

Suppression of anisotropic flow without viscosity

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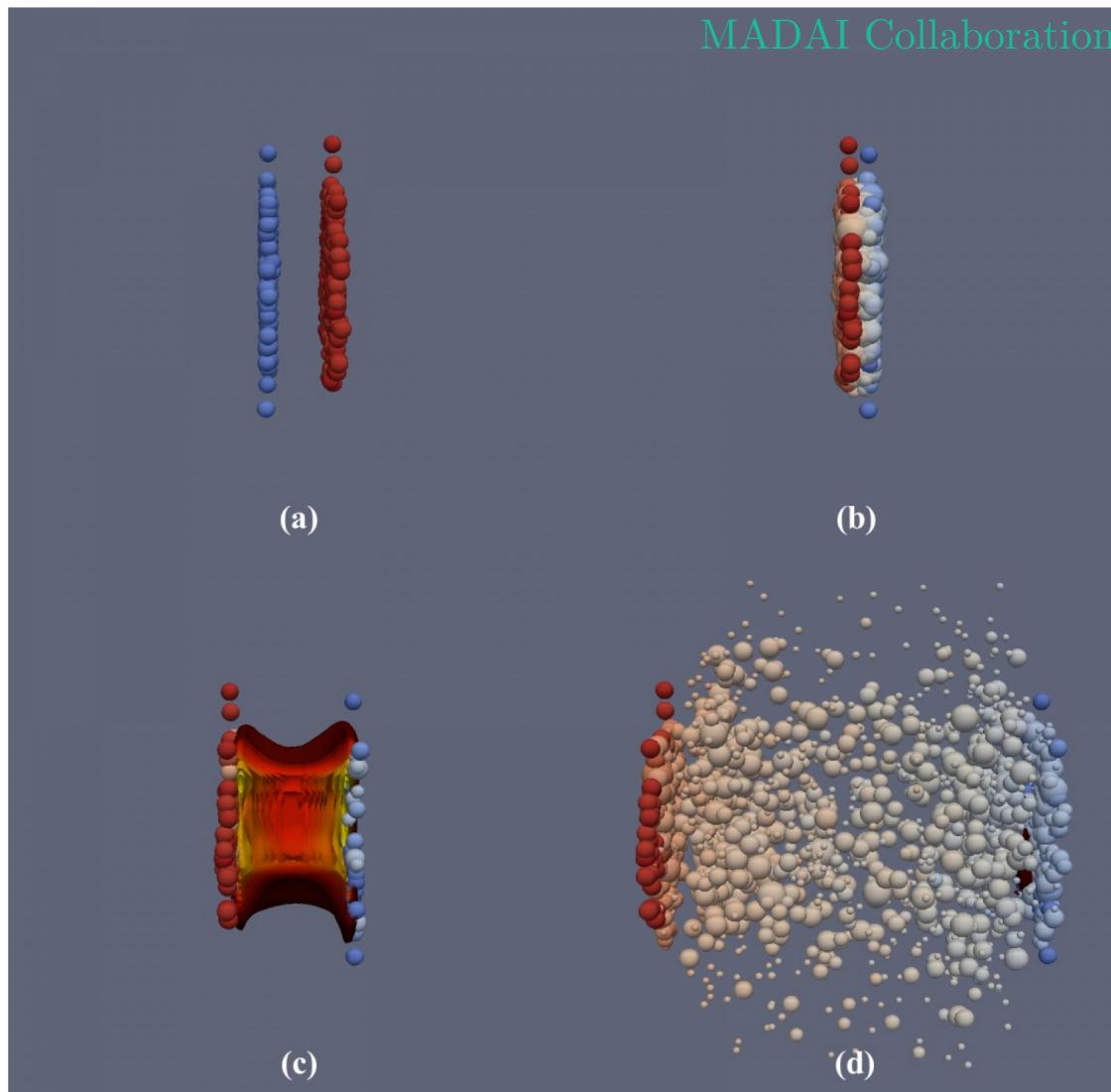
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Outline

1. Motivation:
relativistic hydrodynamics to understand heavy ion collisions
2. Particilization:
basics, shortcomings, influence on observables
3. How much does f matter?
4. Results: 4-source model and 2+1D hydro
5. Conclusion and outlook

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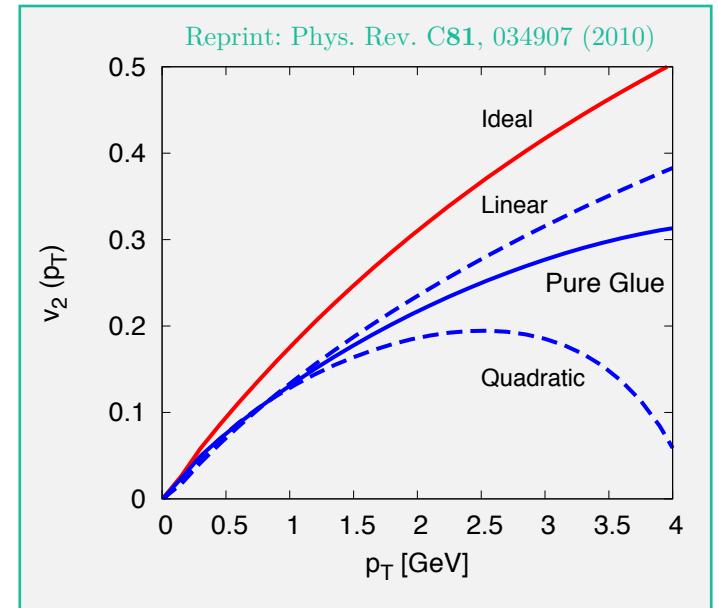


For students: see Gabriel Denicol's talk about hydro from Hot Quarks 2018
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/703015/contributions/3095199/>

