Recent Progress of Double Quarkonium Production

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What is heavy quarkonium?

- Heavy quarkonium is one of the simplest QCD bound state constituted by heavy quark pair $Q\bar{Q}$ ($\Lambda_{QCD} \ll m_Q$).
- It is labeled by the spectroscopic notation $n^{2S+1}L_J$.
 - Its parity $P = (-1)^{L+1}$.
 - Its charge conjugation parity $C = (-1)^{L+S}$
- There are 3 typical energy scales besides Λ_{QCD} :



- It is an approximately non-relativistic system:
 - Charmonium: $v_c^2 \approx 0.23 \ll 1$
 - Bottomonium: $v_b^2 \approx 0.08 \ll 1$

Quarkonium production–The ideal laboratory to probe QCD



J/ψ and Υ are ideal candidates for their large leptonic branching functions!

Factorization of heavy quarkonium production

• The general factorization formalism:

$$\sigma_{(A+B o quarkonium+X)} = \sum_{n} \int \sigma_{A+B o (Q\bar{Q})_n + X} imes f[(Q\bar{Q})_n o quarkonium]$$

• The models in market include color-singlet model (CSM), color evaporation model (CEM), and nonrelativistic QCD (NRQCD) factorization.

The challenges to NRQCD:

- The long-standing J/ψ polarization puzzle.
- 3 The universality of the NRQCD LDMEs for J/ψ production up to QCD NLO.
- The success of CSM to account for J/ψ production in e^+e^- annihilation, and η_c meson hadroproduction at the LHC.

Production mechanism of double quarkonium states

• Multi-final states can be produced through single parton scattering (SPS) or multi-parton scattering (MPS).



Schematical representation of SPS (left) and DPS (right) for a proton-proton collision. (Figure from Phys. Rev. D 95, 034029)

• The key parameter in MPS is $\sigma_{\rm eff}$, which is supposed to be universal.

New features in quarkonium pair hadroproduction

- Kinematically, it can be viewed as a gluon-gluon fusion type "Drell-Yan" process.
- To test NRQCD factorization or other models, and to provide crucial constraint on the long-distance matrix elements. (Barger et al. 1996)
- Help to improve the NRQCD factorization formalism for double P-wave production. (He et al. 2018)
- To study the transverse momentum dependent parton distribution function. (Lansberg et al. 2018)
- **⑤** To extract σ_{eff} for DPS process. (Kom, et al. 2011)

Other benefits

• To help to understand the new fully heavy tetraquark states $(Q\bar{Q}Q\bar{Q})$. (LHCb Collaboration 2020)

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Experimental Status of hadroproduction

Table: The summary experimental measurements

Experiment	\sqrt{s}	states	kinematic condition
DO	1.06 ToV	$J/\psi + J/\psi$	$ oldsymbol{ ho}_{T}^{J/\psi}>$ 4.0GeV, $ \eta^{J/\psi} <2$
00	1.90 100	$J/\psi + \Upsilon$	$ m{p}_T^\mu>$ 2.0GeV, $ \eta^\mu <$ 2
	7 TeV	$J/\psi + J/\psi$	$P_T^{J/\psi} < 10 \text{GeV} \ 2.0 < y^{J/\psi} < 4.5$
LHCb	12 ToV	$J/\psi + J/\psi$	$P_T^{J/\psi} < 10(14) { m GeV}$
	15 lev	$J/\psi + \psi(2S)$	$2.0 < y^{J/\psi} < 4.5$
	7 TeV	$J/\psi + J/\psi$	$p_T^{J/\psi} > 4.5 { m GeV}, y^{J/\psi} < 2.2$
CMS	8 TeV	$\mathbf{r} \perp \mathbf{r}$	$ v^{\Upsilon} < 2.0$
	13 TeV		<i>y</i> < 2.0
ATLAS	8 TeV	$J/\psi + J/\psi$	$p_T^{J/\psi} > 8.5 { m GeV}, y^{J/\psi} < 2.1$

Rich observables
•
$$\sigma$$
, $\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^{\psi}}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{dy^{\psi}}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^{\psi\psi}}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{dy^{\psi\psi}}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{dm^{\psi\psi}}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{d|\Delta y|}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{d|\Delta \phi|}$, $\frac{d\sigma}{d\mathcal{A}_T}$.

Theoretical study of quarkonium pair hadroproduction I

Highlight of theoretical literature about SPS

- The J/ψ pair production was first proposed by Barger, et al. in 1996, in which the $2(c\bar{c}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[8]}))$ contribution was studied.
- In 2002, Qiao found that the $2(c\bar{c}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}))$ channel contributes predominately to the total cross section.
- In 2009, Li et al. for the first time calculated the double η_c , and B_c hadroproduction.
- In 2011, it was suggested by Ko et al. that the $J/\psi + \Upsilon$ process may be a good probe of color octet (CO) mechanism.
- The higher order relativistic corrections to above subprocesses were calculated by Li, et al. in 2013.
- Baranov calculated the J/ψ pair production in $k_{\rm T}$ factorization approach in 2011, and in 2013 he and his collaborators considered the partial NNLO effect due to pseudodiffractive scattering.

Theoretical study of quarkonium pair hadroproduction II

To be continued

- The α_s^5 order real gluon emission effect was studied by Lansberg and Shao in 2013.
- The NLO QCD corrections to the 2(cc(³S₁^[1])) channel was obtained by Sun et al. in 2014.
- The complete LO NRQCD calculation including χ_{c} feed down were obtained by He and Kniehl in 2015.
- In 2016, the complete study of $J/\psi + \Upsilon$ production was carried out by Shao and Zhang.
- It was found by He et al. in 2018 that the NRQCD factorization breakdown when double *P*-wave states are involved.
- In 2019 He et al. studied the J/ψ pair production in the parton reggeization approach (PRA) with high-energy resummation.
- The NLO QCD corrections to $gg \rightarrow 2c\bar{c}({}^1S_0^{[8]})$ channel was obtained by Sun in 2023.

