## Heavy quark dynamics in QCD matter



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## Quark Gluon Plasma (QGP)

On the basis of asymptotic freedom, first Collins and Perry suggest that super dense matter consist of quarks rather than of hadrons.



At very high temperature and density hadrons (proton, neutron,) melt to a new phase of matter called Quark Gluon Plasma (QGP).

#### Why QGP ???

Relevant for: -Early Universe -Compact Astrophysical Objects (Neutron Star)

Offers Opportunity to Study: -Non-abelian Field Theory (QCD) in Thermal Bath -High Temperature & Density – Phase Transition (Deconfinement)

### How to create QGP



Nuclear Collisions at Relativistic Energies – Tool to Create High Temperature (Early Universe) & Density (Neutron Star) Quark-Hadron transition occurred at T~170 MeV. Density ~10<sup>18</sup> kg/m<sup>3</sup>

Temperature of sun~10 KeV.

More than 10000 times of the temperature of sun.

#### **Experimental facility:**

Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider (RHIC), BNL, USA Large Hadron Collider (LHC), CERN, Switzerland Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research (FAIR), Darmstadt, Germany Nuclotron-based Ion Collider fAcility (NICA), Dubna, Russia Future Circular Collider (FCC), CERN, Switzerland

# **Heavy Quark & QGP**



#### SPS to LHC

 $\sqrt{s} = 17.3 GeV$  to  $2.76 TeV \sim 100$  times

 $T_i = 200 \ MeV \ to \ 600 \ MeV \$  ~3 times

relaxation time  $\mathcal{T}$ 

 $M_{c,b} >> \Lambda_{QCD}$ 

Produced by pQCD process (before equilibrium) (Early production)

 $\tau_{c,b} >> \tau_{QGP}$  $M_{c,b} >> T_0$ 

They go through all the QGP life time

No thermal production

**Boltzmann Kinetic equation**  

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \frac{P}{E}\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + F.\frac{\partial}{\partial p}\right)f(x, p, t) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial t}\right)_{col}$$
The plasma is uniform ,i.e., the distribution function is independent of x.  
In the absence of any external force, F=0  

$$R(p,t) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial t}\right)_{col} = \int d^3k \left[\omega(p+k,k)f(p+k) - \omega(p,k)f(p)\right]$$

$$\omega(p,k) = g \int \frac{d^3 q}{(2\pi)^3} f'(q) v_{q,p} \sigma_{p,q \to p-k,q+k}$$

is rate of collisions which change the momentum of the charmed quark from p to p-k

$$\omega(p+k,k)f(p+k) \approx \omega(p,k)f(p) + k \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial p}(\omega f) + \frac{1}{2}k_ik_j \frac{\partial^2}{\partial p_i\partial p_j}(\omega f)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial \mathbf{t}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{p}_{i}} \left[ \mathbf{A}_{i}(\mathbf{p})\mathbf{f} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{p}_{j}} \left[ \mathbf{B}_{ij}(\mathbf{p})\mathbf{f} \right] \right]$$

B. Svetitsky PRD 37(1987)2484

where we have defined the kernels ,  $\mathbf{A}_{i} = \int \mathbf{d}^{3} \mathbf{k} \omega(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{k}) \mathbf{k}_{i} \rightarrow \mathbf{Drag Coefficient}$ 

 $B_{ij} = \int d^3 k \omega(p,k) k_i k_j \rightarrow \text{Diffusion Coefficient}$ 

## **Langevin Equation**

The Fokker-Planck equation can be recast to Langevin equation:



For the numerical implementation of Langevin dynamics we use pre-point Ito discretization.

Transport coefficients are connected by Fluctuation dissipation theorem :  $D = M \gamma T$ 

### **Heavy quark initialization**

r-space: N\_coll (Glauber mode) p-space: NLO (pQCD)

### **Nuclear Modification Factor** (R<sub>AA</sub>) and <u>Elliptic Flow (v2)</u>



If R<sub>AA</sub> = 1 No medium/ No interaction If R<sub>AA</sub>< 1 Medium/Interaction

A direct measure of the energy loss.

$$\frac{dN}{p_T dp_T dy d\phi} = \frac{dN}{2\pi p_T dp_T dy} \left(1 + 2v_1 \cos(\phi) + 2v_2 \cos(2\phi) + \dots\right)$$



 $1 + 2v_1 \cos\varphi$ 

**Overall shift** 

Major axis =  $1+2v_2$ Minor axis =  $1-2v_2$ 

a 1+2v2

## Heavy quark physics at different scales



## Studying the HF at RHIC and LHC



### Heavy flavor at RHIC (2007)





## At RHIC energy heavy flavor suppression is similar to light flavor

Simultaneous description of RAA and v2 is a tough challenge for all the models.



