

# The 111<sup>th</sup> Online Seminar of High Energy Nuclear Physics in China

---

## Jet production and properties in heavy-ion collisions in a transport model

Weiyao Ke and Xin-Nian Wang, work in preparation



**Berkeley**  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

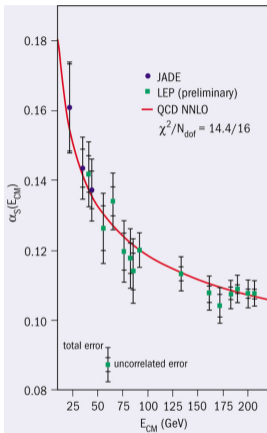


This work is supported in part by NSFC Nos. 11935007, 11221504, and 11890714, by DOE No. DE-AC02-05CH11231, by NSF No. ACI-1550228, and by the UCB-CCNU Collaboration Grant.

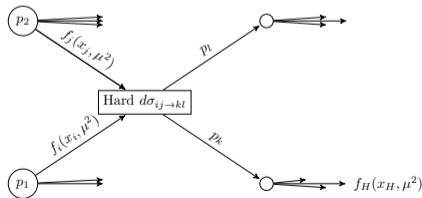
- 1 Introduction
- 2 Evolution of hard partons in a hot QCD medium.
- 3 Transport of energy-momentum carried soft particles
- 4 Jet production and properties in HIC in a transport approach
- 5 What can we learn about the medium? Summary

- 1 Introduction
- 2 Evolution of hard partons in a hot QCD medium.
- 3 Transport of energy-momentum carried soft particles
- 4 Jet production and properties in HIC in a transport approach
- 5 What can we learn about the medium? Summary

# Short-distance QCD process on the collider



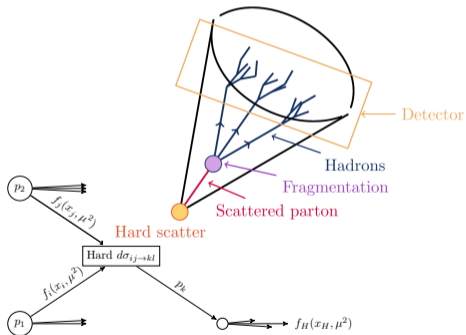
- In high energy colliders, occasionally, one triggers a QCD scattering involves a large momentum transfer  $Q \sim p_T \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$ .
- The asymptotic freedom nature of QCD: coupling decreases with increasing energy scale  $\alpha_s = a_0 / \ln(Q^2 / \Lambda_{QCD}^2)$ .
- One can understand the short distance process in terms of few-body & perturbative parton scattering  $d\sigma[i + j \rightarrow k + l]$ .
- But this is not what can be observed at larger distance.



<https://cerncourier.com/>

# Evolution of the hard QCD process in vacuum

- Large scale  $Q$  parton tends to radiate soft & collinear partons  $dP_{gg}^g, dP_{qg}^q \sim g^2 C_R \frac{dx}{x} \frac{dk_T^2}{k_T^2}$ .
- Perturbative evolution starts from hard scale  $Q \sim p_T$  down to  $Q \gtrsim \Lambda_{QCD}$ .

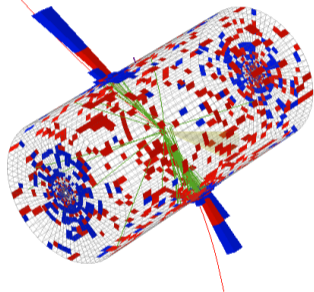


- Original hard partons evolve into parton showers.
- Parton shower undergoes hadronization when  $Q \sim \Lambda_{QCD}$ , followed by hadronic decay.
- Final states: collimated bunch of particles.
- Theoretically, we want to define objects “jets” as close analog of the parton from the hard process.

# Jets in vacuum and definition



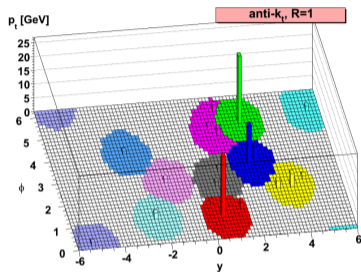
CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN  
Data recorded: Fri Oct 5 12:29:33 2012 CEST  
Run/Event: 204541 / 52508234  
Lumi section: 32



- Experimentally, one needs to identify jets from a list of “particles” ( $p^\mu$ ).
- Operational definition with jet finding algorithms.
  - ▶ Angular distance  $\Delta r_{ij} = \sqrt{\Delta\phi^2 + \Delta\eta^2}$ .
  - ▶ Define new distances  $d_{ij} = \min(k_{T,i}^{2p}, k_{T,j}^{2p}) \frac{\Delta r_{ij}}{R}$ .
  - ▶ Iteratively group the four momentum of “nearest” “particles” into jets.
  - ▶ “R” is the jet distance parameter (radius).
- Insensitive to a soft or collinear splitting.

Event display from CMS

# Jets in vacuum and definition

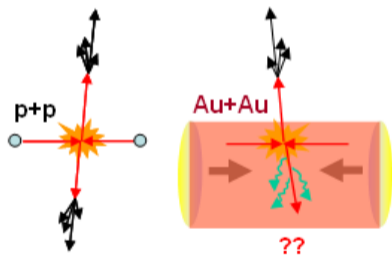


M. Cacciari et al JHEP04(2008)063

- Experimentally, one needs to identify jets from a list of “particles” ( $p^\mu$ ).
- Operational definition with jet finding algorithms.
  - ▶ Angular distance  $\Delta r_{ij} = \sqrt{\Delta\phi^2 + \Delta\eta^2}$ .
  - ▶ Define new distances  $d_{ij} = \min(k_{T,i}^{2p}, k_{T,j}^{2p}) \frac{\Delta r_{ij}}{R}$ .
  - ▶ Iteratively group the four momentum of “nearest” “particles” into jets.
  - ▶ “R” is the jet distance parameter (radius).
- Insensitive to a soft or collinear splitting.

# Why study jets in heavy-ion collisions?

- Heavy-ion collision produces a quark-gluon plasma medium with color degrees of freedom.
- Medium displays near-equilibrium features. Introducing additional scales added to the problem: temperature, medium size,  $\dots$ .



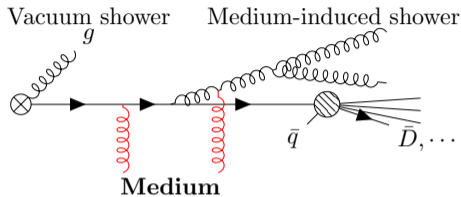
## What to learn from jets in HIC

- Jets / high- $p_T$  are expected to lose energy due to interactions with medium. Suppressed production yield, modified structure  $\dots$ .
- Understand jet evolution in hot QCD medium from medium modifications to jet.
- What can be learned about the medium?



