

Mode-by-mode hydrodynamics for the quark-gluon plasma:

Moving towards precision in heavy-ion
phenomenology

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Overview

- Current state of heavy-ion collisions
- Mode-by-mode hydrodynamics – FluiduM
- Application: Isobar collisions
- Conclusion

Current state of heavy ions

- Effective description of HIC: relativistic fluid

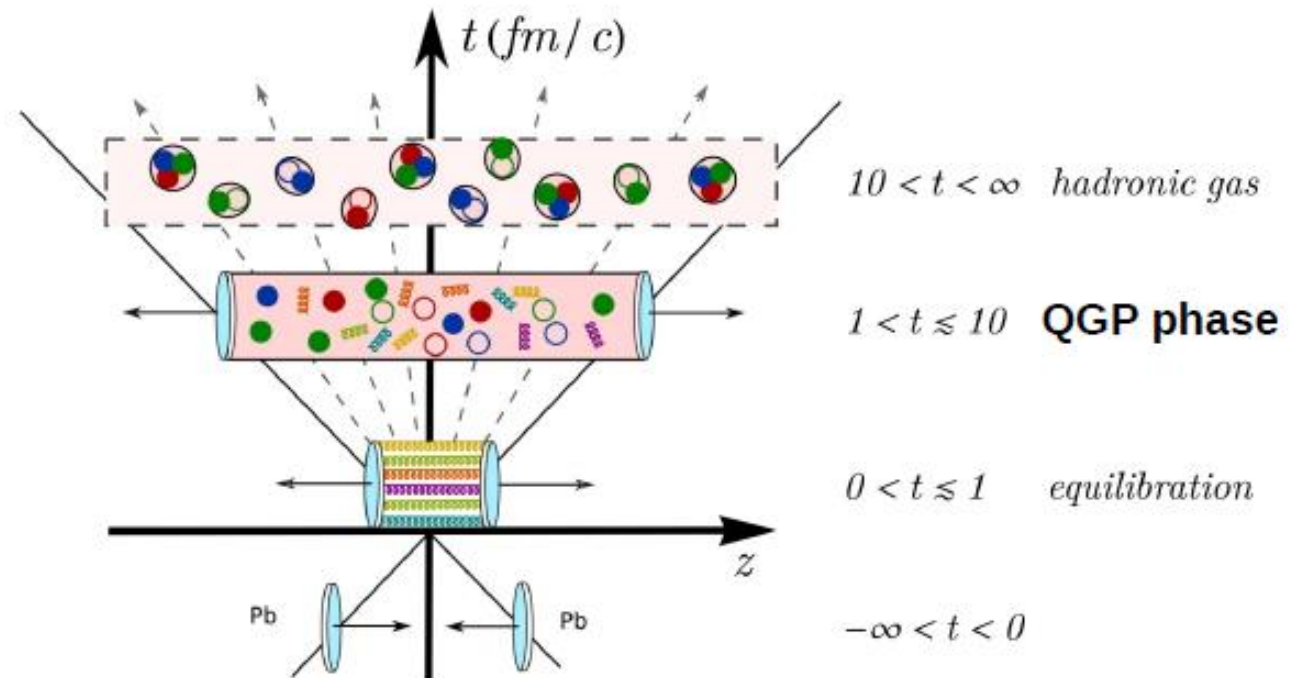
$$T^{\mu\nu} = (\epsilon + P)u^\mu u^\nu - P g^{\mu\nu} + \text{viscous corrections } (\eta/s, \zeta/s, \dots) \quad + \quad \partial_\mu T^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

- Main goals: understanding the initial conditions and transport properties

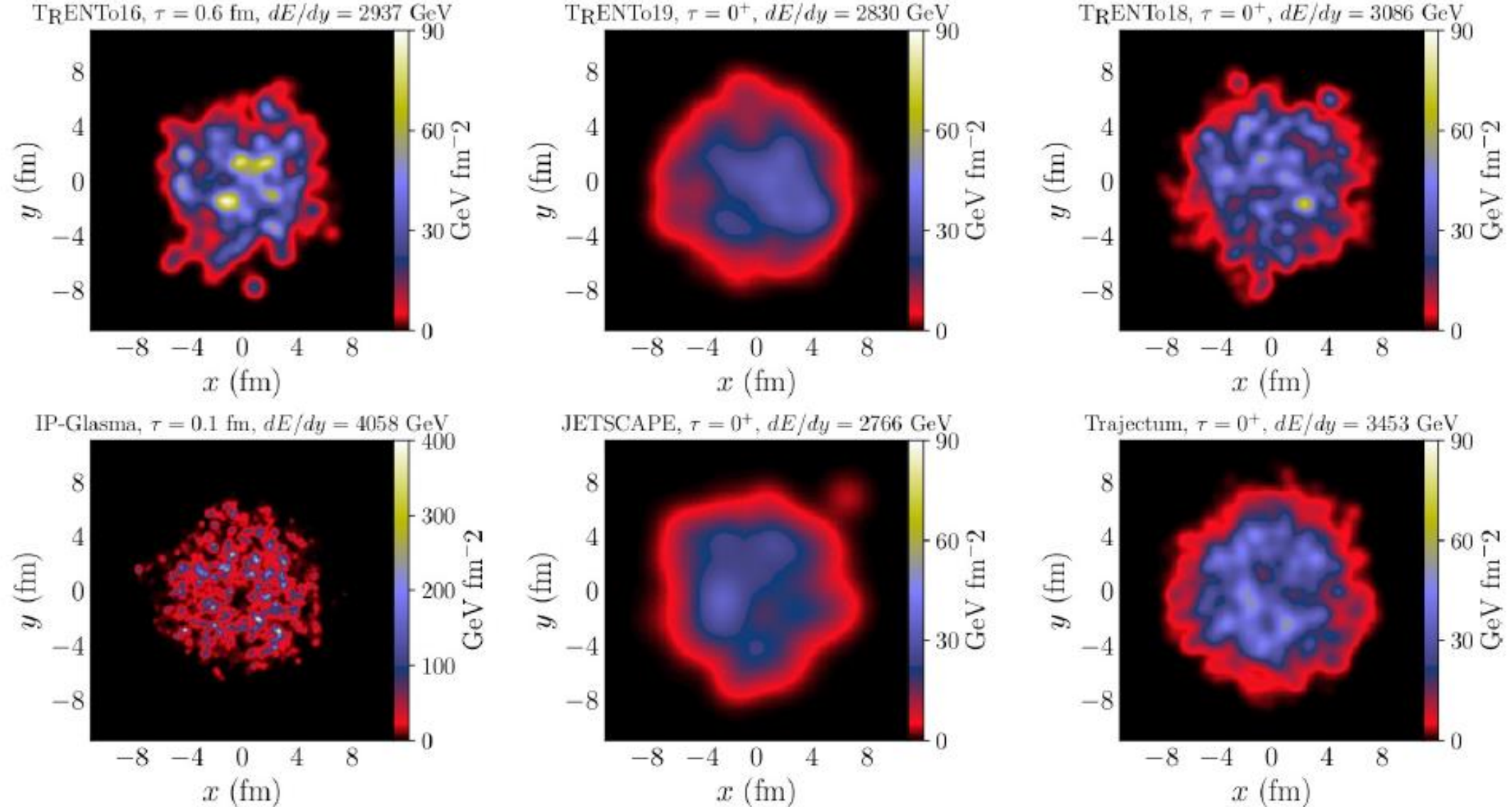
BUT

Only thing available are
particle spectra

-> Reconstruct information
from observables



Current state: initial conditions

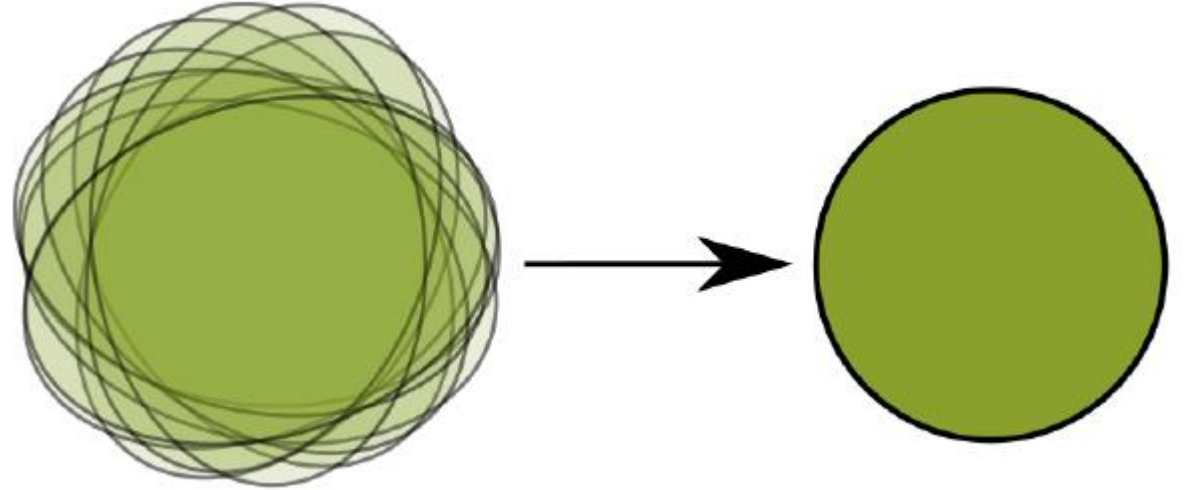


-> Test different models by comparing with data -> Framework for comparison needed

