

Transport approach at fixed $\eta/s(T)$ & Chemical Composition of the QGP

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Outline

❖ Transport Theory at fixed η/s :

- Motivations
- Green-Kubo vs Chapman-Enskog & Relax time Approx.

What is $\eta \leftrightarrow \sigma(\theta), \rho, \mathcal{M}, T, \dots$?

❖ First application to HIC:

- RHIC = LHC ? $v_{2,4}$ sensitivity to $\eta/s(T)$ of QGP
- v_2 up to p_T 12 GeV
- $v_n \leftrightarrow \eta/s$ + microscopic details?

❖ Transport Theory with Mean Field:

- Dynamics associated to Quasi-Particle Model: (Kaempfer on Friday)
Chemical equilibration and quark dominance

Transport approach

$$\left\{ p^{*\mu} \partial_\mu + \left[p_\nu^* F^{\mu\nu} + m^* \partial^\mu m^* \right] \partial_\mu^{p^*} \right\} f(x, p^*) = C_{2 \leftrightarrow 2} + C_{2 \leftrightarrow 3} + \dots$$

Free streaming Field Interaction $\rightarrow \epsilon \neq 3P$

Collisions $\rightarrow \eta \neq 0$

$$C_{22} = \frac{1}{2E_1} \int \frac{d^3 p_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2} \frac{1}{\nu} \int \frac{d^3 p'_1}{(2\pi)^3 2E'_1} \frac{d^3 p'_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E'_2} f'_1 f'_2 |\mathcal{M}_{1'2' \rightarrow 12}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)}(p'_1 + p'_2 - p_1 - p_2)$$

$$\sigma_{22} = \frac{1}{2s} \frac{1}{\nu} \int \frac{d^3 p'_1}{(2\pi)^3 2E'_1} \frac{d^3 p'_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E'_2} |\mathcal{M}_{12 \rightarrow 1'2'}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)}(p_1 + p_2 - p'_1 - p'_2)$$

- Provide a measure of η/s other than viscous hydro
- Microscopic scale has some relevance?
Can we know more about QGP?
- Can we link the effective $\mathcal{L} \leftrightarrow$ transport dynamics in HIC
Thermodynamics $\leftrightarrow$ phenomenology of HIC

$$L = \bar{\Psi} (i\gamma_\mu D^\mu - m) \Psi + \frac{G}{2} (\bar{\Psi}\Psi)^2 + \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + U(\Phi) + \dots$$

Wigner Transforms +
semiclassical approx.

Motivation for Transport approach

$$\left\{ p^{*\mu} \partial_{\mu} + \left[p_{\nu}^{*} F^{\mu\nu} + m^{*} \partial^{\mu} m^{*} \right] \partial_{\mu}^{p^{*}} \right\} f(x, p^{*}) = C_{2 \leftrightarrow 2} + C_{2 \leftrightarrow 3} + \dots$$

Free streaming

Field Interaction $\rightarrow \epsilon \neq 3P$
EoS

Collisions $\rightarrow \eta \neq 0$

- valid also at intermediate & high p_T out of equilibrium: region of modified hadronization at RHIC
- valid also at high $\eta/s \rightarrow$ LHC - $\eta/s(T)$, cross-over region
- Relevant at LHC due to large amount of minijet production
- Appropriate for heavy quark dynamics
- CGC p_T non-equilibrium phase (beyond the difference in ϵ_x):

A unified framework against a separate modelling with a wide range of validity in η , ζ , p_T + microscopic level

Simulate a fixed shear viscosity!?

Usually input of a transport approach are *cross-sections and fields*, but here we reverse it and start from η/s with aim of creating a more direct link to viscous hydrodynamics

Relax. Time Approx. (RTA)

$$\frac{\eta}{s} = \frac{1}{15} \frac{\bar{p}}{\sigma_{tr} n} = \frac{1}{5} \frac{T}{\sigma_{tr} n} = \text{const.}$$



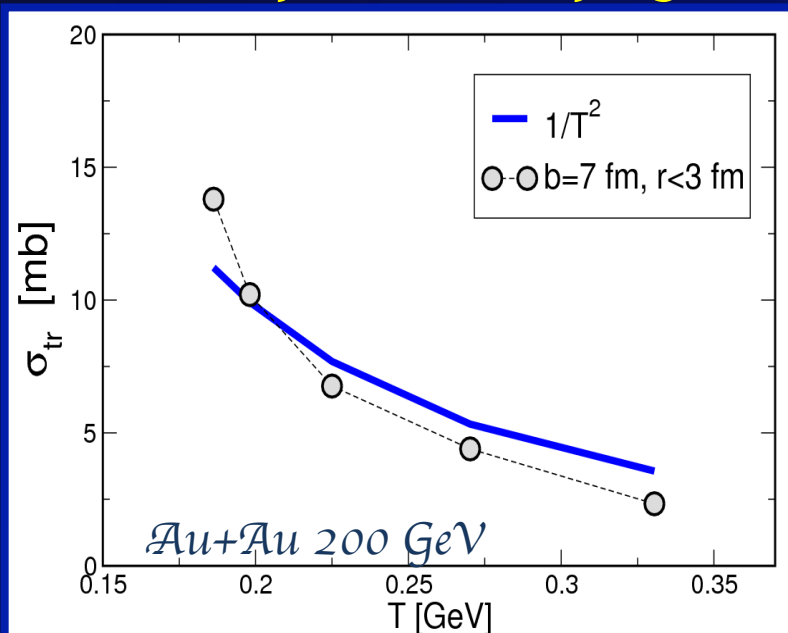
Cascade code

$$\sigma_{tr}(\rho(\vec{r}), T) = \sigma_{tr, \alpha} = \frac{1}{15} \frac{\bar{p}_{\alpha}}{n_{\alpha}} \frac{1}{\eta/s}$$

Space-Time dependent cross section evaluated locally

α =cell index in the r-space

Viscosity fixed varying σ



In other words

$$\sigma^* = K \sigma_{pQCD}$$

K fixed by η/s

G. Ferini et al., PLB670 (09)

V. Greco et al., PPNP 62 (09)

Part I

Do we really have the wanted shear viscosity η with the relax. time approx.?

- Check η with the Green-Kubo correlator

Shear Viscosity in Box Calculation

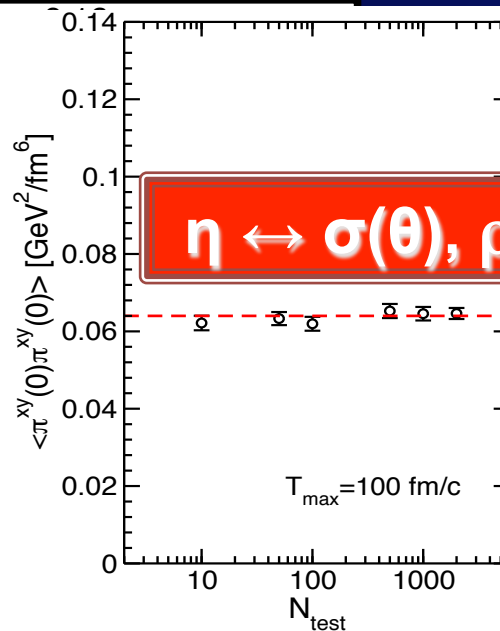
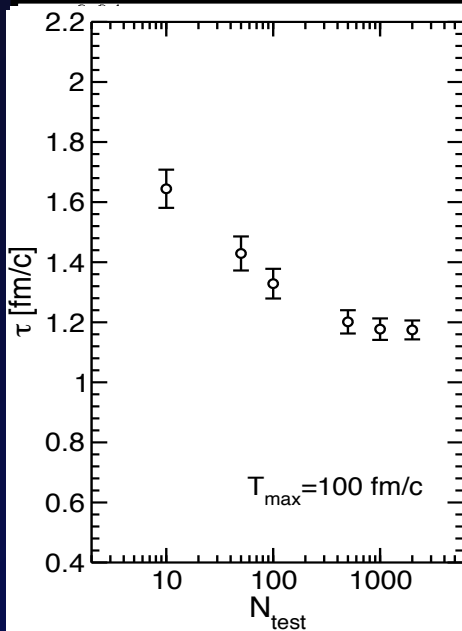
Green-Kubo correlator

$$\eta = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^\infty dt \int_V d^3x \langle \Pi^{xy}(\vec{x}, t) \Pi^{xy}(0, 0) \rangle$$

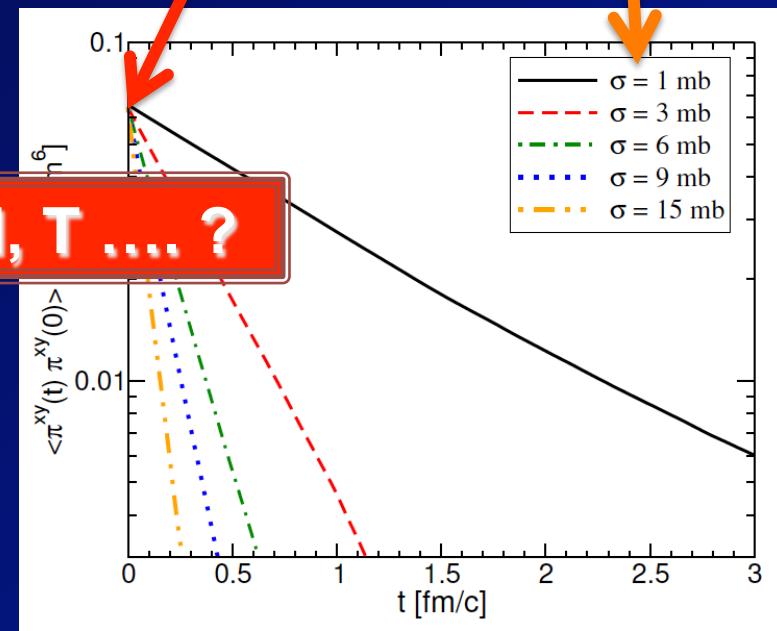
$$\langle \Pi^{xy}(\vec{x}, t) \Pi^{xy}(0, 0) \rangle = \langle \Pi^{xy}(0, 0) \Pi^{xy}(0, 0) \rangle \cdot e^{-t/\tau}$$

microscopic details

$$\eta = \frac{V}{T} \langle \underbrace{\pi^{xy}(0) \pi^{xy}(0)}_{\substack{\text{macroscopic} \\ \text{observables}}} \rangle \underbrace{\tau}_{\substack{= \frac{4}{15} \frac{\epsilon T}{V}}}$$



$\eta \leftrightarrow \sigma(\theta), \rho, M, T \dots ?$



S. Plumari et al., arxiv:1208.0481; see also:
Wesp et al., Phys. Rev. C 84, 054911 (2011);
Fuini III et al. J. Phys. G38, 015004 (2011).

Needed very careful tests of convergency
vs. N_{test} , Δx_{cell} , # time steps !

