

Angular correlations of HF+jet in heavy-ion collisions

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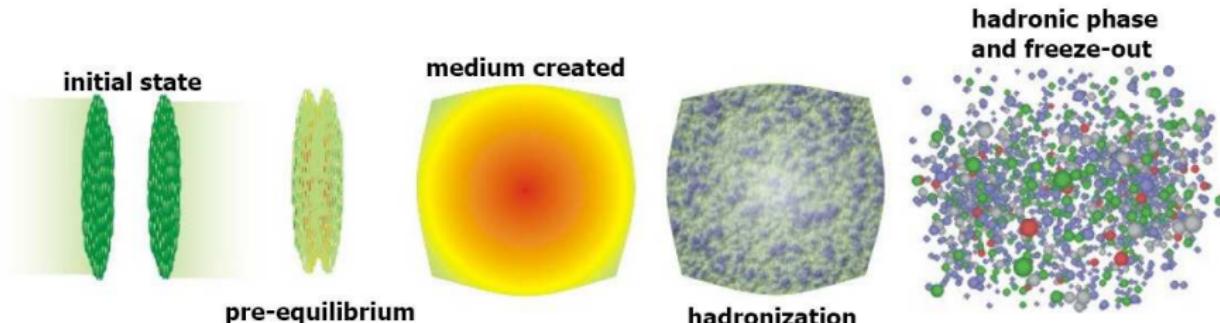
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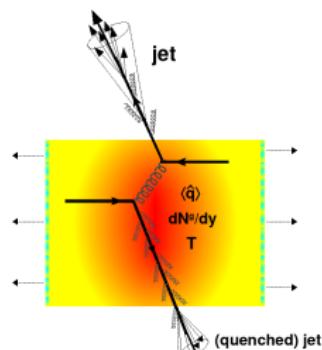
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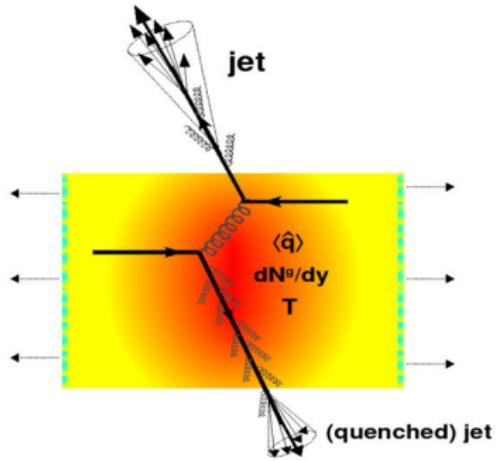
Introduction : QGP and jet quenching



- De-confined **quark-gluon plasma (QGP)** created at extreme hot and dense condition (lifetime $\sim 10 fm/c$).
- Provides an arena to test the **Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD)** and help us understand the **early cosmic evolution** ($\sim 10^{-6} s$).
- Jet quenching: **Strong interactions** between high p_T parton and medium, useful hard probe.



Jet quenching in HICs



Energy loss : $\frac{dE}{dt}$

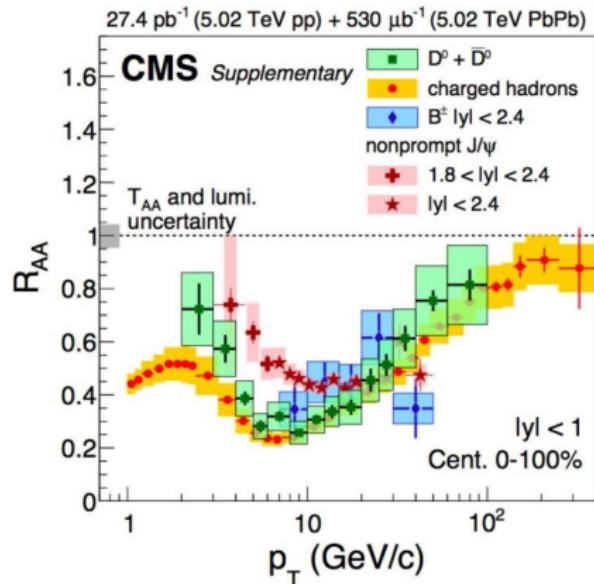
p_T -broadening : $\frac{dp_\perp}{dt}$

Jet transport coefficient : $\hat{q} = \frac{d\langle p_\perp^2 \rangle}{dt}$

- During the propagation and evolution in the QGP, the jet not only loses energy and momentum, but also accumulates transverse momentum through medium-induced radiation and scattering .

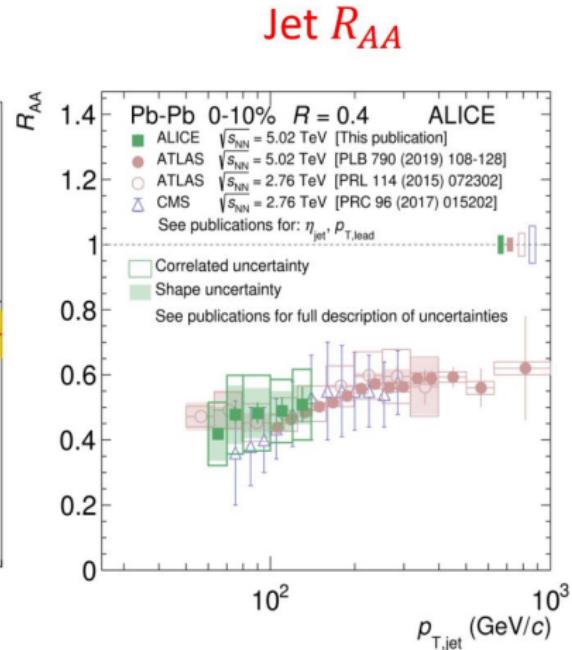
Jet in-medium energy loss

Hadron R_{AA}



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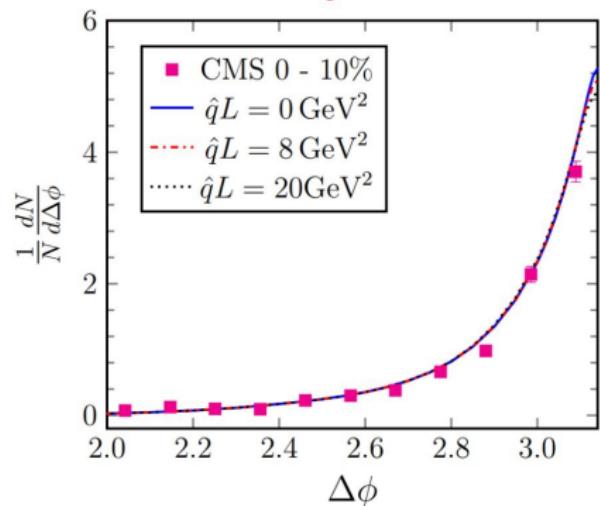
Jet R_{AA}



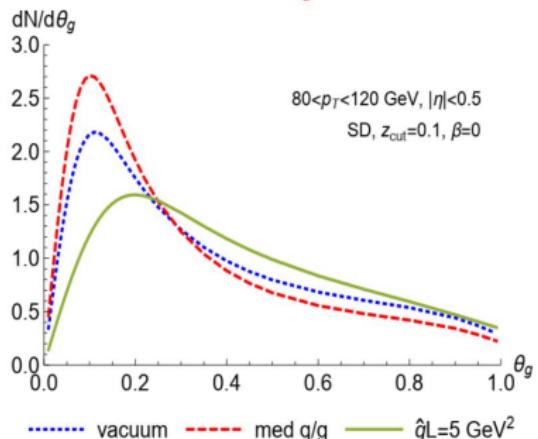
ATLAS Collaboration, PLB 790 (2019) 108-128
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Jet in-medium P_T -broadening

Dijet



Subjets



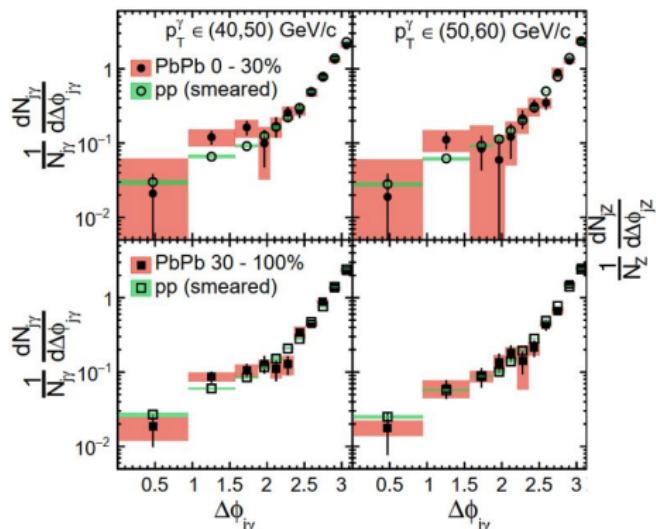
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- Use jet angular de-correlations to capture the in-medium P_T -broadening effects.

