



Theory Summary

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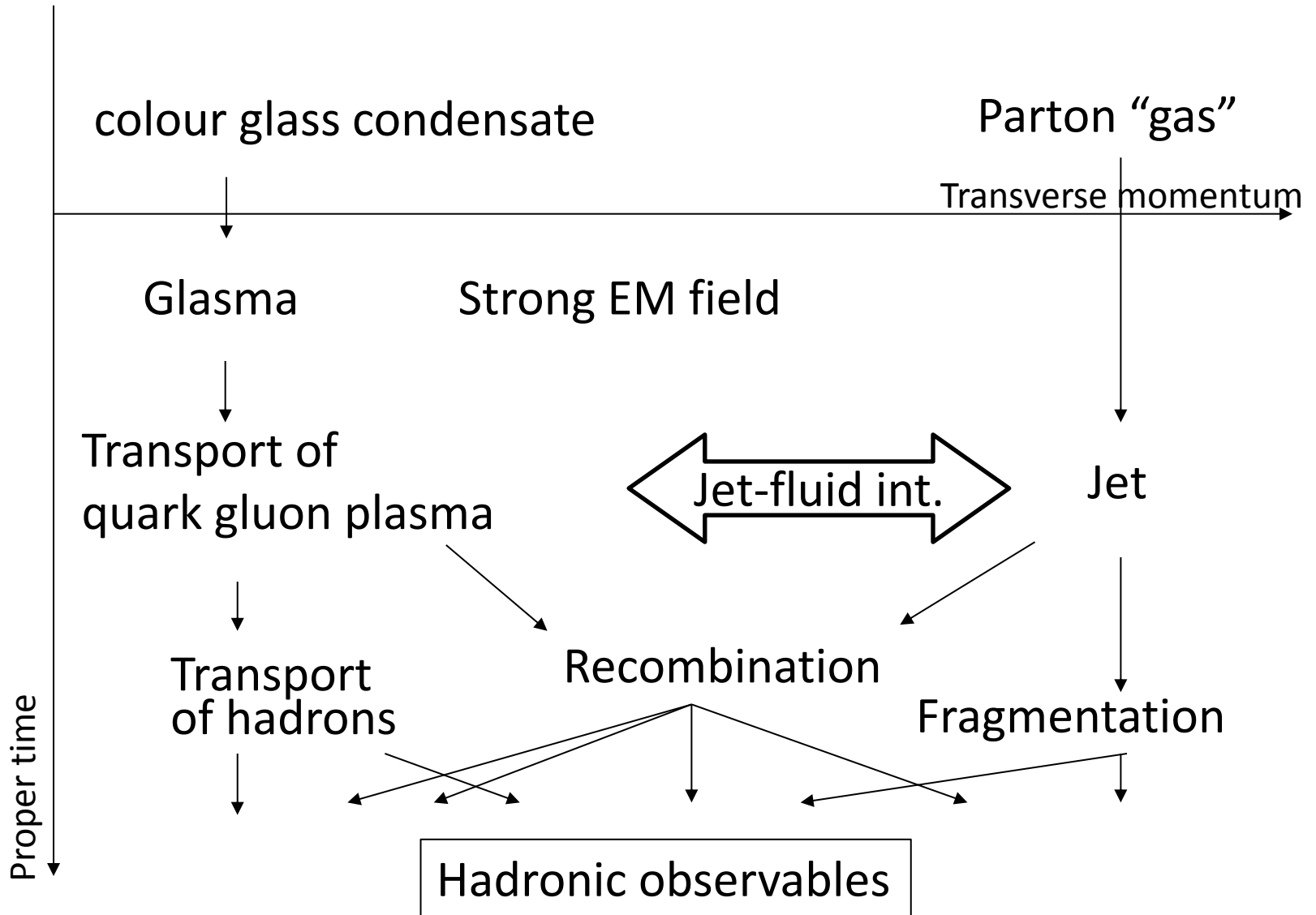


International Conference on the Initial Stages in High-Energy Nuclear Collisions
Illa da Toxa (Galicia-Spain), September 8-14, 2013

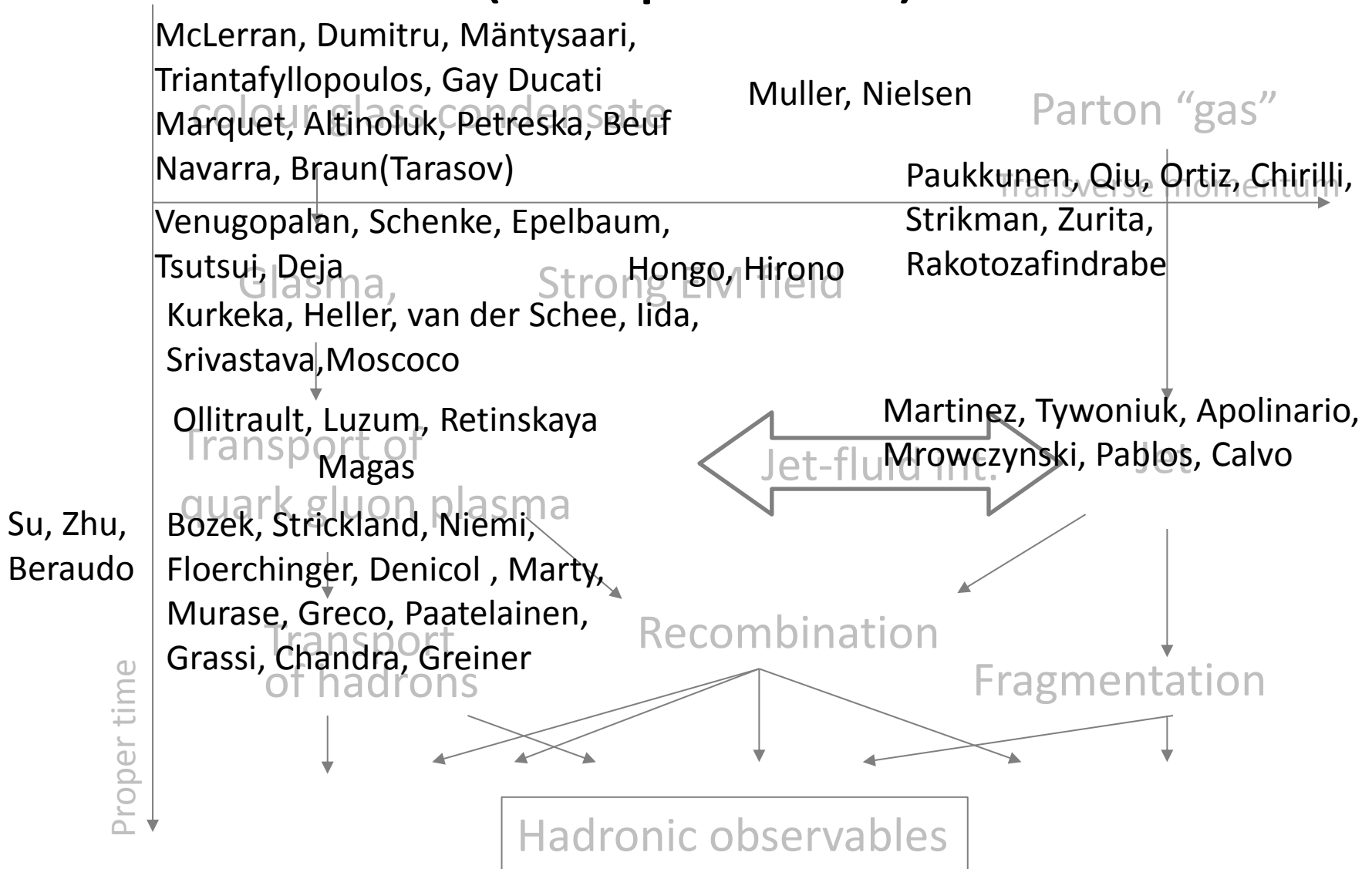
Before start

- Disclaimer...
 - 25 plenary and 33 parallel theory talks
 - Impossible to summarize all of them in 30 minutes
 - Highly biased summary
 - **Important:** Do not get angry ;-) if your work (from theory community) does not appear! This does not mean less important.

Schematic picture of H.I.C.

