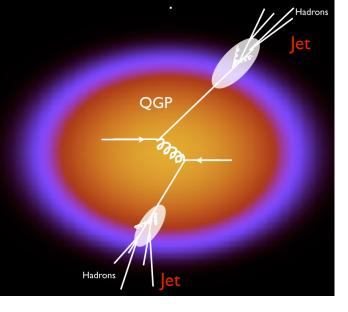


- What can jets teach us about QGP?
- Today: What have we learned?
- Tomorrow's keys to solving QGP riddles
 - Improved facilities and new instrumentation
 - Extended reach and precision at RHC & LHC
 - New approaches in experiment and theory

Jet 0, pt: 205.1 GeV



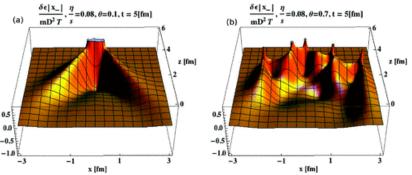
Jets as tools to *characterize* QGP

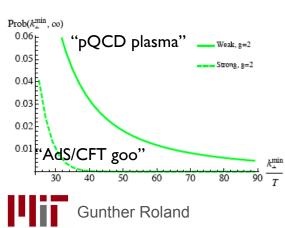
Medium effects on jets allow extraction of QGP transport coefficients:

- q: transverse momentum diffusion (radiative energy loss)
- ê: longitudinal drag (collisional energy loss)

Jets as tools to *manipulate* QGP

How does QGP respond to local energy deposition by jets?



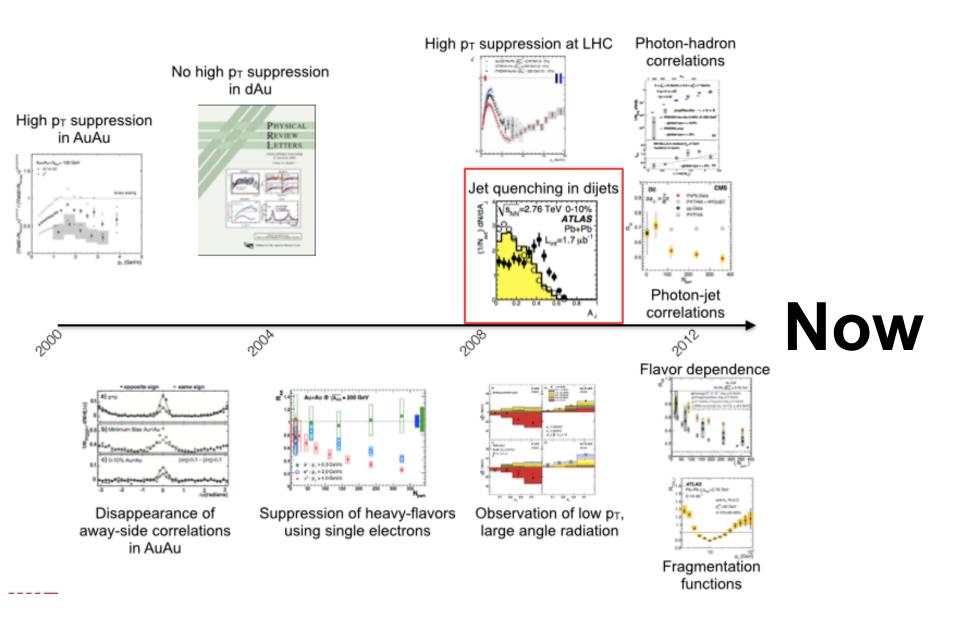


Jets as tools to *understand* QGP

How does the strongly coupled liquid emerge from QCD?Jets probe QGP at different (controllable) length scales

• Scattering sensitive to quasi-particle nature of the medium

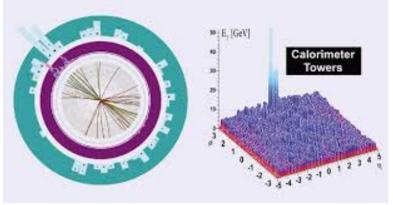
Jets at RHIC and LHC





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We can measure jets in heavy ion collisions



Jet measurement approach:

