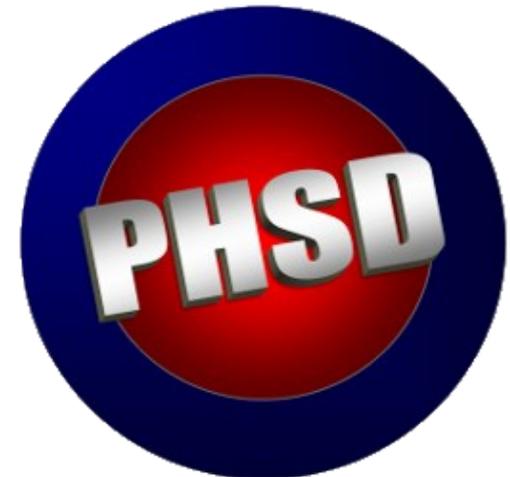
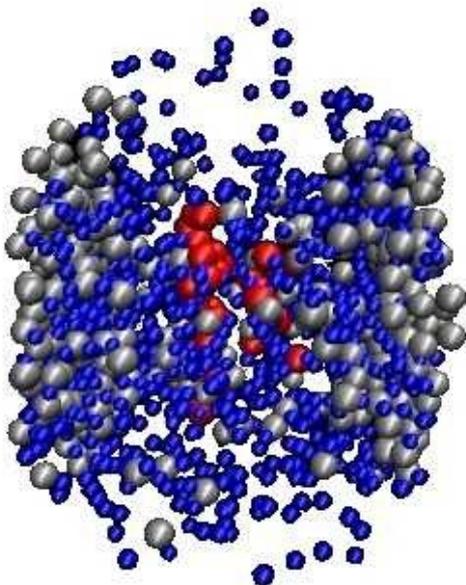




Directed flow in HIC within PHSD transport and 3FD hydro

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Anisotropy coefficients

Non central Au+Au collisions :

□ interaction between constituents leads to a **pressure gradient** => spatial asymmetry is converted to an asymmetry in momentum space => **collective flow**

$$\frac{dN}{d\varphi} \propto \left(1 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} v_n \cos[n(\varphi - \psi_n)] \right)$$

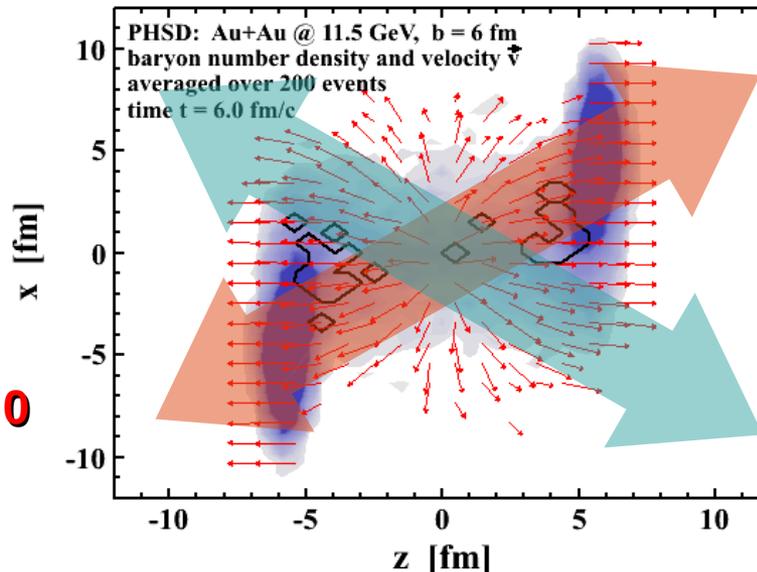
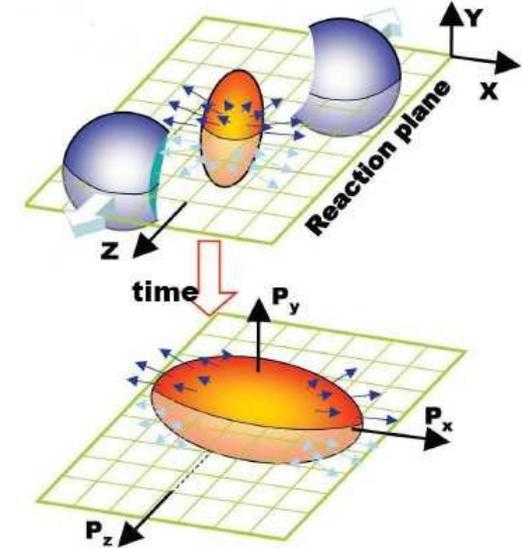
$$v_n = \left\langle \cos n(\varphi - \psi_n) \right\rangle, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

v_1 : directed flow

v_2 : elliptic flow

v_3 : triangular flow.....

$$v_1 = \left\langle \frac{p_x}{p_T} \right\rangle, \quad v_2 = \left\langle \frac{p_x^2 - p_y^2}{p_x^2 + p_y^2} \right\rangle$$

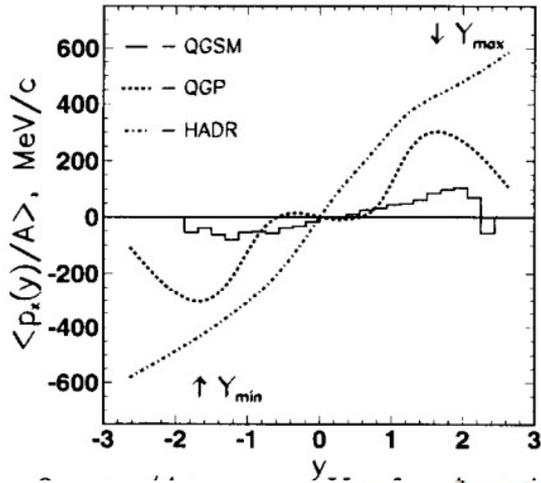


Directed flow $v_1 > 0$

“Antiflow” $v_1 < 0$

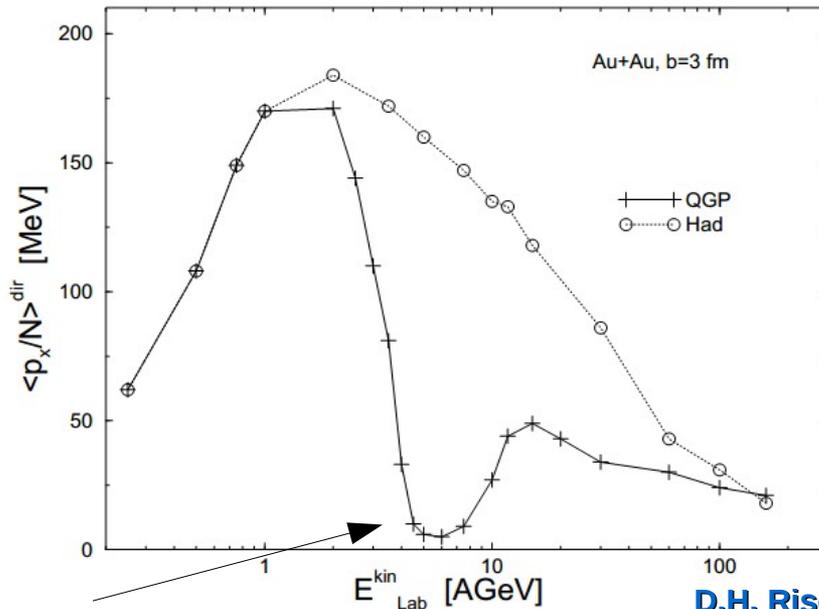
“third flow component”

Direct flow and Quark-Gluon Plasma

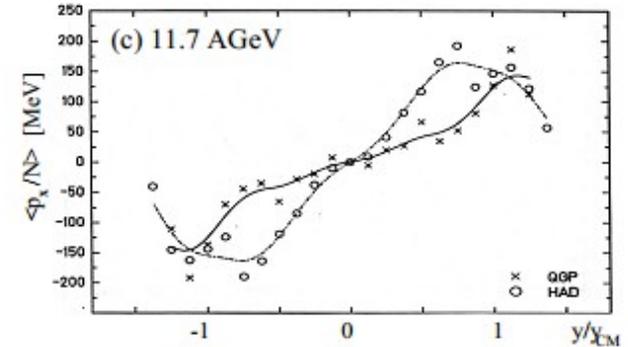
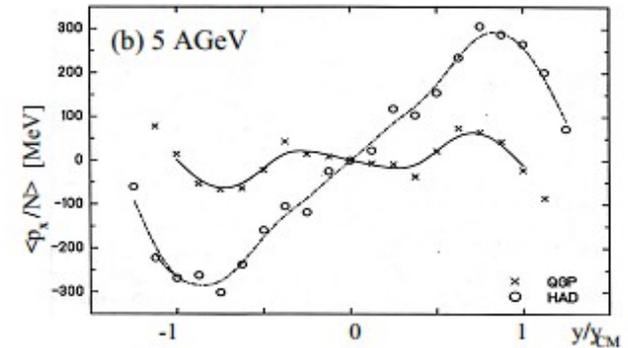
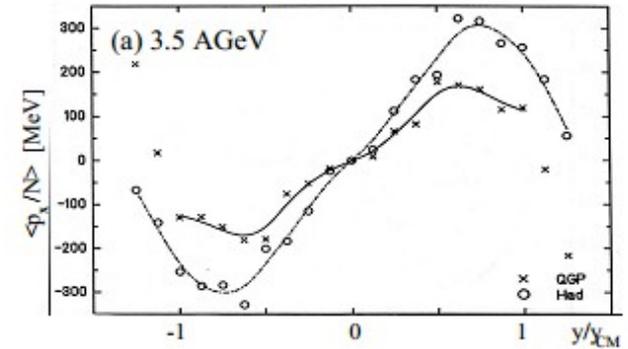


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Nucl. Phys. A566 (1994) 461

$$\langle p_x/N \rangle^{dir} = \frac{1}{N} \int_{-y_{CM}}^{y_{CM}} dy \langle p_x/N \rangle(y) \frac{dN}{dy} \text{sgn}(y)$$



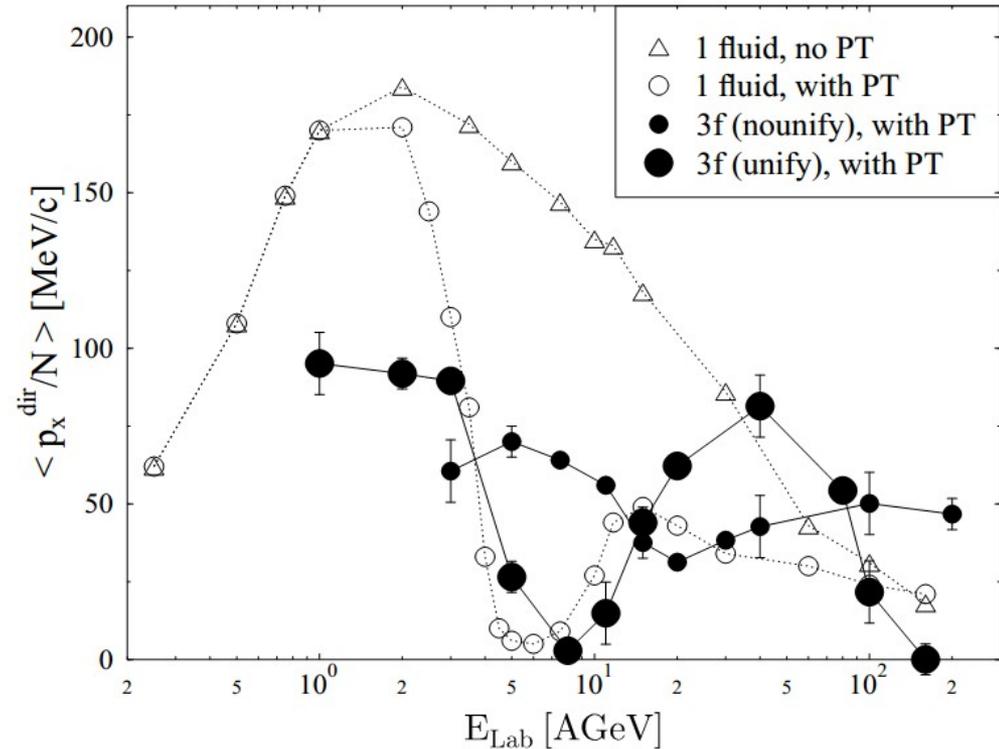
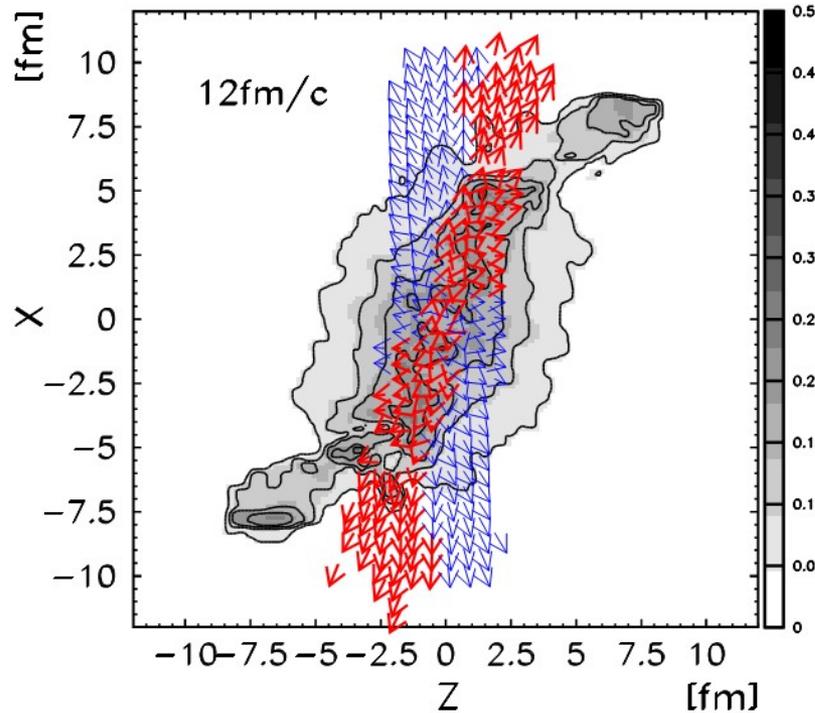
"Softest point"