- 1 Introduction
- 2 Evolution of hard partons in a hot QCD medium.**
- 3 Transport of energy-momentum carried soft particles
- 4 Jet production and properties in HIC in a transport approach
- 5 What can we learn about the medium? Summary

# Single parton interacts with medium (in a weakly coupled picture)



- **Hard:**  $p \gg T$ . **Elastic collisions:** direct momentum exchange between hard parton and medium constituents.
- Rate: number of collision per unit time,

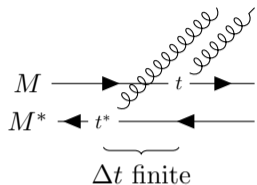
$$\frac{dP}{dt dq_{\perp}^2} \propto T^3 \frac{\alpha_s^2}{q_{\perp}^2 (q_{\perp}^2 + m_D^2)}$$

Equilibrium distribution  $f(p) \sim e^{-p \cdot u/T}$   
 Screening mass  $m_D^2 = \left( \frac{N_c}{3} + \frac{N_f}{6} \right) g^2 T^2$ .

- A more physical quantity than rate is the so-called jet transport parameter  $\hat{q}$ , which measures the momentum broadening per unit time, directly related to medium properties.

$$\hat{q}_R = \frac{d\langle (\Delta p_{\perp})^2 \rangle}{dt} = \int q_{\perp}^2 \frac{dP}{dt dq_{\perp}^2} dq_{\perp}^2 = \alpha_s C_R T m_D^2 \ln \frac{Q_{\max}^2}{m_D^2}$$

# Single parton interacts with medium (in a weakly coupled picture)



## Medium-induced radiation

- Radiates of another parton due to collision with medium.
- Inelastic: energy is shared among two hard daughter partons.

Single radiation probability<sup>1</sup>. breaks into two pieces  $dP = dP_{\text{vac}} + dP_{\text{med}}$ ,

$$\frac{dP_{\text{med}}}{dtdx} = \frac{P_{gg}^g(x)}{2x(1-x)E} \int_0^t dt' dk_{\perp}^2 dq_{\perp}^2 \langle k_{\perp} | iV_3 e^{iH_3 t'} | q_{\perp} \rangle, \quad |k_{\perp}\rangle = \frac{\vec{k}_{\perp}}{k_{\perp}^2}$$

Radiation is not localized,  $\Delta t^{-1} \sim$  average formation time in the medium  $\langle \tau_f^{-1} \rangle$

$$H_3 \approx \frac{p_{\perp}^2}{2x(1-x)E} + i\frac{1}{2}\hat{q}_{\text{eff}}b^2 + \dots, \quad \begin{cases} H_3 = \Omega a^{\dagger} a + \dots \\ \Omega = \sqrt{i2x(1-x)E\hat{q}_{\text{eff}}} = \sqrt{i}\langle \tau_f^{-1} \rangle \end{cases}$$

<sup>1</sup>Zakharov JETP 63 952 and 65 615; Caron-Huot, Gale, PRC 82 064902

## Multiple collisions & multiple medium-induced radiation

If subsequent interactions are independent ( $\tau_f \ll \lambda$ , mean-free-path), use a Boltzmann equation to include multiple collisions and multiple induced radiation.

$$p \cdot \partial f_H(t, x, \mathbf{p}) = -EC[f_H, f_S], \quad \begin{cases} f_H \text{ distribution of hard particles } E \gg T \\ f_S = e^{-p \cdot u/T}, \text{ soft sector obtain, e.g., from hydro} \end{cases}$$

$\mathcal{C}[f_H; T, u]$  contains elastic and radiation rates. For now, one also neglects:

- Back reaction from  $f_H$  to  $f_S$ .
- Hard-hard collisions.

# Limitation of localized collision terms in treating medium-induced radiation

A closer look at the independent assumption: Elastic mean-free-path  $\lambda_{\text{el}} \sim 1/g^2 T$ .

- Between elastic collisions:  $\tau_f \sim 1/m_D \sim 1/gT \lesssim \lambda$ . (✓)
- Between induced radiation and elastic collision:  $\langle \tau_f \rangle = \frac{2x(1-x)E}{\langle k_{\perp}^2 \rangle} \gg \lambda_{\text{el}}$ . (?)

Especially, this leads to the LPM<sup>2</sup> effect in large & dense medium. Multiple collision reduces the radiation rate compared to the independent limit.


$$R \sim \alpha_s P(x) \frac{1}{\langle \tau_f \rangle} \text{ v.s. } \alpha_s P(x) \frac{1}{\lambda_{\text{el}}}.$$

Special treatment<sup>3</sup> needed in Boltzmann equation.

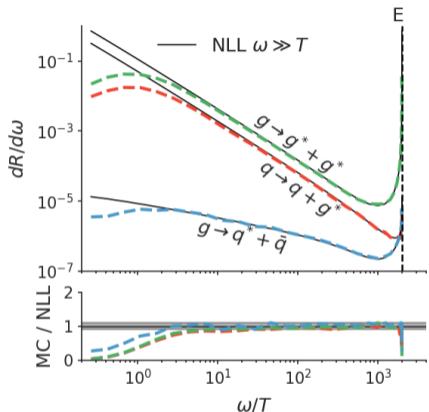
- Between induced radiations<sup>4</sup>:  $\langle \tau_f \rangle < 1/R \sim \langle \tau_f \rangle / \alpha_s$ . (✓)

<sup>2</sup>The Landau-Pomeranchuk-Migdal effect

<sup>3</sup>For example, the LBT model uses a time-dependent radiation rate, Cao et al PRC 94 014909

<sup>4</sup>See works by Arnold, Iqbal, and Chang for efforts towards overlapped radiations, JHEP04(2015)070, 

# Modify the Boltzmann equation



Compare the single radiation rate to the theory in infinite medium

To be modified: Boltzmann equation with induced radiation rate in the independent collision limit. Then,

- Each radiation is suppressed by a probability  $^1 \propto \frac{\lambda}{\tau_f(t)}$  accounting for the LPM effect.
- $\tau_f(t) = \frac{2x(1-x)E}{k_{\perp}^2(t)}$  is determined in simulation.
- Effect of delocalized multiple collisions is included in the broadening of  $k_{\perp}^2(t)$ .
- Good agreement with theory expectation in the infinite large static medium.

