



Hydrodynamics of QCD

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- **Hydrodynamics is hydrodynamics, no matter the substance**

Hydrodynamics of QCD

or

What
the use of
hydrodynamics
has taught us about
QCD matter

QCD matter

- matter in condensed matter physics sense
- so many particles that thermodynamical concepts
 - temperature
 - pressure
 - etc.
- apply
- interaction between constituents QCD, not QED
- in particular, partonic matter, i.e. QGP

Heavy-ion collision

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Hydrodynamics

local conservation of energy, momentum and baryon number:

$$\partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu}(x) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \partial_\mu N^\mu(x) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} T^{\mu\nu} &= (\epsilon + P)u^\mu u^\nu - (P + \Pi)g^{\mu\nu} + \pi^{\mu\nu} \\ N^\mu &= n u^\mu + \nu^\mu \end{aligned}$$

local, macroscopic variables: **energy density** $\epsilon(x)$
pressure $P(x)$
flow velocity $u^\mu(x)$

matter characterized by: **equation of state** $P = P(T, \{\mu_i\})$
transport coefficients $\eta = \eta(T, \{\mu_i\})$
 $\zeta = \zeta(T, \{\mu_i\})$
 $\kappa = \kappa(T, \{\mu_i\})$

Unknowns: initial state, final state

Dissipative hydrodynamics

$$T^{\mu\nu} = e u^\mu u^\nu - (P + \Pi) \Delta^{\mu\nu} + \pi^{\mu\nu}$$

$\pi^{\mu\nu}$: shear-stress tensor, Π : bulk pressure

relativistic Navier-Stokes: $\pi^{\mu\nu} = 2\eta \nabla^{\langle\mu} u^{\nu\rangle}$

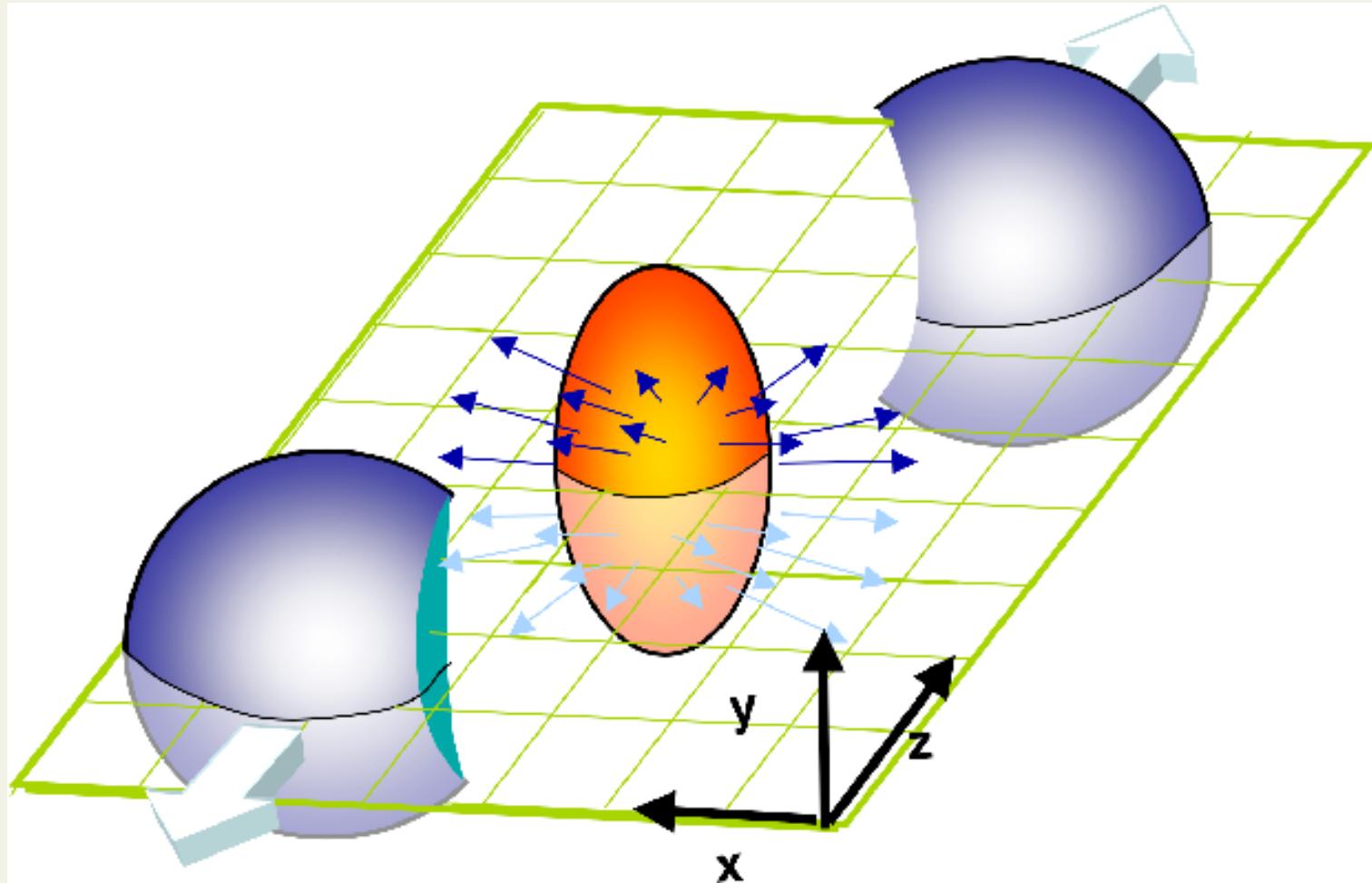
- unstable and acausal

Israel-Stewart: $\pi^{\mu\nu}$ independent dynamical variable

$$\langle u^\lambda \partial_\lambda \pi^{\mu\nu} \rangle = \frac{\pi_{\text{NS}}^{\mu\nu} - \pi^{\mu\nu}}{\tau_\pi} - \frac{4}{3} \pi^{\mu\nu} \partial_\lambda u^\lambda + \dots$$

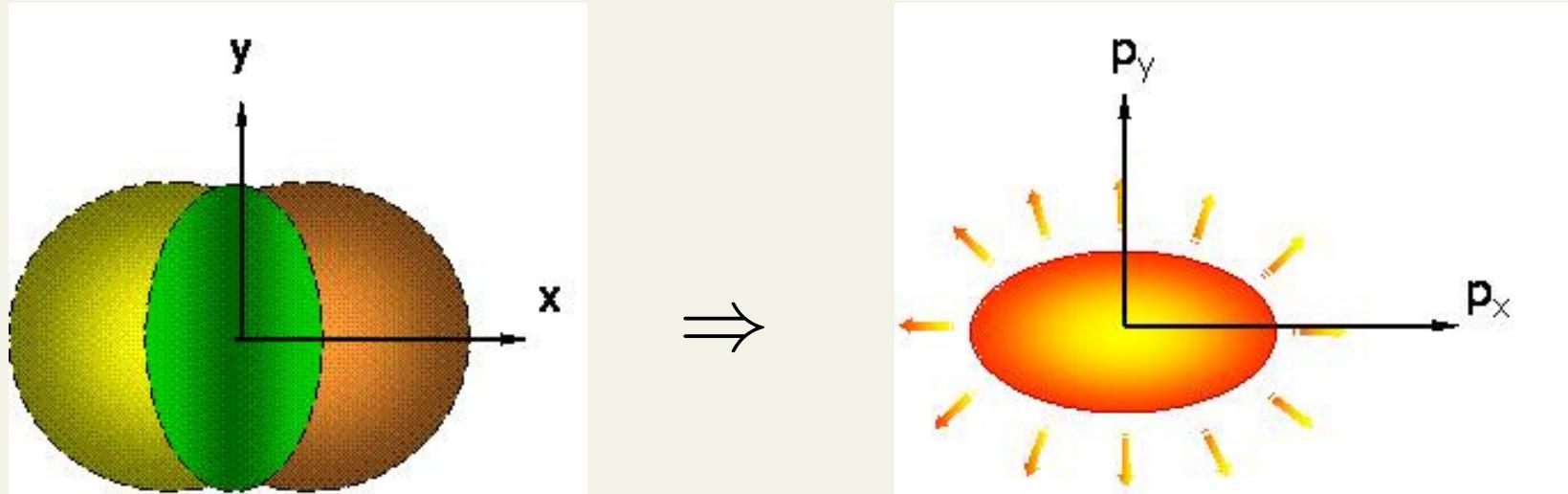
- η : shear viscosity coefficient
- τ_π : shear relaxation time, known for massless particles

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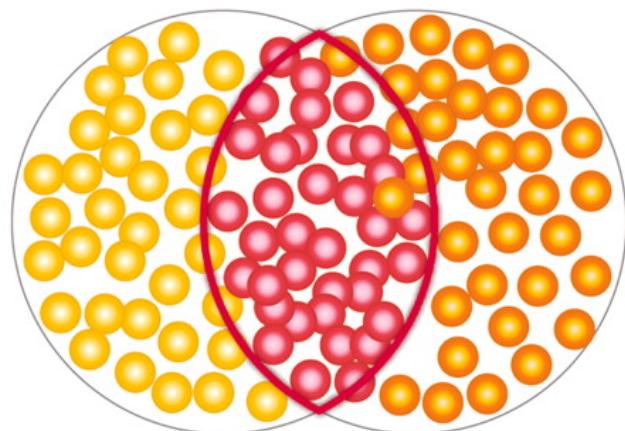
spatial anisotropy → final azimuthal momentum anisotropy