Mode-by-mode hydrodynamics

- Idea: Describe event ensemble instead of single event
 - > Statistical symmetry
 - > BG-fluctuation splitting

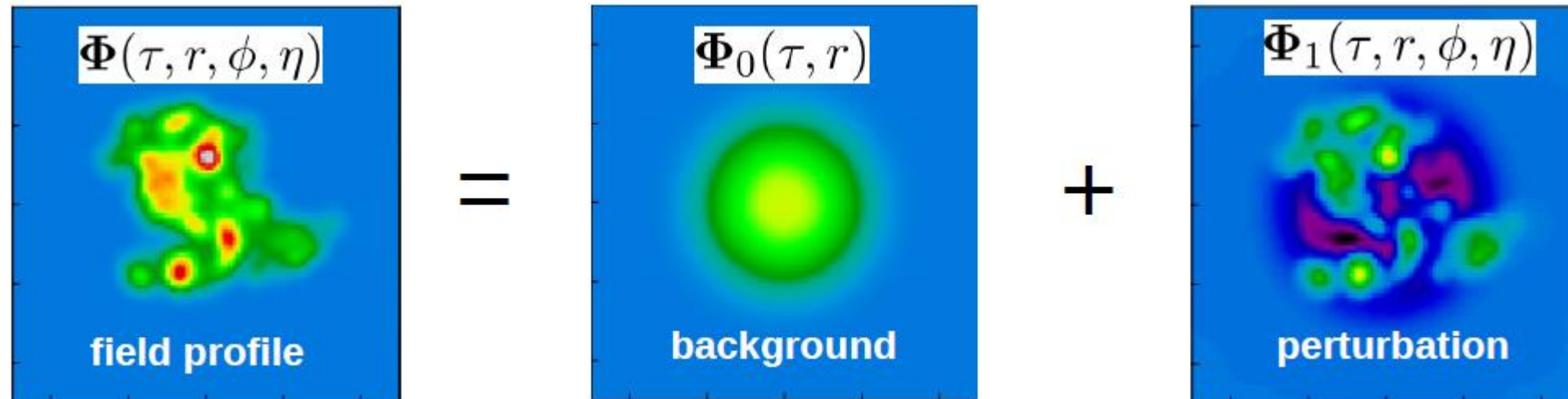
$$\Phi(\tau, r, \varphi, \eta) = \Phi_0(\tau, r) + \epsilon \Phi_1(\tau, r, \varphi, \eta)$$



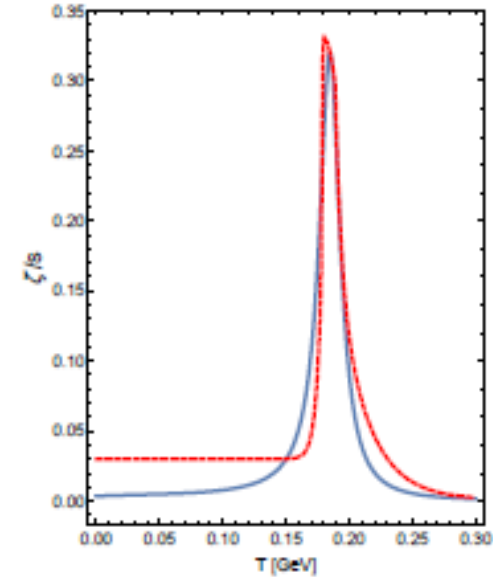
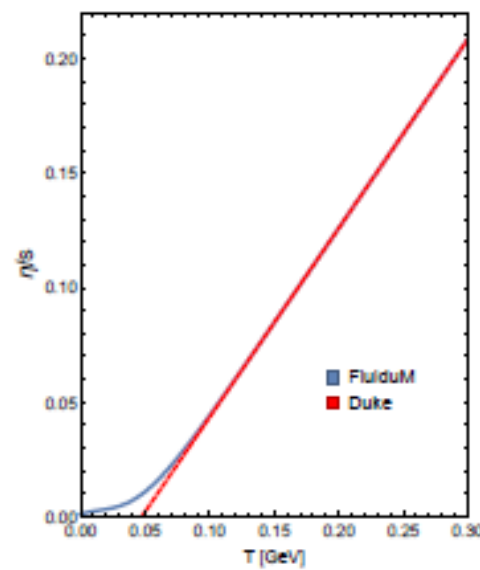
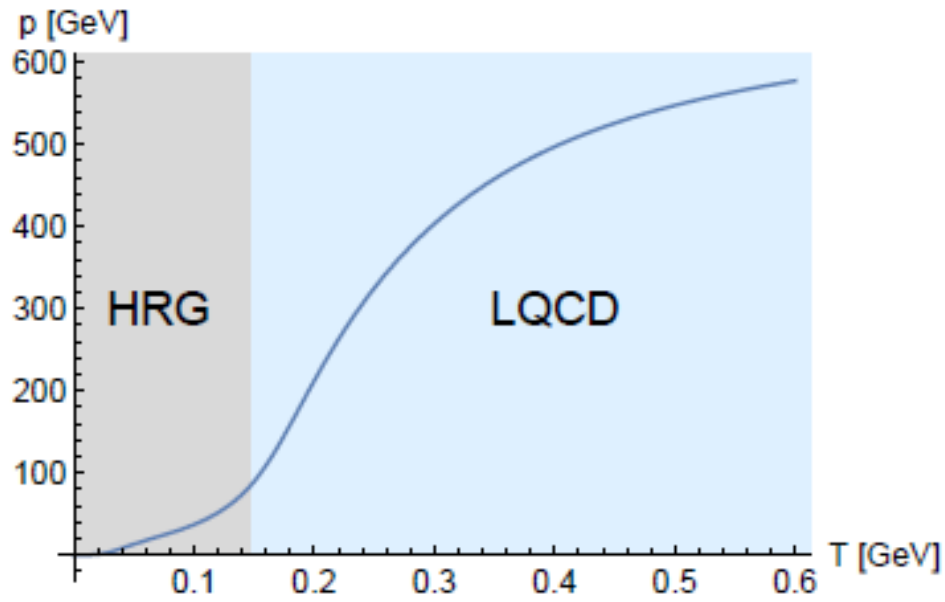
- BG has Bjorken boost invariance + statistical symmetry -> 1+1D EoM
- 1+1D linearised EoM for perturbations coupled with BG
- BG gives averaged quantities (yields, $\langle p_T \rangle$), while fluctuations encoded in perturbations

Implementation: FLuiduM

- FluiduM is Mathematica code package to solve 1+1D hydro equations
- EoM: Energy-momentum conservation + 2nd order Israel-Stewart
- Evolution does not violate causality
- Validated against Gubser-Flow
- Particlization+Resonance decays: Cooper-Frye+FastReso



