# Heavy-flavour productions in the relativistic heavy ion collisions

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# Heavy Flavour (HF) in pp, p-Pb & Pb-Pb

- Heavy-flavour (charm & beauty) production
  - Initial hard scatterings ( $M_{HF} >> \Lambda_{QCD}$ )
    - Flavour creation, flavour excitation, gluon splitting
- pp collisions
  - Test for perturbative QCD (pQCD)
  - Reference for heavy ion collisions (both experiment & theory)
- Heavy ion collisions
  - Created in initial parton-parton scatterings
  - Traverse and interact with the hot & dense QCD matter
    - A good probe to study properties of the QCD matter
    - Energy loss ( $R_{AA}$ ), collectivity ( $v_2$ ), hadronization
- pA collisions
  - Control measurement for heavy ion collisions to disentangle initial from final state effects
    - Cold nuclear matter effect on heavy-flavour production

# Energy Loss of heavy flavours

- In-medium parton energy loss
  - Radiative energy loss (PLB 632, 81)
    - gluon bremsstrahlung
    - smaller energy loss for heavy than for light quarks due to "dead cone" effect (PLB 519 (2001) 199.)
    - energy loss depends on the colour charge and is larger for gluons than for quarks
  - Collisional energy loss (PLB 649, 139)
    - energy loss via elastic scattering
- Theoretical predictions:
  - mass & colour charge dependence of energy loss
  - $E_{loss}(g) > E_{loss}(u,d,s) > E_{loss}(c) > E_{loss}(b)$

 $R_{AA}^{\pi} < R_{AA}^{D} < R_{AA}^{B} ?$ 

Nuclear modification factor

 $R_{\rm AA}(p_{\rm T}) = \frac{d N_{\rm AA}/dp_{\rm T}}{\langle T_{\rm AA} \rangle \times d\sigma_{\rm T}/dp_{\rm T}}$ 

# Azimuthal anisotropy of Heavy flavours v

Elliptic flow

 $dN/d(\phi-\psi_{RP}) = ... + N_0(1+2v_2\cos(2(\phi-\psi_{RP}))) +...$ 

- Transfer initial spatial anisotropy to momentum anisotropy
  - macroscopic: hydro model
    - => pressure gradient
  - □ microscopic
    - => scattering in the medium
- Low p<sub>T</sub>
  - coupling of heavy quarks with the medium and their thermalization
- Intermediate p<sub>T</sub>

Hadronization mechanism (recombination)

High p<sub>T</sub>

Path-length dependence of energy loss



of particle emission

### Heavy-flavour results in pp collisions

### HF production in pp collisions at RHIC



 Charm and beauty production via electrons are in good agreement with FONLL calculation

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### HF production in pp collisions at LHC



### Charm production in pp collisions at LHC



- D meson production mid- and forward-rapidity is in good agreement with pQCD calculations
  - upper side of the FONLL uncertainty band
  - various energies: 5.02, 7 and 13 TeV
  - from  $p_{\rm T}$  = 0 to 100 GeV/c

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### Beauty production in pp collisions at LHC

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### Beauty jets production in pp collisions at LHC (2) JHEP 04 (2012) 084



### Total c-cbar & b-bbar cross section in pp



- Cross section of charm and beauty are in good agreement with pQCD
- Beam energy dependence is consistent with pQCD (NLO, FONLL)

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### Heavy-flavour results in pA collisions

# p-A collisions

### Heavy-flavour in p-A collisions

 control measurement for heavy-ion collisions to disentangle initial (cold nuclear matter effects) from final state effects

### Cold nuclear matter effects

 nuclear modification of Parton distribution Functions (PDF): shadowing or gluon saturation

K.J. Eskola et al., JHEP 0904(2009)65 H. Fuji & K. Watanabe, NPA 915 (2013) 1

- energy loss I. Vitev et al., PRC 75(2007) 064906
- k<sub>T</sub> broadening (Cronin enhancement)
- multiple collisions

A.M. Glenn et al., PLB 644(2007)119



 $R_{pPb}(p_{\rm T}) = \frac{d N_{\rm pPb}/dp_{\rm T}}{\langle T_{\rm AA} \rangle \times d\sigma_{\rm pp}/dp_{\rm T}}$ 

 $R_{dA}$  of  $e^{HF}$  &  $\mu^{HF}$  at RHIC





# $R_{pPb}$ of D, B and $e^{HF}$ at mid-rapidity at LHC



- R<sub>pPb</sub> of D mesons, B mesons and e<sup>HF</sup> is consistent with unity
  - No significant cold nuclear matter effects on heavy-flavour production
- Theoretical calculations with CNM effects are consistent with data
  - predict a small suppression at low  $p_T$  due to gluon saturation at low x