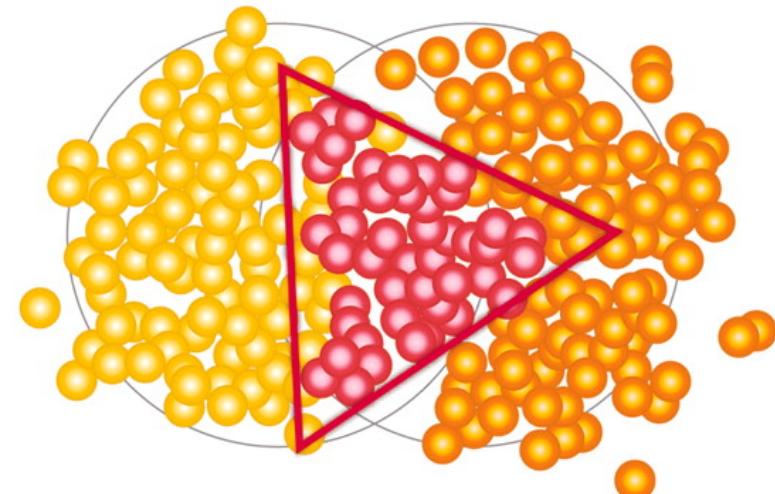
- Anisotropy in coordinate space + rescattering
⇒ Anisotropy in momentum space
 - sensitive to speed of sound $c_s^2 = \partial p / \partial e$ and shear viscosity η
- Quantified with Fourier expansion of momentum distribution:

$$\frac{dN}{dy p_T dp_T d\phi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{dN}{dy p_T dp_T} (1 + 2v_1(y, p_T) \cos \phi + 2v_2(y, p_T) \cos 2\phi + \dots)$$

And other anisotropies v_n



Elliptic flow



Triangular flow

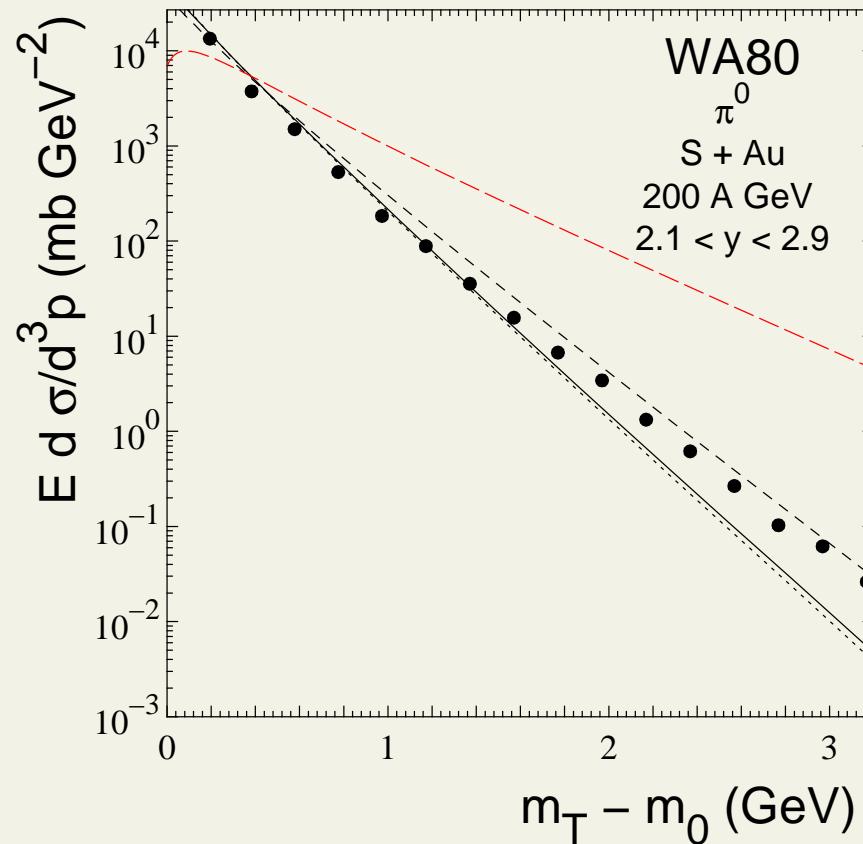
- some events have large v_2 — elliptic flow
- some events have large v_3 — triangular flow
- or something mixed, or. . .
- all coefficients v_n finite

$$\frac{dN}{dy d\phi} = \frac{dN}{dy} \left[1 + \sum_n 2v_n \cos(2(\phi - \Psi_n)) \right]$$

Equation of State

Pion gas EoS

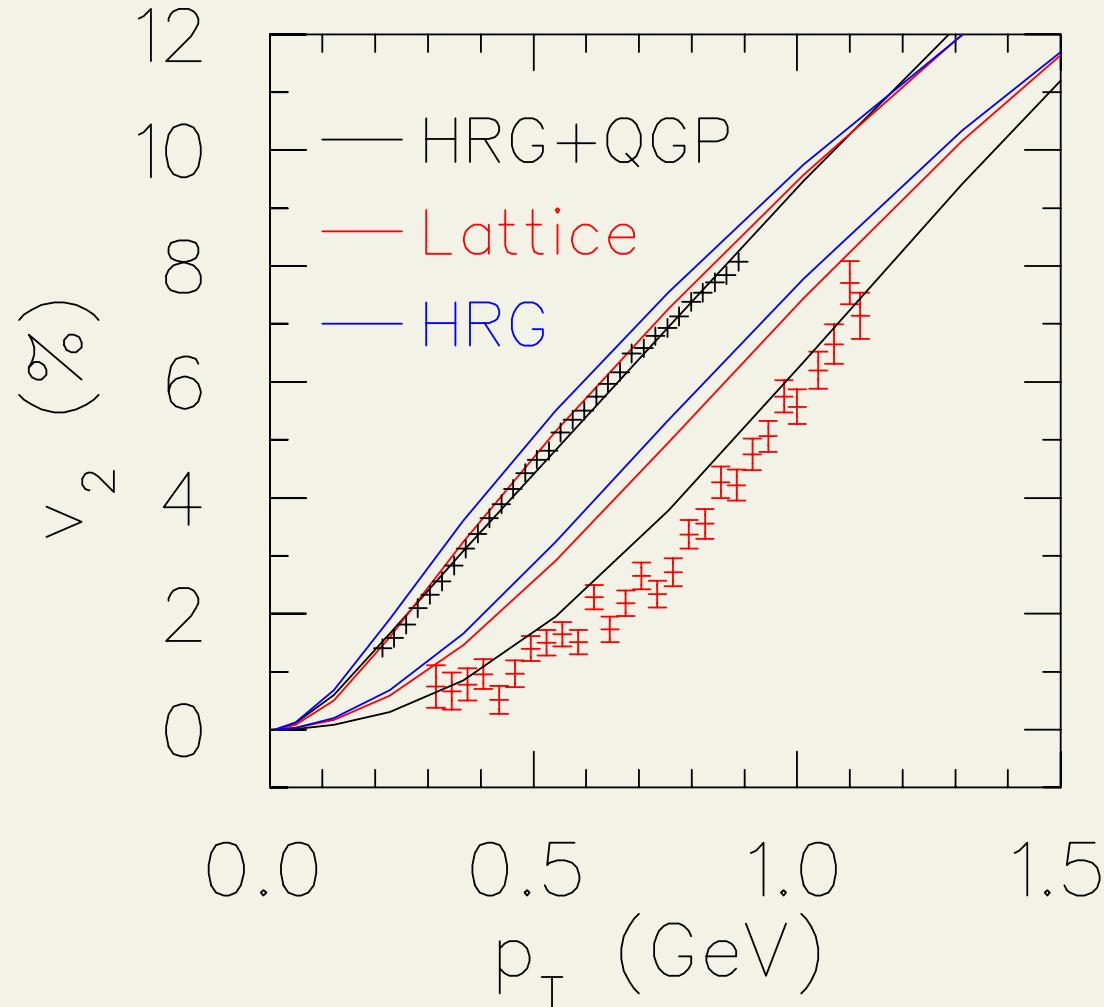
Sollfrank et al, PRC55, 392 (1997)



- **ideal pion gas EoS**
⇒ **too stiff**
- **must have “many” d.o.f’s in the EoS**

difficult to say anything about EoS

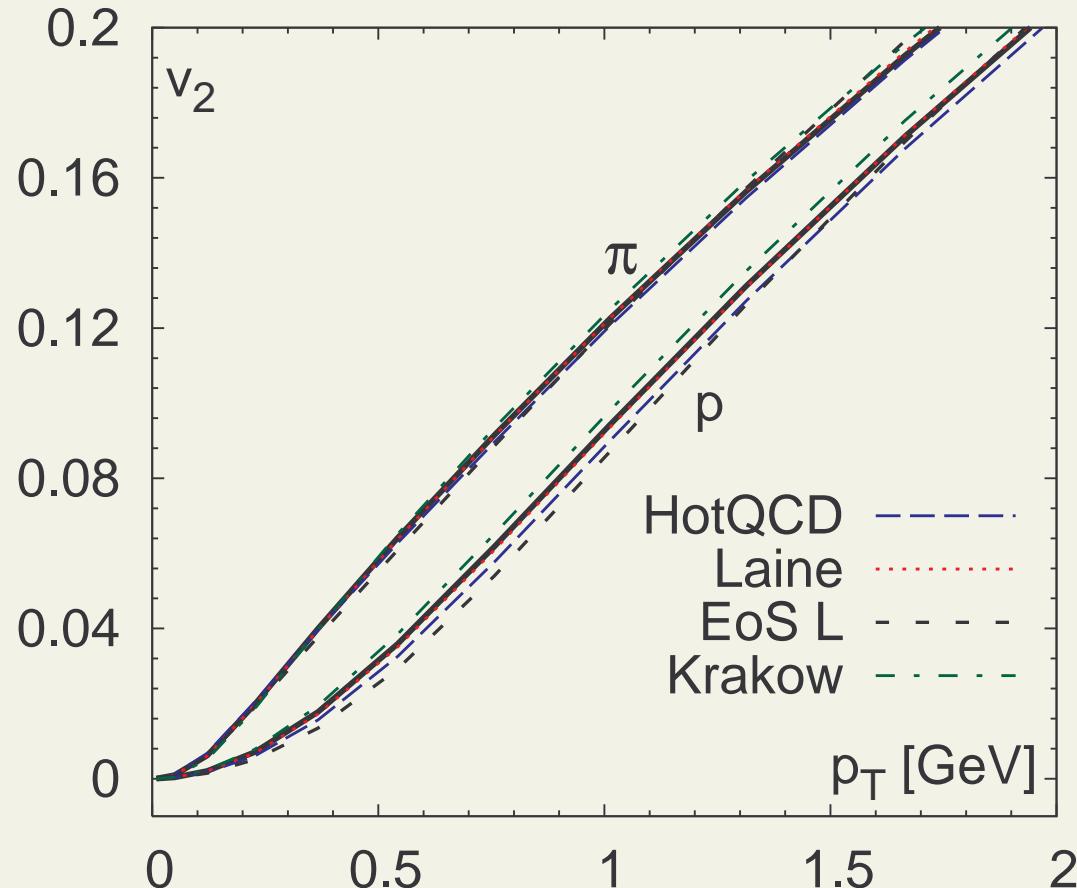
π and p $v_2(p_T)$ in min.bias Au+Au collisions at RHIC