Jet in-medium P_T -broadening

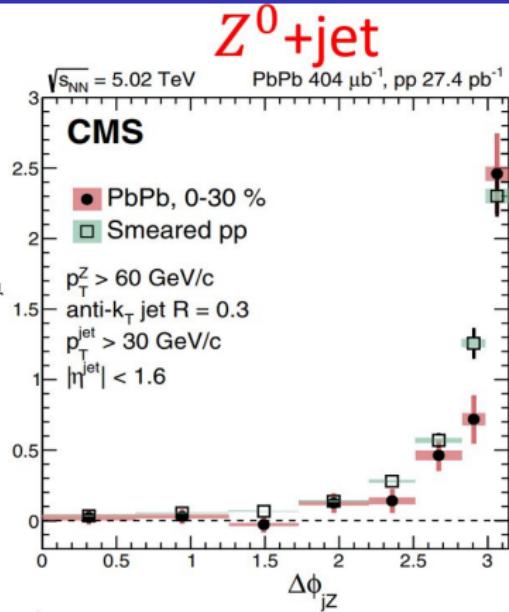
photon+jet



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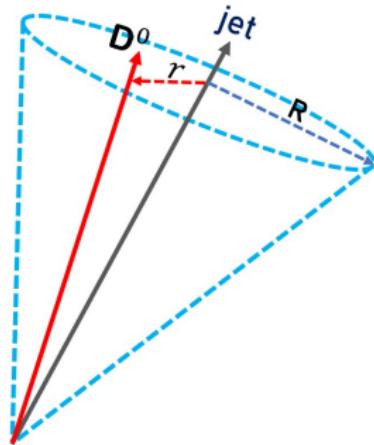


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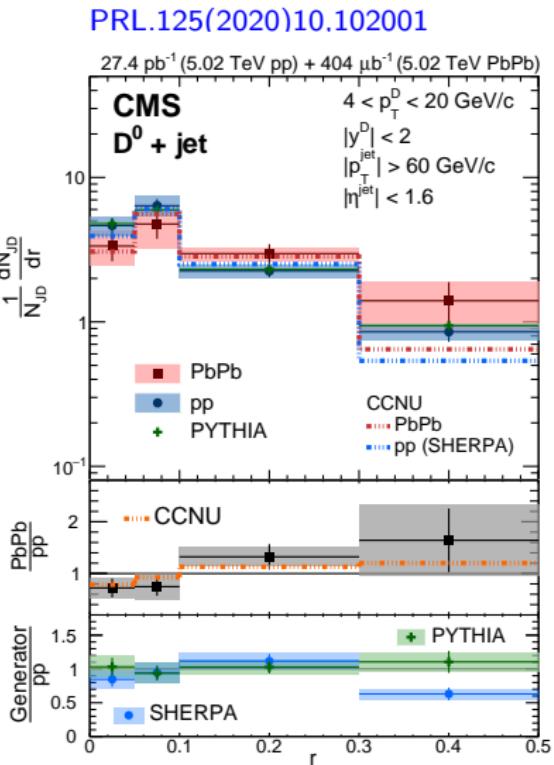
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- No evident angular broadening observed in the measurements on γ +jet and Z^0 +jet.
- New observables are needed to capture the in-medium P_T -broadening effects.

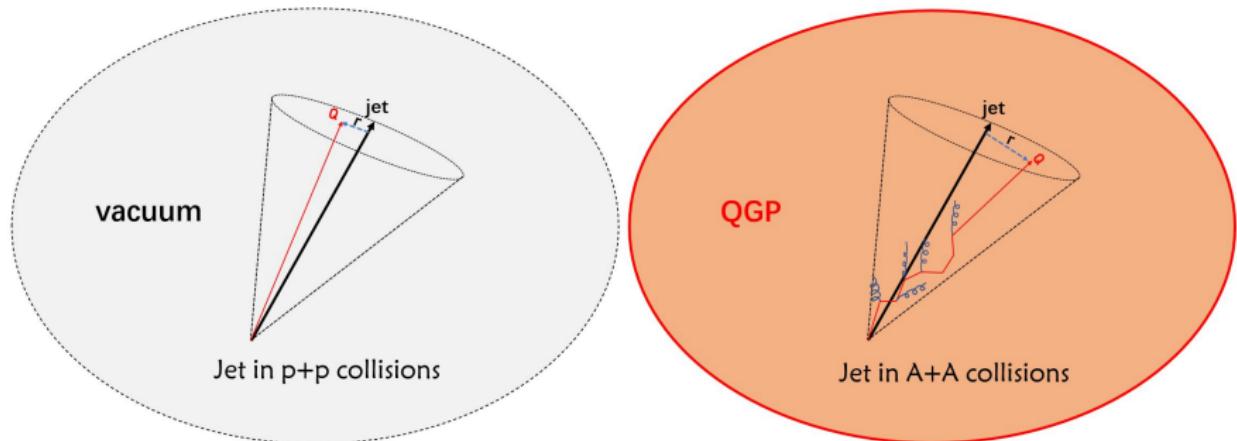
Measurement : D^0 radial distribution in jets



- $r = \sqrt{(\phi_D - \phi_{\text{jet}})^2 + (\eta_D - \eta_{\text{jet}})^2}$
- Angular distance of HQ to jet axis.
- Complementary to R_{AA} and v_2 of HF hadron.



Motivation : radial distribution of heavy quarks in jets



- The high p_T jets were viewed as references to probe the radial diffusion of lower p_T charm quark in A+A collisions.
- Provides a new perspective to study the dynamical details of the heavy quarks in-medium interactions.

Section II

Framework for the in-medium evolution of heavy flavor jet

Heavy quark jet transport in QGP

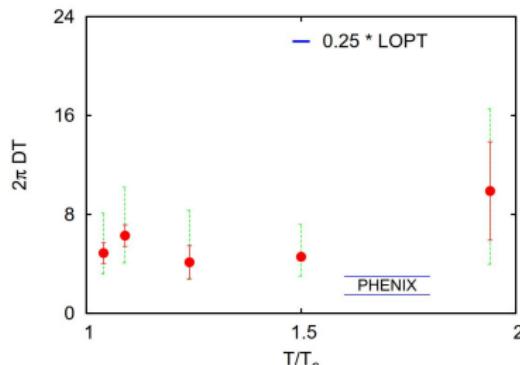
G.D. Moore and D. Teaney PRC 71 (2005) 064904; S. Cao, G.Y. Qin and S.A. Bass Phys.Rev. C88 (2013) 044907

- For heavy quark, $m_Q \gg T_{QGP}$, the modified discrete Langevin transport equations are used to describe the propagating of heavy quarks in the QGP.

$$\Delta \vec{x}(t + \Delta t) = \frac{\vec{p}(t)}{E} \Delta t \quad (1)$$

$$\Delta \vec{p}(t + \Delta t) = -\Gamma(p) \vec{p} \Delta t + \vec{\xi}(t) \Delta t - \vec{p}_g \quad (2)$$

The fluctuation-dissipation relation: $\kappa = 2ET\Gamma = \frac{2T^2}{D_s}$
Based on the LQCD calculation, D_s is fixed at $(2\pi T)D_s = 4$
Debasish Banerjee et al. Phys.Rev.D 85 (2012) 014510
A. Francis, et al. Phys.Rev.D 92 (2015) 11, 116003



The stochastic term $\xi(t)$ obeys Gaussian distribution :

$$W(\vec{\xi}(t)) = N \cdot \exp\left(\frac{\vec{\xi}^2(t)}{2\kappa}\right) \quad (3)$$

which leads to

$$\langle \xi_i(t) \rangle = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\langle \xi_i(t) \xi_j(t') \rangle = \kappa \delta_{ij}(t - t') \quad (5)$$

- For light parton, the collisional energy loss is described by the calculation at Hard Thermal Loop (HTL) approximation:

R.B. Neufeld, Phys.Rev. D83 (2011) 065012; J. Huang, Z.B. Kang and I. Vitev, Phys.Lett. B726 (2013) 251-256

$$\frac{dE}{dz} = -\frac{\alpha_s C_i m_D^2}{2} \ln \frac{\sqrt{ET}}{m_D} \quad (6)$$

- Evolution of the bulk medium is produced by the iEBE-VISHNU hydro model.

