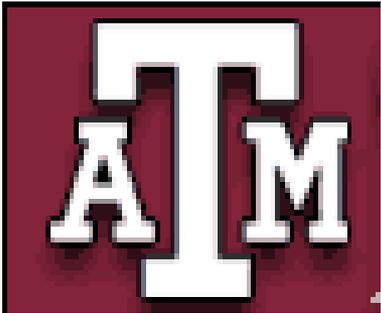


# Heavy quark diffusion and hadronization in dense matter

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- Hadronization: coalescence vs fragmentation
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- Transport coefficient: quark-hadron duality?!

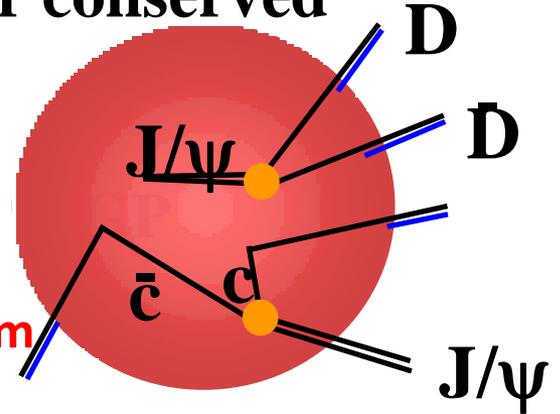
## 4. Summary

# Introduction: HQ probe

- ◆ primordial hard production + number conserved
- ◆ thermalization delayed

$$\tau_Q \approx \frac{m_Q}{T} \tau_q \approx 6 * \tau_q \geq \tau_{QGP}$$

→ Heavy quarks make a direct probe for the medium



- ◆ HQ energy loss:

gluon radiation: dead cone  $\theta \leq m_Q/E$  + DGLV HQ puzzle

elastic scattering:  $-\frac{dE}{dx} = \gamma P$  uncorrelated momenta kick

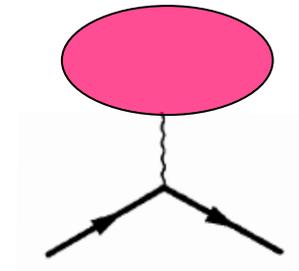
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \gamma \frac{\partial(pf)}{\partial p} + D \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial p^2}$$

$$p_{th} \sim \sqrt{3m_Q T} \gg T \sim q_{tr}$$

thermalization rate; diffusion coefficient

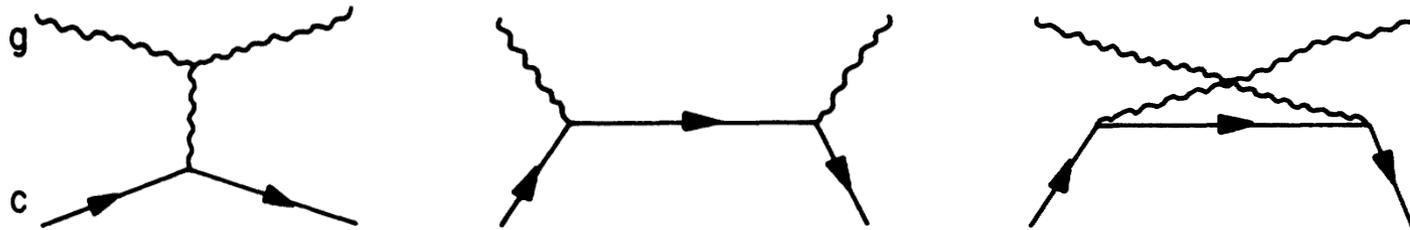
$$\gamma \sim \int |T_{Qq}|^2 (1 - \cos \theta) f^q$$

$$D = \gamma m_Q T$$



# Introduction: HQ probe (continued)

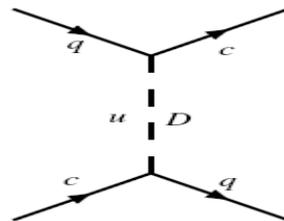
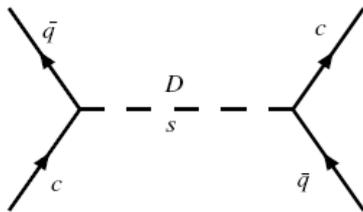
## ◆ pQCD elastic collisions B. Combridge, 1978



various **weakly coupled** (pQCD) scenarios for HQ transport:

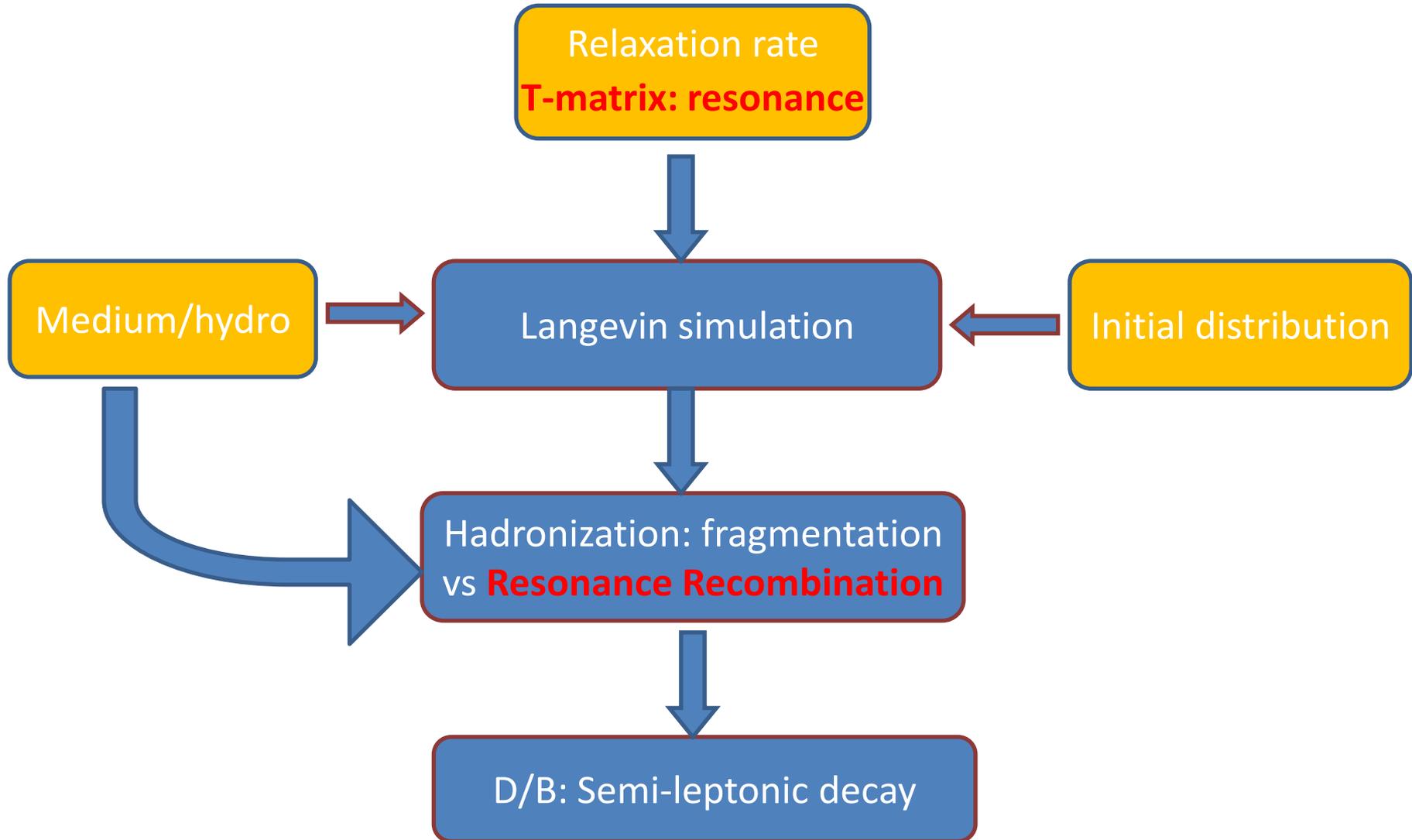
Moore & Teaney, 2005; Gossiaux & Aichelin, 2008; Alberico et al., 2011; J.Uploff et al., 2010; ...  
 running coupling, Debye screening, K-factor?

## ◆ Resonant scattering: non-perturbative van Hees, Greco & Rapp, 2005, 2006

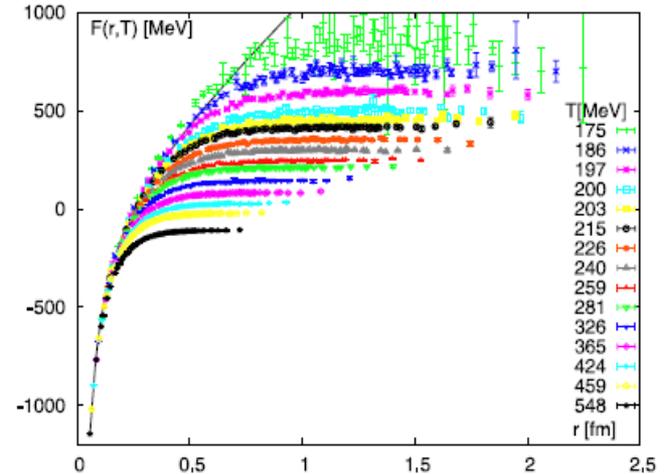
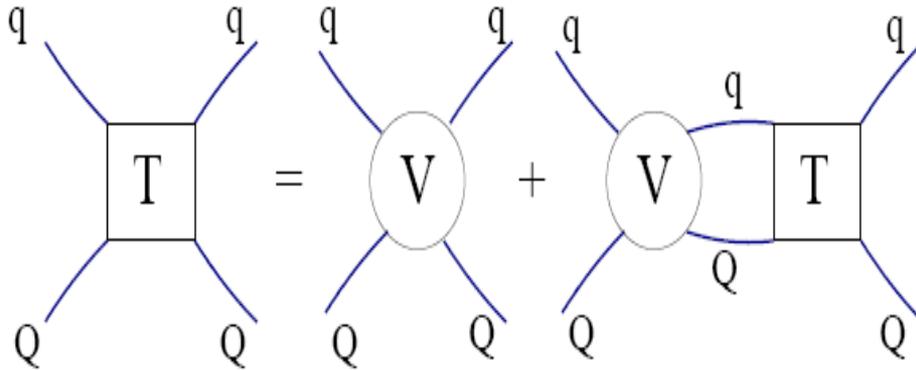


**strongly coupled scenario**

# A strongly coupled framework: HQ



# Relaxation rate: T-matrix



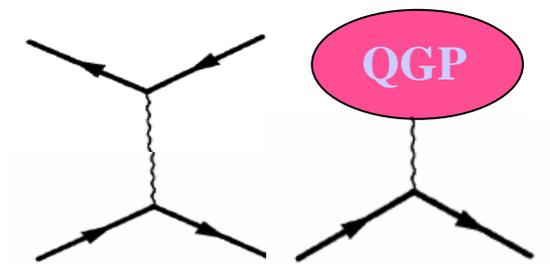
◆ static approximation  $q_0 \approx \vec{q}^2 / 2m_Q \ll |\vec{q}|$

◆ lattice potential: Kaczmarek,2008  $U = F - T \frac{\partial F}{\partial T}$  → Resummation !!!

