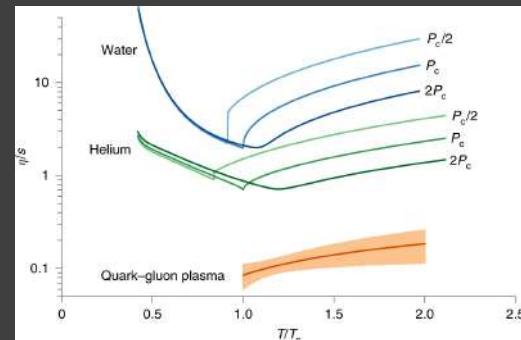
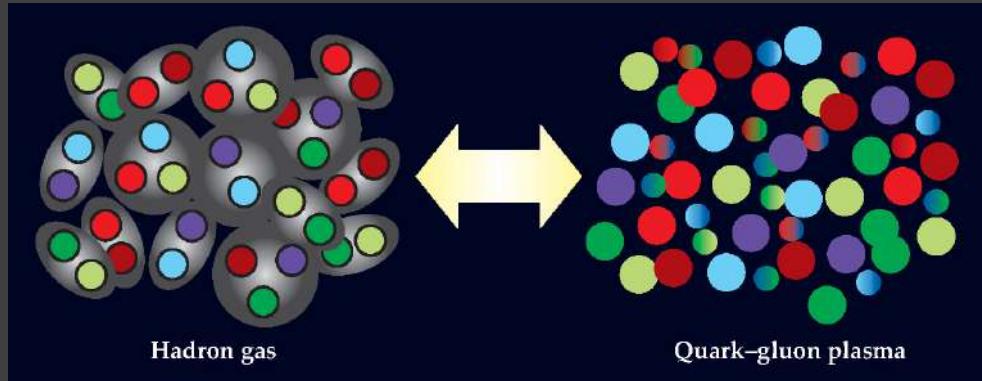


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# Quark-Gluon Plasma: the perfect and most vortical fluid

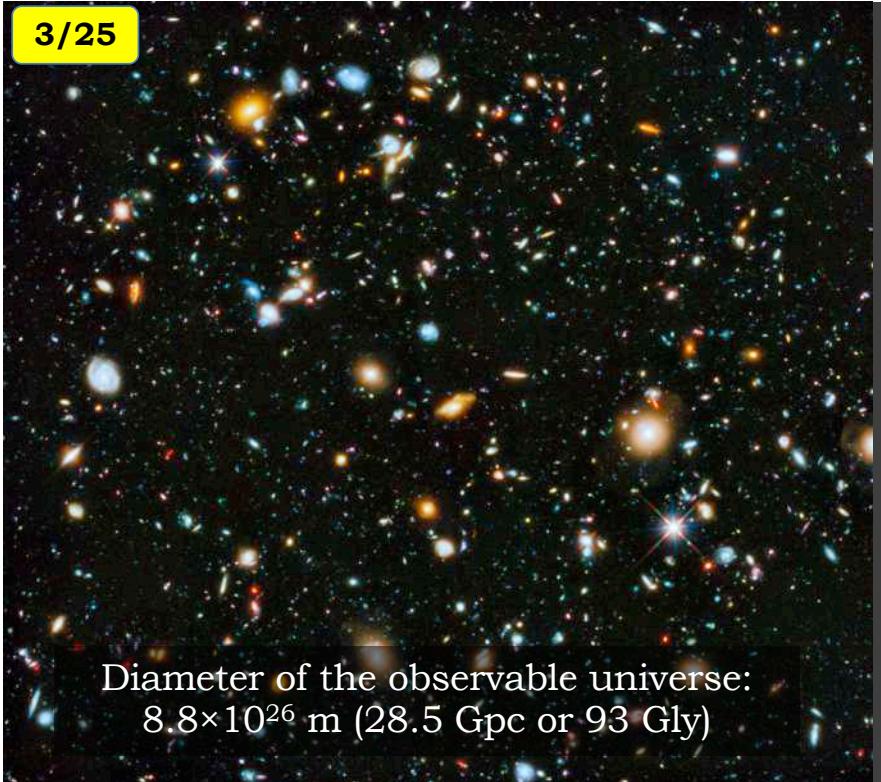
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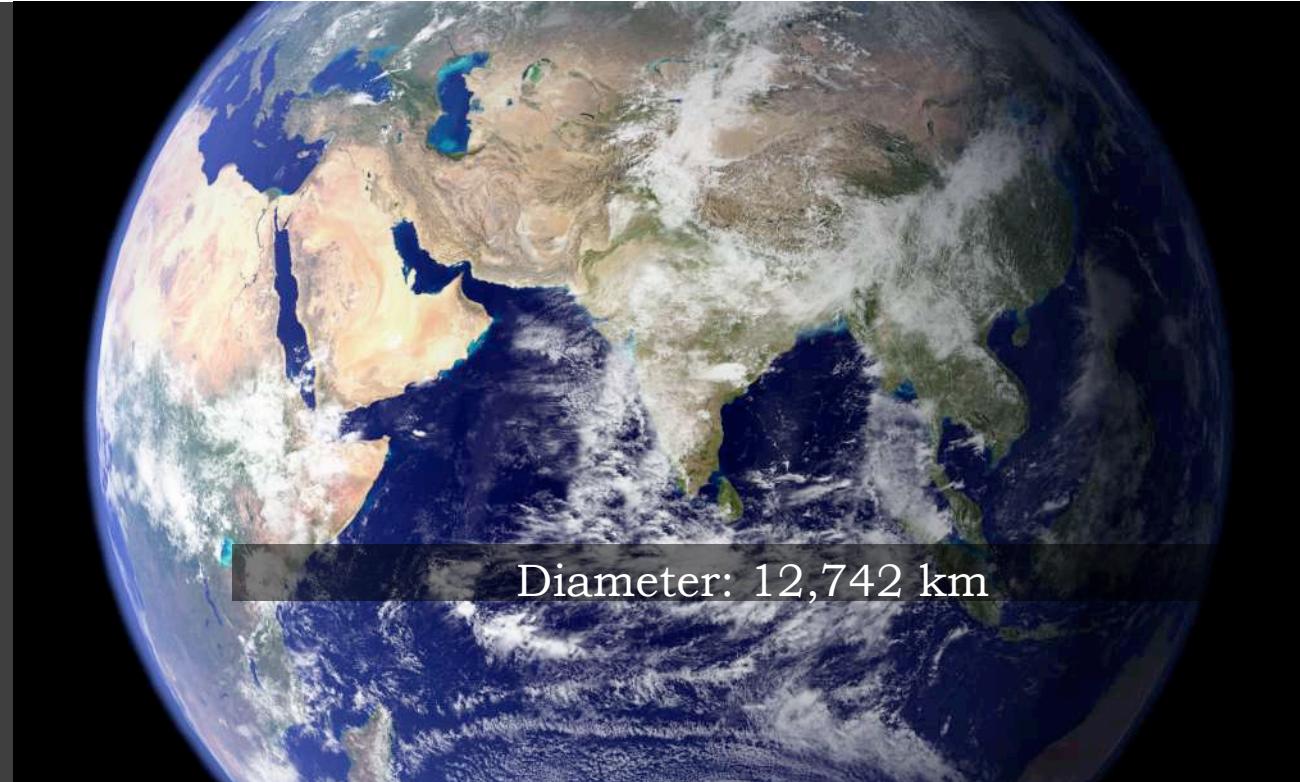


Young minds  
wondering about  
the Universe!

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Diameter of the observable universe:  
 $8.8 \times 10^{26}$  m (28.5 Gpc or 93 Gly)



Diameter: 12,742 km

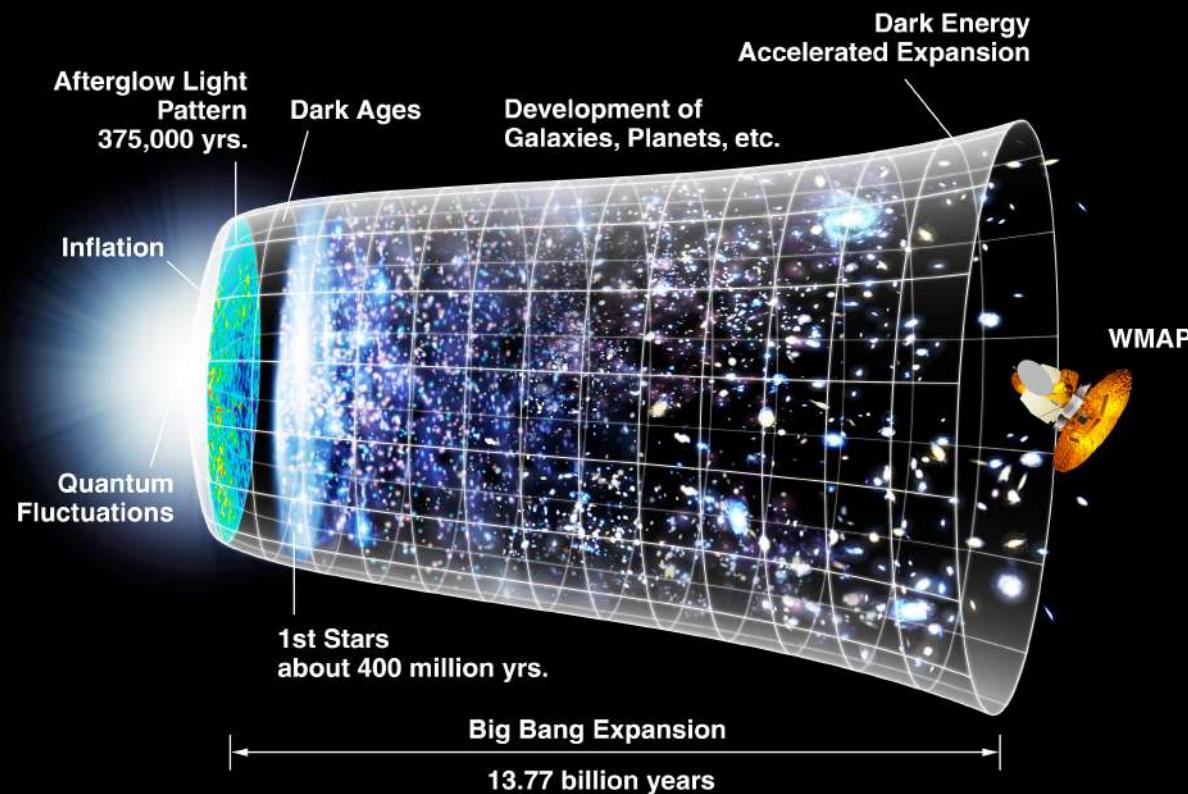


The end of the solar system is about 122 astronomical units (AU) away from the sun, where one AU is 93 million miles (150 million kilometers).