- **HRG: no phase transition** as close to data as lattice EoS
- **HRG+QGP: Maxwell construction, closest to data**

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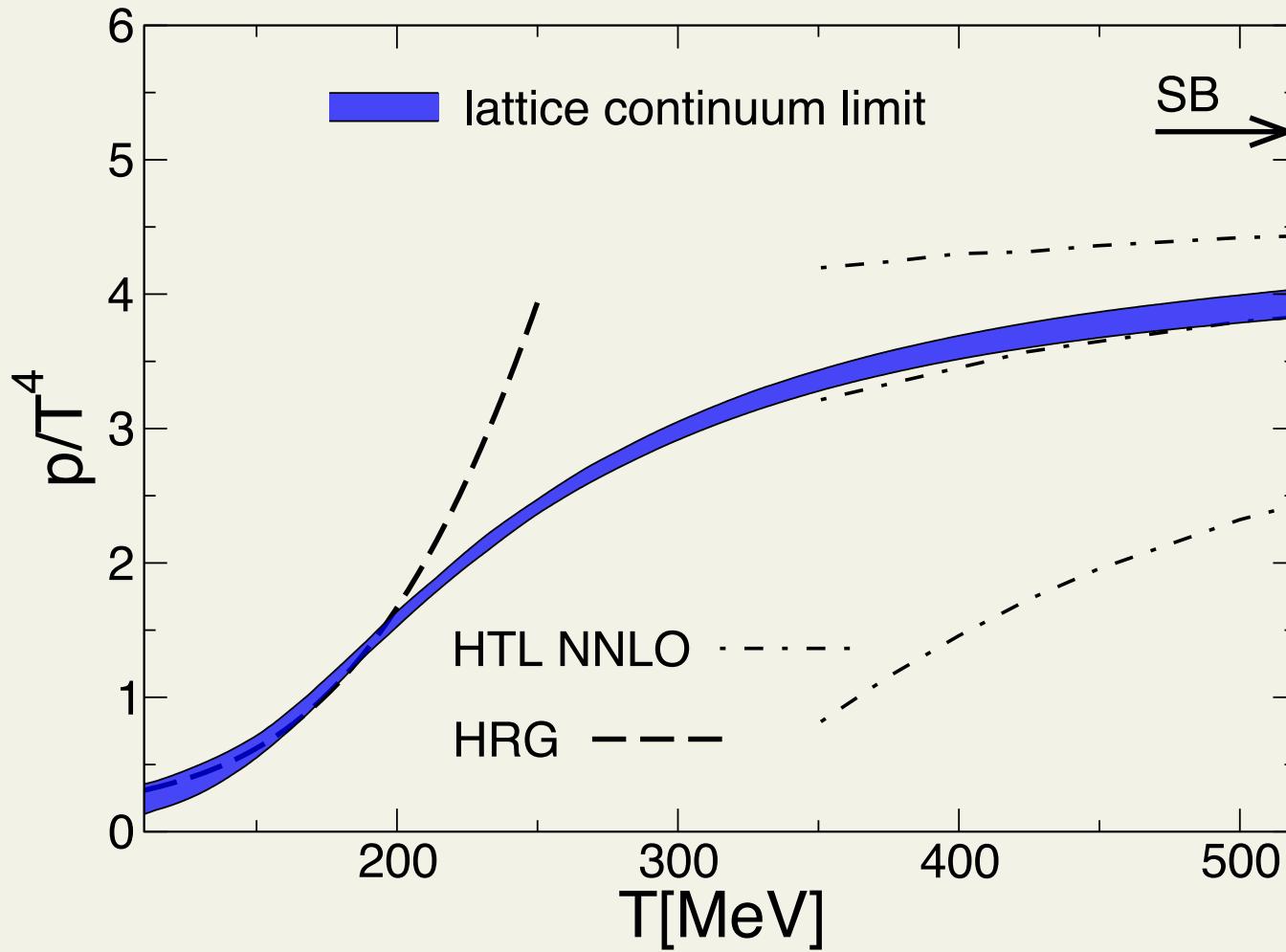
π and p $v_2(p_T)$ in $b=7$ fm Au+Au collisions at RHIC



- comparison of various lattice parametrizations
- uncertainties of the model. . .

Lattice EoS

Borsanyi *et al* [Budapest-Wuppertal Collaboration] Phys.Lett.B730:99,2014



- compatible with data (when dissipation is included)

$$\eta/s$$

why η/s ?

Ideal:

$$(\epsilon + P)Du^\mu = \nabla^\mu P$$

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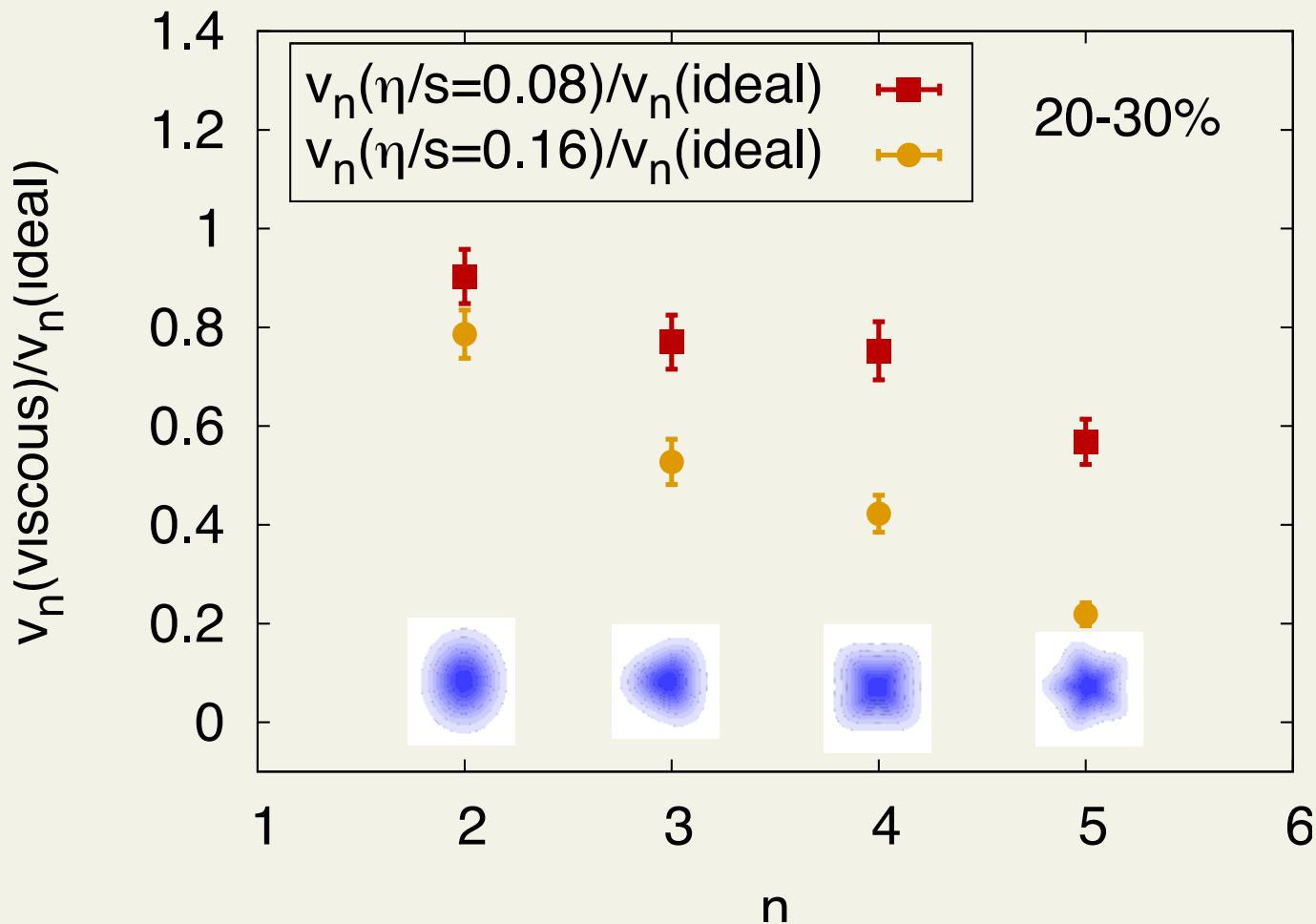
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$\mu = 0 \implies Ts = \epsilon + P :$

$$Du^\mu = \frac{1}{\epsilon + P} \nabla^\mu P - \frac{2}{T} \frac{\eta}{s} \Delta^\mu{}_\alpha \partial_\beta [\nabla^{\langle\alpha} u^{\beta\rangle} + \dots] + \dots$$

