# Duke Approach: Coupled Boltzmann Equations

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## **Coupled Transport Equations of Heavy Flavors**

## Open heavy quark antiquark

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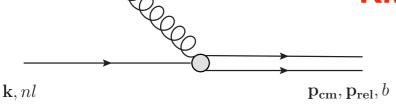
#### Collision terms: dissociation and recombination

$$\mathcal{C}_{nl}^{-}(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{k}, t) = \frac{g^{2}T_{F}}{3N_{c}} \int \frac{d^{3}p_{\text{cm}}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{d^{3}p_{\text{rel}}}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{d^{4}q}{(2\pi)^{4}} (2\pi)^{4} \delta^{3}(\boldsymbol{k} - \boldsymbol{p}_{\text{cm}} + \boldsymbol{q}) \delta \left( E_{nl} - \frac{p_{\text{rel}}^{2}}{M} - q_{0} \right) \\
\times |\langle \psi_{nl} | \boldsymbol{r} | \Psi_{\boldsymbol{p}_{\text{rel}}} \rangle|^{2} [g_{E}^{++}]^{>} (q_{0}, \boldsymbol{q}) f_{nl}(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{k}, t) \\
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\times |\langle \psi_{nl} | \boldsymbol{r} | \Psi_{\boldsymbol{p}_{\text{rel}}} \rangle|^{2} [g_{E}^{--}]^{>} (q_{0}, \boldsymbol{q}) f_{Q\bar{Q}}(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{p}_{\text{cm}}, \boldsymbol{r} = 0, \boldsymbol{p}_{\text{rel}}, t)$$

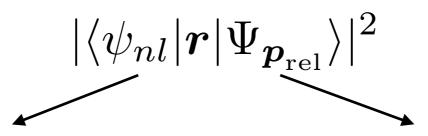
Gluon can be off-shell, described by nonperturbative object  $[g_E^{\pm\pm}]^>(q)$ 

**KMS** relation:  $[g_E^{++}]^>(q) = e^{q_0/T}[g_E^{--}]^>(-q)$  —> thermalization

We used perturbative estimate of  $[g_E^{\pm\pm}]^>(q)$ 



## **Dipole Transition Amplitudes**



Bound state wavefunction w/ quantum number nl

Scattering (unbound) state wavefunction w/ relative  $p_{\rm rel}$ 

## For Coulomb potential ( $\alpha_s = 0.36$ )

$$\begin{split} |\langle \Psi_{\boldsymbol{p}_{\mathrm{rel}}}|\boldsymbol{r}|\psi_{1S}\rangle|^2 &= \frac{2^9\pi^2\eta a_B^7p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2(1+\eta^2)(2+\eta a_Bp_{\mathrm{rel}})^2}{(1+a_B^2p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2)^6(e^{2\pi\eta}-1)} e^{4\eta\arctan\left(a_Bp_{\mathrm{rel}}\right)} \\ |\langle \Psi_{\boldsymbol{p}_{\mathrm{rel}}}|\boldsymbol{r}|\psi_{2S}\rangle|^2 &= \frac{2^{18}\pi^2\eta a_B^7p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2(1+\eta^2)}{(1+4a_B^2p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2)^8(e^{2\pi\eta}-1)} e^{4\eta\arctan\left(2a_Bp_{\mathrm{rel}}\right)} \\ &= \frac{2^{18}\pi^2\eta a_B^7p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2(1+\eta^2)}{(1+4a_B^2p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2)^8(e^{2\pi\eta}-1)} e^{4\eta\arctan\left(2a_Bp_{\mathrm{rel}}\right)} \\ &= \frac{\alpha_s M}{4N_c p_{\mathrm{rel}}} \\ |\langle \Psi_{\boldsymbol{p}_{\mathrm{rel}}}|\boldsymbol{r}|\psi_{1P}\rangle|^2 &= \frac{2^{16}\pi^2\eta a_B^5}{9(1+4a_B^2p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2)^8(e^{2\pi\eta}-1)} e^{4\eta\arctan\left(2a_Bp_{\mathrm{rel}}\right)} \\ &= \left[\left(8\eta(\eta^2-2)a_B^3p_{\mathrm{rel}}^3+12(2\eta^2-1)a_B^2p_{\mathrm{rel}}^2+18\eta a_Bp_{\mathrm{rel}}+3\right)^2 \end{split}$$

 $+32a_B^4 p_{\rm rel}^4 (3 + 2\eta a_B p_{\rm rel})^2 (\eta^4 + 5\eta^2 + 4)$ 

## **Correlated Unbound Heavy Quark Pair**

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$$f_{Q\bar{Q}}(\boldsymbol{x}_{Q},\boldsymbol{p}_{Q},\boldsymbol{x}_{\bar{Q}},\boldsymbol{p}_{\bar{Q}},t) \neq f_{Q}(\boldsymbol{x}_{Q},\boldsymbol{p}_{Q},t)f_{\bar{Q}}(\boldsymbol{x}_{\bar{Q}},\boldsymbol{p}_{\bar{Q}},t)$$

