Jet quenching in small systems a few seculative thoughts

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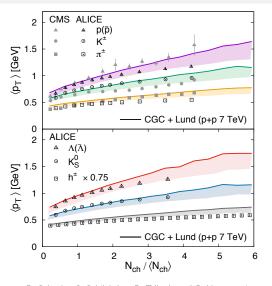








Particle correlations due to initial state?

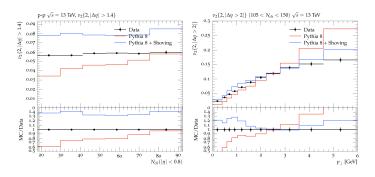


- initial state correlations à la CGC/glasma get imprinted on final state
- ► IP-Glasma
 - + classical YM
 - + PYTHIA hadronisation
- mass ordering of $\langle p_{\perp} \rangle$ comes out right
- ightharpoonup sizable v_2 in high multi pp
- no need for final state re-scattering

Particle correlations due to string interactions?

- lacktriangle soft particle correlations from string interactions ightarrow ANGANTYR
- e.g. shoving: overlapping strings repel each other
- ightharpoonup jets hadronise outside dense region ightarrow less affected

according to my naive understanding



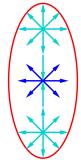
Bierlich, Chakraborty, Gustafson, Lönnblad, JHEP 03 (2021), 270 [arXiv:2010.07595]

Particle correlations due to escape mechanism?

- ightharpoonup can get sizable v_2 with $\mathcal{O}(1)$ interactions
- → escape mechanism
- Seen in kinetic theory Kurkela, Wiedemann, Wu, Phys. Lett. B 783 (2018) 274
 Kurkela, Mazeliauskas, Törnkvist, JHEP 11 (2021), 216 [arXiv:2104.08179]
- ► and AMPT

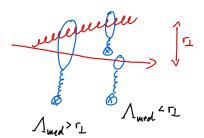
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- initially isotropic distribution
- but: locally anisotropic
- scattering: isotropises locally
- → global anisotropy

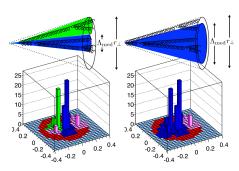


opacity for jets too low for sizable modifications?

Jet quenching suppressed by colour coherence?

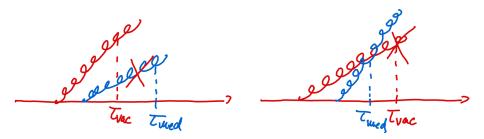


- medium cannot resolve small structures
- unresolved case: only total colour charge matters
- ightharpoonup early times: r_{\perp} small
- suppresses medium effects at early times



J. Casalderrey-Solana, Y. Mehtar-Tani, C. A. Salgado and K. Tywoniuk, Phys. Lett. B 725 (2013), 357-360 [arXiv:1210.7765]

Jet quenching suppressed by vacuum evolution?



- only emission with shorter formation time is realised
- at early times: vacuum like emissions have short formation time
- ▶ also suppresses energy loss at early times elastic energy loss still possible
- ► implemented in JEWEL