D.H. Rischke, Y. Pursun, J.A. Maruhn, H. Stoecker, W. Greiner,
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Antiflow of nucleons at the softest point of the EoS

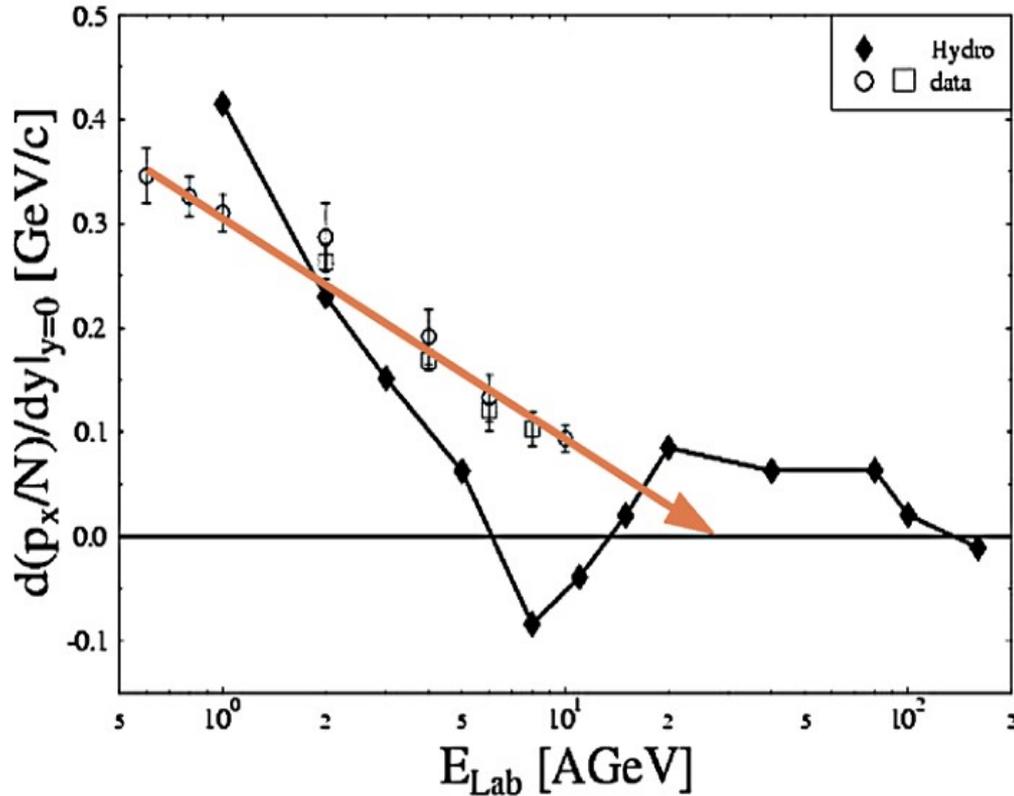
Au+Au (8 AGeV)



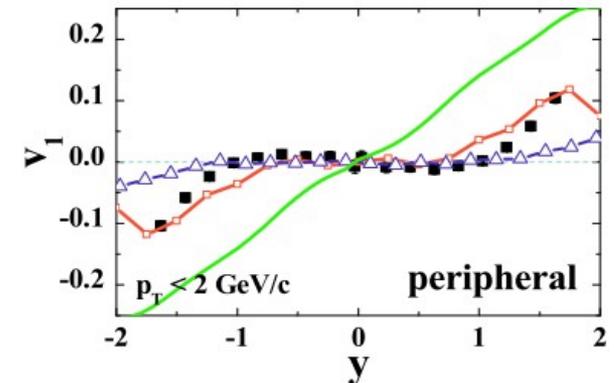
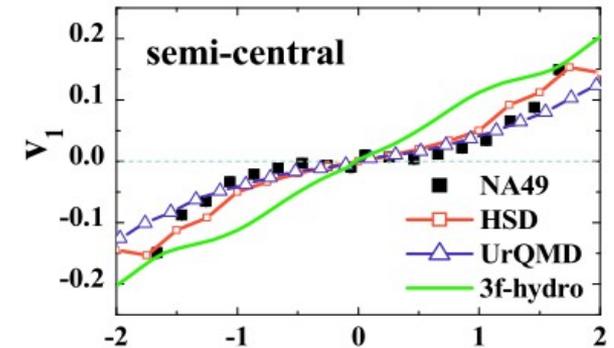
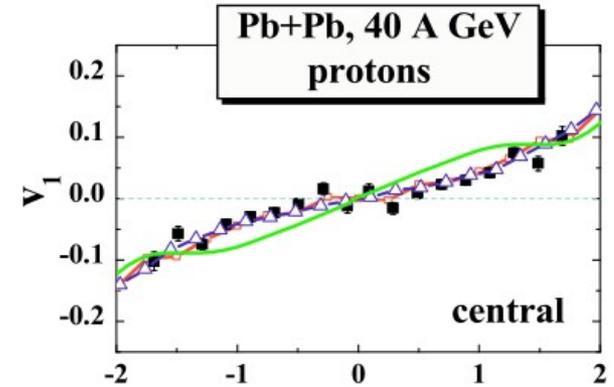
**EoS is softened either by a phase transition to QGP,
or by the creation of resonances and string-like excitations**

Collective flow signals of the Quark-Gluon Plasma

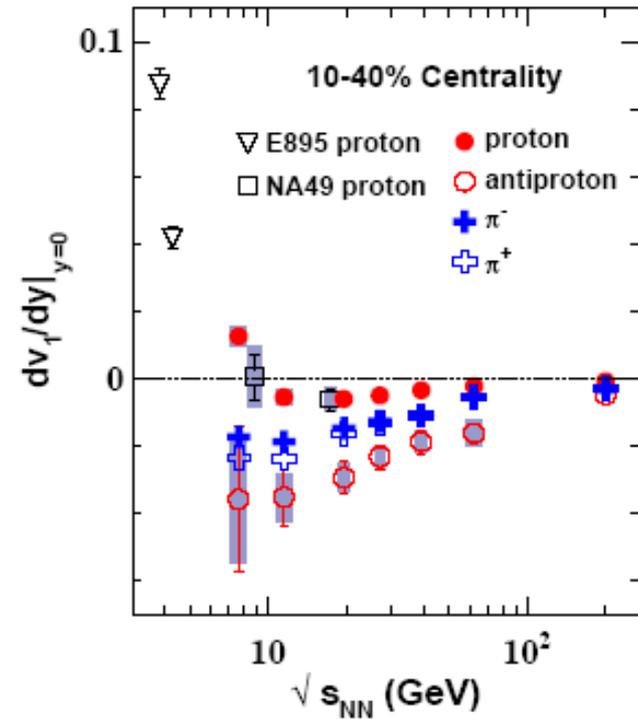
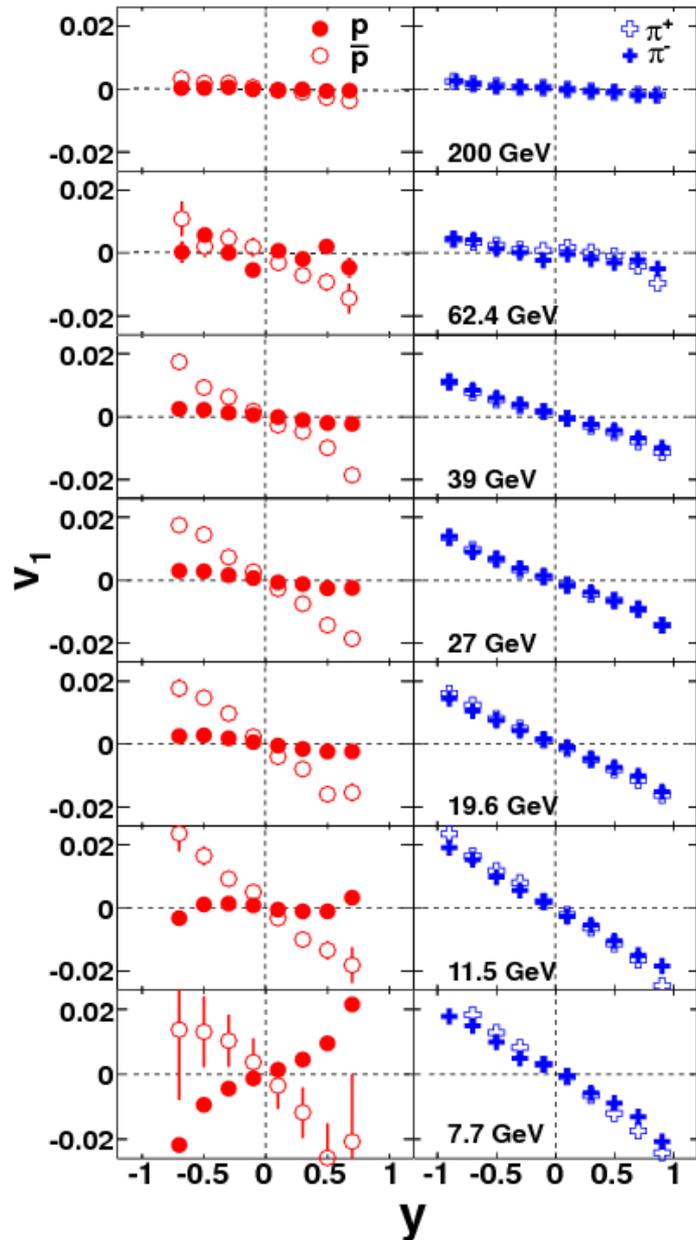
H. Stöcker, Nucl. Phys. A 750, 121 (2005)



- Early hydro calculation predicted the “softest point” at $E_{\text{lab}} = 8$ A GeV
- A linear extrapolation of the data (arrow) suggests a collapse of flow at $E_{\text{lab}} = 30$ A GeV



Recent measurements of v_1 of identified hadrons

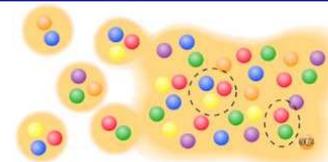


measured distributions are smooth !

Parton Hadron String Dynamics

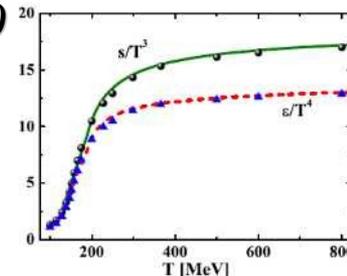
I. From hadrons to QGP:

- Initial A+A collisions:
 - string formation in primary NN collisions
 - strings decay to pre-hadrons (B - baryons, m - mesons)
- Formation of QGP stage by dissolution of pre-hadrons into massive colored quarks + mean-field energy based on the Dynamical Quasi-Particle Model (DQPM) which defines quark spectral functions, masses $M_q(\epsilon)$ and widths $\Gamma_q(\epsilon)$ + mean-field potential U_q at given ϵ - local energy density (related by lQCD EoS to T - temperature in the local cell)



QGP phase:

$$\epsilon > \epsilon_{\text{critical}}$$



II. Partonic phase - QGP:

- quarks and gluons (= ,dynamical quasiparticles‘) with off-shell spectral functions (width, mass) defined by the DQPM
- in self-generated mean-field potential for quarks and gluons U_q , U_g from the DQPM
- EoS of partonic phase: ,crossover‘ from lattice QCD (fitted by DQPM)
- (quasi-) elastic and inelastic parton-parton interactions: using the effective cross sections from the DQPM

