

Jet Drift in Event-by-Event Heavy-Ion Collisions

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Key Papers for This Talk

- Theoretical Calculation: *Andrey Sadofyev, MDS, Ivan Vitev, Phys. Rev. D104 (2021)*

Ab Initio Coupling of Jets to Collective Flow
in the Opacity Expansion Approach



- Model Phenomenology: *Logan Antiporda, Joseph Bahder, Hasan Rahman, MDS, Phys. Rev. D105 (2022)*

Jet Drift and Collective Flow
in Heavy-Ion Collisions

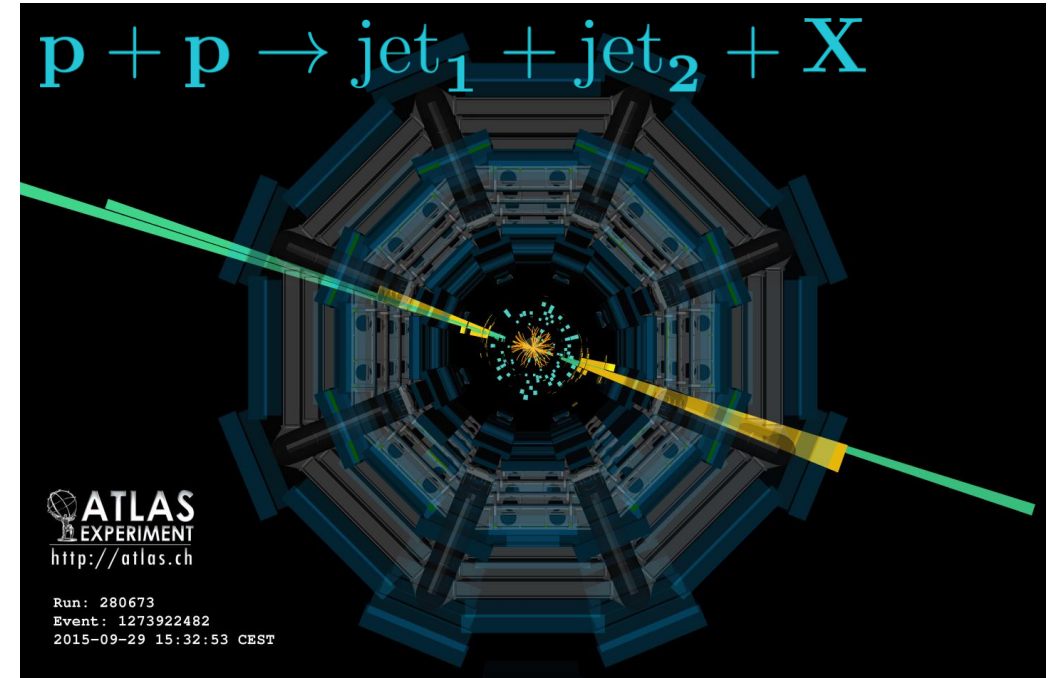
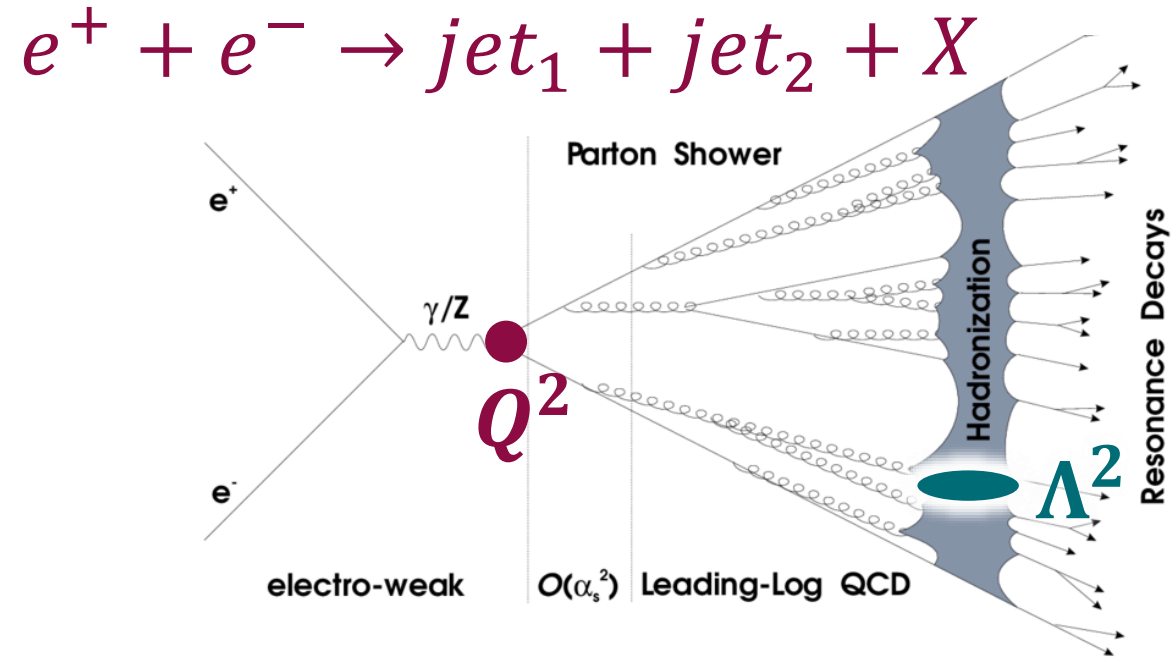


- Hydro Phenomenology: *Joseph Bahder, Logan Antiporda, Jorge Marquez Chavez, MDS, [in preparation]*

(In Preparation)



Jets in Vacuum: a Microcosm of QCD

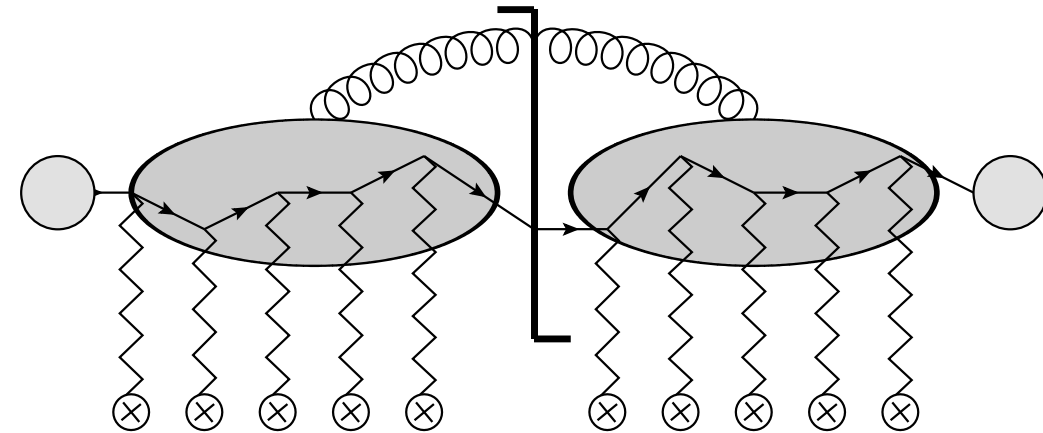


- Basic **jet production: hard parton-parton scattering** at high virtuality Q^2
- **Cascade of radiation** falling in virtuality down from Q^2 to the **hadronization scale Λ^2**
- Jets and substructure: **radiative QCD evolution** from perturbative to nonperturbative

Jets in Medium: Multi-Scale Probes

- At high p_T , jets lose energy primarily by **radiating** a shower of soft gluons
 - In vacuum: **Sudakov factor**
 - In medium: **LPM effect**
- The **interference pattern** of the shower carries information about the **medium**
 - **Position-space** information: $\rho(\vec{x})$
 - **Momentum space** information: $v(\vec{q})$

Induced Radiation
+ accompanying p_T broadening



Landau, Pomeranchuk, Dokl. Akad. Nauk Ser. Fiz 92 (1953)