Terrevoli (SQM 2019)

### **Time evolution of Heavy quarks observables**



## Impact of T dep. interaction on $R_{AA} - v_2$



# A systematic attempts are going on within the EMMI-RRTF and "JET-HQ" working groups to find a common agreement between different groups:



0.3

0.0

 $p_{T}(\tilde{G}eV)$ 

S. Cao et. al PRC 99, 054907 (2019) (JET-HQ)

p (GeV)

Heavy quark momentum evolution: Langevin vs Boltzmann



It will be interesting to study both the equation in a identical environment to ensure the validity of this assumption at different momentum transfer and their subsequent effects on RAA and v2.

Langevin dynamics:

 $dx_j = \frac{p_j}{F} dt$ 

$$dp_{j} = -\Gamma p_{j}dt + \sqrt{dt}C_{jk}(t, p + \xi dp)\rho_{k}$$

is the deterministic friction (drag) force

 $C_{ij}$  is stochastic force in terms of independent Gaussian-normal distributed random variable.

# **Transport theory**

$$p^{\mu}\partial_{\mu}f(x,p) = C_{22}$$

#### We consider two body collisions

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C}_{22} \ &= \ \frac{1}{2E_1} \int \frac{d^3 p_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2} \frac{1}{\nu} \int \frac{d^3 p_1'}{(2\pi)^3 2E_1'} \frac{d^3 p_2'}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2'} f_1' f_2' |\mathcal{M}_{1'2' \to 12}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)} (p_1' + p_2' - p_1 - p_2) \\ &- \frac{1}{2E_1} \int \frac{d^3 p_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2} \frac{1}{\nu} \int \frac{d^3 p_1'}{(2\pi)^3 2E_1'} \frac{d^3 p_2'}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2'} f_1 f_2 |\mathcal{M}_{12 \to 1'2'}|^2 (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)} (p_1 + p_2 - p_1' - p_2') \end{aligned}$$



### **Collision integral is solved with a local stochastic sampling**

Das, Scardina, Plumari and Greco Phys. Rev. C,90,044901(2014)

$$P_{22} = \frac{\Delta N_{\rm coll}^{2 \to 2}}{\Delta N_1 \Delta N_2} = v_{\rm rel} \sigma_{22} \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta^3 x}$$

# **Boltzmann vs Langevin (Charm)**



# **Bottom: Boltzmann = Langevin**



But Larger  $M_b/T$  ( $\approx 10$ ) the better Langevin approximation works

## **Evolution: Boltzmann vs Langevin (Charm)**

Momentum evolution starting from a  $\delta$  (Charm) in a Box



In case of Langevin the distributions are Gaussian as expected by construction

In case of Boltzmann the charm quarks does not follow the Brownian motion

Das, Scardina, Plumari and Greco PRC,90,044901(2014)

## Momentum evolution starting from a $\delta$ (Bottom)



## $R_{AA}$ and v2 at RHIC

### (With near isotropic cross-section)



With isotropic cross section one can describe both RAA and V2 simultaneously within the Boltzmann approach !

#### **Hadronization: Coalescence plus Fragmentation**

Fragmentation function gives the probability to get a hadron from a parton:

$$f_H(p_T) = \sum_p f_p(p_T / z) D_{p \to H}(z)$$

<z>~0.9 for charm quark and <z>~0.5 for light quark

Das, Torres-Rincon, Tolos, Minissale, Scardina, Greco, PRD,94,114039,2016

Coalescence is the convolution of two /three parton distribution folded by a wave function:



#### RHIC results: RAA vs v2





In (0-80)% the  $v_2(p_T)$  due to only coalescence increase a factor 2 compared to the  $v_2(p_T)$  charm

The impact of coalescence decreases with  $p_{T_{1}}$ 

This indicates charm quark get about 35% of v2 due to coalescence and about 65% due to in medium interaction (diffusion).

Scardina, Das, Minissale, Plumari, Greco PRC, 96,044905 (2017)

### BEFORE THE STUDY OF $\Lambda_c / D^\circ$ (early 2017)

### **Heavy Baryon to meson ratio**

#### (Serve as a tool to disentangle different hadronization mechanisms)



We set:

$$P_{coal}=1$$
 at p=0

Plumari, Minissale, Das, Coci, Greco EPJC, 78 (2018) 348

#### Impact of EM field on heavy quark dynamics at LHC

$$dp_{j} = -\Gamma p_{j}dt + \sqrt{dt}C_{jk}(t, p + \xi dp)\rho_{k} + F_{ext}dt$$

$$F_{ext} = q(E' + v \times B')$$

$$E' = \gamma (E + v \times B) - (\gamma - 1) (E \cdot \hat{v})\hat{v}$$

$$B' = \gamma (B - v \times E) - (\gamma - 1) (B \cdot \hat{v})\hat{v}$$



Electromagnetic field has been included in the Langevin equation as a external force.

We consider both E and B. Bx=Bz=0 And Ey=Ez=0

$$v_1 = <\frac{p_x}{p_T} >$$

Das, Plumari, Chartarjee, Scardina, Greco, Alam Phys. Lett. B, 768 (2017) 260

### Heavy quark v1@LHC



### Heavy quark in small system (p-nucleus)



ALICE Collaboration Phys. Rev. Lett. 113 (2014) 232301

CMS Collaboration arXiv:1804.09767v2

What mechanism could build up  $v_2$  without energy loss?