C. Shen, Z. Qiu, H. Song, J. Bernhard, S. Bass and U. Heinz, Comput.Phys.Commun. 199 (2016) 61-85

Medium-induced gluon radiation

- For both heavy and light parton, the medium-induced gluon radiation is implemented based on the higher-twist approach.

X.f. Guo and X.N. Wang, Phys.Rev.Lett. 85 (2000) 3591-3594 ;
B.W. Zhang, E. Wang and X. N. Wang, Phys.Rev.Lett. 93 (2004) 072301; A. Majumder, Phys.Rev. D85 (2012) 014023

$$\frac{dN_g}{dx dk_\perp^2 dt} = \frac{2\alpha_s C_A P(x)\hat{q}}{\pi k_\perp^4} \sin^2\left(\frac{t - t_i}{2\tau_f}\right) \left(\frac{k_\perp^2}{k_\perp^2 + x^2 M^2}\right)^4 \quad (7)$$

$P(x)$ is the QCD splitting function in vacuum :

W. T. Deng and X. N. Wang, Phys. Rev. C 81 (2010) 024902

$$P_{q \rightarrow qg}(x) = \frac{(1 + (1 - x)^2)(1 - x)}{x} \quad (8)$$

$$P_{g \rightarrow gg}(x) = \frac{2(1 - x + x^2)^3}{x(1 - x)} \quad (9)$$

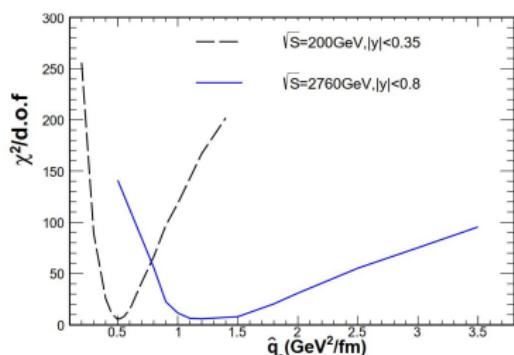
τ_f the gluon formation time :

$$\tau_f = \frac{2xE(1 - x)}{k_\perp^2 + x^2 M^2} \quad (10)$$

- \hat{q} is the jet transport coefficient.

X. F. Chen, C. Greiner, E. Wang, X.N. Wang and Z. Xu, Phys.Rev. C81 (2010) 064908

$$\hat{q} = \hat{q}_0 \left(\frac{T}{T_0}\right)^3 \frac{p^\mu u_\mu}{p^0} \quad (11)$$



G.Y. Ma, W. Dai, B.W. Zhang and E.K. Wang, Eur.Phys.J. C79 (2019) no.6, 518

$\hat{q}_0 \sim 0.5 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{fm}$ in Au+Au 200 GeV

$\hat{q}_0 \sim 1.2 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{fm}$ in Pb+Pb 2760 GeV

p+p baseline and model setup

Initial momentum sampling:

SHERPA (NLO+PS)

JHEP0902(2009)007

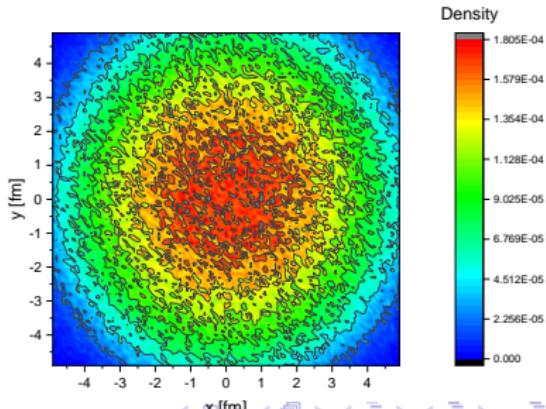
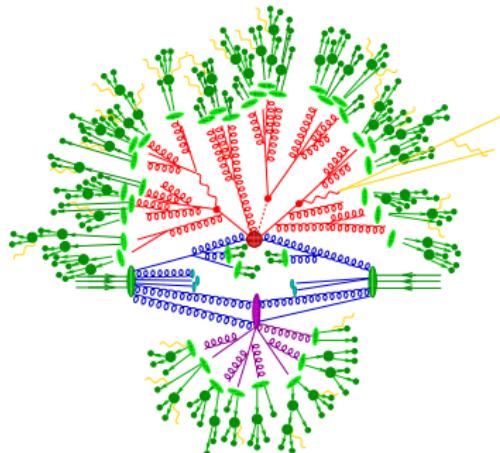
- Initial state parton shower (QCD)
- Underlying event
- Signal process
- Final state parton shower (QCD)
- Fragmentation
- Hadron decay
- QED radiation
- NNPDF3.0 NLO (proton)
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- nNNPDF1.0 NLO (nucleus)
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Initial position sampling

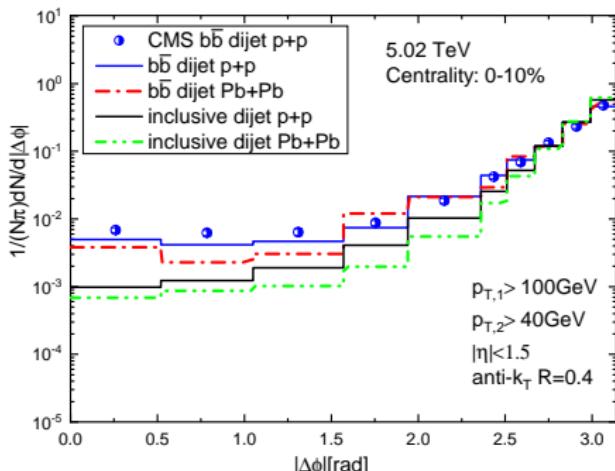
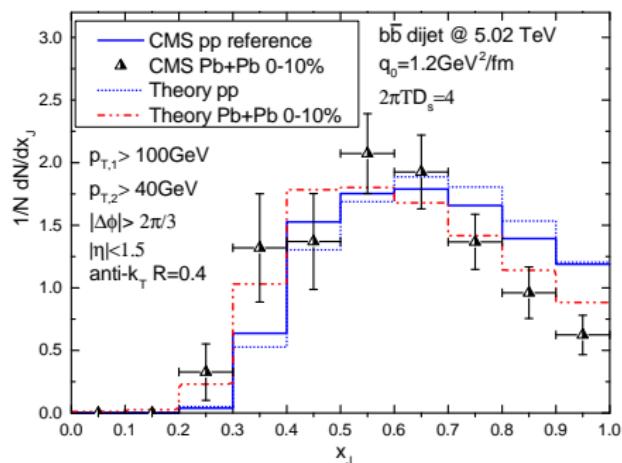
- Monte Carlo Glauber model
EPJC72(2012)1896

Jet reconstruction

- Fastjet3.0 EPJC72(2012)1896



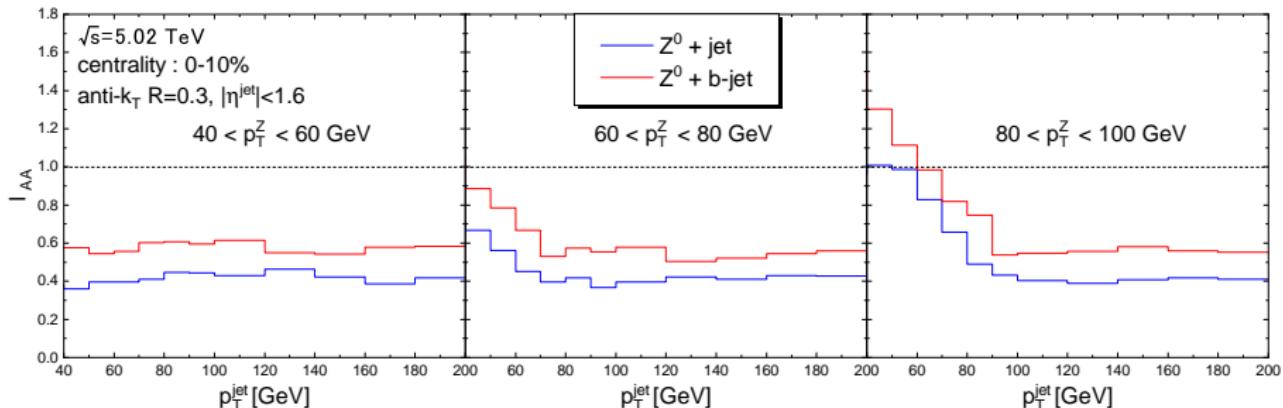
$b\bar{b}$ dijet production in nucleus-nucleus collisions



- $x_J = p_{T2}/p_{T1}$ shifts towards smaller values due to in-medium jet energy loss.
- No significant angular broadening observed both for inclusive dijet and $b\bar{b}$ dijet.

