Viscous Hydrodynamics for Relativistic Heavy Ion Collisions

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What is viscosity

Shear viscosity – measures the resistance to flow



the ability of momentum transfer



Bulk viscosity –measure the resistance to expansion



-volume viscosity

Determines the dynamics of compressible fluid

The QGP viscosity

Kubo formulas: -

$$\int \frac{1}{20} \lim_{\omega \to 0} \int d^4 x e^{i\omega t} < [T^{ij}(x)T^{ij}(0)] > \theta(t)$$

bulk viscosity: $\zeta = \frac{1}{18} \lim_{\omega \to 0} \int d^4 x e^{i\omega t} < [T^i_i(x)T^i_i(0)] > \theta(t)$

Shear viscosity:uncertainty principle requires a lower limit for η/s -weakly coupled QCD: $\eta/s \sim 1$ Arnold, Moore & Yaffe, 00,03-lattice SU(3) gluon dynamics : $\eta/s < 1$ Meyer, PRD 07-strongly coupled AdS/CFT prediction : $\eta/s \geq 1/4\pi \sim 0.08$ D.T. Son et al. '01,'05

Bulk viscosity: zero for classical massless particles, ζ/s reaches a peak near T_c -weakly coupled QCD prediction: $\zeta/s << 1$ Arnold, Dogan & Moore, PRD06-lattice SU(3) gluon dynamics : $\zeta/s \Big|_{\sim T_c} = 0.73 \Big|_{0.5}^{2.0} \Big|_{\sim T_c}$ Meyer, PRL08-LET+ assum. of spectral fun. + Lattice data: $\zeta/s \Big|_{\sim T_c} \sim 0.8$ Kharzeev, et al. 07-08-strongly coupled AdS/CFT prediction: $\zeta/s > 2\eta/s(1/3 - c_s^2)$ Buchel, 07 $\zeta/s \Big|_{\sim T_c} \sim 0.05$ Gubser, et al. 0806 ...

To extract the QGP viscosity from experimental data, we need viscous hydrodynamics

Viscous hydrodynamics



Conservation laws:

 $\partial_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu}(x) = 0 \qquad T^{\mu\nu} = (e + p + \Pi)u^{\mu}u^{\nu} - (p + \Pi)g^{\mu\nu} + \pi^{\mu\nu}$

Evolution equations for shear pressure tensor $\pi^{\mu\nu}$:

$$\tau_{\pi} \Delta^{\alpha \mu} \Delta^{\beta \nu} \dot{\pi}_{\alpha \beta} + \pi^{\mu \nu} = 2 \eta \sigma^{\mu \nu}$$
$$\tau_{\Pi} \dot{\Pi} + \Pi = -\zeta (\partial \cdot u)$$

-simplified Israel-Stewart eqn. $\partial_{\mu} S^{\mu} \ge 0$

Input: "EOS" $\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{E}(p, n)$ initial conditions and final conditions With $\eta, \zeta \to 0$ viscous hydrodynamics reduces to ideal hydrodynamics Bjorken appro. : $v_z = z / t$ reduces (3+1)-d hydro to (2+1)-d hydro (τ, x, y, η)

(2+1)-d viscous hydrodynamics



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-VISH2+1 (Song & Heinz) vs. Romatschke code: (Nov. 2007)

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- effects from different 2nd order formalisms

simplified I-S eqn. vs. full I-S eqn., I-S eqn. vs. O-G eqn.

- effects from different EoS, systems sizes and freeze-out procedures

Shear viscosity effects: Ideal hydro vs. viscous hydro

Viscous vs. ideal hydro – spectra & elliptic flow



$$E\frac{dN}{d^{3}p} = \int_{\Sigma} \frac{p \cdot d^{3}\sigma(x)}{2\pi^{3}} \left[f_{eq}(x,p) + \delta f(x,p) \right] = \int_{\Sigma} \frac{p \cdot d^{3}\sigma(x)}{(2\pi)^{3}} f_{eq}(x,p) \left(1 + \frac{p^{\alpha}p^{\beta}}{2T^{2}(x)} \frac{\pi_{\alpha\beta}(x)}{(e+p)(x)} \right)$$

-More radial flow, flatter spectra;-elliptic flow is very sensitive to shear viscosity

Comparison with Romatschke 07 results



- different systems & EOS: Cu+Cu, b=7, SM-EOS Q vs. Au+Au, min bias, EOS Lattice

- different Isreal-Stewart eqns. used: simplified I-S eqn. vs. full I-S eqn.

Effect of using different I-S eqns.?

Simplified I-S eqn. vs. full I-S eqn.:

simplified I-S eqn.:

$$\Delta^{\mu\alpha}\Delta^{\nu\beta}D\pi_{\alpha\beta} = -\frac{1}{\tau_{\pi}} \left[\pi^{\mu\nu} - 2\eta\sigma^{\mu\nu}\right]$$

full I-S eqn.:

$$\Delta^{\mu\alpha} \Delta^{\nu\beta} D\pi_{\alpha\beta} = -\frac{1}{\tau_{\pi}} \left[\pi^{\mu\nu} - 2\eta \sigma^{\mu\nu} \right] + \frac{1}{2} \pi^{\mu\nu} \left[5D \ln T - \nabla_{\alpha} u^{\alpha} \right] + 2\pi^{\alpha(\mu} \omega_{\alpha}^{\nu)}$$

important for preserving the conformal symmetry (Baier et al. '07)



-for EOS I, the difference between simplified I-S eqn and full I-S eqn could reach 30-50% for larger relaxation times.

