Heavy Flavour Dynamics in Heavy Ion Collisions: Anisotropic flows v_n and their Correlations to Bulk Dynamics and the Initial Field

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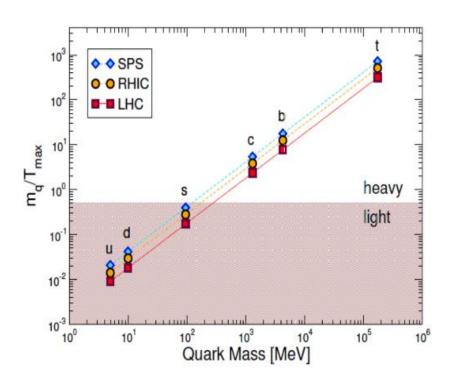
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Outline

- Introduction
- Heavy quarks dynamics in QGP within transport approach
- □ Initial state fluctuation → Event-Shape-Engineering
 - \square Anisotropic flows v_n and their correlations
- Impact of intense vorticity and initial ElectroMagnetic field on Heavy quarks dynamics:
 - sizeable v₁ for charm quarks (anti-charms)
- Conclusions

Basic scales of Heavy Quarks



- $m_{c,b} \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$ pQCD initial production
- m_{c,b} >> T_{RHIC,LHC} negligible thermal production
- $\tau_0 < 0.08 \text{ fm/c} << \tau_{QGP}$
- $\tau_{th} \approx \tau_{QGP} >> \tau_{g,q}$

They experience the full evolution of the QGP.

They carry more informations with respect to their light counterparts.

Relativistic Boltzmann eq. at finite η/s

Bulk evolution

$$p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f_{q}(x,p) + m(x)\partial_{\mu}^{x}m(x)\partial_{p}^{\mu}f_{q}(x,p) = C[f_{q},f_{g}]$$

$$p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f_{g}(x,p) + m(x)\partial_{\mu}^{x}m(x)\partial_{p}^{\mu}f_{g}(x,p) = C[f_{q},f_{g}]$$

Equivalent to viscous hydro η/s≈0.1

free-streaming

field interaction ε-3p≠0

collision term gauged to some η/s≠0

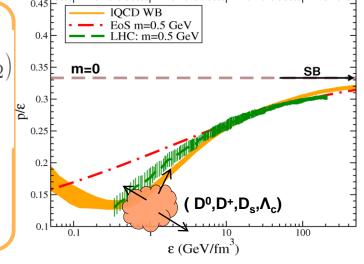
Heavy quark evolution

$$p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f_{Q}(x,p) = C[f_{q},f_{g},f_{Q}]$$

S. Plumari et al., J. Phys. Conf. Ser. 981 012017 (2018)

$$C[f] = \frac{1}{2E_1} \int \frac{d^3p_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2} \frac{1}{\nu} \int \frac{d^3p'_1}{(2\pi)^3 2E'_1} \frac{d^3p'_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E'_2} (f'_1 f'_2 - f_1 f_2) \times |\mathcal{M}_{12 \to 1'2'}| (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)}(p'_1 + p'_2 - p_1 - p_2),$$

M scattering matrix by QPM model fit to IQCD thermodynamics



Fragmentation

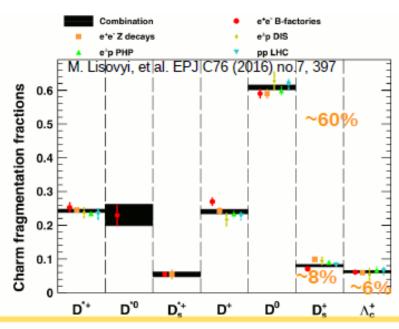
$$\frac{dN_h}{d^2p_h} = \sum_f \int dz \frac{dN_f}{d^2p_f} D_{f \to h}(z)$$
Fragmentation function

The distribution function is evaluated at the Fixed-Order plus Next-to-Leading-Log (FONLL) M. Cacciari, P. Nason, R. Vogt, PRL 95 (2005) 122001

We use the Peterson fragmentation function C. Peterson, D. Schalatter, I. Schmitt, P.M. Zerwas PRD 27 (1983) 105

$$D_{f \to h}(z) \propto \frac{1}{z \left[1 - \frac{1}{z} - \frac{\epsilon}{1 - z}\right]^2}$$

Recent update He-Rapp, PLB795(2019): Increase \approx 2 due to added Λ_c resonance not present in PDG, but predicted by RQM [assumed BR with Λ_c dominance]



* Fragmentation functions

$$\left(\frac{\Lambda_c^+}{D^0}\right)_{\substack{e^+e^-\\p,p}} \simeq 0.1 \qquad \left(\frac{D_s^+}{D^0}\right)_{\substack{e^+e^-\\p,p}} \simeq 0.13$$

* Thermal models about 2 times larger

A. Andronic et al., Phys. Lett. **B**571, 36 (2003)
I. Kuznetsova, J. Rafelski, EPJ C51, 113 (2007)

$$\left(\frac{\Lambda_c^+}{D^0}\right)_{\substack{e^+e^-\\p,p}} \simeq 0.25 - 0.30$$

