

(Small System) Strangeness Enhancement and Canonical Hadronization Phase Space

For many details I recommend reading the 20 year old text



Hadrons and Quark-Gluon Plasma

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At CERN: Strangeness a popular QGP signature

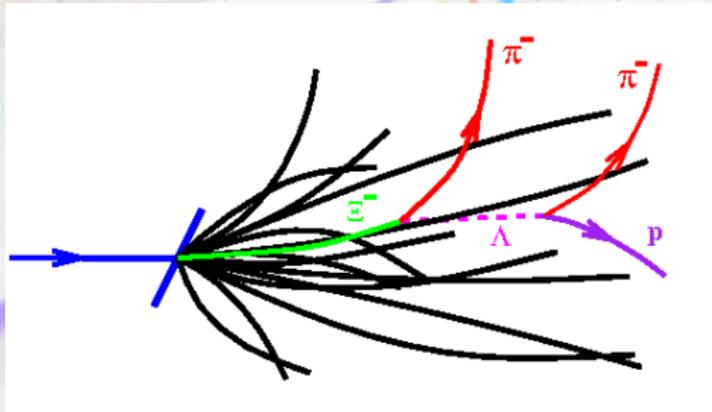
I argued 1980-81 that anti-strangeness in QGP can be more abundant than anti-light quarks. Many experiments followed.

A: There are many strange particles allowing to study different physics questions ($q = u, d$):

$$K(q\bar{s}), \quad \bar{K}(\bar{q}s), \quad K^*(890), \quad \Lambda(qqs), \quad \bar{\Lambda}(\bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{s}), \quad \Lambda(1520)$$
$$\phi(s\bar{s}), \quad \Xi(qss), \quad \bar{\Xi}(\bar{q}\bar{s}\bar{s}), \quad \Omega(sss), \quad \bar{\Omega}(\bar{s}\bar{s}\bar{s})$$

B: Production rates hence statistical significance is high.

C: Strange hadrons are subject to a self analyzing decay



Instant success:

First strangeness signature 1980: CPOD, WROCLAW, June 2, 2016

ratio of \bar{s}/\bar{q} in $\bar{\Lambda}/\bar{p}$ triggers Marek's strange interest!

What we intend to show is that there are many more \bar{s} quarks than antiquarks of each light flavour. Indeed:

$$\frac{\bar{s}}{\bar{q}} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{m_s}{T} \right)^2 K_2 \left(\frac{m_s}{T} \right) e^{\mu_s/3T} \quad (23)$$

The function $x^2 K_2(x)$ is, for example, tabulated in Ref. 15). For $x = m_s/T$ between 1.5 and 2, it varies between 1.3 and 1. Thus, we almost always have more \bar{s} than \bar{q} quarks and, in many cases of interest, $\bar{s}/\bar{q} \approx 5$. As $\mu \rightarrow 0$ there are about as many \bar{u} and \bar{q} quarks as there are \bar{s} quarks.

FROM HADRON GAS TO QUARK MATTER II

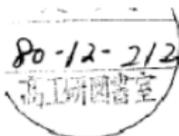
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ABSTRACT

We describe a quark-gluon plasma in terms of a many questions remain open. A signature of the quark-gluon phase surviving hadronization is suggested.

In *Statistical mechanics of quarks and hadrons* proceedings

Bielefeld, August 24-31, 1980

picked up by Marek in Dubna . . .

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A Study of Λ -Production
in Central Nucleus-Nucleus Interactions
at a Momentum of 4.5 GeV/c Per Incident Nucleon

Transverse momenta and rapidities of Λ 's produced in nucleus-nucleus collisions at 4.5 GeV/c per nucleon /CC, $^{12}\text{C}+^{12}\text{C}$, $^{16}\text{O}+^{16}\text{O}$, $^{20}\text{Ne}+^{20}\text{Ne}$ have been studied and compared with $^7\text{Li}-^7\text{Li}$ interactions at the same incident momentum. Polarization was found to be consistent within the errors, ($\langle P_z \rangle = 0.06 \pm 0.11$) for 274 Λ 's from central collisions. Λ production ratio was estimated to be less than confidence level.