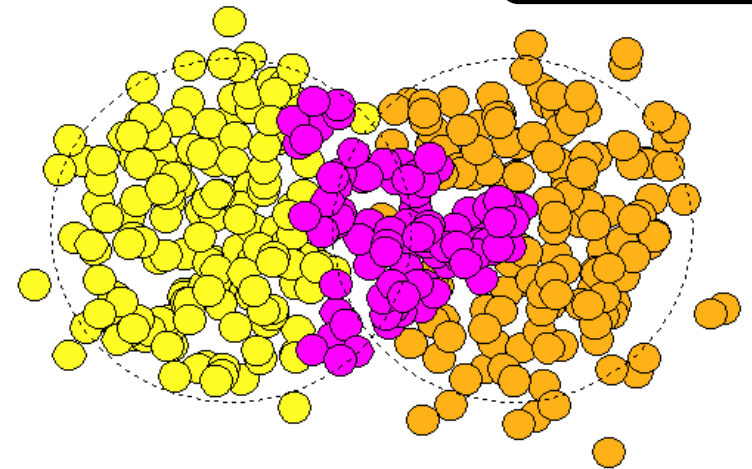
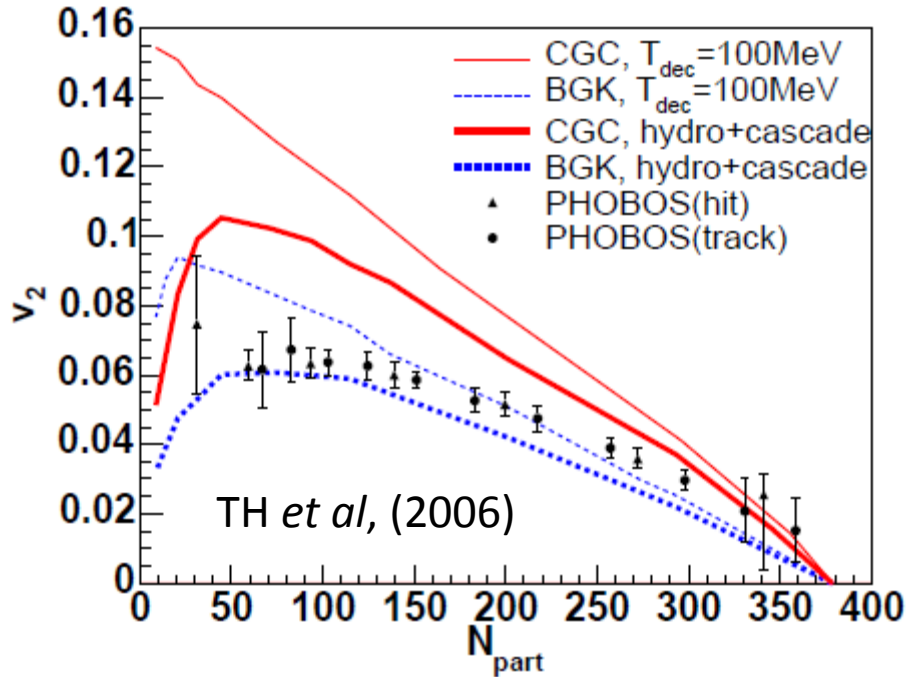


Theorist Map at IS2013 (58 speakers)



Two Results to Start with...

Roland



B. Alver and G. Roland (2010)

Hydro v_2 depends highly on initial model \rightarrow Perfect fluidity?

TH as an “iconoclast”

Larry called me a “trouble maker”.

ϵ_3 resolves ridge and Mach cone.
See also, Gyulassy et al. ('97)
and Aguiar et al. ('02-)

A part of the main reasons why we are here to discuss
“Initial Stages in high energy nuclear collisions”

Main Focus of the Conference

Color glass condensate

Nuclear PDF

Strong EM fields

Isotropisation

Thermalisation

Initial
Stages

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graph LR; A[Initial Stages] --> B[Final Observables]; subgraph A; A1[Color glass condensate]; A2[Nuclear PDF]; A3[Strong EM fields]; A4[Isotropisation]; A5[Thermalisation]; end; subgraph B; B1[Hydrodynamics]; B2[Transport theory]; end;
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Final
Observables

Hydrodynamics

Transport theory

Old and New Picture: Paradigm change?

~2005



- Reference, baseline



- Control experiment
- Initial state effects
- Cold matter effects



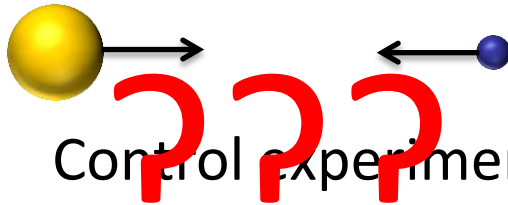
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- Final state effects
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2012-2013



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- Cold matter?



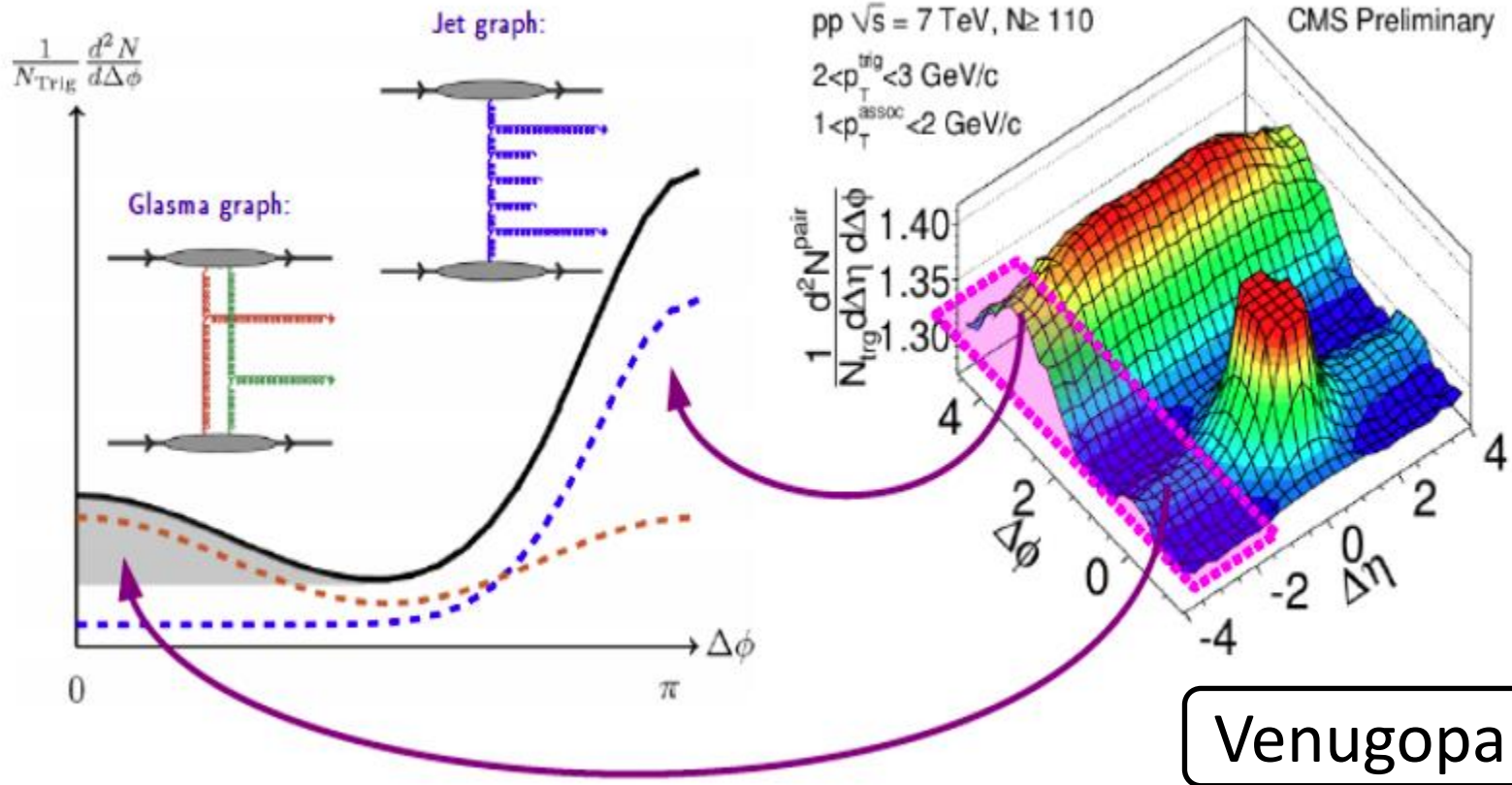
- QGP creation
- Final state effects
- Hot matter effects
- **Strong EM field effects**

P/D-A COLLISIONS

Purpose: To understand initial state

Outcome: Non-trivial final state effects?

