

Jet studies in heavy ion collisions

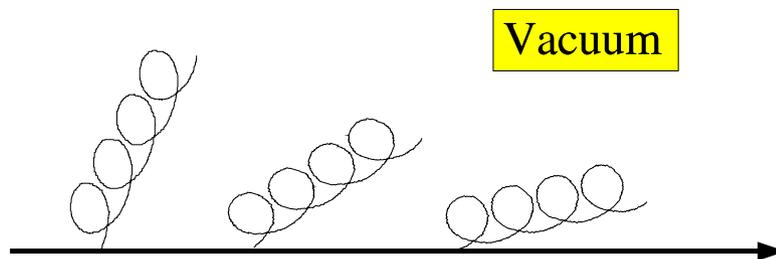
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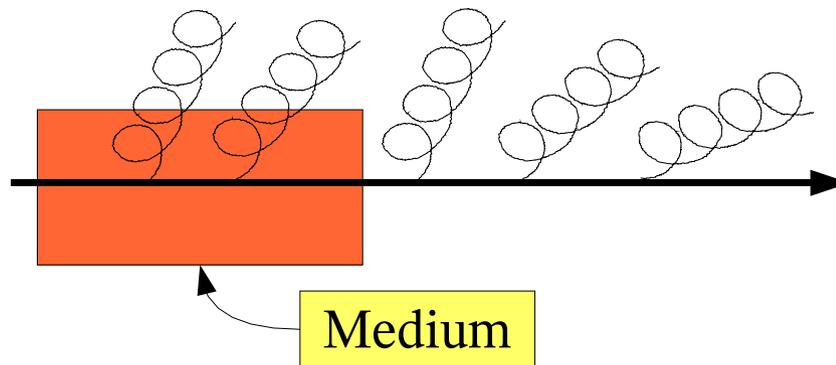
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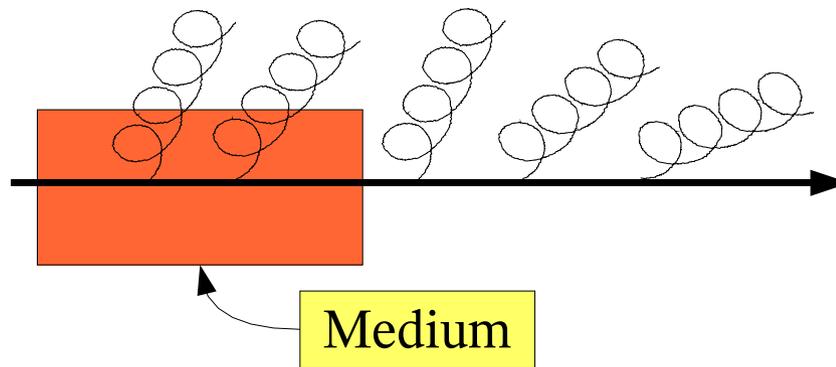
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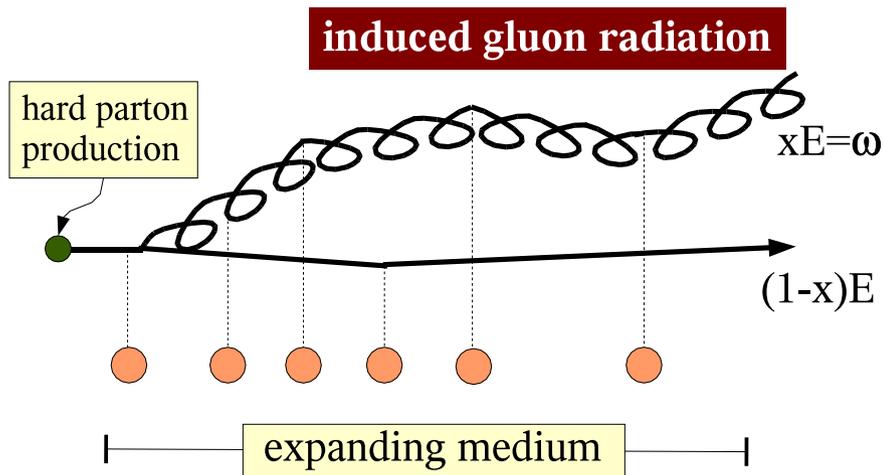
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- ⇒ Where to look?
 - ↘ Inclusive particle (suppression).
 - ↘ Heavy quarks
 - ↘ Jets: Jetshapes, particle correlations...

Medium-induced gluon radiation.



Medium properties: length L ,
transport coefficient $\hat{q} \sim \frac{\mu^2}{\lambda}$

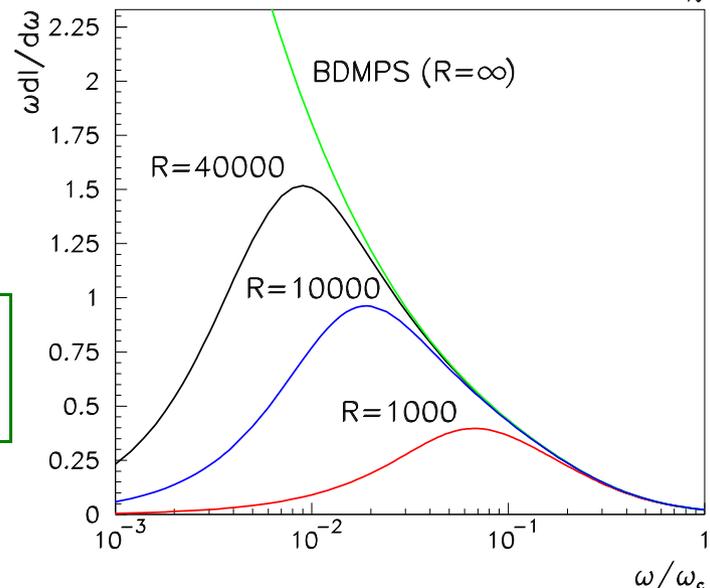
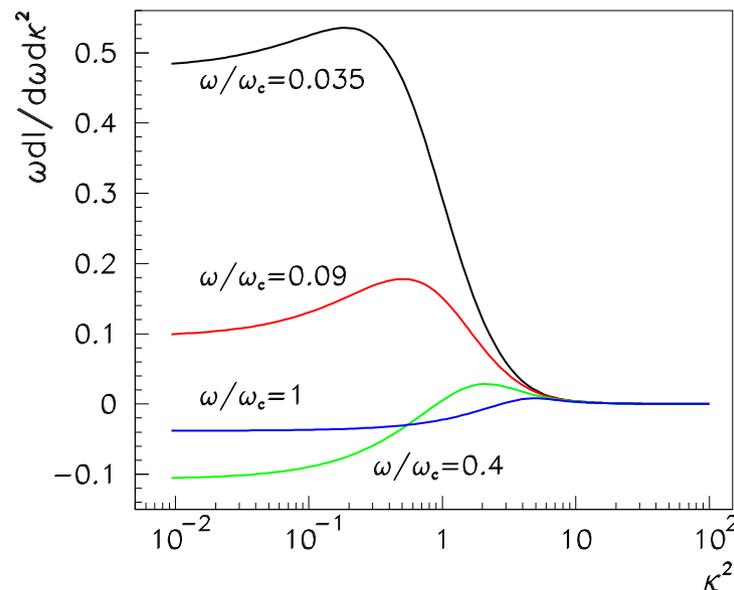
$\Rightarrow k_{\perp, \max}^2 \sim \hat{q}L$; $\kappa^2 \equiv k_{\perp}^2 / \hat{q}L$

\Rightarrow Accumulated phase

$\varphi = \left\langle \frac{k_{\perp}^2}{2\omega} \Delta z \right\rangle \sim \kappa^2 \frac{\omega_c}{\omega}$; $\omega_c \equiv \frac{1}{2} \hat{q}L^2$

Rad. suppressed by coherence

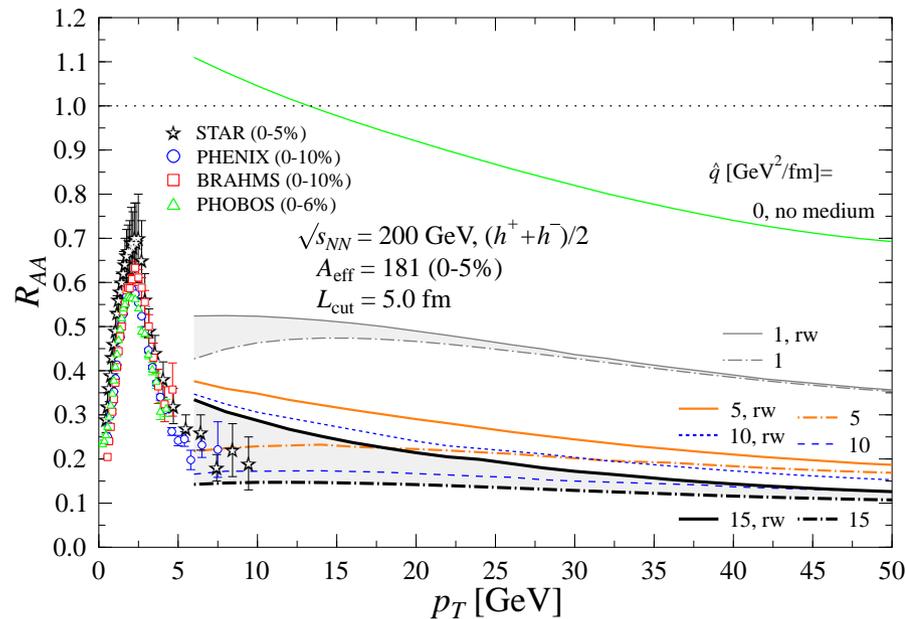
$\varphi \lesssim 1 \iff \kappa^2 \lesssim \omega / \omega_c$



One-particle inclusive production

Application of the formalism

$$d\sigma_{(\text{med})}^{AA \rightarrow h+X} = \sum_f d\sigma_{(\text{vac})}^{AA \rightarrow f+X} \otimes P_f(\Delta E, L, \hat{q}) \otimes D_{f \rightarrow h}^{(\text{vac})}(z, \mu_F^2).$$



[Eskola, Honkanen, Salgado, Wiedemann (2004)]

⇒ Data favors a large time-averaged transport coefficient

$$\hat{q} \sim 5 \dots 15 \frac{\text{GeV}^2}{\text{fm}}$$

[Many other groups describe these data: Gyulassy, Levai, Vitev, Wang, Drees, Feng, Jia, Arleo, Dainese, Loizides, Paic...]

Opacity problem

⇒ $\hat{q} = c\epsilon^{3/4}$ for an ideal QGP $c_{ideal}^{QGP} \sim 2$

⇒ We obtain [Eskola, Honkanen, Salgado, Wiedemann (2004)]

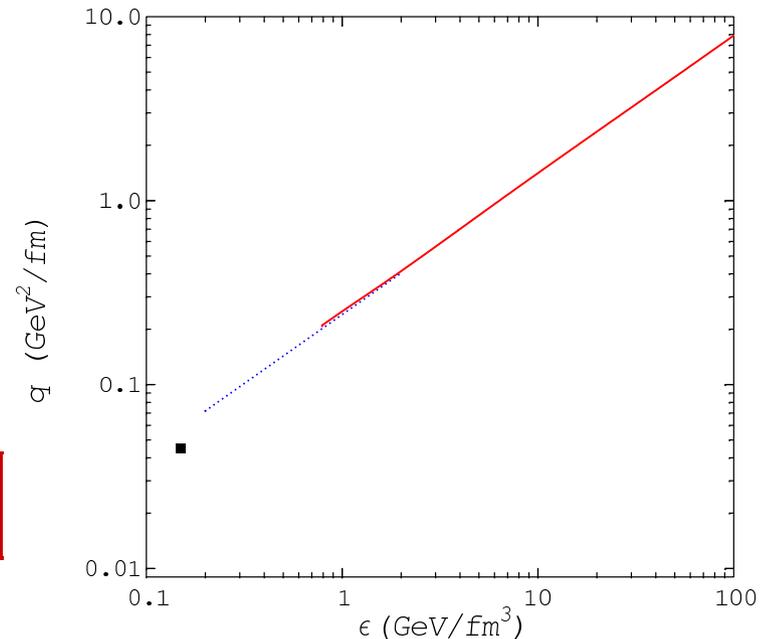
$$\bar{\hat{q}} = \frac{2}{L^2} \int_{\tau_0}^{\tau_0+L} d\tau (\tau - \tau_0) \hat{q}(\tau) \Rightarrow$$

$$c = \frac{\hat{q}}{\epsilon^{3/4}(\tau_0)} \frac{2 - \alpha}{2} \left(\frac{L}{\tau_0} \right)^\alpha \Rightarrow \boxed{c > 5c_{ideal}^{QGP}}$$

[taking $\epsilon(\tau_0) < 100 \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{fm}^3}$, $L/\tau_0 \sim 10$, $\alpha = 1$]

⇒ Remember \hat{q} proportional to the density
times cross section ⇒

The interaction of the hard parton with the medium is much stronger than expected.