Theoretical study of quarkonium pair hadroproduction III

Highlight of theoretical literature about DPS

- In 2011, Kom et al. were the first to realize that the J/ψ pair production is a good probe of the double parton scattering (DPS).
- Soon after, the DPS contribution to $J/\psi + \Upsilon$ was obtained by Baranov et al. for 7 TeV LHCb case with $\sigma_{\text{eff}} = 14.5 \text{ mb.}$
- $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 8.2 \pm 2.2 \text{ mb}$ was first extracted from J/ψ pair hadroproduction at CMS by Lansberg and shao in 2015.
- An upper bound of $\sigma_{\rm eff}$ < 8.2 mb was gotten by Shao and Zhang from $J/\psi + \Upsilon$ production in 2016.
- A detailed study of DPS contribution to $2J/\psi$ production at LHC was performed by Borschensky and Kulesza in 2017 with $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 15$ mb.
- In 2020, $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 17.5 \pm 4.1 \ {\rm mb}$ and $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 13.8 \pm 0.9 \ {\rm mb}$ were determined by Prokhorov et al. from combined analysis of LHCb 7 and 13 TeV data.

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$\sigma_{\rm eff}$ from experimental fit I

- In 2014, D0 Collaboration got $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 4.8 \pm 0.5 \pm 2.5 \ {\rm mb}$ from double J/ψ hadroproduction. (left panel)
- Later in 2016 they got $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 2.2 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.9 \ {\rm mb}$ from $J/\psi + \Upsilon$ hadroproduction. (right panel)



$\sigma_{\rm eff}$ from experimental fit II

- In 2017, ATLAS Collaboration got $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 6.3 \pm 1.6 \pm 1.0 \ {\rm mb}$ from double J/ψ hadroproduction. (left panel)
- Later in 2023, the LHCb Collaboration got $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 13.1 \pm 1.8 \pm 2.3 \ {\rm mb}$ from double J/ψ hadroproduction. (right panel)



The experimental measurements are not consistent with each other too!

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SPS contribution at LO

• Representative Feynman diagrams at LO:



According to the scaling $d\sigma/dp_T^2 \propto 1/p_T^N$ and the topological properties of the Feynman diagrams, sub-processes are divided into:

- NNLP-I, with N = 8, including $m = {}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}$ and $n = {}^{3}S_{1}^{[1,8]}, {}^{1}S_{0}^{[8]}, {}^{3}P_{J}^{[1,8]}$;
- 2 NNLP-II, with N = 8, too, including $m, n = {}^{1}S_{0}^{[8]}, {}^{3}P_{J}^{[1,8]}$;
- NLP, with N = 6, including $m = {}^{3}S_{1}^{[8]}$ and $n = {}^{1}S_{0}^{[8]}, {}^{3}P_{J}^{[1,8]}$; and
- LP, with N = 4, including $m = n = {}^{3}S_{1}^{[8]}$.

The p_t and v^2 behaviors for each channel

• Together with the velocity scaling rule of NRQCD LDMEs and assuming that the branch function is also of v^2 order, we can obtain the p_T and v^2 scaling of $d\sigma/dp_T^2$ for the relevant pairings (m, n) of $c\bar{c}$ Fock states of each $gg \rightarrow c\bar{c}(m)c\bar{c}(n)$ channel.

(<i>m</i> , <i>n</i>)	${}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}$	${}^{3}S_{1}^{[8]}$	${}^{1}S_{0}^{[8]}$	${}^{3}P_{J}^{[8]}$	${}^{3}P_{J}^{[1]}$
${}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}$	$1/p_{T}^{8}$	v^{4}/p_{T}^{8}	v^{3}/p_{T}^{8}	v^{4}/p_{T}^{8}	0
${}^{3}S_{1}^{[8]}$	—	v^{8}/p_{T}^{4}	v^{7}/p_{T}^{6}	v^{8}/p_{T}^{6}	v^{8}/p_{T}^{6}
${}^{1}S_{0}^{[8]}$	_	_	v^{6}/p_{T}^{8}	v^{7}/p_{T}^{8}	v^{7}/p_{T}^{8}
${}^{3}P_{J}^{[8]}$	_	—	—	v^{8}/p_{T}^{8}	v^{8}/p_{T}^{8}
${}^{3}P_{J}^{[1]}$					v^{8}/p_{T}^{8}

NRQCD predictions @ D0 1.96 TeV

• The fiducial cross sections reported by D0 Collaborations:

$$\sigma_{
m D0, fid}^{
m SPS} = (70 \pm 6 \pm 22) \text{ fb}, \sigma_{
m D0, fid}^{
m DPS} = (59 \pm 6 \pm 22) \text{ fb},$$

• The CSM predictions in LO (Qiao and Sun 2013) , $\rm k_T$ factorization (Baranov 2013) and $\rm NLO^*$ calculations (Lansberg and Shao 2013):

$$\sigma_{\rm D0, fid}^{\rm SPS} = 51.9 \text{ fb}, \\ \sigma_{\rm D0, fid}^{\rm SPS, kT} = 55.1^{+28.5}_{-15.6} \, {}^{+31.0}_{-17.0} \text{ fb}, \\ \sigma_{\rm D0, fid}^{\rm SPS, NLO^*} = 90^{+180}_{-50} \text{ fb}.$$

• LO NRQCD predictions (He et al. 2021):

$$\sigma_{\rm D0, fid}^{\rm SPS, NRQCD} = 86.1^{+59.7}_{-34.0} \text{ fb},$$

The D0 conclusion depended on the SPS inputs. When complete NRQCD calculation is taken into account their conclusion might change.

