



通过相对论重离子碰撞研究原子核形变

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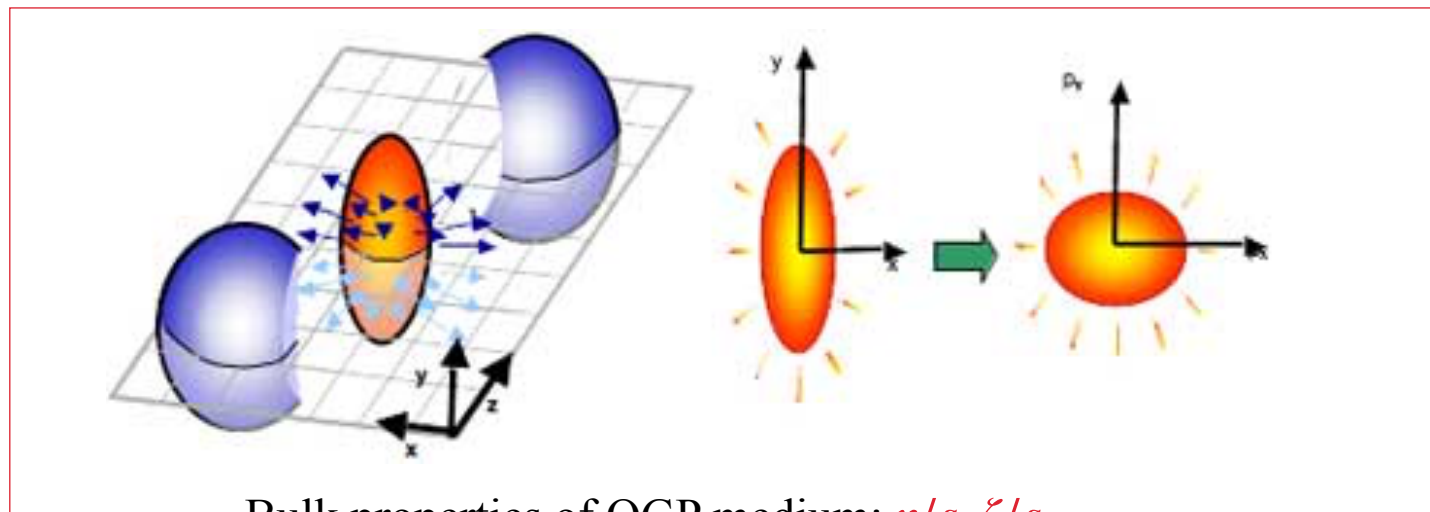
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Relativistic Heavy ion collisions and nuclear structure

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp[(r - R)/a]}$$

$$R = R_0 [1 + \beta_2 Y_2^0(\theta) + \beta_4 Y_4^0(\theta)]$$

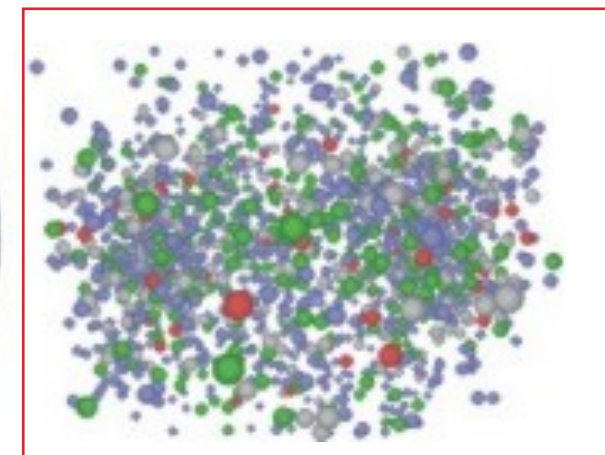
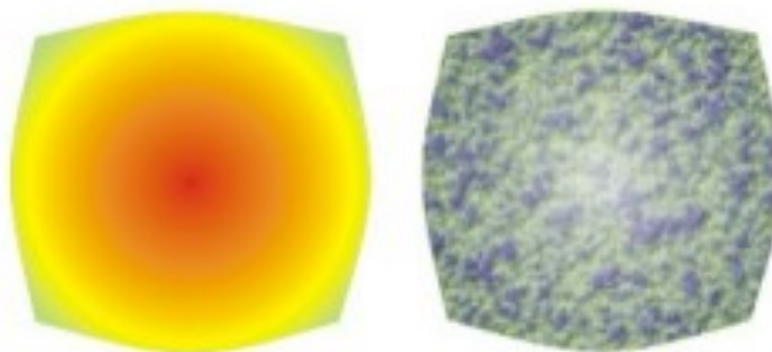
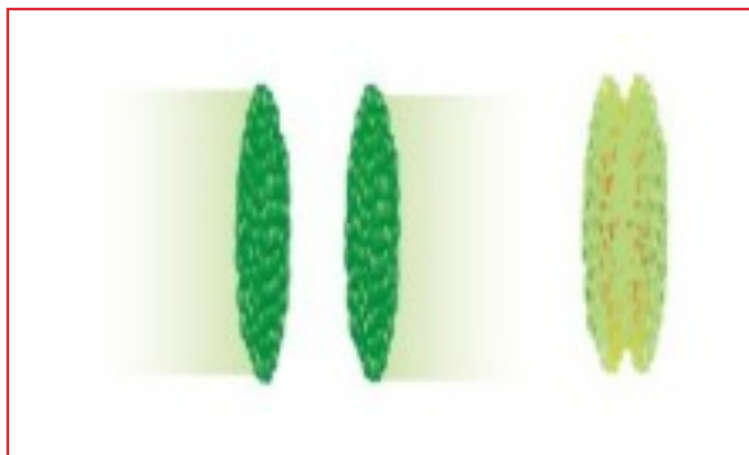


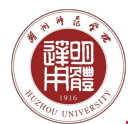
Initial geometry

Bulk properties of QGP medium: $\eta/s, \zeta/s, \dots$

Final observables

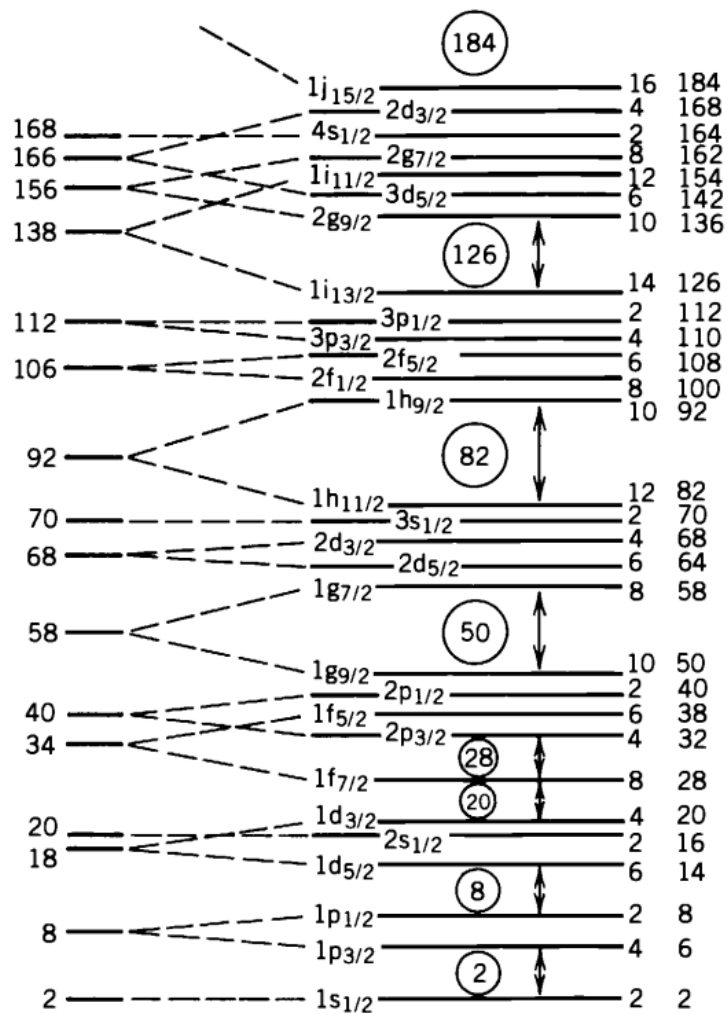
Anisotropic flow,
Flow fluctuations
HBT,
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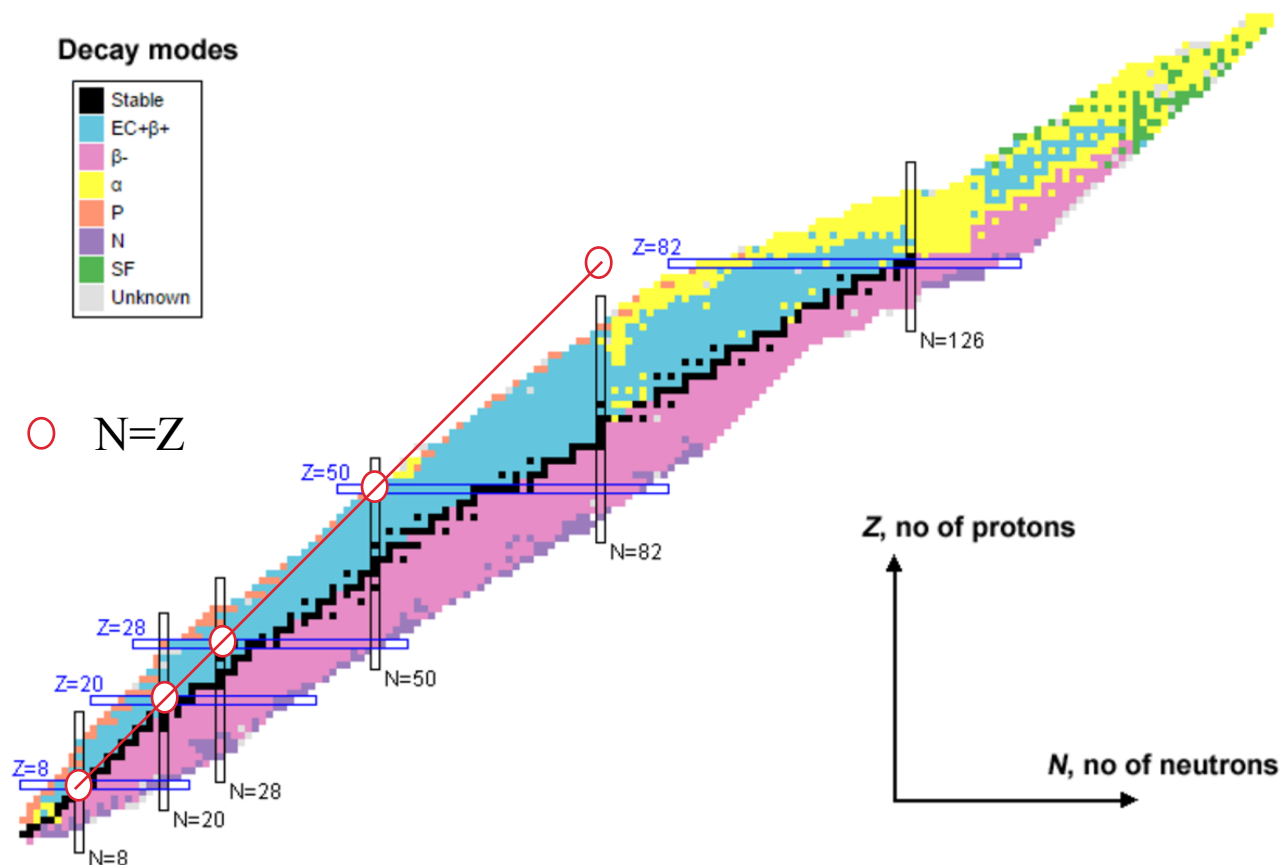


Fine nuclear structure

Nuclear deformation



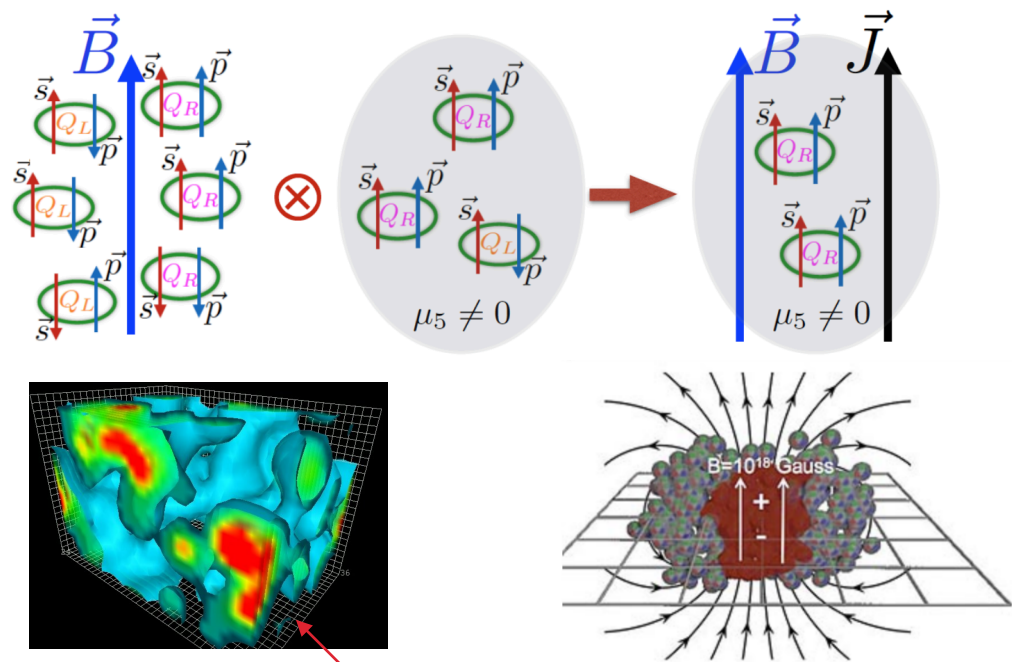
Neutron skin thickness





Relativistic isobaric collisions and chiral magnetic effect

Chiral magnetic effect (CME)

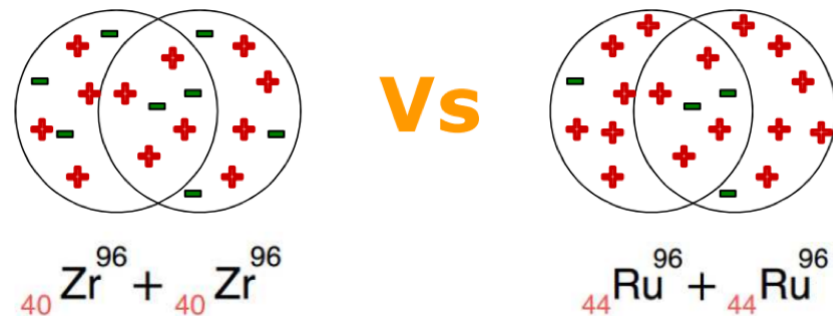


$$\mathbf{J}_{\text{cme}} = \sigma_5 \mathbf{B} = \left(\frac{(Qe)^2}{2\pi^2} \mu_5 \right) \mathbf{B},$$

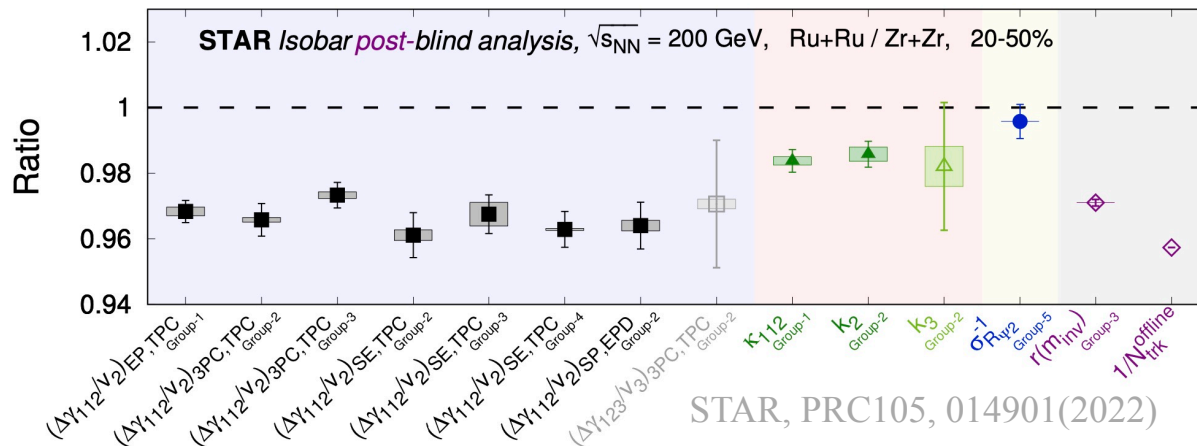
D. Kharzeev, et al., PPNP88, 1(2016)

The isobar collisions was proposed to measure the chiral magnetic effect.