Isotropic Cross Section

Relax. Time Approx. - Gavin NPA(1985); Kapusta, PRC82(10); Redlich and Sasaki, PRC79(10), NPA832(10)...

$$\eta = \frac{1}{15T} \int_0^\infty \frac{d^3 p_a}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{|p_a|^4}{E_a^2} \frac{1}{w_a(E_a)} f_a^{eq}$$

$$w_a \tau_a^{-1} = w_a(E_a) = \rho \sigma_{tot} \langle v_{rel} \rangle f_b^{eq} \sigma_{tot}$$

Molnar-Huovenin PRC(2009), G. Ferini PLB(2009),
Khvorostukhin PRC (2010) ...

$$\eta_{RTA} = 0.8 \frac{T}{\sigma_{TOT} \langle v_{rel} \rangle}$$

Usual as relax. time approx. – Israel Stewart

$\sigma_{tot} \rightarrow \sigma_{tr} = 2/3 \sigma_{tot}$ for isotropic cross section

$$\eta_{RTA}^{IS} = 0.8 \frac{T}{\sigma_{tr} \langle v_{rel} \rangle} = 1.2 \frac{T}{\sigma_{TOT} \langle v_{rel} \rangle}$$

Chapmann-Enskog expansion

Isotropic Cross section – massless particles

1st order CE

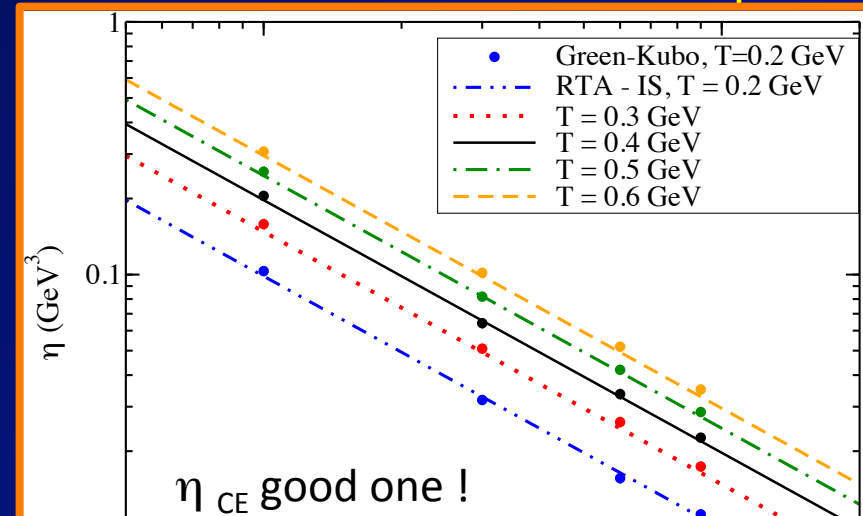
$$\eta_{CE}^I = 1.2 \frac{T}{\sigma_{TOT} \langle v_{rel} \rangle}$$

16th order CE

$$\eta_{CE}^{XVI} = 1.267 \frac{T}{\sigma_{TOT} \langle v_{rel} \rangle}$$

Prakash et al., arxiv:1203.0281 [nucl-th]

Green-Kubo in a box vs. η^{IS}



**pQCD-like cross section are not isotropic!
as well as hadronic ones!**

Non Isotropic Cross Section - $\sigma(\theta)$

Relaxation Time Approximation – non-isotropic cross section

$$\eta_{RTA}^{IS} = 0.8 \frac{T}{\sigma_{tr}} = 0.8 \frac{T}{\sigma_{TOT} \langle f(a) \rangle}$$

$$\sigma_{tr} = \int d\Omega_{cm} \sin^2 \theta_{cm} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_{cm}} = \sigma_{TOT} f(a) \leq \frac{2}{3} \sigma_{TOT}$$

$$f(a) = 4a(1+a) \left[(2a+1) \ln(1+a^{-1}) - 2 \right], \quad a = m_D^2 / s$$

m_D regulates the angular dependence

$m_D \rightarrow \infty$ isotropic cross section

for pQCD-like cross section:

G.Ferini, PLB(2009); D. Molnar, JPG35(2008);
V.Greco, PPNP(2009); Khvorostukhin PRC (2010)...

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{9\pi\alpha_s^2}{2} \frac{1}{(q^2(\theta) + m_D^2)^2} \left(1 + \frac{m_D^2}{s} \right)$$

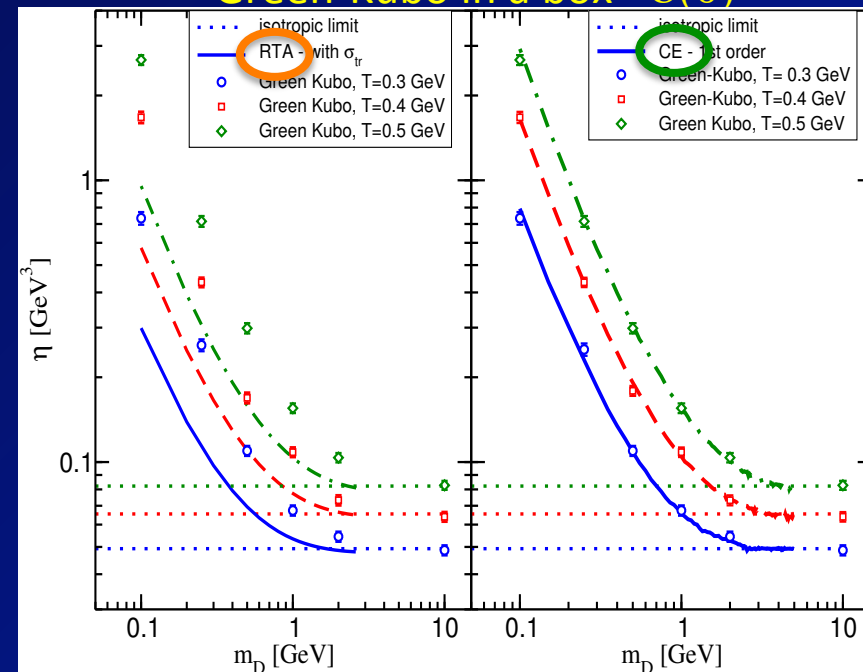
1° Chapmann-Enskog - anisotropic σ

$$[\eta]_{CE}^{1st} = 10T \left[\frac{K_3(z)}{K_2(z)} \right]^2 \frac{1}{c_{00}} = 0.8 \frac{T}{\sigma_{TOT} g(m_D, T)}$$

$$c_{00} = 16 \left[\omega_2^{(2)} - z^{-1} \omega_1^{(2)} + (3z^2)^{-1} \omega_0^{(2)} \right]$$

$$\omega_i^{(2)} = \frac{z^3}{[K_2(z)]^2} \int_1^\infty dy (y^2 - 1)^3 y^i K_2(2zy) \int_0^\pi d\Omega \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \sin^2 \theta \quad \sim \sigma_{tr}$$

Green-Kubo in a box - $\sigma(\theta)$

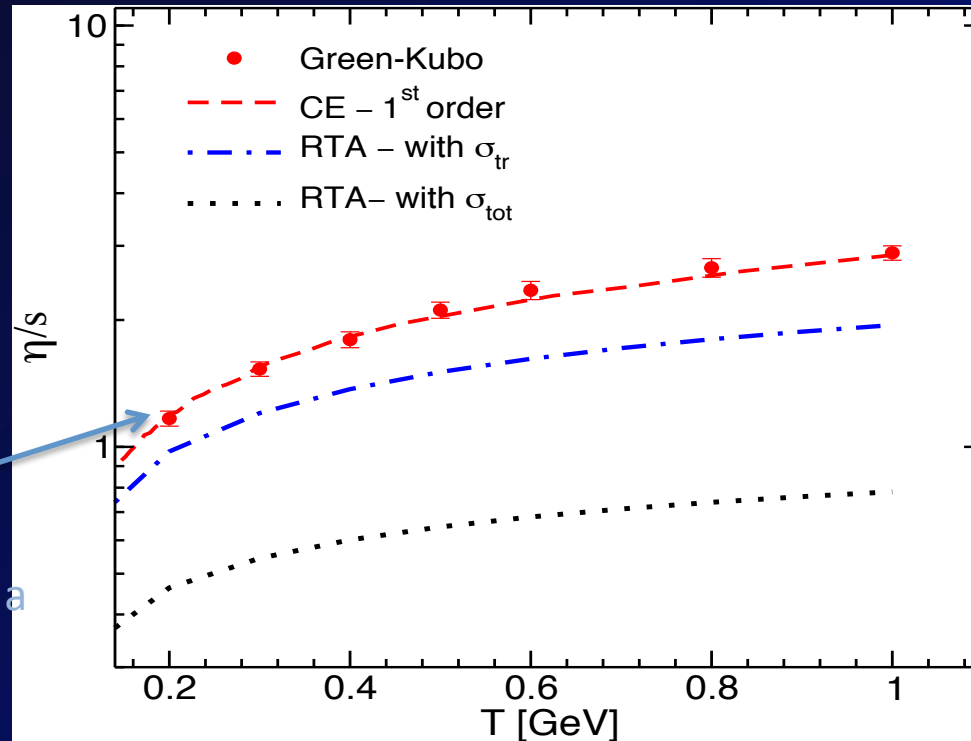


- CE and RTA can differ by about a factor 2-3
- Green-Kubo agrees with CE

S. Plumari et al., arXiv:1208.0481

Example: Viscosity of a pQCD gluon plasma

Only t+ u channel with simplified HTL propagator



close to AMY result
JHEP(2003), but there is a
significant simplification
in the propagator

$$\frac{d\sigma^{gg \rightarrow gg}}{dq^2} = \frac{9\pi\alpha_s^2}{2} \frac{1}{(q^2 + m_D^2)^2}.$$

$$\alpha_s(T) = \frac{4\pi}{11 \ln \left(\frac{2\pi T}{\Lambda} \right)^2} \quad m_D = T \sqrt{4\pi\alpha_s}$$

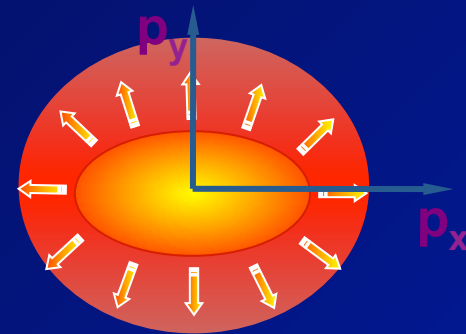
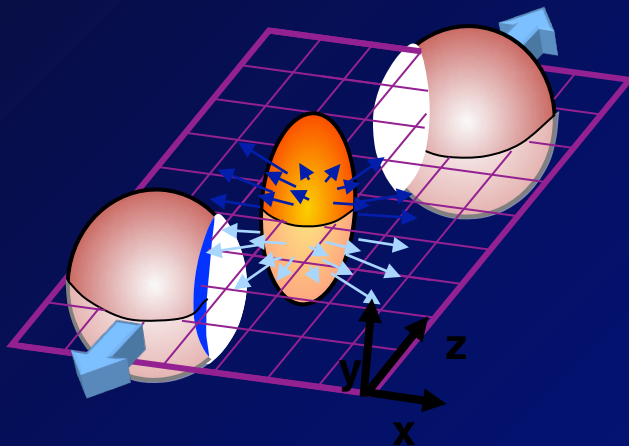
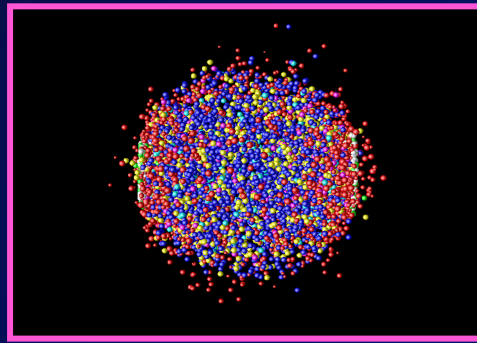
✧ We know how to fix locally $\eta/s(T)$

✧ We have checked the Chapman-Enskog:

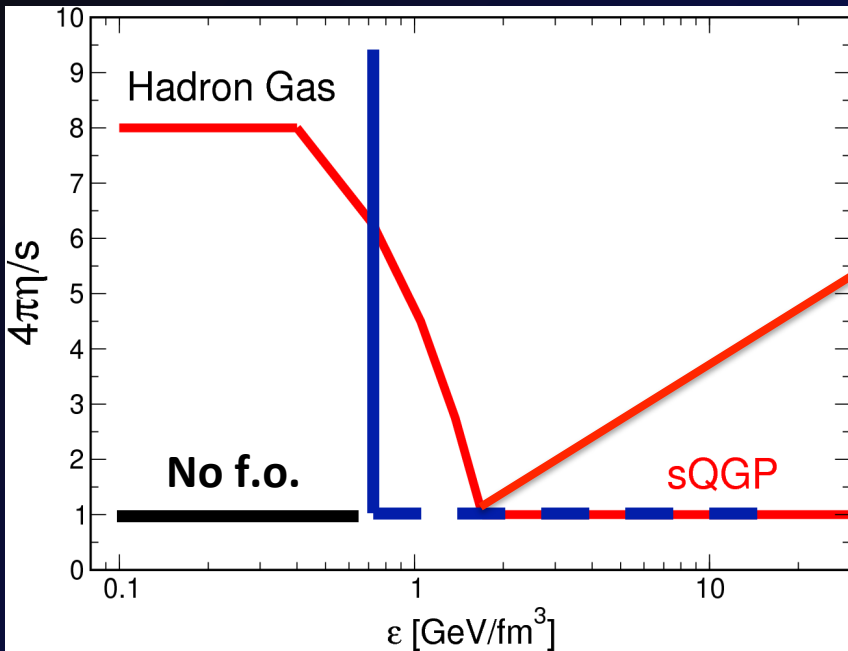
- CE good already at I° order $\approx 5\%$ ($\approx 3\%$ at II° order)
- RTA even with σ_{tr} severely underestimates η

Part II

Let's apply the transport code to A+A Collisions....



