

A dynamically initialized hybrid approach with varying equations of state



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Initialization of hybrid models

• In high beam energy heavy ion collisions, the traditional initialization for hydrodynamics is at the crossing of iso- τ hypersurface. A common choice is the passing time

$$\tau_0 = 2m_N \frac{R_{\rm proj} + R_{\rm targ}}{\sqrt{s_{\rm NN} - 4m_N^2}}$$

- Centrality determination makes core-corona (dense-dilute) separation necessary
- Low energies \rightarrow nonequilibrium, secondary interactions, larger nuclei passing time



Dynamic fluidization

• Goal: dynamical condition for fluidization based on local energy density

SMASH

Simulating Many Strongly-interacting Hadrons

• Evolve hadrons according to the Boltzmann equation [1]

 $p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f_{i} + m_{i}F^{\alpha}\partial_{\alpha}^{p}f_{i} = C_{i}^{\text{coll}}$

- Particle in energetic enough region \rightarrow fluidization
- Following [2], only hadronic or string decay products ?
- Threshold condition determined at production, but fluidization happens at formation time
- Background from fluid T^{00} not included yet



VHLLE

viscous Harten-Lax-van Leer-Einfeldt algorithm

- Israel-Stewart equations of motion with viscosity [3]
- Matching time steps with transport requires Cartesian coordinates
- Fluidized particles enter as *smeared* sources (Z. Paulínyová's poster)



No particlization yet

- At lower energies, fluidization happens way before $\tau_0 \blacklozenge$
- As the beam energy increases, so does the energy of particles entering hydro; more important sources are closer to the iso- au_0 hypersurface igsimedelta• Spread depends on threshold energy and formation time 🥲

Central cell evolution



Energy density profiles

- Au+Au collisions with b = 0
- Threshold $\epsilon_f = 0.5 \,\mathrm{GeV/fm}^3$

• Viscosity $\eta/s = 0.2, \ \zeta/s = 0$

• Smearing parameter $\sigma = 1 \text{ fm}$



- ↓ faster expansion?
- Small difference between EoS: ε includes compression energy
- Fast beams expand away quickly
- Contribution depends on which particles are chosen to fluidize

Fluid velocities



- Larger $v_x(x), v_v(y)$ for stiffer EoS with phase transition
- Off-diagonal larger for softer chiral EoS
- Longitudinal flow $v_z(z)$ is indifferent to EoS
- Asymmetric transverse plane: fluctuations ?
- Relatively small statistic (25 events), but same ICs

Outlook

• Allow different particles to fluidize

• Vary threshold energy and formation time

• Communication between energy density backgrounds for concurrent evolution

• Particle sampling to compute observables

• Radial and anisotropic flow may be sensitive to EoS and phase transition

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