Heavy flavour Hadronization: Coalescence

Statistical factor colour-spin-isospin Parton Distribution function

Hadron Wigner function

$$\frac{dN_{Hadron}}{d^{2}p_{T}} = g_{H} \int \prod_{i=1}^{n} p_{i} \cdot d\sigma_{i} \frac{d^{3}p_{i}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \left(f_{q}(x_{i}, p_{i}) f_{w}(x_{1}, ..., x_{n}; p_{1}, ..., p_{n}) \right) \delta(p_{T} - \sum_{i} p_{iT})$$

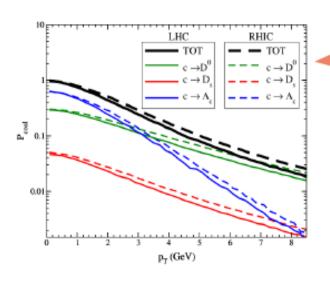
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$$g(f_q(x_i,p_i))$$

$$f_{W}(x_{1},...,x_{n};p_{1},...,p_{n})$$

$$\delta(p_T - \sum_i p_{iT})$$

charm distribution function at midrapidity from parton simulations solving Boltzmann transport eq. that give good description of both R_{AA} and $V_2(p_T)$ from RHIC to LHC energies.



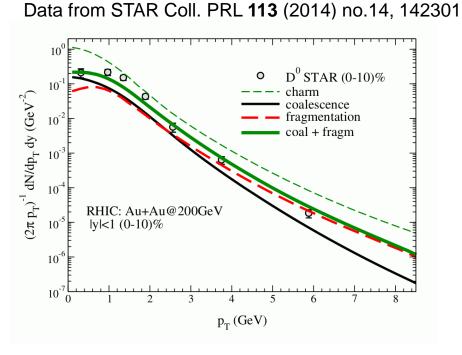
The width parameters σ in $f_w(...)$ fixed by the root-mean-square charge radius as predicted by quark models

C.-W. Hwang, EPJ C23, 585 (2002). C. Albertus et al., NPA 740, 333 (2004)

$$\langle r^2 \rangle_{D^*} = 0.184 \, \text{fm}^2 \quad \langle r^2 \rangle_{D_s^*} = 0.124 \, \text{fm}^2 \quad \langle r^2 \rangle_{\Lambda_c^*} = 0.152 \, \text{fm}^2$$

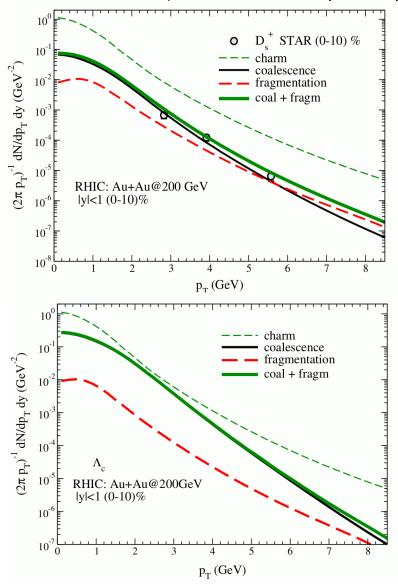
- Normalization in f_w(...) fixed by requiring that $P_{coal}=1$ for p=0
- The charm not "coalesces" undergo fragmentation: charm number conserved at each p_{τ}
- Is the same approach employed to predict Λ/K

RHIC: results



S. Plumari, et al., Eur. Phys. J. C78 no. 4, (2018) 348

Data from STAR Coll., arXiv:1704.04364 [nucl-ex].



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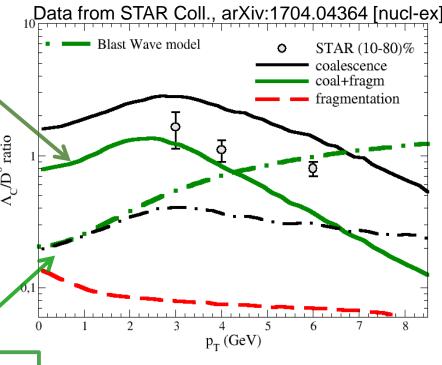
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Blast Wave model:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\Lambda_c^+}{D^0} &= \frac{g_\Lambda}{g_D} \frac{m_T^\Lambda}{m_T^D} \frac{K_1 \left(m_T^\Lambda / T_C \right)}{K_1 \left(m_T^D / T_C \right)} \\ \text{for } p_T &<< m \\ &\approx \frac{g_\Lambda}{g_D} \left(\frac{m_T^\Lambda}{m_T^D} \right)^{1/2} e^{-(m^\Lambda - m^D) / T_C} \approx 0.17 \end{split}$$