S. Voloshin, PRL105, 172301 (2010)



- Same background
- Different magnetic field => different CME signals



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Backgrounds are not identical!!!

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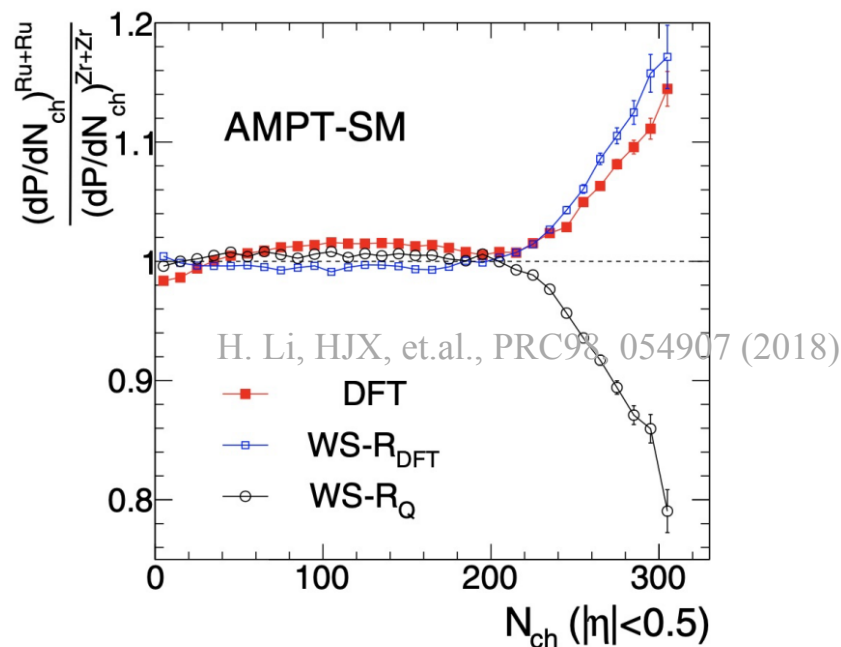
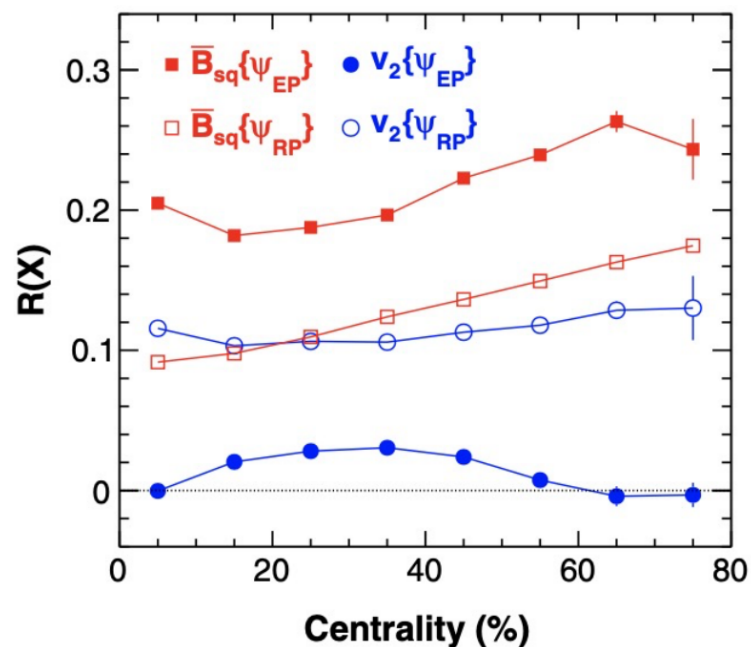
Nuclear densities for HIC models

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Instead of WS densities, we use the nuclear densities obtained from density functional theory calculations

Importance of Isobar Density Distributions on the Chiral Magnetic Effect Search

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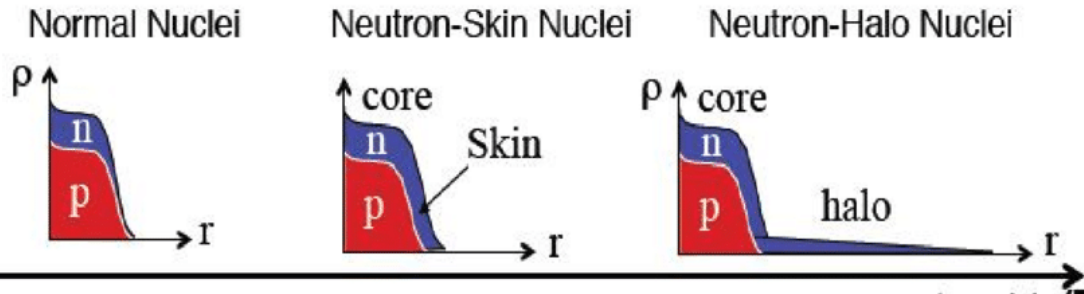


$$\Delta r_{np} \equiv \sqrt{\langle r_n^2 \rangle} - \sqrt{\langle r_p^2 \rangle}$$



Determine the neutron skin type by STAR data

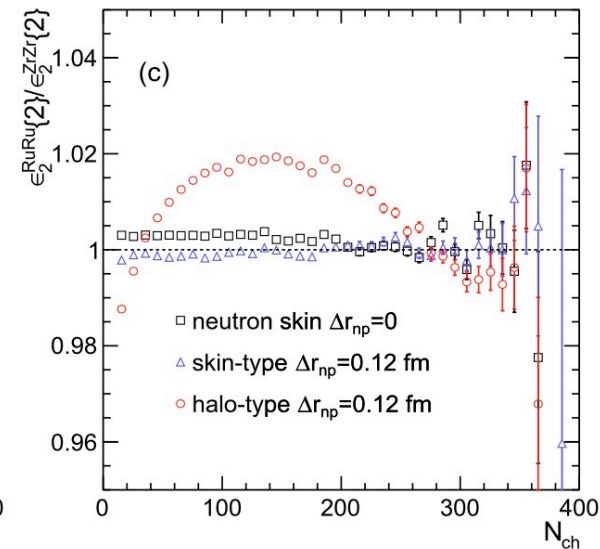
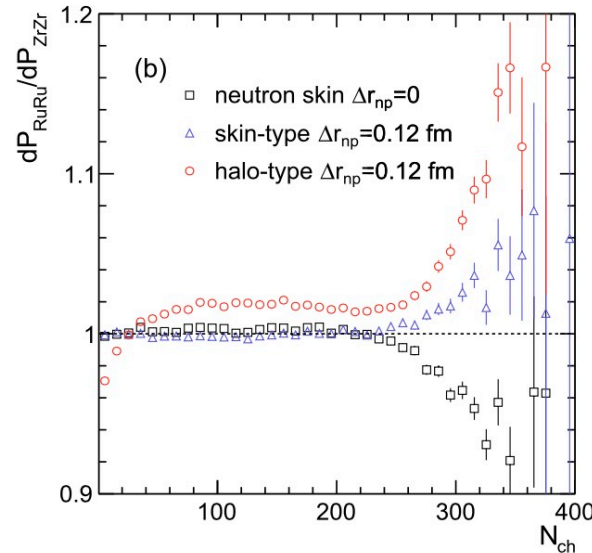
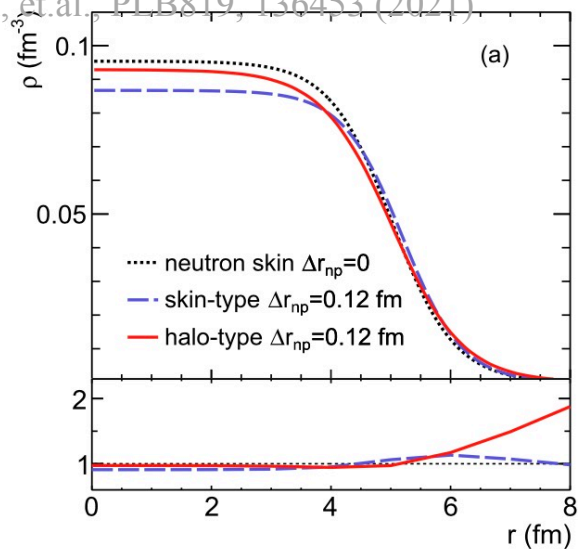
$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + \exp[(r - R)/a]}$$



● Neutron-skin nuclei and neutron-halo nuclei for Zr

	⁹⁶ Ru		⁹⁶ Zr	
	R	a	R	a
p	5.085	0.523	5.021	0.523
skin-type n	5.085	0.523	5.194	0.523
halo-type n	5.085	0.523	5.021	0.592

HJX, et al. PLB819, 136453 (2021)



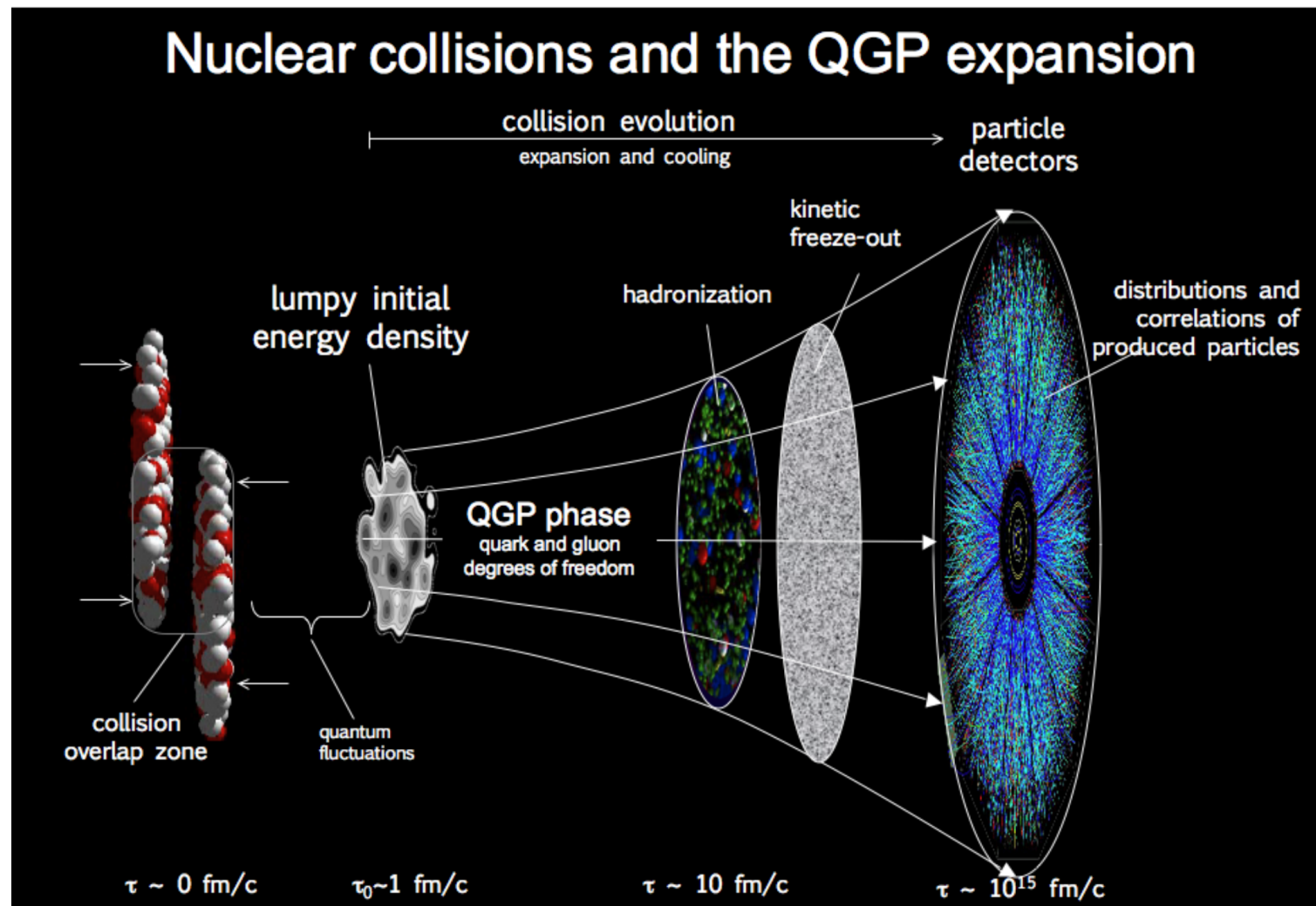
The shapes of the Ru+Ru/Zr+Zr ratios of the multiplicity and eccentricity in mid-central collisions can further distinguish between skin-type and halo-type neutron densities.



Relativistic heavy ion collisions

The
“Little
Bang”

$$\sqrt{s} = 100\text{GeV} \sim \text{TeV}$$

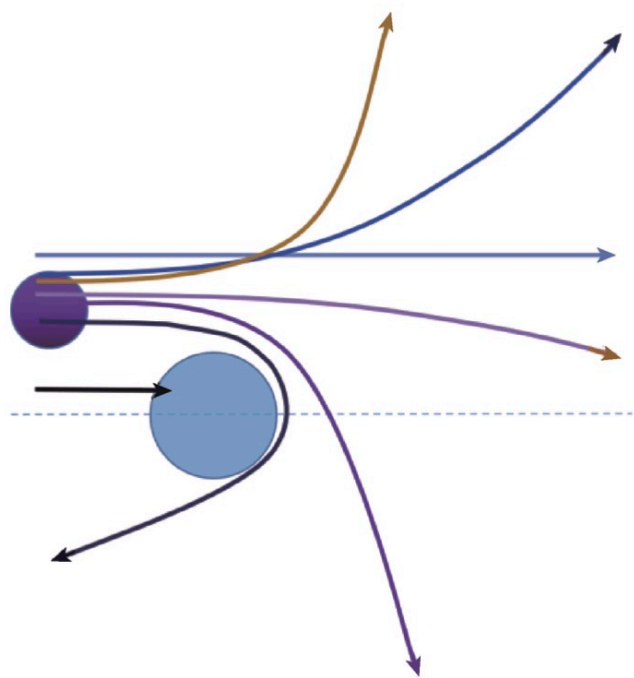


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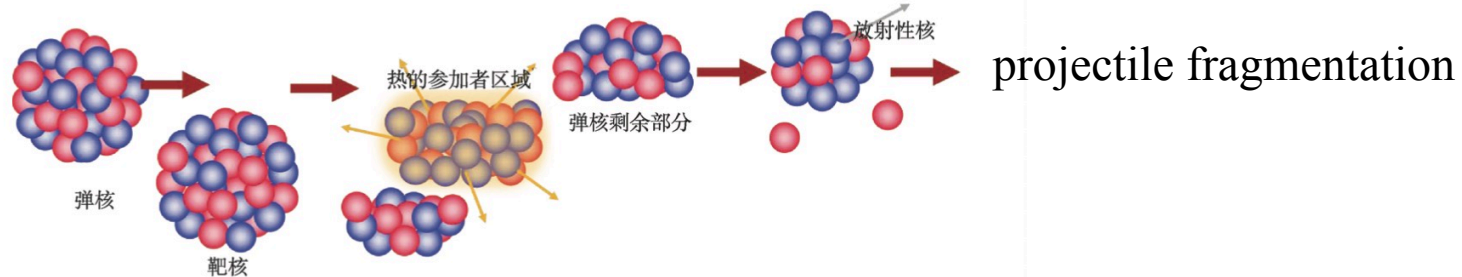
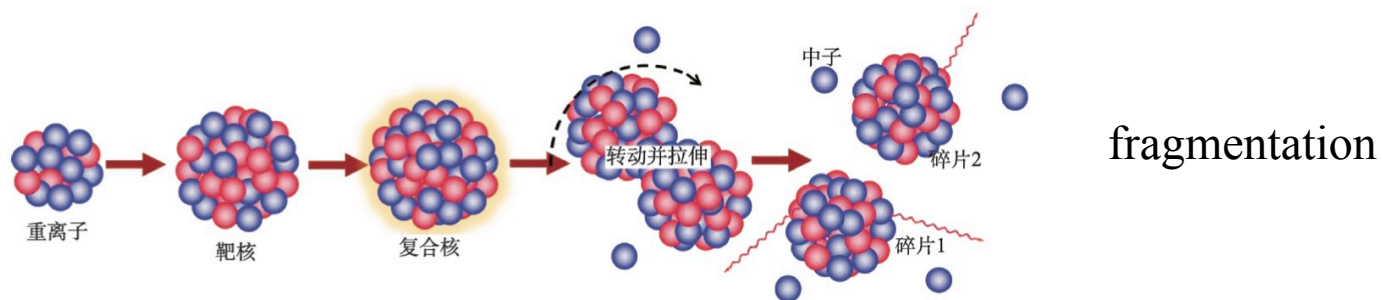
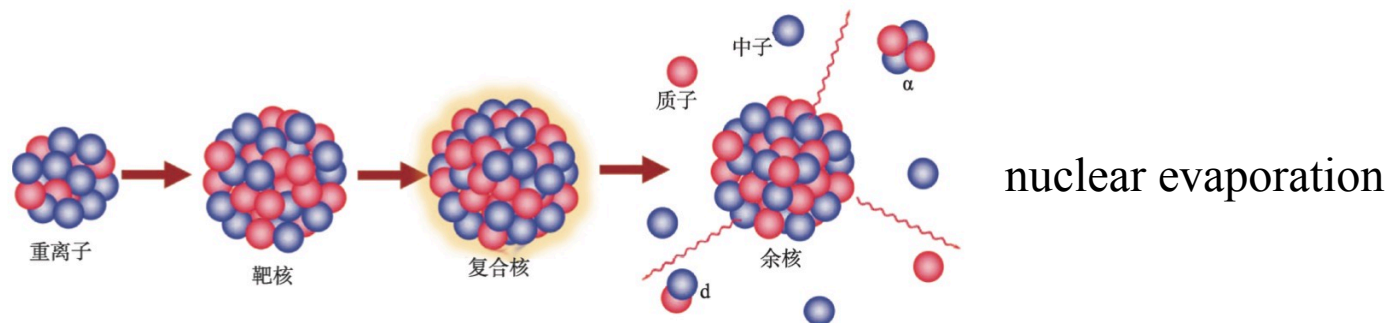