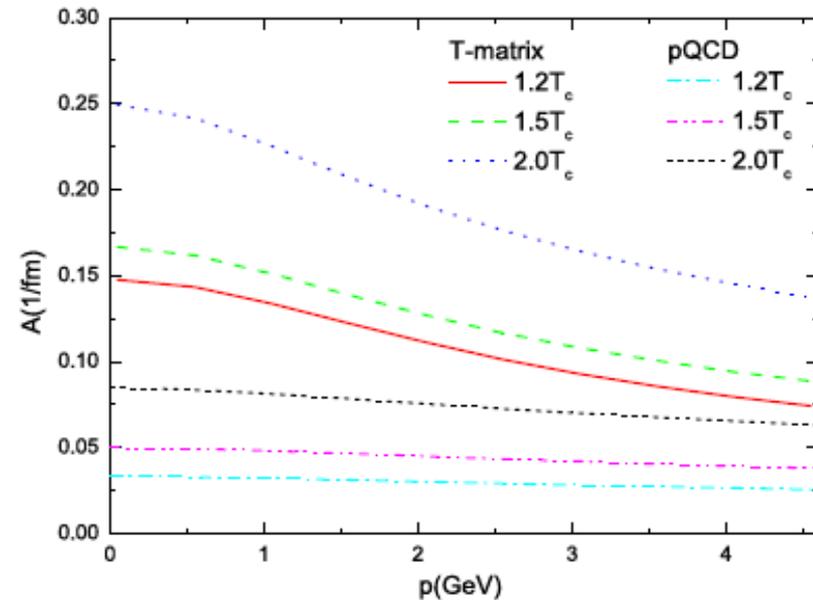
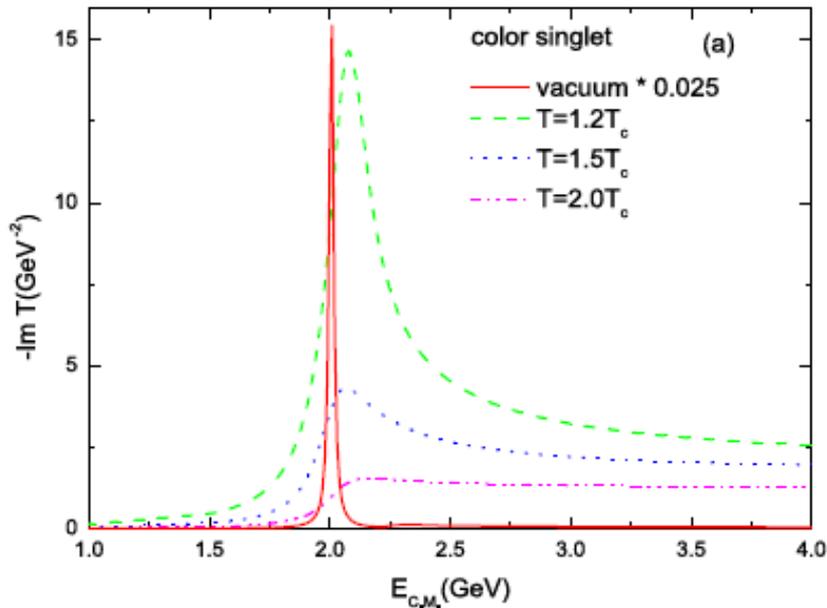
◆ open/hidden heavy flavor vacuum spectroscopy reproduced: Riek & Rapp,2010

- ◆ heavy quarkonia (bound states)
- ◆ heavy quark transport (scattering states)

↪ Common basis & mutual constraints



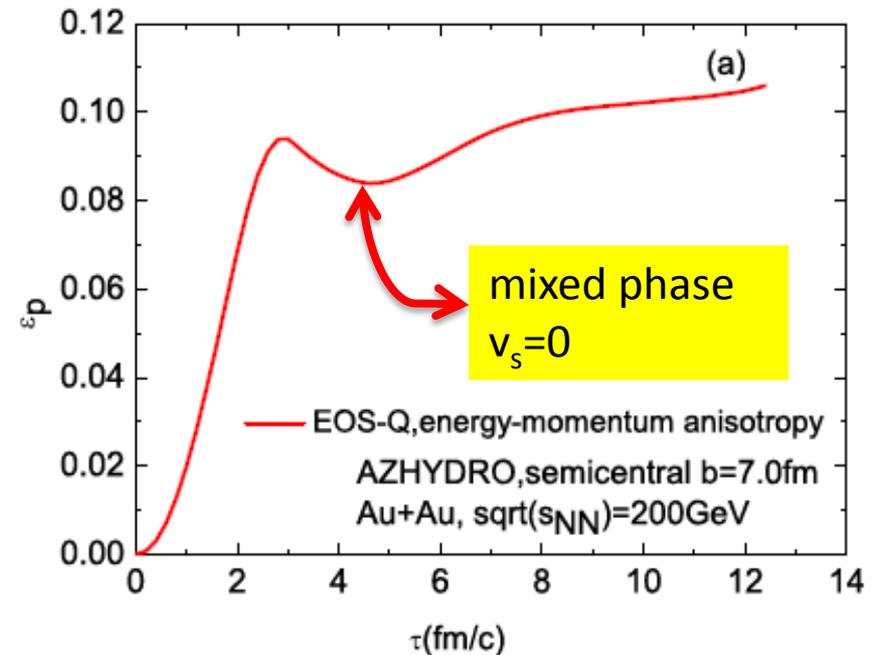
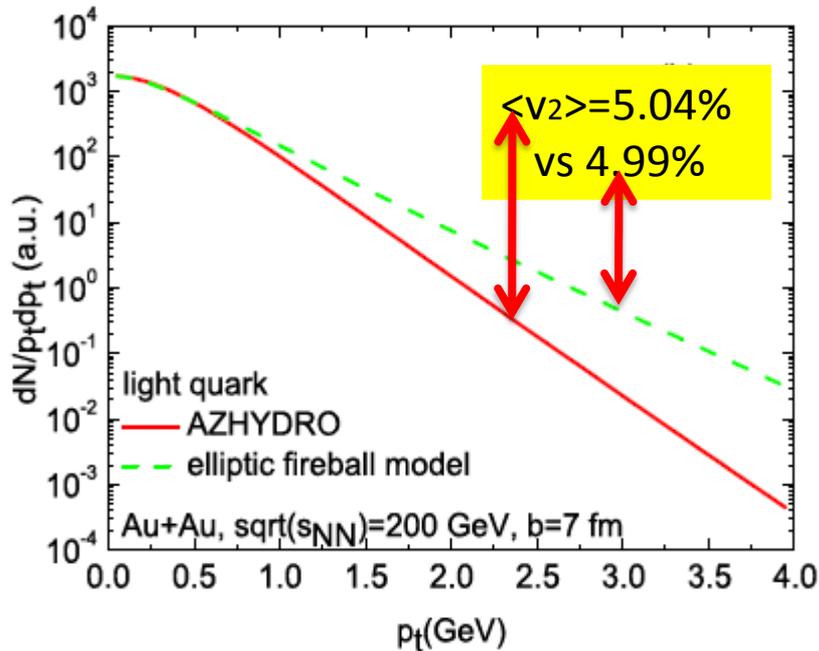
# Relaxation rate: T-matrix (continued)



- ◆ T-matrix **resummation** → color singlet and anti-triplet broad **Feshbach resonances** up to  $\sim 1.5 T_c$
- ◆ this **resonance correlation** will be reiterated in our hadronization-coalescence model

- ◆ T-matrix relaxation rate: a factor  $\sim 4-5$  larger than LO pQCD at  $T=1.2 T_c$
- ◆ T-dependence: **screening potential** vs light parton density; p-dependence: less contribution from **threshold Feshbach resonance** as p increases

# QGP medium: AZHYDRO vs fireball

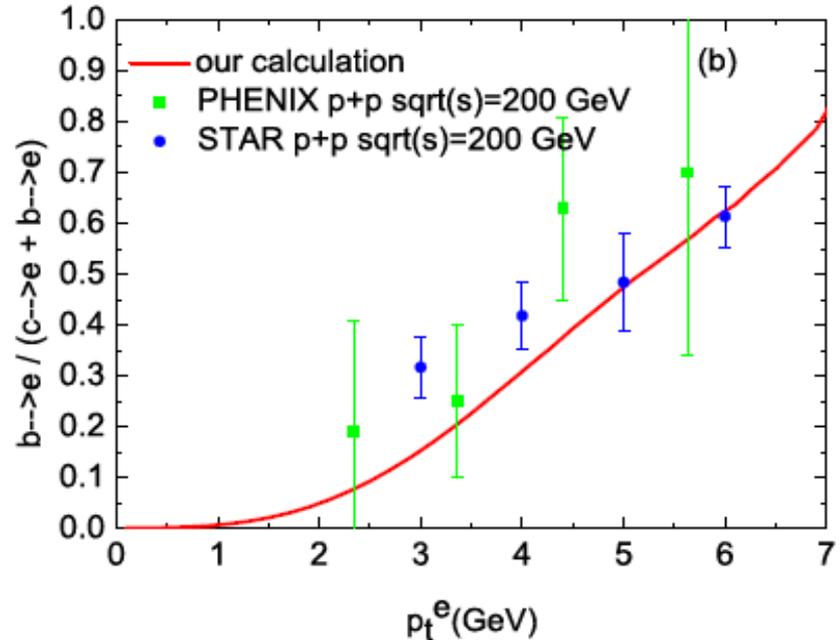
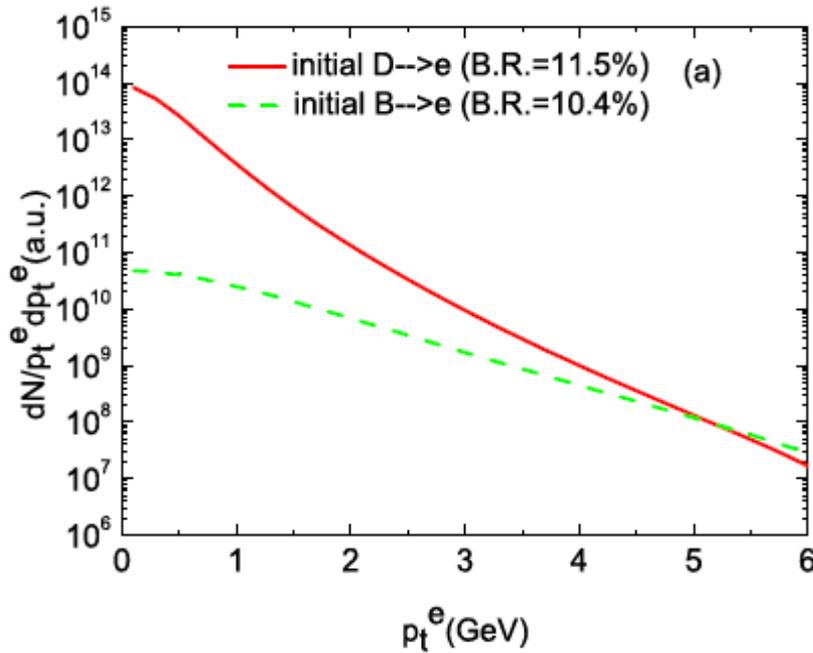


◆ AZHYDRO: initialization time  $\tau_0 = 0.6 \text{ fm}/c$ , boost invariant

Cooper-Frye freezeout: the end of mixed phase  $e_{\text{dec}} = 0.445 \text{ GeV}/\text{fm}^3$ ,  $T_{\text{dec}} = 165 \text{ MeV}$

◆ **Elliptic fireball**: tune to fit to multi-strange particles' spectra and  $v_2$  at  $T_c$   
c.f. M.He, R.Fries & R.Rapp, 2010, **harder than AZHYDRO, larger flow**