# Universe is BIG !

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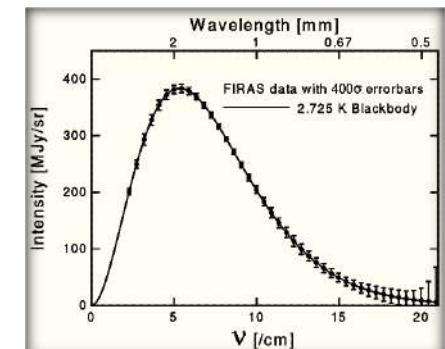
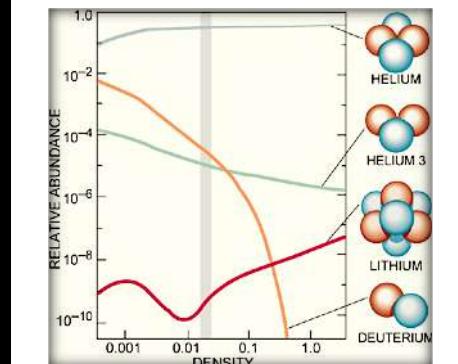
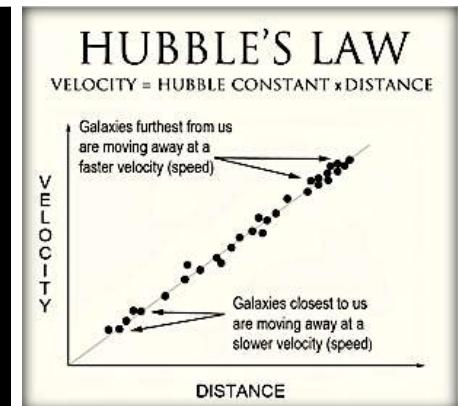
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Success of Big Bang Model (George Gamow – 1948)

- ❖ Observational verification of expansion
- ❖ Predicted & observed abundances of light elements
- ❖ Discovery of the Cosmic Microwave Background

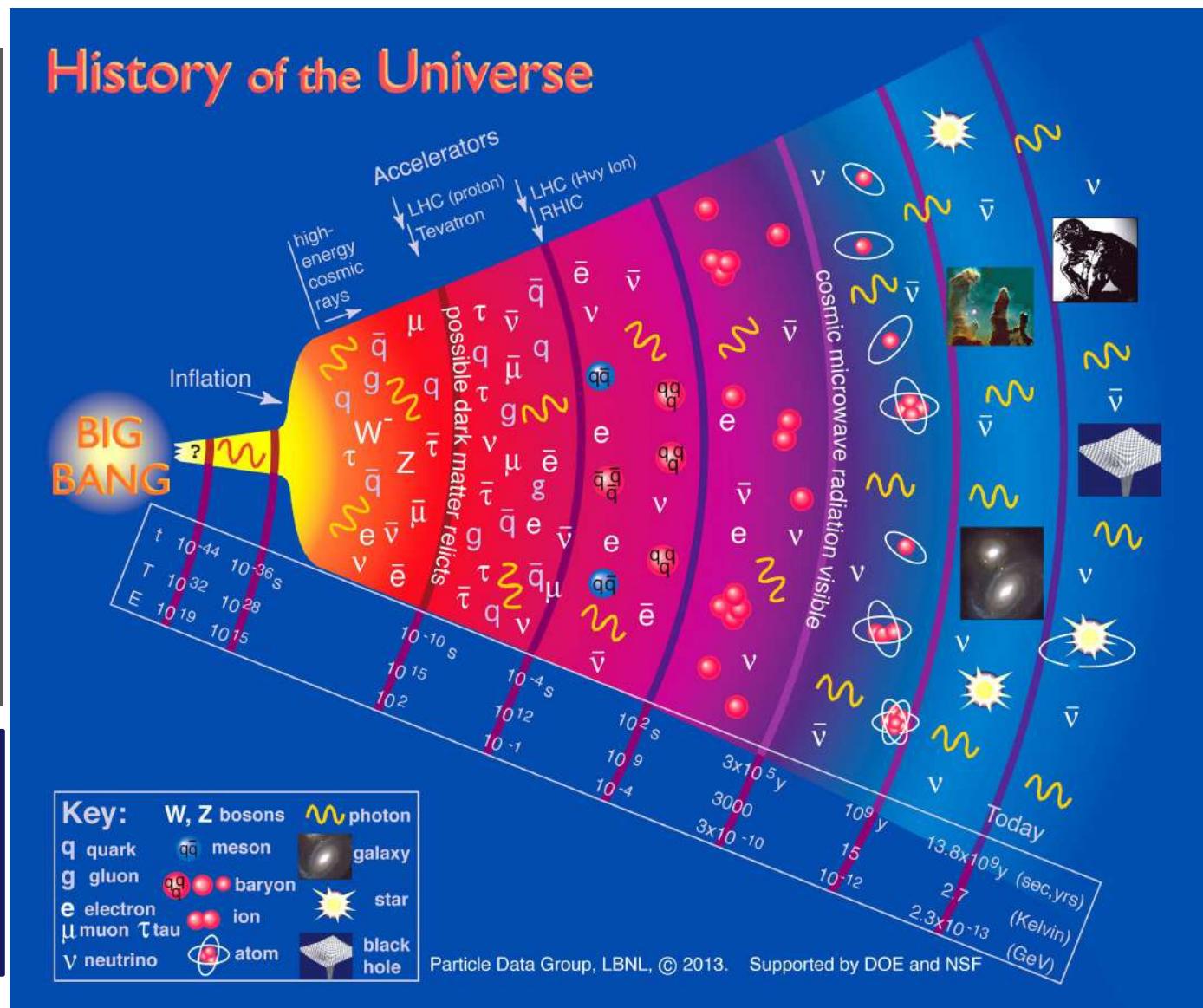
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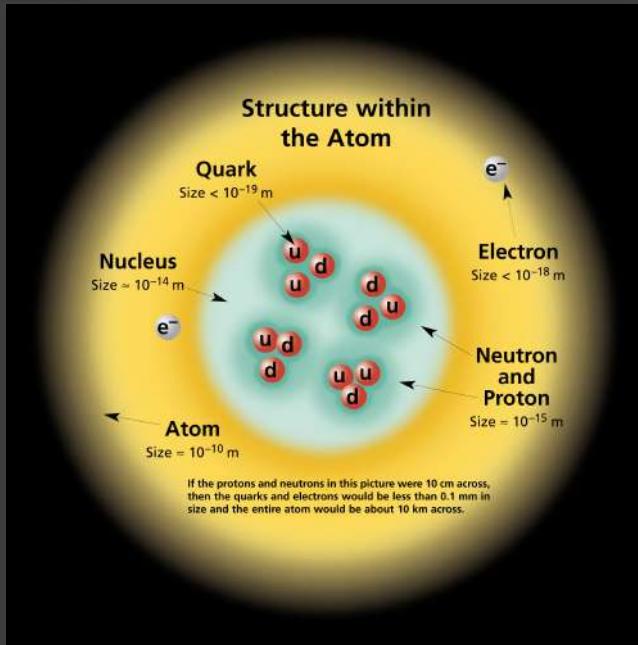


# Evolution of Universe

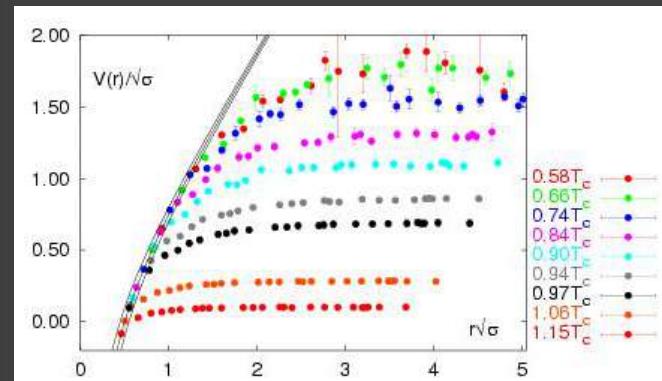
Quark  
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Plasma

Time ~  $\mu\text{s}$   
Temp ~  $10^{15} - 10^{12} \text{ K}$

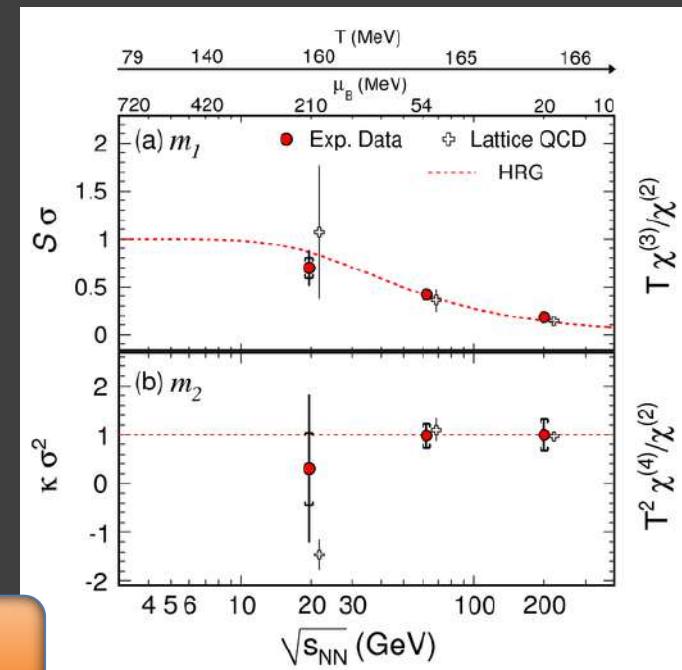




$$V(r) = -\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{r} + kr$$



$\sim 170$  MeV ( $10^{12}$  K)



Matter at extremely high temperature → QGP

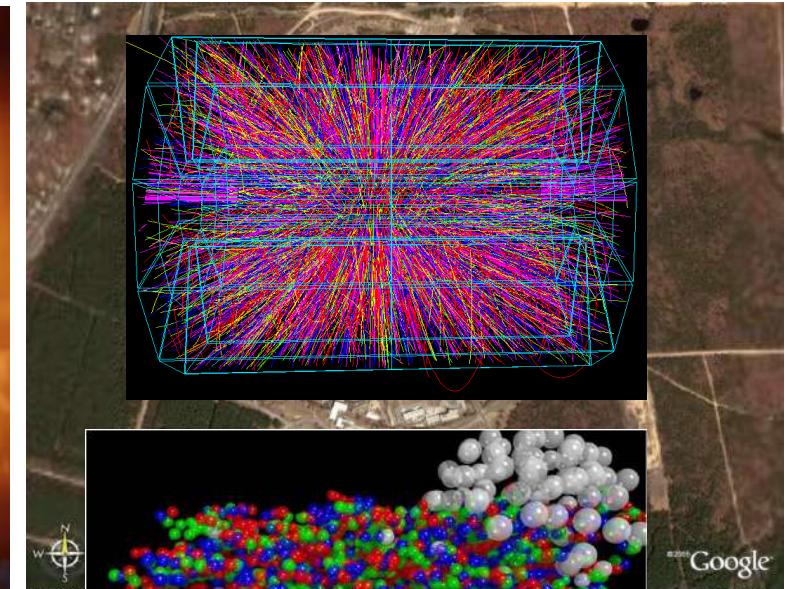
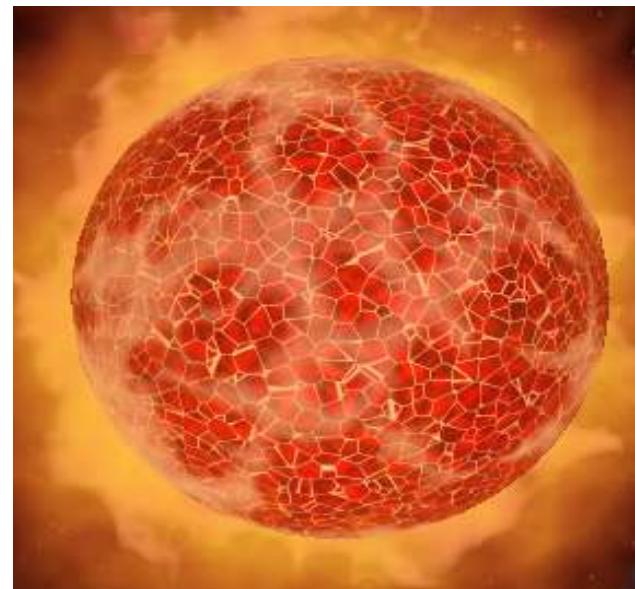
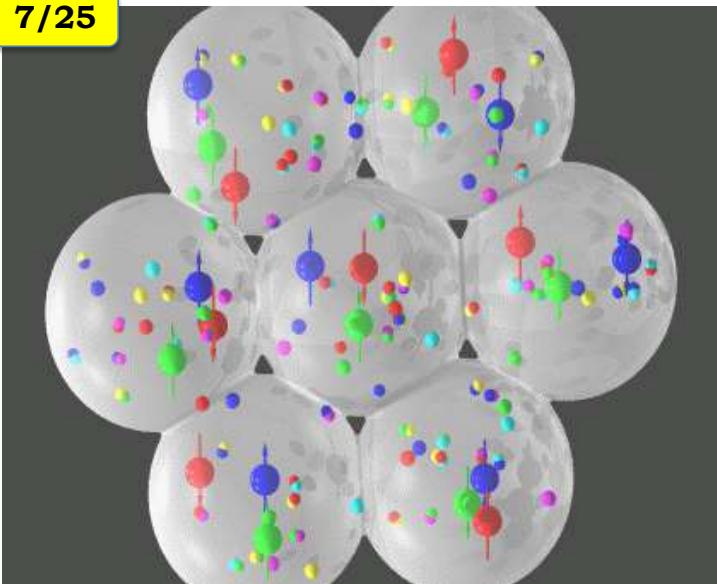
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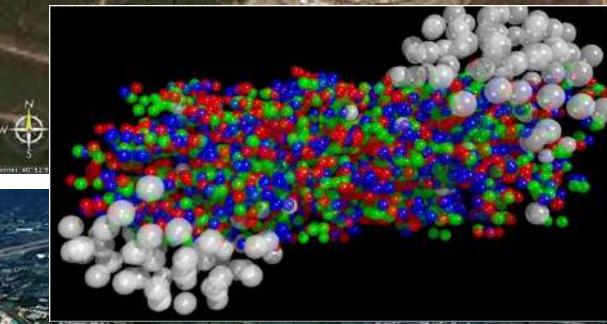
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# Theoretical support for QGP