Migdal, Phys. Rev. 103 (1956)

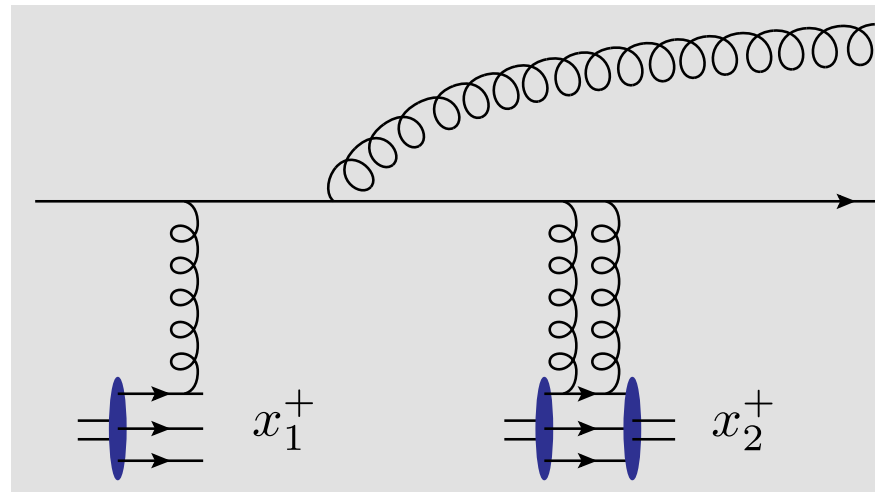
Jets as Interferometers for Medium-Induced Radiation

➤ **Edge phases** of the emission region

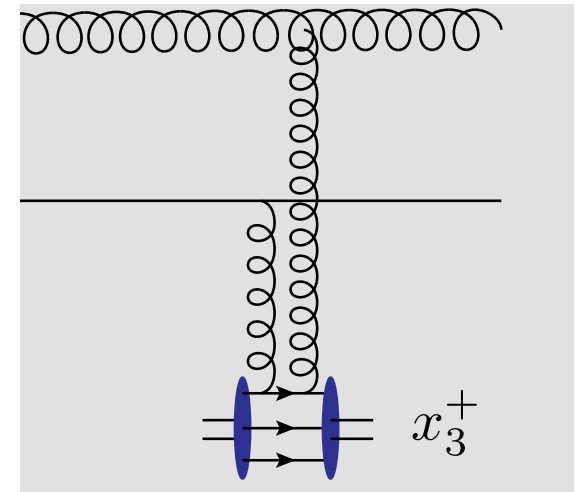
➤ **Phase slip** from scattering

Formation Time

$$\frac{1}{\ell_f} = \frac{(\vec{k}_\perp - x\vec{p}_\perp)^2 + x^2 m^2}{2x(1-x)E}$$

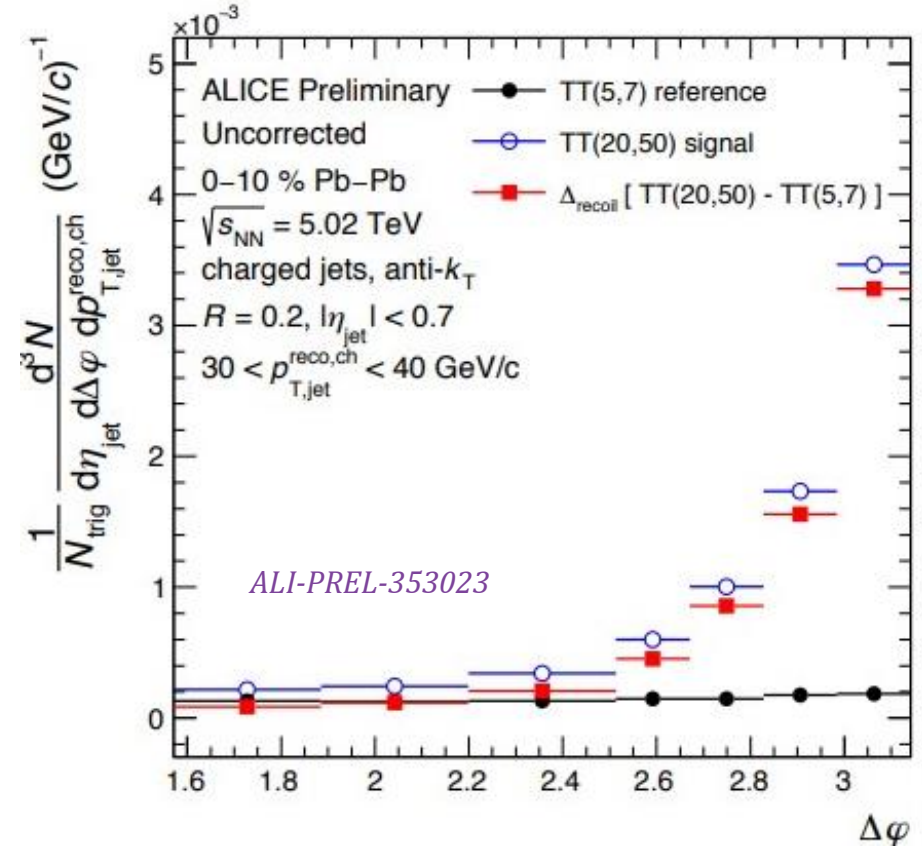
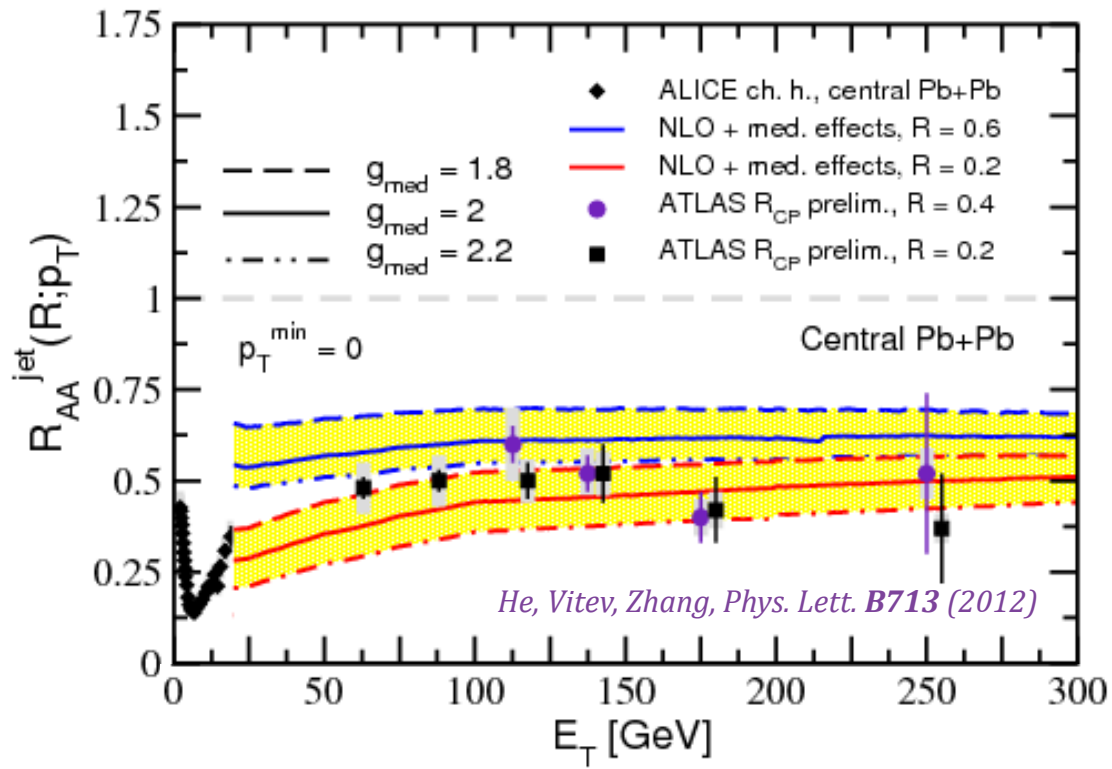


$$e^{i(z_1 / \ell_f)} - e^{i(z_2 / \ell_f)}$$



$$e^{i z_3 (1 / \ell'_f - 1 / \ell_f)}$$

Canonical Signatures of Medium Modification



❖ Energy Loss

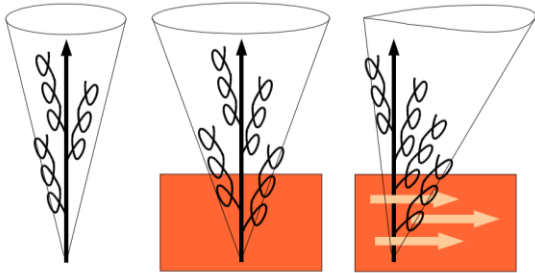
➤ Jet quenching, γ +jet imbalance ...