Validation: Setup



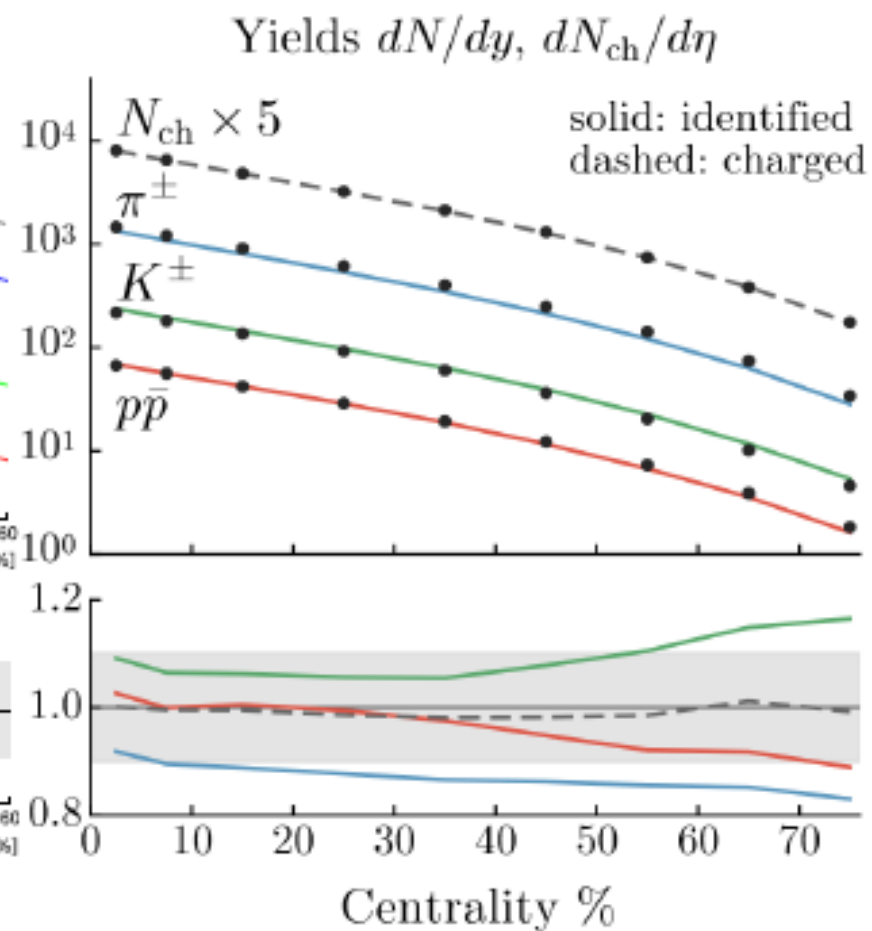
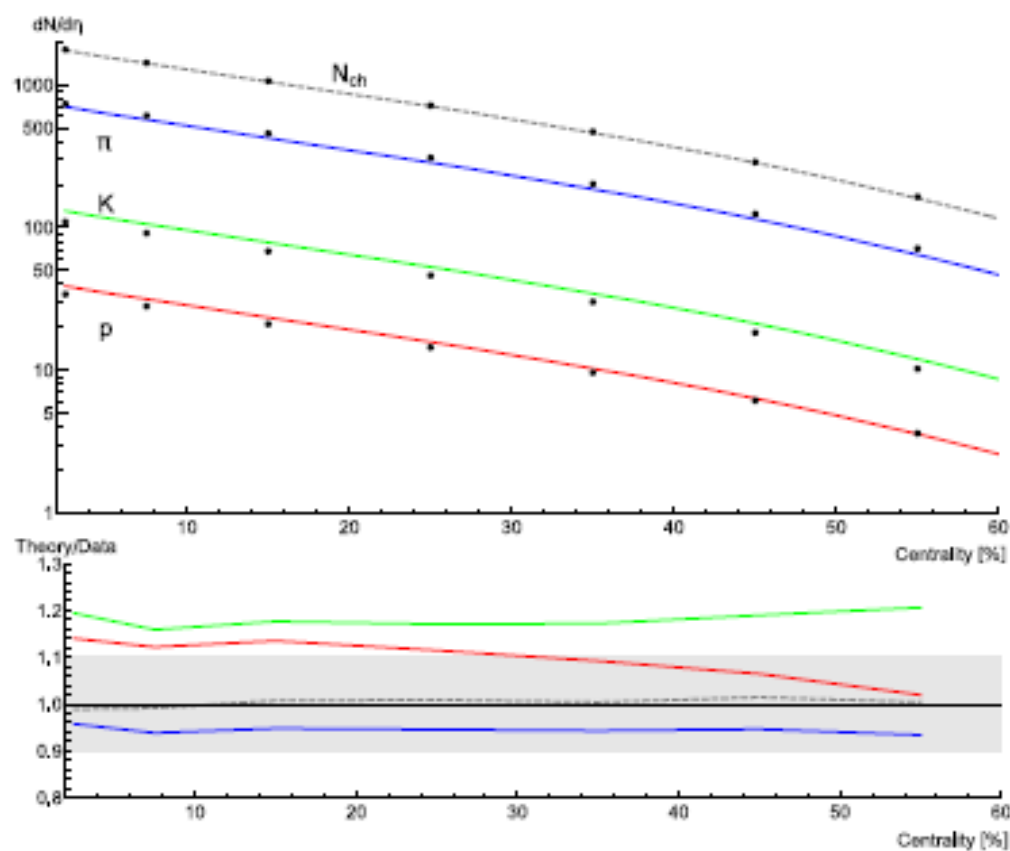
- EoS: HRG ($T < T_c = 154$ MeV) and LQCD ($T > T_c$)
- Viscosities $\frac{\eta}{s}(T)$ and $\frac{\zeta}{s}(T)$
- $T_{fo} = 148$ MeV

- δf_{shear} , but no δf_{bulk}
- Setup nearly identical to model of first bayesian analysis of Duke group (arxiv:1605.03954)