#### Heavy quarks as probes of the evolving Glasma



(Adapted from M. Ruggieri) Hamilton equations of motion of *c*-quarks:

$$t_{\rm formation} \approx \frac{1}{2m_c} \approx 0.06 \; {\rm fm/c}$$



HQs can probe the very early evolution of the Glasma fields

$$\begin{split} \frac{dx_i}{dt} &= \frac{p_i}{E} & E = \sqrt{p^2 + m^2} & v \equiv \frac{p}{E} \quad (\text{Relativistic}) \text{ Velocity} \\ E \frac{dp_i}{dt} &= gQ_a F^a_{i\nu} p^{\nu}, & \frac{dp}{dt} = qE + q (v \times B) \quad \text{Lorentz force} \\ E \frac{dQ_a}{dt} &= -gQ_c \varepsilon^{cba} A_b \cdot p_{\text{Wong (1979)}} & D_{\mu} J^{\mu}_a = 0 & \text{Gauge-invariant conservation of the color} \\ J^{\mu}_a &= \bar{c} \gamma^{\mu} T_a c \end{split}$$

Equations of motion of heavy quarks are solved in the background given by the evolving Glasma fields

p-Pb @ 5.02 TeV Nuclear modification factor (R<sub>pPb</sub>) for p-Pb collisions







### Heavy quark dynamics in Expanding Glasma



#### Heavy quark suppression in pPb: Glasma vs Plasma



In Plasma: high momentum particle loose energy shifted to low momentum domain. In Glasma: low momentum particle get accelerated and shifted to high momentum domain

Liu , Das, Ruggieri, Plumari, Greco Under preparation

#### Impact of Glasma on a heavy quark observables at LHC (Glasma vs Plasma)



Glasma induce a diffusion of charm quarks in momentum space resulting in a tilt of their spectrum without a significant drag.

Sun, Coci, Das, Plumari, Ruggieri, Greco PLB, 798 (2019) 134933

#### Impact of Glasma on a heavy quark observables at LHC (Heavy quark dynamics in Glasma plus Plasma)



This indicates an initial pre-thermal stage is unlikely to be described in terms of a standard drag and diffusion dynamics, because even if one tune such coefficients to reproduce the same RAA(pT) this would imply a significantly smaller v<sub>2</sub>.

Sun, Coci, Das, Plumari, Ruggieri, Greco PLB, 798 (2019) 134933

Summary & Outlook .....

- > Heavy quarks are the novel probe to characterized QGP and to probe initial state.
- Our study indicates the temperature of the system produced at RHIC (T=340 MeV) and LHC (T=510 MeV) energies are much larger than the temperature needed to create the QGP.
- Several new experiments are coming up (FAIR, FCC) and we are looking for new observables which help us to understand several basic issues ...
  - \* Heavy quark diffusion coefficient in QGP and in Glasma.
  - Hadronization.
  - \* Einstein relation will be studied.
  - \* Heavy quark thermalization.
  - \* QGP in small system (p-Au)
  - \* To probe the effect of initial magnetic field.



# **Boltzmann vs Langevin (Charm)**



Hees, Greco, Rapp, PRC, 73, 034913 (2006)

Das, Scardina, Plumari and Greco PRC,90,044901(2014)

## R<sub>AA</sub> and v2 at RHIC at mD=gT



Das, Scardina, Plumari and Greco PRC,90,044901(2014)

At fixed RAA Boltzmann approach generate larger v2. (depending on mD and M/T)

### **<u>I)</u> LPM effect : Suppression of bremsstrahlung and pair production.**

Formation length  $\binom{l_f}{d_{\perp}} = \frac{\hbar}{q_{\perp}}$  : The distance over which interaction is spread out

- 1) It is the distance required for the final state particles to separate enough that they act as separate particles.
- 2) It is also the distance over which the amplitude from several interactions can add coherently to the total cross section.

### As $q_{\perp}$ increase $\rightarrow \ell_{\ell}$ reduce $\rightarrow$ Radiation drops proportional

S. Klein, Rev. Mod. Phys 71 (1999)1501

(II) Dead cone Effect : Suppression of radiation due to mass

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d^2 \sigma}{dz d\theta^2} \sim C_F \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \frac{1}{z} \frac{\theta^2}{\left(\theta^2 + 4\gamma\right)^2} \quad \text{where } z = 2 - x_1 - x_2 \text{ and } \gamma = \frac{m^2}{s}$$

Where  $x_1 = 2E_q / \sqrt{s}$  and  $x_2 = 2E_{\overline{q}} / \sqrt{s} \longrightarrow$  the energy fraction of the final state quark and anti-quark.

Radiation from heavy quarks suppress in the cone from  $\theta = 0$  (minima) to  $\theta = 2 \sqrt{\gamma}$  (maxima)

### Landscape of different phase of matter



Deconfined phases of QCD matter at two extreme conditions.

Life time of QGP  $\sim$  8-10 fm