



UNIVERSITÉ DE NANTES

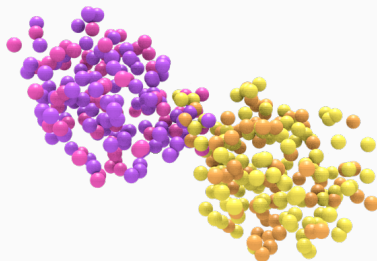


PHQMD: Effects of EOS : Flow , Clustering

Michael Winn

Supervisor : Prof. J. Aichelin

Subatech,
CNRS,
University of Nantes
JRJC 22/10/2021



PHQMD

PHQMD(Parton Hadron Quantum Molecular Dynamics)¹is a simulation code that is based on PHSD(Parton Hadron String Dynamics)²(quasi particle description of QGP of PHSD)but uses N-body dynamics for propagation of nucleons

Quantum Molecular Dynamics

Using n-body theory to track nucleon by nucleon the collisions, and calculate the two body interactions between all of the nucleons.

- IQMD³(Limited to lower energies 1.5 GeV/A)
- UrQMD⁴(Relativistic, used for coalescence, no potential)

¹J. Aichelin and, E. Bratkovskaya et al. *PR C101, 044905*

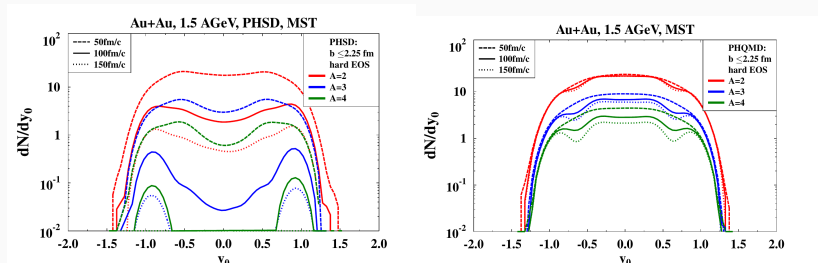
²W. Cassing and E. Bratkovskaya *PR C78,034919*

³C. Hartnack et al.*Eur.Phys.J.A1:151*

⁴S. A. Bass et al. *NP A41:225*

Why is it needed ?

Current models are not well adapted to address cluster formation, and current QMD models are not usable at relativistic energies



Ice in Fire / Hyper-nuclei production / Cluster production



$b = 2.00$

$b = 7.00$

Future experimental data

New energy range from 2 GeV/A - 100 GeV/A, will be used to investigate the first order phase transition from hadronic to QGP matter, and degrees of freedom of hadronic matter (strangeness) .

- FAIR
- NICA

Experimental results so far

- 0.6 [GeV/A] ALADIN ⁵
- 1.23 [GeV/A] HADES ⁶
- 1.5 [GeV/A] FOPI ⁷

⁷A. Schüttauf et al *NP A607,457*

⁸J. Adamczewski-Musch et al *NP A982*

⁹W. Reisdorf et al. *NP A876*

Brief PHQMD model overview

Generalised Ritz variational principle

$$\delta \int_{t_1}^{t_2} dt \langle \Psi(t) | i \frac{d}{dt} - H | \Psi(t) \rangle = 0 \quad (1)$$

Gaussian test wave function which yields the Wigner density:

$$f(\vec{r}_i, \vec{p}_i, \vec{r}_{i0}, \vec{p}_{i0}, t) = \frac{1}{\pi^3 \hbar^3} \exp \left[-\frac{2}{L} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_{i0})^2 \right] \exp \left[-2L (\vec{p}_i - \vec{p}_{i0})^2 \right] \quad (2)$$

Classical type equations of motion for expectation value of the Hamiltonian for Gaussian wavefunctions

$$\dot{r}_{i0} = \frac{\partial \langle H \rangle}{\partial p_{i0}} \quad \dot{p}_{i0} = -\frac{\partial \langle H \rangle}{\partial r_{i0}} \quad (3)$$

Brief PHQMD model overview

Hamiltonian composed of Kinetic term and Two body potentials

$$\langle H \rangle = \sum_i^N \langle H_i \rangle = \sum_i^N \left(\langle T_i \rangle + \sum_{i \neq j}^N \langle V_{i,j} \rangle \right) \quad (4)$$