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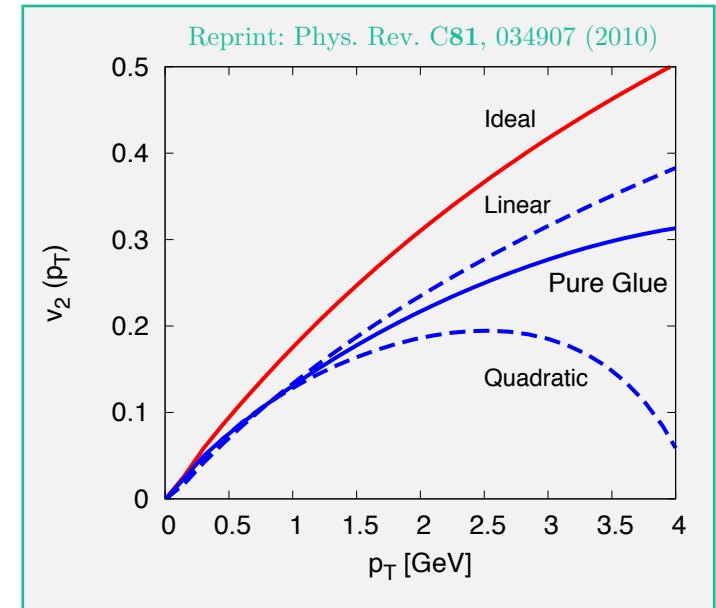
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Questions:

1. How sensitive is ideal hydro?
2. Is thermal equilibrium a legitimate assumption?

Particlization

How is it done?



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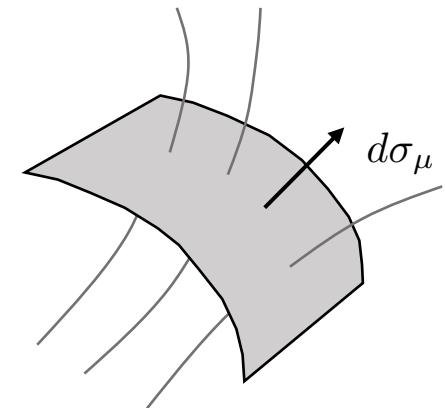
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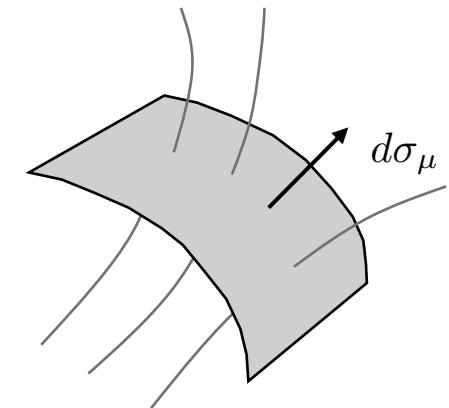
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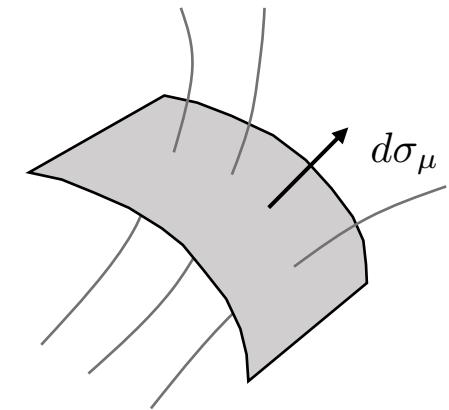
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Boundary: conservation laws

$$[N^\mu d\sigma_\mu]_{\text{in-out}} = 0$$

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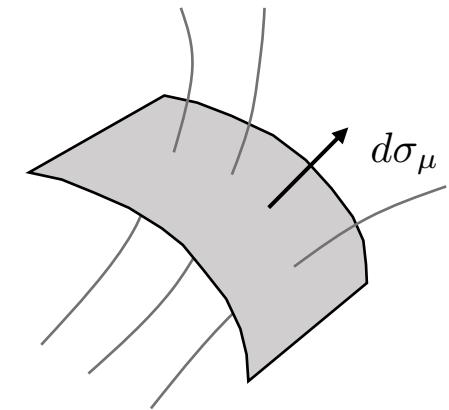
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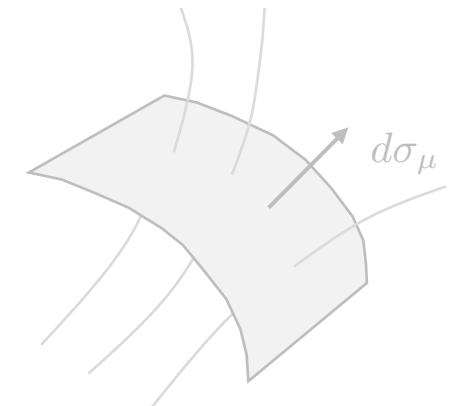
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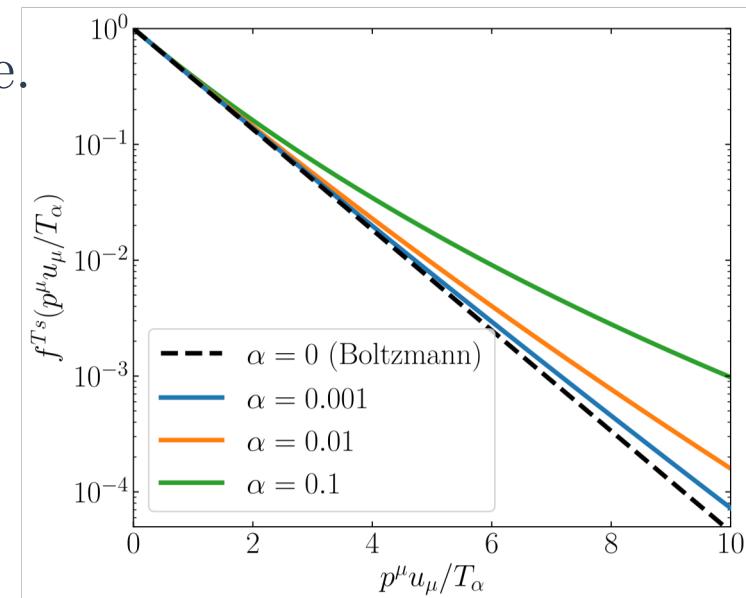
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Boltzmann:

$$v_n(p) \sim \frac{e^{-ap}}{e^{-bp}} = e^{-(a-b)p} \rightarrow 1$$

Tsallis:

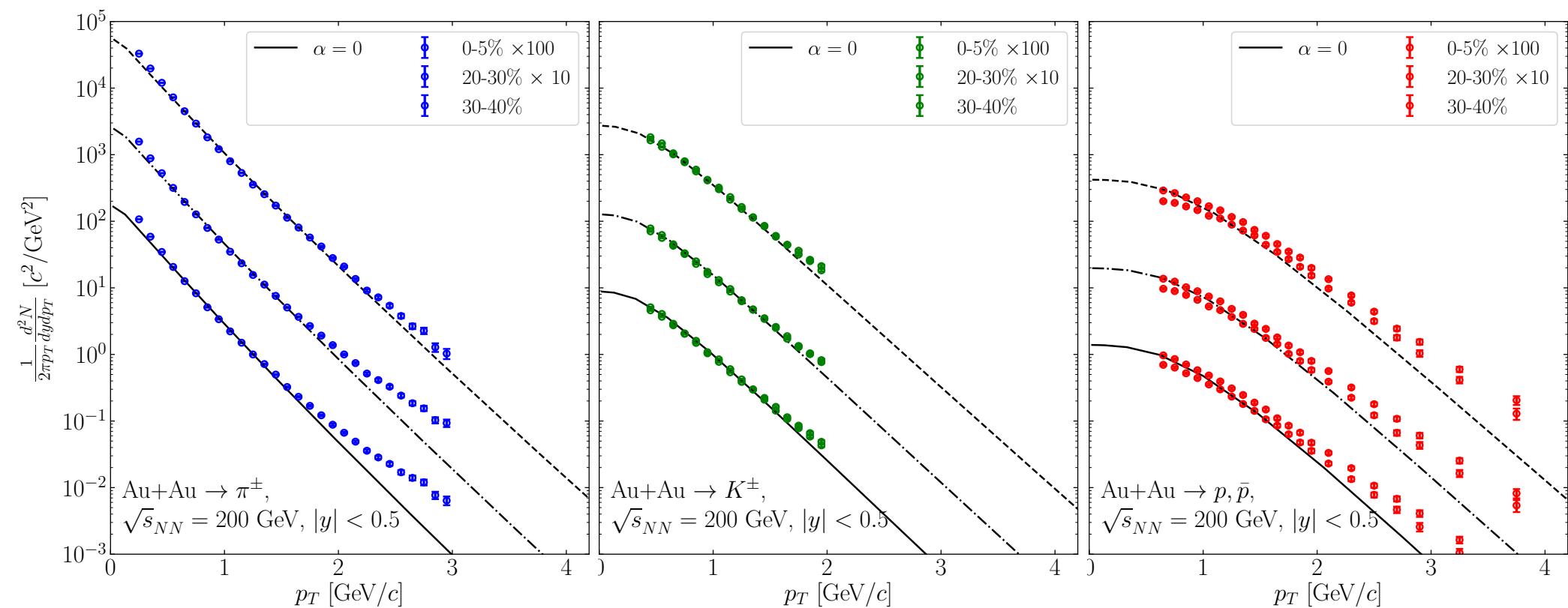
$$v_n(p) \sim \frac{(ap)^{-1/\alpha}}{(bp)^{-1/\alpha}} \rightarrow \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^{-\frac{1}{\alpha}} \leq 1 \quad (\text{looks interesting!})$$

Hydrodynamic Simulation

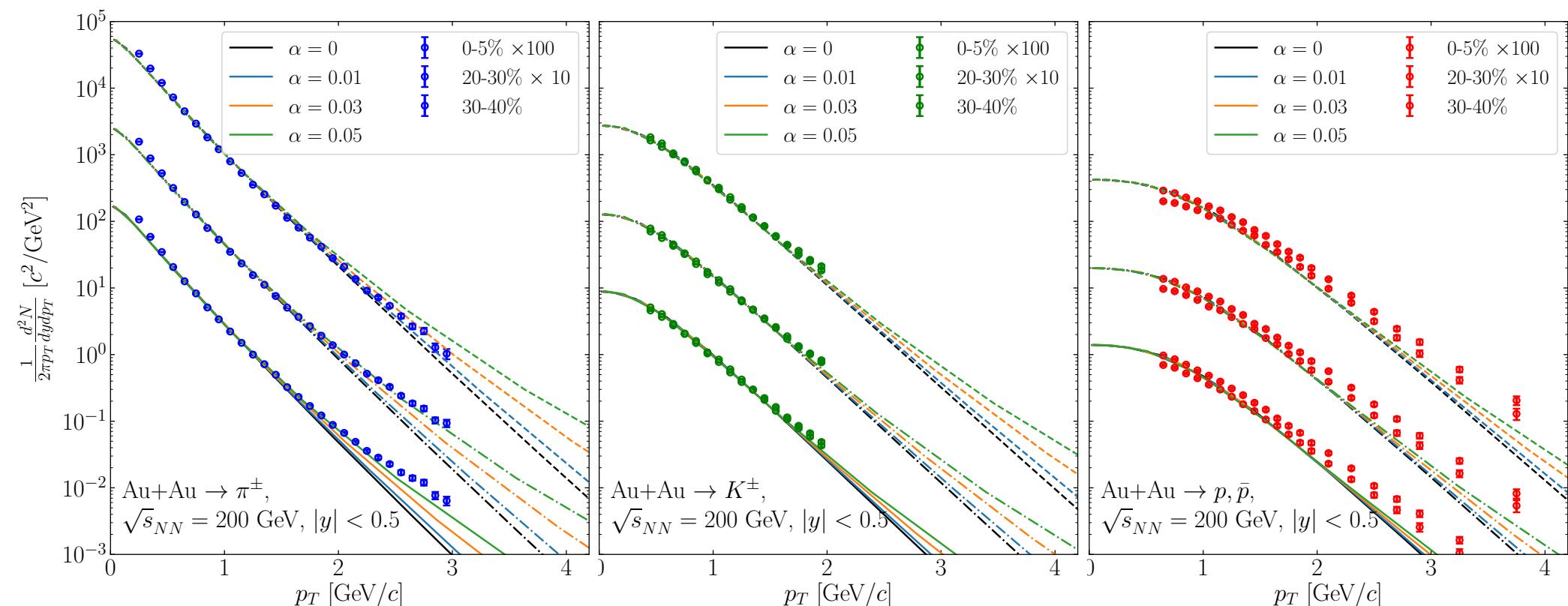
1. Initial condition: Au+Au @ 200 GeV optical Glauber model $S_0=110 \text{ fm}^{-3}$.
2. 2+1D numerical ideal hydro with Azhydro.
3. Cooper–Frye freeze-out with Tsallis
 $\varepsilon(x), P(x)$ and q are fixed, $T_f = 140 \text{ MeV}$
4. Resonance decays are included.



