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## Are Jets Narrowed or Broadened in e+A SIDIS?

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We compute the in-medium jet broadening to leading order in energy in the opacity expansion. At leading order in  $\alpha_s$  the elastic energy loss gives a jet broadening that grows with  $\ln E$ . The next-to-leading order in  $\alpha_s$  result is a jet narrowing, due to destructive LPM interference effects, that grows with  $\ln^2 E$ . We find that in the opacity expansion the jet broadening asymptotics are—unlike for the mean energy loss—extremely sensitive to the correct treatment of the finite kinematics of the problem; integrating over all emitted gluon transverse momenta leads to a prediction of jet broadening rather than narrowing. We compare the asymptotics from the opacity expansion to a recent twist-4 derivation and find a qualitative disagreement: the twist-4 derivation predicts a jet broadening rather than a narrowing. Comparison with current jet measurements cannot distinguish between the broadening or narrowing predictions. We comment on the origin of the difference between the opacity expansion and twist-4 results.

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