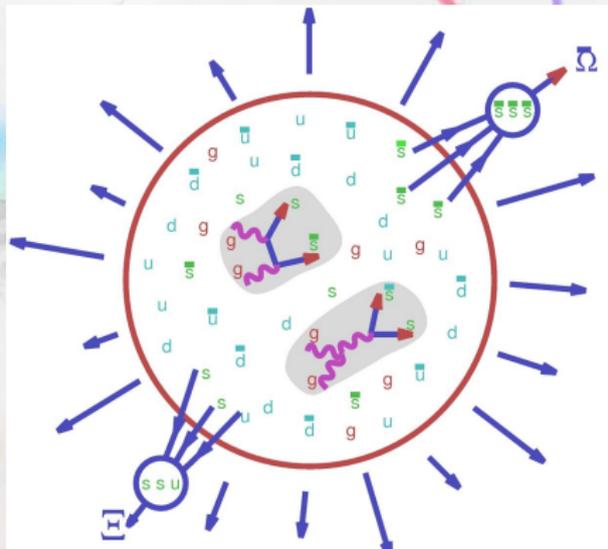
The analyzed experimental data were obtained using a streamer spectrometer SKM-200.

The investigation has been performed at the Laboratoire National d'Énergie, JINR.

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Strange hadrons from QGP: two-step formation



- 1 $GG \rightarrow s\bar{s}$ (thermal gluons collide)
 $GG \rightarrow c\bar{c}$ (initial parton collision)
gluon dominated reactions
- 2 hadronization of pre-formed $s, \bar{s}, c, \bar{c}, b, \bar{b}$ quarks

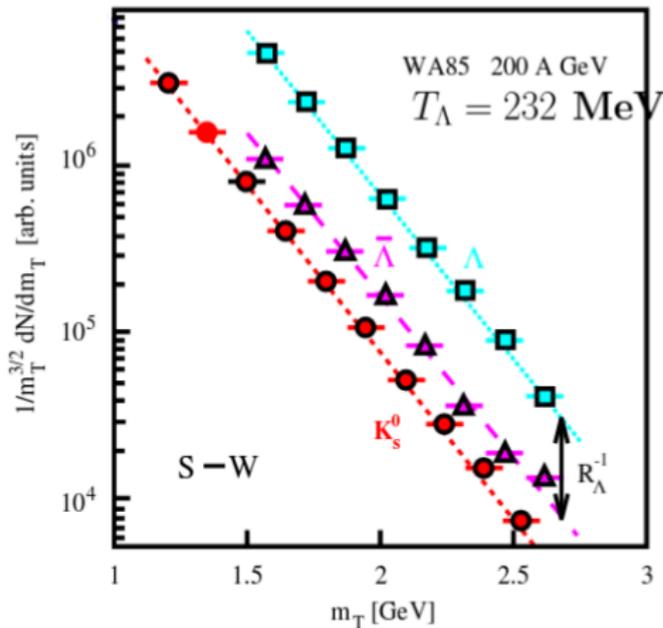


Evaporation-recombination formation of complex rarely produced (multi)exotic flavor (anti)particles from QGP is signature of quark mobility thus of deconfinement. Enhancement of flavored (strange, charm,...) antibaryons progressing with 'exotic' flavor content. J. Rafelski, *Formation and Observables of the Quark-Gluon Plasma* Phys.Rept. **88** (1982) p331; P. Koch, B. Muller, and J. Rafelski; *Strangeness in Relativistic Heavy Ion Collisions*, Phys.Rept. **142** (1986) p167

Anticipated: Sudden hadronization of QGP

Proposed evidence: matter-antimatter symmetry

High m_{\perp} slope universality



**SUDDEN hadronization
without rescattering.**

Discovered in S-Pb collisions
by WA85, very pronounced
in Pb-Pb Interactions.

