From Lattice to Observables

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QCD Phase Diagram



CD Phase Diagram



Two "Experimental" Tools to explore hot & dense medium

Relativistic Heavy-Ion Collisions



Lattice QCD Numerical Simulations



Real Experiment

Virtual Experiment

Relativistic Heavy-Ion Collisions



Beam-Energy Scan



baryon chemical potential

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Unique tool to perform quantitative analyses of non-perturbative QCD aspects

Hadron Spectroscopy



Thermodynamics



Beam-Energy Scan



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Usage of Lattice for HIC

(Pseudo) critical temperature T_c
 Equations of state
 Fluctuations of conserved charges
 Dissociation of quarkonia
 Transport coefficients



HIC vs Lattice: Pros & Cons



Real experimentsVirtual, but unphysical paramsZero~high baryon densitySmall baryon density onlyDynamical evolutionIdeal thermal systemFinal-state observables onlyLimited observables

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Three Applications

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Event-by-event Fluctuations



Cumulants

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 $\begin{cases} \langle N \rangle_c = \langle N \rangle & \text{average} \\ \langle N^2 \rangle_c = \langle \delta N^2 \rangle & \text{variance} \\ \langle N^3 \rangle_c = \langle \delta N^3 \rangle \\ \langle N^4 \rangle_c = \langle \delta N^4 \rangle - 3 \langle \delta N^2 \rangle^2 \end{cases}$



- Gauss distribution: $\langle N^3 \rangle_c = \langle N^4 \rangle_c = \cdots = 0$
- Poisson distribution: $\langle N^2 \rangle_c = \langle N^3 \rangle_c = \langle N^4 \rangle_c = \cdots = \langle N \rangle_c$

Review: Asakawa, MK, PPNP 90 (2016)

Proton Number Cumulants $\langle N_p^3 \rangle_c / \langle N_p^2 \rangle_c \qquad \langle N_p^4 \rangle_c / \langle N_p^2 \rangle_c$





STAR, PRC 2020 [2001.06419]

Nonzero and non-Poissonian cumulants are experimentally established.

Cumulants of Conserved Charges = Lattice observable

T dependence (a) $\mu = 0$

Nonzero density



Lattice observable:
$$\chi^B_m = rac{\langle N^m_B
angle_c}{V} ~~ \sim rac{\partial^m p}{\partial \mu^m_B}$$

HotQCD, Phys. Rev. D 101, 074502 (2020)

Issues to be Resolved

Experiments measure proton number cumulants, while lattice calculates baryon's.

Experiments measure the final state of the dynamical evolution, while lattice calculations are performed for equilibrium states with fixed temperature.

And, other issues:
 Volume fluctuation
 Efficiency correction / imperfect acceptance
 Measurement in momentum space
 Resonance decays
 Jets

See, Asakawa, MK, Mueller, PRC 101 (2020)

Proton vs Baryon Cumulants MK, Asakawa, 2012; 2012

 $\Box \langle N_p^m \rangle_c \neq \langle N_B^m \rangle_c$

 $/ \mathbf{x}_{\tau}(net)$

 N_B

 $\langle N_B^m \rangle_c$ can be obtained from the distribution of N_p thanks to the isospin randomization.

$$\langle N_p^{(\text{net})} \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \langle N_B^{(\text{net})} \rangle,$$

$$\rightarrow N_p : \langle (\delta N_p^{(\text{net})})^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{4} \langle (\delta N_B^{(\text{net})})^2 \rangle + \frac{1}{4} \langle N_B^{(\text{tot})} \rangle,$$

$$\langle (\delta N_p^{(\text{net})})^3 \rangle = \frac{1}{8} \langle (\delta N_B^{(\text{net})})^3 \rangle + \frac{3}{8} \langle \delta N_B^{(\text{net})} \delta N_B^{(\text{tot})} \rangle,$$

Information of baryon # cumulants are more suppressed in higher order proton # cumulants!

$$\langle N_{\rm B}^{(net)} \rangle = 2 \langle N_{p}^{(net)} \rangle,$$

$$\langle (\delta N_{\rm B}^{(\rm net)})^{2} \rangle = 4 \langle (\delta N_{p}^{(\rm net)})^{2} \rangle - 2 \langle N_{p}^{(\rm tot)} \rangle,$$

$$\langle (\delta N_{\rm B}^{(\rm net)})^{3} \rangle = 8 \langle (\delta N_{p}^{(\rm net)})^{3} \rangle - 12 \langle \delta N_{p}^{(\rm net)} \delta N_{p}^{(\rm tot)} \rangle + 6 \langle N_{p}^{(\rm net)} \rangle,$$

 $\gamma / \chi_{I}(net)$

Time Evolution of Cumulants



Proper understanding of the time evolution of fluctuations is indispensable.