Sensitivity to η/s

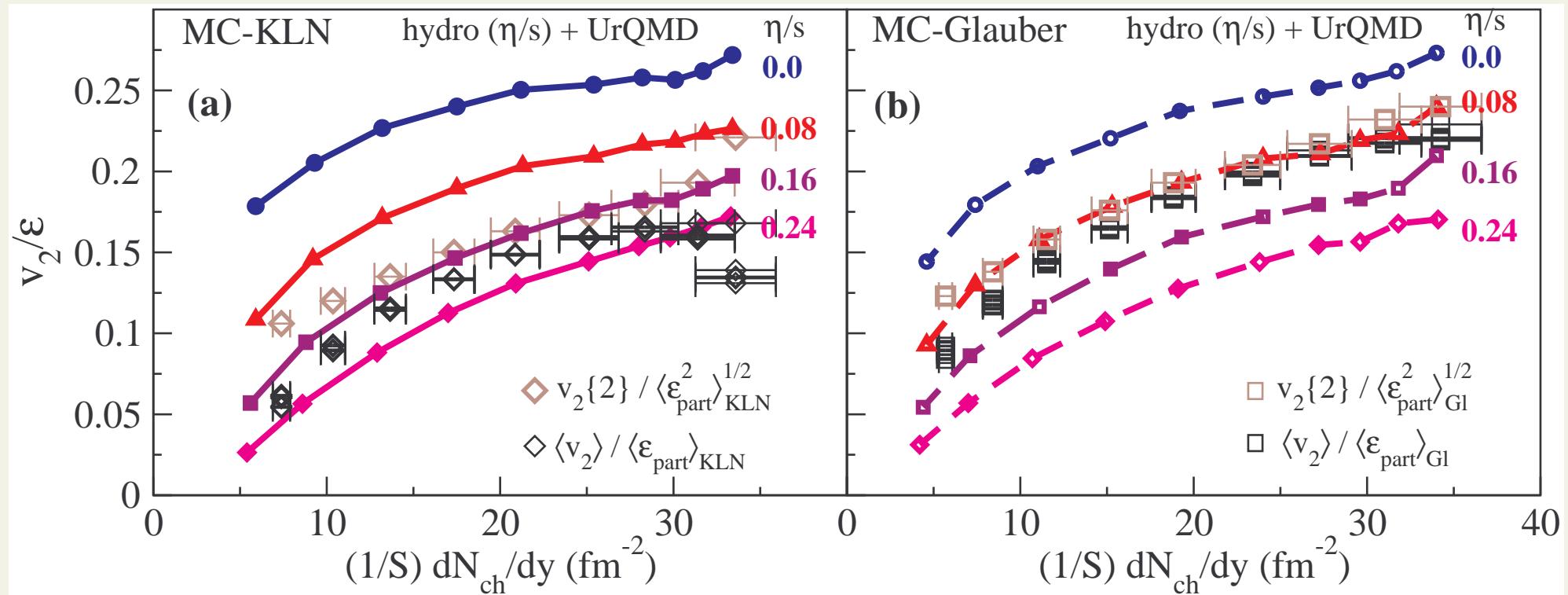
Schenke *et al.* Phys.Rev.C85:024901,2012



- higher coefficients are suppressed more by dissipation

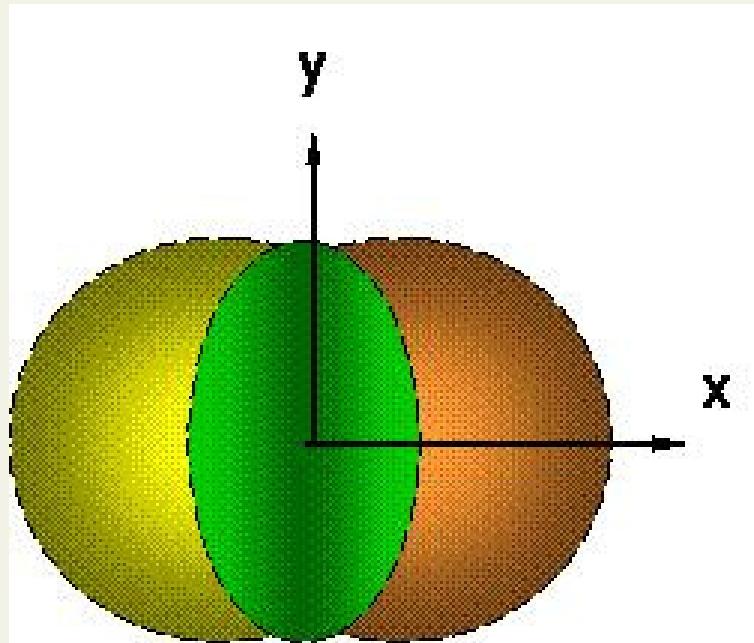
η/s from v_2

Shen et al. J.Phys.G38:124045,2011



- **MC-Glauber initialization:** $\eta/s = 0.08$
- **MC-KLN initialization:** $\eta/s = 0.2$

Initial shape

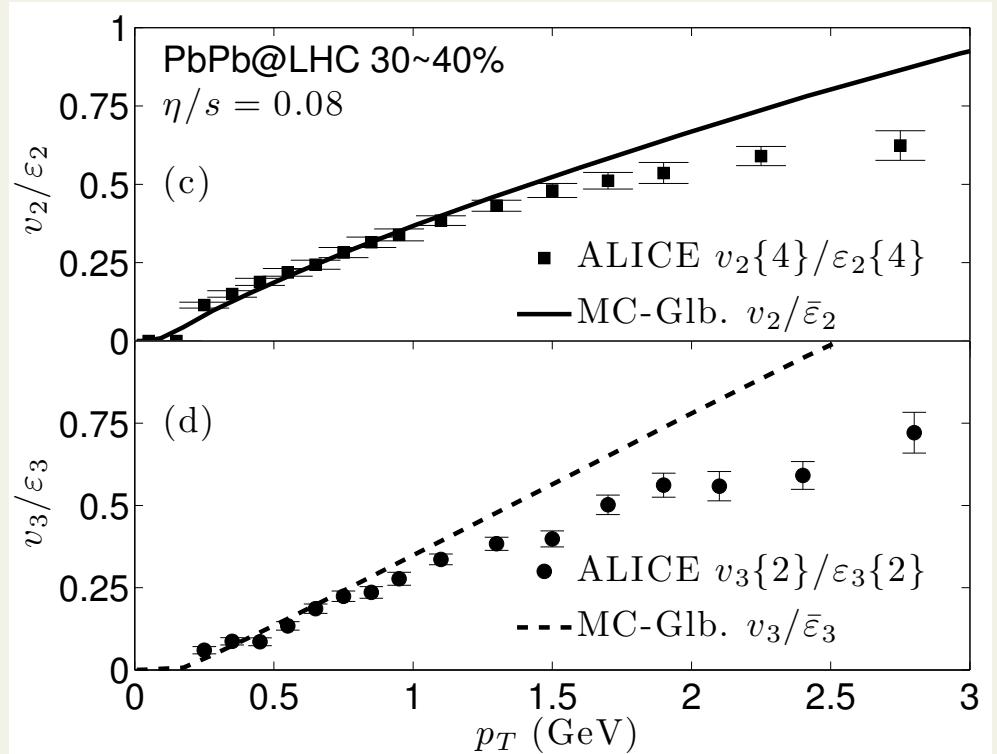
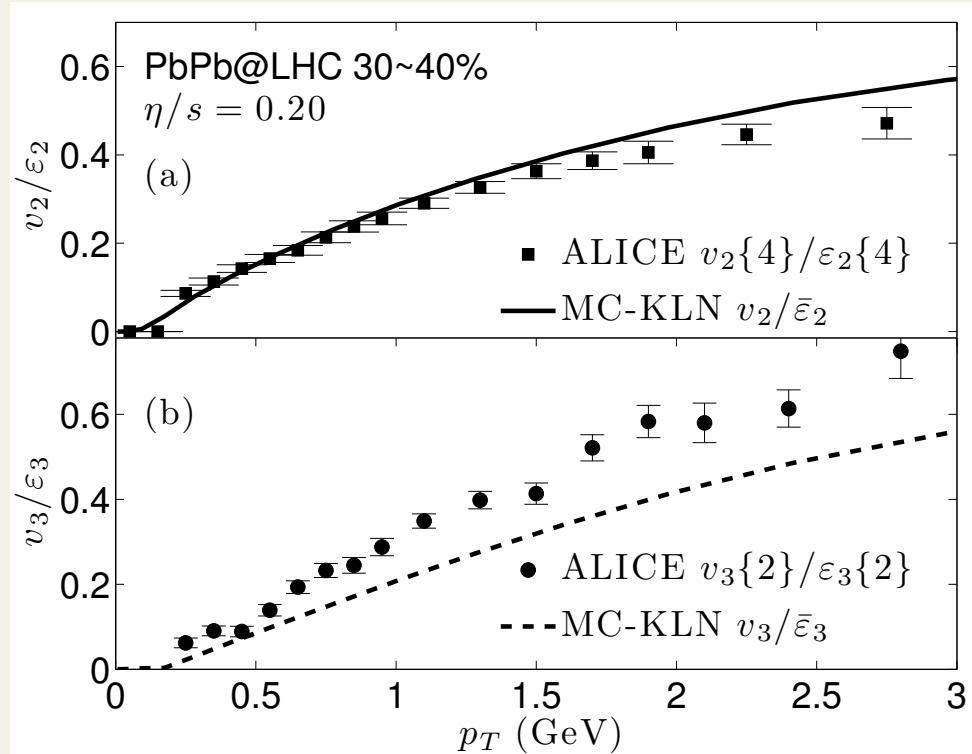


the larger the spatial anisotropy
the larger the momentum anisotropy

Initialization models:

- **Glauber:** Geometric model to calculate the number of participants.
Density/shape scales as a number of participants.
- **KLN:** Color-Glass-Condensate based model — classical color field approximation