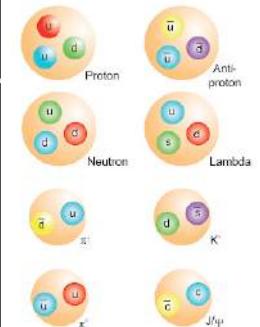
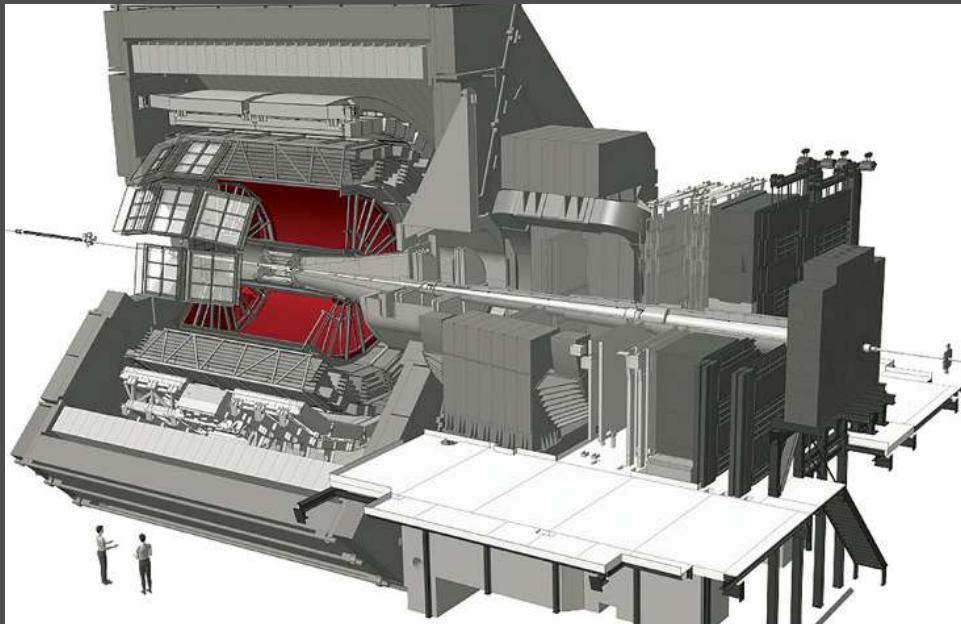
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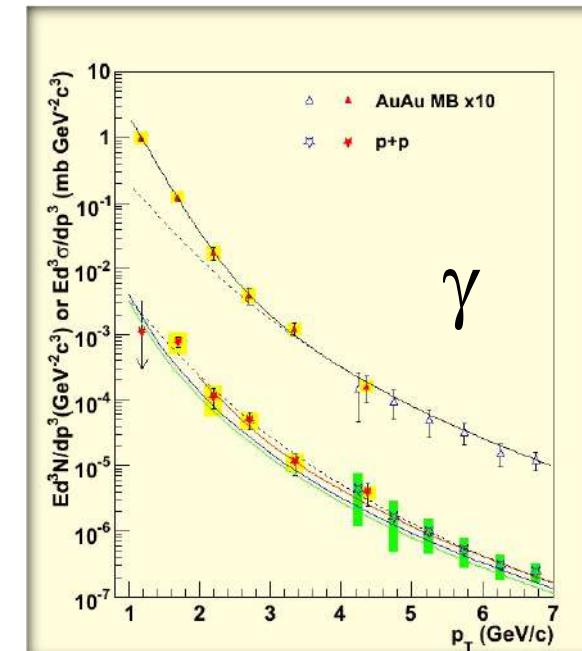
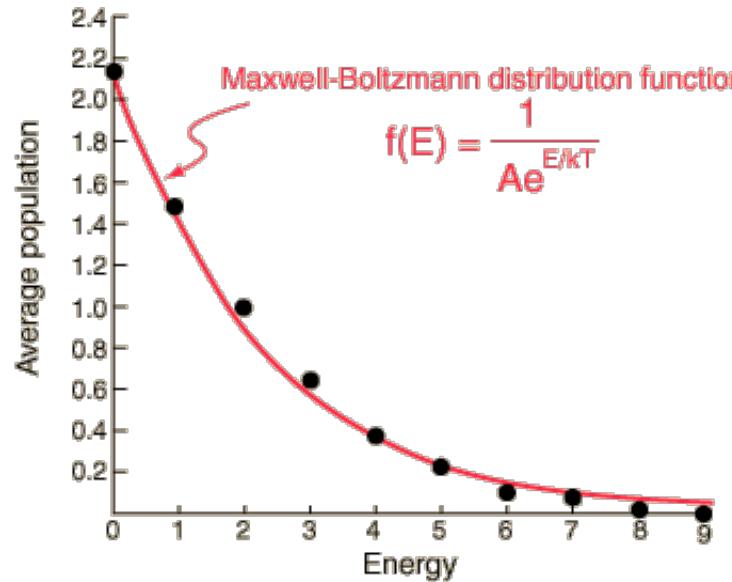
# Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider And Large Hadron Collider

QGP: Femto-Scale  
in time and space

# Typical Detector



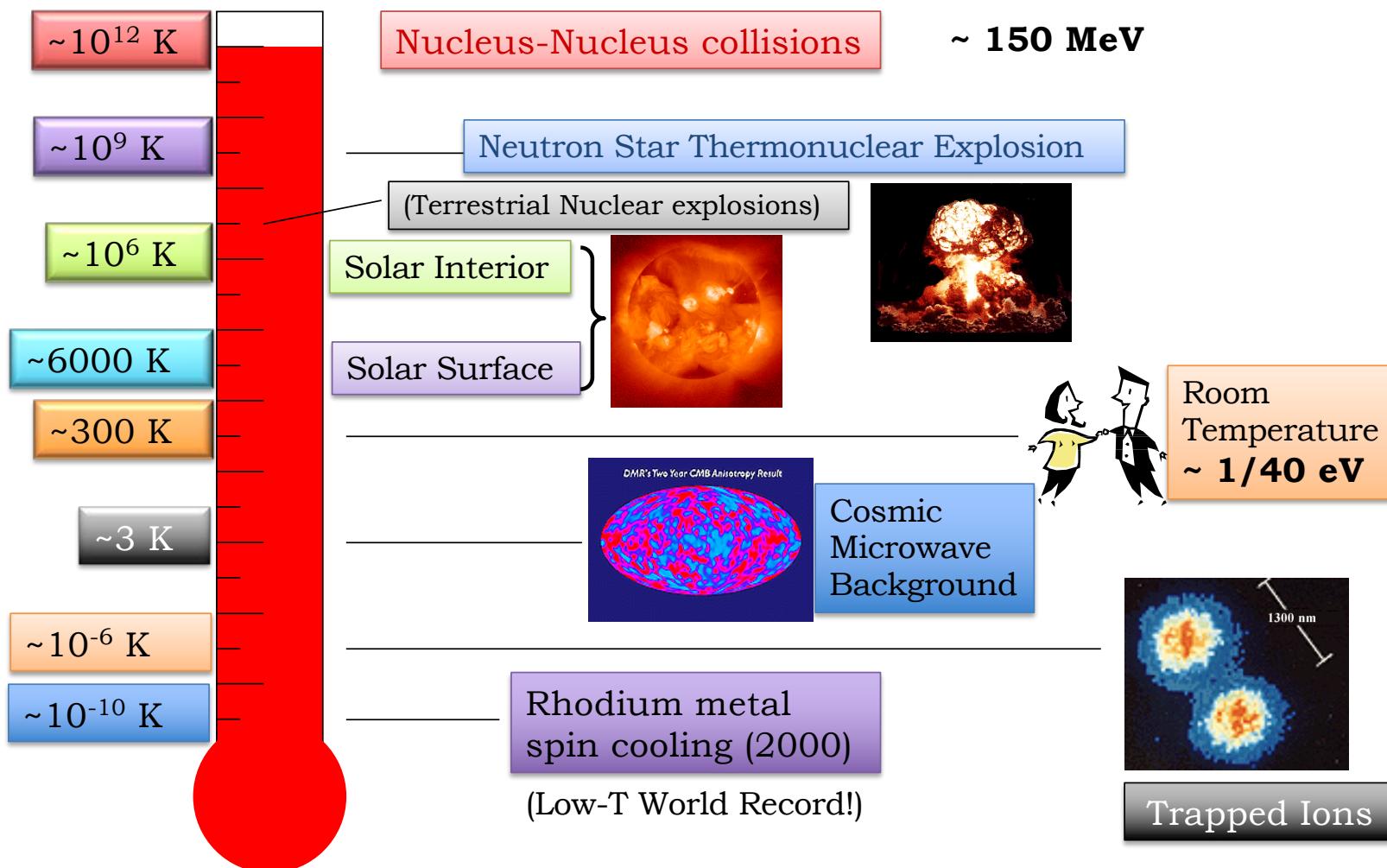
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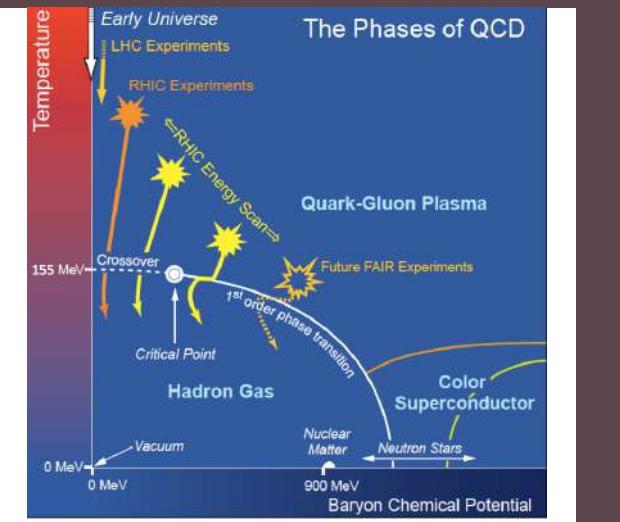
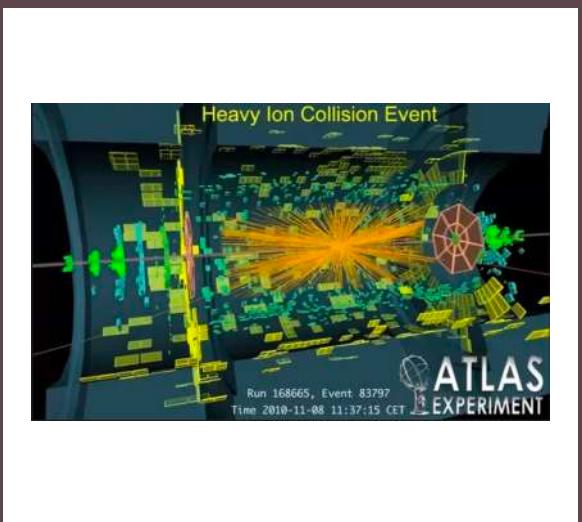
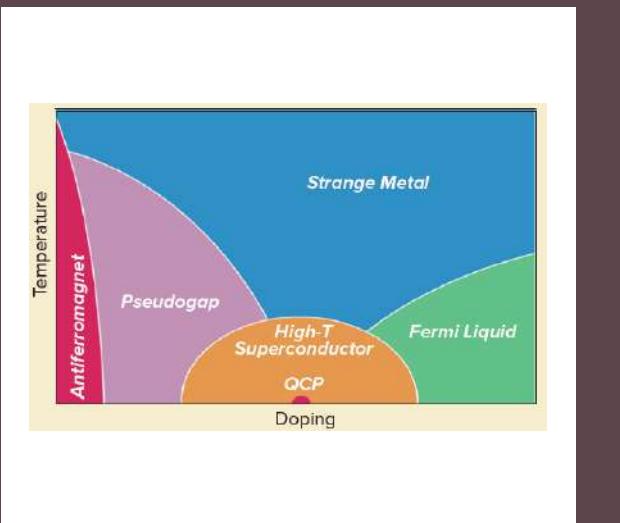
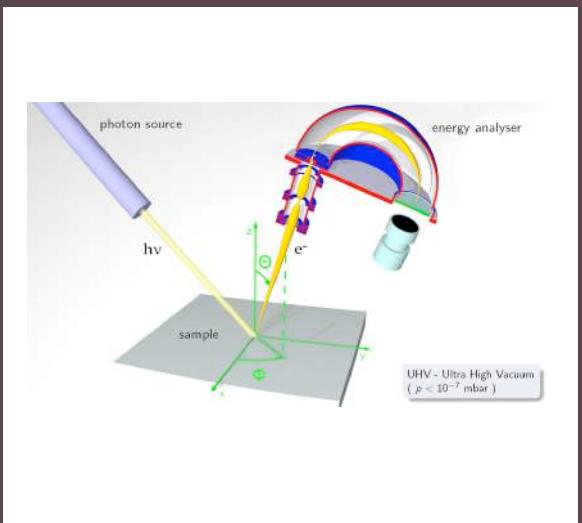