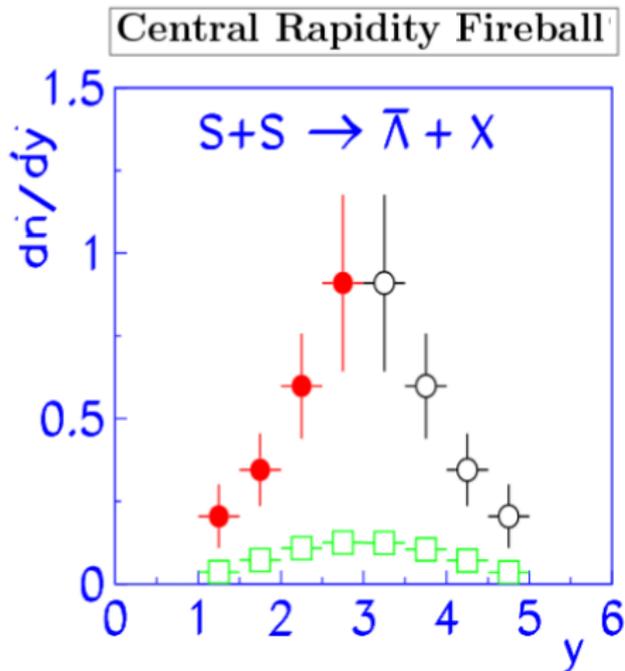


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Why is the slope of baryons
and antibaryons the same?

Anticipated: Central QGP fireball

Proposed evidence: (Strange)Antimatter

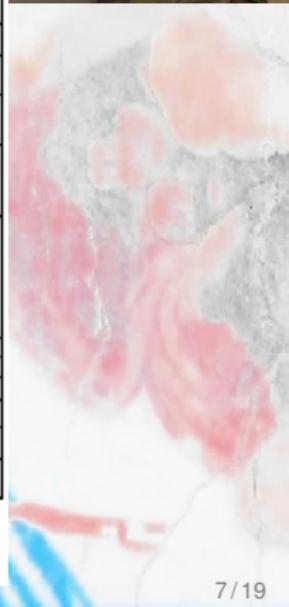
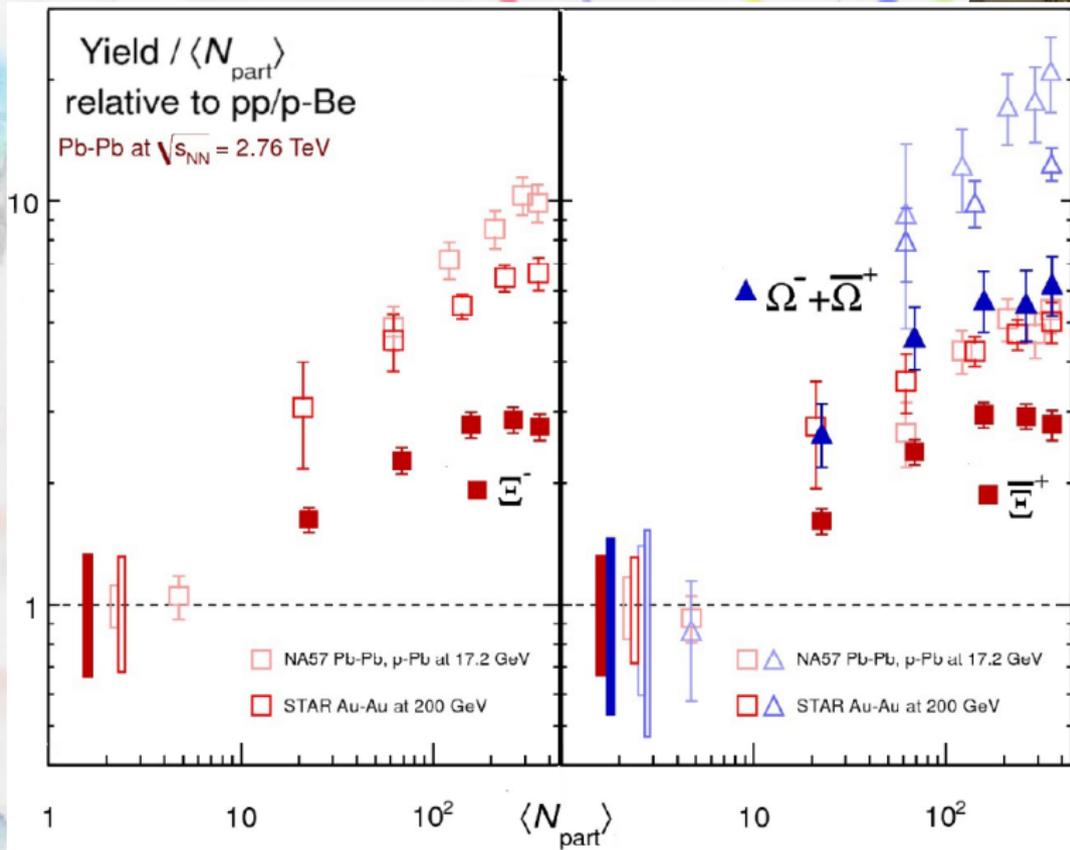
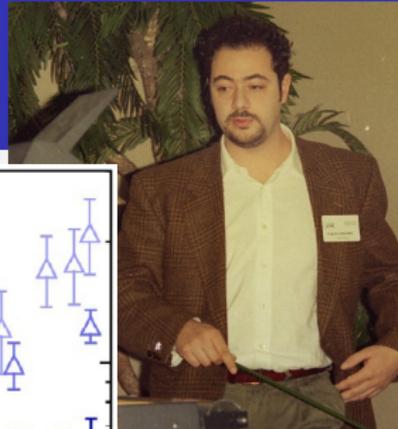