- for realistic EOS with a phase transition, the difference between simplified and full I-S for viscous v2 suppression are small
- -numerical simulations also show that simplified I-S eqn. and full I-S eqn. approach the same Navier-Stokes limit as $\tau_{\pi} \rightarrow 0$
- -full I-S eqn. shows much weaker dependence to τ_{π}

System size effects to viscous v₂ suppression

system size, EOS, different I-S equations:



EOS effects to viscous v₂ suppression



Different contributions to the suppression of v_2 System size, EOS, different I-S equations: simplified I-S eqn. simplified I-S eqn. Considering all of these effects, the final suppression of v_2 for Au+Au with EOS L and the full I-S eqn., for minimal shear viscosity $\eta/s = 0.08$, is ~25%, approaching the results of P. & U. Romatschke (PRL 99, 172301 (2007)).



- system size: CuCu b=7fm vs. AuAu b=7fm:~50-100% effect

- EoS: SM-EOS Q vs. EOS L: ~25% effect
- different I-S eqn.: simplified vs. full I-S eqn.:
 ~5-10% effect (EOS Q and EOS L only)

Comment: To extract QGP viscosity from exp. data by using viscous hydro, one needs a better description of EoS (Lattice EoS + chemical non-equil. HRG EoS)

System size effects

Multiplicity scaling of v_2 / ϵ EOS



<u>Ideal hydrodynamics</u>: multiplicity scaling of v_2 / ε is weakly broken:

freeze-out condition introduces time scale, breaking scale invariance of id. hydro eqns.
Initial profiles for Cu+Cu and Au+Au systems are not identical after a rescaling

<u>Viscous hydrodynamics</u>: additional scale breaking by shear viscosity, resulting in fine structure of v_2/ϵ :

- for similar initial energy density, Cu+Cu curves are slightly below the Au+Au curves - at fixed $\frac{1}{S} \frac{dN_{ch}}{dy}$, the $e_0 = 15 \text{GeV/fm}^3$ curves are slightly above the $e_0 = 30 \text{GeV/fm}^3$ ones

Viscous effects are larger for smaller systems and lower collision energies

Multiplicity scaling of v_2 / ϵ EOS L



- experimental data show qualitatively similar fine ordering as viscous hydro prediction

- to reproduce slope of v_2/ϵ vs. (1/S)dN/dy, a better description of the highly viscous hadronic stage is needed: *T*-dependent η/s , viscous hydro + hadron cascade
- the experimental v_2/ϵ vs. (1/S)dN/dy scaling (slope and fine structure) is another good candidate to constrain η/s (insensitive to Glauber-type vs. CGC initialization)
- this requires, however, experimental and theoretical improvements: reduced error bars, accounting for *T*-dependence of η/s , ζ/s near T_c , modeling hadronic phase with realistic cascade

A first attempt to extract η/s from experimental data

-Luzum & Romatschke, arXiv:0804.4015 [nucl-th]

Extracting η/s from elliptical flow data



-Glauber vs.CGC ~100% effects on the extracted value of η/s , (highly viscous late hadronic stage, bulk viscosity, non-eq. chemistry in HG, etc. are not included) - $\eta/s \le 5 \times (1/4\pi)$ (estimated from these data and results by other groups)

Effects from bulk viscosity -Preliminary results



Ideal vs.Viscous hydro – spectra & elliptic flow

Viscous hydro: bulk viscosity only, using C=1 here



-negative bulk pressure could effectively soften the EoS near phase transition, which prohibits the development of radial flow and momentum anisotropy. -spectra becomes steeper, v_2 is suppressed at lower p_T region

Viscous v2 suppression: shear and bulk viscosity



-2 x min bulk viscosity could result in ~50% additional v₂ suppression -when extracting the η/s from exp. data, bulk viscous effects cannot be neglected

Summary and discussion

- v_2 is sensitive to η/s

- use full I-S to minimize sensitivity to τ_{π}

- multiplicity scaling of v_2/ε is a good candidate to extract the QGP viscosity:
 - larger viscous effects in smaller systems and at lower collision energies
 - multiplicity scaling of v_2 / ε is insensitive to Glauber model vs. CGC initialization.

A first attempt to constrain η/s from RHIC data indicates $\eta/s \le 5 \times (1/4\pi)$,

BUT:

to extract QGP viscosity, one must consider (at least) all the following aspects:

- a realistic EOS: EOS L vs. SM-EOS Q ~25% (for v_2 and v_2/ε)
- initial conditions: CGC initialization vs. Glauber initialization ~15-30% (for v_2)
- bulk viscosity: with vs. without bulk viscosity ~?%
- hadronic stage : viscous hydro+ hadron cascade in the furthure ?

Thank You

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