Validation: Results

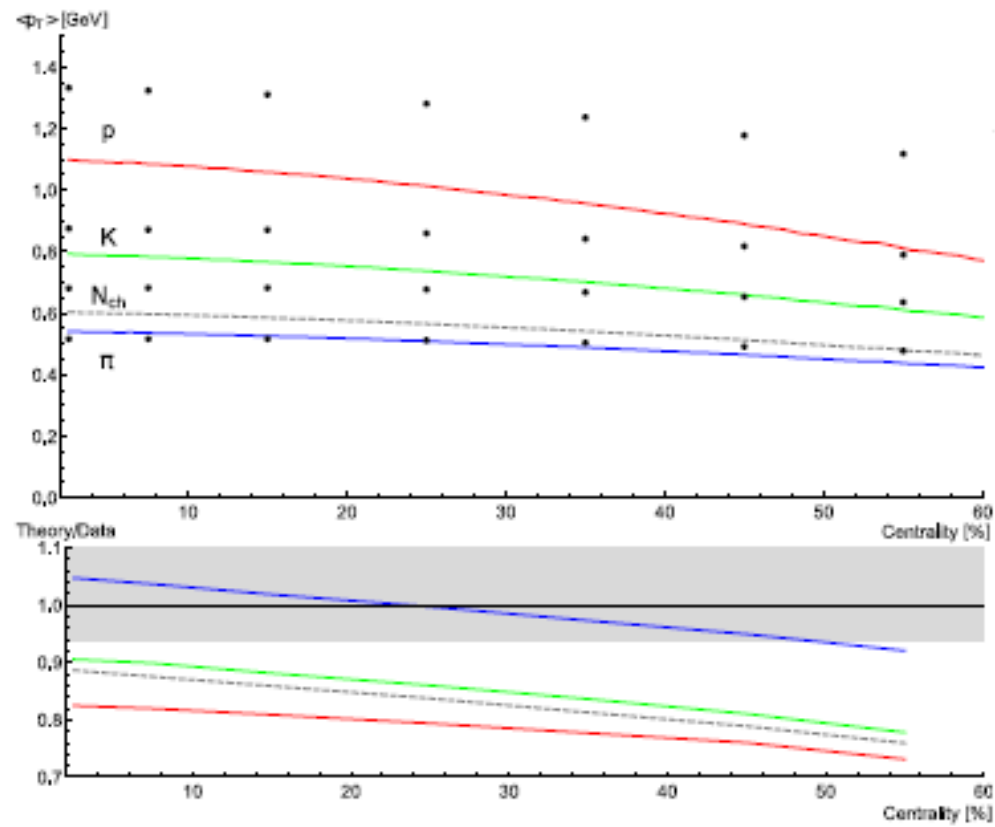
FluiduM

Duke

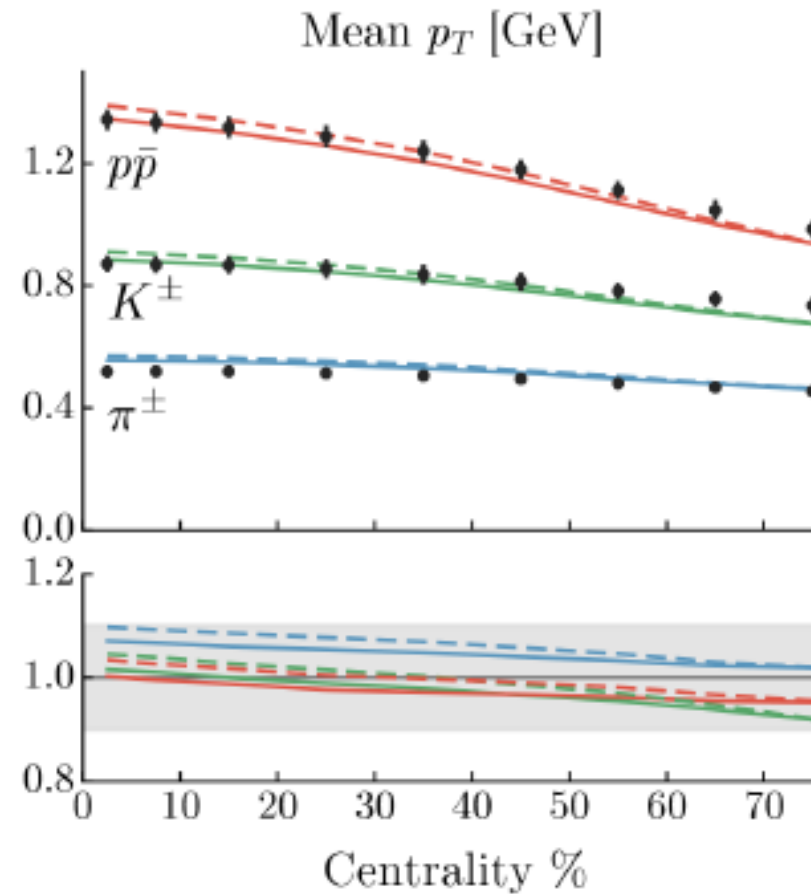


Validation: Results

FluiduM

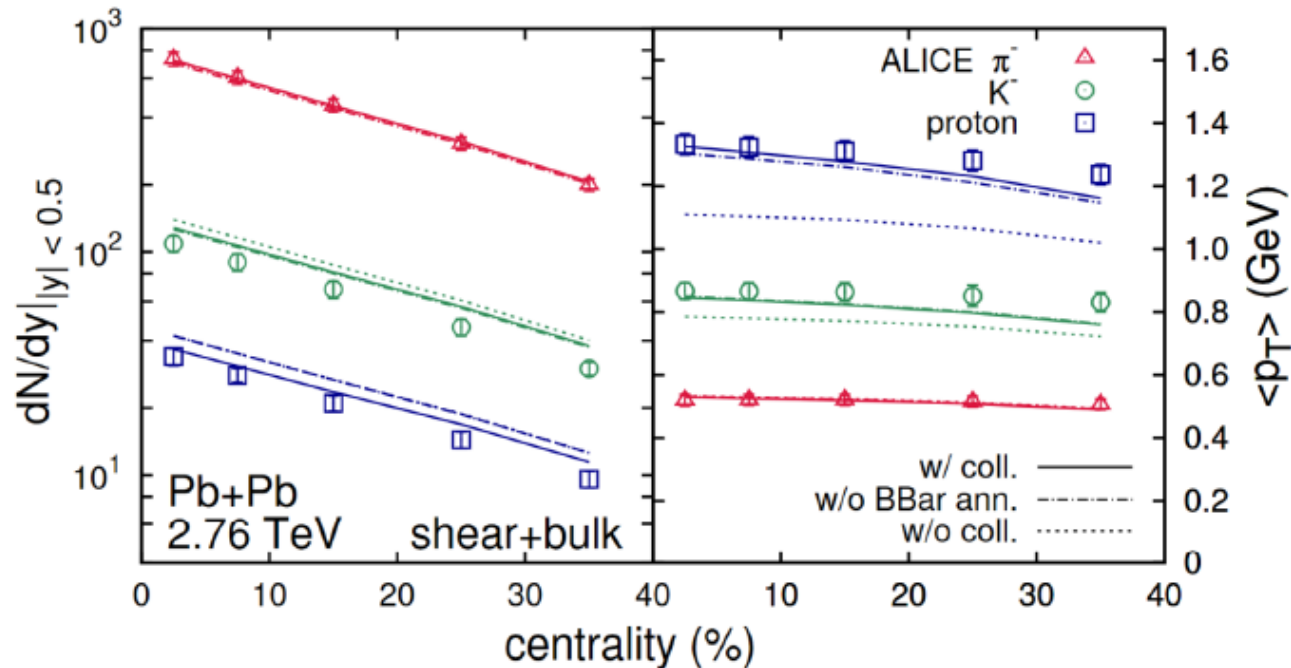


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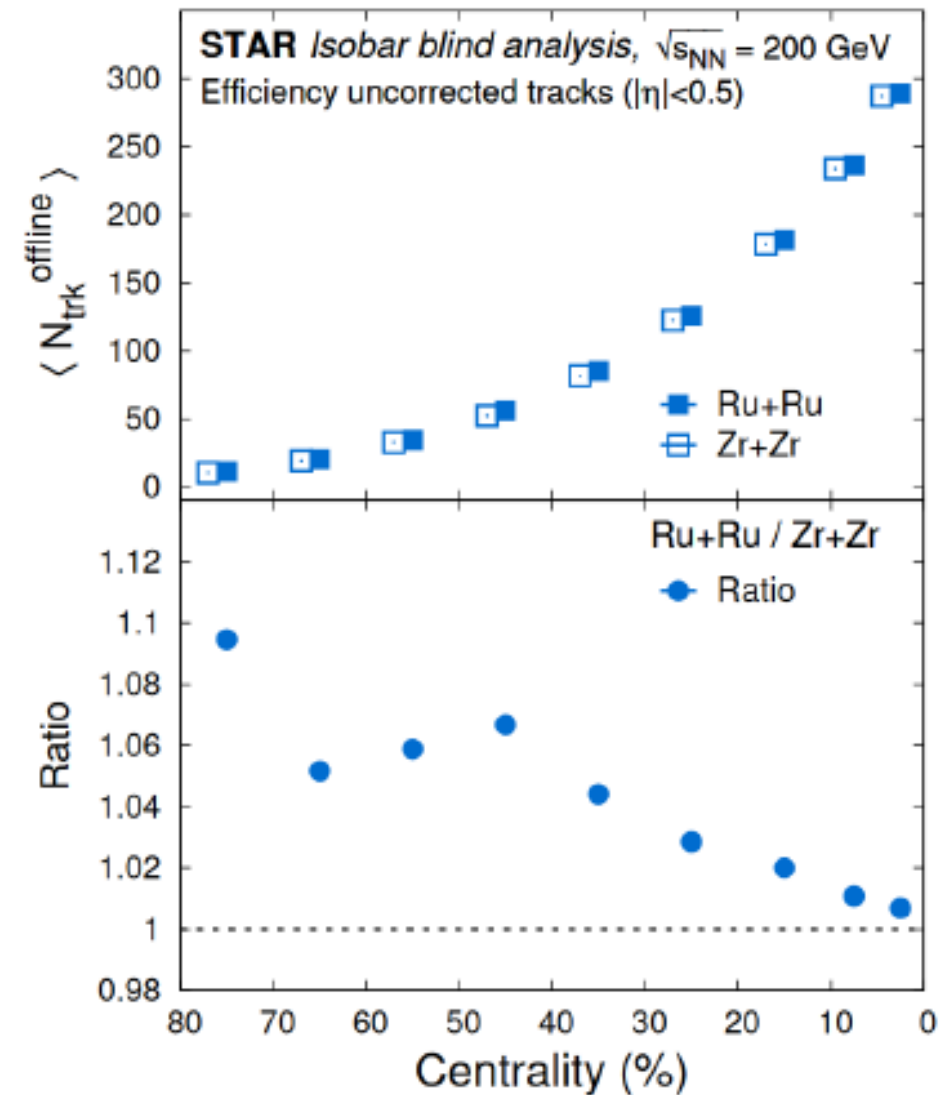
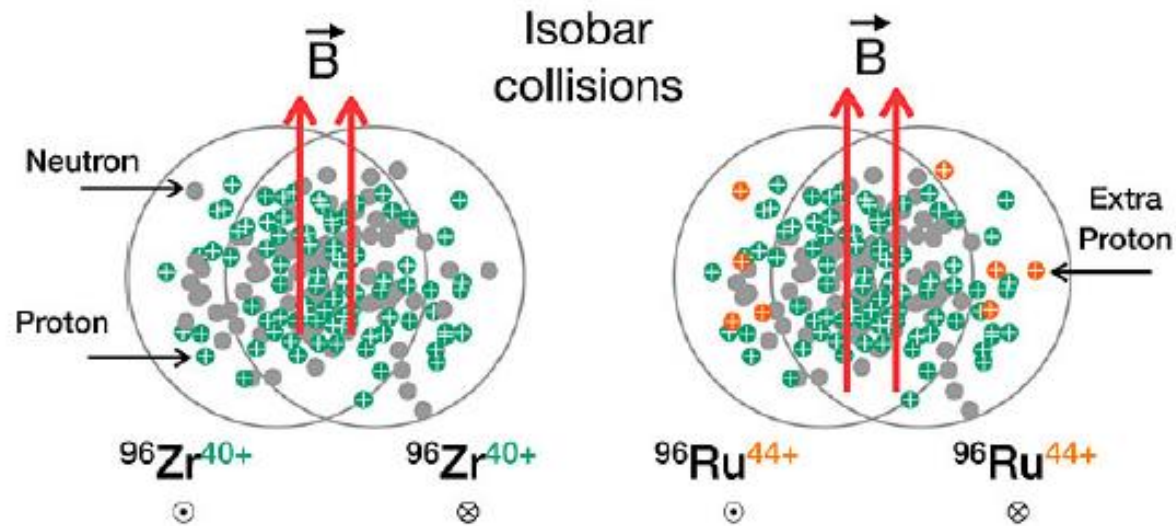


