

# Quantum entanglement within color glass condensate framework

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# Main takeaway

## ■ Color Glass Condensate:

- Hamiltonian is non-perturbative and unknown, so is the wavefunction
- A model for proton wavefunction

$$|\text{proton}\rangle = \sum_{\rho_a} |v; \rho_a\rangle \otimes |s; \rho_a, A_b\rangle$$

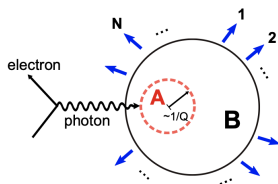
- Entanglement entropy  $S_E = -\text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}_r \ln(\hat{\rho}_r))$
- ## ■ Reduced density matrix diagonalized, and thermal quasi-particle in certain momentum regime.

## Reduced density matrix

Density matrix  $\hat{\rho}(A, B) \rightarrow$  reduced density matrix

$$\hat{\rho}_A = \text{Tr}_B \hat{\rho}(A, B)$$

- Here  $A$  can be probed in DIS partons of the parton model;  $B$  is the unobserved part of the parton wavefunction.
- The property of interest: if  $\hat{\rho}(A, B)$  is pure, non-pure reduced density matrix  $\hat{\rho}_A \rightarrow$  entanglement



from arXiv.1904.11974

# Quantum entropies

Common entropies in quantum information theory:

- Renyi entropy  $S_R^N = \frac{1}{1-N} \ln \text{Tr}\{\hat{\rho}_r^N\}$
- von Neumann entropy  $S_V = \lim_{N \rightarrow 1} S_R^N = -\text{Tr}\{\hat{\rho}_r \ln \hat{\rho}_r\}$

**Entropy of entanglement:** entropy of the reduced density matrix

# Proton wave function

CGC model for Proton wavefunction,

$$|\text{proton}\rangle = \sum_{\rho_a} |v; \rho_a\rangle \otimes |s; \rho_a, A_b\rangle$$

where

- $|v\rangle$  describes the valance dof
- $|s\rangle$  stands for soft gluons
- $\rho_a(x)$  is the color charge density of the valance modes
- $A_b$  is the gluon field generated from the source  $\rho_a$

## Reduced density matrix for soft gluons in MV model

Our goal is the reduced density matrix for soft gluons

$$\hat{\rho}_s = \text{Tr}_v(|v\rangle\langle v| \otimes |s\rangle\langle s|)$$

In MV model

$$\langle v|v\rangle = \exp\left\{-\int_k \frac{\rho_a(k)\rho_a^*(k)}{2\mu^2}\right\}$$

$$\text{Tr}_v \Rightarrow \int D[\rho_a]; \quad |s\rangle = \mathcal{C} |0\rangle$$

$$\mathcal{C} = \exp\left\{i \int_k b_a^i(k) \phi_a^{*i}\right\}; \quad \phi_a^{*i}(k) = a_a^{i\dagger}(k) + a_a^i(-k)$$

$$b_a^i(x) = \frac{1}{igN_c} \text{Tr} \left[ T^a U^\dagger(x) \partial_i U(x) \right] = \frac{2}{ig} \text{Tr} \left[ t^a V^\dagger(x) \partial_i V(x) \right]$$

## Trace out the valance dof

$$\hat{\rho}(\phi_1, \phi_2) \\ = \mathcal{N} \int D[\rho_a] e^{-\int_k \frac{\rho_a(k) \rho_a^*(k)}{2\mu^2} + i \int_k b_b^i(k) \phi_{1,b}^{*i}(k) - i \int_k b_c^{*j}(k) \phi_{2,c}^j(k)} \langle \phi_1 | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \phi_2 \rangle$$

and in MV model

$$\langle b_i^a(k) b_j^b(-k) \rangle = \frac{(2\pi)^3}{2(N_c^2 - 1)} \delta^{ab} x G_{\text{WW}}^{ij}(x, k) \equiv \frac{S_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^2} \tilde{M}_{ij}^{ab}(k)$$

where Weizsäcker-Williams gluon distribution in the momentum space has the following form

$$x G_{\text{WW}}^{ij}(x, k) = \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij} x G^{(1)}(x, k) - \frac{1}{2} \left( \delta_{ij} - 2 \frac{k_i k_j}{k^2} \right) x h^{(1)}(x, k)$$

## $\rho_r$ in field basis

$$\langle \phi_1 | \hat{\rho}_r | \phi_2 \rangle = \mathcal{N} \langle \phi_1 | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \phi_2 \rangle e^{-\int_k \frac{1}{2} \tilde{M}_{ij}^{ab}(k) (\phi_{1j}^a(k) - \phi_{2j}^a(k)) (\phi_{1i}^b(-k) - \phi_{2i}^b(-k))}$$

where the vacuum wave function is

$$\langle 0 | \phi \rangle = \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{4} \phi^2 \right\}$$

we have two independent modes

$$\tilde{M}_{\pm} = \frac{(2\pi)^5}{2S_{\perp}(N_c^2 - 1)} \frac{xG^{(1)} \pm xh^{(1)}}{2}.$$



We derive the entanglement entropy for both eigenvalues of the matrix  $\tilde{M}$ , we obtain

$$S^E = \frac{N_c^2 - 1}{2} \sum_{i=\pm} \int_k \left[ \ln \tilde{M}_i(k) + \sqrt{1 + 4\tilde{M}_i(k)} \ln \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2\tilde{M}_i(k)} + \frac{1}{2\tilde{M}_i(k)} \sqrt{1 + 4\tilde{M}_i(k)} \right) \right]$$

we noticed the result of the previous section can be rewritten in the following form

$$S_E = (N_c^2 - 1) S_{\perp} \sum_{i=\pm} \int \frac{d^2 k}{(2\pi)^2} \left[ (1 + f_i) \ln(1 + f_i) - f_i \ln f_i \right]$$

with the distribution function  $f_{\pm} = \frac{1}{\exp(\beta\omega_{\pm}) - 1}$ , and

$$\beta\omega_{\pm} = 2 \ln \left( \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\tilde{M}_{\pm}}} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{4\tilde{M}_{\pm}}} \right)$$

## Thermal density matrix

A different perspective, consider the following **reduced** density matrix

$$\hat{\rho}_r = (1 - e^{-\beta\omega_0}) \sum_{n=0} e^{-n\beta\omega_0} |n\rangle\langle n|$$

where  $n$  is the energy level, and define  $f = \frac{1}{e^{\beta\omega_0} - 1}$ . The corresponding von Neumann entropy is

$$S_V = (1 + f) \ln(1 + f) - f \ln(f)$$

This indicates  $\hat{\rho}_r$  from CGC can be diagonalized in a new basis.

## After diagonalization

we found the following Bogoliubov transformation

$$c(k) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \sqrt{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \right) a(k) + \frac{1}{2} \left( \sqrt{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \right) a^\dagger(-k)$$
$$c^\dagger(k) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \sqrt{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \right) a^\dagger(k) + \frac{1}{2} \left( \sqrt{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha}} \right) a(-k)$$

we have again two independent modes

$$4\alpha_+ = \sqrt{1 + 4\tilde{M}_+}$$
$$4\alpha_- = \sqrt{1 + 4\tilde{M}_-}$$

and

$$\hat{\rho} = N e^{-\beta\omega_+ \hat{n}_+} e^{-\beta\omega_- \hat{n}_-}$$

# Thermalized massless quasi-particle