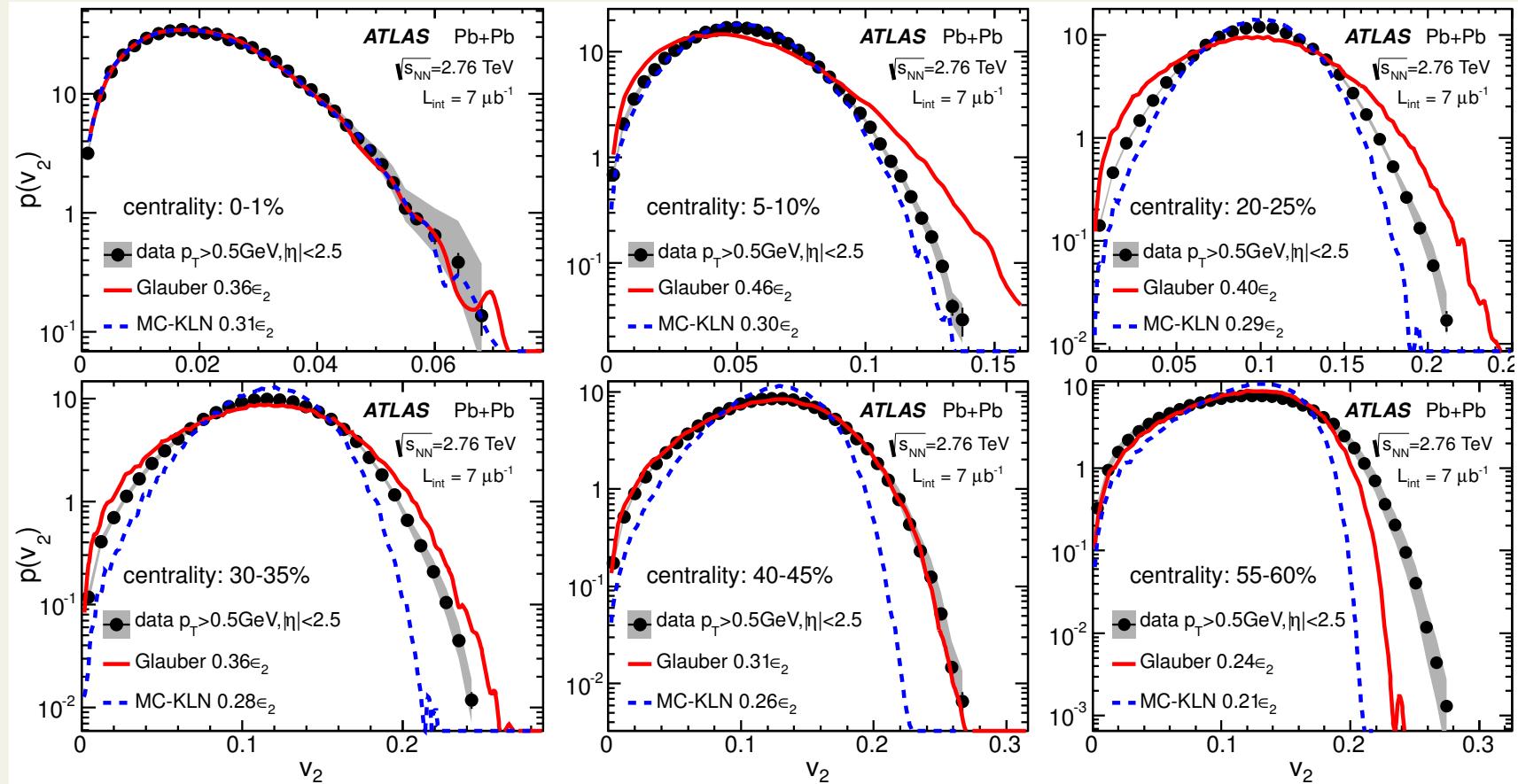
Qiu et al. Phys.Lett.B707:151,2012



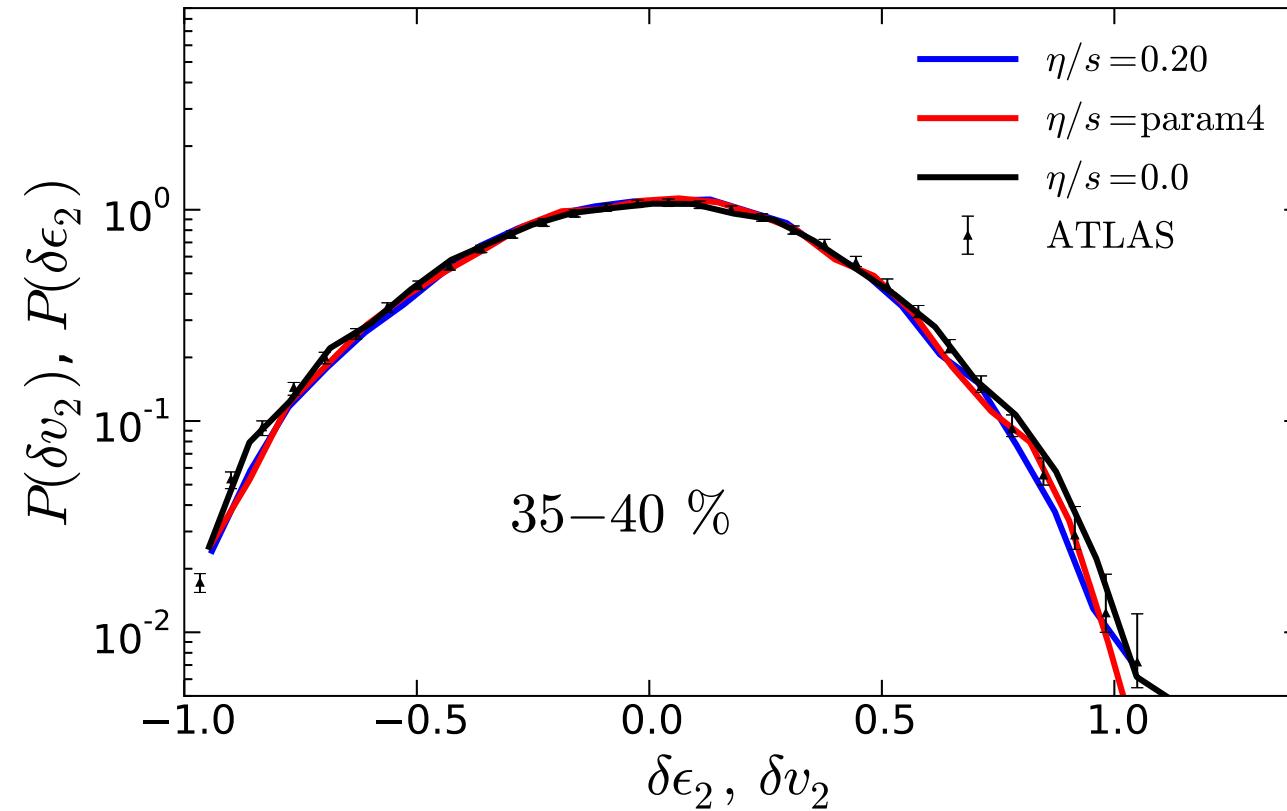
- models can be distinguished
- MC-Glauber slightly favoured

Flow fluctuations

Aad et al. [ATLAS Collaboration] JHEP 1311:183,2013

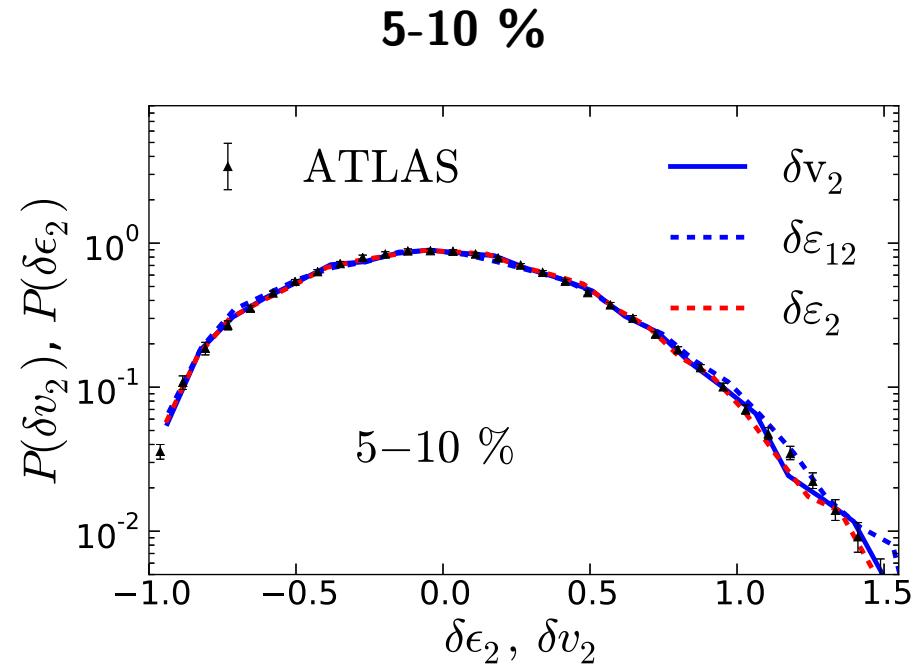
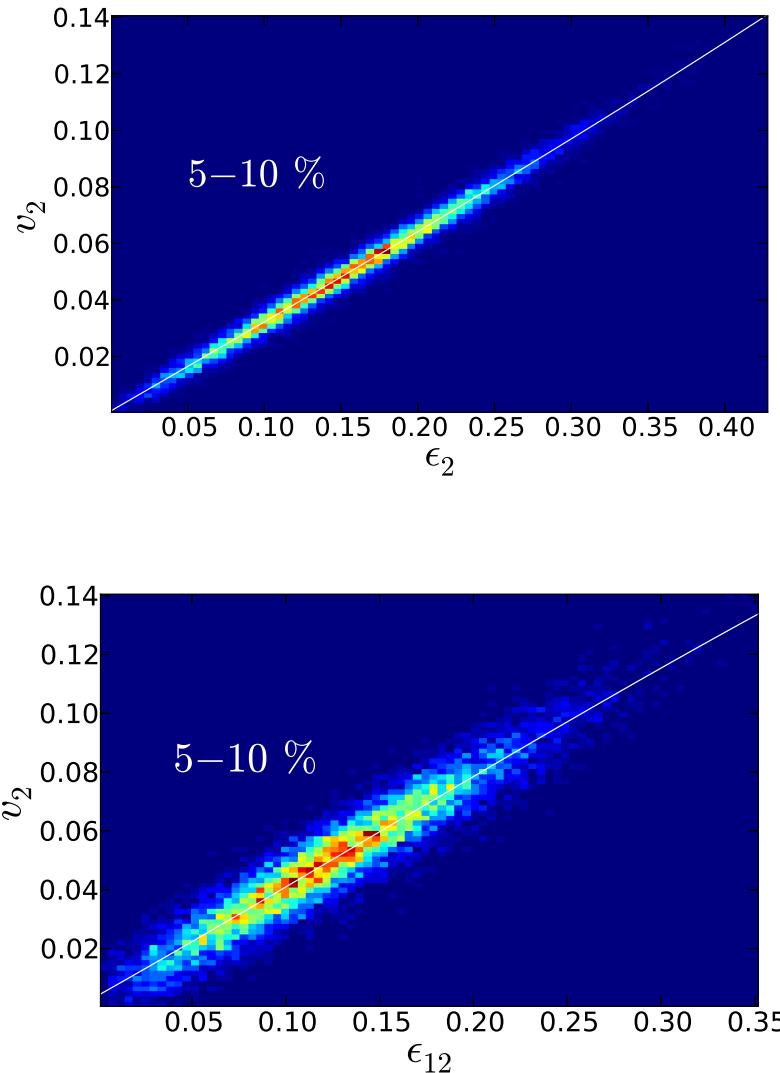


- $P(v_2)$ compared to MC-Glauber and MC-KLN $P(\varepsilon_2)$
- MC-Glauber initialization: too wide
- MC-KLN initialization: too narrow

Sensitivity of $P(\delta v_2)$ to viscosity

- Hydro response shows no sensitivity to η/s . (Note: we scale out the average v_2)

(non)linear-response?

