

Interpreting BEC in e^+e^- annihilation

W.J. Metzger

Radboud University Nijmegen

with T. Csörgő, T. Novák, S. Lökös

XLVIII International Symposium on Multiparticle Dynamics
Singapore
3–7 September 2018

BEC Introduction

$$R_2 = \frac{\rho_2(p_1, p_2)}{\rho_1(p_1)\rho_1(p_2)} \Rightarrow \frac{\rho_2(Q)}{\rho_0(Q)}$$

$$Q^2 = (p_1 - p_2)^2$$

Assuming particles produced incoherently
with spatial source density $S(x)$,

$$R_2(Q) = 1 + \lambda |\tilde{S}(Q)|^2$$

where $\tilde{S}(Q) = \int dx e^{iQx} S(x)$

— Fourier transform of $S(x)$

$\lambda = 1$

— $\lambda < 1$ if production not completely incoherent
and other effects reducing BEC

Assuming $S(x)$ is a spherical Gaussian with radius $r \Rightarrow$

$$R_2(Q) = 1 + \lambda e^{-(Qr)^2}$$

Or, more generally, assuming $S(x)$ is a symmetric Lévy distribution
with index of stability α and scale parameter r

$$R_2(Q) = 1 + \lambda e^{-|Qr|^\alpha}, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 2$$

$e^+e^- \longrightarrow \text{hadrons}$

- ▶ a clean environment for studying hadronization
- ▶ everything is jets – **no spectators**
- ▶ at $\sqrt{s} = M_Z$ almost all events are

2-jet $e^+e^- \longrightarrow q\bar{q}$

or

3-jet $e^+e^- \longrightarrow q\bar{q}g$



- ▶ event hadronization axis is the $q\bar{q}$ direction
estimate by the **thrust** axis, i.e., axis \vec{n}_T for which
 $T = \frac{\sum |\vec{p}_i \cdot \vec{n}_T|}{\sum |\vec{p}_i|}$ is maximal
- ▶ 3-jet events are planar.
Estimate event plane by **thrust, major** axes.
Major is analogous to thrust, but in plane perpendicular to \vec{n}_T .
- ▶ Require \vec{n}_T within central tracking chamber
 $\implies 4\pi$ **acceptance**

BEC – ‘Classic’ Parametrizations

$$R_2 = \frac{\rho(p_1, p_2)}{\rho_0(p_1, p_2)} = \gamma \cdot [1 + \lambda G] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

► Gaussian

$$G = \exp(-(rQ)^2)$$

► Edgeworth expansion

$$G = \exp(-(rQ)^2) \cdot \left[1 + \frac{\kappa}{3!} H_3(rQ)\right]$$

Gaussian if $\kappa = 0$ $\kappa = 0.71 \pm 0.06$

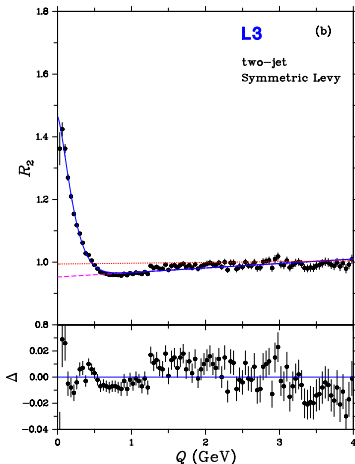
► symmetric Lévy

$$G = \exp(-|rQ|^\alpha), \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 2$$

α is index of stability

Gaussian if $\alpha = 2$ $\alpha = 1.34 \pm 0.04$

Cannot accomodate the anticorrelation seen as a dip in R_2 below unity in the region $0.6 < Q < 1.5 \text{ GeV}$



CL: Gauss Edgeworth sym. Lévy
 10^{-15} 10^{-5} 10^{-8}

L3, EPJC 71 (2011) 1648

The τ -model

T.Csörgő, W.Kittel, W.J.Metzger, T.Novák, Phys.Lett.**B663**(2008)214
T.Csörgő, J.Zimányi, Nucl.Phys.**A517**(1990)588