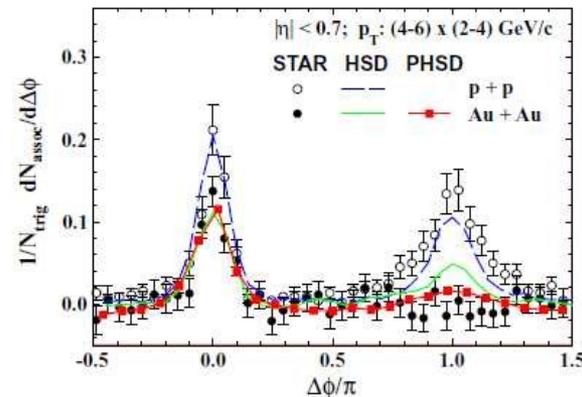
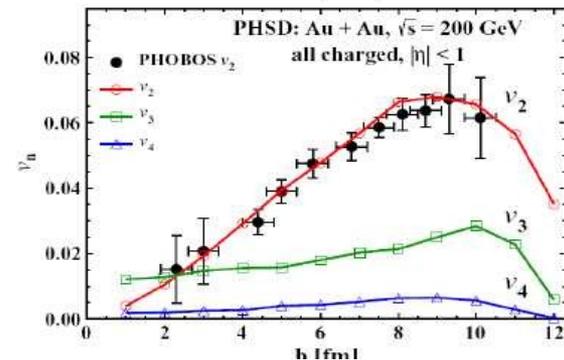
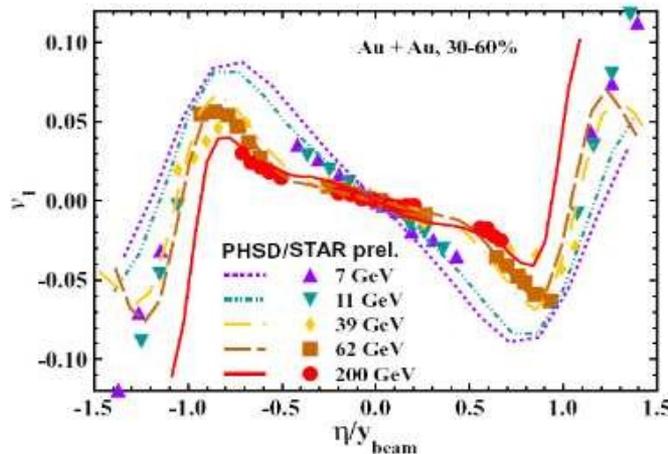
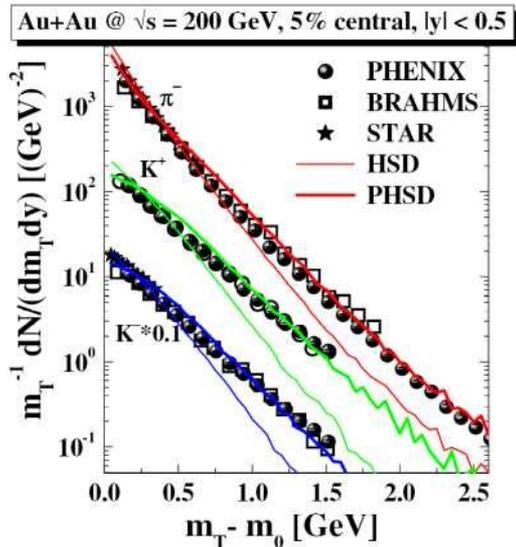
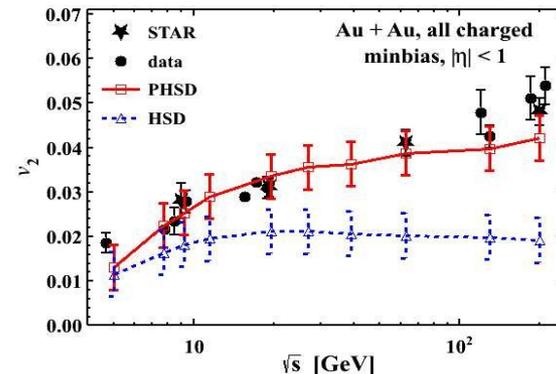
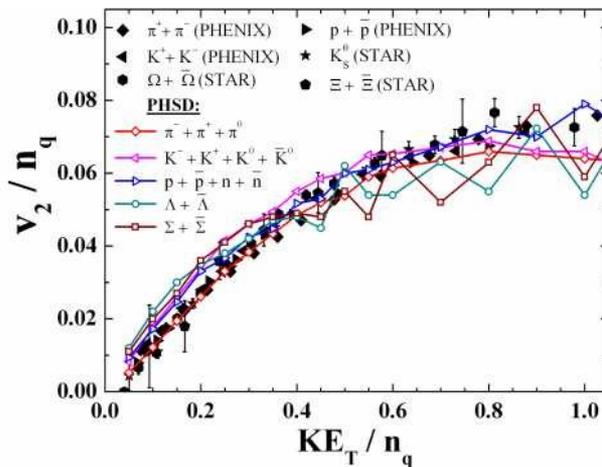
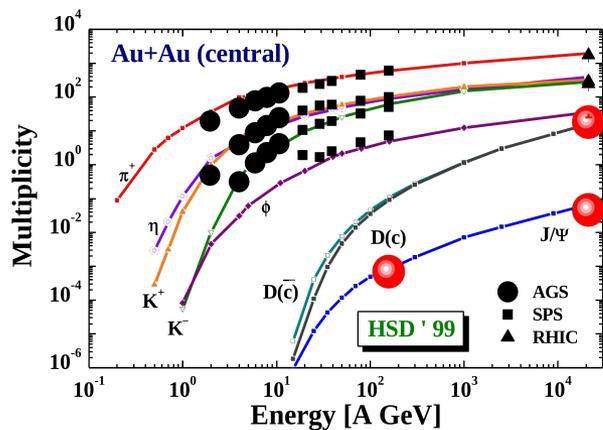


III. Hadronization: based on DQPM

- massive, off-shell (anti-)quarks with broad spectral functions hadronize to off-shell mesons and baryons or color neutral excited states - ,strings‘ (strings act as ,doorway states‘ for hadrons)

IV. Hadronic phase: hadron-string interactions – off-shell HSD

PHSD for HIC from AGS to RHIC (highlights)

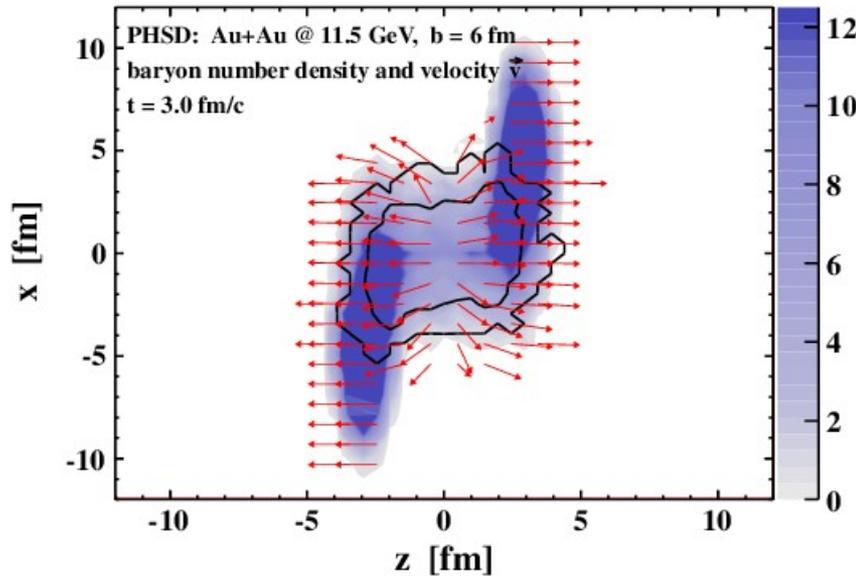


PHSD provides a consistent description of HIC dynamics

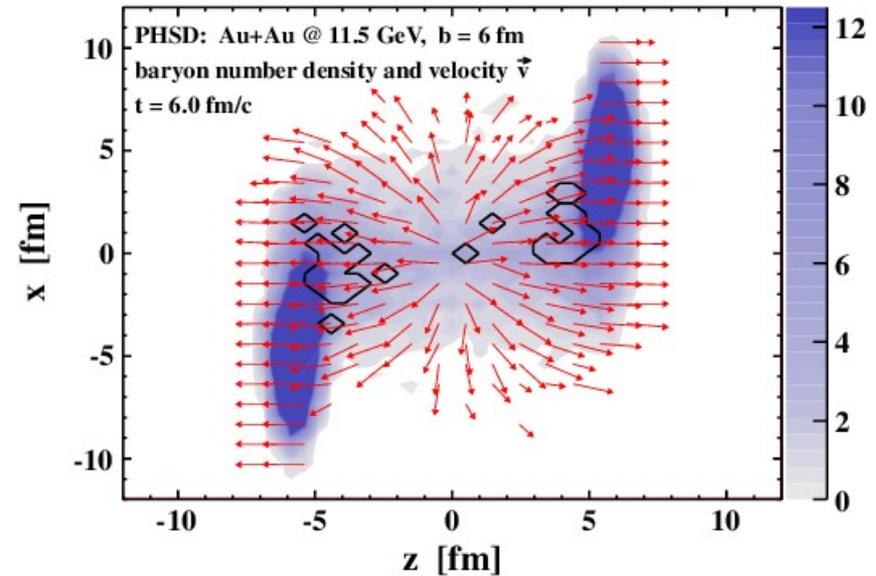
PHSD: snapshot of the reaction plane



$t = 3 \text{ fm}/c$

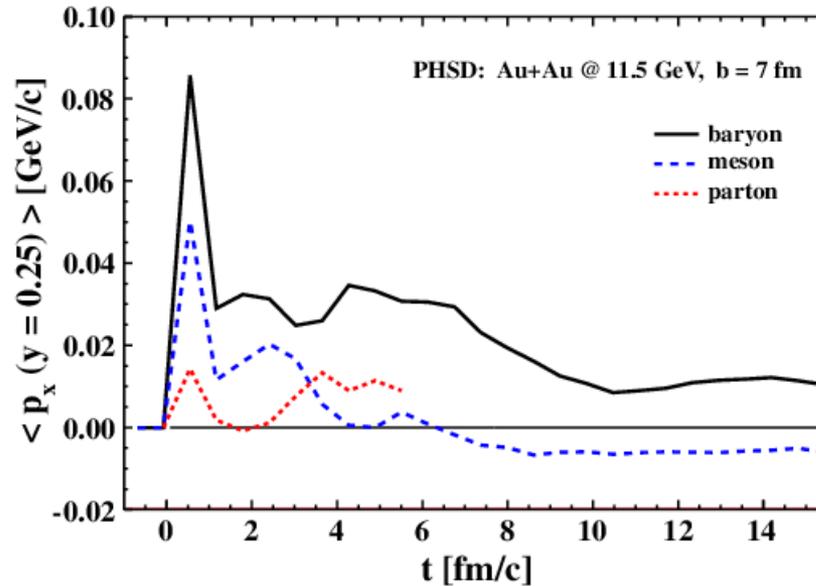


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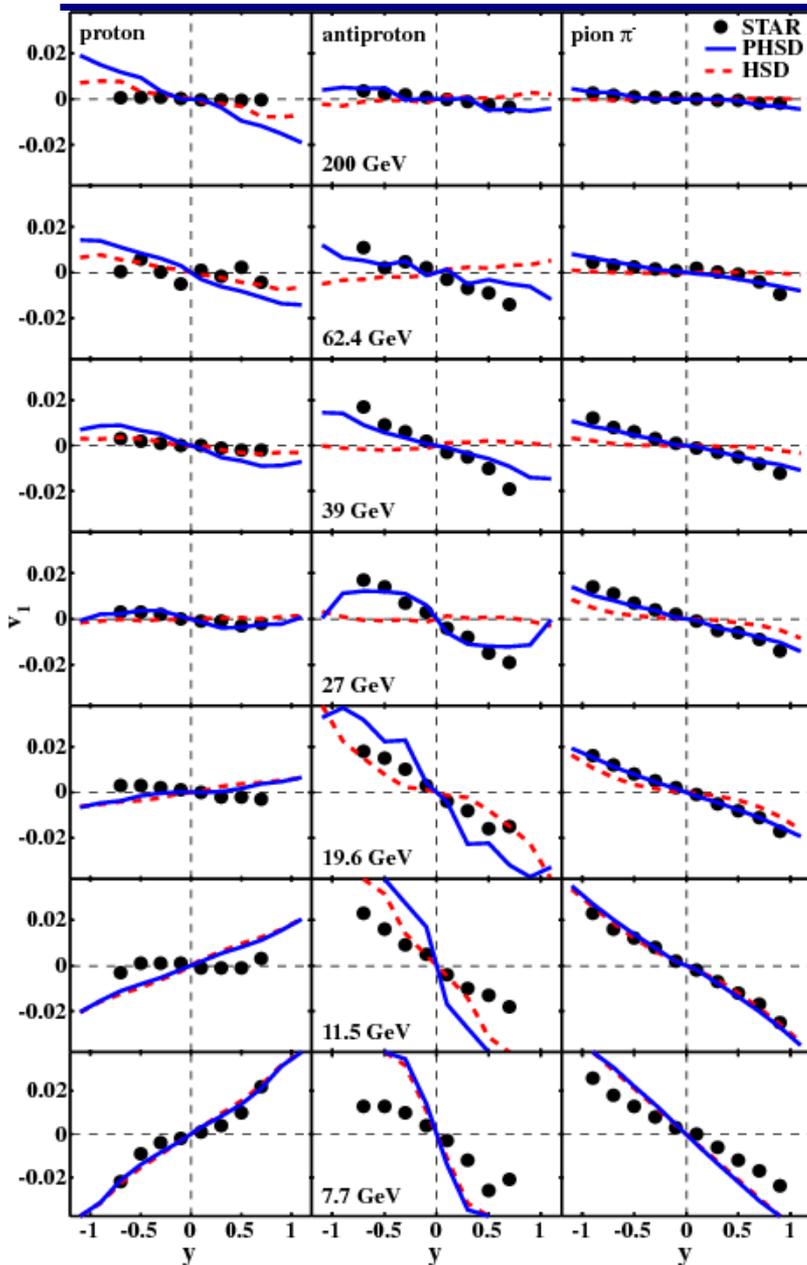
- **Color scale:** baryon number density
- **Black levels:** parton density 0.6 and 0.01 fm^{-3}
- **Red arrows:** local velocity of baryon matter