W. Dai, S. Wang, B. W. Zhang and E. Wang, Chin.Phys.C 44 (2020) 104105

$Z^0 + b$ -jet production in nucleus-nucleus collisions



$$I_{AA} = \frac{1}{\langle N_{bin} \rangle} \frac{\frac{dN^{AA}}{dp_T^{\text{jet}}} \Big|_{p_T^{\min} < p_T^Z < p_T^{\max}}}{\frac{dN^{pp}}{dp_T^{\text{jet}}} \Big|_{p_T^{\min} < p_T^Z < p_T^{\max}}}$$

- By comparing the I_{AA} of $Z^0 + \text{jet}$ and $Z^0 + b\text{-jet}$, we predict stronger yield suppression for light-quark jet compared to that of b-jet.

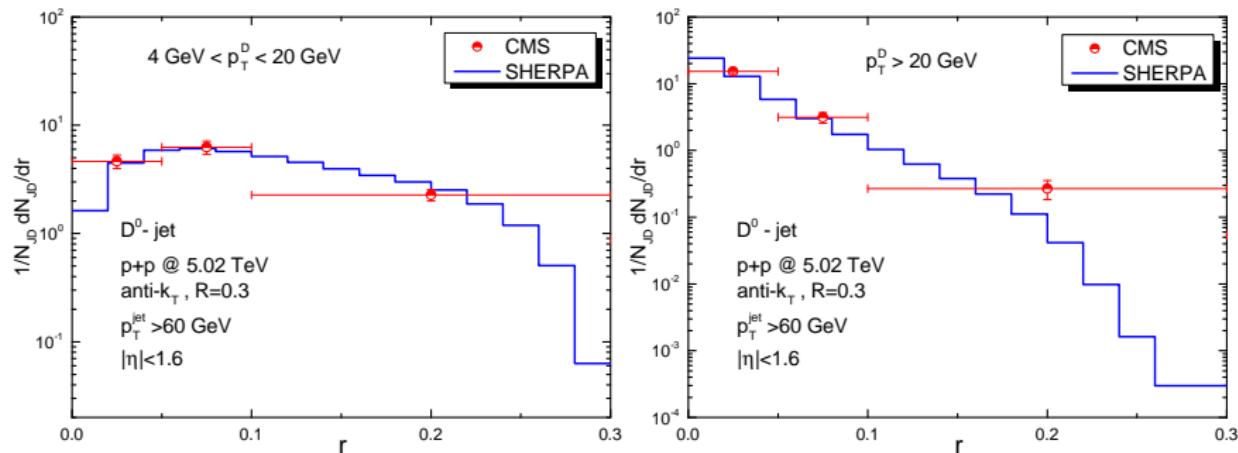
Section III

Angular correlations of HF+jet in HICs

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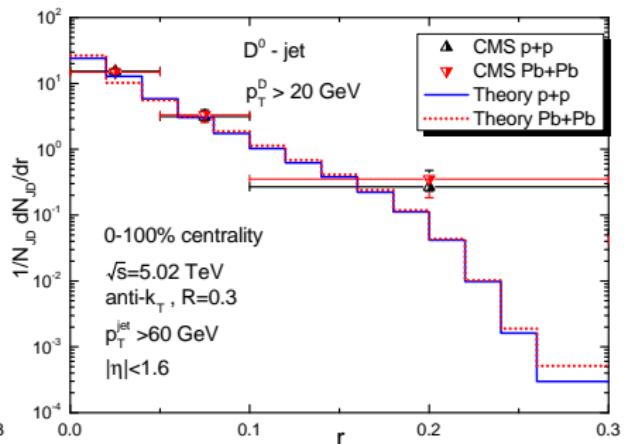
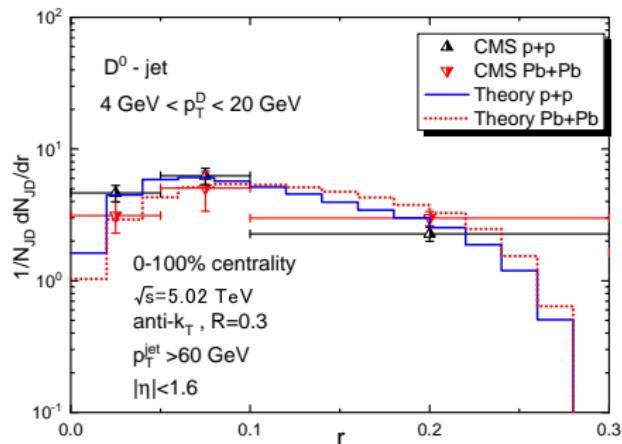
D^0 radial distribution in jets in p+p collisions



- The radial distribution of D^0 respect to the jet axis is sensitive to the heavy quark production mechanisms.
- At lower p_T^D , a broad distribution versus r , gluon splitting during parton shower.
- At higher p_T^D , spectra fall rapidly as a function of r , charm-initiated jet.

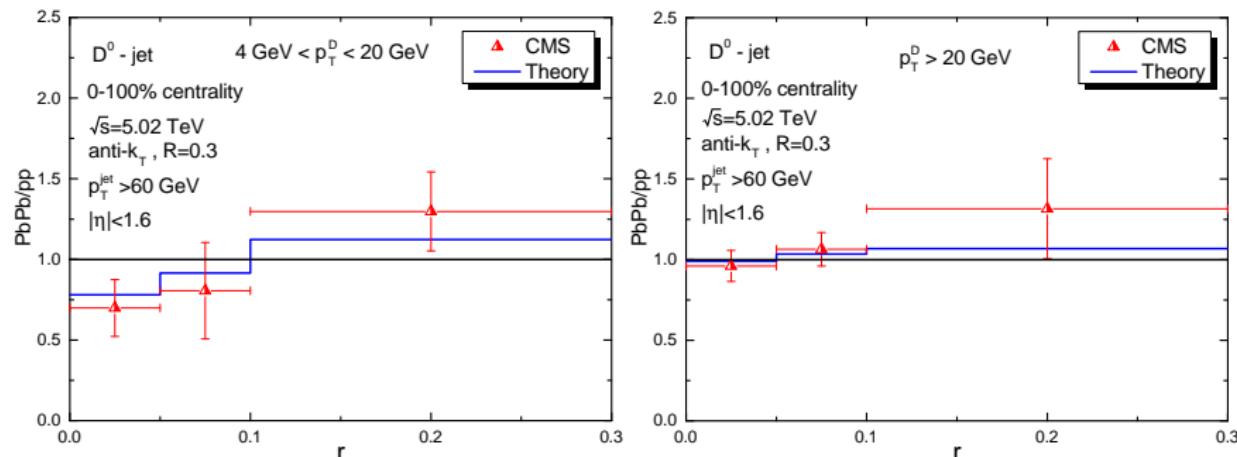
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D^0 radial distribution in jets in p+p and Pb+Pb collisions



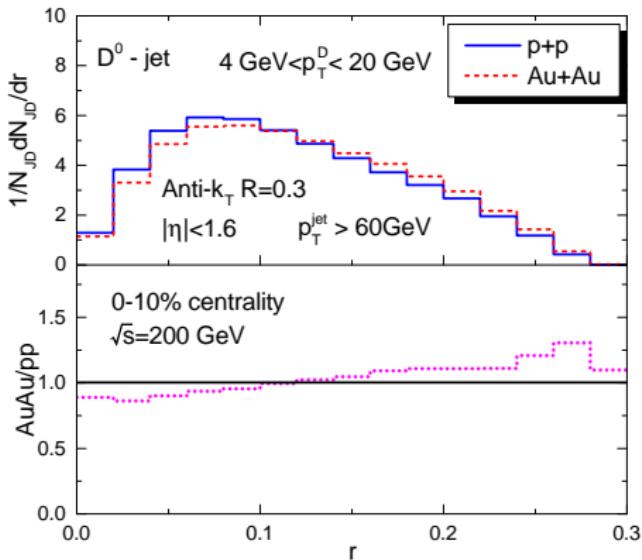
- At lower D^0 meson p_T ($4 - 20 \text{ GeV}$), a visible shift towards large r is found in the normalized distribution.
- At higher D^0 meson p_T ($> 20 \text{ GeV}$), no significant modification observed.