# HQ initial distribution

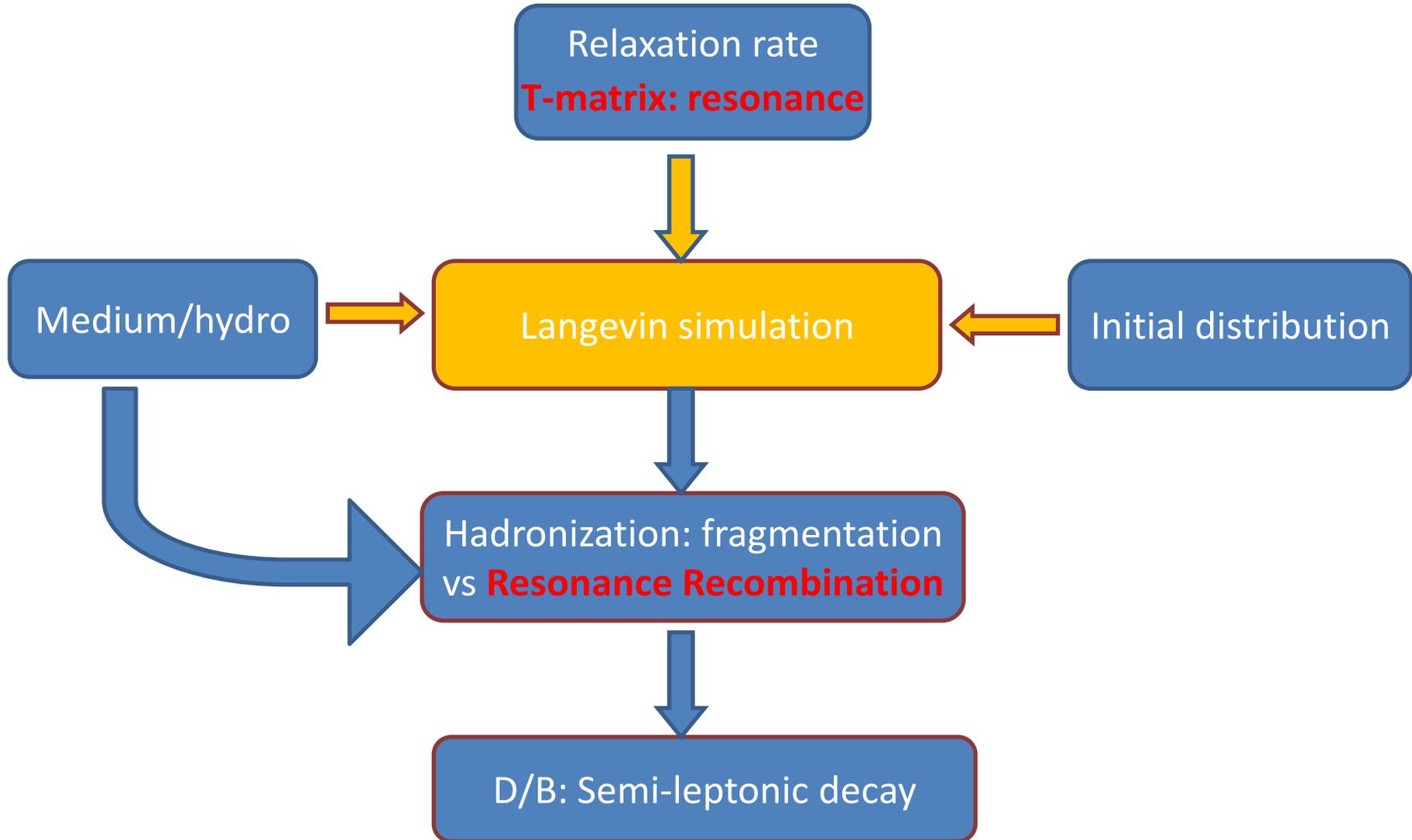


- ◆ initial  $p_t$  spectrum: PYTHIA parametrization
- $B \rightarrow e$  starts to dominate over  $D \rightarrow e$  at  $p_t \sim 5$  GeV

$$\frac{d^2 N_c}{dp_T^2} = C \frac{(p_T + A)^2}{(1 + p_T/B)^\alpha}$$

- ◆ Initial spatial distribution: Glauber binary collision density  $n_{BC}(x,y)$

# A strongly coupled framework: HQ

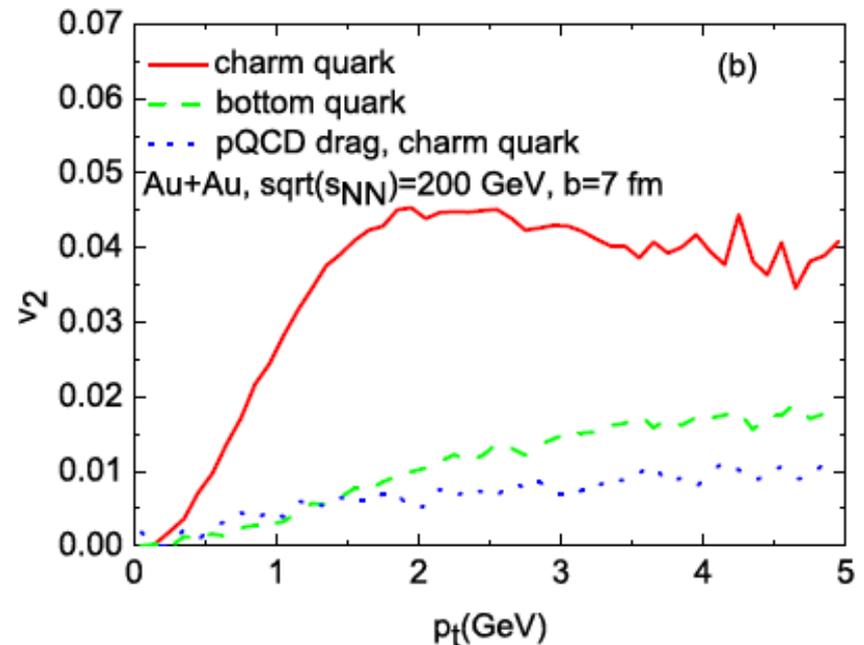
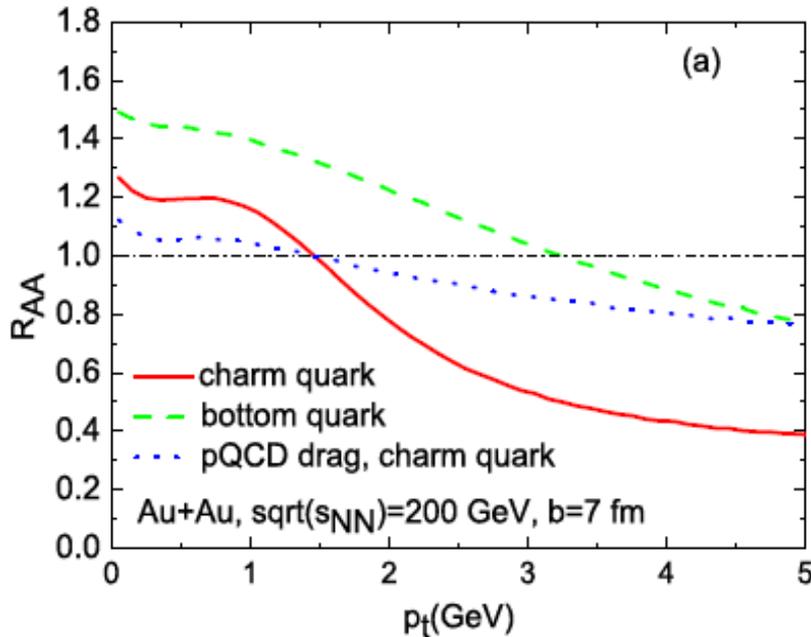


# Langevin simulation of HQ diffusion

◆ Langevin + AZHYDRO simulation  
fluid rest frame updates  $\rightarrow$  boost to lab frame

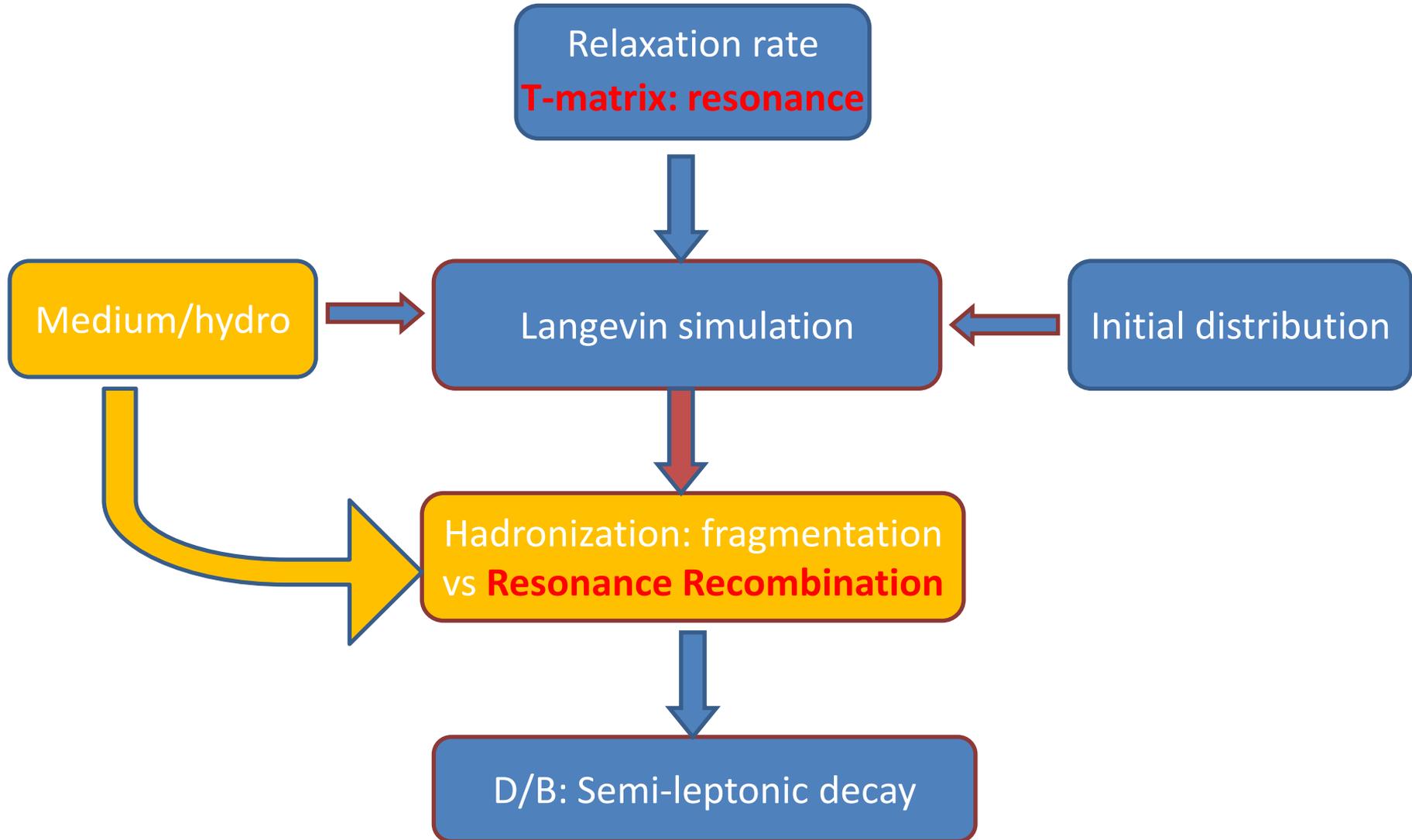
$$d\mathbf{x} = \frac{\mathbf{p}}{E} dt,$$

$$d\mathbf{p} = -\Gamma(p)\mathbf{p}dt + \sqrt{2D(\mathbf{p} + d\mathbf{p})} dt\rho$$



- ◆ quenching: early stage when medium particles' density is high
- ◆  $v_2$  : develops at later stage when the medium particles'  $v_2$  is large