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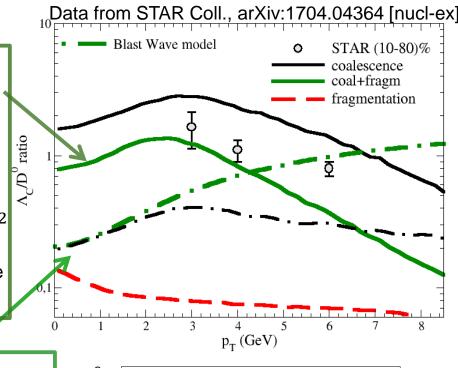
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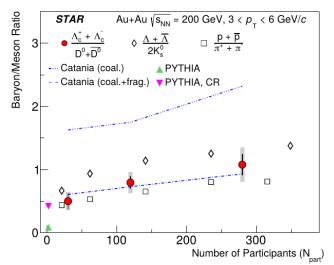
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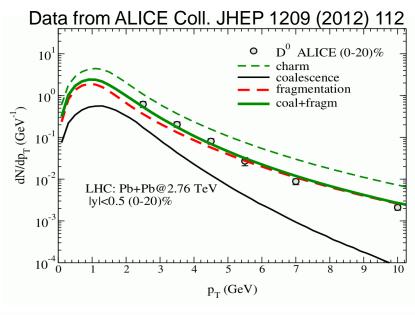
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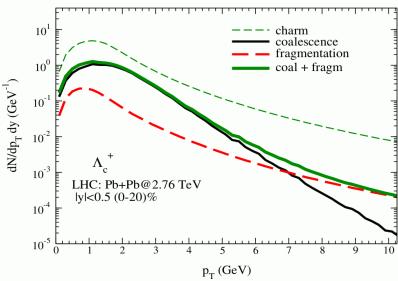
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LHC: results

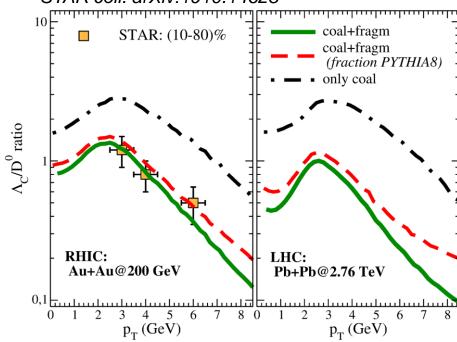




wave function widths σ_p of baryon and mesons

kept the same at RHIC and LHC!

STAR coll. arXiv:1910.14628



The Λ_c/D^0 ratio is smaller at LHC energies: fragmentation play a role at intermediate p_T

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Extension to higher order anisotropic flows $v_n(p_T)$

n=3

n=4

$$E\frac{\mathrm{d}^{3}N}{\mathrm{d}p_{\mathrm{T}}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{\mathrm{d}^{2}N}{p_{\mathrm{T}}\mathrm{d}p_{\mathrm{T}}\mathrm{d}y} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} v_{\mathrm{n}} \cos[\mathrm{n}(\varphi - \Psi_{\mathrm{n}})] \right\}$$

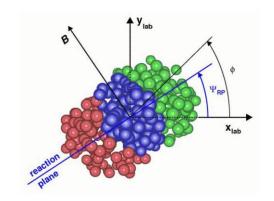
$$v_2 = \langle \cos[2(\varphi - \Psi_2)] \rangle$$

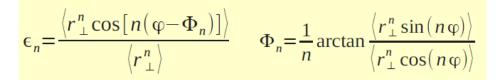
Elliptic flow

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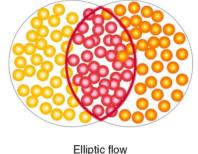
Triangular flow

n=2

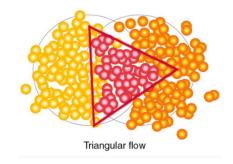




$$r_{\perp} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$
, $\varphi = \arctan(y/x)$

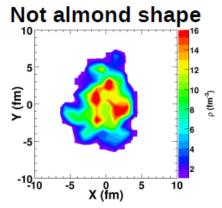


n=5



Azimuthal anisotropies depend on

- the interaction and coupling of heavy quarks with the medium;
- the initial conditions of the system, i.e.geometry of the collision;



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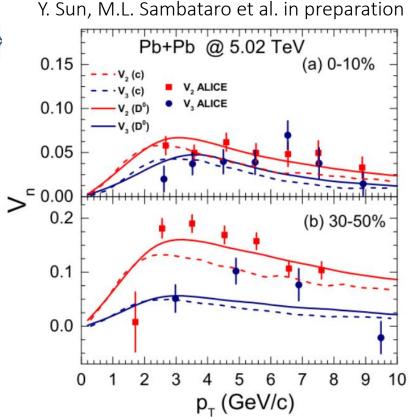
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Triangular flow

$$\epsilon_{n} = \frac{\left\langle r_{\perp}^{n} \cos\left[n(\varphi - \Phi_{n})\right]\right\rangle}{\left\langle r_{\perp}^{n}\right\rangle} \qquad \Phi_{n} = \frac{1}{n} \arctan\frac{\left\langle r_{\perp}^{n} \sin\left(n\varphi\right)\right\rangle}{\left\langle r_{\perp}^{n} \cos\left(n\varphi\right)\right\rangle}$$

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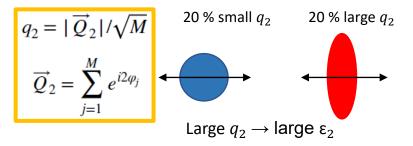
In the more peripheral collision (30-50 % centrality class) \rightarrow larger v_2 and comparable v_3