PHSD: $\langle p_x \rangle$ at $y = +0.25$



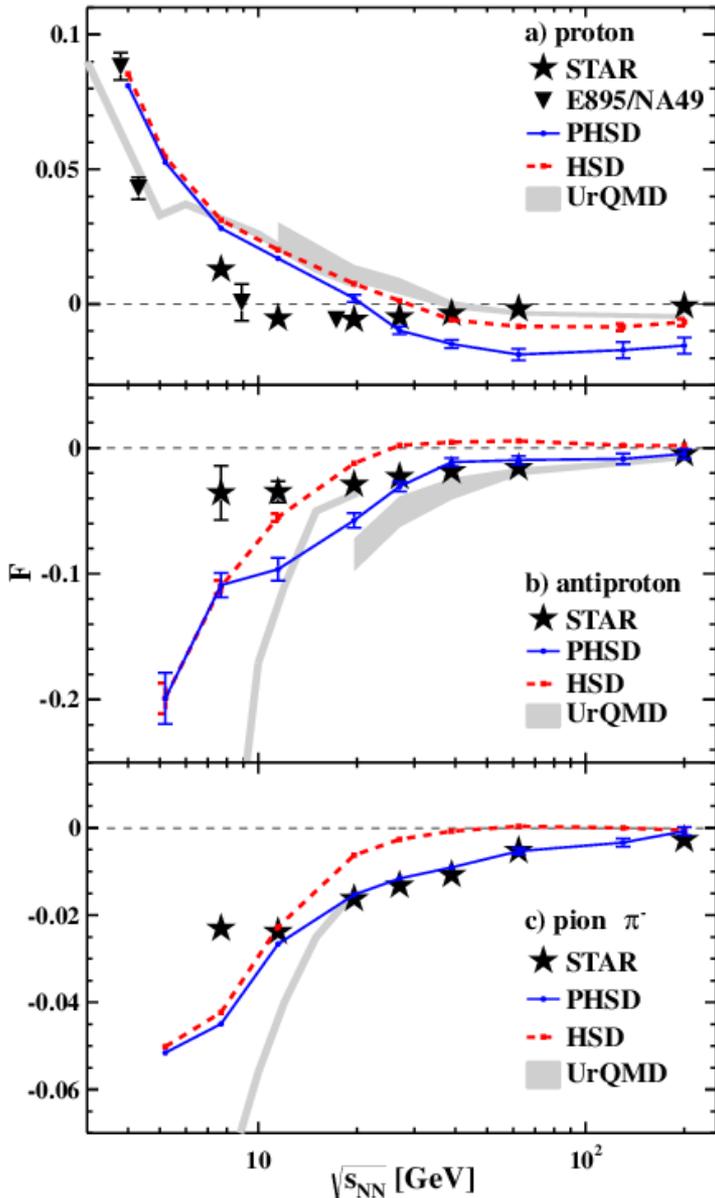
- Averaged over $\sim 80\,000$ collisions
- Directed flow v_1 is **formed at an early stage** of the nuclear interaction.
- Baryons are reaching positive and mesons – negative value of v_1

Directed flow from PHSD and HSD



- Both models HSD and PHSD reproduce general trends of recent STAR results
- Protons and pions are reasonably described by both models
- **Antiprotons** in PHSD are produced dominantly **from hadronization** at highest energies
- PHSD and HSD coincide **at lower energies** => dominance of **hadronic matter** and hadronic reaction channels (absorption and recreation)

PHSD: Characteristic slope of $v_1(y)$



- The slope of $v_1(y)$ at midrapidity:

$$F = \left. \frac{dv_1}{dy} \right|_{y=0}$$

is used to characterize directed flow

- Fit $v_1(y) = Fy$ was used in the rapidity window $-0.5 < y < 0.5$
- **Proton** slopes are in qualitative agreement but overestimate STAR data at $5 < \sqrt{s} < 15$ GeV; HSD is close to UrQMD
- UrQMD fail to reproduce pion and antiproton slopes
- PHSD/HSD work better due to **including of inverse processes for antiproton annihilation**

STAR Collaboration, PRL 112 (2014) 162301

UrQMD J. Steinheimer, J. Auvinen, H. Petersen, M. Bleicher and H. Stöcker, PRC89 (2014) 054913



3-Fluid Dynamics

Baryon Stopping

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Model

Rapidity Density

Fit

Reduced curvature

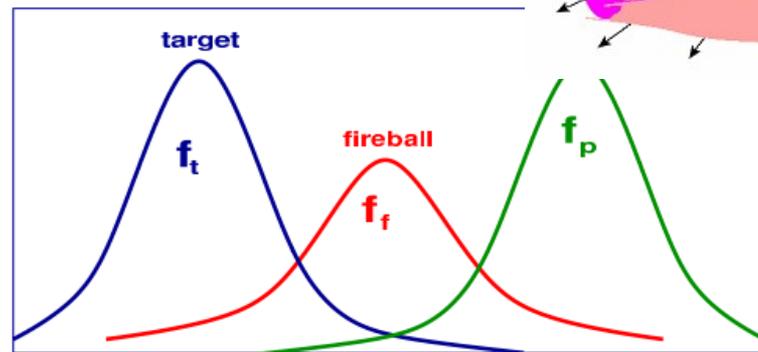
Trajectories

Crossover

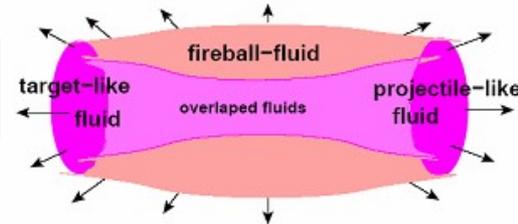
Summary

Produced particles populate mid-rapidity
 \Rightarrow **fireball** fluid

distribution function



momentum along beam



Target-like fluid:

$$\partial_\mu J_t^\mu = 0$$

Leading particles carry bar. charge

$$\partial_\mu T_t^{\mu\nu} = -F_{tp}^\nu + F_{ft}^\nu$$

exchange/emission

Projectile-like fluid:

$$\partial_\mu J_p^\mu = 0,$$

$$\partial_\mu T_p^{\mu\nu} = -F_{pt}^\nu + F_{fp}^\nu$$

Fireball fluid:

$$J_f^\mu = 0,$$

Baryon-free fluid

$$\partial_\mu T_f^{\mu\nu} = F_{pt}^\nu + F_{tp}^\nu - F_{fp}^\nu - F_{ft}^\nu$$

Source term Exchange

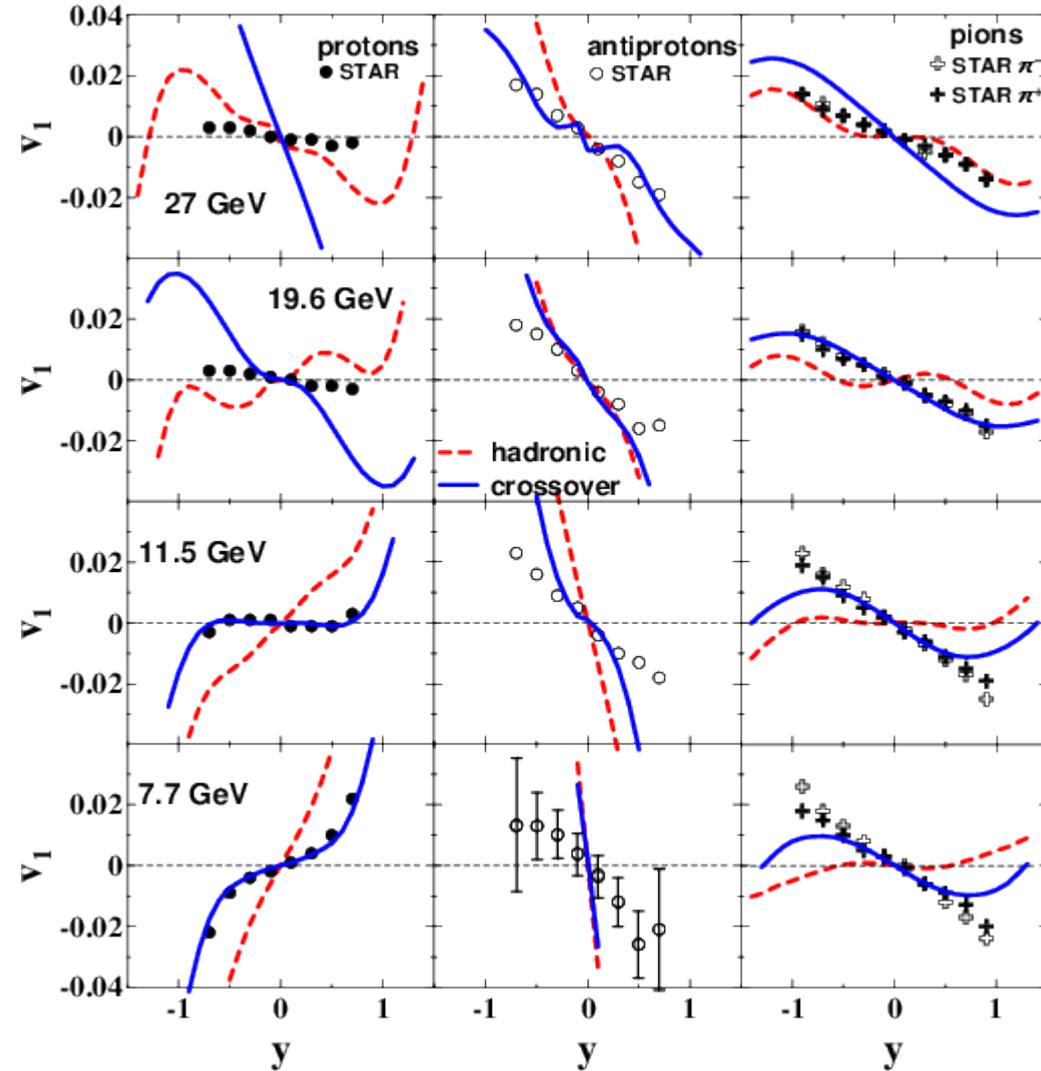
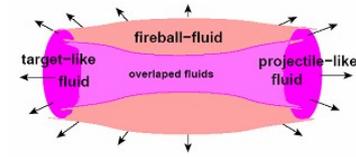
The **source term** is delayed due to a formation time $\tau \sim 1 \text{ fm}/c$

Total energy-momentum conservation:

$$\partial_\mu (T_p^{\mu\nu} + T_t^{\mu\nu} + T_f^{\mu\nu}) = 0$$

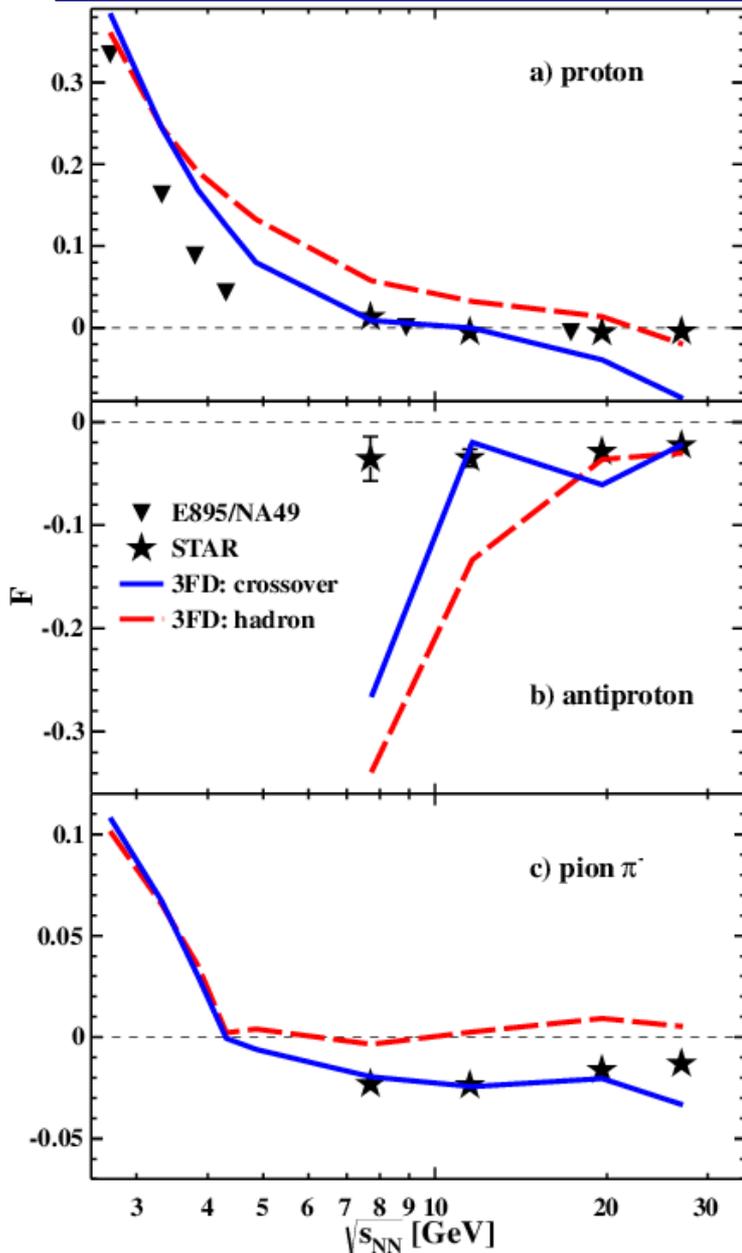
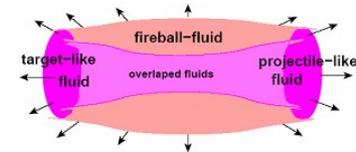