# R<sub>pA</sub>: RHIC vs. LHC



- Enhancement of e<sup>HF</sup> production in 0-20% in d+Au is well reproduced by Blast-wave model [PLB 731 (2014) 51]
- Possible enhancement due to radial flow is predicted smaller at LHC
  - consistent with data
  - due to harder D and B meson  $p_T$  at higher collision energy



- Measured c-jet cross section in p-Pb is consistent with PYTHIA simulation
- R<sub>pPb</sub> of b-jet with PYTHIA-based estimation is consistent with unity
  - considering the uncertainty on the PYTHIA reference

### D production at forward-backward rapidity

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- D<sup>0</sup> production at forward and backward rapidity
  - forward: p-going, 1.5 < y < -4
  - backward: Pb-going, -5 < y < -2.5
- Significant D<sup>0</sup> production asymmetry in forward backward rapidity regions
- Measurements are consistent with a theoretical calculation
  - NLO with CTEQM and EPS09NLO

### B-> $J/\Psi$ production at forward-backward rapidity



- B->J/ $\Psi$  production at 1.5 <  $\eta$  < 4.0 (forward) and -5 <  $\eta$  < -2.5 (backward)
- R<sub>FB</sub> of B->J/Ψ is asymmetry
  - backward yield is suppressed w.r.t. forward yield
- $R_{FB}$  of B->J/ $\Psi$  is larger than  $R_{FB}$  of prompt J/ $\Psi$ 
  - indicate cold nuclear matter effect is less pronounced for b hadrons

### Heavy-flavour results in AA collisions

### D mesons in Au-Au (200 GeV)



- D meson production at 200 GeV in Au-Au collisions
- Total production follow binary scale
- low  $p_T$  (< 2 GeV/c): tend larger than unity
  - recombination, radial flow ?
- high p<sub>T</sub> (>2 GeV/c): strongly suppressed
  - indicate charm energy loss in the matter

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# $R_{AA}$ of $e^{HF}$ (c->e and b->e) in Au-Au (200 GeV)

#### Charm and beauty separation



- R<sub>AA</sub> of D->e and B->e
- Strong suppression both electrons original from charm and beauty indicate charm and beauty energy loss in the matter
- R<sub>AA</sub> of B->e and D->e are consistent within current uncertainty
  - not conclude mass dependence of energy loss

# D mesons in central Pb-Pb collisions (2.76 TeV)



### $e^{HF}\,\&\,\mu^{HF}\,production$ in Pb-Pb collisions (2.76 TeV)



- Strong suppression of e<sup>HF</sup> (|y|<0.6) & μ<sup>HF</sup> (2.5<ÿ<4) in central collisions</p>
  - similar suppression of  $e^{HF} \& \mu^{HF}$  in different rapidity regions
  - Iess suppression in mid-central collisions in both rapidity regions
  - high p<sub>T</sub>: large contribution from beauty
- Suggest significant energy loss of charm and beauty in the medium

### RHIC vs. LHC: D meson production



 Similar order of suppression of D meson production in 0.2 TeV (Au-Au) and 2.76 TeV (Pb-Pb) in most-central collisions at 2<p<sub>T</sub><6 GeV/c</li>

#### Looks there is difference at low p<sub>T</sub>

- recombination, radial flow @ RHIC ?
- shadowing @ LHC ?

### RHIC vs. LHC: HF->e production



- Similar order of suppression of c->e + b->e production in 0.2 TeV (Au-Au) and 2.76 TeV (Pb-Pb) in most-central collisions at 3<p<sub>T</sub><9 GeV/c</li>
- Not imply similar HF energy loss between RHIC and LHC
  - combined effect of a denser medium and harder initial p<sub>T</sub> spectrum at LHC arXiv:1509.06888

### $R_{AA}$ of B meson decays (B->e & B->J/\Psi) in LHC



- Suppression of B->e and B->J/ $\Psi$  at high  $p_{T}$ 
  - lower  $p_T$ : tends to follow binary scaling (consistent with unity)
  - high *p*<sub>T</sub> (> 3 GeV/*c*): R<sub>AA</sub> ~ 0.4-0.5
- Suggestions of beauty energy loss in the dense QCD matter

# $R_{AA}$ of charged particles, D and B->J/ $\Psi$ in LHC

#### CMS-PAS-HIN-16-001



- The magnitude of D meson suppression is similar to charged particles  $(\pi)$ within uncertainties at  $p_{T} > 8 \text{ GeV}/c$ 
  - can't conclude on the expectation :  $R_{AA}$  (D) >  $R_{AA}$  ( $\pi$ )
- $R_{AA}$  of D meson is smaller than  $R_{AA}$  of B->J/ $\Psi$ 
  - indication of smaller energy loss of beauty than charm