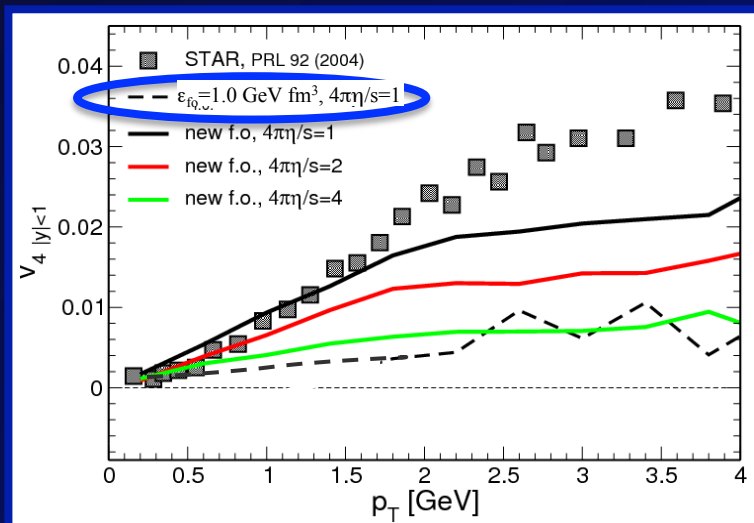
Terminology about freeze-out



a) collisions switched off
for $\varepsilon < \varepsilon_c = 0.7 \text{ GeV/fm}^3$

b) η/s increases in the cross-over
region, faking the smooth
transition in the cross-over
region: small $s \rightarrow$ natural f.o.

$$\sigma_{tr} = \frac{1}{15} \frac{\bar{p}}{n} \frac{1}{\eta/s}$$



A sudden f.o. tend to kill v_4 !

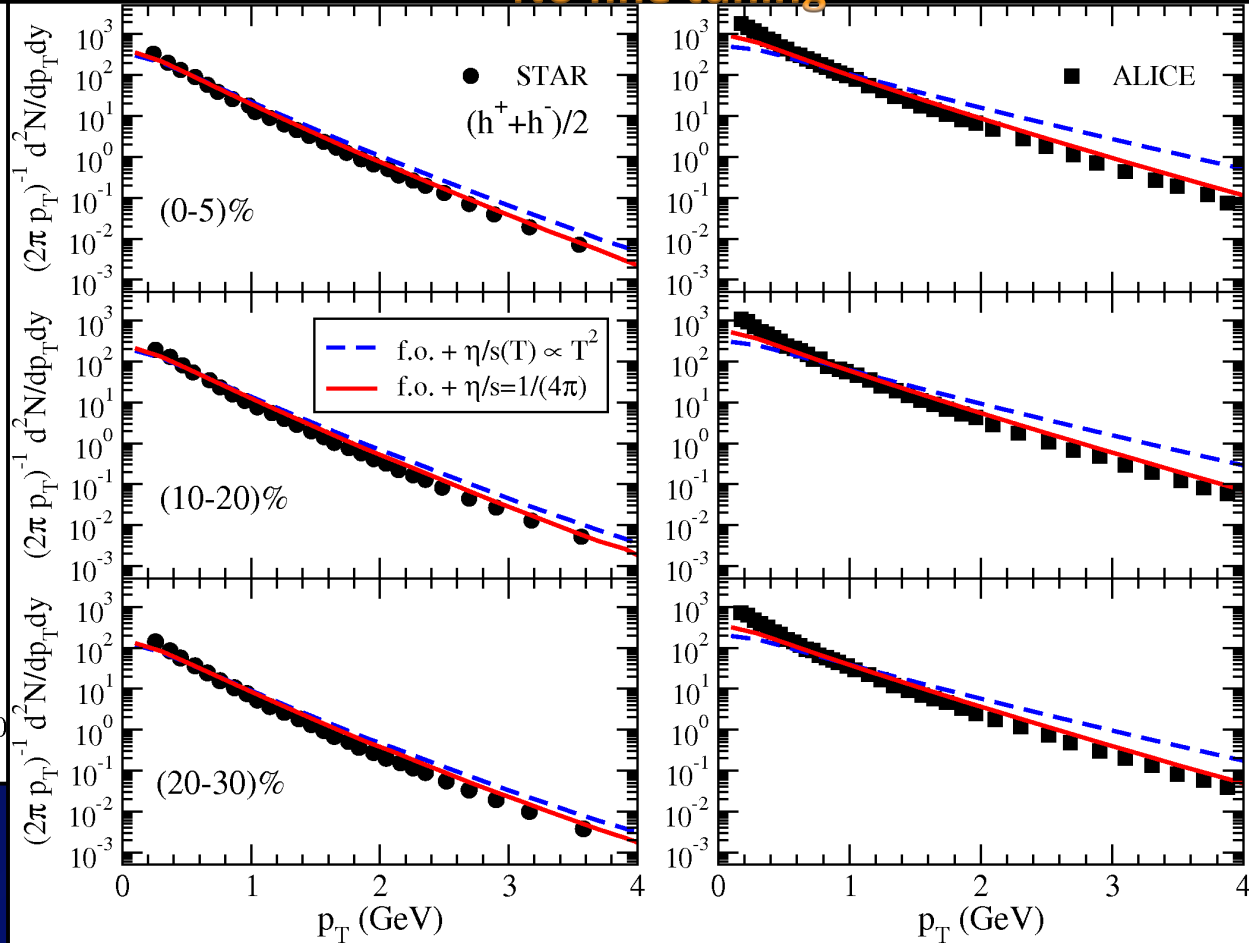
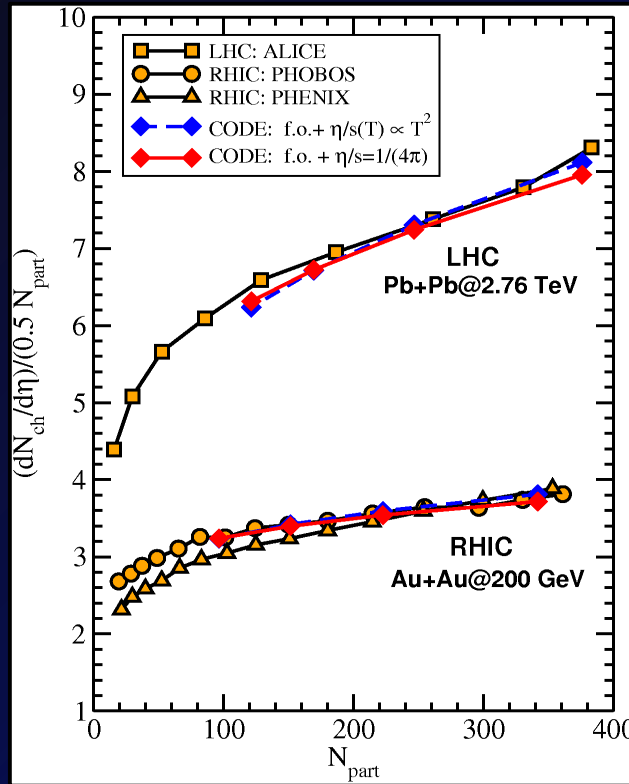
V. Greco et al., PPNP(2009)

Multiplicity & Spectra

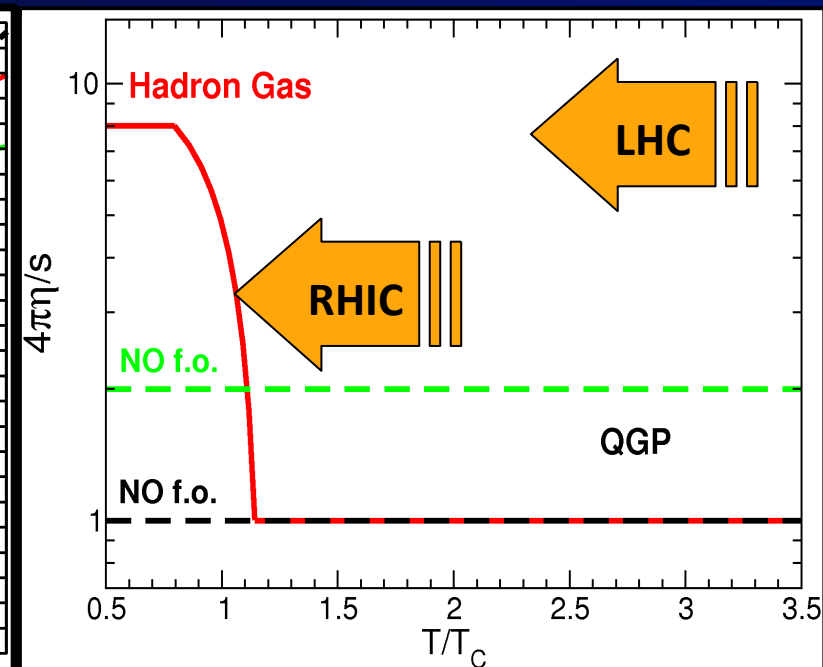
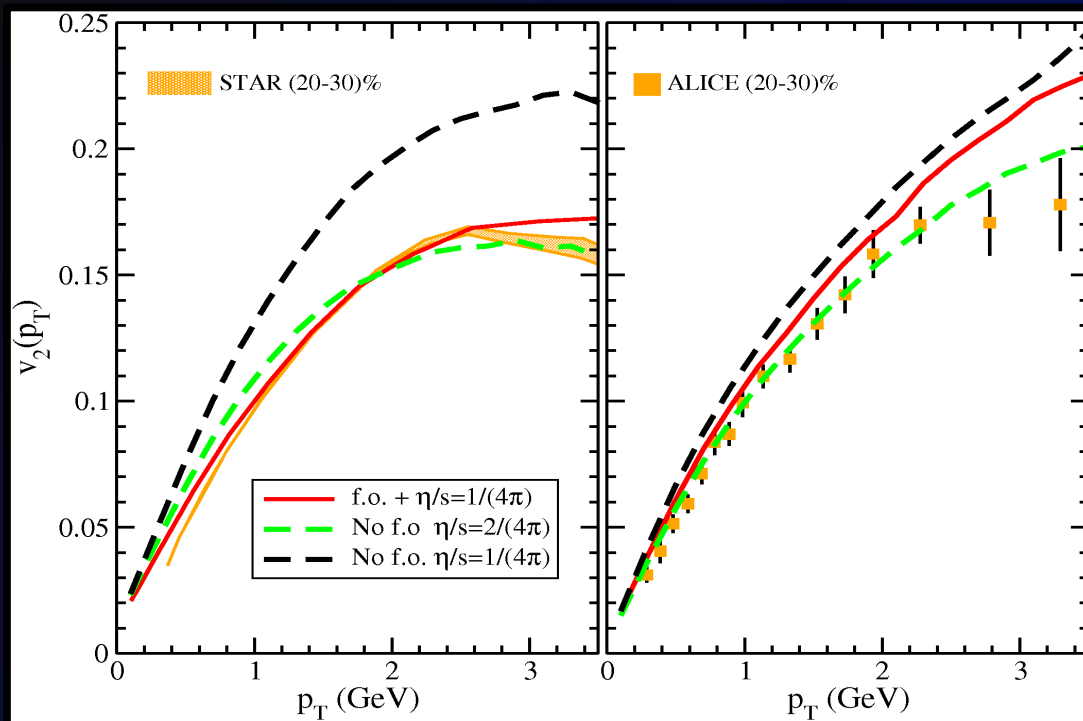
✧ r-space: standard Glauber condition