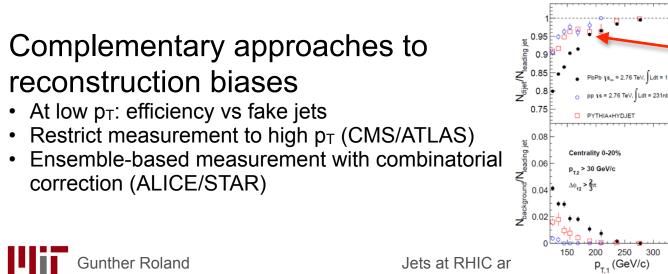
- Clustering with anti-k_T algorithm
- Subtraction of event-by-event background energy estimate
- Jet energy corrections using pp calibration and MC correction factors

Achieved good experimental control

- Reconstruction efficiency (close to 100%@50+ GeV)
- Jet energy scale (2-4% above 30 GeV)
- Resolution and UE fluctuations (~15%@100GeV)

This was not obvious a-priori; success enabled by nature of observed jet modifications

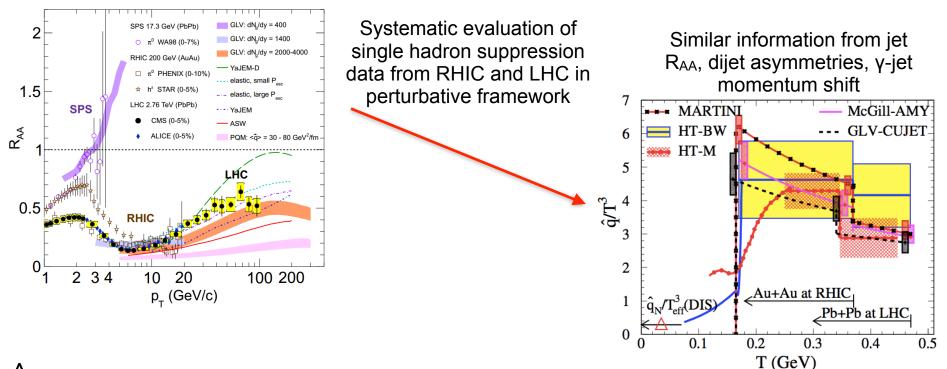
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For sufficiently high trigger p_T , all away-side jets are found

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We can extract QGP transport coefficients from jet quenching measurements

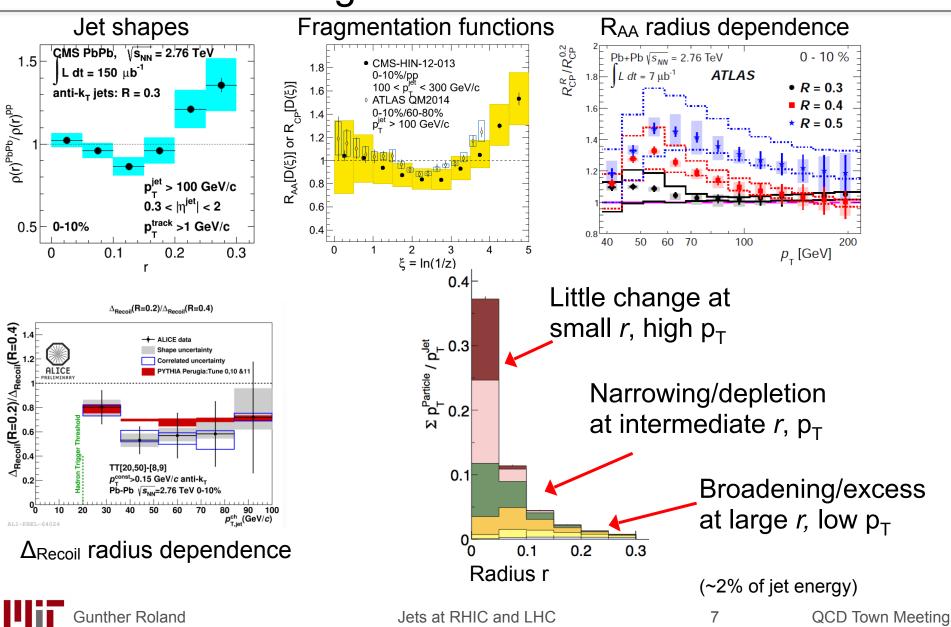


- \hat{q} determined with about 35% uncertainty Combined RHIC and LHC data:
- Test model consistency
- First hint of temperature dependence

