



J/Ψ FLOW MEASUREMENTS IN PB-PB COLLISIONS WITH THE ALICE DETECTOR AT LHC RUN 3

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QGP PROBES

- Photons, Drell-Yan dileptons, Z and W bosons.
- Jets, high PT particles et Quarkonia (Charmonium et Botonium)







Phase of initial conditions

Pre-equilibrium phase

Hydrodynamic expansion phase

Hadronic phase

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J/Ψ SUPPRESSION AND REGENERATION



QUARK GLUON PLASMA: ALMOST A PERFECT FLUID



 $\varepsilon(x, y, \eta^s)$ Coordinate space Eccentricity

Hydrodynamics $\delta_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu} = 0 + (\eta, \zeta, ...)$

QGP = Low viscosity fluid



System Expansion



 $f(p_T, \eta, \phi)$

Momentum space Flow

eries:
$$f(p_T, \eta, \phi) = N(p_T, \eta) \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} v_n e^{in(\psi_n - \phi)}$$

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ANISOTROPY OF PARTICLE MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTION





J/Ψ FLOW ANALYSIS

n = 1

FLOW

 $v_n = \langle \cos n (\varphi - \Psi_n)
angle ~~ igstarrow ~ \Psi_n ~~$ is hardly known in experiment

n = 5

2-PARTICLE AZIMUTHAL CORRELATION:

n = 2

n = 3

$$c_n\{2\} = \langle \langle \frac{e^{in\varphi_1}}{(A \times \epsilon)_1} \cdot \frac{\bar{e}^{in\varphi_2}}{(A \times \epsilon)_2} \rangle \rangle \longrightarrow \qquad \underset{\text{acc}}{\text{Ex}}$$

n=4

Experimentally we need to take in to account the $(A \times \epsilon)$ of the detector.

 $\langle\langle e^{in(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)} \rangle\rangle \propto \langle\langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2) \rangle\rangle = \langle v_n^2 \rangle \iff \text{RMS value of } v_N \text{ without knowing } \Psi_n$

IN EXPERIMENT: $\langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2) \rangle \rangle = \langle v_n^2 + \delta_2 \rangle \longleftrightarrow \Lambda$ Nonflow (resonance decay, jets...)

 $\delta_2 \sim 1/M$



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CHARGED FLOW MEASUREMENTS AND MODELS





J/Ψ VS LIGHT HADRONS

- Light Hadrons inherit their v₂ from the QGP
- Light quarks "u, d , s" thermalize with the medium.
- Partial thermalization for quark c?
- Tension between J/Ψ measurements and transport models



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ALICE DETECTOR

Mid-rapidity $\begin{cases} J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^- \\ |\text{yee}| < 0,9 \end{cases}$

Large lon Collider Experiment

Α

RUN 2	 Trigger DATA
RUN 3	 Continuous readout





ALICE DETECTOR

Mid-rapidity $\begin{cases} J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^- \\ |\text{yee}| < 0,9 \end{cases}$

Forward-rapidity $\begin{cases} J/\psi, \psi(2S), \Upsilon(nS) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-\\ 2,5 < |y_{\mu\mu}| < 4 \end{cases}$

Large Ion Collider Experiment

Α

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MUON SPECTROMETER OF RUN 3



1 MCH Station = 2 Chambers









- 5 Stations = 10 Chambers
- 156 Detection Elements (DE)
- 16820 DualSampa (**DS**)



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DATA TAKING + RECONSTRUCTION



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LHC 2022 DATA













LHC 2022 DATA











$(11 \times c)$ STUDIES

LHC 2022 DATA

Number of clusters per dual sampa



Bending Chamber 3











LHC 2022 DATA

Number of clusters per dual sampa





















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DISPLAY OF DATA VS MC







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DISPLAY OF DATA VS MC





J/Ψ FLOW ANALYSIS



J/Ψ FROM MUON SPECTROMETER IN RUN 3

LHC22 P-P DATA SAMPLE AT \sqrt{S} = 13.6 TeV

TRACK SELECTION

- Pseudorapidity $-4 < \eta < -2,5$
- Cut in the absorber $2^{\circ} < \theta abs < 10^{\circ}$
- pT > 0.5 GeV/c
- MCH-MID Tracks