- $\triangleright v_2$ mainly from the geometry of overlapping region in larger centrality collision
- $\succ v_3$ driven by the fluctuation of the triangularity of overlap region at all centrality

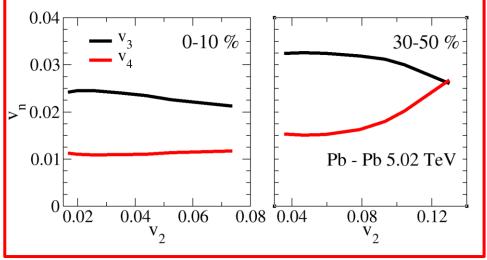
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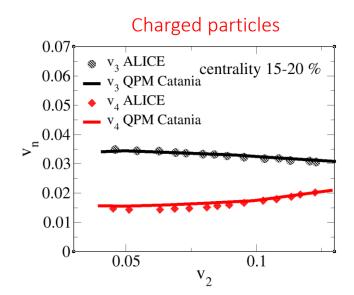
Selection of events with the <u>same centrality</u> but <u>different initial geometry</u> on the basis of the magnitude of the second-order harmonic reduced flow vector q_2 .

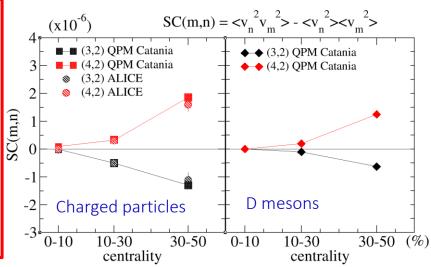


Predictions for D mesons



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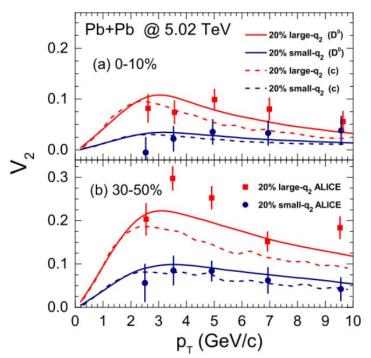




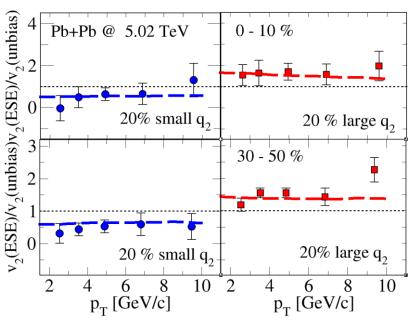
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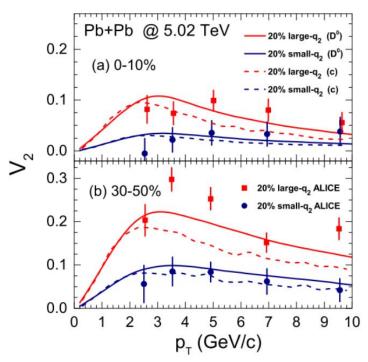
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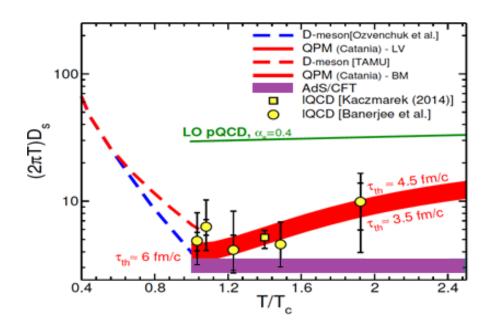
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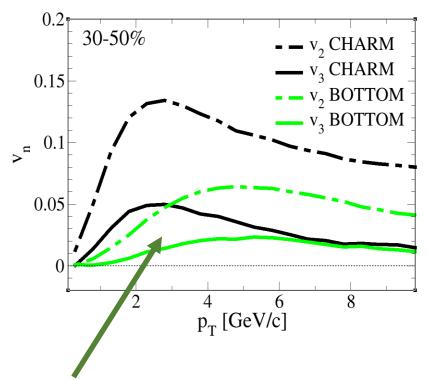
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Extension to bottom dynamics: R_{AA} and v_n

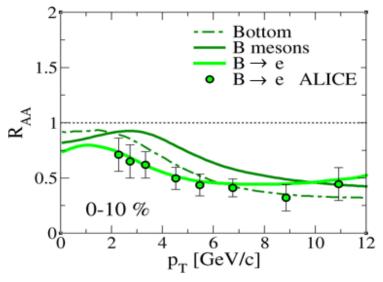
Prediction for B meson, electrons from semileptonic B

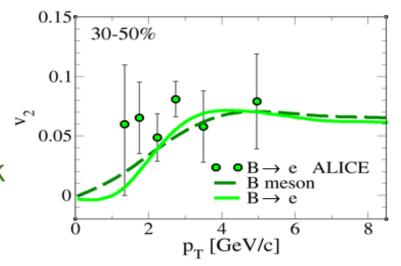
meson decay within a coal + fragm model



Non-zero v_2 , v_3 for bottom quark







Data taken from Arnaldi HP(2020)