# A strongly coupled framework: HQ



# Hadronization: Resonance

## Recombination

◆ Hadronization = Resonance formation  $c\bar{q} \rightarrow D$

→ consistent with T-matrix findings of resonance correlations towards  $T_c$

◆ Realized by Boltzmann equation Ravagli & Rapp, 2007

$$p^\mu \partial_\mu f_M(t, \vec{x}, \vec{p}) = -m\Gamma f_M(t, \vec{x}, \vec{p}) + p^0 \beta(\vec{x}, \vec{p})$$

$$\beta(\vec{x}, \vec{p}) = \int \frac{d^3 p_1 d^3 p_2}{(2\pi)^6} f_q(\vec{x}, \vec{p}_1) f_{\bar{q}}(\vec{x}, \vec{p}_2) \times \sigma(s) v_{\text{rel}}(\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2) \delta^3(\vec{p} - \vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_2)$$

gain term

Breit-Wigner

$$\sigma(s) = g_\sigma \frac{4\pi}{k^2} \frac{(\Gamma m)^2}{(s - m^2) + (\Gamma m)^2}$$

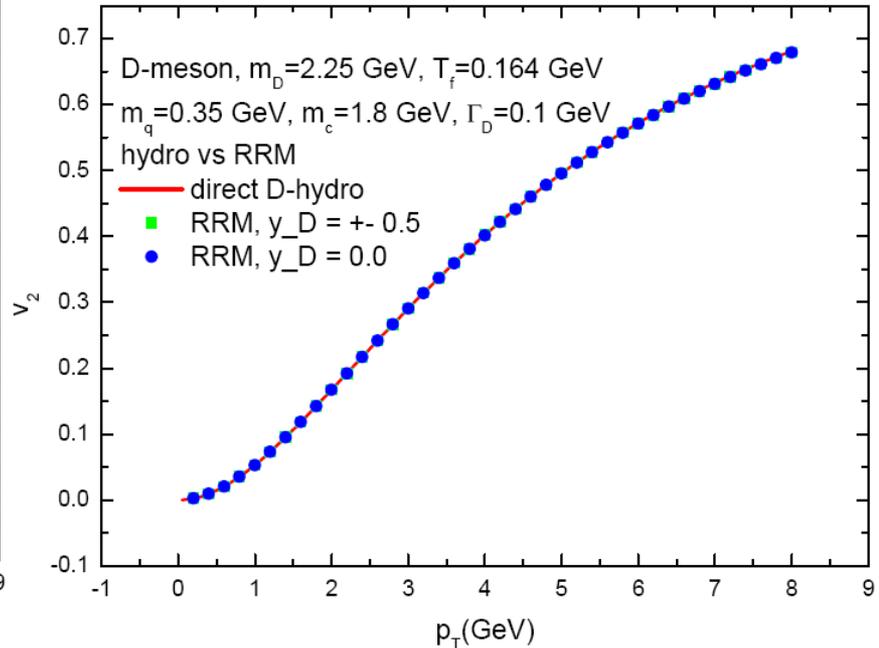
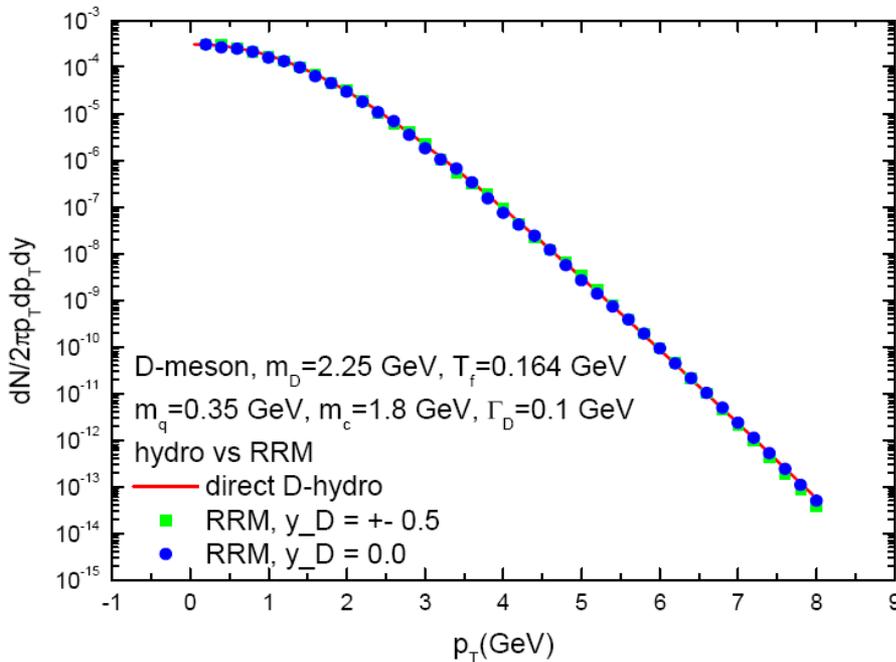
◆ Equilibrium limit  $f_M^{\text{eq}}(\vec{p}) = \frac{E_M(\vec{p})}{m\Gamma} \int d^3 x \beta(\vec{x}, \vec{p})$

◆ Energy conservation + detailed balance



equilibrium mapping

# Equilibrium Quark $\rightarrow$ Equilibrium Meson

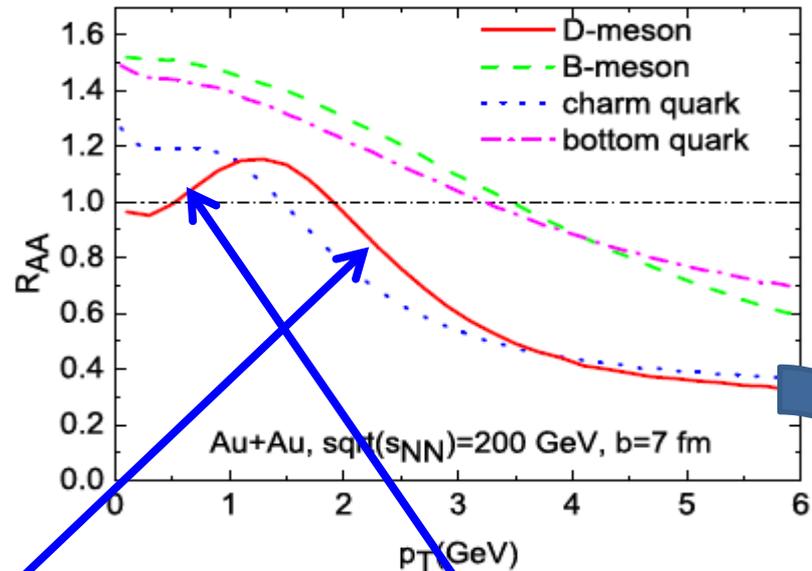
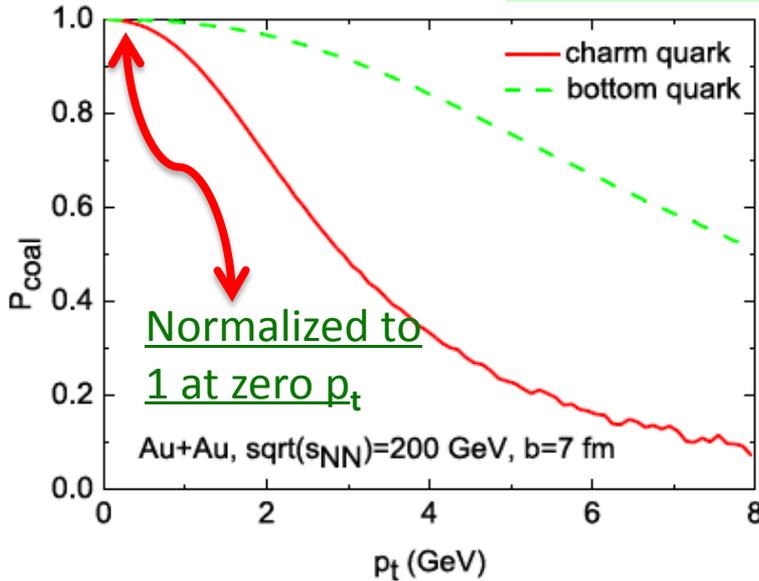


◆ Kolb-Heinz AZHYDRO: **space-momentum correlation** at freezeout included, excellent **equilibrium mapping** achieved; **boost invariance** preserved  
 c.f. **M. He, R. J. Fries & R. Rapp, 2010**

$\rightarrow$  **RRM** (compared to instantaneous coalescence models) quite facilitates the description of the transition from low  $p_T$  (equilibrium) to intermediate  $p_T$  (kinetic) region in heavy-light quark recombination

# Hadronization: coal. vs frag.

- ◆ charm quark coal. prob. based on scattering rate:  $P_{coal}(p_t) = \tau_{res} \gamma_Q(p_t)$
- ◆ supplemented by  $D(z) = \delta(z-1)$  fragmentation

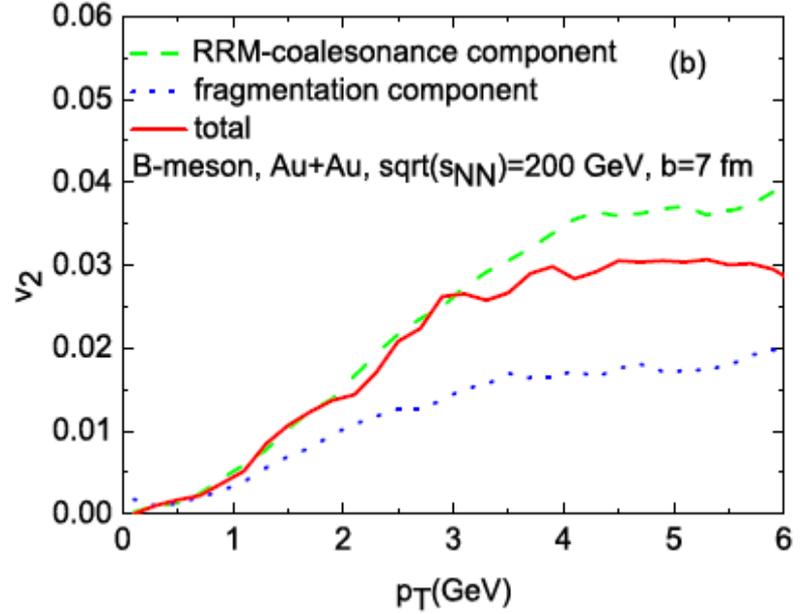
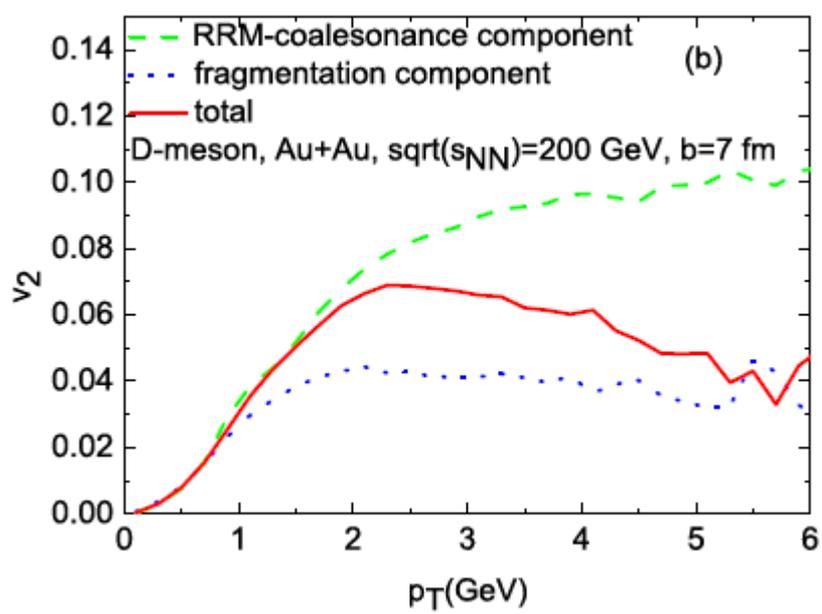


◆ At  $p_T \sim 1.5-4.0$  GeV, coalescence adds momentum to D,  $R_{AA}$  increases from c to D

◆ At low  $p_T$ ,  $D-R_{AA}$  gets a dip, not present for charm; **flow depletion** on D, **captured by c-q RRM**

**Coalescence acts as an extra interaction, driving D-spectrum closer to equilibrium, which also explains D-spectrum slightly below c at high  $p_T$**

# Hadronization: coal. vs frag.(cond.)



◆ coal. vs frag. :relatively normalized with the calculated coal. prob.