✧ p-space: Boltzmann-Juttner $T_{\max}=2(3) T_c$ [$p_T < 2$ GeV]+ minijet [$p_T > 2$ GeV]

No fine tuning



First application: f.o. at RHIC & LHC

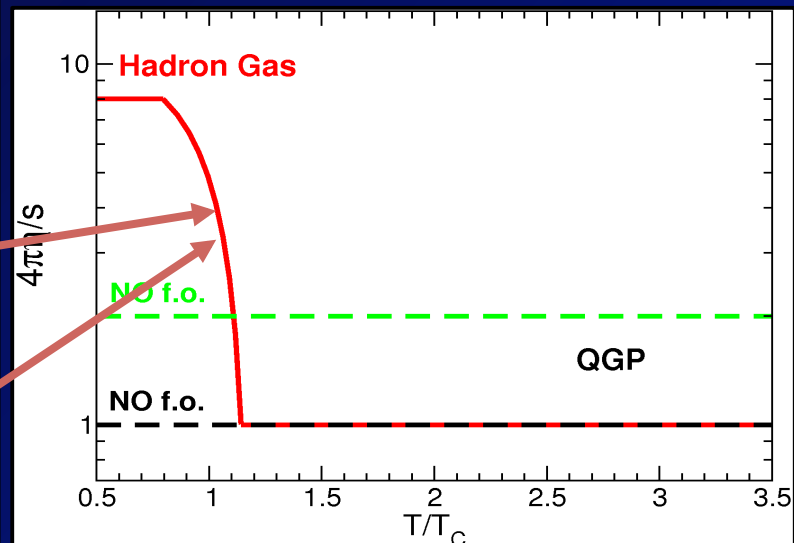
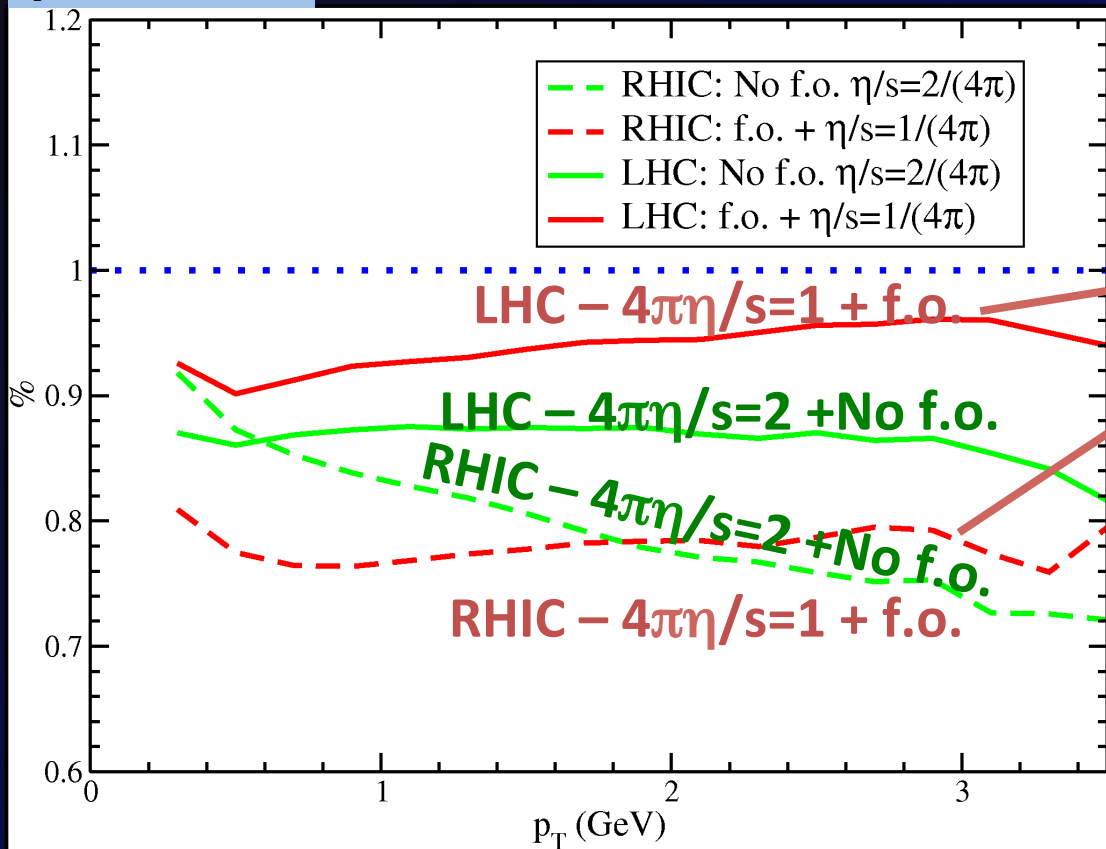


- RHIC: η/s increase in the cross-over region equivalent to double η/s in the QGP
- LHC: almost insensitivity to cross-over ($\approx 5\%$) : v_2 from pure QGP, but at LHC less sensitivity to T-dependence of η/s ? *see later*
- Without $\eta/s(T)$ increase $T \leq T_c$ we would have $v_2(\text{LHC}) < v_2(\text{RHIC})$

Effect of η/s of the hadronic phase at LHC

$$\frac{v_2(*)}{v_2(4\pi\eta/s=1 + \text{no f.o.})}$$

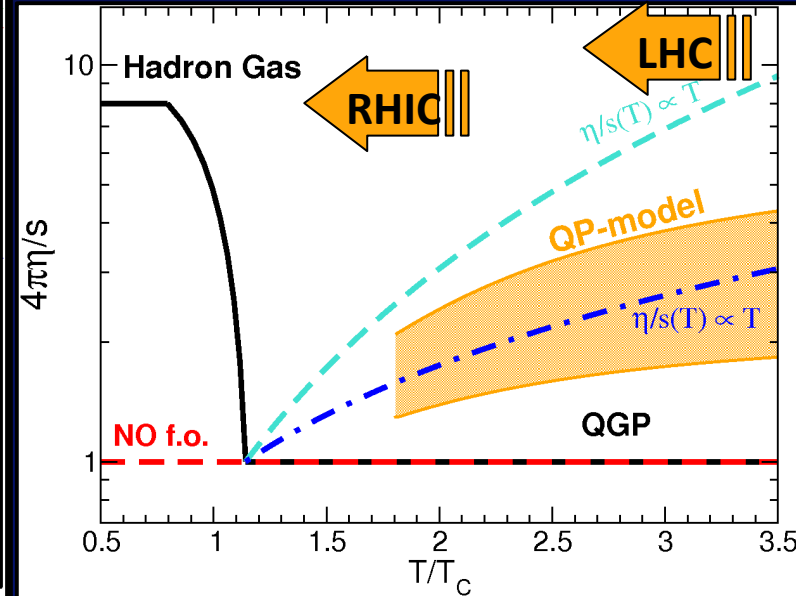
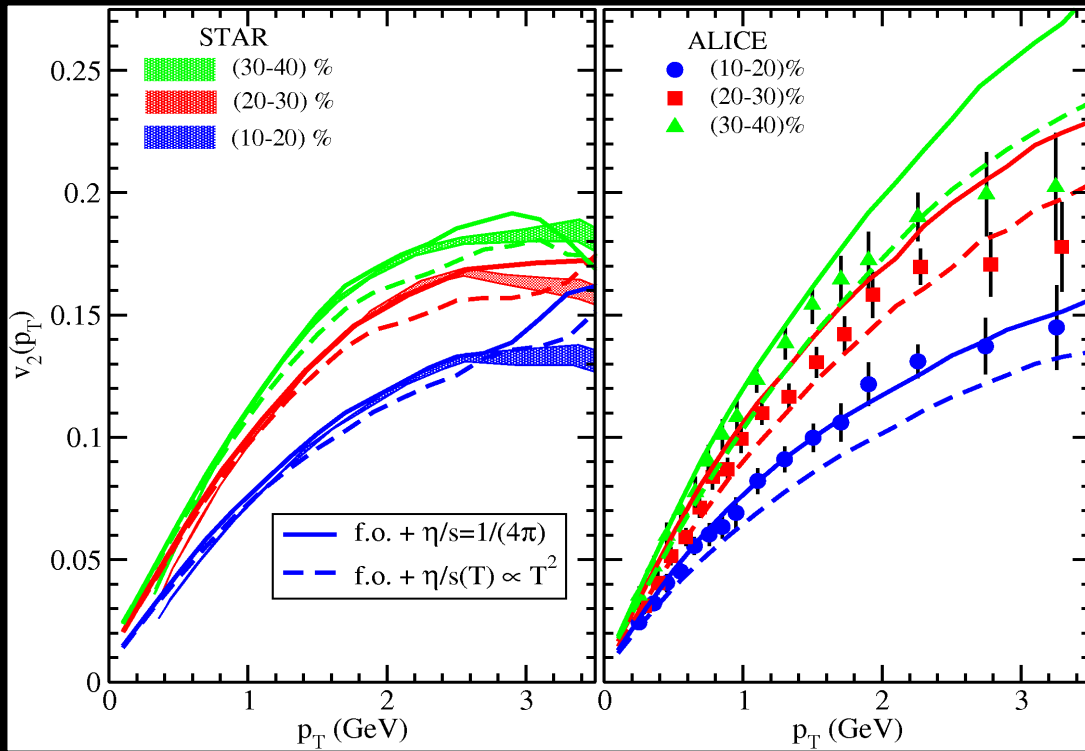
Suppression of v_2 respect the ideal $4\pi\eta/s=1$ at all T



At LHC the contamination of cross-over & hadronic phase becomes negligible
Longer lifetime of QGP ($t \approx 10-12$ fm/c)