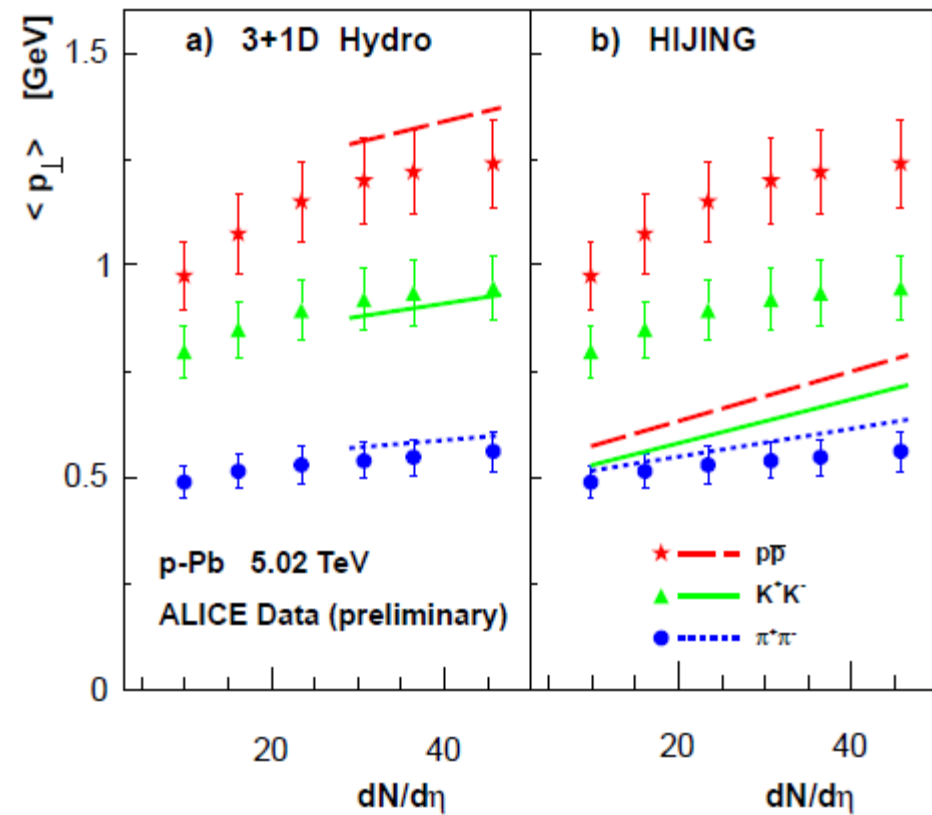
Interpretation from CGC



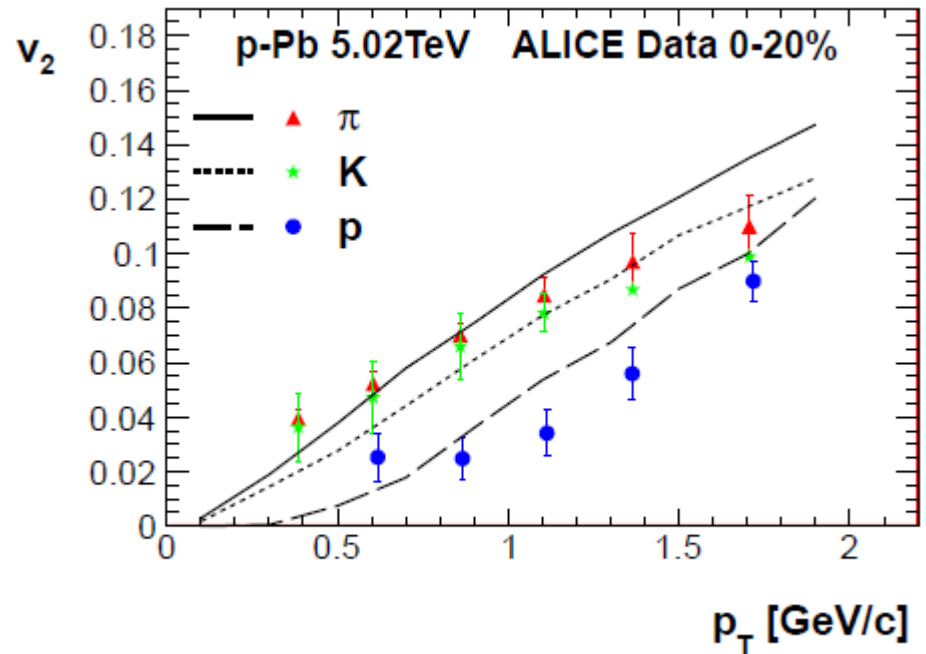
Mass Ordering in pA

Bozek

Radial flow



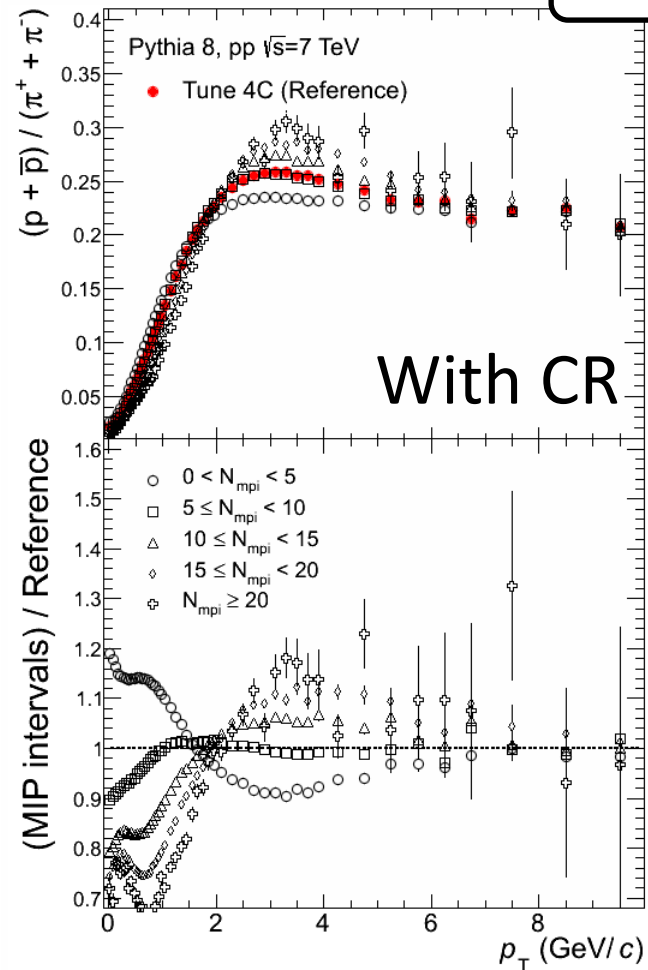
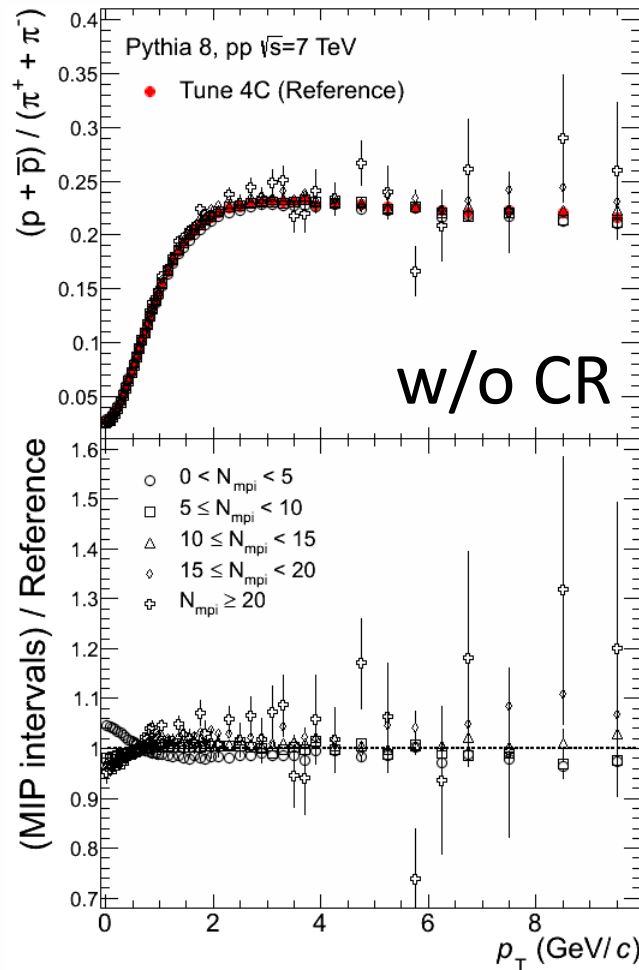
Elliptic Flow



Strong indication of collectivity in pA

Color Reconnection

Ortiz



Color reconnection option in PYTHIA apparently induces flow-like effect \rightarrow Ridge structure?