3FD: directed flow vs. EoS



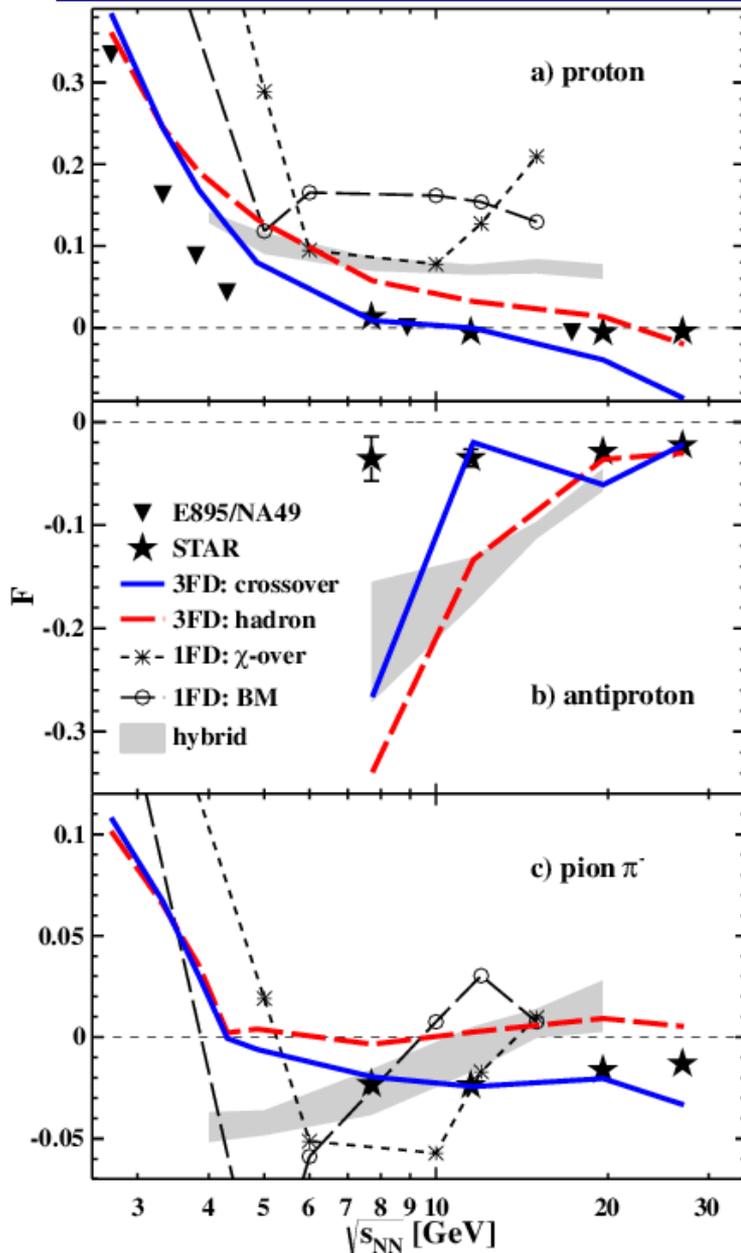
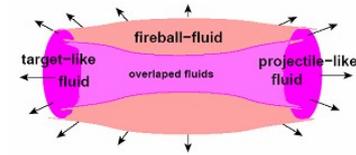
- Description of the STAR $v_1(y)$ is not very well and relatively worse than by the PHSD
- **Crossover EoS** agrees better with the experiment than the pure hadronic EoS

3FD: excitation function of v_1 slopes

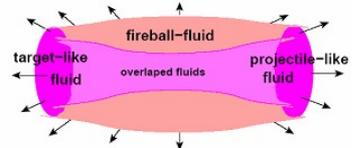


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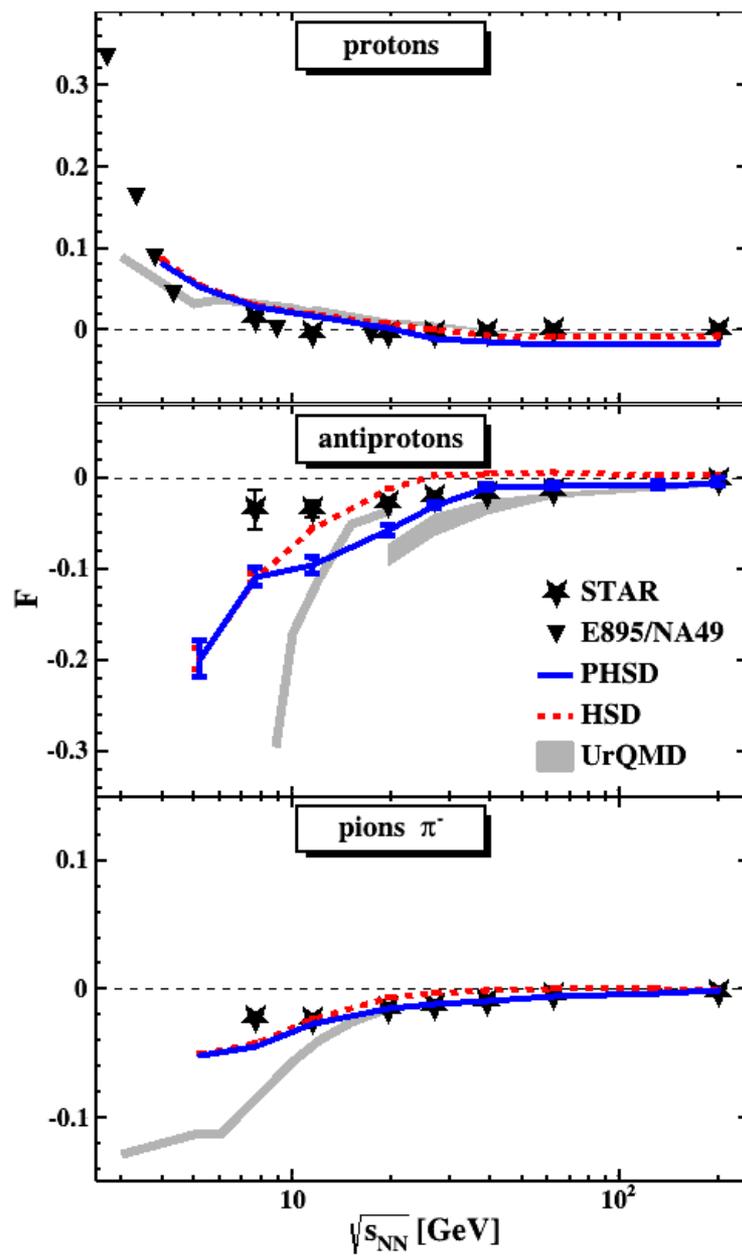
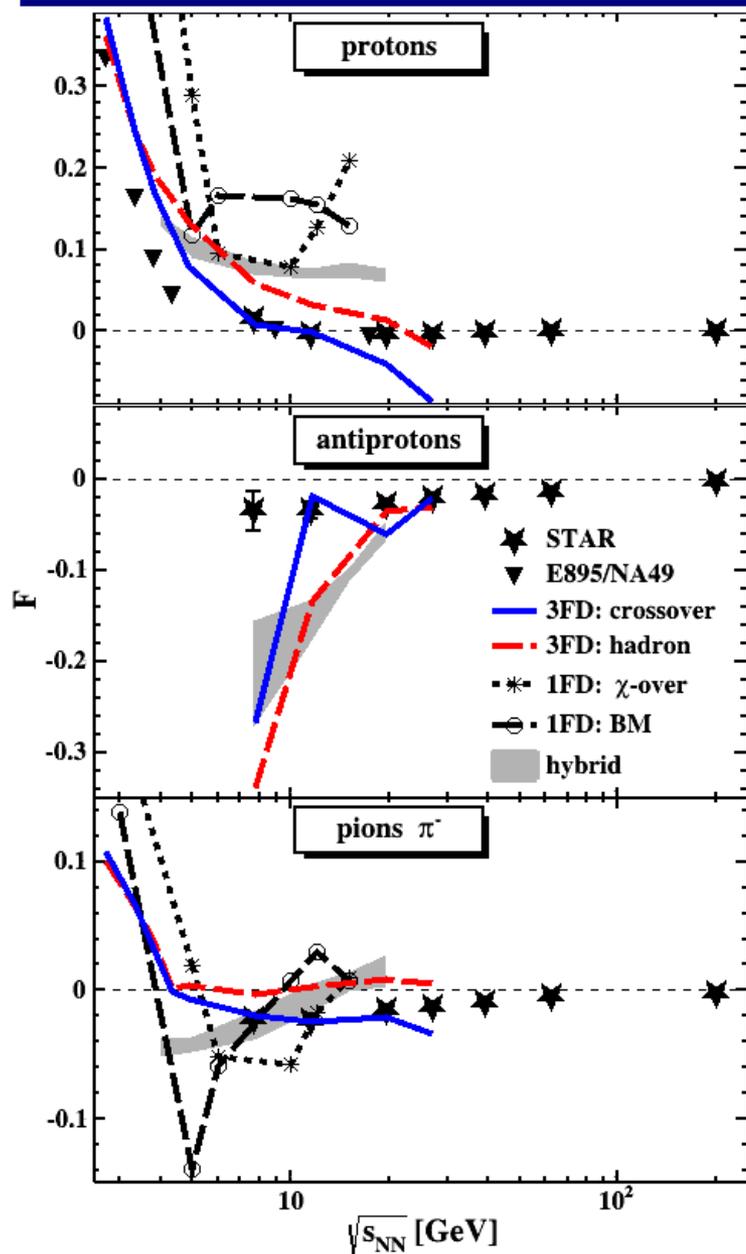
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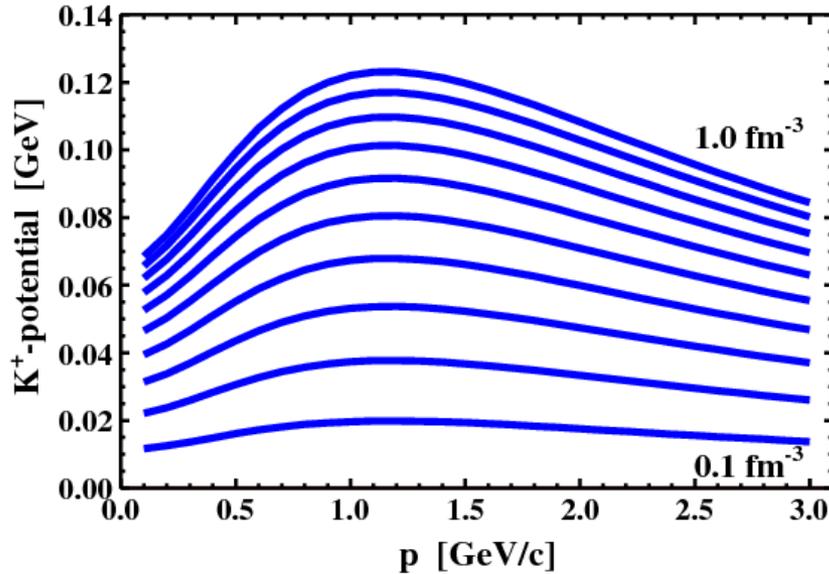
3FD vs PHSD



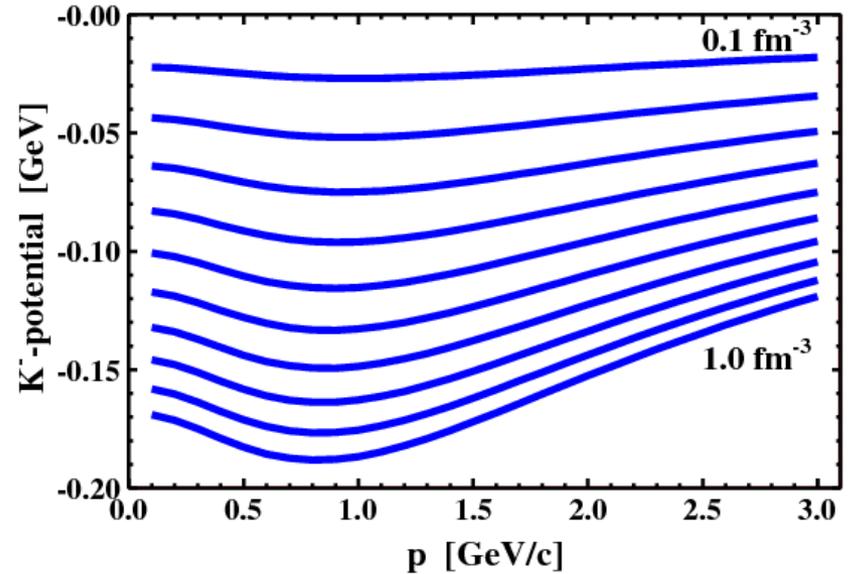
Kaon potentials



K^+



K^-



Dispersion relation

$$\omega_K^2(\vec{p}, \rho) = \pm \frac{3}{4} \frac{\omega}{f_K^2} \rho_N + p^2 + m_K^2 - \frac{\Sigma_{KN}}{f_K^2} \rho_s$$

Kaon potential

$$U_K(\vec{p}, \rho) = \omega_K(\vec{p}, \rho) - \sqrt{p^2 + m_K^2}$$

L.Tolos, A.Ramos, A.Polls, PRC65 (2002) 054907;