D^0 radial distribution in jets in p+p and Pb+Pb collisions



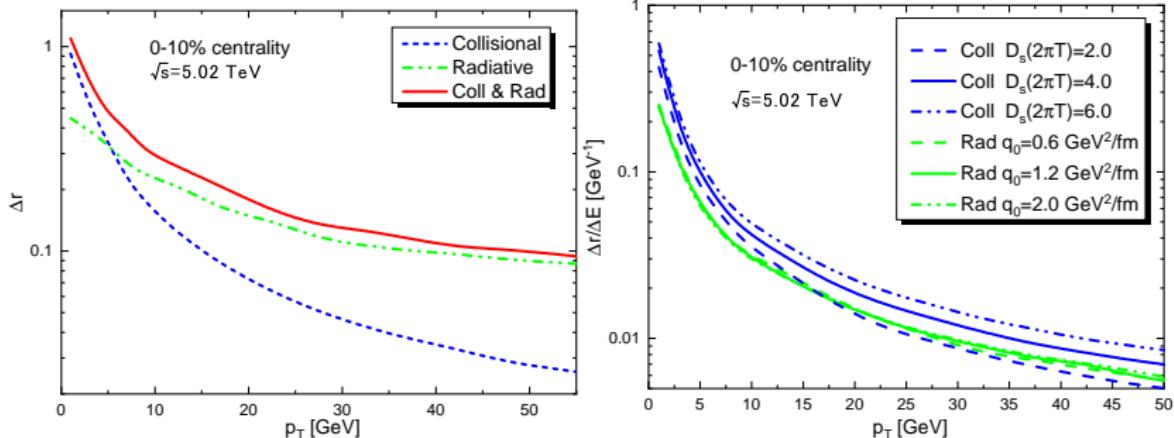
- At lower D^0 meson p_T ($4 - 20$ GeV), a visible shift towards large r is found in the normalized distribution.
- At higher D^0 meson p_T (> 20 GeV), no significant modification observed.

Radial profile of charm in jet at RHIC



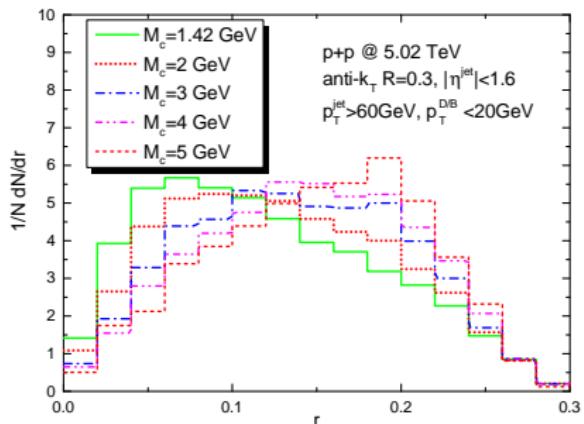
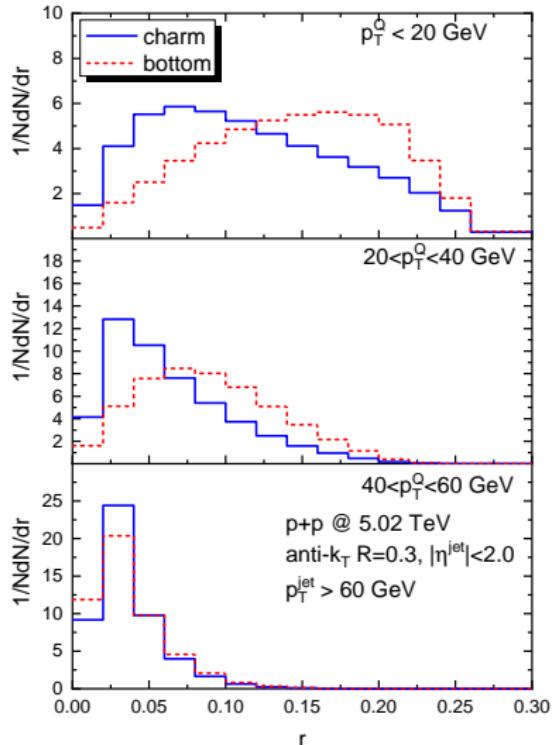
- Weaker modification compared to LHC, due to lower temperature of QGP at the RHIC energy.

Parameter sensitivity



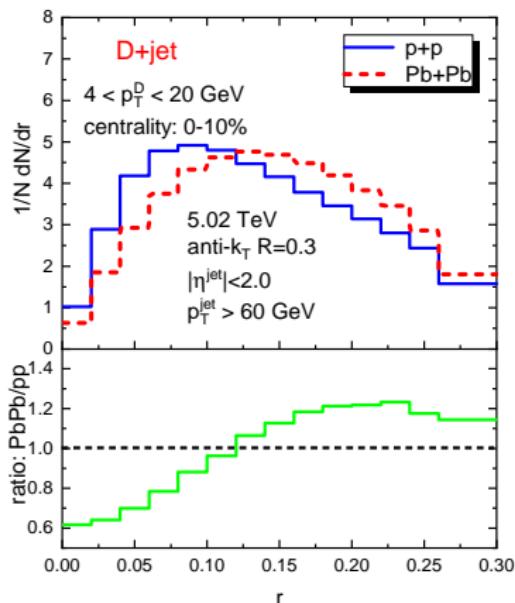
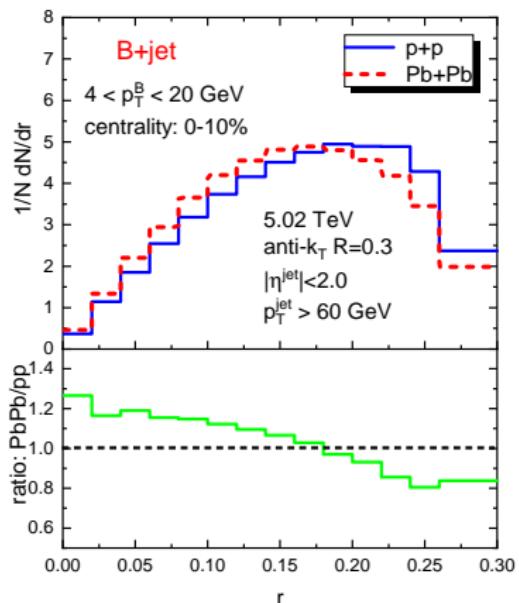
- $\Delta r = \sqrt{(\phi_c - \phi_c^0)^2 + (\eta_c - \eta_c^0)^2}$
- Elastic and inelastic scattering dominates the lower p_T^D and higher p_T^D region respectively.
- $\Delta r/\Delta E$ addresses the broadening strength per unit energy loss of charm quark, sensitive to D_s but not to \hat{q}

Mass effect reflected in the jet radial distribution



- At lower p_T , bottom quarks are farther apart from the jet axis than charm quarks.
- At higher p_T , distributions shift to near the jet axis, distinctions between charm and bottom trend to disappear.

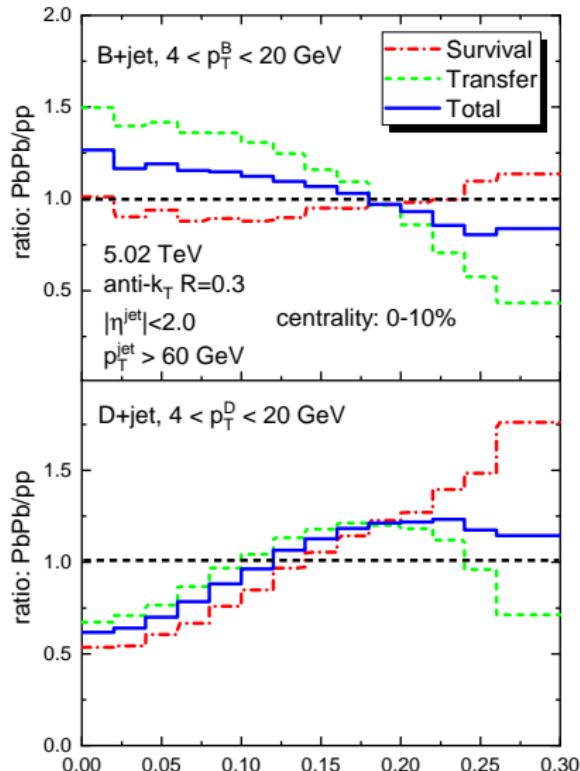
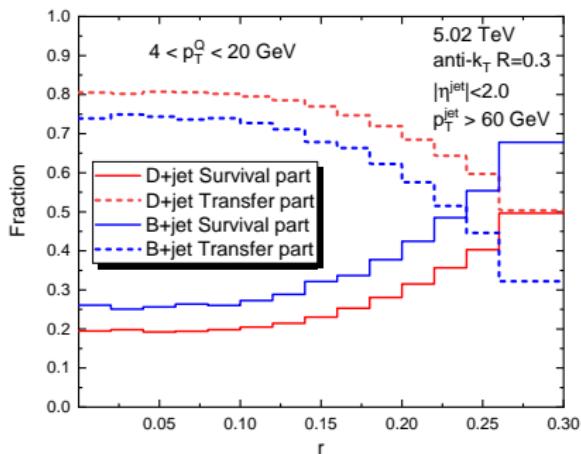
Angular correlation of bottom+jets in HICs



- Different modification patterns shown on the radial profiles: charm quarks shift towards larger radius while bottom quarks seems shift closer to the jet axis.