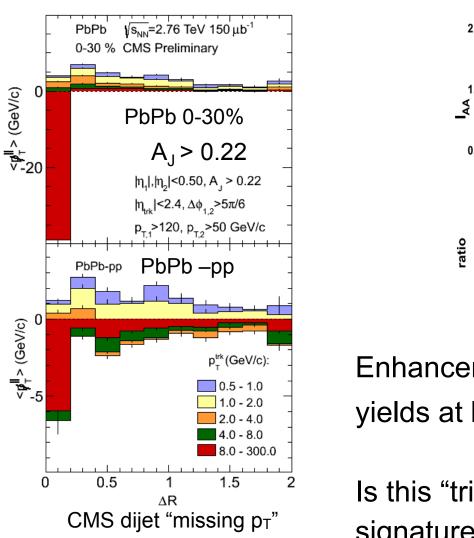
Quantitative extraction of \hat{e} awaits more precise heavy flavor data

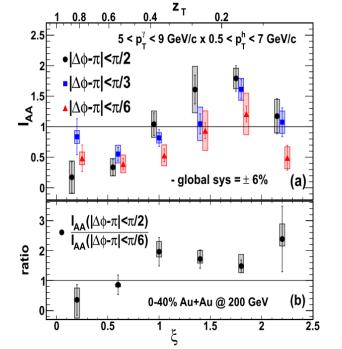
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We can observe medium modifications of jet momentum and angular structure



We see out-of-cone momentum flow relative to jet





Enhancement of low- p_T correlated yields at large angles to jet axis

Is this "trivial" jet-medium coupling or signature of modified QCD branching ("turbulent flow")?

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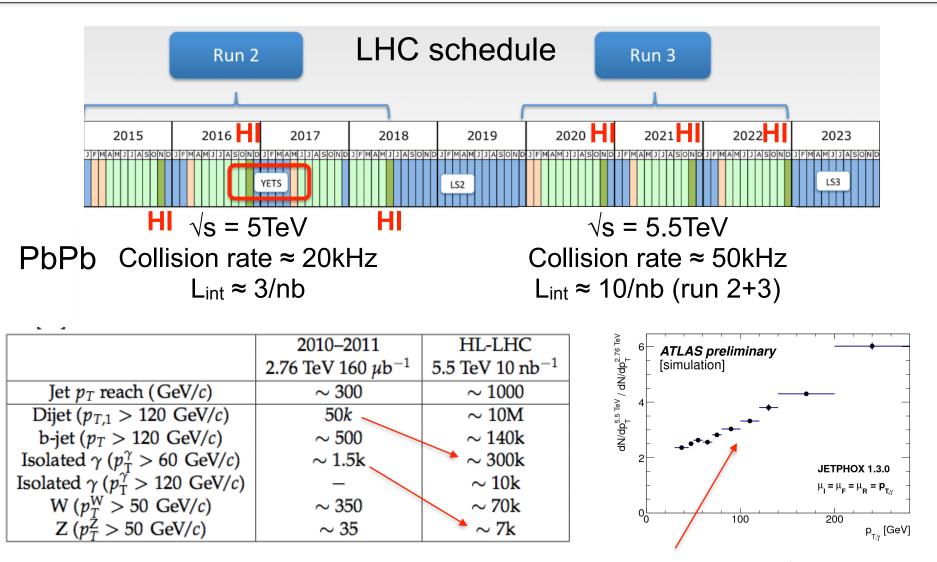
γ-hadron

correlations

Tomorrow



Future program enabled by accelerator development



Compared to LHC Run1: x60 due to higher luminosity; x3 due to higher \sqrt{s}



Jets at RHIC and LHC

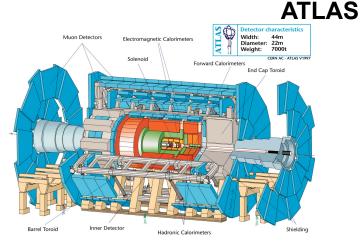
Major upgrades to all LHC experiments

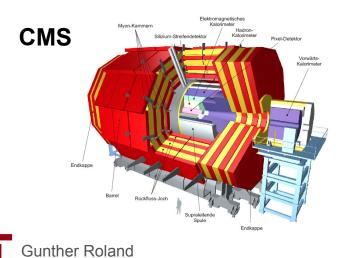
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Expanded calorimetry New inner tracker Faster TPC readout Improved data acquisition rate