Nucleus-Nucleus Reactions (Collisions)

G. Jin, Modern Physics



$$\sqrt{s} < \text{GeV}$$





Probing the neutron skin thickness

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Observables sensitive to neutron skin thickness

Probing the Neutron Skin with Ultrarelativistic Isobaric Collisions

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Nuclear deformation

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Uranium on uranium collisions at relativistic energies

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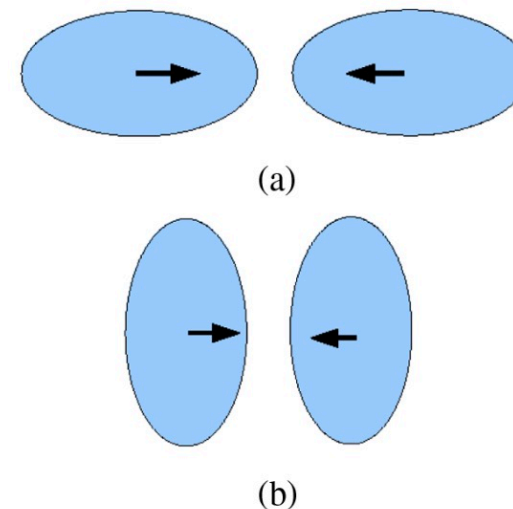
Anisotropic Flow and Jet Quenching in Ultrarelativistic U+U Collisions

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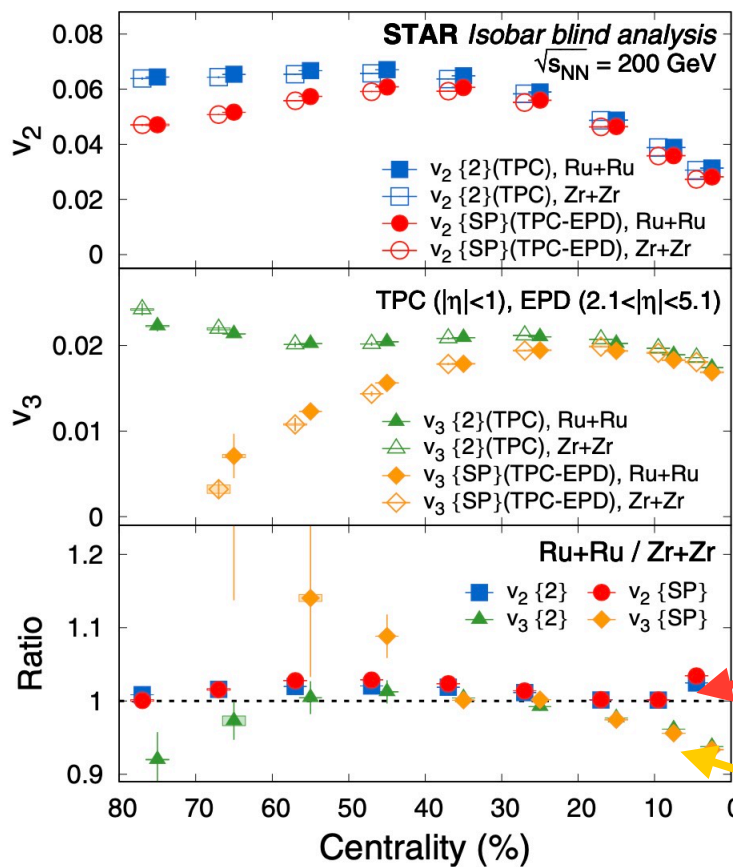
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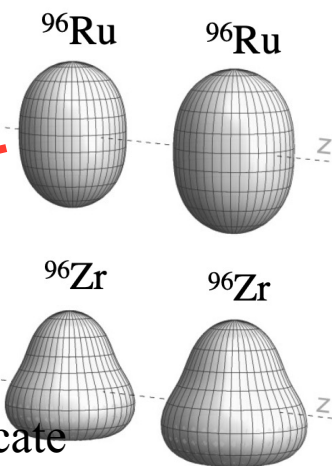


Background for CME:

Neutron skin! ✓

Non flow! ✓

Deformation ✗

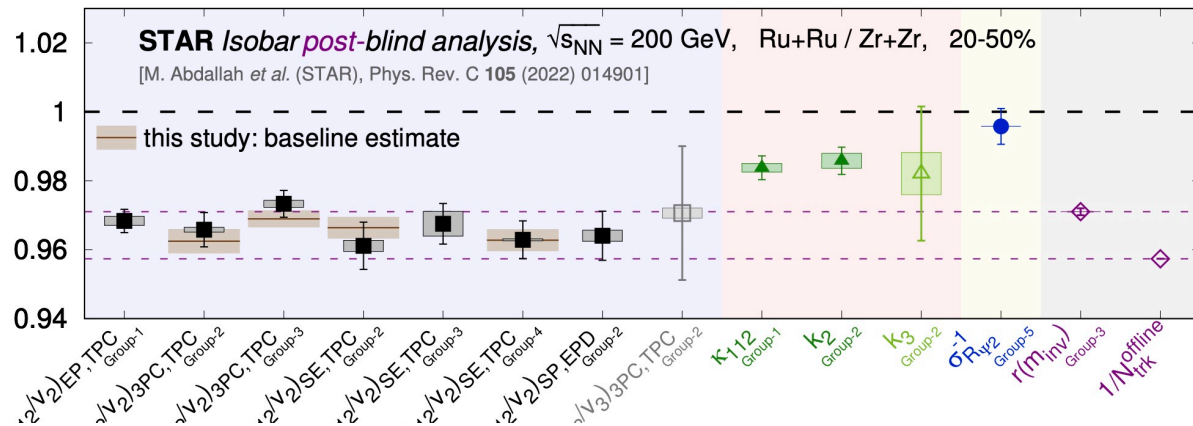


Sizable v_2 and v_3 ratios in central collisions indicate

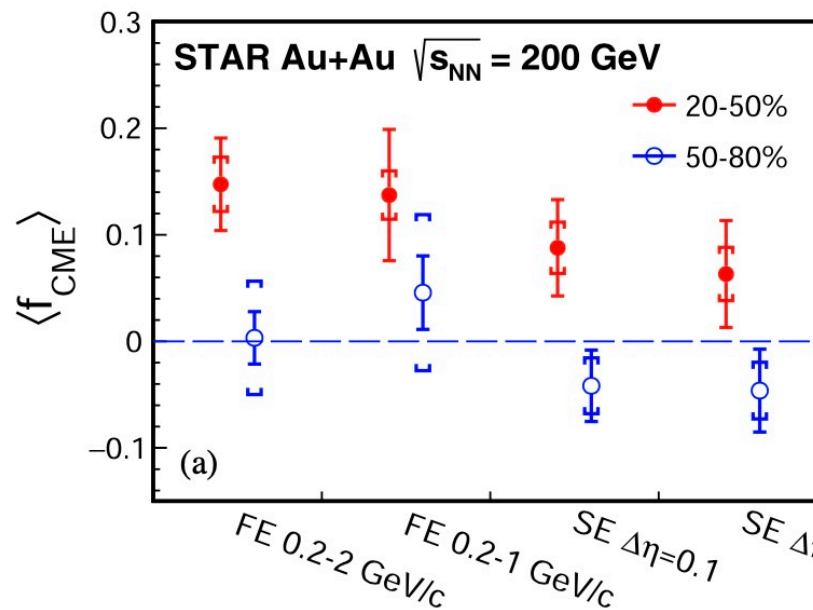
shape difference between isobars

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More Au+Au data is ongoing!!!

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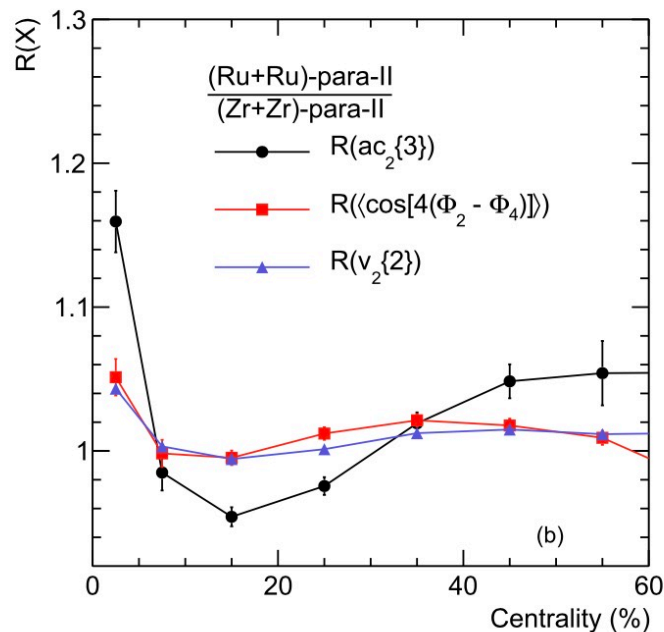
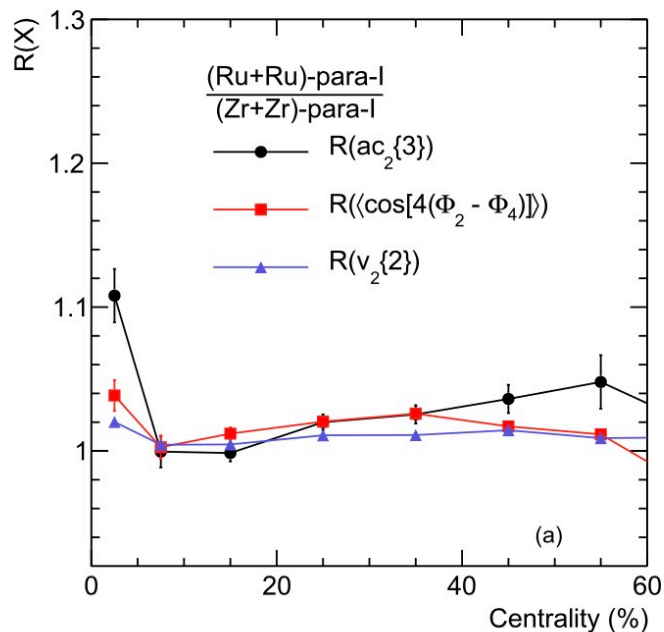
Neutron hexadecapole deformation

$$R = R_0 [1 + \beta_2 Y_{20}] \quad \longrightarrow \quad R = R_0 [1 + \beta_2 Y_{20} + \beta_3 Y_{30} + \beta_4 Y_{40}]$$



3-particle asymmetry cumulants

S. Zhao, HJX, Y. Liu, H. Song, PLB839, 137838 (2023)



$$v_4\{\Psi_2\} \equiv \frac{\text{Re}\langle V_4(V_2^*)^2 \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle |V_2|^4 \rangle}}$$

$$v_6\{\Psi_2\} \equiv \frac{\text{Re}\langle V_6(V_2^*)^3 \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle |V_2|^6 \rangle}}$$

$$v_6\{\Psi_3\} \equiv \frac{\text{Re}\langle V_6(V_3^*)^2 \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle |V_3|^4 \rangle}}$$

$$\chi_4 = \frac{\langle V_4(V_2^*)^2 \rangle}{\langle |V_2|^4 \rangle} = \frac{v_4\{\Psi_2\}}{\sqrt{\langle |V_2|^4 \rangle}}$$

$$\chi_5 = \frac{\langle V_5 V_2^* V_3^* \rangle}{\langle |V_2|^2 |V_3|^2 \rangle} = \frac{v_5\{\Psi_{23}\}}{\sqrt{\langle |V_2|^2 |V_3|^2 \rangle}}$$

L. Yan, J. Ollitrault, PLB744, 82-87 (2015)

$$ac_2\{3\} \equiv \langle \langle 3 \rangle_{2,2,-4} \rangle = \langle \langle e^{i(2\varphi_1 + 2\varphi_2 - 4\varphi_3)} \rangle \rangle$$

$$ac_2\{3\} = \langle v_2^2 v_4 \cos 4(\Phi_2 - \Phi_4) \rangle,$$

$$ac_2\{3\} \equiv \langle \langle 3 \rangle_{2,2,-4} \rangle = \langle v_2^4 \rangle^{1/2} v_4\{\Phi_2\},$$

$ac_2\{3\}$ and $\langle \cos 4(\Phi_4 - \Phi_2) \rangle$ are sensitive to β_2 and β_3 .