Conclusion: by early 1990's we have convincing evidence of QGP formation at SPS energy heavy ion collisions including S-S.

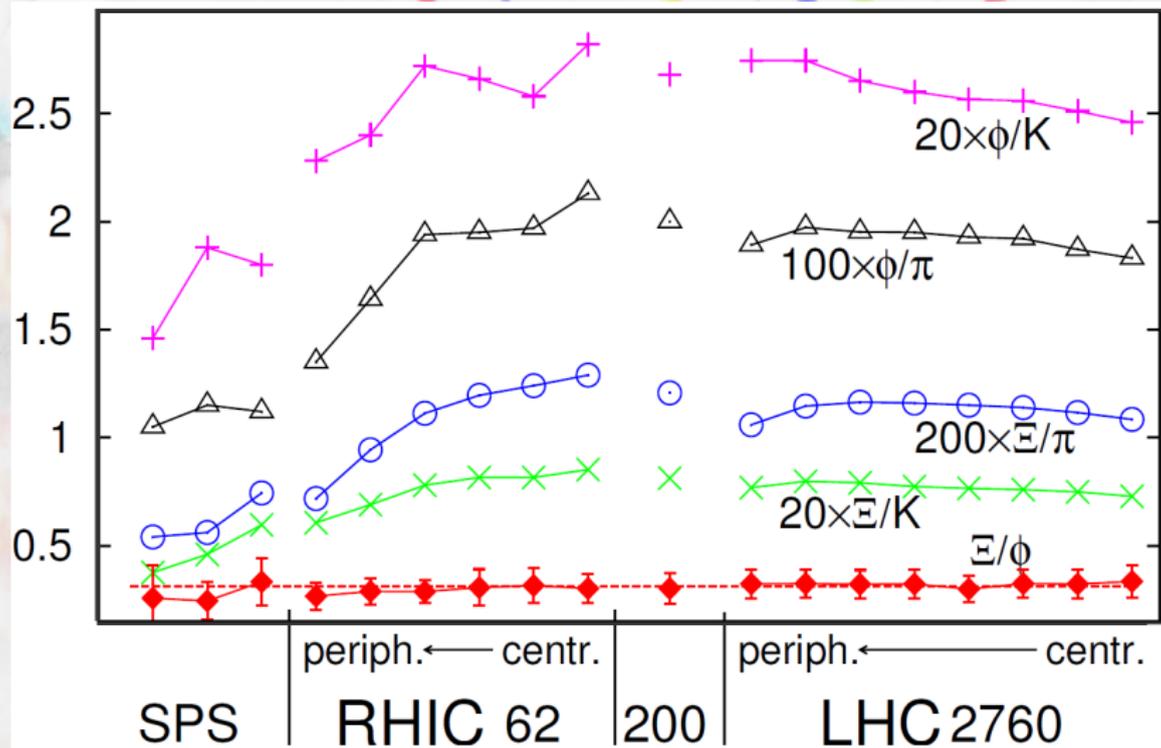
First antibaryon enhancement result, 1990-94, SPS-NA35II EXCESS $\bar{\Lambda}$ emitted from a central well localized source. Background (squares) from multiplicity scaled NN reactions. From **Yiota Foka**, PhD Thesis, Geneva University 1994.