M.L. Sambataro, V. Minissale et al., in preparation

Intense fields and heavy flavor transport

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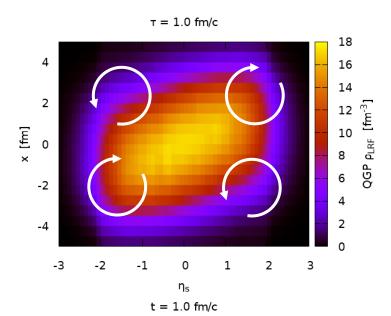
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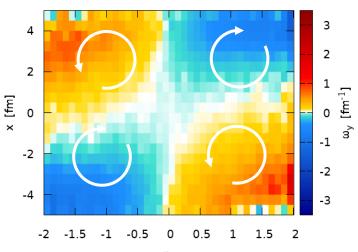
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NONRELATIVISTIC VORTICITY

asymmetry in local participant density from forward and backward going nuclei

$$\rho(x_{\perp}, \eta_{s}) = \rho_{0} \frac{W(x_{\perp}, \eta_{s})}{W(0, 0)} \exp\left[-\frac{(|\eta_{s}| - \eta_{s0})^{2}}{2\sigma_{\eta}^{2}}\theta(|\eta_{s}| - \eta_{s0})\right]$$

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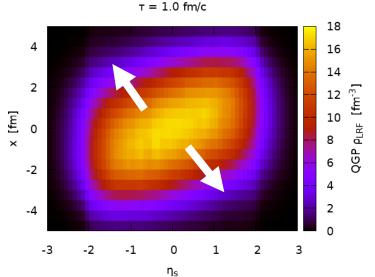
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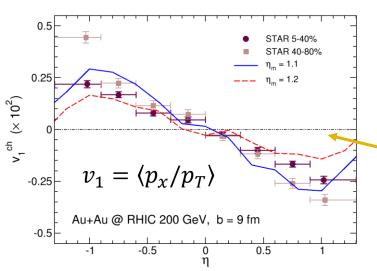
$$\omega = {\it V} \times v$$
 angular velocity of the fluid
$$\omega_{\it V} \approx 3~{\rm c/fm} \approx 10^{23}~{\rm s^{-1}}$$

Csernai, Magas and Wang, Phys. Rev. C 87, 034906 (2013) Deng and Huang, Phys. Rev. C 93, 064907 (2016) Jiang, Lin and Liao, Phys. Rev. C 94, 044910 (2016)

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 $v_1 = 0$ if the fireball is not tilted

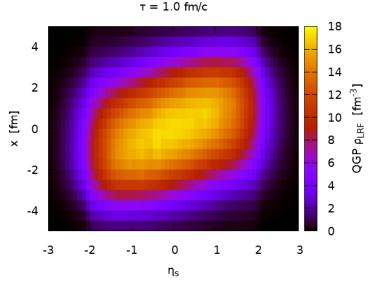
collective sidewards deflection of particles along the *x* direction

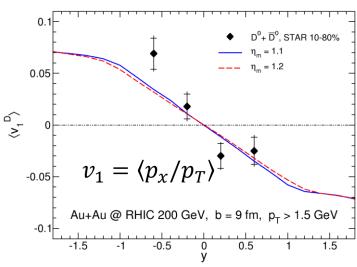
The tilt of the fireball induce a negative slope in the η dependence of the v_1 of bulk particles

DIRECTED FLOW OF CHARGED PARTICLES

D meson directed flow

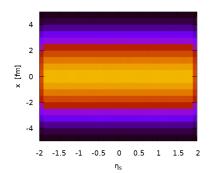
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Are HEAVY QUARKS affected by the initial tilt of the fireball and the directed flow of bulk medium?

production points of HQs symmetric in the forward-backward hemispheres



The directed flow of neutral *D* mesons is 20-30 times larger than that of light hadrons

Chatterjee and Bozek, Phys. Rev. Lett. 120, 192301 (2018) STAR Collaboration, Phys. Rev. Lett. 123, 162301 (2019)

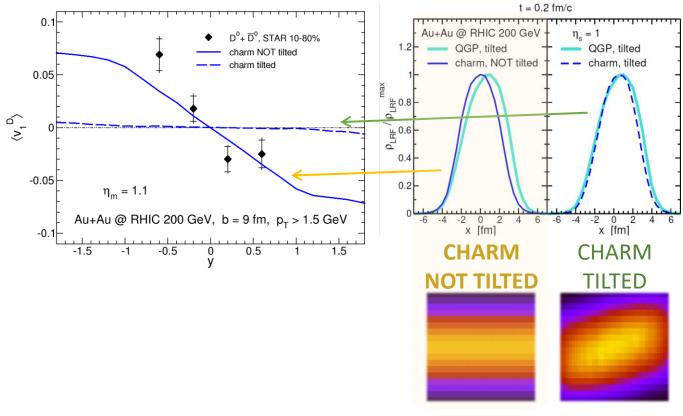
 v_1 (HQs) >> v_1 (QGP)

origin of the large directed flow of HQs different from the one of light particles

