

#### CONFERENCE SUMMARY

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#### Prospects at the Electron Ion Collider







#### What is the smallest droplet of QGP? When is hydro applicable? Origin of proton spin?

#### **CME**/vorticity



## What are we missing?



#### I'm looking at myself here too...

What problems do we need to stop ignoring?

# If I was given infinite resources, we would tackle...

- Beyond simple initial conditions: full  $T^{\mu\nu}$ , finite baryon densities, spin/chirality/magnetic fields
  - Proton/neutron structure and how does this relate to initial conditions?
- Control on NLO saturation physics calculations
- Is hydro (γ\*Pb) =hydro (pp) = hydro (pA) = hydro (AA)?
  - We really shouldn't forget about hadrochemistry/strangeness
- What is happening to jets/heavy flavor in small systems?

#### BEYOND SIMPLE INITIAL CONDITIONS

Learning from proton/nucleus structure

### How strange is a proton?



### Nucleons $\neq$ Nucleus





## Magnetic fields/chirality/spin



Honest question, what all is needed?

Magnetic fields+initial angular momentum+BSQ conserved charges+full  $T^{\mu\nu}$ +input from PDFs+nuclear structure

## The guts of the proton







## Structure from Lattice QCD

#### Parton physics from Lattice QCD

#### **Precision Era**

Fully-controlled w/ few-percent errors within ~5y

- Static properties of nucleon incl. spin, flavour decomp.
- Mellin moments of PDFs, GPDs

#### Early Era

Fully-controlled w/ ~15-percent errors within ~5y

- Nuclear structure A<5
- Spin, flavour decomp. of EMC-type effects

#### **Exploratory Era**

First calculations, timeline for controlled calculations unclear

 x-dependence of PDFs

• TMDs



Shanahan Monday 17:00

## Hints of small-x physics



However, many non-trivial considerations when studying NLO small-x physics (especially once things like spin or finite  $\mu_B$  need to be considered!). Sievert Friday 9:30 and Altinoluk Monday 17:30

# How is the momentum distributed inside a neutron at large x?



## Questions remaining in large heavy-ion systems

## IC+hydrodynamics puzzles



#### Discriminating observables for transport coefficients





#### Event plane correlations distinguish transport coefficients

Niemi et al, Phys.Rev. C93 (2016) no.2, 024907

## Do we have any hope of understanding small systems?

## PHENIX sub-events (signal holds)



#### Initial vs. Final State in small systems

#### We should always compare Initial Conditions+Hydrodynamics vs. CGC (or your other favorite model)



microscopic physics

Mapping of full  $T^{\mu\nu}$ 

Luzum Poster

# Constraining initial conditions in small systems



#### Dilute-dense vs. dense-dense



Other observables? Hopefully more to come by next Initial Stages

# Can we understand early time scales?



Schlichting (Mon), Berges (Tues), Heller (Tues), Noronha (Tues), Martinez (Tues), Denicol (Tues),

#### Non-thermal attractors



universal fixed-point distribution



Signals in small systems or hard/heavy probes?

#### Initial vs. Final State in small systems



#### Polarized beams of deformed ions



Maybe we need to go into extra time to finalize the score?

### Can we shut off elliptical flow?



Thankfully, it looks like we can in  $e^+e^-$  data

#### ls hydro (γ\*Pb) =hydro (pp) = hydro (pPb) = hydro (PbPb)?



## Far-from-equilibrium and $\eta/s(T)$





Change in the collision kernel affects transport coefficients

Almaalol Tuesday 15:40

$$p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f_p = C[f_p]$$

# Hydro Equations of Motion identical in and out of equilibrium!

We recover the usual equation for the shear stress:

$\dot{\pi}^{\langle\mu\nu\rangle} + \frac{\pi^{\mu\nu}}{\tau_{\pi}} - \frac{2I_{40}}{3I_{50}}\sigma\pi^{\lambda\langle\mu}\pi_{\lambda}^{\nu\rangle} = 2\frac{\eta}{\tau_{\pi}}\sigma^{\mu\nu} - 2\sigma_{\lambda}^{\langle\mu}\pi^{\nu\rangle\lambda} - \frac{4}{3}\pi^{\mu\nu}\theta$			
$f_{0\mathbf{k}}$	$\lambda \exp\left(-E_{\mathbf{k}}/\Lambda\right)$	$\lambda\Theta\left(\Lambda - E_{\mathbf{k}}\right)$	$\lambda\delta\left(E_{\mathbf{k}}-\Lambda\right)$
$\tau_{\pi}$	$\frac{9}{5}\ell_{\rm mfp}$	$\frac{18}{13}\ell_{\rm mfp}$	$\frac{9}{7}\ell_{\rm mfp}$
$\eta$	$\frac{6}{5}\frac{T}{\sigma_T}$	$\frac{84}{65}\frac{T}{\sigma_T}$	$\frac{9}{7}\frac{T}{\sigma_T}$
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#### Small systems+transport coefficients



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#### STRANGENESS: CORE+CORONA



Kanakubo et al PTEP 2018 (2018) no.12, 121D01



ALICE Coll. Nature Physics 13 (2017) 535-539

Heavy flavor





CGC models reproduce RAA better than hydro+heavy quarks

## D mesons/ $\mu$ 's $v_2$ in pPb and pp



D meson  $v_2$  is significant (but somewhat suppressed) in pPb How do we understand these pp  $\mu$  results?

#### Langevin in ArAr, OO, XeXe, PbPb



#### Future insight with sPHENIX and EIC

#### sPHENIX: Design 🛛 Reality







Inner Field Cage

#### Reed Weds 16:30

#### Other possible experiments Wing Monday 9:45



Beam testing over the last few years has validated design simulation

 Construction is under way!

#### $\gamma$ +jet fragmentation function

D(Ĕ<sup>jet</sup>) = (1/N<sub>Jet</sub>)(dN/dĔ<sup>jet</sup> enerator-leve 2. reco-level, p+p eco-level, Au+Au b=0-4fr 1.5 ml < 0.45  $p_{-}^{\text{Jet}} > 30 \text{ GeV}$ R = 0.4 Jets 0.5 sPHENIX MIE projection 2 2.5 3.5 0.5 1.5 3 1 ξ<sup>jet</sup>

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#### CONSENSUS STUDY REPORT

#### AN ASSESSMENT OF U.S.-BASED ELECTRON-ION COLLIDER SCIENCE

#### +THE KITCHEN SINK

# Vorticity disappearing at fixed target (low beam energy)!!!



### More interesting results



# Summary of the summary of summaries



#### BACKUP

### Shadowing at small-x



significant shadowing at  $x \sim 10^{-3}$ 



### Vn scaling across system size



## Principle Components Analysis

#### New $v'_n$ closer to $\varepsilon_{n\geq 4}$



### Linear vs. cubic response



### Comparing PDFs to data