Hexadecapole deformation

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$$\beta_2^{WS} \neq \beta_2^*$$

Evidence of Hexadecapole Deformation in Uranium-238 at the Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider

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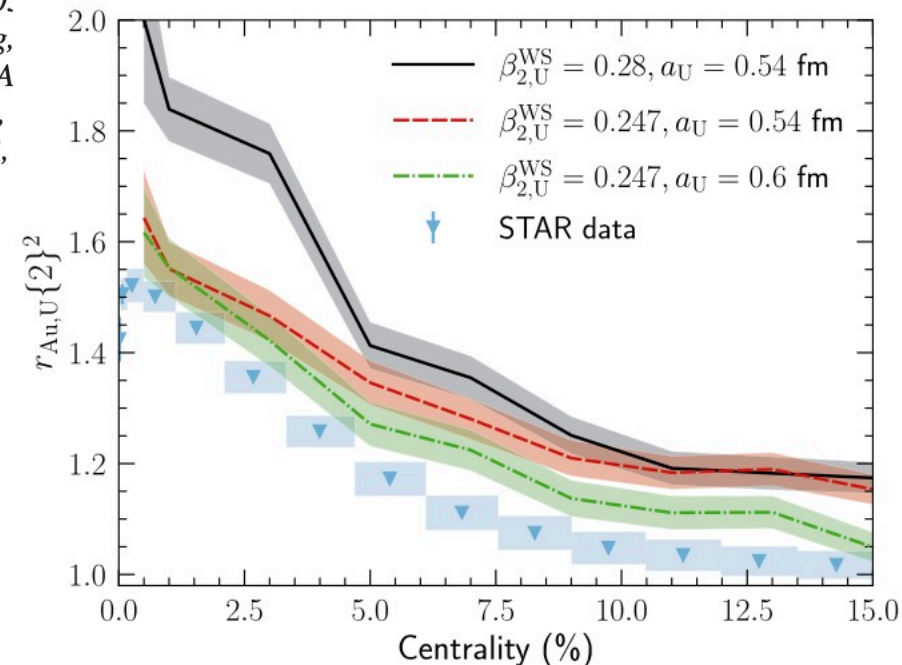
$$\beta_l^* = \frac{4\pi}{(2l+1)ZR_0^l} \sqrt{\frac{B(E_l)}{e^2}}$$

$$B(E2, U^{238}) = 12.09 \pm 0.2 e^2 b^2$$

Liquid drop limit

$$\beta_2^* \propto \left(\beta_2 + \frac{2}{7} \sqrt{\frac{5}{\pi}} \beta_2^2 + \frac{12}{7\sqrt{\pi}} \beta_2 \beta_4 + \dots \right)$$

$$\beta_{2,Au} = 0.14$$





Deformation of Au

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$$\beta_2^{\text{Au}} = 0.17$$

Impact of Nuclear Deformation on Relativistic Heavy-Ion Collisions: Assessing Consistency in Nuclear Physics across Energy Scales

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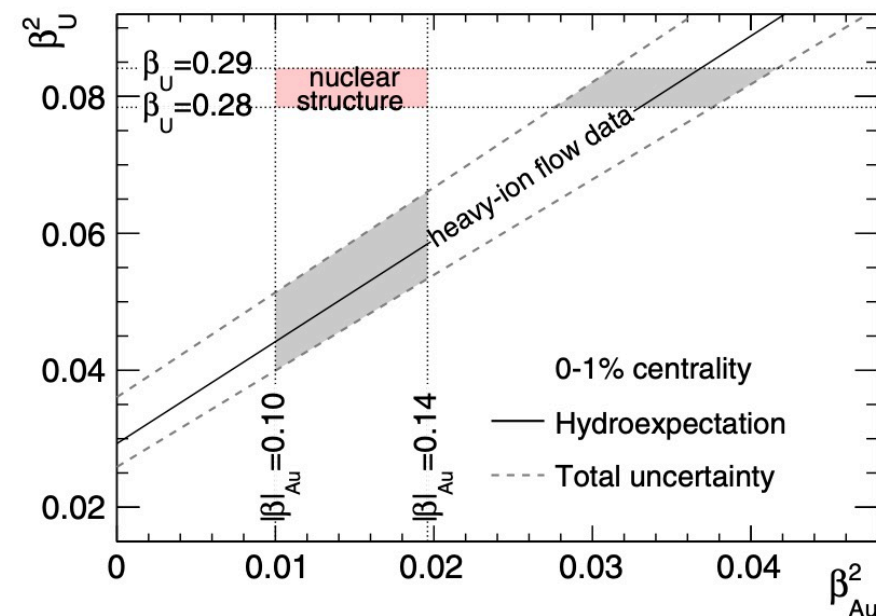
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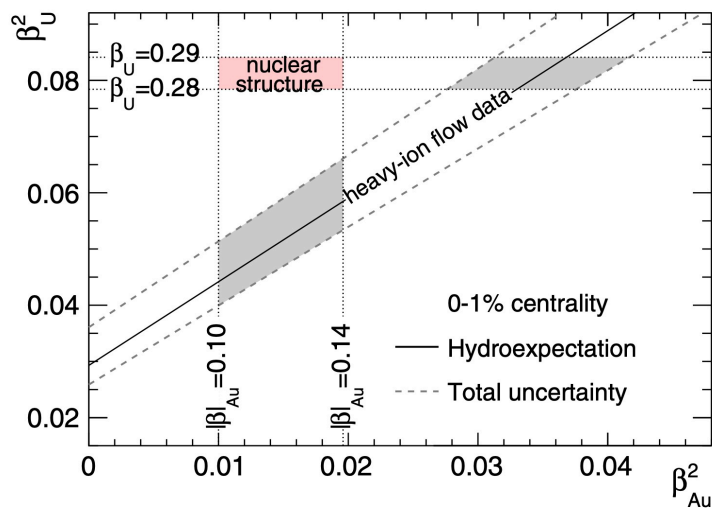
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In the hydrodynamic framework of heavy-ion collisions, elliptic flow v_2 is sensitive to the quadrupole deformation β of the colliding ions. This enables one to test whether the established knowledge on the low-energy structure of nuclei is consistent with collider data from high-energy experiments. We derive a formula based on generic scaling laws of hydrodynamics to relate the difference in v_2 measured between collision systems that are close in size to the value of β of the respective species. We validate our formula in simulations of $^{238}\text{U} + ^{238}\text{U}$ and $^{197}\text{Au} + ^{197}\text{Au}$ collisions at top Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider (RHIC) energy, and subsequently apply it to experimental data. Using the deformation of ^{238}U from low-energy experiments, we find that RHIC v_2 data implies $0.16 \lesssim |\beta| \lesssim 0.20$ for ^{197}Au nuclei, i.e., significantly more deformed than reported in the literature, posing an interesting issue in nuclear phenomenology.



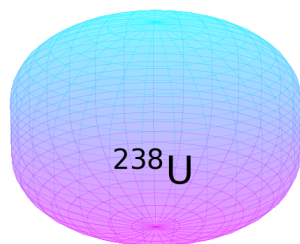


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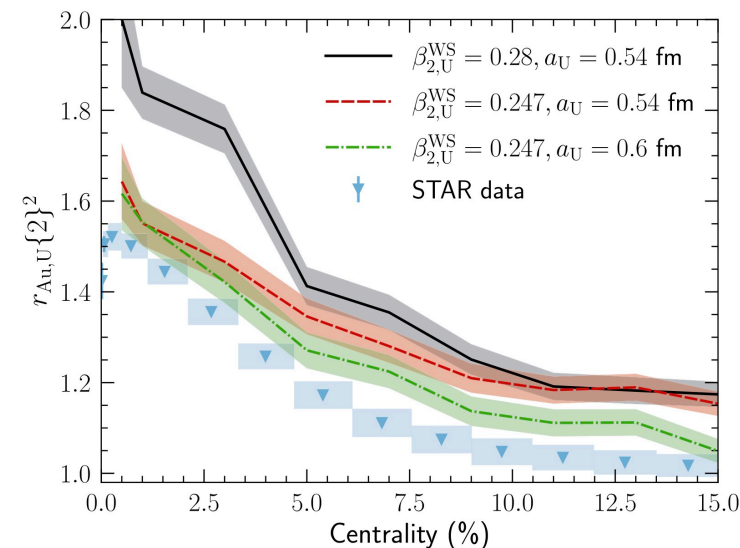
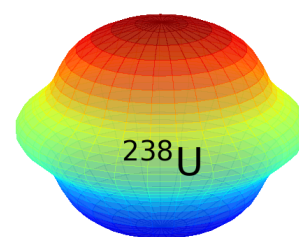


$$\beta_2^* \propto \text{BE}(2)$$

$$\text{BE}(2, U) = 12.09 \pm 0.02 \text{ e}^2 \text{b}^2$$



or



$$\beta_{2,U} \sim 0.28, \quad \beta_{4,U} \sim 0$$

$$\beta_2^* \propto \left(\beta_2 + \frac{2}{7} \sqrt{\frac{5}{\pi}} \beta_2^2 + \frac{12}{7\sqrt{\pi}} \beta_2 \beta_4 + \dots \right)$$

$$\beta_{2,U} \sim 0.25, \quad \beta_{4,U} \sim 0.1$$

$$\beta_{2,Au} \sim 0.17$$

$$R = R_0 \left[1 + \beta_2 Y_{20} + \beta_4 Y_{40} \right]$$

$$\beta_{2,Au} \sim 0.14$$

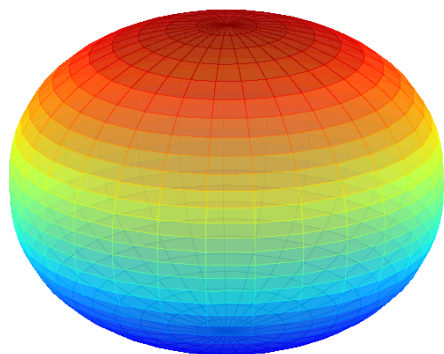
$\beta_{4,U}$ is poorly known from low-energy nuclear experiment, can it be measured in relativistic heavy ion collisions? **YES!**

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$$R = R_0 [1 + \beta_2 Y_{20} + \beta_4 Y_{40}]$$

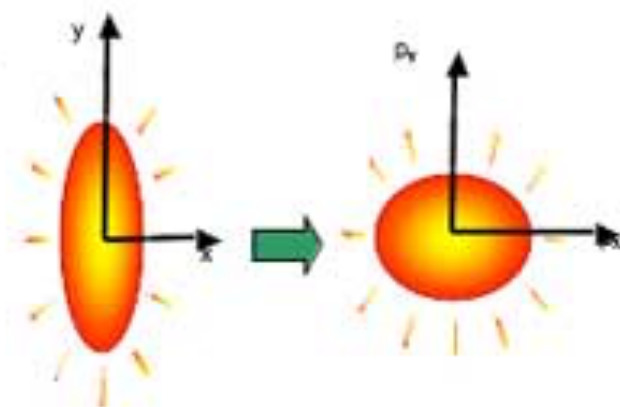
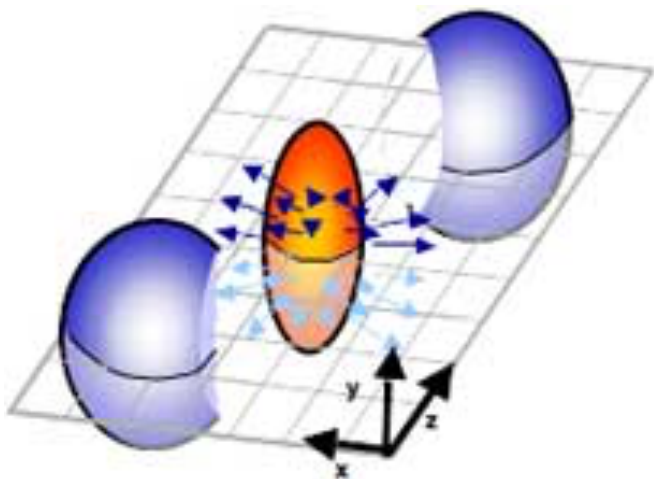
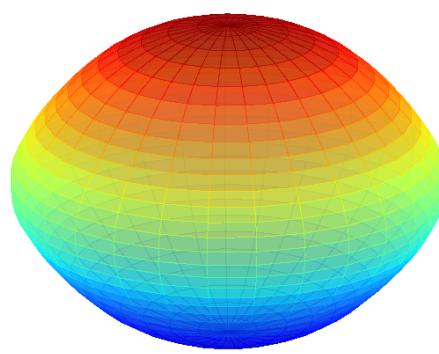
$$\beta_{2,U} = 0.28$$

$$\beta_{4,U} = 0.0$$



$$\beta_{2,U} = 0.25$$

$$\beta_{4,U} = 0.1$$



$$\frac{dN}{d\phi} \propto [1 + \underline{v_2} \cos 2(\phi - \Psi_2) \quad \text{probe } \beta_2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$+ \underline{v_3} \cos 3(\phi - \Psi_3) \quad \text{probe } \beta_3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$+ \underline{v_4} \cos 4(\phi - \Psi_4) \quad \text{probe } \beta_4 \quad ?$$