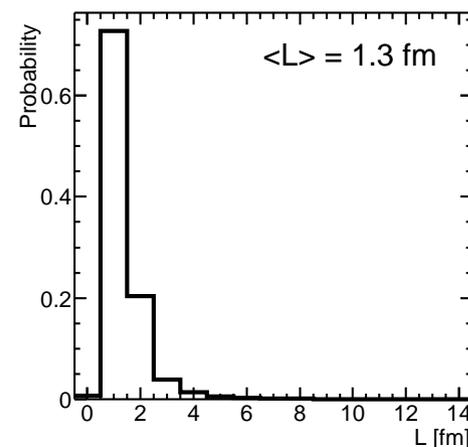
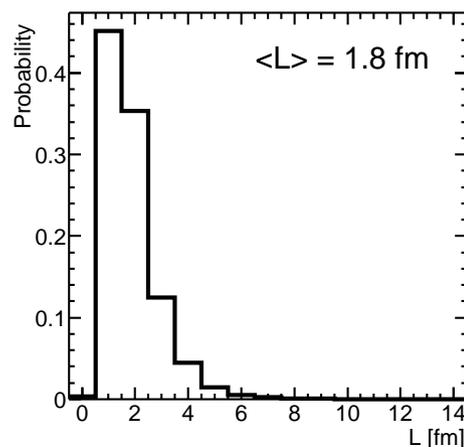
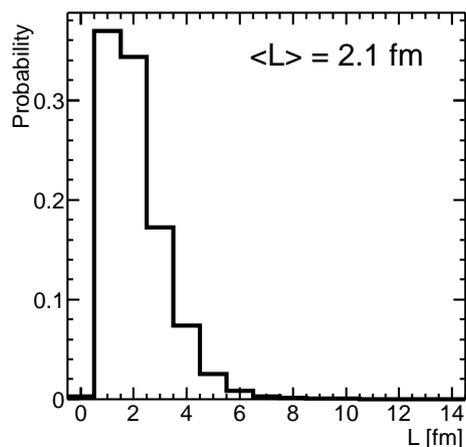
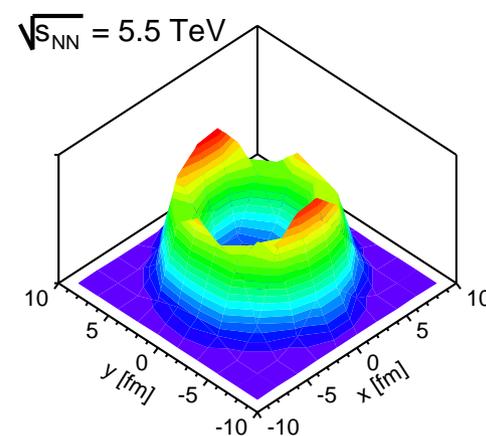
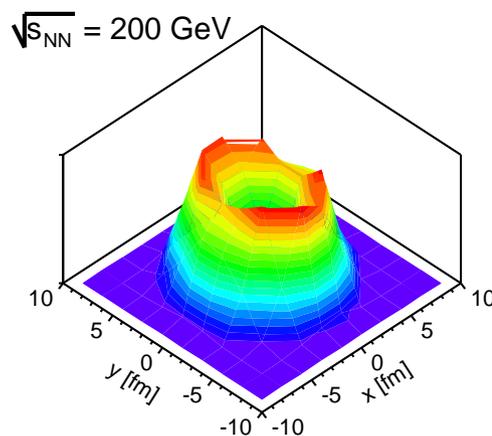
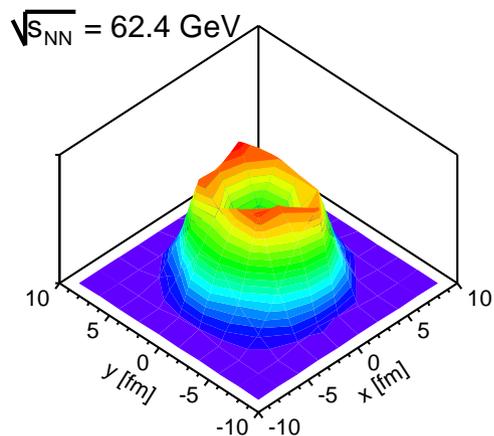


[Baier 2002]

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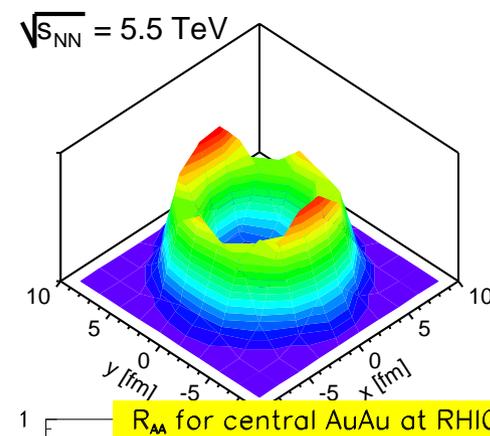
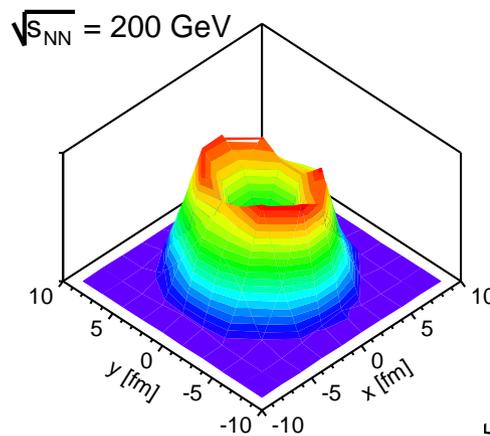
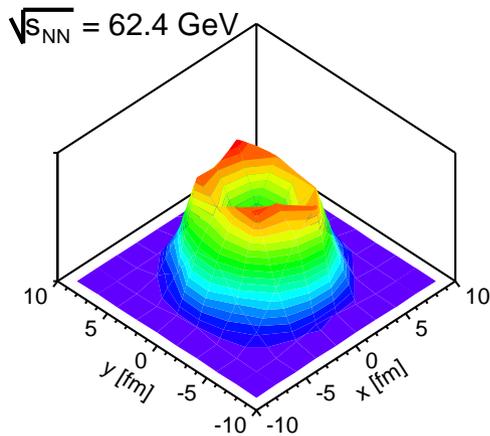
[Dainese, Loizides, Paic (2004); Eskola, Honkanen, Salgado, Wiedemann (2004)]



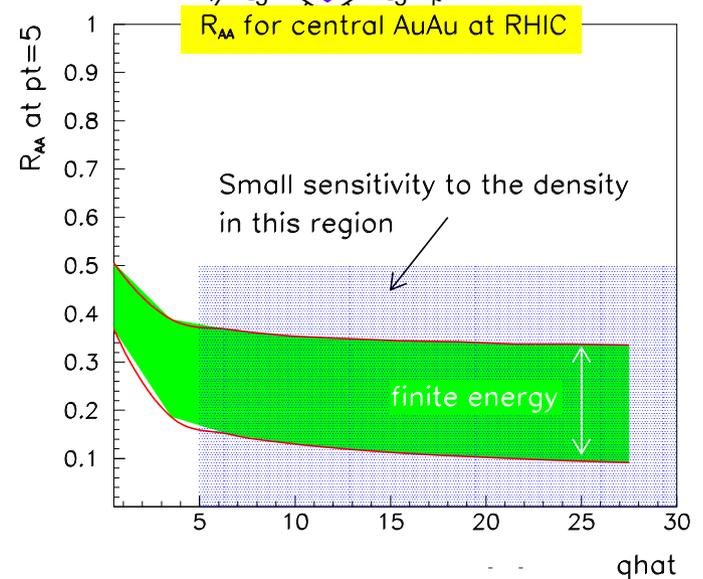
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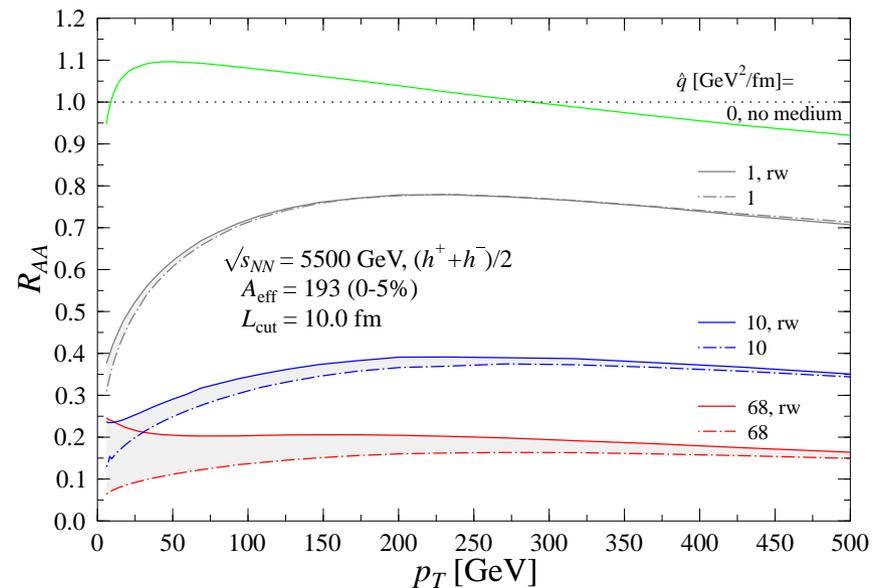
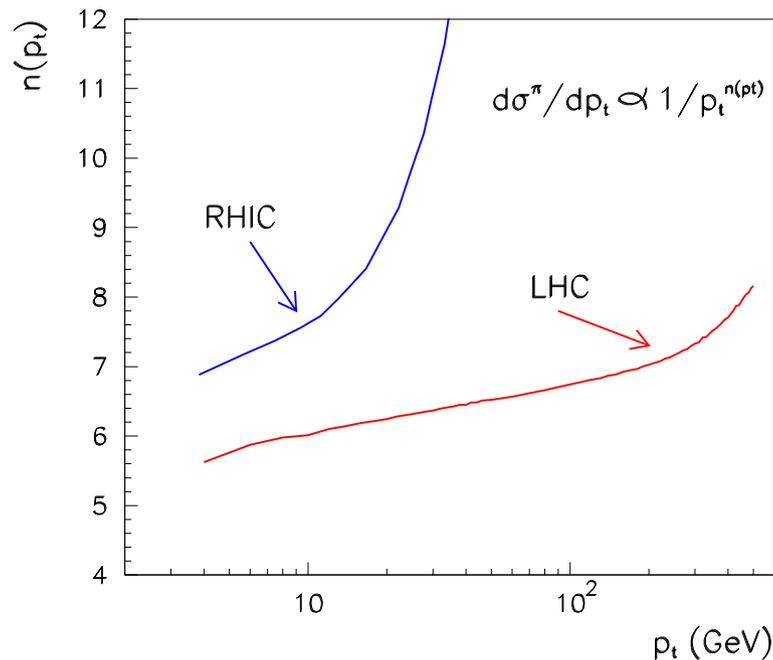
In this case, the sensitivity to \hat{q} becomes small (bad determination of the medium density)



Flatteness of the suppression

Trigger bias

⇒ Steepness of the spectrum $\frac{d\sigma}{dp_t} \sim \frac{1}{p_t^n} \implies$ small z, ϵ