Validation: Interpretation

- Same tendencies for spectra as results from Duke group, but to many kaons and protons
- $\langle p_T \rangle$ too small for heavier particles (kaons, protons)
- Both discrepancies ascribable to the UrQMD afterburner implemented in the Duke analysis (absent in FluiduM)



Isobar collision@RHIC



Isobar Zr+Zr and Ru+Ru collisions @200GeV

- Original goal: find signatures of electromagnetic field (e.g Chiral magnetic effect)
- High precision data (4B collisions for each system)
- Signatures of EM-field investigated in ratios of observables (departures from unity)

Expectation: same multiplicity

Origin of differences: nuclear structure

Main diff.: number of protons/neutrons

→ bigger neutron skin in Zr

→ different nuclear geometry

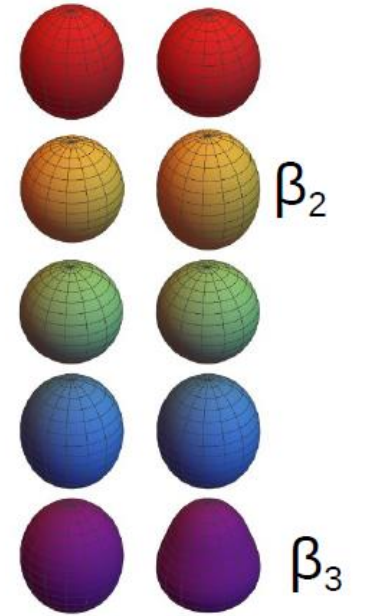
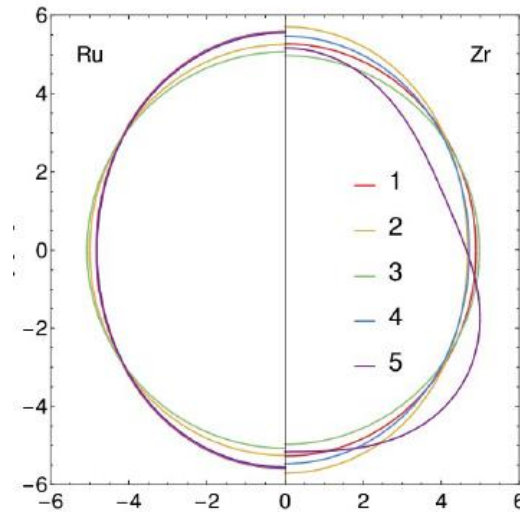
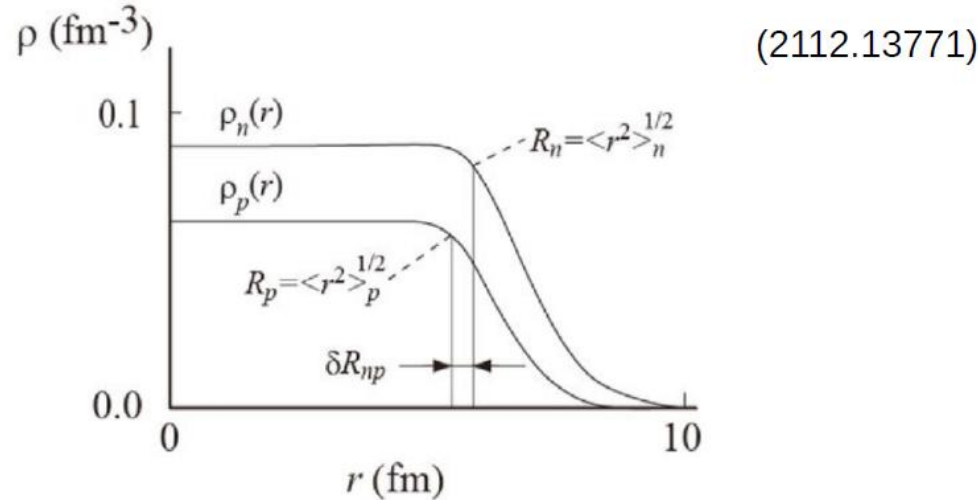
Woods-Saxon parametrization:

$$\rho(r, \theta, \phi) \propto \frac{1}{1 + e^{[r - R_0(1 + \beta_2 Y_2^0(\theta, \phi) + \beta_3 Y_3^0(\theta, \phi))]/a_0}}$$

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Half-width radius Nuclear deformations Diffusivity

Diffusivity related to neutron skin thickness



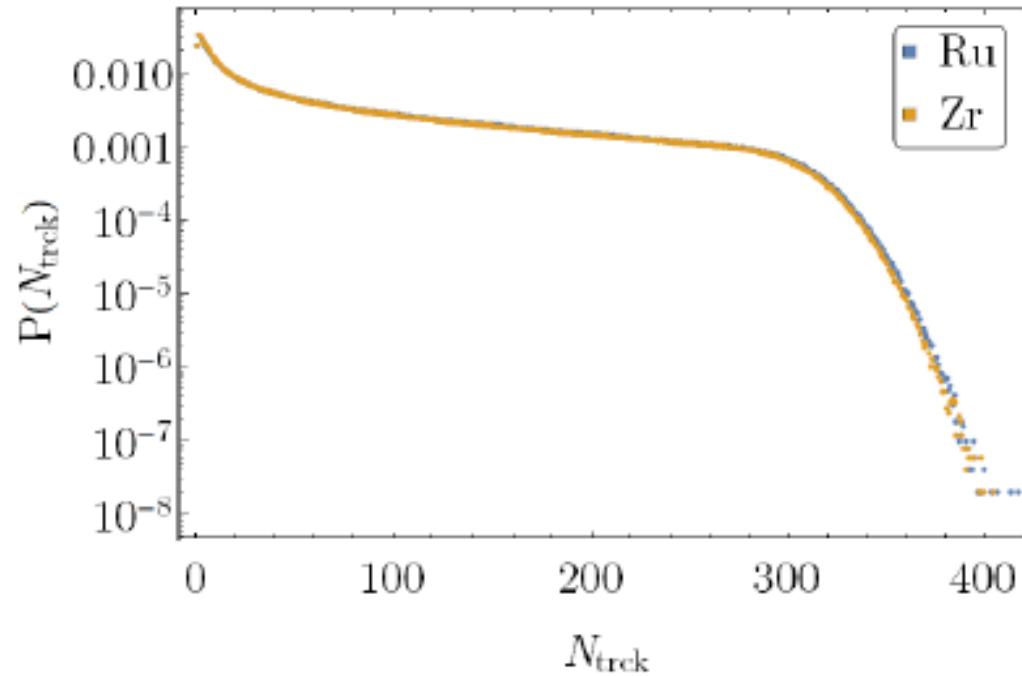
Multiplicity ratio dominated by neutron skin (2111.14812, 2111.15559, 2112.13771, 1808.06711, 2103.05595)