Potentials (Coulomb , Asymmetry , Skyrme and Momentum dependent Skyrme)

$$\langle V \rangle = \langle V_c \rangle (\vec{r}) + \langle V_a \rangle (\vec{r}) \begin{cases} \langle V_s \rangle (\rho_{int}) \text{ Static} \\ \langle V_s \rangle (\rho_{int}) + \langle U_{opt} \rangle (\Delta \vec{p}^2) \text{ Momentum dependent} \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

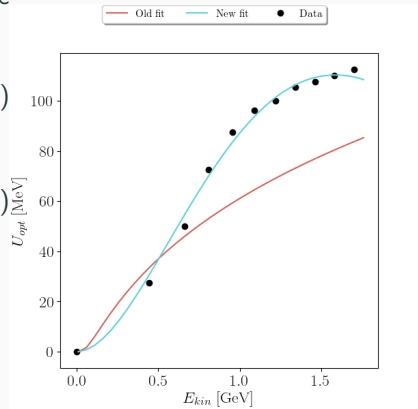
Interaction density

$$\rho_{int}(i, t) = C \sum_{j, j \neq i}^N \exp \left[-\frac{1}{L} (\vec{r}_i - \vec{r}_j)^2 \right] \quad (6)$$

Momentum dependent Skyrme
parametrisation

$$\langle V_{tot} \rangle = \langle V_s \rangle (\rho_{int}) + \langle U_{opt} \rangle (\Delta p^2) \quad (7)$$

$$U_{opt}(\Delta p^2) = \exp \left[-c \sqrt{\Delta p} \right] \left(a \Delta p + b \Delta p^2 \right) \rho(\vec{r}) \quad (8)$$



¹S. Hama, et al., Phys. Rev. C 41, 2737

Optical potential fit to experimental data⁸

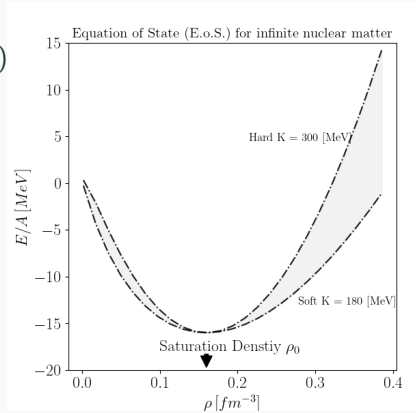
Static Skyrme parametrisation

$$\langle V_s \rangle (\rho_{int}) \propto \alpha \rho + \beta \rho^\gamma \quad (9)$$

Constraints for the potentials

$$\begin{cases} \rho_0 = 0.1695 [fm^{-3}] \\ E_0 = -16 [MeV] \\ K_0 = 200 \text{ or } 380 [MeV] \\ \text{(Soft/Hard)} \end{cases}$$

$$K_0 = 9 \frac{\partial^2 E/A}{\partial \rho^2} \Big|_{\rho=\rho_0}$$



Equations of state parametrised for soft and hard nuclear matter compressibility

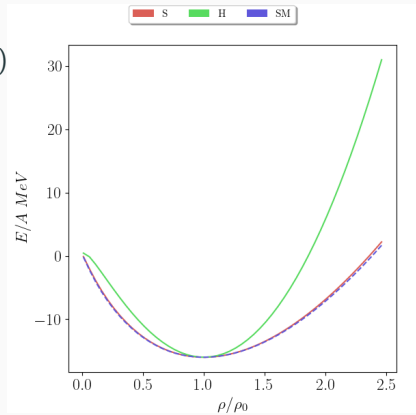
Static Skyrme parametrisation

$$\langle V_s \rangle (\rho_{int}) \propto \alpha \rho + \beta \rho^\gamma \quad (10)$$