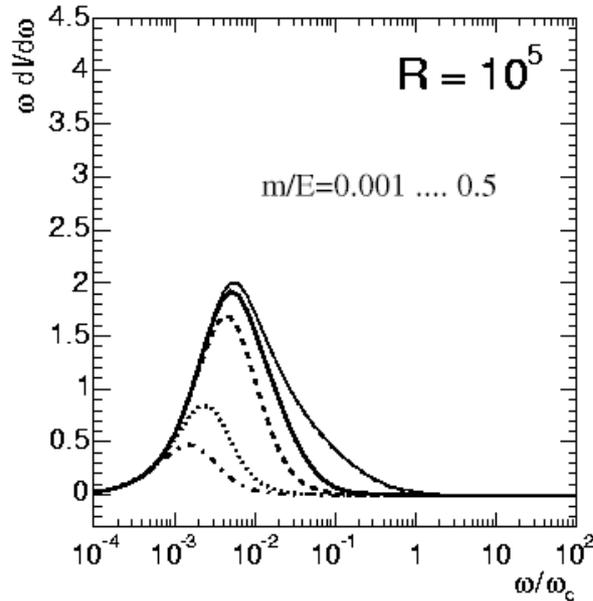
R_{AA} flat also for the LHC

⇒ High- p_t hadrons are fragile objects – more fragile the highest the p_t

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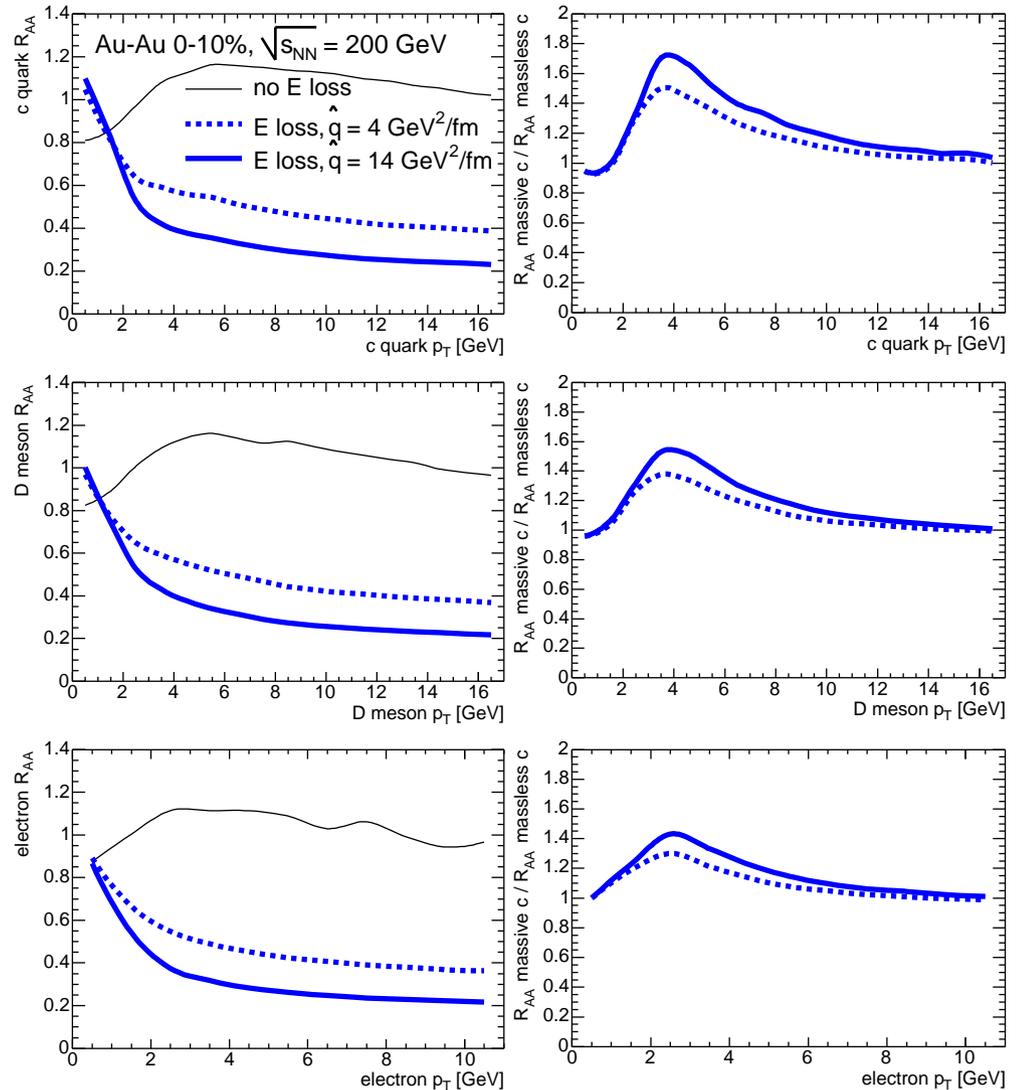
Massive quarks

⇒ Mass effects suppress gluon radiation [Dokshitzer, Kharzeev (2001); Zhang, Wang, Wang (2004); Djordjevic, Gyulassy (2004); Armesto, Salgado Wiedemann (2004)]



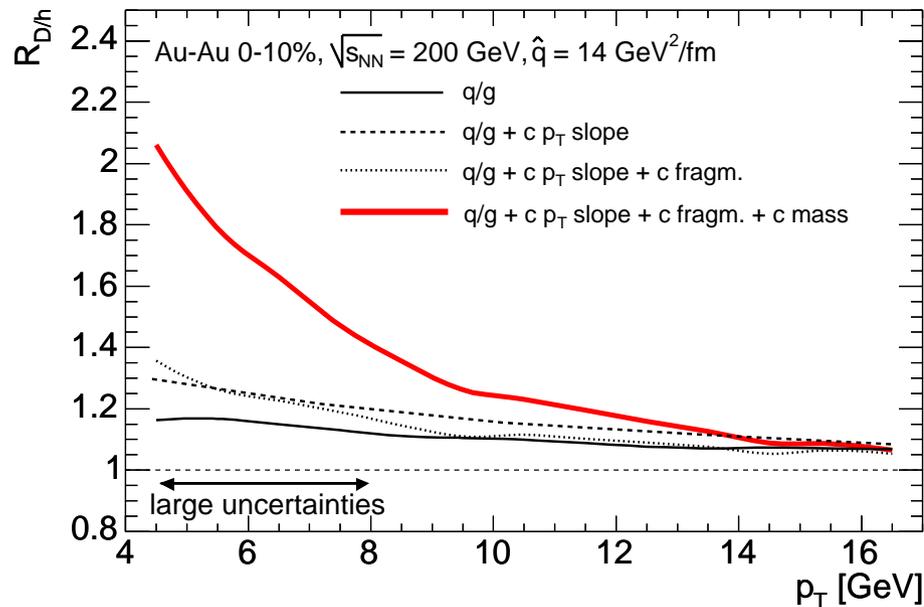
(vacuum → dead-cone effect)

⇒ No additional parameters for predictions.



[Armesto, Dainese, Salgado, Wiedemann 2005]

Massive over light particle ratio



[Armesto, Dainese, Salgado, Wiedemann 2005]

⇒ Quark vs gluon energy loss:

$$\Delta E^g = N_C / C_F \Delta E^{q, m=0}$$

↘ Increases $R_{D/h}$

⇒ Light-particle spectrum slope larger than massive one

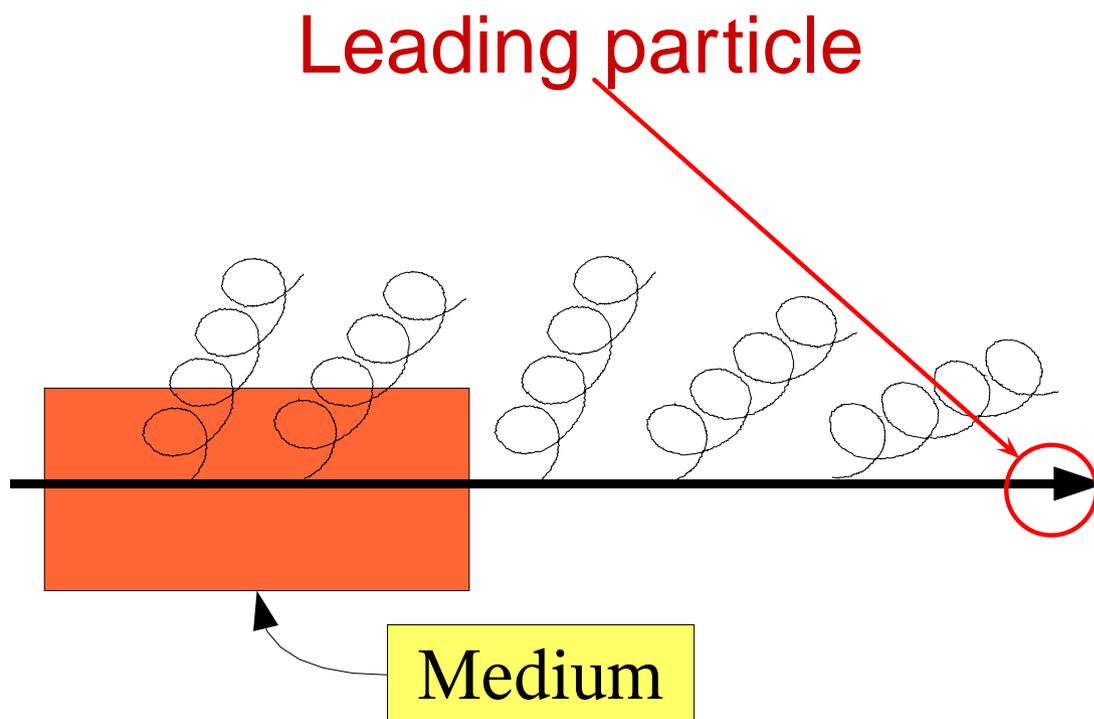
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⇒ charm fragmentation harder

↘ Decreases $R_{D/h}$

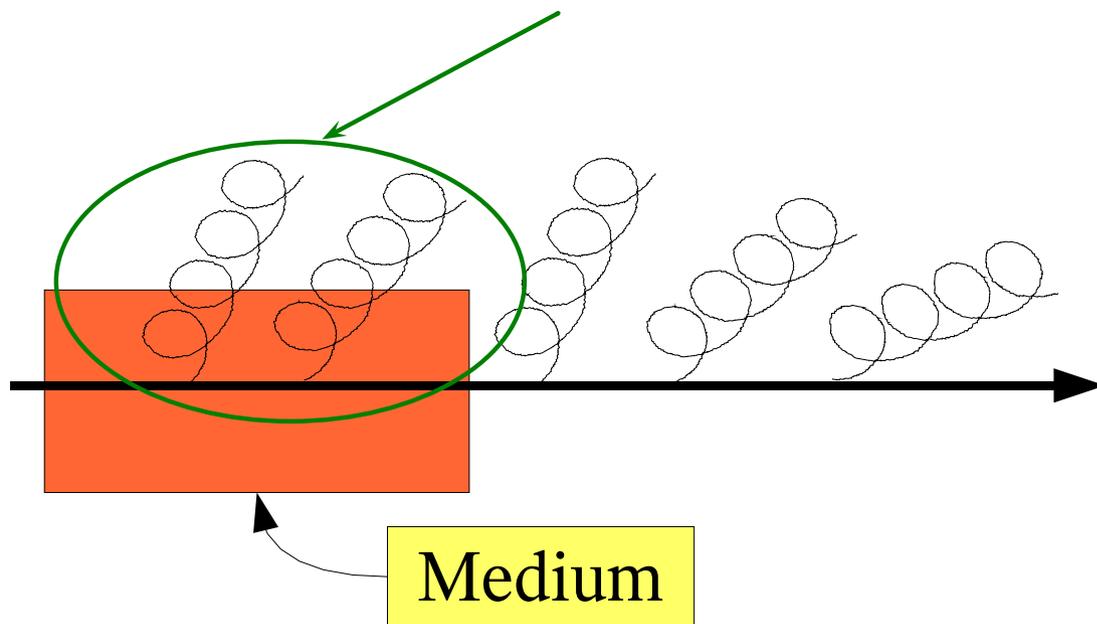
⇒ Heavy quark suppression of gluon radiation ('dead-cone')

↘ Increases $R_{D/h}$



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Can we measure this??