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NRQCD predictions @ LHCb 7 TeV

• Total cross section (nb): CSM predictions at QCD NLO (Sun eta al. 2016) and complete LO NRQCD (He, Kniehl 2015)

LHCb	LO CSM	NLO CSM	LO NRQCD
$5.1\pm1.0\pm1.1$	4.56 ± 1.13	$5.41^{+2.73}_{-1.14}$	$13.2^{+5.2}_{-4.1}$

• The invariant mass spectrum: NLO CSM, NRQCD LO, and $\rm k_{\rm T}(Baranov,$ Rezaeian 2016)



The theoretical predictions near threshold region strongly depend on the choice of m_c .

NRQCD predictions @ CMS 7 TeV I

• Total cross section (nb): NLO CSM (Sun eta al. 2023), complete LO NRQCD (He, Kniehl 2015), PRA (He et al. 2019)

CMS	LO CSM	NLO CSM	LO NRQCD	PRA
1.49 ± 0.07	0.048	0.18	$0.15\substack{+0.08\\-0.05}$	$1.68^{+1.32}_{-0.78}$

 The J/ψ pair p_T distribution including prediction of k_T factorization (Baranov and Rezaeian 2016):



Different way of generating the $k_{\rm T}$ dependent PDF could lead to complete different predictions.

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NRQCD predictions @ CMS 7 TeV II

• $|\Delta y|$ and $m_{\psi\psi}$ distributions: NLO CSM, LO NRQCD, k_{T} and PRA



T-channel gluon exchange effect is significant and BKFL resummation can further enlarge fixed order calculations by a factor of 2.

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NRQCD predictions @ ATLAS 8 TeV I

• Total cross section: PRA (He et al. 2019)

$$\begin{split} \sigma(pp \to J/\psi J/\psi + X) &= \begin{cases} 82.2 \pm 8.3 \, (\text{stat}) \pm 6.3 \, (\text{syst}) \pm 0.9 \, (\text{BF}) \pm 1.6 \, (\text{lumi}) \, \text{pb, for } |y| < 1.05, \\ 78.3 \pm 9.2 \, (\text{stat}) \pm 6.6 \, (\text{syst}) \pm 0.9 \, (\text{BF}) \pm 1.5 \, (\text{lumi}) \, \text{pb, for } 1.05 \leq |y| < 2.1. \end{cases} \\ \sigma_{\text{ATLAS}}^{\text{PRA}} &= \begin{cases} 133.6^{+89.6}_{-52.2} \, \text{pb, for} |y(J/\psi_2)| < 1.05 \\ 105.2^{+73.8}_{-41.6} \, \text{pb, for} 1.05 < |y(J/\psi_2)| < 2.1 \end{cases}$$

• p_T distribution of single J/ψ



PRA predictions agree well with ATLAS measurements.

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NRQCD predictions @ ATLAS 8 TeV II

• p_T and invariant mass distributions of the J/ψ pair:



SPS can not account for the invariant mass distribution in the upper bins.

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Why do we need the relativistic corrections?

- Theoretically, $v_c^2 \approx \alpha_s(2m_c)$ for charmonium.
- The NLO v^2 corrections played an important role to resolve the large discrepancy of double charmonium (He et al. 2007) and single J/ψ (He et al. 2010, Jia 2010) production in e^+e^- .
- For prompt J/ψ photo- and hadroproduction, the relativistic corrections have considerable influence on both yield and polarization. (He and Kniehl 2014,2015)
- In relativistic quark model calculation, the total cross sections of double J/ψ hadroproduction are significantly below LHCb measurements. (Martynenko and Trunin 2012)
- Previous investigation in NRQCD factorization found the relativistic corrections were tiny and depended strongly on the choice of m_c . (Li et al. 2013)

NRQCD factorization formalism up to v^2 NLO I

• Cross section in collinear parton model:

$$\sigma(A + B \rightarrow 2J/\psi + X) = \sum_{i,j} \int \mathrm{d}x_1 \mathrm{d}x_2 f_{i/A}(x_1) f_{j/B}(x_2) \hat{\sigma}(i + j \rightarrow 2J/\psi + X),$$

• The partonic cross section in NRQCD factorization up to v^2 order:

$$\begin{split} \hat{\sigma}(i+j \to 2J/\psi + X) &= \sum_{m,n,H_1,H_2} \left(\frac{F^{ij}(m,n)}{m_c^{d_{\mathcal{O}}(m)-4} m_c^{d_{\mathcal{O}}(n)-4}} \\ &\times \langle \mathcal{O}^{H_1}(m) \rangle \langle \mathcal{O}^{H_2}(n) \rangle + \frac{G_1^{ij}(m,n)}{m_c^{d_{\mathcal{P}}(m)-4} m_c^{d_{\mathcal{O}}(n)-4}} \times \langle \mathcal{P}^{H_1}(m) \rangle \langle \mathcal{O}^{H_2}(n) \rangle \\ &+ \frac{G_2^{ij}(m,n)}{m_c^{d_{\mathcal{O}}(m)-4} m_c^{d_{\mathcal{P}}(n)-4}} \times \langle \mathcal{O}^{H_1}(m) \rangle \langle \mathcal{P}^{H_2}(n) \rangle \right) \\ &\times \operatorname{Br}(H_1 \to J/\psi + X) \operatorname{Br}(H_2 \to J/\psi + X) \end{split}$$