Constraints for the potentials

$$\begin{cases} \rho_0 = 0.1695 [fm^{-3}] \\ E_0 = -16 [MeV] \\ K_0 = 200 \text{ or } 380 [MeV] \\ \text{(Soft/Hard)} \end{cases}$$

$$K_0 = 9 \frac{\partial^2 E/A}{\partial \rho^2} \Big|_{\rho=\rho_0}$$



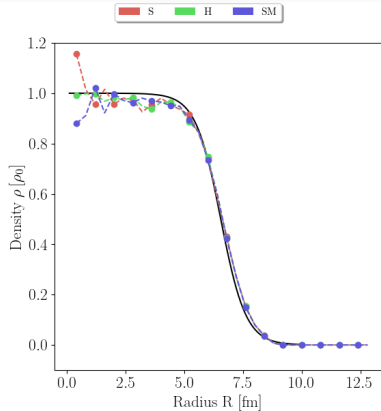
Equations of state parametrised for soft and hard nuclear matter compressibility

Nucleon distribution

Wood-Saxon distribution in position space of nucleons

$$\rho^{WS}(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp\left[\frac{r-R_A}{a}\right]} \quad (11)$$

$$\begin{cases} R_A = r_0 A^{1/3} \\ r_0 = 1.125[fm] \\ a = 0.535[fm] \end{cases}$$



Initial Wood-Saxon position
distribution for the three E.o.S.

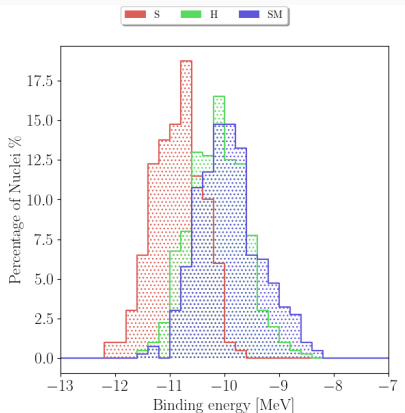
Binding energy

Total binding energy of our nucleus
($\langle B_E \rangle = -10[\text{MeV}]$)

$$B_E = E_{kin}(\vec{p}) + E_c(\vec{r}) + E_a(\vec{r})$$
$$\begin{cases} E_s(\vec{r}) \\ E_s(\vec{r}) + E_m(\vec{r}, \Delta p) \end{cases} \quad (12)$$

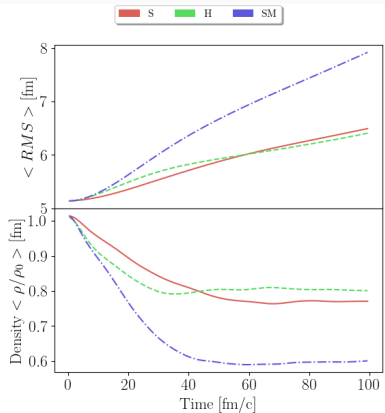
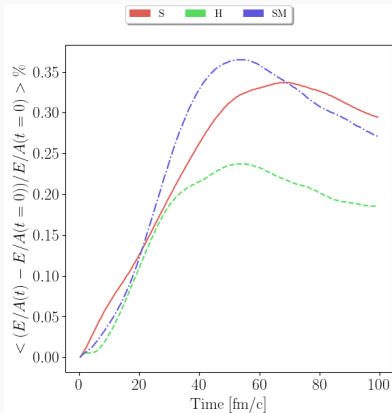
Constraint on momentum distribution

$$0 \leq \sqrt{m^2 + \vec{p}_i^2} - m \leq -V(\rho_{int}) \quad (13)$$



Initial binding energy of the nuclei

Propagation



Conservation of the total system energy
 Evolution of the average radial distance
 of the nucleons, and the average
 density of the nuclei

SACA⁹ and MST¹⁰

To form the cluster we use two methods

- MST : simple form of spanning tree to create clusters based on distance from other nucleons
- SACA : complex simulated annealing of all possible cluster patterns of the nucleons to find the lowest sum of binding energies of all clusters

All the following results are for the SACA method

¹⁰R. K. Puri, C. Hartnack and J. Aichelin *PR C54, R28*

¹¹ J. Aichelin, *Phys. Rept* 202, 233



Soft E.o.S.



Hard E.o.S.



Soft M E.o.S.