# Measuring Temperature

Inverse slope provides temperature  
 $300 - 600 \text{ MeV} \sim 10^{12} \text{ K}$   
Quark Gluon Plasma

# Perspective on the Temperature





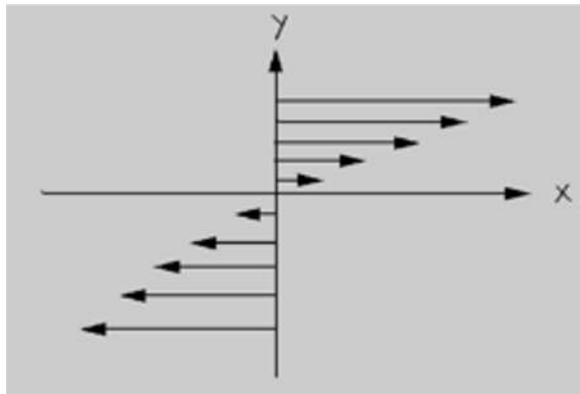
Baryon doping

# Emergent properties of matter

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## Viscosity: resistance to flow

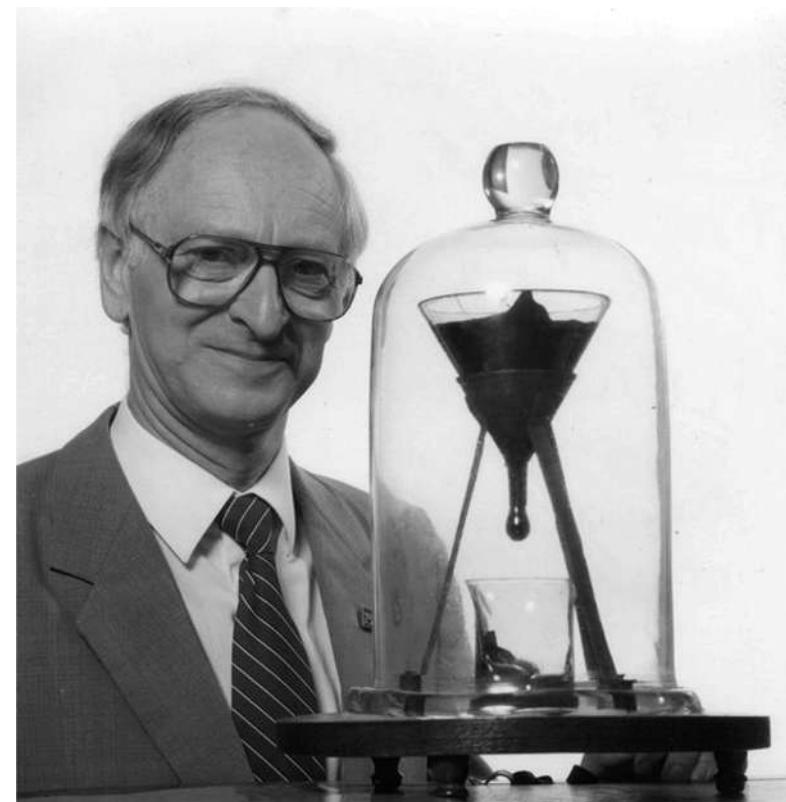
$$\frac{F_x}{A} = -\eta \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial y}$$



Dilute gas,  $\eta = (1/3) n p l$ .  
 Uncertainty principle  $p l \gtrsim \hbar$ .  
 Entropy density,  $s \sim k_B n$ ,  
 Lower bound to  $\eta/s \gtrsim \frac{\hbar}{k_B}$ .

Kovtun, Son, and Starinets  
 (KSS bound)  $\eta/s \geq \frac{\hbar}{4\pi k_B} = 1/4\pi$ .

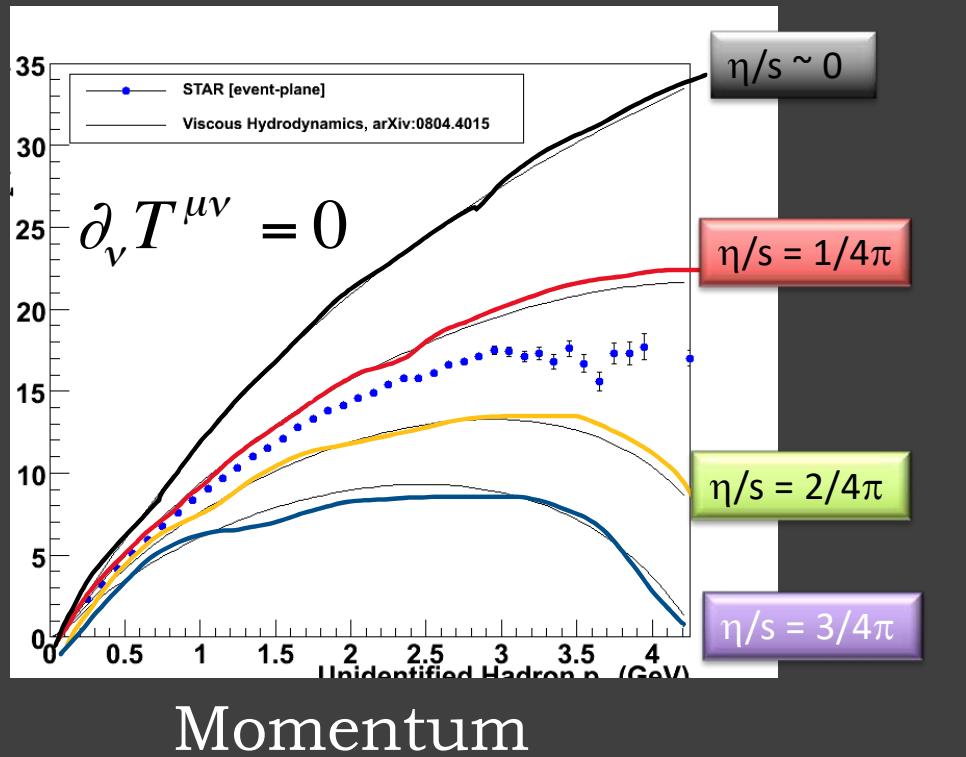
Pitch approximately  
 230 billion times viscous than water.



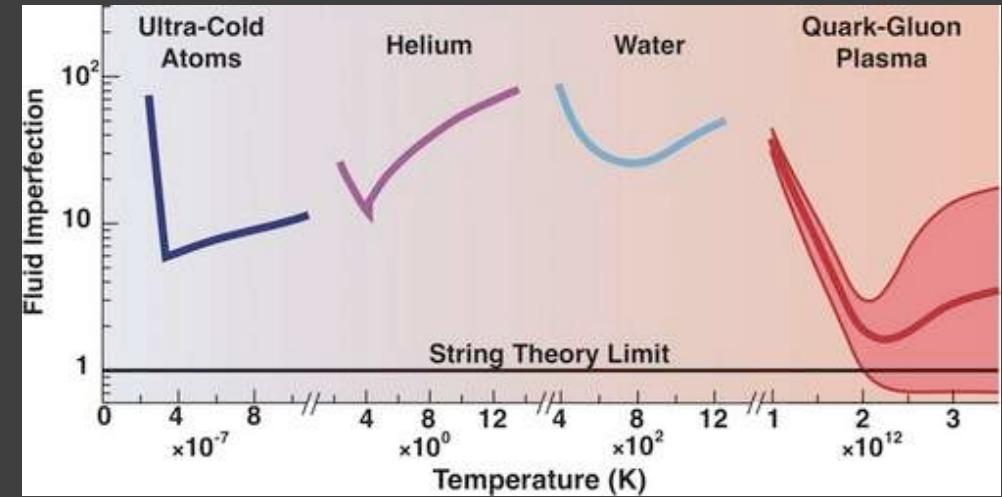
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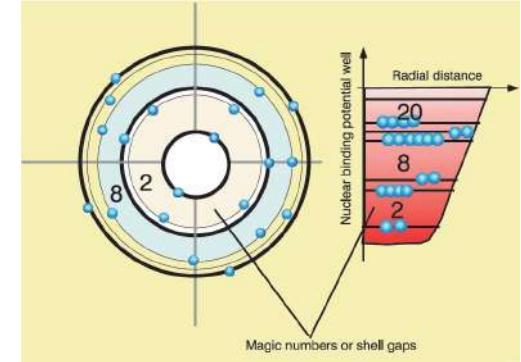
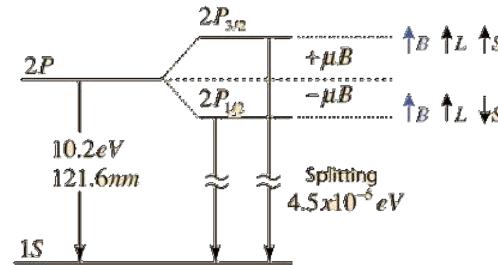
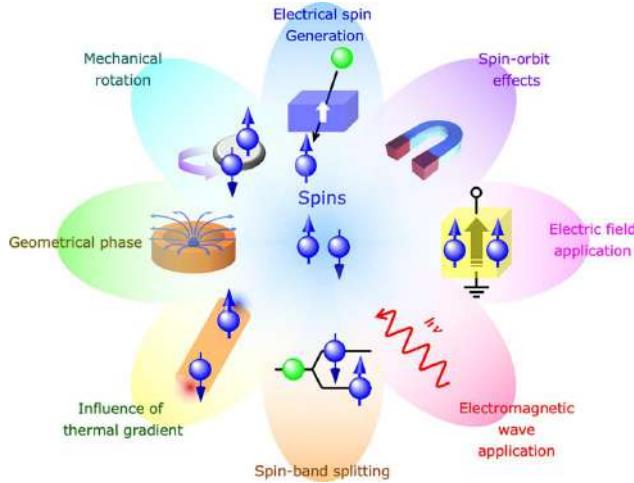
## Flow