❖ Transverse Momentum Broadening

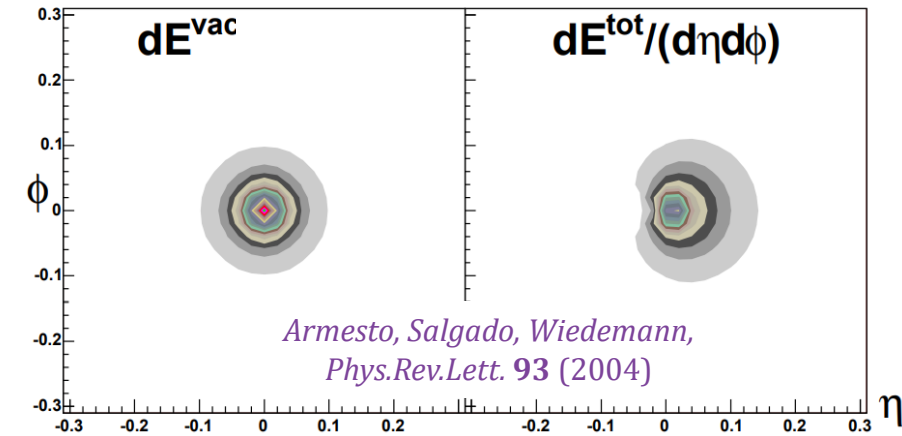
➤ Dijet / γ +jet acoplanarities ...

Asymmetric Measures of Medium Modification

- Model employing **shifted potentials** to mimic **boosted fluid flow**.



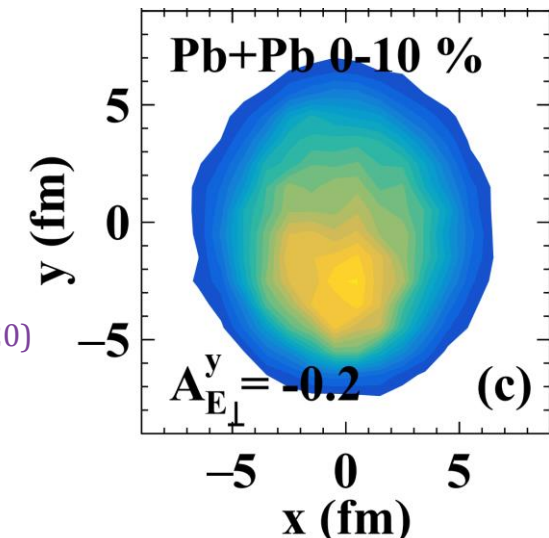
$$|a(\mathbf{q})|^2 = \frac{\mu^2}{\pi [(\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{q}_0)^2 + \mu^2]^2}$$



- Linearized Boltzmann Transport calculation of **jet asymmetries** induced by **gradients**

$$A_{N\vec{n}} = \frac{\int d^3r d^3k f_a(\vec{k}, \vec{r}) \text{Sign}(\vec{k} \cdot \vec{n})}{\int d^3r d^3k f_a(\vec{k}, \vec{r})}$$

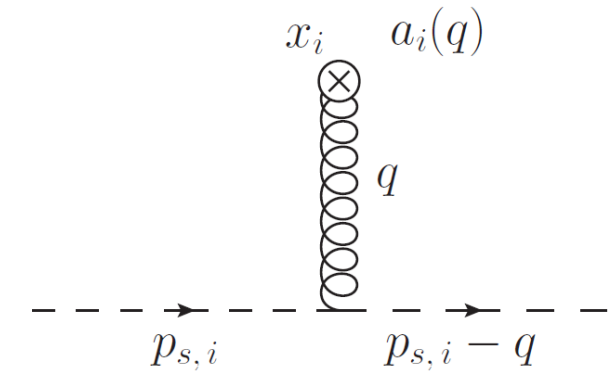
He, Pang, Wang Phys.Rev.Lett. 125 (2020)



Velocity Corrections in the Opacity Expansion

$$g A_{\text{ext}}^{\mu a}(q) = \sum_i e^{iq \cdot x_i} t_i^a u^\mu(\vec{x}_i) v(\vec{x}_i, \vec{q}) (2\pi) \delta(q^0 - \vec{u}(\vec{x}_i) \cdot \vec{q})$$

Sadofyev, MDS, Vitev, *Phys. Rev. D* **104** (2021)



❖ GW: Target masses assumed to be heavy (neglects medium recoil)

Fully relativistic velocity Velocity-dependent potential

$$p_s^\mu = \gamma M (1, \vec{u})^\mu$$

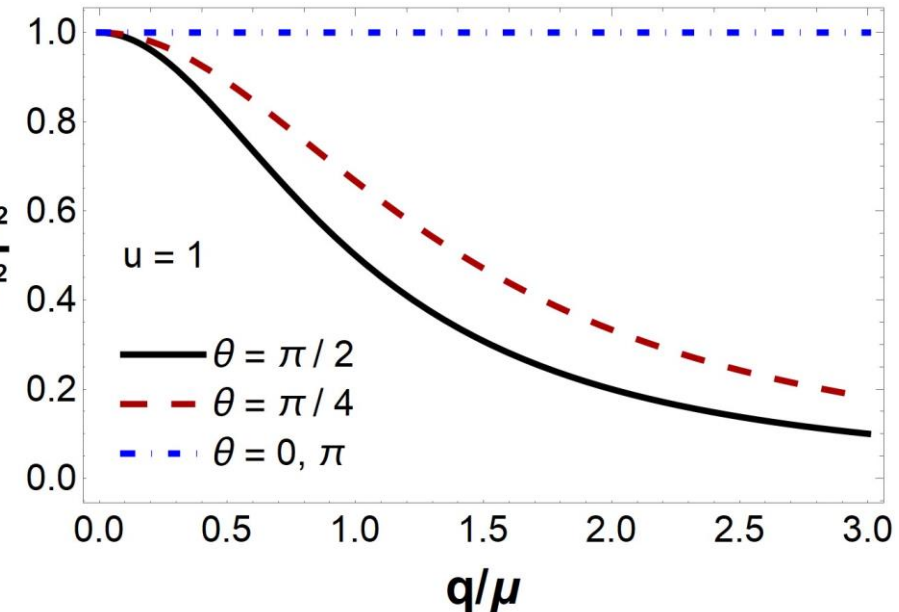
$$v(\vec{x}_i, \vec{q}) = \frac{-g^2}{\vec{q}^2 + \mu^2 - (\vec{u}(\vec{x}_i) \cdot \vec{q})^2 - i\epsilon}$$

- Keep **sub-eikonal, velocity-dependent corrections** to the Gyulassy-Wang potential