HF+jet events in A+A collisions

	p+p	A+A
Total(p+p)	$p_T^Q: 4\text{-}20$	
Total(A+A)		$p_T^Q: 4\text{-}20$
Survival in A+A	$p_T^Q: 4\text{-}20$	$p_T^Q: 4\text{-}20$
Transfer in A+A	$p_T^Q > 20$	$p_T^Q: 4\text{-}20$

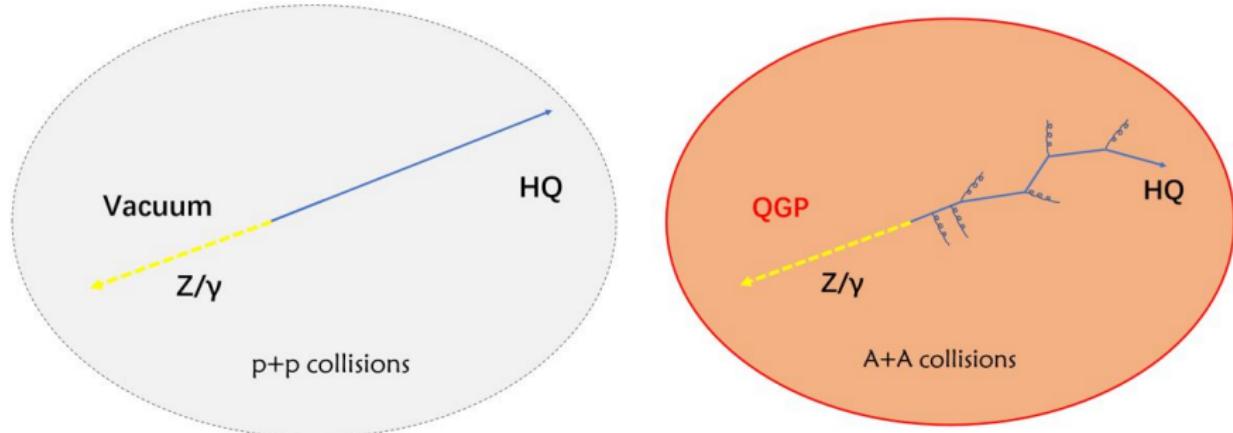


Section IV

Angular de-correlations of $\gamma + \text{HF}$ in HICs

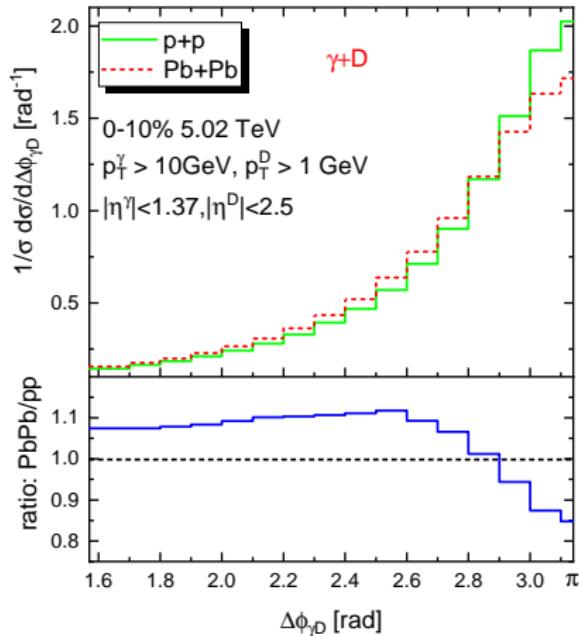
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Probing the P_T -broadening by $\gamma + \text{HF}$ correlations



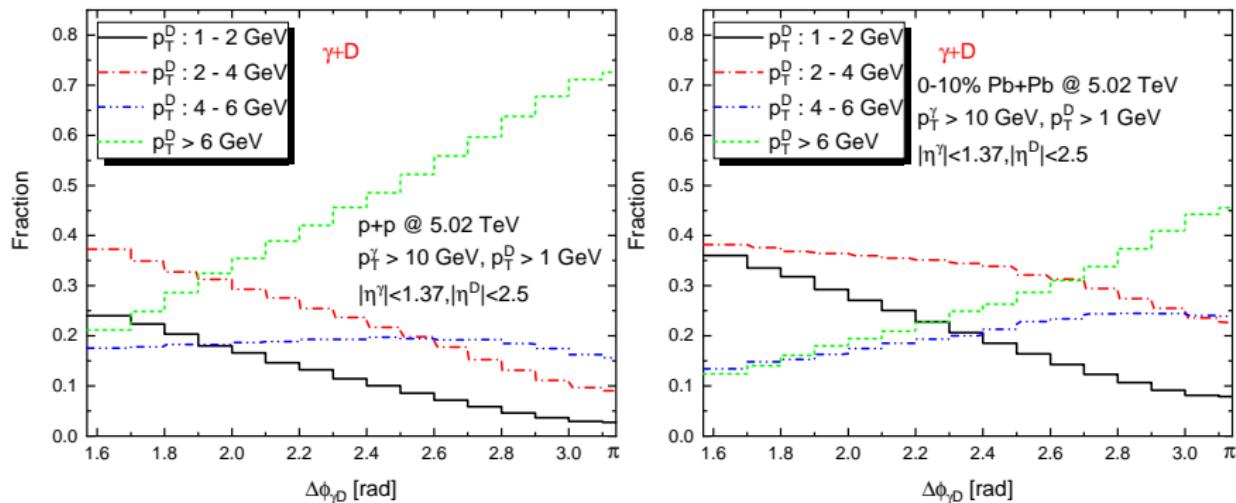
- Vector bosons are good references to probe the changes of heavy quark momentum.
- Vector bosons constrain the initial kinematics of HQ in A+A, consistent with that of p+p.
- HQ excludes the impacts from the medium response effects.

Angular de-correlations of $\gamma+D$ in HICs



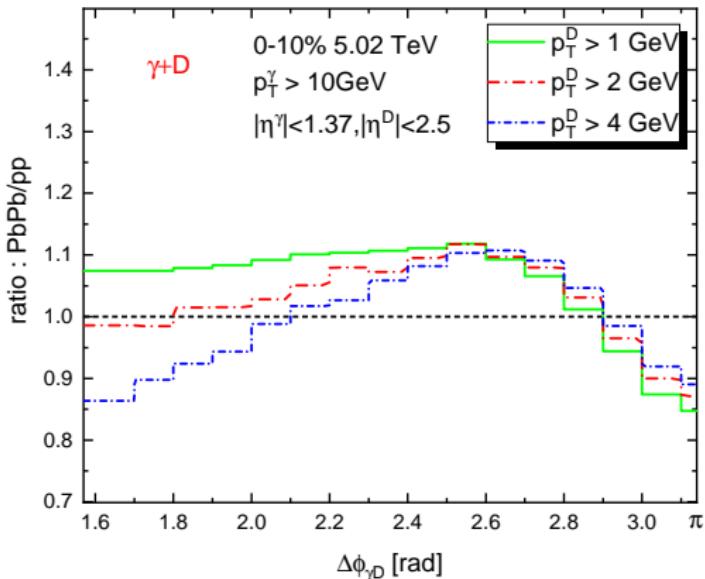
- In Pb+Pb collisions, distinct reduction of $\gamma+D$ events at the back-to-back region compared to $p+p$, where $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D} = |\phi_\gamma - \phi_D|$.
- It indicates the angular de-correlations between γ and charm quarks in QGP.
- Evident signal of in-medium P_T -broadening effect.