Improved trigger system New/extended inner tracker



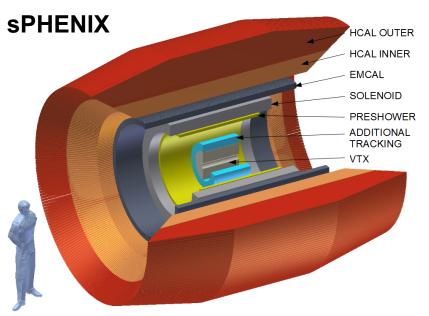


Improved trigger system New/extended inner tracker

A state-of-the-art jet detector at RHIC

Use consistent experimental approach at RHIC and LHC to provide lever arm from $T \approx T_C$ to $T \gg T_C$ Study jet quenching vs medium temperature and density, parton p_T flavor and pathlength

- to achieve a detailed characterization of QGP
- to understand how QGP properties arise from QCD



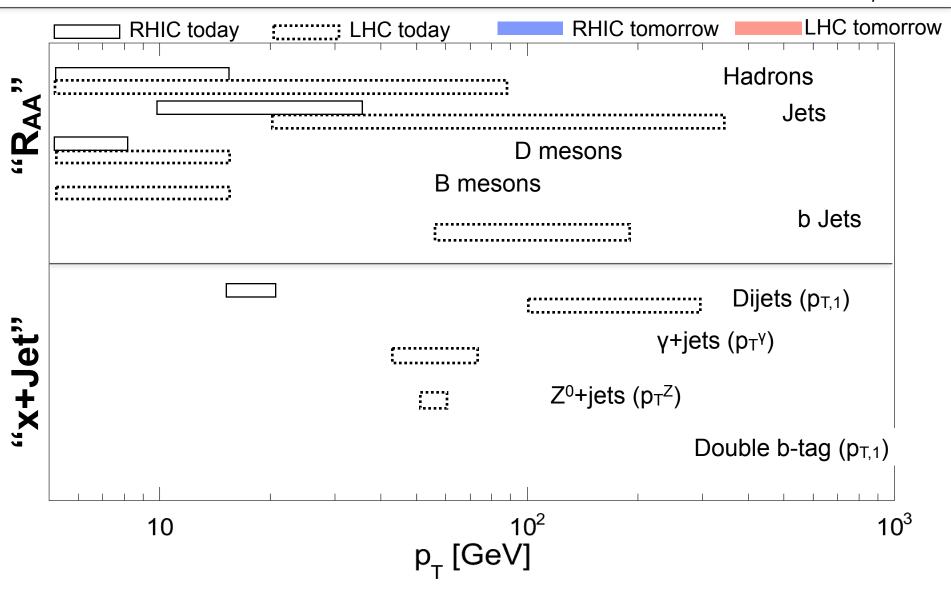
Key capabilities

- Full calorimetry
- Tracking
- Rate capability to exploit luminosity (>50/nb) and \sqrt{s} range (62-200GeV) at RHIC

RHIC integrated luminosity up to x10 higher than LHC

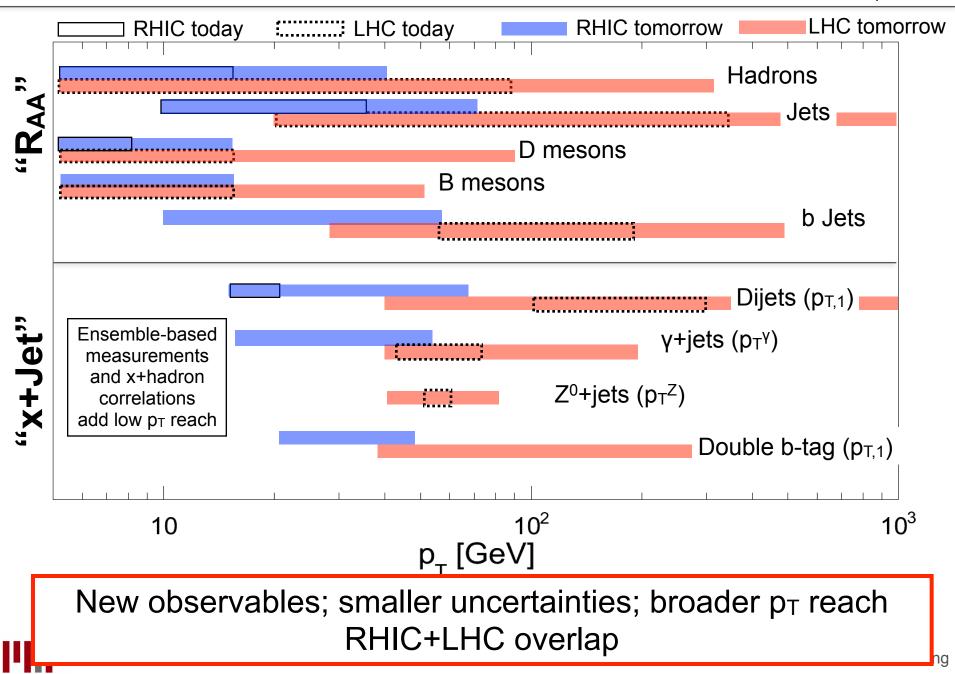
Kinematic reach: Now and tomorrow^(*)