Predicted: Strange antibaryons enhanced
 Today: largest medium effect in RHI collisions



$\Xi(ssq)/\phi(s\bar{s})$ (nearly) constant:
 same production mechanism



M. Petran, J. Rafelski, *Multistrange Particle Production and the Statistical Hadronization Model* Phys.Rev. C **82** (2010) 011901

STATISTICAL HADRONIZATION MODEL... (SHM) WORKS

- a) Confinement: \implies breakup into free quarks not possible;
b) Strong interaction: \implies equal hadron production strength irrespective of produced hadron type
 \implies 'elementary' hadron yields depend only on the **available phase space**

Historical approaches:

- Fermi: Micro-canonical phase space
sharp energy and sharp number of particles
E. Fermi, Prog.Theor.Phys. 5 (1950) 570: **HOWEVER**
Experiments report event-average rapidity particle abundances,
model should describe **an average event**
- Canonical phase space: sharp number of particles
ensemble average energy $E \rightarrow T$ temperature
 T could be, but needs not to be, a kinetic process temperature
- Grand-canonical – ensemble average energy and number of particles:
 $N \rightarrow \mu \Leftrightarrow \Upsilon = e^{(\mu/T)}$

Our interest: bulk QGP fireball properties of hadron source evaluated independent of complex explosion dynamics \implies analyze integrated hadron spectra.

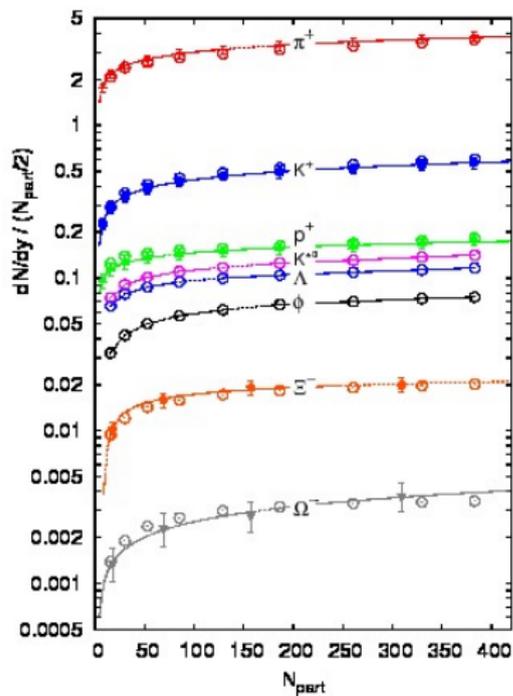
SHARE Idea/Team: US-Polish NATO collaboration 2000

Statistical **HA**dronization with **RE**sonances



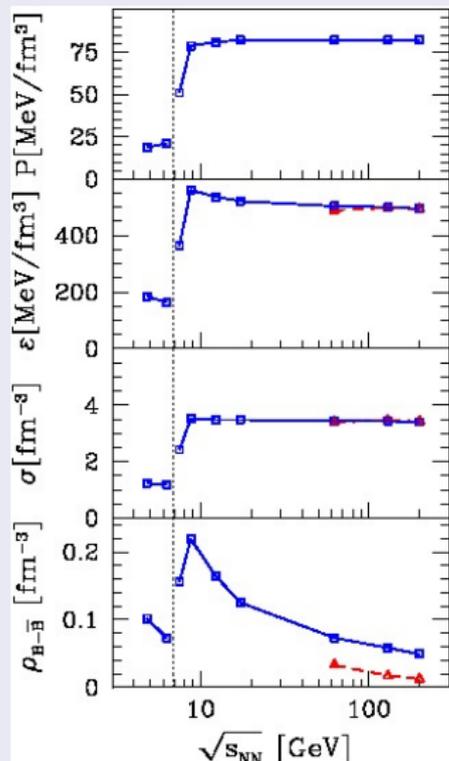
Examples SHM Analysis (Chemical Nonequilibrium)