<sup>1</sup>An improved suppression factor with NLL correction Arnold and Dogan PRD 78 065008 is implemented in the simulation

$\frac{\lambda_{el}}{\tau_f} \left( \frac{\ln \hat{q} \tau_f / m_D^2}{\ln Q_{max}^2 / m_D^2} \right)^{1/2}$  WK et al PRC 100, 064911

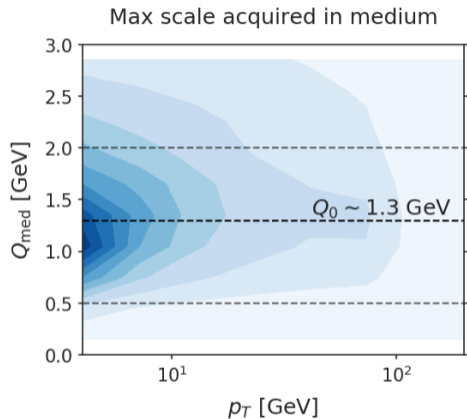
## Multiple radiation with both vacuum and medium-induced contribution

- Vacuum radiation was only subtracted at single radiation level in the transport equation  $dP_{\text{med}} = dP_1 - dP_{\text{vac}} \rightarrow$  only treats multiple induced radiations of low scale partons.
- Multiple large-scale vacuum radiation should be summed in QCD evolution equation <sup>5</sup>.
- In this work, we use a single scale parameter  $Q_0$  to separate the two contribution.  $Q_0$  should be the typical scale parton obtained from medium-induced radiation,  $Q_0 \sim k_{\perp}$ .

---

<sup>5</sup>The JETSCAPE collaboration develops a modular approach for this problem. Different evolution equations are applied to particles with different scale and energy.

## Multiple radiation with both vacuum and medium-induced contribution

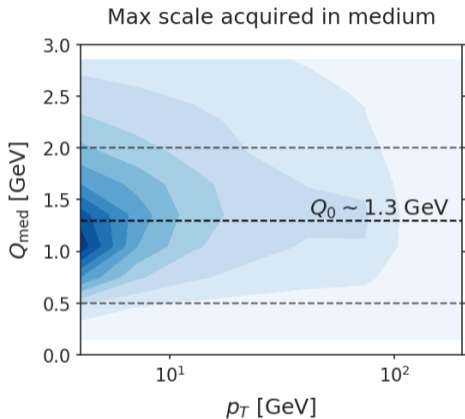


- Hard process generated in Pythia8.
- Vacuum shower:  $Q = p_T$  down to  $Q_0$  (Pythia8).  $Q_0$  estimates scales of induced radiation.
- Evolve parton shower by the transport equation.

Obtained from simulation using event with initial hard  $p_T^{\text{hard}} \approx 100$  GeV



## Multiple radiation with both vacuum and medium-induced contribution



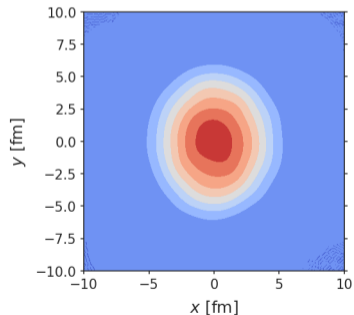
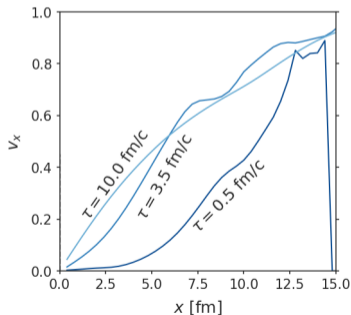
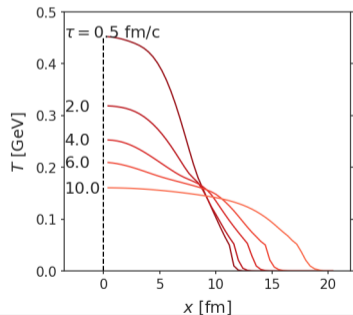
Obtained from simulation using event  
with initial hard  $p_T^{\text{hard}} \approx 100$  GeV

- Hard process generated in Pythia8.
- Vacuum shower:  $Q = p_T$  down to  $Q_0$  (Pythia8).  $Q_0$  estimates scales of induced radiation.
- Evolve parton shower by the transport equation.
- Outside hot medium, vacuum shower starting from scale acquired in medium, down to  $Q_{\text{min}} = 0.4$  GeV.
- Hadronization. Pythia8 implementation of Lund string fragmentation.

## Medium evolution

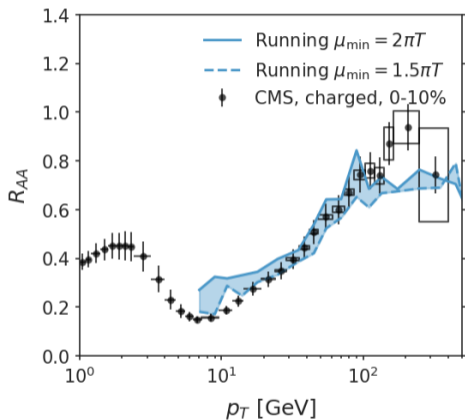
A hydrodynamic based medium simulation<sup>6</sup> provides space-time information of medium temperature ( $T$ ) and flow velocity ( $v$ ).

- Event-averaged initial condition + free-stream + (2+1) D viscous hydrodynamics.
- Hard production vertices sampled according binary collision density.
- Below: 0-10% central event for Pb+Pb @ 5.02 TeV.



<sup>6</sup>hic-eventgen, Bernhard arXiv:1804.06469

# Energy loss and leading hadron production



CMS JHEP04(2017)039

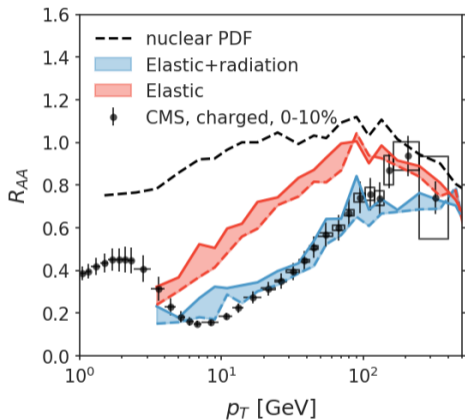
**Nuclear modification factor:** production yield of hard particles in AA relative to scaled pp.

$$R_{AA} = \frac{dN^{AA \rightarrow h}/dp_T}{N_{coll} dN^{pp \rightarrow h}/dp_T}$$

- Leading order running coupling <sup>1</sup>  $\alpha_s = \frac{a_0}{\ln(Q^2/\Lambda^2)}$
- Running is truncated at medium scale  $\mu_{min}$ :  
 $\alpha_s = \alpha_s(\max\{Q, \mu_{min}\})$ .
- $\mu_{min}$  controls in-medium coupling strength. Shown range  $\mu_{min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ .

<sup>1</sup>  $a_0 = \frac{12\pi}{(11N_c - 2N_f)}$  and  $\Lambda_{QCD} = 0.2 \text{ GeV}$

# Energy loss and leading hadron production



CMS JHEP04(2017)039

What contributes to the single particle suppression?

- Elastic: frequent but small fraction of energy loss per collision.
- Radiation: rare, but efficient in carrying away large fraction of energy in a single splitting.
- Radiation is increasingly important at high  $p_T$ .

Hard parton dynamics with collision+ radiation does a good job for hard particle production in HIC. How about jets?

- 1 Introduction
- 2 Evolution of hard partons in a hot QCD medium.
- 3 Transport of energy-momentum carried soft particles**
- 4 Jet production and properties in HIC in a transport approach
- 5 What can we learn about the medium? Summary

## Transport of soft energy-momentum carrier

- Energy-momentum conservation is important for jet study. Transport equation only handles hard  $E, Q \gg T$ , loses track of soft particles.
- In principle, a self-consistent treatment requires coupled evolution of hard and soft. For example, the CoLBT model<sup>7</sup> uses a 3+1D hydrodynamic equation for medium evolution and medium excitation induced by hard parton.

$$\begin{aligned} p \cdot \partial f_H &= -EC[f_H, f_S] \\ \partial_\mu T_S^{\mu\nu} &= \sum_i \delta(x^\mu - x_i^\mu(\tau)) \Delta p_i^\nu \end{aligned}$$

The coupled evolutions are computationally intensive.

- In this work, we used a simpler method to
  - 1) Impose energy-momentum conservation.
  - 2) Qualitative behaviors of hydro-like excitations.

---

<sup>7</sup>Chen et al, PLB 777 86-90

# Ansatz for medium excitation induced by jet: simplified hydrodynamics

## Assumptions that make the problem manageable w/o numerical hydrodynamics,

- Energy-momentum deposition to soft sector is a perturbation  $\delta e \ll e, \dots$ .
- Typical frequency & wave-number of the perturbations are much larger than those of background  $\partial \ln \delta e(k) \gg \partial \ln e(k)$
- Speed-of-sound  $c_s \approx \text{constant}$ . Drop viscous effects.
- Propagation in the  $\eta_s$  is small:  $\Delta \eta_s \sim \frac{\Delta z}{\tau} \sim \frac{c_s \Delta T}{\tau} \sim c_s$ .
- Neglect background radial flow in hydrodynamic equation.

Then in Bjorken frame, the energy density response to energy momentum deposition  $\Delta P^\mu$  is<sup>8</sup>

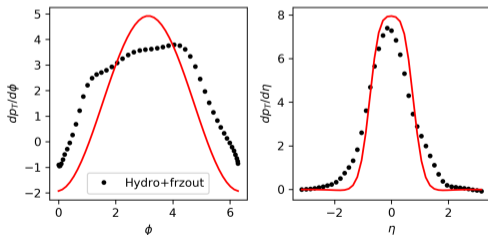
$$\Delta \tilde{G}^0 = \frac{\Delta P^0 k^0 + \delta \mathbf{P} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}}{\omega^2 - c_s^2 k^2} \xrightarrow{\text{Angular distribution}} \frac{d\Delta G^0}{d\hat{\mathbf{k}}} \sim \frac{\Delta P^0 + \hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \Delta \mathbf{P} / c_s}{4\pi}$$

<sup>8</sup>Similar relation holds for momentum density perturbation  $\Delta \mathbf{G}$

## Ansatz for medium excitation induced by jet: freezeout effect

- Convert perturbations in energy-momentum density  $\Delta G/\Delta V$  into change in distribution function (massless particles).
- Use a naïve freeze surface proportional to the velocity profile  $\Delta\Sigma \sim \Delta V u^\mu$  with  $v_{\hat{k}} = v_r \hat{k}$ .

$$\frac{d\Delta p_T}{d\phi d\eta} = \int \Delta f(p) p_T^2 dp_T = \sum_{\text{sources } s} \int \frac{3}{(4\pi)^2} \frac{\frac{4}{3}(u_p \cdot u)u_\mu - u_{p,\mu}}{(u_p \cdot u)^4} \frac{d\Delta G_s^\mu(\hat{k})}{d\hat{k}'} d\hat{k}'$$



Comparison of a specific scenario with hydrodynamic solution provided by the CCNU group,

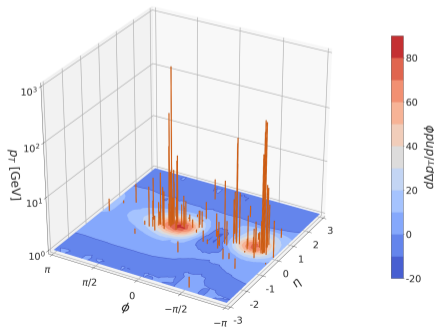
- A source depositing  $dP^0/dt = dP^x/dt = 1$  GeV/fm, moving from origin to  $x = 4$  fm
- Need more extensive tests + event averaging.



## Jet definition in heavy-ion collisions

**In our model:** compute transverse energy towers in each  $\Delta\eta\text{-}\Delta\phi$  bin, summing both hard particle and medium excitation contribution:

$$P_{ij}^\mu = \underbrace{\sum_{\Delta\eta\Delta\phi} p_{\text{hard}}^\mu}_{\text{Hard particles}} + \underbrace{\frac{d\Delta p^\mu}{d\phi d\eta} \Delta\eta\Delta\phi}_{\text{Medium excitation}}$$

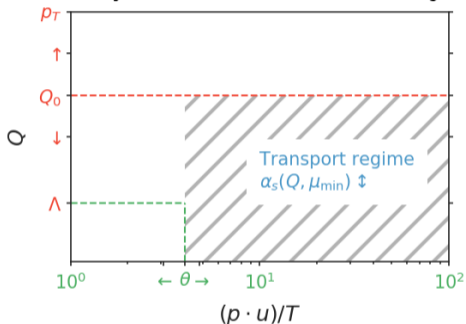


- Define jets using the grid  $P_{ij}^\mu$  with anti- $k_T$  algorithm as implemented in FastJet<sup>1</sup>
- The background is implicitly considered as the “unperturbed” medium.