◆ fragmentation: preserves the HQ  $v_2$  from c/b → D/B

$$\frac{dN_D^{total}}{dyd^2 p_T} = \frac{dN_D^{coal}}{dyd^2 p_T} + \frac{dN_D^{frag}}{dyd^2 p_T}$$

coalescence: adds  $v_2$  from the light quarks to D/B mesons

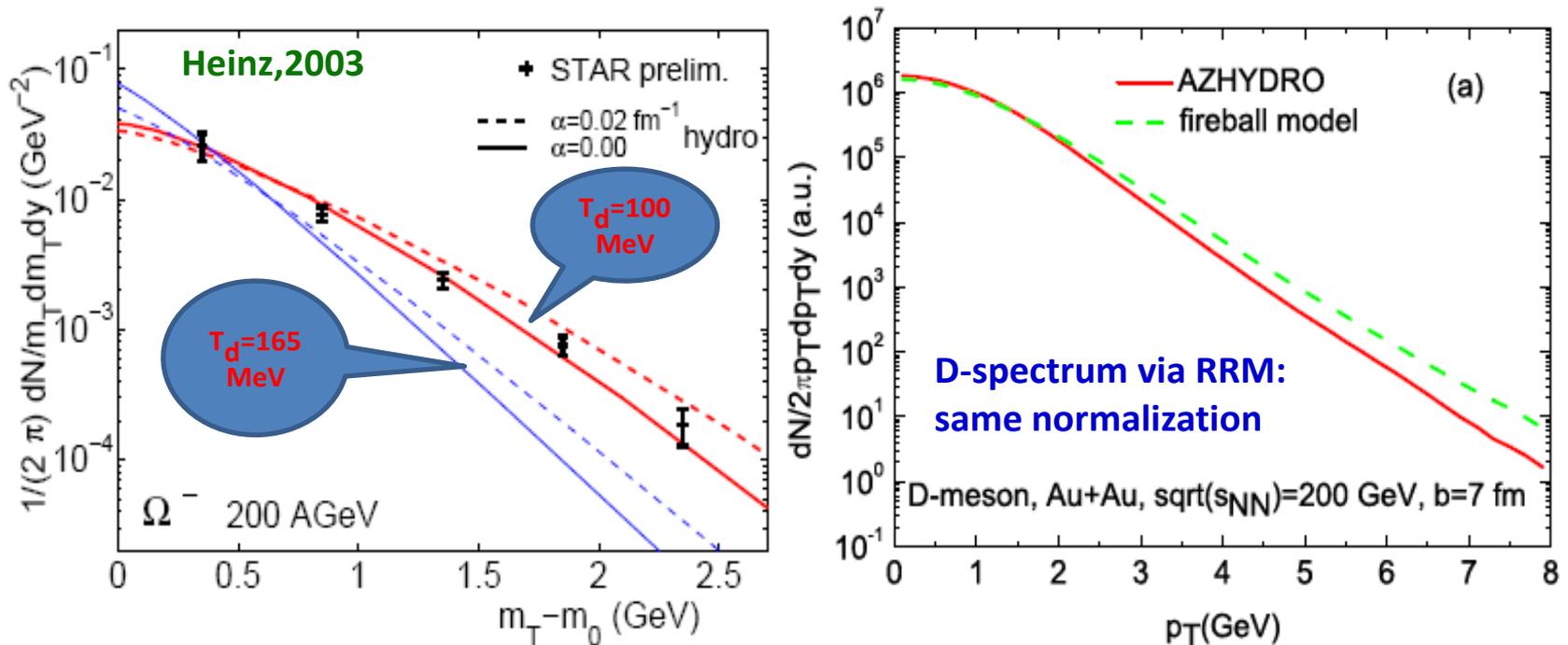
◆ RRM properly accounts for **space-momentum correlation** built up via Langevin + hydro for HQ + q → enables us to analyze medium flow effect

# What's missing: medium flow

- ◆ multi-strange hadrons  $\phi, \Omega, \Xi$  decouple close to  $T_c$

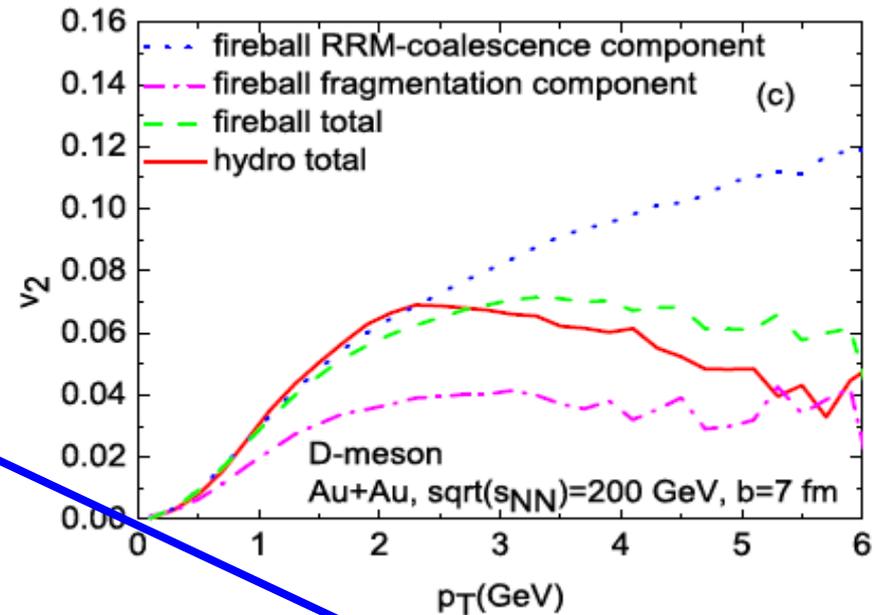
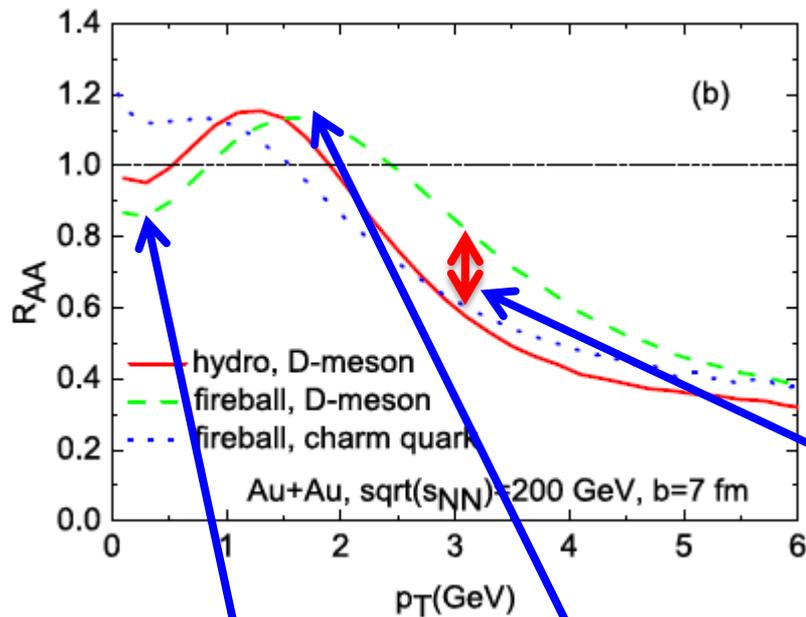
STAR, 2005; Mohanty & Xu, 2009; M.He, R.Fries & R.Rapp, 2010

- ➔ Important to tune hydro flow to fit to multi-strange hadrons' spectra at  $T_c$



- ◆ AZHYDRO underestimates the flow close to  $T_c$ ; mixed phase  $v_s = 0 \rightarrow$  lattice EOS
- ◆ fireball model (Page8): tuned to fit to multistrange hadrons' spectra and  $v_2$  at  $T_c \rightarrow$  light quark spectrum harder  $\rightarrow$  D spectrum via RRM harder !!!

# Medium flow effect via RRM (continued)



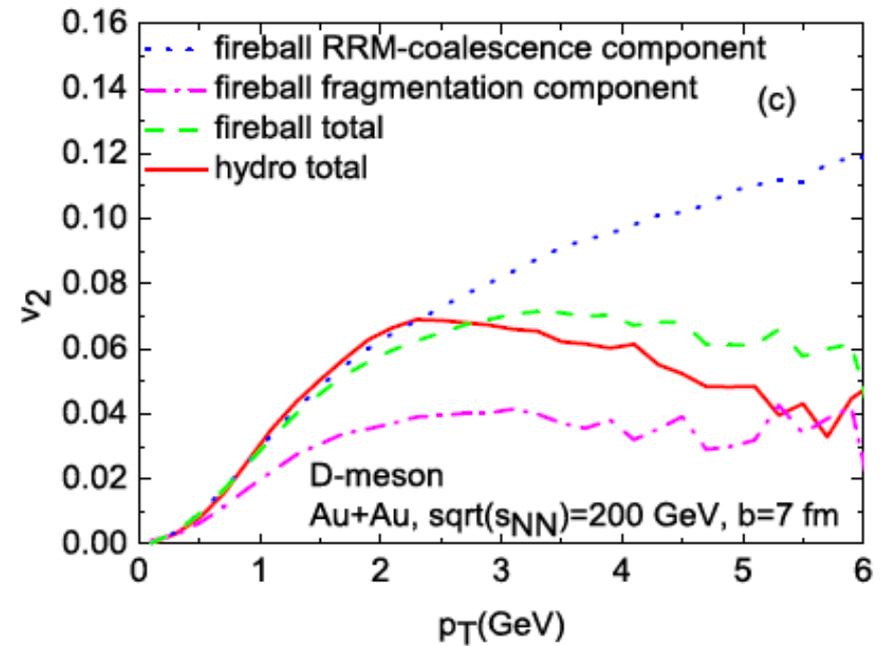
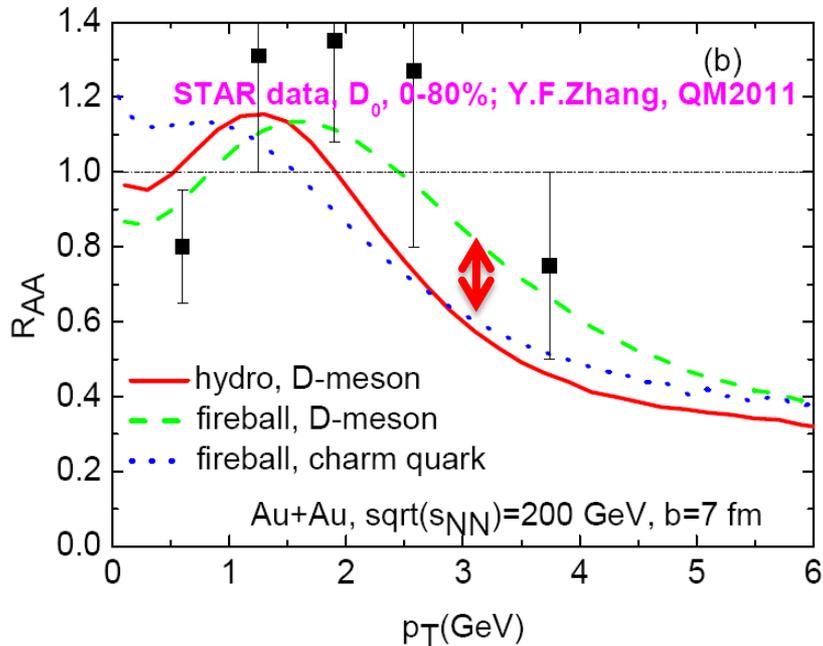
dip more prominent

bump shifted to higher  $p_T$

$C \rightarrow D$   $R_{AA}$ , more increase

- ◆ RRM admits equilibrium mapping between quark and meson distributions, thus able to capture the remarkable flow effect via heavy-light coalescence
- ◆ D-meson  $v_2$  receives a modest increase at  $p_T > 2.5$  GeV, also due to larger flow