NRQCD factorization formalism up to v^2 NLO II

• The definitions of S-wave 4-fermion operators in NRQCD:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{O}^{H}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}) &= \chi^{\dagger}\sigma^{i}\psi(\mathbf{a}_{H}^{\dagger}\mathbf{a}_{H})\psi^{\dagger}\sigma^{i}\chi, \\ \mathcal{P}^{H}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}) &= \chi^{\dagger}\sigma^{i}\psi(\mathbf{a}_{H}^{\dagger}\mathbf{a}_{H})\psi^{\dagger}\sigma^{i}\left(-\frac{i}{2}\overleftrightarrow{\mathbf{D}}\right)^{2}\chi + \text{H.c.}, \end{split}$$

• Matching perturbative QCD and NRQCD calculations:

$$\begin{split} \hat{\sigma}(g + g \to (c\bar{c})_1 + (c\bar{c})_2) \Big|_{\text{pert QCD}} \\ &= \left[\frac{F({}^3S_1^{[1]}, {}^3S_1^{[1]})}{m_c^4} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}^{(c\bar{c})_1}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}^{(c\bar{c})_2}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \\ &+ \frac{G_1({}^3S_1^{[1]}, {}^3S_1^{[1]})}{m_c^6} \langle 0 | \mathcal{P}^{(c\bar{c})_1}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}^{(c\bar{c})_2}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \\ &+ \frac{G_2({}^3S_1^{[1]}, {}^3S_1^{[1]})}{m_c^6} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}^{(c\bar{c})_1}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \mathcal{P}^{(c\bar{c})_2}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \\ &+ \frac{G_2({}^3S_1^{[1]}, {}^3S_1^{[1]})}{m_c^6} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}^{(c\bar{c})_1}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \mathcal{P}^{(c\bar{c})_2}({}^3S_1^{[1]}) | 0 \rangle \\ \end{split}$$

Spin projection method I

• Full QCD amplitude for double ${}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}$ production:

$$\mathcal{M}\left(g+g
ightarrow (c\bar{c})_1({}^3S_1^{[1]})+(c\bar{c})_2({}^3S_1^{[1]})
ight)=\sqrt{rac{m_c}{E_{q_1}}}\sqrt{rac{m_c}{E_{q_2}}}\mathcal{A}(q_1,q_2),$$

where

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{A}(q_1,q_2) &= \sum_{\lambda_i \bar{\lambda}_i k_i l_i} \langle \frac{1}{2}, \lambda_1; \frac{1}{2}, \bar{\lambda}_1 | 1, S_{1z} \rangle \langle 3, k_1; \bar{3}, l_1 | 1 \rangle \\ &\times \langle \frac{1}{2}, \lambda_2; \frac{1}{2}, \bar{\lambda}_2 | 1, S_{2z} \rangle \langle 3, k_2; \bar{3}, l_2 | 1 \rangle \\ &\times \mathcal{A}(g + g \rightarrow c_{\lambda_1,k_1}(\rho_{c_1}) + \bar{c}_{\bar{\lambda}_1,l_1}(\rho_{\bar{c}_1}) + c_{\lambda_2,k_2}(\rho_{c_2}) + \bar{c}_{\bar{\lambda}_2,l_2}(\rho_{\bar{c}_2})), \end{split}$$

with
$$p_{c_i}=rac{P_i}{2}+q_i$$
 and $p_{ar{c}_i}=rac{P_i}{2}-q_i$, and $E_{q_i}=\sqrt{m_c^2+\mathbf{q}^2}$.

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Spin projection method II

- With the help of spin projection method, the matching can be implemented directly.
- The spin-triplet projector in arbitrary frame:

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{\lambda_1,\bar{\lambda}_1} v(p_{\bar{c}},\bar{\lambda}_1) \bar{u}(p_c,\lambda_1) \langle \frac{1}{2},\lambda_1;\frac{1}{2},\bar{\lambda}_1|1,S_z\rangle = \\ &\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}(E_q+m_c)} \times \left(\not\!\!p_{\bar{c}}-m_c \right) \notin \frac{\not\!\!P+2E_q}{4E_q} \left(\not\!\!p_c+m_c \right), \end{split}$$

where ϵ^{μ} is the polarization vector, and the Dirac spinors are normalized as $\bar{u}u = -\bar{v}v = 2m_c$

• The color projector of CS:

$$\langle 3, k_i; \bar{3}, l_i | 1 \rangle = \frac{\delta_{k_i l_i}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Expansion of squared amplitude – Explicit case

• Expansion the amplitude in series of q_1 and q_2 :

$$\begin{aligned} A(q_1,q_2) = & A(0,0) + q_1^{\alpha_1} A_{\alpha_1,0} + q_2^{\beta_1} A_{0,\beta_1}(0,0) + \\ & \frac{1}{2} q_1^{\alpha_1} q_1^{\alpha_2} A_{\alpha_1 \alpha_2,0}(0,0) + \frac{1}{2} q_2^{\beta_2} q_2^{\beta_2} A_{0,\beta_1 \beta_2}(0,0) + \cdots \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\mathcal{A}_{lpha_1\cdotslpha_m,eta_1\cdotseta_n}(0,0)\equiv rac{\partial^{m+n}\mathcal{A}(q_1,q_2)}{\partial q_1^{lpha_1}\cdots\partial q_1^{lpha_m}\partial q_2^{eta_1}\cdots\partial q_2^{eta_n}}\Big|_{q_1=0,q_2=0},$$