- Heavy-flavour jets: allow to address energy loss at parton level
- Observed strong suppression of b-jets in most-central collisions
  - similar magnitude of suppression to inclusive jet
  - high  $p_{T}$  b-jets: largely comes from gluon splitting

### Imbalance of pairs of b jets in LHC



similar imbalance as inclusive dijet

### Azimuthal anisotropy of $HF\left( D\text{ and }e\right)$ at RHIC



- Non-zero HF v<sub>2</sub> (D & e<sup>HF</sup>) in Au-Au collisions at 200 GeV
- $v_2$  at lower energies (62.4 & 39 GeV) is consistent with zero at  $p_T < 2$  GeV/c
  - non-zero light-flavour (π,k & p) v<sub>2</sub> in the energy regions (arXiv:1601.07052)

# Azimuthal anisotropy of D mesons in LHC

PRC 90 (2014) 034904



- Non zero D v<sub>2</sub> at low p<sub>T</sub>
- Tends to get large from central (0-10%) to mid-central (30-50%)
  - Hydrodinamical behavior
- Consistent with charged particle v<sub>2</sub>
- Charm quarks participate to the collective motion of the system

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# Azimuthal anisotropy of $e^{\rm HF}$ and $\mu^{\rm HF}$ in LHC

e<sup>HF</sup> : arXiv: 1606.00321, μHF: PLB 753 (2016) 41-56



- Non-zero  $v_2$  of  $e^{HF}$  at |y| < 0.7 and  $\mu^{HF}$  at 2.5<y<4
  - the magnitude is compatible in mid- and forward-rapidities
- $v_2$  of  $e^{HF}$  measured from  $p_T > 0.5$  GeV/c
  - similar p<sub>T</sub> dependence to other light hadron v<sub>2</sub>
- v<sub>2</sub> at high p<sub>T</sub> e<sup>HF</sup> and µ<sup>HF</sup> reflects beauty
- Charm quarks participate to the collective motion of the system

### Comparison with models (I)

#### JHEP09(2012)112



- Theoretical calculations
  - initial: with/without cold nuclear matter from PDF
  - medium modeling: Hydro, Glauber, parton transportation
  - Interaction: radiative, collisional, resonant interaction
  - hadronization: fragmentation, coalesence
- Models represent  $R_{AA}$  of D mesons,  $e^{HF}$  and  $\mu^{HF}$ 
  - mid- and forward-rapidity regions
  - high p<sub>T</sub> leptons (e,µ) mainly from beauty decay

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 $p_{_{\rm T}}$  (GeV/c)

### Comparison with models (2)

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arXiv: 1603.00529



 Model calculations are reasonably reproduced D meson R<sub>AA</sub> in both RHIC (0.2 TeV Au-Au) and LHC (2.76 TeV Pb-Pb)

# Comparison with models (3)



- Theoretical calculations
  - initial: with/without cold nuclear matter from PDF
  - medium modeling: Hydro, Glauber, parton transportation
  - Interaction: radiative, collisional, resonant interaction
  - hadronization: fragmentation, coalesence
- Large suppression and non-zero  $v_2$  (at low  $p_T$ ) are represented by models, but simultaneous reproduction of the  $R_{AA}$  and  $v_2$  is challenging

# Comparison with models (3)



- Experimental result
   R<sub>AA</sub>(D) < R<sub>AA</sub>(B->J/Ψ)
- Theoretical model
  - radiative + collisional energy loss
  - used two masses (charm and beauty) for calculating B->J/Ψ R<sub>AA</sub> to study mass dependence
  - result using beauty mass well represents centrality dependence of R<sub>AA</sub> (B->J/Ψ)
  - the difference between D meson and B->J/Ψ is mainly from mass in this model

# Summary

- Heavy-flavour productions in pp collisions at 200 GeV, 2.76 TeV, 7 TeV and 13 TeV
  - The productions are well described by pQCD calculations
- Heavy-ion collisions (Au-Au 200 GeV, Pb-Pb 2.76 & 5.02 TeV)
  - Strong suppression of heavy-flavour yield
    - Clear indication for substantial energy loss of charm and beauty in the hot and dense matter
  - Non-zero & centrality dependence of v<sub>2</sub>
    - Suggest strong re-interaction in the medium
- Heavy flavours observed to be significantly affected by hot and dense QCD medium