Heavy quark diffusion coefficient during hydrodynamization - non-equilibrium vs. equilibrium

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Heavy ions & transport coefficients in pre-equilibrium



- Glasma stage can have a substantial impact on transport coefficients: Avramescu et. al: 2303.05599, Czajka et. al: PRC 105, 064910, PLB 834 (2022) 137464, NPA 1001 (2020) 121914, JP et. al: JHEP 2020, 77 (2020), D. Müller et. al: PLB 810 (2020) 135810, Ruggieri et. al: EPJP 137 (2022) 3, 307, PLB 798 (2019) 134933
- Evolution of coefficients during hydrodynamization poorly understood
- Aim of this work: close the gap, study heavy quark momentum diffusion coefficient κ during hydrodynamization using EKT.

The relevant questions I'll aim to answer:

- **1** How large is κ during hydrodynamization?
- **2** How κ_T relates to κ_z during hydrodynamization?

Method: Effective kinetic theory & bottom-up thermalization PLB 502 (2001) 51-58 à la Kurkela & Zhu PRL 115 (2015) 18, 182301



- Star marker: maximum anisotropy / occupancy $\sim 1/\lambda$, $\lambda = 4\pi N_c \alpha_s$.
- Circle marker: minimum occupancy
- Triangle: Approximate isotropy $P_T/P_L = 2$.

Dof: gluon phase space density:

$$f(\boldsymbol{p}) = \frac{1}{\nu_g} \frac{\mathrm{d}N}{\mathrm{d}^3 x \,\mathrm{d}^3 \boldsymbol{p}}.$$
 (1)

Dynamics: Boltzmann equation

$$-\frac{\partial f(\boldsymbol{p})}{\partial \tau} = \mathscr{C}_{1 \leftrightarrow 2}[f(\boldsymbol{p})] + \mathscr{C}_{2 \leftrightarrow 2}[f(\boldsymbol{p})] + \mathscr{C}_{\exp}[f(\boldsymbol{p})]. \quad (2)$$

Boost invariant expansion:

$$\mathscr{C}_{\exp}[f(\boldsymbol{p})] = -\frac{p_z}{\tau} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_z} f(\boldsymbol{p}).$$
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Method: relevant observables

 κ given by $(gQ \rightarrow gQ, \text{ t-channel gluon exchange, PRC 71 (2005) 064904})$:

$$3\kappa = \frac{\left\langle \Delta k^2 \right\rangle}{\Delta t} = \frac{1}{2M} \int_{kk'p'} (2\pi)^3 \,\delta^3 \left(p + k - p' - k' \right) \\ \times 2\pi \delta \left(k' - k \right) q^2 \left[\left| \mathcal{M}_{\kappa} \right|^2 f(k) (1 + f(k')) \right]. \tag{4}$$

k,k' gluon momenta, $q=k-k',\,p,p'$ heavy quark momenta.

$$\mathscr{M}|_{\kappa}^{2} = \left[N_{c}C_{H}g^{4}\right] \frac{16M^{2}k^{2}\left(1 + \cos^{2}\theta_{kk'}\right)}{(q^{2} + m_{D}^{2})^{2}}$$
(5)

Other relevant observables:

$$T_* = \frac{2\lambda}{m_D} \int \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f(p)(1+f(p)), \\ m_D^2 = 4 \int \frac{\mathrm{d}^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\lambda f(p)}{p}, \\ T_\epsilon \sim \sqrt[4]{\epsilon}.$$
(6)

Equilibrium: use thermal distribution f_{BE}

Comparing equilibrium to non-equilibrium

- Try: match for the same m_D , T_* and ε :
- $\tau_{\text{BMSS}} = \alpha_s^{13/5} / Q_s$ thermalization timescale (PLB 502 (2001) 51-58).
- Note: corresponding thermal system changes during t-evolution!





• Match for the same ε (~ Landau matching).

κ_{eq} vs κ during hydrodynamization (Question 1)

- κ_{T,z} behave qualitatively similarly to κ (except κ_z at early times)
- Small λ → larger deviations (small λ
 → bottom-up reproduced better).