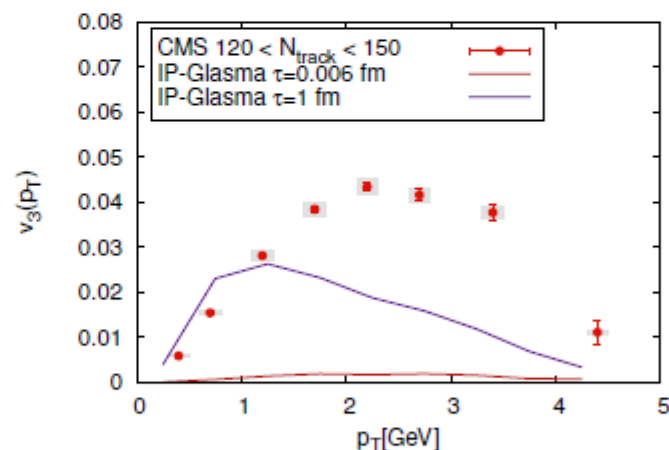
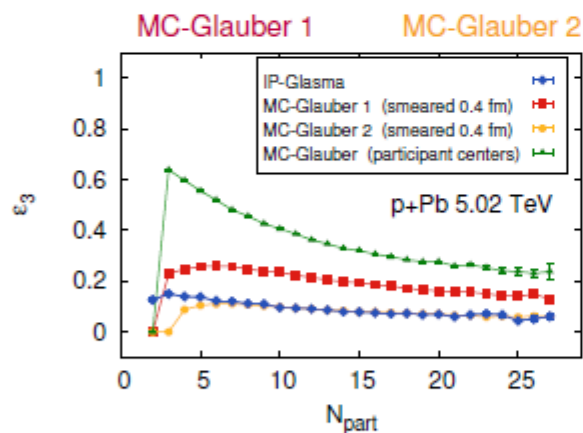
CGC or CGC+hydro ?

the question is not CGC or hydro, the question is CGC only, or CGC+hydro ?

- in the presence of the flow



one still needs to describe the nature and dynamics of the pre-hydro fluctuations, and the Glauber model is not enough anymore, QCD cannot be ignored



Bzdak, Schenke, Tribedy and Venugopalan (2013)

- other options to access the QCD momentum correlations ?
e+A collisions, and maybe p+A in the forward region

Interpretation of data using hydro

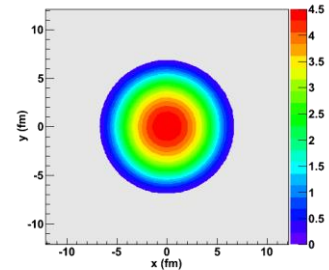
- Most of the people did not believe hydro description of the QGP (~ 1995)

coarse
graining
size

initial
profile

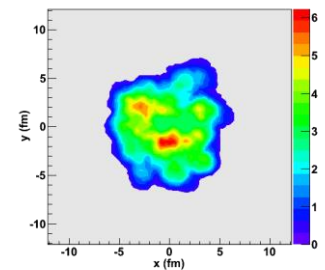
- Hydro at work to describe elliptic flow (~ 2001)

$d \approx 5 \text{ fm}$



- E-by-e hydro at work to describe higher harmonics (~ 2010)

$d \approx 1 \text{ fm}$



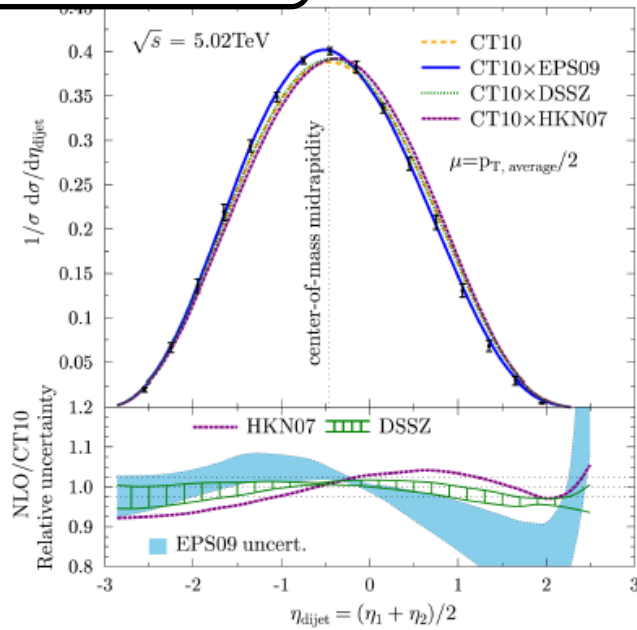
- Even in p+p and/or p+A?

$d \approx 1 \text{ fm?}$

?

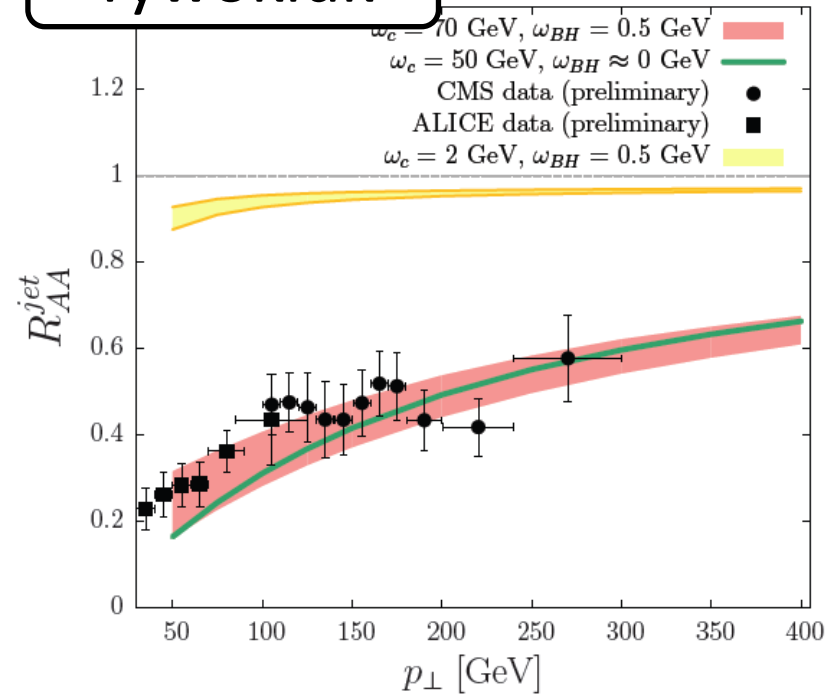
Hard Probes in pA

Paukkunen



Successful pQCD description of nuclei in DGLAP region

Tywokiuk



Almost no jet quenching in pPb

Talks by Qiu, Zurita, Rakotozafindrabe,...

**ISOTROPISATION, THERMALISATION,
ANISOTROPIC HYDRO**

Isotropisation/Thermalisation

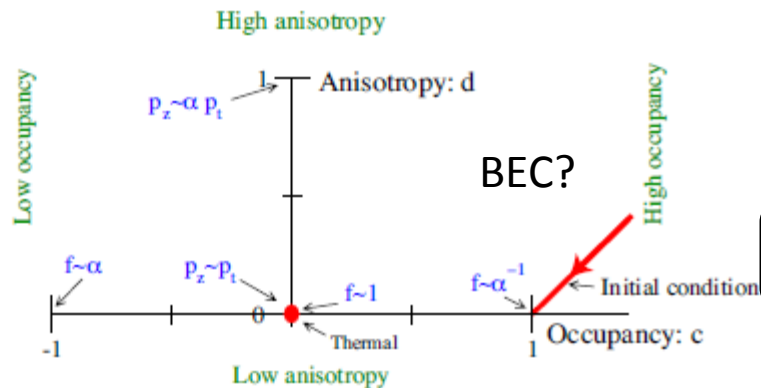
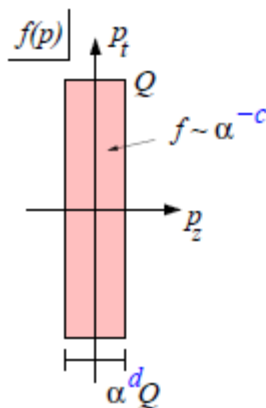
$$T^{\mu\nu} = \text{diag}(\epsilon(0^+), \epsilon, \epsilon, -\epsilon)$$