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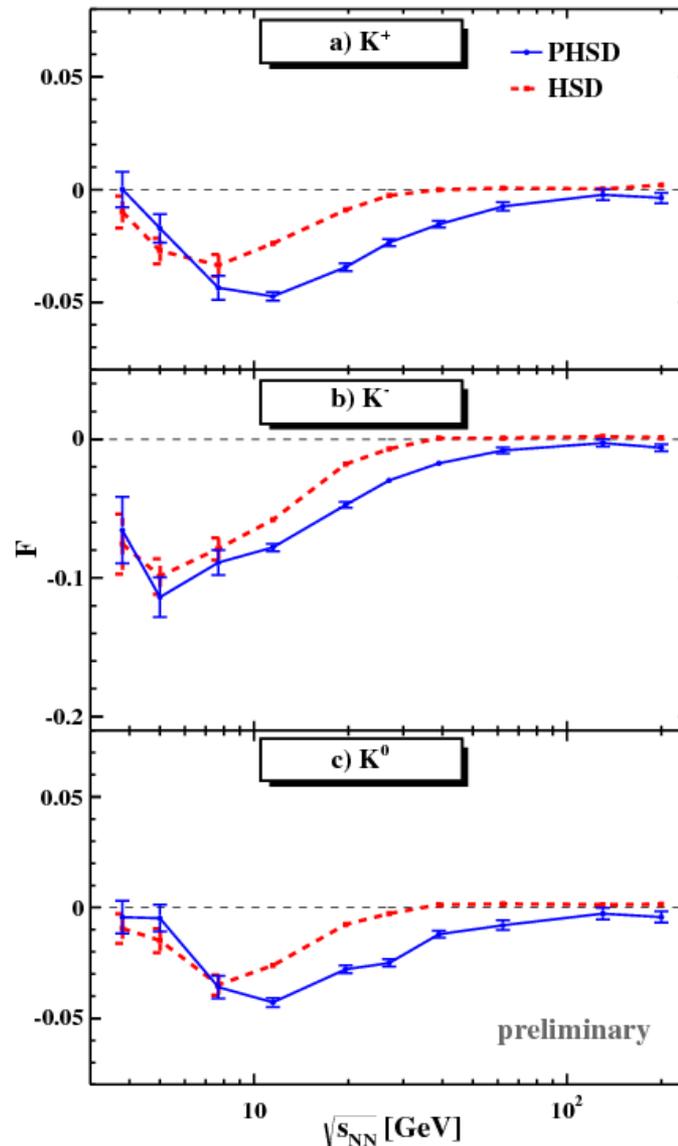
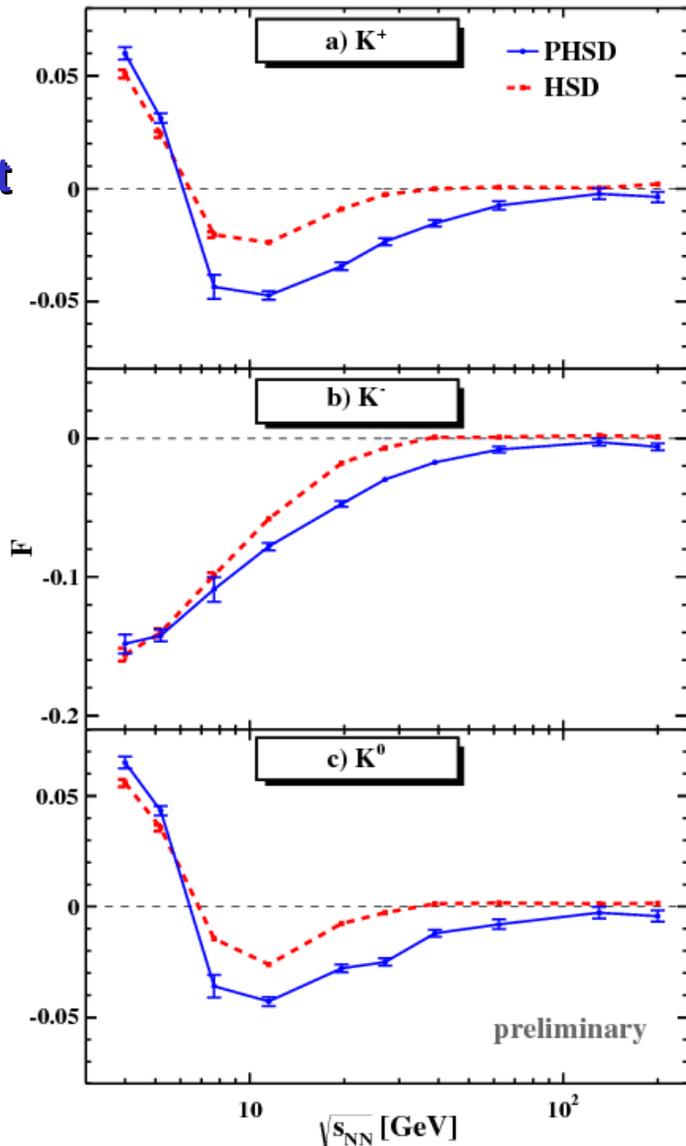
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Sensitivity of v_1 to kaon potentials



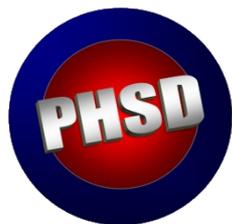
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Summary

- The microscopic **Parton-Hadron-String-Dynamics (PHSD)** transport approach **reproduces the general trend in the $v_1(y)$** excitation function in the energy range $\sqrt{s} = 7.7-200$ GeV. We don't see any "wiggle-like" irregularities as expected by early hydro calculations.
- The PHSD results differ from those of HSD where no partonic degrees of freedom are incorporated. A comparison of both microscopic models has provided detailed information on the **effect of parton dynamics on the directed flow**.
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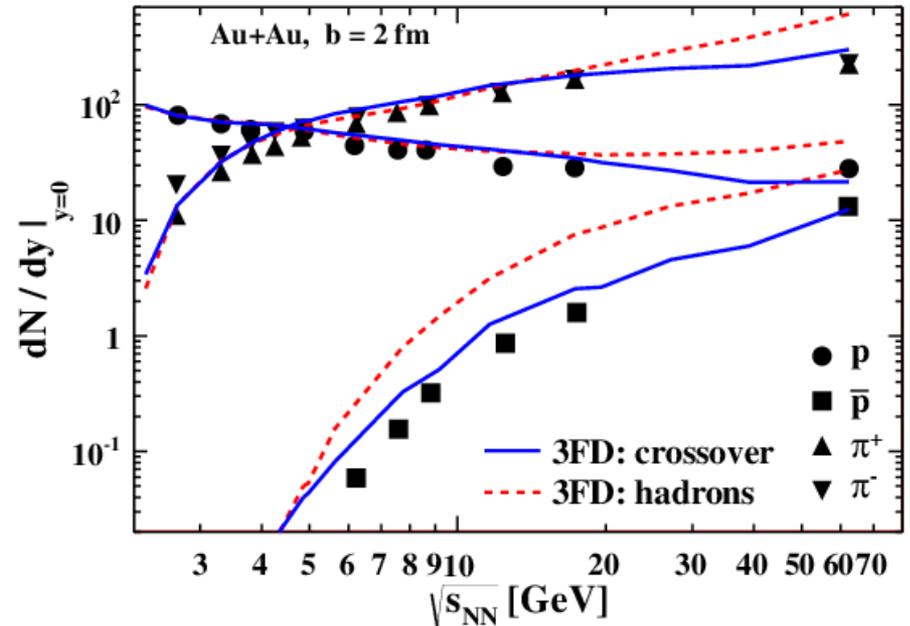
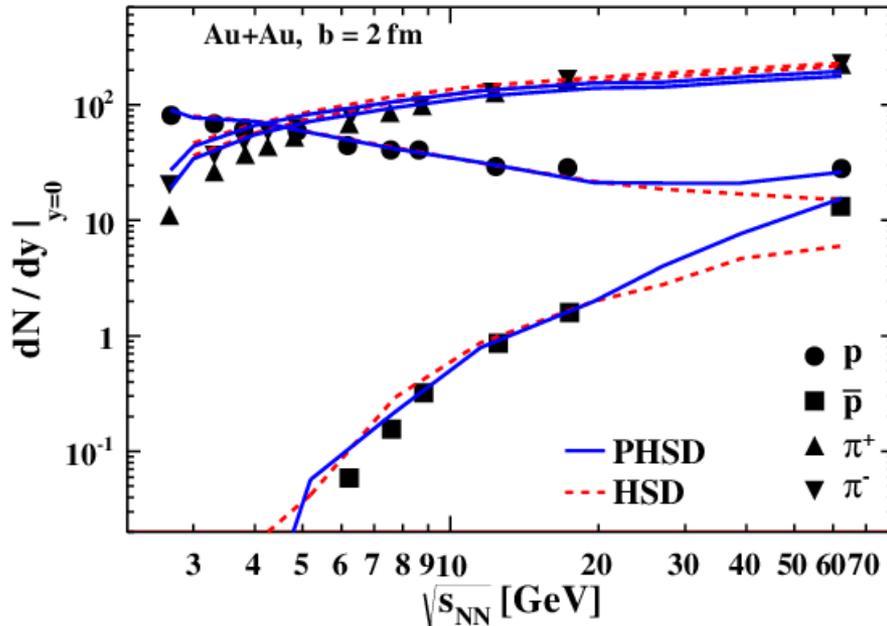
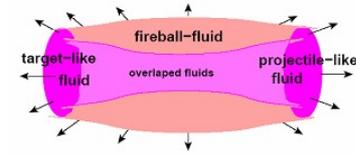
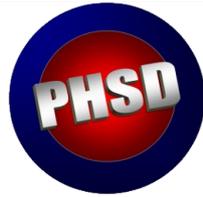
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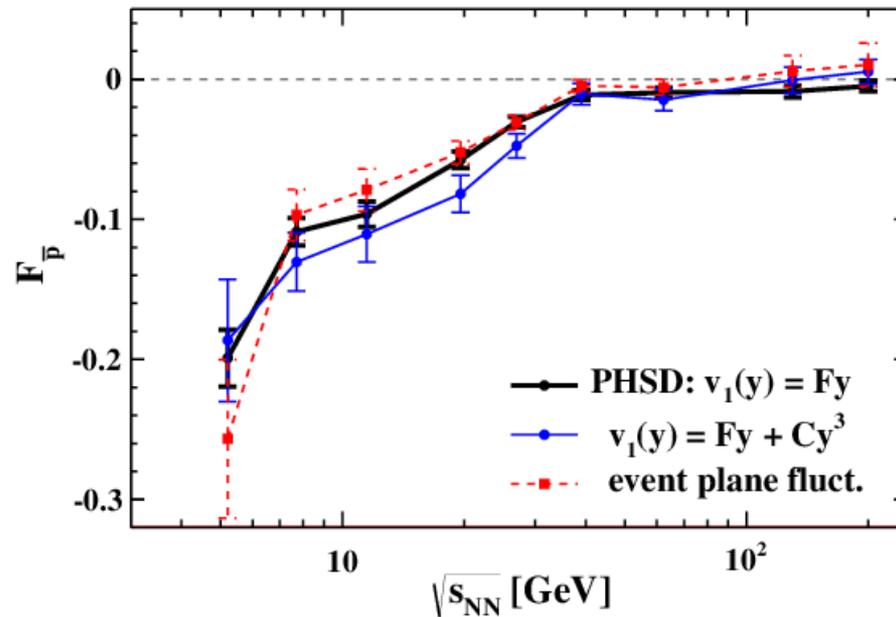
Backup

PHSD vs 3FD: multiplicities



- Both transport and hydro approach work reasonably fine
- Deviation from the data appear at $\sqrt{s} > 20$ GeV for the hadronic cases

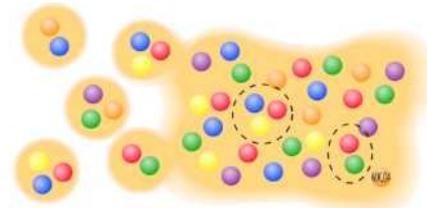
Stability of the obtained slopes



- Fluctuation of determined experimentally **event plane** doesn't change the result.
- Addition of cubic term to the fit $v_1(y) = Fy + Cy^3$ gives similar result but increase uncertainties.

Parton Hadron String Dynamics I

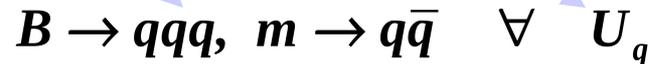
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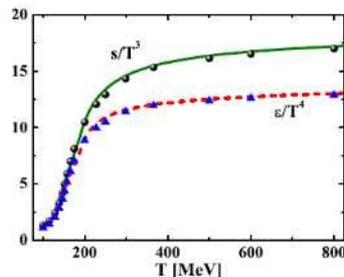
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+ **mean-field potential U_q** at given ϵ – local energy density

(ϵ related by lQCD EoS to T - temperature in the local cell)



W. Cassing, E. Bratkovskaya, PRC 78 (2008) 034919;
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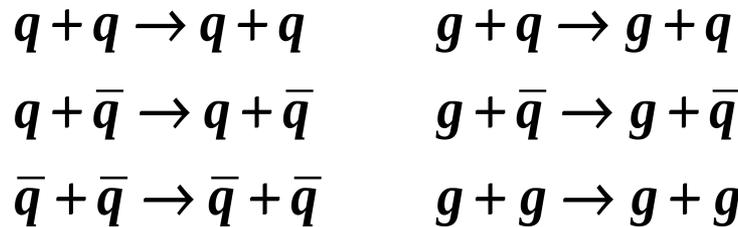
Parton Hadron String Dynamics II

II. Partonic phase - QGP:

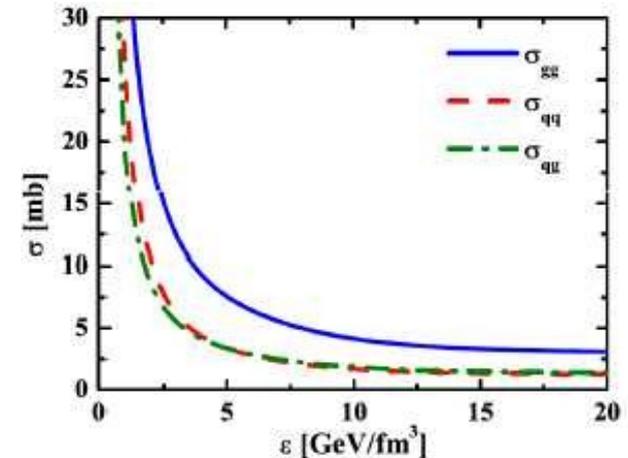
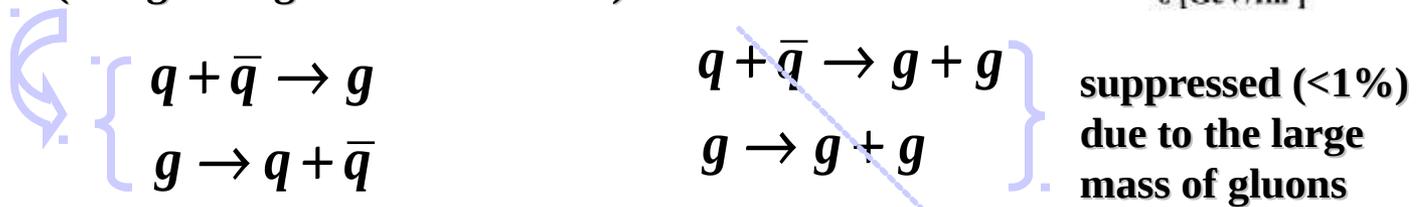
quarks and gluons (= ,dynamical quasiparticles‘)
with off-shell spectral functions (width, mass) defined by the DQPM