1 A: κ deviates from its equilibrium value by ~ 30% during hydrodynamization.

Transverse vs. longitudinal (κ_T vs. κ_z , Question 2)



- Transverse diffusion coefficient enhanced initially.
- Longitudinal coefficients dominates during underoccupation.
- 2 A: At the maximum anisotropy transverse diffusion coefficient dominates. At the underoccupied phase longit. coefficient is larger.

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Jet quenching factor \hat{q} (F. Lindenbauer, 2303.12595)

Convention: \hat{x} jet direction, \hat{z} beam direction, $\hat{q}^{ij} = \frac{d\langle q^i q^j \rangle}{dL}$.

$$\hat{q}^{ij} = \frac{1}{4d_R} \lim_{|\mathbf{p}| \to \infty} \int_{\substack{\mathbf{k}k'\mathbf{p}' \\ q_{\perp} < \Lambda_{\perp}}} q_{\perp}^i q_{\perp}^j (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (P + K - P' - K') \frac{|\mathcal{M}_{ag}^{ag}|^2}{|\mathbf{p}|} f_{\mathbf{k}} (1 + f_{\mathbf{k}'})$$



- Quark jet, (g differs by a Casimir factor), elastic scatterings off gluons.
- Match ε to glasma (D. Müller et. al: PLB 810, 135810 (2020)) at the IC (value of Q_s).
- Match ĝ to JETSCAPE result (PRC 104 (2021) 2, 024905) at the triangle (choose Λ_⊥).
- Bands: different cutoff models and IC's.

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Summary / answers & conclusions

The relevant answers:

- 1 How large is κ during hydrodynamization? Within 30 % from κ^{eq} for the same ε !
- 2 How κ_T relates to κ_z during hydrodynamization? Initially κ_T dominates. At underoccupation κ_z is larger.

These are potentially useful for:

Phenomenological descriptions of heavy quark diffusion and quarkonium dynamics. Future plans:

• More ongoing work on \hat{q} (by F. Lindenbauer) & attractors.

Related talks at HP 2023:

See talks by: D. Avramescu, K. Boguslavski & M. Martinez

Evolution of m_D and T_*



- Initially large $f_0 \rightarrow$ enhancement
- At underoccupation f dominates over $f^2 \rightarrow$ ratio becomes 1.



- Initial enhancement due to large occupation number.
- Suppression due to underoccupation.

Transverse and longitudinal κ matched for other quantities



Similar to the results for the full coefficient

Time-evolution of energy density



Discretization effects





$$m_D^2(p_{\min}) = \frac{8\lambda}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{p_{\min}}^{\infty} dppf(p)$$
$$= \frac{2\lambda T}{\pi^2} \left(T \operatorname{Li}_2\left(e^{-\frac{p_{\min}}{T}}\right) - p_{\min}\log\left(1 - e^{-\frac{p_{\min}}{T}}\right) \right)$$

- Compare non-equilibrium quantities to thermal result, with the same UV cutoff p_{min}.
- Left: Effect illustrated for m_D
- Redefine thermal T_* and κ similarly.
- Residual discretization effects cause ratios to deviate from equilibrium values at late times.

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Dynamical cutoffs

$$\Lambda_{\perp}^{\text{LPM}}(E_{\text{jet}},T) = \zeta^{\text{LPM}}g \times (E_{\text{jet}}T^3)^{1/4}$$
$$\Lambda_{\perp}^{\text{kin}}(E_{\text{jet}},T) = \zeta^{\text{kin}}g \times (E_{\text{jet}}T)^{1/2}.$$

- E_{iet} fixed, T decreases during evolution.
- Match energy density of the glasma at $Q_s \tau = 1$, yields $Q_s = 1.4 \text{GeV}$
- Match parameters ζ at triangle marker, where $T_{\varepsilon} = 0.21Q = 295$ MeV and $\lambda = 10$ to the median value for \hat{q}_{therm} in the LBT parametrization of the JETSCAPE collaboration PRC 104 (2021) 2, 024905.

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- Similarly to κ : direction along beam axis is enhanced.
- Dashed vs. solid: different cutoff models.
- Data smoothedned with filter (unfiltered in the background)