-> v_2 completely developed in the QGP phase

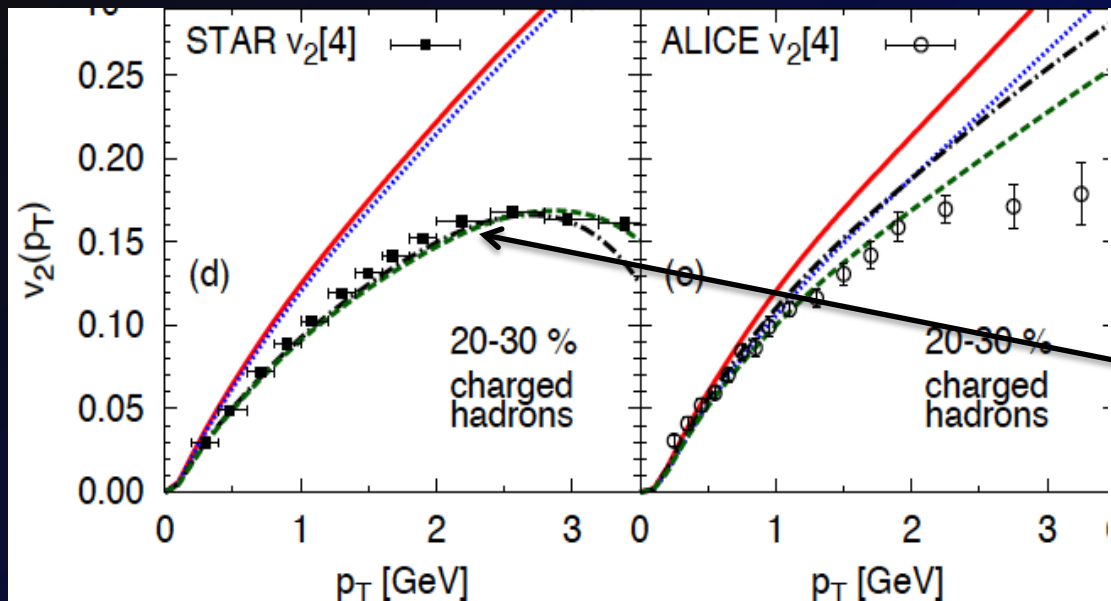
Sensitivity to Temperature dependent $\eta/s(T)$



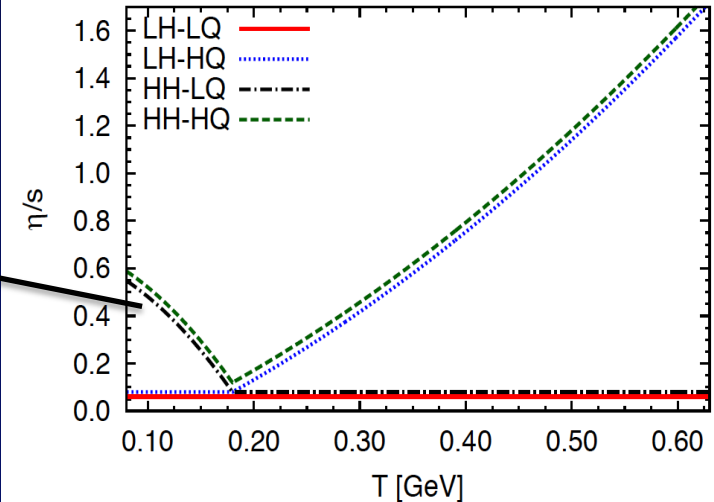
Plumari et al., arxiv:1103.5611[hep-ph].

- The v_2 is nearly insensitive to the value of $\eta/s(T)$ in the QGP phase at RHIC, some sensitivity at LHC
- $[[\eta/s \sim T^2 \text{ cannot account for the } v_2 \text{ decrease for } p_T > 2.5 \text{ GeV.}]]$
- Transport prediction for $v_2(p_T)$ is RHIC ~ LHC up to p_T 2-3 GeV
[do not believe what is written in ALICE - PRL105(2010)]
important to have a f.o. and a correct η/s as coming from Chapmann-Enskog

Sensitivity $\eta/s(T)$ in Hydro – Niemi et al.



Niemi et al., PRL106(2011)



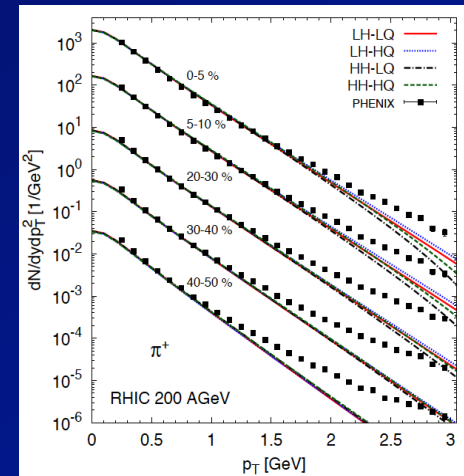
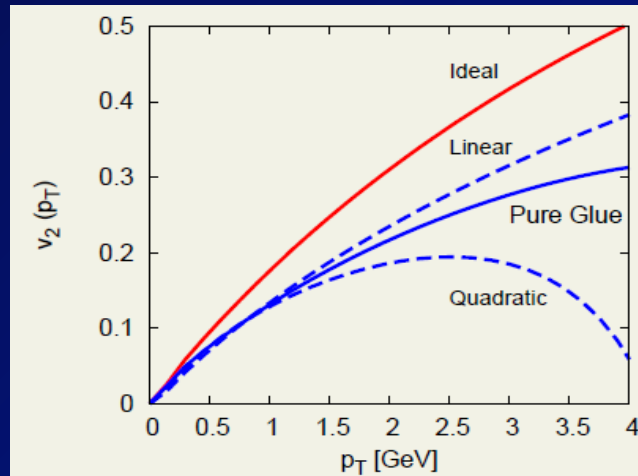
$$T_{eq}^{\mu\nu} + \delta T^{\mu\nu} \Leftarrow f_{eq} + \delta f$$

There is no one to one correspondence!

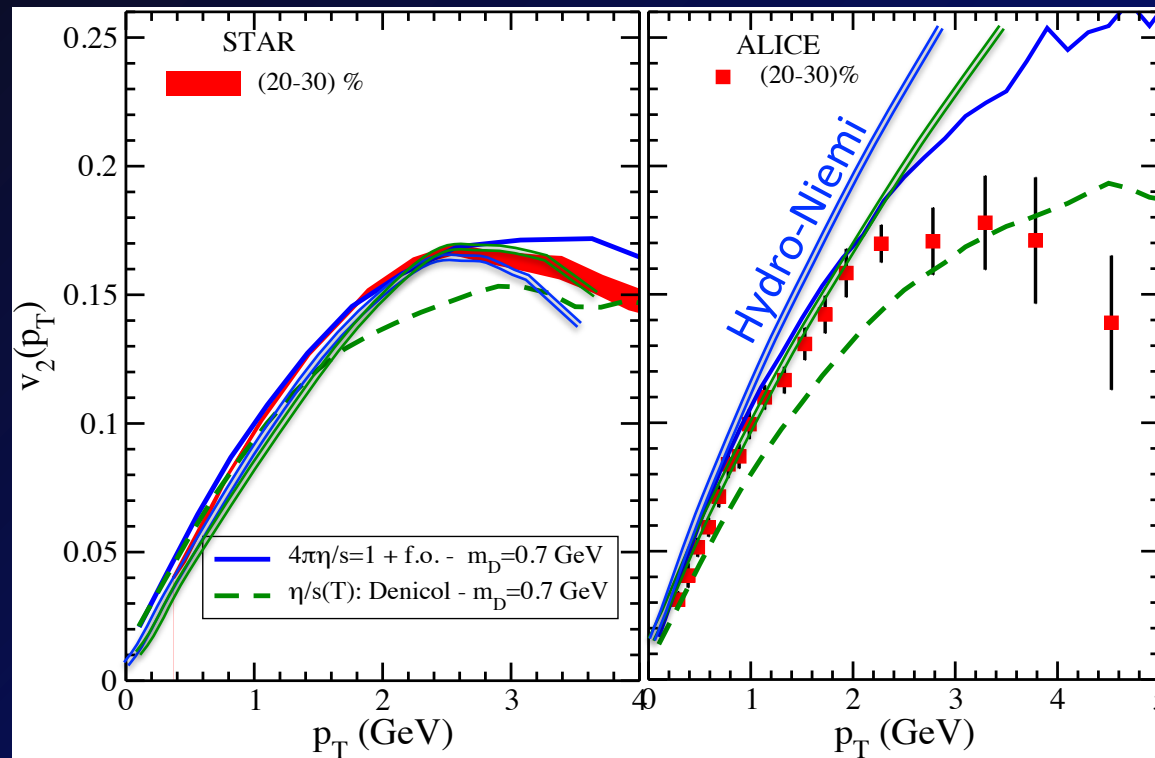
An Asantz (Grad)

$$\delta f = \frac{\pi^{\mu\nu}}{\varepsilon + P} \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{T^2} f_{eq} \approx \frac{\eta}{3s} \frac{p_T^2}{\tau T^2} f_{eq}$$

- this implies RTA and not CE
- Hydro make sense up to $p_T \sim 3$ GeV !? $\delta f/f \approx 5$



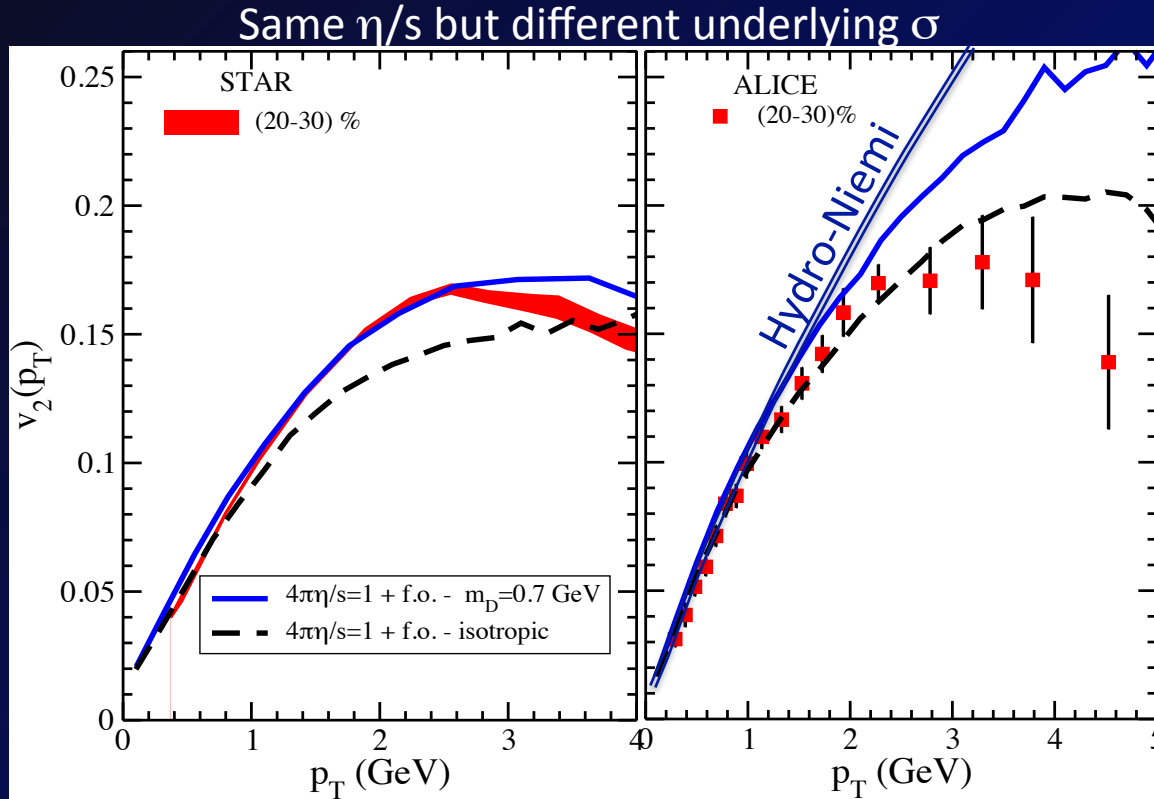
Sensitivity in transport using same $\eta/s(T)$



- ✓ Larger sensitivity on $\eta/s(T)$ at LHC
- ✓ Effect larger respect to viscous hydro, but this depends also on δf
- ✓ An estimate of η/s is more meaningful with transport approach

Does it depends also on some detail of the cross section?

Relevance of microscopic scale: $\sigma(\theta)$



Out of pure hydro
language!