<sup>1</sup>Cacciari and Salam, PLB 641 (2006) 57.

# What do we want to see in the jet properties

Currently, our model has three major parameters / sources of uncertainties

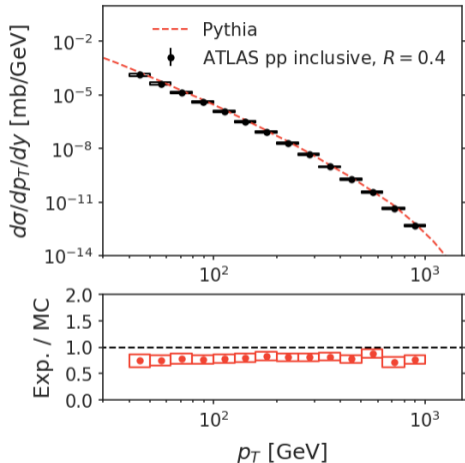


- In-medium coupling  $\alpha_s$ , controlled by  $\mu_{\min} \propto T$ .
- A matching scale between vacuum parton shower evolution and the transport equation  $Q_0$ .
- A “thermal” energy  $\theta T$ , below which energy-momentum transport are modeled by a hydrodynamic driven ansatz.

- What causes medium modifications of jet properties, are they sensitive to these numbers?
- Do we have a consistent description of these observables.

- 1 Introduction
- 2 Evolution of hard partons in a hot QCD medium.
- 3 Transport of energy-momentum carried soft particles
- 4 Jet production and properties in HIC in a transport approach**
- 5 What can we learn about the medium? Summary

# Properties of inclusive jets: nuclear modification factor

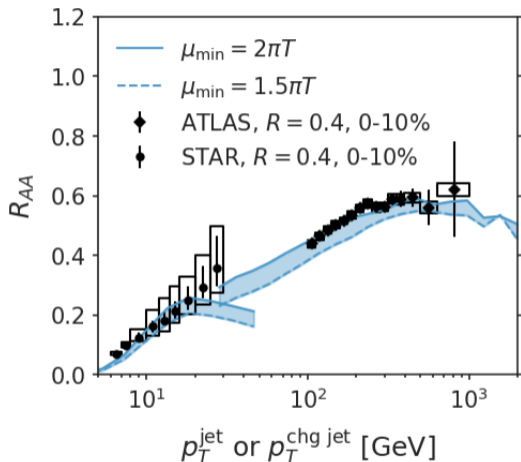


- ATLAS measurement in p+p @ 5.02 TeV. Inclusive jet cross-section with distance parameter  $R = 0.4$ ,  $|y| < 2.8$  ATLAS PLB 790 108-128.

$$\frac{1}{\Delta y} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_T}$$

- Pythia8 simulation: CTEQ6.1 leading-order proton PDF. Hadron-level final state with particle decays.
- Jet cross-section shape well described by Pythia8 simulation.

# Inclusive jets production: nuclear modification factor

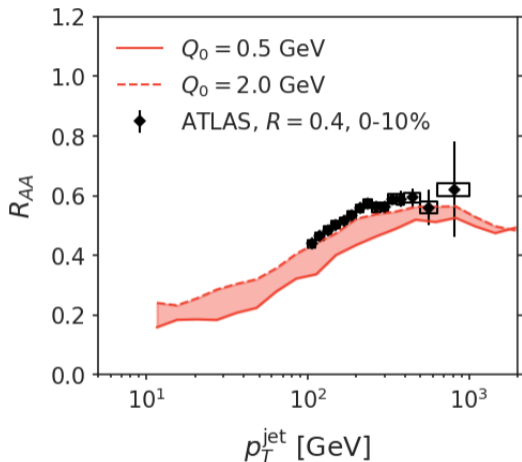


ATLAS PLB 790 108-128

STAR arXiv:2006.00582

- $R_{AA} = d\sigma_{AA}/N_{coll}d\sigma_{pp}$ 
  - ▶ ATLAS Pb+Pb @ 5 TeV, 0-10%
  - ▶ STAR Au+Au @ 200 GeV, 0-10%
- Sensitivity to coupling:  $\mu_{\min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ ,  
 $Q_0 = 1.3 \text{ GeV (LHC)}, 0.8 \text{ GeV (RHIC)}, \theta = 4T$ .

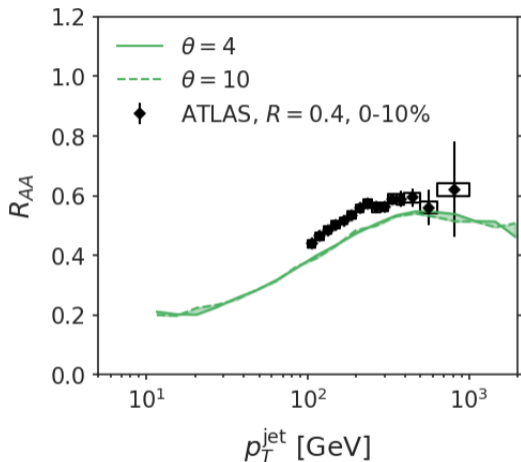
# Inclusive jets production: nuclear modification factor



ATLAS PLB 790 108-128

- $R_{AA} = d\sigma_{AA}/N_{coll}d\sigma_{pp}$ 
  - ▶ ATLAS Pb+Pb @ 5 TeV, 0-10%
  - ▶ STAR Au+Au @ 200 GeV, 0-10%
- Sensitivity to coupling:  $\mu_{\min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ ,  
 $Q_0 = 1.3$  GeV(LHC), 0.8 GeV(RHIC),  $\theta = 4T$ .
- Sensitivity to matching scale:  
 $\mu_{\min} = 1.5\pi T$ ,  $Q_0 \in [0.5, 2.0]$  GeV,  $\theta = 4T$ .