Diffusion of Fluctuations



 $\overrightarrow{\tau}$ rapidity

Fluctuations are continue to change even after the chemical FO.

 Measurement in momentum space gives rise to further "blurring" effect.

Ohnishi, MK, Asakawa, PRC 2016

Rapidity Window Dependence in Diffusion Models

Higher order cumulants in diffusion master equation MK+, PLB (2014); MK, NPA (2015) □ 2nd order cumulant near CP in stochastic diffusion equation sakaida, Asakawa, Fujii, MK, (2018)



□ Non-monotonic Δy dependence can emerge reflecting the dynamical evolution.

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Casimir Effect



attractive force between two conductive plates



Casimir Effect

Brown, Maclay 1969





Thermodynamics on the Lattice

Various Methods

□ Integral, differential, moving frame, non-equilibrium, ... □ rely on thermodynamic relations valid in V→∞ $P = \frac{T}{V} \ln Z$ $sT = \varepsilon + P$ Not applicable to anisotropic systems

Uve employ SFtX Method $\varepsilon = \langle T_{00} \rangle$ $P = \langle T_{11} \rangle$ Components of EMT are directly accessible! SFtX = Small Flow *t*ime eXpansion

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Varying Quark Masses



Various orders of phase transition with variation of m_q .

Cumulants around Critical Point



Kurtosis $\langle M^4 \rangle_c / \langle M^2 \rangle_c$ changes discontinuously at the CP.

Finite-Size Effects



Sudden change of B₄ at the CP is smeared by finite-size effect.
 B₄ obtained for various size have crossing at t = 0.
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Binder-Cumulant Analysis

Light-quark region

Kuramashi, Nakamura, Ohno, Takeda, '20





Heavy-quark region

Statistically-significant deviation of the crossing point from the 3d-Ising value.
 Too large finite-S effects?



Numerical Simulation

□ Coarse lattice: $N_t = 4$ □ But large spatial volume: $LT = N_s / N_t \le 12$

Hopping-param. (~1/m_q) expansion
 Monte-Calro with LO action
 High statistical analysis



Simulation params.

lattice size	β^*	λ	$\kappa^{N_{\rm f}=2}$
$48^3 \times 4$	5.6869	0.004	0.0568
	5.6861	0.005	0.0601
	5.6849	0.006	0.0629
$40^3 \times 4, 36^3 \times 4$	5.6885	0.003	0.0529
	5.6869	0.004	0.0568
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	5.6849	0.006	0.0629
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	5.6845	0.006	0.0629
	5.6837	0.007	0.0653
$24^3 \times 4$	5.6870	0.0038	0.0561
	5.6820	0.0077	0.0669
	5.6780	0.0115	0.0740

Kiyohara, MK, Ejiri, Kanaya 2108.00118, PRD, in press

Binder-Cumulant Analysis



Z2 $B_4 = 1.604$ $\nu = 0.630$ $LT \ge 9$ $B_4 = 1.630(24)(2), \nu = 0.614(48)(3)$ $LT \ge 8$ $B_4 = 1.643(15)(2), \nu = 0.614(29)(3)$



■ B_4 and ν are consistent with Z₂ universality class only when $LT \ge 9$ data are used for the analysis.

Kiyohara, MK, Ejiri, Kanaya, 2108.00118

Further Check of Z₂ Scaling

Effective potential at the CP

Given Scaling of order parameter



Z2 scaling is well established

Kiyohara, MK, Ejiri, Kanaya, 2108.00118

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Final Remarks

- Relativistic HIC and lattice simulations are useful "experimental" tools for exploring hot and dense medium.
- Both experiments have pros and cons. Their complementary use is important.
- Further exchanges of ideas between lattice and experimental communities will be especially effective for the search for the QCD phase structure!

Critical Points



Ising Model



These CPs belong to the same universality class (Z_2).

Common critical exponents. ex. $C \sim (T - T_c)^{-\alpha}$

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 $\frac{P_x + \delta}{P_z + \delta}$



 $T/T_c \cong 8.1 (\beta = 8.0) / T/T_c \cong 25 (\beta = 9.0)$

Ratio slowly approaches the asymptotic value. But, large deviation still exists even at $T/T_c \sim 25$.