- Microscopic details of the cross section matter at $p_T > 2 \text{ GeV}$
- Larger screening mass at LHC!?
- v_n at $p_T > 2 \text{ GeV}$ can provide more information on the QGP micro details

From low to high p_T

$$\sigma^*(s) = K \sigma_{pQCD}(s) \gg \sigma_{pQCD}(s)$$

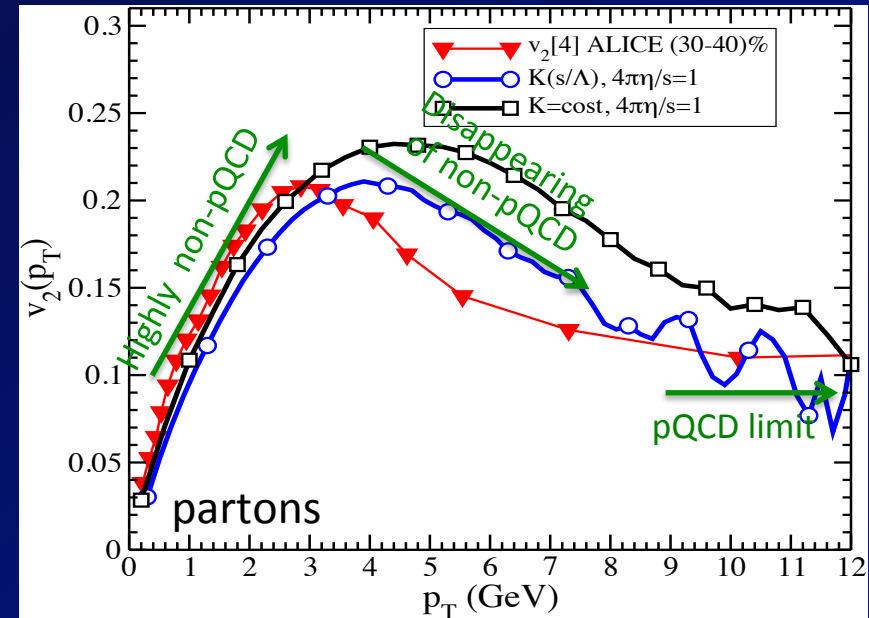
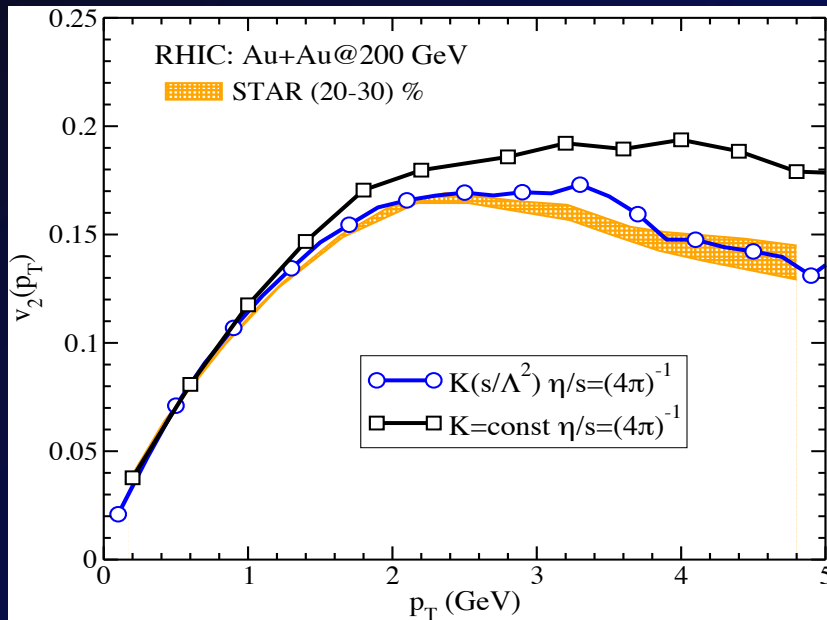
Takes into account the non-perturbative physics
 $\rightarrow 4\pi\eta/s=1$, but at all p_T !

Including the obvious:

$$\sigma^*(s) = K(s/\Lambda^2) \sigma_{pQCD}(s)$$

$$K(s) = 1 + \gamma e^{-s/\Lambda^2}$$

γ not a parameter
 it is fixed by η/s



Only approach that describe $v_2(p_T)$ up to 12 GeV in a unified framework!

- Allow to extend the agreement to larger p_T , but does not affect the low p_T

No Fine tuning! Done employing the relaxation time approximation for K (γ)!

Part III

Quasiparticle model-> finite mass excitations:

- Study quark-gluon chemical equilibrium
- Imply a transport evolution with EoS-IQCD

$$\left\{ p^{*\mu} \partial_{\mu} + m^{*}(x) \partial^{\mu} m^{*}(x) \partial_{\mu}^{p^{*}} \right\} f(x, p^{*}) = C[f]$$

Field Interaction -> $\epsilon \neq 3P$

$$\frac{\partial B}{\partial m_i} + d_i \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{m_i(x)}{E_i(x)} f(x, p) = 0$$

Using a simple QP-model

U.Heinz and P. Levai, PRC (1998).... *Kampf*er TALK

$$P(T) = \sum_{i=g,q,\bar{q}} \frac{D_i}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^\infty d^3k \frac{k^2}{3\omega_i(k)} f_i(k) - B(T)$$

$$\varepsilon(T) = \sum_{i=g,q,\bar{q}} \frac{d_i}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^\infty d^3k \omega_i(k) f_i(k) + B(T) + \widetilde{W}_B(T)$$

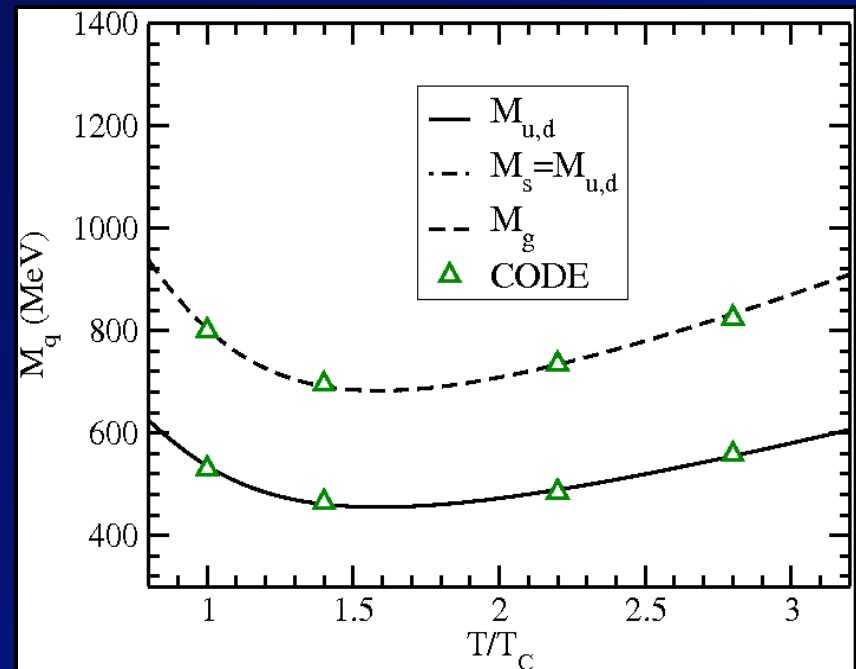
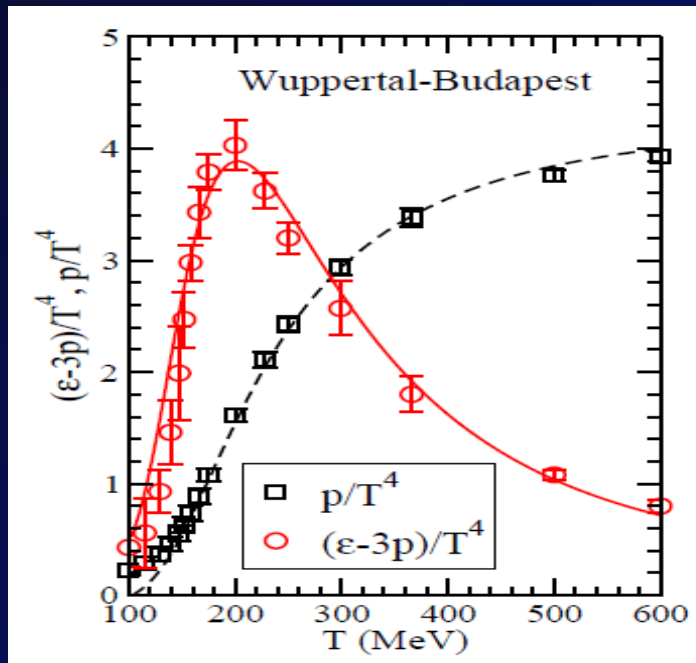
Plumari, Alberico, Greco, Ratti, PRD84 (2011)

$W_B=0$ guarantees
Thermodynamically consistency

$$B(T) = B(T^*) - \sum_{i=g,q,\bar{q}} \frac{D_i}{(2\pi)^3} \int_{T^*}^T dT' M_i(T') \frac{dM_i(T')}{dT'} \int_0^\infty \frac{d^3k}{\omega_i} f_i(k)$$

$$\omega^2 = k^2 + M^2(T) \quad M_g(T) = 3/2 g(T)T$$

$M_g(T)$ from a fit to ε from lQCD -> good reproduction of P , $e-3P$, c_s

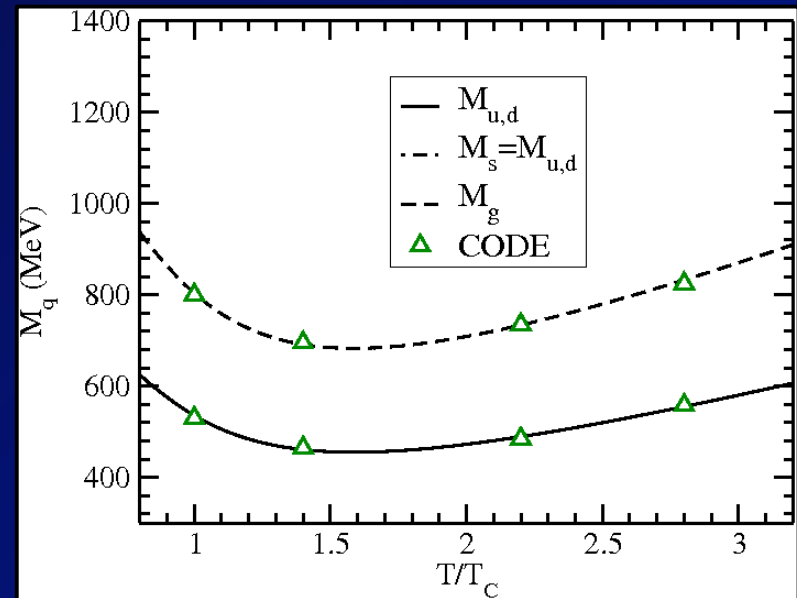
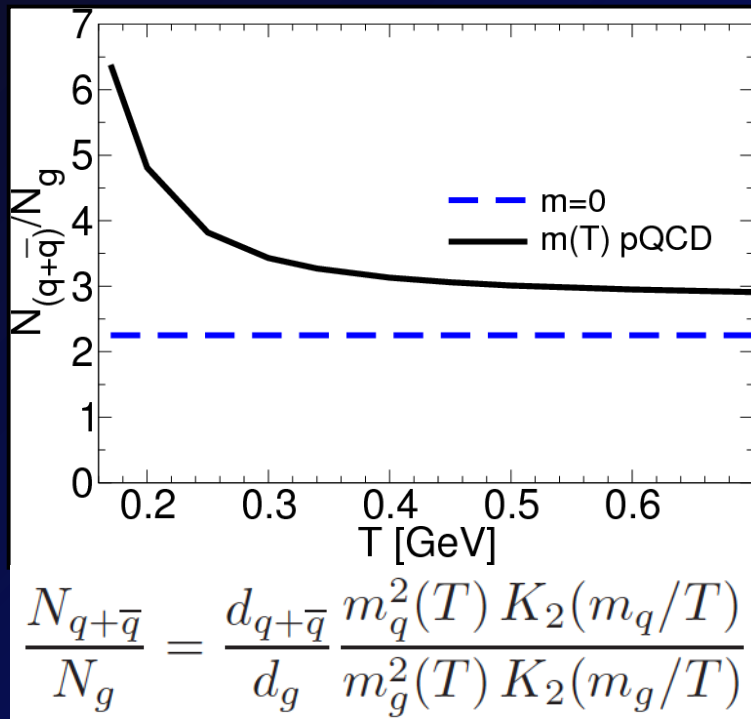