- Negative pressure
- Negative pdV work
- Energy stored in the system
- Something like an elastic body



$$T^{\mu\nu} = \text{diag}(\epsilon(\tau_{\text{iso/therm}}), P_T, P_T, P_L)$$

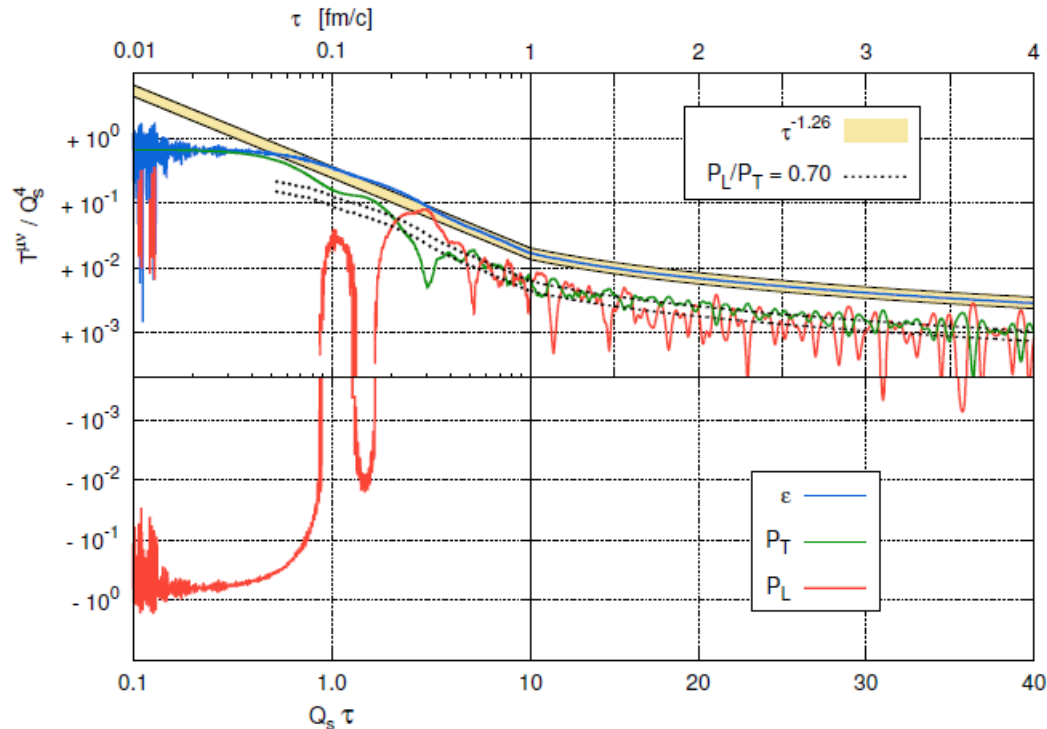
with $P_T \approx P_L$



Kurkela

Longitudinal and transverse pressure vs. proper time

Epelbaum

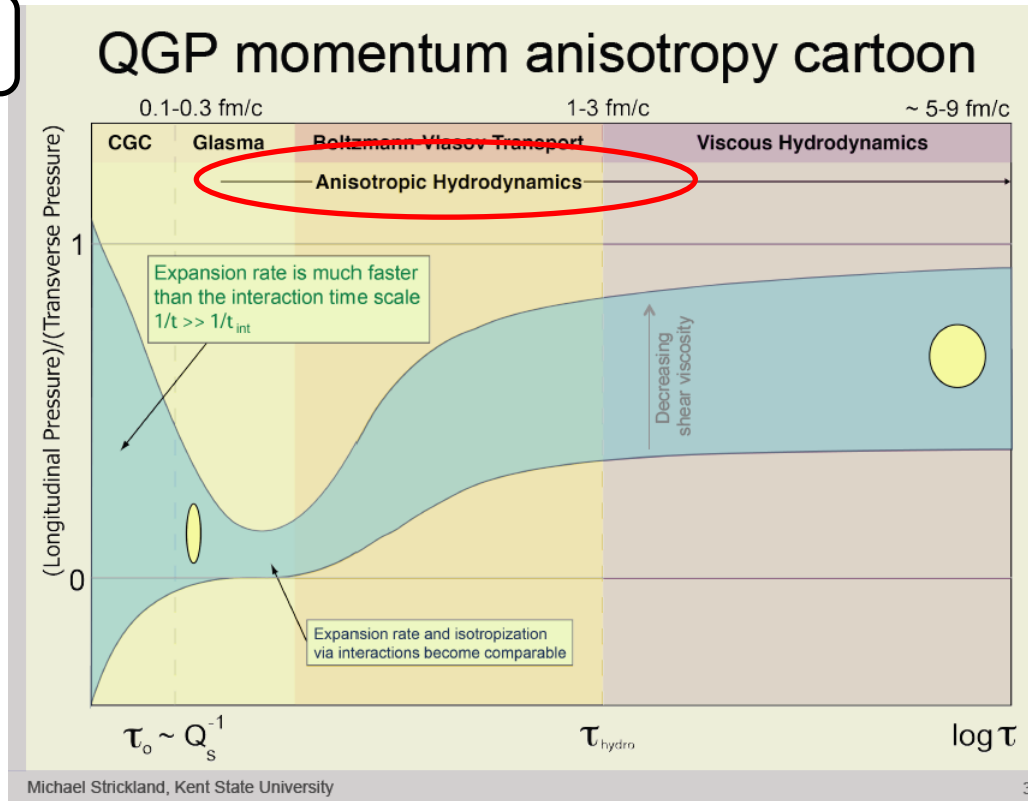


System reaches a hydrodynamic regime at $\sim \mathbf{0.4 \text{ fm/c!}}$
even for small coupling ($\alpha_s \sim 10^{-2}$)

Anisotropic Hydro

Anisotropic hydro can help to describe $P_T > P_L$

Strickland



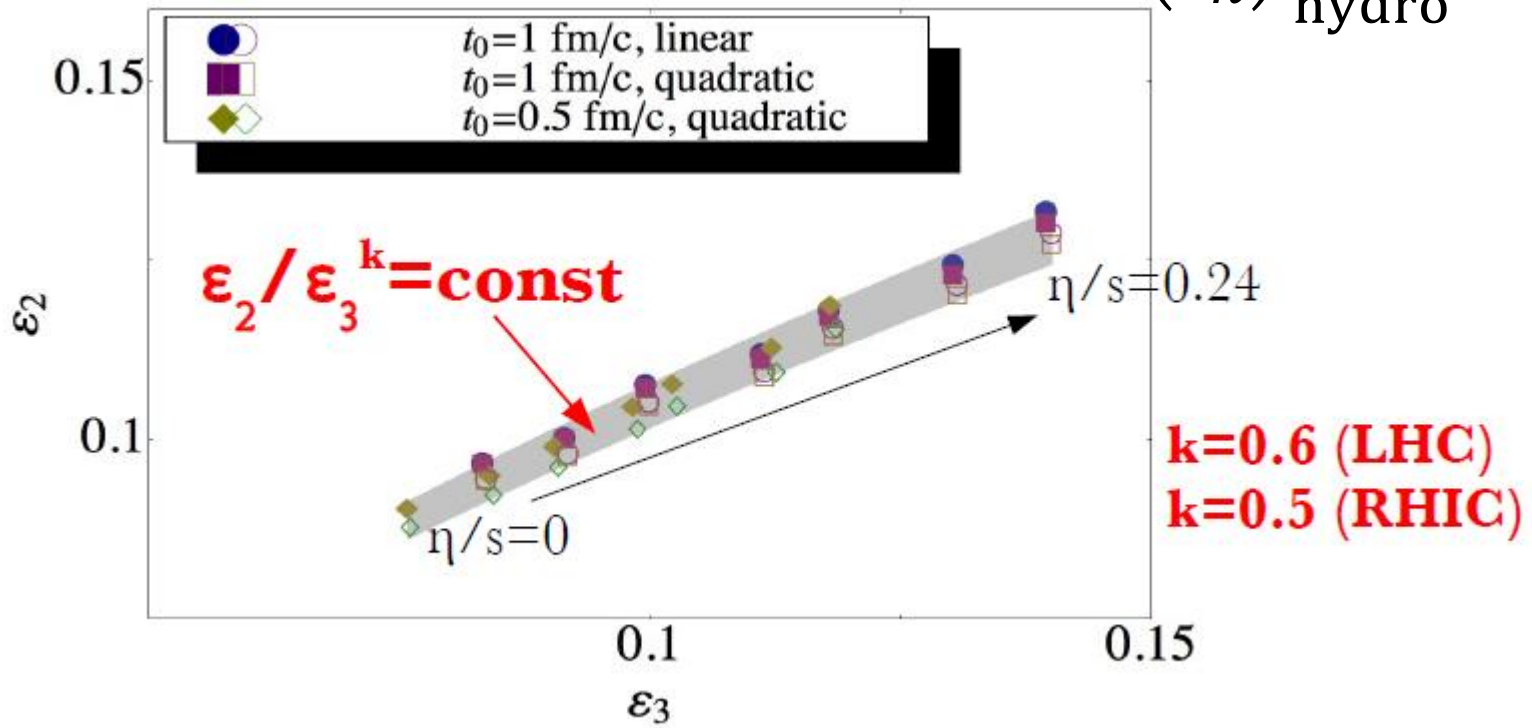
Applicability of hydro \rightarrow Extended to earlier stage

FLUCTUATION, FLUCTUATION, ...