$$+ \dots]$$



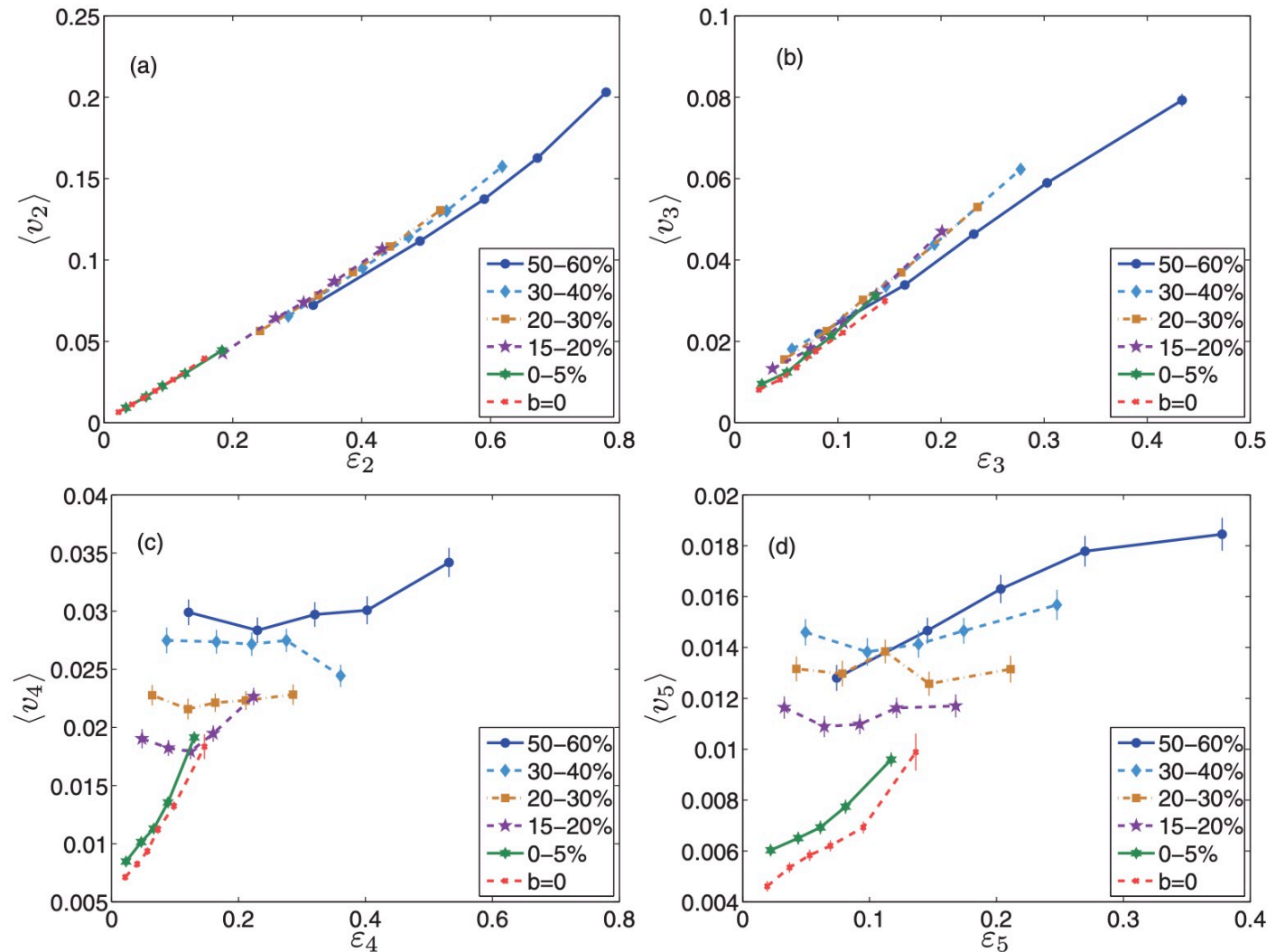
Hexadecapole flow

$$\epsilon_4^2 \propto \beta_4^2 \quad \checkmark$$

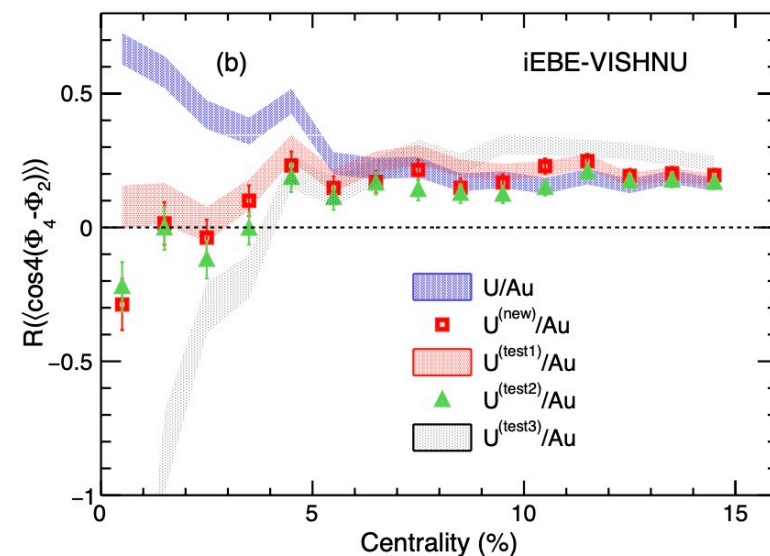
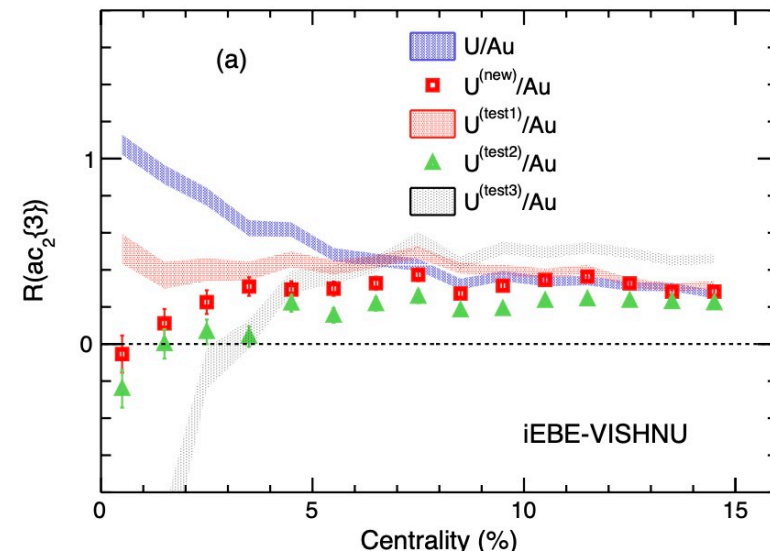
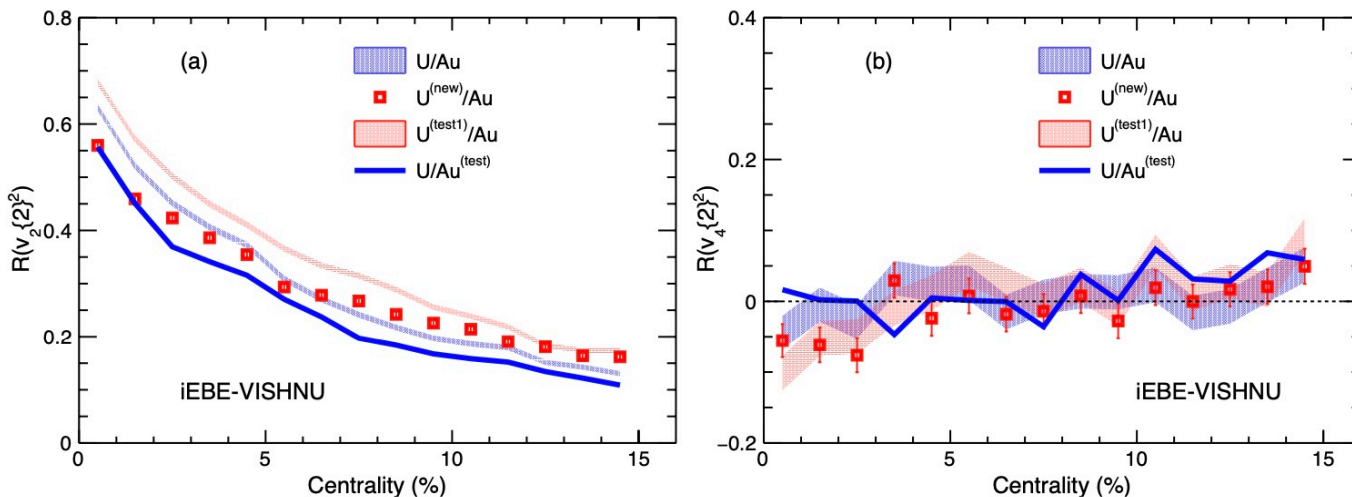
$$v_4^2 \propto \epsilon_4^2 \quad \times$$

The hydrodynamic response for v_n ($n \geq 4$) with event-by-event fluctuations is not only non-diagonal but also nonlinear.

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Determine the hexadecapole deformation

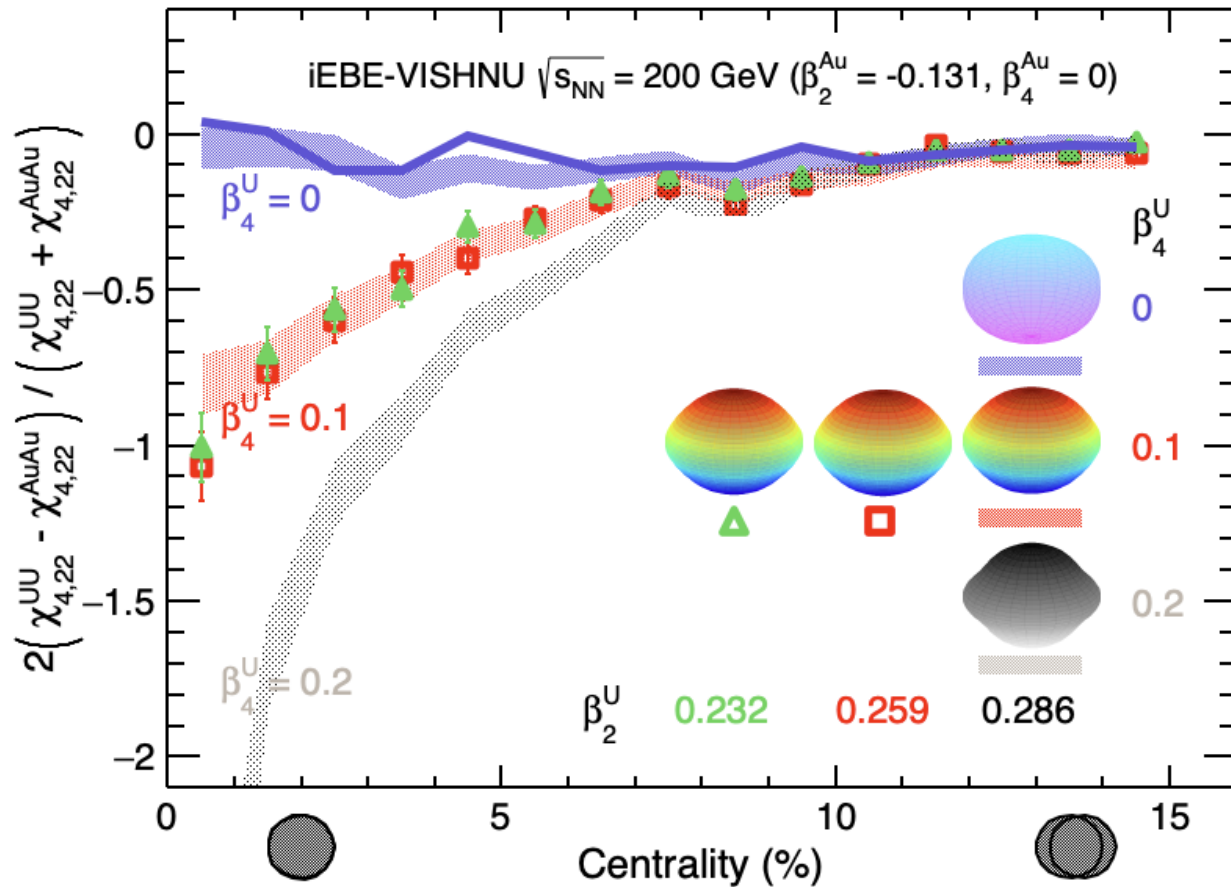


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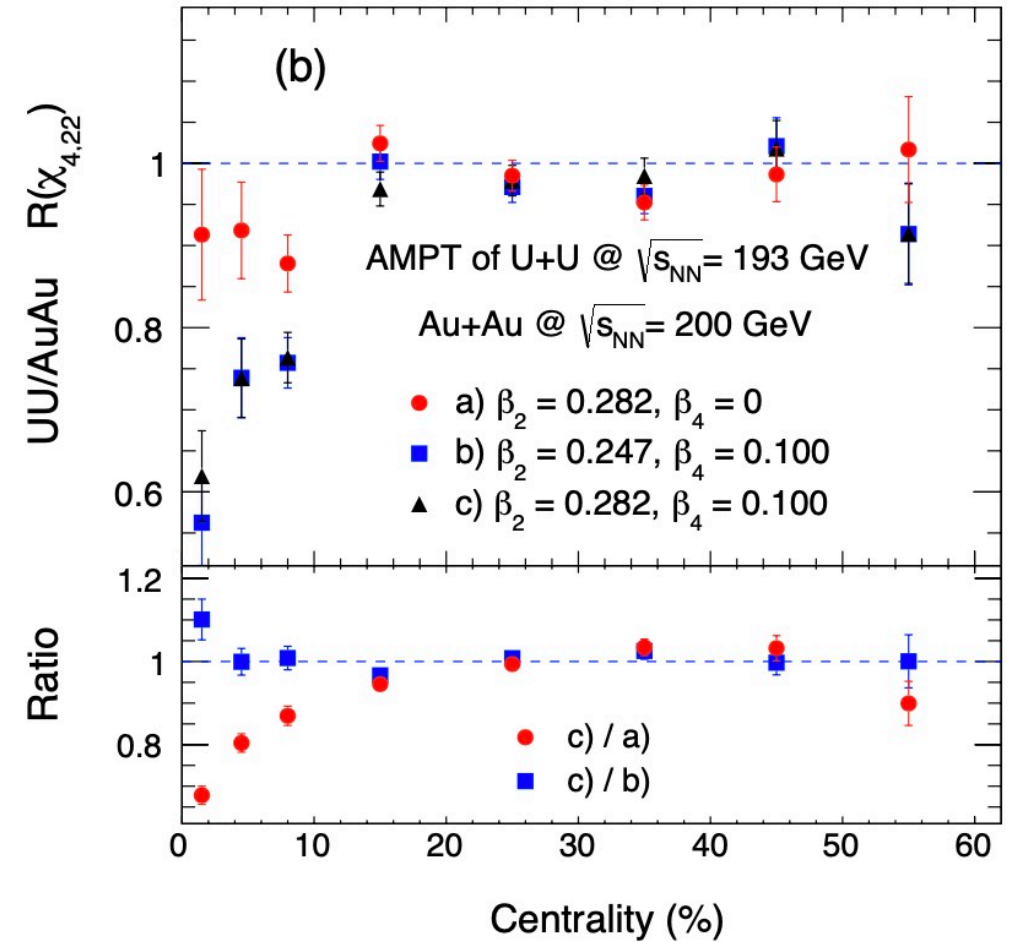
TABLE I. WS parameters for ^{238}U and ^{197}Au used in this work.

	R_0 (fm)	a (fm)	β_2	β_4
U	6.87	0.556	0.286	0.000
U ^(new)	6.90	0.538	0.259	0.100
U ^(test1)	6.87	0.556	0.286	0.100
U ^(test2)	"	"	0.232	0.100
U ^(test3)	"	"	0.286	0.200
Au	6.38	0.535	-0.131	-0.031
Au ^(test)	"	"	-0.160	"

Determine the hexadecapole deformation



$$\chi_{4,22} \equiv \frac{v_4\{\Phi_2\}}{\langle v_2^4 \rangle^{1/2}} = \frac{ac_2\{3\}}{\langle v_2^4 \rangle}$$




HJX, J. Zhao, F. Wang, PRL132, 262301 (2024)
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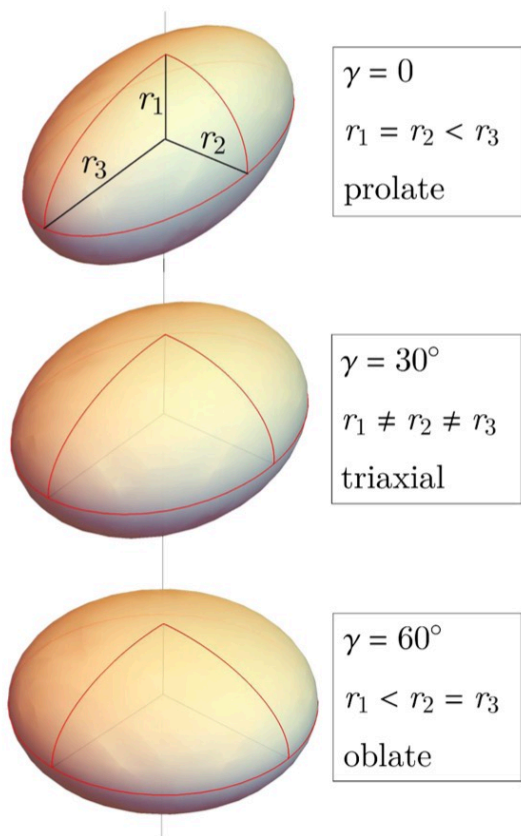
Nuclear shape phase transition

$$R = R_0 [1 + \beta_2 Y_{20}] \quad \longrightarrow \quad R = R_0 [1 + \beta_2 (Y_{20} \cos \gamma + Y_{22} \sin \gamma)]$$

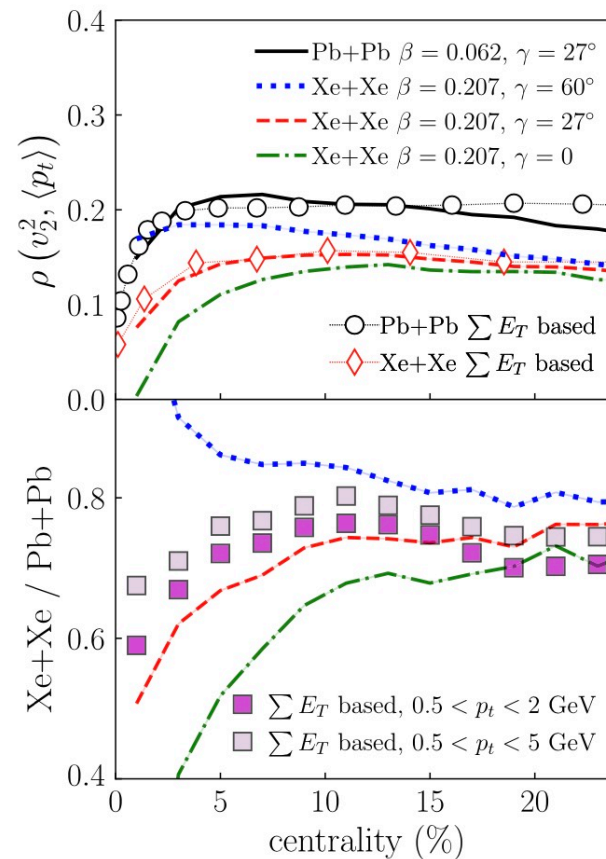
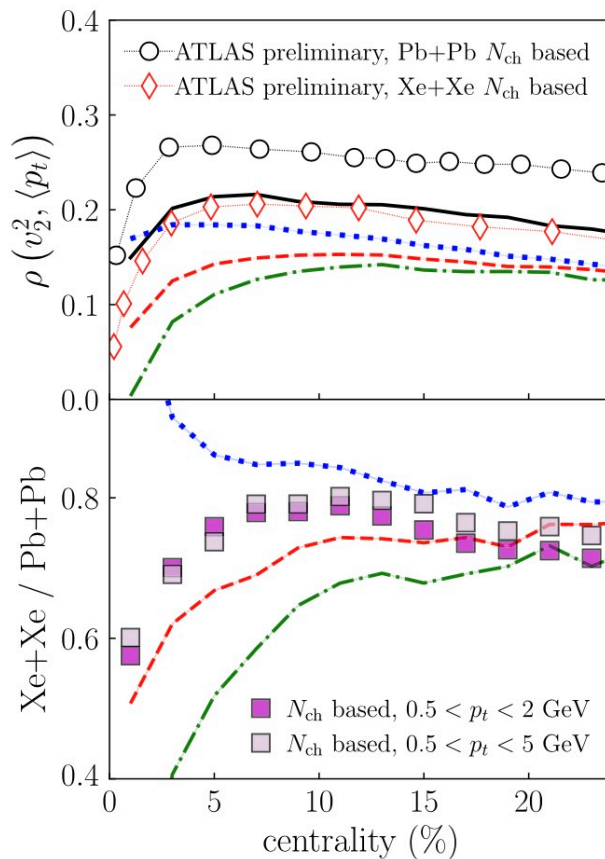
γ -independent? 

$$\rho_2 \equiv \frac{\text{cov}(v_2\{2\}^2, [p_T])}{\sqrt{\text{var}(v_2\{2\}^2)}\sqrt{\text{var}([p_T])}$$