• Decompose the higher rank tensor into S-wave:

$$q^{\mu}q^{\nu} = \frac{|\mathbf{q}|^2}{3} \left(-g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{P\mu P^{\nu}}{4E_q^2} \right) = \frac{|\mathbf{q}|^2}{3} \Pi^{\mu\nu}$$

Expansion of squared amplitude – Implicit case

The A(0,0) still depends on q_i² implicitly through P_i = 4E_{qi}² and the Mandelstam variables

$$t = (k_1 - P_1)^2 = (k_2 - P_2)^2, \quad u = (k_1 - P_2)^2 = (k_2 - P_1)^2,$$

• We introduce 2 new variables \hat{t} and \hat{u} , and their non-relativistic limit:

$$\hat{t} \equiv t + \frac{s - 4E_{q_1}^2 - 4E_{q_2}^2}{2}, \quad \hat{u} \equiv u + \frac{s - 4E_{q_1}^2 - 4E_{q_2}^2}{2}$$
$$\hat{t}_0 \equiv t_0 + \frac{s - 8m_c^2}{2}, \quad \hat{u}_0 \equiv u_0 + \frac{s - 8m_c^2}{2}$$

• In the parton center of rest frame, t,u and t_0 , u_0 are related through

$$rac{\hat{t}}{\hat{t}_0} = rac{\hat{u}}{\hat{u}_0} = \sqrt{rac{\lambda(s, 4E_{q_1}^2, 4E_{q_2}^2)}{\lambda(s, 4m_c^2, 4m_c^2)}} \equiv k,$$

where

$$\lambda(a, b, c) = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab - 2bc - 2ac$$

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• The two-body phase space can be written in a simple form with \hat{t} and \hat{u}_0 , or with \hat{t}_0 and \hat{u}_0 as

$$\mathrm{d}\Phi_2 = \frac{\mathrm{d}\hat{t}\mathrm{d}\hat{u}}{8\pi s}\,\delta(\hat{t}+\hat{u}) = k\frac{\mathrm{d}\hat{t}_0\mathrm{d}\hat{u}_0}{8\pi s}\,\delta(\hat{t}_0+\hat{u}_0) = k\,\,\mathrm{d}\Phi_{20}.$$

where

$$k = \sqrt{1 - rac{8\mathbf{q}_1^2 + 8\mathbf{q}_2^2}{s - 16m_c^2} + rac{16(\mathbf{q}_1^2 - \mathbf{q}_2^2)^2}{s(s - 16m_c^2)}},$$

• All dependence on **q**²_i are factorized into k, which makes the expansion of phase space become trivial.

Near threshold region, the expansion will be spoiled, for the actual expansion parameter is not $v^2 = \mathbf{q}^2/m_c^2$ anymore, but $8m_c^2v^2/(s - 16m_c^2)$.

"Rigorous" NRQCD results

• The formal results of matching:

$$\frac{F({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]},{}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]})}{m_{c}^{4}} = \frac{1}{2s}\int d\Phi_{20}|M|^{2},$$

$$\frac{G^{1}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]},{}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]})}{m_{c}^{6}} = \frac{G^{2}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]},{}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]})}{m_{c}^{6}} = \frac{1}{2s}\int d\Phi_{20}(K|M|^{2} + |N|^{2}).$$

where

$$\begin{split} |M|^{2} = \overline{\sum} |A(0,0)|^{2} \bigg|_{\mathbf{q}_{1,2}^{2}=0}, \\ |N|^{2} = & \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{q}_{1}^{2}} \left[\frac{m_{c}}{E_{q_{1}}} \overline{\sum} |A(0,0)|^{2} \right] + \frac{1}{3} \Pi_{1}^{\alpha_{1}\alpha_{2}} \operatorname{Re} \left[A^{*}(0,0) A_{\alpha_{1}\alpha_{2},0} \right] \right\} \bigg|_{\mathbf{q}_{1,2}^{2}=0} \end{split}$$

• Our results of $|N|^2$ agrees with literature except for a factor 1/2 due to boson symmetry. The rigorous treatment of phase space is new.

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- The physical mass of J/ψ and $\psi(2S)$ are used in phase space integral.
- m_c is preserved in matrix element calculation.
- \hat{t}_0 and \hat{u}_0 can be related to \hat{t}_p and \hat{u}_p in a similar way as:

$$rac{\hat{t}_{p}}{\hat{t}_{0}} = rac{\hat{u}_{p}}{\hat{u}_{0}} = \sqrt{rac{\lambda(s, M_{H_{1}}^{2}, M_{H_{2}}^{2})}{\lambda(s, 4m_{c}^{2}, 4m_{c}^{2})}}$$

• In such a way, the theoretical uncertainties due to choice of m_c are largely reduced.

Note that in Li's paper, $m_c = M_{J/\psi}/2$, $m_c = (M_{J/\psi} + M_{\psi(2S)})/4$, and $m_c = M_{\psi(2S)}/2$ for 2 J/ψ , $J/\psi + \psi(2S)$ and 2 $\psi(2S)$,respectively.

• The LO LDMEs can be related to wave function in potential model calculation:

$$\mathcal{O}^{J/\psi}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}) = 1.16 \,\,\mathrm{GeV}^{3}, \mathcal{O}^{\psi(2S)}({}^{3}S_{1}^{[1]}) = 0.758 \,\,\mathrm{GeV}^{3}.$$

• The ratios between LO and v^2 NLO LDMEs were calculated by Bodwin et al. in 2006,

$$\frac{\langle \mathcal{P}^{J/\psi}(^3S_1^{[1]})\rangle}{\langle \mathcal{O}^{J/\psi}(^3S_1^{[1]}\rangle)} = 0.5\,\mathrm{GeV}^2 \simeq \frac{\langle \mathcal{P}^{\psi(25)}(^3S_1^{[1]})\rangle}{\langle \mathcal{O}^{\psi(25)}(^3S_1^{[1]})\rangle}$$

• CTEQ6L1 LO pdf and one-Loop running of α_s with Λ^4 =215 MeV.