Results: hydrodynamic simulation

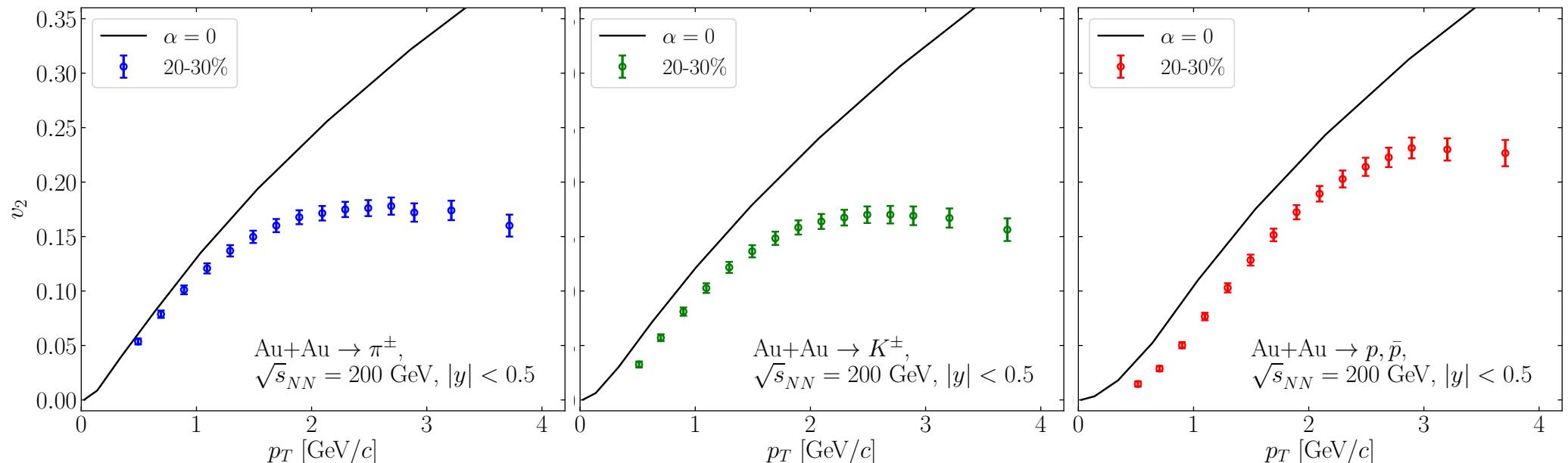


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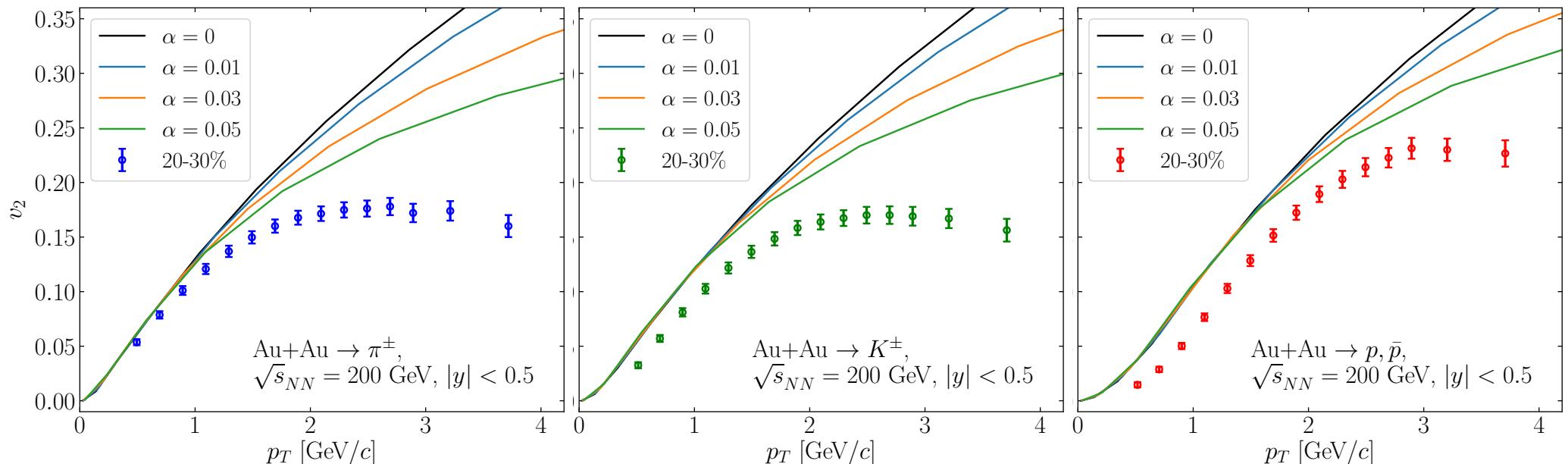