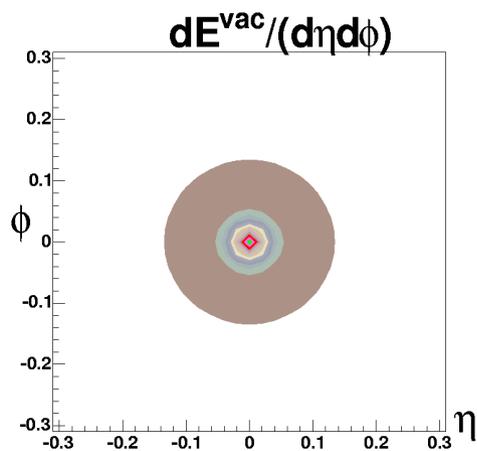
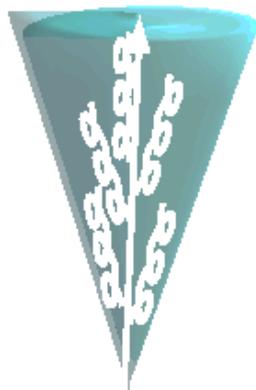


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⇒ The jet broadening $\langle k_t^2 \rangle \sim \hat{q} L$

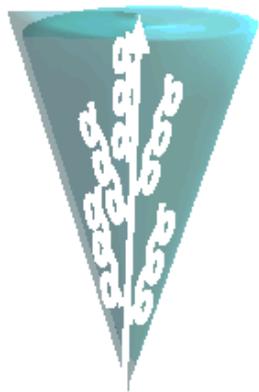
Jet shapes in the $\eta \times \phi$ plane.

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(reference)

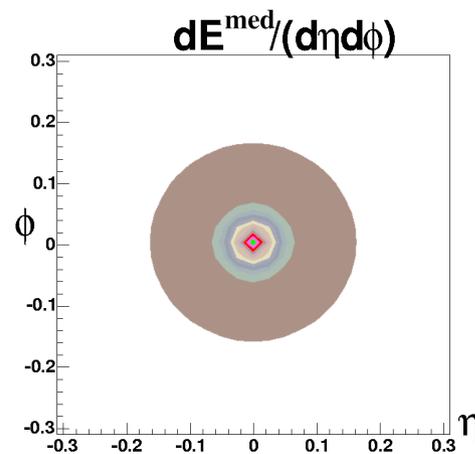
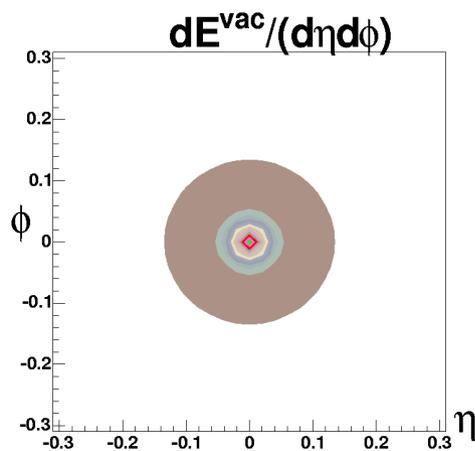
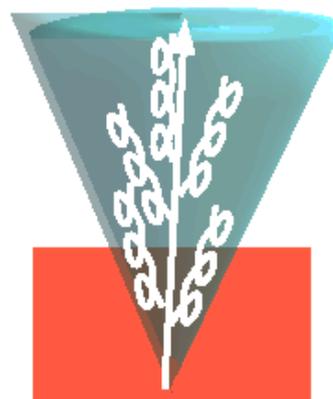


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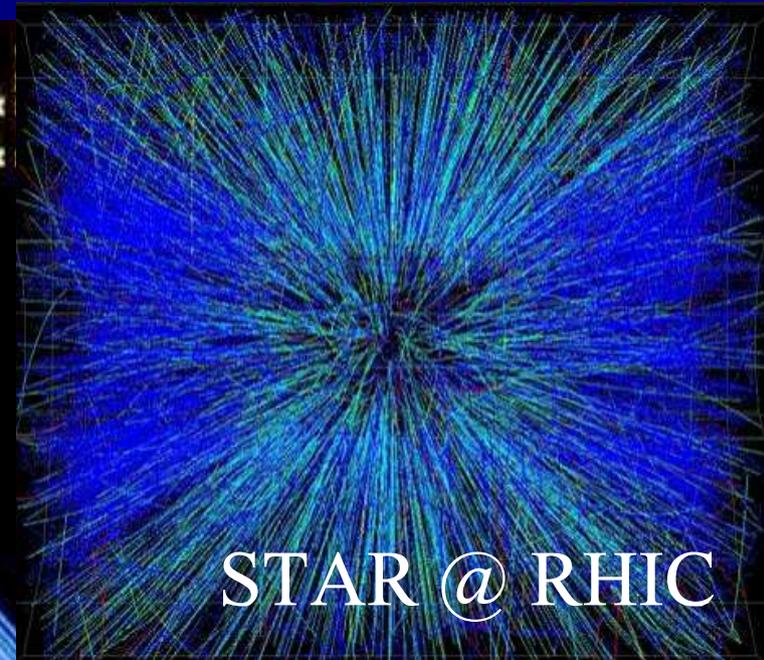
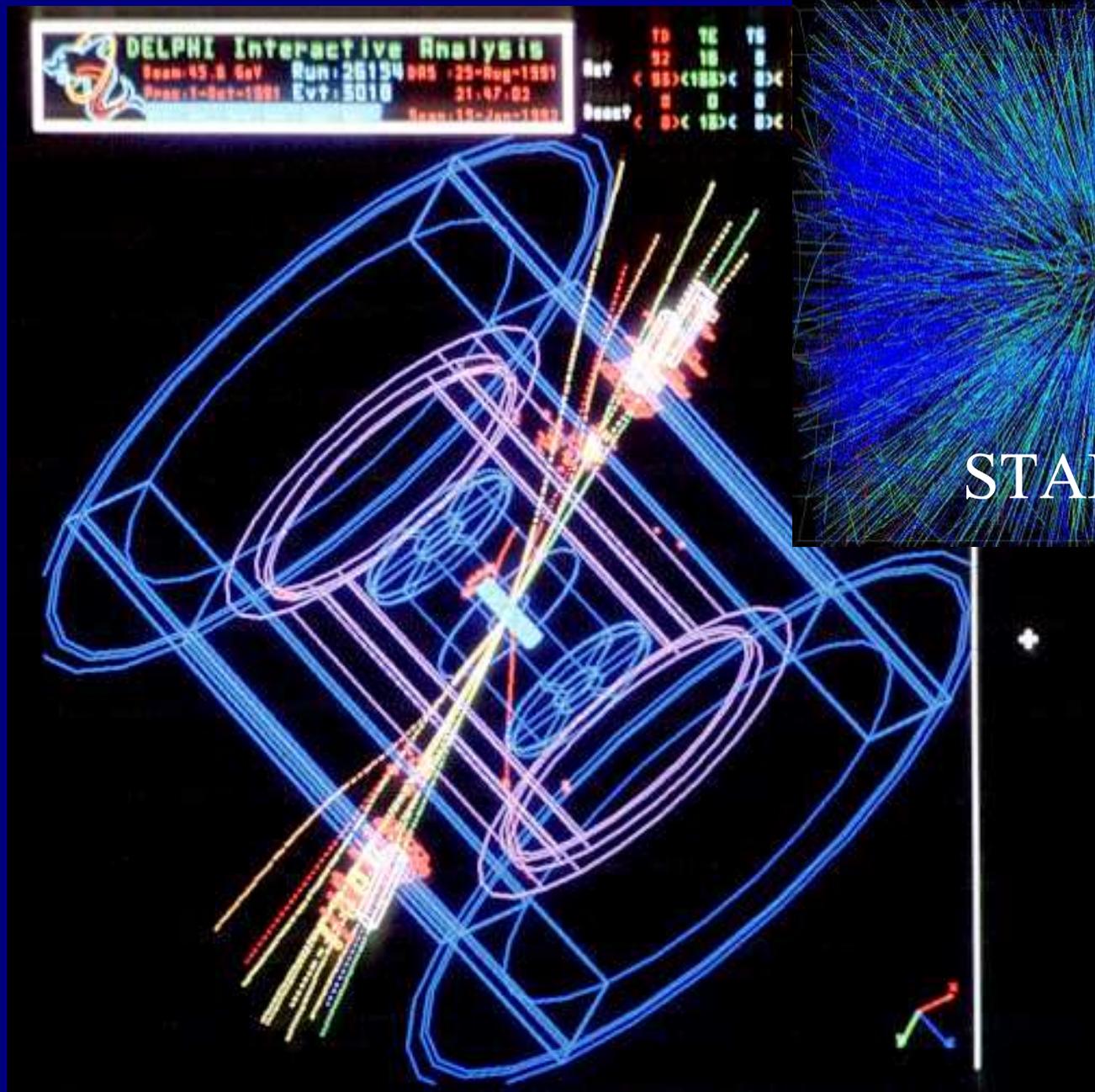
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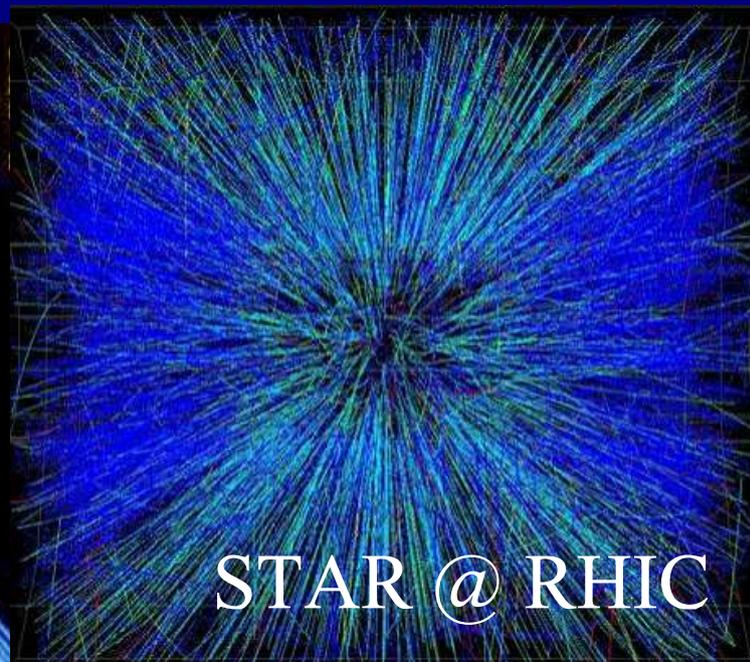
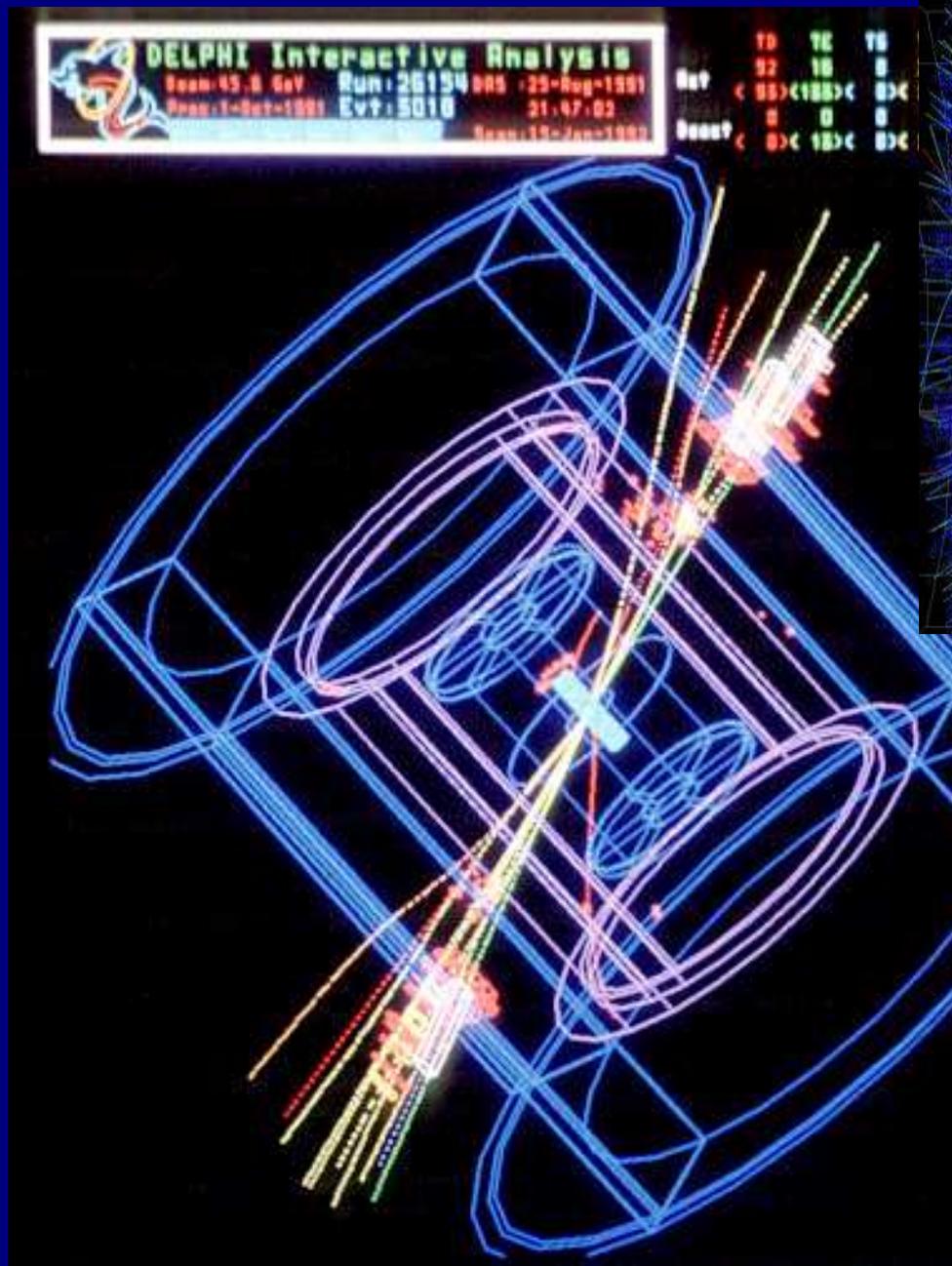
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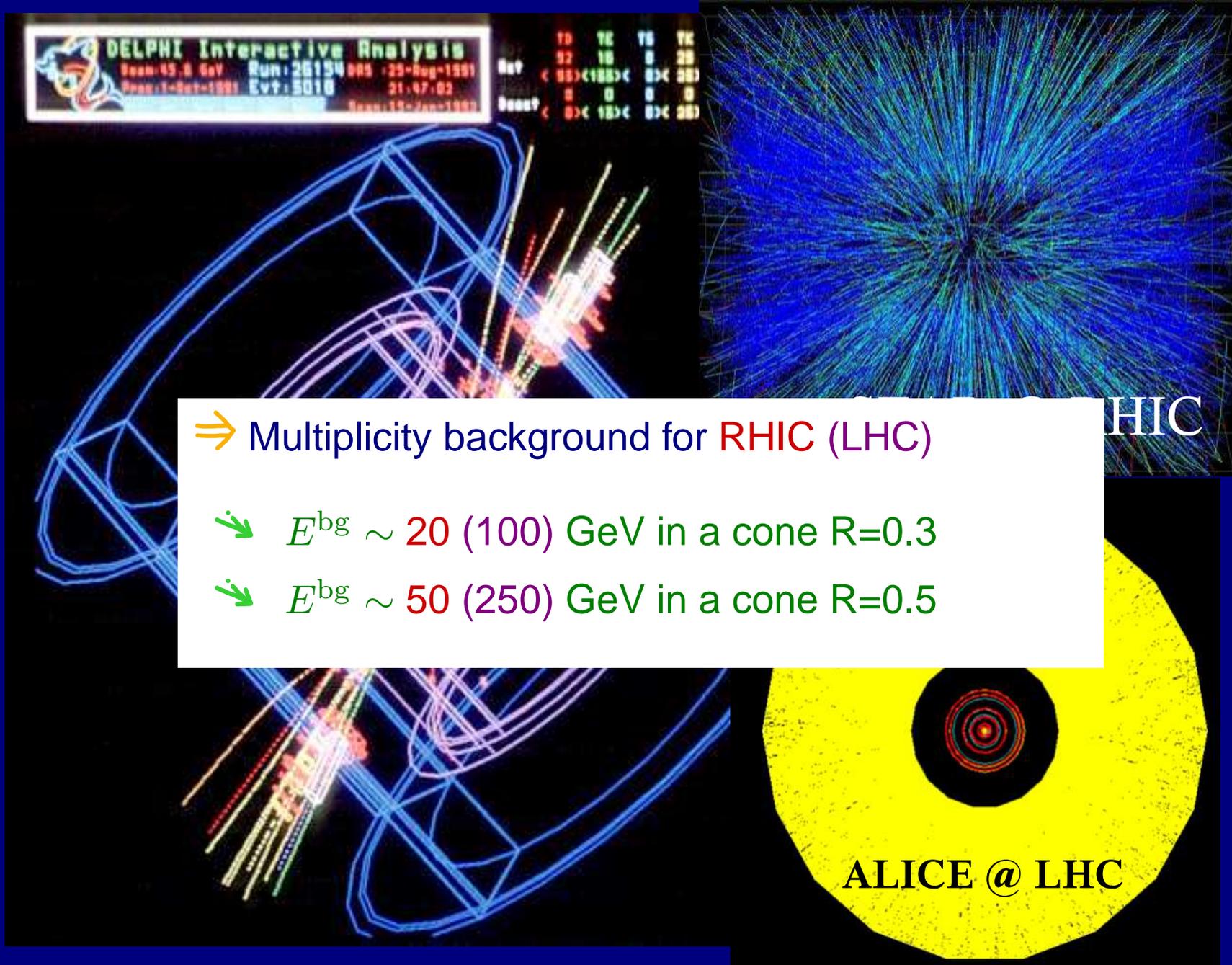
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Jet shapes