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$$\mu_r = \mu_f = \xi \left(\sqrt{4M_{H_1}^2 + p_T^2} + \sqrt{4M_{H_2}^2 + p_T^2} \right) / 2$$

• $m_c = 1.5 \text{GeV}, M_{J/\psi} = 3.097 \text{GeV}, M_{\psi(2S)} = 3.686 \text{GeV}$, and $Br(\psi(2S) \rightarrow J/\psi + X) = 61.4\%$ are taken from PDG 2023.

NRQCD predictions @ v^2 NLO vs. LHCb 7 TeV data

• NLO v^2 corrections render 30% reduction to total cross section:

$$\begin{split} &\sigma_{\rm LHCb}^{\rm Tot} = (5.1 \pm 1.0 \pm 1.1) \text{ nb}, \\ &\sigma_{\rm LO(v^2)}^{\rm CS} = 9.60^{+2.57}_{-2.73} \text{ nb}, \ \sigma_{\rm NLO(v^2)}^{\rm CS} = 6.55^{+1.92}_{-1.89} \text{ nb} \end{split}$$

• Invariant mass spectrum: The NLO v^2 contribution is -34% in direct production and -60% in $\psi(2S)$ feed-down, which lead to a total 45% reduction in the first bin.



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NRQCD predictions @ v^2 NLO vs. LHCb 13 TeV data I

NLO total cross section: Conclusion similar to 7 TeV

$$\begin{split} \sigma_{\rm LHCb}^{\rm Tot} &= (16.36 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.88) \text{ nb}, \ \sigma_{\rm LHCb}^{\rm SPS} = (7.9 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.1) \text{ nb}, \\ \sigma_{\rm LO(v^2)}^{\rm CS} &= 17.43^{+2.44}_{-3.98} \text{ nb}, \ \sigma_{\rm NLO(v^2)}^{\rm CS} = 12.02^{+1.98}_{-2.81} \text{ nb} \end{split}$$

• Invariant mass spectrum: Compatible with experimental data except for the last bin leaving room for CO contribution.



NRQCD predictions @ v^2 NLO vs. LHCb 13 TeV data II

• $y^{J/\psi}$ (left) and $|\Delta y|$ (right) spectrum: The NLO v^2 corrections make NRQCD predictions agree with LHCb measurements within errors.



• The NLO v^2 corrections are constantly about -31% in all $y^{J/\psi}$ bins.

• The NLO v^2 corrections result in a reduction from 24% in the first bin to 40% in the last bin for $|\Delta y|$ distribution.

NRQCD predictions @ v^2 NLO vs. LHCb 13 TeV data III

• $J/\psi + \psi(2S)$ total cross section: LO predictions are reduced by 65%. $\sigma_{LHCb}^{Tot} = (4.49 \pm 0.71 \pm 0.26) \text{ nb},$ $\sigma_{LO(v^2)}^{CS} = 16.23^{+2.17}_{-3.67} \text{ nb}, \ \sigma_{NLO(v^2)}^{CS} = 5.93^{+1.21}_{-1.44} \text{ nb}$

• $m_{\psi\psi(2S)}$ (left) and $|\Delta y|$ (right) spectrum:



 All agree well with LHCb measurements except for large invariant mass region.

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Modified vs. rigorous NLO v^2 corrections

• Comparison between modified and rigorous NRQCD predictions of invariant mass spectrum for direct 2 J/ψ production at 13 TeV LHCb.



• In the first bin, the rigorous NRQCD prediction at v^2 NLO is negative!

• Their difference decreases dramatically as $m_{\psi\psi}$ increase.

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Mode 1: $e^+e^- ightarrow 2\gamma^* ightarrow 2J/\psi$

- The LO process was introduced in 2002 by Bodwin et al..
- The NLO QCD corrections were obtained by Gong and Wang in 2008.
- The remarkable non-trivial NNLO QCD corrections were calculated very recently by 2 groups (Jia and Wang) in 2023.
- Representative Feynman diagrams up to QCD NNLO. (Huang et al. JHEP02 (2024) 055)



The total cross section drops down fast as \sqrt{s} increase.

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Mode 2: $e^+e^- ightarrow Z ightarrow 2J/\psi$

- The idea to study Z-boson contribution was raised by Chen et al. in 2013, and LO predictions were given.
- The NLO QCD corrections were considered by 2 groups (Berezhnoy et al. in 2021 and Luo et al. in 2022).
- Representative Feynman diagrams up to QCD NLO. (Luo et al. arXiv:2209.08802)



The cross section is tiny.

Mode 3: $\gamma\gamma ightarrow 2J/\psi$

- The 2 J/ψ photoproduction was first considered by Qiao in 2002 as nonignorable contribution to single J/ψ photoproduction.
- The NLO QCD corrections were computed in 2020 by Yang et al..
- Representative Feynman diagrams up to QCD NLO. (Yang et al. Eur. Phys. J. C (2020) 80:806)



- The production mechanism is relative simpler.
- ② The NLO QCD corrections were large and negative.
- **③** The cross section is not small and increases as \sqrt{s} becomes larger.