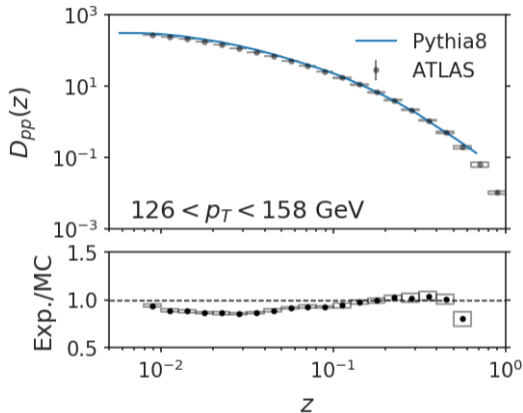
# Inclusive jets production: nuclear modification factor



ATLAS PLB 790 108-128

- $R_{AA} = d\sigma_{AA}/N_{coll}d\sigma_{pp}$ 
  - ▶ ATLAS Pb+Pb @ 5 TeV, 0-10%
  - ▶ STAR Au+Au @ 200 GeV, 0-10%
- Sensitivity to coupling:  $\mu_{\min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ ,  
 $Q_0 = 1.3 \text{ GeV (LHC)}, 0.8 \text{ GeV (RHIC)}, \theta = 4T$ .
- Sensitivity to matching scale:  
 $\mu_{\min} = 1.5\pi T$ ,  $Q_0 \in [0.5, 2.0] \text{ GeV}, \theta = 4T$ .
- Sensitivity to medium-response scale:  
 $\mu_{\min} = 1.5\pi T$ ,  $Q_0 = 1.3 \text{ GeV}, \theta \in [4, 10]T$ .

# Properties of inclusive jets: fragmentation function



ATLAS PRC 98 024908

Histogram jet constituents according to its momentum projection to jet:

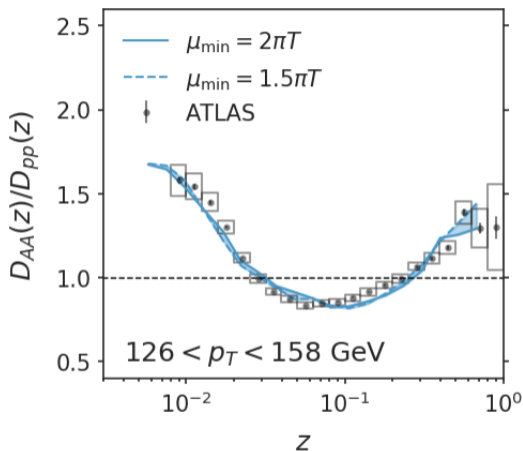
$$D(z) = \frac{1}{N_{\text{jet}}} \frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{dz}, \quad z = \frac{p_T \cos(\Delta R)}{p_T^{\text{jet}}}$$

Not soft/collinear safe, sensitive to hadronization and decays.

- Baseline calculation using Pythia8 simulation. Charged particles only.
- Need to double check high- $z$ . Otherwise agreement within 20%.



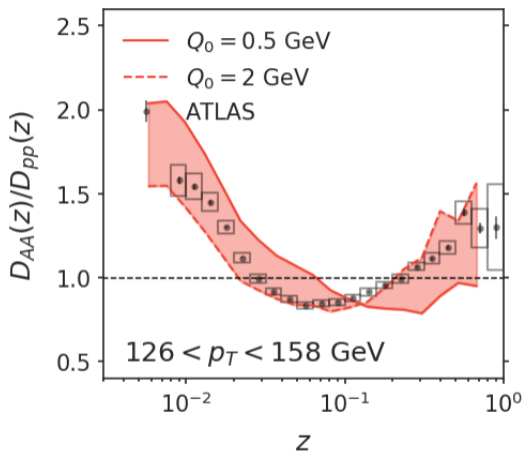
# Properties of inclusive jets: fragmentation function



- Modifications  $D_{AA}(z)/D_{pp}(z)$ . **Remark:** jets in AA + energy loss are compared to jets with similar  $p_T$  in pp.
- Varying coupling strength:  
 $\mu_{\min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ ,  $Q_0 = 1.3 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\theta = 4T$ .

<sup>1</sup> $z = 0.01 \rightarrow p_T \approx 1 \text{ to } 1.5 \text{ GeV}$ . Particle production associated to medium excitation are assumed as massless pions.

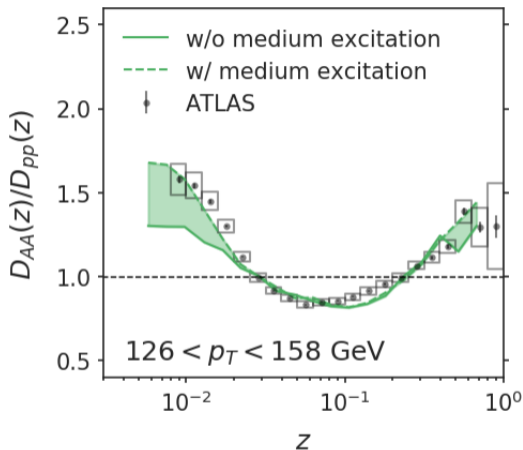
# Properties of inclusive jets: fragmentation function



- Modifications  $D_{AA}(z)/D_{pp}(z)$ . **Remark:** jets in AA + energy loss are compared to jets with similar  $p_T$  in pp.
- Varying coupling strength:  
 $\mu_{\min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ ,  $Q_0 = 1.3$  GeV,  $\theta = 4T$ .
- Very sensitivity to matching scale:  
 $\mu_{\min} = 1.5\pi T$ ,  $Q_0 \in [0.5, 2.0]$  GeV,  $\theta = 4T$ .

<sup>1</sup> $z = 0.01 \rightarrow p_T \approx 1$  to 1.5 GeV. Particle production associated to medium excitation are assumed as massless pions.

# Properties of inclusive jets: fragmentation function

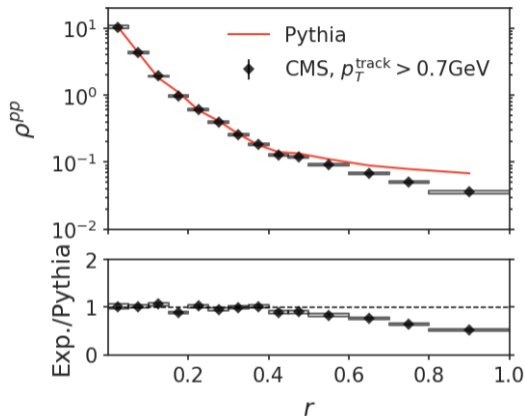


ATLAS PRC 98 024908

- Modifications  $D_{AA}(z)/D_{pp}(z)$ . **Remark:** jets in AA + energy loss are compared to jets with similar  $p_T$  in pp.
- Varying coupling strength:  
 $\mu_{\min} \in [1.5\pi T, 2\pi T]$ ,  $Q_0 = 1.3 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\theta = 4T$ .
- Very sensitivity to matching scale:  
 $\mu_{\min} = 1.5\pi T$ ,  $Q_0 \in [0.5, 2.0] \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\theta = 4T$ .
- Importance of energy-momentum carried by medium excitation at low- $z$  region<sup>1</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> $z = 0.01 \rightarrow p_T \approx 1 \text{ to } 1.5 \text{ GeV}$ . Particle production associated to medium excitation are assumed as massless pions.