(a) deformed nucleus ($\beta > 0$)

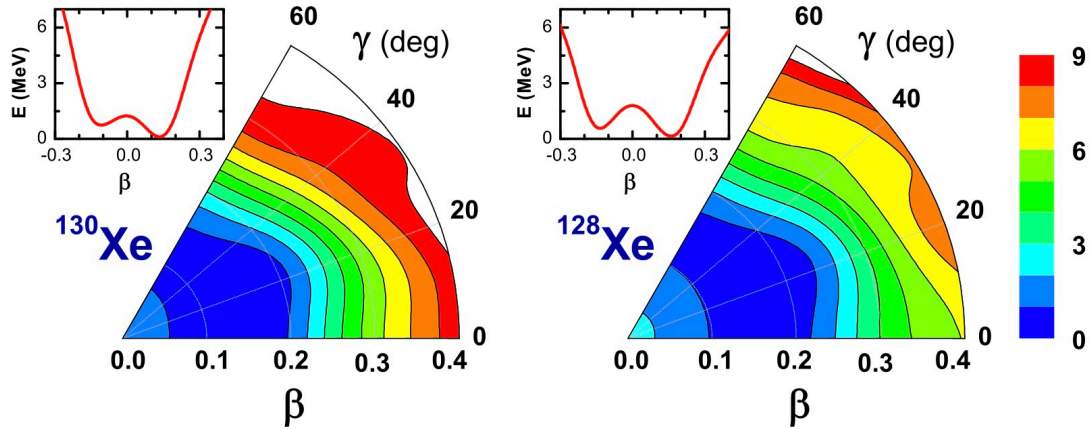


The LHC data indicate $\gamma \simeq 30^\circ$



B. Bally, M. Bender, G. Giacalone, V. Soma, PRL128, 082301 (2022)
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γ fluctuation



Z. Li, T. Niksic, D. Vretenar, J. Meng, PRC81, 034316(2010)

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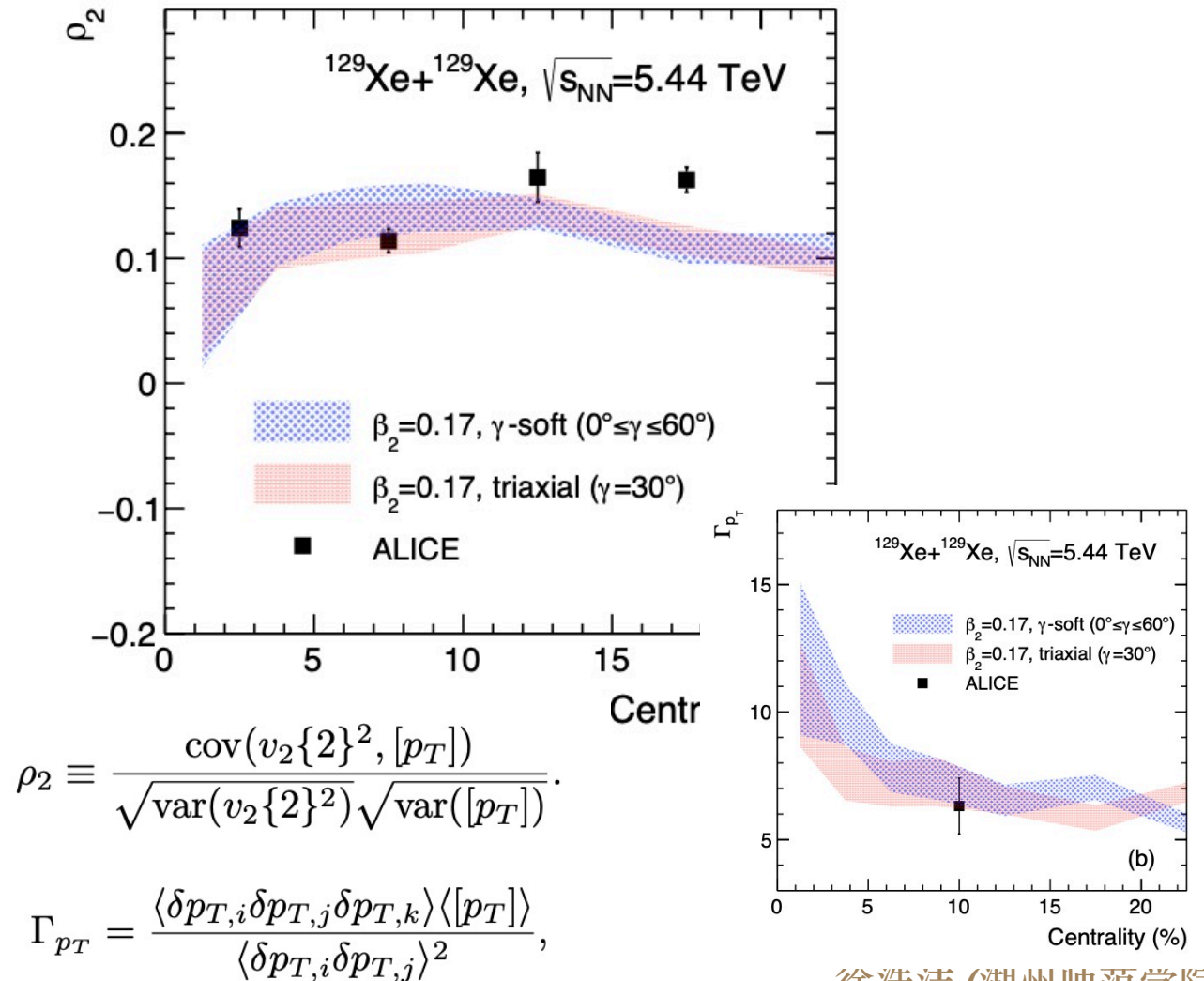
Two scenarios:

- Rigid trivial deformation: $\gamma = 30^\circ$
- γ -soft: flat distribution in $\gamma \in [0^\circ, 60^\circ]$

Our results indicate $\langle \gamma \rangle \simeq 30^\circ$,
fluctuations can not be determined

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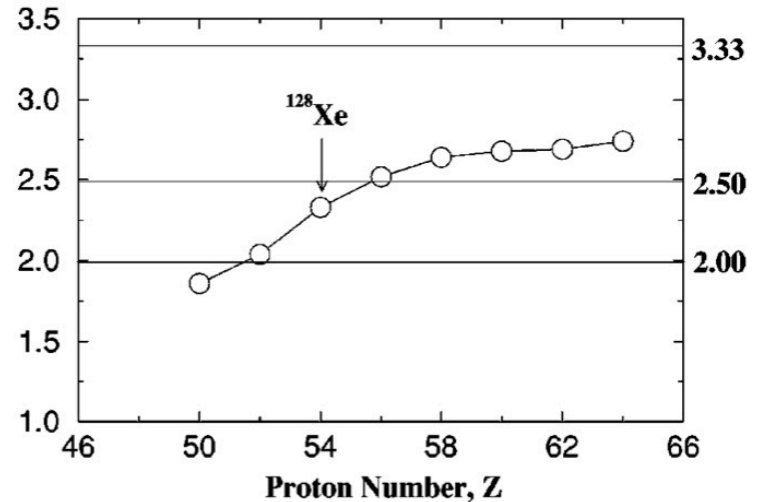
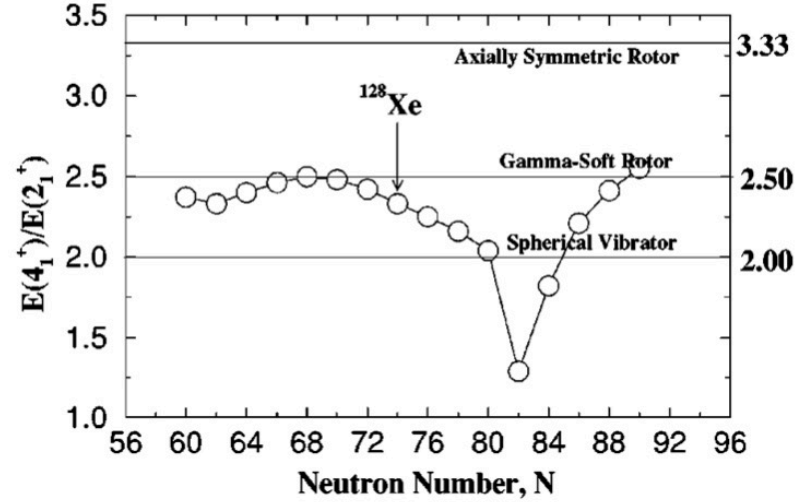
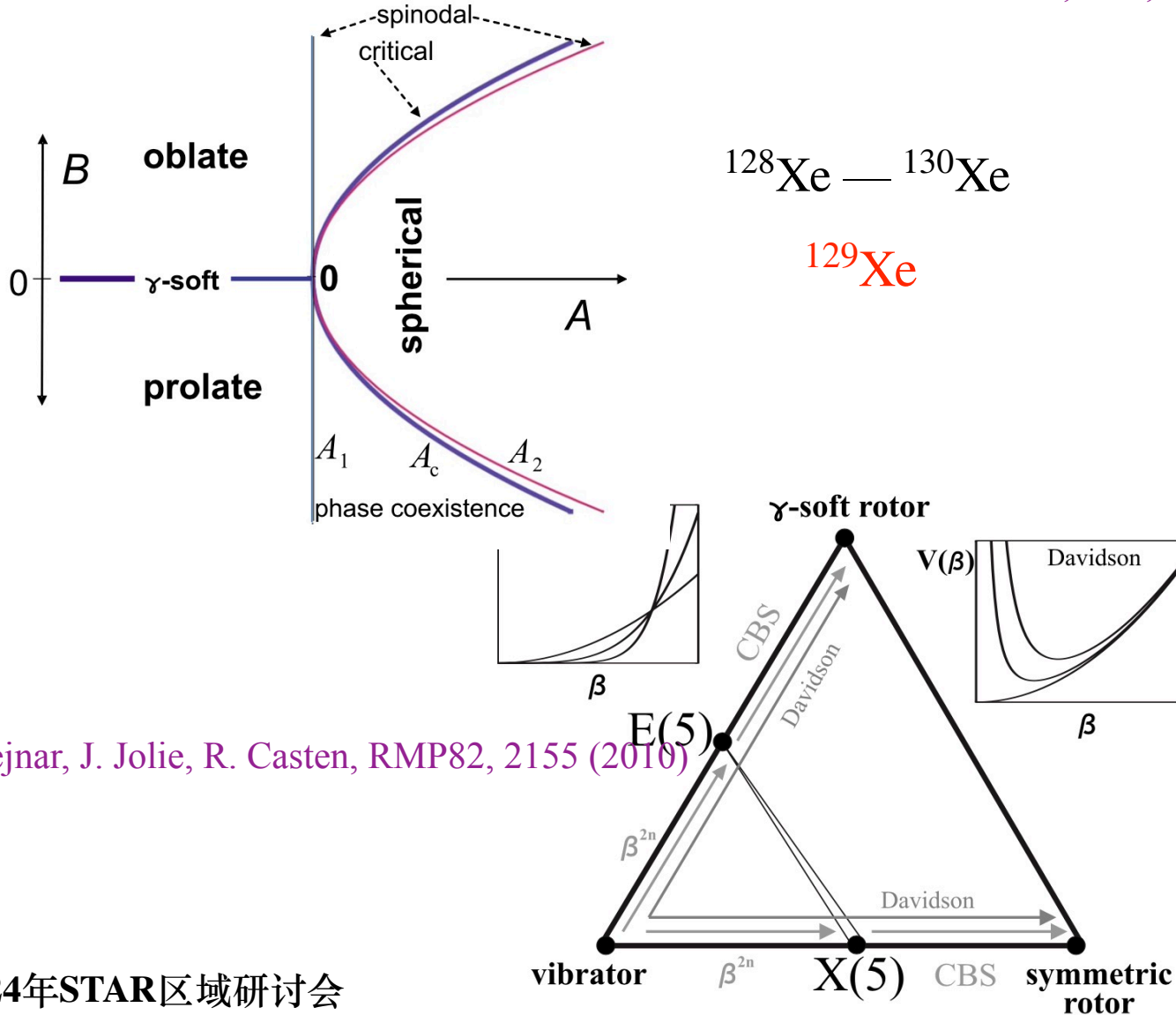


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Shape phase transition

R. Clark, et.al, PRC69, 064322 (2004)



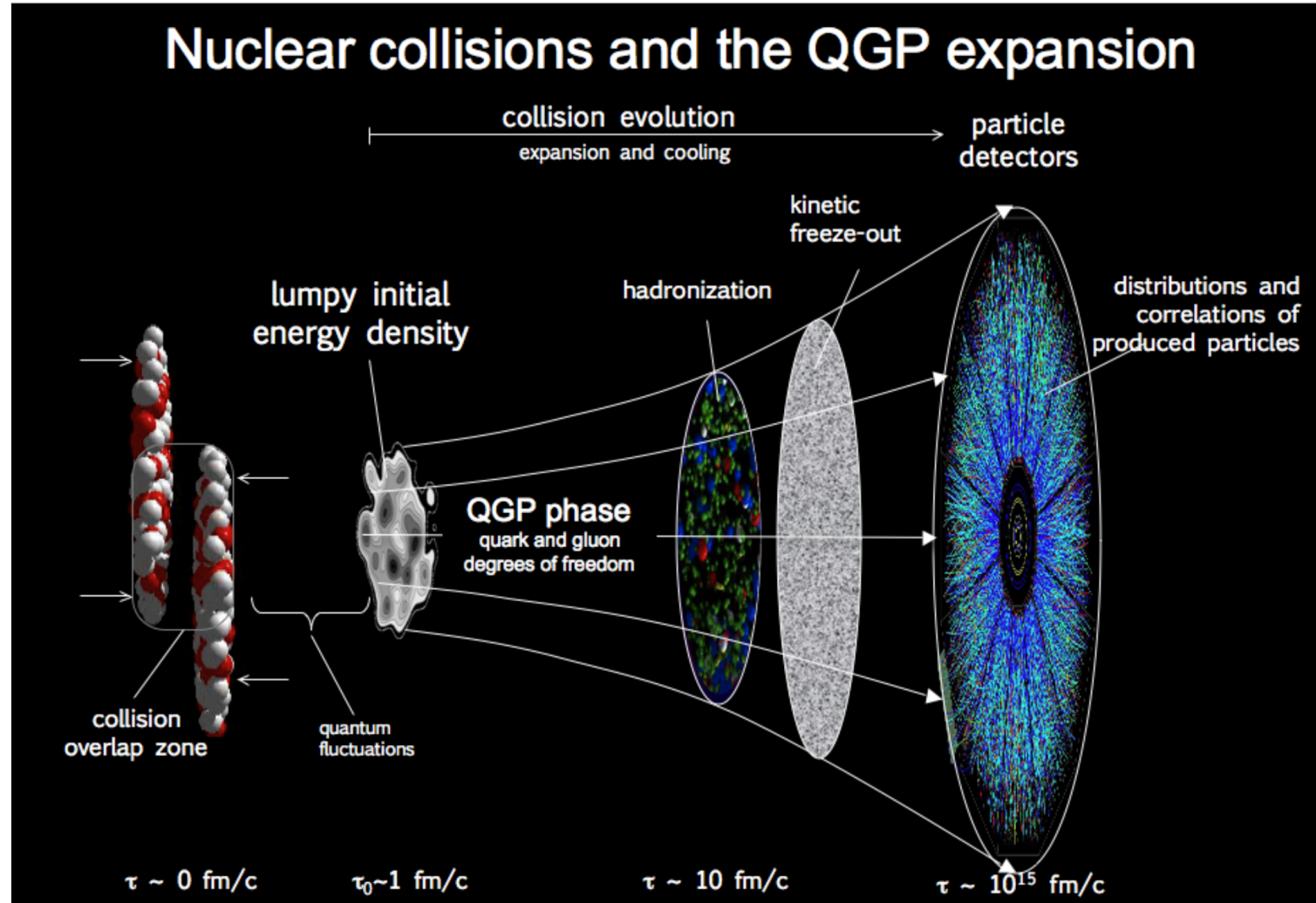
P. Cejnar, J. Jolie, R. Casten, RMP82, 2155 (2010)