- Power-law tail appears
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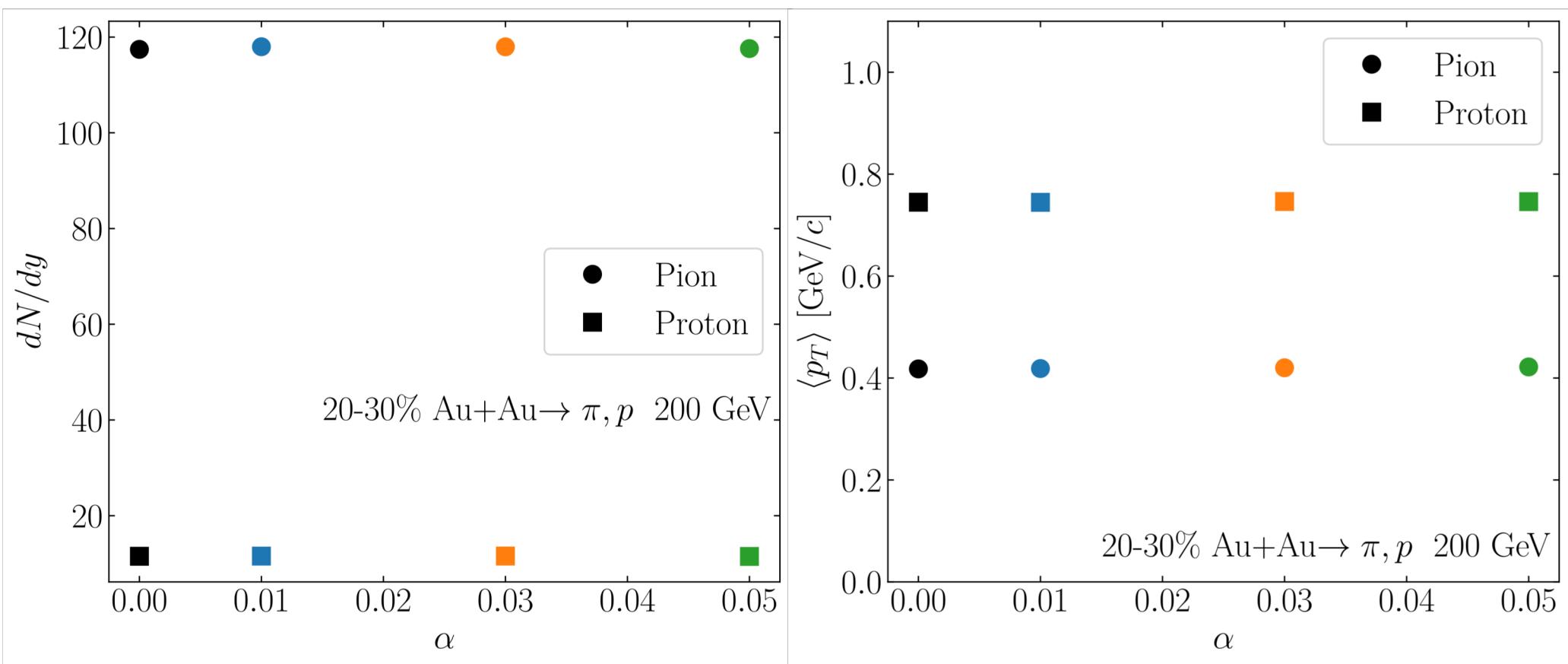


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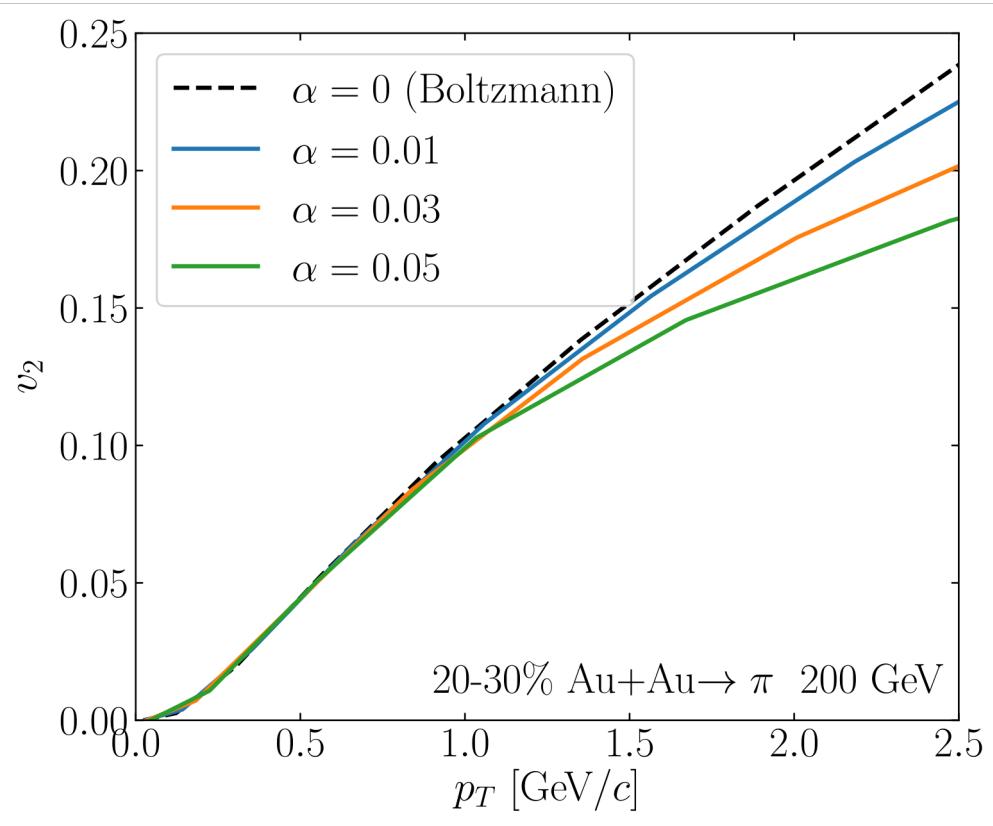


- Suppression in flow!
- Better agreement with data!
- Mass ordering in the suppression, like shear viscosity!