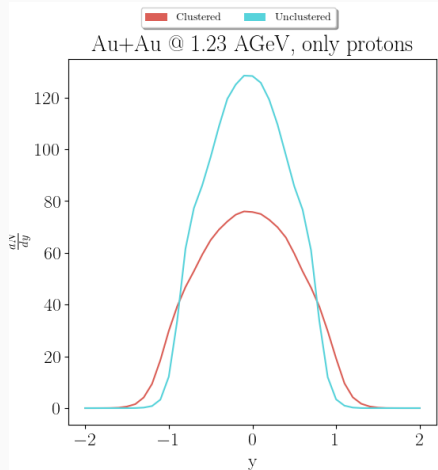
Cluster formation

SACA¹¹ and MST¹²

To form the cluster we use two methods

- MST :
- SACA :

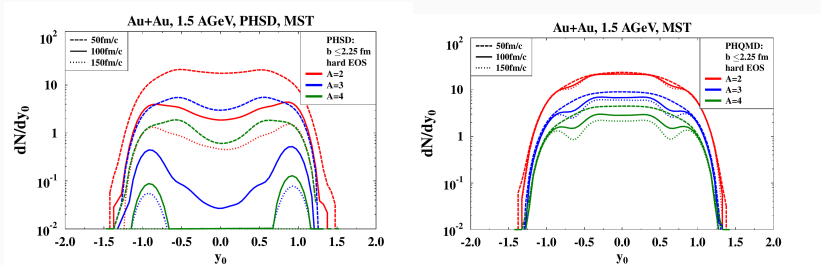
Clustering is important at these energies up to 40 % of protons are in clusters



¹⁰R. K. Puri, C. Hartnack and J. Aichelin *PR C*54, R28

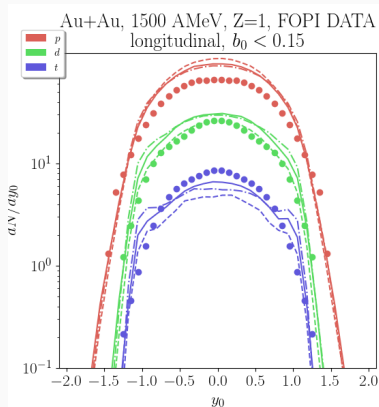
¹¹ J. Aichelin, Phys. Rept 202, 233

Extraction time

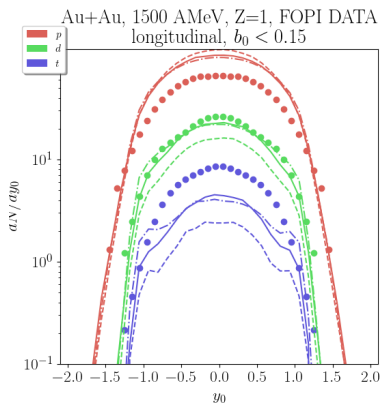


Multiple extraction time possible
Cluster stability and rapidity dependence

FOPI results for AuAu E = 1.5 [GeV/A] Multiplicity



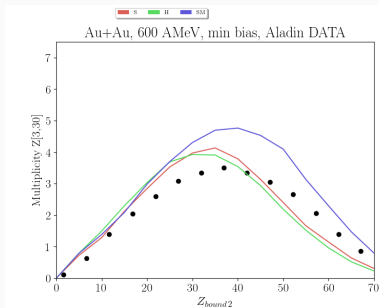
MST identified clusters



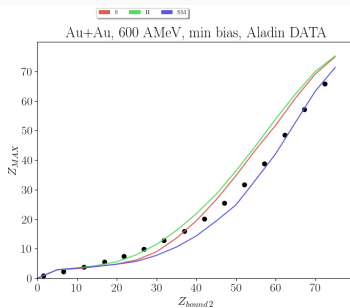
SACA identified clusters

Aladin results for AuAu $E = 0.6$ [GeV/A]

Z_{bound2} the sum of the charges all fragments with $Z \geq 2$, and Z_{MAX} the charge of the largest cluster

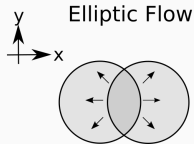
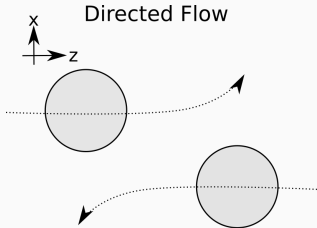


Rise and Fall curve for all three equations of state



Zmax curve for all three equations of state

Directed and Elliptic Flow

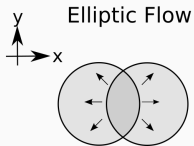


$$E \frac{d^3 N}{d^3 p} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d^2 N}{p_T dp_T dy} \left(1 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n \cos[n(\varphi - \Psi_{RP})] \right) \quad (14)$$