(*)Artist's impression



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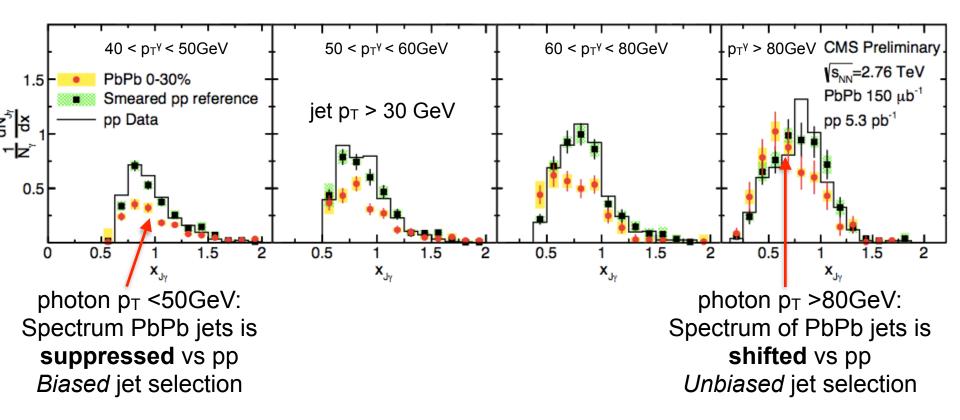
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The importance of photon-jet correlations

Using isolated photons to tag away-side jets

- determines initial parton energy to $\approx 15\%$
- determines initial direction of the parton
- tags parton to be a light quark



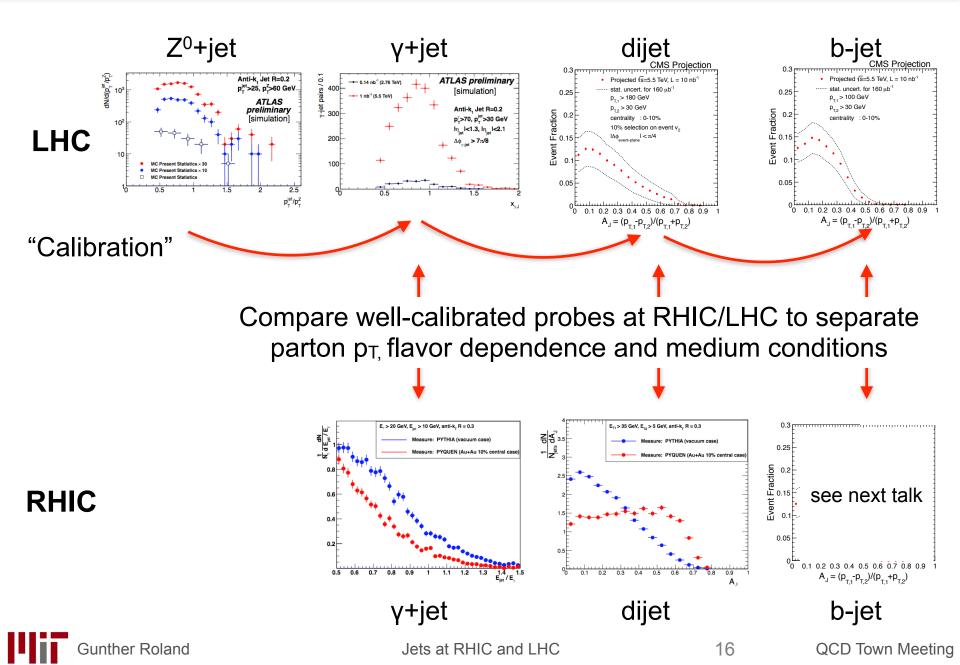
Sufficiently high γp_T or sufficiently low jet p_T yield **unbiased** selection of jets