Momentum



# Perfect Fluid

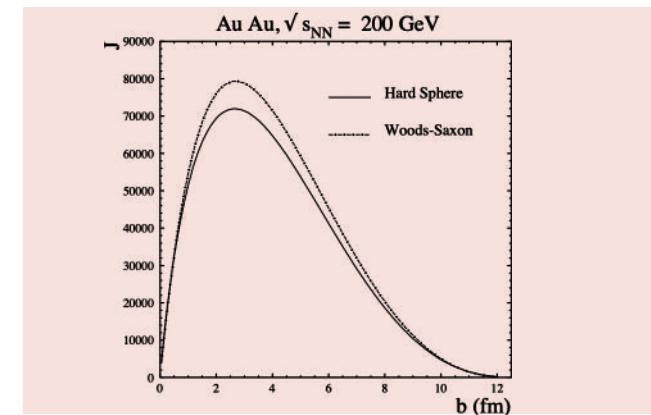
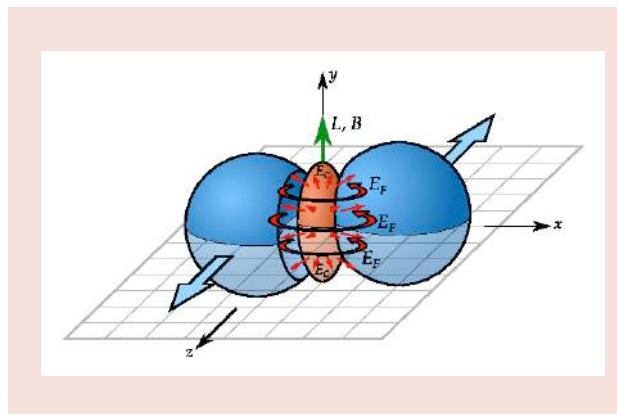
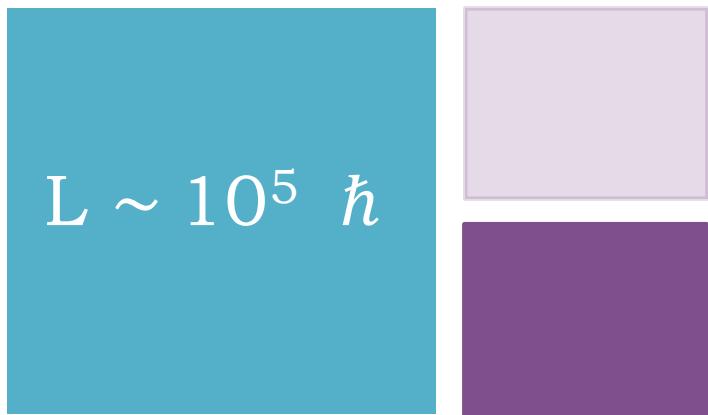
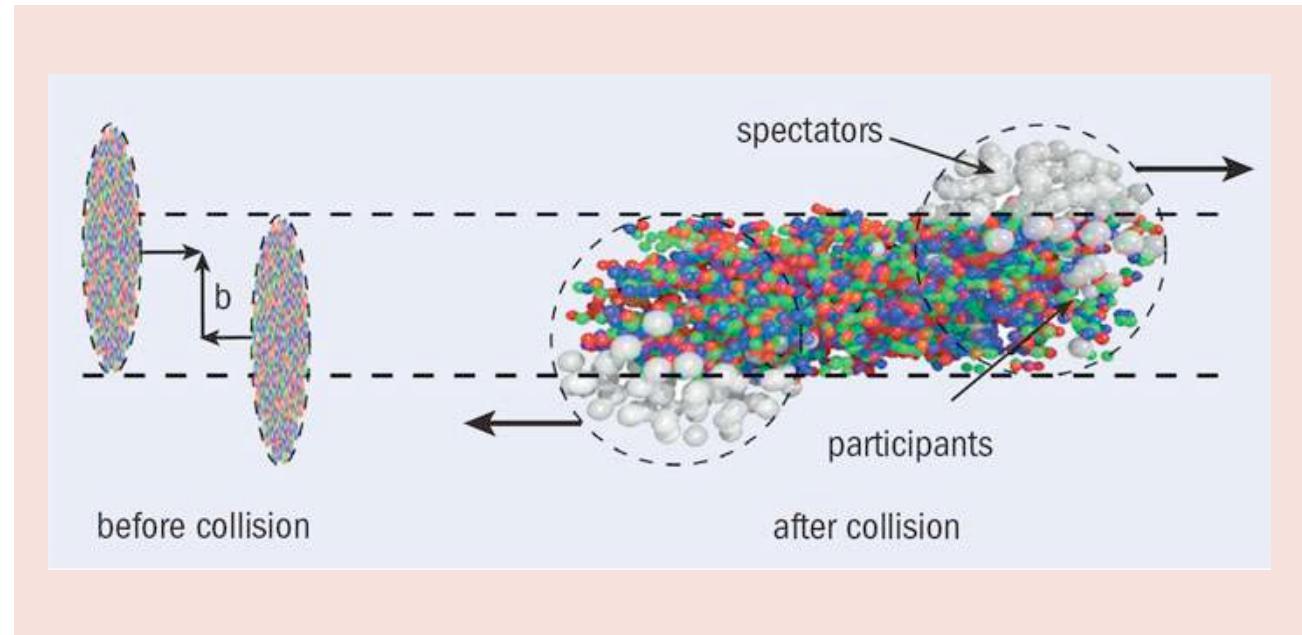


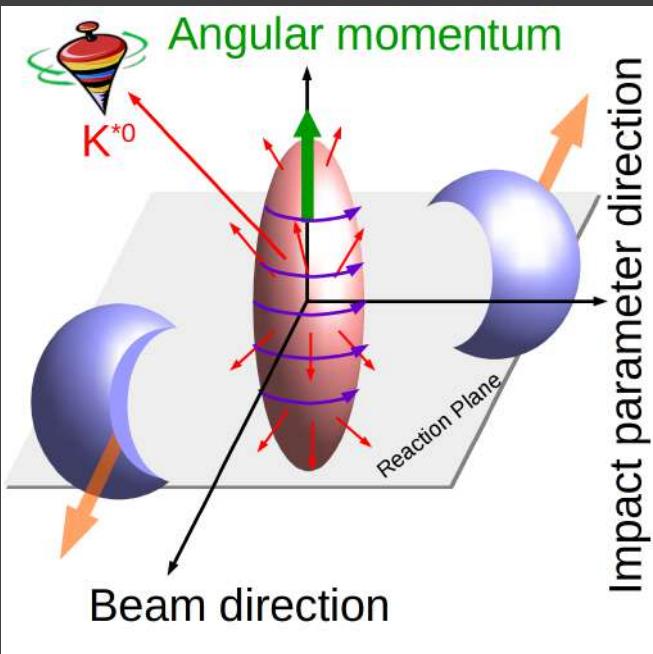
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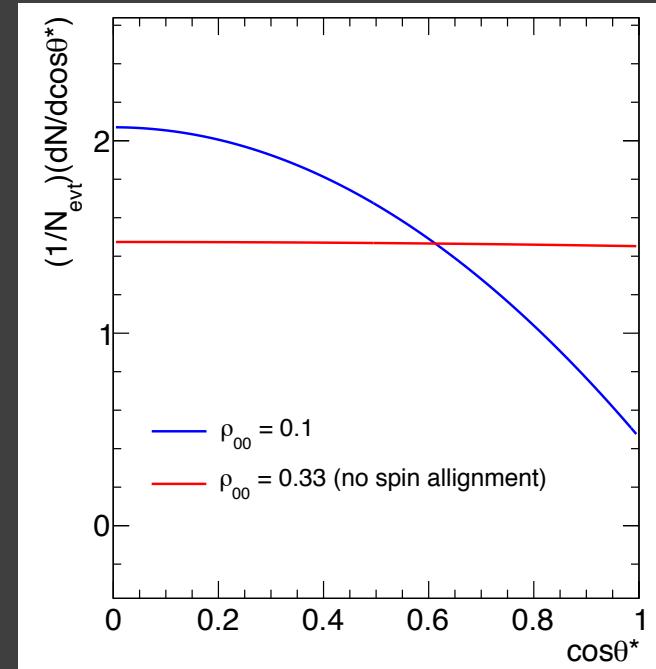
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# Large Angular Momentum

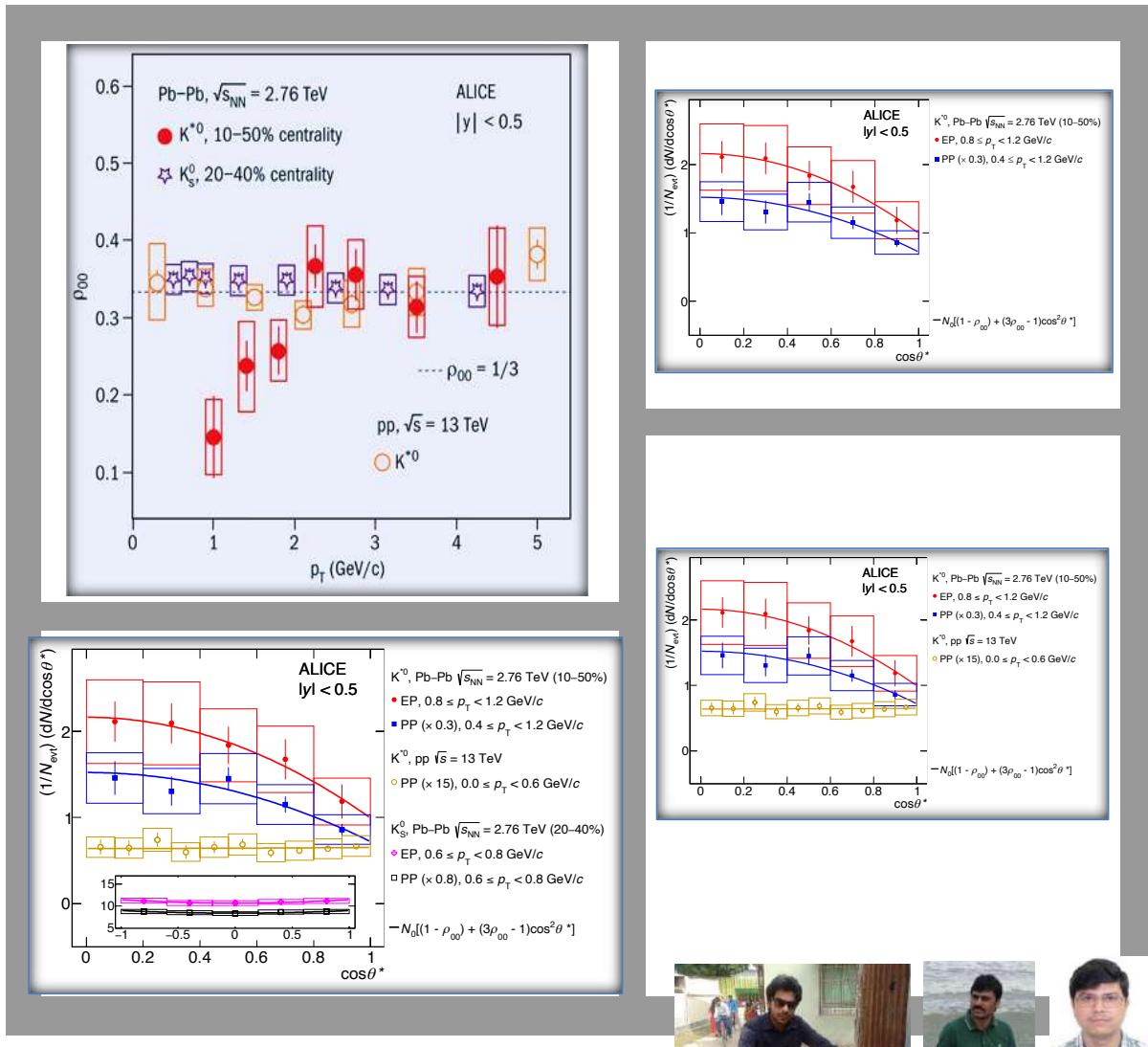




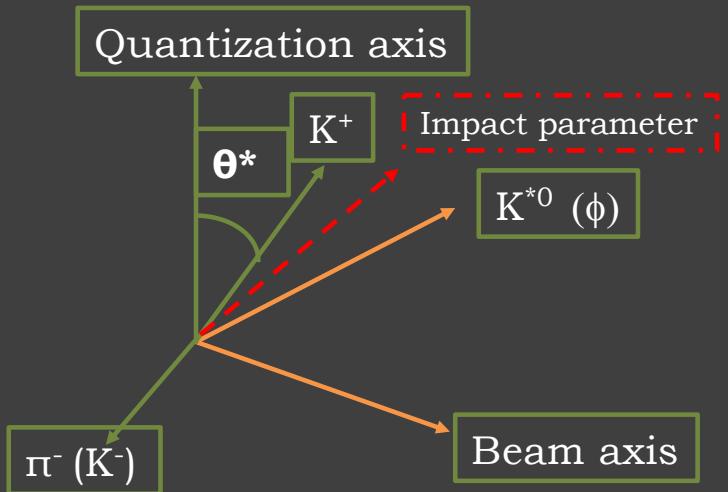
$$\frac{dN}{dcos\theta} = N_0 [1 - \rho_{0,0} + cos^2\theta (3\rho_{0,0} - 1)]$$