Yoctosecond snapshots

The
“Little
Bang”

$$\sqrt{s} = 100\text{GeV} \sim \text{TeV}$$

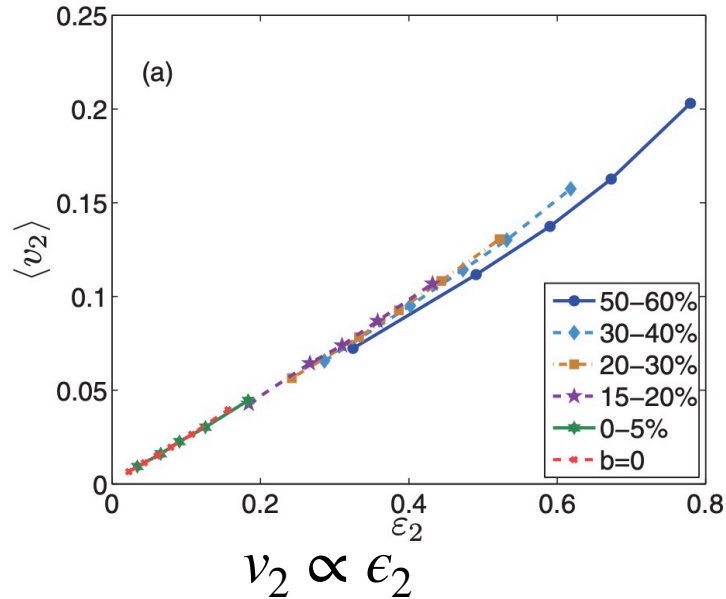


Yoctosecond (10^{-24} s) 幺秒

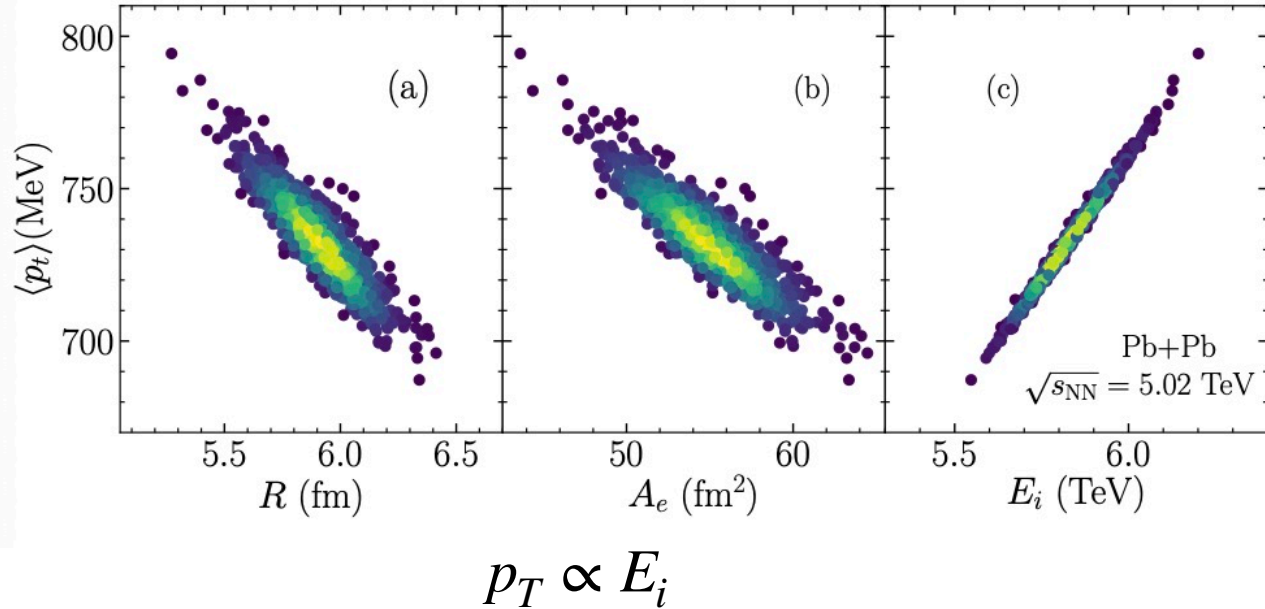


Final to initial mapping

Z. Qiu and U. Heinz, PRC84, 024911(2011)



G. Giacalone, F. Gradim, J. Noronha-Hostler, J. Ollitrault, PRC103, 024909 (2021)



6-particle correlators: S. Zhao, HJX, Y. Zhou, Y. Liu, H. Song, PRL, in production (2024)

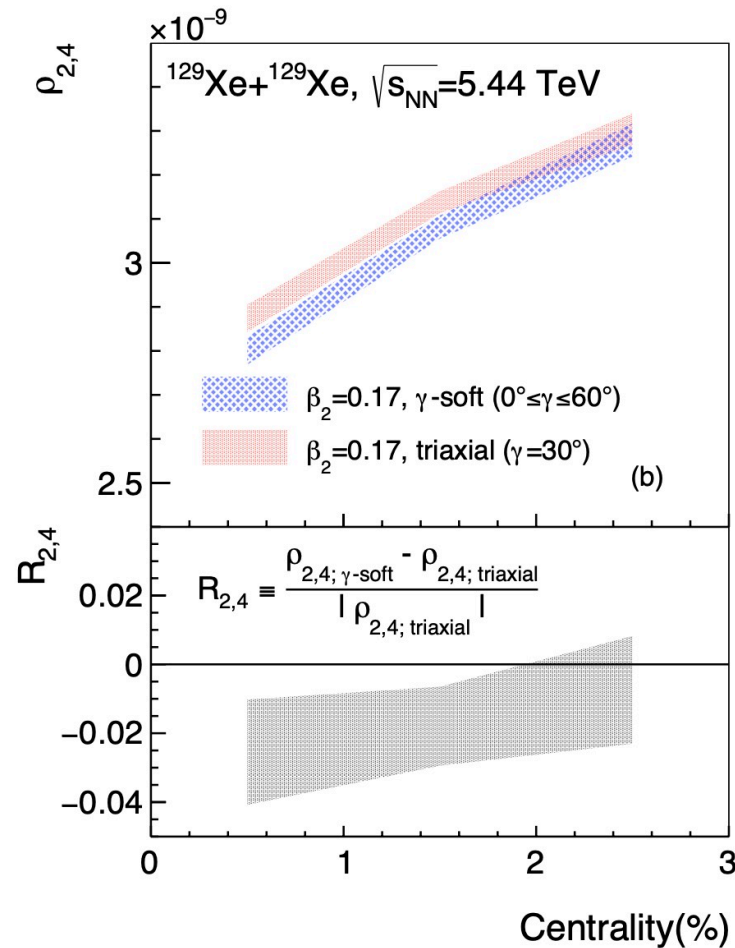
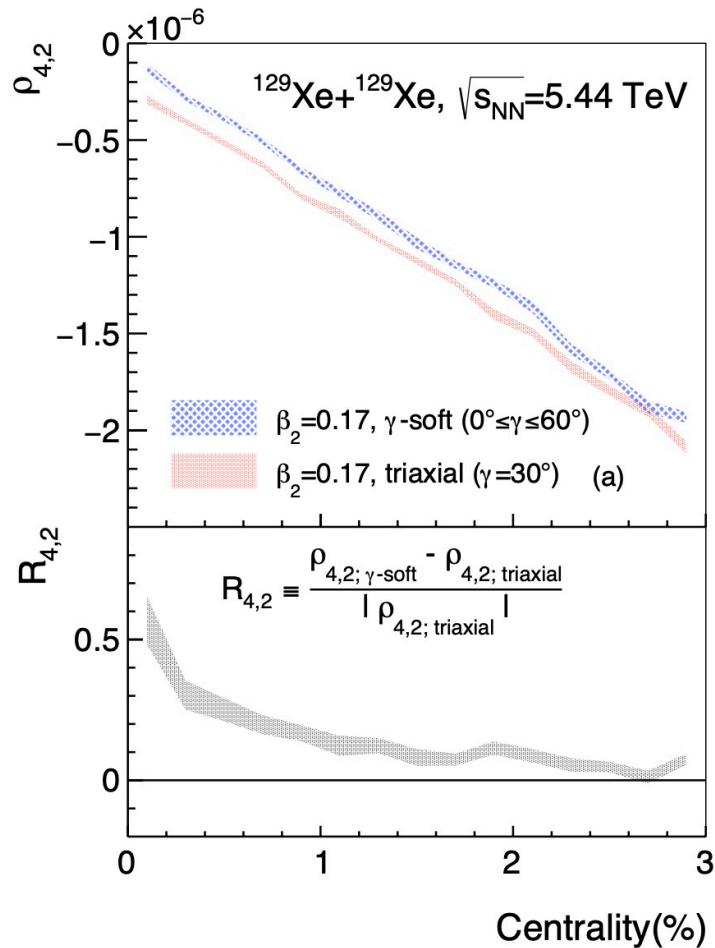
$$\rho_{4,2} \equiv \left(\frac{\langle \epsilon_2^4 \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle}{\langle \epsilon_2^4 \rangle \langle d_\perp^2 \rangle} \right)_c \equiv \frac{1}{\langle \epsilon_2^4 \rangle \langle d_\perp^2 \rangle} \left[\langle \epsilon_2^4 \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle + 4 \langle \epsilon_2^2 \rangle^2 \langle \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle - \langle \epsilon_2^4 \rangle \langle \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle - 4 \langle \epsilon_2^2 \rangle \langle \epsilon_2^2 \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle - 4 \langle \epsilon_2^2 \delta d_\perp \rangle^2 \right]$$

$$\rho_{2,4} \equiv \left(\frac{\langle \epsilon_2^2 \delta d_\perp^4 \rangle}{\langle \epsilon_2^2 \rangle \langle d_\perp^4 \rangle} \right)_c \equiv \frac{1}{\langle \epsilon_2^2 \rangle \langle d_\perp^4 \rangle} \left[\langle \epsilon_2^2 \delta d_\perp^4 \rangle - 6 \langle \epsilon_2^2 \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle \langle \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle - 4 \langle \epsilon_2^2 \delta d_\perp \rangle \langle \delta d_\perp^3 \rangle - \langle \epsilon_2^2 \rangle \langle \delta d_\perp^4 \rangle + 6 \langle \epsilon_2^2 \rangle (\langle \delta d_\perp^2 \rangle)^2 \right].$$



Observable for shape fluctuation

S. Zhao, **HJX**, Y. Zhou, Y. Liu, H. Song, PRL, in production (2024)



A first step towards exploring the second-order shape phase transition of finite nuclei in ultra-relativistic heavy-ion collisions.

More studies:

- Full hydrodynamic simulations
- β fluctuations
- Shape coexistence
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Summary and outlook

Relativistic heavy ion collisions can tell us:

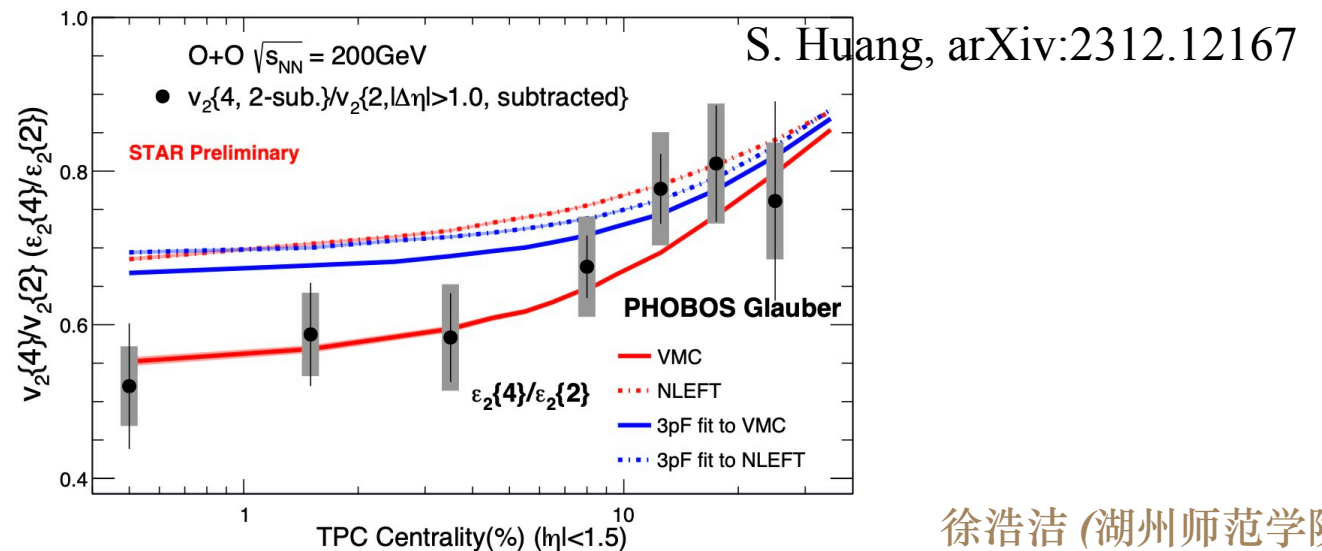
- I. Nuclear hexadecapole deformation in ^{238}U .
- II. Nuclear shape phase transition in ^{129}Xe

One body distribution measurements :

- I. Neutron skin: mean multiplicity, mean transverse momentum in isobar collisions,
- II. Nuclear hexadecapole deformation: nonlinear response coefficient in U+U collisions,

Beyond one body distributions:

Multi-body correlations
alpha cluster in ^{12}C , ^{16}O ?



**Thank you for
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Probing the neutron skin thickness

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Observables sensitive to neutron skin thickness

Probing the Neutron Skin with Ultrarelativistic Isobaric Collisions

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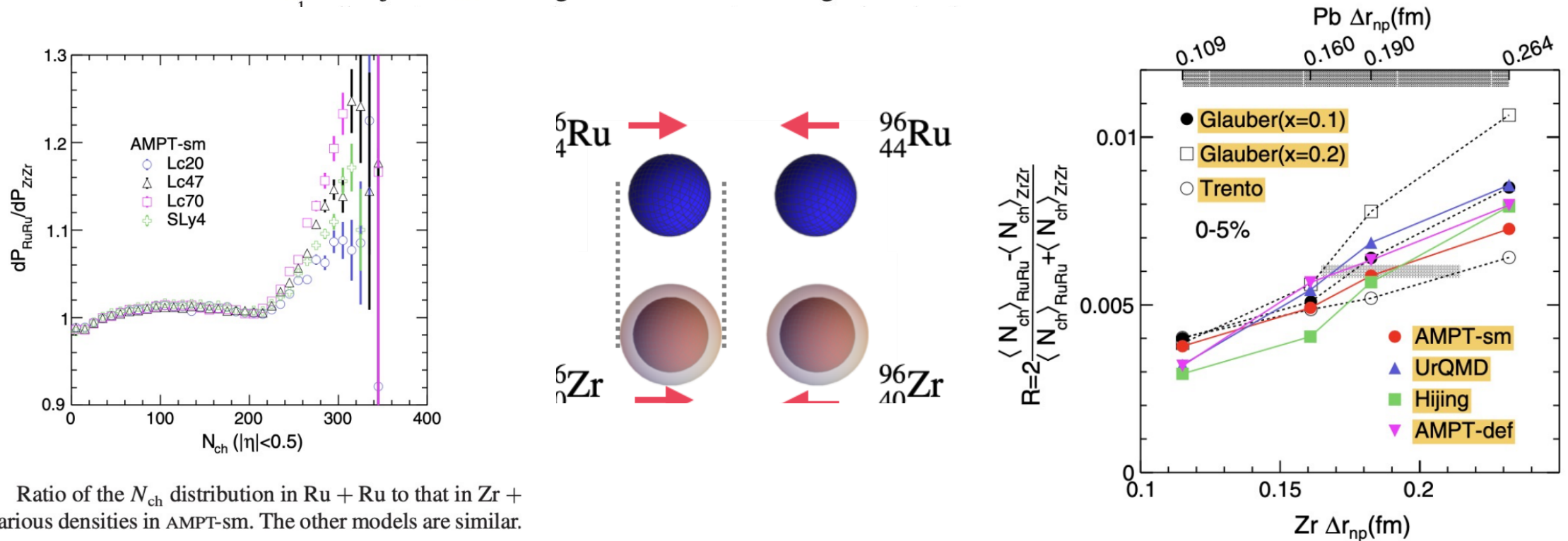


FIG. 3. Ratio of the N_{ch} distribution in Ru + Ru to that in Zr + Zr for various densities in AMPT-sm. The other models are similar.