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J/Ψ SIGNAL EXTRACTION IN RUN 3

Free tails parameters

Fit conditions -

$$m_{\psi(2S)}^{\mathrm{FIT}} = m_{J/\psi}^{\mathrm{FIT}} + \Delta m^{\mathrm{PDG}}$$

$$\sigma_{\psi(2S)}^{\text{FIT}} = \sigma_{J/\psi}^{\text{FIT}} \cdot \frac{\sigma_{\psi(2S)}^{\text{MC}}}{\sigma_{J/\psi}^{\text{MC}}}$$

Fit functions –

- Signal:
- CB2 and NA60

Background:

• VWG and Pol4Exp

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FLOW MEASUREMENTS

HISTOGRAMS WITH $\mu\mu$:

- $m_{\mu\mu}$
- $v_n = \langle \cos n(\varphi \Psi_n) \rangle$

FITTING PROCEDURE:

 $v_n = v_n^{bkg}(1-\alpha) + v_n^{sig}\alpha$

 v_n^{sig} Extracted by fitting dimuon v_N v_n^{bkg} Polynomial functions $\alpha = \frac{S}{S+B}$ Signal/Background fraction

RUN 2:





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FLOW MEASUREMENTS AND MODELS

Elliptic flow v2



- Charm regeneration at low P⊤ well predicted by transport models.
- Charm energy loss at higt Pt?
- Is this effect coming from non-flow correlations?



PERSPECTIVE

FLOW MEASUREMENTS

• 4-particle cumulant suppress nonflow contaminations



 $c_n\{4\} = \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 + \varphi_2 - \varphi_3 - \varphi_4) \rangle \rangle - \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_3) \rangle \rangle \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_2 - \varphi_4) \rangle \rangle - \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_4) \rangle \rangle \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_2 - \varphi_3) \rangle \rangle$ $= \langle -v_n^4 + \delta_4 \rangle = -v_n \{4\}^4$ $\longrightarrow \text{Nonflow of 4-particles } \delta_4 \sim 1/M^3$







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Realistic simulations of MCH chambers

- $(A \times \epsilon)$ calculation for Pb-Pb 2023 Data

J/ψ flow analysis by measuring multi-particle correlations



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BACK UP





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FIT FUNCTIONS FOR SIGNAL EXTRACTION

Signal function:

• Double Crystall Ball



Background function:

Quadratic Variable Width Gaussian

$$qVWG(x) = N \exp\left(\frac{-(x-\bar{x})^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$
$$\sigma = \alpha + \beta\left(\frac{x-\bar{x}}{\bar{x}}\right) + \gamma\left(\frac{x-\bar{x}}{\bar{x}}\right)^2$$

• Ratio de Polynômes

$$Pol(x) = N \frac{1 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2}{b_1 x + b_2 x^2 + b_3 x^3}$$

• Polynôme d'ordre 6

 $\gamma(x) = a + bx + cx^2 + dx^3 + ex^4 + fx^5 + gx^6$



J/Ψ FLOW ANALYSIS



2-PARTICLE AZIMUTHAL CORRELATION:

 $c_n\{2\} = \langle \langle e^{in(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)} \rangle \rangle = \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2) \rangle \rangle$

= 0 due to symmetry (Pb-Pb) $\langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2) \rangle \rangle = \langle \langle \cos n \left[(\varphi_1 - \Psi_n) - (\varphi_2 - \Psi_n) \right] \rangle \rangle$ $= \langle \langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \Psi_n) \cdot \cos n(\varphi_2 - \Psi_n) \rangle \rangle + \langle \langle \sin n(\varphi_1 - \Psi_n) \rangle \rangle$ $=\langle v_n^2
angle$, RMS value of VN distribution without knowing Ψ_n

In fact in experiment we actually get: $\langle \cos n(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2) \rangle \rangle = \langle v_n^2 + \delta_2 \rangle$

Nonflow (resonance decay, jets etc) 🔺



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CHARACTERISTICS OF MFT







- Installed between ITS and the absorber
- Designed to obtain hig spatial resolution
- Five double sided disks composed of 936 silicon pixel sensors





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Identifying Prompt and Nonprompt



Pseudo proper decay time:



