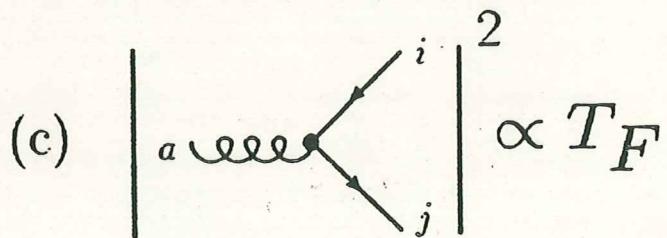
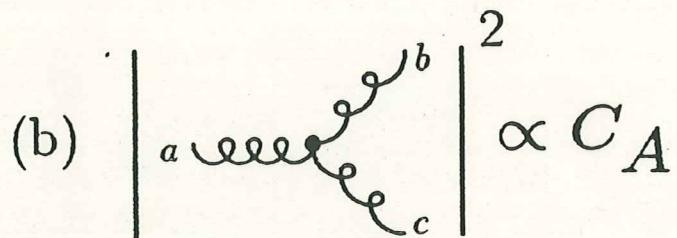
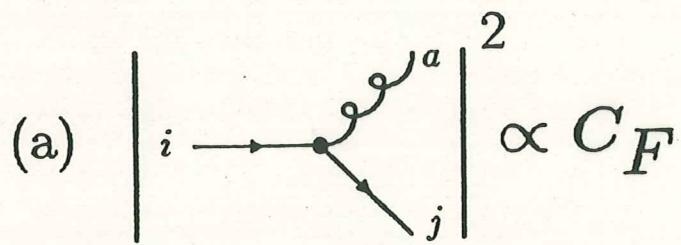
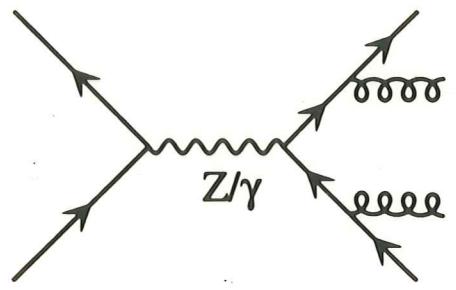
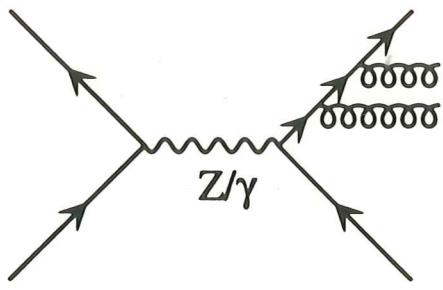


Gluon distribution ?!  
Where the hell is it gone ?!  
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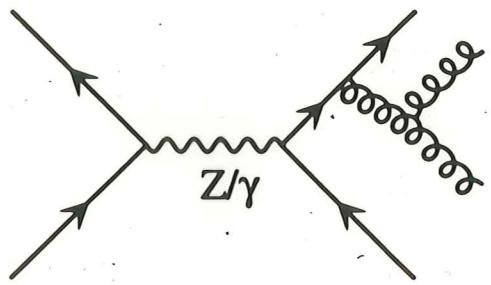




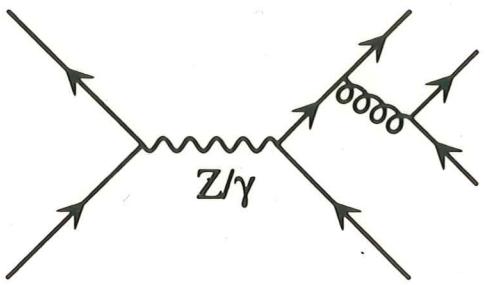
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

Fig. 2

## Some formulae ...

The matrix element (ME) for the  $4q$  process is:

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 = C_+^{q\bar{q}q'\bar{q}'} |\mathcal{M}_+|^2 + C_-^{q\bar{q}q'\bar{q}'} |\mathcal{M}_-|^2, \quad (1)$$

$$C_{\pm}^{q\bar{q}q'\bar{q}'} = \frac{1}{2} N_C C_F (T_F \mp (C_F - \frac{1}{2} C_A)), \quad (2)$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{\pm} = \mathcal{M}_1 + \mathcal{M}_2 + \mathcal{M}_3 + \mathcal{M}_4 \pm \delta^{qq'} (\mathcal{M}_5 + \mathcal{M}_6 + \mathcal{M}_7 + \mathcal{M}_8). \quad (3)$$

The ME for the  $2q2G$  process can be split into two gauge invariant parts:

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 = C_a^{q\bar{q}GG} |\mathcal{M}_a|^2 + C_b^{q\bar{q}GG} \underline{|\mathcal{M}_b|^2}, \quad (4)$$

$$\mathcal{M}_a = \sum_{i=1,6} \mathcal{M}_i, \quad (5)$$

$$\mathcal{M}_b = \mathcal{M}_1 + \mathcal{M}_3 + \mathcal{M}_5 - \mathcal{M}_2 - \mathcal{M}_4 - \mathcal{M}_6 - 2 i [\mathcal{M}_7 + \mathcal{M}_8], \quad (6)$$

$$C_a^{q\bar{q}GG} = \frac{1}{2} N_C C_F (2C_F - \frac{1}{2} C_A) = \frac{7}{3}, \quad C_b^{q\bar{q}GG} = \frac{1}{2} N_C C_F \frac{1}{2} C_A = 3. \quad (7)$$

Note: the second term in eq. (4) is characteristic of non-Abelian theories and would be absent in any Abelian model.

## Angular variables

The definitions are

$$\underline{\theta_{NR}^*} = \angle(\vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3 - \vec{p}_4), \quad (8)$$

$$\underline{\chi_{BZ}} = \angle(\vec{p}_1 \times \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3 \times \vec{p}_4), \quad (9)$$

and

$$\underline{\theta_{34}} = \angle(\vec{p}_3, \vec{p}_4). \quad (10)$$

For events where

$$|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_3| > |\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_4| \quad (11)$$

we define

$$\underline{\Phi_{KSW}^*} = \angle(\vec{p}_1 \times \vec{p}_3, \vec{p}_2 \times \vec{p}_4), \quad (12)$$

whereas in the opposite case, we define  $\Phi_{KSW}^*$  with  $\vec{p}_3$  and  $\vec{p}_4$  interchanged.

The definition in eqs. (11)-(12) is a modification of the original angle  $\Phi_{KSW}$ , introduced by J.B. Tausk and myself (see Z. Phys. C69 (1996) 635).

It is equivalent to the original definition of  $\Phi_{KSW}$  in events where the thrust axis is along  $\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_3$  or  $\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_4$ .

Note: in the definitions of the angular variables given above, energy ordering on the jets is supposed, so that  $\vec{p}_i$  indicates the three-momentum of the  $i$ -th jet, with energy  $E_i$  such that  $E_1 \geq E_2 \geq E_3 \geq E_4$ .

$$P(x_G) = \frac{d\sigma_{||} - d\sigma_{\perp}}{d\sigma_{||} + d\sigma_{\perp}} = 2 \frac{1 - x_G}{x_q^2 + x_{\bar{q}}^2}, \quad (1)$$

for the degree of polarization, being  $x_i = 2E_i/\sqrt{s}$ .

Fragmentation of a linearly polarized gluon into daughter partons depends on the azimuthal angle  $\chi$  between the final state plane and the polarization vector.

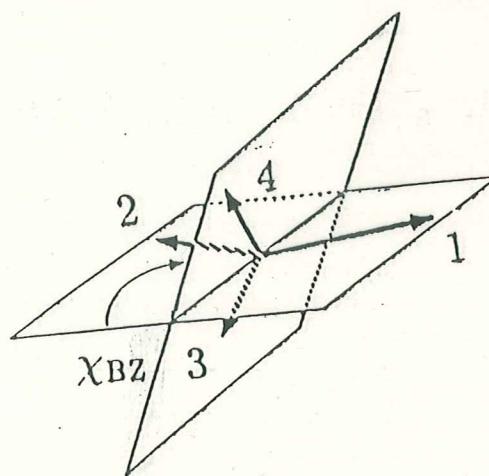
The  $\chi$ -dependent terms are:

$$D_{G \rightarrow GG}(z, \chi) = \frac{6}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{(1-z+z^2)^2}{z(1-z)} + z(1-z) \cos 2\chi \right], \quad (2)$$

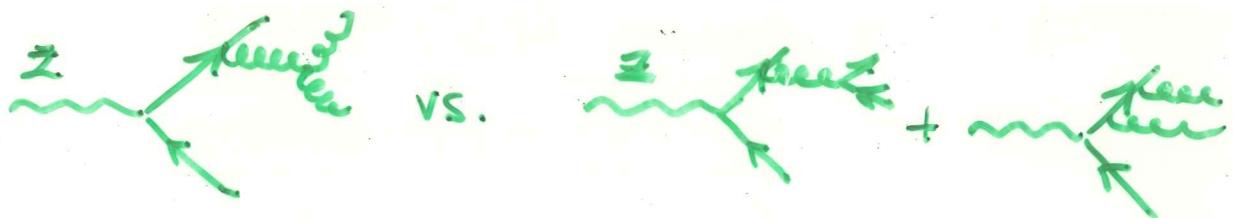
$$D_{G \rightarrow q\bar{q}}(z, \chi) = \frac{6}{2\pi} \left[ \frac{1}{2}(z^2 + (1-z)^2) - z(1-z) \cos 2\chi \right]. \quad (3)$$