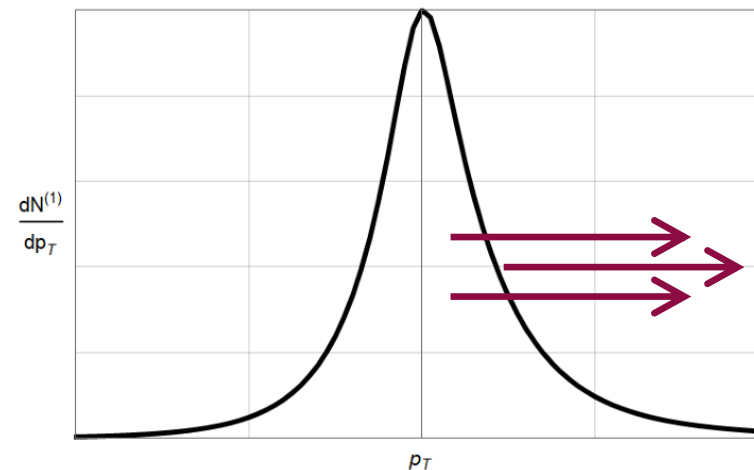
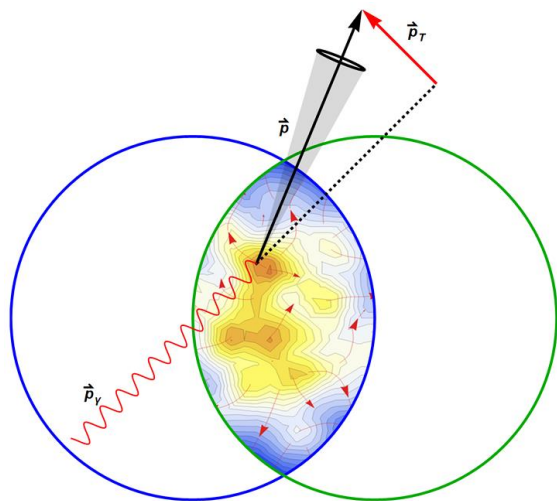
Gyulassy, Wang, *Nucl. Phys. B* **420** (1994)

- **Enhanced collinear scattering** with the flow
- Correlated **collisional energy transfer**

$$|v| \frac{\mu^2}{g^2}$$



Jet Drift: Skewed Acoplanarities



$$\frac{dN^{(1)}}{d^3p_\gamma d^3p} = \int_0^L \frac{dt}{\lambda(t)} \int d^2q_T \hat{\sigma}(q_T^2, t) \left[\left(\frac{dN^{(0)}}{d^3p_\gamma d^2(p-q)_T dE} \right) \left(1 + \vec{u}_T(t) \cdot \vec{\Gamma}(\vec{q}_T, t) \right) - \left(\frac{dN^{(0)}}{d^3p_\gamma d^2p_T dE} \right) \left(1 + \vec{u}_T(t) \cdot \vec{\Gamma}_{DB}(\vec{q}_T, t) \right) \right]$$

Sub-eikonal vertex

Shifted potential

Energy Shift

$$\Gamma(\mathbf{q}_\perp) = -2 \frac{\mathbf{p}_\perp - \mathbf{q}_\perp}{(1 - u_{iz})E} + \frac{\mathbf{q}_\perp}{(1 - u_{iz})E} \left(\frac{(p - q)_\perp^2 - p_\perp^2}{\bar{\sigma}(q_\perp^2)} \right) \frac{\partial \bar{\sigma}}{\partial q_\perp^2} - \frac{\mathbf{q}_\perp}{1 - u_z} \left(\frac{1}{\bar{N}_0(E, \mathbf{p}_\perp - \mathbf{q}_\perp)} \frac{\partial \bar{N}_0}{\partial E} \right)$$

Acoplanarities and Moments

- ❖ Assuming: Gyulassy-Wang potential, initial “pencil jet,” LO initial distribution

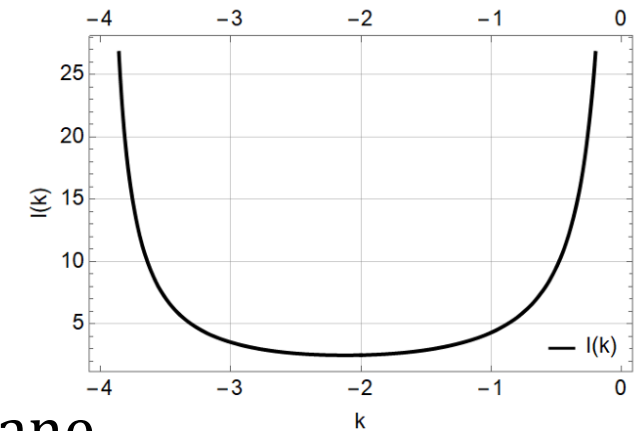
Jet drift: sub-eikonal, antisymmetric

$$\frac{dN^{(1)}}{d^2p_T} = \frac{1}{\pi} \int \frac{dt}{\lambda(t)} \frac{\mu^2(t)}{(p_T^2 + \mu^2(t))^2} \left[1 + \frac{\vec{u}_T(t) \cdot \vec{p}_T}{(1 - u_{\parallel}(t)) E} \left(\frac{6p_T^2 + 4\mu^2(t)}{p_T^2 + \mu^2(t)} \right) \right]$$

- ❖ If the orientation of the **event plane is fixed (EPD)**, can measure the **net deflection of jets** relative to the event plane:

*Antiporda, Bahder, Rahman, MDS,
Phys. Rev. D105 (2022)*

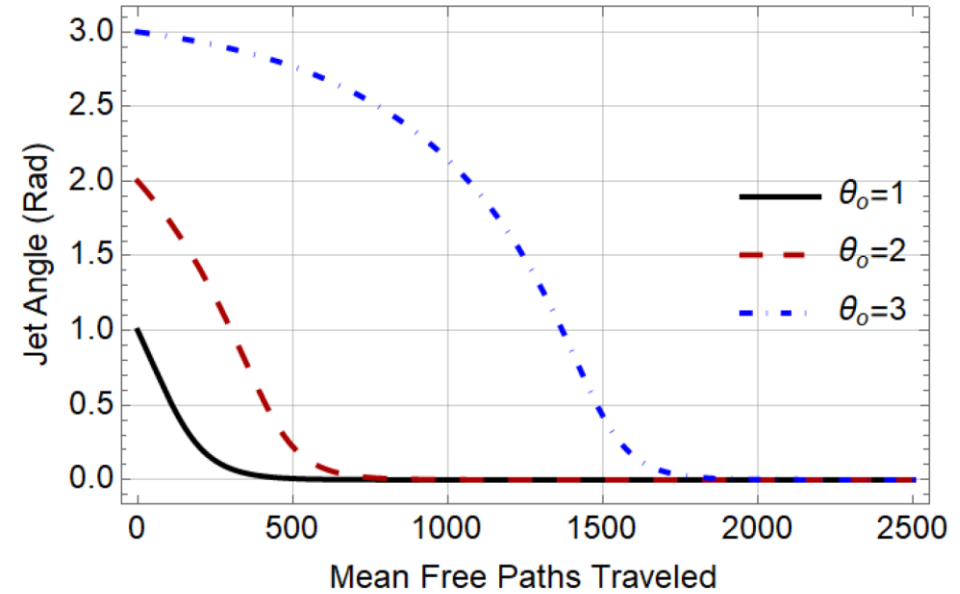
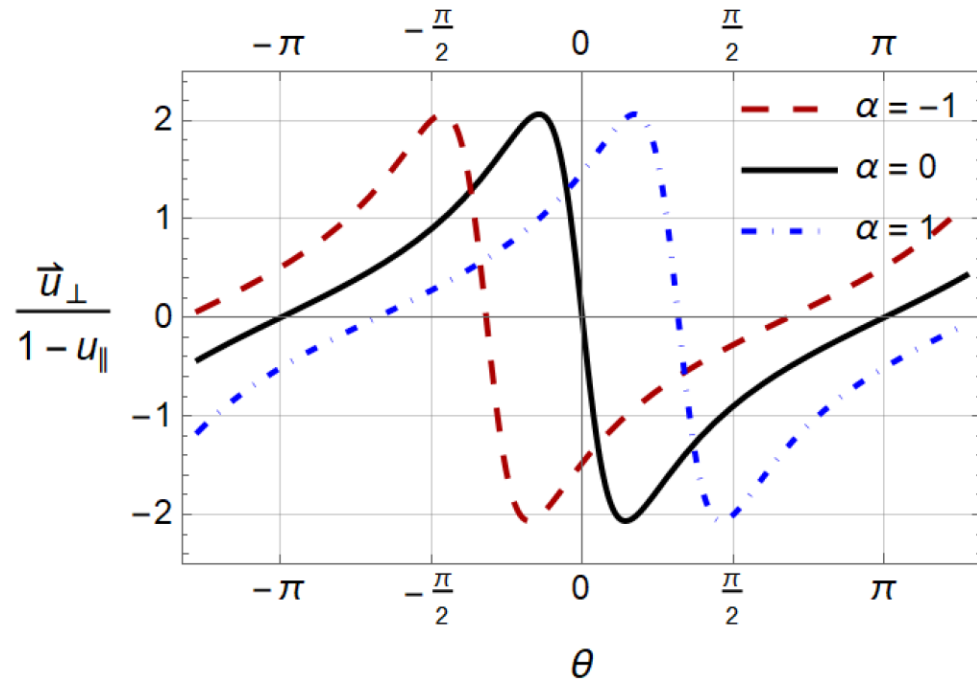
$$\langle \vec{p}_{\perp} p_{\perp}^k \rangle = \frac{I(k)}{E} \hat{e}_{\perp} \int \frac{dt}{\lambda(t)} \frac{u_{\perp}(t)}{1 - u_{\parallel}(t)} \mu^{k+2}(t)$$



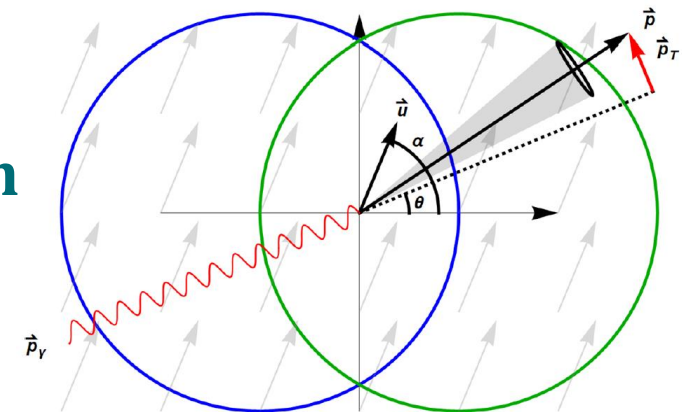
- ❖ Otherwise, look for **event-by-event correlations** with event plane

Simplest Case: The Constant Flowing Slab

Antiporda, Bahder, Rahman, MDS, Phys. Rev. D105 (2022)



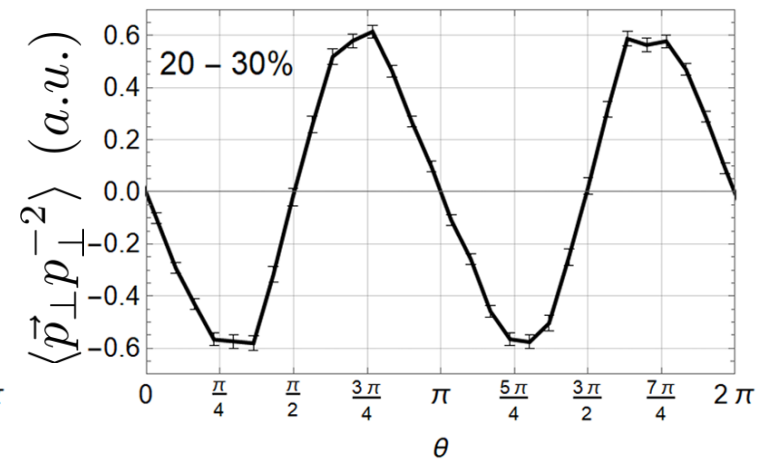
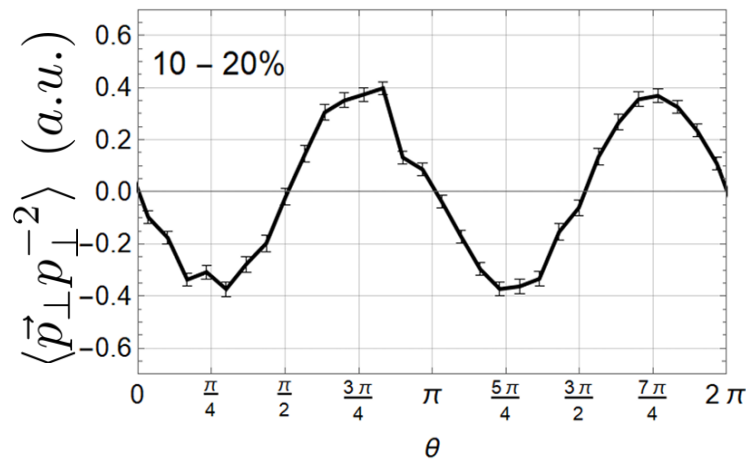
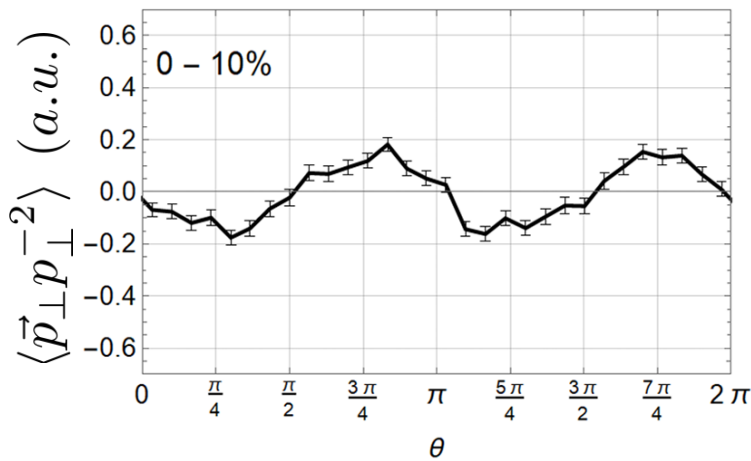
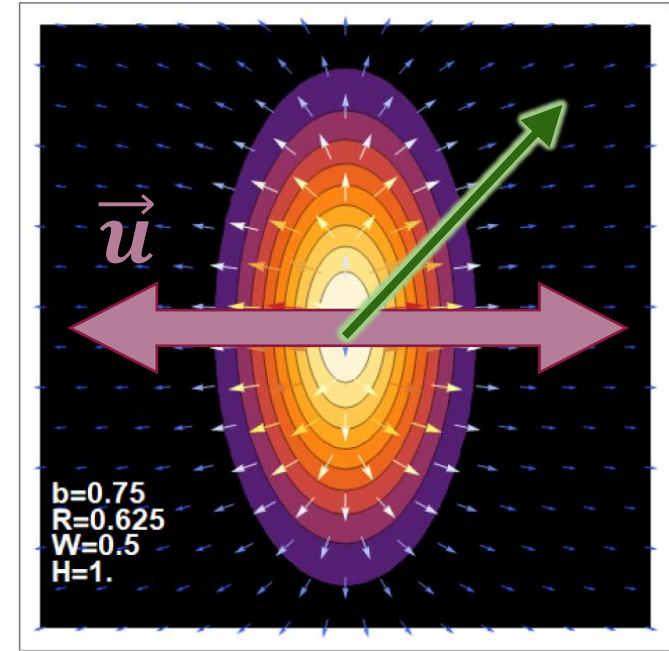
- Take all medium properties to be **constant** (“brick” / “slab”)
- Drift controlled by u_\perp, u_\parallel : detailed **tomographic information**
- Flow direction acts as an **attractor for jet trajectories**