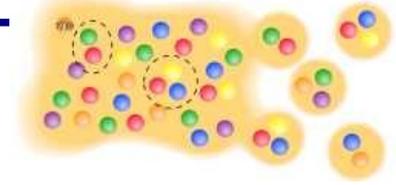
- in **self-generated mean-field potential** for quarks and gluons U_q, U_g from the DQPM
- **EoS of partonic phase: ,crossover‘** from lattice QCD (fitted by DQPM)
- **(quasi-) elastic and inelastic** parton-parton interactions: using the effective cross sections from the DQPM

- **(quasi-) elastic collisions:**



- **inelastic collisions:**
(Breit-Wigner cross sections)





III. Hadronization:

□ **Hadronization:** based on DQPM

- **massive, off-shell (anti-)quarks** with broad spectral functions hadronize to **off-shell mesons and baryons or color neutral excited states - ,strings‘**
(strings act as ,doorway states‘ for hadrons)

$$g \rightarrow q + \bar{q}, \quad q + \bar{q} \leftrightarrow \text{meson (' string ')}$$

$$q + q + q \leftrightarrow \text{baryon (' string ')}$$

- Local covariant off-shell **transition rate** for $q+q\bar{q}$ fusion

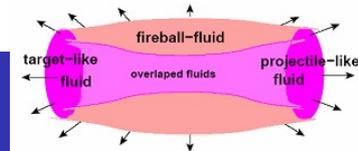
→ **meson formation:**

$$\frac{dN^{q+\bar{q} \rightarrow m}}{d^4x d^4p} = \text{Tr}_q \text{Tr}_{\bar{q}} \delta^4(p - p_q - p_{\bar{q}}) \delta^4\left(\frac{x_q + x_{\bar{q}}}{2} - x\right) \delta(\text{flavor, color})$$

$$\cdot N_q(x_q, p_q) N_{\bar{q}}(x_{\bar{q}}, p_{\bar{q}}) \cdot \omega_q \rho_q(p_q) \cdot \omega_{\bar{q}} \rho_{\bar{q}}(p_{\bar{q}}) \cdot |M_{q\bar{q}}|^2 \underline{W_m(x_q - x_{\bar{q}}, p_q - p_{\bar{q}})}$$

- $N_j(x, p)$ is the phase-space density of parton j at space-time position x and 4-momentum p
- W_m is the phase-space distribution of the formed ,pre-hadrons‘ (Gaussian in phase space)
- $|M_{qq}|^2$ is the effective quark-antiquark interaction from the DQPM

IV. Hadronic phase: hadron-string interactions – off-shell HSD



Baryon Stopping

JINR,
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Model

Rapidity
Density

Fit

Reduced
curvature

Trajectories

Crossover

Summary

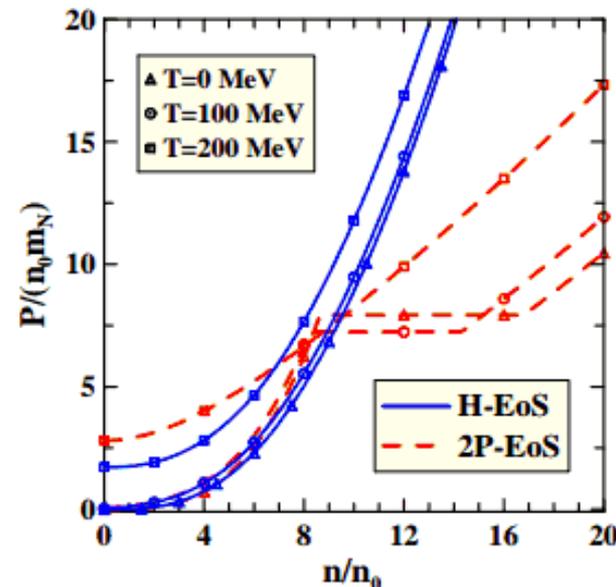
- Equation of State (EoS)

Hadronic EoS (H-EoS)

[Galitsky and Mishustin, Sov. J. Nucl. Phys. **29**, 181 (1979)]

1st-order transition to QGP (2P-EoS)

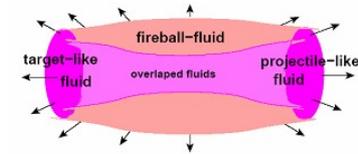
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Phase transition \implies EoS softening (in dense baryon matter)

- Freeze-out energy-density: $\varepsilon_{frz} = 0.4 \text{ GeV}/\text{fm}^3$
- Friction: **estimated and tuned**
- Formation Time: $\tau = 2 \text{ fm}/c$ for H-EoS and $\tau = 0.33 \text{ fm}/c$ for 2P-EoS
- Coalescence coefficients for fragments

Physical input



Equation of state (EoS)

Hadronic EoS (hadr-EoS)

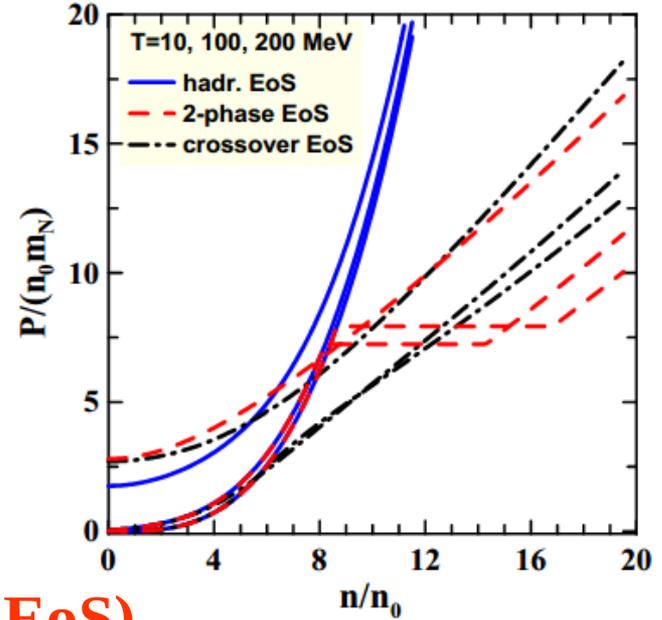
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Crossover EoS

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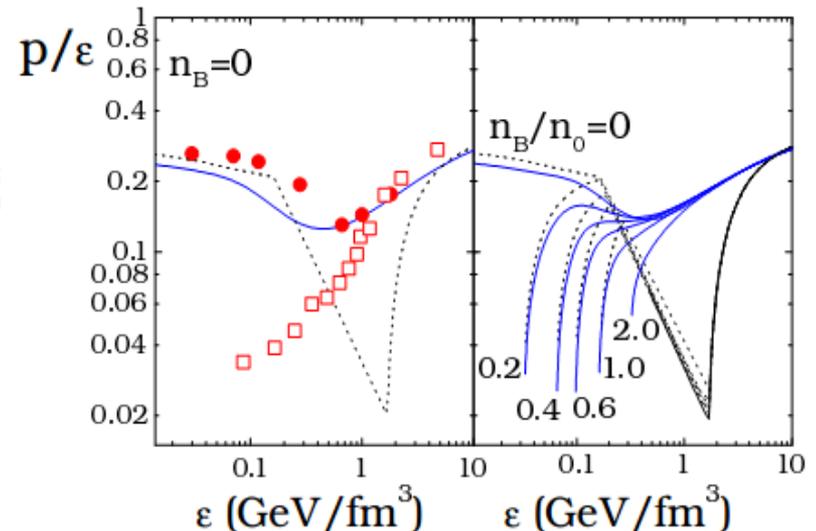
Phase transition \leftrightarrow EoS softening

(in dense baryon matter)

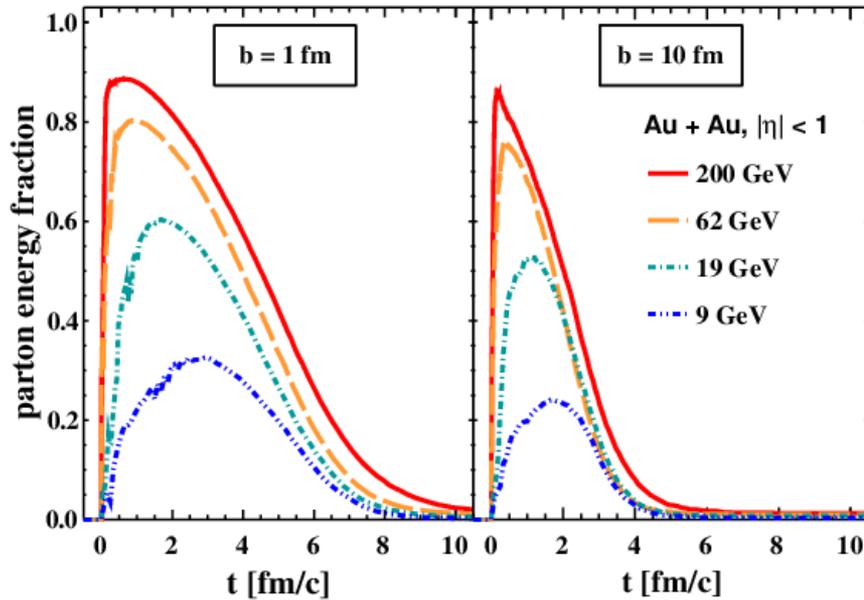
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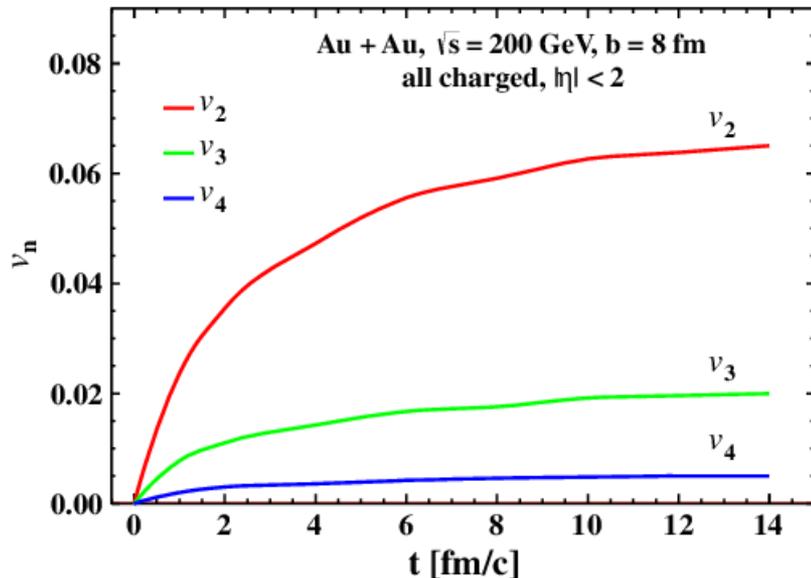
Formation of flow



- ◆ Relative number of partons does not depend much on centrality.

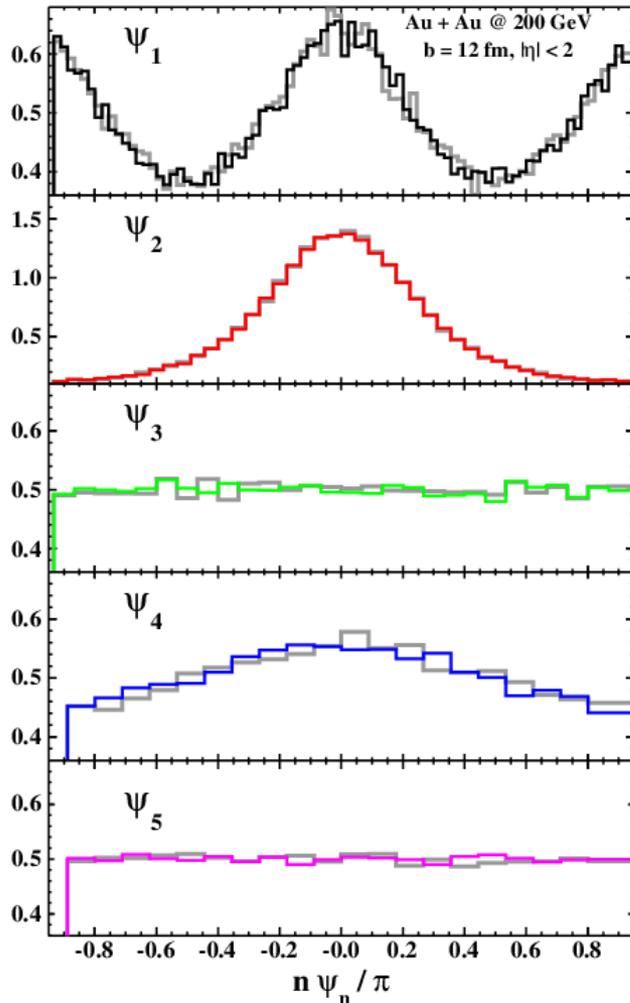
- ◆ In peripheral collisions the duration of the partonic phase is short.

- ◆ Collective flow is formed mainly during the partonic phase.