- Assume avg. production point is related to momentum:

$$\bar{x}^\mu(p^\mu) = a\tau p^\mu$$

where for 2-jet events, $a = 1/m_t$

$\tau = \sqrt{\bar{t}^2 - \bar{r}_z^2}$ is the “longitudinal” proper time

and $m_t = \sqrt{E^2 - p_z^2}$ is the “transverse” mass

- Let $\delta_\Delta(x^\mu - \bar{x}^\mu)$ be dist. of production points about their mean, and $H(\tau)$ the dist. of τ . Then the emission function is

$$S(x, p) = \int_0^\infty d\tau H(\tau) \delta_\Delta(x - a\tau p) \rho_1(p)$$

- In the plane-wave approx.

F.B.Yano, S.E.Koonin, Phys.Lett.**B78**(1978)556.

$$\rho_2(p_1, p_2) = \int d^4x_1 d^4x_2 S(x_1, p_1) S(x_2, p_2) (1 + \cos([p_1 - p_2][x_1 - x_2]))$$

- Assume $\delta_\Delta(x^\mu - \bar{x}^\mu)$ is very narrow — a δ -function. Then

$$R_2(p_1, p_2) = 1 + \lambda \operatorname{Re} \tilde{H}\left(\frac{a_1 Q^2}{2}\right) \tilde{H}\left(\frac{a_2 Q^2}{2}\right), \quad \tilde{H}(\omega) = \int d\tau H(\tau) \exp(i\omega\tau)$$

BEC in the τ -model

- ▶ Assume a Lévy distribution for $H(\tau)$

Since no particle production before the interaction, $H(\tau)$ is one-sided.
Characteristic function is

$$\tilde{H}(\omega) = \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} (\Delta\tau|\omega|)^\alpha \left(1 - i \operatorname{sign}(\omega) \tan \left(\frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \right) \right) + i\omega\tau_0 \right], \quad \alpha \neq 1$$

where

- ▶ α is the index of stability, $0 < \alpha \leq 2$;
 - ▶ τ_0 is the proper time of the onset of particle production;
 - ▶ $\Delta\tau$ is a measure of the width of the distribution.
- ▶ Then, R_2 depends on Q, a_1, a_2

$$\begin{aligned} R_2(Q, a_1, a_2) &= \gamma \left\{ 1 + \lambda \cos \left[\frac{\tau_0 Q^2 (a_1 + a_2)}{2} + \tan \left(\frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \right) \left(\frac{\Delta\tau Q^2}{2} \right)^\alpha \frac{a_1^\alpha + a_2^\alpha}{2} \right] \right. \\ &\quad \cdot \exp \left[- \left(\frac{\Delta\tau Q^2}{2} \right)^\alpha \frac{a_1^\alpha + a_2^\alpha}{2} \right] \left. \right\} \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q) \end{aligned}$$

BEC in the τ -model

$$R_2(Q, a_1, a_2) = \gamma \left\{ 1 + \lambda \cos \left[\frac{\tau_0 Q^2 (a_1 + a_2)}{2} + \tan \left(\frac{\alpha \pi}{2} \right) \left(\frac{\Delta \tau Q^2}{2} \right)^\alpha \frac{a_1^\alpha + a_2^\alpha}{2} \right] \right. \\ \left. \cdot \exp \left[- \left(\frac{\Delta \tau Q^2}{2} \right)^\alpha \frac{a_1^\alpha + a_2^\alpha}{2} \right] \right\} \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

Simplification:

- ▶ effective radius, R , defined by $R^{2\alpha} = \left(\frac{\Delta \tau}{2} \right)^\alpha \frac{a_1^\alpha + a_2^\alpha}{2}$
- ▶ Assume particle production begins immediately, $\tau_0 = 0$
- ▶ Then

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \cos \left((R_a Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \exp \left(- (R Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