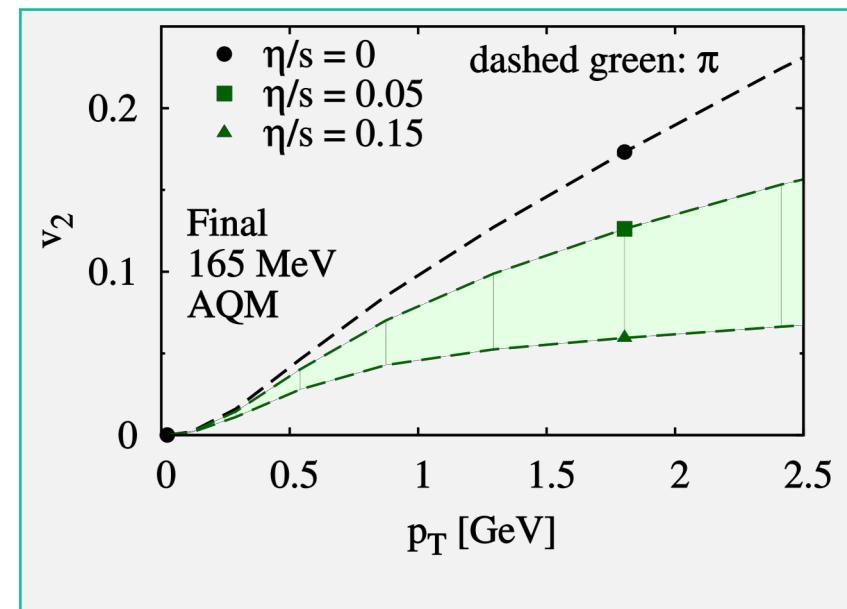
Backup: changes in other observables



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Viscous calculation:



Reprint: D.Molnar & Z.Wolff, Phys.Rev. C95, 024903 (2017)

- Non-ext. behaves like shear viscosity (no viscosity in the model)!
- Comparison to viscous calculation: $\alpha \approx 0.05 \leftrightarrow \eta/s = 0.05$
- From fits to spectra: $\alpha = 0 - 0.07$

K.Urmossy, G.G.Barnafoldi, T.S.Biro,
J.Phys. Conf.Ser. 612 012048 (2015)

Summary

- Relativistic Boltzmann distribution (thermal equilibrium) is an approximation.
- To study a specific type of correction (using Tsallis distribution):
 1. Finite size effects and correlations.
 2. More suitable for the spectrum (power law tail) and the flow ($v_n < 1$).
 3. Isotropization? Conformal theories do not require equilibrium.
- The correction has important effects:
 - Better spectra.
 - Suppressed flow
 - Mimic shear viscosity: $\alpha \approx 0.05 \leftrightarrow \eta/s = 0.05$
- Future:
 - Extend to viscous calculation.
 - Study kinetic transport for an exact correction. Better understand α

P.Arnold, J.Lenaghan, G.D.Moore, L.G. Yaffe, Phys. Rev. Lett. **94**, 072302 (2005)
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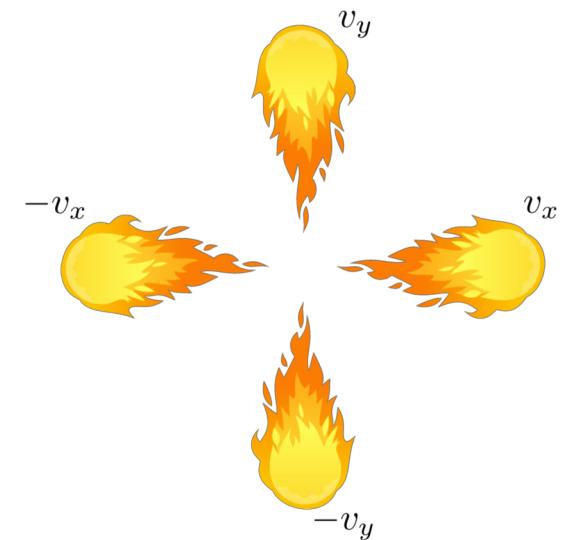
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- Simple 4-source model:
4-uniform fireballs, no long. expansion,
boosted sym. ($\pm v_x$, $\pm v_y$) and $T=const$ freeze-out