Gunther Roland

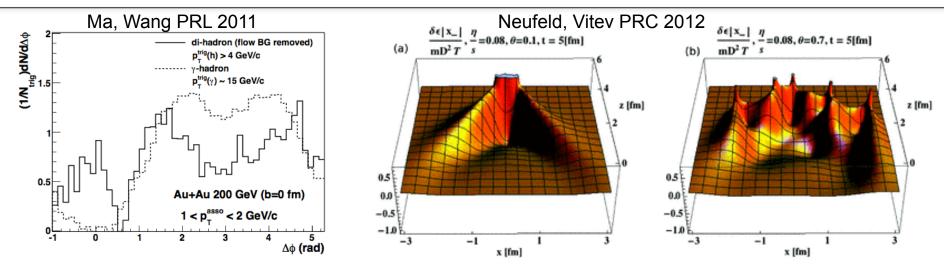
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From Z⁰ tags to B tags, and from LHC to RHIC



Energy flow and medium response



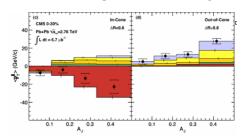
Do we have a medium, if there's no medium response?

Experimental and theoretical challenges:

- Strength and angular structure of medium response unknown
- Jets are correlated with the complex e-by-e flow fields through quenching
- How to distinguish medium-response from modified jet branching?

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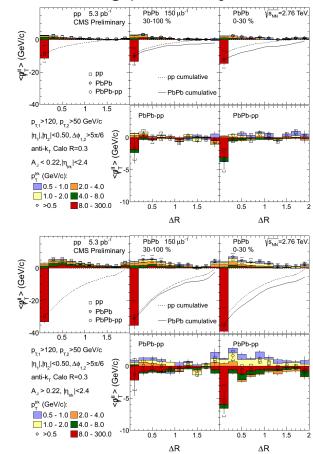
- 0.015/nb
- 4 months analysis time
- in-cone vs out-of-cone
 "missing p_T" for dijets



- 0.15/nb
- 2 years analysis time
- Improved tracking correction

2014

- Improved jet bkg subtraction
- Detailed ∆R dependence of "missing p_T" for dijets