# Medium flow effect via RRM (continued)



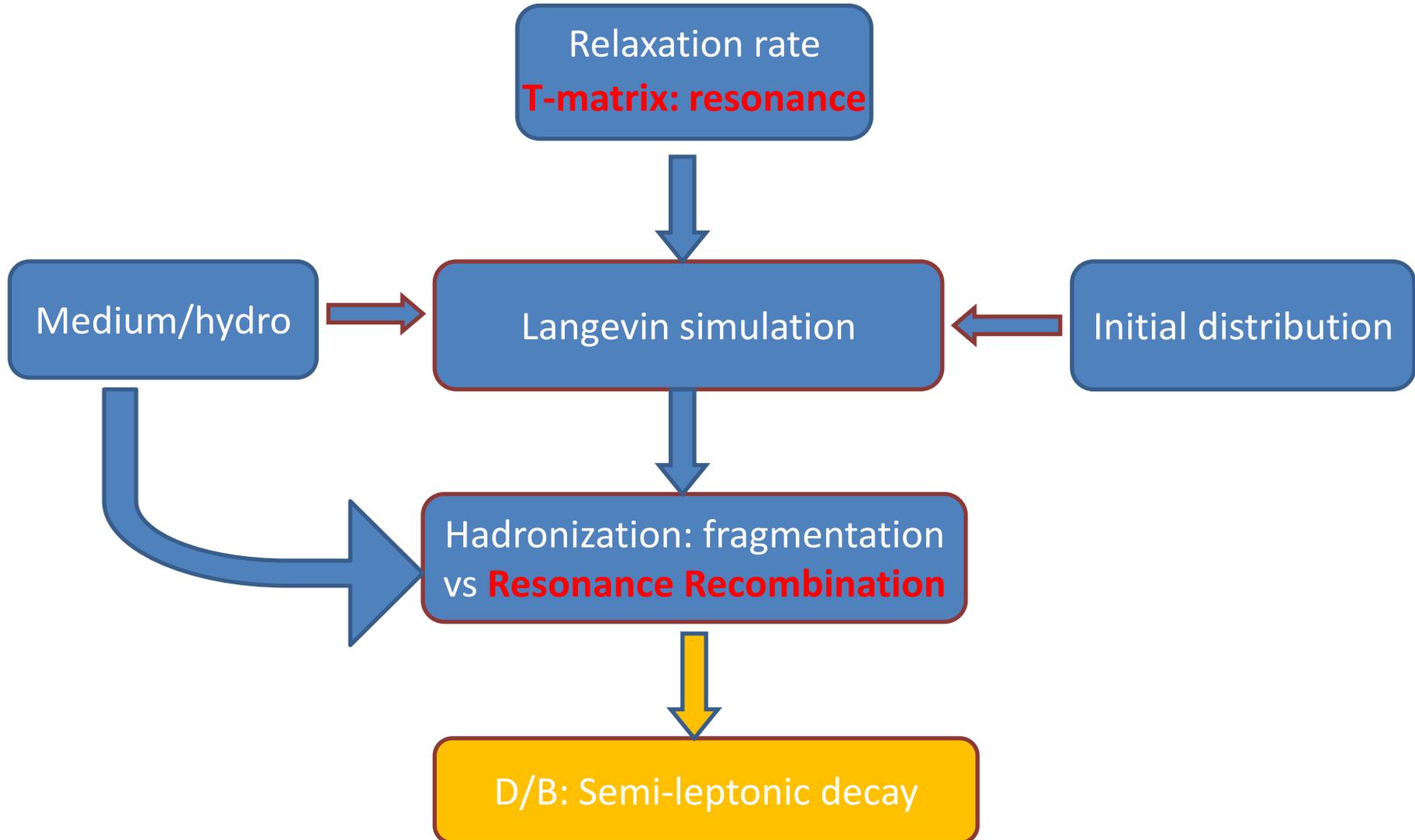
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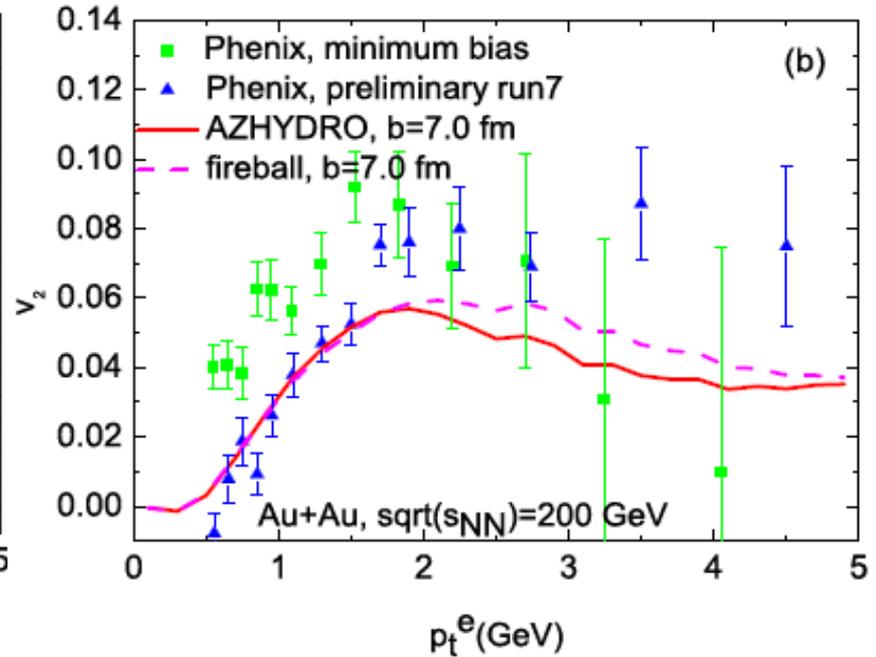
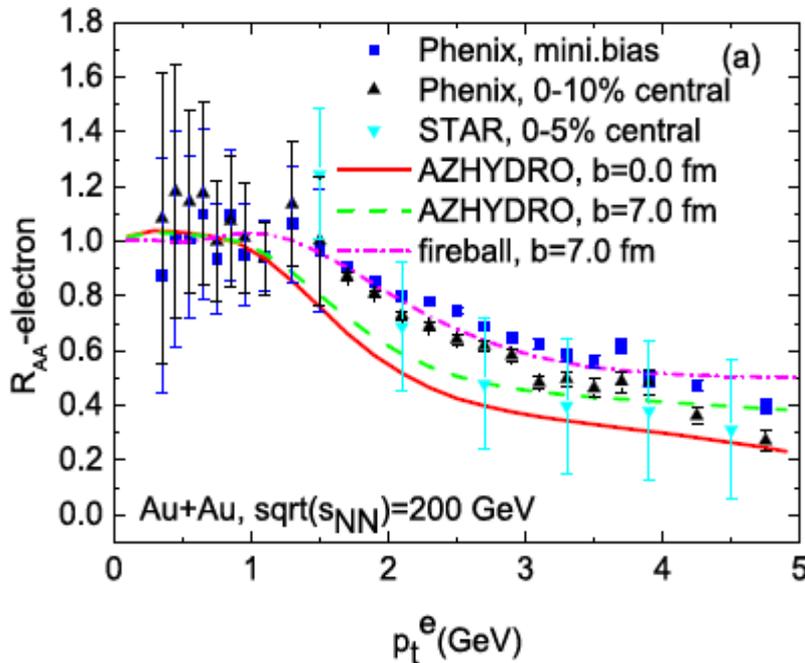
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- ◆ qualitatively/semi-quantitatively reproduce the data behavior: dip, bump
- ◆ fireball model with larger medium flow gets better agreement with data  
 → correct flow at  $T_c$  important!

# A strongly coupled framework: HQ

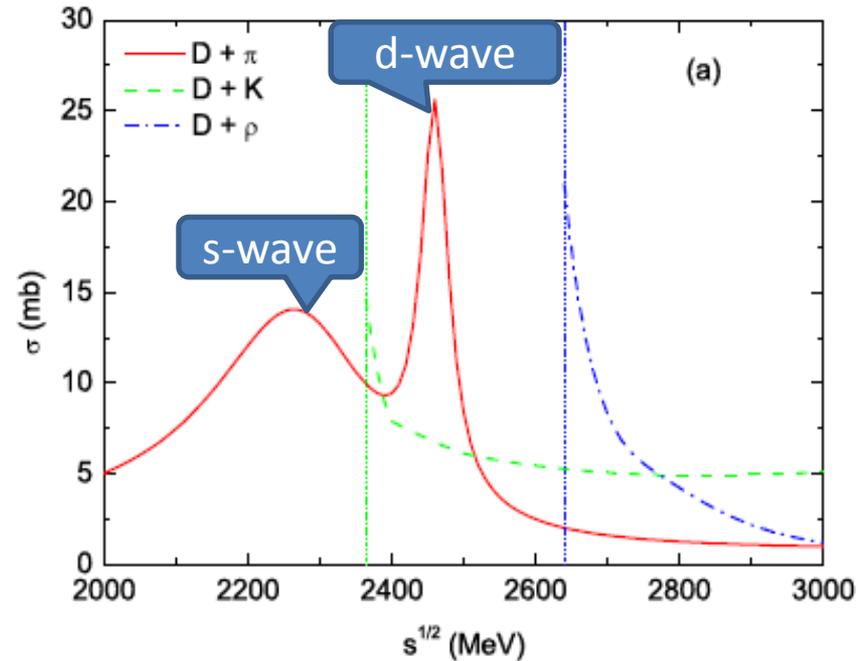
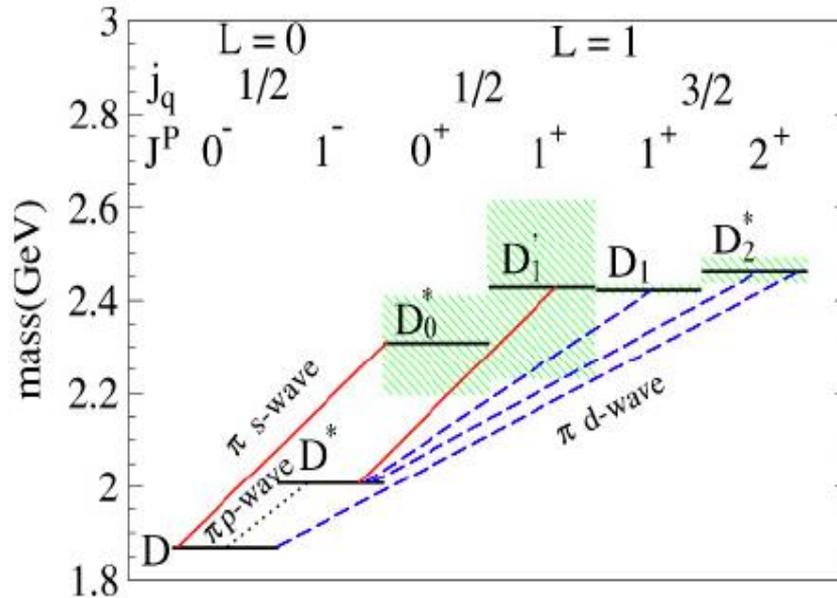


# Non-photonic decay electrons



- ◆ Monte-Carlo simulation, free quark decay  $c(b) \rightarrow s(c) + e + \nu$ ,  $m_b=5.28$ ,  $m_c=1.87$ ,  $m_s=0.5$ ,  $m_e=0.0005$  GeV; inclusive branching ratios: c:11.5% ; b: 10.4%
- ◆ matrix elements  $\langle |\mathcal{M}|^2 \rangle \propto (p_s \cdot p_\nu)(p_c \cdot p_e)$  and  $\langle |\bar{\mathcal{M}}|^2 \rangle \propto (p_c \cdot p_e)(p_b \cdot p_\nu)$   
hadronic form factors little effect, checked
- ◆ fireball model: better agreement of  $R_{AA} \rightarrow$  correct medium flow important!  
 $v_2$  smaller  $\rightarrow$  hadronic phase diffusion?