DIRECTED FLOW OF NEUTRAL D MESONS

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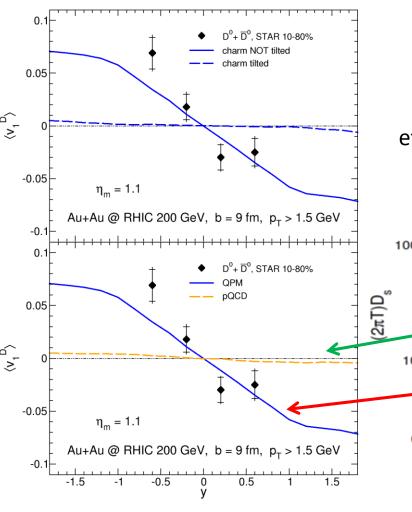


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QGP tilted in both cases

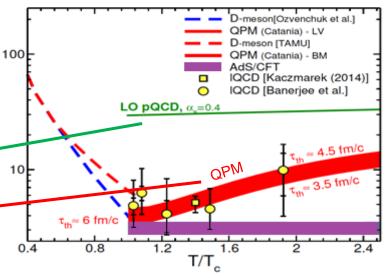
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effective because the HQ interaction in QGP is largely non-perturbative



Greco, NPA 967, 200 (2017)

Similar conclusions with POWLANG approach Beraudo, De Pace, Monteno, Nardi and Prino, 2102.08064 strict connection between the magnitude of the D-meson v_1 and the HQ diffusion coefficient

Intense fields and heavy flavor transport

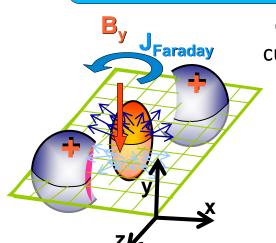
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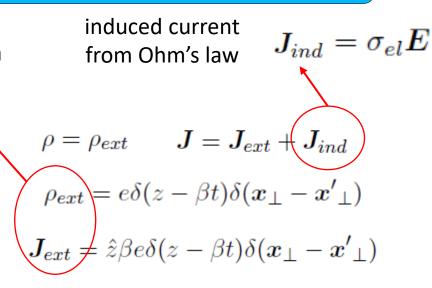
✓ INTENSE ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS (EMF)

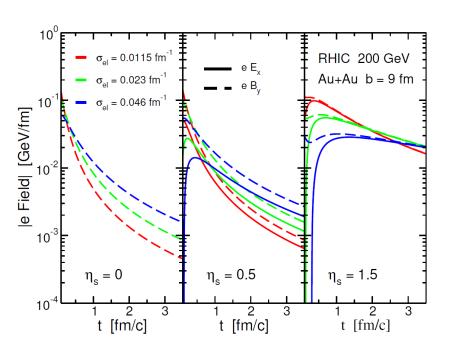
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Electromagnetic fields in HICs



external charge and current produced by a point-like charge in longitudinal motion





Maxwell equations for the EMF can be solved analytically considering a medium with constant electric conductivity

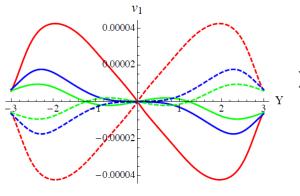
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We solve the Boltzmann eq. with EMF interaction term

$$p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f(x,p) + qF_{ext}^{\mu\nu}p_{\nu}\partial_{\mu}^{p}f(x,p) = \mathcal{C}[f]$$

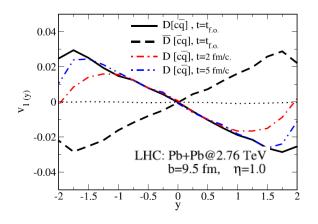
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EMF and directed flow splitting



The huge EMF induce a splitting in the DIRECTED FLOW of particles with the same mass and opposite charge

difference in the v₁ of light hadrons in AA: O(10⁻⁴-10⁻³) Gursoy, Kharzeev and Rajagopal, Phys. Rev. C 89, 054905 (2014) Toneev, Voronyuk, Kolomeitsev and Cassing, Phys. Rev. C 95, 034911 (2017)



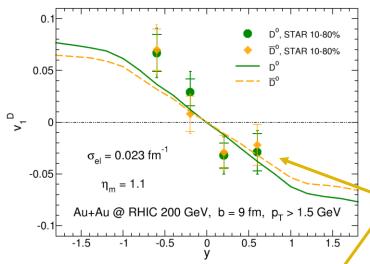
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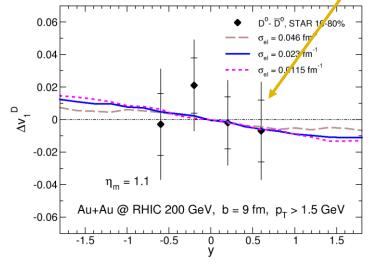
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Directed flow in A+A at RHIC energy

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Exp. data: STAR Coll., PRL. 123 (2019) 162301



