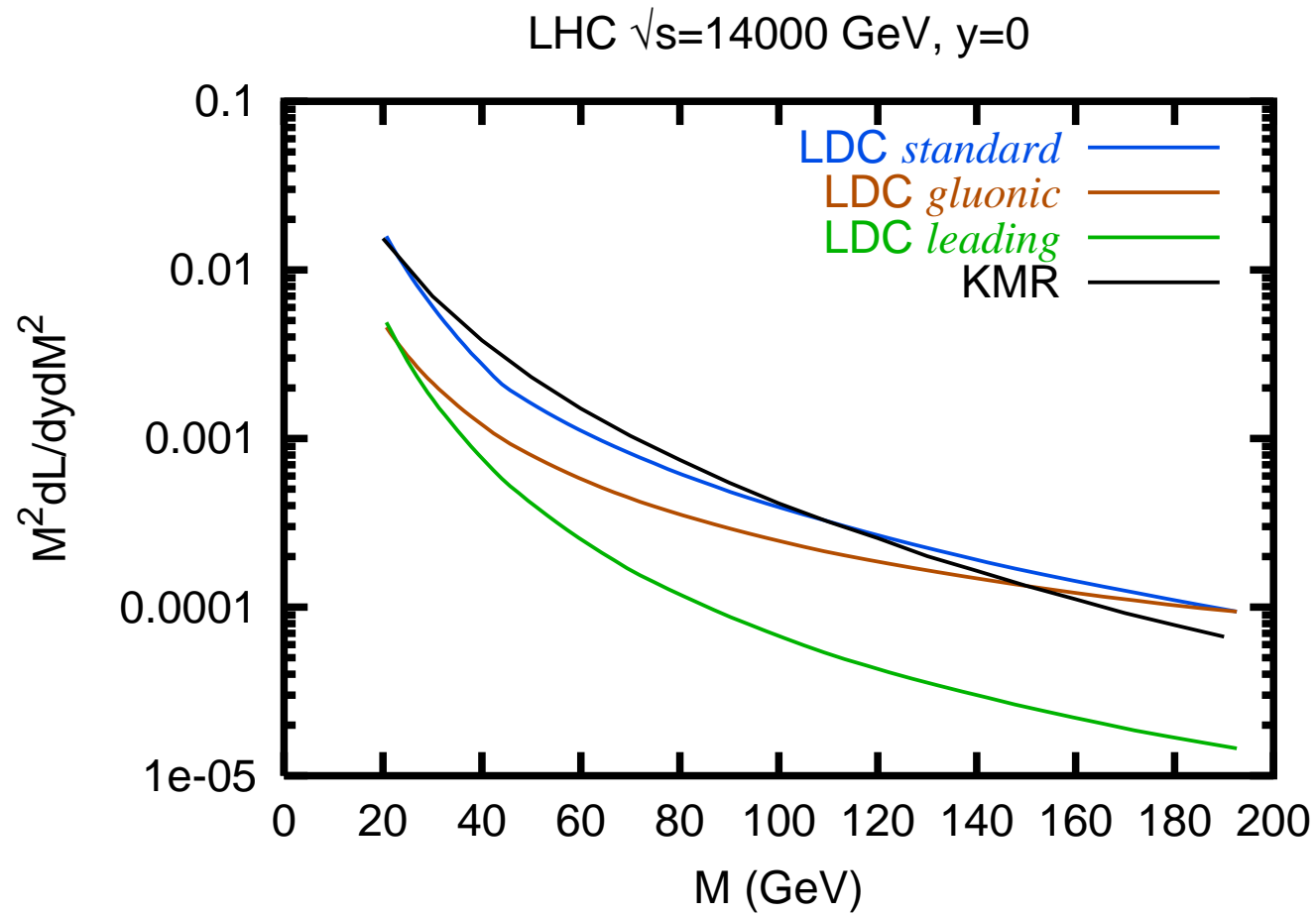




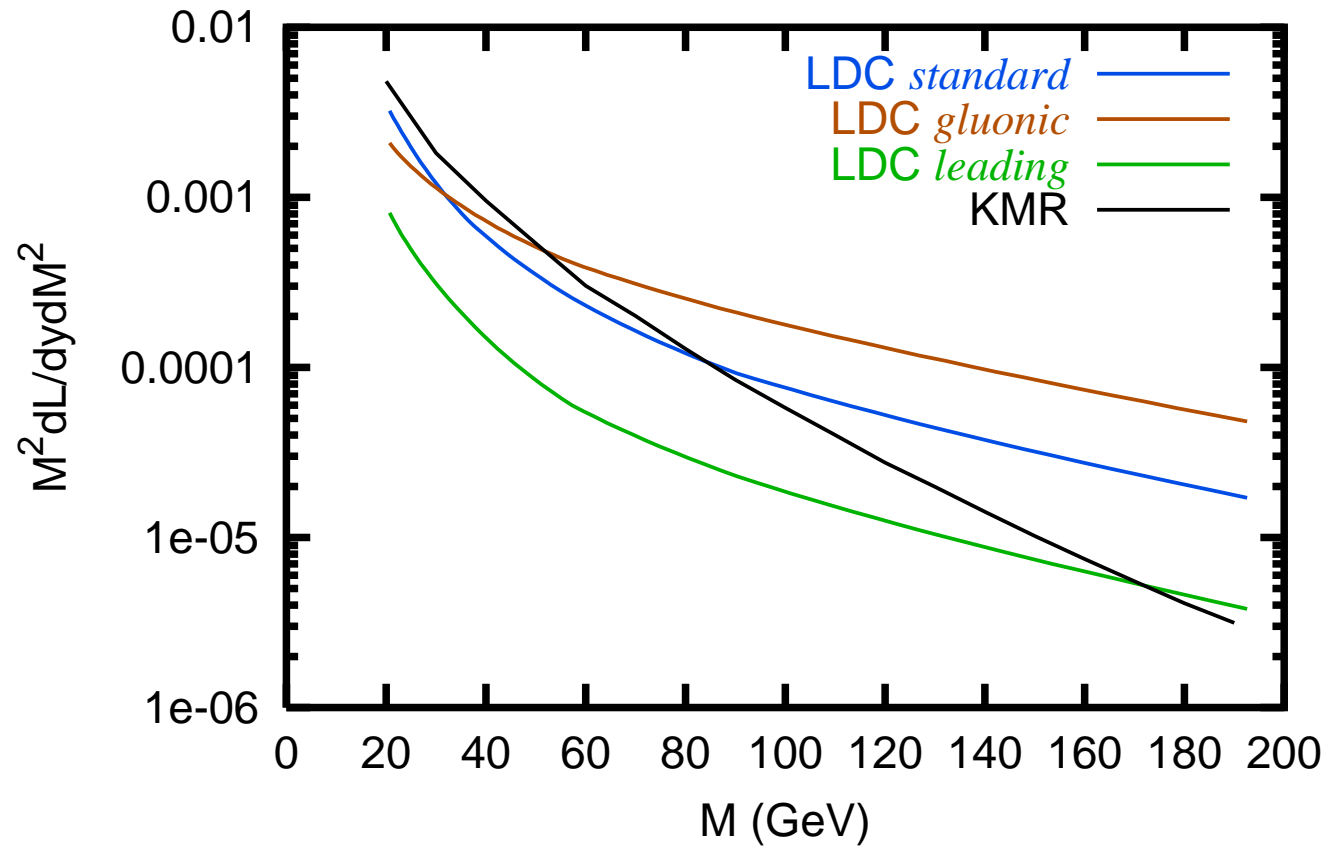
