



Hydrodynamic Simulations for the RHIC-BES, Progress, and Challenges

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Glauber-LEXUS

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MUSIC

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UrQMD/JAM

When to start hydrodynamics?



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The interaction zone is not point like

 $y \neq \eta_s$



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- Sample the rapidity loss according to the LEXUS model



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- Different rapidity fluctuation results different net baryon rapidity distribution
- The valence quark + LEXUS model provides a reasonable net baryon rapidity distribution compared to the RHIC BES data



• The size of the $a_{n,m}$ coefficient can quantify the mount of longitudinal fluctuations



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- The a_{11} coefficient for dN_B/dy increases at high collision energy because less net baryon number at mid-rapidity



 The initial eccentricities decorrelate along η direction faster with more longitudinal fluctuation and at lower collision energy

Hydrodynamics with sources

Energy-momentum current and net baryon density are feed into hydrodynamic simulation as source terms

$$\partial_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu} = J^{\nu}_{\text{source}}$$
$$\partial_{\mu}J^{\mu} = \rho_{\text{source}}$$

 $J_{\rm source}^{\nu} = \delta e u^{\nu} + (e+P) \delta u^{\nu}$

where

heats up the system accelerates the flow velocity ρ_{source} dopes baryon charges into the system

 Source terms are smeared with Gaussians in space and time

Hydrodynamical evolution with sources

energy density



Hydrodynamical evolution with sources

net baryon density



Progress in hydrodynamics

(3+1)D vHydro and vaHydro — a comparison



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Dissipative hydrodynamics

Energy momentum tensor

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

Conserved currents

$$J^{\mu} = n u^{\mu} + q^{\mu}$$

Equations of motion

$$\begin{array}{l} \partial_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \\ \partial_{\mu}J^{\mu} = 0 \end{array} + P(e,n) \end{array}$$

Dissipative quantities are evolved with 2nd order Israel-Stewart type of equations

At Navier-Stokes limit,

$$\pi^{\mu\nu} \sim 2\eta \nabla^{\langle\mu} u^{\nu\rangle} \quad \Pi \sim -\zeta \partial_{\mu} u^{\mu} \quad q^{\mu} \sim \kappa \nabla^{\mu} \frac{\mu}{T}$$

 $\nabla^{\mu} = \Delta^{\mu\nu} \partial_{\mu}$

EoS at finite μ_B



High temperature:

- Lattice QCD EoS up to $\mathcal{O}(\mu_B^4)$

Low temperature:

• Glued with hadron resonance gas EoS

Transport coefficients



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R. Rougemont, R. Critelli, J. Noronha-Hostler, J. Noronha and C. Ratti, Phys. Rev. D 96, 014032 (2017)

The holographic Einstein-Maxwell-Dilation (EMD) model is fit to the lattice results on thermodynamic quantities at $\mu_B = 0$

Predictions are made for thermodynamic variables at finite μ_B and for the temperature and μ_B dependence of various transport coefficients



Effects of net baryon diffusion on particle yields



 More net baryon numbers are transported to mid-rapidity with a larger diffusion constant

Constraints on net baryon diffusion and initial condition



Effects of net baryon diffusion on pid spectra



 Net baryon diffusion results a flatter spectra for anti-proton compared to proton's

	$C_{B} = 0.0$	$C_{B} = 0.4$	$C_{B} = 1.2$
$\langle p_{\perp} angle^{ar{p}} - \langle p_{\perp} angle^{p}$ (GeV)	0.046	0.091	0.158
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Stochastic Hydrodynamics

C. Young, J. Kapusta, C. Gale, S. Jeon and B. Schenke, Phys. Rev. C 91, 044901 (2015)

Treat thermal noise as perturbation







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Stochastic Hydrodynamics



- The scalar product v_n(p_T) increases with thermal fluctuation; Higher order v_n shows stronger sensitivity
- Thermal fluctuation reduces the correlation between different orders of event-plane angles

A more systemic approach is under way

Conclusion

 We develop a dynamical initialization model to study the early time evolution of heavy-ion collisions at the BES energies

full (3+1)-d event-by-event with net baryon current

 We identified a few experiment observables that could constrain the net baryon diffusion

$$dN^{p-\bar{p}}/dy \qquad \langle p_{\perp} \rangle^{\bar{p}} - \langle p_{\perp} \rangle^{p}$$

• *Thermal fluctuation* is coupled to hydrodynamic evolution to study its impact on hadronic observables