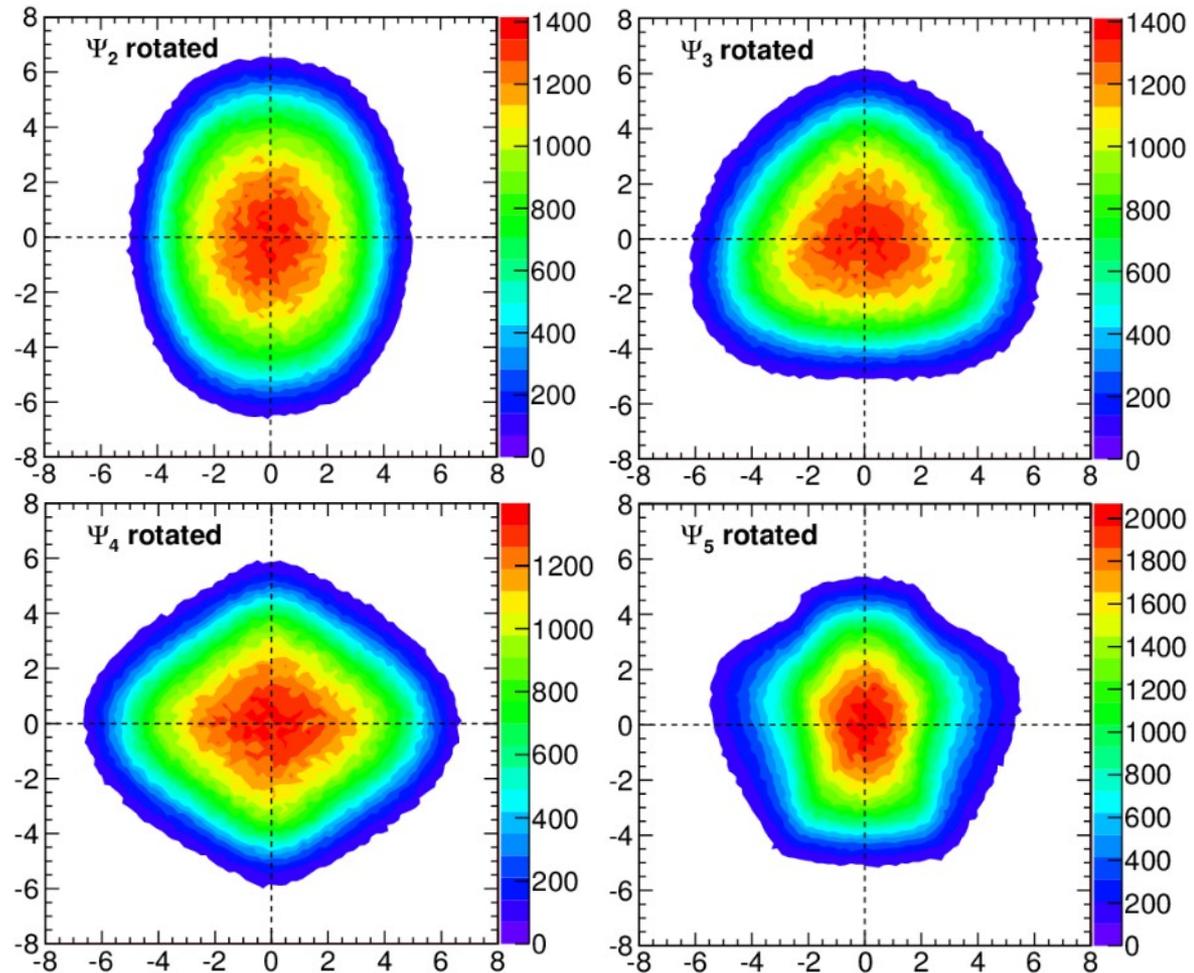


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Final angular distribution in p-space



Event plane distributions:
even – peaked,
odd – flat.

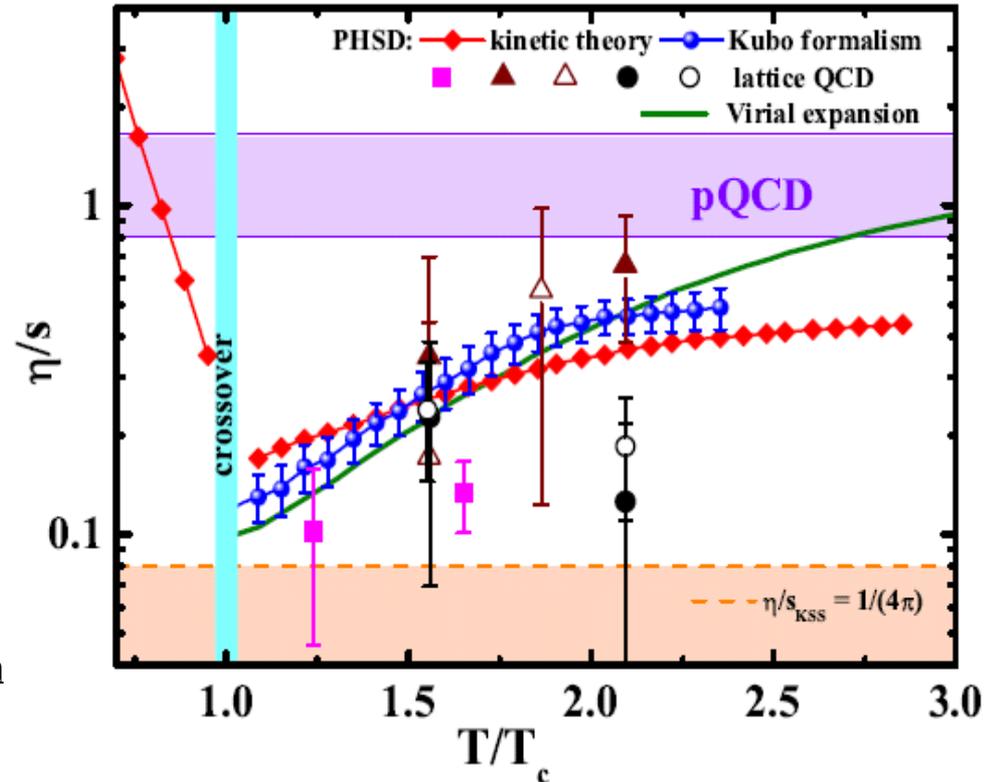


Au+Au collisions
rotated to different event planes.

Shear viscosity

η/s using **Kubo formalism** and the **relaxation time approximation** („kinetic theory“)

- $T=T_C$: η/s shows a **minimum** (~ 0.1) close to the critical temperature
- $T>T_C$: QGP - **pQCD limit** at higher temperatures
- $T<T_C$: fast increase of the ratio η/s for **hadronic matter** →
 - lower interaction rate of hadronic system
 - smaller number of degrees of freedom (or entropy density) for hadronic matter compared to the QGP

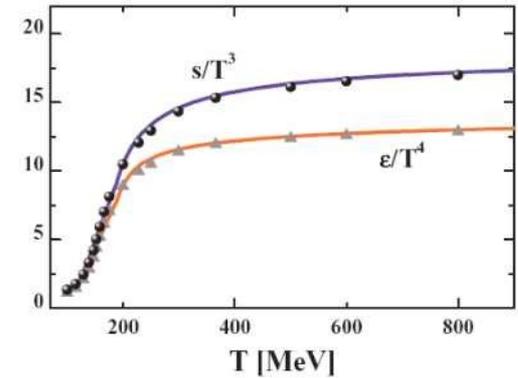


QGP in PHSD = strongly-interacting liquid

The Dynamical QuasiParticle Model (DQPM)

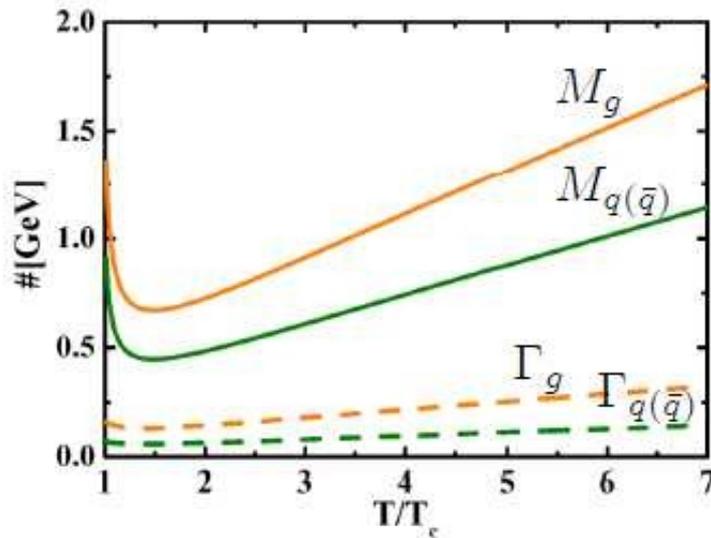
➤ **fit to lattice (IQCD) results** (e.g. entropy density)

* BMW IQCD data S. Borsanyi et al., JHEP 1009 (2010) 073

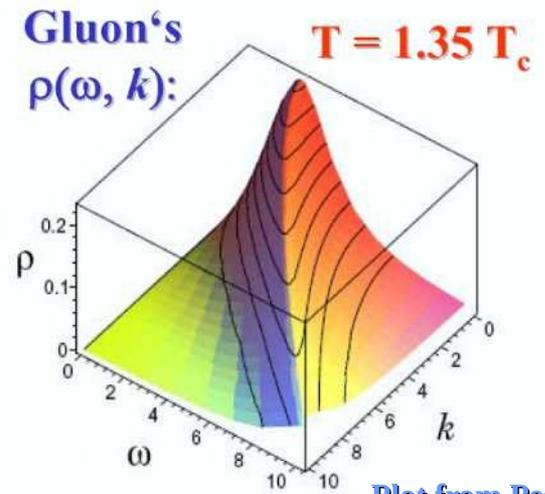


➔ **Quasiparticle properties:**

■ **large width and mass for gluons and quarks**



$T_C = 158 \text{ MeV}$
 $\epsilon_C = 0.5 \text{ GeV/fm}^3$



Plot from Peshier,
 PRD 70 (2004)
 034016

- **DQPM matches well lattice QCD**
- **DQPM provides mean-fields (1PI) for gluons and quarks as well as effective 2-body interactions (2PI)**
- **DQPM gives transition rates for the formation of hadrons → PHSD**

The Dynamical QuasiParticle Model (DQPM)

Properties of **interacting quasi-particles**: massive quarks and gluons (g, q, q_{bar}) with **Lorentzian spectral functions** :

$$\rho_i(\omega, T) = \frac{4\omega\Gamma_i(T)}{\left(\omega^2 - p^2 - M_{i_2}(T)\right)^2 + 4\omega^2\Gamma_{i_2}(T)} \quad (i=q, \bar{q}, g)$$

■ **Modeling of the quark/gluon masses and widths** → HTL limit at high T

■ **quarks:**

mass: $M_{q(\bar{q})}^2(T) = \frac{N_c^2 - 1}{8N_c} g^2 \left(T^2 + \frac{\mu_q^2}{\pi^2} \right)$

width: $\Gamma_{q(\bar{q})}(T) = \frac{1}{3} \frac{N_c^2 - 1}{2N_c} \frac{g^2 T}{8\pi} \ln\left(\frac{2c}{g^2} + 1\right)$

■ **gluons:**

$$M_g^2(T) = \frac{g^2}{6} \left(\left(N_c + \frac{N_f}{2} \right) T^2 + \frac{N_c}{2} \sum_q \frac{\mu_q^2}{\pi^2} \right)$$

$$\Gamma_g(T) = \frac{1}{3} N_c \frac{g^2 T}{8\pi} \ln\left(\frac{2c}{g^2} + 1\right)$$

$N_c = 3, N_f = 3$

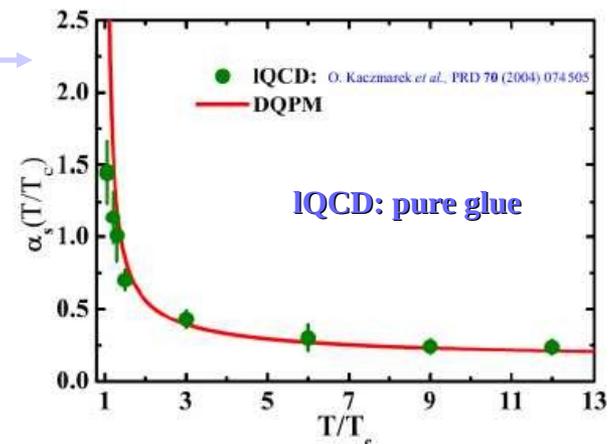
■ **running coupling (pure glue):**

$$\alpha_s(T) = \frac{g^2(T)}{4\pi} = \frac{12\pi}{(11N_c - 2N_f) \ln[\lambda^2(T/T_c - T_s/T_c)^2]}$$

□ **fit to lattice (IQCD) results (e.g. entropy density)**

with 3 parameters: $T_s/T_c=0.46$; $c=28.8$; $\lambda=2.42$

(for pure glue $N_f=0$)



DQPM: Peshier, Cassing, PRL 94 (2005) 172301;
Cassing, NPA 791 (2007) 365; NPA 793 (2007)

Dynamical QuasiParticle Model (DQPM):

DQPM describes QCD properties in terms of „resummed“ single-particle Green's functions – in the sense of a two-particle irreducible (2PI) approach:

Gluon propagator: $\Delta^{-1} = P^2 - \Pi$ gluon self-energy: $\Pi = M_g^2 - i2\Gamma_g \omega$

Quark propagator: $S_q^{-1} = P^2 - \Sigma_q$ quark self-energy: $\Sigma_q = M_q^2 - i2\Gamma_q \omega$

- the resummed properties are specified by complex self-energies which depend on temperature:
 - the real part of self-energies (Σ_q, Π) describes a dynamically generated mass (M_q, M_g);
 - the imaginary part describes the interaction width of partons (Γ_q, Γ_g)
- space-like part of energy-momentum tensor $T_{\mu\nu}$ defines the potential energy density and the mean-field potential (1PI) for quarks and gluons
- 2PI framework guaranties a consistent description of the system in- and out-of equilibrium on the basis of Kadanoff-Baym equations