But only transport/initial state/limited hydro calculations

→ **FluiduM**

Application: Setup

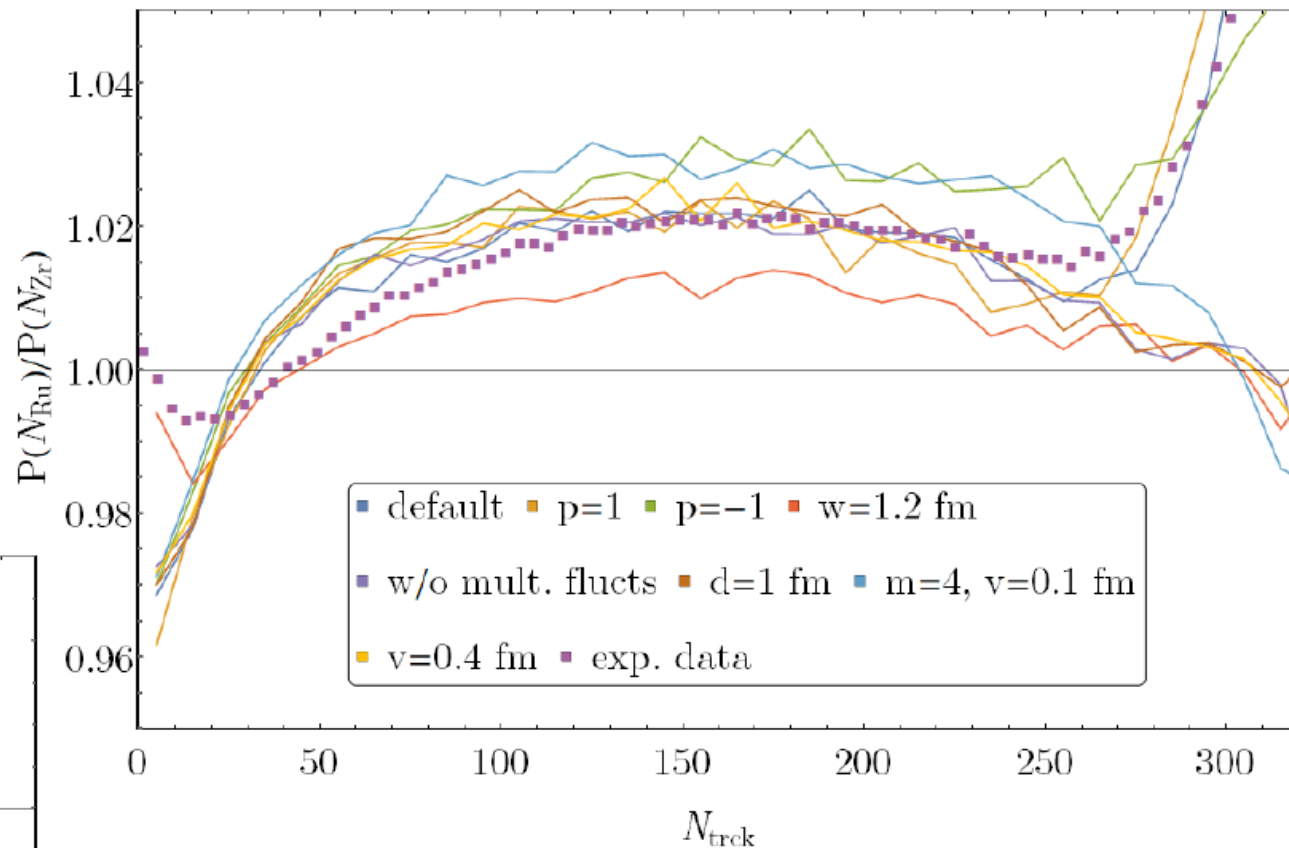
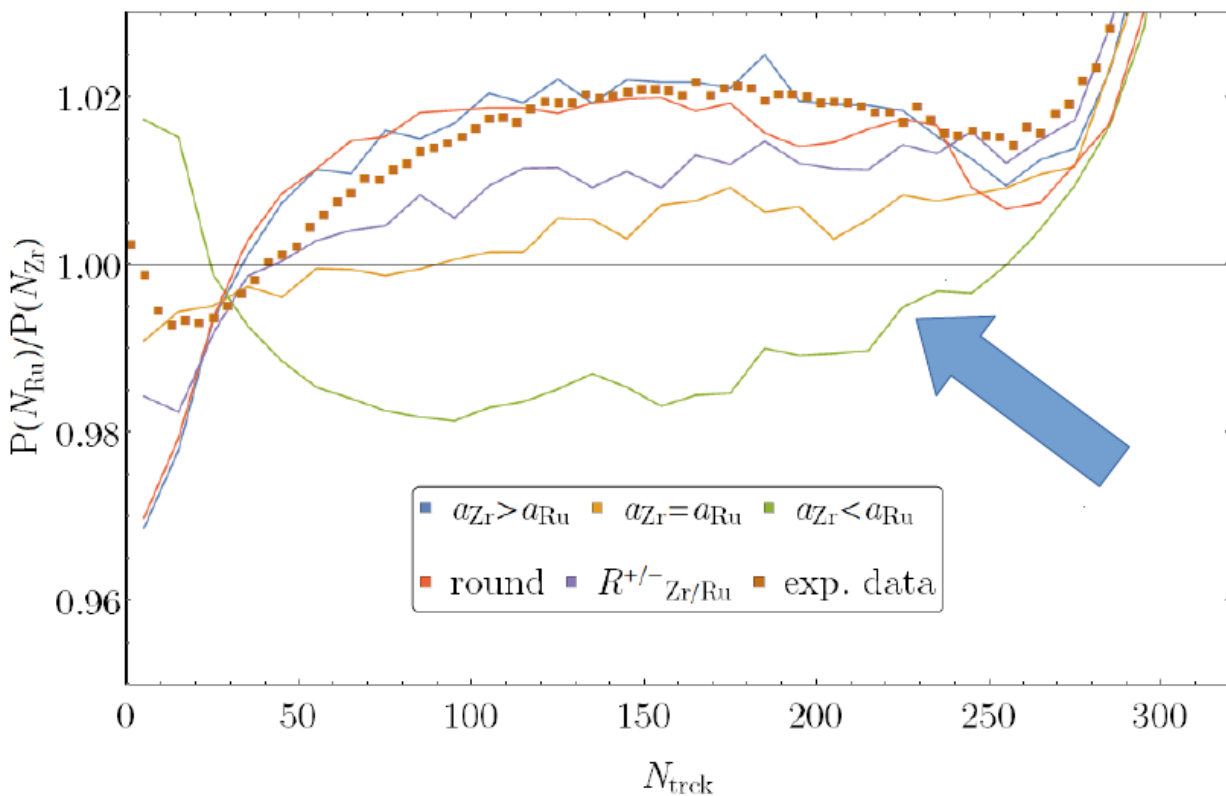
- Run TrenTo for initial state
- Define 0.5% centrality bins using 50M minimum bias events
- Run 400k events in select bins (\rightarrow effectively 80M events)
- Scan large range of nuclear (R, a, β_2, β_3), collision ($k \rightarrow$ multiplicity fluctuation, $p \rightarrow$ energy deposition, $w \rightarrow$ nucleon size, $d \rightarrow$ nucleon repulsive core, $m \rightarrow$ number of partons, $v \rightarrow$ parton size) and QGP ($\eta/s, \zeta/s, T_{fo}, \tau_0$) parameters