# Charm diffusion: pion gas

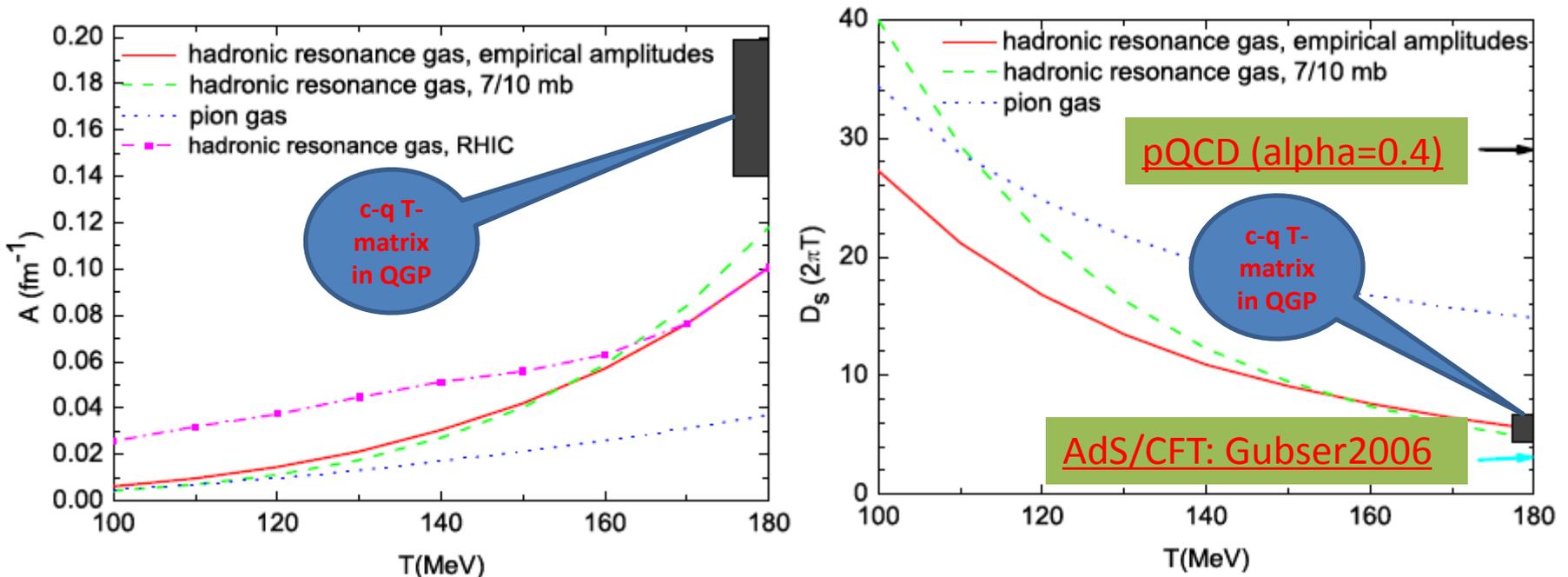


- ◆  $D$  &  $D_0^*$ ,  $D^*$  &  $D_1'$ : chiral partners, large pion s-wave decay width  $\sim 300$  MeV, Fuchs, et al., 2006; BELLE Colla., 2004; also verified by Chiral Unitarized Approach

- ◆  $D + \text{pion} \rightarrow \text{resonance} \rightarrow D + \text{pion}$ : 
$$A_{1/2} = \sum_{j=0,1,2} \frac{8\pi\sqrt{s}}{k} \frac{(2j+1)}{(2j_1+1)(2j_2+1)} \frac{-\sqrt{s}\Gamma_j^{D\pi}}{s - M_j^2 + i\sqrt{s}\Gamma_j^{\text{tot}}}$$

# Charm diffusion: hadronic resonance gas

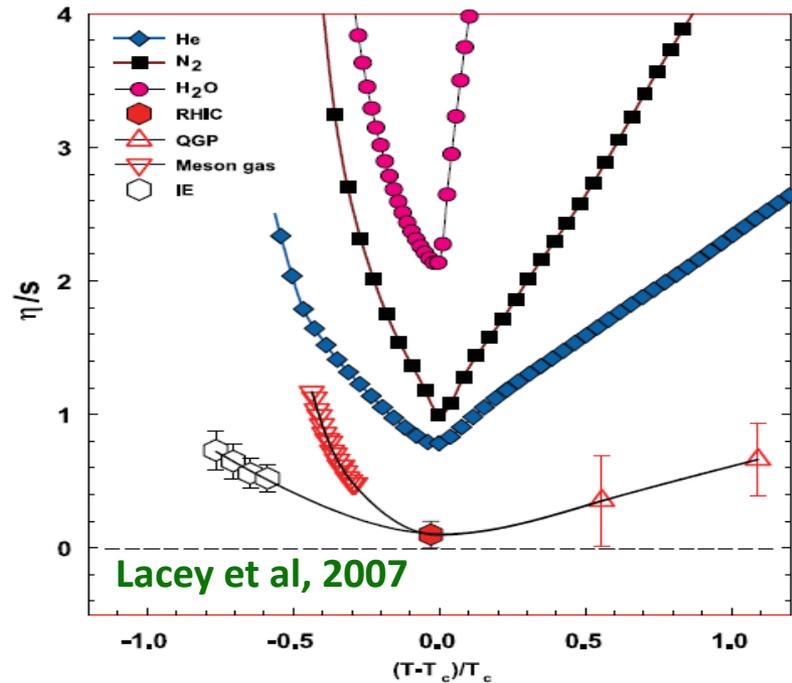
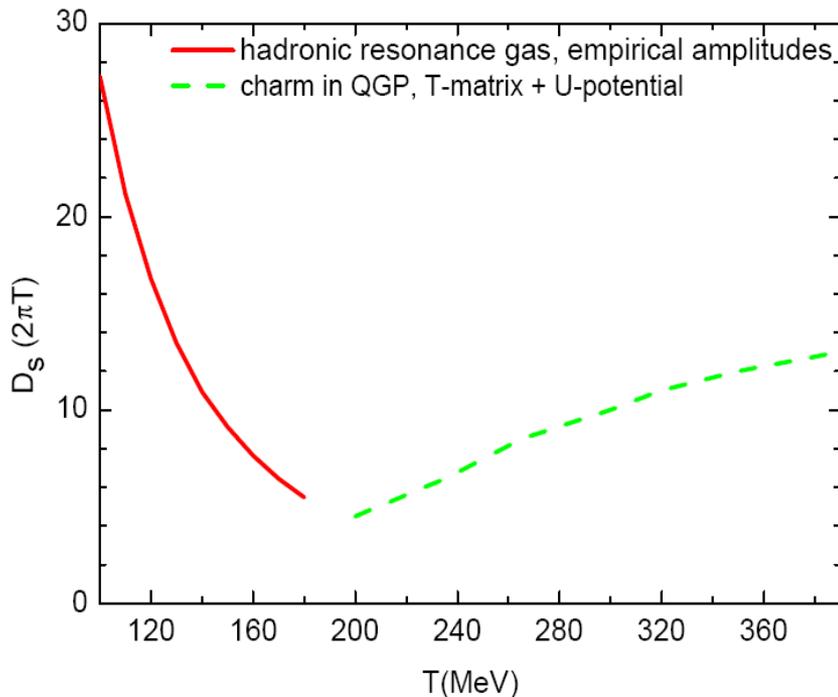
- ◆ D + K,eta,rho,omega,K\*,N,Delta, empirical s-wave cross sections based on ChUA: Lutz et al., 2004,2006; E.Oset et al., 2007



- ◆  $A \sim 0.1$  /fm at  $T=180$  MeV, comparable to the non-perturbative T-matrix calculation of charm quark thermal relaxation rate in QGP
- ◆ expected modification of D-spectrum at RHIC:  $1 - \exp(-A\Delta\tau_{had}) \approx 20\%$
- ◆ spatial diffusion coefficient  $D_s = T/(mA)$ , surprisingly close to T-matrix result for charm quark in QGP: **quark-hadron duality?!**

# Charm diffusion: HRG $\rightarrow$ eta/s

- ◆ Transport coefficient:  $\eta/s = (1/5 \sim 1/2)D_s$ , Danielewicz&Gyulassy, 1985
- ◆  $D_s$  translates into  $\eta/s = (2-5)/4\pi$  at  $T=180$  MeV, comparable to J.N-Hostler 2009