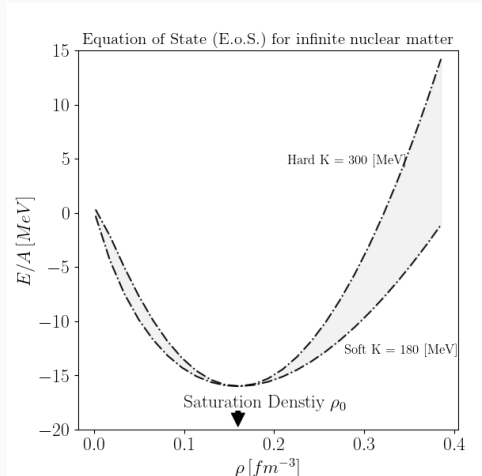
A Fourier expansions allows us to obtain the coefficients:

- Directed Flow $v_1 = \left\langle \frac{p_x}{p_T} \right\rangle$
- Elliptic Flow $v_2 = \left\langle \left(\frac{p_x}{p_T} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{p_y}{p_T} \right)^2 \right\rangle$

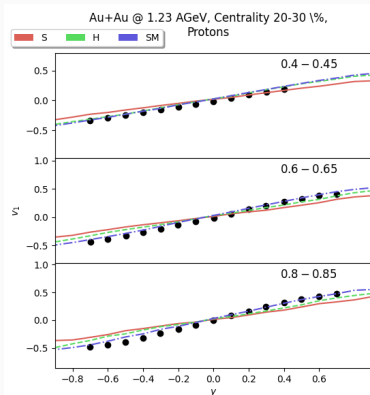
Directed and Elliptic Flow



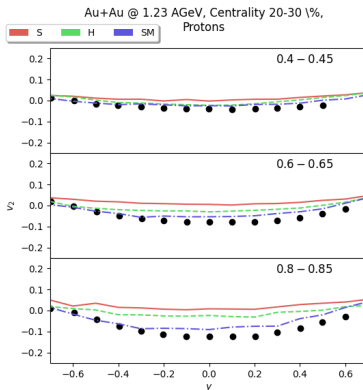
Thus
More sensitive to the
variation in density thus
E.o.S. choice



HADES results for AuAu $E = 1.23$ [GeV/A] Flow

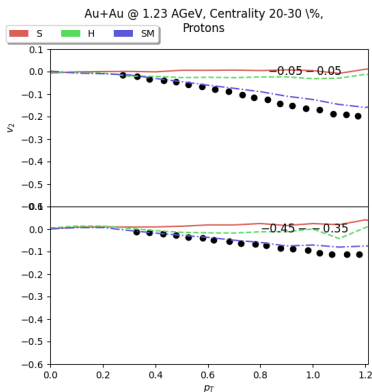
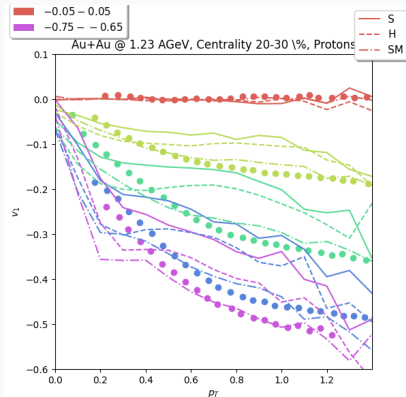


Directed proton flow (v_1) as a function of rapidity for three p_T classes compared with the HADES data



Elliptical proton flow (v_2) as a function of rapidity for three p_T classes compared with the HADES data

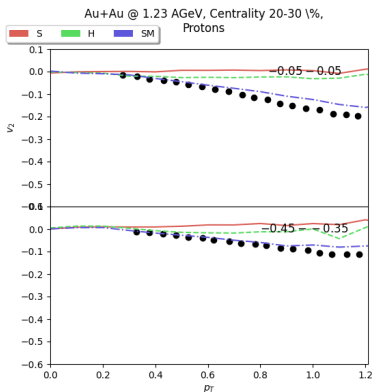
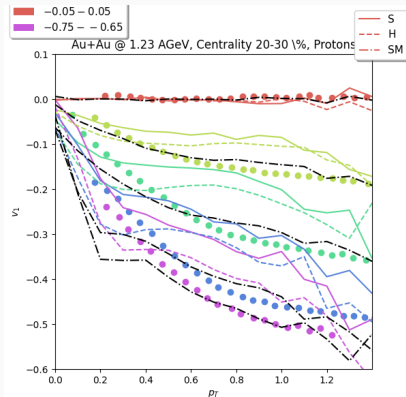
HADES results for AuAu E = 1.23 [GeV/A] Flow