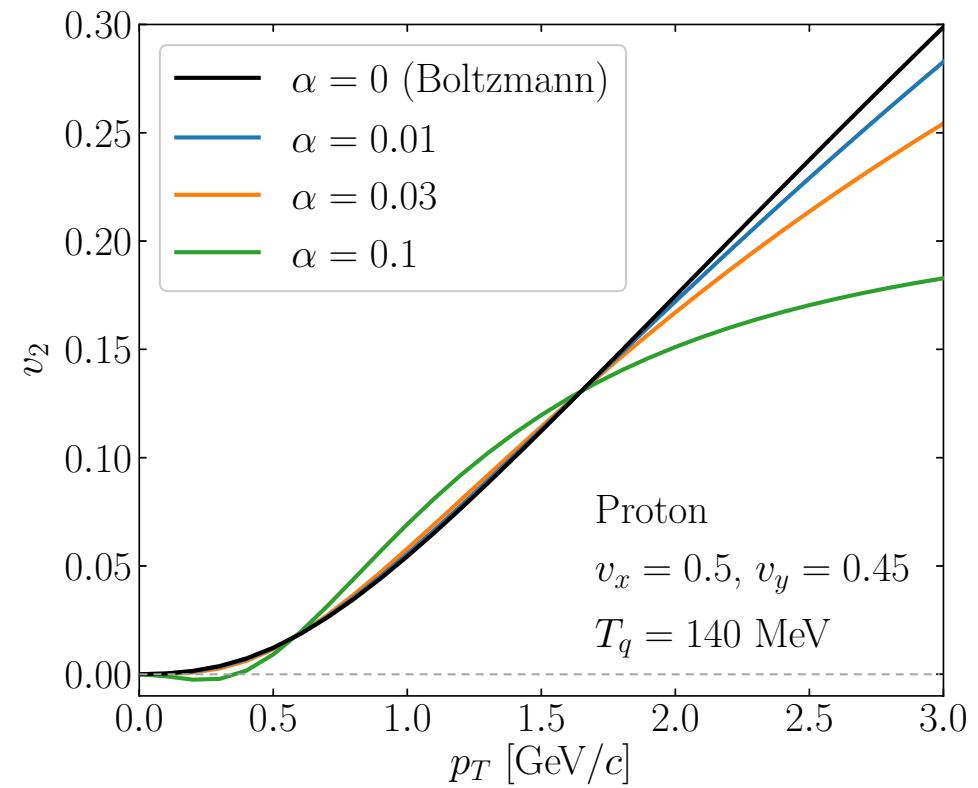
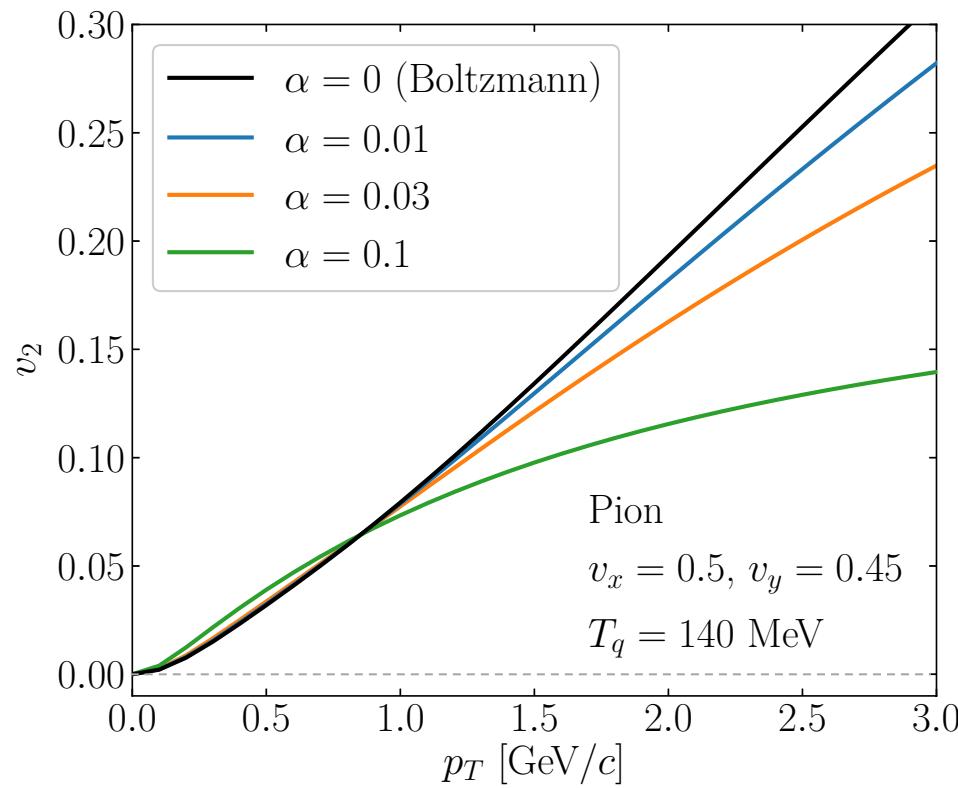
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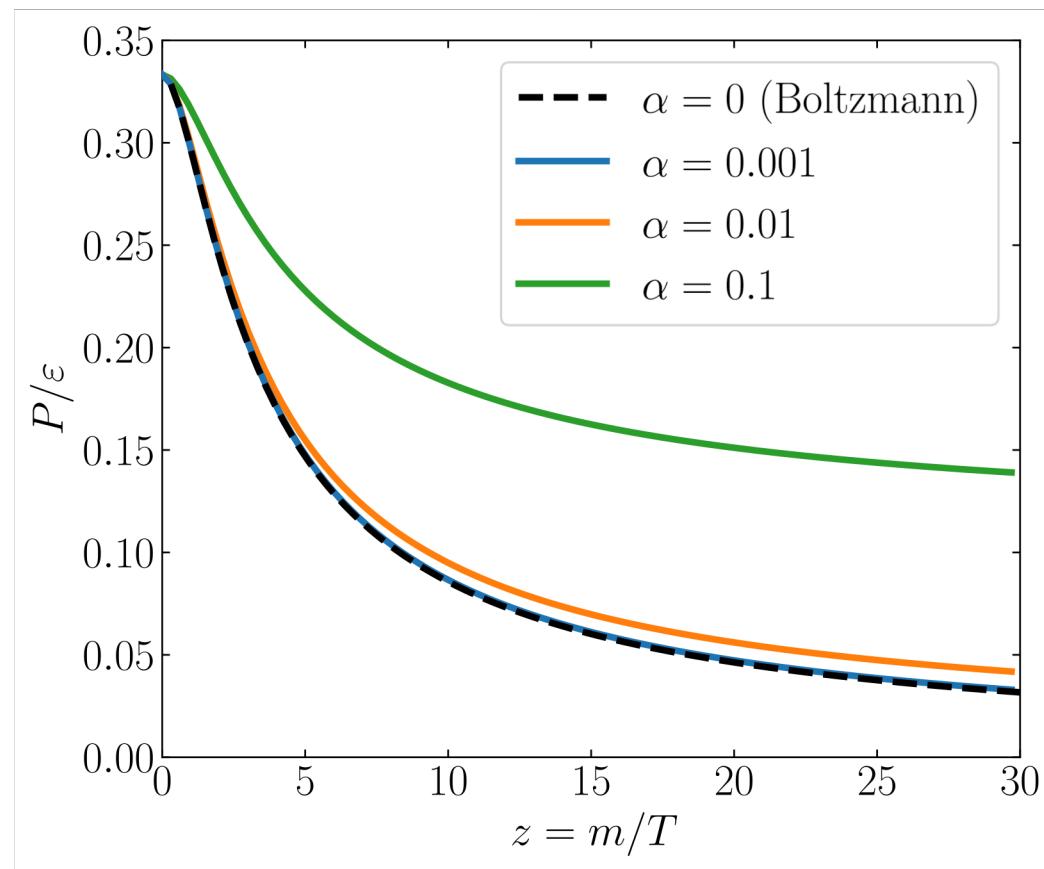
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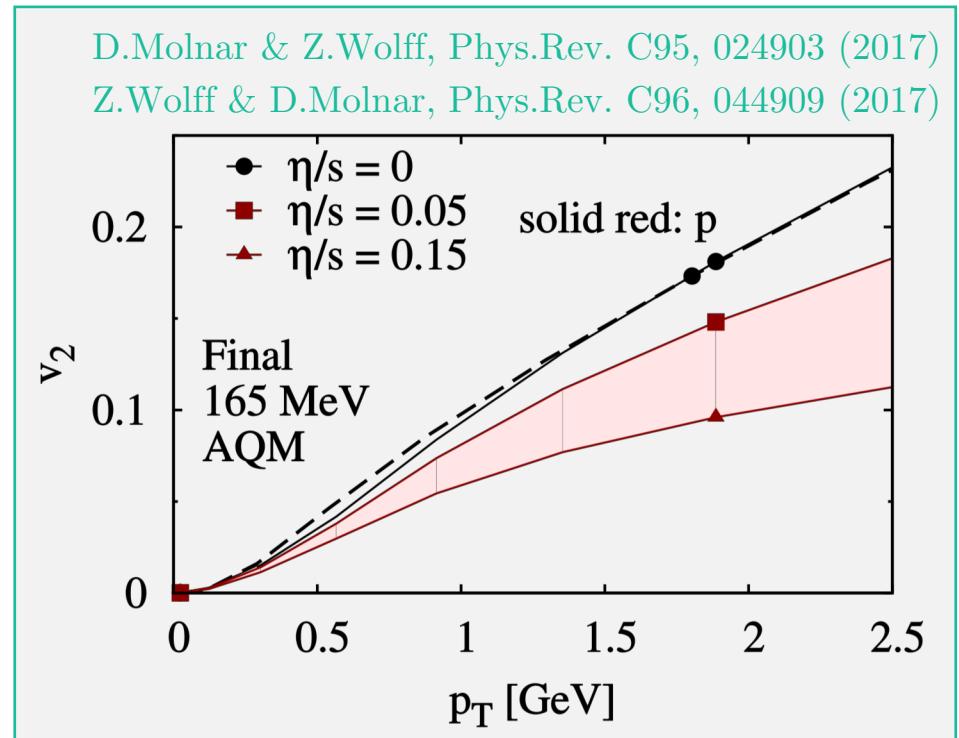