Particle Yield Example:LHC



M. Petran, J. Letessier, V. Petracek, J. Rafelski Phys.Rev. C 88 (2013) no.3, 034907

Bulk properties from SHM yields

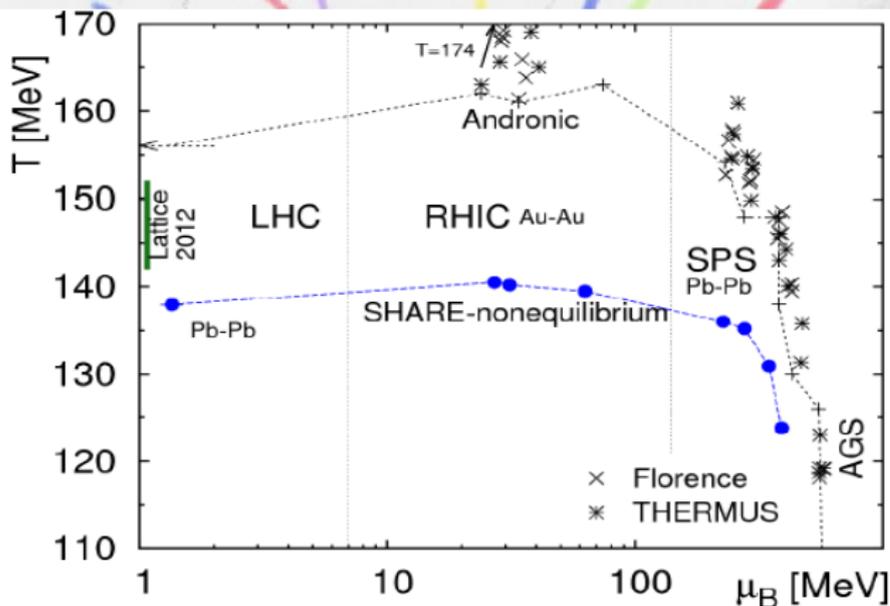


J. Letessier, J. Rafelski, Eur.Phys.J. A 35 (2008) 221-242

SHARE consistent with lattice QCD

Chemical nonequilibrium + supercooling

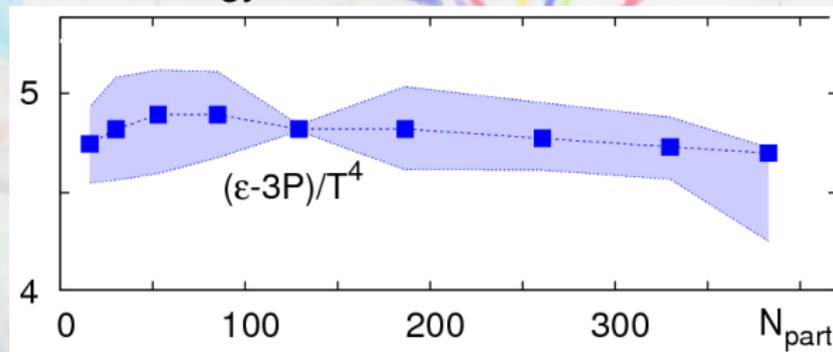
= sudden fireball breakup



Chemical freeze-out MUST be below lattice results. For direct free-streaming hadron emission from QGP, T -SHM is the QGP source temperature, there **cannot be full chemical equilibrium**.

SPS, RHIC, LHC AA SHM Digest

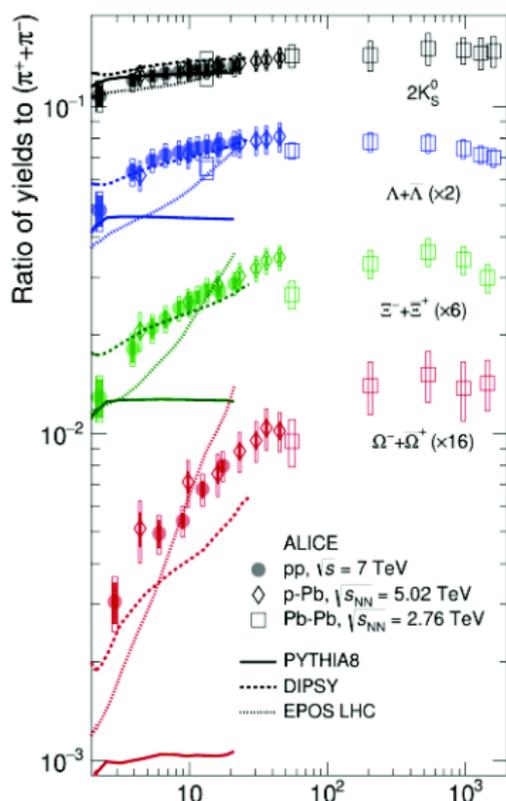
- Strange antibaryon signature of QGP: at all energies where data exist there is clear evidence for the same new state of matter. Differences: Volume, Strangeness saturation.
- SHARE based determination of hadronization condition reveals near perfect Universality of fireball bulk properties across the entire reaction energy domain, and L-QCD consistency



- Where we can evaluate: Baryon number deposition varies strongly as function of collision energy. This is the chemical potential dependence on collision energy. WHY? – To clarify question: why no McLerran-Bjorken transparency?