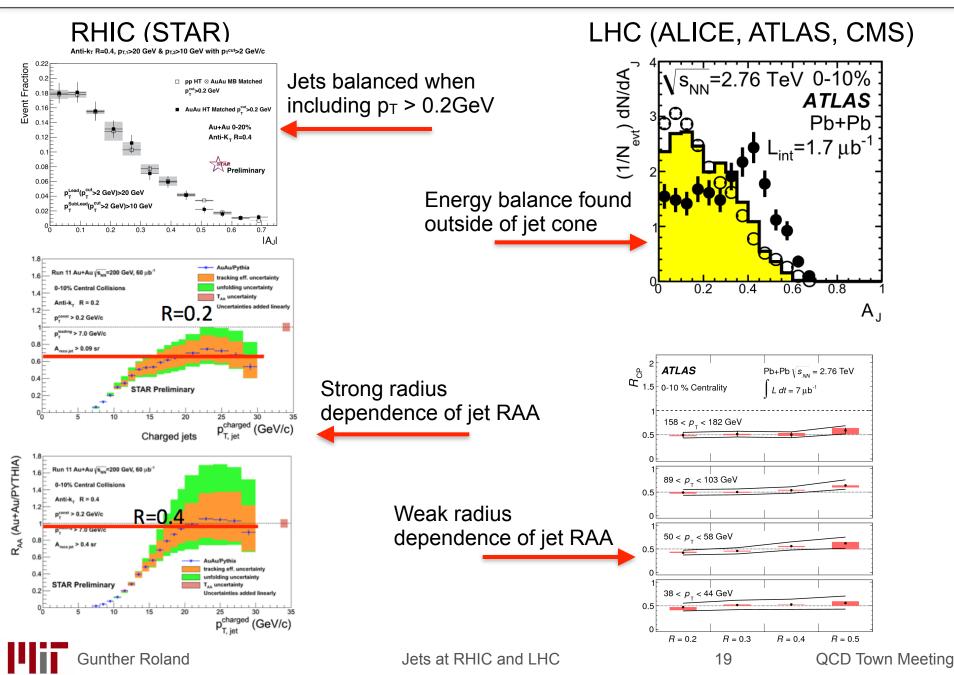


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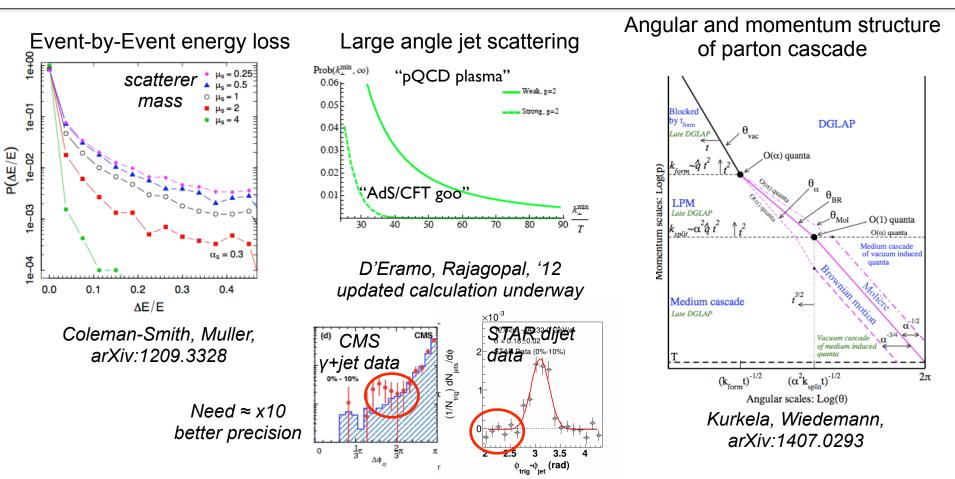
- 10/nb (LHC) 50/nb (RHIC)
- γ+jet (no flow correlations)
- MPT → absolute correlated yields vs (Δη, Δφ)
- Differential in e-by-e energy loss
- Different medium conditions at RHIC and LHC



Indication of energy flow differences at RHIC vs LHC



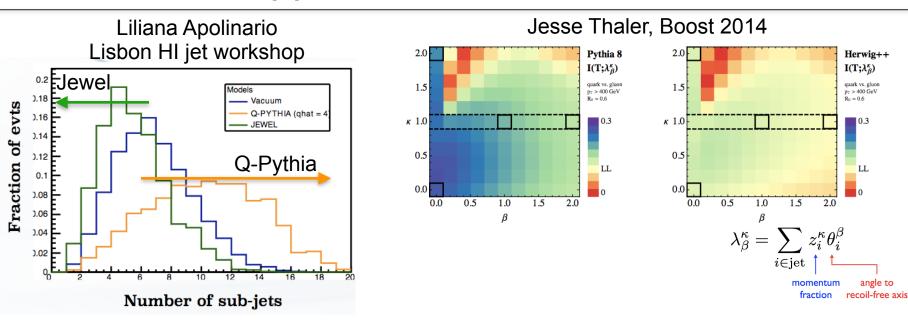
Jet measurements as QGP microscope



Differential (event-by-event) measurements may allow glimpse at "QCD Rutherford scattering" off QGP constituents

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Jet structure in pp and PbPb

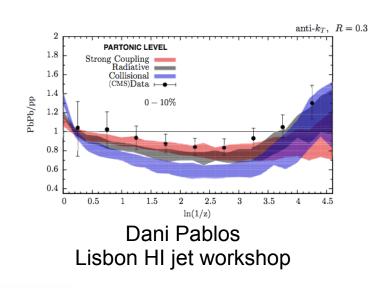


Jet structure variables sensitive to (in-medium) shower evolution

Critical effort in pp highest sensitivity searches (q/g and boosted object discrimination)

Stability vs pp pileup is major issue

Convergence of AA and pp needs



Summary

- Jets probe fundamental features of QGP
 - We reached an era of quantitative comparison of data and theory
 - We have learned how to construct jet-based observables in heavy-ion collisions
- Jets can solve fundamental questions in hot QCD
 - Precise measurement of transport properties
 - Further characterization of QGP liquid nature
 - Understanding the emergence of QGP nature from the underlying degrees of freedom
- High precision studies ahead at RHIC and LHC
 - Upgraded facilities, upgraded and new experiments
 - Close experiment/theory collaboration
 - Close collaboration with pp

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