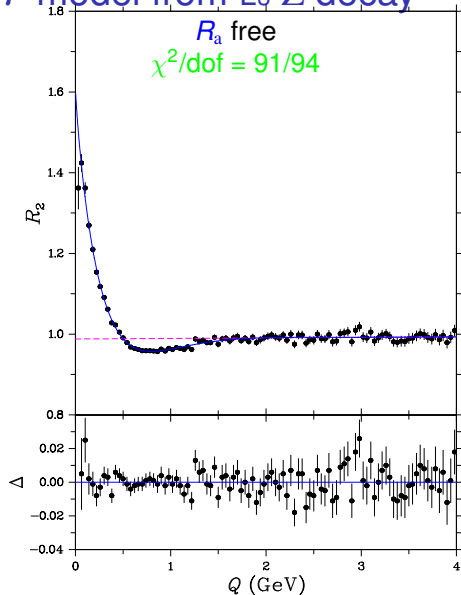
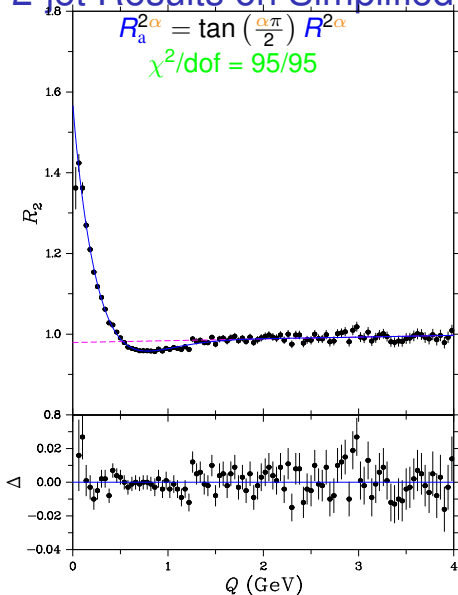
where $R_a^{2\alpha} = \tan \left(\frac{\alpha \pi}{2} \right) R^{2\alpha}$

Compare to sym. Lévy parametrization:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \exp \left(- |r Q|^\alpha \right) \right] (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

- ▶ R describes the BEC peak
- ▶ R_a describes the anticorrelation dip
- ▶ τ -model: both anticorrelation and BEC are related to 'width' $\Delta \tau$ of $H(\tau)$

2-jet Results on Simplified τ -model from L₃ Z decay



$R_a^{2\alpha} = \tan\left(\frac{\alpha\pi}{2}\right) R^{2\alpha}$ agrees well with data

L3, EPJC 71 (2011) 1648

τ -model vs. sym. Lévy

► Simplified τ -model:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \cos \left((R_a Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \exp \left(- (R Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

where $R_a^{2\alpha} = \tan \left(\frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \right) R^{2\alpha}$

- R describes the BEC peak
- R_a describes the anticorrelation dip
- τ -model: Both anticorrelation and BEC are related to 'width' $\Delta\tau$ of $H(\tau)$ i.e. to the temporal distribution of production
- Symmetric Lévy parametrization:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \exp \left(-|rQ|^\alpha \right) \right] (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

- r describes the BEC peak
- the anticorrelation dip is NOT described
- BEC is related to the spatial distribution of the production points

But suppose we did not have the τ -model (or don't believe it):
What to do then?

Lévy polynomials

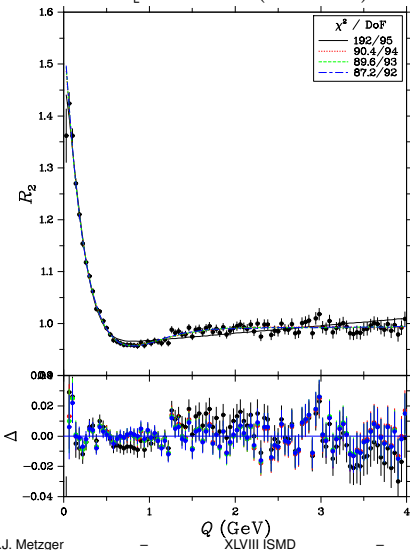
Expand about the Symmetric Lévy distribution using Lévy Polynomials, l_i

Then the Symmetric Lévy parametrization becomes

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \exp(-|rQ|^\alpha) (1 + \sum c_i l_i) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