Gaussian Toy Model (Optical Glauber)

Antiporda, Bahder, Rahman, MDS,
Phys. Rev. D105 (2022)

- ❖ Assume **Gaussian temperature profile**;
 - ❖ **Shape fluctuates** with impact parameter;
 - ❖ **Velocities** proportional to temperature **gradients**
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- **Elliptic flow** manifests **$\cos 2\theta$ acoplanarity modulation**
 - **Positive correlation** with **ellipticity ε_2** (centrality)
 - **Robust event-plane correlation** despite fluctuations

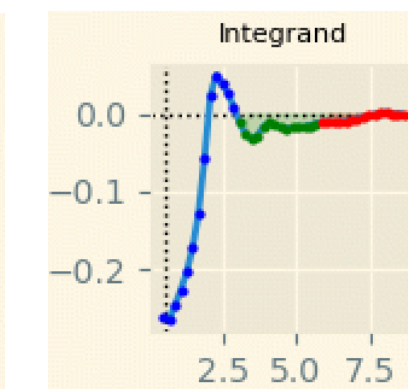
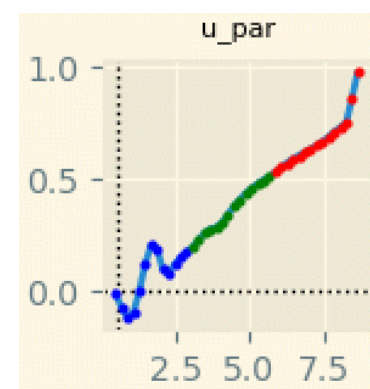
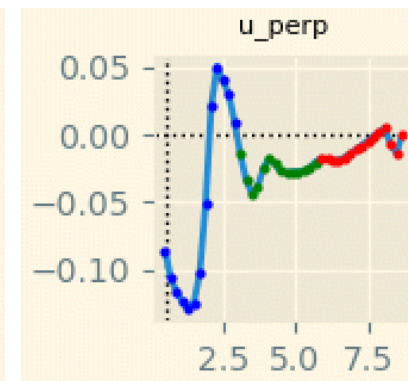
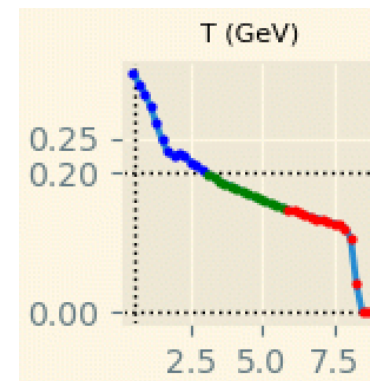
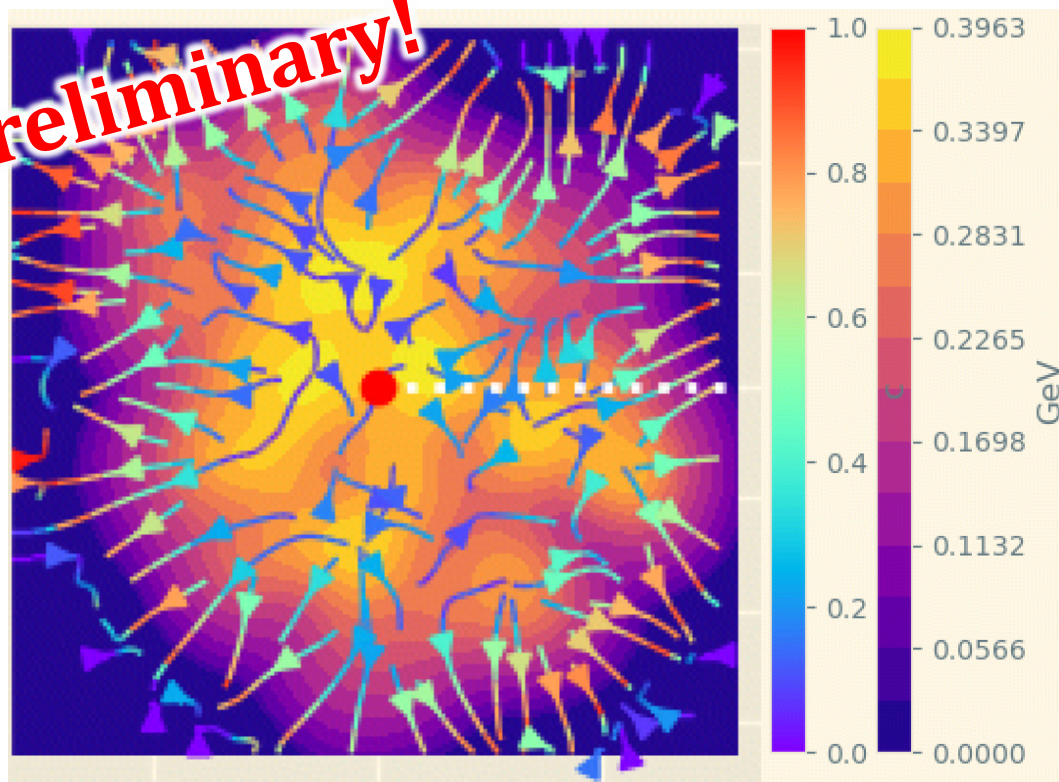


2+1D Viscous Hydrodynamics

Preliminary!

RHIC:
AuAu
200 GeV
0-10%

20 GeV jet



- Hydro backgrounds generated by Duke QCD event generator
 - 2014 HotQCD lattice EOS *Bazavov et al., Phys. Rev. D90 (2014)*
- Jets generated by binary collision sampling or by hand