$\rho(R)$, fraction of the jet energy inside a cone $R = \sqrt{\Delta\eta^2 + \Delta\phi^2}$

$$\rho_{\text{vac}}(R) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{jets}}} \sum_{\text{jets}} \frac{E_t(R)}{E_t(R=1)}$$

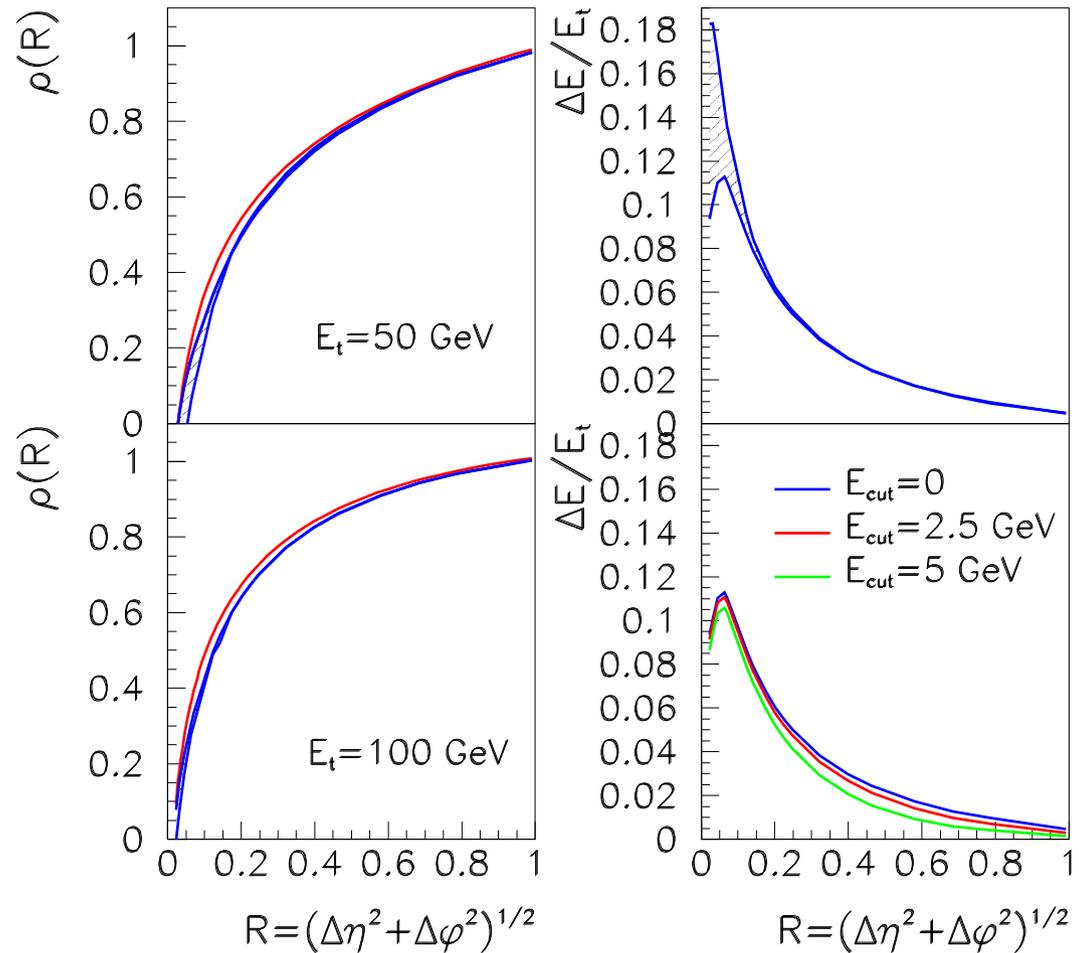
$$\rho_{\text{med}} = \rho_{\text{vac}} - \frac{\Delta E_t(R)}{E_t(R=1)} + \frac{\Delta E}{E_t} (1 - \rho_{\text{vac}}(R))$$

Small modification \rightarrow can jet energy be determined experimentally above background??

Scaling with number of collisions for large cone angle.

Small sensitivity to IR cuts

[Salgado, Wiedemann (2003)]



Vacuum D0 data: Fermilab-PUB-97/242-E

Gluon multiplicity inside the jet.

The characteristic angular distribution of the medium-induced gluon radiation could be better observed in the quantity

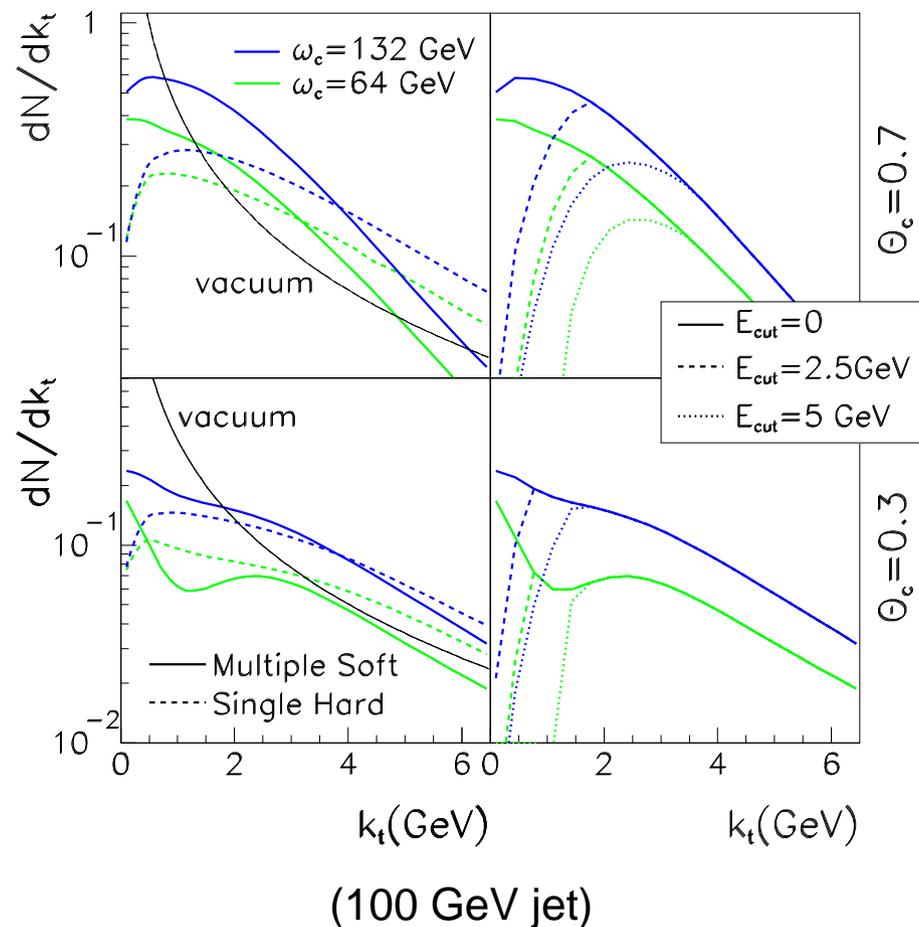
$$\frac{dN^{\text{jet}}}{dk_{\perp}} = \int_{k_{\perp}/\sin\theta_c}^E d\omega \frac{dI}{d\omega dk_{\perp}}$$