Current interest in small systems:

Strange antibaryon enhancement smoothly rising with entropy of fireball



Nature Physics 2017; doi:10.1038/nphys4111 ALICE



Significant enhancement of strangeness with multiplicity in high multiplicity pp events

pp behavior resemble p-Pb : both in term of value of the ratio and shape

No evident dependence on cms energy: strangeness production apparently driven by final state rather than collision system or energy

At high mult. pp ratio reaches values similar to the one in Pb-Pb (when ratio saturates)

Models fail to reproduce data. Only DIPSY gives a qualitative description.

Small particle yield constrained by conservation law: Canonical phase space required

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THE IMPORTANCE OF THE REACTION VOLUME IN HADRONIC COLLISIONS

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We consider particle production in the frame of the thermodynamic description [1] and explore the physical consequences arising from the conservation of quantum numbers which are conserved exactly

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The pair production in the thermodynamic model is shown to depend sensitively on the (hadronic) reaction volume. Strangeness production in nucleus–nucleus collisions is treated as an example.

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Strangeness abundances in \bar{p} -nucleus annihilations

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Strange particle abundances in small volumes of hot hadronic gas are determined in the canonical ensemble with exact strangeness and baryon number conservation. Substantial density and baryon number dependence is found. A $\bar{p}d$ experiment is examined and applications to \bar{p} -nucleus annihilations are considered.

Elegant group theory approach for nonabelian charges

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26 March 1981

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PHASE TRANSITION IN HADRONIC MATTER WITH INTERNAL SYMMETRY *)

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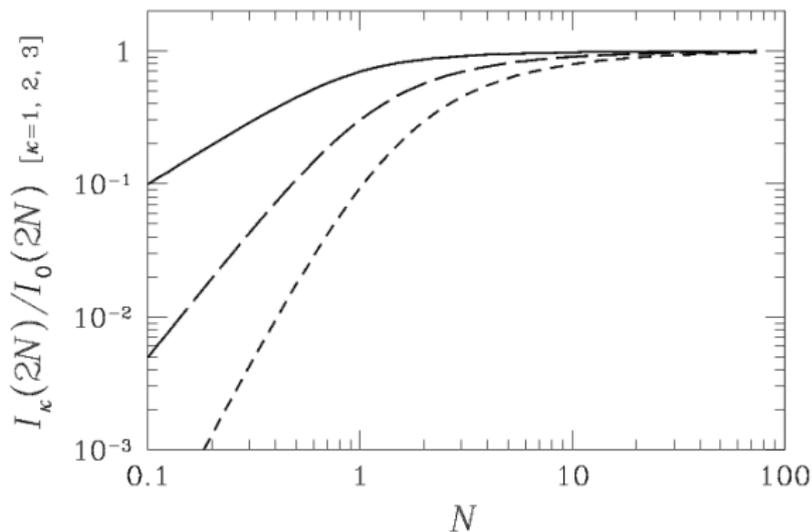


ABSTRACT

A general formalism for the description of a thermodynamical system with internal symmetry is introduced. Results are applied to the statistical bootstrap model describing hadronic clusters with isospin conservation taken into account and equations of state are obtained. It is shown that at the sufficiently high energy density, a phase transition occurs. A new phase is an intermediate one between hadronic matter and a quark-gluon plasma phase.

Strangeness conservation alone

p225-232: 1-2-3-strange flavored particle suppression factors



$$\langle N_{\kappa}^{\text{CE}} \rangle = N_{\kappa}^{\text{GC}} \frac{I_{\kappa}(2N_{\text{pair}}^{\text{GC}})}{I_0(2N_{\text{pair}}^{\text{GC}})}$$

Canonical yield-suppression factors I_{κ}/I_0 as function of the grand-canonical pair yield N . Short-dashed line: the suppression of triply-strange-flavored hadrons; long-dashed line: the suppression of doubly-strange-flavored hadrons; and solid line, the suppression of singly-strange-flavored hadrons.