Therefore, the distribution in the Bengtsson-Zerwas angle  $\chi_{BZ} (\equiv \chi)$ , defined as

$$\chi_{BZ} = \angle(\vec{p}_1 \times \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3 \times \vec{p}_4),$$



is expected to be rather flat for the  $G \rightarrow GG$  contribution if compared with the  $G \rightarrow q\bar{q}$  one, which generally peaks at  $\chi_{BZ} \approx 90^\circ$ .

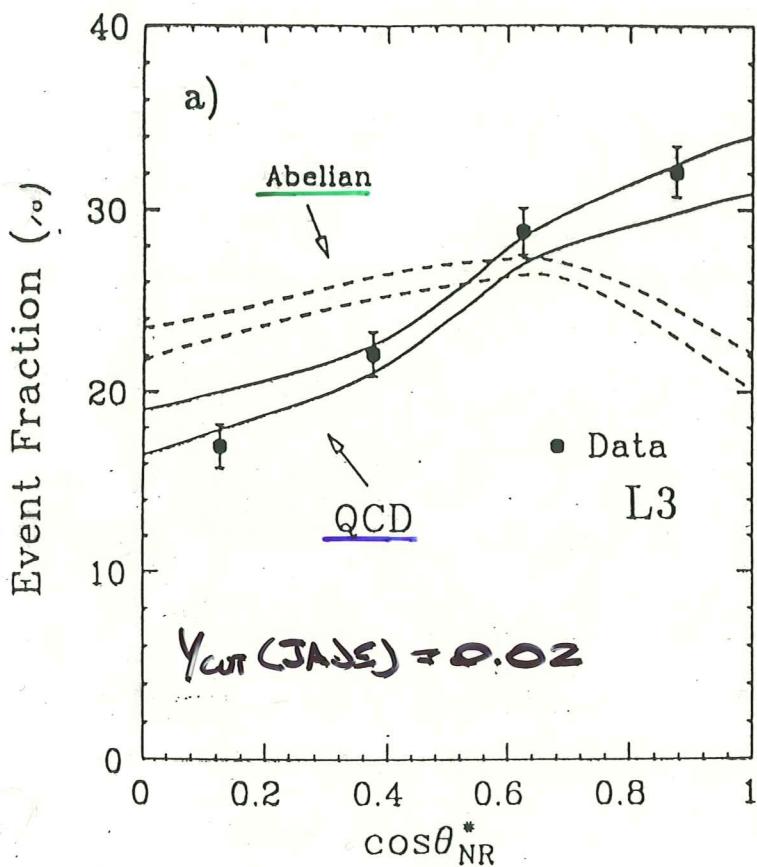


### Experimental results from 4-jet

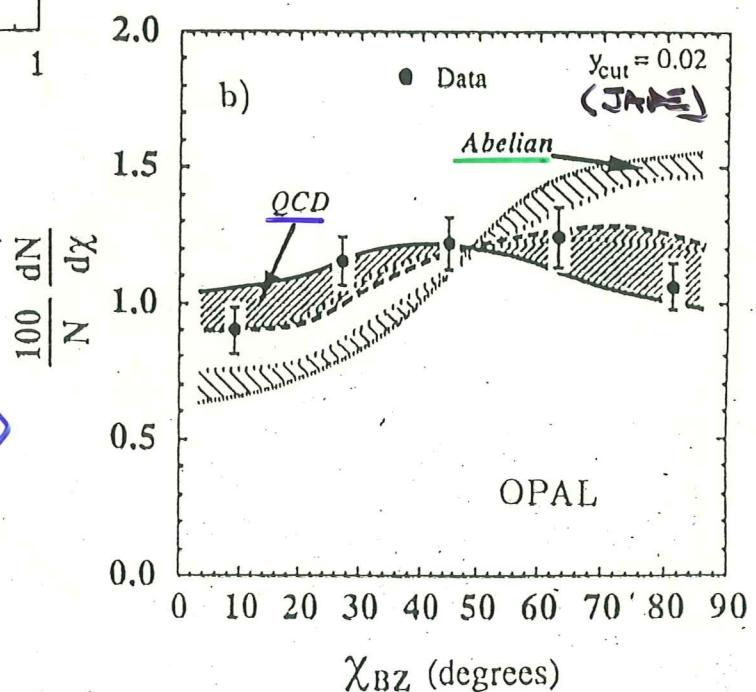
- No flavour identification is assumed.