For the vacuum we simply use

$$\frac{dI_{\text{vac}}}{d\omega dk_{\perp}} \sim \frac{1}{\omega} \frac{1}{k_{\perp}}$$

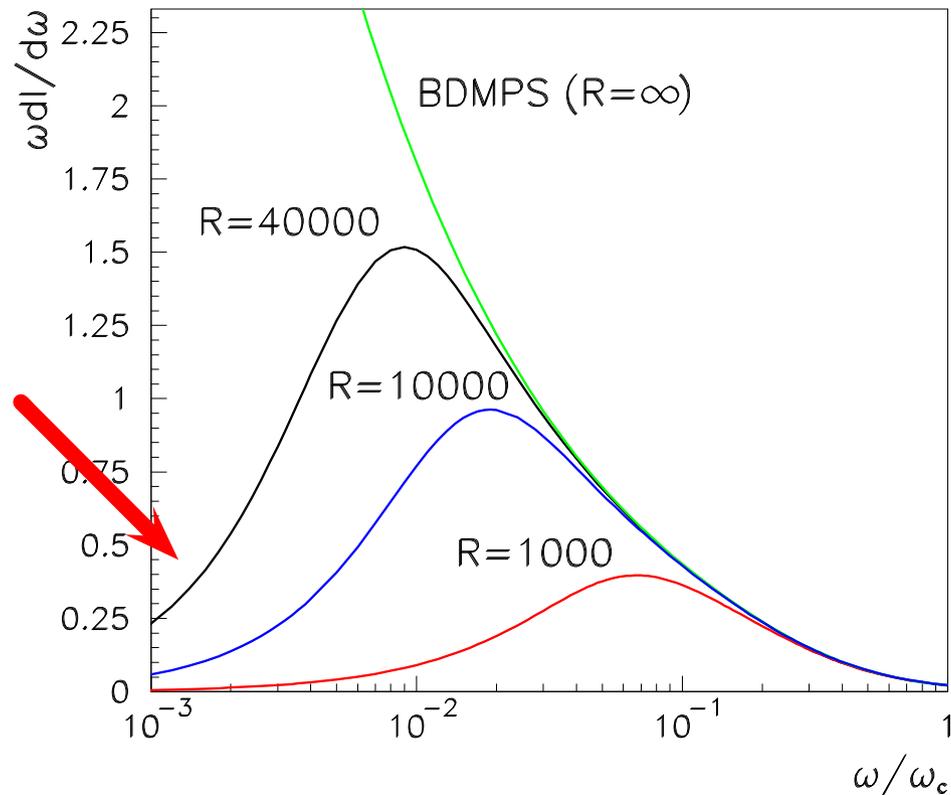
Needs a more quantitative analysis (hadronization...).

But, effect based mainly on kinematics
remember $k_t^2 \sim \hat{q}L (\sim Q_{\text{sat}}^2)$



IR cuts

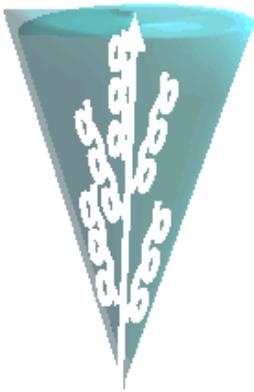
- ⇒ The fact that the results show small sensitivity to IR cuts is due to the shape of the spectrum



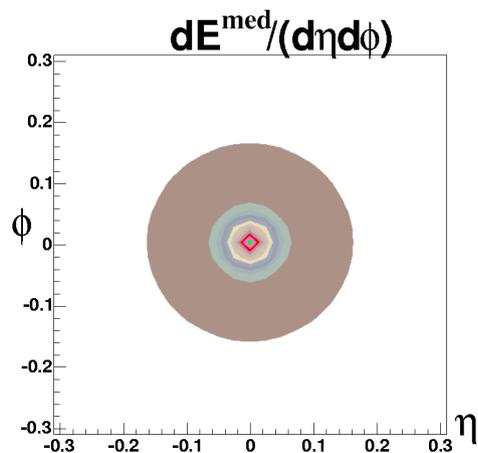
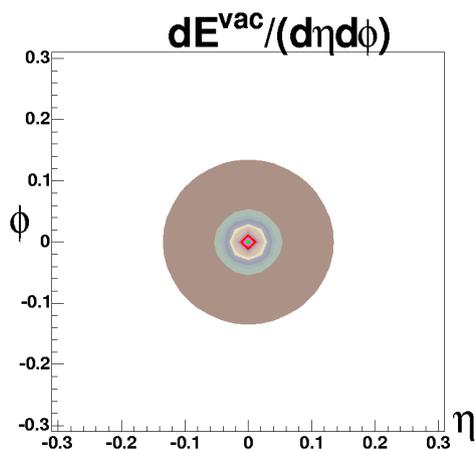
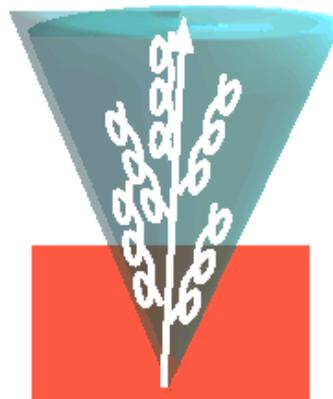
- ⇒ As we have seen, this is due to formation time effects.

Jet shapes in a flowing medium

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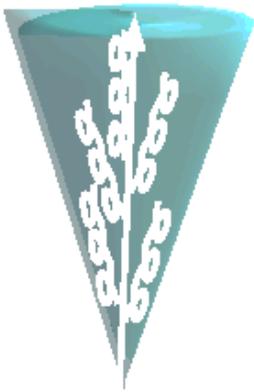


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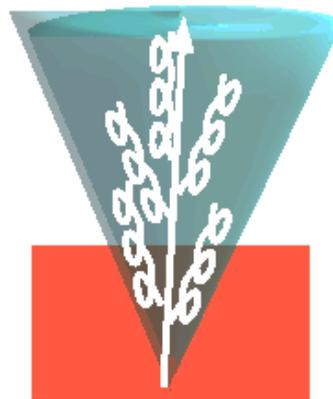


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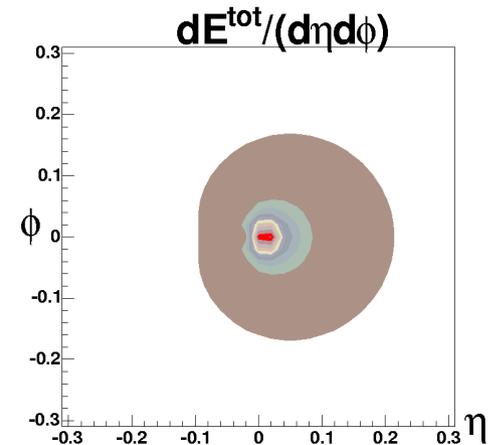
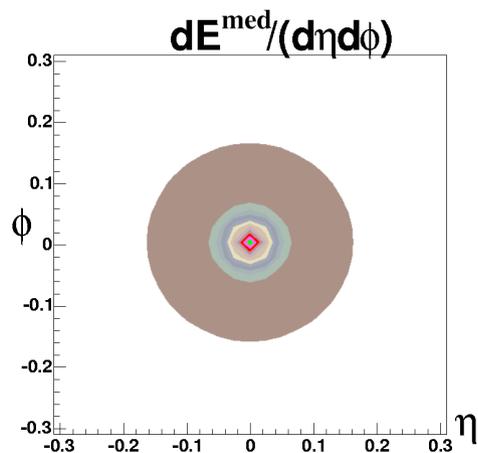
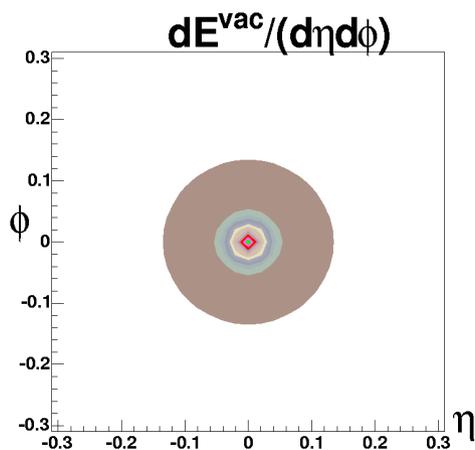
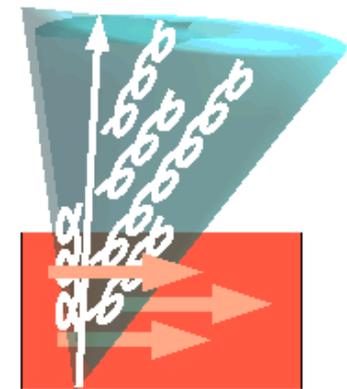
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Flowing medium:
anisotropic shape



Formalism

In the single-hard scattering approximation

$$\omega \frac{dI^{\text{med}}}{d\omega d\mathbf{k}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{(2\pi)^2} \frac{4 C_R n_0}{\omega} \int d\mathbf{q} |a(\mathbf{q})|^2 \frac{\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{q}}{k^2} \frac{-L \frac{(\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q})^2}{2\omega} + \sin\left(L \frac{(\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q})^2}{2\omega}\right)}{[(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{q})^2 / 2\omega]^2},$$

we shift the Yukawa potential by a 3-momentum $q_0 = (\mathbf{q}_0, q_l)$ proportional to the flow field.

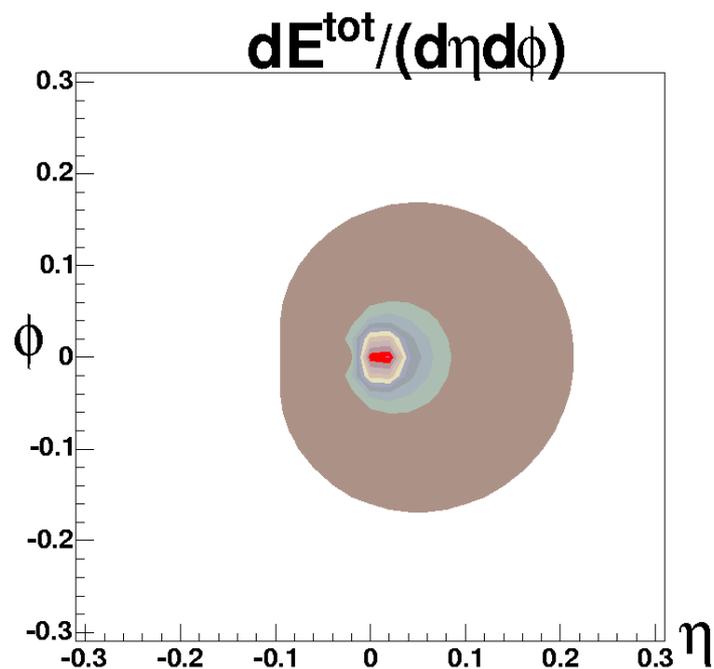
(Armesto, Salgado, Wiedemann hep-ph/0405301)

$$|a(\mathbf{q})|^2 = \frac{\mu^2}{\pi [\mathbf{q}^2 + \mu^2]^2} \longrightarrow \frac{\mu^2}{\pi [(\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{q}_0)^2 + \mu^2]^2}.$$