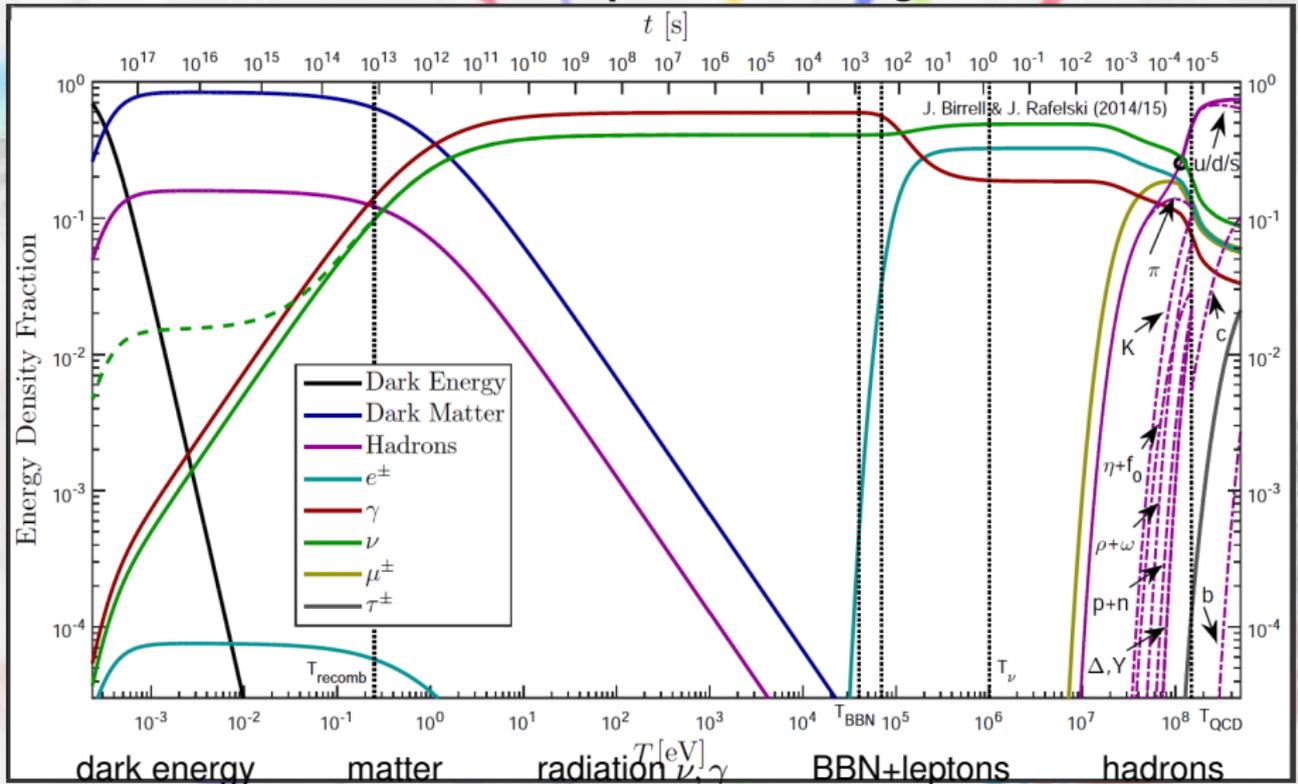
A few first analysis observations and summary

- We performed a few hobby (lack of resources) analysis of the ALICE small system results and there is evidence that in addition to the growth γ_s of strangeness yield with size of the system there is canonical phase space required as was expected. Effects are not overwhelming but noticeable.
- Hadronization conditions seems a few MeV higher compared to large systems: conclusion there is no supercooling, less explosive expansion.
- Corresponding bulk matter properties are higher. No test of universal hadronization / conformal anomaly was performed.
- Small system flavor content universally zero (and it seems we are sensitive due to small system): there is no electric charge, etc. So a few (more than one) canonical constraints need to be implemented. Maybe Bjorken model (scaling solution) works for ALICE pp results.

No systematic effort to prove any of this was undertaken (lack of resources).

My current interest: Explore the Universe: today ← QGP

The Universe Composition in Single View



Different dominance eras: Temperature grows to right