De Kock, Eggers, Csörgő, PoS WPCF 2011 (2011) 033

Csörgő, Pasechnik, Ster, arXiv.1807.02897

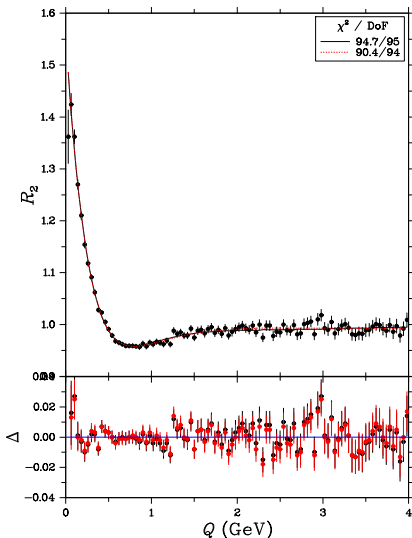


l_i are orthonormal

Fits to succeeding orders provide improved χ^2 :

- ▶ Order 0: very bad χ^2
- ▶ Order 1: good χ^2
- ▶ Orders 2-3 give: only marginal further improvement

Lévy polynomials vs. τ -model



- ▶ χ^2 of **order-1 Sym. Lévy polynomial fit** is a bit better than τ -model
- ▶ **but not much difference in fits** difference is mainly for $Q > 1.5$ GeV

Lévy polynomials vs. τ -model

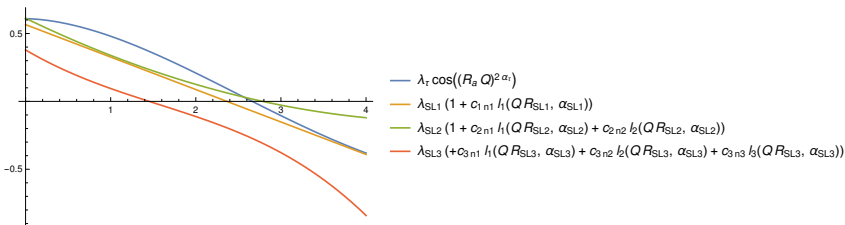
► Simplified τ -model:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \cos \left((R_a Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \exp \left(- (R Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

where $R_a^{2\alpha} = \tan \left(\frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \right) R^{2\alpha}$

► Symmetric Lévy polynomial parametrization:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \left(1 + \sum c_i l_i \right) \exp \left(- |r Q|^\alpha \right) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$



► τ -model describes dip by the cosine term

► Sym. Lévy by Lévy polynomial(s)

Lévy polynomials vs. τ -model

► Simplified τ -model:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \cos \left((R_a Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \exp \left(- (R Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

where $R_a^{2\alpha} = \tan \left(\frac{\alpha\pi}{2} \right) R^{2\alpha}$

► Symmetric Lévy polynomial parametrization:

$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \left(1 + \sum c_i l_i \right) \exp \left(- |r Q|^\alpha \right) \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

R_a	$2\alpha = 0.88 \pm 0.02$	$\lambda = 0.61 \pm 0.03$	$R = 0.78 \pm 0.04$ fm
SL order 1	$\alpha = 1.07 \pm 0.06$	$\lambda = 0.16 \pm 0.03$	$r = 0.54 \pm 0.03$ fm
SL order 2	$\alpha = 1.01 \pm 0.10$	$\lambda = 0.23 \pm 0.03$	$r = 0.43 \pm 0.04$ fm
SL order 3	$\alpha = 1.36 \pm 0.25$	$\lambda = 0.22 \pm 0.03$	$r = 0.54 \pm 0.05$ fm

Values of parameters differs between τ -model and Sym. Lévy
and between orders of Sym. Lévy

Does expansion improve the τ -model?