- At high energy the quark or gluon content of photon can also participate in the hard collisions leading to 3 channels: Direct, Single-resolved, Double-resolved.
- The single-resolved channel played an important role to understand single J/ψ photoproduction at LEP. (Klasen 2002)
- The general formalism

$$\begin{split} \mathrm{d}\sigma(e^+e^- \to e^+e^- + 2J/\psi + X) &= \\ \sum_{i,j,H_1,H_2} \int \mathrm{d}x_1 \mathrm{d}x_2 f_{\gamma}(x_1) f_{\gamma}(x_2) \int dx_i dx_j f_{i/\gamma}(x_i) f_{j/\gamma}(x_j) \times \\ \mathrm{d}\hat{\sigma}(i+j \to H_1 + H_2) \mathrm{Br}(H_1 \to J/\psi + X) \mathrm{Br}(H_2 \to J/\psi + X) \,, \end{split}$$

where f_{γ} is the photon spectrum of $e^+(e^-)$, and $f_{i/\gamma}(x_i)$ is the PDF of parton *i* in the resolved photon.

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- We investigate 3 experiments: CEPC and FCC-ee at $\sqrt{s} = 92$ GeV, and CLIC at $\sqrt{s} = 3$ TeV.
- We verified that both single and double resolved contributions are tiny up to $\sqrt{s} = 3$ TeV.
- In direct case, the CO channels are much suppressed by the NRQCD LDMEs.
- The CS channel includes:

$$egin{array}{rcl} \gamma+\gamma & o & (car{c})_1({}^3S_1^{[1]})+(car{c})_2({}^3S_1^{[1]})\,, \ \gamma+\gamma & o & (car{c})_1({}^3P_{J_1}^{[1]})+(car{c})_2({}^3P_{J_2}^{[1]})\,. \end{array}$$

- It turns out that the SDCs of double *P*-wave cases are about one order of magnitude smaller.
- Further suppression factor of the branching functions.

The sources of photon and their spectra I

- At e⁺e⁻ colliders, the photon can come from: (1)Bremsstrahlung,
 (2) Beamstrahlung, and (3) Laser back scattering.
- The Bremsstrahlung photon is described in WWA approximation:

$$f_{\gamma}^{WWA}(x) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} \left(\frac{1 + (1 - x)^2}{x} \log\left(\frac{Q_{\max}^2}{Q_{\min}^2}\right) + 2m_e^2 x \left(\frac{1}{Q_{\max}^2} - \frac{1}{Q_{\min}^2}\right) \right)$$

where $Q_{\min}^2 = \frac{m_e^2 x^2}{1 - x}$, $Q_{\max}^2 = \left(\frac{\theta_c \sqrt{S}}{2}\right)^2 (1 - x) + Q_{\min}^2$.

• The spectrum of Beamstrahlung photon can be formulated as:

$$\begin{split} f_{\gamma}^{\text{beam}}(x) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{3})} \left(\frac{2}{3\Upsilon}\right)^{1/3} x^{-2/3} (1-x)^{-1/3} e^{-2x/(3\Upsilon(1-x))} \times \\ \left\{ \frac{1 - \sqrt{\Upsilon/24}}{g(x)} \left[1 - \frac{1}{g(x)N_{\gamma}} \right] (1 - e^{-g(x)N_{\gamma}}) + \right. \\ \left. \sqrt{\frac{\Upsilon}{24}} \left[1 - \frac{1}{N_{\gamma}} (1 - e^{-N_{\gamma}}) \right] \right\} \end{split}$$

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The sources of photon and their spectra II

• Υ is called effective beamstrahlung parameter, $N_{\gamma} = \frac{5\alpha\sigma_z m_e^2 \Upsilon}{2E_e \sqrt{1+\Upsilon^{2/3}}}$ is the averaged photon number emitted by e, and

$$g(x) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left((1+x)\sqrt{1+\Upsilon^{2/3}} + 1 - x \right) (1-x)^{2/3},$$

• The relevant parameters of CEPC, FCC-ee, and CLIC are:

Facility	collision energy	$\theta_c \ (\mathrm{mrad})$	average Υ	bunch length $\sigma_z(\text{mm})$	luminosity $(ab^{-1}year^{-1})$
FCC-ee	$\sqrt{s}=92 \mathrm{GeV}$	30	10^{-4}	15.5	17
CEPC	$\sqrt{s}=92 \text{GeV}$	33	$2 imes 10^{-4}$	8.7	15
CLIC	\sqrt{s} =3000GeV	20	5	0.044	0.6

- We calculate both NLO QCD and relativistic corrections.
- We choose $\mu_r = \sqrt{s}$, and require $p_T^{J/\psi} = 2$ GeV, the other parameters are the same as hadroproduction.

NRQCD predictions at α_s and v^2 NLO – Cross section

• The total cross sections (fb) and number of lepton pair event produced per year:

	$\sigma_{ m LO}$	$\sigma_{ m NLO}^{lpha_{ m s}}$	$\sigma_{ m NLO}^{\nu^2}$	$\sigma_{ m NLO}^{lpha_{s}, \mathbf{v}^{2}}$	# of I ⁺ I ⁻
FCC-ee	$5.88^{+2.99}_{-1.70}$	$3.21\substack{+0.18 \\ -1.71}$	$5.17\substack{+2.64 \\ -1.49}$	$2.65\substack{+0.34 \\ -1.99}$	649^{+82}_{-488}
CEPC	$6.00\substack{+3.06 \\ -1.73}$	$3.28\substack{+0.18 \\ -1.75}$	$5.28\substack{+2.69 \\ -1.53}$	$2.71\substack{+0.34 \\ -2.03}$	584_{-439}^{+75}
CLIC	144^{+73}_{-36}	$78.9^{+3.9}_{-40.9}$	126^{+64}_{-32}	$64.6^{+7.5}_{-47.9}$	558^{+64}_{-414}

- The Beamstrahlung contribution can be ignored in FCC-ee and CEPC cases, but enhance Bremsstrahlung predictions by about a factor of 2.6 at CLIC.
- ⁽²⁾ The v^2 corrections lead 12% reduction to LO predictions, and about $17^{+39}_{-6}\%$ on top of NLO QCD corrections.