QP-model: implications for chemical composition

Passed several numerical test on the box. We reproduce the IQCD EoS .

$$p^\mu \partial_\mu f(x, p) + m_i(x) \partial_\mu m_i(x) \partial_p^\mu f(x, p) = C_{22}[f]$$

$$\frac{\partial B}{\partial m_i} + d_i \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{m_i(x)}{E_i(x)} f(x, p) = 0 \quad , \quad i=g,u,d,s$$



Polyakov loop should modify it,
see M. Ruggieri et al., PRD(2012) arxiv:1204.5995
for Yang-Mills case

Using the QP-model: $q \leftrightarrow g$ conversion

Inelastic cross section with massive parton $gg \rightarrow qq$

$$|M_t|^2 = \alpha_s^2 \pi^2 \frac{8}{3} \frac{(m_q^2 + m_g^2 - t)(m_q^2 + m_g^2 - u) - 2m_q^2(m_q^2 + t) - m_g^2 s - 4m_q^2 m_g^2}{(t - \mu_q^2)^2}$$

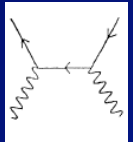
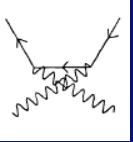
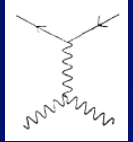
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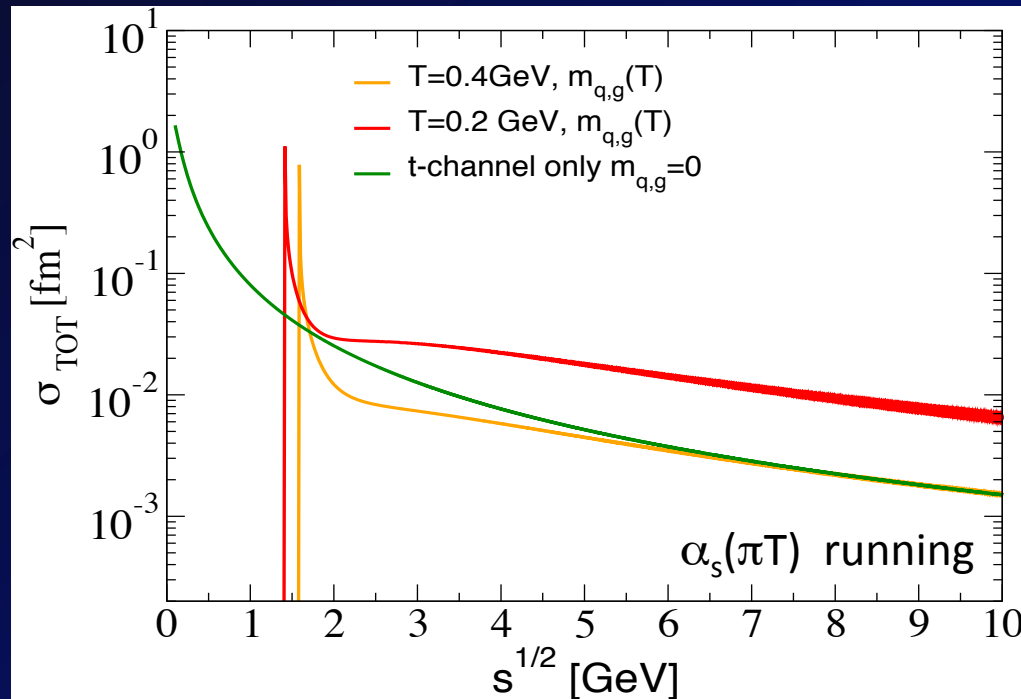
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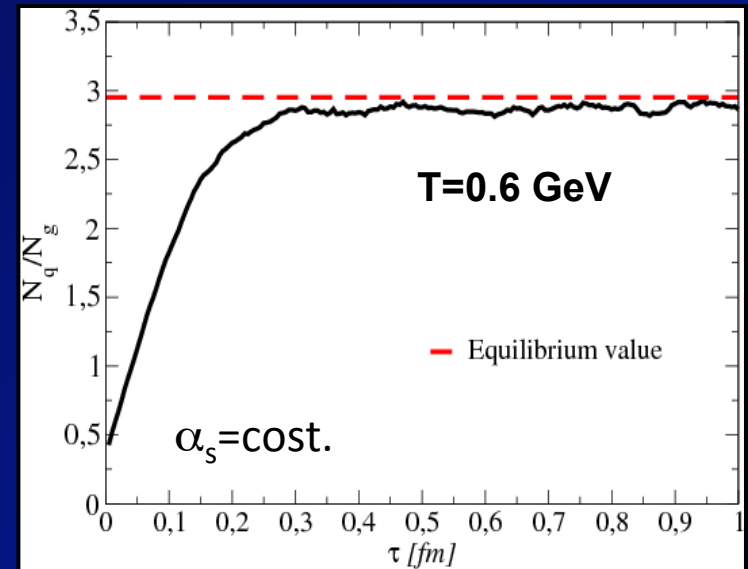
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See also: Cambridge, NPB151 (1979); Biro-Levai-Muller, PRD42(1990)

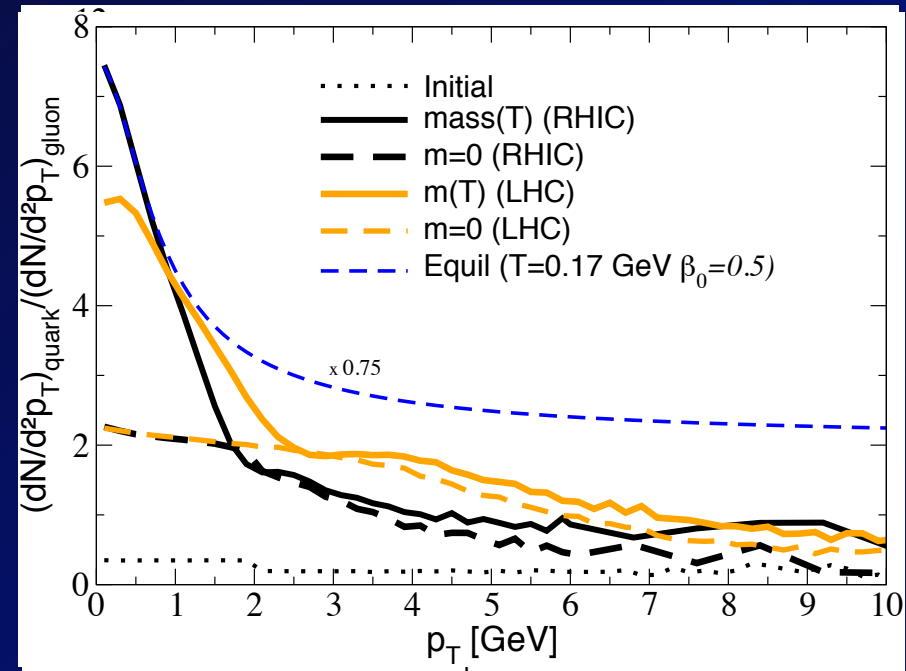
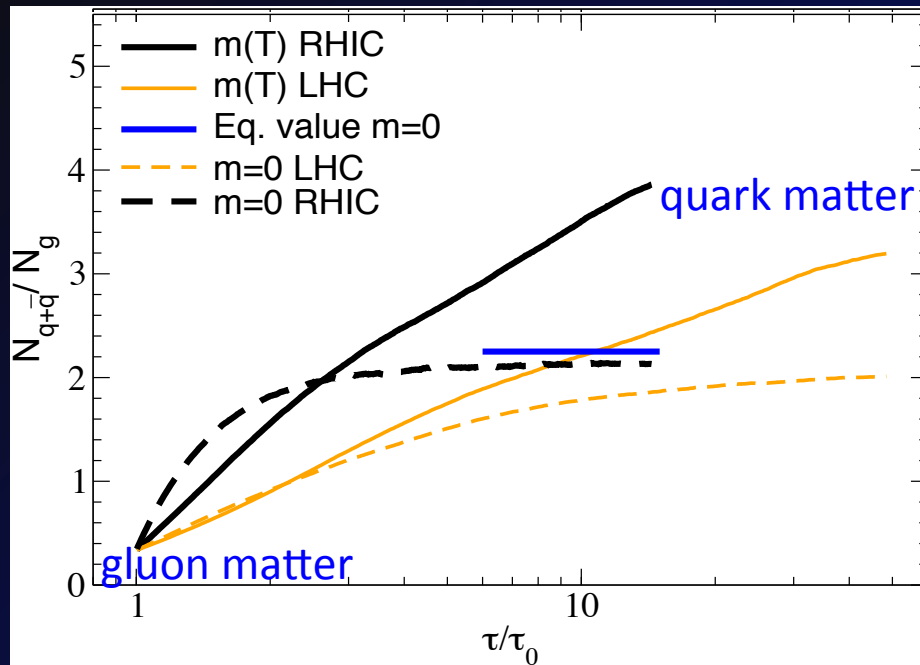


Evolution in a Box



QP-model:QGP composition in HIC

F. Scardina et al., arXiv:1202.2262 [nucl-th].



- Quark dominance close to T_c : $\sim 80\%$ of total partons composed of $q + \text{anti-}q$ even starting from a 80% gluon matter
- LHC matter less “chemically” equilibrated
- Massive quarks close to $T_c \rightarrow$ coalescence
- Should one revisit jet quenching, quarkonia suppression...