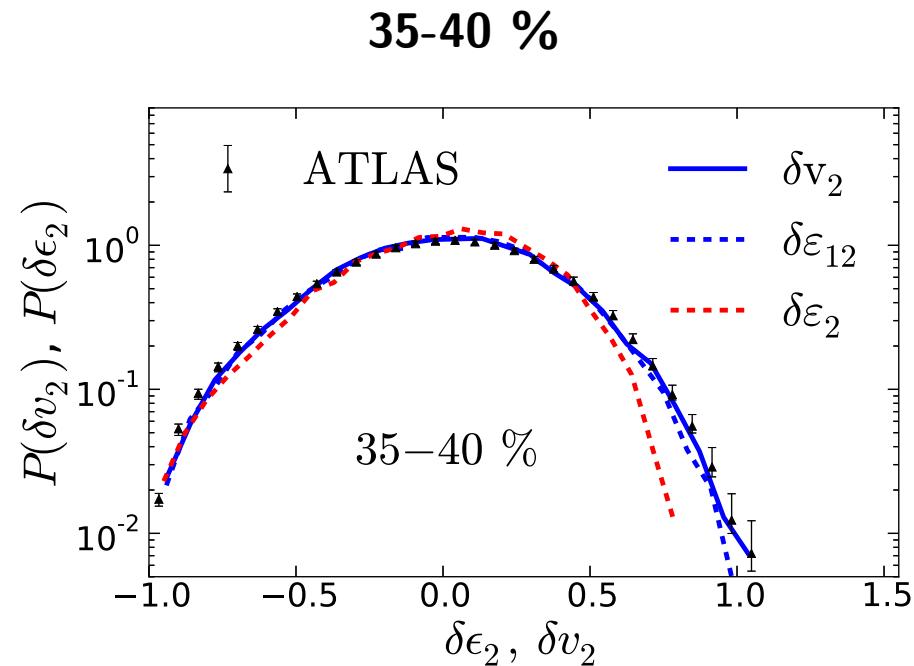
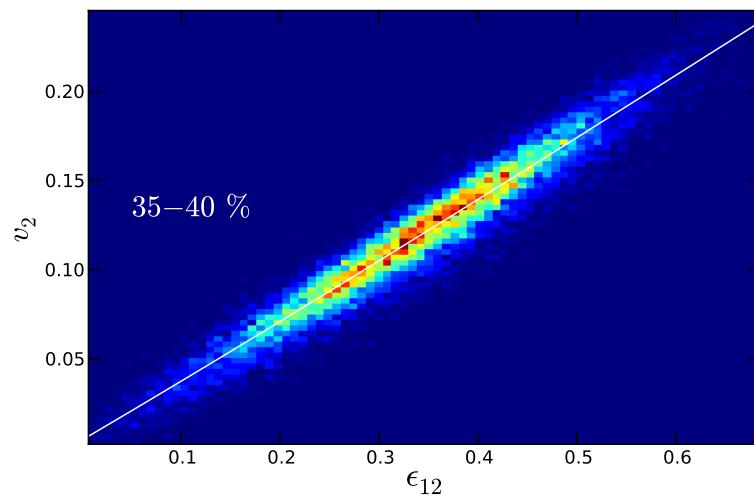
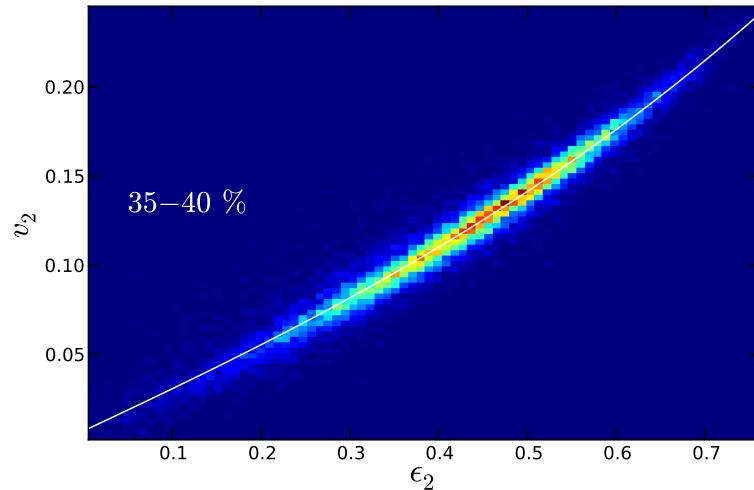


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Full azimuthal structure: $m = 0, \dots, \infty$

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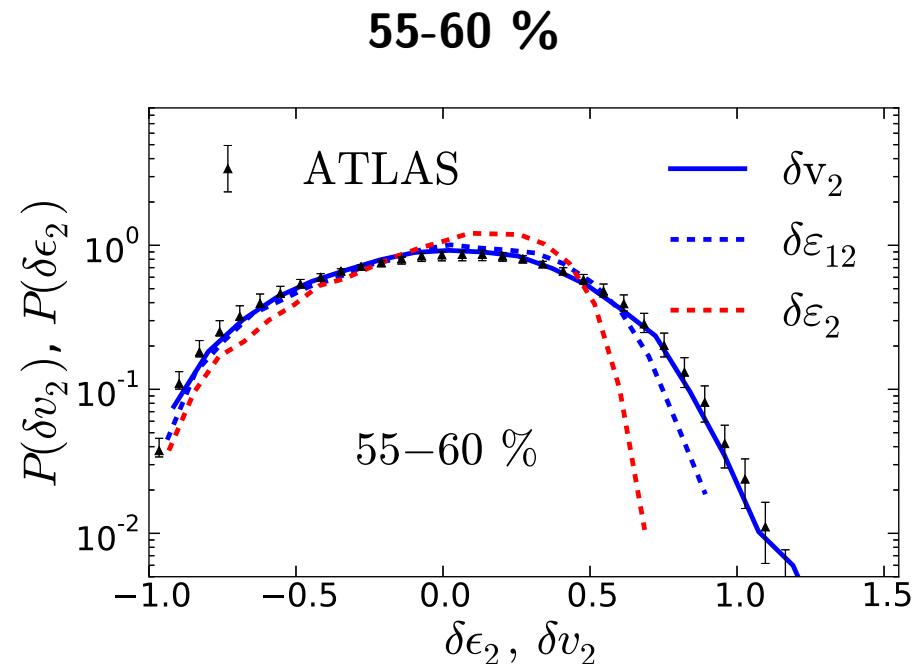
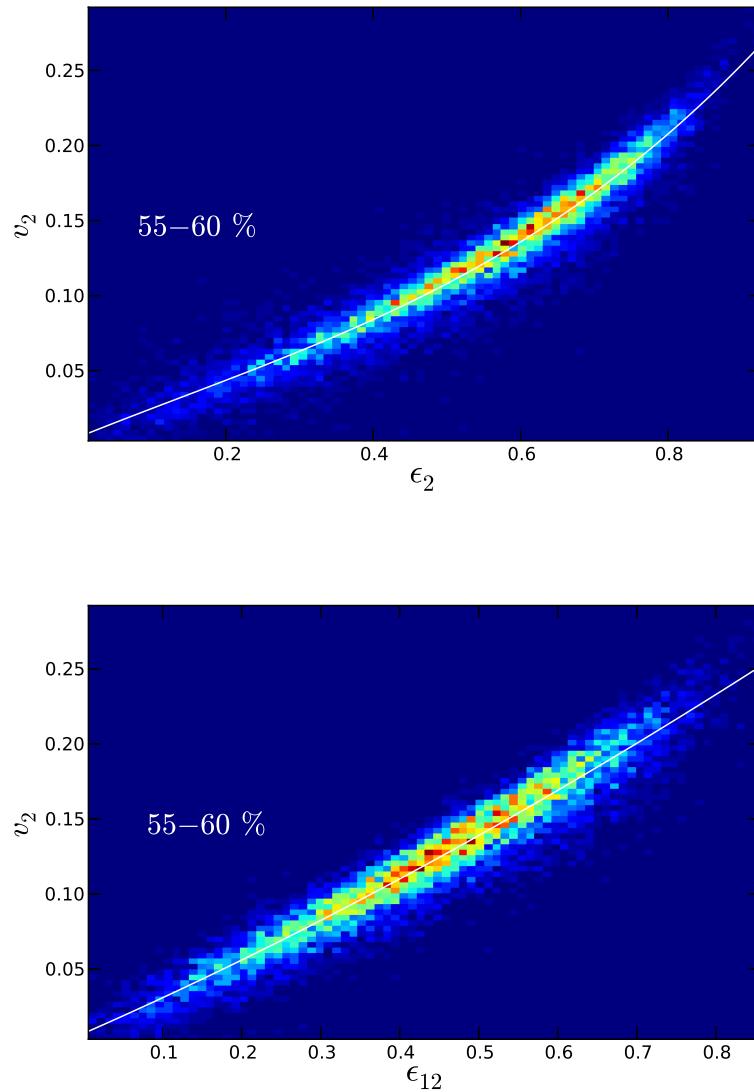