Histogram multiplicity through linear rescaling of TrenTo entropy

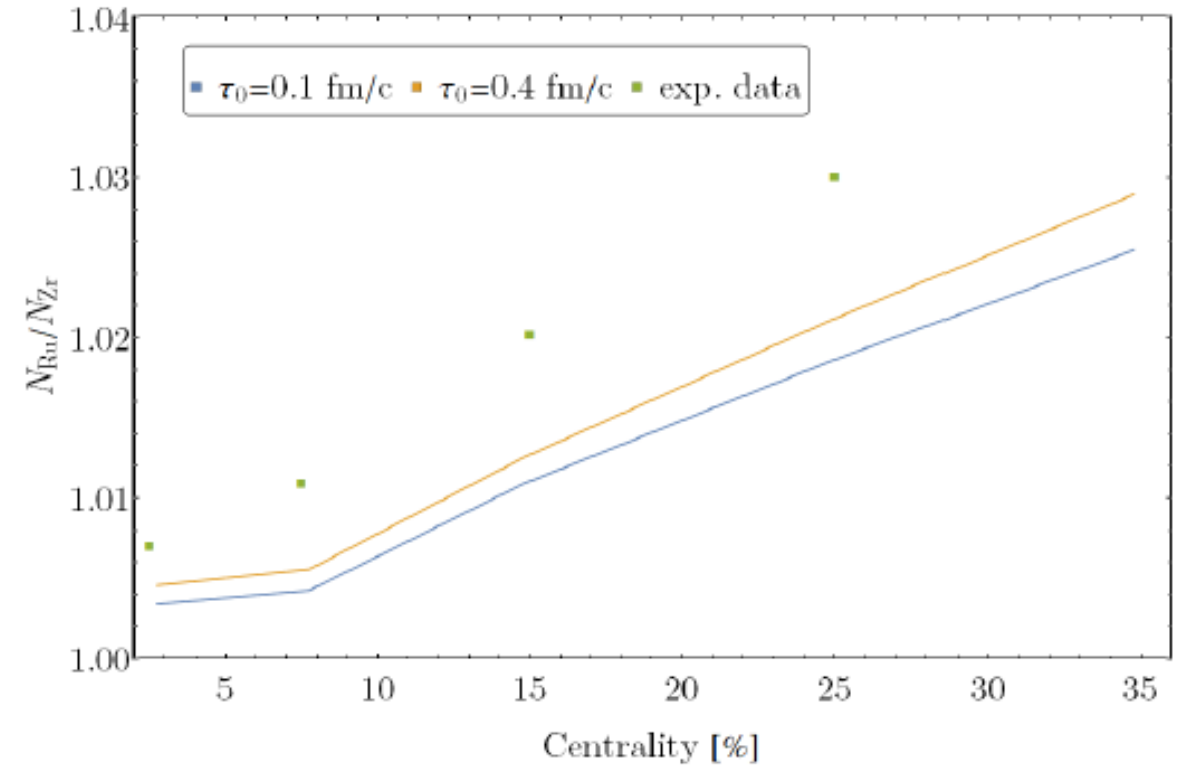
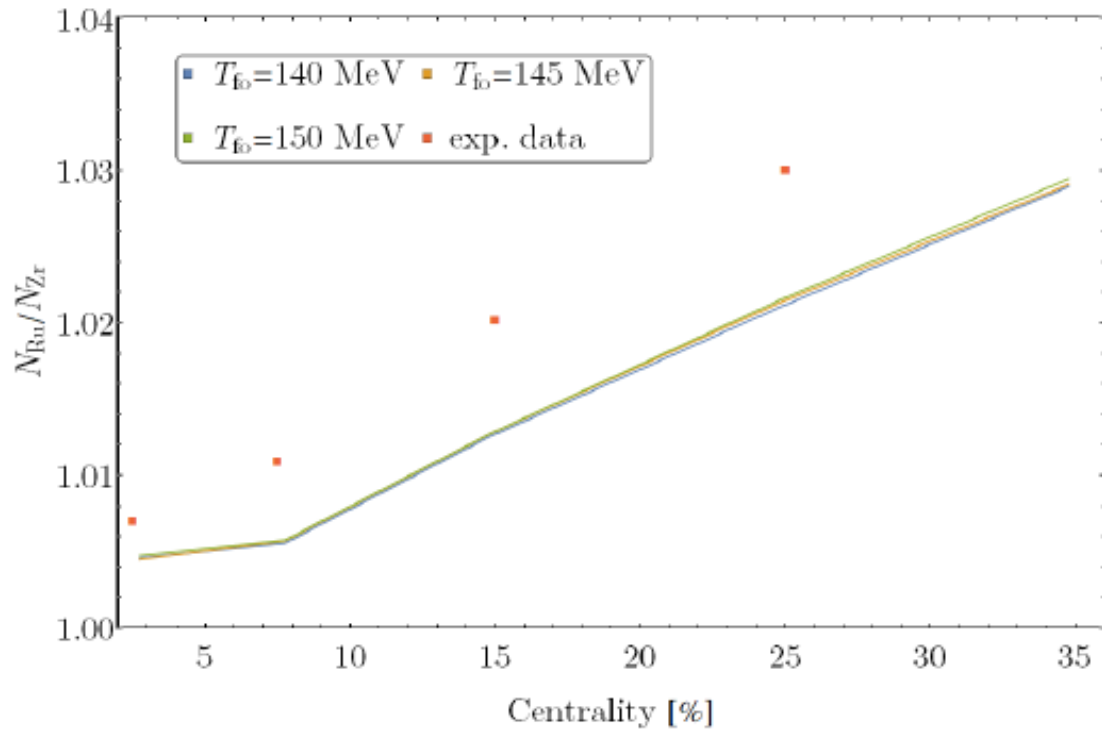
Initial state results

Histogram multiplicity ratio dominated by diffusivity



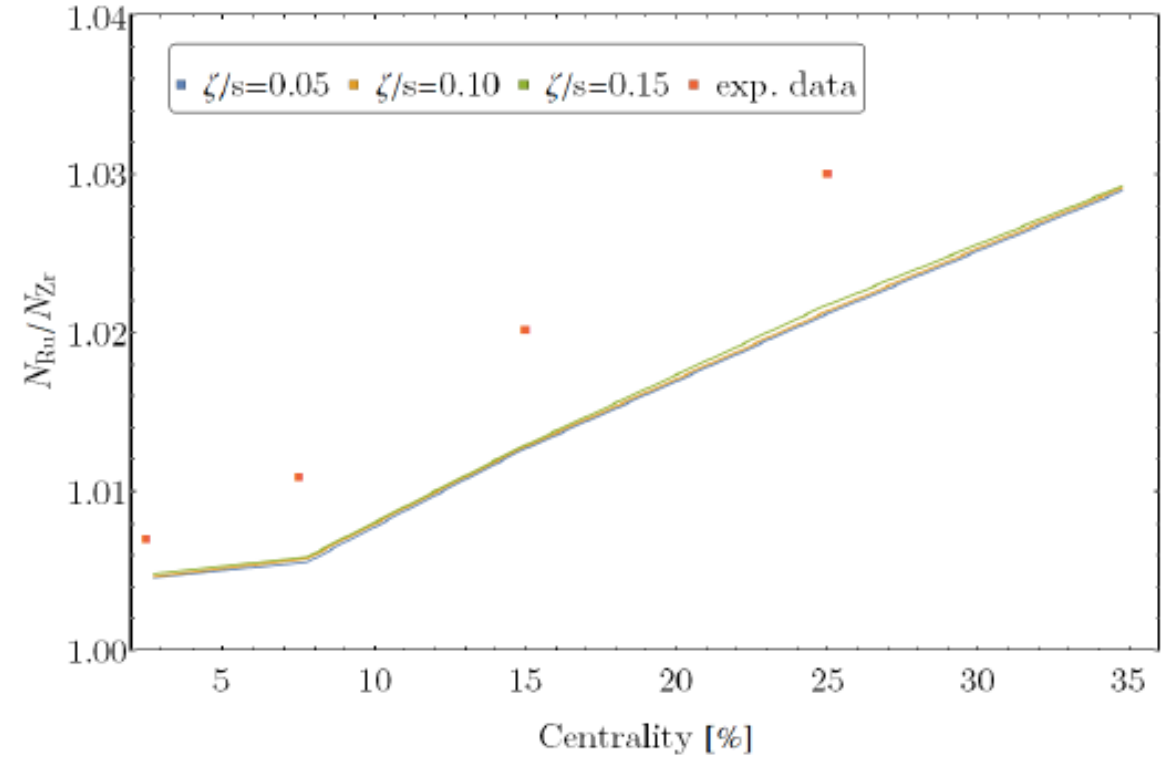
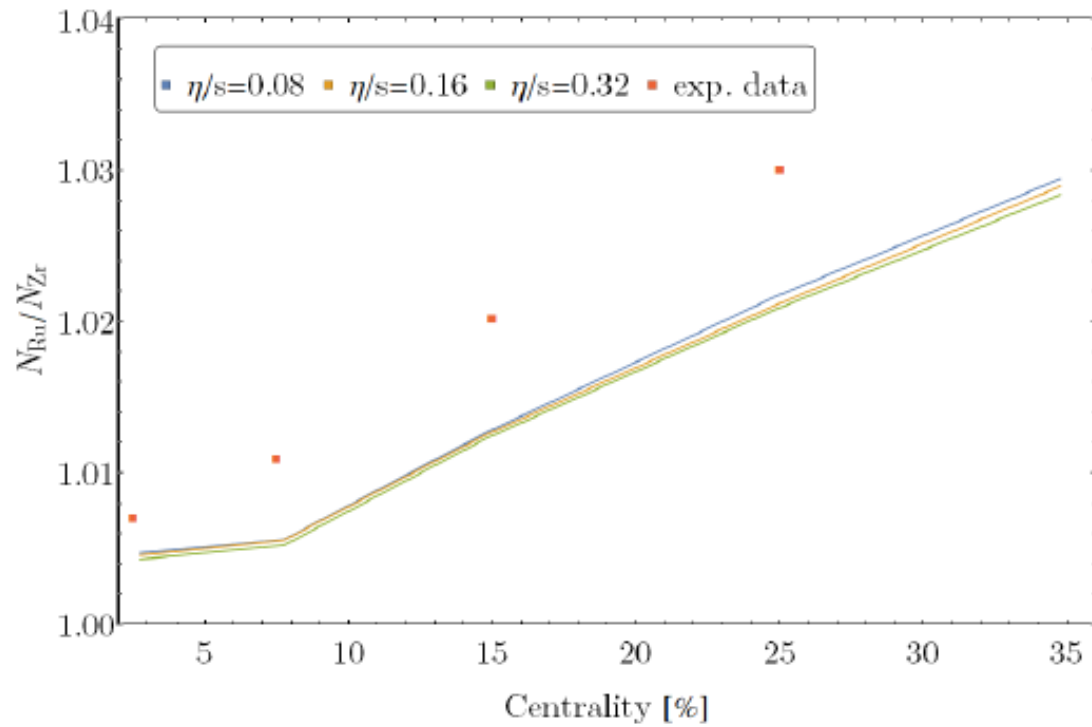
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QGP parameters