Directed proton flow (v_1) as a function of p_T for various rapidity classes compared with the HADES data

Elliptical deuteron flow (v_2) as a function of rapidity for two p_T classes compared with the HADES data

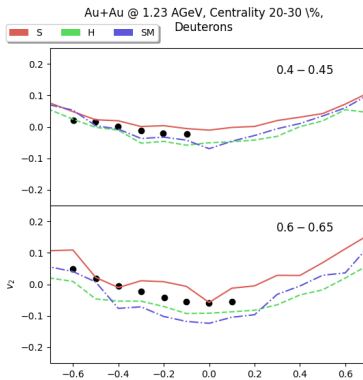
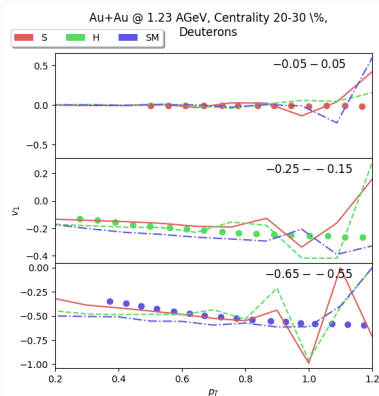
HADES results for AuAu $E = 1.23$ [GeV/A] Flow



Directed proton flow (v_1) as a function of p_T for various rapidity classes compared with the HADES data

Elliptical deuteron flow (v_2) as a function of rapidity for two p_T classes compared with the HADES data

HADES results for AuAu $E = 1.23$ [GeV/A] Flow



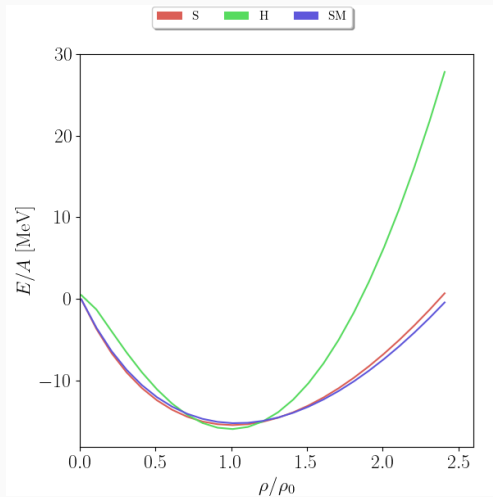
Directed deuteron flow (v_1) as a function of p_T for three various rapidity classes compared with the HADES data

Elliptical deuteron flow (v_2) as a function of rapidity for two p_T classes compared with the HADES data

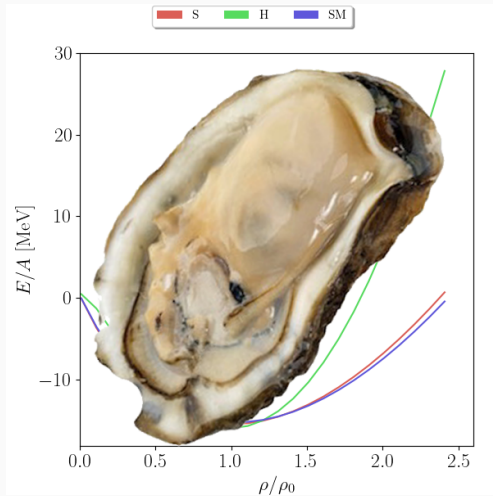
- PHQMD allows use to study cluster formation in a unique and novel way
- It permits us to study the effect of nuclear EOS on a host of observables
- In most cases for the FOPI data the SM EOS give better agreement with the data In some cases the HADES data is better replicated for the SM EOS