NRQCD predictions at α_s and v^2 NLO – p_T distribution

• The $p_T^{J/\psi}$ distribution and number of lepton pair event produced per year in each bin:



	1	2	3	4	5	6
FCC-ee	486^{+66}_{-386}	128^{+14}_{-83}	$24.4^{+2.3}_{-13.7}$	$5.6^{+0.4}_{-2.5}$	$1.5^{+0.1}_{-0.5}$	$0.5\substack{+0.0\-0.1}$
CEPC	438^{+59}_{-347}	115^{+13}_{-75}	$22.0^{+2.1}_{-12.3}$	$5.0^{+0.4}_{-2.3}$	$1.4^{+0.1}_{-0.5}$	$0.5\substack{+0.0\-0.1}$
CLIC	407^{+50}_{-319}	118^{+13}_{-77}	$25.2^{+2.4}_{-14.2}$	$6.4^{+0.5}_{-3.0}$	$2.0^{+0.1}_{-0.7}$	$0.7\substack{+0.0 \\ -0.2}$

The $\alpha_s + v^2$ corrections lead to a reduction of $56^{+38}_{-27}\%$ in the fist bin down to $34^{+27}_{-21}\%$ in the last bin.

NRQCD predictions at α_s and v^2 NLO – y distribution

• The $y^{J/\psi}$ distribution and number of lepton pair event produced per year in each bin:



	1	2	3	4
FCC-ee	$0.16\substack{+0.0\\-0.1}$	$39.4^{+5.3}_{-30.2}$	121^{+15}_{-90}	164^{+21}_{-123}
CEPC	$0.144^{+0.021}_{-0.093}$	$35.5^{+4.8}_{-27.2}$	109^{+14}_{-81}	147^{+19}_{-110}
CLIC	$51.5^{+6.2}_{-38.3}$	$45.9^{+5.5}_{-34.0}$	$41.9^{+5.0}_{-31.0}$	$39.9^{+4.8}_{-29.4}$

The $\alpha_s + v^2$ corrections lead to an almost uniformly reduction about $55^{+37}_{-26}\%$ except for the outermost bin.

NRQCD predictions at α_s and v^2 NLO – m_{jj} distribution

• The invariant mass distribution and number of lepton pair event produced per year in each bin:



	1	2	3	4	5	6
FCC-ee	250^{+30}_{-197}	195^{+25}_{-148}	$93.5^{+12.4}_{-70.0}$	$46.1^{+6.5}_{-32.9}$	$24.4^{+3.4}_{-16.7}$	$13.8^{+1.9}_{-8.9}$
CEPC	225^{+27}_{-177}	176^{+23}_{-134}	$84.2^{+11.0}_{-62.3}$	$41.6^{+5.8}_{-29.6}$	$22.0^{+3.1}_{-15.0}$	$12.4^{+1.7}_{-8.1}$
CLIC	197^{+22}_{-154}	162^{+20}_{-123}	$83.8^{+10.7}_{-61.6}$	$44.4^{+5.8}_{-31.5}$	$25.2^{+3.3}_{-17.2}$	$15.1^{+2.0}_{-9.9}$

The reduction factor is the same as that in $y^{J/\psi}$ distribution.

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Effect of NLO QCD or relativistic corrections

- The NLO QCD or relativistic corrections can be characterized by $k(\alpha_s) = d\sigma^{\text{NLO}(\alpha_s)}/d\sigma^{\text{LO}}$ and $k(v^2) = d\sigma^{\text{NLO}(v^2,\alpha_s)}/d\sigma^{\text{NLO}(\alpha_s)}$.
- For 3 experiment, the $k(\alpha_s)$, $k(v^2)$ are similar, we illustrate them in FCC-ee cases.



A few words about NLO QCD corrections

- Although the uncertainties due to μ variation still large, the band become narrow at QCD NLO.
- However, the predictions strongly depend on choice of the default μ .
- Differential cross sections of prompt double J/ψ photoproduction at FCC-ee with three different $\mu_r = \xi m_T$.

$p_T \; (\text{GeV})$	2 - 3	3 - 4	4 - 5	5 - 6	6 - 7	7 - 8	8 - 9
$\mu_r = \sqrt{p_T^2 + 4m_c^2}/2$	-9.42	-1.90	-0.272	-0.0430	-0.00726	-0.00120	-0.000124
$\mu_r = \sqrt{p_T^2 + 4m_c^2}$	-0.162	0.0673	0.0270	0.00974	0.00370	0.00148	0.000620
$\mu_r = 2\sqrt{p_T^2 + 4m_c^2}$	1.81	0.519	0.0100	0.023	0.00647	0.00213	0.000790

The NLO QCD correction is negative and its absolute value increase as μ decrease that can even lead to un-physical prediction.

Conclusion and summary

- Quarkonium pair hadroproduction can provide very rich probes to the perturbative and nonperturbative aspects of QCD as well as information about the partons inside proton.
- Theoretically, their hadropoduction mechanism near threshold and in large invariant mass region is not yet understood.
- The higher order relativistic corrections are important near the threshold region.
- In prompt double J/ψ photoproduction, both the NLO QCD and relativistic corrections are negative.
- There may be enough numbers of J/ψ that can be observed at FCC-ee, CEPC and CLIC.

Thank you!