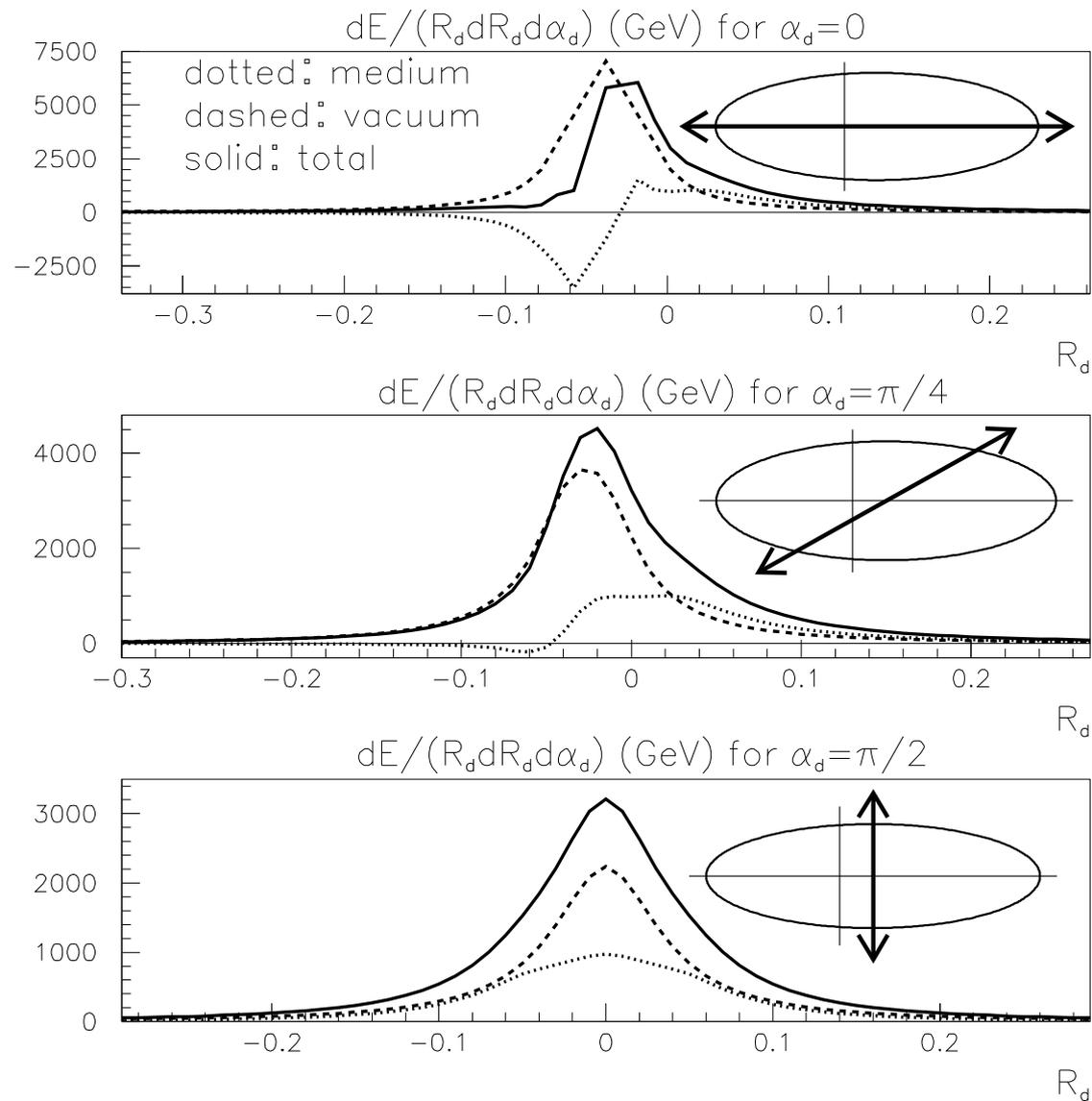
⇒ In the comoving frame $\langle k^2 \rangle \sim \mu^2$, $\Delta E \sim \alpha_s n_0 \mu^2 L^2$.

⇒ q_0 characterizes the additional (asymmetric) momentum transfer.

Jet energy distribution

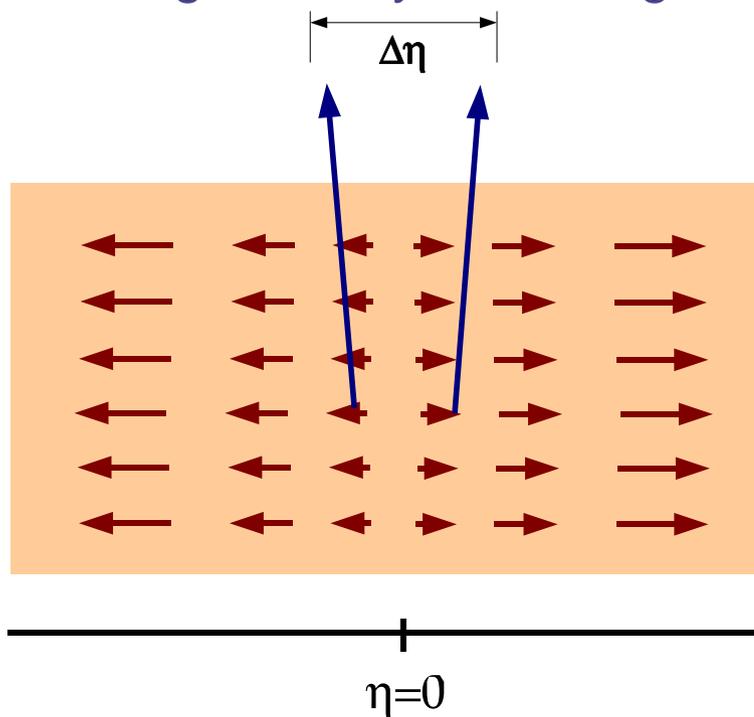


Flow in the $+z$ direction



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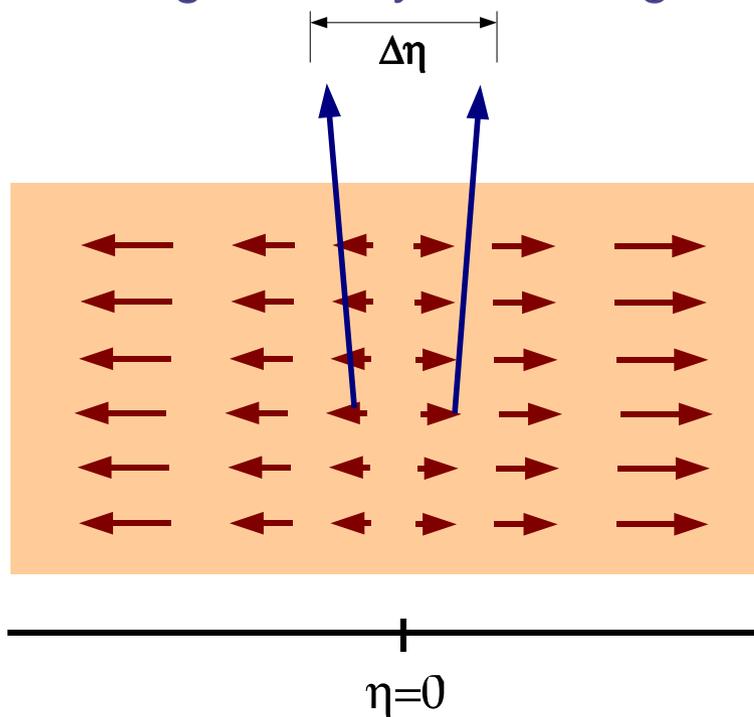
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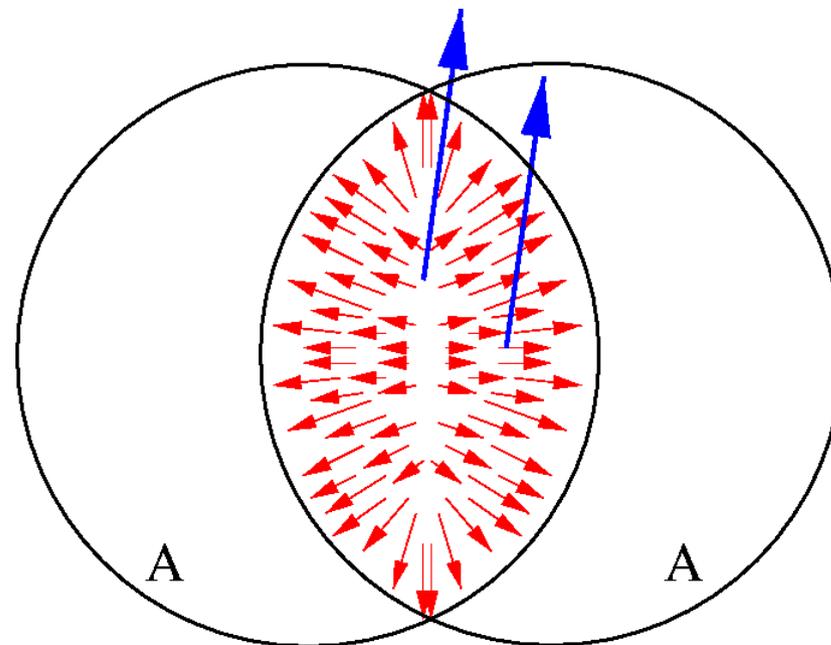
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Radial flow



Could it be seen in the elliptic flow v_2 ?

Magnitude of the effect

Energy–momentum tensor characterizes bulk properties of the medium

$$T^{\mu\nu}(x) = (\epsilon + p) u^\mu u^\nu - p g^{\mu\nu}$$

The transport coefficient \hat{q} (Baier 2002)

$$\hat{q} [\text{GeV}^2/\text{fm}] = c \epsilon^{3/4} \left[(\text{GeV}/\text{fm}^3)^{3/4} \right].$$

Taking $\epsilon = 3P$, $\hat{q} \propto p^{3/4}$, $p = T^{zz}$

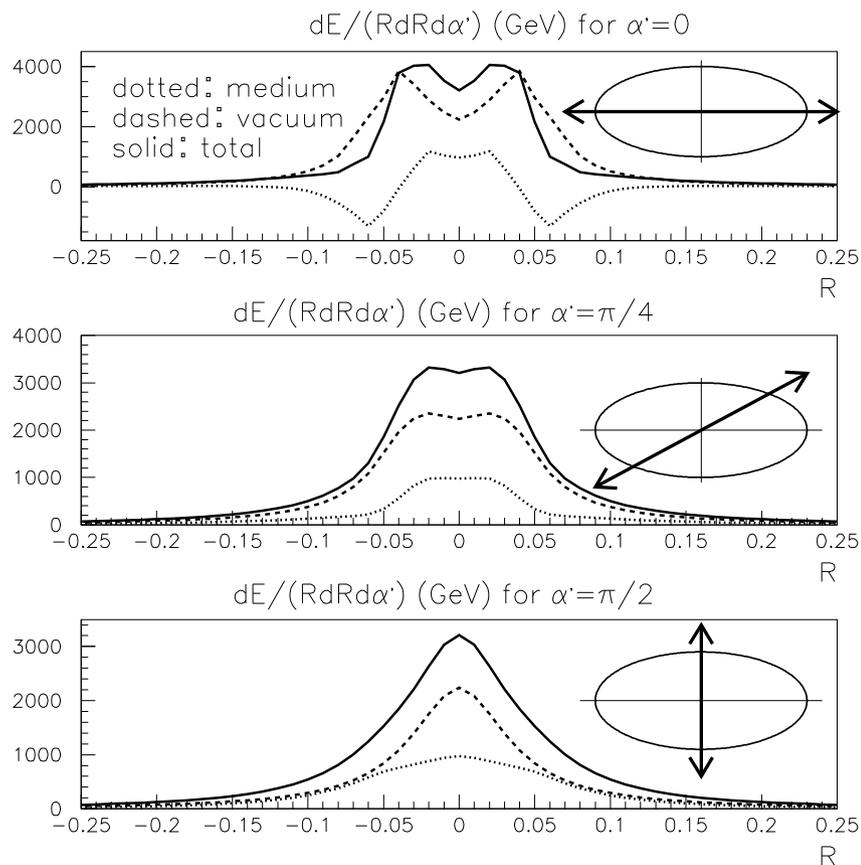
In the presence of a longitudinal flow field $u^\mu = (1, \vec{\beta}) / \sqrt{1 - \beta^2}$

$$T^{zz} = p + \Delta p; \quad \Delta p = (\epsilon + p) u^z u^z = 4p\beta^2 / (1 - \beta^2)$$

For $\eta = \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta} = 0.5, 1, 1.5$ we obtain an increase $\Delta p/p = 1, 5, 18$.

Longitudinal flow

Jet energy distributions for a flow directed in the $\pm z$ directions.