Thank you

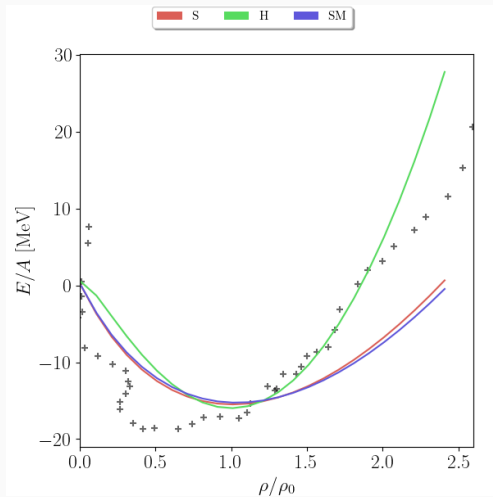
Oysters ?



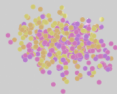
Oysters ?



Oysters ?



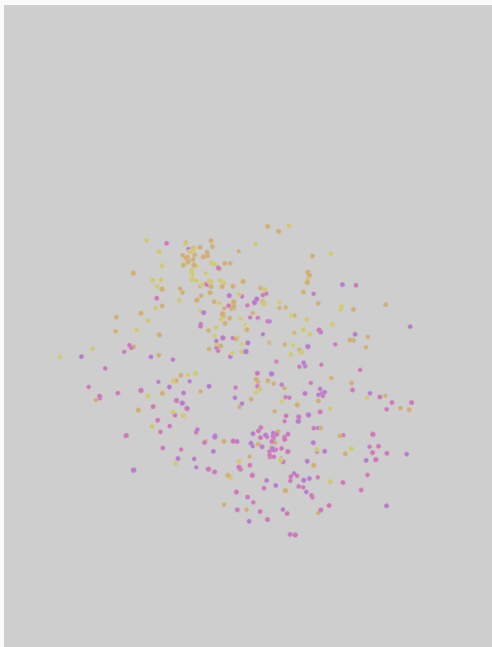
Oysters ?



Oysters ?



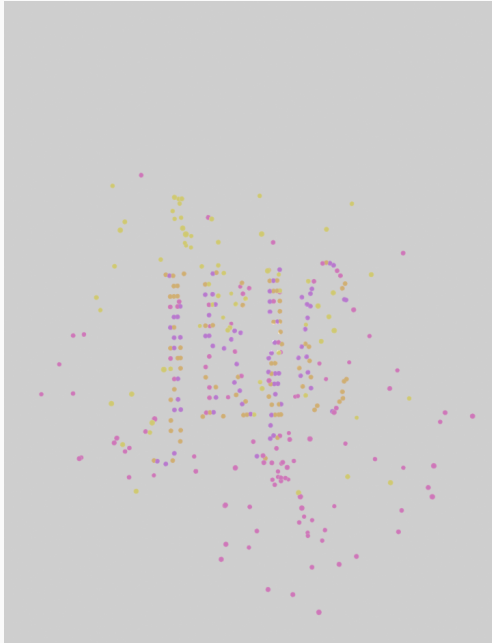
Oysters ?



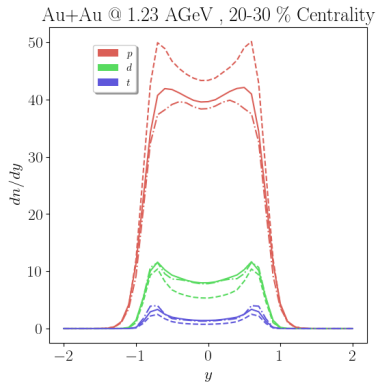
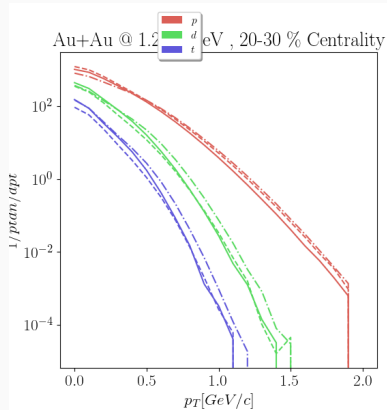
Oysters ?



Oysters ?