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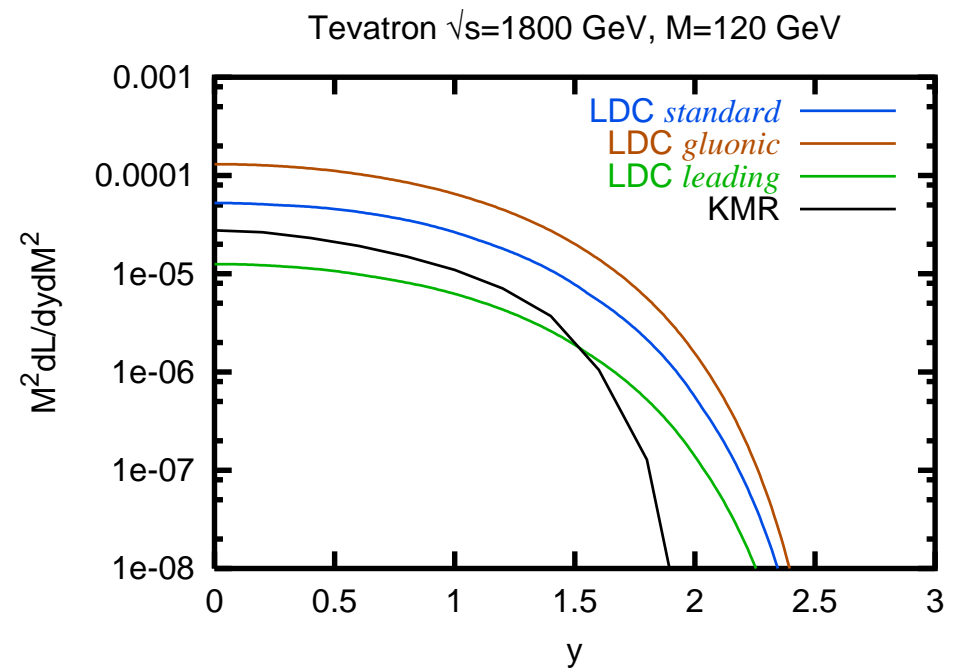
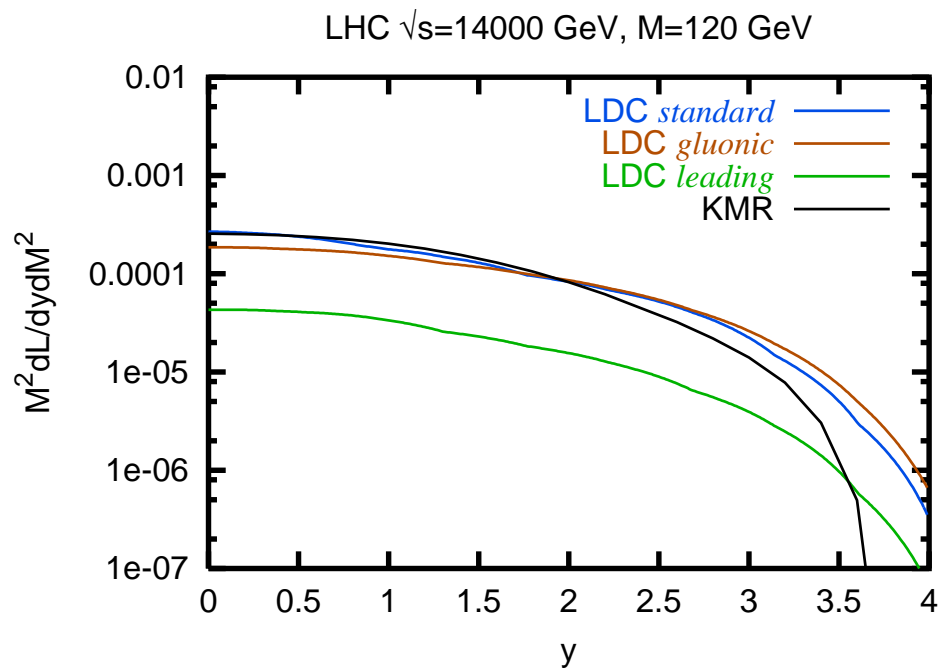