#### Can handle both correlated and uncorrelated recombination

$$\mathcal{C}_{Q\bar{Q}} = \mathcal{C}_Q + \mathcal{C}_{\bar{Q}}$$

 $\mathcal{C}_{Oar{O}} = \mathcal{C}_Q + \mathcal{C}_{ar{O}}$  Each independently interact with medium:

- (1) Potential between pair screened
- (2) Potential depends on color, average over
- (3) Imaginary part provides a time scale for potential effect Can be improved by including potential effect on l.h.s.

We use "Lido" for open heavy flavor transport: elastic + radiation

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We can use either Langevin or Boltzmann approach for open heavy quarks

## **Setup**

#### Initial condition

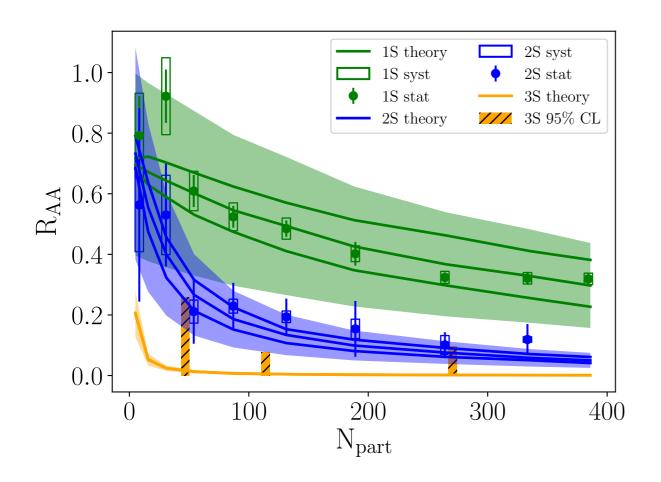
- Momentum distribution and initial yields: Pythia w/ EPPS 16
- Spatial distribution: binary collision density from Trento model—> corona effect included
- Hydro evolution starts at 0.6 fm/c, from t=0 to 0.6 fm/c free streaming
- At low  $p_T$ , Y(1S) formed before 0.6 fm/c. Others (2S, 1P, etc) may have not fully formed —> fine, because if they go inside high temperature region, dissociate in one time step In other words, Pythia gives initial  $p_T$  and y distributions for Y(1S) and correlated  $Q\bar{Q}$  pairs

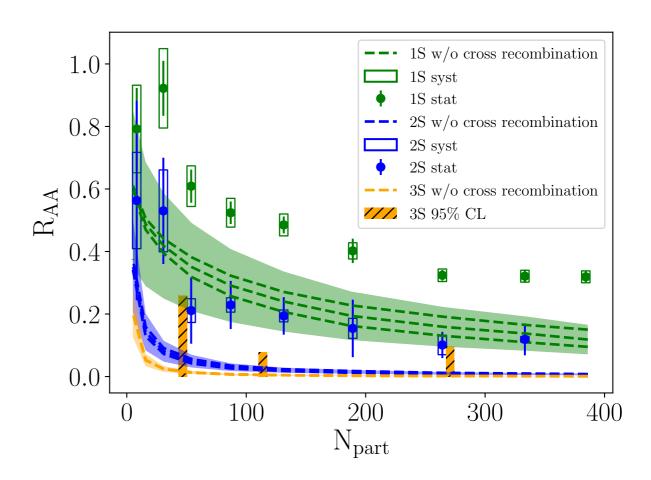
#### In-medium evolution

- 2+1D viscous hydro: VISHNew, calibrated w/ Trento by bayesian analysis
- Test particle Monte Carlo: at each time step, consider HQ elastic scattering + radiation, dissociation of each quarkonium state, recombination of each pair w/  $x_{\rm rel}$  and  $p_{\rm rel}$
- Calculate rates in rest frame of  $Q\bar{Q}$  pair, medium boosted—> momentum dependent rates
- If dissociation/recombination occurs, sample final-state momentum according to  $C_{nl}^{\pm}$
- Stop coupled Boltzmann equations at  $T_c = 154 \text{ MeV}$