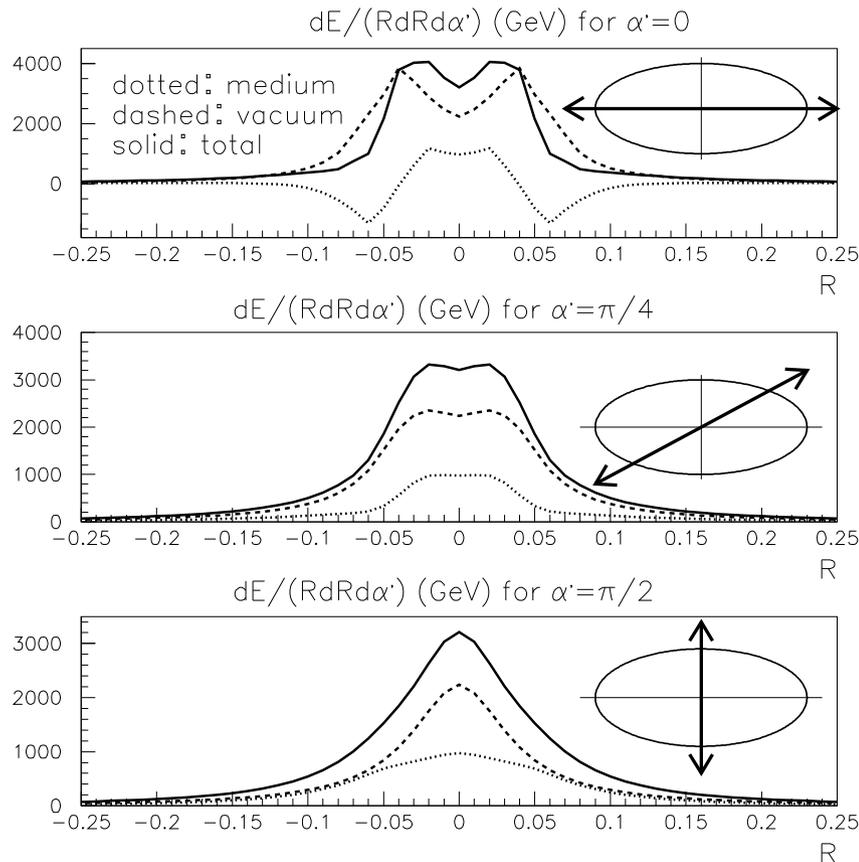


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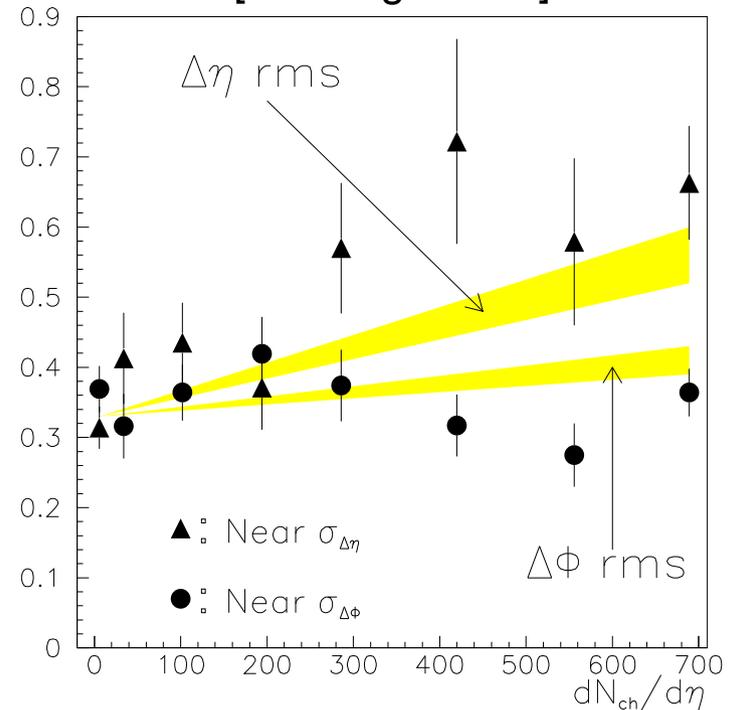


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Estimation of the effect for the case of RHIC (STAR preliminary)

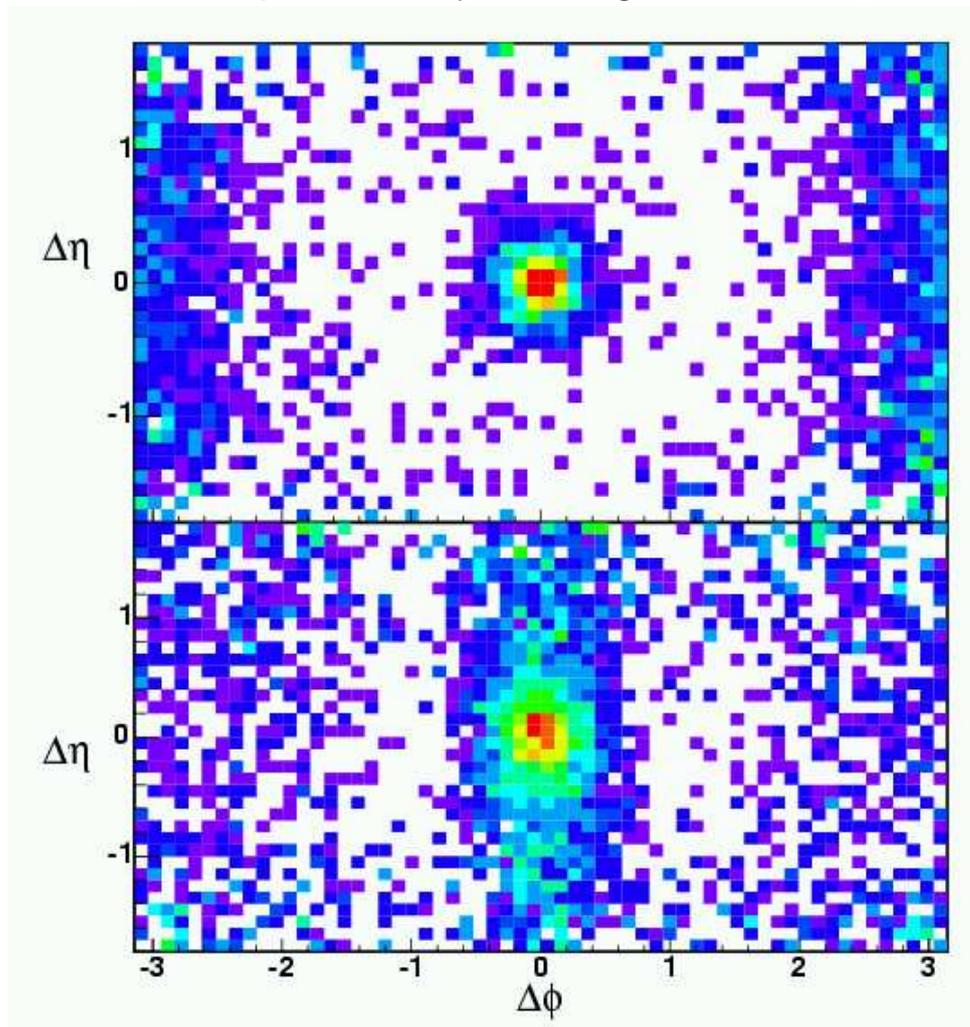
[F. Wang QM04]



Band corresponds to $q_0/\mu = 2 \div 4$
Broadening in the η -direction more important than in ϕ -direction.

Elongation in η -direction

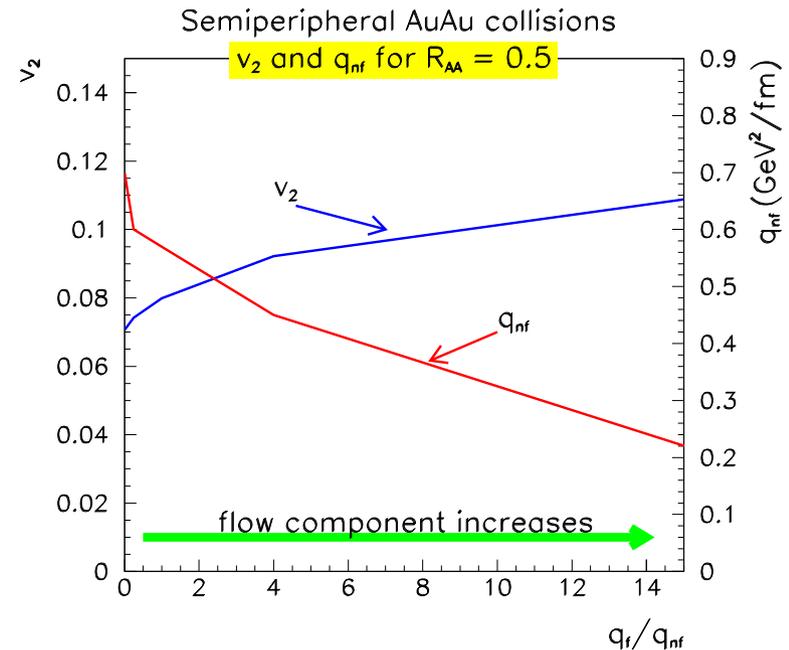
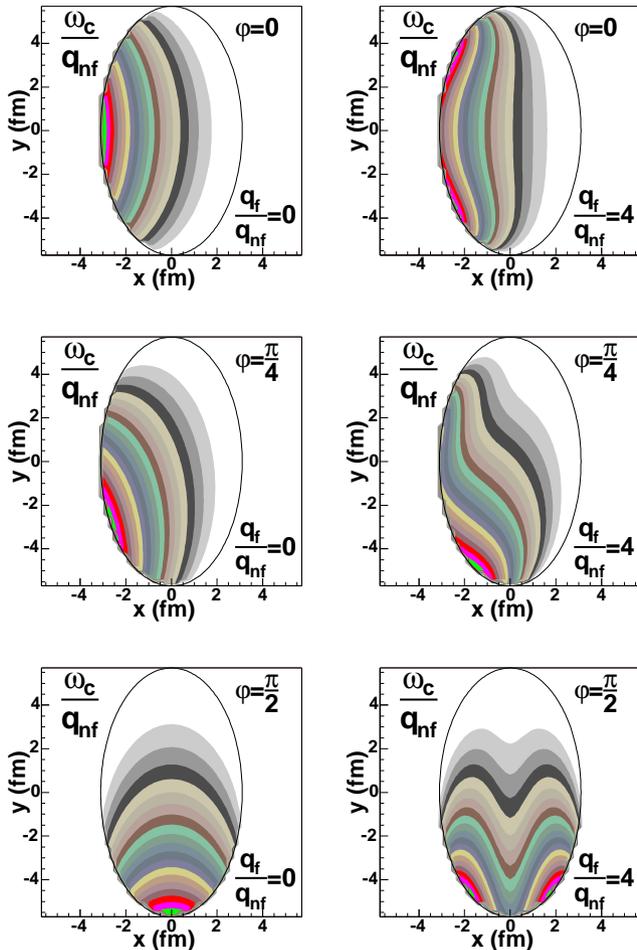
[STAR preliminary, D. Magestro HP04]



$$3 \text{ GeV} < p_t^{\text{trigg}} < 6 \text{ GeV}; \quad 2 \text{ GeV} < p_t^{\text{assoc}} < p_t^{\text{trigg}}$$

Inclusive particle and elliptic flow

$$\Delta E \sim \omega_c(\mathbf{r}_0, \phi) = \int d\xi \xi (q_{nf} + q_f |u_T(\mathbf{r}_0(\xi)) \cdot \mathbf{n}_T|^2) \Omega(\mathbf{r}_0, \phi)$$



- ⇒ Correlation of the suppression w.r.t the reaction plane (v_2) affected by the flow component.
- ⇒ More flow \Rightarrow smaller density for the same suppression

[Armesto, Salgado, Wiedemann (2004)]

Conclusions

- ⇒ Inclusive particle production presents limitations in the characterization of the medium.
 - ↪ Study less inclusive observables
- ⇒ Jet–broadening directly related to energy loss by medium–induced gluon radiation.
 - ↪ Measure jet structure in HIC (control over multiplicity background).
- ⇒ A flow field in the medium produces additional (anisotropic) gluon radiation
 - ↪ Asymmetric jet shapes (elongation in η -direction).
 - ↪ Contributes to v_2 and suppression (can this explain the opacity problem?)
- ⇒ First jet observables sensitive to the dynamics of the medium.
 - ↪ Study the space–time–momentum picture of the collision with high- p_t particles.