Initial Fluctuation and Harmonics

Retinskaya

Inverse problem $v_n(\text{exp. data}) = \left(\frac{v_n}{\epsilon_n} \right)_{\text{hydro}} \epsilon_n$

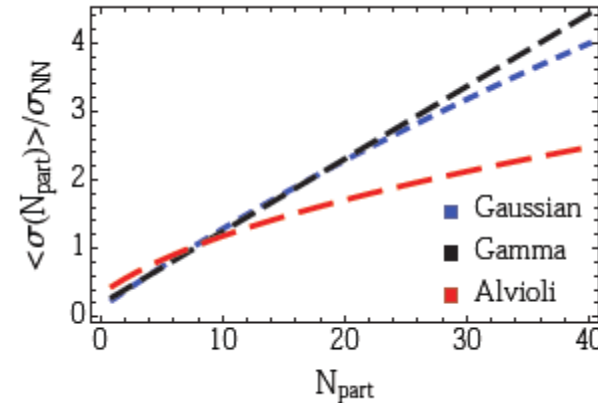
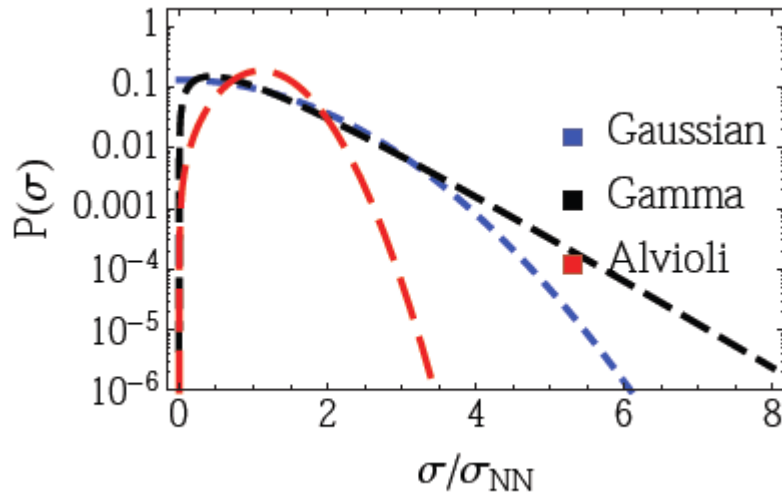


Talks by Ollitrault, Luzum, Retinskaya, Schenke, Niemi, Floerchinger, Marty,...

Fluctuation, fluctuation, ...

Mueller

Fluctuation of NN inelastic cross section \rightarrow “Fat” proton



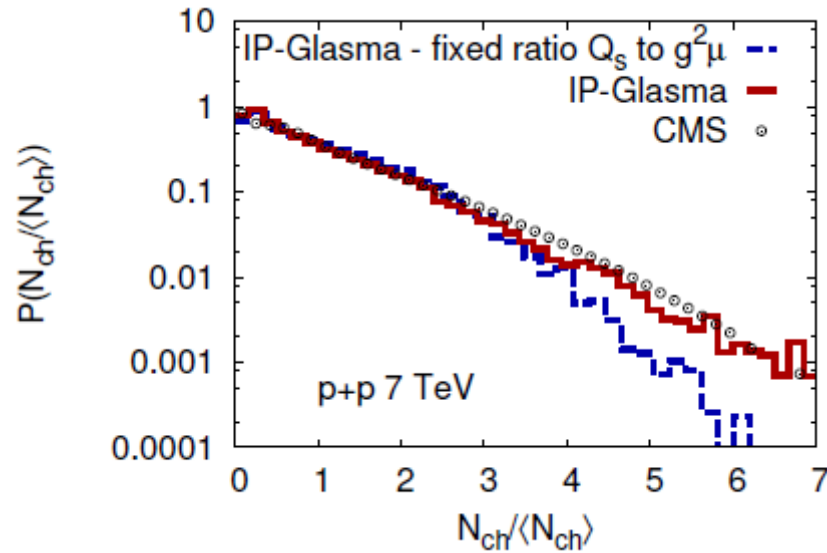
Large N_{part} and high multiplicity events

\rightarrow Sufficient deposited energy and reasonable gradient

\rightarrow Hydro applicable even in pp/pA collisions

Fluctuation, fluctuation, ...

Fluctuation of saturation scale



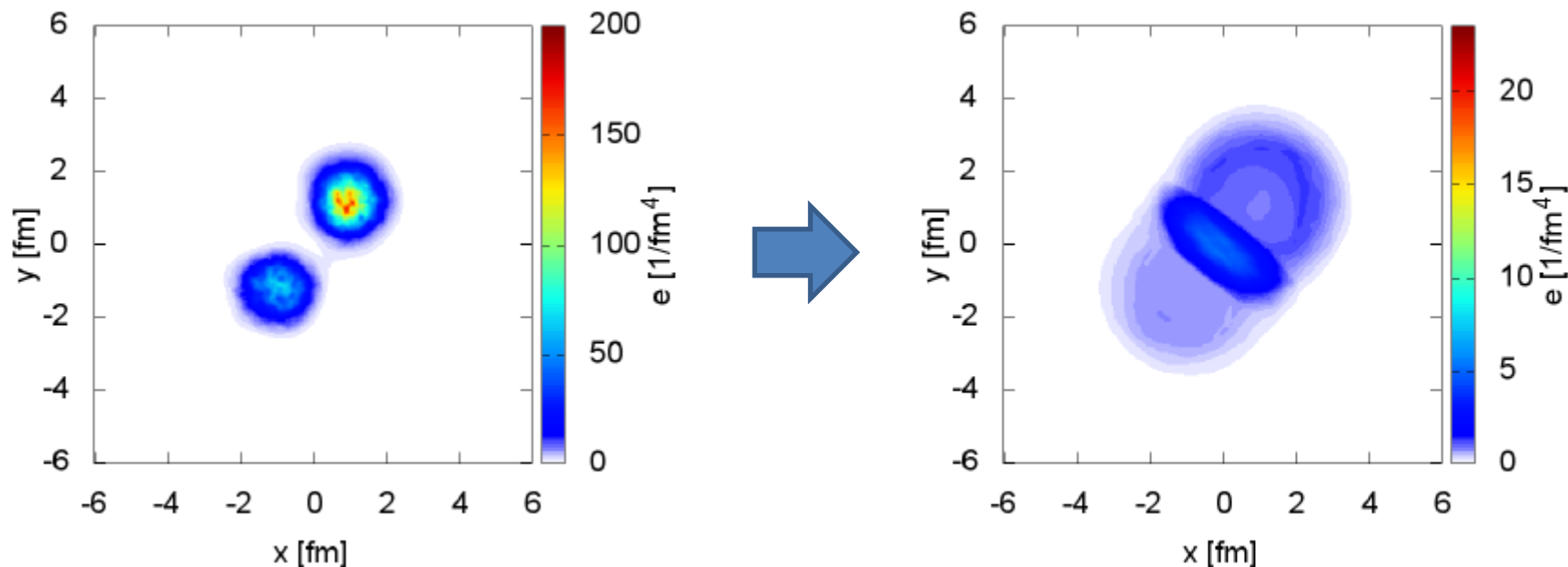
Schenke

→ Important in high multiplicity events in CGC

Fluctuation in quantum evolution: Dumitru, Triantafyllopoulos

Shock Wave in dA (and AA?)

Schenke



Squeeze-out in perpendicular direction?

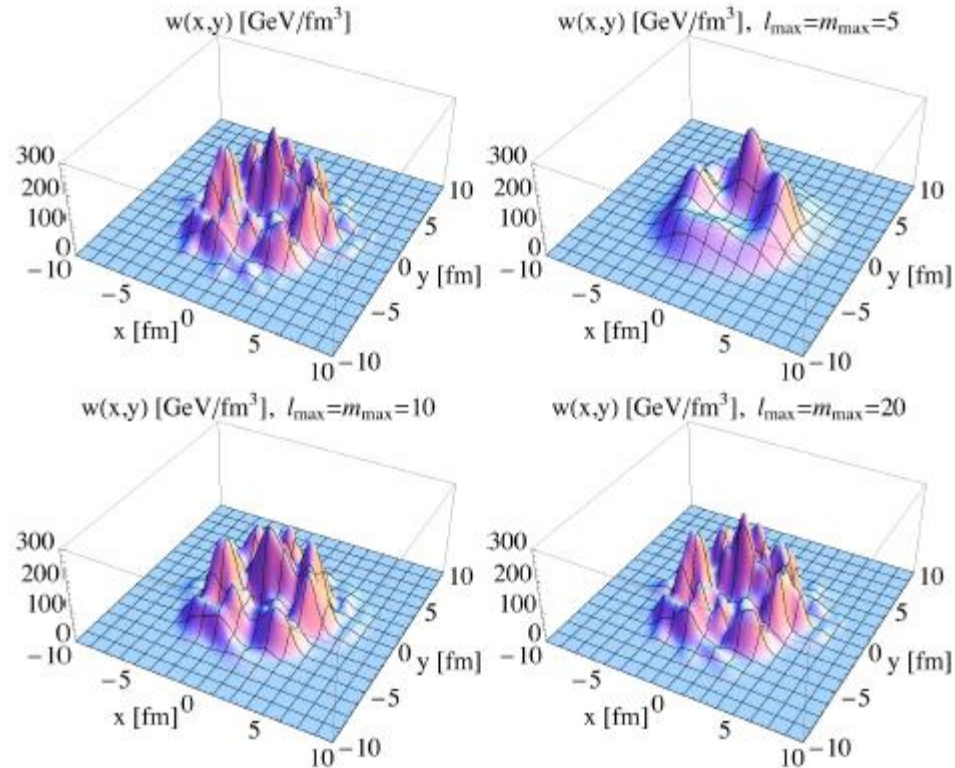
Any implication in observables?