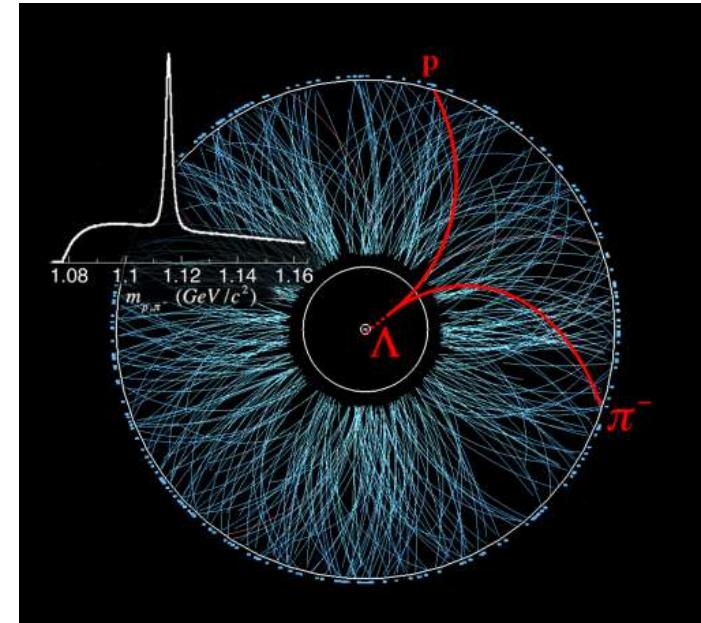
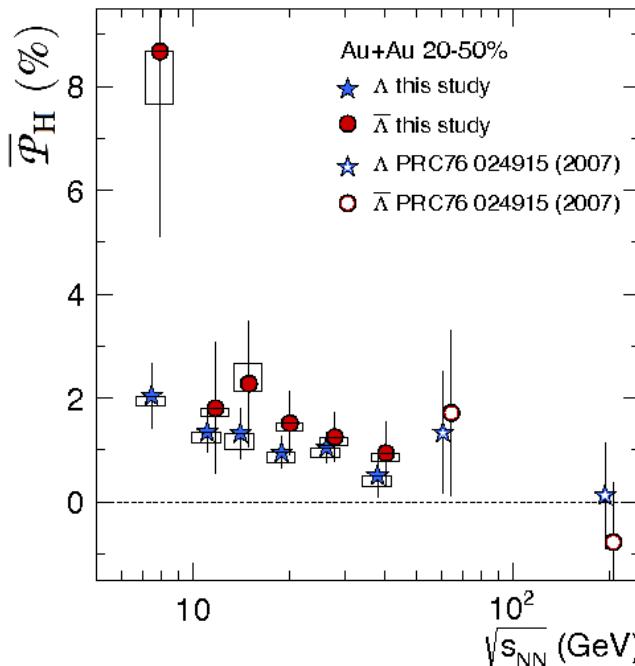
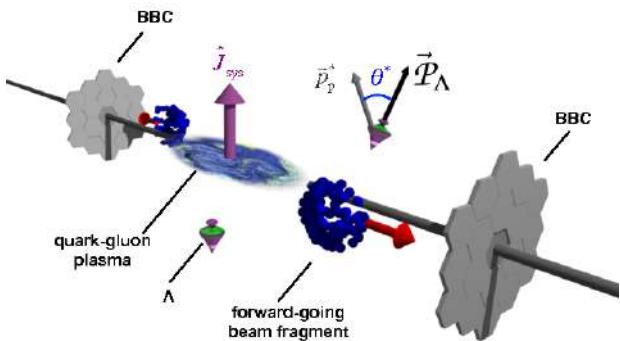
# Finding spin-orbit interactions in QCD matter



# Angular distribution of vector mesons



$$\frac{dN}{d\cos\theta^*} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \alpha_H |\vec{P}_H| \cos\theta^* \right)$$



$$\omega = k_B T (\overline{\mathcal{P}}_{\Lambda'} + \overline{\mathcal{P}}_{\bar{\Lambda}'}) / \hbar$$

Most vortical fluid

$10^{21} (\text{second})^{-1}$

# Perspective on vorticity



vorticity  $\omega = \text{curl } \mathbf{u}$

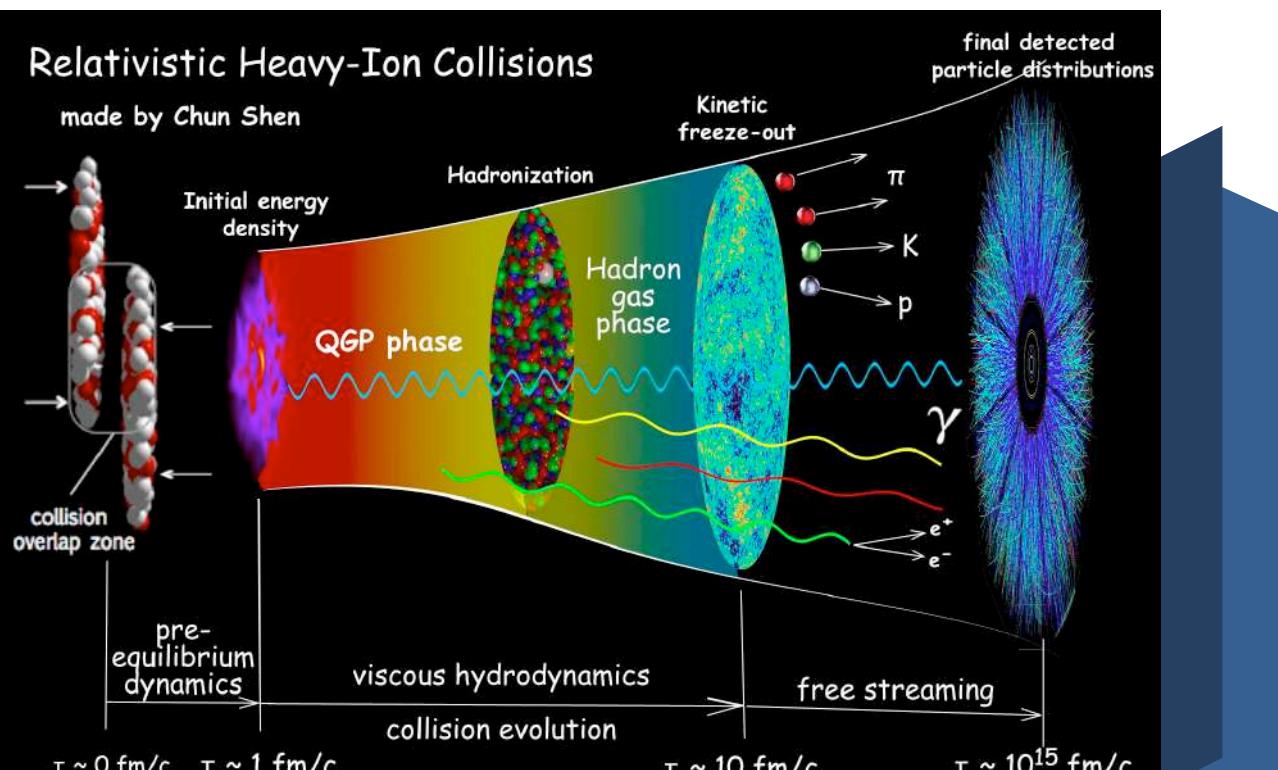


Several fluids  $< 10^3 \text{ (second)}^{-1}$

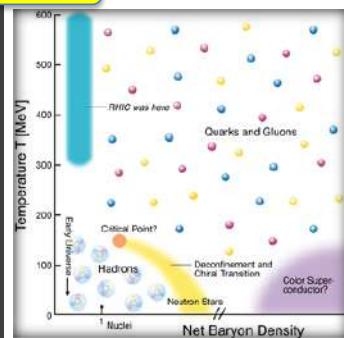
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## Relativistic Heavy-Ion Collisions

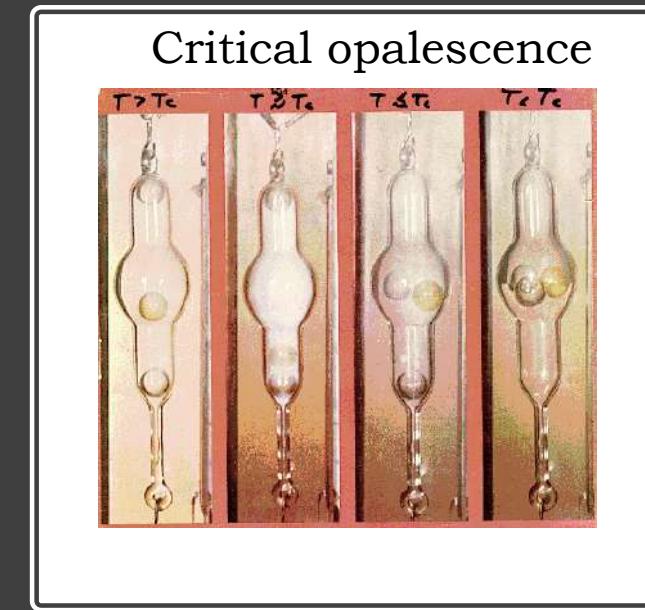
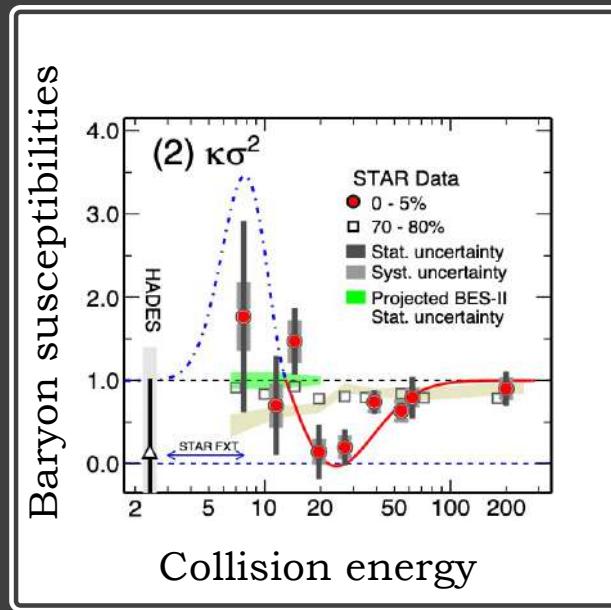
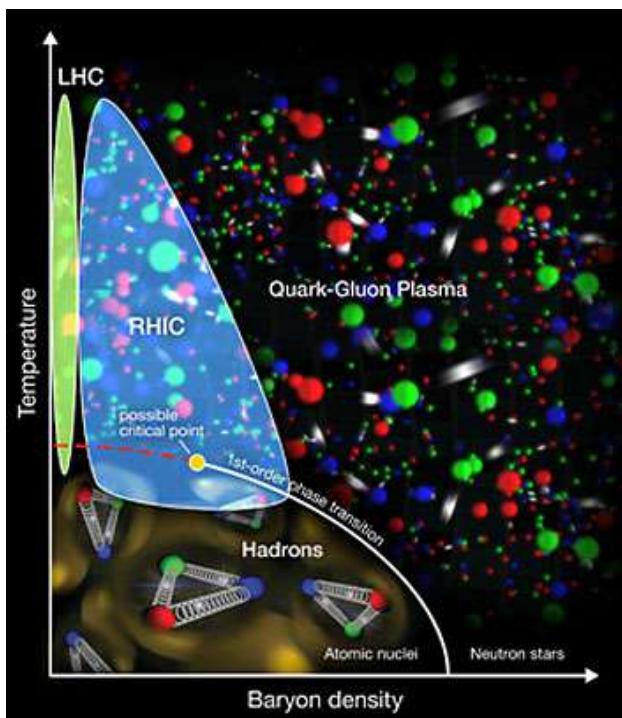
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We understand  
the evolution  
after mini-Bang



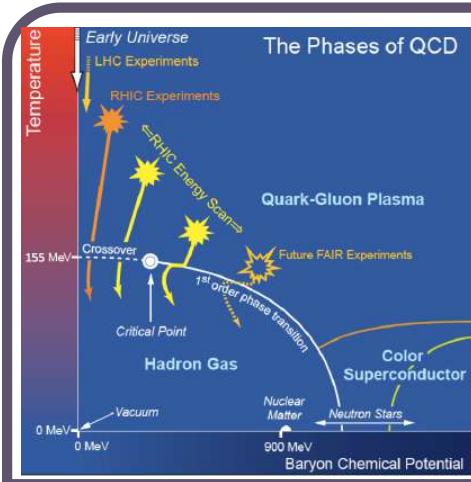
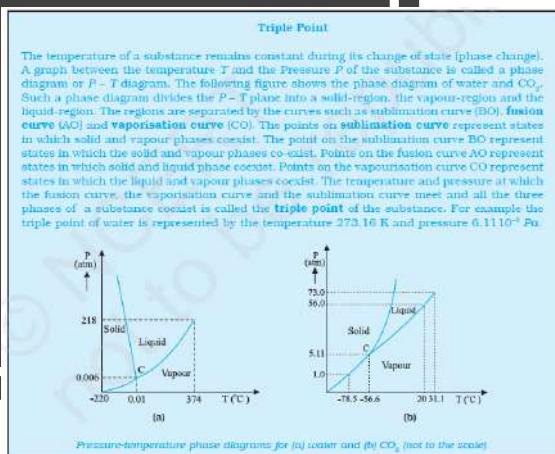
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Perfect fluid  
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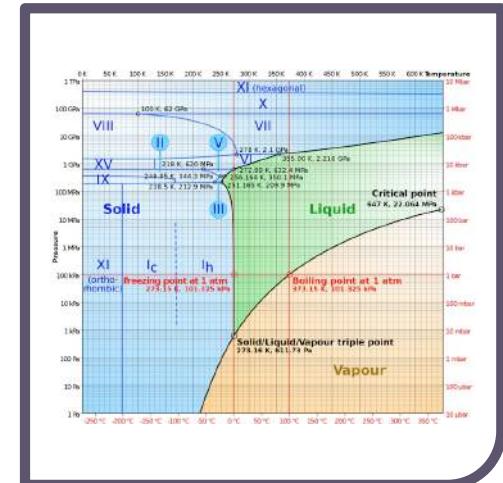
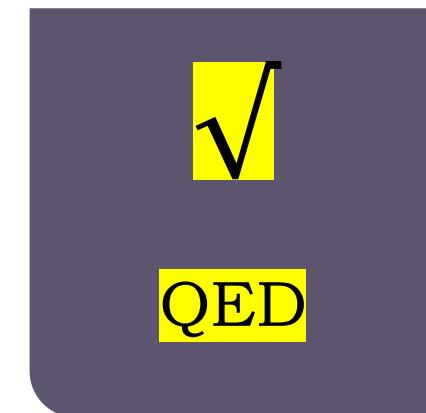
Miles to go before we  
sleep ...