- *Jets are ordered in energy.*

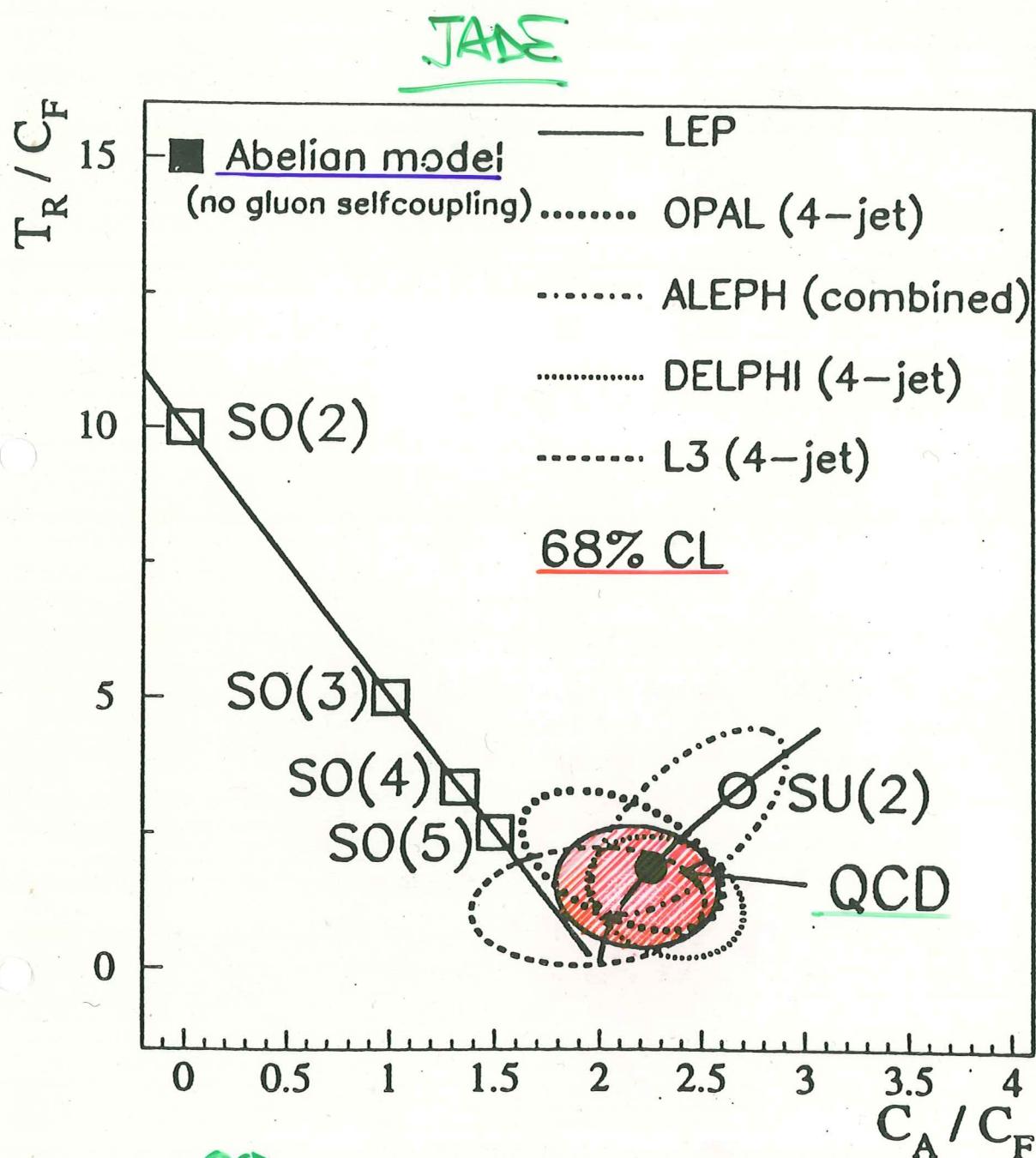
$$E_1 > E_2 > E_3 > E_4$$



$$\vartheta_{NR}^* = \angle (\vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3 - \vec{p}_4)$$



$$\chi_{BZ} = \angle (\vec{p}_1 \times \vec{p}_2, \vec{p}_3 \times \vec{p}_4)$$



$$C_F^{QCD} = \frac{4}{3} \sim \left| \frac{q \bar{q}}{q \bar{q}} \right|^2$$

$$C_A^{QCD} = 3 \sim \left| \frac{q \bar{q} g g}{g g q \bar{q}} \right|^2$$

$$T_R^{QCD} = \frac{1}{2} \sim \left| \frac{q \bar{q}}{q \bar{q}} \right|^2$$