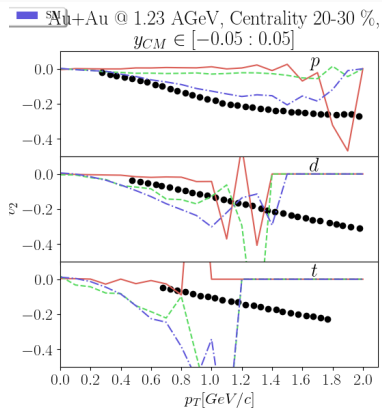
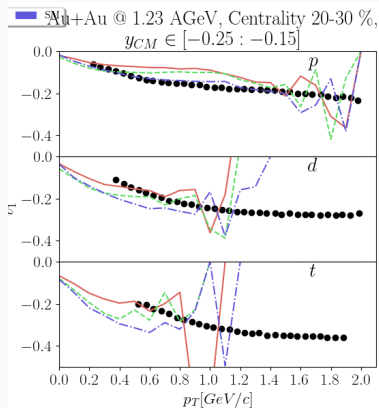
AuAu E = 1.23 [GeV/A] Multiplicity



Multiplicity of Z=1 isotopes function of rapidity for Au+AU @ 1.23 AGeV

Multiplicity of Z=1 isotopes function of p_T for Au+AU @ 1.23 AGeV

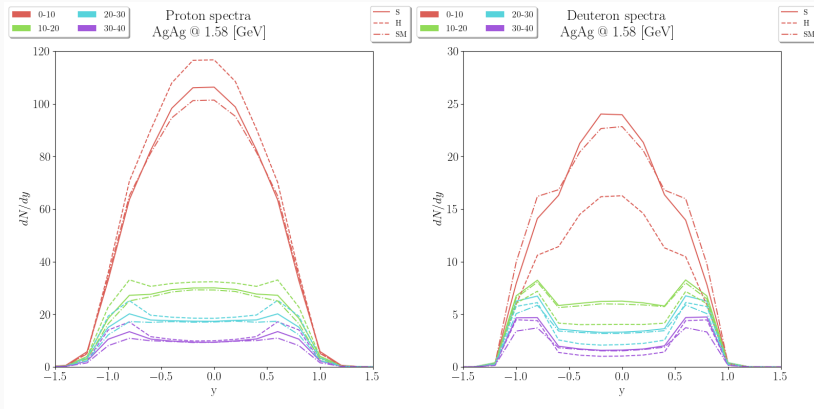
AuAu E = 1.23 [GeV/A] Flow



Directed isotope flow of Z=1 isotopes function of p_T for Au+AU @ 1.23 AGeV

Elliptical Z=1 isotopes flow function of p_T for Au+AU @ 1.23 AGeV

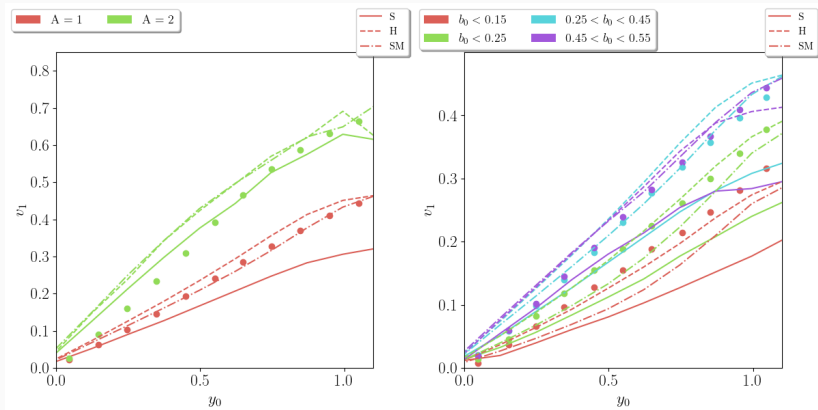
HADES results for AgAg $E = 1.58$ [GeV/A] Flow



Proton multiplicity Ag Ag @ 1.58 AGeV
 function rapidity

Deuteron multiplicity Ag Ag @ 1.58 AGeV
 function rapidity

FOPI results for AuAu $E = 1.5$ [GeV/A] Flow



Directed flow for proton (v_1) and deuteron with a threshold on transverse impact parameter classes for all protons momentum

Directed proton flow (v_1) for 4 different b_0 classes with a threshold on transverse momentum