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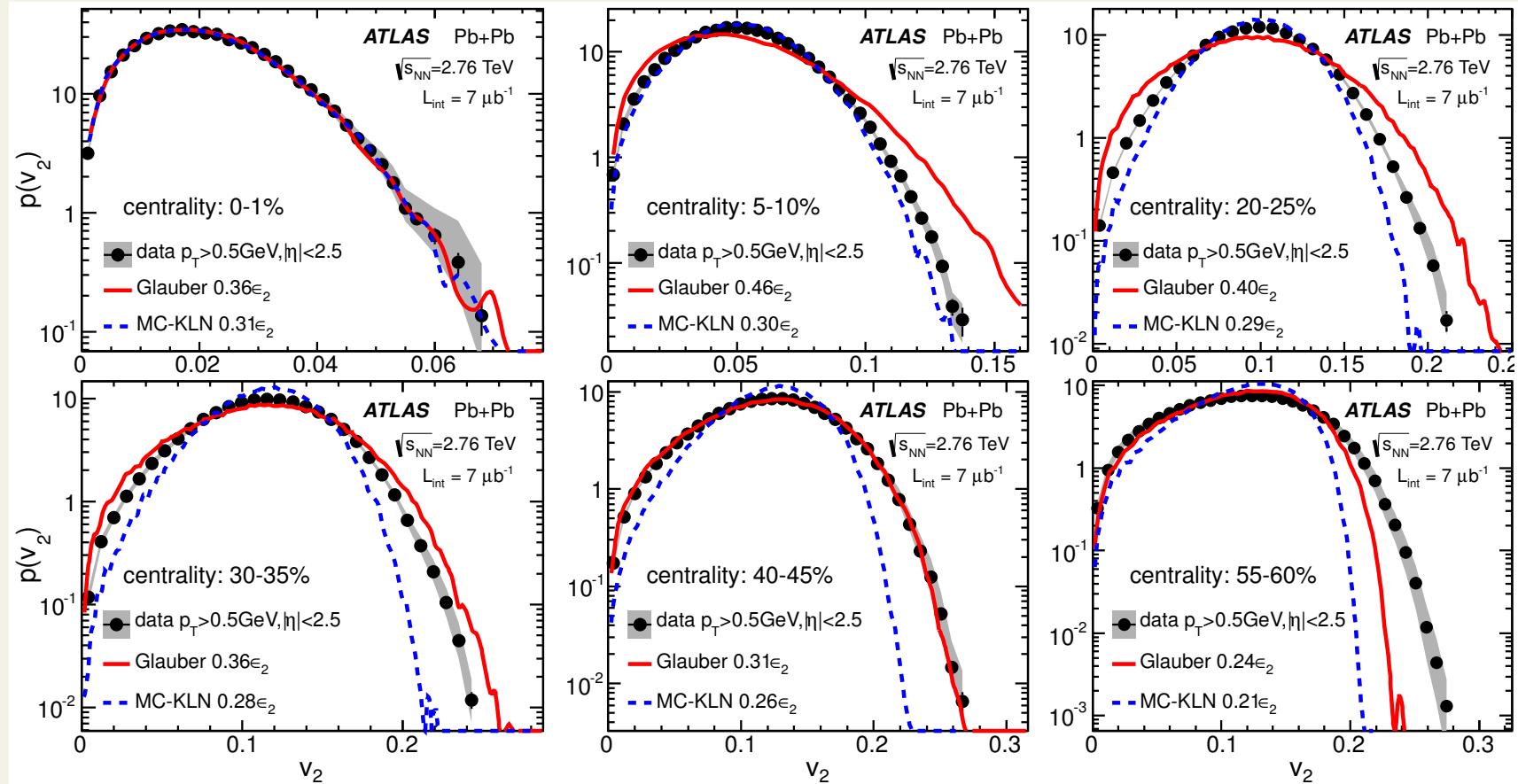
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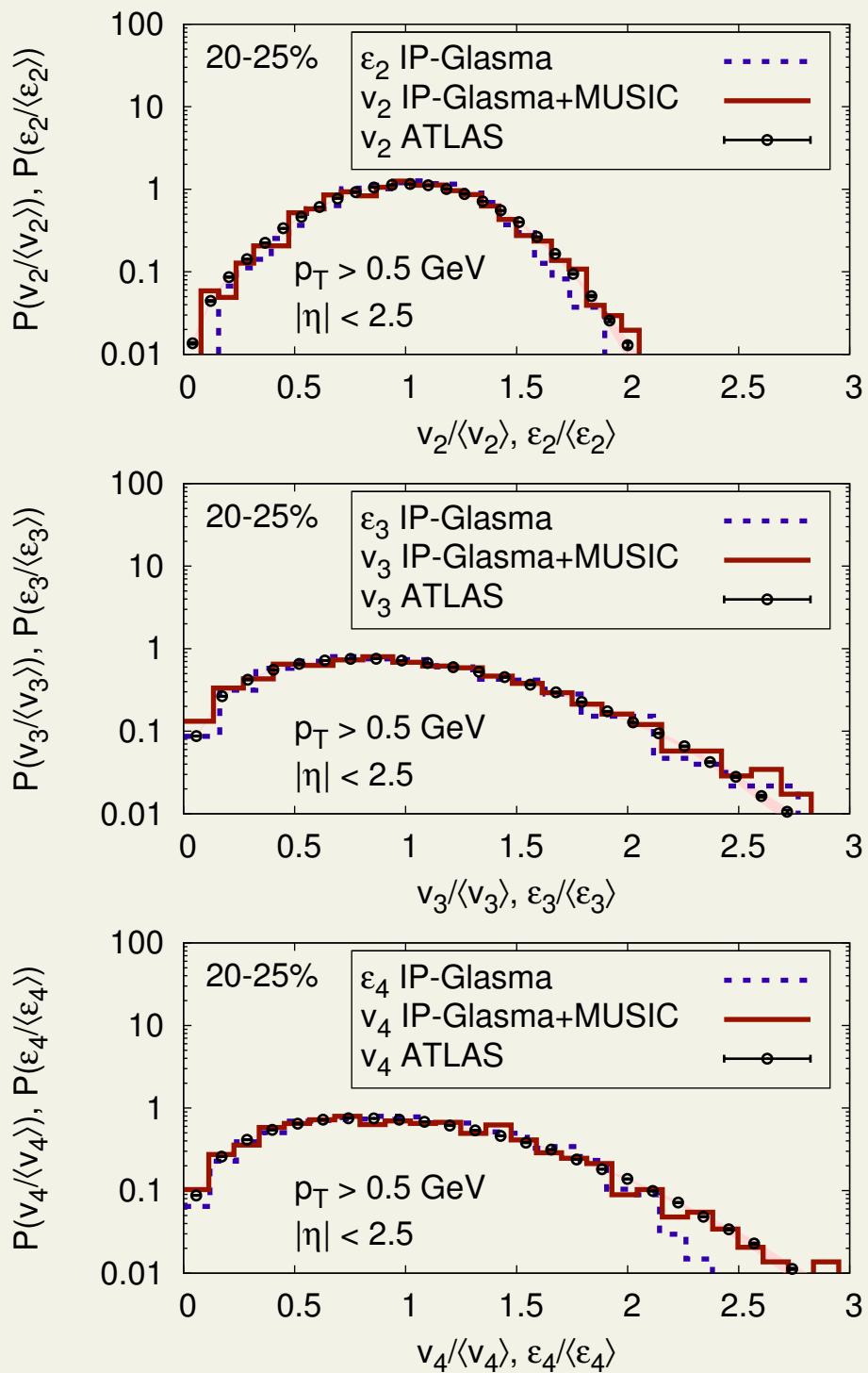
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IP-Glasma initial state

Gale *et al.* Phys.Rev.Lett.110:012302,2013

- reproduces $P(v_n)$
- reproduces v_n

Other recent initializations
reproducing the fluctuations:

- pQCD + saturation (EKRT)

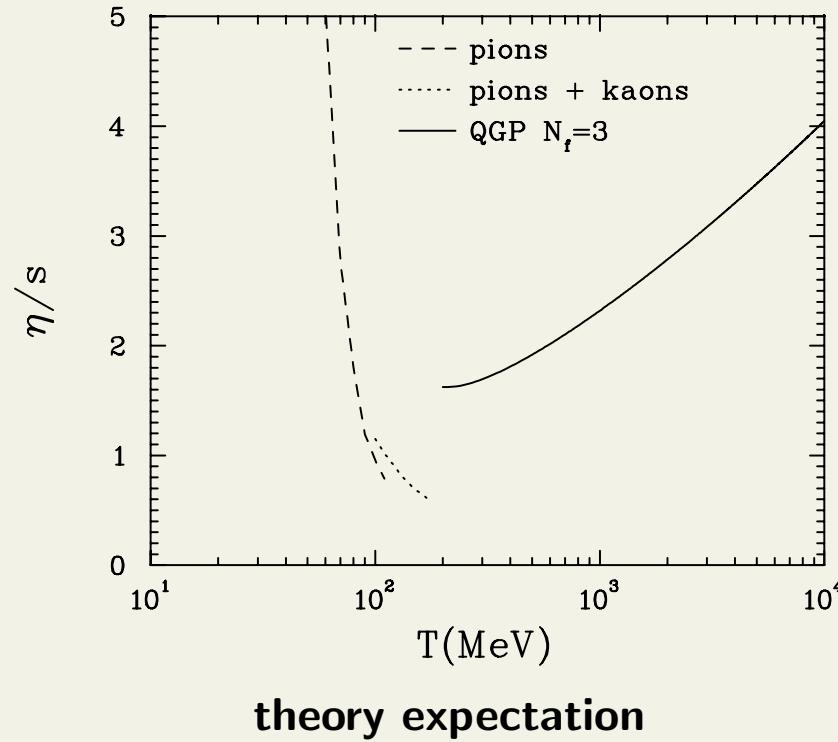
Paatelainen *et al.* Phys.Lett.B731:126,2014

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Moreland *et al.* arXiv:1412.4708

