

# Parton splitting scales of reclustered large-radius jets in high-energy nuclear collisions

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#### **Motivation**



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Pythia8 calculations provide well agreement with experimental data.



#### LBT model

$$p_{a} \cdot \partial f_{a} = \frac{\gamma_{b}}{2} \int \sum_{bcd} \prod_{i=b,c,d} \frac{d^{3}p_{i}}{2E_{i}(2\pi)^{3}} (f_{c}f_{d} - f_{a}f_{b}) |M_{ab \rightarrow cd}|^{2}$$

$$\times S(\hat{s}, \hat{t}, \hat{u})(2\pi)^{4} \delta^{4}(p_{a} + p_{b} - p_{c} - p_{d}) + inelastic$$
He, Luo, Wang and Zhu, Phys. Rev. C 91 (2015) 054908
$$\frac{dN_{g}^{a}}{dzdk_{\perp}^{2}dt} = \frac{6\alpha_{s}P_{a}(z)k_{\perp}^{4}}{\pi(k_{\perp}^{2} + z^{2}m^{2})^{4}} \frac{p \cdot u}{p_{0}} \hat{q}_{a}(x) \sin^{2}\frac{\tau - \tau_{i}}{2\tau_{f}}$$
Zhang, Wang, Wang, PRL 93 (2014) 072301
LBT model has been used successfully to describe light-favor, heavy-flavor hadron and jet suppression, Z/W/\gamma+jet correlations in heavy-ion collisions.
Luo, Cao, He and Wang, Phys. Lett. B 782 (2018), 707-716

Zhang, Luo, Wang and Zhang, Nucl. Phys. A 982 (2019),

599-602

Medium Excitation

large-radius jets



#### $p_T$ spectra and the nuclear modification factor



- An obvious suppression of the inclusive jets as well as the reclustered LR jets in Pb+Pb collisions relative to pp collisions can be seen.
- $R_{AA}$  goes up slowly with increasing  $p_T^{jet}$ .
- $R_{AA}$  of LR jets with R=1.0 is a bit smaller than that of inclusive jets with R=0.4.







LR jets will lose more energy than both R=0.2 and R=0.4 inclusive jets.



400 450 500

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### The splitting scale $(\sqrt{d_{12}})$



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- $R_{AA}$  for LR jets with SSJ is significantly different compared to those with MSJ.
- $R_{AA}$  sharply decreases with increasing  $\sqrt{d_{12}}$  for smalle values of the splitting scale followed by flattening for larger  $\sqrt{d_{12}}$ .



#### LR jets with a SSJ



- Jets with SSJ are less suppressed than jets with MSJ.
- The change of jet substructure due to jet medium interactions may play an indispensable role.



#### LR jets with MSJ

$$\sqrt{d_{12}} = \sqrt{\min(p_{T,1}^2, p_{T,2}^2) * \Delta R_{12}^2}$$

$$z = p_T^{min} / p_T^{Jet}$$



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- At small  $\Delta R_{12}$ , z region, enhancement,  $R_{AA} > 1$ .
- At large areas, suppression,  $R_{AA} < 1$ .





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- $\langle p_T^{subjet} \rangle$  and  $\langle \Delta R_{12} \rangle$  are increasing with increasing  $\sqrt{d_{12}}$ .
- Almost no difference of  $\langle p_T^{subjet} \rangle$  and  $\langle \Delta R_{12} \rangle$  between p+p and Pb+Pb collisions with the same jet transverse momentum  $p_T^{Jet}$ .
- $p_T^{Jet}$  is much larger for higher energy LR jets, while  $\langle p_T^{subjet} \rangle$  is much smaller.



#### The splitting angle $\Delta R_{12}$







Medium modifications on jet substructure alter  $\sqrt{d_{12}}$  distribution pattern.



# The splitting function $z = \frac{p_T^{min}}{p_T^{Jet}}$



- 2 → 2, enhanced in small region and suppressed in large region.
- The contributions from  $1 \to 2$  is larger than that from  $2 \to 1.$





## $R_{AA}(\Delta R_{12})$ for different $\Delta R_{12}$



 $R_{AA}$  depends on  $\Delta R_{12}$ , and jets having small  $\Delta R_{12}$  values suppressed less than that with larger values.



## $R_{AA}(p_T)$ for different $p_T$



 $R_{AA}$  does not significantly depend on  $p_T^{jet}$ .



#### **R-dependence**



- R<sup>R</sup><sub>AA</sub>/R<sup>0.2</sup><sub>AA</sub> significantly increases for inclusive jets but slightly decreases for LR jets with increasing jet R.
- The medium response has strong effect on inclusive jets while no significant effect is found for LR jets.



- on Pythia8 and LBT model, we have carried out the first detailed theoretical investigation of the medium modification on LR jets production and its the hardest parton splitting.
- The medium modifications on jet ΔR<sub>12</sub> and z spectra are the combined result of both jet yields reduction and the changes of the jet substructures.
- The medium modification of  $\Delta R_{12}$  and z lead to that of  $\sqrt{d_{12}}$ .
- jet suppression largely depends on  $\theta_{SJ}$  and weakly depends on  $p_T$ .
- LR jets suppression indeed depends on its substructure.
- Inclusive jets with large R will lose less energy. Inclusive jets have obvious R-dependence and strong effect on medium response. however, LR jets with large R will lose more energy. no significant R-dependence and effect from medium response are found for LR jets.



# Thank you



# backup







#### First step



Definition of a new seed jet:  $E_T^{max} > 3 GeV, \quad \frac{E_T^{max}}{\langle E_T \rangle} > 4$ Event plane angle:  $\psi_2 = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left( \sum_k \frac{w_k E_{Tk} \sin(2\phi_k)}{\sum_k w_k E_{Tk} \cos(2\phi_k)} \right)$ Elliptic flow:  $v_{2i} = \frac{\sum_{j \in i} E_{Tj} \cos(2(\phi_j - \psi_2))}{\sum_{j \in i} E_{Tj}}$ Transverse energies:  $E_T^{sub} = E_{Tj} - A_j \rho_i(\eta_j) (1 + 2v_2 \cos(2(\phi_j - \psi_2))))$ 



#### Second step



Definition of a new seed jet:  $E_T > 25 GeV$ , Update $\rho_i(\eta_j)$  and  $v_2$ 



### Algorithms



anti – 
$$k_T$$
 algorithm  $d_{ij} = min(p_{T_i}^{-2}, p_{T_j}^{-2})\Delta R_{ij}/R_2$   
 $k_T$  algorithm  $d_{ij} = min(p_{T_i}^2, p_{T_j}^2)\Delta R_{ij}/R_2$ 

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The fractions of large-radius jets with different structures indeed depend on the threshold of  $p_T^{subjet}$ .