# Properties of inclusive jets: jet shape



CMS JHEP05(2018)006

Histogram the jet energy by the angular distance from the center of jet  $r = \sqrt{\Delta\phi^2 + \Delta\eta^2}$ ,

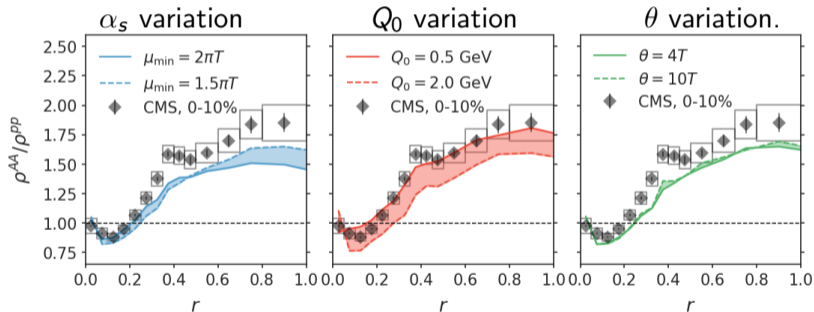
$$\rho(r) = \frac{1}{\sum_{r < 1} \Delta p_T} \frac{\Delta p_T}{\Delta r}$$

**Remark:** self normalized object.

- CMS measurement of p+p @ 5.02 TeV,  $p_{T,\text{jet}} > 120 \text{ GeV}$   $R = 0.4$ .
- Good agreement between Pythia8 baseline inside the jet cone  $r < R$ . Overshoot data for  $r > R$ .

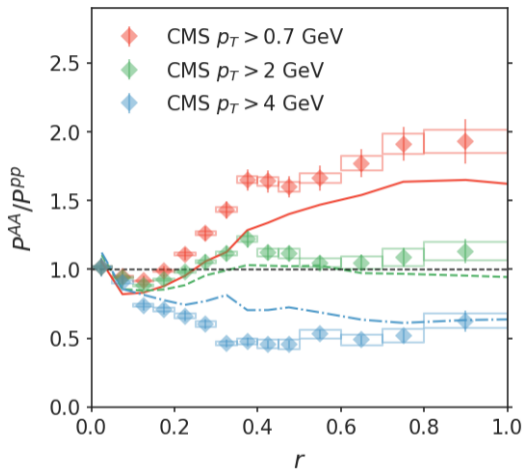
# Properties of inclusive jets: jet shape

- Nuclear modification in central Pb+Pb from ATLAS JHEP05(2018)006.
- At similar  $p_T$ , jet in AA has a wider<sup>9</sup> radial distribution compared to jets pp..
- Again, significant uncertainty from the  $Q_0$  parameter.



<sup>9</sup>Note that  $\rho(r)$  is self normalized which introduces auto correlation.

## Even more differential measurement



CMS JHEP05(2018)006

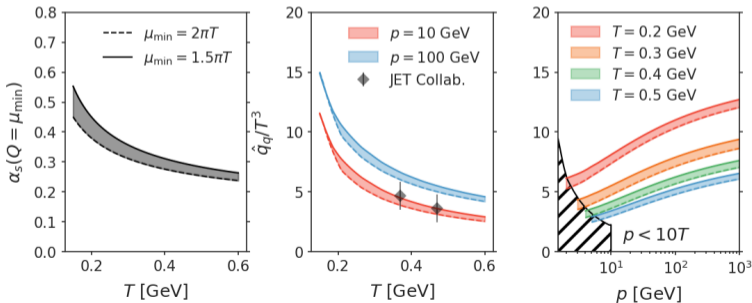
Construct jet shape with different minimum particle track  $p_T$  cut.

- Increasing  $p_T$  cut, the modification at larger  $r$  change from “excess” to “depletion”.
- From the fragmentation function study, an increased  $p_{T,\min}$  quickly removes medium excitation contributions, which is suppressed as  $\int_{p_{T,\min}} e^{-p \cdot u/T} p_T^2 dp_T$ .
- Potentially strong constraining power to model, but it is also sensitive to hadronization and decays.

- 1 Introduction
- 2 Evolution of hard partons in a hot QCD medium.
- 3 Transport of energy-momentum carried soft particles
- 4 Jet production and properties in HIC in a transport approach
- 5 What can we learn about the medium? Summary

# Implication on the $\hat{q}$ parameter and transport mechanism

- Shown variation for  $\mu_{\min}$  only. Need to include uncertainties from  $Q_0, \theta, \dots$  to improve this simple “eyeball fit”. Can we constrain  $Q_0$  as function of centrality & collision energy?
- The possibility to constrain the transport coefficients at intermediate  $p_T$  by studying jet modifications at low- $z$  and large  $r$ .
- Can we put a limit on the parton momentum where its transport is more hydro /many-body like than quasi-particle like?





# Summary

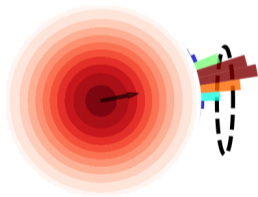
- A transport model approach to jets in a QGP medium:
  - ▶ Hard partons: elastic collisions + medium induced radiations.
  - ▶ Soft partons: hydrodynamic-like medium excitations.
- Reasonable agreement with inclusive hadron suppression and jet suppression, and jet properties (FFs, jet shapes).
- Major uncertainty from in-medium coupling constant, and the matching scaling between vacuum shower and transport evolution.
- Detailed jet properties measurements help map out an energy and scale dependent picture of parton transport inside the QGP.

# Back-up: a distinct way of energy-momentum angular redistribution

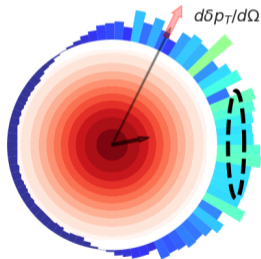
Both conserves energy momentum if summed over  $4\pi$ , but very different angular distribution.

## Free-particle-like propagation    hydrodynamic-like propagation

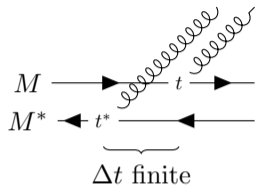
$\delta p^\mu$  directly flows into the jet cone



$\delta p^\mu$  transports via hydro-like response function



# Single parton interacts with medium (in a weakly coupled picture)



## Medium-induced radiation

- Radiates of another parton due to collision with medium.
- Inelastic: energy is shared among two hard daughter partons.