Lacking (so far) an orthogonal polynomial expansion for the asymmetric Lévy distribution $H(\tau)$ of the τ -model, **we use a derivative expansion**:

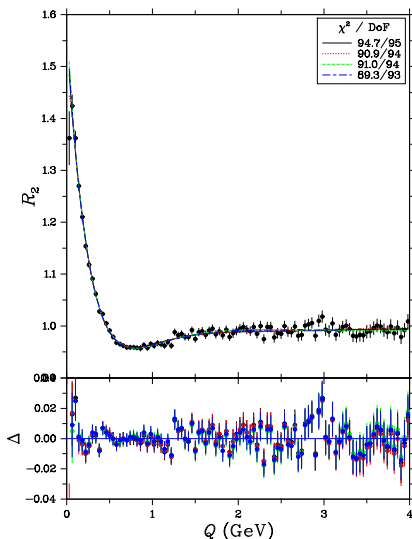
$$R_2(Q) = \gamma \left[1 + \lambda \left\{ \cos \left((R_a Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \exp \left(- (RQ)^{2\alpha} \right) + \sum c_n \frac{d^n}{dQ^n} \cos \left((R_a Q)^{2\alpha} \right) \exp \left(- (RQ)^{2\alpha} \right) \right\} \right] \cdot (1 + \epsilon Q)$$

	order 0	order 1	order 0, R_a free	order 1, R_a free
α	0.44 ± 0.01	0.43 ± 0.01	0.41 ± 0.02	0.40 ± 0.03
R (fm)	0.78 ± 0.04	0.84 ± 0.05	0.79 ± 0.04	0.83 ± 0.07
R_a (fm)	—	—	0.69 ± 0.04	0.60 ± 0.06
λ	0.61 ± 0.03	0.67 ± 0.05	0.63 ± 0.03	1 at limit
γ	0.979 ± 0.002	0.979 ± 0.002	0.988 ± 0.005	0.992 ± 0.006
ϵ	0.005 ± 0.001	0.005 ± 0.001	0.001 ± 0.002	0.000 ± 0.002
c_1	—	0.0008 ± 0.0005	—	0.072 ± 0.015
χ^2/DoF	94.7/95	90.9/94	91.0/94	89.3/93
CL	49%	57%	57%	59%

► Orders 0-1 $\sim 1\sigma$ difference

► **Order 1** has somewhat better χ^2 , as does **order 0, R_a free**

τ -model expansion



order	χ^2/DoF	CL
order 0	94.7/95	49%
order 1	90.9/94	57%
order 0, R_a free	91.0/94	57%
order 1, R_a free	89.3/93	59%

- ▶ Difference of two χ^2 is also a χ^2
- ▶ Small $\text{CL}(\chi_1^2 - \chi_2^2, \text{DoF}_1 - \text{DoF}_2)$ is reason to reject Hypothesis 1
- ▶ $\text{CL}(94.7 - 90.9, 1 \text{ dof}) = 5.1\%$
Not small enough to reject order 0
- ▶ Other χ^2 differences are smaller; so CL larger
- ▶ expansion not needed
 R_a free does not give significant improvement

Conclusions

- ▶ Expansions provide a test of whether the assumed function is (approximately) correct and if only approximately, help to locate the differences
- ▶ for 2-jet events
 - ▶ for τ -model expansion is not needed; assumption that $H(\tau)$ is an asymmetric Lévy distribution is OK
 - ▶ for symmetric Lévy order-1 expansion is required; modification of the symmetric Lévy required is similar to that of the τ -model

τ -model– 3-jet events

- ▶ at $\sqrt{s} = M_Z$ almost all events are

2-jet $e^+e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}$

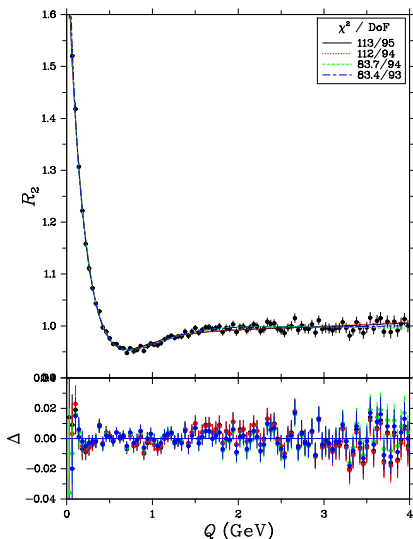
or

3-jet $e^+e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}g$



- ▶ for 2-jet events hadronization is basically 1+1 dimension, which lead in the τ -model to the dependence on τ , the longitudinal proper time
 m_t , the transverse mass
- ▶ for 3-jet events this is more complicated
So, we might expect the τ -model to work less well