See also, Volcano scenario: T.D.Lee, CU-TP-226 (1982)

Gyulassy, Rischke, Zhang, Nucl.Phys. A613 (1997) 397

Fluctuation, fluctuation, ...

Initial enthalpy fluctuation and its expansion in 2D space



Floerchinger

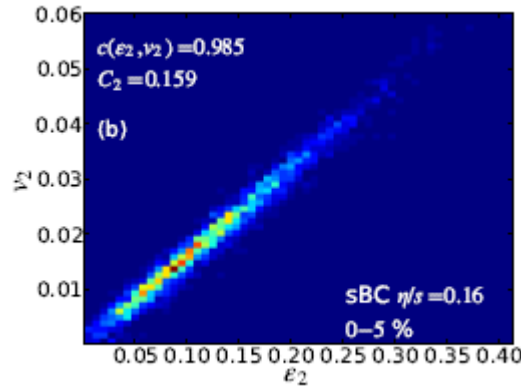
New technique:

“Perturbative” hydrodynamics/
background field method

Fluctuation, fluctuation, ...

Niemi

Final state



Initial state

$$v_2 \propto \varepsilon_2$$

Almost one-to-one mapping
in viscous hydro

See also, Ollitrault, Luzum, Retinskaya,...

Murase

Fluctuating causal hydro

$$\Pi(x) = \int d^4x' G_R(x, x') F(x') + \delta\Pi(x)$$

thermal
fluctuation

How much one-to-one mapping affected?

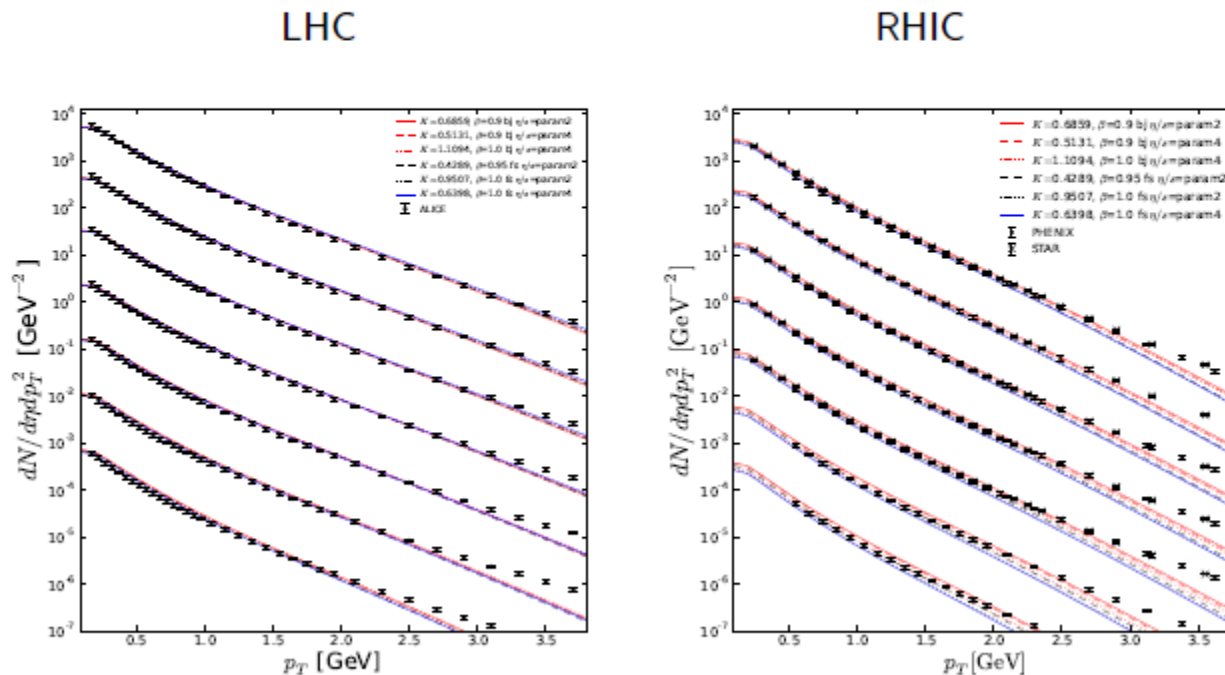
HYDRO AND TRANSPORT THEORY

pQCD + final state saturation +(2+1)D viscous hydro

Paatelainen

Charged particle p_T spectra VS Data at the LHC and RHIC

- T_{chem} determines the low p_T shape of the spectra (better shape with PCE 175 MeV than 150 MeV)

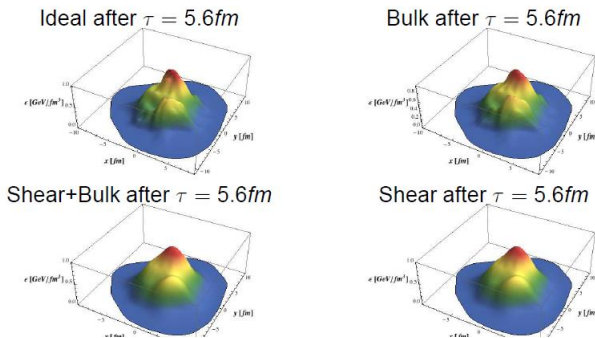


Brand-New Viscous Hydro Codes

Grassi

v-USPhydro

← Successor of NeXSPheRIO

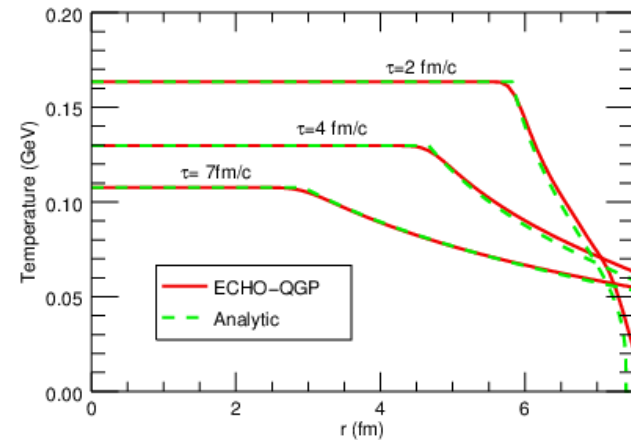


Effect of bulk viscosity

*USP=Ultrarelativistic Smooth Particle
=Universidade de São Paulo

Chandra

ECHO-QGP



Numerical test done

→ Data analysis

*ECHO=Eulerian Conservative High-
Order Code

Full 2nd Order

Denicol

Compare

wo/ nonlinear terms

$$\tau_\pi \dot{\pi}^{\langle\mu\nu\rangle} + \pi^{\mu\nu} = 2\eta\sigma^{\mu\nu} - \frac{4}{3}\tau_\pi\pi^{\mu\nu}\theta$$