DIRECTED FLOW OF NEUTRAL D MESONS

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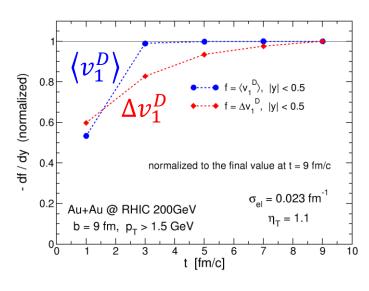
The electromagnetic fields induce a large splitting in the directed flow of HEAVY QUARKS

$$v_1$$
 (HQ) - v_1 (QGP)

charm quarks are more sensitive to the EMF due to the early production

exp. Δv_1^D still consistent with zero due to the large errors

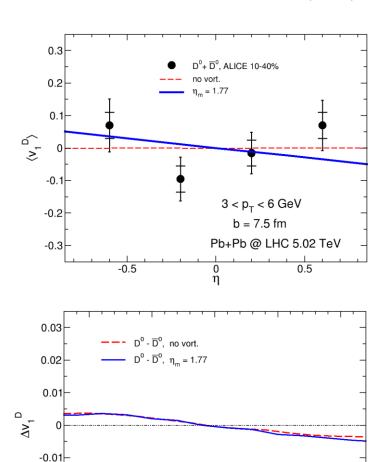




 v_1^D more sensitive to the early QGP evolution when T is higher, while v_2^D probes more $T \sim T_c$ \rightarrow include v_1^D in Bayesian fits

Directed flow in A+A at LHC energy

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 $3 < p_T < 6 \text{ GeV}$

b = 7.5 fm Pb+Pb @ LHC 5.02 TeV

DIRECTED FLOW OF NEUTRAL D MESONS

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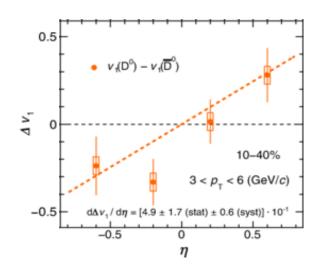
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$$\Delta v_1^D = v_1(D^0) - v_1(\overline{D}{}^0)$$

the slope of the combined v_1 of D^0 and \overline{D}^0 indicated by ALICE data is smaller than the one observed at RHIC and is consistent with zero

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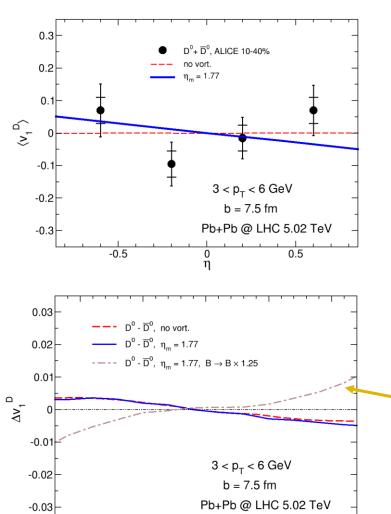
 $\Delta v_1^D(LHC)$ \approx $\Delta v_1^D(RHIC)$

the Δv_1 of D^0 and \overline{D}^0 measured by ALICE has opposite sign and magnitude ~50 times larger

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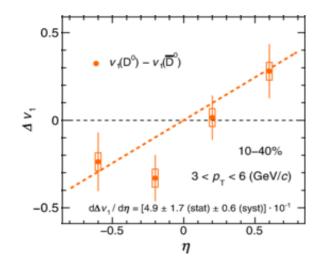
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Conclusions

Spatial diffusion coefficient $D_S(T)$ that reproduces D meson R_{AA} and v_2 gives correct predictions for v_3 and q_2 selected anisotropic flow/spectra.

Prediction for significant $v_n - v_m$ correlation of hard particles, similar correlation between v_n of soft and hard particles.

New perspectives: B meson v_3 and impact of Λ_B/B^0 on B meson R_{AA} .

STRONG FIELDS IN ULTRARELATIVISTIC COLLISIONS

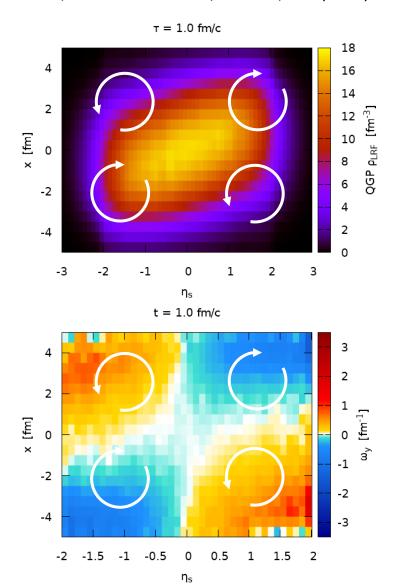
- intense vorticity induced by the huge angular momentum
- intense electromagnetic fields

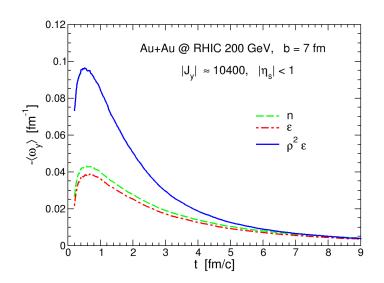
Among the many interesting effects these intense fields have an impact on transport coefficients and observables of heavy-flavor particles.