τ -model expansion – 3-jet events



order	χ^2/DoF	CL
order 0	113.2/95	10%
order 1	112.4/94	9%
order 0, R_a free	83.7/94	76%
order 1, R_a free	83.4/93	75%

- ▶ $\text{CL}(113.2 - 112.4, 1 \text{ dof}) = 37\%$
 $\text{CL}(83.7 - 83.4, 1 \text{ dof}) = 58\%$
 Order 1 gives no significant improvement
 expansion not needed
- ▶ However,
 $\text{CL}(113.2 - 83.7, 1 \text{ dof}) = 6 \cdot 10^{-8}$
- ▶ R_a free does give significant improvement

Conclusions – 3-jet events

- ▶ τ -model expansion not needed
 $\implies H(\tau) = \text{asymmetric Lévy distribution is OK}$
- ▶ significant improvement is obtained letting R_a free
i.e., by lessening the connection of simplified τ -model
between the BEC peak and antisymmetric dip
possibly due to the more complicated structure of the event

BACKUP

Lévy Polynomials

provide an expansion about

$$w(t | \alpha) = \exp(-t^\alpha) \quad , \quad t \geq 0$$

De Kock, Eggers, Csörgő, PoS WPCF 2011 (2011) 033

Csörgő, Pasechnik, Ster, arXiv.1807.02897

Applied to BEC,

$$t = Qr$$

$$R_2(Q) \propto 1 + \lambda \exp(t^\alpha) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n l_n(t | \alpha)$$

$$l_j(t | \alpha) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{D_j D_{j+1}}} L_j(t | \alpha)$$

$$D_0(\alpha) = 1$$

$$L_0(t | \alpha) = 1$$

$$D_1(\alpha) = \mu_{0,\alpha}$$

$$L_1(t | \alpha) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \mu_{0,\alpha} & \mu_{1,\alpha} \\ 1 & t \end{pmatrix}$$

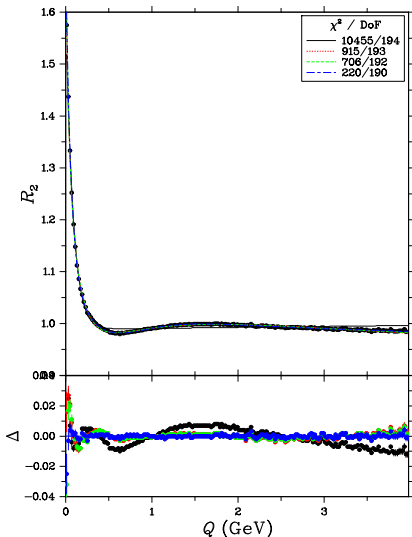
$$D_2(\alpha) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \mu_{0,\alpha} & \mu_{1,\alpha} \\ \mu_{1,\alpha} & \mu_{2,\alpha} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L_2(t | \alpha) = \det \begin{pmatrix} \mu_{0,\alpha} & \mu_{1,\alpha} & \mu_{2,\alpha} \\ \mu_{1,\alpha} & \mu_{2,\alpha} & \mu_{3,\alpha} \\ 1 & t & t^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{etc., where } \mu_{n,\alpha} = \int_0^\infty dt t^n \exp(-t^\alpha) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{\alpha}\right)$$

$$l_i \text{ are orthonormal: } \int_0^\infty dt \exp(-t^\alpha) l_n(t | \alpha) l_m(t | \alpha) = \delta_{n,m}$$

Lévy polynomials in pp



CMS sees anticorrelation in pp at LHC

[PRC97,064912\(2018\)](https://arxiv.org/abs/1806.06491)

ATLAS also (unpublished) in PhD thesis

R. Astaloš <http://hdl.handle.net/2066/143448>

Using data from a figure in this thesis:

- ▶ Sym. Lévy: $\chi^2/\text{DOF} = 10455/194$
– does not fit
- ▶ χ^2 of τ -model (R_a free) (Order 0) is much better 915/193
- ▶ χ^2 of τ -model (R_a free) (Order 1) is better 706/192
- ▶ Sym. Lévy polynomial (Order 4) is better 220/190