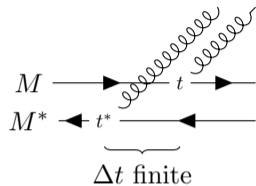
Single radiation probability for a parton moving in a medium of length  $L^1$ .

$$M_{gg}^g = \int_0^L dt' dk_{\perp}^2 \overbrace{\langle xp, (1-x)p, k_{\perp}^2 | e^{i \int_{t'}^L \hat{H}_{xp} + \hat{H}_{(1-x)p} dt} }^{\text{Evolution of 2-particle state to } t=L} \overbrace{\sqrt{P_{gg}^g(x)} \frac{k_{\perp} \cdot \epsilon}{k_{\perp}^2}}^{\text{splits into two}} \overbrace{e^{i \int_0^{t'} H_p dt} | p \rangle}^{\text{1 particle at } t'}$$

$$\frac{dP}{dx} = \langle M_{bc}^{a*} M_{bc}^a \rangle_{\text{ensemble avg.}}$$

<sup>1</sup>Zakharov JETP 63 952 and 65 615; Caron-Huot, Gale, PRC 82 064902; Arnold, Iqbal, JHEP04(2015)070

# Single parton interacts with medium (in a weakly coupled picture)



## Medium-induced radiation

- Radiates of another parton due to collision with medium.
- Inelastic: energy is shared among two hard daughter partons.

Single radiation probability breaks into two pieces  $dP = dP_{\text{vac}} + dP_{\text{med}}$ ,

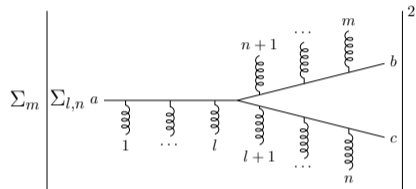
$$\frac{dP_{\text{med}}}{dtdx} = \frac{P_{gg}^g(x)}{2x(1-x)E} \int_0^t dt' dk_{\perp}^2 dq_{\perp}^2 \langle k_{\perp} | iV_3 e^{iH_3 t'} | q_{\perp} \rangle, \quad |k_{\perp}\rangle = \frac{\vec{k}_{\perp}}{k_{\perp}^2}$$

Radiation is not localized,  $\Delta t^{-1} \sim$  average formation time in the medium  $\langle \tau_f^{-1} \rangle$

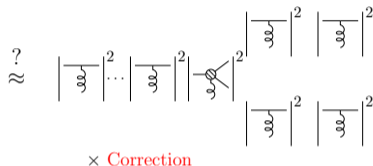
$$H_3 \approx \frac{p_{\perp}^2}{2x(1-x)E} + i\frac{1}{2}\hat{q}_{\text{eff}}b^2 + \dots, \quad \begin{cases} H_3 = \Omega a^{\dagger} a + \dots \\ \Omega = \sqrt{i2x(1-x)E\hat{q}_{\text{eff}}} = \sqrt{i}\langle \tau_f^{-1} \rangle \end{cases}$$

# Modify the Boltzmann equation

**The theoretical picture:** multiple interfering collisions induce a radiation.



**What a semi-classical equation solves:** independent elastic collision and radiations.



- We modify the single particle evolution Monte Carlo to correction for this difference.
  1. At  $t_0$ , an induced radiation is sampled according to the non-interfering rate ( $\sim \alpha_s P(x)/\lambda$ )
  2. The daughter partons are not treated as physical until  $t - t_0 > \tau_f(t)$ .
  3. This radiation is only accepted with probability<sup>10</sup>  $\frac{\lambda}{\tau_f(t)}$  to become physical ( $\sim \alpha_s P(x)\lambda/\tau_f$ ).
- This method is implemented in the LIDO transport model<sup>11</sup> used for this work.

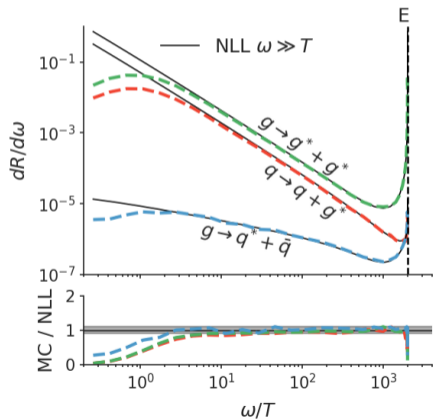
<sup>10</sup>This probability is further improved to match NLL calculation, Arnold and Dogan PRD 78 065008

<sup>11</sup>Ke et al, PRC 100 064911

# Single radiation rate: simulation compared to theory in special cases

## Infinite static medium:

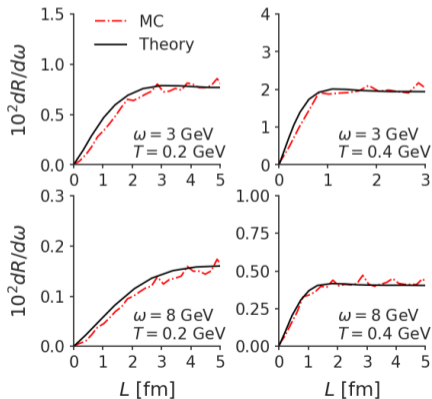
simulation from transport equation compared to next-to-leading-log solution of the rate in infinite limit.



## Finite size effect:

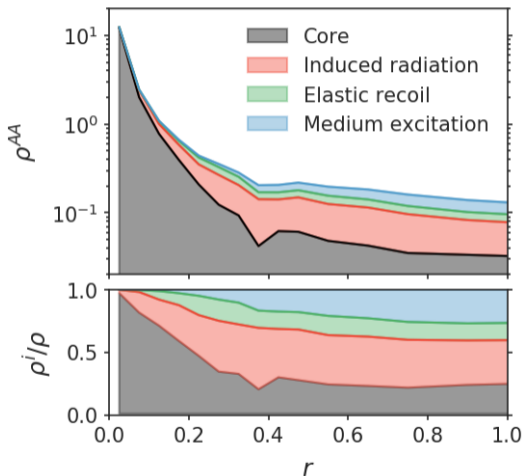
path-length dependence of the radiation rate, simulation compared to numerical solution of the rate in finite medium

$E = 16 \text{ GeV}, \alpha_s = 0.3$



# A closer look at the energy transport in the radial direction

$p_{T,\text{jet}} > 120$  GeV, parton level



## Different contributions to the jet shape

- Core: the harder parton produced in radiation.
- Induced radiation: the softer parton in radiation.
- Elastic recoil: hard recoiled medium parton.
- Medium excitation: energy deposition to the medium.

Radiative processes still dominates within the jet cone.