# Phase diagram of matter on the way to textbooks



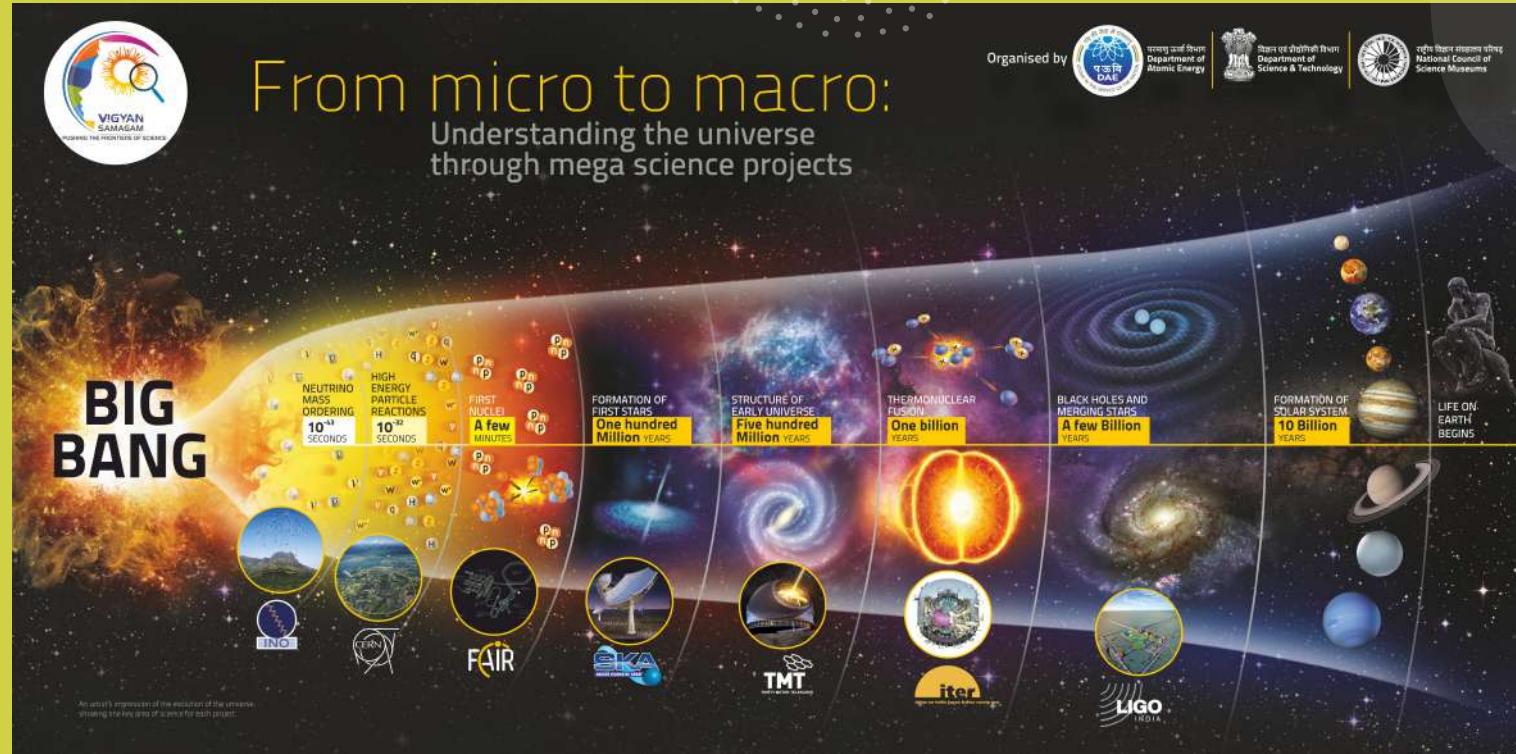
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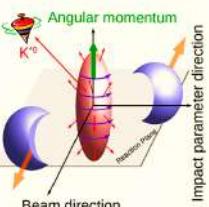
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Come join !



*Thank you*

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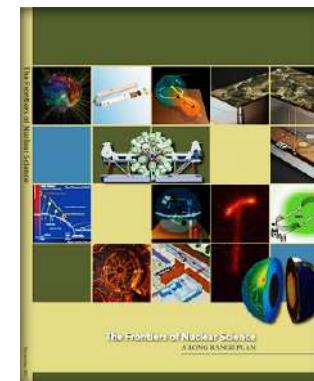
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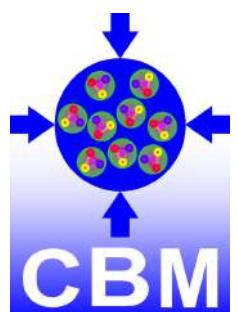
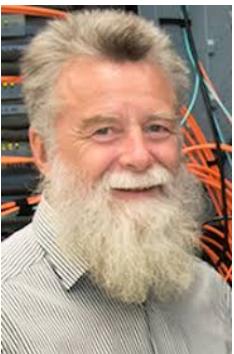
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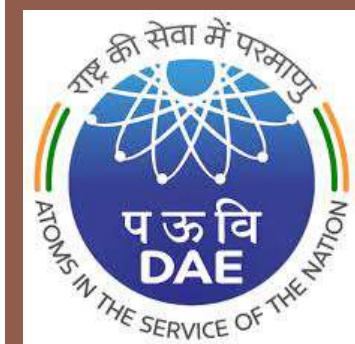
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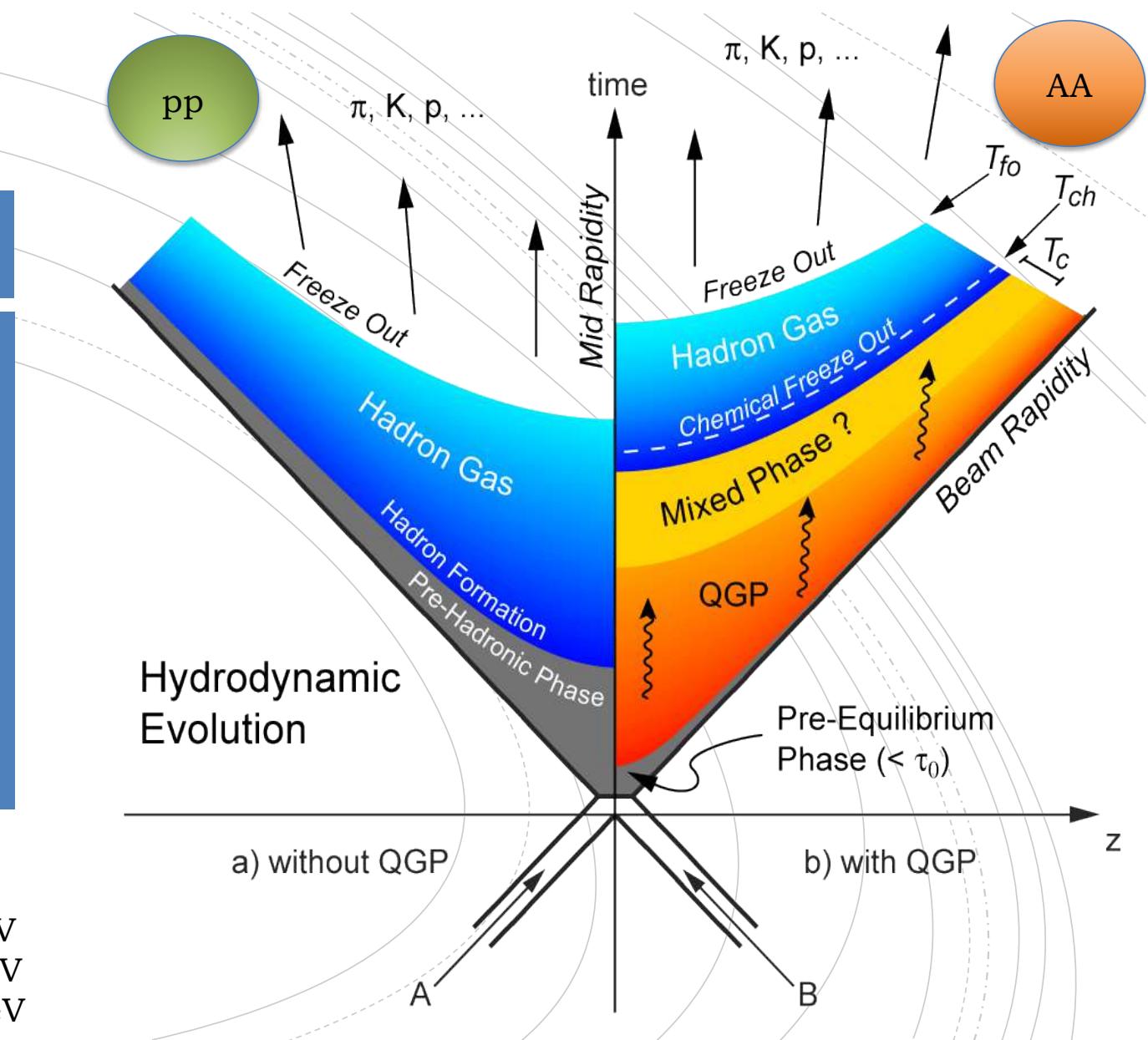
<h3>Weak Nuclear Force</h3> <p><b>Converting protons into neutrons</b> When two protons collide and fuse, a disruption in the weak nuclear force emits a positron and neutrino, which converts one of the positively charged proton to a neutrally charged Neutron. Without the weak nuclear force converting protons into neutrons, certain complex nuclei cannot form.</p> <p><b>Releasing radiation</b> Heavy atoms have an imbalance of protons and neutrons, so the weak nuclear force converts protons to neutrons releasing radiation.</p>	<h3>Gravity</h3> <p><b>Adding motion to the Universe</b> Gravity forms stars, planets, and moons, and forces these objects to spin on an axis and move along an orbital path. The planets appear to be orbiting the center of the Sun, but the Sun and planets all orbit a shared center of mass. Planets with enough mass can develop orbiting moons or rings of debris.</p> <p><b>Creating energy</b> Gravity is the force that creates pressure and fusion energy in the core of stars allowing them to burn for millions of years.</p>
<h3>Electromagnetic Force</h3> <p><b>Forming atoms and molecules</b> The electromagnetic force pulls negatively charged electrons into bound orbits around positively charged nuclei to form atoms and molecules. As a gas cools, electrons will find their way into the presence of atomic nuclei. Larger nuclei with a greater positive charge pull in more electrons until atoms and molecules have a balance of charges.</p> <p><b>Generating light</b> When a negative electron interacts with a positive proton, the electromagnetic force adds energy to the electron generating a photon.</p>	<h3>Strong Nuclear Force</h3> <p><b>Binding protons in atomic nuclei</b> Positively charged particles naturally repel each other, it takes an extreme amount of force to hold protons together. The strong nuclear force overcomes the repulsion between protons to hold together atomic nuclei. Without the strong nuclear force, complex nuclei cannot form.</p> <p><b>Breaking the bond</b> Enormous energy is released as gamma rays and neutrinos when the strong nuclear force is broken between protons and neutrons.</p>
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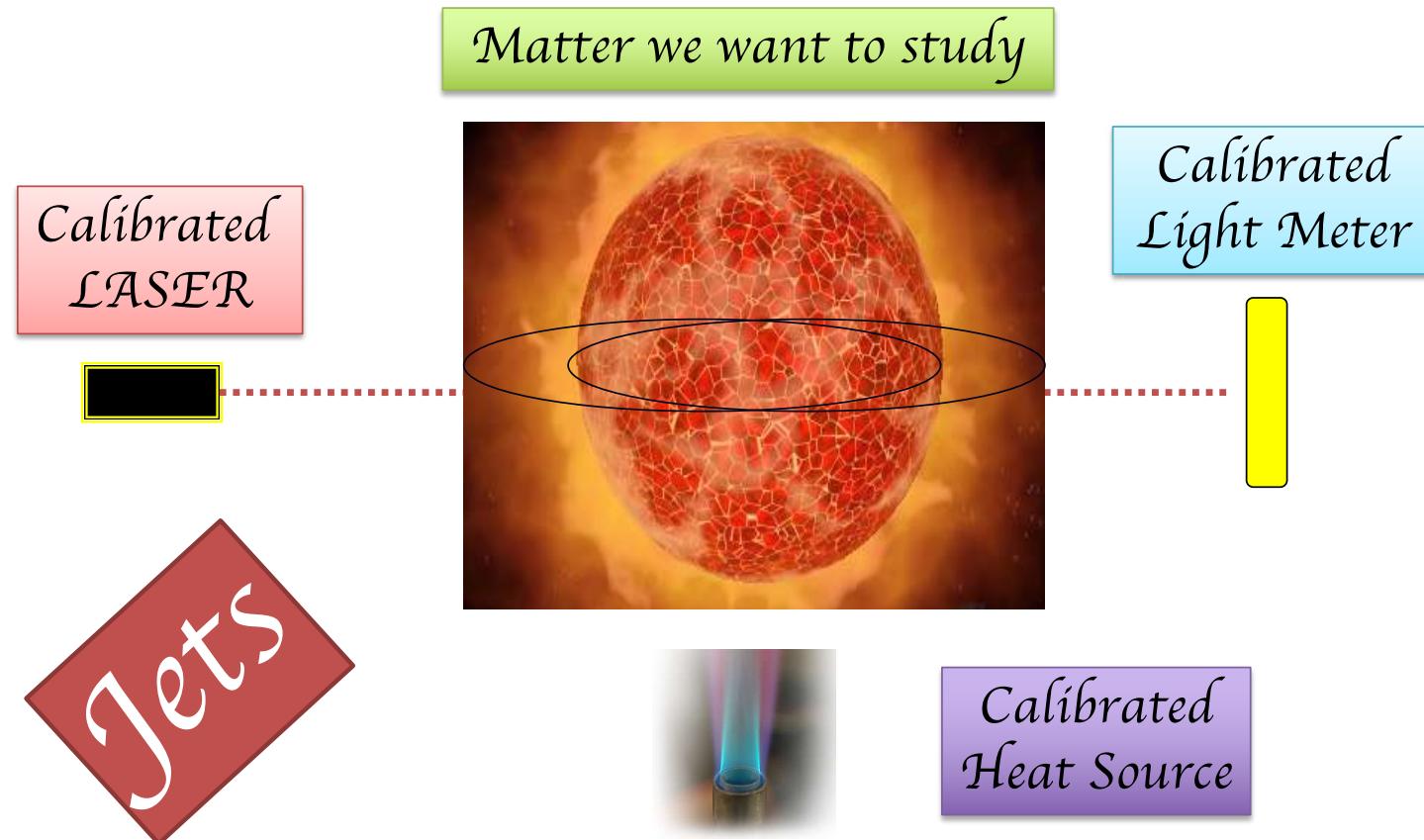
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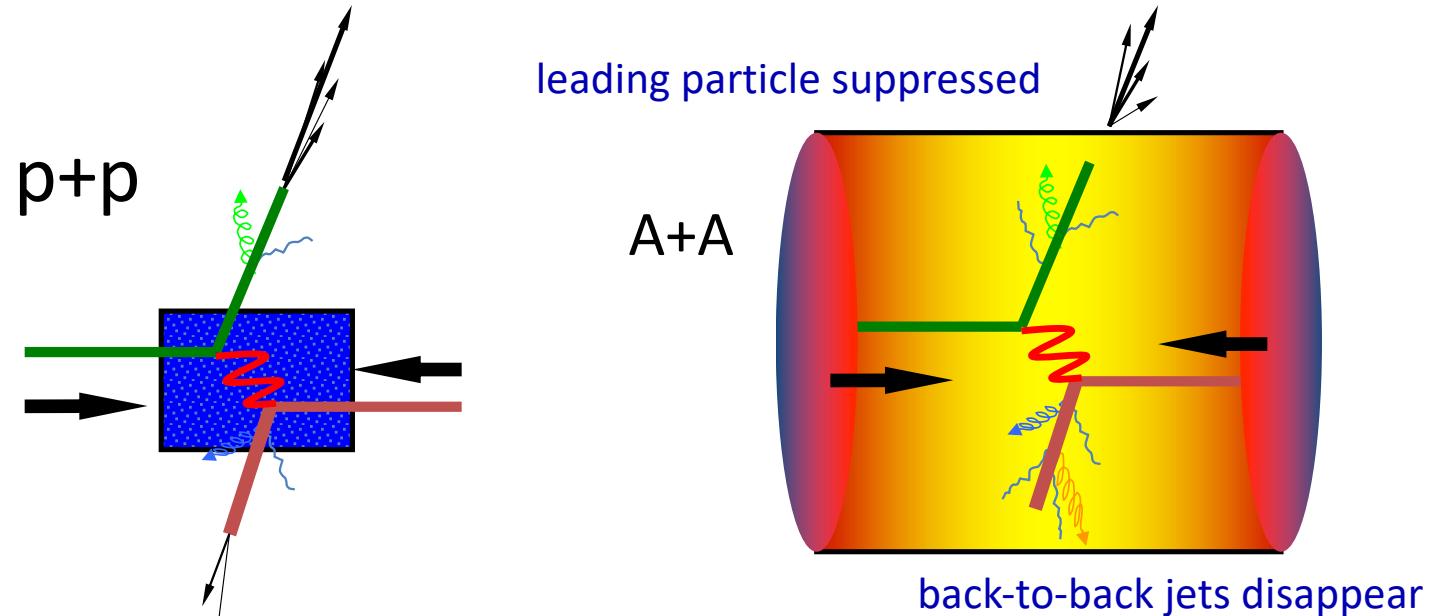
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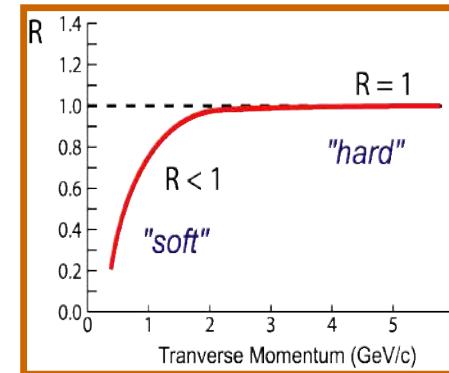