Angular de-correlations of $\gamma+D$ in HICs



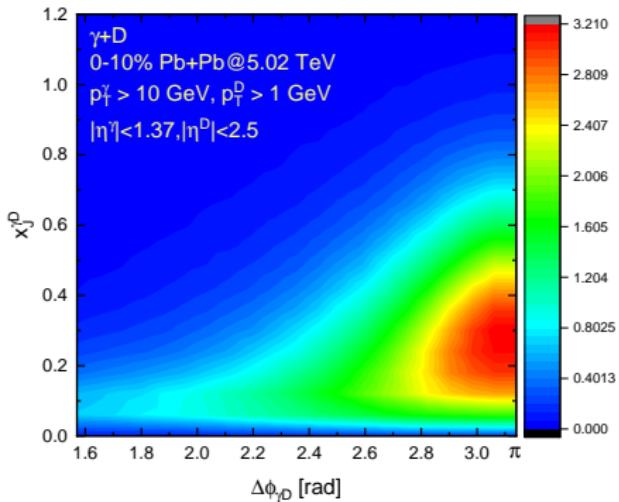
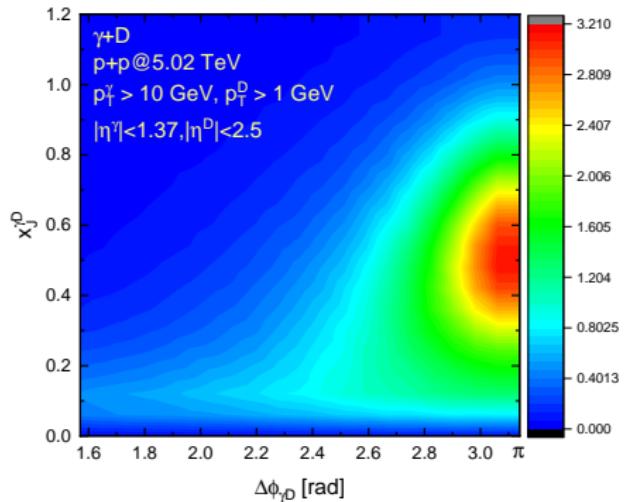
- In $p+p$ collisions, higher p_T D mesons dominate the back-to-back $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ region.
- In Pb+Pb collisions, higher P_T D mesons are significantly reduced due to the energy loss of charm quarks. Lower p_T D mesons become the dominant contribution at smaller $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ region.

Angular de-correlations of $\gamma+D$ in HICs



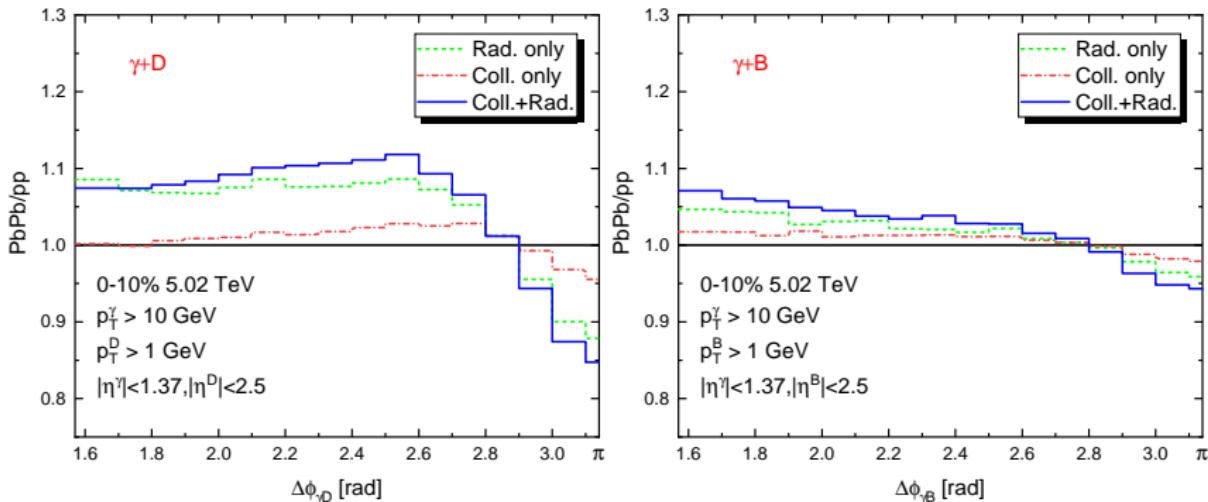
- The modification patterns of $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ distribution are sensitive to the selection cut for D mesons.
- As selection cut increases, the enhancement at $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D} < 2.0$ gradually disappears and turns into suppression.
- The higher p_T^D cut excludes the contribution of lower p_T D meson.

Correlation diagram of $(x_J^{\gamma D}, \phi_{\gamma D})$



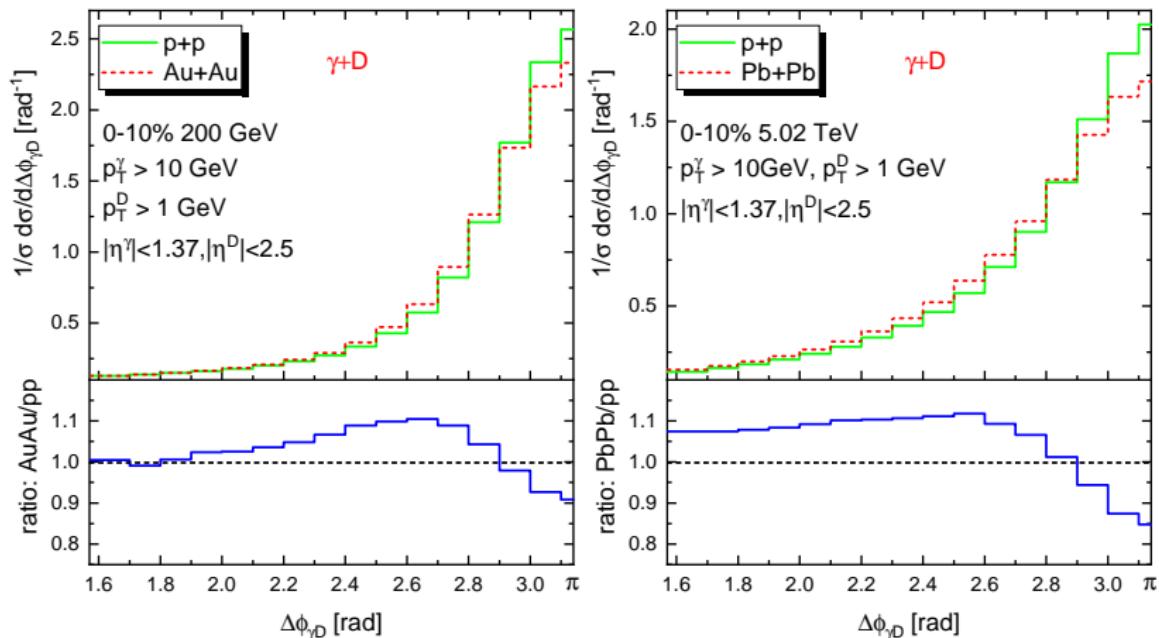
- The shifting of $x_J^{\gamma D} = p_T^D / p_T^\gamma$ from larger to smaller value is due to the energy loss of charm quarks during their traversing in QGP.
- The shifting of $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D} = |\phi_\gamma - \phi_D|$ is a clear signal of the P_T -broadening effect due to the in-medium interactions of charm quark.