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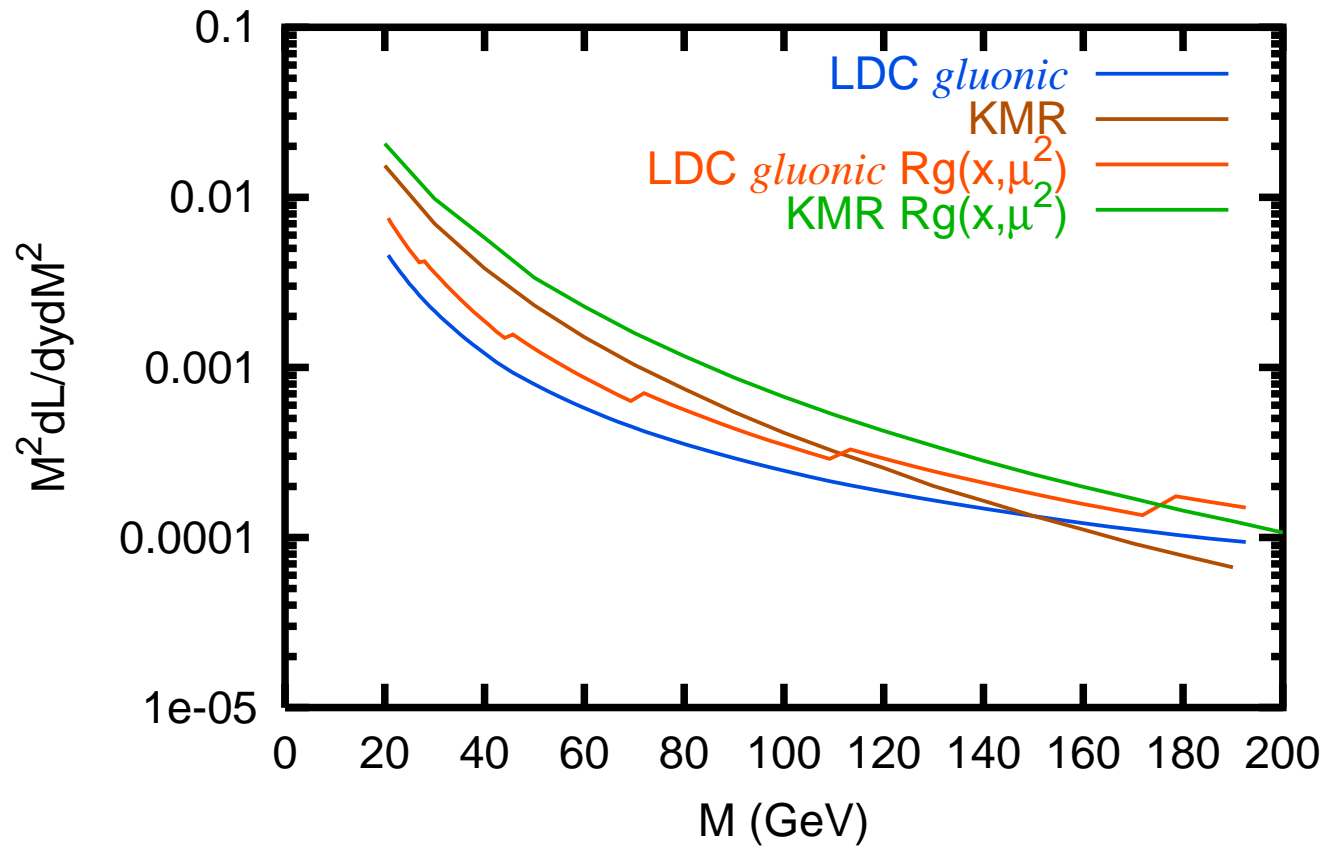


Tevatron $\sqrt{s}=1800$ GeV, $y=0$





LHC $\sqrt{s}=14000$ GeV, $y=0$



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