#### Hadronic feed-down

## Results on Bottomonium: Regeneration





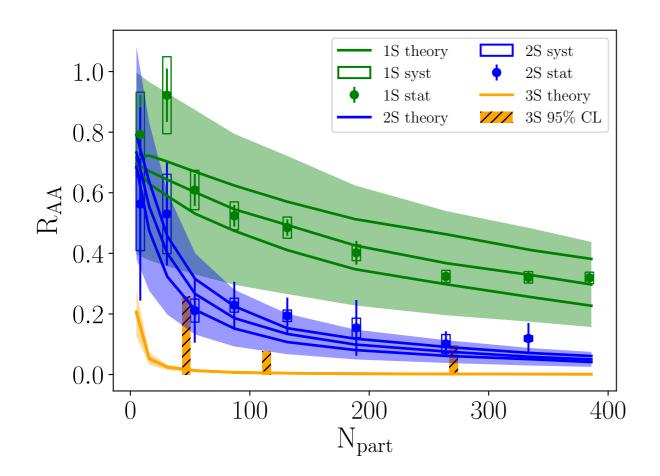
W/ correlated recombination

Roughly w/o correlated recombination

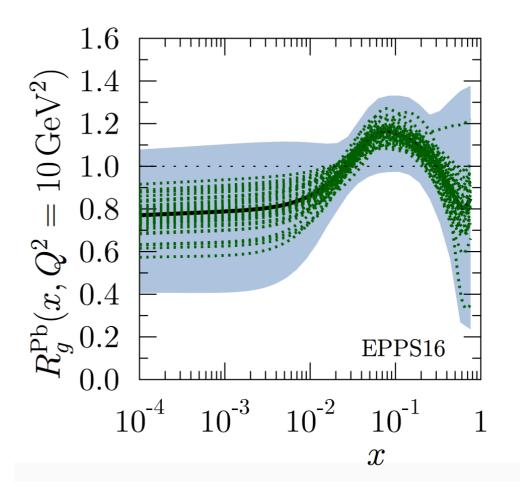
In our approach, almost all 2S, 1P states are regenerated at later stage in central heavy ion collisions, at the moment no regeneration of 3S and 2P implemented, 1S—>unbound—>2S is important

At high temperature, dissociation/recombination rates are large for excited states, effectively, they are at chemical equilibrium and thus have tiny densities

# Results on Bottomonium: nPDF Uncertainty

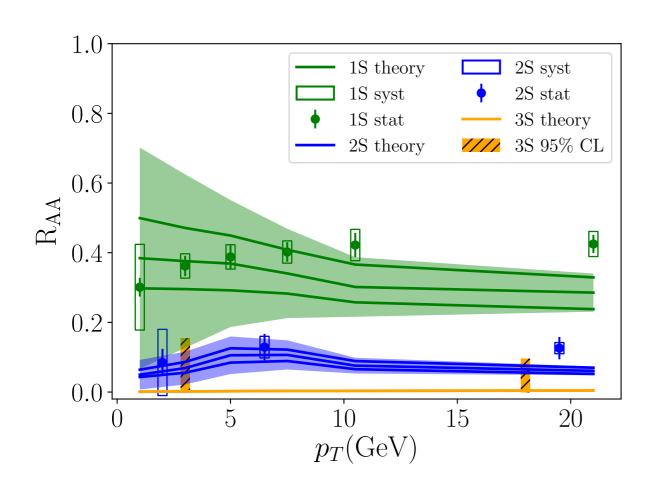


**Uncertainties from nPDF large** 



At mid rapidity CNM 
$$x \sim \frac{2m_T}{\sqrt{s}} \qquad \sim [R_g^{Pb}(x)]^2$$

# Results on Bottomonium: $p_T$ Dependence



Start to see deviation at  $p_T \gtrsim 10~{\rm GeV} \sim M_{b\bar{b}}$ 

Relativistic correction becomes important

In vacuum, one can always go to rest frame, where ultrasoft gluons have energy ~ binding energy  $\ll M_Q$  —> nonrelativistic expansion works —> NRQCD works for high  $p_T$  production

In medium, one can always go to rest frame, but gluons from medium get boosted to have larger energies -> nonrelativistic expansion fails -> at high enough  $p_T$ , we start to talk about quarkonium production from jet

## **Future Prospects**

- Potential effect for unbound pair in transport equations: for color singlet, potential
  effect is on for some time scale related to imaginary part
- Include regeneration of 3S and 2P states
- Beyond Coulomb potential, need an efficient way to sample final-state momentum
- EPPS21 for nPDF
- High  $p_T$  quarkonium
- Nonperturbative determination of  $[g_E^{\pm\pm}]^>(q)$ , which describes on-shell and offshell gluons in QGP that are relevant for quarkonium screening, dissociation and recombination—> joint effort of theory, computation and experiment

$$[g_E^{++}]^{>}(t) = \langle E_i^a(t)W^{ac}(t, +\infty)W^{cb}(+\infty, 0)E_i^b(0)\rangle$$

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See also Munich+KSU approach