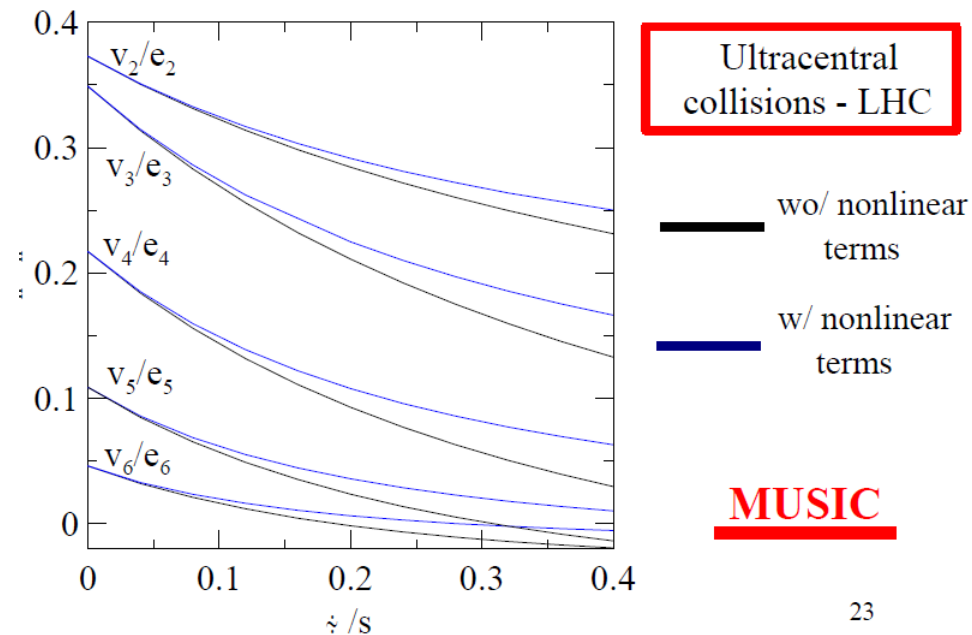
w/ nonlinear terms

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_\pi \dot{\pi}^{\langle\mu\nu\rangle} + \pi^{\mu\nu} &= 2\eta\sigma^{\mu\nu} + 2\pi_\alpha^{\langle\mu} \omega^{\nu\rangle\alpha} - \frac{4}{3}\tau_\pi\pi^{\mu\nu}\theta \\ &+ \frac{18}{35}\tau_\pi \frac{\pi_\alpha^{\langle\mu} \pi^{\nu\rangle\alpha}}{\varepsilon_0 + P_0} - \frac{10}{7}\tau_\pi\pi_\alpha^{\langle\mu} \sigma^{\nu\rangle\alpha}. \end{aligned}$$

what is the difference?

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Effect of nonlinear terms

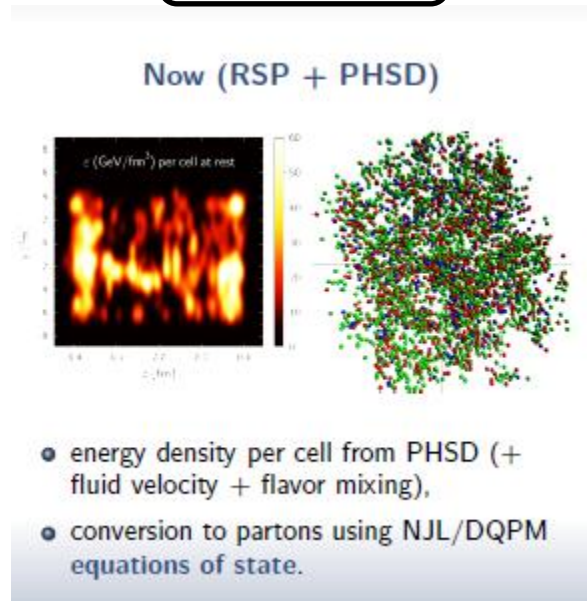


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Need to implement of full 2nd order terms in codes in the next generation

Kinetic Approaches

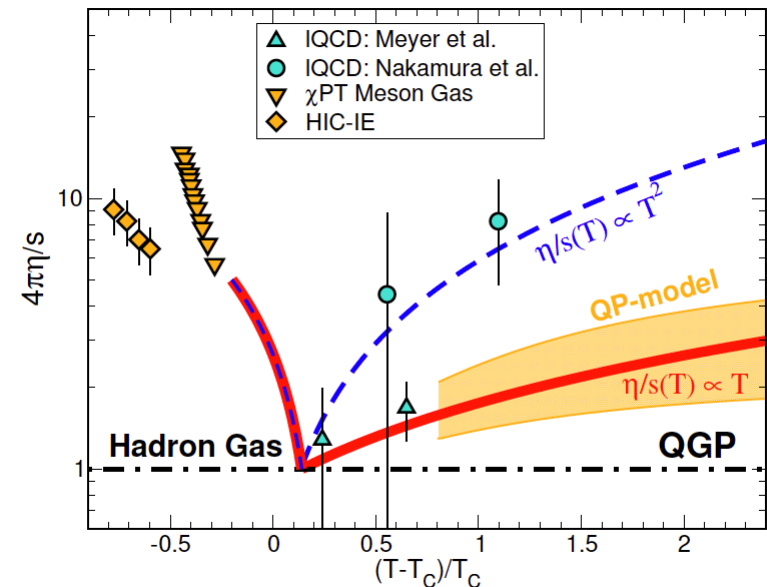
Marty



kinetic + NJL
 → phase transition behaviour

Kinetic approaches → Non-eq. + Hydro-like behaviour

Greco

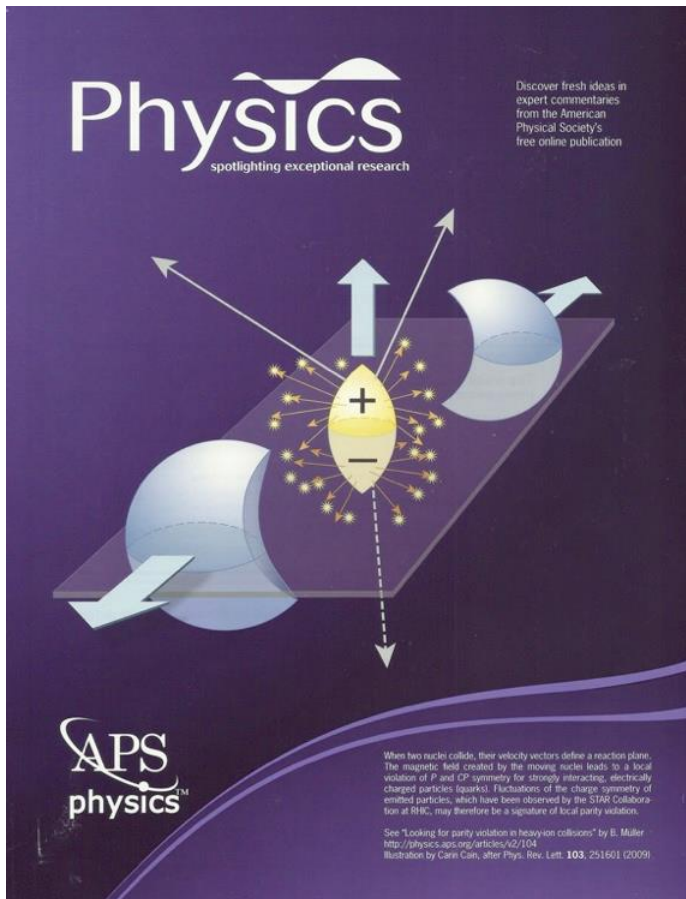


Implement wanted η/s
 in transport model

See also talk by Greiner on BAMPS

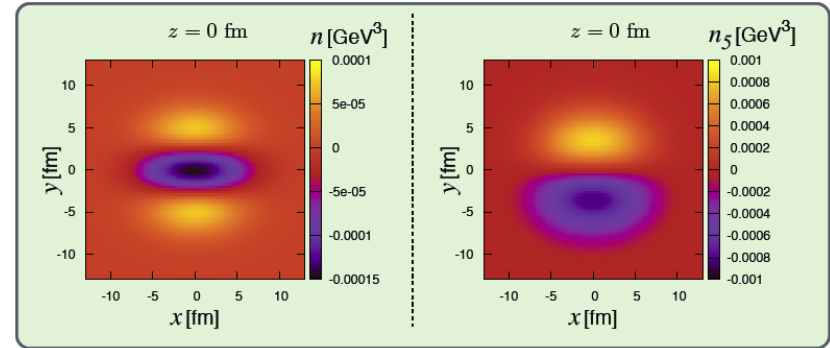
Strong EM fields

Voloshin



$$eB \sim 10^{17} \text{ Gauss}$$

Hongo



Chiral magnetic wave in expanding background

Charge dep. v_2 ? \rightarrow Alternative interpretation by Bozek

Hirono

Strong E-field in Cu+Au collisions
 \rightarrow Measure E-field?

Summary of Summary

- p/d-A collisions provide us with a new opportunity to learn novel aspects of high energy hadron/nuclear reaction in a unified picture.
- Let us keep in touch with each other between sub-communities of initial stages (CGC, nuclear PDF, ...) and final evolution (hydro, ...).
- Future e-A program should shed light on more precise structure of hadrons/nuclei at very high energy.

Before the End...

A bouquet of vibrant red roses and delicate white baby's breath flowers is arranged in a clear glass vase. The roses are in various stages of bloom, with some fully open and others as buds. The baby's breath flowers are scattered throughout the arrangement, adding a soft, airy touch. The background is a soft, out-of-focus white, which makes the colors of the flowers stand out. The text is overlaid on the right side of the bouquet.

*Let's thank
Carlos², Nestor and
local organisers
for excellent
organisation
of the conference!*