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Jet quenching in evolving anisotropic matter

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Jet tomography

- Jets see the matter in HIC at multiple scales, and essentially X-ray it;
- The existing jet quenching theory is based on multiple simplifying assumptions: large parton energy, static matter, no fluctuations, etc;
- There is a very recent progress on the medium motion and structure effects in jet quenching and this is the focus of this talk;
- The developed formalism can be also applied to include orbital motion of nucleons and some of the in-medium fluctuations to the energy loss in cold nuclear matter;





























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Color potential



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$$(1)$$

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Medium averaging







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Medium averaging



$$\int d^2 \mathbf{x}_n e^{-i(\mathbf{q}_n \pm \overline{\mathbf{q}}_n) \cdot \mathbf{x}_n} = (2\pi)^2 \,\delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{q}_n \pm \overline{\mathbf{q}}_n)$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$\rho \sim T^3$$







Medium averaging











The broadening





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The broadening



$$G(\mathbf{x}_L, L; \mathbf{x}_0, 0) = \int_{\mathbf{x}_0}^{\mathbf{x}_L} \mathcal{D}\mathbf{r} \exp\left(\frac{iE}{2} \int_0^L d\tau \, \dot{\mathbf{r}}^2\right) \mathcal{P} \exp\left(-i \int_0^L d\tau \, t_{\text{proj}}^a v^a(\mathbf{r}(\tau), \tau)\right)$$







Jet broadening

$$E\frac{d\mathcal{N}^{(0)}}{d^2\mathbf{p}_0 dE} = \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^3} |J(p_0)|^2 = f(E)\delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{p}_0)$$

inhomogeneous matter

$$\frac{d\mathcal{N}}{d^2 \boldsymbol{x} dE} \simeq \exp\left\{-\mathcal{V}\left(\boldsymbol{x}\right)L\right\} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 - \frac{iL^3}{6E} \boldsymbol{\nabla} \mathcal{V}\left(\boldsymbol{x}\right) \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{g}} \,\mathcal{V}\left(\boldsymbol{x}\right) \end{bmatrix} \frac{d\mathcal{N}^{(0)}}{d^2 \boldsymbol{x} dE} + \frac{iL^2}{2E} \,\hat{\boldsymbol{g}} \,\mathcal{V}\left(\boldsymbol{x}\right) \cdot \boldsymbol{\nabla} \frac{d\mathcal{N}^{(0)}}{d^2 \boldsymbol{x} dE} \right\} \\ \hat{\boldsymbol{g}} \equiv \left(\boldsymbol{\nabla} \rho \frac{\delta}{\delta \rho} + \boldsymbol{\nabla} \mu^2 \frac{\delta}{\delta \mu^2}\right) \\ \rho \sim T^3 \\ \left\langle \mathbf{p} \, p_{\perp}^2 \right\rangle \simeq \chi^2 \, \frac{L \nabla T}{2T} \, \frac{\mu^4}{E} \left(\log \frac{E}{\mu}\right)^2$$







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Jet broadening



$$i\mathcal{M}_n(p) = e^{-i\left(\mathbf{u}\cdot\mathbf{p} - \frac{p_\perp^2}{2E}\right)L} \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{p}_0}{(2\pi)^2} \mathcal{G}_n(\mathbf{p}, L; \mathbf{p}_0, 0) J\left(E - \mathbf{u}\cdot(\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}_0), \mathbf{p}_0\right),$$







Jet broadening uniform matter $E \frac{d\mathcal{N}^{(0)}}{d^2 \mathbf{p}_0 dE} = f(E)\delta^{(2)}(\mathbf{p}_0)$

Eikonal approximation -- $E \rightarrow \infty$

$$\left\langle p_{\perp}^{2k}\boldsymbol{p}\right\rangle = \int \frac{d^{2}\boldsymbol{p}\,d^{2}\boldsymbol{r}}{(2\pi)^{2}}\,p_{\perp}^{2k}\boldsymbol{p}\,e^{-i\boldsymbol{p}\cdot\boldsymbol{r}}e^{-\mathcal{V}(\boldsymbol{r})L} = 0 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\perp}{E}\right)$$