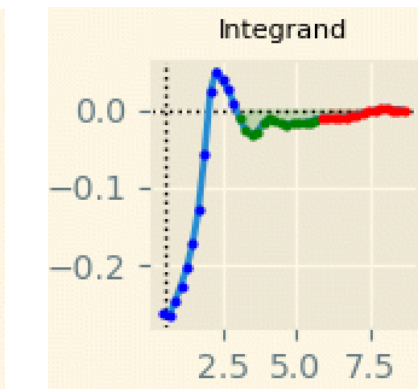
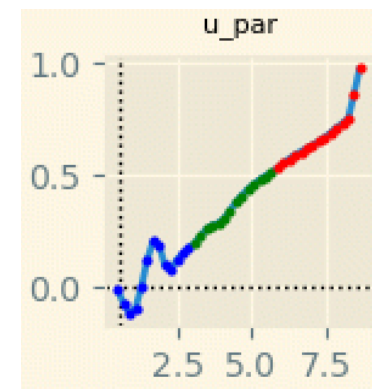
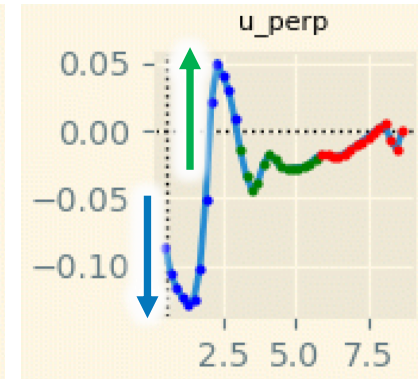
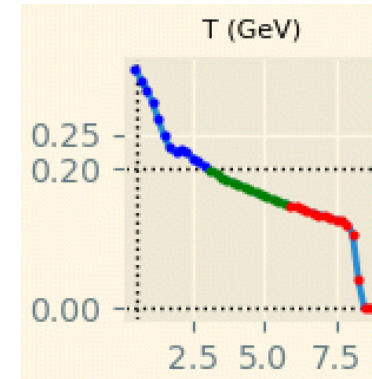
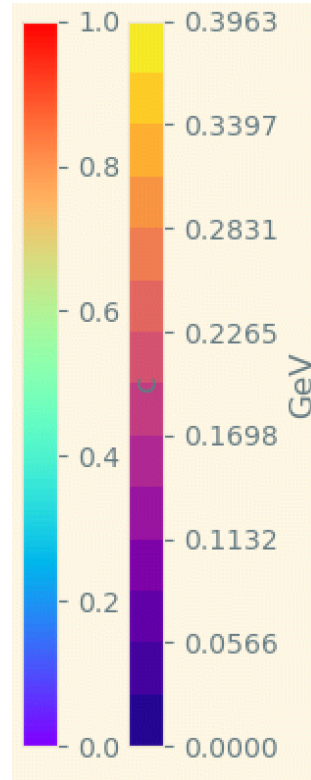
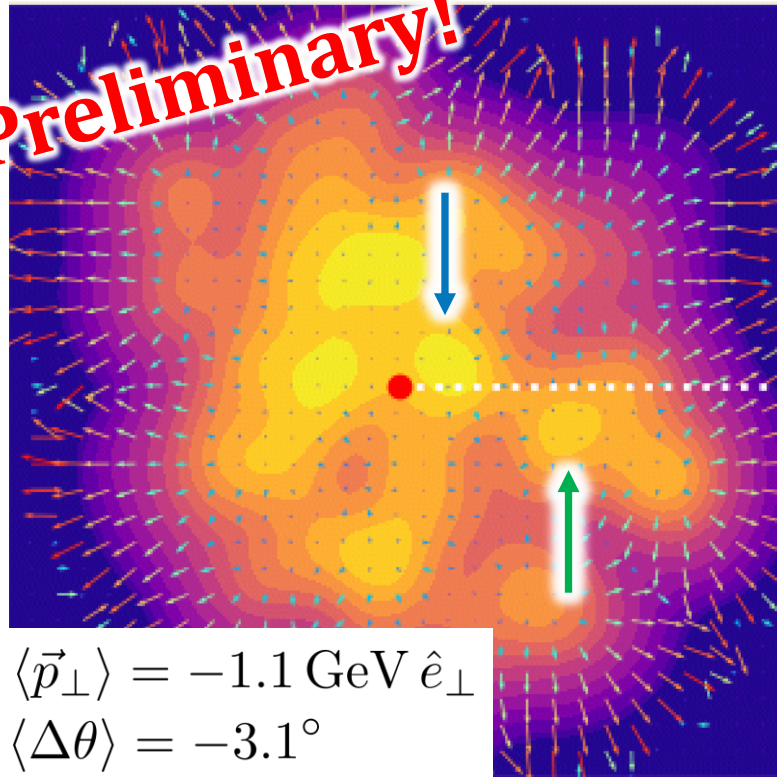
github.com/Duke-QCD/hic-eventgen

An Example: Radial Jet in a Central Event at RHIC

Preliminary!

RHIC:
AuAu
200 GeV
0-10%

20 GeV jet



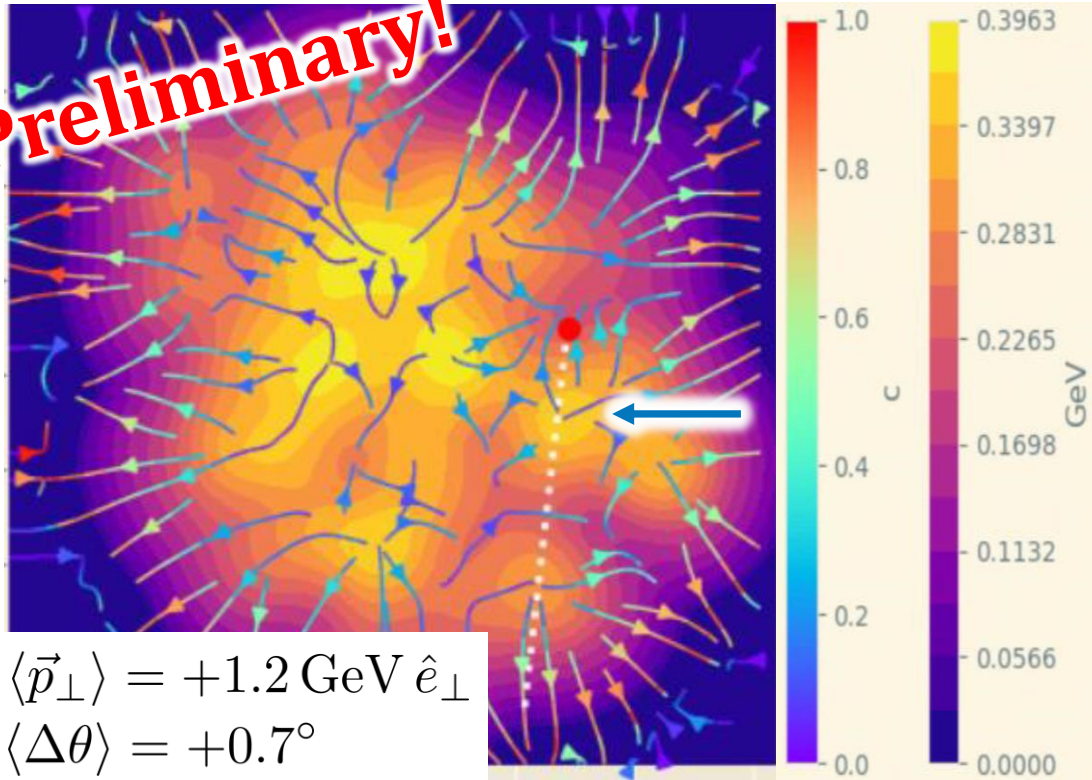
- Jet receives **transverse kicks** from passing **near hot spots**
- **No systematic drift** in either direction
- **Sizeable net deflections** ~several degrees for ~20 GeV jets

An Example: Tangent Jet in a Central Event at the LHC

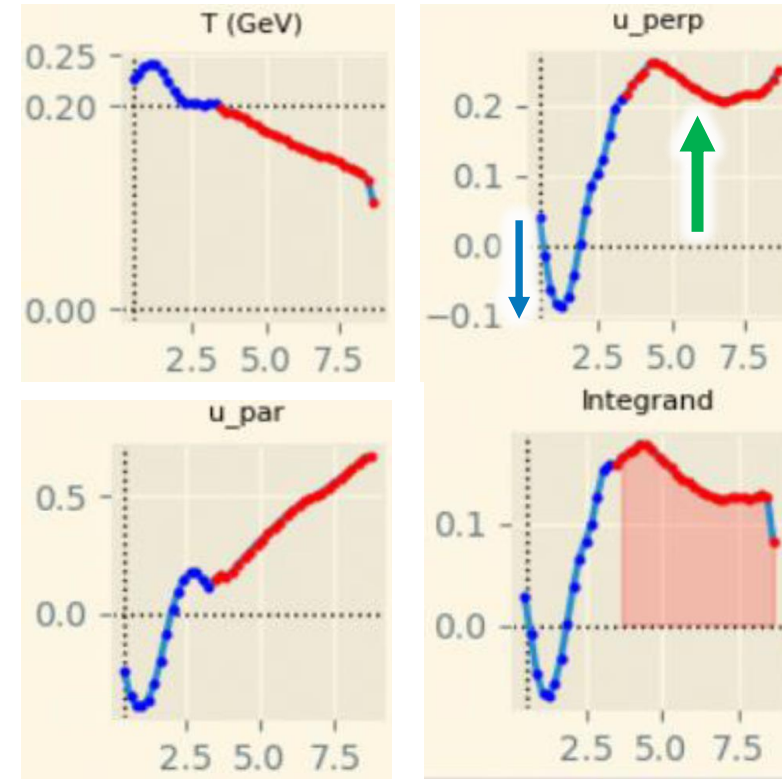
Preliminary!