Probing the mass effect of P_T -broadening at the LHC



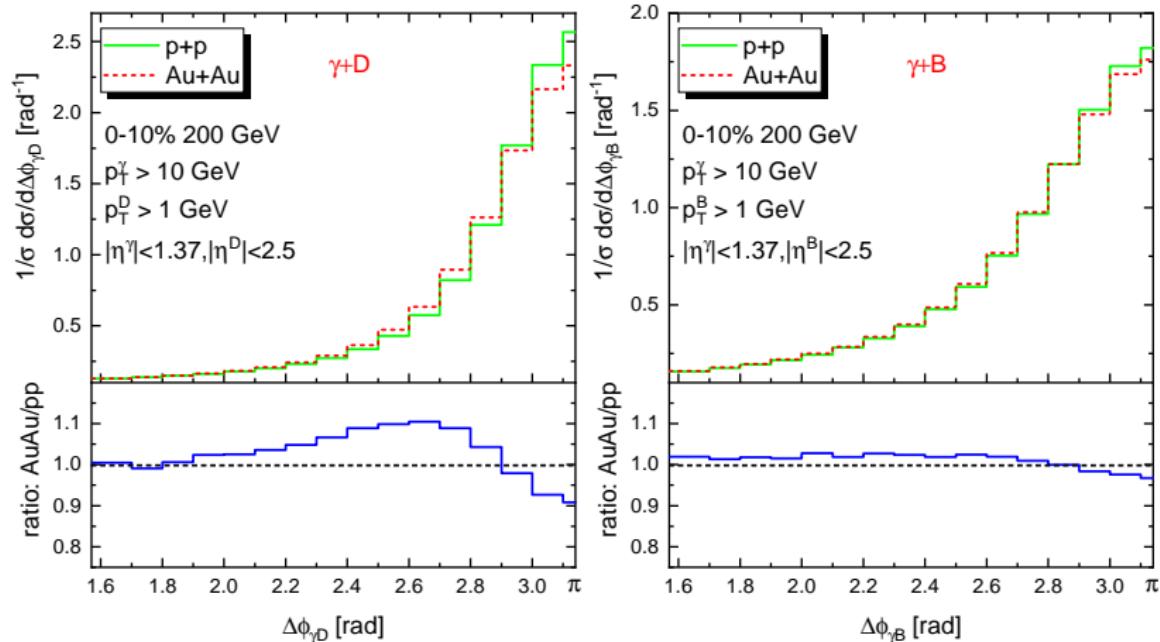
- The total modification of $\gamma+B$ angular correlations is visibly smaller than that of $\gamma+D$.
- Angular de-correlations can serve as useful tool to test the mass effect of jet quenching.
- Inelastic scattering (radiation) is the dominant mechanism responsible for the angular de-correlations of $\gamma+HF$.

Angular de-correlations of $\gamma+D$ at LHC Vs. RHIC



- The $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ spectra in p+p collisions at RHIC energy is steeper than that at LHC.
- Visible modification of $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ distributions in central Au+Au collisions.

Angular de-correlations of $\gamma+D$ Vs. $\gamma+B$ at RHIC



- No visible azimuthal angular de-correlations of $\gamma+B$ in RHIC energy.

Summary I

- We present systematic studies on the radial profile of heavy quarks in jets in heavy-ion collisions.
- We observe considerable diffusion of charm quarks in jets at 5 TeV, may be an indication of the in-medium P_T -broadening effects.
- At RHIC energy, the diffusion effect of charm quarks is weaker than that at LHC.
- We predict different modification patterns: jet quenching effects narrow the jet radial profile of B mesons in jets while broaden that of D mesons in jets.
- The diffusion nature of heavy quark in-medium interactions broadens the radial profile, while energy loss narrows the distribution. These two effects consequently compete and offset with each other.

Summary II

- We present the first theoretical study of the azimuthal angular correlations of $\gamma+HF$ in HICs as a new probe of the in-medium P_T -broadening effect.
- We observe angular de-correlations of photon and D meson, which can be used to probe the in-medium P_T -broadening.
- We construct the 2D correlations diagrams between $x_j^{\gamma D}$ and $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ to show the energy loss and P_T -broadening effect simultaneously.
- We observe much weaker medium modification of azimuthal angular correlation of $\gamma+B$ compared to that of $\gamma+D$ in Pb+Pb collisions at the LHC. We demonstrate that the difference mainly results from the medium-induced gluon radiation.
- We predict a visible modification on the $\Delta\phi_{\gamma D}$ distributions in central Au+Au collisions.



Thanks for your attention !

Parameter sensitivity

$$\vec{x}(t + \Delta t) = \vec{x}(t) + \frac{\vec{p}(t)}{E} \Delta t$$

$$\vec{p}(t + \Delta t) = \vec{p}(t) - \Gamma(p) \vec{p} \Delta t + \vec{\xi}(t) \Delta t - \vec{p}_g$$

$$\kappa = 2ET\Gamma = \frac{2T^2}{D_s}$$

$$\langle \xi_i(t) \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle \xi_i(t) \xi_j(t') \rangle = \kappa \delta_{ij}(t - t')$$

Radiative:

$$\frac{dN_g}{dx dk_\perp^2 dt} = \frac{2\alpha_s C_A P(x) \hat{q}}{\pi k_\perp^4} \sin^2\left(\frac{t - t_i}{2\tau_f}\right) \left(\frac{k_\perp^2}{k_\perp^2 + x^2 M^2}\right)^4$$

$$\frac{\Delta r}{\Delta E} \propto \frac{\int \frac{k_\perp}{E} \frac{dN}{dx dk_\perp^2 dt} dx dk_\perp^2 dt}{\int x E \frac{dN}{dx dk_\perp^2 dt} dx dk_\perp^2 dt}$$

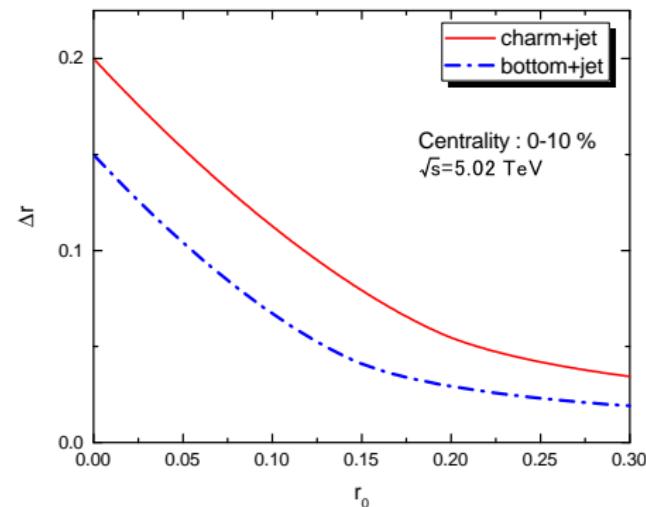
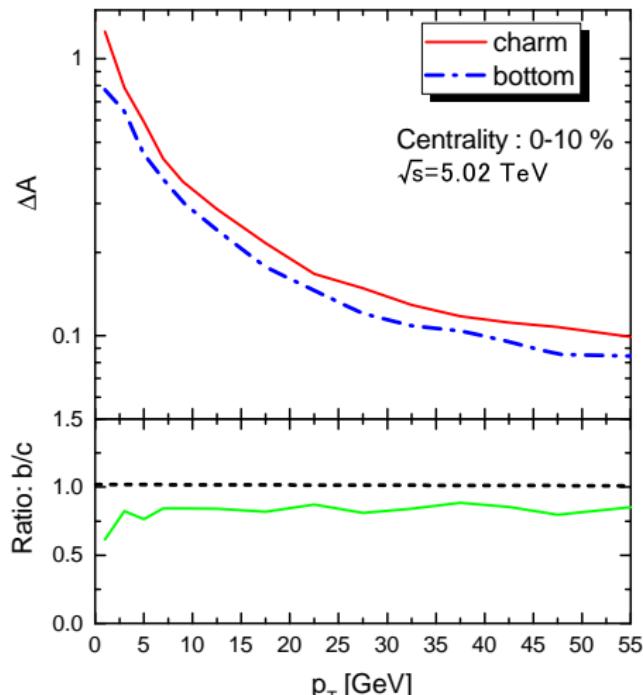
Collisional:

$$\Delta r \propto \int \frac{|\vec{\xi}(t)|}{E} dt \propto \int \frac{\sqrt{\kappa}}{E} dt \propto \int \frac{T}{E \sqrt{D_s}} dt$$

$$\Delta E \sim \int E \Gamma dt = \int \frac{T}{D_s} dt$$

$$\xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \frac{\Delta r}{\Delta E} \propto \sqrt{D_s}$$

Angular deviation of HQ as traversing the QGP



- $\Delta A = \sqrt{(\phi_Q - \phi_Q^0)^2 + (\eta_Q - \eta_Q^0)^2}$
- $\Delta r = \sqrt{(\phi_Q - \phi_{\text{jet}})^2 + (\eta_Q - \eta_{\text{jet}})^2}$

- Charm quarks have slightly stronger angular diffusion effects than bottom quarks.
- Due to the different initial angular distance to jet axis, charm quarks show significant larger shift farther away from the jet axis than that of bottom quarks.