# Quenching of Jets



Nuclear Modification Factor:

$$R_{AA}(p_T) = \frac{1}{T_{AA}} \frac{d^2 N^{AA} / dp_T d\eta}{d^2 \sigma^{NN} / dp_T d\eta}$$

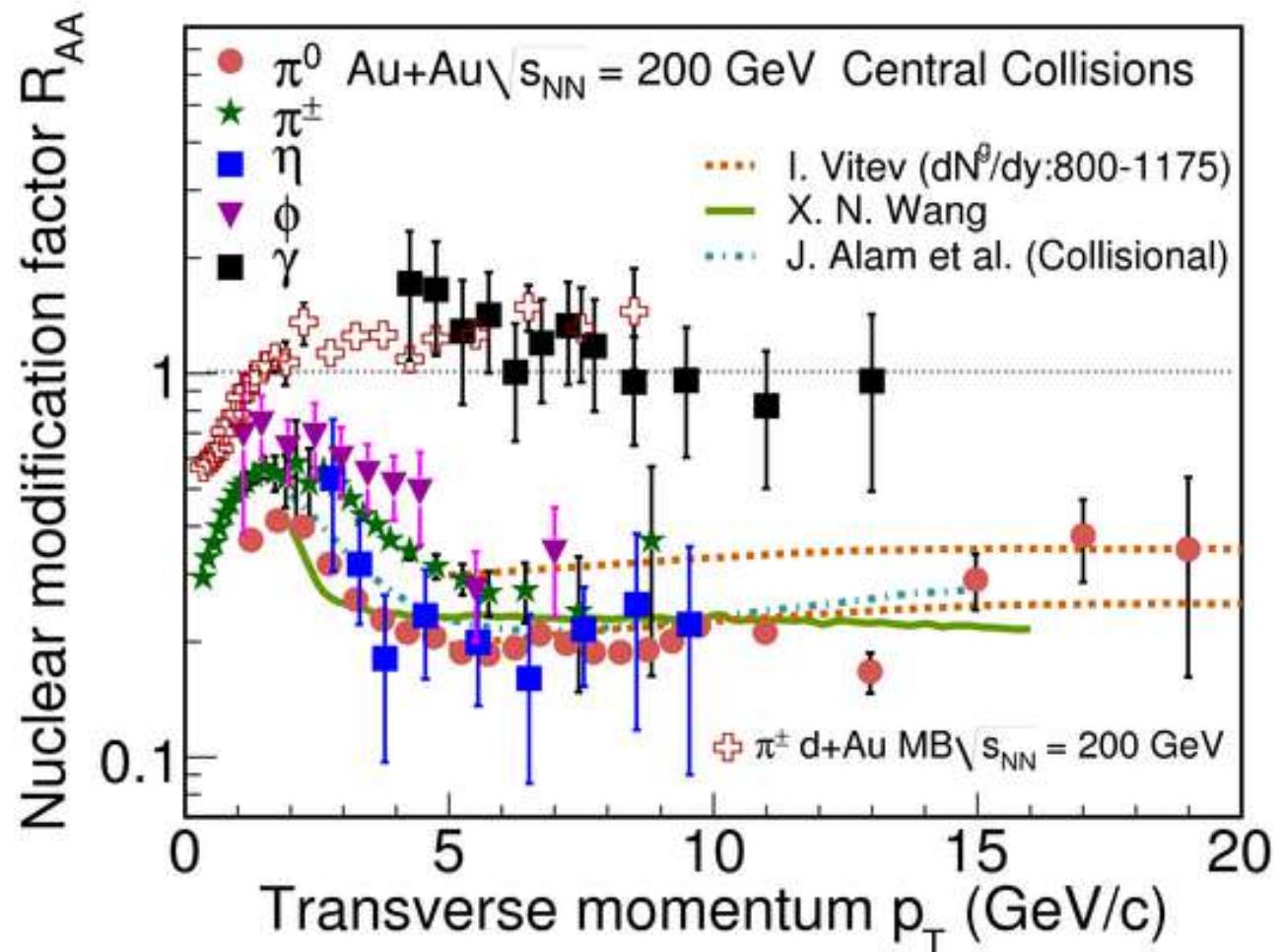


High  $p_T$  hadron production suppressed

## Experimental evidence of Quenching of Jets $\equiv$ *Energy loss of quarks and gluons in dense medium*

- 1) Photons are not suppressed
- 2) No suppression in d+Au collisions

$\varepsilon_{\text{initial}} > \varepsilon_C$   
(Lattice)



	mass → ~2.3 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	~1.275 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	~173.07 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	0	~126 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>
charge →	2/3	2/3	2/3	0	0
spin →	1/2	1/2	1/2	1	0
	u	c	t	g	H
QUARKS	up	charm	top	gluon	Higgs boson
	~4.8 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	~95 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	~4.18 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	0	
-1/3	d	s	b	0	
1/2	down	strange	bottom	1	
LEPTONS	e	μ	τ	γ	
0.511 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	105.7 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	1.777 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	91.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	photon	
-1	-1	-1	0		
1/2	electron	muon	tau	Z boson	
<2.2 eV/c <sup>2</sup>	<0.17 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	<15.5 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	80.4 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>		
0	0	0	±1		
1/2	electron neutrino	muon neutrino	tau neutrino	W boson	
				Gauge Bosons	

## PROPERTIES OF THE INTERACTIONS

Property	Interaction	Gravitational	Weak (Electroweak)	Electromagnetic	Strong	
		Mass – Energy	Flavor	Electric Charge	Fundamental	Residual
Acts on:		All	Quarks, Leptons	Electrically charged	Quarks, Gluons	Hadrons
Particles experiencing:		Graviton (not yet observed)	W <sup>+</sup> W <sup>-</sup> Z <sup>0</sup>	γ	Gluons	Mesons
Particles mediating:						
Strength relative to electromagnetism:						
for two u quarks at: 10 <sup>-19</sup> m		10 <sup>-41</sup>	0.8	1	25	Not applicable to quarks
3×10 <sup>-17</sup> m		10 <sup>-41</sup>	10 <sup>-4</sup>	1	60	
for two protons in nucleus: 10 <sup>-36</sup>		10 <sup>-36</sup>	10 <sup>-7</sup>	1	Not applicable to hadrons	20

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