LHC:
PbPb
5.02 TeV
0-10%

100 GeV jet

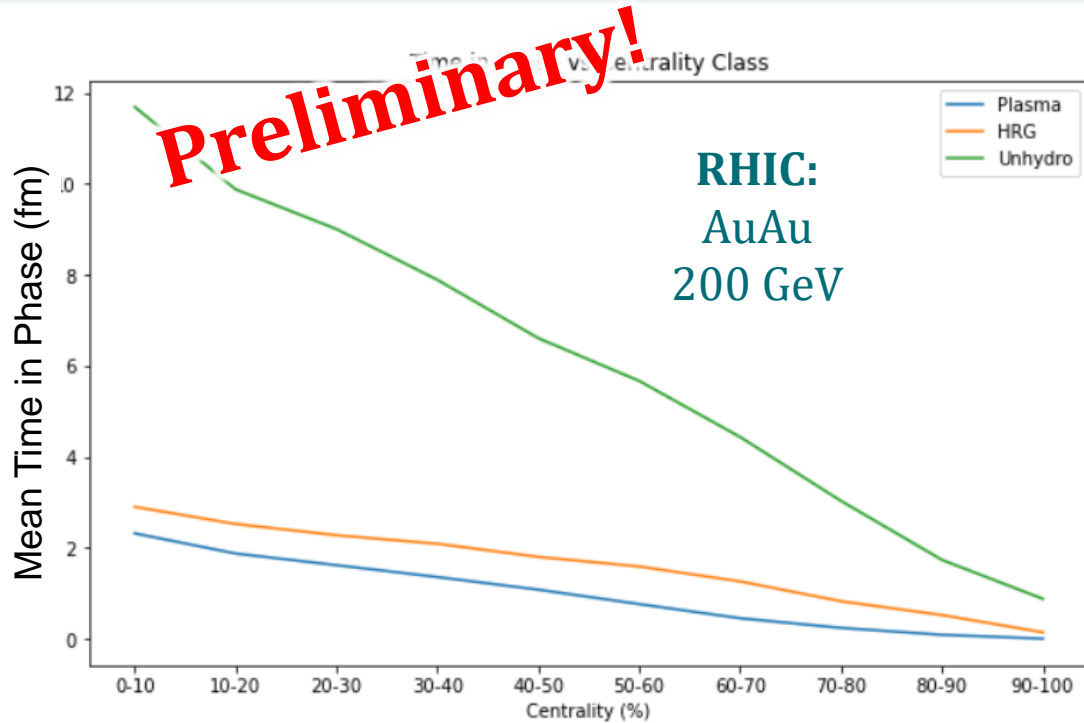


$$\langle \vec{p}_\perp \rangle = +1.2 \text{ GeV } \hat{e}_\perp$$
$$\langle \Delta\theta \rangle = +0.7^\circ$$



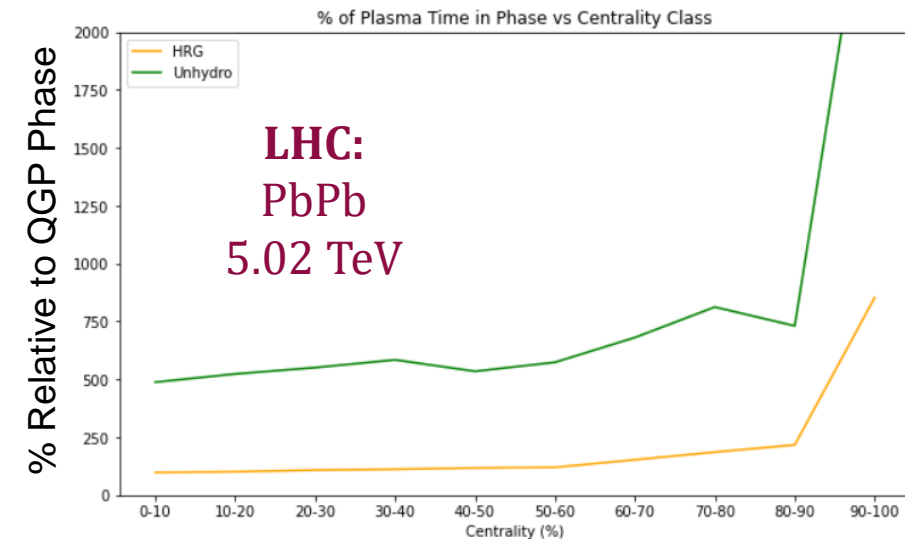
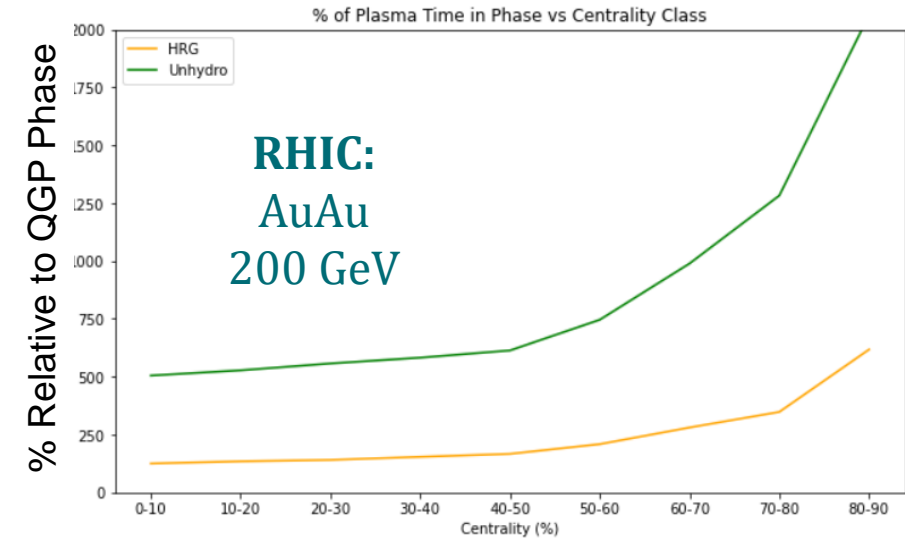
- **Early** CW kick from **hot spot**; **late** systematic CCW drift from **radial flow**
- **Competition** between **falling temperature** and **rising velocities**
- **Tangent jets** which “surf the edge” of the plasma **benefit from both factors**

A Surprise...



- Jets spend **large amounts of time** in the **HRG phase** $T < T_c \sim 200 \text{ MeV}$ and in the “unhydrodynamic” phase $T < T_{FO} \sim 150 \text{ MeV}$

❖ **Comparable lifetime ratios** at RHIC and LHC!



General Observations

Preliminary!

- For ~ 20 GeV jets at RHIC, we observe **sizeable deflections** of up to $\sim 6^\circ$ from the **plasma phase alone**, $T > 200$ MeV
 - **Even larger contributions** if one extrapolates down into the **HRG or “unhydrodynamic” phases** (where the physics should greatly change)
- The jet drift effect appears to be **largest in central collisions** and **decreases with increasing centrality**
 - **Opposite** to what was observed for the Gaussian toy model
 - **Competing roles** of **temperature** and **ellipticity**
 - Disentangle with **selection cuts?**

Outlook: Much More to Come!

- Beginning a large-scale statistical analysis:

- Initial acoplanarities from Pythia
- Use of selection cuts (e.g., event-shape engineering) to maximize the jet drift signal and to disentangle competing effects (temperature vs. geometry)
- Comparison of observables: γ +jet vs dijets, etc.

- Further theoretical developments:

- Gradient treatment on the same footing
- Fully reconstructed jets

Barata, Sadofyev, Salgado, Phys.Rev. D105 (2022)

Andres, Dominguez, Sadofyev, Salgado, arXiv: 2207.07141

- The Future.... **JETSCAPE ?**