Opacity expansion -- $\chi \equiv C \frac{g^4 \rho}{4\pi \mu^2} L \ll 1$

$$\left\langle p_{\perp}^{2k} \boldsymbol{p} \right\rangle \simeq -\frac{\boldsymbol{u}}{2E} \mathcal{C}\rho L \int \frac{d^2 \boldsymbol{p}}{(2\pi)^2} p_{\perp}^{2k+2} \left[E \frac{f'(E)}{f(E)} v(p_{\perp})^2 + p_{\perp}^2 \frac{\partial v^2}{\partial p_{\perp}^2} \right]$$







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$$\langle \mathbf{p} \rangle \simeq 3 \, \chi \, \mathbf{u} \, \frac{\mu^2}{E} \log \frac{E}{\mu}$$



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Jet broadening

uniform matter

- Opacity $\chi \approx 4$
- $u \approx 0.7$ (about $\pi/4$ to z-axis)
- $\mu = gT$ with $g \approx 2$ and $T \approx 500 MeV$

$$\left\langle \frac{p_{\perp}}{E} \right\rangle \simeq 3 \chi \, \frac{u_{\perp}}{1 - u_z} \frac{\mu^2}{E^2} \log \frac{E}{\mu}$$

What jet energy corresponds to
$$\langle \theta \rangle \approx 1^o$$
?
 \downarrow
 $E \sim 50 \text{ GeV}$







Gluon emission











Gluon emission

$$iR \simeq -\frac{g}{xE} \lim_{z_f \to \infty} \int_0^\infty dz_s \int d^2 x_0 \, e^{-i\mathbf{x}_0 \cdot \mathbf{l}_f} J(\mathbf{x}_0)$$
energy fraction
$$\times \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{x}_0; \infty, z_s) \, t^a_{proj} \, \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{x}_0; z_s, 0) \, e^{i\frac{\mathbf{k}_f^2}{2\omega} z_f} \left[\epsilon \cdot \vec{\nabla}_{\mathbf{x}_0} \mathcal{G}^{ba} \left(\mathbf{k}_f, z_f; \mathbf{x}_0, z_s \right) \right]$$

Wilson line ($x \ll 1$)

the gluon (single-particle) propagator







Gluon emission



$$\begin{split} (2\pi)^2 \omega \frac{d\mathcal{N}}{d\omega d^2 \mathbf{k}} &= \frac{\alpha_s}{N_c \, \omega^2} \operatorname{Re} \int_0^L d\bar{z} \int_0^{\bar{z}} dz \, \int_{\mathbf{x}_0, \mathbf{y}} |J(\mathbf{x}_0)|^2 \left[(\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \cdot \nabla_{\overline{\mathbf{x}}}) \\ &\times \left\langle \mathcal{G}^{bc} \left(\mathbf{k}, L; \mathbf{y}, \overline{z} \right) \mathcal{G}^{\dagger \, \overline{a} b} \left(\mathbf{k}, L; \overline{\mathbf{x}}, \overline{z} \right) \right\rangle \left\langle \mathcal{G}^{ca} \left(\mathbf{y}, \overline{z}; \mathbf{x}, z \right) \mathcal{W}_A^{\dagger a \overline{a}} (\mathbf{x}_0; \overline{z}, z) \right\rangle \right] \Big|_{\mathbf{x} = \overline{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{x}_0} \\ &\uparrow \\ & \text{broadening of the gluon} \\ & (\text{already have it with } \nabla) \\ & \text{emission kernel} \\ \delta \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{y}, \overline{z}; \mathbf{x}, z) = -\int_z^{\overline{z}} ds \int_{\mathbf{w}} \mathcal{K}_0(\mathbf{y}, \overline{z}; \mathbf{w}, s) \delta \mathcal{V}(\mathbf{w}, s) \mathcal{K}_0(\mathbf{w}, s; \mathbf{x}, z) \end{split}$$









 $L = 5 \text{fm}, \quad T = 0.3 \text{GeV}, \quad \hat{q} = 1 \text{GeV}^2 \cdot \text{fm}^{-1}$























Summary

- Jets do feel the transverse flow and anisotropy, and get bended;
- The transverse flow and anisotropy do affect the medium-induced radiation, bending the substructure of jets;
- These effects can be in principle probed in experiment, leading us towards actual jet tomography;
- One should also expect similar evolution-induced effects for the other probes of nuclear matter;