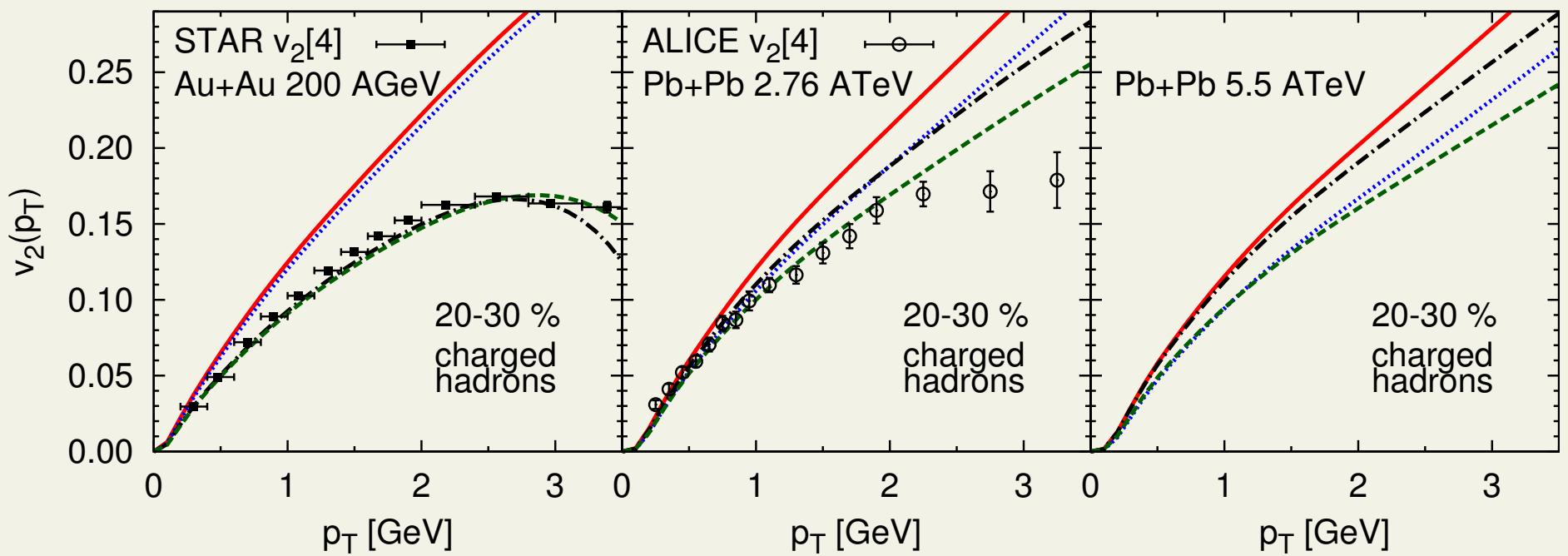
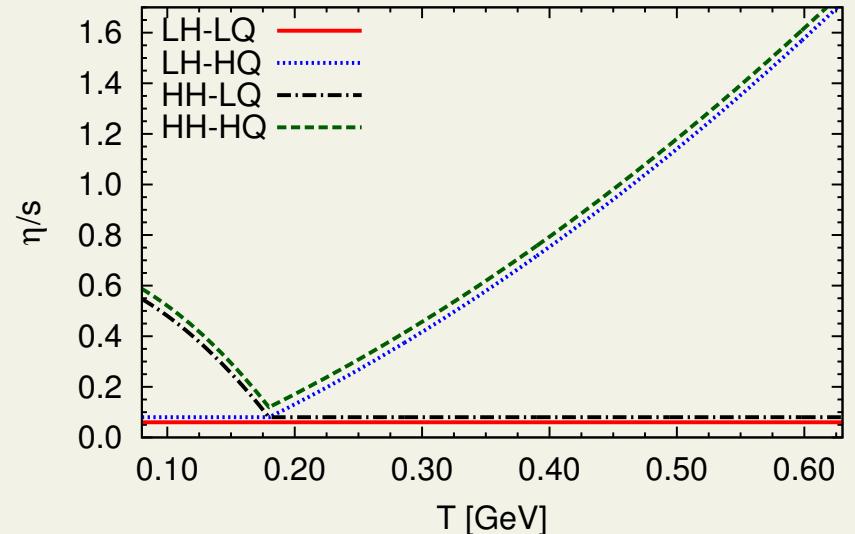
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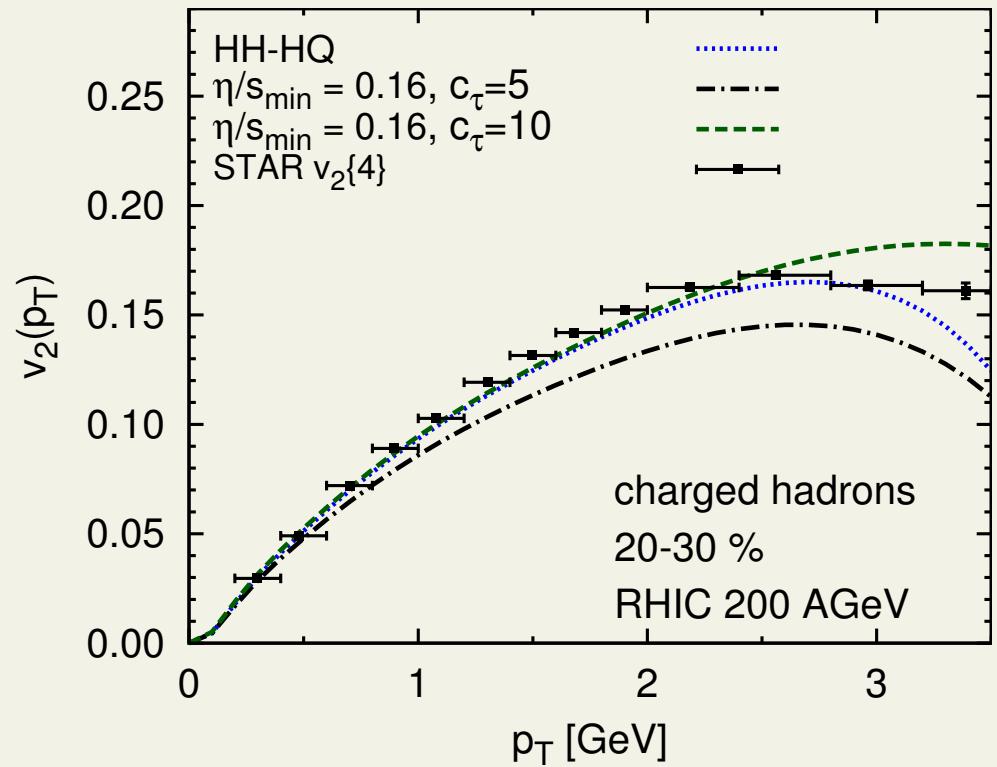
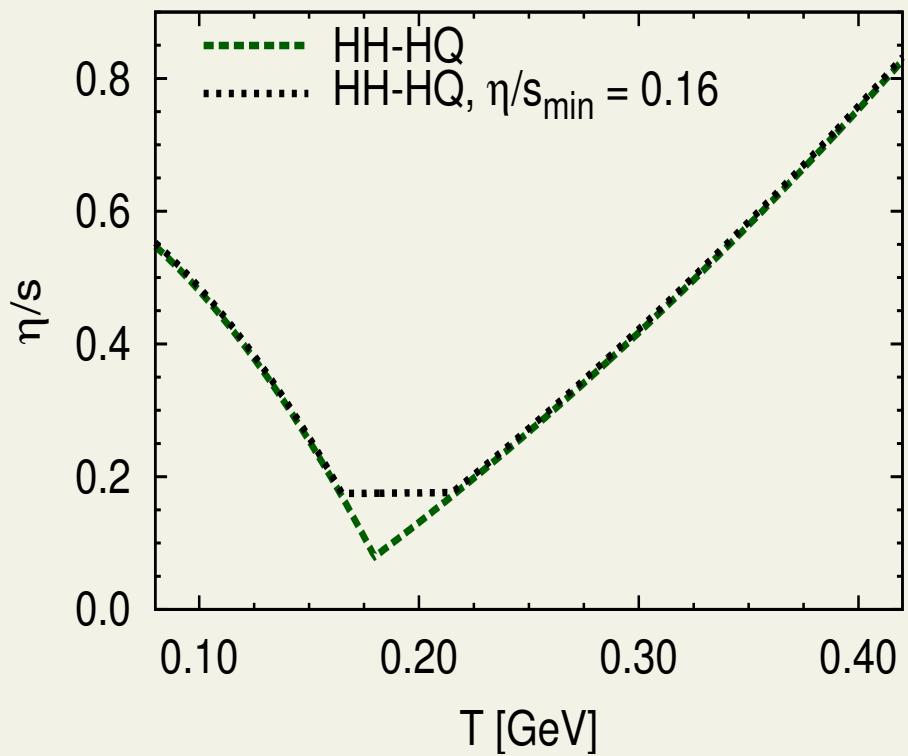
sensitivity to $(\eta/s)(T)$

- parametrizations of $(\eta/s)(T)$
 L="low", H="high"
 H="hadronic", Q="qgp"



- weak dependence on QGP η/s at RHIC
- increasing sensitivity to QGP η/s with collision energy at LHC
- sensitive to minimum of η/s

Niemi et al. Phys.Rev.C86:014909,2012



- $\tau_\pi = c_\tau \eta / (e + P)$
- v_2 sensitive to **both** η and τ_π
- **how to disentangle?**

pA?

- Fluid dynamical behaviour: all data explained by functions

$$P = P(T, \{\mu_i\}), \quad \eta/s = (\eta/s)(T, \{\mu_i\})$$

- properties of matter should not change with \sqrt{s} or colliding nuclei
- does this work at $p + A$?

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- EoS has large # of d.o.f.
- $(\eta/s)(T)$ has low minimum
- extracting $(\eta/s)(T)$ difficult
 - τ_π ?
 - initial state? (there is progress)
- fluctuations provide more constraints
- fluid dynamical behaviour: all systems described by same $(\eta/s)(T)$