- \checkmark The very large v_1 for D mesons can be generated only if there is a longitudinal asymmetry between the bulk matter and the charm quarks and if the latter have a large non-perturbative interaction in the QGP medium.
- \checkmark The v_1 splitting of neutral D mesons is well described at RHIC energy but still a challenge at LHC

The vortical quark-gluon plasma

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$$\langle \omega_y \rangle (\mathbf{x}, t) = \frac{\int d^3 x \, w(\mathbf{x}, t) \omega_y(\mathbf{x}, t)}{\int d^3 x \, w(\mathbf{x}, t)}$$

$$w(\mathbf{x}, t) = \text{weigthing function}$$

$$n(\mathbf{x}, t), \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, t), \rho^2(\mathbf{x}) \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

Csernai, Magas and Wang, Phys. Rev. C 87, 034906 (2013) Deng and Huang, Phys. Rev. C 93, 064907 (2016) Jiang, Lin and Liao, Phys. Rev. C 94, 044910 (2016)

Heavy flavour (charm): Resonance decay

In our calculations we take into account main hadronic channels, including the ground states and the first excited states for D and Λ_c

MESONS

$$D^+$$
 ($I=1/2, J=0$)

$$D^0$$
 ($l=1/2, l=0$)

$$\mathbf{D_s}^+$$
 ($I=0, J=0$)

Resonances

$$D^{*+}$$
 ($l=1/2, J=1$) $\rightarrow D^0 \pi^+ B.R. 68\%$
 $D^+ X B.R. 32\%$

$$D^{*0} (l=1/2, J=1)$$
 $\rightarrow D^0 \pi^0$ B.R. 62%
 $D^0 \gamma$ B.R. 38%

$$\mathbf{D_s}^{*+}$$
 (I=0,J=1) $\rightarrow \mathbf{D_s}^{+} \mathbf{X}$ B.R. 100%

$$D_{s0}^{*+}$$
 (I=0,J=0) $\rightarrow D_{s}^{+}$ X B.R. 100%

Statistical factor

$$\frac{\left[(2J+1)(2I+1) \right]_{H*}}{\left[(2J+1)(2I+1) \right]_{H}} \left(\frac{m_{H*}}{m_{H}} \right)^{3/2} e^{-(E_{H*}-E_{H})/T}$$

BARYONS

$$\Lambda_c^+$$
 (I=0, J=1/2)

Resonances

$$\Lambda_c^+(2595) (l=0, l=1/2) \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ B.R. 100\%$$

$$\Lambda_c^+$$
(2625) ($I=0, J=3/2$) $\longrightarrow \Lambda_c^+$ B.R. 100%

$$\Sigma_c^+$$
(2455) ($l=1, J=1/2$) $\longrightarrow \Lambda_c^+\pi$ B.R. 100%

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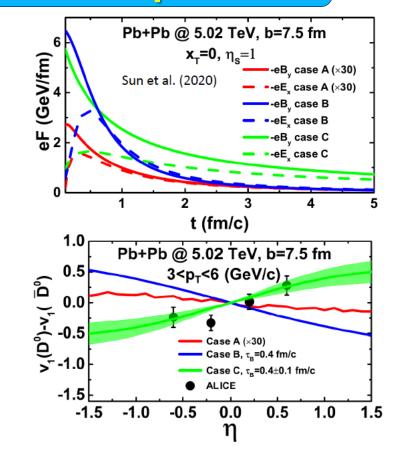
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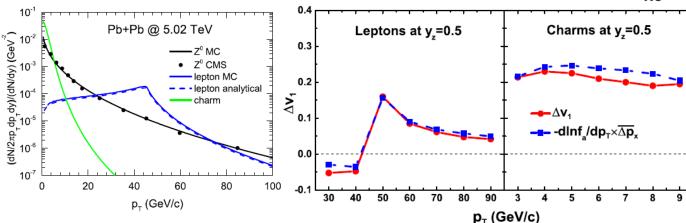
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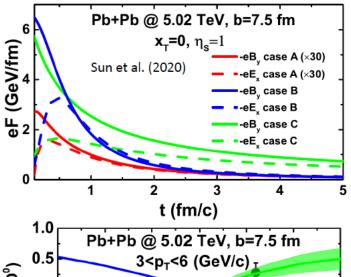
Probing the EMF with leptons from Z⁰ decay

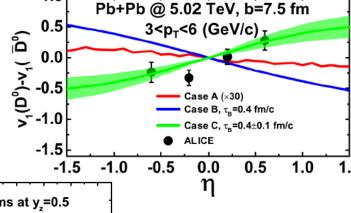
charged leptons interact only electromagnetically

$$au_{
m decay}({
m Z}^0)pprox au_{
m form}({
m c}) \ pprox 0.08 \ {
m fm}/c$$

$$v_1(p_T, y) \approx \frac{\overline{\Delta p}_x(p_T, y)}{2} \frac{-\partial \ln f_a}{\partial p_T}$$







 Δv_1 of leptons from Z^0 decay can help to clarify the electromagnetic origin of Δv_1 of neutral D mesons