Multiplicity ratio not dependent on initialization time and freeze-out temperature

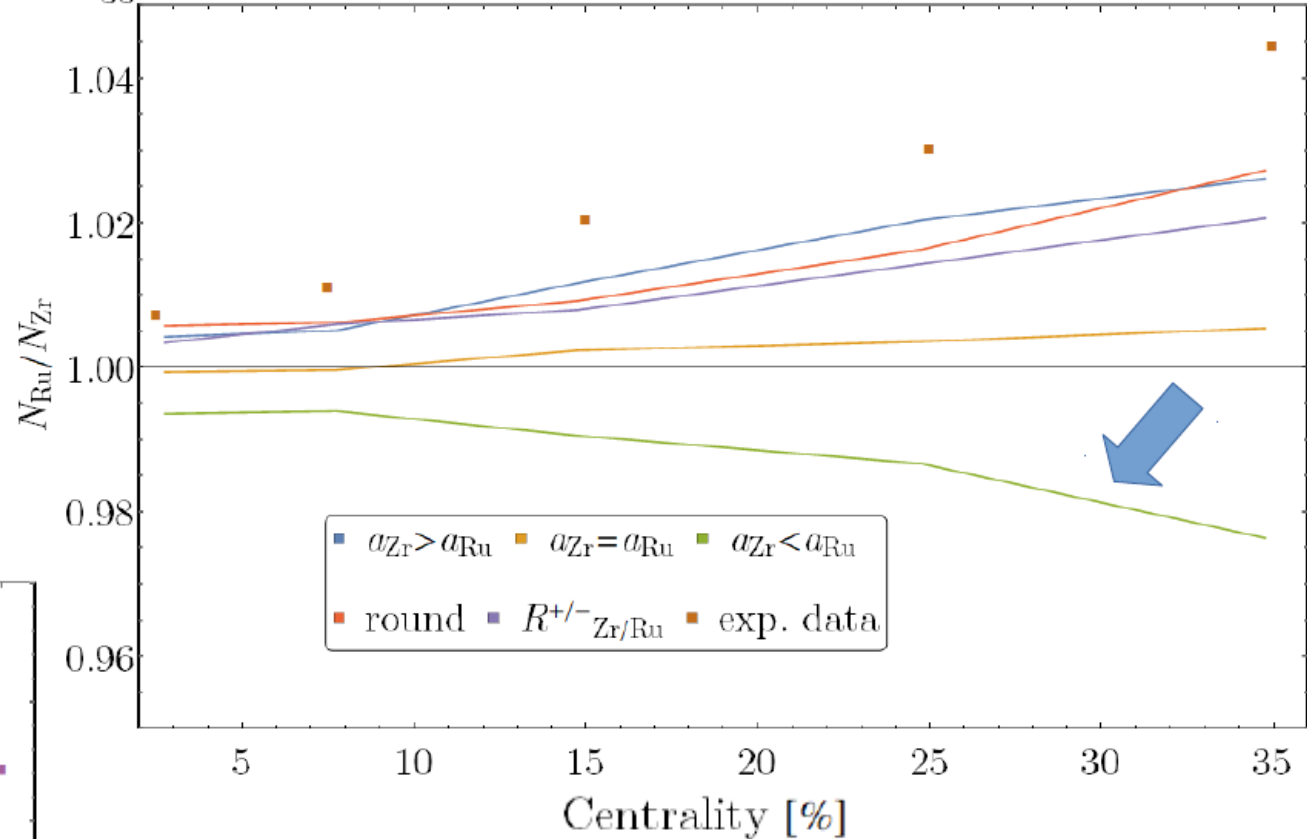
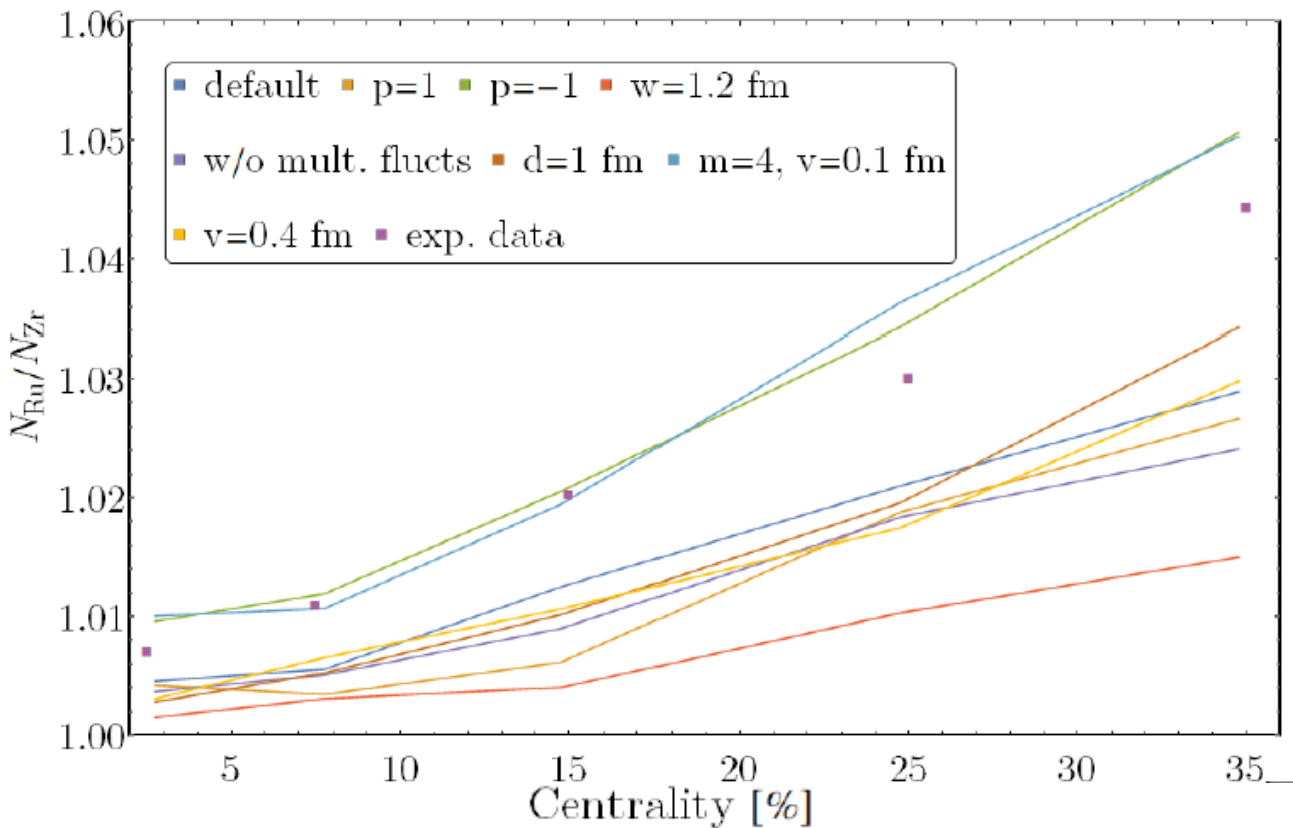
QGP parameters



Multiplicity ratio not sensitive to medium viscosities

Final state results

Multiplicity ratio dependent on
 "degree of sharpness" of GQP



Multiplicity ratio dominated by
 diffusivity

Default: p=0, w=0.5 fm, k=1

Outlook and summary

- We have presented a new hydro framework FluiduM based on mode-by-mode hydro
- Our results are fully consistent with other state of the art hydro codes
- The advantage? We obtain hydro results for 10 centrality classes in a couple of minutes
 - > We are able to do a scan over many parameters to analyse the recent high precision isobar RHIC data
 - > Initial AND final state dominated by nuclear structure
 - => New gateway for nuclear structure studies?

Outlook: Improve framework (``loop corrections'') and include more observables in analysis (flow coefficients)