Neutron skin: sensitive probe of symmetry energy

$${}^{96}_{40}\text{Zr} : (N - Z)/A = 0.167$$

$${}^{96}_{44}\text{Ru} : (N - Z)/A = 0.083$$

$$\Delta r_{np}^{\text{Zr}} \gg \Delta r_{np}^{\text{Ru}}$$

DFT(eSHF): State-of-the-art DFT calculation using extended Skyrme-Hartree-Fock (eSHF) model.

Z. Zhang, L. Chen, PRC94, 064326(2016)

$$E(\rho, \delta) = E_0(\rho) + E_{\text{sym}}(\rho)\delta^2 + O(\delta^4); \quad \rho = \rho_n + \rho_p; \quad \delta = \frac{\rho_n - \rho_p}{\rho};$$

Slope parameter :

$$L \equiv L(\rho) = 3\rho \left[\frac{dE_{\text{sym}}(\rho)}{d\rho} \right]_{\rho=\rho_0 \text{ saturation density}}$$

$$L(\rho_c) = 3\rho_c \left[\frac{dE_{\text{sym}}(\rho)}{d\rho} \right]_{\rho=\rho_c=0.11\rho_0/0.16}$$

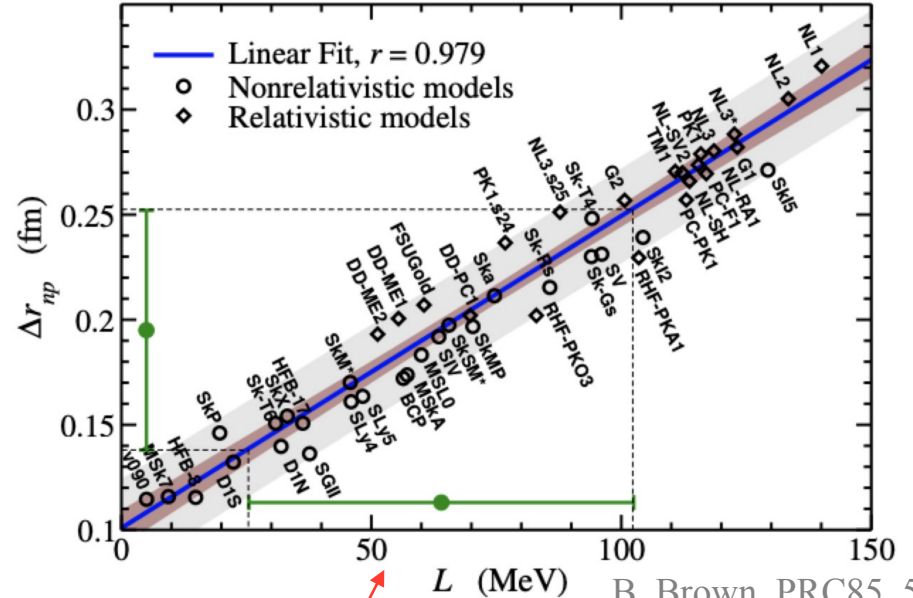
Larger L
Harder EOS



Need small δ to lower E



Smaller ρ_n , larger Δr



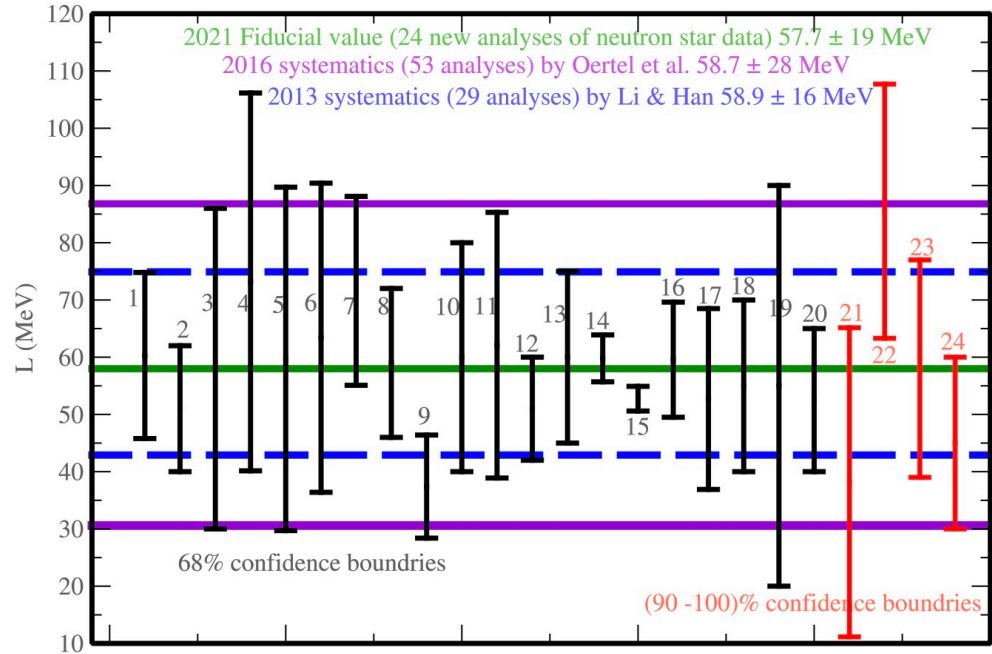
B. Brown, PRC85, 5296 (2000)
 R. Furnstahl, NPA, 706, 85 (2002)
 X. Roca-Maza, et.al. PRL106, 252501 (2011)

The symmetry energy is crucial to our understanding of the masses and drip lines of neutron-rich nuclei and the equation of state (EOS) of nuclear and neutron star matter.

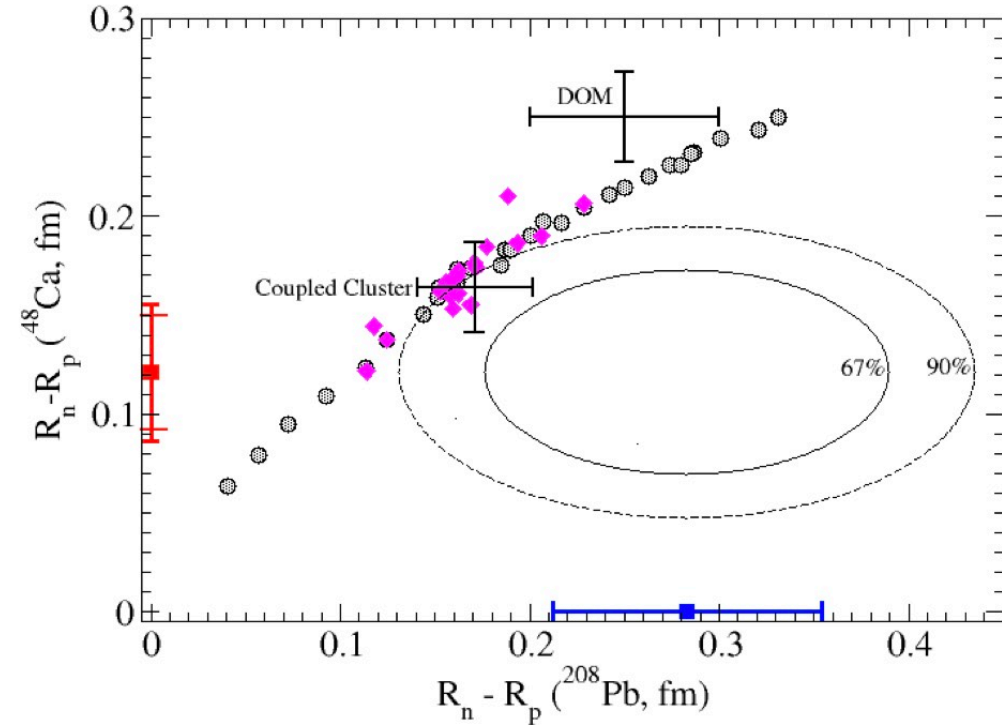


Nuclear symmetry energy

B. Li, et.al, Universe 7, 182 (2021)



CREX Collaboration, PRL129, 042501 (2022)



Symmetry energy is transitionally measured by low energy nuclear experiment. Over many decades, the issue is still not fully settled; e.g. world average L parameter is about 50 MeV, PREX electroweak measurement favors 100 MeV whereas CREX favors 30 MeV.



Mean transverse momentum

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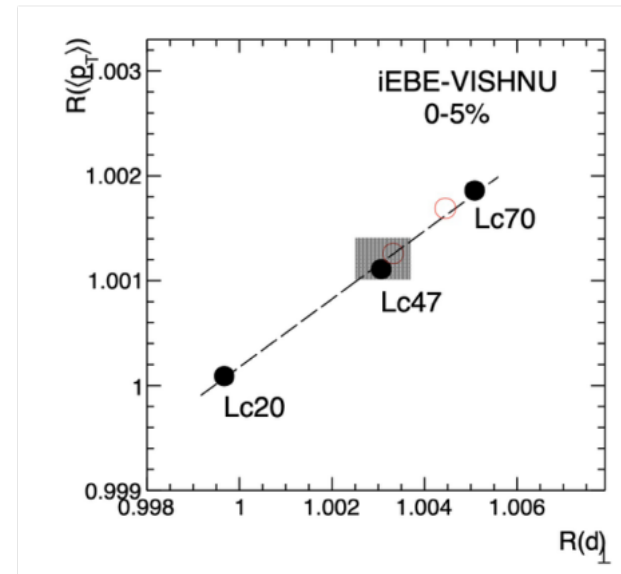
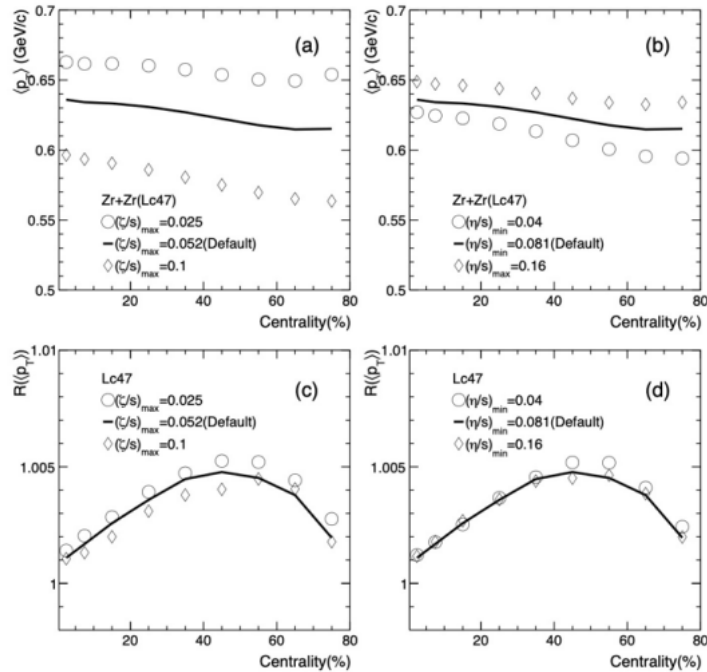
Letter

首次证明演化带来的系统不确定性很小

Probing nuclear structure with mean transverse momentum in relativistic isobar collisions

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$$\kappa(\langle p_T \rangle) \propto \kappa(a_{\perp}) \propto 1/\kappa(\langle \sqrt{r^2} \rangle)$$



The $R(\langle p_T \rangle)$ is **inversely proportional** to nuclear size ratio in most central collisions.



STAR Preliminary results



Compare to world wide data

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State-of-the-art **spherical** DFT with eSHF nuclear potential

Zhang, Chen, PRC94, 064326 (2016)

- Multiplicity ratio:

$$L(\rho_c) = 53.8 \pm 1.7 \pm 7.8 \text{ MeV}$$

$$L(\rho) = 65.4 \pm 2.1 \pm 12.1 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Delta r_{np,Zr} = 0.195 \pm 0.019 \text{ fm}$$

$$\Delta r_{np,Ru} = 0.051 \pm 0.009 \text{ fm}$$

- $\langle p_T \rangle$ ratio:

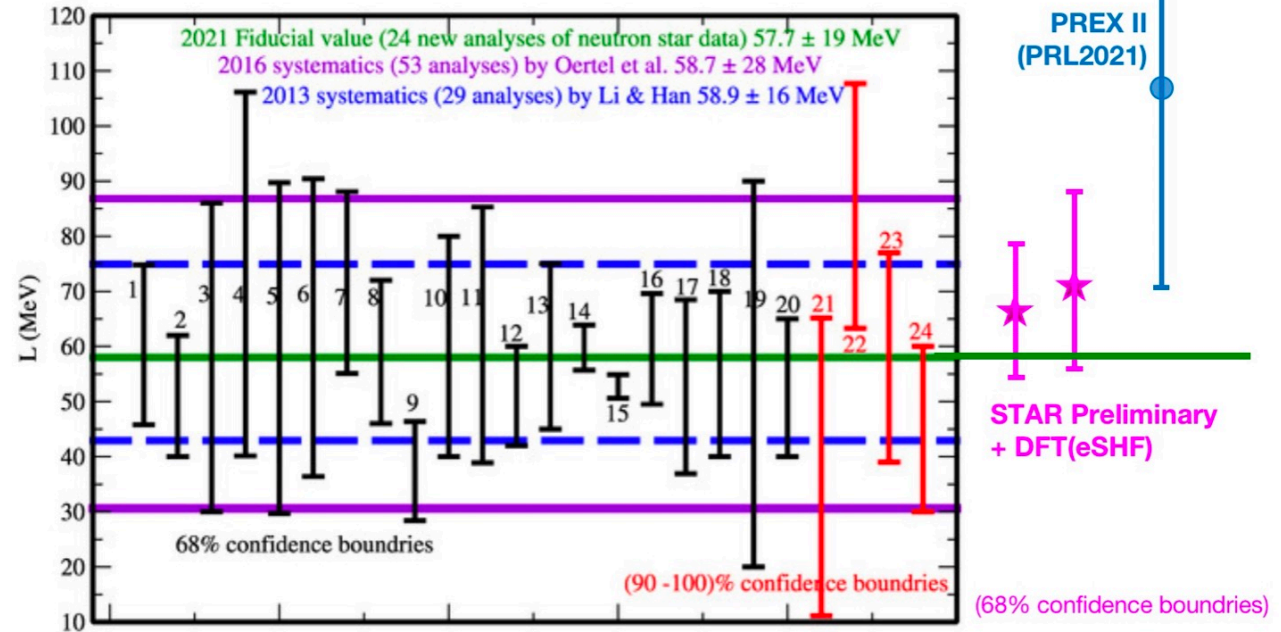
$$L(\rho_c) = 56.8 \pm 0.4 \pm 10.4 \text{ MeV}$$

$$L(\rho) = 69.8 \pm 0.7 \pm 16.0 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Delta r_{np,Zr} = 0.202 \pm 0.024 \text{ fm}$$

$$\Delta r_{np,Ru} = 0.052 \pm 0.012 \text{ fm}$$

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Consistent with world wide data with good precision

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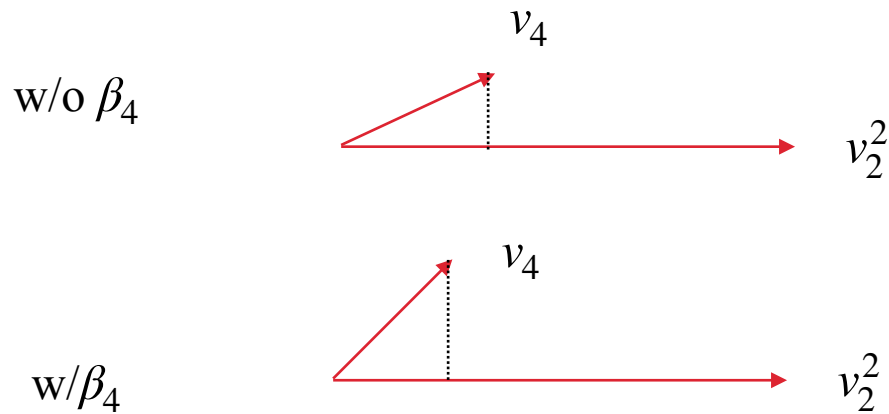
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Backup

v_2 and v_4 are almost insensitive to β_4 , $v_4 = v_{4L} + v_{4NL} = v_{4L} + \chi_{4,22}v_2^2$, the dominated contribution for v_4 is v_{4L} , then why $\chi_{4,22}$ is very sensitive to β_4 ?

Almost due to flow angle correlations!



Flow angle Φ_4 : fluctuation driven \rightarrow geometry driven