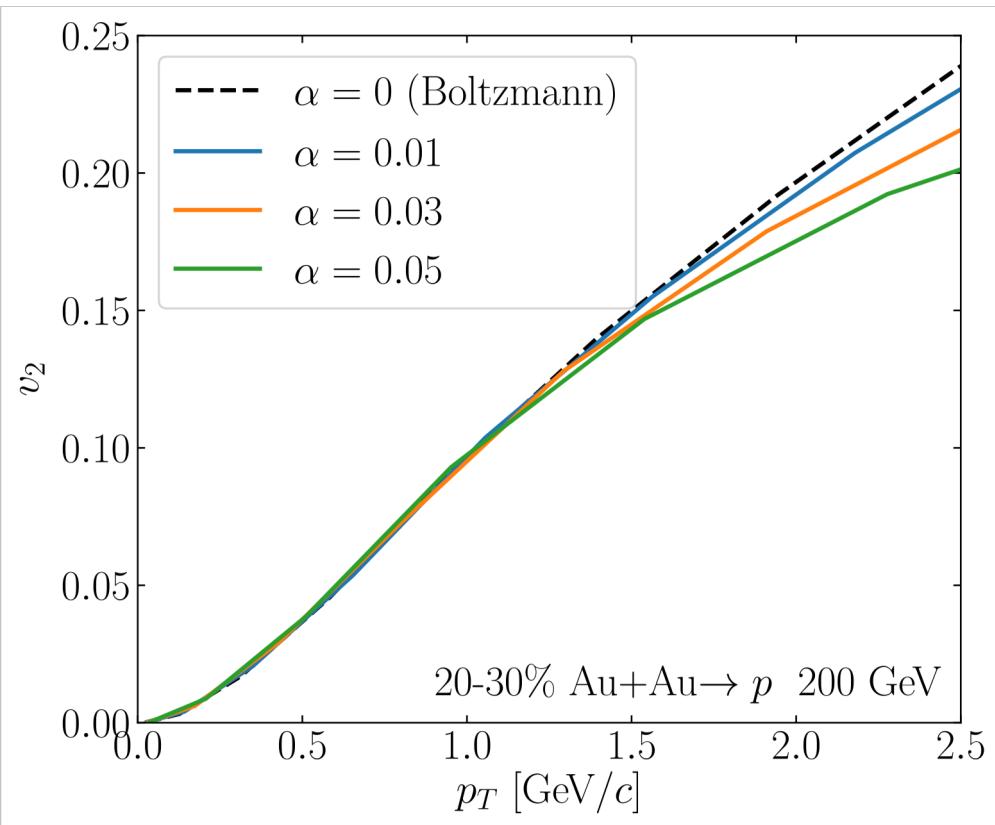
Result from 4-source model: suppression in v_2 !



Backup: describing hydro fields with non-ext. distr.



Backup: non-ext. parameter vs. shear viscosity



Backup: v_4 with non-ext. f