Summary

Calculating η/s :

- Chapman-Enskog 1st order agree with Green-Kubo
- Relax. Time Approx can severely underestimate η/s

Developing a Boltzmann-Vlasov partonic transport:

- Agreement with data for $4\pi\eta/s \approx 1$
similarly to hydro (but wider p_T -range):
 - $p_T < 2$ GeV same $v_2(p_T)$ at RHIC and LHC
 - $p_T > 2$ GeV microscopic $\sigma(\theta)$ matters
 - v_n more sensitive to both $\eta/s(T)$ and $\sigma(\theta)$
- Quasi-particle in transport theory:
 - Massive quark plasma close to T_c (less equil. at LHC)

Outlook

- Include initial state fluctuations - $\langle v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5 \rangle$
- Include hadronization
- Study Mean Field in Transport vs EoS in hydro

Chapmann-Enskog vs Green Kubo: massive case

Massive case is relevant in quasiparticle models where $M_{q,g}(T)=g(T)T$
Hence we need it to extend the approach to a Boltzmann-Vlasov transport

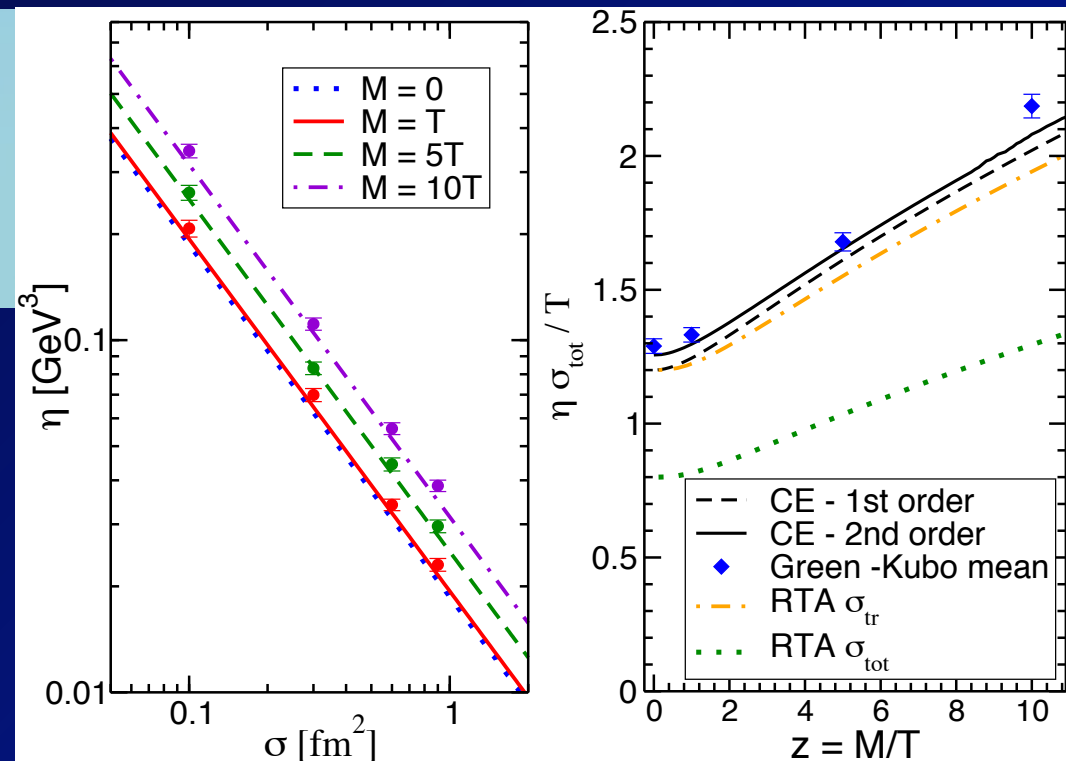
Again good agreement with CE 1st order for $\sigma(\theta)=\text{cost.}$

Isotropic σ – massive particles

$$[\eta]_{1\text{st}}^{\text{CE}} = f(z) \frac{T}{\sigma_{\text{tot}}} \quad z = M/T$$

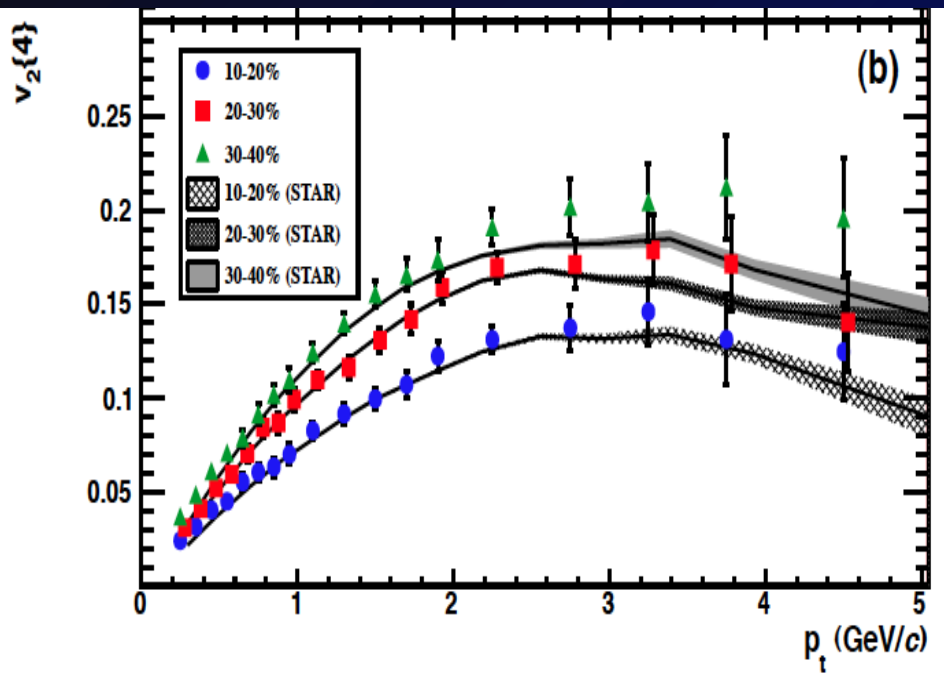
$$f(z) = \frac{15}{16} \frac{z^4 K_3^2(z)}{(15z^2 + 2)K_2(2z) + (3z^3 + 49z)K_3(2z)}$$

Still missing Chapmann-Enskog for
massive + anisotropic cross section



First Result on v_2 : RHIC vs LHC

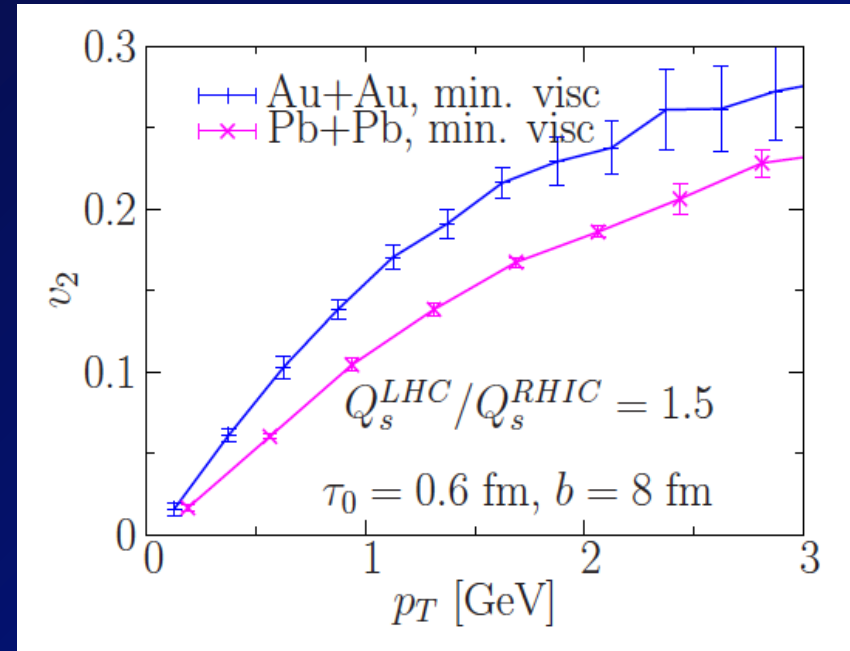
Going to LHC?



ALICE, PRL105 (2010)

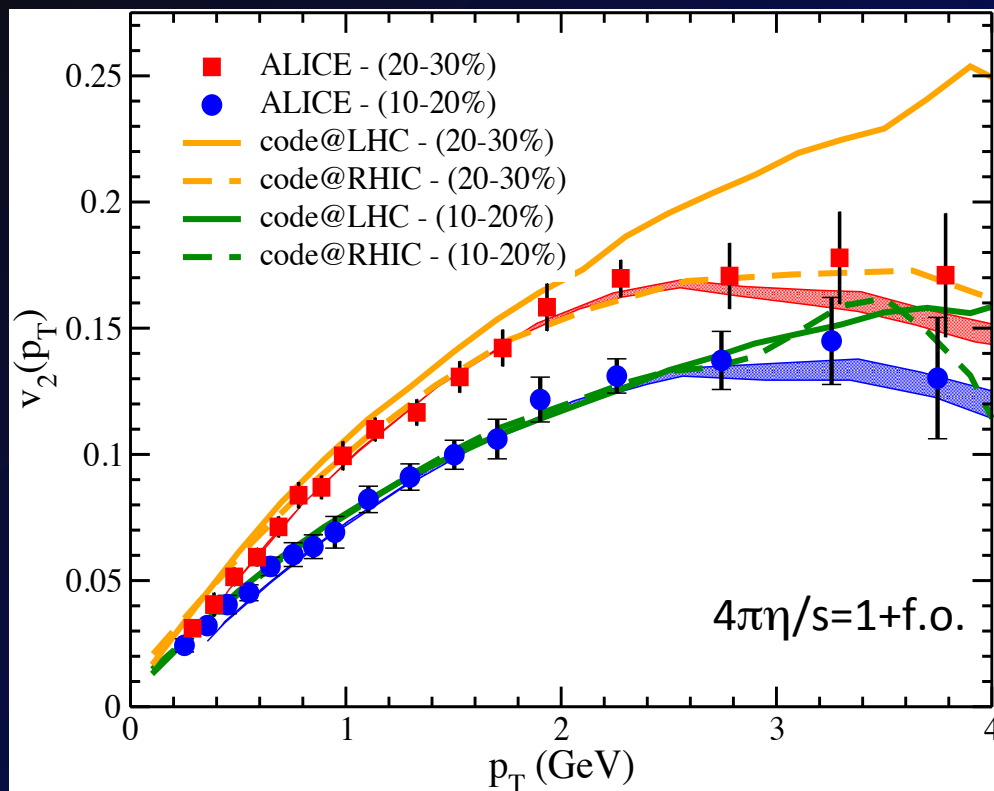
most pronounced for heavy particles. Models based on a parton cascade [19], including models that take into account quark recombination for particle production [20], predict a stronger decrease of the elliptic flow as function of transverse momentum compared to RHIC energies. Phenomenological extrapolations [21] and models

Cascade prediction



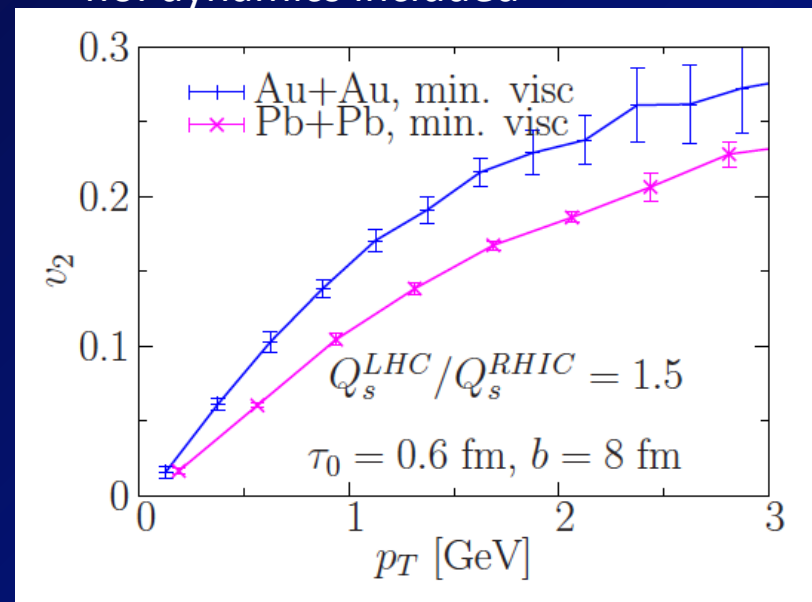
D. Molnar, LHC last call for prediction, JPG35

First application: v_2 at RHIC & LHC



At least 3 differences respect to MPC:

- Initial conditions (*not only minijets*)
- way to fix η/s (*not on average+ with CE*)
- f.o. dynamics included



- Good agreement for $4\pi\eta/s=1$ up to $p_T \approx 3$ GeV (*wider range than hydro*)
- Same $v_2(p_T)$ at RHIC and LHC like in exp-data, up to $p_T < 2-3$ GeV,
but for semi-central at LHC always over-predict larger v_2