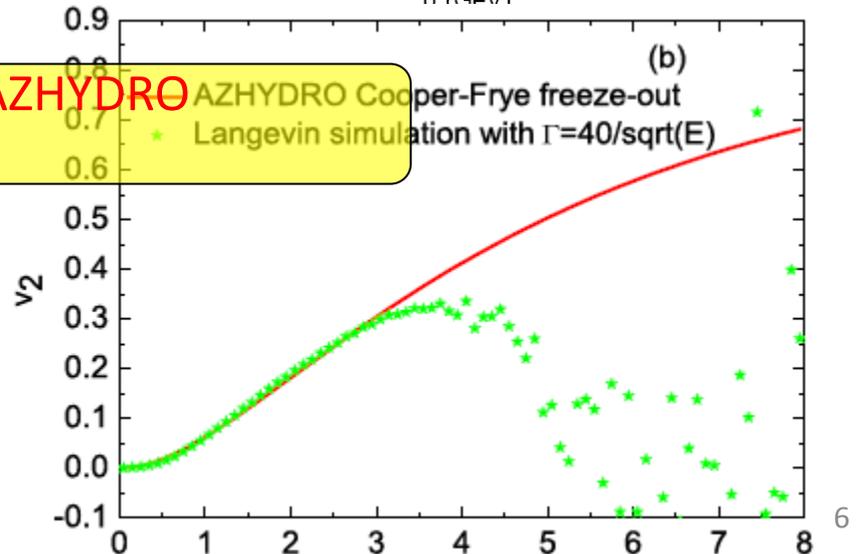
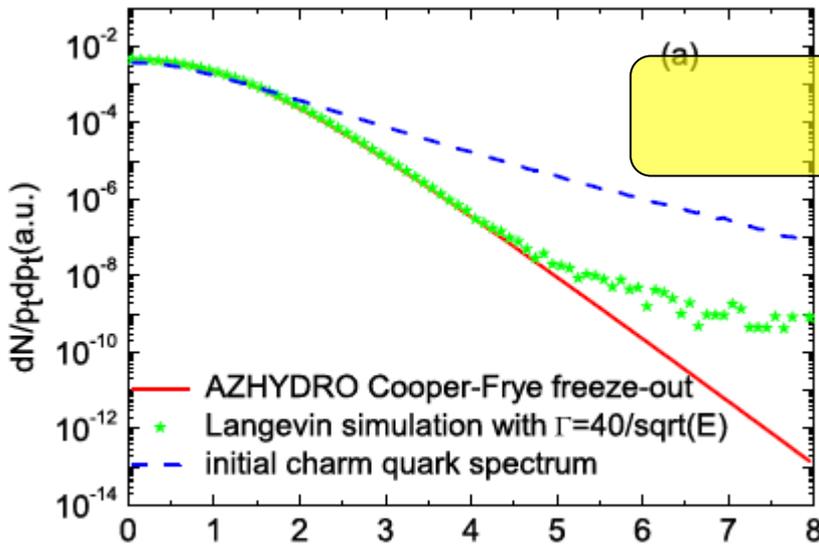
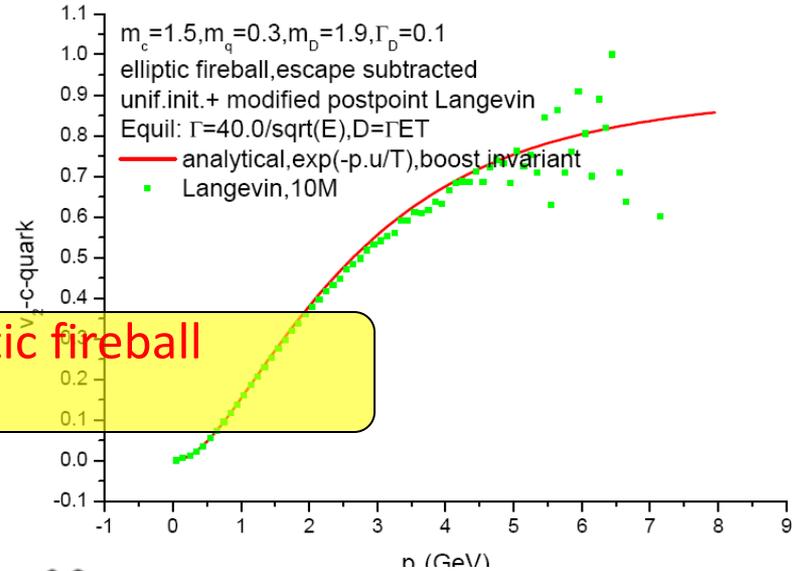
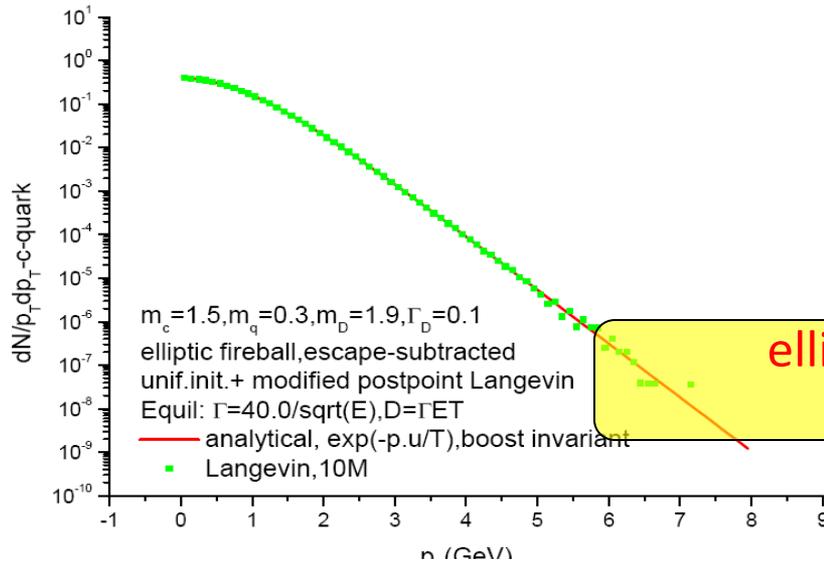
- ◆ Both exhibit a minimum across the quark-hadron transition  $\rightarrow$  **duality?!**
- ◆ The charm diffusion coeffi. provides us with another perspective of looking into the transport properties of sQGP/dense matter

# Summary & Conclusion

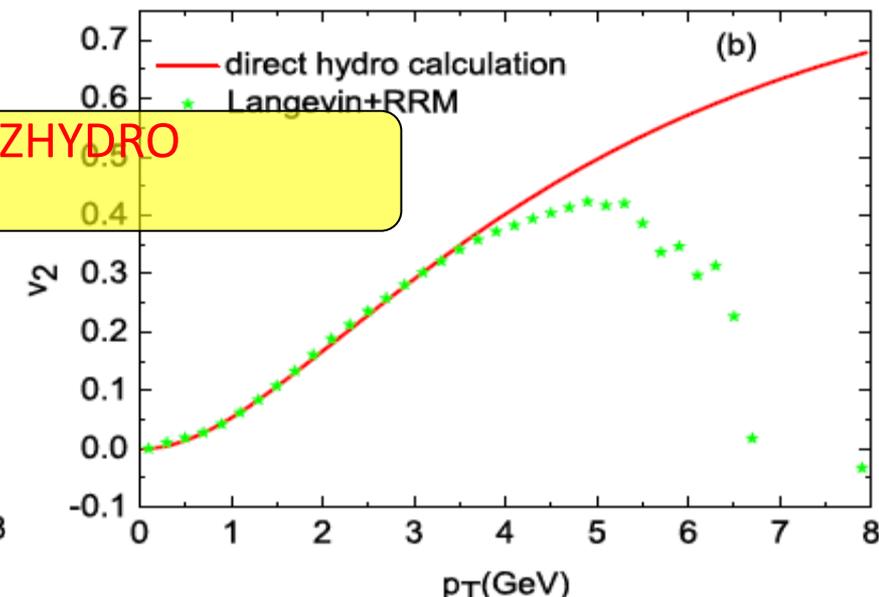
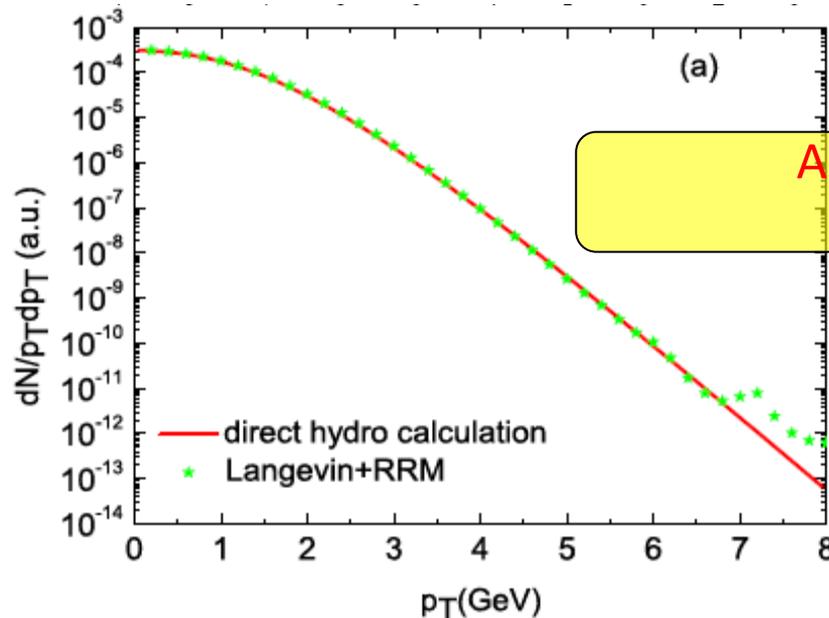
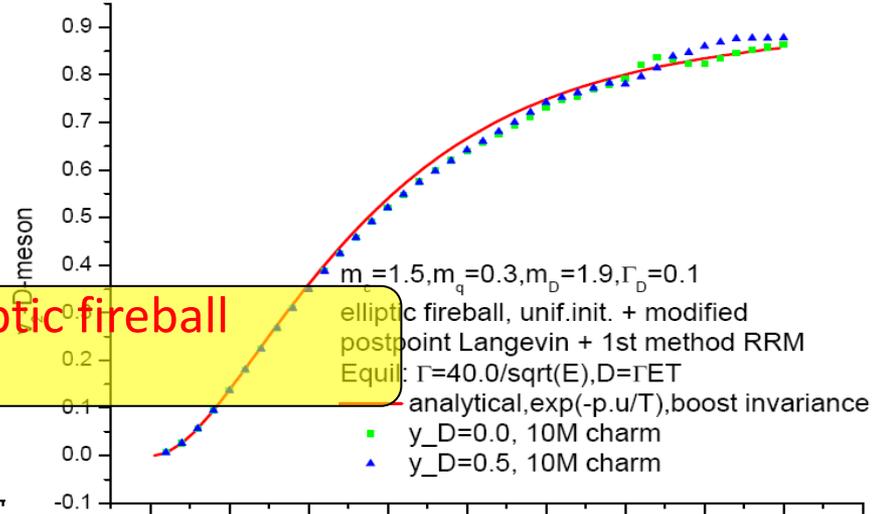
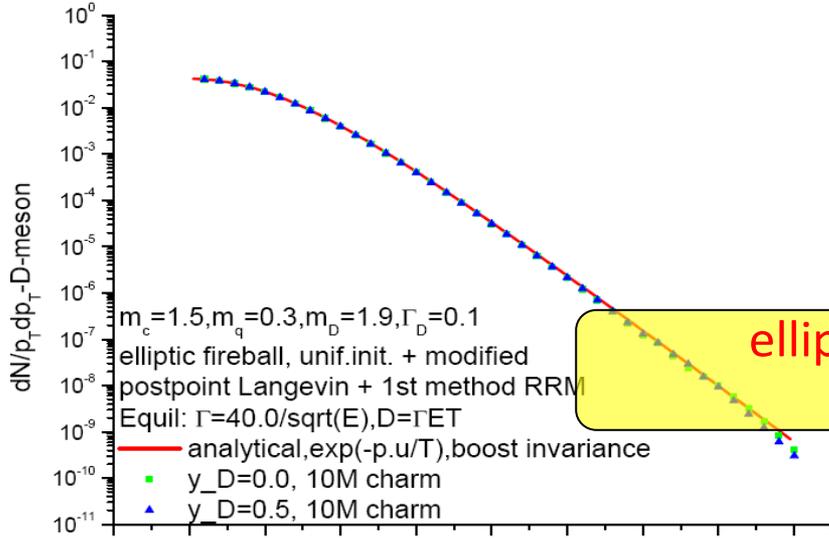
- ◆ A **strongly coupled** framework for HQ diffusion + hadronization (Hydro + Langevin + RRM) presented
- ◆ The role of **resonance correlation** emphasized:
  - (a). resonance contribution (**Q-q T-matrix** calculation) to heavy quark thermal relaxation
  - (b). **c-q Resonance Recombination** to describe the coalescence hadronization
- ◆ **Medium flow's** effect (via RRM ) on heavy-meson observables highlighted
  - Reference: M. He, R. J. Fries & R. Rapp, arXiv: 1106.XXXX[nucl-th]
- ◆ charm hadronic diffusion: **quark-hadron duality**?!
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*Thanks for attention!*

# Backup 1: Langevin equilibrium



# Backup 2: RRM equilibrium



# Backup 3: c/b coal.prob. based on scattering rate

- ◆ Aim: **formulate coal.prob. consistent with RRM**
- ◆ Quark scattering rate (vs thermal relaxation rate):  $\gamma_Q = n \langle \sigma v_{rel} \rangle$   
Breit-Wigner resonant cross section to reproduce color singlet contribution to relaxation rate  $\rightarrow$  scattering rate  $\rightarrow$  boosted to lab frame at the end of Langevin simulation:  $\gamma_Q = \gamma_Q(p_t)$
- ◆ Charm quark scattering time:  $\tau_Q = 1/\gamma_Q$ . Within this time duration, we can form a D-meson/resonance through c-qbar resonant scattering (RRM). If the resonance formation time allowed by the system evolution (mixed phase duration)  $\tau_{res} > \tau_Q$ ,  $\rightarrow P_{coal}(p_t) = 1$ ; otherwise,  $P_{coal}(p_t) = \tau_{res} \gamma_Q(p_t)$